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PREVIEW REPORT

FRANCE - JAPAN

2024 AUTUMN NATIONS SERIES

ROUND 1

09/11/2024



**FRANCE
RUGBY**





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OPTA FACTS

- France are unbeaten across their previous seven men's Test matches against Japan (W6 D1) – both sides have scored at least two tries in each of the previous seven meetings between Les Bleus and the Brave Blossoms.
- France have won 18 of their last 20 matches at Stade de France (L2), however they lost their most recent fixture at the Saint-Denis venue, against South Africa in the Rugby World Cup quarter-final, with that defeat coming by just one point; Les Bleus haven't lost by more than seven points at Stade de France since 2017 (18-38 v New Zealand).
- Japan have won just one of their last 11 matches away to European opposition (D1 L9), with that solitary victory coming against Portugal in November 2021.
- Eddie Jones has won eight of his 15 meetings with France as Head Coach of a Test nation (L7), however just one of those victories has come on French soil (L7), a 31-21 victory with England during their Grand Slam winning Six Nations campaign in 2016.
- France have won nine of their last 10 autumn fixtures (excl. Six Nations and Rugby World Cup matches), with their only defeat coming after extra-time in the Autumn Nations Cup final against England in 2020 – since then Les Bleus have won each of their six Autumn Nations Series matches.
- Japan (89.8%) and France (89.6%) have the highest place-kicking success rates of any men's Tier 1 Test sides in 2024 – France have scored 109 points from the tee this year, despite Opta's xGK model suggesting they should have scored just 96, with their overperformance of 13 points the highest positive differential of any team.
- France have gained both the most metres per maul (4.0) and the most maul metres per game (24.1) of any men's Tier 1 side in 2024, while only Italy (2.6) have made fewer maul metres per match than Japan (3.3) this year.
- France have gained the most kicking metres per game among men's Tier 1 Test sides in 2024 (901), while Japan have averaged the fewest (599); the Brave Blossoms are also the only side yet to make a 50/22 kick this year.
- France's Damian Penaud has evaded 63% of the tackles he's faced while playing for France in 2024, the highest rate among the 201 players from men's Tier 1 nations to have faced at least 20 tackles this year – Penaud scored two tries against Japan during the 2022 Autumn Nations Series and has four in four games against the Brave Blossoms overall.
- Of players from men's Tier 1 nations, none have registered as many try involvements as Japan's Dylan Riley in 2024 (9 - 6 tries, 3 assists), however, the South African-born centre has failed to score or assist a try in each of his previous three Tests against France.

LAST MATCH DETAILS

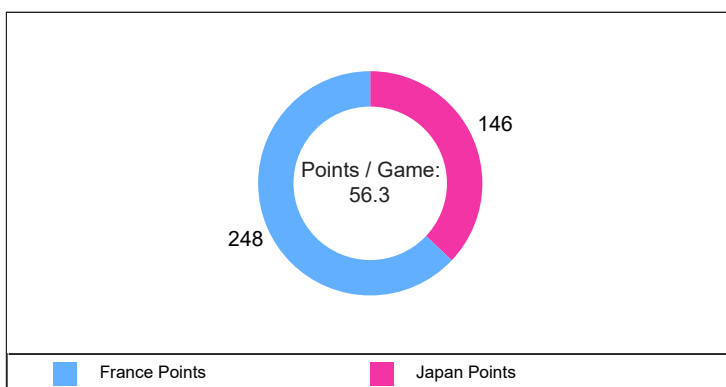
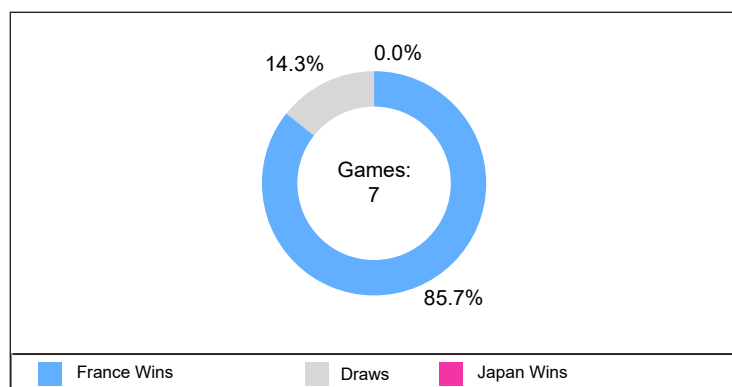
FRANCE		International v Argentina (13/07/2024) 33-25 (L)						
#	Player	Minutes	Points	Tries	Ball Carries	Kicks	Tackles	Cards
15	Leo Barre	80	0	0	13	6	5	0
14	Theo Attissogbe	80	5	1	7	0	11	0
13	Emilien Gailleton	80	5	1	7	0	15	0
12	Antoine Frisch	80	0	0	3	1	11	0
11	Lester Etien	80	0	0	6	1	1	0
10	Antoine Hastoy	80	10	0	2	8	12	0
9	Baptiste Serin	67	5	1	6	9	16	0
1	Jean-Baptiste Gros	57	0	0	3	0	11	0
2	Gaetan Barlot	67	0	0	3	0	19	0
3	Georges-Henri Colombe	53	0	0	4	0	8	1
4	Mickael Guillard	63	0	0	3	0	14	0
5	Baptiste Pesenti	41	0	0	2	0	13	0
6	Lenni Nouchi	80	0	0	10	0	27	0
7	Judicael Cancoriet	80	0	0	3	0	11	0
8	Jordan Joseph	41	0	0	5	0	10	0
16	Teddy Baubigny	17	0	0	0	0	5	0
17	Sebastien Taofifenua	23	0	0	1	0	7	0
18	Demba Bamba	16	0	0	3	0	2	0
19	Posolo Tuilagi	35	0	0	4	0	5	0
20	Romain Briatte	40	0	0	2	0	15	0
21	Killian Tixeront	13	0	0	0	0	2	0
22	Baptiste Jauneau	13	0	0	1	1	1	0
23	Leo Berdeu	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Team Total		-	25	3	88	26	221	1

