### WEEK 16 – THURSDAY, DECEMBER 24, 2015 SAN DIEGO CHARGERS (4-10) AT OAKLAND RAIDERS (6-8)

	CHARGERS	RAIDERS
THURS. RECORD	7-7-1	8-9
SERIES LEADER		59-50-2
STREAKS	6 of past 8	
COACHES VS. OPP.	Mike McCoy: 3-2	Jack Del Rio: 3-2
LAST WEEK	W 30-14 vs. Dolphins	L 30-20 vs. Packers
LAST GAME	10/25/15: Raiders 37 at Chargers 29. Oakland QB Derek Carr throws for 289 yards & 3 TDs.	
	Raiders RB Latavius Murray rushes for 85 yards & TD.	
LAST GAME AT SITE	10/12/14: Chargers 31, Raiders 28. San Diego QB Philip Rivers throws for 313 yards & 3	
	TDs. Chargers RB Branden Oliver rushes for 101 yards & TD.	
REFEREE	Carl Cheffers	
BROADCAST	NFLN (5:25 PM PT): Jim Nantz, Phil Simms, Tracy Wolfson (field reporter). Westwood One:	
	Wayne Larrivee, Tim Ryan. SIRIUS: 88 (WW1), 83 (SD), 82 (Oak). XM: 88 (WW1), 225 (SD),	
	82 (Oak).	
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#### **STATS**

PASSING	Rivers: 385-577-4287(2L)-26-12-95.0	Carr: 306-502-3589-30 (3C)-11-93.5
RUSHING	Woodhead: 82-270-3.3-3	Murray: 236-956 (1C)-4.1-5
RECEIVING	Woodhead (RB): 64-651-10.2-6	Crabtree: 76-849-11.2-7
OFFENSE	377.8 (3C)	346.4
TAKE/GIVE	-8	0
DEFENSE	357.6	366.9
SACKS	Ingram: 8	Mack: 15 (1L)
INTs	Verrett: 3	Woodson: 5
PUNTING	Scifres: 44.9	King: 43.9
KICKING	Lambo (R): 90 (24/28 PAT; 22/27 FG)	Janikowski: 89 (35/36 PAT; 18/23 FG)

#### **NOTES**

CHARGERS: QB PHILIP RIVERS ranks 2nd in NFL with 4,287 pass yards & needs 213 to become 1st Charger with 3 4,500+ yard seasons (DAN FOUTS, 2). Last week, passed for 311 yards with 3 TDs & now has 278 career TDs, surpassing VINNY TESTAVERDE (275) for No. 11 all-time. 1 of 4 NFL players with 7+ 4,000-yard seasons...Last week, RB DANNY WOODHEAD became 1st player with 3+ TD rec. & TD run in same game since 2013 (JAMAAL CHARLES). Leads NFL RBs with 651 rec. yards...WR MALCOM FLOYD (34) needs 2 TD catches to tie JOHN JEFFERSON for No. 9 in Chargers history. TE ANTONIO GATES (103) needs 3 TD to surpass HOFers TIM BROWN & DON HUTSON for No. 17 all-time...LB MELVIN INGRAM has 6.5 sacks & 2 FF in past 6, incl. 2 sacks & FF last week...RAIDERS: QB DEREK CARR (30) needs 4 TD passes to tie DARYLE LA MONICA's single-season club record of 34 in 1969. Has 2+ TDs in 11 of past 13, incl. 2 last week...RB LATAVIUS MURRAY leads AFC with 956 rush yards & needs 44 to become 1st Raider with 1,000-yard season since 2010 (DARREN MC FADDEN). In past 4 at home, is averaging 93.3 scrimmage yards per game...WR AMARI COOPER leads NFL rookies in catches (68), rec. yards (1,040) & 100-yard games (5), incl. 6 catches for 120 yards & 2 TDs last week. 1st Raiders rookie to reach 1,000 rec. yards. In last meeting, WR MICHAEL CRABTREE had 6 catches for 63 yards & TD...S CHARLES WOODSON (65) needs INT to surpass KEN RILEY (65) for No. 5 all-time. DE KHALIL MACK leads NFL with 15 sacks, incl. 1 last week. Needs 1.5 sacks to eclipse single-season club record of 16 by DERRICK BURGESS (2005). Aims to become 1st player in club history to lead league in sacks.

# SATURDAY, DECEMBER 26, 2015 WASHINGTON REDSKINS (7-7) AT PHILADELPHIA EAGLES (6-8)

#### **SERIES**

	REDSKINS	<u>EAGLES</u>
SERIES LEADER	82-73-5	
STREAKS		3 of past 5
COACHES VS. OPP.	Jay Gruden: 2-1	Chip Kelly: 3-2
LAST WEEK	W 35-25 vs. Bills	L 40-17 vs. Cardinals
LAST GAME	10/4/15: Eagles 20 at Redskins 23. Washingto	n QB Kirk Cousins passes for 290 yards,
	including game-winning 4-yard TD to WR Pierre Garcon with 26 seconds remaining.	
LAST GAME AT SITE	9/21/14: Eagles 37, Redskins 34. Philadelphia QB Nick Foles throws for 325 yards & 3 TDs	
	(114.4 passer rating). Eagles WR Jeremy Maclin has 8 receptions for 154 yards & TD.	
REFEREE	Walt Coleman	
BROADCAST	NFLN (8:25 PM ET): Ian Eagle, Trent Green, Evan Washburn (field reporter). Westwood	
	One: Scott Graham, Mike Mayock. SIRIUS: 88 (WW1), 83 (Was), 82 (Phi). XM: 88 (WW1),	
	225 (Was), 82 (Phi).	

#### **STATS**

PASSING	Cousins: 336-482-3625-22-11-97.2	Bradford: 279-438-3025-16-13-83.8
RUSHING	Morris: 166-602-3.6-1	Murray: 176-606-3.4-4
RECEIVING	Reed (TE): 74-778-10.5-9	Matthews: 72-839-11.7-5
OFFENSE	343.3	356.9
TAKE/GIVE	-1	-2
DEFENSE	370.0	393.3
SACKS	Kerrigan: 8.5	Cox: 7.5
INTs	Breeland, Riley: 2	Thurmond: 3
PUNTING	Way: 45.4	D. Jones: 47.5 (3C)
KICKING	Hopkins: 98 (32/32 PAT; 22/25 FG)	Sturgis: 78 (27/29 PAT; 17/21 FG)

#### **NOTES**

REDSKINS: Clinch NFC East with win...QB KIRK COUSINS has 16 pass TDs vs. 3 INTs with 115 rating & 4 rush TDs in past 8. Last week, passed for 319 yards, 4 TDs, 0 INTs & 153.7 rating & had rush TD. Has passed for 717 yards (358.5 per game) & 4 TDs in 2 starts vs. Phi...Since entering NFL in 2012, RB ALFRED MORRIS is 4th in NFL with 4,564 rush yards & 5th with 29 rush TDs...WR DE SEAN JACKSON has 9 catches for 243 yards (121.5 per game) & TD (81 yards) in 2 meetings. Has 4 TDs in past 5. Had 6 catches for 153 yards & TD (77 yards) last week. TE JORDAN REED has 16 catches for 204 yards (102 per game) & 3 TDs in past 2. WR PIERRE GARÇON had 11 catches for 138 yards & TD in last game at Phi...Since entering NFL in 2011, LB RYAN KERRIGAN is only player with 45+ sacks (46.5) & 2+ INT-TDs (2). Has 6 sacks, 4 FFs & 2 FRs in past 7 meetings. DT CHRIS BAKER had 2 sacks in Week 4. CB BASHAUD BREELAND leads team with 14 PD...EAGLES: In past 2 meetings, QB SAM BRADFORD has 6 TDs, 1 INT & 119.8 rating. Aims for 3rd in row vs. Was with 100+ rating...RB RYAN MATHEWS has rush TD in 4 of past 7. RB DE MARCO MURRAY has 501 scrimmage yards (125.3 per game) & 3 TDs in past 4 vs. Was. RB-PR DARREN SPROLES is only player in NFL history with 25+ rec. TD (28), 15+ rush TD (19) & 5+ PR-TD (7)...WR JORDAN MATHEWS had 2 TDs in last home meeting. Had 8 catches for 159 yards & TD (78 yards) last week. TE ZACH ERTZ had career-high 15 catches & 115 yards vs. Was (12/20/14)...DE FLETCHER COX has 6.5 sacks, 3 FFs & FR in past 6 at home. S MALCOLM JENKINS had INT in last home meeting. Leads team with 89 tackles. LB CONNOR BARWIN has 2.5 sacks in past 3.

