

**WEEK 17 – SUNDAY, JANUARY 1, 2012**

**DETROIT LIONS (10-5) AT GREEN BAY PACKERS (14-1)**

**SERIES**

	<b><u>LIONS</u></b>	<b><u>PACKERS</u></b>
<b>SERIES LEADER</b>		90-65-7
<b>STREAKS</b>		11 of past 12
<b>COACHES VS. OPP.</b>	Schwartz: 1-4	McCarthy: 10-1
<b>LAST WEEK</b>	W 38-10 vs. Chargers	W 35-21 vs. Bears
<b>LAST GAME</b>	11/24/11: Packers 27 at Lions 15. Green Bay scores 21 unanswered points in 3rd quarter to break game open. Packers QB Aaron Rodgers passes for 307 yards & 2 TDs in win.	
<b>LAST GAME AT SITE</b>	10/3/10: Packers 28, Lions 26. Green Bay QB Charles Woodson records 48-yard INT-TD early in 2nd half as Packers hold on to defeat Detroit.	
<b>BROADCAST</b>	FOX (12:00 PM CT): Thom Brennaman, Brian Billick, Laura Okmin (Field reporter). SIRIUS: 85 (Det.), 104 (GB). XM: 230 (GB).	

**STATS**

<b>PASSING</b>	Stafford: 385-604-4,518-36 (T3L)-14-96.6	Rodgers: 343-502-4,643 (3L)-45 (1L)-6-122.5 (1L)
<b>RUSHING</b>	K. Smith: 63-321-5.1-4	Starks: 133-578-4.3-1
<b>RECEIVING</b>	Johnson: 85 (3C)-1,437 (1C)-16.9-15 (T1L)	G. Jennings: 67-949-14.2-9
<b>OFFENSE</b>	384.1	395.5
<b>TAKE/GIVE</b>	+13 (3C)	+22 (2L)
<b>DEFENSE</b>	355.4	400.7
<b>SACKS</b>	Avril: 11	Matthews: 6
<b>INTs</b>	Houston: 5	Woodson: 7 (T1L)
<b>PUNTING</b>	Graham: 43.5	Masthay: 45.7
<b>KICKING</b>	Hanson: 119 (50/50 PAT; 23/27 FG)	Crosby: 131 (62/63 PAT; 23/26 FG)

**NOTES**

**LIONS:** Clinched 1st playoff berth since 1999...Have won 4 games after trailing by 13+ points, most in NFL history...**QB MATTHEW STAFFORD** has passed for 4,518 yards & team-record 36 TDs, 2nd youngest QB in NFL history to pass for 4,000+ yards & 30+ TDs in season (HOFer **DAN MARINO**). His 4,518 yards & 36 TDs are most in franchise history. Team is 10-0 when he has 100+ rating.... **RB KEVIN SMITH** had rush & rec. TD last week...**WR CALVIN JOHNSON** leads NFC with 1,437 rec. yards & 15 rec. TDs. Joins HOFers **LANCE ALWORTH & JERRY RICE** as only players with 12+ rec. TDs in 3 of 1st 5 seasons. Since start of 2008, has 44 TD catches, most in NFL. Is 1st Lions WR with 1,000+ rec. yards in 3 of 1st 5 seasons. **TE BRANDON PETTIGREW** has 76 catches, most by TE in team history...**DE CLIFF AVRIL** had INT-TD last week. Has 9 sacks, 5 FFs, 2 FRs (1 TD) & INT-TD in past 9. Had sack & FF in last meeting...**PACKERS:** Have scored team-record 515 points... **QB AARON RODGERS** is 1st Packer & 4th player in NFL history to pass for 45+ TDs in season. Leads NFL with 122.5 rating, which would be best in NFL history. Has 13 games with 100+ rating, most in season all-time...**WR JORDY NELSON** has career-highs in catches (59), yards (1,101) & TDs (12). 6 of his TDs have been 35+ yards. **WR DONALD DRIVER** is 1st Packer with 10,000 (10,008) rec. yards. **WR JAMES JONES** had 65-yard TD in last meeting. Had 2 TDs last week. **TE JERMICHAEL FINLEY** has 48 catches for 703 yards with 7 TDs & can become 1st GB TE with 2 seasons of 50+ catches, 600+ yards & 5+ TDs...**CB CHARLES WOODSON** has 7 INTs & 3 INT-TDs in past 7 meetings. Since joining GB in 2006, has 37 INTs (2nd in NFL) & 9 INT-TDs (1st in NFL). Since 2008, Woodson leads NFL with 25 INTs & **CB TRAMON WILLIAMS** is 4th with 19. **LB CLAY MATTHEWS** has 11 sacks in past 15 vs. division. Has 5 sacks & INT in 5 meetings. **S CHARLIE PEPRAH** had INT last week & has career-high 5 INTs.

**TENNESSEE TITANS (8-7) AT HOUSTON TEXANS (10-5)****SERIES**

	<b><u>TITANS</u></b>	<b><u>TEXANS</u></b>
<b>SERIES LEADER</b>	13-6	
<b>STREAKS</b>		4 of past 6
<b>COACHES VS. OPP.</b>	Munchak: 0-1	Kubiak: 4-7
<b>LAST WEEK</b>	W 23-17 vs. Jaguars	L 19-16 at Colts
<b>LAST GAME</b>	10/23/11: Texans 41 at Titans 7. Houston RB Arian Foster scores 2 rushing TDs & catches 78-yard TD pass as Foster (115) & RB Ben Tate (104) each rush for 100 yards.	
<b>LAST GAME AT SITE</b>	11/28/10: Texans 20, Titans 0. Houston QB Matt Schaub throws 2 2nd-quarter TD passes & Foster rushes for 143 yards as Texans' defense limits Tennessee to 24 rushing yards.	
<b>BROADCAST</b>	CBS (12:00 PM CT): Bill Macatee, Steve Tasker. SIRIUS: 106 (Ten.), 128 (Hou.). XM: 234 (Hou.).	

**STATS**

<b>PASSING</b>	Hasselbeck: 297-483-3,274-16-14-80.5	Yates (R): 78-130-902-3-3-79.1
<b>RUSHING</b>	C. Johnson: 247-986-4.0-4	Foster: 278-1,224 (3L)-4.4-10 (T1C)
<b>RECEIVING</b>	Washington: 70-931-13.3-6	Daniels (TE): 54-677-12.5-3
<b>OFFENSE</b>	333.3	371.1
<b>TAKE/GIVE</b>	+1	+7 (2C)
<b>DEFENSE</b>	353.0	280.7 (2L)
<b>SACKS</b>	Klug (R): 7	Barwin: 11.5 (T3C)
<b>INTs</b>	Griffin, McCourty: 2	Allen, Joseph: 4
<b>PUNTING</b>	Kern: 43.3	Turk: 40.2
<b>KICKING</b>	Bironas: 110 (32/32 PAT; 26/29 FG)	Rackers: 125 (2C) (38/39 PAT; 29/35 FG)

**NOTES**

**TITANS:** QB MATT HASSELBECK (32,853) needs 147 passing yards to become 25th player in NFL history with 33,000 career. Hasselbeck (3,274) needs 226 passing yards to reach 3,500 for 3rd time in career. Posted 22nd game with 300+ passing yards last week...RB CHRIS JOHNSON (986) needs 14 rush yards to join HOFer EARL CAMPBELL (4, '78-81) & EDDIE GEORGE (5, '96-00) as only players in club history to reach 1,000 in 4 consecutive seasons. For career, Johnson averages 91.4 rush yards per game vs. Houston (640 total). Johnson (38) needs 2 rush TDs to join Campbell (73) & George (64) as only players to reach 40 career in club annals. Rookie RB JAMIE HARPER posted 1st rush TD of career last week...WR NATE WASHINGTON (70) is 1st Titans WR to reach 70 rec. in season since '04. Washington (931) needs 69 rec. yards to reach 1,000 for 1st time ...TE JARED COOK had 169 rec. yards last week, most by TE in game in franchise history. Aims for 3rd straight game with 100+ rec. yards (103, 169)...DT KARL KLUG is tied for 3rd among AFC rookies with 7 sacks...**TEXANS:** Club has won 5 straight vs. AFC South at Reliant Stadium...Rookie QB T.J. YATES (5th round, No. 152) had career-best in completion pct. (81.3) & passer rating (101) last week...RB ARIAN FOSTER had 100+ rush yards (115) & 100+ rec. yards (119) & TD rushing & receiving in last game vs. Titans. Averages NFL-best 141.6 scrimmage yards per game (1,841 total in 13 games) in '11. Has NFL-best 7 100-yard rush games. Foster (1,224) & RB BEN TATE (845) are only NFL RB duo with 800+ rush yards apiece in '11. Had 104 rush yards in only meeting vs. Ten...TE OWEN DANIELS (299) needs 1 catch to join ANDRE JOHNSON (704) as only Texans to reach 300 career...Defense has team record 41 sacks in '11...LB CONNOR BARWIN (11.5) has 3rd-most sacks in season in club history (MARIO WILLIAMS, 14 in '07; 12 in '08)...LB BRIAN CUSHING has tied career-best w/ 4 sacks in '11 (4 in '09). Leads team with 110 tackles this season. Rookie LB BROOKS REED has 3 sacks in past 4 vs. division.