JAPAN		International v New Zealand (26/10/2024) 19-64 (L)						
#	Player	Minutes	Points	Tries	Ball Carries	Kicks	Tackles	Cards
15	Yoshitaka Yazaki	80	0	0	14	2	10	0
14	Jone Naikabula	80	5	1	9	1	17	0
13	Dylan Riley	80	0	0	15	2	8	0
12	Nik McCurran	80	0	0	14	0	11	0
11	Malo Tuitama	54	0	0	5	0	7	0
10	Harumichi Tatekawa	54	2	0	9	2	14	0
9	Shinobu Fujiwara	71	0	0	8	4	9	0
1	Takato Okabe	63	0	0	2	0	8	0
2	Atsushi Sakate	46	0	0	3	0	7	0
3	Shuhei Takeuchi	44	0	0	5	0	12	0
4	Sanaila Waqa	44	0	0	3	0	6	0
5	Warner Dearn	80	0	0	8	1	11	0
6	Amato Fakatava	80	0	0	9	1	17	0
7	Kazuki Himeno	74	0	0	12	0	16	0
8	Faulua Makisi	51	5	1	11	0	12	0
16	Mamoru Harada	34	0	0	8	0	3	0
17	Takayoshi Mohara	17	0	0	1	0	0	0
18	Opeti Helu	36	5	1	9	0	2	0
19	Epineri Uluiviti	36	0	0	9	0	4	0
20	Kanji Shimokawa	34	0	0	5	0	3	0
21	Taiki Koyama	9	0	0	3	0	3	0
22	Tomoki Osada	26	0	0	5	1	4	0
23	Takuro Matsunaga	26	2	0	5	1	3	0
Team Total		-	19	3	172	15	187	0

HEAD TO HEAD

All Time

	Games	France Wins	Draws	Japan Wins
Overall:	7	6	1	0
France at Home:	3	2	1	0
Japan at Home:	2	2	0	0
Neutral Venue:	2	2	0	0



LAST 10 MEETINGS

Year	Date	Team	Score	Opposition	Venue	Winner
2022	20/11/2022	France	35-17	Japan	Stadium de Toulouse	France
2022	09/07/2022	Japan	15-20	France	Japan National Stadium	France
2022	02/07/2022	Japan	23-42	France	City of Toyota Stadium	France
2017	25/11/2017	France	23-23	Japan	Paris	Match drawn
2011	10/09/2011	France	47-21	Japan	North Shore City	France
2003	18/10/2003	France	51-29	Japan	Townsville	France
1973	27/10/1973	France	30-18	Japan	Bordeaux	France

RESULTS

Since 2023

FRANCE								
Date	Opponent	Comp	H/A	Result	F	A	TF	TA
05/02/2023	Italy	Six Nations	A	W	29	24	4	2
11/02/2023	Ireland	Six Nations	A	L	19	32	1	4
26/02/2023	Scotland	Six Nations	H	W	32	21	4	3
11/03/2023	England	Six Nations	A	W	53	10	7	1
18/03/2023	Wales	Six Nations	H	W	41	28	5	4
05/08/2023	Scotland	International	A	L	21	25	3	3
12/08/2023	Scotland	International	H	W	30	27	3	4
19/08/2023	Fiji	International	H	W	34	17	3	2
27/08/2023	Australia	International	H	W	41	17	4	3
08/09/2023	New Zealand	RWC	H	W	27	13	2	2
14/09/2023	Uruguay	RWC	H	W	27	12	3	2
21/09/2023	Namibia	RWC	H	W	96	0	14	0
06/10/2023	Italy	RWC	H	W	60	7	8	1
15/10/2023	South Africa	RWC	H	L	28	29	3	4
02/02/2024	Ireland	Six Nations	H	L	17	38	2	5
10/02/2024	Scotland	Six Nations	A	W	20	16	2	1
25/02/2024	Italy	Six Nations	H	D	13	13	1	1
10/03/2024	Wales	Six Nations	A	W	45	24	5	3
16/03/2024	England	Six Nations	H	W	33	31	3	4
06/07/2024	Argentina	International	A	W	28	13	3	2
10/07/2024	Uruguay	International	A	W	43	28	4	4
13/07/2024	Argentina	International	A	L	25	33	3	5
Average					29.2	23.5	3.0	3.1

JAPAN								
Date	Opponent	Comp	H/A	Result	F	A	TF	TA
22/07/2023	Samoa	International	H	L	22	24	1	3
29/07/2023	Tonga	International	H	W	21	16	3	2
05/08/2023	Fiji	International	H	L	12	35	2	5
26/08/2023	Italy	International	A	L	21	42	3	5
10/09/2023	Chile	RWC	H	W	42	12	6	2
17/09/2023	England	RWC	A	L	12	34	0	4
28/09/2023	Samoa	RWC	H	W	28	22	3	3
08/10/2023	Argentina	RWC	H	L	27	39	3	5
22/06/2024	England	International	H	L	17	52	2	8
13/07/2024	Georgia	International	H	L	23	25	2	3
21/07/2024	Italy	International	H	L	14	42	2	5
25/08/2024	Canada	Pacific Nations Cup	A	W	55	28	8	4
07/09/2024	USA	Pacific Nations Cup	H	W	41	24	5	3
15/09/2024	Samoa	Pacific Nations Cup	A	W	49	27	7	3
21/09/2024	Fiji	Pacific Nations Cup	A	L	17	41	2	5
26/10/2024	New Zealand	International	H	L	19	64	3	10
Average					25.9	35.0	3.3	4.7

FORM - FRANCE

All Competitions

FRANCE						
Record	Date	Opponent	Comp	Score	Days Since	Games Since
Last Win	10/07/2024	Uruguay	International	43-28	118	1
Last Loss	13/07/2024	Argentina	International	25-33	115	0
Last Home Win	16/03/2024	England	Six Nations	33-31	234	3
Last Home Loss	02/02/2024	Ireland	Six Nations	17-38	277	7
Last Away Win	10/07/2024	Uruguay	International	43-28	118	1
Last Away Loss	13/07/2024	Argentina	International	25-33	115	0

JAPAN						
Record	Date	Opponent	Comp	Score	Days Since	Games Since
Last Win	15/09/2024	Samoa	Pacific Nations Cup	49-27	51	2
Last Loss	26/10/2024	New Zealand	International	19-64	10	0
Last Home Win	07/09/2024	USA	Pacific Nations Cup	41-24	59	3
Last Home Loss	26/10/2024	New Zealand	International	19-64	10	0
Last Away Win	15/09/2024	Samoa	Pacific Nations Cup	49-27	51	2
Last Away Loss	21/09/2024	Fiji	Pacific Nations Cup	17-41	45	1

LAST MEETING - STATISTICS

France 35-17 Japan (2022-11-20 - Autumn Nations Series)

France	Japan	
4	Tries	2
3	Conversions	2
3	Penalty Goals	1
132	Ball Carries	79
11	Offloads	8
8	Line Breaks	3
38	Defenders Beaten	11
766	Carry Metres	560
104	Total Tackles	187
11	Missed Tackle	38
6	Turnovers Won	2
13	Turnover Conceded	15
18	Lineouts Won	8
0	Lineouts Lost	3
7	Total Penalties Conceded	8
43	Kicks in Play	31

