



#### TUESDAY SEPTEMBER 11

2:30 p.m.	Conference call with Patriots
	head coach Bill Belichick
0.40	Conference call with Detainty
2:40 p.m.	Conference call with Patriots
	offensive coordinator Josh McDaniels
2:50 p.m.	Conference call with Patriots
	special teams coach Joe Judge

#### WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 12

10:00 a.m.	Media workroom opens
11:00 a.m.	Patriots head coach Bill Belichick
	media availability (media workroom)
12:30 p.m.	Media availability at practice
TBD	Player media availability
	(Patriots locker room)
	Tom Brady media availability
	(media workroom)
1:40 p.m.	Conference call with Jaguars
	head coach Doug Marrone
TBD	Conference call with Jaguars
	LB Telvin Smith Sr.

#### THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 13 TBD

Media workroom opens Media availability at practice Player media availability (Patriots locker room)

#### FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 14

TBD

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TBD	Media workroom opens
TBD	Patriots head coach Bill Belichick
	media availability (media workroom)
TBD	Media availability at practice
TBD	Player media availability
	(Patriots locker room)

#### SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 15 eam travel to Jacksonville - no media availability

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 16

4:25 p.m.

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Patriots at Jacksonville Jaguars

## **2018 PATRIOTS SCHEDULE**

REGULAR SEASON	J (1-0)					
Sun., Sept. 9		Houst	on	27-2	0	W
Sun., Sept. 16	at	Jackso	onville	4:25	p.m.	CBS
Sun., Sept. 23	at	Detroit	5	8:20	p.m.	NBC
Sun., Sept. 30		Miami		1:00	p.m.	CBS
Thu., Oct. 4		Indiana	apolis	8:20	p.m.	FOX
Sun., Oct. 14		Kansa	s City	8:20	p.m.	NBC*
Sun., Oct. 21	at	Chicag	0	1:00	p.m.	CBS*
Mon., Oct. 29	at	Buffalc	)	8:15	p.m.	ESPN
Sun., Nov. 4		Green	Bay	8:20	p.m.	NBC*
Sun., Nov. 11	at	Tennes	ssee	1:00	p.m.	CBS*
Sun., Nov. 18		BYE W	/EEK			
Sun., Nov. 25	at	N.Y. Je	ets	1:00		CBS*
Sun., Dec. 2		Minnes	sota	4:25		FOX *
Sun., Dec. 9	at	Miami		1:00	p.m.	CBS*
Sun., Dec. 16	at	Pittsbu	ırgh	4:25		CBS*
Sun., Dec. 23		Buffalc	)	1:00	p.m.	CBS*
Sun., Dec. 30		N.Y. Je	ets	1:00	p.m.	CBS*
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2018 AFC	<b>LA</b> 3		NAL	JIA	NUIN	ՍՆ
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TEAM	W	L	Т	PCT.	PF	PA
NEW ENGLAND	1	0	0	1.000	27	20
Miami Dolphins	1	0	0	1.000	27	20
New York Jets	1	0	0	1.000	48	17
Buffalo Bills	0	1	0	.000	3	47

#### GAME SUMMARY

#### NEW ENGLAND PATRIOTS (1-0) at JACKSONVILLE JAGUARS (1-0) Sunday, Sept. 16, 2018 • TIAA Bank Field (67,814) • 4:25 p.m. ET

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The New England Patriots will began a two-week road trip when they travel to face the Jacksonville Jaguars. The Patriots will be on the road the following week as well with a trip to Detroit.

The Patriots hosted the Jaguars in the 2017 AFC Championship Game on Jan. 21, 2018, and scored two fourth-quarter touchdowns to overcome a 20-10 deficit to win the game, 24-20.

The Patriots have won all seven of the regular-season games between the clubs, including all three regular-season matchups played in Jacksonville. New England last played in Jacksonville on Dec. 23, 2013, when the Patriots prevailed, 23-16.

The Patriots won all eight road games inn 2016 and their first six on the road in 2017 for a team-record 14-game road win streak, the second longest streak in NFL history. Overall, the Patriots have the best road record since 1994 when Robert Kraft purchased the team with a 121-71 road record.

#### **BROADCAST INFORMATION**

TELEVISION: This week's game will be broadcast by CBS and can be seen on WBZ-TV Channel 4. Jim Nantz will handle play-by-play duties with Tony Romo as the color analyst. Tracy Wolfson will work from the sidelines. The game will be produced by Jim Rikhoff and directed by Mike Arnold.

NATIONAL RADIO: Sunday's game will be broadcast to a national audience on ESPN Radio. Tom Hart and Bill Polian will call the game with Jeff Darlington as the sideline reporter.

LOCAL RADIO: 98.5 FM, 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. Playby-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.

#### ROBERT KRAFT LOOKING FOR 300TH WIN

Robert Kraft won his 299th game overall as owner of the New England Patriots in the 2018 season opener vs. Houston and will look to win his 300th game this Sunday against Jacksonville. Kraft has a chance to reach the milestone in his 25th NFL season and 430th game, the fastest an owner will have reached the milestone. Pat Bowlen of Denver reached 300 career wins in 30 seasons and 501 games, while Al Davis of Oakland accomplished the feat in 31 seasons over 495 games.

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PAGE 10: New England Patriots at Jacksonville Jaguars matchup notes

PAGE 15: What to look for in this week's game

PAGE 31: Tom Brady can tie Indianapolis Colts K Adam Vinatieri for most overall wins in NFL history.

PAGE 45: Tom Brady and Rob Gronkowski can pass Tony Romo and Jason Witten into second place in NFL history for most passing yards between a quarterback and tight end.

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# **2018 REGULAR SEASON OFFENSIVE STATISTICS**

<mark>WON 1, LOST 0</mark> 09/09 W 27-20	Houston	65,87
09/09 W 2/-20 09/16	at Jacksonville	
09/23	at Detroit	
09/30	Miami	
10/04	Indianapolis	
10/14	Kansas City	
10/21	at Chicago	
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10/29	at Buffalo	
11/04	Green Bay	
11/11	at Tennessee	
11/25	at N.Y. Jets	
12/02	Minnesota	
12/09	at Miami	
12/16	at Pittsburgh	
12/23	Buffalo	
12/30	N.Y. Jets	
	N.E.	Opp.
TOTAL FIRST DOWNS		21
Rushing	5	10
Passing	16	8
Penalty	2	3
3rd Down: Made,		2/11
3rd Down Pct.	28.6	18.2
4th Down: Made,	'Att 1/1	0/1
4th Down Pct.	100.0	0.0
POSSESSION AVG.	31:10	28:50
TOTAL NET YARDS	389	325
Avg. Per Game	389.0	325.0
Total Plays	72	71
Avg. Per Play	5.4	4.6
NET YARDS RUSHING	G 122	167
Avg. Per Game	122.0	167.0
Total Rushes	31	34
NET YARDS PASSING		158
Avg. Per Game	267.0	158.0
Sacked/Yards Lo		3/18
Gross Yards	277	176
Att./Completion		34/17
Completion Pct		50.0
Had Intercepted		1
PUNTS/AVERAGE	6/46.8	6/38.3
NET PUNTING AVG.	6/43.5	6/38.3
PENALTIES/YARDS	6/36	6/44
FUMBLES/BALL LOST		1/1
TOUCHDOWNS	3	2
Rushing	0	1
Passing	3	1
Returns	0	0
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	* RUSHING				<u>ľds</u>	Avg	Long	TD
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	Hill			4	25	6.3	11	0
	White			5	18	3.6	11	0
	Patterson			3	13	4.3	10	0
	Brady			1	2	2.0	2	0
	TEAM		3		22	3.9	12	0
	OPPONENTS		3		.67	4.9	31	1
	* RECEIVING			~ ~ ~	(ds	Avg		TD
	Gronkowski				.23	17.6	30	1
	Dorsett			7	66	9.4	14	1
	White			4	38	9.5	12t	1
	Develin			4	22	5.5	10	0
	Hogan			1	11	11.0	11	0
	Hill			1	6	6.0	6	0
	Patterson			1	6	6.0	6	0
	Burkhead			1	5	5.0	5	0
	TEAM		2		277	10.7	30	3
	OPPONENTS		1	7 1	76	10.4	27	1
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	TEAM		1		0	0.0	0	0
	OPPONENTS		1		0	0.0	0	0
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	OPPONENTS	6			38.	3 0	3 48	
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	TEAM		1	3	0	0.0		0
6	OPPONENTS		2	1	20	10.0	11	0
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0	Patterson		1	1		9.0	19	0
	TEAM		1	_		9.0	19	0
	OPPONENTS		5	15		1.2	36	0
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Gronkows	ski	1	. 0	1	0					0	6		
White		1	. 0	1	0					0	6		
TEAM		3	3 0	3	0	3/	3	2/	2	0	27		
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* PASSING	Att	Cmp	Yds	Cmp%	Yds/Att	TD	TD%	Int	Int%	Long	Sack/	/Lost	Rating
Brady	39	26	277	66.7	7.10	3	7.7	1	2.6	30	2/	10	102.2
TEAM	39	26	277	66.7	7.10	3	7.7	1	2.6	30	2/	10	102.2
OPPONENTS	34	17	176	50.0	5.18	1	2.9	1	2.9	27	3/	18	62.9





# **2018 Regular Season Defensive Statistics**

PLAYER	Т	ACKLE	S		SACKS		IN	TERCE	PTIO	NS		FUM	BLES			SP	. TEA	MS	
Name	ΠT	UT	A	s	Yds	QH	Int	Yds	TD	PD	FF	FR	Yds	TD	π	UT	Α	FF	FR
Stephon Gilmore	8	7	1	0.0	0.0	0	1	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ja'Whaun Bentley	7	4	3	0.0	0.0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Devin McCourty	6	2	4	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0
Trey Flowers	5	2	3	1.5	10.5	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lawrence Guy	5	1	4	0.0	0.0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Adam Butler	5	1	4	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Eric Rowe	4	3	1	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Patrick Chung	4	3	1	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Danny Shleton	4	0	4	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Deatrich Wise Jr.	3	2	1	1.5	7.5	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Duron Harmon	3	2	1	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Kyle Van Noy	3	1	2	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Elandon Roberts	3	0	3	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	1	0	0
Malcom Brown	2	1	1	0.0	0.0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Jonathan Jones	2	0	2	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	2	2	0	0	0
Dont'a Hightower	2	0	2	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Nicholas Grigsby	1	1	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Adrian Clayborn	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Keionta Davis	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Jason McCourty	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0
Brandon King	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	1	1	0	0	0
Matthew Slater	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	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
	67	30	37	3.0	18.0	12	1	0	0	6	0	1	0	0	10	6	4	0	0

FUMBLES - LOST (3-2) Own Rec О.В. No. Lost Rex Burkhead 1 0 0 0 Rob Gronkowski 0 0 1 1 Riley McCarron 0 0 1 1 Chris Hoagan 0 0 0 0 3 2 1

TT-Total Tackles	
UT-Unassisted Tackles A-Assisted Tackles	5
A-Assisted Tackles	

KEY Int/Yds-Interceptions/Yards Returned PD-Passes Defensed FF-Forced Fumbles

BLOCKED KICKS								
	XP	FG	Ρ					
Jeremy Hill	0	0	1					
Totals	0	0	1					

MISC. OFFENSIVE STATS										
	Tkl	Ast	FF	FR						
James Develin	1	0	0	0						
	1	0	0	0						



#### **2018 New England Patriots Roster** AS OF SEPTEMBER 11, 2018

				ALPH	ABETICAL	ROS	TER	
#	NAME	POS	нт	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	Р	6-2	220	2/28/1990	6	Louisiana Tech	Salem, Ore.
60	Andrews, David	С	6-3	300	7/10/1992	4	Georgia	Johns Creek, Ga.
51	Bentley, Ja'Whaun	LB	6-2	255	8/24/1996	R	Purdue	Glenarden, Md.
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.
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.
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.
3	Gostkowski, Stephen	K	6-1	215	1/28/1984	13	Memphis	Madison, Miss.
50	Grigsby, Nicholas	LB	6-2	230	7/2/1992	3	Pittsburgh	Trotwood, Ohio
96	Grissom, Geneo	DL	6-4	265	6/4/1992	4	Oklahoma	Hutchinson, Kan.
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
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.
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.
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
25	Rowe, Eric	DB	6-1	205	10/3/1992	4	Utah	Klein, Texas
63	Schwenke, Brian	OL	6-3	310	3/22/1991	6	California	Oceaanside, Calif.
71	Shelton, Danny	DL	6-2	345	8/20/1993	4	Washington	Auburn, Wash.
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 DL	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

26	Sony Michel	RB
27	J.C. Jackson	DB
28	James White	RB
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	Nicholas Grigsby	LB
51	Ja'Whaun Bentley	LB
52	Elandon Roberts	LB
53	Kyle Van Noy	LB
54	Dont'a Hightower	LB
58	Keionta Davis	DL
60	David Andrews	С
61	Marcus Cannon	OL
62	Joe Thuney	OL
63	Brian Schwenke	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
96	Geneo Grissom	DL
98	Trey Flowers	DL
	PRACTICE SQUAD	
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5	Danny Etling	QB

Jace Billingsley

Jomal Wiltz

Ralph Webb

. Trent Harris

Eric Smith

NAME

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Cole Croston

Stephen Anderson

Vincent Valentine RESERVE/INJURED LIST

Braxton Berrios

Duke Dawson Jr.

Jeremy Hill

Ulrick John

Isaiah Wynn

Ryan Izzo

Christian Sam

James Ferentz

WR

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RB

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Brian Hover

Rvan Allen

Tom Brady

Julian Edelman

Phillip Dorsett

Chris Hogan

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#	NAME	POS	HT	wт	BORN	YR	COLLEGE	H.S. HOMETOWN	#
80	Anderson, Stephen	TE	6-3	230	1/30/1993	3	California	San Jose, Calif.	5
19	Billingsley, Jace	WR	5-9	189	5/17/1993	1	Eastern Oregon	Winnemucca, Nev.	19
74	Croston, Cole	OL	6-5	310	12/25/1993	2	lowa	Sergent Bluff, Iowa	22
5	Etling, Danny	QB	6-3	225	7/22/1994	R	Lousiana State	Terre Haute, Ind.	42
66	Ferentz, James	OL	6-2	300	6/5/1989	3	lowa	Iowa City, Iowa	45
45	Harris, Trent	DL	6-2	255	9/17/1995	R	Miami (Fla.)	Winter Park, Fla.	66
72	Smith, Eric	OL	6-4	308	9/2/1995	2	Virginia	Atlanta, Ga.	72
99	Valentine, Vincent	DT	6-3	315	2/23/1994	3	Nebraska	Edwarsdsville, Illi.	74
42	Webb, Ralph	RB	5-10	200	11/21/1994	R	Vanderbilt	Gainesville, Fla.	80
22	Wiltz, Jomal	DB	5-10	190	10/23/1994	1	Iowa State	Houston, Texas	99

RESE	RVE/INJURED LIST							
#	NAME	POS	HT	WΤ	BORN	YR	COLLEGE	H.S. HOMETOWN
14	Berrios, Braxton	WR	5-9	190	10/6/1995	R	Miami (Fla.)	Raleigh, N.C.
29	Dawson Jr., Duke	DB	5-10	198	10/13/1995	R	Florida	Cross City, Fla.
33	Hill, Jeremy	RB	6-1	230	10/20/1992	5	Louisiana State	Baton Rouge, La.
85	Izzo, Ryan	TE	6-5	255	12/21/1995	R	Florida State	Sparta, N.J.
67	John, Ulrick	OL	6-6	312	5/20/1992	5	Georgia State	Hinesville, Ga.
44	Sam, Christian	LB	6-2	240	6/7/1996	R	Arizona State	Allen, Texas
76	Wynn, Isaiah	OL	6-2	310	12/9/1995	R	Georgia	St. Petersburg, Fla.

#### RESERVE/NON-FOOTBALL INJURY

RESE	RVE/NON-FOOTBAL	L INJURY							RES	ERVE/NON-FOOTBALL	INJURY
#	NAME	POS	нт	WT	BORN	YR	COLLEGE	H.S. HOMETOWN	#	NAME	POS
16	Andrews, Darren	WR	5-10	200	8/5/1995	R	UCLA	Phillips Ranch, Calif.	16	Darren Andrews	WR
81	Hollister, Cody	WR	6-4	215	11/18/1993	1	Arkansas	Bend, Ore.	81	Cody Hollister	WR

#### HEAD COACH: BILL BELICHICK

ASSISTANTS: Cameron Achord, Asst. 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.





# **2018 NUMERICAL ROSTER**

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#	NAME	POS	HT	WT	AGE	YR	COLLEGE	HOW ACQ.
2	Brian Hoyer	QB	6-2	216	32	10	Michigan State	FA-17
3	Stephen Gostkowski	К	6-1	215	34	13	Memphis	D4b-06
6	Ryan Allen	Р	6-2	220	28	6	Louisiana Tech	FA-13
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	ŴR	5-10	192	25	4	Miami (Fla.)	TR (IND)-17
15	Chris Hogan	WR	6-1	210	30	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
23	Patrick Chung	S	5-11	215	31	10	Oregon	FA-14
24	Stephon Gilmore	CB	6-1	202	27	7	South Carolina	UFA (BUF)-17
25	Eric Rowe	DB	6-1	202	25	4	Utah	TR (PHI)-16
25	Sony Michel	RB	5-11	205	23	R	Georgia	D1b-18
20	J.C. Jackson	DB	6-1	198	23	R	5	FA-18
		RB		205		к 5	Maryland	
28	James White		5-10		26	5 10	Wisconsin	D4b-14
30	Jason McCourty	CB	5-11	195	31		Rutgers	TR (CLE)-18
31	Jonathan Jones	DB	5-10	190	24	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	24	2	Wyoming	FA-17
49	Joe Cardona	LS	6-3	245	26	4	Navy	D5-15
50	Nicholas Grigsby	LB	6-2	230	26	3	Pittsburgh	FA-17
51	Ja'Whaun Bentley	LB	6-2	255	22	R	Purdue	D5-18
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
58	Keionta Davis	DL	6-4	280	24	2	Tennessee-Chattanooga	FA-17
60	David Andrews	С	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	25	3	North Carolina State	D3a-16
63	Brian Schwenke	OL	6-3	310	27	6	California	FA-18
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	203	20	6	Tennessee	TR (OAK)-18
87	Rob Gronkowski	TE	6-6	268	27	9	Arizona	D2a-10
90	Malcom Brown	DL	6-2	320	29	9 4	Texas	D2a-10 D1-15
90 91	Deatrich Wise Jr.	DL	6-2 6-5	275	24	4	Arkansas	D1-15 D4-17
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93	Lawrence Guy	DL	6-4	315	28		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
96	Geneo Grissom	DL	6-4	265	26	4	Oklahoma	D3-15
98	Trey Flowers	DL	6-2	265	25	4	Arkansas	D4a-15

	PRACTICE SQUAD								
#	NAME	POS	HT	wт	AGE	YR	COLLEGE	(DATE)	
5	Danny Etling	QB	6-3	225	24	R	Louisiana State	D7a-18	
19	Jace Billingsley	WR	5-9	189	25	1	Eastern Oregon	FA-18	
22	Jomal Wiltz	DB	5-10	190	23	1	Iowa State	FA-17	
42	Ralph Webb	RB	5-10	200	23	R	Vanderbilt	FA-18	
45	Trent Harris	DL	6-2	255	22	R	Miami (Fla.)	FA-18	
66	James Ferentz	OL	6-2	300	29	3	Iowa	FA-17	
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	
99	Vincent Valentine	DT	6-3	315	24	3	Nebraska	D3c-16	

	<b>RESERVE/INJURE</b>	D LIST						
#	NAME	POS	HT	WT	AGE	YR	COLLEGE	(DATE)
14	Braxton Berrios	WR	5-9	190	22	R	Miami (Fla.)	(09/01/2018)
29	Duke Dawson Jr.	DB	5-10	198	22	R	Florida	(09/06/2018)
33	Jeremy Hill	RB	6-1	230	25	5	Louisiana State	(09/10/2018)
44	Christian Sam	LB	6-2	240	22	R	Arizona State	(09/01/2018)
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)

	RESERVE/NON-FOOTBALL INJURY									
#	NAME	POS	HT	wт	AGE	YR	COLLEGE	(DATE)		
16	Darren Andrews	WR	5-10	200	23	R	UCLA	(05/15/2018)		
81	Cody Hollister	WR	6-4	215	24	1	Arkansas	(07/26/2018)		



# **2018 POSITIONAL ROSTER**

	V				September 11,	2018		
					DEFENSE (2			
# DEED	NAME NSIVE LINE (10)	POS	HT	WT	BORN	YR	COLLEGE	H.S. HOMETOWN
90	Brown, Malcom	DL	6-2	320	2/2/1994	4	Texas	Brenham, Texas
70	Butler, Adam	DL	6-5	300	4/12/1994	2	Vanderbilt	Duncanville, Texas
94	Clayborn, Adrian	DE	6-3	280	7/6/1988	8	Iowa	St. Louis, Mo.
58	Davis, Keionta	DL	6-4	280	3/1/1994	2	Tennessee-Chattanooga	Chattanooga, Tenn.
98	Flowers, Trey	DL	6-2	265	8/16/1993	4	Arkansas	Huntsville, Ala.
96	Grissom, Geneo	DL	6-4	265	6/4/1992	4	Oklahoma	Hutchinon, Kan.
93 95	Guy, Lawrence Rivers, Derek	DL DE	6-4 6-5	315 250	3/17/1990 5/9/1994	8 2	Arizona State Youngstown State	Las Vegas, Nev. Kinston, N.C.
71	Shelton, Danny	DL	6-2	345	8/20/1993	4	Washington	Auburn, Wash.
91	Wise Jr., Deatrich	DL	6-5	275	7/26/1994	2	Arkansas	Carrollton, Texas
LINE	ACKER (6)							
51	Bentley, Ja'Whaun	LB	6-2	255	8/24/1996	R	Purdue	Glenarden, Md.
50	Grigsby, Nicholas	LB	6-2	230	7/2/1992	3	Pittsburgh	Trotwood, Ohio
54 36	Hightower, Dont'a King, Brandon	LB LB	6-3 6-2	260 220	3/12/1990 6/8/1993	7 4	Alabama Auburn	Lewisburg, Tenn. Alabaster, Ala.
52	Roberts, Elandon	LB	6-0	220	4/22/1993	3	Houston	Port Arthur, Texas
53	Van Noy, Kyle	LB	6-3	250	3/26/1991	5	Brigham Young	Reno, Nev.
	SIVE BACK (10)				-, -,		5 5	, -
23	Chung, Patrick	S	5-11	215	8/19/1987	10	Oregon	Rancho Cucamonga, Calif.
35	Crossen, Keion	DB	5-10	185	4/17/1996	R	Western Carolina	Garysburg, N.C.
43	Ebner, Nate	DB	6-0	215	12/14/1988	7	Ohio State	Dublin, Ohio
24	Gilmore, Stephon	CB	6-1	202	9/19/1990	7	South Carolina	Rock Hill, S.C.
21 27	Harmon, Duron Jackson, J.C.	DB DB	6-1 6-1	205 198	1/24/1991 11/17/1995	6 R	Rutgers Maryland	Magnolia, Del. Immokalee, Fla.
31	Jones, Jonathan	DB	5-10	198	9/20/1993	3	Auburn	Carrollton, Ga.
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.
25	Rowe, Eric	DB	6-1	205	10/3/1992	4	Utah	Klein, Texas
					OFFENSE (2			
#		POS	HT	wт	BORN	YR	COLLEGE	H.S. HOMETOWN
60	Andrews, David	С	6-3	300	7/10/1002	4	Coordia	Johns Crook Co
77	Brown, Trent	OL	6-8	380	7/10/1992 4/13/1993	4	Georgia Florida	Johns Creek, Ga. Albany, Ga.
61	Cannon, Marcus	OL	6-6	335	5/6/1988	8	Texas Christian	Odessa, Texas
75	Karras, Ted	OL	6-4	305	3/15/1993	3	Illinois	Indianapolis, Ind.
69	Mason, Shaq	OL	6-1	310	8/28/1993	4	Georgia Tech	Columbia, Tenn.
63	Schwenke, Brian	OL	6-3	310	3/22/1991	6	California	Oceanside, Calif.
62	Thuney, Joe	OL	6-5	308	11/18/1992	3	North Carolina State	Centerville, Ohio
68	Waddle, LaAdrian	OL	6-6	315	7/21/1991	6	Texas Tech	Columbus, Texas
<b>QUAR</b> 12	TERBACK (2)	OP	6-4	225	9/2/1077	19	Michigan	San Matoo Calif
2	Brady, Tom Hoyer, Brian	QB QB	6-2	225	8/3/1977 10/13/1985	19	Michigan Michigan State	San Mateo, Calif. North Olmsted, Ohio
	RECEIVER (5)	QD	02	210	10/13/1903	10	Thenigun State	Hordr Onnacca, Onio
13	Dorsett, Phillip	WR	5-10	192	1/5/1993	4	Miami (Fla.)	Ft. Lauderdale, Fla.
11	Edelman, Julian	WR	5-10	198	5/22/1986	10	Kent State	Redwood City, Calif.
15	Hogan, Chris	WR	6-1	210	10/24/1987	6	Monmouth	Wykoff, N.J.
84	Patterson, Cordarrelle	WR	6-2	228	3/17/1991	6	Tennessee	Rock Hill, S.C.
18 BUNN	Slater, Matthew ING BACK (4)	WR	6-0	205	9/9/1985	11	UCLA	Anaheim, Calif.
34	Burkhead, Rex	RB	5-10	215	7/2/1990	6	Nebraska	Plano, Texas
46	Develin, James	FB	6-3	255	7/23/1988	6	Brown	Gilbertsville, Pa.
26	Michel, Sony	RB	5-11	215	2/17/1995	R	Georgia	Plantation, Fla,
28	White, James	RB	5-10	205	2/3/1992	5	Wisconsin	Ft. Lauderdale, Fla.
	FEND (3)							
83	Allen, Dwayne	TE	6-3	265	2/24/1990	7	Clemson	Fayetteville, N.C.
87	Gronkowski, Rob	TE	6-6	268	5/14/1989	9	Arizona	Pittsburgh, Pa.
47	Hollister, Jacob	TE	6-4	245	11/18/1993 SPECIALISTS	2	Wyoming	Bend, Ore.
#	NAME	POS	HT	wт	BORN	YR	COLLEGE	H.S. HOMETOWN
	ALISTS (3)				Donai			
6	Allen, Ryan	Р	6-2	220	2/28/1990	6	Louisiana Tech	Salem, Ore.
49	Cardona, Joe	LS	6-3	245	4/16/1992	4	Navy	El Cajon, Calif.
3	Gostkowski, Stephen	К	6-1	215	1/28/1984	13	Memphis	Madison, Miss.
					SERVE/INJURE			
# RESE	NAME RVE/INJURED LIST (7)	POS	HT	WT	BORN	YR	COLLEGE	H.S. HOMETOWN
14	Berrios, Braxton	WR	5-9	190	10/6/1995	R	Miami (Fla.)	Raleigh, N.C.
29	Dawson Jr., Duke	DB	5-10	190	10/13/1995	R	Florida	Cross City, Fla.
33	Hill, Jeremy	RB	6-1	230	10/20/1992	5	Louisiana State	Baton Rouge, La.
85	Izzo, Ryan	TE	6-5	255	12/21/1995	R	Florida State	Sparta, N.J.
67	John, Ulrick	OL	6-6	312	5/20/1992	5	Georgia State	Hinesville, Ga.
44	Sam, Christian	LB	6-2	240	6/7/1996	R	Arizona State	Allen, Texas
76	Wynn, Isaiah	OL	6-2	310	12/9/1995	R	Georgia	St. Petersburg, Fla.
#	NAME	POS	нт	WT	E/NON-FOOTBA BORN	YR	COLLEGE	H.S. HOMETOWN
	FOOTBALL INJURY (2)				BORN	TK	COLLEGE	H.S. HOMETOWN
16	Andrews, Darren	WR	5-10	200	8/5/1995	R	UCLA	Phillips Ranch, Calif.
81	Hollister, Cody	WR	6-4	215	11/18/1993	1	Arkansas	Bend, Ore.





