



Atlanta Thrashers Game Notes



Sunday, January 6, 2008

NHL Game #: 622

Atlanta Thrashers		20 - 21 - 1			
Team Game: 43		(10 - 10 - 0 , Home)			
Home Game: 21		(10 - 11 - 1 , Road)			
#	Goaltender	GP	W - L - OT	GAA	Sv%
1	Johan Hedberg	21	10-8-1	3.19	.897
32	Kari Lehtonen	19	7-10-0	3.15	.902

Buffalo Sabres		19 - 17 - 3			
Team Game: 40		(11 - 8 - 1 , Home)			
Road Game: 20		(8 - 9 - 2 , Road)			
#	Goaltender	GP	W - L - OT	GAA	Sv%
30	Ryan Miller	36	17-14-3	2.57	.909
35	Jocelyn Thibault	5	2-3-0	3.65	.857

#	Pos	Player	GP	G - A - P	+/-	PIM
2	D	Garnet Exelby	40	2-2-4	-6	22
5	D	Steve McCarthy	28	0-4-4	-18	13
7	D	Mark Popovic	17	0-1-1	-4	4
8	R	Mark Recchi	32	9-13-22	-7	18
9	R	Pascal Dupuis	41	7-4-11	-3	14
11	C	Eric Perrin	42	7-17-24	0	18
12	C	Todd White	42	10-16-26	-8	20
13	L	Vyacheslav Kozlov (A)	42	12-11-23	-6	8
16	C	Bobby Holik (C)	42	6-11-17	-9	56
17	L	Ilya Kovalchuk (A)	42	33-25-58	-7	23
18	R	Marian Hossa (A)	39	14-22-36	-10	20
22	D	Ken Klee	41	0-5-5	2	36
23	C	Jim Slater	38	0-5-5	-8	25
27	R	Chris Thorburn	33	2-3-5	-1	50
28	D	Niclas Havelid (A)	42	1-11-12	6	26
29	L	Brad Larsen	32	1-3-4	-6	4
36	L	Eric Boulton	38	3-2-5	-6	31
39	D	Tobias Enstrom	42	3-22-25	4	22
45	C	Kevin Doell	1	0-0-0	0	2
49	L	Colin Stuart	4	1-1-2	3	0
77	D	Alexei Zhitnik	42	1-4-5	-9	38

#	Pos	Player	GP	G - A - P	+/-	PIM
4	D	Nolan Pratt	14	1-3-4	2	8
5	D	Toni Lydman	39	1-9-10	2	34
6	D	Jaroslav Spacek (C)	31	8-12-20	4	20
9	C	Derek Roy	39	13-17-30	5	32
10	D	Henrik Tallinder	31	0-4-4	3	28
12	R	Ales Kotalik	37	13-9-22	0	26
19	C	Tim Connolly	32	5-24-29	2	8
20	L	Daniel Paille	37	5-11-16	8	12
21	R	Drew Stafford	33	8-8-16	0	25
22	C	Adam Mair	29	4-2-6	-5	26
26	L	Thomas Vanek	39	11-13-24	2	38
28	C	Paul Gaustad	39	6-13-19	0	53
29	R	Jason Pominville (A)	39	9-23-32	4	6
37	C	Michael Ryan	27	3-3-6	-1	24
38	D	Nathan Paetsch	39	1-6-7	-1	23
45	D	Dmitri Kalinin	16	0-1-1	-3	10
51	D	Brian Campbell	39	4-23-27	3	2
55	C	Jochen Hecht (A)	39	14-9-23	-2	20
61	R	Maxim Afinogenov	38	7-11-18	-10	30
76	L	Andrew Peters	27	0-0-0	-3	51

Executive VP, General Manager and Head Coach Don Waddell
VP/Assistant GM Larry Simmons
Director of Amateur Scouting/Player Development Dan Marr
Director of Player Personnel Mark Dobson
Associate Coach Brad McCrimmon
Assistant Coach Steve Weeks
Video Coach Tony Borgford
Strength and Conditioning Coach Ray Bear
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Assistant Athletic Trainer Step Roberts
Head Equipment Manager Bobby Stewart
Assistant Equipment Manager Joe Guilmet
Massage Therapist Inar Treiguts

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Assistant Coach James Patrick
Goaltender Coach Jim Corsi
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Athletic Trainer Tim Macre
Equipment Manager Rip Simonick
Equipment Manager Dave Williams
Asst. Equipment Manager George Babcock
Massage Therapist Chuck Garlow
Media Relations Dept. Michael Gilbert, Kevin Snow, Chris Bandura

Tonight's Officials:

Referees Dan O'Halloran (13); Tim Peel (20)
Supervisor None
Nat'l Anthem Singer Vanessa Webb

Linesmen Don Henderson (91); Steve Barton (59)
Video Goal Judge RJ Thompson
Official Scorer Tom Postol

Today's Schedule (start times local)

BUF @ ATL 2:00 PM DET @ CHI 6:00 PM

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Atlanta Thrashers Roster

Active

SW#	Name	Pos	Height	Weight	Born	Birthplace
1	Johan Hedberg	G	6'0"	185	05/05/1973	Leksand, SWE
2	Garnet Exelby	D	6'1"	210	08/16/1981	Ste. Anne, MB, CAN
5	Steve McCarthy	D	6'1"	210	02/03/1981	Trail, BC, CAN
7	Mark Popovic	D	6'1"	210	10/11/1982	Stoney Creek, ON, CAN
8	Mark Recchi	R	5'10"	195	02/01/1968	Kamloops, BC, CAN
9	Pascal Dupuis	R	6'1"	205	04/07/1979	Laval, QC, CAN
11	Eric Perrin	C	5'9"	180	11/01/1975	Laval, QC, CAN
12	Todd White	C	5'10"	195	05/21/1975	Kanata, ON, CAN
13	Vyacheslav Kozlov	L	5'10"	190	05/03/1972	Voskresensk, RUS
16	Bobby Holik	C	6'4"	230	01/01/1971	Jihlava, CZE
17	Ilya Kovalchuk	L	6'1"	220	04/15/1983	Tver, RUS
18	Marian Hossa	R	6'1"	210	01/12/1979	Stara Lubovna, SVK
22	Ken Klee	D	6'1"	210	04/24/1971	Indianapolis, IN, USA
23	Jim Slater	C	6'0"	195	12/09/1982	Petosky, MI, USA
27	Chris Thorburn	R	6'3"	225	06/03/1983	Sault Ste. Marie, ON, CAN
28	Niclas Havelid	D	6'0"	200	04/12/1973	Stockholm, SWE
29	Brad Larsen	L	6'0"	210	06/28/1977	Nakusp, BC, CAN
32	Kari Lehtonen	G	6'4"	205	11/16/1983	Helsinki, FIN
36	Eric Boulton	L	6'1"	225	08/17/1976	Halifax, NS, CAN
39	Tobias Enstrom	D	5'10"	175	11/05/1984	Nordingra, SWE
45	Kevin Doell	C	5'11"	190	07/15/1979	Saskatoon, SK, CAN
49	Colin Stuart	L	6'2"	205	07/08/1982	Rochester, MN, USA
77	Alexei Zhitnik	D	5'11"	225	10/10/1972	Kiev, UKR

Injury Reserve List

SW#	Name	Pos	Height	Weight	Born	Birthplace
	Steve Rucchin	C	6'2"	210	07/04/1971	Thunder Bay, ON, CAN

Active - 23 On IRL - 1 Total - 24

Average - Height: 6'0" Weight: 205 Age: 30.1

Current Streaks

Player	Games	Streak	
Mark Recchi	2	2	Goals
Ilya Kovalchuk	5	7	Assists
Mark Recchi	2	2	
Tobias Enstrom	3	3	
Todd White	5	5	
Ilya Kovalchuk	5	4-7-11	Points
Mark Recchi	2	2-2-4	(G - A - P)
Tobias Enstrom	3	0-3-3	
Todd White	5	1-5-6	

Buffalo Sabres Roster

Active

SW#	Name	Pos	Height	Weight	Born	Birthplace
4	Nolan Pratt	D	6'3"	207	08/14/1975	Fort McMurray, AB, CAN
5	Toni Lydman	D	6'1"	204	09/25/1977	Lahti, FIN
6	Jaroslav Spacek	D	5'11"	204	02/11/1974	Rokycany, CZE
9	Derek Roy	C	5'9"	188	05/04/1983	Ottawa, ON, CAN
10	Henrik Tallinder	D	6'3"	214	01/10/1979	Stockholm, SWE
12	Ales Kotalik	R	6'1"	227	12/23/1978	Jindr Hradec, CZE
19	Tim Connolly	C	6'1"	190	05/07/1981	Syracuse, NY, USA
20	Daniel Paille	L	6'0"	197	04/15/1984	Welland, ON, CAN
21	Drew Stafford	R	6'2"	202	10/30/1985	Milwaukee, WI, USA
22	Adam Mair	C	6'1"	208	02/15/1979	Hamilton, ON, CAN
26	Thomas Vanek	L	6'2"	208	01/19/1984	Vienna, AUT
28	Paul Gaustad	C	6'4"	229	02/03/1982	Fargo, ND, USA
29	Jason Pominville	R	6'0"	186	11/30/1982	Repentigny, QC, CAN
30	Ryan Miller	G	6'2"	166	07/17/1980	East Lansing, MI, USA
35	Jocelyn Thibault	G	5'11"	169	01/12/1975	Montreal, QC, CAN
37	Michael Ryan	C	6'1"	188	05/16/1980	Boston, MA, USA
38	Nathan Paetsch	D	5'11"	198	03/30/1983	Leroyldt, SK, CAN
45	Dmitri Kalinin	D	6'3"	206	07/22/1980	Chelyabinsk, RUS
51	Brian Campbell	D	6'0"	191	05/23/1979	Strathroy, ON, CAN
55	Jochen Hecht	C	6'1"	191	06/21/1977	Mannheim, DEU
61	Maxim Afinogenov	R	6'0"	191	09/04/1979	Moscow, RUS
76	Andrew Peters	L	6'4"	247	05/05/1980	St. Catharines, ON, CAN

Injury Reserve List

SW#	Name	Pos	Height	Weight	Born	Birthplace
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Active - 22 On IRL - 0 Total - 22

Average - Height: 6'1" Weight: 201 Age: 27.8

Current Streaks

Player	Games	Streak
(no players)		Goals
Tim Connolly	2	2 Assists
Brian Campbell	2	1-1-2 Points
Tim Connolly	2	0-2-2 (G - A - P)

Season Statistics

Atlanta Thrashers

Pos	Player	GP	G	A	Pts	+/-	PIM	PP	SH	GW	S	%	TOI/g	FO%
L	KOVALCHUK	42	33	25	58	-7	23	10	2	2	157	21.0	22:17	29.2
R	HOSSA	39	14	22	36	-10	20	4	2	3	139	10.1	22:11	28.6
C	WHITE	42	10	16	26	-8	20	4	1	3	64	15.6	19:11	46.4
D	ENSTROM	42	3	22	25	4	22	2	0	0	50	6.0	24:02	0.0
C	PERRIN	42	7	17	24	0	18	1	0	0	65	10.8	17:29	53.5
L	KOZLOV	42	12	11	23	-6	8	4	0	4	76	15.8	16:56	57.6
R	RECCHI	32	9	13	22	-7	18	5	0	0	64	14.1	16:56	44.4
C	HOLIK	42	6	11	17	-9	56	2	0	1	68	8.8	15:19	57.1
D	HAVELID	42	1	11	12	6	26	0	0	0	33	3.0	20:27	0.0
L	DUPUIS	41	7	4	11	-3	14	0	3	1	69	10.1	14:19	30.0
C	LITTLE	29	3	6	9	2	16	1	0	1	51	5.9	15:15	46.5
R	HAYDAR	16	1	7	8	4	2	0	0	0	14	7.1	11:45	0.0
L	BOULTON	38	3	2	5	-6	31	0	0	0	32	9.4	7:19	0.0
R	THORBURN	33	2	3	5	-1	50	0	0	1	30	6.7	8:04	64.3
D	ZHITNIK	42	1	4	5	-9	38	0	0	0	60	1.7	18:21	0.0
D	KLEE	41	0	5	5	2	36	0	0	0	29	0.0	20:01	0.0
C	SLATER	38	0	5	5	-8	25	0	0	0	44	0.0	8:55	45.4
D	EXELBY	40	2	2	4	-6	22	0	0	0	20	10.0	19:15	0.0
L	LARSEN	32	1	3	4	-6	4	0	0	0	24	4.2	10:17	40.7
D	MCCARTHY	28	0	4	4	-18	13	0	0	0	15	0.0	15:14	0.0
L	STERLING	10	1	2	3	-1	12	0	0	0	9	11.1	12:25	66.7
L	STUART	4	1	1	2	3	0	0	0	0	6	16.7	11:17	0.0
D	POPOVIC	17	0	1	1	-4	4	0	0	0	12	0.0	13:46	0.0
C	DOELL	1	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	1	0.0	9:37	66.7

Goaltender	GP	Min	Avg	W	L	OT	EN	SO	GA	Svs	Sv%	G	A	PIM
HEDBERG	21	1146	3.19	10	8	1	3	1	61	532	.897	0	1	6
LEHTONEN	19	1046	3.15	7	10	0	1	2	55	508	.902	0	1	4
PAVELEC	7	347	3.11	3	3	0	1	0	18	172	.905	0	0	2

Buffalo Sabres

Pos	Player	GP	G	A	Pts	+/-	PIM	PP	SH	GW	S	%	TOI/g	FO%
R	POMINVILLE	39	9	23	32	4	6	1	1	0	106	8.5	19:03	46.1
C	ROY	39	13	17	30	5	32	3	2	2	91	14.3	20:11	52.8
C	CONNOLLY	32	5	24	29	2	8	2	1	3	76	6.6	18:40	48.2
D	CAMPBELL	39	4	23	27	3	2	3	0	0	63	6.4	25:28	0.0
L	VANEK	39	11	13	24	2	38	4	0	2	100	11.0	16:28	55.6
C	HECHT	39	14	9	23	-2	20	1	0	2	114	12.3	18:24	42.6
R	KOTALIK	37	13	9	22	0	26	7	0	1	93	14.0	15:04	46.7
D	SPACEK	31	8	12	20	4	20	6	0	1	62	12.9	23:36	0.0
C	GAUSTAD	39	6	13	19	0	53	5	0	1	77	7.8	17:01	52.6
R	AFINOGENOV	38	7	11	18	-10	30	1	0	1	79	8.9	16:28	33.3
R	STAFFORD	33	8	8	16	0	25	0	0	2	57	14.0	13:07	54.5
L	PAILLE	37	5	11	16	8	12	0	2	1	40	12.5	11:34	35.5
D	LYDMAN	39	1	9	10	2	34	0	0	0	43	2.3	20:52	0.0
D	PAETSCH	39	1	6	7	-1	23	0	0	0	32	3.1	14:10	0.0
C	MAIR	29	4	2	6	-5	26	0	0	1	31	12.9	7:59	40.3
C	RYAN	27	3	3	6	-1	24	0	0	0	40	7.5	9:10	0.0
L	MACARTHUR	12	3	1	4	-1	2	0	0	1	16	18.8	13:04	0.0
D	PRATT	14	1	3	4	2	8	0	0	0	6	16.7	13:12	0.0
D	TALLINDER	31	0	4	4	3	28	0	0	0	33	0.0	21:05	0.0
D	SEKERA	21	1	2	3	-5	8	0	0	0	11	9.1	16:23	0.0
D	KALININ	16	0	1	1	-3	10	0	0	0	17	0.0	16:07	0.0
L	PETERS	27	0	0	0	-3	51	0	0	0	7	0.0	2:45	0.0
D	WEBER	4	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0.0	11:32	0.0

Goaltender	GP	Min	Avg	W	L	OT	EN	SO	GA	Svs	Sv%	G	A	PIM
THIBAULT	5	230	3.65	2	3	0	0	1	14	84	.857	0	0	0
MILLER	36	2125	2.57	17	14	3	5	1	91	908	.909	0	1	2

Team Records	Atlanta Thrashers	Buffalo Sabres
Last Game	Friday Vs Carolina (4-3 L)	Friday Vs Ottawa (5-3 L)
Next Game	Tuesday Vs Philadelphia	Tuesday At New Jersey
Overall record / streak	20 - 21 - 1 / Lost 1 /	19 - 17 - 3 / Lost 5 /
Home record / streak	10 - 10 - 0 / Lost 1 /	11 - 8 - 1 / Lost 3 /
Road record / streak	10 - 11 - 1 / Win 1 / Undef 1	8 - 9 - 2 / OTL 2 /
Last 5 Games	2 - 3 - 0	0 - 3 - 2
Last 10 Games	6 - 4 - 0	5 - 3 - 2
1-goal games	11-3	6-7
2-goal games	3-8	7-7
3-goal games	6-11	6-6
Scoring first	13-3-1	11-4-1
Opponent scoring first	7-18-0	8-13-2
Leading after 1 period	9-2-0	9-2-0
Trailing after 1 period	5-14-0	6-6-1
Tied after 1 period	6-5-1	4-9-2
Leading after 2 periods	12-1-0	12-1-1
Trailing after 2 periods	2-17-1	3-13-1
Tied after 2 periods	6-3-0	4-3-1
Overtime Record - This Season	9-1	4-3
Overtime Record - Franchise	51-40-45	84-79-215
Shootout Record - This Season	4-1	1-2
Shootout Record - Franchise	16-10	16-11
Outshooting opponent	5-1-0	11-10-2
Outshot by opponent	13-20-1	7-6-1
Even shots	2-0-0	1-1-0
vs. Northeast	5-8-0	6-8-1
vs. Atlantic	4-4-1	4-3-2
vs. Southeast	9-7-0	7-2-0
vs. EASTERN CONFERENCE	18-19-1	17-13-3
vs. Central	2-2-0	1-2-0
vs. Pacific	0-0-0	1-2-0
vs. Northwest	0-0-0	0-0-0
vs. WESTERN CONFERENCE	2-2-0	2-4-0

Month by Month Record:

	Atlanta Thrashers		Buffalo Sabres	
	W - L - OT	Points	W - L - OT	Points
October	4-8-0	8	5-5-0	10
November	7-5-0	14	6-6-1	13
December	8-7-1	17	8-5-1	17
January	1-1-0	2	0-1-1	1
February	0-0-0	0	0-0-0	0
March	0-0-0	0	0-0-0	0
April	0-0-0	0	0-0-0	0
Totals	20-21-1	41	19-17-3	41

Goals By Period

Atlanta Thrashers	1	2	3	OT	T	Avg
Thrashers	33	37	40	5	115	(2.7 avg.)
Opponents	39	52	48	0	139	(3.3 avg.)

Buffalo Sabres	1	2	3	OT	T	Avg
Sabres	28	43	43	3	117	(3.0 avg.)
Opponents	27	44	38	1	110	(2.8 avg.)

Shots By Period

Atlanta Thrashers	1	2	3	OT	T	Avg
Thrashers	353	367	353	23	1096	(26.1 avg.)
Opponents	448	447	438	18	1351	(32.2 avg.)

Buffalo Sabres	1	2	3	OT	T	Avg
Sabres	382	422	369	21	1194	(30.6 avg.)
Opponents	343	395	345	19	1102	(28.3 avg.)

Power Play

	Atlanta Thrashers			Buffalo Sabres		
	G	Att	Pct	G	Att	Pct
Overall	31	173	17.9 (T-14th NHL)	33	175	18.9 (T-9th NHL)
Home	13	80	16.3 (18th NHL)	20	84	23.8 (4th NHL)
Road	18	93	19.4 (T-9th NHL)	13	91	14.3 (T-22nd NHL)

5 SHORT HANDED GOALS ALLOWED (T-19th NHL) 3 SHORT HANDED GOALS ALLOWED (T-4th NHL)

Penalty Killing

	Atlanta Thrashers			Buffalo Sabres		
	G	Att	Pct	G	Att	Pct
Overall	41	180	77.2 (T-28th NHL)	28	171	83.6 (T-9th NHL)
Home	16	80	80 (T-21st NHL)	12	77	84.4 (12th NHL)
Road	25	100	75 (28th NHL)	16	94	83 (12th NHL)

8 SHORT HANDED GOALS SCORED (T-3rd NHL) 6 SHORT HANDED GOALS SCORED (T-5th NHL)

Penalties

	Atlanta Thrashers			Buffalo Sabres		
	GP	Min	Avg. / Rank	GP	Min	Avg. / Rank
	42	484	11.5 (2nd NHL)	39	496	12.7 (11th NHL)

Goal Situation

	Atlanta Thrashers		Buffalo Sabres	
	For	Against	For	Against
5 on 5	70	89	71	69
5 on 4	22	4	25	3
5 on 3	7	0	6	0
4 on 4	3	0	3	5
4 on 3	2	0	2	0
3 on 3	0	0	0	0
3 on 4	0	1	0	0
3 on 5	0	3	0	6
4 on 5	8	37	6	22
Empty Net	3	5	4	5
Pen. Shot	0	0	0	0
Totals	115	139	117	110

Individual Leaders

Atlanta Thrashers

Points	I. Kovalchuk (58),M. Hossa (36),T. White (26)
Goals	I. Kovalchuk (33),M. Hossa (14),V. Kozlov (12)
Assists	I. Kovalchuk (25),M. Hossa (22),T. Enstrom (22)
PP Goals	I. Kovalchuk (10),M. Recchi (5),V. Kozlov (4)
SH Goals	P. Dupuis (3),M. Hossa (2),I. Kovalchuk (2)
GW Goals	V. Kozlov (4),M. Hossa (3),T. White (3)
3+ goals	I. Kovalchuk(2)
PIM	B. Holik (56),C. Thorburn (50),A. Zhitnik (38)
Shots	I. Kovalchuk (157),M. Hossa (139),V. Kozlov (76)
Plus/Minus	N. Havelid (+6),T. Enstrom (+4),C. Stuart (+3)

Buffalo Sabres

J. Pominville (32),D. Roy (30),T. Connolly (29)
J. Hecht (14),A. Kotalik (13),D. Roy (13)
T. Connolly (24),B. Campbell (23),J. Pominville (2)
A. Kotalik (7),J. Spacek (6),P. Gaustad (5)
D. Roy (2),D. Paille (2),T. Connolly (1)
T. Connolly (3),J. Hecht (2),D. Roy (2)
P. Gaustad (53),A. Peters (51),T. Vanek (38)
J. Hecht (114),J. Pominville (106),T. Vanek (100)
D. Paille (+8),D. Roy (+5),J. Spacek (+4)

Atlanta Thrashers Special Teams Scoring

Power Play	G	A	Pts	Short Handed	G	A	Pts
A. Zhitnik	0	2	2	A. Zhitnik	0	1	1
B. Holik	2	1	3	B. Holik	0	1	1
B. Little	1	0	1	E. Perrin	0	7	7
D. Haydar	0	2	2	I. Kovalchuk	2	0	2
E. Perrin	1	2	3	K. Klee	0	1	1
I. Kovalchuk	10	11	21	M. Hossa	2	0	2
M. Hossa	4	12	16	N. Havelid	0	1	1
M. Recchi	5	5	10	P. Dupuis	3	0	3
T. Enstrom	2	17	19	T. White	1	0	1
T. White	4	3	7				
V. Kozlov	4	4	8				

Buffalo Sabres Special Teams Scoring

Power Play	G	A	Pts	Short Handed	G	A	Pts
A. Kotalik	7	9	16	D. Paille	2	0	2
B. Campbell	3	9	12	D. Roy	2	1	3
D. Roy	3	5	8	J. Pominville	1	0	1
D. Stafford	0	1	1	P. Gaustad	0	1	1
J. Hecht	1	0	1	T. Connolly	1	1	2
J. Pominville	1	10	11	T. Lydman	0	1	1
J. Spacek	6	8	14				
M. Afinogenov	1	3	4				
N. Paetsch	0	3	3				
P. Gaustad	5	2	7				
T. Connolly	2	10	12				
T. Vanek	4	2	6				

General Information

Today's Game

Tonight's Game

Tonight marks the fourth of eight meetings this season between the Hurricanes and the Thrashers ... The Thrashers have earned a 2-1-0 record in the first three meetings, with both wins coming on Carolina ice ... **Marian Hossa** has recorded both game-winning goals against Carolina this season.

2007-08 Thrashers vs. Buffalo			
Date	Result	Site	GWG
10/11/07	6-0, Loss	Buffalo	Ales Kotalik
1/6/08		Philips Arena	
1/18/08		Buffalo	
2/1/08		Philips Arena	

2007-08 Thrashers Stats vs. the Sabres

Player	GP	G	A	PTS	PIMS
Eric Boulton	1	0	0	0	5
Pascal Dupuis	1	0	0	0	2
Tobias Enstrom	1	0	0	0	0
Garnet Exelby	1	0	0	0	4
Niclas Havelid	1	0	0	0	0
Bobby Holik	1	0	0	0	4
Ilya Kovalchuk	1	0	0	0	5
Slava Kozlov	1	0	0	0	0
Brad Larsen	1	0	0	0	0
Steve McCarthy	1	0	0	0	0
Eric Perrin	1	0	0	0	0
Mark Popovic	1	0	0	0	4
Jim Slater	1	0	0	0	2
Todd White	1	0	0	0	0
Alexei Zhitnik	1	0	0	0	0
Kevin Doell	-	-	-	-	-
Marian Hossa	-	-	-	-	-
Ken Klee	-	-	-	-	-
Mark Recchi	-	-	-	-	-
Colin Stuart	-	-	-	-	-
Chris Thorburn	-	-	-	-	-

Goalie	GP	W-L-OT	SO	GA	GAA
Johan Hedberg	1	0-0-0	0	1	3.00
Kari Lehtonen	1	0-1-0	0	5	7.50

Tonight's Broadcast Information

Radio: 680 The Fan – Dan Kamal (play-by-play); Jeff Odgers (analyst)

TV: No Local TV

Versus the Northeast Division

Tonight marks the 14th of 20 meetings between the Thrashers and Northeast Division opponents for the Thrashers, 5-8-0 in the previous 13 games.