#	Player	Minutes Played	Tries	Points	Ball Carries	Defenders Beaten	Tackles	Tackles - Success	Turnovers Won	Pens Conceded
15	Thomas Ramos	80	0	15	12	7	5	2	0	0
14	Damian Penaud	80	2	10	7	1	3	2	0	1
13	Gael Fickou	15	0	0	2	0	2	2	0	0
12	Jonathan Danty	80	0	0	10	3	11	8	0	2
11	Yoram Moefana	80	0	0	7	1	9	5	0	0
10	Romain Ntamack	57	0	0	7	0	5	4	0	0
9	Maxime Lucu	69	0	0	2	3	4	4	1	0
1	Reda Wardi	61	0	0	6	0	6	6	0	0
2	Julien Marchand	59	0	0	11	5	10	8	2	0
3	Uini Atonio	45	0	0	4	0	4	4	0	0
4	Cameron Woki	74	0	0	6	0	8	6	0	0
5	Romain Taofifenua	59	0	0	4	0	10	9	0	1
6	Anthony Jelonch	80	1	5	3	0	15	9	0	1
7	Charles Ollivon	80	1	5	7	1	5	5	2	0
8	Gregory Alldritt	80	0	0	19	8	8	8	1	1
16	Peato Mauvaka	21	0	0	1	1	1	1	0	0
17	Dany Priso	19	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
18	Sipili Falatea	35	0	0	5	1	0	0	0	0
19	Florian Verhaeghe	6	0	0	1	0	3	2	0	0
20	Bastien Chalureau	21	0	0	7	0	2	1	0	1
21	Sekou Macalou	65	0	0	2	1	8	6	0	0
22	Baptiste Couilloud	11	0	0	3	0	1	1	0	0
23	Matthieu Jalibert	23	0	0	5	6	1	0	0	0

#	Player	Minutes	Tries	Points	Ball Carries	Defenders Beaten	Tackles	Tackles - Success	Turnovers Won	Pens Conceded
15	Ryohei Yamanaka	74	0	0	6	1	2	0	0	0
14	Dylan Riley	80	0	0	11	1	6	4	0	0
13	Shogo Nakano	80	0	0	7	3	13	6	0	0
12	Ryoto Nakamura	53	0	0	2	0	12	9	0	1
11	Siosaia Fifita	80	1	5	7	2	5	4	0	0
10	Seungsin Lee	80	0	7	2	0	15	8	0	1
9	Naoto Saito	51	1	5	1	0	4	2	0	0
1	Keita Inagaki	55	0	0	2	0	14	12	0	0
2	Atsushi Sakate	74	0	0	3	0	19	13	0	1
3	Jiwon Gu	74	0	0	3	0	16	16	0	2
4	Warner Dearn	74	0	0	5	0	15	12	0	1
5	Jack Cornelsen	80	0	0	2	1	10	8	0	1
6	Michael Leitch	80	0	0	5	0	13	10	1	1
7	Pieter Labuschagne	80	0	0	5	1	20	14	0	0
8	Kazuki Himeno	51	0	0	6	2	8	8	1	0
16	Kosuke Horikoshi	6	0	0	1	0	4	3	0	0
17	Craig Millar	25	0	0	0	0	9	6	0	0
18	Shuhei Takeuchi	6	0	0	0	0	2	2	0	0
19	Wimpie van der Walt	6	0	0	0	0	3	2	0	0
20	Tevita Tatafu	29	0	0	4	0	9	9	0	0
21	Yutaka Nagare	29	0	0	1	0	2	0	0	0
22	Hayata Nakao	6	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0
23	Kotaro Matsushima	27	0	0	5	0	2	1	0	0

TEAM ANALYSIS
2024 INTERNATIONALS

TEAM ANALYSIS - MATCH AVERAGES

2024 INTERNATIONALS

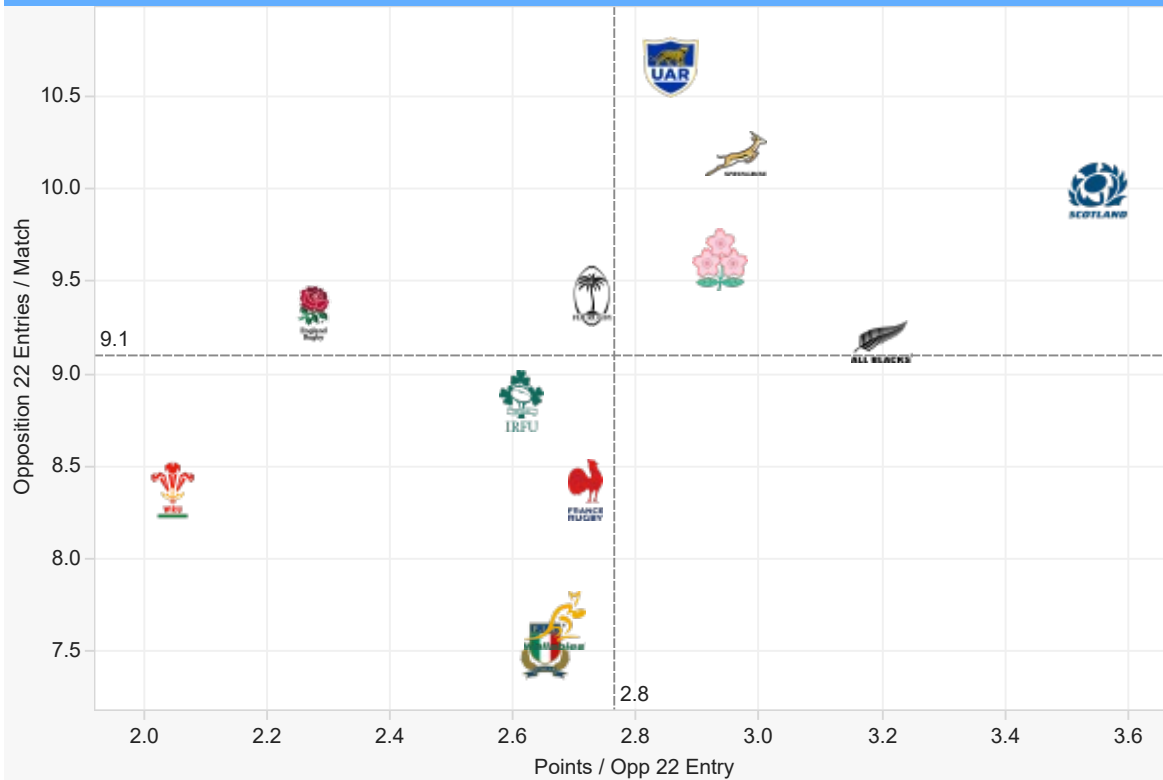
FRANCE RUGBY		FRANCE
28.0	Points	29.4
2.9	Tries	3.9
89.6%	Goal Kicking %	89.7%
107.8	Carries	131.5
643.6	Carry Metres	852.6
8.4	Opposition 22 Entries	9.6
2.7	Points / Opp 22 Entry	2.9
5.4	Line Breaks	7.0
22.9	Defenders Beaten	27.0
8.9	Offloads	6.8
130.9	Passes	188.0
28.1	Kicks From Hand	21.0
149.4	Tackles	146.0
17.6	Missed Tackles	22.5
88.2%	Tackle %	84.6%
7.9	Dominant Tackles	5.3
8.6	Pens Conceded	9.9
0.4	Yellow Cards	0.3
2	Red Cards (Total)	1
3.3	Turnovers Won	3.3
11.9	Turnovers Conceded	13.6
87.4%	Lineout Success %	89.1%
91.7%	Scrum Success %	89.7%
96.5%	Ruck Success %	95.6%
42.5%	Gainline Forward %	45.7%

