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MESSAGE BY AFC PRESIDENT

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I am delighted to present the Technical Report for the Asian Football Confederation (AFC) Beach Soccer Championship which was so successfully held in Pattaya, Thailand – demonstrating the AFC’s continued commitment to delivering top level competition.

On behalf of the Asian football family I offer my congratulations to Japan who defeated the United Arab Emirates on penalties to take the title and third-placed Oman who will make up Asia’s three representatives at the FIFA Beach Soccer World Cup in Paraguay.

Asia has a proud history on the world stage in beach soccer with IR Iran claiming third place in the last edition of the FIFA Beach Soccer World Cup in the Bahamas and I am confident Japan, UAE and Oman will continue our remarkable record in Paraguay and build on the undeniable rise of the sport.

There were 15 teams in the 2019 competition, a marked increase from the 12 teams that took part in the previous edition. This further underlines the success of our Vision and Mission to provide more opportunities for Asia’s teams and players to compete in top level competitions.

We also express the AFC’s appreciation to the LOC in Pattaya, the Football Association of Thailand and the Local Government for staging an exceptional tournament and to our Member Associations for their unity in supporting and expanding the reach of beach soccer.

The commendable performances from emerging teams such as Palestine, Malaysia and Afghanistan are testimony to the increasingly competitive nature and continued progress of the sport in Asia.

Those advances will be reflected in the pages of this Technical Report and I thank the Technical Study Group, the AFC Technical, Competitions and Referees Committees for their contributions to a memorable tournament.

I would like to thank everyone for their valuable contribution to this report.

A handwritten signature in white ink, reading "Salman".

Shaikh Salman bin Ebrahim Al Khalifa
AFC President



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SECTION 1: COMPETITION OVERVIEW

GROUP A



THAILAND



PALESTINE



MALAYSIA



AFGHANISTAN

GROUP B



LEBANON



CHINA P.R.



KRYGYZ
REPUBLIC



UNITED ARAB
EMIRATES

GROUP C



JAPAN



BAHRAIN



KUWAIT



QATAR

GROUP D



ISLAMIC
REPUBLIC
OF IRAN



OMAN



IRAQ



SECTION 2: MATCH REPORTS

GROUP STAGE

A group stage of drama and quality whittled the AFC Beach Soccer Championship field from 15 down to eight, with Palestine, United Arab Emirates, Japan and Oman emerging from the frenetic first six days of the competition as group winners.

Group A

Palestine had been absent from the 2017 edition of the tournament, but made up for lost time to lead the way in Group A, as Maisara Al Bawwab and Mahmoud Al Neirab combined for seven goals to help Imaeldeen Hashim's side win all three matches and top the group.

An opening night 5-2 win over Thailand was followed by a 3-2 success against Afghanistan two days later, with a thrilling 6-5 win over Malaysia on Matchday Three securing a perfect nine points for the West Asians.

Losing to Palestine nearly ended Malaysia's campaign, but already-eliminated Thailand roused themselves for a 2-0 win against Afghanistan, ensuring Malaysia's three points and superior head-to-head record would be enough for a ticket to the last eight.

Group B

With two of the semi-finalists from the previous staging of the tournament drawn together, Group B appeared a challenging proposition for China PR and debutants Kyrgyz Republic, and so it proved, as UAE and Lebanon sealed returns to the knockout stage.

The Emiratis won all three of their matches, easing past Kyrgyz Republic (6-1) and China PR (6-2) before overturning a two-goal deficit to beat Lebanon 3-2 in the final match and seal top spot in the section.

Lebanon's path to the knockout stage was confirmed in earlier wins over China PR (5-3) and Kyrgyz Republic (11-2), with Amarelle's Chinese side going home with a smile after they earned a thumping 9-3 win over the Central Asians on Matchday Three.



SECTION 2: MATCH REPORTS

GROUP STAGE

Group C

Japan reigned supreme in Group C, earning comprehensive back-to-back wins over Kuwait, Qatar and Bahrain to finish with a perfect nine points, and Ozu Moreira sharing the lead at the top of the scoring charts with teammate Shusei Yamauchi.

A 6-2 Matchday Three win over Bahrain ultimately decided the group, but Mahmood Al Ghawi's side had already qualified by virtue of their earlier 5-2 wins over Qatar and Kuwait.

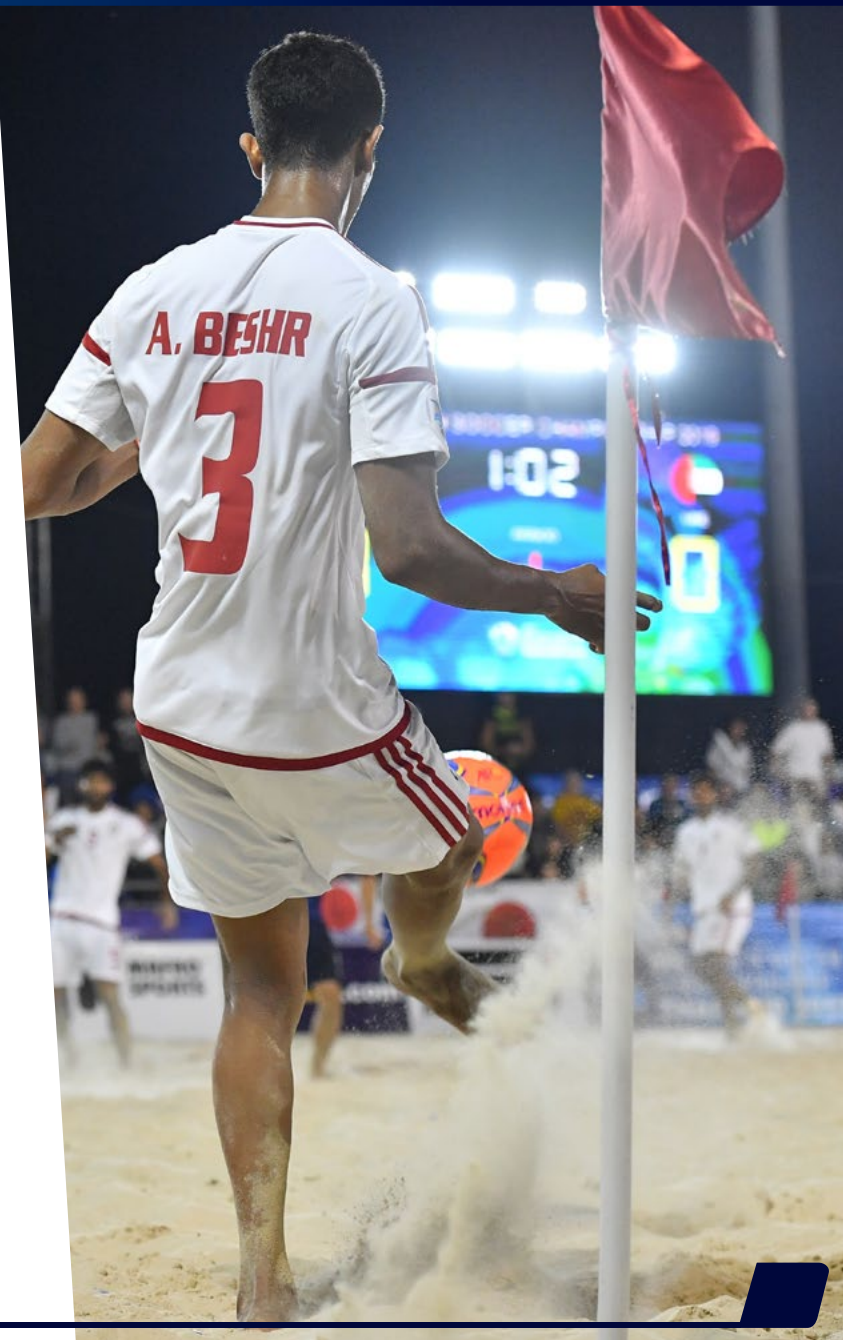
Kuwait's disappointment at failing to advance to the knockout stage was tempered slightly by their stirring final performance, where they dominated from start to finish to secure an 8-1 win over last-placed Qatar

Group D

Reigning champions Islamic Republic of Iran came into the competition as the second-ranked team in the world, and they showed their class early, winning all three periods to beat Iraq 5-2 in their tournament opener.

Oman were equally impressive on their first outing, producing a searing first 12 minutes before claiming a 6-3 win over the Iraqis to qualify for the knockout stage, and set up a mouth-watering Matchday Three match against the holders.

That group decider lived up to its lofty expectations, with Oman finally prevailing 4-3 in a wonderful exhibition of beach soccer to consign Iran to a quarter-final showdown against Japan.



SECTION 2: MATCH REPORTS

QUARTER-FINALS

Eight teams entered, but only four survived, as Oman, Japan, UAE and Palestine advanced on a hugely significant quarter-final day in Pattaya. The most notable casualty was undoubtedly defending champions Islamic Republic of Iran, who suffered a heartbreaking 3-2 defeat against Japan, with Takuya Akaguma's goal in the second minute of extra-time proving decisive.

Semi-finalists in the FIFA Beach Soccer World Cup in 2017, the Iranians will be absent from the 2019 finals, after squandering a 2-0 first-period lead against their fellow Asian beach soccer giants in a pulsating game that had all the quality and the intensity of a continental final.

Joining Japan in the last four were Palestine, who prevailed in a similarly dramatic match against Lebanon, with Imadeldeen Hashim's side holding on for a historic win after Mahmoud Al Neirab put in the lead for the first time in the match with just 90 seconds remaining.

Lebanon's prolific Haitham Fattal scored twice, taking his tally to six for the tournament, but they suffered a painful knockout stage elimination for the second successive edition of the tournament, deferring their World Cup dream for another two years.

Oman continued their winning streak, but it took late goals from Khalid Al Oraimi and Yahya Al Araimi to secure a hard-fought 5-3 win over a gallant Bahrain. Both sides scoring in the opening minute, and they shared five goals between them in an energetic opening period, but Talib Hilal's side pulled away when it mattered most to take their tournament record to three wins from three.

The remaining semi-final didn't have the tension of quarter-final day's other epic encounters, but it did feature a standout performance from United Arab Emirates, who convincingly swept Malaysia aside to win 8-1. Three goals in the opening period, and four in the last, underlined UAE's dominance, as the World Cup regulars brought Malaysia's run to the knockout stage to an end, and set up an enticing semi-final against neighbours Oman.



SECTION 2: MATCH REPORTS

SEMI-FINALS

UAE and Japan advanced to the AFC Beach Soccer Championship Final, and became the first two Asian sides to qualify for the 2019 FIFA Beach Soccer World Cup, after wins of a vastly different nature on semi-final day.

Mohammed Almaazmi's UAE side prevailed in an arm-wrestle of an encounter with Oman, with the excellent Waleed Beshr finally sealing a 3-2 win with a 34th-minute winner.

Fresh from their stress-free win over Malaysia 24 hours prior, the Emiratis raced to a sixth-minute lead through Hasham Al Munatser, but Nooh Al Zadjali gave Oman a new lease on life when he equalised midway through the second period.

Abbas Ali Daryaei wasted no time restoring the UAE's lead, scoring just seconds later, but, once again, Oman managed to recover, this time through a somewhat fortuitous Sami Al Bulushi, who deflected teammate Jalal Al Sinani's shot into the net with eight minutes remaining.

Then, with extra-time looking the likely outcome, Beshr scored a wonderful volley to take his side into the final, and ensure they'll be among the 16 global finalists in Paraguay.

While UAE's win wasn't a sure thing until the final whistle, Japan's path to the decider was far more straightforward, as they overpowered Palestine to win 6-0.

Ozu Moreira scored two thumping free kicks, taking his Thailand goal tally to eight in five games, while Suhsei Yamauchi continued his streak of scoring in every match of the tournament to join his captain atop the scoring charts.

Palestine fought bravely, but struggled to make inroads going forward, leaving them to turn their attention to the third place play-off, and final shot at a historic ticket to the World Cup, against Oman.



SECTION 2: MATCH REPORTS

3RD/4TH PLACE MATCH

Oman achieved a third qualification to the FIFA Beach Soccer World Cup, after they beat Palestine 2-1 on penalties, to claim third place after a 2-2 draw. Oman had been 2-0 down with just eight minutes remaining, but a rapid-fire brace from Sami Al Bulushi forced a shootout, where Talib Hilal's side ultimately prevailed.

Having defied all expectations to reach the semi-finals for the first time, Palestine's loss ended their dream of a maiden Beach Soccer World Cup appearance in Paraguay at the final hurdle.

