



Team Statistics

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Getting to the Stanley Cup Playoffs




HOW?

Playoff Format




- Playoff berths are awarded to the top 3 teams from each of the 4 division (Atlantic, Metro, Central and Pacific)
- Playoff berths are also awarded to an additional 2 teams from each conference (Eastern and Western) that are outside the top 3 of their respective division
- KEY STATISTIC → **PTS COLUMN**
- **Points are the key statistic when determining playoff teams**

Eastern








Atlantic

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Metropolitan

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What are 'Points'?




- A Point is a league wide Standings statistic that calculates rank in the league.
- Teams are awarded 2 points for every win and 1 point for a Overtime or Shootout Loss.
- In the event that two teams are tied in Points at the end of the season, the team with more Regulation Wins (RW) will be given priority.

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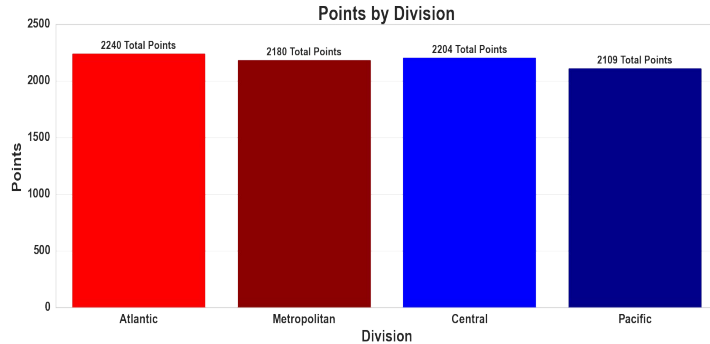
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**Let's Get More
Points
HOW?**

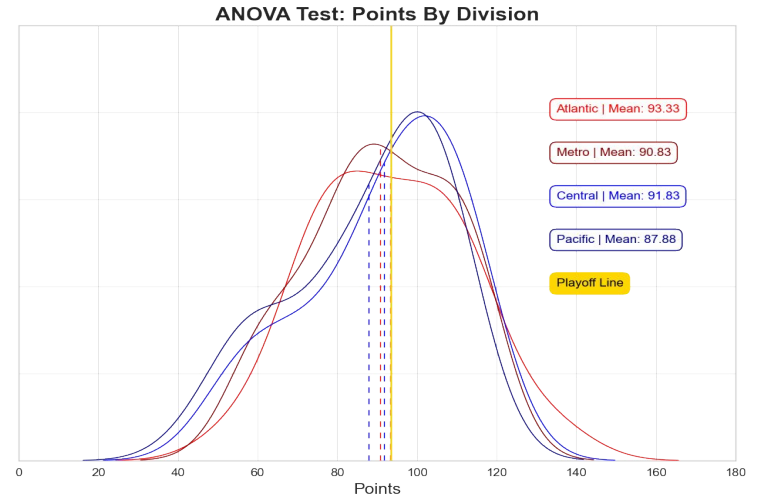


Does Division Matter?

Which division has been the 'Best' over the past 3 seasons?



Does a change in Division have any relation to a change in average points at the end of the season?



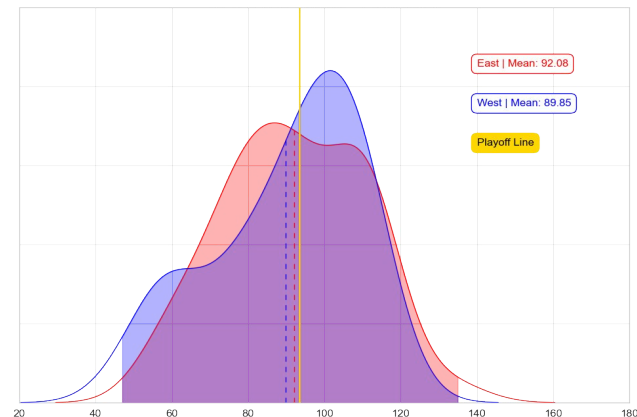
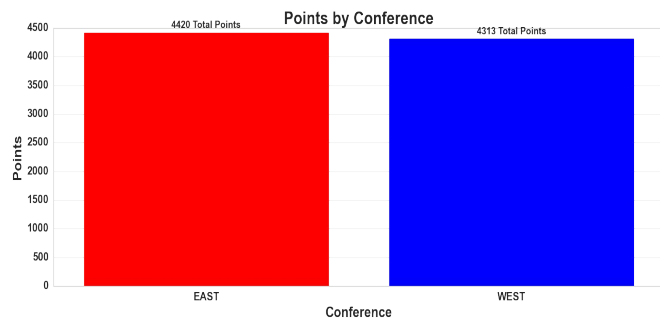


