

# Netherlands v Costa Rica

July 5,  
Salvador

HEAD-TO-HEAD

First meeting  
between teams

Coach  
**Louis  
van Gaal**

Captain  
**Robin  
van Persie**

Best finish  
**Finalist**

1970, 1974, 2010

Coach  
**Jorge  
Luis  
Pinto**

Captain  
**Bryan Ruiz**

Best finish  
**Quarter-final**

2014

## ROAD TO QUARTER-FINALS

<i>Group B winner</i>	<b>Spain</b>	5-1	<i>Matchday 1</i>	<b>Uruguay</b>	3-1	<i>Group D winner</i>
	<b>Australia</b>	3-2	<i>Matchday 2</i>	<b>Italy</b>	1-0	
	<b>Chile</b>	2-0	<i>Matchday 3</i>	<b>England</b>	0-0	
	<b>Mexico</b>	2-1	<i>Last 16</i>	<b>Greece</b>	1-1, pens 5-3	

Player to watch  
**Arjen Robben**

## TEAM STATISTICS

Player to watch  
**Bryan Ruiz**

12	Goals scored	4
16	Scoring chances	5
9	Blocked shots	5
46%	Possession	43%
1417	Passes completed	1328
230	Tackles won	211

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**Arena  
Fonte Nova**

Capacity:

48,747

Cost: \$296m

Source: FIFA

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