

# *Game Manual*



## —***RUGBY***— **CHAMPIONS**

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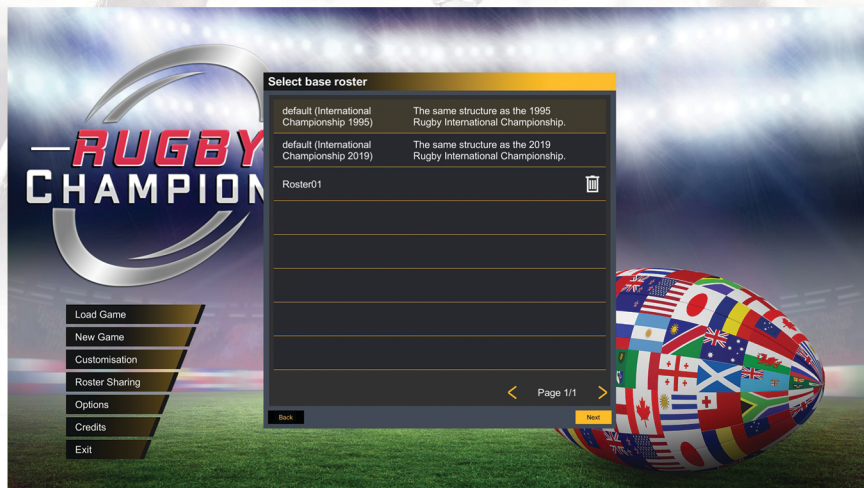


## Getting Started

Welcome to the Rugby Champions game manual. To get started, click the New Game button on the Main Menu page.



Select the base competition roster you wish to use to create the game with, and click next. Two default rosters are provided, one in the format of the 1995 Rugby International, and the other on the format of the 2019 Rugby International. If you wish to customise the team jerseys and players in these rosters before starting a game, refer to the Customisation section. If you wish to import rosters that other gamers have shared refer to the Roster Sharing section, which includes rosters that are most recommended by the community.



After selecting the roster from which you wish to create a game, select the team you wish to control. The Overall Rating of each side gives an indication of the quality of the team, and this rating is further broken down into an indicator of the quality of forwards, backs, scrum and lineout.



After selecting your team, you need to select the game difficulty and half length you wish to use during the competition. It is highly recommended that you start playing on the Rookie level. This level provides a fun challenge and opportunity to learn the game controls. Rugby Champions also offers much more of a simulation experience as you progress through the difficulty levels. The difficulty level can always be changed at any time during your game, if you feel you need to increase the challenge. The half length can also be altered during a competition, but only at the beginning of a round of matches.





After selecting the difficulty and half length you will be taken to the in-game Home page. This page provides a visual summary of the current status of the competition. To get started playing your first game, click the Play button in the top right of the screen, or the Play Match button on the menu bar. If you can't see the play button it will be because your team has a bye in the first competition round. In this case the top right panel will guide you through advancing to your next game. See the Advancing Competition Rounds section of this manual for more information.

The screenshot shows the 'Home' page for England. At the top, it displays 'England - Next Fixture' with a 'Pool Match' between England and Tonga. The main menu includes 'Home', 'Inbox', 'Squad', 'Team Statistics', 'Player Statistics', 'Top Players', 'Play Match', and 'Options'. The 'Pool C' table shows England's record: 0 wins, 0 losses, 0 draws, 0 for, 0 against, 0 points, and 0 bonus points. The 'Fixtures' section shows Round 1 matches: Japan vs Russia and Australia vs Fiji. The 'Squad Health' section lists players: Josh Cakobau (Wing, Healthy), Dillon Cale (Prop, Healthy), and Tim Chester (Flanker, Healthy). The 'Tournament top players' and 'Your team top players' sections list top performers with their scores.

	P	W	L	D	F	A	+/-	BP	PT
England	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
France	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Argentina	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
USA	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Tonga	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Round	Team 1	Team 2	Score
Round 1	Japan	Russia	0-0
Round 1	Australia	Fiji	0-0

Player	Position	Health
Josh Cakobau	Wing	Healthy
Dillon Cale	Prop	Healthy
Tim Chester	Flanker	Healthy

Player	Score
Asuma Ase Vele	0
Brady Ahnau	0
Harley Aims	0
Allen Ainsley-kepper	0
Levon Aalitu	0
Paulie Ala-Emai	0

Player	Score
Josh Cakobau	0
Dillon Cale	0
Tim Chester	0
Liam Cotton-Drake	0
Earl Darnson	0
Oliver Farns	0

After clicking Play, you will be directed to the Play Match page. This displays the two team line-ups. These will have initially been auto-selected for you. If you wish to modify these selections, refer to the Selecting Your Team section. You can also choose to force either team to wear their home or away jersey using the buttons provided. To start playing your first game click the Play button in centre of the screen.

The screenshot shows the 'Play Match' page for England vs Tonga. The main menu includes 'Home', 'Inbox', 'Squad', 'Team Statistics', 'Player Statistics', 'Top Players', 'Play Match', and 'Options'. The 'England' and 'Tonga' line-ups are displayed, including starting lineups and benches. The 'England' starting lineup includes: 1. Mark Venus (89), 2. James Graham (89), 3. Jon Marlon (87), 4. Greg Lames (86), 5. Graham Kean (86), 6. Martin Williams (84), 7. Stan Underman (86), 8. Brandon Venus (89), 9. Brandon Yavns (92), 10. Oliver Farns (97), 11. Arnon Walton (86), 12. Earl Darnson (93), 13. Mark Tuohang (90), 14. Jacob Norman (86), 15. Jake Marley (97). The 'Tonga' starting lineup includes: 1. Beni Tanelanu (82), 2. Peter Ngamano (82), 3. Peta Fa'alua (81), 4. Sid Louisa (84), 5. Stephen Mafua (80), 6. Fetu Lokolea (80), 7. Dancel Feluaia (81), 8. Zae Kipulu (82), 9. Lucas Fufufusia (85), 10. Jason Favalua (86), 11. Ala Pakuluna (88), 12. Maf Hingata (85), 13. Siale Piamu (85), 14. Cameron Venus (87), 15. Daniel Halafoani (91). The 'England' and 'Tonga' benches are also listed. The 'England' bench includes: 16. Kris Stanley (87), 17. Jacob Stockleton (85), 18. John Lancaster (86), 19. Lucas Laidon (83), 20. Greg Forn (95), 21. Peter Francis (90), 22. Josh Cakobau (94). The 'Tonga' bench includes: 16. Tommy Taufi (81), 17. Eli Talonia (81), 18. Levu Fafifi (80), 19. Nani Mame (82), 20. Latima Fufusia (86), 21. Nani Tutuani (80), 22. Otona Maasila (89). The 'England' and 'Tonga' players are shown in their respective home and away jerseys. The 'England' and 'Tonga' players are shown in their respective home and away jerseys. The 'England' and 'Tonga' players are shown in their respective home and away jerseys.

