IPL 2025 Season Report

Comprehensive Analysis and Insights

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Executive Summary

The IPL 2025 season concluded with exciting cricket and outstanding individual performances. This report provides a comprehensive analysis of team performances, player statistics, and key insights from the tournament. The season featured 74 matches across league, playoff, and final stages, with PBKS emerging as the strongest performing team with a 64.7% win rate.

Tournament Overview

The IPL 2025 season consisted of 74 matches played across multiple venues, with a total of 26381 runs scored throughout the tournament. The average runs per match was 364.6, indicating a healthy balance between bat and ball.

Key Tournament Statistics

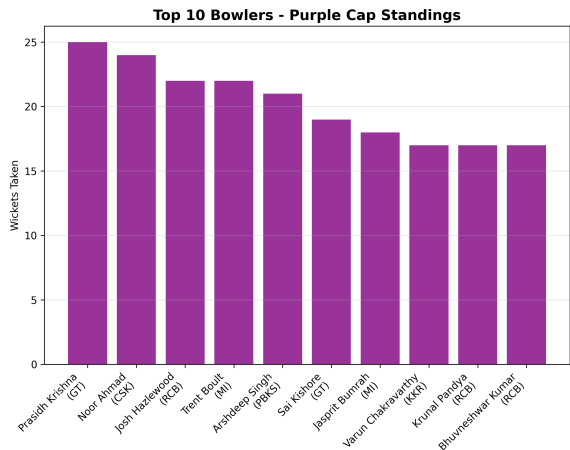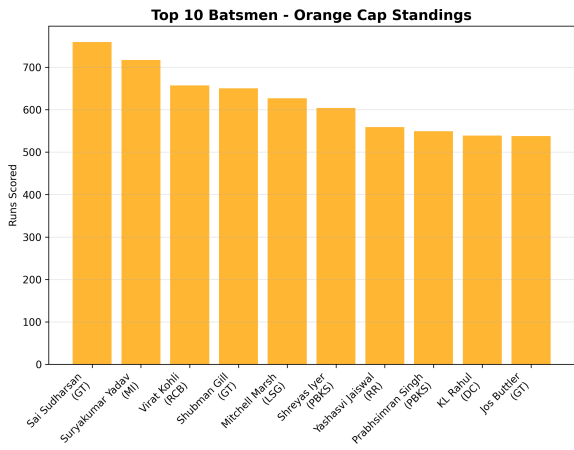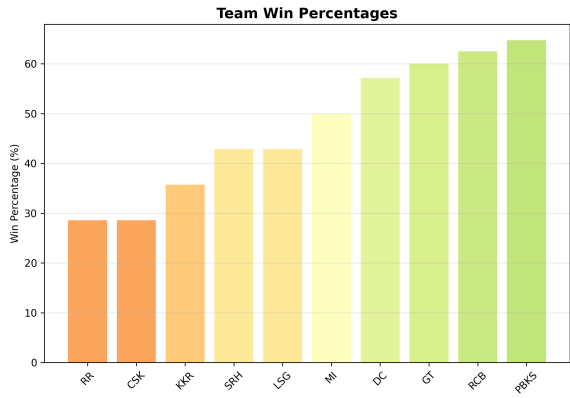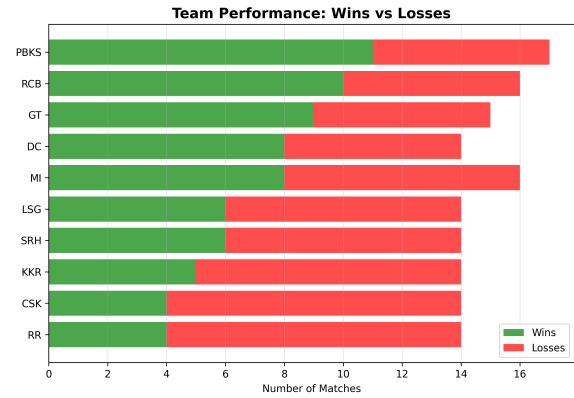| Metric	Value
Total Matches	74
Total Runs Scored	26381
Average Runs per Match	364.6
Highest Individual Score	141
Most Wickets by Bowler	25
Highest Scoring Match	SRH vs RR (528 runs)
Lowest Scoring Match	RCB vs PBKS (193 runs)

Team Performance Analysis

The team performance analysis reveals significant variations in success rates across the ten franchises. Punjab Kings (PBKS) dominated the season with the highest win percentage, while Chennai Super Kings (CSK) and Rajasthan Royals (RR) struggled at the bottom of the table.

