

ROUND 5 – PREVIEWS

Round 4 of the Guinness PRO14 saw the Championship at its unpredictable best with wins for Benetton Rugby, the Toyota Cheetahs and Cardiff Blues standing out in a cracking weekend of rugby. With Round 5 approaching, only Ulster Rugby and Glasgow Warriors remain undefeated with the Scottish team sending out a serious message of intent after their resounding win over Munster Rugby.

The Cheetahs' win over Leinster produced one of the weekend's most exciting games and now sees the South Africans step up into the top three of Conference A, while in Conference B, Scarlets and Ulster are also setting the tone in the race to reach the Guinness PRO14 Final Series.

What's at Stake

Benetton Rugby visit Scotstoun after back-to-back Championship victories and good away form (two wins from their last three), however, Glasgow Warriors have won 23 in a row against Italian opposition and it would take an incredible effort to upset them at home. Edinburgh are another team with two wins from three on the road, but the RDS Arena is a fortress for Leinster who will aim to put things right after their tour to South Africa.

Scarlets and Connacht meet in a clash of the two most recent title winners at Parc y Scarlets where the hosts are unbeaten in 12 games. Both of these teams like to play with flair and this promises to be a fast-paced match-up. At Thomond Park, Munster will prepare for their trip to Leinster by taking on Cardiff Blues who have a decent record against the men in red in Ireland, while they also boast the best tackling success in the Championship (92%).

Finally, Zebre, having won two try-scoring bonus points in a row for the first time, host Ulster as their visitors look to remain unbeaten while Dragons face the Southern Kings aiming to earn their second home win of the season.

Pick of the Round

Toyota Cheetahs v Ospreys Rugby

Four-time Championship winners Ospreys are the third European team to visit Bloemfontein in succession and all signs are pointing to another electric Guinness PRO14 clash involving the Toyota Cheetahs – fixtures involving the South African newcomers are averaging 10 tries and 70 points.

Ospreys have travelled south with key players such as Alun Wyn Jones, Rhys Webb and Dan Biggar and are fully aware of the threat posed by the hosts. In the Cheetahs last seven wins at Toyota Stadium they have scored at least four tries and although Ospreys arrive off the back of two defeats they held one of the tightest defences in the Championship last season and return to form would serve them well here.

Opta Top Performers – Round 4

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| • Tackles made: | 28 | Josh Navidi (Cardiff Blues) |
| • Carries: | 27 | Dave Heffernan (Connacht Rugby) |
| • Defenders beaten: | 8 | Willis Halaholo (Cardiff Blues) / Jeff Hassler (Ospreys) / Renato Giammarioli (Zebre) |
| • Offloads: | 5 | Tommaso Castello (Zebre) |
| • Breaks: | 3 | Five players |
| • Metres made: | 155 | Matteo Minozzi (Zebre) |
| • Turnovers won: | 4 | Tadhg Beirne (Scarlets) |
| • Lineout steals: | 2 | Scott Cummings (Glasgow Warriors) |

GUINNESS PRO14 CONFERENCES

CONFERENCE A

Cardiff Blues, Toyota Cheetahs, Connacht Rugby, Glasgow Warriors, Munster Rugby, Ospreys Rugby, Zebre Rugby Club.

CONFERENCE B

Benetton Rugby, Dragons, Edinburgh Rugby, Southern Kings, Leinster Rugby, Scarlets, Ulster Rugby.

Round 5: 29 & 30 Sept 2017

Friday 29 September

GLASGOW WARRIORS v BENETTON RUGBY

At Scotstoun Stadium, Glasgow, 7.35pm

Referee: Dan Jones (WRU, 11th competition game)

Assistant Referees: Rhys Thomas (WRU), Cammy Rudkin (SRU)

Citing Commissioner: Beth Dickens (SRU)

