



# PREVIEW REPORT



ITALY vs WALES  
GUINNESS SIX NATIONS 2023  
ROUND 4



# ITALY vs WALES

2023 GUINNESS SIX NATIONS



## OPTA FACTS

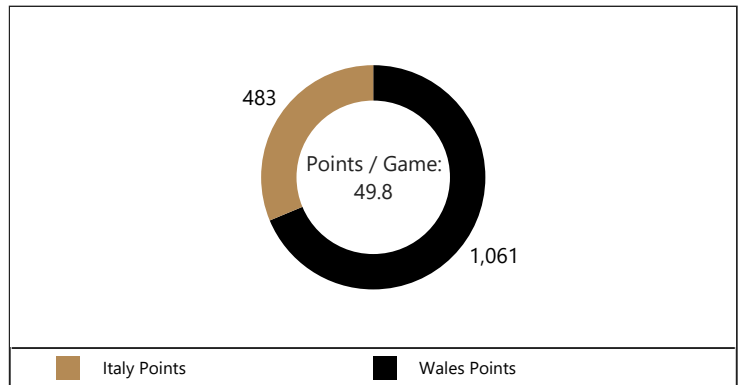
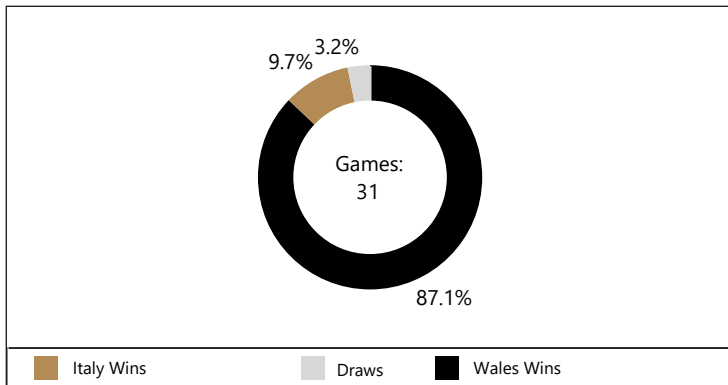
- Italy won their most recent Guinness Six Nations match against Wales (22-21 in March 2022) after losing 14 in a row to them previously, however, the Azzurri haven't beaten Wales at home in the Championship since March 2007 (23-20).
- Italy have lost each of their last 24 home games in the Six Nations, with their last win on home soil in the competition having come almost exactly a decade ago (22-15 v Ireland in March 2013), however, they have scored 20+ points in each of their last three home games, after failing to do so in any of their previous nine.
- Italy and Wales are the only sides yet to win a match in this year's Guinness Six Nations, with Wales' losing their last six matches overall in the Championship, their worst run since losing seven in a row between 2002 and 2003.
- Warren Gatland has won each of his 12 matches against Italy as a Head Coach in the Guinness Six Nations, including each of his previous 10 such games with Wales (also W2 as Ireland Head Coach); those 12 victories came by an average margin of 25 points.
- Italy have averaged more possession per game than any other side in this year's Guinness Six Nations (53%), however, they have also recorded the lowest share of territory in the Championship in 2023 (40%).
- Italy have the highest lineout success rate of any side in this year's Guinness Six Nations (94%), while Wales have both the lowest lineout (81%) and scrum (80%) success rates of any nation in the Championship.
- Wales (38) and Italy (39) are the two sides to have made the most dominant tackles in this year's Guinness Six Nations, while Italy have made the most turnover-winning tackles of any team in 2023 (11).
- The of the six players to make 5+ dominant tackles in the Guinness Six Nations this year could feature in this match – Italy's Danilo Fischetti has made the most of any player overall (8), while Welsh duo Justin Tipuric and Ken Owens have made five each.
- Of players to make 5+ carries into contact in the Guinness Six Nations this year, Italy's Tommaso Menoncello boasts the best dominant carry rate (70%), while teammates Juan Ignacio Brex (68%) and Pierre Bruno (55%) rank second and fourth respectively.
- Should Alun Wyn Jones feature for Wales, he will win his 66th Six Nations cap, overtaking Brian O'Driscoll (65) as the player with the second most appearances in the Championship's history, behind only Italy's Sergio Parisse (69).



# HEAD TO HEAD

ALL TIME

	Games	Italy Wins	Draws	Wales Wins
Overall:	31	3	1	27
Italy at Home:	13	2	0	11
Wales at Home:	17	1	1	15
Neutral Venue:	1	0	0	1



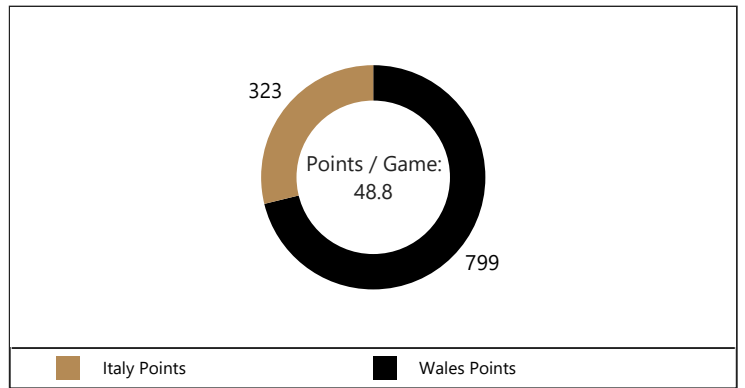
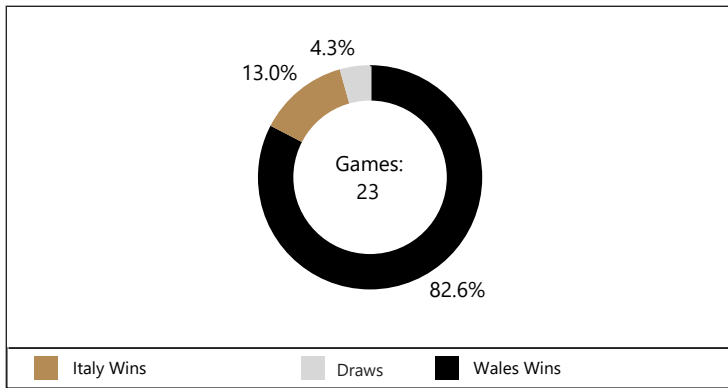
## LAST 10 MEETINGS

