

UNITED BHARAT

TEAM INDIA AT
WORLD CUP 2023

India's
World Cup 2023
performance was
not as much about
winning every match
as it was about a
Bharat stating
'I have arrived!'

adani

“Team India, you may not have won the 2023 World Cup final. But your undying spirit and exceptional performance has inspired a generation.

Rohit, Shami, Virat, your efforts extended beyond the scoreboard.

One stumble does not halt our progress; it is a lesson that steels our resolve for future endeavours.

This World Cup showcased India’s cricketing dominance (10/11). And the emergence of a new era of confidence. A single day cannot define us.

Jai Hind!”

Gautam Adani

‘10-1’

**Ten matches won.
One match lost.**

Yaad rahega.

With pride.



Team	Won	Lost
India	10	1
Australia	9	2
South Africa	7	3
New Zealand	5	5
Pakistan	4	5

Team	Won	Lost
Afghanistan	4	5
England	3	6
Bangladesh	2	7
Sri Lanka	2	7
Netherlands	2	7

In the movie Rocky and Rani's Love Story, Rani (played by Alia Bhat) gazes at Rocky (portrayed by Ranveer Singh) in amazement and asks, 'Tu kyaaaaa hai?'

This could be said for every player of India's World Cup cricket team in 2023.

This team embodies the spirit of Bharat. The heartland of our country beyond the metropolitan cities.

This team reflects India's essence. The boldness of its youth. Its towering aspirations. The understanding that it is not sufficient to be fleetingly good, but consistently extraordinary.

This 15-member team reflects the spirit of India's youth that will define the country's next several decades.

An 11-0 record would have been perfect.

But '10-1' is also a victory.

That will be etched in our minds forever.



This is what people **complain** about

India lost T20 World Cup final, 2014

India lost World Cup semi-final, 2015

India lost T20 World Cup semi-final, 2016

India lost Champions Trophy final, 2017

India lost World Cup semi-final, 2019

India lost World Test Championship final, 2021

India lost T20 World Cup semi-final, 2022

India lost WTC final, 2023

India lost World Cup final, 2023

This is
what all of
us **need to**
celebrate

#1

Ranked ICC
Test team

#1

Ranked ICC
ODI team

#1

Ranked ICC
T20 team

**Abhi isi
waqt.
Across
Bharat...**



A family requests relatives: 'We cannot afford to bring up our son. Can you raise him instead?'

A father writes an arzi: 'We will not be able to afford the school fees. Can you permit our son to study free?'

A father tells his son 'Beta, I have failed you. I will not be able to afford private cricket coaching.'

A brick kiln owner's son asks his father for the smartphone. 'Shane Warne ki video dekh-dekh ke India ke liye ek din kheloonga!'

Two brothers ask the team captain: 'How much will you pay per match? Ghar ma paisa ni sakkhat jaroorat chhey.'

A mother tells her son after she has lost her husband: 'Tu ghabra mat! Main hoon na!'

A mother asks: 'Ek hi to kamraa hai. Yeh kit bag kahaan rakkhenge.'

A mother asks her son: 'Tu Mumbai practice karne ja rahaa hain. Jaane me teen ghante, aane me teen ghante. Beta, raaste me khaayega kya?'

A seven-year-old asks when he sees a number of people weeping at home: 'Papa ko kya hua, maa?'

A father tells his son: 'Main auto rickshaw chalaata hoon. Kitne din mere aamdani se ghar chalega?'

A young man instructs his mother: 'Tu creditor ne kahi dajay hoon paanch divas thi ghar aaiyvo nathi.'

A boy is apprehended bunking school to play cricket. The pronouncement: 'Bigad gaya! Tere liye koi future nahi!'



**‘Tere andar
ka lava phatt
ke baahar aa
jaane de!’**

Film ‘Gully Boy’

Wipro Surya Kumar Yadav

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Naya India

Born of a middle-class grit to do whatever it takes

Rohit Sharma: Father worked as a caretaker of a transport firm storehouse. Sharma was raised by his grandparents and uncles due to a low family income. Visited his parents only during weekends. Joined a cricket camp, funded by his uncle. Was asked to switch schools by his coach; since the family could not afford it, he was given a free-ship.

Hardik Pandya: His father shut his business and moved to Vadodara to support the cricket training of his sons. The family passing through a financial crisis forged a 'never say die' attitude in Hardik. The father took up odd jobs but suffered two heart attacks one night. Hardik's brother and he played different tournaments commercially to earn for the family. When he received a Rs 50 lakh cheque from Mumbai Indians in 2015, the first thing he did was liquidate unpaid car purchase instalments.

Shubman Gill: Comes from Chak Jaimal Singh Wala village in Fazilka district near the Pakistan border. His father created

a cricket ground in the farm for him to practice; he challenged villagers with Rs 100 to get his son out. Started playing cricket from the age of 3; slept with his bat and ball. The family left farming and moved to Mohali to help Shubman become a professional cricketer.

Virat Kohli: Began to play cricket at 3 when his father would bowl to him. First attracted his coach's attention on account of the accuracy and power of his throwing. Was reportedly sidelined from the under-14 Delhi team for reasons other than cricket. Attracted his coach's respect for his willingness to bat at any position; he had to be coerced to stop training and go home. The passing away of his father matured him faster.

Shreyas Iyer: Was 4 years old when his father started his batting practice. In 2009, his performance declined. His father took him to a psychologist. The sessions calmed him and he regained confidence.

KL Rahul: His father wanted to name him Rohan (after Sunil Gavaskar's son), but mistook the name for Rahul.

Ravindra Jadeja: His father's dream was that his son should join the Army. His family lived in a one-room flat.

Shardul Thakur: Often commuted 100 kms from Palgarh to Mumbai with his cricket kit to practice.

Jasprit Bumrah: His father worked as a driver. Honed his cricket in the neighborhood bylanes. Lost his father at 7. Found unexpected support for his game from his mother.

Mohammed Siraj: His father was an auto rickshaw driver, mother a homemaker. Could not afford cricket coaching.

Kuldeep Yadav: Born in Unnao, son of a brick kiln owner. Modelled himself after Shane Warne (based on YouTube videos). Contemplated suicide when not selected in the Uttar Pradesh under-15 team.

Mohammed Shami: Grew up in Sahaspur village (Amroha). Never took a day off from training. Was advised to move to Kolkata following his exclusion from the under-19 team due to reasons other than cricket. After matches he would bowl with used balls to develop a reverse swing.

Ishan Kishan: Comes from Bodh Gaya. Skipped classes to play cricket. Would throw his mark sheets outside the school bus to avoid censure. Practiced morning and evening. Made his debut for Jharkhand against Odisha at the age of 15 in 2014 (scored 60).

Suryakumar Yadav: Learned cricket on the streets of Chembur.

R. Ashwin: Transitioned from medium pace to off spin.

Bharat.

Future of India

The India that lives outside its metropolitan and Tier-1 cities.

The India that would be the second largest 'standalone' country by population.

The India that is passing through an unprecedented social transformation.

The India that is finding an equal platform to compete on after centuries – finally.

The India that is rewiring itself faster than any other country.

The India that is hungrier than ever.

The India that is poised to transform not just the country.

But the world.



**These
stories of
Bharat may
appear
ordinary.
They are
not.**

**The world's
strongest
cricket
movement
is being
seeded by
this **Bharat.****

**Team India
is the Indian
middle-class
dream.**

**In action.
In reality.**

Of possessing no identity.
But working hardest.

Of coming from nowhere.
But building a legacy.

Of being overlooked.
But fighting back.

Of being drawn from diverse backgrounds.
But uniting as one.



Possessing
no identity.
But working
hardest.