**INDIANAPOLIS COLTS (2-13) AT JACKSONVILLE JAGUARS (4-11)****SERIES**

	<b><u>COLTS</u></b>	<b><u>JAGUARS</u></b>
<b>SERIES LEADER</b>	15-6	
<b>STREAKS</b>	4 of past 6	
<b>COACHES VS. OPP.</b>	Caldwell: 3-2	Tucker: 0-0
<b>LAST WEEK</b>	W 19-16 vs. Texans	L 23-17 at Titans
<b>LAST GAME</b>	11/13/11: Jaguars 17 at Colts 3. Jacksonville RB Maurice Jones-Drew rushes for 114 yards & TD & WR Jarett Dillard catches 11-yard TD pass from rookie QB Blaine Gabbert in win.	
<b>LAST GAME AT SITE</b>	10/3/10: Jaguars 31, Colts 28. Jacksonville QB David Garrard throws 2 TDs vs. 0 INTs & posts 127.7 passer rating. Jones-Drew rushes for 105 yards & 1 TD.	
<b>BROADCAST</b>	CBS (1:00 PM ET): Spero Dedes, Steve Beuerlein. SIRIUS: 113 (Ind.), 112 (Jax.). XM: 233 (Jax.).	

**STATS**

<b>PASSING</b>	Orlovsky: 95-153-937-5-2-84.8	Gabbert (R): 199-394-2,122-11-11-64.3
<b>RUSHING</b>	D. Brown: 126-621-4.9-5	Jones-Drew: 318-1,437 (1L)-4.5-8
<b>RECEIVING</b>	Garcon: 68-925-13.6-6	Thomas: 43-417-9.7-1
<b>OFFENSE</b>	286.1	259.2
<b>TAKE/GIVE</b>	-10	+3
<b>DEFENSE</b>	378.3	314.0
<b>SACKS</b>	Mathis: 8.5	Mincey: 5.5
<b>INTs</b>	Lefeged, Powers: 2	4 tied: 2
<b>PUNTING</b>	McAfee: 46.7	N. Harris: 42.7
<b>KICKING</b>	Vinatieri: 86 (23/23 PAT; 21/25 FG)	Scobee: 80 (23/23 PAT; 19/21 FG)

**NOTES**

**COLTS:** Club has 7-3 record at Jax...In past 2 wins, **QB DAN ORLOVSKY** has completed 34 of 58 passes for 326 yards with 2 TDs vs. 0 INTs & 85.8 passer rating. Orlovsky has 95 passer rating in 4th quarter as starter in '11...**RB JOSEPH ADDAI** had 2 rush TDs in last meeting at Jax. **RB DONALD BROWN** is averaging 7.3 rush yards per carry in past 2 games (27 att., 196 yards)...**WR REGGIE WAYNE** (887) needs 113 receiving yards to reach 1,000 for 8th consecutive season. Had game-winning TD catch last week. Has 2 TD receptions in past 2 games. Wayne has 1,599 receiving yards against Jaguars, most vs. any opponent. **WR PIERRE GARCON** (925) needs 75 receiving yards to reach 1,000 for 1st time. Garcon has 6 TD receptions this season, tied for career-best (6 in '10)...**WR AUSTIN COLLIE** has 4 TD receptions in past 4 against Jaguars...**DE DWIGHT FREENEY** has 9 career sacks against Jaguars. **DE ROBERT MATHIS** has 3 sacks, FF & FR in past 2 games. Aims for 3rd straight game with sack against Jax. Mathis (8.5) needs 1.5 sacks to reach 10+ for 5th time in career...**JAGUARS:** Rookie **QB BLAINE GABBERT** (No. 10 overall) has 2 TD passes in each of past 2 home games. Gabbert registered 1st win against AFC South opponent on 11/13/11 (at Ind.)...**RB MAURICE JONES-DREW** (1,437) needs 136 rush yards to surpass **FRED TAYLOR** (1,572 in '03) for most rush yards in season in franchise history. Jones-Drew (62) needs 1 rush TD to surpass **FRED TAYLOR** (62) for most in team history. Jones-Drew has 74 career TDs, most total TDs in club annals. For career, Jones-Drew averages 95.8 rush yards per game vs. Colts (1,043 total in 11 games). Has reached 80+ rush yards in 14 of 15 games in '11...**TE MARCEDES LEWIS** has most rec. yards (2,651) & TD rec. (17) by TE in club history...**WR JARETT DILLARD** posted 1st career TD reception in last meeting vs. Colts...**LB PAUL POSLUSZNY** leads team with 115 tackles. Posluszny had INT against Colts in Week 10...**DE JEREMY MINCEY** has career-best 5.5 sacks in '11. Mincey registered 1st INT of career last week...**CB DREW COLEMAN** had INT in last game against Colts...**CB MORGAN TRENT** posted 1st INT as Jaguar last week.

**NEW YORK JETS (8-7) AT MIAMI DOLPHINS (5-10)****SERIES**

	<b><u>JETS</u></b>	<b><u>DOLPHINS</u></b>
<b>SERIES LEADER</b>	48-42-1	
<b>STREAKS</b>	2 of past 3	
<b>COACHES VS. OPP.</b>	Ryan: 2-3	Bowles: 0-0
<b>LAST WEEK</b>	L 29-14 vs. Giants	L 27-24 at Patriots
<b>LAST GAME</b>	10/17/11: Dolphins 6 at Jets 24. New York CB Darrelle Revis has 100-yard INT-TD in 1st quarter as Jets score 17 unanswered points in Monday-night victory.	
<b>LAST GAME AT SITE</b>	9/26/10: Jets 31, Dolphins 23. New York QB Mark Sanchez passes for 256 yards & 3 TDs, including 2 to TE Dustin Keller (24, 12), as Jets improve to 2-1.	
<b>BROADCAST</b>	CBS (1:00 PM ET): Greg Gumbel, Dan Dierdorf. Westwood One Radio: Howard David, Tony Boselli. SIRIUS: 86 (NYJ), 136 (Mia.). XM: 231 (Mia.).	

**STATS**

<b>PASSING</b>	Sanchez: 287-511-3,267-24 (T2C)-15-79.0	Mat. Moore: 189-316-2,375-15-7-89.8
<b>RUSHING</b>	Greene: 239-999-4.2-6	Bush: 216-1,086-5.0-6
<b>RECEIVING</b>	Keller (TE): 58-770-13.3-4	Marshall: 77 (3C)-1,177-15.3-6
<b>OFFENSE</b>	307.7	325.0
<b>TAKE/GIVE</b>	-2	-7
<b>DEFENSE</b>	318.9	343.2
<b>SACKS</b>	Maybin: 6	Wake: 8.5
<b>INTs</b>	Harris, Revis: 4	Davis: 4
<b>PUNTING</b>	Conley: 42.9	Fields: 48.9 (3L)
<b>KICKING</b>	Folk: 96 (42/42 PAT; 18/24 FG)	Carpenter: 100 (25/25 PAT; 25/30 FG)

**NOTES**

**JETS:** Have won 4 of past 5 at Mia...**QB MARK SANCHEZ** (3,267) needs 233 passing yards to join **KEN O'BRIEN** (3,888 in '85; 3,690 in '86), **JOE NAMATH** (4,007 in '67) & **VINNY TESTAVERDE** (3,732 in '00) as only Jet QBs to reach 3,500-yard passing mark in season. In 5 career games vs. Mia., Sanchez has 7 TDs vs. 1 INT & 85.7 rating. Sanchez (6) has 2nd-most rush TDs by QB in season in franchise history (**AL DOROW**, 7 in '60)...**RB SHONN GREENE** (999) needs 1 rush yard to reach 1,000 for 1st time. **RB LA DAINIAN TOMLINSON** (13,628) needs 35 rush yards to surpass **JEROME BETTIS** (13,662) for 5th-most rush yards all-time...**WR SANTONIO HOLMES** averages 24 yards per catch vs. Dolphins in 2 games with Jets (5 catches, 120 yards). Has 8 TD catches in '11, tied for career-high (8 in '07 w/ Pit.). Holmes & **WR PLAXICO BURRESS** are only AFC WR duo with at least 8 TD receptions apiece in '11...**TE DUSTIN KELLER** has career-best in catches (58) & receiving yards (770)...**CB DARRELLE REVIS** has 4 INTs vs. Mia., tied for most vs. any opponent...**LB DAVID HARRIS** has 2 INTs in past 2. **LB CALVIN PACE** had 2 sacks in last game vs. Mia...**DOLPHINS:** In 3 wins at home in '11, Dolphins are averaging 29.7 points per game...In past 3 at home, **QB MATT MOORE** has 5 TDs vs. 1 INT & 98.2 passer rating. Moore has 8 TDs vs. 3 INTs & 93.8 passer rating vs. AFC East in '11...**RB REGGIE BUSH** leads NFL with 519 rush yards since Week 13. Bush (1,086) reached 1,000 rush yards for 1st time in career last week. Bush aims for 5th consecutive game with 100+ rush yards. Bush averaged 7.1 yards per carry in last game vs. NYJ...**WR BRANDON MARSHALL** (490) needs 10 catches to reach 500 career. Marshall (1,177) has reached 1,000+ rec. yards in 5 consecutive seasons. In 3 games vs. NYJ (w/ Mia.), Marshall averages 97 receiving yards per game (291 total). Has 240 receiving yards in past 2...**LB JASON TAYLOR** has 16.5 career sacks vs. Jets...**LB KARLOS DANSBY** has 2 sacks in past 2 vs. NYJ...**LB CAMERON WAKE** aims for 3rd consecutive game with sack.

