# **Cricket DB - IPL**

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#### **Abstract**

As a sport that began in the late 16th century that has many unique rules and terminology, cricket offers good statistical information that lends itself to a compelling and dynamic database project.

Cricket datasets have many records, for example if we record each ball thrown then every match has at least 300 entries and over all there are 600 matches across 10 seasons of IPL. Aggregation queries on such datasets might be complex and need to be optimised.

Our platform provides Player, Team and Trivia portals for digging into cricket facts and statistics as well as a team build fantasy simulation tournament. Our Cricket DB is working on bringing the best possible insights into knowing and understanding the game better in an exciting way, as well as presenting our platform efficiently by utilizing database performance enhancements on the backend.

# Introduction and project goals

We wanted to find an ongoing topic that has good robust existing datasets, be useful and fun to our portal users, and be compelling to all our team members. For our two Indian team members, cricket is practically the national sport in terms of popularity and offers intrigue to them as obligatory life long fans. For our remaining two American team members, it is a great opportunity to learn about a popular international sport as well as gain insight into a very

prevalent aspect of Indian culture along with our teammates.

Coaches, managers, team captains, and fans get input from data analysts to understand the situation and game better. We'd like to help organize these data and insights, and make it fun to learn more about cricket.

Our study looks at the Indian Premier League (IPL) which consists of eight teams from cities around India. The IPL in recent years has ranked top 6 for most attended sports worldwide. There are generally 56 regular season games and 4 playoff games. There is a lot of scope for analysis, all the way from decision making to player analytics.

Our portal users will login with a password so that they can save information about their favorite player. This information can later be used to help generate a fantasy team for simulation games. Otherwise, the portal provides granular statistics and random fun facts about players and teams as well as general statistical trivia. Finally, we want visitors to use our portal to have fun, leveraging our algorithm to create a fantasy team. Players are added to a fan's roster and then evaluated as a group.

### Data sources and technologies used

Our group chose to combine three data sources (*Appendix D for web links*). First, the Cric sheet dataset consists of 746 IPL matches structured ball-to-ball which is particularly useful for some of our more complex trivia queries. From this data

source, we crawled for player data and history, creating blob objects in HTML, parsed using Beautiful Soup. Secondly, we use IPL Cricket Data from Kaggle. And finally, we scraped ESPN data for additional profiles, player history and team images.

Our web app is a Flask Application, a web framework written in Python and that runs within a Python2 environment. We store our data in two databases. For basic player data, match information, and team information, we use MySQL MySQL-Connector hosted on AWS) since the relations between the three elements are well defined. For example, each match has balls served, those balls are bowled by players, and those players belong to a team. For more complex player data, for which we have differing values based on players according to how long they have played, their number or appearances, etc. we use NoSQL (using MongoDB hosted on EC2). We use HTML/Bootstrap and the "Ace" CSS template to create a professional website.

To assist with caching and optimization, we used Redis to help the performance of our queries, particularly for the "Team Build" aspect of the portal. Redis is a efficient single threaded cache; that uses bloom filter for faster retrievals. "Redis is an open source (BSD licensed), in-memory data structure store, used as a database, cache and message broker. It supports data structures such as strings, hashes, lists, sets, sorted sets with range queries, bitmaps, hyperloglogs, geospatial indexes with radius queries and streams. Redis has built-in replication, Lua scripting, LRU eviction, transactions and different levels of on-disk persistence, and provides high availability via Redis Sentinel and automatic partitioning with Redis Cluster." (Wikipedia) Redis allowed us to only perform our calculations of players' batting and bowling skill one time before an unlimited number of fantasy team simulations.

We also use a Twitter feed on our Dashboard page to show current IPL news and streaming data, keeping our site relevant and contemporary. Our MySQL and Mongo were hosted on AWS/EC2 respectively.

