

APPENDIX

Sentences Comprising of Verbs Describing Winning

1) Beat

- ◇ Maccabi Haiva beat SV Reid 4-1 in Israel for a 5-3 aggregate win
- ◇ In London, Bergkamp scored his first two goals of the season as English Champion Arsenal beat Newcastle United 3-0 in the Premiere League.
- ◇ Brazilian striker Elber helped Bayern Munich stage a brilliant comeback to beat MSV Duisburg 4-2 in the third round tie.
- ◇ Mallorca beat Spanish League and Cup champions FC Barcelona 1-0 to take the Spanish Super cup.
- ◇ AC Milan overturned a 2-0 first leg deficit to beat eight men Torino 3-0 in the second round of the Italian Cup.
- ◇ Fiorentina beat reigning Italian champion Juventus 1-0 in Turin on Saturday.
- ◇ In the night's other replay, Barnsley beat fellow premiere league struggler Tottenham 3-1 to earn a fifth round trip to Manchester United.
- ◇ Dutch champion PSV Eindhoven, spurred by double strike from Boudewijn Zenden, hit back to beat Utrecht 4-1 yesterday.
- ◇ Real Madrid replaced Barcelona at the top of the Spanish league when it beat bottom club Sporting Gijon 3-0 on Sunday.
- ◇ Leeds United beat Tottenham Hotspur 1-0 Wednesday to keep the London soccer giant firmly embroiled in the relegation battle at the foot of the English premiere league.
- ◇ Euro '96 champion Germany coasted victory in a World Cup friendly game beating fellow finalist Arab Saudi 3-0.
- ◇ Marco Simone scored twice in three minutes as Paris St. Germain came from behind to beat RC Lens 2-1 and reach the French League Cup final on Thursday.
- ◇ Giovanni van Bronkhorst scored one goal and created another as Feyenoord beat Roda JC. Kerkrade 2-1 on Monday to move up to third.

- ◊ Cannes moves of the foot of the table with its only seventh win of the season when they beat fellow struggler Strasbourg 1-0 with a 78th minute penalty from Vandenburg.
- ◊ In France, league leader Lens took another step towards a domestic trophy on Saturday when it beat Lyon 2-0 to qualify for its first French Cup final in over 20 years.

2. Brush aside

- ◊ The Chinese brushed aside Tajikistan 4-1 to maintain its 100 percent record in the tournament.
- ◊ Bayern Munich scored three goals in six second-half minutes to brush aside the challenge of Obilic Belgrade of Yugoslavia 3-0.
- ◊ Dynamo Kiev came from behind to brush aside group leader Panathinaikos 3-0 and will go to Lens to decide who tops the group.

3. Crush

- ◊ Double winner Arsenal drew first blood in the new English football season by crushing MU 3-0 in the Charity Shield.
- ◊ Brazilian Striker Elber scored two goals and set up another two to help leader Bayern Munich crush champion Kaiserslautern 4-0 in the German first division.
- ◊ Second-placed Bayer Leverkusen extended its unbeaten win to 11 matches by crushing VfL Bochum 5-1 away to move into the second round of the German Cup.
- ◊ Bayern Munich crushed VfB Stuttgart 4-0 in the final of German Cup.
- ◊ Top scorer of the night was Benfica which crushed Beitar Yerusalem 6-0 with three of its goals coming from British players- Mark Penbridge and Brian Deane.
- ◊ Inter Milan crushed Venezia 6-2 on Sunday.
- ◊ Winger Tony Vairelles hit a hat trick as RC Lens crushed Bastia 5-1 at home to move closer to its first French League championship on Saturday.
- ◊ Barcelona crushes Real Madrid 3-0, and goes five points clear.

- ◊ The only victorious team were World Champion Brazil which overcome fellow qualifier Germany 2-1 in Stuttgart, Spain which crushed Sweden 4-0 in Vigo and Denmark which stunned Scotland 1-0 at Ibrox Park in Glasgow.
- ◊ Marseille added superb finishing to its sound defensive work as they crushed Nantes 4-0 away to stay top on goal difference from Metz.
- ◊ Kaiserslautern made sure of becoming the first promoted side to win the championship by crushing VfL Wolfsburg 4-0 last weekend.