A heavy 6-0 defeat to Japan had dashed Palestine's chances of becoming Asian champions 48 hours earlier, but Imadeldeen Hashim's side still sensed a major opportunity, and they started strongly in the all-important play-off

Islam Abuobayda gave Palestine the lead with just over a minute remaining in the first period, and a sensational long-range header from Fadi Al Arawi doubled the tally, when the 30-year-old intercepted a long throw from Oman goalkeeper Amjad Al Hamdani with his head, and sent the ball all the way into the back of the net from long range.

After a string of saves from Palestine's Fady Jaber, Oman still faced a two-goal deficit into the final period, but Sami Al Bulushi salvaged their World Cups with two goals in three minutes.

His second, a clever back-heel, was Al Bulushi's sixth of the tournament, with the 24-year-old scoring in all five of Oman's matches in Pattaya. Palestine show late signs of fatigue, but Oman were unable to push on for a winner in regulation, leaving the identity of Asia's third and final representative to be decided by penalties.

An early miss from Abdullah Salim gave Palestine hope, but Al Hamdani saved from Mahmoud Al Neirab, before Alaa Atiya missed Palestine's final effort to finally confirm Oman as one of the 16 teams to qualify for Paraguay 2019.



SECTION 2: MATCH REPORTS

FINAL

Japan emerged as the beach soccer kings of Asia, beating UAE 3-1 on penalties after a 2-2 draw in the AFC Beach Soccer Championship Thailand 2019 Final.

Takaaki Oba slammed home the winning penalty, after Masuyaki Komaki and Ozu Moreira scored Japan's goals during a gripping and high-quality decider. UAE valiantly fought back from 2-0 down thanks to two goals in two minutes from Ali Mohammad, but the West Asians couldn't find a third, meaning the match was decided by spot kicks. The teams traded early shots at goal, but it was 36-year-old Komaki who opened the scoring after being cleverly supplied by Shusei Yamauchi in the seventh minute.

Ozu had been key to Japan's run to the final, and he played an influential role again on the big stage, extending their lead to 2-0 with an opportunistic long-range volley, which bounced in off the sand in the 16th minute. It looked as though Ruy Ramos' charges were cruising to the Asian title, but the Emiratis bravely fought back, with Ali Mohammad scoring twice in a two-minute span just before the end of the second period.

Mohammad's first goal was expertly laid on by a driven pass by the impressive Waleed Beshr, while his second was scrambled into the back of the net after goalkeeper Humaid Jamal had sent a long range effort into the post.

Neither a gripping final period, nor three minutes of extra-time, could provide a clear winner, meaning Asia's champions would be decided by spot kicks. Ozu, Haitham Mohamed and Yamauchi all converted their efforts with little fuss, but UAE captain Walid Mohammad blasted his effort over the crossbar, giving Oba the decisive chance, and he duly converted to confirm a dramatic win.

Japan's night of glory in Pattaya gave them their third Asian title, and their first since the tournament came under the AFC umbrella in 2017.





SECTION 3: RESULTS AND STATISTICS

GROUP A

TEAM	P	W	WE	WP	L	F	A	GD	PTS
PALESTINE	3	3	0	0	0	14	9	5	9
MALAYSIA *	3	1	0	0	2	12	13	-1	3
THAILAND *	3	1	0	0	2	8	10	-2	3
AFGHANISTAN	3	0	1	0	2	5	7	-2	2

MATCH

AFGHANISTAN vs MALAYSIA
 THAILAND vs PALESTINE
 PALESTINE vs AFGHANISTAN
 MALAYSIA vs THAILAND
 MALAYSIA vs PALESTINE
 THAILAND vs AFGHANISTAN

SCORE

3-2 AET (1:0, 0:1, 1:1, 1:0)
 2:5 (1:0, 1:4, 0:1)
 3:2 (0:1, 1:0, 2:1)
 5:4 (3:0, 1:1, 1:3)
 5:6 (2:1, 2:3, 1:2)
 2:0 (0:0, 1:0, 1:0)

GROUP B

TEAM	P	W	WE	WP	L	F	A	GD	PTS
UNITED ARAB EMIRATES	3	3	0	0	0	15	5	10	9
LEBANON	3	2	0	0	1	18	8	10	6
CHINA P.R.	3	1	0	0	2	14	14	0	3
KYRGYZ REPUBLIC	3	0	0	0	3	6	26	-20	0

MATCH

LEBANON vs CHINA P.R.
 UNITED ARAB EMIRATES vs KYRGYZ REPUBLIC
 KYRGYZ REPUBLIC vs LEBANON
 CHINA P.R. vs UNITED ARAB EMIRATES
 UNITED ARAB EMIRATES vs LEBANON
 CHINA P.R. vs KYRGYZ REPUBLIC

SCORE

5:3 (0:1, 2:1, 3:1)
 6:1 (2:0, 2:1, 2:0)
 2:11 (1:3, 0:1, 1:7)
 2:6 (1:2, 0:1, 1:3)
 3:2 (1:2, 2:0, 0:0)
 9:3 (1:1, 5:1, 3:1)

* The standing table is based on points, goal-difference and number of goals of the teams tied

SECTION 3: RESULTS AND STATISTICS

GROUP C

TEAM	P	W	WE	WP	L	F	A	GD	PTS
JAPAN	3	3	0	0	0	21	4	17	9
BAHRAIN	3	2	0	0	1	12	10	2	6
KUWAIT	3	1	0	0	2	11	14	-3	3
QATAR	3	0	0	0	3	4	20	-16	0

MATCH

BAHRAIN vs QATAR
 JAPAN vs KUWAIT
 KUWAIT vs BAHRAIN
 QATAR vs JAPAN
 JAPAN vs BAHRAIN
 QATAR vs KUWAIT

SCORE

5:2 (2:0, 0:1, 3:1)
 8:1 (3:0, 3:1, 2:0)
 2:5 (0:1, 1:1, 1:3)
 1:7 (1:2, 0:5, 0:0)
 6:2 (1:1, 4:1, 1:0)
 1:8 (0:1, 0:4, 1:3)

GROUP D

TEAM	P	W	WE	WP	L	F	A	GD	PTS
OMAN	2	2	0	0	0	10	6	4	6
ISLAMIC REPUBLIC OF IRAN	2	1	0	0	1	8	6	2	3
IRAQ	2	0	0	0	2	5	11	-6	0

MATCH

IRAQ vs ISLAMIC REPUBLIC OF IRAN
 OMAN vs IRAQ
 ISLAMIC REPUBLIC OF IRAN vs OMAN

SCORE

2:5 (1:2, 0:1, 1:2)
 6:3 (3:1, 2:0, 1:2)
 3:4 (1:2, 0:0, 2:2)

SECTION 3: RESULTS AND STATISTICS

QUARTER-FINALS

MATCH

OMAN vs SAUDI ARABIA

JAPAN vs ISLAMIC REPUBLIC OF IRAN

UNITED ARAB EMIRATES vs MALAYSIA

PALESTINE vs LEBANON

SCORE

5:3 (3:2, 0:1, 2:0)

3-2 AET (0:2, 1:0, 1:0, 1:0)

8:1 (3:0, 1:1, 4:0)

4:3 (0:1, 2:1, 2:1)



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SEMI-FINALS

MATCH

UNITED ARAB EMIRATES vs OMAN

PALESTINE vs JAPAN

SCORE

3:2 (1:0, 1:1, 1:1)

0:6 (0:2, 0:1, 0:3)



SECTION 3: RESULTS AND STATISTICS

3RD/4TH PLACE MATCH

MATCH

PALESTINE vs OMAN

SCORE

3:2 (1:0, 1:1, 1:1)



SECTION 3: RESULTS AND STATISTICS

FINAL

MATCH

JAPAN vs UNITED ARAB EMIRATES

SCORE

2-2 AET 3:1 PSO (1:0, 1:1,2:1,3:1)



SECTION 3: RESULTS AND STATISTICS

TEAM RANKING

TOURNAMENT STAGE	TEAM NAME	RANKING
Final	JAPAN	1
Final	UNITED ARAB EMIRATES	2
3rd/4th Place	OMAN	3
3rd/4th Place	PALESTINE	4
Quarter-Finals	LEBANON	5
Quarter-Finals	ISLAMIC REPUBLIC OF IRAN	6
Quarter-Finals	BAHRAIN	7
Quarter-Finals	MALAYSIA	8
Group B	CHINA P.R.	9
Group A	THAILAND	10
Group C	KUWAIT	11
Group A	AFGHANISTAN	12
Group D	IRAQ	13
Group C	QATAR	14
Group B	KYRGYZ REPUBLIC	15



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SOCIAL MEDIA STATISTICS



REACH
422,150



IMPRESSIONS
300,023



REACH
795,600



VIEWS
66,165



VIEWS
39,152



IMPRESSIONS
5,596

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DISCIPLINARY RECORD

NUMBER	TEAM NAME	P	Y	R
1	OMAN	2	1	0
2	IRAQ	3	1	0
3	AFGHANISTAN	4	1	1
4	BAHRAIN	4	2	0
5	I.R. IRAN	6	2	0
6	MALAYSIA	4	3	0
7	QATAR	3	4	0
8	THAILAND	2	5	0
9	LEBANON	4	5	0
10	JAPAN	5	5	0

FAIRPLAY REPORT

TEAM NAME	TOTAL
UNITED ARAB EMIRATES	52.00
JAPAN	51.50
PALESTINE	49.75
OMAN	42.75
MALAYSIA	35.50
LEBANON	35.50
BAHRAIN	27.75
AFGHANISTAN	26.50
QATAR	25.00
ISLAMIC REPUBLIC OF IRAN	24.75
THAILAND	23.25
KUWAIT	22.75
CHINA P.R.	22.50
KYRGYZ REPUBLIC	19.75
IRAQ	15.00



SECTION 4: TECHNICAL TOPICS

The better teams all showed tactical flexibility, talent and a hunger for glory, and none more so than Japan. With a line-up full of exquisite players, combining youth and experience, coupled with voracious ambition and balance emanating from the bench, they set extremely high standards at this tournament.

The game of beach soccer promises a future where players will only be limited by their own imagination, and where anyone with enough desire can become a true star. Some Member Associations have risen to the challenge and this was evident through a more professional approach with more complete, self-assured players with greater tactical resources and confidence.

EXPERT ANALYSIS OF THE MATCHES LED US TO THE FOLLOWING KEY FINDINGS

The players and teams that take part regularly in domestic and continental competitions showed the greatest level of development and preparation. Regular matches and training sessions translates into significant improvement year on year which, combined with experience, means the best tend to be those that have more than five to seven years playing at the highest level.

Oman caused a degree of shock in their first matches, but the experience of their rivals subsequently shone through in the areas mentioned above. Blessed with exceptional physical and

technical abilities, Oman has the potential to rival the traditional powerhouses in beach soccer.

The game is moving towards a greater level of control; there is widespread awareness that a goal can come from anywhere in beach soccer, and teams try to limit their opponent's goalscoring opportunities resulting in a tendency among most teams to launch fewer attacks. Having greater control of the ball and space, with phases of possession lasting longer and a more selective approach to goal, places more technical and tactical demands on the players, a trend which was evident in this competition.

Accordingly, more than 60% of goals were scored from inside the team's own penalty area, 30% within the team's own half, and only a few scored from beyond the halfway line. There is much less risk in shooting from long distance; the chances of success are generally much lower.

GOALKEEPERS - OFTEN THE KEY TO SUCCESS

As well as being excellent with the ball at their feet, in some cases verging on exquisite, goalkeepers are now much more dominant of their space and are able to react tremendously to the movement of the ball, especially in one-on-ones and free-kicks; as a result, the percentage of goals scored has gone down compared with previous editions of the competition.



SECTION 4: TECHNICAL TOPICS

It was evident that the goalkeeper plays an important role in a match. A steady, fit & strong mentality goalkeeper not just is a leader in defence but also give lots of support during the attack.

VERSATILE COACHES

We should highlight the tactical variations used by most teams. All have their own personal style, but they are also all capable of varying their attacking and defensive approaches in order to neutralise the virtues or capitalise on the weaknesses of their rivals: we witnessed matches of much greater tactical quality this year.

The use of the goalkeeper starting the game with his feet, with the traditional 1-2-2 system, or the 1-2-1-1 variant, was also key during the competition, and while we have already seen this for a number of years in Japan's approach, we saw how it has now been adopted by more teams, even if it is not their primary tactic.

While this system was originally created to seek superiority by using the goalkeeper to start the game and subsequently established a philosophy of greater spectacle and creativity, at times during this championship, it was used more to coax the opponents out of their own half, to exhaust them physically and mentally, or even just to keep possession of the ball.

