



# NEW ENGLAND PATRIOTS

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## UPCOMING MEDIA SCHEDULE

### Wednesday, Dec. 4

10:45-11:15 Head Coach Bill Belichick's Press  
Conference (Media Workroom)  
11:15-11:55 Open Locker Room  
12:30-12:45 Photographers Access to Practice  
TBA Bills Player Conference Call  
TBA Gregg Williams Conference Call

### Thursday, Dec. 5

10:45-11:15 Head Coach Bill Belichick's Press  
Conference (Media Workroom)  
11:15-11:55 Open Locker Room  
12:30-12:45 Photographers Access to Practice

### Friday, Dec. 6

10:45-11:00 Head Coach Bill Belichick's Press  
Conference (Media Workroom)  
11:00-11:35 Open Locker Room

## 2002 PATRIOTS SCHEDULE

### REGULAR SEASON (7-5)

Mon., Sept. 9	Pittsburgh	W	30-14
Sun., Sept. 15 at	N.Y. Jets	W	44-7
Sun., Sept. 22	Kansas City	W	ot 41-38
Sun., Sept. 29 at	San Diego	L	14-21
Sun., Oct. 6 at	Miami	L	13-26
Sun., Oct. 13	Green Bay	L	10-28
Sun., Oct. 20	BYE		
Sun., Oct. 27	Denver	L	16-24
Sun., Nov. 3 at	Buffalo	W	38-7
Sun., Nov. 10 at	Chicago	W	33-30
Sun., Nov. 17 at	Oakland	L	20-27
Sun., Nov. 24	Minnesota	W	24-17
Thur., Nov. 28 at	Detroit	W	20-12
Sun., Dec. 8	Buffalo	1:00	CBS
Mon., Dec. 16 at	Tennessee	9:00	ABC
Sun., Dec. 22	N.Y. Jets	8:30	ESPN
Sun., Dec. 29	Miami	1:00	CBS

## AFC EAST STANDINGS

Teams	W	L	T	Pct.	PF	PA
Miami Dolphins .....	7	5	0	.583	287	228
<b>NEW ENGLAND .....</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>.583</b>	<b>303</b>	<b>251</b>
New York Jets.....	6	5	0	.545	235	243
Buffalo Bills.....	6	6	0	.500	315	338

### Sunday, Dec. 8

**New England vs. Buffalo..... 1:00**  
Denver at NY Jets ..... 4:15

### Monday, Dec. 9

Chicago at Miami..... 9:00

## PATRIOTS (7-5) ENTER HOME STRETCH HOSTING THE BUFFALO BILLS (6-6)

**This Week:** The New England Patriots (7-5) will begin the final month of the season at home in Gillette Stadium (68,436 capacity) against AFC East rival Buffalo Bills. Kickoff is scheduled for 1:00 p.m.

**Television:** This week's game will be broadcast nationally on CBS (WBZ Channel 4 in Boston). The play-by-play duties will be handled by **Greg Gumbel**, who will be joined in the booth by **Phil Simms**. **Armen Keteyian** will provide sideline reports throughout the game.

**Radio:** Every Patriots game can be heard in stereo on the Patriots official flagship station **WBCN 104.1 FM**. **Gil Santos**, now in his 26<sup>th</sup> season as the voice of the Patriots, will call the game along with Patriots Hall of Famer **Gino Cappelletti**, who will provide in-depth analysis for his 22<sup>nd</sup> season. A complete list of the Patriots WBCN Rock Radio Network can be found on pages 462-463 of the 2002 Patriots media guide or at [www.patriots.com](http://www.patriots.com).

**Looking Sharp at Gillette:** The Patriots have won nine of their last 11 games at home (including preseason and postseason). Foxborough has been a wonderful home to the Patriots since Robert Kraft purchased the team in 1994. The team has compiled a 59-30 (.663) overall record at home during that time span. This week's game against the Buffalo Bills will be the 90<sup>th</sup> consecutive sellout at home and the 190<sup>th</sup> consecutive game broadcast locally. The last local blackout was against the Indianapolis Colts on Dec. 26, 1993.

**Versus the AFC East:** The Patriots will begin the month of December at home against division rival Buffalo. New England has recorded an 8-1 record against their AFC East rivals in their last nine meetings, including a 2-1 record this year. The Patriots played their first three division games on the road this year and will conclude the season with three of their last four games against the AFC East at Gillette Stadium.

**Another December to Remember?:** The Patriots have a 6-2 record in the month of December since Bill Belichick assumed the duties as head coach in 2000. Last season, the Patriots won all four of their games, including three against division opponents. As the temperatures have cooled in recent years, the Patriots have heated up. Since 1993, New England is 13-4 when it's 36 degrees or colder.

