



# World Hockey Association Game Summary



Houston Aeros 3 at San Diego Mariners 4  
San Diego Sports Arena  
December 18, 1976

## First Period

No scoring.

### Penalties:

T. Cassolato, SD 0:53; C. Connor, Hou 7:35; B. Hughes, SD 12:19.

## Second Period

1. San Diego, W. Rivers (P. Shmyr, A. Lacroix) 3:20. 2. San Diego, T. Cassolato (N. Ferguson) 6:54. 3. Houston, P. Popiel (L. Lund, G. Howe) 8:30. 4. San Diego, N. Ferguson (P. Shmyr, B. Dobek) 12:35. 5. Houston, T. Ruskowski (C. Connor) 15:48.

### Penalties:

R. Preston, Hou 3:10; K. Lockett, SD (served by T. Cassolato) 4:45; T. Ruskowski, Hou 5:11; Marty Howe, Hou 19:22.

## Third Period

6. Houston, A. McLeod 7:38. 7. San Diego, B. Dobek (A. Lacroix, P. Shmyr) 15:44.

### Penalties:

A. Lacroix, SD 11:13; L. Lund, Hou 14:31.

### Shots:

Houston        8    10   7    - 25

San Diego    10   10   11   - 31

### Goaltending:

R. Grahame, Hou (60:00 31 shots, 27 saves L). K. Lockett, SD (60:00 25 shots, 22 saves W).

**Attendance:** 5,522.

**Houston Coach:** Bill Dineen.

**San Diego Coach:** Ron Ingram.