

Australian Test results at the MCG

Opponent	First Test	Number of Matches	Wins for Australia	Losses for Australia	Draws
England	1876-77	57	28	20	9
South Africa	1910-11	12	7	3	2
West Indies	1930-31	15	11	3	1
India	1947-48	14	8	4	2
Pakistan	1964-65	10	6	2	2
New Zealand	1973-74	4	2	-	2
Sri Lanka	1995-96	2	2	-	-
Total		114	64	32	18

Most Test appearances at the MCG

Allan Border (20)	Greg Chappell (17)	Rod Marsh (17)	Steve Waugh (17)	Ricky Ponting (15)
Dennis Lillee (14)	Ian Chappell (12)	Neil Harvey (12)	Clem Hill (12)	Warwick Armstrong (11)
David Boon (11)	Don Bradman (11)	Ian Healy (11)	Kim Hughes (11)	Glenn McGrath (11)
Doug Walters (11)	Shane Warne (11)	Mark Waugh (11)		

Highest individual Test innings at the MCG

Batsman	Match	Year	Runs	Balls	4s	6s
Bob Cowper	Australia v England	1965/66	307	589	20	-
Don Bradman	Australia v England	936/37	270	375	22	-
Graham Yallop	Australia v Pakistan	1983/84	268	517	29	-
Ricky Ponting	Australia v India	2003/04	257	458	25	-
Justin Langer	Australia v England	2002/03	250	407	30	1
Alastair Cook	Australia v England	2017/18	244*	409	27	-
Viv Richards	West Indies v Australia	1984/85	208	376	22	3
Azhar Ali	Pakistan v Australia	2016/17	205*	364	20	-
Neil Harvey	Australia v South Africa	1952/53	205	-	19	-
Bill Lawry	Australia v West Indies	1968/69	205	416	12	1
Aubrey Faulkner	South Africa v Australia	1910/11	204	320	26	-

Walter Hammond	England v Australia	1928/29	200	472	17	-
Virender Sehwag	India v Australia	2003/04	195	233	25	5
Steve Smith	Australia v India	2014/15	192	305	15	2
Clem Hill	Australia v England	1897/98	188	-	21	-
Mike Denness	England v Australia	1974/75	188	448	17	-
Wilfred Rhodes	England v Australia	1911/12	179	405	15	-
Jack Hobbs	England v Australia	1911/12	178	296	22	-
Herbert Sutcliffe	England v Australia	1924/25	176	481	17	-
Derek Randall	England v Australia	1977	174	353	21	-
AE Stoddart	England v Australia	1894/95	173	-	15	-
Mark Taylor	Australia v South Africa	1993/94	170	349	12	1

Highest wicket partnerships at the MCG

Runs	Batters	Match	Year
323	JB Hobbs and W Rhodes	England v Australia	1912
298	WM Lawry and IM Chappell	Australia v West Indies	1968
249	DG Bradman and SJ McCabe	Australia v England	1937
262	V Kohli and AM Rahane	India v Australia	2014
223*	AR Morris and DG Bradman	Australia v India	1948
346	JWH Fingleton and DG Bradman	Australia v England	1937
185	GN Yallop and GRJ Matthews	Australia v Pakistan	1983
173	CE Pellew and JM Gregory	Australia v England	1920
180	JP Duminy and DW Steyn	South Africa v Australia	2008
120	RA Duff and WM Armstrong	Australia v England	1902

Leading wicket takers at the MCG

Bowler	Matches	Balls	Maidens	Runs	Wickets	Average	5/Innings	Best
D Lillee	14	3833	105	1798	82	21.93	7	7/83
S Warne	11	3138	115	1284	56	22.92	3	7/52
H Trumble	7	1708	71	646	46	14.04	3	7/28
G McKenzie	7	2370	35	1019	45	22.64	3	8/71
G McGrath	11	2636	96	957	42	22.78	2	5/40
C McDermott	10	2345	84	1201	41	29.29	2	5/42
M Noble	8	1324	55	521	39	13.36	4	7/17

B Reid	4	1144	N/A	475	35	13.57	4	7/51
S Barnes	5	1723	N/A	632	35	18.05	5	7/121
W Johnston	8	2247	N/A	852	35	24.34	2	6/152

Best individual bowling figures at the MCG

Figures	Bowler	Match	Year
9/86	Sarfraz Nawaz	Pakistan v Australia	1978/79
9/121	Arthur Mailey	Australia v England	1920/21
8/68	Wilfred Rhodes	England v Australia	1903/04
8/71	Graham McKenzie	Australia v West Indies	1968/69
8/81	Len Braund	England v Australia	1903/04
8/143	Max Walker	Australia v England	1974/75
7/17	Monty Noble	Australia v England	1901/02
7/23	Bert Ironmonger	Australia v West Indies	1930/31
7/27	Frank Tyson	England v Australia	1954/55
7/28	Willie Bates	England v Australia	1882/83
7/28	Hugh Trumble	Australia v England	1903/04
7/51	Bruce Reid	Australia v England	1990/91
7/52	Shane Warne	Australia v West Indies	1992/93
7/55	Tom Kendall	Australia v England	1877
7/56	Wilfred Rhodes	England v Australia	1903/04
7/57	Brain Statham	England v Australia	1958/59
7/62	Fred Spofforth	Australia v England	1878/79
7/65	George Palmer	Australia v England	1882/83
7/66	Graham McKenzie	Australia v India	1967/68