#### Relational Schema

**Player** (<u>ID</u>, Name, Short\_Name, DOB, Country\_Name, Bat\_Handedness, Bowl\_Skill, Image Pointer, Additional Info)

Team (ID, Name, Home, Country)

Player\_to\_Team (<u>Team\_ID</u>, <u>Player\_ID</u>, <u>Year</u>)
FK- Team\_ID references Team.ID, Player\_ID references Player.ID

Match (Match\_ID, Team\_1, Team\_2, Date, Year, Venue, City, Country, Toss\_Winner, Match\_Winner, Toss\_Decision, Win\_Type, Outcome\_Type, Margin, Player of the Match)

FK- Player\_of\_the\_Match references Player.ID

**Innings** (<u>Match\_ID</u>, <u>Innings\_No</u>, <u>Batting\_Team</u>, Bowling\_Team)

Ball\_to\_Ball (Match\_ID, Over\_ID, Ball\_ID, Innings\_no, striker\_ID, Non-striker\_ID, Bowler\_ID, Batsman\_Score, Output\_type)

Ball\_Extra(Match\_ID, Over\_ID, Ball\_ID, Innings\_no, Extra\_Type, Extras\_runs)

\*\*Note: Image\_Pointer, Additional\_Info of Player table will be stored in Mongo DB.

\*\*Note: Query latency metrics will be pushed to Mongo.

### **Description of system architecture**

Below are descriptions of our Cricket DB portal service web pages with information about what the respective pages accomplish:

### Welcome Page:

You are invited to log into our Cricket DB web app with a username/password. We store credentials so we can also store you favorite team and player.

## Dashboard Page:

Our dashboard page makes an eye grabbing first impression providing a variety of information, graphs and random rotating fun facts about IPL cricket. Offering a Twitter feed of recent cricket news keeps our portal up to date and dynamic as well as helps our Users find other userful cricket information on the web. This page also provides a fixture board with past, current, and future matches, a comparison of which teams generate the most runs and which teams generate the most wickets, the highest scoring batsmen at the present time, and finally a chart representing the number of runs scored by match day over the course of each season.

#### Player Page:

Our player page includes a profile of any player from the IPL. Simply type a name into the search bar and click enter to obtain a variety of statistical information, random facts along with an image of the player. Users can designate the player as their favorite on this page. Biographical information is provided from the Mongo and MySQL Database and player images come from the Mongo Database. Both batting and bowling statistics are presented in a grid format at the bottom of the page. We also offer random queries about players shown as "Facts", which can be regenerated by refreshing the page.

#### Team Page:

Our team page presents a profile of a team with a dropdown search for all the available teams and the roster is populated from the SQL Database. An image associated with each team is loaded using the Mongo Database. Again, rotating queries/interesting facts about each team are randomly generated and shown on the center of the page to provide new content on any subsequent visit.

### Trivia Page:

Our trivia page provides 8 static and 2 dynamic fun fact and generally presents some of our more complex queries. They are listed below with the first and seventh indicated as dynamic and the specific queries are shown at the end in (Appendix E):

- Who is the most successful batsman against a random bowler? (dynamic)
- How has winning the toss affected winning the match?
- Which out of town team has won the most matches in all cities where matches are played?
- Which player has the most player-of-the-match awards in each city?
- Which player has scored the greatest difference of away runs minus home runs?
- Which bowler allows the highest rate of extras in the league?
- Who's whose "bunny"? (Highest number of times a random batsman got out for the same bowler) (dynamic)
- What is the highest score of runs in an over?
- Who took more than 100 wickets in IPL?
- Who scored the most centuries in IPL?

### Team Build "Battle" Page:

This page allows the portal user to select/"buy" 11 players as input provided a budget in order to form a team. The algorithm computes a bowling strength and a batting strength for each player and gives the player a rating. The simulation will not allow for repeat selections nor will allow you to start the simulation until a full team within budget is selected.

The simulation then creates a random fixture of matches amongst 8 IPL teams, including the portal User's team. The simulation calculates the team's scores and performance and returns the IPL winner.

This enables the User to choose his best from the IPL players.

### How we addressed required features

We combined several datasets in a compelling and useful portal, one of which need to be scraped and cleaned.

We generated complicated queries combining information from multiple tables and optimized the database performance by indexing, caching and carefully choosing join orders and selections.

We used complex architecture incorporating many current, popular and relevant technologies: Python(Flask), Angular, AWS/EC2, Mongo (NoSQL), and Redis.

### Performance evaluation

Early in our project planning process, we observed in our ER diagram that some data was in 2NF. We manipulated our schema to ensure all our relations are in 3NF, and subsequently there is no redundancy in the tables after redistributing our data.