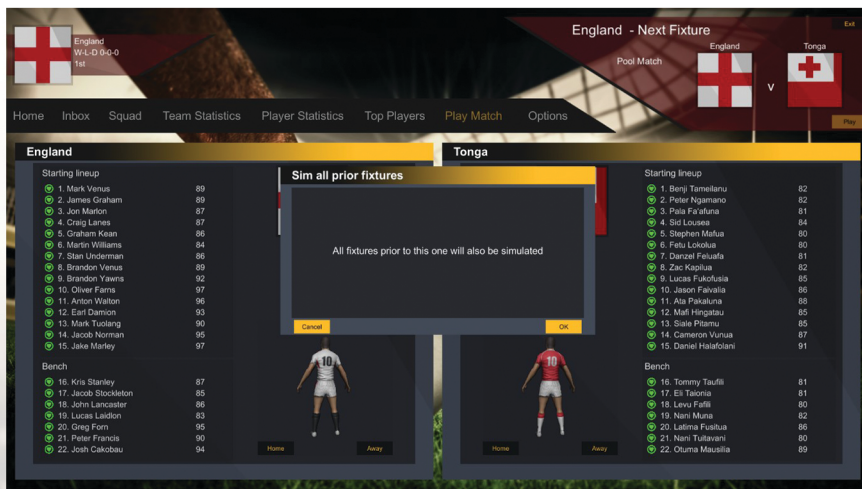
Player	Score
1. Mark Venus	89
2. James Graham	89
3. Jon Marlon	87
4. Greg Lames	86
5. Graham Kean	86
6. Martin Williams	84
7. Stan Underman	86
8. Brandon Venus	89
9. Brandon Yavns	92
10. Oliver Farns	97
11. Arnon Walton	86
12. Earl Darnson	93
13. Mark Tuohang	90
14. Jacob Norman	86
15. Jake Marley	97

Player	Score
16. Kris Stanley	87
17. Jacob Stockleton	85
18. John Lancaster	86
19. Lucas Laidon	83
20. Greg Forn	95
21. Peter Francis	90
22. Josh Cakobau	94

Player	Score
1. Beni Tanelanu	82
2. Peter Ngamano	82
3. Peta Fa'alua	81
4. Sid Louisa	84
5. Stephen Mafua	80
6. Fetu Lokolea	80
7. Dancel Feluaia	81
8. Zae Kipulu	82
9. Lucas Fufufusia	85
10. Jason Favalua	86
11. Ala Pakuluna	88
12. Maf Hingata	85
13. Siale Piamu	85
14. Cameron Venus	87
15. Daniel Halafoani	91

Player	Score
16. Tommy Taufi	81
17. Eli Talonia	81
18. Levu Fafifi	80
19. Nani Mame	82
20. Latima Fufusia	86
21. Nani Tutuani	80
22. Otona Maasila	89

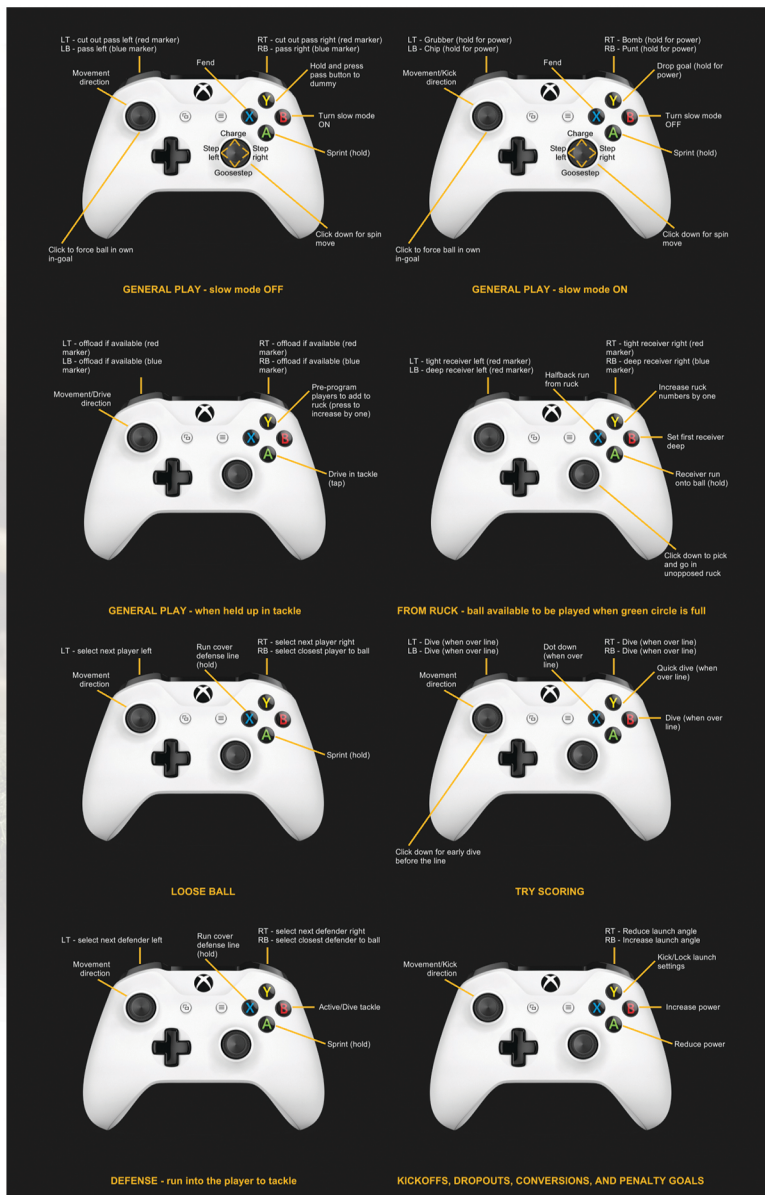
After clicking Play, if there are still matches between other teams to be played before your fixture in the current competition round you will be asked if you want to simulate these first. Click OK to simulate them, after which your game will automatically load.



