

## NEW ENGLLAND PATRIDTS AT MIAMI DOLPHINS

## GAME SUMMARY

## NEW ENGLAND PATRIOTS (13-2) at MIAMI DOLPHINS [10-5]

 Sunday Jan. 1, 2017 • Hard Rock Stadium $(64,500) \cdot 1: 00$ p.m. ETThe New England Patriots can clinch the top seed in the AFC playoff field with a victory this Sunday over Miami or a loss by the Oakland Raiders. The Patriots have earned five number one seeds [2014, 2011, 2010, 2007 and 2003). They are currently tied with Denver (5) with the most top seeds since the current playoff format was instituted in 1990.

New England enters this week with a 7-0 road record and will be looking to finish with a perfect road record for the second time in team history. The 2007 Patriots team finished with an 8-0 road record.

## BROADCAGT INFORMATION

TELEVISION: This week's game will be broadcast by CBS and can be seen locally on WBZ-TV Channel 4 in Boston. Ian Eagle will handle play-by-play duties with Dan Fouts as the color analyst. Evan Washburn will work the sidelines. The game will be produced by Mark Wolff and directed by Bob Fishman.
LOCAL RADIO: 98.5 FM, The Sports Hub, is the flagship station for the Patriots Radio Network. Play-by-play broadcaster Bob Socci will call the action along with former Patriots quarterback Scott Zolak, who will provide color analysis. Produced by Marc Cappello.

## PATRIOTS SEAK TOP SEAD IN THE AFC

The Patriots have earned five number one seeds (2014, 2011, 2010, 2007 and 2003) in the postseason since 1990. The NFL began playoff seeding in 1975 and the current playoff format was instituted in 1990.

MOST NO. 1 SEEDS IN THE PLAYOFF FIELD
[SINCE 1990]

## MOST NO. 1 SEEDS OVERALL

[SINCE 1975]
New England
5
Denver
Pittsburgh
San Francisco
Dallas
PATS TAKE AIM AT PERFECT ROAD RECORD
New England enters Week 17 with a 7-0 record on the road. With a win at Miami on Sunday, the Patriots will become just the seventh team in NFL history to finish the regular season with a perfect 8-0 mark in road games.

NFL TEAMS THAT HAVE FINISHED WITH AN 8-0 ROAD RECORD

| Team | Year |
| :--- | ---: |
| Dallas | 2014 |
| New England | 2007 |
| St. Louis | 2001 |
| San Francisco | 1990 |
| San Francisco | 1989 |
| San Francisco | 1984 |

## WEEK 17 HIGHLIGHTS

PAGE 25: The New England Patriots have compiled the NFL's best intra-division record since 2001.
PAGE 33: Bill Belichick looks for his NFL-record extending fifth 14-win season.
PAGE 36: In Miami, Tom Brady can pass Dan Marino for fourth place on the NFL's all-time passing yards list.

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## 2D16 Dffensive Statistics



| $\star$ PASSING | Att | Cmp | Yds | Cmp\% | Yds/Att | TD | TD\% | Int | Int\% | Long | Sack | Lost | Rating |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Brady | 399 | 266 | 3278 | 66.7 | 8.22 | 25 | 6.3 | 2 | 0.5 | 79 t | 15/ | 87 | 110.7 |
| Garoppolo | 62 | 43 | 502 | 69.4 | 8.10 | 4 | 6.5 | 0 | 0.0 | 37 t | $3 /$ | 15 | 115.1 |
| Brissett | 55 | 34 | 400 | 61.8 | 7.27 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 58 | $6 /$ | 46 | 83.9 |
| TEAM | 516 | 343 | 4180 | 66.5 | 8.10 | 29 | 5.6 | 2 | 0.4 | $79 t$ | $24 /$ | 148 | 108.3 |
| OPPONENTS | 562 | 344 | 3828 | 61.2 | 6.81 | 19 | 3.4 | 12 | 2.1 | 66 | $34 /$ | 227 | 83.8 |


| PLAYER | TACKLES |  |  | SACKS |  |  | INTERCEPTIONS |  |  |  | FUMBLES |  |  |  | SP. TEAMS |  |  |  |  |
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| Name | TT | UT | A | S | Yds | QH | Int | Yds | TD | PD | FF | FR | Yds | TD | $\pi$ | UT | A | FF | FR |
| Logan Ryan | 85 | 67 | 18 | 1.0 | 12.0 | 3 | 1 | 46 | 0 | 10 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Patrick Chung | 84 | 47 | 37 | 1.0 | 12.0 | 1 | 1 | 4 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Devin McCourty | 71 | 58 | 13 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 6 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 5 | 3 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Dont'a Hightower | 64 | 30 | 34 | 2.5 | 21.5 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Malcolm Butler | 57 | 45 | 12 | 1.0 | 0.0 | 1 | 4 | 28 | 0 | 17 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Malcom Brown | 47 | 22 | 25 | 3.0 | 28.0 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Alan Branch | 46 | 23 | 23 | 1.5 | 0.5 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Jamie Collins | 43 | 30 | 13 | 1.0 | 8.0 | 3 | 2 | 31 | 0 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Trey Flowers | 41 | 19 | 22 | 7.0 | 45.0 | 10 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Elandon Roberts | 38 | 19 | 19 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Shea McClellin | 36 | 14 | 12 | 1.0 | 7.0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Chris Long | 34 | 21 | 13 | 4.0 | 24.0 | 9 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Jabaal Sheard | 31 | 19 | 12 | 5.0 | 34.0 | 10 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Rob Ninkovich | 29 | 16 | 13 | 4.0 | 24.0 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Duron Harmon | 27 | 22 | 5 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Kyle Van Noy | 26 | 8 | 18 | 1.0 | 8.0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Eric Rowe | 24 | 18 | 6 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Vincent Valentine | 18 | 10 | 8 | 1.0 | 3.0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Jonathan Freeny | 10 | 6 | 4 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Anthony Johnson | 9 | 5 | 4 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Justin Coleman | 8 | 8 | 0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Cyrus Jones | 7 | 3 | 4 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Jonathan Jones | 6 | 5 | 1 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 7 | 4 | 3 | 0 | 1 |
| Woodrow Hamilton | 4 | 2 | 2 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Barkevious Mingo | 4 | 4 | 0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 7 | 5 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Geneo Grissom | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Brandon King | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 9 | 6 | 3 | 0 | 0 |
| Joe Cardona | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Matthew Slater | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 3 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Jordan Richards | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 1 |
| Julian Edelman | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Brandon Bolden | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 4 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| James Develin | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 |  | 0 |
| Nate Ebner | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 18 | 12 | 6 | 1 | 0 |
|  | 851 | 522 | 319 | 34.0 | 227.0 | 64 | 12 | 109 | 0 | 66 | 12 | 6 | 3 | 0 | 76 | 48 | 28 | 2 | 3 |


| FUMBLES - LOST (27-9) |  |  |  |  |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | No. | Lost | Rec | O.B. |
| Danny Amendola | 3 | 1 | 2 | 0 |
| LeGarrette Blount | 2 | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| Brandon Bolden | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Tom Brady | 5 | 0 | 4 | 0 |
| Jacoby Brissett | 3 | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| Patrick Chung | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Nate Ebner | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Julian Edelman | 3 | 2 | 0 | 1 |
| Jimmy Garoppolo | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Chris Hogan | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Cyrus Jones | 5 | 1 | 2 | 0 |
| Dion Lewis | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Shea McClellin | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Matthew Slater | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Joe Thuney | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| James White | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
|  | $\mathbf{2 7}$ | $\mathbf{9}$ | $\mathbf{1 6}$ | $\mathbf{2}$ |


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


| BLOCKED KICKS |  |  |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | XP | FG | $\mathbf{P}$ |
| Alan Branch | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Shea McClellin | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| Totals | $\mathbf{1}$ | $\mathbf{2}$ | $\mathbf{0}$ |



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


| ALPHABETICAL ROSTER |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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| \# | NAME | POS | HT | WT | BORN | YR | COLLEGE | H.S. Hometown |
| 6 | Allen, Ryan | P | 6-2 | 220 | 2/28/1990 | 4 | Louisiana Tech | Salem, Ore. |
| 80 | Amendola, Danny | WR | 5-11 | 190 | 11/2/1985 | 8 | Texas Tech | The Woodlands, Texas |
| 60 | Andrews, David | c | 6-3 | 295 | 7/10/1992 | 2 | Georgia | Johns Creek, Ga. |
| 88 | Bennett, Martellus | TE | 6-6 | 275 | 3/10/1987 | 9 | Texas A\&M | Taylor, Texas |
| 29 | Blount, LeGarrette | RB | 6-0 | 250 | 12/5/1986 | 7 | Oregon | Perry, Fla. |
| 38 | Bolden, Brandon | RB | 5-11 | 220 | 1/26/1990 | 5 | Mississippi | Baton Rouge, La. |
| 12 | Brady, Tom | QB | 6-4 | 225 | 8/3/1977 | 17 | Michigan | San Mateo, Calif. |
| 97 | Branch, Alan | DL | 6-6 | 350 | 12/29/1984 | 10 | Michigan | Rio Ranch. N.M. |
| 7 | Brissett, Jacoby | QB | 6-4 | 235 | 12/11/1993 | R | North Carolina State | West Palm Beach, Fla. |
| 90 | Brown, Malcom | DL | 6-2 | 320 | 2/2/1994 | 2 | Texas | Brenham, Texas |
| 21 | Butler, Malcolm | CB | 5-11 | 190 | 3/2/1990 |  | West Alabama | Vicksburg, Miss. |
| 61 | Cannon, Marcus | OL | 6-5 | 335 | 5/6/1988 | 6 | Texas Christian | Odessa, Texas |
| 49 | Cardona, Joe | LS | 6-3 | 245 | 4/16/1992 | 2 | Navy | El Cajon, Calif. |
| 23 | Chung, Patrick | S | 5-11 | 215 | 8/19/1987 |  | Oregon | Rancho Cucamonga, Calif. |
| 22 | Coleman, Justin | DB | 5-11 | 190 | 3/27/1993 | 2 | Tennessee | Brunswick, Ga. |
| 46 | Develin, James | FB | 6-3 | 255 | 7/23/1988 | 4 | Brown | Gilbertsville, Pa. |
| 43 | Ebner, Nate | DB | 6-0 | 220 | 12/14/1988 | 5 | Ohio State | Dublin, Ohio |
| 11 | Edelman, Julian | WR | 5-10 | 200 | 5/22/1986 | 8 | Kent State | Redwood City, Calif. |
| 71 | Fleming, Cameron | OL | 6-6 | 320 | 9/3/1992 | 3 | Stanford | Houston, Texas |
| 98 | Flowers, Trey | DL | 6-2 | 265 | 8/16/1993 | 2 | Arkansas | Huntsville, Al. |
| 14 | Floyd, Michael | WR | 6-2 | 220 | 11/27/1989 | 5 | Notre Dame | St. Paul, Minn. |
| 27 | Foster, D.J. | RB | 6-0 | 195 | 11/22/1993 | R | Arizona State | Scottsdale, Ariz. |
| 10 | Garoppolo, Jimmy | QB | 6-2 | 225 | 11/2/1991 | , | Eastern Illinois | Arlington, III. |
| 3 | Gostkowski, Stephen | K | 6-1 | 215 | 1/28/1984 | 11 | Memphis | Madison, Miss. |
| 92 | Grissom, Geneo | DL | 6-4 | 265 | 6/4/1992 | 2 | Oklahoma | Hutchinson, Kan. |
| 30 | Harmon, Duron | DB | 6-1 | 205 | 1/24/1991 | 4 | Rutgers | Magnolia, Del. |
| 54 | Hightower, Dont'a | LB | 6-3 | 265 | 3/12/1990 | 5 | Alabama | Lewisburg, Tenn. |
| 15 | Hogan, Chris | WR | 6-1 | 210 | 10/24/1988 | 4 | Monmouth | Wykoff, N.J. |
| 24 | Jones, Cyrus | CB | 5-10 | 200 | 11/29/1993 | R | Alabama | Baltimore, Md. |
| 31 | Jones, Jonathan | DB | 5-10 | 190 | 9/20/1993 | R | Auburn | Carrollton, Ga. |
| 75 | Karras, Ted | G | 6-4 | 305 | 3/15/1993 | R | Illinois | Indianapolis, Ind. |
| 36 | King, Brandon | DB | 6-2 | 220 | 6/8/1993 | 2 | Auburn | Alabaster, Ala. |
| 82 | Lengel, Matt | TE | 6-7 | 266 | 12/27/1990 | 1 | Eastern Kentucky | Mechanicsburg, Pa. |
| 33 | Lewis, Dion | RB | 5-8 | 195 | 9/27/1990 | 5 | Pittsburgh | Blairstown, N.J. |
| 95 | Long, Chris | DE | 6-3 | 270 | 3/28/1985 | 9 | Virginia | Charlottesville, Va. |
| 69 | Mason, Shaq | OL | 6-1 | 310 | 8/28/1993 | 2 | Georgia Tech | Columbia, Tenn. |
| 58 | McClellin, Shea | LB | 6-3 | 250 | 8/1/1989 | 5 | Boise State | Marsing, Idaho |
| 32 | McCourty, Devin | DB | 5-10 | 195 | 8/13/1987 | 7 | Rutgers | Montvale, N.J. |
| 51 | Mingo, Barkevious | LB | 6-4 | 240 | 10/4/1990 | 4 | LSU | West Monroe, La. |
| 19 | Mitchell, Malcolm | WR | 6-1 | 200 | 7/20/1993 | R | Georgia | Valdosta, Ga. |
| 50 | Ninkovich, Rob | LB | 6-2 | 260 | 2/1/1984 | 11 | Purdue | Blue Island, IIl. |
| 37 | Richards, Jordan | DB | 5-11 | 210 | 1/21/1993 | 2 | Stanford | Folsom, Calif. |
| 52 | Roberts, Elandon | LB | 6-0 | 235 | 4/22/1994 | R | Houston | Port Arthur, Texas |
| 25 | Rowe, Eric | DB | 6-1 | 205 | 10/3/1992 | 2 | Utah | Klein, Texas |
| 26 | Ryan, Logan | CB | 5-11 | 195 | 2/9/1991 | 4 | Rutgers | Voorhees, N.J. |
| 93 | Sheard, Jabaal | DL | 6-3 | 265 | 5/10/1989 | 6 | Pittsburgh | Hollywood, Fla. |
| 18 | Slater, Matthew | WR | 6-0 | 205 | 9/9/1985 | 9 | UCLA | Anaheim, Calif. |
| 77 | Solder, Nate | T | 6-8 | 325 | 4/12/1988 | 6 | Colorado | Buena Vista, Colo. |
| 62 | Thuney, Joe | OL | 6-5 | 305 | 11/18/1992 | R | North Carolina State | Centerville, Ohio |
| 99 | Valentine, Vincent | DT | 6-3 | 320 | 2/23/1994 | R | Nebraska | Edwardsville, IIl. |
| 53 | Van Noy, Kyle | LB | 6-3 | 243 | 3/26/1991 | 3 | Brigham Young | Reno, Nev. |
| 68 | Waddle, LaAdrian | OL | 6-6 | 315 | 7/21/1991 | 4 | Texas Tech | Columbus, Texas |
| 28 | White, James | RB | 5-10 | 205 | 2/3/1992 | 3 | Wisconsin | Ft. Lauderdale, Fla. |

PRACTICE SQUAD

| \# | NAME | POS | HT | WT | BORN | YR | COLLEGE | H.S. HOMETOWN |
| :---: | :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :--- | :--- |
| 64 | Barker, Chris | OL | $6-2$ | 275 | $8 / 3 / 1990$ | 2 | Nevada | Etiwanda, Calif. |
| 44 | Bates, Trevor | LB | $6-2$ | 247 | $8 / 28 / 1993$ | R | Maine | Westbrook, Maine |
| 65 | Douglas, Jamil | OL | $6-4$ | 308 | $2 / 28 / 1992$ | 2 | Arizona State | Cypress, Calif. |
| 66 | Farris, Chase | OL | $6-4$ | 295 | $4 / 8 / 1993$ | R | Ohio State | Elyria, Ohio |
| 35 | Gaffney, Tyler | RB | $6-0$ | 220 | $4 / 20 / 1991$ | 3 | Stanford | San Diego, Calif. |
| 47 | Gronkowski, Glenn | FB | $6-3$ | 234 | $3 / 25 / 1993$ | R | Kansas State | Williamsville, N.Y. |
| 74 | Hamilton, Woodrow | DL | $6-3$ | 315 | $12 / 20 / 1992$ | R | Mississippi | Raleigh, Miss. |
| 96 | Kilgo, Darius | DL | $6-3$ | 319 | $12 / 14 / 1991$ | 2 | Maryland | Matthews, N.C. |
| 16 | Lucien, Devin | WR | $6-2$ | 200 | $6 / 26 / 1993$ | R | Arizona State | Encino, Calif. |
| 17 | White, DeAndrew | WR | $6-0$ | 192 | $10 / 16 / 1991$ | 2 | Alabama | Houston, Texas |

## RESERVE/P.U.P

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| \# | NAME | BORN | YR | COLLEGE | HOMETOWN |  |  |  |
| 63 | Jackson, Tre' | G | $6-4$ | 320 | $12 / 14 / 1992$ | 2 | Florida State | Jesup, Ga. |
| 76 | Vollmer, Sebastian | T | $6-8$ | 320 | $7 / 10 / 1984$ | 8 | Houston | Kaarst, Germany |

RESERVE/INJURED LIST

| \# | NAME | POS | HT | WT | BORN | YR | COLLEGE | H.S. HOMETOWN |
| :---: | :--- | :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :--- | :--- |
| 55 | Freeny, Jonathan | LB | $6-2$ | 255 | $6 / 15 / 1989$ | 5 | Rutgers | Coconut Creek, Fla. |
| 87 | Gronkowski, Rob | TE | $6-6$ | 265 | $5 / 14 / 1989$ | 7 | Arizona | Pittsburgh, Pa. |
| 83 | Scruggs, Greg | TE | $6-3$ | 277 | $8 / 17 / 1990$ | 5 | Louisville | Cincinnati, Ohio |

## NUMERICAL ROSTER

| \# | NAME | POS |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 3 | Stephen Gostkowski | K |
| 6 | Ryan Allen | P |
| 7 | Jacoby Brissett | QB |
| 10 | Jimmy Garoppolo | QB |
| 11 | Julian Edelman | WR |
| 12 | Tom Brady | QB |
| 14 | Michael Floyd | WR |
| 15 | Chris Hogan | WR |
| 18 | Matthew Slater | WR |
| 19 | Malcolm Mitchell | WR |
| 21 | Malcolm Butler | CB |
| 22 | Justin Coleman | DB |
| 23 | Patrick Chung | S |
| 24 | Cyrus Jones | CB |
| 25 | Eric Rowe | DB |
| 26 | Logan Ryan | CB |
| 27 | D.J. Foster | RB |
| 28 | James White | RB |
| 29 | LeGarrette Blount | RB |
| 30 | Duron Harmon | DB |
| 31 | Jonathan Jones | DB |
| 32 | Devin McCourty | DB |
| 33 | Dion Lewis | RB |
| 36 | Brandon King | DB |
| 37 | Jordan Richards | DB |
| 38 | Brandon Bolden | RB |
| 43 | Nate Ebner | DB |
| 46 | James Develin | FB |
| 49 | Joe Cardona | LS |
| 50 | Rob Ninkovich | LB |
| 51 | Barkevious Mingo | LB |
| 52 | Elandon Roberts | LB |
| 53 | Kyle Van Noy | LB |
| 54 | Dont'a Hightower | LB |
| 58 | Shea McClellin | LB |
| 60 | David Andrews | C |
| 61 | Marcus Cannon | OL |
| 62 | Joe Thuney | OL |
| 68 | LaAdrian Waddle | OL |
| 69 | Shaq Mason | OL |
| 71 | Cameron Fleming | OL |
| 75 | Ted Karras | G |
| 77 | Nate Solder | T |
| 80 | Danny Amendola | WR |
| 82 | Matt Lengel | TE |
| 88 | Martellus Bennett | TE |
| 90 | Malcom Brown | DL |
| 92 | Geneo Grissom | DL |
| 93 | Jabaal Sheard | DL |
| 95 | Chris Long | DE |
| 97 | Alan Branch | DL |
| 98 | Trey Flowers | DL |
| 99 | Vincent Valentine | DT |

PRACTICE SQUAD

| \# | NAME | POS |
| :---: | :--- | :--- |
| 16 | Devin Lucien | WR |
| 17 | DeAndrew White | WR |
| 35 | Tyler Gaffney | RB |
| 44 | Trevor Bates | LB |
| 47 | Glenn Gronkowski | FB |
| 64 | Chris Barker | OL |
| 65 | Jamil Douglas | OL |
| 66 | Chase Farris | OL |
| 74 | Woodrow Hamilton | DL |
| 96 | Darius Kilgo | DL |

RESERVE/P.U.P.

| \# | NAME | POS |
| :---: | :--- | :---: |
| 63 | Tre' Jackson | G |
| 76 | Sebastian Vollmer | T |

RESERVE/INJURED LIST

| \# | NAME | POS |
| :---: | :--- | :---: |
| 55 | Jonathan Freeny | LB |
| 83 | Greg Scrugg | TE |
| 87 | Rob Gronkowski | TE |

## HEAD COACH: BILL BELICHICK

## 2016 NUMERICAL ROSTER

| \# | NAME | POS | HT | WT | AGE | YR | COLLEGE | HOW ACQ. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 3 | Stephen Gostkowski | K | 6-1 | 215 | 32 | 11 | Memphis | D4b-06 |
| 6 | Ryan Allen | P | 6-2 | 220 | 26 | 4 | Louisiana Tech | FA-13 |
| 7 | Jacoby Brissett | QB | 6-4 | 235 | 23 | R | North Carolina State | D3b-16 |
| 10 | Jimmy Garoppolo | QB | 6-2 | 225 | 25 | 3 | Eastern Illinois | D2-14 |
| 11 | Julian Edelman | WR | 5-10 | 200 | 30 | 8 | Kent State | D7a-09 |
| 12 | Tom Brady | QB | 6-4 | 225 | 39 | 17 | Michigan | D6b-00 |
| 14 | Michael Floyd | WR | 6-2 | 220 | 27 | 5 | Notre Dame | CW (ARI)-16 |
| 15 | Chris Hogan | WR | 6-1 | 210 | 28 | 4 | Monmouth | RFA (BUF)-16 |
| 18 | Matthew Slater | WR | 6-0 | 205 | 31 | 9 | UCLA | D5-08 |
| 19 | Malcolm Mitchell | WR | 6-1 | 200 | 23 | R | Georgia | D4-16 |
| 21 | Malcolm Butler | CB | 5-11 | 190 | 26 | 3 | West Alabama | FA-14 |
| 22 | Justin Coleman | DB | 5-11 | 190 | 23 | 2 | Tennessee | FA-15 |
| 23 | Patrick Chung | S | 5-11 | 215 | 29 | 8 | Oregon | FA-13 |
| 24 | Cyrus Jones | CB | 5-10 | 200 | 23 | R | Alabama | D2-16 |
| 25 | Eric Rowe | DB | 6-1 | 205 | 24 | 2 | Utah | TR (PHI)-16 |
| 26 | Logan Ryan | CB | 5-11 | 195 | 25 | 4 | Rutgers | D3a-13 |
| 27 | D.J. Foster | RB | 6-0 | 195 | 23 | R | Arizona State | FA-16 |
| 28 | James White | RB | 5-10 | 205 | 24 | 3 | Wisconsin | D4b-14 |
| 29 | LeGarrette Blount | RB | 6-0 | 250 | 30 | 7 | Oregon | FA-14 |
| 30 | Duron Harmon | DB | 6-1 | 205 | 25 | 4 | Rutgers | D3b-13 |
| 31 | Jonathan Jones | DB | 5-10 | 190 | 23 | R | Auburn | FA-16 |
| 32 | Devin McCourty | DB | 5-10 | 195 | 29 | 7 | Rutgers | D1-10 |
| 33 | Dion Lewis | RB | 5-8 | 195 | 26 | 5 | Pittsburgh | FA-15 |
| 36 | Brandon King | DB | 6-2 | 220 | 23 | 2 | Auburn | FA-15 |
| 37 | Jordan Richards | DB | 5-11 | 210 | 23 | 2 | Stanford | D2-15 |
| 38 | Brandon Bolden | RB | 5-11 | 220 | 26 | 5 | Mississippi | FA-12 |
| 43 | Nate Ebner | DB | 6-0 | 220 | 28 | 5 | Ohio State | D6-12 |
| 46 | James Develin | FB | 6-3 | 255 | 28 | 4 | Brown | FA-12 |
| 49 | Joe Cardona | LS | 6-3 | 245 | 24 | 2 | Navy | D5-15 |
| 50 | Rob Ninkovich | LB | 6-2 | 260 | 32 | 11 | Purdue | FA-09 |
| 51 | Barkevious Mingo | LB | 6-4 | 240 | 26 | 4 | Louisiana State | TR (CLE)-16 |
| 52 | Elandon Roberts | LB | 6-0 | 235 | 22 | R | Houston | D6b-16 |
| 53 | Kyle Van Noy | LB | 6-3 | 243 | 25 | 3 | Brigham Young | TR (DET)-16 |
| 54 | Dont'a Hightower | LB | 6-3 | 265 | 26 | 5 | Alabama | D1b-12 |
| 58 | Shea McClellin | LB | 6-3 | 250 | 27 | 5 | Boise State | UFA (CHI)-16 |
| 60 | David Andrews | C | 6-3 | 295 | 24 | 2 | Georgia | FA-15 |
| 61 | Marcus Cannon | OL | 6-5 | 335 | 28 | 6 | Texas Christian | D5a-11 |
| 62 | Joe Thuney | OL | 6-5 | 305 | 24 | R | North Carolina State | D3a-16 |
| 68 | LaAdrian Waddle | OL | 6-6 | 315 | 25 | 4 | Texas Tech | CW (DET)-15 |
| 69 | Shaq Mason | OL | 6-1 | 310 | 23 | 2 | Georgia Tech | D4c-15 |
| 71 | Cameron Fleming | OL | 6-6 | 320 | 24 | 3 | Stanford | D4c-14 |
| 75 | Ted Karras | G | 6-4 | 305 | 23 | R | Illinois | D6c-16 |
| 77 | Nate Solder | T | 6-8 | 325 | 28 | 6 | Colorado | D1-11 |
| 80 | Danny Amendola | WR | 5-11 | 190 | 31 | 8 | Texas Tech | UFA (STL)-13 |
| 82 | Matt Lengel | TE | 6-7 | 266 | 25 | 1 | Eastern Kentucky | FA-16 |
| 88 | Martellus Bennett | TE | 6-6 | 275 | 29 | 9 | Texas A\&M | TR (CHI)-16 |
| 90 | Malcom Brown | DL | 6-2 | 320 | 22 | 2 | Texas | D1-15 |
| 92 | Geneo Grissom | DL | 6-4 | 265 | 24 | 2 | Oklahoma | D3-15 |
| 93 | Jabaal Sheard | DL | 6-3 | 265 | 27 | 6 | Pittsburgh | UFA (CLE)-15 |
| 95 | Chris Long | DE | 6-3 | 270 | 31 | 9 | Virginia | FA-16 |
| 97 | Alan Branch | DL | 6-6 | 350 | 31 | 10 | Michigan | FA-14 |
| 98 | Trey Flowers | DL | 6-2 | 265 | 23 | 2 | Arkansas | D4a-15 |
| 99 | Vincent Valentine | DT | 6-3 | 320 | 22 | R | Nebraska | D3c-16 |


| \# | NAME | POS | HT | WT | AGE | YR | COLLEGE | HOW ACQ. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 16 | Devin Lucien | WR | 6-2 | 200 | 23 | R | Arizona State | D7-16 |
| 17 | DeAndrew White | WR | 6-0 | 192 | 25 | 2 | Alabama | FA-16 |
| 35 | Tyler Gaffney | RB | 6-0 | 220 | 25 | 3 | Stanford | CW (CAR)-14 |
| 44 | Trevor Bates | LB | 6-2 | 247 | 23 | R | Maine | FA-16 |
| 47 | Glenn Gronkowski | FB | 6-3 | 235 | 23 | R | Kansas State | FA-16 |
| 64 | Chris Barker | OL | 6-2 | 275 | 26 | 2 | Nevada | FA-16 |
| 65 | Jamil Douglas | OL | 6-4 | 308 | 24 | 2 | Arizona State | FA-16 |
| 66 | Chase Farris | OL | 6-4 | 295 | 23 | R | Ohio State | FA-16 |
| 74 | Woodrow Hamilton | DL | 6-3 | 315 | 24 | R | Mississippi | FA-16 |
| 96 | Darius Kilgo | DL | 6-3 | 319 | 25 | 2 | Maryland | CW (DEN)-16) |

## RESERVE/P.U.P.

| \# | NAME | POS | HT | WT | AGE | YR | COLLEGE | HOW ACQ. |
| :---: | :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :--- | :--- |
| 63 | Tre' Jackson | G | $6-4$ | 320 | 24 | 2 | Florida State | D4b-15 |
| 76 | Sebastian Vollmer | T | $6-8$ | 320 | 32 | 8 | Houston | D2d-09 |


| \# | NAME | POS | HT | WT | AGE | YR | COLLEGE | (IR DATE) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 55 | Jonathan Freeny | LB | 6-2 | 255 | 27 | 5 | Rutgers | (10/15/2016) |
| 83 | Greg Scruggs | TE | 6-3 | 277 | 26 | 5 | Louisville | (10/15/2016) |
| 87 | Rob Gronkowski | TE | 6-6 | 265 | 27 | 7 | Arizona | (12/03/2016) |


|  |  | December 27, 2016 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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|  |  |  |  |  | DEFENSE |  |  |  |
| \# | NAME | Pos | HT | wT | BORN | YR | college | H.S. HOMETOWN |
| DEFENSIVE LINE (7) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 97 | Branch, Alan | DL | 6-6 | 350 | 12/29/1984 | 10 | Michigan | Rio Rancho, N.M. |
| 90 | Brown, Malcom | DL | 6-2 | 320 | 2/2/1994 | 2 | Texas | Brenham, Texas |
| 98 | Flowers, Trey | DL | 6-2 | 265 | 8/16/1993 | 2 | Arkansas | Huntsville, Ala. |
| 92 | Grissom, Geneo | DL | 6-4 | 265 | 6/4/1992 | 2 | Olklahoma | Hutchinson, Kan. |
| 95 | Long, Chris | DE | 6-3 | 275 | 3/28/1985 | 9 | Virgina | Charlottesville, Va. |
| 93 | Sheard, Jabaal | DL | 6-3 | 265 | 5/10/1989 | 6 | Pittsburgh | Hollywood, Fla. |
| 99 | Valentine, Vincent | DT | 6-3 | 320 | 2/23/1994 | R | Nebraska | Edwardsville, Ill. |
| LINEBACKER (6) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 54 | Hightower, Dont'a | LB | 6-3 | 265 | 3/12/1990 | 5 | Alabama | Lewisburg, Tenn. |
| 58 | McClellin, Shea | LB | 6-3 | 250 | 8/1/1989 | 5 | Boise State | Marsing, Idaho |
| 51 | Mingo, Barkevious | LB | 6-4 | 240 | 10/4/1990 | 4 | Louisiana State | West Monroe, La. |
| 50 | Ninkovich, Rob | LB | 6-2 | 260 | 2/1/1984 | 11 | Purdue | Blue Island, Ill. |
| 52 | Roberts, Elandon | LB | 6-0 | 235 | 4/22/1994 | R | Houston | Port Arthur, Texas |
| 53 | Van Noy, Kyle | LB | 6-3 | 243 | 3/26/1991 | 3 | Brigham Young | Reno, Nev . |
| DEFENSIVE BACK (12) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 21 | Butler, Malcolm | CB | 5-11 | 190 | 3/2/1990 | 3 | West Alabama | Vicksburg, Miss. |
| 23 | Chung, Patrick | S | 5-11 | 215 | 8/19/1987 | 8 | Oregon | Rancho Cucamonga, Calif. |
| 22 | Coleman, Justin | DB | 5-11 | 190 | 3/27/1993 | 2 | Tennessee | Brunswick, Ga. |
| 43 | Ebner, Nate | DB | 6-0 | 220 | 12/14/1988 | 5 | Ohio State | Dublin, Ohio |
| 30 | Harmon, Duron | DB | 6-1 | 205 | 1/24/1991 | 4 | Rutgers | Magnolia, Del. |
| 24 | Jones, Cyrus | CB | 5-10 | 200 | 11/29/1993 | R | Alabama | Baltimore, Md. |
| 31 | Jones, Jonathan | DB | 5-10 | 190 | 9/20/1993 | R | Auburn | Carrollton, Ga. |
| 36 | King, Brandon | DB | 6-2 | 220 | 6/8/1993 | 2 | Auburn | Alabaster, Ala. |
| 32 | McCourty, Devin | DB | 5-10 | 195 | 8/13/1987 | 7 | Rutgers | Montvale, N.J. |
| 37 | Richards, Jordan | DB | 5-11 | 210 | 1/21/1993 | 2 | Stanford | Folsom, Calif. |
| 25 | Rowe, Eric | DB | 6-1 | 205 | 10/3/1992 | 2 | Utah | Klein, Texas |
| 26 | Ryan, Logan | CB | 5-11 | 195 | 2/9/1991 | 4 | Rutgers | Voorhees, N.J. |
|  |  |  |  |  | OFFENSE |  |  |  |
| \# | NAME | POS | HT | WT | BORN | YR | COLLEGE | H.S. HOMETOWN |
| OFFENSIVE LINE (8) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 60 | Andrews, David | c | 6-3 | 295 | 7/10/1992 | 2 | Georgia | Johns Creek, Ga. |
| 61 | Cannon, Marcus | OL | 6-5 | 335 | 5/6/1988 | 6 | Texas Christian | Odessa, Texas |
| 71 | Fleming, Cameron | OL | 6-6 | 320 | 9/3/1992 | 3 | Stanford | Houston, Texas |
| 75 | Karras, Ted | G | 6-4 | 305 | 3/15/1993 | R | Illinois | Indianapolis, Ind. |
| 69 | Mason, Shaq | OL | 6-1 | 310 | 8/28/1993 | 2 | Georgia Tech | Columbia, Tenn. |
| 77 | Solder, Nate | T | 6-8 | 325 | 4/12/1988 | 6 | Colorado | Buena Vista, Co. |
| 62 | Thuney, Joe | OL | 6-5 | 305 | 11/18/1992 | R | North Carolina State | Centerville, Ohio |
| 68 | Waddle, LaAdrian | OL | 6-6 | 315 | 7/21/1991 | 4 | Texas Tech | Columbus, Texas |
| QUARTERBACK (3) ${ }^{\text {(3) }}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 12 | Brady, Tom | QB | 6-4 | 225 | 8/3/1977 | 17 | Michigan | San Mateo, Calif. |
| 7 | Brissett, Jacoby | QB | 6-4 | 235 | 12/11/1993 | R | North Carolina State | West Palm Beach, Fla. |
| 10 | Garoppolo, Jimmy | QB | 6-2 | 225 | 11/2/1991 | 3 | Eastern Illinois | Arlington Heights, Ill. |
| WIDE RECEIVER (6) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 80 | Amendola, Danny | WR | 5-11 | 190 | 11/2/1985 | 8 | Texas Tech | The Woodlands, Texas |
| 11 | Edelman, Julian | WR | 5-10 | 200 | 5/22/1986 | 8 | Kent State | Redwood City, Calif. |
| 14 | Floyd, Michael | WR | 6-2 | 220 | 11/27/1989 | 5 | Notre Dame | St. Paul, Minn. |
| 15 | Hogan, Chris | WR | 6-1 | 210 | 10/24/1988 | 4 | Monmouth | Wykoff, N.J. |
| 19 | Mitchell, Malcolm | WR | 6-1 | 200 | 7/20/1993 | R | Georgia | Valdosta, Ga. |
| 18 | Slater, Matthew | WR | 6-0 | 205 | 9/9/1985 | 9 | UCLA | Anaheim, Calif. |
| RUNNING BACK (6) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 29 | Blount, LeGarrette | RB | 6-0 | 250 | 12/5/1986 | 7 | Oregon | Perry, Fla. |
| 38 | Bolden, Brandon | RB | 5-11 | 220 | 1/26/1990 | 5 | Mississippi | Baton Rouge, La. |
| 46 | Develin, James | FB | 6-3 | 255 | 7/23/1988 | 4 | Brown | Gilbertsville, Pa. |
| 27 | Foster, D.J. | RB | 6-0 | 195 | 11/22/1993 | R | Arizona State | Scottsdale, Ariz. |
| 33 | Lewis, Dion | RB | 5-8 | 195 | 9/27/1990 | 5 | Pittsburgh | Blairstown, N.J. |
| 28 | White, James | RB | 5-10 | 205 | 2/3/1992 | 3 | Wisconsin | Ft. Lauderdale, Fla. |
| TIGHT END (2) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 88 | Bennett, Martellus | TE | 6-6 | 275 | 3/10/1987 | 9 | Texas A\&M | Taylor, Texas |
| 82 | Lengel, Matt | TE | 6-7 | 266 | 12/27/1990 | 1 | Eastern Kentucky | Mechanicsburg, Pa. |
| \# | NAME | POS | HT | WT | SPECIALIS BORN | (3) | COLLEGE | H.S. HOMETOWN |
| SPECIALISTS (3) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 6 | Allen, Ryan | P | 6-2 | 220 | 2/28/1990 | 4 | Louisiana Tech | Salem, Ore. |
| 49 | Cardona, Joe | LS | 6-3 | 245 | 4/16/1992 | 2 | Navy | El Cajon, Calif. |
| 3 | Gostkowski, Stephen | K | 6-1 | 215 | 1/28/1984 | 11 | Memphis | Madison, Miss. |
|  |  |  |  |  | RESERVE/P |  |  |  |
| \# | NAME | POS | HT | WT | BORN | YR | COLLEGE | H.S. HOMETOWN |
| RESERVE/PUP (2) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 63 | Jackson, Tre' | G | 6-4 | 320 | 12/14/1992 | 2 | Florida State | Jesup, Ga. |
| 76 | Vollmer, Sebastian | T | 6-8 | 320 | 7/10/1984 | 8 | Houston | Kaarst, Germany |
| RESERVE/INJURED (3) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \# | NAME | POS | HT | WT | BORN | YR | COLLEGE | H.S. HOMETOWN |
| RESERVE/INJURED (3) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 55 | Freeny, Jonathan | LB | 6-2 | 255 | 6/15/1989 | 5 | Rutgers | Coconut Creek, Fla. |
| 87 | Gronkowski, Rob | TE | 6-6 | 265 | 5/14/1989 | 7 | Arizona | Pittsburgh, Pa. |
| 83 | Scruggs, Greg | TE | 6-3 | 277 | 8/17/1990 | 5 | Louisville | Cincinnati, Ohio |

