



Australia won the toss and chose to bat - England need 538 more runs to win

**Australia**

**FIRST INNINGS**

Runs	6s	4s	Bls	Min
J L Langer b Panesar .....37	0	6	68	116
<i>beats defensive shot, hits off stump (69-3: 24.1ov)</i>				
M L Hayden c Jones b Hoggard .....24	0	3	33	48
<i>driving, pitched in the line &amp; had to go at it, edged (47-1: 10.3ov)</i>				
*R T Ponting lbw b Harmison .....2	0	0	11	16
<i>pitched on line &amp; seamed back (54-2: 13.3ov)</i>				
M E K Hussey not out .....74	0	10	162	245
<b>Extras (w1 nb4) .....5</b>				
<b>Total (71 overs) .....244</b>				
Bowling: M J Hoggard 12-2-40-1, A Flintoff 9-2-36-0, S J Harmison 19-4-48-4, M S Panesar 24-4-92-5, S I Mahmood 7-2-28-0.				

**Australia**

**SECOND INNINGS**

Runs	6s	4s	Bls	Min
J L Langer b Hoggard .....0	0	0	1	0
<i>good length, swinging late through gate (0-1: 0.1ov)</i>				
M L Hayden c Collingwood b Panesar .....92	0	12	159	252
<i>cutting, edged to 1st slip, parried and then caught (206-3: 58.4ov)</i>				
*R T Ponting c Jones b Harmison .....75	0	10	128	163
<i>seaming out, thin edge to keeper (144-2: 39.4ov)</i>				
M E K Hussey c Jones b Panesar .....103	0	12	156	223
<i>cutting, edged to 1st slip, parried and then caught (206-3: 58.4ov)</i>				
M J Clarke not out .....135	1	17	164	256
<b>Extras (lb15 w2 nb1) .....18</b>				
<b>Total (for 5 dec, 112 overs) .....527</b>				
Bowling: M J Hoggard 20-4-85-1, A Flintoff 19-2-76-0, S J Harmison 24-3-116-1, M S Panesar 34-3-145-3, S I Mahmood 10-0-59-0, K P Pietersen 5-1-31-0.				

**Day 4 - Session Scores**

- **Lunch:** England: 99-1, (34 overs), Cook 37\* & Bell 54\* (Session: 28 overs, 0 wkts, 80 runs)
- **Tea:** England: 180-2, (65 overs), Cook 80\* & Collingwood 4\* (Session: 31 overs, 1 wkts, 81 runs)
- **Close:** England: 265-5, (96 overs), Pietersen 37\* & Flintoff 2\* (Session: 32 overs, 3 wkts, 85 runs)

**England**

**FIRST INNINGS**

Runs	6s	4s	Bls	Min
A J Strauss c Gilchrist b Clark .....42	0	6	71	109
<i>thin edge, driving at a wide one (82-4: 24.2ov)</i>				
A N Cook c Langer b McGrath .....15	0	2	15	26
<i>attempted cover-drive, thick edge to 3rd slip (36-1: 5.6ov)</i>				
I R Bell c Gilchrist b Lee .....0	0	0	2	4
<i>great delivery, squared up, edged behind (37-2: 6.6ov)</i>				
P D Collingwood c Hayden b McGrath .....11	0	1	33	41
<i>forcing shot off back foot, edged to gully (55-3: 17.2ov)</i>				
K P Pietersen c Symonds b Lee .....70	1	8	123	178
<i>mis-cued pull, goes high in the air to long off (175-9: 54.5ov)</i>				
*A Flintoff c Warne b Symonds .....13	0	2	31	46
<i>tentative shot, edged to first slip (114-6: 35.6ov)</i>				
†G O Jones c Langer b Symonds .....0	0	0	4	12
<i>slashing drive, sliced to gully (37-2: 6.6ov)</i>				
S I Mahmood c Gilchrist b Clark .....10	0	1	18	21
<i>attacking shot at short delivery, thin edge (128-7: 40.6ov)</i>				
M J Hoggard c Hayden b Warne .....4	0	0	39	44
<i>pitched on leg stump, edged to first slip (155-8: 51.6ov)</i>				
S J Harmison c Lee b Clark .....23	0	3	33	52
<i>leading edge goes high in the air to mid-on (215-10: 64.1ov)</i>				
M S Panesar not out .....16	0	3	26	39
<b>Extras (w1 nb10) .....11</b>				
<b>Total (64.1 overs) .....215</b>				
Bowling: B Lee 18-1-69-2, G D McGrath 18-5-48-2, S R Clark 15-1-3-49-3, S K Warne 9-0-41-1, A Symonds 4-1-8-2.				