Year	Date	Team	Score	Opposition	Venue	Winner
2022	19-Mar-22	Wales	21-22	Italy	Principality Stadium	Italy
2021	13-Mar-21	Italy	7-48	Wales	Stadio Olimpico	Wales
2020	5-Dec-20	Wales	38-18	Italy	Parc Y Scarlets	Wales
2020	1-Feb-20	Wales	42-0	Italy	Principality Stadium	Wales
2019	9-Feb-19	Italy	15-26	Wales	Rome	Wales
2018	11-Mar-18	Wales	38-14	Italy	Principality Stadium	Wales
2017	5-Feb-17	Italy	7-33	Wales	Rome	Wales
2016	19-Mar-16	Wales	67-14	Italy	Principality Stadium	Wales
2015	5-Sep-15	Wales	23-19	Italy	Principality Stadium	Wales
2015	21-Mar-15	Italy	20-61	Wales	Rome	Wales

# HEAD TO HEAD

GUINNESS SIX NATIONS

	Games	Italy Wins	Draws	Wales Wins
Overall:	23	3	1	19
Italy at Home:	11	2	0	9
Wales at Home:	12	1	1	10



## GUINNESS SIX NATIONS MEETINGS

Year	Date	Team	Score	Opposition	Venue	Winner
2022	19-Mar-22	Wales	21-22	Italy	Principality Stadium	Italy
2021	13-Mar-21	Italy	7-48	Wales	Stadio Olimpico	Wales
2020	1-Feb-20	Wales	42-0	Italy	Principality Stadium	Wales
2019	9-Feb-19	Italy	15-26	Wales	Rome	Wales
2018	11-Mar-18	Wales	38-14	Italy	Principality Stadium	Wales
2017	5-Feb-17	Italy	7-33	Wales	Rome	Wales
2016	19-Mar-16	Wales	67-14	Italy	Principality Stadium	Wales
2015	21-Mar-15	Italy	20-61	Wales	Rome	Wales
2014	1-Feb-14	Wales	23-15	Italy	Principality Stadium	Wales
2013	23-Feb-13	Italy	9-26	Wales	Rome	Wales
2012	10-Mar-12	Wales	24-3	Italy	Principality Stadium	Wales
2011	26-Feb-11	Italy	16-24	Wales	Rome	Wales
2010	20-Mar-10	Wales	33-10	Italy	Principality Stadium	Wales
2009	14-Mar-09	Italy	15-20	Wales	Rome	Wales
2008	23-Feb-08	Wales	47-8	Italy	Principality Stadium	Wales
2007	10-Mar-07	Italy	23-20	Wales	Rome	Italy
2006	11-Mar-06	Wales	18-18	Italy	Principality Stadium	Match drawn
2005	12-Feb-05	Italy	8-38	Wales	Rome	Wales
2004	27-Mar-04	Wales	44-10	Italy	Principality Stadium	Wales
2003	15-Feb-03	Italy	30-22	Wales	Rome	Italy
2002	2-Mar-02	Wales	44-20	Italy	Principality Stadium	Wales
2001	8-Apr-01	Italy	23-33	Wales	Rome	Wales
2000	19-Feb-00	Wales	47-16	Italy	Principality Stadium	Wales

# RESULTS

2023

ITALY								
Date	Opponent	Comp	H/A	Result	F	A	TF	TA
06/02/2022	France	Six Nations	A	L	10	37	1	5
13/02/2022	England	Six Nations	H	L	0	33	0	5
27/02/2022	Ireland	Six Nations	A	L	6	57	0	9
12/03/2022	Scotland	Six Nations	H	L	22	33	3	5
19/03/2022	Wales	Six Nations	A	W	22	21	1	3
25/06/2022	Portugal	International	A	W	38	31	6	4
01/07/2022	Romania	International	A	W	45	13	7	1
10/07/2022	Georgia	International	A	L	19	28	1	3
05/11/2022	Samoa	Autumn Nations Series	H	W	49	17	6	3
12/11/2022	Australia	Autumn Nations Series	H	W	28	27	3	4
19/11/2022	South Africa	Autumn Nations Series	H	L	21	63	2	9
05/02/2023	France	Six Nations	H	L	24	29	2	4
12/02/2023	England	Six Nations	A	L	14	31	2	5
25/02/2023	Ireland	Six Nations	H	L	20	34	2	5
<b>Average</b>					<b>26.0</b>	<b>33.5</b>	<b>2.8</b>	<b>5.0</b>

WALES								
Date	Opponent	Comp	H/A	Result	F	A	TF	TA
05/02/2022	Ireland	Six Nations	A	L	7	29	1	4
12/02/2022	Scotland	Six Nations	H	W	20	17	1	1
26/02/2022	England	Six Nations	A	L	19	23	3	1
11/03/2022	France	Six Nations	H	L	9	13	0	1
19/03/2022	Italy	Six Nations	H	L	21	22	3	1
02/07/2022	South Africa	International	A	L	29	32	3	4
09/07/2022	South Africa	International	A	W	13	12	1	0
16/07/2022	South Africa	International	A	L	14	30	1	3
05/11/2022	New Zealand	Autumn Nations Series	H	L	23	55	2	8
12/11/2022	Argentina	Autumn Nations Series	H	W	20	13	2	1
19/11/2022	Georgia	Autumn Nations Series	H	L	12	13	2	1
26/11/2022	Australia	Autumn Nations Series	H	L	34	39	4	5
04/02/2023	Ireland	Six Nations	H	L	10	34	1	4
11/02/2023	Scotland	Six Nations	A	L	7	35	1	5
25/02/2023	England	Six Nations	H	L	10	20	1	3
<b>Average</b>					<b>16.6</b>	<b>29.9</b>	<b>1.9</b>	<b>3.9</b>

# FORM

## ALL COMPETITIONS

### ITALY

Record	Date	Opponent	Comp	Score	Days Since	Games Since
Last Win	12/11/2022	Australia	Autumn Nations Series	28-27	111	4
Last Loss	25/02/2023	Ireland	Six Nations	20-34	6	0
Last Home Win	12/11/2022	Australia	Autumn Nations Series	28-27	111	4
Last Home Loss	25/02/2023	Ireland	Six Nations	20-34	6	0
Last Away Win	01/07/2022	Romania	International	45-13	245	7
Last Away Loss	12/02/2023	England	Six Nations	14-31	19	1