Ilya Kovalchuk leads the team with 15 points (11 goals, four assists) against the Northeast Division ... **Eric Perrin** ranks second with 11 points (five goals, six assists) and **Marian Hossa** ranks third in points and leads the team with eight assists ... **Slava Kozlov** (three goals, four assists) and **Tobias Enstrom** (two goals, five assists) are tied with seven points apiece.

Thrashers vs. the NHL	
Opponent	Record
Atlantic Division	4-4-1
Northeast Division	5-8-0
Southeast Division	9-7-0
Eastern Conference	18-19-1
Central Division	2-2-0
Northwest Division	-
Western Conference	2-2-0
OVERALL	20-21-1

Lifetime Series

Lifetime Series

The Thrashers have posted a 14-12-3 record in 29 all-time meetings with the Sabres, including an 8-3-3 record in 14 contests on home ice.

Thrashers Career Stats vs. the Sabres

Player	GP	G	A	PTS	PIMS
Mark Recchi	69	20	42	62	40
Bobby Holik	66	14	29	43	69
Marian Hossa	35	10	9	19	12
Ilya Kovalchuk	21	11	8	19	23
Slava Kozlov	28	10	9	19	12
Todd White	20	9	4	13	4
Ken Klee	37	4	8	12	29
Alexei Zhitnik	12	3	3	6	18
Jim Slater	7	0	4	4	6
Steve McCarthy	8	1	2	3	6
Niclas Havelid	14	1	1	2	16
Brad Larsen	9	2	0	2	4
Eric Boulton	6	0	0	0	14
Pascal Dupuis	7	0	0	0	2
Tobias Enstrom	1	0	0	0	0
Garnet Exelby	13	0	0	0	16
Eric Perrin	5	0	0	0	0
Mark Popovic	2	0	0	0	4
Chris Thorburn	1	0	0	0	0
Kevin Doell	-	-	-	-	-
Colin Stuart	-	-	-	-	-

Goalie	GP	W-L-OT	SO	GA	GAA
Johan Hedberg	9	6-1-1	1	12	1.57
Kari Lehtonen	9	4-4-1	1	29	3.26

Atlanta Thrashers Injuries/Transactions
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Total Man-Games Lost: 37

2007-08 Thrashers Injuries		
Player	Injury	Dates/Games Missed
Eric Boulton	Knee (Day-to-Day)	1/4-current; 1 game
Garnet Exelby	Ankle	11/10-11/13; 2 games
Marian Hossa	Groin	10/10-10/13; 3 games
Kari Lehtonen	Groin Strain	10/20-11/26; 16 games
Mark Popovic	Ankle	12/5-12/26; 11 games
Steve Rucchin	Out indefinitely	--
Jim Slater	Lower Body (Day-to-Day)	12/29-current; 4 games

2007-08 Thrashers Transactions

Jan. 3, 2008: Recalled center **Kevin Doell** from the Chicago Wolves (AHL)

Jan. 1, 2008: Promoted **Brad McCrimmon** to associate coach

Dec. 28, 2007: Recalled left wing **Colin Stuart** from the Chicago Wolves (AHL)

Dec. 16, 2007: Reassigned right wing **Darren Haydar** to the Chicago Wolves (AHL)

Dec. 11, 2007: Reassigned center **Bryan Little** to the Chicago Wolves (AHL)

Dec. 1, 2007: Recalled goaltenders **Kari Lehtonen** from the Chicago Wolves (AHL); Assigned goaltender **Ondrej Pavelec** to the Wolves.

Nov. 26, 2007: Activated goaltender **Kari Lehtonen** from Injured Reserve and assigned him to the Chicago Wolves (AHL) for conditioning.

Nov. 5, 2007: Reassigned forward **Brett Sterling** to the Chicago Wolves (AHL)

Oct. 19, 2007: Recalled goaltender **Ondrej Pavelec** from the Chicago Wolves (AHL); Placed goaltender **Kari Lehtonen** (groin) on Injured Reserve.

Oct. 17, 2007: Relieved Bob Hartley as head coach ... Executive Vice President and General Manager **Don Waddell** will take over on an interim basis.

Oct. 11, 2007: Recalled Forward **Darren Haydar** from the Chicago Wolves (AHL)

Kovy is Cruising

Ilya Kovalchuk, who on Dec. 7 became the Thrashers all-time leader in games played with 415 and passed Greg de Vries for the franchise record for consecutive games played (165) on Dec. 26, has posted two or more points in 16 of his last 34 contests, recording 52 points (29 goals, 23 assists) in that span ... Sitting atop the NHL with 33 goals, Kovalchuk has recorded 36 points (19 goals, 17 assists) in his last 25 games, including 11 points (four goals, seven assists) in his last five games ... Kovalchuk paces the Thrashers and is second in the NHL with 58 points (33 goals, 25 assists) this season ... He has registered at least one point in 30 of 42 games this season and has scored at least one goal in 25 of those contests ... He leads the Thrashers with 17 multi-point efforts this season ... Kovalchuk recorded four points (one goal, three assists) on Jan. 2 at Carolina; his second assist of the night was the 200th of his career.

History in the Making

Entering tonight's contest, **Ilya Kovalchuk** has accounted for 28.7% (33 of 115 – does not include shootout game-deciding goals) of the Thrashers goals this season ... In the NHL's "modern era" (since 1943-44, when the center red line was introduced), the highest percentage of a team's goals scored by one player is 29.5% by Florida's Pavel Bure in 2000-01 (59 of 200).

Living the Dream

Left wing **Colin Stuart** earned his first National Hockey League recall on Dec. 28 and recorded one assist along with a plus-two rating in his NHL debut on Dec. 29 against Boston ... The 25-year old rookie tallied his first NHL goal on Dec. 31 at Boston and has two points (one goal, one assist) along with a plus-three rating in his first four NHL games ... Stuart became the first player to make his NHL regular-season debut against his brother since Oct. 6, 1982 when Randy Moller (Quebec) debuted against brother Mike (Buffalo) ... *courtesy of the Elias Sports Bureau*

Another Star for the Thrashers

Goaltender **Kari Lehtonen** was named the NHL's Second Star of the Week for the week ending Dec. 23, posting a 4-0-0 record with a 1.96 goals-against average and a .935 save percentage in that span ... Lehtonen started eight-straight games from Dec. 18-31, posting a 5-3-0 record with one shutout, a 2.36 goals-against average and a .921 save percentage in that span ... He has earned a 7-5-0 record with two shutouts, a 2.79 goals-against average and a .910 save percentage since returning from injury on Dec. 1.

Welcome to Atlanta

The newest Thrasher has paid immediate dividends for his new team so far as **Mark Recchi** has tallied 14 points (seven goals, seven assists) in his first 13 games with Atlanta and posted a five-game point-scoring streak with six points (two goals, four assists) from Dec. 15-23 ... Recchi has tallied 1,355 points (517 goals, 838 assists) in 1,370 career NHL games and is a two-time Stanley Cup Champion (1991 and 2006) ... The 39-year old native of Kamloops, British Columbia recorded eight points (two goals, six assists) in 19 games with the Penguins this season, prior to being claimed off waivers by Atlanta on Dec. 8.

Man Down Advantage?

The Thrashers penalty kill was superb on Dec. 5 against the NY Islanders, tallying a franchise-record tying two shorthanded goals ... **Marian Hossa** and **Pascal Dupuis** each recorded a goal while the Thrashers were playing a man down ... Atlanta is tied for third in the NHL with eight shorthanded goals this season, four behind the Chicago Blackhawks ... **Eric Perrin** has recorded an assist on seven of the team's shorthanded goals and owns the Thrashers franchise-record for most shorthanded assists in a season with seven.

Coming Through in the Clutch

Ilya Kovalchuk has recorded 16 of his 33 goals in the third period this season, which ranks first in the NHL in that category ... Kovalchuk also has one game-winning goal in overtime for the Thrashers and two of the team's four shootout-deciding tallies...

Player	Team	3 rd Period Goals
Ilya Kovalchuk	Atlanta	16
Alex Ovechkin	Washington	14
Daniel Alfredsson	Ottawa	12
Patrick Sharp	Chicago	11
Henrik Zetterberg	Detroit	10
Nikolai Zherdev	Columbus	9

Hossa On A Roll

Marian Hossa, who scored the game-winning goal in overtime on Jan. 2 at Carolina, tied a franchise record (set by Ilya Kovalchuk from Jan. 1 – Jan. 11, 2006) by recording his sixth-consecutive multi-point game (two assists) on Nov. 21 at Washington ... He has registered at least one point in 12 of his last 19 games and has tallied 17 points (five goals, 12 assists) in that span ... He has 33 points (12 goals, 21 assists) in his last 30 contests ... Hossa, who missed three games due to injury earlier this season, ranks second on the Thrashers with 36 points (14 goals, 22 assists) in 38 games ... He ranks second on the Thrashers with 13 multi-point games this season, four behind **Ilya Kovalchuk**.

Need Extra Time?

With a 3-2 shootout win against Montreal on Dec. 22 and a 3-2 OT win at St. Louis on Dec. 23, the Thrashers improved to 8-1 this season in games that extend past regulation, posting a 5-0 record in overtime and a 4-1 mark in the shootout ... **Todd White** (two goals, one assist) and **Ilya Kovalchuk** (one goal, two assists) are tied for the team lead with three points apiece in overtime ... **Marian Hossa** ranks second on the team with two goals in the extra session ... Atlanta's only setback came on Dec. 2 with a 3-2 shootout loss against the New Jersey Devils ... The Thrashers are tied for third in the NHL with four shootout wins this season.

Rookie Leading the Way

*Rookie defenseman **Tobias Enstrom**, who was named the NHL Rookie of the Month for November, ranks first among all NHL rookie defensemen, ranks second among Eastern Conference rookies and is tied for third on the Thrashers with 25 points (three goals, 22 assists) this season ... He has recorded 23 points (three goals, 20 assists) in his last 34 games, including 18 points (one goal, 17 assists) in his last 25 contests ... The 23-year old Swede ranks first among league rookies with 24:02 TOI and is third with 56 blocked shots ... The Thrashers are 13-8-1 this season when Enstrom records at least one point.

Thrashers Milestones

Ilya Kovalchuk recorded the 200th assist of his NHL career on Jan. 2 at Carolina ... **Slava Kozlov** played in his 1,000th career game and **Ilya Kovalchuk** became the Thrashers all-time leader in consecutive games played (165) on Dec. 26 at Columbus ... **Kovalchuk** became the Thrashers all-time leader in games played with 415 on Dec. 7 against the NY Rangers, passing Patrik Stefan for that mark

Upcoming Thrashers Milestones		
Player	Milestone	Needs
Pascal Dupuis	400 career games	2
Johan Hedberg	200 career games	2

Thrashers Milestones Reached in 2007-08		
Player	Milestone	Date
Ilya Kovalchuk	200 career assists	Jan. 2, 2008 at CAR
Slava Kozlov	1,000 career games	Dec. 26, 2007 at CBJ
Eric Boulton	300 career games	Dec. 22, 2007 vs. MTL
Niclas Havelid	500 career games	Dec. 14, 2007 vs. TOR
Bobby Holik	1,200 career games	Dec. 12, 2007 vs. BOS
Ilya Kovalchuk	Franchise Leader in GP (415)	Dec. 7, 2007 vs. NYR
Marian Hossa	600 career points	Nov. 21, 2007 at WSH
Ilya Kovalchuk	400 career points	Nov. 9, 2007 at FLA
Bobby Holik	400 career assists	Nov. 9, 2007 at FLA
Todd White	100 career goals	Nov. 6, 2007 vs. WSH
Eric Perrin	100 career games	Nov. 3, 2007 at TB
Ilya Kovalchuk	400 career games	Nov. 1, 2007 at OTT
Ken Klee	800 career games	Oct. 25, 2007 at NSH

Turn on the Red Light

Over the last six seasons, **Ilya Kovalchuk** has scored the most goals overall (235) and the most power play goals (86) among all NHL players ... **Marian Hossa** ranks third with 208 goals and ranks fourth with 71 power play tallies ... Kovalchuk, who leads the NHL with 33 goals this season, is the only player in the league to score at least 40 in each of the last three seasons.

Most Goals Since 2001-02 Season		
Player	Team	Goals
Ilya Kovalchuk	Atlanta	235
Jarome Iginla	Calgary	230
Marian Hossa	Atlanta	208
Dany Heatley	Ottawa	205
Jaromir Jagr	NY Rangers	194

Most Power Play Goals Since 2001-02 Season		
Player	Team	PPG
Ilya Kovalchuk	Atlanta	86
Dany Heatley	Ottawa	78
Milan Hejduk	Colorado	73
Marian Hossa	Atlanta	71
Keith Tkachuk	St. Louis	70

Consistency Counts

Ilya Kovalchuk set a new franchise record for games played on Dec. 26 at Columbus ... **Bobby Holik** ranks third on that list with 151 consecutive games played ... Here is a look at the all-time list with a minimum of 100 games:

Player	GP	Dates
1. Ilya Kovalchuk	170	Dec. 26, 2005 - current
2. Greg de Vries	164	Oct. 5, 2005 - April 7, 2007
3. Bobby Holik	151	March 1, 2006 - current
4. Slava Kozlov	142	Feb. 29, 2004 - Jan. 5, 2007
5. Ilya Kovalchuk	136	Nov. 2, 2002 - Feb. 25, 2004
6. Dany Heatley	110	Oct. 4, 2001 - Dec. 13, 2002
7. Patrik Stefan	104	Jan. 22, 2002 - March 15, 2003
8. Chris Tamer	103	March 16, 2000 - Oct. 23, 2001
9. Slava Kozlov	101	Jan. 9, 2003 - Feb. 13, 2004

Roster Breakdown

Acquired Via	Players
Draft (6)	Enstrom, Exelby, Kovalchuk, Lehtonen, Slater, Stuart
Trade (8)	Dupuis, Havelid, Hossa, Kozlov, McCarthy, Popovic, Thorburn, Zhitnik
Free Agency (8)	Boulton, Doell, Hedberg, Holik, Klee, Perrin, Rucchin, White
Waivers (2)	Recchi, Larsen

Breakdown by Country	
Country	# of Players
Canada	12
Sweden	3
United States	3
Russia	2
Czech Republic	1
Slovakia	1
Ukraine	1
Finland	1

Thrashers Month-by-Month

Month	Overall	Home	Road
October 2007:	4-8-0 (8 points)	1-3-0 (2 points)	3-5-0 (6 points)
November 2007:	7-5-0 (14 points)	3-3-0 (6 points)	4-2-0 (8 points)
December 2007:	8-7-1 (17 points)	6-3-0 (12 points)	2-4-1 (5 points)
January 2008:	1-1-0 (2 points)	0-1-0 (0 points)	1-0-0 (2 points)
February 2008:	-	-	-
March 2008:	-	-	-
April 2008:	-	-	-
2007-08 Season:	20-21-1 (41 points)	10-10-0 (20 points)	10-11-1 (21 points)

Back-to-Back

The Thrashers will play 17 sets of back-to-back games this season ... Atlanta played in 15 back-to-back sets last season, posting a 12-12-6 record in those games, including an 8-5-2 record on the second day.

Date	1 st Game	Result	Date	2 nd Game	Result
10/5/07	vs. Washington	3-1 L	10/6/07	at Tampa Bay	5-2 L
10/10/07	vs. Ottawa	3-1 L	10/11/07	at Buffalo	6-0 L
11/9/07	at Florida	4-1 W	11/10/07	vs. Carolina	5-3 L
11/23/07	vs. New Jersey	3-0 L	11/24/07	at Pittsburgh	5-0 L
12/1/07	at NY Islanders	4-0 W	12/2/07	at New Jersey	3-2 SOL
12/7/07	vs. NY Rangers	4-2 W	12/8/07	at Washington	6-3 L
12/14/07	vs. Toronto	4-0 L	12/15/07	at Ottawa	7-3 L
12/22/07	vs. Montreal	3-2 SOW	12/23/07	at St. Louis	3-2 OTW
12/26/07	at Columbus	2-0 L	12/27/07	vs. Florida	5-3 L
1/17/08	vs. Montreal		1/18/08	at Buffalo	
2/1/08	vs. Buffalo		2/2/08	at Washington	
2/15/08	at New Jersey		2/16/08	at NY Islanders	
3/1/08	at Boston		3/2/08	at Pittsburgh	
3/7/08	vs. Minnesota		3/8/08	at Florida	
3/13/08	vs. Calgary		3/14/08	at Washington	
3/18/08	at Philadelphia		3/19/08	vs. Carolina	
3/27/08	at Florida		3/29/08	at Carolina	

Pack the House

The Thrashers drew 18,707 fans to their season opener on Oct. 5 vs. Washington ... It was the second biggest crowd for a home opener in franchise history behind the 18,759 that attended the Thrashers first home game in 2005-06 against the Capitals ... It also marked the fifth sold out home opener in team history ... The Thrashers attracted more than 665,000 fans to Philips Arena during the 2006-07 season, averaging 16,241 fans per game with 11 sellouts, the team's best attendance since the Inaugural Season of 1999-2000.

Thrashers Home Attendance by Season				
Season	GP	ATT	AVG	SELLLOUTS
2007-08	20	312,740	15,637	4
2006-07	41	665,862	16,241	11
2005-06	41	637,578	15,551	6
2003-04	41	620,965	15,145	6
2002-03	41	553,344	13,496	2
2001-02	41	560,404	13,668	4
2000-01	41	625,870	15,265	5
1999-00	41	705,389	17,205	14

Atlanta Thrashers Highs and Lows

Individual		
	2007-08	Franchise History
Most Goals, Game	3 (2x), last – Ilya Kovalchuk (11/3/07 at TB)	4 (2x), last – Ilya Kovalchuk (11/11/05 vs. TB)
Most Assists, Game	3 (2x), last – Ilya Kovalchuk (1/2/08 at CAR)	4 (6x), last – Slava Kozlov (10/23/06 at FLA)
Most Points, Game	4 (3x), last -- Ilya Kovalchuk (1g, 3a; 1/2/08 at CAR)	5 (6x), last – Ilya Kovalchuk (2g, 3a; 11/18/05 at PHI)
Most Goals, Period	3, Ilya Kovalchuk (11//1/07 at OTT; 3 rd)	3 (3x), last – Ilya Kovalchuk (11/1/07 at OTT; 3 rd)
Most Assists, Period	2 (7x), last – Marian Hossa (12/12/07 vs. BOS; 2 nd)	3 (3x), last – Slava Kozlov (11/6/06 vs. BOS)
Most Points, Period	3 (2x), last – Ilya Kovalchuk (2g, 1a; 12/27/07 vs. FLA)	4, Ilya Kovalchuk (1g, 3a; 10/27/05 at PIT)
Most Shots, Game	8, Marian Hossa (10/30/07 at MTL)	16, Marian Hossa (11/1/06 vs. CAR)
Most PIMs, Game	16, Bobby Holik (10/27/07 at CHI)	32, Francis Lessard (3/17/04 vs. BUF)
Most Penalties, Game	4, Bobby Holik (10/27/07 at CHI)	6, Jeff Odgers (2/12/02 at STL)
Most TOI (forward), Game	29:53, Ilya Kovalchuk (11/19/07 vs. TB)	34:21, Johan Garpenlov (1/29/00 at TB)
Most TOI (defense), Game	29:39, Tobias Enstrom (12/22/07 vs. MTL)	34:06, Daniel Tjarnqvist (10/31/02 at TOR)
Best +/- Rating, Game	+4 (6x), Niclas Havelid (12/1/07 at NYI)	+6, Richard Smehlik (3/17/02 at BUF)
Most Shots Faced, Game	40, Kari Lehtonen (10/5/07 vs. WSH)	55, Milan Hnilicka (12/18/01 at BOS)
Most Shots Faced, Period	19 (2x), last – Johan Hedberg (1/2/08 at CAR; 3 rd)	23, Pasi Nurminen (1/31/04 at TB; 1 st)
Most Saves, Game	37, Kari Lehtonen (10/5/07 vs. WSH)	53, Milan Hnilicka (12/18/01 at BOS)
Most Saves, Period	19, Kari Lehtonen (12/1/07 at NYI; 3 rd)	22, Milan Hnilicka (11/18/01 at NYR; 1 st)
Longest Shutout Streak	90:44, Johan Hedberg (11/13/07 – 11/19/07)	167:56, Kari Lehtonen (10/5/06 – 10/11/06)
Longest Win Streak	4 games (2x), last – Kari Lehtonen (12/18/07 – 12/23/07)	5 games (5x), last – Kari Lehtonen (2/26/07 – 3/8/07)
Team		
	2007-08	Franchise History
Most Goals Scored, Game	6 (2x), last – 12/18/07 vs. TB (6-2 W)	9, 11/12/05 at CAR (9-0 W)
Most Goals Scored, Period	4, (2x), last – 12/1/07 at NYI (1 st)	5 (2x), last – 11/12/05 at CAR (1 st)
Most Goals Allowed, Game	7, 12/15/07 at OTT (7-3 L)	9 (2x), last – 10/14/05 vs. TOR (9-1 L)
Most Goals Allowed, Period	4, 11/1/07 at OTT (2 nd)	6, 3/21/00 at OTT (1 st)
Most PP Goals For, Game	2 (7x), last – 1/2/08 at CAR (5-4 OTW)	5, 10/23/06 at FLA (6-3 W)
Most PP Goals Allowed, Game	4, 10/13/07 vs. NJ (6-5 L)	7, 10/14/05 vs. TOR (9-1 L)
Most SH Goals For, Game	2, 12/5/07 vs. NYI (4-3 SOW)	2 (3x), last – 12/5/07 vs. NYI
Most PP Opp., Game	9, 12/5/07 vs. NYI	15 (2x), last – 10/8/07 vs. WSH
Most PP Opp. Allowed, Game	9, 10/18/07 vs. NYR	16, 10/14/05 vs. TOR
Most Shots For, Game	45, 12/20/07 vs. OTT	45 (3x), last – 12/20/07 vs. OTT
Most Shots For, Period	21, 12/20/07 vs. OTT (1 st)	24, 12/16/03 vs. WSH (2 nd)
Most Shots Allowed, Game	44, 12/15/07 at OTT	55, 12/18/01 at BOS
Most Shots Allowed, Period	21, 12/15/07 at OTT (2 nd)	23, 1/31/04 at TB (1 st)
Fewest Shots For, Game	14, 1/2/08 at CAR	11 (2x), last – 10/5/06 vs. TB
Fewest Shots For, Period	2 (2x), last – 11/1/07 at OTT (2 nd)	0, 11/3/01 at LA
Fewest Shots Allowed, Game	20, 12/23/07 at STL	15, 11/19/02 vs. FLA
Fewest Shots Allowed, Period	2, 10/30/07 at MTL (1 st)	2 (2x), last – 12/29/00 at NYI (3 rd)
Most PIMs, Game (ATL)	40, 10/27/07 at CHI	103, 2/11/04 at EDM
Most PIMs, Game (Both)	64, 10/11/07 at BUF	198, 2/11/04 at EDM (ATL 103, EDM 95)
Fewest PIMs, Game (ATL)	2 (2x), last – 11/13/07 at FLA	2 (6x), last – 11/13/07 at FLA
Fewest PIMs, Game (Both)	10, 10/25/07 at NSH	4, 4/8/00 vs. CAR (ATL 2, CAR 2)
Most Penalties, Game (ATL)	13, 10/11/07 at BUF	18, 11/22/06 at WSH
Most Penalties, Game (Both)	26, 10/11/07 at BUF	35, 10/18/03 vs. CHI (CHI 22, ATL 13)
Fewest Penalties, Game (ATL)	1 (2x), last – 11/13/07 at FLA	1 (6x), last – 11/13/07 at FLA
Fewest Penalties, Game (Both)	5, 10/25/07 at NSH	2, 4/8/00 vs. CAR (ATL 1, CAR 1)
Largest Rally to Win a Game	3, 11/3/07 at TB (6-4)	4 goals, 1/4/00 vs. NJ (6-5 OT)
Largest Margin of Victory	5, 12/29/07 vs. BOS (5-0)	9, 11/12/05 at CAR (9-0)
Largest Margin of Defeat	6, 10/11/07 at BUF (6-0)	9, 3/10/00 vs. NJ (9-0)

Thrashers Multiple Point Game Information

2007-08 Thrashers Multiple Point Games					
Player	Total	4-Points	3-Points	2-Points	Last
Ilya Kovalchuk	17	3	5	9	1g, 3a at CAR on 1/2/08
Marian Hossa	13	-	1	12	1g, 1a at STL on 12/23/07
Eric Perrin	7	-	1	6	1g, 1a vs. MTL on 12/22/07
Todd White	6	-	-	6	1g, 1a vs. CAR on 1/4/08
Mark Recchi	4	-	-	4	1g, 1a vs. CAR 1/4/08
Slava Kozlov	3	-	-	3	1g, 1a vs. NYR on 12/7/07
Bobby Holik	3	-	-	3	1g, 1a vs. BOS on 12/29/07
Niclas Havelid	2	-	-	2	2a at NYI on 12/1/07
Tobias Enstrom	2	-	1	1	2a at STL on 12/23/07
Darren Haydar	1	-	-	1	1g,1a vs. NJ on 10/13/07
Bryan Little	1	-	-	1	2a at TB on 11/3/07
Jim Slater	1	-	-	1	2a vs. NYR on 12/7/07
Steve McCarthy	1	-	-	1	2a vs. TB on 12/18/07
Pascal Dupuis	1	-	-	1	1g, 1a vs. BOS on 12/29/07
Alexei Zhitnik	1	-	-	1	1g, 1a vs. BOS on 12/29/07

2007-08 Thrashers Multiple Goal Games					
Player	Total	4-Goals	3-Goals	2-Goals	Last
Ilya Kovalchuk	6	-	2	4	2g vs. FLA on 12/27/07
Marian Hossa	2	-	-	2	2g vs. CAR on 11/16/07
Todd White	1	-	-	1	2g at WSH on 12/8/07
Slava Kozlov	1	-	-	1	2g at CHI on 10/27/07
Mark Recchi	1	-	-	1	2g vs. BOS on 12/12/07

2007-08 Thrashers Multiple Assists Games					
Player	Total	4-Assists	3-Assists	2-Assists	Last
Ilya Kovalchuk	6	-	1	5	3a at CAR on 1/2/08
Marian Hossa	5	-	-	5	2a vs. MTL on 12/22/07
Eric Perrin	3	-	-	3	2a vs. TB on 12/18/07
Tobias Enstrom	2	-	1	1	2a at STL on 12/23/07
Bryan Little	1	-	-	1	2a at TB on 11/3/07
Niclas Havelid	1	-	-	1	2a at NYI on 12/1/07
Jim Slater	1	-	-	1	2a vs. NYR on 12/7/07
Bobby Holik	1	-	-	1	2a vs. FLA on 11/9/07
Slava Kozlov	1	-	-	1	2a at OTT on 11/1/07
Todd White	1	-	-	1	2a vs. CAR on 11/16/07
Steve McCarthy	1	-	-	1	2a vs. TB on 12/18/07

The Last Time the Thrashers ...

