

OFFICIAL RBS 6 NATIONS TEAM SELECTION *DELIVERED BY ACCENTURE*

ENGLAND v WALES at Millennium Stadium, 6.2.2015 (20:05)

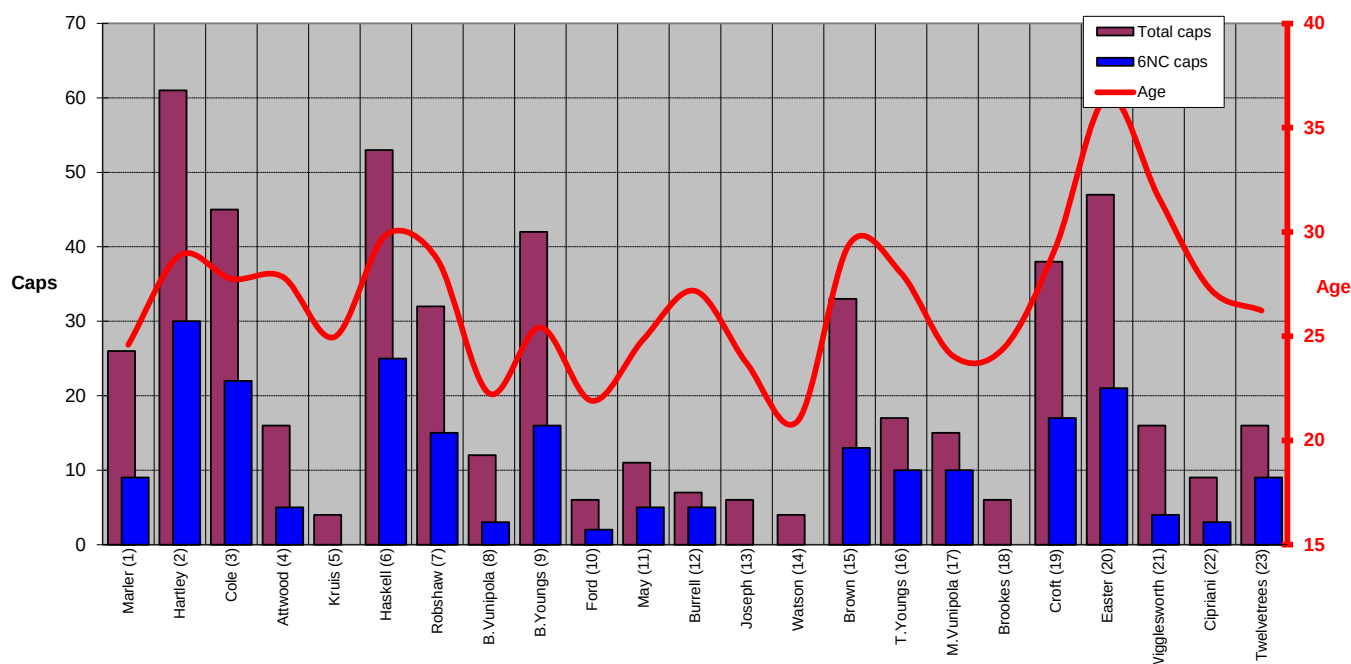
Head coach Stuart Lancaster hands RBS 6 Nations debuts to three of his starting lineup, with lock **George Kruis**, centre **Jamie Joseph** and wing **Anthony Watson** all making first starts in rugby's greatest championship. On the bench is another who may make a debut in the tournament, prop, **Kieran Brookes**. If **Nick Easter** comes off the bench it will be his first cap since the quarter-final of RWC in 2011 and he will also become England's 9th oldest player of all time.

The XV has 368 test caps between them; the bench has a further 164 caps.

The starting centres and wings account for just 28 caps (3.9%) of the total.

The average age of the walk-on team is 25.9 years; the average on the bench is 28.4

AGE & EXPERIENCE



(1) JOE MARLER

Team: Harlequins

Born: 7.7.1990 (24) in Eastbourne (England)

Ht: 1.83m (6'0") Wt: 110kg (17st 4lb)

Position: Prop

Test debut: 9.6.2012 v South Africa (Durban)

RBS 6N debut: 2.2.2013 v Scotland (Twickenham)

FACTBOX:

Club debuts: 2008-09 Worthing, 2009-10 Esher, 2009-10 Harlequins

An Amlin Challenge Cup winner with Harlequins in 2011, and Premiership winner with them in 2012, he is now captain of the club.

Captained England U18 team in 2008 against Wales, scoring a try in the game at Worcester

Represented England U20 in 2009 in the Six Nations and at the World Junior Championship in Japan, and again in 2010 U20 Six Nations and World Junior Championship in Argentina

England Saxons debut came against Italy A in January 2011. Made his RBS 6 Nations debut in the 2013 Calcutta Cup game

Has missed just one of England's last 24 tests, in round 5 of the RBS 6 Nations last season due to the birth of his first child. Has started England's last seven games in the No.1 shirt

TEST CAREER

Overall

RBS 6 Nations

v Wales

@ Millennium Std

RBS 6N 2014

PREM 2014/15

CHAMP CUP 2014/15

Caps	Starts	Rep	SNU	Try	Pts	W	D	L
26	24	2	-	-	-	14	1	11
9	8	1	-	-	-	7	-	2
2	2	-	-	-	-	1	-	1
1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
4	4	-	-	-	-	3	-	1
7	7	-	-	-	-	4	-	3
5	5	-	-	1	5	3	-	2

