European Championship winners

The European Nations Cup – as it was originally known – was conceived by Henri Delaunay, head of the French Football Federation, in 1927. Delaunay died in 1955, three years before the first qualifying matches

Year	Champions		Runners-up	Hosts
2004	**Greece**	1-0	Portugal	*Portugal*
2000	**France**	2-1	Italy	*Holland/Belgium*
1996	**Germany**	2-1	Czech Rep.	*England*
1992	**Denmark**	2-0	Germany	*Sweden*
1988	**Netherlands**	2-0	USSR	*Germany*
1984	**France**	2-0	Spain	*France*
1980	**West Germany**	2-1	Belgium	*Italy*
1976	**Czechoslovakia** *Penalties*	2-2 5-3	W. Germany	*Yugoslavia*
1972	**West Germany**	3-0	USSR	*Belgium*
1968	**Italy** *Replay*	1-1 2-0	Yugoslavia	*Italy*
1964	**Spain**	2-1	USSR	*Spain*
1960	**USSR**	2-1	Yugoslavia	*France*

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