

The rapid global expansion of Touch continues with Bulgaria the latest member nation to affiliate with the Federation of International Touch in 2019

Stefan Doychev, President of Bulgaria Touch, said "We've had tournaments in the past, but we have only formalised the sport in Bulgaria recently with structured games officiated by fully-qualified referees."

In October 2019, Bulgaria Touch hosted its first National Championship in Sofia, with five clubs and a total of 60 players competing. Leading club side Murphy's Misfits, won the inaugural tournament.

Building on the success of the championship, increasing the ranks of qualified referees and coaches was a significant priority. Coaching and referee courses. and approaches to schools to promote the benefits of Touch followed.

Stefan Doychev and his brother Martin are pivotal figures in the establishment of Touch throughout the country

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BULGARIA EUROPEAN CHAMPIONSHIPS RESULTS

MIXED OPEN DIVISION

Opponents	Ρ	W	L	D	F	Α
England	1		1		1	14
France	1		1		0	26
Ireland	1		1		2	23
Italia	1		1		2	21
Jersey	1		1		3	15
Netherlands	1		1		2	15
Scotland	1		1		1	15
Switzerland	1		1		2	10
Switzerland	1		1		2	8
Wales	1		1		0	17
Total	10	0	10	0	15	164
Best Position :	10th	- 2022	2			
Worst Position :	10th	- 2022	2			

BIGGEST WINNIN	IG MARGIN
Worst Loss: Winning streak :	0-26; France 2022
Event high score:	4; Nikolay Landzhev 2022
In one game :	1; By all scorers 2022

Overall Performance

Divisions	Р	W	L	D	F	Α	Ave.
Mixed	10	0	10	0	15	164	0.09
	10	0	10	0	15	164	

Highest Try Scorers										
4	Landzhev Nikolay	Mixed								
3	Vasileva Miglena	Mixed								
2	Minkov Filip	Mixed								
2	Doychev Stefan	Mixed								

For & Against History

Excl	uding	final	s		Best Attack	Including finals				
Most	Year	Best	t Ave.	Year	Divisions	Most	Year	Best Ave.		Year
13	2022	13	1.44	2022	Mixed	15	2022	15	1.50	2022

Excluding finals				finals Best Defence Including finals						
Less	Year	Best Ave. Year		Year	Divisions	ns Less Year Bes		Best	Best Ave. Y	
156	2022	156	17.3	2022	Mixed	164	2022	164	16.4	2022

	Excludir	ng fin	als	Best For & Against	Including finals		
	Best Average Year		Year	Divisions	Best Average		Year
Ī	13-156	0.08	2022	Mixed	15-164	0.09	2022