

# POSTGAME NOTES

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## LOS ANGELES CHARGERS vs. KANSAS CITY CHIEFS



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### CHARGERS FALL TO KANSAS CITY

The Los Angeles Chargers fell in overtime to the Kansas City Chiefs, 34-28. The Bolts record now stands at 8-6. The team travels to Houston in Week 16.

TEAM	1	2	3	4	OT	F
Kansas City	7	3	3	15	6	34
L.A. Chargers	0	14	0	14	0	28

The Los Angeles offense put up a season-high 192 rushing yards. **RB Justin Jackson** led the team with 86 yards on 13 attempts (6.6 avg.), coming up four yards shy of setting a career high.

The Chargers allowed zero sacks for the second time this season (Week 9 at Philadelphia). It was the first time the Bolts allowed zero sacks in a home game since Oct. 6, 2019 vs. Denver.

**WR Keenan Allen** recorded six receptions for 78 yards, putting him over 1,000 yards on the season. 2021 marks his fifth 1,000-yard season, the most by a Charger in the last 50 years.

### NWOSU PICKS HIS FIRST

**OLB Uchenna Nwosu** batted a pass up in the air at the line of scrimmage and hauled it in for an interception in the fourth quarter, setting up a two-yard touchdown run on the next play.

It marked the first interception of his career and second takeaway of the season. He became the second Charger this season to have an interception and a fumble recovery, joining **CB Michael Davis**.

### HERBERT SETS MORE RECORDS

With 236 passing yards on the day, **QB Justin Herbert** reached 8,394 for his career to record the most passing yards by any player in history through the first two seasons of a career. He finished the day with the 236 yards and two touchdowns with an interception to register an 82.8 passer rating.

Herbert added a rushing touchdown, bringing him to 71 total touchdowns in his career (63 passing, eight rushing). He passed Hall of Fame QB Dan Marino (70) for the most passing and rushing scores through the first two seasons of a career in history.

### MOST PASSING YARDS, FIRST TWO PROFESSIONAL SEASONS, NFL HISTORY

Rank	Team	Player	Passing Yards
1.	LAC	<b>QB Justin Herbert</b>	<b>8,394</b>
2.	Ind.	QB Andrew Luck	8,196
3.	T.B.	QB Jameis Winston	8,132
4.	Car.	QB Cam Newton	7,920
5.	Ind.	QB Peyton Manning	7,874

### MOST COMBINED RUSHING AND PASSING TOUCHDOWNS, FIRST TWO PROFESSIONAL SEASONS, NFL HISTORY

Rank	Team	Player	Total Touchdowns
1.	LAC	<b>QB Justin Herbert</b>	<b>71</b>
2.	Mia.	QB Dan Marino	70
3.	Car.	QB Cam Newton	62

## EKELER ADDS ANOTHER

**RB Austin Ekeler** ran in his 10th rushing touchdown of the season in the fourth quarter, giving him 17 scrimmage scores this year. The game marked his sixth in a row with a touchdown, the longest streak by a Charger since former RB Melvin Gordon III had a seven-game streak in 2018. Ekeler's has 1,347 yards from scrimmage this year, ranks No. 2 in the NFL among running backs.

### SCRIMMAGE TOUCHDOWNS LEADERS, NFL, 2021

Rank	Team	Player	Scrimmage TDs
1.	Ind.	RB Jonathan Taylor	18
2.	LAC	RB Austin Ekeler	17
3.	Ari.	RB James Conner	14
	Cin.	RB Joe Mixon	14

### SCRIMMAGE YARDS LEADERS, NFL, 2021

Rank	Team	Player	Scrimmage Yards
1.	Ind.	RB Jonathan Taylor	1,684
2.	LAC	RB Austin Ekeler	1,347
2.	Pit.	RB Najee Harris	1,270
4.	Cin.	RB Joe Mixon	1,238

## BOSA GETS ANOTHER SACK

**OLB Joey Bosa** registered his second strip-sack in as many weeks, bringing him to an NFL-best six strip-sacks on the season. It's the most strip-sacks by a Charger in a single season since at least 2000. It's the first time a Bolt has had a strip-sack in consecutive games since Bosa did so in 2017.

The sixth-year pass rusher now has 9.5 sacks on the year and is within three sacks of reaching 60 for his career.

### STRIP-SACKS LEADERS, NFL, 2021

Rank	Team	Player	Strip Sacks
1.	LAC	OLB Joey Bosa	6
2.	Ari.	OLB Chandler Jones	4
	Pit.	LB T.J. Watt	4

### STRIP SACKS, NFL, 2021

Rank	Team	Strip Sacks
1.	Los Angeles Chargers	10
2.	Arizona Cardinals	8
3.	Dallas Cowboys	7

### FORCED FUMBLES, NFL, 2021

Rank	Team	Forced Fumbles
1.	San Francisco 49ers	18
2.	Los Angeles Chargers	17
	Arizona Cardinals	17