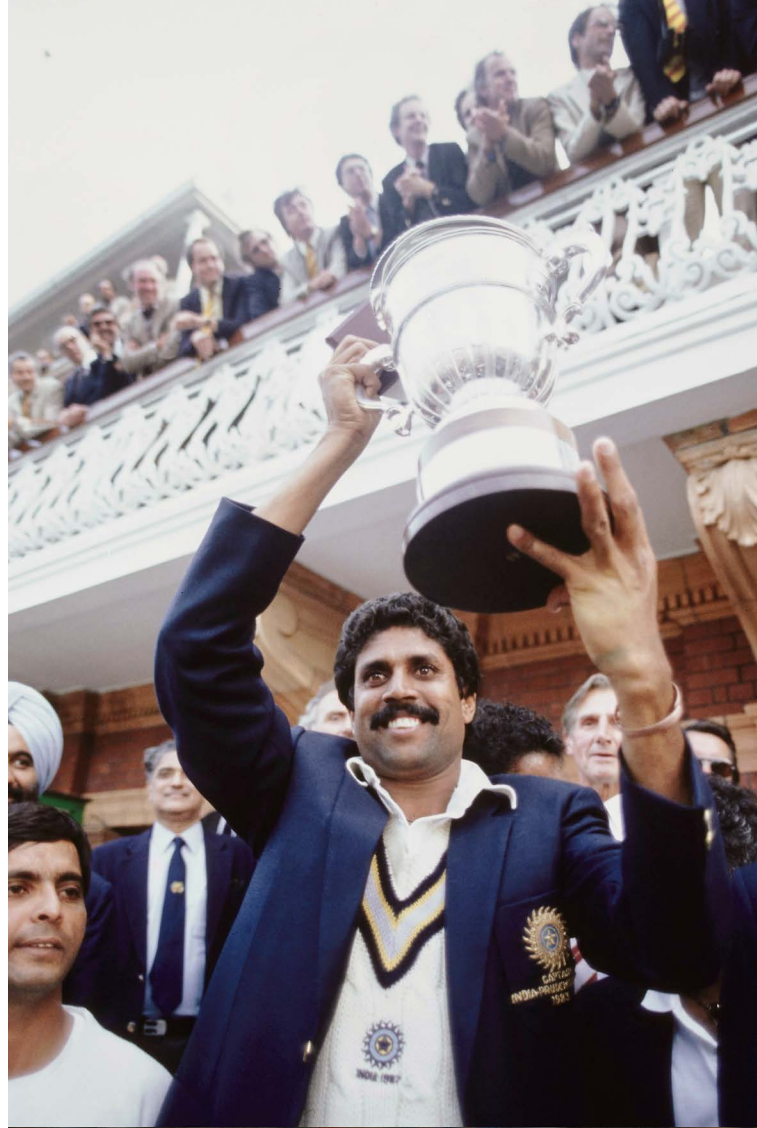
Perspective

World Cups and India.

Connecting the
past, present and
future of a timeless
civilization

A moment
etched in the
memory of an
inspiring nation.
Kapil Dev with
the World Cup

1983



That final
decisive
Dhoni shot
that got India
the World
Cup

2011



A few months ago, Sunil Gavaskar was interviewed on the most memorable moments of his life.

He mentioned two.

He said he would never forget the moment when Kapil Dev walked up to receive the Prudential Cup at Lord's in 1983.

He also mentioned that he would never forget the straight six by MS Dhoni, his frozen bat in the air and then the bat's twirling, signalling the successful completion of another day at the office - winning the World Cup in 2011.

Of all the thousands of moments that Gavaskar experienced through his rich life, he selected two World Cup winning moments as his most memorable.

Not Test victories, but World Cup victories.

Cricket is India's national expression; no other form of engagement comes close; no peace-time subject evokes as extensive an agreement; no peace-time activity generates as large a following in any one country.

Those who were at the Wankhede Stadium on 2 April 2011 will never forget the echo of Vande Mataram while Dhoni was batting.

Around 65,000 spectators. A collective voice chanting a quasi-anthem.

This lifted India's game; this gave the occasion a sense of history; this wired those in the stadium with millions of Indians who had lived before them, millions living during their time and millions to follow.

In that one aural moment those in the stadium were synced with the past, present and future of a timeless civilization.

It was **World Cup**
cricket that **did it.**

Republic of Team India

One thing stood out. Inclusiveness.

The Indian team represented a laboratory beaker of different classes, castes, cultures and communities.

Rohit Sharma is a Telugu-Marathi.

Shreyash Iyer's ancestors are from Kerala, but he hails from Maharashtra.

KL Rahul is Mangalorean.

Hardik Pandya is Gujarati.

Surya Kumar and **Kuldeep** are Yadavs from Uttar Pradesh.

R. Ashwin is a Tamil Brahmin.

Ravindra Jadeja and **Shardul Thakur** are Rajputs (but play for different States).

Mohammed Siraj is from Telangana. **Ishan Kishan** is from Bihar.

Mohammad Shami comes from Uttar Pradesh (but plays for Bengal).

Virat Kohli is a Punjabi who plays for Delhi.

Shubman Gill and **Jaspreet Bumrah** are Sikhs.

Prasidh Krishna is from Karnataka.

Indian cricket is possibly the most democratized national opportunities.

To enhance one's station.

To transform one's destiny.



Jeetega yeh naya India!

Most people said just one thing.

‘We have never seen an Indian team with such a clinical personality.’

India’s largest victory margin was by 302 runs against Sri Lanka.

India’s narrowest margin of victory was by four wickets against New Zealand.

**We didn’t just win when we did;
we won big.**

**We didn’t just play consistently well;
we outperformed.**



Counter -jugaad

For long, India prided on its jugaad.

Cut corners. Reverse-engineered.
Mastered trade tricks.

This is what we taught our children to
survive the world.

This World Cup Indian team advocated
something different.

The counter-jugaad.

Strategic vision. Role clarity. Extended
run. Process excellence. Outcome
repeatability.

The team consistently delivered what
we have seldom seen.

A system.



Transforming the way a nation sees itself

India was the most consistently dominant side of World Cup 2023.

It pressed home advantages without yielding a chance.

It sought to dominate. From the first ball. From the first over.

It didn't just win when it did; it looked better each time.

It didn't just outperform on good days; it emerged as an aggregation of outstanding players that hunted in packs.

Like West Indies (1975, 1979). Like Australia (1999, 2003, 2007).

The team has the makings to evolve from just a successful team into something more enduring.

Legendariness.



Gold standard

The Indian team did not just win matches. It formulated a standard operating procedure (SOP).

This helped create a number of standards.

That it is possible for each of the first five batsmen to score more than 50 runs.

That it is possible to win a 50-over match by more than 300 runs.

That it is possible to score almost 400 runs in a World Cup semi-final.

Proving that when *junoon* takes over, something amazing transpires.

The whole becomes larger than the sum of the constituents.



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INDIA 2023

INDIA

Talent pipeline

The word increasingly used by Indians during the World Cup was 'talent pipeline'.

Referring to the new faces in the team.

Referring to one outstanding player replaced by another outstanding player.

Referring to how every new player brought something fresh to the table.

Referring to the average team age (sub-30) if you left the three senior-most players out of the calculation.

Referring to how India played its second highest Test wicket taker (Ashwin) in only one match of the tournament – and yet won.

We played for today.
We built for tomorrow.

There is a term that corporates use.

Succession planning.



Planned outcomes

In the past, the Indian team played as per the situation demanded.

This team was different.

It charted a vision. Assigned roles.
Planned outcomes.

As a result...

No sudden collapses.

No choking when we should have gone for the kill.

No 'snatching defeat from the jaws of victory'.

The most fittingly concise description of the Indian performance in six words used by management gurus.

'Beginning with the end in mind.'



The 'R' factor

Resilience. Resourcefulness. Robustness.

The test of a successful team is how it performs under pressure.

India was three wickets down for two runs in the opening match against Australia.

Among the rare occasions when it lost more wickets than runs on the board.

Chasing 200 runs.

The match appeared over for most.

Thereafter India added 165 runs for the fourth wicket. And won with six wickets to spare.

We won a lost game.

That day, somebody applied a new word for India.

Anti-choke.



The critical 'M' word

Merit. The one word that became synonymous with Indian team during World Cup 2023.

No one spoke of 'zonal quota'. No one hissed the word 'sifaarish'. No one hinted of 'orders from above.'

In a multi-opinion nation, 1.40 bn people agreed down to the last person on two things.

That the intent of the team was beyond question. That the process of selection was clean.

There is a word for this being increasingly used by management gurus.

Governance.



Power of discipline

Many labelled the Indian team as an irresistible juggernaut during World Cup 2023.

Like a large impersonal engine.

They missed the point.

The blood. The toil. The tears. The sweat.

Of patient data analyses. Of data-based practice. Of customized physical training.

Of Kohli batting against left arm bowlers at nets to counter Santner.

After having been dismissed by the left-arm spinner thrice.

The result: in the semi-final, Kohli scored 117 runs.

Santner finished with no wickets for 51 runs in 10 overs.

Discipline > Chance.



Judega India toh badhega India!

For long, we asked, 'What has India given this team?'

Time to reverse the question.

One, a sense of collective pride.

Two, a zero-nepotism operating model.

Three, a Centre of Personal Excellence.

Four, the convergence of small-medium-large Indias.

Five, the concept of a Modern Team India.

Six, possibly the most complete Indian one-day team ever.

The question is not 'How did we perform so consistently in this World Cup?'

The question is 'How did we not win everything in the last few years?'





What they said about
Team India

**“A runaway
train whose
brakes have
failed.”**

Wasim Akram

“India were the team of the tournament.”