**The Patriots A-Train:** Patriots running back Antowain Smith will play in his fourth game against his former team this weekend when the Patriots host the Bills. Smith has rushed for an average of 102 yards in his three games against the Bills, including his 111-yard effort in the Patriots 38-7 victory on Nov. 3. He also tied a single-game career-high with three touchdowns (2 receiving, 1 rushing) in their last meeting. The Patriots are 5-0 when Smith has rushed for 100 yards or more over the past two seasons.

## THE ROAD AHEAD

The Patriots finished the month of November by winning four of five games in 25 days, including their 20-12 victory over the Lions on Thanksgiving. During the final month of the regular season, New England will face all three of their division rivals, including this weekend's game against the Buffalo Bills. The combined record of the Patriots final four opponents is 26-21\*, the fourth toughest schedule in the AFC. While the Patriots ventured from Gillette Stadium in four of their five games in November, they will be at home for three of four in December.

TEAM	NE (7-5)	MIA (7-5)	NYJ (6-5)	BUF (6-6)
Opp. Record	26-21 (.553)	20-27 (.426)	26-22 (.542)	25-23 (.520)
Week 14	Buf. (6-6)	Chi. (3-9)	Den. (7-5)	At NE (7-5)
Week 15	At Ten. (7-5)	Oak. (7-4)*	At Chi. (3-9)	S.D. (8-4)
Week 16	NYJ (6-5)*	At Min. (3-9)	At NE (7-5)	At G.B. (9-3)
Week 17	Miami (7-5)	At NE (7-5)	G.B. (9-3)	Cin. (1-11)

\*-Depending on outcome of Monday Night Football



# PATRIOTS AND BILLS SERIES RESULTS

## SERIES HISTORY

This week's game will be the 86<sup>th</sup> encounter between the two AFC East rivals, dating back to the inception of the AFL in 1960. The Patriots have recorded 45 wins against the Bills, the most against any opponent. They currently hold a four-game winning streak against Buffalo, their longest since they won 11 straight games from 1982-87.

The New England Patriots traveled to Buffalo and defeated the Bills, 38-7, earlier this season. The Patriots 31-point victory equaled their largest margin of victory in the series (52-21 in 1961 and 31-0 in 1983). Four of their previous six meetings have been decided in overtime. Patriots running back Antowain Smith eclipsed the 100-yard mark for the first time in 2002 with 111 yards on 29 carries at Buffalo on Nov. 3. Smith also scored three touchdowns, two receiving and one rushing. Tom Brady had a record setting day against the Bills, completing 22 of 26 passes (franchise best 84.6 percent completion rate) for 265 yards and three touchdowns. The results of the series are listed below:

### NEW ENGLAND 45-39-1

YR	RESULT	YR	RESULT
1960	—Buffalo 13, at NE 0 ..... -13	1981	—at Buffalo, 20, NE 17 ..... -3
	at Buffalo 38, NE 14 ..... -24		Buffalo 19, at NE 10 ..... -9
1961	—NE 23, at Buffalo 21 ..... +2	1982	—at NE 30, Buffalo 19 ..... +11
	at NE 52, Buffalo 21 ..... +31	1983	—NE 31, at Buffalo 0 ..... +31
1962	—at Buffalo 28, NE 28 ..... tie		at NE 21, Buffalo 7 ..... +14
	at NE 21, Buffalo 10 ..... +11	1984	—NE 21, at Buffalo 17 ..... +4
1963	—at Buffalo 28, NE 21 ..... -7		at NE 38, Buffalo 10 ..... +28
	at NE 17, Buffalo 7 ..... +10	1985	—NE 17, at Buffalo 14 ..... +3
	<b>*NE 26, at Buffalo 8 ..... +18</b>		at NE 14, Buffalo 3 ..... +11
1964	—NE 36, at Buffalo 28 ..... +8	1986	—NE 23, at Buffalo 3 ..... +20
	Buffalo 24, at NE 14 ..... -10		at NE 22, Buffalo 19 ..... +3
1965	—at Buffalo 24, NE 7 ..... -17	1987	—at NE 14, Buffalo 7 ..... +7
	Buffalo 23, at NE 7 ..... -16		NE 13, at Buffalo 7 ..... +6
1966	—NE 20, at Buffalo 10 ..... +10	1988	—Buffalo 16, at NE 14 ..... -2
	at NE 14, Buffalo 3 ..... +11		at Buffalo 23, NE 20 ..... -3
1967	—NE 23, at Buffalo 0 ..... +23	1989	—at Buffalo 31, NE 10 ..... -21
	Buffalo 44, at NE 16 ..... -28		at NE 33, Buffalo 24 ..... +9
1968	—NE 16, at Buffalo 7 ..... +9	1990	—Buffalo 27, at NE 10 ..... -17
	at NE 23, Buffalo 6 ..... +17		at Buffalo 14, NE 0 ..... -14
1969	—at Buffalo 23, NE 16 ..... -7	1991	—at Buffalo 22, NE 17 ..... -5
	at NE 35, Buffalo 21 ..... +14		at NE 16, Buffalo 13 ..... +3
1970	—Buffalo 45, at NE 10 ..... -35	1992	—Buffalo 41, at NE 7 ..... -34
	NE 14, at Buffalo 10 ..... +4		at Buffalo 16, NE 7 ..... -9
1971	—at NE 38, Buffalo 33 ..... +5	1993	—at Buffalo 38, NE 14 ..... -24
	at Buffalo 27, NE 20 ..... -7		Buffalo 13, at NE 10 (OT) -3
1972	—at Buffalo 38, NE 14 ..... -24	1994	—Buffalo 38, at NE 35 ..... -3
	Buffalo 27, at NE 24 ..... -3		NE 41, at Buffalo 17 ..... +24
1973	—Buffalo 31, at NE 13 ..... -18	1995	—at NE 27, Buffalo 14 ..... +13
	at Buffalo 37, NE 13 ..... -24		NE 35, at Buffalo 25 ..... +10
1974	—at Buffalo 30, NE 28 ..... -2	1996	—at Buffalo 17, NE 10 ..... -7
	Buffalo 29, at NE 28 ..... -1		at NE 28, Buffalo 25 ..... +3
1975	—at Buffalo 45, NE 31 ..... -14	1997	—at NE 33, Buffalo 6 ..... +27
	Buffalo 34, at NE 14 ..... -20		NE 31, at Buffalo 10 ..... +21
1976	—NE 26, at Buffalo 22 ..... +4	1998	—at Buffalo 13, NE 10 ..... -3
	at NE 20, Buffalo 10 ..... +10		at NE 25, Buffalo 21 ..... +4
1977	—Buffalo 24, at NE 14 ..... -10	1999	—at Buffalo 17, NE 7 ..... -10
	NE 20, at Buffalo 7 ..... +13		Buffalo 13, at NE 10 ot ..... -3
1978	—NE 14, at Buffalo 10 ..... +4	2000	—Buffalo 16, at NE 13 ot ..... -3
	at NE 26, Buffalo 24 ..... +2		NE 13, at Buffalo 10 ot ..... +3
1979	—NE 26, at Buffalo 6 ..... +20	2001	—at NE 21, Buffalo 11 ..... +10
	Buffalo 16, at NE 13(OT) -3		NE 12, at Buffalo 9 ot ..... +3
1980	—at Buffalo 31, NE 13 ..... -18	2002	—NE 38, at Buffalo 7 ..... +31
	at NE 24, Buffalo 2 ..... +22		<b>*Divisional Playoff</b>

### SERIES TRENDS

Record in New England ..... 23 wins - 18 losses  
 Record in Buffalo ..... 22 wins - 21 losses - 1 tie  
 Total Points in Regular Season Series.....Patriots 1,690, Bills 1,617  
 Patriots Largest Margin of Victory..... 31 pts (1961, 1983 & 2002)  
 Patriots Largest Margin of Defeat..... -35 points (1970)  
 Longest Patriots Win Streak..... 11 games (1982-1987)  
 Longest Patriots Losing Streak ..... 9 games (1971-1975)  
 Current Streak - Patriots, four game winning streak

## TALE OF THE TAPE

Categories	New England	Buffalo
Record .....	7-5	6-6
Divisional Standings .....	1 <sup>st</sup> T	3rd
Total Yards Gained.....	4,086	4,436
Total Offense.....	340.5 (15)	369.7 (7)
Rush Offense.....	95.6 (26)	101.8 (24)
Pass Offense.....	244.9 (5)	267.9 (2)
Points Per Game .....	25.3	26.3
Total Yards Allowed .....	3,870	4,066
Total Defense .....	322.5 (12)	338.8 (20)
Rush Defense .....	126.5 (23)	142.6 (31)
Pass Defense .....	196.0 (7)	196.3 (8)
Points Allowed/Game .....	20.9	28.2
Possession Avg. ....	30:18	31:07
Sacks Allowed/Yards Loss.....	25/154	42/304
Sacks Made/Yards.....	28/167	24/174
Interceptions By.....	13/221	6/61
Penalties Against/Yards.....	89/765	95/861
Punts/Avg.....	48/37.6	48/42.9
Takeaway/Giveaway Ratio.....	+5	-2

## PATRIOTS – BILLS GAME NOTES

The Patriots have 45 wins against the Bills, which is their most against any opponent ... **RB Antowain Smith** spent four seasons with the Bills (1997-2000) and gained 2,932 yards on 760 carries and scored 26 touchdowns ... In his three games against his former team, Smith has gained 306 yards on 69 carries (4.4 avg.) and scored five touchdowns (three rushing). **BOTH TEAMS:** Six of the last nine games in the series have been decided by four points or less (NE 3-3)... Four of the last six games have been decided in overtime (NE 2-2) ... The Patriots are 11-5 against the Bills in their last 16 meetings.

