



Week 9

# Tampa Bay Buccaneers (2-5) at New Orleans Saints (5-2)



Sunday, November 5, 2017 | 1:00 PM ET | Mercedes-Benz Superdome | Referee: Bill Vinovich

## REGULAR-SEASON SERIES HISTORY

**LEADER:** Saints lead all-time series, 31-19

**STREAKS:** Saints have won 2 of past 3

**LAST GAME:** 12/24/16: Buccaneers 24 at Saints 31

**LAST GAME AT SITE:** 12/24/16

### TAMPA BAY BUCCANEERS

<b>LAST WEEK</b>	L 17-3 vs. Carolina
<b>COACH VS. OPP.</b>	Dirk Koetter: 1-1
<b>PTS. FOR/AGAINST</b>	21.1/24.0
<b>OFFENSE</b>	376.6
<b>PASSING</b>	Jameis Winston: 152-246-1853-10-6-88.3
<b>RUSHING</b>	Doug Martin: 65-247-3.8-2
<b>RECEIVING</b>	Mike Evans: 39-519-13.3-4
<b>DEFENSE</b>	386.4
<b>SACKS</b>	Gerald McCoy, Clinton McDonald: 2
<b>INTs</b>	Many tied: 1
<b>TAKE/GIVE</b>	-2 (10/12)
<b>PUNTING (NET)</b>	Bryan Anger: 44.3 (40.0)
<b>KICKING</b>	Patrick Murray: 13 (4/4 PAT; 3/3 FG)

### NEW ORLEANS SAINTS

<b>LAST WEEK</b>	W 20-12 vs. Chicago
<b>COACH VS. OPP.</b>	Sean Payton: 14-8
<b>PTS. FOR/AGAINST</b>	27.3/20.7
<b>OFFENSE</b>	390.4 (2L)
<b>PASSING</b>	Drew Brees: 175-248-1951-11-4-101.7
<b>RUSHING</b>	Mark Ingram: 107-464-4.3-4
<b>RECEIVING</b>	Michael Thomas: 42-480-11.4-2
<b>DEFENSE</b>	344.7
<b>SACKS</b>	Cameron Jordan: 5.5
<b>INTs</b>	Kenny Vaccaro: 3 (T3L)
<b>TAKE/GIVE</b>	+4 (11/7)
<b>PUNTING (NET)</b>	Thomas Morstead: 48.4 (41.3)
<b>KICKING</b>	Wil Lutz: 65 (20/21 PAT; 15/18 FG)

### BUCCANEERS NOTES

- **QB JAMEIS WINSTON** has 777 pass yards (259 per game), 7 TDs & 3 INTs for 101.6 rating in past 3 on road vs. division. Has 484 pass yards (242 per game), 3 TDs & 2 INTs for 96.1 rating & rush TD in 2 games at NO. Has 300+ pass yards in 4 of past 6.
- **RB DOUG MARTIN** aims for 3rd in row vs. NO with rush TD. Has 1,076 scrimmage yards (97.8 per game) & 4 rush TDs in past 11 vs. NFC South.
- **WR MIKE EVANS** had 7 catches for 97 yards & TD in last meeting. In past 4 on road, has 24 receptions for 347 yards (86.8 per game) & 3 TDs. Since 2016, ranks 4th in NFL in rec. yards (1,840) & 3rd in TD catches (16). **WR DE SEAN JACKSON** has 100+ rec. yards & TD in 2 of 3 career meetings. In past 3 on road vs. NFC South, has 251 rec. yards (83.7 per game) & 4 TDs. **TE CAMERON BRATE** had TD catch in last meeting. Has rec. TD in 5 of past 6 on road. Since 2016, leads NFL TEs with 12 TDs.
- **DT GERALD MC COY** has 35.5 sacks since 2013, most among NFL DTs. **LB LAVONTE DAVID** had 7 tackles & sack in last meeting. In 15 career road games vs. division, has 127 tackles (8.5 per game), 4 sacks, 3 FFs, 9 PD & INT. Since 2013, is only NFL player with 500+ tackles (560) & 15+ sacks (16). **LB KENDELL BECKWITH** leads team & NFL rookies with 47 tackles. **S CHRIS CONTE** had 9 tackles & INT last week. **CB BRENT GRIMES** has 2 INTs & 6 PD in 5 career games at NO.

### SAINTS NOTES

- **QB DREW BREES** completed 23 of 28 (82.1 pct.) for 299 yards in Week 8. Has 6,011 comp. & joined HOFer **BRETT FAVRE** (6,300) & **PEYTON MANNING** (6,125) as only players in NFL history with 6,000 career comp. In past 6 at home vs. TB, has 1,871 pass yards (311.8 per game), 14 TDs & 5 INTs for 102.6 rating. Has 1,734 pass yards (346.8 per game), 12 TDs & 3 INTs for 104 rating in past 5 at home vs. division.
- **RB MARK INGRAM** had 99 scrimmage yards (75 rush, 24 rec.) & rush TD last week. Has 294 rush yards (98 per game) & 4 TDs in past 3. Had 90 rush yards & 2 TDs in last meeting. Rookie **RB ALVIN KAMARA** had rush TD in Week 8. Ranks 2nd among NFL rookies with 31 catches.
- **WR MICHAEL THOMAS** had 6 receptions for 98 yards in last meeting. In past 3 vs. NFC South, has 23 catches for 341 yards (113.7 per game) & 2 TDs. **WR TED GINN, JR.** has 3 TD catches in past 4 vs. TB.
- **DE CAMERON JORDAN** has 3.5 sacks & INT-TD in past 4 at home. Aims for 3rd in row at home vs. TB with sack. Has 6.5 sacks, 2 FRs & FF in past 6 at home vs. division. **CB MARSHON LATTIMORE** ranks 2nd among NFC rookies with 7 PD. Has INT in 2 of past 3. **S KENNY VACCARO** led team with 9 tackles & had 0.5 sack in Week 8. Is 1 of 2 in NFL with 3+ INTs (3) & 0.5+ sacks (0.5). Rookie **DE TREY HENDRICKSON** had sack last week. **DT SHELDON RANKINS** had sack in last meeting.

## ON THE AIRWAVES

**TV:** FOX (1:00 PM ET): Thom Brennaman, Chris Spielman, Peter Schrager (Field reporter)

**SIRIUS:** 93 (TB), 83 (NO) | **XM:** 381 (TB), 83 (NO)