# SUNDAY, DECEMBER 27, 2015 CAROLINA PANTHERS (14-0) AT ATLANTA FALCONS (7-7)

#### **SERIES**

	PANTHERS	<u>FALCONS</u>
SERIES LEADER		24-17
STREAKS	5 of past 6	
COACHES VS. OPP.	Ron Rivera: 5-4	Dan Quinn: 0-1
LAST WEEK	W 38-35 at Giants	W 23-17 at Jaguars
LAST GAME	12/13/15: Falcons 0 at Panthers 38. Carolina QB Cam Newton passes for 265 yards & 3 TDs for a 153.3 passer rating. Panthers WR Ted Ginn has 120 rec. yards & 2 TDs.	
LAST GAME AT SITE	12/28/14: Panthers 34, Falcons 3. Carolina S Roman Harper returns 31-yd INT-TD & S Tre Boston adds 84-yd INT-TD. Panthers QB Newton throws TD pass & rushes for TD.	
REFEREE	John Parry	
BROADCAST	FOX (1:00 PM ET): Kevin Burkhardt, John Lynch, Pam Oliver (field reporter). SIRIUS: 81 (Car), 132 (Atl). XM: 231 (Atl).	

#### **STATS**

PASSING	Newton: 258-439-3402-33 (1C)-10-98.9 (3C)	Ryan: 360-548-3951 (3C)-18-15-86.4
RUSHING	Stewart: 242-989-4.1-6	Freeman: 218-907-4.2-10 (T1L)
RECEIVING	Olsen (TE): 71-1048-14.8-7	Jones: 118 (1L)-1544 (1C)-13.1-7
OFFENSE	374.1	371.3
TAKE/GIVE	+19 (1L)	-6
DEFENSE	314.9 (3L)	349.4
SACKS	Short: 9	Beasley (R), Clayborn: 3
INTs	Coleman: 7 (1C)	Allen: 3
PUNTING	Nortman: 45.7	Bosher: 47.9 (2L)
KICKING	Gano: 131 (1C) (50/53 PAT; 27/33 FG)	Bryant: 68 (26/26 PAT; 14/18 FG)

#### **NOTES**

PANTHERS: Won NFC South & clinched bye. Clinch home-field advantage with win... Are 14-0 for 1st time in franchise history...Last week, QB CAM NEWTON became only player in NFL history with 300+ pass yards (340), 5+ pass TDs (5) & 100+ rush yards (100) in game. Has 3 games with 5+ TD passes in past 5. In Week 14, passed for 265 yards, 3 TDs, 0 INTs & 153.3 rating...RB JONATHAN STEWART had rush TD & averaged 7.5 yards per carry in last meeting...WR TED GINN JR. aims for 4th in row with 2+ TD catches & has 6 TDs in past 3. Had 2 catches for 120 yards & 2 TDs (74 & 46 yards) in Week 14. **TE GREG OLSEN** is only NFL TE with 5+ rec. TDs in each of past 8 seasons. Has 1,048 rec. yards, 2nd 1,000-yard season in row...Club leads NFL with 35 takeaways, 22 INTs & 13 FR. Since entering NFL in 2012, LB LUKE KUECHLY leads league with 574 tackles. Had INT in Week 14 & has 11 INTs since 2012, most by NFL LB. DT KAWANN SHORT had 2 sacks, 2 FFs & FR in last meeting. Has 9 sacks in past 10. LB THOMAS DAVIS is only player in NFL with 5+ sacks (5.5) & 3+ INTs (3). S KURT COLEMAN aims for 4th division game in row with INT...FALCONS: QB MATT RYAN has 90+ rating in 7 of past 10 meetings, incl. 4 100+ games...RB DEVONTA FREEMAN ties for lead among NFL RBs with 12 TDs (10 rush, 2 rec.). In his past 11 (1st 11 career starts), has 1,344 scrimmage yards (122.2 per game) & 11 TDs (9 rush, 2 rec.)...WR JULIO JONES leads NFL with 118 catches & leads NFC with 1,544 rec. yards. Is 1 of 4 in NFL history with 100+ catches & 1,500+ rec. yards in back-to-back years. In past 7 meetings, WR RODDY WHITE has 52 catches for 675 yards (96.4 per game) & 6 TDs. Has 100+ yards or TD in 6 of past 7 vs. Car...CB DESMOND TRUFANT has 43 PD since entering NFL in 2013, most on club. LB PAUL WORRILOW leads team with 86 tackles.

## PITTSBURGH STEELERS (9-5) AT BALTIMORE RAVENS (4-10) SERIES

	<u>STEELERS</u>	RAVENS
SERIES LEADER	21-18	
STREAKS		3 of past 4
COACHES VS. OPP.	Mike Tomlin: 10-10	John Harbaugh: 9-9
LAST WEEK	W 34-27 vs. Broncos	L 34-14 vs. Chiefs
LAST REG SEA GAME	10/1/15: Ravens 23 at Steelers 20 (OT). Baltimore QB Joe Flacco throws for 189 yards &	
	TD. Ravens K Justin Tucker kicks game-winning 52-yard FG in overtime.	
LAST GAME AT SITE	9/11/14: Ravens 26, Steelers 6. Baltimore QB Joe Flacco throws for 166 yards & 2 TDs with	
	109.3 passer rating. Ravens TE Owen Daniels has 5 catches for 28 yards & 2 TDs.	
REFEREE	Craig Wrolstad	
BROADCAST	CBS (1:00 PM ET): Greg Gumbel, Trent Green, Jamie Erdahl (field reporter). Westwood	
	One: Tom McCarthy, Ross Tucker. SIRIUS: 121 (Pit), 134 (Bal). XM: 230 (Bal).	

#### **STATS**

PASSING	Roethlisberger: 271-399-3369-18-12-96.4	Schaub: 52-80-540-3-4-76.0 <b>OR</b>
		Clausen: 72-125-739-2-4-66.7
RUSHING	D. Williams: 178-799-4.5-9 (T3L)	Allen (R): 105-399-3.8-0
RECEIVING	Brown: 116 (1C)-1586 (1L)-13.7-9	Aiken: 62-802-12.9-5
OFFENSE	402.9 (1C)	358.7
TAKE/GIVE	+4	-15
DEFENSE	368.6	342.7
SACKS	Heyward: 7	Dumervil: 6
INTs	Mitchell: 3	J. Smith: 2
PUNTING	Berry: 42.0	Koch: 47.7 (2C)
KICKING	Boswell: 100 (22/23 PAT; 26/28 FG)	Tucker: 110 (3C) (26/26 PAT; 28/35 FG)

#### **NOTES**

STEELERS: Aim for 11th consecutive win in December...QB BEN ROETHLISBERGER leads NFL with 6 350+ yard passing games in 2015. Needs 1 more to tie ANDREW LUCK (7 in 2014) for 3rd-most in single season. Passed for 340 yards & 6 TDs vs. 0 INTs for 136.3 rating in last meeting...In past 6, RB DE ANGELO WILLIAMS is averaging 120.5 scrimmage yards per game with 6 rush TDs. Only AFC player with 750+ rush yards (799), 300+ receiving yards (301) & 9+ rush TDs (9) in 2015...In past 6, WR ANTONIO BROWN has 64 catches for 868 yards & 7 total TDs (6 rec., 1 PR), incl. 16 catches for 189 yards & 2 TDs last week. Leads AFC with 116 catches & is 1 of 2 players in NFL history with 3 consecutive 110-catch seasons (WES WELKER). WR MARTAVIS BRYANT has 15 TDs in 19 career games. In past 4, WR MARKUS WHEATON has 22 catches for 378 yards & 3 TDs...Since 2007, LB LAWRENCE TIMMONS is only NFL player with 30+ sacks (31.5) & 10+ INTs (10)... RAVENS: Have scored GW points on final play in each of 4 wins in 2015...QB MATT SCHAUB is 1-1 as starter with Ravens & has passed for 540 yards with 3 TDs. QB JIMMY CLAUSEN passed for career-high 281 yards last week & aims for 3rd in row with 270+ yards...Rookie JAVORIUS ALLEN is averaging 89 scrimmage yards per game in past 5 & has 2 TD receptions during span. RB KYLE JUSZCZYK has careerhigh 3 TD catches, incl. 1 last week vs. Chiefs...Last week, WR KAMAR AIKEN led team with career-highs in catches (8) & receiving yards (128), incl. career-long 48-yard TD. Aims for 8th in row with 5+ receptions. WR JEREMY BUTLER aims for 3rd in row with 60+ receiving yards...LB DARYL SMITH leads team with 110 tackles, incl. 7 last week vs. KC. LB ELVIS DUMERVIL has 8 sacks in 9 career meetings. Aims for 4th in row vs. Steelers with sack.

