# NEW ENGLAND PATRIOTS GAME RELEASE 




RECULAR SEASON WEEK 14 NEW ENELAND PATRNOTS AT MIAMI DOLPHINS

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## MEDIA SCHEDULE

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 5<br>10:30 a.m. Media check-in at blue gate and media workroom opens<br>11:30 a.m. Patriots head coach Bill Belichick press availability (Media Workroom)<br>12:35 p.m. Media availability at practice<br>3:45 p.m. Approximate time for player availability (Patriots locker room)

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 6
Media check-in at blue gate and media workroom opens Media availability at practice Approximate time for player availability (Patriots locker room)

## FRIDAY, DECEMBER 7

TBD
Media check-in at blue gate and media workroom opens
TBD Patriots head coach Bill Belichick press availability (Media Workroom) Media availability at practice Approximate time for player availability (Patriots locker room)

## SATURDAY, DECEMBER 8 No media availability

## SUNDAY, DECEMBER 9 <br> 1:00 p.m. Patriots at Miami Dolphins

## 2018 PATRIOTS SCHEDULE

## REGULAR SEASON (9-3)

Sun., Sept. 9
Sun., Sept. 16
Sun., Sept. 23
Sun., Sept. 30
Thu., Oct. 4
Sun., Oct. 14
Sun., Oct. 21
Mon., Oct. 29
Sun., Nov. 4
Sun., Nov. 11
Sun., Nov. 18
Sun., Nov. 25
Sun., Dec. 2
Sun., Dec. 9
Sun., Dec. 16
Sun., Dec. 23
Sun., Dec. 30

Houston at Jacksonville at Detroit Miami Indianapolis Kansas City at Chicago at Buffalo Green Bay at Tennessee BYE WEEK
at N.Y. Jets Minnesota
at Miami
at Pittsburgh Buffalo N.Y. Jets

27-20 20-31 10-26 38-7 38-24 43-40 38-31 25-6 31-17 10-34
27-13 24-10 4:25 p.m CBS* 1:00 p.m. CBS* 1:00 p.m.
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| TEAM | W | $\boldsymbol{L}$ | $\boldsymbol{T}$ | PCT. | PF | PA |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| NEW ENGLAND | $\mathbf{9}$ | $\mathbf{3}$ | $\mathbf{0}$ | .750 | 331 | $\mathbf{2 5 9}$ |
| Miami Dolphins | 6 | 6 | 0 | .500 | 244 | 300 |
| Buffalo Bills | 4 | 8 | 0 | .333 | 178 | 293 |
| New York Jets | 3 | 9 | 0 | .250 | 243 | 307 |

## GAME SUMMARY

## NEW ENGLAND PATRIOTS (9-3) vs. MIAMI DOLPHINS (6-6) Sunday, Dec. 9, 2018 • Hard Rock Stadium (64,767) • 1:00 p.m. ET

The New England Patriots secured the franchise's 33rd winning season since 1970 after improving to $9-3$ with a 24-10 win over Minnesota last week. Only Pittsburgh (35) has more winning seasons since the 1970 merger. The Patriots also earned their 18th straight winning season, the most since the 1970 merger, and the second-most all-time to the Dallas Cowboys (20).

For the second straight season, the Patriots will close out the regular season with the same four opponents at the same venues with games at Miami (Sunday) and at Pittsburgh (Dec. 16) followed by two consecutive home games against AFC East opponents with games against the Bills on Dec. 23 and the Jets on Dec. 30.

## BROADCAST INFORMATION

TELEVISION: This week's game will be broadcast by CBS and can be seen locally on WBZ-TV Channel 4. Ian Eagle will handle play-by-play duties with Dan Fouts as the color analyst. Even Washburn will work from the sidelines. The game will be produced by Mark Wolff and directed by Bob Fishman.

LOCAL RADIO: 98.5 The Sports Hub is the flagship station for the Patriots Radio Network. A complete listing of the network's 41 stations can be found in this press release. Play-by-play broadcaster Bob Socci will call the action along with former Patriots quarterback Scott Zolak, who will provide color analysis. The games are produced by Marc Cappello.

## POSTSEASON PROWESS

If the New England Patriots defeat the Miami Dolphins at Hard Rock Stadium on Sunday, they will clinch their 10th straight AFC East title and become the first franchise in NFL history to earn a playoff berth in 10 consecutive seasons. New England enters this week tied with the Dallas Cowboys (1975-83) and the Indianapolis Colts (200210) as the only teams to play in the postseason for nine straight seasons.

## MOST CONSECUTIVE PLAYOFF SEASONS



## WEEK 14 HIGHLIGHTS

PAGE 15: New England Patriots at Miami Dolphins matchup notes
PAGE 18: What to look for in this week's game
PAGE 30: The Patriots own the NFL record for most consecutive division titles and have the most division crowns in the NFL since 2001.I
PAGE 41: Tom Brady is on the verge of passing Peyton Manning in all-time overall touchdown passes.

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## 2018 REGULAR SEASDN DFFENSIVE STATISTILS



2018 REGULAR SEASDN DEFENSIVE STATISTILS

| PLAYER | TACKLES |  |  | SACKS |  |  | INTERCEPTIONS |  |  |  | FUMBLES |  |  |  | SP. TEAMS |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Name | TT | UT | A | S | Yds | QH | Int | Yds | TD | PD | FF | FR | Yds | TD | TT | UT | A | FF | FR |
| Kyle Van Noy | 75 | 47 | 28 | 2.0 | 14.0 | 5 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Patrick Chung | 62 | 38 | 24 | 0.5 | 5.0 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Devin McCourty | 59 | 43 | 16 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0 | 1 | 84 | 1 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 4 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Elandon Roberts | 53 | 27 | 26 | 1.0 | 7.0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Jason McCourty | 47 | 37 | 10 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 8 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Lawrence Guy | 45 | 21 | 24 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Trey Flowers | 40 | 21 | 19 | 4.5 | 35.0 | 13 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Dont'a Hightower | 39 | 21 | 18 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 5 | 1 | 27 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Jonathan Jones | 38 | 29 | 9 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0 | 3 | 34 | 0 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Stephon Gilmore | 37 | 32 | 5 | 1.0 | 7.0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 14 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Duron Harmon | 30 | 25 | 5 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Malcom Brown | 28 | 16 | 12 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Deatrich Wise Jr. | 21 | 13 | 8 | 4.5 | 25.5 | 12 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Danny Shleton | 18 | 10 | 8 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Adam Butler | 14 | 6 | 8 | 2.0 | 17.0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Ja'Whaun Bentley | 13 | 8 | 5 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| John Simon | 13 | 7 | 6 | 1.0 | 10.0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| J.C. Jackson | 11 | 11 | 0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Adrian Clayborn | 10 | 8 | 2 | 2.5 | 26.5 | 11 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Eric Rowe | 9 | 8 | 1 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Keionta Davis | 7 | 5 | 2 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Nicholas Grigsby | 4 | 3 | 1 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 6 | 4 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Keion Crossen | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Cyrus Jones | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Derek Rivers | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Obi Melifonwu | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Brandon King | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 11 | 7 | 4 | 0 | 0 |
| Joe Cardona | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| James Develin | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 0 |
| Chris Hogan | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Nate Ebner | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 10 | 3 | 7 | 0 | 0 |
| Dwayen Allen | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Albert McClellan | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Ryan Allen | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Matthew Slater | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 8 | 5 | 3 | 0 | 0 |
| Geneo Grissom | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
|  | 678 | 440 | 238 | 19.0 | 147.0 | 69 | 14 | 147 | 1 | 52 | 7 | 6 | 4 | 0 | 68 | 40 | 27 | 1 | 0 |


| FUMBLES - LOST (10-6) |  |  |  |  |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | No. | Lost | Rec | O.B. |
|  | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 |
| David Andrews | 4 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Tom Brady | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Rex Burkhead | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Julian Edelman | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Rob Gronkowski | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Chris Hogan | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Riley McCarron | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Sony Michel | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Cordarrelle Patterson | $\mathbf{1 0}$ | $\mathbf{6}$ | $\mathbf{4}$ | $\mathbf{0}$ |


|  | KEY |
| :--- | :--- |
| TT-Total Tackles | Int/Yds-Interceptions/Yards Returned |
| UT-Unassisted Tackles | PD-Passes Defensed |
| A-Assisted Tackles | FF-Forced Fumbles |


| BLOCKED KICKS |  |  |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | XP | FG | $\mathbf{P}$ |
| Jeremy Hill | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Dont'a Hightower | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Totals | $\mathbf{0}$ | $\mathbf{0}$ | $\mathbf{2}$ |


| MISC. OFFENSIVE STATS |  |  |  |  |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | TkI | Ast | FF | FR |
| Marcus Cannon | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| James Develin | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Phillip Dorsett | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Julian Edelman | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Chris Hogan | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Sony Michel | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Cordarrelle Patterson | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| LaAdrian Waddle | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| James White | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
|  | $\mathbf{1 1}$ | $\mathbf{0}$ | $\mathbf{0}$ | $\mathbf{0}$ |



X - inactive / CAPS - starters / sub - played / dnp - did not play / PS - Practice Squad
KEY:

## GAME-BY-GAME STARTERS



| ALPHABETICAL ROSTER |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| \# | NAME | POS | HT | WT | BORN | YR | COLLEGE | H.S. HOMETOWN |
| 83 | Allen, Dwayne | TE | 6-3 | 265 | 2/24/1990 | 7 | Clemson | Fayetteville, N.C. |
| 6 | Allen, Ryan | P | 6-2 | 220 | 2/28/1990 | 6 | Louisiana Tech | Salem, Ore. |
| 60 | Andrews, David | C | 6-3 | 300 | 7/10/1992 | 4 | Georgia | Johns Creek, Ga. |
| 12 | Brady, Tom | QB | 6-4 | 225 | 8/3/1977 | 19 | Michigan | San Mateo, Calif. |
| 90 | Brown, Malcom | DL | 6-2 | 320 | 2/2/1994 | 4 | Texas | Brenham, Texas |
| 77 | Brown, Trent | OL | 6-8 | 380 | 4/13/1993 | 4 | Florida | Albany, Ga. |
| 34 | Burkhead, Rex | RB | 5-10 | 215 | 7/2/1990 | 6 | Nebraska | Plano, Texas |
| 70 | Butler, Adam | DL | 6-5 | 300 | 4/12/1994 | 2 | Vanderbilt | Duncanville, Texas |
| 61 | Cannon, Marcus | OL | 6-6 | 335 | 5/6/1988 | 8 | Texas Christian | Odessa, Texas |
| 49 | Cardona, Joe | LS | 6-3 | 245 | 4/16/1992 | 4 | Navy | El Cajon, Calif. |
| 23 | Chung, Patrick | S | 5-11 | 215 | 8/19/1987 | 10 | Oregon | Rancho Cucamonga, Calif. |
| 94 | Clayborn, Adrian | DE | 6-3 | 280 | 7/6/1988 | 8 | Iowa | St. Louis, Mo. |
| 35 | Crossen, Keion | DB | 5-10 | 185 | 4/17/1996 | R | Western Carolina | Garysburg, N.C. |
| 58 | Davis, Keionta | DL | 6-4 | 280 | 3/1/1994 | 2 | Tennessee-Chattanooga | Chattanooga, Tenn. |
| 29 | Dawson Jr., Duke | DB | 5-10 | 198 | 10/13/1995 | R | Florida | Cross City, Fla. |
| 46 | Develin, James | FB | 6-3 | 255 | 7/23/1988 | 6 | Brown | Gilbertsville, Pa. |
| 13 | Dorsett, Phillip | WR | 5-10 | 192 | 1/5/1993 | 4 | Miami (Fla.) | Ft. Lauderdale, Fla. |
| 43 | Ebner, Nate | DB | 6-0 | 215 | 12/14/1988 | 7 | Ohio State | Dublin, Ohio |
| 11 | Edelman, Julian | WR | 5-10 | 198 | 5/22/1986 | 10 | Kent State | Redwood City, Calif. |
| 66 | Ferentz, James | OL | 6-2 | 300 | 6/5/1989 | 3 | lowa | Iowa City, lowa |
| 98 | Flowers, Trey | DL | 6-2 | 265 | 8/16/1993 | 4 | Arkansas | Huntsville, Ala. |
| 24 | Gilmore, Stephon | CB | 6-1 | 202 | 9/19/1990 | 7 | South Carolina | Rock Hill, S.C. |
| 10 | Gordon, Josh | WR | 6-3 | 225 | 4/13/1991 | 3 | Baylor | Houston, Texas |
| 3 | Gostkowski, Stephen | K | 6-1 | 215 | 1/28/1984 | 13 | Memphis | Madison, Miss. |
| 87 | Gronkowski, Rob | TE | 6-6 | 268 | 5/14/1989 | 9 | Arizona | Pittsburgh, Pa. |
| 93 | Guy, Lawrence | DL | 6-4 | 315 | 3/17/1990 | 8 | Arizona State | Las Vegas, Nev. |
| 21 | Harmon, Duron | DB | 6-1 | 205 | 1/24/1991 | 6 | Rutgers | Magnolia, Del. |
| 54 | Hightower, Dont'a | LB | 6-3 | 260 | 3/12/1990 | 7 | Alabama | Lewisburg, Tenn. |
| 15 | Hogan, Chris | WR | 6-1 | 210 | 10/24/1987 | 6 | Monmouth | Wykoff, N.J. |
| 47 | Hollister, Jacob | TE | 6-4 | 245 | 11/18/1993 | 2 | Wyoming | Bend, Ore. |
| 2 | Hoyer, Brian | QB | 6-2 | 216 | 10/13/1985 | 10 | Michigan State | North Olmsted, Ohio |
| 50 | Humber, Ramon | LB | 5-11 | 232 | 8/10/1987 | 10 | North Dakota State | Brooklyn, Park, Min. |
| 27 | Jackson, J.C. | DB | 6-1 | 198 | 11/17/1995 | R | Maryland | Immokalee, Fla. |
| 31 | Jones, Jonathan | DB | 5-10 | 190 | 9/20/1993 | 3 | Auburn | Carrollton, Ga. |
| 75 | Karras, Ted | OL | 6-4 | 305 | 3/15/1993 | 3 | Illinois | Indianapolis, Ind. |
| 36 | King, Brandon | LB | 6-2 | 220 | 6/8/1993 | 4 | Auburn | Alabaster, Ala. |
| 69 | Mason, Shaq | OL | 6-1 | 310 | 8/28/1993 | 4 | Georgia Tech | Columbia, Tenn. |
| 59 | McClellan, Albert | LB | 6-2 | 235 | 6/4/1986 | 8 | Marshall | Lakelland, Fla. |
| 32 | McCourty, Devin | DB | 5-10 | 195 | 8/13/1987 | 9 | Rutgers | Montvale, N.J. |
| 30 | McCourty, Jason | CB | 5-11 | 195 | 8/13/1987 | 10 | Rutgers | Montvale, N.J. |
| 22 | Melifonwu, Obi | DB | 6-4 | 224 | 4/5/1994 | 2 | Connecticut | Grafton, Mass. |
| 26 | Michel, Sony | RB | 5-11 | 215 | 2/17/1995 | R | Georgia | Plantation, Fla. |
| 84 | Patterson, Cordarrelle | WR | 6-2 | 228 | 3/17/1991 | 6 | Tennessee | Rock Hill, S.C. |
| 95 | Rivers, Derek | DE | 6-5 | 250 | 5/9/1994 | 2 | Youngstown State | Kinston, N.C. |
| 52 | Roberts, Elandon | LB | 6-0 | 238 | 4/22/1994 | 3 | Houston | Port Arthur, Texas |
| 71 | Shelton, Danny | DL | 6-2 | 345 | 8/20/1993 | 4 | Washington | Auburn, Wash. |
| 55 | Simon, John | DE | 6-2 | 260 | 10/14/1990 | 6 | Ohio State | Youngstown, OHIO |
| 18 | Slater, Matthew | WR | 6-0 | 205 | 9/9/1985 | 11 | UCLA | Anaheim, Calif. |
| 62 | Thuney, Joe | OL | 6-5 | 308 | 11/18/1992 | 3 | North Carolina State | Centerville, Ohio |
| 53 | Van Noy, Kyle | LB | 6-3 | 250 | 3/26/1991 | 5 | Brigham Young | Reno, Nev. |
| 68 | Waddle, LaAdrian | OL | 6-6 | 315 | 7/21/1991 | 6 | Texas Tech | Columbus, Texas |
| 28 | White, James | RB | 5-10 | 205 | 2/3/1992 | 5 | Wisconsin | Ft. Lauderdale, Fla. |
| 91 | Wise Jr., Deatrich | DL | 6-5 | 275 | 7/26/1994 | 2 | Arkansas | Carrollton, Texas |

## NUMERICAL ROSTER

| \# | NAME | POS |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 2 | Brian Hoyer | QB |
| 3 | Stephen Gostkowski | K |
| 6 | Ryan Allen | P |
| 10 | Josh Gordon | WR |
| 11 | Julian Edelman | WR |
| 12 | Tom Brady | QB |
| 13 | Phillip Dorsett | WR |
| 15 | Chris Hogan | WR |
| 18 | Matthew Slater | WR |
| 21 | Duron Harmon | DB |
| 22 | Obi Melifonwu | DB |
| 23 | Patrick Chung | S |
| 24 | Stephon Gilmore | CB |
| 26 | Sony Michel | RB |
| 27 | J.C. Jackson | DB |
| 28 | James White | RB |
| 29 | Duke Dawson Jr. | DB |
| 30 | Jason McCourty | CB |
| 31 | Jonathan Jones | DB |
| 32 | Devin McCourty | DB |
| 34 | Rex Burkhead | RB |
| 35 | Keion Crossen | DB |
| 36 | Brandon King | LB |
| 43 | Nate Ebner | DB |
| 46 | James Develin | FB |
| 47 | Jacob Hollister | TE |
| 49 | Joe Cardona | LS |
| 50 | Ramon Humber | LB |
| 52 | Elandon Roberts | LB |
| 53 | Kyle Van Noy | LB |
| 54 | Dont'a Hightower | LB |
| 55 | John Simon | DE |
| 58 | Keionta Davis | DL |
| 59 | Albert McClellan | LB |
| 60 | David Andrews | C |
| 61 | Marcus Cannon | OL |
| 62 | Joe Thuney | OL |
| 66 | James Ferentz | OL |
| 68 | LaAdrian Waddle | OL |
| 69 | Shaq Mason | OL |
| 70 | Adam Butler | DL |
| 71 | Danny Shelton | DL |
| 75 | Ted Karras | OL |
| 77 | Trent Brown | OL |
| 83 | Dwayne Allen | TE |
| 84 | Cordarrelle Patterson | WR |
| 87 | Rob Gronkowski | TE |
| 90 | Malcom Brown | DL |
| 91 | Deatrich Wise Jr. | DL |
| 93 | Lawrence Guy | DL |
| 94 | Adrian Clayborn | DE |
| 95 | Derek Rivers | DE |
| 98 | Trey Flowers | DL |

PRACTICE SQUAD

| \# | NAME | POS |
| :---: | :--- | :---: |
| 5 | Danny Etling | QB |
| 17 | Damoun Patterson | WR |
| 42 | Jomal Wiltz | DB |
| 45 | Trent Harris | DL |
| 48 | Calvin Munson | LB |
| 72 | Eric Smith | OL |
| 74 | Cole Croston | OL |
| 80 | Stephen Anderson | TE |
| 92 | Frank Herron | DL |
| 97 | Ufomba Kamalu | DL |

RESERVE/INJURED LIST

| \# | NAME | POS |
| :---: | :--- | :---: |
| 14 | Braxton Berrios | WR |
| 25 | Eric Rowe | DB |
| 33 | Jeremy Hill | RB |
| 44 | Christian Sam | LB |
| 51 | Ja'Whaun Bentley | LB |
| 63 | Brian Schwenke | OL |
| 67 | Ulrick John | OL |
| 76 | Isaiah Wynn | OL |
| 85 | Ryan Izzo | TE |


| PRACTICE SQUAD/IR LIST |  |  |
| :---: | :--- | :---: |
| \# | NAME | POS |
| 17 | Riley McCarron | WR |
|  |  |  |
| RESERVE/NON-FOOTBALL INJURY |  |  |
| \# | NAME | POS |
| 16 | Darren Andrews | WR |
| 81 | Cody Hollister | WR |

[^0]| \# | NAME | POS | HT | WT | AGE | YR | COLLEGE | HOW ACQ. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 2 | Brian Hoyer | QB | 6-2 | 216 | 33 | 10 | Michigan State | FA-17 |
| 3 | Stephen Gostkowski | K | 6-1 | 215 | 34 | 13 | Memphis | D4b-06 |
| 6 | Ryan Allen | P | 6-2 | 220 | 28 | 6 | Louisiana Tech | FA-13 |
| 10 | Josh Gordon | WR | 6-3 | 225 | 27 | 3 | Baylor | TR (CLE)-18 |
| 11 | Julian Edelman | WR | 5-10 | 198 | 32 | 10 | Kent State | D7a-09 |
| 12 | Tom Brady | QB | 6-4 | 225 | 41 | 19 | Michigan | D6b-00 |
| 13 | Phillip Dorsett | WR | 5-10 | 192 | 25 | 4 | Miami (Fla.) | TR (IND)-17 |
| 15 | Chris Hogan | WR | 6-1 | 210 | 31 | 6 | Monmouth | RFA (BUF)-16 |
| 18 | Matthew Slater | WR | 6-0 | 205 | 33 | 11 | UCLA | D5-08 |
| 21 | Duron Harmon | DB | 6-1 | 205 | 27 | 6 | Rutgers | D3b-13 |
| 22 | Obi Melifonwu | DB | 6-4 | 224 | 24 | 2 | Connecticut | FA-18 |
| 23 | Patrick Chung | S | 5-11 | 215 | 31 | 10 | Oregon | FA-14 |
| 24 | Stephon Gilmore | CB | 6-1 | 202 | 28 | 7 | South Carolina | UFA (BUF)-17 |
| 26 | Sony Michel | RB | 5-11 | 215 | 23 | R | Georgia | D1b-18 |
| 27 | J.C. Jackson | DB | 6-1 | 198 | 23 | R | Maryland | FA-18 |
| 28 | James White | RB | 5-10 | 205 | 26 | 5 | Wisconsin | D4b-14 |
| 29 | Duke Dawson Jr. | DB | 5-10 | 198 | 23 | R | Florida | D2-18 |
| 30 | Jason McCourty | CB | 5-11 | 195 | 31 | 10 | Rutgers | TR (CLE)-18 |
| 31 | Jonathan Jones | DB | 5-10 | 190 | 25 | 3 | Auburn | FA-16 |
| 32 | Devin McCourty | DB | 5-10 | 195 | 31 | 9 | Rutgers | D1-10 |
| 34 | Rex Burkhead | RB | 5-10 | 215 | 28 | 6 | Nebraska | UFA (CIN)-17 |
| 35 | Keion Crossen | CB | 5-10 | 185 | 22 | R | Western Carolina | D7b-18 |
| 36 | Brandon King | LB | 6-2 | 220 | 25 | 4 | Auburn | FA-15 |
| 43 | Nate Ebner | DB | 6-0 | 215 | 29 | 7 | Ohio State | D6-12 |
| 46 | James Develin | FB | 6-3 | 255 | 30 | 6 | Brown | FA-12 |
| 47 | Jacob Hollister | TE | 6-4 | 245 | 25 | 2 | Wyoming | FA-17 |
| 49 | Joe Cardona | LS | 6-3 | 245 | 26 | 4 | Navy | D5-15 |
| 50 | Ramon Humber | LB | 5-11 | 232 | 31 | 10 | North Dakota State | FA-18 |
| 52 | Elandon Roberts | LB | 6-0 | 238 | 24 | 3 | Houston | D6b-16 |
| 53 | Kyle Van Noy | LB | 6-3 | 250 | 27 | 5 | Brigham Young | TR (DET)-16 |
| 54 | Dont'a Hightower | LB | 6-3 | 260 | 28 | 7 | Alabama | D1b-12 |
| 55 | John Simon | DE | 6-2 | 260 | 28 | 6 | Ohio State | FA-18 |
| 58 | Keionta Davis | DL | 6-4 | 280 | 24 | 2 | Tennessee-Chattanooga | FA-17 |
| 59 | Albert McClellan | LB | 6-2 | 235 | 32 | 8 | Marshall | FA-18 |
| 60 | David Andrews | C | 6-3 | 300 | 26 | 4 | Georgia | FA-15 |
| 61 | Marcus Cannon | OL | 6-6 | 335 | 30 | 8 | Texas Christian | D5a-11 |
| 62 | Joe Thuney | OL | 6-5 | 308 | 26 | 3 | North Carolina State | D3a-16 |
| 66 | James Ferentz | OL | 6-2 | 300 | 29 | 3 | Iowa | FA-17 |
| 68 | LaAdrian Waddle | OL | 6-6 | 315 | 27 | 6 | Texas Tech | CW (DET)-15 |
| 69 | Shaq Mason | OL | 6-1 | 310 | 25 | 4 | Georgia Tech | D4c-15 |
| 70 | Adam Butler | DL | 6-5 | 300 | 24 | 2 | Vanderbilt | FA-17 |
| 71 | Danny Shelton | DL | 6-2 | 345 | 25 | 4 | Washington | TR (CLE)-18 |
| 75 | Ted Karras | OL | 6-4 | 305 | 25 | 3 | Illinois | D6c-16 |
| 77 | Trent Brown | OL | 6-8 | 380 | 25 | 4 | Florida | TR (SF)-18 |
| 83 | Dwayne Allen | TE | 6-3 | 265 | 28 | 7 | Clemson | TR (IND)-17 |
| 84 | Cordarrelle Patterson | WR | 6-2 | 228 | 27 | 6 | Tennessee | TR (OAK)-18 |
| 87 | Rob Gronkowski | TE | 6-6 | 268 | 29 | 9 | Arizona | D2a-10 |
| 90 | Malcom Brown | DL | 6-2 | 320 | 24 | 4 | Texas | D1-15 |
| 91 | Deatrich Wise Jr. | DL | 6-5 | 275 | 24 | 2 | Arkansas | D4-17 |
| 93 | Lawrence Guy | DL | 6-4 | 315 | 28 | 8 | Arizona State | UFA (BAL)-17 |
| 94 | Adrian Clayborn | DE | 6-3 | 280 | 30 | 8 | Iowa | UFA (ATL)-18 |
| 95 | Derek Rivers | DE | 6-5 | 250 | 24 | 2 | Youngstown State | D3a-17 |
| 98 | Trey Flowers | DL | 6-2 | 265 | 25 | 4 | Arkansas | D4a-15 |


| PRACTICE SQUAD |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | NAME |
| ---: | :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :--- | :--- |
| \# | POS | HT | WT | AGE | YR | COLLEGE | (DATE) |  |
| 5 | Danny Etling | QB | $6-3$ | 225 | 24 | R | Louisiana State | D7a-18 |
| 17 | Damoun Patterson | WR | $6-2$ | 190 | 24 | R | Youngstown State | FA-18 |
| 42 | Jomal Wiltz | DB | $5-10$ | 190 | 24 | 1 | Iowa State | FA-17 |
| 45 | Trent Harris | DL | $6-2$ | 255 | 23 | R | Miami (Fla.) | FA-18 |
| 48 | Calvin Munson | LB | $6-0$ | 243 | 23 | 2 | San Diego State | FA-18 |
| 72 | Eric Smith | OL | $6-4$ | 308 | 23 | 2 | Virginia | FA-18 |
| 74 | Cole Croston | OL | $6-5$ | 310 | 24 | 2 | Iowa | FA-17 |
| 80 | Stephen Anderson | TE | $6-3$ | 230 | 25 | 3 | California | FA-18 |
| 92 | Frank Herron | DL | $6-4$ | 305 | 24 | R | Louisiana State | FA-18 |
| 97 | Ufomba Kamalu | DL | $6-6$ | 295 | 26 | 3 | Miami (Fla.) | FA-18 |

RESERVE/INJURED LIST

| $\#$ | NAME | POS | HT | WT | AGE | YR | COLLEGE | (DATE) |
| :---: | :--- | :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 14 | Braxton Berrios | WR | $5-9$ | 190 | 23 | R | Miami (Fla.) | $(09 / 01 / 2018)$ |
| 25 | Eric Rowe | DB | $6-1$ | 205 | 26 | 4 | Utah | $(10 / 30 / 2018)$ |
| 33 | Jeremy Hill | RB | $6-1$ | 230 | 26 | 5 | Louisiana State | $(09 / 10 / 2018)$ |
| 44 | Christian Sam | LB | $6-2$ | 240 | 22 | R | Arizona State | $(09 / 01 / 2018)$ |
| 51 | Ja'Whaun Bentley | LB | $6-2$ | 255 | 22 | R | Purdue | $(09 / 26 / 2018)$ |
| 63 | Brian Schwenke | OL | $6-3$ | 310 | 27 | 6 | California | $(11 / 6 / 2018)$ |
| 67 | Ulrick John | OL | $6-6$ | 312 | 26 | 5 | Georgia State | $(09 / 01 / 2018)$ |
| 76 | Isaiah Wynn | OL | $6-2$ | 310 | 22 | R | Georgia | $(09 / 01 / 2018)$ |
| 85 | Ryan Izzo | TE | $6-5$ | 255 | 22 | R | Florida State | $(09 / 02 / 2018)$ |

PRACTICE SQUAD/IR LIST

| \# | NAME | POS | HT | WT | AGE | YR | COLLEGE |
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| R | RESERVE/NON-FOOTBALL INJURY |  |  |  | (DATE) |  |  |
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| N | PAME | POS | HT | WT | AGE | YR | COLLEGE |

## 2018 POSITIONAL ROSTER



## How The Patriots Were Built

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| YEAR | DRAFTEES (23) | VETERAN FREE AGENTS (12) | WAIVERS (1) / TRADES (8) | ROOKIE AND FIRST-YEAR FREE AGENTS (9) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 2000 | Tom Brady (6b) |  |  |  |
| 2006 | Stephen Gostkowski (4b) |  |  |  |
| 2008 | Matthew Slater (5) |  |  |  |
| 2009 | Julian Edelman (7a) |  |  |  |
| 2010 | Devin McCourty (1) <br> Rob Gronkowski (2a) |  |  |  |
| 2011 | Marcus Cannon (5a) |  |  |  |
| 2012 | Dont'a Hightower (1b) <br> Nate Ebner (6) |  |  | James Develin (fa) (CIN) |
| 2013 | Duron Harmon (3b) |  |  | Ryan Allen (fa) |
| 2014 | James White (4b) | Patrick Chung (2) (NE) |  |  |
| 2015 | Malcom Brown (1) <br> Trey Flowers (4a) <br> Shaq Mason (4c) <br> Joe Cardona (5) |  | LaAdrian Waddle (fa) CW (DET) | David Andrews (fa) <br> Brandon King (fa) |
| 2016 | Joe Thuney (3a) <br> Elandon Roberts (6b) <br> Ted Karras (6c) | Chris Hogan (fa) (SF) | Kyle Van Noy (2) (tr-DET) | Jonathan Jones (fa) |
| 2017 | Derek Rivers (3a) <br> Deatrich Wise Jr. (4) | Rex Burkhead (6) (CIN) <br> Stephon Gilmore (1) (BUF) <br> Lawrence Guy (7) (GB) <br> Brian Hoyer (fa) (NE) | Dwayne Allen (3) (tr-IND) <br> Phillip Dorsett (1) (tr-IND) | Adam Butler (fa) <br> Keionta Davis (fa) <br> Jacob Hollister (fa) |
| $2018$ | Sony Michel (1b) <br> Duke Dawson Jr. (2) <br> Keion Crossen (7b) | Adrian Clayborn (1) (TB) James Ferentz (fa) (HOU) Ramon Humber (fa) (IND) Albert McClellan (fa) BAL) Obi Melifobwu (2) (OAK) John Simon (4) (BAL) | Trent Brown (7) (tr-SF) <br> Josh Gordon (Sup.-2) (tr-CLE) <br> Jason McCourty (6) (tr-CLE) <br> Cordarrelle Patterson (1) (tr-OAK) <br> Danny Shelton (1) (tr-CLE) | J.C. Jackson (fa) |
| NOTE: Team in parenthesis is the player's original team <br> (\#) - indicates round drafted <br> (fa) - indicates non-drafted free agents |  |  | RESERVE/INJURED LIST | RESERVE/NON-FOOTBALL INJURY |
|  |  |  | Ja'Whaun Bentley (5) | Darren Andrews (fa) |
|  |  |  | Braxton Berrios (6b) <br> Jeremy Hill (2) (CIN) <br> Ryan Izzo (7c) <br> Ulrick John (7) (IND) <br> Eric Rowe (2) (tr-PHI) <br> Christian Sam (6a) <br> Brain Schwenke (4) (TEN) <br> Isaiah Wynn (1a) | Cody Hollister (fa) |

## UNDFFILIAL DEPTH CHART

Unofficial depth chart compiled by Patriots media relations

| OFFENSE |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| WR: 10 Josh Gordon | 15 Chris Hogan | 84 Cordarrelle Patterson |  |
| LT: 77 Trent Brown | 68 LaAdrian Waddle |  |  |
| LG: 62 Joe Thuney | 66 James Ferentz |  |  |
| C: 60 David Andrews | 75 Ted Karras | 66 James Ferentz |  |
| RG: 69 Shaq Mason | 75 Ted Karras |  |  |
| RT: 61 Marcus Cannon | 68 LaAdrian Waddle |  |  |
| TE: 87 Rob Gronkowski | 83 Dwayne Allen | 47 Jacob Hollister |  |
| WR: 11 Julian Edelman | 13 Phillip Dorsett | 18 Matthew Slater |  |
| QB: 12 Tom Brady | 2 Brian Hoyer |  |  |
| RB: 26 Sony Michel | 46 James Develin (FB) |  |  |
| RB: 28 James White | 34 Rex Burkhead |  |  |
| DEFENSE |  |  |  |
| LE: 98 Trey Flowers | 94 Adrian Clayborn | 58 Keionta Davis |  |
| DT: 93 Lawrence Guy | 71 Danny Shelton |  |  |
| DT: 90 Malcom Brown | 70 Adam Butler |  |  |
| RE: 91 Deatrich Wise Jr. | 95 Derek Rivers | 55 John Simon |  |
| LB: 54 Dont'a Hightower | 50 Ramon Humber | 36 Brandon King |  |
| LB: 52 Elandon Roberts | 59 Albert McClellan |  |  |
| LB: 53 Kyle Van Noy | 59 Albert McClellan |  |  |
| RCB: 24 Stephon Gilmore | 31 Jonathan Jones | 22 Obi Melifonwu |  |
| LCB: 30 Jason McCourty | 27 J.C. Jackson | 35 Keion Crossen |  |
| S: 23 Patrick Chung | 21 Duron Harmon | 29 Duke Dawson Jr. |  |
| S: 32 Devin McCourty | 43 Nate Ebner |  |  |
| SPECIAL TEAMS |  |  |  |
| K: 3 Stephen Gostkowski |  |  |  |
| P: 6 Ryan Allen |  |  |  |
| H: 6 Ryan Allen |  |  |  |
| PR: 11 Julian Edelman | 23 Patrick Chung |  |  |
| KR: 84 Cordarrelle Patterson | 18 Matthew Slater | 26 Sony Michel |  |
| LS: 49 Joe Cardona |  |  |  |
| PRONUNCIATION GUIDE |  |  |  |
| Joe Cardona | car-DOAN-a | Ted Karras | CARE-us |
| Keionta Davis | KEY-on-tay | Obi Melifonwu | oh-BEE mell-uf-FAWN-woo |
| Phillip Dorsett | door-SET | Sony Michel | SO-nee mih-SHELL |
| James Ferentz | FAIR-ins | Cordarrelle Patterson | cor-DARE-uhl |
| Stephon Gilmore | steph-AHN | Elandon Roberts | EE-lan-don |
| Stephen Gostkowski | gost-COW-ski | Joe Thuney | TOO-nee |
| Dont'a Hightower | don-TAY | Deatrich Wise Jr. | DEE-tritch |
| Ramon Humber | RUH-moan |  |  |

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## FEBRUARY 2018

2/6/2018 Ferentz, James
2/6/2018 Hollister, Cody
2/6/2018 Jones, David
2/6/2018 King, Jason
2/6/2018 Lewis, Ryan
2/6/2018 McCarron, Riley
2/6/2018 Travis, Demarius
2/6/2018 Tye, Will
2/6/2018 Wiltz, Jomal
MARCH 2018
3/7/2018 Bennett, Martellus
3/7/2018 Reedy, Bernard
3/15/2018 Shelton, Danny
3/15/2018 McCourty, Jason
3/15/2018 Burkhead, Rex
3/17/2018 Clayborn, Adrian
3/17/2018 Hill, Jeremy
3/17/2018 Tobin, Matt
3/19/2018 McClellin Shea
3/19/2018 Patterson, Cordarrelle Acquired Via Trade (Oakland)
3/21/2018 Slater, Matthew $\quad$ Re-signed
3/23/2018 Flowers, Marquis Re-signed
3/26/2018 Waddle, LaAdrian

APRIL 2018
$\begin{array}{ll}4 / 4 / 2018 & \text { Cooks, Brandin } \\ 4 / 4 / 2018 & \text { Bowanko, Luke }\end{array}$
4/4/2018 Niklas, Troy
4/6/2018 Matthews, Jordan
4/24/2018 John, Ulrick
4/26/2018 Wynn, Isaiah
4/26/2018 Michel, Sony
4/27/2018 Brown, Trent
4/27/2018 Dawson Jr., Duke
4/28/2018 Bentley, Ja'Whaun
4/28/2018 Sam, Christian
4/28/2018 Berrios, Braxton
4/28/2018 Etling, Danny
4/28/2018 Crossen, Keion
4/28/2018 Izzo, Ryan
MAY 2018
5/10/2018
5/11/2018
5/11/2018
5/11/2018 Hains, John
5/11/2018 Harris, Trent
5/11/2018 Jackson, J.C
5/11/2018 Lacy, Chris
5/11/2018 Moore, A.J.
5/11/2018 Webb, Ralph
5/11/2018 Wimann, Shane
5/11/2018 Bentley, Ja'Whaun
5/11/2018 Berrios, Braxton
5/11/2018 Crossen, Keion
5/11/2018 Etling, Danny
5/11/2018 Izzo, Ryan
5/11/2018 Sam, Christian
5/11/2018 Garcia, Tony
5/14/2018 Bojorquez, Corey
5/14/2018 Andrews, Darren
5/15/2018 Andrews, Darren
5/16/2018 Dawson Jr., Duke
5/18/2018 King, Jason
5/18/2018
JUNE, 2018
$6 / 22 / 2018$
6/22/2018
JULY 2018
7/23/2018
7/23/2018
7/23/2018
7/23/2018
7/23/2018
7/24/2018
$7 / 24 / 2018$
$7 / 24 / 2018$
7/26/2018
7/27/2018
7/27/201
7/27/2018
7/31/2018 Schwenke, Brain
7/31/2018 Wimann, Shane

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Signed to a future contract Signed to a future contract

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Acquired Via Trade (Cleveland)
Acquired Via Trade (Cleveland)
Re-signed
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Released

Re-signed

Traded to Los Angeles Rams
Signed
Signed
Signed
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Drafted
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Acquired Via Trade (San Francisco)
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Placed on Reserve/Non-Football Injury
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Reserve/Retired
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Signed
Released
Placed on Reserve/Non-Footaball Injury
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Released
Signed
Released

| AUGUST 2018 |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 8/1/2018 | Poggi, Henry | Signed |
| 8/1/2018 | Matthews, Jordan | Released |
| 8/2/2018 | Theaker, Nate | Released |
| 8/3/2018 | Decker, Eric | Signed |
| 8/6/2018 | Mitchell, Malcolm | Released |
| 8/22/2018 | Britt, Kenny | Released |
| 8/27/2018 | Decker, Eric | Released |
| 8/27/2018 | Pleasant, Eddie | Released |
| 8/27/2018 | Farrow, Kenneth | Signed |
| 8/27/2018 | Maye, K.J. | Signed |
| 8/27/2018 | Muhammad, Khalfani | Signed |
| 8/31/2018 | Richards, Jordan | Traded to Atlanta |
| 8/31/2018 | Herron, Frank | Released |
| 8/31/2018 | Lewis, Ryan | Released |
| 8/31/2018 | Lucien, Devin | Released |
| 8/31/2018 | Muhammad, Khalfani | Released |
| 8/31/2018 | Turner, Paul | Released |
| SEPTEMBER 2018 |  |  |
| 9/1/2018 | Berrios, Braxton | Placed on Reserve/Injured |
| 9/1/2018 | John, Ulrick | Placed on Reserve/Injured |
| 9/1/2018 | Sam, Christian | Placed on Reserve/Injured |
| 9/1/2018 | Wynn, Isaiah | Placed on Reserve/Injured |
| 9/1/2018 | Atkins, John | Released |
| 9/1/2018 | Bojorquez, Corey | Released |
| 9/1/2018 | Bolden, Brandon | Released |
| 9/1/2018 | Bowanko, Luke | Released |
| 9/1/2018 | Croston, Cole | Released |
| 9/1/2018 | Etling, Danny | Released |
| 9/1/2018 | Farrow, Kenneth | Released |
| 9/1/2018 | Ferentz, James | Released |
| 9/1/2018 | Flowers, Marquis | Released |
| 9/1/2018 | Gillislee, Mike | Released |
| 9/1/2018 | Harris, Trent | Released |
| 9/1/2018 | Jones, Cyrus | Released |
| 9/1/2018 | King, Jason | Released |
| 9/1/2018 | Langi, Harvey | Released |
| 9/1/2018 | Lee, Eric | Released |
| 9/1/2018 | Maye, K.J. | Released |
| 9/1/2018 | McCarron, Riley | Released |
| 9/1/2018 | Moore, A.J. | Released |
| 9/1/2018 | Poggi, Henry | Released |
| 9/1/2018 | Schwenke, Brian | Released |
| 9/1/2018 | Tobin, Matt | Released |
| 9/1/2018 | Travis, Demarius | Released |
| 9/1/2018 | Tye, Will | Released |
| 9/1/2018 | Valentine, Vincent | Released |
| 9/1/2018 | Webb, Ralph | Released |
| 9/1/2018 | Wiltz, Jomal | Released |
| 9/2/2018 | Darboh, Amara | Claimed off Waivers (SEA) |
| 9/2/2018 | Hansen, Chad | Claimed off Waivers (NYJ) |
| 9/2/2018 | Izzo, Ryan | Placed on Reserve/Injured |
| 9/2/2018 | Croston, Cole | Signed to the practice squad |
| 9/2/2018 | Etling, Danny | Signed to the practice squad |
| 9/2/2018 | Ferentz, James | Signed to the practice squad |
| 9/2/2018 | Harris, Trent | Signed to the practice squad |
| 9/2/2018 | McCarron, Riley | Signed to the practice squad |
| 9/2/2018 | Valentine, Vincent | Signed to the practice squad |
| 9/2/2018 | Webb, Ralph | Signed to the practice squad |
| 9/2/2018 | Wiltz, Jomal | Signed to the practice squad |
| 9/4/2018 | Schwenke, Brian | Signed |
| 9/4/2018 | Darboh, Amara | Released |
| 9/4/2018 | Billingsley, Jace | Signed to the practice squad |
| 9/4/2018 | Smith, Eric | Signed to the practice squad |
| 9/6/2018 | McCarron, Riley | Signed from the practice squad |
| 9/6/2018 | Dawson Jr., Duke | Placed on Reserve/Injured |
| 9/6/2018 | Anderson, Stephen | Signed to the practice squad |
| 9/10/2018 | Hill, Jereemy | Placed on Reserve/Injured |
| 9/10/2018 | Hansen, Chad | Released |
| 9/10/2018 | McCarron, Riley | Released |
| 9/12/2018 | Barner, Kenjon | Signed |
| 9/12/2018 | Coleman, Corey | Signed |
| 9/12/2018 | Fowler III, Bennie | Signed |
| 9/12/2018 | Farrow, Kenneth | Signed to the practice squad |
| 9/12/2018 | Billingsley, Jace | Released from the practice squad |
| 9/15/2018 | Croston, Cole | Signed from the practice squad |
| 9/15/2018 | Fowler III, Bennie | Released |
| 9/15/2018 | McCarron, Riley | Signed to the practice squad |
| 9/17/2018 | Gordon, Josh | Acquired via Trade (Cleveland) |
| 9/17/2018 | Coleman, Corey | Released |
| 9/18/2018 | Billingsley, Jace | Signed to the practice squad |
| 9/18/2018 | McCarron, Riley | Placed on Reserve/Injured |
| 9/19/2018 | Jones, Cyrus | signed from Baltimore practice squad |
| 9/19/2018 | Barner, Kenjon | Released |


| SEPTEMBER 2018 (continued) |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 9/20/2018 | Coleman, Corey | Signed to the practice squad |
| 9/20/2018 | Farrow, Kenneth | Released from the practice squad |
| 9/26/2018 | Barner, Kenjon | Signed |
| 9/26/2018 | Simon, John | Signed |
| 9/26/2018 | Bentley, Ja'Whaun | Placed on Reserve/Injured |
| 9/26/2018 | Burkhead, Rex | Placed on Reserve/Injured |
| 9/26/2018 | Jones, David | Signed to the practice squad |
| 9/26/2018 | Bilingsley, Jace | Released from the practice squad |
| 9/29/2018 | Coleman, Corey | Released from the practice squad |
| OCTOBER 2018 |  |  |
| 10/4/2018 | Edelman, Julian | Activated to the 53-man roster |
| 10/4/2018 | Barner, Kenyon | Released |
| 10/6/2018 | Jones, Cyrus | Released |
| 10/8/2018 | Barner, Kenyon | Signed |
| 10/8/2018 | Herron, Frank | Signed to the practice squad |
| 10/8/2018 | Munson, Calvin | Signed to the practice squad |
| 10/8/2018 | Valentine, Vincent | Released from the practice squad |
| 10/8/2018 | Webb, Ralph | Released from the practice squad |
| 10/9/2018 | Farrow, Kenneth | Signed to the practice squad |
| 10/30/2018 | Rowe, Eric | Placed on Reserve/Injured |
| NOVEMBER 2018 |  |  |
| 11/3/2018 | Ferentz, James | Signed from the practice squad |
| 11/5/2018 | Kamalu, Ufomba | Signed to the practice squad |
| 11/6/2018 | McClellan, Albert | Signed |
| 11/6/2018 | Melifonwu, Obi | Signed |
| 11/6/2018 | Schwenke, Brian | Placed on Reserve/Injured |
| 11/6/2018 | Croston, Cole | Released |
| 11/6/2018 | Grissom, Geneo | Released |
| 11/6/2018 | Farrow, Kenneth | Released from the practice squad |
| 11/7/2018 | Tobin, Matt | Signed |
| 11/7/2018 | Ferguson, Josh | Signed to the practice squad |
| 11/8/2018 | Croston, Cole | Signed to the practice squad |
| 11/8/2018 | Jones, David | Released from the practice squad |
| 11/9/2018 | Patterson, Damoun | Signed to the practice squad |
| 11/9/2018 | Ferguson, Josh | Released from the practice squad |
| 11/13/2018 | Dawson Jr., Duke | Activated to the 53-man roster |
| 11/13/2018 | Barner, Kenjon | Released |
| 11/13/2018 | Grigsby, Nicholas | Released |
| 11/14/2018 | Humber, Ramon | Signed |
| 11/26/2018 | Burkhead, Rex | Activated to the 53-man roster |
| 11/26/2018 | Tobin, Matt | Released |

## SERIES HISTORY

The New England Patriots and Miami Dolphins will square off for the second time in 2018. The Patriots beat Miami, 38-7, at Gillette Stadium on Sept. 30. The Patriots have swept the season series 10 times and will look for their 11th series sweep and their first since 2016 with a win this week in South Florida. The Patriots are 4-15 at Miami in the month of December.