Marnus Labuschagne

“Clinical.”

Rohit Sharma on the team performance

“Class side.”

Kane Williamson, New Zealand captain

“The best team by a country mile.”

Michael Atherton, former England captain

“Bhavnao ko samjho... it is a very good team... bahut achcha balance hai team ka... sab log achcha khel rahe hain... is se zyada main kuch nahin bolunga. Baaki samajhdaar ko ishaara kaafi hai”

MS Dhoni

**“Most dangerous
one-day team in the
world.”**

Irfan Pathan

**“Yeh unki planning
saal-dedh saal se
ho rahi hain.”**

Wasim Akram

**“Reminds me of the
West Indies teams
of the 1980s.”**

Rameez Raja



“Confidence creates more confidence. I kept hearing sentences like ‘There is a bad match somewhere around the corner.’ nonsense.”

Sir Vivian Richards

“Unhone pahle hi itni achhi cricket khel ke itna pressure har team pe banaaya ki more than 50% battle toh woh pahle se hi jeetey hote the.”

Misbah-ul Haq, former Pakistan captain




“**calm***ness.*”

Sunil Gavaskar on the most remarkable feature of the Indian team when the Williamson-Mitchell partnership was blazing away in the semi-final

“ruth/ess.”

Shoaib Akhtar
on the Indian side



What they said about
Team India's
leadership

Yeh
captain nahi...
**Captain
Marvelous**
hai!

Actor Sunil
Shetty on
Rohit Sharma



“The genuine hero. Changed the culture of the Indian side. Played fearless cricket.”

Wasim Akram

“Rohit Sharma cracked open games for us.”

Rahul Dravid

“We backed players because we gave them different roles. Even if they didn’t perform, we told them that we stand by you.”

Rohit Sharma

“The way Rohit starts... 40 in 29 balls, 84 runs in the first 10 overs... a platform is created. The pressure goes on the opposition.”

Wasim Akram



“Fearless.”

Shreyas Iyer on **Rohit Sharma**

**“Sensible
*under
pressure.*”**

**Rohit spends time with
players who are out of form.
When you know that the
captain is backing you, it
makes a lot of difference.”**

Parthiv Patel

A solid red circle containing text.

**Yuvraj
Singh** on
Rohit Sharma



“He was always selfless even when he captained his school team. Forgetting about his milestones and playing his role for the team.”

Danish Lad, Rohit Sharma's coach from childhood

“What we now call his ‘lazy’ elegance is his ability to play the ball at the very last minute.”

Ayaz Memon

“The headlines will be about Virat Kohli, will be about Shreyas Iyer, and will be about Mohammad Shami. But the hero of this Indian side, who has changed the culture of this Indian side, is Rohit Sharma.”

Nasser Hussain

“As a captain, Rohit is going to leave behind a legacy that everyone will remember.”

Aakash Chopra



“Even by **sacrificing longevity at the altar of providing that surge that throws off opposition bowlers and builds a cushion for batsmen who follow, Rohit is number five in the list of run-scorers in this World Cup. His strike rate is better than anyone in the top 10.**

“Rohit has become the **matriarch of this team in some sense. He has the vision, the direction and the authority to enforce this but also the wisdom to know that the ultimate sacrifice must come from him if he expects others to have faith in him and the conviction to play the roles assigned to them.”**

Anand Vasu





The '**K**' factor:
The legend of
Virat Kohli

“God’s *child.*”

Anushka Sharma *on* Virat Kohli

“*Stuff of dreams.*”

Virat Kohli on getting his fiftieth one-day international century in front of his wife Anushka and idol Sachin Tendulkar

“*Piece of history.*”

Football superstar David Beckham on being witness to Kohli's century in the semi-final

“We live in
@imVkohli era.”

Wasim Akram



After Kohli
became the first
to hit 50 ODI
tons, he noticed
Sachin Tendulkar.

He bowed.

With reverence.

Hands extended.



“If you play fifty games, some people would call that a great career. To get 50 hundreds... (I am) trying to **find the words to describe it.”** Kane Williamson, New Zealand captain

“The player who lifted Sachin Tendulkar on his shoulders and took a lap of the ground is now standing shoulder-to-shoulder with him.” Irfan Pathan on Kohli after the latter’s 49th one-day international century

“I have seen Kohli come out in previous World Cups where he was like a cat on a hot tin roof who wanted to get on with it straight away. Now he takes his time, marks his guard, soaks the pressure, and **understands his role of batting deep.”** Ravi Shastri

‘virat’ player

“The first time I met you (Kohli) in the Indian dressing room, you were pranked by other teammates into touching my feet. I couldn't stop laughing. But soon, you touched my heart with your passion and skill.

I am happy that that young boy has grown into a ‘Virat’ player.”

Sachin Tendulkar



What they
said about the
Indian *bowling*
attack

“Clearly the *best.*”

Ricky Ponting on India's bowling
attack in the tournament



“Almost
unplayable.”

Adam Gilchrist on
India's bowling attack





“India has the best bowling attack.”

Michael Atherton, former England captain

“India’s best in 50 years.”

Ravi Shastri

“Chaos.”

Former New Zealand all-rounder
James Franklin on the impact of India’s trio
of seamers

“Miserly.”

James Franklin, former New Zealand
cricketer, on spinners Ravindra Jadeja
and Kuldeep Yadav



What they said about
Team India's
outperformers

“Shami bhai ki baat mat karo... woh toh legend hai... unko neend se uthaao toh bhi line aur length pe daalenge.”
Mohammed Siraj

“Jadeja is a complete package as an all-rounder.” Former Test player Sunil Joshi

“Jadeja is the most valuable cricketer in the world.” Former Test cricketer Dilip Doshi

“Shami’s story has gone from being one of what might have been to what would we do without you.” Anand Vasu

SULTAN OF SEAM



“THE
STRAIGHTEST
THING IN THE
WORLD.”

Glenn Maxwell on Shami's seam position



“Bowler of the **tournament.**”

Ben Stokes on Mohammed Shami

With 23 wickets @9.13 in the first six matches before the final, Shami was the highest wicket-taker in the World Cup. Thrice in six games, he took five wickets - as many as Bob Willis, Ian Botham, Imran Khan, Malcolm Marshall, Kapil Dev, Ravi Ashwin and Shane Warne in their entire ODI careers combined (992 innings).

“Shami constantly bowled in one channel and the batsmen were clueless about whether the ball would come in or go out.”

Badruddin, Shami's childhood coach

“Shami is proof of the randomness of history. But for an utterly arbitrary twist of fate (and ankle) he was not even supposed to be here.” Sanjeev Sanyal, author

Numbers and **scores**

765

Runs scored by Virat Kohli in World Cup 2023, the most by any batter in a single men's ODI World Cup

9

Fifty-plus scores by Virat Kohli in World Cup 2023, the most by a batter in one edition of a one-day international World Cup

31

Number of sixes hit by Rohit Sharma - the most in World Cup 2023

67

Balls taken by Shreyas Iyer to complete his century against New Zealand, the fastest in a World Cup one-day international knockout game

7-57

Best figures in a World Cup knockout match by any bowler by Mohammed Shami against New Zealand (semi-final).

17

Number of innings taken by Mohammed Shami to take 50 ODI World Cup wickets (55), the fastest to get to that milestone

131

Highest runs by an Indian batter (Rohit Sharma) in successful chases in the World Cup

2/3

The lowest score from which any team has gone on to win a match in men's one-day internationals (India vs Australia, first match)

24

Number of wickets taken by Mohammed Shami (7 matches), the highest in World Cup 2023

8

Shared longest World Cup winning streak against one opponent (India versus Pakistan)

India vs Australia

5th Match (D/N), Chennai, October 08, 2023

Australia

BATTING		R	B	4s	6s	SR
David Warner	c & b Kuldeep Yadav	41	52	6	0	78.84
Mitchell Marsh	c Kohli b Bumrah	0	6	0	0	0.00
Steven Smith	b Jadeja	46	71	5	0	64.78
Marnus Labuschagne	c †Rahul b Jadeja	27	41	1	0	65.85
Glenn Maxwell	b Kuldeep Yadav	15	25	1	0	60.00
Alex Carey †	lbw b Jadeja	0	2	0	0	0.00
Cameron Green	c Pandya b Ashwin	8	20	0	0	40.00
Pat Cummins (C)	c Iyer b Bumrah	15	24	1	1	62.50
Mitchell Starc	c Iyer b Mohammed Siraj	28	35	2	1	80.00
Adam Zampa	c Kohli b Pandya	6	20	0	0	30.00
Josh Hazlewood	not out	1	1	0	0	100.00
Extras	(lb 6, w 6)	12				
TOTAL	49.3 Overs (RR: 4.02)	199				