**CHICAGO BEARS (7-8) AT MINNESOTA VIKINGS (3-12)****SERIES**

	<b><u>BEARS</u></b>	<b><u>VIKINGS</u></b>
<b>SERIES LEADER</b>		52-46-2
<b>STREAKS</b>	Past 4	
<b>COACHES VS. OPP.</b>	Smith: 9-6	Frazier: 0-2
<b>LAST WEEK</b>	L 35-21 at Packers	W 33-26 at Redskins
<b>LAST GAME</b>	10/16/11: Vikings 10 at Bears 39. Chicago opens 26-3 halftime lead en route to victory. Bears WR-KR Devin Hester records 48-yard TD reception & 98-yard KR-TD in win.	
<b>LAST GAME AT SITE</b>	12/20/10: Bears 40, Vikings 14. Chicago QB Jay Culter passes for 3 TDs as Bears score 20 3rd-quarter points in win.	
<b>BROADCAST</b>	FOX (12:00 PM CT): Kenny Albert, Daryl Johnston, Tony Siragusa (Field reporter). SIRIUS: 135 (Chi.), 94 (Min.). XM: 227 (Min.).	

**STATS**

<b>PASSING</b>	McCown: 20-30-254-1-3-64.4	Ponder (R): 154-281-1,825-13-12-72.4 <b><u>OR</u></b> Webb: 17-31-176-3-0-103.7
<b>RUSHING</b>	Forté: 203-997-4.9-3	Gerhart: 94-464-4.9-1
<b>RECEIVING</b>	Forté (RB): 52-490-9.4-1	Harvin: 77-852-11.1-6
<b>OFFENSE</b>	321.1	331.6
<b>TAKE/GIVE</b>	+2	-3
<b>DEFENSE</b>	353.7	368.1
<b>SACKS</b>	Peppers: 10	J. Allen: 18.5 (1L)
<b>INTs</b>	4 tied: 3	Sanford: 2
<b>PUNTING</b>	Podlesh: 43.5	Kluwe: 45.6
<b>KICKING</b>	Gould: 116 (35/35 PAT; 27/31 FG)	Longwell: 97 (37/38 PAT; 20/25 FG)

**NOTES**

**BEARS:** Aim for 5th win in row vs. Min...**QB JOSH MC COWN** passed for 242 yards & TD last week...**RB KAHLIL BELL** rushed for career-high 121 yards last week, 1st career 100-yard game. Has 267 scrimmage yards (133.5 per game; 186 rush, 81 rec.) & TD in past 2. **RB MARION BARBER** had rush TD in last meeting. Since start of 2006, ranks 6th in NFL with 48 rush TDs...**WR-KR-PR DEVIN HESTER** had 98-yard KR-TD & 48-yard rec. TD in last meeting. Aims for 4th meeting in row with TD. In career vs. Min., has 9 TDs (5 rec., 3 PR, 1 KR). Holds NFL record for most PR-TDs (12) & combined KR-TDs (17). Incl. playoffs, has 19 career total return TDs (12 PR, 6 KR, missed FG), tied with HOFer **DEION SANDERS** for most in NFL history. **TE KELLEN DAVIS** has career-high 5 TDs...**DE JULIUS PEPPERS** had 2 sacks in last meeting. Has 10 sacks, his 7th season with 10+ sacks. Since entering NFL in 2002, ranks 4th with 99 sacks. Rookie **DT STEPHEN PAEA** had sack & safety in last meeting. **CB CHARLES TILLMAN** had 56-yard INT in last game at Min...

**VIKINGS:** Rookie **QB CHRISTIAN PONDER** has 5 games with 2+ TD passes. **QB JOE WEBB** had 2 TD passes & rush TD last week, 2nd game this year with pass TD & rush TD...**RB TOBY GERHART** rushed for career-high 109 yards last week, 1st career 100-yard game. Has 90+ rush yards in 3 of past 4. In past 4, has 409 scrimmage yards (102.3 per game) & 3 rec. TDs...**WR-KR PERCY HARVIN** has TD in 2 of past 3 meetings. Has 6 rec. TDs in past 6. Has career-high 77 receptions & needs 148 yards for 1st career 1,000-yard season. Is only player in NFL with rush, rec. & return TD in each of past 2 years. Rookie **TE KYLE RUDOLPH** had TD last week, his 3rd TD in past 5 ...**DE JARED ALLEN** has 28.5 sacks in past 24, incl. 17 in past 13. Since entering NFL in 2004, has NFL-best 101.5 sacks. Has 9.5 sacks in 7 meetings. **CB ASHER ALLEN** had INT in last home meeting. Rookie **S MISTRAL RAYMOND** had 1st career INT last week.

**BUFFALO BILLS (6-9) AT NEW ENGLAND PATRIOTS (12-3)****SERIES**

	<b><u>BILLS</u></b>	<b><u>PATRIOTS</u></b>
<b>SERIES LEADER</b>		60-41-1
<b>STREAKS</b>		20 of past 22
<b>COACHES VS. OPP.</b>	Gailey: 1-3	Belichick: 20-4
<b>LAST WEEK</b>	W 40-14 vs. Broncos	W 27-24 vs. Dolphins
<b>LAST GAME</b>	9/25/11: Patriots 31 at Bills 34. Buffalo defense forces 4 INTs as Bills overcome 21-point deficit, scoring 17 points in 4th quarter to defeat New England.	
<b>LAST GAME AT SITE</b>	9/26/10: Patriots 38, Bills 30. New England QB Tom Brady passes for 252 yards & 3 TDs, including 2 to WR Randy Moss (7, 35), as Patriots improve to 2-1.	
<b>BROADCAST</b>	CBS (1:00 PM ET): Don Criqui, Randy Cross. SIRIUS: 134 (Buf.), 93 (NE). XM: 226 (NE).	

**STATS**

<b>PASSING</b>	Fitzpatrick: 324-523-3,525-22-19-80.7	Brady: 378-576-4,897 (1C)-36 (1C)-11-105.1 (1C)
<b>RUSHING</b>	Jackson: 170-934-5.5-6	Green-Ellis: 174-645-3.7-9
<b>RECEIVING</b>	St. Johnson: 72-964-13.4-6	Welker: 116 (1L)-1,518 (1L)-13.1-9 (T2C)
<b>OFFENSE</b>	348.1	424.5 (1C)
<b>TAKE/GIVE</b>	+4 (3C)	+14 (1C)
<b>DEFENSE</b>	364.4	412.1
<b>SACKS</b>	Dareus (R): 5.5	Anderson: 9
<b>INTs</b>	Wilson: 4	Arrington: 7 (T1L)
<b>PUNTING</b>	Moorman: 48.5 (3C)	Mesko: 46.4
<b>KICKING</b>	Rayner: 43 (13/13 PAT; 10/15 FG)	Gostkowski: 132 (1C) (54/54 PAT; 26/31 FG)

**NOTES**

**BILLS**: QB RYAN FITZPATRICK (3,525) needs 175 passing yards to join DREW BLEDSOE (4,359 in '02) & HOFer JIM KELLY (3,844 in '91) as only Bills QBs to reach 3,700 in season. Had 369 passing yards in last game vs. NE, 2nd-most in NFL career...RB C.J. SPILLER posted 1st 100-yard rushing game (111) last week. Spiller is averaging 6.1 yards per carry in past 4 in Dec. Has 3 rush TDs in past 4. WR STEVIE JOHNSON (964) needs 36 rec. yards to reach 1,000 for 2nd consecutive season (1,073 in '10). WR DAVID NELSON had career-high 84 rec. yards in last game vs. Patriots...TE SCOTT CHANDLER (6) needs TD rec. to surpass PETE METZELAARS (6 in '92) & JAY RIEMERSMA (6 in '98) for most TD catches by TE in season in Bills history...Defense registered 4 INTs in last game vs. NE...Bills tied team record with 3 return TDs last week – PR-TD by LEODIS MCKELVIN & INT-TD returns by JAIRUS BYRD & SPENCER JOHNSON...LB CHRIS KELSAY has 3 sacks in past 2...**PATRIOTS**: Aim for 11th straight win against Bills at home...NE averages AFC-best 30.9 points per game...QB TOM BRADY (4,897) needs 103 passing yards to join DREW BREES (5,087 in '11; 5,069 in '08) & HOFer DAN MARINO (5,084 in '84) as only players to reach 5,000 in season. Brady (297) needs 3 TD passes to tie HOFer JOHN ELWAY (300) for 5th-most TD passes in NFL history. Brady aims for 12th consecutive win at home vs. AFC East. Has thrown at least 1 TD pass in 31 straight games...RB BEN JARVUS GREEN-ELLIS (9) needs rush TD to record 10+ rush TDs in consecutive seasons (13 in '10)...WR WES WELKER (116; 123 in '09) needs 4 catches to join CRIS CARTER (122 in '94 & '95) as only players to have 120+ receptions twice in career. Welker aims to become 1st player to lead NFL in catches & receiving yards in season since ANDRE JOHNSON in '08...TE ROB GRONKOWSKI (1,219) surpassed TE BEN COATES (1,174) for most rec. yards by TE in season in NE history. Has 5 TD catches in 3 career games vs. Bills...LB ROB NINKOVICH has 5 sacks in past 6 games.