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(2) DYLAN HARTLEY		TEST CAREER		Caps	Starts	Rep	SNU	Try	Pts	W	D	L	
Team: Northampton Saints		Overall		61	39	22	-	1	5	35	2	24	
Born: 24.3.1986 (28) in Rotorua (N Zealand)		RBS 6 Nations		30	21	9	-	-	-	21	1	8	
Ht: 1.85m (6'1") Wt: 109kg (17st 2lb)		v Wales		7	5	2	-	-	-	4	-	3	
Position: Hooker		@ Millennium Std		3	1	2	-	-	-	1	-	2	
Test debut: 8.11.2008 v Pacific Islanders (Twickenham)		RBS 6N 2014		5	5	-	-	-	-	4	-	1	
RBS 6N debut: 7.2.2009 v Italy (Twickenham)		PREM 2014/15		6	5	1	-	-	-	5	-	1	
FACTBOX:		CHAMP CUP 2014/15		6	5	1	-	-	-	4	-	2	
Club debuts: 2004-05 Worcester, 2005-06 Northampton													
An Amlin Challenge Cup winner 2009 but a shoulder injury kept him out of the 2014 final. Returned on the bench for the Premiership final against Saracens having captained them the previous year's loss to Leicester. A European Cup finalist in 2011													
Won grand slam with England U21 2006, starting all their games, 3 as prop 2 as hooker. England A debut came in 2007 against Italy, scoring a try													
This is his 6th successive RBS 6 Nations Championship, he has now played in all 30 matches since his debut in the competition against Italy at Twickenham in 2009, starting all games in 2014													
Played in England's last six tests, only two hookers have made more appearances for England, fellow Saint Steve Thompson, and Brian Moore. Scored only test try to date v All Blacks at Twickenham in November 2010.													
Signed an extension to his contract with Northampton Saints in December													

(3) DAN COLE		TEST CAREER		Caps	Starts	Rep	SNU	Try	Pts	W	D	L	
Team: Leicester Tigers		Overall		45	42	3	-	1	5	27	2	16	
Born: 9.5.1987 (27) in Leicester (England)		RBS 6 Nations		22	21	1	-	1	5	15	1	6	
Ht: 1.90m (6'3") Wt: 115kg (18st 1lb)		v Wales		5	4	1	-	-	-	2	-	3	
Position: Prop		@ Millennium Std		3	3	-	-	-	-	1	-	2	
Test debut: 6.2.2010 v Wales (Twickenham)		RBS 6N 2014		2	2	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	
RBS 6N debut: 6.2.2010 v Wales (Twickenham)		PREM 2014/15		5	5	-	-	-	-	3	1	1	
FACTBOX:		CHAMP CUP 2014/15		2	2	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	
Club debuts: 2006-07 Bedford, 2007-08 Leicester, 2008-09 Nottingham													
An English Premiership winner with Leicester 2009, 2010 & 2013, and finalist in 2011 and 2012, he has recently agreed an extension to his contract at Leicester Tigers													
Represented England U19 at the 2006 World Championships in South Africa and England U20 in the 2007 Six Nations. England A debut came against Portugal in 2009, he was also a Churchill Cup finalist with England Saxons the same year													
Senior test debut came as a replacement in the opening game of the 2010 RBS 6 Nations Championship v Wales, he then started 21 successive games in the tournament until a bulging disc in his neck ruled him out last season. Has not been capped since													
His only test try to date was scored against Ireland at Twickenham in 2010 RBS 6 Nations on his 3rd appearance													
Selected for 2013 British & Irish Lions, made 9 appearances on the tour, including 3 test caps off the bench.													

(4) DAVE ATTWOOD		TEST CAREER		Caps	Starts	Rep	SNU	Try	Pts	W	D	L	
Team: Bath Rugby		Overall		16	6	10	-	-	-	10	-	6	
Born: 5.4.1987 (27) in Bristol (England)		RBS 6 Nations		5	-	5	-	-	-	4	-	1	
Ht: 2.01m (6'7") Wt: 119kg (18st 10lb)		v Wales		1	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	
Position: Lock		@ Millennium Std		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Test debut: 6.11.2010 v New Zealand (Twickenham)		RBS 6N 2014		5	-	5	-	-	-	4	-	1	
RBS 6N debut: 1.2.2014 v France (Paris)		PREM 2014/15		9	7	2	-	1	5	6	-	3	
FACTBOX:		CHAMP CUP 2014/15		6	4	2	-	-	-	4	-	2	
Club debuts: 2004-05 Dings Crusaders, 2005-06 Bristol, 2008-09 Newbury, 2009-10 Gloucester, 2011-12 Bath													
With his club, Bath, reached the final of the Amlin Challenge Cup in Cardiff last May, losing to Northampton													
Represented England at U19 World Championships in Dubai 2006, and U20 in the Six Nations 2007, starting all 5 games													
England Saxons debut was against Ireland Wolfhounds 2010 at Bath. He helped the Saxons win the Churchill Cup in 2011													
Toured with England to Australia and New Zealand in 2010, playing in 4 matches but not being capped. Gained his first 2 caps in the 2010 autumn internationals, both off the bench, against New Zealand and Samoa.													
Played all 5 games in the RBS 6 Nations last year as a replacement. Toured to New Zealand last summer playing in 2 tests and started at lock in all the autumn internationals													