Last season, the teams split the annual series with the Patriots taking a 35-17 win at Gillette Stadium on Nov. 26, 2017, and the Dolphins winning the rematch at Miami on Dec. 11, 2017, with a 27-20 victory on Monday Night Football.

The Patriots have had the upper hand at home against Miami, holding a 35-17 record in games played in New England in the regular season, including a 15-2 record at Gillette Stadium. But the Patriots are 16-37 alltime in Miami, including two postseason contests. Miami beat New England at Gillette Stadium for the first time in the final game of the 2005 season, when Patriots starting QB Tom Brady was pulled from action after the first quarter. Miami also beat the Patriots, 38-13, at Gillette Stadium, on Sept. 21, 2008, when Tom Brady was on injured reserve.

The Dolphins and Patriots met for the first time in 1966 and began playing twice a year during the 1967 regular season, except in 1982 during a players' strike.

The two have played three times in the postseason with New England holding a 2-1 advantage.

## SARIES BREAKDOWN

## MIAMI 54, NEW ENGLAND 52

(Including New England 2, Miami 1 in Playoffs)
Record in New England
36-17 (Incl. 1-0 in playoffs)
Record in Foxborough
Record in Boston
34-15 (1-0)
16-37 (Incl. 1-1 in playoffs)
Record in Miami
Record at Dolphins / Pro Player / Joe Robbie/ Sun Life 12-19 Record at Orange Bowl 3-18 (1-1)
Record in Tampa*
Season Sweeps
Patriots 10, Dolphins 13
Season Splits
Bill Belichick vs. Miami
27 (Most recent 2017)
*A Miami home game was played in Tampa in 1969.

## TALE OF THE TAPE

| 2018 Regular Season | New England <br> Record | Miami <br> $6-3$ |
| :--- | :--- | ---: |
| Divisional Standings | 1 st | 2 nd |
| Total Yards Gained | 4,741 | 3,625 |
| Total Offense (Rank) | $395.1(7)$ | $302.1(29)$ |
| Rush Offense | $121.7(11)$ | $102.7(24)$ |
| Pass Offense | $273.4(9)$ | $199.4(28)$ |
| Points Per Game | $27.6(7)$ | $20.3(25)$ |
| Total Yards Allowed | 4,430 | 4,793 |
| Total Defense (Rank) | $369.2(22)$ | $399.4(29)$ |
| Rush Defense | $106.7(13)$ | $144.7(30)$ |
| Pass Defense | $262.5(24)$ | $254.8(21)$ |
| Points Allowed/Game | $21.6(9 T)$ | $25.0(20)$ |
| Possession Avg. | $30: 26$ | $28: 12$ |
| Sacks Allowed/Yards Lost | $16 / 111$ | $31 / 247$ |
| Sacks Made/Yards | $19 / 147$ | $20 / 142$ |
| Total Touchdowns Scored | 38 | 28 |
| Penalties Against/Yards | $65 / 529$ | $79 / 718$ |
| Punts/Avg. | $46 / 45.8$ | $64 / 45.5$ |
| Turnover Differential | $+6(10 \mathrm{~T})$ | $+8(7 \mathrm{~T})$ |

## QUICK HHS

- Since Bill Belichick became Patriots head coach in 2000, New England is 24-13 (.649) against Miami.
- Since 2000, the Patriots are 86-29 (.747) against AFC East opponents. New England is 24-13 against the Dolphins over that span, 2710 against the New York Jets and 32-5 against the Buffalo Bills. The Patriots were 3-1 against Indianapolis from 2000 through 2001 when they were in the AFC East.
- The Patriots have not been swept in their season series with a divisional opponent since 2000, when they lost both games to Miami and also to the New York Jets.


## TOM BRADY VS. MIAMI

Tom Brady is scheduled to start at quarterback against Miami for the 32 nd time in his career and has compiled a 22-10 record against the Dolphins. Brady is 79-19 in his career as a starter in the regular season against AFC East opponents, with 10 of the 19 losses coming to the Dolphins. One of those losses was in the final game of the 2005 season, when Brady was pulled after the first quarter.

| DATE | H/A | ATT | CMP | P YDS | \% | TD | INT | RT |  | SCORE |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 10/07/01 | A | 24 | 12 | 86 | 50.0 | 0 | 0 | 58.7 | L | 10-30 |
| 12/22/01 | H | 19 | 11 | 108 | 57.9 | 1 | 0 | 91.6 | W | 20-13 |
| 10/06/02 | A | 31 | 17 | 240 | 54.8 | 2 | 2 | 74.7 | L | 13-26 |
| 12/29/02 | H | 44 | 25 | 221 | 56.8 | 1 | 1 | 68.5 | W | 27-24 |
| 10/19/03 | A | 34 | 24 | 283 | 70.6 | 2 | 0 | 115.2 | W | 19-13 |
| 12/07/03 | H | 31 | 16 | 163 | 51.6 | 0 | 0 | 67.0 | W | 12-0 |
| 10/10/04 | H | 19 | 7 | 76 | 36.8 | 2 | 1 | 62.6 | W | 24-10 |
| 12/20/04 | A | 29 | 18 | 171 | 62.1 | 3 | 4 | 73.3 | L | 28-29 |
| 11/13/05 | A | 36 | 21 | 275 | 58.3 | 2 | 2 | 77.9 | W | 23-16 |
| 01/01/06* | H | 8 | 3 | 37 | 37.5 | 1 | 1 | 52.6 | L | 26-28 |
| 10/08/06 | H | 29 | 16 | 140 | 55.2 | 2 | 0 | 91.2 | W | 20-10 |
| 12/10/06 | A | 25 | 12 | 78 | 48.0 | 0 | 0 | 55.1 | L | 0-21 |
| 10/21/07 | A | 25 | 21 | 354 | 84.0 | 6 | 0 | 158.3 | W | 49-28 |
| 12/23/07 | H | 33 | 18 | 215 | 54.5 | 3 | 2 | 79.7 | W | 28-7 |
| 11/08/09 | H | 37 | 25 | 332 | . 676 | 1 | 1 | 93.5 | W | 27-17 |
| 12/06/09 | A | 29 | 19 | 352 | 65.5 | 2 | 2 | 101.5 | L | 21-22 |
| 10/04/10 | A | 24 | 19 | 153 | 79.2 | 1 | 0 | 107.1 | W | 41-14 |
| 01/02/11 | H | 16 | 10 | 199 | 62.5 | 2 | 0 | 145.6 | W | 38-7 |
| 09/12/11 | A | 48 | 32 | 517 | 66.7 | 4 | 1 | 121.6 | W | 38-24 |
| 12/24/11 | H | 46 | 27 | 304 | 58.7 | 1 | 0 | 85.8 | W | 27-24 |
| 12/02/12 | A | 40 | 24 | 238 | 60.0 | 1 | 1 | 74.8 | W | 23-16 |
| 12/30/12 | H | 36 | 22 | 284 | 61.1 | 2 | 0 | 104.4 | W | 28-0 |
| 10/27/13 | H | 22 | 13 | 116 | 59.1 | 1 | 1 | 69.5 | W | 27-17 |
| 12/14/13 | A | 55 | 34 | 364 | 61.8 | 2 | 1 | 85.7 | L | 20-24 |
| 09/07/14 | A | 56 | 29 | 249 | 51.8 | 1 | 0 | 69.7 | L | 20-33 |
| 12/14/14 | H | 35 | 21 | 287 | 60.0 | 2 | 1 | 93.4 | W | 41-13 |
| 10/29/15 | H | 38 | 26 | 456 | 68.4 | 4 | 0 | 133.2 | W | 36-7 |
| 01/03/16 | A | 21 | 12 | 134 | 57.1 | 0 | 0 | 76.3 | L | 10-20 |
| 01/01/17 | A | 33 | 25 | 276 | 758 | 3 | 0 | 130.4 | W | 35-14 |
| 11/26/17 | H | 28 | 18 | 227 | 64.3 | 4 | 1 | 114.1 | W | 35-17 |
| 12/11/17 | A | 43 | 24 | 233 | 55.8 | 1 | 2 | 59.5 | L | 20-27 |
| 09/30/18 | H | 35 | 23 | 274 | 65.7 | 3 | 2 | 94.2 | W | 38-7 |
| TOTALS |  | 029 | 6247 | 7,342 | 60.6 | 60 | 26 | 91.3 |  | 22-10 |

*Played the first quarter only.

## 2018 FIRST MAETING: PATRIOTS 35, DOLPHINS 7

## SEPTEMBER 30, 2018 • GILLETTE STADIUM

|  | $\mathbf{1}$ | $\mathbf{2}$ | $\mathbf{3}$ | $\mathbf{4}$ | Final |
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| Miami Dolphins | 0 | 0 | 0 | 7 | 7 |
| New England Patriots | 3 | 21 | 7 | 7 | 38 |

The New England Patriots got back in the win column with a 38-7 victory over the Miami Dolphins at Gillette Stadium. The victory was the 300th win overall for Robert Kraft. Kraft reached the milestone in his 25th NFL season and his 432 nd game, the fastest any owner has reached that mark. Pat Bowlen of Denver reached 300 career wins in 30 seasons and 501 games, while AI Davis of Oakland accomplished the feat in 31 seasons and 495 games.

QB Tom Brady threw for 274 yards and three touchdowns to improve to 14-0 against Miami at Gillette Stadium in games that he has started and finished. The Patriots lost the final game of the season against Miami at Gillette in 2005 when Brady played only the first quarter.

The Patriots contributed on both sides of the ball. The offense produced big plays with a 55-yard touchdown pass from Brady to WR Cordarrelle Patterson, and RB James White added a 22-yard touchdown run and a 14-yard touchdown reception. Rookie RB Sony Michel gained 112 yards on 25 carries for his first 100-yard game and also scored on a 10-yard touchdown run in the fourth quarter.

The Patriots defense held Miami to 11 first downs and just 172 total yards of offense. Miami QB Ryan Tannehill was limited to 11 completions on 20 attempts for 100 yards.

After converting a field goal on their first offensive drive of the game for a 3-0 first quarter lead, the Patriots offense generated a 21-point second quarter to take a commanding 24-0 halftime lead. Patterson scored on the 55-yard touchdown pass for a 10-0 lead. Then midway through the second quarter, Tannehill fumbled a snap and LB Kyle Van Noy recovered the ball at the Miami 22-yard line. On the ensuing play, White scored on a 22-yard touchdown run for a 17-0 lead. New England closed out the first half with a 15-play, 85-yard drive that took 5:31 off the clock before Brady connected with WR Phillip Dorsett on a 9-yard touchdown for a 24-0 lead.

The Patriots added two touchdowns in the second half with a 14yard touchdown pass to White and a 10-yard touchdown run by Michel to make it 38-0. Miami scored a touchdown with under three minutes to play to avoid the shutout.

## CONN=CTIONS

## NEW ENGLAND TIES

- Dolphins LB Kiko Alonso was born in Newton, Mass.
- Miami associate head coach/special teams coordinator Darren Rizzi played at the University of Rhode Island from 1988-91 and later returned to the school to coach, in addition to coaching stints at New Haven and Northeastern.
- Dolphins general manager Chris Grier is a native of Holliston, Mass., and attended the University of Massachusetts-Amherst, where he played football for two seasons.
- Head strength and conditioning coach Dave Puloka played for Holy Cross from 1997-2000.
- Dolphins defensive coordinator Matt Burke coached at both Boston College (2000-02) and Harvard (2003) before moving to the NFL ranks. Burke is from Hudson, Mass. and got his coaching start at Bridgton Academy in Maine as the secondary coach.
- Miami tight ends coach Shane Day coached the quarterbacks at Connecticut from 2012-13.
- Dolphins assistant wide receivers coach Ben Johnson worked at Boston College from 2009-11.
- Miami defensive quality control coach Rusty McKinney coached at Bentley College in Waltham, Mass. for five seasons (2009-13) and also spent 2009 at St. Anselm College in Manchester, N.H.
- Dolphins executive vice president of football operations Mike Tannenbaum is from Needham, Mass. and attended the University of Massachusetts-Amherst.
- Miami assistant strength and conditioning coach Jim Arthur is from Cheshire, Conn. and was a coaching intern at Boston College in 2002. He also attended Springfield College and was a graduate assistant there from 2000-2001.
- Miami defensive backs coach Tony Oden worked as a graduate assistant at Boston College in 1997.


## SOUTH FLORIDA TIES

- Patriots WR Phillip Dorsett and Patriots RB James White are from Ft. Lauderdale, Fla., and were teammates together at St. Thomas Aquinas High School. Dorsett went on to attend the University of Miami from 2011-14, where he ended his career ranked eighth in school history in receptions $(121)$, receiving yards $(2,132)$ and touchdowns (17).
- Patriots RB Sony Michel is from Plantation, Fla. and was the USA Today Florida Football Player of the Year in 2013 after rushing for 1,833 yards and 24 touchdowns.
- Patriots DB J.C. Jackson hails from Immokalee, Fla. and totaled 3,109 yards and 31 touchdowns during his career at Immokalee High School.
- In 2014, Patriots tight ends coach Nick Caley was the secondary coach at Florida Atlantic University, located in Boca Raton, Fla.


## FORMER PATRIOTS

- Dolphins WR Danny Amendola signed with the Patriots as a free agent in 2013 and played in New England through 2017. He was part of two Super Bowl Championships and totaled 230 receptions for 2,383 yards and 12 touchdowns in his time in New England.
- Dolphins RB Brandon Bolden signed with the Patriots as a rookie free agent in 2012 and played in New England through 2017, rushing for 912 yards and six touchdowns. He also had 47 receptions for 373 yards and two scores and played a key role in special teams.
- Miami TE A.J. Derby was originally selected by the New England Patriots in the sixth round (202nd overall) of the 2015 NFL Draft. He spent his rookie season on the Patriots Injured/Reserve list before appearing in four games for New England in the beginning of 2016.
- Dolphins C/G Ted Larsen was drafted by the Patriots in the seventh round (205th overall) of the 2010 NFL Draft and released prior to the start of the regular season.


## CONNECTIONS

- Dolphins general manager Chris Grier began his NFL career as an intern for the Patriots in 1994. The following year, he became a regional scout for the team and served in that capacity until joining the Dolphins in 2000. His father, Bobby Grier, was the vice president of player personnel for the Patriots from 1995-1999.
- Miami assistant head coach/offense Shawn Jefferson played for the Patriots from 1996-99 and started 61-of-63 games played at New England.
- Miami assistant defensive line coach Andre Carter played for the Patriots in 2011 and 2013.


## FORMER DOLPHINS

- None.


## FORMER NFL TEAMMATES

- Dolphins executive vice president of football operations Mike Tannenbaum worked for the Jets as director of player contracts when Patriots head coach Bill Belichick was assistant head coach/secondary for New York.
- Dolphins head coach Adam Gase was hired by Patriots offensive coordinator/quarterbacks Josh McDaniels in 2009 when McDaniels took over head coaching duties in Denver. Gase coached the Broncos wide receivers from 2009-10 under McDaniels' tutelage. McDaniels also coached Dolphins assistant defensive backs coach Renaldo Hill and offensive line coach Chris Kuper when they played for the Broncos from 2009-10. Finally, Dolphins run game coordinator/running backs coach Eric Studesville coached the running backs for Denver in 2010.
- Patriots CB Stephon Gilmore, WR Chris Hogan and LB Ramon Humber played with Dolphins LB Kiko Alonso, TE MarQueis Gray and T Sam Young at Buffalo.
- Patriots running backs coach Ivan Fears coached the wide receivers at Chicago while Dolphins run game coordinator/running backs coach Eric Studesville was the offensive quality control coach for the Bears from 1997-98.
- Patriots QB Brian Hoyer shared the Bears quarterback room with Dolphins QB David Fales in 2016. Dolphins C/G Ted Larsen also played with Hoyer at Chicago that year and Dolphins offensive coordinator Dowell Loggains worked as offensive coordinator for the Bears.
- Miami offensive coordinator Dowell Loggains coached the quarterbacks in Cleveland in 2014 when Patriots QB Brian Hoyer and WR Josh Gordon played for the Browns. Dolphins defensive quality control coach Rusty McKinney was a coaching intern in Cleveland at the time and also coached DL Danny Shelton.
- Patriots QB Brian Hoyer and WR Josh Gordon were teammates with Dolphins TE MarQueis Gray at Cleveland in 2013.
- Dolphins C/G Ted Larsen played with Patriots DE Adrian Clayborn for Tampa Bay from 2011-13. Miami DT Akeem Spence also played with Clayborn from 2013-14.
- Dolphins WR Danny Amendola and DE Robert Quinn played for the Rams while Patriots offensive coordinator Josh McDaniels was the offensive coordinator and quarterbacks coach in 2011. Additionally, Patriots defensive line coach Brendan Daly worked in the same role for the Rams from 2009-11.
- Miami RB Frank Gore played for Indianapolis with Patriots TE Dwayne Allen and WR Phillip Dorsett from 2015-16.
- Patriots director of pro personnel Dave Ziegler was in Denver's scouting department in 2012 when the Broncos selected Dolphins QB Brock Osweiler.
- Patriots LB Kyle Van Noy and OL LaAdrian Waddle played with Dolphins C Travis Swanson on Detroit.
- Patriots DB Jason McCourty played for Tennessee while Dolphins assistant coach/linebackers coach Frank Bush coached the linebackers from 2011-12.


## CONN=CTIONS

- Miami assistant head coach/offense Shawn Jefferson coached the wide receivers and offensive coordinator Dowell Loggains was the offensive coordinator for Tennessee while Patriots DB Jason McCourty played for the Titans.
- Dolphins assistant special teams coach Marwan Maalouf was the special teams coordinator in Indianapolis in 2012 when Patriots TE Dwayne Allen and DL Lawrence Guy played for the Colts.
- Patriots director of college scouting Monti Ossenfort worked in the scouting department in Houston while Dolphins defensive backs coach Tony Oden was a defensive assistant and assistant defensive backs coach for the Texans.
- Dolphins defensive backs coach Tony Oden coached the secondary and cornerbacks for Tampa Bay in 2013 while Patriots DE Adrian Clayborn played for the Buccaneers.
- Oden also coached the defensive backs and cornerbacks in Detroit with Patriots OL LaAdrian Waddle and LB Kyle Van Noy. Dolphins offensive line coach Jeremiah Washburn also coached in Detroit as an assistant offensive line coach.
- Finally, Oden coached at New Orleans while Patriots LB Ramon Humber played for the Saints.


## FORMER COLLEGE TEAMMATES

- Patriots RB James White teamed up with Dolphins WR Tanner McEvoy at Wisconsin in 2013.
- Patriots TE Dwayne Allen played with Dolphins DE Andre Branch and LB Stephone Anthony at Clemson.
- Patriots DB Duron Harmon played with Dolphins WR Leonte Carroo at Rutgers in 2012.
- Patriots RB Rex Burkhead played with Dolphins T Zach Sterup at Nebraska in 2012.
- Dolphins LB Kiko Alonso played with Patriots S Patrick Chung (2008) at Oregon.
- Patriots RB Sony Michel played at Georgia with Dolphins S Maurice Smith in 2016.
- Dolphins associate head coach/special teams coordinator Darren Rizzi coached in a variety of roles at Rutgers when Patriots DBs Devin and Jason McCourty played for the Scarlet Knights.
- Miami TE A.J. Derby and C Travis Swanson played for Arkansas with Patriots DL Trey Flowers and DL Deatrich Wise Jr. Derby and Swanson also played under Patriots consultant to the head coach Bret Bielema while Bielema was head coach of the Razorbacks.
- Patriots WR Cordarrelle Patterson played with Dolphins OT Ja'Wuan James at Tennessee in 2012.
- Dolphins WR Tanner McEvoy redshirted at South Carolina in 2011 when Patriots CB Stephon Gilmore played for the Gamecocks. McEvoy's brother, Colin, played at Rutgers with Patriots DBs Devin McCourty, Jason McCourty and Duron Harmon.
- Patriots DL Lawrence Guy played with Dolphins QB Brock Osweiler at Arizona State from 2009-10.
- Patriots OL Ted Karras played with Dolphins DT Akeem Spence for Illinois in 2012.
- Patriots coaching assistant DeMarcus Covington was at Mississippi as a defensive graduate assistant with Dolphins OT Laremy Tunsil from 2013-14.
- Patriots DL Adam Butler played with Dolphins C Wesley Johnson at Vanderbilt from 2012-13.
- Patriots DE Adrian Clayborn played for Iowa while Dolphins assistant linebackers coach Charlie Bullen worked as a student assistant and graduate assistant for the Hawkeyes from 2007-10.


# PATRIOTS what Tolow for HW week 

## TEAM

## IF THE PATRIOTS WIN...

- The Patriots will clinch the 2018 AFC East title, extending their own NFL record to 10-straight division titles (2009-18). It will be the team's 18th division title since Robert Kraft purchased the team in 1994.

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    New England
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Pittsburgh ..... 13
Green Bay ..... 12
Indianapolis ..... 10

- The Patriots will qualify for the playoffs for the 26th time in the team's 59 -year history, with 20 of those playoff berths coming in Robert Kraft's 25 seasons of ownership, compared to the team's six playoff appearances in the team's prior 34 years of existence.
- The Patriots will earn their 15th division title since realignment in 2002, which is the most in the NFL during that span. Green Bay and Indianapolis are tied for second with nine division titles since 2002.
- The Patriots will secure a playoff appearance for an NFL record 10th straight season (2009-18). They are currently tied with Dallas (1975-83) and Indianapolis (2002-10) for the most consecutive playoff berths in NFL history with nine. The Patriots are the only team in the NFL to have made the playoffs in each of the last nine seasons.

| MOST CONSECUTIVE PLAYOFF SEASONS IN NFL HISTORY |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Cons. Seasons | Years <br> Team <br> New England Patriots | $\mathbf{9}$ |
| Dallas Cowboys | 9 | $\mathbf{2 0 0 9 - 1 7}$ |
| Indianapolis Colts | 9 | $1975-83$ |
| Green Bay Packers | 8 | $2002-10$ |
| Pittsburgh Steelers | 8 | $2009-16$ |
| Los Angles Rams | 8 | $1972-79$ |
| Dallas Cowboys | 8 | $1973-80$ |
| San Francisco 49ers | 8 | $1966-73$ |
| Houston Oilers | 7 | $1983-90$ |
| San Francisco 49ers | 7 | $1987-93$ |
|  |  | $1992-98$ |

- New England will earn its 10th win of the year, tying San Francisco (1983-98) for the most consecutive seasons with at least 10 wins with 16.
- The Patriots will sweep Miami in division play for the 11th time in franchise history.
- The Patriots own an NFL-best record of 84-23 (.787) in regular season division games and can improve that mark with a win against the Dolphins.

| NFL'S TOP DIVISIONAL RECORDS | SINCE 2001 |  |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Team | $\mathbf{W}$ | $\boldsymbol{L}$ | $\boldsymbol{T}$ | $\boldsymbol{P c t .}$ |
| New England | $\mathbf{8 4}$ | $\mathbf{2 3}$ | $\mathbf{0}$ | $\mathbf{. 7 8 7}$ |
| Pittsburgh | 78 | 32 | 1 | .707 |
| Indianapolis | 74 | 34 | 0 | .685 |
| Green Bay | 72 | 34 | 2 | .676 |

AFC EAST DIVISIONAL RECORDS SINCE 2001

| Team | $\boldsymbol{W}$ | $\boldsymbol{L}$ | $\boldsymbol{T}$ | Pct. | Div. Titles | Years |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | ---: |
| New England | $\mathbf{8 4}$ | $\mathbf{2 3}$ | $\mathbf{0}$ | . $\mathbf{. 7 8 7}$ | $\mathbf{1 5}$ | $\mathbf{2 0 0 1 , 0 3 - 0 7 , ~ 0 9 - 1 7}$ |
| N.Y. Jets | 47 | 61 | 0 | .435 | 1 |  |
| Miami | 46 | 62 | 0 | .426 | 1 | 2002 |
| Buffalo | 39 | 68 | 0 | .364 | 0 | 2008 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  | --- |

- The Patriots will continue to improve their winning percentage versus division opponents from November until the end of the season since realignment in 2002.

BEST LATE-SEASON WINNING PERCENTAGE
VS. DIVISION OPPONENTS SINCE 2002

| Team | $\boldsymbol{W}$ | $\boldsymbol{L}$ | $\boldsymbol{T}$ | Pct. |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| New England | $\mathbf{4 3}$ | $\mathbf{1 2}$ | $\mathbf{0}$ | $\mathbf{. 7 8 2}$ |
| Indianapolis | 43 | 16 | 0 | .729 |
| Pittsburgh | 46 | 18 | 0 | .719 |

## TEAM

## IF THE PATRIOTS WIN... (CONT'D)

- The Patriots will improve to 108-29 (.788) since 2001 on or after Thanksgiving (regular and postseason). That is the best record in the NFL during that time by more than 20 wins.


## BEST RECORDS ON OR AFTER THANKSGIVING

 SINCE 2001 (INCLUDING PLAYOFFS)| Team | $\boldsymbol{W}$ | $\boldsymbol{L}$ | $\boldsymbol{T}$ | Pct. |
| :--- | ---: | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| New England | $\mathbf{1 0 7}$ | $\mathbf{2 9}$ | $\mathbf{0}$ | $\mathbf{. 7 8 7}$ |
| Pittsburgh | 85 | 39 | 0 | .685 |
| Green Bay | 76 | 48 | 0 | .613 |
| Seattle | 74 | 49 | 0 | .602 |
| Indianapolis | 72 | 49 | 0 | .595 |

- The Patriots will earn their 102nd win on the road since 2000, improving to 102-49 (.675). They will also improve to 125-74 (.628) on the road since 1994 when Robert Kraft purchased the team, which is the best regular-season road record in the NFL in that time.

BEST ROAD RECORDS SINCE 1994

| Team | $\boldsymbol{W}$ | $\boldsymbol{L}$ | $\boldsymbol{T}$ | Pct. |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| New England | $\mathbf{1 2 4}$ | $\mathbf{7 4}$ | $\mathbf{0}$ | .626 |
| Pittsburgh | 112 | 85 | 1 | .568 |

## WHAT TO LOOK FOR..

- The Patriots defense has not allowed a 300-yard passer in five-straight games. They also have not allowed a 100-yard rusher in nine-straight games, dating back to Week 3 against the Lions.
- The Patriots have scored 115 points in the second quarter this season, which is tied for sixth in the NFL. If they score in the second quarter this week against the Dolphins it will be the 41st consecutive game that they have scored in the second quarter. The last time the Patriots did not score in the second quarter was Oct. 2, 2016, vs. Buffalo, when they were shutout 16-0 by the Bills.
- Since 2001, the Patriots are 91-12 (.883) when they don't turn the ball over and 145-12 (.924) with a positive turnover margin.
- Patriots opponents have started 13 drives in the final two minutes of the first or second half and the New England defense has held its opponents scoreless in 11-of-13 tries.


## BILL BJLICHICK

## IF THE PATRIOTS WIN..

- Bill Belichick will qualify for the playoffs for the 17th time as a head coach, a mark that ranks second in NFL history behind the 19 postseason appearances by Tom Landry and Don Shula
- Bill Belichick will claim his 10th consecutive division title and his 16th division title overall, extending both NFL records. For overall division titles, Don Shula and Tom Landry are tied for second with 13 division crowns. In consecutive division titles, four other coaches are tied for second with six-straight division crowns.
- Bill Belichick can earn his 16th straight 10-win season, extending his own NFL record. George Seifert is second with eight 10-win seasons (1989-96).
- Bill Belichick will break a tie with Tom Landry for second-most wins against division opponents amongst all head coaches since 1970

| HEAD COACHES WITH THE MOST WINS |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| AGAINST DIVISION OPPONENTS SINCE 1970 |  |  |
| Head Coach | Team(s) | Division Wins |
| Don Shula | MIA | 132 |
| Bill Belichick | CLE/NE | 101 |
| Tom Landry | DAL | 101 |

Bill Belichick will improve his all-time regular-season record against the AFC East as head coach of the Patriots to 87-29 (.750) and raise his mark against the Dolphins to 25-13 (.658).

- Bill Belichick will improve to 66-13 (.835) with the Patriots in December, which is the best record in December among head coaches with one team in NFL history (min. 25 games). George Seifert is second (27-6, .818)


## TOM BRADY

## IF THE PATRIOTS WIN...

- Tom Brady will lead the Patriots to their 10th-straight division title, extending the NFL record for a quarterback. It will also be Brady's 16th division title overall, also an NFL record.


## MOST CONSECUTIVE DIVISION TITLES BY A STARTING QB



## NFL RECORD FOR MOST DIVISION TITLES BY A QB Tom Brady. .15 <br> Peyton Manning <br> ..... 12 <br> Joe Montana <br> .....  9 <br> Brett Favre <br> ..... 8 <br> Terry Bradshaw. <br> ..... 7 <br> John Elway <br> ..... 7

- Tom Brady will lead the Patriots to his 15 th 10 -win season as a starter, moving out of a tie with Peyton Manning (14) for the most such seasons in the Super Bowl era.
- Tom Brady will extend his own record for most career wins in NFL history to 233 victories (regular and postseason).

| MOST CAREER WINS IN NFL HISTORY |  |
| :---: | :---: |
| (REGULAR AND POSTSEASON) |  |
| Player | Wins |
| Tom Brady | 232 |
| Adam Vinatieri | 231 |
| George Blanda | 218 |
| Jerry Rice | 211 |

- Tom Brady will hold a 77-18 record (.811) in regular-season games played on or after Thanksgiving.
- Tom Brady will improve to 60-11 (.845) in December, the second-best winning percentage in December among quarterbacks in the Super Bowl era. Roger Staubach is first (17-3, .850). Brady's 59 December wins are already the most in NFL history, followed by 52 by Brett Favre and 49 by Peyton Manning.
- Tom Brady will earn his 80th victory against the AFC East, improving his mark as a starter in division play to 80-19 (.808). By contrast, of the 31 other quarterbacks that started in Week 13, 25 of them have yet to win 80 regular season games total.
- Tom Brady will earn his 23rd regular-season victory against the Dolphins, improving his record as a starter to 23-10 (.697). He is the only quarterback in NFL history to have at least 22 wins against three different teams.

| MOST WINS BY A STARTING QUARTERBACK |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | ---: |
| AGAINST AN OPPONENT |  |  |
| Player | Wins | Opponent |
| Tom Brady | $\mathbf{2 9}$ | Buffalo |
| Tom Brady | $\mathbf{2 6}$ | N.Y. Jets |
| Brett Favre | 26 | Detroit |
| Brett Favre | 23 | Chicago |
| Ben Roethlisberger | 23 | Cleveland |
| Tom Brady | 22 | Miami |
| Dan Marino | 22 | Indianapolis |
| Ben Roethlisberger | 22 | Cincinnati |

- Tom Brady will earn his 93rd road victory in the regular season, extending his own NFL record. Peyton Manning is second with 85 road wins.


## TOM BRADY

## IF THE PATRIOTS WIN... (CONT'D)

- It will mark the 206th regular-season win of Tom Brady's career. He is currently in third place for most regular-season wins in NFL history.


## MOST REGULAR-SEASON WINS IN NFL HISTORY <br> Wins <br> Adam Vinatieri 211 <br> George Blanda 209 <br> Tom Brady 205 <br> Gary Anderson 201

## WHAT TO LOOK FOR...

- With one touchdown pass, Tom Brady will break a tie with Peyton Manning and take sole possession of first place in NFL history for most career touchdowns passes all-time (regular and postseason). Brady already owns the NFL record for most touchdown passes with one team.


## ALL-TIME TOUCHDOWN LEADERS IN NFL HISTORY (REGULAR AND POSTSEASON) Player <br> Touchdowns <br> Tom Brady 579 <br> Peyton Manning 579 <br> Brett Favre 552 <br> Drew Brees 546

- With one touchdown pass, Brady will also break a tie with Brett Favre (508 touchdowns) and take sole possession of third place in NFL history for most regular-season touchdown passes. Peyton Manning is first with 539 touchdown passes and Drew Brees is second with 518.


## JULIAN EDELMAN

## IF THE PATRIOTS WIN...

- And Julian Edelman scores at least once, the Patriots will improve to 18-0 since 2014 (including postseason) when Edelman has at least one touchdown in a game.


## TREY FLOWERS

## WHAT TO LOOK FOR...

- Through 12 games, Trey Flowers is the co-leader in sacks for the Patriots with $4 \frac{1}{2}$, tied with Deatrich Wise Jr. If he finishes the season as the team's sack leader, he will become the seventh player in team history to lead the team in sacks for at least three consecutive seasons.


## STEPHON CILMORE

## WHAT TO LOOK FOR...

- Through 12 games, Stephon Gilmore is second in the NFL for passes defensed with 15 on the season. His career best in a season is 18 in 2015.


## ROB GRONKOWSKI

## WHAT TO LOOK FOR...

- With one score, Rob Gronkowski will record the 80th touchdown of his career. He has 78 receiving touchdowns and one rushing touchdown since entering the league in 2010. Gronkowski also has the third-most touchdowns among tight ends in NFL history, behind Antonio Gates (116) and Tony Gonzalez (111).


## ROB GRONKOWSKI

## WHAT TO LOOK FOR... (CONT'D

- If Rob Gronkowski has a 100-yard receiving game, he will tie Wes Welker (28) for second-most in Patriots history behind Stanley Morgan (38). He will also be just three games from tying Tony Gonzalez (31), who has the most 100-yard games by a tight end in NFL history.


## DURON HARMON

## WHAT TO LOOK FOR...

- Duron Harmon has notched five of his 13 interceptions against the Dolphins, including four against Ryan Tannehill.
- Duron Harmon has 11 interceptions in the fourth quarter since 2013 when he entered the league (including postseason), which is the tied with Richard Sherman for the most in the NFL during that time.


## BRANDON KING

## WHAT TO LOOK FOR...

- Brandon King has 11 special teams tackles in 2018 and needs one more to match his career high of 12 set during his rookie season in 2015.


## DEVIN MCCOURTY

## WHAT TO LOOK FOR...

- With one interception, Devin McCourty (21) will tie Asante Samuel (22) and move into the top 10 for most interceptions all-time in franchise history. McCourty is already in the top 10 on the team's interception return yardage leaders list, ranking eighth with 382 return yards.


## SONY MICHEL

## WHAT TO LOOK FOR...

- If Sony Michel records a 100-yard rushing game against the Dolphins, it will be the fourth such game for him this year. He will become the first Patriots rookie running back to reach that mark since Robert Edwards in 1998. Curtis Martin holds the franchise record with nine 100yard rushing games in his rookie season (1995).


## PATRIOTS ROOKIE RBS WITH MULTIPLE 100-YARD GAMES <br> Player <br> Curtis Martin <br> John Stephens Robert Edwards <br> Sony Michel <br> Year 100-Yard Games <br> 19959 <br> $1988 \quad 5$ <br> 1998 4 <br> 20183

- If Sony Michel has two touchdowns against the Dolphins, he will become the first Patriots running back to have multiple multi-score games in his rookie season since Curtis Martin had five in 1995. Michel had two touchdowns against the Kansas City in Week 6.


## CORDARRE-LI F PATIERSON

## WHAT TO LOOK FOR...

- With one rushing touchdown, Cordarrelle Patterson will take sole possession of sixth place in NFL history for most rushing touchdowns by a wide receiver. Patterson is currently tied with Frank Jackson with seven rushing touchdowns.


## CORDARRALLI = PATITRSON

## WHAT TO LOOK FOR... (CONT'D)

- With one kickoff return for a touchdown, Patterson will move into sole possession of third place all-time for most kickoff return touchdowns in NFL history with seven in his career.

| MOST KICKOFF RETURN TDS IN NFL HISTORY <br> Player | TDs <br> Josh Cribbs | 8 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | | Years Played |
| :---: |

- With one kickoff return for a touchdown, Cordarrelle Patterson will join Raymond Clayborn (3-1977), Kevin Faulk (2-2002) and Brandon Tate (2-2010) as the only players in Patriots history to have multiple kickoffs returned for touchdowns in a season.


## JAMES WHITE

## WHAT TO LOOK FOR...

- James White has a career-high 74 receptions through 12 games and needs just four more catches to set the franchise record for most receptions by a Patriots running back in a season.

| MOST RECEPTIONS IN A SEASON |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| BY A PATRIOTS RUNNING BACK |  |  |
| Player | Year | Receptions |
| Tony Collins | 1986 | 77 |
| James White | $\mathbf{2 0 1 8}$ | $\mathbf{7 4}$ |
| Leroy Thompson | 1994 | 65 |
| James White | $\mathbf{2 0 1 6}$ | 61 |
| Kevin Faulk | 2008 | 58 |

- James White is also on pace to break another franchise record. He needs just 26 receiving yards to set the Patriots mark for most receiving yards by a running back in a season.

| MOST RECEIVING YARDS IN A SEASON |  |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: |
| BY A PATRIOTS RUNNING BACK |  |  |
| Player | Year | Receiving Yards |
| Tony Collins | 1986 | 684 |
| James White | 2018 | 659 |
| James White | 2016 | 551 |

- James White, who is averaging more than six receptions per game, is on pace to reach 99 receptions this season. Entering Week 14, White has 74 catches for 659 yards and six touchdowns. Each of those marks represent career highs.

| MOST SINGLE-SEASON RECEPTIONS |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: |
| BY A RUNNING BACK |  |

## NEW ENCLAND 24, MINNESOTA 10

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|  | $\mathbf{1}$ | $\mathbf{2}$ | $\mathbf{3}$ | $\mathbf{4}$ | Final |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | ---: |
| Minnesota Vikings | 0 | 7 | 3 | 0 | $\mathbf{1 0}$ |
| New England Patriots | 7 | 3 | 7 | 7 | $\mathbf{2 4}$ |

The New England Patriots secured their 33rd winning season since the 1970 merger, the 22nd under Robert Kraft and their 18th consecutive year above .500 after a 24-10 victory over the Minnesota Vikings improved the team to 9-3. Only Pittsburgh (35) has more winning seasons since 1970 and only the Dallas Cowboys (20) have more consecutive winning seasons.

QB Tom Brady threw for 311 yards and his 24-yard touchdown pass to WR Josh Gordon in the third quarter was his 579th overall, tying Peyton Manning for the most overall touchdowns in NFL history. FB James Develin had his first career two-touchdown game with a pair of rushing touchdowns to help push New England to the win.

After taking a 10-0 lead, Minnesota fought back to tie the game at 10 late in the third quarter. The Patriots scored on their next two drives to recapture and keep the lead.

New England took the ensuing kickoff after the game-tying field goal and used four big plays to get into the end zone for the lead. Brady completed a 24 -yard pass to Gordon followed by a 15 -yarder to TE Rob Gronkowski. A 12-yard run by RB James White helped get in position for Brady's 24-yard touchdown pass to Gordon to make the score 17-10.

New England stopped Minnesota on the next series and a 23-yard punt return by WR Julian Edelman helped the Patriots on a drive that ended with a 2-yard touchdown run by Develin for a 24-10 lead early in the fourth quarter.

The Patriots defense intercepted Minnesota on the final two drives. DB Duron Harmon intercepted Vikings QB Kirk Cousins in the end zone to end a drive. On the next set of downs, DB Jonathan Jones picked off a Cousins pass with 30 seconds to play.

After stopping the Vikings on three straight plays to start the game, New England put together an eight-play, 81-yard drive that took over five minutes before Develin scored his first touchdown of day on a 1-yard run for a 7-0 first-quarter lead.

New England converted three third-downs during a second quarter drive that stalled at the 1-yard line before K Stephen Gostkowski's 20yard field goal made it 10-0. Minnesota got on the board late in the first half when Cousins connected with WR Adam Thielen for a 5-yard touchdown pass with 19 seconds left to play in the second quarter to make the score 10-7 at the break.

Minnesota tied the game at 10 late in the third quarter on a 39 -yard field goal following a drive that saw Gostkowski miss on a 48-yard field goal attempt.

## TEAM NOTES

- Kraft earns 22nd winning season in his 25th year as owner.
- Patriots secure 33rd winning season, second only to Pittsburgh (35).
- Patriots earn 18th consecutive winning season.
- Brady ties for all-time leader in touchdown passes (regular and postseason).
- Brady reaches 1,000-yards rushing.
- Patriots run streak to 11 straight wins at home.


## BETTER THAN AVERAGE

With the Patriots ninth victory this season, the team solidified a winning record in 2018. It marks the 22nd time in Robert Kraft's 25 seasons of ownership that the Patriots have finished the season with at least nine victories or above .500 for the season.