Appeared in shootout:	12/22/07, Atlanta 3, Montreal 2 (at Philips Arena)
Won overtime game at home:	11/19/07, Atlanta 4, Tampa Bay 3
Won overtime game on road:	1/2/08, Atlanta 5, Carolina 4
Lost game in overtime at home:	2/22/07, Tampa Bay 5, Atlanta 4
Lost game in overtime on road:	1/6/07, Washington 3, Atlanta 2
Shut out an opponent at home:	12/29/07, Atlanta 5, Boston 0
Shut out an opponent on the road:	12/1/07, Atlanta 4, NY Islanders 0
Shut out by an opponent at home:	12/14/07, Toronto 4, Atlanta 0
Shut out by an opponent on the road:	12/26/07, Columbus 2, Atlanta 0
Scored five or more goals in a game at home:	12/29/07, Atlanta 5, Boston 0
Scored five or more goals in a road game:	1/2/08, Atlanta 5, Carolina 4
Took 40 or more shots in a game at home:	12/27/07, 41 vs. Florida
Took 40 or more shots in a road game:	3/31/07, 40 at Boston
Faced 40 or more shots in a game at home:	10/5/07, 40 against Washington
Faced 40 or more shots in a road game:	12/15/07, 44 at Ottawa
Had a hat trick at home:	11/30/06 against Toronto, Hossa (3-1-4)
Had a hat trick in a road game:	11/3/07 at Tampa Bay, Kovalchuk (3-1-4)
Allowed a hat trick at home:	10/14/05 against Toronto, O'Neill (3-1-4)
Allowed a hat trick in a road game:	12/7/06 at Tampa Bay, Lecavalier (3-2-5)
Faced a penalty shot in a game at home:	3/8/06, Ward (NYR) stopped by Lehtonen at 15:59 of first
Faced a penalty shot in a road game:	12/2/06, Campbell (FLA) stopped by Lehtonen at 1:56 of third
Had a penalty shot in a home game:	12/1/07, Hossa was stopped by Dunham (NYI) at 14:37 of second
Had a penalty shot in a road game:	1/20/07, Hossa stopped by Lundqvist (NYR) at 17:04 of second

2007-08 Thrashers Awards and Honors

2007-08 NHL Awards	
Award	Player
NHL 2 nd Star of the Week – Dec. 17-23	Kari Lehtonen
NHL 1 st Star of the Month – November	Ilya Kovalchuk
NHL Rookie of the Month – November	Tobias Enstrom
NHL 1 st Star of the Week – Oct. 29-Nov.4	Ilya Kovalchuk

McCollister's Transportation Mover of the Month	
Month	Player
October 2007	Ilya Kovalchuk
November 2007	Tobias Enstrom
December 2007	Kari Lehtonen

Atlanta Thrashers Shootout Statistics

Shootout Success

The Thrashers have appeared in five shootouts this season, posting a 4-1 record in those contests ... **Ilya Kovalchuk** leads the Thrashers with three goals on four shots ... Kovalchuk has two of the Thrashers four shootout-deciding goals, while **Slava Kozlov** and **Marian Hossa** have recorded one each.

2007-08 Thrashers Shootout Stats				
Player	Goals	Attempts	Percent	GWG
Ilya Kovalchuk	3	4	75%	2
Slava Kozlov	3	5	60%	1
Bryan Little	1	1	100%	0
Marian Hossa	1	4	25%	1

2007-08 Thrashers Goaltender Shootout Stats					
Goalie	Wins	Losses	GA	Shots	Save %
Johan Hedberg	2	1	3	8	.625
Kari Lehtonen	2	0	0	4	1.000

Thrashers Career Shootout Stats				
Player	Goals	Attempts	Percent	GWG
Slava Kozlov	15	23	65%	8
Marian Hossa	9	23	39%	4
Ilya Kovalchuk	5	18	28%	2
Todd White	2	4	50%	1
Jim Slater	1	1	100%	0
Bryan Little	1	1	100%	0
Eric Perrin	0	4	0%	0

Thrashers Career Shootout Goaltender Stats					
Goalie	Wins	Losses	GA	Shots	Save %
Kari Lehtonen	14	4	13	54	.759
Johan Hedberg	6	1	6	25	.760

Atlanta Thrashers Player Game by Game

Date	Opp	EXELBY # 2	MCCARTHY # 5	POPOVIC # 7	RECCHI # 8	DUPUIS # 9	LITTLE # 10	PERRIN # 11
Oct 5	Vs WSH	0-0 0/-2 17:08	0-0 1/-1 16:22	DND	PIT	0-0 0/-1 13:01	1-0 3/1 13:36	0-0 5/-1 11:46
Oct 6	@ T.B	0-0 0/0 20:31	0-0 0/-1 15:47	DND	PIT	0-0 1/0 16:02	0-0 0/0 17:09	0-0 0/-1 13:59
Oct 10	Vs OTT	0-0 1/-1 18:17	0-0 0/-1 18:00	DND	PIT	0-0 1/1 16:51	0-0 3/0 12:47	0-0 1/-1 12:51
Oct 11	@ BUF	0-0 0/0 17:08	0-0 5/-2 21:50	0-0 2/0 15:55	PIT	0-0 2/0 13:50	0-0 1/0 15:05	0-0 2/-1 16:20
Oct 13	Vs N.J	1-0 2/1 17:59	0-0 1/-2 17:15	DND	PIT	0-0 0/1 10:12	0-1 2/1 13:49	0-0 2/0 15:08
Oct 16	@ PHI	0-0 0/-1 19:00	0-0 3/-1 17:24	DND	PIT	0-0 1/-1 13:14	0-0 4/0 13:25	0-0 2/-2 20:13
Oct 18	Vs NYR	0-1 0/2 21:37	0-0 0/0 12:45	DND	PIT	1-0 3/1 18:27	1-0 (W) 4/1 14:07	0-1 1/1 16:53
Oct 20	@ T.B	0-0 1/0 24:43	0-0 0/-2 17:18	DND	PIT	0-0 2/-2 13:28	0-1 4/0 14:34	0-0 2/0 17:30
Oct 23	@ TOR	0-0 0/-1 21:31	0-0 0/0 13:59	DND	PIT	0-0 4/-1 13:46	0-0 4/0 19:19	1-2 3/2 19:23
Oct 25	@ NSH	0-0 3/-1 19:05	0-0 0/-2 17:09	DND	PIT	0-0 0/-2 14:28	0-0 0/-1 17:01	0-0 0/-1 16:19
Oct 27	@ CHI	0-0 0/0 21:23	DND	0-0 0/0 10:35	PIT	DND	0-0 0/1 16:06	0-0 1/0 17:02
Oct 30	@ MTL	0-0 0/1 24:20	DND	0-0 0/0 11:11	PIT	0-0 3/1 14:20	0-0 2/0 17:59	1-0 1/1 18:09
Nov 1	@ OTT	0-0 1/0 20:50	DND	0-0 0/-2 15:35	PIT	0-0 0/-3 13:21	0-0 2/-2 16:56	1-1 2/0 17:38
Nov 3	@ T.B	0-0 1/2 21:00	DND	0-0 0/0 11:43	PIT	1-0 (W) 2/0 10:30	0-2 0/2 15:13	0-1 1/2 20:33
Nov 6	Vs WSH	0-1 0/1 20:16	DND	0-0 1/1 13:14	PIT	0-0 1/0 15:15	0-1 1/1 19:49	0-0 1/1 19:50
Nov 9	@ FLA	0-0 0/0 14:49	DND	0-1 2/1 13:01	PIT	0-0 3/0 13:37	0-0 2/0 16:29	0-1 0/1 18:33
Nov 10	Vs CAR	INJ	0-0 1/-1 13:23	0-0 4/-1 13:26	PIT	0-0 0/-1 14:25	0-0 3/0 15:59	1-1 3/2 14:23
Nov 13	Vs FLA	INJ	0-0 0/0 12:20	0-0 1/0 13:08	PIT	0-0 2/0 14:13	0-0 2/-2 19:48	0-0 4/-2 18:10
Nov 16	@ CAR	0-0 0/0 22:23	DND	0-0 0/0 11:36	PIT	0-0 3/0 18:10	0-0 1/0 14:52	0-0 2/0 16:08
Nov 19	Vs T.B	0-0 1/1 20:23	DND	0-0 0/0 12:33	PIT	0-1 2/0 15:47	1-0 4/0 15:19	0-0 1/0 15:31
Nov 21	@ WSH	0-0 0/0 19:09	DND	0-0 0/1 16:04	PIT	0-1 3/2 16:18	0-0 2/0 12:11	1-1 2/1 14:19
Nov 23	Vs N.J	0-0 0/-1 19:52	DND	0-0 1/0 14:55	PIT	0-0 2/0 14:28	0-0 4/0 15:44	0-0 1/0 15:09
Nov 24	@ PIT	0-0 1/0 21:51	DND	0-0 0/-2 15:48	PIT	0-0 1/-1 14:21	0-0 0/0 16:35	0-0 1/0 16:46
Nov 29	Vs TOR	0-0 0/-1 20:06	DND	0-0 1/-1 16:19	PIT	0-0 3/-1 13:24	0-0 1/-1 16:06	0-0 0/-1 15:21
Dec 1	@ NYI	0-0 0/1 19:27	DND	0-0 0/0 15:53	PIT	0-1 3/1 15:11	0-0 1/0 13:32	0-0 2/0 13:00
Dec 2	@ N.J	0-0 1/0 22:15	DND	0-0 0/-1 13:17	PIT	0-0 3/0 13:24	0-1 0/1 12:57	0-0 0/0 11:36
Dec 5	Vs NYI	0-0 0/1 20:09	0-0 0/0 10:04	INJ	PIT	1-0 1/0 12:56	0-0 0/0 13:09	0-2 1/2 18:35
Dec 7	Vs NYR	0-0 0/0 20:10	0-1 0/0 17:37	INJ	PIT	1-0 1/2 14:27	0-0 1/0 8:56	0-0 1/0 14:11
Dec 8	@ WSH	0-0 0/-4 19:06	0-0 2/-1 16:59	INJ	DND	0-0 2/-3 15:46	0-0 0/0 13:57	0-0 1/0 16:01
Dec 12	Vs BOS	0-0 1/-1 23:40	0-0 0/-2 7:19	INJ	2-0 3/-1 17:08	0-0 0/-3 15:47	MIN	0-1 3/0 17:47
Dec 14	Vs TOR	0-0 0/-1 21:20	0-0 1/-1 15:11	INJ	0-0 3/0 16:21	0-0 1/0 11:52	MIN	0-0 5/-2 19:59
Dec 15	@ OTT	0-0 1/-2 18:57	0-0 0/-2 17:57	INJ	0-1 2/-2 18:41	0-0 0/0 14:10	MIN	1-0 2/-2 21:38
Dec 18	Vs T.B	1-0 1/3 18:33	0-2 0/3 19:31	INJ	1-0 2/1 18:16	1-0 2/2 14:07	MIN	0-2 1/1 20:08
Dec 20	Vs OTT	0-0 2/0 12:38	0-0 0/0 11:56	INJ	0-1 4/-1 19:42	0-0 1/1 10:23	MIN	0-0 1/-1 23:31
Dec 22	Vs MTL	0-0 0/-1 15:18	0-0 0/-1 15:08	INJ	0-1 2/0 19:41	0-0 1/0 14:22	MIN	1-1 4/1 22:56
Dec 23	@ STL	0-0 0/0 13:58	0-0 0/0 14:10	INJ	1-1 2/0 16:14	0-0 1/0 14:54	MIN	0-1 2/0 18:19
Dec 26	@ CBJ	0-0 1/0 15:39	0-0 0/0 14:11	INJ	0-0 0/0 16:59	0-0 1/0 15:39	MIN	0-0 1/0 20:39
Dec 27	Vs FLA	0-0 1/-1 14:47	0-0 0/-1 15:13	DND	1-0 2/-3 18:57	0-0 2/0 14:24	MIN	0-0 1/-1 22:04
Dec 29	Vs BOS	0-0 1/0 19:32	0-0 0/0 17:18	DND	0-1 2/1 16:37	1-1 2/2 16:02	MIN	0-1 1/1 17:14
Dec 31	@ BOS	0-0 0/0 15:16	0-1 0/0 15:05	DND	0-0 2/-1 17:50	0-0 4/1 12:35	MIN	0-0 1/-1 18:29
Jan 2	@ CAR	0-0 0/0 16:54	0-0 0/0 12:58	DND	1-1 2/0 19:25	0-0 1/0 14:58	MIN	0-0 0/0 19:50
Jan 4	Vs CAR	0-0 0/-1 19:20	0-0 1/0 12:37	DND	1-1 2/1 14:16	1-0 4/1 14:45	MIN	0-1 0/1 20:59

date	Opp	WHITE # 12	KOZLOV # 13	HOLIK # 16	KOVALCHUK # 17	HOSSA # 18	RUCCHIN # 20	STERLING # 21
Oct 5	Vs WSH	0-0 2/1 20:16	0-0 3/0 18:48	0-0 2/0 14:25	0-1 3/1 21:39	0-0 2/0 22:00	INJ	0-0 0/-1 13:31
Oct 6	@ T.B	0-1 0/1 16:09	1-0 2/0 16:37	0-0 2/-1 13:29	0-0 2/0 19:54	1-0 3/-1 17:24	INJ	0-0 0/0 14:04
Oct 10	Vs OTT	0-0 0/-1 21:23	0-0 2/0 16:57	0-0 4/1 16:18	1-0 4/-1 21:24	INJ	INJ	0-0 0/-2 17:24
Oct 11	@ BUF	0-0 2/0 20:15	0-0 0/0 15:17	0-0 3/-3 12:39	0-0 0/0 18:46	INJ	INJ	0-0 0/-1 13:00
Oct 13	Vs N.J	0-1 0/-1 20:03	0-1 0/0 13:40	1-1 1/1 12:55	2-0 3/-1 19:14	INJ	INJ	0-1 1/2 11:15
Oct 16	@ PHI	0-0 0/-1 19:10	0-0 1/-3 18:07	0-0 1/-1 10:57	0-0 3/-1 21:38	0-0 4/-2 20:03	INJ	0-0 0/0 8:40
Oct 18	Vs NYR	1-1 3/1 13:40	1-0 2/0 16:38	0-1 0/1 14:22	0-1 3/0 20:41	1-1 3/0 22:48	INJ	0-0 1/1 10:01
Oct 20	@ T.B	0-0 0/-1 17:18	0-0 1/0 17:28	0-0 1/0 9:45	1-0 5/-2 20:08	0-0 1/0 24:34	INJ	1-0 1/1 11:06
Oct 23	@ TOR	1-1 2/0 23:21	0-0 4/-1 21:09	0-0 2/0 18:25	1-2 6/2 26:35	0-0 2/0 24:08	INJ	0-1 4/1 13:05
Oct 25	@ NSH	0-0 1/0 18:18	0-0 0/0 14:36	0-0 0/-1 12:24	0-0 2/-1 20:43	0-0 4/-1 21:08	INJ	0-0 2/-2 12:11
Oct 27	@ CHI	0-0 2/0 23:19	2-0 (W) 3/0 15:51	0-0 2/0 12:03	1-2 5/1 19:38	0-0 5/0 24:56	INJ	DND
Oct 30	@ MTL	0-0 3/1 21:52	1-0 3/1 18:44	0-0 0/1 17:10	0-0 6/0 23:50	0-0 8/1 21:28	INJ	DND
Nov 1	@ OTT	0-0 0/0 17:45	0-2 2/-3 19:30	0-0 0/-3 17:37	3-0 5/-1 22:45	0-1 3/-1 22:10	INJ	DND
Nov 3	@ T.B	0-1 0/1 22:34	0-1 1/0 17:07	0-0 2/-2 16:40	3-1 4/3 26:17	1-1 3/2 22:53	INJ	DND
Nov 6	Vs WSH	1-0 (W) 5/1 22:28	0-1 2/1 22:21	0-0 0/0 17:15	1-0 3/1 9:02	0-0 3/0 23:11	INJ	MIN
Nov 9	@ FLA	0-0 0/-1 17:37	1-0 5/1 18:40	0-2 1/1 17:23	1-1 2/-1 24:06	1-1 3/-1 21:18	INJ	MIN
Nov 10	Vs CAR	0-1 2/-1 19:46	0-1 0/1 16:57	0-0 2/-1 18:06	0-0 5/-1 28:25	2-0 7/0 23:47	INJ	MIN
Nov 13	Vs FLA	1-1 2/2 19:09	0-0 2/-1 21:52	0-0 2/0 17:13	1-2 (W) 6/1 26:44	1-1 4/1 23:23	INJ	MIN
Nov 16	@ CAR	0-2 2/2 17:54	0-0 1/0 15:40	0-0 0/1 19:33	1-1 4/3 20:52	2-1 (W) 6/3 19:53	INJ	MIN
Nov 19	Vs T.B	1-0 (W) 1/0 21:27	0-1 0/0 19:10	0-1 4/-1 17:57	1-1 4/0 29:53	0-2 2/0 24:51	INJ	MIN
Nov 21	@ WSH	0-0 0/0 19:19	0-0 1/0 15:00	1-0 (W) 1/1 15:39	2-2 4/3 21:20	0-2 5/1 20:10	INJ	MIN
Nov 23	Vs N.J	0-0 0/-1 20:59	0-0 2/-1 19:27	0-0 1/-1 17:35	0-0 3/-1 28:11	0-0 4/-1 25:15	INJ	MIN
Nov 24	@ PIT	0-0 1/-1 16:47	0-0 6/0 16:42	0-0 3/-1 18:05	0-0 2/-1 21:07	0-0 1/-1 21:19	INJ	MIN
Nov 29	Vs TOR	0-0 0/-2 21:17	0-0 1/0 15:37	0-0 1/-1 16:11	1-0 1/-2 24:45	0-1 6/-1 22:05	INJ	MIN
Dec 1	@ NYI	0-0 2/2 18:14	1-0 3/1 17:06	0-1 0/1 15:04	1-1 (W) 6/2 21:46	1-0 6/2 22:32	INJ	MIN
Dec 2	@ N.J	1-0 3/-2 24:00	0-0 1/0 15:39	0-0 1/0 14:45	1-0 5/-1 26:54	0-1 3/-2 24:33	INJ	MIN
Dec 5	Vs NYI	0-0 1/1 23:37	0-0 1/0 17:05	0-0 3/-1 17:13	1-0 5/0 27:21	1-1 1/2 28:23	INJ	MIN
Dec 7	Vs NYR	0-1 2/-1 19:29	1-1 (W) 2/2 15:40	0-1 3/1 16:37	0-0 3/-1 20:52	1-0 1/-1 21:09	INJ	MIN
Dec 8	@ WSH	2-0 2/-1 15:32	0-1 1/1 16:38	1-0 2/0 12:58	0-2 5/-2 21:38	0-1 1/-1 18:18	INJ	MIN
Dec 12	Vs BOS	0-0 2/-1 23:01	0-1 1/0 14:43	0-0 0/-4 14:56	1-0 4/-1 23:40	0-2 6/-3 24:04	INJ	MIN
Dec 14	Vs TOR	0-0 3/-2 19:56	0-0 0/-2 16:04	0-0 2/-1 13:25	0-0 4/-3 19:28	0-0 1/-2 19:16	INJ	MIN
Dec 15	@ OTT	0-1 0/-2 14:24	0-1 1/-3 11:55	0-0 4/0 12:50	2-0 6/-1 23:00	0-2 2/-1 21:33	INJ	MIN
Dec 18	Vs T.B	0-0 1/2 17:31	1-0 (W) 3/1 15:56	0-1 2/1 13:52	1-1 4/1 17:00	0-1 5/0 19:14	INJ	MIN
Dec 20	Vs OTT	1-0 (W) 5/-1 16:22	0-0 1/-1 20:11	0-1 4/1 14:05	1-0 5/0 24:36	0-0 5/-1 25:07	INJ	MIN
Dec 22	Vs MTL	0-0 1/-1 15:45	1-0 3/1 18:11	0-0 2/-1 16:38	0-0 4/-1 23:35	0-2 3/1 22:30	INJ	MIN
Dec 23	@ STL	0-0 1/0 17:54	0-0 2/-1 17:04	0-0 2/0 15:20	1-0 3/0 18:56	1-1 (W) 4/0 20:33	INJ	MIN
Dec 26	@ CBJ	0-0 2/0 15:52	0-0 2/0 17:01	0-0 1/0 14:54	0-0 2/0 23:53	0-0 4/0 23:04	INJ	MIN
Dec 27	Vs FLA	0-1 5/-3 17:43	0-0 1/-1 16:13	0-1 1/1 14:59	2-1 4/-2 24:03	0-0 7/-3 21:00	INJ	MIN
Dec 29	Vs BOS	0-1 1/1 19:08	1-0 (W) 3/1 15:15	1-1 1/2 15:34	1-1 5/1 20:22	0-0 5/1 18:02	INJ	MIN
Dec 31	@ BOS	0-1 1/0 19:10	0-0 3/-1 14:40	1-0 2/0 14:31	0-1 5/-1 22:35	0-0 2/-1 23:04	INJ	MIN
Jan 2	@ CAR	0-1 1/-1 19:59	1-0 3/1 16:19	1-0 1/1 17:28	1-3 1/0 21:53	1-0 (W) 1/0 22:09	INJ	MIN
Jan 4	Vs CAR	1-1 3/1 16:33	0-0 1/0 13:56	0-0 2/-1 14:04	0-1 1/0 17:19	0-0 3/0 22:07	INJ	MIN