We also performed an optimization experiment on calculating a "hat-trick", which requires getting data for three consecutive bowls from the largest table, ball-to-ball. A hat-trick in cricket is when a bowler takes three wickets on consecutive deliveries, dismissing three different batsmen. To find the hat-trick, we join the "ballToBall" table with itself. This table contains the data of all legal deliveries in IPL, which contains ~144,454 rows and is ~17.6 MB in size. The first query in our experiment used a full table scan, which takes extensive time to compute due to the cross product join. Clearly this is not ideal with an exponential blow up of 10^15 rows in the interim table.

Joining the table on successive ball deliveries and then filtering out the table entries on each step of join works a bit slow at  $\sim$ 120ms because our temp table doesn't have an index. With an index on Output type, the time reduces to  $\sim$ 32ms. (*See Appendix B & C*)

Therefore, choosing appropriate join orders with the smaller relation on the outside as well as indexing output type for bowl type offered improvement opportunities.

Furthermore, we improved performance with caching. Since the scores for player and the team remain constant as per the existing database set up, we have leveraged the idea of caching to additionally improve performance for the team build section of our portal.

We implemented this caching feature with Redis for the "Battle Page" where we need the scores of teams and in turn need scores/ratings of players.

## Technical Challenges and How They were Overcome

The first challenge we faced was using complicated data sources. While Kaggle was an easy upsert into our production database (MySQL), the rest of our data came from unstructured web sources and required us to recursively scrape the various player profiles that we would need for our player page, roster on our team page, and most importantly our battle page.

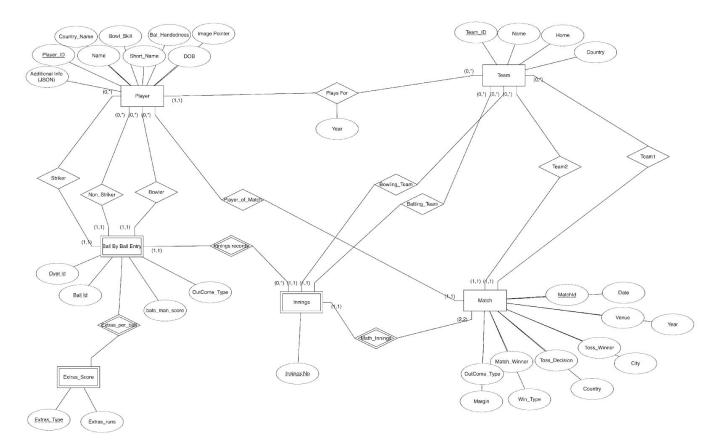
Next, we faced substantial difficulty joining the different datasets. For example, some of the players names formats varied from our different data sources and therefore needed to be cleaned during the scraping process. This required us to make decisions about how best to parse player names so that we could link, for example, one particular player's statistics with their image.

Cricket datasets have many records, every match has at least 300 entries and overall we have 600 matches. Aggregation queries on such datasets can be complex and need to be optimized. Carefully choosing join orders was essential to making our web application responsive.

### **Extra Credit Features**

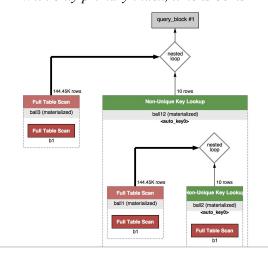
- Mongo DB (NoSQL) hosted with EC2 to store the crawled information because it is not structured.
- SQL for the relational data stored with AWS/RDS.
- Python (Flask) and Angular to provide
- Redis with bloom filter for eaching of queries
- Twitter feed to show the current season of the IPL which happens at this time in the spring every year.

