

Six Nations Championship team guide 2019

Ireland IRB rank 2


Coach: **Joe Schmidt**
Captain: **Rory Best**

RECORD (since 1883*)

14 Titles **3** Slams

W205-L242-D26
Points (F/A): 5,527-5,847

2018: 1st 2017: 2nd 2016: 3rd



Wales IRB rank 3


Coach: **Warren Gatland**
Captain: **Alun Wyn Jones**

RECORD (since 1883)

26 Titles **11** Slams

W250-L195-D26
Points (F/A): 6,392-5,580

2018: 2nd 2017: 5th 2016: 2nd



England IRB rank 4

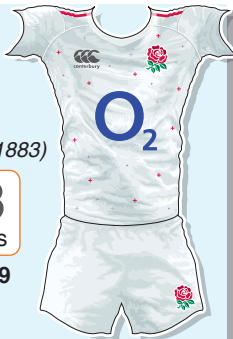
Coach: **Eddie Jones**
Captain: **Owen Farrell**

RECORD (since 1883)

28 Titles **13** Slams

W258-L176-D39
Points (F/A): 6,675-5,007

2018: 5th 2017: 1st 2016: 1st



Scotland IRB rank 7


Coach: **Gregor Townsend**
Captain: **Greig Laidlaw**

RECORD (since 1883)

15 Titles **3** Slams

W196-L255-D23
Points (F/A): 5,231-6,215

2018: 3rd 2017: 4th 2016: 4th



France IRB rank 9

Coach: **Jacques Brunel**
Captain: **Guilhem Guirado**

RECORD (since 1910)

17 Titles **9** Slams

W192-L163-D19
Points (F/A): 5,620-4,981

2018: 4th 2017: 3rd 2016: 5th



Italy IRB rank 15

Coach: **Conor O'Shea**
Captain: **Sergio Parisse**

RECORD (since 2000)

0 Titles **0** Slams

W12-L82-D1
Points (F/A): 1,381-3,196

2018: 6th 2017: 6th 2016: 6th



*Inaugural year of tournament

2018 champions **Ireland** begin defence of title against **England** – teams have won last five titles between them

RIVAL NATIONS: All-time head-to-head records†

	France	Ireland	Italy	Scotland	Wales
England	57 40 7	76 49 8	24 0 0	75 43 18	62 57 12
Wales	49 44 3	68 51 7	24 2 1	71 49 3	
Scotland	36 53 3	67 62 5	20 8 0		
Italy	3 37 0	4 24 0			
Ireland	34 57 7				

†Win/loss/draw reads horizontally, e.g. England have 57 wins v France

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