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(5) GEORGE KRUIS Team: Saracens Born: 22.2.1990 (24) in Guildford (England) Ht: 1.98m (6'6") Wt: 113kg (17st 11lb) Position: Back-row Test debut: 8.11.2014 v New Zealand (Twickenham) RBS 6N debut: -	TEST CAREER	Caps	Starts	Rep	SNU	Try	Pts	W	D	L
	Overall	4	-	4	-	-	-	2	-	2
FACTBOX: Club debuts: 2008-09 Barking, 2009-10 Saracens, 2010-11 Bedford Was part of the Saracens squad that took the 2011 Premiership title, was loaned out to Bedford towards the end of that campaign playing for them in the final of the British & Irish Cup loss to Bristol Made great strides in the Saracens team last season until a knee injury at the end of March ruled him out for the rest of the campaign thereby missing the European and Premiership finals. Played for England in the U20 Six Nations 2010 and went on to help England to 4th place in the JWC in Argentina later that year. Started four England Saxons' games in succession, two in 2013 at No.6 and two more in 2014 in the second row Played in all four of England's autumn internationals off the bench	RBS 6 Nations v Wales @ Millennium Std RBS 6N 2014	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	PREM 2014/15	8	7	1	-	1	5	6	-	2
	CHAMP CUP 2014/15	4	4	-	-	-	-	3	-	1
(6) JAMES HASKELL Team: Wasps Born: 2.4.1985 (29) in Windsor (England) Ht: 1.93m (6'4") Wt: 114kg (17st 13lb) Position: Back-row Test debut: 17.3.2007 v Wales (Cardiff) RBS 6N debut: 17.3.2007 v Wales (Cardiff)	TEST CAREER	Caps	Starts	Rep	SNU	Try	Pts	W	D	L
	Overall	53	36	17	1	4	20	29	2	22
FACTBOX: Club debuts: 2003-04 Wasps, 2009-10 Stade Français, 2011-12 Ricoh Japan, 2012 Highlanders Moved to Stade Français for two seasons from 2009, then following RWC 2011 had spells in Japan and New Zealand, where he played Super Rugby with the Highlanders. Returned to Wasps at the start of 2012/13 season, now captains them European Cup winner with Wasps in their 2007 victory over Leicester Tigers, and a Premiership winner with them in 2008. European Challenge Cup finalist with Stade Français in 2011 Test debut came in the RBS 6 Nations game against Wales 2007. Three of his four test tries to date have been against Wales at Twickenham as was his 50th cap in the final round of 2013, which is his most recent appearance in the tournament Played in every one of England's four RBS 6 Nations campaigns 2007-2011; did not play at all in 2012 or 2014, but played in all rounds during the 2013 competition Toured New Zealand with England last summer appearing in the first third test in Auckland and then played two autumn internationals, against Samoa and Australia	RBS 6 Nations v Wales @ Millennium Std RBS 6N 2014	25	18	7	-	3	15	16	1	8
	PREM 2014/15	10	10	-	-	1	5	7	-	3
	CHAMP CUP 2014/15	4	4	-	-	-	-	3	1	-
(7) CHRIS ROBshaw(c) Team: Harlequins Born: 4.6.1986 (28) in Redhill (England) Ht: 1.88m (6'2") Wt: 110kg (17st 4lb) Position: Back-row Test debut: 13.6.2009 v Argentina (Salta) RBS 6N debut: 4.2.2012 v Scotland (Murrayfield)	TEST CAREER	Caps	Starts	Rep	SNU	Try	Pts	W	D	L
	Overall	32	32	-	-	2	10	18	-	14
FACTBOX: Club debuts: 2005 Harlequins Led Harlequins to Amlin Challenge Cup victory over Stade Français in May 2011 and to the Aviva Premiership title in May 2012, scoring a try in his Man of the Match performance in the final victory over Leicester Tigers He has played in every minute of England's last 15 tests in the No.7 shirt since missing the summer tour to South America in 2013. His first test try came in the victory over Australia, November 2013 His Test debut came against Argentina in Salta in June 2009, making his bow on the blindside, ever since he has worn the number 7 shirt. That was the only game he was ever replaced. Leading the team in the 2012 Calcutta Cup game, he became just the fourth England captain (and the first since 1947) to skipper his country on his Championship debut Has played in England's last 15 RBS 6 Nations games, all as captain, scoring a 1 st try in the tournament against Italy in Rome in round 5 last year	RBS 6 Nations v Wales @ Millennium Std RBS 6N 2014	15	15	-	-	1	5	12	-	3
	PREM 2014/15	7	7	-	-	1	5	4	-	3
	CHAMP CUP 2014/15	5	5	-	-	-	-	4	-	1