# **Appendix A:** Entity Relationship Diagram

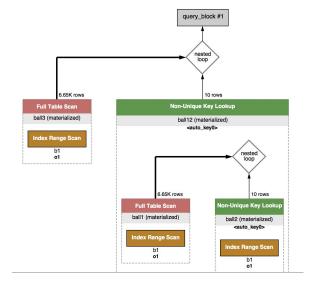


Appendix B

With only primary index, time is 80ms

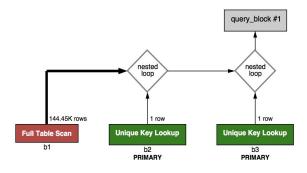


With primary index and Output type index, time is 37ms

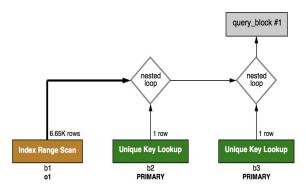


# Appendix C

With only primary index, time is 80ms



With primary index and Output type index, time is 37ms



## Appendix D

### **Data Repositories**

- IPL Cricket Data from Kaggle (this will be a direct upsert into MySQL on AWS)
  - A. <a href="https://www.kaggle.com/raghu07/ipl-datatill-2016">https://www.kaggle.com/raghu07/ipl-datatill-2016</a>
  - B. <a href="https://www.kaggle.com/raghu07/ipl-data-till-2017">https://www.kaggle.com/raghu07/ipl-data-till-2017</a>
- II. Cric Sheets (the will be a direct upsert into MySQL on AWS)
  - A. <a href="https://cricsheet.org/">https://cricsheet.org/</a>
- III. ESPN Cricket Scraped Data (this will be a direct upsert to MySQL for profiles and match statistics and Mongo for Images)
  - A. Player Profiles
  - B. Player Stats
  - C. Image

### Appendix E

### **SQL Queries**

 Who is the best batsman against each bowler by striker rate.

```
SELECT pl.NAME AS Striker,
      p2.NAME AS Bowler,
      Max(av) AS Average
      (SELECT strikerid,
FROM
              bowlerid,
                        Sum(batsmanscore) /
Count (DISTINCT matchid) AS av
        FROM ballToBall
        GROUP BY strikerid,
                 bowlerid) AS a
       LEFT JOIN player pl
             ON strikerid = p1.id
       LEFT JOIN player p2
              ON bowlerid = p2.id
GROUP
      BY bowlerid
ORDER BY Max(av) DESC
```

II. How has winning the toss affected winning the match?

III. Which out-of-town team has won the most matches in all cities where matches are played?

IV. Which player has the most player-of-the-match awards in each city where matches are played?

```
SELECT poms city,
        poms.name
        Max (poms.pom)
FROM
        (SELECT m.city,
                 p.name
                 Count (p.name) AS pom
         FROM
                  `match` m
                  LEFT JOIN player p
                           ON m.playerofthematch
= p.id
         WHERE city IS NOT NULL
                 AND p.name IS NOT NULL
         GROUP BY m.city,
                     p.name) AS poms
GROUP
        BY city;
  ٧.
        Which player has scored the greatest difference of
        away runs minus home runs?
SELECT p.name, Abs (homeScore.score - awayScore.score)
FROM
(SELECT
                                         b.strikerid
AS bman,
                Sum (b.batsmanscore) / Count (DISTINCT
b.matchid) AS score
       FROM ballToBall b
              JOIN `match` m
               ON b.matchid = m.`matchid
              JOIN innings
               ON `innings`.`matchid` = b.matchid
              JOIN team t
                ON innings.`battingteam` = t.`id`
                  AND t.home = m.`city`
       GROUP BY b.strikerid) AS homeScore
                       JOIN (SELECT b.strikerid
AS bman.
                               Sum (b.batsmanscore) /
Count (DISTINCT b.matchid) AS score
            FROM ballToBall b
                   JOIN `match` m
                    ON b.matchid = m.`matchid`
                   JOIN innings
                            ON `innings`.`matchid` =
b.matchid
                   JOIN team t
                          ON innings.`battingteam` =
t.. `id`
                       AND t.home <> m.`city`
```

GROUP BY b.strikerid) AS awayScore

BY Abs (homeScore.score - awayScore.score)