4. Cruise past

- ◊ The Turks look certain to rely on most of the players who beat Germany and previously cruised past Northern Ireland 3-0
- ◊ In the European qualifying matches, Yugoslavia cruised past Malta 3-0 in Valetta.
- ◊ Leeds United, inspired by its victory over Liverpool last week, cruised past Bolton Wanderers 3-0 to make a quarterfinal with Chelsea.

5. Defeat

- ◊ Meanwhile in the Italian Cup, Udinese defeats visitor Parma 3-2 in its home leg quarterfinal.
- ◊ Panathinaikos defeated RC Lens in Athens to go top of the group by a point.
- ◊ Singapore defeats host Vietnam 1-0 in the Tiger Cup final.
- ◊ On Wednesday, the national soccer team defeated Sydney United 3-1 in its last warm-up before playing in Tiger Cup.
- ◊ The Gunners, who have won the title six times, will face Newcastle which defeated Sheffield United 1-0.
- ◊ Chelsea defeated Derby 1-0 while division one leader Nottingham Forest scored a 2-1 victory over Ipswich.
- ◊ Chelsea will meet VfB Stuttgart of Germany which defeated Lokomotiv Moscow 1-0 in Russia.
- ◊ Earlier this year, the Azzuri defeated Slovakia 3-0.

- ◊ Real Madrid ended a 32 year wait to be crowned European Champion for the seventh time when it defeated Juventus 1-0 in a tough, uncompromising European cup final on Wednesday.
- ◊ Celtic turned the Scottish championship into an intriguing three-way race when it defeated Aberdeen 3-1 at Parkhead to join Rangers and Hearts at the top of the premier division.
- ◊ League leader Juventus defeated Bari 1-0 to stay four points clear of Inter Milan and six ahead of Lazio.

6. Demolish

- ◊ Three days after demolishing Hansa Rostock 6-1, Bayern Muenchen put up another convincing performance by beating Schalke 04 2-0 on Sunday.
- ◊ In Bundesliga, Hamburg SV demolished MSV Duisburg 5-1 with Russian striker Sergei Kiryakov scoring three goals.
- ◊ Robbie Fowler brought up his century of league goals by grabbing a hat trick as Liverpool demolished Southampton 7-1 at Anfield.
- ◊ The Catalans Club notched up the biggest win of the season when it demolished Alaves 7-1.
- ◊ Ajax Amsterdam won the Dutch Cup and its six league and cup double by demolishing its rival PSV Eindhoven 5-0 in Sunday's final.
- ◊ Four time European champion winner Ajax, which demolished Heerenveen 7-2 on Saturday, has amassed 80 points from 29 matches.

7. Down

- ◊ Indonesia rebounded from an early deficit to down Myanmar 6-2 last night.
- ◊ Low-ranked Bologna downed next-to-last Venezia 2-0 in another three games played Saturday.
- ◊ ... and Vietnam downed Laos 3-1 yesterday.
- ◊ Athletic Bilbao downed Real Zaragosa 1-0 to finish two points ahead of its rivals, which won their final games by the same score.



- ◊ The tie meant that United lost the group D standings lead to Bayern Munich which easily downed Denmark's Brondby 2-0 with goals from Carsten Jancker and Mario Basler.

8. Ease past

- ◊ Singapore eased past bitter rival Malaysia 2-0 in the group B match.
- ◊ Schalke 04 eased past champion Bayern Munich 1-0 to hand the Bavarians its third consecutive defeats in the Bundesliga.

9. Edge

- ◊ The home side edged Ince's former club Inter Milan 2-1 Tuesday in a pre-season warm up game.
- ◊ Udinese edged Piacenza 1-0 to snap a six game winless streak.
- ◊ Wimbledon edged Chelsea out of the League Cup semis. (Score 2-1)
- ◊ AC Milan's German forward Olivier Bierhoff netted a second half header as AC Milan edged Salernitana 2-1.
- ◊ ... and Blackburn edged Sunderland 1-0 at home.
- ◊ Atalanta Bergamo helped its chance of avoiding relegation by edging Empoli 1-0.
- ◊ Inter Milan edged 10-men Vicenza 2-1 on a penalty kick in the fifth minute of injury time.
- ◊ Juventus edged lowly Empoli 1-0 as substitute Midfielder Fabio Pecchia scored eight minutes after entering the match.

