

Week 4 Tennessee Titans (2-1) at Houston Texans (1-2)



Sunday, October 1, 2017 1:00 PM ET NRG Stadium Referee: Jeff Triplette

REGULAR-SEASON SERIES HISTORY

LEADER: Titans lead all-time series, 16-14 **STREAKS:** Texans have won 5 of past 6

TENNESSEE TITANS	
LAST WEEK	W 33-27 vs. Seattle
COACH VS. OPP.	Mike Mularkey: 2-4
PTS. FOR/AGAINST	28.7/23.0
OFFENSE	386.7
PASSING	Marcus Mariota: 60-100-696-3-1-86.9
RUSHING	DeMarco Murray: 35-184-5.3-1
RECEIVING	Delanie Walker (TE): 15-168-11.2-0
DEFENSE	367.3
SACKS	Derrick Morgan: 2
INTs	Curtis Riley, Da'Norris Searcy: 1
TAKE/GIVE	+2 (3/1)
PUNTING (NET)	Brett Kern: 50.3 (2L) (44.1)
KICKING	Ryan Succop: 38 (1L) (8/8 PAT; 10/11 FG)

TITANS NOTES

- QB MARCUS MARIOTA passed for 225 yards with 2 TDs vs. 0 INTs for 104.3 rating last week. In past 5 vs. division, has 8 pass TDs vs. 1 INT for 100.6 rating. Has 12 pass TDs & 93.8 rating in past 7 on road.
- RB DE MARCO MURRAY rushed for 115 yards, incl. 75-yard TD run last week. Has 330 scrimmage yards (110 per game) with 2 rush TDs in past 3 meetings. Is only player in NFL since 2013 with 5,000+ rush yards (5,139) & 35+ rush TDs (38). Has 184 rush yards & joins RB DERRICK HENRY (171) as 1 of 2 pairs of NFL teammates with 150+ rush yards (Chicago's JORDAN HOWARD & TARIK COHEN). Henry has 156 scrimmage yards (78 per game) & rush TD in past 2. Aims for 3rd in row vs. division with rush TD.
- WR RISHARD MATTHEWS had 87 rec. yards & TD last week. In 3 career meetings, has 271 rec. yards (90.3 per game) & 2 TD catches. WR ERIC DECKER has 348 rec. yards (116 per game) with 2 TD catches in past 3 vs. Hou. TE DELANIE WALKER is 1 of 4 NFL TEs with 15+ catches (15) & 150+ rec. yards (168). Rookie TE JONNU SMITH aims for 3rd in row with TD catch.
- LB WESLEY WOODYARD leads team with 27 tackles. Is 1 of 3 in NFL with 25+ tackles (27) & sack. LB AVERY WILLIAMSON has 20 tackles in past 2 meetings. LB DERRICK MORGAN has sack in 2 of past 3. Has 5 sacks in past 6 vs. division. DT JURRELL CASEY had 2 sacks in last meeting.

LAST GAME: 1/1/17: Texans 17 at Titans 24 **LAST GAME AT SITE:** 10/2/16: Texans 27, Titans 20

H	OUSTON TEXANS
LAST WEEK	L 36-33 at New England
COACH VS. OPP.	Bill O'Brien: 5-1
PTS. FOR/AGAINST	17.7/24.7
OFFENSE	295.3
PASSING	Deshaun Watson (R): 49-80-528-3-3-77.5
RUSHING	Lamar Miller: 49-182-3.7-0
RECEIVING	DeAndre Hopkins: 21 (T3L)-204-9.7-1
DEFENSE	323.7
SACKS	Jadeveon Clowney, Benardrick McKinney: 2
INTs	-
TAKE/GIVE	-4 (2/6)
PUNTING (NET)	Shane Lechler: 49.4 (40.7)
KICKING	Ka'imi Fairbairn: 23 (5/5 PAT; 6/6 FG)

TEXANS NOTES

- **QB DESHAUN WATSON** (rookie) passed for career-high 301 yards with 2 TDs for 90.6 rating last week. Is 1 of 3 in NFL with 500+ pass yards (528) & 100+ rush yards (124). Leads NFL QBs with 124 rush yards.
- RB LAMAR MILLER ranks 5th in AFC with 182 rush yards.
 Has 195 rush yards & TD in past 2 meetings. Aims for 3rd in row vs. Ten. with 100+ scrimmage yards. Has rush TD in 2 of past 3 vs. division. Rookie RB D'ONTA FOREMAN had career-high 90 scrimmage yards (25 rush, 65 rec.) in Week 3.
- WR DE ANDRE HOPKINS aims for 5th in row with 7+ catches. In 8 career meetings, has 823 rec. yards (102.9 per game) with 5 TD catches. Has 90+ rec. yards in 5 of past 6 vs. Ten. Ties for 3rd in NFL with 21 catches & ranks 8th in AFC with 204 rec. yards. WR BRUCE ELLINGTON had TD catch in Week 3. TE RYAN GRIFFIN had TD catch last week.
- DE J.J. WATT has 15.5 sacks, 7 PD, 6 FFs & 2 FRs in 10 career meetings. Aims for 9th meeting in row with sack. In past 14 vs. division, has 21.5 sacks, 11 PD, 7 FFs & 3 FRs. Since entering league in 2011, ranks 2nd in NFL with 76 sacks. LB BENARDRICK MC KINNEY had 9 tackles & FF in last home meeting. Is only player in NFL with 20+ tackles (22) & 2+ sacks (2). DE JADEVEON CLOWNEY had 4 TFL, 2 sacks & FR-TD last week. Had sack in last meeting. In past 3 vs. division, has 2 sacks, 3 TFL, FF & PD. LB WHITNEY MERCILUS had sack & FF in Week 3. Has 20.5 sacks since 2015, 5th most among NFL LBs.