## How The Patriots Were Built

| YEAR | DRAFTEES (27) | VETERAN FREE AGENTS (10) | WAIVERS (2) / TRADES (4) | ROOKIE AND FIRST-YEAR FREE AGENTS (10) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 2000 | Tom Brady (6b) |  |  |  |
| 2006 | Stephen Gostkowski (4b) |  |  |  |
| 2008 | Matthew Slater (5) |  |  |  |
| 2009 | Julian Edelman (7a) | Rob Ninkovich (5) (NO) |  |  |
| 2010 | Devin McCourty (1) |  |  |  |
| 2011 | Nate Solder (1) <br> Marcus Cannon (5a) |  |  |  |
| 2012 | Dont'a Hightower (1b) <br> Nate Ebner (6) |  |  | Brandon Bolden (fa) <br> James Develin (fa) (CIN) |
| 2013 | Logan Ryan (3a) <br> Duron Harmon (3b) | Danny Amendola (fa) (DAL) |  | Ryan Allen (fa) |
| 2014 | Jimmy Garoppolo (2) <br> James White (4b) <br> Cameron Fleming (4c) | LeGarrette Blount (fa) (TEN) <br> Alan Branch (2) (ARI) <br> Patrick Chung (2) (NE) |  | Malcolm Butler (fa) |
| 2015 | Malcom Brown (1) <br> Jordan Richards (2) <br> Geneo Grissom (3) <br> Trey Flowers (4a) <br> Shaq Mason (4c) <br> Joe Cardona (5) | Dion Lewis (5) (PHI) <br> Jabaal Sheard (2) (CLE) | LaAdrian Waddle (fa) CW (DET) | David Andrews (fa) <br> Justin Coleman (fa) (MIN) <br> Brandon King (fa) |
| 2016 | Cyrus Jones (2) <br> Joe Thuney (3a) <br> Jacoby Brissett (3b) <br> Vincent Valentine (3c) <br> Malcolm Micthell (4) <br> Elandon Roberts (6b) <br> Ted Karras (6c) | Chris Hogan (fa) (SF) <br> Chris Long (1) (STL) <br> Shea McClellin (1) (CHI) | Martellus Bennett (2) (tr-CHI) <br> Michael Floyd (1) CW (ARI) <br> Barkevious Mingo (1) (tr-CLE) <br> Eric Rowe (2) (tr-PHI) <br> Kyle Van Noy (2) (tr-DET) | D.J. Foster (fa) <br> Jonathan Jones (fa) <br> Matt Lengel (fa) (CIN) |
| NOTE: Team in parenthesis is the player's prior team <br> (\#) - indicates round drafted <br> (fa) - indicates non-drafted free agents |  |  | RESERVE/PUP: (2) <br> Tre' Jackson (4b) <br> Sebastian Vollmer (2d) | RESERVE/INJURED (3) <br> Jonathan Freeny (fa) (MIA) <br> Rob Gronkowski (2a) <br> Greg Scruggs (7) (SEA) |

## UNDFFICIAL DEPTH CHART

Unofficial depth chart compiled by Patriots media relations

| OFFENSE |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| WR: 15 Chris Hogan | 80 Danny Amendola | 18 Matthew Slater |  |
| LT: 77 Nate Solder | 68 LaAdrian Waddle |  |  |
| LG: $\underline{62}$ Joe Thuney | 69 Shaq Mason |  |  |
| C: 60 David Andrews | 75 Ted Karras |  |  |
| RG: 69 Shaq Mason | 75 Ted Karras |  |  |
| RT: 61 Marcus Cannon | 71 Cameron Fleming |  |  |
| TE: 88 Martellus Bennett | 82 Matt Lengel |  |  |
| WR: 11 Julian Edelman | 19 Malcolm Mitchell | 14 Michael Floyd |  |
| QB: 12 Tom Brady | 10 Jimmy Garoppolo | 7 Jacoby Brissett |  |
| RB: 28 James White | 33 Dion Lewis | 46 James Develin |  |
| RB: 29 LeGarrette Blount | 38 Brandon Bolden | 27 D.J. Foster |  |
| DEFENSE |  |  |  |
| LE: 95 Chris Long | 92 Geneo Grissom |  |  |
| DT: 97 Alan Branch | 99 Vincent Valentine |  |  |
| DT: 90 Malcom Brown | 99 Vincent Valentine |  |  |
| RE: 98 Trey Flowers | 93 Jabaal Sheard |  |  |
| LB: 58 Shea McClellin | 51 Barkevious Mingo | 52 Elandon Roberts |  |
| LB: 54 Dont'a Hightower | 53 Kyle Van Noy |  |  |
| LB: 50 Rob Ninkovich | 58 Shea McClellin |  |  |
| RCB: 26 Logan Ryan | 25 Eric Rowe | $\underline{24}$ Cyrus Jones |  |
| LCB: 21 Malcolm Butler | 22 Justin Coleman | 31 Jonathan Jones |  |
| S: 23 Patrick Chung | 30 Duron Harmon | 37 Jordan Richards |  |
| S: 32 Devin McCourty | 43 Nate Ebner | 36 Brandon King |  |
| SPECIAL TEAMS |  |  |  |
| K: 3 Stephen Gostkowski |  |  |  |
| P: 6 Ryan Allen |  |  |  |
| H: 6 Ryan Allen |  |  |  |
| PR: 80 Danny Amendola | $\underline{24}$ Cyrus Jones | 11 Julian Edelman |  |
| KR: 24 Cyrus Jones | 80 Danny Amendola | 18 Matthew Slater | $\underline{27}$ D.J. Foster |
| LS: 49 Joe Cardona |  |  |  |
| PRONUNCIATION GUIDE |  |  |  |
| Danny Amendola | am-men-DOLE-uh | Dont'a Hightower | don-TAY |
| LeGarrette Blount | LUH-gare-et BLUNT | Ted Karras | CARE-us |
| Jacoby Brissett | briss-ETTE | Matt Lengel | LENG-guhl |
| Joe Cardona | car-DOAN-a | Barkevious Mingo | bar-KEY-vee-us |
| Stephen Gostkowski | gost-COW-ski | Jabaal Sheard | juh-BALL SHEERD |
| Geneo Grissom | GEE-no | Joe Thuney | TOO-nee |


| JULY, 2016 |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| UPDATED: December 27, 2016 |  |  | 7/21/2016 | Johnson, C.J. | Released |
|  |  |  | 7/21/2016 | Yount, Christian | Released |
| JANUARY, 2016 |  |  | 7/24/2016 | Kerbyson, Kyler | Signed |
| 1/25/2016 | Barker, Chris | Signed to a future contract | 7/24/2016 | Sunseri, Vinnie | Signed |
| 1/25/2016 | Carter, DeAndre | Signed to a future contract | 7/27/2016 | Halapio, Jon | Signed |
| 1/25/2016 | Iosefa, Joey | Signed to a future contract | 7/27/2016 | Pascoe, Bear | Signed |
| 1/25/2016 | Melvin, Rashaan | Signed to a future contract |  |  |  |
| 1/25/2016 | Milton, Keavon | Signed to a future contract | AUGUST, 2016 |  |  |
| 1/25/2016 | Thompson, Cedric | Signed to a future contract | 8/14/2016 | Kerbyson, Kyler | Released |
| 1/25/2016 | Vaughters, James | Signed to a future contract | 8/16/2016 | Vereen, Brock | Released |
| 1/25/2016 | Vereen, Brock | Signed to a future contract | 8/22/2016 | Bentley, V'Angelo | Released |
| 1/26/2016 | Vellano, Joe | Signed to a future contract | 8/22/2016 | Pascoe, Bear | Released |
|  |  |  | 8/22/2016 | Thompson, Cedric | Released |
| FEBRUARY, 2016 |  |  | 8/23/2016 | Biggers, E.J. | Released |
| 2/17/2016 | Johnson, Leonard | Released | 8/23/2016 | Brown, Donald | Released |
|  | $\text { MARCH, } 2016$ |  |  | 8/23/2016 | Kearse, Frank | Released |
|  |  |  |  | 8/24/2016 | Washington, Nate | Released |
| 3/2/2016 | Chandler, Scott | Released | 8/25/2016 | Mingo, Barkevious | Acquired Via Trade (Cleveland) |
| 3/2/2016 | LaFell, Brandon | Released | 8/29/2016 | Knighton, Terrance | Released |
| 3/4/2016 | Fleming, Darius | Released | 8/29/2016 | Strork, Bryan | Released |
| 3/9/2016 | Humber, Ramon | Signed | 8/29/2016 | Jackson, Tre' | Placed on Reserve/P.U.P. |
| 3/9/2016 | Fletcher, Dane | Released | 8/30/2016 | Humber, Ramon | Released |
| 3/11/2016 | Hogan, Chris | Signed | 8/30/2016 | Milton, Keavon | Released |
| 3/11/2016 | Kearse, Frank | Signed | 8/30/2016 | Scheu, Steven | Released |
| 3/15/2016 | Ebner, Nate | Re-signed | 8/30/2016 | Lewis, Dion | Placed on Reserve/P.U.P. |
| 3/15/2016 | Cooper, Jonathan | Acquired Via Trade (Arizona) | 8/30/2016 | Vollmer, Sebastian | Placed on Reserve/P.U.P. |
| 3/15/2016 | Jones, Chandler | Traded to Arizona |  |  |  |
| 3/17/2016 | Bennett, Martellus | Acquired Via Trade (Chicago) | SEPTEMBER | 2016 |  |
| 3/18/2016 | Brown, Donald | Signed | 9/3/2016 | Barker, Chris | Released |
| 3/18/2016 | Long, Chris | Signed | 9/3/2016 | Carter, DeAndre | Released |
| 3/18/2016 | McClellin, Shea | Signed | 9/3/2016 | Dobson, Aaron | Released |
| 3/24/2016 | Washington, Nate | Signed | 9/3/2016 | Gaffney, Tyler | Released |
| 3/30/2016 | Biggers, E.J. | Signed | 9/3/2016 | Grissom, Geneo | Released |
|  | APRIL, 2016 |  |  | 9/3/2016 | Grugier-Hill, Kamu | Released |
|  |  |  |  | 9/3/2016 | Halapio, Jon | Released |
| 4/4/2016 | Harbor, Clay | Signed | 9/3/2016 | Hamilton, Woodrow | Released |
| 4/4/2016 | Knighton, Terrance | Signed | 9/3/2016 | Harper, Chris | Released |
| 4/7/2016 | Kuhn, Markus | Signed | 9/3/2016 | Iosefa, Joey | Released |
| 4/11/2016 | Gaffney, Tyler | Released | 9/3/2016 | Johnson, Rufus | Released |
| 4/12/2016 | Blount, LaGarrette | Signed | 9/3/2016 | Kuhn, Markus | Released |
| 4/12/2016 | Coleman, Justin | Signed | 9/3/2016 | LeBlanc, Cre'von | Released |
| 4/12/2016 | King, Brandon | Signed | 9/3/2016 | Lucien, Devin | Released |
| 4/13/2016 | Easley, Dominique | Released | 9/3/2016 | Martin, Keshawn | Released |
| 4/14/2016 | Gaffney, Tyler | Signed | 9/3/2016 | Roberts, Darryl | Released |
| 4/15/2016 | Jones, Chris | Released | 9/3/2016 | Snyder, Kevin | Released |
| 4/15/2016 | Kitchen, Ishmaa'ily | Released | 9/3/2016 | Sunseri, Vinnie | Released |
| 4/22/2016 | Steward, Tony | Signed | 9/3/2016 | Vellano, Joe | Released |
| 4/22/2016 | Yount, Christian | Signed | 9/3/2016 | Williams, Bryce | Released |
| 4/29/2016 | Jones, Cyrus | Drafted | 9/4/2016 | Barker, Chris | Signed to the practice squad |
| 4/29/2016 | Thuney, Joe | Drafted | 9/4/2016 | DeBord, Clay | Signed to the practice squad |
| 4/29/2016 | Brissett, Jacoby | Drafted | 9/4/2016 | Grissom, Geneo | Signed to the practice squad |
| 4/29/2016 | Valentine, Jacoby | Drafted | 9/4/2016 | Hamilton, Woodrow | Signed to the practice squad |
| 4/30/2016 | Mitchell, Malcolm | Drafted | 9/4/2016 | Johnson, Rufus | Signed to the practice squad |
| 4/30/2016 | Grugier-Hill, Kamu | Drafted | 9/4/2016 | Lucien, Devin | Signed to the practice squad |
| 4/30/2016 | Roberts, Elandon | Drafted | 9/5/2016 | Sankey, Bishop | Signed to the practice squad |
| 4/30/2016 | Karras, Ted | Drafted | 9/5/2016 | Street, Devin | Signed to the practice squad |
| 4/30/2016 | Lucien, Devin | Drafted | 9/6/2016 | Hilton, Mike | Signed to the practice squad |
|  |  |  | 9/6/2016 | Sunseri, Vinnie | Signed to the practice squad |
| MAY, 2016 |  |  | 9/7/2016 | Rowe, Eric | Acquired Via Trade (Philadelphia) |
| 5/2/2016 | Melvin Rashaan | Released | 9/7/2016 | Kline, Josh | Released |
| 5/2/2016 | Vaughters, James | Released | 9/7/2016 | Gause, Quentin | Signed to the practice squad |
| 5/6/2016 | Jones, Cyrus | Signed/Draft Choice | 9/7/2016 | Johnson, Rufus | Released from the practice squad |
| 5/6/2016 | Thuney, Joe | Signned/Draft Choice | 9/13/2016 | Hilton, Mike | Released from the practice squad |
| 5/6/2016 | Valentine, Vincent | Signed/Draft Choice | 9/14/2016 | White, DeAndrew | Signed to the practice squad |
| 5/6/2016 | Mitchell, Malcolm | Signed/Draft Choice | 9/15/2017 | Silberman, Ian | Signed to the practice squad |
| 5/6/2016 | Grugier-Hill, Kamu | Signed/Draft Choice | 9/15/2017 | DeBord, Clay | Released from the practice squad |
| 5/6/2016 | Roberts, Elandon | Signed/Draft Choice | 9/26/2017 | Johnson, Anthony | Released |
| 5/6/2016 | Karras, Ted | Signed/Draft Choice | 9/27/2016 | Hughes III, John | Signed |
| 5/6/2016 | Lucien, Devin | Signed/Draft Choice | 9/27/2016 | Brown, Da'Ron | Signed to the practice squad |
| 5/6/2016 | Bentley, V'Angeloa | Signed | 9/28/2016 | Johnson, Anthony | Signed to the practice squad |
| 5/6/2016 | Foster, D.J. | Signed | 9/28/2016 | Silberman, Ian | Released from the practice squad |
| 5/6/2016 | Hamilton, Woodrow | Signed |  |  |  |
| 5/6/2016 | Johnson, D.J. | Signed | OCTOBER, | 016 |  |
| 5/6/2016 | Jones, Jonathan | Signed | 10/1/2016 | Scruggs, Greg | Signed |
| 5/6/2016 | LeBlanc, Cre'von | Signed | 10/1/2016 | Gronkowski, Glenn | Signed to the practice squad |
| 5/6/2016 | Scheu, Steven | Signed | 10/1/2016 | Hughes III, John | Released |
| 5/6/2016 | Williams, Bryce | Signed | 10/1/2016 | Brown, Da'Ron | Released from the practice squad |
| 5/6/2016 | Iosefa, Joey | Released | 10/3/2016 | Harbor, Clay | Released |
| 5/9/2016 | Johnson, Anthony | Signed | 10/5/2016 | Farris, Chase | Signed to the practice squad |
| 5/9/2016 | Bostic, Jonathan | Traded to Detroit | 10/5/2016 | Gause, Quentin | Released from the practice squad |
| 5/11/2016 | Steward, Tony | Released | 10/7/2016 | Brissett, Jacoby | Placed on Reserve/Injured |
| 5/13/2016 | Iosefa, Joey | Signed | $\begin{aligned} & 10 / 8 / 2016 \\ & 10 / 8 / 2016 \end{aligned}$ | Hamilton, Woodrow Cooper, Jonathan | Signed from the practice squad Released |
| JUNE, 2016 |  |  | 10/11/2016 | Silberman, Ian | Signed to the practice squad |
| 6/10/2016 | Williams, Michael | Released | 10/12/2016 | Evans, Shaquelle | Signed to the practice squad |
| 6/16/2016 | Bissett, Jacoby | Signed/Draft Choice | 10/12/2016 | Gronkowski, Glenn | Released from the practice squad |


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| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| OCTOBER, 2016 (continued) |  |  |
| 10/15/2016 | Grissom, Geneo | Signed from the practice squad |
| 10/15/2016 | Johnson, Anthony | Signed from the practice squad |
| 10/15/2016 | Freeny, Jonathan | Placed on Reserve/Injured |
| 10/15/2016 | Scruggs, Greg | Placed on Reserve/Injured |
| 10/17/2016 | Gaffney, Tyler | Signed from the practice squad |
| 10/17/2016 | Gronkowski, Glenn | Signed from the practice squad |
| 10/18/2016 | Douglas, Jamil | Signed to the practice squad |
| 10/18/2016 | Silberman, Ian | Released from the practice squad |
| 10/20/2016 | Reilly, Trevor | Signed to the practice squad |
| 10/20/2016 | Evans, Shaquelle | Released from the practice squad |
| 10/24/2016 | Johnson, Anthony | Released |
| 10/24/2016 | Sunseri, Vinnie | Released from the practice squad |
| 10/25/2016 | Van Noy, Kyle | Acquired Via Trade (Detroit) |
| 10/25/2016 | Derby, AJ | Traded to Denver |
| 10/25/2016 | Gary, Shamiel | Signed to the practice squad |
| 10/26/2016 | Johnson, Anthony | Signed to the practice squad |
| 10/26/2016 | Farris, Chase | Released from the practice squad |
| 10/29/2016 | Gaffney, Tyler | Signed from the practice squad |
| 10/31/2016 | Collins, Jamie | Traded to Cleveland |
| NOVEMBER, 2016 |  |  |
| 11/1/2016 | Farris, Chase | Signed to the practice squad |
| 11/1/2016 | Traylor, Austin | Signed to the practice squad |
| 11/2/2016 | Lengel, Matt | Signed from Cincinnati practice squad |
| 11/7/2016 | Bates, Trevor | Signed to the practice squad |
| 11/7/2016 | Gronkowski, Glenn | Released from the practice squad |
| 11/10/2016 | Gaffney, Tyler | Released |
| 11/12/2016 | Lewis, Dion | Activated to the 53-man roster |
| 11/12/2016 | Backman, Kennard | Signed to the practice squad |
| 11/12/2016 | Gaffney, Tyler | Signed to the practice squad |
| 11/12/2016 | Traylor, Austin | Released from the practice squad |
| 11/15/2016 | Backman, Kennard | Released from the practice squad |
| 11/16/2016 | Gronkowski, Glenn | Signed to the practice squad |
| 11/26/2016 | Gary, Shamiel | Releases from the practice squad |
| 11/28/2016 | Foster, D.J. | Released |
| 11/28/2016 | Kiilgo, Darius | Claimed off Waivers (Denver) |
| 11/29/2016 | Backman, Kennard | Signed to the practice squad |
| 11/30/2016 | Foster, D.J. | Signed to the practice squad |
| 11/30/2016 | Gronkowski, Glenn | Released from the practice squad |
| DECEMBER, 2016 |  |  |
| 12/2/2016 | Gronkowski, Glenn | Signed to the practice squad |
| 12/2/2016 | Backman, Kennard | Released from the practice squad |
| 12/3/2016 | Gronkowski, Rob | Placed on Reserve/Injured |
| 12/3/2016 | Foster, D.J. | Signed from the practice squad |
| 12/8/2016 | Kilgo, Darius | Released |
| 12/9/2016 | Whalen, Griff | Signed |
| 12/10/2016 | Kilgo, Darius | Signed to the practice squad |
| 12/15/2016 | Floyd, Michael | Claimed off Waivers (Arizona) |
| 12/15/2016 | Whalen, Griff | Released |
| 12/21/2016 | Brissett, Jacoby | Activated to the 53-man roster |
| 12/21/2016 | Hamilton, Woodrow | Released |
| 12/23/2016 | Hamilton, Woodrow | Signed to the practice squad |



The New England Patriots and Miami Dolphins will square off for the 103rd time, including three playoff games, in their 51st year as division foes and for the for the second of two meetings in 2016. The Patriots beat Miami, 31-24, on Sept. 18 at Gillette Stadium.

The Patriots will be playing against Miami in the final regular game of the season for the second straight year and for the 14th time overall. Of those 14 games, seven of them were played in Miami, including the final game of the 2015 season. The Patriots and Dolphins are tied at 7-7 in those games but New England is 3-4 in those games at Miami.

The only other time the two teams played met on New Year's Day was on Jan. 1, 2006 in the final game of the 2005 season, a $28-26$ win by Miami.

The Patriots have lost on their last three visits to Miami.
The Patriots and Dolphins have split the annual series for the last three seasons with both teams winning their home contests and losing on the road.

The Patriots have had the upper hand at home against Miami, holding a 33-17 record in games played in New England in the regular-season, including a 13-2 record at Gillette Stadium. But the Patriots are only 15-36 all-time in Miami, including two postseason games. Miami beat the Patriots at Gillette Stadium for the first time in the final game of the 2005 season, 28-26, when Patriots starting QB Tom Brady was pulled out of action after the first quarter. Miami also beat the Patriots, 38-13, at Gillette Stadium, on Sept. 21, 2008

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

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

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## MIAMI 53, NEW ENGLAND 49

(Including New England 2, Miami 1 in Playoffs)
*-A Miami home game was played in Tampa in 1969
Record in New England. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 34-17 [Incl. 1-0 in playoffs)
Record in Foxborough . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 32-15 (1-0)
Record in Boston. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . .2-2
Record in Miami. 15-36 (Incl. 1-1 in playoffs)
Record at Dolphins / Pro Player / Joe Robbie/ Sun Life ............ 11-18
Record at Orange Bowl . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 3-18 [1-1]
Record in Tampa* . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 1-0
Seasonal Sweeps . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . Patriots 9, Dolphins 13
Seasonal Splits . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 26 [Most recent 2015]
Bill Belichick vs. Miami . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 21-14 [21-12 with New England)

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* Since Bill Belichick became Patriots head coach in 2000, New England is 21-12 (.636) against the Miami Dolphins.
$\star$ Since 2000, the Patriots are 74-27 [.733] against AFC East opponents. The Patriots are 21-12 against the Dolphins over that span and are 24-10 against the New York Jets and 29-4 against the Buffalo Bills in that time. The Patriots were 3-1 against Indianapolis from 2000 through 2001 when they were in the AFC East.
$\star$ The Patriots have not been swept in their season series with a divisional opponent since 2000, when they lost both games to Miami and also to the New York Jets.


## TALE OF THE TAPE

2016 Regular Season
Record
Divisional Standings
Total Yards Gained
Total Offense (Rank)
Rush Offense
Pass Offense
Points Per Game
Touchdowns Scored
Third Down Conversion Pct.
Team Passer Rating
Total Yards Allowed
Total Defense [Rank]
Rush Defense
Pass Defense
Points Allowed/Game
Touchdowns Allowed
Third Down Defense (Pct.]
Field Goals Made/ Attempted
Possession Avg.
Sacks Allowed/Yards Lost
Sacks Made/Yards
Passing TD/Int. [Off.]
Passing TD/Int. [Def.)
Penalties Against/Yards
Punts/Avg.
Takeaway/Giveaway Ratio

| New England | Miami |
| :---: | :---: |
| 13-2 | 10-5 |
| 1st | 2nd |
| 5,784 | 5,044 |
| 385.6 (5) | 336.3 (22) |
| 116.8 (8) | 116.6 (9) |
| 268.8 [4] | 219.7 (26) |
| 27.1 (5) | 23.3 (16) |
| 47 | 43 |
| 45.1 | 35.2 |
| 108.3 | 95.7 |
| 4,943 | 5,726 |
| 329.5 (8) | 381.7 (30) |
| 89.5 (3) | 141.8 (30) |
| 240.1 (14) | 229.9 (13) |
| 15.7 (1) | 23.0 (14) |
| 25 | 39 |
| 35.6 | 34.8 |
| 25/29 | 16/21 |
| 31:13 | 28:22 |
| 24/148 | 30/216 |
| 34/227 | 33/226 |
| 29/2 | 25/14 |
| 19/12 | 27/16 |
| 86/755 | 116/1068 |
| 69/41.3 | 85/44.5 |
| +10 (3t) | +4 (10t) |

PATRIOTS VS. MIAMIN THE LAST CAME
This week's game will be the 15ht time the two teams have played against each other in the final game of the season. It also marks the second straight season the Patriots will end the regular season at Miami.

| DATE | SCORE | W/L | OPPONENT |
| :--- | :--- | :---: | :--- |
| $12 / 17 / 67$ | $32-41$ | L | at Maimi |
| $12 / 15 / 74$ | $27-34$ | L | at Miami |
| $12 / 18 / 78$ | $3-23$ | L | at Miami |
| $12 / 22 / 86$ | $34-27$ | W | at Miami |
| $12 / 28 / 87$ | $24-10$ | W | at Miami |
| $12 / 27 / 92$ | $13-16$ | L | vs. Miami [OT] |
| $01 / 02 / 94$ | $33-27$ | W | vs. Miami [OT] |
| $12 / 22 / 97$ | $14-12$ | W | at Miami |
| $12 / 24 / 00$ | $24-27$ | L | vs. Miami |
| $12 / 29 / 02$ | $27-24$ | W | vs. Miami [OT] |
| $01 / 01 / 06$ | $26-28$ | L | vs. Miami |
| $01 / 02 / 11$ | $38-7$ | W | vs. Miami |
| $12 / 30 / 12$ | $28-0$ | W | vs. Miami |
| $01 / 03 / 16$ | $10-20$ | L | at Miami |

## 2016 MEETING \#1: PATRIOTS 31, DOLPHINS 24

October 29, $2015 \star$ Gillette Stadium

|  | $\mathbf{1}$ | $\mathbf{2}$ | $\mathbf{3}$ | $\mathbf{4}$ | Final |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Miami Dolphins | 0 | 3 | 7 | 14 | -24 |
| New England Patriots | 14 | 10 | 7 | 0 | -31 |

The New England Patriots got off to a hot start, taking a 31-3 lead in the third quarter before hanging on for a 31-24 win over the Miami Dolphins to improve to a 2-0 start to the season.

Miami trimmed the Patriots lead to 31-24 with 6:06 left to play. The Patriots moved to the Miami 21-yard line but K Stephen Gostkowski's 39-yard field goal attempt sailed wide right, allowing the Dolphins to get the ball back with 1:04 to play. The Dolphins reached the 29-yard line with nine seconds to play and attempted a pass into the end zone that was intercepted by DB Duron Harmon to secure the win.

Garoppolo started the game, and led the Patriots on three straight scoring drives for a 21-0 lead before being forced to leave the game late in the second quarter with a shoulder injury. He finished the game 18-of-27 for 234 yards with three touchdowns.

TE Martellus Bennett and RB LeGarrette Blount both had big games. Bennett had five receptions for 114 yards, including a 20-yard touchdown pass and a 37-yard pass from backup QB Jacoby Brissett to help set up a third-quarter touchdown run. Blount finished with 123 yards on 29 attempts for a 4.2yard average and scored on a 9-yard touchdown run in the third quarter.

Garoppolo capped an 8-play, 75-yard drive with a 12-yard touchdown pass to WR Danny Amendola on the first possession of the game. A 19-yard pas and a 24-yard pass from Garoppolo to WR Chris Hogan helped get in position for his 20-yard touchdown to TE Martellus Bennett for a 14-0 first quarter lead. Garoppolo finished a 12-play, 76-yuard drive with a 10-yard touchdown pass to Amendola to go up 21-0 early in the second quarter.

Miami, who ran just six plays in the first quarter, finally got on the board as time expired in the first half with a field goal that made it 24-3 at the break.

On the Patriots first offensive play in the third quarter, Brissett completed his first pro pass, a 37-yard gain to Bennett to get into Miami territory. A 14yard pass to RB James White followed by a 15-yarer to Bennett helped get into position for Blount's 9 -yard touchdown run for a 31-3 third quarter lead.

Miami scored on their next three offensive drives behind two touchdown throws from QB Ryan Tannehill and a 7-yard touchdown run by RB Kenyan Drake to close the gap to 31-24 late in the fourth quarter. Tannehill completed 20-of-21 passes to start the second half.

The Patriots possessed the ball for $36: 46$ compared to Miami's 23:14.

## ERADY VS. MIAMI

Tom Brady is scheduled to start at quarterback against Miami for the 29th time and has compiled a 19-9 record in his previous 28 starts against the Dolphins. Brady is 69-18 in his career as a starter in the regular-season against AFC East opponents, with nine of the 18 losses coming to the Dolphins. One of those losses was in the final game of the 2005 season when Brady was pulled after the first quarter.

| Date | TOM BRADY VS. MIAMI DOLPHINS [19-9) (REGULAR SEASON) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Score |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | H/A | A A | C | Yd | \% | TD | 1 | Rating | W/L |  |
| 10/07/01 | A | 24 | 12 | 86 | . 500 | 0 | 0 | 58.7 | L | 10-30 |
| 12/22/01 | H | 19 | 11 | 108 | . 579 | 1 | 0 | 91.6 | W | 20-13 |
| 10/06/02 | A | 31 | 17 | 240 | . 548 | 2 | 2 | 74.7 | L | 13-26 |
| 12/29/02 | H | 44 | 25 | 221 | . 568 | 1 | 1 | 68.5 | W | 27-24 |
| 10/19/03 | A | 34 | 24 | 283 | . 706 | 2 | 0 | 115.2 | W | 19-13 |
| 12/07/03 | H | 31 | 16 | 163 | . 516 | 0 | 0 | 67.0 | W | 12-0 |
| 10/10/04 | H | 19 | 7 | 76 | . 368 | 2 | 1 | 62.6 | W | 24-10 |
| 12/20/04 | A | 29 | 18 | 171 | . 621 | 3 | 4 | 73.3 | L | 28-29 |
| 11/13/05 | A | 36 | 21 | 275 | . 583 | 2 | 2 | 77.9 | W | 23-16 |
| 01/01/06* |  | 8 | 3 | 37 | . 375 | 1 | 1 | 52.6 | L | 26-28 |
| 10/08/06 | H | 29 | 16 | 140 | . 552 | 2 | 0 | 91.2 | W | 20-10 |
| 12/10/06 | A | 25 | 12 | 78 | . 480 | 0 | 0 | 55.1 | L | 0-21 |
| 10/21/07 | A | 25 | 21 | 354 | . 840 | 6 | 0 | 158.3 | W | 49-28 |
| 12/23/07 | H | 33 | 18 | 215 | . 545 | 3 | 2 | 79.7 | W | 28-7 |
| 11/08/09 | H | 37 | 25 | 332 | . 676 | 1 | 1 | 93.5 | W | 27-17 |
| 12/06/09 | A | 29 | 19 | 352 | 65.5 | 2 | 2 | 101.5 | L | 21-22 |
| 10/04/10 | A | 24 | 19 | 153 | . 792 | 1 | 0 | 107.1 | W | 41-14 |
| 01/02/11 | H | 16 | 10 | 199 | . 625 | 2 | 0 | 145.6 | W | 38-7 |
| 09/12/11 | A | 48 | 32 | 517 | . 667 | 4 | 1 | 121.6 | W | 38-24 |
| 12/24/11 | H | 46 | 27 | 304 | . 587 | 1 | 0 | 85.8 | W | 27-24 |
| 12/02/12 | A | 40 | 24 | 238 | . 600 | 1 | 1 | 74.8 | W | 23-16 |
| 12/30/12 | H | 36 | 22 | 284 | . 611 | 2 | 0 | 104.4 | W | 28-0 |
| 10/27/13 | H | 22 | 13 | 116 | . 591 | 1 | 1 | 69.5 | W | 27-17 |
| 12/14/13 | A | 55 | 34 | 364 | . 618 | 2 |  | 85.7 | L | 20-24 |
| 09/07/14 | A | 56 | 29 | 249 | . 518 | 1 | 0 | 69.7 | L | 20-33 |
| 12/14/14 | H | 35 | 21 | 287 | . 600 | 2 |  | 93.4 | W | 41-13 |
| 10/29/15 | H | 38 | 26 | 456 | . 684 | 4 | 0 | 133.2 | W | 36-7 |
| 01/03/16 | A | 21 | 12 | 134 | . 571 | 0 | 0 | 76.3 | L | 10-20 |
| Totals |  | 890 | 534 | 6,332 | . 600 | 49 | 21 | 90.2 |  | 19-9 |



## CONN=CTIONS

NEW ENGLAND TIES

* Dolphins LB Kiko Alonso was born in Newton, Mass.
$\star$ Miami special teams coordinator/assistant head coach Darren Rizzi played at the University of Rhode Island from 1988-91 and later returned to the school to coach, in addition to stints at New Haven and Northeastern.
$\star \quad$ Dolphins defensive backs coach Lou Anarumo was the assistant head coach/defensive backs/special teams at Harvard from 1995-2000
$\star$ Miami tight ends coach Shane Day coached the quarterbacks at Connecticut from 2012-13.
* Dolphins assistant wide receivers coach Ben Johnson worked at Boston College from 2009-11.
$\star$ Miami defensive quality control coach Rusty McKinney coached at Bentley College in Waltham, Mass. for five seasons and also spent time working at St. Anselm College in Manchester, N.H.


