

## TEAMS - HEAD TO HEAD

**1** **SCOTLAND**  **POOL D**  
KICK-OFF: 10:15  **CANADA**

HEAD TO HEAD IN WORLD SERIES				
Last met in Paris	9 Jun 2018	Pool B	Scotland Lost	26 - 14
Canada last won in Vancouver	11 Mar 2018	Challenge Trophy Quarter Finals	Canada Won	0 - 19
First met in Paris	27 May 2000	Pool C	Scotland Lost	33 - 10
Played: 36	Scotland: 20	Canada: 16	Drawn: 0	
Points Scored: 668 - 570	Average: 19 - 16			
Scotland highest score:	Won 5 - 52 2018 - Sydney - Pool D 27 Jan 2018			
Canada highest score:	Won 35 - 12 2015-16 - Sydney - Bowl Semi Finals 7 Feb 2016			

### PREVIOUS ENCOUNTERS IN CAPE TOWN

**2** **AUSTRALIA**  **POOL D**  
KICK-OFF: 10:37  **WALES**

HEAD TO HEAD IN WORLD SERIES				
Last met in Paris	9 Jun 2018	Pool C	Australia Won	29 - 10
Wales last won in Dubai	3 Dec 2016	Cup Quarter Finals	Wales Won	12 - 21
First met in Shanghai	7 Apr 2001	Pool B	Australia Won	54 - 7
Played: 48	Australia: 40	Wales: 8	Drawn: 0	
Points Scored: 1219 - 615	Average: 25 - 13			
Australia highest score:	Won 54 - 7 2000-01 - Shanghai - Pool B 7 Apr 2001			
Wales highest score:	Won 33 - 14 2011-12 - Dubai - Pool D 2 Dec 2011			

PREVIOUS ENCOUNTERS IN CAPE TOWN				
10 Dec 2017	2018	Challenge Trophy Semi Finals	Won	5 - 42
12 Dec 2015	2015-16	Pool C	Won	21 - 14

<b>3</b>	<b>FIJI</b>		<b>POOL C</b> KICK-OFF: 10:59		<b>FRANCE</b>
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HEAD TO HEAD IN WORLD SERIES				
Last met in Dubai	30 Nov 2018	Pool B	Fiji Won	41 - 0
France last won in Cape Town	13 Dec 2015	Cup Quarter Finals	France Won	14 - 17
First met in Punta del Este	7 Jan 2000	Pool B	Fiji Won	47 - 0
Played: 54	Fiji: 50	France: 4	Drawn: 0	
Points Scored: 1733 - 550	Average: 32 - 10			
Fiji highest score:	Won 54 - 7 2014-15 - Dubai - Pool A 5 Dec 2014			
France highest score:	Won 28 - 19 2004-05 - Paris - Cup Final 11 Jun 2005			

PREVIOUS ENCOUNTERS IN CAPE TOWN				
10 Dec 2016	2017	Pool B	Won	28 - 19
13 Dec 2015	2015-16	Cup Quarter Finals	Lost	14 - 17

<b>4</b>	<b>ENGLAND</b>		<b>POOL C</b> KICK-OFF: 11:21		<b>KENYA</b>
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HEAD TO HEAD IN WORLD SERIES				
Last met in London	2 Jun 2018	Pool C	England Won	38 - 12
Kenya last won in Vancouver	11 Mar 2018	Cup Quarter Finals	Kenya Won	0 - 12
First met in Wellington	6 Feb 2004	Pool A	England Won	26 - 17
Played: 46	England: 34	Kenya: 8	Drawn: 4	
Points Scored: 1060 - 509	Average: 23 - 11			
England highest score:	Won 52 - 7 2005-06 - Dubai - Pool C 1 Dec 2005			
Kenya highest score:	Won 21 - 26 2009-10 - Las Vegas - Cup Quarter Finals 14 Feb 2010			

PREVIOUS ENCOUNTERS IN CAPE TOWN				
12 Dec 2015	2015-16	Pool B	Draw	19 - 19

**5** **ARGENTINA**  **POOL B**  
KICK-OFF: 11:43  **SPAIN**

### HEAD TO HEAD IN WORLD SERIES

Last met in Hong Kong	8 Apr 2018	5th Place Semi Final	Argentina Won	14 - 12
Spain last won in Dubai	2 Dec 2017	Challenge Trophy Semi Finals	Spain Won	12 - 14
First met in Mar del Plata	12 Jan 2000	Pool C	Argentina Won	36 - 7
Played: 14	Argentina: 12	Spain: 2	Drawn: 0	
Points Scored: 350 - 117	Average: 25 - 8			
Argentina highest score:	Won 48 - 0 2002-03 - Cardiff - Pool A 31 May 2003			
Spain highest score:	Won 19 - 24 2000-01 - London - Pool B 27 May 2001			