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(8) BILLY VUNIPOLA Team: Saracens Born: 3.11.1992 (22) in Sydney, NSW (Australia) Ht: 1.88m (6'2") Wt: 126kg (19st 11lb) Position: No.8 Test debut: 8.6.2013 v Argentina (Salta) RBS 6N debut: 1.2.2014 v France (Paris)	TEST CAREER	Caps	Starts	Rep	SNU	Try	Pts	W	D	L
	Overall	12	9	3	-	1	5	6	-	6
FACTBOX: Club debuts: 2010-11 Wasps, 2013-14 Saracens Joined his brother Mako at Saracens in summer 2013. Was No.8 in both of Saracens losing finals in May last year, to Toulon in the European Cup and Saints in the Premiership. Named Discovery of the Season in the Aviva Premiership 2013/14 Played 4 games in the U20 Junior World Championship in South Africa 2012 Selected for England's 2013 tour to South America, scored a hat-trick in the non-cap game in Montevideo before coming off the bench in both tests and grabbing a try on his test debut in Salta Made his RBS 6 Nations debut in round 1 last season against France, and also started at No.8 against Scotland and Ireland but an ankle injury in the latter ruled him out for the remainder of the tournament Toured New Zealand last summer, unavailable for the 1st test due to Saracens Premiership final, but played in the 2nd & 3rd tests.	RBS 6 Nations	3	3	-	-	-	-	2	-	1
	v Wales	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	@ Millennium Std	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	RBS 6N 2014	3	3	-	-	-	-	2	-	1
	PREM 2014/15	10	9	1	-	2	10	7	-	3
	CHAMP CUP 2014/15	6	6	-	-	2	10	4	-	2
(9) BEN YOUNGS Team: Leicester Tigers Born: 5.9.1989 (25) in Cawston (England) Ht: 1.78m (5'10") Wt: 87kg (13st 9lb) Position: Scrum-half Test debut: 13.3.2010 v Scotland (Murrayfield) RBS 6N debut: 13.3.2010 v Scotland (Murrayfield)	TEST CAREER	Caps	Starts	Rep	SNU	Try	Pts	W	D	L
	Overall	42	28	14	1	6	30	24	1	17
FACTBOX: Club debuts: 2006-07 Leicester An English Premiership winner with Tigers in 2007 (as a 17 year old) & 2010, when he scored a try in the final against Saracens. A Premiership finalist in 2011 when Saracens took the title, and 2012 when Tigers lost to Harlequins, a winner again in 2013. An ever present during 2011 RBS 6 Nations Championship winning season, and during England's RWC 2011 campaign, overcoming knee surgery in time to make the trip to New Zealand. Scored 6 tries in his first 24 caps, but none since. Selected to tour with the British & Irish Lions, the Youngs becoming the first brothers to do so since the Hastings. Made 7 appearances on tour, including the first two tests, and scoring 2 tries: against the Reds and the Rebels. Was in the matchday squad for 17 successive RBS 6 Nations games from debut but didn't play last year, his only try in the tournament came against Ireland in 2012 Recalled to England's ranks for the summer tour to New Zealand and has played in their last 7 test matches.	RBS 6 Nations	16	11	5	1	1	5	12	1	3
	v Wales	3	2	1	-	-	-	1	-	2
	@ Millennium Std	2	2	-	-	-	-	1	-	1
	RBS 6N 2014	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	PREM 2014/15	10	10	-	-	1	5	5	-	5
	CHAMP CUP 2014/15	6	6	-	-	-	-	3	-	3
(10) GEORGE FORD Team: Bath Rugby. Position: Fly-half Born: 16.3.1993 (21) in Oldham (England) Ht: 1.78m (5'10") Wt: 84kg (13st 3lb) Test kicking: 13 from 18 (72%) 5C/8PG/ODG Test debut: 9.3.2014 v Wales (Twickenham) RBS 6N debut: 9.3.2014 v Wales (Twickenham)	TEST CAREER	Caps	Starts	Rep	SNU	Try	Pts	W	D	L
	Overall	6	2	4	1	-	34	4	-	2
FACTBOX: Club debuts: 2009-10 Leicester, 2011-12 Leeds, 2013-14 Bath Ford was the youngest player to participate at the 2011 JWC in Italy, where he gained 51 points including 7 in England's losing final appearance to New Zealand. Became the first English player to claim the IRB Young Player of the Year award that year Won both the LV=Cup then the Aviva Premiership on his final appearance for Leicester Tigers before switching to Bath. Scored 11 of Bath's 16 points in their Amlin Challenge Cup final loss to Northampton in Cardiff last season. Two games for England Saxons in the early part of 2013; made his test debut late in the RBS 6 Nations round 2 game against Wales last season Missed last summer's tour to New Zealand after undergoing shoulder surgery, made a return in the autumn internationals playing in all 4 games including his first 2 starts at test level, against Samoa and Australia Winner of the Golden Boot 2013/14 as top points scorer (235) in the Aviva Premiership regular season and named as the LV= Young Player of the Year at the RPA Awards	RBS 6 Nations	2	-	2	1	-	-	2	-	-
	v Wales	1	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	-
	@ Millennium Std	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	RBS 6N 2014	2	-	2	1	-	-	2	-	-
	PREM 2014/15	10	10	-	-	-	136	7	-	3
	CHAMP CUP 2014/15	6	6	-	-	-	69	4	-	2

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(11) JONNY MAY		TEST CAREER	Caps	Starts	Rep	SNU	Try	Pts	W	D	L
Team: Gloucester Rugby		Overall	11	11	-	-	3	15	7	-	4
Born: 1.4.1990 (24) in Swindon (England)		RBS 6 Nations	5	5	-	-	-	-	4	-	1
Ht: 1.85m (6'1") Wt: 90kg (14st 2lb)		v Wales	1	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	-
Position: Wing		@ Millennium Std	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Test debut: 15.6.2013 v Argentina (Buenos Aires)		RBS 6N 2014	5	5	-	-	-	-	4	-	1
RBS 6N debut: 1.2.2014 v France (Paris)		PREM 2014/15	10	10	-	-	5	25	5	-	5
FACTBOX:		CHALL CUP 2014/15	4	4	-	-	1	5	4	-	-
Club debuts: 2009-10 Gloucester, 2009-10 Moseley											
Scored tries in his opening two appearances for England in the U20 Six Nations 2010, v Wales and Italy. Became the first player to score a hat-trick for England in the Junior World Championships, doing so against the hosts, Argentina, in 2010											
England Saxons debut was against the Ireland Wolfhounds January 2012 at Exeter. Toured with England to South Africa that summer, scoring 2 tries on his only appearance, against the SA Barbarians South in Potchefstroom											
Toured South America summer 2013 gaining his first cap in the second test in Buenos Aires, his only start on the right wing.											
Started all five games in the No. 11 shirt in the RBS 6 Nations last year, however on his debut against France in round 1 he lasted only 9 minutes before being forced off by injury.											
Toured New Zealand last summer playing in the first test in Auckland and the midweek fixture against Canterbury. Grabbed a memorable first test try against the all Blacks in the autumn and added 2 more against Samoa.											

