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FIFA Fund for Football Players (Period 3)

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FIFA FUND FOR FOOTBALL PLAYERS: 225 NEW APPLICATIONS APPROVED

The total
budget for
Period 3 is
**USD 4
million**

- Total of USD 16m set aside by FIFA to partially reimburse players
- A further 225 player applications approved
- Fund supports players who have neither been paid nor have the chance of duly receiving the salaries agreed with their clubs

A total of 225 players are due to be compensated in the third phase of the FIFA Fund for Football Players (FIFA FFP) following a decision taken by the FIFA FIFPRO Steering Committee in line with the programme's protocol.



BACKGROUND

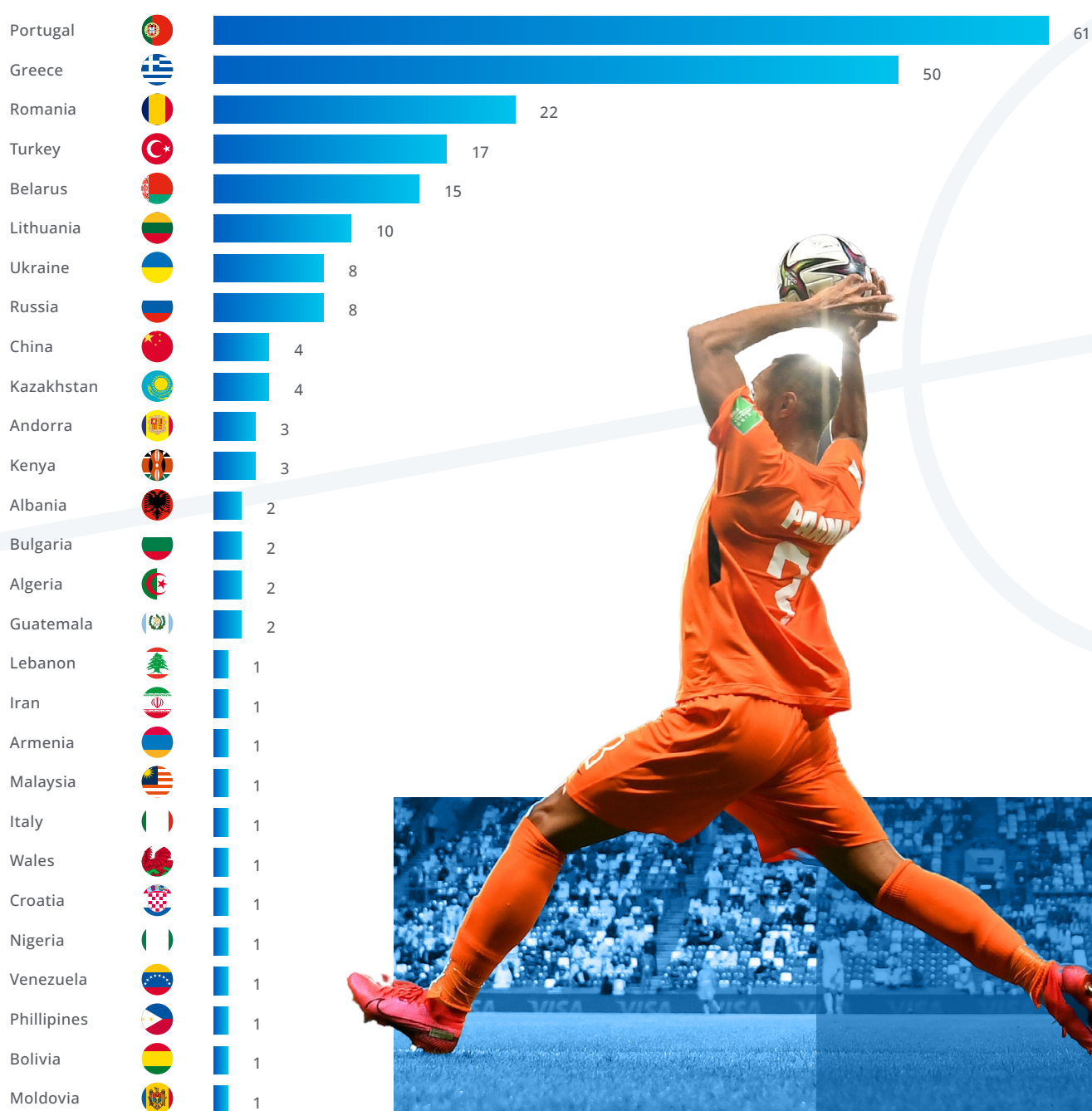
The FIFA Fund for Football Players (FIFA FFP) is the result of a landmark agreement reached by FIFA and FIFPRO in 2020 that provides financial support to players who have not been paid and have no chance of duly receiving the wages agreed with their clubs. The total budget for the fund is USD 16 million, which was divided into four application cycles. Following the conclusion of the successful second period, FIFA is currently finalising the payments relating to the third phase.

