

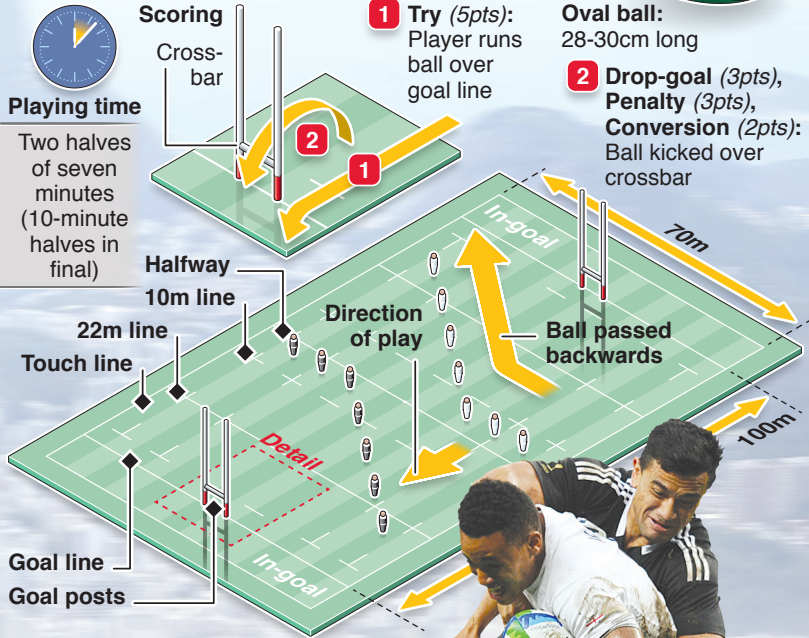


Rugby Sevens *Deodoro Stadium*



Objective: Seven-a-side version of **Rugby Union**.
Two teams attempt to score tries or win penalties,
moving ball from player to player by hand –
always passing it backwards

Playing time
Two halves
of seven
minutes
(10-minute
halves in
final)



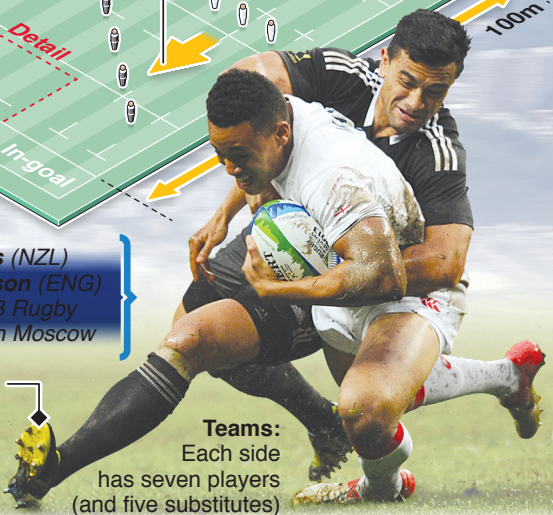
Oval ball:
28-30cm long

**2 Drop-goal (3pts),
Penalty (3pts),
Conversion (2pts):**
Ball kicked over
crossbar

Sherwin Stowers (NZL)
tackles **Marcus Watson (ENG)**
during final of 2013 Rugby
World Cup Sevens in Moscow

Footwear: Players
wear boots with
studs (or cleats)
no longer than
21mm

NEW EVENT



Teams:
Each side
has seven players
(and five substitutes)