# HAMMARBY IF - STOCKHOLM (UTC +2)



February 1894 was the premiere of bandy sports in Sweden. In connection with skating competitions on Nybroviken ice in Stockholm, a "ball game on ice" was presented by the Englishman Tebbutt. The game had been practiced in England since the mid-18th century. In 1905 Hammarby IF started bandy. Hammarby has won the Swedish Championship 2 times, 2009 and 2013.

## **STOCKHOLM**

Stockholm began to be established in 1187 as a result of the Swift kingdom's then main town, Sigtuna, being devastated by the Balts the same year. Traditionally, however, Birger Jarl (c. 1210–1266) also called Birger Magnusson, is usually counted as the city's founder in 1252.

Hammarby's real home base is Södermalm, which is bounded on the north by Slussen and on the south by Skanstull. The east – west boundary lines are the Danvik Canal's east side and Bergsund at Reimersholme.

### Population

101 737 people live on Södermalm and in the urban area of Stockholm, 1 515 017 inhabitants.

### Arena

Zinkensdamm's IP, popularly called Zinken. The outdoor arena at Södermalm. Audience capacity 6 500 persons.

### Last season

Hammarby played in the Swedish semi finals but lost against Västerås 3-0.

### New players this season

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David Jansson	Falun
Filip Mörkdal	Västerås
Ted Bergström	Västerås
Max Bergström	Falun
Simon Folkesson	Västerås
Jacob Bucht	Västerås

### **Players who left**

Ilya Grachev	Uralsky Trubnik
Jesper Jonsson	Västerås
Pontus Blomberg	Vetlanda
Robert Rimgård	Broberg Söderhamn
Patrik Hedberg	Falun
Christoffer Fagerström	Bollnäs