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

TEAM ANALYSIS - 22 ENTRIES

2024 INTERNATIONALS

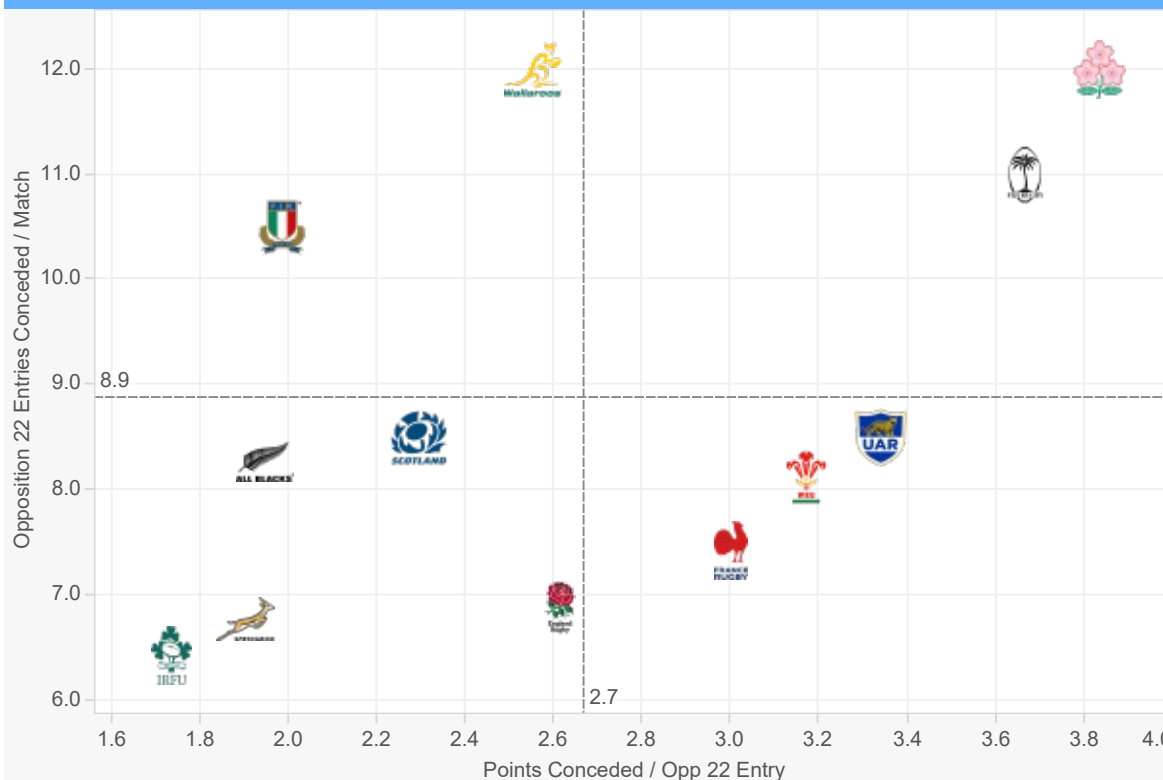
22 ENTRIES FOR



22 Entries / Match	
Argentina	10.7
South Africa	10.2
Scotland	10.0
Japan	9.6
Fiji	9.4
England	9.3
New Zealand	9.2
Ireland	8.9
Wales	8.4
France	8.4
Australia	7.7
Italy	7.5

Points / Entry	
Scotland	3.6
New Zealand	3.2
South Africa	3.0
Japan	2.9
Argentina	2.9
Fiji	2.7
France	2.7
Australia	2.7
Italy	2.7
Ireland	2.6
England	2.3
Wales	2.0

22 ENTRIES AGAINST



22 Entries Con. / Match	
Japan	12.0
Australia	12.0
Fiji	11.0
Italy	10.5
Scotland	8.5
Argentina	8.5
New Zealand	8.3
Wales	8.1
France	7.4
England	6.9
South Africa	6.8
Ireland	6.4

Points Con / Entry	
Japan	12.0
Fiji	11.0
Argentina	8.5
Wales	8.1
France	7.4
England	6.9
Australia	12.0
Scotland	8.5
Italy	10.5
New Zealand	8.3
South Africa	6.8
Ireland	6.4

TEAM ANALYSIS - POINTS & TRIES

2024 INTERNATIONALS

POINTS PER PERIOD

	SCORED					CONCEDED				
	Total	1'-20'	21'-HT	HT-60'	61'-80'	Total	1'-20'	21'-HT	HT-60'	61'-80'
Argentina	288	50	92	49	97	248	72	79	58	39
Australia	208	65	60	30	53	250	57	69	44	80
England	224	54	58	77	35	197	51	58	30	58
Fiji	198	42	47	57	52	121	41	24	21	35
France	224	49	60	53	62	161	37	40	36	48
Ireland	189	44	52	23	70	84	39	13	13	19
Italy	188	66	38	36	48	97	27	16	29	25
Japan	228	71	57	38	62	140	37	35	25	43
New Zealand	350	107	122	69	52	199	41	62	39	57
Scotland	370	94	105	67	104	216	55	57	47	57
South Africa	330	81	69	65	115	109	32	22	36	19
Wales	128	16	38	29	45	132	30	26	37	39
Total	2,925	739	798	593	795	2,344	620	616	476	632

