

# MEDIA RIGHTS TENDER 2020.

Frankfurt, 3 March 2020.



#### **CORNERSTONES OF THE MEDIA RIGHTS TENDER 2020**



- Subject: Media utilization rights (audiovisual, audio, digital out of home)
- Matches: 617 matches per season of Bundesliga, Bundesliga 2, Relegation, Supercup
- Licence period: Four seasons from 2021/2022 until 2024/2025
- Territory: Germany, Austria, Switzerland, Liechtenstein, Luxembourg & South Tyrol
- Rights packages: 7 live rights packages and 7 highlight rights packages (audiovisual)
- Process: Open, transparent and non-discriminating tender
- Basis: Commitments of the DFL from antitrust proceedings pursuant to § 32b GWB<sup>1</sup>

#### **FOCUS AREAS**



Promotion
of digital
innovations
and highest
presentation quality

Strengthening
of pay live with
concurrent upgrade
of comprehensive
free to air coverage

Preservation
of proven regular
match schedule,
without Monday
night matches

# WHAT'S NEW: "PAY"



- Expansion of licenced territory beyond Germany to Austria, Switzerland, Liechtenstein, Luxembourg and South Tyrol.
- The highest-quality serial production in Germany: 176 matches in 4K. Top matches with 26 cameras. Frequent use of innovative technologies, e.g. of Aerial Camera Systems, drones and corner flag cameras.
- Additional digital and mobile usage rights for pay live:
  In-match video and audio clips. Pay clips on demand after final whistle.
- 4. Inclusion of extensive club marketing rights as part of the live rights packages.

# WHAT'S NEW: "FREE"



- Three additional free to air matches:
- Relegation Bundesliga vs. Bundesliga 2 and season opening match Bundesliga 2.
- Rights holders can make available all highlight shows after Monday 0.00h on demand.
- Up to 3 "Free-Clip" providers can make available single clips after Monday 0.00h on demand.
- Tendering of a "Digital out of Home" package (DOOH) with utilization rights for digital advertising screens.

### WHAT'S NEW: DIGITAL OUT OF HOME





- DFL tenders a Digital out of Home rights package for the first time
- There are >100.000 digital advertising screens in Germany.
- Besides ads, these screens show content such as sports.
- The market is growing. DOOH reaches >50M contacts per day.
- The share of digital advertising screens will rise to ~50% until 2025.