TRANSITION GAME PLAYED

While a small number of teams applied the high pressure tactics in the upper half, most teams pressed aggressively at the moment they lost possession. This strategy calls for good physical conditioning to implement successfully.

MENTALITY PLAYS A ROLE

Some teams were unable to play to their optimal level consistently due to reduced mental toughness while many demonstrated great winning desire to fight for victory.

A WELL-PREPARED GAME PLAN

A well-prepared game plan is considered to be a key element in success. Coaches have to analyse their opponents' changing strengths & weaknesses before the tournament starts, at different stages during the competition, as well as during each match.

EDUCATION

We recommend the introduction of more youth development programmes in order to prepare young players for the next AFC Beach Soccer Championship.



SECTION 4: TECHNICAL TOPICS

FITNESS

The AFC Beach Soccer Championship is an unusual event in that the coaches have to cope with diverse parameters of physical condition. On the other hand, the game has become more physical and there is a requirement to work on fitness and physique in order to compete with other teams. The game requires more speed and strength and whilst progress is being made, with each delegation including a specific physical conditioning coach, at times fitness negatively impacted movement off the ball.

FLEXIBLE STRUCTURES

There was a notable trend towards zonal marking. Few teams had rigid playing structures. In line with the improvement of direct-attacking skills, most made constant switches between 1-3-1 and 1-4-0 systems, frequently using a 2-2 formation in the attacking third. The teams equipped to exert sustained high pressure usually did so in a 1-1-1-2 formation designed to disturb the opponents' build up. The second and third rungs of defence were usually zonal – and there was a noticeable trend towards this style of defending rather than individual marking. The upward trend in fitness levels permitted greater mobility and positional flexibility.

HIGH LEVEL AND HIGH INTENSITY GAMES

Keeping a level head under pressure is a key skill in beach soccer. It was noticeable that the players from the big leagues were better at coping with the intensity and maintaining their concentration. This was the view of the AFC observers after examining some of the lapses which had proved crucial in certain games. The question was how best to train players to play at the highest level, on the biggest stage and to give them the emotional intelligence to deal with the situations they encounter.



RECOMMENDATIONS FOR BEACH SOCCER DEVELOPMENT

1. To increase the number of participating teams at the next AFC Beach Soccer Championship
2. A complete team of experts, consisting of a team manager, a head coach, an assistant coach, a goalkeeping coach and conditioning coach, is needed for a more professional approach.
3. Beach soccer coaching courses are vital to develop the game further.
4. Beach soccer is a very technical game. However, coaches have to promote more fair play.
5. Each country should promote a beach soccer league on a home and away basis to ensure the players are involved in a sufficient number of matches to increase competition and exposure.



SECTION 5: GOALSCORING ANALYSIS

HOW GOALS WERE SCORED

NO	GOAL TYPE	GOALS
1	Combination Play	43
2	GK Distribution	20
3	Solo effort	20
4	Exceptional finish	4
5	Defensive error	15
6	Rebound	12
7	Counter Attack	8
8	Direct from a free-kick	41
9	Following from a free-kick	2
10	Own Goal	4
11	Penalty	5
	Total	214

WHEN GOALS WERE SCORED

OVERALL	29 MATCHES
Total goals scored	214
1st and 5th minute	21
6th and 10th minute	23
11th and 15th minute	32
16th and 20th minute	37
21st and 25th minute	22
26th and 30th minute	33
31st and 35th minute	34
36th and 40th minute	9
Extra time	0

WHERE GOALS WERE SCORED

OVERALL	29 MATCHES
Penalty mark	25
Inside penalty area	72
Between penalty mark and goal line but outside penalty area	26
Half Line	25
Between penalty and half line	29
From own half	22

SECTION 5: GOALSCORING ANALYSIS

GOALS SCORED

NO	GOAL TYPE	GOALS
1	JAPAN	32 (G), 0 (PK), 0 (Own), 32 (total)
2	UNITED ARAB EMIRATES	28 (G), 0 (PK), 0 (Own), 28 (total)
3	LEBANON	21 (G), 0 (PK), 0 (Own), 21 (total)
4	OMAN	19 (G), 0 (PK), 0 (Own), 19 (total)
5	PALESTINE	19 (G), 0 (PK), 1 (Own), 20 (total)
6	CHINA P.R.	13 (G), 1 (PK), 0 (Own), 14 (total)
7	MALAYSIA	12 (G), 0 (PK), 1 (Own), 13 (total)
8	BAHRAIN	12 (G), 1 (PK), 2 (Own), 15 (total)
9	KUWAIT	11 (G), 0 (PK), 0 (Own), 11 (total)
10	ISLAMIC REPUBLIC OF IRAN	10 (G), 0 (PK), 0 (Own), 10 (total)

GOALS CONCEDED

NO	TEAM	P	GOALS CONCEDED
1	KYRGYZ REPUBLIC	3	26
2	MALAYSIA	4	21
3	PALESTINE	6	20
4	QATAR	3	20
5	BAHRAIN	4	15
6	OMAN	5	14
7	KUWAIT	3	14
8	CHINA P.R.	3	14
9	LEBANON	4	12
10	IRAQ	2	11

AVERAGE GOALS SCORED

NO	TEAM	P	AVERAGE SCORE
1	JAPAN	6	5.33
2	LEBANON	4	5.25
3	UNITED ARAB EMIRATES	6	4.67
4	CHINA P.R.	3	4.67
5	OMAN	5	3.8
6	BAHRAIN	4	3.75
7	KUWAIT	3	3.67
8	PALESTINE	6	3.33
9	ISLAMIC REPUBLIC OF IRAN	3	3.33
10	MALAYSIA	4	3.25

SECTION 5: GOALSCORING ANALYSIS

TOP SCORER



OZU MOREIRA



SHUSEI YAMAUCHI



HAITHAM FATTAL



SAMI FAIL AL BULUSHI



HUSSEIN ABDULLAH



MAISARA ALBAWWAB



TAKUYA AKAGUMA



ABDULLATIF ALHAMAD



ABDULRAHMAN
ALYAQOUB



HAN XUEGENG

SECTION 5: GOALSCORING ANALYSIS

FASTEST GOAL



MAISARA ALBAWWAB
2 SECONDS



KAMAL
40 SECONDS



SAJJAD
60 SECONDS



SECTION 6: TEAM PROFILES

JAPAN



COACH

RAMOS RUI

COUNTRY JAPAN
DATE OF BIRTH 9 FEBRUARY 1957



OUTSTANDING PLAYERS

10

OZU MOREIRA

9

SHUSEI YAMAUCHI

8

MASAYUKI KOMAKI

2

TAKUYA AKAGUMA

7

TAKAAKI OBA



KEY POINTS

1. Basic formation 3-1 or 4-0.
2. Play short pass in attacking build-up area
3. Controlled build-up play involving outfield players
4. Rapid transition from defence to attack
5. Very patient and organized throughout games
6. Strong mentality, good fighting spirit
7. Good morale and confident.
8. Timely substitutions and try to evenly distribute playing time among the players.
9. Apply alternative system to break opponent marking system.
10. Defend as a unit in own half
11. Get back quickly after lose possession (quick transition)
12. Effective and various set plays
13. Occasional man to man marking



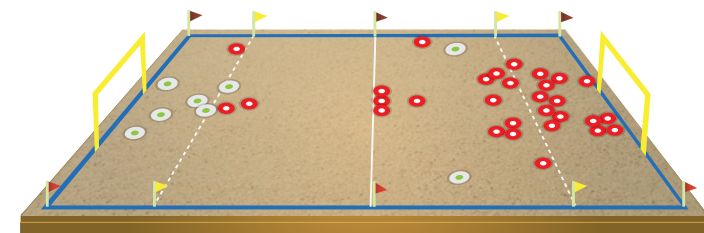
MATCHES

STAGE	DATE	MATCH	TIME	RESULT
GROUP MATCHES	8 March 2019	JAPAN VS KUWAIT	20:30	8:1
	10 March 2019	QATAR VS JAPAN	20:30	1:7
	12 March 2019	JAPAN VS SAUDI ARABIA	17:30	6:2
QUARTER-FINAL	14 March 2019	JAPAN VS ISLAMIC REPUBLIC OF IRAN	17:30	3:2
SEMI-FINAL	15 March 2019	PALESTINE VS JAPAN	19:00	0:6
FINAL	17 March 2019	JAPAN VS UAE	19:00	2:2 (PSO 5:3)



TEAM DATA

DISCIPLINARY RECORD **0** / **5**



● Goal Conceded ● Goal Scored → Attacking Direction


APPREANCES

NO	PLAYER	MINUTES PLAYED							ATTACKING					DEFENDING					SANCTIONS		
		MATCH 1	MATCH 2	MATCH 3	MATCH 4	MATCH 5	MATCH 6	TOTAL	SHOTS				PASSES	FIELD PLAYER		GOALKEEPER			YC	2YC	RC
									SCORE	SAVED	POST	OUT	ASSIST	IP	DP	CS	NCS	DO			
1	SHINGO TERUKINA (TERUKINA)	26.13	33.34	30.03	39	29.35	39	196.85	0	8	0	10	3	0	0	52	9	12			
2	TAKUYA AKAGUMA (AKAGUMA)	9.03	15.25	9.44	11.27	10.37	14.09	69.45	5	10	1	19	0	6	3	0	0	0			
3	TOMOYUKI IINO (IINO)	8.52	3.02	7.09	1.53	8.48	6.41	35.05	0	0	0	3	0	3	0	0	0	0			
4	KOSUKE MATSUDA (MATSUDA)	12.03	17.09	11.21	10.43	0.00	0.00	50.76	0	3	0	2	0	9	2	0	0	0	1		
5	TERUKI TABATA (TABATA)	15.53	16.18	16.72	14	12.43	15.41	90.27	0	6	0	6	2	21	5	0	0	0	1		
6	NAOYA MATSUO (MATSUO)	15.12	17.56	11.05	18.31	20.22	20.15	102.41	1	5	3	10	4	16	6	0	0	0			
7	TAKAAKI OBA (OBA)	12.01	21.31	16.19	22.51	22.49	23.59	118.1	3	11	2	20	3	19	7	0	0	0			
8	MASAYUKI KOMAKI (KOMAKI)	11.30	8.07	12.25	10.04	11.26	11.24	64.16	2	6	0	12	2	14	3	0	0	0			
9	SHUSEI YAMAUCHI (YAMAUCHI)	12.31	11.42	14.58	15.01	11.46	13.02	77.8	8	18	0	9	3	7	5	0	0	0			
10	OZU MOREIRA (OZU)	32.29	23.46	32.47	39	31.37	39	197.59	9	22	1	32	4	58	22	0	0	0	1		
11	MASANORI OKUYAMA (OKUYAMA)	14.26	9.20	11.40	12.33	13.52	11.49	72.2	4	13	0	16	1	11	6	0	0	0	1		
12	TOMOYA GINOZA (GINOZA)	9.47	2.20	5.57	0.00	6.25	0.00	23.49	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	6	5	1	1		

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SECTION 6: TEAM PROFILES

UNITED ARAB EMIRATES



COACH

MOHAMED ABBAS

COUNTRY UNITED ARAB EMIRATES
DATE OF BIRTH 31 OCTOBER 1980



OUTSTANDING PLAYERS

2

HAITHAM MOHAMED

3

AHMED BESH
SALEM

4

WALEED BESH
SALEM

10

WALID MOHAMMAD



KEY POINTS

1. Basic formation 3-1 or 2-1-1.
2. Solid in defence & look for the counter attack quickly.
3. Strong team ethic; commitment; 'never give up' mentality.
4. Patient build-up; good movements to open passing lines.
5. Deep 1-1-2-1 defending; individual marking with little pressure on ball.
6. Well-organised 1-1-1-2 or 1-2-2 zonal defending with sustained high pressing.
7. Aggressive individual (often deep) 1-1-2-1 defending; fast counterattacks.
8. Very strong in 1v1 duels.



