

## NEW ENGLAND PATRIOTS vs. JACKSONVILLE JAGUARS

## IMEDIA SCHEDILLE

| WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 23 |  |
| :---: | :---: |
| 9:45 a.m. | Media Check-In and Media Workroon |
| 9:45-10:00 a.m. | Patriots Head Coach Bill Belichick |
|  | Press Availability (Media Workroon) |
| 11:30 a.m.-12:15 p.m. | Media Availability [Open Locker Room |
|  | Patriots QB Tom Brady Press Avail |
| Approx. 12:15 p.m. | Media Meal Provided |
| Approx. 12:45 p.m. | Media Access to Practice (Upper Grass Fields Access limited until team drills begin] |
| Jacksonville Jaguars Conference Calls to New England |  |
| 0:30 a.m. | Jaguars head coach Gus Bradley [Media Workroom] |
| 20 p.m. | Jaguars player TBD |
|  | (Media Workroom) |

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 24
10:45 a.m.
11:30 a.m.-12:15 p.m.
Media Check-In and Media Workroom
Approx. 12:45 p.m. Media Availability (Open Locker Room) Media Access to Practice (Upper Grass Fields. Access limited until team drills begin.)
FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 25

10:30 a.m.
11-11:10 a.m.
Approx. 11:30 a.m.
Media Check-In and Media Workroom Patriots Head Coach Bill Belichick Press Availability (Media Workroom) Media Access to Practice (Upper Grass Fields. Access limited until team drills begin.]
$\frac{\text { SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER } 26}{\text { No media availability }}$

## SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 27

1:00 p.m. ET
Patriots vs. Jacksonville Jaguars

## 2015 PATRIOTS SCHEDULE

PREGULAR SEASON (2-0)

| Thurs., Sept. 10 | Pittsburgh | 28-21 | W |
| :--- | :---: | :--- | ---: |
| Sun., Sept. 20 | at Buffalo | $40-32$ | W |
| Sun., Sept. 27 | Jacksonville | $1: 00$ p.m. | CBS |
| Sun., Oct. 4 | BYE WEEK |  |  |
| Sun., Oct. 11 | at Dallas | $4: 25$ p.m. | CBS* |
| Sun., Oct. 18 | at Indianapolis | $8: 30$ p.m. | NBC* $^{*}$ |
| Sun., Oct. 25 | N.Y. Jets | $1: 00$ p.m. | CBS* |
| Thurs., Oct. 29 | Miami | $8: 25$ p.m. | CBS/NFLN |
| Sun., Nov. 8 | Washington | $1: 00$ p.m. | FOX* |
| Sun., Nov. 15 | at N.Y. Giants | $4: 25$ p.m. | CBS* |
| Mon., Nov. 23 | Buffalo | $8: 30$ p.m. | ESPN |
| Sun., Nov. 29 | at Denver | $8: 30$ p.m. | NBC* |
| Sun., Dec. 6 | Philadelphia | $4: 25$ p.m. | FOX* |
| Sun., Dec. 13 | at Houston | $1: 00$ p.m. | CBS* |
| Sun., Dec. 20 | Tennessee | $1: 00$ p.m. | CBS* |
| Sun., Dec. 27 | at N.Y. Jets | $1: 00$ p.m. | CBS* |
| Sun., Jan. 3 | at Miami | $1: 00$ p.m. | CBS* |

*Game time and network subject to possible flexible scheduling adjustment

## 2015 AFC EAST STANDINGS

TEAM
NEW ENGLAND
New York Jets Buffalo Bills Miami Dolphins

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| 1 | 1 | 0 | .500 | 59 | 54 |
| 1 | 1 | 0 | .500 | 37 | 33 |

## NEW ENGLAND PATRIOTS [2-0) vs. JACKSONVILLE JAGUARS [1-1]

 Sunday Sept. 27, $2015 \cdot$ Gillette Stadium $[66,829]$ •1:00 p.m. ETThe New England Patriots improved to a 2-0 following a 40-32 victory over the Buffalo Bills at Ralph Wilson Stadium on Sunday. Tom Brady followed a four-touchdown performance in the season opener vs. Pittsburgh with 466 yards passing and a three-touchdown game in the win against the Bills.

Brady enters this week's game against the Jacksonville Jaguars in fourth-place in NFL history with 399 career touchdowns and needs one more to join Peyton Manning [533], Brett Favre (508) and Dan Marino [420) as the only NFL players with 400 career touchdowns.

The Patriots will look to start the season with a 3-O record for the ninth time in team history and for the fifth time under head coach Bill Belichick. The Patriots started 3-0 in 1964, 1974, 1997, 1999, $2002,2004,2007$ and 2013.

The Jaguars are one of just four teams the Patriots own an undefeated regular-season home record (3-0] against. The Patriots are 4-0 against Baltimore, 4-0 against Chicago and $2-0$ against Houston.

## BROADCASTINFORMATION

TELEVISION: This week's game will be broadcast by CBS and can be seen locally on WBZTV Channel 4 in Boston. Kevin Harlan will handle play-by-play duties with Rich Gannon as the color analyst. The game will be produced by Ken Mack and directed by Mark Grant. NATIONAL RADIO: This week's game will be broadcast to a national audience on Sports USA. Larry Kahn and Hank Bauer will call the game. Troy West will work the sidelines. 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.

## BRADY APPROACHING 400 TDS

Tom Brady needs one more touchdown pass to become the fourth player in NFL history with 400 touchdown passes.
MOST CAREER TOUCHDOWN PASSES

| RANK | (regular season only) Bold indicates active players <br> NAME | TOUCHDOWNS |
| :--- | :--- | :---: |
| 1. | Peyton Manning | 533 |
| 2. | Brett Favre | 508 |
| 3. | Dan Marino | 420 |
| 4. | Tom Brady | 399 |
| 5. | Drew Brees | 398 |
| 6. | Fran Tarkenton | 342 |
| 7. | John Elway | 300 |
| 8. | Warren Moon | 291 |
| 9. | Johnny Unitas | 290 |
| 10. | Vinny Testaverde | 275 |

## WEEK 3 HIGHLIGHTS

PAGE 13: The Patriots and Tom Brady have had notable success against Jacksonville and several other teams,
PAGE 18 Rob Gronkowski is trying to become the second player in team history to reach the 60-touchdown plateau.
PAGE 22: Relive the Patriots vs. Jaguars 1996 AFC Championship Game.
PAGE 47: Gronkowski can reach 60 career TDs faster than any tight end in NFL history and become the fifth player at his position with 60 TDs.

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## 2015 DfFensive Statistics

## WON 2, LOST 0

09/10 W 28-21 09/20 W 40-32
09/27
10/11
10/18
10/25
10/29
11/08
11/15
11/23
11/29
12/06
12/13
12/20
Pittsburgh
at Buffalo
Jacksonville
at Dallas
at Indianapolis
New York Jets
Miami
Washington
at New York Giants
Buffalo
at Denver
Philadelphia
at Houston
Tennessee
12/27 at New York Jets 01/03 at Miami N.E.

TOTAL FIRS
Rushing
Passing
N.E.

Opp.

Penalty
3rd Down: Made/Att
3rd Down Pct.
4th Down: Made/Att
4th Down Pct.
POSSESSION AVG.
TOTAL NET YARDS
Avg. Per Game
Total Plays
Avg. Per Play
NET YARDS RUSHING
Avg. Per Game
Total Rushes
NET YARDS PASSING
Avg. Per Game
Sacked/Yards Lost
Gross Yards
Att./Completions
Completion Pct.
Had Intercepted
PUNTS/AVERAGE
NET PUNTING AVG.
PENALTIES/YARDS
FUMBLES/BALL LOST
10/21
7. 6
$0 / 2$
0.0
28:56
868
$434.0 \quad 406.5$

134
6.5

136
$68.0 \quad 147.0$

732
366.0

4/22
754
91/63
$\begin{array}{cc}69.2 & 72.1 \\ 0 & 4\end{array}$
5/49.0
5/41. 6
18/183
TOUCHDOWNS

## Rushing

Passing
 OPPONENTS


## 2015 Defensive Statistics

Tackle Statistics based on Play-by-Play

| PLAYER |  | KLE |  |  | SACKS |  |  | TERC | PTIO |  |  |  | LES |  |  |  | TEA |  |  |
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| Name | TT | UT | A | S | Yds | QH | Int | Yds | TD | PD | FF | FR | Yds | TD | $\pi$ | UT | A | FF | FR |
| Dont'a Hightower | 21 | 16 | 5 | 1.5 | 9.5 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Jamie Collins | 15 | 12 | 3 | 2.5 | 12.5 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Malcolm Butler | 11 | 7 | 4 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0 | 1 | 9 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Devin McCourty | 11 | 8 | 3 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Bradley Fletcher | 10 | 7 | 3 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Chandler Jones | 9 | 6 | 3 | 3.0 | 26.0 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Patrick Chung | 8 | 5 | 3 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Tarell Brown | 8 | 6 | 2 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Rob Ninkovich | 7 | 6 | 1 | 1.0 | 6.0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Jabaal Sheard | 5 | 4 | 1 | 1.0 | 7.0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Logan Ryan | 4 | 3 | 1 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Duron Harmon | 3 | 2 | 1 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0 | 2 | 20 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Sealver Siliga | 3 | 3 | 0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Alan Branch | 3 | 3 | 0 | 1.0 | 5.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Malcom Brown | 3 | 2 | 1 | 1.0 | 8.0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Jerod Mayo | 3 | 2 | 1 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Geneo Grissom | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Rufus Johnson | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Jonathan Freeny | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Ryan Allen | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Dekoda Watson | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Matthew Slater | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Nate Ebner | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
|  | 127 | 94 | 33 | 11.0 | 74.0 | 15 | 4 | 29 | 0 | 4 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 7 | 5 | 2 | 0 | 0 |


| FUMBLES - LOST (3-2) |  |  |  |  |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | No. | Lost | Rec | O.B. |
| Tom Brady | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Rob Gronkowski | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Dion Lewis | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
|  | $\mathbf{3}$ | $\mathbf{2}$ | $\mathbf{1}$ | $\mathbf{0}$ |


| MISC. OFFENSIVE STATS |  |  |  |  |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | TkI | Ast | FF | FR |
| Tom Brady | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Josh Kline | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
|  | $\mathbf{2}$ | $\mathbf{0}$ | $\mathbf{0}$ | $\mathbf{0}$ |


|  | 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 |
|  |  | P |  |
|  |  |  |  |
| Totals | 0 | $\mathbf{0}$ | $\mathbf{0}$ |



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

| 2015 OFFENSIVE STARTERS BY GAME |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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| Date Opponent | WR | LT | LG | C | RG | RT | TE | WR | QB | RB | TE |
| 09/10 Pittsburgh | D. Amendola | N. Solder | J. Kline | D. Andrews | T. Jackson | S. Vollmer | R. Gronkowski | J. Edelman | T. Brady | D. Lewis | S. Chandler |
| 09/20 at Buffalo | D. Amendola | N. Solder | S. Mason | D. Andrews | J. Kline | S. Vollmer | R. Gronkowski | J. Edelman | T. Brady | D. Lewis | A. Dobson (WR) |
| 09/27 Jacksonville |  |  | +18 | 1906\% |  | - |  | J. |  | th ${ }^{\text {a }}$ |  |
| 10/11 at Indianapolis |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 10/18 at Dallas | Cado |  | 6 | 286 | 36 | 80 | 275 6 | Sprict | 1 | 0 | (293se |
| 10/25 N.Y. Jets |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 10/29 Miami |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 11/08 Washington |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 11/15 at N.Y. Giants |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 11/23 Buffalo |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 11/29 at Denver |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 12/06 Philadelphia |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 12/13 at Houston |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 12/20 Tennessee |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 12/27 at N.Y. Jets |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 01/03 at Miami |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  | 201 | FENSIVE | ARTERS BY | ME |  |  |  |  |
| Date Opponent | LE | DT | DT | RE | LB | LB | LB | LCB | RCB | S | S |
| 09/10 Pittsburgh | R. Ninkovich | D. Easley | M. Brown | Cha. Jones | J. Collins | D. Hightower | D. Harmon (DB) | M. Butler | T. Brown | D. McCourty | P. Chung |
| 09/20 at Buffalo | R. Ninkovich | A. Branch | S. Siliga | Cha. Jones | J. Collins | D. Hightower | J. Mayo | M. Butler | T. Brown | D. McCourty | P. Chung |
| 09/27 Jacksonville |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 10/11 at Indianapolis |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 10/18 at Dallas |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 10/25 N.Y. Jets |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 10/29 Miami |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 11/08 Washington |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 11/15 at N.Y. Giants |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 11/23 Buffalo |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 11/29 at Denver |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 12/06 Philadelphia |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 12/13 at Houston |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 12/20 Tennessee |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 12/27 at N.Y. Jets |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 01/03 at Miami |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |



## 2015 NEW England Patriots Roster

| \# | NAME | POS | HT | WT | BORN | YR | COLLEGE | H.S. HOMETOWN |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 6 | Allen, Ryan | P | 6-2 | 220 | 2/28/1990 | 3 | Louisiana Tech | Salem, Ore. |
| 80 | Amendola, Danny | WR | 5-11 | 190 | 11/2/1985 | 7 | Texas Tech | The Woodlands, Texas |
| 60 | Andrews, David | C | 6-3 | 295 | 7/10/1992 | R | Georgia | Johns Creek, Ga. |
| 29 | Blount, LeGarrette | RB | 6-0 | 250 | 12/5/1986 | 6 | Oregon | Perry, Fla. |
| 38 | Bolden, Brandon | RB | 5-11 | 220 | 1/26/1990 | 4 | Mississippi | Baton Rouge, La. |
| 12 | Brady, Tom | QB | 6-4 | 225 | 8/3/1977 | 16 | Michigan | San Mateo, Calif. |
| 97 | Branch, Alan | DL | 6-6 | 350 | 12/29/1984 | 9 | Michigan | Rio Ranch. N.M. |
| 90 | Brown, Malcom | DL | 6-2 | 320 | 2/2/1994 | R | Texas | Brenham, Texas |
| 25 | Brown, Tarell | CB | 5-11 | 190 | 1/6/1985 | 8 | Texas | Mesquite, Texas |
| 21 | Butler, Malcolm | CB | 5-11 | 190 | 3/2/1990 | 2 | West Alabama | Vicksburg, Miss. |
| 39 | Cadet, Travaris | RB | 6-1 | 210 | 2/1/1989 | 4 | Appalachian State | Miami, Fla. |
| 61 | Cannon, Marcus | OL | 6-5 | 335 | 5/6/1988 | 5 | Texas Christian | Odessa, Texas |
| 49 | Cardona, Joe | LS | 6-3 | 245 | 4/16/1992 | R | Navy | El Cajon, Calif. |
| 88 | Chandler, Scott | TE | 6-7 | 260 | 7/23/1985 | 8 | lowa | Southlake, Texas |
| 23 | Chung, Patrick | S | 5-11 | 215 | 8/19/1987 | 7 | Oregon | Racho Cucamonga, Calif. |
| 22 | Coleman, Justin | DB | 5-11 | 188 | 3/27/1993 | R | Tennessee | Brunswick, Ga. |
| 91 | Collins, Jamie | LB | 6-3 | 250 | 10/20/1989 | 3 | Southern Mississippi | McCall Creek, Miss. |
| 17 | Dobson, Aaron | WR | 6-3 | 205 | 7/23/1991 | 3 | Marshall | Dunbar, W.V. |
| 99 | Easley, Dominique | DL | 6-2 | 285 | 4/28/1992 | 2 | Florida | Staten Island, N.Y. |
| 43 | Ebner, Nate | DB | 6-0 | 220 | 12/14/1988 | 4 | Ohio State | Dublin, Ohio |
| 11 | Edelman, Julian | WR | 5-10 | 200 | 5/22/1986 | 7 | Kent State | Redwood City, Calif. |
| 24 | Fletcher, Bradley | CB | 6-0 | 205 | 6/25/1986 | 7 | lowa | Youngstown, Ohio |
| 98 | Flowers, Trey | DL | 6-2 | 265 | 8/16/1993 | R | Arkansas | Huntsville, Al. |
| 55 | Freeny, Jonathan | LB | 6-2 | 255 | 6/15/1989 | 4 | Rutgers | Coconut Creek, Fla. |
| 10 | Garoppolo, Jimmy | QB | 6-2 | 225 | 11/2/1991 | 2 | Eastern Illinois | Arlington, III. |
| 3 | Gostkowski, Stephen | K | 6-1 | 215 | 1/28/1984 | 10 | Memphis | Madison, Miss. |
| 92 | Grissom, Geneo | DL | 6-4 | 265 | 6/4/1992 | R | Oklahoma | Hutchinson, Kan. |
| 87 | Gronkowski, Rob | TE | 6-6 | 265 | 5/14/1989 | 6 | Arizona | Pittsburgh, Pa. |
| 30 | Harmon, Duron | DB | 6-1 | 205 | 1/24/1991 | 3 | Rutgers | Magnolia, Del. |
| 54 | Hightower, Dont'a | LB | 6-3 | 265 | 3/12/1990 | 4 | Alabama | Lewisburg, Tenn. |
| 47 | Hoomanawanui, Michael | TE | 6-4 | 265 | 7/4/1988 | 6 | Illinois | Bloomington, Ill. |
| 63 | Jackson, Tre' | G | 6-4 | 320 | 12/14/1992 | R | Florida State | Jesup, Ga. |
| 59 | Johnson, Rufus | LB | 6-5 | 280 | 8/28/1990 | 1 | Tarleton State | Dallas, Texas |
| 95 | Jones, Chandler | DE | 6-5 | 265 | 2/27/1990 | 4 | Syracuse | Endicott, N.Y. |
| 67 | Kline, Josh | OL | 6-3 | 300 | 12/29/1989 | 3 | Kent State | Mason, Ohio |
| 33 | Lewis, Dion | RB | 5-8 | 195 | 9/27/1990 | 4 | Pittsburgh | Blairstown, N.J. |
| 82 | Martin, Keshawn | WR | 5-11 | 194 | 3/15/1990 | 4 | Michigan State | Westland, Mich. |
| 69 | Mason, Shaq | OL | 6-1 | 310 | 8/28/1993 | R | Georgia Tech | Columbia, Tenn. |
| 51 | Mayo, Jerod | LB | 6-1 | 250 | 2/23/1986 | 8 | Tennessee | Hampton, Va. |
| 32 | McCourty, Devin | DB | 5-10 | 195 | 8/13/1987 | 6 | Rutgers | Montvale, N.J. |
| 50 | Ninkovich, Rob | DE | 6-2 | 260 | 2/1/1984 | 10 | Purdue | Blue Island, III. |
| 37 | Richards, Jordan | DB | 5-11 | 210 | 1/21/1993 | R | Stanford | Folsom, Calif. |
| 26 | Ryan, Logan | CB | 5-11 | 195 | 2/9/1991 | 3 | Rutgers | Voorhees, N.J. |
| 93 | Sheard, Jabaal | DL | 6-3 | 260 | 5/10/1989 | 5 | Pittsburgh | Hollywood, Fla. |
| 96 | Siliga, Sealver | DL | 6-2 | 325 | 4/26/1990 | 4 | Utah | West Jordan, Utah |
| 18 | Slater, Matthew | WR | 6-0 | 205 | 9/9/1985 | 8 | UCLA | Anaheim, Calif. |
| 77 | Solder, Nate | T | 6-8 | 325 | 4/12/1988 | 5 | Colorado | Buena Vista, Colo. |
| 76 | Vollmer, Sebastian | T | 6-8 | 325 | 7/10/1984 | 7 | Houston | Kaarst, Germany |
| 53 | Watson, Dekoda | LB | 6-2 | 245 | 3/3/1988 | 6 | Florida State | Aiken, S.C. |
| 62 | Wendell, Ryan | OL | 6-2 | 300 | 3/4/1986 | 7 | Fresno State | Pomona, Calif. |
| 28 | White, James | RB | 5-10 | 205 | 2/3/1992 | 2 | Wisconsin | Ft. Lauderdale, Fla. |
| 85 | Williams, Michael | TE | 6-6 | 304 | 9/8/1990 | 2 | Alabama | Reform, Ala. |
| 27 | Wilson, Tavon | DB | 6-0 | 215 | 3/19/1990 | 4 | Illinois | Washington, D.C. |

## NUMERICAL ROSTER

| \# | NAME | POS |
| :--- | :--- | :---: |
| 3 | Stephen Gostkowski | K |
| 6 | Ryan Allen | P |
| 10 | Jimmy Garoppolo | QB |
| 11 | Julian Edelman | WR |
| 12 | Tom Brady | QB |
| 17 | Aaron Dobson | WR |
| 18 | Matthew Slater | WR |
| 21 | Malcolm Butler | CB |
| 22 | Justin Coleman | DB |
| 23 | Patrick Chung | S |
| 24 | Bradley Fletcher | CB |
| 25 | Tarell Brown | CB |
| 26 | Logan Ryan | CB |
| 27 | Tavon Wilson | DB |
| 28 | James White | RB |
| 29 | LeGarrette Blount | RB |
| 30 | Duron Harmon | DB |
| 32 | Devin McCourty | DB |
| 33 | Dion Lewis | RB |
| 37 | Jordan Richards | DB |
| 38 | Brandon Bolden | RB |
| 39 | Travaris Cadet | RB |
| 43 | Nate Ebner | DB |
| 47 | Michael Hoomanawanui | TE |
| 49 | Joe Cardona | LS |
| 50 | Rob Ninkovich | DE |
| 51 | Jerod Mayo | LB |
| 53 | Dekoda Watson | LB |
| 54 | Donta Hightower | LB |
| 55 | Jonathan Freeny | LB |
| 59 | Rufus Johnson | LB |
| 60 | David Andrews | C |
| 61 | Marcus Cannon | OL |
| 62 | Ryan Wendell | OL |
| 63 | Tre' Jackson | G |
| 67 | Josh Kline | OL |
| 69 | Shaq Mason | OL |
| 76 | Sebastian Vollmer | T |
| 77 | Nate Solder | T |
| 80 | Danny Amendola | WR |
| 82 | Keshawn Martin | WR |
| 85 | Michael Williams | TE |
| 87 | Rob Gronkowski | TE |
| 88 | Scott Chandler | TE |
| 90 | Malcom Brown | DL |
| 91 | Jamie Collins | LB |
| 92 | Geneo Grissom | DL |
| 93 | Jabaal Sheard | DL |
| 95 | Chandler Jones | DE |
| 96 | Sealver Siliga | DL |
| 97 | Alan Branch | DL |
| 98 | Trey Flowers | DL |
| 99 | Dominique Easley | DL |
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PRACTICE SQUAD

| \# | NAME | POS | HT | WT | BORN | YR | COLLEGE | H.S. HOMETOWN |
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| 64 | Barker, Chris | OL | $6-2$ | 300 | $8 / 3 / 1990$ | 2 | Nevada | Etiwanda, Calif. |
| 68 | Clausell, Blaine | OL | $6-6$ | 339 | $1 / 31 / 1992$ | R | Mississippi State | Mobile, Ala. |
| 44 | Cleveland, Asante | TE | $6-5$ | 260 | $3 / 21 / 1992$ | 2 | Miami (Fla.) | Sacramento, Calif. |
| 71 | Fleming, Cameron | OL | $6-6$ | 320 | $9 / 3 / 1992$ | 2 | Stanford | Houston, Texas |
| 58 | Fleming, Darius | LB | $6-2$ | 250 | $7 / 19 / 989$ | 4 | Notre Dame | Chicago, Ill. |
| 14 | Harper, Chris | WR | $5-11$ | 185 | $12 / 7 / 1993$ | R | California | Encino, Calif. |
| 36 | King, Brandon | LB | $6-2$ | 220 | $6 / 8 / 1993$ | R | Auburn | Alabaster, Ala. |
| 45 | Martin, Eric | LB | $6-2$ | 250 | $7 / 21 / 1991$ | 3 | Nebraska | Moreno Valley, Calif. |
| 15 | Thompkins, Kenbrell | WR | $6-1$ | 195 | $7 / 29 / 1988$ | 3 | Cincinnati | Miami, Fla. |
| 74 | Thornton, Khyri | DL | $6-3$ | 315 | $11 / 21 / 1989$ | 2 | Southern Mississippi | Panama City, Fla. |

RESERVE/P.U.P

| \# | NAME | POS | HT | WT | BORN | YR | COLLEGE |
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| RESERVE/INJURED LIST |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | POS |
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| \# | NAME | WT | BORN | YR | COLLEGE | H.S. HOMETOWN |  |  |
| 86 | Derby, AJ | TE | $6-5$ | 255 | $9 / 20 / 1991$ | R | Arkansas | Iowa City, Iowa |
| 46 | Develin, James | FB | $6-3$ | 255 | $7 / 23 / 1988$ | 3 | Brown | Gilbertsville, Pa. |
| 36 | Gaffney, Tyler | RB | $6-0$ | 220 | $4 / 20 / 1991$ | 2 | Stanford | San Diego, Calif. |
| 13 | Gibson, Brandon | WR | $6-0$ | 210 | $8 / 13 / 1987$ | 7 | Washington State | Puyallup, Wash. |
| 28 | Roberts, Darryl | DB | $6-0$ | 190 | $11 / 26 / 1990$ | R | Marshall | Lakeland, Fla. |
| ${ }^{*} 66$ | Stork, Bryan | C | $6-4$ | 310 | $11 / 15 / 1990$ | 2 | Florida State | Vero Beach, Fla. |
| 84 | Tyms, Brian | WR | $6-3$ | 205 | $2 / 21 / 1989$ | 3 | Florida A\&M | Ft. Lauderdale, Fla. |

PRACTICE SQUAD

| \# | NAME | POS |
| :---: | :--- | :---: |
| 14 | Chris Harper | WR |
| 15 | Kenbrell Thompkins | WR |
| 36 | Brandon King | LB |
| 44 | Asante Cleveland | TE |
| 45 | Eric Martin | LB |
| 58 | Darius Fleming | LB |
| 64 | Chris Barker | OL |
| 68 | Blaine Clausell | OL |
| 71 | Cameron Fleming | OL |
| 74 | Khyri Thornton | DL |

RESERVE/P.U.P

| \# | NAME | POS |
| :---: | :--- | :---: |
| 19 | Brandon LaFell | WR |
| 52 | Dane Fletcher | LB |
| 94 | Chris Jones | DT |

RESERVE/INJURED LIST

| \# | NAME | POS |
| :---: | :--- | :---: |
| 13 | Brandon Gibson | WR |
| 28 | Darryl Roberts | DB |
| 36 | Tyler Gaffney | RB |
| 46 | James Develin | FB |
| $* 66$ | Bryan Stork | C |
| 84 | Brian Tyms | WR |
| 86 | AJ Derby | TE |

## HEAD COACH: BILL BELICHICK

ASSISTANTS: Josh Boyer, Cornerbacks; Moses Cabrera, Assistant Strength and Conditioning; Brian Daboll, Tight Ends; Brendan Daly, Defensive Line; Dave DeGuglielmo, Offensive Line;

| 3 Stephen Gostkowski | K | 6-1 | 215 | 31 | 10 | Memphis | D4b-06 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 6 Ryan Allen | P | 6-2 | 220 | 25 | 3 | Louisiana Tech | FA-13 |
| 10 Jimmy Garoppolo | QB | 6-2 | 225 | 23 | 2 | Eastern Illinois | D2-14 |
| 11 Julian Edelman | WR | 5-10 | 200 | 29 | 7 | Kent State | D7a-09 |
| 12 Tom Brady | QB | 6-4 | 225 | 38 | 16 | Michigan | D6b-00 |
| 17 Aaron Dobson | WR | 6-3 | 205 | 24 | 3 | Marshall | D2b-13 |
| 18 Matthew Slater | WR | 6-0 | 205 | 30 | 8 | UCLA | D5-08 |
| 21 Malcolm Butler | CB | 5-11 | 190 | 25 | 2 | West Alabama | FA-14 |
| 22 Justin Coleman | DB | 5-11 | 188 | 22 | R | Tennessee | FA-15 |
| 23 Patrick Chung | S | 5-11 | 215 | 28 | 7 | Oregon | FA-13 |
| 24 Bradley Fletcher | CB | 6-0 | 205 | 29 | 7 | Iowa | UFA(PHI)-15 |
| 25 Tarell Brown | CB | 5-11 | 190 | 30 | 8 | Texas | FA-15 |
| 26 Logan Ryan | CB | 5-11 | 195 | 24 | 3 | Rutgers | D3a-13 |
| 27 Tavon Wilson | DB | 6-0 | 215 | 25 | 4 | Illinois | D2-12 |
| 28 James White | RB | 5-10 | 205 | 23 | 2 | Wisconsin | D4b-14 |
| 29 LeGarrette Blount | RB | 6-0 | 250 | 28 | 6 | Oregon | FA-14 |
| 30 Duron Harmon | DB | 6-1 | 205 | 24 | 3 | Rutgers | D3b-13 |
| 32 Devin McCourty | DB | 5-10 | 195 | 28 | 6 | Rutgers | D1-10 |
| 33 Dion Lewis | RB | 5-8 | 195 | 24 | 4 | Pittsburgh | FA-15 |
| 37 Jordan Richards | DB | 5-11 | 210 | 22 | R | Stanford | D2-15 |
| 38 Brandon Bolden | RB | 5-11 | 220 | 25 | 4 | Mississippi | FA-12 |
| 39 Travaris Cadet | RB | 6-1 | 210 | 26 | 4 | Appalachian State | FA-15 |
| 43 Nate Ebner | DB | 6-0 | 220 | 26 | 4 | Ohio State | D6-12 |
| 47 Michael Hoomanawanui | TE | 6-4 | 265 | 27 | 6 | Illinois | FA-12 |
| 49 Joe Cardona | LS | 6-3 | 245 | 23 | R | Navy | D5-15 |
| 50 Rob Ninkovich | DE | 6-2 | 260 | 31 | 10 | Purdue | FA-09 |
| 51 Jerod Mayo | LB | 6-1 | 250 | 29 | 8 | Tennessee | D1-08 |
| 53 Dekoda Watson | LB | 6-2 | 245 | 27 | 6 | Florida State | FA-15 |
| 54 Dont'a Hightower | LB | 6-3 | 265 | 25 | 4 | Alabama | D1b-12 |
| 55 Jonathan Freeny | LB | 6-2 | 255 | 26 | 4 | Rutgers | FA-15 |
| 59 Rufus Johnson | LB | 6-5 | 280 | 25 | 1 | Tarleton State | FA-15 |
| 60 David Andrews | C | 6-3 | 295 | 23 | R | Georgia | FA-15 |
| 61 Marcus Cannon | OL | 6-5 | 335 | 27 | 5 | Texas Christian | D5a-11 |
| 62 Ryan Wendell | OL | 6-2 | 300 | 29 | 7 | Fresno State | FA-08 |
| 63 Tre' Jackson | G | 6-4 | 320 | 22 | R | Florida State | D4b-15 |
| 67 Josh Kline | OL | 6-3 | 300 | 25 | 3 | Kent State | FA-13 |
| 69 Shaq Mason | OL | 6-1 | 310 | 22 | R | Georgia Tech | D4c-15 |
| 76 Sebastian Vollmer | T | 6-8 | 325 | 31 | 7 | Houston | D2d-09 |
| 77 Nate Solder | T | 6-8 | 325 | 27 | 5 | Colorado | D1-11 |
| 80 Danny Amendola | WR | 5-11 | 190 | 29 | 7 | Texas Tech | UFA(STL)-13 |
| 82 Keshawn Martin | WR | 5-11 | 194 | 25 | 4 | Michigan State | TR (HOU)-15 |
| 85 Michael Williams | TE | 6-6 | 304 | 25 | 2 | Alabama | TR (DET)-15 |
| 87 Rob Gronkowski | TE | 6-6 | 265 | 26 | 6 | Arizona | D2a-10 |
| 88 Scott Chandler | TE | 6-7 | 260 | 30 | 8 | Iowa | FA-15 |
| 90 Malcom Brown | DL | 6-2 | 320 | 21 | R | Texas | D1-15 |
| 91 Jamie Collins | LB | 6-3 | 250 | 25 | 3 | Southern Mississippi | D2a-13 |
| 92 Geneo Grissom | DL | 6-4 | 265 | 23 | R | Oklahoma | D3-15 |
| 93 Jabaal Sheard | DL | 6-3 | 260 | 26 | 5 | Pittsburgh | UFA(CLE)-15 |
| 95 Chandler Jones | DE | 6-5 | 265 | 25 | 4 | Syracuse | D1a-12 |
| 96 Sealver Siliga | DL | 6-2 | 325 | 25 | 4 | Utah | FA-13 |
| 97 Alan Branch | DL | 6-6 | 350 | 30 | 9 | Michigan | FA-14 |
| 98 Trey Flowers | DL | 6-2 | 265 | 22 | R | Arkansas | D4a-15 |
| 99 Dominique Easley | DL | 6-2 | 285 | 23 | 2 | Florida | D1-14 |


