* Chennai Super Kings (CSK) is a professional cricket franchise based in Chennai, Tamil Nadu, India.
* The team was founded in 2008 and plays its home matches at the M. A. Chidambaram Stadium in Chennai.
* CSK is owned by India Cements through its Chennai Super Kings Cricket Limited holding company.
* They have won a record five Indian Premier League (IPL) titles, sharing the record with Mumbai Indians.
* CSK has appeared in a record 10 IPL finals and has qualified for the playoff stages 12 times out of the 14 seasons they have played, which is the highest among all teams.
* The team has been captained by MS Dhoni since its inception and is currently coached by Stephen Fleming.
* CSK became India's first unicorn sports enterprise in January 2022.
* The team was suspended for two years from the IPL starting in July 2015 due to the involvement of its owners in the 2013 IPL betting case.
* CSK made a successful comeback in the IPL in 2018 by winning the title in their comeback season.
* In addition to IPL success, CSK has also won the Champions League Twenty20 in 2010 and 2014.
* The franchise is valued at approximately $1.15 billion as of 2022, making it one of the most valuable IPL franchises.

2023:

- CSK finished 9th in the group stage of the 2022 IPL.

- In the IPL auction 2023, CSK acquired Ben Stokes for INR 16.25 crore, Kyle Jamieson for one crore, and Ajinkya Rahane for half of that.

- Adam Milne and Chris Jordan were released from the team, leading to a lack of experience in the bowling unit.

- Dwayne Bravo, the all-time purple cap holder, retired as a player but re-signed with CSK as their bowling coach.

- CSK faced challenges at the beginning of the season with injuries to Deepak Chahar and Ben Stokes.

- CSK finished the group stage with 17 points and 8 wins, securing a place in the first qualifier.

- CSK won the qualifier against the Gujarat Titans and reached their 10th IPL final. In the final, held in Ahmedabad, they defeated the defending champions by 5 wickets (DLS Method) to claim their 5th IPL title. Ambati Rayudu announced his IPL retirement before the final match.

Home ground

| **Home record of the Super Kings** | | | | | |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
|  | **Matches** | **Wins** | **Losses** | **NR** | **Success Rate** |
| **In IPL** | 64 | 45 | 19 | 0 | 70.31% |
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[](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/File:The_new_and_old_stands_at_the_M._A._Chidambaram_Stadium.jpg)

Panoramic view of the M. A. Chidambaram Stadium in 2012.

**Ownership of N. Srinivasan**

**- N. Srinivasan, who was the treasurer and vice-chairman of BCCI, became the de facto owner of Chennai Super Kings despite a BCCI regulation stating that administrators could not have any commercial interest in matches or events conducted by the board.**

**- Former BCCI President A. C. Muthiah raised concerns about the violation of this regulation in 2008, but the BCCI did not respond. Muthiah went to the Madras High Court to restrain Srinivasan from participating in a general body meeting, but the suit was dismissed.**

**- In 2011, concerns were raised by other team owners about possible rigging in the IPL auctions. Nita Ambani, the owner of Mumbai Indians, questioned the changing order of players before the auction. Lalit Modi, former IPL chairman, accused Srinivasan of rigging the 2009 IPL auction, but Srinivasan refuted the allegations.**

**IPL suspension**

On 14 July 2015, the RM Lodha Committee suspended the owners of Rajasthan Royals and Chennai Super Kings from the Indian Premier League for a period of two years.

