

NameChange-Guide

This is for the names in the game's general roster database, for more info about this, read below in [To share your Roster](#).

To know if any of these guys is still active in the league, head over to Elite Prospects <https://www.eliteprospects.com/league/nhl> (<https://www.eliteprospects.com/league/nhl>) and enter their names in the search bar.

Tools

- UMDgen <https://www.romhacking.net/utilities/1218/> (<https://www.romhacking.net/utilities/1218/>),
- BigGUI <https://dl.fifa-infinity.com/fifa-09/biggui-tool/> (<https://dl.fifa-infinity.com/fifa-09/biggui-tool/>),
- NHLView <http://www.artemkh.com/nhl/nhlview/> (<http://www.artemkh.com/nhl/nhlview/>),

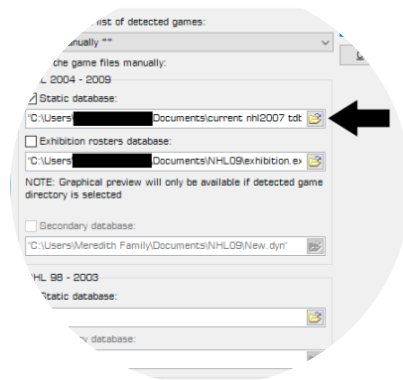
NHL-view-name-change-guide by Krossbar Kenny

First, if you don't have it, download NHL View <http://www.artemkh.com/files/nhlview/nhlview.zip> (<http://www.artemkh.com/files/nhlview/nhlview.zip>).

Then, get the latest version of the .tdb file

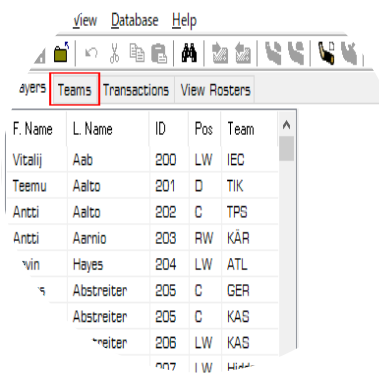
Rename "nhl2007.tdb" to "nhl2007PC.tdb" using BigGUI <https://dl.fifa-infinity.com/fifa-09/biggui-tool/> (<https://dl.fifa-infinity.com/fifa-09/biggui-tool/>), and edit db.viv in NHLView

Next, click Open and this window comes up



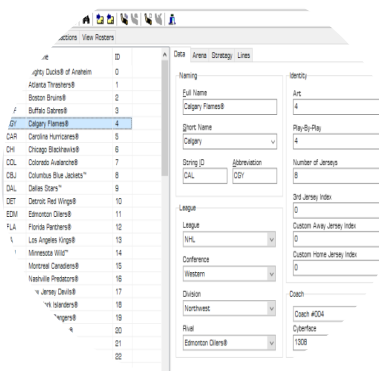
make sure the top dropdown menu says Pick Manually Click on the button shown with the arrow, and select the tdb file you downloaded Click Open

The top part of the screen should look like this

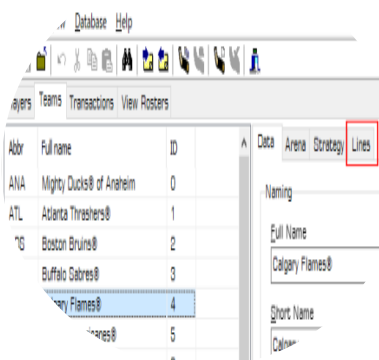


click the L. Name tab to sort in alphabetical order Next, click the Teams tab (in red)

When you click on a team name, you get this screen



Next, click on the Lines tab (in red)



This glorious mess of a screen should appear:

No.	F. Name	L. Name	Pos	Overall	Status	Health
36	Dion	Phaneuf	D	91	Dressed	Healthy
4	Roman	Hamrik	D	86	Dressed	Healthy
7	Bryan	Marchment	D	79	Scratched	Healthy
10	Tony	Amonte	RW	83	Dressed	Healthy
11	Stephane	Yelle	C	81	Dressed	Healthy
12	Jerome	Iginla	RW	86	Dressed	Healthy
13	Jeff	Friesen	LW	82	Scratched	Healthy
14	Andre	Zvornin	D	80	Scratched	Healthy
15	Byron	Richie	C	83	Dressed	Healthy
16	Matthew	Lombardi	C	85	Dressed	Healthy
17	Chris	Simon	LW	79	Dressed	Healthy
18	Alex	Tanguay	LW	88	Dressed	Healthy
19	Chuck	Kobasev	RW	83	Dressed	Healthy
20	Kristian	Huselius	RW	84	Dressed	Healthy
21	Andrew	Ference	D	84	Dressed	Healthy
22	Daymond	Langlois	C	87	Dressed	Healthy
23	Eric	Nystrom	LW	77	Minor	Healthy
24	Janis	Lundmark	C	80	Dressed	Healthy
25	Darren	McCarthy	RW	83	Dressed	Healthy
26	Marcus	Nilson	LW	81	Scratched	Healthy
27	Mike	Leclerc	LW	80	Scratched	Healthy
28	Robyn	Regehr	D	86	Dressed	Healthy
29	Jerome	McLennan	G	75	Dressed	Healthy
30	Orly	MacDonald	C	77	Scratched	Healthy
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Now, from here, your method may differ, but this is what I do: First, I click on each player in black and click Scratch to remove everyone from the lineup. Then, I click Overall to sort by overall rating

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Now, I want to know if any of these guys is still active in the league, so I head over to Elite Prospects and enter their names in the search bar. For example, Jarome Iginla