### WALES

Record	Date	Opponent	Comp	Score	Days Since	Games Since
Last Win	12/11/2022	Argentina	Autumn Nations Series	20-13	111	5
Last Loss	25/02/2023	England	Six Nations	10-20	6	0
Last Home Win	12/11/2022	Argentina	Autumn Nations Series	20-13	111	5
Last Home Loss	25/02/2023	England	Six Nations	10-20	6	0
Last Away Win	09/07/2022	South Africa	International	13-12	237	8
Last Away Loss	11/02/2023	Scotland	Six Nations	7-35	20	1

# LAST MEETING - STATISTICS

## Wales 21-22 Italy (2022-03-19 - Six Nations)

Wales		Italy
3	Tries	1
3	Conversions	1
0	Penalty Goals	5
132	Ball Carries	98
13	Offloads	7
6	Line Breaks	6
23	Defenders Beaten	20
721	Carry Metres	666
141	Total Tackles	198
20	Missed Tackle	23
8	Turnovers Won	5
10	Turnover Conceded	6
13	Lineouts Won	7
1	Lineouts Lost	1
12	Total Penalties Conceded	9
32	Kicks in Play	41

#	Player	Minutes Played	Tries	Points	Ball Carries	Defenders Beaten	Tackles	Tackles - Success	Turnovers Won	Pens Conceded
15	Johnny McNicholl	60	0	0	14	2	1	1	0	2
14	Louis Rees-Zammit	80	0	0	9	8	5	3	0	0
13	Owen Watkin	80	1	5	11	3	6	5	0	0
12	Uilisi Halaholo	46	0	0	6	0	4	3	0	0
11	Josh Adams	80	1	5	4	6	14	12	0	4
10	Dan Biggar	80	0	6	5	0	6	6	0	0
9	Gareth Davies	66	0	0	1	0	5	4	0	0
1	Gareth Thomas	60	0	0	8	0	7	5	0	1
2	Dewi Lake	75	1	5	11	0	10	9	2	1
3	Dillon Lewis	40	0	0	1	0	7	5	0	1
4	Adam Beard	80	0	0	4	0	9	9	1	0
5	Alun Wyn Jones	60	0	0	8	0	9	8	0	0
6	Seb Davies	49	0	0	7	1	8	6	0	1
7	Josh Navidi	80	0	0	6	0	13	13	3	0
8	Taulupe Faletau	80	0	0	9	0	12	12	0	0
16	Bradley Roberts	5	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0
17	Wyn Jones	20	0	0	5	0	5	5	1	0
18	Leon Brown	40	0	0	4	0	4	4	0	0
19	Will Rowlands	20	0	0	5	0	1	1	1	0
20	Ross Moriarty	31	0	0	3	0	5	3	0	0
21	Kieran Hardy	14	0	0	3	1	2	1	0	0
22	Callum Sheedy	20	0	0	2	0	3	2	0	0
23	Nick Tompkins	34	0	0	6	2	4	3	0	0

#	Player	Minutes	Tries	Points	Ball Carries	Defenders Beaten	Tackles	Tackles - Success	Turnovers Won	Pens Conceded
15	Ange Capuozzo	80	0	0	12	3	5	5	0	1
14	Edoardo Padovani	80	1	11	7	1	7	4	0	0
13	Juan Ignacio Brex	80	0	0	6	2	16	10	0	0
12	Leonardo Marin	53	0	0	1	0	15	15	0	0
11	Monty Ioane	80	0	0	12	7	6	4	0	0
10	Paolo Garbisi	80	0	11	6	0	10	8	0	1
9	Callum Braley	60	0	0	2	2	3	2	0	0
1	Danilo Fischetti	69	0	0	4	0	12	11	2	2
2	Giacomo Nicotera	53	0	0	5	0	12	12	1	1
3	Pietro Ceccarelli	53	0	0	2	0	5	4	0	0
4	Marco Fuser	48	0	0	4	1	9	9	0	1
5	Federico Ruzza	80	0	0	5	1	12	12	0	1
6	Giovanni Pettinelli	74	0	0	6	1	13	12	0	1
7	Michele Lamaro	80	0	0	5	0	18	17	0	0
8	Toa Halafihi	63	0	0	5	0	12	11	2	0
16	Luca Bigi	27	0	0	1	0	9	8	0	0
17	Cherif Traore	11	0	0	1	0	5	4	0	1
18	Filippo Alongi	27	0	0	3	0	5	5	0	0
19	David Sisi	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
20	Niccolo Cannone	32	0	0	6	1	12	12	0	0
21	Braam Steyn	17	0	0	2	0	8	6	0	0
22	Alessandro Fusco	20	0	0	1	0	2	2	0	0
23	Marco Zanon	27	0	0	2	1	2	2	0	0



# TEAM ANALYSIS

## 2023 GUINNESS SIX NATIONS

# TEAM ANALYSIS - MATCH AVERAGES

2023 GUINNESS SIX NATIONS

				
5	19.3	Points	9.0	6
5	1.7	Tries	1.0	6
1	83.3%	Goal Kicking %	83.3%	1
2	133.7	Carries	131.7	4
2	803.0	Carry Metres	691.1	6
6	8.0	Opposition 22 Entries	9.3	4
5	2.0	Points / Opp 22 Entry	0.9	6
4	5.0	Line Breaks	3.7	6
2	27.7	Defenders Beaten	15.3	6
3	6.3	Offloads	8.3	2
1	194.7	Passes	174.7	3
6	22.7	Kicks From Hand	28.0	5
5	139.3	Tackles	160.7	3
3	25.3	Missed Tackles	27.7	5
4	84.6%	Tackle %	85.3%	3
1	13.0	Dominant Tackles	12.7	2
3	10.3	Pens Conceded	13.7	6
4	0.7	Yellow Cards	1.0	6
1	0	Red Cards (Total)	0	1
6	2.3	Turnovers Won	5.0	2
4	10.7	Turnovers Conceded	10.0	2
1	94.0%	Lineout Success %	80.6%	6
5	81.8%	Scrum Success %	80.0%	6
5	95.3%	Ruck Success %	95.3%	4
4	48.8%	Gainline Forward %	51.2%	3