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<u>YEAR</u> 2000	DRAFTEES (24) Tom Brady (6b)	<u>VETERAN FREE AGENTS (9)</u>	WAIVERS (1) / <u>TRADES (8)</u>	ROOKIE AND FIRST-YEAR <u>FREE AGENTS (9)</u>
2006	Stephen Gostkowski (4b)			
2008	Matthew Slater (5)			
2009	Julian Edelman (7a)			
2010	Devin McCourty (1) Rob Gronkowski (2a)			
2011	Marcus Cannon (5a)			
2012	Dont'a Hightower (1b) 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) Geneo Grissom (3) Trey Flowers (4a) Shaq Mason (4c) Joe Cardona (5)		LaAdrian Waddle (fa) CW (DET)	David Andrews (fa) Brandon King (fa)
2016	Joe Thuney (3a) Elandon Roberts (6b) Ted Karras (6c)	Chris Hogan (fa) (SF)	Eric Rowe (2) (tr-PHI) Kyle Van Noy (2) (tr-DET)	Jonathan Jones (fa)
2017	Derek Rivers (3a) Deatrich Wise Jr. (4)	Rex Burkhead (6) (CIN) Stephon Gilmore (1) (BUF) Nicholas Grigsby (fa) (LAR) Lawrence Guy (7) (GB) Brian Hoyer (fa) (NE)	Dwayne Allen (3) (tr-IND) Phillip Dorsett (1) (tr-IND)	Adam Butler (fa) Keionta Davis (fa) Jacob Hollister (fa)
2018	Sony Michel (1b) Ja'Whaun Bentley (5) Keion Crossen (7b)	Adrian Clayborn (1) (TB) Brain Schwenke (4) (TEN)	Trent Brown (7) (tr-SF) Jason McCourty (6) (tr-CLE) Cordarrelle Patterson (1) (tr-OAK) Danny Shelton (1) (tr-CLE)	J.C. Jackson (fa)
) – indica	am in parenthesis is the play ates round drafted ates non-drafted free agents	-	RESERVE/INJURED LIST Braxton Berrios (6b) Duke Dawson Jr. (2) Jeremy Hill (2) (CIN) Ryan Izzo (7c) Ulrick John (7) (IND) Christian Sam (6a)	RESERVE/NON-FOOTBALL INJUR) Darren Andrews (fa) Cody Hollister (fa)

Isaiah Wynn (1a)

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# **UNOFFICIAL DEPTH CHART**

Unofficial depth chart compiled by Patriots media relations

	Unofficial depth chart compiled by Patriots media relations							
			OFFENSE					
	15 Chris Hogan	84 Cordarrelle Patterson	18 Matthew Slater					
LT:	77 Trent Brown	68 LaAdrian Waddle						
LG:	62 Joe Thuney	63 Brian Schwenke						
C:	60 David Andrews	75 Ted Karras	63 Brian Schwenke					
RG:	69 Shaq Mason	75 Ted Karras						
RT:	61 Marcus Cannon	68 LaAdrian Waddle						
TE:	87 Rob Gronkowski	83 Dawyne Allen	47 Jacob Hollister					
WR:	13 Phillip Dorsett	84 Cordarrelle Patterson	11 Julian Edelman					
QB:	12 Tom Brady	2 Brian Hoyer						
RB:	34 Rex Burkhead	46 James Develin (FB)						
RB:	28 James White	26 Sony Michel						
LE:	98 Trey Flowers	91 Deatrich Wise Jr.	<b>DEFENSE</b> 58 Keionta Davis					
DT:	93 Lawrence Guy	71 Danny Shelton						
DT:	90 Malcom Brown	70 Adam Butler						
RE:	94 Adrian Clayborn	95 Derek Rivers	96 Geneo Grissom					
LB:	54 Dont'a Hightower	50 Nicholas Grigsby	36 Brandon King					
LB:	52 Elandon Roberts	51 Ja'Whaun Bentley						
LB:	53 Kyle Van Noy	51 Ja'Whaun Bentley						
RCB	24 Stephon Gilmore	30 Jason McCourty	27 J.C. Jackson					
LCB:	25 Eric Rowe	31 Jonathan Jones	35 Keion Crossen					
S:	23 Patrick Chung	21 Duron Harmon						
S:	32 Devin McCourty	43 Nate Ebner						
K:	3 Stephen Gostkowski	SP	ECIAL TEAMS					
P:	6 Ryan Allen							
H:	6 Ryan Allen							
PR:	23 Patrick Chung							
KR:	84 Cordarrelle Patterson	18 Matthew Slater						
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	o Grissom	GEE-no	Deatrich Wise Jr.	DEE-tritch				

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# **2018 TRANSACTIONS**

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FEBRUARY 20			AUGUST 20:	
2/6/2018	Ferentz, James	Signed to a future contract	8/1/2018	Poggi, Henry
2/6/2018	Hollister, Cody	Signed to a future contract	8/1/2018	Matthews, Jordan
2/6/2018	Jones, David	Signed to a future contract	8/2/2018	Theaker, Nate
2/6/2018	King, Jason	Signed to a future contract	8/3/2018	Decker, Eric
2/6/2018	Lewis, Ryan	Signed to a future contract	8/6/2018	Mitchell, Malcolm
2/6/2018	McCarron, Riley	Signed to a future contract	8/22/2018	Britt, Kenny
2/6/2018	Travis, Demarius	Signed to a future contract	8/27/2018	Decker, Eric
2/6/2018	Tye, Will	Signed to a future contract	8/27/2018	Pleasant, Eddie
2/6/2018	Wiltz, Jomal	Signed to a future contract	8/27/2018	Farrow, Kenneth
			8/27/2018	Maye, K.J.
MARCH 2018			8/27/2018	Muhammad, Khalfan
3/7/2018	Bennett, Martellus	Released	8/31/2018	Richards, Jordan
3/7/2018	Reedy, Bernard	Released	8/31/2018	Herron, Frank
3/15/2018	Shelton, Danny	Acquired Via Trade (Cleveland)	8/31/2018	Lewis, Ryan
3/15/2018	McCourty, Jason	Acquired Via Trade (Cleveland)	8/31/2018	Lucien, Devin
3/15/2018	Burkhead, Rex	Re-signed	8/31/2018	Muhammad, Khalfan
3/17/2018	Clayborn, Adrian	Signed		
	Hill, Jeremy		8/31/2018	Turner, Paul
3/17/2018		Signed	CEPTEMPER	2010
3/17/2018	Tobin, Matt	Signed	SEPTEMBER	
3/19/2018	McClellin Shea	Released	9/1/2018	Berrios, Braxton
3/19/2018	Patterson, Cordarrelle	Acquired Via Trade (Oakland)	9/1/2018	John, Ulrick
3/21/2018	Slater, Matthew	Re-signed	9/1/2018	Sam, Christian
3/23/2018	Flowers, Marquis	Re-signed	9/1/2018	Wynn, Isaiah
3/26/2018	Waddle, LaAdrian	Re-signed	9/1/2018	Atkins, John
			9/1/2018	Bojorquez, Corey
APRIL 2018			9/1/2018	Bolden, Brandon
4/4/2018	Cooks, Brandin	Traded to Los Angeles Rams	9/1/2018	Bowanko, Luke
4/4/2018	Bowanko, Luke	Signed	9/1/2018	Croston, Cole
4/4/2018	Niklas, Troy	Signed	9/1/2018	Etling, Danny
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4/6/2018	Matthews, Jordan	Signed	9/1/2018	Farrow, Kenneth
4/24/2018	John, Ulrick	Signed	9/1/2018	Ferentz, James
4/26/2018	Wynn, Isaiah	Drafted	9/1/2018	Flowers, Marquis
4/26/2018	Michel, Sony	Drafted	9/1/2018	Gillislee, Mike
4/27/2018	Brown, Trent	Acquired Via Trade (San Francisco)	9/1/2018	Harris, Trent
4/27/2018	Dawson Jr., Duke	Drafted	9/1/2018	Jones, Cyrus
4/28/2018	Bentley, Ja'Whaun	Drafted	9/1/2018	King, Jason
4/28/2018	Sam, Christian	Drafted	9/1/2018	Langi, Harvey
4/28/2018	Berrios, Braxton	Drafted	9/1/2018	Lee, Eric
4/28/2018	Etling, Danny	Drafted	9/1/2018	Maye, K.J.
4/28/2018	Crossen, Keion	Drafted	9/1/2018	McCarron, Riley
4/28/2018	Izzo, Ryan	Drafted	9/1/2018	Moore, A.J.
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MAY 2018			9/1/2018	Schwenke, Brian
5/10/2018	King, Jason	Released	9/1/2018	Tobin, Matt
5/11/2018	Andrews, Darren	Signed	9/1/2018	Travis, Demarius
	Atkins, John	Signed		Tye, Will
5/11/2018			9/1/2018	
5/11/2018	Harris, Trent	Signed	9/1/2018	Valentine, Vincent
5/11/2018	Herron, Frank	Signed	9/1/2018	Webb, Ralph
5/11/2018	Jackson, J.C.	Signed	9/1/2018	Wiltz, Jomal
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5/11/2018	Moore, A.J.	Signed	9/2/2018	Hansen, Chad
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5/11/2018	Berrios, Braxton	Signed/Draft Choice	9/2/2018	Ferentz, James
5/11/2018	Crossen, Keion	Signed/Draft Choice	9/2/2018	Harris, Trent
5/11/2018	Etling, Danny	Signed/Draft Choice	9/2/2018	McCarron, Riley
5/11/2018	Izzo, Ryan	Signed/Draft Choice	9/2/2018	Valentine, Vincent
5/11/2018	Sam, Christian	Signed/Draft Choice	9/2/2018	Webb, Ralph
5/11/2018	Garcia, Tony	Released	9/2/2018	Wiltz, Jomal
5/14/2018	Bojorquez, Corey	Signed	9/4/2018	Schwenke, Brian
5/14/2018	Andrews, Darren	Released	9/4/2018	Darboh, Amara
5/15/2018	Andrews, Darren	Placed on Reserve/Non-Football Injury	9/4/2018	Billingsley, Jace
5/16/2018	Dawson Jr., Duke	Signed/Draft Choice	9/4/2018	Smith, Eric
5/18/2018	King, Jason	Signed	9/6/2018	McCarron, Riley
5/18/2018	Lacy, Chris	Released	9/6/2018	Dawson Jr., Duke
			9/6/2018	Anderson, Stephen
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6/22/2018	Wynn, Isaiah	Signed/Draft Choice	9/10/2018	Hansen, Chad
			9/10/2018	McCarron, Riley
JULY 2018				
7/23/2018	Michel, Sony	Signed/Draft Choice		
7/23/2018	Jelks, Andrew	Reserve/Retired		
7/23/2018	Lucien, Devin	Signed		
7/23/2018	Jones, David	Released	1	
7/24/2018	Pleasant, Eddie	Signed		
7/24/2018	Theaker, Nate	Signed		
7/24/2018	Hollister, Cody	Released		
7/26/2018	Hollister, Cody	Placed on Reserve/Non-Footaball Injury	1	
7/27/2018	Turner, Paul	Signed	1	
7/27/2018	Niklas, Troy	Released		
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#### ERIES HISTOR



The New England Patriots and Jacksonville Jaguars will meet in a rematch of the 2017 AFC Championship Game on Sunday when the Patriots travel to Jacksonville. Last season, the Patriots overcame a 20-10 fourth-quarter deficit before rallying for a 24-20 victory to advance to Super Bowl LII on Jan. 21, 2018 at Gillette Stadium.

The Patriots have won all seven of the regular-season games between the clubs, including all three regular-season matchups played in Jacksonville.

New England last played in Jacksonville on Dec. 23, 2013, when the Patriots prevailed, 23-16. The teams last played in the regular season on Sept. 27, 2015, when the Patriots came away with a 51-17 victory at Gillette Stadium.

The two teams have faced each other five times in the playoffs, including the 1996 AFC Championship Game at Foxboro Stadium and the 2017 AFC Championship Game at Gillette Stadium. The Patriots defeated the Jaguars, 20-6, in the 1996 AFC Championship Game, the first time New England hosted the AFC Conference Championship Game. The Patriots lead the Jaguars 4-1 overall in postseason games.

#### **REGULAR SEASON - PATRIOTS 7, JAGUARS 0**

Date	Result	Score	H/A	Stadium
09/22/96	W (OT)	28-25	Н	Foxboro Stadium
12/07/97	W	26-20	А	Alltel Stadium
12/14/03	W	27-13	Н	Gillette Stadium
12/24/06	W	24-21	А	Alltel Stadium
12/27/09	W	35-7	Н	Gillette Stadium
12/23/12	W	23-16	А	EverBank Field
09/27/15	W	51-17	Н	Gillette Stadium

POSTSEASON - PATRIOTS 4, JAGUARS 1							
Date	Result	Score	H/A	Stadium			
01/12/97*	W	20-6	Н	Foxboro Stadium			
01/03/99	L	10-25	А	Alltel Stadium			
01/07/06	W	28-3	Н	Gillette Stadium			
01/12/08	W	31-20	Н	Gillette Stadium			
01/21/18*	W	24-20	Н	Gillette Stadium			
*-AFC Championship Game							

#### ERIES TRENDS

Overall Record (including 4-1 in playoffs)	
Record in New England	8-0 (4-0 in playoffs)
Foxboro Stadium	
Gillette Stadium	
Record in Jacksonville	
Total Points	Patriots 327, Jaguars 193
Patriots' Largest Margin of Victory	
Patriots' Largest Margin of Defeat	15 points (01/03/99)
Highest Combined Point Total	68 points (09/27/15)
Lowest Combined Point Total	
Games Decided by Seven or Fewer Points	
Current Win Streak	Patriots,eight games
Bill Belichick vs. Jacksonville	8-2 (8-0 with New England)

#### ALE OF THE TA 2018 Regular Season **New England** Jacksonville Record 1-0 1-0 Divisional Standings 1st 1st Total Yards Gained 305 389 389.0 (8) 122.0 (12) 267.0 (10) 305.5 (25) 137.0 (10) 168.0 (24) Total Offense (Rank) Rush Offense Pass Offense Points Per Game 27 (9t) 20 (20t) Touchdowns Scored З 2 28.6 30.8 Third Down Conversion Pct. Team Passer Rating 102.2 67.2 Total Yards Allowed 325 324 F F F Т Т F

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Total Defense (Rank)	325.0 (11)	324.0 (10)
Rush Defense	167.0 (29)	114.0 (16)
Pass Defense	158.0 (8)	210.0 (11)
Points Allowed/Game	20 (9t) ´	15 (6) `´
Touchdowns Allowed	2	1
Third Down Defense (Pct.)	18.2	30.8
Field Goals Made/Attempted	2/2	2/2
Possession Avg.	31:10	29:31
Sacks Allowed/Yards Lost	2/10	1/8
Sacks Made/Yards	3/18	2/14
Passing TD/Int. (Off.)	3/1	1/1
Passing TD/Int. (Def.)	1/1	Ú/ 1
Penalties Against/Yards	6/26	11/119
Punts/Avg.	6/46.8	7/37.7
Takeaway/Giveaway Ratio	-1 (20t)	+1 (7t)

PASSING PERFORMANCES

Tom Brady has faced the Jaguars five times in his career in the regular season. Brady has also played Jacksonville three times in the postseason.

#### TOM BRADY VS. JACKSONVILLE (5-0) **REGULAR SEASON**

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Date	Α	С	Yd	%	TD	1	Rating	W/L	Score
12/14/03	34	22	228	.647	2	0	103.6	Ŵ	27-13
12/24/06	39	28	249	.718	1	Ο	97.1	W	24-21
12/27/09	26	23	267	.885	4	Ο	149.0	W	35-7
12/23/12	23	16	267	.585	2	2	73.9	W	23-16
09/27/15	42	33	358	.786	2	Ο	118.1	W	51-17
TOTALS	182	130	1369	.714	11	2	108.5		5-0
TOM BRADY VS. JACKSONVILLE (3-0)									
POSTSEASON									

FOOTOLAGON									
Date	Α	С	Yd	%	TD		Rating	W/L	Score
01/07/06	27	15	201	.556	З	Ο	116.4	W	28-3
01/12/08	28	26	262	.929	З	Ο	141.4	W	31-20
01/21/18	38	26	290	.684	2	Ο	108.4	W	24-20
TOTALS	93	67	463	.720	8	0	124.5		3-0

#### UNBLEMISHED RECORD

Jacksonville is one of seven NFL teams that Tom Brady has an undefeated regular-season record against.

TEAM	RECORD
Atlanta Falcons	
Jacksonville Jaguars	
Chicago Bears	
Dallas Cowboys	
Detroit Lions	
Minnesota Vikings	
Tampa Bay Buccaneers	4-0

#### PASSING PERCENTAGE RECORDS

Tom Brady's had his two best single-game completion percentages against the Jaguars. Brady set a franchise record against the Jaguars on Dec. 27, 2009, when he finished with a completion percentage of 88.5, completing 23-of-26 passes for 267 yards and four touchdowns. His 88.5 completion percentage in that game is tied for the 13th best completion percentage in NFL history (min. 20 attempts).

Brady set an NFL postseason single-game completion percentage record when he completed 26-of-28 passes for 262 yards and three touchdowns for a completion percentage of 92.9 in an AFC Divisional Playoff against the Jaguars on Jan. 20, 2008 at Gillette Stadium.









#### 2017 AFC CHAMPIONSHIP GAME: PATRIOTS 24, JAGUARS 20

#### January 21, 2018 ★ Gillette Stadium

	1	2	3	4	Final
Jacksonville Jaguars	0	14	3	З	- 20
New England Patriots	З	7	0	14	- 24

Quarterback Tom Brady passed for 290 yards and two fourth-quarter touchdowns as the Patriots rallied from a 10-point deficit to claim their 10th AFC title.

The Patriots opened the game with a 10-play drive capped by K Stephen Gostkowski's 31-yard field goal. Following an exchange of punts, the Jaguars needed just seven plays to drive 76 yards, with QB Blake Bortles completing all five of his pass attempts, including 20-and 24-yard connections to RB Corey Grant to set up TE Marcedes Lewis' 4-yard touchdown catch for a 7-3 lead.

The Jaguars defense then forced a three-and-out, and Jacksonville drove 77 yards in 10 plays, with Bortles going 4-for-4and RB Leonard Fournette finishing the drive with a 4-yard touchdown for a 14-3 lead with 7:06 left in the half.

DL Adam Butler had a key sack of Bortles on a third down just before the two-minute warning to get the ball back in Brady's hands. The Patriots needed just 67 seconds to drive 85 yards, highlighted by consecutive defensive penalties by the Jaguars covering 47 yards, with RB James White's 1-yard touchdown run cutting the deficit to 14-10 at halftime.

The Jaguars opened the second half with K Josh Lambo's 54-yard field goal, and later took nearly five minutes off the clock with a 66-yard drive capped by Lambo's 43-yard field goal for a 20-10 lead in the fourth quarter.

The Patriots quickly drove into Jaguars territory, but LB Myles Jack forced RB Dion Lewis to fumble and recovered the ball at the Jaguars 33-yard line. However, defensive backs Devin McCourty and Eric Rowe stopped WR Allen Hurns a yard short of the first-down marker on a third-and-8 to give New England the ball with 12:03 left to play. Brady engineered an 85-yard drive that included a crucial third-18 conversion and a 9-yard touchdown connection to WR Danny Amendola, pulling the Patriots to within three with 8:44 to play.

After both teams exchanged punts, the Jaguars were pinned at their own 10-yard line with 5:53 to play. The Patriots forced a three-and-out, and Amendola fielded the punt at midfield and returned it 20 yards. Five plays later, Amendola caught his second touchdown in the final quarter from 4-yards out, to give New England a 24-20 lead with 2:48 remaining.

On the ensuing drive, Bortles completed a 29-yard pass to reach the Patriots 38-yard line, but DL Trey Flowers sacked Bortles two plays later and a Bortles fourth-and-15 pass was swatted away by CB Stephon Gilmore with 1:47 to play. Lewis' 18-yard run on a third-and-9 on the ensuing drive iced the game for the Patriots.

#### LAST REGULAR-SEASON MEETING: PATRIOTS 51, JAGUARS 17

#### September 27, 2015 ★ Gillette Stadium

	1	2	3	4	Final
Jacksonville Jaguars	0	З	7	7	- 17
New England Patriots	10	10	17	14	- 51

Quarterback Tom Brady and K Stephen Gostkowski achieved major career milestones in the New England Patriots 51-17 victory over the Jacksonville Jaguars at Gillette Stadium. It was also the most points ever given up in a game by Jacksonville. The Patriots improved to 3-0 record for the ninth time in team history and for the fifth time under Bill Belichick.

Brady threw for 358 yards and two touchdowns to become the fourth NFL player to reach 400 career touchdown passes. Brady reached 400 on a 1-yard touchdown pass to WR Danny Amendola in the second quarter. Gostkowski delivered six extra points to run his streak to 425 consecutive extra points made, surpassing Matt Stover (422) for the NFL record. Gostkowski reached his milestone with an extra point in the third quarter.

The Patriots scored on each of their first nine possessions and then downed the ball to run out the clock on their 10th possession. It was the first time in team history that the Patriots scored on every possession and then ended the game by running out the clock with kneel downs.

The Patriots offense produced 35 first downs and 471 yards, with TE Rob Gronkowski leading the team with 104 yards on four receptions and RB LeGarrette Blount scoring three 1-yard touchdown runs.

The Patriots built a 20-3 halftime lead and extended their lead to 37-10 with a 17-point third quarter before Blount scored the final two touchdowns for a 51-17 final.

Jacksonville was flagged seven times for 114 yards, including back-to-back pass interference penalties in the third quarter. The first cost the Jaguars 52 yards and the second negated an interception and 82-yard return, instead putting the Patriots on the Jacksonville 1-yard line. Blount punched it in on the next play to conclude a 1-play, 67-yard drive, 66 of which came off penalties.





#### CONNECTIONS

#### NEW ENGLAND TIES

- ★ Jaguars executive vice president of football operations Tom Coughlin spent three seasons (1991-93) as the head coach at Boston College. He also coached Boston College's quarterbacks from 1981-83, where he tutored Doug Flutie, who went on to win the Heisman Trophy in 1984 and play in the NFL, including two different stops with the Patriots.
- ★ Jaguars head coach Doug Marrone coached the offensive line at Northeastern University for one year in 1994.
- ★ Jaguars assistant special teams coordinator Mike Mallory was defensive coordinator and linebackers coached at Rhode Island from 1993-95.
- ★ Jaguars assistant offensive line coach Tony Sparano Jr. was an assistant defensive line coach for the Hartford Colonials (Conn.) of the United Football League in 2010.

#### NORTH FLORIDA TIES

★ Patriots OL Trent Brown, and DB J.C. Jackson all played collegiately at the University of Florida.

#### FORMER PATRIOTS

- ★ Jaguars defensive line coach Marion Hobby played defensive end for the Patriots from 1990-92. During his three year tenure at New England, Hobby played in 42 regular-season games.
- ★ Jaguars TE James O'Shaughnessy was traded to the Patriots from the Kansas City Chiefs in April 2017. He spent OTAs and training camp with the club before being waived during roster cut downs prior to the start of the 2017 regular season.

#### FORMER JAGUARS

★ None.

#### FORMER NFL TEAMMATES

- ★ Patriots head coach Bill Belichick and Jacksonville executive vice president of football operations Tom Coughlin coached together at the Giants from 1988-1990, advancing to the playoffs twice in three years and winning Super Bowl XXV to conclude the 1990 season. Belichick was the defensive coordinator and secondary coach while Coughlin coached the wide receivers.
- ★ Patriots running backs coach Ivan Fears coached the wide receivers at Syracuse when Jaguars head coach Doug Marrone played on the offensive line for the Orange.
- ★ Patriots QB Brian Hoyer played with Jaguars CB A.J. Bouye at Houston in 2015. Hoyer also played with Jaguars DL Calais Campbell at Arizona in Weeks 14-16 of 2012.
- ★ Marrone was the head coach of the Bills from 2013-14 when Patriots CB Stephon Gilmore and WR Chris Hogan played at Buffalo. Several members of the Jacksonville staff also coached for the Bills in recent years, including offensive coordinator Nathaniel Hackett, assistant defensive line coach Jason Rebrovich, assistant offensive line coach Tony Sparano, Jr., and running backs coach Tyrone Wheatley, when current Patriots WR Chris Hogan and Gilmore had stints at Buffalo. Hogan and Gilmore also played with Jaguars DT Marcell Dareus in Buffalo.
- Additionally Gilmore played with Jaguars DE Lerentee McCray at Buffalo in 2016.
- ★ Jaguars offensive line coach Pat Flaherty coached Patriots OL Trent Brown in the same role at San Francisco in 2016.
- ★ Flaherty also coached tight ends and special teams at lowa in 1999 while Patriots consultant to the head coach Bret Bielema was the linebackers coach for the Hawkeyes.
- ★ Patriots QB Brian Hoyer played with Jaguars S Tashaun Gipson at Cleveland from 2013-14.
- ★ Jaguars WR Donte Moncrief played for Indianapolis with Patriots TE Dwayne Allen (2014-16) and WR Phillip Dorsett (2015-16).
- ★ Patriots OL Trent Brown played with Jaguars CB Kenneth Acker at San Francisco in 2015.
- ★ Patriots LB Nicholas Grigsby played with Jaguars S Cody Davis for the Rams in 2016.
- Jaguars S Tashaun Gipson played for Cleveland with Patriots QB Brian Hoyer (2013-14) and DL Danny Shelton (2015).
- Patriots director of pro personnel Dave Ziegler worked in Denver's scouting department when Jaguars DT Malik Jackson played there in 2012.
- ★ Jaguars QB Cody Kessler played for Cleveland with Patriots DB Jason Mc-Courty (2017) and DL Danny Shelton (2016-17).

#### CONNECTIONS

#### FORMER COLLEGE TEAMMATES

- ★ Patriots offensive coordinator/quarterbacks coach Josh McDaniels and director of player personnel Nick Caserio were college teammates with Jaguars general manager Dave Caldwell at John Carroll University.
- ★ Patriots LB Dont'a Hightower played with Jaguars DT Marcell Dareus on a stout Alabama defense from 2009-10. The pair won the 2009 National Title together and that defense only surrendered 11.7 points per game, good for second in the nation. Hightower also played with Jacksonville RB Corey Grant in 2010 before Grant transferred to Auburn. Finally, Hightower shared the field with Jaguars LS Carson Tinker from 2008-11.
- ★ While at Auburn, Jaguars RB Corey Grant played with DB Jonathan Jones (2012-14) and LB Brandon King (2013-14).
- ★ Patriots C David Andrews was teammates with Jaguars DT Abry Jones at Georgia from 2011-12.
- ★ Patriots CB Stephon Gilmore played with Jaguars OL A.J. Cann at South Carolina from 2010-11.
- ★ Patriots WR Phillip Dorsett was teammates with Jaguars OL Brandon Linder at Miami from 2011-13.
- ★ Patriots TE Dwayne Allen was teammates with Jaguars OL Tyler Shatley at Clemson from 2009-11. Jaguars defensive line coach Marion Hobby was also an assistant defensive coach when Allen played for the Tigers.
- ★ Patriots RB James White played for Wisconsin with Jaguars LB Leon Jacobs in 2013.
- Patriots G Ted Karras attended Illinois, where he played with Jaguars DE Dawuane Smoot.
- ★ Jaguars RB Corey Grant played at Alabama for one year (2010) when Patriots special teams coach Joe Judge was a football analyst and special teams assistant with the Crimson Tide. Grant also played with Patriots DBs Jonathan Jones and Brandon King from 2012-14 when he transferred to Auburn to finish his collegiate career.
- ★ Patriots WR Matthew Slater played at UCLA when Jaguars assistant linebackers coach Mike Rutenberg was a defensive graduate assistant for the Bruins.
- ★ Patriots DB Nate Ebner played with Jaguars DT Michael Bennett at Ohio State in 2011.
- ★ Jaguars DL Taven Bryan played for Florida with Patriots OL Trent Brown (2014), and DB J.C. Jackson (2014)Jaguars DE Dante Fowler Jr. also played with Brown (2013-14) and Jackson (2014).
- ★ Patriots RB Rex Burkhead shared the field with Jaguars TE Niles Paul at Nebraska from 2009-10.
- ★ Patriots OL LaAdrian Waddle played at Texas Tech with Jaguars S Cody Davis from 2009-12.
- ★ Patriots DL Adam Butler played for Vanderbilt with Jaguars CB Tre Herndon from 2014-16. Jaguars offensive assistant John Donovan was the offensive coordinator and running backs coach at Vanderbilt from 2011-13 with Butler and Herndon.
- ★ Patriots DL Danny Shelton played with Jaguars WR Jaydon Mickens on Washington from 2012-14 and TE Austin Seferian-Jenkins from 2011-13.
- ★ Patriots coaching assistant DeMarcus Covington worked as a defensive graduate assistant at Mississippi while Jaguars WR Donte Moncrief played there in 2013.
- ★ Patriots DB Nate Ebner played for Ohio State with Jaguars OL Andrew Norwell from 2010-11.
- ★ Patriots OL Joe Thuney played with Jaguars OL Will Richardson Jr. at N.C. State from 2014-15.
- ★ Patriots coaching assistant Atif Austin was the running backs coach at Stetson when Jaguars LB Donald Payne played there in 2013.
- Patriots tight ends coach Brendan Daly coached at Maryland as a graduate assistant while Jaguars assistant special teams coordinator Mike Mallory was a linebackers coach there in 2000.
- ★ Patriots DB J.C. Jackson played at Maryland while Jaguars wide receivers coach Keenan McCardell coached in the same capacity there in 2016.







