Fairplay Scorecard Audit Checklist

10 checks before publishing a cricket match analysis

Match: _____
Date: _____ **Source:** _____
Checked time: _____

Publication checks

- ☐ **1. Match identity:** Confirm the teams, competition and stable match URL.
- ☐ **2. Date and status:** Check the date, timezone format and whether the match is completed or live.
- ☐ **3. Source record:** Verify the source name and its timestamp.
- ☐ **4. Scorecard labels:** Confirm innings labels, runs, wickets and extras.
- ☐ **5. Legal-ball conversion:** Convert overs to legal balls; wides and no-balls are not valid deliveries.
- ☐ **6. Phase detail:** Use phase splits only where the source supports them.
- ☐ **7. Fair comparisons:** Use dated record comparisons from the same format and same team.
- ☐ **8. Clear boundaries:** Separate observations from context and from what is unknown.
- ☐ **9. Unknowns and sample size:** Do not score unknowns as zero, and avoid trend claims from a single innings.
- ☐ **10. Final publication review:** Recheck arithmetic, links and limitations; include no forecasts.

> **Note:** This worksheet is an educational audit, not a prediction. No software is required.

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