## ALL-TIME WINNING SEASONS

The Patriots have 33 seasons in which the team has finished above .500 since the 1970 merger, second only to the Pittsburgh Steelers (35).

| MOST WINNING SEASONS |  |
| :---: | :---: |
| SINCE THE 1970 MERGER |  |
| Team | Seasons |
| Pittsburgh | 35 |
| New England | ... 33 |
| Dallas | 32 |
| Miami | ... 30 |
| Denver. | ... 29 |
| Minnesota | . 29 |

## SUSTAINED SUCCESS

The win over the Vikings improved the Patriots record to 9-3. The Patriots have won more than half of their games for 18 consecutive seasons; the first team to win more than half of their games in 18 straight seasons since free agency began in 1993 and the most consecutive winning seasons since the 1970 merger. Additionally, the Patriots are the only team in the NFL to have recorded nine or more wins in each of the last 18 seasons.
MOST CONSECUTIVE WINNING SEASONS
(SINCE 1970 MERGER)
Seasons Consecutive Seasons


MOST SEASONS OF 9+ WINS SINCE 2001
Team Seasons
New England.
18
Indianapolis. ..... 12
Green Bay ..... 12
Philadelphia ..... 12
Seattle. ..... 11
Baltimore . ..... 10

## GREAT WHEN IT'S LATE

Since Robert Kraft purchased the franchise in 1994, the New England Patriots own the NFL's best record from December through the end of the regular season. The Patriots improved to 32-4 in the month of December at Gillette Stadium.

## MOST WINS FROM DECEMBER ON SINCE 1994 (REGULAR SEASON ONLY)

| Team | $\boldsymbol{W}$ | $\boldsymbol{L}$ | $\boldsymbol{T}$ | Pct. |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| New England | $\mathbf{8 4}$ | $\mathbf{2 6}$ | $\mathbf{0}$ | . $\mathbf{7 6 4}$ |
| Green Bay | 80 | 31 | 0 | .721 |
| Pittsburgh | 75 | 36 | 0 | .676 |

## PERSISTENT PASS PROTECTION

The Patriots did not allow a sack for the second straight game and for the fourth time in 2018, tied with New Orleans for second-most in the NFL this season. Indianapolis has not allowed a sack in five games in 2018.

## home win streak

The Patriots won their 11th straight regular season game at Gillette Stadium. The Patriots are 6-0 at Gillette Stadium so far in 2018.

## LONGEST HOME WINNING STREAK/PATRIOTS HISTORY

 (REGULAR SEASON ONLY)| Streak | First Win | Last Win |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 20 | Dec. 21, 2008 | .Oct. 16, 2011 |
|  | Dec. 29, 2002 | Sept. 8, 2005 |
| 16 | Dec. 30, 2012 | Dec. 28, 2014 |
|  | Nov. 26, 2006 | .Sept. 7, 2008 |
| 11. | Oct. 22, 2017 | Current Streak |
|  | Sept. 18, 1976 | . Oct. 30, 1977 |

## INDIIIIUUAL NOTES

## BELICHICK SECOND IN WINNING SEASONS

Bill Belichick has now led the Patriots to 18 straight winning seasons, the second-most consecutive winning season all time, trailing only Tom Landry with 20.

## MOST CONSECUTIVE SEASONS WITH A WINNING RECORD

| Head Coach | Team(s) | Seasons |
| :--- | :--- | ---: |

## BELICHICK'S DECEMBER RECORD

Bill Belichick is 65-13 (.833) in December with New England, the best record in December among head coaches with one team in NFL history (min. 25 games). George Seifert is second (27-6, .818).

## TOUCHDOWN PASS RECORD WITHIN REACH

Brady tied the record for most overall touchdown passes (including the postseason) with his 24-yard touchdown pass to WR Josh Gordon in the third quarter. He now has 579 total touchdowns, which is tied with Peyton Manning. He is also now tied with Brett Favre for third alltime with 508 career regular-season touchdowns.

## ALL-TIME TOUCHDOWN PASS LEADERS (INCLUDING PLAYOFFS)

| Player | Years | Team(s) | Total <br> TD | Regular <br> Season |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Tom Brady | 2000-Presents |  |  |  |

## BRADY UNDEFEATED AGAINST FIVE

Minnesota is one of five NFL teams that Tom Brady has an unblemished regular-season record against. Brady improved to 5-0 against the Vikings.
Team
Atlanta Falcons .......................................5-0
Chicago Bears ...........................................5-0
Minnesota Vikings .............................. 5-0
Dallas Cowboys........................................4-0
Tampa Bay Buccaneers.........................4-0

## BRADY HAS MOST INTERCONFERENCE WINS

Tom Brady has the most wins in interconference games since 1970 with 52 career wins.

## MOST WINS IN INTERCONFERENCE GAMES SINCE 1970

Tom Brady
.52
Peyton Manning ............................................................. 46
Brett Favre........................................................................ 43
Ben Roethlisberger......................................................... 38
Dan Marino....................................................................... 37

## TOM TERRIFIC IN DECEMBER

Brady is 59-11 (.843) in December, the second-best winning percentage in December among quarterbacks in the Super Bowl era with at least 20 starts. Roger Staubach is first (17-3, .850). Brady's 59 December wins are the most in NFL history, followed by the 52 by Brett Favre and the 49 by Peyton Manning. Additionally, Brady is 31-4 all-time in December at Gillette stadium.

## BRADY GOES OVER 300

Tom Brady threw for over 300 yards for the fourth time this season after finishing with 311 yards. He is third all-time with 86 career 300-yard games. The Patriots are 72-14 when he goes over 300 yards.

## NFL QUARTERBACK 300-YARD GAMES <br> Drew Brees........................................ 114 <br> Peyton Manning................................ 93 <br> Tom Brady ..................................... 86 <br> Dan Marino ........................................ 63 <br> Brett Favre ......................................... 62

## ANOTHER MILESTONE FOR BRADY

Tom Brady reached 1,000 yards rushing on a 5 -yard run in the first quarter in his 265th game, the most games in NFL history that it has taken a player to reach the milestone. Before Brady, YA Tittle held the record. Tittle reached 1,000 yards rushing in his 161st NFL game. Tittle then fell below 1,000 yards in the same game and finished his NFL career with 999 yards rushing. Brady joined Steve Grogan $(2,176)$ as the only Patriots quarterbacks with over 1,000 rushing yards. Brady has lost 234 yards on 227 kneel downs.

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PATRIOTS QB LEADING RUSHERS
    Steve Grogan .............................2,176
    Tom Brady .............................1,000
    Babe Parilli .................................... }94
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## WHITE ON TORRID RECEPTIONS PACE

RB James White has 74 receptions in 2018 and is on pace to finish the season with 99 receptions. Eight NFL running backs have finished a season with 90 or more receptions.

| MOST RECEPTIONS IN A SEASON BY A RUNNING BACK |  |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | ---: |
| Player | Year | Team | Receptions |
| Matt Forte | 2014 | Chicago | 102 |
| Larry Centers | 1995 | Arizona | 101 |
| LaDainian Tomlinson | 2003 | San Diego | 100 |
| Larry Centers | 1996 | Arizona | 99 |
| Roger Craig | 1985 | San Francisco | 92 |
| Charlie Garner | 2002 | Oakland | 91 |
| Steven Jackson | 2006 | St. Louis | 90 |
| Brian Westbrook | 2007 | Philadelphia | 90 |

## WHITE CHASING RECEPTIONS RECORD

White set a single-season career high with his 74 receptions so far in 2018. His previous best was the 60 receptions he had in 2016. He needs four receptions to set the team record for most receptions by a running back in a season.

MOST RECEPTIONS IN A SEASON BY A PATRIOTS RB

| Player | Year | Receptions |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Tony Collins. | . 1986. | ........... 77 |
| James White | . 2018 | ............ 74 |
| Leroy Thomp | . 1994. | ............. 65 |
| James White | . 2016 | ........... 60 |
| Kevin Faulk | . 2008 | ...... 58 |
| James White | 2017 | .......... 56 |

## WHITE CLOSING IN ON REC. YARDS RECORD

White had 92 yards receiving against Minnesota, second to the 115 receiving yards he had vs. Philadelphia on Dec. 6, 2015. He has a ca-reer-best 659 yards receiving so far in 2018 and needs 26 receiving yards to set the team record. The Patriots record for most receiving yards by a running back is 684 by Tony Collins in 1986.

\section*{MOST RECEIVING YARDS IN A SEASON BY A PATRIOTS RB <br> | Player | Year | Receiving Yards |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Tony Collins | 1986 | .................. 684 |
| James White | 2018 | .............. 659 |
| James White | 2016 | 551 |

## DEVELIN FINDS THE END ZONE TWICE

FB James Develin scored on a 1-yard run in the first quarter and a 2-yard run in the fourth quarter for the first two-touchdown game of his career. He had a streak of three straight rushing attempts that resulted in three touchdowns with a 1-yard touchdowns run at Tennessee on Nov. 11. He added two more rushes against Minnesota, one that converted a third-and-1 in the fourth quarter.

## THE CLOSER

DB Duron Harmon has 11 interceptions in the fourth quarter, including the postseason, since 2013 after his fourth quarter interception in the end zone against Minnesota. It was his sixth interception in the end zone overall.

## MOST FOURTH QUARTER INTERCEPTIONS SINCE 2013 (INCLUDING PLAYOFFS) <br> Player Interceptions <br> Duron Harmon........................ 11 <br> Richard Sherman....................... 11 <br> Harrison Smith ......................... 10

## LINEUP NOTES

## BURKHEAD RETURNS TO ACTION

RB Rex Burkhead returned to action after being activated to the 53man roster after a stint on injured reserve. It was his first game back since playing at Detroit on Sept. 23. He finished with seven rushes for 20 yards and caught two passes for 21 yards.

## EBNER SEES ACTION AGAIN

DB Nate Ebner returned to action after missing one game due to injury.

## JACKSON MAKES FIRST NFL START

Rookie DB J.C. Jackson made his first NFL start when the Patriots opened in the nickel defense.










## TOM BRADY | 6-4 | 225 I MICHIGAN

- 19th season; a 13-time Pro Bowler and five-time champion.
- Tied for first all-time with 579 total TDs
- All-time winningest player with 232 career victories


## JAMES WHITE I 5-10 I 205 I WISCONSIN

- Plays a key role in both rushing and receiving and has most receiving TDs by a running back since 2015 with 18.
- Holds three SB records with receptions (14), points (20) and TDs (three).
- Named a captain for the first time in 2018.


## SONY MICHEL | 5-11 | 215 | GEORG|A

- Finished his career third on Georgia's all-time rushing list with 3,638 yards rushing.
- Named a team captain as a junior and senior.
- Has three NFL 100-yard games so far in 2018.


## CHRIS HOGAN I 6-1 I 210 I MONMOUTH

- Played lacrosse at Penn State for four seasons before transferring.
- Played for Buffalo from 2012-15 before joining New England in 2016.
- Scored a career-high five TDs in 2017 despite only playing in nine games.


## JULIAN EDELMAN | 5-10 I 198 I KENT STATE

- Converted college quarterback drafted by New England in the seventh round of the 2009 draft.
- 472 career receptions are sixth-most in team history.
- 6.2 receptions per game, fourth-highest since 2015..


## JOSH GORDON I 6-3 I 225 I BAYLOR

- The only player in NFL history with consecutive 200-yard receiving performances. Achieved the feat in 2013 with 237 receiving yards vs. Pittsburgh (11/24) and 261 yards vs. Jacksonville (12/1). Became the 71st different player to catch a touchdown pass from Tom Brady, an NFL record.


## ROB GRONKOWSKI | 6-6 | 268 | ARZONA

- Leads the NFL with 78 touchdown receptions since 2010.
- Brady has found him for 77 touchdowns, second-most in QB/TE history
- Most 10-plus TD seasons by an NFL TE in league history with five.


## TRENT BROWN I 6-8 | 380 | FLORIDA

- Played for the 49ers from 2015-17 before being traded to the Patriots.
- Started each of the 38 games he appeared in the past three seasons
- Bill Belichick has referred to him as the biggest player he's ever coached.


## JOE THUNEY I 6-5 | 308 | N.C. STATE

- USA Today First-Team All-American while at N.C. State.
- Drafted by New England in the third round (78th overall) in 2016.
- Has started all 44 regular-season games and six postseason games


## DAVID ANDREWS | 6-3 | 300 | GEORGIA

- Earned a starting job in his rookie year and has started 53-of-56 games.
- Nephew of long-time NFL head coach and player Dan Reeves.
- Named a team captain for the second consecutive season in 2018.


## SHAO MASON I 6-1 | 310 I GEORGIA TECH

- Full name is Shaquille Olajuwon Mason after Shaquille O'Neal and Hakeem Olajuwon.
- Has started 51 -of-56 regular-season games since joining the team.


## MARCUS CANNON I 6-6 I 335 I TCU

- Made 50 regular-season starts.
- A two-time SB Champion and named to 2016 AP All-Pro Second Team.
- Lettered in both football and track and field at TCU.

PHILLIP DORSETT I 5-10 1210 WR

13
Fourth-year player out of the University of Miami.
 Joined New
England in 2017
after a trade from Indianapolis, totaling 12 catches for 194 yards
Had career-high seven receptions in 2018 season opener.

## CORDARREIIAPAIIEREON|5-10|192

## WR 84

Sixth-year pro has spent career with Vikings (2013-16)
 and Raiders (2017).

- Had a 55-yard TD receptions vs. Miami (9/30).
- Has four touchdown runs of 40 or more yards.


## JAMES DEVELIN | 6-3 | 255 <br> FB 46 <br> Played at Brown as a defensive end before converting to

 offense while playing in the Arena Football League.In 2017, he became the first Patriots fullback since Sam Cunningham in 1978 to earn Pro Bowl honors.
Spent time in the AFL and on the Cincinnati practice squad for two seasons before work ing his way onto the Patriots 53-man roster in 2012.

- Notched his first career multi-score game in a Week 13 win vs. MIN







## LB <br> 53



## CB 24



## CB 30



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TREY FLOWERS | 6-2 | 265 | ARKANSAS

- Led the team in sacks each of the last two seasons.
- Started all 14 games he played in 2017 with $61 / 2$ sacks and 62 tackles.
- Notched a team-high nine tackles in the 2017 AFC Championship game.
- Finished his career at Arkansas as the active SEC leader in tackles for loss.


## LAWRENCE GUY|6-4|315 |ARIZONASTATE

- Started all but one game in his first Patriots season with 58 total tackles.
- Eight-year NFL veteran with stints with the Colts, Chargers and Ravens.
- Three-time honorable mention All-Pac-10 selection at Arizona State.


## MALCOLM BROWN | 6-2| $320 \mid$ TAXAS

- Has started 47 -of-56 games since being drafted.
- Recorded 49 total tackles and $21 / 2$ sacks in the 2017 regular season.
- Started all eight playoff games, recording one sack and 29 total tackles.


## DEATRICH WISE JR. | 6-5 | 275 | ARKANSAS

- Had a strong rookie campaign, recording 26 tackles and five sacks.
- Became the first Patriot since Chandler Jones to record a sack in his first two NFL games.


## DONTA HIGHIOWER|6.3|260|ATABAMA

- One of two players in NFL history with multiple national titles and Super Bowl titles along with Russell Maryland.
Earned Pro Bowl honors in 2016 for the first time in his career.


## ELANDON ROBERIS | 6-0| 238 | HOUSTON

- Started 28-of-40 regular-season games and totaled 162 tackles.
- Made his first start in 2016 against N.Y. Jets and made seven tackles
- Emerged as a starter his rookie season after being a sixth-round choice.


## KYLE VAN NOY | 6-3 | 250 | BYU

- Played a key role in 2017 after the injury to Dont'a Hightower.
- Hit career-highs in tackles (73) and sacks ( $5^{1 / 2}$ ) in first full Patriots season.
- Spent three seasons in Detroit before being traded to New England.


## STEPHON CILMORE|6-1| 202 |SOUTH CAROLINA

- Has started all but two games in his seven-year career.
- Totaled 50 tackles, two interceptions and nine passes defensed in 2017.
- Made a game-clinching pass breakup in the 2017 AFC Championship.


## JASON MCCOURTY| 5-11| 195 | RUTCERS

- Playing alongside his twin brother Jason for the first time since college.
- Playing his 10th NFL season after eight with Tennessee and one in Cleveland.
- Jason and Devin are enshrined in the Rutgers Hall of Distinguished Alumni.


## PATRICK CHUNG | 5-11|215|OREGON

- Played for New England for eight of nine NFL seasons.
- Recorded 78 tackles, nine passes defensed and two fumble recoveries in 2017 while starting 11-of-16 games.
- Named a team captain for the first time in 2018.


## DEVIN MCCOURTY | 5-10| 195 | RUTCERS

- Matched a career-high with 94 tackles as last line of defense in 2017.
- Made the Pro Bowl three of the last four seasons.
- Elected captain by his teammates every year since 2011.

ADRIAN CLAYBORN | 6-3 | 280
DL
94
Seven-year NFL veteran who has started 50-of-93 games he
 has played in.
Set a Falcons franchise record with six sacks vs. Dallas (11/12/17).
Totaled 30 sacks and 167 tackles while with Tampa
Bay and Atlanta.

## DANNY SHELTON | 6-2 | 345 <br> DL <br> 71 <br> - Joins New England after spending the first three seasons of his <br> 

 career in Cleveland.Totaled 146 tackles over his career.
Has started 46-of-57 potential games.

## JONATHAN JONES | 5-10 | 190

## CB <br> 31

Emerged as a key reserve in 2017, notching a career-high eight
 passes defensed. Plays a key role on special teams with 12 tackles over his first two seasons.
Played in all 44 regular season games the last three years.
 undrafted rookie in 18 seasons to make the 53-man roster. Tied for the team lead with two interceptions.

## DURON HARMON | 6-1 | 205



11 of his 15 career interceptions have taken place in the fourth quarter with
 six taking place in the final two minutes (including postseason). Named a team captain for the first time in 2017.
Recorded a ca-reer-high seven passes defensed in 2017.


## = ROBERT KRAFT chanamang cio

Since Robert Kraft purchased the team in 1994, the Patriots have experienced one of the most dramatic turnarounds in the history of sports. Now in his 25th season of ownership, Kraft has transformed one of the league's least successful clubs into what observers view as a model NFL franchise. In the five seasons immediately preceding his purchase (1989-93), the Patriots were a moribund team, winning just 19 of 80 games (. 238 pct.) and logging the worst record in the NFL over that span. When he bought the franchise on Jan. 21, 1994, Kraft announced his intention to bring a championship to New
 England, a tall order considering the team's previous success rate. But under Kraft's leadership, the Patriots have won more division titles (17), conference crowns (9) and Super Bowl championships (5) than any other NFL team. Additionally, the Patriots have achieved the most winning seasons (22) and have the fewest losing seasons (2) since Kraft assumed ownership beginning in 1994. Super Bowl LII was the ninth Super Bowl appearance since Kraft purchased the team, a period during which no other team has appeared in more than four Super Bowls. In Kraft's 24 seasons, the Patriots have qualified for the playoffs 19 times, more than doubling the franchise's accomplishments during its first 34 seasons. In 2018, Kraft earned his 22nd winning season in 25 years of owning the franchise.

|  | Pre-Kraft <br> $\mathbf{1 9 6 0 - 9 3}$ | Pre-Kraft <br> $\mathbf{1 9 8 9} \mathbf{- 9 3}$ | Kraft Era <br> $\mathbf{1 9 9 4 - 1 8}$ |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Overall Record | $\mathbf{2 2 5 - 2 7 6 - 9}$ | $19-61$ | $307-133$ |
| Winning Pct. | .450 | .238 | .698 |
| Super Bowl Titles | 0 | 0 | 5 |
| Conference Titles | 1 | 0 | 9 |
| Division Titles | 3 | 0 | 17 |
| Playoff Seasons | 6 | 0 | 19 |
| Playoff Record | $4-6$ | -- | $30-14$ |
| Home Playoff Games | 1 | 0 | 25 |
| Home Playoff Record | $0-1$ | -- | $22-3$ |

## WHAT TO LOOK FOR IN 2018

- Since purchasing the team in 1994, Robert Kraft has 30 career postseason wins as an owner, third-most in NFL history behind the Rooney Family in Pittsburgh (36) and the Green Bay Packers (34). The Rooney Family founded the Steelers in 1933 while the Green Bay Packers were founded in 1919.

Under Robert Kraft's guidance, the 2000-09 Patriots set the NFL record for most wins in a decade in NFL history with 126 overall wins overall. With 11 wins overall in 2018, the Patriots will tie that record for the current decade.

## DYNASTY VS. DYNASTY

Of all of the great teams throughout the Super Bowl era, the New England Patriots and the San Francisco 49ers have set a standard of extended excellence above all of the others. The 49ers run of success spanned two decades, while New England's streak is still in progress. 49ERS (1981-98)

PATRIOTS (2001-PRESENT)

|  | Appearances ................................ 8 |
| :---: | :---: |
|  | .. Super Bowl Titles....................................... 5 |
| 10 in 18 years | Conference Title Games ............. 12 in 17 years |
| 22-11 (.667) | .Playoff Record ........................27-10 (.730) |
|  | Division Titles ....................................... 15 |
|  | . Playoff Seasons ...................................... 15 |
| 207-72-1 (.741). | .. Regular Season Record ............... 218-66 (.768) |
| 108. | ..Pro Bowl Selections .................................. 89 |
| 21 in 18 years | .Home Playoff Games ............... 22 in 17 years |
| 13 in 18 years | ..... First-Round Byes .................... 12 in 17 years |
| 4 in 18 years.. | Playoff One-and-Dones ............... 2 in 17 years |
| 122 (1990-99) | Most Wins in a Decade.............. 126 (2000-09) |

SINCE ROBART KRAFT PURCHASED THE TEAM IN 1994
TOTAL VICTORIES SINCE 1994 (REGULAR SEASON)
New England Patriots ..... 277
Pittsburgh Steelers. ..... 252
Green Bay Packers ..... 247
Denver Broncos ..... 235
TOTAL VICTORIES SINCE 1994 (INCL. POSTSEASON)
New England Patriots ..... 307
Pittsburgh Steelers. ..... 272
Green Bay Packers ..... 267
Denver Broncos ..... 249
MOST HOME VICTORIES SINCE 1994 (INCL. POSTSEASON)
New England Patriots ..... 175
Green Bay Packers ..... 159
Pittsburgh Steelers ..... 153
Denver Broncos ..... 146
WINNING PERCENTAGE SINCE 1994 (INCL. POSTSEASON)

| TEAM | $\boldsymbol{W}$ | $\boldsymbol{L}$ | $\boldsymbol{T}$ | Pct. |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| New England Patriots | $\mathbf{3 0 7}$ | $\mathbf{1 3 3}$ | $\mathbf{0}$ | $\mathbf{. 6 9 8}$ |
| Pittsburgh Steelers | 272 | 156 | 2 | .635 |
| Green Bay Packers | 267 | 163 | 2 | .620 |
| Denver Broncos | 249 | 170 | 0 | .594 |


| PLAYOFF WINNING PERCENTAGE SINCE | $\mathbf{1 9 9 4}$ |  |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| TEAM | W | $\boldsymbol{L}$ | $\boldsymbol{T}$ | Pct. |
| New England Patriots | $\mathbf{3 0}$ | $\mathbf{1 4}$ | $\mathbf{0}$ | .682 |
| Baltimore Ravens | 15 | 8 | 0 | .652 |
| Denver Broncos | 14 | 9 | 0 | .609 |
| Pittsburgh Steelers | 20 | 14 | 0 | .588 |

SUPER BOWL CHAMPIONSHIPS SINCE 1994
New England Patriots. .....  .5
Denver Broncos .....  3
Baltimore Ravens ..... 2
Green Bay Packers ..... 2
Pittsburgh Steelers. ..... 2
N.Y. Giants .....  2
CONFERENCE CHAMPIONSHIPS SINCE 1994
New England Patriots ..... 9
Pittsburgh Steelers. .....  4
Denver Broncos.. .....  4
Green Bay Packers .....  3
N.Y. Giants .....  3
Seattle Seahawks .....  3
DIVISION CHAMPIONSHIPS SINCE 1994
New England Patriots ..... 17
Pittsburgh Steelers. ..... 13
Green Bay Packers ..... 12
Indianapolis Colts ..... 10
PLAYOFF VICTORIES SINCE 1994
New England Patriots. ..... 30
Pittsburgh Steelers. ..... 20
Green Bay Packers ..... 20
Baltimore Ravens ..... 15
PLAYOFF GAMES PLAYED SINCE 1994
New England Patriots ..... 44
Green Bay Packers ..... 36
Pittsburgh Steelers ..... 34
Indianapolis Colts ..... 29
PLAYOFF SEASONS SINCE 1994
New England Patriots. ..... 19
Green Bay Packers ..... 18
Indianapolis Colts ..... 16
Pittsburgh Steelers. ..... 16

# ₹ ROBERT KRAFT chananalig cio <br> NINE CONFERENCE TITLES 

The 2017 AFC Championship marked the ninth conference championship for Robert Kraft as Patriots owner. His nine crowns are more than any other owner in NFL history in the Super Bowl Era (since 1966).

MOST CONFERENCE CHAMPIONSHIPS BY AN OWNER IN SUPER BOWL ERA

| Owner Robert Kraft | TEAM <br> New England | $\begin{aligned} & \# \\ & 9 \end{aligned}$ | SEASONS <br> 1996, 2001, 2003, 2004, | SUPER BOWL APPEARANCES XXXI, XXXVI, XXXVIII, XXXIX, |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | 2007, 2011, 2014, 2016, 2017 | XLII, XLVI, XLIX, LI, LII |
| Pat Bowlen | Denver | 7 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { 1986, 1987, 1989, 1997, 1998, } \\ & 2013,2015 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { XXI, XXII, XXIV, XXXII, } \\ & \text { XXXIII, XLVIII, } 50 \end{aligned}$ |
| Jack Kent Cooke | Washington | 5 | 1972, 1982, 1983, 1987, 1991 | VII, XVII, XVIII, XXII, XXVI |
| Al Davis | Oakland/L.A. Raiders | 5 | 1967, 1976, 1980, 1983, 2002 | II, XI, XV, XVIII, XXXVII |
| Eddie DeBartolo | San Francisco | 5 | 1981, 1984, 1988, 1989, 1994 | XVI, XIX, XXIII, XXIV, XXIX |
| Clint Murchison | Dallas | 5 | 1970, 1971, 1975, 1977, 1978 | V, VI, X, XII, XIII |
| Packers Stockholders | Green Bay | 5 | 1966, 1967, 1996, 1997, 2010 | I, II, XXXI, XXXII, XLV |
| Joe Robbie | Miami | 5 | 1971, 1972, 1973, 1982, 1984 | VI, VII, VIII, XVII, XIX |



## A WINNING TRADITION

Kraft's winning percentage with the Patriots (.699) since taking over the team in 1994 is the highest among all owners/ownership groups with at least 200 wins (regular and postseason) with one team. He is just one of five owners with at least 200 wins and a winning percentage over . 600.

| Owner | Team | Years | Winning Pct. |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | ---: |
| Robert Kraft | Patriots | 1994-present | .699 |
| Eddie DeBartolo, Jr. | 49ers | $1977-1999$ | .636 |
| Clint Murchison, Jr. | Cowboys | $1960-1983$ | .634 |
| Joe Robbie | Dolphins | $1966-1989$ | .609 |
| Pat Bowlen | Denver | 1984-present | .600 |

## ALL-TIME POSTSEASON WINS

Robert Kraft has 30 career postseason wins, which are the thirdmost in NFL history.

| OWNERSHIP | YEARS | WINS |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| The Rooney Family, Pittsburgh (1933-present) | 86 | 36 |
| Green Bay Packers (1919-present). | 100 |  |
| Robert Kraft, New England (1994-present) | . 24 | 30 |
| The Mara Family, N.Y. Giants (1925-present) | 94 | 24 |
| Eddie DeBartolo, Jr., San Francisco (1977-1999) | .... 23 | 22 |
| Al Davis, Oakland/Los Angeles (1972-2011). | . 40 | . 21 |
| Pat Bowlen, Denver (1984-present). |  |  |

## KRAFT PASSES OTHER OWNERS

The Patriots have 307 wins overall under Robert Kraft. He has produced more victories than every other Patriots owner combined. Under Kraft, the Patriots are 307-133 overall since he purchased the team in 1994. Kraft's predecessors in the owner's office went 225-276-9 in the 34 years prior to his purchase of the team.

## CONTINUITY BREEDS SUCCESS

New England is the first team in NFL history to win five Super Bowls with the same owner (Robert Kraft), head coach (Bill Belichick) and quarterback (Tom Brady).

## PATRIOTS IN THE PLAYOFFS

The Patriots have qualified for the playoffs 25 times in their 58-year history. Nineteen of those playoff berths have come in the 24 seasons since Robert Kraft purchased the team in 1994, a dramatic contrast to the six total playoff berths the team earned in its first 34 years of existence. The Patriots have won 20 division crowns, including 15 in the last 17 seasons and 17 of which have come since Robert Kraft's purchase in 1994.

## PATRIOTS PLAYOFF SEASONS (25)

| Year | How Qualified | Seed | Rec. | Result |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| $\mathbf{2 0 1 7}$ | Division Champions | $\mathbf{1}$ | $\mathbf{2 - 1}$ | AFC Champions |
| $\mathbf{2 0 1 6}$ | Division Champions | $\mathbf{1}$ | $3-0$ | Super Bowl Champions |
| $\mathbf{2 0 1 5}$ | Division Champions | $\mathbf{2}$ | $1-1$ | AFC Championship Game |
| $\mathbf{2 0 1 4}$ | Division Champions | $\mathbf{1}$ | $3-0$ | Super Bowl Champions |
| $\mathbf{2 0 1 3}$ | Division Champions | $\mathbf{2}$ | $\mathbf{1 - 1}$ | AFC Championship Game |
| $\mathbf{2 0 1 2}$ | Division Champions | $\mathbf{2}$ | $\mathbf{1 - 1}$ | AFC Championship Game |
| $\mathbf{2 0 1 1}$ | Division Champions | $\mathbf{1}$ | $\mathbf{2 - 1}$ | AFC Champions |
| $\mathbf{2 0 1 0}$ | Division Champions | $\mathbf{1}$ | $\mathbf{0 - 1}$ | AFC Divisional Round |
| $\mathbf{2 0 0 9}$ | Division Champions | $\mathbf{3}$ | $\mathbf{0 - 1}$ | Wild Card Round |
| $\mathbf{2 0 0 7}$ | Division Champions | $\mathbf{1}$ | $\mathbf{2 - 1}$ | AFC Champions |
| $\mathbf{2 0 0 6}$ | Division Champions | $\mathbf{4}$ | $\mathbf{2 - 1}$ | AFC Championship Game |
| $\mathbf{2 0 0 5}$ | Division Champions | $\mathbf{4}$ | $\mathbf{1 - 1}$ | AFC Divisional Round |
| $\mathbf{2 0 0 4}$ | Division Champions | $\mathbf{2}$ | $\mathbf{3 - 0}$ | Super Bowl Champions |
| $\mathbf{2 0 0 3}$ | Division Champions | $\mathbf{1}$ | $\mathbf{3 - 0}$ | Super Bowl Champions |
| $\mathbf{2 0 0 1}$ | Division Champions | $\mathbf{2}$ | $\mathbf{3 - 0}$ | Super Bowl Champions |
| $\mathbf{1 9 9 8}$ | Wild Card | $\mathbf{6}$ | $\mathbf{0 - 1}$ | Wild Card Round |
| $\mathbf{1 9 9 7}$ | Division Champions | $\mathbf{3}$ | $\mathbf{1 - 1}$ | AFC Divisional Round |
| $\mathbf{1 9 9 6}$ | Division Champions | $\mathbf{2}$ | $\mathbf{2 - 1}$ | AFC Champions |
| $\mathbf{1 9 9 4}$ | Wild Card | $\mathbf{5}$ | $\mathbf{0 - 1}$ | Wild Card Round |
| 1986 | Division Champions | 3 | $0-1$ | AFC Divisional Round |
| 1985 | Wild Card | 5 | $3-1$ | AFC Champions |
| $1982^{*}$ | 16-Team Format | 7 | $0-1$ | First Round |
| 1978 | Division Champions | 2 | $0-1$ | AFC Divisional Round |
| 1976 | Wild Card | 4 | $0-1$ | AFC Divisional Round |
| 1963 | Division Champions | -- | $1-1$ | AFL Championship Game |
| *-Strike Year I Bold indicates Kraft era | $\mathbf{3 4 - 2 0}$ | Record |  |  |

## A MODEL OF CONSISTENCY

Since Kraft took ownership of the team in 1994, the Patriots have had just three head coaches - Bill Parcells (1994-1996), Pete Carroll (1997-1999) and current head coach Bill Belichick (2000-present). The only team with fewer head coaches since 1994 is the Pittsburgh Steelers, who have had two: Bill Cowher (1992-2006) and Mike Tomlin (2007-present).
fewest head coaches since 1994
Pittsburgh. ..... $\ldots . . .2$
New England. ..... 3
Baltimore Ravens* .....  3
NFL average .....  6.7
AFC EAST HEAD COACHES SINCE 1994
New England. 3
N.Y. Jets... .....  8
Buffalo... .....  10

## WHAT TO LOOK FOR IN 2018

- The Patriots are tied with Dallas (5) and San Francisco (5) with five Super Bowl wins and need one more to tie the Pittsburgh Steelers (6) for the most Super Bowl wins in NFL history.
- The Patriots have played in the most Super Bowls in NFL history with 10 and look to add to that number in 2018.
- The Patriots will try to join Miami (3) and Buffalo (4) as the only teams to reach three consecutive Super Bowls.
- The Patriots extended their NFL record by reaching seven straight conference title games in 2017 (2011-17) and look to add to that total in 2018.
- The New England Patriots enter 2018 with 34 postseason wins and need two more postseason wins to tie Pittsburgh for the most postseason wins all-time.
- The Patriots have won 13 postseason games this decade and need one more postseason win to match the NFL record by New England (2000s), Dallas (1970s) and Pittsburgh (1970s) with 14.
- The New England Patriots have earned seven No. 1 seeds and need one more to tie San Francisco (8) and Denver (8) for the most since playoff seeding began in 1975.
- The Patriots have earned a first-round bye an NFL-best 13 times since the current playoff format was instituted in 1990. Denver, Pittsburgh and San Francisco are second with eight byes since 1990.
- The Patriots extended their NFL record to nine straight division titles (2009-17) and look to add to that number in 2018.
- The 2017 New England Patriots set an NFL record by advancing in the postseason for the seventh straight season (2011-17) and will look to add to that number in 2018.
- The Patriots have made the playoffs for nine straight seasons (2009-17), tied with Dallas (1975-83) and Indianapolis (2002-10) for the most in NFL history.
- With 10 wins, New England can tie San Francisco (1983-98) for the most consecutive seasons with at least 10 wins with 16.
- The Patriots enter 2018 with an NFL-record eight consecutive seasons with at least 11 wins. Indianapolis is second with seven (2003-09).
- The Patriots are tied with Dallas with 12 12-win seasons since 1970 and need one more to tie San Francisco for the most with 13 12win seasons.
- The Patriots have 124 wins (regular and postseason) in this decade and need four more victories overall in 2018 to pass the 2000-09 Patriots for the most wins in a decade in NFL history (126).
- The Patriots have 111 regular-season wins this decade and need five more regular-season victories over the next two seasons to move past the Indianapolis Colts record of 115 wins from 2000-09 for the most regular season wins in a decade.
- New England has 25 undefeated months since 2000, most in the NFL over that span. Indianapolis is second with 15 undefeated months during that time.


## WHAT TO LOOK FOR IN 2018

- New England has won 13 games in a single season seven times in franchise history. Only San Francisco has more 13-win seasons with nine.
- The Patriots have tallied six safeties since 2015 , most in the NFL over that span. The LA Rams are second with five safeties since 2015.


## 2018 ACCOMPLISHMENIS

- The New England Patriots victory over Kansas City (10/14/18) was their 218th win since 2000. New England moved past the San Francisco 49ers ( 217 wins -1980s-90s) for the most regular-season wins over two consecutive decades and now have 221 with 23 regular-season games remaining in the decade.
- The Patriots win at the N.Y. Jets $(11 / 25 / 18)$ put the team at $8-3$ and secured a record of. 500 or better for the 18th straight season, behind only Dallas, who had 21 straight seasons at .500 or better.
- The Patriots have now had a winning record for 18 straight seasons (2001-18) after a win vs. Minnesota (12/2/18) moved the team to 9-3, the most consecutive winning seasons since the 1970 merger.


## PATRIOTS 2018 CAPTANS

The New England Patriots 2018 team captains were elected by their teammates.

## OFFENSE

- C David Andrews, QB Tom Brady and RB James White


## DEFENSE

- S Patrick Chung and DB Devin McCourty


## SPECIAL TEAMS

- Matthew Slater

Brady was chosen as a captain for the 17th straight season. McCourty and Slater are captains for the eighth time, while David Andrews was elected for the second consecutive year. Patrick Chung and James White were chosen as captains for the first time.

## DECADEPLUS OF DOMINANCE

The Patriots record of 231-71 (.765) since 2002 is the best in the NFL over that span. Only three NFL teams have posted a winning percentage of .600 or better. The Patriots are the only team over .700 .

## BEST RECORDS SINCE 2002 <br> (INCLUDING POSTSEASON)

| Team | $\boldsymbol{W}$ | $\boldsymbol{L}$ | $\boldsymbol{T}$ | Pct. |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| New England | $\mathbf{2 3 1}$ | $\mathbf{7 1}$ | $\mathbf{0}$ | .765 |
| Pittsburgh | 187 | 102 | 2 | .646 |
| Indianapolis | 182 | 109 | 0 | .625 |
| Green Bay | 172 | 116 | 2 | .597 |
| Seattle | 166 | 124 | 1 | .572 |
| Philadelphia | 166 | 119 | 1 | .582 |
| Denver | 163 | 119 | 0 | .578 |
| Baltimore | 161 | 124 | 0 | .565 |
| New Orleans | 157 | 123 | 0 | .561 |

# ₹ <br> PATRIOTS <br> tham notes 

## DECADES OF DOMINANCE

The New England Patriots 126 wins in the 2000s is the all-time best mark for a decade in NFL history. The Patriots have 111 regular-season wins and 13 postseason wins so far in this decade (2010-present) for 124 total wins and need two total wins to match the record of 126 total wins in a decade.

| TEAMS OF THE DECADES |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Team | Years | Reg. Season | Postseason | Total |
| New England | 2000-09 | 112-48 (.700) | 14-4 (.778) | 126-52 (.708) |
| Indianapolis | 2000-09 | 115-45 (.719) | 9-8 (.529) | 124-53 (.701) |
| New England | 2010-present | 111-29 (.793) | 13-6 (.684) | 124-35 (.780) |
| San Francisco | 1990-99 | 113-47 (.706) | 9-7 (.563) | 122-54 (.693) |

## RECULAR-SEASON SUCCESS

The Indianapolis Colts set the NFL mark for most regular-season wins in a decade with 115 (2000-09). The Patriots have 111 regular-season wins so far this decade (2010-present) and need five more wins over the next two seasons to pass the Colts.

## AFC EAST SUPR=MACY

The New England Patriots own an 84-23 (.785) record in regular-season AFC East games since the beginning of the 2001 season, compiling the best intra-division record of any team in the NFL.

| NFL'S TOP DIVISIONAL RECORDS | SINCE 2001 |  |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Team | $\boldsymbol{W}$ | $\boldsymbol{L}$ | $\boldsymbol{T}$ | $\boldsymbol{P c t .}$ |
| New England | $\mathbf{8 4}$ | $\mathbf{2 3}$ | $\mathbf{0}$ | $\mathbf{. 7 8 5}$ |
| Pittsburgh | 78 | 32 | 1 | .707 |
| Indianapolis | 74 | 34 | 0 | .685 |
| Green Bay | 72 | 34 | 2 | .676 |

AFC EAST DIVISIONAL RECORDS SINCE 2001

| Team | $\boldsymbol{W}$ | $\boldsymbol{L}$ | $\boldsymbol{T}$ | Pct. | Div. Titles | Years |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | ---: |
| New England | $\mathbf{8 4}$ | $\mathbf{2 3}$ | $\mathbf{0}$ | . $\mathbf{. 7 8 5}$ | $\mathbf{1 5}$ | $\mathbf{2 0 0 1 , ~ 0 3 - 0 7 , ~ 0 9 - 1 7 ~}$ |
| N.Y. Jets | 47 | 61 | 0 | .435 | 1 | 2002 |
| Miami | 46 | 62 | 0 | .426 | 1 | 2008 |
| Buffalo | 39 | 68 | 0 | .364 | 0 | -- |

The New England Patriots have won 14 division titles and have 14 playoff berths since realignment in 2002, most in the NFL

| MOST DIVISION TITLES SINCE 2002 REALIGNMENT |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Team | Division Titles | Playoff Berths |
| New England.. | ...... 14. | ..................... 14 |
| Green Bay. | . 9 | ... 12 |
| Indianapolis. | 9 | ... 12 |
| Pittsburgh. | . 8 | ... 11 |
| Seattle | 8 | .. 11 |
| Philadelphia.. | 7. | ..... 9 |

## NINE STRAIGHT DIVISION THTLES

The Patriots have won nine straight AFC East titles, the longest streak in NFL history. Since 2001, the Patriots have won 15-of-17 AFC East division crowns.

MOST CONSECUTIVE DIVISION TITLES

| Team | Division | Years | Titles |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | ---: |
| New England | AFC East | $\mathbf{2 0 0 9 - 1 7}$ | $\mathbf{9}$ |
| L.A. Rams | NFC West | $1973-79$ | 7 |
| Pittsburgh | AFC Central | $1974-79$ | 6 |
| Minnesota | NFC Central | $1973-78$ | 6 |
| Dallas | NFL Capitol/NFC East | $1966-71$ | 6 |
| Cleveland | American/Eastern Conf. | $1950-55$ | 6 |
| New England | AFC East | $\mathbf{2 0 0 3 - 0 7}$ | $\mathbf{5}$ |
| Denver | AFC West | $2011-15$ | 5 |
| Indianapolis | AFC South | $2003-07$ | 5 |
| Dallas | NFC East | $1992-96$ | 5 |
| San Francisco | NFC West | $1986-90$ | 5 |
| Chicago | NFC Central | $1984-88$ | 5 |
| Oakland | AFC West | $1972-76$ | 5 |

## ROAD WARRIORS I

The Patriots ran a 14-game road win streak that started with a victory in the 2016 season opener at Arizona and ended with a loss at Miami on Dec. 11, 2017. The 14 -game road win streak is a team record, breaking the old mark of 12 straight road wins from 2006-08. The 14-game streak is second in NFL history to the 18-game road win streak by the San Francisco 49ers (1988-90)

## ROAD WARRIORS II

Since the start of the 1994 season when Robert Kraft purchased the team, the Patriots have the best regular-season road record in the NFL. New England finished undefeated on the road in two seasons (2007 and 2016),

BEST ROAD RECORDS SINCE 1994

| Team | W | $\boldsymbol{L}$ | $\boldsymbol{T}$ | Pct |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | ---: |
| New England | $\mathbf{1 2 4}$ | $\mathbf{7 4}$ | $\mathbf{0}$ | . $\mathbf{6 2 6}$ |
| Pittsburgh | 112 | 85 | 1 | .568 |
| Indianapolis | 101 | 97 | 0 | .510 |
| Philadelphia | 99 | 96 | 2 | .508 |
| Green Bay | 99 | 99 | 0 | .500 |

## WINNING THE CLOSE ONES

Since 2001, the New England Patriots own the NFL's best record (including postseason) in games decided by three points or fewer. The Patriots are the only team with a winning percentage above .700 in those games. New England is 7-2 in those close games in the playoffs. The only defeats are a 17-14 loss to the N.Y. Giants in Super Bowl XLII and a 20-18 loss in the 2015 AFC Championship Game at Denver.

BEST RECORD IN GAMES DECIDED BY 3 POINTS OR FEWER (SINCE 2001; INCLUDING PLAYOFFS)

| Team | W | $\boldsymbol{L}$ | T | Win Pct |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | ---: |
| New England | $\mathbf{4 3}$ | $\mathbf{1 7}$ | $\mathbf{0}$ | .717 |
| Indianapolis | 44 | 24 | 0 | .647 |
| Denver | 40 | 28 | 0 | .588 |
| Seattle | 40 | 31 | 1 | .563 |
| Pittsburgh | 41 | 33 | 1 | .553 |
| Atlanta | 39 | 32 | 1 | .549 |
| NY Jets | 33 | 27 | 0 | .550 |

## 1ST AFL TEAM TO REACH 500

The Patriots have the most overall wins among the original eight AFL teams. They are the only original AFL team with 500 victories.