## SOUTH FLORIDA TIES

$\star \quad$ Patriots QB Jacoby Brissett is from West Palm Beach, Fla.
$\star$ Patriots DL Jabaal Sheard is from Hollywood, Fla.
$\star \quad$ Patriots RB James White is from Ft. Lauderdale, Fla.

## FORMER PATRIOTS

$\star$ Miami wide receivers coach Shawn Jefferson played for the Patriots from 1996-99.

* Dolphins LB Trevor Reilly spent much of the 2016 season on the New England practice squad before he was signed by Miami on December 19.


## FORMER DOLPHINS

$\star$ Patriots tight ends coach Brian Daboll was the Dolphins offensive coordinator in 2011.

## FORMER NFL TEAMMATES

$\star \quad$ Miami S Isa Abdul-Quddus played with New England OL LaAdrian Waddle at the Detroit Lions.

* Dolphins T Branden Albert played in Kansas City when Patriots tight ends coach Brian Daboll was the offensive coordinator for the Chiefs.
* Miami LB Kiko Alonso, C/G Kraig Urbik and DE Mario Williams played with Patriots DL Alan Branch and WR Chris Hogan at the Buffalo Bills.
$\star$ Miami OL Jermon Bushrod played with Patriots TE Martellus Bennett and LB Shea McClellin at the Chicago Bears.


## CONNECTIONS (CONTINUED)

$\star \quad$ Dolphins TE MarQueis Gray played with Patriots RB Dion Lewis and DL Jabaal Sheard at the Cleveland Browns.
$\star \quad$ Gray also played with Patriots WR Chris Hogan at the Buffalo Bills.

* Miami DE Jason Jones was teammates with New England DL Alan

Branch at the Seattle Seahawks and OL LaAdrian Waddle at the Detroit Lions.
$\star \quad$ Dolphins CB Byron Maxwell also played with Branch the Seahawks.
$\star$ Dolphins DT Ndamukong Suh and Patriots OL LaAdrian Waddle were teammates at the Detroit Lions.

* Miami head coach Adam Gase was the wide receivers coach at the Broncos when Patriots offensive coordinator Josh McDaniels was the head coach in Denver.
$\star \quad$ Gase also coached Patriots TE Martellus Bennett when he was the offensive coordinator for the Chicago Bears in 2015.
* Miami quarterbacks coach Bo Hardegree was an offensive assistant for the Bears when Patriots TE Martellus Bennett and LB Shea McClellin played in Chicago.
$\star$ Dolphins offensive quality control coach Chris Kuper played for the Broncos when Patriots offensive coordinator Josh McDaniels was the head coach in Denver. Kuper played for the team from 2006-13 and was an offensive co-caption in 2010 under McDaniels.


## FORMER COLLEGE TEAMMATES

$\star$ Miami special teams coordinator/assistant head coach Darren Rizzi worked at Rutgers when Patriots DB Devin McCourty played for the Scarlet Knights.
$\star$ Dolphins defensive backs coach Lou Anarumo coached at Syracuse with Patriots running backs coach Ivan Fears in 1990.
$\star \quad$ Dolphins senior defensive assistant Jim Washburn worked with Patriots offensive line coach Dante Scarnecchia at Southern Methodist University in 1976.
$\star \quad$ Miami LB Kiko Alonso and LB Spencer Paysinger played with Patriots RB LeGarrette Blount and S Patrick Chung at Oregon.
$\star \quad$ Dolphins S Michael Thomas and Patriots OL Cameron Fleming were teammates at Stanford.
$\star \quad$ Miami T Ja'Wuan James played with Patriots DB Justin Coleman at the University of Tennessee.
$\star$ Miami T Branden Albert and New England DE Chris Long played together at Virginia.

## PATRIOTS 41, JETS 3

December 24, 2016 * Gillette Stadium

|  | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | Final |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| New York Jets | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | -3 |
| New England Patriots | 10 | 17 | 7 | 7 | -41 |

The New England Patriots improved to a 13-2 record and inched one step closer to securing the top seed in the AFC playoff field. A win in the season-finale against Miami will give the Patriots the top seed.

QB Tom Brady threw three touchdown passes to help lead the Patriots to a 41-3 victory over the New York Jets for the Patriots 17th series sweep in the annual series. The patriots jumped to a 27-0 first half lead and held the jets to just eight pass completions.

The Patriots defense forced four turnovers with two interceptions by CB Malcolm Butler, one by DB Eric Rowe and a forced fumble by rookie LB Elandon Roberts that was recovered by Butler. The Patriots scored 24 points off the four turnovers. The Patriots defense was stellar on third down, holding the Jets to just one conversion on 11 attempts.

After stopping the Jets on three straight plays to start the game, the Patriots drove 42-yards in nine plays before settling for a 29-yard field goal by K Stephen Gostkowski. Butler picked off Jets QB Bryce Petty on the ensuing series to give the Patriots the ball at midfield. A 22-yard pass from Brady to WR Chris Hogan on third down helped get in position for Brady's 5-yard touchdown pass to TE Martellus Bennett for a 10-0 first quarter lead.

The Patriots scored 17 unanswered points in the second quarter. Roberts forced a fumble on a hit to Jets RB Khiry Robinson that was recovered by Butler at the Jets 28 -yard line early in the second quarter. That helped lead to a 22-yard field goal and a 13-0 lead.

Rowe had his first interception of his Patriots career later in the quarter when he picked off a QB Ryan Fitzpatrick pass at the New England 46-yard line. Fitzpatrick was forced into the game following an injury to Petty. A 35-yard pass from Brady to WR Julian Edelman later in e series helped set up Brady's 18 -yard touchdown pass to WR Matt Lengel, his first career reception. The Patriots got the ball back with 1:30 left and a 47-yard pass interference penalty moved the ball to the Jets 25 -yard line to set up Brady's 25-yard touchdown pass to RB James White for a 27-0 halftime lead.

RB Legarrette Blount scored on back-to-back drives with a 1-yard touchdown run in the third quarter and a 1-yard touchdown run in the fourth quarter to make it 41-0.

The Jets finally got on the board with a field goal midway through the fourth quarter.


## PATS WIN 13 CAMES

The win over the Jets was the Patriots 13th win of the season. The Patriots have now won 13 or games in a season six times, tied with Denver for the second most in NFL history.

PATRIOTS 13-WIN SEASONS
2003-14-2
2004-14-2
2007-16-0
2010-14-2
2011-13-3
2014-13-2

|  | MOST SEASONS WITH 13 OR MORE WINS <br> 13 or more win seasons |
| :--- | :---: |
| Team | 9 |
| San Francisco | 6 |
| New England | 6 |
| Denver | 5 |
| Chicago | 5 |
| Green Bay | 5 |

## DIVIGIONAL DOMINANCE

The New England Patriots own a 75-22 (.773) 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 | T | Pct. |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| New England | 75 | 22 | 0 | .773 |
| Indianapolis | 69 | 28 | 0 | .711 |
| Green Bay | 67 | 28 | 1 | .703 |
| Pittsburgh | 67 | 31 | 0 | .684 |


|  | AFC EAST DIVISIONAL RECORDS SINCE 2001 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :--- | ---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | ---: | ---: |
| Team | W | L | T | Pct. | Div. Titles | Years |  |
| New England | 75 | 22 | 0 | .773 | 14 | 2001, 03-07, 09-16 |  |
| N.Y. Jets | 44 | 53 | 0 | .454 | 1 | 2002 |  |
| Miami | 40 | 56 | 0 | .417 | 1 | 2008 |  |
| Buffalo | 35 | 61 | 0 | .365 | 0 | - |  |

## PATS AIM FOR ANOTHER NO, SEAD

The Patriots can clinch the top seed. The Patriots have earned five number one seeds $(2014,2011,2010,2007$ and 2003) in the postseason since 1990, the most in the NFL under that system. The NFL began playoff seeding in 1975 and the current playoff format was instituted in 1990.

MOST NO. 1 SEEDS IN THE PLAYOFF FIELD
[SINCE 1990)

| New England | $\mathbf{5}$ |
| :--- | :--- |
| Denver | 5 |
| Dallas | 4 |
| Pittsburgh | 4 |
| San Francisco | 4 |
|  |  |
|  |  |
| San Francisco | 8 |
| Denver | 8 |
| Pittsburgh | 6 |
| Dallas | 6 |
| New England | $\mathbf{5}$ |
| Oakland | 5 |

## MOST NO. 1 SEEDS OVERALL

 [SINCE 1975]
## DEFENSE HOLDS JETS TO 8 COMPLETIONS

The Patriots defense held the New York Jets to just eight completions. It is the 26th time the Patriots defense has held its opponent under 10 completions in a game and the first since holding Tennessee to two completions on Oct. 18, 2009.

## LOW INTERCAPTION MARK

The 2016 Patriots have thrown just two interceptions in 2016 through the first 16 weeks of the season with 516 pass attempts, the fewest interceptions thrown by any team though the first 16 weeks of the season since the 1970 merger. Prior to the Patriots, the fewest interceptions through the first 16 weeks of the season were five interceptions. The 2016 Dallas Cowboys and the 2016 Minnesota Vikings have thrown just four interceptions.

## CLOSING ON NFL PICK R=CORD

The Patriots have thrown just two interceptions in 2016. The NFL record for fewest interceptions thrown in a season by an NFL team since the 1970 merger is five. The Patriots had just five passes intercepted in 2010, tying the NFL mark for fewest interceptions in a single season. New England attempted 507 passes in 2010, with just five resulting in interceptions. The Patriots are the only team of that group to have only five interceptions with over 500 pass attempts. The 2016 Patriots have 516 pass attempts and just two interceptions.

FEWEST INTERCEPTIONS IN A SEASON

| Year | Team | Int. | Pass Attempts |
| :--- | :--- | :---: | :---: |
| 2010 | New England | 5 | 507 |
| 2011 | San Francisco | 5 | 451 |
| 1990 | Kansas City | 5 | 449 |
| 1990 | NY Giants | 5 | 398 |
| 1966 | Green Bay | 5 | 318 |
| 1960 | Cleveland | 5 | 264 |

PATRIOTS
Last Game

## ANOTH＝R UNロ＝F＝ATEロ MONTH

The Patriots finished the month of December with a 4－0 record for the second undefeated month of the 2016 season．The Patriots finished the month of September with a 3－0 record．The Patriots have 23 undefeated months since the 2000 season，the most in the NFL during that time period．Indianapolis is second with 15 undefeated months during that time．

PATRIOTS UNDEFEATED MONTHS SINCE THE 2000 SEASON ［NOT INCLUDING 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

## GTINCY D＝F＝NEE

The Patriots defense has 10 seasons holding opponents under 20 points per game since 2001，including in each of the last two seasons．The 2016 Patriots have allowed just 15.7 points per game，the best in the NFL in 2016．The Pa－ triots defense has held it opponent under 20 points in ten games in 2016．The Patriots held their opponents under 20 points 11 times in 2001 and 2006， the most under Bill Belichick．The only other time the Patriots have led the NFL in this category was in 2003 when they finished by allowing just 14.9 points per game．

SEASONS ALLOWING 20 POINTS PER GAME OR FEWER SINCE 2001

| Team | Seasons | Years |
| :--- | ---: | :--- |
| New England | 10 | $2001,2003-04,2006-10,2014-15$ |
| Baltimore | 10 | $2001,2003-06,2008-11,2014$ |
| Pittsburgh | 10 | $2001,2004-08,2010-12,2015$ |
| Miami | 8 | $2001-03,2005-06,2008,2011-12$ |



## B＝alchick 9 1C－WIN G＝AGONE

Bill Belichick is the first head coach in NFL history with 13 or more wins in six different seasons．
2003－14－2
2004－14－2
2007－16－0
2010－14－2
2011－13－3
2016－13－2

## 

Bill Belichick now has 200 career regular－season wins with the Patriots，and is the fifth head coach to reach 200 regular－season wins with one team． NFL Head Coaches with the Most wins with one team

George Halas［Chicago］－318－148
Don Shula［Miami］－257－133－2
Tom Landry（Dallas）－250－162
Curly Lambeau［Green Bay］－209－104－21
Bill Belichick［Patriots］－200－71
Chuck Noll（Pittsburgh）－193－148－1

## 

Tom Brady is 54－10（．844）in December，the second－best winning percentage in December among quarterbacks in the Super Bowl era．Roger Staubach is first（17－3，．850）．Brady has 54 wins in December，which is two more than the 52 by Brett Favre for the most among all NFL quarterbacks．Peyton Manning is next with 49 wins．

## ERADY cODD AcANST THE JETS

Tom Brady has 23 regular－season wins against the New York Jets as a starter and joins Brett Favre as the only quarterbacks with at least 23 wins against two opponents．
MOST WINS BY A STARTING QUARTERBACK AGAINST AN OPPONENT

| Player | Wins |
| :--- | ---: |
| Tom Brady | 26 wins against Buffalo |
| Brett Favre | 26 wins against Detroit |
| Tom Brady | 23 wins against NY Jets |
| Brett Favre | 23 wins against Chicago |
| Dan Marino | 22 wins against Indianapolis |

## 

K Stephen Gostkowski＇s 29－yard field goal in the first quarter was his 300th career field goal．He is the 30th NFL player to reach 300 career field goals．His 300 field goals are fifth among active NFL players．
Most Field Goals Among Active NFL kickers

| Adam Vinatieri | 538 |
| :--- | :--- |
| Sebastian Janikowski | 414 |
| Phil Dawson | 478 |
| Matt Bryant | 329 |
| Stephen Gostkowski | $\mathbf{3 0 1}$ |

## EUTLER HAS FIST TWO－PICK CAME

CB Malcolm Butler had his first career two－interception game．It is the first time a Patriots player has had two picks in a game since CB Logan Ryan had two interceptions at Baltimore on Dec．22， 2013.

## THE 日UTLER ロ｜｜IT－THRE＝TIMES

Butler had three total takeaways with two interceptions and a fumble recovery in the second quarter．It is the first time that a Patriots player has had three takeaways in the same game since Steve Gregory had two fumble recoveries and an interception at N．Y．Jets（11／22／12）．

## ERADY TAKES AlM AT INTERCEPTION MARK

Tom Brady has thrown just two interceptions in 399 pass attempts in 2016. Brady＇s lowest interception total during his career was in 2010 when he threw just four interceptions

NFL INTERCEPTION PERCENTAGE（150 MIN ATTEMPTS］

| Rank | Player | Int．Pct． |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1. | Damon Huard（KC） 2006 （244－1） | 0.41 |
| 2. | Josh McCown（CHI） 2013 ［224－1］ | 0.45 |
| 3. | David Garrard（JAC） 2005 ［168－1］ | 0.60 |
| 4. | Nick Foles（PHI） 2013 ［317－2］ | 0.63 |
| 5. | Joe Ferguson［BUF］ 1976 ［151－1］ | 0.66 |
| 6. | Tom Brady［ NE ］ 2010 ［492－4］ | 0.81 |
| 7. | Steve DeBerg（KС） 1990 （444－4） | 0.90 |

RB LeGarrette Blount scored on a 1－yard touchdown run in the third quarter and a 1－yard touchdown in the fourth quarter for his 16th and 17th touch－ downs of the season．His 17 rushing touchdowns lead the NFL．He can become the third Patriots player to lead the league in rushing touchdowns．Jim Nance led the AFL in rushing touchdowns in 1966 with 11 and 1967 with 7 ．Blount＇s 17 rushing touchdowns are the most since LeSean McCoy had 17 for Phila－ delphia in 2011.

## MOST RUSHING TOUCHDOWNS／SEASON IN PATRIOTS HISTORY

## LeGarrette Blount， 2016

14
14
13
13
13
12
12
12
12
$\square$

Curtis Martin， 1996
Curtis Martin， 1995
BenJarvus Green－Ellis， 2010
Corey Dillon， 2006
Stevan Ridley， 2012
Corey Dillon， 2005
Corey Dillon， 2004
Antowain Smith， 2001
Steve Grogan， 1976
BenJarvis Green－Ellis， 2011
Horace lvory， 1978
Jim Nance， 1966
Tony Collins， 1983

## ELOUNT TIES MARTIN FOR BRD－MOST TDS

Blount now had 17 touchdowns in 2016，tied with Curtis Martin（17 in 1996）for the third－most touchdowns in a single season for the Patriots
PATRIOTS RECORD FOR MOST OVERALL TOUCHDOWNS IN A SEASON 23 Randy Moss， 2007 （23 receiving）
18 Rob Gronkowksi， 2011 （17 receiving and 1 rushing）

## 17 LeGarrette Blount， 2016 （ 17 rushing）

17 Curtis Martin， 1996 （ 14 rushing and 3 receiving）
15 Curtis Martin， 1995 （ 14 rushing and 1 receiving）

## ELOUNT NEARING EO TDS

Blount has 17 rushing touchdowns and needs three in the final to become the 11 th running back to reach 20 rushing touchdowns in a single season． NFL PLAYERS WITH 20 OR MORE RUSHING TDS IN A SEASON

Player $\qquad$ Rushing Touchdowns
LaDainian Tomlinson［San Diego in 2006）
28
Shaun Alexander［Seattle in 2005］
27
Priest Holmes（Kansas City in 2003
27
Emmitt Smith（Dallas in 1995） 25
John Riggins（Washington in 1983）
24
Terry Allen［Washington in 1996］ 21
Terrell Davis（Denver in 1998）
Priest Holmes（Kansas City in 2002）
Joe Morris［NY Giants in 1985］ 21 21

Emmitt Smith［Dallas in 1994］ 21
Larry Johnson（Kansas City in 2002）

## ELOUNT NETS ANOTHER MULTI－TD GAME

Blount had his fourth multiple touchdown game of the 2016 season．He had three vs．Seattle on Nov．13，two at Pittsburgh on Oct 23 and two vs．Houston Sept．22．It was the 10th multi－score game of his career．

## UNDRAFTED PLAYERS IN A RUSH

Blount added 50 yards to push his career total to 5,071 yards．He is ranked sixth among all－time rookie free agents since the 1970 merger and needs 53 yards to move past Kevin Mack $[5,123$ ）into fifth place．
MOST RUSHING YARDS BY AN UNDRAFTED PLAYER［SINCE THE 1970 MERGER］

| Player | Yards |
| :--- | ---: |
| Priest Holmes | 8,172 |
| Arian Foster | 6,527 |
| Fred Jackson | 5,746 |
| Willie Parker | 5,378 |
| Kevin Mack | 5,123 |
| LeGarrette Blount | $\mathbf{5 , 0 7 1}$ |

## ERADY CHASINC WINS MARK

Tom Brady has the most wins by an NFL quarterback with 204 career wins． His 204 wins are the fifth most among all players．

MOST WINS BY AN NFL PLAYER
Player
Wins
Adam Vinatieri
220
George Blanda
218
Gary Anderson
212
Jerry Rice
210
Tom Brady
204

## EロELMAN CLOSETO 100 REC．\＆1，000 YロS．

WR Julian Edelman finished with five receptions for 89 yards to push his 2016 to－ tals to 90 receptions for 955 yards．He needs 10 receptions and 45 yards for his second 100－reception and 1，00－yard season．He can join Wes Welker（5 times）as the only Patriots to have at least two seasons with 100 receptions and 1，000 yards Nineteen NFL players have at least two seasons of 100 receptions and 1，000 yards．

## ＝ヨN＝R S＝TS CAR＝AR HICH

DB Nate Ebner finished with two special teams tackles to give him 18 for the season，a single－season career high．He had 17 special teams tackles as a rookie in 2012.

## B＝NN＝TT TIES CAREAR Tロ MARK

TE Martellus Bennett caught a 6－yard touchdown pass from QB Tom Brady in the first quarter for his sixth touchdown of the 2016 season to match his single－season career－high．He had six touchdowns in 2014 with the Chicago Bears．

## ROB＝\＃TS FORC＝S TH＝ISSUE

Rookie LB Elandon Roberts forced a fumble on a hit to Jets RB Khiry Robinson in the second quarter that was recovered by CB Malcolm Butler．The turnover was converted into a field goal．He also led the defense with 11 tackles．

## ROWE SNAGS FIRST PATS PICK

CB Eric Rowe picked off a Ryan Fitzpatrick pass in the second quarter for his first interception as a member of the Patriots．

## LANGEL CAREAR FIRSTG

TE Matt Lengel caught an 18－yard touchdown on his very first NFL reception． It is the first time that has occurred for the Patriots since WR Aaron Dobson caught 39－yard touchdown for his first NFL reception vs．the New York Jets on Sept．12， 2013.

## BRADY SPR＝ADS TH＝LoVE

Tom Brady connected with TE Matt Lengel on an 18－yard touchdown pass in the second quarter．Brady has now thrown touchdown passes to 64 different players in the regular season，behind Vinny Testaverde who had 70.
Most Touchdown Targets by an NFL Quarterback

| QUARTERBACK | TD TARGETS |
| :--- | ---: |
| Vinny Testaverde | 70 |
| Tom Brady | 64 |
| Steve DeBerg | 62 |
| Brett Favre | 61 |

## WHITE SETS CAR＝AB HICH

RB James White＇s 25－yard touchdown reception in the second quarter was his fifth receiving touchdown of the 2016 season to set a single－season high．He had four receiving touchdowns in 2015．The Patriots record for most receiving touchdowns by a running back is seven by Larry Garron in 1964．Billy Lott had six in 1961.

## LIN＝UP NOTES

## NEWLY ACQUIRED WR MICHAEL FLOYD MAKES HIS PATRIOTS DEBUT

$\star \quad$ Newly acquired WR Michael Floyd played in his first game with the Patriots He caught a 6－yard pass from QB Jimmy Garoppolo in the fourth quar－ ter．

## LB KYLE VAN NOY STARTS IN PLACE OF LB DONT＇A HIGHTOWER

$\star \quad$ LB Kyle Van Noy made his second start as a member of the Patri－ ots in place of LB Dont＇a Hightower，who was inactive．Van Noy made his first start as a Patriot at San Francisco on Nov． 20.

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2016 THIRD-ROUND PICK DL VINCENT VALENTINE MAKES FIRST NFL
START
\star 2016 third-round draft pick DL Vincent Valentine made his first
NFL start.
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*The Patriots can pass the Oakland Raiders (1973-1977) as the only team to advance to six straight Conference Championship games.
*The Patriots have won eight straight division titles [2009-16] to move past the Los Angeles Rams (7-1973-79) for the most consecutive division titles in NFL history. .
*The Patriots have 16 straight winning seasons to tie the San Francisco 49ers (1983-98) and the Dallas Cowboys (1970-85) for the most consecutive winning seasons since the 1970 merger.
*The Patriots have qualified for the playoffs for eight straight seasons and will become the fifth team in NFL history to play in a postseason game in at least eight consecutive seasons in 2016.
*The Patriots have advanced in the postseason for five straight seasons and need to advance in the postseason in 2016 to match the record of six straight seasons of postseason advancement by the Dallas Cowboys (1991-96).

## BILL BELICHICK

*Bill Belichick [6] needs to reach one more Super Bowl as a head coach to break a tie with Don Shula [6] for the most conference titles.
*Belichick has four Super Bowl wins as a head coach to match Pittsburgh's Chuck Noll for the most wins. With one more Super Bowl win, Belichick will have the most wins by a head coach in Super Bowl history.
*Belichick won his 14th division title to move past Tom Landry and Don Shula [13] to set the record for most among all head coaches.
*Bill Belichick now has 236 regular seasons wins. He is behind Don Shula [328), George Halas (318) and Tom Landry (250).
*Belichick's Patriots teams have twice recorded five straight years of playoff advancement (2003-07 and 2011-15), tying the NFL record. If the Patriots advance in 2016, they will set the NFL record. John Harbaugh (2008-12), Mike Holmgren (1993-97), John Madden (1973-77) and Andy Reid (2000-04) also won a playoff game in five consecutive seasons.

## TOM ERADY

*Tom Brady has 204 wins overall [182 in the regular season and 22 in the postseason) and passed Peyton Manning (200: 186 in the regular season and 14 in the postseason) to become the all-time leader for most wins by an NFL quarterback.

* Brady (182) is just the third NFL quarterback with 180 career regular-season wins, joining Brett Favre (186) and Peyton Manning [186].
*If Brady reaches 30 or more touchdowns passes in 2016, he will become just the fourth player in NFL history with 30 or more touchdown passes in seven seasons, joining Brett Favre [9], Peyton Manning [9] and Drew Brees (9).
*Brady is tied with Peyton Manning with four seasons with 35 or more touchdowns and needs to reach 35 touchdowns in 2016 for his fifth season with 35 or more touchdowns to become the all-time leader in this category.
*Brady became the fifth NFL quarter to reach 60,000 passing yards in the win at the NY Jets $911 / 27 / 16$ ]. he now has 61,306 passing yards.
*Brady has passed for 4,000 yards eight times in his career. He needs one more 4,000-yard season to be the third player to reach nine seasons with 4,000 yards, joining Peyton Manning (14) and Drew Brees [11).
*Brady led the NFL with 36 touchdowns passes in 2015, his fourth time leading the NFL in 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 is in his 17th season in 2016 and became the longest tenured Patriots player, surpassing the 16 seasons by Steve Grogan (1975-90).
*Brady's 17 seasons with one team are tied for the most by an NFL quarterback with John Brodie [San Francisco) and Dan Marino [Miami].


## STEPHEN GOSTKOWSKI

*If Stephen Gostkowski leads the NFL in scoring in 2016, 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 and 2012-15.
*Stephen Gostkowski has led the NFL in scoring in each of the last four seasons (2012-15). He can become just the second player to lead the NFL in scoring in five straight seasons in 2016, joining Don Hutson (1940-44).
*In 2015, Gostkowski became the first NFL player with four seasons of 150 or more points and can add to that in 2016.
*Gostkowski has the second-best field goal percentage in NFL history from 50 yards or more [ 76.0 percent (19-of-25).
*Gostkowski [4] needs one more 30-field goal season to tie David Akers and John Carney for the most in NFL history with five seasons of 30 or more field goals.
*Gostkowski has led the NFL in field goals three times [2008, 2013 and 2014]. If he leads the NFL in field goals in 2016, 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.

## INDIVIDIIAL



## TEAM NOTES


 KRAFT News \& Notes

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 23rd season of ownership, Kraft has transformed one of the league's least successful clubs into what observers view as a model NFL franchise. In the five seasons immediately preceding his purchase (1989-93), the Patriots were a moribund team, winning just 19 of 80 games (. 238 pct.) and logging the worst record in the NFL over that span. When he bought the franchise on Jan. 21, 1994, Kraft announced his intention to bring a championship to New England, a tall
 order considering the team's previous success rate. But under Kraft's leadership, the Patriots have won more division titles [16], conference crowns [7] and Super Bowl championships (4) than any other NFL team. Super Bowl XLIX was the seventh Super Bowl appearance since Kraft purchased the team, a period during which no other team has earned more than four berths. In Kraft's 23 seasons, the Patriots have qualified for the playoffs 18 times, more than doubling the franchise's accomplishments during its first 34 seasons. In 2016, Kraft earned his 20th winning season in 23 years of owning the franchise.

|  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Pre-Kraft } \\ & 1960-93 \end{aligned}$ | Pre-Kraft 1989-93 | Kraft Era 1994-16 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Overall Record | 225-276-9 | 19-61 | 279-126 |
| Winning Pct. | . 450 | . 238 | . 689 |
| Super Bowl Titles | 0 | 0 | 4 |
| Conference Titles | 1 | 0 | 7 |
| Division Titles | 3 | 0 | 16 |
| Playoff Seasons | 6 | 0 | 18 |
| Playoff Record | 4-6 | - | 25-13 |
| Home Playoff Games | 1 | 0 | 21 |
| Home Playoff Record | 0-1 | - | 18-3 |



## 249 GAME SELLOUT STREAK

In the early 1990's, the Patriots seemed destined for relocation until Robert Kraft's purchase of the team rejuvenated local interest. In 1991, the season ticket base was just 17,635, barely enough to support the club. Now, the season tickets are capped and more than 50,000 fans are on a season ticket waiting list. The Patriots have sold out 249 consecutive home games, including playoff and preseason games [dating back to the 1994 season opener]

## SINCE ROBERT KRAFT PURCHASED

## THE TEAM IN 1994

TOTAL VICTORIES SINCE 1994 (Regular Season)


MOST HOME VICTORIES SINCE 1994 (Incl. Postseason)
New England Patriots . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 159

Green Bay Packers.
142
Denver Broncos
Indianapolis Colts ..... 138

Seattle Seahawks ..... 130

WINNING PERCENTAGE SINCE 1994 (Incl. Postseason)

| TEAM | $\mathbf{W}$ | L | $\boldsymbol{T}$ | PCT. |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| New England Patriots | $\mathbf{2 7 9}$ | $\mathbf{1 2 6}$ | $\mathbf{0}$ | $\mathbf{6 8 9}$ |
| Green Bay Packers | 253 | 146 | 1 | .634 |
| Pittsburgh Steelers | 249 | 147 | 1 | .628 |
| Denver Broncos | 237 | 153 | 0 | .608 |
| Indianapolis Colts | 234 | 162 | 0 | .591 |
| Baltimore Ravens | 196 | 161 | 1 | .549 |

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Pittsburgh Steelers . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 15
Philadelphia Eagles . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 12
Denver Broncos . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 12
Seattle Seahawks . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 12
PLAYOFF WINNING PERCENTAGE SINCE 1994

| TEAM | W | L | PCT. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| New England Patriots. | 25. | 13 | 658 |
| Baltimore Ravens. | 15. |  | .. 652 |
| N.Y. Giants | 10. |  | .. 625 |
| Denver Broncos | 14. |  | .. 609 |
| Pittsburgh Steelers | 18. | 12 | .. 600 |
| St. Louis Rams | 6. | 4 | .. 600 |
| New Orleans Saints |  |  | .. 583 |

## ESTABLISHING A WINNING TRADITION

Kraft's winning percentage with the Patriots [.689) 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 | .689 |
| Eddie DeBartalo, Jr. | 49ers | $1977-1999$ | .636 |
| Clint Murchison, Jr. | Cowboys | $1960-1983$ | .634 |
| Pat Bowlen | Denver | $1984-$ present | .609 |
| Joe Robbie | Dolphins | $1966-1989$ | .609 |

## ALL-TIME POSTSEASON WINS EY AN OWNER

Robert Kraft has 25 career postseason wins, which is the third-most in NFL history.

| WINS | OWNERSHIP |
| :--- | :--- |
| 34 | The Rooney Family, Pittsburgh [1933-present] |
| 32 | Green Bay Packers [1919-present] |
| 25 | Robert Kraft, New England [1994-present] |
| 24 | the Mara Family, N.Y. Giants [1925-present] |
| 22 | Eddie DeBartalo, Jr., San Francisco [1977-1999] |
| 21 | Al Davis, Oakland/Los Angeles [1972-2011] |
| 21 | Bowlen Family, Denver [1984-present] |

## CE STABILITY

Since 1994, the Patriots have had 15 quarterbacks on their active roster. Of this group, only four quarterbacks have started a regular-season or postseason game for the club, the fewest total of any team in the NFL. Only Drew Bledsoe,Tom Brady and Jimmy Garoppolo have started on Opening Weekend for New England.

| Team | Starting QBs since 1994 | Opening Day QBs since 1996 |
| :--- | :---: | :---: |
| New England | $\mathbf{5}$ | $\mathbf{3}$ |
| Green Bay | 5 | 2 |
| N.Y. Giants | 7 | 6 |
| Pittsburgh | 12 | 7 |
| San Diego | 12 | 6 |
| Cincinnati | 13 | 7 |
| Houston** | 14 | 5 |
| Indianapolis | 14 | 4 |
| New Orleans | 14 | 6 |
| Seattle | 15 | 6 |
| Carolina | 15 | 7 |
| Kansas City | 16 | 7 |
| Atlanta | 16 | 6 |
| Jacksonville | 16 | 8 |
| Detroit | 17 | 7 |
| Buffalo | 18 | 10 |
| San Francisco | 18 | 8 |
| Philadelphia | 18 | 10 |
| Tennessee | 18 | 7 |
| Tampa Bay | 18 | 10 |
| Baltimore* | 19 | 9 |
| Denver | 19 | 7 |
| N.Y. Jets | 20 | 8 |
| Miami | 20 | 8 |
| Minnesota | 21 | 11 |
| Washington | 21 | 11 |
| Dallas | 22 | 6 |
| Arizona | 23 | 11 |
| Los Angeles | 24 | 8 |
| Oakland | 25 | 11 |
| Chicago | 26 | 8 |
| Cleveland | 29 | 14 |
| * Since 1996 |  |  |
| ** Since 2002 |  |  |
|  |  |  |

## A MODEL OF CONSISTENCY

With Bill Belichick in his 17th season as head coach, the Patriots have had just three head coaches since 1994, the fewest number by far of any AFC East team.


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 3
Baltimore Ravens* 3

* Since 1996

| NFL Average of new head coaches per team since 1994 | Patriots |
| :---: | :--- |
| 6.3 | 3 |

## TWO ロ=CAD=G OF WINNINE

Robert Kraft has earned 20 winning seasons in 23 years of owning the New England Patirots

## MILESTONE WIN FOR KRAFT

The victory over the New York Jets (12/21/14) was the 250th win under Robert Kraft. His 250 wins in his first 368 total games tied Chicago's George Halas for the fastest an owner has reached 250 victories.

## CONTINUITY BREEDS SUCCESS

New England is the second team [1970s Pittsburgh Steelers) in NFL history and first in 35 years - to win four Super Bowls with the same owner (Robert Kraft), head coach [Bill Belichick) and quarterback [Tom Brady].