Once the game loads simply press the A button on the controller to start the match or click the play button. As the action unfolds you can use the playback panel to pause, rewind and watch the game on different camera angles. Note that when the action is live, the camera angle will return to being behind your team.



Be sure to familiarise yourself with the game controls which are included below, and are also available during the match as described in the In Match Menu section.





## Gameplay Tips

The following gameplay tips should help to get the most out of your gameplay experience:

- Use the rookie level to become familiar with all the game controls before you progress to other levels.
- Try to master passing, offloads, break tackles, steps and fends. The rookie level is also great for getting a feel for the timings of these.
- Mostly you will want to hold down the sprint button, so make sure you remember to do this.
- Although sprinting is key, it can often be useful to take the foot of the gas to let support players catch up, or help with timing a perfect pass to put a player through a gap.
- If you want to keep the ball or steal it from your opponent, being first to the ruck is key.
- Try and commit defenders before you pass.
- Diving to make a tackle can be a great way to put the ball carrier straight to ground, but they are easy to miss. Most of the time you should look to make conservative tackles by simply running into the ball carrier.
- Remember to drive in the tackle, both on attack and defence. This is a great way to get a few extra meters, force an attacker back, or direct the tackle toward your support players.
- Try to avoid getting tackled when isolated from your support, you might get turned over or penalised for holding onto the ball.
- When you are on a break and there is not much support, remember chips and grubbers can be a great way to keep the play alive and create spectacular scoring opportunities.
- If you have an easy opponent, consider resting star players before the game to make sure they are not injured for crucial upcoming fixtures.
- Especially on harder difficulties it often pays to play for field position, just like in real rugby.

## In-Match Menus

The in match menus can be accessed by pressing the Start button on the controller during the match. The Match Status panel summarises the current state of the match, and once the game is finished this panel can be used to access full match statistics. The Resume panel allows you to return to the action, or alternatively you can press Start.



Clicking on the Substitutions panel, or pressing A after navigating with the controller to this panel will show the Substitutions page. Here you can make tactical substitutions, perhaps bringing on a fresh player later in the game, or replace injured players. To make a substitution simply click on the player you want to bring on and the player you want to come off and then click the Substitute button. The Substitution will be carried out next time there is a stoppage in play..





Clicking on the Settings panel, or pressing A after navigating with the controller to this panel will show the Settings page. Here you can change the match difficulty, volume level and view the game controls. You can also make basic jersey colour adjustments if there is a visual clash between the jerseys of the two sides.



## Selecting your team

You can use the Squad page to change your team selection or replace injured players. Injured players are marked with a medic icon. Players with high overall rating (OVR) in a given position are generally considered to be better players.

England - Next Fixture  
Pool Match  
England v USA

Home Inbox **Squad** Team Statistics Player Statistics Top Players Play Match Options

Name	Age	Height	Weight	Preferred position	OVR	Profile
Josh Cakobau	21	193	111	Wing	94	Profile
Dillon Cae	32	191	118	Prop	86	Profile
Tim Chester	20	185	99	Flanker	83	Profile
Liam Cotton-Drake	25	184	112	Hooker	84	Profile
Earl Danson	26	184	94	Inside Centre	93	Profile
Oliver Fairs	27	188	92	Fly half	97	Profile
Greg Forn	26	178	84	Fly half	95	Profile
Peter Francis	29	183	90	Inside Centre	90	Profile
Eliot Garfield	24	187	113	Prop	83	Profile
James Graham	28	183	109	Hooker	89	Profile
Will Hunter	32	182	89	Scrum half	87	Profile
Mark Ings	24	195	115	Lock	87	Profile
Josh Jones	28	183	90	Outside Centre	88	Profile

**Bench**

16	Prop	K. Saling	Lock
17	Hooker	J. Stockton	Half
18	Hooker	J. Lancaster	Half
19	Lock	L. Laidon	Centre
20	Lock	G. Forn	Outside Centre
21	Centre	P. Francis	Centre
22	Centre	J. Cakobau	Centre
23	Outside Centre	M. Toulson	Centre
24	Outside Centre	J. Norman	Centre

Clicking on a jersey on the panel on the right will bring up the list of players in the team for you to select a player to play that position. You can play players outside of their preferred position, though this will usually result in poorer performance, especially if you play backs in the forwards or forwards in the backs. Players who play a position similar to their preferred position can do so with minimal performance loss. Position groupings considered similar are (1) Props and Hookers, (2) Locks, Flankers and Number 8, (3) Halfbacks and Flyhalves, (4) Flyhalves and Inside Centres (5) Inside and Outside centres and (6) Wings and Fullbacks.

