# **Scoring Basics**

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#### **BASICS**

**ALWAYS** record what is signalled

even though you may not agree(check any queries with umpires at next interval)

ALWAYS acknowledge the signals given by umpire

- umpires should give separate signals for each part of the incident - scorers must acknowledge each one SEPARATELY

For example:

#### **4 LEG BYES**



#### **BASICS**

ALWAYS enter information in the same sequence (one that suits you) e.g.:

- bowler's analysis
- batsman's (or extras) column
- cumulative total

this routine will become second nature and will help to reduce errors

#### **BASICS**

## The following will ALWAYS be true:

- all batsmen's runs + all extras = cumulative total
- all bowlers' totals + fielding extras = cumulative total

  (fielding extras are Byes, Leg byes and Penalties)
- all batsmen's runs + bowlers' extras = all bowlers' totals (bowlers' extras are No balls and Wides)}

These equations must be checked regularly.

If any of them is incorrect, re-check with your colleague

# At the end of every over check with your colleague:

- runs scored in the over

- 8 off the over
- current analysis of that bowler bowler 4 for 56
- cumulative total

total is 102 for 6 (including 23 extras)

## At the fall of each wicket check with your colleague:

- outgoing batsman's name/number
- method of dismissal
- names of personnel involved in dismissal (Bowlers name!)
- outgoing batsman's score
- Score at fall of wicket
- Agree cumulative total
- Name of incoming batsman

At the fall of each wicket check with your colleague:

- (Number of balls faced by outgoing batsman)

#### TIME

- Time of dismissal
- Number of minutes batsman was in
- Time new batsman starts his innings

### At the end of an innings check:

- time the innings closed
- agree totals for following with your colleague:
  - No balls
  - Wides
  - Byes
  - Leg byes
  - Penalties
- agree final total with colleague and umpires

# End of an innings check of **bowling analysis**

- agree final analysis of each bowler
  - (balls bowled =  $overs \times 6 + No balls & Wides$ )
  - Wides
  - No balls
  - overs
  - maidens
  - runs
  - wickets
  - (average =  $runs \div wickets$ )

# End of an innings check of **batting analysis**

- agree total runs scored by batsmen
- agree total extras

#### **SCORING ROUTINES**

Check any unresolved queries with umpires

Once all your checks have been made

AGREE THE RESULT OF THE MATCH

#### **LAW 21 - THE RESULT**

## **Types of result**

- if side batting FIRST wins it is expressed by xxx runs (xxx being difference between the total scores)
- if side batting LAST wins it is expressed by xxx wickets (xxx being number of wickets left to fall)
- if scores are EQUAL and side batting last is ALL OUT, the result is a TIE
- a match which is left undecided, ie. neither side has won, lost, nor is it a tie, the result is a DRAW