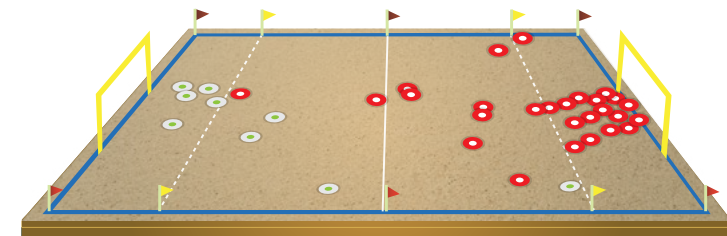
MATCHES

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GROUP MATCHES	7 March 2019	UNITED ARAB EMIRATES vs KYRGYZ REPUBLIC	19:00	6:1
	9 March 2019	CHINA P.R. vs UNITED ARAB EMIRATES	19:00	2:6
	11 March 2019	UNITED ARAB EMIRATES vs LEBANON	16:00	3:2
QUARTER-FINAL	14 March 2019	UNITED ARAB EMIRATES vs MALAYSIA	19:00	8:1
SEMI-FINAL	15 March 2019	UNITED ARAB EMIRATES vs OMAN	17:00	3:2
FINAL	17 March 2019	JAPAN vs UNITED ARAB EMIRATES	19:00	2:2 (PSO 5:3)



TEAM DATA

DISCIPLINARY RECORD **0** **3**



● Goal Conceded ● Goal Scored → Attacking Direction


APPREANCES

NO	PLAYER	MINUTES PLAYED							ATTACKING					DEFENDING					SANCTIONS		
		MATCH 1	MATCH 2	MATCH 3	MATCH 4	MATCH 5	MATCH 6	TOTAL	SHOTS				PASSES	FIELD PLAYER		GOALKEEPER			YC	2YC	RC
									SCORE	SAVED	POST	OUT	ASSIST	IP	DP	CS	NCS	DO			
1	MOHAMED ABDULLA (AL BAHRI)	24.00	24.00	12.00	16.41	27.36	12.00	115.77	1	7	0	14	0	0	0	26	8	10			
2	HAITHAM MOHAMED (HAITHAM)	15.23	14.37	14.31	20.50	10.36	18.53	93.3	3	9	1	13	0	24	4	0	0	0			
3	AHMED BESHRA SALEM (A.BESHRA)	16.24	16.24	19.57	17.55	19.52	25.06	114.18	1	9	3	17	3	9	13	0	0	0			
4	WALEED BESHRA SALEM (WALID.B)	19.49	22.20	18.55	5.14	20.54	23.45	109.37	4	8	1	13	2	32	3	0	0	0	1		
5	ABBAS ALI DARYAEI (ABBAS)	16.26	15.57	14.15	17.12	15.56	23.38	102.04	3	11	0	11	1	30	8	0	0	0	1		
6	KAMAL ALI (KAMAL)	7.51	9.50	12.07	11.20	11.53	16.42	68.23	3	9	0	16	0	13	1	0	0	0			
7	HASHAM MUNTASER ALMUNTASER (HESHAM)	14.48	16.05	18.07	16.58	17.05	13.58	95.81	3	17	1	21	2	14	4	0	0	0			
8	ALI MOHAMMAD (ALI M.)	18.24	15.41	16.06	15.00	14.41	15.24	94.36	3	11	0	11	2	23	9	0	0	0			
9	ALI HASSAN KARIM (ALI KARIM)	08.57	8.12	6.15	12.19	2.26	0.00	37.29	2	7	0	3	0	8	1	0	0	0			
10	WALID MOHAMMAD (WALID)	18.31	19.22	19.13	15.39	17.09	18.34	107.48	4	11	0	12	0	20	4	0	0	0			
11	DARWISH AHMAD (DARWISH A.)	07.27	5.00	3.34	11.33	0.00	0.00	26.94	0	3	0	6	0	1	0	0	0	0			
12	HUMAID JAMAL (HUMAID)	12.00	12.00	24.00	19.19	5.02	22.00	82.21	6	10	2	22	3	0	0	16	10	1	1		

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SECTION 6: TEAM PROFILES



OMAN


COACH

TALIB HILAL MOHAMMED AL-THANAWI

 COUNTRY OMAN
 DATE OF BIRTH 27 MAY 1964


OUTSTANDING PLAYERS

6

 MUSHEL
HILAL AL
ARAIMI

9

 SAMI FAIL AL
BULUSHI

10

 KHALID
KHAMIS
MOHAMMED

2

 ABDULLAH
MASOUD
SALIM


KEY POINTS

1. Basic Formation 3-1 or 2-2.
2. Players are quick and agile.
3. Rapid transition from defence to attack.
4. High levels of individual technique; able to play in tight situations
5. Technically very good in short and long ball passing.
6. Good anticipation, interceptions; fast, dangerous counterattacking
7. Excellent skill in direct aerial play (overhead kicks, scissor kicks)
8. Comfortable in possession when under pressure

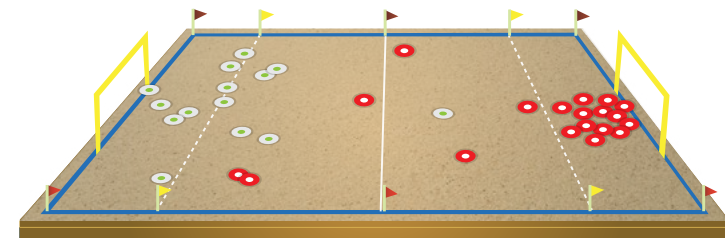


MATCHES

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GROUP MATCHES	10 March 2019	OMAN vs IRAQ	20:30	6:3
	12 March 2019	ISLAMIC REPUBLIC OF IRAN vs OMAN	20:30	3:4
QUARTER-FINAL	14 March 2019	OMAN vs BAHRIAN	17:30	5:3
SEMI-FINAL	15 March 2019	UNITED ARAB EMIRATES vs OMAN	19:00	3:2
FINAL	17 March 2019	PALESTIN vs OMAN	19:00	2:2 (PSO 3:4)



TEAM DATA

DISCIPLINARY RECORD 0 7


● Goal Conceded ● Goal Scored → Attacking Direction


APPREANCES

NO	PLAYER	MINUTES PLAYED						ATTACKING					DEFENDING				SANCTIONS		
		MATCH 1	MATCH 2	MATCH 3	MATCH 4	MATCH 5	TOTAL	SHOTS				PASSES	FIELD PLAYER		GOALKEEPER		YC	RC	
								SCORE	SAVED	POST	OUT	ASSIST	IP	DP	CS	NCS			DO
1	AMJAD 'ABDALLAH AL-HAMDANI (AMJAD)	32.21	19.49	36.00	8.36	24.00	120.06	0	6	0	15	1	0	0	38	10	68		
2	ABDULLAH MASOUD SALIM (ABDULLAH)	18.59	23.15	21.45	18.28	15.08	96.55	2	22	1	23	0	26	8	0	0	0	2	
3	JALAL KHAMIS AL SINANI (JALAL)	16.21	24.58	23.46	21.10	22.14	107.49	1	6	2	7	4	23	5	0	0	0		
4	YAHYA MABYOUA AL ARAIMI (YAHYA)	14.28	10.29	11.25	6.44	12.13	54.39	2	7	0	10	2	17	6	0	0	0		
5	MANDHAR HILAL HAMED AL ARAIMI (MANDHAR)	13.01	0.00	4.32	0.00	0.00	17.33	0	0	0	1	0	13	1	0	0	0		
6	MUSHEL HILAL AL ARAIMI (MUSHEL)	22.59	36.00	31.29	32.36	36.04	122.24	2	14	0	22	1	68	6	0	0	0		
7	ISHAQ AL MAS MARZOOQ AL QASMI (ISHAQ)	11.02	0.00	0.00	2.56	7.35	20.93	1	2	0	8	0	2	1	0	0	0		
8	NOOH SALIM AL ZADJALI (NOOH)	18.11	13.18	14.35	15.54	10.43	71.61	1	6	0	18	2	19	2	0	0	0	1	
9	SAMI FAIL AL BULUSHI (SAMI)	5.47	11.31	14.05	11.35	14.39	56.57	6	13	1	17	0	5	0	0	0	0	1	
10	KHALID KHAMIS MOHAMMED ALORAIMI (KHALID)	12.32	21.32	19.34	18.20	19.34	90.52	4	12	0	24	3	33	8	7	0	0	2	
11	MUSAAB FADHIL AL-BREIKI (MUSAAB)	10.40	2.57	2.50	2.41	2.41	20.29	0	2	0	6	0	6	2	0	0	0		
12	HAITHAM HARIB SHOWAN (HAITHAM)	3.39	16.11	0.00	24.00	12.04	55.54	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	12	10	4	1	

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SECTION 6: TEAM PROFILES

PALESTINE


COACH
**IMADELDEEN
A. S. HASHIM**

 COUNTRY PALESTINE
 DATE OF BIRTH 17 MARCH 1976


OUTSTANDING PLAYERS

1

 FADY
 JABER

3

 MAISARA
 ALBAWWAB

10

 MAHMOUD
 ALNEIRAB

9

 ISLAM
 ABUOBAYDA


KEY POINTS

1. Basic formation 3-1
2. Strong mentality, good fighting spirit.
3. Mostly defend in own half and wait for counterattack.
4. Wide variety of well-rehearsed set plays with block-offs in central zone
5. Fast transitions to defensive mechanisms pre-empting counterattacks

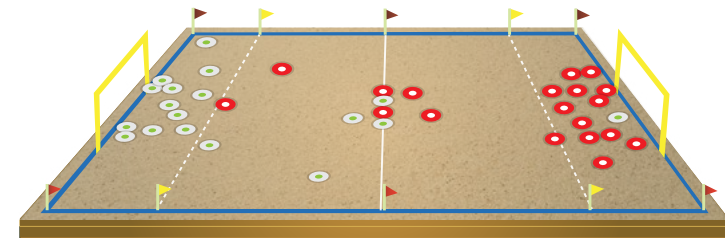


MATCHES

	STAGE	DATE	MATCH	TIME	RESULT
GROUP MATCHES		7 March 2019	THAILAND vs PALESTINE	20:30	2:5
		9 March 2019	PALESTINE vs AFGHANISTAN	17:30	3:2
		11 March 2019	MALAYSIA vs PALESTINE	19:00	5:6
QUARTER-FINAL		14 March 2019	PALESTINE vs LEBANON	20:30	4:3
SEMI-FINAL		15 March 2019	PALESTINE vs JAPAN	19:00	0:6
FINAL		15 March 2019	PALESTIN vs OMAN	17:00	2:2 (PSO 3:4)



TEAM DATA

DISCIPLINARY RECORD 1 8


● Goal Conceded ● Goal Scored → Attacking Direction


APPREANCES

NO	PLAYER	MINUTES PLAYED							ATTACKING					DEFENDING				SANCTIONS			
		MATCH 1	MATCH 2	MATCH 3	MATCH 4	MATCH 5	MATCH 6	TOTAL	SHOTS				PASSES	FIELD PLAYER		GOALKEEPER		YC	2YC	RC	
									SCORE	SAVED	POST	OUT	ASSIST	IP	DP	CS	NCS				DO
1	FADY JABER (F.JABER)	26.13	33.34	30.03	39	29.35	39	196.85	0	8	0	10	3	0	0	52	9	12			
2	FADI ALARAWI (F.ALARAWI)	15.51	18.28	28.53	26	22.52	34.4	145.24	3	10	0	11	1	53	13	0	0	0	1		
3	MAISARA ALBAWWAB (M.ALBAWWAB)	31.38	19.52	24.54	35.39	20.15	36	166.98	5	17	0	30	1	60	8	0	0	0	1		
4	IYAD ALNABRISS (I.ALNABRISS)	1.39	1.59	3.19	6.38	6.48	0.00	19.03	0	1	1	2	0	6	0	0	0	0			
5	MOHAMMED ALSDUDI (M.ALSDUDI)	33.14	36	3.58	0.00	20.52	0.00	93.24	0	3	0	8	0	32	2	0	0	0	2		1
6	MOHAMMAED HASSAN (M.HASSAN)	29.58	31.45	6.18	25.43	29.07	30.19	151.9	3	12	1	21	3	32	11	0	0	0	1		
7	AHMED ALLULAH (A.ALLULAH)	4.21	2.47	16.24	10.12	6.37	1.31	40.72	0	2	1	13	1	8	2	0	0	0			
8	ALAA ATIYA (A.ATIYA)	11.30	8.07	12.25	10.04	11.26	11.24	64.16	2	6	0	12	2	14	3	0	0	0			
9	ISLAM ABUOBAYDA (I.ABUOBAYDA)	9.50	6.40	26.22	14.14	5.56	21.57	83.39	3	7	1	13	0	14	2	0	0	0	2		
10	MAHMOUD ALNEIRAB (M.ALNEIRAB)	5.57	10.29	21.34	9.08	18.45	6.36	71.09	4	15	1	11	3	10	5	0	0	0			
11	YOUSEF SHALADAN (Y.SHALADAN)	3.43	6.23	12.02	6.05	4.24	4.43	36.4	1 (Own)	2	0	9	1	7	11	0	0	0			
12	IYAD ABUDIAB (I.ABUDIAB)	0.00	0.00	12	0.00	0.00	0.00	12	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	4	1	1			

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SECTION 6: TEAM PROFILES


COACH

ALEX DOMINGOS BRAGA

COUNTRY BRAZIL
DATE OF BIRTH 20 DECEMBER 1980



OUTSTANDING PLAYERS

11

HAITHAM FATTAL

8

MOHAMAD MERHI

10

HUSSEIN ABDULLAH



KEY POINTS

1. Basic formation 3-1 or 4-0.
2. Wide variety of well-rehearsed set plays with block-offs in central zone.
3. Fast transitions to defensive mechanisms pre-empting counterattacks.
4. High-tempo passing game with fast support for attacking.
5. Use of long passing for dangerous penetration in wide areas.