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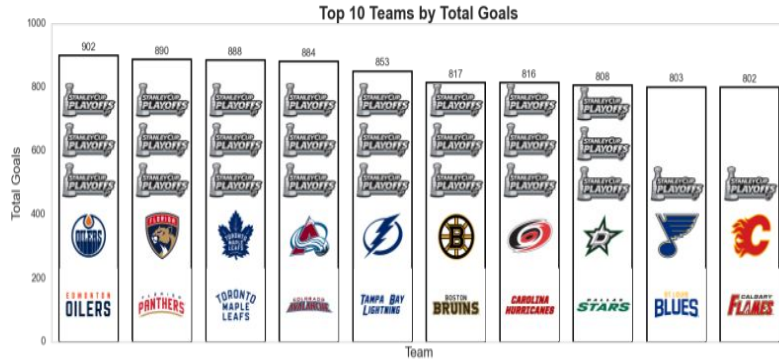
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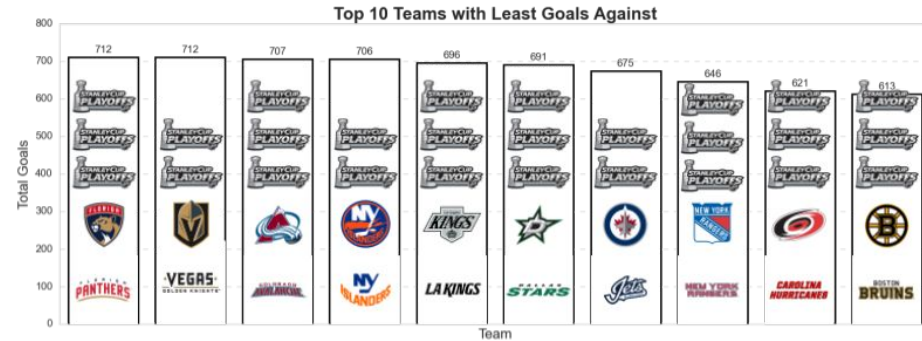
Let's look at the Teams that have had the **MOST** Goals For in the past 3 seasons



*Goals For is the total amount of goals a team has scored

Goals Against

Let's look at the Teams that have had the **LEAST** Goals Against in the past 3 seasons



*Goals Against is the total amount of goals a team has had scored against them

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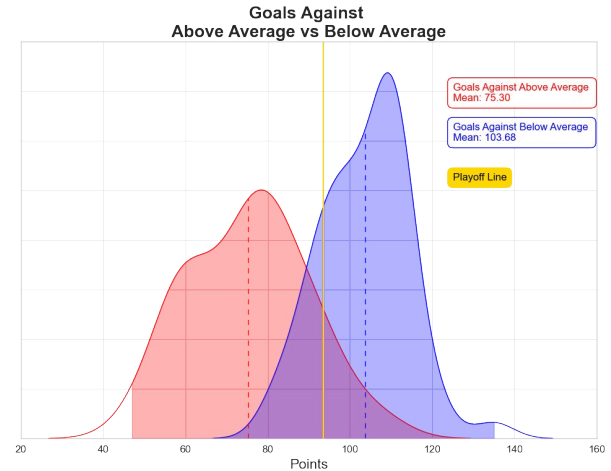
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*79% of Teams with a Goals For above average have enough points to make the playoffs

Goals Against

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*80% of Teams with a Goals Against below average have enough points to make the playoffs

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**Let's Score
Some Goals
HOW?**

"YOU MISS 100% OF THE
SHOTS YOU DON'T
TAKE. - WAYNE GRETZKY"