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| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 14 Chris Harper | WR | 5-11 | 185 | 21 | R | California | FA-15 |
| 15 Kenbrell Thompkins | WR | 6-1 | 195 | 27 | 3 | Cincinnati | FA-15 |
| 36 Brandon King | LB | 6-2 | 220 | 22 | R | Auburn | FA-15 |
| 44 Asante Cleveland | TE | 6-5 | 260 | 23 | 2 | Miami (Fla.) | TR (SF)-15 |
| 45 Eric Martin | LB | 6-2 | 250 | 24 | 3 | Nebraska | FA-14 |
| 58 Darius Fleming | LB | 6-2 | 250 | 26 | 4 | Notre Dame | FA-14 |
| 64 Chris Barker | OL | 6-2 | 300 | 25 | 2 | Nevada | CW (MIA)-13 |
| 68 Blaine Clausell | OL | 6-6 | 339 | 23 | R | Mississippi State | FA-15 |
| 71 Cameron Fleming | OL | 6-6 | 320 | 23 | 2 | Stanford | D4c-14 |
| 74 Khyri Thornton | DL | 6-3 | 315 | 25 | 2 | Southern Mississippi | CW(GB)-15 |

RESERVE/P.U.P.

| \# NAME | POS | HT | WT | AGE | YR | COLLEGE | (IR date) |
| :--- | :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 19 Brandon LaFell | WR | $6-3$ | 210 | 28 | 6 | Louisiana State | UFA(CAR)-14 |
| 52 Dane Fletcher | LB | $6-2$ | 245 | 29 | 6 | Montana State | UFA(TB)-15 |
| 94 Chris Jones | DT | $6-1$ | 295 | 25 | 3 | Bowling Green | CW(TB)-13 |

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| \# NAME | POS | HT | WT | AGE | YR | COLLEGE | (IR date) |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 13 Brandon Gibson | WR | $6-0$ | 210 | 28 | 7 | Washington State | $(8 / 24 / 2015)$ |
| 28 Darryl Roberts | DB | $6-0$ | 190 | 24 | R | Marshall | $(9 / 1 / 2015)$ |
| 36 Tyler Gaffney | RB | $6-0$ | 220 | 24 | 2 | Stanford | $(8 / 13 / 2015)$ |
| 46 James Develin | FB | $6-3$ | 255 | 27 | 3 | Brown | $(9 / 1 / 2015)$ |
| *66 Bryan Stork | C | $6-4$ | 310 | 24 | 2 | Florida State | $(9 / 9 / 2015)$ |
| 84 Brian Tyms | WR | $6-3$ | 205 | 26 | 3 | Florida A\&M | $(8 / 25 / 2015)$ |
| 86 AJ Derby | TE | $6-5$ | 255 | 24 | R | Arkansas | $(8 / 5 / 2015)$ |

## 2015 POSITIONAL ROSTER

| \# | NAME | POS HT WT BEFENSE (26) YR COLLEGE |  |  |  |  |  | H.S. HOMETOWN |
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|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| DEFENSIVE LINE (9) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 97 | Branch, Alan | DL | 6-6 | 350 | 12/29/1984 | 9 | Michigan | Rio Rancho, N.M. |
| 90 | Brown, Malcom | DL | 6-2 | 320 | 2/2/1994 | R | Texas | Brenham, Texas |
| 99 | Easley, Dominique | DL | 6-2 | 285 | 4/28/1992 | 2 | Florida | Staten Island, N.Y. |
| 98 | Flowers, Trey | DL | 6-2 | 265 | 8/16/1993 | R | Arkansas | Huntsville, Ala. |
| 92 | Grissom, Geno | DL | 6-4 | 265 | 6/4/1992 | R | Oklahoma | Hutchinson, Kan. |
| 95 | Jones, Chandler | DE | 6-5 | 265 | 2/27/1990 | 4 | Syracuse | Endicott, N.Y. |
| 50 | Ninkovich, Rob | DE | 6-2 | 260 | 2/1/1984 | 10 | Purdue | Blue Island, Ill. |
| 93 | Sheard, Jabaal | DL | 6-3 | 260 | 5/10/1989 | 5 | Pittsburgh | Hollywood, Fla. |
| 96 | Siliga, Sealver | DL | 6-2 | 325 | 4/26/1990 | 4 | Utah | West Jordan, Utah |
| LINEBACKER (6) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 91 | Collins, Jamie | LB | 6-3 | 250 | 10/20/1989 | 3 | Southern Mississippi | McCall Creek, Miss. |
| 55 | Freeny, Jonathan | LB | 6-2 | 255 | 6/15/1989 | 4 | Rutgers | Coconut Creek, Fla. |
| 54 | Hightower, Dont'a | LB | 6-3 | 265 | 3/12/1990 | 4 | Alabama | Lewisburg, Tenn. |
| 59 | Johnson, Rufus | LB | 6-5 | 280 | 8/28/2990 | 1 | Tarleton State | Dallas, Texas |
| 51 | Mayo, Jerod | LB | 6-1 | 250 | 2/23/1986 | 8 | Tennessee | Hampton, Va. |
| 53 | Watson, Dekoda | LB | 6-2 | 245 | 3/3/1988 | 6 | Florida State | Aiken, S.C. |
| DEFENSIVE BACK (11) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 25 | Brown, Tarell | CB | 5-10 | 190 | 1/6/1985 | 8 | Texas | Mesquite, Texas |
| 21 | Butler, Malcolm | CB | 5-11 | 190 | 3/2/1990 | 2 | West Alabama | Vicksburg, Miss. |
| 23 | Chung, Patrick | S | 5-11 | 215 | 8/19/1987 | 7 | Oregon | Rancho Cucamonga, Calif. |
| 22 | Coleman, Justin | DB | 5-11 | 188 | 3/27/1993 | R | Tennessee | Brunswick, Ga. |
| 43 | Ebner, Nate | DB | 6-0 | 220 | 12/14/1988 | 4 | Ohio State | Dublin, Ohio |
| 24 | Fletcher, Bradley | CB | 6-0 | 205 | 6/25/1986 | 7 | Iowa | Youngstown, Ohio |
| 30 | Harmon, Duron | DB | 6-1 | 205 | 1/24/1991 | 3 | Rutgers | Magnolia, Del. |
| 32 | McCourty, Devin | DB | 5-10 | 195 | 8/13/1987 | 6 | Rutgers | Montvale, N.J. |
| 37 | Richards, Jordan | DB | 5-11 | 210 | 1/21/1993 | R | Stanford | Folsom, Calif. |
| 26 | Ryan, Logan | CB | 5-11 | 195 | 2/9/1991 | 3 | Rutgers | Voorhees, N.J. |
| 27 | Wilson, Tavon | DB | 6-0 | 215 | 3/19/1990 | 4 | Illinois | Washington, D.C. |
|  |  |  |  |  | OFFENSE |  |  |  |
| \# | NAME | POS | HT | WT | BORN | YR | COLLEGE | H.S. HOMETOWN |
| OFFENSIVE LINE (8) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 60 | Andrews, David | C | 6-3 | 295 | 7/10/1992 | R | Georgia | Johns Creek, Ga. |
| 61 | Cannon, Marcus | OL | 6-5 | 335 | 5/6/1988 | 5 | Texas Christian | Odessa, Texas |
| 63 | Jackson, Tre' | G | 6-4 | 320 | 12/14/1992 | R | Florida State | Jesup, Ga. |
| 67 | Kline, Josh | OL | 6-3 | 300 | 12/29/1989 | 3 | Kent State | Mason, Ohio |
| 69 | Mason, Shaq | OL | 6-1 | 310 | 8/28/1993 | R | Georgia Tech | Columbia, Tenn. |
| 77 | Solder, Nate | T | 6-8 | 325 | 4/12/1988 | 5 | Colorado | Buena Vista, Co. |
| 76 | Vollmer, Sebastian | T | 6-8 | 325 | 7/10/1984 | 7 | Houston | Kaarst, Germany |
| 62 | Wendell, Ryan | OL | 6-2 | 300 | 3/4/1986 | 7 | Fresno State | Pomona, Calif. |
| QUARTERBACK (2) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 12 | Brady, Tom | QB | 6-4 | 225 | 8/3/1977 | 16 | Michigan | San Mateo, Calif. |
| 10 | Garoppolo, Jimmy | QB | 6-2 | 225 | 11/2/1991 | 2 | Eastern Illinois | Arlington Heights, III. |
| WIDE RECEIVER (5) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 80 | Amendola, Danny | WR | 5-11 | 190 | 11/2/1985 | 7 | Texas Tech | The Woodlands, Texas |
| 17 | Dobson, Aaron | WR | 6-3 | 205 | 7/23/1991 | 3 | Marshall | Dunbar, W.V. |
| 11 | Edelman, Julian | WR | 5-10 | 200 | 5/22/1986 | 7 | Kent State | Redwood City, Calif. |
| 82 | Martin, Keshawn | WR | 5-11 | 194 | 3/15/1990 | 4 | Michigan State | Westland, Mich. |
| 18 | Slater, Matthew | WR | 6-0 | 205 | 9/9/1985 | 8 | UCLA | Anaheim, Calif. |
| RUNNING BACK (5) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 39 | Cadet, Travaris | RB | 6-1 | 210 | 2/1/1989 | 4 | Appalachian State | Miami, Fla. |
| 29 | Blount, LeGarrette | RB | 6-0 | 250 | 12/5/1986 | 6 | Oregon | Perry, Fla. |
| 38 | Bolden, Brandon | RB | 5-11 | 220 | 1/26/1990 | 4 | Mississippi | Baton Rouge, La. |
| 33 | Lewis, Dion | RB | 5-8 | 195 | 9/27/1990 | 4 | Pittsburgh | Blairstown, N.J. |
| 28 | White, James | RB | 5-10 | 205 | 2/3/1992 | 2 | Wisconsin | Ft. Lauderdale, Fla. |
| TIGHT END (4) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 88 | Chandler, Scott | TE | 6-7 | 260 | 7/23/1985 | 8 | Iowa | Southlake, Texas |
| 87 | Gronkowski, Rob | TE | 6-6 | 265 | 5/14/1989 | 6 | Arizona | Pittsburgh, Pa. |
| 47 | Hoomanawanui, Michael | TE | 6-4 | 265 | 7/4/1988 | 6 | Illinois | Bloomington, Ill. |
| 85 | Williams, Michael | TE | 6-6 | 304 | 9/8/1990 | 2 | Alabama | Reform, Ala. |
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| \# | NAME | POS | HT | WT | BORN | YR | COLLEGE | H.S. HOMETOWN |
| SPECIALISTS (3) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 6 | Allen, Ryan | P | 6-2 | 220 | 2/28/1990 | 3 | Louisiana Tech | Salem, Ore. |
| 49 | Cardona, Joe | LS | 6-3 | 245 | 4/16/1992 | R | Navy | El Cajon, Calif. |
| 3 | Gostkowski, Stephen | K | 6-1 | 215 | 1/28/1984 | 10 | Memphis | Madison, Miss. |
|  |  |  |  |  | ESERVE/P.U | (3) |  |  |
| \# | NAME | POS | HT | WT | BORN | YR | COLLEGE | H.S. HOMETOWN |
| RESERVE/P.U.P. (3) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 52 | Fletcher, Dane | LB | 6-2 | 245 | 9/14/1986 | 6 | Montana State | Bozeman, Mont. |
| 94 | Jones, Chris | DT | 6-1 | 295 | 7/12/1990 | 3 | Bowling Green | Brownsburg, Ind. |
| 19 | LaFell, Brandon | WR | 6-3 | 210 | 11/4/1986 | 6 | Louisiana State | Houston, Texas |
| RESERVE/INJURED (7) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \# | NAME | Pos | HT | WT | BORN | YR | college | H.S. HOMETOWN |
| RESERVE/INJURED (7) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 86 | Derby, AJ | TE | 6-5 | 255 | 9/20/1991 | R | Arkansas | Iowa City, Iowa |
| 46 | Develin, James | FB | 6-3 | 255 | 7/23/1988 | 3 | Brown | Gilbertsville, Pa. |
| 36 | Gaffney, Tyler | RB | 6-0 | 220 | 4/20/1991 | 2 | Stanford | San Diego, Calif. |
| 13 | Gibson, Brandon | WR | 6-0 | 210 | 8/13/1987 | 7 | Washington State | Puyallup, Wash. |
| 28 | Roberts, Darryl | DB | 6-0 | 190 | 11/26/1990 | R | Marshall | Lakeland, Fla. |
| *66 | Stork, Bryan | C | 6-4 | 310 | 11/15/1990 | 2 | Florida State | Vero Beach, Fla. |
| 84 | Tyms, Brian | WR | 6-3 | 205 | 2/21/1989 | 3 | Florida A\&M | Ft. Lauderdale, Fla. |

## How The Patriots Were Built



## 2015 TRANSACTIONS

UPDATED: SEPTEMBER 22, 2015

| JANUARY, 2015 |  |  |
| :---: | :--- | :--- |
| $3 / 5 / 2015$ | Barker, Chris | Signed to a future contract |
| $3 / 5 / 2015$ | Bequette, Jake | Signed to a future contract |
| $3 / 5 / 2015$ | Green, Justin | Signed to a future contract |
| $3 / 5 / 2015$ | Gilbert, Garrett | Signed to a future contract |
| $3 / 5 / 2015$ | Hauptmann, Caylin | Signed to a future contract |
| $3 / 5 / 2015$ | Johnson, Antonio | Signed to a future contract |
| $3 / 5 / 2016$ | Johnson, Rufus | Signed to a future contract |
| $3 / 5 / 2015$ | Krause, Jonathan | Signed to a future contract |
| $3 / 5 / 2015$ | Lewis, Dion | Signed to a future contract |
| $3 / 5 / 2015$ | Martin, Eric | Signed to a future contract |
| $3 / 5 / 2015$ | Skinner, Deontae | Signed to a future contract |
| $3 / 5 / 2015$ | Swanson, Daxton | Signed to a future contract |

MARCH, 2015
3/2/2015 Gostkowski, Stephen 3/6/2015 Ott, Tyler
3/11/2015 Tyms, Brain 3/11/2015 Dorsey, Kevin 3/11/2015 Gibson, Brandon 3/12/2015 Chekwa, Chimdi 3/12/2015 Freeny, Jonathan 3/12/2015 Sheard, Jabaal 3/13/2015 White, Chris

APRIL, 2015
4/30/2015 Brown, Malcom
Drafted
MAY, 2015

| 5/1/2015 | Richards, Jordan | Drafted |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| $5 / 1 / 2015$ | Grissom, Geneo | Drafted |
| $5 / 2 / 2015$ | Flowers, Trey | Drafted |
| $5 / 2 / 2015$ | Jackson, Tre' | Drafted |
| $5 / 2 / 2015$ | Mason, Shaq | Drafted |
| $5 / 2 / 2015$ | Cardona, Joe | Drafted |
| $5 / 2 / 2015$ | Wells, Matthew | Drafted |
| $5 / 2 / 2015$ | Derby, AJ | Drafted |
| $5 / 2 / 2015$ | Roberts, Darryl | Drafted |
| $5 / 2 / 2015$ | Dickson, Xzavier | Drafted |
| $5 / 5 / 2015$ | Dennard, Alfonzo | Released |
| $5 / 5 / 2015$ | Ott, Tyler | Released |
| $5 / 5 / 2015$ | Skinner, Deontae | Released |
| $5 / 7 / 2015$ | Buchanan, Michael | Released |
| $5 / 7 / 2015$ | Dorsey, Kevin | Released |
| $5 / 8 / 2015$ | Derby, AJ | Signed/Draft Choice |
| $5 / 8 / 2015$ | Dickson, Xzavier | Signed/Draft Choice |
| $5 / 8 / 2015$ | Flowers, Trey | Signed/Draft Choice |
| $5 / 8 / 2015$ | Jackson, Tre' | Signed/Draft Choice |
| $5 / 8 / 2015$ | Mason, Shaq | Signed/Draft Choice |
| $5 / 8 / 2015$ | Richards, Jordan | Signed/Draft Choice |
| $5 / 8 / 2015$ | Roberts, Darryl | Signed/Draft Choice |
| $5 / 8 / 2015$ | Wells, Matthew | Signed/Draft Choice |
| $5 / 8 / 2015$ | Andrews, David | Signed |
| $5 / 8 / 2015$ | Gardner, Devin | Signed |
| $5 / 8 / 2015$ | Harper, Chris | Signed |
| $5 / 8 / 2015$ | Jean, Jimmy | Signed |
| $5 / 8 / 2015$ | King, Brandon | Signed |
| $5 / 8 / 2015$ | Patterson, Eric | Signed |
| $5 / 8 / 2015$ | Taylor, Vince | Signed |
| $5 / 9 / 2015$ | Grissom, Geneo | Signed/Draft Choice |
| $5 / 11 / 2015$ | Arrington, Kyle | Released |
| $5 / 11 / 2015$ | Davis, Fred | Signed |
| $5 / 11 / 2015$ | Hughes, Kevin | Signed |
| $5 / 12 / 2015$ | Watson, Dekoda | Signed |
| $5 / 18 / 2015$ | Spikes, Brandon | Signed |
| $5 / 18 / 2015$ | Chekwa, Chimidi | Released |
| $5 / 18 / 2015$ | Gardner, Devin | Released |
| $5 / 18 / 2015$ | Gordon, Cam | Released |
| $5 / 26 / 2015$ | Fletcher, Dane | Signed |
| $5 / 26 / 2015$ | D'Orazio, Zach | Signed |
| $5 / 2$ |  |  |

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| $6 / 4 / 2014$ | Cardona, Joe | Signed/Draft Choice |
| ---: | :--- | :--- |
| $6 / 8 / 2015$ | Spikes, Brandon | Released |
| $6 / 8 / 2015$ | Cox, Derek | Signed |
| $6 / 9 / 2015$ | Patterson, Eric | Released |
| $6 / 11 / 2015$ | Lynch, D.J. | Signed |
| $6 / 11 / 2015$ | Mundine, Jimmay | Signed |
| $6 / 11 / 2015$ | Stokes, Logan | Signed |
| $6 / 11 / 2015$ | Gilbert, Garrett | Released |
| $6 / 11 / 2015$ | D'Orazio, Zach | Released |
| $6 / 11 / 2015$ | Wright, Tim | Released |
| $6 / 12 / 2015$ | Flynn, Matt | Signed |

JUNE, 2015
6/18/2015 Stokes, Logan 6/19/2015 Brown, Malcom 6/19/2015 Davis, Fred

JULY, 2015
7/23/2015 D'Orazio, Zach 7/27/2015 Brown, Tarell

## AUGUST, 2015

| $8 / 1 / 2015$ | Cox, Derek | Released |
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| $8 / 1 / 2015$ | Green, Justin | Released |
| $8 / 1 / 2015$ | Lynch, DJ | Released |
| $8 / 3 / 2015$ | Gunn, Harland | Claimed off Waivers (ATL) |
| $8 / 3 / 2015$ | Hughes, Kevin | Released |
| $8 / 3 / 2015$ | Taylor, Vince | Released |
| $8 / 4 / 2015$ | Fort, L.J. | Signed |
| $8 / 4 / 2015$ | Gordon, Cameron | Signed |
| $8 / 4 / 2015$ | Kettani, Eric | Signed |
| $8 / 4 / 2015$ | Pataiali'i, A.J. | Signed |
| $8 / 5 / 2015$ | Derby, AJ | Placed on Reserve/Injured |
| $8 / 6 / 2015$ | Asper. Mark | Signed |
| $8 / 6 / 2015$ | Brodine, Mason | Signed |
| $8 / 6 / 2015$ | Gunn, Harland | Released |
| $8 / 10 / 2015$ | Creecy, Tony | Signed |
| $8 / 10 / 2015$ | Lindley, Ryan | Signed |
| $8 / 10 / 2015$ | Stokes, Logan | Signed |
| $8 / 10 / 2015$ | Brodine, Mason | Released |
| $8 / 10 / 2015$ | Flynn, Matt | Released |
| $8 / 10 / 2015$ | White, Chris | Released |
| $8 / 11 / 2015$ | Groy, Ryan | Acquired Via Trade (CHI) |
| $8 / 11 / 2015$ | Wells, Matthew | Traded to Chicago |
| $8 / 13 / 2015$ | Gaffney, Tyler | Placed on Reserve/Injured |
| $8 / 14 / 2015$ | Walker, Casey | Signed |
| $8 / 18 / 2015$ | Cleveland, Asante | Acquired Via Trade (SF) |
| $8 / 18 / 2015$ | Devey, Jordan | Traded to San Francisco |
| $8 / 18 / 2015$ | Fort, L.J. | Released |
| $8 / 18 / 2015$ | Martin, Chris | Claimed off Waivers (MIA) |
| $8 / 18 / 2015$ | Stokes, Logan | Released |
| $8 / 24 / 2015$ | Lynch, D.J. | Signed |
| $8 / 24 / 2015$ | Gibson, Brandon | Placed on Reserve/Injured |
| $8 / 25 / 2015$ | Wayne, Reggie | Signed |
| $8 / 25 / 2015$ | Kettani, Eric | Released |
| $8 / 25 / 2015$ | Tyms, Brian | Placed on Reserve/Injured |
| $8 / 26 / 2015$ | Williams, Michael | Acquired via Trade (DET) |
| $8 / 26 / 2015$ | Jean, Jimmy | Released |
| $8 / 27 / 2015$ | Asper. Mark | Released |
| $8 / 27 / 2015$ | Gordon, Cameron | Released |
| $8 / 27 / 2015$ | Johnson, Antonio | Released |
| $8 / 28 / 2015$ | Bequette, Jake | Placed on Reserve/Injured |
| $8 / 31 / 2015$ | Boyce, Josh | Released |
| $8 / 31 / 2015$ | Krause, Jonathan | Released |
| $8 / 31 / 2015$ | Mundine, Jimmay | Released |
| $8 / 31 / 2015$ | Vellano, Joee | Released |
| $8 / 31 / 2015$ | Watson, Dekoda | Released |
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## SEPTEMBER, 2015

| $9 / 1 / 2015$ | Saunders, Jalen | Acquired via Trade (NO) |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| $9 / 1 / 2015$ | Daniels, DaVaris | Claimed off Waivers (MIN) |
| $9 / 1 / 2015$ | Fletcher, Dane | Placed on Reserve/P.U.P. |
| $9 / 1 / 2015$ | Jones, Chris | Placed on Reserve/P.U.P. |
| $9 / 1 / 2015$ | Develin, James | Placed on Reserve/Injured |
| $9 / 1 / 2015$ | Roberts, Darryl | Placed on Reserve/Injured |
| $9 / 1 / 2015$ | Barker, Chris | Released |
| $9 / 1 / 2015$ | Lynch, D.J. | Released |
| $9 / 4 / 2015$ | Coleman, Justin | Signed |
| $9 / 4 / 2015$ | Bequette, Jake | Released from Reserve/Injured |
| $9 / 4 / 2015$ | Creecy, Tony | Released |
| $9 / 4 / 2015$ | D'Orazio, Zach | Released |
| $9 / 4 / 2015$ | Daniels, DaVaris | Released |
| $9 / 4 / 2015$ | Groy, Ryan | Released |
| $9 / 4 / 2015$ | Hauptmann, Caylin | Released |
| $9 / 4 / 2015$ | Lindley, Ryan | Released |
| $9 / 4 / 2015$ | Martin, Chris | Released |
| $9 / 4 / 2015$ | Morris, James | Released |
| $9 / 4 / 2015$ | Pataiali'i, A.J. | Released |
| $9 / 4 / 2015$ | Walker, Casey | Released |
| $9 / 5 / 2015$ | Cleveland, Asante | Released |
| $9 / 5 / 2015$ | Coleman, Justin | Released |
| $9 / 5 / 2015$ | Dickson, Xzavier | Released |
| $9 / 5 / 2015$ | Fleming, Darius | Released |
| $9 / 5 / 2015$ | Gray, Jonas | Released |
| $9 / 5 / 2015$ | King, Brandon | Released |
| $9 / 5 / 2015$ | McClain, Robert | Released |
| $9 / 5 / 2015$ | Moore, Zach | Released |
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## 2015 TRANSACTIONS

| SEPTEMBER, | 2015 (continued) |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| $9 / 5 / 2015$ | Saunders, Jalen | Released |
| $9 / 5 / 2015$ | Swanson, Daxton | Released |
| $9 / 5 / 2015$ | Wayne, Reggie | Released |
| $9 / 5 / 2015$ | LaFell, Brandon | Placed on Reserve/P.U.P. |
| $9 / 6 / 2015$ | Thornton, Khyri | Claimed off Waivers (GB) |
| $9 / 6 / 2015$ | Fleming, Cameron | Released |
| $9 / 7 / 2015$ | Barker, Chris | Signed to the practice squad |
| $9 / 7 / 2015$ | Clausell, Blaine | Signed to the practice squad |
| $9 / 7 / 2015$ | Cleveland, Asante | Signed to the practice squad |
| $9 / 7 / 2015$ | Dickson, Xzavier | Signed to the practice squad |
| $9 / 7 / 2015$ | Fleming,, Darius | Signed to the practice squad |
| $9 / 7 / 2015$ | King, Brandon | Signed to the practice squad |
| $9 / 7 / 2015$ | Palmer, Nathan | Signed to the practice squad |
| $9 / 7 / 2015$ | Staten, Jimmy | Signed to the practice squad |
| $9 / 7 / 2015$ | Swanson, Daxton | Signed to the practice squad |
| $9 / 7 / 2015$ | Thompkins, Kenbrell | Signed to the practice squad |
| $9 / 8 / 2015$ | Fleming, Cameron | Signed to the practice squad |
| $9 / 8 / 2015$ | Dickson, Xzavier | Released from the practice squad |
| $9 / 9 / 2015$ | Coleman, Justin | Signed off Seattle practice squad |
| $9 / 9 / 2015$ | Stork, Bryan | Placed on Reserve/Injured |
|  |  | (designated to return) |
| $9 / 9 / 2015$ | Singleton, Alex | Signed to the practice squad |
| $9 / 9 / 2015$ | Barker, Chris | Released from the practice squad |
| $9 / 12 / 2015$ | Martin, Eric | Released |
| $9 / 15 / 2015$ | Harper, Chris | Released |
| $9 / 16 / 2015$ | Watson, Dekoda | Signed |
| $9 / 16 / 2015$ | Martin, Eric | Signed to the practice squad |
| $9 / 16 / 2015$ | Singleton, Alex | Released from the practice squad |
| $9 / 16 / 2015$ | Staten, Jimmy | Released from the practice squad |
| $9 / 17 / 2015$ | Martin, Keshawn | Acquired via Trade (HOU) |
| $9 / 17 / 2015$ | Thornton, Khyri | Released |
| $9 / 17 / 2015$ | Harper, Chris | Signed to the practice squad |
| $9 / 18 / 2015$ | Staten, Jimmy | Signed to the practice squad |
| $9 / 18 / 2015$ | Palme, Nathan | Released from the practice squad |
| $9 / 19 / 2015$ | Barker, Chris | Signed to the practice squad |
| $9 / 19 / 2015$ | Thornton, Khyri | Signed to the practice squad |
| $9 / 19 / 2015$ | Staten, Jimmy | Released from the practice squad |
| $9 / 19 / 2015$ | Swanson, Daxton | Released from the practice squad |
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## PRONUNCIATION GUIDE

| Danny Amendola | am-men-DOLE-uh | Michael Hoomanawanui | HO-oh-mah-nah-wah-noo-wee |
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| LeGarrette Blount | LUH-gare-et BLUNT | Jerod Mayo | je-ROD |
| Tarell Brown | tuh-RELL | Jabaal Sheard | juh-BALL SHEERD |
| Dominique Easley | DAW-min-eek | Sealver Siliga | SIL-ver SEE-ling-gah |
| Stephen Gostkowski | gost-COW-ski | Nate Solder | SOLD-er |
| Geneo Grissom | GEE-no | Ryan Wendell | when-DELL |
| Dont'a Hightower | don-TAY | Tavon Wilson | TAY-von |

## SERIES HISTORY



The Patriots and Jaguars will meet for the 11 th time overall and for the first time since New England claimed a 23-16 win at Jacksonville on Dec. 23, 2012. The Jaguars will visit Gillette Stadium for the first time since the 2009 season when the Patriots took a 35-7 victory on Dec. 27, 2009.

The Patriots have won all six of the regular-season games between the clubs dating back to 1996. The two teams have faced each other four times in the playoffs, including the 1996 AFC Championship Game at Foxboro Stadium, a 20-6 New England win. The Patriots lead the Jaguars 3-1 in postseason games.