## OVERALL VICTORY TOTAL OF ORIGINAL AFL TEAMS (INCLUDING PLAYOFFS)

| Team | $\boldsymbol{W}$ | $\boldsymbol{L}$ | $\boldsymbol{T}$ |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | ---: |
| New England | $\mathbf{5 3 2}$ | $\mathbf{4 0 9}$ | $\mathbf{9}$ |
| Denver | 499 | 429 | 10 |
| Oakland | 489 | 440 | 11 |
| Kansas City | 476 | 435 | 12 |
| SD/L.A. Chargers | 455 | 458 | 11 |
| Tennessee | 443 | 482 | 6 |
| Buffalo Bills | 427 | 491 | 8 |
| N.Y. Jets | 412 | 501 | 8 |

## BETTER THAN AVERACF

The Patriots are the only NFL team to finish with a record of .500 or better in each of the last 18 years (2001-18). Each of the other 31 NFL teams has had at least one losing season since 2001. The Patriots have the sec-ond-longest streak at . 500 or better, behind the Dallas Cowboys' (1965-85) streak of 21 straight years,

## MOST CONSECUTIVE SEASONS WITH A . 500 OR BETTER RECORD

| Team | Seasons | Consecutive Seasons |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Dallas | 1965-85 |  |
|  |  |  |
| New England .... 2001-present .................................................. 18 |  |  |

## NFL'S BEST AT HOME

Since Gillette Stadium opened in 2002, the Patriots own the NFL's best overall record at home. The Patriots own an overall record of 113-21 (.843) at home in regular-season games and a 131-24 (.845) record including playoffs. The Patriots are an NFL-best 175-48 at home since 1994, when Robert Kraft purchased the team.

BEST HOME RECORDS SINCE 2002 (INCLUDING PLAYOFFS)

| Team | W | $\boldsymbol{L}$ | $\boldsymbol{T}$ | Pct |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | ---: |
| New England | $\mathbf{1 3 1}$ | $\mathbf{2 4}$ | $\mathbf{0}$ | .845 |
| Pittsburgh | 102 | 42 | 1 | .707 |
| Seattle | 102 | 42 | 0 | .708 |
| Indianapolis | 101 | 44 | 0 | .697 |
| Baltimore | 99 | 39 | 0 | .717 |
| Green Bay | 98 | 44 | 2 | .688 |
| Denver | 94 | 49 | 0 | .657 |
| Minnesota | 89 | 49 | 0 | .645 |
| Philadelphia | 89 | 57 | 0 | .610 |

## NTERCONFERENCE RECORD

The New England Patriots own a 54-14 (.794) record vs. NFC teams since realignment in 2002, the best interconference record in the NFL during that time.

## NFL'S BEST INTERCONFERENCE RECORD SINCE 2002

| Team | $\boldsymbol{W}$ | $\boldsymbol{L}$ | $\boldsymbol{T}$ | Pct. |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| New England | $\mathbf{5 4}$ | $\mathbf{1 4}$ | $\mathbf{0}$ | .794 |
| Pittsburgh | 46 | 20 | 1 | .694 |
| Indianapolis | 41 | 25 | 0 | .621 |
| Denver | 40 | 27 | 0 | .597 |
| Philadelphia | 39 | 27 | 1 | .590 |

## BOUNCE BACK PAIS

Since the beginning of 2003, the Patriots are 47-7 (.870) in regular-season games following a loss. They have dropped back-to-back regu-lar-season games in 2006, 09, 11-12, 15 (twice) and 2018. As a starter in his career, Tom Brady is 47-11 in games following a loss.

## UNDEFEATED MONTHS

The Patriots have 25 undefeated months since 2000. It is the most undefeated months in the NFL over that span. Indianapolis is second with 15 undefeated months during that time.

## PATRIOTS UNDEFEATED MONTHS

 SINCE THE 2000 SEASON (EXCLUDING JANUARY)

## OFFENSE

## TAKING CARE OF BALL PAYS OFF

Since 2001, the Patriots are an NFL-best 133-22 when not throwing an interception.

## ZERO INT GAMES

| Team | Games with 0 Ints | W-L-T | Win Pct. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| New England | 155. | 133-22-0 | . 858 |
| Kansas City | 134 | 90-44-0 | 672 |
| Green Bay | .... 132 | 105-25-2 | . 803 |
| Seattle.. | . 131. | .95-35-1. | . 729 |
| Jacksonville | ... 127 | 75-52-0 | . 591 |
| San Francisco | . 125 | .84-40-1... | . 676 |
| Philadelphia | . 122 | .. 86-36-0 | . 705 |
| Indianapolis | .121. | 95-26-0 | . 785 |
| New Orleans. | .. 121. | 94-27-0 . | .. . 777 |
| LA Chargers. | ... 121. | 89-32-0.. | . 735 |
| Atlanta. | . 120 | .84-35-1. | . 704 |
| Minnesota. | .. 119. | .80-38-1... | .... 676 |

## PROTECTING THE BALL

Since 2008, the Patriots lead the NFL with 71 regular-season games without turning the ball over. The Patriots are 63-8 in those games.

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ZERO TURNOVER GAMES
    (SINCE 2008)
New England .......................... }7
Green Bay ................................... }6
Kansas City ................................ }5
San Francisco............................. }5
Seattle........................................ }5
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## 400-POINT SEASONS

The Patriots extended their NFL record to 11 straight seasons with at least 400 total points (2007-17) after finishing with 458 points last year. The San Diego Chargers previously held the record by scoring at least 400 points in eight straight seasons from 2004-11. The Patriots 458 points last year were second in the NFL to the 478 by the Los Angeles Rams. The 2018 Patriots are third with 280 points.

## RUSH TO VICTORY

Since 2000, New England is 50-1 in the regular season when a Patriot eclipses 100 yards rushing. The only loss during the Bill Belichick era came at Miami on Dec. 20, 2004, when Corey Dillon rushed for 121 yards on 26 carries and the Patriots fell 29-28 to the Dolphins. Since then, New England is 37-0 with a 100-yard rusher. In 2018, RB Sony Michel has three 100-yard games.

## THE 40/40 CLUB

The Patriots defeated the Kansas City Chiefs, 43-40, on Oct. 14, 2018 at Gillette Stadium. It was just the second time in franchise history that the Patriots have played in a game that both teams scored 40 or more points. The only other occurrence was a 43-43 tie vs. Oakland on Oct. 16, 1964.

## NO PUNTS; NO PENALTIES

The Patriots did not punt and were not charged with a penalty in the victory over Kansas City (10/14/18). It was the first time in the Super Bowl era that an NFL team played an entire game without punting or being charged an accepted penalty. It was the sixth time in franchise history that the Patriots were not charged with a penalty and the fifth time in franchise history that the Patriots did not punt in a regular-season game.

## WIDE RECEIVERS IN A RUSH

WR Cordarrelle Patterson (61 yards) and WR Julian Edelman (28 yards) combined for 89 yards rushing on 13 attempts in the win vs. Green Bay on Nov. 4, 2018. It marked the most rushing attempts and yards by wide receivers in a single game in New England history, besting the 51 yards on 12 attempts by the wide receivers ( 38 by Patterson and 13 by Edelman) the previous week vs Buffalo.

## MOST RUSHING YARDS BY

 PATRIOTS WIDE RECEIVERS IN A SINGLE GAME
$\qquad$

## THREE COMPLETE PASSES

QB Tom Brady, QB Brian Hoyer and WR Julian Edelman all completed at least one pass at Tennessee $(11 / 11 / 18)$. It was the first time three Patriots have completed a pass in the same game since Oct. 8, 2000, vs. Indianapolis (QB Drew Bledsoe, P Lee Johnson and QB Michael Bishop).

## DEFENSE

## DEFENSE DOMINATES AGAIN

The 2017 Patriots finished fifth in the NFL by allowing 18.5 points per game. It was the 12th time since 2001 that the Patriots finished a season allowing 20 points or fewer per game, the most in the NFL during that span. The Patriots had a streak of eight consecutive games in 2017 when they held their opponent to 20 points or fewer.

## SEASONS ALLOWING 20 POINTS PER GAME OR FEWER SINCE 2001

| Team | Seasons | Years |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| New England | ... 12 .... | .2001, 2003-04, 2006-10, 2014-17 |
| Baltimore | ..11.. | .2001, 2003-06, 2008-11, 2014, 2017 |
| Pittsburgh | .11.... | .2001, 2004-08, 2010-12, 2015, 2017 |
| Miami. | . 8 | ..... 2001-03, 2005-06, 2008, 2011-12 |
| Seattle. | 8. | .2005, 2007, 2011-16 |

## FORCING THE ISSUE

The Patriots lead the NFL with a +200 turnover margin since the 1994 season.

NFL TURNOVER MARGIN SINCE 1994
New England +200
Kansas City....................................+143
Green Bay. $+99$

## MOST SAFETIES SINCE 2015

| New Engla |  |
| :---: | :---: |
| LA Rams.. | 5 |
| Arizona. |  |
| Detroit Lion |  |
| Pittsburgh |  |

## beEN A WHILE

DB Devin McCourty returned an interception 84 yards for a touchdown in the win at Buffalo (10/29/18), the first interception return for a touchdown for the Patriots since DB Tavon Wilson returned a pick 76 yards for a touchdown at Baltimore on Dec. 22, 2013. It was the first defensive score for the Patriots since LB Jamie Collins returned a fumble for a touchdown at the New York Jets on Dec. 27, 2015.

## SPECIIL TEAMS

## MOST BLOCKED KICKS SINCE 2014

Philadelphia . ..... 15
Miami ..... 15
New England
13 (8 FGs, 2 XPs \& 3 Punts)

## Baltimore

 .13Denver 13

## SPECIAL TEAMS SCORING

The Patriots scored two touchdowns on special teams with a 95yard kickoff return by WR Cordarrelle Patterson and a 29-yard return of a blocked punt by LB Kyle Van Noy in the win at Chicago (10/21/18). It was the first time the Patriots had two special teams scores since Oct. 4, 2010, at Miami when WR Brandon Tate returned a kickoff 103 yards for a score and CB Kyle Arrington returned a blocked field goal 35 yards for a touchdown. It was the fifth time overall since the 1970 AFL-NFL merger that the Patriots had two special teams touchdowns in one game:

- Nov. 18, 1979 vs. Baltimore (blocked punt return and punt return for touchdowns)
- Nov. 23, 1980 vs. Baltimore (two kickoff fumble returns for touchdowns)
- Jan. 27, 2002 at Pittsburgh in the AFC Championship (punt return and a blocked punt return for a touchdown)
- Oct. 4, 2010 at Miami (kickoff return and blocked field goal return for touchdowns)
- Oct. 21, 2018 at Chicago (kickoff return and blocked punt return for touchdowns)


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REGULAR-SEASON HOME RECORD SINCE 2002

| Team | $\boldsymbol{W}$ | $\boldsymbol{L}$ | $\boldsymbol{T}$ | Pct. |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| New England | $\mathbf{1 1 3}$ | $\mathbf{2 1}$ | $\mathbf{0}$ | $\mathbf{. 8 4 3}$ |
| Baltimore | 97 | 37 | 0 | .724 |
| Pittsburgh | 95 | 38 | 1 | .713 |
| Green Bay | 93 | 39 | 2 | .701 |
| Seattle | 92 | 41 | 0 | .692 |

HOME PLAYOFF RECORD SINCE 2002

| Team | $\boldsymbol{W}$ | $\boldsymbol{L}$ | Pct. |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Seattle | 10 | 1 | .909 |
| New England | $\mathbf{1 8}$ | $\mathbf{3}$ | .857 |
| Indianapolis | 8 | 3 | .727 |
| Denver | 6 | 3 | .667 |
| Pittsburgh | 7 | 4 | .636 |

## HOME RECORD SINCE 2002 (INCLUDING PLAYOFFS)

| Team | $\boldsymbol{W}$ | $\boldsymbol{L}$ | $\boldsymbol{T}$ | Pct. |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| New England | $\mathbf{1 3 1}$ | $\mathbf{2 4}$ | $\mathbf{0}$ | .845 |
| Baltimore | 99 | 39 | 0 | .717 |
| Seattle | 102 | 42 | 0 | .708 |
| Pittsburgh | 102 | 42 | 1 | .707 |
| Indianapolis | 101 | 44 | 0 | .697 |

HOME RECORD AFTER HALLOWEEN SINCE 2002 (INCLUDING PLAYOFFS)

| Team | W | $\boldsymbol{L}$ | $\boldsymbol{T}$ | Pct. |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| New England | $\mathbf{7 5}$ | $\mathbf{1 7}$ | $\mathbf{0}$ | .815 |
| Baltimore | 60 | 22 | 0 | .732 |
| Indianapolis | 64 | 24 | 0 | .727 |
| Pittsburgh | 60 | 25 | 1 | .703 |
| Seattle | 62 | 28 | 0 | .689 |


| HOME RECORD VS. | NFC | SINCE 2002 |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Team | $\boldsymbol{W}$ | $\boldsymbol{L}$ | $\boldsymbol{T}$ | Pct. |
| Pittsburgh | 27 | 6 | 1 | .809 |
| New England | $\mathbf{2 7}$ | $\mathbf{7}$ | $\mathbf{0}$ | .794 |
| Baltimore | 25 | 8 | 0 | .758 |
| Denver | 24 | 10 | 0 | .706 |
| Cincinnati | 21 | 9 | 3 | .682 |

HOME RECORD VS. DIVISIONAL OPPONENTS SINCE 2002

| Team | $\boldsymbol{W}$ | $\boldsymbol{L}$ | $\boldsymbol{T}$ | Pct. |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| New England | $\mathbf{4 2}$ | $\mathbf{7}$ | $\mathbf{0}$ | .857 |
| Indianapolis | 40 | 10 | 0 | .800 |
| Pittsburgh | 37 | 13 | 0 | .740 |
| Green Bay | 35 | 13 | 2 | .719 |
| Seattle | 35 | 15 | 0 | .700 |

POINT DIFFERENTIAL AT HOME SINCE 2002 (INCLUDING PLAYOFFS)

| Team | Point Differential |
| :--- | ---: |
| New England | $\mathbf{1 , 7 2 5}$ |
| Green Bay | 1,069 |
| Baltimore | 1,045 |
| Seattle | 1,044 |
| Pittsburgh | 1,009 |

POINTS ALLOWED PER GAME AT HOME SINCE 2002 (INCLUDING PLAYOFFS)

| Team | Point Average |
| :--- | ---: |
| Baltimore | 16.7 |
| New England | $\mathbf{1 7 . 6}$ |
| Seattle | 18.3 |
| Pittsburgh | 19.2 |
| Green Bay | 19.2 |

POINTS SCORED PER GAME AT HOME SINCE 2002 (INCLUDING PLAYOFFS)

| Team | Point Average |
| :--- | ---: |
| New England | $\mathbf{2 8 . 8}$ |
| New Orleans | 28.2 |
| Green Bay | 26.6 |
| Pittsburgh | 26.2 |
| L.A. Chargers | 26.0 |

## BY THE NUMBARS <br> 2

The Patriots scored on two special teams plays at Chicago (10/21/18), the fifth time that has occurred for the Patriots since 1970.

## 5

DB Duron Harmon has five interceptions in the end zone during his career in the regular season.

9
New England is the only team that has made the playoffs in each of the last nine seasons (2009-17),

10
DB Nate Ebner now has 10 special teams tackles in 2018. He has had at least 10 special teams tackles every season he has played except 2017 when he was limited to nine games due to injury.

## 11

The Patriots have won 11 straight regular-season games at home.
14
The Patriots have had a rookie free agent make the 53-man open-ing-day roster for 14 straight seasons, the third-longest streak behind the Chargers (21) and Colts (19).

16
Tom Brady has thrown at least 10 touchdown passes to 16 different players, second to the 18 different players by Brett Favre.

## 18

RB James White has 18 touchdown receptions since 2015, the most among all running backs during that span.

## 18

The Patriots have gone 18 straight seasons without being swept in a series by a division opponent after beating each of the AFC East teams in 2018, extending the longest such streak since the 1970 NFL merger.

18
The Patriots have won nine or more games in 18 straight seasons, the most in the NFL.

## 22

The Patriots have scored on the final possession of the first half and the opening possession of the second half 22 times since 2009, most in the NFL. New Orleans is second with 17 such occurrences.

## 37-0

The Patriots are 37-0 at home against AFC teams with Tom Brady and Julian Edelman in the lineup together

## 61

WR Cordarrelle Patterson had 61 yards rushing vs. Green Bay (11/4/18), the most rushing yards in a game by a Patriots wide receiver in team history.

## 62

Stephen Gostkowski kicked a Patriots record 62-yard field goal in Mexico City against Oakland on Nov. 19, 2017. His previous long was from 58 yards earlier that season vs. Carolina (10/1/17).

77
Rob Gronkowski and Tom Brady have connected on 77 touchdown passes. It is the second-most connections between a quarterback and a tight end in NFL history and is fifth overall between quarterbacks and pass-catchers.

## 92-1

The Patriots are 92-1 all-time at Gillette Stadium when leading at halftime.

## TOM BRADY BY THE NUMBERS

## 5

Brady is the only QB with five Super Bowl wins. He joined Hall of Fame DL Charles Haley (5) as the only other NFL player with five Super Bowl wins.

## 8

Brady won his eighth conference title in 2017, an NFL record. He passed DL Mike Lodish for the most Super Bowls played with seven in Super Bowl LI. Lodish played in six (four with Buffalo and two with Denver).

## TOM BRADY BY THE NUMBERS

12
Brady played in his 12th conference championship game in 2017, the most in NFL history. Gene Upshaw and George Blanda (10) are tied for second for most conference championship game appearances.

16
Brady set a Super Bowl record with 16 straight pass completions in Super Bowl XLVI vs. the New York Giants.

19
The longest streak of consecutive pass completions by Brady in a regular-season game (Sept. 10, 2015 vs. Pittsburgh), a team record.

## 90.0

The percent of quarterback keepers converted by Brady (117-of130 ) for first downs (89-of-98 on third-and-2 or less and 28-of-32 on fourth-and-2 or less).

## 232

Brady has the most overall wins among all NFL players.
505
Brady set a Super Bowl record with 505 passing yards in Super Bowl LII, breaking the record of 466 yards he set the previous year in Super Bowl LI.

4,577
Brady led the NFL in 2017 with 4,577 yards passing at age 40 to become the oldest player to lead the NFL. The previous oldest player to lead the league in passing yards was Fran Tarkenton with 3,468 yards in 1978 at age 38 with Minnesota.

## THE KRAFT ERA <br> 5

The number of Super Bowl championships the Patriots have won since Robert Kraft purchased the team in 1994. That mark is highest in the NFL over that span.

9
The number of conference championships the Patriots have won since Robert Kraft purchased the team in 1994, the NFL record for most conference championships as an owner.

17
The number of division championships won by the Patriots since Kraft purchased the team in 1994.

19
The number of playoff seasons earned by the Patriots in the 24 seasons since Robert Kraft purchased the team.

44
The number of playoff games the Patriots have appeared in since 1994, the most in the NFL. Green Bay has the second most with 36.

## 271

The number of consecutive home games that have been sold out, including all playoff and preseason games, dating back to the 1994 season opener.

307
The number of games the Patriots have won since Robert Kraft purchased the franchise in 1994. Prior to Kraft's ownership, the team had won 225 total games in its entire 34-year history from 1960-93.

## THE B =llchlck arA

Bill Belichick ( 287 wins) is in third place on the NFL wins list.
4
Bill Belichick is the first coach to lead his team to four 500-point seasons (2007, 2010-12).

## 5

Bill Belichick has won five Super Bowls as a head coach, the most Super Bowl wins by a head coach in NFL history.

## 5

The number of 14 -win seasons by Bill Belichick, the most among all NFL coaches.

## 11

Super Bowl LII was Belichick's 11th Super Bowl overall, including eight as a head coach and three as an assistant coach.

## Z BLL BELICHICK wiws solors

Bill Belichick is the only head coach in NFL history to win five Super Bowl titles. He won more regular-season games (123) and more games overall (136) during a 10-year stretch (2002-11) than any other coach in NFL history. In 2007, Belichick led the Patriots to the fourth undefeated and untied regular season in NFL history and the first since the NFL established a 16-game schedule in 1978. His 44 consecutive years as an NFL coach are second in NFL history to 45 by Dick LeBeau.


## 24TH SEASON AS HEAD COACH 44TH NFL SEASON

Overall Record: 287-132 (.685)
Regular Season: 259-121 (.682) Postseason: 28-11 (.718)
With Patriots overall (2000-18): 250-87 (.742)
Super Bowl Titles: $7(86,90,01,03,04,14,16)$
Conf. Titles: 11 ( $86,90,96,01,03,04,07,11,14,16,17)$ Division Titles: $22(75,78,86,89,90,96,98,01,03,04,05,06$, $07,09,10,11,12,13,14,15,16,17)$

## WHAT TO LOOK FOR IN 2018

- Belichick has an NFL-best five Super Bowl championships as a head coach. If he wins one more championship, he will join George Halas and Curly Lambeau as the only NFL coaches with six championships since the league began postseason play in 1933.
- Belichick's 15 division titles are the most in NFL history. Don Shula and Tom Landry are second with 13 division crowns.
- Belichick can extend his NFL record with a 10th consecutive division title. Four other coaches are tied for second with six straight division titles.
- Belichick has 15 straight 10-win seasons, an NFL record. George Seifert is second with eight (1989-96).
- Belichick owns the NFL record with 15 11-win seasons. Don Shula is second with 13.
- Belichick has the NFL record with a dozen 12-win seasons. Don Shula is second with eight.
- Belichick is the only head coach in NFL history with seven seasons of 13 -plus wins. George Seifert is second with four 13 -win seasons.


## 2018 ACCOMPLISHMENTS

- Belichick (259) entered the 2018 season tied for third all-time with Tom Landry with 250 career regular-season wins, behind Don Shula (328) and George Halas (318). The 27-20 opening-day win vs. Houston pushed him past Landry into sole possession of third place.
- Belichick earned his 18 -straight winning seasons, second-most behind Tom Landry's 20 (1966-85), with the victory over Minnesota (12/02/18) to improve to a 9-3 record.


## THE HIGHEST WINNING PCT.

Bill Belichick has recorded 287 career wins, which is third in NFL history. Belichick owns a career winning percentage of .685 which is the highest in NFL history.

| TOP WINNING PERCENTAGE AMONG HEAD | COACHES |  |  |  |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| WITH AT | LEAST 160 | WINS (INCL. POSTSEASON) |  |  |  |  |
| Head Coach | Team(s) | Years | $\boldsymbol{W}$ | $\boldsymbol{L}$ | $\boldsymbol{T}$ | Pct. |
| Bill Belichick | CLE/NE | $\mathbf{1 9 9 1 - 9 5 , 2 0 0 0 - 1 8}$ | $\mathbf{2 8 7}$ | $\mathbf{1 3 2}$ | $\mathbf{0}$ | $\mathbf{. 6 8 5}$ |
| George Halas | Chicago | $1920-29,33-41$, | 324 | 151 | 31 | .682 |
|  |  | $46-55,58-67$ |  |  |  |  |
| Don Shula | BLT/MIA | $1963-95$ | 347 | 173 | 6 | .666 |
| Curly Lambeau | GB/CHI/WAS | $1921-53$ | 229 | 134 | 22 | .630 |

NOTE: Winning percentage calculated using current NFL rules, counting a tie as a half-win, half-loss.

## MOVING ON UP

Bill Belichick ranks third all-time in NFL history with 287 career wins.
MOST WINS BY NFL COACHES

| Head Coach | Team(s) | Years | W | $\boldsymbol{L}$ | $\boldsymbol{T}$ |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | ---: |
| Don Shula | BLT/MIA | $1963-95$ | 347 | 173 | 6 |
| George Halas | Chicago | $1920-29,33-41$, | 324 | 151 | 31 |
|  |  | $46-55,58-67$ |  |  |  |
| Bill Belichick | CLE/NE | $\mathbf{1 9 9 1 - 9 5 , ~ 2 0 0 0 - 1 8 ~}$ | $\mathbf{2 8 7}$ | $\mathbf{1 3 2}$ | $\mathbf{0}$ |
| Tom Landry | Dallas | $1960-88$ | 270 | 178 | 6 |
| Curly Lambeau | GB/CHI/WAS | $1921-53$ | 229 | 134 | $\mathbf{2 2}$ |

## SUPAR SUCCESS

Bill Belichick has won five Super Bowls, the most by a head coach.

## MOST SUPER BOWL VICTORIES

## Head Coach

Bill Belichick
Chuck Noll
Joe Gibbs
Bill Walsh

Titles Seasons
Team
New England
Pittsburgh Pittsburgh 5 2001, 2003, 2004, 2014, 2016 1974, 1975, 1978, 1979
1982, 1987, 1991
1981, 1984, 1988

NOTE: Sorted by most recent championship. Super Bowls have determined NFL champion since 1966.

## 11 SUPER BOWL APPEARANCES

Super Bowl LII was Bill Belichick's 11th Super Bowl in his career, the most appearances by an NFL coach in history.

## MOST SUPER BOWL APPEARANCES AS A HEAD COACH OR ASSISTANT

Bill Belichick $\qquad$ 11 (eight as a head coach)
Dan Reeves $\qquad$ .7 (four as a head coach)
Don Shula. (four as a head coach)
Tom Landry $\qquad$ 5 (five as a head coach)
Chuck Noll. .5 (five as a head coach)
Marv Levy
.5 (four as a head coach)


## EIOHT CONFERENCE TITLES ARE THE MOST IN SUPER BOWL ERA

The 2017 AFC Championship was Bill Belichick's eighth conference championship, the most in NFL history during the Super Bowl era (since 1966).
MOST CONFERENCE CHAMPIONSHIPS BY A HEAD COACH IN SUPER BOWL ERA

| HEAD COACH <br> Bill Belichick | TEAM | \# | SEASONS | SUPER BOWL APPEARANCES XXXVI, XXXVIII, XXXIX, XLII, |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Bill Belichick | New England | 8 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { 2001, 2003, 2004, } 2007 \text {, } \\ & 2011,2014,2016,2017 \end{aligned}$ | XXXVI, XXXVIII, XXXIX, XLII, XLVI, XLIX, LI, LII |
| Don Shula | Baltimore/Miami | 6 | 1968, 1971, 1972, 1973, 1982, 1984 | III, VI, VII, VIII, XVII, XIX |
| Tom Landry | Dallas | 5 | 1970, 1971, 1975, 1977, 1978 | V, VI, X, XII, XIII |
| Joe Gibbs | Washington | 4 | 1982, 1983, 1987, 1991 | XVII, XVIII, XXII, XXVI |
| Bud Grant | Minnesota | 4 | 1969, 1973, 1974, 1976 | IV, VII, IX, XI |
| Marv Levy | Buffalo | 4 | 1990, 1991, 1992, 1993 | XXV, XXVI, XXVII, XXVIII |
| Chuck Noll | Pittsburgh | 4 | 1974, 1975, 1978, 1979 | IX, X, XIII, XIV |
| Dan Reeves | Denver/Atlanta | 4 | 1986, 1987, 1989, 1998 | XXI, XXII, XXIV, XXIII |

## ELITE COMPANY

Bill Belichick is one of four NFL head coaches to win five or more championships since the league began postseason play in 1933, but the only one to win five Super Bowls. Belichick can join George Halas and Curly Lambeau as the only coaches with six titles.
HEAD COACHES WITH FOUR OR MORE NFL TITLES
Coach NFL Titles Championship Teams
George Halas $6 \quad$ Chicago (1921, 33, 40, 41, 46 \& 63)
Curly Lambeau $6 \quad$ Green Bay (1929, 30, 31, 36, 39 \& 44)
Bill Belichick $5 \quad$ New England (SB XXXVI, XXXVIII, XXXIX, XLIX \& LI)
Vince Lombardi $5 \quad$ Green Bay (1961, 62, 65, SB I \& II)

## POSTSEASON GAMES

Belichick coached in his NFL record 37th postseason game in the 2017 AFC Divisional Playoff game against Tennessee to move past Tom Landry and Don Shula. He has now coached in 39 postseason games.

MOST POSTSEASON GAMES AS A HEAD COACH

## Head Coach Team(s) Games

Bill Belichick .............................. CLE/NE........................................ 39
Tom Landry ...................................... Dallas............................................. 36
Don Shula.......................................BLT/MIA........................................... 36
Chuck NoII................................... Pittsburgh......................................... 24
Mike Holmgren ..............................GB/SEA............................................ 24
Joe Gibbs ....................................Washington ....................................... 24

## 12 CONFERENCE CHAMPIONSHIP GAMES

Belichick reached his 12th conference championship game as a head coach in 2017 to extend his record for the most since the 1970 merger.

## MOST CONFERENCE CHAMPIONSHIPS AS A HEAD COACH

## Head Coach

Conference Championships
Bill Belichick ...................................................................................... 12
Tom Landry ................................................................................................ 10
Don Shula...................................................................................................... 7
Chuck Noll.................................................................................................... 7
John Madden .............................................................................................. 6
Bill Cowher.................................................................................................. 6

## MOST POSTSEASON WINS

Belichick earned his NFL-record 21st postseason victory after the Patriots defeated the Indianapolis Colts in the AFC Championship Game on Jan. 18, 2015. He now has 28 postseason victories.

| MOST PLAYOFF WINS BY AN NFL HEAD COACH |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| COACH | TEAM(s) | WINS |
| Bill Belichick | CLE/NE | $\mathbf{2 8}$ |
| Tom Landry | Dallas | 20 |
| Don Shula | BLT/MIA | 19 |
| Joe Gibbs | Washington | 17 |
| Chuck Noll | Pittsburgh | 16 |

BEST POSTSEASON RECORDS IN NFL HISTORY (MINIMUM 10 GAMES)

| HEAD COACH | TEAM | W | $\boldsymbol{L}$ | PCT. |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Vince Lombardi | GB/WAS | 9 | 1 | .900 |
| Tom Flores | Oakland | 8 | 3 | .727 |
| Bill Belichick | CLE/NE | $\mathbf{2 8}$ | $\mathbf{1 1}$ | .718 |
| Bill Walsh | San Francisco | 10 | 4 | .714 |
| Joe Gibbs | Washington | 17 | 7 | .708 |
| Jimmy Johnson | DAL/MIA | 9 | 4 | .692 |

## POSTSEASON BERTHS

Bill Belichick has led his teams to 16 postseason berths, which is third all-time among NFL head coaches.

| NFL HEAD COACHES WITH THE MOST POSTSEASON BERTHS |  |
| :---: | :---: |
| Head Coach | Postseason Appearances |
| Don Shula |  |
| Tom Landry | ..... 18 |
| Il Belichi |  |

## DIVISION TITLES RECORD

Belichick again guided the Patriots to the AFC East title in 2017. His 15 division titles are the most by a head coach in NFL history. Don Shula and Tom Landry are second with 13 titles.

## MOST CONSECUTIVE DIVISION TITLES

Belichick is the first NFL coach to lead his team to nine consecutive division titles after claiming the AFC East crown in 2017. Paul Brown (1950-55), Tom Landry (1966-71), Bud Grant (1973-78) and Chuck Noll (1974-79) led their teams to six straight titles.
NFL COACHES WITH THE MOST CONSECUTIVE
DIVISION TITLES

Team | Consec. Div. Titles |
| :---: |

## SUPER COMEBACK

Belichick coached the Patriots back from a 25-point deficit to win Super Bowl LI. A comeback of that magnitude is extremely rare. There had been 2,656 games in which a team led by 25 points or more in NFL history, including the postseason. Teams leading by 25 had recorded 2,647 wins, 7 losses and 2 ties, a winning percentage of .997.

## PATRIOTS RENAISSANCE

Once head coach Bill Belichick implemented his coaching design on the Patriots, his approach has given him the best record of any NFL head coach who has coached over 40 games since 2001 (including the postseason)

| Coach |  | W | $L$ | T | Pct |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Bill Belichick | New England | 245 | 76 | 0 | . 763 |
| Tony Dungy | TB/IND | 101 | 41 | 0 | . 711 |
| Jim Harbaugh | San Francisco | 49 | 22 | 1 | . 688 |
| Bill Cowher | Pittsburgh | 70 | 35 | 1 | . 665 |
| Mike Tomlin | Pittsburgh | 131 | 71 | 1 | . 648 |
| Pete Carroll | Seattle | 95 | 58 | 1 | . 620 |
| Doug Pederson | Philadelphia | 29 | 18 | 0 | . 617 |
| Mike Martz | St. Louis | 46 | 29 | 0 | . 613 |
| Andy Reid | PHI/KC | 187 | 118 | 1 | . 613 |
| Mike McCarthy | Green Bay | 135 | 85 | 2 | . 613 |
| Sean Payton | New Orleans | 122 | 78 | 0 | . 610 |
| Bruce Arians | Arizona | 50 | 32 | 1 | . 608 |

## 3X COACH OF THE YEAR

The Associated Press named Bill Belichick the NFL's Coach of the Year in 2010, the third time that Belichick earned the honor. He was also named Coach of the Year following the 2003 and 2007 seasons, joining Don Shula (4-time winner) and Chuck Knox as the only three-time winners.

## ABOVE THE CENTURY MARK

Bill Belichick has an overall record of 287-132, 155 games above the .500 mark. He joins Don Shula and George Halas as the only coaches with 100 more wins than losses.

NFL COACHES WITH 100 OR MORE WINS THAT LOSSES Head Coach Team(s) W L T Wins above . 500 Don Shula BLT/MIA $347173 \quad 6 \quad 174$ George Halas Chicago 32415131173 Bill Belichick CLE/NE $2871320 \quad 155$

## 500+ FOR 3 STRAIGHT YEARS

Belichick is the first head coach in NFL history to lead a team to three straight 500-point seasons (2010-12) and four overall (2007589, 2010-518, 2011-513 and 2012-557). St. Louis is the only other team to have done it three times (1999-526, 2000-540, 2001-503).

## 200 WINS WITH PATS

Belichick now has 223 career regular-season wins with the Patriots, the fourth-most regular-season wins with one team.

## NFL HEAD COACHES WITH THE MOST WINS WITH ONE TEAM

| Coach | Team | W | $\boldsymbol{L}$ | T |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | ---: |
| George Halas | Chicago | 318 | 148 | 31 |
| Don Shula | Miami | 257 | 133 | 2 |
| Tom Landry | Dallas | 250 | 162 | 6 |
| Bill Belichick | New England | $\mathbf{2 2 3}$ | $\mathbf{7 7}$ | $\mathbf{0}$ |
| Curly Lambeau | Green Bay | 209 | 104 | 21 |
| Chuck Noll | Pittsburgh | 193 | 148 | 1 |

## better than average

Belichick has led the Patriots to 18 straight seasons with a winning record (2001-18), second all-time behind Tom Landry, whose Dallas Cowboys accomplished the feat 20 straight years from 1966-85.

## MOST CONSECUTIVE SEASONS WITH

 A WINNING RECORD| Head Coach | Team | Years |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Tom Landry | Dallas | $20-1966-85$ |
| Bill Belichick | New England | $\mathbf{1 8 - 2 0 0 1 - 1 8}$ |
| Curly Lambeau | Green Bay | $14-1934-47$ |
| Curly Lambeau | Green Bay | $12-1921-32$ |
| George Halas | Chicago | $10-1933-42$ |
| John Madden | Oakland | $10-1969-78$ |

## CAREER MILESTONE

Belichick is just the fourth NFL head coach to reach 250 career regular-season victories. His 259 regular-season wins are the thirdmost regular season wins all-time.

| MOST REGULAR-SEASON WINS, NFL HEAD | COACHES |  |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Head Coach | Team(s) | $\boldsymbol{W}$ | $\boldsymbol{L}$ | $\boldsymbol{T}$ |
| Don Shula | BLT/MIA | 328 | 156 | 6 |
| George Halas | Chicago | 318 | 148 | 6 |
| Bill Belichick | CLE/NE | $\mathbf{2 5 9}$ | $\mathbf{1 2 1}$ | $\mathbf{0}$ |
| Tom Landry | Dallas | 250 | 162 | 6 |
| Curly Lambeau | GB/CHI/WAS | 226 | 132 | 22 |

DIVISIONAL SUCCESS

## HEAD COACHES WITH THE HIGHEST WINNING PERCENTAGE AGAINST DIVISION OPPONENTS (SINCE 1970-MINIMUM 60 GAMES)

| Head Coach | Team(s) | W | L | T | Win Pct. |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | ---: |
| Mike Tomlin | Pittsburgh | 50 | 20 | 1 | .711 |
| George Allen | LAR/WAS | 42 | 18 | 2 | .700 |
| Bud Grant | Minnesota | 69 | 31 | 1 | .688 |
| Bill Belichick | CLE/NE | $\mathbf{1 0 1}$ | $\mathbf{4 6}$ | $\mathbf{0}$ | .687 |
| Tom Landry | Dallas | 101 | 46 | 0 | .687 |
| Mike McCarthy | Green Bay | 51 | 23 | 2 | .684 |
| Marty Schottenheimer | CLE/KC/SD/WAS | 95 | 51 | 0 | .651 |


| HEAD COACHES WITH THE MOST WINS AGAINST |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| DIVISION OPPONENTS SINCE 1970 |

## ₹ TOM BRADY wens wotes

## CAREER NOTES

Tom Brady has quarterbacked the Patriots to victories in 205 of his 263 career regu-lar-season starts, compiling a .779 winning percentage and giving him the best record of any quarterback in the Super Bowl era (since 1966). Brady's 155 career wins in his first 200 starts are the most in NFL history. Peyton Manning is second with 136 wins in his first 200 career starts.


## WHAT TO LOOK FOR IN 2018

- If Brady reaches 30 or more touchdowns passes in 2018 , he will become just the fourth player in NFL history with 30 or more touchdown passes in eight seasons, joining Brett Favre (9), Peyton Manning (9) and Drew Brees (9).
- Brady is tied with Peyton Manning, Drew Brees and Aaron Rodgers with four seasons with 35 or more touchdowns and needs to reach that mark in 2018 for his fifth season with 35 or more touchdowns, for the most in NFL history.
- Brady has passed for 4,000 yards nine times in his career and if he reaches 4,000 yards in 2018, he will be the third player to reach ten seasons with 4,000 yards, joining Peyton Manning (14) and Drew Brees (12).
- Brady led the NFL with 36 touchdowns passes in 2015, his fourth time leading the NFL in passing touchdowns. He tied Drew Brees, Len Dawson, Brett Favre, Peyton Manning, Johnny Unitas and Steve Young for most seasons leading the NFL in touchdown passes.
- Brady has 579 touchdowns overall (508 in the regular season and 71 in the postseason) and needs one touchdown pass to move past Peyton Manning (579) to become the all-time leader in touchdown passes.
- Brady has 69,501 regular season passing yards. He needs 499 yards to become the fourth QB in NFL history with 70,000 regular season passing yards.
- Brady has 86 300-yard games and needs four more to become the third NFL player with 90 300-yard games, joining Drew Brees (115) and Peyton Manning (93).
- Brady is tied with eight other NFL players with two games with six or more touchdowns and needs one six-TD game to tie Peyton Manning, who had three games with six or more touchdowns.
- Tom Brady has won 30 Player of the Week awards to set the NFL record for the most Player of the Week honors, and he has an NFL record 10 Player of the Month honors.
- Brady leads the NFL with 55 career games with three touchdown passes and no interceptions.
- Brady has started 263 regular-season games at quarterback. If he starts all 16 games in 2018 he will move past Peyton Manning (265) and be second all-time with 267 starts behind Brett Favre (298).
- Brady has played in 265 regular-season games, which is fourth alltime among NFL quarterbacks. If he plays in all 16 games in 2018 he will move into third place all-time with 269 games played among NFL quarterbacks, behind George Blanda (340) and Brett Favre (302).
- Brady (13) needs one more Pro Bowl berth to join Tony Gonzalez (14), Peyton Manning (14), Bruce Matthews (14) and Merlin Olsen (14) as the only NFL players with at least 14 Pro Bowl berths.


## 2018 ACCOMPLISHMENTS

- Brady (232) earned his 227th career overall win vs. Kansas City (10/14/18) to move past Adam Vinatieri (231) for the most wins all-time by an NFL player.
- Brady became the third QB in NFL history to throw 500 career touchdown passes, joining Peyton Manning (539), Drew Brees (517) and Brett Favre (508). Brady reached the mark with three touchdowns passes vs. Indianapolis (10/04/18). He is the only player with 500 touchdowns with one team.
- Brady moved past Peyton Manning in the win over the Jets (11/25/18) and now has the most total passing yards in NFL history, including the postseason (79,727).
- Brady has thrown touchdowns to 71 different players in his career, the most touchdown targets by a QB. Brady reached the milestone on a 34-yard touchdown pass to WR Josh Gordon vs Indianapolis (10/04/18).
- Brady is in his 19th season with the Patriots in 2018. He joined Jim Marshall (19-Minnesota), Bruce Matthews (19-Houston/Tennessee), Darrell Green (20-Washington), Jackie Slater (20-L.A. Rams) and Jason Hanson (21-Detroit) as the only players with at least 19 seasons with one NFL team.



## RECORDING SUCCESS

TOP WINNING PERCENTAGE IN SUPER BOWL ERA (SINCE 1966, MINIMUM 50 STARTS, REGULAR SEASON ONLY)

| Player | Team(s) | Years | W | L | T Pct. |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 1. Tom Brady | New England | $\mathbf{2 0 0 0}-\mathbf{1 8}$ | $\mathbf{2 0 5}$ | $\mathbf{5 8}$ | $\mathbf{0}$ | .779 |
| 2. Roger Staubach | Dallas | $1969-79$ | 85 | 29 | 0 | .746 |
| 3. Joe Montana | SF/KC | $1979-94$ | 117 | 47 | 0 | .713 |

## ACTIVE QUARTERBACKS WINNING PERCENTAGE (MINIMUM 32 STARTS, REGULAR SEASON ONLY)

| Quarterback | Team(s) | W | $\boldsymbol{L}$ | T | Pct. |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 1. Tom Brady | New England | $\mathbf{2 0 5}$ | $\mathbf{5 8}$ | $\mathbf{0}$ | .779 |
| 2. Ben Roethlisberger | Pittsburgh | 142 | 67 | 1 | .679 |
| 3. Russell Wilson | Seattle | 72 | 35 | 1 | .671 |
| 4. Dak Prescott | Dallas | 29 | 15 | 0 | .659 |
| 5. Jared Goff | L.A. Rams | 22 | 12 | 0 | .647 |
| 6. Aaron Rodgers | Green Bay | 98 | 55 | 1 | .640 |
| 7. Andrew Luck | Indianapolis | 49 | 33 | 0 | .598 |
| 8. Carson Wentz | Philadelphia | 23 | 16 | 0 | .590 |
| 9. Joe Flacco | Baltimore | 96 | 67 | 0 | .589 |
| 10. Alex Smith | SF/KC/WAS | 94 | 66 | 1 | .587 |

## 12 AFC CHAMPIONSHIP GAME APPEARANCES

The Patriots have reached 12 conference championship games in the Tom Brady/Bill Belichick era (since 2001 with Brady starting at QB). The Patriots have made 12 title games in the 16 seasons with Brady as the starter.

## ALL-TIME WINS LAADER

## MOST CAREER WINS BY A STARTING NFL QUARTERBACK (INCLUDING PLAYOFFS)

## Quarterback <br> Tom Brady

Peyton Manning
Brett Favre John Elway

Team(s)
New England IND/DEN ATL/GB/NYJ/MIN Denver

## Wins

232 (205 reg. season/27 postseason) 200 (186 reg. season/14 postseason) 199 (186 reg. season/13 postseason)
162 (148 reg. season/14 postseason)

MOST GAMES OVER . 500 (INCLUDING PLAYOFFS)

| Quarterback | Games Over $\mathbf{. 5 0 0}$ | W | $\boldsymbol{L}$ | T |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Tom Brady | $\mathbf{1 6 4}$ | $\mathbf{2 3 2}$ | $\mathbf{6 8}$ | $\mathbf{0}$ |
| Peyton Manning | 108 | 200 | 92 | 0 |

## MOST OVERALL WINS

Brady's 232 career wins are an NFL record by a quarterback and the most among all NFL players all-time.