## SERIES SUPERLATIVES

There have been numerous outstanding individual performances in the series between the Patriots and the Bills. Below is a list of the top individual efforts based on yards gained:

### Rushing Yards

Patriots: Jim Nance 34-185-1 td (9/24/67)  
 Bills: O.J. Simpson 29-250-2 tds (9/16/73)

### Passing Yards

Patriots: Drew Bledsoe 42-36-2-380-3 tds-2 ints (9/11/94)  
 Bills: Jim Kelly 41-21-356-1 td-2 ints (11/19/89)

### Receiving Yards

Patriots: Stanley Morgan 5-158-2 tds (11/4/79)  
 Bills: Andre Reed 9-168-1 td (9/27/92)

## FAMILIAR FOE

Bills quarterback Drew Bledsoe played in 124 games while he was a member of the New England Patriots from 1993-2001, including 62 at Foxboro Stadium. He compiled a 36-26 record as a starter inside Foxboro Stadium. Bledsoe ranks first in Patriots annals in passing yards, attempts and completions; second in touchdowns; third in quarterback rating and fourth in completion percentage.

Quarterback	G	Att	Cmp	%	Yards	TD	Int	Rat.
Drew Bledsoe	124	4,518	2,544	56.3	29,657	166	138	75.9



## GAME RECAP – PATRIOTS 20, LIONS 12

### GAME RECAP

The New England Patriots improved to 7-5 with a 20-12 win over the Detroit Lions on Thanksgiving Day in the Motor City. The Patriots won for the fourth time in their last five games behind Troy Brown's 10 catches for 111 yards and a defensive effort that produced three interceptions, with Tedy Bruschi returning his pick for a touchdown. Tom Brady completed 18 of 30 passes for 210 yards and the Patriots rushing attack put up 139 yards as New England jumped out to an early lead and was able to protect it in the second half.

The Patriots put points on the board on their first drive for the second straight game, an Adam Vinatieri kicked his first of two field goals on the afternoon, a 31-yarder that put the Patriots up 3-0. The opening drive was highlighted by the Patriots longest pass completion of the game, a 28-yard toss from Tom Brady to David Patten, who made a tough shoestring catch after the ball had ricocheted off an opponent's helmet.

Following the field goal, New England needed just two more plays to add to their lead. On the Lions second play from scrimmage, Bruschi grabbed a Joey Harrington pass in mid-flight and brought it back 27 yards for a touchdown to put the Patriots in the early driver's seat, 10-0. The interception return for a touchdown was the third of Bruschi's career and his second in the last three games. The Lions clawed back with a 23-yard field goal by Jason Hanson to cut the Patriots lead to 10-3 by the end of the first quarter.

The New England defense helped maintain momentum by snaring a pair of interceptions in the second quarter, one of which the Patriots offense was able to convert into a touchdown. Willie McGinest picked off Harrington as Detroit was driving in the red zone, keeping the Lions from chipping into the Patriots lead. On Detroit's next possession, Bobby Hamilton snared a Harrington pass at the Lions' 19-yard line for the Patriots second takeaway in as many possessions. The Patriots then proceeded to march 19 yards in four plays, and a 1-yard Antowain Smith touchdown run put New England in command, 17-3. Hanson booted another field goal just before halftime to make the score 17-6 going into the intermission.

Detroit clawed its way back into the game by coming up with the only points of the third quarter on Hanson's third field goal, a 39-yarder that cut the Patriots lead to 17-9 with 4:16 left in the quarter.

As the third quarter wound down, the Patriots began a 12-play, 64-yard drive that ended in a 29-yard Adam Vinatieri field goal that put the Patriots back up by 11 points. The Lions responded with their fourth field goal of the game, a 46-yarder by Hanson that made the score 20-12. The Patriots took over possession with 9:39 to go in the game, and controlled the clock for the rest of the contest, putting together a 17-play, 74-yard drive that ended at the Detroit 2-yard line as time ran out.

The Patriots closed out the month of November by winning for the fourth time in a five-game, 25-day stretch and finished with a 3-1 record against NFC foes.

