

Current League Table

Position	Teams	Played	Won	Drawn	Lost	Gls For	Gls Against	Goal Diff	Points
1	Nott'm Forest	4	3	1	0	6	1	5	10
2	Blackpool	4	3	1	0	6	2	4	10
3	Leicester	4	3	1	0	6	3	3	10
4	QPR	4	3	1	0	5	2	3	10
5	Watford	4	2	2	0	11	5	6	8
6	Leeds	4	2	2	0	5	3	2	8
7	Huddersfield	4	2	1	1	7	3	4	7
8	Derby	4	2	1	1	6	3	3	7
9	Burnley	4	2	1	1	5	4	1	7
10	Brighton	4	2	0	2	5	4	1	6
11	Bournemouth	4	2	0	2	5	12	-7	6
12	Wigan	4	1	2	1	8	5	3	5
13	Reading	4	1	2	1	6	6	0	5
14	Middlesbrough	4	1	2	1	5	5	0	5
15	Blackburn	4	1	1	2	6	5	1	4
16	Doncaster	3	1	1	1	5	5	0	4
17	Ipswich	4	1	0	3	5	5	0	3
18	Birmingham	4	1	0	3	3	5	-2	3
19	Yeovil	4	1	0	3	1	6	-5	3
20	Sheffield Wed	4	0	2	2	5	7	-2	2
21	Bolton	4	0	2	2	2	6	-4	2
22	Charlton	3	0	1	2	3	5	-2	1
23	Millwall	4	0	1	3	2	7	-5	1
24	Barnsley	4	0	1	3	3	12	-9	1

E#	Games Remaining	E# Winners	E# Playoffs	E# Relegation
Nott'm Forest	42	42 1/3	41 1/3	40 1/3
Blackpool	42	42 1/3	41 1/3	40 1/3
Leicester	42	42 1/3	41 1/3	40 1/3
QPR	42	42 1/3	41 1/3	40 1/3
Watford	42	41 2/3	42	41
Leeds	42	41 2/3	42	41
Huddersfield	42	41 1/3	42	41 1/3
Derby	42	41 1/3	42	41 1/3
Burnley	42	41 1/3	42	41 1/3
Brighton	42	41	41 2/3	41 2/3
Bournemouth	42	41	41 2/3	41 2/3
Wigan	42	40 2/3	41 1/3	42
Reading	42	40 2/3	41 1/3	42
Middlesbrough	42	40 2/3	41 1/3	42
Blackburn	42	40 1/3	41	42 1/3
Doncaster	43	41 1/3	42	42 1/3
Ipswich	42	40	40 2/3	42 2/3
Birmingham	42	40	40 2/3	42 2/3
Yeovil	42	40	40 2/3	42 2/3
Sheffield Wed	42	39 2/3	40 1/3	43
Bolton	42	39 2/3	40 1/3	43
Charlton	43	40 1/3	41	43
Millwall	42	39 1/3	40	42
Barnsley	42	39 1/3	40	42

E# 2013-2014

As in previous seasons, I'll be updating the E# for all the teams in the Championship this year.

If you've not seen it before, this is essentially how it works:

"E#" is the "Elimination Number" for each team that is not leading the league.

The elimination number of each team can be defined as:

"The combined number of:

a) wins for the leading team and

b) defeats for the specific trailing team

that are required for that trailing team to be unable to overhaul the leader"

This means any win for the leading team reduces all E#s by one. Any defeats suffered by trailing teams reduce their own E# by one.

So a win for the leader combined with a defeat for a trailing side would reduce their E# by 2. A defeat for the leader and a win for a trailing side would leave their E# unchanged.

(As a win is worth 3 points and a draw is worth 1, a draw for the leading team reduces all other E#s by a third. A draw for any trailing side reduces their own E# by two thirds.)

Changes for 2013-2014

There are 3 'vital' boundaries in the league, i.e:

1st/2nd (Champions/2nd)

6th/7th (Playoffs/No Playoffs) and

21st/22nd (Safety/Relegation)

With this in mind, I've made 3 tables (above).

The team or teams lying ABOVE the border (darker shading) have an E# that represents the number of appropriate results that will ENSURE a final position of Winners/Playoff spot/Safety.

I've also put the E# tables alongside a current actual league table for easy comparison.