England - Next Fixture

Pool Match England v USA

Home Inbox **Squad** Team Statistics Player Statistics Top Players Play Match Options

Name	Age	Height	Weight	Preferred position	OVR
Josh Cokobau	21	193	111	Wing	94
Dillon Cale	32	191	118	Prop	86
Tim Chester	20	185	99	Flanker	83
Liam Cotton-Drake	25	184	112	Hooker	84
Earl Darnion	26	184	94	Inside Centre	93
Oliver Farns	27	188	92	Fly half	97
Greg Fom	26	178	84	Fly half	95
Peter Francis	29	183	90	Inside Centre	90
Elliot Garfield	24	187	113	Prop	83
James Graham	28	183	109	Hooker	89
Will Hunter	32	182	89	Scrum half	87
Mark Ings	24	195	115	Lock	87
Josh Jones	28	183	90	Outside Centre	88

6. Flanker  
J. Cokobau  
D. Cale  
T. Chester  
L. Cotton-Drake  
E. Darnion  
O. Farns  
G. Fom  
P. Francis  
E. Garfield  
J. Graham  
W. Hunter  
M. Ings  
J. Jones  
G. Kean  
L. Laidion  
J. Lancaster  
C. Lanes  
J. Marley  
J. Martin  
R. McCrone  
J. Norman  
H. Snowden  
K. Stanley  
J. Newkirk

1. Prop  
2. Hooker  
3. Prop  
4. Lock  
5. Lock  
6. Flanker  
7. Flanker  
8. Number 8  
9. Halfback  
10. Flyhalf  
11. Wing  
12. Inside Centre  
13. Outside Centre  
14. Wing  
15. Fullback

Bench  
16. Prop  
17. Hooker  
18. Lock  
19. Lock  
20. Fly half  
21. Outside back  
22. Inside back

You can also click on a players name on the panel on the left to bring up a list of positions from which you can select where you would like that player to play.

England - Next Fixture

Pool Match England v USA

Home Inbox **Squad** Team Statistics Player Statistics Top Players Play Match Options

Name	Age	Height	Weight	Preferred position	OVR
Josh Cokobau	21	193	111	Wing	94
Dillon Cale	32	191	118	Prop	86
Tim Chester	20	185	99	Flanker	83
Liam Cotton-Drake	25	184	112	Hooker	84
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Will Hunter	32	182	89	Scrum half	87
Mark Ings	24	195	115	Lock	87
Josh Jones	28	183	90	Outside Centre	88

J. Graham  
none  
1. Prop  
2. Hooker  
3. Prop  
4. Lock  
5. Lock  
6. Flanker  
7. Flanker  
8. Number 8  
9. Halfback  
10. Flyhalf  
11. Wing  
12. Inside Centre  
13. Outside Centre  
14. Wing  
15. Fullback

Bench  
16. Reserve (Prop)  
17. Reserve (Hooker)  
18. Reserve (Lock)  
19. Reserve (Loose Fwd)  
20. Reserve (Half)  
21. Reserve (Centre)  
22. Reserve (Outside back)

All injuries are niggling injuries which the player can still be selected to play with. The Squad Health panel on the Home page provides an indication of the reduction in capacity that can be expected for an injured player, as well as how long full recovery will take. For minor injuries you may consider it advantageous to play an important player even if injured, if you think he will still be better than a replacement player. Be aware that injured players who play will not recover until rested.

**England - Next Fixture**  
Pool Match: England v USA

**Home** | **Inbox** | **Squad** | **Team Statistics** | **Player Statistics** | **Top Players** | **Play Match** | **Options**

**Pool C**

	P	W	L	D	F	A	+/-	BP	PT
England	1	1	0	0	28	0	28	1	5
Argentina	1	1	0	0	21	14	7	0	4
France	1	0	1	0	14	21	-7	1	1
USA	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Tonga	1	0	1	0	0	28	-28	0	0

**Squad Health**

Player	Position	Status
James Graham	Hooker	Niggling injury (Performance capacity 85%) - Rest required for full recovery (2 games)
Josh Cakobau	Wing	Healthy
Dillon Cate	Prop	Healthy

**Tournament top players**

Player	Points
Jacob Norman	10
Oliver Farns	8
Tonio Allen	7
Brandon Barnett	6
Jack Scotson	6
Nicolás Suarez	6

**Fixtures**

Round 2: Russia v Samoa (10:00)

Round 2: Italy v Canada (10:00)

**Most recent messages**

Next match  
Hi Coach, Good luck for the upcoming pool match. We have done some research...

Good win  
Hi Coach, Well done on getting the win. Our top performers in the match...

Player injury  
Hi Coach, The following player went off injured in our most recent match...

**Your team top players**

Player	Points
Jacob Norman	10
Oliver Farns	8
Craig Lanes	5
Mark Venus	5
Josh Cakobau	0
Dillon Cate	0

## Inbox

During the game you will receive messages in your inbox that keep you informed about player injuries, which of your players stood out in previous matches, and the key opposition players to watch out for in your next match. Each game also includes an initial welcome email which offers some of the key gameplay tips that are also discussed in this manual.

**Japan - Next Fixture**  
Pool Match: Japan v Samoa

**Home** | **Inbox** | **Squad** | **Team Statistics** | **Player Statistics** | **Top Players** | **Play Match** | **Options**

**Messages**

Icon	Subject	Action
Next match	Next match	X
Tough loss	Tough loss	X
Player injury	Player injury	X
Next match	Next match	X
Good win	Good win	X
Welcome	Welcome	X

**Next match**

Hi Coach,

Good luck for the upcoming pool match.

We have done some analysis and these are the opposition players we think might offer the biggest threats in this match,

Ashton Tutaa  
Jimmy Vaea  
JP Tuli



## Advancing competition rounds

The description in the top right of the screen will indicate when you have no more games remaining in a round of the competition. Click the Sim button to simulate any remaining games between other teams.

England has no more games in this round

Sim remaining games in round

Home Inbox Squad Team Statistics Player Statistics Top Players Play Match Options

**Pool C**

	P	W	L	D	F	A	+/-	BP	PT
England	1	1	0	0	35	3	32	1	5
Argentina	1	1	0	0	7	0	7	0	4
France	1	0	1	0	0	7	-7	1	1
USA	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Tonga	1	0	1	0	3	35	-32	0	0

**Fixtures**

Round 1

Japan 12 - 7 Russia

Australia 21 - 0 Fiji

Attendance: 19,707 (capacity: 70,000)

Attendance: 11,984 (capacity: 12,000)

**Squad Health**

Josh Cakobau  
Wing Healthy

Dillon Cale  
Prop Healthy

Tim Chester  
Flanker Healthy

**Tournament top players**

Oliver Farns 10

James Graham 10

Clyde Lobben 7

Brendan Foals 6

Vladimir Artamonov 5

Alan Calemson 5

**Most recent messages**

Welcome

Hi Coach, Every four years we get a chance to prove we are the best.....