## PATRIOTS What to Look for this week

#### TEAM

#### IF THE PATRIOTS WIN...

- ★ The team will earn a 2-0 start to the season for the 10th time since 2000. The Patriots last 2-0 start came in 2016. It will be the 15th 2-0 start in team history.
- ★ The Patriots will improve to 8-0 against the Jacksonville Jaguars in the regular season and 12-1 overall. The teams last met in the 2017 AFC Championship Game, which New England won, 24-20. With a win, the Patriots will also improve to 4-1 against the Jaguars in games played at Jacksonville.

#### WHAT TO LOOK FOR ...

- ★ The Patriots can extend their streak to 12-straight regular-season games without allowing a 300-yard passer, dating back to Week 7 of the 2017 season. In the Bill Belichick era, the Patriots have accomplished a streak of 10 or more such games just twice, first from 2003-04 (14 games) and again from 2006-07 (14 games).
- ★ If the Patriots do not allow a sack against Jacksonville, they will snap an 11game streak by the Jaguars defense (regular and postseason), which has registered at least one sack in every game dating back to Nov. 19, 2017. The Patriots will also become just the second team to limit the Jaguars to zero sacks since the start of the 2017 season, as only the Chargers did in Week 10 last year.
- ★ In 2017, the Patriots offense led the league with 42 red zone touchdowns, while the Jaguars defense led the league in fewest touchdowns allowed in the red zone with 11.
- ★ If the Patriots score in the final minute of the first half, they will do so for the second straight week and the 13th time since the start of the 2017 season. They are 10-2 in games when scoring in the final minute of the first half.

#### **ROBERT KRAFT**

#### IF THE PATRIOTS WIN...

★ Robert Kraft will earn his 300th victory (regular and postseason), becoming the fastest owner in NFL history to reach that mark by doing so in 430 games, just two games into his 25th season. He will surpass former Raiders owner Al Davis, who reached 300 wins in 495 games (31st season), followed by Broncos owner Pat Bowlen, who did so in 501 games (30th season).

#### **BILL BELICHICK**

#### IF THE PATRIOTS WIN...

★ Bill Belichick will extend his perfect record against the Jaguars to 6-0 in the regular season and 9-0 all-time as head coach of the Patriots.

#### **ROB GRONKOWSKI**

#### WHAT TO LOOK FOR...

- ★ If Rob Gronkowski tallies more than 60 receiving yards from Brady (7,227 yards), the tandem will pass Tony Romo and Jason Witten (7,287 yards) for second-most yards between a quarterback and tight end in NFL history. Philip Rivers and Antonio Gates are first with 8,954 yards.
- ★ With more than 157 receiving yards, Rob Gronkowski will move past Wes Welker (7,459 yards) into second place all-time on the Patriots receiving yards list, behind Stanley Morgan (10,352 yards).
- ★ If Rob Gronkowski has a 100-yard receiving game, he will tie Wes Welker (28) for second-most such games 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.

#### TOM BRADY

#### IF THE PATRIOTS WIN...

- ★ Tom Brady can tie Adam Vinatieri (if the Colts lose) with 225 career wins, the most by any NFL player in history. He can also extend his own NFL record to 225 career wins by a quarterback.
- ★ Tom Brady will remain undefeated against the Jaguars and improve his mark to 6-0 in the regular season. Brady currently holds a perfect record against seven teams, including Atlanta (5-0), Chicago (4-0), Dallas (4-0), Detroit (4-0), Jacksonville (5-0), Minnesota (4-0) and Tampa Bay (4-0).

#### WHAT TO LOOK FOR ...

- ★ If Tom Brady throws a touchdown pass to one new target, he will tie Vinny Testaverde's NFL-record of 70 different touchdown targets (regular season only).
- ★ With three or more touchdown passes, Tom Brady will pass Warren Moon (37) for most touchdowns by a quarterback age 40 or older. Moon started his last game at 44 years of age, while Brady is 41.
- ★ If Tom Brady throws for more than 300 yards against Jacksonville, he will become the first quarterback to do so against the Jaguars defense in the regular season since Week 5 of last year when Ben Roethlisberger threw for 312 yards.
- ★ Additionally, if Tom Brady throws three or more touchdown passes, he will be the first quarterback to do so against Jacksonville in the regular season since Philip Rivers had four touchdown passes in Week 2 of the 2016 season.
- Tom Brady can extend his NFL record to 56 games with three touchdown passes and no interceptions.

#### TREY FLOWERS

#### WHAT TO LOOK FOR ...

★ If Trey Flowers registers two or more sacks, he can tie Jacksonville's Calais Campbell for most multi-sack games in the NFL since the start of the 2016 season with six.

#### **DURON HARMON**

#### WHAT TO LOOK FOR ....

★ Duron Harmon has 10 interceptions in the fourth quarter since 2013, which is the second-most in the NFL during that time. He needs one more to tie Richard Sherman (11) for most fourth-quarter picks in the NFL.

#### DEVIN McCOURTY

#### WHAT TO LOOK FOR...

★ Devin McCourty needs one interception to tie Don Webb (21 interceptions) for 11th all-time in Patriots history.

#### JAMES WHITE

#### WHAT TO LOOK FOR...

★ James White can record his 14th touchdown reception, the most touchdown receptions by a running back in the NFL since 2015, which was his first year as a regular contributor in the Patriots offense.





#### PATRIOTS 27, TEXANS 20

September 9, 2018 ★ Gillette Stadium						
	1	2	3	4	Final	
Houston Texans	3	3	7	7	- 20	
New England Patriots	7	14	3	З	- 27	

QB Tom Brady threw for 277 yards and three touchdowns and connected with TE Rob Gronkowski for 123 of those yards, including a 21-yard touchdown in the first quarter to help lead New England to a 27-20 win against the Houston Texans on opening day at Gillette Stadium.

Brady connected on all three of his touchdown passes in the first half, as the Patriots built a 21-6 halftime lead. New England extended its lead to 24-6 in the third quarter and were in front 27-13 late in the game when Houston battled back with under five minutes to play.

First-year WR Riley McCarron muffed a punt that Houston recovered at the New England 16-yard line. Houston converted the turnover into points when QB Deshaun Watson connected with WR Bruce Ellington on a 5-yard touchdown to make the score 27-20 with 2:12 to play.

The Patriots faced a fourth-and-2 from their own 45-yard line when P Ryan Allen booted a 54-yard punt that was downed by DB Jonathan Jones at the Houston 1-yard line with 43 seconds to play. The Texans moved to their 43yard line before a Watson Hail Mary was batted away by DB Jason McCourty to give the Patriots the win.

After being stopped on the first series of the game, Watson botched a hand off on Houston's first offensive play that was recovered by LB Dont'a Hightower at the Houston 19-yard line. Two plays later, Brady connected with Gronkowski on a 21-yard touchdown pass for a 7-0 lead.

Brady was intercepted on tipped pass that helped lead to a Texans field goal later in the first quarter. Brady converted a fourth-and-1 on a sneak early in the second quarter to help keep a drive alive that ended with a 12-yard touchdown pass from Brady to RB James White for a 14-3 New England lead. Houston drove deep into Patriots territory on the next series but were held to a field goal.

RB Jeremy Hill got a hand on a punt later in the quarter that held Houston to a 30-yard punt with 1:28 left in the half. Brady connected on a 28-yard pass to Gronkowski to help key a drive that ended in a 4-yard touchdown pass to WR Phillipp Dorsett with 19 seconds to play in the first half that increased the Patriots lead to 21-6 at the break.

K Stephen Gostkowski kicked field goals of 39 and 35 yards on consecutive drives in the third and fourth quarter, sandwiched around a touchdown drive by Houston to make it 27-13 early in the final frame

Dorsett had a career-best seven receptions and also scored his first touchdown as a member of the Patriots.



#### **QUICK HITS**

- ★ Patriots remained undefeated at home against Houston.
- ★ Bill Belichick passed Tom Landry for sole possession of third in regular-season wins.
- ★ Brady won his 13th kickoff weekend game, tied for the most all-time.
- ★ The McCourty brothers became the first set of twins to play together on the same team since 1926 when Gene and Tom Golsen suited up together for the Louisville Colonels. Hours later, the Griffin twins (Shaquill and Shaquem) also took the field together for the Seattle Seahawks.

#### UNBLEMISHED RECORD

The Patriots remained undefeated at home against Houston in the regular season after the 27-20 win improved the team to 5-0 against the Texans at Gillette Stadium. The Texans are one of four teams against which the Patriots own an undefeated regular-season home record (5-0). The Patriots are 5-0 against Baltimore, 4-0 against Chicago and 4-0 against Jacksonville. The patriots are also 2-0 adainst Houston in the postseason.

#### HOLDING THE LEAD

Including the postseason, the Patriots have now won 78 straight home games when leading by 10 or more points at halftime after securing a 21-6 halftime lead against Houston in a 27-20 win. It is the longest such streak in NFL history. Pittsburgh (1946-87) had a streak of 76 games. The last time the Patriots lost a game with a 10-plus lead at halftime at home was when they failed to hold onto a 13-3 halftime lead in a 16-13 overtime loss on Dec. 27, 1992 vs. Miami.

#### **SCORING BIG AGAINST HOUSTON**

The Patriots have scored at least 27 points against Houston for the 10th straight game, including the postseason. The Patriots beat Houston 23-20 in overtime in their first ever meeting on Nov. 23, 2003, the lowest offensive output in the series.

#### DEFENSE HOLDS STRONG AT HOME

The Patriots defense held its opponent under 20 points for the eighth straight game at home, including the postseason.

#### FINAL MINUTE FLURRY

The Patriots scored in the final minute of the first half when QB Tom Brady connected with WR Phillip Dorsett on a 4-yard touchdown pass with 19 seconds to play. The Patriots scored in the final minute of the first half 11 times in 2017.

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#### BELICHICK PASSES LANDRY

Bill Belichick now has 251 regular-season wins, moving past Tom Landry for third all-time behind Don Shula (328) and George Halas (318).

Head Coach	Teams	W	L	T
Don Shula	BLT/MIA	328	. 156 .	6
George Halas	Chicago		. 148 .	6
Bill Belichick	CLE/ŇE		.118.	0
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Curly Lambeau .	GB/CHI/WAS	6226	. 132 .	22

#### MOST WINS AT 40

Brady already has the most passing yards and the most wins in a single season by a quarterback at the age of 40, and his 14 wins overall since turning 40 (13 in 2017 and 1 in 2018) are now the most wins overall ever by a quarterback over the age of 40.

#### MOST REGULAR-SEASON WINS BY A QB AT THE AGE OF 40

Tom Brady...... 14 Brett Favre ...... 13 Warren Moon.... 11

#### GREAT OUT OF THE GATE

Tom Brady is 13-3 as a starting quarterback on opening day, the best winning percentage among any quarterback on opening day in the Super Bowl era and tied with Peyton Manning for the most opening days wins.

#### QBS WITH THE BEST RECORD IN SEASON-OPENING GAMES

	(Super Bowl Era)	
Player Sea	(Super Bowl Era) ason-Opening Record	Win Pct.
Tom Brady	13-3	
	ng 13-4	

#### SEASONED PATRIOT

Brady is now in his 19th season with the Patriots. He joins Jim Marshall (19-Minnesota), Bruce Matthews (19-Houston/Tennessee), Darrell Green (20-Washington), Jackie Slater (20-LA Rams) and Jason Hanson (21-Detroit) as the only players with at least 19 seasons played with one NFL team.







#### **NEARING OVERALL WINS RECORD**

Tom Brady has the most wins by an NFL quarterback with 224 overall career wins. His 224 wins are the second-most wins all-time by an NFL player, behind the 225 wins by Adam Vinatieri.

MOST WINS BY AN NFL PLAYER (Including Postseason)		
Player	Wins	
Adam Vinatieri	225	
Tom Brady		
George Blanda	218	
Jerry Rice	211	
Gary Anderson	210	
Peyton Manning .	201	
Brett Favre		

SPREADING THE WEALTH

Tom Brady connected with WR Phillip Dorsett on a 4-yard touchdown pass in the second quarter. Brady has thrown a touchdown pass to 69 different players in the regular season, one behind Vinny Testaverde, who threw a touchdown to 70 different players.



#### STRONG START

Brady threw three touchdowns in the first half for the 18th time in his career and for the second straight time against Houston. When the two teams met on Sept. 24, 2017, Brady threw three of his five touchdowns in the first half. The Patriots are 17-1 in those games with the only loss coming on Sept. 25, 2011 at Buffalo. Brady had two games in 2017 with three touchdowns in the first half. In addition to the Houston game, he also accomplished the feat at New Orleans on Sept. 17, 2017.

#### **CRUNCH TIME GAINS**

Brady helped lead an eight-play, 78-yard drive that ended with a 4-yard touchdown pass to WR Phillip Dorsett with 19 seconds to play in the first half. Since 2015, Brady has 15 TD passes and 0 INTs in the last 2 minutes of both halves [17-0 including postseason].

#### MCCOURTY'S MAKE HISTORY

Devin and Jason McCourty became the second set of twins in NFL history to play together on the same field. They join Gene and Tom Golsen, who played together in 1926 for the Louisville Colonels. Shaquill and Shaquem Griffin of Seattle also aim to accomplish the unique occurrence on kickoff weekend. The McCourtys were lined up next two each other during the Patriots first kickoff in the first quarter.

#### DOORSETT'S CAREER DAY

WR Phillip Dorsett caught a 4-yard touchdown pass from QB Tom Brady in the second quarter, his first touchdown pass as a member of the Patriots. He finished the game with seven receptions, a single-game high. His previous high was five receptions vs. Kansas City on Oct. 30, 2016 when he played for Indianapolis.

#### GRONK SCORES; TEAM WINS

TE Rob Gronkowski scored on a 21-yard pass from QB Tom Brady in the first quarter. The Patriots have now won 25 straight games at home (including the postseason) when Gronkowski scores at least one touchdown. The last time the team lost at home when Gronkowski scores was on Sept. 16, 2012 vs. Arizona.

#### **GRONK PLAYS DEFENSE**

Gronkowski entered the game on defense for the final play. It marked the fifth time that he has played a snap on defense and the first time since the Patriots game against Houston on Sept. 24, 2017.

#### **GRONKOWSKI CHASING GONZALEZ**

TE Rob Gronkowski finished with seven receptions for 123 yards for his 27th 100-yard game of his career. The only tight end with more 100-yard games than Gronkowski is Tony Gonzalez with 31. It was also Gronkowski's first 100-yard game on Kickoff Weekend.

Player	100-Yard Games
Stanley Morgan	
Wes Welker	
Rob Gronkowski	
Randy Moss	

MOST 100-YARD GAMES BY A PATRIOTS TIGHT END

Player	100-Yard Games
Rob Gronkowski	
Ben Coates	

#### MOST 100-YARD GAMES BY A TIGHT END IN NFL HISTORY

Player	100-Yard Games
Tony Gonzalez	
Rob Gronkowski	
Kellen Winslow	

#### BRADY TO GRONK ON REPEAT

Rob Gronkowski and Tom Brady connected on a 21-yard touchdown in the first quarter for their 76th touchdown connection, the second-most touchdown connections between a quarterback and a tight end.

#### THE MOST TD CONNECTIONS BETWEEN A QB AND A TE IN NFL HISTORY

Quarterback	Tight End	Team	TD Connections
Philip Rivers	Antonio Gates	SD/LAC	
Tom Brady	Rob Gronkowski	New Engla	and 76
Drew Brees	Jimmy Graham	New Orlea	ns51
Drew Bledsoe	Ben Coates	New Engla	nd45

#### MOST TOUCHDOWN CONNECTIONS IN NFL HISTORY

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Quarterback	Receiver	Team	TD Connections
Peyton Manning	. Marvin Harrison	. Indianapo	lis112
Philip Rivers	. Antonio Gates	. SD/LAC	
Steve Young	. Jerry Rice	. San Fran	cisco 85
Dan Marino	. Mark Clayton	. Miami	
Tom Brady	.Rob Gronkowski	New Eng	land76

#### WHITE IN THE ZONE

RB James White scored on a 12-yard touchdown pass from QB Tom Brady in the second quarter. It marked his 13th receiving touchdown since 2015, the most by a running back in the NFL during that time. It is the third-most by a Patriots running back, behind Larry Garron (26) and Kevin Faulk (15).

#### MOST RECEIVING TDS BY RUNNING BACKS SINCE 2015

<u>Player</u>	Team(s)	TDs
James White	New England	13
Theo Riddick	Detroit	10
David Johnson	Arizona	8
Chris Thompson	Washington	8

#### LINEUP NOTES

DL KEIONTA DAVIS AND WR RILEY MCCARRON SEE FIRST NFL ACTION

DL Keionta Davis, who spent the 2017 season on the non-football injury/reserve list and WR Riley McCarron, who spent last season on the practice squad, played in their first NFL games.

#### LB DONT'A HIGHTOWER MAKES RETURN

LB Dont'a Hightower made his return to action after being limited to five games last year due to injury. Hightower recovered a fumble at the 19-yard line to help set up the team's first touchdown.

#### 2018 FIFTH-ROUND DRAFT PICK LB JA'WHAUN BENTLEY STARTS

2018 fifth-round draft pick LB Ja'Whaun Bentley was in the starting lineup at linebacker. He is the 21st rookie to start in his first game under Bill Belichick.



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#### QB 12









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

- Entering 19th season as a 13-time Pro Bowler and five-time champion.
- Second all-time with 562 total TDs, just 17 behind Peyton Manning.
- All-time winningnest quarterback with 224 career victories.

#### REX BURKHEAD | 5-10 | 215 | NEBRASKA

- Played for Cincinnati from 2013-16 before joining New England.
- Set career-highs in touchdowns for both rushing (five) and receiving
- (three) in 2017 despite only playing in 10 games.
- Made a career-long 46-yard reception in Super Bowl LII.

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

- · Plays a key role in both rushing and receiving and holds record for most receiving TDs by a running back since 2015 with 13.
- Holds three SB records with receptions (14), points (20) and TDs (three).
- Played in 14 regular season games and all three playoff contests in 2017.

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

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

#### PHILLIP DORSETT | 6-1 | 210 | MIAMI

- 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.

#### ROB GRONKOWSKI | 6-6 | 268 | ARIZONA

- Has the most touchdown receptions in the NFL since 2010 with 77.
- Brady has found him for 76 touchdowns, second-most in QB/TE history.
- Most 10-plus TD seasons by an NFL TE in league history with five.

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

- Played for the 49ers from 2015-17 before being traded to the Patriots.
- Started each of the 27 games he appeared in the past three seasons.
- Bill Belichick has referred to him as the biggest player he's ever coached.

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

- · Entering his third season out of N.C. State.
- · Has started all 33 regular season games and six postseason games.
  - USA Today First-Team All-American while at N.C. State.

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

- · Earned a starting job in his rookie year and has started 42 of 45 games.
- Nephew of long-time NFL head coach and player Dan Reeves.
  - Part of a top-10 total offense all three years as a starter.

#### SHAQ MASON | 6-1 | 310 | **GEORGIA TECH**

- Full name is Shaguille Olajuwon Mason after Shaguille O'Neal and Hakeem Olajuwon.
- Has started 42 of 47 regular season games since joining the team.

#### MARCUS CANNON | 6-6 | 335 TCU

- Made 42 regular season starts and started all 22 over the past three vears.
- A two-time SB Champion and named to 2016 AP All-Pro Second Team.
- Lettered in both football and track and field at TCU.

#### CORDARRELLE PATTERSON | 5-10 | 192

#### WR

- 84 Sixth-year pro has spent career with Vikings (2013-16) and Raiders (2017).
- Enters 2018 seven TD receptions and six rushing TDs.
- Has four touchdown runs of 40 or more vards.

#### JEREMY HILL | 6-1 | 230



33 · Played for Cincinnati from 2014-17 before joining the NE as a free agent.



- Enters 2018 tied for fifth-most rushing TDs in the NFL since 2014 with 29 scores
- Started 43 of the 54 regular season games he has played in.

#### JAMES DEVELIN | 6-3 | 255

· Played at Brown as a defensive end before converting to offense while playing in the Arena Football League.



Spent time in the AFL and on the Cincinnati practice squad for two seasons before working his way onto the Patriots 53-man roster in 2012



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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 6½ 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.

#### | 6-4 | 315 | ARIZONA STATE LAWRENCE GUY

- 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 | TEXAS

- Has started 38 of 46 regular season games since being drafted.
- Recorded 49 total tackles and 2½ sacks in the 2017 regular season.
- Started all eight playoff games, recording one sack and 29 total tackles.

#### ADRIAN CLAYBORN | 6-3 | 280 IOWA

- Seven-year NFL veteran who has started 49 of 81 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.

#### DONT'A HIGHTOWER | 6-3 | 260 | ALABAMA

- One of two players in NFL history with multiple national titles and Super Bowl titles along with Russell Maryland.
- Totaled 445 tackles and 19 sacks in first six seasons with New England.

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

- Started 19 of 29 regular season games and totaled 114 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 (51/2) in first full Patriots season.
- Spent three seasons in Detroit before being traded to New England.

#### STEPHON GILMORE 6-1 202 SOUTH CAROLINA

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

#### ERIC ROWE 6-1 205 UTAH

- A key postseason player who notched six passes defensed in six games.
- · Has 15 passes defensed, two interceptions and 70 tackles over three seasons and has played in 34 regular season games.

#### 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.

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

- Playing alongside his twin brother Jason for the first time since college. •
  - Matched a career-high with 94 tackles as last line of defense in 2017.
  - Made the Pro Bowl three of the last four seasons

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

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- 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.

#### DANNY SHELTON | 6-2 | 345



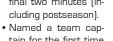
- · Joins New England after spending the first three seasons of his career in Cleveland. Totaled 132 tackles
- over his career.
- Has started 45 of 47 potential games.

#### JONATHAN JONES | 5-10 | 190 31

- CB · 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 32 regular season games the past two years.

#### DURON HARMON | 6-1 | 205 S

 Ten of his 14 career have interceptions taken place in the fourth quarter with six taking place in the final two minutes (in-



- tain for the first time in 2017. Recorded а ca-
- reer-high seven passes defensed in 2017.





# INDIVIDUAL **TEAM NOTES**





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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



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tention 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 (21) 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 2017, Kraft earned his 21st winning season in 24 years of owning the franchise.

		Pre-Kraft 1989-93	
Overall Record	. 225-276-9		299-130
Winning Pct	450		
Super Bowl Titles	0	0	5
Conference Titles	1	0	9
Division Titles		0	
Playoff Seasons	6	0	
Playoff Record			
Home Playoff Games			
Home Playoff Record .			

#### 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.

#### SINCE ROBERT KRAFT PURCHASED THE TEAM IN 1994

#### TOTAL VICTORIES SINCE 1994 (Regular Season)

New England Patriots	
Pittsburgh Steelers.	. 245
Green Bay Packers	. 244
Denver Broncos	
Indianapolis Colts.	. 225

#### TOTAL VICTORIES SINCE 1994 (Incl. Postseason)

New England Patriots	 
Pittsburgh Steelers	 
Green Bay Packers	 
Indianapolis Colts	 

#### MOST HOME VICTORIES SINCE 1994 (Incl. Postseason)

New England Patriots	
Green Bay Packers	156
Pittsburgh Steelers	150
Denver Broncos	144

#### WINNING PERCENTAGE SINCE 1994 (Incl. Postseason)

TEAM	W	L	Т	PCT.
New England Patriots		130	0	697
Pittsburgh Steelers	265	152		635
Green Bay Packers				
Denver Broncos				
Indianapolis Colts	239	175	0	
Philadelphia Eagles	228	181		
Baltimore Ravens				

SUPER BOWL CHAMPIONSHIPS SINCE 1994				
New England Patriots				
Denver Broncos				
Baltimore Ravens2				
Green Bay Packers2				
Pittsburgh Steelers				
N.Y. Giants				

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#### **CONFERENCE CHAMPIONSHIPS SINCE 1994**

New England Patriots	9
Pittsburgh Steelers	.4
Denver Broncos	.4
Green Bay Packers	.З
N.Y. Giants	.З
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
Denver Broncos	14
Indianapolis Colts	14
Philadelphia Eagles	14

#### PLAYOFF GAMES PLAYED SINCE 1994

New England Patriots	44
Green Bay Packers	36
Pittsburgh Steelers	34
Indianapolis Colts	29
Philadelphia Eagles	26

#### PLAYOFF SEASONS SINCE 1994

New England Patriots	19
Green Bay Packers	18
Indianapolis Colts	16
Pittsburgh Steelers	16
Philadelphia Eagles	
Denver, Minnesota and Seattle	

#### PLAYOFF WINNING PERCENTAGE SINCE 1994

TEAM	W	L	PCT.
New England Patriots		14	682
Baltimore Ravens	15	8	652
Denver Broncos	14	9	609
Pittsburgh Steelers	20	14	588
N.Y. Giants	10	7	588

#### 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)
5	. Super Bowl Appearances	
5	Super Bowl Titles	
	Conference Title Games	
22-11 (.667)	Playoff Record	
13	Division Titles	
16	Playoff Seasons	
	Regular Season Record	
108	Pro Bowl Selections	
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)





#### NINE CONFERENCE TITLES

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The 2017 AFC Championship is 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 B	OWL ERA
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OWNER TE	EAM	#	SEASONS				SUPER BOWL A	PPEARANCES
Robert Kraft N	lew England	9	1996, 2001	, 2003, 2	004,		 XXXI, XXXVI, XX	XVIII, XXXIX,
							XLII, XLV	
Pat BowlenD	lenver	7	.1986, 198	7, 1989,	1997,	1998,	 XXI, XXII,	XXIV, XXXII,
			2013, 201	5			 XXX	III, XLVIII, 50
Jack Kent Cooke W	Vashington	5	.1972, 198	2, 1983,	1987,	1991	 VII, XVII, XV	III, XXII, XXVI
Al Davis								
Eddie DeBartolo Si	an Francisco	5	.1981, 198	4, 1988,	1989,	1994	 XVI, XIX, XXII	I, XXIV, XXIX
Clint MurchisonD	allas	5	.1970, 197	1, 1975,	1977,	1978	 V,	VI, X, XII, XIII
Packers StockholdersG								
Joe RobbieN	1iami	5	1971, 197	2, 1973,	1982,	1984	 VI, VII, '	VIII, XVII, XIX
Art RooneyP	ittsburgh	4	1974, 197	5, 1978,	1979.		 	IX, X, XII, XIV
Dan RooneyPi	ittsburgh	4	1995, 200	5, 2008,	2010.		 XXX, >	(L, XLIII, XLV
Ralph WilsonB								
Max Winter	linnesota	4	.1969, 197	3, 1974,	1976.		 	. IV, VII, IX, XI

#### A WINNING TRADITION

Kraft's winning percentage with the Patriots (.697) 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	
Eddie DeBartolo, Jr		. 1977-1999	
Clint Murchison, Jr	Cowboys	. 1960-1983	634
Joe Robbie		. 1966-1989	609
Pat Bowlen		. 1984-present	604

#### ALL-TIME POSTSEASON WINS

Robert Kraft has 30 career postseason wins, which are th	ne third-most in NF	-L history.
OWNERSHIP	YEARS	WINS
The Rooney Family, Pittsburgh (1933-present)	. 86	36
Green Bay Packers (1919-present)	. 100	34
Robert Kraft, New England (1994-present)	25	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)	. 35	21

#### 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).

#### 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).

TEAM	HEAD COACHES SINCE 1994
Pittsburgh	2
New England	
Baltimore Ravens*	
NFL average	
* Since 1996	

	HEAD COACHES SINCE 1994
New England	
N.Y. Jets	
Buffalo	
Miami	

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#### MILESTONE WIN FOR KRAFT

The Patriots victory over the New York Jets on Dec. 21, 2014 was the 250th win under Robert Kraft's tenure. His 250 wins in his first 368 total games tied Chicago's George Halas for the fastest an owner has reached 250 victories.