#### DALLAS COWBOYS (4-10) AT BUFFALO BILLS (6-8)

#### **SERIES**

	COWBOYS	BILLS
SERIES LEADER	6-3	
STREAKS	4 of past 5	
COACHES VS. OPP.	Jason Garrett: 1-0	Rex Ryan: 1-0
LAST WEEK	L 19-16 vs. Jets	L 35-25 at Redskins
LAST GAME	11/13/11: Bills 7 at Dallas 44. Dallas RB DeMarco Murray rushes for 135 yards & TD.	
	Cowboys QB Tony Romo passes for 270 yards & 3 TDs.	
LAST GAME AT SITE	10/8/07: Cowboys 25, Bills 24. Dallas K Nick Folk converts game-winning 53-yard FG as	
	time expires. Cowboys TE Jason Witten has 9 receptions for 103 yards & TD.	
REFEREE	Jeff Triplette	
BROADCAST	FOX (1:00 PM ET): Kenny Albert, Daryl Johnston, Laura Okmin (field reporter). SIRIUS: 136	
	(Dal), 83 (Buf). XM: 225 (Buf).	

#### **STATS**

PASSING	Moore: 15-25-158-1-3-52.2	Taylor: 211-334-2674-20-5-101.8 (3C)
RUSHING	McFadden: 208-898-4.3-3	McCoy: 203-895 (3C)-4.4-3
RECEIVING	Witten (TE): 70-643-9.2-2	S. Watkins: 44-827-18.8-9
OFFENSE	324.4	362.3
TAKE/GIVE	-18	+4
DEFENSE	337.5	363.9
SACKS	D. Lawrence: 7	Hughes: 5
INTs	Heath: 2	Gilmore: 3
PUNTING	C. Jones: 45.8	Schmidt: 46.1
KICKING	Bailey: 106 (22/22 PAT; 28/29 FG)	Carpenter: 89 (32/36 PAT; 19/23 FG)

#### **NOTES**

COWBOYS: QB KELLEN MOORE played in 1st career NFL game last week & passed for 158 yards & TD...RB DARREN MC FADDEN has rushed for 211 yards (105.5 per game) in past 2 & aims for 3rd 100-yard game in row. Has 943 scrimmage yards (104.8 per game) in past 9. In last game at Buf (9/18/11 with Oak), had 143 scrimmage yards, rush TD & rec. TD. 1 of 2 career games with 70+ rush yards, 70+ rec. yards, rush TD & rec TD...WR DEZ BRYANT has TD catch in 14 consecutive games vs. AFC, longest interconference streak since 1970. Has 18 TDs in those 14. Had 34-yard TD in last meeting. Since 2012, leads NFL with 44 TD catches. **TE JASON WITTEN** ranks 2nd in NFL history among TEs in catches (1,013) & rec. yards (11,145)...LB SEAN LEE leads team with 113 tackles. Has 12 INTs since entering NFL in 2010, most by LB. DE DEMARCUS LAWRENCE has 6 sacks in past 6. Aims for 4th in row with sack. CB TERRANCE MITCHELL had 1st career INT last week...BILLS: QB TYROD TAYLOR (101.8) is on pace to join HOFer JIM KELLY (101.2 in 1990) as only Bills with 100+ rating in single season. 1st Bill since JACK KEMP in 1965 with TD rush & TD pass in 3 different games in same season. Taylor leads AFC QBs with 450 rush yards & needs 27 to surpass DOUG FLUTIE (476 in 1999) for most ever by Bills QB in season. In past 10, has passed for 2,237 yards with 16 TDs vs. 2 INTs for 101.5 rating & has 366 rush yards & 2 TDs...In past 8, RB LE SEAN MC COY is averaging 108 scrimmage yards per game & has 3 TDs (2 rush, 1 rec.). Has 100+ scrimmage yards in 7 of past 8. Since 2009, ranks 2nd in NFL with 10,261 scrimmage yards. Rookie RB KARLOS WILLIAMS has 7 TDs in 9 career games...In past 4, WR SAMMY WATKINS has 19 receptions for 459 yards (24.2 avg.) & 6 TDs. Aims for 5th in row with 80+ yards & TD...Rookie CB RONALD DARBY is 3rd in NFL with 21 PDs. DE JERRY HUGHES has sack in 2 of past 3, incl. 1 last week vs. Redskins.

#### SAN FRANCISCO 49ERS (4-10) AT DETROIT LIONS (5-9)

#### **SERIES**

	<u>49ERS</u>	<u>LIONS</u>
SERIES LEADER	36-26-1	
STREAKS	Past 9	
COACHES VS. OPP.	Jim Tomsula: 0-0	Jim Caldwell: 1-0
LAST WEEK	L 24-14 vs. Bengals	W 35-27 at Saints
LAST GAME	9/16/12: Lions 19 at 49ers 27. San Francisco QB Alex Smith throws for 226 yards & 2 TDs.	
	49ers TE Vernon Davis has 5 receptions for 73 yards & 2 TDs.	
LAST GAME AT SITE	10/16/11: 49ers 25, Lions 19. San Francisco RB Frank Gore rushes for 141 yards & TD.	
	49ers LB Aldon Smith records 2 sacks, safety & FF.	
REFEREE	Bill Vinovich	
BROADCAST	FOX (1:00 PM ET): Thom Brennaman, Charles Davis, Tony Siragusa (field reporter).	
	SIRIUS: 137 (SF), 145 (Det). XM: 228 (Det).	

#### **STATS**

PASSING	Gabbert: 128-205-1452-7-6-82.8	Stafford: 341-516-3663-27-13-93.7
RUSHING	Draughn: 78-273-3.5-1	Abdullah (R): 125-514-4.1-2
RECEIVING	Boldin: 59-691-11.7-3	Tate: 82-720-8.8-6
OFFENSE	291.4	344.8
TAKE/GIVE	-3	-10
DEFENSE	390.3	352.1
SACKS	Lynch: 6.5	Ansah: 13.5 (1C)
INTs	Acker, Brock: 3	Quin: 3
PUNTING	Pinion (R): 44.0	Martin: 46.0
KICKING	Dawson: 74 (17/18 PAT; 19/21 FG)	Prater: 82 (31/34 PAT; 17/18 FG)

#### **NOTES**

49ERS: QB BLAINE GABBERT passed for 220 yards & 2 TDs in only start vs. Det (11/4/12 with Jax). Passed for 295 yards last week. Has 90+ rating in 3 of past 5...RB SHAUN DRAUGHN has 438 scrimmage yards (73 per game) in past 6. Has 75+ scrimmage yards in 4 of past 6. FB BRUCE MILLER scored 1st career rush TD last week...WR ANQUAN BOLDIN made NFL debut vs. Det (9/7/03 with Az) & had 10 catches for 217 yards & 2 TDs. Has 999 receptions & needs 1 to reach 1,000. In NFL history, only 12 players have 1,000 catches. Had TD catch last week. WR TORREY SMITH is averaging 22.3 yards per catch this season. Has 3 rec. TDs of 70+ yards this year...LB NA VORRO BOWMAN ties for NFL lead with 136 tackles. Has 21 tackles in 2 career meetings. LB AHMAD BROOKS has 2 sacks & 2 FFs in 3 career meetings. Had sack last week. S JIMMIE WARD has INT-TD & sack in past 3. S ERIC REID aims for 3rd in row with sack or FF. LB AARON LYNCH leads team with 6.5 sacks... LIONS: QB MATTHEW STAFFORD had team-record 88 comp. pct. (22 of 25) last week with 3 TDs, 0 INTs & 148.6 rating. In past 5 at home, has passed for 1,500 yards (300 per game), 13 TDs, 1 INT & 115.2 rating...Lions have NFL's best red zone offense (71.4 TD pct., 30 TDs, 42 poss.)...RBs AMEER ABDULLAH (77 yards, 8.6 avg.) & JOIQUE BELL (71 yards, 8.9 avg.) each rushed for TD, 70+ yards & 8+ avg. last week. RB THEO RIDDICK leads NFL RBs with 69 catches...WR CALVIN JOHNSON has 22 catches for 303 yards (101 per game) in past 3 meetings. Has 6 TDs in past 5 at home. Since 2011, leads NFL with 7,214 rec. yards & 98.8 rec. yards per game. WR GOLDEN TATE aims for 3rd in row with 2+ TDs...DE EZEKIEL ANSAH has 11.5 sacks, 4 FFs & 2 FRs in past 11. Has 6.5 sacks in past 5. Since 2014, S GLOVER QUIN has 10 INTs, tied for 2nd in NFL. CB DARIUS SLAY leads team with 13 PD. Last week, LB STEPHEN TULLOCH had 9 tackles & FF. Leads team with 96 tackles.