ON homeScore.bman = awayScore.bman

ON p.`id` = homeScore.bman

JOIN player p

ORDER DESC; VI

```
Which bowler allows the highest number of extras
                                                                 AND be overid = b overid
       in the league?
                                                                 AND be ballid = b ballid
                                                                        AND be inningsno =
SELECT p.NAME,
                                                b.inningsno
                Sum(bowlerMatch.badcount) /
                                              GROUP BY b matchid,
Count (bowlerMatch .matchid) AS badAverage
                                                         b.overid,
FROM (SELECT b.bowlerid AS bowlerID,
                                                         b.inningsno
              b.matchid,
                                                HAVING Sum(batsmanscore) > 20
               Count(*) AS badCount
                                               ORDER BY score DESC;
        FROM
              ballToBall b
                                                       Who took more than 100 wickets in IPL?
               JOIN ballExtra be
                                                 IX
                 ON be matchid = b matchid
                    AND be.overid = b.overid
                                                SELECT p.NAME,
                    AND be ballid = b ballid
                                                Count (outputtype) AS wickets
                         AND be inningsno =
                                                FROM ballToBall b
b.inningsno
                                                JOIN player p
       GROUP BY b bowlerid,
                                                        ON p.id = b.bowlerid
                 b.matchid) AS bowlerMatch
                                                WHERE outputtype IN ( 'caught', 'bowled',
       JOIN player p
                                                'lbw', 'stumped' )
                                                GROUP BY bowlerid
        ON p.id = bowlerMatch.bowlerid
GROUP BY bowlerMatch.bowlerid,
                                                HAVING Count(outputtype) > 100
         p.NAME
                                                ORDER BY wickets DESC;
ORDER
          BY Sum(bowlerMatch.badcount) /
                                                       Who scored the most centuries in IPL?
Count (bowlerMatch .matchid) DESC;
                                                  Χ.
                                                SELECT name,
 VII.
       Who's whose bunny? (Highest number of times a
                                                       Count(*) AS n
       batsman got out for the same bowler)
                                                FROM
                                                       (SELECT m.matchid,
                                                               p.name,
SELECT pl.NAME AS Batsman,
                                                               Sum (b.batsmanscore) AS score
      p2.NAME AS Bowler,
                                                        FROM ballToBall b
      Count(*) AS Times out
                                                               LEFT JOIN `match` m
FROM ballToBall b,
                                                                             ON b.matchid =
      player p1,
                                                m.matchid
      player p2
                                                               LEFT JOIN player p
      outputtype IN ( 'caught', 'lbw',
                                                                      ON b.strikerid = p.id
'bowled', 'stumped' )
                                                        GROUP BY b.strikerid,
      AND b.strikerid = p1.id
                                                                 b.matchid
      AND b.bowlerid = p2.id
                                                        HAVING Sum (b.batsmanscore) > 100) AS
GROUP BY bowlerid,
                                                cents
                                                GROUP BY name
         strikerid
HAVING Count(*) > 5
                                                ORDER BY Count(*) DESC
ORDER BY times out DESC;
                                                LIMIT
                                                ΧI
                                                        Most wickets by player sorted on wicket
                                                SELECT DISTINCT ( T.NAME ),
                                                              wickets
       *What is the highest score of runs in an over?
                                                FROM
                                                       (SELECT p.NAME,
SELECT b.matchid,
                                                               p.id,
      b.overid,
                                                               Count (outputtype) AS wickets
      b.inningsno,
                                                        FROM ballToBall b
        Sum(b.batsmanscore)
                                          AS
                                                               JOIN player p
score,
                                                                 ON p.id = b.bowlerid
        COALESCE(Sum(be.extraruns), 0)
                                        AS
                                                        WHERE outputtype IN ( 'caught',
extra.
                                                'bowled', 'lbw', 'stumped',
       Sum(b.batsmanscore)
                                                                                'caught and