TRIES PER PERIOD

	SCORED					CONCEDED				
	Total	1'-20'	21'-HT	HT-60'	61'-80'	Total	1'-20'	21'-HT	HT-60'	61'-80'
Argentina	38	6	13	6	13	30	9	10	6	5
Australia	24	7	6	4	7	32	7	9	5	11
England	26	6	6	10	4	21	6	5	4	6
Fiji	28	7	6	7	8	17	6	3	3	5
France	23	5	5	6	7	20	4	4	5	7
Ireland	23	4	6	3	10	11	6	1	1	3
Italy	21	8	3	5	5	8	2	1	3	2
Japan	30	9	7	5	9	18	5	4	3	6
New Zealand	46	15	17	8	6	28	5	10	5	8
Scotland	50	13	13	9	15	24	7	5	4	8
South Africa	40	11	8	5	16	15	5	2	5	3
Wales	16	1	5	4	6	16	3	3	5	5
Total	365	92	95	72	106	282	74	70	56	82

TRY ORIGIN

	SCORED									CONCEDED								
	Total	Counter Attack	Free Kick	Lineout	Penalty	Scrum	Start Half	Tap Penalty	Turnover	Total	Counter Attack	Free Kick	Lineout	Penalty	Scrum	Start Half	Tap Penalty	Turnover
Argentina	45	6	0	13	0	6	1	3	16	35	5	0	14	0	4	0	2	10
Australia	27	3	1	13	1	3	0	2	4	40	7	0	14	0	4	0	1	14
England	30	4	0	15	0	2	1	1	7	27	5	1	10	0	2	0	1	8
Fiji	30	2	1	9	0	8	0	2	8	18	1	1	8	1	4	0	0	3
France	29	6	1	6	0	7	0	1	8	21	0	0	16	0	3	1	0	1
Ireland	22	0	0	16	0	1	1	1	3	11	0	0	6	0	2	0	1	2
Italy	23	2	0	7	0	4	0	1	9	11	1	0	4	1	1	0	1	3
Japan	36	5	0	14	0	2	0	4	11	22	5	0	9	0	3	0	1	4
New Zealand	54	8	2	22	0	6	0	2	14	32	4	0	13	0	4	0	2	9
Scotland	58	8	0	27	1	5	0	2	15	28	4	0	14	0	3	0	1	6
South Africa	46	4	0	18	1	6	0	2	15	16	0	1	5	0	4	0	2	4
Wales	21	2	0	12	0	1	0	3	3	17	1	0	4	0	2	1	5	4
Total	421	50	5	172	3	51	3	24	113	325	37	4	136	3	42	3	19	81

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

PLAYER RANKINGS

2024 INTERNATIONALS

PLAYER RANKINGS - POINTS

2024 INTERNATIONALS

POINTS

		Games	Points	Minutes	Pens	Conv	Drop Goals	Tries	
1	D. McKenzie	New Zealand	11	113	729	16	30	0	1
2	S. Lee	Japan	7	76	461	8	21	0	2
3	J. Crowley	Ireland	7	71	539	12	15	0	1
4	T. Ramos	France	5	63	400	13	12	0	0
4	T. Alborno	Argentina	9	63	451	5	19	0	2
6	P. Garbisi	Italy	8	61	613	10	13	0	1
7	H. Pollard	South Africa	8	57	334	13	9	0	0
8	N. Lolesio	Australia	8	56	511	12	10	0	0
9	F. Russell	Scotland	5	55	400	11	11	0	0
9	S. Carreras	Argentina	9	55	505	9	9	0	2

GOAL KICKING (MADE)

		Games	Minutes	Goals	Misses	Pens	Pens Missed	Conv	Conv Missed	Goal Kicking ..	
1	D. McKenzie	New Zealand	11	729	46	14	16	5	30	9	76.7%
2	S. Lee	Japan	7	461	29	1	8	1	21	0	96.7%
3	J. Crowley	Ireland	7	539	27	10	12	3	15	7	73.0%
4	T. Ramos	France	5	400	25	3	13	2	12	1	89.3%
5	T. Alborno	Argentina	9	451	24	10	5	2	19	8	70.6%
6	P. Garbisi	Italy	8	613	23	8	10	4	13	4	74.2%
7	H. Pollard	South Africa	8	334	22	5	13	3	9	2	81.5%
7	F. Russell	Scotland	5	400	22	1	11	0	11	1	95.7%
7	N. Lolesio	Australia	8	511	22	6	12	3	10	3	78.6%
7	S. Feinberg-Mngomezulu	South Africa	8	384	22	7	8	3	14	4	75.9%

GOAL KICKING (%)*

		Games	Kicks	Made	Available Points	Points Scored	Expected Points	Pts Gained	Goal Kicking %	
1	Martin Page-Relo	Italy	4	6	6	18	18	4.3	13.7	100.0%
1	Leo Berdeu	France	1	7	7	19	19	14.1	4.9	100.0%
3	Seungsin Lee	Japan	6	30	29	69	60.9	5.1	96.7%	
4	Finn Russell	Scotland	5	23	22	57	48.5	6.5	95.7%	
5	Ben Donaldson	Australia	4	12	11	28	23.6	2.4	91.7%	
6	Sam Costelow	Wales	4	10	9	24	19.3	1.7	90.0%	
6	Santiago Carreras	Argentina	6	20	18	49	41.9	3.1	90.0%	
8	Thomas Ramos	France	5	28	25	71	57.3	5.7	89.3%	
9	Ioan Lloyd	Wales	3	7	6	14	10.4	1.6	85.7%	
9	Ben Thomas	Wales	2	7	6	18	12.9	2.1	85.7%	
9	Beauden Barrett	New Zealand	2	7	6	14	10.2	1.8	85.7%	

*Minimum 5 Kicks at Goal

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PLAYER RANKINGS - TRIES

2024 INTERNATIONALS

TRIES

		Games	Minutes Played	Tries	Tries / 80	
1	D. van der Merwe	Scotland	8	638	8	1.0
2	C. Clarke	New Zealand	6	431	7	1.3
3	D. Riley	Japan	7	560	6	0.9
3	M. Tele'a	New Zealand	8	486	6	1.0
5	W. Jordan	New Zealand	7	476	5	0.8
5	D. Sheehan	Ireland	6	330	5	1.2
5	M. Carreras	Argentina	9	690	5	0.6
5	I. Feyi-Waboso	England	8	385	5	1.0
9	M. Ioane	Italy	7	555	4	0.6
9	J. Lowe	Ireland	7	560	4	0.6
9	M. Marx	South Africa	9	363	4	0.9
9	A. Savea	New Zealand	10	775	4	0.4
9	M. Mapimpi	South Africa	4	320	4	1.0
9	K. Arendse	South Africa	7	502	4	0.6