**WASHINGTON REDSKINS (5-10) AT PHILADELPHIA EAGLES (7-8)****SERIES**

	<b><u>REDSKINS</u></b>	<b><u>EAGLES</u></b>
<b>SERIES LEADER</b>	78-69-5	
<b>STREAKS</b>		4 of past 5
<b>COACHES VS. OPP.</b>	Shanahan: 3-3	Reid: 16-9
<b>LAST WEEK</b>	L 33-26 vs. Vikings	W 20-7 at Cowboys
<b>LAST GAME</b>	10/16/11: Eagles 20 at Redskins 13. Philadelphia RB LeSean McCoy rushes for 126 yards & 1 TD as Eagles race to 20-0 lead & thwart late Redskins comeback attempt.	
<b>LAST GAME AT SITE</b>	10/3/10: Redskins 17, Eagles 12. Washington RB Ryan Torrain (12-yard rush) & TE Chris Cooley (31-yard reception) each record 1st-quarter TDs in Redskins' victory.	
<b>BROADCAST</b>	FOX (1:00 PM ET): Ron Pitts, Charles Davis, Drea Avent (Field reporter). SIRIUS: 139 (Was.), 92 (Phi.). XM: 225 (Phi.).	

**STATS**

<b>PASSING</b>	Grossman: 243-413-2,895-15-19-73.3	Vick: 229-384-2,968-15-13-82.9
<b>RUSHING</b>	Helu (R): 147-635-4.3-2	McCoy: 273-1,309 (1C)-4.8-17 (1L)
<b>RECEIVING</b>	Gaffney: 64-919-14.4-5	Celek (TE): 56-725-12.9-4
<b>OFFENSE</b>	334.0	399.7 (3L)
<b>TAKE/GIVE</b>	-15	-13
<b>DEFENSE</b>	336.5	321.4 (2C)
<b>SACKS</b>	Kerrigan (R): 7.5	Babin: 18 (T2L)
<b>INTs</b>	Hall: 3	Coleman: 4
<b>PUNTING</b>	Rocca: 43.6	Henry (R): 42.4
<b>KICKING</b>	Gano: 114 (24/25 PAT; 30/39 FG)	Henery (R): 108 (42/42 PAT; 22/25 FG)

**NOTES**

**REDSKINS:** **QB REX GROSSMAN** has 2,895 pass yards & needs 105 for 2nd career 3,000-yard season...**RB ROY HELU** has rushed for 387 yards (96.8 per game) & 2 TDs in his past 4, incl. 3 100-yard games. Only rookie in franchise history to rush for 100+ yards in 3 consecutive games. Is only rookie with 600+ rush (635) & 300+ rec. (331) yards. Rookie **RB EVAN ROYSTER** rushed for career-high 132 yards last week...**WR SANTANA MOSS** has 539 rec. yards & needs 61 to reach 600 yards for 9th consecutive season. **WR ANTHONY ARMSTRONG** has 5 career rec. TDs & 4 have been 30+ yards. **WR JABAR GAFFNEY** has 919 rec. yards & needs 81 for 1st career 1,000-yard season...**LB RYAN KERRIGAN** ties for 2nd among NFC rookies with 7.5 sacks. Has 7.5 sacks, 9-yard INT-TD & 4 FFs. **CB DE ANGELO HALL** had INT in last meeting. Had INT in last game in Phi. **LB BRIAN ORAKPO** has 7 sacks & has 7+ in all 3 NFL seasons...**EAGLES:** **QB MICHAEL VICK** aims for 3rd win in row vs. Was. In 11/15/10 game, became 1st player in NFL history with 300+ pass yards (333), 50+ rush yards (80), 4 pass TDs & 2 rush TDs in game. Completed 20 of 28 (71.4 pct.) for 333 yards with 4 TDs vs. 0 INTs for 150.7 rating...**RB LE SEAN MC COY** leads NFL with 20 TDs (17 rush, 3 rec.) & passed HOFer **STEVE VAN BUREN** (18 in 1945) for most total TDs in season by Eagle. McCoy has scored TD in 13 of 15 games this season. Leads NFL with 102 1st downs & 84 rush 1st downs...Incl. playoffs, **WR-PR DE SEAN JACKSON** has 29 TDs (22 rec., 4 PR, 3 rush) in career & averages 44.8 yards per TD (1,299 yards). Has 5 TDs (3 rec., 1 rush, 1 PR) vs. Was. & averages 63 yards per TD. **WR JEREMY MACLIN** had 5 catches for 101 yards in last meeting. **TE BRENT CELEK** had TD in last game vs. Was...**CB ASANTE SAMUEL** has NFL-best 39 INTs since 2006. **DE JASON BABIN** ties for 2nd in NFL with career-best 18 sacks. Has 8 sacks in past 4. **DE TRENT COLE** has 4 sacks in past 5 meetings. Had sack last week & has 10 sacks, his 3rd consecutive season with 10+. **DE JUQUA PARKER** has sack & 47-yard FR-TD in past 2 games.

**SAN FRANCISCO 49ERS (12-3) AT ST. LOUIS RAMS (2-13)****SERIES**

	<b><u>49ERS</u></b>	<b><u>RAMS</u></b>
<b>SERIES LEADER</b>		61-60-2
<b>STREAKS</b>	6 of past 7	
<b>COACHES VS. OPP.</b>	Harbaugh: 1-0	Spagnuolo: 1-4
<b>LAST WEEK</b>	W 19-17 at Seahawks	L 27-0 at Steelers
<b>LAST GAME</b>	12/4/11: Rams 0 at 49ers 26. San Francisco QB Alex Smith completes 17 of 23 passes (73.9 pct.) for 274 yards with 2 TDs for 142.3 passer rating in 49ers' shutout victory.	
<b>LAST GAME AT SITE</b>	12/26/10: Rams 25, 49ers 17. St. Louis outscores San Francisco 13-3 in 2nd half, including 3-yard TD pass from rookie QB Sam Bradford to WR Laurent Robinson.	
<b>BROADCAST</b>	FOX (12:00 PM CT): Chris Myers, Tim Ryan, Jennifer Hale (Field reporter). SIRIUS: 137 (SF), 117 (StL.). XM: 232 (StL.).	

**STATS**

<b>PASSING</b>	Ale. Smith: 253-415-61.0-16-5-90.1	Bradford: 191-357-2,164-6-6-70.5 <b><u>OR</u></b> Clemens: 34-60-320-1-0-77.1
<b>RUSHING</b>	Gore: 275-1,202 (2C)-4.4-8	S. Jackson: 244-1,069-4.4-5
<b>RECEIVING</b>	Crabtree: 64-788-12.3-2	Lloyd: 64-866-13.5-4
<b>OFFENSE</b>	310.2	281.7
<b>TAKE/GIVE</b>	+26 (1L)	-3
<b>DEFENSE</b>	308.1 (1C)	360.9
<b>SACKS</b>	Ald. Smith (R): 14	Long: 13
<b>INTs</b>	Goldson, Rogers: 6 (T2C)	Gordy: 3
<b>PUNTING</b>	Lee: 50.5 (1C)	D. Jones: 43.9
<b>KICKING</b>	Akers: 156 (1L) (30/30 PAT; 42/49 FG)	Jo. Brown: 72 (15/15 PAT; 19/26 FG)

**NOTES**

**49ERS: QB ALEX SMITH** has won 13 of past 16 starts. Is 5-1 in past 6 starts vs. StL. In last meeting, had 142.3 rating. 49ers are 10-0 when Smith starts & has 100+ rating. Needs 69 yards for 1st career 3,000-yard season...**RB FRANK GORE** has 1,202 rush yards, his 5th 1,000-yard season. Has 11 rush TDs in past 9 meetings. Since start of 2006, ranks 2nd in NFL with 9,274 scrimmage yards (7,008 rush, 2,266 rec.)...Since start of 2009, **TE VERNON DAVIS** has 26 rec. TDs, most among NFL TEs. Leads team with 6 rec. TDs. **WR MICHAEL CRABTREE** aims for 4th in row vs. StL with TD. In past 3 meetings, has 14 catches for 279 yards (93 per game) & 3 TDs. **WR KYLE WILLIAMS** had 56-yard TD catch in last game vs. StL...Have allowed NFL-low 202 points (13.5 per game). **DE JUSTIN SMITH** has started 170 consecutive games. **LB ALDON SMITH** leads NFL rookies with 14 sacks & needs 1 for most ever by rookie. Had 2 sacks in last meeting...**K DAVID AKERS** has 42 FGs, most in season in NFL history...**RAMS: QB SAM BRADFORD** has posted 100+ rating 3 times in career & Rams are 3-0. **QB KELLEN CLEMENS** had career-best 95.7 rating in last home start... **RB STEVEN JACKSON** rushed for 103 yards last week & reached 1,000 (1,069) for 7th consecutive season, longest streak in team history. Since 2006, averages 115 scrimmage yards per game (9,777 yards, 85 games), most in NFL (min. 50 games)...**WR BRANDON LLOYD** has 866 rec. yards & needs 134 to reach 1,000 for 2nd year in row. **WR BRANDON GIBSON** has 410 rec. yards & needs 90 for 2nd consecutive 500-yard season...**DE CHRIS LONG** has 10 sacks in past 9. Has sack in 7 of past 9. Has 4 sacks in past 3 vs. SF. **DE ROBERT QUINN** ranks 5th among NFC rookies with 5 sacks. **LB JAMES LAURINAITIS** has 8 sacks & 5 INTs since entering NFL in 2009. Is 1 of 3 LBs with 8+ sacks & 5+ INTs in that time. Has sack in 3 of past 4 vs. SF. **DE JAMES HALL** aims for 6th in row vs. SF with sack. Has 6 sacks in past 5 vs. SF.