#### 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 PLAY	OFF SEA	SONS (25	5)
Year	How Qualified	Seed	Record	Result
2017	Division Champion	s1	2-1	. AFC Champions
2016	Division Champion	ıs1	3-0	. Super Bowl Champions
2015	Division Champion	s2	1-1	. AFC Championship Game
2014	Division Champion	ıs1	3-0	.Super Bowl Champions
2013	Division Champion	s2	1-1	. AFC Championship Game
				. AFC Championship Game
2011	Division Champion	s1	2-1	. AFC Champions
2010	Division Champion	ıs1	0-1	AFC Divisional Round
2009	Division Champion	s <b>3</b>	0-1	. Wild Card Round
2007	Division Champion	ıs1	2-1	. AFC Champions
2006	Division Champion	s4	2-1	. AFC Championship Game
2005	Division Champion	s4	1-1	. AFC Divisional Round
2004	Division Champion	ıs2	3-0	. Super Bowl Champions
2003	Division Champion	s1	3-0	Super Bowl Champions
2001	Division Champion	ıs2	3-0	.Super Bowl Champions
1998	Wild Card	6	0-1	. Wild Card Round
1997	Division Champion	s3	1-1	AFC Divisional Round
1996	Division Champion	s2	2-1	. AFC Champions
1994	Wild Card	5	0-1	. Wild Card Round
<u>*Kraft era</u>	<u>ı begins</u>			
1986	. Division Champions	вЗ.	0-1	AFC Divisional Round
1985	. Wild Card	5.	3-1	AFC Champions
	. 16-Team Format			
1978	. Division Champions	s2.	0-1	AFC Divisional Round
1976	. Wild Card	4 .	0-1	AFC Divisional Round
				AFL Championship Game
*-Strike Ye		34	4-20 Reco	ord
Bold indica	tes Kraft era			
KRA	FT PASS	ES <u>C</u>	)TH <u>e</u>	ROWNERS

The Patriots have 299 wins overall under Robert Kraft. He has produced more victories than every other Patriots owner combined. Under Kraft, the Patriots are 299-130 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.







#### 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 Super Bowl win 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 extended their NFL record by reaching seven straight conference title games (2011-17) and look to add to that total in 2018.
- 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 had a winning record for 17 straight seasons (2001-17), and moved past San Francisco (16) and Dallas (16) for the most consecutive winning seasons since the 1970 merger.
- ★ The Patriots are tied with Cleveland for second all-time with 17 consecutive seasons with a .500 record or better, behind Dallas (21).
- ★ 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.
- ★ The Patriots will try to join Miami (3) and Buffalo (4) as the only teams to reach three consecutive Super Bowls.
- ★ The New England Patriots enter the 2018 season with 34 postseason wins and need two more postseason wins to tie Pittsburgh for the most postseason wins all-time.
- ★ 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.
- ★ 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 12-win seasons.
- ★ 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 New England Patriots have won 14 or more games in a season five times, most in NFL history. San Francisco is second with four 14-win seasons.
- ★ The Patriots have tallied six safeties since 2015, most in the NFL over that span. Arizona and Detroit are second with four safeties since 2015.
- ★ New England has 24 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

- ★ The Patriots have 116 wins (regular and postseason) in this decade and need 10 wins overall in 2018 to tie the 2000-09 Patriots for the most wins in a decade in NFL history with 126 wins.
- ★ The Patriots have 103 regular season wins this decade and need 13 regular season wins 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.
- ★ The Patriots have 215 regular season wins since 2000. The NFL record for most regular season wins over two consecutive decades is 217 by the San Francisco 49ers (1970s/1980s). The Patriots need just three more wins to surpass the 49ers for the most regular season wins in two consecutive decades.
- ★ The Patriots have won 13 postseason games this decade and need one more postseason win to match the NFL record by the Patriots (2000-09), Dallas (1970s) and Pittsburgh (1970s) with 14.

#### PATRIOTS 2018 CAPTAINS

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.

#### DECADE-PLUS OF DOMINANCE

The Patriots record of 223-68 (.766) since the 2002 season is the best in the NFL. Only four NFL teams have posted a winning percentage of .600 or better. The Patriots are the only team over .700.

BEST RECORDS SINCE 2002						
	Including Post	season)				
<u>Team</u>	W	L	T	Pct.		
New England	223	68	0	.766		
Pittsburgh	180	98		.646		
Indianapolis		104	0	.629		
Green Bay	169	109	1	.608		
Philadelphia	161	113	1	587		
Seattle	159	120	1	570		
Denver	158	113	0	583		
Baltimore	155		0	.566		
New Orleans		122	0	.546		

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#### **DIVISIONAL DOMINANCE**

The New England Patriots own a 81-23 (.779) 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	W	L	Т	Pct.
New England	81	23	0	779
Pittsburgh	75	31	1	706
Green Bay	72	32	1	690
Indianapolis	72	32	0	692

#### AFC EAST DIVISIONAL RECORDS SINCE 2001

Team	W	L	Т	Pct.	Div. Titles	Years
New England	. 81.	23.	. 0	.779.	15	.2001, 03-07, 09-17
N.Y. Jets	.47.	. 57	. 0	452 .	1	
Miami	.43.	. 61	. 0	413 .	1	
Buffalo	.38.	. 66	. O	365 .	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		
Green Bay		
Indianapolis		
Pittsburgh		
Philadelphia		9

#### NINE STRAIGHT DIVISION TITLES

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

#### MOST CONSECUTIVE DIVISION TITLES

Team	Division	Years	Titles
New England	AFC East	. 2009-17	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	. 2003-07	5
Denver			
Indianapolis	. AFC South	.2003-07	5
Dallas	. NFC East	.1992-96	5
San Francisco			
Chicago			
Oakland	. AFC West	.1972-76	5

#### **ROAD WARRIORS**

The Patriots ran a 14-game road win streak that started with a victory in the 2016 season opener at Arizona on Sept. 11, 2016 and ended with a loss at Miami on Dec. 11, 2017. The 14-game road streak is a team record, breaking the old mark of 12 straight road wins from Dec. 24, 2006 through Oct. 5, 2008. The 14-game streak is second in NFL history to the 18 road game win streak by the San Francisco 49ers (1988-90).

#### 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	L	Т	Win Pct
New England	41.	. 17	. 0.	702
Indianapolis	42.	. 23	0.	646
Atlanta	38.	. 30	1.	558
Denver	38.	. 26	0.	594
Seattle	37.	. 30	1.	551
Chicago	31.	. 27	0.	534

#### **1ST AFL TEAM TO REACH 500**

The Patriots have the most overall wins among the original eight AFL teams. They are the first original AFL team to reach 500 victories.

#### OVERALL VICTORY TOTAL OF ORIGINAL AFL TEAMS (Including playoffs)

Team	W	-, r	Т
New England	.524.	406	9
Denver	494.	423	. 10
Oakland	487.	431	. 11
Kansas City	467.	433	. 12
SD/L.A. Chargers	446.	456	. 11
Tennessee	437.	477	6
Buffalo Bills	423.	484	8
N.Y. Jets	410.	492	8

#### BETTER THAN AVERAGE

The Patriots are the only NFL team to finish with a record of .500 or better in each of the last 17 years (2001-2017). Each of the other 31 NFL teams has had at least one losing season since 2001. The Patriots are now tied with the Cleveland Browns (1957-73) for the second-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 at .500 or better
Dallas	.1965-85	
New England	. 2001-present	
Cleveland		

#### NFL'S BEST AT HOME

Since Gillette Stadium opened in 2002, the Patriots own the NFL's best record at home overall. The Patriots own an overall record of 108-21 [.837] at home in regular season games and a 126-24 [.840] record including playoffs. The Patriots are an NFL-best 170-48 at home since 1994 when Robert Kraft purchased the team.

#### BEST HOME RECORDS SINCE 2002 (Including Playoffs)

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Team	W	L	т	Pct.
New England .	126	24	0	840
Pittsburgh	99	39	1	716
Seattle	99	40	0	712
Indianapolis	97	43	0	693
Baltimore	96	37	0	722
Green Bay	95	43	1	687
Denver	92	46	0	667
Minnesota	86	47	0	647
Philadelphia	86	54	0	614
Atlanta	81	53	0	604
LA Chargers .	81	53	0	604
Arizona	80	52	1	605









#### **INTER-CONFERENCE RECORD**

The New England Patriots own a 51-13 (.797) record vs. NFC teams since realignment in 2002, the best inter-conference record in the NFL during that time.

NFL'S BEST INTER	-CONFER	ENCE REC	ORD SIN	CE 2002
Team	W	L	Т	Pct.
New England	51	13	0	797
Pittsburgh	. 43	20	1	680
Indianapolis	. 40	24	0	625
Denver	. 39	26	0	600
Baltimore	. 37	27	0	578
Philadelphia	. 37	26	1	
Cincinnati	. 36	25	3	586
Tennessee	. 36	28	0	
Dallas	. 36	28	0	
Atlanta	. 35	28	1	555
Green Bay	. 35	29	0	547

#### **BOUNCE BACK PATS**

Since the beginning of 2003, the Patriots are 45-6 (.882) in regular season games following a loss. They have dropped back-to-back regular season games in 2006, 2009, 2011, 2012 and 2015 (twice). As a starter in his career, Tom Brady is 45-10 in games following a loss.

#### UNDEFEATED MONTHS

The Patriots have 24 undefeated months since 2000. It is the most undefeated months since 2000, Indianapolis is second with 15 undefeated months during that time.

#### PATRIOTS UNDEFEATED MONTHS SINCE THE 2000 SEASON (Excluding January)

- 2001 December
- 2003 October, November, December
- 2004 September, November
- 2005 December
- 2006 October
- 2007 September, October, November, December
- 2008 December
- 2010 October, December
- 2011 December 2012 - November
- 2013 September
- 2014 October
- 2015 September, October
- 2016 September, December
- 2017 November

# DEFENSE

#### DEFENSE DOMINATES AGAIN

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

#### 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

#### DEFENSE DENIES I

The Patriots defense held its opponents to 20 points or less in 11 games in 2017, tied for the most under Bill Belichick. The Patriots held their opponents under 20 points 11 times in 2001, 2006 and 2016. The 2017 Patriots had a streak of eight straight games keeping their opponents under 20 points, the longest streak under Belichick, breaking the previous mark of seven straight in 2006.

#### DEFENSE DENIES II

The Patriots were second in the NFL by allowing just six rushing touchdowns in 2017. Tennessee allowed just five. It is the second season in a row that the Patriots allowed just six rushing touchdowns, which is the second fewest in franchise history.

#### FEWEST RUSHING TOUCHDOWNS ALLOWED BY THE PATRIOTS IN A SEASON

Rush TDs Allowed	Season(s)
5	
6	
7	01, 1966
8	398, 1977

#### FORCING THE ISSUE

The Patriots lead the NFL with a +194 turnover margin since the 1994 season.

#### NFL TURNOVER MARGIN SINCE 1994

Team	Turnover Margin
New England	+194
Kansas City	+137
Green Bay	+99

#### **RED ZONE TAKEAWAYS**

The Patriots defense led the NFL in 2017 with six takeaways in the red zone. Baltimore was second with five takeaways in the red zone.

#### PATRIOTS DEFENSIVE TAKEAWAYS IN THE RED ZONE

- 1. DL Trey Flowers forced a fumble that was recovered by LB Elandon Roberts vs. Carolina (10/1) when the Panthers reached the New England 13-yard line.
- 2. CB Malcolm Butler forced a fumble at the 1-yard line that resulted in a touchback at the New York Jets (10/15).
- 3. LB Marquis Flowers forced a fumble that was recovered by DB Patrick Chung at Oakland (11/19) after the Raiders reached the New England 15-yard line.
- 4. CB Stephon Gilmore intercepted a pass in the end zone vs. Miami (11/26) after the Dolphins reached the New England 15-yard line.
- 5. LB Eric Lee intercepted a pass at the 1-yard line at Buffalo (12/3) after the Bills reached the New England 6-yard line.
- DB Duron Harmon intercepted a pass in the end zone at Pittsburgh (12/17) with five seconds to play after the Steelers reached the New England 7-yard line.

Additionally, DB Duron Harmon intercepted a pass in the end zone vs. Houston (9/24) on a pass from Houston's 46-yard line, and DB Jonathan Jones intercepted a pass vs. the LA Chargers at the New England 1-yard line on a pass from the 23-yard line.





#### **BLOCK PARTY**

The Patriots blocked kicks in three straight weeks in 2017. DL Cassius Marsh blocked a field goal vs. Atlanta (10/22) followed by DL Lawrence Guy blocking a field goal vs. LA Chargers (10/29). Then RB Rex Burkhead blocked a punt at Denver (11/12). It tied for the best stretch of blocked kicks for the Patriots under Bill Belichick. In 2014, they had three straight games with a block. RB Brandon Bolden blocked a punt at San Diego (12/7), LB Jamie Collins blocked a field goal vs. Miami (12/14) and DL Vince Wilfork blocked a field goal at the NY Jets (12/21).

#### **BLOCKED KICKS SINCE 2014**

Team	Blocked Kicks Since 2014
Philadelphia	
New England	13 (8 FGs, 2 XPs & 3 Punts)
Miami	
Baltimore	
L.A. Rams	

#### FIRST FAKE PUNT SINCE 2004

Nate Ebner took a direct snap on a fake punt play vs. Miami (11/26) that resulted in a first down. It is the first fake punt attempt for the Patriots since the team ran a fake punt vs. Cincinnati on Dec. 12, 2004, when Larry Izzo was stopped for no gain.

#### **MOST SAFETIES SINCE 2015**

Team	Safeties since 2015
New England	6
Arizona	
Detroit	
Indianapolis	
Seattle	
L.A. Rams	

#### SAFETY DANCE

LB Brandon King tackled Chargers PR Travis Benjamin in the end zone on a punt return for a safety vs. LA Chargers on Oct. 29, 2017. The Patriots recorded the NFL's first safety on a punt since the New Orleans Saints recorded a safety on a punt at Tennessee on Sept. 21, 2003. It was the Patriots first special teams safety since Dec. 9, 1979, when the Jets fumbled a snap on a punt out of the end zone. It marked the second time in team history that they recorded a safety on a punt return. On Oct. 31, 1965, at the San Diego Chargers. DB Jay Cunningham tackled a Chargers player in the end zone during a punt return.

# OFFENSE

#### TAKING CARE OF BALL PAYS OFF

Since 2002, the Patriots are an NFL-best 122-18 when throwing no interceptions.

	ZERO II	NT GA	MES			
Team	Games with (	) Ints		W-L-T	Win	Pct.
New England		. 140.	12	2-18-0		871
Kansas Čity .		. 127	8	33-44-0		.654
Jacksonville .		. 114	7	70-44-0		.614
Seattle		. 114	8	33-30-1		.732
San Francisco		. 113	7	75-37-1		.668
Indianapolis .		. 112	9	30-22-0		.804
Philadelphia.		. 111	8	31-30-0		.730
New Orleans		. 108	8	33-25-0		.769

#### **PROTECTING THE BALL**

Since 2008, the Patriots lead the NFL with 67 regular-season games without turning the ball over. The Patriots are 60-7 in those games.

Team	Zero Turnover Games
New England .	
Green Bay	
Kansas City	
San Francisco	
Seattle	

#### BALL SECURITY

The 2017 Patriots had just 12 turnovers (eight interceptions and four fumbles), the second fewest turnovers in the NFL in 2017 to Kansas City, who had 11, and the third fewest in New England history.

FEWEST	<b>GIVEAWAYS IN</b>	16-GAME	SEASON

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Team Yea	ar <u>Giveaways</u>
San Francisco201	11 10
New England 201	10 10
New England 201	16
Atlanta	16
Kansas City 201	17
New England 201	
Buffalo	16
Green Bay 201	14 13
New England201	14 13
Miami	08 13
N.Y. Giants	J8 13
Green Bay201 New England201 Miami200	14 13 14 13 08 13







#### 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 in 2017. 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.

#### SANDWICH SCORING

The Patriots scored in the final minute of the first half 11 times in 2017.

#### FINAL MINUTE SCORING

13-yard TD pass with 13 seconds to play at New Orleans [9/17/17] 58-yard field goal with no time remaining vs. Carolina [10/1/17] 23-yard field goal with 40 seconds to play at Tampa Bay [10/5/17] 2-yard TD pass with 9 seconds to play at NY Jets [10/15/17] 2-yard TD pass with 21 seconds to play vs. Atlanta [10/22/17] 36-yard field goal with 24 seconds to play vs. L.A. Chargers [10/29/17] 11-yard TD pass with 25 seconds to play at Denver [11/12/17] 62-yard field goal with no time remaining at Oakland [11/19/17] 39-yard field goal with 15 seconds to play at Buffalo [12/03/17] 46-yard field goal with two seconds to play at Miami [12/11/17] 5-yard TD pass with 20 seconds to play vs. NY Jets [12/31/17]

Additionally, the Patriots had an NFL-best 57 points on the first drive of the second half in 2017. Conversely, the New York Giants were last in the league with 10 points on their first possession of the second half.

#### RUSH TO VICTORY

Since 2000, New England is 47-1 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 lost to the Dolphins, 29-28. Since then, New England is 34-0 with a 100-yard rusher. In 2017, RB Dion Lewis is rushed for 112 yards on 15 carries in a Patriots 35-17 win over Miami (11/26/17) and 129 on 24 carries vs. Buffalo (12/24/17).

#### **30 CATCHES, 30 CARRIES**

The 2017 New England Patriots became the first team to have three running backs with 30 receptions and 30 carries since 1989 when the Atlanta Falcons and the New York Jets had three such players. RB Dion Lewis had 180 carries and 32 receptions, RB James White had 43 rushes and 56 receptions and RB Rex Burkhead had 64 rushes and 30 receptions.

#### **NEW NFL PICK RECORD**

The Patriots set an NFL record by throwing just two interceptions in 2016. The previous NFL record for fewest interceptions thrown in a season by an NFL team since the 1970 merger was five. The 2016 Patriots had just two interceptions in 550 pass attempts.

FEWEST IN	ITERCEF	TIONS IN	A SEASON
Team	Year	Int.	Pass Attempts
New England	. 2016 .		
New England	2010.	5	
San Francisco	2011.	5	
Kansas City	1990.	5	
NY Giants	1990.	5	
Green Bay	1966.	5	
Cleveland	1960.	5	

#### THREE 1,000-YARD PLAYERS

The Patriots had three players with 1,000-plus yards in scrimmage yards in the same season for the first time in franchise history in 2017 with WR Brandin Cooks (1,122), TE Rob Gronkowski (1,084) and RB Dion Lewis (1,110).

#### **TWO 1,000-YARD RECEIVERS**

Rob Gronkowski (1,084) and Brandin Cooks (1,082) both reached 1,000 yards in 2017. It is the sixth time that the Patriots have had two players reach 1,000 yards in a season. Kansas City and Detroit were the only other teams in 2017 with two 1,000-yard receivers.

#### **TWO 1,000-YARD PATRIOTS RECEIVERS**

Year Players
2017Brandin Cooks (1,082) and Rob Gronkowski (1,084)
2011
2009Wes Welker (1,348) and Randy Moss (1,264)
2008Wes Welker (1,165) and Randy Moss (1,008)
2007Wes Welker (1,175) and Randy Moss (1,493)
1979Harold Jackson (1,013) and Stanley Morgan (1,002)

#### **TWO SCORE 2 RECEIVING TDS**

The Patriots had two players finish with two receiving touchdowns with WR Chris Hogan and WR Brandin Cooks each scoring on two passes in the win vs. Houston (9/24/17). It is the first time the Patriots have had two players finish with two touchdowns since Oct. 28, 2012, when TE Rob Gronkowski and WR Wes Welker each had two touchdown receptions against the Rams in London.

#### GAMES UNDER TOM BRADY WHERE THE PATRIOTS HAD TWO PLAYERS WITH AT LEAST TWO TOUCHDOWN RECEPTIONS

Game	Players With at Least Two Touchdown Receptions
Sept. 24, 2017 vs. Ho	buston Brandin Cooks (2) and Chris Hogan (2)
Oct. 28, 2012 at St. L	ouis
Sept. 25, 2011 at Bu	ffaloRob Gronkowski (2) and Wes Welker (2)
Nov. 25, 2010 at Det	roitDeion Branch (2) and Wes Welker (2)
Oct. 18, 2009 vs. Ten	nessee
Oct. 21, 2007 at Mia	miRandy Moss (2) and Wes Welker (2)





#### **BY THE NUMBERS**

The Patriots blocked kicks in three consecutive games in 2017 with Cassius Marsh blocking a FG vs. Atlanta (10/22/17), Lawrence Guy blocking a FG vs. LA Chargers (10/29/17) and Rex Burkhead blocking a punt at Denver (11/12/17).

4 The 2017 Patriots had four rookie free agents make the 53-man opening day roster - DL Adam Butler, OL Cole Croston, TE Jacob Hollister and LB Harvey Langi. It is the third-most rookie free agents in the Bill Belichick era. The Patriots had six rookie free agents make the team in 2013 and five in 2000.

# The 2017 Patriots defense finished the 2017 season by not allowing a fourth quarter touchdown in the final five games. In 14 of 16 games they allowed eight points or less in the fourth quarter.

**<u>6-2</u>** The 2017 Patriots finished with a 6-2 record against teams that had a winning record.

## The Patriots defense had six red zone takeaways in 2017, the most in the NFL. Baltimore was second with five.

<u>9</u> The Patriots are the only team that has made the playoffs in each of the last nine seasons (2009-17).

The Patriots scored in the final minute of the first half in 11 of 16 games in 2017.

From 2016-17, the Patriots had a streak of 14 straight road wins, second best in NFL history to the 18 straight road wins by San Francisco.

The Patriots have had a rookie free agent make the 53-man opening day roster for 15 straight seasons, the third-longest streak behind the Chargers (22) and Colts (20).

The Patriots have 18 first-team All-Pro selections via the draft since 2000, which ranks behind only Carolina (19) over that span.

The Patriots have gone 17 straight seasons without being swept by a division opponent after beating each of the AFC East teams in 2017, extending the longest such streak since the 1970 NFL merger.

The Patriots have won nine or more games in 17 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, first in the NFL. New Orleans is second with 16 such occurrences.

48 The Patriots finished tied with Philadelphia for first in the NFL with 48 offensive touchdown drives in 2017.

 51

 The Patriots are 51-13 (.797) against NFC teams since re-alignment in 2002, the best inter-conference record in the NFL during that time.

 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 this season vs. Carolina (10/1/17). **76** 

Rob Gronkowski and Tom Brady have connected on 75 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.

# TOM BRADY BY THE NUMBERS

Tom Brady has the lowest interception percentage since 2015 with a 1.1 percentage. He has thrown just 18 interceptions on 1,676 pass attempts during that time.

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.  $\underline{\mathbf{8}}$ 

Brady won his eighth conference title in 2017. He moved past DL Mike Lodish for the most Super Bowls played with seven in Super Bowl Ll. Lodish played in six (four with Buffalo and two with Denver).

# TOM BRADY BY THE NUMBERS

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

<u>16</u>

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

#### <u>19</u>

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

#### <u>90.2</u>

The percent of quarterback keepers converted by Brady (111 of 123) for first downs (84-of-92 on third-and-2 or less and 27-of-31 on fourth-and-2 or less).

#### <u>505</u>

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.

#### <u>4,577</u>

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

#### THE KRAFT ERA

#### <u>5</u>

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

#### <u>9</u>

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

#### <u>17</u>

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

#### <u>19</u>

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

#### <u>44</u>

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.

#### <u>266</u>

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

#### \_<u>299</u>

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 BELICHICK ERA

<u>3</u> Bill Belichick (279 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).

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.

<u>11</u>

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







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

Overall Record: 279-129 [.684] • Regular Season: 251-118 (.680) • Postseason: 28-11 (.718) With Patriots overall (2000-18): 242-84 (.742)

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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)

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 the 2007 season, 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.



#### 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 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.
- ★ 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 enters 2018 with 17-straight winning seasons, second-most behind Tom Landry with 20 (1966-85).
- ★ 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 12 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.
- ★ Belichick has five 14-win seasons, an NFL record. George Seifert is second with three 14-win seasons.

#### HIGHEST WINNING PCT.

Bill Belichick has recorded 279 career wins, which is third in NFL history. Belichick owns a career winning percentage of .684 which is the highest all-time, in NFL history.

TOP WINNING PERCENTAGE AMONG HEAD COACHES WITH	
AT LEAST 160 WINS (INCL. POSTSEASON)	

Head Coach	Team(s)	Years	w	L	Т	PCT.
1. Bill Belichick	. CLE/NE	. 1991-95,2000-18	3 279 .	129 .	.0.	.684
2. George Halas	Chicago	. 1920-29,33-41,46-55,5	58-67324	151.	.31 .	.682
3. Don Shula	$.BLT/MIA\ldots$	. 1963-95	347 .	173.	6.	.666
4. Curly Lambeau	.GB/CHI/WAS	.1921-53	229 .	134.	22.	.630
NOTE: Winning pe	rcentage calculated	using current NFL rules, c	ounting a tie as	a half-wir	n, half-	loss.

#### MOVING ON UP

Bill Belichick ranks third all-time in NFL history with 278 career wins. MOST WINS NFL COACHES

Head Coach	Team(s)	Years	W	LT
1. Don Shula	BLT/MIA	1963-95	347.	1736
2. George Halas	Chicago	1920-29, 33-41, 46-55, 58-67	324 .	151 31
3. Bill Belichick	CLE/NE	1991-95,2000-18	279	129 0
4. Tom Landry	Dallas	1960-88	270.	1786
5. Curly Lambeau.	GB/CHI/WAS	1921-53	229.	13422
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# **SUPER** SUCCESS

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

#### MOST SUPER BOWL VICTORIES

Head Coach	Team	Titles		Seasons
Bill Belichick .	. New England		. 2001, 2003, 2004	, 2014, 2016
Chuck Noll	Pittsburgh	4		, 1978, 1979
Joe Gibbs	Washington	3		, 1987, 1991
Bill Walsh	San Francisco	3		, 1984, 1988

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

#### **11 SB 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

<u>Head Coach</u>	Super Bowls
Bill Belichick	11 (eight as a head coach)
Dan Reeves	7 (four as a head coach)
Don Shula	6 (six as head coach)
Tom Landry	5 (five as a head coach)
Chuck Noll	5 (four as a head coach)
Marv Levy	5 (four as a head coach)





# BELICHICK

#### EIGHT 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	TEAM	#	SEASONS	SUPER BOWL APPEARANCES
Bill Belichick	New England	8	2001, 2003, 2004, 2007,	XXXVI, XXXVIII, XXXIX, XLII,
			2011, 2014, 2016, 2017	XLVI, XLIX, LI, LII
Don Shula	BLT/MIA	6	1968, 1971, 1972, 1973, 1982, 1984	·
Tom Landry	Dallas			
Joe Gibbs	Washington	4		XVII, XVIII, XXII, XXVI
Bud Grant	Minnesota	4		IV, VII, IX, XI
Marv Levy	Buffalo	4		XXV, XXVI, XXVII, XXVIII
Chuck Noll	Pittsburgh	4		IX, X, XIII, XIV
Dan Reeves	DEN/ATL	4		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.

#### HEAD COACHES WITH FOUR OR MORE NFL TITLES

<u>Coach</u>	NFL Titles	Championship Teams
George Halas .	6	Chicago(1921, 33, 40, 41, 46, 63)
Curly Lambeau	6	Green Bay(1929, 30, 31, 36, 39, 44)
Bill Belichick	5New	England (SB XXXVI, XXXVIII, XXXIX, XLIX, LI)
Vince Lombardi	5	Green Bay(1961, 62, 65, SB I, II)

#### POSTSEASON APPEARANCES

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)	<b>G</b> ames
Bill Belichick	CLE/NE	39
Tom Landry	. Dallas	36
Don Shula	. BLT/MIA	36
Chuck Noll	. 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	
Tom Landry	
Don Shula	
Chuck Noll	
John Madden	6
Bill Cowher	

#### MOST POSTSEASON WINS

Belichick earned his NFL-record 21st postseason victory after defeating the Indianapolis Colts in the AFC Championship Game on Jan. 18, 2015.

#### MOST PLAYOFF WINS BY AN NFL HEAD COACH

COACH	TEAM(S)	WINS
	.CLE/NE	28
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	L	PCT.
Vince Lombardi	GB/WAS	9.	1	900
Tom Flores	Oakland	8	3	727
Bill Belichick	CLE/NE	28.	. 11	718
Bill Walsh	San Francisco	10	4	714
Joe Gibbs	Washington	17	7	708
Jimmy Johnson	DAL/MIA	9	4	692

#### **POSTSEASON APPEARANCES**

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	Playoff Seasons
Don Shula	
Tom Landry	
Bill Belichick	

#### **DIVISION TITLES RECORD**

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







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#### MOST CONSEC. DIVISION TITLES

Belichick is the first NFL coach to lead his team to nine consecutive division titles after claiming the title 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

Head Coach	Team	Consec. Div. Titles (Years)
Bill Belichick	. New England	
Paul Brown	. Cleveland	6 (1950-1955)
Tom Landry	. Dallas	
Bud Grant	. Minnesota	6 (1973-1978)
Chuck Noll	. Pittsburgh	6 (1974-1979)

#### 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 where a team led by 25 points or more in NFL history, including the postseason. Teams leading by 25 have 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).