## KRAFT PRODUCES MDRE WINS THAN EVERY OTHER PATRIOTS OWNER COMBINED

The Patriots have 279 wins overall under Robert Kraft. He has produced more victories than every other Patriots owner combined. Under Kraft, the Patriots are 279-126 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.

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As the calendar,pages turn to 201.7, the patriots will look to close out the 2016 regular season victoriously while they take on the Dolphins in Miami this New Year's Day.
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As the clock strikes midnight on Sunday and the calendar starts anew, the Patriots will look to ring in the New Year on a high note and close out the 2016 regular season with a win. New England was able to do just that the last time they played a game on January 1. On the first day of the year 2012, the Pats handed a 49-21 loss to Buffalo at home. The team has only played on New Year's Day three times in its history with the first instance coming during a 20-13 loss to Cleveland in the Wild Card round of the 1994 playoffs before a Jan. 1, 2006 regular season loss to Miami. There's no question New England will have its sights set on the task at hand when 2017 arrives this weekend, but with the 2016 postseason still fast-approaching, there is one New Year's resolution sure to atop the Patriots' list.



## SCORING SUMMARY - PATRIOTS VS. MIAMI, JANUARY 1, 2006

| Qtr Tm | Detail | M\|IA | NE |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Dolphins | Ricky Williams 2 yard rush [Olindo Mare kick] | 7 |  |
| Patriots | Deion Branch 11 yard pass from Tom Brady [Adam Vinatieri kick] | 7 | 7 |
| 2 Dolphins | Olindo Mare 36 yard field goal | 10 | 7 |
| 2 Dolphins | Olindo Mare 38 yard field goal | 13 | 7 |
| 2 Patriots | Adam Vinatieri 49 yard field goal | 13 | 10 |
| 3 Dolphins | Olindo Mare 41 yard field goal | 16 | 10 |
| 3 Patriots | Adam Vinatieri 33 yard field goal | 16 | 13 |
| 3 Dolphins | Safety | 18 | 1 |
| 4 Dolphins | Marty Booker 15 yard pass from Gus Frerotte [Olindo Mare kick] | 25 | 1 |
| 4 Patriots | Tim Dwight 9 yard pass from Matt Cassel [Doug Flutie kick] | 25 | 20 |
| 4 Dolphins | Olindo Mare 42 yard field goal | 28 | 20 |
| 4 Patriots | Ben Watson 9 yard pass from Matt Cassel [pass failed] | 28 | 26 |

## SCORING SUMMARY - PATRIOTS VS. BUFFALO JANUARY 1, 2012



## FOUR PATRIOTS SELECTED TO NFL PRO BOWL SQUAD



Tom Brady 12th Selection


Dont'a Hightower 1st Selection


Devin McCourty
3rd Selection


Matthew Slater 6th Selection

Four members of the New England Patriots have been selected to the 2017 NFL Pro Bowl. Quarterback Tom Brady, LB Dont'a Hightower, DB Devin McCourty and WR Matthew Slater [special teams) have been selected to represent the New England Patriots in the 2017 NFL Pro Bowl on Sun., Jan. 29, 2017, at Camping World Stadium in Orlando, Fla. All four players that have been selected are team captains. The Patriots have now had at least four players selected to the Pro Bowl in each of the last eight seasons -[2009-5, 2010-8, 2011-8, 2012-7, 2013-5, 2014-7, 2015-7 and 2016-5].

Brady was named to the Pro Bowl for a franchise record 12th time in his 17-year career and this is Brady's eighth consecutive selection to the all-star game. He was voted to the Pro Bowl after each of the following seasons: 2001, 2004, 2005, 2007, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015 and now, 2016.
 He has tied G John Hannah [1978-85] for most consecutive Pro Bowl selections in franchise history. Brady heads into this week with 25 touchdown passes, a quarterback rating of 110.7, highest in the AFC and second in the NFL and has thrown a league-low two interceptions among starting quarterbacks. Brady became the NFL's all-time winningest quarterback in 2016 and is the fifth quarterback in NFL history to reach 60,000 passing yards. He also guided the Patriots to their 14th division title of his career, the most by a quarterback in NFL history, including eight straight, also an NFL record.

Hightower was named to his first Pro Bowl. A first-round draft pick out of Alabama in 2012, Hightower has started 63-of-66 games in his five-year career and was selected by his teammates as a captain for the first time in 2016. He is fourth on the team with 64 total tackles, has $21 / 2$ sacks, one forced fumble and two passes defensed despite missing three games due to injury.

McCourty is headed to his third career Pro Bowl. The seven-year veteran defensive back has started all 15 games at safety this season and is currently third on the team with 71 tackles. He leads all current Patriots with 19 career interceptions. McCourty has earned Pro Bowl honors as a cornerback as a rookie in 2010 and as a safety in 2014.

Slater earned his sixth consecutive Pro Bowl selection as a special teams player. The former fifth-round draft pick out of UCLA earned a roster position with the Patriots as a rookie in 2008 with his contributions on special teams. Entering the 2011 season, teammates elected him as their special teams captain. That year, he was also selected to his first Pro Bowl. Since then, he has earned special teams captain honors to start each season and been voted to the Pro Bowl at season's end. He has led the Patriots in special teams tackles for five of his first eight seasons and enters this week with five special teams tackles.


## DECADE OF DOMINANCE

The Patriots regular－season record of 147－44（．770）over the past 10 seasons is the best in the NFL．Over the past 10 years，only five NFL teams have posted a winning percentage of 600 or better．The Patriots are the only team over ． 700 ． BEST RECORDS SINCE 2005

| Team | W | L | T | Pct． |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| New England | $\mathbf{1 4 7}$ | $\mathbf{4 4}$ | $\mathbf{0}$ | .770 |
| Indianapolis | 125 | 66 | 0 | .654 |
| Pittsburgh | 121 | 70 | 0 | .634 |
| Green Bay | 117 | 73 | 1 | .615 |
| Denver | 115 | 76 | 0 | .602 |
| Seattle | 110 | 80 | 1 | .579 |
| Dallas | 110 | 81 | 0 | .576 |
| Baltimore | 109 | 82 | 0 | .571 |
| New York Giants | 106 | 85 | 0 | .555 |
| San Diego | 106 | 85 | 0 | .555 |

## ロIVIGIONAL ロOMINANCE

The New England Patriots own a 75－22［．773］record in regular－season AFC East games since the beginning of the 2001 season，compiling the best in－ tra－division record of any team in the NFL．

NFL＇S TOP DIVISIONAL RECORDS SINCE 2001


The New England Patriots have won 13 division titles and have 13 playoff berths since realignment in 2002，most in the NFL．

| MOST DIVISION TITLES SINCE <br> Team | Division Titles | REALIGNMENT <br> Playoff Berths |
| :--- | ---: | ---: |
| New England | $\mathbf{1 3}$ | $\mathbf{1 3}$ |
| Indianapolis | 9 | 12 |
| Seattle | 8 | 11 |
| Green Bay | 8 | 11 |
| Pittsburgh | 7 | 10 |
| Philadelphia | 6 | 8 |

## ROAD WARRIORS

Since the start of the 1994 season when Robert Kraft purchased the team，the Patriots have the best regular－season road record in the NFL． New England is currently 7－0 on the road in 2016，and looking to match 2007＇s perfect road record．

| TEAM | RECORD | PCT． |
| :--- | :---: | :---: |
| New England | $\mathbf{1 1 3 - 7 0}$ | $\mathbf{6 1 7}$ |
| Pittsburgh | $101-83$ | .549 |
| Indianapolis | $98-86$ | .533 |
| Green Bay | $95-88$ | .519 |
| Denver | $94-90$ | .511 |

## WINNING THE CLロGE ロN＝G

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 Champi－ onship game at Denver．

## BEST RECORD IN GAMES DECIDED BY 3 POINTS OR FEWER <br> ［SINCE 2001；Playoffs Included］

| Team | W | L | T | Win Pct |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | ---: |
| New England Patriots | $\mathbf{3 9}$ | $\mathbf{1 6}$ | $\mathbf{0}$ | .709 |
| Indianapolis Colts | 40 | 20 | 0 | .667 |
| Denver Broncos | 36 | 24 | 0 | .600 |
| Chicago Bears | 30 | 23 | 0 | .566 |
| Atlanta Falcons | 35 | 28 | 1 | .556 |

## 1GT AFL THAM TO R＝ACH 5Oロ

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
［REGULAR AND POSTSEASON］

| TEAM | W | L | T |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| New England Patriots | 504 | 402 | 9 |
| Denver Broncos | 487 | 412 | 10 |
| Oakland Raiders | 481 | 418 | 11 |

## A DozEN Wis

The Patriots have won at least 12 games 11 times in team history，including seven straight from 2010－16．San Francisco owns the NFL record with thir－ teen 12 －win seasons since the NFL merger．

CONSECUTIVE 12－WIN SEASONS SINCE 1970 MERGER

| New England Patriots | 7 （2010－16］ |
| :--- | :--- |
| Indianapolis Colts | 7 （2003－09） |
| Dallas Cowboys | 4 （1992－95） |

## 12－WIN SEASONS SINCE 1970 MERGER

| 1．San Francisco | 13 |
| :--- | ---: |
| 2．Dallas | 12 |
| 3t．New England | 11 |
| 3t．Denver | 11 |
| 5．Pittsburgh | 9 |
| 6．Indianapolis | 8 |

## 11－WIN SEASONS

The Patriots have at least 13 games in 2016．It is the 18th time in team history that the team has won at least 11 games in a season and the seventh straight season with at least 11 wins．The Patriots have had 11 or more wins 14 times in Robert Kraft＇s 23 seasons of ownership after having only four 11－ win seasons prior to Kraft purchasing the team（1976，1978，1985，1986）．

PATRIOTS WIN 11 GAMES FOR 7TH STRAIGHT SEASON

| Team | Years | Consecutive Seasons with 11＋Wins |
| :--- | :---: | :---: |
| New England | $2010-2016$ | 7 |
| Indianapolis | $2003-2009$ | 7 |
| Dallas | $1976-1981$ | 6 |
| San Francisco | $1994-1998$ | 5 |

## BOUNCE BACK PATE

Since the beginning of 2003，the Patriots are 42－6（．875）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 42－10 in games following a loss．

## GTRONE GECOND HALF

Since Robert Kraft purchased the franchise in 1994，the New England Patriots own the NFL＇s best record in the second half of the season．The Patriots are the only team with a winning percentage over .700 over that span．

MOST WINS IN THE SECOND HALF SINCE 1994
［REGULAR SEASON ONLY）

| Team | $\boldsymbol{G}$ | $\mathbf{W}$ | $\mathbf{L}$ | $\boldsymbol{T}$ | Pct． |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| New England | $\mathbf{1 8 3}$ | $\mathbf{1 3 3}$ | $\mathbf{5 0}$ | $\mathbf{0}$ | .727 |
| Green Bay | 183 | 122 | 60 | 1 | .669 |
| Pittsburgh | 183 | 117 | 65 | 1 | .642 |
| Indianapolis | 183 | 112 | 71 | 0 | .612 |
| Denver | 183 | 107 | 76 | 0 | .585 |
| Seattle | 183 | 104 | 79 | 0 | .568 |

## ロECEMEAR REIGN

The Patriots have the best record in the NFL in the month of December since 2001.

| BST WINNING PERCENTAGE IN NOVEMBER |  |  |  |  |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Team | W | L | T | Pct． |
| New England Patriots | $\mathbf{5 8}$ | $\mathbf{1 0}$ | $\mathbf{0}$ | $\mathbf{. 8 5 3}$ |
| Pittsburgh Steelers | 50 | 19 | 0 | .725 |
| Green Bay Packers | 48 | 20 | 0 | .706 |
| Indianapolis Colts | 45 | 25 | 0 | .643 |
| Carolina Panthers | 44 | 25 | 0 | .638 |
| Philadelphia Eagles | 44 | 25 | 0 | .638 |
| Seattle Seahawks | 43 | 27 | 0 | .614 |
| San Diego Chargers | 40 | 31 | 0 | .563 |

## STELLAR INTER－CONFERENCE RECORD

The New England Patriots own a 48－12（．800）record vs．NFC teams since re－ alignment in 2002 ，the best inter－conference record in the NFL during that time． NFL＇S BEST INTER－CONFERENCE RECORD SINCE 2002

|  | W | W | L | T |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Team | Pct． |  |  |  |
| New England | 48 | $\mathbf{1 2}$ | $\mathbf{O}$ | .800 |
| Pittsburgh | 40 | 19 | 1 | .675 |
| Indianapolis | 39 | 21 | 0 | .650 |
| Denver | 37 | 23 | 0 | .617 |
| Cincinnati | 35 | 22 | 3 | .608 |
| Tennessee | 35 | 25 | 0 | .583 |
| Baltimore | 35 | 25 | 0 | .583 |
| Philadelphia | 34 | 25 | 1 | .575 |
| Atlanta | 34 | 25 | 1 | .575 |
| Dallas | 34 | 26 | 0 | .567 |

## PROTECTINC THE＝AL

Since 2008，the Patriots lead the NFL with 58 games without turning the ball over．The Patriots are 53－5 in those games

## GAMES

［SINCE 2008］
Rk Team Zero－Turnover Games
1．New England
Green Bay
Kansas City
San Francisco
San Francisco－ 46
Indianapolis
Baltimore

## UNロ＝F＝ATEロ MONTHG

The Patriots finished the month of September with a 3－O record and the month of December with a 4－0 record and now have 23 undefeated months since 2000，the most in the NFL during that time period．Indianapolis is second with 15 undefeated months during that time．

PATRIOTS UNDEFEATED MONTHS SINCE THE 2000 SEASON ［NOT INCLUDING 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


## STINGY DEFENSE SHINES AcAIN

The Patriots defense allowed 19.7 points per game in 2015 ，marking the 10th season since 2001 that the team kept opponents under 20 points per game， tied with Baltimore and Pittsburgh for the most in the NFL over that span． The Patriots enter this week holding opponents to an NFL low 15.7 points per game．
SEASONS ALLOWING 20 POINTS PER GAME OR FEWER SINCE 2001

| Team | Seasons | Years |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| New England | 10 | 2001，2003－04，2006－10，2014－15 |
| Baltimore | 10 | $2001,2003-06,2008-11,2014$ |

Baltimore 10 2001，2003－06，2008－11， 2014
Pittsburgh 10 2001，2004－08，2010－12， 2015
Miami 8 2001－03，2005－06，2008，2011－12

## Most SACKS UNDER BELICHICK

The Patriots recorded 49 sacks in 2015，the sixth－most in team history．
MOST SINGLE SEASON SACKS IN PATRIOTS HISTORY

| 1．Boston Patriots，1963 | 66 |
| :--- | :--- |
| 2．New England Patriots， 1977 | 58 |
| 3．New England Patriots， 1979 | 57 |
| 4．New England Patriots， 1984 | 55 |
| 5．New England Patriots， 1985 | 51 |
| 6．New England Patriots， 2015 | 49 |

England Patriots， 2015
49
Bold \＆Highlighted－NFL leader

## LOW POINT MARK

The Patriots have Allowed a NFL－low 236 points through the first 15 games．
FEWEST POINTS ALLOWED BY THE PATRIOTS IN A SEASON
157 in 1982 ［ 9 games）
217 in 1977
236 in 1976
237 in 2006
238 in 2003

## RUSH ロ＝F＝NSE HOLDS STRONC

New England held Cleveland（10／9／16）to just 27 yards rushing for a 1．2－yard average after they entered the game first in the NFL in rushing with an average of 149.3 yards per game．Browns RB Isaiah Crowell entered the game third in the NFL in rushing yards and was held to 22 yards on 13 carries for a 1．7－ yard average．The Patriots have held the opponent under 30 yards rushing 17 times in team history．

| FEWEST RUSHING YARDS ALLOWED IN PATRIOTS HISTORY |  |  |  |  |
| :--- | ---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| DATE | OPP | ATT | YDS | AVG． |
| $12 / 17 / 61$ | SD | 16 | 2 | 0.1 |
| $10 / 11 / 98$ | KC | 11 | 14 | 1.3 |
| $12 / 11 / 05$ | BUF | 12 | 14 | 1.2 |
| $10 / 29 / 15$ | MIA | 13 | 15 | 1.2 |
| $11 / 1 / 63$ | HOU | 12 | 19 | 1.6 |
| $11 / 16 / 14$ | IND | 16 | 19 | 1.2 |
| $12 / 4 / 88$ | SEA | 19 | 20 | 1.1 |
| $9 / 9 / 12$ | TEN | 16 | 20 | 1.3 |
| $9 / 22 / 63$ | OAK | 10 | 24 | 2.4 |
| $12 / 11 / 77$ | MIA | 19 | 25 | 1.3 |
| $10 / 9 / 16$ | CLE | 22 | 27 | 1.2 |
| $12 / 9 / 61$ | OAK | 10 | 27 | 2.7 |
| $11 / 17 / 68$ | KC | 26 | 27 | 1.0 |
| $11 / 4 / 84$ | DEN | 18 | 28 | 1.6 |
| $10 / 2 / 66$ | NYJ | 18 | 29 | 1.6 |
| $11 / 15 / 70$ | SD | 28 | 29 | 1.0 |
| $9 / 22 / 96$ | JACK | 11 | 29 | 2.6 |

## A SAFETY FIRST

The Patriots recorded a safety in back－to－back games for the first time in team history．LB Dont＇a Hightower dropped Cincinnati（10／16／16）QB Andy Dalton in the end zone for an 8－yard sack for a safety．At Cleveland（10／9／16）the previous week，Browns QB Cody Kessler fumbled the ball out of the end zone for a safety，forced by a strong rush by Dont＇a Hightower．The Patriots record－ ed their team－record third safety of the 2016 season when DL Malcom Brown registered a tackle in the end zone vs．Baltimore on Dec． 12.

## BLOCK PARTY

LB Shea McClellin blocked a first－quarter field goal attempt vs．Baltimore on Dec．12， 2016 for the Patriots third blocked kick of the 2016 season．McClel－ lin blocked an extra point attempt vs．Seattle on Nov． 13 and DL Alan Branch blocked a field goal at the New York Jets on Nov．27．The block was the first miss of the 2016 season by Baltimore K Justin Tucker．The Patriots three blocked kicks are the most blocked kicks New England has recorded since 2014 when the team recorded five on the year（ 4 field goals and 1 punt）The Patriots＇record for most kicks blocked in a season sits at six in 1975 （2 extra points， 3 field goals and 1 punt］，while they have tallied five in season on two occasions［2014 and 1973）and four in a season four times［1974，1977， 1986，2002］．

## ロニニ二NGE N＝TS THIRD GAF＝TY

DL Malcom Brown registered the Patriots third safety of the season when he dropped Baltimore RB Kenneth Dixon in the end zone in the first quarter on Dec．12， 2016 The Patriots three safeties in 2016 are a team mark．The Pa－ triots registered safeties sin back－to－back games－at Cleveland［10／9）when QB Cody Kessler fumbled out of the end zone and when LB Dont＇a Hightower registered one in the win vs．Cincinnati（10／16］when he sacked QB Andy Dalton in the end zone．The Patriots had two safeties in a season six previous times［1963，1965，1967，1969， 1978 and 1985］．The NFL record for most safeties in a season is 4 by many teams．


## TAKINC CARE OF BALL PAYG OFF

Since 2002，the Patriots are an NFL－best 114－16 when throwing no intercep－ tions．

| TEAM GAMES WITH O INTS | W－L－T | WIN PCT． |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| New England | 130 | $\mathbf{1 1 4 - 1 6 - 0}$ | .877 |
| Kansas City | 116 | $75-41-0$ | .647 |
| San Francisco | 108 | $74-33-1$ | .690 |
| Jacksonville | 105 | $63-42-0$ | .600 |
| Philadelphia | 104 | $73-31-0$ | .702 |
| Indianapolis | 103 | $87-16-0$ | .845 |
| Denver | 99 | $76-23-0$ | .768 |
| San Diego | 98 | $73-25-0$ | .745 |
| Tennessee | 97 | $70-27-0$ | .722 |
| Baltimore | 95 | $78-17-0$ | .821 |

## R＝CロRロ LOW PICK RATE

The 2016 Patriots have thrown just two interception in 516 pass attempts． The Patriots had just five passes intercepted in 2010，tying the NFL mark for fewest interceptions in a single season．New England attempted 507 passes in 2010，with just five resulting in interceptions．The other teams to have only five interceptions in a season were the 1960 Cleveland Browns，the 1966 Green Bay Packers，the 1990 Kansas City Chiefs and the 1990 New York Giants．The Patriots are the only team of that group to have only five interceptions with over 500 pass attempts．

|  | FEWEST INTERCEPTIONS IN A SEAS |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | :---: | ---: |
| Year | Team | Int． | Pass Attempts |
| 2010 | New England | $\mathbf{5}$ | 507 |
| 2011 | San Francisco | 5 | 451 |
| 1990 | Kansas City | 5 | 449 |
| 1990 | NY Giants | 5 | 398 |
| 1966 | Green Bay | 5 | 318 |
| 1960 | Cleveland | 5 | 264 |

## OFFENSE DROPS 30

The Patriots scored 30 points against the top ranked Baltimore defense on Dec．12，2016．The Ravens entered the game tied for first with the Patriots， allowing just 17.3 points per game．

## GCORINE PACE

The Patriots finished third in the NFL with 465 points in 2015 ，the sixth most in team history．They finished third in the NFL with 52 touchdowns in 2015，tied for the fifth－most in team history．The 2016 Patriots are 4th in the NFL with 406 points and tied for fourth with 47 overall touchdowns．．

## MOST PATRIOTS TD／SEASON MOST PATRIOTS PTS／SEASON

75 in 2007
67 in 2012
65 in 2010
61 in 2011
52 in 2014
52 in 2015
52 in 1980
589 in 2007
557 in 2012
518 in 2010
513 in 2011
468 in 2014
465 in 2015

52 in 1961
50 in 2009

## R＝CORロ GCORINC STR＝AK

The Patriots set an NFL record by scoring in 38 consecutive quarters from Week 1 to Week 11 in 2015.

| THE MOST CONSECUTIVE REGULATION QUARTERS WITH AT LEAST ONE POINT： |  |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: |
| Team Year（s） Consec．quarters with points scored <br> New England 2015 38 <br> St．Louis $1999-2000$ 31 <br> Indianapolis 2005 31 <br> New England $1993-94$ 27 <br> Kansas City 2002 27 <br> Oakland 2002 27 |  |  |

## RUSH TO VICTORY

Since 2000，New England is 45－1 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 32－0 with a 100－yard rusher．

## Tロア－10 TEAM

The 2016 Patriots are ranked 5th in offense and 8th in defense．It will be the 9th time in team history and the second straight season that both the offense and defense have finsihed in the top ten．
PATRIOTS SEASONS WITH A TOP 10 OFFENSE AND TOP 10 DEFENSE ［SINCE 1970 MERGER］

| 2016 | Offense－5 | Defense－8 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 2015 | Offense－6 | Defense－9 |
| 2008 | Offense－5 | Defense－10 |
| 2007 | Offense－1 | Defense－4 |
| 2004 | Offense－7 | Defense－9 |
| 1985 | Offense－9 | Defense－7 |
| 1980 | Offense－10 | Defense－8 |
| 1979 | Offense－8 | Defense－3 |
| 1978 | Offense－1 | Defense－9 |

## TWO 100－YARD RHC＝｜VERS

TE Rob Gronkowski（109）and WR Chris Hogan（114）both went over 100 yards receiving at Cleveland［10／09／16］．It is 35th time in team history that has oc－ curred and the first time since Oct．26，2014，vs．Chicago－Gronkowski（149） and Brandon LaFell（124）．

## PATS GET INT RECORD

The 2016 Patriots set an NFL record by going 258 pass attempts to start the season without an interception to surpass the 2008 Washington Redskins， who went 251 pass attempts without an interception to start the season． Jacoby Brissett［55］，Jimmy Garoppolo（60）and Tom Brady（143）combined for the record．
MOST PASS ATTEMPTS TO START A SEASON WITHOUT AN INTERCEPTION

| Team | Pass Attempts |
| :--- | :--- |
| New England Patriots［2016］ | 258 |

Washington Redskins［2008］ 251

## NoT c＝TTING PICK－日ロ APART

The 2016 Patriots have thrown just two interceptions in 2016 through the first 15 games of the 2016 season，the fewest interceptions thrown by any team though the first 15 games of the season since the 1970 merger．

## INT STREAK＝NロS

The Patriots threw their first interception of the season in the second quar－ ter，vs．Seattle（11／13／16］falling one game shy of the NFL record for most games without an interception to start a season．
MOST CONSECUTIVE GAMES TO START A SEASON WITHOUT AN INTERCEPTION

## TEAM

## PATRIOTS 2O1G CAPTAINS

The Patriots 2016 team captains were elected by their teammates. OFFENSE
ћ QB Tom Brady and TE Rob Gronkowski
DEFENSE

* LB Dont'a Hightower and DB Devin McCourty

SPECIAL TEAMS

* Matthew Slater

Brady was selected captain for the 15th time. McCourty and Slater were elected captains for a sixth time, while Gronkowski and Hightower are firsttime team captains.

## 201G HONORS \& AWARロS

## P RYAN ALLEN

ћ AFC Special Teams Player of the Week [Wk. 3 vs. Houston]
RB LEGARRETTE BLOUNT
$\star$ AFC Defensive Player of the Month (September)
QB TOM BRADY
$\star$ NFL Pro Bowl [12th selection)
$\star$ AFC Offensive Player of the Week (Wk 5 at Clev. and Wk 11 SF)
$\star$ AFC Offensive Player of the Month [October)
K STEPHEN GOSTKOWSKI
$\star$ AFC Special Teams Player of the Week [Wk. 1 at Ari. and Week13 vs. LA] LB DONT'A HIGHTOWER
$\star$ NFL Pro Bowl [1st selection]
$\star$ AFC Defensive Player of the Week [Week 6 vs. Cincinnati)
DB DEVIN MCCOURTY
$\star$ NFL Pro Bowl (3rd selection)
ST MATTHEW SLATER
$\star$ NFL Pro Bowl (6th selection)

## EICHT STRAICHT ロIV. TITLES

The Patriots have won eight straight AFC East titles, the longest streak in NFL history. The Patriots have won 14 of the last 16 AFc East division crowns. MOST CONSECUTIVE DIVISION TITLES

| Team | Division | Titles | Years |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| New England Patriots | AFC East | $\mathbf{8}$ | $\mathbf{2 0 0 9 - 1 6}$ |
| Los Angeles Rams | NFC West | 7 | $1973-79$ |
| Pittsburgh Steelers | AFC Central | 6 | $1974-79$ |
| Minnesota Vikings | NFC Central | 6 | $1973-78$ |
| Dallas Cowboys | NFL Capitol/NFC East | 6 | $1966-71$ |
| Cleveland Browns | American/Eastern Conf. | 6 | $1950-55$ |
| New England Patriots | AFC East | $\mathbf{5}$ | $2003-07$ |
| Denver Broncos | AFC West | 5 | $2011-15$ |
| Indianapolis Colts | AFC South | 5 | $2003-07$ |
| Dallas Cowboys | NFC East | 5 | $1992-96$ |
| San Francisco 49ers | NFC West | 5 | $1986-90$ |
| Chicago Bears | NFC Central | 5 | $1984-88$ |
| Oakland Raiders | AFC West | 5 | $1972-76$ |

## SUCcESS WITH EALL SECURITY

In 2014, the Super Bowl champion Patriots and the NFC North champion Packers had only 13 giveaways, tied for the third fewest giveaways in a 16-game season in NFL history. The 2015, Patriots again had the fewest giveaways in the NFL with 14. The Patriots joined Seattle [2014], Indianapolis [2013], Washington (2012), Green Bay (2011), Kansas City (2010) and the New York Giants (1990) with only 14 turnovers in a 16-game season. The 2016 Patriots have just 11 giveaways ( 2 interceptions and 9 fumbles).
FEWEST GIVEAWAYS IN 16-GAME SEASON
2011 San Francisco 10
2010 New England 10
2014 Green Bay 13
2014 New England 13
2008 Miami 13
2008 New York Giants 13

## 

15T-TIME ces 6-0 UNDER EELICHICK
Under head coach Bill Belichick, quarterbacks are now 6-0 in their first career starts after QB Jacoby Brissett picked up a 27-0 win in his first start.

| QB | Game | Score |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Todd Philcox | Cleveland atLARams $(9 / 20 / 93)$ | $28-16[\mathrm{~W}]$ |
| Eric Zeier | Cleveland atCincinnati $[10 / 29 / 95]$ | $29-26[\mathrm{~W}]$ |
| Tom Brady | Patriots vs. Indianapolis $[9 / 30 / 01]$ | $44-13[\mathrm{~W}]$ |
| Matt Cassel | Patriots at NY Jets $[9 / 14 / 08)$ | $19-10[\mathrm{~W}]$ |
| Jimmy Garoppolo | Patriots at Arizona $[9 / 11 / 16]$ | $23-21[\mathrm{~W}]$ |
| Jacoby Brissett | Patriots vs. Houston $[9 / 22 / 16]$ | $\mathbf{2 7 - 0}[\mathrm{W}]$ |

## TOM ERADY

## MosT coNs=C. DIV. TITL=S

Tom Brady has an NFL record by leading the Patriots to their eight straight division title.

NFL RECORD FOR MOST CONSECUTIVE DIVISION TITLES BY A STARTING QB

| Player | Team | Consecutive Division Titles |
| :--- | :--- | ---: |
| Tom Brady | Patriots | $\mathbf{8}$ [2009-2016] |
| Terry Bradshaw | Steelers | $6[1974-1979]$ |
| Fran Tarkenton | Vikings | $6[1973-1978]$ |

## PLAYER OF THE WEEK

Brady (27) needs one more AFC Offensive Player of the Week honors to break a tie with Peyton Manning [27] for the most player of the week honors in NFL history.

## STEPHEN EOSTKOWSKI

## KICKING INTO THE RECORD BOOKS

Gostkowski became the Patriots all-time scoring leader, passing Adam Vinatieri $[1,158$ ), with a 35-yard field goal vs. Miami (12/14/14).

## PATRIOTS ALL-TIME LEADING SCORERS <br> 1. Stephen Gostkowski $\quad 1,448$ <br> 2. Adam Vinatieri 1,158 <br> 3. Gino Cappelletti 1,130 <br> 4. John Smith 692 <br> 5. Tony Franklin 442 <br> 6. Rob Gronkowski 414

## NFL SCORING LEADER

Stephen Gostkowski led the NFL with 151 points in 2015, the ninth highest total in NFL history. He is the first NFL player to have four seasons of 150 or more points - 158 in 2013, 156 in 2014, 153 in 2012 and 151 in 2015.

PATRIOTS ARE MOST FRECUENT SUPER BOWL TEAM OVER LAST BR YEARS
The Patriots have won eight conference championships since the 1984 season and have more conference titles than any other team over the last 32 years (since 1984). Additionally, the Patriots' seven conference titles over the last 27 years are two more than the next closest team and New England's six conference titles over the last 17 years are more than any other team.


| Most Conference Championships in Last 9 Seasons (2007-2015) |  |
| :---: | :---: |
|  | New England . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 3 |
|  | Denver . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 2 |
|  | Pittsburgh . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 2 |
|  | N.Y. Giants . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 2 |
|  | Seattle . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 2 |
|  | 7 Other Teams |
|  | Most Conference Championships in Last 12 Seasons [2004-2015] |
|  | New England . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 4 |
|  | Pittsburgh . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 3 |
|  | Seattle . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 3 |
|  | Denver . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 2 |
|  | Indianapolis . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 2 |
|  | N.Y. Giants . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 2 |
|  | 8 Other Teams |
|  | Most Conference Championships in Last 17 Seasons [1999-2015] |
|  | New England . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 6 |
|  | Pittsburgh . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 3 |
|  | N.Y. Giants . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 3 |
|  | Seattle . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 3 |
|  | 5 other teams. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 2 |

Most Conference Championshipsin Last 22 Seasons [1994-2015]
New England ..... 7
Pittsburgh ..... 4
Denver ..... 4
Green Bay .....  3
N.Y. Giants .....  3
Seattle .....  3
5 Other Teams .....  2
Most Conference Championships in Last 27 Seasons [1989-2015]
New England ..... 7
Denver ..... 5
Buffalo ..... 4
N.Y. Giants ..... 4
Pittsburgh ..... 4
3 Other Teams ..... 3
Most Conference Championships in Last 32 Seasons [1984-2015]
New England .....  8
Denver ..... 7
N.Y. Giants. ..... 5
San Francisco ..... 5
Buffalo ..... 4
Pittsburgh4
3 Other Teams ..... 3

## WHAT HAVE YOU DONE FOR ME LATELY?

Since the 2011 season, the Patriots have maintained their spot atop the NFL in terms of regular season winning percentage and regular season points scored. Since the beginning of the 2011,2012 and 2013 season, the Patriots have the NFL's highest winning percentage and scored the most points in the NFL.

HIGHEST WINNING PERCENTAGE SINCE 2011

| TEAM | W | L | $\mathbf{T}$ | PCT. | PF | PA |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| New England | $\mathbf{7 4}$ | $\mathbf{2 1}$ | $\mathbf{0}$ | $\mathbf{0 . 7 7 9}$ | $\mathbf{2 8 5 3}$ | $\mathbf{1 8 7 5}$ |
| Denver | 66 | 29 | 0 | 0.695 | 2542 | 2019 |
| Green Bay | 65 | 29 | 1 | 0.689 | 2665 | 2158 |
| Seattle | 62 | 32 | 1 | 0.658 | 2296 | 1591 |
| Pittsburgh | 59 | 35 | 1 | 0.626 | 2271 | 1901 |
| Cincinnati | 57 | 36 | 2 | 0.611 | 2247 | 1876 |
| Carolina | 53 | 41 | 1 | 0.563 | 2321 | 2100 |
| San Francisco | 51 | 44 | 0 | 0.537 | 2013 | 1956 |

HIGHEST WINNING PERCENTAGE SINCE 2012

| TEAM | W | L | T | PCT. | PF | PA |
| :--- | :--- | :---: | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| New England | $\mathbf{6 1}$ | $\mathbf{1 8}$ | $\mathbf{0}$ | $\mathbf{0 . 7 7 2}$ | 2340 | $\mathbf{1 5 3 3}$ |
| Denver | 58 | 21 | 0 | 0.734 | 2233 | 1629 |
| Seattle | 55 | 23 | 1 | 0.703 | 1975 | 1276 |
| Green Bay | 50 | 28 | 1 | 0.639 | 2105 | 1799 |
| Cincinnati | 48 | 29 | 2 | 0.620 | 1903 | 1553 |
| Indianapolis | 48 | 31 | 0 | 0.608 | 1926 | 1872 |
| Carolina | 47 | 31 | 1 | 0.601 | 1915 | 1671 |
| Arizona | 45 | 33 | 1 | 0.576 | 1802 | 1649 |

## HIGHEST WINNING PERCENTAGE SINCE 2013

| TEAM | W | L | $\mathbf{T}$ | PCT. | PF | PA |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| New England | $\mathbf{4 9}$ | $\mathbf{1 4}$ | $\mathbf{0}$ | $\mathbf{0 . 7 7 8}$ | $\mathbf{1 7 8 3}$ | $\mathbf{1 2 0 2}$ |
| Denver | 45 | 18 | 0 | 0.714 | 1752 | 1340 |
| Seattle | 44 | 18 | 1 | 0.706 | 1563 | 1031 |
| Arizona | 40 | 22 | 1 | 0.643 | 1552 | 1292 |
| Carolina | 40 | 22 | 1 | 0.643 | 1558 | 1308 |
| Cincinnati | 39 | 22 | 2 | 0.635 | 1512 | 1233 |

MOST POINTS SCORED SINCE 2011
Team
New England . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 2853
New Orleans. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 2668
Green Bay . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 2665
Denver . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 2542
Dallas. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 2334
Carolina . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 2321
Philadelphia . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 2309
Seattle. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 2296
Cincinnati . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 2247

MOST POINTS SCORED SINCE 2012

| Team | Points |
| :---: | :---: |
| New England | 2340 |
| Denver | 2233 |
| New Orleans. | 2121 |
| Green Bay | 2105 |
| Seattle | 1975 |
| Carolina | 1915 |
| Philadelphia | 1913 |
| Cincinnati | 190 |

MOST POINTS SCORED SINCE 2013

| Team | Points |
| :---: | :---: |
| New England | 1783 |
| Denver | 1752 |
| Green Bay | 1672 |
| New Orleans. | 1660 |
| Philadelphia | 1633 |
| Pittsburgh | 1610 |
| Seattle |  |

## EY THE NUMEERS <br> 2

The Patriots forced two fumbles on kickoffs in the $27-0$ win vs. Houston on Sept. 22, 2016.