### PREVIOUS ENCOUNTERS IN CAPE TOWN

**6** **USA**  **POOL B**  
KICK-OFF: 12:05  **JAPAN**

### HEAD TO HEAD IN WORLD SERIES

Last met in Vancouver	11 Mar 2017	Pool C	USA Won	52 - 0
Japan last won in Glasgow	4 May 2014	Shield Semi Finals	Japan Won	14 - 19
First met in Tokyo	30 Apr 2001	Bowl Semi Finals	USA Won	19 - 5
Played: 20	USA: 17	Japan: 3	Drawn: 0	
Points Scored: 528 - 239	Average: 26 - 12			
USA highest score:	Won 52 - 0 2017 - Vancouver - Pool C 11 Mar 2017			
Japan highest score:	Won 12 - 29 2004-05 - Wellington - Shield Semi Finals 5 Feb 2005			

### PREVIOUS ENCOUNTERS IN CAPE TOWN

7	SOUTH AFRICA		POOL A		SAMOA
			KICK-OFF: 12:27		

### HEAD TO HEAD IN WORLD SERIES

Last met in Dubai	30 Nov 2018	Pool A	South Africa Won	19 - 12
Samoa last won in London	2 Jun 2018	Pool D	Samoa Won	12 - 21
First met in Dubai	2 Oct 1999	Pool D	South Africa Won	11 - 7
Played: 73	South Africa: 46	Samoa: 22	Drawn: 5	
Points Scored: 1298 - 983	Average: 18 - 13			
South Africa highest score:	Won 40 - 0 2013-14 - Glasgow - Pool A 3 May 2014			
Samoa highest score:	Won 0 - 47 2011-12 - Glasgow - Plate Semi Finals 6 May 2012			

### PREVIOUS ENCOUNTERS IN CAPE TOWN

8	NEW ZEALAND		POOL A		ZIMBABWE
			KICK-OFF: 12:49		

### HEAD TO HEAD IN WORLD SERIES

Last met in Dubai	3 Dec 2010	Pool B	New Zealand Won	59 - 0
First met in Stellenbosch	10 Nov 1999	Pool B	New Zealand Won	33 - 14
Played: 6	New Zealand: 6	Zimbabwe: 0	Drawn: 0	
Points Scored: 287 - 21	Average: 48 - 4			
New Zealand highest score:	Won 59 - 0 2010-11 - Dubai - Pool B 3 Dec 2010			
Zimbabwe highest score:	Lost 33 - 14 1999-2000 - Stellenbosch - Pool B 10 Nov 1999			

### PREVIOUS ENCOUNTERS IN CAPE TOWN

**9** **SCOTLAND**  **POOL D**  
KICK-OFF: 13:36  **WALES**

HEAD TO HEAD IN WORLD SERIES				
Last met in Paris	10 Jun 2018	Challenge Trophy Quarter Finals	Scotland Lost	5 - 28
Wales last won in Singapore	28 Apr 2018	Pool D	Wales Won	33 - 14
First met in London	28 May 2001	Bowl Final	Scotland Lost	31 - 19
Played: 42	Scotland: 19	Wales: 23	Drawn: 0	
Points Scored: 749 - 756	Average: 18 - 18			
Scotland highest score:	Won 35 - 7 2015-16 - Paris - Pool B 14 May 2016			
Wales highest score:	Won 40 - 12 2001-02 - London - Pool D 24 May 2002			

PREVIOUS ENCOUNTERS IN CAPE TOWN				
10 Dec 2016	2017	Pool D	Won	21 - 24
13 Dec 2015	2015-16	Bowl Semi Finals	Won	29 - 14

**10** **AUSTRALIA**  **POOL D**  
KICK-OFF: 13:58  **CANADA**

HEAD TO HEAD IN WORLD SERIES				
Last met in Dubai	30 Nov 2018	Pool D	Australia Won	31 - 19
Canada last won in Hong Kong	7 Apr 2018	Pool B	Canada Won	14 - 34
First met in Stellenbosch	11 Nov 1999	Plate Semi Finals	Australia Won	12 - 36
Played: 47	Australia: 40	Canada: 5	Drawn: 2	
Points Scored: 1244 - 555	Average: 26 - 12			
Australia highest score:	Won 43 - 5 2001-02 - Cardiff - Pool D 31 May 2002			
Canada highest score:	Won 14 - 34 2018 - Hong Kong - Pool B 7 Apr 2018			

