

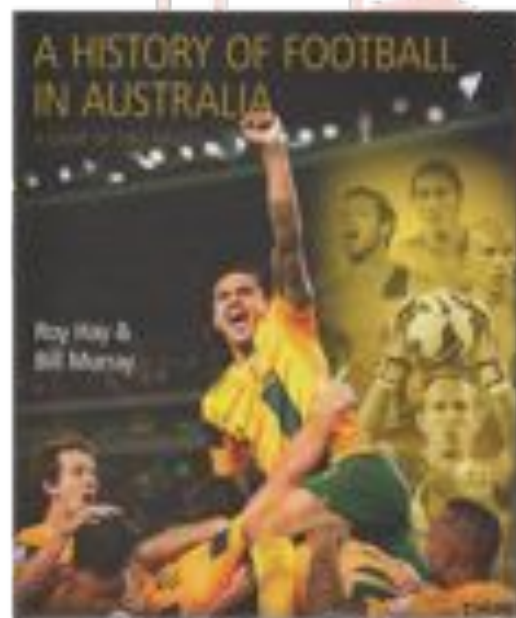
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# A HISTORY OF FOOTBALL IN AUSTRALIA A GAME OF TWO HALVES

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