This is Pau Torres. some of you may know him, some of you may know only his name, and many of you possibly don’t know him at all.

*\*display minutes\**

He is a center back for Aston Villa who played in 24 of Aston Villa’s 38 Games in the 2024-2025 Premier League season.

*\*display defense\**

He ranks 72nd out of 574 Premier League players in clearances and only 211th in Tackles won.

*\*zoom out to dalot\**

Over here is Diogo Dalot, Manchester United’s Portuguese Fullback. He ranks 39th in tackles won and is just three places below Pau Torres when it comes to interceptions.

*\*display minutes\**

However, he played just about 800 minutes more than Pau Torres throughout the season. So it makes sense that he would have higher volume stats compared to Pau Torres. But as a Fullback, Dalot plays higher up the pitch more often than a centerback, such as Torres would, Meaning that he has less chances to clear the ball out of his own box, and therefore a slightly lower amount

But why am I showing this to you? Why do we care? Also what do those coordinates mean?

Well, lets start with that last question

*\*Zoom out to full\**

This is a plot of all 574 Premier League Players from the 2024-2025 season. Upon first glance it looks like a mess.

*\*zoom to left half\**

We find a majority of the players on the left half of the graph all funneling into one point.

*\*pan to the right slowly\**

And the rest of the players are plotted to the right, with less density the longer