TRY ASSISTS

		Games	Minutes Played	Try Assists	Try Assists / 80	
1	B. Barrett	New Zealand	9	537	7	1.0
2	M. Smith	England	6	348	6	1.4
3	D. McKenzie	New Zealand	11	729	5	0.5
3	H. Jones	Scotland	8	625	5	0.6
3	S. Lee	Japan	7	461	5	0.9
6	A. Hastings	Scotland	4	194	4	1.6
6	A. Mitchell	England	7	451	4	0.7
6	T. Alborno	Argentina	9	451	4	0.7
6	S. Chocobares	Argentina	8	546	4	0.6
6	S. Fujiwara	Japan	7	383	4	0.8
6	P. Garbisi	Italy	8	613	4	0.5
6	J. Dobie	Scotland	5	232	4	1.4

TRY INVOLVEMENTS

		Games	Minutes Played	Try Involvements	% of Team Total	
1	D. Riley	Japan	7	560	9	17.0%
2	B. Barrett	New Zealand	9	537	8	9.6%
2	D. van der Merwe	Scotland	8	638	8	9.4%
2	H. Jones	Scotland	8	625	8	9.4%
2	M. Tele'a	New Zealand	8	486	8	9.6%
2	M. Smith	England	6	348	8	17.4%
7	C. Clarke	New Zealand	6	431	7	8.4%
7	W. Jordan	New Zealand	7	476	7	8.4%
7	J. Dobie	Scotland	5	232	7	10.9%
7	S. Lee	Japan	7	461	7	13.2%

PLAYER RANKINGS - CARRIES

2024 INTERNATIONALS

CARRIES

		Games	Total
1	B. Earl	England	9 147
2	A. Savea	New Zealand	10 133
3	R. Valetini	Australia	9 88
4	P. Matera	Argentina	9 87
4	D. McKenzie	New Zealand	11 87
4	H. Wilson	Australia	7 87
7	J. Barrett	New Zealand	9 86
8	C. Doris	Ireland	7 85
9	W. Sititi	New Zealand	7 83
10	P. du Toit	South Africa	8 82
10	A. Wainwright	Wales	7 82

		Minutes	Per 80*
1	B. Earl	England	720 16.3
2	W. Sititi	New Zealand	419 15.8
3	E. Louw	South Africa	265 15.1
4	G. Alldritt	France	279 14.1
5	A. Savea	New Zealand	775 13.7
6	J. Dempsey	Scotland	406 13.2
7	E. Canakaivata	Fiji	385 13.1
8	T. Ikanivere	Fiji	463 12.4
9	H. Wilson	Australia	560 12.4
10	C. Doris	Ireland	550 12.4

METRES

		Games	Total
1	B. Earl	England	9 798
2	D. Riley	Japan	7 768
3	A. Savea	New Zealand	10 745
4	M. Carreras	Argentina	9 739
5	D. van der Merwe	Scotland	8 706
6	J. Kriel	South Africa	9 678
7	J. Barrett	New Zealand	9 674
8	C. Clarke	New Zealand	6 667
9	W. Jordan	New Zealand	7 662
10	J. Lowe	Ireland	7 642

		Minutes	Per 80*
1	C. Clarke	New Zealand	431 123.7
2	I. Masi	Fiji	270 120.9
3	W. Sititi	New Zealand	419 115.5
4	Y. Yazaki	Japan	374 113.5
5	K. Rowe	Scotland	427 112.5
6	W. Jordan	New Zealand	476 111.2
7	T. Alborno	Argentina	451 110.4
8	D. Riley	Japan	560 109.6
9	M. Tuitama	Japan	360 108.5
10	V. Karawalevu	Fiji	399 106.4

DEFENDERS BEATEN

		Games	Total
1	M. Tele'a	New Zealand	8 39
2	B. Earl	England	9 35
3	D. van der Merwe	Scotland	8 33
4	D. McKenzie	New Zealand	11 31
5	C. Kolbe	South Africa	7 29
5	A. Savea	New Zealand	10 29
5	M. Carreras	Argentina	9 29
8	D. Penaud	France	5 27
9	M. Ioane	Italy	7 26
9	D. Riley	Japan	7 26

		Minutes	Per 80*
1	M. Tele'a	New Zealand	486 6.4
2	D. Penaud	France	400 5.4
3	M. Tuitama	Japan	360 4.9
4	K. Rowe	Scotland	427 4.5
5	S. Feinberg-Mngomez	South Africa	384 4.4
6	I. Feyi-Waboso	England	385 4.4
7	C. Clarke	New Zealand	431 4.3
8	C. Kolbe	South Africa	560 4.1
9	D. van der Merwe	Scotland	638 4.1
10	A. Aumua	New Zealand	311 4.1

*Minimum 240 minutes played



PLAYER RANKINGS - PASSING

2024 INTERNATIONALS

PASSES

		Games	Total
1	S. Fujiwara	Japan	7 472
2	F. Lomani	Fiji	7 396
3	J. Gordon	Australia	6 388
4	T. Perenara	New Zealand	8 360
5	G. Bertranou	Argentina	8 359
6	A. Mitchell	England	7 336
7	J. Gibson-Park	Ireland	5 333
8	C. Ratima	New Zealand	9 327
9	T. Williams	Wales	5 303
10	D. McKenzie	New Zealand	11 252

		Minutes	Per 80*
1	S. Fujiwara	Japan	383 98.6
2	J. Gibson-Park	Ireland	299 89.1
3	J. Gordon	Australia	364 85.3
4	C. Ratima	New Zealand	315 83.0
5	T. Williams	Wales	296 81.9
6	T. Perenara	New Zealand	358 80.4
7	F. Lomani	Fiji	428 74.0
8	G. Bertranou	Argentina	430 66.8
9	A. Mitchell	England	451 59.6
10	B. White	Scotland	274 58.7

PASSING ACCURACY**

		Total	%
1	G. Williams	South Africa	166 99.4%
2	K. Hardy	Wales	110 99.1%
3	B. Serin	France	101 99.0%
4	J. Dobie	Scotland	153 98.7%
5	S. Varney	Italy	149 98.7%
6	N. White	Australia	135 98.5%
7	C. Ratima	New Zealand	327 98.5%
8	E. Bevan	Wales	125 98.4%
9	G. Horne	Scotland	193 97.9%
10	T. Williams	Wales	303 97.7%

BREAK ASSIST PASSES

		Games	Total
1	D. McKenzie	New Zealand	11 16
2	S. McDowall	Scotland	5 7
3	S. Tuipulotu	Scotland	6 6
3	A. Fassi	South Africa	6 6
5	G. Ford	England	6 5
5	S. Kolisi	South Africa	6 5
5	R. Henshaw	Ireland	7 5
5	S. Chocobares	Argentina	8 5
5	P. Garbisi	Italy	8 5
5	J. Oviedo	Argentina	8 5