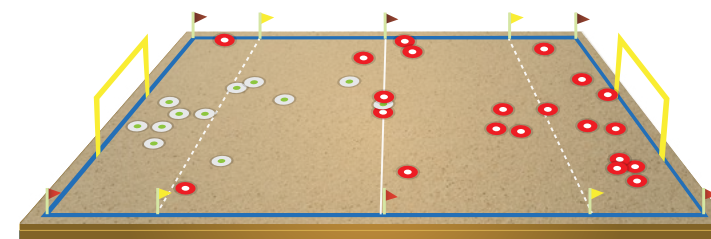


MATCHES

STAGE	DATE	MATCH	TIME	RESULT
	7 March 2019	LEBANON vs CHINA P.R.	20:30	5:3
GROUP MATCHES	9 March 2019	KYRGYZ REPUBLIC vs LEBANON	20:30	2:11
	11 March 2019	UNITED ARAB EMIRATES vs LEBANON	17:30	3:2
QUARTER-FINAL	14 March 2019	PALESTINE vs LEBANON	19:00	4:3



TEAM DATA

DISCIPLINARY RECORD **1** **0**


● Goal Conceded
 ● Goal Scored
 ➔ Attacking Direction


APPREANCES

NO	PLAYER	MINUTES PLAYED					ATTACKING					DEFENDING				SANCTIONS			
		MATCH 1	MATCH 2	MATCH 3	MATCH 4	TOTAL	SHOTS				PASSES	FIELD PLAYER		GOALKEEPER		2YC	RC		
							SCORE	SAVED	POST	OUT	ASSIST	IP	DP	CS	NCS			DO	YC
1	MOHAMED CHOKER (M. CHOKER)	36.03	24.00	12.00	36.00	108.03	0	5	0	7	0	0	0	21	15	12			
2	MOHAMAD HALAWI (M. HALAWI)	13.34	19.49	00.00	23.19	56.02	0	4	1	10	0	18	4						
3	KARIM MOKDAD (K. MOKDAD)	00.0	6.20	15.34	0.00	21.54	0	1	0	4	0	2	2						
4	ABBAS ZEIN EL DINE (A. ZEIN EL DINE)	7.14	9.36	16.12	0.00	32.62	1	3	0	7	0	6	5						
5	SAMEH JALAL (S. JALAL)	18.13	14.44	25.37	13.46	71.4	1	2	0	10	3	28	2						
6	MOHAMAD MECHLEB MATAR (M. MECHLEB MATAR)	25.41	19.26	23.14	23.26	91.07	2	7	8	8	2	18	5						
7	HASSAN KADI (H. KADI)	0.00	15.38	21.34	7.55	44.27	2	3	1	14	0	12	3						
8	MOHAMAD MERHI (M. MERHI)	29.19	21.00	0.00	27.29	77.48	4	11	1	25	0	21	4						
9	Haidar MOHAMAD (M. HAIDAR)	15.54	14.27	22.22	12.29	64.32	0	10	0	14	1	12	6						
10	HUSSEIN ABDULLAH (H. ABDULLAH)	13.17	9.50	13.51	14.46	50.64	5	9	1	14	1	15	2						
11	HAITHAM FATTAL (H. FATTAL)	21.00	15.12	3.56	21.50	61.18	6	14	2	12	0	7	3						
12	HUSSEIN SALAME (H. SALAME)	0.00	12.00	18.19	0.00	30.19	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	1	4			1

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SECTION 6: TEAM PROFILES



ISLAMIC REPUBLIC OF IRAN



COACH

MARCO OCTAVIO

COUNTRY BRAZIL
DATE OF BIRTH 19 MARCH 1955



OUTSTANDING PLAYERS

8

MOHAMMAD MASOUMIZADE

11

MOHAMMAD AHMAZDADEH

9

MOHAMMADALI MOKHTARI

2

AMIR HOSEIN AKBARI



KEY POINTS

1. Basic formation 3-1
2. High levels of individual technique; able to play in tight situations
3. Strong team ethic; commitment; 'never give up' mentality.
4. Diagonal movements allowing players greater freedom to receive in wide areas.
5. Well-rehearsed set plays a major asset in attack.



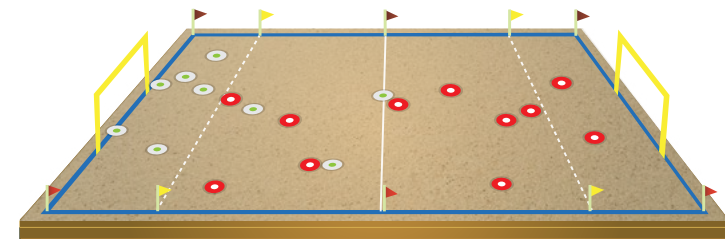
MATCHES

STAGE	DATE	MATCH	TIME	RESULT
GROUP MATCHES	8 March 2019	IRAQ vs ISLAMIC REPUBLIC OF IRAN	19:00	2:5
	12 March 2019	ISLAMIC REPUBLIC OF IRAN vs OMAN	19:00	3:4
QUARTER-FINAL	14 March 2019	JAPAN vs ISLAMIC REPUBLIC OF IRAN	17:30	3:2



TEAM DATA

DISCIPLINARY RECORD **1** **0**



● Goal Conceded ● Goal Scored → Attacking Direction


APPREANCES

NO	PLAYER	MINUTES PLAYED				ATTACKING					DEFENDING					SANCTIONS		
		MATCH 1	MATCH 2	MATCH 3	TOTAL	SCORE	SHOTS			PASSES	FIELD PLAYER		GOALKEEPER			YC	2YC	RC
							SAVED	POST	OUT		ASSIST	IP	DP	CS	NCS			
1	SEYED PEYMAN HOSSEINI (P.HOSSEINI)	6.26	17.45	11.02	34.73	0	5	1	8	1	0	0	10	4	2			
2	AMIR HOSEIN AKBARI (AMIR)	18.18	16.57	0.00	34.75	1	1	0	8	0	11	2	0	0	0	2		
3	SAEID PIRAMOUN (S.PIRAMOUN)	19.04	13.34	19.44	51.82	0	0	1	13	7	18	3	0	0	0			
4	MOSTAFA KIANI (MOSTAFA)	16.01	16.58	19.09	51.68	0	3	0	13	0	24	1	0	0	0			
5	MOHAMMAD MORADI (M.MORADI)	12.31	9.36	12.44	34.11	1	7	1	8	1	7	3	0	0	0			
6	MAHDISHIRMOHAMMADI (M.SHIRMOHAMMADI)	6.41	4.13	16.06	26.6	1	3	0	8	0	13	2	0	0	0	1		
7	ALI MIRSHEKARI (A.MIRSHEKAR)	17.09	18.00	25.03	60.12	1	5	0	4	0	18	5	0	0	0			
8	MOHAMMADMASOUMIZADE (M.MASOUMIZADEH)	16.09	20.09	30.39	66.57	2	10	0	8	0	15	7	0	0	0			
9	MOHAMMADALI MOKHTARI (MOKHTARI)	10.54	12.19	6.55	29.28	1	6	0	4	0	5	2	0	0	0			
10	MOSLEM MESIGAR (MOSLEM)	13.11	8.49	0.00	21.6	0	5	1	4	0	2	2	0	0	0	1		
11	MOHAMMADAHMADZADEH (M.AHMADZADEH)	15.09	23.30	27.44	65.83	2	7	1	16	0	10	1	0	0	0	1		
12	HAMID BEHZADPOUR (H.BEHZADPOUR)	29,34	18.15	27.59	45.74	1	7	1	19	1	0	0	30	7	5			

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SECTION 6: TEAM PROFILES

BAHRAIN



COACH

**MAHMOOD
YUSUF ALGHAWI**

COUNTRY BAHRAIN
DATE OF BIRTH 04 AUGUST 1981



OUTSTANDING PLAYERS

1

SAYED
MOHAMED
ABBAS

10

RASHED
JAMAL SALEM



KEY POINTS

1. Basic formation 3-1 and 4-0.
2. Flexible in attacking system & react according to the situation.
3. Frequent use of long supply by goalkeeper.
4. Simple game plans executed by players with excellent individual skills.



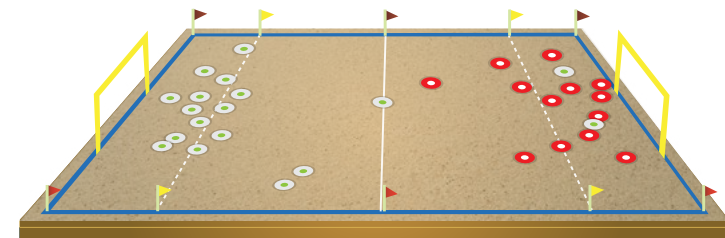
MATCHES

	STAGE	DATE	MATCH	TIME	RESULT
		8 March 2019	BAHRAIN vs QATAR	17:30	5:2
GROUP MATCHES		10 March 2019	KUWAIT vs BAHRAIN	17:30	2:5
		12 March 2019	JAPAN vs BAHRAIN	17:30	6:2
QUARTER-FINAL		14 March 2019	OMAN vs BAHRAIN	16:00	5:3



TEAM DATA

DISCIPLINARY RECORD **3** / **7**



● Goal Conceded ● Goal Scored → Attacking Direction


APPREANCES

NO	PLAYER	MINUTES PLAYED					ATTACKING					DEFENDING				SANCTIONS			
		MATCH 1	MATCH 2	MATCH 3	MATCH 4	TOTAL	SHOTS				PASSES	FIELD PLAYER		GOALKEEPER		YC	RC		
							SCORE	SAVED	POST	OUT	ASSIST	IP	DP	CS	NCS			DO	
1	SAYED MOHAMED ABBAS (S.MOHAMED)	30	36	36	31.29	133.29	0	6	0	31	2	0	0	31	13	8	1		1
2	EBRAHIM MOHAMED ALMAHJOOB (EBRAHIM)	11.51	18.39	21.00	15.28	66.18	1	5	0	7	1	19	3	0	0	0			
3	ISA MOHAMED ALDOSERI (ISA)	13.23	7.10	4.35	0.00	24.68	0	0	0	3	0	6	3	0	0	0			1
4	HESHAM YUSUF AHMED (HESHAM)	8.28	13.22	19.55	0.00	41.05	0	1	0	11	0	7	5	0	0	0	2		
5	MOHAMED MOHAMED ASHOOR (M.ASHOOR)	6.33	2.39	0.00	17.24	25.96	0	2	0	5	0	9	2	0	0	0			1
6	ABBSA FADHEL ZUBAYEL (ABBAS)	13.20	14.59	0.00	11.37	39.16	1	3	0	4	0	7	2	0	0	0			
7	MOHAMED DARWISH EBRAHIM (M.DARWISH)	6.48	8.47	7.01	17.19	39.15	1	5	0	5	1	9	2	0	0	0			
8	SALMAN KHALED ALYAQOUBI (SALMAN)	17.39	18.08	24.04	17.29	76.8	3	9	0	8	2	28	4	0	0	0	1		
9	AYOUB NASEEB MUBARAK (AYOUB)	24.12	23.53	25.15	24.03	96.83	1	7	0	10	0	31	9	0	0	0			
10	RASHED JAMAL SALEM (R.JAMAL)	22.04	24.58	28.41	24.10	99.13	4	11	0	11	3	17	3	0	0	0	2		
11	ABDULLA ABDULLATIF ALABDULLA (A.ALABDULLA)	19.42	9.25	12.45	16.30	57.42	2	5	0	16	0	12	3	0	0	0	1		
12	KHALIFA EBRAHIM SALEH (KHALIFA)	6	0.00	0.00	4.31	10.31	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1			

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SECTION 6: TEAM PROFILES

MALAYSIA



COACH

MOHD FAIZAL BIN MD SO'OD

COUNTRY MALAYSIA
DATE OF BIRTH 05 MAY 1974



OUTSTANDING PLAYERS

4

MOHAMAD NORAZMAN

3

MUHAMMAD QUSHAIRIE ASAARI

12

MOHD NAZRI SULAIMAN



KEY POINTS

1. Basic formation 4-0 or 1-2-1.
2. Speed + anticipation = interceptions and rapid counter attacks.
3. Patient build-up; good movements to open passing lines.



