



29th IHF Men's World Championship 2025

Croatia • Denmark • Norway

President's Cup II, 1. round



Results

Match No. 63

USA 27 - 25 Japan

(15 - 13) (12 - 12)

22.1.2025. 18:00

Attendance: 104

Žatika Sport Centre

Referees: Denis Bolic (AUT) / Christoph Hurich (AUT)

USA

Players		Goals/shots										Attack			Defense	
#	Surname and name	S	Tot.	%	9m	6m	Wing	7m	Fst.	Brk.	LD	As	E7	TF	St.	2m
1	MERKOVŠZKY Pal	S										1				
3	CORNING Sean	S	7/10	70		1/1	5/6		1/1	0/2		1			1	1
4	EDWARDS Benjamin Glenn													1		
6	STROMBERG Jonas	S	0/2	0	0/2							3			2	1
7	CHAN BLANCO Alexandre		1/4	25	0/2					1/2		5	1	2		1
8	SKORUPA Paul															
9	HINES Gary		3/3	100						3/3				3		
11	FOFANA Aboubakar	S	0/2	0	0/2									1		
14	HUETER Ian	S	2/3	67	1/1					0/1	1/1	8		4	4	
16	OTTERSTROM Douglas															
17	DONLIN Andrew		3/5	60		3/5										
20	CAMPOS MENENDEZ Rodrigo															
25	HUETER Patrick	S	2/4	50		2/4									2	
31	MORAWSKI Tristan															
33	HODDERSEN Samuel	S	7/10	70		1/1	1/4	1/1	3/3		1/1			2		
34	SRSSEN Domagoj		2/4	50		0/1			1/1		1/2	1				
	Team / bench															
	TOTAL		27/47	57	1/7	7/12	6/10	1/1	5/5	4/8	3/4	19	1	15	8	3

Goalkeepers		Saves / shots									
#	Surname and name	Tot.	%	9m	6m	Wing	7m	Fst.	Brk.	LD	
1	MERKOVŠZKY Pal	2/10	20	0/1	0/2	0/1	2/3	0/2	0/1		
16	OTTERSTROM Douglas	11/28	39	1/7	4/8	4/5	0/3	0/2	2/3		
	TOTAL	13/38	34	1/8	4/10	4/6	2/6	0/4	2/4	0/0	

Coach: Robert Hedin

Japan

Players		Goals/shots										Attack			Defense	
#	Surname and name	S	Tot.	%	9m	6m	Wing	7m	Fst.	Brk.	LD	As	E7	TF	St.	2m
1	NAKAMURA Takumi	S													1	
9	SUGIOKA Naoki	S	2/3	67		1/2	1/1									1
11	NAKAMURA Tsubasa		2/4	50	1/2	0/1			1/1			2		2		
19	TOKUDA Shinnosuke	S	0/3	0		0/2				0/1		2		2		
21	OKAMOTO Daisuke															
24	KITAZUME Asumi		3/3	100		1/1			1/1	1/1		1	1	1		
26	YANO Seito		0/1	0			0/1							1		
27	TAMAKAWA Hiroyasu	S	2/4	50	0/1	2/3							2			1
31	YOSHINO Tatsuki	S	8/10	80	1/2			4/5	2/2	1/1		2	1	2		
38	MIZUMACHI Kotaro		2/3	67	2/2					0/1		1	2	5	1	
39	FUJISAKA Naoki	S	1/3	33	1/2					0/1		1		5		
56	ARASE Ren		4/6	67	2/2	1/1	1/2	0/1							2	
57	NAKAOKI Nikita	S													1	
67	ISHIMINE Shu		0/2	0			0/2							1		
68	ICHIHARA Soya		1/1	100		1/1										1
70	YAMAGUCHI Naoki															
	Team / bench															
	TOTAL		25/43	58	7/11	6/11	2/6	4/6	4/4	2/5	0/0	9	6	19	5	3

Goalkeepers		Saves / shots									
#	Surname and name	Tot.	%	9m	6m	Wing	7m	Fst.	Brk.	LD	
1	NAKAMURA Takumi	5/18	28	3/4	0/6	2/5		0/2	0/1		
21	OKAMOTO Daisuke	7/18	39	1/1	3/4	1/4	0/1	0/3	2/5		
	TOTAL	12/36	33	4/5	3/10	3/9	0/1	0/5	2/6	0/0	

Coach: Antonio Gerona Salaet

1. period

Hueter I.	1 (1')	0			
	1 (2')	1	Yoshino T.		
	1 (2')	2	Yoshino T.		
Corning S.	2 (2')	2			
Corning S.	3 (3')	2			
	3 (4')	3	Fujisaka N.		
	3 (6')	4	Tamakawa H.		
	3 (6')	5	Sugioka N.		
Hueter P.	4 (7')	5			
Hueter I.	5 (7')	5			
	5 (8')	6	Yoshino T.		
	5 (10')	7	Yoshino T.		
Corning S.	6 (10')	7			
	6 (10')	8	Sugioka N.		
	6 (11')	9	Yoshino T.		
Hueter P.	7 (15')	9			
Corning S.	8 (16')	9			
Hoddersen S.	9 (17')	9			
Hoddersen S.	10 (18')	9			
Corning S.	11 (19')	9			
Donlin A.	12 (22')	9			
Donlin A.	13 (23')	9			
	13 (24')	10	Kitazume A.		
	13 (26')	11	Mizumachi K.		
Srsen D.	14 (26')	11			
	14 (27')	12	Ichihara S.		
Hines G.	15 (30')	12			
	15 (30')	13	Yoshino T.		

2. period

	15 (31')	14	Nakamura T.		
Corning S.	16 (32')	14			
	16 (33')	15	Arase R.		
	16 (34')	16	Tamakawa H.		
Srsen D.	17 (34')	16			
	17 (35')	17	Mizumachi K.		
	17 (36')	18	Arase R.		
Corning S.	18 (36')	18			
Hoddersen S.	19 (36')	18			
Chan Blanco A.	20 (42')	18			
Hoddersen S.	21 (42')	18			
	21 (43')	19	Yoshino T.		
Hines G.	22 (44')	19			
Hoddersen S.	23 (49')	19			
Donlin A.	24 (51')	19			
	24 (54')	20	Nakamura T.		
Hoddersen S.	25 (54')	20			
Hoddersen S.	26 (56')	20			
	26 (57')	21	Yoshino T.		
	26 (59')	22	Kitazume A.		
Hines G.	27 (59')	22			
	27 (60')	23	Arase R.		
	27 (60')	24	Kitazume A.		
	27 (60')	25	Arase R.		

Jersey number Tot. Total shooting 6m 6m (line) sh. 9m 9m shooting Wng. Wing shooting Fst. Fastbreak sh. 7m 7m penalty sh. LD Long distance
Brk. Breakthrough As. Assists E7 Earned 7m TF Technical Faults St. Steals 2m 2m suspensions S Starting line-up

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