

AtaHolding Champions Challenge – Women
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New Zealand 1

Korea 3

70' FULL TIME: NEW ZEALAND 1:3 KOREA

**** Goal: Seul Ki CHEON ****

- 69'** Seul Ki CHEON wins the game for KOR with her second goal of the match, picking her spot well from open play. She was given too much time on the ball by NZL.
- 65'** KOR on the attack, with the ball down the right. Jong Eun KIM has a reverse stick shot kicked away to safety by JURGELEIT
- 62'** A penalty stroke seems to have been awarded to KOR by umpire MIAO Lin, but on consultation with umpire Elena ESKINA reverses her decision and NZL have the free hit
- 58'** Mi Hyun PARK is through on goal, but is forced wide by NZL defenders who get back in numbers to stop the danger
- 56'** KOR are back to full strength, and NZL seem to have missed their opportunity to take advantage
- 53'** Mi Seon KIM leaves the field clutching her back, and obviously needs attention. NZL havent had any circle penetrations since Mi Hyun PARK's yellow card, but are having plenty of possession
- 50'** Mi Hyun PARK receives a YELLOW CARD, and leaves the field. Can NZL make the extra player count?
- 48'** Mi Seon KIM crosses from the right to Hye Jin SEO running towards goal, but she cannot get enough of her stick on the ball to trouble JURGELEIT
- 46'** JURGELEIT is really in the thick of all the action, making another excellent save as KOR continue to pressure for a third goal
- 45'** Mi Hyun PARK attempts a reverse stick shot but doesn't get hold of it. KOR then win a PC from their next attack. JURGELEIT makes the save of the match, diving full stretch to tip the shot around the post with her stick.
- 44'** Kystal FORGESSON (NZL) is given a GREEN CARD for breaking up play
- 42'** Kate SAUNDERS (NZL) is given a GREEN CARD for stick hooking
- 39'** KOR free hit right of circle is crashed into the danger area, but NZL pick up the loose ball and clear
- 36'** Second half underway
- 35'** HALF TIME - NEW ZEALAND 1:2 KOREA
- 33'** NZL are playing some attractive hockey late in this second half, but are struggling to get the circle penetrations. Meanwhile, KOR look threatening every time they move forward
- 31'** NZL having a good spell of pressure but goalkeeper Ju Young LIM and her defenders cope well with the threat and eventually clear

**** Goal: Seul Ki CHEON ****

30' Seul Ki CHEON sends her drag flick high into the roof of the net to give Korea the lead. Absolutely unstoppable

28' PC - KOR:

26' KOR are in search of another, with Jong Eun KIM having her shot blocked by an NZL stick

**** Goal: Jong Eun KIM ****

24' A brilliant strike from Jong Eun KIM low into the far corner from the right levels the scores

23' PC - KOR: Seul Ki CHEON drag flicks just wide of the left post

21' Beth JURGELEIT makes two stunning saves to keep her side in front.

19' Mi Hyun PARK wastes a good opportunity when strikes at the near post instead of picking out Mi Seon KIM at the far post for an almost certain goal.

16' KOR are starting to pressure, but NZL are defending solidly

12' Beth JURGELEIT makes a good save from the penalty corner, and NZL look to clear

11' Jong Eun KIM wins a penalty corner for KOR, hitting an NZL foot in the circle

7' Jaimee CLAXTON deflects a strike from outside the circle just over the bar for NZL

6' A surprise start to the game sees NZL, who have found goals hard to come by this tournament, taking an early lead. KOR are looking to get straight back into it though

**** Goal: Honor DILLON ****

5' New Zealand take the lead in incredibly confusing circumstances! Honor DILLON looks to have found the back of the net with the ball bouncing off both posts. It looked extremely lucky, but NZL will not be complaining

1' Match underway