        + COALESCE(Sum(be.extraruns), 0) AS
                                                bowled', 'hit wicket' )
temp
                                                       GROUP BY bowlerid
FROM
      ballToBall b
                                                        ORDER BY wickets DESC) T
      LEFT JOIN ballExtra be
                                                       JOIN playerToTeam ptt
              ON be matchid = b matchid
```

```
ON T.id = ptt.playerid
                                                Quantity of left and right hand batters
WHERE ptt.teamid = 1
                                                SELECT (SELECT Count(DISTINCT( playerid ))
ORDER BY wickets DESC;
                                                        FROM
                                                              player p
                                                               JOIN playerToTeam ptt
Most runs for the team sorted on runs
                                                                ON p.id = ptt.playerid
                                                        WHERE teamid = 3
SELECT DISTINCT ( T.NAME ),
                                                               AND p.bathandedness LIKE (
              runs
                                                '%Right-hand Bat%' )) AS righthanded,
FROM
      (SELECT p NAME,
                                                       (SELECT Count(DISTINCT( playerid ))
               p.id,
                                                        FROM player p
               Sum (batsmanscore) AS runs
                                                               JOIN playerToTeam ptt
        FROM ballToBall b
                                                                ON p.id = ptt.playerid
               JOIN player p
                                                        WHERE teamid = 3
                ON p.id = b.strikerid
                                                               AND p.bathandedness LIKE (
        GROUP BY strikerid) T
                                                '%Left-hand Bat%' )) AS lefthanded
       JOIN playerToTeam ptt
                                                FROM
                                                      dual
        ON T.id = ptt.playerid
WHERE ptt.teamid = 1
                                                Quantity of right hand hand bowlers
ORDER BY runs DESC;
                                                SELECT Count(DISTINCT( playerid ))
                                                FROM
                                                       player p
Percentage of wins across seasons per team
                                                       JOIN playerToTeam ptt
                                                        ON p.id = ptt.playerid
SELECT ( y.win / x.tot ) * 100 AS percentage
                                                WHERE teamid = 1
     (SELECT Count(*) AS tot
                                                       AND p.bowlskill LIKE ( '%Right%' );
        FROM
             `match`
        WHERE team1 = 1
                                                Quantity of left hand hand bowlers
               OR team2 = 1) x
                                                SELECT Count(DISTINCT( playerid ))
       JOIN (SELECT Count(*) AS win
                                                FROM player p
            FROM `match`
                                                       JOIN playerToTeam ptt
             WHERE matchwinner = 1) y
                                                        ON p.id = ptt.playerid
         on 1 = 1
                                                WHERE teamid = 1
                                                       AND p.bowlskill LIKE ( '%Left%' );
Getting lucky with Toss
SELECT ( y.win / x.tot ) * 100 AS percentage
                                                Quantity of left/right hand bowlers
FROM
     (SELECT Count(*) AS tot
                                                SELECT (SELECT Count(DISTINCT( playerid ))
              `match`
       FROM
                                                        FROM
                                                               player p
        WHERE team1 = 1
                                                               JOIN playerToTeam ptt
               OR team2 = 1) x
                                                                ON p.id = ptt.playerid
       JOIN (SELECT Count(*) AS win
                                                        WHERE teamid = 1
             FROM
                    `match`
                                                               AND p.bowlskill LIKE (
             WHERE tosswinner = 1) y
                                               '%Right%' )) AS righthanded,
         on 1 = 1
                                                        (SELECT Count(DISTINCT( playerid ))
                                                        FROM
                                                               player p
Quantity of left hand batters
                                                               JOIN playerToTeam ptt
                                                                ON p.id = ptt.playerid
SELECT Count(lefthanded)
                                                        WHERE teamid = 1
FROM (SELECT DISTINCT p.NAME AS Lefthanded
                                                               AND p.bowlskill LIKE (
      FROM player p,
                                                '%left%' )) AS lefthanded
             playerToTeam ptt
                                                FROM dual
       WHERE p.id = ptt.playerid
             AND p.bathandedness =
'Left-hand bat') Lefthanded
```