Skaters: Goals-Assists (GameWinning or GameTying) Shots / (+/-) TOI Goalies: Goals Allowed / Shots Decision Minutes Played

date	Opp	KLEE # 22	SLATER # 23	THORBURN # 27	HAVELID # 28	LARSEN # 29	BOULTON # 36	HAYDAR # 38
Oct 5	Vs WSH	0-0 1/-1 14:17	0-0 0/-1 9:02	DND	0-0 2/1 24:38	0-0 0/-1 7:21	0-0 0/-1 2:57	MIN
Oct 6	@ T.B	0-0 0/0 18:35	0-0 0/-1 10:48	DND	0-0 2/-1 22:40	0-0 0/-2 10:20	0-0 1/-1 6:55	MIN
Oct 10	Vs OTT	0-0 1/-2 19:05	0-0 3/0 11:08	0-0 2/0 4:42	0-0 0/1 20:35	0-0 1/0 17:51	0-0 1/0 5:30	MIN
Oct 11	@ BUF	DND	0-0 0/-2 12:20	DND	0-0 2/-1 23:59	0-0 0/-2 13:50	0-0 1/0 6:37	0-0 0/0 6:37
Oct 13	Vs N.J	0-1 0/3 14:57	0-0 0/-2 14:32	DND	0-1 0/0 26:13	0-0 1/0 16:13	0-1 1/0 9:53	1-1 1/2 10:21
Oct 16	@ PHI	0-0 4/-1 17:11	0-0 2/-1 11:51	DND	0-0 1/-2 18:24	0-0 1/0 10:07	DND	0-0 0/0 13:09
Oct 18	Vs NYR	0-0 1/1 20:59	0-0 3/0 10:40	DND	0-0 0/2 19:51	0-1 2/1 10:26	DND	0-1 0/1 8:11
Oct 20	@ T.B	0-0 1/0 23:49	0-0 0/0 10:40	DND	0-1 0/0 16:43	0-0 0/-1 6:28	DND	0-0 1/-1 12:31
Oct 23	@ TOR	0-0 0/0 21:49	0-0 0/0 4:28	DND	0-0 3/0 22:45	DND	0-0 0/0 3:04	0-1 1/1 5:48
Oct 25	@ NSH	0-0 2/-1 17:47	0-0 1/0 8:42	DND	0-0 2/0 22:27	DND	0-0 0/-1 8:38	0-0 1/0 13:31
Oct 27	@ CHI	0-0 0/0 22:42	0-0 0/0 6:42	0-0 0/0 7:40	0-0 0/1 22:18	0-0 0/0 9:15	0-0 1/0 7:06	0-1 2/1 13:14
Oct 30	@ MTL	0-0 2/2 22:51	0-0 1/0 5:46	0-0 0/0 6:31	0-0 1/0 22:07	DND	0-0 0/0 6:02	0-0 1/0 15:33
Nov 1	@ OTT	0-0 2/0 19:47	0-0 0/0 7:35	0-0 0/0 6:44	0-0 1/-1 14:18	DND	0-0 1/0 8:01	0-1 0/-1 15:07
Nov 3	@ T.B	0-0 2/0 19:20	0-0 2/0 5:56	0-0 2/0 6:05	0-0 2/0 22:59	0-1 0/0 8:45	0-0 1/0 6:31	DND
Nov 6	Vs WSH	0-1 1/0 17:40	0-0 1/0 7:59	0-0 1/0 6:11	0-0 2/1 24:26	0-0 1/0 9:00	0-0 1/0 4:31	DND
Nov 9	@ FLA	0-0 0/1 22:51	0-1 2/1 9:04	1-0 (W) 2/1 7:28	0-0 0/-1 20:27	0-0 2/0 11:19	0-0 0/1 9:18	DND
Nov 10	Vs CAR	0-1 2/1 18:26	0-0 0/1 6:52	0-0 1/0 6:36	0-0 1/0 20:22	0-0 0/-1 9:26	0-0 1/0 5:33	DND
Nov 13	Vs FLA	0-0 1/-2 19:38	0-0 0/0 6:15	0-0 0/0 5:53	0-0 2/2 20:23	0-0 1/0 10:50	0-0 1/0 5:55	DND
Nov 16	@ CAR	0-0 0/0 20:00	0-0 1/0 8:20	0-0 1/0 8:00	0-0 0/3 19:56	0-0 2/0 11:47	0-0 1/0 8:37	DND
Nov 19	Vs T.B	0-0 0/0 21:45	0-0 0/0 7:35	0-0 0/-1 6:25	0-1 0/-1 19:37	1-0 2/0 9:58	0-0 0/-1 5:50	DND
Nov 21	@ WSH	0-0 0/0 20:14	0-0 1/0 8:34	0-0 2/0 6:51	1-1 3/2 19:42	0-0 0/1 13:53	0-0 0/0 7:42	DND
Nov 23	Vs N.J	0-0 0/-1 18:49	0-0 0/0 4:15	0-0 1/-1 4:40	0-0 2/-1 21:38	0-0 0/-1 10:00	0-0 0/0 4:55	DND
Nov 24	@ PIT	0-0 1/0 20:00	0-0 2/-1 10:41	0-0 2/-1 8:29	0-0 0/-1 17:21	0-0 2/-1 11:48	0-0 3/-1 9:31	DND
Nov 29	Vs TOR	0-0 0/0 19:02	0-0 0/0 8:54	0-0 0/0 8:19	0-1 0/-2 19:43	DND	0-0 1/0 5:20	0-1 2/0 16:35
Dec 1	@ NYI	0-0 0/0 20:53	0-1 2/1 10:55	0-1 0/1 10:36	0-2 0/4 14:14	DND	1-0 1/1 9:44	0-0 2/0 12:09
Dec 2	@ N.J	0-0 0/0 23:24	0-0 0/0 9:31	0-0 1/0 9:50	0-0 2/0 26:00	DND	0-0 2/0 8:53	0-1 1/1 9:06
Dec 5	Vs NYI	0-0 1/1 20:35	0-0 1/-1 6:45	0-0 1/-1 7:35	0-1 1/-1 17:44	DND	0-0 2/-1 7:44	0-0 2/0 11:36
Dec 7	Vs NYR	0-0 1/0 19:21	0-2 3/2 11:35	0-1 1/1 12:37	0-0 0/2 21:05	DND	1-0 1/1 10:17	0-0 0/0 10:00
Dec 8	@ WSH	0-0 1/-3 17:55	0-0 2/-3 11:23	0-0 1/0 10:40	0-1 0/0 18:42	DND	0-0 1/-3 10:51	0-0 0/0 14:40
Dec 12	Vs BOS	0-0 1/0 24:19	0-0 0/0 5:40	0-0 0/0 10:31	0-0 1/-1 23:10	0-0 0/-1 4:38	0-0 0/0 4:33	DND
Dec 14	Vs TOR	0-0 0/-1 21:43	0-0 2/0 10:39	0-0 0/-1 12:27	0-0 0/-1 19:00	0-0 1/0 8:46	0-0 1/0 10:00	DND
Dec 15	@ OTT	0-0 0/-2 17:55	0-0 1/-1 10:42	0-0 3/0 9:19	0-0 0/0 15:20	0-0 0/0 10:04	0-0 0/0 10:35	MIN
Dec 18	Vs T.B	0-0 0/2 20:07	0-0 1/1 8:19	1-0 1/1 8:22	0-0 0/1 19:56	0-0 1/1 9:50	0-1 0/1 8:28	MIN
Dec 20	Vs OTT	0-1 1/2 17:55	0-1 4/1 8:31	0-1 1/1 7:52	0-0 0/-2 18:58	0-0 0/0 9:51	1-0 2/1 6:59	MIN
Dec 22	Vs MTL	0-0 0/0 19:32	0-0 3/-1 10:18	0-0 0/-1 9:06	0-0 0/0 23:06	0-0 1/0 10:57	0-0 2/-1 8:55	MIN
Dec 23	@ STL	0-0 1/-1 20:06	0-0 2/0 11:04	0-0 2/0 9:59	0-1 0/1 20:31	0-0 0/0 10:46	0-0 1/0 10:12	MIN
Dec 26	@ CBJ	0-0 0/-1 18:39	0-0 0/-1 7:52	0-0 0/-1 6:16	0-0 2/0 22:59	0-0 0/0 9:48	0-0 0/-1 5:37	MIN
Dec 27	Vs FLA	0-1 1/1 19:06	0-0 4/0 7:03	0-0 1/0 6:34	0-0 0/-2 20:45	0-0 4/0 11:21	0-0 1/0 7:39	MIN
Dec 29	Vs BOS	0-0 0/3 17:32	INJ	0-0 1/0 8:42	0-0 0/1 18:10	0-0 1/0 9:35	0-0 1/0 9:46	MIN
Dec 31	@ BOS	0-0 0/0 19:04	INJ	0-0 1/0 10:18	0-0 0/-1 14:11	0-0 0/0 10:03	0-0 2/0 8:45	MIN
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Skaters: Goals-Assists (GameWinning or GameTying) Shots / (+/-) TOI Goalies: Goals Allowed / Shots Decision Minutes Played

date	Opp	ENSTROM # 39	DOELL # 45	STUART # 49	ZHITNIK # 77	HEDBERG # 1	LEHTONEN # 32	PAVELEC # 33
Oct 5	Vs WSH	0-0 3/0 19:38	MIN	MIN	0-1 2/1 29:16	DNP	3-40 L 59	MIN
Oct 6	@ T.B	0-1 0/-1 17:06	MIN	MIN	0-0 2/-1 24:53	5-34 L 60	DNP	MIN
Oct 10	Vs OTT	0-0 0/0 20:31	MIN	MIN	0-0 5/1 24:09	DNP	3-36 L 58	MIN
Oct 11	@ BUF	0-0 0/-2 22:47	MIN	MIN	0-0 0/-1 20:16	1/8 20	5-20 L 40	MIN
Oct 13	Vs N.J	0-0 2/1 16:53	MIN	MIN	0-1 0/-1 26:42	DNP	6-35 L 60	MIN
Oct 16	@ PHI	0-0 2/-1 21:48	MIN	MIN	0-0 2/-2 19:48	4-33 L 60	DNP	MIN
Oct 18	Vs NYR	0-1 2/0 19:06	MIN	MIN	0-0 0/1 17:46	3-27 W 48	0/9 12	MIN
Oct 20	@ T.B	0-0 0/1 18:06	MIN	MIN	0-0 0/-3 16:08	5-24 L 40	INJ	1/6 20
Oct 23	@ TOR	1-0 1/2 28:05	MIN	MIN	0-0 0/0 14:17	4-36 W 65	INJ	DNP
Oct 25	@ NSH	0-0 1/0 24:49	MIN	MIN	0-0 1/-2 14:58	2-33 L 60	INJ	DNP
Oct 27	@ CHI	0-1 1/1 23:16	MIN	MIN	0-0 0/0 13:29	2-31 W 60	INJ	DNP
Oct 30	@ MTL	0-0 1/0 27:33	MIN	MIN	0-0 1/1 13:27	2-33 W 65	INJ	DNP
Nov 1	@ OTT	0-1 0/-1 24:44	MIN	MIN	0-0 0/-3 16:22	4-19 32	INJ	1-8L 27
Nov 3	@ T.B	1-0 1/2 25:25	MIN	MIN	0-0 0/0 14:01	DNP	INJ	4-34 W 60
Nov 6	Vs WSH	0-0 2/1 26:11	MIN	MIN	0-0 5/0 20:37	DNP	INJ	1-32 W 62
Nov 9	@ FLA	0-1 2/-1 21:09	MIN	MIN	0-0 1/2 20:56	DNP	INJ	1-37 W 60
Nov 10	Vs CAR	0-0 1/0 26:30	MIN	MIN	0-0 2/1 19:33	DNP	INJ	5-39 L 59
Nov 13	Vs FLA	0-1 2/2 26:50	MIN	MIN	0-0 1/-2 19:13	2-21 W 59	INJ	DNP
Nov 16	@ CAR	0-1 0/3 26:07	MIN	MIN	0-0 1/0 12:22	0-31 W 60	INJ	DNP
Nov 19	Vs T.B	0-1 1/-1 27:18	MIN	MIN	0-0 2/-1 14:37	3-20 W 62	INJ	DNP
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Nov 23	Vs N.J	0-0 0/-1 25:10	MIN	MIN	0-0 1/0 15:19	2-26 L 59	INJ	DNP
Nov 24	@ PIT	0-0 2/-1 23:05	MIN	MIN	0-0 0/-2 16:14	DNP	INJ	5-34 L 60
Nov 29	Vs TOR	1-0 2/-1 24:30	MIN	MIN	0-0 1/-1 15:31	4-25 L 59	MIN	DNP
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Dec 31	@ BOS	0-1 1/-1 22:29	MIN	1-0 4/1 10:35	0-0 2/0 25:11	DNP	5-37 L 60	MIN
Jan 2	@ CAR	0-1 0/1 26:51	MIN	0-0 1/0 13:16	0-0 0/0 20:59	4-36 W 64	DNP	MIN
Jan 4	Vs CAR	0-1 1/0 23:07	0-0 1/0 9:37	0-0 1/0 8:34	0-0 2/1 18:04	DNP	4-33 L 59	MIN

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General Information

Recent Buffalo Sabres Games

Last 5 BUF games: **0 - 3 - 2**

Last 10 BUF games: **5 - 3 - 2**

January 4: Ottawa 5 @ Buffalo 3

Goals: Kotalik, Hecht, Ryan

Goalie: Miller: 13 saves (30:30); Thibault, 9 saves (27:38)

Special Teams: PP: 1-3 --- PK: 1-2

Shots: Buffalo 39, Ottawa 27

January 1: Pittsburgh 2 @ Buffalo 1 (SO)

Goals: Campbell

Goalie: Miller: 24 saves

Special Teams: PP: 0-2 --- PK: 3-3

Shots: Buffalo 37, Pittsburgh 25

Buffalo Sabres Injuries/Transactions

Sabres Injury Report

Player	Injury	Dates Out	Missed Games
Ales Kotalik	Knee	10/5-10/6	2
Jaroslav Spacek	Shoulder	10/19-10/27; 11/02-11/07	8
Dmitri Kalinin	Knee	10/26-12/15	23
Nolan Pratt	Groin	11/05-11/10	4
Tim Connolly	Abdominal Strain	11/07-11/16	5
	Flu	12/21-12/22	2
Adam Mair	Ankle	11/07-11/28	10
Henrik Tallinder	Shoulder	11/26-12/12	8
Drew Stafford	Shoulder	11/23-11/26	3
	Concussion	12/28-1/1	3
Maxim Afinogenov	Groin	1/4-present	1
Total man-games lost:			69

RECENT TRANSACTIONS

December 30 - MacArthur returned to Rochester

December 28 - MacArthur recalled from Rochester

December 16 - Sekera returned to Rochester

December 1 - MacArthur returned to Rochester

Buffalo Sabres Notes

SUNDAYS ARE GOOD FOR SABRES: This is Buffalo's first of five Sunday games this season. Since the start of the 2001-02 season, the Sabres are 16-7-5 on Sundays. They are 7-2-2 over the past two seasons.

IT'S BEEN A WHILE: The Sabres come into today's game winless in their past five game (0-3-2). Buffalo's last win was a 6-5 shootout victory in Philadelphia on December 22. This is Buffalo's longest winless streak since going 0-5-1 from March 18-27/06. This has been a streaky season for the Sabres who have posted winning streaks of three, five and six games. They also have a pair of three-game losing skids to go with their current five-game drought.

ENROTH IS SECOND TO NONE: Sabres goaltending prospect Jhonas Enroth backstopped Sweden to a silver medal at the 2008 World Junior Championship that concluded on Saturday in the Czech Republic. Sweden lost an overtime thriller to Canada by a score of 3-2 in the Gold Medal Game. He finished the tournament with a record of 4-1, with a 2.33 GAA and .905 save percentage. Enroth was also in goal for Sweden's 4-3 win over Canada in the preliminary round that snapped Canada's 20-game winning streak in World Junior play. Enroth was Buffalo's second-round selection (46th overall) in the 2006 NHL Entry Draft. The 19-year-old currently plays for Sodertalje in the Swedish Elite League

MILLER TIME!: Ryan Miller has made 12 consecutive starts, and 16 of the past 17. Miller has actually played in 18 consecutive games after relieving starter Jocelyn Thibault in Los Angeles on Dec. 6. Miller is seven wins away from 100 for his NHL career.

CAREER MILESTONES IN SIGHT:

- Derek Roy is 3 assists from 100.
- Ales Kotalik is 4 assists from 100; 9 goals from 100.
- Jochen Hecht is 7 assists from 200.
- Ryan Miller is 7 wins away from 100.

WELCOME TO POMINVILLE: Jason Pominville took over the team lead in scoring on the strength of his career-best four-point (1+3) night in Philadelphia on December 22. Pominville now has nine goals and 23 assists in 39 games. His 14 points in December included 12 assists. Pominville had 10 points (5+5) in October, before slumping to just seven (2+5) in 13 November games.

GOAL RUSH: In their 19 wins this season, Buffalo has scored 85 goals while allowing just 36. This is an average of 4.5 goals for, and 1.9 goals against. They have outscored the opposition 19-8 in the 1st period; 31-17 in the 2nd; and 31-11 in the 3rd period. (The Sabres are also 3-1 in overtime this season, and 1-1 in shootouts.) Buffalo has scored 3+ goals in a period 13 times this season. The opposition has scored 3+ goals just once, and two goals six times.

LET'S PLAY TWO: The Sabres have 20 sets of back-to-back games this season, tied with Chicago for most in the NHL. Buffalo is 4-7 in the first game, and 5-6 in the second. In the 11 sets they have played to date, they have swept both games four times; been swept six times; and split the other.

BLUELINE COMBO: When Nolan Pratt and Toni Lydman scored for Buffalo in their 5-3 win over the New York Islanders on Dec. 12, it was the first time in 47 games that a pair of Sabres defensemen scored in the same game. Lydman and Nathan Paetsch were the last blueliners to accomplish this feat on March 3/07 at Toronto. Ironically, that was also Lydman's last goal before finding the net on Wednesday.

A STRANGE COINCIDENCE? Toni Lydman isn't the only Sabre with a connection to March 3 of last season. That was also the same date that Nolan Pratt scored his last goal, prior to getting the Sabres on the board first on Dec. 12. Pratt was a member of the Tampa Bay Lightning at the time, and goal was Tampa's first in a 6-2 loss at Florida.

SHOOTING RANGE: Buffalo fired 41 shots in a 5-3 win over the NY Islanders on Dec. 12, the fifth time this season they have taken 40 or more shots in a game. The Sabres have a record of 3-2 in these games, with both losses coming against Boston.

THIS IS NO JOCH-EN: Jochen Hecht played in his 500th regular-season game on Dec. 8 in San Jose. Hecht is the third player born-and-trained in Germany to play at least 500 games in the NHL, joining former Sabres defenseman Uwe Krupp (729 games) and the Bruins' Marco Sturm (708). Two former NHL players who were born in Germany but raised in Canada appeared in 500-plus games: Walt Tkaczuk (945) and Willie Huber (629).

TOPPING THE CENTURY MARK: Buffalo scored their 100th goal of the season on December 19. Last season, Buffalo reached the 100-goal plateau in their 22nd game on Nov. 22 vs. Toronto.

ROCK THE VOTE: The fifth round of XM/NHL All-Star Fan Balloting is in, and the five Sabres on the ballot continue to trail at each position. Brian Campbell's 176,262 votes lead all Sabres, and he remains third among defensemen; Henrik Tallinder is 12th with 75,016. Goaltender Ryan Miller is fifth among goaltenders with 76,824. Maxim Afinogenov is ninth among forwards with 95,632, and Thomas Vanek is in 18th with 50,335. The 2008 NHL All-Star Game is Sunday, January 27 in Atlanta.

STREAKY STARTS: After giving up the first goal in 14 straight games (Oct. 13-Nov. 15), the Sabres scored had first in eight consecutive contests (Nov. 16-Dec. 5). By allowing the first goal in 14 straight, Buffalo fell three shy of the dubious all-time record set by the 1974-75 Washington Capitals. Buffalo started the season by scoring first in each of their first three games.

CLIMBING THE CHARTS: With his 3-0 win in Montreal on Nov. 24, Sabres netminder Jocelyn Thibault now has 38 career shutouts, and has moved past Evgeni Nabokov for sole possession of fourth place among active goaltenders. He trails only Martin Brodeur, Dominik Hasek and Chris Osgood. Thibault's single-season high was eight shutouts with Chicago in 2002-03. Thibault posted 27 of his 38 shutouts with Chicago from 1998-2004.

LAST GOAL WINS: In three of Buffalo's wins, they never held the lead in the game until the final buzzer sounded -- Oct. 15 vs TOR; Oct. 27 vs. TB; Nov. 7 vs BOS. All three were overtime decisions where Buffalo was trailing or tied throughout the game. The 2006-07 Minnesota Wild hold the NHL record with seven wins in a season when they did not lead during regulation. The Wild played in 25 overtime games last season.

A MILESTONE FOR RUFF: Sabres coach Lindy Ruff reached an NHL milestone by coaching in his 750th NHL game on Nov. 2 against Florida. Ruff is the 31st coach to reach the 750-game milestone, and is ninth on the list of games coached for one team, with all 750 coming with Buffalo. The top five all-time leaders in games coached are: former Sabres coach Scotty Bowman, 2141; Al Arbour, 1607; Dick Irvin, 1449; Pat Quinn, 1318 and Mike Keenan, 1233.

HONOR ROLL: Following are the players who have worn the "C" and "A" each month this season under Buffalo's rotating captaincy system:

October: Jochen Hecht - captain; Toni Lydman, Henrik Tallinder - alternates

November: Lydman - captain; Brian Campbell, Hecht - alternates

December: Brian Campbell - captain; Jaroslav Spacek, Hecht - alternates

January: Spacek - captain; Jason Pominville, Hecht - alternates

SABRES MILESTONES:

- Thomas Vanek played in his 200th career NHL game on Dec. 29.
- Nathan Paetsch played in his 100th career NHL game on Dec. 28.
- Maxim Afinogenov played in his 500th game of his NHL career on Dec. 26.
- Nov. 2 vs. Florida was the 750th game of Lindy Ruff's coaching career.
- Ales Kotalik played in the 300th game of his career on Nov. 1.
- Maxim Afinogenov scored his 300th career point on Dec. 14.
- Tim Connolly played the 400th game of his NHL career on Oct. 27.
- Jochen Hecht's goal on Oct. 26 was the 300th point of his NHL career.

YOUTH IS SERVED: Based on opening night rosters, Buffalo is the youngest team in the Eastern Conference with an average age of 26.8 years old. This ties them with Columbus for the second-youngest team in the entire NHL, trailing only Edmonton and Phoenix at 26.6 years old

DO YOU FEEL THAT DRAFT?: 10 of the 22 players on Buffalo's current roster were first or second round draft selections: **Drew Stafford** (2004, 1st), **Thomas Vanek** (2003, 1st), **Daniel Paille** (2002, 1st), **Derek Roy** (2001, 2nd), **Jason Pominville** (2001, 2nd), **Tim Connolly** (1999, 1st), **Dmitri Kalinin** (1998, 1st), **Andrew Peters** (1998, 2nd), **Henrik Tallinder** (1997, 2nd), **Jocelyn Thibault** (1993, 1st). Injured defenseman **Teppo Numminen** was a 2nd-round choice by Winnipeg in 1986.

REGIER AND RUFF NOW ON TOP: Sabres GM Darcy Regier and head coach Lindy Ruff are now the longest-tenured GM/head coach tandem among the four major professional team sports. Entering this season, Regier and Ruff trailed only Bobby Cox/John Schuerholz (Atlanta Braves, 1990) and Tony LaRussa/Walt Jocketty (St. Louis Cardinals, 1995) in terms of combined longevity. However, Jocketty was fired by the Cardinals on October 3, and Schuerholz stepped down as GM of the Braves on October 11 to become team president. Both Regier and Ruff joined the Sabres organization in 1997. During their tenure the Sabres have advanced to the Eastern Conference Finals four times in the past 10 seasons, joining Colorado (5) and Detroit (4) as the only teams with four or more Conference Finals appearances since 1997.

ERASING TWO-GOAL DEFICITS

The Sabres rallied from eight two-goal deficits in 2005-06, and nine two-goal deficits last season. They have done it twice in the 2007-08 season:

- *October 15:* Trailing 2-0 after two periods, Buffalo scores four times in the 3rd period to eventually force overtime. Paul Gaustad gets credit for the GW/OT goal when Bryan McCabe swats the puck into his own net.
- *October 27:* Tampa Bay jumps out to a 2-0 lead before the Sabres tie the score late in the 2nd. After tying the score at 3-3 late in the 3rd period, Thomas Vanek wins the game at 4:19 of OT.