# WHAT'S NEW: CHANGES OF THE MATCH SCHEDULE





10 "recovery matches" are played Sunday 19.30

instead of 5x Sunday 13.30 and 5x Monday 20.30



Bundesliga 2 top match is played Saturday 20.30

instead of Monday 20.30





Bundesliga kick off Sunday 18.00 is moved to 17.30

Bundesliga 2 kick off Saturday 13.00 is moved to 13.30



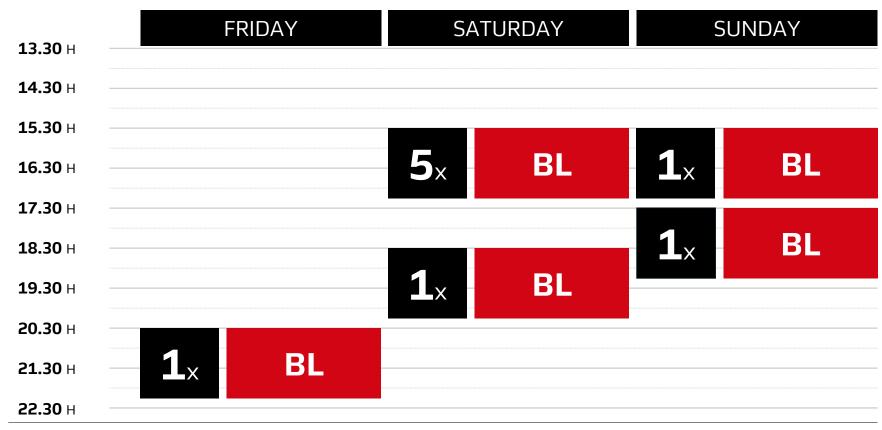


Matchday 33 is played as a regular matchday

with normal kick off times

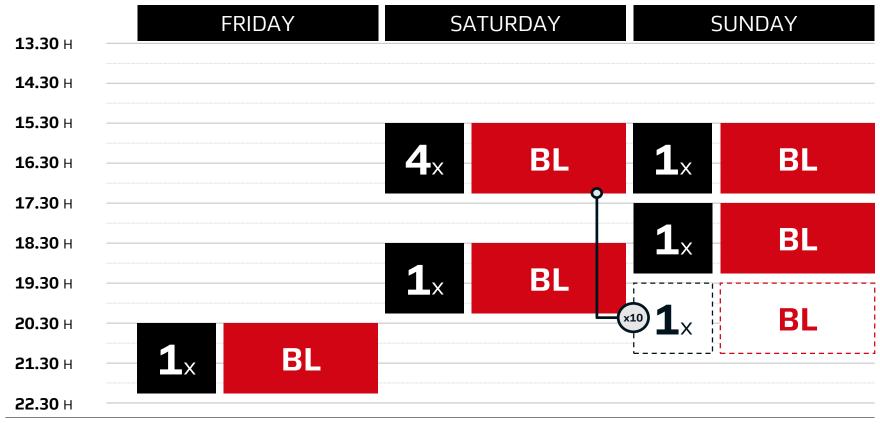
## **BUNDESLIGA: REGULAR MATCH SCHEDULE**





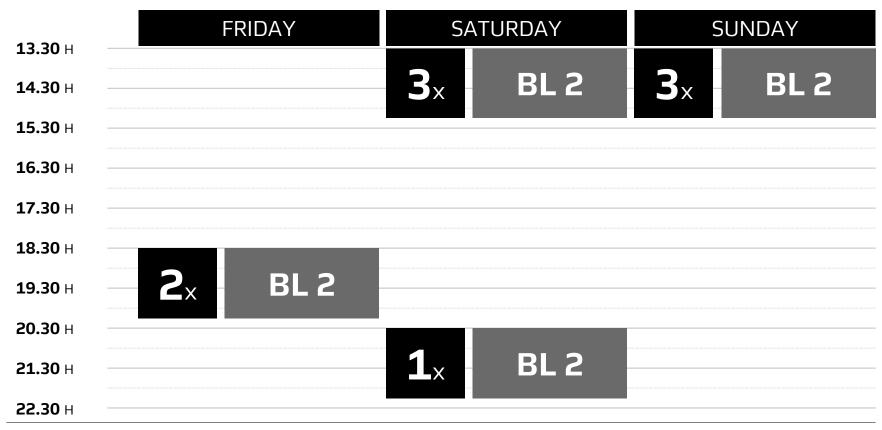
# **BUNDESLIGA: 10 "RECOVERY MATCHES" PER SEASON**