OFFLOADS

		Games	Total
1	S. Reece	New Zealand	8 14
2	J. Lowe	Ireland	7 12
2	M. Tele'a	New Zealand	8 12
2	W. Sititi	New Zealand	7 12
5	D. Penaud	France	5 11
6	M. Ioane	Italy	7 10
6	D. McKenzie	New Zealand	11 10
6	H. Jones	Scotland	8 10
6	R. Snyman	South Africa	3 10
10	J. Mallia	Argentina	6 9
10	J. Oviedo	Argentina	8 9

		Minutes	Per 80*
1	W. Sititi	New Zealand	419 2.3
2	D. Penaud	France	400 2.2
3	S. Reece	New Zealand	536 2.1
4	M. Tele'a	New Zealand	486 2.0
5	L. Barre	France	312 1.8
6	B. Dixon	South Africa	271 1.8
7	J. Lowe	Ireland	560 1.7
8	S. Waqa	Japan	286 1.7
9	J. Mallia	Argentina	444 1.6
10	I. Masi	Fiji	270 1.5

*Minimum 240 minutes played **Minimum 100 Passes

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PLAYER RANKINGS - KICKS

2024 INTERNATIONALS

KICKS IN PLAY

		Games	Total
1	D. McKenzie	New Zealand	11 94
2	F. Russell	Scotland	5 81
3	A. Mitchell	England	7 79
4	P. Garbisi	Italy	8 68
5	B. Barrett	New Zealand	9 55
6	J. Crowley	Ireland	7 54
6	S. Lee	Japan	7 54
8	T. Albornoz	Argentina	9 53
8	S. Carreras	Argentina	9 53
10	F. Lomani	Fiji	7 52

		Minutes	Per 80*
1	F. Russell	Scotland	400 16.2
2	B. White	Scotland	274 14.0
3	A. Mitchell	England	451 14.0
4	T. Williams	Wales	296 13.5
5	S. Varney	Italy	246 12.0
6	S. Feinberg-Mngomez	South Africa	384 10.4
7	D. McKenzie	New Zealand	729 10.3
8	G. Ford	England	362 9.9
9	F. Lomani	Fiji	428 9.7
10	G. Williams	South Africa	240 9.7

KICKING METRES

		Games	Total
1	D. McKenzie	New Zealand	11 2,835
2	F. Russell	Scotland	5 2,822
3	A. Mitchell	England	7 2,163
4	P. Garbisi	Italy	8 2,149
5	T. Albornoz	Argentina	9 2,031
6	J. Lowe	Ireland	7 1,988
7	S. Carreras	Argentina	9 1,956
8	S. Lee	Japan	7 1,889
9	S. Feinberg-Mngomez	South Africa	8 1,485
10	B. Barrett	New Zealand	9 1,481

		Minutes	Per 80*
1	F. Russell	Scotland	400 564.3
2	A. Mitchell	England	451 383.6
3	B. White	Scotland	274 368.4
4	T. Williams	Wales	296 367.2
5	T. Albornoz	Argentina	451 360.3
6	S. Lee	Japan	461 327.8
7	D. McKenzie	New Zealand	729 311.1
8	S. Carreras	Argentina	505 309.8
9	S. Feinberg-Mngomez	South Africa	384 309.4
10	G. Ford	England	362 293.6

METRES / KICKS IN PLAY**

		Games	Avg*
1	Leo Barre	France	4 40.2
2	James Lowe	Ireland	7 39.8
3	Cameron Winnett	Wales	7 39.2
4	Tomas Albornoz	Argentina	9 38.3
5	Juan Cruz Mallia	Argentina	6 38.1
6	Santiago Carreras	Argentina	9 36.9
7	Jordie Barrett	New Zealand	9 36.6
8	Seungsin Lee	Japan	7 35.0
9	Finn Russell	Scotland	5 34.8
10	Thomas Ramos	France	5 33.5

*Minimum 240 minutes played **Minimum 2 Kicks / 80min

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PLAYER RANKINGS - LINEOUTS

2024 INTERNATIONALS

LINEOUTS WON (INC. STEALS)

			Games	Total
1	F. Ruzza	Italy	8	45
2	W. Dearn	Japan	8	43
3	M. Itoje	England	9	38
4	E. Etzebeth	South Africa	9	36
5	R. Nortje	South Africa	5	34
6	N. Frost	Australia	6	30
7	D. Jenkins	Wales	7	29
8	S. Cummings	Scotland	7	28
8	L. Salakaia-Loto	Australia	7	28
8	J. Gonzalez	Argentina	6	28

			Minutes	Per 80*
1	F. Ruzza	Italy	488	7.4
2	R. Nortje	South Africa	369	7.4
3	L. Salakaia-Loto	Australia	367	6.1
4	N. Frost	Australia	396	6.1
5	J. Gonzalez	Argentina	398	5.6
6	W. Dearn	Japan	625	5.5
7	E. Etzebeth	South Africa	543	5.3
8	F. Molina	Argentina	362	5.1
9	O. Chessum	England	331	5.1
10	A. Beard	Wales	319	5.0

LINEOUT STEALS

			Games	Total
1	W. Dearn	Japan	8	8
2	M. Derenalagi	Fiji	6	6
3	L. Salakaia-Loto	Australia	7	5
4	M. Itoje	England	9	4
4	P. du Toit	South Africa	8	4
4	N. Frost	Australia	6	4
4	T. Vaa'i	New Zealand	10	4
4	J. Moro	Argentina	1	4
9	E. Etzebeth	South Africa	9	3
9	T. Beirne	Ireland	6	3
9	S. Cummings	Scotland	7	3
9	M. Lamaro	Italy	8	3
9	J. Williams	Australia	8	3
9	I. Nasilasila	Fiji	6	3
9	O. Chessum	England	5	3

			Minutes	Per 80*
1	M. Derenalagi	Fiji	406	1.2
2	L. Salakaia-Loto	Australia	367	1.1
3	W. Dearn	Japan	625	1.0
4	N. Frost	Australia	396	0.8
5	O. Chessum	England	331	0.7
6	P. Tuipulotu	New Zealand	253	0.6
7	E. Ashman	Scotland	273	0.6
8	J. Williams	Australia	431	0.6
9	T. Vaa'i	New Zealand	585	0.5
10	E. Blackadder	New Zealand	309	0.5

LINEOUT THROWS WON

			Games	Total
1	J. George	England	9	88
2	C. Taylor	New Zealand	9	81
3	J. Montoya	Argentina	7	59
3	T. Ikanivere	Fiji	7	59
3	M. Harada	Japan	8	59
6	M. Faessler	Australia	7	54
7	B. Mbonambi	South Africa	7	53
8	M. Marx	South Africa	9	50
8	E. Dee	Wales	5	50
10	G. Nicotera	Italy	7	49