2
WR Chris Hogan caught two 40-yard passes (63 and 43) at Cleveland [10/9/16] to become the first Patriots player to do so in a game since Rob Gronkowski (50 and 49) at Washington (12/11/11).

3
James White is third in the NFL among running backs with 56 receptions in 2016.

## 4

Stephen Gostkowski executed a successful onside kick vs. Washington [11/08/15] and vs. Philadelphia (12/06/15]. It was his third [Cleveland $12 / 08 / 13$ and the fourth in team history. The first came when Jim Lee Hunt recovered a Gino Cappelletti kick at the end of the first half in a 26-10 win vs. the NY Jets ( $9 / 27 / 64$ ).

5
TE Martellus Bennett had his fifth career 100-yard game and his third of the 2016 season after finishing with 7 receptions for 102 yards vs. Seattle (11/13/16].

## 7

The Patriots became the first team in NFL history in 2014 to earn five straight first-round byes and extended that record with their seventh straight bye in 2016. Dallas and San Francisco earned four straight byes from 1992 through 1995 and Denver earned four straight from 2012-15.

으
The Patriots are the only team that has made the playoffs in each of the last eight seasons (2009-2016)

14
The Patriots have now had at least one rookie free agent make the team in 13 straight seasons [D.J. Foster and Jonathan Jones], the second-longest streak to 17 by Indianapolis.

## 16

The Patriots have gone 16 straight seasons without being swept by a division opponent after beating each of the AFC East teams in 2016, extending the longest such streak since the 1970 NFL merger.

16
The Patriots have won nine or more games in 16 straight seasons, the most seasons of 9 or more wins since 2001 in the NFL.

17
RB Legarrette Blount leads the NFL with17 rushing otuchdowns in 2016, a Patriots team record.

## 17

The Patriots have held their opponent under 30 yards rushing a total of 17 times after holding Cleveland $[10 / 9 / 16$ ) to just 27 yards rushing.

18
Nate Ebner is second in the NFL, behind Michael Thomas [19] with a ca-reer-best 18 special teams tackles.

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19.2
$$

The Patriots WR Chris Hogan leads the NFL with a 19.2-yard average. 20
The Patriots have scored in the final possession of the first half and the opening possession of the second half 20 times since 2009, first in the NFL. New Orleans is second with 14 such scoring drives.

23
Following a 3-0 record in September and a 4-0 recor din December in 2016, the Patriots now have 23 undefeated months since 2000, the most in the NFL. Indianapolis is second with 15.

## $\underline{24}$

The Patriots have won 24 straight home games against non-division AFC opponents. Their last loss to a non-division AFC team was a 33-10 loss vs. Pittsburgh on Nov. 30, 2008.

## 67

Rob Gronkowski and Tom Brady have connected on 67 touchdown passes. It is the second-most connections between a quarterback and a tight end in NFL history and is sixth overall.

## 87

The Patriots have won 87 straight home games when leading at halftime, adding to their NFL record. The last time the Patriots lost at home after leading at halftime was on Dec. 24, 2000, vs. Miami when they lost 27-24 after leading 21-17 at halftime.

## TOM ERADY EY THE NUMBERS

## $\underline{6}$

Brady won his sixth conference title to pass John Elway [5] for most Super Bowl appearances by a quarterback and matched DL Mike Lodish for the most Super Bowls played. Lodish played in six [four with Buffalo and two with Denver].

## TOM ERADY EY THE NUMEERS [continued]

Brady joined Terry Bradshaw and Joe Montana as the only QBs with four Super Bowl wins. Only Hall of Fame DL Charles Haley [5] has more in NFL history.

6
Brady has six seasons with 30 or more touchdown passes.
10
Brady played in his 10th conference championship game in 2015 to match Gene Upshaw and George Blanda for the most conference championship game appearances.

## 14

The number of division championships won by Tom Brady, the most division titles ever by a quarterback. Peyton Manning is second with 12.

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

## 19

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

## 90.6

The percent of quarterback keepers converted by Brady (106 of 117) for first downs [80-of-87 on third-and-2 or less and 26-of-30 on fourth-and-2 or less]. 182
Brady has 182 career regular-season wins with the Patriots, the most wins by a starting quarterback with one team. Brett Favre is second with 160 with Green Bay.

## THEKRAFT ERA

4
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.

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

## 16

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

## 18

The number of playoff seasons earned by the Patriots in the 23 seasons since Robert Kraft purchased the team.

38
The number of playoff games the Patriots have appeared in since 1994, the most in the NFL. Green Bay has the second most with 33.
$\underline{249}$
The number of consecutive home games that have been sold out, including all playoff and preseason games dating back to the 1994 season opener.

## $\underline{279}$

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

## THE B=니닫K ERA

4
Bill Belichick has won four Super Bowls as a head coach to match Chuck Noll for the most Super Bowl wins by a head coach in NFL history.

4
Bill Belichick is the first coach to lead his team to four 500-point seasons [2007, 2010-12].

## 4

Bill Belichick [259 wins) passed Curly Lambeau (229 wins) for sole possession of fourth place on the NFL wins list.
g
Super Bowl XLIX was Belichick's ninth Super Bowl overall, including six as a head coach and three as an assistant coach.

## 14

The number of 11-win seasons by Bill Belichick, the most among all NFL coach-

## 22ND SEASON AS HEAD COACH • 42ND NFL SEASON

Overall Record: 259-125 (.674) • Regular Season: 236-115 (.672) • Postseason: 23-10 (.697) With Patriots overall (2000-16): 222-80 (.735)
Super Bowl Titles: 6 [86, 90, 01, 03, 04, 14] •Conf. Titles: 9 [86, 90, 96, 01, 03, 04, 07, 11, 14]
Division Titles: 21 [75, 78, 86, 89, 90, 96, 98, 01, 03, 04, 05, 06, 07, 09, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16)


Bill Belichick is the only head coach in NFL history to win three Super Bowl titles in a four-year span. 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 42 consecutive years as an NFL coach are second in NFL history to 44 by Tennessee's Dick LeBeau.


## SUPER SULCESS

Bill Belichick has won four Super Bowls, matching Chuck Noll for the most by a head coach. He is the only coach to win four Super Bowls in the post1993 salary cap era. $\operatorname{MOST}$ SUPER BOWL VICTORIES

|  | MOST SUPER BOWL VICTORIES |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| HEAD COACH | TEAM | TITLES | SEASONS |
| Bill Belichick | New England | $\mathbf{4}$ | 2001, 2003, 2004, 2014 |
| Chuck Noll | Pittsburgh | 4 | $1974,1975,1978,1979$ |
| Joe Gibbs | Washington | 3 | $1982,1987,1991$ |
| Bill Walsh | San Francisco | 3 | $1981,1984,1988$ |

## MOST CONSEC. DIVISION TITLES

Bill Belichick is the first NFL coach to lead his team to eight consecutive division titles. Paul Brown [1950-55], Tom Landry (1966-71), Bud Grant [197378) and Chuck Noll (1974-79) led their teams to six straight titles.

NFL COACHES WITH THE MOST CONSECUTIVE DIVISION TITLES

| Head Coach | Teams | Consecutive Division Titles |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Bill Belichick | Patriots | $\mathbf{8}(2009-2016]$ |
| Paul Brown | Cleveland | $6[1950-1955]$ |
| Tom Landry | Dallas | $6[1966-1971]$ |
| Bud Grant | Minnesota | $6[1973-1978)$ |
| Chuck Noll | Pittsburgh | $6[1974-1979]$ |

## ELITE COMPANY

Bill Belichick is one of five NFL head coaches to win four or more championships since the league began postseason play in 1933, but the only one to win three in four years. Belichick joined an exclusive club in which each of the four other members has been enshrined in the Pro Football Hall of Fame.

HEAD COACHES WITH FOUR OR MORE NFL TITLES (Listed alphabetically)

HEAD COACH
Bill Belichick
George Halas Curly Lambeau Vince Lombardi Chuck Noll

CHAMPIONSHIP TEAM[S]
Patriots [SB XXXVI, XXXVIII, XXXIX, XLIX]
Chicago Bears [1921, 33, 40, 41, 46, 63) Green Bay Packers [1929, 30, 31, 36, 39, 44]
Green Bay Packers [1961, 62, 65, SB I, II]
Pittsburgh Steelers [SB IX, X, XIII, XIV]

## 200 WINS WITH PATS

Bill Belichick now has 200 career regular season wins with the Patriots, becoming the fifth NFL coach to reach 200 regular season wins with one team.

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

George Halas [Chicago] - 318-148
Don Shula (Miami) - 257-133-2
Tom Landry (Dallas) - 250-162
Curly Lambeau [Green Bay] - 209-104-21
Bill Belichick [Patriots] - 200-71
Chuck Noll [Pittsburgh] - 193-148-1

## CAREER MILESTONE FOR BELICHICK

Belichick [236] is just the sixth NFL head coach to reach 200 career regu-lar-season victories, joining Don Shula [328], George Halas [318], Tom Landry [250], Curly Lambeau [226) and Marty Schottenheimer (200).

NUMBER OF GAMES TO 200 REGULAR-SEASON WINS
282 Don Shula
288 George Halas
300 Curly Lambeau
306 Bill Belichick
319 Tom Landry
327 Marty Schottenheimer

| Head Coach | Teams | W-L-T (regular season) |
| :--- | :--- | ---: |
| Don Shula | Colts/Dolphins | $328-156-6$ |
| George Halas | Bears | $318-148-6$ |
| Tom Landry | Cowboys | $250-162-6$ |
| Bill Belichick | Browns/Patriots | 236-115-0 |
| Curly Lambeau | Packers/Cardinals/Redskins | $226-132-22$ |

## B=TTER THAN AVERACE

Bill Belichick has led the Patriots to 16 straight winning seasons [2001-2016], second all-time, behind 20 by Tom Landry (1966-85).

| MOST CONSECUTIVE SEASONS WITH A WINNING RECORD |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| HEAD COACH | TEAM | YEARS |
| Tom Landry | Dallas | $20-1966-1985$ |
| Bill Belichick | New England | $16-2001-2016$ |
| Curly Lambeau | Green Bay | $14-1934-1947$ |
| Curly Lambeau | Green Bay | $12-1921-1932$ |
| George Halas | Chicago | $10-1933-1942$ |
| John Madden | Oakland | $10-1969-1978$ |

## 10-WIN SEASONS

Bill Belichick has coached the Patriots to 14 straight seasons with 10 or more wins, adding to his NFL record streak. In 2011, Belichick became the first coach in NFL history with nine straight seasons with at least 10 victories. George Seifert has the second most consecutive 10-win seasons with eight from 1989-1996 for San Francisco.

## 11 ON 14

Bill Belichick passed Don Shula [13] for most 11-win seasons in NFL history after leading the Patriots to 11 wins in 2016, his 14th 11-win season. Belichich has thirteen 11-win seasons with New England and one with Cleveland.

## NFL HEAD COACHES WITH THE MOST 11-WIN SEASON

| Bill Belichick | $\mathbf{1 4}$ |
| :--- | :--- |
| Don Shula | 13 |
| Tom Landry | 10 |

## A DOZEN TIMES 11

Bill Belichick owns the NFL record among head coaches with 11 seasons of 12 or more wins. He owns the record with seven consecutive 11-win seasons [2010-2016].

NFL HEAD COACHES WITH THE MOST 12-WIN SEASONS

| Head Coach | Team(s) | 12-win Seasons |
| :--- | :--- | :---: |
| Bill Belichick | NE | $\mathbf{1 1}$ |
| Don Shula | BAL, MIA | 8 |
| Tony Dungy | IND | 6 |
| Tom Landry | DAL | 6 |
| Marty Schottenheimer | CLE, KC, SD | 5 |

## FIRST WITH 14 WINS IN 4 SEASONS

Bill Belichick guided the Patriots to an NFL-best 14-2 record in 2010, becoming the first head coach ever to win at least 14 regular-season games in four separate seasons. Only four other coaches - San Francisco's George Seifert [3], Washington's Joe Gibbs [२], Chicago’s Mike Ditka [२] and Miami's Don Shula ( 2 ) - have more than one 14 -win season.

## EELICHICK'S DIVISIONAL SUCCESS

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

|  | Teams | W-L-T | Win Pct. |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Head Coach | Green Bay | $47-17-1$ | .730 |
| Mike McCarthy | LA Rams, Washington | $42-18-2$ | .700 |
| George Allen | Minnesota | $69-31-1$ | .688 |
| Bud Grant | Dallas | $101-46-0$ | .687 |
| Tom Landry | Cleveland/Patriots | $92-45-0$ | .672 |
| Bill Belichick | Marty Schottenheimer | CLE/KC/SD/WAS | $95-51-0$ |

THE HEAD COACHES WITH THE MOST WINS AGAINST DIVIIION OPPONENTS SINCE 1970

| Head Coach | Teams | Wins vs. Div. Opponents |
| :--- | ---: | ---: |
| Don Shula | Miami | 132 |
| Tom Landry | Dallas | 101 |
| Dan Reeves | DEN/NYG/ATL | 95 |
| Marty Schottenheimer | CLE/KC/SD/WAS | 95 |
| Bill Belichick | CLE/Patriots | 92 |

## cood in DECEMEAR

Bill Belichick is 60-12 (.833) in December with New England, the best record in December among head coaches with one team in NFL history (min. 25 games). George Seifert is second (27-6, .818).


## DIVISION TITLES RECORD

Bill Belichick guided the Patriots to the AFC East title in 2016. His 14 division titles are the most by a head coach since the 1970 merger. Don Shula is second with 11 division titles since the merger. Overall, Belichicks 14 division titles are the most in NFL history among NFL head coaches with Shula and Tom Landry second with 13 titles.

## E=ㄴICHICK'S 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 |  |  |  |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | :---: |
| COACH | TEAM | W | L | T | PCT. |  |
| Bill Belichick | New England | 217 | 69 | $\mathbf{0}$ | .759 |  |
| Tony Dungy | Tampa Bay/Indianapolis | 101 | 41 | 0 | .711 |  |
| Jim Harbaugh | San Francisco | 49 | 22 | 1 | .688 |  |
| Bill Cowher | Pittsburgh | 70 | 35 | 1 | .665 |  |
| Mike McCarthy Green Bay | 121 | 68 | 1 | .639 |  |  |
| Mike Tomlin | Pittsburgh | 108 | 62 | 0 | .635 |  |
| Pete Carroll | Seattle | 77 | 45 | 1 | .630 |  |
| Bruce Arians | Arizona | 41 | 24 | 1 | .629 |  |
| Mike Martz | St. Louis | 46 | 29 | 0 | .613 |  |
| John HarbaughBaltimore | 96 | 62 | 0 | .607 |  |  |
| Chuck Pagono | Indianapolis | 51 | 34 | 0 | .600 |  |

## AEOVE THE CENTURY MARK

Bill Belichick has an overall record of 259-125. He joins Don Shula and George Halas as the only coaches with 100 more wins than losses.

|  | MOST WINS NFL COACHES |  |
| :--- | :--- | ---: |
| HEAD COACH | TEAM[S] | RECORD |
| Don Shula | BAL, MIA | $347-173-6$ |
| George Halas | Chicago | $324-151-31$ |
| Bill Belichick | CLE, NE | $259-125-0$ |

## 500+ FOR THREE STRAICHT YEARS

Bill Belichick is the first head coach in NFL history to lead a team to three straight 500-point seasons [2010-12]. The Patriots are the first franchise in NFL history to score 500 or more points in four seasons (2007-589, 2010518, 2011-513 and 2012-557). St. Louis is the only other team to have done it three times [1999-526, 2000-540, 2001-503).

## POSTSEASON PROWESS

BEST POSTSEASON RECORDS IN NFL HISTORY
(minimum of 10 games)

| COACH | TEAM[S] | W | L | PCT. |
| :--- | :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Vince Lombardi | GB/WAS | 9 | 1 | .900 |
| Tom Flores | Oakland | 8 | 3 | .727 |
| Bill Walsh | San Francisco | 10 | 4 | .714 |
| Joe Gibbs | Washington | 17 | 7 | .708 |
| Bill Belichick | CLE/NE | 23 | 10 | .697 |
| Jimmy Johnson | DAL/MIA | 9 | 4 | .692 |

MOST POSTSEASON GAMES AS A HEAD COACH

| HEAD COACH | GAN |
| :--- | :--- |
| Tom Landry [Dallas] | 36 |
| Don Shula [Baltimore/Miami] | 36 |

Bill Belichick [Cleveland/New England] 33

## PLAYOFF SUCC=SS

| MOST PLAYOFF WINS BY AN NFL HEAD COACH |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| HEAD COACH | TEAM[S] | WINS |
| Bill Belichick | Cleveland | 23 |
| Tom Landry | Dallas Cow |  |
| Don Shula. | Baltimore | 19 |
| Joe Gibbs | Washingt | 17 |
| Chuck Noll | Pittsburgh | 16 |

## NINE SE APPEARANCES ARE A RECORD

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

| MOST SUPER BOWL APPEARANCES AS A HEAD COACH OR ASSISTANT |  |
| :--- | :--- |
| HEAD COACH | SUPER BOWLS |
| Bill Belichick | 9 (six 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] |

## 10 confarlnce champlonshlp cames

Bill Belichick reached his 10th conference championship game as a head coach in 2015, to match the 10 by Tom Landry since the 1970 merger.
Head Coach Conference Championships

| Bill Belichick | $\mathbf{1 0}$ |
| :--- | :---: |
| Tom Landry | 10 |
| Don Shula | 7 |
| Chuck Noll | 7 |
| John Madden | 6 |
| Bill Cowher | 6 |



## CAREER NOTES

Tom Brady has quarterbacked the Patriots to victories in 182 of his 234 career regular season starts, compiling a .778 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.


## RECORDING SUCCESS

TOP WINNING PERCENTAGE IN SUPER BOWL ERA
[Since 1966, Minimum 50 Starts, Regular Season Only]

| PLAYER | TEAM[S] | YEARS | W | L | T | PCT. |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| TOM BRADY | NE | 2000-16 | 182 | 52 | $\mathbf{0}$ | .778 |
| Roger Staubach | DAL | $1969-79$ | 85 | 29 | 0 | .746 |
| Joe Montana | SF/KC | $1979-94$ | 117 | 47 | 0 | .713 |
| Russell Wilson | SEA | $2012-16$ | 55 | 23 | 1 | .703 |

ACTIVE QUARTERBACKS WINNING PERCENTAGE
Minimum 32 Starts [two full seasons), Regular Season Only

| QUARTERABACK | TEAMIS) | W | L | T | PCT. |
| :--- | :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| TOM BRADY | NE | $\mathbf{1 8 2}$ | $\mathbf{5 2}$ | $\mathbf{0}$ | .778 |
| Russell Wilson | SEA | 55 | 23 | 1 | .703 |
| Ben Roethlisberger | PIT | 123 | 60 | 0 | .672 |
| Aaron Rodgers | GB | 89 | 45 | 0 | .664 |
| Tony Romo | DAL | 78 | 49 | 0 | .614 |
| Andrew Luck | IND | 42 | 27 | 0 | .609 |
| Andy Dalton | CIN | 55 | 35 | 2 | .609 |
| Joe Flacco | BAL | 83 | 54 | 0 | .606 |
| Matt Ryan | ATL | 84 | 57 | 0 | .596 |
| Alex Smith | SF/KC | 78 | 56 | 1 | .581 |
| Cam Netwon | CAR | 51 | 39 | 1 | 566 |

TEN AFC CHAMPIONSHIP GAME APPEARANCES
The Patriots have reached 10 conference championship game in the Tom Brady - Bill Belichick era (since 2001 with Brady starting at QB). By omitting the season Brady missed due to injury in 2008, the Patriots have made 10 title games in the 14 seasons with Brady as the starter..

## BRADY ALL-TIMELEAD=R

MOST CAREER WINS BY AN NFL QUATERBACK (REGULAR SEASON AND POSTSEASON)

| Quarterback | Teams |
| :--- | :--- |
| Tom Brady | NE |
| Peyton Manning | IND/DEN |
| Brett Favre | ATL/GB/NYJ/MIN |
| John Elway | DEN | Wins 204 [182 reg. season/22 postseason] 200 (186 reg. season/14 postseason) 199 (186 reg. season/ 13 postseason) 162 (148 reg. season/ 14 postseason)

## SIX BO-TD SEASONS

Brady has six 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 five quarterback in NFL history to have 30 or more touchdown passes in at least six seasons and one of six quarterback in NFL history with three or more straight seasons with 30 or more touchdowns.

MOST SEASONS WITH 30-PLUS TOUCHDOWN PASSES
Brett Favre $\qquad$
Peyton Manning ................................... 9
Drew Brees ........................................... 9
TOM BRADY........................................ 6

Philip Rivers.. .... 5
Dan Marino ... 4
Tony Romo.
$\qquad$
Eli Manning
Kurt Warner

THREE-PLUS STRAIGHT 30 TOUCHDOWN SEASONS
Drew Brees ........... 9 (2008-2016) Brett Favre ............ 5 (1994-98) Peyton Manning ....... 5 [2009-10, 12-14] TOM BRADY........ 3 (2010-2012)
Dan Marino ........... 3 (1984-86) Aaron Rodgers .... 3 (2014-2016]

## PILINE UP THE WINE

Brady is one of three NFL quarterbacks with at least 180 career wins. [Regular season only]

| RK | NAME | W | L | T | PCT. |
| :--- | :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| 1t. | Brett Favre | 186 | 112 | 0 | .624 |
| 1t. | Peyton Manning | 186 | 79 | 0 | .702 |
| 3. | Tom Brady | 182 | 52 | 0 | .778 |
| 4. | John Elway | 148 | 82 | 1 | .643 |
| 5. | Dan Marino | 147 | 93 | 0 | 613 |
| 6. | Drew Brees | 131 | 100 | 0 | .567 |
| 7. | Fran Tarkenton | 124 | 109 | 6 | .531 |
| 8. | Ben Roethlisberger | 123 | 60 | 0 | .672 |
| 9. | Johnny Unitas | 119 | 64 | 4 | .647 |
| 10. | Joe Montana | 117 | 47 | 0 | .713 |
| 11 t. | Terry Bradshaw | 107 | 51 | 0 | .677 |
| 11 t. | Eli Manning | 107 | 91 | 0 | .540 |
| 13. | Warren Moon | 102 | 101 | 0 | .510 |

## FOUR 35-Tロ 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 <br> 35+ TD SEASONS

Tom Brady
Peyton Manning Drew Brees Aaron Rodgers Brett Favre

4 (50-2007, 36-2010, 39-2011, 36-2015)
4 [49-2004, 37-2012, 55-2013, 39-2014]
4 (46-2011, 43-2012, 39-2013, 35-2016)
4 [45-2011, 39-2012, 38-2014, 36-2016]
3 (38-1995, 39-1996, 35-1997)


## BRADY ONE OF 11

NFL PLAYERS TO AVG. 250 YARDS PER GAME

| PLAYER [Minimum 50Games) | YARDS/GAME |
| :---: | :---: |
| Drew Brees..................... SD/NO. | ................. 283.5 |
| Matthew Stafford............... DET . | 277.5 |
| Peyton Manning.............IND/DEN | ... 270.5 |
| Matt Ryan..........................ATL. | 265.0 |
| Kurt Warner ...................STL/ARI | 260.8 |
| Tom Brady ........................NE ..... | 259.8 |
| Aaron Rodgers...................GB.. | 259.1 |
| Philip Rivers ........................ SD. | 254.5 |
| Dan Marino .....................Miami | ..... 253.6 |
| Ben Roethlisberger............PIT ... | ....... 253.0 |
| Carson Palmer...............CIN/ARI. | 253.0 |

## BRADY AT 4,0OO

Brady reached 4,000 passing yards for the eighth time in his career in 2015. ALL-TIME 4,000 YARD PASSING SEASONS

| 14 | Peyton Manning |  |
| ---: | :--- | ---: |
| 11 | Drew Brees |  |
| 8 | Tom Brady |  |
| 7 | Philip Rivers |  |
| 6 | Dan Marino |  |
| 6 | Brett Favre |  |
| 6 | Matt Ryan |  |
| 6 | Aaron Rodgers |  |
| 5 | Carson Palmer, Eli Manning and |  |
|  | Matthew Stafford |  |
| PATRIOTS TOP PASSING YARDS/SEASON |  |  |
| Yards | Player | Year |
| 5,235 | Tom Brady | 2011 |
| 4,827 | Tom Brady | 2012 |
| 4,806 | Tom Brady | 2007 |
| 4,770 | Tom Brady | 2015 |
| 4,555 | Drew Bledsoe | 1994 |
| 4,398 | Tom Brady | 2009 |
| 4,343 | Tom Brady | 2013 |
| 4,110 | Tom Brady | 2005 |
| 4,109 | Tom Brady | 2014 |
| 4,086 | Drew Bledsoe | 1996 |

## 2G CAR=日R 4-Tロ cAMEs

Brady has thrown four or more touchdowns in 26 games - 21 four-TD games, three five-TD games and two six-TD games. The Patriots are 25-1 when Brady throws four or more TD passes. He has two 4-TD games in 2016

|  | MOST GAMES WITH 4+ TOUCHDOWN PASSES |
| :--- | :--- |
| PLAYER | $4+$ TD GAMES |
| P. Peyton Manning | 35 |
| 2. Drew Brees | 31 |
| 3. Tom Brady | 26 |
| 4. Brett Favre | 23 |
| 5. Dan Marino | 21 |
| 6. Aaron Rodgers | 19 |
| MOST GAMES WITH 4+ TDS AND NO INTERCEPTIONS |  |
| PLAYER | GAMES |
| Tom Brady | 21 |
| Drew Brees | 21 |
| Peyton Manning | 18 |
| Aaron Rodgers | 14 |
| Brett Favre | 12 |

## GIX FOR SIX-PLUS

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
PLAYER 6+TD GAMES

Peyton Manning George Blanda
Y.A. Tittle

Drew Brees
Tom Brady
Charley Johnson
Ben Roethlisberger
Aaron Rodgers

3 (Two 6 TD games and one 7 TD Game)
2 games with 7 touchdowns
2 ( 1 game with 7 and 1 with 6 TDs)
2 ( 1 game with 7 and 1 with 6 TDs)
2 games with 6 touchdowns
2 games with 6 touchdowns
2 games with 6 touchdowns
2 games with 6 touchdowns


60,000 YARDS
Tom Brady [61,306 became the fifth NFL player to reach 60,000 passing yards after reaching the miletone at the New York Jets on Nov. 27, 2016. .Brady needs 56 yards to move past Dan Marino into fourth place.
$\frac{\text { Player }}{\text { 1. Peyton Manning }}$
Passing yards

1. Peyton Manning 71,940
2. Brett Favre 71,838
3. Drew Brees 65,761
4. Dan Marino 61,361
5. Tom Brady

61,306
.. John Elway
7. Warren Moon
8.Eli Manning
9. Fran Tarkenton

49,325
48,034
10. Ben Roethlisberger

47,003
46,814

## A GOOD RATIO

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

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

| Player | Touchdowns | Interceptions | Ratio |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | ---: |
| Tom Brady | $\mathbf{4 5 3}(4)$ | $152(57)$ | $2.98(2)$ |
| Peyton Manning | $539(1)$ | $251(9)$ | $2.15(7)$ |
| Drew Brees | $463[3]$ | $219(20)$ | $2.11(8)$ |
| Dan Marino | $420[5]$ | $252[8]$ | $1.67(26)$ |
| Brett Favre | $508[2]$ | $336[1]$ | $1.51[34]$ |

Tom Brady is one of five NFL players with at least 400 career touchdowns.
MOST CAREER TOUCHDOWN PASSES

|  | MOST CAREER TOUCHDOWN PASSES <br> (regular season only) Bold indicates active players <br> TOUCHDOWNS |  |
| :--- | :--- | :---: |
| RANK | NAME | 539 |
| 1. | Peyton Manning | 508 |
| 2. | Brett Favre | 463 |
| 3. | Drew Brees | 453 |
| 4. | Tom Brady | 420 |
| 5. | Dan Marino | 342 |
| 6. | Fran Tarkenton | 320 |
| 7. | Eli Manning | 312 |
| 8. | Philip Rivers | 301 |
| 9. | Ben Roethlisberger | 300 |

## ONE OF THREE WITH 500 TOTAL TDS; HAS RECORD FOR TD PASSES WITH ONE TEAM

Brady is third 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)

| Player | Years | Team(s) | Total | TD | Reg. Season |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | ---: | Playoffs

MOST TOUCHDOWN PASSES WITH ONE TEAM (INCLUDING PLAYOFFS)

| Player | Years | Team(s) | Total TD | Reg. Season Playoffs |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Tom Brady | $2000-$ Present | NE | 509 | 453 | 56 |
| Brett Favre | $1992-2007$ | GB | 481 | 442 | 39 |
| Dan Marino | $1983-1999$ | MIA | 452 | 420 | 32 |
| Peyton Manning | $1998-2010$ | IND | 428 | 399 | 29 |



## ECLIPSING 3K

Brady $(3,278)$ once again reached 3,000 yards in 2016 for his 14th 3,000yard season.

## NFL RECORD FOR MOST 3,000-YARD SEASONS

| 18 | Brett Favre |
| :--- | :--- |
| 16 | Peyton Manning |
| 14 | Tom Brady |
| 14 | Drew Brees |
| 13 | Dan Marino |
| 12 | John Elway |

## FRANCHISE LEADING PASSER

|  | PATRIOTS ALL-TIME LEADING PASSERS |  |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| PLAYER | YEARS | ATT | COMP | YARDS |
| Tom Brady | $2000-16$ | $\mathbf{8 , 1 9 1}$ | $\mathbf{5 , 2 1 9}$ | $\mathbf{6 1 , 3 0 6}$ |
| Drew Bledsoe | $1993-01$ | 4,518 | 2,544 | 29,657 |
| Steve Grogan | $1975-90$ | 3,593 | 1,879 | 26,886 |

## NFL FRANCHIGE WINS LEADER

Tom Brady has 182 career regular-season wins with the Patriots, the most by a starting quarterback with one team. Brady made his 208th career start against Pittsburgh ( $9 / 10 / 15$ ) when he won his 161st game. It took Brett Favre 253 starts to reach 160 wins with Green Bay.

| MOST WINS AS A STARTING QUARTERBACK FOR |  |  |
| :--- | :---: | :--- |
| Player | Wins | Team |
| Tom Brady | 182 | New England |
| Brett Favre | 160 | Green Bay |
| John Elway | 148 | Denver |
| Dan Marino | 147 | Miami |
| Peyton Manning | 141 | Indianapolis |

## ERADY RACKS UP PASSING YARDS

Brady has 76 NFL games with 300 or more yards passing and the Patriots are 63-13 in those games. He is one of three players with 70 300-yard games. NFL QUARTERBACK 300-YARD GAMES (* ACTIVE)
PLAYER 300-YARD GAMES

| Drew Brees* | 105 |
| :--- | :---: |
| Peyton Manning | 93 |
| Tom Brady* | 76 |
| Dan Marino | 63 |
| Brett Favre | 62 |
| Kurt Warner | 52 |
| Dan Fouts | 51 |
| Philip Rivers* | 51 |

Brady had a career-best eleven 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). He had seven 300-yard games in 2015.