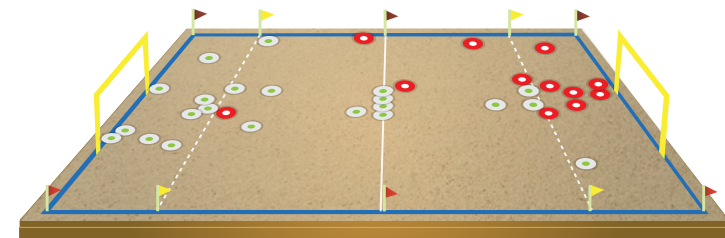
MATCHES

STAGE	DATE	MATCH	TIME	RESULT
	7 March 2019	AFGHANISTAN vs MALAYSIA	17:30	3:2
GROUP MATCHES	9 March 2019	MALAYSIA vs THAILAND	20:30	5:4
	11 March 2019	MALAYSIA vs PALESTINE	19:00	5:6
QUARTER-FINAL	14 March 2019	UAE vs MALAYSIA	19:00	8:1



TEAM DATA

DISCIPLINARY RECORD **0** **4**



● Goal Conceded ● Goal Scored → Attacking Direction


APPREANCES

NO	PLAYER	MINUTES PLAYED					ATTACKING					DEFENDING					SANCTIONS			
		MATCH 1	MATCH 2	MATCH 3	MATCH 4	TOTAL	SHOTS				PASSES	FIELD PLAYER		GOALKEEPER			YC	2YC	RC	
							SCORE	SAVED	POST	OUT	ASSIST	IP	DP	CS	NCS	DO				
1	MOHD HAFIZ ARBAEN (HAFIZ)	0.00	0.00	0.00	2.01	2.01	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0			
2	AZRIZAN AHMAD (AZRIZAN)	6.45	10.13	6.22	8.17	30.97	0	3	0	4	0	4	0	0	0	0				
3	MUHAMMAD QUSHAIRIE ASAARI (QUSHAIRIE)	11.29	15.51	20.30	15.42	62.52	3	15	1	18	1	27	3	0	0	0				
4	MOHAMAD NORAZMAN (NORAZMAN)	24.47	21.06	24.45	23.39	93.37	0	3	2	20	2	18	5	0	0	0	2			
5	MOHD HASROL ALI (HASROL)	8.01	13.45	12.47	17.47	51.4	3	8	1	5	1	15	3	0	0	0				
6	WAN MUHAMMAD SYARIF (SYARIF)	18.48	15.29	13.48	17	64.25	0	3	0	13	0	17	3	0	0	0	1			
7	MOHD SHAFIQ RIZA HUZAIR (SHAFIQ)	15.59	15.22	10.40	14.47	55.68	0	6	0	7	0	21	3	0	0	0	1			
8	AZRUL AZHAR (AZRUL)	4.24	6.13	3.30	0.00	13.67	0	1	0	1	0	3	0	0	0	0				
9	MOHD RIDHWAN ZAINAL (RIDHWAN)	11.36	3.06	10.12	10.35	34.89	3	6	0	3	0	9	2	0	0	0				
10	MOHD ZAHARIM YUSOF (ZAHARIM)	23.16	21.07	19.45	20.07	83.75	2	8	0	7	0	8	5	0	0	0				
11	MOHD RIDUWAN MOHD NOOR (RIDUWAN)	25.03	21.48	21.41	16.06	83.98	0	3	1	10	1	25	1	0	0	0				
12	MOHD NAZRI SULAIMAN (NAZRI)	39	36	36	33.59	144.59	1	6	1	16	0	0	0	30	24	18				

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SECTION 6: TEAM PROFILES



CHINA PR



COACH

**RAMIRO FIGUEIRAS
AMARELLE**

COUNTRY SPAIN
DATE OF BIRTH 17 DECEMBER 1977



OUTSTANDING PLAYERS

10

LIU YISI



KEY POINTS

1. Basic formation 1-2-1 or 3-1.
2. Good team spirit.
3. Man to man marking – tight and disciplined.



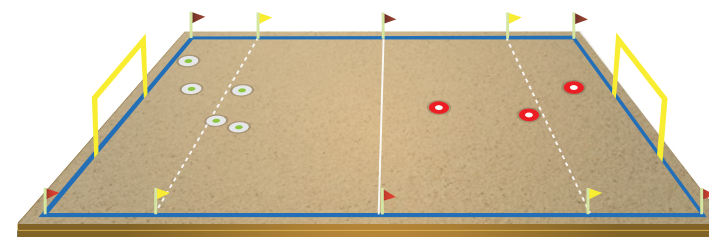
MATCHES

STAGE	DATE	MATCH	TIME	RESULT
GROUP MATCHES	8 March 2019	LEBANON vs CHINA P.R.	14:00	5:3
	12 March 2019	CHINA P.R vs UNITED ARAEMIRATES	19:00	2:6
	8 March 2019	CHINA P.R vs KYRGYZ REPUBLIC	17:30	9:3



TEAM DATA

DISCIPLINARY RECORD **0** / **6**



● Goal Conceded ● Goal Scored → Attacking Direction


APPREANCES

NO	PLAYER	MINUTES PLAYED				ATTACKING					DEFENDING					SANCTIONS		
		MATCH 1	MATCH 2	MATCH 3	TOTAL	SCORE	SHOTS			PASSES	FIELD PLAYER		GOALKEEPER			YC	2YC	RC
							SAVED	POST	OUT		ASSIST	IP	DP	CS	NCS			
1	HAN YINGNAN (HAN YN)	19.53	9	0.00	28.53	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	9	10	12			
2	HAN XUEGENG (HAN XG)	17.56	18.33	18.48	54.37	4	5	1	14	1	12	8	0	0	0	2		
3	LIANG SHUAI (LIANG S)	4.25	5.34	8.08	13.42	0	0	0	2	0	4	2	0	0	0			
4	WANGJUN (WANG J)	8.12	11.20	9.00	28.32	0	0	0	2	1	3	0	0	0	0			
5	HAO MIN HUI (HAO MH)	15.05	18.05	14.12	47.22	0	2	0	2	0	7	5	3	0	0			
6	WANG CUNDE (WANG CD)	17.01	8.54	11.23	36.78	0	1	1	6	1	6	1	3	0	0	1		
7	BAI FAN (BAI F)	18.01	18.04	15.59	51.64	1	3	1	8	0	15	1	0	0	0	1		
8	CAI WEIMING (CAI WM)	14.38	18.19	17.31	49.88	3	7	0	8	1	19	6	0	0	0			
9	LIU HAORAN (LIU HR)	17.48	16.47	18.20	52.15	3	7	1	7	1	5	2	0	0	0			
10	LIU YISI (LIU YS)	17.19	16.56	18.38	52.13	2	4	0	8	0	4	4	0	0	0	1		
11	GUO XUCHENJIAO (GUO XCJ)	5.51	11.28	11.41	28.2	1	1	0	6	0	9	2	0	0	0	1		
12	GUO WEI (GUO W)	16.41	15.22	36.00	67.63	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	27	11	9			

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SECTION 6: TEAM PROFILES

THAILAND



COACH

**ABOLFAZL
HODABANDEHLOO**

COUNTRY SINGAPORE
DATE OF BIRTH 02 MARCH 1959



OUTSTANDING PLAYERS

8

TANANDON
PRARACHA

10

KOMKRIT
NANAN



KEY POINTS

1. Basic formation 3-1.
2. Strong team ethic, commitment, with key players taking on heavy workloads.
3. Good anticipation, interceptions; fast, dangerous counterattacking.
4. Well-structured positional play with emphasis on intensity.



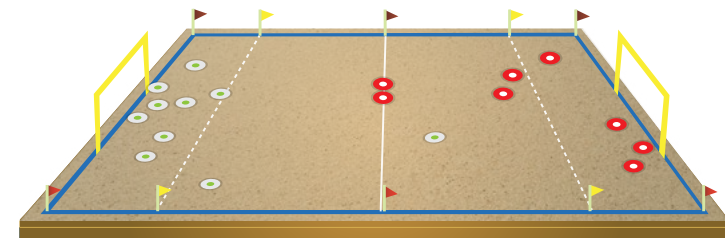
MATCHES

STAGE	DATE	MATCH	TIME	RESULT
GROUP MATCHES	7 March 2019	THAILAND vs PALESTINE	20:30	2:5
	9 March 2019	MALAYSIA vs THAILAND	20:30	5:4
	11 March 2019	THAILAND vs AFGHANISTAN	20:30	2:0



TEAM DATA

DISCIPLINARY RECORD **4** **4**



● Goal Conceded ● Goal Scored → Attacking Direction


APPREANCES

NO	PLAYER	MINUTES PLAYED				ATTACKING					DEFENDING					SANCTIONS		
						SHOTS			PASSES	FIELD PLAYER		GOALKEEPER						
		MATCH 1	MATCH 2	MATCH 3	TOTAL	SCORE	SAVED	POST	OUT	ASSIST	IP	DP	CS	NCS	DO	YC	2YC	RC
1	NARONG WISETSRI (NARONG)	20.03	24.09	0.00	44.12	0	4	0	5	0	0	0	13	4	3			
2	WATCHARA LEPAIJIT (WATCHARA)	28.09	21.52	27.47	77.08	0	4	0	4	3	21	3	0	0	0			
3	NATEE JEEPON (NATEE)	5.46	11.48	14.28	31.22	0	3	0	8	0	13	1	0	0	0	1		
4	SITTICHAJ CHIMCHUMSILP (SITTICHAJ)	4.27	5.20	9.05	18.52	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	1		
5	KITTIN LORJANAD (KITTIN)	27.31	22.10	21.32	70.73	1 (Own)	9	0	7	1	20	7	0	0	0			
6	MANUS MADTOHA (MANUS)	13.36	21.17	12.54	47.07	0	4	0	8	0	4	7	0	0	0			
7	PIYAPONG SONGPIEW (PIYAPONG)	12.18	13.58	0.00	25.76	0	3	0	3	1	2	2	0	0	0	1	1	1
8	TANANDON PRARACHA (TANANDON)	13.21	14.55	12.40	40.16	4	6	0	10	0	5	2	0	0	0			
9	THAKORN WIKAYAPHAN (THAKORN)	12.31	9.46	7.05	28.82	2	6	0	9	0	1		0	0	0			
10	KOMKRIT NANAN (KOMKRIT)	18.35	17.18	23.22	58.75	2	14	2	15	0	1	1	0	0	0			
11	WUTTINAN PRUETHONG (WUTTINAN)	7.20	6.32	11.19	24.71	0	3	0	2	0	4	1	0	0	0	1	1	1
12	BORIBOON KLANGLAR (BORIBOON)	15.57	12.05	36	63.62	0	0	0	5	0	0	0	18	7	6			

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SECTION 6: TEAM PROFILES



COACH

**AHMED
MOHAMED
ABDELRAZEK**

COUNTRY EGYPT
DATE OF BIRTH 23 JULY 1970



OUTSTANDING PLAYERS

10

ABDULLATIF
ALHAMAD



KEY POINTS

1. Basic formation 1-2-1 or -2-2.
2. Play short pass and penetrate in middle court.
3. Good confident in short passing in offensive.
4. High confident level during attacking.
5. Some players have quick transition.