HEAD TO HEAD - RECENT CHAMPIONSHIP MEETINGS

Date	Venue	G	B	Glasgow Warriors scorers	Benetton Rugby scorers
Sun 5 Oct 14	Stadio Monigo	40	23	Duncan Weir(3C) Finn Russell(2C) DTH van der Merwe(T) James Eddie(T) Tyrone Holmes(T) Tommy Seymour(2T) Sean Lamont(T)	Michele Campagnaro(2T) Jayden Hayward(C) Joe Carlisle(C/3P)
Fri 31 Oct 14	Scotstoun Stadium	17	9	Pete Horne(4P) Nikola Matawalu(T)	Jayden Hayward(3P)
Fri 27 Nov 15	Scotstoun Stadium	13	6	Duncan Weir(C/P) Finn Russell(P) Adam Ashe(T)	Jayden Hayward(2P)
Sat 2 Apr 16	Stadio Monigo	38	16	Grayson Hart(T) Pete Horne(T) Stuart Hogg(T) Finn Russell(4C) Jonny Gray(T) James Malcolm(T) Simone Favaro(T)	Jayden Hayward(C/3P) Angelo Esposito(T)
Fri 28 Oct 16	Scotstoun Stadium	31	14	Rory Hughes(2T) Finn Russell(3C) Jonny Gray(T) Mark Bennett(T) Alex Dunbar(T)	Tommaso Allan(C) Davide Giazzon(T) Ian McKinley(C) Penalty Try(T)
Sat 31 Dec 16	Stadio Monigo	35	28	Stuart Hogg(T/5C) Adam Ashe(T) Rory Clegg(T) Nick Grigg(T) Tommy Seymour(T)	Luca Sperandio(T) Tommaso Allan(C/2P) Ian McKinley(C/P) Dean Budd(2T)

Overall Guinness PRO14 head to head record:

Played 14, Warriors won 12, Benetton won 2.

Did you know?

- Glasgow Warriors are the only side left in Conference A of the Guinness PRO14 with a 100 percent winning record after four rounds.
- Warriors only defeat in their last six matches at Scotstoun was to Edinburgh in the second leg of the 1872 Cup in May.
- The Scotsmen have won their last twenty-three matches against Italian opponents since Benetton beat them at Firhill in September 2011.
- Benetton Rugby have won their last two matches, against Edinburgh and Ospreys, but have not won three in a row in the Championship since December 2012.
- The Italians have won two of their last three away games, including a victory on their most recent visit to Scotland – two weeks ago in Edinburgh.
- The Warriors have won their last eleven encounters with Benetton, whilst the Italians only victory on Glasgow soil was 15-13 at Firhill in round four, 2011/12.

COMPARISON	Warriors	Benetton
Last 3 PRO14 results:	9 Sep - Ospreys (H) W 31-10	9 Sep - Ulster (H) L 14-21
	16 Sep - Cardiff Blues (A) W 20-19	15 Sep - Edinburgh (A) W 20-17
	22 Sep - Munster (H) W 37-10	22 Sep - Ospreys (H) W 16-6
PRO14 2017/18	Conf A: 1st - W4 D0 L0 - 18pts	Conf B: 5th - W2 D0 L2 - 9pts
PRO14 form	wWwW (18pts)	lLwW (9pts)
Top try scorer	3 - Lee Jones	2 - Angelo Esposito
Top points scorer	38 - Finn Russell	27 - Ian McKinley

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Friday 29 September

LEINSTER RUGBY v EDINBURGH RUGBY

At RDS Arena, Dublin, 7.35pm.

Live on



Referee: Ian Davies (WRU, 66th competition game)

Assistant Referees: Adam Jones (WRU), Kieran Barry (IRFU)

Citing Commissioner: Eugene Ryan (IRFU)

TMO: Jon Mason (WRU)

HEAD TO HEAD - RECENT CHAMPIONSHIP MEETINGS

Date	Venue	L	E	Leinster scorers	Edinburgh Rugby scorers
Fri 31 Oct 14	RDS Arena	33	8	Dominic Ryan(2T) Jack Conan(T) Mick McGrath(T) Ben Marshall(T) Jimmy Gopperth(4C)	Tom Heathcote(P) Tomas Leonardi(T)
Sat 16 May 15	BT Murrayfield	36	23	Noel Reid(T) Jack Conan(T) Jordi Murphy(T) Ian Madigan(4C/D) Luke McGrath(T) Zane Kirchner(T)	Sam Hidalgo-Clyne(2C/3P) Tim Visser(T) Hamish Watson(T)
Fri 4 Sep 15	Meggetland	9	16	Isa Nacewa(3P)	Nathan Fowles(P) Jack Cuthbert(P) Damien Hoyland(2T)
Fri 15 Apr 16	RDS Arena	30	23	Ian Madigan(2C/2P) Fergus McFadden(2T) Luke McGrath(T) Josh van der Flier(T)	Tom Brown(T) Sean Kennedy(T) Mike Allen(T) Jason Tovey(C/P) Sam Hidalgo-Clyne(P)
Fri 16 Sep 16	BT Murrayfield	33	20	Jamison Gibson-Park(T) Garry Ringrose(T) Dan Leavy(2T) Isa Nacewa(T/4C)	Duncan Weir(C/P) Mike Allen(T) Magnus Bradbury(T) Hamish Watson(T)
Fri 17 Feb 17	RDS Arena	39	10	Ross Byrne(3C) Barry Daly(2T) Bryan Byrne(T) Joey Carbery(2T/P) Dan Leavy(T)	Duncan Weir(T/C/P)

