



## India Won ICC Under-19 Women's T20 World Cup 2025

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India won the [International Cricket Council \(ICC\)](#) Under-19 Women's T20 World Cup 2025, defeating South Africa in Malaysia.

- It is organised by the ICC, it features national women's under-19 teams competing in the **Twenty20 format**.
- **First Edition:** The inaugural ICC Under-19 Women's T20 World Cup was held in **2023**, with **South Africa** as the host. India won the maiden title, defeating **England**.
- **ICC:** It is the **global governing body for cricket**, responsible for overseeing **108 members (including India)** and managing the sport worldwide.
  - Enforces the **ICC Code of Conduct** and playing conditions, and appoints match officials for international matches.
  - ICC plays a crucial role in **combating corruption** and **match-fixing** through its Anti-Corruption Unit, ensuring the integrity of the sport.
- **Formats of Cricket:** The ICC recognizes three main formats of cricket at the international level (**Test matches**, **One-Day Internationals (ODIs)**, and **Twenty20 Internationals (T20Is)**).
  - **Test cricket:** The oldest format (since 1877), lasting five days with two innings per team.
  - **ODIs:** Introduced in 1971, these 50-over matches blend technique, speed, and skill.
  - **T20Is:** Introduced in 2005, **T20Is** are the newest, shortest (usually competed in three hours) and fastest form of cricket, with each team playing 20 overs.

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