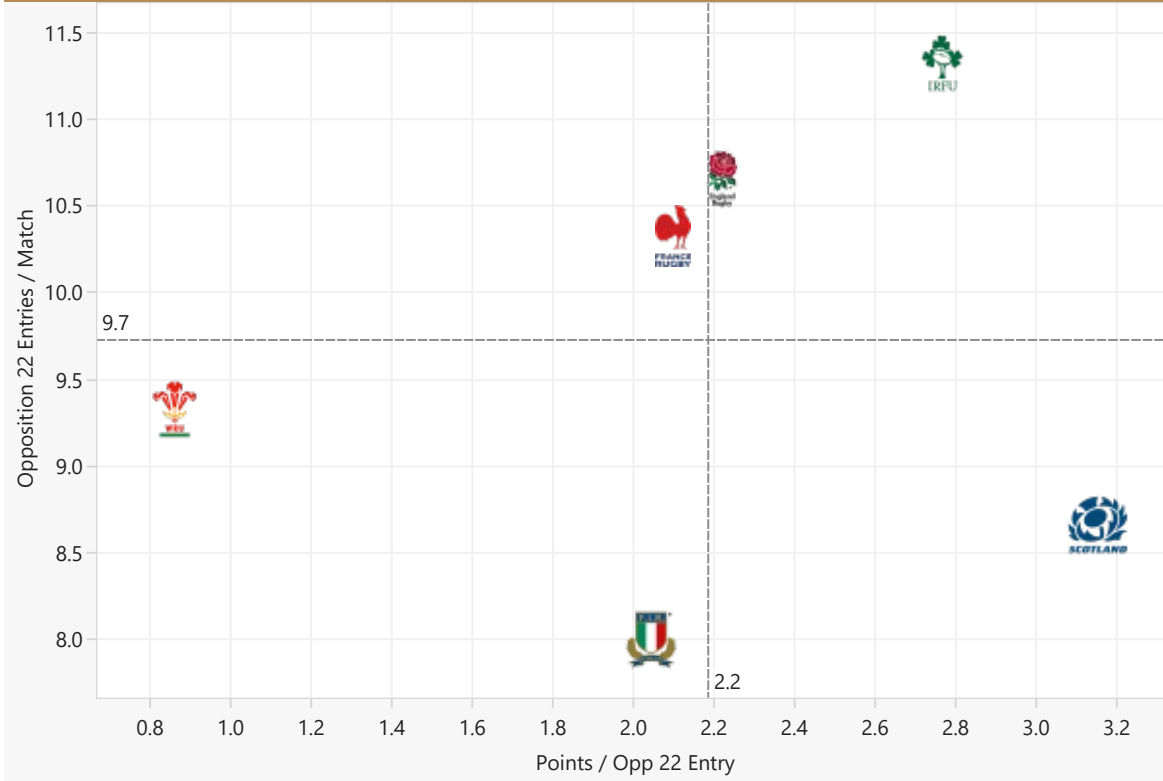
**Ranking - Best to Worst**

*All stats are on a per match basis (unless stated otherwise)*

# TEAM ANALYSIS - 22 ENTRIES

2023 GUINNESS SIX NATIONS

## 22 ENTRIES FOR

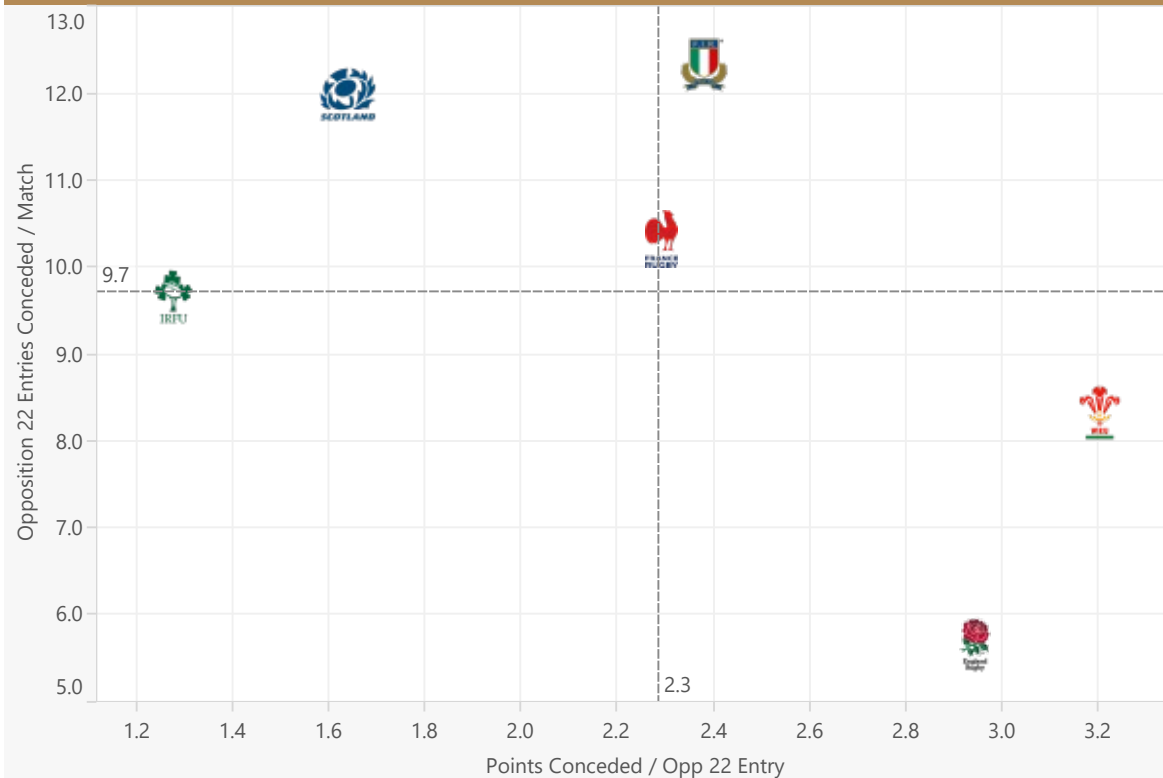


22 Entries / Match	
Ireland	11.3
England	10.7
France	10.3
Wales	9.3
Scotland	8.7
Italy	8.0

Points / Entry	
Scotland	3.2
Ireland	2.8
England	2.2
France	2.1
Italy	2.0
Wales	0.9

## 22 ENTRIES AGAINST



22 Entries Con. / Match	
Italy	12.3
Scotland	12.0
France	10.3
Ireland	9.7
Wales	8.3
England	5.7

Points Con / Entry	
Wales	3.2
England	2.9
Italy	2.4
France	2.3
Scotland	1.6
Ireland	1.3

