

I'm building an **IPL Strategy Dashboard (Streamlit + GitHub portfolio project)** and I want to continue from my current cleaned/processed data pipeline.



Goal (Complete + Categorized)

My end goal is to build a **complete IPL analytics + strategy dashboard** using ball-by-ball data, match metadata, teams, and player role classification — and then optionally extend it with ML features only after analytics is stable.

1) Data Foundation (Must be solid)

- Use the processed datasets only (raw untouched)
 - Validate schema + uniqueness (ball keys)
 - Confirm no unexpected nulls in key columns
 - Confirm role coverage for batter and bowler
 - Confirm team id/name mapping is consistent across files
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2) Match-Level Analytics

- Match summary (match_id, season, date, venue, teams, winner)
 - Toss impact analysis (decision vs outcome)
 - Win patterns (by runs / by wickets)
 - Venue-level match trends
 - Season trends (matches per season, result distribution)
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3) Innings & Over-Level Analysis

- Powerplay / middle overs / death overs scoring patterns
 - Over-by-over run rate and wicket impact
 - Inning momentum trends (runs + wickets progression)
 - Team phase performance comparison
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4) Batter Performance Analytics

- Total runs, balls faced, strike rate
- Boundary analysis (4s/6s if derivable)
- Consistency metrics (match-wise contribution, average runs per match)
- Performance by phase (PP / Middle / Death)

- Batter performance vs team / venue / season
 - Best batters vs specific teams (opposition analysis)
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5) Bowler Performance Analytics

- Balls bowled, overs, wickets (if derivable)
 - Economy rate (runs conceded per over)
 - Dot ball percentage (if derivable)
 - Wicket types distribution (if usable)
 - Bowling performance by phase (PP / Middle / Death)
 - Bowler performance vs venue / season
 - Best bowlers vs specific teams (opposition analysis)
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6) Player Role Classification (Final Layer for Strategy)

We already created role logic, but the dashboard must support:

- Role distribution summary (Batter/Bowler/All-Rounder + tiers)
 - Role confidence via sample size (matches involved)
 - Filters by role + experience tier
 - Role validation reports (spot checks for top/edge cases)
 - Ability to refine role thresholds later without breaking the pipeline
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7) Matchups (Batter vs Bowler)

- Batter vs bowler head-to-head runs, balls, SR
 - Wicket involvement mapping (where possible)
 - Identify favorable/unfavorable matchups
 - Venue-specific matchup trends (optional)
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8) Team Analytics + Strategy View

- Team run rate trends by phase
- Team bowling strength by phase
- Team matchup strengths (vs opponents)
- Venue adaptability (home-like advantage patterns)
- Season-wise evolution of teams
- Best XI logic support (future extension)

9) Venue Insights

- Venue run scoring trends
- Venue wicket trends (if derivable)
- Bat-first vs chase patterns per venue
- High-scoring vs low-scoring venue classification
- Venue phase behaviors (PP/Middle/Death patterns)

10) KPI Library (Dashboard Metrics Bank)

We will build a reusable metric bank including:

- Runs, balls, SR
- Overs, economy (ER)
- Wickets / dismissal counts (if derivable)
- Phase metrics (PP/Middle/Death)
- Toss + venue effects
- Matchups
- Role distribution + confidence tiers

11) Dashboard Build (Streamlit Modules)

Create the dashboard in clean modules:

- Overview/Home
 - Match Explorer
 - Team Dashboard
 - Player Dashboard
 - Role Explorer
 - Matchups Explorer
 - Venue Dashboard
- Each module should have:
- Filters (season, team, venue, player, phase)
 - Key KPIs
 - Charts + tables
 - Download option for filtered results
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12) 🤖 Machine Learning (Optional, Only After Analytics)

We will NOT start ML until analytics is stable.

When we do ML, it must be meaningful:

- Win prediction (pre-match or mid-match)
- Player impact forecasting
- Phase scoring forecast
- Matchup advantage scoring
- Team strength index model

Also confirm:

- Whether to use CLEAN vs FULL master dataset
 - Whether FULL may skew results due to missing match metadata rows
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SOP (How we will work)

1. Work in small phases, one deliverable at a time
 2. First: **display + validate outputs**, then save files
 3. No unnecessary notebook markdown, only code + checks
 4. Save outputs into `/data/processed/` only (raw stays untouched)
 5. Every phase must produce:
 - a clean dataframe output
 - sanity checks (rows, nulls, duplicates)
 - a saved CSV
 - sample preview rows
 - **Save a CSV only if the output is reusable** for downstream phases or the Streamlit dashboard (master table, dimension table, fact table, or stable aggregates).
 - If the phase is only **EDA / validation / one-time analysis**, do **not** save a CSV.
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Work completed so far (already done)

1) Matches cleanup

- Venue mapping + removal venues handled
- Final cleaned matches file exists

2) Players cleanup

- Used an Excel mapping sheet (`player_name_vs_full_name.xlsx`)
- Removed old `player_name + player_full_name`
- Created `player_updated_name`
- Saved updated raw player file

3) Ball-by-ball cleanup

- Mapped incorrect player names → `batter_updated_name` and `bowler_updated_name`
- Saved cleaned ball-by-ball file

4) Player role classification (final logic)

- Output role column: `player_role_final`
- Sample-size tiers included
Saved file: `player_performance_with_roles.csv`

5) Team standardization

Saved:

- `teams_reference.csv`
- `ipl_matches_teamnames_standardized.csv`

6) Master dataset created

Two versions exist:

- FULL: `ipl_master_ball_by_ball_full.csv`
 - Rows: 278,205
 - ~14.82% rows missing match metadata (172 `match_ids`)
- CLEAN: `ipl_master_ball_by_ball_clean.csv`
 - Rows: 236,978
 - Only rows with match metadata available



Final files we will use going forward

Use ONLY these in analysis (do not re-clean unless required):

1. `data/processed/ipl_master_ball_by_ball_clean.csv` Primary analytics dataset
2. `data/processed/ipl_master_ball_by_ball_full.csv` Optional for extra coverage
3. `data/processed/player_performance_with_roles.csv`
4. `data/processed/ipl_matches_teamnames_standardized.csv`
5. `data/processed/teams_reference.csv`



What I want next

Start building the dashboard in **phases**, starting from the highest ROI modules first.

First Step in this new chat:

Load `ipl_master_ball_by_ball_clean.csv`, show shape/columns, validate key fields, and propose the **Phase 1 module** with the first KPIs.