## MOST WINS BY AN NFL PLAYER

INCLUDING PLAYOFFS
REGULAR SEASON

| Player | Wins | Player |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | Wins

## PILING UP THE WINS

MOST REGULAR SEASON WINS BY A QB IN NFL HISTORY (REGULAR SEASON ONLY)

| Name | W | $\boldsymbol{L}$ | T | Pct. |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Tom Brady | $\mathbf{2 0 5}$ | $\mathbf{5 8}$ | $\mathbf{0}$ | .779 |
| Brett Favre | 186 | 112 | 0 | .624 |
| Peyton Manning | 186 | 79 | 0 | .702 |
| Drew Brees | 152 | 108 | 0 | .585 |
| John Elway | 148 | 82 | 1 | .643 |
| Dan Marino | 147 | 93 | 0 | 613 |
| Ben Roethlisberger | 142 | 67 | 1 | .678 |
| Fran Tarkenton | 124 | 109 | 6 | .531 |
| Johnny Unitas | 119 | 64 | 4 | .647 |
| Joe Montana | 117 | 47 | 0 | .713 |

## NFL FRANCHISE WINS LEADER

Brady has 205 career regular-season wins with the Patriots, the most by a starting quarterback with one team. Brady set the record with his 161st win in his 208th game, breaking Brett Favre's record of 160 wins with the Packers ( 253 starts).


## MVP AWARDS

Brady was named the 2017 MVP for the third time in his career. He is one of five NFL players to win the honor at least three times.

## MOST NFL MVP AWARDS

Player MVP Awards

Years


## RECORD TITLE HOLDER

Tom Brady extended his NFL record with a 15th division championship in 2017.

| Quarterback | Division Titles |
| :---: | :---: |
| Tom Brady.. | ................. 15 |
| Peyton Mannin | . 12 |
| Joe Montana | ................. 9 |

## BRADY'S COMEBACKS

Brady has engineered 56 career game-winning performances to lead his team back from a fourth quarter deficit or tie


## 43 GAME-WINNING DRIVES

Brady has 43 game-winning drives in the fourth quarter or overtime in the regular season.

## MOST GAME WINNING DRIVES IN THE FOURTH QUARTER OR OVERTIME (REGULAR SEASON SINCE 1970)

| Player | Team(s) | 4th Otr Game-Winning Drives |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Peyton Manning.. | IND/DEN. | ....................................... 54 |
| Dan Marino | Miami | . 47 |
| Drew Brees. | SD/NO | 44 |
| Tom Brady.. | New Eng | 43 |
| Brett Favre.. | GB/NYJ/M |  |



## DIVISION TITLE MARK

Brady extended his NFL record by leading the Patriots to their ninth straight division title in 2017.

## MOST CONSECUTIVE DIVISION TITLES BY A STARTING QB <br> Team Consecutive Division Titles (Years) <br> $\qquad$ New England. <br> $\qquad$ 9 (2009-2017) Pittsburgh <br> $\qquad$ 6 (1974-1979) <br> Minnesota <br> $\qquad$ <br> 6 (1973-1978)

Player
Tom Brady
Terry Bradshaw
Fran Tarkenton.

## NFL RECORD FOR MOST DIVISION TITLES

## Tom Brady. <br> $\qquad$ <br> 15

Peyton Manning ..... 12
Joe Montana ..... 9
Brett Favre.$\begin{array}{r}. \\ \hline\end{array}$
John Elway ..... 7

## A WINNING COMPARISON

Tom Brady has won 27 postseason games. Only five NFL franchises have won more playoff games in their history than Brady has in his career: Pittsburgh (36), New England, Dallas and Green Bay (34) and San Francisco (30).

Additionally, Tom Brady and Bill Belichick have more playoff wins (27) than the Browns, Cardinals and Lions (25) in their combined seasons of existence.

## RECORD AS A STARTER

|  | REG. SEASON |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Overall | 205-58 | PLAYOFFS | TOTAL |
| 27-10 | 232-68 |  |  |
| Home: | $113-18$ | $19-3$ | $132-21$ |
| Road: | $92-40$ | $8-7^{*}$ | $100-47$ |
| By Total Yardage |  |  |  |
| Less than 200: | $37-17$ | $4-1$ | $41-18$ |
| 200-299: | $96-27$ | $13-5$ | $109-32$ |
| 300 or more: | $72-14$ | $10-4$ | $82-18$ |
| Other Records |  |  |  |
| On Artificial Turf: | $130-20$ | $16-6$ | $146-26$ |
| Temp Below 40: | $40-6$ | $14-2$ | $54-8$ |
| Thanksgiving or later: | $76-18$ | $27-10$ | $103-28$ |
| Leading at Halftime: | $160-17$ | $18-4$ | $178-21$ |
| Leading after 3 Qtrs: | $172-10$ | $17-3$ | $189-13$ |
| Overtime: | $9-4$ | $2-0$ | $11-4$ |
| Passer rating >100.0: | $117-8$ | $131-9$ |  |
| *-Includes eight Super Bowls at neutral sites |  |  |  |

## LATE-GAME WINNER

Brady now has eight career games in which he threw a game-winning touchdown pass in the final minute of the game to turn a Patriots deficit into a Patriots win.

11/10/02 at Chicago* W 33-30
The Patriots trailed 30-25 when Brady threw a 20-yard touchdown to David Patten with 21 seconds left to give the Patriots a $33-30$ win. *Champaign, III.

11/3/03 at Denver W 30-26
The Patriots trailed 26-23 when Brady threw an 18-yard touchdown to David Givens with 30 seconds left to give the Patriots a 30-26 win.

## 12/3/07 <br> at Baltimore <br> $\boldsymbol{w}$ <br> 27-24

The Patriots trailed 24-20 when Brady threw an 8-yard touchdown to Jabar Gaffney with 44 seconds left to give the Patriots a 27-24 win.

9/14/09 vs. Buffalo W 25-24
The Patriots trailed 24-19 when Brady threw a 16 -yard touchdown to Ben Watson with 50 seconds left to give the Patriots a $25-24$ win.

## 10/16/11 vs. Dallas W 20-16

The Patriots trailed 16-13 when Brady threw an 8-yard touchdown pass to Aaron Hernandez with 22 seconds left to give the Patriots a 20-16 win.

10/13/13 vs. New Orleans W 30-27
The Patriots trailed 27-23 when Brady threw a 17-yard touchdown pass to Kenbrell Thompkins with five seconds left to give the Patriots a 30-27 win.

12/08/13 vs. Cleveland W 27-26
The Patriots trailed 26-21 when Brady threw a 1-yard touchdown pass to Danny Amendola with 31 seconds left to give the Patriots a 27-26 win.

09/24/17 vs. Houston W 36-33
The Patriots trailed 33-28 with 2:24 to play when Brady threw a 25-yard touchdown pass to WR Brandin Cooks with 23 seconds to play to give the Patriots the lead and then added a two-point play to Cooks for a 36-33 victory.

## STERLING CAREAR RECORD

Tom Brady's career record is impressive no matter which division or conference foe he is facing:
Record vs. AFC East ......................................79-19
Record vs. rest of AFC......................................................

## WINNINGEST COACH/QB TANDEM

Bill Belichick and Tom Brady have the best winning percentage and most wins for a head coach/QB tandem since the 1970 merger.

WINNINGEST COACH/QB TANDEMS SINCE 1970 (REGULAR SEASON ONLY - BY WINNING PERCENTAGE)

| Quarterback/Head Coach | Team | W | $\boldsymbol{L}$ | T | Pct. |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Tom Brady/Bill Belichick | NE | $\mathbf{2 0 5}$ | $\mathbf{5 8}$ | $\mathbf{0}$ | .779 |
| Peyton Manning/Tony Dungy | IND | 85 | 27 | 0 | .759 |
| Ken Stabler/John Madden | OAK | 60 | 19 | 1 | .756 |


| WINNINGEST COACH/QB TANDEMS SINCE 1970 (REGULAR SEASON ONLY - BY VICTORIES) |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Quarterback/Head Coach | Team | W | L | T | Pct. |
| Tom Brady/Bill Belichick | NE | 205 | 58 | 0 | . 779 |
| Dan Marino/Don Shula | MIA | 116 | 68 | 0 | . 630 |
| Drew Brees/Sean Payton | NO | 115 | 71 | 0 | . 618 |
| Ben Roethlisberger/Mike Tomlin | PIT | 113 | 56 | 1 | . 668 |
| Terry Bradshaw/Chuck Noll | PIT | 107 | 51 | 0 | . 677 |

## MOST WINS BY A STARTING QB THROUGH 200 STARTS

Brady had 155 career regular-season wins in his first 200 regu-lar-season starts (. 775 win pct.). Peyton Manning is second with 136 victories in his first 200 starts.
Tom Brady...................................................................................................................................................................

## $=7$ TOM BRADY vens buTes

## NO PLACE LIKE HOME

Brady made his 100th career home start against Chicago on Oct. 26, 2014. The win over the Bears gave Brady an $87-13$ home record in his first 100 home starts, the best in NFL history since the merger for a quarterback with at least 50 starts. He owns the best regular-season and overall record at home for a quarterback in NFL history.
BEST HOME REGULAR-SEASON STARTING RECORDS (MINIMUM 40 STARTS)

| Player | Team | W | L | T | PCT. |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Tom Brady | New England | $\mathbf{1 1 3}$ | $\mathbf{1 8}$ | $\mathbf{0}$ | .863 |
| Terry Bradshaw | Pittsburgh | 67 | 12 | 0 | .848 |
| Roger Staubach | Dallas | 49 | 10 | 0 | .831 |
| John Elway | Denver | 95 | 23 | 0 | .805 |
| Aaron Rodgers | Green Bay | 60 | 15 | 1 | .796 |
| Russell Wilson | Seattle | 41 | 12 | 0 | .774 |
| Joe Flacco | Baltimore | 60 | 21 | 0 | .741 |

## BEST HOME STARTING RECORDS (INCLUDING PLAYOFFS)

| Player | Team | $\boldsymbol{W}$ | $\boldsymbol{L}$ | PCT. |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Tom Brady | New England | $\mathbf{1 3 2}$ | $\mathbf{2 1}$ | .863 |
| Terry Bradshaw | Pittsburgh | 75 | 14 | .843 |
| John Elway | Denver | 104 | 25 | .806 |
| Russell Wilson | Seattle | 46 | 12 | .793 |


\section*{BEST HOME REGULAR-SEASON RECORD IN FIRST 100 STARTS <br> | Team | W | $\boldsymbol{L}$ | PCT. |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| New England | 87 | 13 | .870 |
| Green Bay | 82 | 18 | .820 |
| Denver | 77 | 23 | .770 |}

Player
Tom Brady
Brett Favre John Elway

## HOME FIELD ADVANTAGE I

Brady won his 100th regular-season game at Gillette Stadium on Dec. 24, 2017, when the Patriots beat Buffalo, 37-16. He is the only NFL quarterback with 100 wins in a stadium. He now has 107 wins at Gillette Stadium. John Elway is second with 95 wins at Mile High Stadium.

## HOME FIELD ADVANTAGE II

Brady is 76-8 overall at home in the regular season since 2007. That is equal or more than the win total that six teams have (home and away) combined during that span.

| Team | Wins Since 2007 |
| :---: | :---: |
| Detroit | 76 |
| Tampa Bay. | .......... 73 |
| Oakland | .......... 68 |
| Los Angeles Rams. | ......... 68 |
| Jacksonville | ......... 67 |
| Cleveland | . 52 |

## HOME COOKIN'

The quarterbacks with the most regular-season touchdown passes at a single stadium in NFL history:

| Player | Team | Stadium | TD Passes |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | ---: |
| Drew Brees | New Orleans | Mercedes-Benz Superdome | 251 |
| Tom Brady | New England | Gillette Stadium | $\mathbf{2 4 1}$ |
| Brett Favre | GB/MIN | Lambeau Field | 214 |

## ROAD WINNER

The win over Denver on Nov. 12, 2017, was Brady's 86th road victory, passing Peyton Manning for the most in NFL history. Brady now has 92 road wins.

## UNDGFEATHD AGAINST 5

Brady is undefeated against five teams - Atlanta (5-0), Chicago (5-0), Minnesota (5-0) Dallas (4-0) and Tampa Bay (4-0). Brady is most successful against Buffalo, with a 29-3 career record and the non-divisional team he has beaten the most is Indianapolis (11-3).

## BRADY BEATS BUFFALO

Brady owns a 29-3 record against the Buffalo Bills. His 29 wins against Buffalo are most ever by a quarterback against a single team.

MOST WINS BY A STARTING QUARTERBACK AGAINST AN OPPONENT (REGULAR SEASON ONLY) Tom Brady. $\qquad$ .29 wins against Buffalo
Tom Brady..................... 26 wins against New York Jets Brett Favre $\qquad$ .26 wins against Detroit Brett Favre............................... 23 wins against Chicago
Tom Brady.. $\qquad$ .22 wins against Miami
Dan Marino........................ 22 wins against Indianapolis Ben Roethlisberger............ 22 wins against CIN \& CLE

## MOST INTHRCONFERENCE WINS

Tom Brady has the most wins in interconference games since 1970.


## APPROACHING TOTAL TD RECORD

Brady is tied in NFL history in all-time touchdown passes (including playoffs) and first for most touchdowns with one team. He is one of four with 500 career regular-season touchdown passes.

## ALL-TIME TOUCHDOWN PASS LEADERS (INCLUDING PLAYOFFS)

| Player | Years | Team(s) | Total <br> TD | Regular <br> Season | Playoffs |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Tom Brady | 2000-Present | New England | 579 | $\mathbf{5 0 8}$ | $\mathbf{7 1}$ |
| Peyton Manning | 1998-2015 | IND/DEN | 579 | 539 | 40 |
| Brett Favre | 1991-2010 | ATL/GB/NYJ/MIN | 552 | 508 | 44 |
| Drew Brees | 2001-present | SD/NO | 547 | 518 | 29 |

## MOST TOUCHDOWN PASSES WITH ONE TEAM (INCLUDING PLAYOFFS)

| Player | Years | Team(s) | Total <br> TD | Regular <br> Season | Playoffs |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Tom Brady | 2000-present | New England | 579 | 508 | $\mathbf{7 1}$ |
| Brett Favre | 1992-2007 | Green Bay | 481 | 442 | 39 |
| Drew Brees | $2006-$-present | New Orleans | 465 | 438 | 27 |
| Dan Marino | $1983-99$ | Miami | 452 | 420 | 32 |
| Peyton Manning | $1998-2010$ | Indianapolis | 428 | 399 | 29 |

MOST CAREER TOUCHDOWN PASSES
(REGULAR SEASON ONLY)

Peyton Manning .................................. 539

Drew Brees.
518

Tom Brady
. 508

Brett Favre............................................. 508

Dan Marino ............................................ 420


## APPROACHING 70,000 YARDS

Tom Brady became the fourth NFL player to reach 65,000 passing yards and is fourth all-time on the NFL's passing list.

| Player | Team(s) | Passing Yards |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1. Drew Brees | SD/NO.... | 73,707 |
| 2. Peyton Manning | IND/DEN | 71,940 |
| 3. Brett Favre ......... | GB/NYJ/M | ..........71,838 |
| 4. Tom Brady..... | New Eng | ... 69,501 |
| 5. Dan Marino ... | Miami. | ... 61,361 |
| 6. Eli Manning . | N.Y. Gian | 55,010 |
| 7. Ben Roethlisberg | Pittsburgh | 54,945 |
| 8. Philip Rivers ..... | SD/LAC | 53,766 |
| 9. John Elway... | Denver | 51,475 |
| 10. Warren Moon | HOU/MI | 49,32 |

## FIRST IN PASSING YARDS

Brady became the career leader in total passing yards (regular season and postseason) in the victory at the New York Jets on Nov. 25, 2018.

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NFL ALL-TIME LEADERS FOR PASSING YARDS
            (INCLUDING PLAYOFFS)
Tom Brady................................79,727
Peyton Manning .......................... 79,279
Drew Brees....................................77,916
Brett Favre....................................77,693
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## FIRST IN TOTAL YARDS

Brady sits first all-time in NFL history with a combination of passing, rushing and receiving yards in the regular season and playoffs.

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NFL ALL-TIME LEADERS FOR TOTAL YARDS
    (INCLUDING PLAYOFFS)
Tom Brady.
.80,926
Peyton Manning ......................... 79,978
Brett Favre...................................79,602
Drew Brees...................................78,794
Dan Marino ..................................65,952
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## FOURTH-HIGHEST QB RATING

Brady owns the third-highest QB rating in NFL history.
HIGHEST QB RATING IN NFL HISTORY

| Player | Team(s) | Years | Rating |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | ---: |
| Aaron Rodgers | Green Bay | $2005-18$ | 103.4 |
| Russell Wilson | Seattle | $2012-18$ | 100.5 |
| Drew Brees | SD/NO | $2001-18$ | 97.8 |
| Tom Brady | New England | $\mathbf{2 0 0 0}-18$ | $\mathbf{9 7 . 5}$ |
| Tony Romo | Dallas | $2004-16$ | 97.1 |
| Steve Young | TB/SF | $1985-99$ | 96.8 |
| Peyton Manning | IND/DEN | $1998-2015$ | 96.5 |
| Philip Rivers | SD/LAC | $2004-18$ | 96.0 |

## BRADY 300-YARD GAMES

Brady has 86 NFL games with 300 or more yards passing and the Patriots are 72-14 in those games. He is one of three players with at least 80 300-yard games.