# TEAM ANALYSIS - POINTS & TRIES

2023 GUINNESS SIX NATIONS

## POINTS PER PERIOD

	SCORED					CONCEDED				
	Total	1'-20'	21'-HT	HT-60'	61'-80'	Total	1'-20'	21'-HT	HT-60'	61'-80'
England	67	15	25	14	13	53	7	8	21	17
France	80	42	15	6	17	70	10	33	10	17
Ireland	100	41	32	3	24	49	26	10	10	3
Italy	51	13	18	10	10	87	36	26	3	22
Scotland	85	13	19	26	27	62	17	25	10	10
Wales	27	3	10	14	0	89	31	17	19	22
<b>Total</b>	<b>410</b>	<b>127</b>	<b>119</b>	<b>73</b>	<b>91</b>	<b>410</b>	<b>127</b>	<b>119</b>	<b>73</b>	<b>91</b>

## TRIES PER PERIOD

	SCORED					CONCEDED				
	Total	1'-20'	21'-HT	HT-60'	61'-80'	Total	1'-20'	21'-HT	HT-60'	61'-80'
England	10	2	4	2	2	7	1	1	3	2
France	9	6	1	0	2	8	1	4	1	2
Ireland	13	6	4	0	3	4	2	1	1	0
Italy	5	1	2	1	1	13	6	4	0	3
Scotland	12	1	3	4	4	8	3	3	1	1
Wales	3	0	1	2	0	12	3	2	3	4
<b>Total</b>	<b>52</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>52</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>12</b>

## TRIES PER PHASE

	SCORED					CONCEDED				
	Total	1	2-3	4-6	7+	Total	1	2-3	4-6	7+
England	10	2	1	3	4	7	2	2	2	1
France	9	4	3	1	1	8	2	2	3	1
Ireland	13	2	4	3	4	4	2	0	2	0
Italy	5	2	1	1	1	13	4	4	4	1
Scotland	12	4	4	4	0	8	3	1	1	3
Wales	3	2	0	1	0	12	3	4	1	4
<b>Total</b>	<b>52</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>52</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>10</b>

## TRY ORIGIN

	SCORED						CONCEDED					
	Total	Counter Attack	Lineout	Serum	Tap Penalty	Turnover	Total	Counter Attack	Lineout	Serum	Tap Penalty	Turnover
England	11	1	6	1	2	1	7	2	2	2	0	1
France	9	2	3	0	1	3	9	3	4	2	0	0
Ireland	13	5	2	2	2	2	4	2	1	0	0	1
Italy	6	1	3	1	0	1	14	2	7	1	2	2
Scotland	12	2	8	2	0	0	8	0	3	0	2	3
Wales	3	0	2	0	0	1	12	2	7	1	1	1
<b>Total</b>	<b>54</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>54</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>8</b>

Max & Min values are highlighted per time-frame/phase/section



# PLAYER RANKINGS

## 2023 GUINNESS SIX NATIONS

# PLAYER RANKINGS - POINTS

2023 GUINNESS SIX NATIONS

## POINTS

			Games	Points	Minutes	Pens	Conv	Drop Goals	Tries
1	T. Ramos	France	3	45	221	6	7	1	2
2	F. Russell	Scotland	3	30	240	3	8	0	1
3	J. Sexton	Ireland	2	19	116	3	5	0	0
4	O. Farrell	England	3	17	240	3	4	0	0
5	T. Allan	Italy	3	16	168	4	2	0	0
5	R. Byrne	Ireland	3	16	122	2	5	0	0
7	H. Jones	Scotland	3	15	236	0	0	0	3
8	J. Lowe	Ireland	3	10	240	0	0	0	2
8	D. van der Merwe	Scotland	3	10	240	0	0	0	2
8	J. Ryan	Ireland	3	10	240	0	0	0	2
8	H. Keenan	Ireland	3	10	240	0	0	0	2
8	M. Malins	England	3	10	240	0	0	0	2
8	M. Hansen	Ireland	3	10	240	0	0	0	2
8	K. Steyn	Scotland	3	10	229	0	0	0	2
8	P. Garbisi	Italy	1	10	72	2	2	0	0
8	E. Dumortier	France	3	10	228	0	0	0	2

## GOAL KICKING (MADE)

			Games	Minutes	Goals	Misses	Pens	Pens Missed	Conv	Conv Missed	Goal Kicking %
1	T. Ramos	France	3	221	13	4	6	2	7	2	76.5%
2	F. Russell	Scotland	3	240	11	4	3	0	8	4	73.3%
3	J. Sexton	Ireland	2	116	8	1	3	0	5	1	88.9%
4	O. Farrell	England	3	240	7	8	3	2	4	6	46.7%
4	R. Byrne	Ireland	3	122	7	2	2	0	5	2	77.8%
6	T. Allan	Italy	3	168	6	2	4	1	2	1	75.0%
7	P. Garbisi	Italy	1	72	4	0	2	0	2	0	100.0%
8	D. Biggar	Wales	3	150	3	1	1	1	2	0	75.0%
9	L. Halfpenny	Wales	1	80	2	0	1	0	1	0	100.0%

## GOAL KICKING (%)\*

			Games	Kicks	Made	Available Points	Points Scored	Expected Points	Pts Gained	Goal Kicking %
1	Leigh Halfpenny	Wales	1	2	2	5	5	4.5	0.5	100.0%
2	Johnny Sexton	Ireland	3	14	12	31	27	25.7	1.3	85.7%
3	Marcus Smith	England	3	17	14	49	41	39.5	1.5	82.4%
4	Paolo Garbisi	Italy	5	18	14	47	36	33.8	2.2	77.8%
5	Dan Biggar	Wales	5	17	13	43	33	36.1	-3.1	76.5%
5	Thomas Ramos	France	3	17	13	42	32	33.0	-1.0	76.5%
7	Melvyn Jaminet	France	4	24	18	62	48	47.4	0.6	75.0%
7	Edoardo Padovani	Italy	2	4	3	12	9	4.8	4.2	75.0%
7	Ross Byrne	Ireland	2	8	6	18	14	14.7	-0.7	75.0%
7	Finn Russell	Scotland	4	20	15	46	36	36.7	-0.7	75.0%
7	Tommaso Allan	Italy	2	8	6	21	16	15.9	0.1	75.0%

\*Minimum 2 Kicks at Goal

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# PLAYER RANKINGS - TRIES

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## TRIES

			Games	Minutes Played	Tries	Tries / 80
1	H. Jones	Scotland	3	236	3	1.0
2	T. Ramos	France	3	221	2	0.7
2	J. Lowe	Ireland	3	240	2	0.7
2	D. van der Merwe	Scotland	3	240	2	0.7
2	J. Ryan	Ireland	3	240	2	0.7
2	H. Keenan	Ireland	3	240	2	0.7
2	M. Malins	England	3	240	2	0.7
2	M. Hansen	Ireland	3	240	2	0.7
2	K. Steyn	Scotland	3	229	2	0.7
2	E. Dumortier	France	3	228	2	0.7