## CLEVELAND BROWNS (3-11) AT KANSAS CITY CHIEFS (9-5) SERIES

	BROWNS	CHIEFS
SERIES LEADER		Series tied: 11-11-2
STREAKS		2 of past 3
COACHES VS. OPP.	Mike Pettine: 0-0	Andy Reid: 5-0
LAST WEEK	L 30-13 at Seahawks	W 34-14 at Ravens
LAST GAME	10/27/13: Browns 17 at Chiefs 23. Kansas City QB Alex Smith throws for 225 yards & 2 TDs.	
	Chiefs RB Jamaal Charles rushes for 74 yards & adds 46 rec. yards.	
LAST GAME AT SITE	10/27/13	
REFEREE	Walt Anderson	
BROADCAST	CBS (12:00 PM CT): Kevin Harlan, Rich Gannon. SIRIUS: 138 (Cle), 113 (KC). XM: 226	
	(KC).	

#### **STATS**

PASSING	Manziel: 116-191-1364-7-4-85.9	Smith: 278-424-3205-16-4-96.9
RUSHING	Crowell: 154-565-3.7-3	West: 133-538-4.0-4
RECEIVING	Barnidge (TE): 68-930-13.7-9	Maclin: 79-985-12.5-6
OFFENSE	334.3	335.9
TAKE/GIVE	-8	+15 (1C)
DEFENSE	387.9	335.4
SACKS	D. Bryant: 6	Houston: 7.5
INTs	Dansby: 3	Peters (R): 7 (T2L)
PUNTING	Lee: 46.8	Colquitt: 45.7
KICKING	Coons: 87 (21/23 PAT; 22/25 FG)	Santos: 121 (2C) (34/36 PAT; 29/36 FG)

#### **NOTES**

BROWNS: In past 7, QB JOHNNY MANZIEL has completed 103 of 167 (61.7 pct.) for 1,182 yards with 6 TDs vs. 3 INTs...Rookie RB DUKE JOHNSON, JR. ranks 2nd in catches (54) & receiving yards (485) amongst AFC RBs. Posted 85 scrimmage yards last week (46 rush, 39 rec.) & aims for 3rd in row with 80+ yards. RB ISAIAH CROWELL (1,441) needs 59 scrimmage yards to reach 1,500 career... WR-PR TRAVIS BENJAMIN has 13 career TDs (10 rec., 3 PR) & averages 44.8 yards per score. TE GARY BARNIDGE is tied for 3rd among NFL TEs with 9 TDs & ranks 4th in rec. yards (930). Needs 70 yards to join HOFer OZZIE NEWSOME (1981, 1984) & KELLEN WINSLOW (2007) as only Browns TEs with 1,000-yard rec. season...LBs CRAIG ROBERTSON & PAUL KRUGER each had sack in last meeting. LB KARLOS DANSBY leads team with 99 tackles & 3 INTs. Since 2004, is only NFL player with 40+ sacks (41) & 15+ INTs (19)... CHIEFS: 1st team in NFL history to win 8+ consecutive games immediately following 5+ losses in row in same season... QB ALEX SMITH is 2-0 vs. Browns & has completed 39 of 60 (65 pct.) for 402 yards with 3 TDs vs. 0 INTs for 100.8 rating. In past 11, has completed 216 of 326 (66.3 pct.) for 2,481 yards with 12 TDs vs. 1 INT for 100 rating. Since 2011, leads NFL in INT pct. (1.3 pct.)...In past 7, RB CHARCANDRICK WEST is averaging 94.1 scrimmage yards per game & has 5 total TDs. RB SPENCER WARE has 4 TDs in past 5...In past 4, WR JEREMY MACLIN has 31 catches for 373 yards & 4 TDs. In only career meeting (9/9/12 with Phi), had 7 catches for 96 yards & TD. Since 2014, TE TRAVIS KELCE ranks 3rd in AFC & 4th in NFL amongst TEs with 1,684 receiving yards...Last week, KC became 1st team in NFL history with 90+ yard INT-TD (rookie CB MARCUS PETERS, 90 yards) & 70+ yard FR-TD (S TYVON BRANCH, 73 yards) in same game. Peters is tied for 2nd in NFL with 7 INTs (most among rookies), incl. 2 last week. In past 21, LB JUSTIN HOUSTON has 22.5 sacks, 4 FF & 2 INTs. Since 2012, ranks 2nd in NFL with 50.5 sacks (J.J. WATT).

### INDIANAPOLIS COLTS (6-8) AT MIAMI DOLPHINS (5-9)

#### **SERIES**

	COLTS	<u>DOLPHINS</u>
SERIES LEADER		45-25
STREAKS	4 of past 5	
COACHES VS. OPP.	Chuck Pagano: 1-1	Dan Campbell: 0-0
LAST WEEK	L 16-10 vs. Texans	L 30-14 at Chargers
LAST GAME	9/15/13: Dolphins 24 at Colts 20. Miami WR Mike Wallace has 115 rec. yards & TD. Dolphins	
	RB Lamar Miller rushes for 69 yards & TD.	
LAST GAME AT SITE	9/21/09: Colts 27, Dolphins 23. Indianapolis QB Peyton Manning throws for 303 yards & 2	
	TDs (133.9 passer rating). Colts TE Dallas Clark has 7 receptions for 183 yards & TD.	
REFEREE	Gene Steratore	
BROADCAST	FOX (1:00 PM ET): Dick Stockton, David Diehl, Krista Pink (field reporter). SIRIUS: 108	
	(Ind), 146 (Mia). XM: 229 (Mia).	

#### **STATS**

PASSING	Luck: 162-293-1881-15-12-74.9 <b>OR</b>	Tannehill: 312-510-3529-22-11-87.3
	Hasselbeck: 148-241-1591-9-5-84.6	
RUSHING	Gore: 226-806-3.6-4	Miller: 160-781-4.9-7 (T3C)
RECEIVING	Hilton: 61-1016-16.7-5	Landry: 97 (T2C)-974-10.0-4
OFFENSE	324.8	322.0
TAKE/GIVE	-6	-2
DEFENSE	391.0	396.8
SACKS	Mathis: 5	Vernon: 7
INTs	Adams: 5	Jones: 5
PUNTING	McAfee: 47.7 (1C)	Darr (R): 47.4 (3C)
KICKING	Vinatieri: 91 (28/30 PAT; 21/23 FG)	Franks (R): 58 (31/34 PAT; 9/11 FG)

#### **NOTES**

COLTS: QB ANDREW LUCK aims for 6th in row with 2+ TDs. In only career start vs. Mia (10/28/01 with Sea), QB MATT HASSELBECK passed for 230 yards with 2 TDs vs. 0 INTs for 107.7 rating...Last week, RB FRANK GORE (15,019) reached 15,000 career scrimmage yards. Needs 33 to surpass STEVEN JACKSON (15,051) for No. 21 all-time. In only career meeting (12/9/12 with SF), posted 85 scrimmage yards & rush TD...In 2 career meetings, WR T.Y. HILTON has 12 catches for 226 yards & 1 TD. Last week, WR ANDRE JOHNSON (14,015) surpassed HOFer JAMES LOFTON (14,004) for No. 9 on all-time rec. yards list. In 6 career meetings, has 45 catches for 638 yards & 5 TDs. Aims for 6th in row with TD vs. Mia...LB D'QWELL JACKSON leads AFC & is tied for 1st in NFL with 136 tackles, incl. 7 last week. In past 7, S MIKE ADAMS has 4 INTs, 3 FF, FR & sack...K ADAM VINATIERI (499) needs 1 made FG to become 3rd NFL player with 500 career... DOLPHINS: In past 10, QB RYAN TANNEHILL has passed for 2,449 yards with 15 TDs vs. 6 INTs for 92.4 rating. In last meeting, completed 23 of 34 (67.6 pct.) for 319 yards with 1 TD vs. 0 INTs for 107.4 rating. Needs 219 pass yards to join HOFers **DAN MARINO** & **BOB GRIESE** as only Dolphins with 15,000 career...In past 2 at home, RB LAMAR MILLER is averaging 103.5 scrimmage yards & has 2 rush TDs. In last meeting, posted 75 scrimmage yards & rush TD...WR-PR JARVIS LANDRY leads team with club-record 97 catches & needs 3 to become 1st Dolphin with 100-catch season. 1st Dolphin with comp., rush att., catch, KR & PR in season since MARK CLAYTON in 1983. 1 of 2 with 95+ rec. (97) & PR-TD in 2015...DE OLIVIER VERNON has 5 sacks in past 5. S RESHAD JONES ranks 3rd in AFC & 5th in NFL with 118 tackles, incl. 7 last week vs. SD. Only NFL player with 100+ tackles, 2 sacks & 4 INTs in 2015.