(12) LUTHER BURRELL		TEST CAREER	Caps	Starts	Rep	SNU	Try	Pts	W	D	L
Team: Northampton Saints		Overall	7	6	1	-	3	15	4	-	3
Born: 6.12.1987 (27) in Huddersfield (England)		RBS 6 Nations	5	5	-	-	3	15	4	-	1
Ht: 1.90m (6'3") Wt: 107kg (16st 11lb)		v Wales	1	1	-	-	1	5	1	-	-
Position: Centre		@ Millennium Std	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Test debut: 1.2.2014 v France (Paris)		RBS 6N 2014	5	5	-	-	3	15	4	-	1
RBS 6N debut: 1.2.2014 v France (Paris)		PREM 2014/15	13	13	-	-	4	20	10	-	3
FACTBOX:		CHAMP CUP 2014/15	6	5	1	-	1	5	4	-	2
Club debuts: 2006-07 Leeds, 2007-08 Sedgley Park, 2008-09 Otley, 2009-10 Rotherham, 2011-12 Sale, 2012-13 Northampton											
Member of the Leeds Academy 2005 intake, he made his first team debut for Leeds against Birmingham in National One, September 2006											
Premiership debut came with Leeds in March 2008, he has now played in the Premiership for three separate clubs. Was a finalist with Northampton Saints in 2013 and took the crown a year later. Won the Amlin Challenge Cup with Saints last year											
Toured with England to South America summer 2013, but only appeared in the non-cap game in Montevideo.											
Test debut came in RBS 6 Nations round 1 game against France last year, he started all five games in the No.13 shirt last year and scored 3 tries - against France, Scotland and Wales											
Toured to New Zealand appearing in the 2nd & 3rd tests but a hand injury prevented his appearance in the autumn internationals											

(13) JONATHAN JOSEPH		TEST CAREER	Caps	Starts	Rep	SNU	Try	Pts	W	D	L
Team: Bath Rugby		Overall	6	4	2	1	-	-	3	1	2
Born: 21.5.1991 (23) in Derby (England)		RBS 6 Nations	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Ht: 1.83m (6'0") Wt: 91kg (14st 4lb)		v Wales	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Position: Centre		@ Millennium Std	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Test debut: 9.6.2012 v South Africa (Durban)		RBS 6N 2014	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
RBS 6N debut: -		PREM 2014/15	12	12	-	-	6	30	10	-	2
FACTBOX:		CHAMP CUP 2014/15	5	5	-	1	2	10	3	-	2
Club debuts: 2009-10 Barnes, 2009-10 London Irish, 2013-14 Bath											
A member of London Irish Academy 2009, he made his first team debut against Cardiff Blues in the Anglo Welsh Cup as an 18 year old in November 2009, his Premiership debut came against Leeds in April the following year.											
Played in two successive Middlesex Sevens finals with London Irish winning in 2009. Moved to Bath and played in the final of the Amlin Challenge Cup with them last season. Recently announced an extension to his contract with the west country club.											
Played for England at U18 and U19 levels and was a member of the England U20's grand slam winning squad of 2011. Member of England squad that were runners up in the Junior World Championship in Italy 2011											
Selected for the non-cap game against the Barbarians at Twickenham in May 2012, scoring two tries, before making his debut off the bench in the first Test of the tour to South Africa summer 2012.											
Only one of his six caps to date has been at Twickenham - against New Zealand in 2012. Has not been capped for England since the summer tour to Argentina in 2013											