- MICHAEL SCOTT



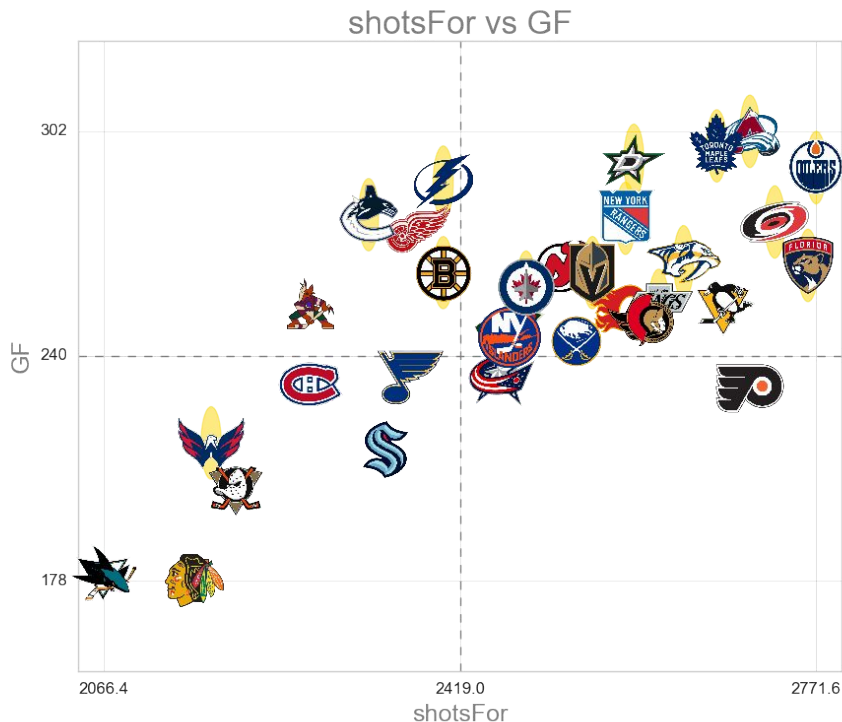
What do we see?

Positive Correlation

Playoffs teams
typically high shots,
high goals

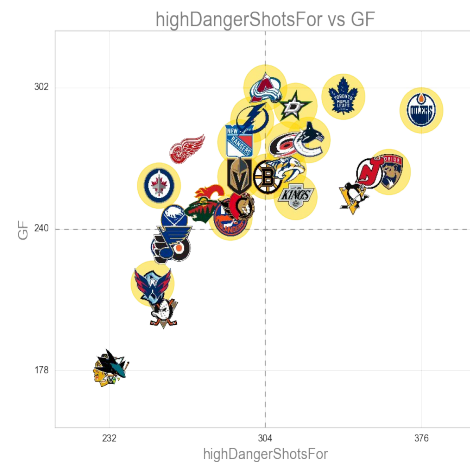
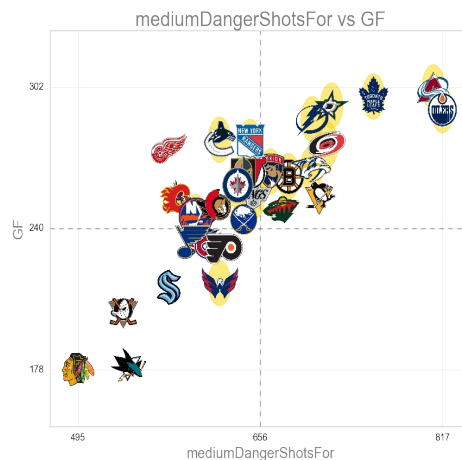
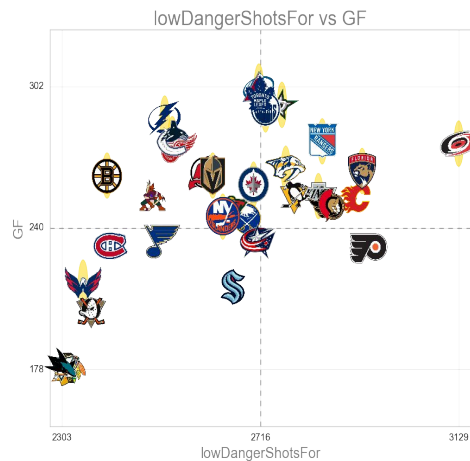
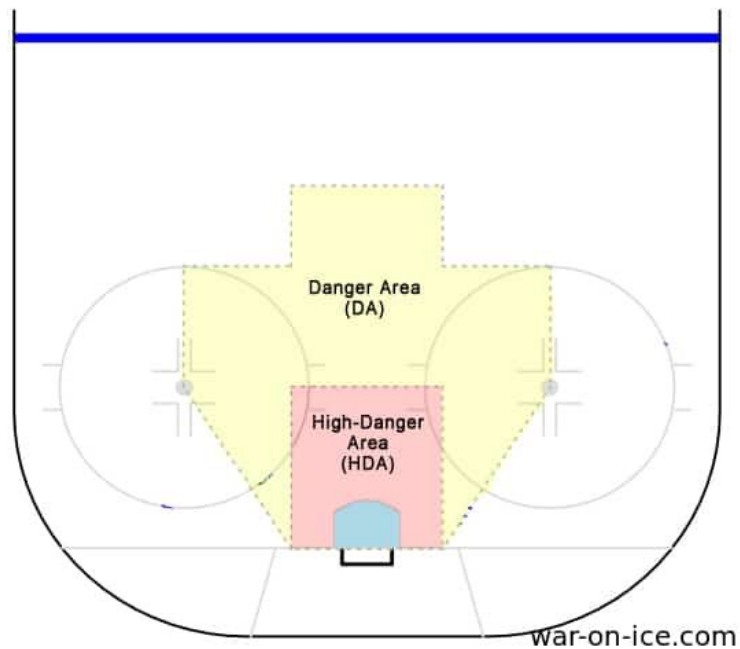
Does any shot result
in a goal?