#### NFL COACHES RECORDS SINCE 2001

	NFL COACHES RECORDS SINCE 2001				
<u>Coach</u>	Team(s)	W	L	Т	Pct.
Bill Belichick	New England.		73.	0.	765
Tony Dungy	TB/IND		41 .	0.	711
Jim Harbaugh.	San Francisco .			1.	688
Bill Cowher	Pittsburgh			1.	665
Mike Tomlin	Pittsburgh		67 .	1.	648
Mike McCarthy	Green Bay		78 .	1.	628
Pete Carroll	Seattle			1.	619
Mike Martz	St. Louis			0.	613
Bruce Arians	Arizona			1.	608
Andy Reid	PHI/KC		116 .	1.	605
Dan Quinn	Atlanta			0.	
Sean Payton	New Orleans	112.	77 .	0.	

**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 279-129. He joins Don Shula and George Halas as the only coaches with 100 more wins than losses.

#### MOST WINS AMONG NFL COACHES

Head Coach	Team(s)	W	L	T
Don Shula	.BLT/MIA.		. 173	6
George Halas	. Chicago		. 151	
Bill Belichick	CLE/NE	279	129	0

#### 200 WINS WITH PATS

Belichick now has 215 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	L	<u> </u>
George Halas	Chicago	318	148	31
Don Shula	Miami	257	133	2
Tom Landry	Dallas	250		6
Bill Belichick	. New England		74	0
Curly Lambeau	Green Bay	209	104	21
Chuck Noll	Pittsburgh	193	148	1

#### **BETTER THAN AVERAGE**

Belichick has led the Patriots to 17 straight seasons with a winning record (2001-2017), second all-time behind Tom Landry (1966-85), whose Dallas Cowboys accomplished the feat 20 times from 1966-85.

#### MOST CONSECUTIVE SEASONS WITH A WINNING RECORD

Head Coach	Team	Years
Tom Landry	.Dallas	. 20 - 1966-1985
Bill Belichick	New England	.17 - 2001-2017
Curly Lambeau .	.Green Bay	. 14 - 1934-1947
Curly Lambeau .	.Green Bay	. 12 - 1921-1932
George Halas	.Chicago	. 10 - 1933-1942
John Madden	.Oakland	. 10 - 1969-1978

#### CAREER MILESTONE

Belichick is just the sixth NFL head coach to reach 200 career regular-season victories and his 251 regular-season wins are the third-most regular season wins all-time.

#### MOST REGULAR-SEASON WINS, NFL HEAD COACHES

Head Coach	Team(s)	W	L	<u> </u>
Don Shula	.BLT/MIA	328	156.	6
George Halas	. Chicago	. 318	148.	6
Bill Belichick	. CLE/NE	.251	118.	O
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	Т	Win Pct.
Mike McCarthy	Green Bay	. 51 .	21	.1.	705
George Allen	L.A. Rams/WAS	. 42 .	18	.2.	700
Bud Grant	Minnesota	. 69 .	31	.1.	688
Tom Landry	Dallas	.101.	46	.Ο.	687
Bill Belichick	CLE/NE	99 .	51	.0.	666
Marty Schottenheimer	CLE/KC/SD/WAS	. 95 .	51	.Ο.	651

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Tom Landry	.Dallas	
	.CLE/NE	
Dan Reeves	.DEN/NYG/ATL	
Marty Schottenheimer	.CLE/KC/SD/WAS	95

#### 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 (2007-589, 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).

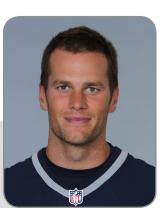






#### CAREER NOTES

Tom Brady has quarterbacked the Patriots to victories in 197 of his 252 career regular-season starts, compiling a .782 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 35 touchdowns 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 224 career victories (regular season and postseason) and needs two wins to move past Adam Vinatieri (225) for the most wins all-time by an NFL player.
- ★ Brady enters 2018 with 13 regular-season wins at age 40 or older, tied with Brett Favre for the NFL record.
- ★ Brady has 562 touchdowns overall (491 in the regular season and 71 in the postseason) and needs 18 touchdown passes to move past Peyton Manning (579) to become the all-time leader in touchdown passes.
- ✤ Brady has thrown touchdowns to 69 different players in his career, one behind Vinny Testaverde's NFL-record 70 different TD targets.
- ★ Brady is tied with Drew Brees for third all-time with 491 regular season touchdowns and needs nine touchdowns to become the third player to reach 500 touchdowns. He would join (Peyton Manning-539) and (Brett Favre-508).

#### **RECORDING SUCCESS**

TOP WINNING PERCENTAGE IN SUPER BOWL ERA

(Since 1966, Minimum 50 Starts, Regular Season Only							
Player	Team(s)	Years	W	L	Т	Pct.	
1. Tom Brady	New England.	2000-18 .	197 .		. 0.	782	
2. Roger Staubac	hDallas	1969-79	85	. 29 .	0	746	
3. Joe Montana	SF/KC	1979-94		.47.	0	713	

#### ACTIVE QUARTERBACKS WINNING PERCENTAGE

Minimum 32 Starts (two full seasons), Regular Season Only							
Quarterback	Team(s)	W	L	Т	Pct.		
1. Tom Brady	New England	.197	.55	.0.	.782		
2. Ben Roethlisberger	Pittsburgh	.135	. 63	. 1 .	681		
3. Russell Wilson	Seattle	65	. 31	. 1 .	675		
4. Dak Prescott	Dallas	22	. 11	. 0 .	667		
5. Aaron Rodgers	Green Bay	95	. 48	. 0 .	664		
6. Andrew Luck	Indianapolis .	43	. 28	. 0 .	605		
7. Joe Flacco	Baltimore	93	. 62	. 0 .	600		
8. Matt Ryan	Atlanta	95	. 64	. 0 .	597		
9. Andy Dalton	Cincinnati	64	. 44	. 2 .	590		
10. Alex Smith	SF/KC/WAS	5.89	. 62	. 1 .	589		

#### **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.

#### WHAT TO LOOK FOR IN 2018

- ★ Brady has 66,436 career passing yards. He needs 3,564 yards to become the fourth QB in NFL history with 70,000 career passing yards.
- ★ Brady has 82 300-yard games and needs eight more to become the third NFL player with 90 300-yard games, joining Drew Brees (110) and Peyton Manning (93).
- ★ Brady is tied with seven other NFL players with two games with six or more touchdowns and needs one 6-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 also leads with 10 Player of the Month honors.
- ★ Brady leads the NFL with 55 career games with three touchdown passes and no interceptions.
- ★ Brady has started 252 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 254 regular season games, which is fifth all-time 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 is in his 19th season in 2018 with the Patriots. He joins Jim Marshall (19-Minnesota), Bruce Matthews (19-Houston/Tennessee), Darrell Green (20-Washington), Jackie Slater (20-LA Rams) and Jason Hanson (21-Detroit) as the only players with at least 19 seasons played with one NFL team.
- ★ 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.

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#### ALL-TIME WINS LEADER

#### MOST CAREER WINS BY A STARTING NFL QUARTERBACK (Including Playoffs)

Quarterback	Team(s)	Wins	_
Tom Brady	. New England	224 (197 reg. season/27 postseaso	m)
Peyton Manning	IND/DEN	200 [186 reg. season/14 postseaso	n)
Brett Favre	ATL/GB/NYJ/MIN	199 (186 reg. season/13 postseaso	n)
John Elway		162 [148 reg. season/14 postseasor	1)

#### MOST GAMES OVER .500

(Including Playoffs)

Quarterback	Games Over .500	W	L	Т
Tom Brady		224	65	0
	108			

#### NEARING OVERALL WINS M

Brady's 224 career wins are an NFL record by a quarterback and second alltime behind Adam Vinatieri. A win this week against the Jaguars will move him into a tie for the most wins by an NFL player.

#### MOST WINS BY AN NFL PLAYER (Including Playoffs)

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Player	Wins
Adam Vinatieri	225
Tom Brady	. 224
George Blanda	218
Jerry Rice	211
Gary Anderson	
Peyton Manning	201
Brett Favre	
Morten Andersen	194

#### PILING UP THE WINS

#### MOST REGULAR SEASON WINS BY A QB IN NFL HISTORY (Regular Season Only)

Name	W	L	Т	PCT.
Tom Brady	197		0	782
Brett Favre	. 186	112	0	624
Peyton Manning	. 186	79	0	702
John Elway	. 148.	82	1	643
Dan Marino	. 147.	93	0	613
Drew Brees	. 142.	107	0	
Ben Roethlisberger	. 135.	63	1	681
Fran Tarkenton	. 124.	109	6	531
Johnny Unitas	. 119.	64	4	647
Joe Montana	. 117.	47	0	713

#### **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
Peyton Manning		2003, 04, 08, 09, 13
Tom Brady		
Jim Brown		
Brett Favre		
Johnny Unitas		

#### NFL FRANCHISE WINS LEAD

Brady has 197 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).

#### MOST WINS AS A STARTING QB FOR ONE TEAM

Player	Team	Wins
Tom Brady		
Brett Favre		
John Elway	Denver	
Dan Marino	Miami	
Peyton Manning	Indianapolis	

#### RECORD TITLE HOLDER

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

<u>Quarterback</u>	Division Titles
Tom Brady	
Peyton Manning	
Joé Montana	

#### BRADY'S COMEBACKS

Brady has engineered 54 career game-winning performances to lead his team to a victory from a fourth guarter deficit or tie.

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#### **42 GAME-WINNING DRIVES**

Brady has 42 game-winning drives in the fourth guarter or overtime in the regular season.

MOST GAME WINNING D								
(Regular Season Since 1970) Player Team(s) 4th Qtr Game-Winning Drives								
Player	Team(s)	4th Utr Game-Winning	Drives					
Peyton Manning	. IND/DEN		54					
Dan Marino	. Miami		47					
Brett Favre	. GB/NYJ/N	1IN	43					
Tom Brady	.New Englar	nd	42					
Drew Brees	. SD/NO		41					
John Elway	Denver		40					
Warren Moon	. HOU/MIN/	SEA/KC	35					

#### COMEBACK KID

MOST WINS BY A QB AFTER TRAILING BY 10+ POINTS - SINCE 2000

(Including Playoffs) Player Wins

Tom Brady	
Peyton Manning	
Eli Manning	20
Ben Roethlisberger	
Drew Brees	18

#### **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

<u>Player</u>	Team	Consecutive Division Titles (Years)
Tom Brady	New England	1
Fran Tarkenton	Minnesota	

#### NEL RECORD FOR MOST DIVISION TITLES

<b>Division Titles</b>
9
8
7
7

#### A WINNING COMPARISON

Tom Brady has won 27 postseason games. Only five NFL franchises have won more playoff games than Brady: 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

Overall	REG. SEASON 197-55	PLAYOFFS	
	108-18		
Road:		8-6*	97-43
By Yardage Tota	al		
Less than 200:.			41-17
200-299:			104-30
300 or more:		10-4	78-18
Other Records			
	124-19		
Temp Below 40:			54-8
Thanksgiving or I	ater: 74-18		101-28
Leading at Halfti	me: 153-17		171-21
Leading after 3 (	Strs: 165-10	17-3	182-13
Overtime:			11-4
Passer rating >1	00.0: 112-7		126-8
*-Includes eight Supe	r 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.

12/3/07at BaltimoreW27-24The Patriots trailed 24-20 when Brady threw an 8-yard touchdown to JabarGaffney 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.

#### <u>10/16/11</u> 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.

10/13/13vs. New OrleansW30-27The 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 CAREER RECORD

Tom Brady's career record is excellent no matter which division or conference foe he is facina.

Re	ecord vs. AFC East:	. 75-19
Re	ecord vs. rest of AFC :	. 74-22
Re	ecord vs. NFC:	. 49-14

#### WINNINGEST COACH/QB TANDEM

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

#### WINNINGEST COACH/QB TANDEMS SINCE 1970

(Regular Season Only – E	ly Winnin	g Perce	entage	)	
Quarterback/Head Coach	Team	W	L	Т	Pct.
Tom Brady/Bill Belichick	. NE	.197.	. 55	. O .	782
Peyton Manning/Tony Dungy	IND	85 .	. 27	. O .	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	Ĺ	Т	Pct.
Tom Brady/Bill Belichick	. NE	. 197	55	. O.	782
Dan Marino/Don Shula	MIA	116.	. 68	0.	.630
Terry Bradshaw/Chuck Noll	PIT	107.	. 51	0.	677

#### MOST WINS IN 200 STARTS

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

#### MOST WINS BY A STARTING QB THROUGH 200 STARTS

Guarterback	vvins	Inrougn 200 S	<u>tarts</u>
Tom Brady			155
Peyton Manning			136
Dan Marino			125
John Elway			124





#### NO PLACE LIKE HOME

Brady made his 100th career home start against Chicago on Oct. 26, 2014. The win over Chicago 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 (Mini

(Minimum 40 Starts)				
Player	Team	W	L	PCT.
Tom Brady	. New England .	. 108 .	18	856
Terry Bradshaw	. Pittsburgh	67	12	848
Roger Staubach	. Dallas	49	10	831
John Elway	. Denver	95	23	805
Aaron Rodgers	. Green Bay	57	14	803
Joe Flacco	. BAL	59	19	756

#### BEST HOME STARTING RECORDS

(Including Playoffs)

Player	Team	W	L	PCT.
Tom Brady	. New England	127	21	.858
Terry Bradshaw	. Pittsburgh	75	14.	843
John Elway	Denver	104	25 .	806

#### BEST HOME REGULAR-SEASON RECORD IN FIRST 100 STARTS

Player	Team	W	L	PCT.
Tom Brady		87 .	13	.870
Brett Favre	. Green Bay	.82.	18	820
John Elway	. Denver	.77.	23	770
Peyton Manning	. Indianapolis	.74.	26	740

#### HOME FIELD ADVANTAGE I

Brady won his 100th regular season 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 102 wins at Gillette Stadium. John Elway is next with 95 wins at Mile High Stadium.

#### HOME FIELD ADVANTAGE II

Brady is 71-8 overall at home in the regular season since 2007. That is more wins than five teams have (home and away) combined during that span.

Team	Wins Since 2007
Tampa Bay.	
Oakland	

Jacksonville6	4
Los Angeles Rams5	8
Cleveland4	8

#### 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 Su	uperdome 234
Tom Brady .	New England	d Gillette Stadium.	
Brett Favre	GB/MIN	Lambeau Field	

#### **ROAD WINNER**

The win over Denver on Nov. 12, 2017 was Brady's 86th road victory, breaking a tie with Peyton Manning (85) for the most in NFL history. Brady now has 89 road wins, including a 7-1 road record in 2017.

#### **UNDEFEATED AGAINST 7**

Brady is undefeated against seven teams - Atlanta (5-0), Chicago (4-0), Dallas (4-0), Detroit (4-0), Jacksonville (5-0), Minnesota (4-0) and Tampa Bay (4-0). Brady is most successful against Buffalo, with a 28-3 career record and the non-divisional team he has beaten the most is Indianapolis (10-3).1

#### BRADY BEATS BUFFALO

Brady owns a 28-3 record against the Buffalo Bills. Brady's 28 wins are most ever by a quarterback against a single team.

#### MOST WINS BY A STARTING QUARTERBACK AGAINST AN OPPONENT

(Regula	r Season Unlyj
Player	Wins
Tom Brady	.28 wins against Buffalo
	. 26 wins against Detroit
Tom Brady	.25 wins against New York Jets
	. 23 wins against Chicago
Dan Marino	. 22 wins against Indianapolis
ONE OF FOUR W	ITH 500 TOTAL TDS

Brady is second in NFL history in all-time touchdown passes (regular season and playoffs) and ranks first for most touchdowns with one team.

#### ALL-TIME TOUCHDOWN PASS LEADERS (Including Playoffs)

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<u>Player</u>	Years	Team(s)	<u>Total TD</u>	Reg. Season	<u>Playoffs</u>
Peyton Manning	1998-2015	IND/DEN		539	40
Tom Brady	.2000-Present	New England.	562	491	71
Brett Favre	1991-2010	ATL/GB/NYJ/MIN		508	44
Drew Brees	2001-present .	SD/NO		491	29
Dan Marino	1983-1999	Miami	452	420	32
Ben Roethlisberger	2004-present .	Pittsburgh	360	330	30
Eli Manning	2004-present .	N.Y. Giants	357	339	18
Philip Rivers	2004-present .	LA Chargers	356	345	11
Fran Tarkenton .	1961-1978	MIN/NYG	353	342	11
Aaron Rodgers .	2005-present .	Green Bay	352	316	36

#### MOST TOUCHDOWN PASSES WITH ONE TEAM

(Including Playoffs)					
Player	Years	Team	Total TD	Reg. Season	<b>Playoffs</b>
T. Brady	.2000-Present	.New England	1562		
B. Favre	. 1992-2007	.Green Bay		442	
D. Marino	. 1983-1999	.Miami		420	
D. Brees	. 2006-present	.New Orlear	ıs438.	411	
P. Manning	. 1998-2010	.Indianapolis	s428.	399	29

#### **NEARING 500-TD CLUB**

Tom Brady is tied for third in NFL history with 491 career touchdown passes.

#### MOST CAREER TOUCHDOWN PASSES (Regular Season Only)

<u>Player</u>	<u>Touchdowns</u>
Peyton Manning	539
Brett Favre	508
Tom Brady	
Drew Brees	
Dan Marino	



# 65.000 YAR

Tom Brady (66,436) became the fourth NFL player to reach 65,000 passing yards and is fourth all-time on the NFL's passing list. He reached 65,000 passing yards in the win at Buffalo on Dec. 3, 2017

Player	Team(s)	Passing Yards
1. Peyton Manning	IND/DEN	
2. Brett Favre	GB/NYJ/MIN.	
3. Drew Brees	SD/NO	
4. Tom Brady	New England	
5. Dan Marino	Miami	61,361
6. Eli Manning	N.Y. Giants	
7. John Elway	Denver	
8. Ben Roethlisberger	Pittsburgh	
9. Philip Rivers	SD/LAC	
10. Warren Moon	HOU/MIN/SEA	/KC







#### THIRD IN TOTAL YARDS

Brady sits third all-time in NFL history with a combination of passing yards in regular season and postseason as well as regular-season rushing yards and playoff rushing yards s well as receiving yards.

#### NFL ALL-TIME LEADERS FOR TOTAL YARDS

(Including Playoffs)

<u>Player</u>	<u>Total Yards</u>
Peyton Manning	79,978
Brett Favre	
Tom Brady	77,831
Drew Brees	
Dan Marino	65.953

#### THIRD-HIGHEST QB RATING

Brady owns the third-highest QB rating in NFL history.

#### HIGHEST QB RATING IN NFL HISTORY

<u>Player</u>	Team(s)	Years	Rating
Aaron Rodgers	Green Bay	2005-18	104.0
Russell Wilson	Seattle	2012-18	98.7
Tom Brady	. New England	2000-18	97.6
Tony Romo	Dallas	2004-16	97.1
Drew Brees	SD/NO	2001-18	96.9
Steve Young	TB/SF	1985-99	96.8
Peyton Manning	IND/DEN	1998-2015	
Philip Rivers	LA Chargers	2004-18	94.9

#### **BRADY 300-YARD GAMES**

Brady has 82 NFL games with 300 or more yards passing and the Patriots are 68-14 in those games. He is one of three players with at least 80 300-yard games.

#### NFL QUARTERBACK 300-YARD GAMES

Player	300-Yard Games
Drew Brees	
Peyton Manning	
Tom Brady	
Dan Marino	63
Brett Favre	62
Philip Rivers	58

Brady had a career-best 11 300-yard games in the 2011 season, 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.

#### MOST PASS COMPLETIONS IN NFL HISTORY

Player	<u>Completions</u>
Brett Favre	6,300
Drew Brees	
Peyton Manning	
Tom Brady	5,655
Dan Marino	

#### 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.

#### **QBS WITH THE MOST 35+ PASSING TOUCHDOWNS IN NFL HISTORY**

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

#### TOUCHDOWN TOM

Brady has seven 30-touchdown seasons overall. The only other Patriots quarterback to have a 30-touchdown season was 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 TOUCHDOW	
Player	30-TD Seasons
Brett Favre	
Peyton Manning	
Drew Brees	
Tom Brady	7
Aaron Rodgers	
Philip Rivers	
Dan Marino	
Tony Romo	4
Eli Manning	
Kurt Warner	

CONSECUTIVE 30 TOUCHDOWN SEASONS		
<b>Player</b>	Consec. 30-TD Season	S
Drew Brees 9 (2008-2016)		

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Brett Favre	5 (1994-98)
	5 (2009-10, 12-14)
Tom Brady	3 (2010-2012)
Dan Marino	3 (1984-86)
Dan Marino	

#### **ECLIPSING 3K**

Brady reached 3,000 passing yards in 2017 for the 15th time.

#### MOST 3,000-YARD SEASONS

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Player	3,00-Yard Seasons
Brett Favre .	
Peyton Mann	ning
Tom Brady .	
Dan Marino .	13
Eli Manning .	
4.000-Y/	ARD SEASONS

Brady [4,577] reached 4,000 yards in 2017 for the ninth time in his career.

#### ALL-TIME 4,000 YARD PASSING SEASONS

Player 4,00-Yard Seasons
Peyton Manning
Drew Brees12
Tom Brady 9
Philip Rivers
Matthew Stafford7
Matt Ryan7
Brett Favre
Eli Manning6
Dan Marino 6
Carson Palmer 6
Aaron Rodgers 6

#### PATRIOTS TOP PASSING YARDS/SEASON

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<u>Player</u>	Year	Yards
Tom Brady		5,235
Tom Brady		4,827
Tom Brady		4,806
Tom Brady		4,770
Tom Brady	2017	4,577
Drew Bledsoe .		4,555
Tom Brady	2009	4,398
Tom Brady	2013	4,343
Tom Brady		4,110
Tom Brady		4,109
	1996	

#### A GOOD RATIO

Brady ranks first in touchdown-to-interception ratio among quarterbacks with 400 career TD passes. He ranks second in TD-to-INT ratio overall, behind only Aaron Rodgers (4.05).

BRADY TOPS 400 CLUB IN TD/INT RATIO	
NFL All-Time Rank in Parentheses	

Player	Touchdowns	Interceptions	Ratio
Tom Brady	. 491 (3t)		3.05 (2)
Peyton Manning	. 539 (1)		2.15 (8)
Drew Brees	.491 (3t)		2.15 (7)
Dan Marino	.420 (5)		67 (26)
Brett Favre	. 508 (2)		51 (35)

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#### **ELITE COMPANY**

Brady (252 starts in the regular season 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 regular-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 surpassed Dan Marino, who had 184 career starts under head coach Don Shula. Brady now has 252 career starts under Belichick.

#### FRANCHISE LEADING PASSER

#### PATRIOTS ALL-TIME LEADING PASSERS

Player	Years	ATT	COMP	YDS
Tom Brady	2000-18	8,844	5,655	66,436
Drew Bledsoe .		4,518	2,544	29,657
Steve Grogan		3,593	1,879	26,886

#### **NO GAMES OFF**

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

#### MOST GAMES PLAYED IN PATRIOTS HISTORY

#### 200-PLUS STARTS

Brady is one of 10 NFL quarterbacks with at least 200 career starts in the regular season.

#### MOST NFL STARTS BY AN NFL QUARTERBACK

Player	Team(s)	<b>Starts</b>
	.GB/ŇÝJ/MIN	
Peyton Manning	.IND/DEN	265
Tom Brady	. New England	252
Drew Brees	.SD/NO	249
Dan Marino	. Miámi	240
Fran Tarkenton	. MIN/NYG	239
	. Denver	
Eli Manning	. N.Y. Giants	215
	.TB/CLE/BAL/DAL/CAR	
	.HÓU/MIN/SÉA/KĆ	

#### SECOND WITH 200 STARTS

Brady (252) 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 Week 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 named Offensive Player of the Month for November in 2017. It is his 10th Player of the Month award, the most in NFL history. Peyton Manning is second with eight.

#### CAREER PLAYER OF THE WEEK AWARDS

<u>Player</u>	Years	Team(s)	POW Awards
Tom Brady	.2000-present	. New England .	30
Peyton Manning	. 1998-2015	IND/DEN	
Dan Marino	. 1983-1999	Miami	
Brett Favre	. 1991-2010	GB/NYJ/MIN	
John Elway	. 1983-1998	Denver	

#### PER GAME AVERAGE

#### NFL PLAYERS TO AVG. 250 YARDS PER GAME (Minimum 50 Games)

Player	Team(s)	Yards/Game
Drew Brees	SD/NO	
Matthew Stafford	Detroit	
Peyton Manning	IND/DEN	
Matt Ryan	Atlanta	
Tom Brady	New England	1
Kurt Warner	STL/ARI	
Aaron Rodgers	Green Bay	258.6
Philip Rivers	SD/L.A. Cha	rgers 257.7
Ben Roethlisberger.	Pittsburgh	
Carson Palmer	CIN/OAK/A	RI 254.1
Dan Marino	Miami	

#### SIX TD PERFORMANCES

Brady has thrown six touchdowns in a game two times and is one of eight 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		
<u>Player</u>	Team(s)	6+ TD Games
Peyton Manning	IND/DEN3	(Two 6 TD games and one 7 TD Game)
George Blanda	Houston	
Y.A. Tittle	N.Y. Giants	2 (1 game with 7 and 1 with 6 TDs)
Drew Brees	New Orleans	2 (1 game with 7 and 1 with 6 TDs)
Tom Brady	New England	
Charley Johnson	St. Louis Cardina	als2 games with 6 touchdowns
Ben Roethlisberger	Pittsburgh	
Aaron Rodgers	Green Bay	

#### MOST 5 TD PERFORMANCES

MOST CAREER GAM	IES WITH FIVE "	TOUCHDOWN PASSES
<u>Player</u>	Team(s)	5-TD Games
Drew Brees	SD/NO	10
Peyton Manning	IND/DEN	9
Tom Brady	New Englan	d6
Dan Marino	Miami	6

#### **28 CAREER 4-TD GAMES**

Brady has thrown four or more touchdowns in 28 games - 22 four-TD games, four five-TD games and two six-TD games. The Patriots are 27-1 when Brady throws four or more TD passes. He has two 4-TD games in 2017.

MOST GAMES WITH 4+ TOUCHDOWN PASSES			
Player	Team(s)	4+ TD Games	
Peyton Manning	. IND/DEN		
Drew Brees	. SD/NO		
Tom Brady	New England	1	
Brett Favre	. GB/NYJ/MI	N23	
Dan Marino	. Miami		
Aaron Rodgers	. Green Bay		
MOST GAMES WITH	4+ TDS AND	NO INTERCEPTIONS	
Player	Team(s)	Games	
Tom Brady	New England	1	
Drew Brees	. SD/NO		
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Peyton Manning IND/DEN
Aaron Rodgers Green Bay
Brett Favre GB/NYJ/MIN

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#### 300 YARDS, 4 TDS & O 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 18 such games by Drew Brees.

#### 3 TD & 0 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	
Drew Brees	. SD/NO	
Aaron Rodgers	. Green Bay	
Brett Favre	. GB/NYJ/MI	N

#### PASSING TO WIN

#### BEST NFL RECORDS FOR A QB WITH 50 OR MORE PASS ATTEMPTS

(Including Playoffs)		
<u>Player</u>	Team(s)	Record
Tom Brady	New England	19-9 (6-2 in postseason)
Dan Marino	. Miami	5-11
Drew Brees		
Peyton Manning	. IND/DEN.	

#### **RECORD FOR ATTEMPTS BETWEEN INTS**

Brady attempted 358 consecutive regular-season passes without an interception, a streak spanning from Oct. 17, 2010 to Sept. 12, 2011. Brady eclipsed Bernie Kosar's record on Dec. 26, 2010 at Buffalo.

#### MOST CONSECUTIVE PASS ATTEMPTS WITHOUT AN INTERCEPTION

Player	Team	Season(s)	Att
Tom Brady	New England	2010-11	358
Alex Smith	Kansas City		312
Bernie Kosar	Cleveland	1990-91	308
Drew Brees	New Orleans	2015-16	305
Bart Starr	Green Bay	1964-65	294
Alex Smith	Kansas City	2016-17	292

#### SPREADING THE WEALTH

Brady connected with WR Phillip Dorsett on a 4-yard touchdown pass in the second quarter of the win over Houston (09/09/18). Brady has thrown a touchdown pass to 69 different players.

MOST TOUCHDOW	N TARGETS BY AN	NFL QUARTERBACK
<u>Quarterback</u>	Team(s)	TD Targets
Vinny Testaverde	TB/CLE/BAL/C	AL/CAR
Tom Brady	New England	
Steve DeBerg	SF/DEN/TB/KC	C/ATL62
Brett Favre	GB/NYJ/MIN .	