The Jaguars will visit Foxborough for the seventh time overall, with the Patriots having won all six previous games against the team in New England. Three of the wins were in the regular-season and three were postseason wins.

The first playoff game between the two teams was the 1996 AFC Championship Game at Foxboro Stadium. In that contest, the Patriots beat the Jaguars, 20-6, to advance to Super Bowl XXXI. The Jaguars claimed a 25-10 win in the 1998 wild card playoffs, the Jaguars only victory against New England. The Patriots won 28-3 in a 2005 Divisional Playoff game and 31-20 in a 2007 Divisional Playoff game.

REGULAR SEASON - PATRIOTS 6, JAGUARS 0

| Date | Result | Score | H/A | Stadium |
| :--- | :---: | ---: | :---: | ---: |
| $09 / 22 / 96$ | W $[$ OT $]$ | $28-25$ | H | Foxboro Stadium |
| $12 / 07 / 97$ | W | $26-20$ | A | Alltel Stadium |
| $12 / 14 / 03$ | W | $27-13$ | H | Gillette Stadium |
| $12 / 24 / 06$ | W | $24-21$ | A | Alltel Stadium |
| $12 / 27 / 09$ | W | $35-7$ | H | Gillette Stadium |
| $12 / 23 / 12$ | W | $23-16$ | A | EverBank Field |

## PLAYOFFS - PATRIOTS 3, JAGUARS 1

| Date | Result | Score | H/A | Stadium |
| :--- | :---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| $01 / 12 / 97^{*}$ | W | $20-6$ | H | Foxboro Stadium |
| $01 / 03 / 99$ | L | $10-25$ | A | Alltel Stadium |
| $01 / 07 / 06$ | W | $28-3$ | H | Gillette Stadium |
| $01 / 12 / 08$ | W | $31-20$ | H | Gillette Stadium |

*-AFC Championship Game

| SERBIES ニR=AKロ®MN |  |
| :---: | :---: |
| Overall Record (including 3-1 in playoff |  |
| Record in New England. | 6-0 (3-0 in playoffs) |
| Foxboro Stadium | 2-0 [1-0 in playoffs) |
| Gillette Stadium | 4-0 [2-0 in playoffs) |
| Record in Jacksonville | 3-1 [0-1 in playoffs) |
| Total Points | Patriots 252, Jaguars 156 |
| Patriots' Largest Margin of Victory | 28 points (12/27/09) |
| Patriots' Largest Margin of Defeat | 15 points [01/03/99] |
| Highest Combined Point Total. | 53 points [09/22/96) |
| Lowest Combined Point Total | 26 (01/12/97) |
| Games Decided by Seven or Fewer Points |  |
| Current Win Streak. | Patriots,six games |
| Bill Belichick vs. Jacksonville | 6-2 (6-0 with New England) |

## SOUTHERN HOSPITALITY

The Patriots have an all-time record of 87-47-1 (.648) against the teams that make up the AFC South. It is the only division in the NFL where the Patriots own a winning record against each team. New England owns winning marks against Tennessee (23-16-1), Indianapolis [50-29), Jacksonville [9-1] and Houston [5-1].

## TALE OF THE TAPE

## 2015 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
2-0
1st
868
434.0 (2)
68.0 (28)
366.0 (1)
34.0 (2) 8
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$147.0[28 \mathrm{t}] \quad 73.5[5]$
259.5 [22) 251.0 (20)
26.5 (23)

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109.5 (17)
221.0 (18)
16.0 (30)
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## CONSISTENT SULCCESS

The Jaguars are one of just four teams the Patriots own an undefeated regular season home record (3-0). The Patriots are 4-0 against Baltimore, 4-0 against Chicago and $2-0$ against Houston.

Additionally, Jacksonville is one of eight NFL teams that Tom Brady has an undefeated regular season record against

| TEAM | RECORD |
| :--- | ---: |
| Atlanta Falcons | $4-0$ |
| Chicago Bears | $4-0$ |
| Dallas Cowboys | $3-0$ |
| Detroit Lions | $4-0$ |
| Jacksonville Jaguars | $4-0$ |
| Minnesota Vikings | $4-0$ |
| Philadelphia Eagles | $3-0$ |
| Tampa Bay Buccaneers | $3-0$ |

## PASGING PARFORMANCES

Tom Brady will face off against the Jaguars for the fifth time in his career in the regular season. Brady has also played Jacksonville two times in the postseason. All four of the previous meetings have been played in December.

| TOM BRADY VS. JACKSONVILLE (4-0) (REGULAR SEASON) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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| Date | A | C | Yd | \% | TD |  | Rating | W/L | Score |
| 12/14/03 | 34 | 22 | 228 | . 647 | 2 | 0 | 103.6 | W | 27-13 |
| 12/24/06 | 39 | 28 | 249 | . 718 | 1 | 0 | 97.1 | W | 24-21 |
| 12/27/09 | 26 | 23 | 267 | . 885 | 4 | 0 | 149.0 | W | 35-7 |
| 12/23/12 | 41 | 24 | 267 | . 585 | 2 | 2 | 73.9 | W | 23-16 |
| TOTALS | 140 | 97 | 1011 | . 693 | 9 | 2 | 105.4 |  | 3-0 |
| *-Playoffs |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |


| Date | A | C | $Y d$ | $\%$ | TD | I | Rating | $W / L$ | Score |
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| $01 / 07 / 06$ | 27 | 15 | 201 | .556 | 3 | 0 | 116.4 | $W$ | $28-3$ |
| $01 / 12 / 08$ | 28 | 26 | 262 | .929 | 3 | 0 | 141.4 | $W$ | $31-20$ |
| TOTALS | 55 | $\mathbf{4 1}$ | $\mathbf{4 6 3}$ | .745 | $\mathbf{6}$ | $\mathbf{0}$ | 135.6 |  | $\mathbf{2 - 0}$ |

## FRANCHISE RECORD VS. JACS

Tom Brady set a franchise record in the 2009 game when he finished with a completion percentage of 88.5 , when he completed 23 -of-26 passes for 267 yards and four touchdowns. His 88.5 completion percentage in that game is tied for the 12th best completion percentage in NFL history (min. 20 attempts). Brady set a postseason record and the record for best completion percentage in an NFL game when he completed 26 -of-28 passes for 262 yards and three touchdowns for a completion percentage of 92.9.

## 1996 AFC CHAMPIONSHIP GAME

The Patriots defense continued its great performance during the 1996 playoffs during their $20-6$ win over the Jaguars. The Patriots were able to shut down Jaguars RB Natrone Means and contain QB Mark Brunell. Means was held to 43 yards, and Brunell passed for only 190 yards and threw two interceptions. The Jaguars had one final attempt to score. With the Patriots in front 13-6 with 2:36 left, LB Chris Slade knocked the ball from RB James Stewart. CB Otis Smith grabbed the loose ball out of the air and ran 47 yards for the touchdown.

## LAST RECULAR SEASON GAME: PATRIOTS 23, JACKSONVILLE 16

| December 23, 2012 ぇ EverBank Field |  |  |  |  |  |
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| New England Patriots | 3 | 10 | 3 | 7 | - 23 |
| Jacksonville Jaguars | 10 | 3 | 0 | 3 | - 16 |

The New England Patriots held on for a 23-16 win over the Jacksonville Jaguars to improve to an 11-4 record. The Patriots got off to an inauspicious start that saw Jacksonville score on their first two possessions for a 10-0 lead. Tom Brady overcame two first-quarter interceptions with two touchdown passes in the victory.

With the Patriots clinging to a 23-16 lead late in the fourth quarter, the Jaguars had two chances to tie the game in the closing minutes. Jacksonville faced a third-and-goal from the New England 1-yard line when they were called for a false start penalty.

Instead of a short-yardage play, the Jaguars were forced into a passing situation. On the ensuing play after the penalty, Jaguars QB Chad Henne was sacked for a 5 -yard loss by rookie LB Dont'a Hightower, leaving Jacksonville with a fourth and goal from the 10 . On the next play, rookie DE Chandler Jones hit Henne as he tried to throw a pass into the end zone, and S Patrick Chung intercepted the pass over the middle.

New England failed to run out the final 3:14 of the game, and Jacksonville got the ball near midfield with less than a minute to play. Henne connected with WR Toney Clemons to convert on fourth down with 22 seconds to play, then found WR Jordan Shipley for an 18-yard gain that put them at the 12-yard line with 8 seconds to play. But Chung had his second fourth-quarter interception when he picked off Henne in the end zone as time expired to secure the win.

Jacksonville had the ball inside New England's 25-yard line seven times, but came away with just one touchdown and three field goals.

After Jacksonville opened the game with a nine-play, 78-yard drive that ended with a 3 -yard touchdown pass from Henne to WR Justin Blackmon, Brady threw his first interception when he attempted a deep pass to RB Stevan Ridley, allowing Jacksonville to start at midfield. The Jaguars turned the turnover into a field goal for a 10-0 lead.

K Stephen Gostkowski got New England on the board when he finished a 10-play, 73-yard drive with a 25-yard field goal. After Jacksonville missed a 43yard field goal, Brady was intercepted for a second time on the last play of the first quarter to help set up a Jaguars field goal in the second quarter for a 13-3 lead. The Patriots tied the game at 13 with a 49 -yard field goal by Gostkowski and a 14-yard touchdown pass from Brady to RB Danny Woodhead.

New England took the lead for the first time when they took the second half kickoff and turned in a 10-play, 60-yard drive that was culminated with a 38yard field goal by Gostkowski for a 16-13 lead. The Patriots increased their lead to 23-13 early in the fourth quarter when Brady finished a 59-yard drive with a 2-yard touchdown pass to WR Wes Welker. Jacksonville responded with a field goal drive that helped position them for a chance to tie the game in the final minutes.

Brady finished 24-of-41 for 267 yards with two touchdowns and two interceptions and Welker set an NFL record with his 18th game with 10 or more receptions, to break a tie with Hall of Famer Jerry Rice and Houston's Andre Johnson, who each had 17 games with 10 or more receptions.

## CONNECTIONS

## NEW ENGLAND TIES

* Jaguars CB Dwayne Gratz attended Connecticut from 2008-12, where he played in 50 games, registering 126 tackles ( 87 solo) 10 interceptions, two forced fumbles and two fumble recoveries, one of which he returned for a touchdown.
$\star \quad$ Jaguars special teams coordinator Mike Mallory served as the defensive coordinator/linebackers coach at Rhode Island from 1993-95.


## JACKSONVILLE TIES

$\star \quad$ Patriots G Tre' Jackson [2011-14] and OL Bryan Stork [2011-13] attended Florida State, two-and-a-half hours west of Jacksonville.

* Patriots LB Dekoda Watson also attended Florida State from 200609, where he earned his first start as a freshman, and became a fixture at strong side linebackers, starting 31 of the 35 games he played through his last three seasons.
$\star \quad$ Patriots DL Dominique Easley attended Florida, an hour and 20 minutes southwest of Jacksonville, where he started 26-of-32 games over his four year career and finished with 81 tackles, $51 / 2$ sacks, 18 tackles for loss, one fumble recovery and one pass defensed.
$\star \quad$ Patriots RB LeGarrette Blount grew up in Perry, Fla., two hours west of Jacksonville. Blount recorded three straight 1,000-yard rushing seasons at Taylor County High School (Perry, Fla.), where he was a four-year starter and was named second team all-state as a senior.


## FORMER PATRIOTS

$\star \quad$ Jaguars FS Sergio Brown was originally signed by New England as an undrafted free agent in 2010. Brown spent two seasons with the Patriots [2010-11), and played in 26 games with three starts.
$\star \quad$ Jaguars defensive backs coach DeWayne Walker held the same position with the Patriots for three seasons (1998-2000), the first two under Pete Carroll and his final season under Bill Belichick. During Walker's tenure with the Patriots, defensive backs Ty Law and Lawyer Milloy each earned trips to the Pro Bowl.

## FORMER JAGUARS

$\star \quad$ Patriots LB Dekoda Watson appeared in nine games with one start for the Jaguars and posted eight tackles on defense and seven special teams tackles in 2014 before being released on Nov. 11.

## FORMER NFL TEAMMATES

$\star \quad$ Patriots offensive coordinator Josh McDaniels tutored Jaguars G Zane Beadles when McDaniels was head coach of the Denver Broncos in 2010.
$\star \quad$ Patriots RB Dion Lewis and Jaguars TE Clay Harbor were offensive teammates for the Philadelphia Eagles in 2012.
$\star \quad$ Patriots LB Darius Fleming and Jaguars LB Dan Skuta were defensive teammates with San Francisco in 2013.
$\star \quad$ Patriots DL Alan Branch and Jaguars DE Chris Clemons were defensive teammates at Seattle for two seasons [2011-2012]. Branch also worked with Jaguars defensive line coach/run game coordinator Todd Walsh when Walsh served as the defensive line coach for Seattle in 201112.

Jaguars assistant head coach - offense/offensive line coach Doug Marrone tutored Patriots TE Scott Chandler in 2013-14, when Marrone served as head coach of the Buffalo Bills.
$\star \quad$ Jaguars DT Roy Miller (2009-12) played with the Patriots LB Dekoda Watson (2010-13) when they were defensive teammates at Tampa Bay. Miller also played with Patriots pro scout Steve Cargile, when Cargile played as a safety for the Bucs in 2009.

## FORMER COLLEGE TEAMMATES

$\star \quad$ Patriots LB Darius Fleming and Jaguars FS Sergio Brown were defensive teammates at Notre Dame for two seasons (2008-09).
$\star \quad$ Patriots DL Geneo Grissom and Jaguars CB Aaron Colvin were defensive teammates at Oklahoma for three seasons (2011-13).
$\star \quad$ Jaguars WR Rashad Greene and Patriots G Tre' Jackson were offensive teammates at Florida State for all four seasons [2011-14]. Green also played with Patriots C Bryan Stork. Together, they helped the Seminoles capture a BCS National Championship in 2013.
$\star \quad$ Patriot WR Matthew Slater and Jaguars TE Marcedes Lewis were offensive teammates at UCLA in 2005.

Tom Brady threw for 466 yards and three touchdowns to help lead the Patriots to a 40-32 victory at Ralph Wilson Stadium against the AFC East rival Buffalo Bills. The 466 yards were the second most in his career to the 517 yards he had in the 2011 season opener at Miami. The 466 yards were also the most ever against Buffalo, eclipsing the previous high of 464 by George Blanda of Oakland in a 1961 game.

Down 37-13 at the start of the fourth quarter, the Bill scored 19 points $n$ three straight drives before their rally fell short in the final 90 seconds.

Buffalo opened the fourth quarter with a 10-play, 80-yard drive that ended in a touchdown. Then, the Patriots failed to convert on a fourth-and-one try from the Buffalo 41-yard line. The Bills took advantage and moved 59-yards on seven plays before scoring a touchdown to make it 37-25 with just over five minutes to play. On the second play of the ensuing drive, Brady fumbled on a sack and Buffalo recovered the ball at the 50-yard line. Two plays later, the Bills scored on a touchdown pass to make 37-32 with 4:16 to play.

A 22 -yard pass interference call and a 29-yard diving reception by WR Danny Amendola helped the Patriots get in position for K Stephen Gostkowski's 25-yard field goal with 1:18 to play to give the Patriots a 40-32 lead.

On Buffalo's first play of the next drive, CB Logan Ryan intercepted a Buffalo pass that deflected off the receiver, and New England ran off the final minute to secure the win. It was the third interception of the day thrown by Buffalo QB Tyrod Taylor.

Wide receiver Julian Edelman hauled in 11 receptions for 97 yards and two touchdowns, while TE Rob Gronkowski caught 7 passes for 113 yards with one touchdown. WR Aaron Dobson caught 7 passes for 87 yards, and RB Dion Lewis caught s6 passes for 98 yards.

The Patriots defense registered eight sacks, including a career-high of three sacks by DE Chandler Jones. The Buffalo Bills were penalized 14 times for 140 yards.

Buffalo managed just 127 yards on its first 10 possessions with 80 of those coming on the game-opening drive that ended when rookie RB Karlos Williams scored on a two-yard run to take a 7-0 lead. After that opening score, the Patriots took the lead by scoring touchdowns on their next three drives. Edelman caught an 8-yard touchdown pass from Brady, Lewis scored on a 6-yard run and Gronkowski scored on a two-yard pass.

Following a failed fourth-down attempt by the Patriots at midfield, a 39-yard pass interference call against New England helped Buffalo get in position for a touchdown to make it 21-13. New England responded with a 9-play, 52-yard drive that ended with a 46-yard field goal by Gostkowski to make it 24-13. Buffalo got the ball back before the end of the first half, but S Duron Harmon intercepted Buffalo deep in New England territory to help preserve the lead at the break.

New England added 13 points in the third quarter on all three of their possessions with two Gostkowski field goals and a 22 -yard touchdown pass from Brady to Edelman to make it 37-13.

## PATRIOTS EEST ROAD R=CORD

The Patriots have the best road record in the NFL since 2000 with a 79-42 record, including a . 653 winning percentage.

| TEAM | RECORD | PCT. |
| :--- | ---: | :--- |
| New England | $79-42$ | .653 |
| Philadelphia | $74-46-1$ | 616 |
| Indianapolis | $73-48$ | .603 |
| Pittsburgh | $69-52$ | .570 |

## PATRIOTS HAVE EEST DIVISIONAL RECORD SINCE '01

The Patriots have the best divisional record since 2001, including 68 wins over the Bills, the most against any one opponent.

NFL'S TOP DIVISIONAL RECORDS SINCE 2001

| Team | W | L | T | Pct. |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| New England | 68 | $\mathbf{1 9}$ | $\mathbf{0}$ | .782 |
| Indianapolis | 63 | 23 | 0 | .733 |
| Green Bay | 61 | 24 | 1 | .712 |
| Pittsburgh | 61 | 27 | 0 | .693 |

AFC EAST DIVISIONAL RECORDS SINCE 2001

| Team | W | L | T | Pct. | Div. Titles | Years |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | ---: |
| New England | $\mathbf{6 8}$ | 19 | $\mathbf{0}$ | .782 | 12 | 2001, 03-07, 09-14 |
| N.Y. Jets | 40 | 46 | 0 | .465 | 1 | 2002 |
| Miami | 36 | 50 | 0 | .419 | 1 | 2008 |
| Buffalo | 30 | 57 | 0 | .345 | 0 | - |

## INDIVIDIIAL NOTES

## THE SACKS KEPT ON COMING

The Patriots defense recorded eight sacks. It was the most sacks since the Patriots recorded eight sacks at Philadelphia on Sept. 14, 2003. The Patriots have recorded nine sacks in a game five times and a team record 11 at Oakland on Sept. 22, 1963.

## 399 AND COUNTING...

Tom Brady followed a four-touchdown game in the season-opener with three touchdowns vs. Pittsburgh to push his total to 399 career touchdowns and needs one more to become the fourth NFL player with 400 career touchdowns.

## MOST CAREER TOUCHDOWN PASSES

 [REGULAR SEASON ONLY) BOLD INDICATES ACTIVE PLAYERS RANK NAME TOUCHDOWNSPeyton Manning 533
Brett Favre 508
Dan Marino 420
Tom Brady 399
Drew Brees 398
Fran Tarkenton 342
John Elway 300
Warren Moon 291
Johnny Unitas 290
Vinny Testaverde 275

## BRADY BEATS BUFFALO

Tom Brady owns a 24-3 record against the Buffalo Bills after the 40-32 win. He has more wins against Buffalo than any other NFL team. The New York Jets are second with 20 wins on Brady's list. Brady's 24 wins against Buffalo are the second most wins by a quarterback against an opponent.

MOST WINS BY A STARTING QUARTERBACK AGAINST AN OPPONENT

| Player | Wins |
| :--- | :--- |
| Brett Favre | 26 wins against Detroit |
| Tom Brady | 24 wins against Buffalo |
| Brett Favre | 23 wins against Chicago |
| Dan Marino | 22 wins against Indianapolis |

## 65TH GAME OVER 300 YARDS

Tom Brady had his 65th NFL 300-yard-plus game and his 9th against Buffalo after finishing with 4 after finishing with 466 yards. His 65 career 300-yard games are third in NFL history to Peyton manning (91) and Drew Brees [87). Brady has more 300 yard games against Buffalo than any other team. His next highest team is six 300-yard games against Miami.

## SEVENTH TIME ECLIPSING 400 YARDS

Brady had his seventh career 400-yard game and his first since he threw for 432 yards vs. Pittsburgh on Nov. 3, 2013. His 466 yards passing are second to the 517 yards he had at Miami on Sept. 12, 2011. Brady's 466 passing yards were the most all-time against the Bills, eclipsing the previous high of 464 by George Blanda in 1961.

## ERADY RECORDS SECOND-MOST ATTEMPTS

Brady had 59 attempts against the Bills, second to the 65 attempts he had vs. San Francisco on Dec. 16, 2012.

## ONE GHY ロF COMPLETION RECORロ

Brady completed 38 passes, one shy of his record. He has completed 39 passes in a game two times, vs. Kansas City on Sept. 22, 2002 and vs. Buffalo on Sept. 14, 2009. He has completed 38 passes in a game two times. He had 38 completions vs. Detroit on Nov. 23, 2014.

## G1 CAREER TD PASSES VS. BUFFALC

Brady now has 61 touchdowns against Buffalo, the most he has thrown against any one team. His next highest is 45 touchdowns against Miami.

## BRADY OFF TO A HOT START

Brady passed for 466 yards with three touchdowns and no interceptions for a 105.6 passer rating in the Patriots' $40-32$ win at Buffalo. Brady, who has 754 passing yards with seven touchdowns and no interceptions through two weeks, joins Peyton Manning (2013) as the only players in NFL history to pass for at least 750 yards and seven touchdowns with no interceptions in the first two games of a season.

## cRONKOWSKI EXTENDS TD STREAK

Rob Gronkowski scored on a 2-yard touchdown in the second quarter and has now caught at least one touchdown in five straight regular season games after closing out the 2014 season by scoring a touchdown in the final three regular season games and then catching three touchdowns in the opener vs. Pittsburgh. He has now caught a touchdown pass in eight straight games, including the postseason. Gronkowski's longest streak of consecutive regular season games with a receiving touchdown is six in 2011, which is a franchise record for most consecutive games with a receiving touchdown.

## GRONKowskI over 100 FOR 16TH TIME

Rob Gronkowski added to his Patriots record for most 100-yard games by a Patriots tight end with his 16th 100-yard game of his career after finishing with 7 receptions for 113 yards.

## cRONK IN GOOD COMPANY

Gronkowski has 207 yards and four touchdowns in the first two games and joins Ben Coates [285 yds and 4 tds] as the only tight ends in NFL history with at least 200 yards receiving and four-plus touchdown catches in the first two weeks of the season.

## StREAKING AT HOME

Stephen Gostkowski kicked added four extra points to increase his streak to 419 consecutive extra points, second in NFL history.

## MOST CONSECUTIVE [KICKING] POINTS AFTER TOUCHDOWN

422
419
371
371
360

Matt Stover, Baltimore, 1996-2008; Indianapolis, 2009
Stephen Gostkowski, New England, 2006-present
Jason Elam, Denver, 1993-2002
Jeff Wilkins, St. Louis, 1999-2007
Jay Feely, Atlanta, 2002-04; N.Y. Giants, 2005-06; Miami, 2007;
N.Y. Jets, 2008-09; Arizona, 2010-2013, Chicago, 2014

## adelman doueles down again

WR Julian Edelman scored on a 8-yard touchdown in the first quarter and a 22-yarder in the third quarter. It is his third career game with two touchdown receptions.

## sEVENTH GAME WITH 10+RECEPTIONS

Edelman had his seventh regular-season game with at least 10 catches, finishing with 11 receptions for 97 yards. It is the first time in his career he has had back-to-back games with 10-plus receptions after recording 11 receptions in the season-opener vs. Pittsburgh.

## EDELMAN'S STREAK LIVES IN

WR Julian Edelman increased his streak to six straight games with at least seven receptions, dating back to the last four games he played in in 2014, and the first two games of 2015 . He had 11 receptions in the win vs. Pittsburgh in the season-opener and 11 receptions vs. Buffalo.

## LEWIS SCORES FIRST PATS TD

RB Dion Lewis scored the Patriots first rushing touchdown of 2015 on a 6-yard run in the first quarter to give the Patriots a 14-7 lead. It was Lewis' third career rushing touchdown, his first rushing touchdown since a 17-yard touchdown run on Dec. 23, 2012, vs. Washington while he was with Philadelphia.

## LEWIS SETS PERSONAL BEST

Lewis caught six passes for 98 yards, a single-game career high, after netting four receptions for 51 yards last week vs. Pittburgh. Entering 2015, Lewis had three career receptions 21 yards.

## BUTLER NABS FIRST CAREAR PICK

Malcolm Butler intercepted Buffalo QB Tyrod Taylor in the first quarter to give the Patriots a first down at the Buffalo 30-yard line. It was Butler's first career interception in the regular season.

## TE WILLIAMS CATCHES FIRST PASS

TE Michael Williams caught his first NFL pass on a 15-yard reception from Tom Brady in the second quarter.

## costKowski Hits finst Fcs of 2015

K Stephen Gostkowski was successful from 47 yards out on his first field goal of the 2015 season in the second quarter.

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Gostkowski added on to his team record with his 14th career 50-yard field goal with a 50 -yarder in the third quarter. Adam Vinatieri is second with eight 50-yard field goals.

## JONES SETS CAREER HICH

Chandler Jones set a career high with his first three sack game. He had two second-quarter sacks and an 11-yard sack in the third quarter. It his sixth career multi-sack game and the 33 rd time in team history that the Patriots have had a player finish with at least three sacks. The last three sack game by a Patriots player was by Rob Ninkovich at Buffalo on Oct. 12, 2014.

## LEWIS SETS PARSONAL BEST

Lewis caught six receptions for 98 yards, a single game career high. His previous best was one reception for 24 yards in 2012.

## BUTLER NABS FIRST CAREAR PICK

Malcolm Butler intercepted Buffalo QB Tyrod Taylor in the first quarter to give the Patriots a first down at the Buffalo 30-yard line. It was Butler's first career interception in the regular season.

## HARMON REcORDS INT AcAIN

Duron Harmon intercepted Buffalo QB Tyrod Taylor with five seconds to play in the first half. It was his second straight game with an interception after recording one in the season-opener vs. Pittsburgh. Harmon matched his career-high of two interceptions in a season. He had two interceptions as a rookie in 2013.

## COLLINS GACKS PERSONAL EEST

LB Jamie Collins set a career high with $21 / 2$ sacks. His previous best was a twosack game at San Diego on Dec. 7, 2014..

## HARMON RECORDS INT AGAIN

## JOSH KLINE MOVES TO RIGHT GUARD

$\star$ Josh Kline started the game at right guard after starting at left guard vs. Pittsburgh in the season-opener. It was his third career start at right guard. Kline started two games at right guard in 2014.

## FOURTH ROUND PICK SHAQ MASON GETS START AT RIGHT GUARD

* 2015 fourth-round draft pick G Shaq Mason made his first NFL start when he lined up at right guard.


## RB LAGARRETTE BLOUNT MADE HIS 2015 DEBUT

* RB LeGarrett Blount saw his first action of the 2015 season,


## THREE PATRIOTS MADE THEIR DEBUT

* RB Travaris Cadet, LB Rufus Johnson and LB Dekoda Watson made their debuts in a Patriots uniform.


## WHAT TO WATCH FOR

## PATRIOTE

*The Patriots can match the Oakland Raiders [1973-1977] as only the second team in NFL history to advance to five straight AFC Championship games.
*The Patriots will look to become the ninth team to repeat as Super Bowl champions and the first team to do so since New England won back-to-back Super Bowls in 2003 and 2004. The Patriots will try to match Pittsburgh as the only other NFL team with back-to-back Super Bowl wins two separate times.
*The Patriots have won six straight division titles [2009-14] and can match the Los Angeles Rams [1973-79] for the most consecutive division titles in NFL history if they win the AFC East in 2015.

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*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 [14 straight] needs to lead the Patriots to one more winning season to break a tie with Curly Lambeau [14] for the second most consecutive winning seasons all-time to the 20 by Tom Landry.
*Belichick is one of five head coaches to win six consecutive division titles [2009-14] - Paul Brown [1950-55], Tom Landry [1966-71], Bud Grant (1973-78) and Chuck Noll [1974-79] - and needs one more division title in 2015 to have seven, the most consecutive division titles among all head coaches.
*Belichick has 12 division titles as a head coach and needs one more to tie Tom Landry and Don Shula for 13, the most division titles among all head coaches.

## TOM BRADY

## CONSISTENT WINNER

Tom Brady has 162 career regular-season wins with the Patriots, the most wins by a starting quarterback with one team.

| QUARTERBACK | TEAM | CAREER WINS |
| :--- | :--- | ---: |
| Tom Brady | New England | $\mathbf{1 6 2}$ |
| Brett Favre | Green Bay | 160 |
| John Elway | Denver | 148 |
| Dan Marino | Miami | 147 |
| Peyton Manning | Indianapolis | 141 |

*Brady is in his 16th season with the Patriots, tying former Patriots QB Steve Grogan [1975-90) for most seaons with the Patriots.
*Brady threw seven touchdowns the first two games of 2015 and now has 399 career touchdown passes. He needs one touchdown pass to become the fourth NFL player to ever reach 400 career touchdown passes.
*If Brady reaches 30 or more touchdowns passes in 2015, he will become just the fourth player in NFL history with at least 30 or more touchdown passes in six seasons.
*If Brady reaches 4,000 passing yards in 2015, he will be just the third player in NFL history with at least eight 4,000-yard passing seasons.

## TOM ERADY [CONT.]

*Brady has played in 211 career games with the Patriots and need to play in one more game match and two more games to pass Bruce Armstrong [212] for most games played in Patriots history. He has started in 209 games and needs to start in four more to move past Armstrong [212] for most starts in Patriots history.
*Tom Brady made his 14th opening day start with the Patriots in 2015. The only NFL quarterbacks with more opening day starts with one team are John Elway [16 with Denver], Dan Marino [16 with Miami) and Brett Favre [ 15 with Green Bay).

## STEPHEN GOSTKOWSKI

*Stephen Gostkowski has led the NFL in scoring in each of the last three seasons [2012-14]. He can become just the third NFL player to lead the NFL in scoring in at least four consecutive seasons, joining Don Hutson [1940-44) and Gino Cappelletti (1963-66).
*If Stephen Gostkowski leads the NFL in scoring in 2015, he will join Don Hutson [5] and Gino Cappelletti [5] as the only NFL players to lead the NFL in scoring in five seasons. Gostkowski has led the NFL in scoring in 2008, 2012, 2013 and 2014.
*Gostkowski has 247 career field goals and needs 17 field goals in 2015 to move past Adam Vinatieri [263] for the most field goals in team history.
*Gostkowski is second in NFL history with 419 consecutive extra points and needs eight more to move past Matt Stover [422] for the all-time lead.