Recent Test results at the MCG

Series	AUS Captain	OPP Captain	Result for AUS	Player of the Match
1992-93 v West Indies	A Border	R Richardson	Won by 139 runs	S Warne
1993-94 v South Africa	A Border	K Wessels	Match drawn	M Taylor
1994-95 v England	M Taylor	M Atherton	Won by 295 runs	C McDermott
1995-96 v Sri Lanka	M Taylor	A Ranatunga	Won by 10 wickets	G McGrath
1996-97 v West Indies	M Taylor	C Walsh	Lost by 6 wickets	C Ambrose
1997-98 v South Africa	M Taylor	W Cronje	Match drawn	J Kallis
1998-99 v England	M Taylor	A Stewart	Lost by 12 runs	D Headley
1999-2000 v India	S Waugh	S Tendulkar	Won by 180 runs	S Tendulkar

2000-01 v West Indies	S Waugh	J Adams	Won by 352 runs	S Waugh
2001-02 v South Africa	S Waugh	S Pollock	Won by 9 wickets	M Hayden
2002-03 v England	S Waugh	N Hussain	Won by 5 wickets	J Langer
2003-04 v India	S Waugh	S Ganguly	Won by 9 wickets	R Ponting
2004-05 v Pakistan	R Ponting	Y Youhana	Won by 9 wickets	D Martyn
2005-06 v South Africa	R Ponting	G Smith	Won by 184 runs	M Hussey
2006-07 v England	R Ponting	A Flintoff	Won by innings and 99 runs	S Warne
2007-08 v India	R Ponting	A Kumble	Won by 337 runs	M Hayden
2008-09 v South Africa	R Ponting	G Smith	Lost by 9 wickets	D Steyn
2009-10 v Pakistan	R Ponting	M Yousuf	Won by 170 runs	S Watson
2010-11 v England	R Ponting	A Strauss	Lost by innings and 157 runs	J Trott
2011-12 v India	M Clarke	MS Dhoni	Won by 122 runs	J Pattinson
2012-13 v Sri Lanka	M Clarke	M Jayawardene	Won by innings and 201 runs	M Johnson
2013-14 v England	M Clarke	A Cook	Won by 8 wickets	M Johnson
2014-15 v India	S Smith	MS Dohni	Match drawn	R Harris
2015-16 v West Indies	S Smith	JO Holder	Won by 177 runs	N Lyon
2016-17 v Pakistan	S Smith	Misbah ul Haq	Won by innings and 18 runs	S Smith
2017-18 v England	S Smith	J Root	Match drawn	A Cook
2018-19	T Paine	V Kohli	Lost by 137 runs	J Bumrah
2019-20	T Paine	KS Williamson	Won by 247 runs	T Head
2020-21	T Paine	AM Rahane	Lost by 8 wickets	AM Rahane

Tests at the MCG involving Boxing Day

Series	Start Date	Opponent	Result
1950-51	December 22	England	Australia by 28 runs
1952-53	December 24	South Africa	South Africa by 82 runs
1968-69	December 26	West Indies	Australia by an innings and 30 runs
1974-75	December 26	England	Match drawn
1975-76	December 26	West Indies	Australia by 8 wickets
1980-81	December 26	New Zealand	Match drawn
1981-82	December 26	West Indies	Australia by 58 runs
1982-83	December 26	England	England by 3 runs
1983-84	December 26	Pakistan	Match drawn
1984-85	December 24	West Indies	Match drawn
1985-86	December 26	India	Match drawn
1986-87	December 26	England	England by an innings and 14 runs
1987-88	December 26	New Zealand	Match drawn
1988-89	December 24	West Indies	West Indies by 285 runs
1990-91	December 26	England	Australia by 8 wickets
1991-92	December 26	India	Australia by 8 wickets
1992-93	December 26	West Indies	Australia by 139 runs
1993-94	December 26	South Africa	Match drawn
1994-95	December 24	England	Australia by 295 runs
1995-96	December 26	Sri Lanka	Australia by 10 wickets
1996-97	December 26	West Indies	West Indies by 6 wickets
1997-98	December 26	South Africa	Match drawn
1998-99	December 26	England	England by 12 runs
1999-2000	December 26	India	Australia by 180 runs
2000-01	December 26	West Indies	Australia by 352 runs
2001-02	December 26	South Africa	Australia by 9 wickets
2002-03	December 26	England	Australia by 5 wickets
2003-04	December 26	India	Australia by 9 wickets
2004-05	December 26	Pakistan	Australia by 9 wickets
2005-06	December 26	South Africa	Australia by 184 runs
2006-07	December 26	England	Australia by innings and 99 runs
2007-08	December 26	India	Australia by 337 runs
2008-09	December 26	South Africa	South Africa by 9 wickets
2009-10	December 26	Pakistan	Australia by 170 runs
2010-11	December 26	England	England by innings and 157 runs
2011-12	December 26	India	Australia by 122 runs
2012-13	December 26	Sri Lanka	Australia by innings and 201 runs
2013-14	December 26	England	Australia by 8 wickets
2014-15	December 26	India	Match drawn
2015-16	December 26	West Indies	Australia by 177 runs
2016-17	December 26	Pakistan	Australia by innings and 18 runs
2017-18	December 26	England	Match drawn
2018-19	December 26	India	India by 137 runs
2019-20	December 26	New Zealand	Australia by 247 runs
2021-21	December 26	India	India by 8 wickets