10. Eliminate

- ◊ Even worse, Spartak has history on its side because it eliminated Real in the 1991 quarterfinals with a 3-1 win at the Bernabeu.
- ◊ Second division Fortuna Dusseldorf caused the first upset of the competition, eliminating Bundesliga front runner TSV 1860 Munich 2-1.
- ◊ Fulham eliminates Villa from the FA Cup with a 2-0 win.

- ◊ Upstart Bologna held on to eliminate two-time defending Serie-A champion Juventus 2-0 from the Italian Cup Tuesday.

11. Get Through

- ◊ Blackburn get through 4-2 on penalties to move to the third round of the League Cup.
- ◊ Norway's Valerenga completed an incredible fightback victory to move into the last eight at the expense of Turkey's Besiktas, getting through 3-2 on aggregate.

12. Hammer.

- ◊ Curiously, United had hammered Brondby 6-0 in a pre-season friendly game.
- ◊ Chelsea hammered Wimbledon 3-0 recently at Stamford Bridge in the premiership.
- ◊ with Parma which hammered AC Milan 4-0 earlier in the day.
- ◊ Chelsea hammers below-par Arsenal 5-0 in the League Cup.
- ◊ An experimental Brazil side hammered depleted, jet-lagged, heat-sapped Russia 5-1 in Fortaleza.
- ◊ Levski Sofia hammered Lokomotiv Vitebsk 8-1 in a first leg tie.
- ◊ The result kept the Londoners two points clear from MU which hammered Leicester City 6-2 at Filbert Street.
- ◊ NAC avoided a repeat of last year's third round defeat by Helmand Sport by hammering it 5-0.

13. Humiliate

- ◊ Young AS Roma controlled the action, scored late in each half and seemed the more prized club for the title as it humiliated Juventus 2-0.
- ◊ Lazio handed Inter Milan one of its worst defeats in the club history when it humiliated its opponent 5-3 before 70,000 people at San Siro.

14. Knock Out Of

- ◊ Tottenham Hotspur **knocked** Manchester United **out of** the English League Cup 4-1 on Wednesday to set up a London semifinal with Wimbledon.
- ◊ Bochum **knocks** Kaiserslautern **out of** the German Cup on Wednesday and move to the second round. (Score 3-0)
- ◊ Fulham has already **knocked** Southampton **out of** the League Cup this season.

15. Nip

- ◊ New look Lazio **nips** Juventus for Italian Super Cup.

16. Outgun

- ◊ Feyenoord **outgunned** last season's Cup Winners Cup runner up VfB Stuttgart 4-1.

17. Overwhelm

- ◊ Liverpool was also in fine form in Slovakia as it **overwhelmed** Kosice 3-0.
- ◊ AS Roma stormed back from 1-0 down to **overwhelm** Perugia 4-1.
- ◊ Vicenza of Italy **overwhelmed** Roda JC Kerkrade 4-1 in the Netherlands on Thursday and almost guaranteed a place in the semifinals of the European Cup Winners Cup.

18. Rout

- ◊ Inter slid to sixth behind AS Roma which **routed** Vicenza 4-0 to snap a four-game winless skid.
- ◊ Arsenal improved to third as it **routed** West Ham United 4-0 in Highbury Stadium.
- ◊ Bologna did all the scorings in the opening half hour Sunday and **routed** free-falling Juventus 3-0 for its first home win in 24 years over the defending champion.
- ◊ Indonesia **routs** Myanmar 6-2 to reach Tiger Cup semis.
- ◊ Ajax **routs** PSV Eindhoven to win the Dutch Cup. (Score 5-1)
- ◊ Udinese stayed in fourth place, with 49 points, by **routing** Brescia 5-1 as German Olivier Bierhoff netted his 19th goal.
- ◊ Defending champion Juventus of Turin **routed** AC Milan 4-1.