#### 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			
<u>Player/Team</u>	Age at Last Start	Date of Last Start	
Steve DeBerg/ATL	. 44 years, 9 mos	10/25/1998 at NYJ	
Warren Moon/KC	44 years, 0 mos	11/26/2000 at SD	
Vinny Testaverde/CAR	44 years, 0 mos	12/9/2007 at JAX	
Doug Flutie/SD	42 years, 2 mos	1/2/2005 vs. KC	
Earl Morrall/MIA	41 years, 6 mos	12/1/1975 vs. NE	
Brett Favre/MIN	41 years, 2 mos	12/20/2010 vs. CHI	
Tom Brady/NE	. 41 years, 1 mos	02/04/18 vs. PHI	
Len Dawson/KC	40 years, 5 mos	12/7/1975 vs. SD	
Vince Evans/OAK	40 years, 5 mos	12/3/1995 vs. KC	
Johnny Unitas/SD	40 years, 5 mos	10/7/1973 at PIT	
Matt Hasselbeck/IND	40 years, 3 mos	12/27/2015 at MIA	
Sonny Jurgensen/WAS	40 years, 3 mos	12/15/1974 vs. CHI	
Brad Johnson/DAL	. 40 years, 1 mos	11/2/2008 at NYG	
* In NFL history, 13 othe	r QBs aged 40+ have starte	ed at least 1 game.	

#### STARTING QUARTERBACKS AT AGE 40-OR-OLDER

INFL HISTORY			
Player	W-L	TD-INT	Rating
Tom Brady	14-3		102.7
Brett Favre	13-12		90.2
Warren Moon	11-14		80.4
Vinny Testaverde			72.3
Matt Hasselbeck			84.0
Doug Flutie		10-4	80.4
Sonny Jurgensen			94.5
Charlie Conerly			61.8
Earl Morrall			74.2
Len Dawson			90.0
Vince Evans			71.5
Brad Johnson			50.5
Johnny Unitas			40.0
Steve DeBerg			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. Brett Favre in 2009 turned 40 on Oct. 10 and led the Vikings to eight wins in their 12-win season after turning 40. 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. He moved past Brett Favre (25 in 2009 after he turned 40 in October of that year with Minnesota) and Warren Moon (25 with Seattle in 1997).

Brady led the NFL with 4,577 yards passing in 2017 to become the oldest quarterback to lead the NFL.. The previous oldest player to lead the league in passing was Fran Tarkenton with 3,468 yards in 1978 at age 38. Brady moved past Warren Moon (1997 with 3,678) for the most passing yards in a single season by a 40-year old quarterback

MOST PASSING	YARDS BY A PLAY	ER AT AGE 40
Player	Year	Yards
Tom Brady		4,577
Warren Moon		3,678
Vinny Testaverde .		3,532
Brett Favre		3,365







## SIX STRAIGHT WITH NO PICKS

Brady ended a streak of six straight games without an interception at Tampa Bay (10/5/17). To that point he had thrown 264 straight passes without an interception.

#### BRADY'S MOST CONSECUTIVE STARTS WITHOUT AN INT.

 Player
 Consec. Starts Without an INT
 Dates

 Tom Brady.
 11\*
 10/24/10 - 01/02/11

 Tom Brady.
 6.
 12/18/16 - 10/05/17

 \*NFL Record
 12
 18

BRADY'S CONSECUTIVE PASSES WITHOUT AN INTERCEPTION

<u>Player</u>	Consec. Passes Without an INT	Dates
Tom Brady		(10/17/10-9/12/11)
Tom Brady		(12/12/16-10/05/17)
Tom Brady		(10/14/12-12/02/12)
Tom Brady		(12/21/14-10/18/15)
Tom Brady		(09/16/12-10/14/12)
*NFL Record	1	

#### THE BRADY SIX

Brady was the seventh quarterback selected in the 2000 NFL Draft

QL	QUARTERBACKS TAKEN IN THE 2000 NFL DRAFT					
Rd	Pick	Player	Taken By			
1	18.	Chad Pennington	N.Y. Jets			
З	65.	Giovanni Carmazzi .	San Francisco			
З	75.	Chris Redman				
5	163 .	Tee Martin	Pittsburgh			
6	168 .	Marc Bulger	New Orleans			
6	. 183.	Spergon Wynn	Cleveland			

# BRADY SINGLE- SEASON NOTES

## BRADY HAS LOW INT PCT.

Brady threw just two interceptions in 432 pass attempts in 2016 for an interception PCT of 0.46, fourth best ever 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 .		0.41
Josh McCown	. Chicago	2013 .		0.45
Tom Brady	.New England	. 2016	432-2	0.46
David Garrard	. Jacksonville	2005 .	168-1	0.60
Nick Foles	. Philadelphia	2013 .		0.63
Joe Ferguson	. Buffalo	1976 .	151-1	0.66
Sam Bradford	. Minnesota	2016 .	519-4	0.77
Tom Brady	.New England	. 2010	492-4	0.81
Dak Prescott	. Dallas	2016 .		0.87
Steve DeBerg	. Kansas City	1990 .		0.90
Sam Bradford	. Minnesota	2016.		0.90

#### **50 TD PASSES**

Brady threw 50 touchdown passes in 2007.

#### QUARTERBACKS WITH 45 OR MORE TOUCHDOWN PASSES IN A SEASON

<u>Player</u>	Team	Year	TD Passes
Peyton Manning	Denver	2013	
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

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## SINGLE SEASON PASSING LEADERS

Brady owns nine of the 11 4,000-yard passing seasons in Patriots history.

#### PATRIOTS TOP PASSING YARDS/SEASON

Player	Year	<u>Yards</u>
Tom Brady	2011	. 5,235
Tom Brady	2012	.4,827
Tom Brady	2007	. 4,806
Tom Brady	2015	.4,770
Tom Brady	2017	. 4,577
Drew Bledsoe	. 1994	. 4,555
Tom Brady	2009	. 4,398
Tom Brady	2013	. 4,343
Tom Brady	2005	.4,110
Tom Brady	2014	. 4,109
Drew Bledsoe	. 1996	. 4,086

## **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	2011	5,235
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 set a career high in completions in 2015 with 402. Brady's previous best was 401 completions in 2011 and 2012. Brady [3] joins 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.

#### BEST SINGLE-SEASON TD/INT RATION IN NFL HISTORY (Minimum of 20 TD Passes)

<u>Player</u>	Team	Year	TD/INT	Ratio
Tom Brady	. New England	2016		. 14.00
Nick Foles	Philadelphia	2013		13.50
Tom Brady	New England	2010	36/4	9.00
Aaron Rodgers	Green Bay	2014		7.60
Aaron Rodgers	Green Bay	2011	45/6	7.50
Tom Brady	New England	2007		6.25

# 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 (9/17/17).

Yards	Game			Half
367	.vs. San Francisco (12/	16/1	12]	2nd half
345	.vs. Tennessee (10/18,	/09)		1st half
323	.vs. Cleveland (12/08/	13) [		2nd half
306	.at Miami (9/12/11).			2nd half
302	at New Orleans (9/17)	/171		1st half







## **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 at New York Giants 76t (4Q) Rob Gronkowski 54(4Q) Brandon LaFell

10/30/16 at 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 at Oakland 52 (2Q) Brandin Cooks 64t (3Q) Brandin Cooks

## **TOP-5 PASSING GAMES**

MOST	PASSING YAR	DS IN A G	SAME II	<b>V PATRI</b>	OTS HIS	STORY	
Player	Date	Орр	Att	Cmp	Yds	TD	Int
Tom Brady	.9/12/11	MIA	48	. 32	. 517 .	4	1
Tom Brady	.9/20/15	BUF	59	. 38	. 466 .	3	0
Tom Brady	.9/17/17	NO	39	. 30	. 447 .	3	0
Tom Brady	. 12/16/12	SF	65	. 36	. 443 .	1	2
Tom Brady	. 11/03/13	PIT	33	. 23	. 432 .	4	0
Drew Bledsoe	11/13/94	MIN	. 70		. 426	3	0
Drew Bledsoe	11/23/98	MIA	. 54		. 423	2	2
Tom Brady	.9/18/11	SD	40	. 31	. 423 .	3	0

## SPREADING THE WEALTH

Brady completed passes to 10 different receivers in the win at Buffalo (10/12/14). It was the 10th time in his career he has completed passes to 10 different receivers in a game and the first time since 12/8/13 vs. Cleveland.

## NIFTY 50

Brady and the Patriots knocked off Jacksonville, 51-17, on Sept. 27, 2015, the eighth time that New England scored at least 50 points in a game started by Brady, the most 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







## 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: PO	DSTSEASON	TOUCHDOWN PASSES

Player		TDs
Tom Brady	.New England	
	.SF/KC	
	.GÉ/MIN	
Peyton Manning	.IND/DEN	40
Aaron Rodgers	.Green Bay	
	.Miami	
Kurt Warner	.STL/ARZ	

#### NFL ALL-TIME LEADERS: POSTSEASON TD PASSES, SINGLE GAME

Player	Team	Game	TDs
Tom Brady	NE	. AFC-D: NE vs. DEN (1/14/12)	6
Daryle Lamonica.	. OAK	. AFC-D: OAK vs. HOU (12/21/69)	6
Steve Young	. SF	. SB: SF vs. SD (1/30/95)	6

#### NFL ALL-TIME LEADERS: POSTSEASON PASSING YARDS

Player	Team(s)	YDs
Tom Brady	. New England	
Peyton Manning	. IND/DEŇ	
Brett Favre		
Joe Montana	. SF/KC	
Ben Roethlisberger	. Pittsburgh	
John Elway	. Denver	

#### NFL ALL-TIME LEADERS: POSTSEASON COMPLETIONS

Player	Team(s)	Completions
	New England	
	IND/DĔN	
Brett Favre	GB⁄MIN	
Joe Montana	SF/KC	

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

Player	Team	Game	Comp PCT.
Tom Brady	NE	. AFC-D: NE vs. JAX (1/12/08).	.92.9 (26-28)
		. SB: NYG vs. DEN, (1/26/87).	
Kurt Warner	. ARI	. NFC-WC: ARI vs. (2/1/09)	. 87.9 (29-33)

#### MOST 300-YARD PASSING GAMES, POSTSEASON HISTORY

Player	Team(s)	300-Yard Games
Tom Brady	. New England	
Peyton Manning	. IND/ DĔN	9
Drew Brees	. SD/NO	7
Aaron Rodgers	. Gréen Bay	6
Joe Montana	. SF/KC	6
Kurt Warner	. STL/ ARZ	6
Dan Fouts	. San Diego	5
Ben Roethlisberger	. Pittsburgh	5

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## **BRADY IN POSTSEASON**

With the win in Super Bowl Ll and another MVP award, Brady has the most Super Bowl wins by a quarterback and the most Super Bowl MVP Awards.

QBS WITH 3 C	IR MORE SUPER BOW	'L VICTORIES
Player	Team	Wins
Tom Brady	New England	
Terry Bradshaw .	Pittsburgh	
Joe Montana	Sand Francisco	
Troy Aikman	Dallas	
PLAYERS WITH M	I II TIPI E SUPER BOW	
<u>Player</u>		
<u>Player</u>		MVPs
Player Tom Brady	Team	<u>MVPs</u> 4
Player Tom Brady Joe Montana	Team	<u>MVPs</u> 4 3
Player Tom Brady Joe Montana Terry Bradshaw .	Team New England San Francisco	<u>MVPs</u> 

## 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	
Joe Montana	SF/KC	
Terry Bradshaw	Pittsburgh	
John Elway	Denver	
Peyton Manning		
Brett Favre	Green Bay	
Ben Roethlisberger	Pittsburgh	
Troy Aikman.	Dallas	
Roger Staubach	Dallas	
HIGHEST PLAYOFF WIN	PCT. BY STARTING	QB IN NFL HISTORY

## (Minimum 10 Starts)

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Player	Team(s)	W	L	PCT.
	Green Bay			
Jim Plunkett	OAK/L.A. Raiders	8	2	800
Terry Bradshaw	Pittsburgh	14	5	737
	Dallas			
Tom Brady	New England	27	. 10	730
Joe Montana	SF/KC	16	7	696
Kurt Warner	STĹ/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	

#### MOST PLAYOFF STARTS BY A QUARTERBACK

Player	Team(s)	Starts
Tom Brady	New England	
Peyton Manning		
Brett Favre		
Joe Montana	SF/KC	
John Elway	Denver	
Ben Roethlisberger	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

SUPER BOWL PASSING YARDS					
Player		ATT	CMP	Yards	
Player Tom Brady		357 .		2,576	
Kurt Warner					
Joe Montana				,	
John Elway					
Peyton Manning		155	103	1 001	
Terry Bradshaw		g/	ла ла		
			OUCHDOWNS		
Player Tom Brady	Ар	pearance	6	TDs	
I om Brady		8		18	
Joe Montana					
Terry Bradshaw		4		9	
Roger Staubach		4		8	
Kurt Warner		3		6	
Steve Young		2		6	
			QUARTERBACK		
Starting QB	Team(s)	Starts	Δ	ppearances	
Starting QB Tom Brady	NF	8	XXXVI XXXVIII X	XXIX XI II	
			XIVI	XLIX. LI.LII	
John Elway	DEN	5			
Terry Bradshaw					
Jim Kelly		. <del>ч</del> Л	VV\/ VV\/ V		
Peyton Manning					
Joe Montana					
Roger Staubach	. UAL	.4	V	i, x, xii, Xiii	





## EIGHT CONFERENCE TITLES ARE THE MOST OF ANY STARTING QB IN SUPER BOWL ERA

NOTES

The 2017 AFC Championship was Tom Brady's eighth conference title, the most conference titles in NFL history during the Super Bowl Era (Since 1966).

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#### MOST CONFERENCE CHAMPIONSHIPS AS A STARTING QUARTERBACK IN SUPER BOWL ERA

Starting QB					Super Bowl Appearances
Tom Brady	New England		2001, 2003	, 2004, 2007,	XXXVI, XXXVIII, XXXIX, XLII,
-	-		2011, 2014	, 2016, 2017 .	XLVI, XLIX, LI, LII
John Elway	Denver	5	1986, 1987	, 1989, 1997,	1998 XXI, XXII, XXIV, XXXII, XXXII
Terry Bradshaw	Pittsburgh		1974, 1975	, 1978, 1979.	IX, X, XIII, XIV
Jim Kelly	Buffalo		1990, 1991	, 1992, 1993.	XXV, XXVI, XXVII, XXVIII
Joe Montana	San Francisco		1981, 1984	, 1988, 1989.	XVI, XIX, XXIII, XXIV
Roger Staubach	Dallas		1971, 1975	, 1977, 1978.	
					XLI, XLIV, XLVIII, 50
					XXXVII, XXXVIII, XXX
					XL, XĹIII, XLV
					XXXIV, XXXVI, XLIII
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## SUPER 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	Conference Titles	Super Bowl Wins
Tom Brady	Bill Belichick	New England		
Terry Bradshaw	Chuck Noll	Pittsburgh		
Roger Staubach	Tom Landry	Dallas		
Jim Kelly	Marv Levy	Buffalo		

# DIVISION

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	
Peyton Manning	
Joe Montana	
Brett Favre	8
Terry Bradshaw	
John Elway	

## 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 Brady	New England .	9 (2009-17)
Terry Bradshaw	Pittsburgh	6 (1974-79)
Fran Tarkenton	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 Bowl XXIV.

## RECORD 12TH CONFERENCE CHAMPIONSHIP

Tom Brady extended his NFL-record to 12 conference championship games 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	Postseason Games
Adam Vinatieri	NE/IND	
Jerry Rice	SF/OAK/SEA	
D.D. Lewis	Dallas	
Peyton Manning	IND/ DEN	

## 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 GAMES

Player	3-TD Playoff Games
Tom Brad	y11
Joe Monta	ana9
Aaron Roo	lgers7
Peyton Ma	anning6
Brett Favr	e







# **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," he 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."

# **RB REX BURKHEAD**

## A SELFLESS CAUSE

As a junior at the University of Nebraska, Rex formed a close bond with a 5-year old fan of his, Jack Hoffman, who had been diagnosed with brain cancer. During that 2011 season, Rex wore a wristband with the phrase "Team Jack – Pray" which helped bring pediatric brain cancer into the national spotlight. Burkhead hosted Hoffman for a lunch, provided a personal tour of Memorial Stadium and has since joined the board of directors of the "Team Jack Foundation," which has raised more than \$4 million dollars to fight pediatric brain cancer since 2013. Rex recently hosted a fund raiser this past offseason at his high school alma mater that raised roughly \$45,000. In 2013, Jack Hoffman's touchdown run during Nebraska's spring football scrimmage went viral and earned him an ESPY award.

# WR JULIAN EDEL MAN

## WHAT TO LOOK FOR IN 2018

★ Enters 2018 in seventh place all-time on the Patriots career receptions list with 425. He needs seven receptions to pass Kevin Faulk for sixth place.



- ★ Needs 40 receiving yards to pass Gino Cappelletti for ninth all-time on the Patriots' career receiving yards list.
- ★ With one 100-yard receiving performance in 2018, he will become the eighth player in team history with at least 10 100-yards receiving games.
- ★ Enters 2018 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 alltime.
- ★ 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 postseason yards to move into the top 10.
- ★ Enters the 2018 season tied with Deion Branch and Rob Gronkowski for first in Patriots history with four postseason 100-yard games.

## **VERY RECEPTIVE**

Julian Edelman has averaged 6.5 receptions per game over the last five seasons (2013-18), third-highest average in the NFL over that span.

Player	Team(s)	Receptions Per Game
Antonio Brown	Pittsburgh	7.6
Julio Jones	Atlanta	6.9
Julian Edelman	New Englan	d6.5
Jarvis Landry	Miami/Cleve	eland6.3

## 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 set a franchise record with a 94-yard punt returned for a touchdown vs. Miami (1/2/11). The previous longest punt return was an 89-yard touchdown return by Mike Haynes vs. Buffalo (11/7/76). 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

Player	Punt Return	<u>FDs</u>
Julian Edelı	man	4
Troy Brown		. 3
Irving Fryar		. 3
Mike Hayne	S	. 2
MOST PUNT RETURN TOL	JCHDOWNS IN TH	IE NFL SINCE 2010
Player	Team(s)	Punt Return TDs
Devin Hester	CHI/ATL/BAL	7
Marcus Sherels	Minnesota	5
Darren Sproles	SD/NO/PHI	
Julian Edelman	. New England	
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 157 punts for 1,832 yards during his career and is second in team history and tied for eighth in NFL history with an 11.7 average.

#### HIGHEST PUNT RETURN AVERAGE, PATRIOTS CAREER (Minimum 20 Returns)

	Livinini		15]	
Player	Years	Returns	Yards	<u>Average</u>
Mack Herron	. 1973-75 .			
Julian Edelman .	2009-prese	nt156	1,832	11.7
Carl Garrett	. 1969-72 .			11.3
Wes Welker	. 2007-12 .	114	1,185	10.4

#### HIGHEST PUNT RETURN AVERAGE IN NFL HISTORY (75 Returns)

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<u>Player</u>	Team(s)	Years	Returns	Yards	Avg.
George McAfee	Chicago 1940-41	, 45-50.	112	1,431	12.8
Jack Christiansen.	Detroit 1	951-58.	85	1,084	12.8
Claude Gibson	SD/OAK 1	961-65.	110	1,381	12.6
Bill Dudley	PIT/DEN/WAS 1	942-53.	124	1,515	12.2
Rick Upchurch	Denver 1	975-83.	248	3,008	12.1
Desmond Howard	WAS/JAX/GB/OAK/DET 19	92-2002.	157	1,832	11.7
Billy Johnson	HOU/ATL/WAS 1	974-88.	282	3,317	11.8
Julian Edelman	New England 2009-	present	157	. 1,832 .	.11.7
Devin Hester	CHI/ATL/BAL 2	006-16.	315	3,695	11.7
Mack Herron	NE/ATL 1	973-75.	84		11.7









## **EDELMAN'S BIG RETURNS**

Edelman owns 13 career punt returns of 30 yards or more.

#### MOST 30-YARD PUNT RETURNS IN PATRIOTS HISTORY

Player	<u>30-yard returns</u>
<b>T</b> D	

Iroy Brown	14
Julian Edelman 1	13
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. Chicago's Devin Hester led the NFL with a 17.1-yard average.

#### PATRIOTS BEST PUNT RETURN AVERAGE/SEASON

<u>Player</u>	Year	PR Avg.
Julian Edelman	. 2012	15.5
Julian Edelman	. 2010	15.3
Mack Herron	. 1974	
Troy Brown	2001	

## **RETURNS PILING UP**

Edelman is third in team history with 157 punt returns and 1,832 return yards.

#### MOST PUNT RETURNS IN PATRIOTS HISTORY

<u>Player</u>	Punt Returns
Troy Brown	
Irving Fryar	
Julian Edelman	
David Meggett	142
Wes Welker	114
Mike Haynes	

#### MOST PUNT RETURN YARDS IN PATRIOTS HISTORY

Player	Punt Return Yards
Troy Brown	
Irving Fryar	2,055
Julian Edelman	1,832
David Meggett	1,438
Wes Welker	1,185

## 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 joins Wes Welker (5), Rob Gronkowski (3), Randy Moss (3), Stanley Morgan (3) and Terry Glenn (2) as the only Patriots players with at least two 1,000-yard seasons. Edelman had 1,056 yards receiving in 2013.

#### MOST 1,000 YARD SEASONS IN PATRIOTS HISTORY

<u>Player</u>	1,000-Yard Seasons
Wes Welker	
Rob Gronkowski	
Stanley Morgan	
Randy Moss	
Julian Edelman	
Terry Glenn	2

## EDELMAN ECLIPSES 1,000 YARDS

Edelman finished the 2016 season with 1,106 receiving yards. He became the 10th Patriots player to register a 1,000-yard season in 2013.

#### 1,000-YARD RECEIVING SEASONS IN PATRIOTS HISTORY

Player	Season	Yards
Wes Welker		1,569
Randy Moss		1,493
Stanley Morgan .	1985	1,491
Wes Welker		1,354
Wes Welker		1,348
Rob Gronkowski .		
Randy Moss		1,264
Troy Brown		1,199
Rob Gronkowski .		1,176
Wes Welker		
Ben Coates		
Wes Welker		1,165
Terry Glenn		1,147
Terry Glenn		1,132
Rob Gronkowski .	2014	1,124
Julian Edelman	2016	1,106
Rob Gronkowski .		
Brandin Cooks	2017	
Julian Edelman		
Stanley Morgan .	1981	1,029
Irving Fryar	1991	1,014
Harold Jackson	1979	1,013
Randy Moss		
Stanley Morgan .	1979	

## INCHING CLOSER TO THE TOP

Edelman ranks third all-time in NFL postseason receptions 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	
Player Receptions	
Jerry Rice	
Reggie Wayne	
Julian Edelman	
Hines Ward	
Wes Welker	
Michael Irvin	
Andre Reed	
Thurman Thomas	
MOST POSTSEASON RECEPTIONS IN PATRIOTS HISTORY	
Player Receptions	
Julian Edelman	
Wes Welker	
Rob Gronkowski	
Troy Brown	
Danny Amendola	
MOST POSTSEASON RECEIVING YARDS IN PATRIOTS HISTOR	v
Player Receiving Yards	
Julian Edelman 1,024	
Rob Gronkowski	
Deion Branch	
Danny Amendola	
Troy Brown	

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## PATRIOTS OFFENSIVE NOTES

## EDELMAN IN A RUSH

Edelman has 39 rushing attempts for 257 yards, the most rushing attempts and rushing yards by a Patriots wide receiver.

### MOST RUSHING ATTEMPTS BY A PATRIOTS WIDE RECEIVER

Player	Rushes
Julian Edelman	39
Irving Fryar	35
Troy Brown	29
Darryl Stingley	28
Stanley Morgan	21

#### MOST RUSHING YARDS BY A PATRIOTS WIDE RECEIVER

<u>Player</u>	<b>Rushing Yards</b>
Julian Edelman	
Darryl Stingley	
Irving Fryar	
Trov Brown	

## ANOTHER TEAM RECORD

Edelman had a 47-yard run in the fourth quarter vs. Indianapolis (11/18/12). It is the longest run ever by a Patriots receiver, topping Troy Brown's 35-yard run vs. Tampa Bay on (9/3/00) and Terry Glenn's 35-yard run vs. Kansas City (12/4/00).

## 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."

# 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 touchdowns 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 76 touchdown passes, second among all quarterback and tight end combinations to the 87 by Philip Rivers and Antonio Gates. The Brady to Gronkowski connection is fifth alltime between pass-catchers and quarterbacks.
- ★ Brady and Gronkowski have teamed up for 7,227 receiving yards, a QB to TE total that is third-most in NFL history behind Philip Rivers/Antonio Gates (8,954) and Tony Romo/Jason Witten (7,287).
- ★ Gronkowski has 7,302 receiving yards, ninth all-time among NFL tight ends, and needs 679 yards to move into the top five among all tight ends in NFL history.
- ★ Gronkowski has 7,302 receiving yards and needs 157 yards to move past Wes Welker (7,459) into second place all-time on the Patriots receiving yards list, behind Stanley Morgan (10,352).
- ★ Gronkowski has 481 receptions, 19th in NFL history among tight ends. He needs 19 receptions to become the 14th NFL tight end to reach 500 receptions.
- ★ Gronkowski has 481 receptions, fifth in team history and the second-most among New England tight ends, behind the 490 by Ben Coates. He needs 10 receptions to move past Coates.
- ★ Gronkowski is third all-time among NFL tight ends with 77 receiving touchdowns, behind Antonio Gates (114) 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 77 touchdown receptions since 2010, ahead of Dez Bryant (73) and Jimmy Graham (69).
- ★ Gronkowski enters the 2018 season 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.



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# PATRIOTS FENSIVE

## **RECEIVING YARDS RECORD**

Gronkowski finished the 2011 season with 1,327 receiving yards, surpassing 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 in 2015 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	.2011	.1,327
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	.2015	.1,176

#### MOST RECEIVING YARDS BY A PATRIOTS TIGHT END

Player	Year	Yards
Rob Gronkowski	2011	1,327
Rob Gronkowski	2015	1,176
Ben Coates	1994	1,174
Rob Gronkowski	2015	1,158
Rob Gronkowski	2014	1,124
Rob Gronkowski	2017	1,084
Ben Coates	1995	
Aaron Hernandez.	2011	
Marv Cook	1991	
Don Hasselbeck	1981	

MOST RECEPTIONS BY A PATRIOTS TIGHT END			
<u>Player</u>	Year	<b>Receptions</b>	
Ben Coates	1994		
Rob Gronkowski .	2011		
Ben Coates	1995		
Rob Gronkowski .	2014		
Marv Cook	1991	82	

## GRONK LEADS TIGHT ENDS

Gronkowski finished first among all tight ends with 1,084 receiving yards in 2017. It is the fourth time that he has led all tight ends 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).

## **GRONKOWSKI JOINS ELITE CLUB**

Gronkowski eclipsed 1,000 yards receiving and 10+ 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. Yards T	ouchdowns
Rob Gronkowski	. New England	. 2011	1,327	17
Jimmy Graham	. New Orleans	2011	1,310	
Jimmy Graham	. New Orleans	2013	1,215	
Rob Gronkowski	. New England	. 2015	1,176	11
Rob Gronkowski	. New England	. 2014	1,124	12

## SPECIAL CONNECTION

Since Rob Gronkowski entered the NFL in 2010, he and Tom Brady have connected on 76 touchdown passes, the most among any NFL duo in that time.

MOST TOUCHDOWN CONNECTIO	INS SINCE 2010
Player Combination	TD Connections
Tom Brady and Rob Gronkowski .	
Aaron Rodgers and Jordy Nelson .	61
Philip Rivers and Antonio Gates	
MULTI-SCORE	GAMES

Gronkowski has had 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 two touchdowns vs. Miami on Nov. 26, 2017.

#### PATRIOTS RECORD FOR MOST GAMES WITH MULTIPLE TDS

<b>Player</b>	Multi-TD Ga	mes
Rob Gr	onkowski	. 16
Randy N	Moss	.15
Corey D	Dillon	.13
Stanley	Morgan	. 11

#### MOST GAMES WITH MULTIPLE TOUCHDOWNS BY AN NFL TIGHT END

Player Multi-TD Games Antonio Gates . . . . . . . 21 Tony Gonzalez . . . . . . . 18 Rob Gronkowski . . . . 16

Jimmy Graham ..... 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 8 TDs.

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

Player	Team(s)	10+ TD Seasons	Years (TDs)
			10 (10), 2011 (18), 2012 (11),
			2014 (11), 2015 (11)
Antonio Gates	.SD		
			2010 (10), 2014 (12)
Jimmy Graham	.NO/SEA.		
			2014 (10), 2017 (10)
Tony Gonzalez	.KC		99 (11), 2003 (10), 2008 (10)
Dallas Clark	.IND		
Vernon Davis	.SF		
Shannon Sharpe.	.DEN		
Wesley Walls	.CAR		

#### MOST 10-PLUS TOUCHDOWN SEASONS IN PATRIOTS HISTORY

<u>Player</u>	10+ TD Season	s Years
Rob Gronkows	ki 5	2010-12, 2014-15
Randy Moss		
Corey Dillon		
B. Green-Ellis		
Curtis Martin		
Stanley Morgan	n 2	

## 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

<u>Player</u>	Team	Year	<u>TDs</u>
Rob Gronkowski	New England .	2011.	18 (17 rec., 1 rush)
Jimmy Graham.	New Orleans .	2013.	
Tyler Éifert	Cincinnati	2015.	
Vernon Davis	San Francisco.	2013.	
Vernon Davis	San Francisco.	2009.	13 (13 rec.)
Antonio Gates	San Diego	2004.	13 (13 rec.)