More Shots = More Goals





Where are goals scored?



Conclusion

How do teams get into the Playoffs?

POINTS

How do teams get Points?

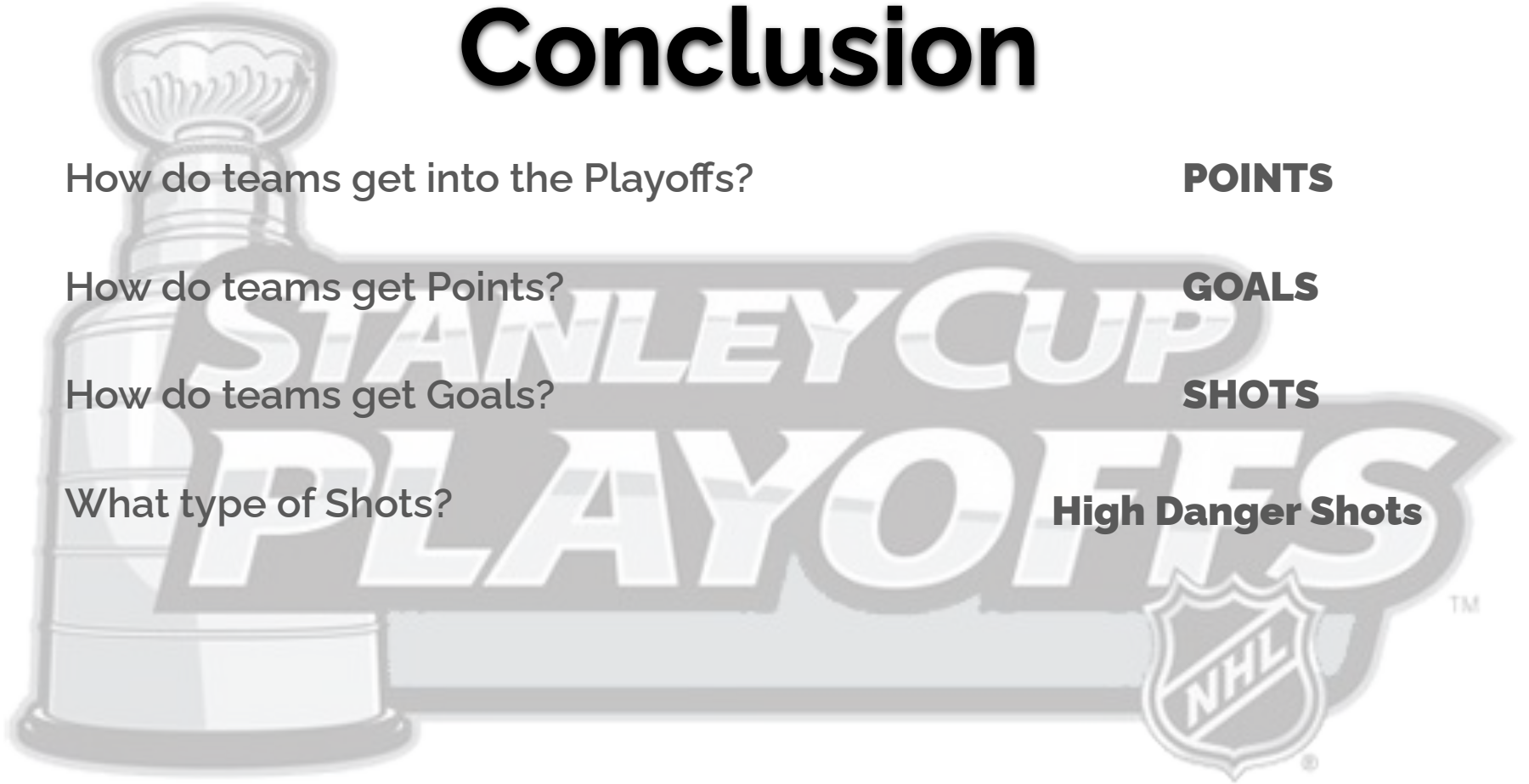
GOALS

How do teams get Goals?

SHOTS

What type of Shots?

High Danger Shots



Appendix

Links

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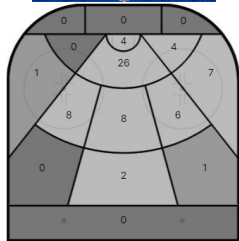
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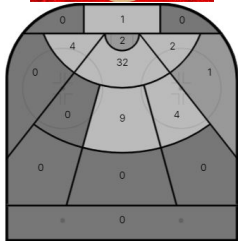
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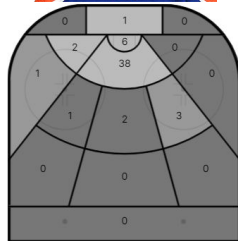
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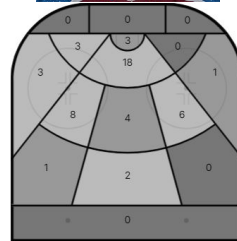
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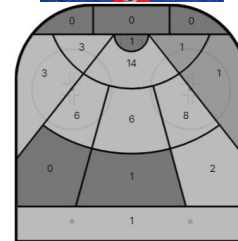