Count of players with age < and > 25.

```
SELECT Count(DISTINCT( NAME ))
FROM (SELECT p.NAME,
              Year(Curdate()) - Year(dob)
AS Age,
              teamid
       FROM player p
              JOIN playerToTeam ptt
               ON p.id = ptt.playerid) T
WHERE teamid = 1
      AND age < 25;
SELECT Count(DISTINCT( NAME ))
FROM (SELECT p.NAME,
              Year(Curdate()) - Year(dob)
AS Age,
              teamid
       FROM player p
              JOIN playerToTeam ptt
               ON p.id = ptt.playerid) T
WHERE teamid = 1
      AND age > 25;
Home Win percentage
SELECT ( y.home_win / x.home_tot ) * 100 AS
percentage
     (SELECT Count(*) AS home_tot
FROM
       FROM `match` m
       WHERE m.city IN (SELECT home
                         FROM team
                         WHERE team.id =
12)) x
      JOIN (SELECT Count(*) AS home_win
            FROM `match` m
            WHERE matchwinner = 12
                   AND m.city IN (SELECT
home
                                  FROM
team
                                  WHERE
team.id = 12)) y
        on 1 = 1;
```

#### Query Optimization Hat-tricks (exponential blow-up)

```
SELECT Count(*)
FROM (SELECT b1.matchid
                                AS b1 matchID,
                               AS b1_overID,
               bl.overid
                               AS b1 ballID
               b1.ballid
               b1.inningsno
                               AS b1 inningsNo,
               b1.strikerid
                               AS b1_strikerID,
               b1.nonstrikerid AS b1_nonStrikerID,
               b1.bowlerid AS b1_bowlerID,
               b1.batsmanscore AS b1_batsmanScore,
               b1.outputtype AS b1_outputType,
               b2.matchid AS b2_matchID, b2.ballid AS b2_ballID,
               b2.overid AS b2_overID, b2.strikerid AS b2_strikerID,
               b2.nonstrikerid AS b2_nonStrikerID,
               h2 howlerid
                              AS b2 bowlerID,
               b2.batsmanscore AS b2 batsmanScore,
               b2.outputtype AS b2_outputType,
b2.inningsno AS b2_inningsNo
               b2.inningsno
                               AS b2_inningsNo,
               b3.matchid
                               AS b3_matchID,
                               AS b3 ballID,
               b3.ballid
                               AS b3_overID,
               b3.overid
               b3.inningsno
                              AS b3 inningsNo,
                               AS b3_strikerID,
               b3.strikerid
               b3.nonstrikerid AS b3_nonStrikerID,
               b3.bowlerid
                              AS b3_bowlerID,
               b3.batsmanscore AS b3_batsmanScore
               b3.outputtype AS b3_outputType
               balltoball b1,
               balltoball b2,
               balltoball b3) temp
WHERE b1_matchid = b2_matchid
       AND b1_matchid = b3_matchid
       AND b1_overid = b2_overid
       AND b1_overid = b3_overid
       AND b1 ballid + 1 = b2 ballid
       AND b1_ballid + 2 = b3_ballid
       AND b1_inningsno = b2_inningsno
       AND b1_inningsno = b3_inningsno
       AND b1 outputtype IN ( 'caught', 'lbw', 'bowled',
'caught and bowled',
                               'stumped'
      AND b2_outputtype IN ( 'caught', 'lbw', 'bowled',
'caught and bowled',
      AND b3_outputtype IN ( 'caught', 'lbw', 'bowled',
'caught and bowled',
                               'stumped' )
```

#### Query Optimization Hat-tricks (optimized)

```
SELECT Count (*)
FROM (SELECT
              (SELECT b1.matchid
                                    AS b1 matchID,
       FROM
                                    AS b1_overID,
                      b1.overid
                                    AS b1 ballID,
                      b1.ballid
                      b1.inningsno AS b1_inningsNo,
                      b1.outputtype AS b1_outputType
                      ballToBall b1
                WHERE b1.outputtype IN ( 'caught', 'lbw',
'bowled'
                                          'caught and
bowled',
                                         'stumped' )) AS
hall1
              JOIN (SELECT b1.matchid
                                         AS b2_matchID,
                           bl.overid
                                         AS b2_overID,
                           b1.ballid
                                         AS b2_ballID,
                           b1.inningsno AS b2_inningsNo,
                           b1.outputtype AS b2_outputType
                     FROM
                           ballToBall b1
                    WHERE bl.outputtype IN ( 'caught',
'lbw', 'bowled',
                                              'caught and
bowled',
                                              'stumped' ))
AS ball2
                ON ball1.b1_matchid = ball2.b2_matchid
                   AND ball1.b1_overid = ball2.b2_overid
                   AND ball1.b1_ballid + 1 =
ball2.b2_ballid
                   AND ball1.b1_inningsno =
ball2.b2_inningsno) ball12
      JOIN(SELECT b1.matchid AS b3_matchID,
                  b1.overid
                                AS b3_overID,
                  b1.ballid
                                AS b3 ballID,
                  bl.inningsno AS b3 inningsNo
                  b1.outputtype AS b3_outputType
            FROM
                  ballToBall b1
           WHERE bl.outputtype IN ( 'caught', 'lbw',
'bowled',
                                      'caught and bowled'
                                     'stumped' )) AS ball3
        ON ball12.b1_matchid = ball3.b3_matchid
           AND ball12.b1_overid = ball3.b3_overid
           AND ball12.b1_ballid + 2 = ball3.b3_ballid
           AND ball12.b1 inningsno = ball3.b3 inningsno
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