



PLAYED AT: qplex

Date: Nov 3, 2018

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Team: Team:
FinlandSweden

GAME NOTES: SWEDES USE BIG THIRD TO BEAT FINNS IN U17 OPENER JASON LA ROSE QUISPAMIS, N.B. – Jesper Wallstedt was terrific in a 47-save performance, and Sweden scored four times in the third period to pull away for a 6-1 win over Finland in the tournament opener Saturday at the 2018 World Under-17 Hockey Challenge. Six different players scored for the Swedes, who beat their Nordic neighbours for the fifth time in seven all-time U17 meetings and avenged their preliminary-round loss from a year ago. Alexander Holtz finished with a goal and an assist, while Samuel Eriksson added two helpers. Erik Hedlund, William Hallén, Lucas Raymond, Zion Nybeck and Daniel Ljungman also found the back of the net. Holtz needed less than five minutes to open the scoring, racing away on the breakaway and tucking a backhand behind Finnish goaltender Joel Blomqvist for the lone goal of the first period. Hedlund doubled the lead at 7:22 of the second period, snapping a quick shot past Blomqvist, but Roby Järventie finished a pretty crossice feed from Oliver Suni to get Finland within one again after 40 minutes. The Finns held a 20-12 advantage in shots on goal in the third period, but it was the Swedes who lit up the scoreboard. Hallén restored the two-goal advantage at 2:43, beating Blomqvist after a turnover deep in the Finnish zone, and Raymond jumped on a rebound in close just past the midway mark of the final frame. Nybeck roofed a backhand in the slot for the 5-1 goal with five minutes left, before Ljungman redirected a Helge Grans shot with 95 seconds to go to finish the offensive festivities. The Swedes are back in action Monday night, taking on Canada Red at the qplex (7 p.m. AT), right after the Finns face Russia (12 p.m. AT).

FINLAND LINEUP											FINLAND PENALTIES											SWEDEN LINEUP											SWEDEN PENALTIES										
Pos	No.	Name	Per.	No.	Min	Offence	Off	PP	PS	Start	On	Pos	No.	Name	Per.	No.	Min	Offence	Off	PP	PS	Start	On	Pos	No.	Name	Per.	No.	Min	Offence	Off	PP	PS	Start	On								
G	1	Blomqvist, Joel	2nd	36	2:00	Holding	1:49	1		1:49		G	1	Ciang, Calle	1st	2	2:00	Holding							G	30	Wallstedt, Jesper	1st	14	2:00	Interference	10:06	1		10:06								
G	31	Väyrynen, Max	3rd	34	2:00	Interference	6:29	1		6:29			2	Andrae, Emil	1st	7	2:00	Cross-Checking								2	Eriksson, William	2nd	6	2:00	Hooking	15:54	1		15:54								
	2	Puutio, Kasper											3	Eriksson, William													5	Grans, Helge															
	4	Lehmus, Joonas											6	Nordlund, Theo													7	Styf, Hugo															
	5	Niemelä, Topi											8	Johannesson, Anton													9	Kumlin, Axel															
	6	Nyman, Luka											12	Magnusson, Oskar													14	Ljungman, Daniel															
	7	Säkinen, Iivari											15	Hedlund, Erik													16	Torgersson, Daniel															
	10	Viro, Eemil											17	Hallén, William													18	Ekmark, Elliot															
	12	Hahl, Veikka											19	Stenman, Elias													20	Nybeck, Zion															
	13	Hirvonen, Roni											21	Sohmer, Oscar													22	Eriksson, Samuel															
	15	Kamaranta, Valtteri											23	Szurowski, Mateusz													24	Holtz, Alexander															
	20	Mäenpää, Juuso											27	Raymond, Lucas																													
	21	Määttä, Joel																																									
	22	Niemi, Eero																																									
	23	Räty, Aatu																																									
	25	Suni, Oliver																																									
	27	Seppälä, Jesse																																									
	29	Korkalainen, Veeti																																									
	32	Järventie, Roby																																									
	34	Rafkin, Ruben																																									
	35	Pärssinen, Jiri																																									
	36	Sedoff, Christoffer																																									

FINLAND Goals			FINLAND PLAYERS (plus)					SWEDEN PLAYERS (minus)					SWEDEN Goals			SWEDEN PLAYERS (plus)					FINLAND PLAYERS (minus)				
Per.	Time	G-As1-As2											Per.	Time	G-As1-As2										
2nd	14:04	32-25-2											1st	4:53	24-19										
													2nd	7:22	15										
													3rd	2:43	17-23-22										
													3rd	10:42	27-24-2										
													3rd	14:58	20										
													3rd	18:25	14-5-22										

POWER PLAY OPPORTUNITIES		SCORING					GOALTENDER/SAVES (Time)					On		Off		OFFICIALS	
FINLAND	0 / 4	FINLAND	0	1	0	1	FIN - Blomqvist (60:00) (L)	9	8	8	25	/0:00	3rd/20:00	Referee:		Referee:	
SWEDEN	0 / 2	SWEDEN	1	1	4	6	SWE - Wallstedt (60:00) (W)	14	13	20	47	/0:00	3rd/20:00	Referee:		Referee:	
PENALTY SUMMARY		Stars of the Game					TIME OF GAME:							Linesman:		Linesman:	
FINLAND	4 min / 2 inf	-					Start:					3:38 PM					
SWEDEN	8 min / 4 inf	-					End:					5:42 PM					
		-					Attendance:										
POINT SUMMARY																CERTIFIED CORRECT	
FINLAND	1 G + 2 A = 3 Pts																
SWEDEN	6 G + 7 A = 13 Pts																
This report has been checked and																	

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