



32nd IFPA WORLD FOOTBAG CHAMPIONSHIPS

July 31-August 6, 2011

Helsinki, Finland

Open doubles net finals

Competitors:

Florian Götze from Frankfurt, Germany - Club Frankfurt Footbag e.v. + Manu Bouchard from Montreal, Canada - Club Aki Québec vs Janne Uusitalo + Matti Pohjola respectively from Helsinki and Turku, Finland - Club Footbag Finland



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Florian Götze + Manu Bouchard win 22-20 21-19

Advanced Statistics	Service errors				Unforced Errors			
	Game 1	Game 2	Game 3	Total service errors	Game 1	Game 2	Game 3	Total unforced including service errors
Florian Götze	2	1	0	3	6	3	0	12
Manu Bouchard	0	0	0	0	2	2	0	4
Total Frankfurt-Akiq	2	1	0	3	8	5	0	16
Janne Uusitalo	1	0	0	1	1	3	0	5
Matti Pohjola	1	0	0	1	3	2	0	6
Total Finland	2	0	0	2	4	5	0	11

Advanced Statistics	Winners				Differential			
	Game 1	Game 2	Game 3	Total Winners	Game 1	Game 2	Game 3	Total difference Winners over Unforced errors
Florian Götze	8	10	0	18	0	6	0	6
Manu Bouchard	9	7	0	16	7	5	0	12
Total Frankfurt-Akiq	17	17	0	34	7	11	0	18
Janne Uusitalo	4	4	0	8	2	1	0	3
Matti Pohjola	5	6	0	11	1	4	0	5
Total Finland	9	10	0	19	3	5	0	8

Analysis

Oh was this match a close one in scores. As we can see with the stats team Finland had less unforced errors in total than their opponents but also a lot less winners. Either their shots were not powerful enough or team Akiq-Frankfurt had better defence. I think it's a combination of both. Also better play construction can lead to more winners so the quality of serves can derail the play from the beginning. The most interesting point about this confrontation is that the four players combined for a combined + 26 differential - so much more winners than unforced errors which is great for spectators.

[The complete match from A to Z with all scores added + lots of slow motion is available on demand here](#)