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*Rob Gronkowski has 59 overall touchdowns and needs 10 touchdowns to move past Stanley Morgan (68) to become the all-time leader in touchdowns scored for the Patriots. He needs one more touchdown to become the second Patriots player with 60 touchdowns.

* Gronkowski [58] needs 10 receiving touchdowns to move past Stanley Morgan [67) to become the all-time leader in receiving touchdowns for the Patriots.
*Gronkowski $[4,586]$ needs 414 receiving yards in 2015 to become the seventh New England Patriots player to reach 5,000 career receiving yards.
* Julian Edelman [288] needs four receptions to move into the top 10 in team history. Gino Cappelletti is in 10th place ith 292 receptions.


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## TEAM 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 $22 n d$ 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 [14], 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 21 seasons, the Patriots have qualified for the playoffs 16 times, more than doubling the franchise's accomplishments during its first 34 seasons.

|  | Pre-Kraft 1960-93 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Pre-Kraft } \\ & 1989-93 \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ | Kraft Era 1994-13 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Overall Record | 225-276-9 | 19-61 | 255-119 |
| Winning Pct. | . 450 | . 238 | . 682 |
| Super Bowl Titles | 0 | 0 | 4 |
| Conference Titles | 1 | 0 | 7 |
| Division Titles | 3 | 0 | 14 |
| Playoff Seasons | 6 | 0 | 16 |
| Playoff Record | 4-6 | - | 24-12 |
| Home Playoff Games | 1 | 0 | 20 |
| Home Playoff Record | 0-1 | - | 17-3 |



## 231 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 231 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)
New England Patriots . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 231
Green Bay Packers. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 218

Pittsburgh Steelers. 218

Denver Broncos .. 212

Indianapolis Colts.
TOTAL VICTORIES SINCE 1994 (Incl. Postseason)
New England Patriots
Green Bay Packers . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 235

Pittsburgh Steelers. 29
Indianapolis Colts. 219
Denver Broncos 216
Philadelphia Eagles.

## MOST HOME VICTORIES SINCE 1994 (Incl. Postseason)

New England Patriots . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 146
Green Bay Packers . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 140
Pittsburgh Steelers. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 132
Denver Broncos ......... . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 127
Indianapolis Colts.
123
WINNING PERCENTAGE SINCE 1994 (Incl. Postseason)

| TEAM | W | L | T | PCT. |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| New England Patriots | $\mathbf{2 5 5}$ | $\mathbf{1 1 9}$ | $\mathbf{0}$ | $\mathbf{. 6 8 2}$ |
| Green Bay Packers | 235 | 133 | 1 | .638 |
| Pittsburgh Steelers | 229 | 136 | 1 | .627 |
| Denver Broncos | 216 | 142 | 0 | .603 |
| Indianapolis Colts | 219 | 148 | 0 | .597 |
| Baltimore Ravens | 183 | 145 | 1 | .558 |
| Philadelphia Eagles | 197 | 162 | 2 | .548 |

## SUPER BOWL CHAMPIONSHIPS SINCE 1994

New England Patriots. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 4

Baltimore Ravens

2

Green Bay Packers. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . .
Pittsburgh Steelers . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 2
Denver Broncos
N.Y. Giants
.2
CONFERENCE CHAMPIONSHIPS SINCE 1994
New England Patriots. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 7
Pittsburgh Steelers . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 4
Denver Broncos . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 3
Green Bay Packers. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 3
N.Y. Giants

Seattle Seahawks
. 3
DIVISION CHAMPIONSHIPS SINCE 1994
New England Patriots. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 14
Green Bay Packers. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 11
Pittsburgh Steelers . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 11
Indianapolis Colts . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 10
PLAYOFF VICTORIES SINCE 1994
New England Patriots. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 24
Pittsburgh Steelers . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 17
Green Bay Packers. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 17
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Indianapolis Colts . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 14
San Francisco 49ers . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 12
PLAYOFF GAMES PLAYED SINCE 1994
New England Patriots. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 36
Green Bay Packers. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 31
Indianapolis Colts . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 29
Pittsburgh Steelers . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 28
Philadelphia Eagles . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . .
Baltimore Ravens . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 23
San Francisco 49ers . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 21
PLAYOFF SEASONS SINCE 1994
New England Patriots. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 16
Indianapolis Colts . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 16
Green Bay Packers. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 16
Pittsburgh Steelers . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 13
Philadelphia Eagles . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 12
PLAYOFF WINNING PERCENTAGE SINCE 1994

| TEAM | W | L | PCT. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| New England Patriots. | 24. | 12 | . 667 |
| Baltimore Ravens. | 15. | 8 | .. 652 |
| N.Y. Giants | 10. | 6 | .. 625 |
| Pittsburgh Steelers | 17. | 1 | . 607 |
| St. Louis Rams | 6. | 4 | . 600 |
| New Orleans Saints. | 7. | 5 | 583 |

## ESTAELISHING A WINNINE TRADITION

Kraft's winning percentage with the Patriots (.682) since taking over the team in 1994 is the highest among all owners/ownership groups with at least 200 wins (regular and postseason). 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 | .682 |
| Eddie DeBartalo, Jr. | 49ers | $1977-1999$ | .636 |
| Clint Murchison, Jr. | Cowboys | $1960-1983$ | .634 |
| Joe Robbie | Dolphins | $1966-1989$ | .609 |
| Pat Bowlen | Denver | $1984-2015$ | .607 |

## ALL-TIME POSTSEASON WINS EY AN OWNEF

Robert Kraft has 24 career postseason wins, which is tied for the third-most in NFL history.

| WINS | OWNERSHIP |
| :--- | :--- |
| 33 | The Rooney Family, Pittsburgh [1933-present] |
| 30 | Green Bay Packers [1919-present] |
| 24 | Robert Kraft, New England [1994-present] |
| 24 | the Mara Family, N.Y. Giants (1925-present) |
| 22 | Eddie DeBartalo, J.,., San Francisco (1977-1999) |
| 21 | Al Davis, Oakland/Los Angeles [1972-2011) |

## 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 and Tom Brady - have started on Opening Weekend for New England.

| TEAM | STARTING QBs SINCE 1994 | OPENING DAY QBs SINCE 1994 |
| :--- | :---: | :---: |
| New England | 4 | 2 |
| Green Bay | 5 | 2 |
| N.Y. Giants | 8 | 6 |
| Pittsburgh | 10 | 6 |
| Houston** | 10 | 3 |
| Indianapolis | 11 | 4 |
| San Diego | 12 | 6 |
| Cincinnati | 12 | 8 |
| New Orleans | 13 | 7 |
| Seattle | 15 | 6 |
| Carolina | 15 | 8 |
| Kansas City | 16 | 5 |
| San Francisco | 16 | 6 |
| Baltimore* | 16 | 8 |
| Buffalo | 16 | 9 |
| Jacksonville | 17 | 5 |
| Tennessee | 17 | 7 |
| Denver | 17 | 7 |
| Philadelphia | 17 | 8 |
| Tampa Bay | 17 | 10 |
| Detroit | 18 | 5 |
| Atlanta | 18 | 6 |
| N.Y. Jets | 18 | 8 |
| Dallas | 19 | 5 |
| Minnesota | 20 | 9 |
| Miami | 20 | 9 |
| St. Louis | 21 | 6 |
| Washington | 22 | 13 |
| Chicago | 23 | 9 |
| Arizona | 24 | 11 |
| Oakland | 24 | 11 |
| Cleveland | 25 | 12 |

[^0]*     * Since 2002


## A MODEL OF CONSISTENCY

With Belichick in his 15th season as head coach, the Patriots have had just three head coaches since 1994, the fewest number by far of any AFC East team.

| AFC EAST TEAM | HEAD COACHES SINCE 1994 |
| :--- | :---: |
| New England | $\mathbf{3}$ |
| N.Y. Jets | 8 |
| Buffalo | 9 |
| Miami | 9 |

## COACHINE CONSISTENCY

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
Houston Texans** 3
N.Y. Giants

3

* Since 1996
** Since 2002

NFL Average of new head coaches per team since 1994 Patriots 5.9 3

## 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.

## CONTINUTTY BREADS 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 MORE WINS THAN EVERY OTHER PATRIDTS OWNER COMBINED

The Patriots have 255 wins overall under Robert Kraft. He has produced more victories than every other Patriots owner combined. Under Kraft, the Patriots are 255-119 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.

The Patriots hosted the Jaguars for their first AFC Championship at Foxboro Stadium on Jan. 12, 1997.
These days when you think of the Patriots, you often visualize perfect Brady passes, Gronk spikes and an all-around electrifying offense, but it was a tough and disciplined defense that ultimately led New England to a 20-6 victory over Jacksonville in the first-ever AFC Championship Game played at Foxboro Stadium.

The Patriots struck first in the game, following a high snap on a Jacksonville punt that allowed defensive back Larry Whigham to tackle the Jaguars punter on the four-yard line. It was running back Curtis Martin who capitalized on the play moments later, pushing his way into the end zone for a one-yard touchdown. When the second quarter began, Jacksonville and New England exchanged field goals, making the score 10-3. After a 68-yard drive, it looked as if the Patriots would pull ahead significantly, but they were stopped at the Jacksonville three-yard line and settled for their second Adam Vinatieri field goal.

The Jaguars started off the second half with the ball, and marched down to the Patriots 31 -yard line, only to be stuffed on fourth-and-one by the New England defense. The Patriots scored one more Vinatieri field goal in the third quarter, making the score 13-3.

The Jacksonville offense appeared to have found their groove entering the fourth, as they drove down the field to the New England five-yard line, but things turned around quickly when defensive back Willie Clay intercepted a Mark Brunell pass in the end zone. The pick marked the first of three turnovers the Patriots defense would force in the fourth quarter. A fumble recovery returned for a touchdown by Patriots defensive back Otis Smith sent the Jaguars home and the Patriots to Super Bowl XXXI. Final score: 20-6.


## NEW ENGLAND PATRIOTS



JACKSONVILLE JAGUARS


Jaguars QB Mark Brunell walks off the field late in the fourth quarter as the Patriots seal their victory


CB Otis Smith recovers a fumble for a touchdown as Jaguars QB Mark Brunell tries to make the tackle

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"Tom kind of took the same route I did as a coach, starting in a very, very small Division III school. He was mowing the grass and lining the fields ... So he came up the hard way and people who do that learn the ropes."

# Z STADIUM UPGRADES GILLETTESTADIUM 

PATRIOTS GAME DAY EXPERIENCE REMAINS A CUT ABOVE

Since the team played its inaugural regular－season game at Gillette Stadium against the Steelers in September 2002，the Patriots organi－ zation has continued to renovate and install new amenities to ensure that fan satisfaction remains at the forefront of the venue．In 2015 the Kraft family has made some of its most significant and innovative capital improvements to date，with the addition of three new facilities within the stadium：the Optum Field Lounge，the Cross Insurance Pavilion and Business Center and the DraftKings Fantasy Sports Zone， as well as a major expansion to the signature bridge and the addition of more in－bowl LED ribbon boards．

## OPTUM FIELロ LOUNGE

Offering a game day experience unlike any other，the Optum Field Lounge brings its members closer to the action than ever before with an on－field， outdoor patio and lounge located in the south end zone．Inside，members will enjoy an upscale，climate－controlled space featuring a 9 －foot－by－32－foot high－resolution media wall， HD screens，premium food and bar service and private restrooms．On game days，Patriots season ticket members，who have also paid an Optum Field Lounge membership fee，can come and go between their seats and the venue throughout the game．Members can ac－ cess the lounge beginning three hours prior to kickoff and stay one hour after the game．On non－game days，the space will be utilized for a variety of events functions and parties，including dinner receptions and business meetings


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Since opening Gillette Stadium in 2002，the iconic bridge and lighthouse have stood to represent the home of the Patriots while paying homage to its deep New England roots．The newly expanded CarMax bridge is four times wider and gives fans plenty of room to gather on game days to hang out and watch the action while improving the concourse＇s foot traffic


## CROSS INSURANCE PAVILION

A first of its kind function facility，the Cross Insurance Pavilion \＆Business Center will be utilized on game days for exclusive pregame hospitality events $21 / 2$ hours prior to kickoff on Patriots game days．Then， 30 minutes prior to kickoff，the ven－ ue will transform into a gathering area open to all ticketed fans inside the stadium． On non－game days，the space and open floor plan will host a variety of functions， from trade shows，car displays and business meetings to proms，galas and din－ ner receptions．The new venue features a pre－function mezzanine area，outdoor terrace and access to the stadium＇s main concourse．Inside features 24 －foot high ceilings，state－of－the－art audio visual capabilities with Bose sound system，a 24 － foot video screen and LED HDTVs and classic furnishings with mahogany finish．


DRAFTKINGS FANTASY SPORTS ZONA
Among the most innovative amenities offered at the stadium is the DraftKings Fantasy Sports Zone located in the southwest corner of the main concourse． This high－tech sports bar offers excellent food choices，DraftKings beer selec－ tions of the day and an impressive array of nearly 40 HDTVs to capture all of the NFL and fantasy football action in real time．This venue will keep football and fantasy sports fans up to date with live fantasy scoring updates and the NFL RedZone．Additionally，when the weather is nice，the sports zone is open to the field．During inclement games，the glass front wall closes to keep the space warm and dry while still connecting fans to the action on the field．The Draft－ Kings Fantasy Sports Zone is open to all ticketed patrons inside the stadium．


டーロ RIB＝ON＝ロARロG
Information is power！With the addition of more LED ribbon boards，Pa－ triots fans will be the most powerful in the league．Fantasy information， scores from around the league and real－time stats are just some of the information to which fans will have access．Taking it to the next level，start－ ing in 2015 fans will know things like who is the fastest player on the field at any given time and which players are lined up for the start of plays．

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## DIVISIONAL DOMINANCE

The New England Patriots own a 68-19 (.782) 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

| Team | W | $\boldsymbol{L}$ | $\boldsymbol{T}$ | Pct. |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| New England | $\mathbf{6 8}$ | $\mathbf{1 9}$ | $\mathbf{0}$ | .782 |
| Indianapolis | 63 | 23 | 0 | .733 |
| Green Bay | 62 | 24 | 1 | .718 |
| Pittsburgh | 61 | 27 | 0 | .693 |

AFC EAST DIVISIONAL RECORDS SINCE 2001

| Team | W | L | $\boldsymbol{T}$ | Pct. Div. Titles | Years |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| New England | $\mathbf{6 8}$ | $\mathbf{1 9}$ | $\mathbf{0}$ | .782 | $\mathbf{1 2}$ | 2001, 03-07, 09-14 |
| N.Y. Jets | 40 | 46 | 0 | .465 | 1 | 2002 |
| Miami | 36 | 50 | 0 | .419 | 1 | 2008 |
| Buffalo | 30 | 57 | 0 | .345 | 0 | - |

The New England Patriots have won 11 division titles and have 11 playoff berths since realignment in 2002, the most in the NFL.

MOST DIVISION TITLES SINCE 2002 REALIGNMENT

| Team | Division Titles | Playoff Berths |
| :--- | ---: | ---: |
| New England | $\mathbf{1 1}$ | $\mathbf{1 1}$ |
| Indianapolis | 9 | 12 |
| Green Bay | 8 | 10 |
| Philadelphia | 6 | 8 |
| Pittsburgh | 6 | 8 |

## ROAD WARRIORS

Since the start of the 2000 season, the Patriots have the best regu-lar-season road record in the NFL.

| TEAM | RECORD | PCT. |
| :--- | :---: | :---: |
| New England | $79-42$ | .653 |
| Philadelphia | $74-46-1$ | .616 |
| Indianapolis | $73-48$ | .603 |
| Pittsburgh | $69-52$ | .570 |

## ロECAD= OF DOMINANCE

The Patriots record of 124-38 [.765) 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 | $\mathbf{1 2 4}$ | $\mathbf{3 8}$ | $\mathbf{0}$ | .765 |
| Indianapolis | 110 | 51 | 0 | .683 |
| Pittsburgh | 102 | 60 | 0 | .630 |
| Green Bay | 100 | 61 | 1 | .620 |
| San Diego | 98 | 64 | 0 | .605 |
| Baltimore | 97 | 65 | 0 | .599 |

# PATRIOTS <br> Team Notes 

## DEFENSET

## TURNOVERS A PLUS

The Patriots led the AFC in turnover ratio and total takeaways for three straight seasons (2010-12). The Patriots led the NFL in turnover ratio in 2010 and 2012 and finished second in the NFL in total takeaways in 2012 and 2010. The Patriots finished third in the AFC with +9 turnover ratio in 2013 and finished tied for second in the NFL with a +12 turnover ratio in 2014.

| Year | Turnover Ratio | Total Takeaways |
| ---: | ---: | :---: |
| 2012 | +28 | 38 |
| 2011 | +17 | 34 |
| 2010 | +25 | 41 |

## STINGY DEFENSE SHINES AGAIN

The Patriots defense allowed 19.6 points per game in 2014, marking the ninth season since 2001 that the team kept opponents to under 20 points per game, second most in the NFL over that span.

SEASONS ALLOWING 20 POINTS PER GAME OR FEWER SINCE 2001

| Team | Seasons | Years |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Baltimore | 10 | 2001, 2003-06, 2008-11, 2014 |
| New England | 9 | $2001,2003-04,2006-10,2014$ |
| Pittsburgh | 9 | $2001,2004-08,2010-12$ |
| Miami | 8 | $2001-03,2005-06,2008,2011-12$ |
| Tampa Bay | 7 | $2001-05,2007,2010$ |

## BLOCK PARTY

The Patriots blocked five kicks in 2014, one shy of the record six blocked in 1975. The four blocked field goals is a single season team record.

## PATRIOTS BLOCKED KICKS IN 2014

$\star$ Field Goal blocked by Chandler Jones, $9 / 14$ at Minnesota [returned for TD by Chandler Jones)
$\star$ Field Goal blocked by Chris Jones, 10/16 vs. NY Jets

* Punt blocked by Brandon Bolden, 12/7 at San Diego
* Field Goal blocked by Jamie Collins, $12 / 14$ vs. Miami (returned for TD by Kyle Arrington)
$\star$ Field goal blocked by Vince Wilfork, 12/21 at N.Y. Jets


## MOST BLOCKED KICKS IN PATRIOTS HISTORY

| Season | Tot | XP | FG | Punt |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 1975 | 6 | 2 | 3 | 1 |
| 2014 | 5 | 0 | 4 | 1 |
| 1973 | 5 | 1 | 3 | 1 |
| 1974 | 4 | 3 | 1 | 0 |
| 1977 | 4 | 1 | 3 | 0 |
| 2002 | 4 | 1 | 3 | 0 |
| 1986 | 4 | 0 | 1 | 3 |

## 40+ TIES TEAM RECORD

The Patriots scored 40 or more points five times in 2014, tying the 2012 team for the franchise record for most 40-plus point games in a single season. New England had four 40-plus point games in 2007 and 2008. The NFL record for most 40-point games in a single season is six by seven teams, most recently by Denver in 2013.

PATRIOTS HISTORY/MOST GAMES WITH 40+ POINTS IN A SEASON

| 2014 | 5 |
| :--- | :--- |
| 2012 | 5 |
| 2008 | 4 |
| 2007 | 4 |
| 2010 | 3 |
| 1996 | 3 |
| 1963 | 3 |
| 1961 | 3 |

## PATRIOTS LICHT UP SCOREBOARD

The Patriots finished the 2014 season with 52 touchdowns, marking the eighth time in franchise history that New England has scored at least 50 touchdowns in a season. New England totaled 468 points in 2014, a total that ranks fifth in team history and fourth in the league that year.

## MOST PATRIOTS TD/SEASON

75 in 2007
67 in 2012
65 in 2010
61 in 2011
52 in 2014
52 in 1980
52 in 1961
50 in 2009

MOST PATRIOTS PTS /SEASON
589 in 2007
557 in 2012
518 in 2010
513 in 2011
468 in 2014
444 in 2013


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Rob Gronkowski and Tom Brady have connected on 57 touchdown passes, the sec-ond-most touchdown connections between a quarterback and a tight end in NFL history.

| Quanter;back | TilightEnd Tea |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Philip Rivers | Antonio Gates | San Diego | 72 |
| Tom Brady | Rob Gronkowski | New England | 57 |
| Drew Brees | Jimmy Graham | New Orleans | 1 |
| Drew Bledsoe | Ben Coates | New England | 45 |
| Peyton Manning | Dallas Clark | Indianapolis | 44 |
| Sonny Jurgensen | Jerry Smith | Washington | 43 |
| Dan Fouts | Kellen Winslow | San Diego | 41 |
| John Elway | Shannon Sharpe | Denver | 41 |

## 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 60 times in team history, including 33 times since Bill Belichick became head coach in 2000, and 17 times since 2010.

| PATRIOTS HISTORY / MOST CONSECUTIVE GAMES WITH 40+ POINTS |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Gm | 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] |  |

## 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) <br> 2012 New England Patriots at New York Jets [11-22-12] <br> 2002 Seattle Seahawks vs. Minnesota Vikings (9-29-02) <br> 1998 Atlanta Falcons vs. Carolina Panthers (10-4-98)

## HOW THE PATRIOTS SCORED THREE TOUCHDOWNS IN 57 SECONDS:

$\star$ 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 15 yard touchdown and a 38-7 Patriots lead with 55 seconds left in the first half.


## 2015 NoTES OF INTEREST

## BILL BELICHICK

ћ Bill Belichick [235] moved past Curly Lambeau [229] for fourth place all-time on the NFL wins list. Tom Landry is in third place with 270 total wins.

* Belichick (22) moved past Tom Landry (20) and now has the most postseason wins by any head coach.
$\star$ Belichick has led the Patriots to 14 consecutive winning records [200114], tied with Curly Lambeau (1934-47) for second all-time, behind 20 by Tom Landry (1966-85).


## TOM BRADY

*Tom Brady $[4,109$ ) reached 4,000 yards in 2014 for his seventh 4,000yard passing season. He joined Peyton Manning [14] and Drew Bress [9] as the only players with at least seven 4,000-yard seasons.
$\star$ Brady has 162 regular season wins with the Patriots, the most wins by a quarterback with one team. Brett Favre is second with 160 wins with Green Bay.

* Brady (209) is one of nine NFL quarterbacks with 200 career starts. His 155 wins in his first 200 starts are the most in NFL history. Peyton Manning is second with 136 wins in his first 200 starts.


## JULIAN EDELMAN

$\star$ Edelman led the team with 92 receptions, which was eighth in the NFL in 2014
$\star$ Edelman returned a second-quarter punt 84 yards for a touchdown vs. Denver Nov. 2, 2014 and now has a franchise-best four punt returns for a touchdown.
$\star$ Edelman finished 2014 with a 12.2 career punt return average, second only to Devin Hester ( 12.3 avg.) in the NFL since the 1970 merger.

## ROB NINKOVICH

夫 Rob Ninkovich has 13 fumble recoveries since 2010, the most of any player in the NFL over that time. J.J. Watt is second with 11
$\star$ Ninkovich recorded his eighth sack of the season vs. Miami [12/14] and now has had at least eight sacks in three consecutive seasons, 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 1985-97 [1985, 16 1/2, 1986, 9 1/2 and 198712 1/2).

## STEPHEN GOSTKOWSKI

* Stephen Gostkowski led the NFL with 156 points. It was the third straight season that he has led the NFL in scoring [2012, 2013 and 2014]. He also led the NFL in scoring in 2008. He joins Don Hutson [5] and Gino Cappelletti [5] as the only NFL players to lead the NFL in scoring in at least four seasons. $\star$ Gostkowski made 94.6 percent of his field goals in 2014 (35-of-37), setting a new team record for field goal percentage in a single season. The previous best was 93.9 by Adam Vinatieri (31-of-33) in 2004.


## TEAM

## PATRIOTS 2015 CAPTAINS

The Patriots 2015 team captains were elected by their teammates.

OFFENSE
$\star$ QB Tom Brady, T Nate Solder and OL Ryan Wendell
DEFENSE
$\star$ LB Jerod Mayo, S Devin McCourty and DL Rob Ninkovich SPECIAL TEAMS

* Matthew Slater

Brady was chosen as a captain for the 14th straight season. Mayo is serving his seventh season as a captain. McCourty and Slater are captains for a fifth time. Ninkovich is a captain for the second time, while Solder and Wendell are first time team captains.

## SIXTH STRAICHT TITLE

The Patriots have won six straight AFC East titles, the longest streak in AFC East history. The Patriots have won 12 of the last 14 division crowns and join the Los Angeles Rams [7-1973-79], Pittsburgh Steelers (6-1974-79) and the Minnesota Vikings (6-1973-78) as the only teams since the merger with at least six straight division titles.

MOST CONSECUTIVE DIVISION TITLES

| Team | Division | Titles | Years |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Los Angeles Rams | NFC West | 7 | $1973-79$ |
| New England Patriots | AFC East | $\mathbf{6}$ | $2009-14$ |
| 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 | $\mathbf{5}$ | $\mathbf{2 0 0 3 - 0 7}$ |
| 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 | $1972-76$ |

## SUCcass WITH BALL SECURITY

Last year, the Super Bowl champion Patriots and the NFC North champion Packers had only 13 giveaways, tied for the third fewest giveaways in a 16game season in NFL history.

SEASON EAM FEWEST GIVEAWAYS IN 16-GAME SEASON
2011 San Francisco 10
2010 New England 10
2014 Green Bay
2014 New England 13
2008 Miami 13
2008 New York Giants 13

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## WINNING SEASONS

Belichick [14 straight winning seasons) tied Curly Lambeau [14] for the sec-ond-most consecutive winning seasons all time, trailing only Tom Landry with 20.

## GUPER STATUS

Bill Belichick won his sixth conference title in 2014 to reach the Super Bowl, tying Miami's Don Shula for the most Super Bowl appearances by a head coach. His four Super Bowl titles tied Chuck Noll for the most Super Bowl titles by a head coach.

## POSTGEASON GUCCESS

Belichick [22 playoff wins) passed Tom Landry [20) for the most postseason wins as a head coach.

## MOVINE ON UP

Belichick (235 overall career wins) moved past Curly Lambeau [229] for sole possession of fourth place on the NFL's all-time list.

## CARE日R WINS

Bill Belichick has 213 career regular-season wins, fifth all-time in NFL history.

| HEAD COACH | CAREER WINS |
| :--- | ---: |
| Don Shula | 328 |
| George Halas | 318 |
| Tom Landry | 250 |
| Curly Lambeau | 226 |
| Bill Belichick | 213 |

## TOM BRADY

## TOUCHDOWN TOM

Brady currently is fiourth all-time with 399 career touchdowns and needs one more touchdown to become the fourth player to reach 400 touchdowns.

## 300-YARD cAMES

Brady is third all-time with 65 career 300-yard passing games. Drew Brees [87] and Peyton Manning [91] are the only quarterbacks in front of him.

## 30 TD PASS=S

Brady [33] reached 30 touchdown passes in 2014 and is just the fourth player in NFL history with at least 30 or more touchdown passes in five seasons.

## 4,000-YARロ PASSINC SEASON

Brady $(4,109)$ reached 4,000 passing yards in 2014 . It is his seventh $4,000-$ yard season to join Peyton Manning (14) and Drew Brees ( 9 ) as the only players with at least seven 4,000 -yard seasons.

## PLAYER OF THE WEEK

Brady (24) needs three more AFC Offensive Player of the Week honors to tie Peyton Manning (27) for the most player of the week honors in NFL history.

## 12-WIN SEASONS

Since entering the NFL in 2000, Tom Brady's teams have reached 12 regu-lar-season wins in nine different seasons, second all-time, behind Peyton Manning.
STARTING QBS WITH THE MOST 12-WIN REGULAR SEASONS IN NFL HISTORY PLAYER SEASONS
Peyton Manning 11
Tom Brady 9
Brett Favre 6
John Elway 4
Jim Kelly 4

## RECORD TITLE HOLDER

Tom Brady earned his NFL record 12th division championship in 2014. QUARTERBACK

CAREER DIVISION TITLES

## Tom Brady

12
Peyton Manning
11
Joe Montana
9

## 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].

PATBIOTS ALL-TIME LEADING SCORERS 1. Stephen Gostkowski 1,199
2. Adam Vinatieri

1,158
3. Gino Cappelletti

1,130
4. John Smith

692
5. Tony Franklin

442

## NFL SCORING LEADER \#1

Stephen Gostkowski has led the NFL in scoring in each of the last three seasons [2012-14] after finishing with 156 total points in 2014. He is just the fifth NFL player to lead the NFL in scoring in at least three consecutive seasons, joining Don Hutson [1940-44], and Gino Cappelletti [1963-66], Pat Harder (1947-49) and Paul Hornung (1959-61).

## NFL SCORING LEADAR \#?

Stephen Gostkowski led the NFL with 156 points and joins Don Hutson [5] and Gino Cappelletti (5) as the only NFL players to lead the NFL in scoring in at least four seasons. Gostkowski has led the NFL in scoring in 2008, 2012, 2013 and 2014.

## ROB CRONKOWEKI

## GRONK REACHES 1,000

Gronkowski $[1,124$ ) reached 1,000 receiving yards for the second time in his career. He is the ninth NFL tight end with at least two career 1,000 yard seasons.

## 2 FAST 2 FIFTY

Rob Gronkowski reached 50 career touchdown receptions in his 59th NFL game vs. Denver (11/2) to tie Randy Moss for the second-fastest player in NFL history to reach 50 touchdown receptions. Pro Football Hall of Famer Lance Alworth ( 54 games) is the only NFL player to reach the milestone in fewer games.

| PLAYER GAMES TO REACH 50 TD RECEPTIONS |  |
| :--- | :---: |
| Lance Alworth | 54 |
| Rob Gronkowski | 59 |
| Randy Moss | 59 |
| Jerry Rice | 61 |
| Tommy McDonald | 63 |
| Bob Hayes | 66 |

## END ZONE MILITIA

Gronkowski became the first tight end in NFL history to have three consecutive 10-plus touchdown seasons [ 10 in 2010, 18 in 2011 and 12 in 2012) and the first tight end in NFL history with four seasons of dou-ble-digit touchdowns when he scored his 10th touchdown in the win at San Diego (12/7/14). Antonio Gates ended his 2014 season with 12 touchdowns and also has four seasons with 10 or more touchdowns.

NFL TIGHT ENDS WITH MOST 10-PLUS TOUCHDOWN SEASONS Rob Gronkowski 4 [10 in 2010, 18 in 2011, 11 in 2012 and 11 in 2014] Antonio Gates $\quad 4$ (13 in 2004, 10 in 2005,10 in 2010 and 12 in2014] Tony Gonzalez 3
Jimmy Graham 3
Dallas Clark 2
Vernon Davis 2
Shannon Sharpe
Wesley Walls
Julius Thomas 2

## ALL-TIME TDS

Gronkowski now has 59 total touchdowns (58 receiving and 1 rushing) and ranks second in team history to the 68 total touchdowns by Stanley Morgan.