**CAROLINA PANTHERS (6-9) AT NEW ORLEANS SAINTS (12-3)****SERIES**

	<b><u>PANTHERS</u></b>	<b><u>SAINTS</u></b>
<b>SERIES LEADER</b>	17-16	
<b>STREAKS</b>		4 of past 5
<b>COACHES VS. OPP.</b>	Rivera: 0-1	Payton: 5-6
<b>LAST WEEK</b>	W 48-16 vs. Buccaneers	W 45-16 vs. Falcons
<b>LAST GAME</b>	10/9/11: Saints 30 at Panthers 27. New Orleans RB Pierre Thomas catches game-winning 6-yard TD pass from QB Drew Brees with 50 seconds remaining in road victory.	
<b>LAST GAME AT SITE</b>	10/3/10: Saints 16, Panthers 14. New Orleans K John Carney converts 3 FGs, including game-winning 25-yarder with just under 4 minutes remaining.	
<b>BROADCAST</b>	FOX (12:00 PM CT): Joe Buck, Troy Aikman, Pam Oliver (Field reporter). SIRIUS: 138 (Car.), 125 (NO). XM: 229 (NO).	

**STATS**

<b>PASSING</b>	Newton (R): 295-492-3,893-20-16-85.0	Brees: 440-622-5,087 (1L)-41 (2L)-13-108.4 (2L)
<b>RUSHING</b>	D. Williams: 148-783-5.3-7	Sproles: 81-563-7.0-2
<b>RECEIVING</b>	S. Smith: 73-1,308 (3C)-17.9-6	Graham (TE): 91 (3L)-1,213-13.3-10 (3C)
<b>OFFENSE</b>	395.7 (3C)	457.1 (1L)
<b>TAKE/GIVE</b>	+2	-4
<b>DEFENSE</b>	361.7	372.9
<b>SACKS</b>	Johnson: 9	Harper: 7.5
<b>INTs</b>	Gamble, Martin: 3	P. Robinson: 3
<b>PUNTING</b>	Baker: 42.5	Morstead: 48.0 (2C)
<b>KICKING</b>	Mare: 105 (42/43 PAT; 21/27 FG)	Kasay: 138 (2L) (57/57 PAT; 27/33 FG)

**NOTES**

**PANTHERS**: **QB CAM NEWTON** has 34 total TDs (20 pass, 14 rush), most by rookie in NFL history. His 14 rush TDs most ever in season by QB. Has 3,893 pass yards, most by rookie. In last meeting, had 2 pass TDs & rush TD. Has pass TD & rush TD in 8 games, tied for most in season in NFL history...In past 4 meetings, **RB DE ANGELO WILLIAMS** has rushed for 528 yards (132 per game) & 4 TDs. Is averaging 45.3 yards per rush TD in those 4. Has 4 rush TDs in past 3. **RB JONATHAN STEWART** had 55-yard rec. TD in last game at NO, longest career catch. Has career-high 45 catches & 406 yards...**WR STEVE SMITH** is 3rd in NFC with 1,308 rec. yards & needs 92 to reach 1,400 for 3rd time. Leads NFL with 27 catches of 20+ yards. Had 54-yard TD in last meeting. **WR BRANDON LA FELL** had career-long 91-yard TD catch last week & 103 yards, 1st career 100-yard game. **TE GREG OLSEN** had TD catch in last game vs. NO...**DE CHARLES JOHNSON** has 17 sacks in past 22. Needs 1 sack to reach 10 for 2nd season in row...**SAINTS**: Have won 7 in row. Have team-record 6,857 total net yards...**QB DREW BREES** has NFL-record 5,087 pass yards & passed HOFer **DAN MARINO** (5,084). Has 12 300-yard pass games, most in season, incl. 6 in row, tied for most all-time. Has 20+ comp. in NFL-record 35 games in row. Has TD pass in 42 consecutive games, 2nd-longest streak in NFL history...**RB-PR-KR DARREN SPROLES** is 1st player in NFL history with 1,200+ scrimmage yards (1,244) & 1,200+ KR-PR yards (1,284). **RB PIERRE THOMAS** aims for 3rd in row vs. Car. with TD...**TE JIMMY GRAHAM** leads NFL TEs with 91 receptions & is 2nd with 1,213 yards. Can become 1st TE in NFL history with 95+ catches, 1,200+ yards & 10+ TDs in season. Graham (91) & Sproles (81) are 1st TE-RB duo in NFL history with 80+ catches each. **WR LANCE MOORE** has 5 TDs in past 5. **WR MARQUES COLSTON** has 998 yards & needs 2 to reach 1,000 for team-record 5th season...Since entering NFL in 2006, **S ROMAN HARPER** has 17 sacks, most by DB. Has 7.5 sacks & needs 1 for most by DB in season.

**SEATTLE SEAHAWKS (7-8) AT ARIZONA CARDINALS (7-8)****SERIES**

	<b><u>SEAHAWKS</u></b>	<b><u>CARDINALS</u></b>
<b>SERIES LEADER</b>		13-12
<b>STREAKS</b>	Past 3	4 of past 7
<b>COACHES VS. OPP.</b>	Carroll: 4-0	Whisenhunt: 5-4
<b>LAST WEEK</b>	L 19-17 vs. 49ers	L 23-16 at Bengals
<b>LAST GAME</b>	9/25/11: Cardinals 10 at Seahawks 13. Seattle QB Tarvaris Jackson scores on 11-yard TD run in 3rd quarter for decisive points as Seahawks defeat Arizona.	
<b>LAST GAME AT SITE</b>	11/14/10: Seahawks 36, Cardinals 18. Seattle scores 19 consecutive points to break 10-10 tie en route to victory. Seahawks WR Mike Williams has career-high 145 receiving yards.	
<b>BROADCAST</b>	FOX (2:15 PM MT): Sam Rosen, Chad Pennington, Jody Jackson (Field reporter). SIRIUS: 139 (Sea.), 112 (Arz.). XM: 233 (Arz.).	

**STATS**

<b>PASSING</b>	Jackson: 250-415-2,869-13-12-79.5	Kolb: 146-253-1,955-9-8-81.1 <b><u>OR</u></b> Skelton: 129-235-1,642-10-13-68.1
<b>RUSHING</b>	Lynch: 266-1,118-4.2-12 (T3L)	Wells: 245-1,047-4.3-10
<b>RECEIVING</b>	Baldwin (R): 48-748-15.6-4	Fitzgerald: 71-1,262-17.8-8
<b>OFFENSE</b>	299.6	320.3
<b>TAKE/GIVE</b>	+7	-12
<b>DEFENSE</b>	328.5 (3C)	354.2
<b>SACKS</b>	Clemons: 11	Campbell: 8
<b>INTs</b>	Browner: 6 (T2C)	3 tied: 2
<b>PUNTING</b>	Ryan: 46.8 (3C)	Zastudil: 45.1
<b>KICKING</b>	Hauschka: 101 (32/32 PAT; 23/27 FG)	Feely: 79 (31/31 PAT; 16/21 FG)

**NOTES**

**SEAHAWKS:** QB **TARVARIS JACKSON** has won 5 of past 7 starts. Is 2-0 vs. Arz. with 100.5 rating. Has 2,869 pass yards & needs 131 to reach 3,000 for 1st time...RB **MARSHAWN LYNCH** has scored TD in team-record 11 consecutive games. Since Week 9, has 855 rush yards, most in NFL. Has career-high 1,118 rush yards & 12 rush TDs. RB-KR **LEON WASHINGTON** has 7 career KR-TDs, 2nd most in NFL history...Undrafted WR **DOUG BALDWIN** is 2nd among NFC rookies with 748 rec. yards. Leads team in both & can be 1st undrafted rookie to lead his club in catches & rec. yards since 1960. Needs 24 yards to pass **JAMES JETT** (771 in 1993) for most by undrafted rookie since 1970...DE **CHRIS CLEMONS** has 11 sacks in past 14. Has 4 sacks in past 3 meetings & aims for 4th in row vs. Arz. with sack. Team ties for 2nd in NFL with 21 INTs. CB **BRANDON BROWNER** has 5 INTs in past 5. S **KAM CHANCELLOR** had INT & FF in last meeting...**CARDINALS:** QB **JOHN SKELTON** has won 5 of past 6 with 20+ pass att. QB **KEVIN KOLB** passed for 252 yards in only meeting...RB **BEANIE WELLS** has rushed for 1,047 yards & 10 TDs, 1st Cardinal to rush for 1,000+ yards & 10+ TDs in season...WR **LARRY FITZGERALD** has 1,262 yards, his franchise-record 5th consecutive & 6th career 1,000-yard season. Is averaging 17.8 yards per catch, which would be career-high (14.9 in 2008). Has 5 TDs in past 6 meetings. WR **ANDRE ROBERTS** aims for 5th in row with 6+ catches or TD. WR **EARLY DOUCET** had TD catch in last home game vs. Sea...Rookie CB-PR **PATRICK PETERSON** is 1st player in NFL history with 4 80+ yard PR-TDs in season. S **ADRIAN WILSON** is 1 of 5 S in NFL history with 20+ sacks (22.5) & 25+ INTs (26). Since start of 2007, DT **DARNELL DOCKETT** has 31.5 sacks, most by DT (incl. playoffs). DE **CALAIS CAMPBELL** had 2.5 sacks in last meeting & has 4.5 sacks in past 3 vs. Sea. Has career-high 8 sacks. LB **SAM ACHO** is 4th among NFC rookies with 6 sacks.