Fall of wickets: 1-5 (Mitchell Marsh, 2.2 ov), 2-74 (David Warner, 16.3 ov), 3-110 (Steven Smith, 27.1 ov), 4-119 (Marnus Labuschagne, 29.2 ov), 5-119 (Alex Carey, 29.4 ov), 6-140 (Glenn Maxwell, 35.5 ov), 7-140 (Cameron Green, 36.2 ov), 8-165 (Pat Cummins, 42.2 ov), 9-189 (Adam Zampa, 48.2 ov), 10-199 (Mitchell Starc, 49.3 ov)

BOWLING	O	M	R	W	ECON	0s	4s	6s	WD	NB
Jasprit Bumrah	10	0	35	2	3.50	41	1	1	4	0
Mohammed Siraj	6.3	1	26	1	4.00	26	3	0	2	0
Hardik Pandya	3	0	28	1	9.33	8	6	0	0	0
Ravichandran Ashwin	10	1	34	1	3.40	32	2	0	0	0
Kuldeep Yadav	10	0	42	2	4.20	31	2	1	0	0
Ravindra Jadeja	10	2	28	3	2.80	38	2	0	0	0

India

BATTING		R	B	4s	6s	SR
Rohit Sharma (C)	lbw b Hazlewood	0	6	0	0	0.00
Ishan Kishan	c Green b Starc	0	1	0	0	0.00
Virat Kohli	c Labuschagne b Hazlewood	85	116	6	0	73.27
Shreyas Iyer	c Warner b Hazlewood	0	3	0	0	0.00
KL Rahul †	not out	97	115	8	2	84.34
Hardik Pandya	not out	11	8	0	1	137.50
Extras	(b 1, lb 1, nb 1, w 5)	8				
TOTAL	41.2 Overs (RR: 4.86)	201/4				

Did not bat: Ravindra Jadeja, Ravichandran Ashwin, Kuldeep Yadav, Jasprit Bumrah, Mohammed Siraj

Fall of wickets: 1-2 (Ishan Kishan, 0.4 ov), 2-2 (Rohit Sharma, 1.3 ov), 3-2 (Shreyas Iyer, 1.6 ov), 4-167 (Virat Kohli, 37.4 ov)

BOWLING	O	M	R	W	ECON	0s	4s	6s	WD	NB
Mitchell Starc	8	0	31	1	3.87	28	2	0	3	0
Josh Hazlewood	9	1	38	3	4.22	33	3	1	1	0
Pat Cummins	6.2	0	33	0	5.21	19	2	1	1	1
Glenn Maxwell	8	0	33	0	4.12	24	1	1	0	0
Cameron Green	2	0	11	0	5.50	7	2	0	0	0
Adam Zampa	8	0	53	0	6.62	13	4	0	0	0

India won by 6 wickets (with 52 balls remaining)

PLAYER OF THE MATCH: KL Rahul, India 97* (115)

India vs Afghanistan

9th Match (D/N) Delhi, October 11, 2023

Afghanistan

BATTING		R	B	4s	6s	SR
Rahmanullah Gurbaz †	c Thakur b Pandya	21	28	3	1	75.00
Ibrahim Zadran	c †Rahul b Bumrah	22	28	4	0	78.57
Rahmat Shah	lbw b Thakur	16	22	3	0	72.72
Hashmatullah Shahidi (C)	lbw b Kuldeep Yadav	80	88	8	1	90.90
Azmatullah Omarzai	b Pandya	62	69	2	4	89.85
Mohammad Nabi	lbw b Bumrah	19	27	1	0	70.37
Najibullah Zadran	c Kohli b Bumrah	2	8	0	0	25.00
Rashid Khan	c Kuldeep Yadav b Bumrah	16	12	1	1	133.33
Mujeeb Ur Rahman	not out	10	12	2	0	83.33
Naveen-ul-Haq	not out	9	8	1	0	112.50
Extras	(b 2, lb 3, nb 2, w 8)	15				
TOTAL	50 Overs (RR: 5.44)	272/8				

Did not bat: Fazalhaq Farooqi

Fall of wickets: 1-32 (Ibrahim Zadran, 6.4 ov), 2-63 (Rahmanullah Gurbaz, 12.4 ov), 3-63 (Rahmat Shah, 13.1 ov), 4-184 (Azmatullah Omarzai, 34.2 ov), 5-225 (Hashmatullah Shahidi, 42.4 ov), 6-229 (Najibullah Zadran, 44.2 ov), 7-235 (Mohammad Nabi, 44.6 ov), 8-261 (Rashid Khan, 48.1 ov)

BOWLING	O	M	R	W	ECON	0s	4s	6s	WD	NB
Jasprit Bumrah	10	0	39	4	3.90	41	5	0	3	0
Mohammed Siraj	9	0	76	0	8.44	23	12	1	1	0
Hardik Pandya	7	0	43	2	6.14	23	5	1	2	0
Shardul Thakur	6	0	31	1	5.16	21	2	1	1	1
Kuldeep Yadav	10	0	40	1	4.00	35	0	3	0	0
Ravindra Jadeja	8	0	38	0	4.75	22	1	1	0	1

India

BATTING		R	B	4s	6s	SR
Rohit Sharma (C)	b Rashid Khan	131	84	16	5	155.95
Ishan Kishan	c Ibrahim Zadran b Rashid Khan	47	47	5	2	100.00
Virat Kohli	not out	55	56	6	0	98.21
Shreyas Iyer	not out	25	23	1	1	108.69
Extras	(b 1, lb 4, w 10)	15				
TOTAL	35 Overs (RR: 7.80)	273/2				

Did not bat: KL Rahul †, Hardik Pandya, Ravindra Jadeja, Shardul Thakur, Kuldeep Yadav, Jasprit Bumrah, Mohammed Siraj

Fall of wickets: 1-156 (Ishan Kishan, 18.4 ov), 2-205 (Rohit Sharma, 25.4 ov)

BOWLING	O	M	R	W	ECON	0s	4s	6s	WD	NB
Fazalhaq Farooqi	6	0	50	0	8.33	17	6	2	1	0
Mujeeb Ur Rahman	8	0	64	0	8.00	18	6	1	3	0
Naveen-ul-Haq	5	0	31	0	6.20	16	4	1	0	0
Azmatullah Omarzai	4	0	34	0	8.50	12	5	1	1	0
Mohammad Nabi	4	0	32	0	8.00	11	3	2	0	0
Rashid Khan	8	0	57	2	7.12	12	4	1	1	0

India won by 8 wickets (with 90 balls remaining)

PLAYER OF THE MATCH: Rohit Sharma, India 131 (84)

India vs Pakistan

12th Match (D/N), Ahmedabad, October 14, 2023

Pakistan

BATTING		R	B	4s	6s	SR
Abdullah Shafique	lbw b Mohammed Siraj	20	24	3	0	83.33
Imam-ul-Haq	c †Rahul b Pandya	36	38	6	0	94.73
Babar Azam (C)	b Mohammed Siraj	50	58	7	0	86.20
Mohammad Rizwan †	b Bumrah	49	69	7	0	71.01
Saud Shakeel	lbw b Kuldeep Yadav	6	10	0	0	60.00
Iftikhar Ahmed	b Kuldeep Yadav	4	4	1	0	100.00
Shadab Khan	b Bumrah	2	5	0	0	40.00
Mohammad Nawaz	c Bumrah b Pandya	4	14	0	0	28.57
Hasan Ali	c Shubman Gill b Jadeja	12	19	2	0	63.15
Shaheen Shah Afridi	not out	2	10	0	0	20.00
Haris Rauf	lbw b Jadeja	2	6	0	0	33.33
Extras	(b 1, lb 2, w 1)	4				
TOTAL	42.5 Overs (RR: 4.45)	191				

Fall of wickets: 1-41 (Abdullah Shafique, 7.6 ov), 2-73 (Imam-ul-Haq, 12.3 ov), 3-155 (Babar Azam, 29.4 ov), 4-162 (Saud Shakeel, 32.2 ov), 5-166 (Iftikhar Ahmed, 32.6 ov), 6-168 (Mohammad Rizwan, 33.6 ov), 7-171 (Shadab Khan, 35.2 ov), 8-187 (Mohammad Nawaz, 39.6 ov), 9-187 (Hasan Ali, 40.1 ov), 10-191 (Haris Rauf, 42.5 ov)

BOWLING	O	M	R	W	ECON	0s	4s	6s	WD	NB
Jasprit Bumrah	7	1	19	2	2.71	33	3	0	1	0
Mohammed Siraj	8	0	50	2	6.25	22	7	0	0	0
Hardik Pandya	6	0	34	2	5.66	20	6	0	0	0
Kuldeep Yadav	10	0	35	2	3.50	38	4	0	0	0
Ravindra Jadeja	9.5	0	38	2	3.86	35	4	0	0	0
Shardul Thakur	2	0	12	0	6.00	6	2	0	0	0