## RECAPTIONS STREAK

Gronkowski has a streak of 67 consecutive regular-season games with a reception - every regular season game of his career since 2010.

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LONGEST CURRENT STREAKS OF CONSECUTIVE GAMES WITH A RECEP-
                                    TION BY TIGHT ENDS
105 Jason Witten (Dallas)
105 Owen Daniels [Houston/Baltimore/Denver]
99 Heath Miller (Pittsburgh)
6 7 \text { Rob Gronkowski}
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## PATRIOTS ARE MOST FRECUENT SUPER EOWL TEAM OVER LAST BO YEARS <br> The Patriots have won eight conference championships since the 1985 season and have more conference titles than any other team over the last 30 years

 (since 1983). Additionally, the Patriots' seven conference titles over the last 25 years are three more than the next closest team and New England's seven conference championships in the last 20 years are also more than any other team. New England also has more conference titles over the last 15 years ( 6 ) than any other team.| Most Super Bowl Wins in Last 10 Years [2004-2014] |  |
| :---: | :---: |
| New England . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 2 |  |
|  | Pittsburgh . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 2 |
|  | N.Y. Giants . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 2 |
|  | 5 Other Teams . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 1 |
|  | Most Super Bowl Wins in Last 20 Years [1994-2014] |
|  | New England . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 4 |
|  | Pittsburgh . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 2 |
|  | Green Bay |
|  | N.Y. Giants . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 2 |
|  | Baltimore . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 2 |
|  | Denver . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 2 |
|  | 7 Other Teams |
|  | Most Super Bowl Wins in Last 30 Years [1984-2014] |
| New England . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 4 |  |
|  | N.Y. Giants . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 4 |
|  | San Francisco . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 4 |
|  | Dallas. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 3 |
|  | 5 Other Teams . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 2 |
|  | 6 Other Teams |

2N.Y. GiantsMost Super Bowl Winsin Last 20 Years [1994-2014]
4Pittsburgh
Green Bay .....  2
Baltimore ..... 2Denver1

Most Super Bowl Wins
in Last 30 Years [1984-2014]

## N.Y. Giants.

44Dallas.
Other Teams 2

## Most Conference Championships

 in Last 7 Years [2007-2014]New England . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 3
Pittsburgh2N.Y. Giants .2
8 Other Teams ..... 1
in Last 10 Years [2004-2014]
New England ..... 4
Pittsburgh .....  3
Indianapolis .....  2
N.Y. Giants .....  2
Seattle ..... 2
ther Teams ..... 1
Most Conference ChampionshipsNew England 6
Pittsburgh ..... 3
N.Y. Giants .....  3
SeattleIndianapolis2
St. Louis Rams .....  2
Baltimore .
Most Conference Championships in Last 20 Years [1994-2014]
New England ..... 7
Pittsburgh ..... 4
Green Bay ..... $\begin{array}{r}3 \\ \hline\end{array}$
5 Other Teams ..... 2
Most Conference Championships

in Last 25 Years [1989-2014]
New England .....  7
N.Y. Giants4
Pittsburgh ..... 4San FranciscoDallas.4
Green Bay3
Most Conference Championshipsin Last 30 Years [1984-2014]
Denver6
N.Y. GiantsSan FranciscoBuffaloPittsburghDallas.

8
Green Bay


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 season, the Patriots have the NFL's highest winning percentage and have scored the most points in the NFL. The Patriots also are tied for the NFL's second highest winning percentage since 2012 and have scored the second-most points since 2012.

HIGHEST WINNING PERCENTAGE SINCE 2011

| TEAM | W | L | T | PCT. | PF | PA |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :--- | :--- |
| New England | $\mathbf{5 1}$ | $\mathbf{1 5}$ | $\mathbf{0}$ | .773 | $\mathbf{2 0 5 0}$ | $\mathbf{1 3 7 0}$ |
| Green Bay | 49 | 17 | 1 | .735 | 1954 | 1511 |
| Denver | 49 | 18 | 0 | .727 | 1928 | 1469 |
| San Francisco | 45 | 20 | 1 | .689 | 1527 | 1160 |
| Seattle | 43 | 23 | 0 | .652 | 1592 | 1106 |
| Cincinnati | 42 | 23 | 1 | .644 | 1587 | 1324 |
| Baltimore | 40 | 26 | 0 | .606 | 1551 | 1320 |
| Pittsburgh | 40 | 26 | 0 | .606 | 1540 | 1325 |

HIGHEST WINNING PERCENTAGE SINCE 2012

| TEAM | W | L | T | PCT. | PF | PA |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :--- | :--- |
| Denver | 40 | 10 | 0 | .800 | 11619 | 1079 |
| New England | 38 | 12 | 0 | .760 | 1537 | 1028 |
| Seattle | 36 | 14 | 0 | .720 | 1271 | 791 |
| Cincinnati | 33 | 16 | 1 | .670 | 1243 | 1001 |
| Green Bay | 33 | 16 | 1 | .670 | 1394 | 1152 |
| Indianapolis | 33 | 17 | 0 | .660 | 1227 | 1139 |
| San Francisco | 32 | 17 | 1 | .650 | 1147 | 931 |
| Dallas | 30 | 20 | 0 | .600 | 1329 | 1220 |
| Baltimore | 28 | 22 | 0 | .570 | 1173 | 1054 |
| HIGHEST WINNING PERCENTAGE SINCE | 2013 |  |  |  |  |  |
| TEAM | W | L | T | PCT. | PF | PA |
| Denver | 27 | 7 | 0 | .794 | 1138 | 790 |
| New England | 26 | 8 | 0 | .765 | 980 | 697 |
| Seattle | 25 | 9 | 0 | 735 | 859 | 546 |
| Cincinnati | 23 | 10 | 1 | 691 | 852 | 681 |
| Arizona | 22 | 11 | 0 | 676 | 768 | 665 |
| Green Bay | 22 | 11 | 1 | .662 | 961 | 816 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

MOST POINTS SCORED SINCE 2011
Team
New England . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 2050
Green Bay . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 1954
Denver . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 1928
New Orleans. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 1861
Dallas. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 1698
Philadelphia . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 1626
Detroit . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 1606
Atlanta . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 1605
Seattle . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 1592

MOST POINTS SCORED SINCE 2012

| Team | Points |
| :---: | :---: |
| Denver | 1619 |
| New England | 1537 |
| Green Bay | 1394 |
| Dallas. | 1329 |
| New Orleans. | 1314 |
| Seattle | 1271 |
| Cincinnati | 1243 |
| Indianapolis | 1227 |
| Philadelphia | 1230 |

MOST POINTS SCORED SINCE 2013

| Team | Points |
| :---: | :---: |
| Denver | 38 |
| New England | 980 |
| Green Bay | 961 |
| Dallas. | 953 |
| Philadelphia | 950 |
| Pittsburgh | 879 |
| Indianapolis | 870 |
| Seattle | 859 |

## BY THE NUMEARS <br> $\underline{2}$

Stephen Gostkowski executed a successful onside kick in a victory vs. Cleveland [12/8/13] for only the second time 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 $(9 / 27 / 64)$.

## 3

DE Chandler Jones set a career high with 3 sacks in the win at Buffalo on Sept. 20, 2015. It marked his sixth mulitple sack game.

4
The Patriots scored 31 points in the second quarter of the $51-23$ win vs. Chicago (10/26/14), marking the fourth time in team history that the team has scored 30 or more points in a quarter.

5
The Patriots became the first team in NFL history in 2014 to earn five straight first round byes. Dallas and San Francisco earned four straight byes from 1992 through 1995.
$\frac{5}{2}$
The Patriots blocked five total kicks in 2014 with four field goals and one punt and returned two of the blocked field goals for touchdowns.

5
The Patriots finished with a 12-4 record in 2014. It is the ninth time in team history that the team won 12 or more wins and the fifth straight season that the team has had 12 or more wins.
g
The Patriots have 9 rookies, including seven draft picks and two rookie free agents that made the final 53-man roster in 2015.

## 10

The Patriots lead the NFL with 10 first round byes since the current NFL playoff format was instituted in 1990.

10
Julian Edelman opened the 2015 season with back-to-back games with 11 receptions. No NFL player has ever caught 10 or more passes in three straight games.

## 12

The Patriots have now had at least one rookie free agent make the team in 12 straight seasons [David Andrews, Justin Coleman and Chris Harper], the second-longest streak to 16 by Indianapolis.

14
The Patriots have gone 14 straight seasons without being swept by a division opponent, the longest such streak since the 1970 NFL merger.

## 19

The Patriots have now won 19 straight home ganes against non-division AFC opponents. Their last loss to a anon-division AFC team wasa 33-10 loss vs. Pittsburgh on Nov. 30, 2008.

## 40-1

Since 2000, the Patriots are 40-1 when a Patriots player eclipses 100 yards rushing. The only loss during the Bill Belichick era was on Dec. 20, 2004 in a 29-28 Miami win. Since then, the Patriots are 27-0 with a 100-yard rusher.

## 42-10

Since realignment in 2002, the Patriots have the best inter-conference record in the NFL.

## 57

Rob Gronkowski and Tom Brady have connected on 57 touchdown passes. It is the second-most connections between a quarterback and a tight end in NFL history.

## 68

The Patriots have the best divisional record in the NFL since 2001 with a 6819 (.782) record.

## 75

The Patriots have won 75 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.

## 219

WR Julian Edelman has 219 receptions over the last three seasons [201315], the second most in the NFL during that time, behind Antonio Brown [257).

## TOM ERADY EY THE NUMEERS <br> 6

Brady won his sixth conference title to pass John Elway [5] for most Super Bowl apprearances 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)

4
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.
g
Brady set an NFL record with his ninth start in a Conference Championship Game in 2014. Charlie Waters and Jack Reynolds are second with eight starts. 12
The number of division championships won by Tom Brady, the most division titles ever by a quarterback. Peyton Manning is second with 11.

## 16

Brady set a Super Bowl record with $\overline{16}$ 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.

## 85.7

Brady is $48-8$ in his career in December and has the best win percentage in December for any quarterback since the merger in 1970.

## 92.5

The percent of quarterback keepers converted by Brady (98 of 106) for first downs [73-of-77 on third-and-2 or less and 25-of-29 on fourth-and-2 or less].

162
Brady has 162 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.

## THE KRAFT GRA

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.

## 7

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.

## 14

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

## 16

The number of playoff seasons earned by the Patriots in the 21 seasons since Robert Kraft purchased the team.

## 36

The number of playoff games the Patriots have appeared in since 1994, the most in the NFL. Green Bay has the second most with 31.

## 231

The number of consecutive home games that have been sold out, including all playoff and preseason games dating back to the 1994 season opener.

## $\underline{255}$

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 history from 1960-93.

## THE BELICHICK 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, 2011, 2012].

4
Bill Belichick (235) passed Curly Lambeau (229) for sole possession of fourth place on the NFL wins list.

Super Bowl XLIX was Belichick's ninth Super Bowl overall, including six as a head coach and three as an assistant coach.

## 21ST SEASON AS HEAD COACH • 41ST NFL SEASON

Overall Record: 235-118 (.666) • Regular Season: 213-109 (.661)• Postseason: 22-9 (.710) With Patriots overall [2000-15]: 198-73 [.731)
Super Bowl Titles: $6(86,90,01,03,04,14] \cdot$ Conf. Titles: $9[86,90,96,01,03,04,07,11,14]$ Division Titles: $19[75,78,86,89,90,96,98,01,03,04,05,06,07,09,10,11,12,13,14]$


Bill Belichick is the only head coach in NFL history to win three Super Bowl titles in a four-year span. He has won more regular season games (123) and more games overall (136) during a 10-year stretch (2002-2011) 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 41 consecutive years as an NFL coach are second in NFL history to 43 by Tennessee's Dick LeBeau.


## AMONG THE GREATS

Bill Belichick has recorded 235 career wins, which is fourth all-time in NFL history. Belichick owns a career winning percentage of .666, which is third all-time, behind George Halas (.682) and Don Shula (.667).

| TOP WINNING PERCENTAGE AMONG HEAD COACHES WITH AT LEAST 160 WINS (INCL. POSTSEASON) |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| HEAD COACH | TEAM[S] | YEARS | W L | T PCT. |
| George Halas | CHI | 1920-29,33-41,46-55,58-67 | 324151 | 31.682 |
| Don Shula | BAL/MIA | 1963-95 | 347173 | 6.667 |
| BILL BELICHICK | CLE/NE | 1991-95,00-15 | 235118 | 0.666 |
| Curly Lambeau | GB/CHI/W | 1921-53 | 229134 | 22.630 |

## MOVING ONUP

Bill Belichick is in fourth place on the NFL wins list with 234 career wins.
MOST WINS NFL COACHES

| HEAD COACH | TEAM[S] | YEARS | W | L | $T$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Don Shula | BAL/MIA | 1963-95 | 347 | 173 | 6 |
| George Halas | CHI | 1920-29, 33-41, 46-55, 58-67 | 324 | 151 | 31 |
| Tom Landry | DAL | 1960-88 | 270 | 178 | 6 |
| BILL BELICHICK | CLE/NE | 1991-95,00-14 | 235 | 118 | 0 |
| Curly Lambeau | GB/CHI/WAS1921-53 |  | 229 | 134 | 22 |

NOTE: Winning percentage calculated using current NFL rules, counting a tie as a half-win, half-loss.

## SUPER SUCCESS

Bill Belichick has won four Super Bowls to match Chuck Noll for the most Super Bowl wins by a head coach. He is the only coach to win four Super Bowls in the post-1993 salary cap era.

| Bowls in the post-199 salary cap era. |  |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
|  | 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 | $1981,1984,1988$ |

NOTE: Sorted by most recent championship. Super Bowls have determined NFL champion since 1966.

## A WINNING EXTENSION

Bill Belichick has led the Patriots to a winning record for 14 consecutive seasons (2001-2014]. The only other NFL coach to have at least 10 consecutive winning seasons with one team since the 1970 merger was Tom Landry, who led the Dallas Cowboys to 16 consecutive winning seasons (1970-1985).

## 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

## CHAMPIONSHIP TEAM[S]

Bill Belichick
George Halas Curly Lambeau Vince Lombardi Chuck Noll

## 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]

CAREER MILESTONE FOR EELICHICK
Belichick [213] reached 200 career regular-season wins with the victory over Minnesota $[9 / 14 / 14$ ) to become just the sixth NFL head coach to achieve that feat, 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 | $250-162-6$ |
| Curly Lambeau | Packers/Cardinals/Redskins | $226-132-22$ |
| Bill Belichick | Browns/Patriots | $\mathbf{2 1 3 - 1 0 9 - 0}$ |

MANNING ON EELICHICK
Peyton Manning on Bill Belichick
"Coach Belichick is the best coach that l've ever competed against. I think it's safe to say he'll go down as the greatest NFL coach of all-time. His teams are always well-coached, always well-disciplined, and you know it's going to be a 60-minute fight. To me, that speaks to his coaching."

BETTAR THAN AVERACE
Bill Belichick has led the Patriots to 14 straight winning seasons [2001-2014]. Belichick's 14 straight winning seasons are tied for second all-time with Curly Lambeau (1934-47), behind 20 by Tom Landry (1966-85).
MOST CONSECUTIVE SEASONS WITH A WINNIING RECORD

| HEAD COACH | TEAM | YEARS |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Tom Landry | Dallas | $20-1966-1985$ |
| Bill Belichick | New England | $\mathbf{1 4 - 1 0 0 1 - 2 0 1 4}$ |
| Curly Lambeau | Green Bay | $14-1934-1947$ |
| Curly Lambeau | Green Bay | $12-1921-1932$ |
| George Halas | Chicago | $10-1933-1942$ |
| John Madden | Oakland | $10-1969-1978$ |

BELICHICK'S PATRIOTG RENAIGGANCE
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 | 193 | $\mathbf{6 2}$ | $\mathbf{0}$ | .757 |
| 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 | 103 | 55 | 1 | .651 |  |
| John HarbaughBaltimore | 82 | 47 | 0 | .636 |  |
| Mike Tomlin | Pittsburgh | 88 | 51 | 0 | .633 |
| Pete Carroll | Seattle | 57 | 35 | 0 | .620 |

ABOVE THE CENTURY MARK
Bill Belichick has an overall record of 235-1 18. 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 | $235-118-0$ |

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 (2010-2012). The Patriots are the first franchise in NFL history to score 500 or more points in four seasons [2007-589, 2010-$518,2011-513$ and 2012-557). St. Louis is the only other team to have done it three times (1999-526, 2000-540, 2001-503).

PLAYOFF SUCCESS
MOST PLAYOFF WINS BY AN NFL HEAD COACH
HEAD COACH . . . . . . TEAM[S] WINS
Bill Belichick ....... . Cleveland Browns, NE Patriots. . . . 22
Tom Landry . . . . . . . . . Dallas Cowboys . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 20
Don Shula. . . . . . . . . . . Baltimore Colts, Miami Dolphins . . . . 19
Joe Gibbs . . . . . . . . . . Washington Redskins . . . . . . . . . . . . . 17
Chuck Noll . . . . . . . . . . Pittsburgh Steelers. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 16
11 ON 12
Bill Belichick now has twelve 11-win seasons, including 11 with the Patriots. Don Shula is the only coach that has more with thirteen 11-win seasons.

NFL HEAD COACHES WITH THE MOST 11-WIN SEASONS

| Don Shula | 13 |
| :--- | ---: |
| Bill Belichick | $\mathbf{1 2}$ |
| Tom Landry | 10 |

## 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 |
| Bill Belichick | CLE/NE | 22 | 9 | .710 |
| Joe Gibbs | Washington | 17 | 7 | .708 |
| Jimmy Johnson | DAL/MIA | 9 | 4 | .692 |

## MOST POSTSEASON GAMES AS A HEAD COACH

## HEAD COACH

GAMES
Tom Landry [Dallas] 36
Don Shula [Baltimore/Miami] 36
Bill Belichick [Cleveland/New England] 31

## 3X COACH OF THE YEAR

The Associated Press named Bill Belichick the NFL's Coach of the Year in 2010, the third time that Belichick earned the honor. He was also named Coach of the Year following the 2003 and 2007 seasons, joining Don Shula [4-time winner] and Chuck Knox as the only three-time winners.

## EELICHICK ADDED TO HIS RECORD IN 2014

Bill Belichick has coached the Patriots to 12 straight seasons with 10 or more wins after reaching his 10th win of the 2014 season at San Diego [12/7/14], 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.

## DVISION TITLES RECORD

Bill Belichick guided the Patriots to the AFC East title in 2014. His 12 division titles are the most by a head coach since the 1970 merger. Don Shula is second with 11 division titles since the merger.

## 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.

## 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

## Bill Belichick

Dan Reeves
Don Shula
Tom Landry
Chuck Noll
Marv Levy

## SUPER BOWLS

9 (six as a head coach]
7 [four as a head coach]
6 [six as head coach]
5 [five as a head coach]
5 (four as a head coach)
5 (four as a head coach)

## coob IN DEC=MBER

Bill Belichick is 54-10 (.844) 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).

## g confarance champlonshlp cames

Bill Belichick reached his ninth conference championship game as a head coach in 2014, second to the 10 by Tom Landry.
Head Coach Conference Championships
Tom Landry
10
Bill Belichick 9
Don Shula 7
Chuck Noll 7
John Madden 6
Bill Cowher 6

## PATRİTS

CAREER NOTES
Tom Brady has quarterbacked the Patriots to victories in 162 of his 209 career regular season starts, compiling a .775 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 | 2000-15 | 162 | 47 | 0 | .775 |
| Roger Staubach | DAL | $1969-79$ | 85 | 29 | 0 | .746 |
| Joe Montana | SF/KC | $1979-94$ | 117 | 47 | 0 | .713 |



NINE AFC CHAMPIONSHIP GAME APPEARANCES
The Patriots played in their ninth conference championship game in the Tom Brady - Bill Belichick era (since 2001 with Brady starting at QB) in 2014. By omitting the season Brady missed due to injury in 2008, the Patriots have made nine title games in 13 seasons with Brady as the starter..

FIVE BO-TD GEAGONS
Brady has five 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 the fourth quarterback in NFL history to have 30 or more touchdown passes in at least five seasons and the fifth quarterback in NFL history with three or more straight seasons with 30 or more touchdowns.

MOST SEASONS WITH 30-PLUS TOUCHDOWN PASSES
Brett Favre ......................................... 9
Peyton Manning ........................................ 9
Drew Brees........................................... 7
TOM BRADY........................................ 5
Dan Marino ......................................... 4
Aaron Rodgers ..................................... 4
Tony Romo.............................................. 4
Philip Rivers.............................................. 4
Kurt Warner.

|  |
| :---: |

300-YARD AVC. IN THRE= SEASONS
Brady averaged 301.7 yards per game in 2012. Brady (300.4 in 2007 and 327.2 in 2011) joins Drew Brees as the first NFL players to average 300 yards per game in at least three seasons.

MOST SEASONS AVERAGING 300 OR MORE YARDS PER GAME

- 5 Drew Brees (2014, 2013, 2012, 2011, 2008) • 3 Tom Brady (2012, 2011, 2007) • 2 Dan Fouts $(1982,1981)$

PILING UP THE WINS
Brady is one of three NFL quarterbacks with at least 160 career wins. [Regular season only]

| RK | NAME | W | L | T | PCT. |
| :--- | :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| 1. | Brett Favre | 186 | 112 | 0 | .624 |
| 2. | Peyton Manning | 181 | 77 | 0 | .702 |
| 3. | Tom Brady | 162 | 47 | $\mathbf{0}$ | .775 |
| 4. | John Elway | 148 | 82 | 1 | .643 |
| 5. | Dan Marino | 147 | 93 | 0 | 613 |
| 6. | Fran Tarkenton | 124 | 109 | 6 | .531 |
| 7. | Johnny Unitas | 119 | 64 | 4 | .647 |
| 8t. | Joe Montana | 117 | 47 | 0 | .713 |
| 8t. | Drew Brees | 117 | 86 | 0 | .576 |
| 10. | Terry Bradshaw | 107 | 51 | 0 | .677 |
| 11. | Ben Roethlisberger | 107 | 53 | 0 | .669 |
| 12. | Warren Moon | 102 | 101 | 0 | .510 |

BRADY ONE OF GEVEN
NFL RECORD FOR MOST PASSING YARDS PER GAME [Minimum 50 Games)

| PLAYER | TEAM | YARDS/GAME |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Drew Brees. | . SD/NO. |  |
| Peyton Mannin | IND/DEN | 271.8 |
| Kurt Warner.. | STL/ARI | 260.8 |
| Aaron Rodger | .......GB... | ..... 259.1 |
| Matt Ryan....... | ...... ATL. | 257.4 |
| Tom Brady | ..NE | .... 256.0 |
| Dan Marino | Miami | . 6 |

## THR日ニ 35－Tロ GEASONS

Brady is one of five NFL players to have at least 35 touchdown passes in three different seasons．Brady had 33 touchdowns in 2014.

QBS WITH THE MOST 35＋PASSING TOUCHDOWNS IN NFL HISTORY

PLAYER
Peyton Manning $\quad 4$［49 in 2004， 37 in 2012， 55 in 2013， 39 in 2014］
Tom Brady
Brett Favre
Drew Brees Aaron Rodgers 3 （ 50 in 2007， 36 in 2010 and 39 in 2011）
3 （38 in 1995， 39 in 1996 and 35 in 1997）
3 （46 in 2011， 43 in 2012 and 39 in 2013）
3 （45 in 2011， 39 in 2012 and 38 in 2014）．

## ECLIPSING BK

Brady once again reached 3，000 yards in 2014 for his 12th 3，000－yard sea－ son．
NFL RECORD FOR MOST 3，000－YARD SEASONS

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

## ERADY AT 4，000

Brady $(4,109)$ reached 4,000 passing yards for the seventh time in his career in 2014．He joins Peyton Manning［14］and Drew Brees［9］as the only quar－ terbacks with at least seven 4，000－yard seasons

ALL－TIME 4，000 YARD PASSING SEASONS
14 Peyton Manning
9 Drew Brees
7 Tom Brady
6 Dan Marino
Brett Favre
5 Aaron Rodgers
Additionally，Brady owns seven of the nine 4，000－yard passing seasons in team history

| PATRIOTS TOP PASSING YARDS／SEASON |  |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: |
| Yards | Player | Year |
| 5,235 | Tom Brady | 2011 |
| 4,827 | Tom Brady | 2012 |
| 4,806 | Tom Brady | 2007 |
| 4,555 | 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 |

## 23 CAREER 4－TD cAMES

Brady has thrown four or more touchdowns in a game 23 times with 18 four－touchdown games，three five－touchdown games and two six－touchdown games．The Patriots are 22－1 when Brady throws four or more TD passes．

| MOST GAMES WITH 4＋TOUCHDOWN PASSES |  |
| :--- | :--- |
| PLAYER | $4+$ TD GAMES |

MOST GAMES WITH 4＋TDS AND NO INTERCEPTIONS

| PLAYER | GAMES |
| :--- | :--- |
| Tom Brady | 18 |
| Peyton Manning | 18 |
| Drew Brees | 18 |
| 4．Brett Favre | 12 |

## SIX FOR SIX－PLUS

Brady has thrown six touchdowns in a game two times and is one of six 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 GAMESPeyton Manning 3 （26 TD games and 17 TD Game）
George Blanda
Y．A．Tittle
Tom Brady
Charley Johnson
Ben Roethlisberger
Aaron Rodgers

3 （2 6 TD games and 17 TD Game）
2 games with 7 touchdowns 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


Player

| Player | Passing yards |
| :--- | ---: |
| 1．Brett Favre | 71,838 |
| 2．Peyton Manning | 70,122 |
| 3．Dan Marino | 61,361 |
| 4．Drew Brees | 56,643 |
| 5．Tom Brady | 54,012 |
| 6．John Elway | 51,475 |
| 7．Warren Moon | 49,325 |
| 8．Fran Tarkenton | 47,003 |
| 9．Vinny Testaverde | 46,233 |
| 10．Drew Bledsoe | 44,611 |

## FRANCMSELEADINE PASSER

|  | PATRIOTS ALL－TIME LEADING PASSERS |  |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| PLAYER | YEARS | ATT | COMP | YARDS |
| Tom Brady | $2000-15$ | $\mathbf{7 , 2 5 9}$ | $\mathbf{4 , 6 1 4}$ | $\mathbf{5 4 , 0 1 2}$ |
| Drew Bledsoe | $1993-01$ | 4,518 | 2,544 | 29,657 |
| Steve Grogan | $1975-90$ | 3,593 | 1,879 | 26,886 |

## NFL FRANCHISE WINS LEADER

Tom Brady has 162 career regular－season wins with the Patriots，surpassing Brett Favre［ 160 wins with Green Bay］for the most wins by a starting quar－ terback with one team．Brady made his 208th career start against Pittsburgh （9／10）when he won his 161st game．It took Favre 253 starts to reach 160 wins．

MOST WINS AS A STARTING QUARTERBACK FOR ONE TEAM

| Player | Wins | Team |
| :--- | ---: | :--- |
| Tom Brady | 162 | 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 65 NFL games with 300 or more yards passing and the Patriots are 54-11 in those games. He is one of five players with sixty 300-yard games. NFL QUARTERBACK 300-YARD GAMES ( * ACTIVE)
PLAYER
300-YARD GAMES
Peyton Manning* 91
Drew Brees* 87
Tom Brady* 65
Dan Marino 63
Brett Favre 62
Kurt Warner 52
Dan Fouts 51
Warren Moon 49
Tony Romo*
46
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).

## TOM BRADY'S RECORD AS A STARTER

| REG. SEASON | PLAYOFFS | TOTAL |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Overall 162-47 | 21-8 | 183-55 |
| Home: . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 91-14. | 14-3. | 105-17 |
| Road:. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 71 7-33. | 7-5*. | 78-38 |
| By Yardage Total |  |  |
| Less than 200. . . . . . . . . . 35-15. | 4-1. | 39-16 |
| 200-299: . . . . . . . . . . . . . . $73-21$. | 11-5. | . 84-26 |
| 300 or more: . . . . . . . . . . 54-11. | . 6-2. | . 60-13 |
| Other Records |  |  |
| On Artificial Turf:. . . . . . . . . 98-14. | 10-5. | .108-19 |
| Temp Below 40: . . . . . . . . . 34-5. | 11-2. | . 45-7 |
| Thanksgiving or later: . . . 61-13. | 21-8. | 82-21 |
| Leading at Halftime:. . . . 124-15. | 14-4. | 138-19 |
| Leading after 3 Qtrs: . . . . 133-8. | 13-3. | .146-11 |
| Overtime: . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 9-2. | . . 1-0. | . . 10-2 |
| *-Includes six Super Bowls at neutral sites |  |  |
|  |  |  |

## TOP ©E HOME STARTING RECORDS (min. so stafts) SINCE 1970 MERGER Includes postsEasons

| PLAYER | TEAM(S) | W | L | T | PCT. |
| :--- | :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Tom Brady | NE | $\mathbf{1 0 5}$ | $\mathbf{1 7}$ | $\mathbf{0}$ | .861 |
| Terry Bradshaw | PIT | 75 | 14 | 0 | .843 |
| John Elway | DEN | 104 | 25 | 0 | .806 |

## 37 cAME-WINNINC DRIVES

Brady has 37 game-winning drives in the fourth quarter or overtime in the regular season.
MOST GAME WINNING DRIVES IN THE FOURTH QUARTER OR OVERTIME

## (Regular Season)

| PLAYER | TEAMS | 4TH QTR GAME-WINNING DRIVES |
| :--- | :--- | :---: |
| 1. Peyton Manning IND/DEN | 52 |  |
| 2. Dan Marino | Miami | 47 |
| 3. Brett Favre | GB/NYJ/MIN | 43 |
| 4. John Elway | Denver | 40 |
| 5. Tom Brady | New England | 37 |
| 6. Warren Moon | HOU/MIN/SEA/KC | 35 |

## 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 Pa triots 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 at Denver W

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
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 $\qquad$ 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.

|  |  |
| :---: | :---: |
| Tom Brady earne | ision championship in 2014. |
| QUARTERBACK | CAREER DIVISION TITLES |
| Tom Brady | 12 |
| Peyton Manning | 11 |
| Joe Montana | 9 |

## 12-WIN SEASONS

Since entering the NFL in 2000, Tom Brady's teams have reached 12 regu-lar-season wins in nine different seasons, second all-time, behind Peyton Manning.
STARTING QBS WITH THE MOST 12-WIN REGULAR SEASONS IN NFL HISTORY PLAYER SEASONS

| Peyton Manning |  |
| :--- | :--- |
| Tom Brady | 1 |
| 9 |  |

9
John Elway 4
Jim Kelly
4

## Most WINS IN 200 STARTS

Brady had 155 career regular-season wins in his first 200 regular-season starts [155-45, .775]. Brady has more wins than any other quarterback in his first 200 regular-season starts. 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 |

## Dan Marino

 136John Elway

125 124

## SIXTH TO REACH 4,000 COMPLETIONS

Tom Brady $[4,614]$ is one of six players in NFL history to reach 4,000 completions.
MOST PASS COMPLETIONS IN NFL HISTORY

| 1. Brett Favre | 6,300 |
| :--- | ---: |
| 2. Peyton Manning | 5,977 |
| 3. Dan Marino | 4,991 |
| 3. Drew Brees | 4,967 |
| 5. Tom Brady | $\mathbf{4 , 6 1 4}$ |
| 6. John Elway | 4,123 |
| 7. Warren Moon | 3,988 |

## THIRD FASTEST TO 4,000 COMPLETIONS

Tom Brady has now completed 4,614 passes over his career in the regular season, becoming just the sixth player (third fastest) in NFL history to achieve the feat.
GAMES PLAYED TO 4,000 CAREER COMPLETIONS

| Drew Brees | 169 |
| :--- | :--- |
| Peyton Manning | 183 |
| Tom Brady | 187 |
| Dan Marino | 193 |
| Brett Favre | 196 |
| John Elway | 227 |

## ERADY HAS SIXTH-EEST ©E RATING

| PLAYER | YEARS | TEAM | RATING |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | ---: |
| Aaron Rodgers | 2005-14 | Green Bay | 106.4 |
| Tony Romo | $2004-14$ | Dallas | 97.6 |
| Peyton Manning | $1998-14$ | IND/DEN | 97.3 |
| Steve Young | $1985-99$ | TB/SF | 96.8 |
| Tom Brady | $2000-14$ | Patriots | 96.2 |
| Philip Rivers | $2004-14$ | San Diego | 95.9 |

## MOST TD THROWS COACH/®E TANDEM

Tom Brady has thrown 399 career touchdowns under head coach Bill Belichick, the most touchdowns among any head coach/starting quarterback tandem.

