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Sciver-Brunt's half century helps England Women earn win over South Africa

Nat Sciver-Brunt's half-century led England Women to a four-wicket win over South Africa in their opening IT20 match in East London.

England needed 57 from the final six overs but Amy Jones and Sciver-Brunt hit 22 from the 15th over to swing momentum England's way and reach their target of 143.

Spinner Charlie Dean was the pick of England bowlers with 2-21, which included the key wicket of Proteas skipper Laura Wolvaardt with Ecclestone,

Freya Kemp and Sarah Glenn all taking a wicket each.

South Africa were 64-4 but recovered to post 142-5, Annerie Dercksen and Nadine de Klerk contributing with 26 and 29 respectively.

The two teams are back in action on Wednesday 27 November for their second IT20 in Benoni,

Nat Sciver-Brunt's post-match media conference is available to watch and download [here](#).

England Women tour to South Africa fixtures

IT20 series

Sunday, 24 November: South Africa vs England – Buffalo Park Cricket Stadium, East London – England won by four wickets

Wednesday, 27 November: South Africa vs England – Willowmoore Park, Benoni

Saturday, 30 November: South Africa vs England – SuperSport Park, Centurion

ODI series

Wednesday, 4 December: South Africa vs England – Kimberley Oval, Kimberley

Sunday, 8 December: South Africa vs England – Hollywoodbets Kingsmead Stadium, Durban

Wednesday, 11 December: South Africa vs England – JB Marks Oval, Potchefstroom

Test match

15-18 December: South Africa v England - Mangaung Oval, Bloemfontein

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