Overall Guinness PRO14 head to head record:

Played 28, Leinster won 18, Edinburgh won 10.

Did you know?

- Leinster's maximum point start to the new season came to a grinding halt with their 19-38 loss in Bloemfontein last weekend; it was the first time that Leinster had failed to gain a league point in a PRO14 encounter since their visit to Munster on 26 December 2016.
- The Leinstermen have not lost a regular season PRO14 encounter at the RDS Arena since Dragons visited in February 2015, whilst no Scottish side has won at the venue since Glasgow in September 2011.
- Edinburgh Rugby have slipped to back-to-back defeats, at home to Benetton Rugby and away to Scarlets.
- The Scotsmen have won two of their last three away games, at Glasgow in round 22 last season and at Cardiff Blues on the opening weekend of this campaign.
- Edinburgh's only victory over an Irish province since October 2015 was against Ulster at BT Murrayfield in November 2016, whilst they have not triumphed at the home of an Irish province since a trip to Connacht in January 2015.
- Leinster have lost just one of their last seven fixtures with Edinburgh: 9-16 at Meggetland in round one 2015, whilst they have not beaten Leinster on their own soil since a visit to Donnybrook in November 2005.

COMPARISON	Leinster	Edinburgh
Last 3 PRO14 results:	8 Sep - Cardiff Blues (H) W 37-9 16 Sep - Southern Kings (A) W 31-10 22 Sep - Cheetahs (A) L 19-38	8 Sep - Dragons (H) W 35-18 15 Sep - Treviso (H) L 17-20 23 Sep - Scarlets (A) L 8-28
PRO14 2017/18	Conf B: 3rd - W3 D0 L1 - 15pts	Conf B: 4th - W2 D0 L2 - 10pts
PRO14 form	wWwl (15pts)	wWLI (10pts)
Top try scorer	4 - Barry Daly	3 - Chris Dean
Top points scorer	37 - Ross Byrne	35 - Duncan Weir

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Friday 29 September

SCARLETS v CONNACHT RUGBY

At Parc y Scarlets, Llanelli, 7.35pm.

Live on



Referee: Nigel Owens (WRU, 155th competition game)

Assistant Referees: Ben Whitehouse, John Hardy (both WRU)

Citing Commissioner: Paul Thomas (WRU)

TMO: Sean Brickell (WRU)

HEAD TO HEAD - RECENT CHAMPIONSHIP MEETINGS

Date	Venue	S	C	Scarlets scorers	Connacht scorers
Sat 29 Nov 14	Sportsground	8	14	Harry Robinson(T) Steve Shingler(P)	Matt Healy(T) Jack Carty(3P)
Sun 15 Feb 15	Parc y Scarlets	32	14	Harry Robinson(T) Steve Shingler(3C/2P) Jordan Williams(T) James Davies(T) Michael Tagicakibau(T)	Jack Carty(3P) Niyi Adeolokun(T)
Sun 10 Jan 16	Parc y Scarlets	21	19	Mike Collins(T) Steve Shingler(P) Steff Evans(T) Aled Thomas(C/2P)	Matt Healy(T) Jack Carty(2P) Craig Ronaldson(C/2P)
Sat 30 Jan 16	Sportsground	17	30	DTH van der Merwe(T) Aled Thomas(2C/P) Gareth Owen(T)	Denis Buckley(T) Jack Carty(2C/2P) Jake Heenan(2T) Rodney Ah You(T)
Sat 24 Sep 16	Parc y Scarlets	17	8	Rhys Patchell(2C/D) Liam Williams(2T)	Jack Carty(P) Niyi Adeolokun(T)
Sat 29 Apr 17	Sportsground	30	8	Johnny McNicholl(T) Rhys Patchell(C/P) Steff Evans(2T) DTH van der Merwe(T) Liam Williams(T)	Marnitz Boshoff(P) Craig Ronaldson(T)

Overall Guinness PRO14 head to head record:

Played 28, Scarlets won 19, Connacht won 8 with 1 game drawn.

