



# 2008 Rugby League World Cup

Match 17 - Semi Final 2

# AUSTRALIA

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Sunday 16<sup>th</sup> November, 2008

7:55pm (AEDST Time)

Sydney Football Stadium

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# World Cup Records (1954 - 2008\*)

## All World Cup Matches

	<u>Played</u>	<u>Won</u>	<u>Lost</u>	<u>Drawn</u>	<u>Win%</u>
Australia	49	39	8	2	79.6%
Cook Islands	3	0	2	1	0%
England	21	13	6	2	61.9%
Fiji	9	4	5	0	44.4%
France	40	11	27	2	27.5%
Great Britain	26	16	8	2	61.5%
Ireland	7	4	3	0	57.1%
Lebanon	3	0	2	1	0%
New Zealand	42	15	25	2	35.7%
NZ Maori	3	1	2	0	33.3%
Papua New Guinea	9	3	5	1	33.3%
Russia	3	0	3	0	0%
Samoa	9	5	4	0	55.6%
Scotland	6	1	5	0	16.7%
South Africa	6	0	6	0	0%
Tonga	8	3	4	1	37.5%
Wales	16	8	8	0	50%

## Most World Cup Matches:

15	Bob Fulton (AUS)	1968, 1970, 1972, 1975
14	Roger Millward (ENG, GB)	1968, 1975, 1977
14	Arthur Beetson (AUS)	1968, 1972, 1975, 1977
14	Dennis Williams (NZ)	1972, 1975, 1977
14	George Nicholls (ENG, GB)	1972, 1975, 1977
14	John Atkinson (ENG, GB)	1968, 1970, 1972, 1975
13	Francois de Nadai (FRA)	1968, 1970, 1972, 1975
13	Tony Coll (NZ)	1972, 1975, 1977

## Most World Cup Matches (Current Players):

9	Stanley Gene (PNG)	1995, 2000, 2008
8	Nathan Cayless (NZ)	2000, 2008
8	Paul Wellens (ENG)	2000, 2008
7	Nigel Vagana (NZ, SAM)	2000, 2008
7	Willie Talau (NZ, SAM)	2000, 2008
7	Darren Lockyer (AUS)	2000, 2008
7	Frank Puletua (SAM)	2000, 2008
7	John Wilshere (PNG)	2000, 2008
7	Jerome Guisset (FRA)	2000, 2008
7	Keith Senior (ENG)	2000, 2008
7	Jamie Peacock (ENG)	2000, 2008

## Most World Cup Points:

108	Michael Cronin (AUS) in 11 matches	(4t, 48g)
92	George Fairbairn (ENG, GB) in 11 matches	(2t, 43g)
87	Eric Simms (AUS) in 8 matches	(1t, 42g)
74	Andrew Johns (AUS) in 9 matches	(5t, 27g)
70	Mat Rogers (AUS) in 4 matches	(4t, 27g)
68	Andrew Farrell (ENG) in 9 matches	(3t, 28g)
61	Iestyn Harris (WAL) in 8 matches	(4t, 22g, 1fg)
60	Ryan Girdler (AUS) in 5 matches	(6t, 18g)

## Most World Cup Points (Current Players):

40	John Wilshere (PNG) in 7 matches	(2t, 16g)
32	Wes Naiqama (FIJ) in 3 matches	(1t, 14g)
28	Pat Richards (IRE) in 3 matches	(3t, 8g)
24	Scott Prince (AUS) in 2 matches	(2t, 8g)
24	Willie Talau (NZ, SAM) in 7 matches	(6t)
24	Jamie Peacock (ENG) in 7 matches	(6t)
22	Johnathan Thurston (AUS) in 2 matches	(11g)
22	Tony Williams (TON) in 3 matches	(1t, 9g)

## Most World Cup Tries:

13	Bob Fulton (AUS) in 15 matches
10	Wendell Sailor (AUS) in 5 matches
9	Lesley Vainikolo (NZ) in 5 matches
9	Clive Sullivan (GB, WAL) in 11 matches
7	Ian Schubert (AUS) in 4 matches
7	Richard Barnett (NZ) in 8 matches
7	Keith Fielding (ENG, GB) in 8 matches

## Most World Cup Tries (Current Players):

6	Willie Talau (NZ, SAM) in 7 matches
6	Jamie Peacock (ENG) in 7 matches
5	Akuila Uate (FIJ) in 3 matches
5	Damien Blanch (IRE) in 3 matches
5	Nigel Vagana (NZ, SAM) in 7 matches
4	Billy Slater (AUS) in 2 matches
4	Greg Inglis (AUS) in 2 matches
4	Manu Vatuvei (NZ) in 3 matches
4	Joel Monaghan (AUS) in 3 matches
4	Jerome Guisset (FRA) in 7 matches

## Most World Cup Goals:

48	Michael Cronin (AUS) in 11 matches
43	George Fairbairn (ENG, GB) in 11 matches
42	Eric Simms (AUS) in 8 matches
28	Andrew Farrell (ENG) in 9 matches
27	Mat Rogers (AUS) in 4 matches
27	Andrew Johns (AUS) in 9 matches
26	David Watkins (WAL) in 8 matches
24	Henry Paul (NZ) in 8 matches

## Most World Cup Goals (Current Players):

16	John Wilshere (PNG) in 7 matches
14	Wes Naiqama (FIJ) in 3 matches
11	Johnathan Thurston (AUS) in 2 matches
9	Tony Williams (TON) in 3 matches
8	Scott Prince (AUS) in 2 matches
8	Pat Richards (IRE) in 3 matches
8	Thomas Bosc (FRA) in 3 matches

**Most World Cup Points in a Match:**

46	Ryan Girdler (AUS) (3t, 17g)	2000 v Russia, The Boulevard	Australia won 110-4
34	Mat Rogers (AUS) (4t, 9g)	2000 v Fiji, Gateshead International Stadium	Australia won 66-8
32	Tasesa Lavea (NZ) (2t, 12g)	2000 v Cook Islands, Madejski Stadium	New Zealand won 84-10
30	Andrew Johns (AUS) (2t, 11g)	1995 v South Africa, Gateshead International Stadium	Australia won 86-6
26	John Holmes (GB) (2t, 10g)	1972 v New Zealand, Pau	Great Britain won 53-19
23	Eric Simms (AUS) (1t, 10g)	1970 v New Zealand, Central Park	Australia won 47-11
22	Pat Richards (IRE) (3t, 5g)	2008 v Samoa, Parramatta Stadium	Ireland won 34-16
22	Frederic Banquet (FRA) (1t, 9g)	2000 v South Africa, Albi Municipal Stadium	France won 56-6
22	Andrew Farrell (ENG) (1t, 9g)	2000 v Fiji, Headingley	England won 66-10
20	Stacey Jones (NZ) (2t, 6g)	2000 v Lebanon, Gloucester	New Zealand won 64-0

