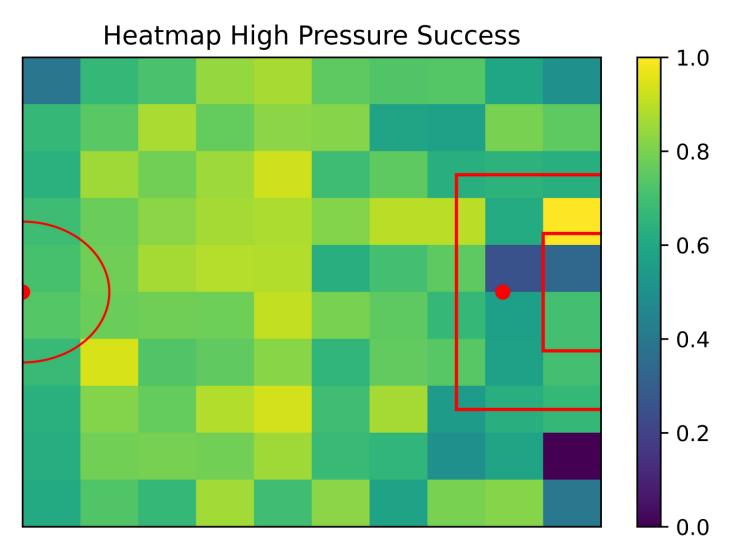
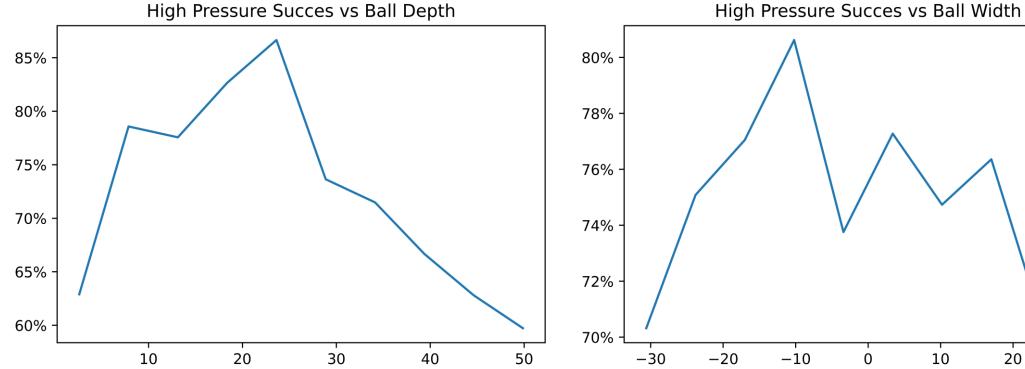
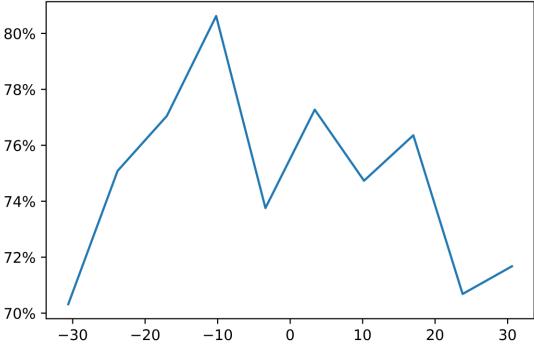
High Pressure Analysis



No clear ball location pattern for optimal high pressure.

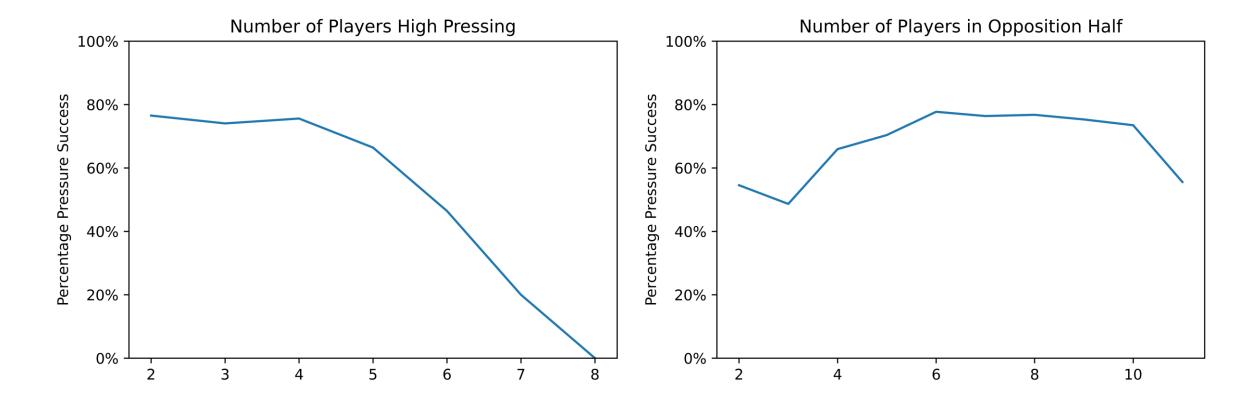
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Doing high pressure too close to the goalie or too close to the mid half is not the most effective. Roughly half way in the opposition's half is the best place.

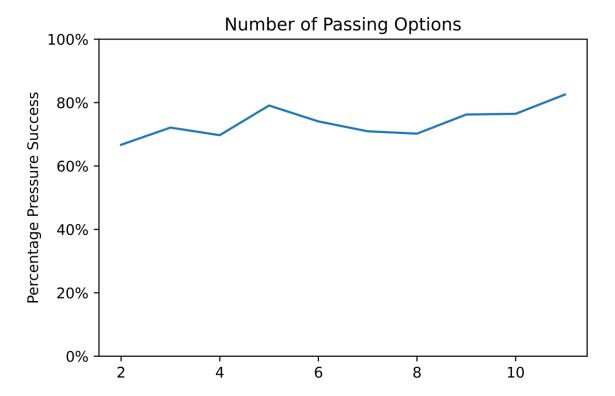
Doing high pressure on the wings is less effective than in the middle of the field.



Increasing the number of player doing high pressure will not increase the success rate.

More than 4 players doing high pressure will have a strong negative effect.

A small number of players in the opposition half will produce a low success rate. Having between 5 and 8 players delivers better results



More opponents on their side equals to better high pressure success.

Takeaways:

- Pressing the player with the ball improves success chance by 17%.
- More players doing high pressure doesn't guarantee better ball recovery.
- Having a few players in the opposition half not doing high pressure, but covering the space will increase the success rate.
- More opponents in their own half increases chance of ball loss under high pressure.