**Your team top players**

Oliver Farns 10

James Graham 10

Graham Kean 5

Brandon Venus 5

Anton Walton 5

Josh Cakobau 0

Once there are no more games remaining in a competition round the Advance button will appear on the top right panel. Click this to progress to the next competition round.

Advance to next round

Home Inbox Squad Team Statistics Player Statistics Top Players Play Match Options

**Pool C**

	P	W	L	D	F	A	+/-	BP	PT
England	1	1	0	0	35	3	32	1	5
Argentina	1	1	0	0	7	0	7	0	4
France	1	0	1	0	0	7	-7	1	1
USA	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Tonga	1	0	1	0	3	35	-32	0	0

**Fixtures**

Round 1

Japan 12 - 7 Russia

Australia 21 - 0 Fiji

Attendance: 19,707 (capacity: 70,000)

Attendance: 11,984 (capacity: 12,000)

**Squad Health**

Josh Cakobau  
Wing Healthy

Dillon Cale  
Prop Healthy

Tim Chester  
Flanker Healthy

**Tournament top players**

Oliver Farns 10

James Graham 10

Clyde Lobben 7

Brendan Foals 6

Vladimir Artamonov 5

Alan Calemson 5

**Most recent messages**

Welcome

Hi Coach, Every four years we get a chance to prove we are the best.....

**Your team top players**

Oliver Farns 10

James Graham 10

Graham Kean 5

Brandon Venus 5

Anton Walton 5

Josh Cakobau 0

In some competition structures your team may have the occasional bye round. When this occurs, you can just follow the same procedure as outlined above by clicking the Sim button on the top right panel and after that the Advance button.

**England**  
W-L-D 3-0-0  
1st

England has a bye this round

Sim remaining games in round

Home Inbox Squad Team Statistics Player Statistics Top Players Play Match Options

**Pool C**

	P	W	L	D	F	A	+/-	BP	PT
England	3	3	0	0	87	10	77	2	14
Argentina	3	2	1	0	14	19	-5	0	8
France	2	1	1	0	7	7	0	1	5
USA	2	0	2	0	7	40	-33	1	1
Tonga	2	0	2	0	3	42	-39	1	1

**Fixtures**

Round 4

Australia v Uruguay

Round 4

Japan v Samoa

**Squad Health**

Mark Tuohang  
Outside Centre  
Niggling injury  
Performance capacity 75%  
Rest required for full recovery 3 game(s)

Josh Cakobau  
Wing  
Healthy

Dillon Cale  
Prop  
Healthy

**Most recent messages**

Good win  
Hi Coach, Well done on getting the win. Our top performers in the file.

Player injury  
Hi Coach, Unfortunately the following player has picked up an injury.

Next match  
Hi Coach, Good luck for the upcoming pool match. We have done some a.....

**Tournament top players**

	Points
Anton Walton	25
Oliver Farns	22
Jack Scotson	17
Brandon Barnett	13
Dillon Briggs	11
Samuel Cancellara	10

**Your team top players**

	Points
Anton Walton	25
Oliver Farns	22
James Graham	10
Jake Marley	10
Earl Damion	5
Graham Kean	5

## Watching other teams matches

If there are games between other teams that you would like to watch in 3D, you can click the 3D Sim button next to the game you wish to watch on the Fixtures panel on the home page. 3D simulations take longer so you will need to wait a minute for the simulation to finish.

**England**  
W-L-D 3-0-0  
1st

England - Next Fixture

Pool Match England v France

Home Inbox Squad Team Statistics Player Statistics Top Players Play Match Options

**Pool C**

	P	W	L	D	F	A	+/-	BP	PT
England	3	3	0	0	87	10	77	2	14
Argentina	4	2	2	0	33	47	-14	0	8
USA	3	1	2	0	35	59	-24	2	6
France	3	1	2	0	14	26	-12	1	5
Tonga	3	1	2	0	22	49	-27	1	5

**Fixtures**

Round 5

Australia v Georgia

Round 5

New Zealand v Italy

**Squad Health**

Mark Tuohang  
Outside Centre  
Niggling injury  
Performance capacity 75%  
Rest required for full recovery 2 game(s)

Josh Cakobau  
Wing  
Healthy

Dillon Cale  
Prop  
Healthy

**Most recent messages**

Next match  
Hi Coach, Good luck for the upcoming pool match. We have done some a.....

Good win  
Hi Coach, Well done on getting the win. Our top performers in the file.

Player injury  
Hi Coach, Unfortunately the following player has picked up an injury.

**Tournament top players**

	Points
Anton Walton	25
Oliver Farns	22
Fleet Ruskin	17
Jack Scotson	17
Brandon Barnett	15
Brendan Foals	14

**Your team top players**

	Points
Anton Walton	25
Oliver Farns	22
James Graham	10
Jake Marley	10
Earl Damion	5
Graham Kean	5

Once the game finishes simulating you can watch it by clicking the Watch button that appears next to it. The result is hidden by default so that the outcome of the match is not spoilt. However, if you wish to view the score, simply click the Show result button.

The screenshot shows the 'Home' page of the game interface. At the top, there's a header with the England flag and 'England - Next Fixture'. Below this, a navigation bar includes 'Home', 'Inbox', 'Squad', 'Team Statistics', 'Player Statistics', 'Top Players', 'Play Match', and 'Options'. The main content area is divided into several panels:

- Pool C:** A table showing the standings for Pool C.
 

	P	W	L	D	F	A	+/-	BP	PT
England	3	3	0	0	87	10	77	2	14
Argentina	4	2	2	0	33	47	-14	0	8
USA	3	1	2	0	35	59	-24	2	6
France	3	1	2	0	14	26	-12	1	5
Tonga	3	1	2	0	22	49	-27	1	5
- Squad Health:** A panel showing player health and status.
 

Player	Position	Status
Mark Tuohang	Outside Centre	Rest required for full recovery (2 game(s))
Josh Cakobau	Wing	Healthy
Dillon Cate	Prop	Healthy
- Tournament top players:** A list of top players and their points.
 