### NATIONAL EXPOSURE

The Patriots appeared in their fourth nationally televised game last week against the Detroit Lions and improved to 3-1 in those games. New England will appear in a total of six nationally televised games this season, a single-season franchise record. Their previous high of five was set in 1998.

### GOBBLE GOBBLE

The Patriots won for the first time on Thanksgiving last week with their 20-12 victory over the Lions and they improved their record to 1-2 on Thanksgiving ... The Lions loss, was just their third in their last nine Thanksgiving Day games.

### VERSUS NFC

The Patriots finished their NFC portion of the schedule by defeating the Detroit Lions 20-12. They are 3-1 in their four games against the NFC, defeating the Minnesota Vikings 24-17 (Nov. 24), the Chicago Bears 33-30 (Nov. 10) and the Lions. Their only loss against the NFC was a 28-10 decision against the Green Bay Packers (Oct. 13).

### TAKE THAT

The Patriots recorded a +2 turnover ratio against the Lions. It was their sixth positive turnover ratio of the season and they increased their season total to +5. New England has a 5-1 record this season and a 38-12 record since 1996 when they have a positive turnover ratio.

### INTERCEPTION NOTE

The Patriots recorded three interceptions against the Lions last week, equaling their highest total of the season (vs. Pittsburgh, 9/9/02).

### TEDY BRUSCHI

Bruschi intercepted his second pass of the season (5<sup>th</sup> of his career) in the first quarter and returned it 27 yards for a touchdown. It was also his second interception return for a touchdown this season (2<sup>nd</sup> of career). He became the sixth Patriot, and first linebacker, to return two interceptions for touchdowns during a single season. The last Patriot to accomplish the feat was cornerback Otis Smith in 2001.

### WILLIE MCGINEST

McGinest intercepted a Joey Harrington pass in the second quarter, his first of the season and the second of his career.

### BOBBY HAMILTON

Hamilton snared a Harrington pass in the second quarter and the Patriots offense turned the takeaway into 1-yard touchdown run by Antowain Smith. It was Hamilton's first career interception in his 98<sup>th</sup> career game.

### ANTOWAIN SMITH

Scored his sixth touchdown of the season (fourth rushing) on a 1-yard run in the second quarter. It marks the fifth time in his six year career he has scored at least six touchdowns in a season. He established a career-high with 13 touchdowns last season.

### SCORING NOTE

The Patriots have three players who have scored at least six touchdowns this season (Kevin Faulk, 6; Christian Fauria, 6 and Antowain Smith, 6). It marks the first time since 1996 that the Patriots have had at least three players with six or more touchdowns (Curtis Martin, 17; Ben Coates, 9; Terry Glenn 6).

### THURSDAY DRIVE

The Patriots closed out last week's game with a 17-play, 74-yard drive that lasted an amazing 9:46. It was the longest possession (in terms of time) this season and their longest since they elapsed 10:11 to help close out their 38-17 victory over Indianapolis (10/21/01). The Patriots were able to convert all four of their third down attempts on the drive, enabling them to run out the clock against the Lions.

### SACKLESS IN NEW ENGLAND

The Patriots did not allow the Lions to sack Tom Brady last week, marking the third game this season he was not sacked. The last time a Patriots quarterback was not sacked in at least three games in one season was in 1997. Brady has only been dropped 25 times through 12 games this season, while Patriots quarterbacks were sacked 34 times through 12 games last year.



# PATRIOTS NEWS AND NOTES

## TROY BROWN

Brown led all receivers with 10 catches for 111 yards last week against the Lions on Thanksgiving. It was his third double-digit catch performance of the season and the fifth of his career. It was also his second 100-yard receiving game of the season and the 13<sup>th</sup> of his career. He has led the team in receptions in eight of the 10 games he has played in this year. Brown has also led the team or was tied for the team lead in receptions in 22 of the 26 games he has played in over the past two seasons.

Brown leads the Patriots with 76 receptions for 715 yards (9.2 avg.) and two touchdowns, despite missing two games with an injury. Brown set a Patriots franchise record with 16 catches against the Chiefs on Sept. 22, 2002. His previous high was also set against Kansas City when he was credited with 12 receptions for 119 yards and a touchdown on Dec. 4, 2000. He also gained a single-game career-high 176 yards.

## BROWN'S 100-YARD RECEIVING GAMES

Brown recorded his 13<sup>th</sup> career 100-yard receiving game against the Lions on Nov. 28 and is now tied for second in Patriots history (listed below).