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NFL QUARTERBACK 300-YARD GAMES
    Drew Brees..................................... }11
    Peyton Manning............................. }9
    Tom Brady .................................. }8
    Dan Marino .................................... }6
    Brett Favre ...................................... }6
    Philip Rivers.................................... }6
```

Brady had a career-best 11 300-yard games in 2011, tied for third in NFL history behind Drew Brees (13 in 2011) and Peyton Manning (12 in 2013).

## 5,000 COMPLETIONS

Brady has the fourth-most completions by an NFL quarterback in the regular season.
MOST PASS COMPLETIONS IN NFL HISTORY (REGULAR SEASON)
Drew Brees.. ..... 6,512
Brett Favre. ..... 6,300
Peyton Manning ..... 6,125
Tom Brady ..... 5,915
Dan Marino. ..... 4,967

## FOUR 35-TD SEASONS

Brady, who led the NFL in 2015 with 36 touchdowns, is one of four NFL quarterbacks with at least 35 touchdowns passes in four different seasons.

MOST 35+ TOUCHDOWNS SEASONS IN NFL HISTORY

Tom Brady $\qquad$ 4 (2007-50, 2010-36, 2011-39, 2015-36)
Peyton Manning 4 (2004-49, 2012-37, 2013-55, 2014-39)
Drew Brees 4 (2011-46, 2012-43, 2013-39, 2016-37)
Aaron Rodgers .4 (2011-45, 2012-39, 2014-38, 2016-40).
Brett Favre
3 (1995-38, 1996-39, 1997-35)

## SEVEN 30-TD SEASONS

Brady has seven 30-touchdown seasons. The only other Patriots quarterback to have a 30-touchdown season is Vito "Babe" Parilli in 1964 when he led the AFL with 31. Brady is one of four quarterbacks in NFL history to have 30 or more touchdown passes in at least seven seasons and one of six quarterbacks in NFL history with three or more straight seasons with 30 or more touchdowns.

## MOST SEASONS WITH 30+

## TOUCHDOWN PASSES

## Player

30-TD Seasons 10
Brett Favre
Brett Favre.......................................... 9
Peyton Manning .................... 9
Brett Favre.................................................. 9
Peyton Manning ...........
Tom Brady .................................... 7
Aaron Rodgers................................ 6
Philip Rivers.................................................. 5
Tony Romo
Tony Romo.

Tony Romo

CONSECUTIVE 30 TOUCHDOWN SEASONS Player Consec. 30-TD Seasons Drew Brees................... 9 (2008-16) Brett Favre.................... 5 (1994-98) Peyton Manning.... 5 (2009-10, 12-14) Tom Brady ................... 3 (2010-12) Dan Marino ................... 3 (1984-86) Aaron Rodgers................ 3 (2014-16)

## ECLIPSING 3K

Brady reached 3,000 passing yards for the 16th time in 2017.
MOST 3,000-YARD SEASONS
Brett Favre............................................ 18
Tom Brady......................................................... 16
Drew Brees .......................................... 16
Peyton Manning .................................. 16
Eli Manning........................................... 14
Dan Marino........................................... 13
Ben Roethlisberger ............................ 13
Philip Rivers.......................................... 13

## 4,000-YARD SEASONS

Brady $(4,577)$ reached 4,000 yards in 2017 for the ninth time in his career.

ALL-TIME 4,000 YARD PASSING SEASONS
Peyton Manning................................. 14
Drew Brees......................................... 12
Tom Brady ........................................ 9
Philip Rivers .......................................... 9
Matthew Stafford ................................. 7
Matt Ryan .............................................. 7
Brett Favre .............................................................. 6
Eli Manning ........................................... 6
Dan Marino 6
Carson Palmer....................................... 6
Aaron Rodgers..................................... 6


## A COOD RATIO

Brady ranks first in touchdown-to-interception ratio among quarterbacks with 400 career TD passes. He ranks third in TD-to-INT ratio overall, behind only Aaron Rodgers (4.23) and Russell Wilson (3.11).

BRADY TOPS 400 CLUB IN TD/INT RATIO (NFL ALL-TIME RANK IN PARENTHESES)

| Player | Touchdowns | Interceptions | Ratio |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | ---: |
| Tom Brady | $\mathbf{5 0 8}(3 \mathrm{t})$ | $\mathbf{1 6 8}(\mathbf{4 7 )}$ | $\mathbf{3 . 0 2}(\mathbf{3 )}$ |
| Peyton Manning | $539(1)$ | $251(9)$ | $2.15(10)$ |
| Drew Brees | $518(2)$ | $231(15)$ | $2.24(6)$ |
| Dan Marino | $420(5)$ | $252(8)$ | $1.67(27)$ |
| Brett Favre | $508(3 \mathrm{t})$ | $336(1)$ | $1.51(36)$ |

## ELITE COMPANY

Brady (263 regular-season starts and 37 postseason starts) and Pro Football Hall of Famer Jerry Rice (284 regular-season starts and 29 postseason starts) are the only NFL players with at least 200 regu-lar-season starts and at least 25 postseason starts.

## MOST STARTS UNDER ONE HC

Brady made his 185th career start at Carolina on Nov. 18, 2013, all under Bill Belichick. It is the most starts by a quarterback under one head coach in NFL history. Brady passed Dan Marino, who had 184 career starts under head coach Don Shula. Brady now has 263 career starts under Belichick.

| FRANCHISEALLTME LEADING PASSER |  |  |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | ---: |
| Player | Years | ATT | COMP | YDS |
| Tom Brady | 2000-18 | $\mathbf{9 , 2 3 9}$ | $\mathbf{5 , 9 1 5}$ | $\mathbf{6 9 , 5 0 1}$ |
| Drew Bledsoe | $1993-01$ | 4,518 | 2,544 | 29,657 |
| Steve Grogan | $1975-90$ | 3,593 | 1,879 | 26,886 |

## MOST GAMES PLAYED IN PATRIOTS HISTORY

Brady passed Bruce Armstrong at Dallas (10/11/15) with his 213th game played in a Patriot uniform.

Tom Brady .
265
Bruce Armstrong.............. 212
Julius Adams.................... 206

## 260-PLUS STARTS

Brady is one of four NFL quarterbacks with at least 260 career starts in the regular season

MOST STARTS BY AN NFL QUARTERBACK

| Player | Team(s) | Starts |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Brett Favre | GB/NYJ/MIN | 298 |
| Peyton Manning. | .. IND/DEN | 265 |
| Tom Brady.. | . New England | 263 |
| Drew Brees | SD/NO | 260 |
| Dan Marino | . Miami | 240 |
| Fran Tarkenton | MIN/NYG | 239 |
| John Elway. | Denver | 231 |
| Eli Manning | N.Y. Giants. | 226 |
| Vinny Testaverde. | .TB/CLE/BAL/DAL/CAR | 214 |
| Ben Roethlisberge | ..........Pittsburgh | . 210 |
| Philip Rivers. | ...LA Chargers. | 204 |
| Warren Moon.. | HOU/MIN/SEA/KC | 203 |

## 300 CLUB

Brady played in his 300th game overall vs. Tennessee (11/11/18), joining Brett Favre (326) as the only other quarterback to appear in 300 career games.


## SECOND WITH 200 STARTS

Brady (263) is the second New England Patriots player to start in at least 200 games. Patriots Hall of Fame OL Bruce Armstrong started in 212 games during his career.

## PLAYER OF THE WEEK HONORS

Brady has earned an NFL-record 30 Player of the Week honors after winning the award in Weeks 2, 3 and 10 of the 2017 season. Brady has earned at least three awards in one season five times (2007, 09, 11, 12 and 17). Brady was also named Offensive Player of the Month for November in 2017. It was his 10th Player of the Month award, also the most in NFL history. Peyton Manning is second with eight.

## CAREER PLAYER OF THE WEEK AWARDS

| Player | Years | Team(s) | POW Awards |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | ---: |
| Tom Brady | 2000-18 | New England | $\mathbf{3 0}$ |
| Peyton Manning | $1998-2015$ | IND/DEN | 27 |
| Dan Marino | $1983-1999$ | Miami | 18 |
| Brett Favre | $1991-2010$ | GB/NYJ/MIN | 16 |
| John Elway | $1983-1998$ | Denver | 15 |

## PAR GAME AVERAGE

## NFL PLAYERS TO AVG. 250 YARDS PER GAME (MINIMUM 50 GAMES)



## 6 TD PERFORMANCES

Brady has thrown six touchdowns in a game twice and is one of nine NFL players to have thrown at least six touchdowns in a game two times. Brady threw six touchdowns at Miami (10/21/07) and vs. Tennessee (10/18/09)

| NFL PLAYERS WITH AT LEAST TWO 6+TD GAMES |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | ---: |
| Player | Team(s) | 6+ TD Games |

## MOST 5 TD PARFORMANCES

## MOST CAREER GAMES WITH FIVE TOUCHDOWN PASSES

## Player

## Team(s)

5-TD Games
Drew Brees..................... SD/NO............................. 10
Peyton Manning............IND/DEN............................. 9
Tom Brady ............. New England...................... 6
Dan Marino ...................... Miami................................ 6
Ben Roethlisberger.... Pittsburgh........................... 6

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## 28 CAREAR 4-TD GAMES

Brady has thrown four or more touchdowns in 28 games - 22 four-touchdown games, four five-touchdown games and two six-touchdown games. The Patriots are 27-1 when Brady throws four or more touchdown passes. He had two four-touchdown games in 2017.

| MOST GAMES WITH 4+ TOUCHDOWN PASSES |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Player | Team(s) | 4+ TD Games |
| Peyton Manning | IND/DEN | 35 |
| Drew Brees | SD/NO | 34 |
| Tom Brady .. | ew Engla |  |
| Brett Favre. | GB/NYJ/MIN | 23 |

MOST GAMES WITH 4+ TDS AND NO INTERCEPTIONS Player Team(s) Games
$\qquad$
Tom Brady.......................New England .............................. 22
Peyton Manning ...................IND/DEN ...................................... 18

## 300 YARDS, 4 TDS \& 0 INTS

Brady had his 15th NFL game with 300 yards, four touchdowns and no interceptions vs. Houston (9/24/17), second in NFL history to the 20 such games by Drew Brees.

## 3 TD \& O INTS

Brady had his 55th game with at least three touchdowns and no interceptions in the win at Oakland (11/19/17). The Patriots are 53-2 (.963) in such games.

## MOST GAMES WITH THREE TDS \& ZERO INTS IN NFL HISTORY

Player
Team(s) Games with 3+ TD/O INT
Tom Brady
New England 55
Peyton Manning IND/DEN 51
Drew Brees.............................SD/NO ..................................................... 48

## AIRING IT OUT

## BEST NFL RECORDS FOR A QB WITH 50 OR MORE PASS ATTEMPTS (INCLUDING PLAYOFFS)

| Player | Team(s) | Record |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Tom Brady..................New England ........19-9 (6-2 in postseason) |  |  |
| Dan Marino | M | 5-11 |
| Drew Brees | SD/NO | .. 4-15 |
| Peyton Man | IND/D | 4-13 |

## RECORD FOR ATTAMPTS BETWAEN INTS

Brady attempted 358 consecutive regular-season passes without an interception, a streak spanning from Oct. 17, 2010-Sept. 1, 2011. Brady eclipsed Bernie Kosar's record on Dec. 26, 2010, at Buffalo.

## MOST CONSECUTIVE PASS ATTEMPTS WITHOUT AN INTERCEPTION

## Player

Tom Brady
Alex Smith
Bernie Kosar
Drew Brees
Bart Starr
Alex Smith
Team
New England
Kansas City
Cleveland
New Orleans
Green Bay
Kansas City

| Season(s) | Att |
| :--- | ---: |
| 2010-11 | $\mathbf{3 5 8}$ |
| 2015 | 312 |
| $1990-91$ | 308 |
| $2015-16$ | 305 |
| $1964-65$ | 294 |
| $2016-17$ | 292 |

## 71 DIFFARENT TARGETS

Brady connected with WR Josh Gordon on a 34-yard touchdown pass in the win vs. Indianapolis (10/04/18), who became the 71st different player to catch a touchdown pass from Brady. In doing so, Brady moved past Vinny Testaverde for the most TD targets by a quarterback in NFL history.

## MOST TOUCHDOWN TARGETS BY AN NFL QUARTERBACK

Quarterback Team(s)

TD Targets
Tom Brady. New England
.71
Vinny Testaverde...............TB/CLE/BAL/DAL/CAR .............................. 70
Steve DeBerg.......................SF/DEN/TB/KC/ATL................................. 62
Brett Favre ................................... GB/NYJ/MIN ........................................ 61

## 40 YEAR-OLD QBS

Brady joined just 12 other quarterbacks since the 1970 merger to start an NFL game past the age of 40. The oldest player to attempt a pass in a game was George Blanda at age 48 as a member of the Oakland Raiders in the final game of his career on Dec. 21, 1975. Blanda finished with one completion on three attempts for 11 yards. Brady is the fourth Patriots player to play at 40, joining Doug Flutie (43 in 2005), Vinny Testaverde (43 in 2006) and Junior Seau (40 in 2009).

40 YEAR OLDS TO START AT QB SINCE 1970

## Player/Team

Steve DeBerg/ATL Warren Moon/KC Vinny Testaverde/CAR
Doug Flutie/SD
Earl Morrall/MIA
Tom Brady/NE
Brett Favre/MIN Len Dawson/KC Vince Evans/OAK Johnny Unitas/SD Matt Hasselbeck/IND Sonny Jurgensen/WAS Brad Johnson/DAL

Age at Last Start
44 years, 9 mos. 44 years, 0 mos. 44 years, 0 mos. 42 years, 2 mos. 41 years, 6 mos. 41 years, 3 mos. 41 years, 2 mos. 40 years, 5 mos. 40 years, 5 mos. 40 years, 5 mos. 40 years, 3 mos. 40 years, 3 mos. 40 years, 1 mos.

Date of Last Start 10/25/1998 at NYJ 11/26/2000 at SD 12/9/2007 at JAX 1/2/2005 vs. KC 12/1/1975 vs. NE 12/02/18 vs. MIN 12/20/2010 vs. CHI 12/7/1975 vs. SD 12/3/1995 vs. KC 10/7/1973 at PIT 12/27/2015 at MIA 12/15/1974 vs. CHI 11/2/2008 at NYG
*In NFL history, 13 other QBs aged 40+ have started at least one game.

## STARTING QUARTERBACKS AT AGE 40-OR-OLDER

|  | NFL HISTORY |  |  |
| :--- | :---: | :--- | ---: |
| Player | W-L | TD-INT | Rating |
| Tom Brady | $\mathbf{2 2 - 6}$ | $\mathbf{5 2 - 1 6}$ | $\mathbf{1 0 0 . 2}$ |
| Brett Favre | $13-12$ | $36-25$ | 90.2 |
| Warren Moon | $11-14$ | $37-25$ | 80.4 |
| Vinny Testaverde | $8-17$ | $24-32$ | 72.3 |
| Matt Hasselbeck | $5-3$ | $9-5$ | 84.0 |
| Doug Flutie | $3-3$ | $10-4$ | 80.4 |
| Sonny Jurgensen | $3-1$ | $11-5$ | 94.5 |
| Charlie Conerly | $2-1$ | $7-6$ | 61.8 |
| Earl Morrall | $2-0$ | $6-6$ | 74.2 |
| Len Dawson | $1-4$ | $5-4$ | 90.0 |
| Vince Evans | $1-2$ | $6-8$ | 71.5 |
| Brad Johnson | $1-2$ | $2-5$ | 50.5 |
| Johnny Unitas | $1-3$ | $3-7$ | 40.0 |
| Steve DeBerg | $0-1$ | $3-1$ | 80.4 |

Brady led the Patriots to their ninth win of the season in the victory over Miami on Nov. 26, 2017, the most ever by a 40-year old quarterback in the Super Bowl era. Brady also threw four touchdowns in that win over Miami to push his 2017 total to 26 touchdowns, the most in a single season by a 40-year old quarterback.

Brady led the NFL with 4,577 yards passing in 2017 to become the oldest quarterback to lead the NFL in passing.


## SIX STRAIGHT WITH NO PICKS

Brady set an NFL record from 2010-11 with 11 consecutive starts and 358 straight pass attempts without throwing an interception.

BRADY'S MOST CONSECUTIVE STARTS WITHOUT AN INT. Player Consec. Starts Without an INT Dates $\begin{array}{lcc}\text { Tom Brady } & 11^{*} & 10 / 24 / 10-01 / 02 / 11 \\ \text { Tom Brady } & 6 & 12 / 18 / 16-10 / 05 / 17\end{array}$ *NFL Record

## BRADY'S CONSECUTIVE PASSES WITHOUT AN INTERCEPTION

Player
Tom Brady
Tom Brady
Tom Brady
Tom Brady
Tom Brady
*NFL Record
Consec. Passes Without an INT

## ANOTHER MILESTONE FOR BRADY

Brady reached 1,000 yards rushing in his 265th game, the most games in NFL history that it has taken a player to reach the milestone. Before Brady, YA Tittle held the record with 1,000 yards rushing in his 161st NFL game. Tittle finished his NFL career with 999 yards rushing.

PATRIOTS QB LEADING RUSHERS<br>Steve Grogan<br>2,176<br>Tom Brady .1,000<br>Babe Parilli<br>949

## THE BRADY SIX

Brady was the seventh quarterback selected in the 2000 NFL Draft.

| QUARTERBACKS TAKEN IN THE 2000 NFL DRAFT |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Rd | Pick | Player | Taken By |
| 1 | 18 | Chad Pennington | N.Y. Jets |
| 3 | 65 | Giovanni Carmazzi | San Francisco |
| 3 | 75 | Chris Redman | Baltimore |
| 5 | 163 | Tee Martin | Pittsburgh |
| 6 | 168 | Marc Bulger | New Orleans |
| 6 | 183 | Spergon Wynn | Cleveland |
| 6 | 199 | Tom Brady | New England |

## BRADY SINGLE-SEASON NOTES

## BRADY HAD LOW INT PCT.

Brady threw just two interceptions in 432 pass attempts in 2016 for an interception rate of 0.46 , fourth-best in a single season. Patriots backup QB Brian Hoyer set the NFL record in 2016 with Chicago by attempting 200 passes without an interception.

## NFL INTERCEPTION PERCENTAGE

 (MINIMUM 150 ATTEMPTS)| Player | Team | Year | ATT-INT | Int. Pct. |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Brian Hoyer | Chicago | 2016 | $200-0$ | 0.00 |
| Damon Huard | Kansas City | 2006 | $244-1$ | 0.41 |
| Josh McCown | Chicago | 2013 | $224-1$ | 0.45 |
| Tom Brady | New England | $\mathbf{2 0 1 6}$ | $\mathbf{4 3 2 - 2}$ | $\mathbf{0 . 4 6}$ |
| David Garrard | Jacksonville | 2005 | $168-1$ | 0.60 |
| Nick Foles | Philadelphia | 2013 | $317-2$ | 0.63 |
| Joe Ferguson | Buffalo | 1976 | $151-1$ | 0.66 |
| Sam Bradford | Minnesota | 2016 | $519-4$ | 0.77 |
| Tom Brady | New England | $\mathbf{2 0 1 0}$ | $\mathbf{4 9 2 - 4}$ | $\mathbf{0 . 8 1}$ |
| Dak Prescott | Dallas | 2016 | $459-4$ | 0.87 |
| Steve DeBerg | Kansas City | 1990 | $444-4$ | 0.90 |
| Sam Bradford | Minnesota | 2016 | $552-5$ | 0.90 |

## 50 TD PASSES

Brady threw a then NFL-record 50 touchdown passes in 2007.
QUARTERBACKS WITH 45 OR MORE TOUCHDOWN PASSES IN A SEASON

| Player | Team | Year | TD Passes |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Peyton Manning | Denver | 2013 | 55 |
| Tom Brady | New England | 2007 | 50 |
| Peyton Manning | Indianapolis | 2004 | 49 |
| Dan Marino | Miami | 1984 | 48 |
| Drew Brees | New Orleans | 2011 | 46 |
| Aaron Rodgers | Green Bay | 2011 | 45 |

## SINGLE SEASON PASSING LEADERS

Brady owns nine of the 114,000-yard passing seasons in Patriots history.


## PASSING YARD PACE

Brady owns one of the nine 5,000-yard passing seasons in NFL history.

MOST PASSING YARDS IN A SEASON

| Player | Team | Year | Yards |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | ---: |
| Peyton Manning | Denver | 2013 | 5,477 |
| Drew Brees | New Orleans | 2011 | 5,476 |
| Tom Brady | New England | $\mathbf{2 0 1 1}$ | $\mathbf{5 , 2 3 5}$ |
| Drew Brees | New Orleans | 2016 | 5,208 |
| Drew Brees | New Orleans | 2012 | 5,177 |
| Drew Brees | New Orleans | 2013 | 5,162 |
| Dan Marino | Miami | 1984 | 5,084 |
| Drew Brees | New Orleans | 2008 | 5,069 |
| Matthew Stafford | Detroit | 2011 | 5,038 |

## CAREER HIGH COMPLETIONS

Brady threw a career-high 402 completions in 2015. Brady's previous best was 401 completions in 2011 and 2012. Brady (3) joined Drew Brees (9), Matt Ryan (4) and Peyton Manning (3) for the most seasons with 400 completions.

## BEST TD/INT RATIO IN NFL HISTORY

Brady threw 28 touchdown passes and just two interceptions in 2016 for an NFL-best single-season TD/INT ratio of 14.0. Brady had 26 touchdowns to four interceptions in 2017 for a 6.5 ratio.

BEST SINGLE-SEASON TD/INT RATIO IN NFL HISTORY (MINIMUM OF 20 TD PASSES)

| Player | Team | Year | TD/INT | Ratio |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Tom Brady | New England | $\mathbf{2 0 1 6}$ | $\mathbf{2 8 / 2}$ | $\mathbf{1 4 . 0 0}$ |
| Nick Foles | Philadelphia | 2013 | $27 / 2$ | 13.50 |
| Tom Brady | New England | $\mathbf{2 0 1 0}$ | $\mathbf{3 6 / 4}$ | $\mathbf{9 . 0 0}$ |
| Aaron Rodgers | Green Bay | 2014 | $38 / 5$ | 7.60 |
| Aaron Rodgers | Green Bay | 2011 | $45 / 6$ | 7.50 |
| Tom Brady | New England | $\mathbf{2 0 0 7}$ | $\mathbf{5 0 / 8}$ | $\mathbf{6 . 2 5}$ |

## BRADY SINGLE GAME NOTES

## 300 IN A HALF

Brady had his fifth 300-yard half and his second 300-yard first half after throwing for 302 yards in the first half at New Orleans (09/17/17).

## Yards

367
345
323
306
302

## Game

vs. San Francisco (12-16-12)
vs. Tennessee (10-18-09)
vs. Cleveland (12-08-13) at Miami (9-12-11) at New Orleans (9-17-17)

## Half

2nd half
1st half
2nd half
2nd half
1st half

## SINGLE-GAME RECORDS

Tom Brady threw for 466 yards at Buffalo (09/20/15), the sec-ond-highest single-game mark of his career and the most ever against Buffalo, eclipsing the 464 yards by George Blanda in 1961.

| MOST PASSING YARDS IN A GAME IN PATRIOTS |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Player | Date | Opp | Att | Cmp | Yds | TD | Int |
| Plam Brady | 09/12/11 | MIA | $\mathbf{4 8}$ | $\mathbf{3 2}$ | $\mathbf{5 1 7}$ | $\mathbf{4}$ | $\mathbf{1}$ |
| Tom Brady | $09 / 20 / 15$ | BUF | $\mathbf{5 9}$ | $\mathbf{3 8}$ | $\mathbf{4 6 6}$ | $\mathbf{3}$ | $\mathbf{0}$ |
| Tom |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Tom Brady | $09 / 17 / 17$ | NO | $\mathbf{3 9}$ | $\mathbf{3 0}$ | $\mathbf{4 4 7}$ | $\mathbf{3}$ | $\mathbf{0}$ |
| Tom Brady | $\mathbf{1 2 / 1 6 / 1 2}$ | SF | $\mathbf{6 5}$ | $\mathbf{3 6}$ | $\mathbf{4 4 3}$ | $\mathbf{1}$ | $\mathbf{2}$ |
| Tom Brady | $\mathbf{1 1 / 0 3 / 1 3}$ | PIT | $\mathbf{3 3}$ | $\mathbf{2 3}$ | $\mathbf{4 3 2}$ | $\mathbf{4}$ | $\mathbf{0}$ |
| Drew Bledsoe | $11 / 13 / 94$ | MIN | 70 | 45 | 426 | 3 | 0 |
| Drew Bledsoe | $11 / 23 / 98$ | MIA | 54 | 28 | 423 | 2 | 2 |
| Tom Brady | $\mathbf{0 9 / 1 8 / 1 1}$ | SD | $\mathbf{4 0}$ | $\mathbf{3 1}$ | $\mathbf{4 2 3}$ | $\mathbf{3}$ | $\mathbf{0}$ |

## SPREADING THE WEALTH

Brady has completed passes to 10 different receivers 10 times in his career, most recently in a win at Buffalo (10/12/14).

## BRADY HANGS 50

Brady and the Patriots knocked off Jacksonville, 51-17, on Sept. 27, 2015, the eighth time New England has scored at least 50 points in a game started by Brady, the most by a quarterback in NFL history. Pro Football Hall of Famer Len Dawson (6) is second. Brady’s eight 50-point games are more than 20 current teams have in their entire history.

| Date | Opponent | Score |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 10/28/07. | vs. Washington | ... 52-7 |
| 11/18/07 | at Buffalo | 56-10 |
| 10/18/09 | vs. Tennessee | 59-0 |
| 09/30/12 | at Buffalo | .52-28 |
| 11/18/12 | vs. Indianapolis | .59-24 |
| 11/03/13.. | vs. Pittsburgh. | 55-31 |
| 10/26/14 | vs. Chicago. | ..51-23 |
| 09/27/15.. | vs. Jacksonville. | ... 51-17 |

## BRADY THE PASS CATCHER

Brady caught a 6-yard pass from WR Julian Edelman vs. Tennessee (11/11/18), joining WR Jerry Rice as the only 41-year olds in NFL history with a reception.

## 50-YARD DOUBLE DOWN

Brady has thrown at least two 50-yard passes in the same game 12 times in his career. His career best came in 2009 with three 50-yard strikes in one game.

## BRADY'S GAMES WITH AT LEAST TWO 50-YARD PASSES

## 10/9/05 @ ATLANTA

55t (3Q) Bethel Johnson
51 (1Q) Deion Branch
1/14/06 @ DENVER *AFC DIVISIONAL PLAYOFF ROUND
73 (4Q) Deion Branch
51 (2Q) Andre' Davis
12/31/06 @ TENNESSEE
62t (3Q) Reche Caldwell
52 (1Q) Corey Dillon

## 12/9/07 VS. PITTSBURGH

63t (2Q) Randy Moss
56t (3Q) Jabar Gaffney >Flea-flicker w/R. Moss

11/15/09 @ INDIANAPOLIS
63t (2Q) Randy Moss
55 (1Q) Randy Moss
12/06/09 @ MIAMI
58t (1Q) Randy Moss 58 (2Q) Wes Welker
81t (3Q) Sam Aiken
11/22/12 @ NY JETS
83t (2Q) Shane Vereen
56t (2Q) Julian Edelman

## 11/03/13 VS. PITTSBURGH

57 (2Q) Danny Amendola
81t(4Q) Aaron Dobson

## 11/15/15 @ NEW YORK GIANTS

76t (4Q) Rob Gronkowski
54(4Q) Brandon LaFell
10/30/16 @ BUFFALO
53t (1Q) Chris Hogan
53t(2Q) Rob Gronkowski
12/04/16 VS. BALTIMORE
61 (2Q) James White
79t (4Q) Chris Hogan
11/19/17 @ OAKLAND
52 (2Q) Brandin Cooks
64t (3Q) Brandin Cooks

## TOPS IN POSTSEASON STATS LISTS

Tom Brady leads the NFL in postseason touchdowns (71), passing yards (10,226), postseason wins (27) and postseason 300-yard games (14).

| NFL ALL-TIME LEADERS: POSTSEASON TOUCHDOWN PASSES |  |
| :---: | :---: |
| Player | Team(s) TDs |
| Tom Brady .......... | .New England ................. 71 |
| Joe Montana ......... | ........ SF/KC........................ 45 |
| Brett Favre............ | .......GB/MIN ....................... 44 |
| Peyton Manning ... | ... IND/DEN ...................... 40 |
| Aaron Rodgers...... | ....Green Bay.................... 36 |
| Dan Marino ........... | ...... Miami......................... 32 |
| Kurt Warner .......... | ..STL/ARZ ....................... 31 |

NFL ALL-TIME LEADERS: POSTSEASON TD PASSES, SINGLE GAME
Player Team Game TDs

Tom Brady............ NE............ AFC-D: NE vs. DEN (01/14/12)......... 6
Daryle Lamonica... OAK........... AFC-D: OAK vs. HOU (12/21/69) ........ 6
Steve Young...........SF ..............SB: SF vs. SD (01/30/95) .................... 6
NFL ALL-TIME LEADERS: POSTSEASON PASSING YARDS

| Player | Team(s) YDs |
| :---: | :---: |
| Tom Brady | New England ......... 10,226 |
| Peyton Manning | .IND/DEN ................ 7,339 |
| Brett Fav | . GB/MIN................ 5,855 |
| Joe Mon | .SF/KC .................. 5,772 |
| Ben Roethlisbe | tsburgh .............. 5,256 |

NFL ALL-TIME LEADERS: POSTSEASON COMPLETIONS
Player Team(s) Completions
Tom Brady ............. New England........................ 920
Peyton Manning ........IND/DEN................... 649
Brett Favre............... GB/MIN.................... 481
Joe Montana ................SF/KC ....................... 460

NFL ALL-TIME LEADERS: POSTSEASON COMP. PCT., SINGLE GAME

| Player | Team | Game | Comp PCT. |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | ---: |
| Tom Brady | NE | AFC-D: NE vs. JAX (01/12/08) | $92.9(26-28)$ |
| Phil Simms | NYG | SB: NYG vs. DEN, (01/26/87) | $88.0(22-25)$ |
| Kurt Warner | ARI | NFC-WC: ARI vs. (02/01/09) | $87.9(29-33)$ |

MOST 300-YARD PASSING GAMES, POSTSEASON HISTORY
Player Team(s) 300-Yd Games
Tom Brady ..............New England ..................... 14

Peyton Manning .......... IND/DEN .............................. 9
Drew Brees.....................SD/NO ............................... 7
Aaron Rodgers............ Green Bay............................ 6
Joe Montana ...................SF/KC................................ 6
Kurt Warner ...................STL/ARZ ...................................... 6
Dan Fouts ....................San Diego............................. 5
Ben Roethlisberger.... Pittsburgh ............................ 5
NFL ALL-TIME LEADERS: POSTSEASON TD PASSES, CONSECUTIVE GAMES

| Player Team(s) | Games |
| :--- | ---: | ---: |
| Brett Favre ..............GB/MIN ................ 20 (1995-2009) |  |
| Tom Brady ............. England |  |
| (2001-11) |  |
| Dan Marino ........................ 13 (1983-95) |  |

QBS WITH MORE THAN 3 SUPER BOWL VICTORIES

| Player Team | Wins |
| :--- | :--- |
| Tom Brady.................. New England .................. 5 |  |
| Terry Bradshaw ............. Pittsburgh ................... 4 |  |
| Joe Montana............ San Francisco.................... 4 |  |



## BRADY HAS MOST PLAYOFF WINS

Tom Brady is the winningest quarterback in NFL playoff history among signal callers who have made at least 10 starts.

MOST PLAYOFF WINS BY STARTING QB IN NFL HISTORY
Player Team(s) Playoff Wins

Tom Brady............................ New England ...................................... 27
Joe Montana..................................SF/KC .................................................. 16
Terry Bradshaw .........................Pittsburgh ............................................. 14
John Elway....................................Denver ................................................. 14
Peyton Manning.........................IND/DEN .............................................. 14
Brett Favre ................................... GB/MIN................................................ 13
Ben Roethlisberger ..................Pittsburgh ............................................. 13

## HIGHEST PLAYOFF WIN PCT. BY STARTING QB IN NFL HISTORY (MINIMUM 10 STARTS)

| Player | Team(s) | W | L | PCT. |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Bart Starr | Green Bay | 9 | 1 | .900 |
| Jim Plunkett | OAK/L.A. Raiders | 8 | 2 | .800 |
| Terry Bradshaw | Pittsburgh | 14 | 5 | .737 |
| Troy Aikman | Dallas | 11 | 4 | .733 |
| Tom Brady | New England | $\mathbf{2 7}$ | $\mathbf{1 0}$ | .730 |
| Joe Montana | SF/KC | 16 | 7 | .696 |
| Kurt Warner | STL/ARZ | 9 | 4 | .692 |
| Russell Wilson | Seattle | 8 | 4 | .667 |
| John Elway | Denver | 14 | 7 | .667 |
| Joe Flacco | Baltimore | 10 | 5 | .667 |
| Eli Manning | NY Giants | 8 | 4 | .667 |


| MOST PLAYOFF STARTS BY A QUARTERBACK |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Player | Team(s) | Starts |
| Tom Brady . | New England. |  |
| Peyton Manning | IND/DEN. | 27 |
| Brett Favre | GB/MIN | 24 |
| Joe Montana | ... SF/KC | 23 |
| John Elway | Denver |  |
| Ben Roethlisbe | Pittsburgh |  |

## BRADY IN THE SUPER BOWL

Brady is the all-time leader in Super Bowl passing yards $(2,576)$, completions (235), pass attempts (357) and touchdowns (18). Brady's start in Super Bowl LII was his NFL record eighth Super Bowl start, the most among all NFL players.

| SUPER BOWL PASSING YARDS |  |  |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  |  |  |  |
| Player | ATT | CMP | Yards |
| Tom Brady | $\mathbf{3 5 7}$ | $\mathbf{2 3 5}$ | $\mathbf{2 , 5 7 6}$ |
| Kurt Warner | 132 | 83 | 1,156 |
| Joe Montana | 122 | 83 | 1,142 |
| John Elway | 152 | 76 | 1,128 |
| Peyton Manning | 155 | 103 | 1,001 |
| Terry Bradshaw | 84 | 49 | 932 |


| SUPER BOWL PASSING TOUCHDOWNS |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Player | Appearances | TDs |
| Tom Brady | 8. | 18 |
| Joe Montan | 4 | . 11 |
| Terry Brads | 4 | 9 |
| Roger Stau |  | 8 |
| Kurt Warner | 3 | 6 |

## SUPER BOWL STARTS BY A QUARTERBACK

| Starting QB | Team(s) | Starts | Appearances <br> Tom Brady |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| NE | $\mathbf{8}$ | XXXVI, XXXVIII, XXXIX, XLII, <br> XLVI, XLIX, LI,LII |  |
| John Elway |  |  | DEN |
| Terry Bradshaw | 5 | PIT | 4 |
| XXI, XXII, XXIV, XXXII, XXXIII |  |  |  |
| Jim Kelly | BUF | 4 | IX, X, XIII, XIV |
| Peyton Manning | IND/DEN | 4 | XLI, XLIIV, XXVIIII, XXVIIII |
| Joe Montana | SF | 4 | XVI, XIX, XXIII, XXIV |
| Roger Staubach | DAL | 4 | VI, X, XII, XIII |

## CONFERENCE KING

The 2017 AFC Championship was Tom Brady's eighth conference title, the most conference titles for a quarterback in NFL history during the Super Bowl Era (Since 1966).
MOST CONFERENCE CHAMPIONSHIPS BY A STARTING QUARTERBACK IN SUPER BOWL ERA

| STARTING QB | TEAM(S) | \# | SEASONS | SUPER BOWL APPEARANCES |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Tom Brady | New England | 8 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { 2001, 03-04, 07, } \\ & 11,14,16-17 \end{aligned}$ | XXXVI, XXXVIII, XXXIX, XLII, XLVI, XLIX, LI, LII |
| John Elway | Denver | 5 | 1986, 87, 89, 97-98 | XXI, XXII, XXIV, XXXII, XXXIII |
| Terry Bradshaw | Pittsburgh | 4 | 1974-75, 78-79 | IX, X, XIII, XIV |
| Jim Kelly | Buffalo | 4 | 1990-93 | XXV, XXVI, XXVII, XXVIII |
| Joe Montana | San Francisco | 4 | 1981, 84, 88-89 | XVI, XIX, XXIII, XXIV |
| Roger Staubach | Dallas | 4 | 1971, 75, 77-78 | VI, X, XII, XIII |
| Peyton Manning | IND/DEN | 4 | 2006, 09, 13, 15 | XLI, XLIV, XLVIII, 50 |
| Troy Aikman | Dallas | 3 | 1992-93, 95 | XXXVII, XXXVIII, XXX |
| Bob Griese | Miami | 3 | 1971-73 | VI, VII, VIII |
| Ben Roethlisberger | Pittsburgh | 3 | 2005, 08, 10 | XL, XLIII, XLV |
| Fran Tarkenton | Minnesota | 3 | 1973-74, 76 | VII, IX, XI |
| Kurt Warner | STL/ARZ | 3 | 1999, 2001, 08 | XXXIV, XXXVI, XLIII |

## SUPAR COMBINATION

New England head coach Bill Belichick and quarterback Tom Brady won their eighth conference championship together in 2017. Three other coach/quarterback duos have qualified for four Super Bowls - Dallas' Tom Landry and Roger Staubach; Buffalo's Marv Levy and Jim Kelly; and Pittsburgh's Chuck Noll and Terry Bradshaw.
MOST CONFERENCE CHAMPIONSHIPS BY A HEAD COACH-QUARTERBACK TANDEM

| Quarterback | Head Coach | Team | Conf. Titles | SB Wins |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :---: | ---: |
| Tom Brady | Bill Belichick | New England | $\mathbf{8}$ | $\mathbf{5}$ |
| Terry Bradshaw | Chuck Noll | Pittsburgh | 4 | 4 |
| Roger Staubach | Tom Landry | Dallas | 4 | 2 |
| Jim Kelly | Marv Levy | Buffalo | 4 | 0 |

## DIVISION TITLES

Tom Brady added to his NFL record with his 15th division championship in 2017. Peyton Manning has the second-most with 12 division titles.

## Quarterback Division Titles

Tom Brady......................................... 15
Peyton Manning..................................... 12
Joe Montana............................................ 9
Brett Favre ................................................ 8
Terry Bradshaw ........................................ 7
John Elway ................................................ 7

## MOST CONSECUTIVE DIVISION TITLES

Tom Brady extended an NFL record by leading the Patriots to their ninth straight division title in 2017.

## MOST CONSECUTIVE DIVISION TITLES

| Player | Team | Cons. Division Titles |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Tom Bra | New Eng | ... 9 (2009-17) |
| Terry Brad | Pittsburg | ... 6 (1974-79) |
|  | . Minnesota | . 6 (1973-78) |

## CONSECUTIVE COMPLETIONS IN SB HISTORY

In Super Bowl XLVI, Brady completed a record 16 straight passes to set a new Super Bowl record. The previous record was held by Joe Montana, who had 13 straight completions in Super BowI XXIV.

## RECORD 12TH CONFERENCE CHAMPIONSHIP

Tom Brady extended his NFL-record to 12 conference championship game in 2017. Gene Upshaw and George Blanda are second after playing in 10 conference championship games.

## BRADY POSTSEASON GAMES

Tom Brady has competed in 37 postseason games, most in NFL history.
MOST POSTSEASON GAMES IN NFL HISTORY Player Team(s) Postseason Games
Tom Brady.................... New England................................ 37
Adam Vinatieri..................... NE/IND ........................................ 30
Jerry Rice..........................SF/OAK/SEA .................................... 29
D.D. Lewis...............................Dallas ......................................... 27
Peyton Manning .................IND/DEN ...................................... 27

## GOOD THINGS COME IN THREES

Tom Brady threw three TD passes in Super Bowl LII vs. Philadelphia. Brady now has 11 career playoff games with three or more touchdowns, passing Joe Montana for the most in the Super Bowl era. New England is 10-1 in those games.
MOST 3-TOUCHDOWN PASS PLAYOFF GAMESTom Brady11
Joe Montana .....  9
Aaron Rodgers .....  7
Peyton Manning .....  6
Brett Favre .....  6

## C DAVID ANDREWS

## FOOTBALL FAMILY

David Andrews is the nephew of long-time NFL head coach and player Dan Reeves. Andrews said the bond between the two is still strong and he still seeks Reeves' advice.
"Not many people in my family know what it's like to play in the NFL," Andrews told The Boston Globe. "So he's kind of the only one I can bounce things off or someone who might understand what it's like, so it's definitely cool."

## WR JULIAN EDELMAN



## WHAT TO LOOK FOR IN 2018

- Ranks third in NFL history with 89 postseason receptions, behind Jerry Rice (151) and Reggie Wayne (93), and needs five postseason receptions to move past Wayne into second place all-time.
- Is one of 14 NFL players with at least 1,000 postseason receiving yards and his 1,024 postseason receiving yards are ranked 13th in NFL history. He needs 39 receiving yards to move into the top 10.
- Is tied with Deion Branch and Rob Gronkowski for first in Patriots history with four postseason 100-yard games.


## 2018 ACCOMPLISHMENTS

- Caught seven passes vs. Indianapolis (10/04/18) to move past Kevin Faulk for sixth- most receptions in team history.
- Notched 57 receiving yards vs. Indianapolis (10/04/18) to pass Gino Cappelletti into ninth place for receiving yards in team history and is now in seventh place on the all-time list.


## VERY RECEPTIVE

Julian Edelman has averaged 6.4 receptions per game since 2013, fourth-highest average in the NFL over that span.

## Player

Team(s) Receptions Per Game
Antonio Brown ........................ Pittsburgh .............................................. 7.4
Julio Jones Plasburgh 6.9

Odell Beckham Jr. ................N.Y. Giants ............................................ 6.6
Julian Edelman
Keenan Allen ......................... LA Chargers........................................... 6.2
Jarvis Landry .6.2
......................MIA/CLE ...............................................6.1

## CHIPPING IN WITH VERSATILITY

Edelman had 37 yards passing, 28 yards rushing and 71 yards receiving in the Week 9 victory over the Green Bay Packers on Nov. 4, 2018. The last NFL player with 25-plus yards in those three statistical categories was Cam Newton at Tampa Bay on Dec. 4, 2011. The last Patriot to accomplish the feat was David Patten at Indianapolis on Oct. 21, 2001, with 60 yards passing, 29 yards rushing and 117 yards receiving

## RECORD RETURNER

Edelman set a franchise record with his fourth career punt return for a touchdown when he returned a punt 84 yards for a touchdown vs. Denver on Nov. 2, 2014. He also set a franchise record with a $94-y a r d$ punt returned for a touchdown vs. Miami (01/02/11). The previous longest punt return was an 89-yard touchdown return by Mike Haynes vs. Buffalo (11/07/76). Edelman also returned punts for touchdowns vs. Kansas City (11/21/11-72 yards) and vs. Indianapolis (11/18/12-68 yards). Edelman is now tied for fourth-most punt return touchdowns in the NFL since 2010.

## MOST PUNT RETURN TOUCHDOWNS/PATRIOTS CAREER <br> Player <br> Punt Return TDs

Julian Edelman . 4
Troy Brown $\qquad$
Irving Fryar .3

Mike Haynes $\qquad$
MOST PUNT RETURN TOUCHDOWNS IN THE NFL SINCE 2010

| Player | Team(s) | Punt Return TDs |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Devin Hester.. | CHI/ATL/BAL. | ....................... 7 |
| Marcus Sherels | Minnesota | . 5 |
| Darren Sproles | . SD/NO/PHI | 5 |
| Julian Edelman | New England | .................... 4 |
| Travis Benjamin. | .CLE/SD/LAC . | ........... 4 |
| Antonio Brown | ...Pittsburgh | .......... 4 |
| Patrick Peterson | ..... Arizona.. | ................. 4 |
| Tyreek Hill . | ..Kansas City .. | ......... 4 |

## NOT YOUR AVERAGE RETURNER

Edelman has returned 169 punts for 1,914 yards during his career and is second in team history and tied for 14th in NFL history with an 11.3 average.

HIGHEST PUNT RETURN AVERAGE, PATRIOTS CAREER (MINIMUM 20 RETURNS)

| Player | Years | Returns | Yards | Average |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | ---: |
| Mack Herron | 1973-75 | 74 | 888 | 12.0 |
| Julian Edelman | 2009-present | 169 | $\mathbf{1 , 9 1 4}$ | 11.3 |
| Carl Garrett | $1969-72$ | 43 | 487 | 11.3 |
| Wes Welker | $2007-12$ | 114 | 1,185 | 10.4 |

HIGHEST PUNT RETURN AVERAGE IN NFL HISTORY (75 RETURNS)

| Player | Team(s) | Years | Ret. | Yards | Avg. |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| George McAfee | Chicago | $1940-41,45-50$ | 112 | 1,431 | 12.8 |
| Jack Christiansen | Detroit | $1951-58$ | 85 | 1,084 | 12.8 |
| Claude Gibson | SD/OAK | $1961-65$ | 110 | 1,381 | 12.6 |
| Tyreek Hill | KC | $2016-$ present | 81 | 993 | 12.3 |
| Bill Dudley | PIT/DEN/WAS | $1942-53$ | 124 | 1,515 | 12.2 |
| Rick Upchurch | Denver | $1975-83$ | 248 | 3,008 | 12.1 |
| Desmond Howard | WAS/JAX/GB/ | $1992-2002$ | 244 | 2,895 | 11.9 |
|  | OAK/DET |  |  |  |  |
| Billy Johnson | HOU/ATL/WAS | $1974-88$ | 282 | 3,317 | 11.8 |
| Devin Hester | CHI/ATL/BAL | $2006-16$ | 315 | 3,695 | 11.7 |
| Mack Herron | NE/ATL | $1973-75$ | 84 | 982 | 11.7 |
| Roscoe Parrish | Buff/TB | $2005-12$ | 165 | 1920 | 11.6 |
| Billy Thompson | Denver | $1969-81$ | 157 | 1814 | 11.6 |
| Darrien Gordon | SD/DEN/OAK/ | $1993-02$ | 314 | 3,601 | 11.5 |
|  | ATL/GB |  |  |  |  |
| Julian Edelman | New England | $\mathbf{2 0 0 9 - p r e s e n t ~}$ | $\mathbf{1 6 9}$ | $\mathbf{1 , 9 1 4}$ | $\mathbf{1 1 . 3}$ |
| Henry Ellard | LAR/WAS | $1983-98$ | 135 | 1,527 | 11.3 |
| Roger Bird | Oakland | $1966-68$ | 94 | 1,063 | 11.3 |
| Bosh Pritchard | PHI/NYG | $1942-51$ | 95 | 1,072 | 11.3 |

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## EDELMAN'S BIG RETURNS

Edelman owns 13 career punt returns of 30 yards or more.
MOST 30-YARD PUNT RETURNS IN PATRIOTS HISTORY
$\qquad$
$\qquad$
Irving Fryar .......................... 13
Mike Haynes ....................... 13

## BEST PUNT RETURN AVERAGE IN A SEASON

Edelman has the two best punt return averages in a single season in New England history. In 2010, Edelman led the AFC and finished second in the NFL with a 15.3 punt return average.

PATRIOTS BEST PUNT RETURN AVERAGE/SEASON (MINIMUM 15 RETURNS)

| Player | Year | PR Avg. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Julian Edelman. | 2012. | ....... 15.5 |
| Julian Edelman | 2010 | ........ 15.3 |
| Mack Herron | 1974.. | ... 14.8 |
| Troy Brown.... | 2001. | ... 14.2 |

## RETURNS PILING UP

Edelman is third in team history with 169 punt returns and 1,914 return yards.
MOST PUNT RETURNS IN PATRIOTS HISTORY
Troy Brown ...................... 252
Irving Fryar ....................... 206
Julian Edelman........... 169
David Meggett............................ 114
Wes Welker .................... 111

MOST PUNT RETURN YARDS IN PATRIOTS HISTORY
Troy Brown ....................2,625
Irving Fryar .................... 2,055
Julian Edelman ......... 1,914
David Meggett.................438
Wes Welker ..................185

## TWO 1,000-YARD SEASONS

Edelman had his second career 1,000-yard receiving season in 2016 after setting a single-season best with 1,106 yards. He joined Wes Welker (5), Rob Gronkowski (3), Randy Moss (3), Stanley Morgan (3) and Terry Glenn (2) as the only Patriots with at least two 1,000-yard seasons. Edelman had 1,056 yards receiving in 2013.

## MOST 1,000 YARD SEASON/PATRIOTS HISTORY

Wes Welker.................................... 5
Rob Gronkowski ........................... 4
Stanley Morgan ............................ 3
Randy Moss ................................... 3
Julian Edelman........................... 2
Terry Glenn .. 2


## INCHING CLOSER TO THE TOP

Edelman ranks third all-time in NFL postseason with 89 receptions. He is ranked 13th all-time in postseason receiving yards and is one of 14 players with at least 1,000 postseason receiving yards. He is the Patriots all-time leader with 89 receptions and 1,024 receiving yards.

MOST POSTSEASON RECEPTIONS
Jerry Rice.................................. 151
Reggie Wayne .......................... 93
Julian Edelman ...................... 89
Hines Ward................................ 88
Wes Welker ................................ 88
MOST POSTSEASON RECEPTIONS \& RECEIVING YARDS IN PATRIOTS HISTORY

| Player | Rec. |
| :---: | :---: |
| Julian Edelman | ... 89 |
| Wes Welker.. | 69 |
| Rob Gronkowski | 68 |
| Troy Brown. | 58 |
| Danny Amendo | .. 57 |
| Player | Rec. Yds. |
| Julian Edelman. | ....1,024 |
| Rob Gronkowski | ...... 972 |
| Deion Branch | ... 852 |
| Danny Amendola | .... 709 |
| Troy Brown..... | . 694 |



## EDELMAN IN A RUSH

Edelman has 46 rushing attempts for 340 yards, the most rushing attempts and rushing yards by a Patriots wide receiver in team history.

## MOST RUSHING ATTEMPTS \& RUSHING YARDS BY A PATRIOTS WIDE RECEIVER

| Player Rushes | Player Rushing Yards |
| :---: | :---: |
| Julian Edelman .................... 46 | Julian Edelman ................. 340 |
| Cordarrelle Patterson............ 38 | Darryl Stingley ..................... 244 |
| Irving Fryar............................. 35 | Irving Fryar........................... 188 |
| Troy Brown............................. 29 | Troy Brown............................ 178 |
| Darryl Stingley ...................... 28 | Cordarrelle Patterson.......... 162 |

## ANOTHER TEAM RECORD

Edelman had a 47-yard run vs. Indianapolis (11/18/12). It is the longest run by a Patriots receiver, topping Troy Brown's 35-yard run vs. Tampa Bay on (09/03/00) and Terry Glenn's 35 -yader vs. Kansas city (12/04/00).

## FROM STANDOUT QB TO WR

Edelman began his college football career with a year at the College of San Mateo (Calif.) before transferring to Kent State, where as a senior, he completed 56 percent of his passes (153-of-275 for 1,820 yards) with 13 touchdowns. He was also the leading rusher, gaining 1,551 yards on 215 attempts (an average of 7.5 yards per carry) and scoring 13 touchdowns. His offensive numbers broke Kent State's single-season record for total offense set by Joshua Cribbs in 2003.
Said head coach Bill Belichick on the versatility of Edelman: "He played the quarterback position in college at Kent State and all the positions really that he's played in the NFL - covering kicks, returning kicks, slot receiver, outside receiver, slot defender - he didn't do any of those things in college. I think that really speaks to his versatility and how much he's grown as a player and how many things he's learned how to do that he really didn't have much experience with in college. I'd say that's pretty unusual, especially to be as competent in them as he is."

## FATHERLY ADVICE

If there is one thing Julian Edelman has never lacked, it's athletic ability. A dual-threat quarterback at Kent State and former baseball standout in high school, Edelman once wowed Toronto Blue Jays players with his impressive footwork while fielding ground balls in an appearance at batting practice in 2011.
This natural ability may have been overlooked by NFL scouts, who let him fall to the Patriots in the seventh round of the 2009 NFL Draft. Edelman remains focused on the lessons his father, Frank Edelman, taught him at a young age. "I'm still constantly trying to learn," Edelman told The Boston Herald. "My dad always put it in my head, when you're green, you're growing, when you're ripe, you're lost. When you're done learning, you're done."

## WR JOSH GORDON

## GORDON LEADS THE WAY

WR Josh Gordon had his first 100-yard game as a member of the Patriots with four receptions for 100 yards at Chicago on Oct. 21, 2018, becoming the 29th different player to have a 100-yard receiving game in a game Tom Brady has started. Only Drew Brees has more with 30.

## TE ROB GRONKOWSKI

## WHAT TO LOOK FOR IN 2018

- Gronkowski (4) needs one more 1,000-yard season to move past Tony Gonzalez and Jason Witten for the most 1,000-yard seasons by an NFL tight end with five.
- Gronkowski has led all tight ends in receiving yards four times in his career (2011, 2014, 2015 and 2017). If he leads his position again in 2018, he will tie Shannon Sharpe for second most all-time with five behind Tony Gonzalez (7).
- Gronkowski has an NFL-leading five seasons with 10 or more touch-
 downs by a tight end and can add to his record in 2018.
- Gronkowski has 27 career 100-yard games, second in NFL history among tight ends behind Tony Gonzalez (31). His 27 100-yard games are third in Patriots history, behind the 38 by Stanley Morgan and the 28 by Wes Welker.
- Gronkowski and Tom Brady have connected on 77 touchdown passes, second among all quarterback and tight end combinations to the 89 by Philip Rivers and Antonio Gates. The Brady to Gronkowski connection is fifth all-time between pass-catchers and quarterbacks.
- Brady and Gronkowski have teamed up for 7,634 receiving yards, a QB to TE total that is second-most in NFL history behind Philip Rivers/Antonio Gates $(9,258)$ after passing Tony Romo/Jason Witten $(7,287)$ with a 51 -yard performance at Detroit $(09 / 23 / 18)$.
- Gronkowski has 7,709 receiving yards, eighth all-time among NFL tight ends, and needs 271 yards to move into the top five among all tight ends in NFL history.
- Gronkowski is third all-time among NFL tight ends with 78 receiving touchdowns, behind Antonio Gates (116) and Tony Gonzalez (111).
- Gronkowski has 16 career multi-TD games, third most all-time for a tight end behind Antonio Gates (21) and Tony Gonzalez (18).
- Gronkowski leads all NFL players with 78 touchdown receptions since 2010, ahead of Dez Bryant (73).
- Gronkowski enters 2018 first among all NFL tight ends with 12 postseason touchdowns. His 12 postseason touchdowns are tied with John Stallworth for second all-time for most touchdown receptions in the postseason to the 22 by Jerry Rice.
- Gronkowski has four postseason 100-yard games and needs one more to move past Vernon Davis and Keith Jackson for the most 100-yard games by a tight end in postseason history with five.
- Gronkowski (4) needs one more 100-yard game in the postseason to move past Deion Branch and Julian Edelman for the most in New England postseason history with five.


## 2018 ACCOMPLISHMENTS

- The Tom Brady-Rob Gronkowski connection passed Tony Romo and Jason Witten $(7,287)$ for second-most yards between a quarterback and tight end in NFL history in Week 3 at Detroit (09/23/18).
- Gronkowski moved past Ben Coates (490) vs. Miami (09/30/18) to lead all Patriots tight ends in career receptions.
- Gronkowski had 75 yards receiving vs. Indianapolis (10/04/18) to move past Wes Welker $(7,459)$ into second place on the Patriots all-time receiving list with 7,487 yards, behind Stanley Morgan $(10,352)$.
- Gronkowski became the 15th tight end in NFL history to reach 500 career receptions after three catches vs. Kansas City (10/14/18).
- Gronkowski became the eighth NFL tight end to reach 7,500 career receiving yards. He reached the milestone in his 108th NFL game, which marks the fastest tight end to reach that plateau. Gronkowski is also the fastest Patriot to reach 7,500 receiving yards.


## RECEIVING YARDS RECORD

Gronkowski finished 2011 with 1,327 receiving yards, passing San Diego's Kellen Winslow's 1980 record of 1,290 receiving yards for most receiving yards in a season by a tight end. Gronkowski $(1,176)$ reached 1,000 yards for the third time in 2015 and had 11 touchdowns for his fifth season with 10 or more touchdowns. His 1,176 yards led all tight ends in 2015 and is 10th all-time for a tight end in NFL history.

## MOST RECEIVING YARDS BY TIGHT END IN A SINGLE SEASON IN NFL HISTORY

| Player | Team | Year | Yards |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | ---: |
| Rob Gronkowski | New England | $\mathbf{2 0 1 1}$ | $\mathbf{1 , 3 2 7}$ |
| Jimmy Graham | New Orleans | 2011 | 1,310 |
| Kellen Winslow | San Diego | 1980 | 1,290 |
| Tony Gonzalez | Kansas City | 2004 | 1,258 |
| Todd Christensen | L.A. Rams | 1983 | 1,247 |
| Jimmy Graham | New Orleans | 2013 | 1,215 |
| Jackie Smith | St. Louis Cardinals | 1967 | 1,205 |
| Tony Gonzalez | Kansas City | 2000 | 1,203 |
| Pete Retzlaff | Philadelphia | 1965 | 1,190 |
| Rob Gronkowski | New England | $\mathbf{2 0 1 5}$ | $\mathbf{1 , 1 7 6}$ |



\section*{MOST RECEPTIONS BY A PATRIOTS TIGHT END <br> | Player | Year | Receptions |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Ben Coates | 1994. | ............ 96 |
| Rob Gronkowski. | . 2011. | ............. 90 |
| Ben Coates....... | 1995. | ........... 84 |
| Rob Gronkowski | . 2014 | ...... 82 |
| Marv Cook | 1991 | 82 |

## GRONKOWSKI JOINS ELITE CLUB

Gronkowski eclipsed 1,000 yards receiving and 10-plus touchdowns for the third time in his career in 2015 and is the only tight end in NFL history with three 1,000-yard and double-digit TD seasons. He had 1,084 yards and eight touchdowns in 2017.

| TIGHT ENDS |  |  |  |  |  | WITH TWO | 1,000-YARD RECEIVING |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | ---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | \& 10+ TD SEASONS |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Player | Team | Season | Rec. Yds | TDs |  |  |  |
| Rob Gronkowski | New England | $\mathbf{2 0 1 1}$ | $\mathbf{1 , 3 2 7}$ | $\mathbf{1 7}$ |  |  |  |
| Jimmy Graham | New Orleans | 2011 | 1,310 | 11 |  |  |  |
| Jimmy Graham | New Orleans | 2013 | 1,215 | 16 |  |  |  |
| Rob Gronkowski | New England | $\mathbf{2 0 1 5}$ | $\mathbf{1 , 1 7 6}$ | $\mathbf{1 1}$ |  |  |  |
| Rob Gronkowski | New England | $\mathbf{2 0 1 4}$ | $\mathbf{1 , 1 2 4}$ | $\mathbf{1 2}$ |  |  |  |

## SPECIAL CONNECTION

Since Rob Gronkowski entered the NFL in 2010, he and Tom Brady have connected on 77 touchdown passes, the most among any NFL duo.

MOST TOUCHDOWN CONNECTIONS SINCE 2010

## Player Combination

 TD ConnectionsTom Brady and Rob Gronkowski 77
Ben Roethlisberger and Antonio Brown .............................................. 71
Aaron Rodgers and Jordy Nelson ......................................................... 61

## GRONK LEADS TIGHT ENDS

Gronkowski led all tight ends with 1,084 receiving yards in 2017. It was the fourth time that he has led the position in receiving yards. He led with 1,327 yards in 2011, 1,124 yards in 2014 and 1,176 yards in 2015. Only two tight ends have led in receiving yards at the position more than four times - Tony Gonzalez (7) and Shannon Sharpe (5).

## MULTI-SCORE GAMES

Gronkowski has scored two or more touchdowns in a game 16 times. Gronkowski passed Randy Moss (15) for the franchise record for most games with at least two touchdowns after he scored twice vs. Miami on Nov. 26, 2017.

PATRIOTS RECORD FOR MOST GAMES WITH MULTIPLE TDS Rob Gronkowski...................................... 16 Randy Moss .................................................. 15 Corey Dillon.................................................. 13 Stanley Morgan........................................... 12

## MOST GAMES WITH MULTIPLE TOUCHDOWNS BY AN NFL TIGHT END <br> Antonio Gates <br> ..... 21 <br> Tony Gonzalez <br> .....  18 <br> Rob Gronkowski. <br> ..... 16 <br> Jimmy Graham <br> ..... 15

## DOUBLE-DIGIT TDS

Gronkowski became the first tight end in NFL history to have five seasons with 10 or more touchdowns. Gronkowski finished the 2017 season with eight touchdowns.

## NFL TIGHT ENDS WITH MOST 10-PLUS TOUCHDOWN SEASONS

| Player <br> Rob Gronkowski | Team(s) | 10+ TD Seasons | Years (TDs) |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | ---: |
| 2010 (10), 11 (18), 12 (11), |  |  |  |
| 14 (11), 15 (11) |  |  |  |



## TIGHT END TD RECORD

Gronkowski set an NFL record for most touchdowns by a tight end with 18 overall touchdowns in 2011 (17 receiving and 1 rushing).

| MOST TOTAL TDS BY A TIGHT END IN A |  |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | ---: |
|  | SINGLE NFL SEASON |  |  |
| Player | Team | Year | TDs |
| Rob Gronkowski | New England | $\mathbf{2 0 1 1}$ | $\mathbf{1 8}$ (17 rec., $\mathbf{1}$ rush $)$ |
| Jimmy Graham | New Orleans | 2013 | $16(16 \mathrm{rec})$. |
| Tyler Eifert | Cincinnati | 2015 | $13(13 \mathrm{rec})$. |
| Vernon Davis | San Francisco | 2013 | $13(13 \mathrm{rec})$. |
| Vernon Davis | San Francisco | 2009 | $13(13 \mathrm{rec})$. |
| Antonio Gates | San Diego | 2004 | 13 (13 rec.) |

## $=\mathrm{PATRIOTS}$ offethsuve Notes

## 1,000-YARD SEASONS

Gronkowski $(1,084)$ reached 1,000 yards in 2017 for the fourth time in his career and joined Tony Gonzalez and Jason Witten as the only tight ends in NFL history with four 1,000-yard seasons.


## SPECIAL CONNECTION I

Gronkowski and Tom Brady have connected for 7,634 yards, the second-most between a quarterback and a tight end in NFL history.

## MOST RECEIVING YARDS BETWEEN

## A QB AND TE IN NFL HISTORY

| Quarterback | Tight End | Team | Rec. Yds. |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | ---: |
| Philip Rivers | Antonio Gates | SD/LAC | 9,258 |
| Tom Brady | Rob Gronkowski | New England | $\mathbf{7 , 6 3 4}$ |
| Tony Romo | Jason Witten | Dallas | 7,287 |

## SPECIAL CONNECTION II

Gronkowski has 7,634 receiving yards from Tom Brady and moved past Wes Welker for the most receiving yards from Brady.

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MOST RECEIVING YARDS FROM TOM BRADY
Rob Gronkowski.
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$\qquad$

``` 7,634
Wes Welker 6,300
Julian Edelman.
``` \(\qquad\)
``` ,3075
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## GRONK LEADS THE WAY

Gronkowski has the most receiving yards and the fourth-most receptions among tight ends since entering the NFL in 2010. Gronkowski's 7,709 receiving yards are 8th all-time among NFL tight ends. His 509 receptions are 13th among NFL tight ends.

| M | G YARDS B | TIGHT ENDS | SINCE 2010 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Player | Team(s) | Games Played | Rec. Yards |
| Rob Gronkowski | New England | 111 | 7,709 |
| Jimmy Graham | NO/SEA/GB | 133 | 7,336 |
| Jason Witten | Dallas | 128 | 6,483 |
| Greg Olsen | CHI/CAR | 128 | 6,270 |
| Antonio Gates | SD/LAC | 123 | 5,524 |


| MOST RECEPTIONS BY TIGHT ENDS SINCE 2010 |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Player | Team(s) | Games Played | Receptions |
| Jason Witten | Dallas | 128 | 629 |
| Jimmy Graham | NO/SEA/GB | 133 | 600 |
| Greg Olsen | CHI/CAR | 128 | 513 |
| Rob Gronkowski | New England | 111 | 509 |
| Antonio Gates | SD/LAC | 123 | 467 |
| MOST RECEIVING YARDS BY NFLTIGHT ENDS ALL-TIME |  |  |  |
| Player .................................. Team(s)..............Receiving Yards |  |  |  |
| Tony Gonzalez |  |  | .15,127 |
| Jason Witten...............................Dallas ..................................12,448 |  |  |  |
| Antonio Gates ............................ SD/LAC.................................. 11,747 |  |  |  |
| Shannon Sharpe .......................DEN/BAL .............................. 10,060 |  |  |  |
| Ozzie Newsome ....................... Cleveland ................................ 7,980 |  |  |  |
| Jackie Smith ................................. STL/DAL..............................................7,918 |  |  |  |
| Greg Olsen................................ CHI/CAR..................................7,847 |  |  |  |
| Rob Gronkowski ..................New England ........................... 7,709 |  |  |  |
| Pete Retzlaff...........................Philadelphia ................................7,412 |  |  |  |
| Vernon Davis |  |  | 7,392 |

## FASTEST TIGHT END TO 7,500 RECEIVING YARDS

Gronkowski eclipsed 7,500 career receiving yards vs. Kansas City on Oct. 14, 2018, becoming the eighth NFL tight end to reach that mark. He reached the plateau in his 108th NFL game, the fastest tight end to reach 7,500 yards. The previous fastest was Antonio Gates at 128 games. Gronkowski is also ties with Wes Welker as the fastest Patriot player to reach 7,500 receiving yards, also in 128 games.

## TE TD CLUB

Gronkowski now has 78 career touchdown receptions, third all-time by a tight end.


## TIED TO T.O.

Gronkowski, who is 29 years old, has 78 career touchdown receptions, tying Pro Football Hall of Famer Terrell Owens for the thirdmost touchdown catches by a player prior to turning 30 years old in league annals. Only Pro Football Hall of Famers Randy Moss (101) and Jerry Rice (95) had more career touchdowns prior to the age of 30.

| BRADY TO GRONK ON REPEAT |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | ---: |
| THE MOST TD CONNECTIONS BETWEEN |  |  |
| A QB AND A TE IN NFL HISTORY |  |  |

MOST TOUCHDOWN CONNECTIONS IN NFL HISTORY Quarterback Receiver Team TD Conmections
Peyton Manning
Philip Rivers
Steve Young
Dan Marino
Tom Brady
Receiver
Team TD Connections Indianapolis 112 SD/LAC 89 San Francisco 85 Miami 79
New England $\quad 77$ New Orleans 72 Pittsburgh 71

## DOUBLE-DIGIT TD SEASONS

Gronkowski is the first tight end in NFL history to have three straight 10-plus touchdown seasons.

CONSECUTIVE 10-PLUS TD SEASON BY A TE Player Team Consec 10+ TD Seasons Years (TDs) Rob Gronkowski New England 32010 (10), 2011 (18), 2012 (11) Antonio Gates San Diego 2004 (13), 2005 (10)

## THREE STRAIGHT 10-TD SEASONS

Gronkowski had three straight 10-touchdown seasons (10 in 2010, 18 in 2011 and 11 in 2012). He joined Randy Moss (2007-09) and Corey Dillon (2004-06) as the only Patriots with three straight 10-plus touchdown seasons. He is the first Patriot with five 10-plus touchdown seasons overall after reaching 11 touchdowns in 2015.

| CONSECUTIVE 10-PLUS TD SEASONS IN PATRIOTS HISTORY |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Player Co | Consec. 10+ TD Seasons | Years |
| Rob Gronkowski | . 3 | 2010-12 |
| Randy Moss | 3 | 2007-09 |
| Corey Dillon | 3 | 2004-06 |
| BenJarvus Green-Ellis |  | 2010-11 |
| Curtis Martin |  | 1995-96 |

MOST 10-PLUS TD SEASONS IN PATRIOTS HISTORY
MIayer
10+ TD Seasons
Years

## GRONK FASTEST TE TO 75 TD REC.

Gronkowski scored his 75th career touchdown reception on a 15yard pass from QB Tom Brady vs. Miami (11/26/17) and became the fastest tight end to reach 75 career touchdown receptions, doing so in his 98th career game.



Gronkowski joined an elite group of players that reached 75 touchdown receptions in their first 100 games.

## PLAYERS WITH 75 TOUCHDOWN RECEPTIONS IN FIRST 100 GAMES <br> Jerry Rice .................................. 87 <br> Don Hutson ............................. 86 <br> Randy Moss .............................. 84 <br> Lance Alworth .......................... 78 <br> Rob Gronkowski.................... 75

## GRONK HITS 500

Gronkowski became the 15th NFL tight end to reach 500 career receptions vs. Kansas City on Oct. 14, 2018. He reached 500 career receptions in his 108th NFL game, the fourth-fastest in NFL history among tight ends.

## FEWEST GAMES TO REACH 500 RECEPTIONS AMONG TIGHT ENDS

Kellen Winslow ....................... 101
Jimmy Graham ................................. 107
Jason Witten .................... 108
Rob Gronkowski...................... 113
Antonio Gates...........

## GRONK GOES OVER 100 AGAIN

Gronkowski matched his personal best with five 100-yard games in 2015. He also had five in 2011. The NFL record for most 100-yard games in a season by a tight end is six by Tony Gonzalez (2000 and 2004) and Jimmy Graham (2013). The Patriots record for most 100yard games in a season is nine by Randy Moss (2007) and Stanley Morgan (1986). Gronkowski has one 100-yard game so far in 2018.

## MOST 100-YARD RECEIVING GAMES IN A SINGLE SEASON BY A TIGHT END

| Player | Team | Season | 100-Yard Games |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | ---: |
| Tony Gonzalez | Kansas City | 2004 | 6 |
| Tony Gonzalez | Kansas City | 2000 | 6 |
| Jimmy Graham | New Orleans | 2013 | 6 |
| Travis Kelce | Kansas City | 2016 | 6 |
| Rob Gronkowski | New England | $\mathbf{2 0 1 5}$ | $\mathbf{5}$ |
| Rob Gronkowski | New England | $\mathbf{2 0 1 1}$ | $\mathbf{5}$ |
| Travis Kelce | Kansas City | 2018 | 5 |

MOST TD CATCHES BY A PATS TE

| Player | Year | Rec | Yds | Avg | Lg | TD |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Rob Gronkowski | 2011 | 90 | 1,327 | 14.7 | 52 t | 17 |
| Rob Gronkowski | 2014 | 82 | 1,124 | 13.7 | 46 t | 12 |
| Rob Gronkowski | 2015 | 72 | 1,176 | 16.3 | 76 T | 11 |
| Rob Gronkowski | 2012 | 55 | 790 | 14.4 | 41 | 11 |
| Rob Gronkowski | 2010 | 42 | 546 | 13 | 28 | 10 |

## IN GOOD COMPANY

In 2011, Rob Gronkowski joined Dallas Clark, Jimmy Graham, Tony Gonzalez and Todd Christensen, as the only tight ends in NFL history with 90 -plus receptions, 1,000 -plus yards and 10 -plus touchdown receptions in a single season.
TIGHT ENDS WITH 90-PLUS RECEPTIONS, 1,000-PLUS YARDS AND 10-PLUS TOUCHDOWNS IN A SEASON

| Player | Team | Year | Rec. | Yards | TDs |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Rob Gronkowski | New England | $\mathbf{2 0 1 1}$ | $\mathbf{9 0}$ | $\mathbf{1 , 3 2 7}$ | $\mathbf{1 7}$ |
| Jimmy Graham | New Orleans | 2011 | 99 | 1,310 | 11 |
| Dallas Clark | Indianapolis | 2009 | 100 | 1,106 | 10 |
| Tony Gonzalez | Kansas City | 2008 | 96 | 1,058 | 10 |
| Todd Christensen | L.A. Rams | 1983 | 92 | 1,247 | 12 |

## GRONK NETS 27TH 100-YD GAME

Gronkowski finished with 123 yards in the 2018 season-opener vs. Houston (9/9/18) for his 27th career 100-yard game, the second most by a tight end in NFL history to the 31 by Tony Gonzalez.
MOST 100-YARD RECEIVING GAMES IN
PATRIOTS HISTORY
Stanley Morgan ................. 38
Wes Welker................... 28
Rob Gronkowski.......... 27
Randy Moss................... 18

## MOST 100-YARD GAMES BY A PATRIOTS TIGHT END

 Rob Gronkowski $\qquad$Ben Coates. 27

MOST 100-YARD GAMES BY A TIGHT END IN NFL HISTORY
Tony Gonzalez ...................... 31 Rob Gronkowski ................ 27
Kellen Winslow .................... 24
Jackie Smith .......................... 22
Antonio Gates....................... 21
Jason Witten ......................... 21
Gronkowski had 168 yards receiving in the win at Pittsburgh on Dec. 17, 2017 and now has seven career games with 140 or more yards, tied with Shannon Sharpe for the most by a tight end in NFL history.