SABRES IN OVERTIME (3-1 this season; 62-67 all-time)

- Oct. 15: W 5-4 vs. Toronto (Gaustad, unassisted, 4:56)
- Oct. 27 W 4-3 @ Tampa Bay (Vanek, unassisted, 4:19)
- Nov. 1 L 4-3 @ Boston (Sturm, Ward/Metropolit, 4:07)
- Nov. 7 W 2-1 vs. Boston (MacArthur, Stafford/Lydman, 3:16)

SABRES SHOOTOUT STATS (1-2 this season; 16-11 all-time)

- Dec. 22: W 6-5 @ Philadelphia (shootout 1-0: **Kotalik-goal**, Afinogenov-save vs. Biron)
- Dec. 28: L 2-1 @ New Jersey (shootout 1-0: Kotalik-save, Connolly-save, Vanek-save vs. Brodeur)
- Jan. 1 L 2-1 vs. Pittsburgh (shootout 2-1: Kotalik-goal, Connolly-save, Afinogenov-save vs. Conklin)

SHOOTOUT STATS

Ales Kotalik	2 goals/3 shots (1 SDG)
Maxim Afinogenov	0 goal/2 shots
Tim Connolly	0 goal/2 shots
Thomas Vanek	0 goal/1 shot
Ryan Miller	3 goals allowed/8 shot attempts (.625%)

INDIVIDUAL GOAL SCORING BREAKDOWN

Player	1st	ES	PP	SH	1H	2H	HM	RD	Total	Record When Scoring
Afinogenov	1	6	1	-	7	-	2	5	7	6-0-1
Campbell	-	1	3	-	4	-	3	1	4	1-1-2
Connolly	-	3	1	1	5	-	3	2	5	5-0-0
Gaustad	-	1	5	-	6	-	1	2	6	3-1-1
Hecht	2	13	1	-	14	-	5	9	14	7-6-0
Kalinin	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	---
Kotalik	2	6	7	-	13	-	9	4	13	9-3-0
Lydman	-	1	-	-	1	-	1	-	1	1-0-0
Mair	-	4	-	-	4	-	4	-	4	3-1-0
Numminen	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	---
Paetsch	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	1	1	1-0-0
Paille	-	3	-	2	5	-	3	2	5	4-1-0
Peters	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	---
Pominville	1	7	1	1	9	-	5	4	9	7-1-0
Pratt	1	1	-	-	1	-	1	-	1	1-0-0
Roy	2	9	3	1	13	-	8	5	13	9-3-0
Ryan	1	3	-	-	3	-	2	1	3	2-1-0
Spacek	3	2	6	-	8	-	5	3	8	5-2-0
Stafford	1	8	-	-	8	-	5	3	8	5-3-0
Tallinder	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	---
Vanek	-	7	4	-	11	-	5	6	11	8-3-0
MacArthur	1	3	-	-	3	-	3	-	3	2-0-0
Sekera	-	1	-	-	1	-	1	-	1	0-1-0

MULTI-POINT GAMES

	2 pts.	3 pts.	4 pts.	5 pts.
Maxim Afinogenov	5	-	-	-
Brian Campbell	2	1	1	-
Tim Connolly	7	1	-	-
Paul Gaustad	3	-	-	-
Jochen Hecht	2	1	-	-
Dmitri Kalinin	-	-	-	-
Ales Kotalik	5	-	-	-
Toni Lydman	1	-	-	-
Adam Mair	-	-	-	-
Teppo Numminen	-	-	-	-
Nathan Paetsch	1	-	-	-
Daniel Paille	1	-	-	-
Andrew Peters	-	-	-	-
Jason Pominville	5	1	1	-
Derek Roy	8	-	-	-
Michael Ryan	1	-	-	-
Jaroslav Spacek	5	1	-	-
Drew Stafford	2	-	-	-
Henrik Tallinder	-	-	-	-
Thomas Vanek	6	-	-	-
Clarke MacArthur	1	-	-	-

SABRES POWER PLAY

	Goals	Attempts	%
Overall	33	175	18.9
Home	20	84	23.8
Road	13	91	14.3

SABRES RECORD WHEN	W-L-OT
Failing to Score a PP Goal	4-8-2
Scoring 1 PP Goal	9-9-0
Scoring 2 PP Goals	5-0-1
Scoring 3+ PP Goals	1-0-0

Most Power Play Opportunities: 8 (2x)

Last: Dec. 22 @ PHI (2/8) W 6-5 (SO)

Most Power Play Goals in a game: 3

Oct. 11 vs. ATL (3/8) W 6-0

SABRES PENALTY KILLING

	Goals	Disadvantages	%
Overall	28	170	83.5
Home	12	76	84.2
Road	16	94	83.0

SABRES RECORD WHEN	W-L-OT
Allowing 0 PP Goals	10-7-2
Allowing 1 PP Goal	8-6-1
Allowing 2 PP Goals	1-2-0
Allowing 3+ PP Goals	0-2-0

Most Disadvantages Faced: 10

Oct. 24 vs. CAR (1/10) L 6-2

Most Power Play Goals Against in a game: 4

Dec. 6 @ LA (4/6) L 8-2

Sabres Day-by-Day Record

Day	GP	W	L	OTL	SOL	GF	GA	PTS
Sun.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Mon.	4	2	2	0	0	9	11	4
Tue.	1	0	0	0	1	1	2	1
Wed.	8	4	4	-	-	22	26	8
Thurs.	4	1	2	1	0	13	15	3
Fri.	11	5	5	0	1	30	33	11
Sat.	11	7	4	0	0	43	25	14
Totals	39	19	17	1	2	118	112	41

Buffalo Sabres

Buffalo Sabres Player Game by Game

Date	Opp	PRATT # 4	LYDMAN # 5	SPACEK # 6	ROY # 9	TALLINDER # 10	KOTALIK # 12	CONNOLLY # 19
Oct 5	Vs NYI	-	0-0 1/2 18:42	1-1 1/1 21:58	1-0 3/1 22:55	0-0 0/-2 17:36	DND	0-0 4/0 17:57
Oct 6	@ NYI	-	0-0 0/0 2:39	1-0 2/0 26:50	0-0 3/0 19:28	0-0 0/-2 20:29	DND	0-1 2/0 20:56
Oct 11	Vs ATL	-	0-0 1/0 20:38	0-1 1/2 19:37	1-1 4/2 22:24	0-0 1/0 21:49	1-1 (W) 3/0 10:39	1-2 1/0 16:48
Oct 13	Vs WSH	-	0-1 3/2 16:30	2-0 4/1 21:26	2-0 3/3 21:05	0-1 2/2 18:13	0-2 1/0 14:53	0-1 5/2 19:57
Oct 15	Vs TOR	-	0-0 5/2 23:16	0-0 1/0 21:21	0-2 1/-1 22:06	0-0 0/2 22:40	0-0 7/0 21:38	0-2 3/1 23:26
Oct 19	Vs CBJ	-	0-0 0/-2 19:22	DND	0-0 3/-1 23:32	DND	0-0 3/0 15:30	0-0 2/-2 18:44
Oct 20	@ MTL	-	0-0 1/1 22:00	DND	1-0 4/-1 19:52	0-0 1/1 20:49	0-0 2/-1 15:26	0-1 3/0 17:44
Oct 24	@ CAR	-	0-0 0/-4 22:46	DND	0-1 1/-2 20:06	0-0 0/-4 24:05	0-0 1/-1 14:48	0-2 3/1 20:41
Oct 26	@ FLA	-	0-0 0/1 24:31	DND	0-0 2/-1 19:59	0-1 1/2 23:49	1-0 4/0 12:23	0-0 2/1 23:00
Oct 27	@ T.B	-	0-0 0/0 28:28	DND	0-0 2/1 18:37	0-0 0/-1 27:43	0-0 1/0 16:41	0-1 2/0 21:19
Nov 1	@ BOS	MIN	0-0 3/0 23:21	0-2 1/-2 22:59	0-0 1/-1 21:10	0-0 1/0 27:53	0-2 4/0 14:17	0-0 0/-2 19:28
Nov 2	Vs FLA	0-0 1/-1 13:27	0-0 1/0 18:50	DND	0-1 1/-3 17:07	0-1 1/0 19:29	0-0 1/0 17:43	0-1 0/0 17:29
Nov 5	@ MTL	DND	0-0 0/-1 20:00	DND	0-0 3/0 19:37	0-0 1/0 21:47	0-0 1/0 15:44	0-0 3/-2 21:33
Nov 7	Vs BOS	DND	0-1 3/1 22:28	INJ	0-1 0/-1 21:40	0-0 1/1 23:38	1-0 5/0 16:10	DND
Nov 9	Vs TOR	DND	0-0 0/-1 18:19	0-0 2/-2 24:22	0-0 3/-1 21:54	0-0 1/-1 19:12	0-0 4/0 16:09	DND
Nov 10	@ BOS	DND	0-1 1/1 18:03	0-0 2/0 24:08	0-0 5/-1 18:43	0-0 4/0 18:02	0-0 2/0 13:21	DND
Nov 15	@ OTT	0-1 1/1 10:21	0-0 1/0 18:53	0-0 3/-2 23:19	1-0 5/0 21:55	0-0 2/0 20:00	0-1 2/-1 12:15	DND
Nov 16	Vs MTL	0-1 0/1 13:24	0-0 0/0 23:14	0-0 2/1 21:52	0-1 1/2 21:08	0-0 1/1 24:37	0-0 1/0 13:02	DND
Nov 21	Vs OTT	0-0 1/1 12:52	0-0 1/0 20:05	0-0 0/1 24:50	1-1 (W) 2/2 21:43	0-0 0/0 20:25	1-0 1/0 12:32	0-0 4/0 13:47
Nov 23	Vs MTL	0-0 0/0 13:32	0-0 1/1 24:53	0-0 3/0 21:25	1-0 3/0 19:56	0-0 3/1 22:39	0-0 1/0 13:16	1-1 4/2 12:21
Nov 24	@ MTL	0-0 0/0 13:07	0-0 1/0 23:35	1-1 (W) 4/2 25:25	0-1 1/1 17:48	0-0 2/0 16:11	0-1 3/0 15:53	0-0 2/0 15:49
Nov 26	@ WSH	0-0 0/0 14:18	0-0 2/1 21:38	0-1 2/0 21:44	0-0 2/0 17:48	DND	0-0 1/0 13:54	0-0 0/0 15:23
Nov 28	Vs STL	0-0 0/0 15:36	0-1 1/0 23:12	0-1 1/-1 22:29	0-0 2/0 19:23	DND	1-0 2/-1 13:59	0-2 3/1 19:43
Dec 1	Vs CAR	0-0 0/2 13:52	0-1 1/1 18:15	1-2 1/3 22:36	1-1 5/3 17:40	DND	2-0 3/1 14:51	1-1 (W) 1/1 14:55
Dec 5	@ ANA	0-0 1/-1 14:21	0-0 1/-1 20:38	0-0 4/1 21:13	0-0 1/0 19:46	DND	0-0 1/-1 15:17	0-1 1/1 17:41
Dec 6	@ L.A	0-0 0/1 15:39	0-0 0/-2 20:32	0-0 1/-1 19:16	0-2 1/1 18:25	DND	0-0 0/-2 14:18	0-0 1/-1 16:02
Dec 8	@ S.J	0-1 0/-1 13:50	0-2 0/2 20:58	0-0 1/3 21:18	1-1 1/3 24:39	DND	1-0 3/1 12:47	1-1 (W) 2/0 19:33
Dec 10	Vs BOS	0-0 0/-1 11:17	0-0 1/-2 21:27	1-0 2/-1 22:48	0-0 3/-1 22:59	DND	0-0 4/-1 14:04	0-1 6/-1 20:47
Dec 12	Vs NYI	1-0 2/0 9:25	1-0 1/2 19:17	0-0 3/0 26:06	1-0 (W) 4/2 20:44	DND	1-1 5/1 14:53	0-1 2/2 23:54
Dec 14	@ WSH	DND	0-1 0/1 21:45	0-0 1/1 25:27	1-1 4/2 20:07	0-0 1/1 21:50	0-0 1/1 16:01	1-0 (W) 2/1 16:41
Dec 15	Vs CHI	DND	0-1 0/1 22:04	0-0 2/-1 25:26	0-2 1/0 20:16	0-0 0/1 22:04	0-0 1/0 12:03	0-1 1/1 23:17
Dec 19	@ NYI	DND	0-0 1/0 20:31	0-0 2/1 25:36	1-0 1/1 5:13	0-0 1/1 16:57	0-0 2/0 17:38	0-0 1/0 14:00
Dec 21	Vs PHI	DND	0-0 3/1 22:25	0-2 2/0 25:46	0-0 2/1 23:01	0-1 0/1 22:34	1-0 4/0 15:37	DND
Dec 22	@ PHI	DND	0-0 2/1 23:21	1-0 2/-1 26:35	0-0 3/-2 23:55	0-0 3/1 21:08	1-1 5/2 16:33	DND
Dec 26	Vs OTT	DND	0-0 0/-2 18:12	0-1 1/0 26:07	0-1 3/-1 21:41	0-0 0/-1 14:39	0-0 3/0 16:05	0-2 4/-2 18:49
Dec 28	@ N.J	DND	0-0 1/1 20:00	0-0 3/0 29:13	0-0 1/0 20:13	0-0 2/1 21:10	1-0 2/1 15:52	0-0 2/0 19:10
Dec 29	@ PIT	DND	0-0 2/0 19:39	0-0 1/-2 23:03	0-0 2/-1 19:18	0-0 0/0 20:09	0-0 0/0 14:02	0-0 1/-2 18:48
Jan 1	Vs PIT	DND	0-0 2/0 26:04	0-0 3/0 25:24	0-0 2/0 19:15	0-0 3/0 26:40	0-0 6/1 18:17	0-1 4/0 19:38
Jan 4	Vs OTT	DND	0-0 2/-1 23:53	0-0 4/0 22:27	0-0 2/-2 20:08	0-0 0/-1 18:14	1-0 3/0 18:59	0-1 5/0 18:03

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date	Opp	PAILLE # 20	STAFFORD # 21	MAIR # 22	VANEK # 26	GAUSTAD # 28	POMINVILLE # 29	WEBER # 34
Oct 5	Vs NYI	0-1 0/0 15:24	1-0 1/1 15:43	0-0 1/0 6:49	1-0 3/1 18:03	0-1 1/1 14:59	0-0 5/-1 21:13	MIN
Oct 6	@ NYI	0-0 0/-1 9:48	0-1 2/-1 12:01	0-0 2/-1 15:43	0-0 2/-1 21:40	0-0 1/-1 13:02	0-1 6/0 16:42	MIN
Oct 11	Vs ATL	1-1 3/2 8:37	0-0 2/0 11:52	0-1 0/1 7:00	0-0 1/0 15:30	0-0 2/0 15:03	1-0 1/1 16:28	MIN
Oct 13	Vs WSH	0-1 0/0 6:01	0-0 3/-1 12:27	1-0 (W) 2/0 6:15	0-2 3/3 18:11	0-0 1/0 15:29	1-0 3/1 17:30	MIN
Oct 15	Vs TOR	0-1 0/0 8:01	0-1 1/1 13:18	1-0 2/0 5:03	1-0 3/-1 16:11	1-0 (W) 1/0 18:59	1-1 5/1 21:38	MIN
Oct 19	Vs CBJ	0-0 0/0 8:30	0-0 0/0 12:20	0-0 0/0 6:06	0-0 3/0 17:45	0-0 2/0 17:14	0-0 1/-1 16:54	MIN
Oct 20	@ MTL	0-0 0/0 8:44	0-0 2/0 11:32	0-0 1/0 7:35	0-1 1/0 16:11	1-0 3/0 15:11	0-0 2/0 15:05	MIN
Oct 24	@ CAR	0-0 0/-1 9:35	0-0 0/-4 10:16	0-0 3/-1 7:42	0-0 1/-3 12:33	0-0 2/-1 12:03	2-0 2/1 20:10	MIN
Oct 26	@ FLA	1-0 1/2 15:00	1-0 (W) 2/1 6:35	0-0 1/1 5:05	0-1 5/-2 16:53	0-0 2/0 13:42	0-2 3/1 21:53	0-0 0/0 10:16
Oct 27	@ T.B	0-0 0/0 18:04	0-0 0/0 8:56	0-0 1/-1 10:16	1-1 (W) 1/2 11:31	1-0 4/0 19:01	0-1 3/0 19:17	0-0 0/0 11:17
Nov 1	@ BOS	0-0 0/0 17:18	0-0 1/0 7:28	0-0 0/0 4:59	0-1 2/0 17:30	1-1 1/1 18:08	0-0 3/-1 19:58	MIN
Nov 2	Vs FLA	0-0 1/0 15:21	0-0 2/0 13:47	0-0 1/0 11:36	1-0 5/-3 15:21	0-0 3/0 17:33	0-1 2/0 19:07	MIN
Nov 5	@ MTL	0-0 2/0 9:27	0-0 5/0 15:49	0-0 2/0 4:11	0-0 5/-1 15:35	0-0 1/-1 19:57	0-0 3/-2 21:51	0-0 0/0 14:09
Nov 7	Vs BOS	0-0 1/0 10:14	0-1 2/0 18:19	DND	0-0 0/-1 17:33	0-0 3/0 18:09	0-0 1/0 20:36	0-0 0/0 10:27
Nov 9	Vs TOR	0-0 1/0 9:22	0-0 3/0 19:04	DND	0-0 4/0 21:41	0-0 1/-2 17:19	0-0 2/-1 17:58	MIN
Nov 10	@ BOS	1-0 2/1 14:57	0-0 1/0 16:32	DND	0-0 2/0 15:22	0-1 3/1 18:32	0-0 10/0 18:49	MIN
Nov 15	@ OTT	0-0 1/-1 12:01	0-0 2/0 16:35	DND	0-0 5/0 18:49	0-0 3/-1 17:23	0-1 2/1 21:24	MIN
Nov 16	Vs MTL	1-0 (W) 3/1 12:51	1-0 2/1 15:58	DND	0-2 3/1 14:18	0-0 1/0 15:46	0-1 0/1 16:43	MIN
Nov 21	Vs OTT	0-1 0/1 11:56	1-1 3/1 14:32	DND	0-2 5/2 19:49	0-1 5/1 15:13	0-0 1/-1 15:16	MIN
Nov 23	Vs MTL	1-0 2/1 17:56	DND	DND	1-0 (W) 5/0 16:23	0-1 1/0 14:54	0-2 0/-1 19:30	MIN
Nov 24	@ MTL	0-0 3/0 15:35	DND	DND	1-0 4/1 15:25	0-0 1/0 14:53	0-0 0/1 17:33	MIN
Nov 26	@ WSH	0-1 4/3 17:34	DND	DND	0-0 3/0 16:20	0-0 1/0 15:21	1-0 4/0 20:10	MIN
Nov 28	Vs STL	0-0 1/-2 11:54	0-0 1/0 15:14	DND	0-0 2/0 17:53	0-0 0/-2 9:29	1-0 2/0 14:15	MIN
Dec 1	Vs CAR	0-0 0/1 9:58	0-1 4/1 9:15	1-0 1/1 7:31	1-0 1/2 14:14	0-2 0/2 15:32	0-0 1/0 15:55	MIN
Dec 5	@ ANA	0-0 3/-1 10:10	0-0 2/0 14:50	0-0 0/-1 10:27	0-0 1/0 18:14	0-0 1/-1 16:35	0-1 1/1 17:39	MIN
Dec 6	@ L.A	0-0 0/-1 11:45	1-1 2/1 11:59	0-0 1/0 9:12	1-0 1/1 15:00	0-0 0/-2 17:16	0-0 4/0 18:24	MIN
Dec 8	@ S.J	DND	0-1 1/1 11:29	0-1 0/1 6:36	1-0 3/1 15:15	2-0 7/2 20:01	0-1 2/-1 18:40	MIN
Dec 10	Vs BOS	DND	0-0 2/0 14:48	0-0 0/-1 6:24	0-0 5/0 17:10	0-1 3/-2 20:08	0-0 8/0 20:08	MIN
Dec 12	Vs NYI	0-0 2/-1 10:28	0-0 0/0 11:10	0-0 6/-1 10:21	0-0 0/1 13:44	0-1 4/-1 16:32	0-3 3/2 20:48	MIN
Dec 14	@ WSH	0-0 2/-1 10:46	1-0 1/1 13:31	0-0 1/-1 7:23	0-0 1/1 17:15	0-1 3/1 19:21	0-2 3/2 18:03	MIN
Dec 15	Vs CHI	0-0 1/0 7:37	1-0 (W) 4/0 13:26	0-0 0/0 7:37	1-1 2/1 14:22	0-0 3/0 18:09	1-0 3/1 18:36	MIN
Dec 19	@ NYI	0-0 0/0 7:41	0-0 1/-1 12:36	0-0 0/0 9:58	0-0 1/1 18:40	0-1 0/1 22:32	0-1 0/1 21:09	MIN
Dec 21	Vs PHI	0-1 2/1 9:30	1-0 3/0 14:20	0-0 2/0 4:11	0-0 2/0 14:59	0-0 2/0 20:29	0-0 1/1 20:01	MIN
Dec 22	@ PHI	0-1 1/1 14:02	0-0 0/-2 10:06	0-0 1/0 9:52	1-0 2/0 14:55	0-1 3/2 22:57	1-3 1/1 24:35	MIN
Dec 26	Vs OTT	0-1 0/1 9:18	0-0 0/-1 10:44	1-0 1/1 7:27	0-0 2/-2 16:02	0-0 2/0 17:08	0-1 3/-1 18:40	MIN
Dec 28	@ N.J	0-1 3/1 9:36	DND	0-0 1/-1 10:16	0-0 1/0 17:41	0-1 0/1 15:30	0-0 3/0 20:12	MIN
Dec 29	@ PIT	0-0 1/0 14:14	DND	0-0 1/0 8:09	0-0 4/-1 15:48	0-0 4/0 16:49	0-0 4/-1 18:24	MIN
Jan 1	Vs PIT	0-1 0/1 15:38	DND	0-0 0/0 6:46	0-0 3/0 15:35	0-0 1/0 21:16	0-0 4/-1 20:51	MIN
Jan 4	Vs OTT	0-0 0/0 3:19	0-1 2/1 16:27	0-0 0/-2 11:03	0-2 3/-1 17:15	0-0 1/1 16:27	0-1 4/-1 21:21	MIN

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date	Opp	RYAN # 37	PAETSCH # 38	MACARTHUR # 41	SEKERA # 44	KALININ # 45	CAMPBELL # 51	HECHT # 55
Oct 5	Vs NYI	0-0 1/0 5:57	0-1 0/2 16:32	MIN	MIN	0-1 0/2 17:17	0-1 1/1 22:37	0-0 0/-1 18:52
Oct 6	@ NYI	0-0 1/-2 9:06	0-0 1/-1 12:05	MIN	MIN	0-0 3/-2 21:43	0-1 1/1 30:59	1-0 4/1 16:16
Oct 11	Vs ATL	0-2 1/2 11:39	0-0 0/1 13:10	MIN	MIN	0-0 2/1 20:15	1-2 2/2 20:06	0-0 0/0 13:28
Oct 13	Vs WSH	0-0 1/-1 10:51	0-0 2/0 16:27	MIN	MIN	0-0 3/0 19:26	0-4 6/1 21:53	0-1 4/0 15:30
Oct 15	Vs TOR	DND	0-0 1/-2 11:01	MIN	MIN	0-0 0/-2 16:57	0-0 3/0 25:06	1-1 7/1 20:15
Oct 19	Vs CBJ	0-0 0/0 6:47	0-0 0/0 17:18	MIN	0-0 0/0 13:59	0-0 0/-1 19:39	0-0 1/0 22:31	0-0 3/-1 15:36
Oct 20	@ MTL	0-0 1/-1 7:46	0-0 0/-2 15:21	MIN	0-0 0/-1 10:42	0-0 1/0 23:59	0-1 1/-1 24:08	0-0 3/0 15:16
Oct 24	@ CAR	DND	0-0 1/-1 19:04	MIN	0-0 0/-1 13:45	0-0 1/1 7:27	0-0 0/1 27:44	0-1 4/0 21:27
Oct 26	@ FLA	DND	0-0 1/0 17:09	MIN	0-1 0/-1 16:27	DND	0-0 1/0 20:09	1-0 3/1 19:49
Oct 27	@ T.B	DND	1-1 2/2 15:09	MIN	0-0 0/0 17:45	DND	0-1 2/1 26:58	0-1 4/0 21:03
Nov 1	@ BOS	DND	0-0 1/-1 13:49	MIN	0-0 0/0 9:58	DND	1-0 2/-1 29:00	0-0 4/-2 21:06
Nov 2	Vs FLA	0-0 0/0 10:58	0-0 1/-1 16:42	MIN	0-0 0/-2 18:48	DND	0-0 1/-2 26:32	1-0 6/0 17:12
Nov 5	@ MTL	DND	0-0 0/0 18:30	MIN	0-0 0/-1 14:06	INJ	0-0 0/-2 27:22	0-0 1/-1 20:05
Nov 7	Vs BOS	0-0 0/0 7:36	0-0 0/0 13:57	1-0 (W) 3/1 16:21	0-0 1/-1 23:09	INJ	0-0 3/-1 26:55	0-0 4/0 20:16
Nov 9	Vs TOR	0-0 3/0 7:35	0-0 2/-1 15:18	0-0 0/-3 11:44	0-0 0/0 11:32	INJ	0-0 1/-1 26:17	0-0 0/0 16:03
Nov 10	@ BOS	0-0 2/0 10:22	0-0 3/0 13:49	0-0 4/0 11:50	0-0 1/0 12:14	INJ	0-0 1/-1 26:15	0-0 3/0 20:43
Nov 15	@ OTT	0-0 2/-1 6:56	0-0 0/1 12:13	0-0 3/1 17:34	MIN	INJ	0-0 2/-2 27:06	1-0 3/1 18:24
Nov 16	Vs MTL	0-0 5/0 9:52	0-0 0/1 13:18	2-0 2/2 15:40	MIN	INJ	0-1 3/2 23:28	0-1 3/1 21:45
Nov 21	Vs OTT	1-0 3/1 10:32	0-0 1/1 13:31	0-0 1/-1 12:48	MIN	INJ	0-0 0/1 25:51	0-0 2/-1 15:46
Nov 23	Vs MTL	0-0 1/-1 7:59	0-1 1/0 11:26	0-0 0/1 12:19	MIN	INJ	0-1 1/0 22:52	0-0 4/0 21:29
Nov 24	@ MTL	0-1 1/1 11:08	0-0 2/0 10:55	0-0 2/1 14:27	MIN	INJ	0-1 2/2 27:49	1-0 7/1 17:34
Nov 26	@ WSH	0-0 0/2 10:27	0-0 0/0 16:30	0-0 1/-1 12:12	0-0 0/2 21:47	INJ	0-1 2/1 21:02	2-1 (W) 3/2 18:42
Nov 28	Vs STL	0-0 1/-1 9:05	0-0 0/-1 12:35	0-1 0/-1 12:55	1-0 2/-1 21:14	INJ	0-0 1/-1 24:13	0-1 1/0 18:25
Dec 1	Vs CAR	0-0 1/0 7:44	0-0 0/1 17:21	MIN	0-0 2/1 20:31	INJ	0-2 0/4 25:07	0-0 2/1 18:20
Dec 5	@ ANA	DND	0-0 1/-1 16:38	MIN	0-0 2/-1 20:30	INJ	0-0 0/1 23:43	1-0 2/0 17:23
Dec 6	@ L.A	0-0 2/-1 12:43	0-0 2/2 17:06	MIN	0-0 0/-2 20:10	INJ	0-0 1/-2 21:32	0-0 1/-1 15:03
Dec 8	@ S.J	1-0 2/2 9:26	0-1 2/-1 13:36	MIN	0-0 1/2 22:40	INJ	0-2 4/3 25:24	0-0 1/0 15:56
Dec 10	Vs BOS	0-0 1/0 6:24	0-0 0/-1 17:57	MIN	0-0 1/-2 18:47	INJ	0-0 1/-1 23:42	0-0 4/-2 19:10
Dec 12	Vs NYI	DND	0-1 2/1 13:48	MIN	0-0 0/1 19:37	INJ	0-0 2/0 26:19	1-0 3/1 16:26
Dec 14	@ WSH	DND	0-0 1/1 12:01	MIN	0-1 1/1 7:25	INJ	0-1 3/1 26:33	1-0 2/1 18:01
Dec 15	Vs CHI	DND	0-0 0/1 13:11	MIN	0-0 0/1 9:08	INJ	0-0 1/-1 25:29	0-0 3/0 18:23
Dec 19	@ NYI	DND	0-0 0/-1 11:48	MIN	MIN	0-0 3/-1 13:30	0-1 0/2 26:40	0-0 2/-1 24:24
Dec 21	Vs PHI	0-0 3/0 10:39	0-0 1/0 8:08	MIN	MIN	0-0 1/0 10:02	0-2 1/0 28:00	1-0 (W) 4/1 17:13
Dec 22	@ PHI	0-0 0/0 6:48	0-1 1/0 11:58	MIN	MIN	0-0 0/1 14:09	0-0 1/-2 29:32	0-2 2/1 18:48
Dec 26	Vs OTT	DND	0-0 1/0 16:36	MIN	MIN	0-0 2/0 16:39	1-0 4/0 25:38	1-0 4/-2 18:23
Dec 28	@ N.J	0-0 2/-1 10:22	0-0 0/-1 13:30	0-0 0/-1 12:13	MIN	0-0 0/-1 13:27	0-0 1/0 30:14	0-0 4/0 17:03
Dec 29	@ PIT	0-0 0/0 7:34	0-0 0/0 12:30	0-0 0/0 6:45	MIN	0-0 0/0 14:45	0-0 2/-2 26:18	0-0 3/-1 19:42
Jan 1	Vs PIT	0-0 1/0 6:13	0-0 1/0 12:49	MIN	MIN	0-0 0/0 12:01	1-0 3/0 24:50	0-0 1/-1 20:11
Jan 4	Vs OTT	1-0 5/0 15:07	0-0 1/0 7:48	MIN	MIN	0-0 1/-1 16:42	0-1 2/-1 27:27	1-0 3/-1 18:45

