

The World Hockey Association Fact Book & The Complete World Hockey Association, 9e.

A side-by-side comparison of its contents, similarities and differences

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Topic	The WHA Fact Book, 2nd Edition 5.5 inches by 8.5 inches, 406 pages	The Complete WHA, 10e 8 inches by 10 inches, 550 pages
A Brief History of the World Hockey Association	Yes	Yes
Team Histories and Records	Yes, but with shorter exposition	Yes, with more exposition
Founders and Executives	Yes	Yes
Seasonal Chapters	Yes	Yes
Standings	Yes	Yes
Line Scores, regular season and playoffs	Yes, includes goals by periods only.	Yes, includes goals by periods, shots on goal by periods, goaltenders, goal scorers, all overtime goal times, and other interesting facts about the game.
Overtime goal scorers	Yes, as its own feature	Yes, included above
Playoff Scores	Yes	Yes
Playoff Game Summaries	Yes	Yes
Playoff Standings	No	Yes
Playoff Statistical leaders	No	Yes
Attendance Figures	No	Yes
Team Thumbnails	Yes	Yes
Game Scores sorted by team	No	Yes, grouped by team and then game-by-game with running record, points and gf-ga.
Splits (home/away, vs. teams, by month)	No	Yes
Player Statistics, Regular Season & Playoffs	Yes: GP, G, A, Pts, PIM for players; GP, MIN, GA, ShO, W-L-T, GAA for goaltenders	Yes: GP, G, A, Pts, PIM, +/-, PPG, SHG, SOG, Sc% for players, GP, MIN, GA, EN, ShO, W-L-T, GAA, SA, Sv% for goaltenders
Player positions and uniform numbers	No	Yes
Transactions	Yes	Yes
Statistical Leaders	Yes, only the leaders	Yes, top five
Shutouts	Yes, grouped at the end of the book	Yes, grouped in line scores
All-Star Rosters and Summaries	Yes, as its own chapter	Yes, grouped in with yearly summaries
Draft and Dispersal Lists	Yes, with significant updating to player names and clubs, especially from the 1972 draft.	Yes, with significant updating to player names and clubs, especially from the 1972 draft.
Player & Goaltender Register	No	Yes
Coach Register	No	Yes
Player & Goaltender Career Totals	Yes	Yes
Coaches Career Totals	Yes	Yes
All-time scoring and goaltending grouped by franchise	Yes	No
First goals scored by each player	No	Yes
Significant Game Summaries	Yes, expanded over previous editions with 70 summaries	Yes, expanded over previous editions with 70 summaries
International Competition	Yes	Yes
The WHA-2 (2004)	No	Yes
Anecdotal Items	Yes	Yes
Player Photo Register	Yes: over 790 of the 807 players to have played in the WHA are included	Player images are interspersed throughout, with over 200 images
Memoriam Page	No	Yes
Research methods and Bibliography	Yes	Yes, with longer exposition to account for extra features within the book.
Fit in your travel case?	Yes	Maybe