Player	Points
Anton Walton	25
Oliver Farns	22
Brandon Barnett	19
Fint Ruskin	17
Jack Scotson	17
Kevin Reedy	15
- Fixtures:** A panel showing upcoming matches.
 

Round	Match	Score
Round 5	Australia vs Georgia	0 - 0
Round 5	New Zealand vs Italy	-
- Most recent messages:** A list of messages from the coach.
  - Next match: Hi Coach, Good luck for the upcoming pool match. We have done some B.....
  - Good win: Hi Coach, Well done on getting the win. Our top performers in the.....
  - Player injury: Hi Coach, Unfortunately the following player has picked up an injury.....
- Your team top players:** A list of top players and their points.
 

Player	Points
Anton Walton	25
Oliver Farns	22
James Graham	10
Jake Marley	10
Earl Damien	5
Graham Kean	5

## Match and Competition statistics

In depth match statistics can be accessed for each match by clicking the Stats button on the fixtures panel on the Home page.

The screenshot shows the 'Match Summary' for a game between Australia and Wales. The score is 14-7 in favor of Australia. The match was played at 0:45. The statistics are as follows:

Stat	Australia	Wales
Tries	2	1
Possession	56	44
Territory	79	21
Tackles	12	15
Missed Tackles	1	4
Offloads	0	1
Handling Errors	2	5
Penalties Conceded	1	1
Turnovers Won	0	1
Lineouts Awarded	0	2
Lineouts Stolen	0	0
Scrum Awarded	4	2
Time in Redzone	0:45	0:03

The interface also shows a 'Pool C' table on the left and a 'Fixtures' panel at the bottom left. The 'Pool C' table is the same as in the previous screenshot. The 'Fixtures' panel shows the next match between Australia and Wales.



Detailed statistics for each team can be accessed by going to the Team Statistics page. This includes key summary statistics for each team, as well as the top performing players in various categories.

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**Teams**

Ireland Japan Russia Samoa Scotland

Canada Italy Namibia New Zealand South Africa

Argentina England France Tonga USA

Australia Fiji Georgia Uruguay Wales

**England**

Current Record 40/0  
Points for 108  
Points against 17  
Points +/- 91

**Top Players**

Oliver Fams Preferred position Fly half  
Anton Walton Preferred position Wing  
Martin Williams Preferred position Forward  
Jake Marley Preferred position Wing  
Martin Williams Preferred position Forward  
Mark Toolong Preferred position Outside Centre  
James Graham Preferred position Hooker

**Key Statistics**

Trials	16	Try Assists	5
Conversions	14/18	Try Assists	5
Penalty goals	0	Meters Gained	302
Drop goals	0	Time in opp's 22	2:44
Possession	51%	Tackles	115/151
Territory	50%	Offsides	29
Time in opp's 22	2:44	Turnovers	12
Tackles	115/151	Carries	336
Offsides	29	Running Meters	1159
Turnovers	12	Tackle Breaks	32
Carries	336	Defenders Beaten	70
Running Meters	1159	Handling Errors	5
Tackle Breaks	32	Penalties Conceded	4
Defenders Beaten	70	Lineouts	12
Handling Errors	5	Scrum	6
Penalties Conceded	4		
Lineouts	12		
Scrum	6		

Detailed statistics for each player can be accessed by going to the Player Statistics page. This includes each player's competition totals to date, as well as their best performance in certain categories for a single match. Note that the Performance rating is a key performance indicator which is used to indicate the quality of performance of a player.

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Home Inbox Squad Team Statistics **Player Statistics** Top Players Play Match Options

**Squad**

Name	Age	Height	Weight	Preferred position	OVR
Dillon Cade	32	191	118	Prop	86
Tim Chester	20	185	99	Flanker	83
Liam Cotton-Drake	25	184	112	Hooker	84
Earl Darnon	26	184	94	Inside Centre	93
Oliver Fams	27	188	92	Fly half	97
Greg Fom	26	178	84	Fly half	95
Peter Francis	29	183	90	Inside Centre	90
Eliot Garfield	24	187	113	Prop	83
James Graham	28	183	109	Hooker	89
Will Hunter	32	162	89	Scrum half	87
Mark Ings	24	195	115	Lock	87
Josh Jones	28	183	90	Outside Centre	88
Graham Kean	29	198	113	Lock	86

**Player Stats - James Graham**

Single game records

Trials	2	Tackles	3
Points	10	Meters	86
Turnovers	1	Performance rating	41.6
Assists	1		

Competition Statistics

Games played	4	Turnovers forced	1
Minutes played	91	Turnovers conceded	2
Carries	19	Tackles made	8
Running meters	159	Tackles missed	2
Successful conversions	0	Tackle assists	4
Successful penalty goals	0	Lineout jumps attack	0
Successful drop goals	0	Lineout jumps defence	0
Trials	2	Lineout takes attack	0
Try assists	2	Lineout takes defence	0
Points	10	Lineout clean takes attack	0
Defenders Beaten	11	Lineout clean takes defence	0
Passes thrown	10	Lineout handling errors attack	0
Passes on target	10	Lineout handling errors defence	0
Forward passes	0	Lineouts thrown	12
Penalties forced	0	Lineout throws on target	6
Penalties conceded	0	Not straight in/out throws	0
Handling errors	0	Scrum penalties conceded attack	0
Rucks joined	27	Scrum penalties conceded defence	0

You can track how players in other teams are performing by viewing their statistics using the dropdown provided, as shown in the image below.