Skaters: Goals-Assists (GameWinning or GameTying) Shots / (+/-) TOI Goalies: Goals Allowed / Shots Decision Minutes Played

date	Opp	AFINOGENOV # 61	PETERS # 76	MILLER # 30	THIBAUT # 35
Oct 5	Vs NYI	0-1 4/1 20:32	0-0 0/0 2:24	6-34 L 59	DNP
Oct 6	@ NYI	0-0 2/0 13:22	0-0 0/0 2:34	3-24 L 59	DNP
Oct 11	Vs ATL	0-0 3/0 17:08	DND	0-20 W 60	DNP
Oct 13	Vs WSH	1-1 7/3 20:20	DND	3-26 W 60	DNP
Oct 15	Vs TOR	0-0 2/-2 18:11	0-0 0/0 1:43	DNP	4-25 W 65
Oct 19	Vs CBJ	0-0 2/-1 17:30	DND	2-28 L 59	DNP
Oct 20	@ MTL	0-0 1/-1 15:44	DND	3-26 L 60	DNP
Oct 24	@ CAR	0-0 2/-1 17:09	0-0 0/0 2:10	6-43 L 60	DNP
Oct 26	@ FLA	0-0 4/-2 17:20	0-0 1/0 2:05	2-35 W 60	DNP
Oct 27	@ T.B	1-0 4/0 14:10	0-0 0/0 2:34	3-34 W 64	DNP
Nov 1	@ BOS	1-0 5/0 17:53	0-0 1/0 1:46	4-24 O 64	DNP
Nov 2	Vs FLA	0-0 1/-3 15:01	DND	DNP	4-24 L 58
Nov 5	@ MTL	0-0 2/0 17:09	DNP	1-18 L 59	DNP
Nov 7	Vs BOS	0-1 2/0 17:02	0-0 0/0 2:45	1-26 W 63	DNP
Nov 9	Vs TOR	0-0 3/-2 18:13	0-0 0/0 4:21	3-23 L 60	DNP
Nov 10	@ BOS	0-0 0/-1 14:53	0-0 0/0 3:04	2-22 L 60	DNP
Nov 15	@ OTT	0-0 0/-1 12:25	0-0 0/-1 1:54	3-34 L 59	DNP
Nov 16	Vs MTL	0-0 1/0 14:43	0-0 0/0 2:20	1-37 W 60	DNP
Nov 21	Vs OTT	0-0 1/1 14:36	DND	2-29 W 60	DNP
Nov 23	Vs MTL	0-2 2/1 15:41	0-0 0/0 1:26	2-32 W 60	DNP
Nov 24	@ MTL	0-0 0/0 14:20	0-0 0/0 6:33	DNP	0-24 W 60
Nov 26	@ WSH	0-0 2/0 15:15	0-0 1/0 3:55	1-31 W 60	DNP
Nov 28	Vs STL	0-0 3/0 15:07	DND	4-32 L 59	DNP
Dec 1	Vs CAR	1-1 2/3 18:04	DND	1-21 W 60	DNP
Dec 5	@ ANA	0-0 1/-1 16:24	0-0 0/0 5:39	4-33 L 60	DNP
Dec 6	@ L.A	0-0 0/-1 17:16	DND	4-19 40	4-14 L 20
Dec 8	@ S.J	0-1 3/1 14:02	0-0 1/0 1:50	1-22 W 60	DNP
Dec 10	Vs BOS	0-0 4/-3 16:29	0-0 0/-1 1:32	4-21 L 60	DNP
Dec 12	Vs NYI	0-2 1/1 13:03	0-0 1/0 3:37	3-31 W 59	DNP
Dec 14	@ WSH	1-0 3/0 18:53	0-0 0/0 2:17	3-23 W 60	DNP
Dec 15	Vs CHI	0-1 0/0 13:20	0-0 1/0 3:32	1-27 W 60	DNP
Dec 19	@ NYI	1-0 (W) 2/1 19:38	0-0 0/0 2:55	1-43 W 60	DNP
Dec 21	Vs PHI	0-0 2/0 14:57	0-0 0/0 0:20	2-22 W 60	DNP
Dec 22	@ PHI	1-1 1/-1 17:35	0-0 0/0 1:33	5-36 W 64	DNP
Dec 26	Vs OTT	0-0 2/-1 18:53	0-0 0/0 5:41	4-23 L 59	DNP
Dec 28	@ N.J	0-0 1/0 18:18	DND	1-35 O 65	DNP
Dec 29	@ PIT	0-0 1/-1 16:37	DND	1-24 L 59	DNP
Jan 1	Vs PIT	0-0 3/0 19:03	0-0 0/0 3:29	1-25 O 65	DNP
Jan 4	Vs OTT	DND	0-0 1/-1 0:28	3-16 31	2-11 L 28

Skaters: Goals-Assists (GameWinning or GameTying) Shots / (+/-) TOI Goalies: Goals Allowed / Shots Decision Minutes Played

Season Series - ATLANTA THRASHERS vs. BUFFALO SABRES: Won- 0 Lost- 1 OT-Losses 0

At ATLANTA	THRASHERS	SABRES	Attend.	Goaltenders	W Goal
6 Jan. 2008			0		
1 Feb. 2008			0		
At BUFFALO	THRASHERS	SABRES	Attend.	Goaltenders	W Goal
11 Oct. 2007	0	6	18690	MILLER/ HEDBERG & LEHTONEN	ALES KOTALIK
18 Jan. 2008			0		

Goals by Period:	1st	2nd	3rd	OT	Total	Shots by Period:	1st	2nd	3rd	OT	Total
THRASHERS	0	0	0	0	0	THRASHERS	3	5	12	0	20
SABRES	3	2	1	0	6	SABRES	9	11	8	0	28

THRASHERS	GP	G	A	P	+/-	PIM	PP	SH	GW	EN	S	Pctg
ERIC BOULTON	1	0	0	0	0	5	0	0	0	0	1	.0
PASCAL DUPUIS	1	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	2	.0
TOBIAS ENSTROM	1	0	0	0	-2	0	0	0	0	0	0	.0
GARNET EXELBY	1	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	.0
NICLAS HAVELID	1	0	0	0	-1	0	0	0	0	0	2	.0
DARREN HAYDAR	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.0
BOBBY HOLIK	1	0	0	0	-3	4	0	0	0	0	3	.0
ILYA KOVALCHUK	1	0	0	0	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	.0
VYACHESLAV KOZLOV	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.0
BRAD LARSEN	1	0	0	0	-2	0	0	0	0	0	0	.0
KARI LEHTONEN	1	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	.0
BRYAN LITTLE	1	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	1	.0
STEVE MCCARTHY	1	0	0	0	-2	0	0	0	0	0	5	.0
ERIC PERRIN	1	0	0	0	-1	0	0	0	0	0	2	.0
MARK POPOVIC	1	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	2	.0
JIM SLATER	1	0	0	0	-2	2	0	0	0	0	0	.0
BRETT STERLING	1	0	0	0	-1	2	0	0	0	0	0	.0
TODD WHITE	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	.0
ALEXEI ZHITNIK	1	0	0	0	-1	0	0	0	0	0	0	.0

	GP	Min	GA	GAA	EN	SO	W	L	OT	Shots	Save %
JOHAN HEDBERG	1	20	1	3.00	0	0	0	0	0	8	.875
KARI LEHTONEN	1	40	5	7.50	0	0	0	1	0	20	.750

Power play: 0-8 .0 % **Penalty killing:** 5-8 62.5 %

SABRES	GP	G	A	P	+/-	PIM	PP	SH	GW	EN	S	Pctg
BRIAN CAMPBELL	1	1	2	3	2	0	1	0	0	0	2	50.0
TIM CONNOLLY	1	1	2	3	0	2	1	0	0	0	1	100.0
ALES KOTALIK	1	1	1	2	0	0	1	0	1	0	3	33.3
DANIEL PAILLE	1	1	1	2	2	2	0	0	0	0	3	33.3
DEREK ROY	1	1	1	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	4	25.0
MICHAEL RYAN	1	0	2	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	.0
JASON POMINVILLE	1	1	0	1	1	0	0	1	0	0	1	100.0
ADAM MAIR	1	0	1	1	1	4	0	0	0	0	0	.0
JAROSLAV SPACEK	1	0	1	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	.0
MAXIM AFINOGENOV	1	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	3	.0
PAUL GAUSTAD	1	0	0	0	0	9	0	0	0	0	2	.0
JOCHEN HECHT	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.0
DMITRI KALININ	1	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	0	0	2	.0
TONI LYDMAN	1	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	1	.0
NATHAN PAETSCH	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	.0
DREW STAFFORD	1	0	0	0	0	5	0	0	0	0	2	.0
HENRIK TALLINDER	1	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	1	.0
THOMAS VANEK	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	.0

	GP	Min	GA	GAA	EN	SO	W	L	OT	Shots	Save %
JOCELYN THIBAUT	0	0	0	.00	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000
RYAN MILLER	1	60	0	.00	0	1	1	0	0	20	1.000

Power play: 3-8 37.5 % **Penalty killing:** 8-8 100.0 %

Atlanta Thrashers

Head Coach

Don Waddell

Notes:

- * Earned a 20-15-1 record since taking over the head coaching duties on Oct. 17.
- * Has posted a 24-20-2 career NHL coaching record in 41 games over two stints as the Thrashers head coach
- * Won his first game behind the Thrashers bench 5-3 on Oct. 18 vs. the NY Rangers
- * Took over head coaching duties, on an interim basis, on Oct. 17, 2007
- * Guided Thrashers to 4-5-1 record during previous stint as interim head coach from Dec. 27, 2002 to Jan. 13, 2003
- * Posted 45-28-0 record as head coach of the IHL's San Diego Gulls during the 1991-92 season, leading team to the franchise's first-ever playoff berth

Goaltenders

1 Johan Hedberg G HEHD-buhrg, YO-han	6'0", 185 05/05/73 (34), Leksand, SWE	7th NHL / 2nd ATL Season
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Last Win: JAN 2, 2008 @ CAROLINA

Last Shutout: NOV 16, 2007 @ CAROLINA (9)

How Acquired: Signed as unrestricted free agent on July , 2006.

Notes:

2007-08 Season Notes

- * Turned away 32 of 36 shots in a 5-4 OT win at Carolina on Jan. 2, his first action since Dec. 7
- * Recorded 30 saves on Dec. 7 vs. the NY Rangers
- * Made a season-high 34 saves on Dec. 2 at New Jersey in a shootout loss, the first of his career
- * Made 31 saves on Nov. 21 at Washington and extended his personal unbeaten streak to six games
- * Turned aside 17 shots for his fifth straight win, improving his record to 7-4-0 on Nov. 19 vs. Tampa Bay
- * Made 19 saves on 21 shots, including one in overtime to help give the Thrashers a 3-2 victory on Nov. 13 vs. Florida
- * Recorded his first assist of the season on Oct. 20 at Tampa Bay
- * Earned his first win of the season Oct. 18 vs. the NY Rangers, after replacing Kari Lehtonen due to injury in the first period
- * Made his season debut on Oct. 6 at Tampa Bay

Season vs. Buffalo

- * 0-0-0 with a 3.00 goals-against average in one game

Career vs. Buffalo

- * 6-1-1 with one shutout and a 1.57 goals-against average in nine games

2007-08 Season Highs

Shots Faced: 36 (2x), last – 12/2/07 at NJ

Saves: 34, 12/2/07 at NJ

	GPI	Min	W	L	T	OT	SO	GA	GAA	Saves	Sv %
Season	21	1146	10	8	-	1	1	61	3.19	532	0.897
Career	198	11212	85	79	14	4	11	534	2.86	4791	0.900

32 Kari Lehtonen G LEH-toh-neh, CAR ee	6'4", 205 11/16/83 (24), Helsinki, FIN	4th NHL / 4th ATL Season
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Last Win: DEC 29, 2007 vs BOSTON (2)

Last Shutout: DEC 29, 2007 vs BOSTON (2)

How Acquired: Selected in the first round, second overall, of the 2002 NHL Entry Draft

Notes:

2007-08 Season Notes

- * Turned away 26 shots for his second shutout of the season, ninth of his career, on Dec. 29 vs. Boston
- * Named the NHL's Second Star of the Week for the week ending Dec. 23, posting a 4-0-0 record with a 1.96 goals-against average and a .935 save percentage in that span
- * Extended his winning streak to three games with 37 saves in 3-2 shootout win on Dec. 22 vs. Montreal
- * Won his second consecutive game, turning aside 28 of 30 shots faced on Dec. 20 vs. Ottawa
- * Made 32 saves on 34 shots faced to earn the victory and recorded his first assist of the season on Dec. 18 vs. Tampa Bay
- * Earned his second straight victory since returning from injury, making 30 saves on 33 shots and turned away both Islanders shooters in the shootout on Dec. 5 vs. the NY Islanders
- * Turned away all 33 shots faced, including 19 in the third period, to earn his first win and shutout of the season in a 4-0 victory on Dec. 1 at the NY Islanders.
- * Posted a 2-0-0 record with a 1.93 GAA and .934 save-percentage in two games with the Chicago Wolves in a conditioning stint
- * Missed 16 games from Oct. 20 - Dec. 1 with a groin injury
- * Started in five out of the first seven games this season for Atlanta

Season vs. Buffalo

- * 0-1-0 with a 7.50 goals-against average in one game

Career vs. Buffalo

* 4-4-1 with one shutout and a 3.26 goals-against average in nine games

2007-08 Season Highs

Shots Faced: 40, 10/5/07 vs. WSH

Saves: 37 (2x), last – 12/22/07 vs. MTL

	GPI	Min	W	L	T	OT	SO	GA	GAA	Saves	Sv %
Season	19	1046	7	10	-	0	2	55	3.15	508	0.902
Career	129	7386	65	49	0	9	9	349	2.84	3518	0.910

Skaters

2 Garnet Exelby D	6'1", 210, 08/16/81 (26), Ste. Anne, MB, CAN	5th NHL / 5th ATL Season
EHX-uhl-bee		

Last Goal: DEC 18, 2007 vs TAMPA BAY (9)

Last Assist: NOV 6, 2007 vs WASHINGTON (25)

How Acquired: Selected in the eighth round, 217th overall, of the 1999 NHL Entry Draft.

Notes:

2007-08 Season Notes

- * Scored his second goal of the year and was a season-high plus-three on Dec. 18 vs. Tampa Bay
- * Ranked second on team with 21:20 TOI on Dec. 14 vs. Toronto
- * Led the Thrashers with five hits and four blocked shots on Dec. 8 at Washington
- * Landed a team-high three hits on Dec. 5 vs. the NY Islanders and leads the Thrashers with 62 on the season
- * Led Thrashers with seven hits, tied for team lead with three block shots and ranked second on team with three shots on goal on Oct. 25 at Nashville
- * Led the team with three blocked shots and four hits; tied for the team lead with a plus-two rating on Oct. 18 vs. the NY Rangers
- * Scored his first goal of the season on Oct. 13 against the New Jersey Devils

Season vs. Buffalo

* Scoreless in one game

Career vs. Buffalo

* Scoreless in 13 games

2007-08 Season Highs

Goals: 1 (2x), last – 12/18/07 vs. TB

Assists: 1 (2x), last – 11/6/07 vs. WSH

Points: 1 (4x), last – 12/18/07 vs. TB (1g)

Shots: 3, 10/25/07 at NSH

PIMs: 6, 10/18/07 vs. NYR

Plus/Minus: +3, 12/18/07 vs. TB

TOI: 24:43 10/20/07 at TB

TOI	TOI/Game	Faceoff WL	FO Win %	Hits	Takeaways	Giveaways	Blckd Shots	+ / -			
770:20	19:15	0-0	0.0	94.0	18.0	22.0	74.0	-6.0			
		GP	G	A	Pts	PIM	PPG	SHG	GWG	Shots	Shot%
Season		40	2	2	4	22	0	0	0	20	10.0
Career		259	6	30	36	328	0	1	0	172	3.5

5 Steve McCarthy D	6'1", 210 02/03/81 (26), Trail, BC, CAN	8th NHL / 3rd ATL Season
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Last Goal: FEB 22, 2007 vs TAMPA BAY (29)

Last Assist: DEC 31, 2007 @ BOSTON (2)

How Acquired: From Vancouver for a fourth-round draft choice in the 2007 NHL Entry Draft

Notes:

2007-08 Season Notes

- * Tallied his fourth assist of the season on Dec. 31 at Boston
- * Tied for the team lead with three hits in a 3-2 shootout win on Dec. 22 vs. Montreal
- * Tied for team-high with three hits and two blocked shots on Dec. 14 vs. Toronto
- * Recorded his first assist of the season and led the team with four hits on Dec. 7 vs. the NY Rangers

Season vs. Buffalo

* Scoreless in one game

Career vs. Buffalo

* Three points (one goal, two assists) in eight games

2007-08 Season Highs

Goals: 0

Assists: 2, 12/18/07 vs. TB

Points: 2, 12/18/07 vs. TB (2a)

Shots: 5, 10/11/07 at BUF

PIMs: 7, 10/18/07 vs. NYR

Plus/Minus: +3, 12/18/07 vs. TB

TOI: 21:50, 10/11/07 at BUF

TOI	TOI/Game	Faceoff WL	FO Win %	Hits	Takeaways	Giveaways	Blckd Shots	+ / -			
426:46	15:14	0-0	0.00	46	6	9	37	-18			
		GP	G	A	Pts	PIM	PPG	SHG	GWG	Shots	Shot%
Season		28	0	4	4	13	0	0	0	15	0.00

Career 275 16 36 52 133 6 0 0 254 6.30

7 Mark Popovic D 6'1", 210 10/11/82 (25), Stoney Creek, ON, CAN 4th NHL / 3rd ATL Season
PAHP puh vihk

Last Goal:

Last Assist: NOV 9, 2007 @ FLORIDA (10)

How Acquired: Acquired from Anaheim for Kip Brennan on Aug. 25, 2005

Notes:

2007-08 Season Notes

- * Missed 11 games with an ankle injury from Dec. 5 – 26
- * Played in a season-high 16:19 TOI on Nov. 29 vs. Toronto
- * Earned a plus-one rating and saw a season-high 16:04 TOI on Nov. 21 at Washington
- * Posted his first assist of the season on Nov. 9 at Florida
- * Saw 10:35 TOI in his second game of the season on Oct. 27 at Chicago
- * Made his Thrashers debut on Oct. 11 vs. Buffalo

Season vs. Buffalo

- * Scoreless in one game

Career vs. Buffalo

- * Scoreless in two games

2007-08 Season Highs

Goals: 0

Assists: 1, 11/9/07 at FLA

Points: 1, 11/9/07 at FLA (1a)

Shots: 4, 11/10/07 vs. CAR

PIMs: 4, 10/11/07 at BUF

Plus/Minus: +1 (3x), last – 11/21/07 at WSH

TOI: 16:19, 11/29/07 vs. TOR

TOI	TOI/Game	Faceoff WL	FO Win %	Hits	Takeaways	Giveaways	Blckd Shots	+ / -		
234:13	13:46	0-0	0.00	9	5	4	16	-4		
	GP	G	A	Pts	PIM	PPG	SHG	GWG	Shots	Shot%
Season	17	0	1	1	4	0	0	0	12	0.00
Career	28	0	2	2	4	0	0	0	20	0.00

8 Mark Recchi R 5'10", 195 02/01/68 (39), Kamloops, BC, CAN 19th NHL / 1st ATL Season
(REH-kee, MAHRK)

Last Goal: JAN 4, 2008 vs CAROLINA

Last Assist: JAN 4, 2008 vs CAROLINA

How Acquired: Claimed on waivers from Pittsburgh on Dec. 8, 2007

Notes:

2007-08 Season Notes

- * Enters tonight's games with 14 points (seven goals, seven assists) in 13 games with the Thrashers
- * Has recorded four points (two goals, two assists) in his last two games
- * Earned his fourth multi-point game with Atlanta on Jan. 4 vs. Carolina with one goal and one assist
- * Recorded his third multi-point game as a Thrashers with two points (one goal, one assist) on Jan. 2 at Carolina
- * Tallied two points (one goal, one assist) in the Thrashers 3-2 overtime win in St. Louis on Dec. 23.
- * Recorded a five-game point-scoring streak with six points (two goals, four assists) from Dec. 15-23.
- * Tallied one assist in his third game with the Thrashers on Dec. 15 at Ottawa
- * Scored two goals in his Thrashers debut and had 17:08 TOI on Dec. 12 vs. the Bruins
- * Claimed off of re-entry waivers, from Pittsburgh, by the Thrashers on Dec. 8
- * Tallied eight points (two goals, six assists) in 19 games with the Penguins before being placed on waivers on Dec. 4
- * Scored his second goal of the season on Nov. 8 vs. the NY Rangers
- * Recorded six assists in a seven-game span from Oct. 10-27, including assists on back-to-back contests on Oct. 19 and Oct. 20
- * Tallied a season-high two assists on Oct. 10 vs. Montreal
- * Scored one goal in the Penguins season-opening contest vs. Carolina on Oct. 5

Season vs. Buffalo

- * Has not played against Buffalo this season

Career vs. Buffalo

- * 62 points (20 goals, 42 assists) in 69 games

2007-08 Season Highs

Goals: 2, last – 12/12/07 vs. BOS

Assists: 2, 10/10/07 vs. MTL

Points: 2 (5x), last – 1/4/08 vs. CAR (1g, 1a)

Shots: 6, 10/5/07 at CAR

PIMs: 4, 10/19/07 vs. PIT
 Plus/Minus: +1 (4x), last – 1/4/08 vs. CAR
 TOI: 20:58, 10/19/07 vs. CAR

TOI	TOI/Game	Faceoff WL	FO Win %	Hits	Takeaways	Giveaways	Blckd Shots	+ / -		
541:59	16:56	8-10	44.44	30	12	14	12	-7		
	GP	G	A	Pts	PIM	PPG	SHG	GWG	Shots	Shot%
Season	32	9	13	22	18	5	0	0	64	14.06
Career	1370	517	838	1355	928	178	18	80	3350	15.43

9 Pascal Dupuis R 6'1", 205 04/07/79 (28), Laval, QC, CAN 7th NHL / 2nd ATL Season
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Last Goal: JAN 4, 2008 vs CAROLINA

Last Assist: DEC 29, 2007 vs BOSTON (3)

How Acquired: Acquired from New York Rangers with a third-round selection in the 2007 NHL Entry Draft for Alex Bourret on Feb. 27, 2007

Notes:

2007-08 Season Notes

- * Scored his third shorthanded goal of the season on Jan. 4 vs. Carolina
- * Recorded his first multi-point game of the season with two points (one goal, one assist) on Dec. 29 vs. Boston
- * Scored his fifth goal of the season and was a plus-two on Dec. 18 vs. Tampa Bay
- * Registered a goal for the second consecutive game in the Thrashers 4-2 win on Dec. 7 vs. the NY Rangers
- * Scored his first shorthanded goal of the season on Dec. 5 vs. the NY Islanders
- * Recorded one assist in a 4-0 win on Dec. 1 at the NY Islanders
- * Posted his fourth point of the season (assist) and second assist in two games on Nov. 21 at Washington
- * Recorded his first assist of the season on Nov. 19 vs. Tampa Bay
- * Scored the game-winning goal on Nov. 3 at Tampa Bay for his second goal of the season
- * Scored his first goal of the season on Oct. 18 vs. the NY Rangers

Season vs. Buffalo

- * Scoreless in one game

Career vs. Buffalo

- * Scoreless in seven games

2007-08 Season Highs

Goals: 1 (7x), last – 1/4/08 vs. CAR
 Assists: 1 (4x), last – 12/29/07 vs. BOS
 Points: 2, 12/29/07 vs. BOS (1g, 1a)
 Shots: 4 (3x), last – 1/4/08 vs. CAR
 PIMs: 2 (7x), last – 12/20/07 vs. OTT
 Plus/Minus: +2 (4x), last – 12/29/07 vs. BOS
 TOI: 18:27, 10/18/07 vs. NYR

TOI	TOI/Game	Faceoff WL	FO Win %	Hits	Takeaways	Giveaways	Blckd Shots	+ / -		
587:10	14:19	3-7	30.00	33	23	10	21	-3		
	GP	G	A	Pts	PIM	PPG	SHG	GWG	Shots	Shot%
Season	41	7	4	11	14	0	3	1	69	10.14
Career	398	78	80	158	180	18	7	9	848	9.20

11 Eric Perrin C 5'9", 180 11/01/75 (32), Laval, QC, CAN 3rd NHL / 1st ATL Season
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Last Goal: DEC 22, 2007 vs MONTREAL (7)

Last Assist: JAN 4, 2008 vs CAROLINA

How Acquired: Signed as a free agent on June 19, 2003.