## TRY ASSISTS

			Games	Minutes Played	Try Assists	Try Assists / 80
1	F. Russell	Scotland	3	240	4	1.3
2	C. Murray	Ireland	3	135	2	1.2
2	J. Lowe	Ireland	3	240	2	0.7
2	A. Dupont	France	3	240	2	0.7
2	F. Bealham	Ireland	3	158	2	1.0
2	S. Tuipulotu	Scotland	3	232	2	0.7
2	R. Ntamack	France	3	214	2	0.7

## TRY INVOLVEMENTS

			Games	Minutes Played	Try Involvements	% of Team Total
1	F. Russell	Scotland	3	240	5	22.7%
2	J. Lowe	Ireland	3	240	4	16.7%
3	D. van der Merwe	Scotland	3	240	3	13.6%
3	H. Jones	Scotland	3	236	3	13.6%
3	R. Ntamack	France	3	214	3	20.0%
3	K. Steyn	Scotland	3	229	3	13.6%
7	T. Ramos	France	3	221	2	13.3%
7	C. Murray	Ireland	3	135	2	8.3%
7	B. Aki	Ireland	3	114	2	8.3%
7	A. Dupont	France	3	240	2	13.3%
7	F. Bealham	Ireland	3	158	2	8.3%
7	G. Ringrose	Ireland	2	160	2	8.3%
7	S. Tuipulotu	Scotland	3	232	2	9.1%
7	E. Genge	England	3	169	2	11.1%
7	J. Ryan	Ireland	3	240	2	8.3%
7	H. Keenan	Ireland	3	240	2	8.3%
7	M. Malins	England	3	240	2	11.1%
7	M. Fagerson	Scotland	3	217	2	9.1%
7	C. Doris	Ireland	3	240	2	8.3%
7	M. Hansen	Ireland	3	240	2	8.3%

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# PLAYER RANKINGS - CARRIES

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## CARRIES

			Games	Total
1	F. Russell	Scotland	3	45
2	S. Negri	Italy	3	41
2	C. Doris	Ireland	3	41
4	E. Genge	England	3	38
4	H. Keenan	Ireland	3	38
6	A. Dombrandt	England	3	36
6	F. Steward	England	3	36
6	A. Capuozzo	Italy	3	36
9	G. Fickou	France	3	34
9	S. McCloskey	Ireland	3	34

			Minutes	Per 80*
1	E. Genge	England	169	18.0
2	B. Aki	Ireland	114	16.1
3	A. Dombrandt	England	190	15.2
4	F. Russell	Scotland	240	15.0
5	S. Negri	Italy	219	15.0
6	T. O'Toole	Ireland	82	14.6
7	L. Halfpenny	Wales	80	14.0
8	T. Allan	Italy	168	13.8
9	S. McCloskey	Ireland	198	13.7
9	T. Beirne	Ireland	99	13.7

## METRES

			Games	Total
1	H. Keenan	Ireland	3	416
2	J. Lowe	Ireland	3	339
3	T. Ramos	France	3	317
4	A. Capuozzo	Italy	3	302
5	F. Russell	Scotland	3	276
6	D. van der Merwe	Scotland	3	275
7	H. Jones	Scotland	3	261
8	P. Bruno	Italy	3	250
9	F. Steward	England	3	240
10	D. Penaud	France	3	215

			Minutes	Per 80*
1	H. Keenan	Ireland	240	138.8
2	B. Kinghorn	Scotland	92	125.7
3	L. Rees-Zammit	Wales	80	125.7
4	T. Ramos	France	221	114.8
5	J. Lowe	Ireland	240	112.8
6	P. Bruno	Italy	179	111.5
7	M. Smith	England	89	107.5
8	R. Dyer	Wales	148	107.1
9	B. Aki	Ireland	114	102.8
10	A. Capuozzo	Italy	240	100.6

## DEFENDERS BEATEN

			Games	Total
1	D. van der Merwe	Scotland	3	21
2	A. Capuozzo	Italy	3	20
3	D. Penaud	France	3	19
4	E. Dumortier	France	3	18
5	G. Fickou	France	3	13
6	H. Jones	Scotland	3	11
7	L. Cannone	Italy	3	10
8	A. Dupont	France	3	9
8	P. Bruno	Italy	3	9
8	O. Lawrence	England	3	9

			Minutes	Per 80*
1	D. van der Merwe	Scotland	240	7.0
2	B. Kinghorn	Scotland	92	7.0
3	A. Capuozzo	Italy	240	6.7
4	D. Penaud	France	240	6.3
5	E. Dumortier	France	228	6.3
6	D. Sheehan	Ireland	97	4.9
7	L. Williams	Wales	139	4.6
8	L. Cannone	Italy	182	4.4
9	O. Lawrence	England	164	4.4
10	G. Fickou	France	240	4.3

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\*Minimum 80 minutes played

# PLAYER RANKINGS - PASSING

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## PASSES

		Games	Total
1	S. Varney (Italy)	3	209
2	J. van Poortvliet (England)	3	197
3	T. Williams (Wales)	3	196
4	A. Dupont (France)	3	182
5	B. White (Scotland)	3	151
6	C. Murray (Ireland)	3	141
7	C. Casey (Ireland)	3	129
8	F. Russell (Scotland)	3	91
9	T. Allan (Italy)	3	74
10	O. Farrell (England)	3	61

## PASSING ACCURACY\*\*

		Total	%
1	O. Farrell (England)	61	100.0%
1	R. Webb (Wales)	54	100.0%
3	T. Williams (Wales)	196	99.0%
4	C. Casey (Ireland)	129	98.4%
5	S. Varney (Italy)	209	98.1%
6	R. Byrne (Ireland)	49	98.0%
7	A. Fusco (Italy)	40	97.5%
8	J. van Poortvliet (England)	197	97.5%
9	C. Murray (Ireland)	141	97.2%
10	A. Dupont (France)	182	96.7%