# PATRIOTS OFFENSIVE NOTES

## 1,000-YARD SEASONS

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

NFL TIGHT ENDS WITH AT LEAST FOUR 1,000-YARD SEASONS
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Player	Team	1,000-Y	d Seasor	າຣ	Years
Rob Gronkowski	. New Eng	land	4	2011,	14-15, 17
Tony Gonzalez	. Kansas Č	City	4	. 2000,	04, 07-08
Jason Witten	. Dallas		4	. 2007,	09-10, 12

## SPECIAL CONNECTION I

Gronkowski and Tom Brady have connected for 7,227 yards, the third-most between a quarterback and a tight end in NFL history. He needs 61 yards to move past Tony Romo and Jason Witten for the second-most yards.

#### MOST RECEIVING YARDS BETWEEN A QB AND TE IN NFL HISTORY

Quarterback	Tight End	Team	Rec. Yds.
Philip Rivers	Antonio Gates	SD/LAC	
Tony Romo	. Jason Witten	Dallas	7,287
Tom Brady	. Rob Gronkowski	New England	7,227

## 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 7,302 receiving yards are ninth all-time among NFL tight ends. His 481 receptions are ranked 19th among NFL tight ends.

#### MOST RECEIVING YARDS BY TIGHT ENDS SINCE 2010

<u>Player</u>	Team(s)	Games Played	Rec. Yards
Rob Gronkowski	.New England.	103	
Jimmy Graham	NO/SEĂ/GB		6,808
Jason Witten	Dallas		6,483
Greg Olsen			6,012
Antonio Gates			5,301

#### MOST RECEPTIONS BY TIGHT ENDS SINCE 2010

Player	Team(s)	Games Played	<b>Receptions</b>
Jason Witten	. Dallas	128	
Jimmy Graham	. NO/SEA/GB	122	
Greg Ölsen	. CHÍ/CAŔ	120	
Rob Gronkowski	. New England .	103	
Antonio Gates	. SD/LAC	112	

#### MOST RECEIVING YARDS BY NFL TIGHT ENDS ALL-TIME

Player	Team(s)	<b>Receiving Yards</b>
Tony Gonzalez	KC/ATL	
Jason Witten	.Dallas	
Antonio Gates		
Shannon Sharpe.	DEN/BAL	
Ozzie Newsome	.Cleveland	7,980
Jackie Smith	.STL/DAL	
Greg Olsen	CHÍ/CAR	7,589
Pete Retzlaff	.Philadelphia.	
Rob Gronkowski .	. New England	
Vernon Davis	SF/WAS	

## TE TD CLUB

Gronkowski now has  $77\ \text{career touchdown receptions, third all-time by a tight end.}$ 

#### MOST TOUCHDOWN RECEPTIONS BY AN NFL TIGHT END

Player	Team(s)	Total Career TDs
Antonio Gates	SD/LĂC	
Tony Gonzalez		
Rob Gronkowski	.New England	
Jimmy Graham		
Jason Witten	Dallas	68

## **SPECIAL CONNECTION II**

Gronkowski has 7,227 receiving yards from Tom Brady and moved past Wes Welker for the most receiving yards from Brady.

#### MOST RECEIVING YARDS FROM TOM BRADY

Player	Receiving Yards
Rob Gronkows	ki 7,227
Wes Welker	6,300
Julian Edelman	4 264

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## THE MOST TD CONNECTIONS BETWEEN A QB AND A TE IN NFL HISTORY

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Quarterback	Tight End	Team	TD Connections
Philip Rivers	. Antonio Gates	.SD/LAC	
Tom Brady	. Rob Gronkowski	New Englar	nd76
	. Jimmy Graham		
	. Ben Coates		
Peyton Manning	. Dallas Clark	. Indianapolis	
	. Jerry Smith		
	. Kellen Winslow		
	. Shannon Sharpe		
Ben Roethlisberger .	. Heath Miller	. Pittsburgh .	

#### MOST TOUCHDOWN CONNECTIONS IN NFL HISTORY

Quarterback	Receiver	Team	TD Connections
Peyton Manning	Marvin Harrison	. Indianapol	is112
Philip Rivers	Antonio Gates	. SD/LAC .	
Steve Young	Jerry Rice	. San Franc	cisco 85
Dan Marino	Mark Clayton	. Miami	
Tom Brady	.Rob Gronkowski	New Engl	and76
Drew Brees	Marques Colston	. New Orlea	ans72
	Reggie Wayne		
Jim Kelly	Andre Reed	. Buffalo	65
Aaron Rodgers	Jordy Nelson	. Green Bay	y65

#### 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/NFL HISTORY

Player	Team	Consec	10+ TD	Seasons	Years (TDs)
Rob Gronkowski .	.New Er	ngland	3	2010 (10)	, 2011 (18), 2012 (11)
Antonio Gates	. San Die	ego	2		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). Gronkowski joins Randy Moss (2007, 2008 and 2009) and Corey Dillon (2004, 2005, 2006) 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	Consec. 10+ TD Seasons	Years
Rob Gronkows	iki 3	2010-12
Randy Moss		
Corey Dillon		
BenJarvus Gre	en-Ellis 2	
Curtis Martin .		

#### MOST 10-PLUS TOUCHDOWN SEASONS IN PATRIOTS HISTORY

<u>Player</u>	10+ TD Seasons	Years
Rob Gronkowski		.2010-12, 14-15
Randy Moss		
Corey Dillon		
BenJarvus Green-Ellis	s2	
Curtis Martin		
Stanley Morgan		

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# OFFENSIVE

## GRONK FASTEST TE TO 75 TD REC.

Gronkowski scored his 75th career touchdown reception on a 15-yard 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.

FEWEST GAMES TO REACH 75 1	<b>FD RECEPTION</b>	IS AMONG ALL NFL TIGHT ENDS
Player	Team	Games to 75 TDs
Rob Gronkowski	.New Englan	d
Antonio Gates	. San Diego	
Tony Gonzalez	. Kansas City	
FEWEST GAMES TO RE	EACH 75 TD	RECEPTIONS OVERALL
<u>Player</u>	Team	Games to 75 TDs
Jerry Rice	San Francis	sco

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

<u>Player</u>	<u>Receiving TDs Through 100 Games</u>
Jerry Rice	
Don Hutson	
Randy Moss	
Lance Alworth.	
Rob Gronkows	(i

## **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 (2004 and 2000) and Jimmy Graham (2013). The Patriots record for most 100-yard games in a season is nine by Randy Moss (2007) and Stanley Morgan (1986). Gronkowski had three 100-yard games in 2017.

			SON BY A TIGHT END
<u>Player</u>	Team	Season	<u>100-Yard Games</u>
Tony Gonzalez	Kansas City	2004	6
Tony Gonzalez	Kansas City	2000	6
Jimmy Graham	New Orleans .	2013	6
Rob Gronkowski	New England .	2015	5
Rob Gronkowski	New England .	2011	5

## MOST TD CATCHES BY A PATS TE

#### MOST TD CATCHES IN A SEASON BY A PATRIOTS TE

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Player	Year	Rec	Yds	Avg Lg	TD			
Rob Gronkowski	. 2011	. 90	1,327	14.7 52t	17			
Rob Gronkowski	. 2014	. 82	1,124	13.746t	12			
Rob Gronkowski	. 2015	. 72	1,176	16.3 . 76T	11			
Rob Gronkowski	. 2012	. 55	790	14.4 41	11			
Rob Gronkowski	. 2010	. 42	546	1328	10			
Ben Coates	. 1996	62	682	1184t	9			

## 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

E	Player	Team	Year	Rec.	Yards	TDs
F	Rob Gronkowski	New England	. 2011	90	. 1,327	17
L.	Jimmy Graham	.New Orleans	.2011	99	. 1,310	11
[	Dallas Clark	.Indianapolis	.2009	. 100	. 1,106	10
٦	Fony Gonzalez	.Kansas City	.2008	96	. 1,058	10
٦	odd Christensen	. L.A. Rams	.1983	92	. 1,247	12

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## GRONK NETS 27TH 100-YD GAME

Gronkowski finished with 123 yards in the 2018 season-opner vs. Houston (09/09/18) for his 27th 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

Player	100-Yard Games
Stanley Morgan	
Wes Welker	
Rob Gronkowski	
Randy Moss	

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

Player	<u>100-Yard Games</u>
Rob Gronkowski	
Ben Coates	

#### MOST 100-YARD GAMES BY A TIGHT END IN NFL HISTORY

Player	100-Yard Games
Tony Gonzalez	
Rob Gronkowski	
Kellen Winslow	
Jackie Smith	
Antonio Gates	
Jason Witten	
Shannon Sharpe	

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 (7) 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.

#### MOST TOUCHDOWNS IN A SEASON IN PATRIOTS HISTORY

<u>Player</u>	Year	TDs
Randy Moss	2007	
Rob Gronkowski	2011	
LeGarrette Blount .	2016	
Curtis Martin	1996	17

## FINDING A WAY TO SCORE

Gronkowski has the second highest touchdown per reception percentage in NFL history among players with at least 200 receptions since the 1970 merger.

#### HIGHEST TOUCHDOWN PER RECEPTION RATE IN NFL HISTORY

<u>Player</u>	Team(s)	Rec	TD	Pct
Mike Quick	Philadelphia		61	16.8
	New England			
Wesley Walker	N.Y. Jets	438	71	16.2
Randy Moss	MIN, OAK, NE, TEN, S	GF982	156	15.9

## **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 the feat in 2006 with Tennessee.

## 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 W	ITH 2+ TD RECEPTI	ONS IN /	A SINGLE SEASON
<u>Player</u>	Team	Year	Multi-TD Games
Randy Moss	New England	2007	
Rob Gronkowsk	i New England	2011	7
Cris Carter	Minnesota	1995	
Jerry Rice	San Francisco.	1987	







# LEAGUE

LEADER

Gronkowski's 77 touchdown receptions since the start of the 2010 season are the most in the NFL. His 77 overall touchdowns are tied with LeSean McCoy for the most during that time.

#### MOST TOUCHDOWN RECEPTIONS SINCE 2010

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Rob Gronkowski	New England	
Dez Bryant	Dallas	73
Jimmy Graham	NO/SEA/GB	
Jordy Nelson	GB/OAK	65
Calvin Johnson	Detroit	62

#### MOST TOUCHDOWN RECEPTIONS BY A TIGHT END SINCE 2010

riayoi		TUGUIGUVIIS
Rob Gronkowski	.New England	
Jimmy Graham	.NO/SEĀ/GB	
Antonio Gates	.SD/LAC	
Jason Witten	.Dallas	
Greg Olsen	.CHI/CAR	
Vernon Davis	.SF/WAS	
Kyle Rudolph	.Minnesota	
Julius Thomas	.DEN/JAX/MIA	

## FOUR 3+ TD GAMES

With his three touchdowns against Pittsburgh (9/10/15), 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

Flayer	<b>U</b> I D Uallies
Rob Gronkows	ski 4
Randy Moss	4
LeGarrette Blo	unt 2
Billy Lott	2
Curtis Martin.	2
Larry Garron .	2
Sam Cunningh	am2

#### MOST THREE-TD GAMES SINCE 2010

Player	Team(s)	3+TD Games
Rob Gronkowski	New England	3
Doug Baldwin	Seattle	
Odell Beckham Jr	N.Y. Giants	
Antonio Brown	Pittsburgh	
Michael Crabtree	SF/OAK/BAL	
Victor Cruz	N.Y. Giants	
Vincent Jackson	SD/TB	
Calvin Johnson	Detroit	
Brandon Marshall	DEN/MIA/CHI/NYJ	I/NYG/SEA2
Jordy Nelson	GB/OAK	
Demaryius Thomas		

## **RACKING UP THE YARDS**

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

#### MOST POSTSEASON 100-YARD GAMES BY A TIGHT END IN NFL HISTORY

<u>Player</u>	Team(s)	100-Yard Games
Rob Gronkowski	New England	±4
Vernon Davis		
Keith Jackson	. PHI/GB	4
Dallas Clark	. Indianapolis.	
Greg Olsen	. CHI/CAR	

MOST POSTSEASON 100-YARD GAMES IN PATRIOTS HISTORY

Rob Gronkowski	4
Deion Branch	4
Julian Edelman	4
Wes Welker	

## **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 Lll.

MOST POSTSEASON TOUCHDOWNS BY				
A TIGHT END				
Player	Team(s)	TDs		
Rob Gronkowski	New England	12		
Dave Casper	. Oakland	7		
Vernon Davis	. San Francisco	7		
Keith Jackson	. MIA/GB	6		
Jay Novacek	. Dallas	6		

#### MOST POSTSEASON TOUCHDOWNS IN PATRIOTS HISTORY

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

## **POSTSEASON RECORDS**

Gronkowski has 12 postseason touchdown receptions to tie John Stallworth for the second-most receiving touchdowns in the postseason.

#### MOST POSTSEASON TOUCHDOWN RECEPTIONS IN NFL HISTORY

Player	Team(s)	<b>TDs</b>
Jerry Rice	.SF/OAK	. 22
Rob Gronkowski	New England .	. 12
John Stallworth	.Pittsburgh	. 12
Fred Biletnikoff	.Oakland	. 10
Larry Fitzgerald	.Arizona	. 10
Antonio Freeman	.Green Bay	. 10
Randy Moss	.MIN/NE	. 10
Hines Ward	.Pittsburgh	. 10

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

<u>Player</u>	Team(s)	<b>Yards</b>
Rob 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

Player	Team(s)	<u>Yards</u>
Rob Gronkowski	New England.	68
Dallas Clark	Indianapolis .	64
Jay Novacek	Dallas	62
Shannon Sharpe	.DEN/BAL	62
Brent Jones	San Francisco	60





# 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 in the back of his mind, Chris played his final year of eligibility with the Monmouth football team, and at the end of the season joined in on 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 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 that year's Combine but turned heads during a Pro Day held at Fordham. 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 meetand-greet and having his jersey signed.

# WR CORDARRELLE PATTERSON

Patriots WR Cordarrelle Patterson has six rushing touchdowns in his career, tied for the seventh-most in NFL history by a wide receiver. The Patriots have had four receivers rush for a touchdown in a team history.

#### MOST RUSHING TOUCHDOWNS BY A WIDE RECEIVER IN NFL HISTORY

<u>Player</u>	Team(s) Rush TDs
Bobby Mitchell	CLE/WAS18
Eric Metcalf	CLE/ATL12
Charley Taylor	Washington
Jerry Rice.	San Francisco 10
Tavon Austin	L.A. Rams 9
Frank Jackson	
Cordarrelle Patterson .	MIN/OAK
Bo Roberson	SD/OAK

#### RUSHING TOUCHDOWNS BY A PATRIOTS RECEIVER

David Patten – 29-yard touchdown run at Indianapolis on Oct. 21, 2001 Irving Fryar – 8-yard touchdown run at Seattle on Nov. 17, 1985 Darryl Stingley – 34-yard touchdown run vs. Kansas City on Sept. 18, 1977 Darryl Stingley – 23-yard touchdown run vs. Baltimore on Oct. 6, 1974

# WR MATTHEW SLATER

## WHAT TO LOOK FOR IN 2018

Matthew Slater has earned seven Pro Bowls (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. He is the first with seven straight special teams Pro Bowl honors.

## 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 NFL

Jackie 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.





# PATRIOTS FENS

## 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 LA 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.



## 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 was willing to share his advice on being a great 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 eight-man rush. Most of the time, there's two guys out there fourth-and-short, 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.

# 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. He added an international studies degree and also minored 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.

## JAMES W

## WHAT TO LOOK FOR 2018

- With 35 receptions, can reach 200 career catches, which would move him into the top-20 all-time in team history and fourth-most among Patriots running backs.
- With 53 receptions in 2018, can own three of the top six receiving performances by a running back in team history. White caught 60 passes in 2016 and had 56 catches in 2017.

## WHITE CATCHES TD PASSES

RB James White has the most touchdown receptions by a running back in the NFL since 2015 with 13.

#### MOST RECEIVING TDS BY RUNNING BACKS SINCE 2015

Player	Team(s)	<b>TDs</b>
James White	New England	. 13
Theo Riddick	Detroit	10
Chris Thompson	Washington	9
David Johnson	Arizona	8
Danny Woodhead	SD/BAL	7

## WHITE HAS CAREER DA

White set career regular-season highs with 10 receptions and 115 receiv-ing yards vs. Philadelphia (12/6/15). White's 115 receiving yards were the second-highest such total for a Patriots running back since the 1970 AFL-NFL merger, trailing only Shane Vereen's team-record 153 receiving yards vs. Cleveland on Dec. 8, 2013. White tied his career high with 10 receptions vs Carolina on Oct. 1, 2017 and became the second Patriots running back with two regular-season games with at least 10 receptions.

#### MOST RECEIVING YARDS IN A GAME BY A RUNNING BACK IN PATRIOTS HISTORY

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Player	Date	Opponent	Rec
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
Tony Collins	. 10/27/85	Tampa Bay	. 109
Kevin Faulk	.11/10/02	Chicago	. 109
Kevin Faulk	. 11/23/03	Houston	. 108
Billy Lott	. 10/22/61	Buffalo	. 108

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

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	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	. 11
	Leroy Thompson	. 11/13/94	. Minnesota	. 11
	James White	.10/01/17	.Carolina	. 10
	James White	.12/06/15	.Philadelphia	. 10
	Tony Collins	. 11/16/86	. L.A. Raiders	. 10
	Tony Collins	. 09/28/86	. Denver	9
	Kevin Faulk	. 12/29/02	. Miami	9

## SUPER BOWL RECORD SETTE

White set a Super Bowl record with 14 receptions for 110 vards in Super Bowl LI. The previous high was 13 receptions by WR Demaryius Thomas of Denver in Super Bowl XLVII.

#### MOST RECEPTIONS IN A SUPER BOWL

Player	Team	Super Bowl	Opponent	<b>Receptions</b>
James White	.New England.	LI	. Atlanta	
Demaryius Thomas	Denver	XLVII	.Seattle	13
Dan Ross	Cincinnati	XVI	.San Fransisc	o11
Jerry Rice	San Francisco .	XXIX	.San Diego	11
Wes Welker				
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				
<u>Player</u>	Team	Super Bowl	Opponent	Points
James White	New England.	LI	. Atlanta	20
Roger Craig	. San Francisco	XIX	. Miami	
Jerry Rice	. San Francisco	XXIV	.Denver	
Ricky Watters	. San Francisco	XXIX	.San Diego .	
Terrell Davis	. Denver	XXXII	.Green Bay .	19

MOST TOUCHDOWNS IN A SUPER BOWL				
Player	Team	Super Bowl	Opponent	Touchdowns
James White	New England.	LI	. Atlanta3	3 (2 rush, 1 rec.)
Roger Craig	San Francisco	XIX	.Miami3	(2 rec., 1 rush)
Jerry Rice	San Francisco	XXIV	.Denver	
Ricky Watters.	San Francisco .	XXIX	.San Diego .	. 3 (2 rec., 1 rush)
Terrell Davis	Denver	XXXII	.Green Bay	3 (3 rush)

James White holds two of the top-five running back reception seasons in team history

#### MOST RECEPTIONS IN A SEASON BY A PATRIOTS RUNNING BACK

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Player	Year	Receptions
Tony Collins	1986.	
Leroy Thompson	1994.	65
James White	.2016	60
Kevin Faulk	2008	
James White	.2017.	







# **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."

## DL TREY FLOWERS WHAT TO LOOK FOR 2018

★ If he 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.

## FLOWERS DOUBLES DOWN AGAIN

DL Trey Flowers moved into a starting role in the second half of the 2016 season and posted three two-sack games as a result. In his final eight games of 2016, he recorded seven total sacks, ranking sixth in the NFL during that span.

# MOST SACKS IN SECOND HALF OF 2016PlayerTeamSacksVic Beasley, Jr.Atlanta9.0Cameron WakeMiami8.5Danielle HunterMinnesota8.5Khalil MackOakland8.0





## MULTI-SACK GAMES

MOST GAMES WITH	2+ SACKS 20	016-18
Player	Team(s)	Games
Calais Campbell	.ARZ/JAX	6
Joey Bosa	.SD/LAC	5
Trey Flowers	. New England	i5
Everson Griffen	.Minnesota	5
Cameron Heyward	.Pittsburgh	5
Ryan Kerrigan	.Washington.	5
Terrell Suggs	.Baltimore	5
Chandler Jones	.Arizona	5
Von Miller	.Denver	5
Vic Beasley Jr	.Atlanta	4
Akiem Hicks	.Chicago	4
Khalil Mack	.Oakland	4
Yannick Ngakoue	.Jacksonville .	4
Jason Pierre-Paul	.N.Y. Giants	4

# DB DURON HARMON

## HARMON SECURES THE WIN

Duron Harmon picked off Pittsburgh QB Ben Roethlisberger in the end zone with five seconds to play to secure a 27-24 win on Dec. 17, 2017. It was the fourth time overall that he has picked off a pass in the end zone to secure a win and the second time in the 2017 season. He intercepted Houston QB De-Shaun Watson in the end zone as time expired to secure the win on Sept. 24, 2017. He picked off Miami QB Ryan Tannehill in the end zone with nine seconds to play to secure the Patriots 31-24 win on Sept. 18, 2016, and Harmon intercepted a Joe Flacco pass in the end zone with 1:39 left to preserve the Patriots 35-31 lead in an AFC Divisional win vs. Baltimore on Jan. 10, 2015. Ten of his 14 career interceptions have been in the fourth guarter.

## **4TH QUARTER PICKS**

Throughout his six NFL seasons, Duron Harmon has shown a knack for notching late-game interceptions. Of his 14 career picks, 10 have come in the fourth quarter, with six of those occurring during the final two minutes of the second half.

#### **4TH QUARTER INTERCEPTIONS**

Date	Opponent	Result
10/27/13	. vs. MIA	.W, 27-17
11/3/13	. vs. PIT	.W, 55-31
1/10/15	. vs. BAL	N, 35-31*
9/10/15	. vs. PIT	.W, 28-21
10/29/15	. vs. MIA	W, 36-7
9/18/16	. vs. MIA	.W, 31-24
1/14/17	. vs. HOU	N, 34-16*
9/24/17	. vs. HOU	.W, 36-33
11/26/17	. vs. MIA	.W, 35-17
12/17/17	at PIT	.W. 27-24

#### INTERCEPTIONS IN THE FINAL 2 MINUTES

Date	Opponent	Time Remainin
10/27/13	vs. MIA	0:55
01/10/15	vs. BAL	1:46*
9/18/16	vs. MIA	0:09
9/24/17	vs. HOU	0:03
11/26/17	vs. MIA	1:54
12/17/17	at PIT	0:09
* Playoff Game		

HARMON INTERCEPTION NOTES:Eight of 11 occurred in the 4th quarter.(10 of 14 including postseason)Five of 11 occurred in the final two minutes of the game.(6 of 14 including postseason)Three of 11 occurred in the end zone.(Four of 14 including postseason)Six of 11 occurred inside the Patriots red zone.(Nine of 14 including postseason)Nine of 14 including postseason)Nine of 11 occurred inside the Patriots 35-yard line.(12 of 14 including postseason)All 11 occurred in Patriots' wins.(13 of 14 including postseason)Five of 11 have occurred against Miami.(Four of five against Ryan Tannehill)

Eight of 11 have occurred against either Miami or Pittsburgh. Eight of 11 have occurred at Gillette Stadium.

[10 of 14 including postseason]





# DEFENSIVE

# **LB DONT'A HIGHTOWER**

## WHAT TO LOOK FOR 2018

★ Needs one sack to become the 28th player in team history with 20 career sacks.



## 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. "I'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 (2 national championships at University of 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.

# **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.
- Currently sits 12th all-time in Patriots history with 20 career interceptions and can climb into the top-10 with two interceptions this season.

## 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. He was named AFC Special Teams Player of the Week for his performance.

#### Longest Kickoff return in Patriots History

## 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

Devin, along with twin brother Jason McCourty, has 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.



# PATRIOTS SPECIAL TEAMS

# 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, 2012-14 and 2015.



- ★ 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, 2013 and 2014), 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 (37-of-40) percent of his field goals in 2017. He tied Adam Vinatieri (2002, 2004, 2010, 2014 and 2015) 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 (1,622) is 18th 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).
- ★ Gostkowski (342) is eight field goals away from becoming the 19th kicker in NFL history to convert 350 field goals in his career.

## FRANCHISE SCORING LEADER

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

<u>Player</u>	Points
Stephen Gostkowski	1,622
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 are tied for the second most of his career and the second most in the NEL in 2017

#### PATRIOTS RECORD FOR MOST POINTS IN A SEASON

Player	Year	Points
Stephen Gostkowski	2013	
Stephen Gostkowski		
Stephen Gostkowski		
Gino Cappelletti		
Stephen Gostkowski	2012	
Stephen Gostkowski	2015	
Stephen Gostkowski	2008	
Gino Cappelletti		

## SCORING LEADER II

NFL RECORD FOR MOST P	OINTS BY A KICK	KER IN A SI	NGLE SEASON
Player	Team	Year	Points
David Akers	San Francisco .	2011	166
Gary Anderson	Minnesota	1998	164
Jeff Wilkins	St. Louis	2003	163
Mark Moseley	Washington	1983	161
Stephen Gostkowski .	New England	2013	158
Matt Bryant	. Atlanta	2016	158
Greg Zuerlein	L.A Rams	2017	158
Mike Vanderjagt	Indianapolis	2003	157
Stephen Gostkowski .	New England	2017	156
Stephen Gostkowski.	New England	2014	156
Stephen Gostkowski .	New England	2012	153
Stephen Gostkowski .			
NFL ALL-TIM	E SCORIN	NG LE/	ADERS

Gostkowski has the 18th-most points in NFL history.

#### LEADING SCORERS IN NFL HISTORY

Player	Team(s)	Years	Points
1. Morten Andersen	Team[s] NO/ATL/NYG/KC/ATL	. 1982-2007	2,544
2. Adam Vinatieri	NE/IND	. 1996-2017	2,498
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	CLÉ/BÁL/IND	. 1991-2010	2,004
	CHÍ/BLT/HOU/OAK		
8. Jason Elam		. 1993-2009	1,983
9 John Kasay		. 1991-2011	1,970
10. Phil Dawson	CLE/SF/ARZ	1999-present	1,817
11. Sebastian Janikowski	OAK/SÉA	2000-present	1,805
12. Norm Johnson	SEA/ATL/PIT/PHI	1982-99	1,736
13. David Akers	WAS/PHI/SF/DET	. 1998-2013	1,721
14. Nick Lowery	NE/KC/NYJ	1978-96	1,711
15. Jan Stenerud	KC/GB/MIN	1967-85	1,699
16. Ryan Longwell	GB/MIN	. 1997-2011	1,687
17. Matt Bryant	NYG/TB/ATL	2002-present	1,630
18. Stephen Gostkowski	. New England	2006-present	. 1,622
19. Eddie Murray	DET/KC/TB/DAL/PHI/WAS/MIN	. 1980-2000	1,594
20. Al Del Greco	GB/STL/PHO/HOU/TEN	. 1984-2000	1,584
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GOSTKOWSKI GOES LONG

Gostkowski kicked a franchise record 62-yard field goal against Oakland in Mexico City (11/19/17). Gostkowski had set a team record with a 58-yard field goal in the second quarter vs. Carolina on Oct. 1, 2017. It is the 18th field goal of 60 or more yards in NFL history.

#### LONGEST FIELD GOALS IN NEL HISTORY

Player	Team	Opponent	Date	<b>Distance</b>
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
Sebastian Janikowski .	OAK	at DEN	.09/12/11.	63
David Akers	SF	vs. GB	.09/09/12.	63
Stephen Gostkowski .	NE	at OAK	. 11/19/17.	62
Matt Bryant	TB	vs. PHI	.10/22/06.	62

#### LONGEST FIELD GOALS IN PATRIOTS HISTORY

Player	Opponent	Date	Distance
Stephen Gostkowski	atOAK	.11/19/17	
Stephen Gostkowski	vsCAR	.10/01/17	
Stephen Gostkowski	at DAL	.10/11/15	i57
Adam Vinatieri	at CHI	11/10/02	57
Adam Vinatieri	at STL	12/13/98	8 55
Matt Bahr	at MIA	11/12/95	i 55

## **TEAM FIELD GOAL RECORD**

Gostkowski moved past Adam Vinatieri (263) in 2015 to become the Patriots all-time leader with 340 career field goals.