## TOP ©E HOME STARTING RECORDS (min. 75 stafts) <br> SINCE 1970 MERGER includes postseasonl

| PLAYER | TEAM[S] | W | L | T | PCT. |
| :--- | :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Tom Brady | NE | $\mathbf{1 1 6}$ | $\mathbf{1 9}$ | $\mathbf{0}$ | .859 |
| Terry Bradshaw | PIT | 75 | 14 | 0 | .843 |
| John Elway | DEN | 104 | 25 | 0 | .806 |

## 40 GAME-WINNING DRIVES

Brady has 40 game-winning drives in the fourth quarter or overtime in the regular season.

| MOST GAME WINNING DRIVES IN THE FOURTH QUARTER OR OVER <br> (Regular Season since 1970) |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | :---: |
| PLAYER TEAMS 4TH QTR GAME-WINNING DRIVES |  |  |
| 1. Peyton Manning | IND/DEN | 54 |
| 2. Dan Marino | Miami | 47 |
| 3. Brett Favre | GB/NYJ/MIN | 43 |
| 4t. Tom Brady | New England | 40 |
| 4t. John Elway | Denver | 40 |
| 6. Drew Brees | SD/NO | 38 |
| 7. Warren Moon | HOU/MIN/SEA/KC | 35 |

## BRADY'G COMEBACKS

Brady has engineered 50 career game-winning performances to lead his team to a victory from a fourth-quarter deficit or tie. TIME REMAINING PASSING STATISTICS

| DATE | OPP. | SCORE | IN REG. | ATT | CMP | YDS | TD | INT | FINAL |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 11/27/16 at | NYJ | 13-17 | 10:17 | 15 | 10 | 132 | 1 | 0 | 22-17 |
| $11 / 15 / 15$ at | NYG | 17-23 | 15:00 | 18 | 11 | 193 | 1 | 1 | 27-26 |
| 10/25/15 | NYJ | 16-17 | 15:00 | 17 | 14 | 150 | 2 | 0 | 30-23 |
| 02/01/15 | SEA** | 14-24 | 15:00 | 15 | 13 | 124 | 2 | 0 | 28-24 |
| 01/10/15 | BAL* | 28-28 | 15:00 | 8 | 9 | 72 | 1 | 0 | 35-31 |
| 12/21/14 at | NYJ | 10-13 | 15:00 | 6 | 3 | 26 | 0 | 1 | 17-13 |
| 12/07/14 at | SD | 13-14 | 15:00 | 8 | 7 | 112 | 1 | 0 | 23-14 |
| 12/08/13 | CLE | 3-19 | 15:00 | 20 | 16 | 142 | 2 | 0 | 27-26 |
| $12 / 01 / 13$ at | HOU | $21-24$ | 15:00 | 12 | 8 | 87 | 0 | 0 | 34-31 |
| 11/24/13 | DEN | $21-24$ | 15:00 | 19 | 12 | 100 | 1 | 0 | (ot) 34.31 |
| 10/13/13 | NO | 23-27 | 1:13 | 5 | 7 | 70 | 1 | 0 | 30-27 |
| 09/08/13 at | BUF | 20-21 | 4:31 | 7 | 7 | 36 | 0 | 0 | 23-21 |
| 10/21/12 | NYJ | 23-26 | 1:37 | 9 | 13 | 95 | 0 | 0 | (ot) 29.26 |
| 09/30/12 at | BUF | 21-21 | 15:00 | 7 | 4 | 78 | 2 | 0 | 52-28 |
| 01/22/12 | BAL* | 16-20 | 15:00 | 6 | 3 | 20 | 0 | 1 | 23-20 |
| 12/24/11 | MIA | 17-17 | 15:00 | 11 | 8 | 120 | 0 | 0 | 27-24 |
| 10/16/11 | DAL | 13-16 | 5:13 | 9 | 11 | 87 | 1 | 0 | 20-16 |
| 12/19/10 | GB | $21-27$ | 13:49 | 6 | 5 | 82 | 1 | 0 | 31.27 |
| $11 / 25 / 10$ at | DET | 24-24 | 15:00 | 5 | 5 | 86 | 2 | 0 | 45-24 |
| 10/17/10 | BAL | 10-20 | 14:53 | 24 | 16 | 156 | 1 | 1 | (0t) 23-20 |
| 09/14/09 | BUF | 13-24 | 5:32 | 13 | 11 | 112 | 2 | 0 | 25-24 |
| 12/29/07 at | NYG | 23-28 | 15:00 | 12 | 8 | 130 | 1 | 0 | 38-35 |
| 12/03/07 at | BAL | 17-24 | 14:25 | 17 | 7 | 113 | 1 | 0 | 27-24 |
| 11/25/07 | PH | 24-28 | 15:00 | 16 | 11 | 109 | 0 | 0 | $31-28$ |
| $11 / 04 / 07$ at | IND | 10-20 | 9:42 | 10 | 8 | 144 | 2 | 0 | 24-20 |
| 01/14/07 at | SD* | 13-21 | 8:35 | 14 | 9 | 122 | 1 | 1 | 24-21 |
| 12/03/06 | DET | 13-21 | 13:07 | 15 | 14 | 101 | 0 | 0 | 28-21 |
| 11/26/06 | CHI | 10-10 | 14:46 | 7 | 6 | 98 | 1 | 0 | 17-13 |
| 09/10/06 | BUF | 14-17 | 15:00 | 6 | 3 | 58 | 0 | 1 | 19-17 |
| 11/13/05 at | MIA | 15-16 | 2:53 | 2 | 2 | 76 | 1 | 0 | 23-16 |
| 10/30/05 | BUF | 7-16 | 10:07 | 4 | 4 | 69 | 0 | 0 | 21-16 |
| 10/09/05 at | ATL | 28-28 | 3:52 | 2 | 2 | 17 | 0 | 0 | $31-28$ |
| 09/25/05 at | PIT | 10-13 | 14:19 | 12 | 12 | 167 | 0 | 0 | 23-20 |
| 02/06/05 | PHI** | 14-14 | 15:00 | 4 | 2 | 33 | 0 | 0 | 24-21 |
| 10/03/04 at | BUF | 17-17 | 15:00 | 4 | 2 | 8 | 1 | 0 | 31-17 |
| 02/01/04 | CAR** | 29-29 | 1:08 | 5 | 4 | 47 | 0 | 0 | $32-29$ |
| 01/10/04 | TEN* | 14-14 | 15:00 | 11 | 6 | 27 | 0 | 0 | 17-14 |
| 11/30/03 at | IND | 31-31 | 10:21 | 6 | 3 | 31 | 1 | 0 | 38-34 |
| $11 / 23 / 03$ at | HST | 13-20 | 3:11 | 14 | 10 | 133 | 1 | 0 | (ot) $23-20$ |
| 11/03/03 at | DEN | 23-26 | 2:51 | 4 | 5 | 58 | 1 | 0 | 30-26 |
| 10/19/03 at | MIA | 13-13 | 15:00 | 10 | 7 | 147 | 1 | 0 | (ot) 19-13 |
| 10/05/03 | TEN | 24-27 | 4:40 | 1 | 1 | 15 | 0 | 0 | 38-30 |
| 12/29/02 | MIA | 13-24 | 4:59 | 13 | 8 | 69 | 1 | 0 | (ot) 27-24 |
| 11/10/02 at | CHI | $19-30$ | 5:16 | 14 | 9 | 116 | 2 | 0 | 33-30 |
| 09/22/02 | KC | 38-38 | 0:00 | 5 | 4 | 46 | 0 | 0 | (ot) 41-38 |
| 02/03/02 | STL** | 17-17 | 1:21 | 8 | 5 | 53 | 0 | 0 | 20-17 |
| 01/19/02 | OAK* | 3-13 | 15:00 | 27 | 20 | 138 | 0 | 0 | (ot) 16-13 |
| 12/16/01 at | BUF | 6-9 | 5:57 | 13 | 9 | 116 | 0 | 0 | (ot) 12-9 |
| 12/02/01 at | NYJ | 14-16 | 15:00 | 7 | 6 | 56 | 0 | 0 | 17-16 |
| 10/14/01 | SD | 16-26 | 8:48 | 18 | 13 | 130 | 1 |  | (ot) 29-26 |
| $\wedge$-Statistics are | $m$ the | e noted | the en | the ga | * | nal | ffs |  | Bowl |

## LATE GAME WINNER

Brady now has seven 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 $\qquad$ at Denver
W
30-26
The Patriots trailed 26-23 when Brady threw an 18-yard touchdown to David Givens with 30 seconds left to give the Patriots a 30-26 win.

12/3/07 at Baltimore W 27-24
The Patriots trailed 24-20 when Brady threw an 8-yard touchdown to Jabar Gaffney with 44 seconds left to give the Patriots a 27-24 win.
9/14/09
vs. Buffalo $\qquad$
W
25-24

The Patriots trailed 24-19 when Brady threw a 16-yard touchdown to Ben Watson with 50 seconds left to give the Patriots a 25-24 win.

10/16/11 vs. Dallas W 20-16
The Patriots trailed 16-13 when Brady threw an 8-yard touchdown pass to Aaron Hernandez with 22 seconds left to give the Patriots a 20-16 win.

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

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

## THRE= Tロ; NO INT

Tom Brady is second in NFL history with 50 games with three or more touchdowns and no interceptions. The Patriots are 48-2 (.960) in such games.

PLAYER MOST GAMES WITH 3+ TD PASSES AND O INT.

| Peyton Manning | 51 |
| :--- | :--- |
| Tom Brady | 50 |
| Drew Brees | 41 |
| Aaron Rodgers | 38 |
| Brett Favre | 36 |

## TOM ERADY'S RECORD AS A STARTER

| REG. SEASON | PLAYOFFS | TOTAL |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Overall 182-52 | 22-9 | 204-61 |
| Home: . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 101-16. | 15-3 | 116-19 |
| Road: . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 81-36. | 7-6* | 88-42 |
| By Yardage Total |  |  |
| Less than 200: . . . . . . . . . 36-16. | 4-1 | 40-17 |
| 200-299: . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 83-23 | 11-5. | 94-28 |
| 300 or more: . . . . . . . . . . 63-13. | . 7-3. | . 70-16 |
| Other Records |  |  |
| On Artificial Turf:. . . . . . . 114-17 | 11-5. | 125-22 |
| Temp Below 40: . . . . . . . . . 38-6. | 12-2. | .50-8 |
| Thanksgiving or later: . . . 68-17. | 22-9. | 90-26 |
| Leading at Halftime:. . . . 141-16. | 15-4. | 156-20 |
| Leading after 3 Qtrs:. . . . . 151-9. | 14-3. | 165-12 |
| Overtime: . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . $9-4$. | . . 1-0. | . .10-4 |
| Passer rating >100.0: . . 103-6. . | 11-0. | . 114-6 |

## RECORD TITLE HOLDAR

Tom Brady earned his NFL record 14th division championship in 2016.
QUARTERBACK
CAREER DIVISION TITLES
Tom Brady 14

Peyton Manning
12
Joe Montana

## 12-WIN SEASONS

Since entering the NFL in 2000, Tom Brady's teams have reached 12 regu-lar-season wins in 11 different seasons, tied with Peyton Manning for the most. STARTING QBS WITH THE MOST 12-WIN REGULAR SEASONS IN NFL HISTORY
PLAYER SEASONS

| Tom Brady | $\mathbf{1 1}$ |
| :--- | :---: |
| Peyton Manning | 11 |
| Brett Favre | 6 |
| John Elway | 4 |
| Jim Kelly | 4 |

## 

Tom Brady is 54-10 (.844) in December, the second-best winning percentage in December among quarterbacks in the Super Bowl era. Roger Staubach is first [17-3, .850). Among active quarterbacks, Cam Newton is second with a $19-5$ record [.792). Brady has 54 wins in December, the most in NFL history, followed by 52 by Brett Favre and 49 by Peyton Manning.

## 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 REGULAR SEASON STARTS Quarterback

Wins Through 200 Starts

| Tom Brady | 155 |
| :--- | :--- |
| Peyton Manning | 136 |
| Dan Marino | 125 |
| John Elway | 124 |

## FOURTH TO REACH 5,000 COMPLETIONS

Tom Brady had 28 completions at Cleveland [10/9/16] to move past Dan Marino for the fourth-most completions by an NFL quarterback, He had 29 completions vs. Cincinnati [10/16/16] to become the fourth player with 5,000 completions.
MOST PASS COMPLETIONS IN NFL HISTORY

| 1. Brett Favre | 6,300 |
| :--- | ---: |
| 2. Peyton Manning | 6,125 |
| 3. Drew Brees | 5,807 |
| 4. Tom Brady | 5,219 |
| 5. Dan Marino | 4,967 |
| 6. John Elway | 4,123 |
| 7. Eli Manning | 4,055 |

## THIRD-EEST ©E RATING

| PLAYER | YEARS | TEAM | RATING |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | ---: |
| Aaron Rodgers | 2005-16 | Green Bay | 104.0 |
| Russell Wilson | $2012-16$ | Seattle | 99.6 |
| Tom Brady | $2000-16$ | Patriots | 97.1 |
| Tony Romo | $2004-15$ | Dallas | 97.1 |
| Steve Young | $1985-99$ | TB/SF | 96.8 |
| Peyton Manning | $1998-15$ | IND/DEN | 96.5 |
| Drew Brees | $2001-16$ | SD/NO | 96.4 |
| Philip Rivers | $2004-16$ | SD | 94.9 |



## MOST TD THROWS COACHIGE TANDEM

Tom Brady has thrown 453 career touchdowns under head coach Bill Belichick, the most touchdowns among any head coach/starting quarterback tandem.

MOST TDS/QB TANDEMS

| Quarterback/Head Coach | Team | Touchdowns |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Tom Brady/Bill Belichick | NE | 453 |
| Dan Marino/Don Shula | MIA | 352 |
| Drew Brees/Sean Payton | NO | 340 |
| Elia Manning/Tom Coughlin | NYG | 294 |

## BRADY UNDEFEATED AcAINST 7

Brady is undefeated against seven teams - Atlanta [4-0], Chicago [4-0], Dallas (4-0), Detroit (4-0), Jacksonville (5-0), Minnesota (4-0) and Tampa Bay [3-0). Brady is most successful against Buffalo, with a 26-3 career record and the non-divisional team he has beaten the most is Indianapolis (9-3).

## NO PLACE LIKE HOME

Tom 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.

## BEST HOME REGULAR SEASON STARTING RECORDS <br> [MINIMUM 40 STARTS)

Player Record
Tom Brady 101-16 (.863)
Terry Bradshaw 67-12 (.848)
Roger Staubach 49-10 (.831)
John Elway
95-23 (.805)
Aaron Rodgers 53-14(.791)
Joe Flacco 53-16 (.768)
BEST HOME REGULAR SEASON STARTING RECORD IN FIRST 100 STARTS

| Player | Record |
| :--- | :--- |
| Tom Brady | $87-13(.870)$ |
| Brett Favre | $82-18(.820)$ |
| John Elway | $77-23(.770)$ |
| Peyton Manning | $74-26[.740)$ |

## WINNINGEST COACHIOE TANDEM

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

WINNINGEST COACH/QB TANDEMS SINCE 1970
[Regular Season Only - by winning percentage]

| Quarterback/Head Coach | Team | W | L | T | Pct. |
| :--- | :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Tom Brady/Bill Belichick | NE | $\mathbf{1 8 2}$ | 52 | $\mathbf{0}$ | .778 |
| Peyton Manning/Tony Dungy | IND | 85 | 27 | 0 | .759 |
| Ken Stabler/John Madden | OAK | 60 | 19 | 1 | .756 |
| Jim McMahon/Mike Ditka | CHI | 46 | 15 | 0 | .754 |

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\text { WINNINGEST COACH/QB TANDEMS SINCE } 1970
$$ (Regular Season Only - by victories)

| Quarterback/Head Coach | Team | W | L | T | Pct. |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Tom Brady/Bill Belichick | NE | 182 | 52 | O | .778 |
| Terry Bradshaw/Chuck Noll | PIT | 107 | 51 | 0 | .677 |
| Dan Marino/Don Shula | MIA | 116 | 68 | 0 | .630 |

WINNINGEST COACH/QB TANDEMS
[Notable Combinations)

| [Notable Combinations] |  |  |  |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Quarterback/Head Coach | Wins | Playoff Apps | NFL Titles |
| Tom Brady/Bill Belichick | 182 | 14 | 4 |
| Dan Marino/Don Shula | 116 | 7 | 0 |
| Terry Bradshaw/Chuck Noll | 107 | 10 | 4 |
| Roger Staubach/Tom Landry | 85 | 10 | 2 |
| Bart Starr/Vince Lombardi | 77 | 6 | 5 |
| Joe Montana/Bill Walsh | 75 | 7 | 3 |

## ERADY EXTENDS DIV. TITLEMARK

Tom Brady extended his NFL record by leading the Patriots to their eighth straight division title.
NFL RECORD FOR MOST CONSECUTIVE DIVISION TITLES BY A STARTING QB

| Player | Team | Consecutive Division Titles |
| :--- | :---: | :---: |
| Tom Brady | Patriots | $\mathbf{8}(2009-2016]$ |
| Terry Bradshaw | Steelers | $6[1974-1979]$ |
| Fran Tarkenton | Vikings | $6[1973-1978]$ |

$\left.\begin{array}{lc}\text { NFL RECORD FOR MOST DIVISION TITLES } \\ \text { Career Division Titles }\end{array}\right]$

Brady is 51-1 at home against the AFC since 2007. His only loss at home against an AFC opponent since 2007 was the season-finale in 2014 when the Patriots lost to Buffalo, 17-9, on Dec. 28. 2014.
Since 2007, Brady is 64-6 overall at home in the regular season. That is more wins than six teams have (home and away) combined during that span.
Detroit-63
Tampa Bay - 62
Oakland - 60
Jacksonville - 53
Cleveland - 48
Los Angeles Rams - 46

## MOST STARTS UNDER ONE HC

Tom 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 234 career starts under Belichick.

## 14 cAMES WITH 300 YARDS, 4 TDS \& 0 INTS

Tom Brady had his 14th NFL game with 300 yards, four touchdowns and no interceptions at Buffalo [10/30/16], second in NFL history to the 18 such games by Drew Brees.

## NFL RECORD FOR ATTEMPTS EETWEEN INTS

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

| 358 | Tom Brady [Patriots] | 2010-11 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 312 | Alex Smith [Kansas City] | 2015 |
| 308 | Bernie Kosar [Cleveland] | $1990-91$ |
| 294 | Bart Starr [Green Bay] | $1964-65$ |
| 279 | Jeff George [IND/ATL] | $1993-94$ |
| 277 | Rich Gannon [Oakland] | 2001 |
| 271 | Jason Campbell (Washington) $2007-08$ |  |

## TIED FOR FIRST IN DISTINCT HONOR

Tom Brady has earned 27 AFC Player of the Week honors, to tie Peyton Manning for the most in NFL history. Brady was named AFC Offensive Player of the Week for Week 5 and Week 10 in 2016. Brady was named Offensive Player of the Month for October in 2016. It is his 9th Player of the Month award, surpassing Peyton Manning (8) for the most in NFL history.
CAREER PLAYER OF THE WEEK AWARDS

| Player | Career | Team | POW Awards |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :---: |
| Tom Brady | 2000-present | Patriots | 27 |
| Peyton Manning | 1998-present | Colts/Broncos | 27 |
| Dan Marino | $1983-1999$ | Dolphins | 18 |
| Brett Favre | $1991-2010$ | Packers, Jets, Vikings | 16 |
| John Elway | $1983-1998$ | Broncos | 15 |

## MOST GAMES PLAYED AS A PATRIOT

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

| Player | Games Played |
| :--- | :---: |
| Tom Brady | 236 |
| Bruce Armstrong | 212 |
| Julius Adams | 206 |

## SECOND PATRIOT WITH 2OO STARTS

Tom Brady［234］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．

## 200－PLUS STARTS

Tom Brady is one of nine NFL quarterbacks with at least 200 career starts in the regular season．
MOST NFL STARTS BY AN NFL QUARTERBACK
Starts

Tom Brady［234 starts in the regular season and 30 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 VALUABLE PLAYERS

MOST ASSOCIATED PRESS NFL MVP AWARDS
Peyton Manning 5
Brett Favre 3
Tom Brady 2＊（2007 and 2010）

## Joe Montana 2

Aaron Rodgers 2＊
Johnny Unitas 2
Kurt Warner 2
Steve Young 2
＊Active

## ERADY B＝ATS BUFFALロ

Tom Brady owns a 26－3 record against the Buffalo Bills．He has more wins against Buf－ falo than any other NFL team．The New York Jets are second with 23 wins on Brady＇s list．Brady＇s 26 wins against Buffalo are the tied with Brett Favre（ 26 wins against Detroit）for the most against a single opponent．
MOST WINS BY A STARTING QUARTERBACK AGAINST AN OPPONENT ［REGULAR SEASON］

| Player | Wins |
| :--- | :--- |
| Tom Brady | 26 wins against Buffalo |
| Brett Favre | 26 wins against Detroit |
| Tom Brady | 23 wins against New York Jets |
| Brett Favre | 23 wins against Chicago |
| Dan Marino | 22 wins against Indianapolis |



## ERADY HAS LOW INTERCEPTION PCT，

Tom Brady has thrown just two interceptions in 399 pass attempts in 2016. Brady＇s lowest interception total during his career was in 2010 when he threw just four．

NFL INTERCEPTION PERCENTAGE（150 MIN ATTEMPTS）


Brady owns eight of the 104，000－yard passing seasons in Patriots history．

| PATRIOTS TOP PASSING YARDS／SEASON |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| YARDS | PLAYER | YEAR |
| 5,235 | Tom Brady | 2011 |
| 4,827 | Tom Brady | 2012 |
| 4,806 | Tom Brady | 2007 |
| 4,770 | Tom Brady | 2015 |
| 4,555 | Drew Bledsoe | 1994 |
| 4,398 | Tom Brady | 2009 |
| 4,343 | Tom Brady | 2013 |
| 4,110 | Tom Brady | 2005 |
| 4,109 | Tom Brady | 2014 |
| 4,086 | Drew Bledsoe | 1996 |

## BRAロY WING TOUCHロロWN GROWN

Tom Brady finished the 2015 season with an NFL－leading 36 touchdowns． Brady has led the league in touchdown passes four times in his career［2002－ 28 tds，2007－50 tds，2010－36－tds and 2015－36－tds）and ties Drew Brees， Len Dawson，Brett Favre，Peyton Manning，Johnny Unitas and Steve Young for the most seasons leading the league in touchdown passes with four．

## CAREER HICH COMPLETIONS

Tom Brady set a career high in completions in 2015 with 402 ．Brady＇s previ－ ous best was 401 completions in 2011 and 2012．Brady（3）joins Drew Brees ［7］，Peyton Manning［3］and Matt Ryan［3］for the most seasons with 400 completions．


## ERADY THROWS FOR SECOND－HICHEST TOTAL

Tom Brady threw for 466 yards at Buffalo（ $9 / 20 / 15$ ］，the second－highest single－game mark of his career and the most ever against Buffalo，eclipsing the 464 yards by George Blanda in 1961.
MOST PASSING YARDS IN A GAME IN PATRIOTS HISTORY

| Player | Date | Opp | 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 | $12 / 16 / 12$ | SF | 65 | 36 | 443 | 1 | 2 |
| Tom Brady | $11 / 03 / 13$ | PITT | 33 | 23 | 432 | 4 | 0 |
| Drew Bledsoe | $11 / 13 / 94$ | MIN | 70 | 45 | 426 | 3 | 0 |
| Drew Bledsoe | $11 / 23 / 98$ | MIA | 54 | 28 | 423 | 2 | 2 |
| Tom Brady | $9 / 18 / 11$ | SD | 40 | 31 | 423 | 3 | 0 |



## PASSING YARD PACE

Tom Brady owns one of the eight 5,000-yard passing seasons in NFL history.
MOST PASSING YARDS IN A SEASON

| Player | Yards |
| :--- | ---: |
| Peyton Manning [2013) | 5,477 |
| Drew Brees [2011) | 5,476 |
| Tom Brady [2011) | 5,235 |
| Drew Brees (2012) | 5,177 |
| Drew Brees [2013] | 5,162 |
| Dan Marino (1984) | 5,084 |
| Drew Brees [2008] | 5,069 |
| Matthew Stafford [2011) | 5,038 |

## SPREADINC 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.

## ERADY TD PASS RATE

Tom Brady threw for 50 touchdown passes in 2007.
QUARTERBACKS WITH 40 OR MORE TOUCHDOWN PASSES IN A SEASON

| Player | Touchdown Passes |
| :--- | ---: |
| Peyton Manning [2013] | 55 |
| Tom Brady [2007] | 50 |
| Peyton Manning [2004] | 49 |
| Dan Marino [1984] | 48 |
| Drew Brees [2011] | 46 |
| Aaron Rodgers [2011] | 45 |
| Dan Marino [1986] | 44 |
| Drew Brees [2012] | 43 |
| Matthew Stafford [2011] | 41 |
| Kurt Warner [1999] | 41 |
| Andrew Luck [2014] | 40 |

## THE ERADY SIX

Tom Brady was the seventh quarterback selected in the 2000 NFL Draft QUARTERBACKS TAKEN IN THE 2000 NFL DRAFT

| Rd | Pick | Player | Taken By |
| :--- | ---: | :--- | :--- |
| 1 | 18 | Chad Pennington | NY Jets |
| 3 | 65 | Giovanni Carmazzi | San Francisco |
| 3 | 75 | Chris Redman | Baltimore |
| 5 | 163 | Tee Martin | Pittsburgh |
| 6 | 168 | Marc Bulger | New Orleans |
| 6 | 183 | Spergon Wynn | Cleveland |
| $\mathbf{6}$ | 199 | Tom Brady | New England |

## BRADY HANCS 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 | $59-0$ |
| $9 / 30 / 12$ | at Buffalo | $52-28$ |
| $11 / 18 / 12$ | vs. Indianapolis | $59-24$ |
| $11 / 03 / 13$ | vs. Pittsburgh | $55-31$ |
| $10 / 26 / 14$ | vs. Chicago | $51-23$ |
| $9 / 27 / 15$ | vs. Jacksonville | $51-17$ |

## 300 IN A HALF

Brady had his fourth 300-yard half and his third 300-yard second half after throwing for 323 yards in the second half vs. Cleveland on Dec. 8, 2013.

| YARDS | GAME | HALF |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 367 | vs. San Francisco $[12-16-12]$ | 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 |



ERADY MOVES UP POSTSEASON LISTS
Tom Brady threw three touchdown passes in the 2014 AFC Divisional Playoff game vs. Baltimore (01/10/15] to move past Joe Montana [45] for the most touchdown passes in the postseason with 46. Brady had a franchise record of 367 yards against the Ravens. He became the all-time postseason passing leader in the AFC title win
NFL ALL-TIME LEADERS: POSTSEASON TOUCHDOWN PASSES

| PLAYER | TEAM | TOUCHDOWNS |
| :--- | :---: | ---: |
| Tom Brady | New England | 56 |
| Joe Montana | San Fran./Kansas City | 45 |
| Brett Favre | Green Bay/Minnesota | 44 |
| Peyton Manning | Indianapolis/Denver | 40 |
| Dan Marino | Miami | 32 |
| Kurt Warner | St. Louis/Arizona | 31 |
| Terry Bradshaw | Pittsburgh | 30 |

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

| PLAYER | TEAM | GAME |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Tom Brady | NE | AFC-D: NE vs. DEN'11 | TOUCHDOWNS |
| Daryle Lamonica | OAK | AFC-D: OAK vS. HOU '69 | 6 |
| Steve Young | SF | SB: SF vs. SD'94 | 6 |

NFL ALL-TIME LEADERS: POSTSEASON PASSING YARDS

| PLAYER | TEAM | YARDS |
| :--- | :---: | ---: |
| Tom Brady | New England | 7,957 |
| Peyton Manning | Indianapolis/Denver | 7,339 |
| Brett Fave | Green Bay/Minnesota | 5,855 |
| Joe Montana | San Fran./Kansas City | 5,772 |
| John Elway | Denver | 4,964 |
| Dan Marino | Miami | 4,510 |

NFL ALL-TIME LEADERS: POSTSEASON COMPLETIONS

| PLAYER | New England | COMPLETIONS |
| :--- | ---: | ---: |
| Tom Brady | Indianapolis/Denver | 738 |
| Peyton Manning | Green Bay/Minnesota | 649 |
| Brett Favre | San Fran./Kansas City | 481 |
| Joe Montana |  | 460 |

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

| PLAYER | TEAM | GAME | COMP PCT. |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | ---: |
| Tom Brady | NE | AFC-D: NE vs. JAX '07 | $92.9(26-28)$ |
| Phil Simms | NYG | SB: NYG vS. DEN, '86 | $88.0(22-25)$ |
| Kurt Warner | ARI | NFC-WC: ARI vs. GB '09 | 87.9 (29-33) |

MOST 300-YARD GAMES, POSTSEASON HISTORY


## ERADY IN POSTSEASON

With the win in Super Bowl XLIX and another MVP Award, Brady is now tied for most Super Bowl wins as a QB and most Super Bowl MVP awards.

| QBs WITH 3 OR MORE SUPER BOWL |  | VICTORIES |
| :--- | :---: | :---: |
| PLAYER | TEAM | WINS |
| Tom Brady | NE | 4 |
| Terry Bradshaw | PIT | 4 |
| Joe Montana | SF | 4 |
| Troy Aikman | DAL | 3 |


| PLAYERS WITH  <br> PLAYER MULTIPLE SUPER BOWL <br> PLAVP MEAM | AWARDS <br> MVPS |  |
| :--- | :---: | :---: |
| Tom Brady | NE | 3 |
| Joe Montana SF | SF | 3 |
| Terry Bradshaw PIT | 2 |  |
| Bart Starr | GB | 2 |
| Eli Manning | NYG | 2 |


| ERADY HAS MロST PLAYロFF WINS |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| MOST PLAYOFF WINS BY STARTING QB IN NFL HISTORY |  |  |
| PLAYER | TEAM | PLAYOFF WINS |
| Tom Brady | New England | 22 |
| Joe Montana | San Fran./K.C. | 16 |
| Terry Bradshaw | Pittsburgh | 14 |
| John Elway | Denver | 14 |
| Peyton Manning | Indianapolis/Denver | 14 |
| Brett Favre | Green Bay | 13 |
| Troy Aikman | Dallas | 11 |
| Roger Staubach | Dallas | 11 |
| Ben Roethlisberger | Pittsburgh | 11 |

HIGHEST PLAYOFF WIIN PCT. BY STARTING QB IN NFL HISTORY
[Minimum 10 Starts]

| PLAYER | TEAM | W | L | PCT |
| :--- | :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Bart Starr | Green Bay | 9 | 1 | .900 |
| Jim Plunkett | Oak./L.A. Raiders | 8 | 2 | .800 |
| Terry Bradshaw | Pittsburgh | 14 | 5 | .737 |
| Troy Aikman | Dallas | 11 | 4 | .733 |
| Eli Manning | NY Giants | 8 | 3 | .727 |
| Tom Brady | New England | 22 | 9 | .710 |
| Joe Montana | San Fran./K.C. | 16 | 7 | .696 |
| Kurt Warner | St. Louis/Arizona | 9 | 4 | .692 |
| John Elway | Denver | 14 | 7 | .667 |
| Joe Flacco | Baltimore | 10 | 5 | .667 |
| Ben Roethlisberger | Pittsburgh | 11 | 6 | .647 |

MOST PLAYOFF STARTS BY A QUARTERBACK

| PLAYER | TEAM | STARTS |
| :--- | :---: | :---: |
| Tom Brady | New England | 31 |
| Peyton Manning | Indianapolis/Denver | 27 |
| Brett Favre | Green Bay/Minnesota | 24 |
| Joe Montana | San Fran./Kansas City | 23 |
| John Elway | Denver | 21 |

## ERADY IN THE SUPER BOWL

Brady is the all-time leader in Super Bowl passing yards $[1,605]$ and touchdown passes [13]. Brady's six Super Bowl starts are also the most among all quaterbacks in NFL history.

SUPER BOWL PASSING YARDS



## ERADY'G SIX CONFERENCE THLEE ARE THE MOST OF ANY STARTNG ©E IN SUPER BOWL ERA

The 2014 AFC Championship was Tom Brady's sixth conference title as a starting quarterback, passing John Elway for the most conference titles in NFL history during the Super Bowl Era [since 1966].

| Starting eb | TEAM | \# | SEASONS | SUPER BOWL APPEARANCES |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Tom Brady | New England | 6 | 2001, 2003, 2004, 2007, 2011, 2014 | XXXVI, $\mathrm{XXXVIII}$, $\mathbf{X X X I X}, \mathrm{XLII}$, XLVI, XLIX |
| John Elway | Denver | 5 | 1986, 1987, 1989, 1997, 1998 | XXI, XXII, XXIV, XXXII, XXXIII |
| Terry Bradshaw | Pittsburgh | 4 | 1974, 1975, 1978, 1979 | IX, X, XIII, XIV |
| Jim Kelly | Buffalo | 4 | 1990, 1991, 1992, 1993 | XXV, XXVI , XXVII, XXVIII |
| Joe Montana | San Francisco | 4 | 1981, 1984, 1988, 1989 | XVI, XIX, XXIII, XXIV |
| Roger Staubach | Dallas | 4 | 1971, 1975, 1977, 1978 | VI, X, XII, XIII |
| Peyton Manning | Indianapolis/Denver | 4 | 2006, 2009, 2013, 2015 | XLI, XLIV, XLVIII, 50 |
| Troy Aikman | Dallas | 3 | 1992, 1993, 1995 | XXXVIII, XXXVIII, XXX |
| Bob Griese | Miami | 3 | 1971, 1972, 1973 | VI, VII, VIII |
| Ben Roethlisberger | Pittsburgh | 3 | 2005, 2008, 2010 | XL, XLIII, XLV |
| Fran Tarkenton | Minnesota | 3 | 1973, 1974, 1976 | VII, IX, XI |
| Kurt Warner | St. Louis/ Arizona | 3 | 1999, 2001,2008 | XXXIV, XXXVI, XLIII |

## SUPER COMEINATION

New England head coach Bill Belichick and quarterback Tom Brady won their sixth conference championship together in 2014, 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


## BRADY POSTSEASON cAMES

The 2015 playoff game vs. Denver was Tom Brady's 31th postseason game, the most in NFL history.

| Player | Teams | Postseason Games |
| :--- | ---: | ---: |
| Tom Brady | Patriots | $\mathbf{3 1}$ |
| Adam Vinatieri | NE/IND | 30 |
| Jerry Rice | SF/OAK/SEA | 29 |
| D.D. Lewis | Dallas | 27 |
| Peyton Manning | IND/DEN | 27 |

Tom Brady set an NFL record by leading the Patriots to their eighth straight division title in 2016.

| Player | Team | Cons. Division Titles |
| :--- | ---: | ---: |
| Tom Brady | Patriots | $\mathbf{8}(\mathbf{2 0 0 0 - 1 6 ]}$ |
| Terry Bradshaw | Steelers | $6[1974-79]$ |
| Fran Tarkenton | Vikings | $6[1973-78]$ |

> BRADY SET NFL RECORD FOR MOST cONSECUTIVE COMPLETIONS IN SUPER BOWL 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.

## BRADY TIES NFL RECORD WITH HIS 10TH CONFERENCE CHAMPIONSHIP

 2015 to tie Gene Upshaw and George Blanda for the most confer ence championship game appearances. 14th division championship in 2016 Peyton Manning has the second-most with 12 division titles.> Quarterback
> Career ©ivisionTititles
> Tom Brady
> Peyton Manning
> Joe Montana
> Brett Favre
> Terry Bradshaw
> John Elway

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## Good thincs come in thrazs

Tom Brady threw for three or more touchdowns in all three 2014 postseason games with three vs. Baltimore, three vs. Indianapolis and four in the Super Bowl vs. Seattle. Brady now has eight postseason games with three or more touchdown passes. Only Joe Montana has more three TD-pass playoff games since the merger than Tom Brady's seven. Brady is $8-0$ in those games.

Most 3 Pass TD Playoff Games - Since Merger

| Joe Montana | 9 |
| :--- | :--- |
| Tom Brady | $\mathbf{8}$ |
| Peyton Manning | 6 |
| Brett Favre | 6 |




## FロロTシALL 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．＂


## WEARING TROY EROWN＇S \＃80 JERSEY

When Danny Amendola joined the Patriots in the 2013 offseason，he was assigned jersey \＃80，the same number worn by Patriots＇Hall of Famer Troy Brown，who finished his career as the team＇s all－time leading receiver and is punt returner．

Said Amendola on wearing Brown＇s jersey \＃80：＂I talked to［Troy Brown）a little bit before I came here．I told him he＇s one of the greatest ever，and it＇s an honor to wear No．80．I＇m going to try to represent it the best I can．＂


## B＝NN＝TT cETG CREATIVE

Martellus，who prefers to go by＇Marty，＂is known for his sense of humor， creativity and charismatic personality．
$\star \quad$ Bennett has a spot in his home that he calls the＂Imagination Lounge．＂ In this area，he develops creative projects including an animated feature film and a children＇s book series，＂Hey A．J！！＂featuring a character based on his daughter，Jett．
$\star$ He credits Tim Burton，Dr．Seuss，Pixar and Dreamworks as his creative inspirations．
＊Martellus keeps a journal on his nightstand so he can record his nev－ er－ending flow of imaginative thoughts．He told Chicago Magazine，＂My mind is like a theme park，because it＇s fun and there＇s lots of cool stuff and you can take rides．＂

## B＝NN＝TT co＝s oven 100 AcAN

TE Martellus Bennett set a single－season best with his third 100－yard game of the 2016 season after finishing with 102 yards on seven receptions．He had 114 vs．Miami on Sept． 18 and 109 vs．Buffalo on Oct．2．He had two 100－yard games in 2014．Overall， Bennett now has five career 100－yard games．

##  <br> BLロUNT－FロRCEロ TRAUMA

RB LeGarrette Blount gained 105 yards rushing against Houston（9／22］，a week after gaining 123 yards vs．Miami［9／18］in 2016．He has now rushed for over 100 yards in back－to－back games three times．

## 2010 Tampa Bay

$12 / 19 / 10$ vs．Detroit－ 110 yards
$12 / 26 / 10$ vs．Seattle－ 164 yards

## 2011 Tampa Bay

$11 / 20 / 11$ at Green Bay－ 107 yards
$11 / 27 / 11$ at Tennessee－ 103 yards

## 2016 Patriots

09／18／16 vs．Miami－ 123 yards
$09 / 22 / 16$ vs．Houston－ 105 yards

## ELOUNT GETG RUSHINE R＝CORD

RB LeGarrette Blount has an NFL－leading 17 rushing touchdowns so far in 2016，a Patriots single season record．Blount can join Jim Nance［11 in 1966 and 7 in 1966）as the only Patriots to lead the NFL in rushing touchdowns．

MOST RUSHING TOUCHDOWNS／SEASON IN PATRIOTS HISTORY
17
LeGarrette Blount， 2016
14 Curtis Martin， 1996
14 Curtis Martin， 1995
13 BenJarvus Green－Ellis， 2010
13 Corey Dillon， 2006
Stevan Ridley， 2012
Corey Dillon， 2005
Corey Dillon， 2004
Antowain Smith， 2001
Steve Grogan， 1976
BenJarvis Green－Ellis， 2011
Horace Ivory， 1978
Jim Nance， 1966
Tony Collins， 1983

## ELOUNT IN A RUSH

Blount has rushed for a career－high，1，110 yards in 2016．It is the 15th time in team history and first since 2012 that the Patriots would have a 1，000－yard rusher in a season．Blount had 1，007 yards as a rookie with Tampa Bay in 2010.