## OFFLOADS

		Games	Total
1	F. Russell (Scotland)	3	6
2	A. Dupont (France)	3	5
3	O. Farrell (England)	3	4
3	G. Fickou (France)	3	4
3	T. Faletau (Wales)	3	4
3	M. Hansen (Ireland)	3	4
3	A. Capuozzo (Italy)	3	4
3	J. van Poortvliet (England)	3	4
9	N. Tompkins (Wales)	1	3
9	C. Ollivon (France)	3	3
9	L. Williams (Wales)	2	3
9	T. Allan (Italy)	3	3
9	D. Biggar (Wales)	3	3
9	T. Williams (Wales)	3	3

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\*Minimum 80 minutes played \*\*Minimum 40 Passes

		Minutes	Per 80*
1	C. Casey (Ireland)	105	98.3
2	C. Murray (Ireland)	135	83.6
3	T. Williams (Wales)	189	83.0
4	J. van Poortvliet (England)	190	82.9
5	S. Varney (Italy)	203	82.4
6	B. White (Scotland)	185	65.3
7	A. Dupont (France)	240	60.7
8	T. Allan (Italy)	168	35.2
9	R. Byrne (Ireland)	122	32.1
10	F. Russell (Scotland)	240	30.3

## BREAK ASSIST PASSES

		Games	Total
1	M. Hansen (Ireland)	3	4
2	O. Farrell (England)	3	3
2	T. Allan (Italy)	3	3
2	F. Russell (Scotland)	3	3
2	P. Garbisi (Italy)	1	3
6	G. Fickou (France)	3	2
6	B. Aki (Ireland)	3	2
6	J. van der Flier (Ireland)	3	2
6	J. Ritchie (Scotland)	3	2
6	D. Penaud (France)	3	2
6	J. Brex (Italy)	3	2
6	R. Ntamack (France)	3	2
6	B. White (Scotland)	3	2

		Minutes	Per 80*
1	F. Russell (Scotland)	240	2.0
2	R. Taofifenua (France)	88	1.8
3	B. Kinghorn (Scotland)	92	1.7
4	L. Williams (Wales)	139	1.7
5	T. Faletau (Wales)	188	1.7
6	J. van Poortvliet (England)	190	1.7
7	A. Dupont (France)	240	1.7
8	D. Biggar (Wales)	150	1.6
9	T. Allan (Italy)	168	1.4
10	O. Farrell (England)	240	1.3
10	G. Fickou (France)	240	1.3
10	M. Hansen (Ireland)	240	1.3
10	A. Capuozzo (Italy)	240	1.3

# PLAYER RANKINGS - KICKS

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## KICKS IN PLAY

		Games	Total
1	F. Russell	Scotland	3 49
2	A. Dupont	France	3 34
3	J. van Poortvliet	England	3 32
4	O. Farrell	England	3 28
4	T. Williams	Wales	3 28
6	S. Varney	Italy	3 23
7	T. Ramos	France	3 22
8	C. Murray	Ireland	3 20
8	D. Biggar	Wales	3 20
8	B. White	Scotland	3 20

		Minutes	Per 80*
1	F. Russell	Scotland	240 16.3
2	J. van Poortvliet	England	190 13.5
3	C. Murray	Ireland	135 11.9
3	T. Williams	Wales	189 11.9
5	A. Dupont	France	240 11.3
6	D. Biggar	Wales	150 10.7
7	O. Farrell	England	240 9.3
8	R. Byrne	Ireland	122 9.2
9	S. Varney	Italy	203 9.1
10	B. White	Scotland	185 8.6

## KICKING METRES

		Games	Total
1	F. Russell	Scotland	3 1,368
2	A. Dupont	France	3 1,052
3	J. van Poortvliet	England	3 828
4	O. Farrell	England	3 772
5	T. Williams	Wales	3 725
6	T. Ramos	France	3 689
7	J. Lowe	Ireland	3 686
8	R. Ntamack	France	3 648
9	B. White	Scotland	3 571
10	C. Murray	Ireland	3 541

		Minutes	Per 80*
1	F. Russell	Scotland	240 456.1
2	A. Dupont	France	240 350.7
3	J. van Poortvliet	England	190 348.5
4	R. Byrne	Ireland	122 328.7
5	C. Murray	Ireland	135 320.8
6	T. Williams	Wales	189 306.7
7	O. Farrell	England	240 257.5
8	T. Ramos	France	221 249.3
9	B. White	Scotland	185 247.0
10	R. Ntamack	France	214 242.1

## METRES / KICKS IN PLAY\*\*

		Games	Avg*
1	Freddie Steward	England	3 48.3
2	Leigh Halfpenny	Wales	1 46.5
3	Hugo Keenan	Ireland	3 44.6
4	Garry Ringrose	Ireland	2 42.6
5	Stuart Hogg	Scotland	3 41.8
6	James Lowe	Ireland	3 36.1
7	Liam Williams	Wales	2 36.1
8	Romain Ntamack	France	3 36.0
9	Ross Byrne	Ireland	3 35.8
10	Thomas Ramos	France	3 31.3

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\*Minimum 80 minutes played \*\*Minimum 2 Kicks / 80min

# PLAYER RANKINGS - LINEOUTS

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## LINEOUTS WON (INC. STEALS)

		Games	Total	
1	F. Ruzza	Italy	3	24
2	R. Gray	Scotland	3	17
3	M. Itoje	England	3	13
3	O. Chessum	England	3	13
5	L. Ludlam	England	3	11
5	T. Flament	France	3	11
7	I. Henderson	Ireland	3	10
7	S. Negri	Italy	3	10
9	J. Gray	Scotland	3	9
9	J. Ritchie	Scotland	3	9

		Minutes	Per 80*	
1	F. Ruzza	Italy	240	8.0
2	J. Gray	Scotland	100	7.2
3	I. Henderson	Ireland	113	7.1
4	R. Gray	Scotland	231	5.9
5	M. Itoje	England	240	4.3
5	O. Chessum	England	240	4.3
7	G. Gilchrist	Scotland	137	4.1
8	P. O'Mahony	Ireland	140	4.0
9	L. Ludlam	England	240	3.7
9	T. Flament	France	240	3.7

## LINEOUT STEALS

		Games	Total	
1	G. Gilchrist	Scotland	3	2
1	F. Ruzza	Italy	3	2
3	C. Ollivon	France	3	1
3	R. Gray	Scotland	3	1
3	A. Jones	Wales	2	1
3	G. Turner	Scotland	3	1
3	J. Ryan	Ireland	3	1
3	G. Barlot	France	3	1
3	D. Sheehan	Ireland	2	1
3	R. Baird	Ireland	1	1
3	T. Flament	France	3	1
3	C. Tshiuza	Wales	2	1