### NEW ENGLAND PATRIOTS (12-2) AT NEW YORK JETS (9-5)

#### **SERIES**

	<u>PATRIOTS</u>	<u>JETS</u>
SERIES LEADER	57-52-1	
STREAKS	9 of past 10	
COACHES VS. OPP.	Bill Belichick: 24-11	Todd Bowles: 0-2
LAST WEEK	W 33-16 vs. Titans	W 19-16 at Cowboys
LAST GAME	10/25/15: Jets 23 at Patriots 30. New England QB Tom Brady throws for 355 yards & 2 TDs	
	& rushes for TD. Patriots TE Rob Gronkowski has 11 catches for 108 yards & TD.	
LAST GAME AT SITE	12/21/14: Patriots 17, Jets 16. New England QB Brady throws for 182 yards & TD. Patriots	
	WRs Danny Amendola and Brandon LaFell combine for 15 catches & 127 yards.	
REFEREE	Clete Blakeman	
BROADCAST	CBS (1:00 PM ET): Ian Eagle, Dan Fouts, Evan Washburn (field reporter). SIRIUS: 82 (NE),	
	133 (NYJ). XM: 82 (NE), 232 (NYJ).	

#### **STATS**

PASSING	Brady: 368-572-4405 (1L)-35 (1L)-6-103.8 (2C)	Fitzpatrick: 293-484-3428-26-12-89.6
RUSHING	Bolden: 45-146-3.2-0	Ivory: 230-951 (2C)-4.1-7 (T3C)
RECEIVING	Gronkowski (TE): 66-1072-16.2-11 (T3C)	Marshall: 93-1261 (3C)-13.6-11 (T3C)
OFFENSE	393.6 (2C)	371.2
TAKE/GIVE	+7	+8 (3C)
DEFENSE	326.1	322.8 (3C)
SACKS	Cha. Jones: 12.5 (3C)	Wilkerson: 12
INTs	Ryan: 4	M. Williams: 6 (3C)
PUNTING	Allen: 45.4	Quigley: 43.7
KICKING	Gostkowski: 139 (1L) (49/49 PAT; 30/32 FG)	Bullock: 66 (18/21 PAT; 16/19 FG)

#### **NOTES**

**PATRIOTS:** Have clinched 1st-round bye for 6th consecutive season, longest streak since current playoff format began in 1990. Won 7th consecutive AFC East title, tied for longest streak in history (1973-79 Rams)...QB TOM BRADY leads NFL with 35 TD passes & is 1 of 2 players to have 4 seasons with 35+ TDs (PEYTON MANNING). Has won 9 of past 10 starts vs. NYJ & passed for 2,769 yards with 20 TDs vs. 3 INTs for 97.5 rating...Rookie RB JOEY IOSEFA rushed for 51 yards in NFL debut last week. In past 3, **RB JAMES WHITE** has 21 catches for 224 yards & 2 TDs. Has 5 TDs in past 5 (3 rec., 2 rush)...WR DANNY AMENDOLA has TD in 2 of past 3 meetings. In past 6 meetings, TE ROB GRONKOWSKI has 44 catches for 512 yards & 6 TDs. Has 17 TDs in past 19 overall (incl. playoffs). Since 2010, leads NFL with 65 TD receptions...In past 9, LB JAMIE COLLINS has 5.5 sacks, INT, 4 FF & 4 PDs, incl. sack & INT last week...JETS: Aim for 5th consecutive win...In past 4, QB RYAN FITZPATRICK has passed for 1,229 yards with 10 TDs vs. 1 INT for 105.7 rating. Has career-high 26 TD passes & needs 3 to tie VINNY TESTAVERDE (29 in 1998) for single-season club record. Needs 305 pass yards to eclipse Testaverde (3,732 in 1998) for 3rd-most by Jet in season...RB CHRIS IVORY ranks 2nd in AFC with 951 rush yards & needs 49 for 1st career 1,000-yard season. In past 4 meetings, is averaging 83.3 scrimmage yards per game & has 2 total TDs (1 rush, 1 rec.)... WR BRANDON MARSHALL has 100+ rec. yards or TD in 12 of past 14. Has 8 100-yard rec. games this season & needs 1 to tied HOFer DON MAYNARD (9 in 1967) for singleseason club record. Leads team with 93 catches & needs 1 to surpass single-season club mark (AL TOON, 93 in 1988). Needs 7 rec. to become 1st player in NFL history with 6 100-catch seasons. Since 2010, WR ERIC DECKER leads AFC WRs with 48 TD rec. Needs 2 to reach 50 career...In past 12, DE MUHAMMAD WILKERSON has 11 sacks & 2 FF.

### HOUSTON TEXANS (7-7) AT TENNESSEE TITANS (3-11)

#### SERIES

	TEXANS	TITANS
SERIES LEADER		15-12
STREAKS	6 of past 7	
COACHES VS. OPP.	Bill O'Brien: 3-0	Mike Mularkey: 1-2
LAST WEEK	W 16-10 at Colts	L 33-16 at Patriots
LAST GAME	11/1/15: Titans 6 at Texans 20. Houston QB Brian Hoyer throws for 235 yards & 2 TDs.	
	Texans WR DeAndre Hopkins has 8 catches for 94 yards & TD.	
LAST GAME AT SITE	10/26/14: Texans 30, Titans 16. Houston RB Arian Foster rushes for 151 yards & 2 TDs &	
	adds TD catch. Texans QB Ryan Fitzpatrick throws for 227 yards & TD.	
REFEREE	Brad Allen	
BROADCAST	CBS (12:00 PM CT): Spero Dedes, Solomon Wilcots. SIRIUS: 93 (Hou), 119 (Ten). XM: 227	
	(Ten).	

#### **STATS**

PASSING	Hoyer: 199-329-60.5-18-6-93.0 <u>OR</u>	Mettenberger: 69-102-663-3-5-74.9
	Weeden: 199-329-2357-18-6-93.0	
RUSHING	Blue: 147-551-3.7-2	Andrews: 141-519-3.7-3
RECEIVING	Hopkins: 97 (T2C)-1315 (2C)-13.6-10	Walker (TE): 76-935-12.3-6
OFFENSE	345.1	321.4
TAKE/GIVE	-1	-11
DEFENSE	320.8 (2C)	344.1
SACKS	Watt: 13.5 (T2L)	Casey, Orakpo: 7
INTs	Hal: 3	Brown, Sensabaugh: 2
PUNTING	Lechler: 47.0	Kern: 47.2
KICKING	Novak: 61 (22/24 PAT; 13/15 FG)	Succop: 65 (26/28 PAT; 13/15 FG)

#### **NOTES**

TEXANS: Earned 1st-ever win at Ind last week...In past 9, QB BRIAN HOYER has passed for 2,121 yards with 17 TDs vs. 5 INTs for 95.3 rating. Has 2+ TD passes in 7 of past 9. In Texans debut last week, QB BRANDON WEEDEN completed 11 of 18 (61.1 pct.) for 105 yards with 1 TD vs. 0 INTs for 95.8 rating...Last week, RB ALFRED BLUE rushed for 107 yards (3rd career 100-yard game). Leads team with career-high 551 rush yards...In past 12, WR DE ANDRE HOPKINS has 83 rec. for 1,164 yards & 8 TDs. Has 5 TDs in past 7. Ranks 2nd in AFC with 1,315 rec. yards & needs 85 to join ANDRE JOHNSON as only Texans with 1,400-yard rec. season. In past 2 meetings, has 17 catches for 332 yards with 3 TDs...In past 19, J.J. WATT has 24.5 sacks, 3 FF, FR, safety, 7 PDs & TD catch. Since 2011, leads NFL with 70.5 sacks. Needs 1.5 sacks to join HOFer REGGIE WHITE (3) as only players with 15+ sacks in 3 of 1st 5 NFL seasons. LB WHITNEY MERCILUS has 8.5 sacks in past 9, incl. 1 last week... TITANS: Last week, QB ZACH METTENBERGER completed 20 of 28 (71.4 pct.) for season-high 242 yards with 2 TDs for 91.7 rating. Made 1st NFL start on 9/23/14 vs. Hou & completed 27 of 41 (65.9 pct.) for 299 yards with 2 TDs vs. 1 INT for 93.4 rating...RB ANTONIO ANDREWS had 70 scrimmage yards vs. NE...WR KENDALL WRIGHT (248) needs 2 rec. to reach 250 career. Rookie WR DORIAL GREEN-BECKHAM has 100+ rec. yards in 2 of past 3, incl. 6 rec. for team-high 113 yards vs. NE. TE DELANIE WALKER leads team with career-high 935 rec. yards & needs 65 to become 1st Titans TE with 1,000-yard season...LB AVERY WILLIAMSON leads team with 86 tackles. Since 2011, DT JURRELL CASEY ranks 3rd among AFC DTs with 28 sacks, incl. 1 last week vs. Patriots. DT KARL KLUG has 2.5 sacks in past 3 & aims for 4th in row with .5+ sack.