Top Performing Teams:

Rank	Team	Matches	Wins	Win %
1	PBKS	17	11	64.7%
2	RCB	16	10	62.5%
3	GT	15	9	60.0%
4	DC	14	8	57.1%
5	MI	16	8	50.0%

Team Performance Visualizations

Team Performance: Wins vs Losses

Team Win Percentages

Top 10 Batsmen - Orange Cap Standings

Top 10 Bowlers - Purple Cap Standings

Outstanding Individual Performances

Top Batsmen (Orange Cap Race)

Sai Sudharsan from Gujarat Titans claimed the Orange Cap with an impressive 759 runs in 15 matches. The top 5 run-scorers demonstrated exceptional consistency and strike rates, with Suryakumar Yadav achieving the best average of 65.18 despite finishing second in total runs.

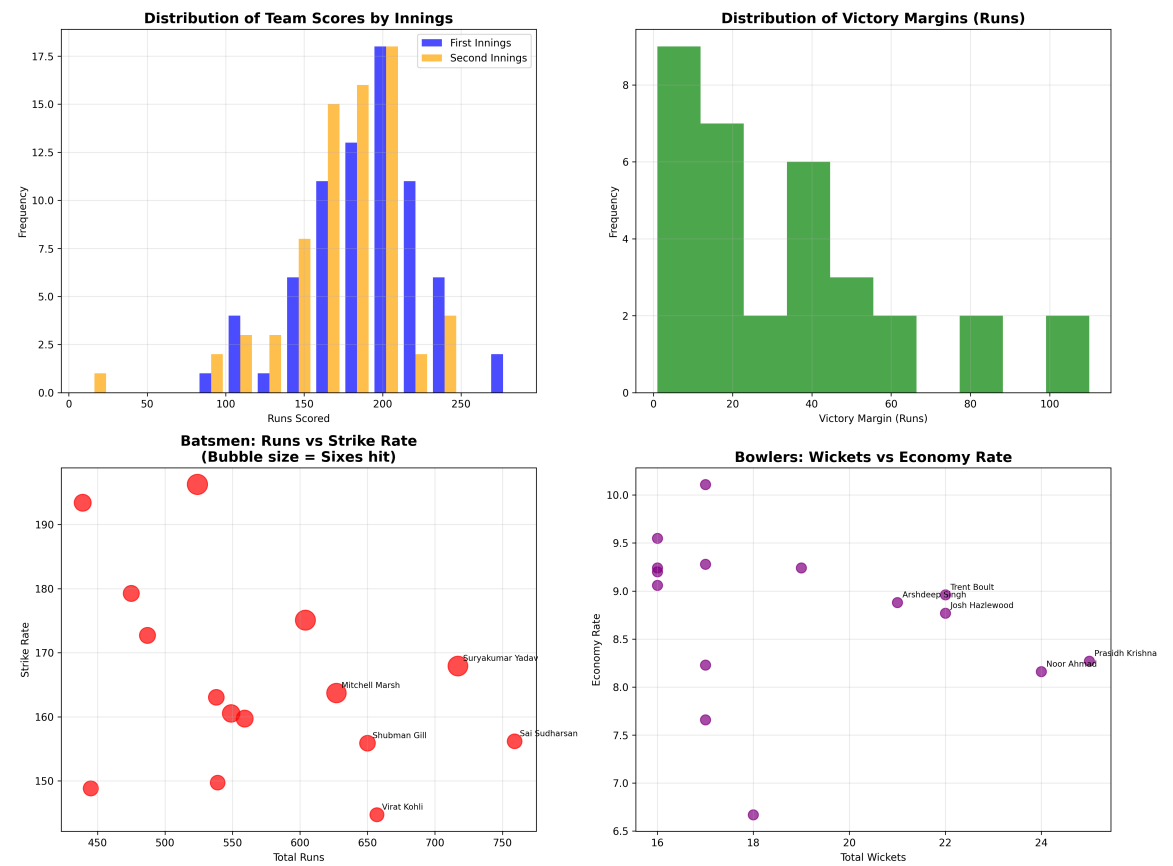| Rank	Player	Team	Runs	Average	Strike Rate
1	Sai Sudharsan	GT	759	54.21	156.17
2	Suryakumar Yadav	MI	717	65.18	167.91
3	Virat Kohli	RCB	657	54.75	144.71
4	Shubman Gill	GT	650	50.00	155.87
5	Mitchell Marsh	LSG	627	48.23	163.70
6	Shreyas Iyer	PBKS	604	50.33	175.07
7	Yashasvi Jaiswal	RR	559	43.00	159.71
8	Prabhsimran Singh	PBKS	549	32.29	160.52
9	KL Rahul	DC	539	53.90	149.72
10	Jos Buttler	GT	538	59.77	163.03