PREVIOUS ENCOUNTERS IN CAPE TOWN				
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**11 FIJI**  **POOL C**  **KENYA**  
KICK-OFF: 14:20

### HEAD TO HEAD IN WORLD SERIES

Last met in Dubai	30 Nov 2018	Pool B	Fiji Won	43 - 12
Kenya last won in Paris	9 Jun 2018	Pool A	Kenya Won	19 - 22
First met in Durban	18 Nov 2000	Pool B	Fiji Won	20 - 0
Played: 40	Fiji: 36	Kenya: 4	Drawn: 0	
Points Scored: 1131 - 418	Average: 28 - 10			
Fiji highest score:	Won 52 - 5 2013-14 - Port Elizabeth - Plate Semi Finals 8 Dec 2013			
Kenya highest score:	Won 7 - 30 2015-16 - Singapore - Cup Final 17 Apr 2016			

### PREVIOUS ENCOUNTERS IN CAPE TOWN

11 Dec 2016	2017	5th Place Play-Off	Won	21 - 33
10 Dec 2016	2017	Pool B	Won	28 - 22

**12 ENGLAND**  **POOL C**  **FRANCE**  
KICK-OFF: 14:42

### HEAD TO HEAD IN WORLD SERIES

Last met in Paris	9 Jun 2018	Pool D	England Won	28 - 21
France last won in Singapore	15 Apr 2017	Pool B	France Won	14 - 24
First met in Paris	28 May 2000	Plate Semi Finals	England Lost	31 - 12
Played: 53	England: 44	France: 8	Drawn: 1	
Points Scored: 1193 - 584	Average: 23 - 11			
England highest score:	Won 50 - 0 2003-04 - George - Cup Quarter Finals 13 Dec 2003			
France highest score:	Won 7 - 40 2012-13 - Las Vegas - Bowl Semi Finals 10 Feb 2013			

### PREVIOUS ENCOUNTERS IN CAPE TOWN

13	ARGENTINA		POOL B		JAPAN
			KICK-OFF: 15:04		

HEAD TO HEAD IN WORLD SERIES				
Last met in Singapore	29 Apr 2018	13th Place Play-Off	Argentina Lost	31 - 24
Japan last won in Cape Town	11 Dec 2016	Challenge Trophy Quarter Finals	Japan Won	33 - 12
First met in Shanghai	7 Apr 2001	Pool C	Argentina Won	40 - 0
Played: 22	Argentina: 16	Japan: 2	Drawn: 4	
Points Scored: 584 - 271	Average: 27 - 12			
Argentina highest score:	Won 47 - 17 2001-02 - Beijing - Pool A 16 Mar 2002			
Japan highest score:	Won 31 - 24 2018 - Singapore - 13th Place Play-Off 29 Apr 2018			

PREVIOUS ENCOUNTERS IN CAPE TOWN				
11 Dec 2016	2017	Challenge Trophy Quarter Finals	Won	33 - 12

14	USA		POOL B		SPAIN
			KICK-OFF: 15:26		

HEAD TO HEAD IN WORLD SERIES				
Last met in Dubai	30 Nov 2018	Pool C	USA Won	29 - 0
Spain last won in London	11 May 2014	Bowl Quarter Finals	Spain Won	26 - 7
First met in Mar del Plata	13 Jan 2000	Bowl Semi Finals	USA Lost	14 - 7
Played: 17	USA: 12	Spain: 5	Drawn: 0	
Points Scored: 337 - 184	Average: 20 - 11			
USA highest score:	Won 0 - 31 2013-14 - Las Vegas - Shield Final 26 Jan 2014			
Spain highest score:	Won 26 - 7 2013-14 - London - Bowl Quarter Finals 11 May 2014			

PREVIOUS ENCOUNTERS IN CAPE TOWN				
9 Dec 2017	2018	Pool B	Won	5 - 26

**15 SOUTH AFRICA**  **POOL A**  
KICK-OFF: 15:48  **ZIMBABWE**

### HEAD TO HEAD IN WORLD SERIES

Last met in Dubai	30 Nov 2018	Pool A	South Africa Won	31 - 0
Zimbabwe last won in Dubai	23 Nov 2000	Pool D	Zimbabwe Won	24 - 26
First met in Dubai	23 Nov 2000	Pool D	South Africa Lost	24 - 26
Played: 7	South Africa: 6	Zimbabwe: 1	Drawn: 0	
Points Scored: 200 - 70	Average: 29 - 10			
South Africa highest score:	Won 33 - 7 2010-11 - George - Pool D 10 Dec 2010			
Zimbabwe highest score:	Won 24 - 26 2000-01 - Dubai - Pool D 23 Nov 2000			