England W:L:D 6:0:0 1st

England has no more games in this round

Home Inbox Squad Team Statistics **Player Statistics** Top Players Play Match Options

Sim remaining games in round

### Squad

Name	Age	Height	Weight	Preferred pos	Current Team
✓ Allan Ainsley-kepper	35	162	98	Inside Centre	Argentina
✓ Alban Alibetoli	25	162	125	Prop	Australia
✓ Ray Arnington	29	208	120	Lock	Canada
✓ Jeremiah Ashley	23	180	121	Prop	England
✓ Tim Barker	25	186	93	Fullback	Fiji
✓ Kurtis Bates	30	164	92	Inside Centre	England
✓ Alan Celemon	27	204	122	Lock	England
✓ Josh Denman	25	191	109	Flanker	England
✓ Fuanilevu Feingae	24	178	106	Hooker	England
✓ Brendan Foals	29	162	89	Fly half	England
✓ Bill Gean	31	174	82	Scrum half	England
✓ Josh Goldard	25	166	85	Scrum half	England
✓ Neil Hancock	24	194	110	Flanker	England

### Player Stats - Kurtis Bates

Single game records

Tries	0	Tackles	2
Points	0	Meters	64
Turnovers	0	Performance rating	12.8
Assists	0		

Competition Statistics

Games played	4	Turnovers forced	0
Minutes played	89	Turnovers conceded	0
Carries	28	Tackles made	5
Running meters	135	Tackles missed	4
Successful conversions	0	Tackle assists	5
Successful penalty goals	0	Lineout jumps attack	0
Successful drop goals	0	Lineout jumps defence	0
Tries	0	Lineout takes attack	0
Try assists	0	Lineout takes defence	0
Points	0	Lineout clear takes attack	0
Defenders beaten	5	Lineout clear takes defence	0
Passes thrown	9	Lineout handling errors attack	0
Passes on target	9	Lineout handling errors defence	0
Forward passes	0	Lineouts broken	0
Penalties forced	0	Lineout throws on target	0
Penalties conceded	0	Not straight lineout throws	0
Handling errors	0	Scrum penalties conceded attack	0
Rucks joined	18	Scrum penalties conceded defence	0

The top players in the competition are summarised on the Top Players page. This includes a Team of the week, which is selected based on performance rating at the completion of each competition round.

England W:L:D 4:0:0 1st

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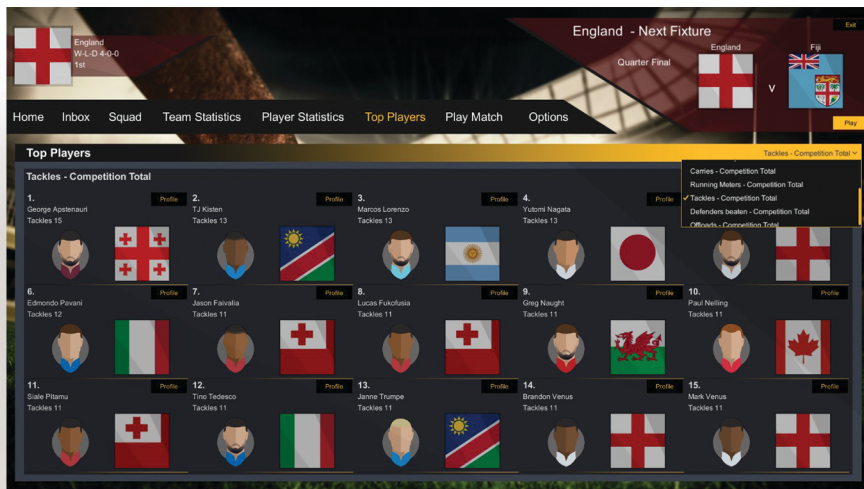
Home Inbox Squad Team Statistics Player Statistics **Top Players** Play Match Options

Team of the week - based on Performance Ratings

Position	Player	Rating	Team
1. Prop	1. Prop - Mark Verius	15.6	England
2. Hooker	2. Hooker - James Graham	18.6	England
3. Prop	3. Prop - Raymond Simono	15.5	France
4. Lock	4. Lock - Craig Limes	16.7	England
5. Lock	5. Lock - Peter Geborhault	16.0	France
6. Flanker	6. Flanker - Adrian Savoy	25.0	New Zealand
7. Flanker	7. Flanker - Kevin Roedy	34.4	New Zealand
8. No 8	8. No 8 - Luke Squad	24.8	New Zealand
9. Halfback	9. Halfback - Tino Tedesco	23.6	Italy
10. Flyhalf	10. Flyhalf - Dillon Briggs	17.0	Wales
11. Wing	11. Wing - Jimmy Vaela	21.0	New Zealand
12. Inside Centre	12. Inside Centre - Earl Damson	30.0	England
13. Outside Centre	13. Outside Centre - Giles Figard	16.5	France
14. Wing	14. Wing - Teddy Rayon	17.7	France
15. Fullback	15. Fullback - Nikau Mneni-Scarret	35.8	New Zealand

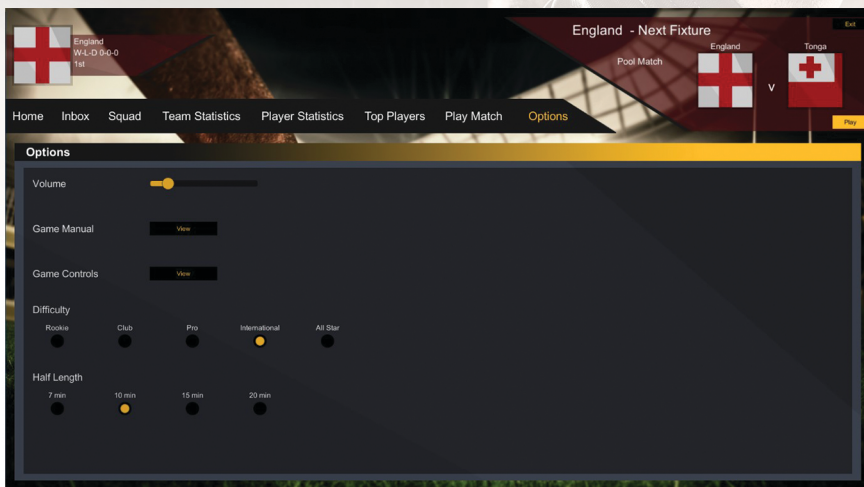


Other statistical categories on the Top Players page can be accessed using the drop down shown in the image below.