		Minutes	Per 80*	
1	G. Gilchrist	Scotland	137	1.2
2	D. Sheehan	Ireland	97	0.8
3	F. Ruzza	Italy	240	0.7
4	A. Jones	Wales	124	0.6
5	C. Tshiuza	Wales	143	0.6
6	G. Turner	Scotland	169	0.5
7	C. Ollivon	France	219	0.4
8	R. Gray	Scotland	231	0.3
9	J. Ryan	Ireland	240	0.3
9	T. Flament	France	240	0.3

## LINEOUT THROWS WON

		Games	Total	
1	J. George	England	3	38
2	G. Turner	Scotland	3	35
3	G. Nicotera	Italy	3	31
4	K. Owens	Wales	3	22
5	J. Marchand	France	3	20
6	D. Sheehan	Ireland	2	18
7	L. Bigi	Italy	3	14
8	R. Kelleher	Ireland	2	12
9	F. Brown	Scotland	3	8
10	G. Barlot	France	3	7

## LINEOUT SUCCESS RATE\*\*

		Games	Total*	
1	D. Sheehan	Ireland	18	100.0%
2	G. Turner	Scotland	36	97.2%
3	G. Nicotera	Italy	33	93.9%
4	J. George	England	41	92.7%
5	J. Marchand	France	23	87.0%
6	K. Owens	Wales	27	81.5%
7	R. Kelleher	Ireland	15	80.0%

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\*Minimum 80 minutes played \*\*Minimum 5 lineout throws

# PLAYER RANKINGS - TACKLES & TURNOVERS

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## SUCCESSFUL TACKLES

		Games	Total	
1	T. Flament	France	3	58
2	M. Fagerson	Scotland	3	56
3	M. Itoje	England	3	48
3	J. Marchand	France	3	48
3	A. Jelonch	France	3	48
6	C. Ollivon	France	3	46
7	G. Fickou	France	3	45
8	L. Ludlam	England	3	44
9	T. Faletau	Wales	3	40
9	J. Ryan	Ireland	3	40

## DOMINANT TACKLES

		Games	Total	
1	D. Fischetti	Italy	3	8
2	L. Ludlam	England	3	6
3	M. Itoje	England	3	5
3	J. Tipuric	Wales	2	5
3	K. Owens	Wales	3	5
3	B. Curry	England	2	5
7	P. Willemse	France	3	4
7	J. Adams	Wales	3	4
7	F. Ruzza	Italy	3	4
7	M. Fagerson	Scotland	3	4

## TURNOVERS WON

		Games	Total	
1	J. Lowe	Ireland	3	4
2	R. Taofifenua	France	3	3
2	J. Ritchie	Scotland	3	3
2	A. Dombardt	England	3	3
2	C. Doris	Ireland	3	3
2	J. Morgan	Wales	2	3
7	O. Farrell	England	3	2
7	M. Itoje	England	3	2
7	C. Ollivon	France	3	2
7	J. Sexton	Ireland	2	2
7	J. Marchand	France	3	2
7	T. Faletau	Wales	3	2
7	A. Jones	Wales	2	2
7	B. Aki	Ireland	3	2
7	G. Gilchrist	Scotland	3	2

		Minutes	Per 80*	
1	L. Crosbie	Scotland	97	26.4
2	A. Jelonch	France	177	21.7
3	J. Willis	England	112	21.4
4	M. Fagerson	Scotland	217	20.6
5	T. Flament	France	240	19.3
6	T. Francis	Wales	96	19.2
7	J. Marchand	France	204	18.8
8	J. Tipuric	Wales	134	18.5
9	R. Taofifenua	France	88	18.2
9	G. Thomas	Wales	110	18.2

## TACKLE SUCCESS RATE\*\*

		Tackles	%*	
1	U. Atonio	France	19	100.0%
1	J. Tipuric	Wales	31	100.0%
1	J. Gray	Scotland	17	100.0%
1	G. Gilchrist	Scotland	29	100.0%
1	W. Nel	Scotland	15	100.0%
1	L. Crosbie	Scotland	32	100.0%
7	G. Fickou	France	45	97.8%
8	J. Ryan	Ireland	40	97.6%
9	R. Gray	Scotland	37	97.4%
10	N. Cannone	Italy	35	97.2%
10	L. Cannone	Italy	35	97.2%

		Minutes	Per 80*	
1	R. Taofifenua	France	88	2.7
2	J. Morgan	Wales	132	1.8
3	J. Willis	England	112	1.4
4	B. Aki	Ireland	114	1.4
5	J. Sexton	Ireland	116	1.4
6	J. Lowe	Ireland	240	1.3
7	A. Jones	Wales	124	1.3
8	A. Dombardt	England	190	1.3
9	G. Gilchrist	Scotland	137	1.2
10	J. Ritchie	Scotland	240	1.0
10	C. Doris	Ireland	240	1.0
10	L. Rees-Zammit	Wales	80	1.0

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\*Minimum 80 minutes played \*\*Minimum 15 tackles

# PLAYER RANKINGS - DISCIPLINE

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## PENS CONCEDED

			Games	Total
1	A. Porter	Ireland	3	7
2	D. Fischetti	Italy	3	6
3	C. Ollivon	France	3	5
3	T. Faletau	Wales	3	5
3	P. Willemse	France	3	5
3	J. Ritchie	Scotland	3	5
7	R. Taofifenua	France	3	4
7	L. Williams	Wales	2	4
7	A. Beard	Wales	3	4
7	J. Ryan	Ireland	3	4

			Minutes	Per 80*
1	R. Taofifenua	France	88	3.6
2	A. Porter	Ireland	207	2.7
3	P. Willemse	France	152	2.6
4	D. Fischetti	Italy	184	2.6
5	L. Williams	Wales	139	2.3
6	G. Thomas	Wales	110	2.2
7	T. Faletau	Wales	188	2.1
8	Z. Fagerson	Scotland	127	1.9
9	M. Riccioni	Italy	87	1.8
10	C. Ollivon	France	219	1.8

## CARDS

			Games	Yellows
1	L. Williams	Wales	2	2
2	C. Ollivon	France	3	1
2	U. Atonio	France	2	1
2	R. Webb	Wales	2	1
2	G. Turner	Scotland	3	1
2	S. Ferrari	Italy	3	1
2	L. Cannone	Italy	3	1

			Games	Reds
1	G. Gilchrist	Scotland	3	1
1	M. Haouas	France	1	1

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\*Minimum 80 minutes played