Test matches at the MCG

Updated December 7, 2021

MCG attendance figures for tests involving Boxing Day

Series	Opponent	Day 1	Day 2	Day 3	Day 4	Day 5	Total
1950-51	England	35,697	48,537	60,486	46,477	-	191,197
1952-53	South Africa	12,675	25,609	36,649	31,604	14,777	120,314
1968-69	West Indies	18,766	28,623	43,464	22,532	-	113,376
1974-75	England	77,167	54,609	39,621	36,526	42,827	250,750
1975-76	West Indies	85,661	50,466	44,900	41,728	-	222,755
1980-81	New Zealand	28,671	22,214	14,474	6,326	11,060	82,745
1981-82	West Indies	39,982	44,638	31,020	19,161	-	134,081
1982-83	England	63,900	53,402	42,224	37,356	18,000	214,882
1983-84	Pakistan	40,240	29,481	18,825	12,944	10,121	111,611
1984-85	West Indies	25,555	27,283	17,405	15,504	11,325	97,271
1985-86	India	18,146	15,571	14,710	4,000	-	77,715
1986-87	England	58,203	26,151	23,463	-	-	107,817
1987-88	New Zealand	51,087	22,933	15,467	13,838	23,859	127,184
1988-89	West Indies	24,246	26,287	32,845	13,984	11,046	108,408
1990-91	England	49,763	20,735	24,785	17,159	17,088	129,530
1991-92	India	42,494	20,257	15,661	10,957	-	89,369
1992-93	West Indies	28,397	26,511	15,089	7,581	5,742	83,320
1993-94	South Africa	15,604	3,067	11,420	10,280	8,194	48,565
1994-95	England	31,367	51,620	33,570	18,761	9,174	144,492
1995-96	Sri Lanka	55,239	20,847	18,292	11,010	8,000	105,388
1996-97	West Indies	72,821	32,140	26,710	-	-	131,671
1997-98	South Africa	73,812	32,367	24,859	18,895	11,249	160,182
1998-99	England	61,580	25,096	43,353	29,002	-	159,031
1999-2000	India	49,082	26,885	23,127	19,133	16,327	134,554
2000-01	West Indies	73,233	32,210	19,896	7,960	-	133,299
2001-02	South Africa	61,796	30,055	29,494	21,680	-	153,025
2002-03	England	64,189	50,451	32,057	12,295	18,666	177,658
2003-04	India	62,613	39,566	33,256	14,965	29,262	179,662
2004-05	Pakistan	61,552	34,656	20,086	12,785	-	129,079
2005-06	South Africa	71,910	40,722	37,800	18,905	23,000	192,337
2006-07	England	89,155	75,770	79,426	-	-	244,351
2007-08	India	68,465	44,691	36,265	16,738	-	166,159
2008-09	South Africa	63,263	42,814	42,079	19,847	6,343	174,246
2009-10	Pakistan	59,206	39,623	36,797	15,587	5,054	156,267
2010-11	England	84,345	67,149	68,733	19,889	-	240,116
2011-12	India	70,068	52,858	40,556	25,865	-	189,347
2012-13	Sri Lanka	67,138	39,514	30,803	-	-	137,455

2013-14	England	91,112	78,358	63,873	38,522	-	271,865
2014-15	India	70,000	51,566	42,166	16,103	14,646	194,481
2015-16	West Indies	53,389	40,516	26,003	7,161	-	127,069
2016-17	Pakistan	63,478	39,339	25,392	7,789	6,189	142,187
2017-18	England	88,172	67,882	61,839	29,314	14,128	261,335
2018-19	India	73,516	36,524	33,447	19,855	13,197	176,539
2019-20	New Zealand	80,473	59,675	43,603	19,720		203,471
2020-21	India	27,615*	23,841*	24,995*	13,021*		89,472*

*reduced capacity due to COVID-19 restrictions.