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(14) ANTHONY WATSON Team: Bath Rugby Born: 26.2.1994 (20) in Ashford (England) Ht: 1.85m (6'1") Wt: 93kg (14st 9lb) Position: Full-back/Wing Test debut: 8.11.2014 v New Zealand (Twickenham) RBS 6N debut: -	TEST CAREER	Caps	Starts	Rep	SNU	Try	Pts	W	D	L
	Overall	4	3	1	-	-	-	2	-	2
FACTBOX: Club debuts: 2011-12 London Irish, 2013-14 Bath A member of the London Irish academy in 2010, making his Premiership debut for the club at home to Newcastle, September 2011. Scored a try in Bath's Amlin Challenge Cup final defeat to Northampton in Cardiff last May Represented England at U18 level; scored 5 tries in 11 appearances for England U20s, during the 2012 & 2013 Six Nations and the Junior World Championship winning team 2013 in France Scored England's only try in his sole appearance for England Saxons at Gloucester January 2014 Selected to tour New Zealand last summer, only appearing in the midweek fixture against Canterbury in Christchurch, scoring a try Made his test debut off the bench against the All Blacks in November, played in all four autumn internationals, the last three starting on the right wing	RBS 6 Nations v Wales @ Millennium Std	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	RBS 6N 2014	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	PREM 2014/15	8	7	1	-	2	10	6	-	2
	CHAMP CUP 2014/15	6	6	-	-	-	-	4	-	2
(15) MIKE BROWN Team: Harlequins Born: 4.9.1985 (29) in Southampton (England) Ht: 1.83m (6'0") Wt: 89kg (14st 0lb) Position: Full-back Test debut: 26.5.2007 v South Africa (Bloemfontein) RBS 6N debut: 4.2.2012 v Scotland (Murrayfield)	TEST CAREER	Caps	Starts	Rep	SNU	Try	Pts	W	D	L
	Overall	33	28	5	2	6	30	18	-	15
FACTBOX: Club debuts: 2005 Harlequins Has won the National Trophy with Harlequins in 2006 when they were in National One; the Amlin Challenge Cup 2011, and the Premiership in 2012 Senior England debut came on summer 2007 tour to South Africa, started both test matches at full-back. Has played in England's last 28 test matches, 26 as a starter the last 17 of which have been at full-back Came on as a replacement in 2012 Calcutta Cup game for his first cap since starting against New Zealand in Auckland almost 4 years previously; named in matchday squad for the last 15 RBS 6 Nations games Named Man of the Match 3 times in last season's RBS 6 Nations - against Scotland, Ireland and Italy, and went on to be named the Player of the Championship as well as Aviva Premiership Player of the Season 2013/14 Scored his first test try in his 22nd test against France last February and has added five more over the next ten tests	RBS 6 Nations v Wales @ Millennium Std	13	10	3	2	4	20	10	-	3
	RBS 6N 2014	3	2	1	-	-	-	1	-	2
	PREM 2014/15	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
	CHAMP CUP 2014/15	5	5	-	-	4	20	4	-	1
	PREM 2014/15	9	9	-	-	1	5	5	-	4
	CHAMP CUP 2014/15	6	6	-	-	1	5	4	-	2
(16) TOM YOUNGS Team: Leicester Tigers Born: 28.1.1987 (28) in Norwich (England) Ht: 1.75m (5'9") Wt: 102kg (16st 0lb) Position: Hooker Test debut: 10.11.2012 v Fiji (Twickenham) RBS 6N debut: 2.2.2013 v Scotland (Twickenham)	TEST CAREER	Caps	Starts	Rep	SNU	Try	Pts	W	D	L
	Overall	17	9	8	-	-	-	12	-	5
FACTBOX: Club debuts: 2006-07 Bedford, 2006-07 Leicester, 2008-09 Nottingham Represented England in the U20s 2007 Six Nations Championship at centre and wing. Switched to the front row in season 2009/10 encouraged by then Tigers coach Heyneke Meyer. Gained an LV Cup winners medal in 2011/12 and was Premiership finalist the same season. Won the Premiership with Tigers in 2013 and named as the Premiership Player of the Season that year. Agreed an extension to his contract with the club in December Toured South Africa summer 2011 playing in two touring games but no tests; had to wait until the November game against Fiji for his test debut. RBS 6 Nations debut came against Scotland in the opening round 2013 he has appeared in all 10 games since Played in 7 British & Irish Lions games on their 2013 tour to Australia including appearances in all three tests. Has not played for England since round 5 trip to Rome to face Italy last March due to injuries and has not started in the No.2 shirt for his country since Wallabies visited Twickenham in November 2013.	RBS 6 Nations v Wales @ Millennium Std	10	4	6	-	-	-	8	-	2
	RBS 6N 2014	2	1	1	-	-	-	1	-	1
	PREM 2014/15	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
	CHAMP CUP 2014/15	5	-	5	-	-	-	4	-	1
	PREM 2014/15	8	5	3	-	1	5	5	-	3
	CHAMP CUP 2014/15	4	2	2	-	2	10	2	-	2

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(17) MAKO VUNIPOLA		TEST CAREER		Caps	Starts	Rep	SNU	Try	Pts	W	D	L	
Team: Saracens		Overall		15	3	12	-	1	5	11	-	4	
Born: 13.1.1991 (24) in Wellington (N Zealand)		RBS 6 Nations		10	2	8	-	1	5	8	-	2	
Ht: 1.80m (5'11") Wt: 121kg (19st 0lb)		v Wales		2	-	2	-	-	-	1	-	1	
Position: Prop		@ Millennium Std		1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	
Test debut: 10.11.2012 v Fiji (Twickenham)		RBS 6N 2014		5	1	4	-	1	5	4	-	1	
RBS 6N debut: 2.2.2013 v Scotland (Twickenham)		PREM 2014/15		5	4	1	-	3	15	3	-	2	
FACTBOX:		CHAMP CUP 2014/15		4	4	-	-	-	-	3	-	1	
Club debuts: 2009-10 Bristol, 2009-10 Clifton, 2011-12 Saracens													
Played for Thornbury and Clifton before joining Bristol Academy, then played for their senior team in the English Championship. A British & Irish Cup winner with Bristol 2011, and RFU Championship finalist with them in 2010													
Played in the European Cup final for Saracens against Toulon in Cardiff last May but a knee injury in the second half led to 6 months on the sidelines													
U20 World Junior Championship finalist with England 2011 in Italy having played in the same tournament a year earlier in Argentina													
Has appeared in all ten RBS 6 Nations matches since his debut against Scotland at Twickenham in 2013. Scored his only test try to date in round 5 against Italy last year in Rome has not played for the national team since.													
Selected for the British & Irish Lions tour to Australia in 2013, playing in 7 games on tour including all 3 tests.													