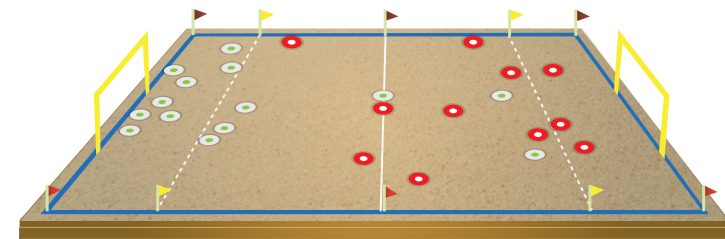
MATCHES

STAGE	DATE	MATCH	TIME	RESULT
GROUP MATCHES	8 March 2019	JAPAN vs KUWAIT	20:30	8:1
	10 March 2019	KUWAIT vs SAUDI ARABIA	17:30	2:5
	12 March 2019	QATAR vs KUWAIT	20:30	1:8



TEAM DATA

DISCIPLINARY RECORD **0** **4**



● Goal Conceded ● Goal Scored → Attacking Direction


APPREANCES

NO	PLAYER	MINUTES PLAYED				ATTACKING					DEFENDING					SANCTIONS			
		MATCH 1	MATCH 2	MATCH 3	TOTAL	SCORE	SHOTS			PASSES	FIELD PLAYER		GOALKEEPER			YC	2YC	RC	
							SAVED	POST	OUT		ASSIST	IP	DP	CS	NCS				DO
1	NAWAF HAJIAH (N.HAJIAH)	24	6.12	0.00	30.12	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	14	2	2			
2	MOHAMMAD ALKANDARI (M.ALKANDARI)	25.08	25.53	15.26	65.87	0	1	0	12	1	19	5	0	0	0	1			
3	YOUSEF ALSAQER (Y.ALSAQER)	4.07	6.03	8.09	18.19	0	1	0	2	0	7	1	0	0	0				
4	FAISAL E N ALSHAMMARI (F.ALSHAMMARI)	14.10	6.05	11.48	31.63	0	0	0	2	0	4	5	0	0	0				
5	MOHAMMAD BU-ABBAS (M.BU-ABBAS)	13.21	4.29	11.39	28.89	0	1	0	0	0	7	1	0	0	0	1			
6	ALI ABDULLAH (A.ABDULLAH)	14.49	10.01	10.35	34.85	1	1	0	2	0	4	2	0	0	0				
7	MOHAMMED (M.HAJEYAH)	13.37	22.48	18.44	54.29	2	6	0	14	0	13	5	0	0	0				
8	MAHDI ALQALLAF (M.ALQALLAF)	20.51	20.58	15.01	56.1	0	4	0	7	1	11	4	0	0	0	1			
9	ALI ALSAIF (A.ALSAIF)	15.36	11.16	17.15	43.67	0	6	1	7	0	6	6	0	0	0				
10	ABDULLATIF ALHAMAD (A.ALHAMAD)	15.19	22.08	22.14	59.41	4	8	0	16	0	15	3	0	0	0	1			
11	ABDULRAHMAN ALYAQOUB (A.ALYAQOUB)	6.59	14.19	13.03	33.81	4	8	1	9	0	6	0	0	0	0				
12	MOHAMMAD ALSHAER (M.ALSHAER)	12	29.48	36	77.48	0	2	0	3	3	0	0	20	4	7				

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SECTION 6: TEAM PROFILES

AFGHANISTAN



COACH

ASHTYANI MEYSAM

COUNTRY ISLAMIC REPUBLIC OF IRAN
DATE OF BIRTH 11 JUNE 1986



OUTSTANDING PLAYERS

1

S. SHAHAB SHAH ALAVI

8

SAMI ULLAH MOHAMMADI

11

SHARIFI ZAINUDDIN



KEY POINTS

1. Basic formation 3-1.
2. Good physical condition.
3. Use of long passing for dangerous penetration in wide areas.
4. Good anticipation, interceptions; fast, dangerous counterattacking.
5. Possession game based on combinations, well-organised off-ball movements.



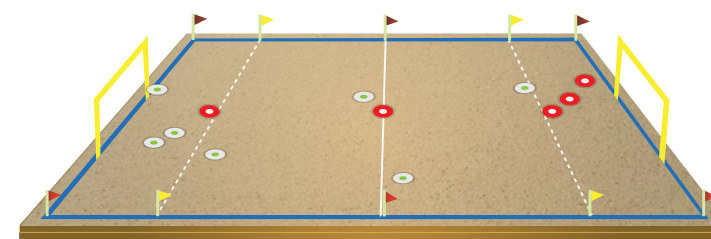
MATCHES

STAGE	DATE	MATCH	TIME	RESULT
GROUP MATCHES	7 March 2019	AFGHANISTAN vs MALAYSIA	17:30	3:2
	9 March 2019	PALESTINE vs AFGHANISTAN	17:30	3:2
	11 March 2019	THAILAND vs AFGHANISTAN	20:30	2:0



TEAM DATA

DISCIPLINARY RECORD **0** **4**



● Goal Conceded ● Goal Scored → Attacking Direction


APPREANCES

NO	PLAYER	MINUTES PLAYED				ATTACKING					DEFENDING					SANCTIONS		
		MATCH 1	MATCH 2	MATCH 3	TOTAL	SCORE	SHOTS			PASSES	FIELD PLAYER		GOALKEEPER			YC	2YC	RC
							SAVED	POST	OUT		ASSIST	IP	DP	CS	NCS			
1	S SHAHAB SHAH ALAVI (S.ALAVI)	39	35.29	36	110.29	1	2	0	6	0	0	0	52	9	8			
2	NADER NADERI (N.NADERI)	0.00	2.37	0.00	2.37	0	0	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	0			
3	MOHAMMAD TAMIM HAIDARI (T.HAIDARI)	10.56	5.48	6.39	22.43	0	2	0	3	1	2	1	0	0	0	1		
4	HAZRAT GUL BARAN (H.BARAN)	7.57	3.41	3.31	14.29	0	1	0	3	1	5	1	0	0	0			
5	MOHAMMAD AIMAL TOTAKHAIL (A.TOTAKHAIL)	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0			
6	MURTAZA JAFARI (M.JAFARI)	21.15	9.18	5.28	35.16	0	3	0	10	0	2	4	0	0	0			
7	ABDUL RAUF QADERI (R.QADERI)	18.15	19.29	28.27	65.17	1	8	1	22	2	6	3	0	0	0			
8	SAMI ULLAH MOHAMMADI (S.MOHAMMADI)	27.98	22.46	23.41	73.85	3	11	0	10	0	12	4	0	0	0			
9	RAMEZ FAROOQ (R.FAROOQ)	16.50	30.33	30.33	77.16	0	8	0	13	0	23	4	0	0	0	1		
10	MAHMOOD AZAD (M.AZAD)	13.59	13.30	9.44	36.33	0	2	0	10	0	4	1	0	0	0			
11	ZAINUDDIN SHARIFI (Z.SHARIFI)	39	36	36	111	0	7	0	11	0	30	5	0	0	0	1		
12	ALI JUBAIR LALI (A.LALI)	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1		

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SECTION 6: TEAM PROFILES



COACH

KARIM MOGHADDAM

COUNTRY ISLAMIC REPUBLIC OF IRAN
DATE OF BIRTH 22 APRIL 1975



OUTSTANDING PLAYERS

10

SAJJAD SALAH
HATEM

4

SALAM IBRAHIM
AL-IEDANI



KEY POINTS

1. Basic formation 3-1.
2. Good physical condition.
3. Use of long passing for dangerous penetration in wide areas
4. Good anticipation, interceptions; fast, dangerous counterattacking
5. Possession game based on combinations, well-organised off-ball movements.



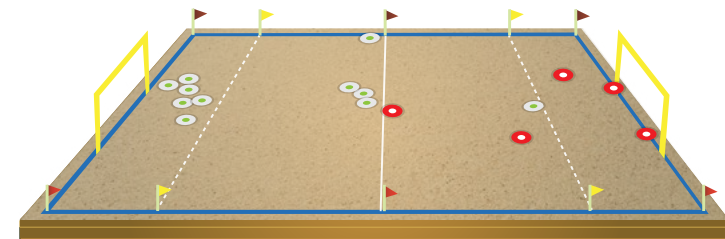
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STAGE	DATE	MATCH	TIME	RESULT
GROUP MATCHES	8 March 2019	IRAQ vs ISLAMIC REPUBLIC OF IRAN	19:00	2:5
	10 March 2019	OMAN vs IRAQ	19:00	6:3



TEAM DATA

DISCIPLINARY RECORD **0 / 7**



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APPEARANCES

NO	PLAYER	MINUTES PLAYED			ATTACKING					DEFENDING					SANCTIONS		
					SHOTS				PASSES	FIELD PLAYER		GOALKEEPER					
		MATCH 1	MATCH 2	TOTAL	SCORE	SAVED	POST	OUT	ASSIST	IP	DP	CS	NCS	DO	YC	2YC	RC
1	MOHAMMED SAAD AL-MSARI MOHAMMED S.	31.04	21.02	52.06	0	1	0	2	0	0	0	19	15	6			
2	ALI AHMED AL-LAMI (ALI A.)	18.51	15.46	33.97	1	5	0	7	0	8	7	0	0	0	2		
3	MOHAND MAHMOOD ALGHESHE MOHANAD M.	6.51	8.42	14.93	0	2	0	0	0	8	4	0	0	0			
4	SALAM IBRAHIM AL-IEDANI (SALAM I.)	19.40	13.37	32.77	0	1	0	12	0	17	0	0	0	0	2		
5	ALI JABBAR AL-RUBAIAWI (A. JABBAR)	17.48	19.54	37.02	0	3	0	5	0	11	14	0	0	0	1		
6	SALAH HASAN AL-BAZOONI (SALAH H.)	15.42	15.58	31	1	1	0	3	0	2	2	0	0	0			
7	MURTADHA QASIM KINANI (MURTADHA Q.)	12.06	16.26	28.32	1	6	1	11	0	4	3	0	0	0			
8	MOHAMMED RIDHA ALI (M. RIDHA)	8.53	7.30	15.83	0	1	0	1	1	1	0	0	0	0			
9	MOHAMMED NAJI (M. NAJI)	16.32	21.53	37.85	1	2	1	11	0	4	1	0	0	0	1		
10	SAJJAD SALAH HATEM (SAJJAD S.)	17.49	17.17	34.66	1	3	0	9	0	15	4	0	0	0	1		
11	HUSSEIN KHUDHAIR AL-KINANI (HUSSEIN K.)	9.08	6,57	15.65	0	0	2	3	0	1	2	0	0	0			
12	MOHAMMED SAMI SABEEH (M. SAMI)	4.56	14.56	19.12	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	9	3	0			

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SECTION 6: TEAM PROFILES

QATAR



COACH

AHMED GHOLAM AL-BALOSHI

COUNTRY QATAR
DATE OF BIRTH 12 JANUARY 1980



OUTSTANDING PLAYERS

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ABDULLA ALI A.
F. AL BUAINAIN



KEY POINTS

1. Basic formation 3-1
2. Use of long passing for dangerous penetration in wide areas
3. Good anticipation, interceptions; fast, dangerous counterattacking



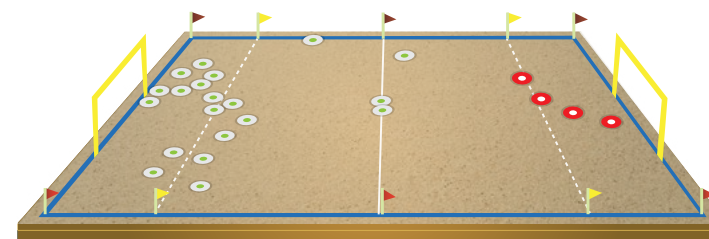
MATCHES

STAGE	DATE	MATCH	TIME	RESULT
GROUP MATCHES	8 March 2019	BAHRAIN vs QATAR	17:30	5:2
	10 March 2019	QATAR vs JAPAN	20:30	1:7
	12 March 2019	QATAR vs KUWAIT	20:30	1:8



TEAM DATA

DISCIPLINARY RECORD **0** **2**



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APPEARANCES

NO	PLAYER	MINUTES PLAYED				ATTACKING					DEFENDING					SANCTIONS			
		MATCH 1	MATCH 2	MATCH 3	TOTAL	SCORE	SHOTS			PASSES	FIELD PLAYER		GOALKEEPER			YC	2YC	RC	
							SAVED	POST	OUT		ASSIST	IP	DP	CS	NCS				DO
1	ABDULRAHMAN MOHSIN A S QAHTAN (ABDULRAHMAN)	18.01	24	24	66.01	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	12	5	14			
2	HAZEM SAMY I E SELIM (HAZEM)	19.06	24.08	18.02	37.08	1	3	0	10	1	7	2	0	0	0	1			
3	SRHAN ALKHLIF (SRHAN)	23.21	13.49	14.46	51.16	2	4	1	7	1	10	5	0	0	0				
4	SAAD BILAL S A AL-SHAHWANI (SAAD)	1.14	0.00	3.04	4.18	0	0	0	2	0	1	0	0	0	0				
5	ABDULLA ALI A. F AL BUAINAIN (ABDULLA)	36	30.53	26.55	93.08	0	3	0	5	0	18	6	0	0	0				
6	NAIEF EISA N A AL-ENAZI (NAIEF)	21.24	28.56	26.05	75.85	0	1	0	7	0	20	3	0	0	0	1			
7	RASHID YOUSUF E R AL-BOININ (RASHID)	1.33	4.22	15.41	20.96	0	3	0	2	0	6	1	0	0	0				
8	FAHAD AL-SHARSHANI (FAHAD)	3.55	3.21	4.01	10.77	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0				
9	MUBARAK AL-MUHAZAA (MUBARAK)	10.24	11.52	5.13	26.89	0	1	0	7	1	5	0	0	0	0				
10	FAWAZ DAOU (FAWAZ)	6.30	0.00	10.17	16.47	1	1	0	9	0	0	1	0	0	0				
11	IBRAHIM AL-ROMAIHI (IBRAHIM)	20.33	26.39	19.56	66.28	0	4	0	9	0	19	3	0	0	0				
12	AMRO FAWZI MAHMOUD SHANA' (AMRO)	17.59	12	12	41.59	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	9	4	4				