**Most World Cup Points in a Match (Current Players):**

22	Pat Richards (IRE) (3t, 5g)	2008 v Samoa, Parramatta Stadium	Ireland won 34-16
16	Tony Williams (TON) (1t, 6g)	2008 v Scotland, Browne Park	Tonga won 48-0
16	Manu Vatuvei (NZ) (4t)	2008 v England, EnergyAustralia Stadium	New Zealand won 36-24
16	Scott Prince (AUS) (8g)	2008 v England, Telstra Dome	Australia won 52-4
16	Darren Lockyer (AUS) (2t, 4g)	2000 v Wales, Galpharm (McAlpine) Stadium	Australia won 46-22
14	Wes Naiqama (FIJ) (1t, 5g)	2008 v Ireland, Skilled Park	Fiji won 30-14
14	Johnathan Thurston (AUS) (7g)	2008 v Papua New Guinea, Dairy Farmers Stadium	Australia won 46-6
14	Wes Naiqama (FIJ) (7g)	2008 v France, WIN Stadium	Fiji won 42-6

**Most World Cup Tries in a Match:**

4	Manu Vatuvei (NZ)	2008 v England, EnergyAustralia Stadium	New Zealand won 36-24
4	Wendell Sailor (AUS)	2000 v Russia, The Boulevard	Australia won 110-4
4	Mat Rogers (AUS)	2000 v Fiji, Gateshead International Stadium	Australia won 66-8
4	Keith Fielding (ENG)	1975 v France, Stade Chaban Delmas	England won 48-2

**Most World Cup Tries in a Match (Current Players):**

4	Manu Vatuvei (NZ)	2008 v England, EnergyAustralia Stadium	New Zealand won 36-24
3	David Williams (AUS)	2008 v Papua New Guinea, Dairy Farmers Stadium	Australia won 46-6
3	Pat Richards (IRE)	2008 v Samoa, Parramatta Stadium	Ireland won 34-16
3	Billy Slater (AUS)	2008 v England, Telstra Dome	Australia won 52-4
3	Greg Inglis (AUS)	2008 v England, Telstra Dome	Australia won 52-4
3	Akuila Uate (FIJ)	2008 v France, WIN Stadium	Fiji won 42-6
3	Damien Blanch (IRE)	2008 v Tonga, Parramatta Stadium	Tonga won 22-20
3	Lee Smith (ENG)	2008 v Papua New Guinea, Dairy Farmers Stadium	England won 32-22
3	Jamie Peacock (ENG)	2000 v Fiji, Headingley	England won 66-10
3	Kevin Sinfield (ENG)	2000 v Russia, Knowsley Road	England won 76-4

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12	Tasesa Lavea (NZ)	2000 v Cook Islands, Madejski Stadium	New Zealand won 84-10
11	Andrew Johns (AUS)	1995 v South Africa, Gateshead	Australia won 86-6
10	John Holmes (GB)	1972 v New Zealand, Pau	Great Britain won 53-19
10	Eric Simms (AUS)	1970 v New Zealand, Central Park	Australia won 47-11

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7	Johnathan Thurston (AUS)	2008 v Papua New Guinea, Dairy Farmers Stadium	Australia won 46-6
7	Wes Naiqama (FIJ)	2008 v France, WIN Stadium	Fiji won 42-6
6	Tony Williams (TON)	2008 v Scotland, Browne Park	Tonga won 48-0
6	Krisnan Inu (NZ)	2008 v Papua New Guinea, Skilled Park	New Zealand won 48-6
6	Thomas Bosc (FRA)	2008 v Scotland, Canberra Stadium	France won 36-18

**Biggest World Cup Winning Margins:**

106	Australia	110-4 v Russia at The Boulevard	November 4, 2000
80	Australia	86-6 v South Africa at Gateshead International Stadium	October 10, 1995
74	New Zealand	84-10 v Cook Islands at Madejski Stadium	November 2, 2000
72	England	76-4 v Russia at Knowsley Road	November 1, 2000
66	Australia	66-0 v Fiji at Galpharm (McAlpine) Stadium	October 14, 1995
64	New Zealand	64-0 v Lebanon at Gloucester	October 29, 2000
58	Australia	66-8 v Fiji at Gateshead International Stadium	November 1, 2000
56	Australia	66-10 v Samoa at Vicarage Road	November 11, 2000
56	England	66-10 v Fiji at Headingley	November 4, 2000
50	France	56-6 v South Africa at Albi Municipal Stadium	November 5, 2000

# Australia's World Cup Records

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	Played	Won	Lost	Drawn	Win%
England	6	3	2	1	50%
Fiji	2	2	0	0	100%
France	10	8	2	0	80%
Great Britain	11	6	4	1	54.5%
New Zealand	13	13	0	0	100%
Papua New Guinea	1	1	0	0	100%
Russia	1	1	0	0	100%
Samoa	1	1	0	0	100%
South Africa	1	1	0	0	100%
Wales	3	3	0	0	100%
<b>Totals</b>	<b>49</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>79.6%</b>

## Most World Cup Matches for Australia:

15	Bob Fulton	1968, 1970, 1972, 1975
14	Arthur Beetson	1968, 1972, 1975, 1977
11	Michael Cronin	1975, 1977
11	Graeme Langlands	1968, 1972, 1975
11	Terry Randall	1975, 1977

## Most World Cup Points for Australia:

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## Biggest World Cup Winning Margins for Australia:

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80	86-6 v South Africa at Gateshead International Stadium, October 10, 1995
66	66-0 v Fiji at Galpharm (McAlpine) Stadium, October 14, 1995
58	66-8 v Fiji at Gateshead International Stadium, November 1, 2000

## Biggest World Cup Losing Margins for Australia:

15	13-28 v Great Britain at Stade de Gerland, October 31, 1954
10	5-15 v France at Nantes, November 11, 1954
7	3-10 v Great Britain at Odsal Stadium, October 8, 1960
7	4-11 v Great Britain at Headingley, October 24, 1970

# Australia's Player Profiles

Name: **DARIUS BOYD**  
Age: 21 (17 Jul 1987)  
Position: Wing  
Current Club: Brisbane  
World Cup Games: 1  
World Cup Debut: Australia v Papua New Guinea at Dairy Farmers Stadium (Townsville, QLD), 09 Nov 2008  
World Cup Points: 0  
Tests & WC Games: 1  
Tests & WC Points: 0  
Australia - PNG 2008