**England**

**FIRST INNINGS**

Runs	6s	4s	Bls	Min
A J Strauss lbw b Lee .....0	0	0	4	2
<i>padded up to swinging delivery (0-1: 0.4ov)</i>				
A N Cook c Gilchrist b McGrath .....116	0	9	290	387
<i>good length, swinging late, off outside edge (261-4: 93.2ov)</i>				
I R Bell c Langer b Warne .....87	2	8	163	232
<i>mis-timed drive to short extra cover (170-2: 56.6ov)</i>				
P D Collingwood c Gilchrist b Clark .....5	0	0	36	47
<i>outside edge to keeper, defending (185-3: 69.3ov)</i>				
K P Pietersen not out .....37	0	4	80	116
<b>Extras (b4 lb3 w6 nb5) .....18</b>				
<b>Total (for 5, 96 overs) .....265</b>				
Fall: 1-0, 2-170, 3-185, 4-261, 5-261. To Bat: †G O Jones, M S Panesar, S J Harmison, S I Mahmood. Bowling: B Lee 19-3-49-1, G D McGrath 20-5-50-2, S R Clark 17-5-31-1, S K Warne 31-4-100-1, A Symonds 9-1-28-0.				

**Day 4 Milestones**

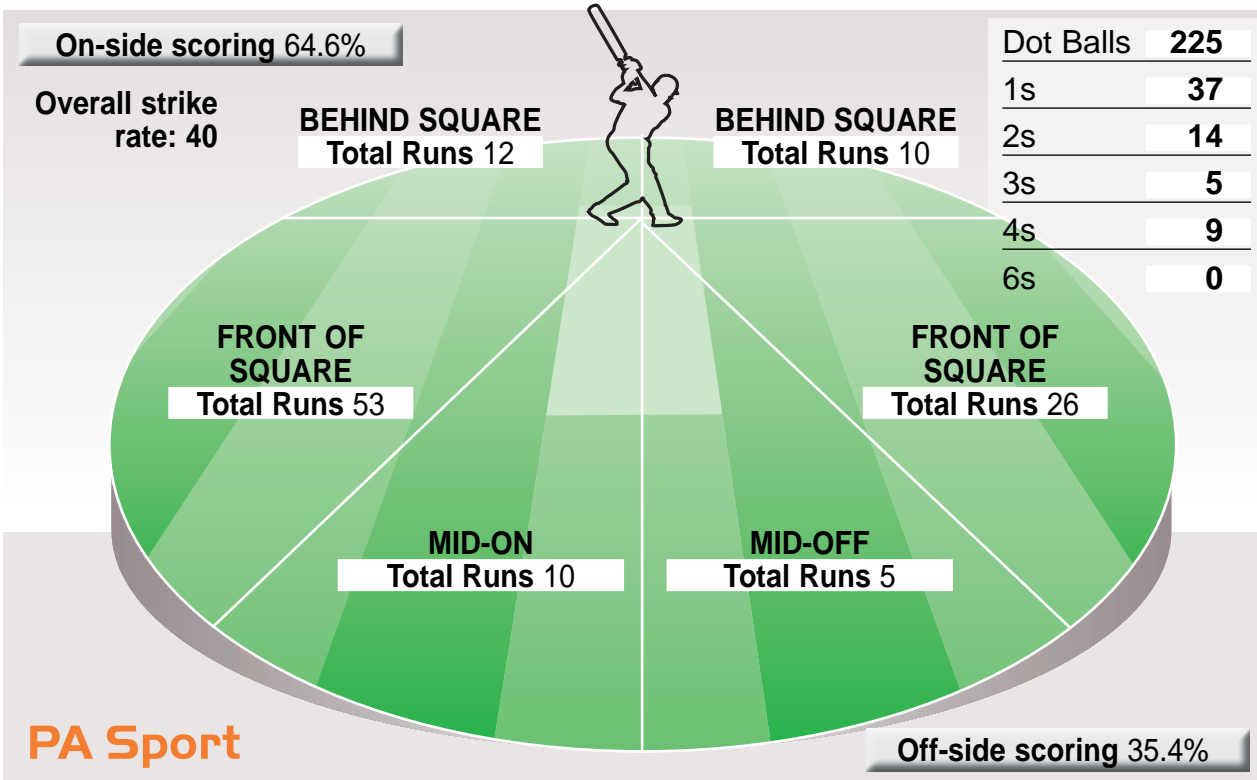
- Cook - first Ashes century and 4th Test century

**Umpires**

Rudi Koertzen & Aleem Dar

**Best batting performance of the day**

A N Cook >> 116 off 290 balls in 387 minutes



**Session Track** **Day 4 - Key Session** **MORNING SESSION — Breakdown**