**TAMPA BAY BUCCANEERS (4-11) AT ATLANTA FALCONS (9-6)****SERIES**

	<b><u>BUCCANEERS</u></b>	<b><u>FALCONS</u></b>
<b>SERIES LEADER</b>	19-17	
<b>STREAKS</b>		5 of past 6
<b>COACHES VS. OPP.</b>	Morris: 1-4	Smith: 5-2
<b>LAST WEEK</b>	L 48-16 at Panthers	L 45-16 at Saints
<b>LAST GAME</b>	9/25/11: Falcons 13 at Buccaneers 16. Tampa Bay establishes 16-3 3rd-quarter lead & thwarts late Atlanta comeback attempt to secure division win.	
<b>LAST GAME AT SITE</b>	11/7/10: Falcons 27, Buccaneers 21. Atlanta RB Michael Turner rushes for 107 yards & 2 TDs in Falcons' victory.	
<b>BROADCAST</b>	FOX (4:15 PM ET): Dick Stockton, John Lynch, Jaime Maggio (Field reporter). SIRIUS: 136 (TB), 117 (Atl.). XM: 232 (Atl.).	

**STATS**

<b>PASSING</b>	Freeman: 315-506-3,318-14-19-74.9	Ryan: 341-557-4,071-27-12-90.7
<b>RUSHING</b>	Blount: 178-769-4.3-5	Turner: 284-1,168 (3C)-4.1-9
<b>RECEIVING</b>	Winslow (TE): 68-707-10.4-2	White: 96 (1C)-1,227-12.8-8
<b>OFFENSE</b>	320.9	373.2
<b>TAKE/GIVE</b>	-14	+6
<b>DEFENSE</b>	392.2	336.3
<b>SACKS</b>	Clayborn (R): 7.5	Abraham: 8.5
<b>INTs</b>	Barber: 3	DeCoud: 4
<b>PUNTING</b>	Koenen: 44.9	Bosher (R): 42.5
<b>KICKING</b>	Barth: 97 (22/2 PAT; 25/27 FG)	Bryant: 117 (39/39 PAT; 26/28 FG)

**NOTES**

**BUCCANEERS**: **QB JOSH FREEMAN** has 3,318 pass yards, 2nd consecutive 3,000-yard season. Needs 82 yards to become 1st TB QB with 3,400+ pass yards in consecutive seasons. When Freeman has 100+ rating, Bucs are 7-2... **RB LE GARRETTE BLOUNT** has 7 career 100-yard games. Has rushed for 184 yards (92 per game) & TD in past 2 meetings...**WR MIKE WILLIAMS** has TD in 2 of past 3 vs. Atl. Needs 1 reception for 2nd consecutive 65-catch season. **TE KELLEN WINSLOW** has catch in 91 games in row. Has 68 catches, his 5th season with 60+. **WR DEZMON BRISCOE** has career-high 4 rec. TDs. **WR ARRELIIOUS BENN** had TD catch last week....**CB RONDE BARBER** has started 198 consecutive games, most by CB in NFL history. Is only player in NFL annals with 25+ sacks (27) & 40+ INTs (43). Had INT in last game vs. Atl. **DE ADRIAN CLAYBORN** ties for 2nd among NFC rookies with 7.5 sacks. Had sack & FF in last meeting...**FALCONS**: **QB MATT RYAN** is 5-1 in past 6 starts vs. TB. Has completed 75 of 116 (64.7 pct.) for 917 yards with 8 TDs vs. 0 INTs for 111.9 rating in past 3. Falcons are 22-0 when Ryan has 100+ rating. Has 4,071 pass yards & needs 73 for club season record...Since joining Atl. in 2008, **RB MICHAEL TURNER** has 48 rush TDs, 2nd most in NFL. When he has 21+ att., his teams are 27-2 (.931). Has 1,168 rush yards & needs 132 to become 3rd Atl. RB with 3 1,300-yard seasons...**WR RODDY WHITE** aims for 3rd in row with 10+ catches & 125+ yards. Leads NFC with 96 catches & needs 4 for 2nd consecutive 100-catch season. Has 1,227 rec. yards, his team-record 5th consecutive 1,000-yard season. Since start of 2007, has 467 rec., most in NFC. Rookie **WR JULIO JONES** has 16 catches for 317 yards (105.7 per game) & 4 TDs in past 3. Needs 117 yards for 1,000-yard season. Has 5 100-yard rec. games. **TE TONY GONZALEZ** has 867 rec. yards & needs 133 for his 5th career 1,000-yard season, most by TE...**DE JOHN ABRAHAM** has 111 sacks, 2nd most among active players. Has 8.5 sacks & needs 1.5 for 7th career 10-sack season.

**BALTIMORE RAVENS (11-4) AT CINCINNATI BENGALS (9-6)****SERIES**

	<b><u>RAVENS</u></b>	<b><u>BENGALS</u></b>
<b>SERIES LEADER</b>	17-14	
<b>STREAKS</b>		3 of past 5
<b>COACHES VS. OPP.</b>	Harbaugh: 4-3	Lewis: 10-7
<b>LAST WEEK</b>	W 20-14 vs. Browns	W 23-16 vs. Cardinals
<b>LAST GAME</b>	11/20/11: Bengals 24 at Ravens 31. Baltimore RB Ray Rice rushes for 2 TDs & rookie WR Torrey Smith catches 6 passes for 165 yards & TD. Ravens' defense forces 3 INTs.	
<b>LAST GAME AT SITE</b>	9/19/10: Bengals 15, Ravens 10. Cincinnati's Mike Nugent kicks 5 FGs (36, 30, 46, 38, 25) & Bengals' defense forces 4 INTs in victory.	
<b>BROADCAST</b>	CBS (4:15 PM ET): Ian Eagle, Dan Fouts. SIRIUS: 134 (Bal.), 94 (Cin.). XM: 227 (Cin.).	

**STATS**

<b>PASSING</b>	Flacco: 297-523-3,480-19-12-79.7	Dalton (R): 278-472-3,166-20-13-81.8
<b>RUSHING</b>	Rice: 267-1,173 (3C)-4.4-10 (T1L)	Benson: 260-1,016-3.9-6
<b>RECEIVING</b>	Rice (RB): 74-696-9.4-3	Green (R): 63-1,031-16.4-7
<b>OFFENSE</b>	338.1	318.8
<b>TAKE/GIVE</b>	+1	+1
<b>DEFENSE</b>	285.7 (3L)	314.2
<b>SACKS</b>	Suggs: 13 (1C)	Atkins: 8
<b>INTs</b>	Webb: 5 (3C)	Nelson: 4
<b>PUNTING</b>	Koch: 46.5	Huber: 43.8
<b>KICKING</b>	Cundiff: 116 (35/35 PAT; 27/36 FG)	Nugent: 122 (3C) (32/33 PAT; 30/34 FG)

**NOTES**

**RAVENS:** Bal. seeks undefeated record in division for 1st time in franchise history...**QB JOE FLACCO** (3,480) needs 143 passing yards to surpass career-high of 3,622 in '10. Has 43-20 (.683) record as starter since entering NFL in '08. Ravens are 22-2 (.917) when Flacco has 100+ rating...**RB RAY RICE** leads NFL with 1,869 scrimmage yards in '11 & needs 131 scrimmage yards to reach 2,000 for 2nd time in career (2,041 in '09). Leads AFC RBs with 74 receptions. Needs 27 rush yards to reach 1,200 for 3rd straight season. **RB RICKY WILLIAMS** (9,981) needs 19 rush yards to become 26th player in NFL history to reach 10,000 career...**WR TORREY SMITH** had 6 rec. for 165 yards (27.5 avg.) with TD catch in only meeting vs. Cin...**TE ED DICKSON** had 2 TD rec. in past 2...Defense leads AFC w/ 47 sacks. Had 3 INTs in last game vs. Cin...**LB TERRELL SUGGS** (13) needs 2.5 sacks to surpass **PETER BOULWARE** (15 in '01) for most in season in Ravens history...**CB LARDARIUS WEBB** has career-best 5 INTs in '11...**BENGALS:** Club can clinch playoff berth with win. Has won 5 of past 6 at home vs. Bal...**QB ANDY DALTON** (20) is tied with HOFer **DAN MARINO** (1983) & **CAM NEWTON** (2011) for 3rd-most TD passes ever by rookie QB (**PEYTON MANNING**, 26 in '98; **CHARLIE CONERLY**, 22 in '48). Dalton (3,166) needs 275 passing yards to surpass **MATT RYAN** (3,440 in '08) for 4th-most by rookie in NFL history...**RB CEDRIC BENSON** (1,016) has rushed for 1,000 yards for 3rd season in row. Tied career-best w/ 2 rush TDs in last game vs. Bal...**WR A.J. GREEN** leads NFL rookies in catches (63), & needs 5 catches to surpass **CRIS COLLINSWORTH** (67 rec. in '81) for club rookie record. Green's 1,031 rec. yards are most by rookie in team history. Dalton & Green are 1st rookie duo in NFL history with 3,000+ passing yards & 1,000+ rec. yards...**TE JERMAINE GRESHAM** has career-high 6 TD rec. in '11...Defense had season-high 3 INTs last week...**DE JONATHAN FANENE** has 3 sacks in past 2...**DT GENO ATKINS** has career-best 8 sacks...**S REGGIE NELSON** has 2 INTs in past 3 games.