PATRIOTS WITH 1，000 YARDS RUSHING IN A SEASON

| Player | Yards | Year |
| :--- | :---: | :--- |
| LeGarrette Blount | $\mathbf{1 , 1 1 0}$ | 2016 |
| Stevan Ridley | 1,263 | 2012 |
| BenJarvus Green－Ellis | 1,008 | 2010 |
| Corey Dillon | 1,635 | 2004 |
| Antowain Smith | 1,157 | 2001 |
| Robert Edwards | 1,115 | 1998 |
| Curtis Martin | 1,160 | 1997 |
| Curtis Martin | 1,152 | 1996 |
| Curtis Martin | 1,487 | 1995 |
| Leonard Russell | 1,088 | 1988 |
| Craig James | 1,227 | 1985 |
| Tony Collins | 1,049 | 1983 |
| Sam Cunningham | 1,015 | 1977 |
| Jim Nance | 1,216 | 1967 |
| Jim Nance | 1,458 | 1966 |

MOST YARDS RUSHING IN A SEASON IN PATRIOTS HISTORY
1，635 Corey Dillon， 2004
1，487 Curtis Martin， 1995
1，458 Jim Nance， 1966
1，263 Stevan Ridley， 2012
1，227 Craig James， 1985
1，216 Jim Nance， 1967
1，168 John Stephens， 1988

## BLOUNT TIES MARTIN FOR BRD-MOST TDS

Blount now had 17 touchdowns in 2016, tied with Curtis Martin (17 in 1996) for the third-most touchdowns in a single season for the Patriots

## PATRIOTS RECORD FOR MOST OVERALL TOUCHDOWNS IN A SEASON

 23 Randy Moss, 2007 (23 receiving)18 Rob Gronkowksi, 2011 (17 receiving and 1 rushing)
17 LeGarrette Blount, 2016 ( 17 rushing)
17 Curtis Martin, 1996 ( 14 rushing and 3 receiving)
15 Curtis Martin, 1995 ( 14 rushing and 1 receiving)

## UNDRAFTER PLAYERS IN A RUSH

Blount added 50 yards to push his career total to 5,071 yards. He is ranked sixth among all-time rookie free agents since the 1970 merger and needs 53 yards to move past Kevin Mack $[5,123$ ) into fifth place.
MOST RUSHING YARDS BY AN UNDRAFTED PLAYER [SINCE THE 1970 MERGER]

| Player | Yards |
| :--- | :---: |
| Priest Holmes | 8,172 |
| Arian Foster | 6,527 |
| Fred Jackson | 5,746 |
| Willie Parker | 5,378 |
| Kevin Mack | 5,123 |
| LeGarrette Blount | $\mathbf{5 , 0 7 1}$ |



## BeTTER THAN AVERACE

RB Brandon Bolden's 8.6-yard average at Buffalo (9/30/12) is tied for the third highest ever in a single game for the Patriots among running backs with at least 15 rushing attempts. Bolden earned the FedEx Ground Player of the Week for his performance.

HIGHEST RUSHING AVERAGE/SINGLE GAME [MIN. 15 RUSHING ATTEMPTS]

Player
Curtis Martin
Tony Collins Sammy Morris Jim Nance Brandon Bolden Stevan Ridley

## BOLDEN FORCES THE ISSUE

RB Brandon Bolden forced a fumble on a first-quarter kickoff vs. Houston [ $9 / 22 / 16$ ] that was recovered by S Duron Harmon. It was Bolden's third career forced fumble on a kickoff.
He forced a fumble on a kickoff vs. Cincinnati $[10 / 5 / 14]$ that was returned 9 -yards for a touchdown by DB Kyle Arrington. He also forced a fumble on a kickoff at the New York Giants (11/15/15).

## FOOTEALL FAMILY TRADITION

Bolden's grandfather, Frank Pitts, played 10 years in the NFL [1965-74] as a receiver for Kansas City, Cleveland and Oakland. He was with Kansas City for two Super Bowls, losing Super Bowl I and winning Super Bowl IV. Said Bolden about his grandfather, "I remember being six years old, him popping in a highlight film of Super Bowl I and IV. I've seen that tape at least 500 times."

## BOLDEN BLOCK PARTY

Brandon Bolden blocked his first NFL punt in the win at San Diego [12/7/14] to give the Patriots a first down at the Chargers 25 -yard line. It was the Patriots first blocked punt since Patrick Chung blocked a punt at Miami on Oct. 4, 2010.


## oVERCOMING ADVERSITY

On April 20, 2011, just days before Texas Christian offensive line prospect Marcus Cannon was to enter the NFL Draft, he was diagnosed with non-Hodgkin's lymphoma, a treatable form of cancer found in lymph tissue. A little more than one week later, the Patriots selected Cannon in the fifth round [138th overall] of the draft with the knowledge of his illness. The Patriots placed Cannon on the Reserve/Non Football Injury list to start the 2011 season while he received treatment and recovered. Cannon was activated to the 53 -man roster later that year and is now in his fifth season with the team. Cannon made a full recovery and was named the Patriots 2011 Ed Block Courage Award winner - an annual award presented to select players in the National Football League who are voted by their teammates as role models of inspiration, sportsmanship and courage.


## EDELMAN VERY RECEPTIVE

Julian Edelman has 348 receptions over the last four seasons (2013-16), i

| Player | Receptions |
| :--- | :---: |
| Antonio Brown [PIT] | 481 |
| Demaryius Thomas [DEN] | 394 |
| Julio Jones [ATL] | 357 |
| Larry Fitzgerald [ARI] | 356 |
| Julian Edelman [NE] | 348 |
| Golden Tate [SEA/DET] | 332 |
| Brandon Marshall [DEN/MIA/CHI/NYJ] | 329 |
| Pierre Garcon [IND/WAS] | 328 |
| Emanuel Sanders (PIT/DEN] | 323 |



## RECORD RETURNER

WR Julian Edelman set a franchise record with his fourth career punt returned 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 89yard 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 third-most punt return touchdowns in the NFL since 2010.
Most Punt Return Touchdowns/Patriots Career

## 4 Julian Edelman

3 Troy Brown
3 Irving Fryar
2 Mike Haynes
MOST PUNT RETURN TOUCHDOWNS IN THE NFL SINCE 2010

| Devin Hester | CHI/ATL/BAL | 7 |
| :--- | ---: | ---: |
| Darren Sproles | SD/NO/PHI | 5 |
| Marcus Sherels | MIN | 5 |
| Julian Edelman | NE | 4 |
| Patrick Peterson | ARZ | 4 |
| Antonio Brown | PIT | 4 |
| Tavon Austin | LA | 3 |
| Ted Ginn, Jr. | SF/CAR/ARZ | 3 |
| Dexter McCluster | KC/TEN/SD | 3 |
| Leodis McKelvin | BUF/PHI | 3 |
| Micah Hyde | GB | 3 |
| Travis Benjamin | CLE/SD | 3 |
| Dwayne Harris | NYG | 3 |

## 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 $(9 / 3 / 00)$.

## FROM STANDOUT ©E 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 passes 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."

## NOT YOUR AVERACE RETURNER

Edelman has returned 156 punts for 1,832 yards during his career and is second in team history and tied for ninth in NFL history with a 11.7 average.

HIGHEST PUNT RETURN AVERAGE, PATRIOTS CAREER
[20 Returns)

| Player | Punt Rt Avg. | Year |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Mack Herron | 12.0 | $1973-75[74-888)$ |
| Julian Edelman | 11.7 | $2009-16[156-1,832]$ |
| Carl Garrett | 11.3 | $1969-72[43-487]$ |
| Wes Welker | 10.4 | $2007-12[114-1,185]$ |

HIGHEST PUNT RETURN AVERAGE IN THE NFL

|  | [75 Returns) |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Player | Punt Rt Avg. | Year |
| George McAfee [Chicago) | 12.8 (112-1,431) | [1940-41, 1945-1950) |
| Jack Christiansen [Detroit] | 12.8 [85-1,084] | [1951-58] |
| Claude Gibson [SD/OAK] | 12.6 (110-1,381) | [1961-65] |
| Bill Dudley (PITT/DEN/WAS) | 12.2 (124-1,515) | [1942-53) |
| Rick Upchurch (DEN) | 12.1 (248-3,008) | (1975-83) |
| Travis Benjamin [CLE/SD) | 11.9 [77-916] | 2012-present) |
| Desmond Howard (WAS/JAC/GB/DAK/DET) | 11.9 [244-2,895] | [1992-2002] |
| Billy Johnson (HOU/ATL/WAS) | 11.8 [282-3,317) | [1974-88) |
| Julian Edelman [NE] | 11.7 (156-1,832) | [2009-present] |
| Devin Hester (CHI/ATL/BAL) | 11.7 [315-3,695) | [2006-present) |
| Mark Herron [NE/ATL) | 11.7 (84-982) | [1973-75] |

## EDELMAN'S EIC RETURN

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

| MOST 30-YARD PUNT RETURNS <br> Player | 30-yard returns |
| :--- | ---: |
| Troy Brown | 14 |
| Julian Edelman | 13 |
| Irving Fryar | 13 |
| Mike Haynes | 13 |

## ED=LMAN CLOSE TO 100 REC. \& 1,000 YDS.

WR Julian Edelman has 90 receptions for 955 yards so far in 2016 He needs 10 receptions and 45 yards for his second 100-reception and 1,00-yard season. He can join Wes Welker (5 times) as the only Patriots to have at least two seasons with 100 receptions and 1,000 yards. Nineteen NFL players have at least two seasons of 100 receptions and 1,000 yards.

| Player | Receptions | Yards |
| :--- | :---: | :---: |
| Troy Brown [2001] | 101 | 1,199 |
| Wes Welker (2007) | 112 | 1,175 |
| Wes Welker (2008) | 111 | 1,165 |
| Wes Welker (2009) | 123 | 1,348 |
| Wes Welker (2011) | 122 | 1,569 |
| Wes Welker (2012) | 118 | 1,354 |
| Julian Edelman [2013] | 105 | 1,056 |

## EEST PUNT RETURN AVERACE 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
[MIN. 15 RETURNS]

|  | (MIN. 15 RETURNS) |  |
| :--- | :---: | :---: |
| PLAYER | PR AVG. | YEAR |
| Julian Edelman | $\mathbf{1 5 . 5}$ | 2012 |
| Julian Edelman | $\mathbf{1 5 . 3}$ | 2010 |
| Mack Herron | 14.8 | 1974 |
| Troy Brown | 14.2 | 2001 |

## RETURNS PILING UP

Julian Edelman is third place in team history with 156 punt returns.

## MOST PUNT RETURNS IN PATRIOTS HISTORY

| Player | Punt Returns |
| :--- | :--- |
| 1. Troy Brown | 252 |
| 2. Irving Fryar | 206 |
| 3. Julian Edelman | 156 |
| 4. David Meggett | 142 |
| 5. Wes Welker | 114 |
| 6. Mike Haynes | 111 |

Edelman is in third place in team history with 1,832 punt return yards.

| MOST PUNT RETURN YARDS <br> Player | IN PATRIOTS HISTORY Return Yards |
| :--- | :--- |
| Punt |  |

## EDELMAN ECLIPGES 1,000-YARDS

Edelman finished the 2013 season with 1,056 receiving yards to become the 10 th Patriots player to register a 1,000-yard season. He finished the 2014 season with 972 yards despite missing the final two games.

1,000-YARD RECEIVING SEASONS IN PATRIOTS HISTORY

| Player | Yards | Season |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Wes Welker | 1,569 | 2011 |
| Randy Moss | 1,493 | 2007 |
| Stanley Morgan | 1,491 | 1986 |
| Wes Welker | 1,354 | 2012 |
| Wes Welker | 1,348 | 2009 |
| Rob Gronkowski | 1,327 | 2011 |
| Randy Moss | 1,264 | 2009 |
| Troy Brown | 1,199 | 2001 |
| Rob Gronkowski | 1,176 | 2015 |
| Wes Welker | 1,175 | 1997 |
| Ben Coates | 1,174 | 2008 |
| Wes Welker | 1,165 | 1999 |
| Terry Glenn | 1,147 | 1996 |
| Terry Glenn | 1,132 | 2014 |
| Rob Gronkowski | 1,124 | 2013 |
| Julian Edelman | 1,056 | 1981 |
| Stanley Morgan | 1,029 | 1991 |
| Irving Fryar | 1,014 | 1979 |
| Harold Jackson | 1,013 | 2008 |
| Randy Moss | 1,008 | 1979 |

## EDELMAN IN A RUSH

WR Julian Edelman has 38 rushing attempts for 251 yards, ths most rushing attempts and rushing yards by a Patriots wide receiver.

MOST RUSHING ATTEMPTS BY A PATRIOTS WIDE RECEIVER

| Player | Rushes |
| :--- | :--- |
| Julian Edelman | 38 |
| Irving Fryar | 35 |
| Troy Brown | 29 |
| Darryl Stingley | 28 |
| Stanley Morgan | 21 |

MOST RUSHING YARDS BY A PATRIOTS WIDE RECEIVER

| Player | Rushing Yards |
| :--- | :--- |
| Julian Edelman | 251 |
| Darryl Stingley | 244 |
| Irving Fryar | 188 |
| Troy Brown | 178 |

## EDELMAN TAKES HIS FATHER'S ADVICE

If there is one thing Julian Edelman has never lacked, it's athletic ability. A du-al-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."


## GAROPPOLO MAKES FIRST START

Jimmy Garoppolo became just the fifth quarterback in the last 30 years to make his first regular-season start in a season-opening night game [Sept. 11, 2016 vs. Cardinals]. Aaron Rodgers was the last [2008, win vs. Minnesota), with Philip Rivers [2006], David Carr (2002) and Brian Griese [1999) before him. Garoppolo finished 24 -of-33 for 264 yards with one touchdown.


## UNCONVENTIONAL JOUNEY

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.


## LIK = FATHER LIK = SON

Matthew 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] - son, Chris Long [STL]
son, 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]

## ALL-STAR COMEINATION

Matthew Slater was voted to his sixth straight Pro Bowl in 2016. His father, Jackie Slater, went to seven Pro Bowls. The Slater family's 13 combined Pro Bowls are the second most among father-son contingents to have been voted to at least one Pro Bowl each.

MOST FATHER AND SON PRO BOWL SELECTIONS
Players

## Pro Bowls

Archie [2], Peyton [14] and Eli Manning (3) 19
Jackie [7] and Matthew Slater [6]

## EL-ECTED TEAM LEADER

Patriots wide receiver Matthew Slater has been named to six straight Pro Bowls [2011-16] 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 sixth straight season in 2016.

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."


## WHITE HAS CAREAR DAY

James White set career highs with 10 receptions and 115 receiving yards vs. Philadelphia [12/6/15]. White's 115 receiving yards are 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's 10 catches are the third highest such total of the Bill Belichick era for a running back (since 2000), trailing only Shane Vereen's club record 12 catches vs. Cleveland on Dec. 8, 2013, and Kevin Faulk's 11 catches vs. Tampa Bay on Sept. 3, 2000.

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

| Player | Date | Opp | Rec |
| :--- | :--- | :---: | :---: |
| Shane Vereen | $12 / 8 / 2013$ | Cle | 153 |
| Dick Christy | $11 / 4 / 1960$ | Oak | 124 |
| Joe Johnson | $11 / 25 / 1960$ | Hou | 123 |
| James White | $12 / 6 / 2015$ | Phi | 115 |
| Larry Garron | $12 / 11 / 1966$ | Hou | 113 |
| Tony Collins | $10 / 27 / 1985$ | TB | 109 |
| Kevin Faulk | $11 / 10 / 2002$ | Chi | 109 |
| Kevin Faulk | $11 / 23 / 2003$ | Hou | 108 |
| Billy Lott | $10 / 22 / 1961$ | Buf | 108 |

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

| Player | Date | Opp | Rec |
| :--- | :--- | ---: | ---: |
| Shane Vereen | $12 / 8 / 2013$ | CLV | 12 |
| Tony Collins | $11 / 29 / 1987$ | PHI | 11 |
| Kevin Faulk | $9 / 3 / 2000$ | TB | 11 |
| Leroy Thompson | $11 / 13 / 1994$ | MIN | 11 |
| James White | $12 / 6 / 2015$ | PHI | 10 |
| Tony Collins | $11 / 16 / 1986$ | LA Rams | 10 |
| Tony Collins | $9 / 28 / 1986$ | DEN | 9 |
| Kevin Faulk | $12 / 29 / 2002$ | MIA | 9 |

## CB MALCOLM BUTLER

## WHAT'S IN A NAME

During his rookie season in 2014, Malcolm Butler was nicknamed "Strap" by former teammate Jamie Collins, alluding to his ability to so closely cover receivers on the field. Last year, some teammates started calling him "Scrap" for his scrappy style of play, giving Butler two unique, albeit similar-sounding, nicknames..


## MAKINC THE OLYMPICS



On July 18, Nate Ebner was selected to the 2016 U.S. Olympic Rugby squad and after he was given an excused leave of absence from his football obligations in Foxboro, suited up for Team USA in Rio de Janeiro in August. The Dublin, Ohio native was introduced to the sport of rugby around the age of six and developed a passion and a talent that stemmed from his father and role model, Jeff Ebner, who played the game at the University of Minnesota. Nate did not play football in high school but was a two-time MVP of the USA Rugby team at the Junior World Cup and a standout on the U19 and U20 national teams.

Although his parents were divorced, Nate and his father remained very close. "We were super tight," Nate told the Boston Globe. "I would put my father-son relationship against anyone's. He taught me how to be a man." The two often spent time working together at the family's auto reclamation business, Ebner \& Sons in Springfield, Ohio, and would also train in the gym together behind the motto, "Finish Strong," - a message Jeff always preached to his son.

Nate played rugby at Ohio State during his first two years of college, but as an All-American on the school's club team, he decided to walk on to the Buckeyes football team and finish his career with his sights set on reaching the NFL.

WON CHAMPIONSHIPIOLYMPIANS

| Player | Olympics | Event/Results | Pro |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Jim Thorpe | Stockholm 1912 | Pentathlon, decathlon 2x Gold Medal | 1916, 17, 1919 <br> w/ Canton Bulldogs |
| Jack Torrance | Berlin 1936 | Shot put. Placed 5th | 1940 w/ Chicago Bears |
| Clyde Scott | London 1948 | 110 hurdles, Silver Medal | 1948, 1949 <br> w/ Philadelphia |
| Bob Hayes | 1964 Tokyo | $100 \mathrm{~m}, 4 \times 100 \mathrm{~m}$ relay Exew Gold Medal | 1971 Super Bowl w/ Dallas |
| Michael Carter | 1984 Los Angeles | Shot put, Silver Medal | 1985, 1989, 1990 SBsw/ San Francisco |
| James Trapp | 1992 Barcelona | 4x100, alternate | 2000 SB w/ Baltimore |
| Nate Ebner | 2016 Rio | U.S. Rugby team | 2014 SBw/ New England |

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Nate Ebner has a team-leading and career-high 18 special teams tackles in 2016, which is second in the NFL to Miami's Michael Thomas [19]. Ebner has had 10 or more tackles in each of his five NFL seasons.
[2012-17, 2013-11, 2014-11, 2015-11 and 2016-18].


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DL Trey Flowers has had three games in 2016 with two sacks after finishing with two at Denver (12/18). He had his second straight two-sack game after finishing with two sacks for 15 yards vs. Seattle (11/13). He had a 7 -yard sack in the first quarter and an 8 -yard sack in the third quarter. Flowers registered his first two career sacks in the win at Buffalo on Oct. 20.
Most Sacks Since Week 8 of 2016

| Cameron Wake | 8.5 |
| :--- | :--- |
| Danielle Hunter | 8 |
| Khalil Mack | 8 |
| Vic Beasley, Jr. | 8 |
| Oliver Vernon | 7.5 |
| Trey Flowers | $\mathbf{7}$ |



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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."

## HICHTOWER HAS A CAREER FIRST

LB Dont'a Hightower registered his first career two-sack game at Minnesota [09/14/14].

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LB Dont'a Hightower registered a 9-yard sack of Green Bay QB Aaron Rodgers $(11 / 30 / 14)$ in the second quarter to set a career high with $41 / 2$ sacks in 2014. He finished the year with six. His previous best was four sacks as a rookie in 2012.


## THE SKINNY ON LONG

$\star \quad$ In 2013, Long climbed Mt. Kilamanjaro with former teammate James Hall. While on the trip, Chris noticed the horrible water conditions facing the children and natives to Tanzania. Through his charitable organization, the Chris Long Foundation, Long started the Waterboys Initiative to help raise money and build wells in East Africa that could provide a source of clean water in poor areas.

* Chris's brother, two-time Pro Bowler Kyle Long, plays for the Chicago Bears, while his father, a Charlestown, Mass. Native, Pro Football Hall of Famer and eight-time Pro Bowler, Howie Long, played 13 seasons for the Oakland Raiders. Long's youngest brother, Howie Jr., is a personnel assistant for the Raiders.


## DB DEVIIFIMCCuITRTY

## DOUBLE TROUBLE DE DEVIN McCOURTY

After being selected by the Patriots in the first round of the 2010 NFL Draft, DB Devin McCourty became part of a select group in league history. McCourty's identical twin brother, Jason, is a cornerback with Tennessee, selected in the sixth round of the 2009 NFL Draft. The two are the 12th set of twins to play in the NFL. Devin redshirted for the 2005 season and therefore was a year behind his brother in eligibility. McCourty is the second twin to suit up for the Patriots, after CB Kato Serwanga was a member of the team from 19982000. His twin brother, Wasswa, 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. The McCourty twins are one of two active sets of twins playing in the NFL.
Current Twins Playing in the NFL
Devin [NE] and Jason McCourty [TEN]
Maurkice (PIT) and Mike Pouncey [MIA)

## Mccourty coes long

Devin 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
Ellis Hobbs
108TD at New York Jets [9-9-07]
Devin McCourty
104TD vs. New York Jets [10-21-12]

## IN GOOD COMPANY

Devin McCourty earned Associated Press All-Pro Second Team honors at safety in 2013. 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.


## A NOSE FOR THE FOOTBALL



Ninkovich has more opponent fumble recoveries [14] over the last seven seasons [2010-2016] than any other NFL player. J.J. Watt is second during that time with 13 opponent fumble recoveries.

## WHERE DID HE COME FROM?

Rob Ninkovich's journey to the Patriots was not easy. He entered the league as a fifth-round pick by the Saints in 2006 and was waived four times by New Orleans and Miami before landing in New England on Aug. 2, 2009. He spent the 2009 offseason trying to make the New Orleans team as a long snapper. Before coming to the Patriots, he had appeared in just eight games over three seasons. He doubled that total in his first year in New England, appearing in 15 games in 2009 and his role on the team has grown since, earning a starting role at linebacker in 2010 and 2011 before moving to a starting role on the defensive line in 2011.

## CAREFR DAY IN BUFFALD

Ninkovich finished with a three-sack game for the first time in his career in the win at Buffalo [10/12/14], He has had two two-sack performances - vs. Miami $(1 / 2 / 11)$ and at Carolina $(11 / 18 / 13)$.

## CRAZY EICHTS

Ninkovich had eight sacks in three consecutive seasons from 2012-14, becoming the first Patriots player to have at least eight sacks in three consecutive seasons since Pro Football Hall of Famer Andre Tippett achieved the feat from 1985-87 [1985, 16½, 1986, $91 / 2$ and 1987, 121/2].


## NINKOVICH SCORED AS A TE IN COLLECE

Ninkovich played some at tight end in college at Purdue and caught two touchdown passes with a 2-yard touchdown pass from Buffalo QB Kyle Orton and a 1-yard touchdown pass from former New York Giants and Indianapolis QB Curtis Painter.


## CLASSMATES REUNTTE IN NEW ENCLAND

Defensive backs Logan Ryan and Duron Harmon are used to working together. Ryan and Harmon began their college football careers together as members of the same recruiting class at Rutgers University and developed a close friendship during their four years in Piscataway, N.J. As fate would have it, Ryan and Harmon would begin their NFL journeys together as well when the Patriots selected the two defensive backs just eight picks apart in the third round of the 2013 NFL Draft.

Reunited once again, the former Scarlet Knights are excited and eager to make their mark, just as they did at Rutgers. "We talked before the draft and said how good it would be to play on the same team again, and for it to happen again, it's exciting and it's a blessing," Harmon told The Boston Globe. "It's great [we're contributing], because at the end of the day you want to play, and to contribute to a team like this, it's fun."

## RYAN RETURNS... TO SCHOOL

When Logan Ryan decided to leave Rutgers and enter the NFL Draft after his redshirt junior season in 2012 , he made a promise to his parents that after his rookie year, he would return to school and earn his degree.

Ryan kept his promise and graduated in the spring of 2014 with a degree in labor relations and a minor in psychology.
"I committed to Rutgers, not only as a football player, but as a student, so I was going to make sure I finished that end too," Ryan told NJ.com.
"It's a big accomplishment in my life. I held my word to my parents and stuck with it and l'm fortunate. It took a lot of work, but I was able to go back and finish and walk in graduation."

## RYAN'S FIRST PICK FOR SIX

Ryan returned his first NFL interception 79 yards for a touchdown N.Y. Jets on Oct. 20, 2013. The last Patriots player to return their first career interception for a touchdown was Kyle Arrington in 2010. The last rookie Patriots player to return their first career interception for a touchdown was James Sanders in 2005:

| PATRIOTS PLAYERS TO RETURN THEIR FIRST CAREER INT FOR A TD <br> Slayer | INT TD Yds |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Season | Logan Ryan | 79 |
| 2013 | Gary Guyton | 59 |
| 2010 | Kyle Arrington | 36 |
| 2010 | James Sanders | 39 |
| 2005 | Asante Samuel | 55 |
| 2003 | Andy Katzenmoyer | 59 |
| 1999 | Willie McGinest | 46 |
| 1996 | Chris Singleton | 82 |
| 1992 | John Charles | 35 |
| 1967 | Jim Hunt | 78 |
| 1963 | Don Webb | 27 |
| 1961 |  |  |

## LOcAN RYAN THE BALL HAWK

Logan Ryan has the seventh-most interceptions by a cornerback since 2013.

## MOST INTERCEPTIONS BY A CORNERBACK SINCE 2013

| Player | Interceptions |
| :--- | :---: |
| Richard Sherman | 18 |
| Brent Grimes | 16 |
| Trumaine Johnson | 14 |
| Aqib Talib | 14 |
| Marcus Peters | 13 |
| Stephon Gilmore | 13 |
| Logan Ryan | 12 |
| Dominque Rodgers-Cromartie | 12 |
| Patrick Peterson | 11 |

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## FRANCHISE SCORING LEADER

K Stephen Gostkowski became the Patriots alltime leader in points, passing Adam Vinatieri in 2014.


## TEAM FG RECORD

Stephen Gostkowski moved past Adam Vinatieri (263) to become the Patriots all-time leader with 301 career field goals.

| MOST FIELD GOALS IN PATRIOTS HISTORY |  |
| :--- | ---: |
| Stephen Gostkowski | $\mathbf{3 0 1}$ |
| Adam Vinatieri | 263 |
| Gino Cappelletti | 176 |
| John Smith | 128 |

## EVEN STEPHEN

Gostkowski has connected on 87.2 percent of his regular-season field goal attempts in his career, the best percentage in Patriots history. Additionally, Gostkowski's 87.2 field goal percentage is third-best among NFL kickers alltime. [Minimum 100 field goals]

PATRIOTS ALL-TIME LEADERS / FIELD GOAL PCT.

|  | [Minimum 50 Attempts] |  |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Player | Years | FGM | FGA | Pct. |
| Stephen Gostkowski | $2006-16$ | $\mathbf{3 0 1}$ | $\mathbf{3 4 5}$ | .872 |
| Adam Vinatieri | $1996-05$ | 263 | 321 | .819 |
| Matt Bahr | $1993-95$ | 55 | 72 | .764 |

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

|  | Mears |  |  | FGM |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Player | FGA | Pct. |  |  |
| Justin Tucker | $2012-16$ | 167 | 186 | 89.8 |
| Dan Bailey | $2011-16$ | 169 | 189 | 89.4 |
| Stephen Gostkowski $2006-16$ | 301 | 345 | 87.2 |  |
| Steven Hauschka | $2008-16$ | 187 | 215 | 87.0 |
| Mike Vanderjagt | $1998-06$ | 230 | 266 | 86.5 |
| Nate Kaeding | $2004-12$ | 181 | 210 | 86.2 |
| Robbie Gould | $2005-16$ | 284 | 331 | 85.8 |
| Rob Bironas | $2005-13$ | 239 | 279 | 85.7 |
| Matt Bryant | $2002-16$ | 333 | 389 | 85.6 |
| Shayne Graham | $2001-15$ | 277 | 324 | 85.5 |

## CONSECUTVE =XTRA POINTG

Stephen Gostkowski is first in NFL history for most consecutive extra points made in the regular season..

## Most Consecutive (Kicking) PATS

## 478

Stephen Gostkowski, NE, 2006-2016
422 Matt Stover, BAL, IND1996-2009
371 Jason Elam, DEN, 1993-2002
371 Jeff Wilkins, STL, 1999-2007
Jeff Wikins, STL, 1999-2007
Jay Feell, ATL, NYG, MIA, NYJ, ARZ, CH1, २O०२-14


## NFL SCORING LEADGR

Stephen Gostkowski finished first in the NFL in 2015 with 151 points. Gostkowski has led the NFL in scoring for four straight seasons and is the first NFL player with four seasons of 150 or more points.
Patriots Record for Most Points in a Season
158 Stephen Gostkowski, 2013
156 Stephen Gostkowski, 2014
155 Gino Cappelletti, 1964 (includes 7 TDs)
153 Stephen Gostkowski, 2012
151 Stephen Gostkowski, 2015
148 Stephen Gostkowski, 2008
147 Gino Cappelletti, 1961
143 Stephen Gostkowski, 2011
NFL Record for Most Points by a Kicker
166 David Akers [SF] in 2011
164 Gary Anderson (MIN) in 1998
163 Jeff Wilkins [STL in 2003
161 Mark Moseley (WAS) in 1983
158 Stephen Gostkowski (NE) in 2013
157 Mike Vanderjagt (Indianapolis) in 2003
156 Stephen Gostkowski (NE) in 2014
153 Stephen Gostkowski (NE) in 2012
151 Stephen Gostkowsk (NE) in 2015

## 1,000-POINT EANCHMARK

Stephen Gostkowski $(1,448)$ 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 less than 120 career games played.
KICKERS TO REACH 1,000 POINTS IN FEWEST GAMES:

| Player | Points | Games |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Stephen Gostkowski | $\mathbf{1 , 0 0 9}$ | $\mathbf{1 1 9}$ |
| Mike Vanderjagt | 1,004 | 126 |
| Jason Elam | 1,003 | 132 |
| Ryan Longwell | 1,002 | 136 |
| Jan Stenerud | 1,002 | 136 |

## costKowski 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
142 Stephen Gostkowski (12/17/06-10/02/16)
101 Adam Vinatieri (11/24/96-12/29/02)
101 John Smith (09/28/75-10/02/80)

## FIVE-TIME LEACUE LEADAR

Gostkowski led the NFL in scoring for the fourth straight season in 2015. He led the NFL with 151 points in 2015,156 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
5 Stephen Gostkowski (2008, 2012-15)
5 Don Hutson Green Bay (1940-44)
5 Gino Cappelletti Patriots (1961, 1963-66)
3 Earl Clark, Portsmouth (1932), Detroit (1935-36)
3 Pat Harder, Chicago Cardinals (1947-49)
3 Paul Hornung, Green Bay (1959-61)

## GOSTKOWSKI GAME WINNERS

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

GOSTKOWSKI'S CAREER GAME-WINNING FIELD GOALS

| TIME LEFT | DISTANCE FINAL SCORE |  | OPP | DATE |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| $3: 44$ 4th | 32 | $23-21$ | ARI | $09 / 11 / 2016$ |
| 0:01 4th | 54 | $27-16$ | NYG | $11 / 15 / 2015$ |
| $3: 12$ 4th | 53 | $34-31$ | HOU | $12 / 01 / 2013$ |
| 1:56, OT | 31 | $34-31$ | DEN | $11 / 24 / 2013$ |
| 0:05, 4th | 35 | $23-21$ | BUF | $09 / 08 / 2013$ |
| 1:56, OT | 35 | $23-20$ | BAL | $10 / 17 / 2010$ |
| 11:02 OT | 48 | $29-26$ | NYJ | $10 / 21 / 2012$ |
| 1:10, 4th | 31 | $24-21$ | SD | $01 / 14 / 2007 *$ |
| *Postseason |  |  |  |  |

## costKowski breaks his own TEAM RECORD

Gostkowski set a Patriots franchise record with 38 field goals in 2013 and now owns the top four field goal seasons in team history.
$\left.\begin{array}{lll}\begin{array}{l}\text { MOST FIELD GOALS MADE IN A SEASON/PATRIOTS } \\ \text { Player }\end{array} & \text { Field Goals }\end{array}\right]$

## ON THE MARK

Gostkowski made 94.6 percent of his field goals in 2014 [35-of-37), setting a new team record for field goal percenatge in a single season.

PATRIOTS BEST FIELD GOAL PCT./SEASON

| Player | (Minimum 30 Attempts) |  | FGA | Pct. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Years | FGM |  |  |
| Stephen Gostkowski | 2014 | 35 | 37 | . 946 |
| Adam Vinatieri | 2004 | 31 | 33 | . 939 |
| Stephen Gostkowski | 2013 | 38 | 41 | . 927 |
| Stephen Gostkowski | 2015 | 33 | 36 | . 917 |
| Stephen Gostkowski | 2008 | 36 | 40 | . 900 |
| Adam Vinatieri | 2002 | 27 | 30 | . 900 |

## costkowski KIcks canalr-Lonc Fc

Gostkowski connected on a career-long 57-yard field goal at Dallas on Oct. 11, 2015 to tie a franchise record. Adam Vinatieri kicked a 57-yarder at Chicago on Nov. 10, 2002. Gostkowski's previous long was a 54-yader vs. New Orleans [10/13/13].