LINEOUT SUCCESS RATE**

			Games	Total*
1	E. Dee	Wales	5	96.2%
2	I. Ruiz	Argentina	8	91.7%
3	B. Mbonambi	South Africa	7	91.4%
4	J. George	England	9	90.7%
5	D. Sheehan	Ireland	6	88.7%
6	M. Faessler	Australia	7	88.5%
7	M. Harada	Japan	8	88.1%
8	C. Taylor	New Zealand	9	87.1%
9	J. Montoya	Argentina	7	86.8%
10	G. Turner	Scotland	5	86.1%

*Minimum 240 minutes played **Minimum 2 lineout throws / 80



PLAYER RANKINGS - TACKLES & TURNOVERS

2024 INTERNATIONALS

SUCCESSFUL TACKLES

		Games	Total	
1	M. Lamaro	Italy	8	143
2	R. Darge	Scotland	8	120
3	B. Earl	England	9	116
4	D. Jenkins	Wales	7	115
5	T. Reffell	Wales	7	113
6	A. Savea	New Zealand	10	109
7	N. Cannone	Italy	8	104
8	P. du Toit	South Africa	8	102
8	M. Kremer	Argentina	8	102
10	M. Itoje	England	9	98
10	S. Barrett	New Zealand	8	98

		Minutes	Per 80*	
1	G. Lucchesi	Italy	302	19.6
2	L. Cannone	Italy	290	19.6
3	C. Tizzano	Australia	307	19.3
4	M. Lamaro	Italy	607	18.8
5	C. Cunningham-South England		306	18.3
6	R. Vintcent	Italy	364	18.2
7	R. Darge	Scotland	539	17.8
8	D. Jenkins	Wales	530	17.4
9	T. Costley	Japan	272	17.4
10	A. Bell	Australia	264	17.0

DOMINANT TACKLES

		Games	Total	
1	R. Darge	Scotland	8	16
2	P. Schoeman	Scotland	9	15
3	M. Lamaro	Italy	8	12
4	M. Kremer	Argentina	8	11
4	N. Cannone	Italy	8	11
4	W. Dearn	Japan	8	11
7	S. Cummings	Scotland	7	10
7	T. Freeman	England	9	10
7	T. Menoncello	Italy	8	10
10	P. Matera	Argentina	9	9

TACKLE SUCCESS RATE**

		Minutes	%*	
1	G. Gilchrist	Scotland	371	100.0%
2	E. Dee	Wales	298	97.9%
3	J. George	England	548	93.8%
3	E. Bello	Argentina	256	93.8%
5	Z. Fagerson	Scotland	401	93.6%
6	T. Beirne	Ireland	470	93.4%
7	L. Cannone	Italy	290	93.4%
8	J. Dempsey	Scotland	406	92.9%
9	M. Leitch	Japan	240	92.9%
9	E. Ashman	Scotland	273	92.9%

TURNOVERS WON

		Games	Total	
1	W. Dearn	Japan	8	12
2	M. Derenalagi	Fiji	6	10
3	M. Itoje	England	9	9
4	T. Reffell	Wales	7	8
4	T. Vaa'i	New Zealand	10	8
6	T. Beirne	Ireland	6	7
7	S. Barrett	New Zealand	8	6
7	P. du Toit	South Africa	8	6
7	A. Savea	New Zealand	10	6
7	S. Underhill	England	8	6
7	N. Frost	Australia	6	6

		Minutes	Per 80*	
1	M. Derenalagi	Fiji	406	2.0
2	P. Tuipulotu	New Zealand	253	1.6
3	W. Dearn	Japan	625	1.5
4	G. Lucchesi	Italy	302	1.3
5	N. Frost	Australia	396	1.2
6	T. Reffell	Wales	536	1.2
7	T. Beirne	Ireland	470	1.2
8	L. Cannone	Italy	290	1.1
9	T. Vaa'i	New Zealand	585	1.1
10	L. Salakaia-Loto	Australia	367	1.1

*Minimum 240 minutes played **Minimum 5 tackles / 80



PLAYER RANKINGS - DISCIPLINE

2024 INTERNATIONALS

PENS CONCEDED

		Games	Total	
1	J. Slipper	Australia	6	7
1	D. van der Merwe	Scotland	8	7
1	H. Wilson	Australia	7	7
1	H. Hetet	Fiji	7	7
1	G. Brown	Scotland	4	7
1	S. Takeuchi	Japan	8	7
1	R. Vintcent	Italy	7	7
1	W. Sitti	New Zealand	7	7
9	S. Cane	New Zealand	7	6
9	P. Schoeman	Scotland	9	6
9	J. Montoya	Argentina	7	6
9	P. du Toit	South Africa	8	6
9	S. Waqa	Japan	6	6
9	G. Zilocchi	Italy	6	6
9	W. Stuart	England	9	6
9	H. Paisami	Australia	7	6
9	J. Barrett	New Zealand	9	6
9	E. Blackadder	New Zealand	4	6
9	M. Lamaro	Italy	8	6
9	C. Clarke	New Zealand	6	6
9	S. Tawake	Fiji	6	6
9	E. Ashman	Scotland	8	6
9	T. Ikanivere	Fiji	7	6

		Minutes	Per 80*	
1	J. Sclavi	Argentina	270	2.7
2	A. Porter	Ireland	439	2.4
3	H. Hetet	Fiji	240	2.3
4	G. Lucchesi	Italy	302	2.1
5	Z. Fagerson	Scotland	401	1.8
6	E. Ashman	Scotland	273	1.8
7	S. Waqa	Japan	286	1.7
8	T. Tupou	Australia	255	1.6
8	T. Williams	New Zealand	408	1.6
10	E. Blackadder	New Zealand	309	1.6

CARDS

		Games	Yellows	
1	K. Arendse	South Africa	7	3
2	A. Kellaway	Australia	9	2
2	P. O'Mahony	Ireland	6	2
2	A. Lienert-Brown	New Zealand	11	2
2	C. Clarke	New Zealand	6	2
2	A. Fassi	South Africa	6	2
2	E. Ashman	Scotland	8	2
8	E. Daly	England	5	1
8	U. Atonio	France	5	1
8	W. Le Roux	South Africa	4	1
8	O. Tu'ungafasi	New Zealand	8	1
8	J. Wiese	South Africa	4	1
8	D. van der Merwe	Scotland	8	1
8	M. Marx	South Africa	9	1
8	J. Kriel	South Africa	9	1

		Games	Reds	
1	P. Matera	Argentina	9	1
1	J. Danty	France	3	1
1	A. Esterhuizen	South Africa	2	1
1	P. Willemse	France	1	1
1	C. Ewels	England	1	1
1	A. Cocagi	Fiji	1	1
1	F. Daugunu	Australia	4	1
1	K. Shimokawa	Japan	6	1

*Minimum 240 minutes played

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