> MOST TDS/QB TANDEMS
> [Regular Season Only]

| Quarterback/Head Coach | Team | Touchdowns |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Tom Brady/Bill Belichick | NE | $\mathbf{3 9 9}$ |
| Dan Marino/Don Shula | MIA | 352 |
| Drew Brees/Sean Payton | NO | 275 |
| Len Dawson/Hank Stram | KC | 232 |

## BRADY BEATS EVERYBODY

Since the win vs. Denver on Nov. 2, 2014, no NFL team can claim a winning record against Tom Brady. Conversely, Peyton Manning has a losing record against five teams and Brett Favre had a losing record against seven teams in his career. Brady has a career .500 record against five teams and a winning regular-season record against 26 teams.

He is undefeated against eight teams - Atlanta (4-0), Chicago [4-0], Dallas [3-0], Detroit (4-0), Jacksonville [4-0), Minnesota [4-0], Philadelphia (3-0) and Tampa Bay (3-0). Brady is most successful against Buffalo, with a $24-3$ 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 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 among a quarterback with at least 50 starts.

BEST HOME REGULAR SEASON STARTING RECORDS [MINIMUM 40 STARTS]

| Player | Record |
| :--- | :--- |
| Tom Brady | $91-14(.867)$ |
| Terry Bradshaw | $67-12(.848)$ |
| Roger Staubach | $49-10(.831)$ |
| Aaron Rodgers | $43-9[.827)$ |
| John Elway | $92-23(.805)$ |
| Joe Flacco | $45-11(.804]$ |

BEST HOME REGULAR SEASON STARTING RECORD IN FIRST 100 STARTS

| Player | Record |
| :--- | :--- |
| Tom Brady | $\mathbf{8 7 - 1 3}(.870)$ in his first $\mathbf{1 0 0}$ starts at home |
| Brett Favre | $82-18(.820)$ in his first 100 starts at home |
| John Elway | $77-23(.770)$ in his first 100 starts at home |
| Peyton Manning | $74-26(.740)$ in his first 100 starts at home |

WINNINCEST caAchice TANDEM
Bill Belichick and Tom Brady have the best winning percentage among a head coach/starting quarterback tandem since the 1970 merger. The tandem's 162 wins are the most wins by any coach-QB tandem since the 1970 AFL-NFL 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 | 162 | $\mathbf{4 7}$ | $\mathbf{0}$ | .775 |
| Ken Stabler/John Madden | OAK | 60 | 19 | 1 | .756 |
| Jim McMahon/Mike Ditka | CHI | 46 | 15 | 0 | .754 |
| Peyton Manning/Tony Dungy | IND | 73 | 24 | 0 | .753 |

WINNINGEST COACH/QB TANDEMS SINCE 1970
(Regular Season Only - by victories)

| Quarterback/Head Coach | Team | W | L | T | Pct. |
| :--- | :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Tom Brady/Bill Belichick | NE | $\mathbf{1 6 2}$ | $\mathbf{4 7}$ | $\mathbf{0}$ | .775 |
| Dan Marino/Don Shula | MIA | 116 | 68 | 0 | .630 |
| Terry Bradshaw/Chuck Noll | PIT | 107 | 51 | 0 | .601 |

MOST GTARTS 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 209 career starts under Belichick.

BRADY BEATS BUFFALO
Tom Brady owns a 24-3 record against the Buffalo Bills. He has more wins against Buffalo than any other NFL team. The New York Jets are second with 20 wins. Brady's 24 wins against Buffalo are the second most wins by a quarterback against an opponent.

MOST WINS BY A STARTING QUARTERBACK AGAINST AN OPPONENT Player Wins
Brett Favre
Tom Brady
Brett Favre
26 wins against Detroit
24 wins against Buffalo
23 wins against Chicago
Dan Marino

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 of 308 pass attempts on Dec. 26, 2010 at Buffalo.

MOST CONSECUTIVE PASS ATTEMPTS WITHOUT AN INTERCEPTION

| 358 | Tom Brady [Patriots] | 2010-11 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 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) $2007-08$ |  |

12 cAMES WITH 300 YARDS, 4 TDS \& 0 INTS
Tom Brady had his 12th NFL game with 300 yards, four touchdowns and no interceptions vs. Chicago [10/26/14], second in NFL history to the 15 such games by Drew Brees.

GECOND IN DISTINCT HONOR
Tom Brady has earned 24 AFC Player of the Week honors, second in NFL history Peyton Manning's 27 honors. Brady was named AFC Offensive Player of the Month for October in 2014. It was his seventh AFC Player of the Month honor, second to Manning's eight.

CAREER PLAYER OF THE WEEK AWARDS

| Player | Career | Team | POW Awards |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :---: |
| Peyton Manning | 1998 -present | Colts/Broncos | 27 |
| Tom Brady | $2000-$ present | Patriots | 24 |
| Dan Marino | $1983-1999$ | Dolphins | 18 |
| Brett Favre | $1991-2010$ | Packers, Jets, Vikings | 16 |
| John Elway | $1983-1998$ | Broncos | 15 |

ERADY GHINES ON MONDAY NICHT
Brady has thrown 43 touchdown passes on "Monday Night Football", the thirdmost in NFL history.
CAREER TOUCHDOWN PASSES ON MONDAY NIGHT FOOTBALL

| Player | TD Passes on MNF | Games |
| :--- | :---: | :---: |
| Dan Marino | 74 | 38 |
| Brett Favre | 69 | 38 |
| Tom Brady | 43 | 19 |
| Steve Young | 42 | 25 |
| Peyton Manning | 38 | 18 |
| Joe Montana | 36 | 20 |

OPENING DAU STARTS
Tom Brady made his 14 th opening day start with the Patriots in 2015. Only three other quarterbacks have started more opening days than Brady with one team

MOST OPENING DAY STARTS WITH ONE TEAM

| Player | Team | Starts | Years |
| :--- | :--- | ---: | ---: |
| John Elway | Denver | 16 | $1983-98$ |
| Dan Marino | Miami | 16 | $1984-99$ |
| Brett Favre | Green Bay | 15 | $1993-2007$ |
| Tom Brady | New England | $\mathbf{1 4}$ | $\mathbf{2 0 0 2 - 1 5}$ |

## THREE TD; NO INT

Tom Brady is second in NFL history with 43 games with three or more touchdowns and no interceptions. The Patriots are 42-1 (.977) in such games.

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

| Peyton Manning | 51 |
| :--- | :--- |
| Tom Brady | $\mathbf{4 3}$ |
| Brett Favre | 36 |
| Drew Brees | 35 |
| Aaron Rodgers | 31 |

## CREAT WHEN IT'S LATE

Tom Brady has the most wins of any starting quarterback in the final four games of the regular season since the 1970 merger.

| QUARTERBACK | W-L RECORD | WIN PCT. |
| :--- | :---: | ---: |
| Philip Rivers | $30-6$ | .833 |
| Tom Brady | $43-9$ | .827 |
| Roger Staubach | $24-6$ | .800 |
| Joe Montana | $35-12$ | .745 |
| Steve McNair | $28-10$ | .737 |

## 200 cAME CLUE

Tom Brady played in his 200th NFL game for the Patriots in the win vs. the N.Y. Jets (10/16) and is one of three Patriots with 200 games played.

Player
Games Played
$\begin{array}{ll}\text { Bruce Armstrong } & 212 \\ \text { Tom Brady } & 211\end{array}$
Julius Adams 206

## SECOND PATRIOT WITH 2OO STARTS

Tom Brady (209) 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.

## ELTE COMPANY

Tom Brady [209 starts in the regular season and 29 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

## STELLAR IN NOVEMEER

## QUARTERBACKS WITH THE BEST RECORDS IN NOVEMBER IN SUPER

BOWL ERA (MIN. 20 STARTS)

| Player | Record in November | Win PCT. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Daryle Lamonica | 19-4-2 | . 826 |
| Tony Romo | 26-6 | . 813 |
| Jim McMahon | 18-5 | . 783 |
| Tom Brady | 38-12 | . 760 |
| Joe Flacco | 22-9 | . 710 |
| BRADY E\|c N ロ=c=ME=R |  |  |

Tom Brady is 48-8 (.857) in December, the best record in December among quarterbacks with at least 20 starts. Roger Staubach is second (17-3, .850) Among active quarterbacks, Philip Rivers is second with a 31-9 record (.775)

## FAVORABLE FINAL FOUR

Brady is 43-9 as a starter in the final four games of the season, including 3-1 in 2014.

## Best Record as a starting quarterback in final four games

 OF SEASON| QUARTERBACK | W-L RECORD | WIN PCT. |
| :--- | ---: | ---: |
| Philip Rivers | $30-6$ | .833 |
| Tom Brady | $43-9$ | .827 |
| Roger Staubach | $24-6$ | .800 |
| Joe Montana | $35-12$ | .745 |
| Steve McNair | $28-10$ | .737 |

## 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


## ERADY GOES Long

Brady owns seven of the nine 4,000-yard passing seasons in Patriots history Brady had 4,109 passing yards in 2014

## PATRIOTS TOP PASSING YARDS/SEASON

YARDS PLAYER YEAR
5,235 Tom Brady 2011
4,827 Tom Brady 2012
4,806 Tom Brady 2007
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 $\quad 1996$


## BRADY GAME MOTTES

## BRADY THROWS FOR SECOND-HICHEST TOTAL

Tom Brady threw for 466 yards at Buffalo [09/20/14], marking the seventh time in Brady's career that he has eclipsed the 400-yard mark, the sec-ond-highest single-game mark of his career and the most ever against Buffalo, eclipsing the 464 yards be 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 |

## 50-YARD DOUELE DOWN

Brady has thrown at least two 50-yard passes in the same game eight times in his career. His career best came in 2009 with three 50-yard strikes in one game.


## THE BRADY 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 Chicago, 51-23, on Oct. 26, 2014, the seventh time that New England scored at least 50 points in a game started by Brady, moving past Pro Football Hall of Famer Len Dawson [6] for the most in NFL 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 | $51-23$ |

## 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. Cleveand.

## 3OO 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 |
| $\mathbf{3 2 3}$ | vs. Cleveland [12-08-13] | 2nd half |
| 306 | at Miami $[9-12-11]$ | 2nd half |

## TOM BRADY PLAYOFF NOTES

BRADY 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 . He added three more touchdowns in the AFC title win and four in the Super Bowl. 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 | 53 |
| Joe Montana | San Fran./Kansas City | 45 |
| Brett Favere | Green Bay/Minnesota | 44 |
| Peyton Manning | Indianapolis/Denver | 38 |
| Dan Marino | Miami | 32 |
| Kurt Warner | St. Louis Anizona | 31 |
| Terry Bradshaw | Pittsburgh | 30 | Terry Bradshaw

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

| PLAYER | TEAM | GAME |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Tom Brady | NE | AFCD: 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 | 7,345 |
| Peyton Manning | Indianapolis/Denver | 6,800 |
| Brett Favre | 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 | TEAM | COMPLETIONS |
| :--- | :---: | :---: |
| Tom Brady | New England | 683 |
| Peyton Manning | Indianapolis/Denver | 598 |
| Brett Fave | Green Bay/Minnesota | 481 |
| Joe Montana | San Fran./Kansas City | 460 |



## MOST 300-YARD GAMES, POSTSEASON HISTORY



## BRADY IN POSTGEASON

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.

> NFL ALL-TIME LEADERS/PLAYOFF VICTORIES AS STARTING QUARTERBACK

PLAYER
Tom Brady
Joe Montana
TEAM[S]
PLAYOFF WINS
New England
21
Terry Bradshaw Pittsburgh
John Elway Denver 14

Jrett Eavra Denver
14

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 MULTIPLE SUPER BOWL MVP AWARDS
PLAYER TEAM MVPS

| Tom Brady | NE |
| :--- | ---: |
| Joe Montana | SF |
| Terry Bradshaw PIT |  |
| Bart Starr | GB |

## BRADY HAS MOST PLAYOFF WINS

Tom Brady is the winningest quarterback in NFL playoff history among signal callers who have made at least 10 starts.

MOST PLAYOFF WINS BY STARTING QB IN NFL HISTORY

| PLAYER | TEAM | PLAYOFF WINS |
| :--- | :---: | :---: |
| Tom Brady | New England | 21 |
| Joe Montana | San Fran./K.C. | 16 |
| Terry Bradshaw | Pittsburgh | 14 |
| John Elway | Denver | 14 |
| Brett Favre | Green Bay | 13 |
| Troy Aikman | Dallas | 11 |
| Roger Staubach | Dallas | 11 |
| Peyton Manning | Indianapolis/Denver | 11 |

HIGHEST PLAYOFF WIN 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 |
| Tom Brady | New England | 21 | 8 | .724 |
| Joe Montana | San Fran./K.C. | 16 | 7 | .696 |
| Kurt Warner | St. Louis/Arizona | 9 | 4 | .692 |
| John Elway | Denver | 14 | 7 | .667 |
| Ben Roethlisberger | Pittsburgh | 10 | 5 | .667 |
| Joe Flacco | Baltimore | 10 | 5 | .667 |

MOST PLAYOFF STARTS BY A QUARTERBACK

| PLAYER | TEAM | STARTS |
| :--- | :---: | :---: |
| Tom Brady | New England | 29 |
| Peyton Manning | Indianapolis/Denver | 24 |
| 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 with his four touchdowns in Super Bowl XLIX, to increased his Super Bowl touchdown total to 13 , to move past Joe Montana [11] for the most touchdown passes in Super Bowl history. Brady's six Super Bowl starts are the most among all quaterbacks in NFL history.

SUPER BOWL PASSING YARDS

| PLAYER | ATT | COMP | YARDS |
| :--- | ---: | :---: | :---: |
| Tom Brady | 247 | 164 | 1,605 |
| Kurt Warner | 132 | 83 | 1,156 |
| Joe Montana | 122 | 83 | 1,142 |
| John Elway | 152 | 76 | 1,128 |
| Terry Bradshaw | 84 | 49 | 932 |


| SUPER BOWL PASSING TOUCHDOWNS |  |  |  |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| PLAYER | APPEARANCES | TDS |  |
| Tom Brady | 6 | 13 |  |
| Joe Montana | 4 | 11 |  |
| Terry Bradshaw | 4 | 9 |  |
| Roger Staubach | 4 | 8 |  |
| Kurt Warner | 3 | 6 |  |

SUPER BOWL STARTS BY A QUARTERBACK

| STARTING GB | TEAM | \# | APPEARANCES |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Tom Brady | NE | - | XXXVI, XXXVIII, XXXIX, XLII, |
| John Elway | DEN | 5 | XXI, XXII, XXIV, XXXII, XXXIII |
| Terry Bradshaw | PIT | 4 | \|X, X, XIII, XIV |
| Jim Kelly | BUF | 4 | XXV, XXVI, XXVII, XXVIIII |
| Joe Montana | SF | 4 | XVI, XIX, XXIII, XXIV |
| Roger Staubach | DAL | 4 | VI, X, XII, XIII |

## postseason cp racorn approaching

Super Bowl XLIX was Tom Brady's 29th NFL postseason game, matching Jerry Rice for the second-most postseason games. He needs to play in on more postseason game to tie Adam Vinatierifor the all-time lead with 30 postseason games.



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."


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 | Average |
| :--- | :--- |
| Curtis Martin | $9.6[17-164$ vs. Washington, Oct. 13, 1996) |
| Tony Collins | $9.2[23-212$ vs. N.Y. Jets, Sept. 18, 1983) |
| Sammy Morris | $8.6[16-138$ vs. Denver, Oct. 20, 2008) |
| Jim Nance | $8.6[17-146$ at Houston, Dec. 11, 1966] |
| Brandon Bolden | $8.6[16-137$ at Buffalo, Sept. 30, 2012) |
| Stevan Ridley | $8.5[15-127$ at St. Louis, Oct. 28, 2012] |

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 second quarter 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.


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 return touchdown vs. Miami [1/2/11]. The previous longest punt return was an 89-yard touchdown return by Mike Haynes vs. Buffalo (11/7/76). He 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 second-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 | 7 |
| :--- | ---: | ---: |
| Julian Edelman | NE | $\mathbf{4}$ |
| Patrick Peterson | ARZ | 4 |
| Tavon Austin | STL | 3 |
| Ted Ginn, Jr. | SF/CAR/ARZ | 3 |
| Dexter McCluster | TEN | 3 |
| Leodis McKelvin | BUF | 3 |
| Darren Sproles | SD/NO/PHI | 3 |
| Antonio Brown | PIT | 3 |
| Micah Hyde | GB | 3 |
| Travis Benjamin | CLE | 3 |

NOT YOUR AVERACE RETURNER
Edelman has returned 133 punts for 1,616 yards during his career and is first in team history and tied for fifth in NFL history with a 12.2 average. Edelman finished first in the AFC and second in the NFL with a12.O punt return average in 2014 . Philadelphia's Darren Sproles (13.0) was first in the NFL.

HIGHEST PUNT RETURN AVERAGE, PATRIOTS CAREER (20 Returns)

| Player | Punt Rt Avg. | Year |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Julian Edelman | $\mathbf{1 2 . 2}$ | 2009-14 $(133-1,616)$ |
| Mack Herron | 12.0 | $1973-75[74-888)$ |
| 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] |
| Devin Hester [Chicago/Atlanta) | 12.3 [282-3,481) | [2006-present] |
| Julian Edelman [ NE ] | 12.2 [133-1,616) | (2009-present) |
| Bill Dudley (PITT/DEN/WAS) | 12.2 [124-1,515] | (1942-53) |
| Rick Upchurch [DEN) | 12.1 (248-3,008) | [1975-83) |
| Desmond Howard (WAS/JAC/GB/OAK/DET) | 11.9 (244-2,895) | (1992-2002) |
| Billy Johnson (HOU/ATL/WAS) | 11.8 (282-3,317) | [1974-88) |

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 ©B 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."

RETURNS PILING UP
Julian Edelman is in fourth place in team history with 132 punt returns.
MOST PUNT RETURNS IN PATRIOTS HISTORY

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

Edelman is in third place in team history with 1,616 punt return yards.
MOST PUNT RETURN YARDS IN PATRIOTS HISTORY

| Player | Punt Return Yards |
| :--- | :--- |
| 1. Troy Brown | 2,625 |
| 2. Irving Fryar | 2,055 |
| 3. Julian Edelman | $\mathbf{1 , 6 1 6}$ |
| 3. David Meggett | 1,438 |
| 5. Wes Welker | 1,185 |

EEST PUNT RETURN AVERACEIN 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]

| PLAYER | PR AVG. | YEAR |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Julian Edelman | 15.5 | 2012 |
| Julian Edelman | $\mathbf{1 5 . 3}$ | 2010 |
| Mack Herron | 14.8 | 1974 |
| Troy Brown | 14.2 | 2001 |

EDELMANP EIG RETURN
Julian Edelman had an 84-yard punt return for a touchdown in the second quarter vs. Denver on Nov. 2, 2014. It was Edelman's 13th career punt return of 30 yards or more.

MOST 30-YARD PUNT RETURNS IN PATRIOTS HISTORY

| Player | 30-yard returns |
| :--- | ---: |
| Troy Brown | 14 |
| Julian Edelman | 13 |
| Irving Fryar | 13 |
| Mike Haynes | 13 |

EDELMAN TAKES HIS FATHER'S ADVICE
If there is one thing Julian Edelman has never lacked, it's athletic ability. A dual-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."

## TE ROB GRINHKOUTVKI

 RECAIVING YARDS RECORD

Rob Gronkowski finished the 2011 season with 1,327 receiving yards, surpassing San Diego's Kellen Winslow's 1980 record of 1,290 receiving yards for most receiving yards in a season by a tight end. He is the ninth NFL tight end and the first Patriots tight end with two 1,000-yard seasons.

MOST RECEIVING YARDS BY TIGHT END IN THE NFL

| Player | Yards | Year |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Rob Gronkowski | $\mathbf{1 , 3 2 7}$ | $\mathbf{2 0 1 1}$ |
| Jimmy Graham (NO) | 1,310 | 2011 |
| Kellen Winslow (SD) | 1,290 | 1980 |
| Tony Gonzalez (KC) | 1,258 | 2004 |
| Todd Christensen (Raiders) | 1,247 | 1983 |
| Jimmy Graham (NO) | 1,215 | 2013 |
| Jackie Smith (STL) | 1,205 | 1967 |
| Tony Gonzalez (KC) | 1,203 | 2000 |
| Pete Retzaff (PHI) | 1,190 | 1965 |
| Ben Coates (NE) | 1,174 | 1994 |

MOST RECEIVING YARDS BY A PATRIOTS TIGHT END

| Player | Yards | Year |
| :--- | ---: | ---: |
| Rob Gronkowski | $\mathbf{1 , 3 2 7}$ | $\mathbf{2 0 1 1}$ |
| Ben Coates | 1,174 | 1994 |
| Rob Gronkowski | $\mathbf{1 , 1 2 4}$ | 2014 |
| Ben Coates | 915 | 1995 |
| Aaron Hernandez | 910 | 2011 |
| Marv Cook | 808 | 1991 |
| Don Hasselbeck | 808 | 1981 |


| MOST RECEPTIONS <br> PY <br> Player |  |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: |
| Ben Coates | Rec. | Yeatriots TIGHT END |
| Rob Gronkowski | 96 | 1994 |
| Ben Coates | 90 | 2011 |
| Rob Gronkowski | 84 | 199 |
| Marv Cook | 82 | 2014 |
|  | 82 | 1991 |



## cRONKOWSKI JOINS ELITE TE CLUE

Rob Gronkowski eclipsed 1,000 yards receiving and 10+ touchdowns for the second time in his career in 2014, joining Jimmy Graham as the only other tight end in NFL history with two 1,000-yard and double-digit TD seasons.
TIGHT ENDS WITH TWO 1,000-YARD RECEIVING AT 10+TD SEASONS

| Player, Team | Season | Rec. Yards | Touchdowns |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Rob Gronkowski, NE | $\mathbf{2 0 1 1}$ | $\mathbf{1 , 3 2 7}$ | $\mathbf{1 7}$ |
| Jimmy Graham, NO | 2011 | 1,310 | 11 |
| Jimmy Graham, NO | 2013 | 1,215 | 16 |
| Rob Gronkowski, NE | $\mathbf{2 0 1 4}$ | $\mathbf{1 , 1 2 4}$ | $\mathbf{1 2}$ |

## 300 RECAPTIONS FOR CRONK

TE Rob Gronkowski reached 300 career receptions and now has 320 receptions. He is the ninth Patriots player to reach 300 career receptions. Gronkowski is ninth on the Patriots reception list. WR Deion Branch is eighth with 328 receptions.

## SPECIAL CONNECTION

Rob Gronkowski and Tom Brady have connected on 57 touchdown passes, for the most touchdown connections in Patriots history.

| THE MOST TD CONNECTIONS IN PATRIOTS HISTORY |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Quarterback | Player | TD Connections |
| Tom Brady | Rob Gronkowski | 57 |
| Drew Bledsoe | Ben Coates | 45 |
| Tom Brady | Randy Moss | 39 |
| Steve Grogan | Stanley Morgan | 39 |

## GRONKOWSKI IS STREAKING

Gronkowski has caught at least one pass in all 67 regular-season games that he has played in his career. The only game that Gronkowski has played in at the NFL level where he did not have at least one reception was the 2012 AFC Divisional Playoff game vs. Houston when he left the game in the first quarter with an injury.
LONGEST CURRENT STREAKS OF CONSECUTIVE GAMES WITH A RECEPTION BY TIGHT ENDS 105 Jason Witten [Dallas)
105 Owen Daniels [Houston/Baltimore/Denver]
99 Heath Miller (Pittsburgh)
67 Rob Gronkowski (New England)

## TICHT END Tロ RECORD I

Gronkowski set an NFL record for most touchdowns by a tight end with 18 overall touchdowns in 2011 (17 receiving and 1 rushing). In addition to his 17 touchdown receptions, Gronkowski scored on a lateral in the third quarter vs. Indianapolis (12/4/11), credited as his first career rushing play.

|  | MOST TOTAL TDs BY A | TIGHT END IN A SINGLE NFL SEASON |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| $\mathbf{1 8}$ | Rob Gronkowski | NE | 2011 | [17 pass, 1 rush] |
| 16 | Jimmy Graham | NO | 2013 | [16 pass] |
| 13 | Vernon Davis | SF | 2013 | [13 pass] |
| 13 | Vernon Davis | SF | 2009 | [13 pass] |
| 13 | Antonio Gates | SD | 2004 | [13 pass] | MOST TD RECEPTIONS BY A TIGHT END IN A SINGLE NFL SEASON


| 17 | Rob Gronkowski | NE | 2011 |
| :--- | :--- | :---: | :--- |
| 16 | Jimmy Graham | ND | 2013 |
| 13 | Vernon Davis | SF | 2013 |
| 13 | Vernon Davis | SF | 2009 |
| 13 | Antonio Gates | SD | 2004 |

## FIRST TICHT END TO SCORE A RUSH TD

Gronkowski scored a 2-yard touchdown on a lateral from Tom Brady in the third quarter vs. Indianapolis [12/4/11], becoming the first tight end in Pa triots history to score a rushing touchdown. Gronkowski is the first NFL tight end to score a rushing touchdown since Tennessee's Bo Scaife had a 31-yard scoring run against Baltimore on Nov. 12, 2006. He is the first tight end since the 1970 merger to have two receiving touchdowns and a rushing touchdown in the same game.


## DIVIDE AND cRONK-ER

Rob Gronkowski has 59 career touchdowns overall ( 58 receiving, 1 rushing], which ranks second in team history to the 68 total touchdowns by Stanley Morgan. He stands alone with the most TDs by a Patriots tight end. Gronkowski needs one more touchdown to become the second Patriots player with 60 career touchdowns.

MOST CAREER TOUCHDOWNS BY A PATRIOTS PLAYER
Player
Touchdowns

| 1. Stanley Morgan | 68 [67 rec, 1 ret] |
| :--- | :--- |
| 2. Rob Gronkowski | 59 [58, rec, 1 rush] |
| 3. Ben Coates | 50 |
| 4. Randy Moss | 50 |
| 5. Sam Cunningham | 49 |
| 6. Jim Nance | 46 |
| 7. Tony Collins | 44 |

## MOST TOUCHDOWN RECEPTIONS BY A PATRIOTS PLAYER

| Player | Touchdowns |  |
| :--- | ---: | :--- |
| 1. Stanley Morgan | 67 |  |
| 2. Rob Gronkowski | 58 |  |
| 2. Ben Coates | 50 |  |
| 2. Randy Moss | 50 |  |
| MOST RECEIVING TOUCHDOWNS BY A PATRIOTS TIGHT EI |  |  |
| Player | TD | Years |
| Rob Gronkowski | 58 | 2010-Present |
| Ben Coates | 50 | $1991-99$ |
| Russ Francis | 28 | $1975-80,87-88$ |
| Ben Watson | 20 | $2004-09$ |

## TICHT END TD RECORD II

Gronkowski became the first tight end in NFL history to have three consecutive 10-plus touchdown seasons ( 10 in 2010, 18 in 2011 and 11 in 2012). He also became the first tight end in NFL history with four seasons of 10 touchdowns after catching his 10th touchdown pass of the 2014 season at San Diego on Dec. 7, 2014. Antonio Gates reached four seasons with 10-touchdowns after recording his 10th touchdown the following week.

NFL TIGHT ENDS WITH MOST 10-PLUS TOUCHDOWN SEASONS

## Rob Gronkowski

Antonio Gates
410 in 2010, 18 in 2011, 11 in 2012 and 12 in 2014]
4 [13 in 2004, 10 in 2005, 10 in 2010 and 12 in 2014]
Tony Gonzalez
Jimmy Graham
Dallas Clark
Vernon Davis
Shannon Sharp
Wesley Walls
Julius Thomas
Julius Thomas

## GRONKOWSKI REACHES CAREAR MILESTONE

Rob Gronkowski reached 50 career touchdowns receptions in his 59th career regular-season game to tie Randy Moss for the second-fastest player in NFL history to reach 50 touchdown receptions. Pro Football Hall of Famer Lance Alworth (54 games) is the fastest player in NFL annals to reach the milestone. Gronkowski also surpassed the record for fewest games by a tight end to reach 50 career touchdown catches.

