

PATRIOTS



GAME NOTES

2013 AFC CHAMPIONSHIP GAME
Patriots at Denver Broncos – January 19, 2014



PATRIOTS RECORD IN AFC CHAMPIONSHIP GAMES

The Patriots are 7-3 in AFC Championship Games, including a 4-1 record at home and a 3-1 record at Gillette Stadium.

PATRIOTS AFC CHAMPIONSHIP GAME RESULTS (7-3)

<u>Date</u>	<u>Round</u>	<u>Opponent</u>	<u>W/L</u>	<u>Score</u>
01/12/86	AFC Championship	at Miami	W	31-14
01/12/97	AFC Championship	Jacksonville	W	20-6
01/27/02	AFC Championship	at Pittsburgh	W	24-17
01/18/04	AFC Championship	Indianapolis	W	24-14
01/23/05	AFC Championship	at Pittsburgh	W	41-27
01/21/07	AFC Championship	at Indianapolis	L	34-38
01/20/08	AFC Championship	San Diego	W	21-12
01/22/12	AFC Championship	Baltimore	W	23-20
01/20/13	AFC Championship	Baltimore	L	13-28
01/19/14	AFC Championship	Denver	L	16-26

MOST APPEARANCES IN CONFERENCE CHAMPIONSHIP GAME

Pittsburgh	15
San Francisco	15
Dallas	14
Oakland	11
New England	10
St. Louis Rams	9
Denver	9

PATRIOTS ALL-TIME IN PLAYOFF GAMES

The Patriots have compiled a 25-18 record in their 43 playoff games and their .581 playoff winning percentage is tied with the Oakland/L.A. Raiders for the fifth best in NFL history among teams that have played at least 15 playoff games.

ALL-TIME BEST NFL PLAYOFF RECORDS (Min. 15 Games)

<u>TEAM</u>	<u>W</u>	<u>L</u>	<u>Pct.</u>
Baltimore Ravens	14.....	7667
Green Bay Packers	30.....	19612
San Francisco 49ers.....	30.....	19612
Pittsburgh Steelers	33.....	21611
New England/Boston Patriots	25.....	18581

Oakland/L.A. Raiders	25.....	18581
Dallas Cowboys	33.....	25569
Washington Redskins.....	23.....	18561

PATRIOTS PLAYOFF RECORD BY ROUND

First Round (1982 Strike Season)	0-1
Wild Card Round	4-3
Divisional Round	11-6
AFC Championship	7-3
AFL Championship	0-1
Super Bowl	3-4
Total.....	25-18

BRADY TIED AN NFL RECORD WITH HIS 8TH START IN A CONFERENCE CHAMPIONSHIP GAME

Tom Brady made his eighth start in a Conference Championship game and joined Charlie Waters and Jack Reynolds for the most starts in a Conference Championship in NFL history.

BELICHICK’S EIGHT CONFERENCE CHAMPIONSHIP GAMES AS A HEAD COACH ARE SECOND

Bill Belichick reached his eighth conference championship as a head coach, second to the 10 by Tom Landry.

Head Coach	Conference Championships
Tom Landry	10
Bill Belichick	8
Don Shula	7
Chuck Noll	7
John Madden	6
Bill Cowher	6

BRADY MOVES UP THE POSTSEASON LISTS

Tom Brady is one of two quarterbacks in NFL postseason history with over 6,000 passing yards. Brady extended his playoff touchdown pass total to 43 touchdown passes and is one of three NFL quarterbacks with 40 or more touchdown passes in the postseason. Brady is third all-time on the postseason touchdown list, behind Joe Montana (45) and Brett Favre (44). Brady leads all quarterbacks with 590 postseason completions.

NFL ALL-TIME LEADERS/POSTSEASON TOUCHDOWN PASSES

Player	Team(s)	Touchdowns
1. Joe Montana	San Fran./Kansas City	45
2. Brett Favre	Green Bay/Minnesota	44
3. Tom Brady	New England	43
4. Peyton Manning	Indianapolis/Denver	36
5. Dan Marino	Miami	32
6. Kurt Warner	St. Louis/Arizona	31
7. Terry Bradshaw	Pittsburgh	30

NFL ALL-TIME LEADERS/POSTSEASON TOUCHDOWN PASSES, GAME

Player	Team	Game	TDs
1. Tom Brady	NE	AFC-D: NE vs. DEN '11	6
2. Daryle Lamonica	OAK	AFC-D: OAK vs. HOU '69	6
3. Steve Young	SF	SB: SF vs. SD '94	6

NFL ALL-TIME LEADERS/POSTSEASON TOUCHDOWN PASSES, CONSECUTIVE GAMES

Player	Team(s)	Games
1. Brett Favre	GB/MIN	20 (1995-2009)
2. Tom Brady	NE	18 (2001-2011)
3. Dan Marino	MIA	13 (1983-1995)