Yds	Rec.	Date
176	16	vs. K.C. 9/22/02
125	5	at N.Y. Jets, 10/19/97
124	6	vs. Chicago, 9/21/97
*121	8	at Pittsburgh, 1/27/02
120	8	at Indianapolis, 10/21/01
119	12	vs. K.C., 12/4/00
117	11	vs. S.D., 10/14/01
111	10	at Detroit, 11/28/02
110	8	vs. Cincinnati, 11/19/00
108	5	at Denver, 10/1/00
106	7	at Cincinnati, 9/9/01
105	5	at Philadelphia, 12/19/99
102	8	vs. Miami, 12/24/00

\*-AFC Championship Game

# of 100-Yd Rec. Gm	Rk Player	100 + Gm
1	Stanley Morgan	39
2	Troy Brown ...	13
	Terry Glenn	13
4	Irving Fryar	12
5	Ben Coates	9

## RANKINGS

Patriots wide receiver Troy Brown ranks third in the AFC and fifth in the NFL with 76 receptions, despite missing two games due to injury.

Rk	Player, Team	Rec	Yds	Avg	Lg	TD
1	Harrison, Ind.	109	1,318	12.1	69	8
2	Ward, Pit.	89	1,090	12.2	72t	11
3	Owens, S.F.	80	1,102	13.8	76t	10
4	Moss, Min.	79	990	12.5	48	4
5	Troy Brown, NE	76	715	9.4	38	2
6	Booker, Chi.	74	1,036	14.0	54	5
7t	Rice, Oak. (MNF)	73	956	13.1	75	6

## PATRIOTS ALL-TIME LISTS

With 10 catches for 111 yards against Detroit, Troy Brown increased his career receiving totals to 397 catches for 4,685 yards (11.8 avg.). During the game, he surpassed Gino Cappelletti (4,589) and Terry Glenn (4,669) and now is ranked fifth on the Patriots all-time receiving yardage list. Brown also ranks third on the Patriots all-time receiving list with 395 receptions.

### PATRIOTS ALL-TIME RECEIVING LEADERS (BY YARDS)

Rk	Name	No	Yds	Avg	Lg	TD
1	Stanley Morgan	534	10,352	19.4	76t	67
2	Irving Fryar	363	5,726	15.8	80t	38
3	Ben Coates	490	5,471	11.2	84t	50
4	Jim Colclough	283	5,001	17.7	78t	39
5	Troy Brown	397	4,685	11.8	67	19
6	Terry Glenn	329	4,669	14.2	86t	22
7	Gino Cappelletti	292	4,589	15.7	63t	42

### PATRIOTS ALL-TIME RECEIVING LEADERS (BY CATCHES)

Rk	Player, Pos.	No	Yds	Avg.	Lg	TD
1	Stanley Morgan, WR	534	10,352	19.4	76t	67
2	Ben Coates, TE	490	5,471	11.2	84t	50
3	Troy Brown, WR	397	4,685	11.8	67	19
4	Irving Fryar, WR	363	5,726	15.8	80t	38

## THREE'S COMPANY

Troy Brown has been one of the most reliable receivers this year on third down. He ranks fourth in the NFL with 22 receptions this season. Last week, he caught two passes on third down, each extending important drives. His first was part of the Patriots final scoring drive, an Adam Vinatieri field goal, and his other came on their final drive of the game, allowing the Patriots to continue to run out the clock.

Rk	Player, Team	Rec	Yds	Avg	Lg	TD
1.	Marvin Harrison, Ind.	33	424	12.8	69	1
2	Terrell Owens	25	405	16.2	76t	6
3	Joe Horn, N.O.	23	388	16.9	63	2
4.	Troy Brown, N.E.	22	260	11.8	38	1

## CONSISTENCY IS KEY

Brown ranks fifth among receivers in the NFL with 260 catches over the past three seasons. He established a Patriots franchise record with 101 catches last year and is on pace to equal that mark despite missing two games due to injury earlier this season.

Player	Catches 2000	Catches 2001	Catches 2002	Total
Marvin Harrison	102	109	109	320
Rod Smith	100	113	70	283
Terrell Owens	97	93	80	270
Jimmy Smith	91	112	65	268
Troy Brown	83	101	76	260
Joe Horn	94	83	66	243
Randy Moss	77	82	79	238

## CATCHING ON

Brown's 260 receptions over the past three seasons are already the highest three-year total in Patriots history. Tight end Ben Coates ranks second with a three-year total of 242 (1994-96).

Player	Catches Year	Catches Year	Catches Year	Total
Troy Brown	83, 2000	101, 2001	76, 2002	260
Ben Coates	96, 1994	84, 1995	62, 1996	242

## PATTEN PENDING

Patriots wide receiver David Patten has recorded 711 yards receiving this season on 48 catches and needs only 39 yards receiving to establish a new career-high (749 yards, 2001). He has already equaled a career high with four receiving touchdowns this season. Patten is tied with Troy Brown with two 100-yard receiving games this season. He has increased his career total to five 100-yard games (see below). Patten also caught two touchdowns against the Dolphins (10/6/02) to tie his career high.