Result summary

**Overall results**

| **Year** | **Pld** | **Won** | **Loss** | **Tied** | **NR** | **SR (%)** | **Position** | **Summary** |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| [**2008**](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Chennai_Super_Kings_in_2008) | 16 | 9 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 56.25% | [2/8](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/2008_Indian_Premier_League#Points_table) | **Runners-up** |
| [**2009**](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Chennai_Super_Kings_in_2009) | 15 | 8 | 6 | 0 | 1 | 53.33% | [4/8](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/2009_Indian_Premier_League#Points_table) | **Semi-Finalists** |
| [**2010**](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Chennai_Super_Kings_in_2010) | 16 | 9 | 6 | 1 | 0 | 59.38% | [1/8](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/2010_Indian_Premier_League#Points_table) | **Champions** |
| [**2011**](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Chennai_Super_Kings_in_2011) | 16 | 11 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 68.75% | [1/10](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/2011_Indian_Premier_League#Points_table) | **Champions** |
| [**2012**](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Chennai_Super_Kings_in_2012) | 19 | 10 | 8 | 0 | 1 | 52.63% | [2/9](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/2012_Indian_Premier_League#Points_table) | **Runners-up** |
| [**2013**](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Chennai_Super_Kings_in_2013) | 18 | 12 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 66.67% | [2/9](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/2013_Indian_Premier_League#Points_table) | **Runners-up** |
| [**2014**](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Chennai_Super_Kings_in_2014) | 16 | 10 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 62.5% | [3/8](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/2014_Indian_Premier_League#Points_table) | Playoffs |
| [**2015**](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Chennai_Super_Kings_in_2015) | 17 | 10 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 58.82% | [2/8](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/2015_Indian_Premier_League#Points_table) | **Runners-up** |
| **2016** | *Suspended* | | | | | | | |
| **2017** | *Suspended* | | | | | | | |
| [**2018**](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Chennai_Super_Kings_in_2018) | 16 | 11 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 68.75% | [1/8](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/2018_Indian_Premier_League#Points_table) | **Champions** |
| [**2019**](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Chennai_Super_Kings_in_2019) | 17 | 10 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 58.82% | [2/8](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/2019_Indian_Premier_League#Points_table) | **Runners-up** |
| [**2020**](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Chennai_Super_Kings_in_2020) | 14 | 6 | 8 | 0 | 0 | 42.85% | [7/8](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/2020_Indian_Premier_League#Points_table) | League Stage |
| [**2021**](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Chennai_Super_Kings_in_2021) | 16 | 11 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 68.75% | [1/8](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/2021_Indian_Premier_League#Points_table) | **Champions** |
| [**2022**](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Chennai_Super_Kings_in_2022) | 14 | 4 | 10 | 0 | 0 | 28.57% | [9/10](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/2022_Indian_Premier_League#Points_table) | League Stage |
| [**2023**](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Chennai_Super_Kings_in_2023) | 16 | 10 | 5 | 0 | 1 | 62.5% | [1/10](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/2023_Indian_Premier_League#Points_table) | **Champions** |
| **Total** | **226** | **131** | **91** | **1** | **3** | **57.96** |  | **5 titles** |

**By opposition**

| **Opposition** | **Years** | **Mat** | **Won** | **Lost** | **Tied** | **NR** | **Win (%)** |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| [Mumbai Indians](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Mumbai_Indians) | 2008–2015, 2018-2023 | 38 | 17 | 21 | 0 | 0 | 44.73 |
| [Royal Challengers Bangalore](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Royal_Challengers_Bangalore) | 2008–2015, 2018-2023 | 32 | 21 | 10 | 0 | 1 | 67.73 |
| [Rajasthan Royals](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Rajasthan_Royals) | 2008–2015, 2018-2023 | 29 | 15 | 14 | 0 | 0 | 51.72 |
| [Punjab Kings](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Kings_XI_Punjab) | 2008–2015, 2018-2023 | 29 | 16 | 12 | 0 | 0 | 56.89 |
| [Kolkata Knight Riders](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Kolkata_Knight_Riders) | 2008–2015, 2018– 2023 | 29 | 19 | 11 | 0 | 0 | 63.33 |
| [Delhi Capitals](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Delhi_Capitals) | 2008–2015, 2018–2023 | 29 | 19 | 10 | 0 | 0 | 65.51 |
| [Sunrisers Hyderabad](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Sunrisers_Hyderabad) | 2013–2015, 2018-2022 | 20 | 15 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 75.00 |
| [Lucknow Super Giants](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Lucknow_Super_Giants) | 2022-2023 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 50.00 |
| [Gujarat Titans](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Gujarat_Titans) | 2022-2023 | 5 | 2 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 40.00 |
| [Deccan Chargers](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Deccan_Chargers) | 2008–2012 | 10 | 6 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 60 |
| [Kochi Tuskers Kerala](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Kochi_Tuskers_Kerala) | 2011 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 50 |
| [Pune Warriors India](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Pune_Warriors_India) | 2011–2013 | 6 | 4 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 66.66 |
| **Total** | **2008–2015 2018-2023** | **232** | **136** | **93** | **0** | **2** | **58.62** |

| Team now defunct |
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Statistics

Rivalries

- Chennai Super Kings (CSK) and Mumbai Indians have a fierce rivalry in the IPL, having played against each other more times than any other teams. They have met in the IPL final four times, with Mumbai winning three times and Chennai winning once. The rivalry is often referred to as the "El Clasico of IPL."

- Another significant rivalry for CSK is with Royal Challengers Bangalore (RCB), known as the "Kaveri derby" or "South Indian derby." The rivalry stems from the Kaveri River water dispute between Karnataka (RCB's home state) and Tamil Nadu (CSK's home state). CSK defeated RCB in the final of the 2011 IPL, their only meeting in an IPL final.