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SECTION 6: TEAM PROFILES

KYRGYZ REPUBLIC



COACH

MUKTARBEK OROZBAKOV

COUNTRY KYRGYZ REPUBLIC
DATE OF BIRTH 27 NOVEMBER 1975



OUTSTANDING PLAYERS

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DUISHEEV
KAIRAT



KEY POINTS

1. Basic formation 3-1
2. Good physical condition.
3. Possession game based on combinations, well-organised off-ball movements



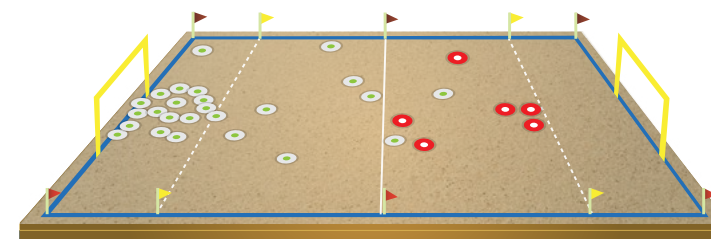
MATCHES




STAGE	DATE	MATCH	TIME	RESULT
GROUP MATCHES	7 March 2019	UNITED ARAB EMIRATES vs KYRGYZ REPUBLIC	19:00	6:1
	9 March 2019	KYRGYZ REPUBLIC vs LEBANON	14:00	2:11
	11 March 2019	CHINA P.R vs KYRGYZ REPUBLIC	17:30	9:3



TEAM DATA

DISCIPLINARY RECORD **1** **10**



 Goal Conceded  Goal Scored  Attacking Direction


APPREANCES

NO	PLAYER	MINUTES PLAYED				ATTACKING					DEFENDING					SANCTIONS		
		MATCH 1	MATCH 2	MATCH 3	TOTAL	SCORE	SHOTS			PASSES	FIELD PLAYER		GOALKEEPER			YC	2YC	RC
							SAVED	POST	OUT		ASSIST	IP	DP	CS	NCS			
1	MAKSIMISHKIN MAKSIM (MAKSIMISHKIN)	31.12	22.27	24.00	77.39	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	18	12	16	2		
2	CHABALIEV ERMEK (CHABALIEV)	0.00	13.34	12.00	25.34	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	9	6	2			
3	OROZALIEV EDIL (OROZALIEV E.)	16.56	20.25	28.30	65.11	0	2	0	7	1	15	5	0	0	0	1		
4	URDOLOTOV DZHYRGALBEK (URDOLOTOV)	0.00	4.14	12.57	16.71	0	2	1	5	0	0	0	0	0	0			
5	OROZALIEV BAKTIAR (OROZALIEV B.)	26.07	13.53	0.00	39.6	0	0	0	4	1	6	2	0	0	0	1		
6	ZHANALIEV BAKYT (ZHANALIEV)	10.06	6.53	0.00	16.59	0	1	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0			1
7	MIRLAN UULU NURBAKYT (MIRLAN U)	17.41	15.45	25.16	58.02	0	4	0	8	0	24	7	0	0	0			
8	DIUSHENOV URMAT (DIUSHENOV)	10.19	11.01	18.32	39.52	1	3	0	4	0	8	1	0	0	0	1		
9	ABDYKALYI UULU AKTILEK (ABDYKALYI U)	15.12	12.46	18.01	45.59	1	5	0	13	0	7	2	0	0	0	1		
10	ALMAZBEKOV ERBOL (ALMAZBEKOV)	15.25	18.33	27.28	60.86	3	6	0	13	0	11	15	0	0	0	1		
11	DUISHEEV KAIRAT (DUISHEEV)	23.02	26.38	0.00	49.4	1	4	0	9	0	15	2	0	0	0	2		
12	TALAIKBEKOV DANIAR (TALAIKBEKOV)	0.00	6.44	12.26	6.44	0	0	0	1	0	0	2	0	0	0			

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SECTION 7: REFEREES

THE TEAM OF REFEREES AND ASSISTANT REFEREES

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| 2. Waleed Mohamed Mahmood Abdulkarim | BHR |
| 3. Li Qibin | CHN |
| 4. Shao Liang | CHN |
| 5. Ali Sharifat | IRN |
| 6. Ebrahim Akbarpour | IRN |
| 7. Makoto Sato | JPN |
| 8. Yuichi Hatano | JPN |
| 9. Hassan Abed Rabbo | LIB |
| 10. Suhaimi Bin Mat Hassan | MAS |
| 11. Wan Mohamad Tarmizi Bin Wan Ibrahim | MAS |
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| 13. Suwat Wongsuwan | THA |
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SECTION 8: STAR SELECTION

DREAM TEAM



MOHAMED ABDULLA
(Goalkeeper No. 1)



OZU MOREIRA
(No. 10)



WALEED BESH
(No. 4)



YAHYA MABYOUA
(No. 4)



YAMAUCHI SHUSEI
(No. 9)

RESERVES TEAM



TERUKINA SHINGO
(Goalkeeper No. 1)



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(No. 3)



MUSHEL HILAL
(No. 6)



WALID MOHAMMAD
(No. 10)



AKAGUMA TAKUYA
(No. 2)



SECTION 9: COACHES TALKING POINTS



Ruy Ramos

COACH DISCUSSION: RUY RAMOS (JPN)

ON THE GAP BETWEEN THE STRENGTH LEVELS

In the history of beach soccer in Asia: Japan, Iran, Oman, UAE. Those are the teams with the background and environment to play beach soccer. In terms of the teams with potential in Asia, with everyone, there is not much difference. When it comes to the game, everyone gives 100 per cent effort, but the difference comes from the history, the culture, the economic situation and everyone has difficulties. The strong countries are the ones who

have the environment which focuses on beach soccer. For example, Lebanon and Iraq have a huge amount of potential if they focus on creating an environment for beach soccer with coaches and everything they can be better in the future.

ON THE IMPORTANCE OF HAVING ORGANISED LEAGUES

Let's say if the environment in all Asian countries can be developed to this level, every country in Asia can be World Cup finalists, and the finalists could be only Asian teams. That is the potential.

ON FITNESS OF THE FOUR SEMI-FINAL TEAMS (AND THE COMPETITION FORMAT)

UAE is the fittest team. Their level is good. There's one thing I really want you to write, about the grouping. In Asia, there is Iran, Japan, Oman, UAE and Bahrain - those countries lead in Asia, so as a grouping Pot A, Pot B etc. It is supposed to be (seeded from) one to eight. I understand there is a hosting country (Thailand), but to be honest, for developing the Asian level, just forget about the host country (being seeded). IT has to be by the rankings for the group stage. I really care about Asian beach soccer and I'm still willing to do everything to help and develop the sport. As a competition, lets say there's a strong team, they should be in the competition. Thailand was hosting but their level wasn't good enough, so they shouldn't be treated as one of the top teams. It's entertainment as well. It's better to be fair and to think of what is proper.

IS IT THE HEAD COACH OR THE CHARACTERISTICS OF THE COUNTRY THAT CREATE THE PLAYING STYLE?

It's both. I know it's something that doesn't look normal - when we're winning 7-1 and I still look super angry - but it has to be that way, because we have to keep the tension and have to be better. We can't just be relaxed because we're winning. It's part of the Japanese character. You have to keep hitting hard. If I go to Iran or some other country, it's because my character would blend in with the culture. The reason I'm doing it like this is because I'm not only here to fight with Kuwait, or Iran, or whoever - I'm aiming to be the champion at the World Cup, and my character is working with Japanese culture. That is Ruy Ramos. I'm expecting China - who has a beautiful beach soccer player (Amarelle) as head coach - if they can blend the character of the coach and the country, to grow up and become one the leaders in Asia.

ON THE IMPORTANCE OF A STRONG GOALKEEPER

The first job of the goalkeeper is the make saves, and also he has to have an intense, long and accurate throw. In my opinion, in beach soccer right now, everyone is scoring from the goalkeeper, but if possible, I'd like to change the rule so that the goalkeeper cannot score directly. I think it should indirect and the goalkeeper should stay in the goalkeeper zone. If the middle playing zone is more wide, it might be more interesting in the game.



SECTION 10: AWARDS



FAIRPLAY AWARDS: UNITED ARAB EMIRATES

The AFC Fair Play Award is awarded to the team which has collected the most Fair Play points in the competition. AFC Beach Soccer Championship 2019 winner UNITED ARAB EMIRATES won the Fair Play Award after amassing 52.00 points.

FAIRPLAY AWARDS CRITERIA:

Teams are assessed in five categories, with a further category relating to the behavior of the public. This is how the points are calculated.

1. RED AND YELLOW CARD (MAX. 10 MARKS)

If a player who is on a yellow card (-1 point) commits another yellow card offence, only the red card will count (-3 points). But if a player who has already been cautioned then commits a red card offence, both cards will count (so the player will receive -4 points). This is the only section in which it is possible to receive a score below zero.

2. POSITIVE PLAY (MAX. 10 MARKS)

This is designed to encourage attractive play that will increase the enjoyment of spectators and the following areas are taken into consideration:

Positive

- Using attacking tactics, not defensive
- Speeding up the game
- Efforts to gain time (e.g. bringing the ball back into play quickly even if the team is in a winning position)
- Continuing to push for goals when in a winning position

Negative

- Slowing down the game
- Time wasting
- Tactics based on foul play
- Play-acting (simulation)

3. RESPECT TOWARDS THE OPPONENT (MAX. 5 MARKS)

Players should respect the Laws of the Game and abide by the spirit of Fair Play. The Fair Play delegate's assessment will not double count items already covered in the 'Red and Yellow cards' category, but the seriousness of the offences punished by cards may be considered. This category will also include offences overlooked by the referee. Any single major incident between players may have a significant bearing on the final score.

4. RESPECT TOWARDS THE REFEREE (MAX. 5 MARKS)

Players are expected to respect the officials - including assistants - at all times. The Fair Play delegate's assessment will not double count items already covered in the 'Red and Yellow cards' but the seriousness of the offences punished by cards may be considered. Any single major incident may have a significant bearing on the score. A positive attitude, including the acceptance of doubtful decisions without protest, will be rewarded with high marks.

SECTION 10: AWARDS

5. BEHAVIOUR OF THE OFFICIALS (MAX. 5 MARKS)

Team officials, including coaches, are expected to develop the sporting, technical and tactical level of their team – and instruct players to behave in accordance with the Fair Play principles. Positive and negative aspects of the team officials' conduct will be assessed – such as whether they calm down or provoke angry players or fans and how they accept the decisions of the referee. Co-operation with the media will also be taken into account. Any single major incident may have a significant bearing on the final mark, as will breaches of the regulations governing the dugout and technical area.

For categories 1-5, the overall assessment of a team is obtained by adding up the points given for the individual categories, dividing this sum by the maximum points score (40) and multiplying it by 10.

Total Number of points (x 10 / (40*)).

In addition, there is one further category assessed by the Fair Play delegate

6. BEHAVIOR OF THE CROWD (MAX. 5 MARKS)

All teams begin with a score of 5 points. A maximum of a further 5 points can be added for:

- Verbal support in acceptable form
- Covert recognition of outstanding play by the opponents

A maximum of 5 points can be deducted for:

- Persistent foul and abusive language
- Persistent abuse of the officials' decisions
- Aggressive and threatening conduct towards opposing fans



TOP GOAL SCORER AWARDS

Ozu Moreira emerged as the AFC Beach Soccer Championship Top Scorer with 9 goals. Assists will be included if two or more players were equal on goals scored.

MVP AWARDS: OZU MOREIRA

Ozu Moreira was crowned the AFC Beach Soccer Championship Most Valuable Player (MVP). The 33-year-old scored three times during the competition.

MVP SELECTION CRITERIA

1. Semi finalist Team.
2. No red card received.
3. Major impact on outcome of the match.
 - Inspiration to others
 - Technical skills
 - Tactical Awareness
 - Physical Fitness
 - Sporting Behavior
 - Fair Play



SECTION 11: EXTRA TIME

VENUE PATTAYA, THAILAND



SECTION 11: EXTRA TIME

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