Name: **TERRY CAMPESE**  
Age: 24 (04 Aug 1984)  
Position: Five Eighth  
Current Club: Canberra  
World Cup Games: 1  
World Cup Debut: Australia v Papua New Guinea at Dairy Farmers Stadium (Townsville, QLD), 09 Nov 2008  
World Cup Points: 0  
Tests & WC Games: 1  
Tests & WC Points: 0  
Australia - PNG 2008

Name: **PETERO CIVONICEVA**  
Age: 32 (21 Apr 1976)  
Position: Prop  
Current Club: Penrith  
World Cup Games: 2  
World Cup Debut: Australia v New Zealand at Sydney Football Stadium (Sydney), 26 Oct 2008  
World Cup Points: 0  
Tests & WC Games: 33  
Tests & WC Points: 8 (2t)  
Australia - NZ 2001, PNG 2001, GB (3) 2001, NZ 2003, GB (3) 2003, NZ (2) 2004, GB (3) 2004, FRA 2004, NZ (4) 2005, GB (2) 2005, FRA 2005, NZ (4) 2006, GB (2) 2006, NZ (2) 2007, NZ (2) 2008, ENG 2008

Name: **CRAIG FITZGIBBON**  
Age: 31 (16 Jun 1977)  
Position: Second Row  
Current Club: Sydney Roosters  
World Cup Games: 1  
World Cup Debut: Australia v Papua New Guinea at Dairy Farmers Stadium (Townsville, QLD), 09 Nov 2008  
World Cup Points: 0  
Tests & WC Games: 16  
Tests & WC Points: 90 (3t, 39g)  
Australia - NZ 2002, NZ 2003, GB (3) 2003, NZ 2004, GB (2) 2004, FRA 2004, NZ (4) 2005, GB (2) 2005, PNG 2008

Name: **ISRAEL FOLAU**  
Age: 19 (03 Apr 1989)  
Position: Wing  
Current Club: Melbourne  
World Cup Games: 3  
World Cup Debut: Australia v New Zealand at Sydney Football Stadium (Sydney), 26 Oct 2008  
World Cup Points: 8 (2t)  
Tests & WC Games: 5  
Tests & WC Points: 20 (5t)  
Australia - NZ 2007, NZ (2) 2008, ENG 2008, PNG 2008

Name: **PAUL GALLEN**  
Age: 27 (14 Aug 1981)  
Position: Second Row  
Current Club: Cronulla  
World Cup Games: 3  
World Cup Debut: Australia v New Zealand at Sydney Football Stadium (Sydney), 26 Oct 2008  
World Cup Points: 0  
Tests & WC Games: 4  
Australia - NZ (2) 2008, ENG 2008, PNG 2008  
Tests & WC Points: 4 (1t)

Name: **KURT GIDLEY**  
Age: 26 (07 Jun 1982)  
Position: Fullback  
Current Club: Newcastle  
World Cup Games: 1  
World Cup Debut: Australia v New Zealand at Sydney Football Stadium (Sydney), 26 Oct 2008  
World Cup Points: 0  
Tests & WC Games: 3  
Australia - NZ 2007, NZ (2) 2008  
Tests & WC Points: 2 (1g)

Name: **KARMICHAEL HUNT**  
Age: 21 (17 Nov 1986)  
Position: Fullback  
Current Club: Brisbane  
World Cup Games: 2  
World Cup Debut: Australia v England at Telstra Dome (Melbourne), 02 Nov 2008  
World Cup Points: 0  
Tests & WC Games: 9  
Australia - NZ (4) 2006, GB (2) 2006, NZ 2007, ENG 2008, PNG 2008  
Tests & WC Points: 16 (4t)

Name: **GREG INGLIS**  
Age: 21 (15 Jan 1987)  
Position: Five Eighth  
Current Club: Melbourne  
World Cup Games: 2  
World Cup Debut: Australia v New Zealand at Sydney Football Stadium (Sydney), 26 Oct 2008  
World Cup Points: 16 (4t)  
Tests & WC Games: 9  
Australia - NZ (3) 2006, GB (2) 2006, NZ 2007, NZ (2) 2008, ENG 2008  
Tests & WC Points: 44 (11t)

Name: **BRENT KITE**  
Age: 27 (07 Mar 1981)  
Position: Prop  
Current Club: Manly  
World Cup Games: 5  
World Cup Debut: Tonga v South Africa at Charlety Stadium (Paris, FRA), 28 Oct 2000  
World Cup Points: 0  
Tests & WC Games: 13 (Tonga 2, Australia 11)  
Tonga - SA 2000, FRA 2000  
Australia - NZ (3) 2006, GB (2) 2006, NZ (2) 2007, NZ (2) 2008, ENG 2008, PNG 2008  
Tests & WC Points: 0

Name: **ANTHONY LAFFRANCHI**  
Age: 27 (16 Nov 1980)  
Position: Second Row  
Current Club: Gold Coast Titans  
World Cup Games: 2  
World Cup Debut: Australia v New Zealand at Sydney Football Stadium (Sydney), 26 Oct 2008  
World Cup Points: 8 (2t)  
Tests & WC Games: 2  
Australia - NZ 2008, ENG 2008  
Tests & WC Points: 8 (2t)

Name: **DARREN LOCKYER**  
Age: 31 (24 Mar 1977)  
Position: Five Eighth  
Current Club: Brisbane  
World Cup Games: 7  
World Cup Debut: Australia v England at Twickenham (London, ENG), 28 Oct 2000  
World Cup Points: 20 (3t, 4g)  
Tests & WC Games: 43  
Australia SL - NZ 1997, GB (3) 1997  
Australia - NZ (3) 1998, NZ (3) 1999, GB 1999, NZ (2) 2000, PNG 2000, ENG 2000, FIJ 2000, SAM 2000, WAL 2000, NZ 2001, PNG 2001, GB (3) 2001, GB 2002, NZ 2002, NZ 2003, GB (3) 2003, NZ (3) 2004, FRA 2004, GB 2004, NZ (3) 2005, GB 2005, NZ (4) 2006, GB (2) 2006, NZ 2007, NZ 2008, ENG 2008  
Tests & WC Points: 184 (30t, 31g, 2fg)  
(Also played 4 matches for the Australian Super League in 1997)

