Alex Chiasson, W

Shoots: R

Height: 6-3

Weight: 203

Born: 1990-10-01

Hometown: Lorraine, QB

Drafted: 2009 by Dallas, 38th overall

Observations:

November 2013 - Recording nine points (five goals, four assists) in his first ten games to start the season, Chiasson continued his hot streak since being called up from the Texas Stars (AHL) in April. Seeing consistent playing time on the Stars' second scoring line alongside forwards Ray Whitney and Cody Eakin, he currently leads the team in game winning goals (2) and shots (50) to begin the new season. The 23-year old has quickly become a focal point in Lindy Ruff's offensive gameplan and expects to continue to be highly involved moving forward. *Clayton Bailey*

April 2013- Since being called up to Dallas on April 2, Alex has racked up six goals and an assist in his first six NHL games. After trade deadline moves opened a roster spot for him, Alex was slotted on the top line with Jamie Benn and Ray Whitney and has looked right at home in the role. He has a nose for the net and does all the little things right, boding well for his future in Big D. His ice time has inched upward to around 16 or 17 minutes (including added PP time) and he hasn't let Coach Glen Gulutzen down for that decision. - *Rex Doty*

March, 2012 - Chiasson signed an entry-level contract with Dallas, and was sent to Texas (AHL).

February, 2012 – Currently a junior at Boston University, Chiasson has been a consistent producer for the Terriers. Chiasson, following up 19 and 34 point seasons with 35 in his first 29 games in 2011-12, is more of a playmaker than scorer.

Fantasy Outlook : B+

No longer just a prospect, Chiasson has proved he belongs in the NHL for many years to come.

With the supporting cast around him and the mass opportunities given by coach Lindy Ruff, labeling Chiasson a perennial 20 goal-scorer may not be so far-fetched after all.

Footage:

Alex Chiasson interview:

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