Did you know?

- Scarlets have lost only one Guinness PRO14 encounter since early March: 20-27 to Ulster in Belfast in round 3 this season.
- Scarlets have won their last twelve matches at Parc y Scarlets in the Championship since Munster beat them there on the opening round last season.
- Connacht have won just once in the last seven rounds of the Guinness PRO14: 32-10 at home to Southern Kings on 9 September. That was their only victory at the Sportsground since they beat Zebre there 33-3 on 3 March.
- Scarlets have lost only two of their last eleven meetings with Connacht, both in Galway, in November 2014 and January 2016, whilst Connacht's most recent victory on Scarlets soil came at the old Stradey Park in October 2004.

COMPARISON	Scarlets	Connacht
Last 3 PRO14 results:	9 Sep - Zebre (A) W 41-10	9 Sep - Southern Kings (H) W 32-10
	15 Sep - Ulster (A) L 20-27	15 Sep - Dragons (A) L 8-21
	23 Sep - Edinburgh (H) W 28-8	23 Sep - Cardiff Blues (H) L 15-17
PRO14 2017/18	Conf B: 2nd - W3 D0 L1 - 16pts	Conf A: 4th - W1 D0 L3 - 7pts
PRO14 form	WwW (16pts)	LWIL (7pts)
Top try scorer	4 - Johnny McNicholl	2 - Darragh Leader
Top points scorer	34 - Rhys Patchell	27 - Jack Carty

Friday 29 September

TOYOTA CHEETAHS v OSPREYS RUGBY

At Toyota Stadium, Bloemfontein, 5pm. *Live on*

Referee: Frank Murphy (IRFU, 8th competition game)

Assistant Referees: George Clancy (IRFU), Cwengile Jadezweni (SARU)

Citing Commissioner: Marius van Rensburg (SARU)

TMO: Johan Greeff (SARU)



Overall Guinness PRO14 head to head record:

First PRO14 meeting between the two teams.

Did you know?

- Toyota Cheetahs have secured successive maximum point victories over Zebre and Leinster in their last two games, and have not won three in a row since 2013 in Super Rugby.
- The Cheetahs last seven victories at Toyota Stadium have all been occasions when they have scored at least four tries.
- Ospreys have lost their last three Guinness PRO14 matches and have only once before lost four in a row in the Championship in the same season – during the region's inaugural campaign in 2003/04.
- The Welshmen have been defeated in their last six away games since beating Edinburgh 13-9 at Myreside in March.
- The two sides have never met before.

COMPARISON	Cheetahs	Ospreys
Last 3 PRO14 results:	9 Sep - Munster (A) L 18-51	9 Sep - Glasgow (A) L 10-31
	16 Sep - Zebre (H) W 54-39	16 Sep - Munster (H) L 16-21
	22 Sep - Leinster (H) W 38-19	22 Sep - Treviso (A) L 6-16
PRO14 2017/18	Conf A: 3rd - W2 D0 L2 - 10pts	Conf A: 6th - W1 D0 L3 - 5pts
PRO14 form	IIWW (10pts)	WILL (5pts)
Top try scorer	3 - William Small-Smith, Torsten van Jaarsveld, Makazole Mapimpi	2 - Keelan Giles
Top points scorer	32 - Ernst Stapelberg	21 - Sam Davies

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Saturday 30 September

DRAGONS v SOUTHERN KINGS

At Rodney Parade, Newport, 7.35pm.

Live on



Referee: Andy Brace (IRFU, 27th competition game)

Assistant Referees: David Wilkinson (IRFU), Gareth John (WRU)

Citing Commissioner: Chris Morgan (WRU)

TMO: Kevin Beggs (IRFU)

Overall Guinness PRO14 head to head record:

First PRO14 meeting between the two teams.

Did you know?

- Dragons solitary victory in the last thirteen rounds of the Guinness PRO14 was 21-8 in their most recent home game against Connacht.
- The Welshmen have not won successive PRO14 matches at Rodney Parade since last November.
- Southern Kings are the only side to have lost all four encounters in the PRO14. This will be their second visit to Wales, having lost in Llanelli on the opening weekend.
- The two sides have not met before.