◊ Arsenal routs Blackburn Rovers to move closer to title. (Score 4-0)

19. See off

- ◊ Chelsea will play London rival Arsenal in the fourth round after Arsene Wenger's side saw off Derby County 2-1 at Pride Park.
- ◊ Backing him up is newcomer Saeed Mousavi who scored the goal that saw off China.
- ◊ ... and Sheffield Wednesday saw off Stock Port 2-0 in the FA Cup.

20. Slaughter.

- ◊ ... while seven times champion Real Madrid slaughtered Austria's Sturm Graz 6-1 at the Bernabeu to top Group C.

21. Stun

- ◊ In the Scotland first division, Celtic stunned Dundee United 6-1 just hours after the club general manager resigned.
- ◊ Malmo stuns Hadjuk Split of Croatia 4-0 in the UEFA Cup qualifier.
- ◊ The only victorious team were World Champion Brazil which overcome fellow qualifier Germany 2-1 in Stuttgart, Spain which crushed Sweden 4-0 in Vigo and Denmark which stunned Scotland 1-0 at Ibrox Park in Glasgow.
- ◊ United States stunned Brazil in CONCACAF Gold Cup semifinal on Tuesday. (Score 1-0).

22. Tame

- ◊ Wolfsburg scored three times in extra time to tame promoted Nuremberg 3-0 in the other tie between teams from the top flight.
- ◊ Bayern Munich struck twice before the break to tame Bayer Leverkusen 3-0 in a one-sided top-of-the-table clash on Sunday.

23. Thump

- ◊ Real welcomes back Sanchiz and Mijatovic against a team it **thumped** 6-1 last month.
- ◊ Bastia **thumped** last season's runner up Metz 3-0.
- ◊ Ruud Gullit's Newcastle United **thumped** Coventry 5-1 at Highfield Road, with England captain Alan Shearer scoring twice.
- ◊ Galatasaray went to the top of group B after **thumping** Rosenborg Trondheim 4-0 in Istanbul.
- ◊ Manchester United **thumped** bottom-placed Nottingham Forest 4-0 at Old Trafford to keep the pressure on the leader and remain third on 34 points.
- ◊ In the first division, Middlesbrough guaranteed promotion to the premier league next season by **thumping** Oxford United 4-1.

24. Thrash

- ◊ Player-manager Gianluca Vialli hit a hat trick as Cup holder Chelsea **thrashed** English premiership leader Aston Villa 4-1 to advance to the fourth round of the League Cup.
- ◊ In Graz, Austria, Real Madrid shrugged off an early set back to **thrash** Sturm Graz 5-1 in their postponed Champion League Group C match.
- ◊ Scotland's Heart **thrashed** FC Lantana 5-0 to move into the second round proper of the European Cup Winners Cup on Thursday.
- ◊ Ajax finally found its form to **thrash** Twente Enschede 5-0 in the Dutch League.
- ◊ In England, Manchester United cut Aston Villa's lead at the top of the English Premier League to four points by **thrashing** Wimbledon 5-1 at Old Trafford.
- ◊ Real Madrid stormed to the top in Spain by **thrashing** bottom club Extremadura 5-1.
- ◊ Marco Del Vecchio scored twice in six minutes as AS Roma moved into fifth place in Serie A by **thrashing** Fiorentina 5-1 at the Olympic Stadium yesterday.
- ◊ Roberto Baggio scored twice and laid on three other goals as Inter Milan recovered from Roberto Muzzi's opener to **thrash** 10-men Cagliari 5-1.

25. Trash

- ◊ Liverpool shattered league's leader Aston Villa's unbeaten record on Saturday by trashing them 4-2 in front of its home crowd in the English premiership league.
- ◊ Manchester United host Brondby which it trashed 6-2 in Copenhagen last month.
- ◊ Lazio recovered from its first defeat of the season to trash Empoli 5-1 at Olympic Stadium.
- ◊ In other action, Olympic Lyonnaise trashed Toulouse 6-1.
- ◊ Mallorca trashed Tenerife 5-1 to climb to sixth, while Atletico moved up to fourth with a 1-0 win over Salamanca.