# **BUNDESLIGA 2: REGULAR MATCH SCHEDULE**





### **BUNDESLIGA: LIVE RIGHTS PACKAGES**



**Package** 

A

Saturday 15.30

Conference

**Tue. & Wed.** 20.30 Conference B

Saturday 15.30

**Tue. & Wed.** 18.30 | 20.30

**Relegation** BL

**C** 

Saturday 18.30

Supercup

**Sunday** 15.30 | 17.30 19.30<sup>1</sup>

Friday 20.30 E

Free Live

BL 2 MD 1

Relegation BL & BL 2

Supercup

**Matches** 

Conferences

166

35

Pay

**170** 

33

106

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92

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Free

# **BUNDESLIGA 2: LIVE RIGHTS PACKAGES**



**Package** 





**Matches** 

275

33

**Conferences** 

98

Pay



Pay and/or Free

#### **HIGHLIGHT RIGHTS PACKAGES**



**Package** 

**Broadcast** Window

**(H)** 

Fri 22.30 – 24.00

Sun 18.45 - 21.15

Sat 18.30 - 20.15

Sat 21.45 - 24.00 K

Sun 6.00 – 15.00

Sun 21.15 - 24.00 M

HL Clips after final whistle Up to 3x

HL Clips

Mon 0.00

Bundesliga

**Bundesliga 2** 

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Fri+Sun

Fri+Sat<sup>1</sup>

Sat<sup>2</sup>

Fri+Sat

Sat

Fri+Sat

Fri+Sat

Fri-Sun

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Fri-Sun

Fri-Sun

Fri-Sun

Fri-Sun

Pay



Free

#### **FURTHER RIGHTS PACKAGES**





#### **Broadcast**

Audio utilization rights for UKW with the opportunity of a national program hookup.

#### Netcast

Audio utilization rights for Web/Mobile.



# **Digital out of Home**

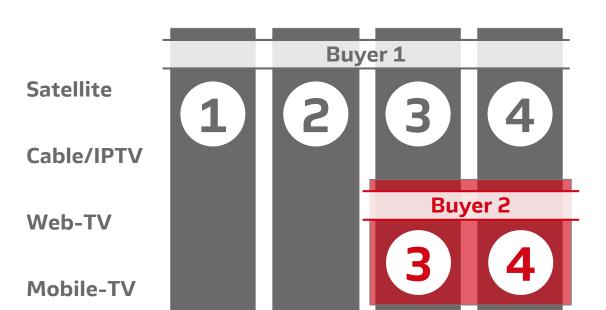
Utilization right to show audiovisual content over digital advertising and information screens.

# THE "NO EXCLUSIVE OWNER RULE"



If a **single buyer** acquires all 4 Bundesliga live rights packages...

...the rights packages tendered on third and fourth place during the auction are awarded **co-exclusively** over the distribution paths Web and Mobile-TV to a **another buyer**<sup>1</sup>



# **AUCTION PROCESS**





# **AUCTION RULES: EXAMPLES**

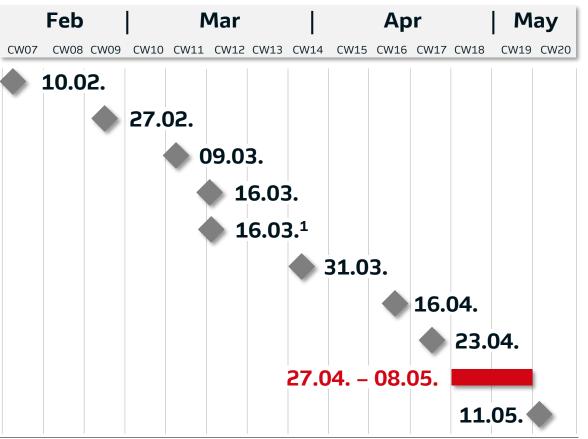


	Example	Result	
Constellation	VP/RP Offers	Round 1	Round 2
<b>Several</b> offers above VP/RP and second highest offer is <b>more than 20%</b> lower	100 150 110	Award	Award
<b>Exactly one</b> offer above VP/RP and second highest offer is <b>more than 20%</b> lower	100 110 80	Award	Award
<b>Several offers</b> above VP/RP and second highest offer is <b>less than or exactly 20%</b> lower	100 150 120	No award	DFL decision
<b>Exactly one</b> offer above VP/RP and second highest offer is <b>less than or exactly 20%</b> lower	100 <b>110</b> 95	No award	Award
<b>No</b> offer above VP/RP	100 80	No award	DFL decision <sup>1</sup>

#### TIMELINE



**Announcement Send out Procedure Letter Application for admission** Admission decision Send out tender document **Submission of questions** Webinar **Answer to questions** Auction **Executive Committee & Ordinary Assembly** 



#### **CONCLUSION**



The DFL markets one
of the world's most
valuable sports rights
portfolios – and the most
valuable one in Germany

The rights allow for a modern and user-oriented media offering. They reflect technological developments and trends in media consumption

The DFL focuses on digital innovations and highest presentation quality of all matches based on an almost unchanged match schedule



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