I can see from this page that he's retired, so he's safe to change or move (actually, I'm going to move him to another team in case I want to make a superstar old-timers team) Next on the list is Dion Phaneuf

<https://www.eliteprospects.com/player/8564/dion-phaneuf> (<https://www.eliteprospects.com/player/8564/dion-phaneuf>)

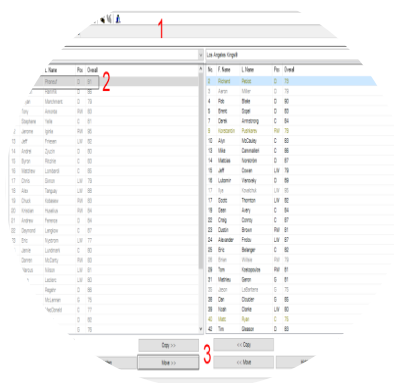
Now, he's on the LA Kings now, so I'm going to put him there.

Click the Transactions tab (in red)

Abbr	Full name	ID	Current Team	Target Team
ANA	Mighty Ducks® of Anaheim	0	ANA	
ATL	Atlanta Thrashers®	1	ATL	
BOS	Boston Bruins®	2	BOS	
BFB	Buffalo Sabres®	3	BFB	
EDM	Edmonton Oilers®	4	EDM	
FLA	Florida Panthers®	5	FLA	
MIN	Minnesota Wild®	6	MIN	

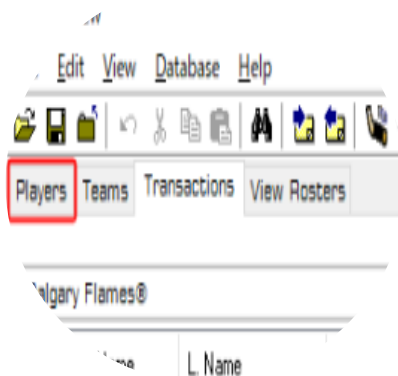
1. Choose the two teams from the dropdown menus

2. Choose the player to move Click the Move button Click the Teams tab to return to the line-up screen Repeat the process to see if any of the other players are still active in the game



(time passes) Next, I want to see if there are any guys on the Calgary roster that are in the game ON OTHER TEAMS
So, I head over to their roster on Elite <https://www.eliteprospects.com/team/54/calgary-flames>
(<https://www.eliteprospects.com/team/54/calgary-flames>)

Then click on the Players tab to view the players in the game



remember when we sorted the players alphabetically? That comes in handy now We have to check the names on the roster to see if they're in the game by scrolling through the list Now there is one thing to our advantage here.

The youngest player in the original game was born in 1989, so anyone born after 1990 (1990-20whatever) IS NOT IN THE GAME So you only have to check players born before 1990 (a little more time passes) On the team page on Elite, there is also a LINES tab you can click to see that teams current lines (fairly accurate)
<https://www.dailyfaceoff.com/teams/calgary-flames/line-combinations/> (<https://www.dailyfaceoff.com/teams/calgary-flames/line-combinations/>)

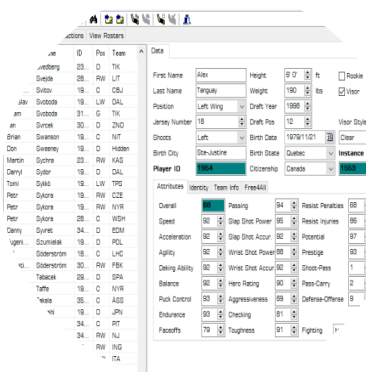
In NHL View, I go back to the Team screen



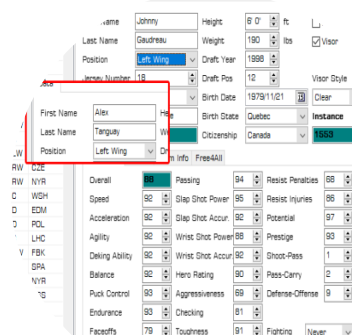
Next, let's start adding and editing players IN EARNEST (finally, you might be saying :D)

1. Click on the position you wish to fill
2. DOUBLE-CLICK on the player you wish to fill it.
3. Click the Players tab to switch to the player edit screen

You should get this:



You can edit a lot of stuff here, but I'm only going to change the name for now



before and after Click on the Teams tab to go back to the line-up screen If you don't see the change, don't worry. Click on another team, then back to the team you're working on, and it will show up Do this for the rest of the players.

Save your file, rename this file back to "nhl2007.tdb" using BigGUI <https://dl.fifa-infinity.com/fifa-09/biggui-tool/> (<https://dl.fifa-infinity.com/fifa-09/biggui-tool/>).

then rebuild the into the iso with umdgen <https://www.romhacking.net/utilities/1218/>
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and rebuild the iso

To share your Roster

- The previous edit is for the full roster used in the iso.

However the roster update it's easier to share in the form of a savedata, keep reading for that.

- Once you've rebuilt the iso, go save in-game and your roster update will be now in the newly created savedata file.

For more info about the savedata, see [SaveData \(https://github.com/Bunkai9448/NHL-07_public/tree/main/SaveData\)](https://github.com/Bunkai9448/NHL-07_public/tree/main/SaveData), for more info about that.

Additional info

Images in batch <https://imgur.com/a/o814V1s> (<https://imgur.com/a/o814V1s>)

Use Madden Xtreme DB Editor to export and import tables across nhlbioatt.tdb, nhlplayers.tdb, and nhlroster.tdb