## BO-PLUS FIELD COAL SEASONS

Stephen Gostkowski is on of seven players in NFL history to make 30 or more field goals in at least four different seasons after reaching 30 field goal for the third straight season in 2015.

| Player | Team | Years | Seasons |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | ---: |
| John Carney | NYG/NO/SD | 1993-94, 1999, 2002, 08 | 5 |
| David Akers | SF/PHI | 2002, 2008-11 | 5 |
| Stephen Gostkowski | NE | 2008, 2013-15 | 4 |
| Adam Vinatieri | IND/NE | 1998, 2004, 2013-14 | 4 |
| Jay Feely | ARI/NYJ/NYG/ATL | 2002, 05, 09, 13 | 4 |
| Matt Stover | BAL | $2000-01,03,05$ | 4 |
| Justin Tucker | BAL | $2012-13,2015-16$ | 4 |


\section*{FIFTH-MOST FCS IN A SEASON <br> MOST FIELD GOALS MADE IN A SEASON/NFL <br> | Player | Field Goals | Year |
| :--- | :---: | :---: |
| David Akers [San Francisco] | 44 | 2011 |
| Neil Rackers [Arizona] | 40 | 2005 |
| Olindo Mare [Miami] | 39 | 1999 |
| Jeff Wilkins [St. Louis] | 39 | 2003 |
| Stephen Gostkowski [Patriots] | 38 | 2013 |
| Justin Tucker [Baltimore] | 38 | 2013 | <br> MOST 50-YARD FIELD COALS IN TEAM HISTORY}

Gostkowski has the most 50-yard field goals in New England history PATRIOTS RECORD FOR MOST 50 YARD FIELD GOALS

| Player | Years | FGM | FGA | Pct. |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Stephen Gostkowski | $2006-16$ | 19 | 25 | $\mathbf{7 6 . 0}$ |
| Adam Vinatieri | $1996-2005$ | 8 | 17 | 47.1 |
| Tony Franklin | $1984-87$ | 3 | 6 | 50.0 |

## MOST 50-YARD FGS IN A SEASON

Gostkowski was 5 -of-6 on 50 yard field goals in 2013 , the most by a Patriots player in a single season and was 4-of-5 from 50 yards in 2015. The NFL record for most successful 50-yard field goals in a season is 10 by Blair Walsh in 2012 with Minnesota.

## KICKING A cAREAR HICH

Stephen 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 sin-gle-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 51-yard field goal and a 53-yarder vs. Arizona [9/16/12] and connected on two 53-yard field goals at Houston on [12/1/13]. He is the first Patriots player to have two 50-yard field goals in the same game.

## RYAN COMES UP EIC

P Ryan Allen had six of his seven punts downed inside the 20-yard line and helped hold Houston ( $9 / 22 / 16$ ) to no punt return yards. He landed punts at the 11, 10, 1014,5 and 4 . His only punt that did not land inside the 20, was downed at the 20-yard line. Ryan's previous best was five punts inside the 20-yard line on Oct. 6, 2013 at Cincinnati. He was named AFC Special Teams Player of the Week for his performance.

## ANNUAL ACHIEVEMENT

The Patriots have won more than half of their games for 16 consecutive seasons; the first team to win more than half of their games in 16 straight seasons since free agency began in 1993. Additionally, the Patriots are the only team in the NFL to have recorded nine or more wins in each of the last 16 seasons.
MOST CONSECUTIVE WINNING SEASONS [SINCE 1970 MERGER]

| New England (2001-16] | 16 |
| :--- | :--- |
| San Francisco [1983-98] | 16 |
| Dallas $(1970-85]$ | 16 |

Oakland (1970-80) 11

| MOST CONSECUTIVE WINNING SEASONS ALL-TIME |  |
| :--- | :---: |
| Dallas [1966-85] | 20 |
| New England [2001-16] | 16 |
| San Francisco [1983-98] | 16 |
| Oakland [1965-80] | 16 |
| Chicago [1930-44] | 15 |
| Green Bay [1934-47] | 14 |
| Cleveland [1957-69] | 13 |

MOST SEASONS OF 9+ WINS SINCE 2001

| New England | $\mathbf{1 6}$ |
| :--- | :--- |
| Indianapolis | 12 |
| Pittsburgh | 12 |
| Green Bay | 12 |
| Seattle | 11 |
| Philadelphia | 10 |
| Baltimore | 10 |

## CONSECUTIVE PLAYOFF SEASONS

The Patriots have have made the playoffs for eight consecutive seasons, one behind the NFL record held by Dallas and Indianapolis

MOST CONSECUTIVE PLAYOFF SEASONS/NFL HISTORY
$9 \quad$ Dallas Cowboys [1975-83]
Indianapolis Colts [2002-10
New England Patriots (2009-16]
Pittsbudrgh Steelers [1972-79]
Los Angeles Rams [1973-80)
Dallas (1966-73)
San Francisco (1983-90)
7 Green Bay Packers (2009-15]
Houston Oilers [1987-93)
San Francisco 49ers (1992-98)

## MODEL OF CONSISTENCY

The Patriots have 31 winning seasons since the 1970 merger
MOST WINNING SEASONS SINCE THE 1970 MERGER

| 1. Pittsburgh | 34 |
| :--- | ---: |
| 2t. New England | $\mathbf{3 1}$ |
| 2t. Dallas | 31 |
| 4. Miami | 29 |
| 5t. Denver | 28 |
| 5t. Minnesota | 28 |
| 7. San Francisco | 26 |

## PATRIOTS REACH DOUELE-DICTT WP

New England reached at least 10 regular-season wins for 14 consecutive seasons, joining San Francisco [16] as the only teams to accomplish the feat.

| Team | Years | Consecutive Season |
| :--- | :--- | ---: |
| San Francisco | $1983-1998$ | 16 |
| New England | $2003-2016$ | 14 |
| Indianapolis | $2002-2010$ | 9 |
| Dallas | $1975-1981$ | 7 |

## DIVISIONAL DOMINANCEI

The Patriots have the highest winning percentage vs. division opponents from November until the end of the season since 2002

| Team | $\mathbf{W}$ | $\boldsymbol{L}$ | $\boldsymbol{T}$ | Pct. |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | ---: |
| New England | $\mathbf{3 7}$ | $\mathbf{1 1}$ | $\mathbf{0}$ | .771 |
| Indianapolis | 38 | 13 | 0 | .745 |
| Green Bay | 39 | 16 | 1 | .709 |
| Pittsburgh | 41 | 18 | 0 | .695 |
| Seattle | 33 | 17 | 0 | .660 |

## STRONG IN THE SECOND HALF

Since 2001, the Patriots have done a remarkable job of finishing the sea son strong, compiling an NFL-best 94-27 (.777) record in games on or after Thanksgiving

| Season | Pre-Thanksgiving | Post-Thanksgiving | Overall |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 2001 | 5-5 (.500) | 9-0 (1.000) | 14-5* |
| 2002 | 6-5 [.545) | $3-2(.600)^{\wedge}$ | 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 | 7-3 (.700) | 7-2 (.777) | 14-5* |
| 2007 | 10-0 (1.000) | 8-1 (.889) | 18-1* |
| 2008 | 7-4 [.636) | 4-1 (.800) | 11-5 |
| 2009 | 7-3 (.700) | 3-4 [.429) | 10-7* |
| 2010 | 8-2 (.800) | 6-1 (.857) ${ }^{\wedge}$ | 14-3* |
| 2011 | 7-3 (.700) | 8-1 (.889) | 15-4* |
| 2012 | 7-3 (.700) | 6-2 (.750)^ | 13-5* |
| 2013 | 8-3 [.727) | 5-2 [.833) | 13-5* |
| 2014 | 9-2 [(.818) | 6-2 (.750) | 15-4* |
| 2015 | 10-0 (1.000) | 3-5 (.375) | 13-5* |
| 2016 | 8-2 (.800) | 5-0 (1.000) | ????* |
| Totals | 123-42 [.745) | 94-27 (.777) | 204-67 |
| *-Include | $\wedge$ Includes games p | on Thanksgiving |  |

BEST RECORDS ON OR AFTER THANKSGIVING SINCE 2001
[Includes regular-season and playoff games)

|  | (Includes regular-season and playo |  |  |  |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Team | W | L | $\boldsymbol{T}$ | Pct. |
| New England | $\mathbf{9 4}$ | 27 | $\mathbf{0}$ | .777 |
| Pittsburgh | 77 | 35 | 0 | .688 |
| Green Bay | 71 | 41 | 0 | .634 |
| Indianapolis | 70 | 44 | 0 | .614 |
| Seattle | 66 | 45 | 0 | .595 |

## 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 101-19 (.842) at home in regular season games and a 115-22 (.839) record including playoffs. The Patriots are an NFL-best 159-46 at home since 1994 when Robert Kraft purchased the team.

BEST HOME RECORDS SINCE 2002
[including playoffs)

| Team | W | L | T | Pct. |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| New England | $\mathbf{1 1 5}$ | $\mathbf{2 2}$ | $\mathbf{0}$ | .839 |
| Seattle | 94 | 36 | 0 | .723 |
| Indianapolis | 93 | 37 | 0 | .715 |
| Pittsburgh | 91 | 36 | 1 | .715 |
| Baltimore | 90 | 34 | 0 | .726 |
| Green Bay | 89 | 39 | 1 | .694 |
| Denver | 86 | 42 | 0 | .672 |
| Minnesota | 76 | 46 | 0 | .623 |
| San Diego | 76 | 48 | 0 | .613 |
| Arizona | 75 | 48 | 1 | .609 |
| Philadelphia | 75 | 53 | 0 | .586 |

## SHARP AT CILLETTE

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 101-19 (.842) 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 PCT. SINCE 1970 (MINIMUM 25 GAMES):

| Team | Stadium | W-L-T | WIN PCT. |
| :--- | :--- | ---: | ---: |
| New England | Gillette Stadium | $101-19-0$ | .842 |
| Miami | Orange Bowl | $101-22-1$ | .819 |
| Minnesota | Metropolitan Stadium | $64-23-1$ | .733 |
| Pittsburgh | Heinz Field | $92-34-1$ | .728 |
| LA Rams | Memorial Coliseum | $53-20-2$ | .726 |

LONGEST HOME WINNING STREAK/PATRIOTS HISTORY [REG. SEASON]

| Streak | First Win | Last Win |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 20 | Dec. 12, 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 |

## FORCING THE ISSUE

The Patriots lead the NFL with a +179 turnover margin since the 1994 season.

|  | NFL TURNOVER MARGIN SINCE 1994 |  |
| :--- | :--- | :---: |
| Rank | Team | Turnover Margin |

## WHAT'S THE POINT?

During the past 17 seasons, the Patriots defense has always ranked higher in points allowed than in yards allowed except for 2007, when both ranked fourth and in 2015.

## 2016

2015
2014
2013
2012
2011
2010
2009
2008
2007
2006
2005
2004
2003
2002
2001
2000
Avg. Points Allowed
Avg. Yds Allowed
329.5 (8)
339.4 (9)
344.1 (13)
373.1 (26)
373.3 (25)
411.1 [31]
365.5 (25)
320.2 [11]
$309.0(10)$
288.3 [4]
294.4 [6]
330.2 (26)
310.6 [9]
291.6 [7]
336.1 [23]
334.5 (24)
334.6 (20)

## TOP 10 OFFENSE

Since the 1970 merger, the Patriots offense has finished in the top 10 a total of 20 times, including 10 times under Bill Belichick.

| Year | Rank |
| :--- | :--- |
| 2016 | $5[385.6]$ |
| 2015 | $6[374.4]$ |
| 2013 | $7[384.5]$ |
| 2012 | $1[427.9]$ |
| 2011 | $2[428.0]$ |
| 2010 | $8[363.8]$ |
| 2009 | $3[397.3]$ |
| 2008 | $5[365.4]$ |
| 2007 | $1[411.3]$ |
| 2005 | $7[352.0$ |
| 2004 | $7[411.3]$ |

## TOP offanse

The Patriots had finished in the top-10 in offense for seven straight seasons [2007-13], second only to the nine straight by New Orleans [2006-14).

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 and Kansas City are the only teams to average more than one rushing touchdown per game. The Patriots have 243 rushing touchdowns in 223 games.

## RUSHING TOUCHDOWNS SINCE 2003

[REGULAR SEASON]

| New England | 243 |
| :--- | :--- |
| Kansas City | 224 |
| Minnesota | 212 |
| Philadelphia | 211 |
| San Diego | 210 |
| Carolina | 210 |
| Atlanta | 202 |
| New Orleans | 200 |

## 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.

|  | Year | Game 1 | Game 2 | Game 3 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 3 | 2014 | 10/26/14 (51-23 v. CHI) | 11/02/14 (43-21 v. DEN) | 11/16/14 (42-20 @ IND) |
| 3 | 2007 | 10/14/07 (48-27 @ DAL) | 10/21/07 [49-28 @ MIA) | 10/28/07 (52-7 v. WAS) |
| 2 | 1962 | 09/21/62 (41-16 v. DEN) | 10/06/62 (43-14 @ NYT) |  |
| 2 | 2002 | 09/15/02 [44-7 @ NYJ) | 09/22/02 (41-38 v. KC) |  |
| 2 | 2008 | 12/14/08 [49-26 @ OAK) | 12/21/08 (47-7 v. ARZ) |  |
| 2 | 2010 | 11/25/10 (45-24 @ DET) | 12/06/10 [45-3 v. NYJ) |  |
| 2 | 2012 | 11/18/12 (59-24 v. IND) | 11/22/12 [49-19 @ NYJ |  |
| 2 | 2015 | 09/20/15 (40-32 @ BUF) | 09/27/15 (51-17 vs. JACK) |  |

## SCORING FLURRY

The Patriots scored three touchdowns in a 57-second span during the final two minutes of the first half against Chicago on Oct. 26, 2014 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

2014 New England Patriots vs. Chicago Bears (10-26-14)
2012 New England Patriots at New York Jets [11-22-12]
2002 Seattle Seahawks vs. Minnesota Vikings (9-29-02)
1998 Atlanta Falcons vs. Carolina Panthers (10-4-98)
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
$\star$ 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 15yard touchdown and a 38-7 Patriots lead with 55 seconds left in the first half.


## A COMEBACK FOR THE ACES

The Patriots came back from a 24-point deficit to defeat the Broncos, 34-31, in overtime in a Sunday Night Football matchup on Nov. 24, 2013, marking the largest comeback win in team history, after trailing 24-0 at halftime

New England's previous best comeback win was from a 23-0 deficit to win, 3823, 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).

## PATRIOTS IN THE PLAYOFFS

The Patriots have qualified for the playoffs 24 times in their 57 -year history. Eighteen of those playoff berths have come in the 23 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 19 division crowns, including 14 in the last 16 seasons, and have qualified as a Wild Card team four times (1976, 1985, 1994 and 1998). The Patriots also qualified for the playoffs in 1982 during the strike season.

PATRIOTS PLAYOFF SEASONS [24]

| Year | How Qualified | Seed | Record | Result |
| :--- | :--- | :---: | :---: | :--- |
| 2016 | Division Champions | $? ?$ | $? ?$ | ??? |
| 2015 | Division Champions | 2 | $1-1$ | AFC Championship Game |
| 2014 | Division Champions | 1 | $3-0$ | Super Bowl Champions |
| 2013 | Division Champions | 2 | $1-1$ | AFC Championship Game |
| 2012 | Division Champions | 2 | $1-1$ | AFC Championship Game |
| 2011 | Division Champions | 1 | $2-1$ | AFC Champions |
| 2010 | Division Champions | 1 | $0-1$ | AFC Divisional Round |
| 2009 | Division Champions | 3 | $0-1$ | Wild Card Round |
| 2007 | Division Champions | 1 | $2-1$ | AFC Champions |
| 2006 | Division Champions | 4 | $2-1$ | AFC Championship Game |
| 2005 | Division Champions | 4 | $1-1$ | AFC Divisional Round |
| 2004 | Division Champions | 2 | $3-0$ | Super Bowl Champions |
| 2003 | Division Champions | 1 | $3-0$ | Super Bowl Champions |
| 2001 | Division Champions | 2 | $3-0$ | Super Bowl Champions |
| 1998 | Wild Card | 6 | $0-1$ | Wild Card Round |
| 1997 | Division Champions | 3 | $1-1$ | AFC Divisional Round |
| 1996 | Division Champions | 2 | $2-1$ | AFC Champions |
| 1994 | Wild Card | 5 | $0-1$ | Wild Card Round |
| 1986 | Division Champions | 3 | $0-1$ | AFC Divisional Round |
| 1985 | Wild Card | 5 | $3-1$ | AFC Champions |
| $1982 *$ | 16-Team Format | 7 | $0-1$ | First Round |
| 1978 | Division Champions | 2 | $0-1$ | AFC Divisional Round |
| 1976 | Wild Card | 4 | $0-1$ | AFC Divisional Round |
| 1963 | Division Champions | - | $1-1$ | AFL Championship Game |
| *-Strike Year |  | $29-19$ Record |  |  |

## 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 either the 1930s, 1940s, 1950s, 1960s, 1970s, 1980s, 1990 s or 2000s.

| Team | MOST PLAYOFF VICTORIES IN A DECADE |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Decade | Playoff Wins | Championships |
| New England | 2000s | 14 | 2001, 2003, 2004 |
| Dallas | 1970s | 14 | 1971, 1977 |
| Pittsburgh | 1970s | 14 | 1974, 1975, 1978, 1979 |
| San Francisco | 1980s | 13 | 1981, 1984, 1988, 1989 |
| Dallas | 1990s | 12 | 1992, 1993, 1995 |
| Washington | 1980s | 11 | 1982, 1987 |
| Buffalo | 1990s | 10 | - |
| Pittsburgh | 2000s | 10 | 2005, 2008 |
| Green Bay | 1960s | 919 | 1, 1962, 1965, 1966, 1967 |
| Green Bay | 1990s | 9 | 1996 |

## TITLE TOWN

The Patriots have now won the AFC East for eight straight seasons, besting the five straight the team won from 2003-07 for the longest streak in AFC East division history. The Patriots have won 14 of the last 16 division crowns. The Patriots have won 16 division titles in the 23 seasons since Robert Kraft bought the team in 1994.

MOST CONSECUTIVE AFC EAST TITLES

| Team | Streak | Years |
| :--- | :---: | ---: |
| New England Patriots | $\mathbf{8}$ | $2009-16$ |
| New England Patriots | $\mathbf{5}$ | $2003-07$ |
| Buffalo Bills | 4 | $1988-91$ |
| Miami Dolphins | 4 | $1981,1983-85^{*}$ |
| Miami Dolphins | 4 | $1971-74$ |
| Baltimore Colts | 3 | $1975-77$ |
| Buffalo Bills | 3 | $1964-66 @$ |

*Due to 1982 strike, the NFL played just a nine-game season and the standings were not divided into divisions that season.
@AFL
The Patriots past the Los Angeles Rams (1973-79] as the only team to win eight straight division titles.

MOST CONSECUTIVE DIVISION TITLES

| Team | Division | Titles | Years |
| :--- | :--- | :---: | ---: |
| New England Patriots | AFC East | $\mathbf{8}$ | 2009-16 |
| Los Angeles Rams | NFC West | 7 | $1973-79$ |
| Pittsburgh Steelers | AFC Central | 6 | $1974-79$ |
| Minnesota Vikings | NFC Central | 6 | $1973-78$ |
| Dallas Cowboys | NFL Capitol/NFC East | 6 | $1966-71$ |
| Cleveland Browns | American/Eastern Conf. | 6 | $1950-55$ |
| New England Patriots | AFC East | 5 | $2003-07$ |
| Denver Broncos | AFC West | 5 | $2011-15$ |
| Indianapolis Colts | AFC South | 5 | $2003-07$ |
| Dallas Cowboys | NFC East | 5 | $1992-96$ |
| San Francisco 49ers | NFC West | 5 | $1986-90$ |
| Chicago Bears | NFC Central | 5 | $1984-88$ |
| Oakland Raiders | AFC West | 5 | $1972-76$ |

## HOME DOMINANCE

The Patriots have an 18-4 [.818) all-time record in home playoff games. The Patriots' .818 winning percentage at home in the postseason is second among teams with at least 10 home playoff games.

| TEAM | RECORD | PCT. |
| :--- | :---: | :---: |
| Seattle | $11-2$ | .846 |
| New England | $18-4$ | .818 |
| Oakland | $19-5$ | .792 |
| Green Bay | $17-5$ | .773 |
| Denver | $17-5$ | .773 |
| Buffalo | $10-3$ | .769 |
| Washington | $13-5$ | .722 |
| Dallas | $20-8$ | .714 |



## ALL-TIME PLAYOFF RESULTS

The Patriots have compiled a 29-19 record in their 48 playoff games and their .604 playoff winning percentage is tied for the second-best in NFL history among teams that have played at least 15 playoff games.

## PATRIOTS PLAYOFF RECORD BY ROUND

| Round | Record |
| :--- | ---: |
| First Round* | $0-1$ |
| Wild Card Round | $4-3$ |
| Divisional Round | $13-6$ |
| AFC Championship | $8-4$ |
| AFL Championship | $0-1$ |
| Super Bowl | $4-4$ |
| Total | $29-19$ |
| *1982 Strike Season |  |


|  | [Minimum 15 Postseason Games) |  |  |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | ---: |
| Team | Wins |  | Losses | Win Pct.

## A GOOD PLAYOFF RUN

Teams to win at least one playoff game in five consecutive postseasons [since the 1970 merger]

| Team | Consecuitve seasons | Years | Wins |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | ---: |
| Dallas | 6 | $1991-96$ | 12 |
| Patriots | 5 | $2011-15$ | 8 |
| Patriots | 5 | $2003-07$ | 11 |
| Baltimore | 5 | $2008-12$ | 9 |
| Philadelphia | 5 | $2000-04$ | 7 |
| Green Bay | 5 | $1993-97$ | 9 |
| Oakland | 5 | $1973-77$ | 7 |

## 2015 AFC EAST CHAMPIONS

The Patriots claimed the AFC East Division title for the eighth consecutive season and for the 16th time under Robert Kraft.

DIVISION CHAMPIONSHIPS SINCE 1994
New England Patriots . . . . . . . . . . . . 16
Pittsburgh Steelers . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 12
Green Bay Packers . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 11
Indianapolis Colts . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 10

## FIVE STRAICHT CONFERENCE CHAMPIONSHIP GAMES

The Patriots advanced to the AFC Championship for the fifth striaght season in 2015, joining Oakland as the only teams to reach five straight conference championship games.

NFL TEAMS WITH AT LEAST THREE CONSECUTIVE CONFERENCE CHAMPIONSHIP GAME APPEARANCES SINCE 1970 MERGER

| Team | Years | Results |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| New England Patriots | [5] 2011-2015 | [2-3) W, L, L,W, L |
| Oakland Raiders | [5] 1973-1977 | [1-4] L, L, L, W, L |
| Philadelphia Eagles | [4] 2001-2004 | [1-3) L, L, L, W |
| Buffalo Bills | [4] 1990-1993 | (4-0) W, W, W, W |
| Dallas Cowboys | [4] 1970-1973 | [2-2) W, W, L, L |
| Dallas Cowboys | [4] 1992-1995 | [3-1] W, W, L, W |
| San Francisco 49ers | [3) 2011-2013 | (1-2) L, W, L |
| Dallas Cowboys | [3) 1980-1982 | [0-3) L, L, L |
| Green Bay Packers | [3) 1995-1997 | [2-1) L, W, W |
| Miami Dolphins | [3] 1971-1973 | (3-0) W, W, W |
| Pittsburgh Steelers | [3] 1974-1976 | [2-1] W, W, L |
| San Francisco 49ers | [3] 1992-1994 | (1-2) L, L, W |
| San Francisco 49ers | [3] 1988-1990 | [2-1) W, W, L |
| St. Louis Rams | [3] 1974-1976 | [0-3) L, L, L |

## ALL-TIME SUPER BOWL BERTHS

New England advanced to its eighth Super Bowl in franchise history in 2014 a total that is tied with Dallas, Denver and Pittsburgh for the most Super Bow berths.

| TEAM | SUPER BOWLS |
| :--- | ---: |
| New England Patriots . . . . . . . . . . . . . 8 |  |
| Dallas Cowboys . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 8 |  |
| Denver Broncos. . . . . . . . . . . . . . 8 |  |
| Pittsburgh Steelers. . . . . . . . . . . . . 8 |  |
| San Francisco 49ers. . . . . . . . . . . 6 |  |
| GB, NYG, OAK, WAS, MIA . . . . . . . . . . . 5 |  |

The Patriots Football Network［PFN］is the full portfolio of media offerings from the three－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 ACCESG

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 and Springfield，MA，Burlington，VT Portland and Bangor ME．＂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．The program airs Fridays from 7 p．m．－8 p．m．on WBZ－TV and Sunday from 9 a．m．－10 a．m．on myTV38 in Boston．Check local listings for airtime．
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## TロTAムーY PATRIロTS



## PATRIOTS TODAY AND PATRIOTS THIS WEEK

PATRIOTS TODAY：Available daily at Patriots．com．
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 Friday night at 10：30 p．m． on Comcast SportsNet

## PATRIOTS．COM

## NEWS

Patriots．com features daily updates and exclusive content from the writers of Patriots Football Weekly，offering everything from breaking news to player features and the popular＂Ask PFW＂postings．

## VIDEO

The first professional sports team website to offer streaming video pro－ vides Patriots fans with a variety of exclusive video content．Visitors can choose their channel and watch exclusive video from news to cheer－ leaders．Patriots．com also features video of every Patriots press con－ ference，including postgame press conferences and Coach Belichick＇s weekday media updates．

## AUDIO

Patriots Web Radio programming is available exclusively on Patriots． com beginning at noon each day，Monday through Friday．Kicking off the programming lineup is PFW In Progress，a daily online program that features candid commentary from the writers of Patriots Football Weekly．Following PFW In Progress is Patriots Playbook，hosted by John Rooke，featuring items from around the NFL．Fantasy Football Champs and Football Nation round out the Patriots．com radio lineup．Patriots． com also offers streaming audio of every Patriots press conference，as well as archives of Patriots．com Radio shows and exclusive podcasts．

## PATIROTG MONロAY ON WEE

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 Mon－ day live from Gillette Stadium each Monday，kicking off with Dennis \＆ 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 HUE PATRIOTS RADIO N＝TWORK

98．5 The Sports Hub is the Patriots＇flag－ ship station，broadcasting every Patriots game across its FM 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 and postgame news and notes，including live sound from the postgame press conferences．

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|  | Massachusetts |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| W | ．Boston | 98．5 FM |
| WAQY | ．Springfield | 102．1 FM |
| WBEC | ．Pittsfield | 1420 AM |
| WPKZ | Fitchburg | 1280 AM |
| WNAW． | North Adams | 1230 AM |
| WBSM | ．New Bedford | 1420 AM |
| WPVQ | Greenfield | 95．3 FM |
| WSAR． | Fall River | 1480 AM |
| WWFX | Worcester | 100．1 FM |
| WXTK | Hyannis | 95．1 FM |
| WMRC | Milford | 1490 AM |
| Maine |  |  |
| WBLM | ．Portland | 102．9 FM |
| WEBB | Augusta | 98．5 FM |
| WEZQ | ．Bangor | 92.9 FM |
| WEGP | ．Presque Isle | 1390 AM |
| Connecticut |  |  |
| WTIC | ．Hartford | 1080 AM |
| WINY | ．Putnam | 1350 AM |
| WMOS | ．New London | 102．3 FM |
| WGCH． | Greenwich | 1490 AM |
| WINE | Brookfield | 940 AM |

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WSAK ．．．．Hampton 102．1 FM
WSHK．．．．Portsmouth／Dover105．3 FM
WNNH ．．．Concord 99.1 FM
WLNH．．．．Laconia 98．3 FM

| WEMJ．．．．Laconia | 1490 AM |
| :--- | ---: |
| WINQ | 98．．．．Keene FM |

WXXK．．．．．Lebanon 100．5 FM

Vermont

| NEPV | ．Burlington | 101．3 FM |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| WDVT | ．Rutland | 94．5 FM |
| WIKE | ．Newport | 1490 AM |
| WKVT | ．Brattleboro | 92．7 FM |
| WRFK． | ．Barre／Montpel | 107．1 FM |
| WSTJ | ．St．Johnsbu | 1340 AM |
|  | Rhode Isl |  |
| WPRO． | ．Providence | 630 AM |
| WEAN． | ．Providence | 99．7 FM |
|  | New Y |  |
| WINU | ．Albany | 104．9 FM |
| WENU． | ．Glens Falls | 1410 AM |
| WHTK． | ．Rochester | 1280 AM |

## PATRIOTS ARE SECOND WINNINGEST PRO SPORTS FRANCHISE SINCE 1994

Since the 1994 season, the Patriots have won 69.2 percent of their regular season games (254-113), the second 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).

SECOND HIGHEST WINNING PERCENTAGE IN MAJOR AMERICAN PROFESSIONAL SPORTS, 1994-PRESENT
(Regular Season - Includes National Football League, Major League Baseball, National Basketball Association, National Hockey League and Major League Soccer)
Records updated through games of December 26, 2016

| Rk | Records since 1994 | Lg. | W | L | T/OTL | PCT. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| R | San Antonio Spurs | NBA | 1238 | 549 | 0 | 0.693 |
| 2 | New England Patriots | NFL | 254 | 113 | 0 | 0.692 |
| 3 | Detroit Red Wings | NHL | 978 | 473 | 237 | 0.650 |
| 4 | Green Bay Packers | NFL | 235 | 131 | 1 | 0.642 |
| 5 | Pittsburgh Steelers | NFL | 231 | 135 | 1 | 0.631 |
| 6 | Denver Broncos | NFL | 223 | 144 | 0 | 0.608 |
| 7 | Indianapolis Colts | NFL | 220 | 147 | 0 | 0.599 |
| 8 | New Jersey Devils | NHL | 885 | 572 | 231 | 0.593 |
| 9 | Los Angeles Lakers | NBA | 1056 | 734 | 0 | 0.590 |
| 10 | Dallas Stars | NHL | 877 | 579 | 233 | 0.588 |
| 11 | New York Yankees | MLB | 2141 | 1514 | 0 | 0.586 |
| 12 | Philadelphia Flyers | NHL | 848 | 570 | 259 | 0.583 |
| 13 | Seattle Sounders FC | MLS | 123 | 81 | 60 | 0.580 |
| 14 | Utah Jazz | NBA | 1031 | 756 | 0 | 0.577 |
| 15 | Colorado Avalanche/Quebec Nordiques | NHL | 865 | 612 | 210 | 0.575 |
| 16 | St. Louis Blues | NHL | 850 | 601 | 237 | 0.574 |
| 17 | Oklahoma City/Seattle Thunder | NBA | 1026 | 761 | 0 | 0.574 |
| 18 | Los Angeles Galaxy | MLS | 307 | 216 | 139 | 0.569 |
| 19 | Pittsburgh Penguins | NHL | 858 | 626 | 204 | 0.569 |
| 20 | Dallas Mavericks | NBA | 1014 | 773 | 0 | 0.567 |
| 21 | Miami Heat | NBA | 1007 | 770 | 0 | 0.567 |
| 22 | San Jose Sharks | NHL | 843 | 621 | 224 | 0.566 |
| 23 | Boston Bruins | NHL | 826 | 608 | 256 | 0.564 |
| 24 | Houston Rockets | NBA | 1002 | 786 | 0 | 0.560 |
| 25 | Washington Capitals | NHL | 828 | 629 | 228 | 0.559 |
| 26 | Atlanta Braves | MLB | 2040 | 1617 | 0 | 0.558 |
| 27 | Indiana Pacers | NBA | 988 | 799 | 0 | 0.553 |
| 28 | Ottawa Senators | NHL | 818 | 640 | 230 | 0.553 |
| 29 | Phoenix Suns | NBA | 985 | 802 | 0 | 0.551 |
| 30 | Vancouver Canucks | NHL | 813 | 639 | 237 | 0.552 |
| 31 | Nashville Predators | NHL | 660 | 534 | 189 | 0.546 |
| 32 | Boston Red Sox | MLB | 1996 | 1664 | 0 | 0.545 |
| 33 | Anaheim Ducks | NHL | 803 | 652 | 234 | 0.545 |
| 34 | Philadelphia Eagles | NFL | 199 | 166 | 1 | 0.545 |
| 35 | Chicago Blackhawks | NHL | 793 | 644 | 244 | 0.544 |
| 36 | St. Louis Cardinals | MLB | 1984 | 1673 | 0 | 0.543 |
| 37 | New York Rangers | NHL | 813 | 669 | 208 | 0.543 |
| 38 | Baltimore Ravens | NFL | 181 | 153 | 1 | 0.542 |
| 39 | Montreal Canadiens | NHL | 798 | 661 | 229 | 0.541 |
| 40 | Dallas Cowboys | NFL | 198 | 168 | 0 | 0.541 |
| 41 | Minnesota Wild | NHL | 579 | 477 | 173 | 0.541 |
| 42 | Seattle Seahawks | NFL | 197 | 169 | 1 | 0.538 |
| 43 | Portland TrailBlazers | NBA | 963 | 826 | 0 | 0.538 |
| 44 | Los Angeles Dodgers | MLB | 1953 | 1706 | 0 | 0.534 |
| 45 | Minnesota Vikings | NFL | 194 | 172 | 1 | 0.530 |
| 46 | Buffalo Sabres | NHL | 772 | 685 | 230 | 0.526 |
| 47 | Cleveland Indians | MLB | 1922 | 1733 | 0 | 0.526 |
| 48 | Los Angeles/Anaheim/CA Angels | MLB | 1924 | 1737 | 0 | 0.526 |
| 49 | Calgary Flames | NHL | 754 | 668 | 232 | 0.526 |
| 50 | San Francisco Giants | MLB | 1917 | 1742 | 0 | 0.524 |

NOTES: This analysis uses NFL rules when calculating winning percentage, counting ties as a half-win and a half-loss. For NHL teams, overtime losses (OTL) and ties from 2001-2004 (the NHL abolished ties in 2005-2006 and instituted a shootout system) are counted as ties when calculating winning percentage.
*The Miami Fusion were contracted following the 2001 MLS season.
HIGHEST WINNING PERCENTAGE AMONG BOSTON-AREA MAJOR PROFESSIONAL SPORTS TEAMS, 1994-PRESENT
(Rankings listed below are each team's overall ranking among the 145 major American pro sports teams)
Records updated through games of December 26, 2016

| Rank | Team | Lg. | W | L | T/OTL | Pct. |
| ---: | :--- | :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| $\mathbf{2}$ | New England Patriots | NFL | $\mathbf{2 5 4}$ | $\mathbf{1 1 3}$ | $\mathbf{0}$ | $\mathbf{0 . 6 9 2}$ |
| 23 | Boston Bruins | NHL | 826 | 608 | 253 | 0.564 |
| 32 | Boston Red Sox | MLB | 1996 | 1664 | 0 | 0.545 |
| 84 | Boston Celtics | NBA | 885 | 901 | 0 | 0.496 |
| 102 | New England Revolution | MLS | 250 | 281 | 132 | 0.477 |