The 225 approved applications correspond to phase three and cover the period from January to December 2021 (inclusive), for which a total of USD 4m had been allocated. At the scheme's launch, FIFA set aside a total of USD 16m, which was divided into four application cycles as follows:

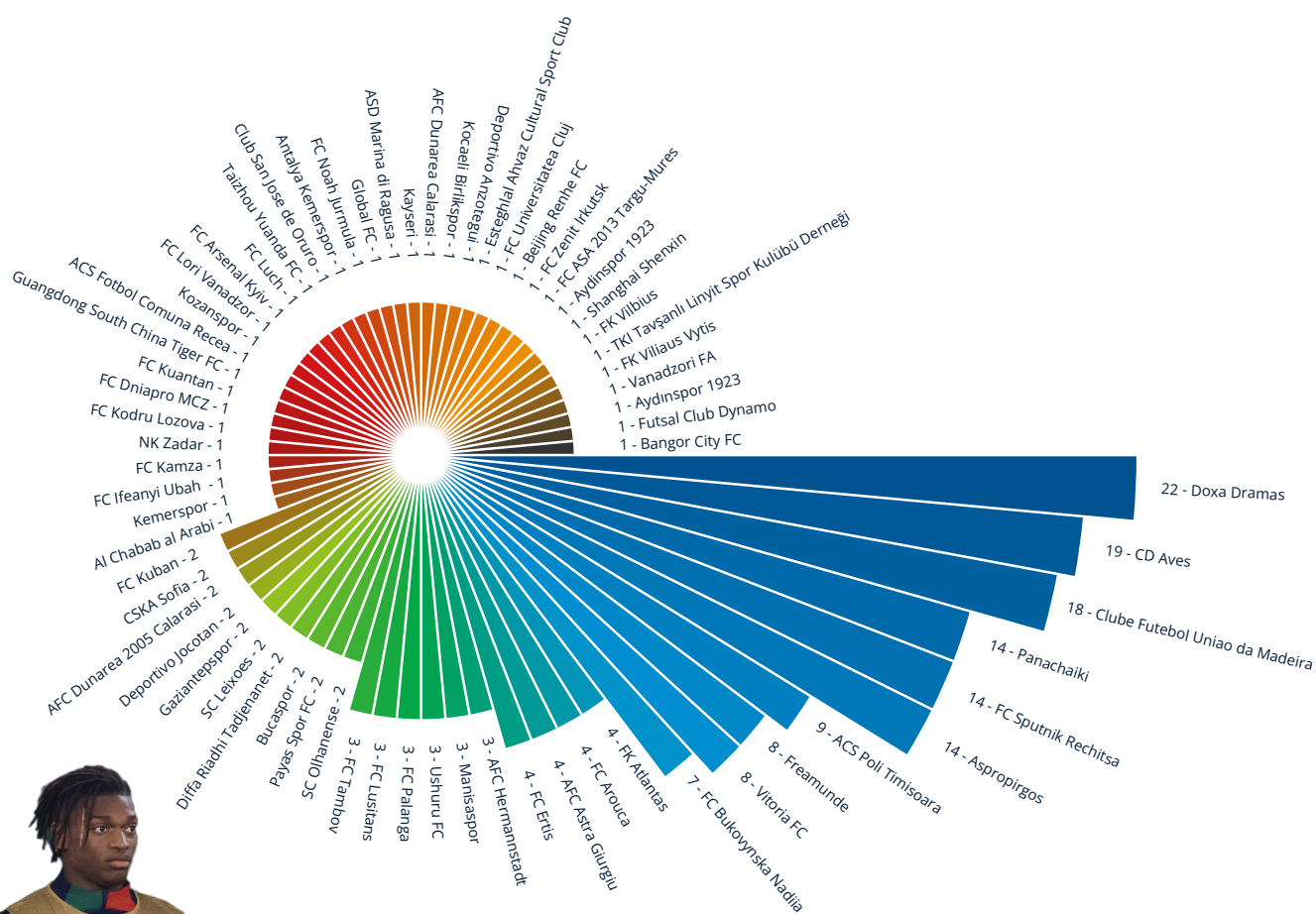
1 July 2015 – 30 June 2020	USD 5m
1 July 2020 – 31 December 2020	USD 3m
1 January 2021 – 31 December 2021	USD 4m
1 January 2022 – 31 December 2022	USD 4m



No. OF APPROVED APPLICATIONS **PER** AFFECTED MEMBER ASSOCIATION



No. OF APPROVED APPLICATIONS **PER** **AFFECTED CLUB**



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