Yds	Rec	Opponent	Yds	Rec	Opponent
117	4	at Ind., 10/21/01	103	7	vs. Phi., 12/10/00
113	7	vs. Bal., 10/1/00	102	5	at Mia., 10/6/02
108	7	vs. K.C., 9/22/02			

## CENTURY MARK

Four different Patriots have totaled six 100-yard receiving games this season. The Patriots are the only team in the NFL to have four different receivers with 100-yard receiving games. Five teams, including this week's opponent Buffalo, rank second with three apiece. The Patriots are tied for fourth with six 100-yard receiving games this season (see below).

Player	Date	Opponent	No	Yds	TD
Troy Brown	9/22/02	Chiefs	16	176	1
David Patten	9/22/02	Chiefs	7	108	1
Deion Branch	9/29/02	Chargers	13	128	0
David Patten	10/6/02	Dolphins	5	102	2
Kevin Faulk	11/10/02	Bears	7	109	2
Troy Brown	11/28/02	Lions	10	111	0





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## TOP ROOK

Patriots wide receiver Deion Branch earned AFC Rookie of the Month honors for September. Branch leads all NFL rookie wide receivers with 42 catches and ranks second among NFL rookie wide receivers with 448 yards receiving. Below is a comparison of Branch and the 10 receivers taken before him in the 2002 draft.

Pick	Player	Rec.	Yds	Avg.	TD
13	Donte Stallworth, New Orleans ....	25	324	13.0	6
19	Ashley Lelie, Denver .....	25	308	12.3	0
20	Javon Walker, Green Bay .....	16	243	15.2	1
33	Jabar Gaffney, Houston.....	33	384	11.6	1
36	Josh Reed, Buffalo.....	30	375	12.5	2
46	Tim Carter, N.Y. Giants .....	2	37	18.5	0
47	Andre Davis, Cleveland .....	28	341	12.2	6
48	Rache Caldwell, San Diego .....	14	120	8.6	3
62	A. Randle El, Pittsburgh.....	34	351	10.3	0
63	Antonio Bryant, Dallas.....	30	488	16.3	4
<b>65</b>	<b>Deion Branch, NE .....</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>448</b>	<b>10.7</b>	<b>2</b>

Earlier this season, Branch established career highs in receptions (13) and receiving yards (128) against the Chargers (9/29/02). It was the second-highest single-game reception total by a rookie wide receiver in NFL history. Wide receiver Don Looney established the mark of 14 catches on Dec. 1, 1940. Branch also tied the second highest reception total by a Patriot, equaling the mark set by Terry Glenn on Oct. 3, 1999. It was the highest receiving total by a Patriots rookie since Hart Lee Dykes totaled 130 yards on 10 catches at Pittsburgh (12/17/89).

## MOST RECEPTIONS IN A GAME / ROOKIE NFL HISTORY

- 14 WR Don Looney, Phi. at Washington, Dec. 1, 1940
- 13 **WR Deion Branch, New England at S.D., Sept. 29, 2002**
- RB Sid Blanks, Houston at S.D., Sept. 12, 1964
- RB LaDainian Tomlinson, S.D. vs. Arizona, Nov. 25, 2001

## RETURN MAN

Branch currently ranks third among NFL rookies and sixth in the AFC with a 24.0 kickoff return average. Last week against Detroit he returned a kickoff 63 yards at the end of the first quarter. It was his fifth kickoff return this season of 31 yards or more and his second of 52 yards or more. Kevin Faulk has the longest kickoff return of the season, an 86-yard touchdown return at Oakland (11/17/02).

## THIRD DOWN

The Patriots rank second in the AFC and third in the NFL with a third down conversion rate of 45.5%. Last week against the Lions, they converted nine of 15 attempts (60.0%). It was the third game this season they had third down conversion rate of 60% or higher (all victories). In their seven victories this season, the Patriots have converted 50% of their third downs (52-104). Conversely, in their five losses this season, they have only converted 37.7% (23-61).

## DEAD ZONE

The Patriots defense has improved in the red zone over the past two games, limiting their opponents to only two touchdowns in seven trips inside the 20 yardline. Last week against the Lions, the Patriots did not yield a touchdown in three trips. They have forced two turnovers, blocked one field goal attempt and allowed two field goals in the last two games.