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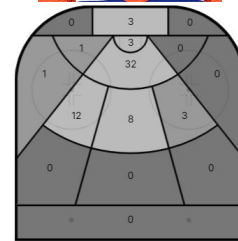
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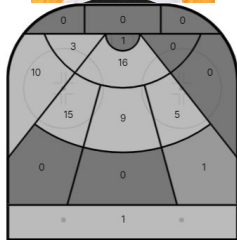
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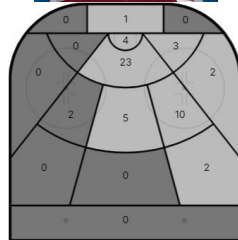
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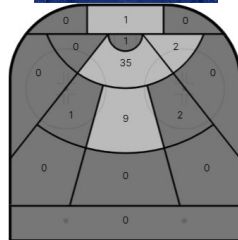
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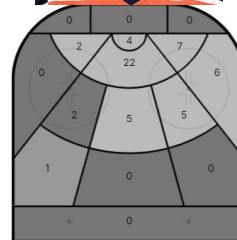
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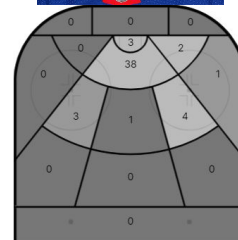
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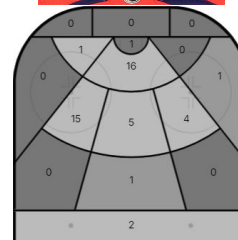
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GF vs GA