India

BATTING		R	B	4s	6s	SR
Rohit Sharma (C)	c Iftikhar Ahmed b Shaheen Shah Afridi	86	63	6	6	136.50
Shubman Gill	c Shadab Khan b Shaheen Shah Afridi	16	11	4	0	145.45
Virat Kohli	c Mohammad Nawaz b Hasan Ali	16	18	3	0	88.88
Shreyas Iyer	not out	53	62	3	2	85.48
KL Rahul †	not out	19	29	2	0	65.51
Extras	(lb 1, w 1)	2				
TOTAL	30.3 Overs (RR: 6.29)	192/3				

Did not bat: Hardik Pandya, Ravindra Jadeja, Shardul Thakur, Jasprit Bumrah, Kuldeep Yadav, Mohammed Siraj

Fall of wickets: 1-23 (Shubman Gill, 2.5 ov), 2-79 (Virat Kohli, 9.5 ov), 3-156 (Rohit Sharma, 21.4 ov)

BOWLING	O	M	R	W	ECON	0s	4s	6s	WD	NB
Shaheen Shah Afridi	6	0	36	2	6.00	21	5	1	1	0
Hasan Ali	6	0	34	1	5.66	23	7	0	0	0
Mohammad Nawaz	8.3	0	47	0	5.52	23	3	2	0	0
Haris Rauf	6	0	43	0	7.16	14	1	3	0	0
Shadab Khan	4	0	31	0	7.75	10	2	2	0	0

India won by 7 wickets (with 117 balls remaining)

PLAYER OF THE MATCH: Jasprit Bumrah, India 2/19

India vs Bangladesh

17th Match (D/N), Pune, October 19, 2023

Bangladesh

BATTING		R	B	4s	6s	SR
Tanzid Hasan	lbw b Kuldeep Yadav	51	43	5	3	118.60
Litton Das	c Shubman Gill b Jadeja	66	82	7	0	80.48
Najmul Hossain Shanto (C)	lbw b Jadeja	8	17	0	0	47.05
Mehidy Hasan Miraz	c †Rahul b Mohammed Siraj	3	13	0	0	23.07
Towhid Hridoy	c Shubman Gill b Thakur	16	35	0	0	45.71
Mushfiqur Rahim †	c Jadeja b Bumrah	38	46	1	1	82.60
Mahmudullah	b Bumrah	46	36	3	3	127.77
Nasum Ahmed	c †Rahul b Mohammed Siraj	14	18	2	0	77.77
Mustafizur Rahman	not out	1	7	0	0	14.28
Shoriful Islam	not out	7	3	0	1	233.33
Extras	(lb 1, w 5)	6				
TOTAL	50 Overs (RR: 5.12)	256/8				

Did not bat: Hasan Mahmud

Fall of wickets: 1-93 (Tanzid Hasan, 14.4 ov), 2-110 (Najmul Hossain Shanto, 19.6 ov), 3-129 (Mehidy Hasan Miraz, 24.1 ov), 4-137 (Litton Das, 27.4 ov), 5-179 (Towhid Hridoy, 37.2 ov), 6-201 (Mushfiqur Rahim, 42.3 ov), 7-233 (Nasum Ahmed, 46.5 ov), 8-248 (Mahmudullah, 49.2 ov)

BOWLING	O	M	R	W	ECON	0s	4s	6s	WD	NB
Jasprit Bumrah	10	1	41	2	4.10	39	2	2	1	0
Mohammed Siraj	10	0	60	2	6.00	34	8	1	3	0
Hardik Pandya	0.3	0	8	0	16.00	1	2	0	0	0
Virat Kohli	0.3	0	2	0	4.00	1	0	0	0	0
Shardul Thakur	9	0	59	1	6.55	23	3	3	0	0
Kuldeep Yadav	10	0	47	1	4.70	25	1	1	1	0
Ravindra Jadeja	10	0	38	2	3.80	36	2	1	0	0

India

BATTING		R	B	4s	6s	SR
Rohit Sharma (C)	c Towhid Hridoy b Hasan Mahmud	48	40	7	2	120.00
Shubman Gill	c Mahmudullah b Mehidy Hasan Miraz	53	55	5	2	96.36
Virat Kohli	not out	103	97	6	4	106.18
Shreyas Iyer	c Mahmudullah b Mehidy Hasan Miraz	19	25	2	0	76.00
KL Rahul †	not out	34	34	3	1	100.00
Extras	(nb 2, w 2)	4				
TOTAL	41.3 Overs (RR: 6.28)	261/3				

Did not bat: Hardik Pandya, Ravindra Jadeja, Shardul Thakur, Kuldeep Yadav, Jasprit Bumrah, Mohammed Siraj

Fall of wickets: 1-88 (Rohit Sharma, 12.4 ov), 2-132 (Shubman Gill, 19.2 ov), 3-178 (Shreyas Iyer, 29.1 ov)

BOWLING	O	M	R	W	ECON	0s	4s	6s	WD	NB
Shoriful Islam	8	0	54	0	6.75	25	6	2	0	0
Mustafizur Rahman	5	0	29	0	5.80	17	5	0	0	0
Nasum Ahmed	9.3	0	60	0	6.31	30	4	4	0	0
Hasan Mahmud	8	0	65	1	8.12	22	5	3	1	2
Mehidy Hasan Miraz	10	0	47	2	4.70	24	3	0	1	0
Mahmudullah	1	0	6	0	6.00	0	0	0	0	0

India won by 7 wickets (with 51 balls remaining)

PLAYER OF THE MATCH: Virat Kohli, India 103* (97)

India vs New Zealand

21st Match (D/N), Dharamsala, October 22, 2023

New Zealand

BATTING		R	B	4s	6s	SR
Devon Conway	c Iyer b Mohammed Siraj	0	9	0	0	0.00
Will Young	b Mohammed Shami	17	27	3	0	62.96
Rachin Ravindra	c Shubman Gill b Mohammed Shami	75	87	6	1	86.20
Daryl Mitchell	c Kohli b Mohammed Shami	130	127	9	5	102.36
Tom Latham (C) †	lbw b Kuldeep Yadav	5	7	1	0	71.42
Glenn Phillips	c Sharma b Kuldeep Yadav	23	26	0	1	88.46
Mark Chapman	c Kohli b Bumrah	6	8	0	0	75.00
Mitchell Santner	b Mohammed Shami	1	2	0	0	50.00
Matt Henry	b Mohammed Shami	0	1	0	0	0.00
Lockie Ferguson	run out (†Rahul)	1	5	0	0	20.00
Trent Boult	not out	0	1	0	0	0.00
Extras	(b 3, lb 5, w 7)	15				
TOTAL	50 Overs (RR: 5.46)	273				

Fall of wickets: 1-9 (Devon Conway, 3.3 ov), 2-19 (Will Young, 8.1 ov), 3-178 (Rachin Ravindra, 33.3 ov), 4-205 (Tom Latham, 36.5 ov), 5-243 (Glenn Phillips, 44.2 ov), 6-257 (Mark Chapman, 46.6 ov), 7-260 (Mitchell Santner, 47.4 ov), 8-260 (Matt Henry, 47.5 ov), 9-273 (Daryl Mitchell, 49.5 ov), 10-273 (Lockie Ferguson, 49.6 ov)

BOWLING	O	M	R	W	ECON	0s	4s	6s	WD	NB
Jasprit Bumrah	10	1	45	1	4.50	34	5	0	0	0
Mohammed Siraj	10	1	45	1	4.50	34	3	1	4	0
Mohammed Shami	10	0	54	5	5.40	32	6	1	0	0
Ravindra Jadeja	10	0	48	0	4.80	28	2	1	0	0
Kuldeep Yadav	10	0	73	2	7.30	25	3	4	3	0

India

BATTING		R	B	4s	6s	SR
Rohit Sharma (C)	b Ferguson	46	40	4	4	115.00
Shubman Gill	c Mitchell b Ferguson	26	31	5	0	83.87
Virat Kohli	c Phillips b Henry	95	104	8	2	91.34
Shreyas Iyer	c Conway b Boult	33	29	6	0	113.79
KL Rahul †	lbw b Santner	27	35	3	0	77.14
Suryakumar Yadav	run out (Santner/Boult/†Latham)	2	4	0	0	50.00
Ravindra Jadeja	not out	39	44	3	1	88.63
Mohammed Shami	not out	1	1	0	0	100.00
Extras	(lb 1, w 4)	5				
TOTAL	48 Overs (RR: 5.70)	274/6				