Notes:

2007-08 Season Notes

- * Recorded his seventh shorthanded assist of the season to increase his franchise record in that category on Jan. 4 vs. Carolina
- * Tallied an assist on the Thrashers overtime goal on Dec. 23 at St. Louis
- * Registered his seventh multi-point game of the season with two points (one goal, one assist) on Dec. 22 vs. Montreal
- * Recorded his third multi-assist game of the season (two assists) on Dec. 18 vs. Tampa Bay
- * Tied a Thrashers record with two shorthanded points in a game (two assists) and set a team record for most shorthanded points in a season (five) on Dec. 5 vs. the NY Islanders
- * Registered his fifth multi-point game (two assists) of the season and won all seven face-offs he took on Dec. 5 vs. the NY Islanders
- * Recorded his fourth multi-point game of the season (one goal, one assist) in a 5-1 win on Nov. 21 at Washington
- * Played in a season-high 20:33 TOI against his former team on Nov. 3 at Tampa Bay

Last Goal: JAN 2, 2008 @ CAROLINA (1)

Last Assist: DEC 15, 2007 @ OTTAWA (10)

How Acquired: From Buffalo, along with a second-round selection, 41st overall, (which was later a part of a trade to Columbus, used to take Joakim Lindström) in the 2002 NHL Entry Draft for a second-round selection (Jeff Deslauriers), 31st overall, and a third-round selection (John Adams), 82nd overall, in the 2002 NHL Entry Draft on June 22, 2002

Notes:

2007-08 Season Notes

- * Tallied his 12th goal of the year in the Thrashers 5-4 overtime victory at Carolina on Jan. 2
- * Played in his 1,000th career NHL game on Dec. 26 at Columbus
- * Notched his third game-winning goal of the season on Dec. 18 vs. Tampa Bay
- * Recorded the 50th game-winning goal of his career on Dec. 7 vs. the NY Rangers
- * Took a team-high six shots on goal on Nov. 24 at Pittsburgh
- * Tallied two goals in Thrashers 3-2 win on Oct. 27 at Chicago
- * Registered first assist of the season on Oct. 13 vs. New Jersey
- * Recorded first goal of season on Oct. 6 at Tampa Bay

Season vs. Buffalo

- * Scoreless in one game

Career vs. Buffalo

- * 19 points (10 goals, nine assists) in 28 games

2007-08 Season Highs

Goals: 2, 10/27/07 at CHI

Assists: 2, 11/1/07 at OTT

Points: 2 (3x), last – 12/7/07 vs. NYR (1g, 1a)

Shots: 6, 11/24/07 at PIT

PIMs: 2 (4x), last – 12/23/07 at STL

Plus/Minus: +2, 12/7/07 vs. NYR

TOI: 22:21 11/6/07 vs. WSH

TOI	TOI/Game	Faceoff WL	FO Win %	Hits	Takeaways	Giveaways	Blckd Shots	+ / -		
711:31	16:56	19-14	57.58	15	21	23	5	-6		
	GP	G	A	Pts	PIM	PPG	SHG	GWG	Shots	Shot%
Season	42	12	11	23	8	4	0	4	76	15.79
Career	1005	317	416	733	609	83	4	52	2480	12.78

16 Bobby Holik C	6'4", 230 01/01/71 (37), Jihlava, CZE	17th NHL / 3rd ATL Season
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Last Goal: JAN 2, 2008 @ CAROLINA (1)

Last Assist: DEC 29, 2007 vs BOSTON (3)

How Acquired: Signed as an unrestricted free agent on Aug. 2, 2005

Notes:

2007-08 Season Notes

- * Enters tonight's contest with five points (three goals, two assists) in his last five games
- * Recorded a goal in his third-straight game on Jan. 2 at Carolina
- * Scored his fifth goal of the season, and second in two games, on Dec. 31 at Boston
- * Tallied one goal and one assist on Dec. 29 vs. Boston for his third multi-point game of the season
- * Has won 413-of-724 (57.0%) face-offs this season and ranks first in the NHL among players who have taken at least 500 draws
- * Played in his 1,200th career game on Dec. 12 vs. Boston
- * Scored his third goal of the year on Dec. 8 at Washington
- * Recorded his eighth point of the season (assist) on Dec. 1 at the NY Islanders
- * Tallied his second goal of the season on Nov. 21 at Washington
- * Recorded two assists, including the 400th of his career, in 4-1 win on Nov. 9 at Florida
- * Landed a team high four hits and won 15-out-of-25 face-offs (60%) on Oct. 23 at Toronto
- * Registered two points (one goal, one assist) on Oct. 13 vs. New Jersey

Season vs. Buffalo

- * Scoreless in one game

Career vs. Buffalo

- * 43 points (14 goals, 29 assists) in 66 games

2007-08 Season Highs

Goals: 1 (5x), last – 1/2/08 at CAR

Assists: 2, 11/9/07 at FLA

Points: 2 (3x), last – 12/29/07 vs. BOS (1g,1a)

Shots: 4 (4x), last – 12/20/07 vs. OTT

PIMs: 16, 10/27/07 at CHI

Plus/Minus: +2, 12/7/07 vs. NYR

TOI: 19:33, 11/16/07 at CAR

TOI	TOI/Game	Faceoff WL	FO Win %	Hits	Takeaways	Giveaways	Blckd Shots	+ / -
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	GP	G	A	Pts	PIM	PPG	SHG	GWG	Shots	Shot%
Season	42	6	11	17	56	2	0	1	68	8.82
Career	1212	313	408	721	1323	73	1	55	3194	9.80

17 Ilya Kovalchuk L Koh-vahl CHUK, ILL yuh	6'1", 220 04/15/83 (24), Tver, RUS	6th NHL / 6th ATL Season
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Last Goal: JAN 2, 2008 @ CAROLINA (1)

Last Assist: JAN 4, 2008 vs CAROLINA

How Acquired: Selected in the first round, first overall, of the 2001 NHL Entry Draft

Notes:

2007-08 Season Notes

- * Tallied his 200th career NHL assist on Jan. 2 at Carolina
- * Earned his third four-point game, and team leading 17th multi-point game, of the season with one goal and three assists on Jan. 2 at Carolina
- * Recorded three points (two goals, one assist) on Dec. 27 vs. Florida
- * Set the Thrashers franchise record for consecutive games played (165) on Dec. 26 at Columbus
- * Registered his 14th multi-point contest of the season (one goal, one assist) on Dec. 18 vs. Tampa Bay
- * Scored his league-leading 24th goal of the season on the power play on Dec. 12 vs. Boston
- * Registered his NHL-leading 23rd tally of the season and was successful in his shootout attempt on Dec. 5 vs. the NY Islanders
- * Recorded his team-leading 11th multi-point game of the season with two points (one goal, one assist) in a 4-0 win on Dec. 1 at the NY Islanders
- * Posted his second four-point game of the season (two goals, two assists) in a 5-1 victory at Washington on Nov. 21
- * Registered a goal and an assist for his ninth multi-point game of the season on Nov. 19 vs. Tampa Bay
- * Registered three points (one goal, two assists), including the game-winner in overtime for his fifth three-plus point game of the season on Nov. 13 vs. Florida
- * Tallied two points (one goal, one assist) on Nov. 9 at Florida to post his team-leading sixth multi-point game of the season
- * Named the NHL's First Star of the Week after posting seven points (six goals, one assist) in three games from Oct. 29 – Nov. 4
- * Registered his second consecutive hat trick and first four-point game of the season (three goals, one assist) on Nov. 3 at Tampa Bay
- * Scored his first hat trick of the season and eighth of his career on Nov. 1 at Ottawa
- * Recorded his second game deciding shootout goal on Oct. 30 at Montreal
- * Recorded his second three-point night of the season (one goal, two assists) in the Thrashers 3-2 win on Oct. 27 at Chicago
- * Tallied his first three-point night of the season (one goal, two assists) and scored the game-deciding goal in the shootout on Oct. 23 at Toronto
- * Scored two goals for his first multi-point game of the season on Oct. 13 vs. New Jersey
- * Recorded one assist in season-opening game on Oct. 5 against Washington

Season vs. Buffalo

- * Scoreless in one game

Career vs. Buffalo

- * 19 points (11 goals, eight assists) in 21 games

2007-08 Season Highs

Goals: 3 (2x), last – 11/3/07 at TB
 Assists: 3, 1/2/08 at CAR
 Points: 4 (3x), last – 1/2/08 at CAR (1g, 3a)
 Shots: 6 (5x), last – 12/15/07 at OTT
 PIMs: 5, 10/11/07 at BUF
 Plus/Minus: +3 (3x), last – 11/21/07 at WSH
 TOI: 29:53, 11/19/07 vs. TB

TOI	TOI/Game	Faceoff WL	FO Win %	Hits	Takeaways	Giveaways	Blckd Shots	+ / -		
936:28	22:17	7-17	29.17	20	29	39	12	-7		
	GP	G	A	Pts	PIM	PPG	SHG	GWG	Shots	Shot%
Season	42	33	25	58	23	10	2	2	157	21.02
Career	429	235	202	437	305	87	3	29	1598	14.71

18 Marian Hossa R HOH-sah	6'1", 210 01/12/79 (28), Stara Lubovna, SVK	10th NHL / 3rd ATL Season
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Last Goal: JAN 2, 2008 @ CAROLINA (1)

Last Assist: DEC 23, 2007 @ ST. LOUIS (6)

How Acquired: Acquired from Ottawa with Greg de Vries for Dany Heatley on Aug. 23, 2005

Notes:

2007-08 Season Notes

- * Scored the game-winning goal in overtime, the sixth of his career, on Jan. 2 at Carolina

- * Has posted five points (two goals, three assists) in the last eight games
- * Recorded his 13th multi-point game of the season (one goal, one assist) including the game-winning goal in overtime on Dec. 23 at St. Louis.
- * Tallied his 12th multi-point game of the season with two assists on Dec. 22 vs. Montreal
- * Recorded at least one point in seven straight games from Nov. 29 – Dec. 12, posting nine points (three goals, six assists) in that span
- * Registered his 10th multi-point game this season (two assists) on Dec. 12 vs. Boston
- * Recorded his ninth multi-point game of the season (one goal, one assist) and had a plus-two rating on Dec. 5 vs. the NY Islanders
- * Tallied his 10th goal on the season on Dec. 1 at the NY Islanders
- * Tied a franchise record by posting his sixth-consecutive multi-point game (two assists) on Nov. 21 at Washington
- * Recorded two assists for his fifth consecutive multi-point game on Nov. 19 vs. Tampa Bay
- * Registered two points (one goal, one assist) for his third consecutive multi-point contest on Nov. 13 vs. Florida
- * Posted two goals on Nov. 10 vs. Carolina to give him four points (three goals, one assist) over his past two games
- * Registered his second multi-point game of the season with two points (one goal, one assist) on Nov. 3 at Tampa Bay
- * Had a team-high eight shots on goal on Oct. 30 at Montreal
- * Registered his first multi-point game (one goal, one assist) of the season on Oct. 18 vs. the NY Rangers
- * Tallied first goal of the season on Oct. 6 at Tampa Bay

Season vs. Buffalo

- * Has not played against Buffalo this season

Career vs. Buffalo

- * 19 points (10 goals, nine assists) in 35 games

2007-08 Season Highs

Goals: 2 (2x), last – 11/16/07 at CAR
 Assists: 2 (5x), last – 12/22/07 vs. MTL
 Points: 3, 11/16/07 at CAR (2g, 1a)
 Shots: 8, 10/30/07 at MTL
 PIMs: 4, 10/18/07 vs. NYR
 Plus/Minus: +3, 11/16/07 at CAR
 TOI: 28:23, 12/5/07 vs. NYI

TOI	TOI/Game	Faceoff WL	FO Win %	Hits	Takeaways	Giveaways	Blckd Shots	+ / -		
865:22	22:11	2-5	28.57	27	36	19	12	-10		
	GP	G	A	Pts	PIM	PPG	SHG	GWG	Shots	Shot%
Season	39	14	22	36	20	4	2	3	139	10.07
Career	668	284	334	618	379	89	16	47	2183	13.01

22 Ken Klee D	6'1", 210 04/24/71 (36), Indianapolis, IN, USA	13th NHL / 1st ATL Season
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Last Goal: MAR 1, 2007 @ CHICAGO (58)

Last Assist: DEC 27, 2007 vs FLORIDA (4)

How Acquired: Signed as a free agent on July 2, 2007

Notes:

2007-08 Season Notes

- * Tallied one assist, his fifth of the season, and a plus-one rating on Dec. 27 vs. Florida
- * Led the Thrashers with four blocked shots on Dec. 26 at Columbus
- * Led team with two blocked shots, tied for second with two hits and ranked second among defensemen with 21:43 TOI on Dec. 14 vs. Toronto
- * Ranked third among Thrashers defensemen with 20:53 TOI on Dec. 1 at the NY Islanders
- * Led Thrashers defensemen and ranked second overall on the team with 22:51 TOI on Nov. 9 at Florida
- * Played in his 800th career game on Oct. 25 at Nashville
- * His 23:49 TOI ranked third on the team on Oct. 20 at Tampa Bay
- * Registered his first point (assist) of the season on Oct. 13 vs. New Jersey

Season vs. Buffalo

- * Has not played against Buffalo this season

Career vs. Buffalo

- * 12 points (four goals, eight assists) in 37 games

2007-08 Season Highs

Goals: 0
 Assists: 1 (5x), last – 12/27/07 vs. FLA
 Points: 1 (5x), last – 12/27/07 vs. FLA (1a)
 Shots: 4, 10/16/07 at PHI
 PIMs: 4 (4x), last – 1/4/08 vs. CAR
 Plus/Minus: +3 (2x), last – 12/29/07 vs. BOS
 TOI: 26:26, 1/2/08 at CAR

TOI	TOI/Game	Faceoff WL	FO Win %	Hits	Takeaways	Giveaways	Blckd Shots	+ / -
820:45	20:01	0-0	0.00	39	15	12	83	2

	GP	G	A	Pts	PIM	PPG	SHG	GWG	Shots	Shot%
Season	41	0	5	5	36	0	0	0	29	0.00
Career	832	53	126	179	828	6	1	13	975	5.44

23 Jim Slater C	6'0", 195 12/09/82 (25), Petosky, MI, USA	3rd NHL / 3rd ATL Season
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Last Goal: FEB 3, 2007 vs PHILADELPHIA (61)

Last Assist: DEC 20, 2007 vs OTTAWA (4)

How Acquired: Selected in the first round, 30th overall, in the 2002 NHL Entry Draft

Notes:

2007-08 Season Notes

- * Set a career high with two assists on Dec. 7 vs. the NY Rangers
- * Tallied his second assist of the season on Dec. 1 at the NY Islanders
- * Led the Thrashers with three hits on Nov. 29 vs. Toronto
- * Registered his first point (assist) of the season on Nov. 9 at Florida
- * Won six-of-nine (67%) of his face-offs on Nov. 1 at Ottawa
- * Tied for third on the team with three shots on goal on Oct. 10 vs. Ottawa

Season vs. Buffalo

- * Scoreless in one game

Career vs. Buffalo

- * Four assists in seven games

2007-08 Season Highs

Goals: 0

Assists: 2, 12/7/07 vs. NYR

Points: 2, 12/7/07 vs. NYR (2a)

Shots: 4 (2x), last – 12/27/07 vs. FLA

PIMs: 5, 12/20/07 vs. OTT

Plus/Minus: +2, 12/7/07 vs. NYR

TOI: 14:32, 10/13/07 vs. NJ

TOI	TOI/Game	Faceoff WL	FO Win %	Hits	Takeaways	Giveaways	Blckd Shots	+ / -
338:56	8:55	89-107	45.41	44	10	6	16	-8

	GP	G	A	Pts	PIM	PPG	SHG	GWG	Shots	Shot%
Season	38	0	5	5	25	0	0	0	44	0.00
Career	183	15	29	44	133	1	0	2	242	6.20

27 Chris Thorburn R	6'3", 225 06/03/83 (24), Sault Ste. Marie, ON, CAN	3rd NHL / 1st ATL Season
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Last Goal: DEC 18, 2007 vs TAMPA BAY (9)

Last Assist: DEC 20, 2007 vs OTTAWA (8)

How Acquired: Acquired for a third-round selection, 78th overall, in the 2007 NHL Entry Draft on June 22, 2007

Notes:

2007-08 Season Notes

- * Tallied one assist in the Thrashers 4-2 win on Dec. 7 against the NY Rangers
- * Recorded his second point of the season (assist) on Dec. 1 at the NY Islanders
- * Tied a season high with two shots on goal in 6:51 TOI on Nov. 21 at Washington
- * Scored his first goal of the season and first as a Thrasher on Nov. 9 at Florida
- * Made Thrashers debut on Oct. 10 vs. Ottawa

Season vs. Buffalo

- * Has not played against Buffalo this season

Career vs. Buffalo

- * Scoreless in one game

2007-08 Season Highs

Goals: 1 (2x), last – 12/18/07 vs. TB

Assists: 1 (3x), last – 12/20/07 vs. OTT

Points: 1 (5x), last – 12/20/07 vs. OTT (1a)

Shots: 3, 12/15/07 at OTT

PIMs: 12, 10/27/07 at CHI

Plus/Minus: +1 (5x), last – 1/2/08 at CAR

TOI: 12:37, 12/7/07 vs. NYR

TOI	TOI/Game	Faceoff WL	FO Win %	Hits	Takeaways	Giveaways	Blckd Shots	+ / -
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	GP	G	A	Pts	PIM	PPG	SHG	GWG	Shots	Shot%
Season	33	2	3	5	50	0	0	1	30	6.67
Career	74	5	6	11	126	0	0	2	71	7.04

28 Niclas Havelid D HAV-lihd	6'0", 200 04/12/73, (34) Stockholm, SWE	8th NHL / 3rd ATL Season
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Last Goal: NOV 21, 2007 @ WASHINGTON (21)

Last Assist: JAN 2, 2008 @ CAROLINA (1)

How Acquired: Acquired from Anaheim for Kurtis Foster on June 26, 2004

Notes:

2007-08 Season Notes

- * Ranks fourth in the NHL with 102 blocked shots
- * Registered his 11th assist of the season in a 5-4 win at Carolina on Jan. 2
- * Led the Thrashers with three blocked shots and tallied one assist on Dec. 23 at St. Louis
- * Blocked a game-high five shots on Dec. 18 vs. Tampa Bay
- * Played in his 500th career game on Dec. 14 vs. Toronto
- * Tallied his second multiple-point game (two assists) on Dec. 1 at the NY Islanders
- * Scored his first goal of the season and added one assist for his first multi-point game of the season in a 5-1 win at Washington on Nov. 21
- * Tied for a team high with three blocked shots on Oct. 20 at Tampa Bay
- * Tied for a team high with a plus-two rating on Oct. 18 vs. the NY Rangers
- * Registered his first point (assist) of the season on Oct. 13 vs. New Jersey

Season vs. Buffalo

- * Scoreless in one game

Career vs. Buffalo

- * Two points (one goal, one assist) in 14 games

2007-08 Season Highs

Goals: 1, 11/21/07 at WSH
 Assists: 2, 12/1/07 at NYI
 Points: 2 (2x), last – 12/1/07 (2a)
 Shots: 3 (2x), last – 11/21/07 at WSH
 PIMs: 4, 12/31/07 at BOS
 Plus/Minus: +4, 12/1/07 at NYI
 TOI: 26:13, 10/13/07 vs. NJ

TOI	TOI/Game	Faceoff WL	FO Win %	Hits	Takeaways	Giveaways	Blckd Shots	+ / -
859:22	20:27	0-0	0.00	23	13	22	102	6

	GP	G	A	Pts	PIM	PPG	SHG	GWG	Shots	Shot%
Season	42	1	11	12	26	0	0	0	33	3.03
Career	511	32	118	150	278	14	0	12	674	4.75

29 Brad Larsen L	6'0", 210 06/28/77 (30), Nakusp, BC, CAN	8th NHL / 4th ATL Season
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Last Goal: NOV 19, 2007 vs TAMPA BAY (16)

Last Assist: JAN 2, 2008 @ CAROLINA (1)

How Acquired: Claimed on waivers from Colorado on Feb. 25, 2004

Notes:

2007-08 Season Notes

- * Recorded his third assist of the year on Jan. 2 at Carolina
- * Took a season-high four shots on goal on Dec. 27 vs. Florida
- * Earned a plus-one rating in 9:50 TOI on Dec. 18 vs. Tampa Bay
- * Scored his first goal of the season and 19th of his career on Nov. 19 vs. Tampa Bay
- * Tallied his second assist of the season on Pascal Dupuis' game-winning goal on Nov. 3 at Tampa Bay
- * Recorded first point of the season (assist) on Oct. 18 vs. the NY Rangers
- * Logged 17:51 TOI on Oct. 10 vs. Ottawa, third highest among Atlanta forwards

Season vs. Buffalo

- * Scoreless in one game

Career vs. Buffalo

- * Two goals in nine games

2007-08 Season Highs

Goals: 1, 11/19/07 vs. TB

Assists: 1 (3x), last – 1/2/08 at CAR
 Points: 1 (4x), last – 1/2/08 at CAR (1a)
 Shots: 4, 12/27/07 vs. FLA
 PIMs: 4, 12/12/07 vs. BOS
 Plus/Minus: +1 (4x), last – 1/2/08 at CAR
 TOI: 17:51, 10/10/07 vs. OTT

TOI	TOI/Game	Faceoff WL	FO Win %	Hits	Takeaways	Giveaways	Blckd Shots	+ / -		
329:06	10:17	11-16	40.74	27	12	6	8	-6		
	GP	G	A	Pts	PIM	PPG	SHG	GWG	Shots	Shot%
Season	32	1	3	4	4	0	0	0	24	4.17
Career	264	19	29	48	126	1	5	1	203	9.36

36 Eric Boulton L **6'1", 225 08/17/76 (31), Halifax, NS, CAN** **7th NHL / 3rd ATL Season**

Last Goal: DEC 20, 2007 vs OTTAWA (7)

Last Assist: DEC 18, 2007 vs TAMPA BAY (8)

How Acquired: Signed as an unrestricted free agent on Aug. 8, 2005

Notes:

2007-08 Season Notes

- * Scored his third goal of the season on Dec. 20 vs. Ottawa
- * Recorded his second goal of the season on Dec. 7 vs. the NY Rangers
- * Tallied his first goal of the season on Dec. 1 at the NY Islanders
- * Recorded his first point (assist) of the season on Oct. 13 vs. New Jersey

Season vs. Buffalo

- * Scoreless in one game

Career vs. Buffalo

- * Scoreless in six games

2007-08 Season Highs

Goals: 1 (3x), 12/20/07 vs. OTT
 Assists: 1 (2x), last – 12/18/07 vs. TB
 Points: 1 (5x), last - 12/20/07 vs. OTT (1g)
 Shots: 3, 11/24/07 at PIT
 PIMs: 5 (5x), last – 12/29/07 vs. BOS
 Plus/Minus: +1 (5x), last – 12/20/07 vs. OTT
 TOI: 10:51, 12/8/07 at WSH

TOI	TOI/Game	Faceoff WL	FO Win %	Hits	Takeaways	Giveaways	Blckd Shots	+ / -		
278:16	7:19	0-2	0.00	24	13	3	11	-6		
	GP	G	A	Pts	PIM	PPG	SHG	GWG	Shots	Shot%
Season	38	3	2	5	31	0	0	0	32	9.38
Career	306	15	23	38	678	0	0	1	196	7.65

39 Tobias Enstrom D **5'10", 175 11/05/84 (23), Nordingra, SWE** **1st NHL / 1st ATL Season**

Last Goal: NOV 29, 2007 vs TORONTO (18)

Last Assist: JAN 4, 2008 vs CAROLINA

How Acquired: Selected in the eighth round, 239th overall, of the 2003 NHL Entry Draft

Notes:

2007-08 Season Notes

- * Ranks second on Thrashers with 22 assists this season
- * Enters tonight's game with 18 points (one goal, 17 assists) in his previous 25 games
- * Posted his second multi-point game of the season with two assists on Dec. 23 at St. Louis
- * Tallied a career-high three assists for first-career multiple-point game on Nov. 21 at Washington
- * Recorded an assist on Todd White's game-winning overtime goal on Nov. 19 vs. Tampa Bay and has earned a point in four of his last five games
- * Scored his second goal of the season and had a plus-two rating on Nov. 3 at Tampa Bay
- * Led team with 27:33 TOI and had a team-high five blocked shots on Oct. 30 at Montreal
- * Scored his first career NHL goal on Oct. 23 at Toronto
- * Registered first-career NHL point (assist) on Oct. 6 at Tampa Bay
- * Made NHL debut on Oct. 5 against Washington

Season vs. Buffalo

- * Scoreless in one game

Career vs. Buffalo
 * Scoreless in one game

2007-08 Season Highs
 Goals: 1 (3x), last – 11/29/07 vs. TOR
 Assists: 3, 11/21/07 at WSH
 Points: 3, 11/21/07 at WSH (3a)
 Shots: 4 (2x), last - 12/20/07 vs. OTT
 PIMs: 2 (10x), last – 12/31/07 at BOS
 Plus/Minus: +3 (2x), last – 12/1/07 at NYI
 TOI: 29:39, 12/22/07 vs. MTL