Name: **JOEL MONAGHAN**  
Age: 26 (22 Apr 1982)  
Position: Centre  
Current Club: Canberra  
World Cup Games: 3  
World Cup Debut: Australia v New Zealand at Sydney Football Stadium (Sydney), 26 Oct 2008  
World Cup Points: 16 (4t)  
Tests & WC Games: 3  
Australia - NZ 2008, ENG 2008, PNG 2008  
Tests & WC Points: 16 (4t)

Name: **JOSH PERRY**  
Age: 27 (04 Feb 1981)  
Position: Prop  
Current Club: Manly  
World Cup Games: 3  
World Cup Debut: Australia v New Zealand at Sydney Football Stadium (Sydney), 26 Oct 2008  
World Cup Points: 0  
Tests & WC Games: 3  
Australia - NZ 2008, ENG 2008, PNG 2008  
Tests & WC Points: 0

Name: **STEVE PRICE**  
Age: 34 (12 Mar 1974)  
Position: Prop  
Current Club: Warriors  
World Cup Games: 3  
World Cup Debut: Australia v New Zealand at Sydney Football Stadium (Sydney), 26 Oct 2008  
World Cup Points: 0  
Tests & WC Games: 14  
Australia - NZ (2) 1998, NZ 1999, NZ 2004, NZ (4) 2005, GB 2005, FRA 2005, NZ 2007, NZ 2008, ENG 2008, PNG 2008  
Tests & WC Points: 4 (1t)

Name: **SCOTT PRINCE**  
Age: 28 (27 Feb 1980)  
Position: Halfback  
Current Club: Gold Coast Titans  
World Cup Games: 2  
World Cup Debut: Australia v England at Telstra Dome (Melbourne), 02 Nov 2008  
World Cup Points: 24 (2t, 8g)  
Tests & WC Games: 4  
Australia - GB 2005, FRA 2005, ENG 2008, PNG 2008  
Tests & WC Points: 40 (3t, 14g)

Name: **BILLY SLATER**  
Age: 25 (18 Jun 1983)  
Position: Fullback  
Current Club: Melbourne  
World Cup Games: 2  
World Cup Debut: Australia v New Zealand at Sydney Football Stadium (Sydney), 26 Oct 2008  
World Cup Points: 16 (4t)  
Tests & WC Games: 3  
Australia - NZ (2) 2008, ENG 2008  
Tests & WC Points: 16 (4t)

Name: **CAMERON SMITH**  
Age: 25 (18 Jun 1983)  
Position: Hooker  
Current Club: Melbourne  
World Cup Games: 3  
World Cup Debut: Australia v New Zealand at Sydney Football Stadium (Sydney), 26 Oct 2008  
World Cup Points: 2 (1g)  
Tests & WC Games: 11  
Australia - NZ (3) 2006, GB (2) 2006, NZ (2) 2007, NZ (2) 2008, ENG 2008, PNG 2008  
Tests & WC Points: 22 (2t, 7g)

Name: **GLENN STEWART**  
Age: 24 (11 Jan 1984)  
Position: Second Row  
Current Club: Manly  
World Cup Games: 2  
World Cup Debut: Australia v New Zealand at Sydney Football Stadium (Sydney), 26 Oct 2008  
World Cup Points: 0  
Tests & WC Games: 2  
Australia - NZ 2008, ENG 2008  
Tests & WC Points: 0

Name: **BRENT TATE**  
Age: 26 (03 Mar 1982)  
Position: Centre  
Current Club: Warriors  
World Cup Games: 3  
World Cup Debut: Australia v New Zealand at Sydney Football Stadium (Sydney), 26 Oct 2008  
World Cup Points: 0  
Tests & WC Games: 18  
Australia - GB 2002, NZ 2002, NZ 2003, NZ 2004, FRA 2004, NZ (3) 2005, GB (2) 2005, FRA 2005, GB (2) 2006, NZ 2006, NZ 2007, NZ 2008, ENG 2008, PNG 2008  
Tests & WC Points: 40 (10t)

Name: **JOHNATHAN THURSTON**  
Age: 25 (25 Apr 1983)  
Position: Halfback  
Current Club: North Queensland  
World Cup Games: 2  
World Cup Debut: Australia v New Zealand at Sydney Football Stadium (Sydney), 26 Oct 2008  
World Cup Points: 22 (11g)  
Tests & WC Games: 9  
Australia - NZ (4) 2006, GB 2006, NZ 2007, NZ (2) 2008, PNG 2008  
Tests & WC Points: 74 (37g)

Name: **ANTHONY TUPOU**  
Age: 25 (01 Mar 1983)  
Position: Second Row  
Current Club: Sydney Roosters  
World Cup Games: 3  
World Cup Debut: Australia v New Zealand at Sydney Football Stadium (Sydney), 26 Oct 2008  
World Cup Points: 4 (1t)  
Tests & WC Games: 9  
Australia - NZ (2) 2006, GB (2) 2006, NZ 2007, NZ (2) 2008, ENG 2008, PNG 2008  
Tests & WC Points: 8 (2t)

Name: **ANTHONY WATMOUGH**  
Age: 25 (10 Jul 1983)  
Position: Second Row  
Current Club: Manly  
World Cup Games: 1  
World Cup Debut: Australia v Papua New Guinea at Dairy Farmers Stadium (Townsville, QLD), 09 Nov 2008  
World Cup Points: 0  
Tests & WC Games: 1  
Australia - PNG 2008  
Tests & WC Points: 0

Name: **DAVID WILLIAMS**  
Age: 22 (04 Aug 1986)  
Position: Wing  
Current Club: Manly  
World Cup Games: 1  
World Cup Debut: Australia v Papua New Guinea at Dairy Farmers Stadium (Townsville, QLD), 09 Nov 2008  
World Cup Points: 12 (3t)  
Tests & WC Games: 1  
Australia - PNG 2008  
Tests & WC Points: 12 (3t)

# Fiji's World Cup Records

## All World Cup Matches:

	Played	Won	Lost	Drawn	Win%
Australia	2	0	2	0	0%
England	2	0	2	0	0%
France	1	1	0	0	100%
Ireland	1	1	0	0	100%
Russia	1	1	0	0	100%
Scotland	1	0	1	0	0%
South Africa	1	1	0	0	100%
<b>Totals</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>44.4%</b>

