

1 England

no. 9 Leisa KING (FG) 24:38

2 Japan

no. 11 Tomomi KOMORI (PC) 41:50

no. 9 Kaori CHIBA (FG) 68:01

Time Commentary

70:00 FULL TIME: ENG had more chances but didn't know how to use them. Finally JPN were lucky scoring their leading goal just before the end of the match. JPN wins this match 2-1 and ends 3rd placed of this tournament.

68:01 Goal

Nice goal, Sakae MORIMOTO hits the ball in front of ENG goal and CHIBA just dives in it and deflects it into the net.

65:37 Shot hits ENG foot. Ball for JPN.

64:23 PC for ENG

63:54 Nice ENG attack over right side. Shot saved by TERAZONO.

57:44 ENG free hit saved by JPN Emi SAKURAI.

55:33 First and second shot saved by goalkeeper Beth STORRY

54:44 Again JPN earn a PC following a free hit.

53:49 JPN tried to pass the ball back to the inserter, but she was already next to the goal. So the ball passes backline.

52:40 Following a free hit at ENG circle, JPN earn another PC.

51:23 Shot misses the goal wide.

50:38 PC for JPN

49:52 Jennie BIMSON plays a long pass on left post, unfortunately Alex SCOTT comes 1 step too late.

48:41 Tina CULLEN's shot saved by TERAZONO. This shot followed a combination in midfield.

44:42 Straight shot on lying TERAZONO by Kate WALSH

43:50 ENG earn a PC

41:50 Goal

Following a long variation KOMORI's shot finds the goal.

41:10 PC for JPN

38:49 JPN attack over right side blocked by ENG defense at 25-yard line.

35:00 HALF TIME: ENG controled these 35 minutes and are leading deservedly 1-0.

32:21 High shot. Ball for ENG.

31:04 PC for JPN

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- 29:54 Free hit for ENG at JPN circle is shot high by WALKER. Ball for JPN.
- 27:00 Kate WALSH passes the ball to left post, but no ENG reach it.
- 25:45 PC for ENG
- 24:38 Goal
Beautiful goal by Leisa KING. Following a free hit, the ball is passed inside the circle and KING hits it into the net.
- 20:12 When ENG faced JPN in round robin, they were defeated 0-4. At the moment ENG seem to control this match.
- 13:58 Sakae MORIMOTO`s shot misses the ENG goal.
- 12:58 Lucilla WRIGHT`s first shot is saved by TERAZONO, then CLEWLOW only hits the post.
- 11:58 Same situation. Again PC for ENG.
- 11:03 Kate WALSH`s shot hits a JPN foot. Another PC for ENG
- 10:12 PC for ENG
- 06:15 Free hit for ENG at JPN circle blocked by defense.
- 04:42 The game, delayed because of thunderstorms, begins aggressively. Both teams had good attacks during the first minutes.
- 00:10 Welcome at Rabobank Champions Challenge for today`s second game between England and Japan for 3rd place. Due to the weather here in Virginia Beach the match starts with a delay of 90 min. Thank you for your patience.