(18) KIERAN BROOKES		TEST CAREER		Caps	Starts	Rep	SNU	Try	Pts	W	D	L	
Team: Newcastle Falcons		Overall		6	-	6	-	-	-	2	-	4	
Born: 29.8.1990 (24) in Stoke-on-Trent (England)		RBS 6 Nations		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Ht: 1.85m (6'1") Wt: 123kg (19st 5lb)		v Wales		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Position: Prop		@ Millennium Std		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Test debut: 14.6.2014 v New Zealand (Dunedin)		RBS 6N 2014		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
RBS 6N debut: -		PREM 2014/15		8	7	1	-	-	-	3	-	5	
FACTBOX:		CHALL CUP 2014/15		5	5	-	-	-	-	4	-	1	
Club debuts: 2008-09 Fylde, 2009-10 Newcastle, 2009-10 Tynedale, 2011-12 Leicester, 2012-13 Doncaster, 2012-13 Loughborough S.													
Joined the Newcastle Academy in 2009, had a spell with Leicester Tigers but returned to the Tynesiders in March 2013 and helped them to win promotion back to the Premiership													
An LV=Cup finalist with Falcons in 2011 he has announced he will join Northampton Saints for the 2015/16 season													
Played for Ireland U18s in the AER Championship in Italy scoring the only try of the game to beat England in the semi-finals. He then made his England U20s debut against Ireland at Gloucester in 2010													
Played five games for England Saxons including helping them to win the 2011 Churchill Cup													
Selected for the senior tour to New Zealand last summer. Has played in England's last 6 test matches, all off the bench, since his debut in Dunedin.													

(19) TOM CROFT		TEST CAREER		Caps	Starts	Rep	SNU	Try	Pts	W	D	L	
Team: Leicester Tigers		Overall		38	25	13	-	4	20	22	-	16	
Born: 7.11.1985 (29) in Basingstoke (England)		RBS 6 Nations		17	10	7	-	2	10	11	-	6	
Ht: 1.95m (6'5") Wt: 105kg (16st 7lb)		v Wales		4	3	1	-	-	-	1	-	3	
Position: Back-row		@ Millennium Std		2	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	2	
Test debut: 23.2.2008 v France (Paris)		RBS 6N 2014		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
RBS 6N debut: 23.2.2008 v France (Paris)		PREM 2014/15		3	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	
FACTBOX:		CHAMP CUP 2014/15		3	2	1	-	-	-	1	-	2	
Club debuts: 2005-06 Leicester													
English Premiership final winner with Leicester in 2009, 2010 and 2013, finalist in the same competition in 2008 and 2011. Played in the final of the European Cup in 2009 when Tigers lost to the Irish province Leinster.													
A Churchill Cup winner with England Saxons in 2007													
Made his senior England test debut in the 2008 RBS 6 Nations game against France. Scored his first RBS 6 Nations try against Scotland at Twickenham during England's 2011 Championship winning season													
Played in all three tests on the British & Irish Lions 2009 tour to South Africa claiming two tries in the 1st test defeat in Durban. Also played in the first two tests of the Lions tour to Australia in 2013.													
Since returning from the 2013 Lions tour he has suffered a succession of injuries and started only 6 games of rugby. Has not played for England since round 5 of the 2013 RBS 6 Nations against Wales in Cardiff.													