## Most World Cup Matches for Fiji:

6	Waisale Sovatabua	1995, 2000
5	Semi Tadulala	2000, 2008
5	Sam Marayawa	1995, 2000

## Most World Cup Points for Fiji:

32	Wes Naiqama in 3 matches	(1t, 14g)
26	Lote Tuqiri in 3 matches	(4t, 5g)
20	Akuila Uate in 3 matches	(5t)
14	Atunasia Vunivialu in 3 matches	(3t, 1g)
12	Jarryd Hayne in 3 matches	(3t)
12	Waisale Sovatabua in 6 matches	(3t)

## Most World Cup Tries for Fiji:

5	Akuila Uate in 3 matches
4	Lote Tuqiri in 3 matches
3	Jarryd Hayne in 3 matches
3	Atunasia Vunivialu in 3 matches
3	Waisale Sovatabua in 6 matches

## Most World Cup Goals for Fiji:

14	Wes Naiqama in 3 matches
5	Lote Tuqiri in 3 matches

## Most World Cup Points for Fiji in a Match:

18	Lote Tuqiri (2t, 5g)	2000 v Russia, Craven Park	Fiji won 38-12
14	Wes Naiqama (1t, 5g)	2008 v Ireland, Skilled Park	Fiji won 30-14
14	Wes Naiqama (7g)	2008 v France, WIN Stadium	Fiji won 42-6
12	Akuila Uate (3t)	2008 v France, WIN Stadium	Fiji won 42-6
12	Atunasia Vunivialu (3t)	2000 v Russia, Craven Park	Fiji won 38-12

## Most World Cup Tries for Fiji in a Match:

3	Akuila Uate	2008 v France, WIN Stadium	Fiji won 42-6
3	Atunasia Vunivialu	2000 v Russia, Craven Park	Fiji won 38-12

## Most World Cup Goals for Fiji in a Match:

7	Wes Naiqama	2008 v France, WIN Stadium	Fiji won 42-6
5	Wes Naiqama	2008 v Ireland, Skilled Park	Fiji won 30-14
5	Lote Tuqiri	2000 v Russia, Craven Park	Fiji won 38-12

## Biggest World Cup Winning Margins for Fiji:

46	52-6 v South Africa at Cougar Park Keighley, October 8, 1995
36	42-6 v France at WIN Stadium, November 1, 2008
26	38-12 v Russia at Craven Park, October 29, 2000
16	30-14 v Ireland at Skilled Park, November 10, 2008

## Biggest World Cup Losing Margins for Fiji:

66	0-66 v Australia at Galpharm (McAlpine) Stadium, October 14, 1995
58	8-66 v Australia at Gateshead International Stadium, November 1, 2000
56	10-66 v England at Headingley, November 4, 2000
46	0-46 v England at Central Park, October 11, 1995

# Fiji's Player Profiles

Name: **NICK BRADLEY-QALILAWA**  
Age: 28 (28 Mar 1980)  
Position: Centre  
Current Club: Manly  
World Cup Games: 3  
World Cup Debut: Fiji v France at WIN Stadium (Wollongong, NSW), 01 Nov 2008  
World Cup Points: 0  
Tests & WC Games: 3  
Tests & WC Points: 0  
Fiji - FRA 2008, SCO 2008, IRE 2008

Name: **JAYSON BUKUYA**  
Age: 19 (21 Apr 1989)  
Position: Centre  
Current Club: Cronulla  
World Cup Games: 3  
World Cup Debut: Fiji v France at WIN Stadium (Wollongong, NSW), 01 Nov 2008  
World Cup Points: 8 (2t)  
Tests & WC Games: 3  
Tests & WC Points: 8 (2t)  
Fiji - FRA 2008, SCO 2008, IRE 2008

Name: **IOWANE DIVAVESI**  
Age: 28 (13 Jul 1980)  
Position: Prop  
Current Club: Terrigal Sharks  
World Cup Games: 2  
World Cup Debut: Fiji v France at WIN Stadium (Wollongong, NSW), 01 Nov 2008  
World Cup Points: 4 (1t)  
Tests & WC Games: 2  
Tests & WC Points: 4 (1t)  
Fiji - FRA 2008, SCO 2008

Name: **AARON GROOM**  
Age: 21 (23 Jun 1987)  
Position: Halfback  
Current Club: Bulldogs  
World Cup Games: 3  
World Cup Debut: Fiji v France at WIN Stadium (Wollongong, NSW), 01 Nov 2008  
World Cup Points: 0  
Tests & WC Games: 3  
Tests & WC Points: 0  
Fiji - FRA 2008, SCO 2008, IRE 2008

Name: **JARRYD HAYNE**  
Age: 20 (15 Feb 1988)  
Position: Wing  
Current Club: Parramatta  
World Cup Games: 3  
World Cup Debut: Fiji v France at WIN Stadium (Wollongong, NSW), 01 Nov 2008  
World Cup Points: 12 (3t)  
Tests & WC Games: 4 (Australia 1, Fiji 3)  
Tests & WC Points: 16 (4t)  
Australia - NZ 2007  
Australia 4 (1t)  
Fiji 12 (3t)  
Fiji - FRA 2008, SCO 2008, IRE 2008

Name: SEVANAIA KOROI  
Age: 28 (26 May 1980)  
Position: Centre  
Current Club: West Magpies  
World Cup Games: 3  
World Cup Debut: Fiji v France at WIN Stadium (Wollongong, NSW), 01 Nov 2008  
World Cup Points: 0  
Tests & WC Games: 3  
Fiji - FRA 2008, SCO 2008, IRE 2008  
Tests & WC Points: 0

Name: JOSUA KOROIBULU  
Age: 26 (13 Mar 1982)  
Position: Second Row  
Current Club: Milton Ulladulla Bulldogs  
World Cup Games: Yet to make debut  
Tests & WC Games: Yet to make debut

Name: JONE MACILAI  
Age: 25 (03 May 1983)  
Position: Centre  
Current Club: Fassifern Bombers RLFC QLD  
World Cup Games: 1  
World Cup Debut: Fiji v Scotland at Bluetongue Stadium (Gosford), 05 Nov 2008  
World Cup Points: 0  
Tests & WC Games: 1  
Fiji - SCO 2008  
Tests & WC Points: 0

Name: DARYL MILLARD  
Age: 23 (20 Feb 1985)  
Position: Centre  
Current Club: Bulldogs  
World Cup Games: 2  
World Cup Debut: Fiji v France at WIN Stadium (Wollongong, NSW), 01 Nov 2008  
World Cup Points: 0  
Tests & WC Games: 2  
Fiji - FRA 2008, IRE 2008  
Tests & WC Points: 0

