Project Overview

This project is intended to determine cricket's best test XI of all time (statistically) based on a problem statement and given criteria. The final results are to be displayed on an interactive Power BI Dashboard and validated using SQL queries.

Database Used: Cricinfo (https://www.espncricinfo.com/)

Problem Statement

Build cricket's best test 11 of all time (statistically) - The team should consist of 5 batters, 2 all-rounders, 1 wicket-keeper and 3 bowlers.

The individual criteria for each role should be based on the below -

1. Batters -

- Matches played more than 100
- Total career runs should be more than 10,000
- Centuries more than 30
- Average more than 50
- Career span of more than 12 years

2. Bowlers -

- Matches played more than 100
- Total career wickets should be more than 500
- Strike Rate of less than 60
- Average less than 30
- Career span of more than 12 years

3. All-Rounders -

- Matches played more than 100
- Total career runs more than 5000 and wickets should be more than 200
- Career span of more than 12 years

4. Wicket Keepers -

- Matches played more than 100
- Total career Wk_Dismissals more than 300
- Total career Dismissals_per_innings more than 1.5
- Career span of more than 12 years

Import python libraries & data research

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In [1]:
         import numpy as np
         import pandas as pd
         import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
         import seaborn as sns
         from pylab import rcParams
         from IPython.display import Image
        %matplotlib inline
         rcParams['figure.figsize']=8,4
In [2]:
        # webscraping
         batting_url = 'https://www.espncricinfo.com/records/most-runs-in-career-223646'
         bowling url = 'https://www.espncricinfo.com/records/most-wickets-in-career-93276'
         allrounder_url = 'https://www.espncricinfo.com/records/1000-runs-and-100-wickets-28
        wkeep_url = 'https://www.espncricinfo.com/records/most-dismissals-in-career-283791'
In [3]:
        # read html
         bat = pd.read_html(batting_url)
         bowl = pd.read_html(bowling_url)
         all_round = pd.read_html(allrounder_url)
        wicket_keeping = pd.read_html(wkeep_url)
In [4]: # assign to dataframes
         batters = bat[0]
         bowlers = bowl[0]
         all_rounders = all_round[0]
        wicket_keepers = wicket_keeping[0]
In [5]:
        # Show entire rows and columns when called (useful for quickly glancing through all
         pd.set_option('display.max_rows', None)
        pd.set_option('display.max_columns', None)
        batters.head(2)
In [6]:
Out[6]:
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             Ponting
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                                                257 51.85
                                                            22782 58.72
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                     2012
              (AUS)
        bowlers.head(2)
In [7]:
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Out[7]:
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           all_rounders.head(2)
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          wicket_keepers.head(2)
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                AC Gilchrist (AUS)
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                                                  191
                                                      416
                                                           379
                                                                        5 (5ct 0st)
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          print("Shape of batters table:", batters.shape)
In [10]:
           print("Shape of bowlers table:", bowlers.shape)
           print("Shape of all_rounders table:", all_rounders.shape)
           print("Shape of wicket_keepers table:", wicket_keepers.shape)
          Shape of batters table: (107, 15)
          Shape of bowlers table: (82, 15)
          Shape of all_rounders table: (75, 13)
          Shape of wicket keepers table: (90, 9)
In [11]:
          # Merge dataframes
           best = pd.merge(batters,bowlers, left_on = ["Player","Span","Mat"], right_on = ["Pl
                               ).merge(all_rounders, left_on = ["Player","Span","Mat"], right_or
                                       ).merge(wicket_keepers, on = ["Player", "Span", "Mat"], how
           best.head(3)
In [12]:
Out[12]:
                Player
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In [13]: print("Shape of best table:", best.shape)
Shape of best table: (294, 43)
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Data Cleaning

- Create a 'Role' column (batter, bowler, allrounder, wk) right next to 'player' column
- Separate country name from player name and create the new 'Country' column right next to 'Speciality' column.
- Split 'span' column and have 2 separate columns for start and end dates, create a new column 'Career Span'
- Remove unwanted columns, merge common columns and add new columns if required
- Remove unwanted characters (e.g. *, +) from the columns
- Check for missing values (and fill if found)
- Check and drop duplicates (if found)
- Check and change data types
- Rename column headers to something more generally comprehendable & rearrange column indexes