## CHICAGO BEARS (5-9) AT TAMPA BAY BUCCANEERS (6-8) SERIES

	BEARS	BUCCANEERS
SERIES LEADER	37-18	
STREAKS	4 of past 5	
COACHES VS. OPP.	John Fox: 12-7	Lovie Smith: 0-1
LAST WEEK	L 38-17 at Vikings	L 31-23 at Rams
LAST GAME	11/23/14: Buccaneers 13 at Bears 21. Chicago RB Matt Forté rushes for 89 yards & 2 TDs.	
	Chicago QB Jay Cutler passes for 130 yards & TD.	
LAST GAME AT SITE	11/27/05: Bears 13, Buccaneers 10. Chicago QB Kyle Orton passes for 134 yards & TD.	
	Bears RB Thomas Jones rushes for 72 yards and adds 50 rec. yards.	
REFEREE	Pete Morelli	
BROADCAST	FOX (1:00 PM ET): Sam Rosen, Matt Millen, Peter Schrager (field reporter). SIRIUS: 135	
	(Chi), 126 (TB). XM: 233 (TB).	

#### **STATS**

PASSING	Cutler: 274-433-3258-18-8-92.3	Winston (R): 268-459-3422-20-12-85.4
RUSHING	Forté: 190-768-4.0-4	Martin: 256-1305 (2L)-5.1-5
RECEIVING	Jeffery: 54-807-14.9-4	Evans: 66-1046-15.8-3
OFFENSE	346.1	374.2
TAKE/GIVE	-4	-1
DEFENSE	342.1	339.5
SACKS	Young: 6.5	McCoy: 7.5
INTs	Fuller: 2	David: 3
PUNTING	O'Donnell: 44.0	Schum: 42.3
KICKING	Gould: 105 (24/25 PAT; 27/33 FG)	Barth: 87 (21/22 PAT; 22/26 FG)

#### **NOTES**

BEARS: QB JAY CUTLER has won all 3 career starts vs. TB. Has 3,258 pass yards, his 7th career 3,000-yard season...RB MATT FORTÉ has 450 scrimmage yards (150 per game), 323 rush yards (107.7 per game) & 4 TDs (3 rush, 1 rec.) in 3 meetings. Aims for 4th in row with TD. Rookie RB JEREMY LANGFORD has 6 TDs (5 rush, 1 rec.) in past 9. Is 3rd among NFL rookies with 6 rush TDs & ties for 4th with 7 total TDs...WR ALSHON JEFFERY aims for 3rd in row with TD. Had TD catch in last meeting. In past 8, has 49 catches for 729 yards (91.1 per game) & 4 TDs. TE ZACH MILLER has 5 TDs in past 7...LB WILLIE YOUNG has 5.5 sacks & INT in past 6. LB PERNELL MC PHEE has 5 sacks & INT in his past 10. Had sack in only game vs. TB (10/12/14 with Bal). LB LAMARR HOUSTON has 5 sacks & FR in past 7. LB SHEA MC CLELLIN leads team with 81 tackles...BUCCANEERS: QB JAMEIS WINSTON is 1 of 4 rookie QBs in NFL history with 3,000+ pass yards (3,422), 20+ pass TDs (20) & 5+ rush TDs (5). Passed for career-high 363 yards last week...RB DOUG MARTIN ranks 4th in NFL with 1,510 scrimmage yards. Has 1,312 scrimmage yards (119.3 per game) & 6 TDs in past 11. Has 633 scrimmage yards (105.5 per game) & 6 TDs (5 rush, 1 rec.) in past 6 at home. RB CHARLES SIMS aims for 4th in row with 70+ scrimmage yards...WR MIKE EVANS had 9 catches for 157 yards last week. Has 1,046 rec. yards, his 2nd consecutive 1,000-yard season. Had TD catch in last meeting. WR VINCENT JACKSON has 12 catches for 282 yards (141 per game) & TD in past 2 vs. Chi. TEs AUSTIN SEFERIAN-JENKINS & LUKE STOCKER each had TD catch last week...LB LAVONTE DAVID has 3 INTs (1 TD) in past 5. Since 2013, is only NFL player with 400+ tackles (414), 10+ sacks (10) & 5+ INTs (8). Leads team with 126 tackles. DT GERALD MC COY has 16.5 sacks in his past 22 at home. Had sack & FF in last meeting. DE JACQUIES SMITH had sack in last meeting.

## JACKSONVILLE JAGUARS (5-9) AT NEW ORLEANS SAINTS (5-9) SERIES

	<u>JAGUARS</u>	SAINTS
SERIES LEADER		3-2
STREAKS		Past 2
COACHES VS. OPP.	Gus Bradley: 0-0	Sean Payton: 2-0
LAST WEEK	L 23-17 vs. Falcons	L 35-27 vs. Lions
LAST GAME	10/2/11: Saints 23 at Jaguars 10. New Orleans TE Jimmy Graham records 132 rec. yards &	
	TD. Saints QB Drew Brees throws for 351 yards & TD.	
LAST GAME AT SITE	11/4/07: Saints 41, Jaguars 24. New Orleans QB Brees passes for 445 yards & 3 TDs.	
	Saints WRs Marques Colston & David Patton combine for 240 rec. yards & TD.	
REFEREE	Ronald Torbert	
BROADCAST	CBS (3:05 PM CT): Steve Catalon, Steve Tasker, Steve Beuerlein (field reporter). SIRIUS:	
	112 (Jax), 145 (NO). XM: 234 (Jax), 228 (NO).	

#### STATS

PASSING	Bortles: 311-539-3821 (3C)-31 (2C)-14-88.1	Brees: 371-549-4135 (2C)-28-11-98.4
RUSHING	Yeldon (R): 182-740-4.1-2	Hightower: 53-187-3.5-1
RECEIVING	A. Robinson: 69-1141-16.5-13 (T1L)	Cooks: 74-993-13.4-8
OFFENSE	352.9	395.3 (3L)
TAKE/GIVE	-5	-1
DEFENSE	361.5	413.5
SACKS	Odrick: 5	Jordan: 9
INTs	House, Posluszny: 3	Breaux: 2
PUNTING	Anger: 45.8	Morstead: 45.1
KICKING	Myers: 103 (31/38 PAT; 24/28 FG)	Forbath: 48 (27/28 PAT; 7/10 FG)

#### **NOTES**

JAGUARS: QB BLAKE BORTLES has club record 31 TD passes & is 1 of 4 NFL QBs with 30+ TDs in season at age 23 or younger. Has 5 300-yard passing games in 2015 & needs 1 to tie MARK BRUNELL (6 in 1996) for single-season club record. Has 2+ TDs in 8 of past 10...RB T.J. YELDON leads AFC & ranks 3rd amongst NFL rookies with 740 rush yards. Aims for 10th in row with 60+ scrimmage yards...WR ALLEN ROBINSON (1,141) is 1st Jag with 1,000-yard rec. season since JIMMY SMITH in 2005. Has 6 TDs catches in past 4 & aims for 5th in row with TD. WR ALLEN HURNS has TD catch in 8 of past 11. Needs 93 rec. yards to reach 1,000 for 1st time. TE JULIUS THOMAS has TD in 4 of past 5. Has 29 TDs since 2013, most among NFL TEs during span...LB TELVIN SMITH ranks 2nd in AFC & 3rd in NFL with 128 tackles. In past 2, DE ANDRE BRANCH has 2 sacks, FF, FR-TD & 3 PDs. DT JARED ODRICK (5) needs 1.5 sacks to eclipse career-high of 6 in 2011... SAINTS: QB DREW BREES is 4th QB in NFL history with 60,000+ pass yards (60,168). Has 4,135 pass yards, his NFL-record 10th consecutive 4,000-yard season. Passed for 341 yards last week, his NFL-record 94th career 300-yard game. Has won 3 of 4 starts vs. Jax. & has 105.3 rating (9 TDs, 2 INTs)...RB TIM HIGHTOWER has 180 scrimmage yards (90 per game) & TD in 2 starts... WR BRANDIN COOKS has 7 TDs in past 7. Had career-high 10 catches & 124 yards with TD last week. Aims for 5th in row at home with TD (5 TDs in past 4). In past 5 at home, TE BENJAMIN WATSON has 34 catches for 421 yards (84.2 per game) & 4 TDs. WR MARQUES COLSTON has 3 TDs in past 2. Had 10 catches for 159 yards in last home game vs. Jax. WR WILLIE SNEAD has 17 catches for 198 yards (99 per game) in past 2...DE CAMERON JORDAN has 17 sacks in past 22 at home. Has 8 sacks, FF & FR in past 9. LB KASIM EDEBALI had 2 sacks last week & ranks 2nd on team (Jordan, 9 sacks) with career-high 5 sacks.

