

Eng v Pak Test partnerships by Hemical

One member of each of the 10 record Test wicket partnerships in Eng v Pak Tests in the run-up to the 2015 series in UAE (there are five from each country)

http://stats.espncricinfo.com/pakistan-v-england-2015-16/engine/records/fow/highest_partnerships_by_wicket.html?class=1;id=1;id=7;type=headtohead

Across

1 Look between two rivers for one who made 79 for the 10th in 1982 (6)

4 Old sheep one for smoked meat (8)

10 Putin rose mysteriously through volcanic events (9)

11 Run out three times (in some order), he made 332 for the 8th in 2010 (5)

12 Shaky union dissolved by one making 363 for the 3rd in 2006 (6,4)

13 See centre of castle from the east with a surreptitious glance (4)

15 Bends over blocks with nothing inside (6)

17 Dance Alaska cut back (5)

20 One making 167 for the 7th in 1984 starts to grow oranges when eventually retired (5)

21 Mark instrument for one making 129 for the 5th in 2010 (6)

24 Note piece of wood outside is pine (4)

25 African capital where a theologian lives next to a god from Egypt (5,5)

28 In Birmingham, a likeable chap making 322 for the 4th in 1992 (5)

29 Company account book healthy about being subject to training (9)

30 Prevents drunk coming back for some more drunks (8)

31 Hook and hesitate, as one making 198 for the 1st in 1962 (6)

Down

1 England overwhelmed by very neat electric 60s style (3-3)

2 Solver gets odd bits of stuff for one making 269 for the 6th in 2005 (6)

3 Tailors possibly caught being more athletic before Sunday (10)

5 Confused wombats eating sandwiches (2,3)

6 Children of left-wingers dropping resistance (4)

7 American dish containing meat for wife, most importantly (5,3)

8 Having blown up bank, I hit one making 190 for the 9th in 1967 (8)

9 Earth-dweller imprisons king, queen and a couple of ducks in hobbyist's den (8)

14 Shock a Greek character with a mountainous region (10)

16 Almost certain the Master Blaster needs most of

the beer for keeping alive (8)

18 One unpleasant person brings up measure which U-19 cricket requires (3,5)

19 Star does this trick opening shellfish (8)

22 Bounce around a sailor to get an exotic tree (6)

23 Active man wearing zero - nothing less! - made 291 for the 2nd in 1971 (6)

26 Found in pipe, a gold coin (5)

27 Leave out captain (informally) (4)