**PITTSBURGH STEELERS (11-4) AT CLEVELAND BROWNS (4-11)****SERIES**

	<b><u>STEELERS</u></b>	<b><u>BROWNS</u></b>
<b>SERIES LEADER</b>	61-56	
<b>STREAKS</b>	20 of past 22	
<b>COACHES VS. OPP.</b>	Tomlin: 8-1	Shurmur: 0-1
<b>LAST WEEK</b>	W 27-0 vs. Rams	L 20-14 at Ravens
<b>LAST GAME</b>	12/8/11: Browns 3 at Steelers 14. Pittsburgh QB Ben Roethlisberger passes for 280 yards & 2 TDs, including 79-yarder to WR Antonio Brown in 4th quarter, as Steelers improve to 10-3.	
<b>LAST GAME AT SITE</b>	1/2/11: Steelers 41, Browns 9. Pittsburgh RB Rashard Mendenhall rushes for 2 TDs & WR Mike Wallace catches 56-yard TD pass as Steelers score 27 unanswered points.	
<b>BROADCAST</b>	CBS (4:15 PM ET): Kevin Harlan, Solomon Wilcotts. SIRIUS: 135 (Pit.), 92 (Cle.). XM: 225 (Cle.).	

**STATS**

<b>PASSING</b>	Roethlisberger: 301-473-3,856 (3C)-21-14-91.5 (3C) <b><u>OR</u></b> C. Batch: 15-24-208-0-1-72.9	McCoy: 265-463-2,733-14-11-74.6 <b><u>OR</u></b> Wallace: 39-66-390-2-1-79.7
<b>RUSHING</b>	Mendenhall: 220-890-4.0-9 (T2C)	Hillis: 151-557-3.7-3
<b>RECEIVING</b>	Wallace: 71-1,182 (3C)-16.6-8 (T3C)	Little (R): 61-709-11.6-2
<b>OFFENSE</b>	373.1 (3C)	292.1
<b>TAKE/GIVE</b>	-12	0
<b>DEFENSE</b>	273.9 (1L)	330.5
<b>SACKS</b>	Harrison, Woodley: 9	Sheard (R): 7.5
<b>INTs</b>	Gay, Taylor: 2	Adams: 3
<b>PUNTING</b>	Kapinos: 45.0	Maynard: 40.7
<b>KICKING</b>	Suisham: 98 (35/35 PAT; 21/28 FG)	Dawson: 83 (20/20 PAT; 21/26 FG)

**NOTES**

**STEELERS:** Club is 10-2 (.833) at Cleveland since 1999...**QB BEN ROETHLISBERGER** (3,856) needs 144 passing yards to reach 4,000 for 2nd time in career (4,328 in '09). Aims for 80th career regular season win (79-34, .699). Has 13-1 record vs. Cle. **QB CHARLIE BATCH** is 5-2 as starter with Steelers. Batch is 1-0 as starter vs. Browns (11/13/05)...Last week, **RB RASHARD MENDENHALL** (29) surpassed HOFer **FRANCO HARRIS** (28) for most rushing TDs in 1st 4 seasons of career in franchise history...**WR MIKE WALLACE** (1,182) needs 18 receiving yards to reach 1,200 for 2nd consecutive season. In past 3 vs. Browns, Wallace is averaging 25.2 yards per catch (10 rec., 252 yards). **WR HINES WARD** (995) needs 5 catches to become 8th player in NFL history with 1,000 receptions...**WR ANTONIO BROWN** (1,018) recorded 1,000+ receiving yards for 1st time in career...Defense allows NFL-low in yards per game (273.9) & passing yards per game (172.2)...**LB LA MARR WOODLEY** has 3.5 sacks in past 3 vs. Cle...**S TROY POLAMALU** has 6 career INTs vs. Browns, most vs. any opponent...**BROWNS:** **QB COLT MC COY** (2,733) needs 267 passing yards to become 1st Browns QB since '07 to reach 3,000 yards in season (**DEREK ANDERSON**, 3,787). In 6 starts with Browns (since 2010), **QB SENECA WALLACE** has completed 100 of 164 passes (61 pct.) for 1,066 yards with 6 TDs vs. 3 INTs & 84.6 passer rating...**RB PEYTON HILLIS** is averaging 105.5 rush yards per game in past 2 (211 total)...Rookie **WR GREG LITTLE** (2nd round, No. 59) has 61 catches & needs 6 more to surpass **KEVIN JOHNSON** (66 in 1999) for Browns' rookie reception record...**TE EVAN MOORE** has career-best 4 TD receptions in 2011, tied for team-high (**JOSHUA CRIBBS**)...Rookie **DL JABAAL SHEARD** is tied for 3rd among NFL rookies with 7.5 sacks...**S MIKE ADAMS** had INT in last game against Steelers...**LB D'QWELL JACKSON** leads team with 145 tackles.

**KANSAS CITY CHIEFS (6-9) AT DENVER BRONCOS (8-7)****SERIES**

	<b><u>CHIEFS</u></b>	<b><u>BRONCOS</u></b>
<b>SERIES LEADER</b>	55-47	
<b>STREAKS</b>		4 of past 6
<b>COACHES VS. OPP.</b>	Crennel: 0-2	Fox: 3-0
<b>LAST WEEK</b>	L 16-13 (OT) vs. Raiders	L 40-14 at Bills
<b>LAST GAME</b>	11/13/11: Broncos 17 at Chiefs 10. Denver QB Tim Tebow scores rushing TD & throws 56-yard TD to WR Eric Decker as RB Lance Ball rushes for 96 yards in victory.	
<b>LAST GAME AT SITE</b>	11/14/10: Broncos 49, Chiefs 29. Denver QB Kyle Orton passes for 296 yards & career-high 4 TDs. Broncos rookie QB Tim Tebow also throws 1st career TD pass.	
<b>BROADCAST</b>	CBS (2:15 PM MT): Jim Nantz, Phil Simms. Westwood One Radio: Kevin Kugler, Mark Malone. SIRIUS: 132 (KC), 86 (Den.). XM: 228 (Den.).	

**STATS**

<b>PASSING</b>	Orton: 135-223-1,578-9-9-78.7	Tebow: 120-250-1,699-12-6-75.9
<b>RUSHING</b>	Battle: 149-597-4.0-2	McGahee: 221-1,054-4.8-4
<b>RECEIVING</b>	Bowe: 75-1,066-14.2-5	Decker: 43-607-14.1-8 (T3C)
<b>OFFENSE</b>	312.8	320.5
<b>TAKE/GIVE</b>	-3	-11
<b>DEFENSE</b>	337.8	362.9
<b>SACKS</b>	Hali: 12 (2C)	Miller (R): 11.5 (T3C)
<b>INTs</b>	Flowers: 4	Bailey, Goodman: 2
<b>PUNTING</b>	Colquitt: 45.8	Colquitt: 47.6
<b>KICKING</b>	Succop: 91 (19/19 PAT; 24/29 FG)	Prater: 84 (30/30 PAT; 18/24 FG)

**NOTES**

**CHIEFS:** QB **KYLE ORTON** started 33 games with Broncos & passed for 8,263 yards with 49 TDs vs. 27 INTs & 86.4 passer rating. In 2 starts with KC, Orton is averaging 229.5 passing yards per game. Posted 11th career 300-yard passing game of career last week. Has 102.7 passer rating in 4th quarter in past 2 starts...RB **THOMAS JONES** (10,549) needs 58 rush yards to surpass **RB JAMAL LEWIS** (10,607) for 21st-most rush yards in NFL history. **RB DEXTER MC CLUSTER** had career-high 89 rec. yards last week...WR **DWAYNE BOWE** (1,066) has reached 1,000 receiving yards for 2nd consecutive season & 3rd of career. Needs 97 rec. yards to surpass career-best of 1,162 in '10. Had career-high in rec. (13) & rec. yards (186) in last game at Den...LB **TAMBA HALI** (12) needs 2 sacks to join **NEIL SMITH** & Pro Football HOFer **DERRICK THOMAS** as only Chiefs to register 14+ sacks in 2 seasons...PR-CB **JAVIER ARENAS** leads AFC & ranks 3rd in NFL with 13.4 PR avg. Posted 2nd INT of career last week...**BRONCOS:** With win, club can reach postseason for 1st time since '05 season...QB **TIM TEBOW** is 7-3 as starter in '11 with 16 TDs (11 pass, 5 rushing). In 2 career games vs. KC, Tebow has 2 TDs vs. 0 INTs & 102.8 passer rating with 2 rush TDs...Club averages NFL-best 161.1 rush yards per game...RB **WILLIS MC GAHEE** (1,054) has totaled 1,000 rush yards in season for 4th time in career. **RB LANCE BALL** posted career-best 96 rush yards in last game vs. Chiefs...Since Week 13, WR **DEMARIUS THOMAS** is tied for NFL-best in rec. yards per game (103.5) with **CALVIN JOHNSON**. WR **ERIC DECKER** had career-long 56-yard TD catch in last game vs. KC...TE **DANIEL FELLS** posted 3rd TD reception of season last week, tying career-high (3 in '09 w/ StL)...Rookie LB **VON MILLER** leads AFC rookies & ranks 2nd among NFL rookies with 11.5 sacks (**ALDON SMITH**, 14). Miller needs sack to become 6th rookie to reach 12.5 since '82. Has most sacks by Denver rookie since sacks became official statistic in '82...LB **ELVIS DUMERVIL** aims for 9th straight game w/ at least 0.5 sack.