26. Trounce

- ◊ In Lecce, Italy, league leader Fiorentina trounced second division Lecce 4-0 and vaulted into the quarterfinals of the Italian Cup.
- ◊ Argentina trounced Venezuela 5-1 in Tuesday's match.
- ◊ ... as English premiership leader Aston Villa trounced tailender Southampton 5-1 on Saturday.
- ◊ Fiorentina stayed top of the Italian league by trouncing Salernitana 4-0 on Sunday.
- ◊ The only other significant of the day was in Rome, where Fiorentina trounced Lazio 4-1 to secure Italy's UEFA Cup berth next season.

27. Take On

- ◊ AS Roma took on Udinese at Rome's Olympic stadium in a late match. (Score 2-1)

28. Whip

- ◊ Spain faces a tricky group six tie in Tel Aviv against an Israeli team which whipped San Marino 5-0 on Sunday.
- ◊ Host Thailand whipped Hong Kong 5-0 to book its place in the next round.

29. Win

- ◊ Newcastle United won Monday's game 2-1 after leading the Italians by two goals in the first half.
- ◊ The visiting Liverpool won Sunday's game 2-1
- ◊ VfB Stuttgart completed a thrilling victory with an injury time goal by Fredi Bobic to win 2-0 at Feyenoord and secure a 4-3 aggregate victory in the UEFA Cup first round on Tuesday.
- ◊ Chelsea ended a marathon day of English soccer top of the premier league when it won 2-0 at Southampton.
- ◊ Barcelona won 2-1 against Oviedo on Saturday.
- ◊ World player of the year Ronaldo scored twice as second place Inter Milan won 2-1 at AS Roma yesterday to stay a point adrift of league leader Juventus.
- ◊ Runner-up Manchester United won 2-0 at Barnsley with goals from Andi Cole and Teddy Sheringham.
- ◊ Ajax routs PSV Eindhoven to win the Dutch Cup. (Score 5-1)
- ◊ Parma trailed Roma on goal difference, despite coming from behind to win 2-1 at Bologna with goals from Stanic and Crippa.
- ◊ Reynald Pedros scored the first and laid on the second as Olympique Lyon won 2-0 at Toulouse.
- ◊ Arsenal moved to within three points of Manchester United at the top of English Premiere league on Tuesday when it won 1-0 at Bolton.

Sentences comprising of verbs describing losing

1. Beaten by

- ◊ Italian side Parma's enormous spending spree counted for little on Tuesday as it was beaten 1-0 by Fenerbahce in their UEFA Cup first round, first leg match in Turkey.
- ◊ Two weeks ago, Inter was beaten 2-0 in a one-sided group C match against Real Madrid.

- ◊ Bayern Munich had a man sent off as it was beaten 1-0 by newly promoted Eintracht Frankfurt.
- ◊ while Newcastle under Chelsea's former coach Ruud Gullit exited when beaten 1-0 by Partizan Belgrade.
- ◊ Marseille lost its unbeaten record when it was beaten 2-0 by Olympic Lyon.
- ◊ Juventus stumbled to its first home defeat on Thursday when it was beaten 1-0 by Lazio thanks to its former striker Allen Boksic.
- ◊ Monaco, the reigning champion which won the last of its five cup succession in 1991, received a sharp jolt last weekend when it was beaten 1-0 by Bastia.
- ◊ Title challenger Bayern Munich suffered a shock defeat on Saturday when it was beaten 2-0 at home by 13th place Cologne.
- ◊ Champion league finalist Real Madrid was surprisingly beaten at home 2-0 on Monday night by mid-table Zaragoza.
- ◊ Chateauroux dropped to the bottom of the table when it was beaten 1-0 by visiting Montpellier.