Did not bat: Jasprit Bumrah, Kuldeep Yadav, Mohammed Siraj

Fall of wickets: 1-71 (Rohit Sharma, 11.1 ov), 2-76 (Shubman Gill, 13.2 ov), 3-128 (Shreyas Iyer, 21.3 ov), 4-182 (KL Rahul, 32.1 ov), 5-191 (Suryakumar Yadav, 33.5 ov), 6-269 (Virat Kohli, 47.4 ov)

BOWLING	O	M	R	W	ECON	0s	4s	6s	WD	NB
Trent Boult	10	0	60	1	6.00	33	6	2	1	0
Matt Henry	9	0	55	1	6.11	31	7	2	0	0
Mitchell Santner	10	0	37	1	3.70	32	1	1	0	0
Lockie Ferguson	8	0	63	2	7.87	22	11	0	2	0
Rachin Ravindra	9	0	46	0	5.11	28	3	2	1	0
Glenn Phillips	2	0	12	0	6.00	3	1	0	0	0

India won by 4 wickets (with 12 balls remaining)

PLAYER OF THE MATCH: Mohammed Shami, India 5/54

India vs England

29th Match (D/N), Lucknow, October 29, 2023

India

BATTING		R	B	4s	6s	SR
Rohit Sharma (C)	c Livingstone b Rashid	87	101	10	3	86.13
Shubman Gill	b Woakes	9	13	1	0	69.23
Virat Kohli	c Stokes b Willey	0	9	0	0	0.00
Shreyas Iyer	c Wood b Woakes	4	16	0	0	25.00
KL Rahul †	c Bairstow b Willey	39	58	3	0	67.24
Suryakumar Yadav	c Woakes b Willey	49	47	4	1	104.25
Ravindra Jadeja	lbw b Rashid	8	13	0	0	61.53
Mohammed Shami	c †Buttler b Wood	1	5	0	0	20.00
Jasprit Bumrah	run out (†Buttler)	16	25	1	0	64.00
Kuldeep Yadav	not out	9	13	1	0	69.23
Extras	(b 4, w 3)	7				
TOTAL	50 Overs (RR: 4.58)	229/9				

Did not bat: Mohammed Siraj

Fall of wickets: 1-26 (Shubman Gill, 3.6 ov), 2-27 (Virat Kohli, 6.5 ov), 3-40 (Shreyas Iyer, 11.5 ov), 4-131 (KL Rahul, 30.2 ov), 5-164 (Rohit Sharma, 36.5 ov), 6-182 (Ravindra Jadeja, 40.3 ov), 7-183 (Mohammed Shami, 41.2 ov), 8-208 (Suryakumar Yadav, 46.2 ov), 9-229 (Jasprit Bumrah, 49.6 ov)

BOWLING	O	M	R	W	ECON	0s	4s	6s	WD	NB
David Willey	10	2	45	3	4.50	39	4	2	0	0
Chris Woakes	9	1	33	2	3.66	36	3	0	1	0
Adil Rashid	10	0	35	2	3.50	35	3	0	0	0
Mark Wood	9	1	46	1	5.11	32	3	2	2	0
Liam Livingstone	4	1	29	0	7.25	13	5	0	0	0
Moeen Ali	8	0	37	0	4.62	19	2	0	0	0

England

BATTING		R	B	4s	6s	SR
Jonny Bairstow	b Mohammed Shami	14	23	2	0	60.86
Dawid Malan	b Bumrah	16	17	2	1	94.11
Joe Root	lbw b Bumrah	0	1	0	0	0.00
Ben Stokes	b Mohammed Shami	0	10	0	0	0.00
Jos Buttler (C) †	b Kuldeep Yadav	10	23	1	0	43.47
Moeen Ali	c †Rahul b Mohammed Shami	15	31	0	0	48.38
Liam Livingstone	lbw b Kuldeep Yadav	27	46	2	0	58.69
Chris Woakes	st †Rahul b Jadeja	10	20	1	0	50.00
David Willey	not out	16	17	0	2	94.11
Adil Rashid	b Mohammed Shami	13	20	2	0	65.00
Mark Wood	b Bumrah	0	1	0	0	0.00
Extras	(lb 2, w 6)	8				
TOTAL	34.5 Overs (RR: 3.70)	129				

Fall of wickets: 1-30 (Dawid Malan, 4.5 ov), 2-30 (Joe Root, 4.6 ov), 3-33 (Ben Stokes, 7.6 ov), 4-39 (Jonny Bairstow, 9.1 ov), 5-52 (Jos Buttler, 15.1 ov), 6-81 (Moeen Ali, 23.1 ov), 7-98 (Chris Woakes, 28.1 ov), 8-98 (Liam Livingstone, 29.2 ov), 9-122 (Adil Rashid, 33.6 ov), 10-129 (Mark Wood, 34.5 ov)

BOWLING	O	M	R	W	ECON	0s	4s	6s	WD	NB
Jasprit Bumrah	6.5	1	32	3	4.68	31	3	2	2	0
Mohammed Siraj	6	0	33	0	5.50	22	3	1	2	0
Mohammed Shami	7	2	22	4	3.14	33	3	0	2	0
Kuldeep Yadav	8	0	24	2	3.00	28	1	0	0	0
Ravindra Jadeja	7	1	16	1	2.28	27	0	0	0	0

India won by 100 runs

PLAYER OF THE MATCH: Rohit Sharma, India 87 (101)

India vs Sri Lanka

33rd Match (D/N), Wankhede, November 02, 2023

India

BATTING		R	B	4s	6s	SR
Rohit Sharma (C)	b Madushanka	4	2	1	0	200.00
Shubman Gill	c †Mendis b Madushanka	92	92	11	2	100.00
Virat Kohli	c Nissanka b Madushanka	88	94	11	0	93.61
Shreyas Iyer	c Theekshana b Madushanka	82	56	3	6	146.42
KL Rahul †	c Hemantha b Chameera	21	19	2	0	110.52
Suryakumar Yadav	c †Mendis b Madushanka	12	9	2	0	133.33
Ravindra Jadeja	run out (Samarawickrama/†Mendis)	35	24	1	1	145.83
Mohammed Shami	run out (†Mendis)	2	4	0	0	50.00
Jasprit Bumrah	not out	1	1	0	0	100.00
Extras	(b 5, lb 6, nb 1, w 8)	20				
TOTAL	50 Overs (RR: 7.14)	357/8				

Did not bat: Kuldeep Yadav, Mohammed Siraj

Fall of wickets: 1-4 (Rohit Sharma, 0.2 ov), 2-193 (Shubman Gill, 29.6 ov), 3-196 (Virat Kohli, 31.3 ov), 4-256 (KL Rahul, 39.2 ov), 5-276 (Suryakumar Yadav, 41.3 ov), 6-333 (Shreyas Iyer, 47.3 ov), 7-355 (Mohammed Shami, 49.3 ov), 8-357 (Ravindra Jadeja, 49.6 ov)

BOWLING	O	M	R	W	ECON	0s	4s	6s	WD	NB
Dilshan Madushanka	10	0	80	5	8.00	25	8	2	6	0
Dushmantha Chameera	10	2	71	1	7.10	28	8	2	0	0
Kasun Rajitha	9	0	65	0	7.22	25	7	2	1	0
Angelo Mathews	3	0	11	0	3.66	10	1	0	0	0
Maheesh Theekshana	10	0	67	0	6.70	18	5	1	1	0
Dushan Hemantha	8	0	52	0	6.50	17	2	2	0	1

Sri Lanka

BATTING		R	B	4s	6s	SR
Pathum Nissanka	lbw b Bumrah	0	1	0	0	0.00
Dimuth Karunaratne	lbw b Mohammed Siraj	0	1	0	0	0.00
Kusal Mendis (C) †	b Mohammed Siraj	1	10	0	0	10.00
Sadeera Samarawickrama	c Iyer b Mohammed Siraj	0	4	0	0	0.00
Charith Asalanka	c Jadeja b Mohammed Shami	1	24	0	0	4.16
Angelo Mathews	b Mohammed Shami	12	25	1	0	48.00
Dushan Hemantha	c †Rahul b Mohammed Shami	0	1	0	0	0.00
Dushmantha Chameera	c †Rahul b Mohammed Shami	0	6	0	0	0.00
Maheesh Theekshana	not out	12	23	2	0	52.17
Kasun Rajitha	c Shubman Gill b Mohammed Shami	14	17	2	0	82.35
Dilshan Madushanka	c Iyer b Jadeja	5	6	1	0	83.33
Extras	(b 5, lb 1, w 4)	10				
TOTAL	19.4 Overs (RR: 2.79)	55				