### **GREEN BAY PACKERS (10-4) AT ARIZONA CARDINALS (12-2)**

#### **SERIES**

	PACKERS	CARDINALS
SERIES LEADER	44-22-4	
STREAKS	7 of past 8	
COACHES VS. OPP.	Mike McCarthy: 3-1	Bruce Arians: 0-0
LAST WEEK	W 30-20 at Raiders	W 40-17 at Eagles
LAST GAME	11/4/12: Cardinals 17 at Packers 31. Green Bay WRs James Jones & Randall Cobb combine	
	for 98 yards & 3 TDs. Packers QB Aaron Rodgers throws for 218 yards & 4 TDs.	
LAST GAME AT SITE	1/3/10: Packers 33, Cardinals 7. Green Bay QB Rodgers completes 21 of 26 passes (80.8	
	pct.) for 235 yards & TD & rushes for TD. Packers S Charles Woodson has 45-yd INT-TD.	
REFEREE	Terry McAulay	
BROADCAST	FOX (2:25 PM MT): Joe Buck, Troy Aikman, Erin Andrews (field reporter). Westwood One:	
	John Sadak, Mark Malone. SIRIUS: 93 (GB), 82 (Ari). XM: 226 (GB), 82 (Ari).	

#### **STATS**

PASSING	Rodgers: 304-500-3379-29-6-95.2	Palmer: 312-485-4277 (1C)-32 (T3L)-9-106.7 (2L)
RUSHING	Lacy: 162-664-4.1-3	D. Johnson (R): 105-517-4.9-7
RECEIVING	Cobb: 70-777-11.1-6	Fitzgerald: 99 (3L)-1131 (3C)-11.4-7
OFFENSE	344.6	422.9 (1L)
TAKE/GIVE	+7	+10 (3L)
DEFENSE	351.7	329.6 (3C)
SACKS	Peppers: 9.5 (T3C)	Freeney: 4
INTs	Randall (R), Shields: 3	R. Johnson: 5 (T3C)
PUNTING	Masthay: 43.8	Butler: 42.4
KICKING	Crosby: 101 (35/35 PAT; 22/26 FG)	Catanzaro: 129 (3L) (48/52 PAT; 27/29 FG)

#### **NOTES**

PACKERS: Clinched playoff spot...QB AARON RODGERS has 9 TDs, 2 INTs & 115 rating in 3 career starts vs. Az. (incl. playoffs). Has 29 pass TDs & needs 1 for 5th career 30 TD season...RB EDDIE LACY has 3 100-yard games in past 5. Has 10 TDs (9 rush, 1 rec.) in 11 career Dec. games. RB JAMES STARKS is 1 of 3 RBs with 550+ rush yards (566), 2+ rush TD (2), 350+ rec. yards (374) & 2+ rec. TD (3)...WR RANDALL COBB had 2 TD catches in only game vs. Az. WR JAMES JONES has TD catch in each of past 2 vs. Az with GB (incl. playoffs). TE RICHARD RODGERS has 5 TDs in past 7...LB JULIUS PEPPERS had 2.5 sacks last week. Is only player in history with 100+ sacks (135) & 10+ INTs (11). LB CLAY MATTHEWS had sack, FF & FR in last game at Az (2009 WC). Rookie DAMARIOUS RANDALL had 43-yard INT-TD last week... CARDINALS: Won NFC West. Clinch 1st-round bye with win. Have won 8 in row. Set franchise record with 12 wins...Have scored team record 445 points. QB CARSON PALMER has won 25 of past 29 starts, incl. 9 of past 10 at home. Has team-record 32 pass TDs & is 1st QB in team history with 2 4,000-yard seasons (4,277)...RB DAVID JOHNSON leads NFL rookies with 12 TDs. Is 1 of 2 rookies (GALE SAYERS) in NFL history with 7+ rush TD, 4+ rec. TD & KR TD. Rushed for 187 yards & 3 TDs last week. In past 3 (1st 3 career starts), has 472 scrimmage yards (157.3 per game), 378 rush yards (126 per game) & 4 TDs (3 rush, 1 rec.)...WR LARRY FITZGERALD has catch in 184 consecutive games, incl. playoffs. Since entering NFL in 2004, has 105 rec. TDs (incl. playoffs), most in NFL. Has 4 TDs in 3 career meetings (incl. playoffs). WR JOHN BROWN aims for 4th in row at home with TD. WR MICHAEL FLOYD has 4 100-yard games in past 6...Have 18 INTs, led by S RASHAD JOHNSON (5) & TYRANN MATHIEU (5). CB PATRICK PETERSON had FR in last meeting. LB DEONE BUCANNON had 1st career INT-TD (39 yards) last week.

## ST. LOUIS RAMS (6-8) AT SEATTLE SEAHAWKS (9-5) SERIES

	RAMS	<u>SEAHAWKS</u>
SERIES LEADER		21-13
STREAKS		4 of past 6
COACHES VS. OPP.	Jeff Fisher: 4-9	Pete Carroll: 7-4
LAST WEEK	W 31-23 vs. Buccaneers	W 30-13 vs. Browns
LAST GAME	9/13/15: Seahawks 31 at Rams 34 (OT). St. Louis K Greg Zuerlein converts game-winning 37-yard FG in OT. Rams QB Nick Foles passes for 297 yards & TD & adds rush TD.	
LAST GAME AT SITE	12/28/14: Seahawks 20, Rams 6. Seattle LB Bruce Irvin has 49-yard INT-TD. Seahawks RB Marshawn Lynch rushes for 60 yards & TD.	
REFEREE	John Hussey	
BROADCAST	FOX (1:25 PM PT): Chris Myers, Ronde Barber, Jennifer Hale (field reporter). SIRIUS: 81	
	(StL), 83 (Sea). XM: 229 (StL), 225 (Sea).	

#### **STATS**

PASSING	Keenum: 40-65-494-3-1-94.0	Wilson: 285-414-3538-29-7-111.4 (1L)
RUSHING	Gurley (R): 210-1023 (3L)-4.9-9 (T3L)	Wilson (QB): 92-502-5.5-1
RECEIVING	Austin: 44-427-9.7-5	Baldwin: 65-905-13.9-13 (T1L)
OFFENSE	299.4	385.1 (3C)
TAKE/GIVE	+1	+7
DEFENSE	365.4	302.2 (1C)
SACKS	Donald: 11 (2C)	Bennett: 9.5 (T3C)
INTs	Johnson: 6 (2C)	Thomas: 4
PUNTING	Hekker: 48.3 (1L)	Ryan: 46.1
KICKING	Zuerlein: 71 (23/24 PAT; 16/24 FG)	Hauschka: 110 (35/38 PAT; 25/26 FG)

#### **NOTES**

**RAMS: QB CASE KEENUM** has won 4 of his past 5 starts. Had 158 rating last week, completing 14 of 17 (82.4 pct.) for 234 yards, 2 TDs & 0 INTs...RB TODD GURLEY leads NFL rookies with 1,023 rush yards & 9 rush TDs. 1 of 3 Rams rookies with 1,000+ rush yards (HOFers ERIC DICKERSON & JEROME BETTIS)...WR-PR TAVON AUSTIN had rush & rec. TDs last week. Is 1st in NFL since HOFer GALE SAYERS (1965) with 5+ rec., 4+ rush & 1+ PR TDs in single season. Has 19 career TDs (9 rec., 7 rush, 3 PR). Had PR-TD & rush TD in last meeting. WR KENNY BRITT had 60-yard TD last week. TE LANCE KENDRICKS had 37-yard TD in Week 1. TE JARED COOK had 5 catches for 85 yards in last meeting...DT AARON DONALD leads NFL DTs with 11 sacks. Has 4 sacks in 3 meetings, incl. 2 sacks in Week 1. CB TRUMAINE JOHNSON aims for 4th in row with INT & has INT in 4 of past 5, incl. TD. Since 2009, LB JAMES LAURINAITIS is 1 of 2 with 15+ sacks (16.5) & 10+ INTs (10)...SEAHAWKS: Clinched playoff spot...QB RUSSELL WILSON is 1st QB in NFL history with 3+ pass TDs & 0 INTs in 5 consecutive games. Has 19 TDs, 0 INTs & 143.6 rating in past 5...RB CHRISTINE MICHAEL rushed for career-high 84 yards last week...WR DOUG BALDWIN has 2+ TD catches in 4 consecutive games, tied for longest streak in NFL history. Has 10 rec. TDs in past 4, tied for most in NFL history over 4-game span. WR-KR-PR TYLER LOCKET & HOFer GALE SAYERS (1965) are only rookies with 5+ rec. TDs, KR-TD & PR-TD. Had 57-yard PR-TD in Week 1. WR JERMAINE KEARSE had 7 catches for 110 yards last week & aims for 3rd in row with 7+ catches...CB RICHARD SHERMAN leads NFL with 28 INTs since 2011 (incl. playoffs). DE MICHAEL BENNETT aims for 4th in row with sack & has career-high 9.5 sacks. S EARL THOMAS aims for 3rd in row vs. StL with FF. LB BRUCE IRVIN had 49-yard INT-TD in last home meeting. LB K.J. WRIGHT leads team with 104 tackles.

