

PlanetFieldHockey and the Pan American Hockey Federation present
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Preliminary Pool A
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Puerto Rico
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Brazil
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Final
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2: Welcome back to London Canada and PlanetFieldHockey's coverage of the 2nd Pan American CUP

2: Brazil vs Puerto Rico is just underway

4: It's a cool evening here and as a result most of the Brazil players are wearing long sleeve t-shirts under their white uniforms

4: Puerto Rico wearing Red

6: Great chance for PUE

6: The first shot is saved by Rocha and the second and a corner is called

6: PUR drag flick is wide

7: Lastra Serrano not finding the net

7: Here is a chance for BRA

7: I am unable to read their numbers from here on their jerseys

7: They are in Yellow on a white shirt

10: Most of the play in the midfield right now

10: PUE trying to scoop it out

12: Now BRA with a PC.

12: They option but it is De Grandi defending well and here comes Lemos on the fast break

13: He earns the corner

13: No pace on the push out

13: These teams are wasting many opportunities to score goals on corners.

17: PUE moving up the right side

17: Here comes Lemos

17: into the circle but unable to get something

19: BRA with a good chance now but that is cleared

20: Both of these teams have no points in their two games and a win here may avoid the bottom two spots in the pool

25: Play mostly in the midfield with Brazil with a bit of an advantage

26: They have a corner now

26: The flick is wide

26: It looked like it had enough power but that ends up wide.

26: They are back on attack now.

27: That is cleared by Lemos

28: PUE into the circle now and a good tackle by BRA

31: Here is a good pass up the field for Brazil, but Berthold cannot catch that

32: PUE scooping to relieve pressure

32: but BRA hit it long back to the PUE defenders

33: Here a green card for Tirado Grau

33: For some rough play against the BRA defender

33: And now a corner against BRA
34: Martinez Morales earns that for PUR
34: The give and go works well but it is saved by Gotay Soto
34: Sorry by Rocha
34: BRA counter attack
35: nothing there
35: Now they come forward but the foul is against them
35: And a last minute corner for Brazil
35: No time on the clock
35: Drag flick saved by Gotay Soto and the rebound is missed
HT: So it remains scoreless through the first half.
HT: An evenly contested game so far with both teams getting their chances in the circle
HT: Penalty corners also a factor here as neither team is dangerous.
36: The second half is underway
36: PUR on the attack
36: Rodriguez Cartagena is tackled harshly inside the circle and that could have been a stroke
36: PC instead
37: Again no shot on goal here
37: BRA defended well
40: And counter attacking
42: Play mostly in the midfield now
43: As neither team is getting in the rhythm.
44: BRA hits it into the circle and earn a corner
45: The flick is high and called dangerous
45: PUR regroup and play it up the left
47: That attack doesn't work and now BRA playing it around the back
48: A good chance for PUR. Rodriguez with a nice run and Rocha makes the save
50: Another chance and Lastra cannot get the shot off early and Rocha with another save
50: PUR with pressure now
51: but BRA recover and try to advance the ball but lose it there
54: A great chance for PUR
55: Guadalupe Perez shoots accross the net and the winger cannot connect
55: BRA able to recover
55: Now Lastra Serrano breaks in and that is hit over the circle
57: Now a long run by PUR
57: and they get a free hit outside the circle but they waste that opportunity
58: And again a free hit for PUR
60: BRA trying to get it to work around the PUR circle
61: PUR counter attack and up the right side they earn another corner
61: Again they cannot stop the ball
61: BRA counter attack and they don't have the numbers
62: PUR clear it up the field
63: They have been the better team this half
63: Now another corner for PUR from outside the circle
64: This time it's stopped but a weak shot at goal.

64: BRA lose it here and here comes PUR again

64: Poor play by PUR and BRA counter

65: It's up to their forward but he cannot catch up.

65: back come Puerto Rico

68: BRA with a couple of long passes which they are unable to collect

68: Time running out for both teams

70: That's the final horn

70: A good chance for BRA at the end but they could not get the corner.

Final: So it's a scoreless draw.

Final: Both teams unable to get a goal to break the deadlock

Final: Not good execution from the field or penalty corners.

Final: Both will be disappointed they could not get the points.

Final: Weather not helping here as it dropped 20C from the previous game days

Final: Thanks for tuning in. We will have full coverage of all games tomorrow

Final: This is Hari Kant signing off. Coverage was brought to you today by PlanetFieldHockey.com in partnership with the Pan American Hockey Federatoin

Final: Good night

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