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(20) NICK EASTER Team: Harlequins Born: 15.8.1978 (36) in Epsom (England) Ht: 1.93m (6'4") Wt: 114kg (17st 13lb) Position: Back-row Test debut: 10.2.2007 v Italy (Twickenham) RBS 6N debut: 10.2.2007 v Italy (Twickenham)	TEST CAREER	Caps	Starts	Rep	SNU	Try	Pts	W	D	L
	Overall	47	46	1	-	5	25	26	1	20
FACTBOX: Club debuts: 2001-02 Rosslyn Pk, 2002-03 Orrell, 2004-05 Harlequins Won Powergen Challenge Cup with Orrell at Twickenham in 2003 and the National Trophy for Harlequins in 2006. Won the Amlin Challenge cup with Quins in 2011 and the Premiership a year later. Made one appearance for England A against Italy at Sandy Park in 2007, and 8 days later made his test debut against the same opposition at Twickenham wearing the No.6 shirt, in the RBS 6 Nations His first four test tries all came in the space of 36 minutes, against Wales in a RWC2007 warm-up game, he has added only one since - against Australia in 2008. Played in RWC2007 final whilst his most recent cap came in the quarter-final of the 2011 event in Auckland Has led England in a test twice - against Samoa in November 2010 and Ireland in the final round of the RBS 6 Nations 2011	RBS 6 Nations	21	21	-	-	-	-	14	1	6
	v Wales	5	5	-	-	4	20	3	-	2
	@ Millennium Std	3	3	-	-	-	-	1	-	2
	RBS 6N 2014	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	PREM 2014/15	12	12	-	-	1	5	6	-	6
	CHAMP CUP 2014/15	6	6	-	-	1	5	4	-	2
(21) RICHARD WIGGLESWORTH Team: Saracens Born: 9.6.1983 (31) in Blackpool (England) Ht: 1.75m (5'9") Wt: 86kg (13st 7lb) Position: Scrum-half Test debut: 10.2.2008 v Italy (Roma) RBS 6N debut: 10.2.2008 v Italy (Roma)	TEST CAREER	Caps	Starts	Rep	SNU	Try	Pts	W	D	L
	Overall	16	7	9	1	1	5	12	-	4
FACTBOX: Club debuts: 2002-03 Sale, 2010-11 Saracens Played in three Premiership finals, winning two; for Sale in 2006 and Saracens in 2011. Also appeared in Saracens two losing finals (Europe and Premiership) last May Represented England at U18 Schools and U19 levels and U21s in the Six Nations 2004 before winning the first of his 11 caps for England Saxons against Italy in 2006, and winning the Churchill Cup with them in 2007 Made his test debut off the bench during England's trip to Rome in the RBS 6 Nations in 2008, scoring his only test try to date in England's next game against France in Paris. Has not played in the tournament since round 5 that year Appeared in four matches during the RWC2011 in New Zealand including the quarter final defeat to France, but has picked up just four caps since - 2 on tour to Argentina in 2013 and 2 more in England's most recent tests, against Samoa and Australia Has not started a test for England since their victory over Argentina in Dunedin in the RWC2011	RBS 6 Nations	4	3	1	1	1	5	3	-	1
	v Wales	2	1	1	1	-	-	1	-	1
	@ Millennium Std	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
	RBS 6N 2014	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	PREM 2014/15	10	6	4	-	4	22	7	1	2
	CHAMP CUP 2014/15	6	5	1	-	-	-	4	-	2
(22) DANNY CIPRIANI Team: Sale Sharks. Position: Fly-half Born: 2.11.1987 (27) in Roehampton (England) Ht: 1.85m (6'1") Wt: 92kg (14st 6lb) Test kicking: 18 from 22 (82%) 7C/11PG/ODG Test debut: 2.2.2008 v Wales (Twickenham) RBS 6N debut: 2.2.2008 v Wales (Twickenham)	TEST CAREER	Caps	Starts	Rep	SNU	Try	Pts	W	D	L
	Overall	9	4	5	2	1	52	3	-	6
FACTBOX: Club debuts: 2004-05 Wasps, 2011 Melbourne Rebels, 2012-13 Sale Made his senior debut for Wasps at Bristol in the Powergen Cup in December 2004 as a 17 year old. Was part of the Wasps squad that won the Middlesex Sevens in 2006 and the Premiership title in 2008 Had two season playing Super Rugby for the Melbourne Rebels, 2011 & 2012, scoring 122 points in the tournament. Returned to England joining Sale in the summer of 2012 Represented England U19 in the World Championships in 2005 & 2006. Played for England Saxons in the Churchill Cup, winning it in 2007 at Twickenham and a finalist in the USA in 2009 Made his England debut against Wales at Twickenham in the RBS 6 Nations 2008. His only start in the tournament came in his most recent appearance against Ireland later in that campaign, scoring 18 points. Only test try came against the Pacific Islanders in November 2008, whilst his 2 appearances off the bench in the 1st & 3rd tests on tour in New Zealand last June were his first caps for almost 6 years	RBS 6 Nations	3	1	2	1	-	18	2	-	1
	v Wales	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1
	@ Millennium Std	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	RBS 6N 2014	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	PREM 2014/15	13	12	1	-	2	112	7	-	6
	CHAMP CUP 2014/15	4	4	-	-	-	32	-	-	4

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(23) BILLY TWELVETREES Team: Gloucester Rugby Born: 15.11.1988 (26) in Chichester (England) Ht: 1.90m (6'3") Wt: 100kg (15st 10lb) Position: Centre Test debut: 2.2.2013 v Scotland (Twickenham) RBS 6N debut: 2.2.2013 v Scotland (Twickenham)	TEST CAREER	Caps	Starts	Rep	SNU	Try	Pts	W	D	L
	Overall	16	13	3	1	3	15	12	-	4
	RBS 6 Nations	9	7	2	1	1	5	7	-	2
	v Wales	2	1	1	-	-	-	1	-	1
	@ Millennium Std	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1
FACTBOX: Club debuts: 2007-08 Leicester, 2008-09 Bedford, 2009-10 Nottingham, 2012-13 Gloucester Had an unconventional route into the England squad as he didn't play any age group, his first representative call up was to the Saxons squad - made his debut against Italy at Worcester in January 2011 Churchill Cup winner with the Saxons 2011 at Worcester; played in both the Saxons games 2012 Made a try scoring test debut in the RBS 6 Nations 2013 opening round victory over Scotland; he was the first England player to score a try on his test debut since Manu Tuilagi in 2011 Selected for England's tour to South America summer 2013, scoring a try in the first test in Salta before being called up as replacement back cover for the British & Irish Lions appearing in 2 matches against the Brumbies and The Rebels. Has been in every RBS 6 Nations matchday squad since his debut in the tournament starting all games in the No.12 shirt last season	RBS 6N 2014	5	5	-	-	-	-	4	-	1
	PREM 2014/15	11	11	-	-	-	18	5	-	6
	CHALL CUP 2014/15	6	6	-	-	-	-	6	-	-

Key to the stats:

In the blue box is the players' total test record for his country (excluding Lions).

Caps – total test caps, Starts – number of test starts, Rep – appearances as a replacement, SNU – substitute not used.

The green box is the players' record for his current club this season.

PREM – Aviva Premiership, PRO12 – RaboDirect PRO12, Top14 – France Top14.

CHAMP CUP – European Champions Cup, CHALL CUP – European Challenge Cup.

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