### PREVIOUS ENCOUNTERS IN CAPE TOWN

12 Dec 2015	2015-16	Pool B	Won	26 - 5
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**16 NEW ZEALAND**  **POOL A**  
KICK-OFF: 16:10  **SAMOA**

### HEAD TO HEAD IN WORLD SERIES

Last met in Paris	9 Jun 2018	Pool A	New Zealand Won	22 - 17
Samoa last won in Singapore	17 Apr 2016	Plate Final	Samoa Won	21 - 26
First met in Suva	12 Feb 2000	Cup Semi Finals	New Zealand Won	0 - 45
Played: 68	New Zealand: 51	Samoa: 15	Drawn: 2	
Points Scored: 1449 - 820	Average: 21 - 12			
New Zealand highest score:	Won 0 - 45 1999-2000 - Suva - Cup Semi Finals 12 Feb 2000			
Samoa highest score:	Won 12 - 33 2009-10 - Las Vegas - Cup Final 14 Feb 2010			

### PREVIOUS ENCOUNTERS IN CAPE TOWN

12 Dec 2015	2015-16	Pool D	Won	19 - 10
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**17 CANADA**  **POOL D**  
KICK-OFF: 16:57  **WALES**

### HEAD TO HEAD IN WORLD SERIES

Last met in Singapore	29 Apr 2018	Challenge Trophy Semi Finals	Canada Won	10 - 17
Wales last won in Dubai	2 Dec 2016	Pool A	Wales Won	31 - 5
First met in Durban	18 Nov 2000	Pool B	Canada Won	10 - 0
Played: 50	Canada: 19	Wales: 30	Drawn: 1	
Points Scored: 801 - 960	Average: 16 - 19			
Canada highest score:	Won 19 - 35 2009-10 - Hong Kong - Bowl Final 28 Mar 2010			
Wales highest score:	Won 31 - 5 2017 - Dubai - Pool A 2 Dec 2016			

### PREVIOUS ENCOUNTERS IN CAPE TOWN

9 Dec 2017	2018	Pool D	Won	31 - 14
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**18 AUSTRALIA**  **POOL D**  
KICK-OFF: 17:19  **SCOTLAND**

### HEAD TO HEAD IN WORLD SERIES

Last met in Singapore	28 Apr 2018	Pool D	Australia Won	20 - 24
Scotland last won in Tokyo	4 Apr 2015	Pool B	Scotland Won	14 - 17
First met in Hong Kong	25 Mar 2000	Pool C	Australia Won	33 - 5
Played: 47	Australia: 38	Scotland: 7	Drawn: 2	
Points Scored: 1167 - 644	Average: 25 - 14			
Australia highest score:	Won 50 - 0 2000-01 - Cardiff - Pool B 2 Jun 2001			
Scotland highest score:	Won 7 - 33 2007-08 - Edinburgh - Pool B 31 May 2008			

### PREVIOUS ENCOUNTERS IN CAPE TOWN

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FRANCE

**POOL C**  
 KICK-OFF: 17:41

KENYA

HEAD TO HEAD IN WORLD SERIES				
Last met in Dubai	30 Nov 2018	Pool B	France Won	17 - 21
Kenya last won in London	2 Jun 2018	Pool C	Kenya Won	24 - 21
First met in Dubai	2 Oct 1999	Pool C	France Won	49 - 5
Played: 55	France: 28	Kenya: 27	Drawn: 0	
Points Scored: 973 - 986	Average: 18 - 18			
France highest score:	Won 49 - 5 1999-2000 - Dubai - Pool C 2 Oct 1999			
Kenya highest score:	Won 34 - 0 2018 - Singapore - Pool B 28 Apr 2018			

PREVIOUS ENCOUNTERS IN CAPE TOWN				
9 Dec 2017	2018	Pool A	Won	14 - 21
10 Dec 2016	2017	Pool B	Lost	14 - 33
13 Dec 2015	2015-16	3rd Place Play-Off	Won	28 - 26

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ENGLAND

**POOL C**  
 KICK-OFF: 18:03

FIJI

HEAD TO HEAD IN WORLD SERIES				
Last met in Paris	10 Jun 2018	Cup Quarter Finals	England Won	17 - 19
Fiji last won in Cape Town	10 Dec 2017	5th Place Semi Final	Fiji Won	19 - 12
First met in Hong Kong	26 Mar 2000	Cup Semi Finals	England Lost	52 - 7
Played: 77	England: 35	Fiji: 42	Drawn: 0	
Points Scored: 1334 - 1609	Average: 17 - 21			
England highest score:	Won 40 - 7 2017 - Vancouver - Cup Semi Finals 12 Mar 2017			
Fiji highest score:	Won 52 - 7 1999-2000 - Hong Kong - Cup Semi Finals 26 Mar 2000			