Name: WES NAIQAMA  
Age: 26 (19 Oct 1982)  
Position: Wing  
Current Club: Newcastle  
World Cup Games: 3  
World Cup Debut: Fiji v France at WIN Stadium (Wollongong, NSW), 01 Nov 2008  
World Cup Points: 32 (1t, 14g)  
Tests & WC Games: 3  
Fiji - FRA 2008, SCO 2008, IRE 2008  
Tests & WC Points: 32 (1t, 14g)

Name: VULA NAQAU  
Age: 23 (16 Aug 1985)  
Position: Centre  
Current Club: Terrigal Sharks  
World Cup Games: 1  
World Cup Debut: Fiji v Ireland at Skilled Park (Robina, QLD), 10 Nov 2008  
World Cup Points: 0  
Tests & WC Games: 1  
Fiji - IRE 2008  
Tests & WC Points: 0

Name: **KALIOVA NAUQE**  
Age: 23 (07 May 1985)  
Position: Halfback  
Current Club: Fassifern Bombers RLFC QLD  
World Cup Games: 1  
World Cup Debut: Fiji v Scotland at Bluetongue Stadium (Gosford), 05 Nov 2008  
World Cup Points: 0  
Tests & WC Games: 1  
Fiji - SCO 2008  
Tests & WC Points: 0

Name: **ALIPATE NOILEA**  
Age: 25 (21 Jan 1983)  
Position: Halfback  
Current Club: Parkes Spacemen  
World Cup Games: 2  
World Cup Debut: Fiji v France at WIN Stadium (Wollongong, NSW), 01 Nov 2008  
World Cup Points: 0  
Tests & WC Games: 2  
Fiji - FRA 2008, IRE 2008  
Tests & WC Points: 0

Name: **JOSATEKI RAVUETA**  
Age: 22 (28 Feb 1986)  
Position: Centre  
Current Club: Sawtell Panthers  
World Cup Games: Yet to make debut  
Tests & WC Games: Yet to make debut

Name: **OSEA SADRAU**  
Age: 22 (24 Apr 1986)  
Position: Lock  
Current Club: Fassifern RLFC QLD  
World Cup Games: 3  
World Cup Debut: Fiji v France at WIN Stadium (Wollongong, NSW), 01 Nov 2008  
World Cup Points: 0  
Tests & WC Games: 3  
Fiji - FRA 2008, SCO 2008, IRE 2008  
Tests & WC Points: 0

Name: **ASHTON SIMS**  
Age: 23 (26 Feb 1985)  
Position: Second Row  
Current Club: Brisbane  
World Cup Games: 3  
World Cup Debut: Fiji v France at WIN Stadium (Wollongong, NSW), 01 Nov 2008  
World Cup Points: 0  
Tests & WC Games: 3  
Fiji - FRA 2008, SCO 2008, IRE 2008  
Tests & WC Points: 0

Name: **JAMES STORER**  
Age: 26 (16 Feb 1982)  
Position: Hooker  
Current Club: Cronulla Sharks  
World Cup Games: 2  
World Cup Debut: Fiji v France at WIN Stadium (Wollongong, NSW), 01 Nov 2008  
World Cup Points: 0  
Tests & WC Games: 2  
Fiji - FRA 2008, IRE 2008  
Tests & WC Points: 0

Name: **WAISALE SUKANAVEITA**  
Age: 24 (19 Jul 1984)  
Position: Hooker  
Current Club: Terrigal Sharks  
World Cup Games: 3  
World Cup Debut: Fiji v France at WIN Stadium (Wollongong, NSW), 01 Nov 2008  
World Cup Points: 0  
Tests & WC Games: 3  
Fiji - FRA 2008, SCO 2008, IRE 2008  
Tests & WC Points: 0

Name: **SEMI TADULALA**  
Age: 29 (03 Mar 1979)  
Position: Wing  
Current Club: Bradford Bulls  
World Cup Games: 5  
World Cup Debut: Fiji v Russia at Craven Park (Barrow, ENG), 29 Oct 2000  
World Cup Points: 8 (2t)  
Tests & WC Games: 5  
Fiji - RUS 2000, AUS 2000, FRA 2008, SCO 2008, IRE 2008  
Tests & WC Points: 8 (2t)

Name: **SEMISI TORA**  
Age: 29 (28 Jan 1979)  
Position: Lock  
Current Club: Parkes Spacemen  
World Cup Games: 3  
World Cup Debut: Fiji v France at WIN Stadium (Wollongong, NSW), 01 Nov 2008  
World Cup Points: 4 (1t)  
Tests & WC Games: 3  
Fiji - FRA 2008, SCO 2008, IRE 2008  
Tests & WC Points: 4 (1t)

Name: **MALAKAI TUILOA**  
Age: 25 (29 Jan 1983)  
Position: Second Row  
Current Club: Milton Ulladulla Bulldogs  
World Cup Games: Yet to make debut  
Tests & WC Games: Yet to make debut

Name: **AKUILA UATE**  
Age: 21 (06 Oct 1987)  
Position: Wing  
Current Club: Newcastle  
World Cup Games: 3  
World Cup Debut: Fiji v France at WIN Stadium (Wollongong, NSW), 01 Nov 2008  
World Cup Points: 20 (5t)  
Tests & WC Games: 3  
Fiji - FRA 2008, SCO 2008, IRE 2008  
Tests & WC Points: 20 (5t)

Name: **SUGUTURAGA NEMANI VALEKAPA**  
Age: 22 (24 Sep 1986)  
Position: Five Eighth  
Current Club: Nabua Broncos  
World Cup Games: Yet to make debut  
Tests & WC Games: Yet to make debut

Name: **ILISONI VONOMATEIRATU**  
Age: 16 (05 Dec 1991)  
Position: Prop  
Current Club: Lautoka Crushers  
World Cup Games: 3  
World Cup Debut: Fiji v France at WIN Stadium (Wollongong, NSW), 01 Nov 2008  
World Cup Points: 0  
Tests & WC Games: 3  
Fiji - FRA 2008, SCO 2008, IRE 2008  
Tests & WC Points: 0

Name: **JONE WESELE**  
Age: 26 (13 Apr 1982)  
Position: Second Row  
Current Club: Darlington Point  
World Cup Games: 1  
World Cup Debut: Fiji v Scotland at Bluetongue Stadium (Gosford), 05 Nov 2008  
World Cup Points: 0  
Tests & WC Games: 1  
Fiji - SCO 2008  
Tests & WC Points: 0

