

## Atlanta Hawks Trivia: Questions, Answers, and Facts Printable Trivia Pack

Atlanta Hawks trivia highlights the history of an NBA franchise that competes in the Eastern Conference's Southeast Division and has called Atlanta home since 1968. Expect questions that range from family-friendly basics to tougher facts about notable seasons, star players, and the team's place in professional basketball history.

### HARD ATLANTA HAWKS TRIVIA

1. In what year did the Hawks franchise enter the NBA as part of the BAA-NBL merger?

Answer: 1949

2. Which head coach was on the bench for the Hawks' lone NBA championship?

Answer: Alex Hannum

3. How many points did Bob Pettit pour in during the title-clinching Game 6 of the 1958 NBA Finals?

Answer: 50 points

4. Lou Hudson's Hawks scoring total stopped at what exact number of points?

Answer: 16,643 points

5. Who sits atop the Hawks' all-time scoring list?

Answer: Dominique Wilkins

6. Which jersey number did Atlanta retire in honor of Pete Maravich?

Answer: No. 44

7. Atlanta took Marvin Williams with which overall pick in the 2005 NBA draft?

Answer: Second overall

8. The Hawks used the No. 3 overall pick in 2007 on which player?

Answer: Al Horford

9. Jeff Teague came off the board at what overall slot when Atlanta drafted him in 2009?

Answer: 19th overall

10. Before their run to the 2021 Eastern Conference finals, what regular-season record did the Hawks post in 2020-21?

Answer: 38-44

11. Which coach took over from Lloyd Pierce during the 2020-21 season?

Answer: Nate McMillan

12. What was Trae Young's scoring average in the 2021 playoffs?

Answer: 29.8 points per game

13. In the 2021 conference semifinals, Atlanta eliminated which team, and in how many games?

Answer: Philadelphia in seven games

14. After winning the 1975 draft lottery, which player did the Hawks select, only to watch him sign with the ABA instead?

Answer: David Thompson

#### FUNNY ATLANTA HAWKS TRIVIA

1. Before settling in Atlanta, the franchise spent time in a place called Tri-Cities.

Despite the singular-sounding label, how many places did that name actually refer to?

Answer: Three different places.

2. The Hawks once played in Tri-Cities, which sounds like one cozy municipality wearing a fake mustache. What was the actual name of that stop?

Answer: Tri-Cities

3. Spud Webb gave gravity a strongly worded complaint when he won the 1986 Slam Dunk Contest as a Hawk. How tall was he listed?

Answer: 5-foot-7

4. Which retired Hawks number honors broadcaster Bob Rathbun instead of a player who filled up the box score?

Answer: No. 59

5. True or false: Atlanta's retired No. 59 belongs to a broadcaster, not a player.?

Answer: True

6. The Omni had a scoreboard famous enough to get its own reputation. What part of that old arena was especially known for being unusual?

Answer: Its hanging scoreboard design.

7. During the Hawks' 60-win 2014-15 season, what scoring benchmark did no Atlanta player even reach on average?

Answer: 19 points per game

8. The 2014-15 Hawks won 60 games without a classic 'give-that-guy-the-ball-again' scoring average. What did they not have?

Answer: A player averaging 19 points per game

9. Which former Hawks player had a name that sounds less like a center and more like a hiking trail?

Answer: Tree Rollins

10. If your basketball roster also sounds like a cartoon race, which Hawks guard from the 2000s are we talking about?

Answer: Speedy Claxton

11. Which Hawks player from the 1990s had a name that sounds like he wandered in from the Hundred Acre Wood?

Answer: Pooh Richardson

12. When the franchise moved from Buffalo to Tri-Cities in 1946, how long had it stayed in Buffalo first?

Answer: Only part of one season.

13. The Hawks didn't exactly unpack every box in Buffalo. After what amount of time did the franchise head to Tri-Cities?

Answer: Part of one season

#### FUN ATLANTA HAWKS TRIVIA

1. Before the team shortened its name, which historical figure was honored in 'Blackhawks'?

Answer: Black Hawk, a Sauk leader.

2. When the franchise moved and trimmed its name, what did it become?

Answer: The Milwaukee Hawks.

3. Which Hall of Fame big man had a late-career stop with the Hawks?

Answer: Moses Malone.

4. Which flashy scorer launched his NBA career with the Hawks in 1970?

Answer: Pete Maravich.

5. Who was the Hawks coach in the 1990s with the r^sum^ to make trivia buffs nod instantly?

Answer: Lenny Wilkens.

6. Which standout Atlanta point guard helped define the Hawks in the 1990s?

Answer: Mookie Blaylock.

7. In what year did Dikembe Mutombo win Defensive Player of the Year with Atlanta?

Answer: 1997.

8. Which Hawks wing stacked up six All-Star selections while in Atlanta?

Answer: Joe Johnson.

9. How many regular-season games did the Hawks win in their 2014-15 surge?

Answer: 60 games.

10. Who was the head coach steering Atlanta's 60-win 2014-15 team?

Answer: Mike Budenholzer.

11. What year did four Hawks players share Eastern Conference Player of the Month honors together in January?

Answer: 2015.

12. Which Hawk was part of the four-player Atlanta group that shared Player of the Month honors in January 2015?

Answer: Al Horford.

13. How long was Kyle Korver's record streak of making at least one three-pointer in consecutive games?

Answer: 127 straight games.

#### ATLANTA HAWKS FAMILY TRIVIA

1. What was the franchise's very first name before it became the Hawks?

Answer: Buffalo Bisons

2. For a short time, what name did the team use after its earliest start?

Answer: Tri-Cities Blackhawks

3. Which of these cities was one of the three in the Tri-Cities name?

Answer: Rock Island

4. In what year did the Hawks move from the Tri-Cities to Milwaukee?

Answer: 1951

5. What year marks the franchise's move from Milwaukee to St. Louis?

Answer: 1955

6. How many conference titles have the Hawks won?

Answer: Four conference titles

7. How many division titles are listed for the Hawks?

Answer: 12 division titles

8. Before winning the title the next year, in what year did the Hawks first reach the NBA Finals during that stretch?

Answer: 1957

9. Which star led the St. Louis Hawks during their championship era?

Answer: Bob Pettit

10. Which team did the Hawks beat in the 1958 NBA Finals?

Answer: Boston Celtics

11. Playful one: which famous team got clipped by the Hawks in the 1958 NBA Finals?

Answer: Boston Celtics

12. What was the former name of the Hawks' arena?

Answer: Philips Arena

#### EASY ATLANTA HAWKS TRIVIA

1. Which city and state are home to the Atlanta Hawks?

Answer: Atlanta, Georgia

2. The Atlanta Hawks play in which major basketball league?

Answer: National Basketball Association

3. Which conference do the Hawks compete in?

Answer: Eastern Conference

4. What division are the Atlanta Hawks part of?

Answer: Southeast Division

5. What is the name of the Hawks' home arena?

Answer: State Farm Arena

6. In what year was the Hawks franchise founded?

Answer: 1946

7. What is the team's nickname: Atlanta what?

Answer: Hawks

8. Name one Atlanta Hawks team color: red, yellow, or black. Which of those is an official Hawks color?

Answer: Red

9. Which bright color is included among the Hawks' team colors?

Answer: Yellow

10. Which dark neutral color is one of the Hawks' official colors?

Answer: Black

11. What year did the Hawks win their NBA championship?

Answer: 1958

12. Before the franchise settled elsewhere, its original home city was in which state?

Answer: New York

13. Before moving to Atlanta, which city did the franchise play in?

Answer: St. Louis

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