NFL RECORD / FEWEST GAMES TO REACH 50 TOUCHDOWN CATCHES Player

Games to reach 50 TD Rec.
Lance Alworth 54
Rob Gronkowski 59
Randy Moss 59
Jerry Rice 61
Tommy McDonald 63


FASTEST TETO 50 Tロ
Gronkowski recorded his 50th career touchdown reception in his 59th career game－ 33 games［or two full seasons）earlier than the next fastest tight end． Antonio Gates reached 50 touchdown receptions in 92 games．Additionally， Gronkowski is the fifth player in NFL history to have 50 or more touchdown catches in his first five seasons，joining Jerry Rice，Randy Moss，Lance Alworth and Andre Rison．

THREE STRAICHT 10－TD SEASONS
Gronkowski had three straight 10－touchdown seasons［10 in 2010， 18 in 2011 and 11 in 2012）．Gronkowski joins Randy Moss［2007， 2008 and 2009）and Corey Dillon（2004，2005，2006）as the only Patriots with three straight 10－plus touchdown seasons．He is the first Patriots with four 10－plus touchdown seasons overall after reaching 12 touchdowns in 2014.
CONSECUTIVE 10－PLUS TD SEASONS／PATRIOTS HISTORY
3 Rob Gronkowski－2010，2011， 2012
3 Randy Moss－2007，2008， 2009
3 Corey Dillon－2004，2005， 2006
2 BenJarvus Green－Ellis－2010， 2011
2 Curtis Martin－1995， 1996
MOST 10－PLUS TOUCHDOWN SEASONS／PATRIOTS HISTORY
4 Rob Gronkowski－2010，2011， 2012 and 2014
3 Randy Moss－2007，2008， 2009
3 Corey Dillon－2004，2005， 2006
2 BenJarvus Green－Ellis－2010， 2011
2 Curtis Martin－1995， 1996
2 Stanley Morgan－1979， 1986
ロロUELE－DICIT Tロ SEASONS
Gronkowski is the first tight end in NFL history to have three straight 10－plus touchdown seasons．

CONSECUTIVE 10－PLUS TD SEASON BY A TE／NFL HISTORY
3 Rob Gronkowski $\quad 10$ in 2010， 18 in 2011， 11 in 2012
2 Antonio Gates
13 in 2004 and 10 in 2005
TES WITH GO TDS
Rob Gronkowski enters this week＇s game with 59 total touchdowns（58 receiving and 1 rushing）．With one touchdown this week against Jacksonville， Gronkowski will be come just the fifth tight end to record at least 60 career touchdowns．He will reach the feat in just 68 games，the fastest among all of the tight ends that have 60 career touchdowns．

NFL TIGHT ENDS WITH AT LEAST 60 TOUCHDOWNS

| Player | Touchdowns | Games to 60 touchdowns |
| :--- | :---: | ---: |
| Tony Gonzalez | 111 | 154 |
| Antonio Gates | 99 | 110 |
| Shannon Sharpe | 62 | 199 |
| Jerry Smith | 60 | 151 |

cRONKOWSKI REACHES 1，000 YARDS
Rob Gronkowski fiinished the 2014 season with 1，124 receiving yards，tops among NFL tight ends．It is his second career 1，000－yard season．He had an NFL tight end record of 1，327 yards in 2011．Gronkowski is the first New En－ gland tight end to record two 1，000－yard seasons and the ninth NFL tight end with at least two career 1，000－yard seasons

NFL TIGHT ENDS WITH AT LEAST TWO 1，000－YARD SEASONS Tony Gonzalez
Jason Witten
Kellen Winslow，Sr．
Shannon Sharpe
Todd Christensen
Rob Gronkowski
Antonio Gates
Jimmy Graham
Ozzie Newsome
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MOST TD CATCHES BY A PATS TE
MOST TD CATCHES IN A SEASON BY A PATRIOTS TE

| Player | Year | Rec | Yds | Avg | Lg | TD |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Rob Gronkowski | 2011 | 90 | 1327 | 14.7 | 52 t | 17 |
| Rob Gronkowski | 2014 | 82 | 1,124 | 13.7 | 46 t | 12 |
| Rob Gronkowski | 2012 | 55 | 790 | 14.4 | 41 | 11 |
| Rob Gronkowski | 2010 | 42 | 546 | 13 | 28 | 10 |
| Ben Coates | 1996 | 62 | 682 | 11 | 84 t | 9 |

Gronkowski finished the 2011 season with 90 receptions，posting the 15 th season with 90 or more receptions by a tight end in NFL history
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With his three touchdowns against Pittsburgh，Gronkowski tied the Patriots record for most games with three or more touchdowns with four such games． The record is shared with Randy Moss．

MOST OVERALL GAMES WITH THREE OR MORE TOUCHDOWNS
4 Rob Gronkowski
4 Randy Moss
2 Billy Lott
2 Curtis Martin
2 Larry Garron
2 Sam Cunningham
cRoNKowskI TIES cAREER HICH
Since entering the NFL in 2010，Gronkowski has four games with three or more receiving touchdowns（including the playoffs），the most in the NFL during that span．

THE PLAYERS WITH THE MOST GAMES WITH THREE OR MORE RECEIV－ ING TOUCHDOWNS SINCE 2010：

| PLAYER | TEAM GAMES W／3＋REC．TDS SINCE 2010 |  |
| :--- | :--- | ---: |
| Rob Gronkowski | New England | 4 |
| Victor Cruz | New York Giants | 2 |
| Vincent Jackson | San Diego，Tampa Bay | 2 |
| Brandon Marshall | Miami，Chicago，New York Jets | 2 |
| Jordy Nelson | Green Bay | 2 |
| Demaryius Thomas | Denver | 2 |

SECOND TO ONE
Gronkowski finished the 2011 season with 18 overall touchdowns（17 receiv－ ing， 1 rushing］，passing Curtis Martin（17 overall in 1996）for the second high－ est single－season total in Patriots history．

PATRIOTS RECORD BOOK／MOST TOUCHDOWNS IN A SEASON

| Player | Season | TDs |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Randy Moss | 2007 | 23 |
| Rob Gronkowski | 2011 | 18 |
| Curtis Martin | 1996 | 17 |

FINDING A WAY TO SCORE
Rob Gronkowski has the highest touchdown per reception percentage in NFL history among players with at least 200 receptions and 50 touchdowns since the 1970 merger．

| Player，Team | Rec | TD | Pct |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Rob Gronkowski，New England | $\mathbf{3 2 0}$ | $\mathbf{5 8}$ | $\mathbf{1 8 . 1}$ |
| Mike Quick，Philadelphia | 363 | 61 | 16.8 |
| Wesley Walker，New York Jets | 438 | 71 | 16.2 |
| Randy Moss，MIN，OAK，NE，TEN，SF | 982 | 156 | 15.9 |

## SCORING EARLY AND OFTEN

Gronkowski has 59 touchdowns in 67 career games through four-plus seasons, averaging 0.881 touchdowns per game, which is good for the seventh highest touchdown per game rate in NFL history.

|  | MOST TDS PER GAME [MIN: 50 GAMES] |  |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| TDs | Games | Rate |  |
| Player | 126 | 118 | 1.068 |
| Jim Brown | 162 | 170 | 0.953 |
| LaDainian Tomlinson | 77 | 83 | 0.928 |
| Steve Van Buren | 112 | 123 | 0.911 |
| Shaun Alexander | 105 | 116 | 0.905 |
| Don Hutson | 65 | 72 | 0.903 |
| Arian Foster | 59 | 67 | $\mathbf{0 . 8 8 1}$ |
| Rob Gronkowski | 91 | 106 | 0.858 |

## ALL-PURPOSE PLAYER

In 2011, Gronkowski became the second tight end in NFL history to rush for a touchdown, catch a touchdown, record a tackle and return a kickoff in the same season. Bo Scaife was the first to accomplish the feat in 2006 with Tennessee.

## FASTEST TO 40 TOUCHDOWNS

Gronkowski scored his 40th touchdown reception on a 9-yard pass from Tom Brady at Carolina on Nov. 18, 2013 in his 47th NFL game, becoming the fastest tight end to reach 40 touchdowns.
FASTEST TO 40 TOUCHDOWNS RECEIVING/ TIGHT END
Player Games to 40 touchdown receptions

## Rob Gronkowski [NE]

Jimmy Graham (NO)
Antonio Gates [SD]
Jerry Smith [WAS)
Kellen Winslow SR. [SD]
Dallas Clark (IND)
Tony Gonzalez (KC)

## MOST TDS SINCE 2010

Gronkowski's 58 touchdown receptions since the start of the 2010 season are the most in the NFL.

MOST TOUCHDOWN RECEPTIONS SINCE 2010

| Player | Touchdowns |
| :--- | :--- |
| Rob Gronkowski | 58 |
| Dez Bryant | 56 |
| Calvin Johnson | 54 |
| Jimmy Graham | 52 |

MOST TOUCHDOWNS RECEPTIONS BY A TIGHT END SINCE 2010 Player

## Touchdowns

Rob Gronkowsk
Jimmy Graham 58
$-52$
Vernon Davis 33
Jason Witten 32
Tony Gonzalez 29
Greg Olsen
27

## GRONKOWSKI HAS 16 CAREER 100-YARD GAMES

Gronkowski registered his 16th career 100-yard game in the win at Buffalo on Sept. 20, 2015. he owns the team record for most 100-yard games by a tight end.

MOST 100-YARD GAMES BY A PATRIOTS TIGHT END
Player 100-Yard Games
Rob Gronkowski
16
Ben Coates

## 日Nロ ZONE DOUELE DOWN

Gronkowski's seven games with two or more touchdowns in 2011 are an NFL record for a tight end. Antonio Gates [San Diego in 2004] and Jerry Smith (Washington in 1967) each had four two-touchdown games. Gronkowski has 14 such games in his NFL career.

| MOST GAMES WITH 2+ TD RECEPTIONS/SEASON |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 8 | Randy Moss (Patriots) | 2007 |
| $\mathbf{7}$ | Rob Gronkowski (Patriots) | 2011 |
| 7 | Cris Carter (Minnesota) | 1995 |
| 7 | Jerry Rice [San Francisco) | 1987 |

## FOUR 3+ TD CAMES

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$4 \quad$ Rob Gronkowski
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Curtis Martin
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Sam Cunningham

## FOUR 3+ TD CAMES

New England tight end ROB GRONKOWSKI had five catches for 94 yards and three touchdowns in the Patriots' 28-21 season-opening win over Pittsburgh Since being chosen 42 nd overall in Round 2 the 2010 NFL Draft, Gronkowski has four games with three or more receiving touchdowns [including the playoffs], the most in the NFL during that span.

| Player | Team | Games with three or more Rec. TDs. |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Ron Gronkowski | Patriots | $\mathbf{4}$ |
| Victor Cruz | NY Giants | 2 |
| Vincent Jackson | San Diego,Tampa Bay | 2 |
| Brandon Marshall | Miami, Chicago, NY Jets | 2 |
| Jordy Nelson | Green Bay | 2 |
| Demaryius Thomas | Denver | 2 |

## ALL IN THE FAMILY

Gronkowski grew up playing football against his brothers in the backyard. Two of his brothers have NFL playing experience. Dan Gronkowski, finished the 2011 season with Cleveland after spending part of the season with the Patriots. He also spent time with Detroit (2009) and Denver (2010). Chris was with San Diego in 2013 after spending 2012 with Denver, 2010 with Dallas and 2011 with Indianapolis. The Gronkowskis are among 23 different sets of three brothers to have played in the NFL and join nine other families with at least three brothers in the NFL playing at the same time.

| Family | Brothers | Yr. in NFL at Same Time |
| :--- | :--- | :---: |
| Gronkowski | Rob, Dan, Chris | 2010- 2011 |
| Baldinger | Brian, Gary, Rich | $1986-88,90-92$ |
| Browner | Joey, Keith, Ross | $1984-87$ |
| Olsen | Merlin, Phil, Orrin | 1976 |
| Saul | Rich, Bill, Ron | 1970 |
| Richardson | Gloster, Tom, Willie | 1969 |
| Rooney | Bill, Cobb, Joe | $1924-27$ |
| Kinderdine | Hobby, Shine, Walt | 1924 |
| Nesser | Al, Frank, Fred, John, Phil, Ted | 1921 |

IN coob company
In 2011, Rob Gronkowski joined Dallas Clark, Jimmy Graham, Tony Gonzalez and Todd Christiansen, as the only tight ends in NFL history with 90-plus receptions, 1,000-plus yards and 10-plus touchdown receptions in a single season. TIGHT ENDS WITH 90-PLUS RECEPTIONS, 1000-PLUS YARDS AND 10PLUS TOUCHDOWNS IN A SEASON

|  | Rec. | Yards | TDs | Year |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Player | Rob Gronkowski (NE) | $\mathbf{9 0}$ | $\mathbf{1 , 3 2 7}$ | $\mathbf{1 7}$ |
| $\mathbf{2 0 1 1}$ |  |  |  |  |
| Jimmy Graham (NO) | 99 | 1,310 | 11 | 2011 |
| Dallas Clark (IND) | 100 | 1,106 | 10 | 2009 |
| Tony Gonzalez (KC) | 96 | 1,058 | 10 | 2008 |
| Todd Christensen (LAR) | 92 | 1,247 | 12 | 1983 |



LAFELL FINDS THE END ZONE
WR Brandon LaFell scored his first touchdown with the Patriots on a 44yard touchdown pass from Tom Brady in the third quarter at Kansas City (9/29/14).

HITTING THE cENTURY MARK
LaFell finished the game against Kansas City (9/29/14) with six receptions for 119 yards for his first 100-yard day as a Patriot and the third 100-yard day of his career. He had his fourth career 100-yard day vs. Chicago (10/26), setting a career-high with 11 receptions for 124 yards.

TWICE AS NICE
WR Brandon LaFell scored two touchdowns on an 18-yard pass and a 56yard pass in the fourth quarter at Buffalo on Oct. 12, 2014. It was his second two-touchdown game of his career. He had two touchdowns with Carolina vs. the New York Giants on Sept. 22, 2013. He added his third two-touchdown game at Green Bay on Nov. 30.

CAREER DAY FOR LAFELL
Brandon LaFell had 11 receptions for 124 yards vs. Chicago [10/26/14], setting career highs in each category. LaFell's 11 topped his previous career high of seven receptions last season for Carolina when they played New England on Nov. 18, 2013. His 124 yards topped his previous career high of 119 yards, set at Kansas City on Sept. 29, 2014.

LAFELL REWRITES PERSONAL RECORD BOOK
Brandon LaFell set career high season marks in receptions, yards and touchdowns in 2014. He finished the 2014 season with 74 receptions for 953 yards and seven touchdowns. LaFell's previous high in receptions was 49 in 2013, his previous best in yards was 677 in 2012 and his previous best in touchdowns was five in 2013.


LIK = FATHER LIKE 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 COMBINATION
Matthew Slater was voted to his fourth straight Pro Bowl in 2014. His father, Jackie Slater, went to seven Pro Bowls. The Slater family's 11 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 [4] | $\mathbf{1 1}$ |

SLATER'S EMERCENCE 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."

ELECTED TEAM LEADER
Patriots wide receiver Matthew Slater has been named to four straight Pro Bowls [2011-14] 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 fifth straight season in 2015.

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."

## SLATAR ON BILL BELICHICK

"Guys have really bought into what we're trying to do here and believing in the goals that we've set to accomplish. We try not to acknowledge all the noise and hype surrounding ballgames. We prepare ourselves to have success by the way we work day-in and day-out on the field and in the meeting room, but it definitely starts with our leadership on this team."


## NATE SOLDER MAKES A GOOD CHOICE

It only took a day for Nate Solder to decide to change from his lifelong position of tight end to tackle after playing his freshman year at Colorado as a tight end. "My coaches came to me and said, 'You'd be an all right tight end, but you'd be an even better tackle,"' he told the Boston Glabe. "I've always wanted to be great, so that's why I moved to tackle."

He added over 30 pounds after his redshirt freshman season and was named the team's starting left tackle. He played in 2,540 of 2,542 offensive plays over the next three seasons at Colorado and became an immediate contributor on the Patriots offensive line at right tackle as a rookie before moving to left tackle.

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## RYAN WENDELL LEADS THE NFL IN PLAY SNAPS IN 2012

Ryan Wendell played a league-high 1,249 snaps in 2012 and it helped earn him a spot on the USA Today All-Joe team. Said Wendell: "I think first it says a lot about the organization, our training staff and our strength training coaches, that they do everything they can all season and all off-season and during the spring to keep us healthy throughout the whole season. I think it says more about them than it does about me individually."


JAMIE COLLINS' JOURNEY


The road to the NFL has been anything but easy for linebacker and 2013 second-round draft pick Jamie Collins. The youngest of five siblings growing up in Meadville, Miss., Collins lost both of his parents when he was six years old and was raised by one of his sisters, who was in her mid 20s.

Collins turned to football as an outlet to help him through the tough times. "It means a lot. It's my living," Collins told The Boston Herald. "It kept me on track." Collins' resiliency in dealing with adversity has made a lasting impact on fellow Mississippi native Stevan Ridley, who grew up 30 miles west of Meadville in Natchez, Miss., and got to know Collins through a family friend. "What l've known about him, he really has been a strong person," Ridley told the Herald. "Anybody that's gone through the things that he's gone through and can still find a way to be successful on the football field, you have to be mentally tough. That's what he's kind of done as a teammate here. He's come in here and accepted his role and did a pretty good job as a rookie."
coluins Reconas FIRST INT
LB Jamie Collins intercepted a Kyle Orton pass in the win at Buffalo [10/12/14], marking his first regular-season interception. He had his second of the year at the Jets on Dec. 21, 2014. His first career pick came in the 2013 AFC Divisional Playoff vs. Indianapolis (1/11/14].

COLLINS SETS CAREER HICH
LB Jamie Collins set a career high with $21 / 2$ sacks in the win at Buffalo on Sept. 20, 2015. It was his second career multi-sack game. He registered his first NFL two-sack game with at San Diego (12/7/14).

TEAM LEADER
Collins had a standout second season in 2014. He led the team in total tackles [109], forced fumbles [4] and fumble recoveries [2], and tied for the team lead in interceptions [2].


WEARING ERUSCHIPS JERGEY \#54
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].

HIGHTOWER SETS CAREER HIGH
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 6.O. His previous best was four sacks as a rookie in 2012.


FOLLOWING IN BROTHERS' FOOTSTEPS


Chandler Jones has two brothers, Arthur, a fifth-round NFL Draft selection by the Baltimore Ravens in 2010 (currently with the Indianapolis Colts), who was a Syracuse defensive tackle, and Jon "Bones" Jones, a UFC fighter and the former Lightweight Champion.

RACKING UP GACKS
Chandler Jones reached a career high with $111 / 2$ sacks in 2013 . He had six sacks as a rookie in 2012 and had six sacks in 2014.

MOST SACKS IN THE FIRST THREE SEASONS/PATRIOTS HISTORY

| Player | Seasons | Sacks |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Garin Veris | $1985-87$ | $28.0[10.0,11.0,7.0)$ |
| Andre Tippett | $1982-84$ | $27[0,8.5,18.5]$ |
| Willie McGinest | $1994-96$ | $25[4.5,11,9.5]$ |
| Chandler Jones | $2012-14$ | $23.5(6.0,11.5,6.0)$ |
| Chris Slade | $1993-95$ | $22.5(9.0,9.5,4.0)$ |
| Brent Williams | $1993-95$ | $20[7.0,5.0,8.0]$ |

JONES PILED UP SACKS IN 2013
Jones finished the 2013 season with $111 / 2$ sacks on the year. The Patriots have now had a player finish with 10 or more sacks in a season 15 times in team history.

PATRIOTS 10-PLUS SACK SEASONS

| Sacks | Player | Year |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 12.0 | Tony McGee | 1977 |
| 10.0 | Bobby Hamilton | 1977 |
| 11.5 | Tony McGee | 1978 |
| 10.5 | Tony McGee | 1979 |
| 18.5 | Andre Tippett | 1984 |
| 16.5 | Andre Tippett | 1985 |
| 10.0 | Garin Veris | 1985 |
| 11.0 | Garin Veris | 1986 |
| 12.5 | Andre Tippett | 1987 |
| 11.0 | Willie McGinest | 1995 |
| 12.5 | Mike Vrabel | 2007 |
| 10.0 | Tully Banta-Cain | 2009 |
| 10.0 | Mark Anderson | 2011 |
| 10.0 | Andre Carter | 2011 |
| $\mathbf{1 1 . 5}$ | Chandler Jones | $\mathbf{2 0 1 3}$ |

JONES ACHIEVES TRIFECTA
DL Chandler Jones blocked a second-quarter Minnesota [9/14/14] 48yard field goal attempt, recovered the loose ball and returned it 58 yards for a touchdown. It was the fifth blocked field goal returned for a touchdown in Patriots history and the first returned for a touchdown since S Patrick Chung blocked a field goal attempt that was returned 35 yards for a touchdown by DB Kyle Arrington at Miami on Oct. 4, 2010. It is the second field goal block by Jones. He blocked a 39-yard attempt vs. Miami on Oct. 27, 2013. It was Jones' second career touchdown. He recovered an errant shotgun snap squibbed into the end zone at Baltimore on Dec. 22, 2013.

DEFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE WEEK
Chandler Jones was named AFC Defensive Player of the Week for his performance in the Patriots' $30-7$ victory at Minnesota on Sept. 14, 2014. It was the first time in Jones' career that he has received an AFC Player of the Week honor. He was named AFC Defensive Player of the Month for November last season and NFL Defensive Rookie of the Month in September 2012.

Jones blocked a 48-yard field goal attempt and returned it 58 yards for a touchdown to give New England a 24-7 halftime lead at Minnesota [9/14). He also finished the game with eight total tackles and his fifth career two-sack game.

The last time the Patriots earned an AFC Defensive Player of the Week honor was Week 10 of the 2011 season when Andre Carter tied a team record with four sacks at N.Y. Jets [11/13/11].

JONES SNAPS A SELFIE
When training camp practice ends at Gillette Stadium, the first wave of players quickly head into the locker room to shower and recover from the tough workout, but Chandler Jones is almost never among them. He is autographing footballs, snapping selfies and chatting with as many fans as he can before he makes his way into the building to rest his body and escape the heat. The Super Bowl Champion defensive end enjoys engaging his fans because he remembers a time when he was the one cheering from a distance.
"I feel like it was just yesterday when I was one of those fans," Jones said to ESPN's Mike Reis. "I didn't have access to an NFL team, but I was the guy that was on Twitter that was like, 'Oh my God, he tweeted me' or 'He shouted me out.' I was that person. So for me to have an opportunity to do that to people, I try to do that whenever I can. You see fans out there, they're sitting in the rain, they're sitting in the heat, sweating, they're drenched, and they're just yelling your name the whole practice. The least I can do is go over there and say hi and take some selfies and sign a few things. I love it. It's great."


THIRD TEAM'S A CHARM
Chris Jones had an early introduction to failure in the NFL. Taken behind 37 other defensive linemen in the 2013 NFL Draft, the defensive tackle was cut by two teams over a span of just 11 days. After selecting him in the sixth round with the 198th overall pick, the Houston Texans cut Jones on Aug. 31. Jones signed with the Tampa Bay Buccaneers on Sept. 1, but lasted only 10 days, as the Buccaneers released him on Sept., 10. Rather than be deterred by these early disappointments, however, Jones maintained a positive outlook when he signed with the Patriots on Sept. 11, and it has paid off in a big way. Thrust into a starting role after key injuries to the defensive line, Jones finished his rookie season with six sacks.

Jones' sudden success may have come as a surprise to some, but not to Dave Clawson, Jones' college coach at Bowling Green. Jones was part of Clawson's first recruiting class and blossomed into an All-American and two-two time captain for the Falcons. "It's hard to talk about Chris without getting a little bit emotional," Clawson told the The Boston Herald, "because he was that special of a player and person in our program."

JONES SAVES THE DAY; EARNS AFC HONORS
Chris Jones blocked a 58-yard field goal attempt by the Jets on the final play of the game to preserve New England's 27-25 win [10/16/14]. It was the first blocked field goal for the Patriots since Chandler Jones blocked a 48-yard try by Minnesota's Blair Walsh earlier this season. He was named AFC Special Teams Player of the Week for his performance in the victory.

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## SURE TACKLER

Jerod Mayo had his fifth straight 100-tackle season and his second season with over 180 total tackles after finishing the 2012 season with 184 tackles, the fifth-highest single season tackle total in franchise history. Mayo registered at least 10 tackles in 10 games, including a season-high of 20 vs. the New York Jets (10/28/12)

PATRIOTS SINGLE SEASON TACKLE LEADERS ALL-TIME

| Year | Player | Tackles |
| :--- | :--- | ---: |
| 1983 | LB Clayton Weishuhn | 229 |
| 1984 | LB Steve Nelson | 207 |
| 2010 | LB Jerod Mayo | 193 |
| 1980 | LB Steve Nelson | 186 |
| 2012 | LB Jerod Mayo | 184 |

## TEAM LEADER

Jerod Mayo has led the Patriots in tackles in every season he has played except for the 2013 and 2014 seasons when he was limited to six games each year due to injury.

## Most years Leading the Patriots in Tackles

5 Jerod Mayo (2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012)
5 Vincent Brown (1991, 1992, 1993, 1994, 1995]
5 Steve Nelson (1979, 1980, 1982, 1984, 1985)


## DOUELE TROUELE 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 1998 2000. 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

## McCoURTY gaEs 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 cood 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.

## McCOURTY REcISTERS CAREAR LONG

DB Devin McCourty returned a first quarter interception 60 yards to the Minnesota [09/14/14] 1-yard line to set up a Patriots touchdown. It is the longest interception return of his career. He had a 50-yard return as a rookie in 2010 at Detroit (11/25) on Thanksgiving Day.


## A NOSE FOR THE FOOTEALL

Ninkovich has more opponent fumble recoveries [13] over the last five seasons [20102014] than any other NFL player. J.J. Watt is second during that time with 11 opponent fumble recoveries.


CAREER DAY IN BUFFALO
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 [ $11 / 18 / 13$ ).

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.

CRAZY EICHTS
Ninkovich raised his 2014 total to a team-high of 8.0 sacks in 2014 . Ninkovich has had at least 8.0 sacks in three consecutive seasons ( 8.0 in 2012, 8.0 in 2013 and 8.0 in 2014], becoming the first Patriots player to have at least 8.0 sacks in three consecutive seasons since Pro Football Hall of Famer Andre Tippett achieved the feat from 1985-87 [1985, 16 1/2, 1986, $91 / 2$ and 1987, 12 1/2].

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 REUNITE 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'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

| Season | Player | INT TD Yds |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 2013 | Logan Ryan | $\mathbf{7 9}$ |
| 2010 | Gary Guyton | 59 |
| 2010 | Kyle Arrington | 36 |
| 2005 | James Sanders | 39 |
| 2003 | Asante Samuel | 55 |
| 1999 | Andy Katzenmoyer | 59 |
| 1996 | Willie McGinest | 46 |
| 1992 | Chris Singleton | 82 |
| 1967 | John Charles | 35 |
| 1963 | Jim Hunt | 78 |
| 1961 | Don Webb | 27 |

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 I'm fortunate. It took a lot of work, but I was able to go back and finish and walk in graduation."

FIRST NFL SACK RESULTS IN TURNOVER
Ryan forced a fumble on his first NFL sack vs. Miami (10/27/13), a week after returning his first career interception for a touchdown. Ryan strip-sacked Ryan Tannehill, forcing a fumble recovered by Rob Ninkovich that led in to a touchdown. The play marked the second time in as many weeks that a Ryan turnover led to Patriots points.


SHEARD ON MCCINEST
Jabaal Sheard may be a new face in the Patriots locker room, but he's certainly familiar with Patriots legend, Willie McGinest. Sheard, who is typically soft-spoken around the microphones, was very excited to express his admiration for McGinest following the veteran linebacker's induction to the Patriots Hall of Fame on August 5.
"That's a guy that I watch film on still to this day," Sheard said to the Boston Globe. "How he used to rush, how he'd attack, how he was relentless. It's amazing to be out here with him. The heart he had, that dog. He would get after the quarterback, get after the run. He was so into the team, whatever they asked him to do, he would do it."

It makes sense that Sheard would feel a connection to McGinest, given the players' similarities. Before coming to New England as a defensive lineman, Sheard played outside linebacker for Cleveland in Mike Pettine's hybrid 3-4 system. By adding Sheard to his roster, Bill Belichick brings flexibility and, hopefully some of that McGinest magic, back to the Patriots front seven.

## K STEPHENETSTKOWSKI

FRANCHISE SCORINC LEADER
K Stephen Gostkowski became the Patriots all-time leader in points, passing Adam Vinatieri (1,158), in the win vs. Miami (12/14/14). Gostkowski entered the game needing five points to take the lead and reached the milestone on a 35 -yard field goal in the third quarter. Gostkowski now has 1,199 total points.

| Player | Points |
| :--- | :--- |
| Stephen Gostkowski | $\mathbf{1 , 1 9 9}$ |
| Adam Vinatieri | 1,158 |
| Gino Cappelletti | $\mathbf{1 , 1 3 0}$ |



## NFL POINTS LEADER IN 2014

Stephen Gostkowski finished first in the NFL in 2014 with 156 points, second only to his team record of 158 points in 2013 . Gostkowski led the NFL in scoring in 2014 for the third straight season. He is the first NFL player with three 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
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

## FOUR- TIME LEACUE LEADER

Gostkowski led the NFL for the third straight season in 2014. He led the NFL with 156 total points in 2014, 158 total points in 2013,153 points in 2012 and 148 points in 2008. He is one of three players to lead the NFL in scoring for at least four seasons.
He joins Don Hutson, Gino Cappelletti, Pat Harder and Paul Hornung as the fifth player to lead the NFL in scoring for at least three straight seasons.
NFL Record for Most Seasons Leading the League in Scoring
5 Don Hutson Green Bay (1940-44)
5 Gino Cappelletti Patriots (1961, 1963-66)
4 Stephen Gostkowski [2008, 2012-14]
3 Earl Clark, Portsmouth [1932], Detroit [1935-36)
3 Pat Harder, Chicago Cardinals (1947-49)
3 Paul Hornung, Green Bay (1959-61)

## coSTKOWSKI EREAKS HIS OWN TEAM RECORE

Gostkowski led the NFL in 2014 with 35 field goals, the third-highest field goal total in team history. Gostkowski tied for the NFL lead with Baltimore's Justin Tucker with 38 field goals in 2013, breaking his own franchise record for most field goals in a season. He originally set the franchise record with 36 field goals in 2008.
MOST FIELD GOALS MADE IN A SEASON/PATRIOTS

| Player | Field Goals | Year |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Stephen Gostkowski | 38 | 2013 |
| Stephen Gostkowski | 36 | 2008 |
| Stephen Gostkowski | 35 | 2014 |
| Tony Franklin | 32 | 1986 |
| Adam Vinatieri | 31 | 2004 |
| Adam Vinatieri | 31 | 1998 |

## ON THE MARK IN 2014

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
(Minimum 30 Attempts)

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

FIFTH-MOST Fcg IN A SEASON

MOST FIELD GOALS MADE IN A SEASON/NFL

| 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] | $\mathbf{3 8}$ | $\mathbf{2 0 1 3}$ |
| Justin Tucker [Baltimore] | 38 | 2013 |

## EVEN STEPHEN

Since joining the Patriots as a fourth-round draft choice in 2006, Gostkowski has connected on 86.9 percent of his regular-season field goal attempts, the best field goal percentage in Patriots history.