## Australia's World Cup Squad Playing Positions in all Tests since 2005

Australia	2008				2007		2006						2005						
	9-Nov	2-Nov	26-Oct	9-May	14-Oct	20-Apr	25-Nov	18-Nov	4-Nov	21-Oct	14-Oct	5-May	27-Nov	20-Nov	13-Nov	6-Nov	21-Oct	15-Oct	22-Apr
	PNG	ENG	NZ	NZ	NZ	NZ	NZ	GB	GB	NZ	NZ	NZ	NZ	GB	FRA	GB	NZ	NZ	NZ
	Win	Win	Win	Win	Win	Win	Win	Win	Loss	Win	Win	Win	Loss	Win	Win	Win	Win	Loss	Win
Darius Boyd	W	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Terry Campese	FE	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Petero Civoniceva	-	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	I	P	P	P	P
Craig Fitzgibbon	L	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	SR	SR	-	SR	SR	SR	SR
Israel Folau	I	C	C <sup>2</sup>	W <sup>1</sup>	W <sup>2</sup>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Paul Gallen	I	L	L	SR <sup>1</sup>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Kurt Gidley	-	-	I	I	I	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Karmichael Hunt	FB	I	-	-	-	FB <sup>1</sup>	FB	FB <sup>1</sup>	FB	FB	FB <sup>2</sup>	FB	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Greg Inglis	-	C <sup>3</sup>	C <sup>1</sup>	W	C <sup>3</sup>	-	W	W	W <sup>1</sup>	W <sup>2</sup>	W <sup>1</sup>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Brent Kite	P	I	I	P	I	P	P	P	I	I	I	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Anthony Laffranchi	-	SR <sup>2</sup>	SR	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Darren Lockyer	-	FE	FE	-	-	FE <sup>1</sup>	FE <sup>1</sup>	FE <sup>1</sup>	FE <sup>1</sup>	FE	FE	FE <sup>2</sup>	-	-	-	FE	FE <sup>2</sup>	FE	FE <sup>1</sup>
Joel Monaghan	C <sup>2</sup>	W <sup>1</sup>	W <sup>1</sup>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Josh Perry	P	I	I	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Steve Price	I	P	P	-	P <sup>1</sup>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	I	-	I	P	P	P	P
Scott Prince	I <sup>2</sup>	HB	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	FE <sup>1</sup>	HB	-	-	-
Billy Slater	-	FB <sup>3</sup>	FB <sup>1</sup>	FB	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cameron Smith	H	H	H	H <sup>1</sup>	H <sup>1</sup>	H	H	H	I	H	H	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Glenn Stewart	-	SR	SR	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Brent Tate	C	W	W	-	-	W <sup>1</sup>	W <sup>1</sup>	W <sup>1</sup>	W	-	-	-	W	W <sup>1</sup>	W	W	W	W	C <sup>2</sup>
Johnathan Thurston	HB	-	HB	HB	-	HB	HB	HB	-	HB	HB	I	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Anthony Tupou	SR <sup>1</sup>	I	I	I	-	I	I	I <sup>1</sup>	I	I	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Anthony Watmough	SR	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
David Williams	W <sup>3</sup>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

\*Note: Numbers next to a position represent how many tries were scored by that player in the match.

## Australia & Fiji's Last Weeks Player Stats

**Australia 46** (Williams 3, Monaghan 2, Prince 2, Tupou tries; Thurston 7 goals) def. **Papua New Guinea 6** (Yere try; Wilshire goal) at Dairy Farmers Stadium. Halftime: Australia 22-0. Referee: Steve Ganson. Crowd: 16,239.

**Fiji 30** (Uate 2, Bukuya, Hayne, Naiqama tries; Naiqama 5 goals) def. **Ireland 14** (Blanch 2, Grix tries; Richards goal) at Skilled Park. Half-time: Fiji 12-10. Referee: Ashley Klein (ENG). Crowd: 8,224.

AUSTRALIA	Min	TA	LB	R	M	O	TB	T	MT
K. Hunt	80	1	-	11	123	-	1	5	1
D. Boyd	80	1	1	11	115	1	8	4	-
B. Tate	80	2	-	9	74	1	4	25	-
J. Monaghan	80	-	3	12	87	6	7	15	1
D. Williams	80	-	4	8	193	-	6	5	-
T. Campese	22	-	-	2	17	1	-	10	-
J. Thurston	80	3	-	5	29	-	-	14	1
B. Kite	61	-	-	13	129	2	3	24	2
C. Smith	60	-	-	5	61	-	1	18	2
J. Perry	39	-	-	11	98	1	1	13	1
A. Watmough	74	-	1	17	202	-	6	15	3
A. Tupou	59	-	1	7	54	-	2	24	1
C. Fitzgibbon	71	-	-	10	75	-	1	26	1
S. Prince	58	-	1	4	38	-	1	17	-
S. Price	49	-	-	16	128	1	2	12	2
P. Gallen	47	-	-	9	78	3	2	17	1
I. Folau	20	-	2	4	78	-	6	-	-

FIJI	Min	TA	LB	R	M	O	TB	T	MT
J. Hayne	80	-	-	18	171	1	11	4	3
S. Tadulala	80	-	-	17	134	1	4	7	-
W. Naiqama	80	1	1	9	114	-	6	15	-
D. Millard	80	-	-	10	76	1	1	10	1
A. Uate	80	-	3	10	108	-	5	3	-
A. Noilea	80	-	1	11	110	2	3	13	3
A. Groom	80	1	1	7	67	-	4	24	2
O. Sadrau	43	-	-	9	79	1	1	11	2
W. Sukanaveita	66	-	1	13	143	3	4	17	2
I. Vonomateiratu	34	-	-	8	83	-	-	14	1
A. Sims	65	-	-	12	111	-	2	15	1
S. Koroi	47	-	-	11	86	-	2	19	2
J. Bukuya	70	-	1	10	99	1	1	17	1
J. Storer	54	-	1	8	84	-	7	17	2
N. Bradley-Qalilawa	45	-	-	7	45	-	3	14	3
S. Tora	35	-	-	6	35	-	-	16	3
V. Naqau	21	-	-	3	25	-	-	8	2

\*Min=Minutes Played; TA=Try Assists; LB=Line Breaks; R=Runs; M=Run Metres; O=Offloads; TB=Tackle Busts; T=Tackles; MT=Missed Tackles

# Tournament Stats Leaders (After Preliminary Matches)

Point Scorers	T	G	FG	PTS
Wes Naiqama (FIJ)	1	14	0	32
Pat Richards (IRE)	3	8	0	28
Scott Prince (AUS)	2	8	0	24
Johnathan Thurston (AUS)	0	11	0	22
Tony Williams (TON)	1	9	0	22
Damien Blanch (IRE)	5	0	0	20
Akuila Uate (FIJ)	5	0	0	20
Ben Roberts (SAM)	1	7	0	18