PREVIOUS ENCOUNTERS IN CAPE TOWN				
10 Dec 2017	2018	5th Place Semi Final	Lost	19 - 12
11 Dec 2016	2017	Cup Quarter Finals	Won	26 - 31

<b>21</b>	<b>SPAIN</b>		<b>POOL B</b> KICK-OFF: 18:50		<b>JAPAN</b>
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HEAD TO HEAD IN WORLD SERIES				
Last met in Singapore	28 Apr 2018	Pool A	Spain Won	22 - 12
Japan last won in Paris	14 May 2017	13th Place Semi Final	Japan Won	26 - 19
First met in Hong Kong	25 Mar 2012	Semi Finals	Spain Won	12 - 17
Played: 4	Spain: 3	Japan: 1	Drawn: 0	
Points Scored: 92 - 64	Average: 23 - 16			
Spain highest score:	Won 34 - 14 2013-14 - London - Pool C 10 May 2014			
Japan highest score:	Won 26 - 19 2017 - Paris - 13th Place Semi Final 14 May 2017			

### PREVIOUS ENCOUNTERS IN CAPE TOWN

<b>22</b>	<b>USA</b>		<b>POOL B</b> KICK-OFF: 19:12		<b>ARGENTINA</b>
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HEAD TO HEAD IN WORLD SERIES				
Last met in Paris	9 Jun 2018	Pool D	USA Won	26 - 7
Argentina last won in Hong Kong	8 Apr 2018	5th Place Play-Off	Argentina Won	14 - 12
First met in Punta del Este	7 Jan 2000	Pool D	USA Lost	46 - 5
Played: 43	USA: 21	Argentina: 22	Drawn: 0	
Points Scored: 764 - 866	Average: 18 - 20			
USA highest score:	Won 36 - 12 2018 - Singapore - Challenge Trophy Quarter Finals 29 Apr 2018			
Argentina highest score:	Won 46 - 5 1999-2000 - Punta del Este - Pool D 7 Jan 2000			

PREVIOUS ENCOUNTERS IN CAPE TOWN				
10 Dec 2017	2018	Cup Quarter Finals	Lost	12 - 28

<b>23</b>	<b>SAMOA</b>		<b>POOL A</b> KICK-OFF: 19:34		<b>ZIMBABWE</b>
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HEAD TO HEAD IN WORLD SERIES				
Last met in Dubai	30 Nov 2018	Pool A	Samoa Won	17 - 15
First met in Dubai	24 Nov 2000	Cup Quarter Finals	Samoa Won	10 - 33
Played: 9	Samoa: 9	Zimbabwe: 0	Drawn: 0	
Points Scored: 275 - 68	Average: 31 - 8			
Samoa highest score:	Won 43 - 0 2013-14 - Port Elizabeth - Pool D 7 Dec 2013			
Zimbabwe highest score:	Lost 17 - 15 2019 - Dubai - Pool A 30 Nov 2018			

PREVIOUS ENCOUNTERS IN CAPE TOWN				
13 Dec 2015	2015-16	Shield Semi Finals	Won	33 - 0

<b>24</b>	<b>NEW ZEALAND</b>		<b>POOL A</b> KICK-OFF: 19:56		<b>SOUTH AFRICA</b>
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HEAD TO HEAD IN WORLD SERIES				
Last met in Paris	10 Jun 2018	Cup Semi Finals	New Zealand Lost	12 - 24
South Africa last won in Vancouver	10 Mar 2018	Pool D	South Africa Won	14 - 33
First met in Dubai	3 Oct 1999	Cup Semi Finals	New Zealand Won	31 - 0
Played: 81	New Zealand: 51	South Africa: 30	Drawn: 0	
Points Scored: 1580 - 1218	Average: 20 - 15			
New Zealand highest score:	Won 10 - 69 1999-2000 - Paris - Cup Final 28 May 2000			
South Africa highest score:	Won 40 - 0 2017 - Dubai - Cup Quarter Finals 3 Dec 2016			

PREVIOUS ENCOUNTERS IN CAPE TOWN				
10 Dec 2017	2018	Cup Semi Finals	Won	12 - 19
11 Dec 2016	2017	Cup Semi Finals	Lost	14 - 7