

The crock squad



England's injury crisis is such that Fabio Capello is left with only four of his first-choice players for the match against Germany tomorrow – David James, John Terry, Gareth Barry and

Theo Walcott. No fewer than ten players who would have been expected to be in the squad are unavailable to the Italian

Withdrawn yesterday

- Steven Gerrard, right (Liverpool, groin)
- Frank Lampard (Chelsea, ribs)
- Joe Hart (Man City, ankle)

Already out

- Wayne Rooney (Manchester United, calf)
- Rio Ferdinand (Manchester United, back)
- Wes Brown (Manchester United, ankle)
- Owen Hargreaves (Manchester United, knee)
- Emile Heskey (Wigan Athletic, hamstring)
- Ashley Cole (Chelsea, calf)
- Joe Cole (Chelsea, ankle/foot)

● The injury crisis has not just affected England, however. Scotland, Wales, Northern Ireland and Ireland have had more than their fair share of withdrawals since their squads were announced at the weekend



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- Scotland**
- ← Kenny Miller (Rangers, calf)
 - ← James Morrison (West Bromwich Albion, knee)
 - ← Ross McCormack (Cardiff City, hamstring)
 - ← Darren Fletcher (Manchester United, knee)
 - ← Craig Gordon (Sunderland, ankle)
 - ← Steven Fletcher (Hibernian, ankle)

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- Wales**
- ← Simon Davies (Fulham, Achilles tendon)
 - ← Jason Koumas (Wigan Athletic, groin)
 - ← Joe Ledley (Cardiff City, hand)
 - ← David Vaughan (Blackpool, calf)
 - ← Carl Fletcher (Nottingham Forest, back)*
- *on loan from Crystal Palace

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- N Ireland**
- ← Aaron Hughes (Fulham, head)
 - ← George McCartney (Sunderland, foot)
 - ← Gareth McAuley (Ipswich Town, hamstring)

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- Ireland**
- ← Robbie Keane (Liverpool, shoulder)
 - ← Aiden McGeady (Celtic, calf)
 - ← Dean Kiely (West Bromwich Albion, wrist)