Fall of wickets: 1-0 (Pathum Nissanka, 0.1 ov), 2-2 (Dimuth Karunaratne, 1.1 ov), 3-2 (Sadeera Samarawickrama, 1.5 ov), 4-3 (Kusal Mendis, 3.1 ov), 5-14 (Charith Asalanka, 9.3 ov), 6-14 (Dushan Hemantha, 9.4 ov), 7-22 (Dushmantha Chameera, 11.3 ov), 8-29 (Angelo Mathews, 13.1 ov), 9-49 (Kasun Rajitha, 17.6 ov), 10-55 (Dilshan Madushanka, 19.4 ov)

BOWLING	O	M	R	W	ECON	0s	4s	6s	WD	NB
Jasprit Bumrah	5	1	8	1	1.60	26	0	0	3	0
Mohammed Siraj	7	2	16	3	2.28	35	2	0	1	0
Mohammed Shami	5	1	18	5	3.60	22	3	0	0	0
Kuldeep Yadav	2	0	3	0	1.50	9	0	0	0	0
Ravindra Jadeja	0.4	0	4	1	6.00	3	1	0	0	0

India won by 302 runs

PLAYER OF THE MATCH: Mohammed Shami, India 5/18

India vs South Africa

37th Match (D/N), Eden Gardens, November 05, 2023

India

BATTING		R	B	4s	6s	SR
Rohit Sharma (C)	c Bavuma b Rabada	40	24	6	2	166.66
Shubman Gill	b Maharaj	23	24	4	1	95.83
Virat Kohli	not out	101	121	10	0	83.47
Shreyas Iyer	c Markram b Ngidi	77	87	7	2	88.50
KL Rahul †	c van der Dussen b Jansen	8	17	0	0	47.05
Suryakumar Yadav	c †de Kock b Shamsi	22	14	5	0	157.14
Ravindra Jadeja	not out	29	15	3	1	193.33
Extras	(lb 2, nb 2, w 2)	26				
TOTAL	50 Overs (RR: 6.52)	326/5				

Did not bat: Mohammed Shami, Jasprit Bumrah, Kuldeep Yadav, Mohammed Siraj

Fall of wickets: 1-62 (Rohit Sharma, 5.5 ov), 2-93 (Shubman Gill, 10.3 ov), 3-227 (Shreyas Iyer, 36.5 ov), 4-249 (KL Rahul, 42.1 ov), 5-285 (Suryakumar Yadav, 45.6 ov)

BOWLING	O	M	R	W	ECON	Os	4s	6s	WD	NB
Lungi Ngidi	8.2	0	63	1	7.56	29	8	3	2	0
Marco Jansen	9.4	0	94	1	9.72	28	15	1	7	1
Kagiso Rabada	10	1	48	1	4.80	33	6	0	0	0
Keshav Maharaj	10	0	30	1	3.00	32	0	0	1	0
Tabraiz Shamsi	10	0	72	1	7.20	22	5	1	7	1
Aiden Markram	2	0	17	0	8.50	4	1	1	1	0

South Africa

BATTING		R	B	4s	6s	SR
Quinton de Kock †	b Mohammed Siraj	5	10	1	0	50.00
Temba Bavuma (C)	b Jadeja	11	19	1	0	57.89
Rassie van der Dussen	lbw b Mohammed Shami	13	32	1	0	40.62
Aiden Markram	c †Rahul b Mohammed Shami	9	6	2	0	150.00
Heinrich Klaasen	lbw b Jadeja	1	11	0	0	9.09
David Miller	b Jadeja	11	11	2	0	100.00
Marco Jansen	c Jadeja b Kuldeep Yadav	14	30	1	0	46.66
Keshav Maharaj	b Jadeja	7	11	1	0	63.63
Kagiso Rabada	c & b Jadeja	6	26	0	0	23.07
Lungi Ngidi	b Kuldeep Yadav	0	3	0	0	0.00
Tabraiz Shamsi	not out	4	4	1	0	100.00
Extras	(w 2)	2				
TOTAL	27.1 Overs (RR: 3.05)	83				

Fall of wickets: 1-6 (Quinton de Kock, 1.4 ov), 2-22 (Temba Bavuma, 8.3 ov), 3-35 (Aiden Markram, 9.5 ov), 4-40 (Heinrich Klaasen, 12.5 ov), 5-40 (Rassie van der Dussen, 13.1 ov), 6-59 (David Miller, 16.3 ov), 7-67 (Keshav Maharaj, 18.4 ov), 8-79 (Marco Jansen, 25.4 ov), 9-79 (Kagiso Rabada, 26.2 ov), 10-83 (Lungi Ngidi, 27.1 ov)

BOWLING	O	M	R	W	ECON	Os	4s	6s	WD	NB
Jasprit Bumrah	5	0	14	0	2.80	23	2	0	1	0
Mohammed Siraj	4	1	11	1	2.75	18	1	0	0	0
Ravindra Jadeja	9	1	33	5	3.66	37	5	0	0	0
Mohammed Shami	4	0	18	2	4.50	16	2	0	1	0
Kuldeep Yadav	5.1	1	7	2	1.35	24	0	0	0	0

India won by 243 runs

PLAYER OF THE MATCH: Virat Kohli, India 101* (121)

India vs Netherlands

45th Match (D/N), Bengaluru, November 12, 2023

India

BATTING		R	B	4s	6s	SR
Rohit Sharma (C)	c Barresi b de Leede	61	54	8	2	112.96
Shubman Gill	c Nidamanuru b van Meekeren	51	32	3	4	159.37
Virat Kohli	b van der Merwe	51	56	5	1	91.07
Shreyas Iyer	not out	128	94	10	5	136.17
KL Rahul †	c Engelbrecht b de Leede	102	64	11	4	159.37
Suryakumar Yadav	not out	2	1	0	0	200.00
Extras	(lb 1, nb 1, w 13)	15				
TOTAL	50 Overs (RR: 8.20)	410/4				

Did not bat: Ravindra Jadeja, Jasprit Bumrah, Mohammed Shami, Kuldeep Yadav, Mohammed Siraj

Fall of wickets: 1-100 (Shubman Gill, 11.5 ov), 2-129 (Rohit Sharma, 17.4 ov), 3-200 (Virat Kohli, 28.4 ov), 4-408 (KL Rahul, 49.5 ov)

BOWLING	O	M	R	W	ECON	0s	4s	6s	WD	NB
Aryan Dutt	7	0	52	0	7.42	19	7	1	1	0
Logan van Beek	10	0	107	0	10.70	17	10	6	1	0
Colin Ackermann	3	0	25	0	8.33	5	2	1	1	0
Paul van Meekeren	10	0	90	1	9.00	19	6	5	2	1
Roelof van der Merwe	10	0	53	1	5.30	27	4	1	0	0
Bas de Leede	10	0	82	2	8.20	22	8	2	8	0

Netherlands

BATTING		R	B	4s	6s	SR
Wesley Barresi	c †Rahul b Mohammed Siraj	4	5	0	0	80.00
Max O'Dowd	b Jadeja	30	42	3	1	71.42
Colin Ackermann	lbw b Kuldeep Yadav	35	32	6	0	109.37
Sybrand Engelbrecht	b Mohammed Siraj	45	80	4	0	56.25
Scott Edwards (C) †	c †Rahul b Kohli	17	30	1	0	56.66
Bas de Leede	b Bumrah	12	21	1	0	57.14
Teja Nidamanuru	c Mohammed Shami b Sharma	54	39	1	6	138.46
Logan van Beek	b Kuldeep Yadav	16	15	2	0	106.66
Roelof van der Merwe	c Mohammed Shami b Jadeja	16	8	1	2	200.00
Aryan Dutt	b Bumrah	5	11	0	0	45.45
Paul van Meekeren	not out	3	4	0	0	75.00
Extras	(lb 9, w 4)	13				
TOTAL	47.5Overs (RR: 5.22)	250				

Fall of wickets: 1-5 (Wesley Barresi, 1.3 ov), 2-66 (Colin Ackermann, 12.1 ov), 3-72 (Max O'Dowd, 15.1 ov), 4-111 (Scott Edwards, 24.3 ov), 5-144 (Bas de Leede, 31.6 ov), 6-172 (Sybrand Engelbrecht, 37.3 ov), 7-208 (Logan van Beek, 42.1 ov), 8-225 (Roelof van der Merwe, 43.4 ov), 9-236 (Aryan Dutt, 46.1 ov), 10-250 (Teja Nidamanuru, 47.5 ov)