SECOND TO ONE
Gronkowski finished the 2011 season with 18 overall touchdowns (17 receiving, 1 rushing), passing Curtis Martin (17 overall in 1996) for the second highest single season total in Patriots history.


HIGH RECEPTION AVERAGE
Rob Gronkowski has the third-highest yards per catch average among tight ends in NFL history.
HIGHEST TIGHT END RECEPTION AVERAGE SINCE 1970

| Player | Team(s) | Rec. Avg. |
| :--- | :--- | :---: |
| Rich Caster | NYJ/HOU/WAS | 17.1 |
| Henry Childs | NO/LAR/GB | 15.3 |
| Rob Gronkowski | New England | $\mathbf{1 5 . 1}$ |

Rob Gronkowsk
New England
5
Jerome Barkum
N.Y. Jets
14.7

## END ZONE DOUBLE DOWN

Gronkowski's seven games with two or more touchdowns in 2011 are an NFL record for a tight end. Antonio Gates (San Diego in 2004) and Jerry Smith (Washington in 1967) each had four two-touchdown games. Gronkowski has 15 such games in his NFL career

| MOST GAMES WITH |  | 2+ TD RECEPTIONS |  |
| :--- | :--- | :---: | :---: |
|  | IN A SINGLE SEASON |  |  |
| Player | Team | Year | Multi-TD Games |
| Randy Moss | New England | 2007 | 8 |
| Rob Gronkowski | New England | $\mathbf{2 0 1 1}$ | $\mathbf{7}$ |
| Cris Carter | Minnesota | 1995 | 7 |
| Jerry Rice | San Francisco | 1987 | 7 |

## LEACUE LEADER

78
Gronkowski's 78 touchdown receptions since the start of the 2010 season are the most in the NFL. His 79 overall touchdowns are tied with LeSean McCoy for the most since 2010.

| MOST TOUCHDOWN RECEPTIONS SINCE 2010 |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Player | Team(s) | Touchdowns |
| Rob Gronkowski | New England | 78 |
| Dez Bryant | Dallas | 73 |
| Jimmy Graham | NO/SEA/GB.. | 71 |
| Antonio Brown | . Pittsburgh | 71 |
| Jordy Nelson | .GB/OAK |  |

## MOST TOUCHDOWN RECEPTIONS BY A TIGHT END SINCE 2010

| Player | Team(s) | Touchdowns |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Rob Gronkowski.................. New England............................... 78 |  |  |
| Jimmy Graham | NO/SEA/GB | . 71 |
| Antonio Gates | .SD/LAC | 57 |
| Greg Olsen | CHI/CAR | 42 |
| Jason Witten | Dallas | 41 |
| Vernon Davis | .SF/DEN/WAS | 40 |
| Kyle Rudolph . | . Minnesota | 39 |
| Julius Thomas | DEN/JAX/MIA |  |

## FOUR 3+ TD GAMES

With three touchdown receptions against Pittsburgh (09/10/15), Gronkowski tied the Patriots record for most games with three or more touchdowns (4). His four three-touchdown performances are also most in the NFL since 2010.

## MOST GAMES WITH THREE OR MORE TDS IN PATRIOTS HISTORY <br> Player 3+ TD Games <br> Rob Gronkowski........................ 4 <br> Randy Moss .................................... 4 <br> LeGarrette Blount ...................... 2 <br> Billy Lott......................................... 2 <br> Curtis Martin ................................. 2 <br> Larry Garron ................................. 2 <br> Sam Cunningham......................... 2

MOST THREE-TD GAMES SINCE 2010

| Player | Team(s) | 3+TD Games |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Rob Gronkowski | New Englan | ............ 3 |
| Doug Baldwin | Seattle | 3 |
| Odell Beckham Jr. | N.Y. Giants. | 2 |
| Antonio Brown ... | Pittsburgh. | 2 |
| Michael Crabtree | Oakland. | 2 |
| Victor Cruz | N.Y. Giants. | 2 |
| Vincent Jackson | San Diego. | 2 |
| Calvin Johnson | Detroit. | 2 |
| Brandon Marshall | .. Chicago | 2 |
| Jordy Nelson . | .. Green Bay. | 2 |
| Demaryius Thomas | Denver.. | 2 |

## ALL-PURPOSE PLAYER

In 2011, Gronkowski became the second tight end in NFL history to rush for a touchdown, catch a touchdown, record a tackle and return a kickoff in the same season. Bo Scaife was the first to accomplish that feat in 2006 with Tennessee.

## RACKING UP THE YARDS

Gronkowski is one of three tight ends in NFL history to tally four career 100-yard receiving games in the postseason and is tied with Deion Branch and Julian Edelman for the most postseason 100-yard games by a Patriot.


MOST POSTSEASON 100-YARD GAMES
IN PATRIOTS HISTORY
Rob Gronkowski .4
Deion Branch ......................................... 4
Julian Edelman ......................... 4
Wes Welker 4

## TIGHT END TDS

Gronkowski raised his career playoff total to 12 touchdowns in 2017, adding to his Patriots playoff record for most touchdowns and adding to his NFL playoff record for most touchdowns by a tight end. Gronkowski had three touchdowns in the 2017 postseason, including two in Super Bowl LII.


## MOST POSTSEASON TOUCHDOWNS IN PATRIOTS HISTORY

Rob Gronkowski................................ 12
LeGarrette Blount................................... 8
James White 8
David Givens ........................................................... 7
Tom Brady ................................................ 6
Danny Amendola..................................... 6

## POSTSEASON RECORDS

Gronkowski has 12 postseason touchdown receptions, tying him with John Stallworth for the second-most receiving touchdowns in NFL postseason history.
MOST POSTSEASON TOUCHDOWN RECEPTIONS
IN NFL HISTORY
Team(s)

## MOST RECEIVING YARDS BY A TIGHT END IN NFL POSTSEASON HISTORY

## Player

 Team(s) YardsRob Gronkowski ................... New England................................. 972
Dallas Clark.................................Indianapolis ...................................... 847
Shannon Sharpe.......................... DEN/BAL......................................... 814
Brent Jones...............................San Francisco .................................... 740
Jay Novacek............................................. Dallas............................................................... 645

## MOST RECEPTIONS BY A TIGHT END IN NFL POSTSEASON HISTORY <br> Player Team(s) Yards

Rob Gronkowski ................... New England.................................... 68
Dallas Clark.................................Indianapolis ........................................ 64
Jay Novacek.................................... Dallas................................................ 62
Shannon Sharpe ..........................DEN/BAL........................................... 62
Brent Jones................................San Francisco62

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## WR CHRIS HOGAN

## UNCONVENTIONAL JOURNEY

Despite a successful three-year lacrosse career at Penn State, Hogan, also a standout football player in high school, said that playing college football was always in the back of his mind. Having redshirted his sophomore year of lacrosse, Hogan had an extra year of athletic eligibility following his fourth academic year at Penn State. As the football itch still lurked, Chris played his final year of eligibility with the Monmouth (N.J.) football team, and at the end of the season joined some workouts with teammates who were training for the NFL Combine.
"I honestly didn't know if I had what it took to play in the NFL," Hogan wrote in the Players Tribune. "Still, it was one of those things where I didn't want to look back in five years and be like, 'Man, I wish I would've tried.""

Chris did not get invited to compete in the Combine that year but turned heads during a Pro Day at Fordham University. Later that summer, he signed with the San Francisco 49ers as an undrafted free agent.

## g ted Karras

## SCHOOL'S NOT OUT

Although he already owns a bachelor's degree in communications and a master's degree in recreation, sport and tourism from his time at the University of Illinois, Ted Karras hasn't completely given up his notebook for an NFL playbook. Along with teammate Joe Thuney, Karras is pursuing his MBA from Indiana University thanks to an NFLPA program that provides tuition assistance for players while navigating a busy NFL schedule.
"It just seems to be that everyone keeps wanting to pay for my school, so I'm not going to turn it down," Karras told the Boston Globe.

Karras and Thuney began their MBA pursuit two weeks after the Patriots Super Bowl LI victory by taking online classes and Skyping with professors from Indiana University's Kelley School of Business up until training camp. They continued their classes in the 2018 offseason.

## OL SHAO MASON

## A FAMOUS NAMESAKE

A noted sports fan and basketball enthusiast, Shaq's mother, Alicia McGuire, named him Shaquille Olajuwon Mason in 1993 after her two favorite NBA stars at the time, Shaquille O'Neal and Hakeem Olajuwon. The Tennessee native had the opportunity to meet one of his namesakes at a Memphis Grizzlies game while O'Neal was a member of the Miami Heat, receiving a special meet-and-greet and having his jersey signed.

## RB SONY MICHEL

ROOKIE RUSHING SURGE
RB Sony Michel has 649 yards rushing. He looks to become the third Patriots running back to reach 1,000 yards in his rookie season.

| PATRIOTS ROOKIE RBS WITH 1,000-YARD SEASONS |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Player | Season | Rushing Yds |
| Curtis Mar | ... 1995. | 1,487 |
| John Stephen | 1988. | 1,168 |
|  |  |  |

## PATRIOTS ROOKIES IN A RUSH

Michel is in search of the fourth 100-yard rushing performance of his rookie campaign. Robert Edwards was the last Patriots rookie to have multiple 100-yard games as a rookie, when he tallied four in 1998. Curtis Martin holds the franchise record with nine 100-yard rushing games as a rookie (1995).

MOST 100-YD RUSH GAMES BY A PATRIOTS ROOKIE Player Season 100-Yard Games
Curtis Martin 19959 (Weeks 1, 8, 10-11, 13-17)
John Stephens $1988 \quad 5$ (Weeks 8-10, 14, 16)
Robert Edwards 19984 (Weeks 6-7, 15-16)

## WR CORDARRELLE PATTERSON

## TAKE IT TO THE HOUSE

Patriots WR Cordarrelle Patterson had his sixth career kickoff return for a touchdown Week 7 against Chicago (10/21/18). It was his first as a member of the Patriots. Patterson's six kickoff return touchdowns are two behind the NFL record.


## IN GOOD COMPANY

Cordarrelle Patterson and Gale Sayers are the only two NFL players in NFL history with a career return average above 30 yards.

## NFL RECORD FOR HIGHEST KICKOFF RETURN AVERAGE Player Kickoff Return Average <br> Gale Sayers

## IN A RUSH

Patterson has seven rushing touchdowns in his career, tied for the sixth-most in NFL history by a wide receiver. The Patriots have had five receivers rush for a touchdown in team history in the regular season.


RUSHING TOUCHDOWNS BY A PATRIOTS RECEIVER<br>Cordarrelle Patterson - 5 -yard TD run vs. Green Bay (11/4/18)<br>David Patten - 29-yard TD run at Indianapolis (10/21/01)<br>Irving Fryar - 8 -yard TD run at Seattle $(11 / 17 / 85$ )<br>Darryl Stingley - 34 -yard TD run vs. Kansas City (9/18/77)<br>Darryl Stingley - 23 -yard TD run vs. Baltimore (10/6/74)

## PATTERSON FLASHES AT RUNNING BACK

WR Cordarrelle Patterson set a new franchise record for most rushing yards by a wide receiver in a game with 61 yards rushing on 11 attempts vs. Green Bay (11/04/18). The previous mark was 48 yards by WR Darryl Stingley on Oct. 3, 1976 vs. Oakland.

## MOST RUSHING YARDS BY A PATRIOTS WR IN A GAME

61 yards by Cordarrelle Patterson vs. Green Bay (11/04/18)
48 yards by Darryl Stingley vs. Oakland (10/03/76)
47 yards by Julian Edelman vs. Indianapolis (11/18/12)
38 yards by Cordarrelle Patterson at Buffalo (10/29/18)
37 yards by Terry Glenn vs. Kansas City (12/04/00)

## WR SINGLE-GAME RUSH YARDS RECORD IN NFL HISTORY (SINCE 1970)

102 yards by Cordarrelle Patterson (Minnesota) at St. Louis (09/07/14)
95 yards by Tyreek Hill (Kansas City) vs. Denver (12/25/16)
92 yards by Brad Smith (N.Y. Jets) vs. Cincinnati (01/03/10)

## TEAM RECORD FOR RUSH ATTEMPTS BY A WR

WR Cordarrelle Patterson set a single-game team and career-high with 11 rushing attempts Week 9 vs. Green Bay (11/04/18). His previous best was 10 rushing attempts the previous week at Buffalo. Prior to that, the most rush attempts by a New England wide receiver in a single game was three.

## WR MATTHEW SLATER



## WHAT TO LOOK FOR IN 2018

- Matthew Slater can extend his NFL record for a special teamer with eight straight Pro Bowls.


## LIKE FATHER LIKE SON

Slater is one of 10 sons of Hall of Fame members to be drafted in NFL history.

## HALL OF FAME FATHERS WITH SONS DRAFTED

 IN THE NFLJackie Slater (class of 2001) - son, Matthew Slater (NE)
Bobby Bell (class of 1983) - son, Bobby Bell (NYJ)
Tony Dorsett (class of 1994) - son, Anthony Dorsett (HOU) Bob Griese (class of 1990) - son, Brian Griese (DEN) Russ Grimm (class of 2010) - son, Cody Grimm (TB) Howie Long (class of 2000) - sons Chris Long (STL) and Kyle Long (CHI) Bruce Matthews (class of 2007) - son, Jake Matthews (ATL) Don Shula (class of 1997) - son, Mike Shula (TB)
Kellen Winslow (class of 1995) - son, Kellen Winslow (CLE)

## PRO BOWL RECORD

Slater has earned seven Pro Bowl invitations (2011-17) as a special teams player to match Steve Tasker (1987, 1990-95) for the most special teams Pro Bowl honors in NFL history. Slater is the only special teams player to earn seven consecutive Pro Bowls.

## ALL-STAR COMBINATION

Slater has been voted to the Pro Bowl for seven straight seasons, matching the seven that his father was voted to with the L.A. Rams. The Slater family's 14 combined Pro Bowls are the second-most among father-son contingents to have been voted to at least one Pro Bowl each.

MOST FATHER AND SON PRO BOWL SELECTIONS
Players
Pro Bow/s

Archie (2), Peyton (14) and Eli Manning (4).......................................... 20

Jackie (7) and Matthew Slater (7)

14

## ELECTED TEAM LEADER

Patriots wide receiver Matthew Slater has been named to seven straight Pro Bowls (2011-17) for his special teams work, but perhaps more revealing of his value to New England is the fact that he was elected a captain by his teammates for the eighth straight season in 2018.

The special teams ace shared what it means to be a captain with high school football players in a story published by The Boston Globe. "I think first and foremost, you have to be able to put others before yourself. Being a captain and leadership is about serving, and to me, that means a great deal of sacrifice - putting aside personal agendas for the greater common goal. Leadership is equated with sacrifice. I think you have to be willing to do whatever it takes for the unit to succeed. I think you need to lead by example. A lot of times, it's about what you do, not what you say."

## SLATER'S EMERGENCE WAS SPECIAL

Bill Belichick acknowledged Matthew Slater's role as a gunner on special teams: "Matt is one of the best in the league," Belichick said. "Any time the punt return team has to double somebody, that makes it one less guy they can use somewhere else in the return. He almost always draws two guys out there unless they're in an eightman rush. Most of the time, there's two guys out there - fourth-andshort, where they're trying to protect the box - but he draws a lot of double teams, and deservedly so. He does an outstanding job of covering punts."

## OL JOE THUNEY

## THUNEY DOES HAVE THE SIZE

An Ohio native, Joe Thuney was told he may not have the size to play offensive line in the Big Ten conference for his hometown Ohio State Buckeyes. Settling on North Carolina State, Thuney went on to become a mainstay on the offensive line while also earning his bachelor's degree in accounting in just three years and added an international studies degree and minoring in Spanish

## BACK TO SCHOOL

Along with teammate Ted Karras, Joe Thuney has taken advantage of an NFLPA program that assists its players in earning college degrees. After earning his degree in accounting while also studying international studies at N.C. State, Thuney is now pursuing his MBA through Indiana University's Kelley School of Business.

## RB JAMES WHITE

## 2018 ACCOMPLISHMENTS

- RB James White has set single-season career-highs in receptions (74), receiving yards (659), receiving touchdowns (6), rushing touchdowns (4), rushing yards (329) and overall touchdowns (10) in 2018.


## WHITE ADDS UP TD CATCHES

RB James White has the most touchdown receptions by a running back in the NFL since 2015.

## RB WITH THE MOST RECEIVING TD SINCE 2015

## Player

Team
TDs
James White New England 18
Tevin Coleman Atlanta. $\qquad$ Christian McCaffrey Carolina .11
s), Todd Gurley ( (Kansas City), David Johnson (Arizona) and Theo Riddick (Detroit) all have 10.

## PROLIFIC SCORING PACE

White enters this week with six touchdown receptions on the season. He is three behind the single-season mark by a running back.

| Player | Year | Team | TD Receptions |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | ---: |
| Marshall Faulk | 2001 | St. Louis | 9 |
| Chuck Foreman | 1975 | Minnesota | 9 |
| Leroy Hoard | 1991 | Cleveland | 9 |

## SWEET FEET SCORING OFTEN

White has 18 receiving touchdowns in his career, second all-time among Patriots running backs. His 235 receptions rank third in team history at his position.
RB TD RECEPTIONS IN PATRIOTS HISTORY
Slayer

Seasons | Receiving TDs |
| ---: |

## RB RECEPTIONS IN PATRIOTS HISTORY

| Player | Seasons | Receptions |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Kevin Faulk | 1999-2011 | ................ 431 |
| Tony Collins | 1981-87 | 261 |
| James White | 2014-presen | 235 |
| Sam Cunning | .1973-82 | 210 |

## COPIOUS CATCHES

White is high on the lists for receptions and receiving yards by a running back since 2015.

RB RECEPTIONS SINCE 2015

| Player | Team | TDs |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Theo Riddick | . Detroit | 237 |
| James White | w Englan | . 230 |
| Duke Johnson | Cleveland | . 224 |
| Le'Veon Bell.. | ittsburgh | 184 |

## OFF AND RUNNING

White has the second-most receiving yards by a running back since 2015.

RB RECEIVING | YARDS SINCE 2015 |
| :--- |
| Team |

| Player |
| :--- |

Receiving Yds

## RECORD-SETTING RECEPTIONS PACE

James White has 74 receptions in 2018 and needs four more receptions to set the team mark for a running back in a single season. White is averaging more than six catches per game and is currently on track for 99 receptions. White is tied with Saquon Barkley for second in the NFL among running backs with 74 receptions.


| MOST RECEPTIONS <br> Player | IN A <br> Year | SEASON BY <br> Matt Forte | 2014 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | ---: |

## RECEIVING YARDS RECORD

RB James White has a career-best 659 receiving yards in 2018. The Patriots record for most receiving yards by a running back is 684 by Tony Collins in 1986. White needs 26 yards to set the team mark.

MOST RECEIVING YARDS IN A SEASON BY A PATRIOTS RB

| Player | Year | Receiving Yards |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Tony Collins | 1986 | 684 |
| James White | 2018 | 659 |
| James White | 2016. | 551 |

## WHITE HAS CAREER DAY

White set career regular-season highs with 10 receptions and 115 receiving yards vs. Philadelphia (12/06/15). He is the only Patriots running back with four games with 10 or more receptions

| MOST RECEIVING YARDS IN A GAME BY A RUNNING <br> BACK IN PATRIOTS HISTORY |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Player | Date | Opponent | Yds |
| Shane Vereen | 12/08/13 | Cleveland | 153 |
| Dick Christy | 11/04/60 | Oakland | 124 |
| Joe Johnson | 11/25/60 | Houston | 123 |
| James White | 12/06/15 | Philadelphia | 115 |
| Larry Garron | 12/11/66 | Houston | 113 |

## MOST RECEPTIONS IN A GAME BY A RUNNING BACK IN

| Player | Date | Opponent | Rec |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Shane Vereen | 12/08/13 | Cleveland | 12 |
| Tony Collins | 11/29/87 | Philadelphia | 11 |
| Kevin Faulk | 09/03/20 | Tampa Bay |  |
| Leroy Thompson | 11/13/94 | Minnesota | 11 |
| James White | 10/29/18 | Buffalo | 10 |
| James White | 10/04/18 | Indianapolis | 10 |
| James White | 10/01/17 | Carolina | 10 |
| James White | 12/06/15 | Philadelphia | 10 |
| Tony Collins | 11/16/86 | L.A. Raiders | 10 |

SUPER BOWL RECORD SETTER
White set a Super Bowl record with 14 receptions for 110 yards in Super Bowl LI.

| MOST RECEPTIONS IN A SUPER BOWL |  |  |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | ---: |
| Player | Team | SB | Opponent | Rec. |
| James White | New England | LI | Atlanta | $\mathbf{1 4}$ |
| Demaryius Thomas | Denver | XLVII | Seattle | 13 |
| Dan Ross | Cincinnati | XVI | San Fransisco | 11 |
| Jerry Rice | San Francisco | XXIX | San Diego | 11 |
| Wes Welker | New England | XLII | N.Y. Giants | 11 |
| Shane Vereen | New England | XLIX | Seattle | 11 |

White also set a Super Bowl record by scoring 20 points with two rushing touchdowns, one touchdown reception and one two-point conversion.

| MOST POINTS SCORED IN A SUPER BOWL |  |  |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | ---: |
| Player | Team | SB | Opponent | Points |
| James White | New England | LI | Atlanta | $\mathbf{2 0}$ |
| Roger Craig | San Francisco | XIX | Miami | 18 |
| Jerry Rice | San Francisco | XXIV | Denver | 18 |
| Ricky Watters | San Francisco | XXIX | San Diego | 18 |
| Terrell Davis | Denver | XXXII | Green Bay | 18 |


| Player | Team | SB | Opponent | TDs |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| James White | New England | LI | Atlanta | 3 (2 rush, 1 rec.) |
| Roger Craig | San Francisco | XIX | Miami | 3 (2 rec., 1 rush) |
| Jerry Rice | San Francisco | XXIV | Denver | 3 (3 rec.) |
| Ricky Watters | San Francisco | XXIX | San Diego | 3 (2 rec., 1 rush) |
| Terrell Davis | Denver | XXXII | Green Bay | 3 (3 rush) |

## DL ADAM BUTLER

## CAREER-DEFINING CONTEST

Adam Butler arrived at Vanderbilt as an accomplished high school offensive lineman and spent his freshman season redshirting as a backup at center and guard. During his first offseason, Butler entered a rib eating contest, which judges ruled his team had lost. Butler disagreed and began arguing with the judges. Then Commodore defensive coordinator Bob Shoop was in attendance and witnessed Butler's demeanor and was impressed with his competitive attitude. Shoop convinced then head coach James Franklin to ask Butler to transition to defense.
"Coach Franklin brought me into his office and he asked me what I wanted, and I wanted whatever was best for the team," Butler told The Tennessean. "Because we were so short on defensive linemen at that time, that's how it happened."

## DB NATE EBNER

## SPECIAL TEAMS TACKLING MACHINE

With two special teams assists at Tennessee (11/11/18), DB Nate Ebner increased his 2018 total to 10 special teams tackles. Ebner now has tallied at least 10 special teams tackles every season of his seven-year career with the exception of 2017 when he was limited to nine games due to injury and finished with eight special teams tackles. He posted a career-high 19 special teams tackles in 2016.

## DL TREY FLOWERS

## WHAT TO LOOK FOR IN 2018

- If Trey Flowers leads the team in sacks again in 2018, he will become the seventh player in team history to lead the team in sacks for at least three consecutive seasons. He is currently tied for the team lead with 41122 sacks this season.


## MULTI-SACK GAMES

Flowers has five multi-sack games since 2016.MOST GAMES WITH 2-PLUS SACKS SINCE 2016

## Player

Team(s)
Games
Aaron Donald .................................LA Rams ............................................. 9
Cameron Jordan .......................New Orleans ......................................... 7
Calais Campbell.............................ARZ/JAX............................................. 7
Chandler Jones...............................Arizona .............................................. 7
Khalil Mack.....................................OAK/CHI............................................. 6
Ryan Kerrigan..............................Washington .......................................... 6
Von Miller .........................................Denver 6
NYG/TB.Jason Pierre-Paul6
Cameron Heyward Pittsburgh ..... 6
Joey Bosa SD/LAC. ..... 6
Trey Flowers New England ..... 5
Geno Atkins Cincinnati ..... 5
Frank Clark Seattle. ..... 5
Everson Griffen Minnesota ..... 5
DeMarcus Lawrence Dallas ..... 5
Yannick Ngakoue. Jacksonville ..... 5
Terrell Suggs Baltimore ..... 5
Danielle Hunter Minnesota ..... 5
Vic Beasley Atlanta. ..... 5
Frank Clark. Seattle. ..... 5

## DB DURON HARMON

## FOURTH-QUARTER PICKS

Throughout his six NFL seasons, Duron Harmon has shown a knack for notching late-game interceptions. Of his 16 career picks, 11 have come in the fourth quarter, with six of those occurring during the final two minutes of the game.

## 4TH QUARTER INTERCEPTIONS

| Date | Opponent | Result |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 10/27/13 | .... vs. MIA | W, 27-17 |
| 11/03/13 | ..vs. PIT | W, 55-31 |
| 01/10/15. | ..vs. BAL | W, 35-31* |
| 09/10/15 | .vs. PIT | W, 28-21 |
| 10/29/15 | . vs. MIA | W, 36-7 |
| 09/18/16 | .... vs. MIA | W, 31-24 |
| 01/14/17. | ... vs. HOU | W, 34-16* |
| 09/24/17 | ... vs. HOU . | .W, 36-33 |
| 11/26/17. | .... vs. MIA | W, 35-17 |
| 12/17/17... | ......at PIT. | .W, 27-24 |
| 12/02/18 | .vs. MIN | ...W, 24-10 |

INTERCEPTIONS IN THE FINAL 2 MINUTES OF A GAME

| Date | Opponent | Time Remaining |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 10/27/13 | ... vs. MIA | 0:55 |
| 01/10/15 | .vs. BAL | .1:46* |
| 09/18/16 | .vs. MIA | 0:09 |
| 09/24/17 | .. vs. HOU | 0:03 |
| 11/26/17 | ... vs. MIA | ..1:54 |
| 12/17/17.. | ..at PIT | .0:09 |

* Playoff Game


## HARMON INTERCEPTION NOTES:

- Nine of 13 occurred in the fourth quarter. (11-of-16 including postseason)
- Five of 13 occurred in the final two minutes of the game (6-of-16 including postseason).
- Five of 13 occurred in the end zone (6-of-16 including postseason).
- Eight of 13 occurred inside the Patriots red zone (11-of-16 including postseason).
- Eleven of 13 occurred inside the Patriots 35yard line (14-of-16 including postseason).
- All 13 occurred in Patriots' wins (15-of-16 including postseason).
- Five of 13 have occurred against Miami (4-of5 against Ryan Tannehill).
- Eight of 13 have occurred against either Miami or Pittsburgh.
- Ten of 13 have occurred at Gillette Stadium (12-of-16 including postseason).


LB DONT'A HIGHTOWER
WEARING BRUSCHI'S JERSEY \#54
As a first round draft pick, Dont'a Hightower is used to high expectations. Hightower went to training camp with jersey \#45 but was switched to jersey \#54 prior to the start of his rookie year in 2012. Former LB Tedy Bruschi wore \#54 for 13 seasons.
Hightower understands the importance of the number and hopes to live up to its legacy. "I definitely feel honored to be able to wear this number," Hightower said. "l've read that Tedy didn't want it to be retired
 and he hoped another linebacker would come in and be able to wear this number and be able to play as well. I feel honored. Tedy was a great player, and he means a lot to this organization. I'm definitely proud to be able to wear this number."

## WINNER ON MULTIPLE LEVELS

Dont'a Hightower and Russell Maryland (two national championships at Miami and three Super Bowl Championships with Dallas) are the only two players in NFL history with two national championships and two Super Bowl wins.

## LB BRANDON KING

## WHAT TO LOOK FOR IN 2018

- LB Brandon King has 11 special teams tackles in 2018 and needs one more to match his career-high of 12 set during his rookie season in 2015.


## DB DEVIN McCOURTY

## WHAT TO LOOK FOR IN 2018

Devin McCourty enters 2018 tied with Ty Law for second-most Pro Bowls as a Patriots defensive back with four. Only CB Mike Haynes had more Pro Bowl invites as a Patriots DB with six.

## McCOUR-TD

DB Devin McCourty's 84-yard interception return for a touchdown in the win at Buffalo on Oct. 29, 2018 was his first career interception returned for a touchdown and the ninth-longest in team history. The picksix was McCourty's second career score. His first touchdown came on a 104-yard kickoff return vs. the New York Jets on Oct. 21, 2012.

## DOUBLE TROUBLE

After being selected by the Patriots in the first round of the 2010 NFL Draft, CB Devin McCourty became part of a select group in league history. McCourty's identical twin brother, Jason, joined the Patriots this past offseason for his 10th NFL season. The two became the 12th set of twins to play in the NFL. In the season opener, Devin and Jason became the first set of twins to play together on the same NFL team since 1926 when Gene and Tom Golsen suited up together for the Louisville Colonels. Shaquill and Shaquem Griffin of the Seattle Seahawks also accomplished this unique occurrence on Kickoff Weekend. New England also had twins on the team last year, with TE Jacob Hollister on the roster and WR Cody Hollister on the practice squad. Jacob is on the roster again this year and Cody is on the non-football/injury list.

Devin and Jason were cornerbacks in the Rutgers secondary from 2005-08. Devin redshirted for the 2005 season and was a year behind his brother in eligibility. Devin became the second twin to suit up for the Patriots, after CB Kato Serwanga was a member of the team from 1998-2000. His twin brother, Jason, played for San Francisco and Minnesota from 1999-2001. According to McCourty's mother, the two can only be told apart by tiny scars on their faces left by chickenpox.

## McCOURTY GOES LONG

McCourty had a 104-yard kickoff return for a touchdown vs. N.Y. Jets (10/21/12), the second longest kickoff return in team history. Ellis Hobbs has the longest in team history with a 108-yard return for a touchdown at N.Y. Jets on Sept. 9, 2007. McCourty was named AFC Special Teams Player of the Week for his performance.

LONGEST KICKOFF RETURN IN PATRIOTS HISTORY
Ellis Hobbs. 108TD at N.Y. Jets (09/09/07)
Devin McCourty $\qquad$ 104TD vs. N. Y. Jets (10/21/12)

## IN GOOD COMPANY

McCourty earned Associated Press All-Pro Second Team honors at safety in 2013 and 2016. He also earned Second Team All-Pro Honors as a rookie in 2010 when he played cornerback. McCourty joins Pro Football Hall of Famers Rod Woodson and Ronnie Lott as the only NFL players to earn All-Pro honors at both safety and cornerback.

## BROTHERS IN ARMS

Devin and twin brother Jason McCourty have seen first-hand the effects of sickle cell disease. Both their aunt and uncle lived with the disease while their father carried the trait. Devin and Jason partnered with Embrace Kids Foundation to form their own "Tackle Sickle Cell" campaign aiming to educate the public, increase blood donations and raise money and awareness for the fight against sickle cell disease. Devin's work with the local Boston Children's Hospital has helped advance research of the disease with doctors now as close as they've ever been to a cure.

## K STEPHEN GOSTKOWSKI

## WHAT TO LOOK FOR IN 2018

- If Stephen Gostkowski leads the NFL in scoring in 2018, he will set the NFL mark for most seasons leading the NFL in scoring with six, moving past Don Hutson (5) and Gino Cappelletti (5). Gostkowski has led the NFL in scoring in 2008, 12-14 and 15.
- In 2015, Gostkowski became the first NFL player with four seasons of 150 or more points. He added his fifth season of 150 or more points in 2017 and can add to that number in 2018.

- Gostkowski (5) needs one more 30-field goal season in 2018 to move out of a tie with David Akers (5), John Carney (5) and Justin Tucker (5) for the most in NFL history with six seasons of 30 or more field goals.
- Gostkowski has led the NFL in field goals three times (2008, 132014), and if he leads the NFL in field goals in 2018 , he will join Lou Groza (5), Jack Manders (4), Ward Cuff (4) and Mark Moseley (4) as the only NFL players to lead the NFL in field goals in at least four seasons.
- Gostkowski made 92.5 percent (37-of-40) of his field goals in 2017. He tied Adam Vinatieri (2002, 04, 10, and 14-15) for the most seasons at 90 percent on field goals with five and needs one more season of 90 percent to set the NFL mark.
- Gostkowski $(1,716)$ is in 14 th on the NFL's all-time list for points.
- Gostkowski (180) is second all-time in postseason points, behind Adam Vinatieri (234) and will look to add to those numbers in 2018.
- Gostkowski is third on the NFL's all-time postseason list with 34 field goals behind Adam Vinatieri (56) and David Akers (39).


## 2018 ACCOMPLISHMENTS

- Gostkowski became the 19th kicker in NFL history to reach 350 career field goals with five field goals in the win vs. Kansas City (10/14/18).


## FRANCHISE SCORING LEADER

Gostkowski became the Patriots all-time leader in points in 2014, passing Adam Vinatieri vs. Miami (12/14/14).

| PATRIOTS ALL-TIME LEADING SCORERS |  |
| :---: | :---: |
| Player | Points |
| Stephen Gostkowski | . 1,716 |
| Adam Vinatieri | . 1,158 |
| Gino Cappelletti. | .1,130 |

## SCORING LEADER I

Gostkowski is the first NFL player with five 150-point seasons. His 156 points in 2017 tied for the second most of his career and the second most in the NFL in 2017.

| Player | Year | Points |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Stephen Gostkowski. | 2013.. | .... 158 |
| Stephen Gostkowski | 2017 | .. 156 |
| Stephen Gostkowski. | 2014.. | .. 156 |
| Gino Cappelletti. | .. 1964.. | s 7 TDs) |
| Stephen Gostkowski. | 2012.. | ... 153 |
| Stephen Gostkowski. | 2015.. | . 151 |
| Stephen Gostkowski.. | . 2008 | .. 148 |
| Gino Cappelletti.... | ... 1961 .. | .... 147 |

## SCORING LEADER II

## NFL RECORD FOR MOST POINTS BY A KICKER IN A SINGLE SEASON

Player
David Akers
Gary Anderson Jeff Wilkins Mark Moseley Stephen Gostkowski Matt Bryant Greg Zuerlein Mike Vanderjagt Stephen Gostkowski Stephen Gostkowski Stephen Gostkowski Stephen Gostkowski

| Team | Year | Points |
| :--- | :--- | ---: |
| San Francisco | 2011 | 166 |
| Minnesota | 1998 | 164 |
| St. Louis | 2003 | 163 |
| Washington | 1983 | 161 |
| New England | $\mathbf{2 0 1 3}$ | $\mathbf{1 5 8}$ |
| Atlanta | 2016 | 158 |
| L.A Rams | 2017 | 158 |
| Indianapolis | 2003 | 157 |
| New England | $\mathbf{2 0 1 7}$ | $\mathbf{1 5 6}$ |
| New England | $\mathbf{2 0 1 4}$ | $\mathbf{1 5 6}$ |
| New England | $\mathbf{2 0 1 2}$ | $\mathbf{1 5 3}$ |
| New England | $\mathbf{2 0 1 5}$ | $\mathbf{1 5 1}$ |

NFL ALL-TIME SCORING LEADERS
Gostkowski has the 17th-most points in NFL history.

| Player | Team(s) | Years | Points |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | ---: |
| 1. Adam Vinatieri | NE/IND | $1996-$ present | 2,570 |
| 2. Morten Andersen | NO/ATL/NYG/KC/ATL | $1982-2007$ | 2,544 |
| 3. Gary Anderson | PIT/PHI/SF/MIN/TEN | $1982-2004$ | 2,434 |
| 4. Jason Hanson | Detroit | $1992-2012$ | 2,150 |
| 5. John Carney | TB/SD/NO/NYG | $1988-2010$ | 2,062 |
| 6. Matt Stover | CLE/BAL/IND | $1991-2010$ | 2,004 |
| 7. George Blanda | CHI/BLT/HOU/OAK | $1949-75$ | 2,002 |
| 8. Jason Elam | DEN/ATL | $1993-2009$ | 1,983 |
| 9 John Kasay | SEA/CAR/NO | $1991-2011$ | 1,970 |
| 10. Sebastian Janikowski | OAK/SEA | $2000-p r e s e n t$ | 1,884 |
| 11. Phil Dawson | CLE/SF/ARZ | $1999-p r e s e n t$ | 1,847 |
| 12. Norm Johnson | SEA/ATL/PIT/PHI | $1982-99$ | 1,736 |
| 13. David Akers | WAS/PHI/SF/DET | $1998-2013$ | 1,721 |
| 14. Stephen Gostkowski | New England | $\mathbf{2 0 0 6 - p r e s e n t ~}$ | 1,716 |
| 15. Nick Lowery | NE/KC/NYJ | $1978-96$ | 1,711 |
| 16. Jan Stenerud | KC/GB/MIN | $1967-85$ | 1,699 |
| 17. Matt Bryant | NYG/TB/ATL | $2002-$ present | 1,689 |
| 18. Ryan Longwell | GB/MIN | $1997-2011$ | 1,687 |
| 19. Eddie Murray | DET/KC/TB/DAL/ | $1980-2000$ | 1,594 |
|  | PHI/WAS/MIN |  |  |
| 20. Al Del Greco | GB/STL/PHO/HOU/TEN | $1984-2000$ | 1,584 |

## GOSTKOWSKI GOES LONG

Gostkowski kicked a franchise record 62-yard field goal against Oakland in Mexico City (11/19/17). It was the 19th field goal of 60 or more yards in NFL history.

| LONGEST FIELD GOALS IN NFL HISTORY |  |  |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | ---: |
| Player | Team | Opponent | Date | Distance |
| Matt Prater | DEN | vs. TEN | $12 / 08 / 13$ | 64 |
| Tom Dempsey | NO | vs. DET | $11 / 08 / 70$ | 63 |
| Jason Elam | DEN | vs. JAX | $10 / 25 / 98$ | 63 |
| Graham Gano | CAR | vs. NYG | $10 / 07 / 18$ | 63 |
| Sebastian Janikowski | OAK | at DEN | $09 / 12 / 11$ | 63 |
| David Akers | SF | vs. GB | $09 / 09 / 12$ | 63 |
| Stephen Gostkowski | NE | at OAK | $\mathbf{1 1 / 1 9 / 1 7}$ | $\mathbf{6 2}$ |
| Matt Bryant | TB | vs. PHI | $10 / 22 / 06$ | 62 |


| LONGEST FIELD GOALS IN PATRIOTS HISTORY |  |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | ---: |
|  | Opponent | Date | Distance |
| Player | at OAK | $\mathbf{1 1 / 1 9 / 1 7}$ | $\mathbf{6 2}$ |
| Stephen Gostkowski | at | 58 |  |
| Stephen Gostkowski | vs. CAR | $\mathbf{1 0 / 0 1 / 1 7}$ | $\mathbf{5 8}$ |
| Stephen Gostkowski | at DAL | $\mathbf{1 0 / 1 1 / 1 5}$ | 57 |
| Adam Vinatieri | at CHI | $11 / 10 / 02$ | 57 |
| Adam Vinatieri | at STL | $12 / 13 / 98$ | 55 |
| Matt Bahr | at MIA | $11 / 12 / 95$ | 55 |

## MOST FIELD GOALS IN PATRIOTS HISTORY

Gostkowski moved past Adam Vinatieri (263) in 2015 to become the Patriots all-time leader with 362 career field goals.
Stephen Gostkowski......... 362 Gino Cappelletti
176

Adam Vinatieri ...................... 263 John Smith.............................. 128

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## CONSECUTIVE EXTRA POINTS

Gostkowski set an NFL record for most consecutive extra points made in the regular season.

| MOST CONSECUTIVE (KICKING) |  |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Player | Team(s) <br> Slars | Years | Consec. XPs |
| Stephen Gostkowski | New England | $\mathbf{2 0 0 6 - 1 6}$ | $\mathbf{4 7 8}$ |
| Matt Stover | BAL/IND | $1996-2009$ | 422 |
| Jason Elam | Denver | $1993-2002$ | 371 |
| Jeff Wilkins | St. Louis | $1999-2007$ | 371 |
| Jay Feely | ATL/NYG/MIA/ | $2002-14$ | 360 |
|  | NYJ/ARZ/CHI |  |  |

## EVEN STEPHEN

Gostkowski has connected on 87.4 percent of his regular-season field-goal attempts in his career, the best percentage in Patriots history. Additionally, Gostkowski's 87.4 field goal percentage is third among NFL kickers all-time.

| PATRIOTS ALL-TIME LEADERS / FIELD(MINIMUM 50 ATTEMPTS) |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Player | Years | FGM | FGA | Pct. |
| Stephen Gostkowski | 2006-18 | 362 | 414 | 87.4 |
| Adam Vinatieri | 1996-05 | 263 | 321 | 81.9 |
| Matt Bahr | 1993-95 | 55 | 72 | 76.4 |

NFL ALL-TIME LEADERS / FIELD GOAL PCT.
(MINIMUM 50 ATTEMPTS)

| Player | Team(s) | Years | FGM | FGA | Pct. |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Justin Tucker | Baltimore | 2012-present | 227 | 251 | 90.4 |
| Steven Hauschka | BAL/SEA/BUF | 2008-present | 237 | 271 | 87.5 |
| Stephen Gostkowski | New England | 2006-present | 362 | $\mathbf{4 1 4}$ | 87.4 |
| Robbie Gould | CHI/NYG/SF | 2005-present | 348 | 398 | 87.4 |
| Dan Bailey | DAL/MIN | 2011-present | 202 | 233 | 86.7 |
| Mike Vanderjagt | IND/DAL | 1998-2006 | 230 | 266 | 86.5 |
| Matt Bryant | NYGMIA/ND/TB/ATL | 2002-present | 383 | 444 | 86.3 |
| Nate Kaeding | SD/MIA | 2004-12 | 181 | 210 | 86.2 |
| Kai Forbath | WAS/NO/MIN | 2012-17 | 116 | 135 | 85.9 |
| Rob Bironas | Tennessee | 2005-13 | 239 | 279 | 85.7 |
| Shayne Graham | BUF/CAR/CIN/ | $2001-15$ | 277 | 324 | 85.5 |
|  | HOU/NO/ATL |  |  |  |  |

## GOSTKOWSKI HAS TEAM MARK

Gostkowski scored at least one point in 142 straight games, a franchise record. He set the new record in a win vs. Denver on Nov. 24, 2013. The record ended in the shutout loss vs. Buffalo on Oct. 2, 2016.

## PATRIOTS RECORD FOR MOST CONSECUTIVE GAMES SCORED

| Player | Dates | Consec. Games Scored |
| :--- | :---: | :---: |
| Stephen Gostkowski | $\mathbf{1 2 / 1 7 / 0 6}$ to 10/02/16 | $\mathbf{1 4 2}$ |
| Adam Vinatieri | $11 / 24 / 96$ to 12/29/02 | 101 |
| John Smith | $09 / 28 / 75$ to 10/02/80 | 101 |

## 1,000-POINT BENCHMARK

Gostkowski $(1,716)$ reached the 1,000 point mark in only his 119th career game in 2013. He is the only kicker in NFL history to reach 1,000 career points in fewer than 120 career games played.