#### **SUNDAY NIGHT**

#### **NEW YORK GIANTS (6-8) AT MINNESOTA VIKINGS (9-5)**

#### **SERIES**

	GIANTS	<u>VIKINGS</u>
SERIES LEADER		13-10
STREAKS	4 of past 6	
COACHES VS. OPP.	Tom Coughlin: 4-5	Mike Zimmer: 0-0
LAST WEEK	L 38-35 vs. Panthers	W 38-17 vs. Bears
LAST GAME	10/21/13: Vikings 7 at Giants 23. New York QB Eli Manning throws for 200 yards & TD.	
	Giants RB Peyton Hillis rushes for TD.	
LAST GAME AT SITE	1/3/10: Vikings 44, Giants 3. Minnesota QB Brett Favre passes for 316 yards & 4 TDs.	
	Vikings WR Sidney Rice has 6 receptions for 112 yards & 2 TDs.	
REFEREE	Tony Corrente	
BROADCAST	NBC (7:30 PM CT): Al Michaels, Chris Collinsworth, Michele Tafoya (field reporter).	
	Westwood One: Kevin Kugler, James Lofton. SIRIUS: 88 (WW1), 83 (NYG), 93 (Min). XM:	
	88 (WW1), 225 (NYG), 226 (Min).	
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#### **STATS**

PASSING	Manning: 348-546-3900-32 (T3L)-11-96.1	Bridgewater: 267-403-2964-13-8-90.4
RUSHING	Jennings: 154-619-4.0-2	Peterson: 286-1314 (1L)-4.6-9 (T3L)
RECEIVING	Randle: 51-638-12.5-6	Diggs (R): 47-693-14.7-4
OFFENSE	363.6	323.5
TAKE/GIVE	+9 (3C)	+2
DEFENSE	423.0	342.4
SACKS	Ayers: 6.5	Griffen: 8.5
INTs	McBride, Rodgers-Cromartie: 3	Newman: 3
PUNTING	Wing: 45.3	Locke: 41.9
KICKING	Brown: 117 (3C) (39/40 PAT; 26/28 FG)	Walsh: 108 (27/30 PAT; 27/32 FG)

#### **NOTES**

GIANTS: QB ELI MANNING has won past 2 starts vs. Min. Has started 181 consecutive games, longest active streak in NFL. Aims for 3rd in row with 4+ TD passes. Has 3,900 pass yards & needs 100 for team-record 5th 4,000-yard season...RB RASHAD JENNINGS rushed for season-high 107 yards last week & had 38-yard TD run. RB SHANE VEREEN had TD catch last week & has 4 rec. TDs this season...WR RUEBEN RANDLE aims for 3rd in row with TD catch. Has TD in 3 of past 4. Had 24-yard TD catch in last meeting...WR-KR-PR DWAYNE HARRIS is 1 of 3 in NYG history with KR-TD & PR-TD in same season. Had TD catch in last game vs. Min. (11/3/13 with Dal.). TE WILL TYE aims for 3rd in row with TD...DE ROBERT AYERS JR. has 4.5 sacks in past 3. CB DOMINIQUE RODGERS-CROMARTIE has 7 career TDs (6 INTs, 1 FR) & avg. 56.9 yards per TD. DE JASON PIERRE-PAUL had sack last week...VIKINGS: Clinch playoff spot with win...QB TEDDY BRIDGEWATER has won 8 of his past 10 starts at home. Last week, became 2nd QB in NFL history & 1st since 1964 with 85+ comp. pct. (85), 4+ pass TDs (4) & rush TD in game...Since entering NFL in 2007, RB ADRIAN PETERSON leads league with 11,504 rush yards & 95 rush TDs. Leads NFL with 1,314 rush yards & ties for 3rd with 9 rush TDs...Rookie WR STEFON DIGGS had career-high 2 TDs last week. Leads NFC rookies with 693 rec. yards. WR MIKE WALLACE had 51-yard TD in last game vs. NYG (11/4/12 with Pit). PR-CB MARCUS SHERELS had 86-yard PR-TD in last meeting...DT LINVAL JOSEPH played 1st 4 seasons with NYG (2010-13). DE EVERSON GRIFFEN has 18.5 sacks in his past 25. Rookie DE DANIELLE HUNTER has 2.5 sacks in past 2.

### MONDAY, DECEMBER 28, 2015

#### **CINCINNATI BENGALS (11-3) AT DENVER BRONCOS (10-4)**

#### **SERIES**

	BENGALS	BRONCOS
MON. RECORD	11-21	29-37-1
SERIES LEADER		19-9
STREAKS		4 of past 5
COACHES VS. OPP.	Marvin Lewis: 2-5	Gary Kubiak: 5-0
LAST WEEK	W 24-14 at 49ers	L 34-27 at Steelers
LAST GAME	12/22/14: Broncos 28 at Bengals 37. Cincinnati CB Dre Kirkpatrick has 30-yd INT-TD.	
	Bengals RB Jeremy Hill has 22 rushes for 147 yards & TD.	
LAST GAME AT SITE	9/18/11: Broncos 24, Bengals 22. Denver WR Eric Decker has 5 catches for 113 yards & 2	
	TDs. Broncos RB Willis McGahee rushes for 101 yards & TD.	
REFEREE	Ed Hochuli	
BROADCAST	ESPN (6:30 PM MT): Mike Tirico, Jon Gruden, Lisa Salters (field reporter). Westwood One:	
	Kevin Harlan, Kurt Warner, Jim Miller (field reporter). SIRIUS: 88 (WW1), 83 (Cin), 93 (Den).	
	XM: 88 (WW1), 225 (Cin), 226 (Den).	

#### **STATS**

PASSING	McCarron: 40-57-494-3-2-99.6	Manning: 193-322-2180-9-17-67.6 <u>OR</u>
		Osweiler: 129-214-1436-8-4-84.9
RUSHING	Bernard: 140-680-4.9-2	Hillman: 183-711-3.9-6
RECEIVING	Green: 77-1206-15.7-8	Thomas: 93-1128-12.1-5
OFFENSE	367.3	342.5
TAKE/GIVE	+9 (2C)	0
DEFENSE	337.3	279.9 (1L)
SACKS	Dunlap: 10.5	Miller: 10
INTs	Nelson: 8 (1L)	Talib: 3
PUNTING	Huber: 46.0	Colquitt: 43.6
KICKING	Nugent: 106 (43/44 PAT; 21/25 FG)	McManus: 108 (30/31 PAT; 26/30 FG)

#### **NOTES**

BENGALS: In 1st NFL start, QB A.J. MC CARRON completed 15 of 21 (71.4 pct.) for 192 yards with 1 TD vs. 0 INTs for 115.6 rating...In only career meeting, RB JEREMY HILL rushed for 147 yards on 22 att. (6.7 avg.) & TD. In only career meeting, RB GIOVANI BERNARD had 81 scrimmage yards & TD catch...In only meeting at Den., WR A.J. GREEN had 10 catches for 124 yards & TD. 1 of 2 in NFL history with 5+ consecutive 1,000-yard rec. seasons to begin career (RANDY MOSS, 6). TE TYLER EIFERT leads team with 12 TDs, most ever by Bengals TE in season...S REGGIE NELSON leads NFL with career-high 8 INTs & needs 2 to tie club record (DELTHA O'NEAL, 10 in 2005). Had INT in last meeting...BRONCOS: GARY KUBIAK needs 1 win to join RED MILLER (1977) as only HCs with 12 wins in 1st season with Den...QB PEYTON MANNING is 8-1 vs. Cin & has passed for 2,429 yards with 22 TDs vs. 9 INTs for 100.6 rating. QB BROCK OSWEILER had career-high 3 TDs last week. Aims for 3rd in row with 295+ yards...In only career meeting, RB C.J. ANDERSON had 138 scrimmage yards & rush TD. RB RONNIE HILLMAN leads team with career-high 711 rush yards...In last meeting, WR DEMARYIUS THOMAS had 7 rec. for 115 yards. Since 2010, has 46 TD rec., 2nd-most among AFC WRs. WR EMMANUEL SANDERS had career-high 181 rec. yards & TD vs. Pit...LB VON MILLER has 6 sacks in past 6. CB AQIB TALIB had 33-yard INT-TD in last meeting. Since 2008, leads NFL with 8 INT-TDs.