Leading Goal Kicker	G	A	%
Wes Naiqama (FIJ)	14	20	70.0%
Johnathan Thurston (AUS)	11	13	84.6%
Tony Williams (TON)	9	9	100.0%
Scott Prince (AUS)	8	10	80.0%
Thomas Bosc (FRA)	8	9	88.9%
Pat Richards (IRE)	8	18	44.4%
Ben Roberts (SAM)	7	13	53.8%
Danny Brough (SCO)	6	6	100.0%

Try Scorers	
Akuila Uate (FIJ)	5
Damien Blanch (IRE)	5
Joel Monaghan (AUS)	4
Billy Slater (AUS)	4
Manu Vatuvei (NZ)	4
Greg Inglis (AUS)	4

Most Linebreaks	
Akuila Uate (FIJ)	10
Joel Monaghan (AUS)	6
Israel Folau (AUS)	5
Manu Vatuvei (NZ)	5
Damien Blanch (IRE)	5
Francis Meli (SAM)	5
Michael Jennings (TON)	5

Offloads	
Joel Monaghan (AUS)	8
Scott Logan (SCO)	8
Feleti Mateo (TON)	8
Paul Aiton (PNG)	7
Paul Gallen (AUS)	7
Adam Blair (NZ)	7
James Graham (ENG)	6

Tackle Busts	
Jarryd Hayne (FIJ)	34
Akuila Uate (FIJ)	27
Michael Jennings (TON)	24
Matthew Utai (SAM)	21
Tevita Leo-Latu (TON)	20
Cooper Vuna (TON)	18
Willie Manu (TON)	18
Israel Folau (AUS)	18

LB Assists	
Johnathan Thurston (AUS)	5
Wes Naiqama (FIJ)	4
Brent Tate (AUS)	3
Benji Marshall (NZ)	3
Lance Hohaia (NZ)	3
George Carmont (SAM)	3

Try Assists	
Johnathan Thurston (AUS)	4
Lance Hohaia (NZ)	3
Liam Finn (IRE)	3
Scott Grix (IRE)	3

Total Runs	
Ryan Tandy (IRE)	53
Steve Price (AUS)	49
Jarryd Hayne (FIJ)	46
Michael Robertson (SCO)	46
Semi Tadulala (FIJ)	45
Lance Hohaia (NZ)	43
Brent Kite (AUS)	42
Paul Wellens (ENG)	42
Smith Samau (SAM)	41
John Wilshere (PNG)	41

Total Run Metres	
Jarryd Hayne (FIJ)	628
Akuila Uate (FIJ)	535
Michael Jennings (TON)	452
Michael Robertson (SCO)	448
Steve Price (AUS)	433
Ryan Tandy (IRE)	417
Tony Williams (TON)	388
Cooper Vuna (TON)	385
Manu Vatuvei (NZ)	385
Israel Folau (AUS)	377

Top Tacklers	
Harrison Hansen (SAM)	109
Simon Finnigan (IRE)	107
Lee Doran (IRE)	102
Jamie Peacock (ENG)	98
Ian Henderson (SCO)	95
Kevin Sinfield (ENG)	94
Cameron Smith (AUS)	92
Christophe Moly (FRA)	86
Paul Aiton (PNG)	86
Jeremy Smith (NZ)	84

## POOL 1

Pos	Team	P	W	D	L	F	A	PD	Pts
1	Australia	3	3	0	0	128	16	112	6
2	New Zealand	3	2	0	1	90	60	30	4
3	England	3	1	0	2	60	110	-50	2
4	Papua New Guinea	3	0	0	3	34	126	-92	0

No.	Date	Match			Venue	Crowd
1	Sat 25-Oct-08	England	32-22	Papua New Guinea	Dairy Farmers Std, Townsville	10,780
3	Sun 26-Oct-08	Australia	30-6	New Zealand	Sydney Football Std	34,157
7	Sat 1-Nov-08	New Zealand	48-6	Papua New Guinea	Skilled Std, Gold Coast	11,278
8	Sun 2-Nov-08	Australia	52-4	England	Telstra Dome, Melbourne	36,297
12	Sat 8-Nov-08	England	24-36	New Zealand	EnergyAustralia Std, Newcastle	15,145
14	Sun 9-Nov-08	Papua New Guinea	6-46	Australia	Dairy Farmers Std, Townsville	16,239

## POOL 2

Pos	Team	P	W	D	L	F	A	PD	Pts
1	Fiji	2	1	0	1	58	24	34	2
2	Scotland	2	1	0	1	36	52	-16	2
3	France	2	1	0	1	42	60	-18	2

No.	Date	Match			Venue	Crowd
2	Sun 26-Oct-08	Scotland	18-36	France	Canberra Std	9,287
6	Sat 1-Nov-08	Fiji	42-6	France	WIN Std, Wollongong	9,213
9	Wed 5-Nov-08	Scotland	18-16	Fiji	Bluetongue Std, Gosford	9,720

## POOL 3

Pos	Team	P	W	D	L	F	A	PD	Pts
1	Ireland	2	1	0	1	54	38	16	2
2	Tonga	2	1	0	1	34	40	-6	2
3	Samoa	2	1	0	1	36	46	-10	2

No.	Date	Match			Venue	Crowd
4	Mon 27-Oct-08	Tonga	22-20	Ireland	Parramatta Std	6,165
5	Fri 31-Oct-08	Samoa	20-12	Tonga	CUA Std, Penrith	11,787
10	Wed 5-Nov-08	Ireland	34-16	Samoa	Parramatta Std	8,602

No.	Date	Match			Venue	KO/Crowd
11	Sat 8-Nov-08	(P2-2nd) Scotland	0-48	Tonga (P3-2nd)	Browne Park, Rockhampton	5,913
13	Sun 9-Nov-08	(P2-3rd) France	10-42	Samoa (P3-3rd)	CUA Std, Penrith	8,028
15	Mon 10-Nov-08	(P2-1st) Fiji	30-14	Ireland (P3-1st)	Skilled Std, Gold Coast	8,224
16	Sat 15-Nov-08	(P1-2nd) New Zealand	v	England (P1-3rd)	Suncorp Std, Brisbane	18:55
17	Sun 16-Nov-08	(P1-1st) Australia	v	Fiji	Sydney Football Std	19:55
18	Sat 22-Nov-08	Winner No. 16	v	Winner No. 17	Suncorp Std, Brisbane	18:55