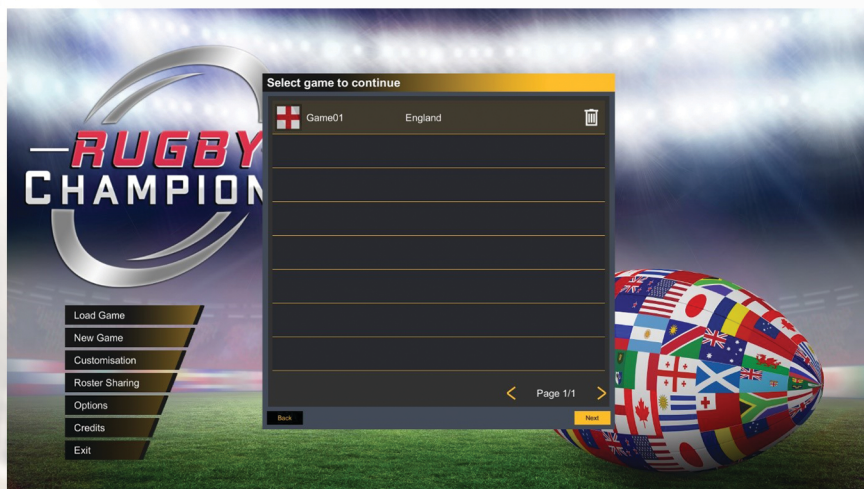
## In-Game Options

During a competition you can change the game options for the competition you are playing by clicking the Options page. Here you can adjust the volume, game difficulty and half length settings. You can also view the Game Manual and Game Controls by clicking the buttons provided to open them in pdf format. Note that the half length can only be changed at the beginning of a competition round. Changes made to the difficulty and half length settings here will not affect your default settings for new games, as described in the Main Menu Options section below.



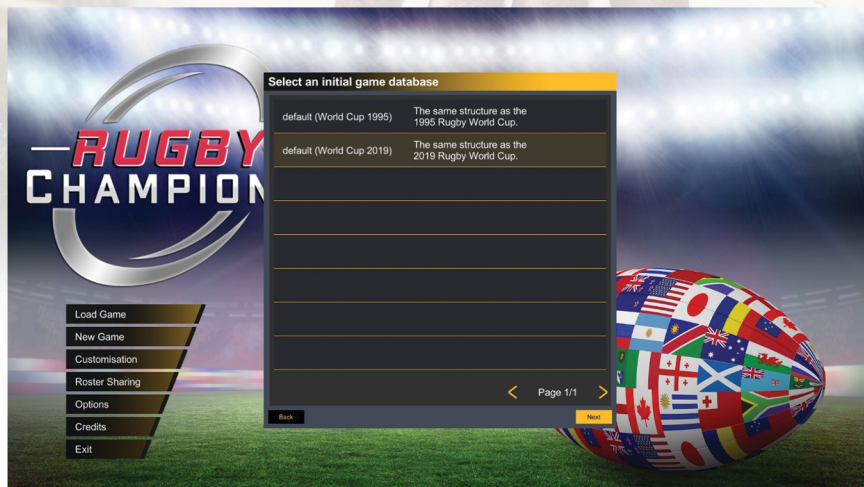
## Loading, Saving, and Deleting games

Once you have created a game, you can reload it by clicking on the Load Game button on the Main Menu and clicking next. There is no need to save games in Rugby Champions, as this is taken care of via auto-saving. To delete a game, simply click the trash icon next to it.



## Customisation

You can customise any roster by clicking the Customisation button on the Main Menu, selecting the roster you wish to use as your base, and clicking next.



The Teams tab displays by default. Here you can choose from a large number of options to customise the jersey of each team in the competition.



To adjust the individual players on a team, click the Players tab and then click the Edit button located next to any player you wish to modify.





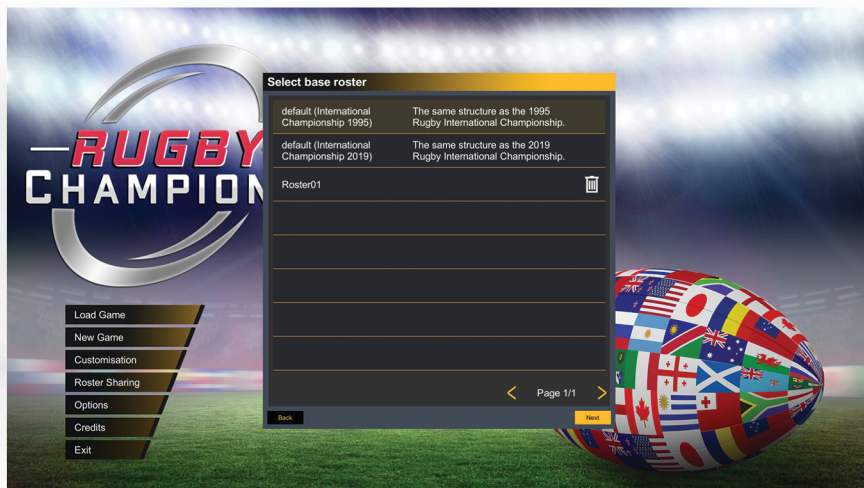
You will then be able to use the controls provided to edit the players name, appearance, physical attributes, and skills.



Once you are finished editing the roster, return to the Teams tab and click Save to lock in the changes you have made. If you do not wish to keep the changes, you can click the Discard Changes button.



Any rosters that you create will be available to select after you click New Game from the Main Menu. If you choose to start a new game with a roster you have created, that game will feature all the changes to team jerseys and players that you carried out during customisation. To delete a roster that you created, simply click the trash icon next to it.



## Roster Sharing

Any rosters you create can also be shared with others playing the game by clicking the Roster Sharing option on the Main Menu. Use the Share Rosters panel to upload any rosters you wish to share. Use the Import Rosters panel to import rosters shared by others by simply clicking the Import Roster button next to the roster you wish to import. Rosters with Recommended text displayed are the rosters that have been most downloaded by the community.





## Main Menu Options

You can access this page by clicking the Options button on the Main Menu. As with the options discussed in the In Game Options section, here you can adjust the volume, game difficulty and half length settings. You can also view the Game Manual and Game Controls by clicking the buttons provided to open them in pdf format. The key difference is that the game difficulty and half length settings you apply here will become the default settings for new games.





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