COMPARISON	Dragons	Kings
Last 3 PRO14 results:	8 Sep - Edinburgh (A) L 18-35	9 Sep - Connacht (A) L 10-32
	15 Sep - Connacht (H) W 21-8	16 Sep - Leinster (H) L 10-31
	22 Sep - Ulster (A) L 25-52	23 Sep - Zebre (H) L 17-43
PRO14 2017/18	Conf B: 6th - W1 D0 L3 - 4pts	Conf B: 7th - W0 D0 L4 - 0pts
PRO14 form	LW1 (4pts)	ILL (0pts)
Top try scorer	1 - Rhys Buckley, Elliot Dee, Hallam Amos, Dane Blacker, Will Talbot-Davies, (1 Penalty Try)	2 - Luvuyo Pupuma
Top points scorer	38 - Gavin Henson	10 - Luvuyo Pupuma

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Saturday 30 September

MUNSTER v CARDIFF BLUES

At, Thomond Park, Limerick, 1.30pm. *Live on*
 Referee: Quinton Immelman (SARU, 3rd competition game)
 Assistant Referees: Sean Gallagher, Gary Conway (IRFU)
 Citing Commissioner: Peter Ferguson (IRFU)
 TMO: Brian MacNeice (IRFU)



HEAD TO HEAD - RECENT CHAMPIONSHIP MEETINGS

Date	Venue	M	C	Munster scorers	Cardiff Blues scorers
Sat 1 Nov 14	Cardiff Arms Park	28	24	Johnny Holland(C) Paddy Butler(T) JJ Hanrahan(7P)	Rhys Patchell(3P) Gareth Davies(C/P) Lucas Gonzalez Amorosino(T) Manoa Vosawai(T)
Sat 14 Feb 15	Irish Independent Park	33	16	Jack O'Donoghue(T) Ronan O'Mahony(T) JJ Hanrahan(3C/4P) Denis Hurley(T)	Rhys Patchell(C/3P) Josh Navidi(T)
Sat 17 Oct 15	Irish Independent Park	35	27	Andrew Conway(T) Jordan Coghlan(T) Mike Sherry(2T) Ian Keatley(T/5C)	Rhys Patchell(3C/2P) Richard Smith(T) Tavis Knoyle(T) Tom Isaacs(T)
Fri 18 Mar 16	Cardiff Arms Park	28	37	Johnny Holland(C/P) Jack O'Donoghue(T) Darren Sweetnam(T) Mike Sherry(T) Ian Keatley(C/2P)	Rhys Patchell(T/4C/2P) Macauley Cook(T) Jarrod Evans(P) Matthew Rees(T) Garyn Smith(T)
Fri 9 Sep 16	Irish Independent Park	23	24	Dave Kilcoyne(T) Andrew Conway(T) Ian Keatley(2C/3P)	Gareth Anscombe(2C/P) Steve Shingler(C) Dan Fish(T) Tom James(2T)
Sat 4 Mar 17	Cardiff Arms Park	23	13	Francis Saili(T) Rory Scannell(2C/D/2P) Conor Oliver(T)	Aled Summerhill(T) Steve Shingler(C/2P)

Overall Guinness PRO14 head to head record:

Played 28, Munster won 17, Blues won 11.

Did you know?

- Munster Rugby's 100 per cent winning start to the Guinness PRO14 ended in Glasgow on Friday.
- The Munstermen have lost only one home game in any tournament since the Blues visited Cork in September 2016: 21-30 to Scarlets at Thomond Park in February 2017.
- Cardiff Blues gained their first victory of the new season with a 17-15 win over Connacht in Galway on Saturday.
- The Welshmen have lost only one of their last four away games in the Championship: 9-37 in Leinster in round 2 this season.
- Last season when the two sides met each team won its respective away game.
- The Blues have beaten Munster four times on their own soil, but all those victories have been in Cork. Blues record at Thomond Park in all competitions since the region were formed in 2003 is played seven, lost seven.