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In [14]: # check dataframe general info
best.info()
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<class 'pandas.core.frame.DataFrame'>
Int64Index: 294 entries, 0 to 293
Data columns (total 43 columns):
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Data columns (total 43 columns):
  Column
                Non-Null Count Dtype
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                _____
                294 non-null
0
    Player
                              object
    Span
1
                294 non-null object
2
    Mat
               294 non-null int64
3
    Inns_bat
               107 non-null float64
4
                107 non-null float64
                107 non-null
5
                             float64
    Runs_bat
                107 non-null object
6
    HS x
7
    Ave bat
                107 non-null float64
8
                107 non-null object
9
    SR bat
               107 non-null float64
10 100 x
               107 non-null float64
11 50
               107 non-null
                             float64
               107 non-null
12
    0
                              float64
13 4s
               107 non-null object
14 6s
               107 non-null object
15 Inns_bowl
              82 non-null
                             float64
16 Balls
               82 non-null
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17 Overs
               82 non-null
                              object
18 Mdns
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   Runs_bowl 82 non-null
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20 Wkts_x
                82 non-null
                             float64
21 BBI x
               82 non-null
                             object
22 Ave_bowl
               82 non-null
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23 Econ
                82 non-null
                             float64
24 SR_bowl
               82 non-null
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25 4
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26 5_x
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                             float64
27 Runs
               75 non-null
                             float64
28 HS_y
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                             object
29 Ave
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                              float64
30 100 y
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                              object
31 Wkts_y
                75 non-null
                              float64
32 BBI_y
                75 non-null
                              object
33 Ave.1
                75 non-null
                              float64
34 5_y
                75 non-null
                              float64
35 Ct x
                75 non-null
                              float64
36 St x
                75 non-null
                              object
               90 non-null
37 Inns
                              float64
38 Dis
               90 non-null
                              float64
39 Ct y
                90 non-null
                              float64
40 St_y
                90 non-null
                              float64
41 Max Dis Inns 90 non-null
                              object
42 Dis/Inn
                90 non-null
                              float64
dtypes: float64(29), int64(1), object(13)
memory usage: 101.1+ KB
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In [15]: # Create a 'Role' column (batter, bowler, allrounder, wk)

best.loc[best['Player'].isin(batters['Player']), 'Role'] = 'Batter'
best.loc[best['Player'].isin(all_rounders['Player']), 'Role'] = 'All_Rounder'
best.loc[best['Player'].isin(batters['Player']) & best['Player'].isin(bowlers['Playbest.loc[best['Player'].isin(bowlers['Player']) & ~best['Player'].isin(batters['Player'].isin(batters['Player']) & ~best['Player'].isin(batters['Player']) & ~best['Player'].isin(batters['Player']) & best.loc[best['Player'].isin(batters['Player']) & best['Player'].isin(wicket_keepers['Player']) & best['Player'].isin(wicket_keepers['Player']).isin(wicket_keepers['Player'].isin(wicket_keepers['Player'].isin(wicket_keepers['Player'].isin(wicket_keepers['Player'].isin(wicket_keepers['Player'].isin(wicket_keepers['Player'].isin(wicket_keepers['Player'].isin(wicket_keepers['Player'].isin(wicket_keepers['Player'].isin(wicket_keepers['Player'].isin(wicket_keepers['Player'].isin(wicket_keepers['Player'].isin(wicket_keepers['Player'].isin(wicket_keepers['Player'].isin(wicket_keepers['Player'].isin(wicket_keepers['Player'].isin(wicket_keepers['Player'].isin(wicket_keepers['Player'].isin(wicket_keepers['Player'].isin(wicket_keepers['Player'].isin(wicket_keepers['Player'].isin(wicket_keepers['Player'].isin(wicket_keepers['Player'].isin(wicket_keepers['Player'].isin(wicket_keepers['Player'].isin(wicket_keepers['Player'].isin(wicket_keepers['Player'].isin(wicket_keepers['Player'].isin(wicket_keepers['Player'].isin(wicket_keepers['Player'].isin(wicket_keepers['Player'].isin(wicket_keepers['Player'].isin(wicket_keepers['Player'].isin(wicket_keepers['Player'].isin(wicket_keepers['Player'].isin(wicket_keepers['Player'].isin(wicket_keepers['Player'].isin(wicket_keepers['Player'].isin(wicket_keepers['Player'].isin(wicket_keepers['Player'].isin(wicket_keepers['Player'].isin(wicket_keepers['Player'].isin(wicket_keepers['Player'].isin(wicket_keepers['Player'].isin(wicket_keepers['Player'].isin(wicket_keepers['Player'].isin(wicket_keepers['
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In [16]: # place it right next to 'player' column
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role = best.pop('Role')
          best.insert(1, role.name, role)
         # Separate country name from player name in have it in a new column
In [17]:
          best["Country"] = best["Player"].str.split(pat = '(').str[1]
          best["Country"] = best["Country"].str.split(pat = ')').str[0]
In [18]:
In [19]:
          best["Country"].head(3)
                  IND
Out[19]:
                  AUS
               ICC/SA
          Name: Country, dtype: object
In [20]:
         best["Player"] = best["Player"].str.split(pat = '(').str[0]
          best["Player"].head(3)
               SR Tendulkar
Out[20]:
          1
                 RT Ponting
                  JH Kallis
          Name: Player, dtype: object
In [21]:
         # Move 'Country' column next to 'Role' column
          col = best.pop('Country')
          best.insert(2, col.name, col)
          best.head(2)
Out[21]:
                       Role Country Span Mat Inns bat NO Runs bat HS x Ave bat
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               Player
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                                     2012
              Ponting
In [22]:
         # Split 'span' column and have 2 separate columns for start and end dates
          best["Start_Year"] = best["Span"].str.split(pat = '-').str[0].astype('int64')
          best["End_Year"] = best["Span"].str.split(pat = '-').str[1].astype('int64')
          best.head(3)
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Out[22]:

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Role Country Span Mat Inns_bat NO Runs_bat HS_x Ave_bat
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                                             2013
          # Add a new column for calcuating 'career span'
In [23]:
           best["Career_Span(yrs)"] = best["End_Year"] - best["Start_Year"]
          best.head(2)
Out[23]:
                                       Span Mat Inns_bat NO Runs_bat HS_x Ave_bat
                Player
                        Role Country
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                   SR
          0
                       Batter
                                  IND
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                                                      287.0 29.0
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               Ponting
                                        2012
          # remove unwanted columns
In [24]:
           best.drop(best.columns[[3,5,6,10,13,14,15,16,17,18,19,20,21,23,27,28,34,36,37,38,39]
           best.head(3)
In [25]:
Out[25]:
                Player
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          # combine columns with common values
In [26]:
           best["Batting_Average"] = best[["Ave_bat", "Ave"]].max(axis=1)
           best["Bowling_Average"] = best[["Ave_bowl", "Ave.1"]].max(axis=1)
           best["100s"] = best[["100_x", "100_y"]].max(axis=1)
           best["Wickets"] = best[["Wkts_x", "Wkts_y"]].max(axis=1)
           best["Runs_Scored"] = best[["Runs_bat", "Runs"]].max(axis=1)
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C:\Users\Hryshikesh\AppData\Local\Temp\ipykernel_18476\2424287191.py:5: FutureWarn
          ing: Dropping of nuisance columns in DataFrame reductions (with 'numeric_only=Non
          e') is deprecated; in a future version this will raise TypeError. Select only val
          id columns before calling the reduction.
            best["100s"] = best[["100_x", "100_y"]].max(axis=1)
          best.drop(columns=["Ave_bat","Ave","Ave_bowl", "Ave.1","100_x","100_y","Wkts_x","Wk
In [27]:
          best.head(3)
In [28]:
Out[28]:
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               Player
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          best.head(3)
In [29]:
Out[29]:
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          # Check and drop duplicates
In [30]:
          best.duplicated().sum()
Out[30]:
In [31]:
          # Check and change data types
          best.dtypes
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object

Out[31]:

Player

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Role
                               object
         Country
                               object
         Mat
                                int64
         HS_x
                               object
         Econ
                              float64
         SR bowl
                              float64
         HS_y
                               object
                              float64
         Dis
         Ct y
                              float64
                              float64
         St_y
         Max Dis Inns
                               object
         Dis/Inn
                              float64
                                int64
         Start_Year
         End Year
                                int64
         Career_Span(yrs)
                                int64
         Batting_Average
                              float64
                              float64
         Bowling_Average
         100s
                              float64
         Wickets
                              float64
         Runs_Scored
                              float64
         dtype: object
In [32]:
         # Remove unwanted characters (e.g. *, +) from the columns & change data types as re
          #best["Mat"] = best["Mat"].str.replace(r'\W','').astype('Int64')
          best["HS_x"] = best["HS_x"].str.replace(r'\W','').astype('Int64')
          best["HS_y"] = best["HS_y"].str.replace(r'\W','').astype('Int64')
          best["Dis"] = best["Dis"].astype('Int64')
          best["Ct_y"] = best["Ct_y"].astype('Int64')
          best["St_y"] = best["St_y"].astype('Int64')
          best["100s"] = best["100s"].astype('Int64')
          best["Wickets"] = best["Wickets"].astype('Int64')
          best["Runs_Scored"] = best["Runs_Scored"].astype('Int64')
         C:\Users\Hryshikesh\AppData\Local\Temp\ipykernel_18476\3964250371.py:4: FutureWarn
         ing: The default value of regex will change from True to False in a future versio
           best["HS_x"] = best["HS_x"].str.replace(r'\W','').astype('Int64')
         C:\Users\Hryshikesh\AppData\Local\Temp\ipykernel 18476\3964250371.py:5: FutureWarn
          ing: The default value of regex will change from True to False in a future versio
          best["HS_y"] = best["HS_y"].str.replace(r'\W','').astype('Int64')
          best["Highest_Score"] = best[["HS_x", "HS_y"]].max(axis=1)
In [33]:
          best.drop(columns=["HS_x", "HS_y"], inplace=True)
In [34]:
          best.head(2)
In [35]:
Out[35]:
                                                                           Max
               Player
                      Role Country Mat Econ SR_bowl
                                                          Dis
                                                               Ct_y
                                                                            Dis
                                                                               Dis/Inn Start_Yea
                                                                      St_y
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                  SR
                      Batter
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                                    168
                                         NaN
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              Ponting
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# Rename column headers to something more generally comprehendable
In [36]:
          best = best.rename(columns={"Player":"Player_Name", "Mat": "Matches", "Econ": "Economy"
In [37]:
          best.head(3)
Out[37]:
                               Role Country Matches Economy Bowling_Strike_Rate Wk_Dismissals Ca
             Player_Name
              SR Tendulkar
                                        IND
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                                                                            69.28
                                                                                          <NA>
          # swap/reshuffle columns to put in a better order
In [38]:
          best = best.reindex(columns=["Player_Name", "Role", "Country", "Matches", "Runs_Scored")
         # check for null values
In [39]:
          best.isnull().sum()
          Player_Name
                                        0
Out[39]:
          Role
                                        0
          Country
                                        0
          Matches
                                        0
          Runs_Scored
                                     118
          Highest_Score
                                     118
          Batting_Average
                                     118
          100s
                                     187
          Wickets
                                     182
          Bowling_Average
                                     182
          Bowling_Strike_Rate
                                     212
          Economy
                                     212
          Wk Dismissals
                                     204
          Catches
                                     204
          Wk_Stumpings
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          Dismissals_per_innings
                                     204
          Max Dis Inns
                                      204
          Start_Year
                                       0
          End_Year
                                        0
          Career_Span(yrs)
                                        0
          dtype: int64
In [40]: # fill null values with 0
          best.fillna(value = 0, inplace=True)
In [41]:
          best.head(3)
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Out[41]:

۰		Player_Name	Role	Country	Matches	Runs_Scored	Highest_Score	Batting_Average	10
-	0	SR Tendulkar	Batter	IND	200	15921	248.0	53.78	į
	1	RT Ponting	Batter	AUS	168	13378	257.0	51.85	4
	2	JH Kallis	All_Rounder	ICC/SA	166	13289	224.0	55.37	4
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Problem Analysis

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In [42]:
         # to extract player names who fall within the problem statement criteria
          best_batters = best[(best["Role"]=="Batter") & (best["Matches"]>100) & (best["Runs_
          best_bowlers = best[(best["Role"]=="Bowler") & (best["Matches"]>100) & (best["Wicke
          best_all_rounders = best[(best["Role"]=="All_Rounder") & (best["Runs_Scored"]>5000)
          best_wicket_keepers = best[(best["Role"]=="Wicket_Keeper") & (best["Matches"]>100)
          #export to excel (for dashboard)
In [43]:
          best_batters.to_excel('best_batters.xlsx')
          best_bowlers.to_excel('best_bowlers.xlsx')
In [44]:
          best_all_rounders.to_excel('best_all_rounders.xlsx')
In [45]:
In [46]:
          best_wicket_keepers.to_excel('best_wicket_keepers.xlsx')
          best_batters
In [47]:
Out[47]:
                            Role Country Matches Runs_Scored Highest_Score Batting_Average 100s \tag{9}
              Player_Name
               SR Tendulkar
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                                                          15921
                                                                        248.0
                           Batter
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                   R Dravid
                           Batter
           6
                   BC Lara
                                   ICC/WI
                                               131
                                                          11953
                                                                        400.0
                                                                                        52.88
                                                                                                34
                           Batter
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                 SR Waugh
                           Batter
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               SM Gavaskar
                           Batter
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                Younis Khan Batter
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                                                                                        52.05
          best bowlers
In [48]:
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Out[48]:

Out[48]:		Player_Name	Role	Country	Matches	Runs	_Scored	Highe	est_Score	Batti	ng_Average	100s
	107	M Muralidaran	Bowler	ICC/SL	133		1261		67.0		11.67	0
	108	SK Warne	Bowler	AUS	145		3154		99.0		17.32	0
	109	JM Anderson	Bowler	ENG	187		1353		81.0		8.96	0
	111	SCJ Broad	Bowler	ENG	167		3662		169.0		18.03	0
	112	GD McGrath	Bowler	AUS	124		0		0.0		0.00	0
	114	CA Walsh	Bowler	WI	132		0		0.0		0.00	0
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In [49]:	best_all_rounders											
Out[49]:			ole Cou	ntry Ma	atches Runs_Scor		red Highest_Score		core	Batting_Average		
	2	JH Kallis	All_Round	der ICC	C/SA	166	13	289	2	24.0	5	5.37
	33	GS Sobers	All_Round	der	WI	93	8	8032	3	65.0	5	7.78
	98	N Kapil Dev	All_Round	der	IND	131	5	248	1	63.0	3	1.05
	101	IT Botham	All_Round	der I	ENG	102	5	200	2	0.80	3	3.54
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In [50]: best_wicket_keepers												
Out[50]:		Player_Name	ı	Role Co	untry M	atches	Runs_So	cored	Highest_S	Score	Batting_Ave	erage
	83	MV Boucher	Wicket_Kee	eper IC	CC/SA	147		5515		125.0		30.3
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Final result based on problem analysis

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key_col = Index(lvals).where(~mask_left, rvals)

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key_col = Index(lvals).where(~mask_left, rvals)

Out[51]:

	Player_Name	Role	Country	Matches	Runs_Scored	Highest_Score	Batting_Average
0	SR Tendulkar	Batter	IND	200.0	15921	248.0	53.78
1	RT Ponting	Batter	AUS	168.0	13378	257.0	51.85
2	R Dravid	Batter	ICC/IND	164.0	13288	270.0	52.31
3	BC Lara	Batter	ICC/WI	131.0	11953	400.0	52.88
4	SR Waugh	Batter	AUS	168.0	10927	200.0	51.06
5	JH Kallis	All_Rounder	ICC/SA	166.0	13289	224.0	55.37
6	N Kapil Dev	All_Rounder	IND	131.0	5248	163.0	31.05
7	MV Boucher	Wicket_Keeper	ICC/SA	147.0	5515	125.0	30.30
8	M Muralidaran	Bowler	ICC/SL	133.0	1261	67.0	11.67
9	SK Warne	Bowler	AUS	145.0	3154	99.0	17.32
10	JM Anderson	Bowler	ENG	187.0	1353	81.0	8.96
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Power BI Dashboard Snapshots

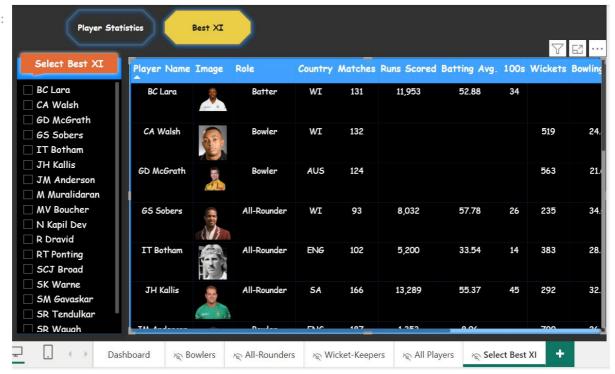
In [52]: from IPython.display import Image

Image(r'C:\Users\Hryshikesh\Desktop\DA Projects\Projects\Cricket\Dashboard_Image1.j

Out[52]:



Out[53]:



Result validation using SQL Queries and Output - Best XI

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Database name - All Players (combined players table)
Out[54]:
               Query -
               select top 5 * from All_Players
               where Role='Batter'
               order by Runs_Scored desc
                                                                      --top 5 batters with most runs
               select top 3 * from All Players
               where Role='Bowler'
               order by Wickets desc
                                                             --top 3 bowlers with most wickets
               select * from All Players
               where role = 'All_Rounder'
               and Runs_Scored=(select MAX(Runs_Scored) from All_Players where role = 'All_Rounder') -- all_rounder
               with highest runs
               select * from All_Players
               where role = 'All_Rounder'
               and Wickets = (select MAX(Wickets) from All Players where role = 'All Rounder') -- all rounder with
               highest wickets
               select * from All_Players
               where Role='Wicket_Keeper'
                                                             --wicket-keeper
In [55]: # SQL Output
                from IPython.display import Image
                Image(r'C:\Users\Hryshikesh\Desktop\DA Projects\Projects\Cricket\SQL Output.png')
               Out[55]:
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Thank You:)