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#44 - Dave Babych

David Michael Babych
Defense
Born May 23, 1961 in Edmonton, Alberta
Height: 6' 2" Weight: 215

Winnipeg's 1st choice, 2nd overall, in 1980 Entry Draft. Traded to Hartford Whalers for Ray Neufeld, November 21, 1985.

The Jets used the second-overall pick in the 1980 Entry Draft to select defenseman Dave Babych from the Portland Winter Hawks. Though he never lived up to his lofty advance billing, he developed into a solid contributor over the course of more than five seasons as a Jet before being dealt to the Hartford Whalers in a controversial trade for Ray Neufeld. He went on to have a long career, mostly with the Whalers and the Vancouver Canucks.

Scoring Statistics

Regular Season

Season	GP	G	A	Pts	PIM	+/-	PP	SH	Shots
1980-1981	69	6	38	44	90	-62	3	0	209
1981-1982	79	19	49	68	92	-9	11	0	262
1982-1983	79	13	61	74	56	-8	7	0	252
1983-1984	66	18	39	57	62	-29	10	0	233
1984-1985	78	13	49	62	78	-15	6	0	240
1985-1986	19	4	12	16	14	-1	2	0	53
Totals	**390**	**73**	**248**	**321**	**392**		**39**	**0**	**1249**

Playoffs

Season	GP	G	A	Pts	PIM	+/-	PP	SH	Shots
1981-1982	4	1	2	3	29	-8	1	0	10
1982-1983	3	0	0	0	2	-5	0	0	7
1983-1984	3	1	1	2	0	-6	1	0	13
1984-1985	8	2	7	9	6	-3	2	0	20
Totals	**18**	**4**	**10**	**14**	**37**		**4**	**0**	**50**