COMPARISON	Munster	Blues
Last 3 PRO14 results:	9 Sep - Cheetahs (H) W 51-18	8 Sep - Leinster (A) L 9-37
	16 Sep - Ospreys (A) W 21-16	16 Sep - Glasgow (H) L 19-20
	22 Sep - Glasgow (A) L 10-37	23 Sep - Connacht (A) W 17-15
PRO14 2017/18	Conf A: 2nd - W3 D0 L1 - 14pts	Conf A: 7th - W1 D0 L3 - 5pts
PRO14 form	WWwl (14pts)	LlLw (5pts)
Top try scorer	5 - Alex Wootton	2 - Willis Halaholo
Top points scorer	25 - Alex Wootton	28 - Steve Shingler

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Saturday 30 September

ZEBRE RUGBY v ULSTER RUGBY

At Stadio Sergio Lanfranchi, Parma, 7.35pm. *Live on* **EUROSPORT** **BBC SPORT NI**
 Referee: Mike Adamson (SRU, 12th competition game)
 Assistant Referees: Andrea Piardi, Manuel Bottino (FIR)
 Citing Commissioner: Francesco Grillo (FIR)
 TMO: Neil Paterson (SRU)

HEAD TO HEAD - RECENT CHAMPIONSHIP MEETINGS

Date	Venue	Z	U	Zebre scorers	Ulster scorers
Fri 12 Sep 14	Kingspan Stadium	13	33	Kelly Haimona(C/2P) Samu Vunisa(T)	Craig Gilroy(T) Dan Tuohy(T) Ian Humphreys(4C) Nick Williams(T) Andrew Trimble(T) Robbie Diack(T)
Sat 27 Sep 14	Stadio Sergio Lanfranchi	13	6	Kelly Haimona(C/D/P) Dario Chistolini(T)	Ian Humphreys(2P)
Fri 4 Mar 16	Kingspan Stadium	0	32		Paddy Jackson(3C/2P) Pete Browne(T) Paul Marshall(T) Nick Williams(2T)
Sat 16 Apr 16	Stadio Sergio Lanfranchi	17	47	Guglielmo Palazzani(T) Carlo Canna(2C/P) Ulrich Beyers(T)	Craig Gilroy(T) Paddy Jackson(3C) Stuart Olding(C) Tommy Bowe(2T) Jared Payne(3T) Ruan Pienaar(T/2C)
Sun 26 Feb 17	Stadio Sergio Lanfranchi	17	40	Guglielmo Palazzani(T/2C/P) Mattia Bellini(T)	Stuart Olding(T) David Busby(T) Jacob Stockdale(T) Chris Henry(T) Ruan Pienaar(T/5C) Robbie Diack(T)
Sat 11 Mar 17	Kingspan Stadium	21	68	Andrea de Marchi(T) Guglielmo Palazzani(2C) Guillermo Roan(T) Serafin Bordoli(C) Lloyd Greeff(T)	Craig Gilroy(T) Stuart Olding(T/3C) Jacob Stockdale(T) Luke Marshall(2T) Charles Piutau(2T) John Andrew(T) Paul Marshall(T) Ruan Pienaar(T/6C)

Overall Guinness PRO14 head to head record:

Played 10, Zebre won 1, Ulster won 9.

Did you know?

- Zebre Rugby gained their first victory of the 2017/18 campaign with a 43-17 win over Sothorn Kings in Port Elizabeth, the first time they have ever tallied a try bonus in two successive matches having also gained one in the loss to Cheetahs the week before.
- Zebre won their most recent match against an Irish province: 25-22 over Connacht in Parma in April; their only other victory over such an opponent coming against Ulster at the same venue in September 2014.
- Ulster are the only side left in Conference B of the Guinness PRO14 with a 100 per cent record after four rounds – their most recent defeat in the Championship being on a trip to Ospreys in round 21 last season.
- The Ulstermen have won their last eleven encounters with Italian opponents, whilst their only previous defeat in twenty visits to Italy in all competitions was to Zebre in round four, 2014/15.

COMPARISON	Zebre	Ulster
Last 3 PRO14 results:	9 Sep - Scarlets (H) L 10-41	9 Sep - Treviso (A) W 21-14
	16 Sep - Cheetahs (A) L 39-54	15 Sep - Scarlets (H) W 27-20
	23 Sep - Southern Kings (A) W 43-17	22 Sep - Dragons (H) W 52-25
PRO14 2017/18	Conf A: 5th - W1 D0 L3 - 6pts	Conf B: 1st - W4 D0 L0 - 18pts
PRO14 form	ILLW (6pts)	WwWW (18pts)
Top try scorer	3 - Mattia Bellini	3 - Jacob Stockdale
Top points scorer	37 - Carlo Canna	28 - John Cooney