BOWLING	O	M	R	W	ECON	0s	4s	6s	WD	NB
Jasprit Bumrah	9	1	33	2	3.66	35	3	0	1	0
Mohammed Siraj	6	1	29	2	4.83	23	5	0	1	0
Mohammed Shami	6	0	41	0	6.83	15	4	1	1	0
Kuldeep Yadav	10	1	41	2	4.10	39	1	3	0	0
Ravindra Jadeja	9	0	49	2	5.44	31	4	2	1	0
Virat Kohli	3	0	13	1	4.33	10	1	0	0	0
Shubman Gill	2	0	11	0	5.50	4	1	0	0	0
Suryakumar Yadav	2	0	17	0	8.50	5	0	2	0	0
Rohit Sharma	0.5	0	7	1	8.40	3	0	1	0	0

India won by 160 runs

PLAYER OF THE MATCH: Shreyas Iyer, India 128* (94)

India vs New Zealand

1st Semi-Final (D/N), Wankhede, November 15, 2023

India

BATTING		R	B	4s	6s	SR
Rohit Sharma (C)	c Williamson b Southee	47	29	4	4	162.06
Shubman Gill	not out	80	66	8	3	121.21
Virat Kohli	c Conway b Southee	117	113	9	2	103.53
Shreyas Iyer	c Mitchell b Boult	105	70	4	8	150.00
KL Rahul †	not out	39	20	5	2	195.00
Suryakumar Yadav	c Phillips b Southee	1	2	0	0	50.00
Extras	(b 1, lb 1, w 6)	8				
TOTAL	50 Overs (RR: 7.94)	397/4				

Did not bat: Ravindra Jadeja, Jasprit Bumrah, Mohammed Shami, Kuldeep Yadav, Mohammed Siraj

Fall of wickets: 1-71 (Rohit Sharma, 8.2 ov), 1-164, 2-327 (Virat Kohli, 43.6 ov), 3-381 (Shreyas Iyer, 48.5 ov), 4-382 (Suryakumar Yadav, 49.1 ov)

BOWLING	O	M	R	W	ECON	Os	4s	6s	WD	NB
Trent Boult	10	0	86	1	8.60	26	9	4	2	0
Tim Southee	10	0	100	3	10.00	20	8	6	1	0
Mitchell Santner	10	1	51	0	5.10	29	3	2	0	0
Lockie Ferguson	8	0	65	0	8.12	15	7	1	1	0
Rachin Ravindra	7	0	60	0	8.57	13	2	4	2	0
Glenn Phillips	5	0	33	0	6.60	11	1	2	0	0

New Zealand

BATTING		R	B	4s	6s	SR
Devon Conway	c †Rahul b Mohammed Shami	13	15	3	0	86.66
Rachin Ravindra	c †Rahul b Mohammed Shami	13	22	3	0	59.09
Kane Williamson (C)	c Yadav b Mohammed Shami	69	73	8	1	94.52
Daryl Mitchell	c Jadeja b Mohammed Shami	134	119	9	7	112.60
Tom Latham	lbw b Mohammed Shami	0	2	0	0	0.00
Glenn Phillips	c Jadeja b Bumrah	41	33	4	2	124.24
Mark Chapman	c Jadeja b Kuldeep Yadav	2	5	0	0	40.00
Mitchell Santner	c Sharma b Mohammed Siraj	9	10	0	0	90.00
Tim Southee	c †Rahul b Mohammed Shami	9	10	1	0	90.00
Trent Boult	not out	2	2	0	0	100.00
Lockie Ferguson	c †Rahul b Mohammed Shami	6	3	0	1	200.00
Extras	(b 4, lb 5, nb 1, w 19)	29				
TOTAL	48.5 Overs (RR: 6.69)	327				

Fall of wickets: 1-30 (Devon Conway, 5.1 ov), 2-39 (Rachin Ravindra, 7.4 ov), 3-220 (Kane Williamson, 32.2 ov), 4-220 (Tom Latham, 32.4 ov), 5-295 (Glenn Phillips, 42.5 ov), 6-298 (Mark Chapman, 43.5 ov), 7-306 (Daryl Mitchell, 45.2 ov), 8-319 (Mitchell Santner, 47.5 ov), 9-321 (Tim Southee, 48.2 ov), 10-327 (Lockie Ferguson, 48.5 ov)

BOWLING	O	M	R	W	ECON	Os	4s	6s	WD	NB
Jasprit Bumrah	10	1	64	1	6.40	32	6	1	6	0
Mohammed Siraj	9	0	78	1	8.66	26	10	3	3	0
Mohammed Shami	9.5	0	57	7	5.79	37	3	4	2	0
Ravindra Jadeja	10	0	63	0	6.30	29	3	3	0	1
Kuldeep Yadav	10	0	56	1	5.60	26	6	0	0	0

India won by 70 runs

PLAYER OF THE MATCH: Mohammed Shami, India 7/57

India vs Australia

Final (D/N), Ahmedabad, November 19, 2023

India

BATTING		R	B	4s	6s	SR
Rohit Sharma (C)	c Head b Maxwell	47	31	4	3	151.61
Shubman Gill	c Zampa b Starc	4	7	0	0	57.14
Virat Kohli	b Cummins	54	63	4	0	85.71
Shreyas Iyer	c †Inglis b Cummins	4	3	1	0	133.33
KL Rahul †	c †Inglis b Starc	66	107	1	0	61.68
Ravindra Jadeja	c †Inglis b Hazlewood	9	22	0	0	40.9
Suryakumar Yadav	c †Inglis b Hazlewood	18	28	1	0	64.28
Mohammed Shami	c †Inglis b Starc	6	10	1	0	60
Jasprit Bumrah	lbw b Zampa	1	3	0	0	33.33
Kuldeep Yadav	run out (Labuschagne/Cummins)	10	18	0	0	55.55
Mohammed Siraj	not out	9	8	1	0	112.5
Extras	(lb 3, w 9)	12				
TOTAL	50 Overs (RR: 4.80)	240				

Fall of wickets: 1-30 (Shubman Gill, 4.2 ov), 2-76 (Rohit Sharma, 9.4 ov), 3-81 (Shreyas Iyer, 10.2 ov), 4-148 (Virat Kohli, 28.3 ov), 5-178 (Ravindra Jadeja, 35.5 ov), 6-203 (KL Rahul, 41.3 ov), 7-211 (Mohammed Shami, 43.4 ov), 8-214 (Jasprit Bumrah, 44.5 ov), 9-226 (Suryakumar Yadav, 47.3 ov), 10-240 (Kuldeep Yadav, 49.6 ov)

BOWLING	O	M	R	W	ECON	0s	4s	6s	WD	NB
Mitchell Starc	10	0	55	3	5.5	30	4	1	3	0
Josh Hazlewood	10	0	60	2	6	22	4	1	1	0
Glenn Maxwell	6	0	35	1	5.83	19	4	1	0	0
Pat Cummins	10	0	34	2	3.4	30	0	0	2	0
Adam Zampa	10	0	44	1	4.4	22	1	0	1	0
Mitchell Marsh	2	0	5	0	2.5	7	0	0	0	0
Travis Head	2	0	4	0	2	8	0	0	0	0

Australia

BATTING		R	B	4s	6s	SR
David Warner	c Kohli b Mohammed Shami	7	3	1	0	233.33
Travis Head	c Shubman Gill b Mohammed Siraj	137	120	15	4	114.16
Mitchell Marsh	c †Rahul b Bumrah	15	15	1	1	100
Steven Smith	lbw b Bumrah	4	9	1	0	44.44
Marnus Labuschagne	not out	58	110	4	0	52.72
Glenn Maxwell	not out	2	1	0	0	200
Extras	(b 5, lb 2, w 11)	18				
TOTAL	43 Overs (RR: 5.60)	241/4				

Did not bat: Josh Inglis †, Mitchell Starc, Pat Cummins (c), Adam Zampa, Josh Hazlewood

Fall of wickets: 1-16 (David Warner, 1.1 ov), 2-41 (Mitchell Marsh, 4.3 ov), 3-47 (Steven Smith, 6.6 ov), 4-239 (Travis Head, 42.5 ov)

BOWLING	O	M	R	W	ECON	0s	4s	6s	WD	NB
Jasprit Bumrah	9	2	43	2	4.77	37	8	0	0	0
Mohammed Shami	7	1	47	1	6.71	28	6	1	3	0
Ravindra Jadeja	10	0	43	0	4.3	29	1	1	1	0
Kuldeep Yadav	10	0	56	0	5.6	25	3	2	0	0
Mohammed Siraj	7	0	45	1	6.42	16	4	1	0	0

Australia won by 6 wickets (with 42 balls remaining)

PLAYER OF THE MATCH: Travis Head, Australia 137 (120)

PLAYER OF THE SERIES: Virat Kohli, India 765 Runs - 1 wicket



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