MOST FIELD GOALS	IN PATRIOTS HISTORY
Player	Field Goals

Field Goals
263
176
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) PATS

<u>Player</u>	Team(s)	Years	Consec. XPs
Stephen Gostkowski.	New England	2006-16	
Matt Stover	BAL/IND	1996-2009	
Jason Elam	Denver	1993-2002	
Jeff Wilkins	St. Louis	1999-2007	'
Jay Feely	ATL/NYG/MIA/NYJ/ARZ/CHI	. 2002-14 .	

## **EVEN STEPHEN**

Gostkowski has connected on 87.7 percent of his regular season field goal attempts in his career, the best percentage in Patriots history. Additionally, Gostkowski's 87.7 field goal percentage is third-best among NFL kickers all-time.

PATRIOTS ALL-TIME LEADERS / FIELD GOAL PCT.				
(Minimum 50 Attempts) Player Years FGM FGA Pct.				
Stephen Gostkowski				
Adam Vinatieri	1996-05	263	321	819
Matt Bahr	1993-95	55	72	764

#### NFL ALL-TIME LEADERS / FIELD GOAL PCT. (Minimum 50 Áttempts)

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Player	Team(s)	Years	FGM	FGA	Pct.
	. Baltimore				
Dan Bailey	. Dallas	2011-2017	186	. 210	.88.6
Stephen Gostkowski	New England	.2006-present.	. 342	. 390 .	. 87.7
Steven Hauschka	. BAL/SEA/BUF	. 2008-present .	221	. 254	.87.0
Robbie Gould	. CHI/NYG/SF	2005-17	328	. 377	.87.0
Mike Vanderjagt.	. IND/ DAL	1998-06	230	. 266	.86.5
	. SD/MIA				
Kai Forbath	. WAS/NO/MIN	2012-17	116	. 135	.85.9
Matt Bryant	. NYG/TB/ATL	2002-18	370	. 431	.85.8
	. TEN				
Shayne Graham .	. BUF/CAR/CIN/HOU/NO/A	TL. 2001-15	277	. 324	.85.5

## **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

<u>Player</u>	Dates	Consec. Games Scored
Stephen Gostkowski	12/17/06 to 10/02/16	
Adam Vinatieri	11/24/96 to 12/29/02	
John Smith	09/28/75 to 10/02/80	

## 1,000-POINT BENCHMARK

Gostkowski (1,622) reached the 1,000 point mark in only his 119th career game. 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 FE\	NEST GAMES:
Player	Team . Games to	1,000 Points
Stophon Costkowski	New England	110

Stephen Gostkowski.	. New England	. 113
Mike Vanderjagt	.Indianapolis	. 126
Jason Elam	.Denver	.132
Ryan Longwell	.Green Bay	.136
Jan Stenerud	.Kansas City	.136

## 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 KICKING POINTS IN NFL POSTSEASON HISTORY			
Player	Team(s)	Points	
Adam Vinatieri	. NE/IND		
Stephen Gostkowski	. New England		
David Akers	. PHI/SF	175	

PIT/PHI/SF/MIN/TEN	153
Green Bay	137
СНІ/НОЙ/ОАК	115
CLE/BAL/IND	106
PIT/CLE/NYG/NE	103
	Green Bay CHI/HOU/OAK CLE/BAL/IND

#### MOST FIELD GOALS IN NFL POSTSEASON HISTORY

Player	Team(s)	Field Goals
Adam Vinatieri	NE/IND	
David Akers	PHI/SF	
Stephen Gostkowski	New England	
Gary Anderson	PIT/PHI/SF/MIN/TEN	1
Mason Crosby	Green Bay	

#### MOST POINTS IN NFL POSTSEASON HISTORY

<u>Player</u>	Team(s)	Field Goals
Adam Vinatieri	. NE/IND	234
Stephen Gostkowski		
David Akers	. PHI/SF	175
Gary Anderson	. PIT/PHI/SF/MIN/TEN	N153
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 in 2015. 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, 2012-15)
Don Hutson	. Green Bay	5	
Gino Cappelletti	New England	5	(1961, 1963-66)
Earl Clark	. POR/DET	3	.(1932), (1935-36)
Pat Harder	. Chicago Cardinals	3	
Paul Hornung	. Green Bay	3	(1959-61)

## GOSTKOWSKI GAME WINNERS

Gostkowski has seven career regular season game-winning kicks and one in the playoffs. Those kicks are listed below.

#### GOSTKOWSKI'S CAREER GAME-WINNING FIELD GOALS

Time Left	Distance	Final Score	OPP	Date
3:44 4th	32		@ ARI	09/11/2016
0:01 4th	54		@ NYG .	11/15/2015
3:12 4th	53	34-31		12/01/2013
1:56, OT	31		DEN	
				09/08/2013
1:56, OT	35		BAL	10/17/2010
				10⁄21́/2012
				01/14/2007*

\*Postseason

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# SPECIAL TEAMS

## **GOSTKOWSKI DRILLS 300TH FG**

Gostkowski's 29-yard field goal in the first quarter vs. NY Jets (12/24/16) was his 300th career field goal. He is one of 31 NFL players to reach 300 career field goals.

## MOST FIELD GOALS AMONG ACTIVE NFL KICKERS

Player	Team(s)	Points
Adam Vinatieri	. NE/IND	562
Phil Dawson	. CLÉ/SF/ARZ	436
Sebastian Janikowski	. OAK/SÉA	415
Matt Bryant	. NYG/IND/MIA/TB/A	TL . 370
Stephen Gostkowski	. New England	342

## **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. His 37 field goals in 2017 were one behind his record of 38 in 2013.

#### MOST FIELD GOALS MADE IN A PATRIOTS SEASON

Player	Year	Field Goals
Stephen Gostkowski		
Stephen Gostkowski	. 2017 .	
Stephen Gostkowski		
Stephen Gostkowski	. 2014 .	35
Stephen Gostkowski	. 2015 .	
Tony Franklin	. 1986 .	
Adam Vinatieri		
Adam Vinatieri	. 1998 .	

## **ON THE MARK**

Gostkowski made 92.5 (37-of-40) of his field goals in 2017. He is now tied with Adam Vinatieri for the most seasons at 90 percent in field goals with five.

PATRIOTS BEST FIELD GOAL PCT./SEASON (Minimum 30 Attempts)					
Player	Year	FGM	FGA	Pct.	
Stephen Gostkowski	2014.	35		946	
Adam Vinatieri					
Stephen Gostkowski	2013.	38	41	927	
Stephen Gostkowski	2017.	37	40	925	
Stephen Gostkowski					
Stephen Gostkowski					
Adam Vinatieri					

## MOST 50- YARD FIELD GOALS IN TEAM HISTORY

Gostkowski has the most 50-yard field goals in New England history, including 5-of-6 on 50 yard field goals in 2013, the most by a Patriots player in a single season

PATRIOTS RECORD FOR MOST 50-YARD FIELD GOALS					
Player	Years	FGM	FGA	Pct.	
Stephen Gostkowski		23.	30	. 76.7	
Adam Vinatieri	1996-2005.	8 .	17	47.1	
Tony Franklin	1984-87.	3.	6	50.0	

## **30-PLUS FIELD GOAL SEASONS**

Gostkowski is one of four players 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-FG Seaso	ins Years	
Stephen Gostkowsk	i New England	5		
David Akers	SF/PHI			
John Carney	NÝG/NO/SD.		. 1993-94, 99, 2002, 08	
Justin Tucker	Baltimore			
Adam Vinatieri	IND/NE	4	1998, 2004, 13-14	
Jay Feely	ATL/NYG/NYJ/	ARZ 4		
Matt Stover	Baltimore	4	2000-01, 03, 05	
Robbie Gould	CHI/SF	4	2006-07, 15, 17	

## FOURTH-MOST FGS IN A SEASON

MOST FIE	LD GOALS MADE	IN A SEASON IN	N NFL I	HISTORY
<u>Player</u>	Tear	n Ye	ear F	ield Goals
David Akers	San	Francisco 20	11	44
Neil Rackers	s Arizo	ona 20	05	40
Olindo Mare	Miar	ni19	99	39
Robbie Goul	d San	Francisco 20	17	39
Jeff Wilkins	St. L	ouis	03	39
Stephen Go	stkowski New	England20	13	38
Harrison Bu	tker Kans	as City 20	17	38
Greg Zuerle	in L.A. I	Rams 20	17	38
Justin Tucke	er Balti	more 20	16	38
Justin Tucke	erBalti	more 20	13	38

## MOST 50-YARD FGS IN A SEASON

Gostkowski is first in NFL history in points per game with 8.8 points per game.

## NFL RECORD FOR MOST POINTS PER GAME

<u>Player</u>	Team(s)	Points Per Game
Stephen Gostkowski.	.New England.	
Mike Vanderjagt	IND/DAL	
Nate Keading		
Dan Bailey	Dallas	7.7

## **KICKING A CAREER HIGH**

Gostkowski made five field goals vs. Cincinnati (10/5/14), 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. The last time a Patriots player had five field goals in a game was on Nov.14, 2004, when Adam Vinatieri had five field goals vs. Buffalo.

## TWO FROM 50-PLUS

Gostkowski drilled a 62-yard field goal and a 51-yarder in Mexico City against Oakland on Nov. 19, 2017. It is the third time that he has kicked two 50-yarders in a single game. He drilled a 51-yard field goal and a 53-yarder vs. Arizona (9/16/12) and connected on two 53-yard field goals at Houston (12/1/13). He is the first Patriots player to have two 50-yard field goals in the same game.





# REFERENCE NOTES

## 8 STRAIGHT 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.

#### **CONSECUTIVE 12-WIN SEASONS SINCE 1970 MERGER**

Team	Consec. 12-win seasons	Years
New England.		2010-17)
Indianapolis		2003-09)
Dallas		1992-95)

#### 12-WIN SEASONS SINCE 1970 MERGER

Team	12-win Seasons
San Francisco.	
New England .	
Dallas	
Denver	
Pittsburgh	

## 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	L	Т	Pct.
New England	. 42.	12	.0.	778
Indianapolis		15	.0.	732
Pittsburgh		18	.0.	719
Green Bay	41	20	.1.	669
Seattle		19	.0.	665

## **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, 2012 and 2017).

#### **TOP-10 OFFENSE UNDER BILL BELICHICK**

YearRank Yards pe	
20164	
20156	. 374.4
20137	. 384.5
20121	. 427.9
20112	. 428.0
20108	. 363.8
20093	. 397.3
20085	.365.4
20071	.411.3
20057	.352.0
20047	.411.3

#### FORCING THE ISSUE

The Patriots lead the NFL with a +194 turnover margin since the 1994 season.

#### NFL TURNOVER MARGIN SINCE 1994

Team	Turnover Margin
New England	+193
Kansas City	+139
Green Bay	+98

## 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

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<u>Season</u>	Pre-Thanksgiving	Post-Thanksgiving	<u>Overall</u>
2001			14-5*
2002	6-5 (.545)	3-2 (.600)^	9-7
2003	9-2 (818)	8-0 (1.000)	17-2*
2004	9-1 (.900)	8-1 (.889)	17-2*
2005	6-4 (.600)	5-3 (.625)	11-7*
2006		7-2 (.777)	14-5*
2007		8-1 (.889)	18-1 *
2008		4-1 (.800)	11-5
2009		3-4 (.429)	10-7 *
2010		6-1 (.857)^	14-3*
2011		8-1 (.889)	15-4*
		6-2 (.750)^	
2013		5-2 (.833)	13-5*
2014	9-2 ((.818)	6-2 (.750)	15-4*
2015		3-5 (.375)	13-5*
2016		9-0 (1.000)	17-2*
<u>2017</u>		7-2 [.777]	15-4*
Totals	131-44 (.749)	105-29 (.784)	236-73

## \*-Includes playoffs

^Includes games played on Thanksgiving

#### BEST RECORDS ON OR AFTER THANKSGIVING SINCE 2001 (Including Playoffs)

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Team	W	L	Т	Pct.
New England	105	29		784
Pittsburgh	85	37	0	697
Green Bay	76	46	0	623
Indianapolis	72	49	0	595
Seattle	71	50	0	587

## SHARP AT GILLETTE

The Patriots concluded a 20-game home winning streak with a 24-20 loss to the New York Giants on Nov. 6, 2011. It was the longest home win streak in team history. The Patriots own an overall record of 108-21 (.837) 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	108-21-0	837
Miami	Orange Bowl	. 101-22-1	
Minnesota	Metropolitan Stadium	n64-23-1	733
Pittsburgh	Heinz Field	99-36-1	732
LA Rams	Memorial Coliseum		

#### LONGEST HOME WINNING STREAK/PATRIOTS HISTORY (Regular Season Only)

<u>Streak</u>	First Win	Last Win
20	Dec. 21, 2008	Oct. 16, 2011
18	Dec. 29, 2002	Sept. 8, 2005
16	Dec. 30, 2012	Dec. 28, 2014
12	Nov. 26, 2006	Sept. 7, 2008
10	Sept. 18, 1976	Oct. 30, 1977

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## PATRIOTS REFERENCE NOTES

## WHAT'S THE POINT?

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 RAN	
Year Avg. Points Allowed	
2017 18.5 (5)	
201615.6 (1)	
2015 19.7 (10)	
2014	
2013	
2012 20.7 (9t)	
2011	
2010	
2009	
2008	
200717.1 (4)	
200614.8 (2)	
2005	
2004 16.3 (2t)	
200314.9 (1)	
2002	
2001	
2000	

## 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 in the top 10 in offense since the merger in 1970 is the San Francisco 49ers with 15 (1982-96).

## 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 260 rushing touchdowns in 240 games.

#### RUSHING TOUCHDOWNS SINCE 2003 (Regular Season Only)

(Hei	(Regular Season Only)		
Team	Rush TDs sin	ce 2003	
New Engla	nd		
Kansas City	y	237	
Minnesota			
Carolina			
New Orlear	ıs		
Philadelphia	э		
LA Charger	°S		
Atlanta		216	

## 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			
<u>Gm Year</u>	Game 1	Game 2	Game 3
3 2014	10/26/14 (51-2	3 v. CHI)11/02/14 (43-21 v. I	DEN) 11/16/14 (42-20 @ IND)
3 2007	10/14/07 (48-2	7 @ DAL) 10/21/07 (49-28 @ N	/IA) 10/28/07 (52-7 v WAS)

32007 10/14/07 (48-27 @ DAL) 10/21/07 (49-28 @ MIA) 10/28/07 (52-7 v. V	NAS
21962 09/21/62 (41-16 v. DEN) 10/06/62 (43-14 @ NYT)	
22002 09/15/02 (44-7 @ NYJ) 09/22/02 (41-38 v. KC)	
22008 12/14/08 (49-26 @ OAK) 12/21/08 (47-7 v. ARZ)	
22010 11/25/10 (45-24 @ DET) 12/06/10 (45-3 v. NYJ)	
2201211/18/12 (59-24 v. IND) 11/22/12 (49-19 @ NYJ)	
22015 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 to turn 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 IN LESS THAN 1 MINUTE

Team	Opponent	Date
New England	Chicago	. 10/26/14
New England	N.Y. Jets	.11/22/12
Seattle	Minnesota	.09/29/02
Atlanta	Carolina	. 10/04/98

#### HOW THE PATRIOTS SCORED THREE TOUCHDOWNS IN 57 SECONDS:

- ★ Rob Gronkowski got the scoring started by hauling in 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 quick 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 and a 38-7 Patriots lead with 55 seconds left in the first half.

## A COMEBACK FOR THE AGES

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 half-time.

New England's previous best comeback win was from a 23-0 deficit to win, 38-23, vs. Seattle (9/16/84). 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 (1/1/12).







## **ALL-TIME PLAYOFF RESULTS**

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.

PATRIOTS PLAYOFF RECORD B	Y ROUND
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Round	Record
First Round*	0-1
Wild Card Round	4-3
Divisional Round	15-6
AFC Championship	10-4
AFL Championship	0-1
Super Bowl	<u>5-5</u>
Total	34-20
*1080 Strike Season	

1982 Strike Season

## ALL-TIME BEST NFL PLAYOFF RECORDS

[Winimum 15 Postseason Games]			
Team	Wins	Losses	Win Pct.
Baltimore			
New England		20	630
Green Bay	34	22	607
San Francisco	30	20	600
Pittsburgh	36		590
OAK/L.A. Raiders .	25	19	568
Dallas	34	27	557

#### MOST POSTSEASON WINS ALL-TIME

Team	Wins
Pittsburgh Steelers	36
New England Patriots	34
Dallas Cowboys	34
Green Bay Packers	
San Francisco 49ers	30
Oakland Raiders	25

## 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 PLAYOFE SEASONS (25)

Year How Qualified See	d Record	Result
2017Division Champions	1 2-1	. AFC Champions
2016Division Champions	13-0	.Super Bowl Champions
2015Division Champions	2 1-1	. AFC Championship Game
2014Division Champions	13-0	.Super Bowl Champions
2013Division Champions	2 1-1	. AFC Championship Game
2012Division Champions		
2011Division Champions	12-1	.AFC Champions
2010Division Champions		
2009Division Champions	3 0-1	. Wild Card Round
2007Division Champions	12-1	. AFC Champions
2006Division Champions4		
2005Division Champions4	1 1-1	. AFC Divisional Round
2004Division Champions	2	Super Bowl Champions
2003Division Champions	13-0	.Super Bowl Champions
2001Division Champions	23-0	. Super Bowl Champions
		Wild Cand Davind
1998Wild Card	50-1	. VVIIO Garo Rouno
1998Wild Card		
1997Division Champions	3 1-1	. AFC Divisional Round
1997Division Champions	31-1 22-1	. AFC Divisional Round . AFC Champions
1997Division Champions      1996Division Champions      1994Wild Card	31-1 22-1	. AFC Divisional Round . AFC Champions
1997Division Champions 1996Division Champions 1994Wild Card <u>*Kraft era begins</u>	31-1 22-1 50-1	. AFC Divisional Round . AFC Champions . Wild Card Round
1997Division Champions	<b>32-1</b> <b>50-1</b>	. AFC Divisional Round . AFC Champions . Wild Card Round . AFC Divisional Round
1997Division Champions	<b>32-1</b> <b>52-1</b> <b>50-1</b> <b>30</b> -1 <b>53</b> -1	. AFC Divisional Round .AFC Champions .Wild Card Round .AFC Divisional Round .AFC Champions
1997Division Champions	<b>32-1</b> <b>52-1</b> <b>50-1</b> <b>30</b> -1 <b>53</b> -1 <b>70</b> -1	. AFC Divisional Round . AFC Champions . Wild Card Round . AFC Divisional Round . AFC Champions . First Round
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1997Division Champions	<b>31-1</b> <b>22-1</b> <b>50-1</b> <b>30-1</b> <b>30-1</b> <b>70-1</b> <b>40-1</b>	. AFC Divisional Round .AFC Champions .Wild Card Round .AFC Divisional Round .AFC Champions .First Round .AFC Divisional Round .AFC Divisional Round
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Bold indicates Kraft era

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#### 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 gualified 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 16team tournament following a players' strike.



#### ANNUAL ACHIEVEMENT

The Patriots won more than half of their games for the 17th straight year in 2017. They are the first team to win more than half of their games in 17 straight seasons since free agency began in 1993.

The Patriots are also the first team to win more than half of their games in 17 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 21 of the 24 seasons Robert Kraft has owned the team.

MOST	CONSECUTIVE WIN	VNING SEASONS
	(Since 1970 NFL	Merger)
		Minutes Conserve

Team	Years	Winning Seasons
New England	. 2001-17.	
San Francisco .	1983-98.	
Dallas	1970-85.	
Oakland	1970-80.	

#### MOST CONSECUTIVE WINNING SEASONS ALL-TIME

Team	Years	Winning Seasons
Dallas	.1966-85.	
New England	. 2001-17 .	
San Francisco	.1983-98.	
Oakland	.1965-80.	
Chicago	.1930-44.	
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	.2011-17	7	13
Dallas	1991-96.		12
Seattle	2012-16.		8
New England	2003-07.		11
Baltimore	2008-12.		9
Philadelphia	2000-04.		7
Green Bay	1993-97.		9
Oakland	1973-77.		7

#### AFC EAST CHAMPIONS 2017

The Patriots claimed the AFC East Division title for the ninth consecutive season and for the 17th time under Bobert Kraft in 2017

#### **DIVISION CHAMPIONSHIPS SINCE 1994**

Team	Div. Championship	<u>)S</u>
New England		7
Pittsburgh		З
Green Bay		2
Indianapolis		0

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#### **PLAYOFF TRENDS SINCE 1970**

#### PATRIOTS PLAYOFF TRENDS (Since 1970 NFL Merger)

All-Time (33-19)	Decord
vs. AFC	
vs. NFC.	
Home	
Away	
Leading at Halftime	
Trailing at Halftime	
Tied at Halftime	
Leading After 3 Quarters	
Tied After 3 Quarters	
Trailing After 3 Quarters	
Decided by 7 Points or Fewer	
Decided by 3 Points or Fewer	
When Scoring First	
When Not Scoring First	
Positive Turnover Ratio	
Even Turnover Ratio	
Negative Turnover Ratio	
Winning or Even Penalty Ratio	26-4
Losing Penalty Ratio	7-15
With a 100-Yard Rusher	
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	
When Allowing a 100-Yard Receiver	
When Not Allowing a 100-Yard Receiver	
With a 300-Yard Passer	
Without a 300-Yard Passer	
Allowing a 300-Yard Passer	
Not Allowing a 300-Yard Passer	

## 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	<u>Championships</u>
New England	. 2000s		2001, 2003, 2004
Dallas	1970s		
Pittsburgh	1970s		4, 1975, 1978, 1979
New England 20	010-presen	it13	2014, 2016
San Francisco	1980s		1, 1984, 1988, 1989
Dallas	1990s		1992, 1993, 1995
Washington	1980s		
Pittsburgh	2000s		

#### 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 VICTORIES IN A FIVE-YEAR SPAN

Team	5-Year Span	Playoff Wins	SB Wins
New England	2003-07	11	2
Dallas	1991-95		3
Dallas			3
New England	2013-17	10	2
New England	2001-05	10	3
	1974-78		
	1975-79		
New England	2012-16	9	2
Buffalo		9	0
Green Bay	1993-97	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

Team	Games Played
Dallas	61
Pittsburgh	61
Green Bay	
New Engla	nd 54
San Franci	sco

## 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 Round						
01/21/18AFC Championship	. Jacksonville	W	24-20			
01/13/18AFC Divisional	. Tennessee	W	35-14			
01/22/17AFC Championship	. Pittsburgh	W	36-17			
01/14/17AFC Divisional	. Houston	W	34-16			
01/16/16AFC Divisional	. Kansas City	W	27-20			
01/18/15AFC Championship	. Indianapolis	W	45-7			
01/10/15AFC Divisional	. Baltimore	W	35-31			
01/11/14AFC Divisional	. Indianapolis	W	43-22			
01/20/13AFC Championship						
01/13/13AFC Divisional	. Houston	W	41-28			
01/22/12AFC Championship						
01/14/12AFC Divisional	. Denver	W	45-10			
01/16/11AFC Divisional	. N.Y. Jets	L	21-28			
01/10/10AFC Wild Card						
01/20/08AFC Championship						
01/12/08AFC Divisional						
01/07/07AFC Wild Card						
01/07/06AFC Wild Card						
01/16/05AFC Divisional						
01/18/04AFC Championship						
01/10/04AFC Divisional	. Tennessee	W	17-14			
01/19/02AFC Divisional						
12/28/97AFC Wild Card						
01/12/97AFC Championship						
01/05/97AFC Divisional						
12/31/78AFC Divisional	. Houston	L	14-31			

# 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 I	PLAYOFF Record	RECORDS
New England .	22-4	
Oakland	19-5	792
Green Bay	. 18-5	
Denver	. 17-5	
Washington	. 13-5	
Dallas	. 20-9	
San Francisco.	. 20-9	690

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The Patriots Football Network (PFN) is the full portfolio of media offerings from the five-time Super Bowl Champion New England Patriots. PFN provides Patriots content produced both in-house and with media partners spanning print, television, radio and the Internet.

## 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 WEEK

PATRIOTS THIS WEEK: 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, half-hour 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.



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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 vid-eo includes every Coach Belichick and Tom Brady press conferences, the Dunkin Donuts pregame and Xbox One 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. AÚDIO

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 PATRIOTS RADIO NETWORK

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 pregame news and notes, while Jim Murray will join Bertrand for the post game news, including live sound from the postgame press conferences.



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WPVQGreenfield95.3 FM
WSARFall River 1480 AM
WWFX Worcester 100.1 FM
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WMRC Milford 1490 AM
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98.5 FM
92.9 FM
e 1390 AM

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WNNH Concord 99.1 FM
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WINQKeene
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WDVTRutland
WIKE Newport 1490 AM
WKVT Brattleboro 92.7 FM
WRFK Barre/Montpelier. 107.1 FM
WSTJSt. Johnsbury 1340 AM

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#### New York

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Florida

WMEN .... W. Palm Beach. 640 AM



WINNINGEST PRO SPORTS TEAMS SINCE 1994

#### PATRIOTS ARE WINNINGEST PRO SPORTS FRANCHISE SINCE 1994

Since the 1994 season, the Patriots have won 69.9 percent of their regular season games (269-116), 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 September 10, 2018

Rk.	Records since 1994	Lg.	w	L	T/OTL	РСТ.
1	New England Patriots	NFL	269	116	0	0.699
2	San Antonio Spurs	NBA	1322	599	0	0.688
3	Pittsburgh Steelers	NFL	245	138	2	0.639
4	Detroit Red Wings	NHL	1026	533	259	0.636
5	Green Bay Packers	NFL	244	140	1	0.635
6	Denver Broncos	NFL	230	155	0	0.597
7	New Jersey Devils	NHL	230 944	627	247	0.587
8	New York Yankees	MLB	2322	1639	0	0.586
9	Indianapolis Colts	NFL	225	160	0	0.584
10	Dallas Stars	NHL	939	634	245	0.584
11	Philadelphia Flyers	NHL	909	617	279	0.581
12	Utah Jazz	NBA	1112	808	0	0.579
13	Seattle Sounders FC	MLS	149	99	76	0.575
14	Los Angeles Lakers	NBA	1105	815	0	0.576
15	St. Louis Blues	NHL	922	650	247	0.575
16	Oklahoma City/Seattle Thunder	NBA	1102	818	0	0.575
10	Pittsburgh Penguins	NHL	933	668	216	0.574
17	Houston Rockets	NBA	1099	821	0	0.573
10	Boston Bruins	NHL	902	645	271	0.572
20	San Jose Sharks	NHL	902 913	665	271	0.571
20			913 912	666	240	0.568
21	Washington Capitals					
22	Miami Heat	NBA	1082	828	0 222	0.566
	Colorado Avalanche/Quebec Nordiques	NHL	918	678		0.566
24	Philadelphia Eagles	NFL	214	169	1	0.559
25 26	Nashville Predators	NHL MLS	739 325	568 244	207 155	0.556
26 27	Los Angeles Galaxy	MLS NBA				0.556
27	Indiana Pacers		1063	856	0	0.554
	Dallas Mavericks	NBA	1062	858	0	0.553
29 30	Atlanta Braves	MLB	2192 876	1771	0 254	0.553
	Anaheim Ducks	NHL		688		0.552
31 32	Boston Red Sox	MLB	2187	1779	0	0.551
	Minnesota Wild	NHL	652	520	188	0.549
33	Ottawa Senators	NHL	870	700	248	0.547
34	Minnesota Vikings	NFL	209	175	1	0.544
35	Chicago Blackhawks	NHL	854	697	258	0.543
36	Vancouver Canucks	NHL	860	704	254	0.543
37	Baltimore Ravens	NFL	191	161	1	0.542
38	New York City FC	MLS	55	44	32	0.542
39	St. Louis Cardinals	MLB	2147	1816	0	0.542
40	Portland Trail Blazers	NBA	1040	880	0	0.542
41	New York Rangers	NHL	872	724	222	0.541
42	Dallas Cowboys	NFL	208	177	0	0.540
43	Seattle Seahawks	NFL	207	177	1	0.539
44	Los Angeles Dodgers	MLB	2135	1830	0	0.538
45	Montreal Canadiens	NHL	853	718	247	0.537
46	Phoenix Suns	NBA	1021	899	0	0.532
47	Cleveland Indians	MLB	2105	1856	0	0.531
48	Kansas City Chiefs	NFL	203	182	0	0.527
49	Toronto Maple Leafs	NHL	839	740	239	0.527
50	Los Angeles Kings	NHL	828	735	255	0.526

**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 September 10, 2018

Rank	Team	Lg.	w	L	T/OTL	Pct.
1	New England Patriots	NFL	269	116	0	0.699
19	Boston Bruins	NHL	902	645	271	0.571
31	Boston Red Sox	MLB	2187	1779	0	0.551
67	Boston Celtics	NBA	975	944	0	0.508
103	New England Revolution	MLS	271	306	147	0.476