**SAN DIEGO CHARGERS (7-8) AT OAKLAND RAIDERS (8-7)****SERIES**

	<b><u>CHARGERS</u></b>	<b><u>RAIDERS</u></b>
<b>SERIES LEADER</b>		57-44-2
<b>STREAKS</b>	13 of past 16	Past 3
<b>COACHES VS. OPP.</b>	Turner: 7-4	Jackson: 1-0
<b>LAST WEEK</b>	L 38-10 at Lions	W 16-13 (OT) at Chiefs
<b>LAST GAME</b>	11/10/11: Raiders 24 at Chargers 17. Oakland Rookie WR Denarius Moore catches 2 TDs (33, 26) as RB Michael Bush rushes for 157 yards & TD for division lead.	
<b>LAST GAME AT SITE</b>	10/10/10: Raiders 35, Chargers 27. Bush rushes for 104 yards & scores go-ahead 3-yard TD run with 3:39 remaining in 4th quarter.	
<b>BROADCAST</b>	CBS (1:15 PM PT): Marv Albert, Rich Gannon. SIRIUS: 85 (SD), 93 (Oak.). XM: 226 (Oak.).	

**STATS**

<b>PASSING</b>	Rivers: 347-556-4,314 (2C)-24 (T2C)-19-86.6	Palmer: 171-285-2,336-11-15-77.2
<b>RUSHING</b>	Mathews: 222-1,091-4.9-6	Bush: 237-911-3.8-7
<b>RECEIVING</b>	Gates (TE): 59-672-11.4-6	Heyward-Bey: 55-845-15.4-3
<b>OFFENSE</b>	388.5 (2C)	370.1
<b>TAKE/GIVE</b>	-7	-4
<b>DEFENSE</b>	335.1	382.5
<b>SACKS</b>	Barnes: 11	Kelly: 7.5
<b>INTs</b>	Weddle: 7 (T1L)	Giordano, Routt: 4
<b>PUNTING</b>	Scifres: 47.5	Lechler: 50.7 (1L)
<b>KICKING</b>	Novak: 114 (36/37 PAT; 26/32 FG)	Janikowski: 115 (34/34 PAT; 27/31 FG)

**NOTES**

**CHARGERS:** Club has won 6 of past 7 at Oak...**QB PHILIP RIVERS** (4,314) needs 186 passing yards to join **DAN FOUTS** ('80-81), **WARREN MOON** ('90-91), **PEYTON MANNING** ('09-10) & **DREW BREES** ('10-11) as only players with 4,500+ passing yards in consecutive seasons...For career, Rivers is 25-3 (.893) as starter in Dec./Jan. Is 4-1 as starter at Oak. & has 7 TDs vs. 3 INTs & 95.9 passer rating...**RB RYAN MATHEWS** (1,091) reached 1,000 rush yards for 1st time in career. **RB MIKE TOLBERT** (19) needs 1 rush TD to reach 20 career...Last week, **TE ANTONIO GATES** (588) surpassed HOFer **CHARLIE JOINER** (586) for most catches in franchise history. Has 9 career TD catches vs. Raiders...**WR VINCENT JACKSON** (1,077) needs 91 rec. yards to surpass career-best of 1,167 in '09. **WR MALCOM FLOYD** averages 20.3 yards per catch in '11 (36 catches, 729 yards). Rookie **WR VINCENT BROWN** had career-best in catches (5) & receiving yards (97) in only meeting vs. Raiders...**LB SHAUN PHILLIPS** has 11.5 career sacks vs. Raiders, most vs. any team...**RAIDERS:** Club has won 10 of past 12 against AFC West opponents...In 4 career starts vs. SD, **QB CARSON PALMER** has completed 88 of 123 passes (71.5 pct.) for 1,322 yards with 11 TDs vs. 2 INTs & 129.5 passer rating. Palmer averages 333.3 passing yards per game at home as starter with Raiders...In last game vs. SD, **RB MICHAEL BUSH** had 242 scrimmage yards (157 rush, 85 rec.), most by Raider since '63 (**ART POWELL**, 247 on 12/22/63). Bush (911) needs 89 rush yards to reach 1,000 for 1st time in career...**WR DARRIUS HEYWARD-BEY** has career-best in catches (55), receiving yards (845) & TDs (3) in '11. Heyward-Bey is averaging 101 receiving yards per game in past 3. Rookie **WR DENARIUS MOORE** had 123 receiving yards & career-high 2 TD catches in only meeting vs. Chargers. Had career-long 61-yard TD reception last week...**LB KAMERION WIMBLEY** had career-high 4 sacks in last game against SD...**S MATT GIORDANO** has career-best 4 INTs in '11. Had INT against Chargers in Week 10.

**SUNDAY NIGHT**

**DALLAS COWBOYS (8-7) AT NEW YORK GIANTS (8-7)**

**SERIES**

	<b><u>COWBOYS</u></b>	<b><u>GIANTS</u></b>
<b>SERIES LEADER</b>	56-40-2	
<b>STREAKS</b>		5 of past 7
<b>COACHES VS. OPP.</b>	Garrett: 1-1	Coughlin: 11-8
<b>LAST WEEK</b>	L 20-7 vs. Eagles	W 29-14 at Jets
<b>LAST GAME</b>	12/11/11: Giants 37 at Cowboys 34. New York DE Jason Pierre-Paul blocks potential game-tying FG attempt in final seconds as Giants score 15 points in final 3:14 for comeback win.	
<b>LAST GAME AT SITE</b>	11/14/10: Cowboys 33, Giants 20. Dallas QB Jon Kitna passes for 327 yards & 3 TDs, including 71-yarder to RB Felix Jones. Cowboys CB Bryan McCann adds 101-yard INT-TD.	
<b>BROADCAST</b>	NBC (8:20 PM ET): Al Michaels, Cris Collinsworth, Michele Tafoya (Field reporter). Westwood One Radio: Dave Sims, James Lofton, Hub Arkush (Field reporter). SIRIUS: 94 (WW1), 92 (Dal.), 93 (NYG). XM: 227 (WW1), 225 (Dal.), 226 (NYG).	

**STATS**

<b>PASSING</b>	Romo: 317-485-3,895-29-9-102.2 (3C)	Manning: 335-556-4,587 (3C)-26-16-90.3
<b>RUSHING</b>	F. Jones: 116-545-4.7-1	Bradshaw: 155-602-3.9-8
<b>RECEIVING</b>	Witten (TE): 72-873-12.1-5	Cruz: 76-1,358 (3L)-17.9-8
<b>OFFENSE</b>	380.5	381.6
<b>TAKE/GIVE</b>	+6	+5
<b>DEFENSE</b>	336.9	381.5
<b>SACKS</b>	Ware: 18 (T2L)	Pierre-Paul: 15.5
<b>INTs</b>	Lee, Newman: 4	Webster: 6 (T2C)
<b>PUNTING</b>	McBriar: 43.8	Weatherford: 45.9
<b>KICKING</b>	Bailey (R): 133 (3L) (37/37 PAT; 32/36 FG)	Tynes: 93 (39/39 PAT; 18/22 FG)

**NOTES**

**WINNER** will be NFC East champ...**COWBOYS**: QB **TONY ROMO** has 3,895 pass yards & needs 105 to reach 4,000 for 3rd time in career. Is only Dal. QB with 4,000+ pass yards in season. In past 6 starts vs. NYG (min. 10 att.), has 112.4 rating & 100+ rating in 5 of those 6...**RB FELIX JONES** rushed for 106 yards in last meeting. In past 2 vs. NYG, has 273 scrimmage yards (136.5 per game) & TD...**TE JASON WITTEN** has 873 yards & needs 127 to reach 1,000 for 3rd consecutive season & 4th of career. **WR LAURENT ROBINSON** has 9 TDs in past 9. Had 4 catches for 137 yards (34.3 avg.) & TD in last meeting. **WR-PR DEZ BRYANT** has TD in 4 of past 6. Has 5 TDs (4 rec., 1 PR) in 3 games vs. NYG. **WR MILES AUSTIN** aims for 3rd meeting in row with TD...**LB DE MARCUS WARE** has 24 sacks in past 18. Since start of 2006, has 90 sacks, most in NFL. **SEAN LEE** has 4 INTs, tied for most by NFL LB...**GIANTS**: QB **ELI MANNING** has won 4 of past 5 meetings. Has franchise-record 4,587 yards. Has 14 TDs in 4th Q, tied for most ever in season. Had 400 pass yards in last meeting. Has 3 400-yard games, tied for NFL season record...**RB AHMAD BRADSHAW** had 2 TDs last week. **RB BRANDON JACOBS** rushed for 101 yards & 2 TDs in last meeting...**WR VICTOR CRUZ** has team-record 1,358 rec. yards. Had 3 catches for 164 yards (54.7 avg.) with 99-yard TD catch last week, tied for longest in NFL history. **WR HAKEEM NICKS** has 22 catches for 353 yards (117.7 per game) & 2 TDs in past 3 vs. Dal. Cruz (1,358) & Nicks (1,116) are 1st set of Giants to each record 1,000+ rec. yards in same season. **WR MARIO MANNINGHAM** aims for 4th in row vs. Dal. with TD...**DE JASON PIERRE-PAUL** has 20 sacks in past 21. Had 2 sacks, safety, FF & blocked FG in last meeting. **CB COREY WEBSTER** has career-high 6 INTs. **DT CHRIS CANTY** had sack & safety last week.