Top Bowlers (Purple Cap Race)

Prasidh Krishna from Gujarat Titans secured the Purple Cap with 25 wickets in 15 matches. The bowling department showed great depth with multiple bowlers crossing the 20-wicket mark. Jasprit Bumrah, though not in the top wicket-takers, maintained the best economy rate of 6.67.

Rank	Player	Team	Wickets	Economy	Best Figures
1	Prasidh Krishna	GT	25	8.27	4--41
2	Noor Ahmad	CSK	24	8.16	4--18
3	Josh Hazlewood	RCB	22	8.77	4--33
4	Trent Boult	MI	22	8.96	4--26
5	Arshdeep Singh	PBKS	21	8.88	3--16
6	Sai Kishore	GT	19	9.24	3--30
7	Jasprit Bumrah	MI	18	6.67	4--22
8	Varun Chakravarthy	KKR	17	7.66	3--22
9	Krunal Pandya	RCB	17	8.23	4--45
10	Bhuvneshwar Kumar	RCB	17	9.28	3--33

Match Analysis and Trends

The tournament featured exciting contests with scores ranging from a low of 193 runs (RCB vs PBKS) to a high of 528 runs (SRH vs RR). The majority of teams preferred to bowl first after winning the toss (61 out of 74 matches), indicating the strategic preference for chasing targets in T20 cricket. Key match insights: • Average total runs per match:

364.6 • Most matches were decided by run margins rather than wickets • Narendra Modi Stadium in Ahmedabad hosted the most matches (9) • The season maintained competitive balance with close contests

Distribution of Team Scores by Innings

Distribution of Victory Margins (Runs)

Batsmen: Runs vs Strike Rate
(Bubble size = Sixes hit)

Bowlers: Wickets vs Economy Rate

Key Findings and Takeaways

Team Performance:
• PBKS emerged as the most consistent team with 64.7% win rate
• RCB and GT also performed well, showing strong squad depth
• CSK and RR struggled, indicating need for strategic changes
• Mumbai Indians maintained a balanced 50% win rate

Individual Brilliance:
• Gujarat Titans dominated individual awards (Orange and Purple Cap winners)
• Sai Sudharsan's 759 runs showcase remarkable consistency
• Suryakumar Yadav's average of 65.18 demonstrates exceptional efficiency
• Prasidh Krishna's 25 wickets highlight effective pace bowling

Tournament Trends:
• Teams preferred bowling first (82% of tosses)
• Average match scores remained competitive at 364.6 runs
• Wide scoring range (193-528) shows varying match conditions
• Player of the Match awards were well distributed across teams

Strategic Insights:
• Successful teams had strong individual performers in key positions
• Balance between batting depth and bowling attack proved crucial
• Home advantage and venue familiarity played important roles
• T20 format continues to reward aggressive, calculated cricket

Conclusion

The IPL 2025 season delivered exceptional entertainment with competitive cricket throughout. The emergence of Punjab Kings as the top-performing team, combined with outstanding individual performances from players like Sai Sudharsan and Prasidh Krishna, made this season memorable. The data reveals the importance of consistency in T20 cricket, where small margins can significantly impact team fortunes. For stakeholders, this analysis provides valuable insights into player performance trends, team strategies, and areas for future development. The season successfully maintained the IPL's reputation for high-quality cricket while showcasing the depth of talent across all participating franchises.