PATRIOTS ALL-TIME LEADERS / FIELD GOAL PCT.
[Minimum 50 Attempts]

|  | Years | FGM | FGA | Pct. |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Stephen Gostkowski | $2006-15$ | 247 | 284 | .869 |
| Adam Vinatieri | $1996-05$ | 263 | 321 | .819 |
| Matt Bahr | $1993-95$ | 55 | 72 | .764 |

1,000-POINT BENCHMARK
Stephen Gostkowski $(1,199)$ 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 |

ON THE MARK
Stephen Gostkowski's 86.8 field goal percentage is the second-best among NFL kickers all-time. [Minimum 100 field goals)

| Player | Years | FGM | FGA | Pct. |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Justin Tucker | $2012-15$ | 103 | 114 | 90.4 |
| Dan Bailey | $2011-15$ | 118 | 131 | 90.1 |
| Stephen Gostkowski | $2006-15$ | 247 | 284 | 87.0 |
| Mike Vanderjagt | $1998-06$ | 230 | 266 | 86.5 |
| Nate Kaeding | $2004-12$ | 181 | 210 | 86.2 |
| Robbie Gould | $2005-15$ | 249 | 290 | 85.9 |
| Steven Hauschka | $2008-15$ | 133 | 155 | 85.8 |
| Rob Bironas | $2005-13$ | 239 | 279 | 85.7 |
| Matt Bryant | $2002-15$ | 291 | 340 | 85.6 |
| Shayne Graham | $2001-14$ | 266 | 311 | 85.5 |
| Connor Bath | $2008-14$ | 116 | 136 | 85.3 |

MOST 50-YARD FIELD COALS IN TEAM HISTORY
Gostkowski is 14 -of-18 from 50 yards or more as a member of the Patriots and 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 | 2006-15 | $\mathbf{1 4}$ | $\mathbf{1 8}$ | $\mathbf{7 7 . 7}$ |
| Adam Vinatieri | $1996-2005$ | 8 | 17 | 47.1 |
| Tony Franklin | $1984-87$ | 3 | 6 | 50.0 |

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.
cosTKowskI KICKS CAREAR-LONG Fc
Gostkowski connected on a career-long 54 -yard field goal vs. New Orleans [10/13/13]. His previous long was a 53 -yard field goal, which he has done six times - at Buffalo (10/12/14), vs. Tampa Bay ( $9 / 22 / 13$ ), vs. Arizona [ $9 / 16 / 12$ ], at Denver (10/11/09) and twice at Houston (12/01/13).

MOST 50-YARD FCS 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. Matt Bahr (2 in 1995), Greg Davis (2 in 1989), Tony Franklin (2 in 1985), Adam Vinatieri (2 in 1998) and Gostkowski (2 in 2009 and 2012) had two in a season. The NFL record for most successful 50-yard field goals in a season is 10 by Blair Walsh in 2012 with Minnesota.

200 FIELD coAL PLATEAU
Stephen Gostkowski's 50-yard field goal in the fourth quarter vs. Cleveland [12/8/13] was his 200th field goal for the Patriots, joining Adam Vinatieri [262] as the only players in Patriots history with 200 or more field goals. Gostkowski now has 247 career field goals.

AFC Spacial teams play
Gostkowski was named AFC Special Teams Player of the Month for October by the National Football League in 2013. It is the second time in his career that he has received the AFC Special Teams Player of the Month honor, including October 2008. Gostkowski was a perfect $9-$ of-9 on field goal attempts in the month of October, including a career-long of 54 yarder in the $30-27$ win vs. New Orleans $[10 / 13 / 13)$ He totaled 36 of the Patriots' 90 points for the month.
costKowski =Xtenos TEAM MARK
Gostkowski has now scored at least one point in 125 games, a franchise record. He broke a tie with Adam Vinatieri and John Smith for the all-time lead with 102 consecutive games scoring in the win vs. Denver on Nov. 24, 2013. Patriots Record for Most Consecutive Games Scored
125 Stephen Gostkowski (12/17/06- present)
101 Adam Vinatieri (11/24/96-12/29/02)
101 John Smith (09/28/75-10/02/80)
cosTKowskicame WINNARS
Gostkowski has five 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 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| $3: 12$ 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 |  |  |  |  |

KICKINC A cAREER HICH
Stephen Gostkowski made five field goals vs. Cincinnati [10/5/14], setting a new career high for most field goals in a game. His previous career high was four field goals. Gostkowski's five field goals tie the second highest single-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.

CONSECUTIVE EXTRA POINTS
Stephen Gostkowski is second in NFL history for most consecutive extra points made.
Most Consecutive (Kicking) Points After Touchdown
422 Matt Stover, Baltimore, 1996-2008; Indianapolis, 2009
419 Stephen Gostkowski, New England, 2006-present
371 Jason Elam, Denver, 1993-2002
371 Jeff Wilkins, St. Louis, 1999-2007
360 Jay Feely, Atlanta, 2002-04; N.Y. Giants, 2005-06; Miami, 2007;
N.Y. Jets, 2008-09; Arizona, 2010-2013, Chicago 2014

## IN A RUSH FOR THE END ZONE

Since 2003, the Patriots are one of only two teams [San Diego) to average more than one rushing touchdown per game, with 212 scores in 194 games.

| RUSHING TOUCHDOWNS SINCE <br> [REGULAR SEASON] |  |
| :--- | :---: |
| New England | 211 |
| San Diego | 198 |
| Kansas City | 193 |
| Minnesota | 188 |
| Philadelphia | 183 |
| N.Y. Giants | 180 |
| Carolina | 177 |

## ANNUAL ACHIEVEMENT

The Patriots won more than half of their games for the 14th straight year after improving to a 9-2 record with the win vs. Detroit on Nov. 23, 2014. They are the first team to win more than half of their games in 14 straight seasons since free agency began in 1993.
MOST CONSECUTIVE WINNING SEASONS [since 1970 merger)
San Francisco [1983-98] 16
Dallas (1970-85) 16
New England (2001-14) 14
Oakland (1970-80) 11
MOST CONSECUTIVE WINNING SEASONS ALL-TIME
Dallas [1966-85) 20
San Francisco [1983-98] 16
Oakland (1965-80) 16
Chicago [1930-44] 15
New England [2001-14] 14
Green Bay [1934-47] 14
Cleveland [1957-69] 13

## TO THE NINES

The Patriots are the only team in the NFL to have recorded nine or more wins in each of the last 14 seasons.
MOST SEASONS OF 9+ WINS SINCE 2001
New England 14
Indianapolis 12
Green Bay 10
Philadelphia 10
Baltimore 10
Pittsburgh 10

## PATRIOTS WIN 10 AcAIN IN 2014

New England reached at least 10 regular-season wins for 12 consecutive seasons, joining San Francisco [16] as the only teams to accomplish the feat.

| Team | Years $\quad$ Consecutive | Seasons with |
| :--- | :--- | :---: |
| 10+ Wins |  |  |
| San Francisco | $1983-1998$ | 16 |
| New England | $2003-p r e s e n t$ | 12 |
| Indianapolis | $2002-2010$ | 9 |

## FORCINE THE ISSUE

The Patriots lead the NFL with a +170 turnover margin since the 1994 season.

NFL TURNOVER MARGIN SINCE 1994

| Rank | Team | Turnover Margin |
| :--- | :--- | :---: |
| 1. | New England | +170 |
| 2. | Kansas City | +95 |
| 3. | Green Bay | +89 |

## WHAT'S THE POINTP

During the past 15 seasons, the Patriots defense has always ranked higher in points allowed than in yards allowed except for 2007, when both ranked fourth.

|  | Avg. Points Allowed | Avg. Yds Allowed |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | $\mathbf{1 9 . 5}[8]$ | $\mathbf{3 4 4 . 1}[13]$ |
| 2013 | $21.1[10]$ | $373.1[26]$ |
| 2012 | $20.7[9 \mathrm{t}]$ | $373.3[25]$ |
| 2011 | $21.4[15]$ | $411.1[31]$ |
| 2010 | $19.6[8]$ | $365.5[25]$ |
| 2009 | $17.8[5]$ | $320.2[11]$ |
| 2008 | $19.3[8]$ | $309.0[10]$ |
| 2007 | $17.1[4]$ | $288.3[4]$ |
| 2006 | $14.8[2]$ | $294.4[6]$ |
| 2005 | $21.1[17]$ | $330.2[26]$ |
| 2004 | $16.3[2 t]$ | $310.6[9]$ |
| 2003 | $14.9[1]$ | $291.6[7]$ |
| 2002 | $21.6[17]$ | $336.1[23]$ |
| 2001 | $17.0[6]$ | $334.5[24]$ |
| 2000 | $21.1[17]$ | $334.6[20]$ |

## NFL'S ROAD WARRIORS

Since the start of the 2000 season, the Patriots have the best regular-season road record.

| TEAM | RECORD | PCT. |
| :--- | :---: | :---: |
| New England | $79-42$ | .653 |
| Philadelphia | $74-46-1$ | .616 |
| Indianapolis | $73-48$ | .603 |
| Pittsburgh | $69-52$ | .570 |

## DIVIGIONAL DOMINANCEI

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

| Team | $\boldsymbol{W}$ | $\boldsymbol{L}$ | $\boldsymbol{T}$ | Pct. |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| New England | $\mathbf{3 4}$ | $\mathbf{9}$ | $\mathbf{0}$ | .791 |
| Indianapolis | 36 | 10 | 0 | .783 |
| Green Bay | 35 | 13 | 1 | .724 |
| San Diego | 32 | 13 | 0 | .711 |
| Pittsburgh | 36 | 15 | 0 | .706 |

## DIVISIONAL DOMINANCE II

The New England Patriots own a 68-19 (.782) 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

| Team | W | L | T | Pct. |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| New England Patriots | 68 | $\mathbf{1 9}$ | $\mathbf{0}$ | .782 |
| Indianapolis Colts | 63 | 23 | 0 | .733 |
| Green Bay Packers | 62 | 24 | 1 | .718 |
| Pittsburgh Steelers | 61 | 27 | 0 | .693 |

AFC EAST DIVISIONAL RECORDS SINCE 2001

| Team | W | L | T | Pct. Div. Titles | Years |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| New England | 68 | 19 | $\mathbf{0}$ | .782 | 12 | 2001, 03-07, 09-14 |
| New York Jets | 40 | 46 | 0 | .465 | 1 | 2002 |
| Miami | 36 | 50 | 0 | .419 | 1 | 2008 |
| Buffalo | 30 | 57 | 0 | .345 | 0 | - |

NOTES: The Indianapolis Colts were members of the AFC East in 2001 and compiled a $3-5$ divisional record that season. In 2002, the Patriots and Jets both finished with a $9-7$ overall record and a $4-2$ divisional record, but the Jets claimed the division title by virtue of having a better record against common opponents. In 2008, the Patriots and Dolphins both finished with an 11-5 overall record and a $4-2$ divisional record, but Miami qualified for the playoffs due to a better conference record ( $8-4$ to $7-5$ ).

## STRONG IN THE SECOND HALF

Since 2001, the Patriots have done a remarkable job of finishing the season strong, compiling an NFL-best 86-22 (.796) record in games on or after Thanksgiving.

PATRIOTS BEFORE AND AFTER THANKSGIVING SINCE 2001

| Season | Pre-Thanksgiving | Post-Thanksgiving | Overall |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 2001 | 5-5 (.500) | 9-0 (1.000) | 14-5* |
| 2002 | 6-5 (.545) | 3-2 (.600)^ | 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* |
| Totals | 105-40 [.724) | 86-22 (.796) | 191-62 |

*-Includes playoffs ^Includes games played on Thanksgiving

BEST RECORDS IN GAMES PLAYED 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 | $\mathbf{8 6}$ | $\mathbf{2 2}$ | $\mathbf{0}$ | $\mathbf{. 7 9 6}$ |
| Pittsburgh | 67 | 32 | 0 | .677 |
| Green Bay | 62 | 37 | 0 | .626 |
| San Diego | 55 | 34 | 0 | .618 |
| Philadelphia | 59 | 38 | 0 | .608 |

## NFL'S BEST AT HOME

Since their state-of-the-art facility opened at the beginning of the 2002 season, the Patriots own the NFL's best record at home overall. The Patriots own an overall record of 89-16 (.848) at Gillette Stadium in regular season games and a 102-19 (.843) record including playoffs.

BEST HOME RECORDS SINCE 2002
[including playoffs]

| Team | $\boldsymbol{W}$ | $\boldsymbol{L}$ | $\boldsymbol{T}$ | Pct. |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| New England | $\mathbf{1 0 2}$ | $\mathbf{1 9}$ | $\mathbf{0}$ | $\mathbf{. 8 4 3}$ |
| Indianapolis | 86 | 30 | 0 | .741 |
| Seattle | 82 | 32 | 0 | .719 |
| Baltimore | 81 | 27 | 0 | .750 |
| Pittsburgh | 81 | 32 | 1 | .715 |
| Green Bay | 79 | 34 | 1 | .697 |
| Denver | 75 | 37 | 0 | .670 |
| San Diego | 71 | 39 | 0 | .645 |
| Minnesota | 67 | 40 | 0 | .626 |
| Philadelphia | 67 | 47 | 0 | .588 |

## 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 89-16 (.848) 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 | $\mathbf{8 9 - 1 6 - 0}$ | .848 |
| Miami | Orange Bowl | $101-22-1$ | .819 |
| Minnesota | Metropolitan Stadium | $64-23-1$ | .733 |
| Pittsburgh | Heinz Field | $82-30-1$ | .730 |
| 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 |

## TOP 10 OFFENSE IN 2013

The Patriots snapped a streak of seven straight seasons in the top 10 in offense when they finished 11th in 2014. Since the 1970 merger, the Patriots offense has finished in the top 10 a total of 17 times, including eight times under Bill Belichick.

| Year | Rank |
| :--- | :---: |
| 2014 | $\mathbf{1 1}(365.5]$ |
| 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 | $1[411.3]$ |

## TOP OFFENSE

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 [198296].

## MoDEL OF CONSISTENCY

The Patriots have 29 winning seasons since the 1970 merger. MOST WINNING SEASONS SINCE THE 1970 MERGER

| 1. Pittsburgh | 32 |
| :--- | :--- |
| 2. Dallas | 30 |
| 3. New England | 29 |
| 3. Miami | 29 |
| 5. Minnesota | 27 |
| 5. Denver | 27 |
| 7. San Francisco | 26 |

## PATRIOTS REACH 6,000 TOTAL YARDS

The Patriots finished seventh in the NFL with 6,152 total yards in 2013. It was the fifth time in team history and third straight season that the Patriots reached 6,000 yards in a season. The Patriots offense had 5,848 yards in 2014.

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Patriots Most Total Net Yards/Season
6,848 in 2011
6,846 in 2012
6,580 in 2007
6,357 in 2009
6,152 in 2013
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## A COMEEACK FOR THE ACES

The Patriots came back from a 24-point deficit to defeat the Broncos, 3431, 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, 38-23, 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 22 times in their 55 -year history. Sixteen of those playoff berths have come in the 21 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 17 division crowns, including 12 in the last 14 seasons, and have qualified as a Wild Card team on four occasions (1976, 1985, 1994 and 1998). The Patriots also qualified for the playoffs in 1982 as part of a 16-team tournament following a players' strike.

PATRIOTS PLAYOFF SEASONS [22]

| Year | How Qualified | Seed | Record | Result |
| :--- | :--- | :---: | :---: | :--- |
| 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
28-18 Record
ALL-TIME PLAYOFF RESULTS
The Patriots have compiled a 28-18 record in their 46 playoff games and their 609 playoff winning percentage is the second-best in NFL history among teams that have played at least 15 playoff games. New England has qualified
 one AFL Championship Game in 1963.

PATRIOTS PLAYOFF RECORD BY ROUND

| Round | Record |
| :--- | ---: |
| First Round* | $0-1$ |
| Wild Card Round | $4-3$ |
| Divisional Round | $12-6$ |
| AFC Championship | $8-3$ |
| AFL Championship | $0-1$ |
| Super Bowl | $4-4$ |
| Total | $28-18$ |

* 1982 Strike Season

ALL-TIME BEST NFL PLAYOFF RECORDS
[Minimum 15 Postseason Games)

|  | Wins | Losses | Win Pct. |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | ---: |
| Team | 15 | 8 | .652 |
| Baltimore Ravens | 28 | 18 | .609 |
| New England/Boston Patriots | 31 | 20 | .608 |
| Green Bay Packers | 33 | 22 | .600 |
| Pittsburgh Steelers | 30 | 20 | .600 |
| San Francisco 49ers | 25 | 18 | .581 |
| Oakland/L.A. Raiders | 34 | 26 | .567 |
| Dallas Cowboys | MOST POSTSEASON WINS ALL-TIME |  |  |
|  | Team | Wins |  |
|  | Dallas Cowboys | 34 |  |
|  | Pittsburgh Steelers | 33 |  |
|  | Green Bay Packers | 31 |  |
|  | San Francisco 49ers | 30 |  |
|  | New England Patriots | 28 |  |
|  | Oakland Raiders | 25 |  |
|  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |

TITLE TOWN
The Patriots have now won the AFC East for six 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 12 of the last 14 division crowns. The Patriots have won 14 division titles in the 21 seasons since Robert Kraft bought the team in 1994.

MOST CONSECUTIVE AFC EAST TITLES

| Team | Streak | Years |
| :--- | :---: | ---: |
| New England Patriots | $\mathbf{6}$ | $2009-14$ |
| New England Patriots | 5 | $2003-07$ |
| Buffalo Bills | 4 | $1988-91$ |
| Miami Dolphins | 4 | $19835^{*}$ |
| Miami Dolphins | 4 | $1975-77$ |
| Baltimore Colts | 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 are one of six teams to win six consecutive division titles in NFL history, trailing just the Los Angeles Rams, who won seven straight NFC West titles from 1973-79.

| Team | Division | Titles | Years |
| :--- | :--- | :---: | ---: |
| Los Angeles Rams | NFC West | 7 | $1973-79$ |
| New England Patriots | AFC East | $\mathbf{6}$ | $2009-14$ |
| 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 | $2003-07$ |
| 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 a 17-4 (.810) all-time record in home playoff games. The Patriots' 800 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 | $\mathbf{1 7 - 4}$ | .810 |
| Oakland | $19-5$ | .792 |
| Green Bay | $17-5$ | .773 |
| Buffalo | $10-3$ | .769 |
| Washington | $13-4$ | .765 |
| Denver | $15-5$ | .750 |
| Dallas | $20-8$ | .714 |

## PATRIOTS NEAR THE TOP WITH 29 WINNING SEASONS SINCE THE NFL MERCER

The Patriots have 29 winning seasons since the 1970 merger. MOST WINNING SEASONS THE 1970 MERGER

## Pittsburgh <br> 32

## Dallas 30

New England ..... 29
Miami ..... 29
Minnesota ..... 27
Denver ..... 27
San Francisco ..... 26
NFL MARK FOR MOST FIRST-ROUND BYES

The Patriots earned a first-round bye in the 2014 NFL playoffs and lead the NFL with 10 first-round byes since the current NFL playoff format was instituted in 1990. The Patriots earned a first-round bye for the fifth consecutive season, becoming the first team in NFL history to do so. Dallas and San Francisco earned four straight byes from 1992 through 1995.

MOST SEASONS EARNING A BYE SINCE 12-TEAM PLAYOFF FORMAT IN 1990
New England ..... 10
Pittsburgh ..... 8
Denver ..... 7

## ANNUAL ACHIEVEMENTS

The Patriots won more than half of their games for the 14th straight year with a $12-4$ record in 2014. They are the first team to win more than half of their games in 14 straight seasons since free agency began in 1993.

The Patriots are the third team to win more than half of their games in 14 straight seasons since the 1970 AFL-NFL merger, joining the 49ers (16 straight from 1983-98) and the Cowboys (16 straight from 1970-85).

The Patriots have now won nine or more games in 18 of the 21 seasons Robert Kraft has owned the team.

| MOST CONSECUTIVE WINNING SEASONS |  |
| :---: | :---: |
| [SINCE | 1970 NFL MERGER] |
| Team | Winning Seasons |
| San Francisco 49ers [1983-98] | 16 |
| Dallas Cowboys [1970-85] | 16 |
| New England Patriots (2001-14) | 14 |
| Oakland Raiders (1970-80) | 11 |

## PATRIOTS WIN 10+ FOR THE 12th STRAICHT YEAR

New England reached at least 10 regular-season wins for the 12th consecutive season in 2014. San Francisco (16) is the only other team to accomplish the feat.

MOST SEASONS OF 10+ WINS SINCE 2001

| Team | Years | Consecutive | Seasons |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |

## PATRIOTS WIN 12+ FOR THE 5th STRAICHT YEAR

New England reached at least 12 regular-season wins for the fifth consecutive season in 2014. It is the ninth time in team history that the team has won at least 12 games in a season and the fifth straight season with at least 12 wins.

CONSECUTIVE SEASONS OF 12+ WINS SINCE 1970 MERGER

| Team | Years | Consecutive Seasons With |
| :--- | :--- | :---: |
| 10+ Wins |  |  |
| Indianapolis | $2003-09$ | 7 |
| New England | $2010-14$ | 5 |
| Dallas | $1992-95$ | 4 |



Bill Belichick and Tom Brady are the winningest coach and quarterback tandem in the postseason and continued to build on their success in 2014.

| Quarterback/Head Coach | Postseason wins |
| :--- | ---: |
| Bill Belichick/Tom Brady | 21 |
| Chuck Noll/Terry Bradshaw | 14 |
| Tom Landry/Roger Staubach | 11 |

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 ACCESS

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, Mass., Burlington, Vt., Portland and Bangor, Maine. "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.
"Patriots All-Access" airs Fridays from 7-8 p.m. on WBZ-TV and Sunday from 9-10 a.m. on myTV38 in Boston. Check local listings for airtime.
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## PATRIOTS TODAY AND P ATRIOTS THIS WEAK

PATRIOTS TODAY: Available daily at Patriots.com.
PATRIOTS THIS Week: Insider information. Passionate debate. Timely analysis. That's what "Patriots This Week" delivers. Former Patriots quarterback Scott Zolak joins fellow former Patriots Jermaine Wiggins and Matt Chatham for this 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 Saturday night at 10:30 p.m. on Comcast SportsNet

## РATRIOTG.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 provides Patriots fans with a variety of exclusive video content. Visitors can choose their channel and watch exclusive video from news to cheerleaders. Patriots.com also features video of every Patriots press conference, 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 MONDAY ON WEEI

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 Monday 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 HillMan Morning Radio Show.

### 98.5 THE SPORTS HUE PATRIOTS RADIO NETWORK

98.5 The Sports Hub is the Patriots' flagship 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.

FLAGSHIP STATION

## WBZ-FM. .Boston 98.5 FM Massachusetts

| BZ-I | . 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 | Worcest | 100.1 FM |
| W | Hyannis | 95.1 FM |
| WMRC | Milford | 1490 AM |
|  | Main |  |
| WBLM | Portland | 102.9 FM |
| WEBB | Augusta | 98.5 |
| WEZQ | Bangor | 92.9 FM |
| WEGP | Presque Isle | 1390 AM |
|  | Connect |  |
| VTIC | Hartford | 1080 AM |
| VINY | Putnam | 1350 AM |
| MOS | New London | 102.3 FM |
| WGCH | Greenwich | 1490 AM |
| WINE. | Brookfield | 940 |

BOSTON'S HOME FOR SPORTS


New Hampshire
WFNQ....Nashua 106.3 FM
WPKQ.... North Conway103.7 FM
WSAK.... Hampton 102.1 FM WSHK. . . . Portsmouth/Dover105.3 FM WNNK. . . . Cortsmouth/Doverd 99.1 FM WLNH....Laconia 98.3 FM

| WEMJ....Laconia | 1490 AM |
| :--- | ---: |
| WINQ |  |

WINQ....Keene 98.7 FM
WXXK....Lebanon 100.5 FM

## Vermont

.Burlington 101.3 FM
$\begin{array}{lr}\text { WCPV .... Burlington } & \text { 101.3 FM } \\ \text { WDVT....Rutland } & 94.5 \mathrm{FM}\end{array}$
WIKE......Newport 1490 AM
WKVT
WRFK.... Barre/Montpelier 107.1 FM
WSTJ ....St. Johnsbury 1340 AM
Rhode Island
$\begin{array}{ll}\text { WPRO....Providence } & 630 \mathrm{AM} \\ \text { WEAN....Providence } & 99.7 \mathrm{FM}\end{array}$
WINU.
WENU.
WHTK.

New York
Albany
Glens Falls 1410 AM
Rochester 1280 AM

## PATRIOTS ARE SECOND WINNINGEST PRO SPORTS FRANCHISE SINCE 1994

Since the 1994 season, the Patriots have won 68.3 percent of their regular season games (231-107), compiling 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).

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 September 21, 2015

| Rk | Team | Lg | w | L | T/OTL | Pct. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | San Antonio Spurs | NBA | 1146 | 527 | 0 | 0.685 |
| 2 | New England Patriots | NFL | 231 | 107 | 0 | 0.683 |
| 3 | Detroit Red Wings | NHL | 922 | 428 | 222 | 0.657 |
|  | Green Bay Packers | NFL | 218 | 119 | 1 | 0.646 |
| 5 | Pittsburgh Steelers | NFL | 212 | 125 | 1 | 0.629 |
|  | Los Angeles Lakers | NBA | 1027 | 647 | 0 | 0.614 |
| 7 | Indianapolis Colts | NFL | 205 | 133 | 0 | 0.607 |
| 7 | Denver Broncos | NFL | 205 | 133 | 0 | 0.607 |
|  | New Jersey Devils | NHL | 834 | 522 | 216 | 0.599 |
| 10 | Seattle Sounders FC | MLS | 108 | 67 | 51 | 0.591 |
| 11 | New York Yankees | MLB | 2052 | 1428 | 0 | 0.590 |
| 12 | Dallas Stars | NHL | 813 | 542 | 217 | 0.586 |
| 13 | Colorado Avalanche/Quebec Nordiques | NHL | 814 | 553 | 205 | 0.583 |
| 14 | Philadelphia Flyers | NHL | 787 | 531 | 241 | 0.582 |
| 15 | Utah Jazz | NBA | 973 | 701 | 0 | 0.581 |
| 16 | Dallas Mavericks | NBA | 963 | 711 | 0 | 0.575 |
| 17 | Miami Heat | NBA | 949 | 715 | 0 | 0.570 |
| 18 | St. Louis Blues | NHL | 783 | 565 | 223 | 0.569 |
| 18 | Phoenix Suns | NBA | 953 | 721 | 0 | 0.569 |
| 18 | Los Angeles Galaxy | MLS | 294 | 208 | 122 | 0.569 |
| 18 | Oklahoma City/Seattle Thunder | NBA | 952 | 722 | 0 | 0.569 |
| 22 | Boston Bruins | NHL | 766 | 563 | 243 | 0.565 |
| 23 | Atlanta Braves | MLB | 1965 | 1520 | 0 | 0.564 |
| 24 | San Jose Sharks | NHL | 776 | 579 | 217 | 0.563 |
| 25 | Pittsburgh Penguins | NHL | 788 | 592 | 191 | 0.562 |
| 26 | Houston Rockets | NBA | 938 | 736 | 0 | 0.560 |
| 27 | Vancouver Canucks | NHL | 768 | 583 | 221 | 0.559 |
| 28 | Indiana Pacers | NBA | 928 | 745 | 0 | 0.555 |
| 29 | Philadelphia Eagles | NFL | 186 | 150 | 1 | 0.553 |
| 29 | Ottawa Senators | NHL | 760 | 594 | 218 | 0.553 |
| 31 | Baltimore Ravens | NFL | 168 | 137 | 1 | 0.551 |
| 32 | Washington Capitals | NHL | 752 | 603 | 216 | 0.547 |
| 33 | San Francisco 49ers | NFL | 184 | 153 | 1 | 0.546 |
| 34 | Dallas Cowboys | NFL | 184 | 154 | 0 | 0.544 |
| 34 | Boston Red Sox | MLB | 1897 | 1588 | 0 | 0.544 |
| 36 | Nashville Predators | NHL | 604 | 494 | 170 | 0.543 |
| $36$ | St. Louis Cardinals | MLB | 1892 | 1591 | 0 | 0.543 |
| 38 | Portland TrailBlazers | NBA | 906 | 768 | 0 | 0.541 |
| $39$ | Anaheim Ducks | NHL | 740 | 615 | 217 | 0.540 |
| 39 | Montreal Canadiens | NHL | 739 | 614 | 219 | 0.540 |
| 41 | Minnesota Wild | NHL | 520 | 436 | 158 | 0.538 |
| 42 | Chicago Blackhawks | NHL | 724 | 609 | 230 | 0.537 |
| 43 | New York Rangers | NHL | 744 | 630 | 198 | 0.536 |
| 44 | Los Angeles Dodgers | MLB | 1855 | 1629 | 0 | 0.532 |
| 45 | Houston Dynamo | MLS | 121 | 102 | 94 | 0.530 |
| 46 | Chicago Fire | MLS | 229 | 196 | 135 | 0.529 |
| 47 | Buffalo Sabres | NHL | 725 | 636 | 211 | 0.528 |
| 47 | Los Angeles/Anaheim/CA Angels | MLB | 1841 | 1646 | 0 | 0.528 |
| 49 | Seattle Seahawks | NFL | 178 | 160 | 0 | 0.527 |
| 50 | Minnesota Vikings | NFL | 177 | 160 | 1 | 0.525 |

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.

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 September 21, 2015

| Rank | Team | Lg. | W | L | T/OTL | Pct. |
| ---: | :--- | :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| $\mathbf{2}$ | New England Patriots | NFL | $\mathbf{2 3 1}$ | $\mathbf{1 0 7}$ | $\mathbf{0}$ | $\mathbf{0 . 6 8 3}$ |
| 22 | Boston Bruins | NHL | 766 | 563 | 243 | 0.565 |
| 34 | Boston Red Sox | MLB | 1897 | 1588 | 0 | 0.544 |
| 87 | Boston Celtics | NBA | 819 | 854 | 0 | 0.490 |
| 98 | New England Revolution | MLS | 238 | 265 | 122 | 0.478 |


[^0]:    * Since 1996