KICKERS TO REACH 1,000 POINTS IN FEWEST GAMES
Player Team Games to 1,000 Points

Stephen Gostkowski.......... New England..................................... 119
Mike Vanderjagt.....................Indianapolis........................................... 126
Jason Elam..............................Denver..................................................... 132
Ryan Longwell........................Green Bay.............................................. 136
Jan Stenerud
Kansas City .136

## PROLIFIC SCORING AVERAGE

Gostkowski is ranked first in NFL history with an 8.8 points per game average.


## GOSTKOWSKI PILING ON

Gostkowski is the Patriots all-time leading scorer in the postseason and is second for the most postseason points all-time.

MOST FIELD GOALS IN NFL POSTSEASON HISTORY
Adam Vinatieri..................................NE/IND........................................... 39
Stephen Gostkowski ........... New England ............................. 34
Gary Anderson......................PIT/PHI/SF/MIN/TEN ..... 32
Mason Crosby .Green Bay. ..... 26
MOST POINTS IN NFL POSTSEASON HISTORY
Player Team(s) Points
Adam Vinatier NE/IND ....................................... 234
Stephen Gostkowski . New England ..... 180
David Akers PHI/SF. ..... 175
Gary Anderson......................PIT/PHI/SF/MIN/TEN ..... 153
Mason Crosby Green Bay ..... 137
Jerry Rice SF/OAK ..... 132
Emmitt Smith. DAL ..... 126
Thurman Thomas .Buffalo. ..... 126
George Blanda CHI/HOU/OAK ..... 115
Matt Stover CLE/BAL/IND ..... 106

## FIVE-TIME LEAGUE LEADER

Gostkowski led the NFL in scoring for the fourth straight season in 2015 with 151 points. He also led the NFL with 156 points in 2014, 158 points in 2013, 153 points in 2012 and 148 points in 2008 . He joins Don Hutson and Gino Cappelletti as the only players to lead the NFL in scoring five times.

| NFL RECORD FOR MOST SEASONS LEADING THE LEAGUE IN SCORING |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Player | Team | Years | Seasons |
| Stephen Gostkowski | New England | 5 | 2008, 12-15 |
| Gino Cappelletti | New England | 5 | 1961, 63-66 |
| Don Hutson | Green Bay | 5 | 1940-44 |
| Earl Clark | POR/DET | 3 | 1932, 35-36 |
| Pat Harder | Chicago Cardinals | 3 | 1947-49 |
| Paul Hornung | Green Bay | 3 | 1959-61 |

## GOSTKOWSKI GAME WINNERS

Gostkowski has eight career regular season game-winning kicks and one in the playoffs

| GOSTKOWSKI'S CAREER GAME-WINNING FIELD GOALS |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Time Left | Distance | Final Score | OPP | Date |
| 0:03 4th | 28 | 43-40 | KC | 10/14/18 |
| 3:44 4th | 32 | 23-21 | @ ARI | 09/11/16 |
| 0:01 4th | 54 | 27-16 | @ NYG | 11/15/15 |
| 3:12 4th | 53 | 34-31 | @ HOU | 12/01/13 |
| 1:56, OT | 31 | 34-31 | DEN | 11/24/13 |
| 0:05, 4th | 35 | 23-21 | @ BUF | 09/08/13 |
| 1:56, OT | 35 | 23-20 | BAL | 10/17/10 |
| 11:02 OT | 48 | 29-26 | NYJ | 10/21/12 |
| 1:10, 4th | 31 | 24-21 | @ SD | 01/14/07* |

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## GOSTKOWSKI DRILLS 350TH FG

Gostkowski's 39-yard field goal in the fourth quarter vs. Kansas City (10/14/18) was his 350th career field goal. He is one of 19 NFL players to reach 350 career field goals.

MOST FIELD GOALS AMONG ACTIVE NFL KICKERS
Player Team(s) Field Goals
$\qquad$
Phil Dawson. NE/IND 576
....................CLE/SF/ARZ.................................. 441
Sebastian Janikowski ....................... OAK/SEA .................................. 430
Matt Bryant............................... NYG/IND/MIA/TB/ATL....................... 383
Stephen Gostkowski. $\qquad$ New England $\qquad$ 362

## GOSTKOWSKI BREAKS HIS OWN TEAM RECORD

Gostkowski set a Patriots franchise record with 38 field goals in 2013 and now owns the top six field goal seasons in team history.


## ON THE MARK

Gostkowski made 92.5 percent (37-of-40) of his field goals in 2017. He is now tied with Adam Vinatieri for the most seasons in NFL history with a 90 percent conversion rate with five.

## PATRIOTS BEST FIELD GOAL PCT./SEASON (MINIMUM 30 ATTEMPTS)

| Player | Year | FGM | FGA | Pct. |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | ---: |
| Stephen Gostkowski | $\mathbf{2 0 1 4}$ | $\mathbf{3 5}$ | $\mathbf{3 7}$ | $\mathbf{9 4 . 6}$ |
| Adam Vinatieri | 2004 | 31 | 33 | 93.9 |
| Stephen Gostkowski | $\mathbf{2 0 1 3}$ | 38 | $\mathbf{4 1}$ | 92.7 |
| Stephen Gostkowski | $\mathbf{2 0 1 7}$ | $\mathbf{3 7}$ | $\mathbf{4 0}$ | 92.5 |
| Stephen Gostkowski | $\mathbf{2 0 1 5}$ | $\mathbf{3 3}$ | $\mathbf{3 6}$ | $\mathbf{9 1 . 7}$ |
| Stephen Gostkowski | $\mathbf{2 0 0 8}$ | $\mathbf{3 6}$ | $\mathbf{4 0}$ | 90.0 |
| Adam Vinatieri | 2002 | 27 | 30 | 90.0 |

## MOST 50-YARD FIELD GOALS IN TEAM HISTORY

Gostkowski has the most 50-yard field goals in New England history.

|  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Years | FGM | FGA | t. |
| hen Gostk | 2006-18 | 25 | 35 | 71.4 |
| Adam Vinatieri | 1996-2005 | 8 | 17 | 47.1 |
| Tony Franklin | 1984-87 |  | 6 | 50 |

## 30-PLUS FIELD GOAL SEASONS

Gostkowski is one of four players in NFL history to make 30 or more field goals in five seasons after reaching 37 field goals in 2017.

| MOST 30 FIELD GOAL SEASONS |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Player | Team(s) 30 | 30-FG Se | ons Years |
| Stephen Gostkowski | New England | 5 | 2008, 13-15, 17 |
| David Akers | SF/PHI | 5 | 2002, 08-11 |
| John Carney | NYG/NO/SD | 5 | 1993-94, 99, 2002, 08 |
| Justin Tucker | Baltimore | 5 | 2012-13, 15-17 |
| Adam Vinatieri | NE/IND | 4 | 1998, 2004, 13-14 |
| Jay Feely | ATL/NYG/NYJ/ARZ | RZ 4 | 2002, 05, 09, 13 |
| Matt Stover | Baltimore | 4 | 2000-01, 03, 05 |
| Robbie Gould | CHI/SF | 4 | 2006-07, 15, 17 |



## FOURTH-MOST FGS IN A SEASON MOST FIELD GOALS MADE IN A SEASON

 IN NFL HISTORY
## Player

David Akers Neil Rackers Olindo Mare Robbie Gould Jeff Wilkins Stephen Gostkowski Harrison Butker Greg Zuerlein Justin Tucker Justin Tucker

| Team | Year | Field Goals |
| :--- | :--- | :---: |
| San Francisco | 2011 | 44 |
| Arizona | 2005 | 40 |
| Miami | 1999 | 39 |
| San Francisco | 2017 | 39 |
| St. Louis | 2003 | 39 |
| New England | 2013 | 38 |
| Kansas City | 2017 | 38 |
| L.A. Rams | 2017 | 38 |
| Baltimore | 2016 | 38 |
| Baltimore | 2013 | 38 |

## KICKING A CAREER HIGH

Gostkowski made five field goals vs. Cincinnati (10/05/14), setting a new single-game career high. Gostkowski's five field goals tied the second highest single-game total in Patriots history, trailing only Gino Cappelletti's six successful field goals on Oct. 4, 1964. He matched that total with five field goals in the win vs. Kansas City (10/14/18).

## TWO FROM 50-PLUS

Gostkowski drilled a team-record 62-yard field goal and a 51-yarder in Mexico City against Oakland on Nov. 19, 2017. It was the third time that he made two field goals of 50-plus yards in a single game. He drilled a 51-yard field goal and a 53-yarder vs. Arizona (09/16/12) and connected on two 53-yard field goals at Houston (12/01/13). He is the only Patriot to have two 50-yard field goals in the same game.

## EICHT STRAICHT 12-WIN SEASONS

In 2017, the Patriots won at least 12 games for an NFL-record eighth straight season. It is the 12th time in team history that the Patriots have won at least 12 games in a season.


## 12-WIN SEASONS SINCE 1970 MERGER <br> Team <br> 12-win Seasons

San Francisco.................................................. 13
New England................................................ 12
Dallas................................................................. 12
Denver .............................................................. 11
Pittsburgh ........................................................ 10

## DIVISIONAL DOMINANCE

The Patriots have the highest winning percentage vs. division opponents from November until the end of the season since 2002.

TOP LATE-SEASON WINNING PERCENTAGE VS. DIVISION OPPONENTS SINCE 2002

| Team | W | $\boldsymbol{L}$ | $\boldsymbol{T}$ | Pct. |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| New England | $\mathbf{4 3}$ | $\mathbf{1 2}$ | $\mathbf{0}$ | .782 |
| Indianapolis | 43 | 16 | 0 | .729 |
| Pittsburgh | 46 | 18 | 0 | .719 |
| Green Bay | 41 | 20 | 1 | .669 |
| Seattle | 37 | 20 | 0 | .649 |

## TOP-10 OFFENSE

Since the 1970 merger, the Patriots offense has finished in the top 10 a total of 22 times, including 12 times under Bill Belichick. The 2017 Patriots finished first in the NFL for the fourth time in team history (1978, 2007, 12 and 17). The 2018 Patriots offense is currently ranked seventh.
TOP-10 OFFENSE UNDER BILL BELICHICK
Year
Rank
2017........................................................ 394.2
$2016 \ldots . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . ~$
Yards per

## TOP OFFENSE

The Patriots had finished in the top 10 in offense for seven straight seasons (2007-13), second only to the 11 straight by New Orleans (2006-16). The NFL record for the most consecutive seasons finishing with a top-10 offense since the merger in 1970 is the San Francisco 49ers with 15 (1982-96).

## FORCING THE ISSUE

The Patriots lead the NFL with a +200 turnover margin since the 1994 season.

## NFL TURNOVER MARGIN SINCE 1994 <br> New England +200 <br> Kansas City +143 <br> Green Bay +99

## STRONG IN THE SECOND HALF

Since 2001, the Patriots have done a remarkable job of finishing the season strong, compiling an NFL-best 105-29 (.784) record in games on or after Thanksgiving.

## PATRIOTS BEFORE AND AFTER THANKSGIVING SINCE 2001



## CHllete STADIUM

## BEST RECORDS ON OR AFTER THANKSGIVING SINCE 2001 (INCLUDING PLAYOFFS)

| Team | W | $\boldsymbol{L}$ | $\boldsymbol{T}$ | Pct. |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| New England | $\mathbf{1 0 7}$ | $\mathbf{2 9}$ | $\mathbf{0}$ | . $\mathbf{7 8 7}$ |
| Pittsburgh | 85 | 40 | 0 | .690 |
| Green Bay | 76 | 48 | 0 | .613 |
| Seattle | 74 | 49 | 0 | .602 |
| Indianapolis | 72 | 49 | 0 | .595 |

## SHARP AT GILLATH

The Patriots concluded a 20-game home winning streak with a 20-16 win over Dallas on Oct. 16, 2011. It was the longest home win streak in team history. The Patriots own an overall record of 113-21 (.843) at Gillette Stadium in regular season games. The NFL record for most consecutive home victories is 27, achieved by Miami from 1971-74.

HIGHEST HOME WINNING PERCENTAGE SINCE 1970 (MINIMUM 25 GAMES)

| Team | Stadium | W-L-T | Win Pct. |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | ---: |
| New England | Gillette Stadium | $\mathbf{1 1 3 - 2 1 - 0}$ | .843 |
| Miami | Orange Bowl | $101-22-1$ | .819 |
| Minnesota | Metropolitan Stadium | $64-23-1$ | .733 |
| Pittsburgh | Heinz Field | $102-39-1$ | .721 |
| Seattle | Century Link | $92-41-0$ | .691 |

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LONGEST HOME WINNING STREAK/PATRIOTS HISTORY (REGULAR SEASON ONLY)

| Streak | First Win | Last Win |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 20 | Dec. 21, 2008. | Oct. 16, 2011 |
|  | . Dec. 29, 2002 | .Sept. 8, 2005 |
|  | Dec. 30, 2012. | .Dec. 28, 2014 |
| 12 | . Nov. 26, 2006 | ..Sept. 7, 2008 |
| 11. | . Oct. 22, 2017 | ......... Present |
|  | Sept. 18, 1976. | Oct. 30, 1977 |

## TEAM RANKINGS

During the past 18 seasons, the Patriots defense has consistently ranked higher in points allowed than in yards allowed. The only exceptions came in 2004 and 2015.

| PATRIOTS DEFENSIVE RANKINGS SINCE 2000 |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Year | Avg. Points Allowed | Avg. Yds Allowed |
| 2018 | 21.6 (9t) | 369.2 (22) |
| 2017. | . 18.5 (5) | 366.0 (29) |
| 2016 | 15.6 (1) | . 326.4 (8) |
| 2015 | ... 19.7 (10). | . 339.4 (9) |
| 2014. | . 19.5 (8) | . 344.1 (13) |
| 2013. | 21.1 (10) | 373.1 (26) |
| 2012. | 20.7 (9t) | . 373.3 (25) |
| 2011. | 21.4 (15) | .. 411.1 (31) |
| 2010 | ...19.6 (8) | 365.5 (25) |
| 2009 | ... 17.8 (5). | . 320.2 (11) |
| 2008 | ..19.3 (8) | . 309.0 (10) |
| 2007. | .. 17.1 (4) | . 288.3 (4) |
| 2006 | . 14.8 (2) | . 294.4 (6) |
| 2005 | . 21.1 (17) | 330.2 (26) |
| 2004. | ... 16.3 (2t). | . 310.6 (9) |
| 2003. | ... 14.9 (1). | ... 291.6 (7) |
| 2002 | .. 21.6 (17). | . 336.1 (23) |
| 2001. | ... 17.0 (6) | 334.5 (24) |
| 2000 .. | . 21.1 (17) . | . 334.6 (20) |

## IN A RUSH FOR THE END ZONE

Since 2003, the Patriots are the only team to average at least one rushing touchdown per game. The Patriots have 275 rushing touchdowns in 252 games.
RUSHING TOUCHDOWNS SINCE 2003(REGULAR SEASON ONLY)
Team Rush TDs since 2003
New England ..... 275
Kansas City ..... 248
New Orleans ..... 244
Carolina ..... 239
Minnesota ..... 234

## HISTORIC SCORING CLIP

The Patriots had a historic scoring output over a three-game span in October and November 2014. New England tied a team record by scoring 40 or more points in three consecutive games from Oct. 26 to Nov. 16. The Patriots also scored 40 or more in three straight games in 2007. The Patriots have scored 40 or more points 62 times in team history, including 35 times since Bill Belichick became head coach in 2000, and 19 times since 2010.

## MOST CONSECUTIVE GAMES WITH 40+ POINTS

 IN PATRIOTS HISTORY| Gm | , |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Year | Game 1 | ame 2 | Game 3 |
| 3 | 2014 | 10/26/14 (51-23 v. CHI) | 11/02/14 (43-21 v. DEN) | 11/16/14 (42-20 @ IND) |
| 3 | 2007 | 10/14/07 (48-27 @ DAL) | 10/21/07 (49-28 @ MIA) | 10/28/07 (52-7 v. WAS) |
| 2 | 1962 | 09/21/62 (41-16 v. DEN) | 10/06/62 (43-14 @ NYT) |  |
| 2 | 2002 | 09/15/02 (44-7 @ NYJ) | 09/22/02 (41-38 v. KC) |  |
| 2 | 2008 | 12/14/08 (49-26 @ OAK) | 12/21/08 (47-7 v. ARZ) |  |
| 2 | 2010 | 11/25/10 (45-24 @ DET) | 12/06/10 (45-3 v. NYJ) |  |
| 2 | 2012 | 11/18/12 (59-24 v. IND) | 11/22/12 (49-19 @ NYJ) |  |
| 2 | 2015 | 09/20/15 (40-32 @ BUF) | 09/27/15 (51-17 vs. JACK) |  |

## SCORING FLURRY

The Patriots scored three touchdowns in a 57-second span during the final two minutes of the first half against Chicago on Oct. 26, 2014, turning a 17-7 lead into a 38-7 cushion. It was the fastest three-touchdown flurry in the NFL since the Patriots had three touchdowns in 52 seconds against the New York Jets on Nov. 22, 2012. The Patriots are one of three teams to score three touchdowns in under a minute since the 1970 merger, and are the only team to have achieved the feat twice.

| NFL TEAMS TO SCORE THREE TDS <br> IN LESS THAN ONE MINUTE |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| am | Opponent | D |
| ew | ... Chicago | 10/26/14 |
| ew E | ..N.Y. Jets | 11/22/12 |
|  | Minn | 09 |
|  |  |  |

## HOW THE PATRIOTS SCORED THREE TOUCHDOWNS IN 57 SECONDS:

- Rob Gronkowski caught a 2-yard touchdown pass from Tom Brady with 1:57 left in the first half to make the score 24-7 and cap off a 10-play, 80-yard drive
- After the Patriots defense forced a three-and-out, a 42-yard Julian Edelman punt return gave New England possession at the Chicago 9-yard line, and Brady found Brandon LaFell for a 9-yard touchdown on the next play to give the Patriots a 31-7 lead with 1:07 left in the first half.
- On the Bears first play following the LaFell touchdown, Zach Moore forced a Jay Cutler fumble that was recovered by Rob Ninkovich and returned for a 15-yard touchdown that gave the Patriots a 38-7 Patriots lead with 55 seconds left in the first half.


## A COMEBACK FOR THE ACES

The Patriots came back from a 24-point deficit to defeat the Broncos, 34-31, in overtime in a Sunday Night Football matchup on Nov. 24, 2013, marking the largest regular-season comeback win in team history, after trailing 24-0 at halftime.
New England's previous best comeback win was from a 23-0 deficit to win, 38-23, vs. Seattle (09/16/84). The Patriots also came back from 22 points down to win at the New York Giants, 23-22 (12/21/96). The Patriots have come from 21 points down to win four times, most recently vs. Buffalo (01/01/12).

## ALLTIME PLAYOFF RESULS

The Patriots have compiled a 34-20 record in their 54 playoff games and their 630 playoff winning percentage is second-best in NFL history among teams that have played at least 15 playoff games.

*1982 Strike Season

| ALL-TIME BEST NFL PLAYOFF RECORDS <br> (MINIMUM 15 POSTSEASON GAMES) |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Team | Wins | Losses | Win Pct. |
| Baltimore | 15 | 8 | . 652 |
| New England | 34 | 20 | . 630 |
| Green Bay | 34 | 22 | . 607 |
| San Francisco | 30 | 20 | . 600 |
| Pittsburgh | 36 | 25 | . 590 |
| OAK/L.A. Raiders | 25 | 19 | 568 |
| Dallas | 34 | 27 | 5 |



## PATRIOTS IN THE PLAYOFFS

The Patriots have qualified for the playoffs 25 times in their 58year history. Nineteen of those playoff berths have come in the 24 seasons since Robert Kraft purchased the team in 1994, a dramatic contrast to the six total playoff berths the team earned in its first 34 years of existence. The Patriots have won 20 division crowns, including 15 in the last 17 seasons, and 17 of which have come since Robert Kraft's purchase in 1994.

| PATRIOTS PLAYOFF SEASONS (25) |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Year | How Qualified | Seed | Rec. | Result |
| 2017 | Division Champions | 1 | 2-1 | AFC Champions |
| 2016 | Division Champions | 1 | 3-0 | Super Bowl Champions |
| 2015 | Division Champions | 2 | 1-1 | AFC Championship Game |
| 2014 | Division Champions | 1 | 3-0 | Super Bowl Champions |
| 2013 | Division Champions | 2 | 1-1 | AFC Championship Game |
| 2012 | Division Champions | 2 | 1-1 | AFC Championship Game |
| 2011 | Division Champions | 1 | 2-1 | AFC Champions |
| 2010 | Division Champions |  | 0-1 | AFC Divisional Round |
| 2009 | Division Champions | 3 | 0-1 | Wild Card Round |
| 2007 | Division Champions | 1 | 2-1 | AFC Champions |
| 2006 | Division Champions | 4 | 2-1 | AFC Championship Game |
| 2005 | Division Champions | 4 | 1-1 | AFC Divisional Round |
| 2004 | Division Champions | 2 | 3-0 | Super Bowl Champions |
| 2003 | Division Champions | 1 | 3-0 | Super Bowl Champions |
| 2001 | Division Champions | 2 | 3-0 | Super Bowl Champions |
| 1998 | Wild Card | 6 | 0-1 | Wild Card Round |
| 1997 | Division Champions | 3 | 1-1 | AFC Divisional Round |
| 1996 | Division Champions | 2 | 2-1 | AFC Champions |
| 1994 | Wild Card | 5 | 0-1 | Wild Card Round |
| 1986 | Division Champions | 3 | 0-1 | AFC Divisional Round |
| 1985 | Wild Card | 5 | 3-1 | AFC Champions |
| 1982* | 16-Team Format | 7 | 0-1 | First Round |
| 1978 | Division Champions | 2 | 0-1 | AFC Divisional Round |
| 1976 | Wild Card | 4 | 0-1 | AFC Divisional Round |
| 1963 | Division Champions | -- | 1-1 | AFL Championship Game |

## PLAYOFF BERTHS UNDER KRAFT

New England has qualified for the playoffs 25 times in its 58 -year history. The Patriots have earned 19 of those playoff berths in the 24 seasons since Robert Kraft purchased the team in 1994. New England has won 20 division crowns overall (19 AFC East crowns) and has qualified as a Wild Card team on four occasions (1998, 1994, 1985 and 1976). The Patriots also qualified for the playoffs in 1982 as part of a 16-team tournament following a players' strike.

## ANNUAL ACHIEVEMENT

The Patriots won more than half of their games for the 18th straight year in 2018. They are the first team to win more than half of their games in 18 straight seasons since free agency began in 1993.

The Patriots are also the first team to win more than half of their games in 18 straight seasons since the 1970 AFL-NFL merger, moving past the 49ers ( 16 straight from 1983-98) and the Cowboys (16 straight from 1970-85).

The Patriots have now won nine or more games in 22 of the 25 seasons Robert Kraft has owned the team.

## MOST CONSECUTIVE WINNING SEASONS (SINCE 1970 NFL MERGER)

| Team | Years | Winning Seasons |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| New England | .2001-18 | ............. 18 |
| San Francisco | .1983-98 | ........... 16 |
| Dallas.. | .1970-85 | .. 16 |
| Oaklan |  |  |

MOST CONSECUTIVE WINNING SEASONS ALL-TIME

| Team | Years | Winning S |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Dallas | .1966-85 | 20 |
| New England | .2001-18 | 18 |
| San Francisco. | . 1983-98 | 16 |
| Oakland | .1965-80 | 16 |
| Chicago | . 1930-44 | 15 |
| Green Bay | . 1934-47 |  |
| Cleveland | . 1957-69 | 13 |

## CONTINUED ADVANCEMENT

TEAMS TO WIN AT LEAST ONE PLAYOFF GAME IN CONSECUTIVE SEASONS

| Team | Years | Consec. Seasons | Wins |
| :--- | :--- | :---: | ---: |
| New England | $\mathbf{2 0 1 1 - 1 7}$ | $\mathbf{7}$ | $\mathbf{1 3}$ |
| Dallas | $1991-96$ | 6 | 12 |
| Seattle | $2012-16$ | 5 | 8 |
| New England | $\mathbf{2 0 0 3 - 0 7}$ | $\mathbf{5}$ | $\mathbf{1 1}$ |
| Baltimore | $2008-12$ | 5 | 9 |
| Philadelphia | $2000-04$ | 5 | 7 |
| Green Bay | $1993-97$ | 5 | 9 |
| Oakland | $1973-77$ | 5 | 7 |

## 2017 AFC EAST CHAMPIONS

The Patriots claimed the AFC East Division title for the ninth consecutive season and for the 17th time under Robert Kraft in 2017.

## DIVISION CHAMPIONSHIPS SINCE 1994

New England
.17
Pittsburgh.................................................. 13
Green Bay .12
Indianapolis ............................................... 10

## PLAYOFF TRENDS SINCE 1970

PATRIOTS PLAYOFF TRENDS (SINCE 1970 NFL MERGER)

All-Time (33-19)
Record
vs. AFC.................................................................................................28-14
vs. NFC.................................................................................................... 5-5
Home.....................................................................................................22-4
Away......................................................................................................6-10
Leading at Halftime............................................................................24-4
Trailing at Halftime ............................................................................... 6-13
Tied at Halftime .....................................................................................3-2
Leading After 3 Quarters .................................................................. 24-4
Tied After 3 Quarters.......................................................................... 3-0
Trailing After 3 Quarters ....................................................................6-15
Decided by 7 Points or Fewer ...........................................................14-9
Decided by 3 Points or Fewer.............................................................7-4
When Scoring First............................................................................. 24-7
When Not Scoring First.......................................................................9-12
Positive Turnover Ratio .......................................................................21-1
Even Turnover Ratio............................................................................. 5-5
Negative Turnover Ratio .................................................................... 7-13
Winning or Even Penalty Ratio .........................................................26-4

With a 100-Yard Rusher ........................................................................ 9-0
Without a 100-Yard Rusher ...............................................................24-19
With a 100-Yard Receiver .................................................................... 17-8
Without a 100-Yard Receiver .............................................................16-11
When Allowing a 100-Yard Rusher......................................................4-5
When Not Allowing a 100-Yard Rusher..........................................29-14
When Allowing a 100-Yard Receiver ..................................................7-8
When Not Allowing a 100-Yard Receiver....................................... 26-11
With a 300-Yard Passer...........................................................................10-4
Without a 300-Yard Passer...............................................................23-15
Allowing a 300-Yard Passer ................................................................7-3
Not Allowing a 300-Yard Passer .................................................... 26-16

## MOST PLAYOFF WINS IN A DECADE

The Patriots won 14 playoff games in the decade from 2000-09, tying the 1970s Pittsburgh Steelers and Dallas Cowboys for the most playoff victories by any NFL team in a decade.

| MOST PLAYOFF VICTORIES IN A DECADE |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Team | Decade | Playoff Wins | Championships |
| New England | 2000s | 14 | 2001, 03, 04 |
| Dallas | 1970s | 14 | 1971, 77 |
| Pittsburgh | 1970s | 14 | 1974-75, 1978-79 |
| New England | 2010-present | t 13 | 2014, 16 |
| San Francisco | 1980s | 13 | 1981, 84, 1988-89 |
| Dallas | 1990s | 12 | 1992-93, 95 |
| Washington | 1980s | 11 | 1982, 87 |
| Buffalo | 1990s | 10 | -- |
| Philadelphia | 2000s | 10 | - |
| Pittsburgh | 2000s | 10 | 2005, 08 |

## SUSTAINED PLAYOFF SUCCESS

The Patriots won 11 playoff games from 2003-07, tying the NFL's highest playoff victory total over a five-season span.

| MOST PLAYOFF <br> Team | VICTORIES IN A FIVE-YEAR SPAN <br> 5-Year Span |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | :---: | :---: |
| New England | $\mathbf{2 0 0 3 - 0 7}$ | Slayoff Wins | SB Wins |
| Sallas | $1991-95$ | $\mathbf{1 1}$ | $\mathbf{2}$ |
| Dallas | $1992-96$ | 11 | 3 |
| New England | $\mathbf{2 0 1 3 - 1 7}$ | 11 | 3 |
| New England | $\mathbf{2 0 0 1 - 0 5}$ | $\mathbf{1 0}$ | $\mathbf{2}$ |
| Pittsburgh | $1974-78$ | $\mathbf{1 0}$ | $\mathbf{3}$ |
| Pittsburgh | $1975-79$ | 10 | 3 |
| New England | $\mathbf{2 0 1 2 - 1 6}$ | 10 | 3 |
| Buffalo | $1990-94$ | $\mathbf{9}$ | $\mathbf{2}$ |
| Green Bay | $1993-97$ | 9 | 0 |
| Baltimore | $2008-12$ | 9 | 1 |

## PATS REACH 50 PLAYOFF GAMES

The Patriots are one of five NFL teams with 50 postseason games. Super Bowl LII was the Patriots 54th postseason game.

## MOST POSTSEASON GAMES PLAYED <br> Team Games Played <br> Dallas.............................................. 61 <br> Pittsburgh <br> 61 <br> 56 <br> Green Bay <br> New England. <br> ..... 54 <br> San Francisco <br> ..... 50

## PATRIOTS AT HOME IN THE PLAYOFFS

The Patriots are 22-4 (.846) at home in the playoffs in their history. Twenty five of the franchise's 26 home playoff games have taken place since Robert Kraft purchased the team 24 years ago. After Kraft bought the team, the Patriots won 11 consecutive home playoff games before experiencing a home loss.

PATRIOTS AT HOME IN THE PLAYOFFS (22-4)

## Date

01/21/18
01/13/18
01/22/17
01/14/17
01/16/16
01/18/15
01/10/15
01/11/14
01/20/13
01/13/13
01/22/12
01/14/12
01/16/11
01/10/10
01/20/08
01/12/08
01/07/07
01/07/06
01/16/05
01/18/04
01/10/04
01/19/02
12/28/97
01/12/97
01/05/97
12/31/78
AFC Divisional

## HOME DOMINANCE

The Patriots have a 22-4 (.846) all-time record in home playoff games. The Patriots 846 winning percentage at home in the postseason is first among teams with at least 15 home playoff games and their 22 wins are the most. The Patriots are one of four teams with at least 20 wins at home. Pittsburgh has 21 home wins in the postseason, followed by Dallas (20) and San Francisco (20).
BEST HOME PLAYOFF RECORDS
Ream
Record
New England ........................................................................................ 792

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## PATRIOTS ALL ACCESS

The Emmy Award-winning "Patriots All-Access" airs weekly throughout the season on WBZ-TV Channel 4 in Boston and regional affiliates in Hartford, Providence, Springfield, Burlington, Portland and Bangor. "Patriots All-Access" features exclusive behind-the-scenes access and in-depth weekly features on Patriots players and personnel. Hosted by WBZ's Steve Burton, the show features weekly sit-downs with Bill Belichick including the popular "Belestrator" segment where the coach breaks down upcoming opponents with Scott Zolak.
"Patriots All-Access" airs Fridays from 7-8 p.m. on WBZ-TV and Sunday from 9-10 a.m. on myTV38 in Boston. Check local listings for airtime.

## PATRIOTS THIS W=EK

Insider information. Passionate debate. Timely analysis. That's what "Patriots This Week" delivers. The show, hosted by Bob Socci with former Patriots Scott Zolak and Matt Chatham, is a fast-paced, halfhour of football talk. From breaking down the previous contest to game planning the next opponent, there's no better way to get ready for football than "Patriots This Week" - every Saturday night at 10:30 p.m. on NBC Sports Boston.

## PATRIOTS.COM

## NEWS

Patriots.com features daily updates and exclusive content from the writers of Patriots Football Weekly, offering everything from breaking news to player features and the popular "Ask PFW" postings.

## VIDEO

The Patriots offer video ready for any device with a screen. Live video includes every Coach Belichick and Tom Brady press conferences, the Dunkin Donuts pregame and Papa Gino's postgame shows and other events such as special episodes of Patriots All Access and the Patriots Hall of Fame induction ceremony. On demand video ranges from daily news updates, special features, player interviews, game highlights and Patriots Cheerleaders. Video offerings also include exclusive content such as postgame locker room celebrations and "Belichick Breakdowns" where coach gives his unique insight into opponents and plays.

## AUDIO

Live, original radio shows and on demand podcasts produced from the studios at Gillette Stadium are available on Patriots.com, the Patriots app, Tuneln Radio, iTunes and other podcast platforms. The line-up includes "PFW in Progress," the team's flagship show featuring the writers from Patriots Football Weekly, "Patriots Playbook" with John Rooke, The Bob Socci Show, Fantasy Football Champs and the Cover 2 Podcast with Don Banks and Nick Stevens.
Additional audio content includes, every press conference and conference call, player interviews, Training Camp-cast, Patriots Roster Report, Patriots Prospect Reports and special live NFL Draft shows. Wherever there's a speaker, there's Patriots audio, anytime, anywhere. Check Patriots.com for in-season and out-of-season schedules.

## PHOTOS

The Patriots in-house photographers produce the largest selection of Patriots game action and behind-the-scenes photos in the world. Hundreds of player and cheerleader galleries will keep you clicking!

## LIFESTYLE

The action doesn't stop with the final whistle. That's why the Patriots started its Lifestyle section a few years ago. Find out what the players are doing off the field plus features on fans, fashion, food and fun!

## PATRIOTS MONDAY ON WEEI

WEEI Sports Radio broadcasts Patriots Monday each week, offering fans unique insight and analysis from Coach Belichick and Tom Brady in addition to other Patriots players. WEEI will broadcast Patriots Monday live from Gillette Stadium each Monday, kicking off with Kirk \& Callahan at 6 a.m.

## PATRIOTS FRIDAY ON WAAF

WAAF broadcasts Patriots Friday each week, offering fans a look ahead at the weekend's game, match ups and rivalries. Various Patriots players will be featured on air. WAAF will broadcast Patriots Fridays each week throughout the season with Greg Hill from the Hill-Man Morning Radio Show.

### 98.5 THE SPORTS HUB <br> PATRIOTS RADIO NETWORK



## FLAGSHIP STATION OF THE NEW ENGLAND PATRIOTS

98.5 The Sports Hub is the Patriots' flagship station, broadcasting every Patriots game across its radio network and featuring broadcasting duo Bob Socci and Scott Zolak. Three hours prior to kickoff, during halftime and after the game, Marc Bertrand and Chris Gasper will be serving up all the timely news and notes, while Jim Murray will join Bertrand for the postgame news, including live sound from the postgame press conferences.

| FLAGSHIP STATION |  |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | ---: | :---: |
| WBZ-FM | Boston | 98.5 FM |  |
| MASSACHUSETTS |  |  |  |
| WBZ-FM | Boston | 98.5 FM |  |
| WAQY | Springfield | 102.1 FM |  |
| WBEC | Pittsfield | 1420 AM |  |
| WPKZ | Fitchburg | 1280 AM |  |
| WNAW | North Adams | 1230 AM |  |
| WBSM | New Bedford | 1420 AM |  |
| WPVQ | Greenfield | 95.3 FM |  |
| WSAR | Fall River | 1480 AM |  |
| WWFX | Worcester | 100.1 FM |  |
| WXTK | Hyannis | 95.1 FM |  |
| WMRC | Milford | 1490 AM |  |
| WBOQ | Gloucester | 104.9 FM |  |

## MAINE

| WBLM | Portland | 102.9 FM |
| :--- | :--- | ---: |
| WEBB | Augusta | 98.5 FM |
| WEZQ | Bangor | 92.9 FM |
| WOZI | Presque Isle | 1390 AM |

## CONNECTICUT

| WTIC | Hartford | 1080 AM |
| :--- | :--- | ---: |
| WINY | Putnam | 1350 AM |
| WMOS | New London | 102.3 FM |
| WGCH | Greenwich | 1490 AM |
| WINE | Brookfield | 940 AM |

## NEW HAMPSHIRE

| WFNQ | Nashua | 106.3 FM |
| :--- | :--- | ---: |
| WPKQ | North Conway | 103.7 FM |
| WSAK | Hampton | 102.1 FM |
| WSHK | Portsmouth/Dover | 105.3 FM |
| WNNH | Concord | 99.1 FM |
| WLNH | Laconia | 98.3 FM |
| WEMJ | Laconia | 1490 AM |
| WINQ | Keene | 98.7 FM |
| WXXK | Lebanon | 100.5 FM |

## VERMONT

| WCPV | Burlington | 101.3 FM |
| :--- | :--- | ---: |
| WDVT | Rutland | 94.5 FM |
| WIKE | Newport | 1490 AM |
| WKVT | Brattleboro | 92.7 FM |
| WRFK | Barre/Montpelier | 107.1 FM |
| WSTJ | St. Johnsbury | 1340 AM |

## RHODE ISLAND

| WPRO | Providence | 630 AM |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| WEAN | Providence | 99.7 FM |

## NEW YORK

WINU Albany $\quad$ 104.9 FM

WHTK Rochester 1280 AM

## FLORIDA

WMEN W. Palm Beach 640 AM

Since the 1994 season, the Patriots have won 69.9 percent of their regular season games (277-119), which is the highest winning percentage in major American professional sports over that period. Since 1994, there have been 145 franchises that have fielded teams in the five major American sports leagues (NFL, MLB, NBA, NHL and MLS) and completed more than two full seasons of competition.

HIGHEST WINNING PERCENTAGE IN MAJOR AMERICAN PROFESSIONAL SPORTS, 1994-PRESENT
(Regular Season - Includes National Football League, Major League Baseball, National Basketball Association, National Hockey League and Major League Soccer)
Records updated through games of December 3, 2018

| Rk. | Records since 1994 | Lg. | W | L | T/OTL | PCT. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | New England Patriots | NFL | 277 | 119 | 0 | 0.699 |
| 2 | San Antonio Spurs | NBA | 1333 | 611 | 0 | 0.686 |
| 3 | Pittsburgh Steelers | NFL | 252 | 142 | 2 | 0.639 |
| 4 | Detroit Red Wings | NHL | 1038 | 545 | 262 | 0.634 |
| 5 | Green Bay Packers | NFL | 247 | 147 | 2 | 0.626 |
| 6 | Denver Broncos | NFL | 235 | 161 | 0 | 0.593 |
| 7 | New York Yankees | MLB | 2332 | 1647 | 0 | 0.586 |
| 8 | New Jersey Devils | NHL | 953 | 639 | 252 | 0.585 |
| 9 | Dallas Stars | NHL | 954 | 644 | 248 | 0.584 |
| 10 | Indianapolis Colts | NFL | 231 | 165 | 0 | 0.583 |
| 11 | Seattle Sounders FC | MLS | 155 | 101 | 76 | 0.581 |
| 12 | Philadelphia Flyers | NHL | 920 | 629 | 281 | 0.580 |
| 13 | Utah Jazz | NBA | 1123 | 821 | 0 | 0.578 |
| 14 | Los Angeles Lakers | NBA | 1119 | 824 | 0 | 0.576 |
| 15 | Oklahoma City/Seattle Thunder | NBA | 1117 | 825 | 0 | 0.575 |
| 16 | St. Louis Blues | NHL | 931 | 663 | 250 | 0.573 |
| 17 | Pittsburgh Penguins | NHL | 943 | 678 | 221 | 0.572 |
| 18 | Boston Bruins | NHL | 916 | 653 | 275 | 0.571 |
| 19 | Houston Rockets | NBA | 1110 | 833 | 0 | 0.571 |
| 20 | Washington Capitals | NHL | 927 | 674 | 238 | 0.569 |
| 21 | San Jose Sharks | NHL | 926 | 675 | 249 | 0.568 |
| 22 | Colorado Avalanche/Quebec Nordiques | NHL | 934 | 684 | 227 | 0.568 |
| 23 | Miami Heat | NBA | 1091 | 841 | 0 | 0.565 |
| 24 | Nashville Predators | NHL | 758 | 576 | 208 | 0.559 |
| 25 | Los Angeles Galaxy | MLS | 328 | 246 | 156 | 0.556 |
| 26 | Philadelphia Eagles | NFL | 219 | 175 | 1 | 0.556 |
| 27 | Indiana Pacers | NBA | 1076 | 866 | 0 | 0.554 |
| 28 | Atlanta Braves | MLB | 2202 | 1779 | 0 | 0.553 |
| 29 | Dallas Mavericks | NBA | 1073 | 868 | 0 | 0.553 |
| 30 | Anaheim Ducks | NHL | 890 | 698 | 259 | 0.552 |
| 31 | Boston Red Sox | MLB | 2197 | 1787 | 0 | 0.551 |
| 32 | Minnesota Wild | NHL | 666 | 530 | 190 | 0.549 |
| 33 | Ottawa Senators | NHL | 882 | 712 | 251 | 0.546 |
| 34 | Dallas Cowboys | NFL | 215 | 181 | 0 | 0.543 |
| 35 | Baltimore Ravens | NFL | 197 | 166 | 1 | 0.543 |
| 36 | Portland Trail Blazers | NBA | 1053 | 890 | 0 | 0.542 |
| 37 | Minnesota Vikings | NFL | 214 | 180 | 14 | 0.542 |
| 38 | Seattle Seahawks | NFL | 214 | 181 | 1 | 0.542 |
| 39 | Chicago Blackhawks | NHL | 863 | 711 | 258 | 0.541 |
| 40 | St. Louis Cardinals | MLB | 2155 | 1826 | 0 | 0.541 |
| 41 | Vancouver Canucks | NHL | 871 | 719 | 250 | 0.541 |
| 42 | New York City FC | MLS | 57 | 46 | 33 | 0.540 |
| 43 | New York Rangers | NHL | 885 | 736 | 225 | 0.540 |
| 44 | Los Angeles Dodgers | MLB | 2149 | 1835 | 0 | 0.539 |
| 45 | Montreal Canadiens | NHL | 865 | 728 | 252 | 0.537 |
| 46 | Kansas City Chiefs | NFL | 212 | 184 | 0 | 0.535 |
| 47 | Cleveland Indians | MLB | 2115 | 1864 | 0 | 0.532 |
| 48 | Toronto Maple Leafs | NHL | 858 | 748 | 239 | 0.530 |
| 49 | Phoenix Suns | NBA | 1025 | 918 | 0 | 0.528 |
| 50 | Los Angeles Kings | NHL | 838 | 751 | 256 | 0.524 |

NOTES: This analysis uses NFL rules when calculating winning percentage, counting ties as a half-win and a half-loss. For NHL teams, overtime losses (OTL) and ties from 2001-2004 (the NHL abolished ties in 2005-2006 and instituted a shootout system) are counted as ties when calculating winning percentage.
*The Miami Fusion were contracted following the 2001 MLS season.
HIGHEST WINNING PERCENTAGE AMONG BOSTON-AREA MAJOR PROFESSIONAL SPORTS TEAMS, 1994-PRESENT
(Rankings listed below are each team's overall ranking among the 145 major American pro sports teams)
Records updated through games of December 3, 2018

| Rank | Team | Lg. | W | L | T/OTL | Pct. |
| ---: | :--- | :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| $\mathbf{1}$ | New England Patriots | NFL | $\mathbf{2 7 7}$ | $\mathbf{1 1 9}$ | $\mathbf{0}$ | $\mathbf{0 . 6 9 9}$ |
| 18 | Boston Bruins | NHL | 916 | 653 | 275 | 0.571 |
| 31 | Boston Red Sox | MLB | 2197 | 1787 | 0 | 0.551 |
| 66 | Boston Celtics | NBA | 988 | 954 | 0 | 0.509 |
| 105 | New England Revolution | MLS | 273 | 309 | 149 | 0.475 |


[^0]:    HEAD COACH: BILL BELICHICK
    ASSISTANTS: Cameron Achord, Assistant Special Teams; Steve Belichick, Safeties; Josh Boyer, Cornerbacks; Moses Cabrera, Head Strength and Conditioning; Nick Caley, Tight Ends; Brendan Daly, Defensive Line; Ivan Fears, Running Backs; Brian Flores, Linebackers; Joe Judge, Special Teams; Deron Mayo, Assistant Strength and Conditioning; Josh McDaniels, Offensive Coordinator/Quarterbacks; Chad O'Shea, Wide Receivers; Dante Scarnecchia, Offensive Line; Jerry Schuplinski, Assistant Quarterbacks.