TOI	TOI/Game	Faceoff WL	FO Win %	Hits	Takeaways	Giveaways	Blckd Shots	+ / -		
1009:32	24:02	0-0	0.00	9	19	30	56	4		
	GP	G	A	Pts	PIM	PPG	SHG	GWG	Shots	Shot%
Season	42	3	22	25	22	2	0	0	50	6.00
Career	42	3	22	25	22	2	0	0	50	6.00

45 Kevin Doell C	5'11", 190 07/15/79 (28), Saskatoon, SK, CAN	1st NHL / 1st ATL Season
DOH-ehl		

Last Goal: Last Assist:

How Acquired: Signed as an unrestricted free agent in June 30, 2004

Notes:
 2007-08 Season Notes
 * Won four-of-six (67%) face-offs and saw 9:37 TOI in his NHL debut on Jan. 4 vs. Carolina
 * Has recorded 14 points (seven goals, seven assists) in 33 games with Chicago (AHL)
 * Recorded his first hat trick of the season in 10-2 victory at Iowa on Dec. 15
 * Tallied points in back-to-back games on two occasions, Oct. 19-21 (two assists) and Dec. 7-8 (one goal, two assists)
 * Registered three multi-point games with the Wolves this season

Career vs. Buffalo
 * Has never played against Buffalo

2007-08 Season Highs
 Goals: -
 Assists: -
 Points: -
 Shots: 1, 1/4/08 vs. CAR
 PIMs: 2, 1/4/08 vs. CAR
 Plus/Minus: 0, 1/4/08 vs. CAR
 TOI: 9:37, 1/4/08 vs. CAR

TOI	TOI/Game	Faceoff WL	FO Win %	Hits	Takeaways	Giveaways	Blckd Shots	+ / -		
9:37	9:37	4-2	66.67	1	1	0	1	0		
	GP	G	A	Pts	PIM	PPG	SHG	GWG	Shots	Shot%
Season	1	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	1	0.00
Career	1	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	1	0.00

49 Colin Stuart L	6'2", 205 07/08/82 (25), Rochester, MN, USA	1st NHL / 1st ATL Season
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Last Goal: DEC 31, 2007 @ BOSTON (2) **Last Assist:** DEC 29, 2007 vs BOSTON (3)

How Acquired: Selected in the fifth round, 135th overall, of the 2001 NHL Entry Draft

Notes:
 2007-08 Season Notes
 * Recorded his first-career NHL goal in his second game on Dec. 31 at Boston
 * Registered one assist and a plus-two rating in his NHL debut on Dec. 29 vs. Boston
 * Earned his first NHL recall on Dec. 28 after starting the season with the Chicago Wolves (AHL)
 * Tallied six points (three goals, three assists), along with a plus-one rating in 29 games with Chicago
 * Registered points in back-to-back game on Dec. 8 and Dec. 13, tallying two points (one goal, one assist) in that span
 * Recorded a season-high two points (one goal, one assist) on Oct. 21 at Peoria

Career vs. Buffalo
 * Has never played against Buffalo

2007-08 Season Highs
 Goals: 1, 12/31/07 at BOS
 Assists: 1, 12/29/07 vs. BOS
 Points: 1 (2x), 12/31/07 at BOS (1g)

Shots: 4, 12/31/07 at BOS
 PIMs: -
 Plus/Minus: +2, 12/29/07 vs. BOS
 TOI: 13:16, 1/2/08 at CAR

TOI	TOI/Game	Faceoff WL	FO Win %	Hits	Takeaways	Giveaways	Blckd Shots	+ / -		
45:10	11:17	0-0	0.00	8	1	0	2	3		
	GP	G	A	Pts	PIM	PPG	SHG	GWG	Shots	Shot%
Season	4	1	1	2	0	0	0	0	6	16.67
Career	4	1	1	2	0	0	0	0	6	16.67

77 Alexei Zhitnik D
(ZHIHT-nihk, al-EHX-ay)

5'11", 225 10/10/72 (35), Kiev, UKR

14th NHL / 1st ATL Season

Last Goal: DEC 29, 2007 vs BOSTON (3)

Last Assist: DEC 29, 2007 vs BOSTON (3)

How Acquired: Acquired from Philadelphia for defenseman Braydon Coburn on Feb. 24, 2007

Notes:

2007-08 Season Notes

- * Recorded his first goal of the season and added one assist on Dec. 29 vs. Boston
- * Took four shots on goal and earned a plus-one rating on Dec. 27 vs. Florida
- * Led the team with four hits on Nov. 9 at Florida
- * Landed a team-high four hits on Nov. 3 at Tampa Bay
- * Recorded one assist in season-opening game on Oct. 5 against Washington

Season vs. Buffalo

- * Scoreless in one game

Career vs. Buffalo

- * Six points (three goals, three assists) in 12 games

2007-08 Season Highs

Goals: 1, 12/29/07 vs. BOS

Assists: 1 (3x), last – 12/29/07 vs. BOS

Points: 2, 12/29/07 vs. BOS (1g, 1a)

Shots: 5 (4x), last – 12/20/07 vs. OTT

PIMs: 4 (3x), last – 11/10/07 vs. CAR

Plus/Minus: +3, 12/29/07 vs. BOS

TOI: 29:16, 10/5/07 vs. WSH

TOI	TOI/Game	Faceoff WL	FO Win %	Hits	Takeaways	Giveaways	Blckd Shots	+ / -		
771:06	18:21	0-0	0.00	45	15	16	42	-9		
	GP	G	A	Pts	PIM	PPG	SHG	GWG	Shots	Shot%
Season	42	1	4	5	38	0	0	0	60	1.67
Career	1062	94	374	468	1248	47	5	12	2169	4.33

Skaters on Injured Reserve List

Steve Ruchin C	6'2", 210, 07/04/71 (36), Thunder Bay, ON, CAN	13th NHL / 2nd ATL Season
ROO-chihh		

Last Goal: NOV 24, 2006 @ TAMPA BAY (23)

Last Assist: FEB 6, 2007 vs BUFFALO (1)

How Acquired: Signed as unrestricted free agent on July 3, 2006

Notes:

2007 Preseason

* Missed entire preseason due to injury

2006-07 Season Highlights

*Recorded 21 points (five goals, 16 assists) in 47 games

TOI	TOI/Game	Faceoff WL	FO Win %	Hits	Takeaways	Giveaways	Blckd Shots	+ / -		
0:00	0:00	0-0	0.00	0	0	0	0	0		
	GP	G	A	Pts	PIM	PPG	SHG	GWG	Shots	Shot%
Season	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.00
Career	735	171	318	489	164	63	7	24	1317	12.98

Skaters

4 Nolan Pratt D	6'3", 207, 08/14/75 (32), Fort McMurray, AB, CAN	11th NHL / 1st BUF Season
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Last Goal: DEC 12, 2007 vs NY ISLANDERS

Last Assist: DEC 8, 2007 @ SAN JOSE (2)

How Acquired: Signed as unrestricted free agent on November 1, 2007.

Notes:

2007-08:

-Signed with Sabres on November 1/07.

TOI	TOI/Game	Faceoff WL	FO Win %	Hits	Takeaways	Giveaways	Blckd Shots	+ / -			
185:01	13:12	0-0	0.0	13.0	1.0	6.0	20.0	2.0			
		GP	G	A	Pts	PIM	PPG	SHG	GWG	Shots	Shot%
Season		14	1	3	4	8	0	0	0	6	16.7
Career		551	9	53	62	515	0	0	3	307	2.9

5 Toni Lydman D (LOOD-man)	6'1", 204 09/25/77 (30), Lahti, FIN	7th NHL / 3rd BUF Season
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Last Goal: DEC 12, 2007 vs NY ISLANDERS (10)

Last Assist: DEC 15, 2007 vs CHICAGO (8)

How Acquired: Acquired from Calgary on Aug. 25, 2005, in exchange for Buffalo's third-round selection in the 2006 NHL Entry Draft.

Notes:

2006-07:

-led the Sabres with 167 blocked shots

-matched career high with a pair of three-game point streaks

TOI	TOI/Game	Faceoff WL	FO Win %	Hits	Takeaways	Giveaways	Blckd Shots	+ / -			
814:24	20:52	0-0	0.00	74	7	42	70	2			
		GP	G	A	Pts	PIM	PPG	SHG	GWG	Shots	Shot%
Season		39	1	9	10	34	0	0	0	43	2.33
Career		470	23	116	139	311	7	0	2	597	3.85

6 Jaroslav Spacek D (SPAH-chehk, YA-roh-slahv)	5'11", 204 02/11/74 (33), Rokycany, CZE	9th NHL / 2nd BUF Season
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Last Goal: DEC 22, 2007 @ PHILADELPHIA (5)

Last Assist: DEC 26, 2007 vs OTTAWA (4)

How Acquired: Signed as an unrestricted free agent on July 5, 2006.

Notes:

2006-07:

-Led all Sabres defensemen with two GWG

-Fifth on the team with 103 blocked shots

TOI	TOI/Game	Faceoff WL	FO Win %	Hits	Takeaways	Giveaways	Blckd Shots	+ / -			
732:06	23:36	0-0	0.00	45	8	21	43	4			
		GP	G	A	Pts	PIM	PPG	SHG	GWG	Shots	Shot%
Season		31	8	12	20	20	6	0	1	62	12.90
Career		592	64	182	246	455	28	3	10	966	6.63

9 Derek Roy C ROI	5'9", 188 05/04/83 (24), Ottawa, ON, CAN	4th NHL / 4th BUF Season
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Last Goal: DEC 19, 2007 @ NY ISLANDERS (7)

Last Assist: DEC 26, 2007 vs OTTAWA (4)

How Acquired: Selected in the second round (32nd overall) in the 2001 NHL Entry Draft.

Notes:

2006-07:

-Set career highs in goals (21), assists (42) and points (63)
 -Second on the team in plus/minus with +37

TOI	TOI/Game	Faceoff WL	FO Win %	Hits	Takeaways	Giveaways	Blckd Shots	+ / -		
787:16	20:11	354-316	52.84	24	25	41	25	5		
	GP	G	A	Pts	PIM	PPG	SHG	GWG	Shots	Shot%
Season	39	13	17	30	32	3	2	2	91	14.29
Career	233	61	97	158	161	15	4	10	443	13.77

10 Henrik Tallinder D 6'3", 214 01/10/79 (28), Stockholm, SWE 5th NHL / 5th BUF Season
 (tah-LEEN-duhr)

Last Goal: FEB 24, 2007 @ OTTAWA (51)

Last Assist: DEC 21, 2007 vs PHILADELPHIA (6)

How Acquired: Buffalo's second-round draft choice (48th overall) in 1997 NHL Entry Draft,

Notes:

2006-07:

-Scored a career-high two goals @ OTT (2/24)

-Missed 35 games due to injuries

TOI	TOI/Game	Faceoff WL	FO Win %	Hits	Takeaways	Giveaways	Blckd Shots	+ / -		
654:00	21:05	0-0	0.00	17	10	19	54	3		
	GP	G	A	Pts	PIM	PPG	SHG	GWG	Shots	Shot%
Season	31	0	4	4	28	0	0	0	33	0.00
Career	280	14	48	62	190	1	1	1	250	5.60

12 Ales Kotalik R 6'1", 227 12/23/78 (28), Jindr Hradec, CZE 5th NHL / 5th BUF Season
 (KOH-tuh-lihk, AH-lesh)

Last Goal: JAN 4, 2008 vs OTTAWA

Last Assist: DEC 22, 2007 @ PHILADELPHIA (5)

How Acquired: Buffalo's sixth-round choice (164th overall) in the 1998 NHL Entry Draft.

Notes:

2006-07:

-5-for-7 in shootouts; second in the NHL with four shootout deciding goals

-Picked up a career-high three assists vs. TB (11/20)

TOI	TOI/Game	Faceoff WL	FO Win %	Hits	Takeaways	Giveaways	Blckd Shots	+ / -		
557:30	15:04	35-40	46.67	60	4	14	5	0		
	GP	G	A	Pts	PIM	PPG	SHG	GWG	Shots	Shot%
Season	37	13	9	22	26	7	0	1	93	13.98
Career	328	91	96	187	207	26	0	15	817	11.14

19 Tim Connolly C 6'1", 190 05/07/81 (26), Syracuse, NY, USA 6th NHL / 4th BUF Season

Last Goal: DEC 14, 2007 @ WASHINGTON (7)

Last Assist: JAN 4, 2008 vs OTTAWA

How Acquired: Acquired from the N.Y. Islanders with Taylor Pyatt, June 24, 2001, in exchange for Michael Peca.

Notes:

2006-07:

-Missed 80 games due to injury

-nine points (0+9) in 16 playoff games

TOI	TOI/Game	Faceoff WL	FO Win %	Hits	Takeaways	Giveaways	Blckd Shots	+ / -		
597:23	18:40	164-176	48.24	13	8	20	23	2		
	GP	G	A	Pts	PIM	PPG	SHG	GWG	Shots	Shot%
Season	32	5	24	29	8	2	1	3	76	6.58
Career	422	68	162	230	190	25	2	12	747	9.10

20 Daniel Paille L Pie-yay	6'0", 197 04/15/84 (23), Welland, ON, CAN	2nd NHL / 2nd BUF Season
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Last Goal: NOV 23, 2007 vs MONTREAL (17)

Last Assist: JAN 1, 2008 vs PITTSBURGH (1)

How Acquired: Buffalo's first-round choice (20th overall) in 2002 NHL Entry Draft.

Notes:

2006-07:

-Scored career-high two goals vs. BOS (1/17)

-Recalled from Rochester (AHL) on five separate occasions during the season

TOI	TOI/Game	Faceoff WL	FO Win %	Hits	Takeaways	Giveaways	Blckd Shots	+ / -		
428:12	11:34	11-20	35.48	32	6	14	12	8		
	GP	G	A	Pts	PIM	PPG	SHG	GWG	Shots	Shot%
Season	37	5	11	16	12	0	2	1	40	12.50
Career	80	9	21	30	32	0	2	1	100	9.00

21 Drew Stafford R	6'2", 202 10/30/85 (21), Milwaukee, WI, USA	0 NHL / 0 BUF Season
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Last Goal: DEC 21, 2007 vs PHILADELPHIA (3)

Last Assist: JAN 4, 2008 vs OTTAWA

How Acquired: Buffalo's first round choice (13th overall) in the 2004 Entry Draft.

Notes:

2006-07:

-Recalled from Rochester (AHL) on nine separate occasions during the season. -Named NHL Rookie of the Month for March after scoring 13 pts (9+4) in 15 gms.

TOI	TOI/Game	Faceoff WL	FO Win %	Hits	Takeaways	Giveaways	Blckd Shots	+ / -		
432:59	13:07	6-5	54.55	25	9	14	9	0		
	GP	G	A	Pts	PIM	PPG	SHG	GWG	Shots	Shot%
Season	33	8	8	16	25	0	0	2	57	14.04
Career	74	21	22	43	58	3	0	5	124	16.94

22 Adam Mair C (MAIR)	6'1", 208 02/15/79 (28), Hamilton, ON, CAN	8th NHL / 5th BUF Season
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Last Goal: DEC 26, 2007 vs OTTAWA (4)

Last Assist: DEC 8, 2007 @ SAN JOSE (12)

How Acquired: Acquired from Los Angeles on July 24, 2002, along with a fifth-round draft pick in the 2003 NHL Entry Draft in exchange for Erik Rasmussen.

Notes:

2006-07:

-Played in all 82 games for the first time in his career.

-46 of his 126 PIMs came in two games.

TOI	TOI/Game	Faceoff WL	FO Win %	Hits	Takeaways	Giveaways	Blckd Shots	+ / -		
231:33	7:59	46-68	40.35	41	4	5	9	-5		
	GP	G	A	Pts	PIM	PPG	SHG	GWG	Shots	Shot%
Season	29	4	2	6	26	0	0	1	31	12.90
Career	363	22	44	66	576	1	1	3	348	6.32

26 Thomas Vanek L	6'2", 208 01/19/84 (23), Vienna, AUT	3rd NHL / 3rd BUF Season
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Last Goal: DEC 22, 2007 @ PHILADELPHIA (5)

Last Assist: JAN 4, 2008 vs OTTAWA

How Acquired: Selected in the first round (fifth overall) in the 2003 NHL Entry Draft.

Notes:

2006-07:

-Set new career highs in goals (43), assists (41) and points (84).

-Led the NHL in plus/minus with +47
 -First Sabre to score 40+ goals since Miro Satan in 1998-99

TOI	TOI/Game	Faceoff WL	FO Win %	Hits	Takeaways	Giveaways	Blckd Shots	+ / -		
642:36	16:28	5-4	55.56	22	19	30	13	2		
	GP	G	A	Pts	PIM	PPG	SHG	GWG	Shots	Shot%
Season	39	11	13	24	38	4	0	2	100	11.00
Career	202	79	77	156	150	30	0	11	541	14.60

28 Paul Gaustad C 6'4", 229 02/03/82 (25), Fargo, ND, USA 2nd NHL / 2nd BUF Season
 GAW-stad

Last Goal: DEC 8, 2007 @ SAN JOSE (12)

Last Assist: DEC 28, 2007 @ NEW JERSEY (3)

How Acquired: Buffalo's seventh-round selection (220th overall) in the 2000 NHL Entry Draft.

Notes:

2006-07:

-Missed 28 games due to injury - severed tendon in left ankle vs. OTT on Feb. 7.

-Scored career-high three points (2+1) vs. TB (11/20).

TOI	TOI/Game	Faceoff WL	FO Win %	Hits	Takeaways	Giveaways	Blckd Shots	+ / -		
664:02	17:01	302-272	52.61	94	13	8	28	0		
	GP	G	A	Pts	PIM	PPG	SHG	GWG	Shots	Shot%
Season	39	6	13	19	53	5	0	1	77	7.79
Career	172	24	41	65	192	8	0	1	265	9.06

29 Jason Pominville R 6'0", 186 11/30/82 (25), Repentigny, QC, CAN 3rd NHL / 3rd BUF Season

Last Goal: DEC 22, 2007 @ PHILADELPHIA (5)

Last Assist: JAN 4, 2008 vs OTTAWA

How Acquired: Buffalo's second-round choice (55th overall) in the 2001 NHL Entry Draft.

Notes:

2006-07:

-Finished with career highs in goals (34), assists (34) and points (68)

-Second on the team with two SHG

-Scored goals in six consecutive games from Oct. 20 to Nov. 2.

TOI	TOI/Game	Faceoff WL	FO Win %	Hits	Takeaways	Giveaways	Blckd Shots	+ / -		
743:26	19:03	12-14	46.15	17	17	14	17	4		
	GP	G	A	Pts	PIM	PPG	SHG	GWG	Shots	Shot%
Season	39	9	23	32	6	1	1	0	106	8.49
Career	179	61	69	130	58	13	5	7	445	13.71

37 Michael Ryan C 6'1", 188 05/16/80 (27), Boston, MA, USA - NHL / - BUF Season

Last Goal: JAN 4, 2008 vs OTTAWA

Last Assist: NOV 24, 2007 @ MONTREAL (12)

How Acquired: Acquired from Dallas with a second-round choice in the 2003 NHL Entry Draft on March 10, 2003, in exchange for Stu Barnes.

Notes:

2006-07:

-Scored two natural hat tricks with Rochester (AHL)

-Made NHL debut on Nov. 22 vs TOR.

TOI	TOI/Game	Faceoff WL	FO Win %	Hits	Takeaways	Giveaways	Blckd Shots	+ / -		
247:36	9:10	0-1	0.00	16	4	4	9	-1		
	GP	G	A	Pts	PIM	PPG	SHG	GWG	Shots	Shot%
Season	27	3	3	6	24	0	0	0	40	7.50
Career	46	6	5	11	26	0	1	0	74	8.11

38 Nathan Paetsch D 5'11", 198 03/30/83, (24) Leroyldt, SK, CAN 2nd NHL / 2nd BUF Season

Last Goal: OCT 27, 2007 @ TAMPA BAY (29)

Last Assist: DEC 22, 2007 @ PHILADELPHIA (5)

How Acquired: Selected in the seventh round (202nd overall) in the 2003 NHL Entry Draft.

Notes:

2006-07:

-Nine (0+9) of his 24 points were scored on the power play.

-Scored first NHL goal @ TOR on Mar. 3.

TOI	TOI/Game	Faceoff WL	FO Win %	Hits	Takeaways	Giveaways	Blckd Shots	+ / -		
552:34	14:10	0-0	0.00	21	3	14	39	-1		
	GP	G	A	Pts	PIM	PPG	SHG	GWG	Shots	Shot%
Season	39	1	6	7	23	0	0	0	32	3.13
Career	103	3	29	32	73	0	0	0	94	3.19

45 Dmitri Kalinin D 6'3", 206 07/22/80 (27), Chelyabinsk, RUS 7th NHL / 7th BUF Season
(kah-LIHN-ihn)

Last Goal: APR 3, 2007 @ PITTSBURGH (19)

Last Assist: OCT 5, 2007 vs NY ISLANDERS (15)

How Acquired: Buffalo's first-round choice (18th overall) in 1998 NHL Entry Draft.

Notes:

2006-07:

-Played in a career-high 82 games.

-Four of his seven goals were the first goal scored in a game.

TOI	TOI/Game	Faceoff WL	FO Win %	Hits	Takeaways	Giveaways	Blckd Shots	+ / -		
257:58	16:07	0-0	0.00	9	4	8	18	-3		
	GP	G	A	Pts	PIM	PPG	SHG	GWG	Shots	Shot%
Season	16	0	1	1	10	0	0	0	17	0.00
Career	436	33	105	138	267	7	3	4	509	6.48

51 Brian Campbell D 6'0", 191 05/23/79 (28), Strathroy, ON, CAN 7th NHL / 7th BUF Season

Last Goal: JAN 1, 2008 vs PITTSBURGH (1)

Last Assist: JAN 4, 2008 vs OTTAWA

How Acquired: Buffalo's sixth-round choice (156th overall) in 1997 NHL Entry Draft.

Notes:

2006-07:

-Posted career highs in assists (42) and points (48).

-Led Sabres defensemen in scoring.

-Voted in as Eastern Conference starter for All-Star Game.

TOI	TOI/Game	Faceoff WL	FO Win %	Hits	Takeaways	Giveaways	Blckd Shots	+ / -		
993:21	25:28	0-0	0.00	41	9	28	46	3		
	GP	G	A	Pts	PIM	PPG	SHG	GWG	Shots	Shot%
Season	39	4	23	27	2	3	0	0	63	6.35
Career	367	31	129	160	103	9	0	7	442	7.01

55 Jochen Hecht C 6'1", 191 06/21/77 (30), Mannheim, DEU 9th NHL / 5th BUF Season
(HESHT, yoh-KIN)

Last Goal: JAN 4, 2008 vs OTTAWA

Last Assist: DEC 22, 2007 @ PHILADELPHIA (5)

How Acquired: Acquired from Edmonton on June 22, 2002, in exchange for the 31st and 36th picks in the 2002 NHL Entry Draft.

Notes:

Named Buffalo's captain for month of October 2007.

2006-07:

-Finished with a career-high 56 points (19+37); tied career-highs in assists.

-Had 14 points (2+12) in 10 games from Feb. 10-Mar. 7.

TOI	TOI/Game	Faceoff WL	FO Win %	Hits	Takeaways	Giveaways	Blckd Shots	+ / -		
718:13	18:24	174-234	42.65	22	16	23	24	-2		
	GP	G	A	Pts	PIM	PPG	SHG	GWG	Shots	Shot%
Season	39	14	9	23	20	1	0	2	114	12.28
Career	512	124	193	317	308	30	6	14	1372	9.04

61 Maxim Afinogenov R 6'0", 191 09/04/79 (28), Moscow, RUS 8th NHL / 8th BUF Season
(ah-fihn-ah-GEHN-ahf)

Last Goal: DEC 22, 2007 @ PHILADELPHIA (4)

Last Assist: DEC 22, 2007 @ PHILADELPHIA (4)

How Acquired: Buffalo's third-round choice (69th overall) in the 1997 NHL Entry Draft.

Notes:

2006-07:

-Second consecutive 20-goal season, and third of his career.

-Scored a career-high four assists and five points (1+4) vs. PHIL (10/17).

TOI	TOI/Game	Faceoff WL	FO Win %	Hits	Takeaways	Giveaways	Blckd Shots	+ / -		
626:16	16:28	1-2	33.33	16	13	25	3	-10		
	GP	G	A	Pts	PIM	PPG	SHG	GWG	Shots	Shot%
Season	38	7	11	18	30	1	0	1	79	8.86
Career	503	125	179	304	408	32	1	20	1248	10.02

76 Andrew Peters L 6'4", 247 05/05/80 (27), St. Catharines, ON, CAN 4th NHL / 4th BUF Season

Last Goal: FEB 20, 2007 vs PHILADELPHIA (42)

Last Assist: DEC 26, 2006 vs WASHINGTON (56)

How Acquired: Buffalo's second-round choice (34th overall) in the 1998 NHL Entry Draft (from N.Y. Rangers).

Notes:

2006-07:

-Scored the third goal of his career vs. PHIL (2/20)

-Recorded his first career assist on Chris Drury's goal vs. WSH (12/26).

TOI	TOI/Game	Faceoff WL	FO Win %	Hits	Takeaways	Giveaways	Blckd Shots	+ / -		
74:27	2:45	0-0	0.00	17	0	4	2	-3		
	GP	G	A	Pts	PIM	PPG	SHG	GWG	Shots	Shot%
Season	27	0	0	0	51	0	0	0	7	0.00
Career	155	3	1	4	427	0	0	0	51	5.88