2. Crash (away) to

- ◊ Paris Saint Germain crashed 4-1 away to Girondins Bourdeaux in the opening of the French championship matches.
- ◊ AC Milan saw its long nightmare when it crashed 3-0 to second division Torino.
- ◊ England crashed in Sweden despite scoring the fastest goal in the evening.
- ◊ Tottenham Hotspur was jeered by its own fans after crashing 3-0 at home to Sheffield Wednesday.
- ◊ AC Milan couldn't even manage that - crashing 1-0 to newly promoted Cagliari.
- ◊ Despite a magnificent four-goal performance from Christian Vieri, Atletico Madrid crashed 5-4 to Salamanca on Saturday.
- ◊ In another match of the day, Borussia Dortmund crashed to a 1-3 defeat at Hansa Rostock.
- ◊ PSG played lowly Le Havre at home last weekend as leader Metz crashed 1-0 at home to Bastia.

- ◊ Serie A leader Juventus crashed to its only second defeat of the season to Fiorentina on Sunday. (Score 3-0)

3. Crash Out Of

- ◊ Borussia Muenchengladbach crashed out of the German Cup 2-0 to second division Rot-Weiss Oberhausen.

4. Crumble.

- ◊ Pracey Parma crumbles in its UEFA Cup opener.

5. Defeated By

- ◊ The Rome's favourite club, AS Roma, was defeated by Sampdoria in Genoa.
- ◊ Spain stumble to its third defeat in a row as it was defeated 1-0 by Israel in Tel Aviv.

6. Destroyed By

- ◊ The Gunners, the defending premier league and Cup champion, were destroyed at their home ground in North London 5-0 by Chelsea, the League Cup holder.
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7. Edged Out At

- ◊ Real Betis slipped to its first defeat under former national team chief Javier Clemente when it was edged out 1-0 at Espanyol in the Spanish first division.

8. Fall (victim) To

- ◊ AS Monaco, third place in last year season, fall away to Nantes 2-0 on Sunday.
- ◊

9. Go Down\Out to

- ◊ Croatia, which finished in third place in the world Cup, went down to Ireland in Group eight and had two men sent off.

- ◊ Wimbledon went down 2-1 at first division Portsmouth in the second round of the FA Cup.
- ◊ Muenchan's rival, 1860 Munich, also lost. It went down 3-2 at home despite bombarding the Wolfsburg's goal for most of the time.
- ◊ Mallorca now leads by four points from Celta Vigo who went down 2-0 at Real Sociedad.
- ◊ Both teams have 17 points, just one shy of the Serie-A leader Fiorentina which went down 4-2 at Piacenza in a match that featured three of the day's eight penalty kicks.

10. Humiliated By

- ◊ Spain lost its 100 % winning record yesterday as it was humiliated 3-11 by Cyprus.

11. Humbled By

- ◊ Meanwhile in the Premier League, defending Champion Arsenal was humbled by minnow neighbor Wimbledon 2-0 on Saturday.
- ◊ while Iran was humbled 4-2 by Oman which coach by its former coach.

12. Lose to

- ◊ Manchester United's rival, Arsenal, got reversal of fortune, losing 1-3 to Diunamo Kiev to leave the UEFA Cup earlier than expected.
- ◊ Champion RC Lens lost 3-2 to Toulouse.
- ◊ Liverpool lost 2-1 to West Ham United.

13. Stunned By

- ◊ Former champion Ajax, which also expected to advance, was instead stunned 1-0 at home by Croatia Zagreb.
- ◊ Barca's joy knew n bounds after bitter rival Real Madrid stunned 4-0 by Deportivo La Coruna.

14. Slump At

- ◊ Defending champion Real Madrid slumped 3-1 at Inter Milan to leave chance of a place I the last eight in the balance.
- ◊ Without Michael Owen who scored a beautiful goal in the World Cup, Liverpool slumped 3-1 at Tottenham Hotspur yesterday.

15. Succumb

- ◊ Liverpool took the lead and then succumbed 3-1 to Leeds United.

16. Trashed By

- ◊ German representative MSV Duisburg was trashed 5-0 by Belgian Genk.
- ◊ Borussia Muenchengladbach, trashed 8-2 at home by Leverkusen eight days ago, began promisingly with a goal from Toni Polster.

17. Trampled By

- ◊while AC Milan was trampled 4-0 by AC Parma.

18. Tumble to

- ◊ Leeds, the team he left on Thursday, tumbled 1-0 at home to Leicester, whose manager, Martin O'neill is being strongly tipped to take over at Elland Road now that Graham has moved on.