NFL ALL-TIME LEADERS/POSTSEASON PASSING YARDS

Player	Team(s)	Passing Yards
1. Tom Brady	New England	6,424

2. Peyton Manning	Indianapolis/Denver	6,309
3. Brett Favre	Green Bay/Minnesota	5,855
4. Joe Montana	San Fran./Kansas City	5,772
5. John Elway	Denver	4,964
6. Dan Marino	Miami	4,510

NFL ALL-TIME LEADERS/POSTSEASON COMPLETIONS

Player	Team(s)	Completions
1. Tom Brady	New England	566
2. Peyton Manning	Indianapolis/Denver	538
3. Brett Favre	Green Bay/Minnesota	481
4. Joe Montana	San Fran./Kansas City	460

NFL ALL-TIME LEADERS/POSTSEASON COMPLETION PERCENTAGE, GAME (15 COMPLETIONS)

Player	Team	Game	Comp. %
1. Tom Brady	NE	AFC-D: NE vs. JAX '07	92.9 (26-28)
2. Phil Simms	NYG	SB: NYG vs. DEN, '86	88.0 (22-25)
3. Kurt Warner	ARI	NFC-WC: ARI vs. GB '09	87.9 (29-33)

NFL ALL-TIME MOST PLAYOFF VICTORIES AS A STARTING QUARTERBACK

Player	Team(s)	Playoff Wins
Tom Brady	New England	18
Joe Montana	San Francisco/Kansas City	16
Terry Bradshaw	Pittsburgh	14
John Elway	Denver	14
Brett Favre	Green Bay/Minnesota	13
Troy Aikman	Dallas	11
Roger Staubach	Dallas	11

BRADY 300 –YARD GAMES IN THE POSTSEASON

MOST 300 YARD GAMES IN POSTSEASON HISTORY

Player	Team(s)	300-Yard Games
Peyton Manning	Indianapolis/Denver	9
Tom Brady	New England	6
Joe Montana	SF/Kansas City	6
Kurt Warner	STL/Arizona	6
Drew Brees	San Diego/New Orleans	6
Dan Fouts	San Diego	5

BRADY TOUCHDOWN RUNS

With his touchdown run in the fourth quarter of today's game versus the Broncos, Brady now has four career postseason rushing touchdowns, which is tied for the second most in Patriots history. Brady is also tied for the fourth most total touchdowns in Patriots history:

Most Postseason Rushing Touchdowns in Patriots History

Player	Rushing Touchdowns
Curtis Martin	5 (3 games)
LeGarrette Blount	4 (1 game)
Corey Dillon	4 (8 games)
Tom Brady	4 (26 games)
Stevan Ridley	3 (4 games)
Laurence Maroney	3 (7 games)

Most Touchdowns in Patriots Postseason History

Player	Touchdowns
David Givens	7
Deion Branch	5
Curtis Martin	5
LeGarrette Blount	4
Corey Dillon	4

Wes Welker	4
Tom Brady	4

STEPHEN GOSTKOWSKI IN THE POSTSEASON

Stephen Gostkowski connected on a 47-yard field goal in the second quarter of today's game against the Broncos. He now has 19 career postseason field goal makes, putting him in sole possession of 11th place all-time:

Most Field Goals in NFL Postseason History

<u>Player</u>	<u>Postseason FG</u>
Adam Vinatieri	51
David Akers	39
Gary Anderson	32
Matt Stover	25
John Kasay	23
George Blanda	22
Steve Christie	22
Matt Bahr	21
Toni Fritsch	20
Norm Johnson	20
Stephen Gostkowski	19
Morten Andersen	18
Josh Brown	18
Raphael Septien	18
Jeff Wilkins	18

STEPHEN GOSTKOWSKI MOVES CLOSER TO THE CENTURY MARK

Stephen Gostkowski had four points in today's game against the Broncos, giving him 99 career points in the postseason. He has the second most postseason points in Patriots history behind Adam Vinatieri, and has the seventh most kicking points in NFL postseason history:

Most Total Points in Patriots Postseason History

<u>Player</u>	<u>Total Points</u>
Adam Vinatieri	117
Stephen Gostkowski	99
David Givens	42
Tony Franklin	39
Deion Branch	30
Curtis Martin	30
LeGarrette Blount	24
Corey Dillon	24
Wes Welker	24
Tom Brady	24

Most Kicking Points in NFL Postseason History

<u>Player</u>	<u>Total Points</u>
Adam Vinatieri	213
David Akers	175
Gary Anderson	153
George Blanda	115
Matt Stover	106
Matt Bahr	103
Stephen Gostkowski	99

Steve Christie	97
John Kasay	96
Rafael Septien	95