## OPPONENTS DRIVES INSIDE PATRIOTS 20

Drives	Date	Opponent	Scrimmage	Result
1	11/24	Minnesota	25	Blocked FG
2	11/24	Minnesota	10	Fumble
3	11/24	Minnesota	6	Touchdown
4	11/24	Minnesota	7	Touchdown
5	11/28	at Detroit	4	Field Goal
6	11/28	at Detroit	15	Interception
7	11/28	at Detroit	27	Field Goal

## MR. SMITH COMES TO FOXBORO

Antowain Smith has eclipsed the 100-yard mark 12 times for his career, including his 111-yard performance at Buffalo (11/3/02). It was his second 100-yard performance against his former team. The Patriots are 5-0 when he rushes for over 100 yards and his teams are now 11-1 in those games during his career.

This season Smith is ranked 10th in the AFC with 782 yards rushing on 196 carries (4.0 avg.) including his 80 yard performance on Thanksgiving against the Lions.

Smith is tied for the team lead with six touchdowns this season (4 rushing, 2 receiving). Smith equaled a single-game career-high with three touchdowns (1 rushing, 2 receiving) and he gained 142 total yards (111 rushing, 31 rushing) in his first battle against the Bills.

Yards	Att	Avg	TD	W/L	Versus
<b>156</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>6.0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>W</b>	<b>vs. Miami, 12/22/01</b>
147	17	8.7	3	W	at Seattle, 12/23/00
130	31	4.2	2	W	at Indianapolis, 10/11/98
129	12	10.7	3	W	vs. Indianapolis, 9/21/97
126	29	4.3	0	W	vs. Miami, 11/14/99
118	22	5.4	0	L	vs. St. Louis, 9/20/98
<b>117</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>5.1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>W</b>	<b>at Atlanta, 11/4/01</b>
113	30	3.9	1	W	vs. NY Jets, 9/19/99
<b>111</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>3.8</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>W</b>	<b>at Buffalo, 11/3/02</b>
<b>111</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>4.6</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>W</b>	<b>vs. New Orleans, 11/25/01</b>
107	23	4.7	2	W	vs. Indianapolis, 11/22/98
<b>100</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>5.0</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>W</b>	<b>vs. Buffalo, 11/11/01</b>

**BOLD = with Patriots**

## SINGLE SEASON HIGHS

Patriots wide receiver Troy Brown and quarterback Tom Brady have already moved within striking distance on Patriots single season lists. Brown needs four catches to become the first Patriot to ever record three seasons with 80 or more receptions. He is also on pace to equal his franchise record setting mark of 101 receptions this season.

Brady became just the sixth different Patriots quarterback to record a 3,000-yard season last week against the Lions. He is on pace to become just the second Patriots to record 4,000 yards passing in one season. Brady also ranks seventh on the Patriots single-season list with 300 completions. He is on pace to tie Drew Bledsoe's franchise mark of 400.

## TOP RECEIVERS IN PATRIOTS HISTORY (Receptions)

Year	Player	No	Yds	Avg	Lg	TD
<b>2001</b>	<b>Troy Brown</b>	<b>101</b>	<b>1199</b>	<b>11.9</b>	<b>60t</b>	<b>5</b>
1994	Ben Coates (TE)	96	1174	12.2	62t	7
1996	Terry Glenn	90	1132	12.6	37t	6
1986	Stanley Morgan	84	1491	17.8	44t	10
1995	Ben Coates (TE)	84	915	10.9	35	6
<b>2000</b>	<b>Troy Brown</b>	<b>83</b>	<b>944</b>	<b>11.4</b>	<b>44t</b>	<b>4</b>
1991	Marv Cook (TE)	82	808	9.9	49	3
2000	Terry Glenn	79	963	12.2	39t	6
<b>2002</b>	<b>TROY BROWN</b>	<b>76</b>	<b>715</b>	<b>9.4</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>2</b>
1999	Terry Glenn	69	1147	16.6	67	4

## 3,000 YARD PASSERS IN PATRIOTS HISTORY

Year	Player	Att	Cmp	Pct.	Yds	td	Lg	int
1994	Drew Bledsoe	691	400	57.9	4555	25	62t	27
1996	Drew Bledsoe	623	374	59.9	4086	27	84t	15
1999	Drew Bledsoe	539	305	56.6	3985	19	68t	21
1997	Drew Bledsoe	522	314	60.2	3706	28	76	15
1998	Drew Bledsoe	481	263	54.7	3633	20	86t	14
1995	Drew Bledsoe	636	323	50.8	3507	13	47t	16
1964	Babe Parilli	473	228	48.2	3465	31	80t	27
1986	Tony Eason	448	276	61.6	3328	19	49	10
2000	Drew Bledsoe	531	312	58.8	3291	17	59	13
1979	Steve Grogan	423	206	48.7	3286	28	63t	20
1984	Tony Eason	431	259	60.1	3228	23	76t	8
<b>2002</b>	<b>TOM BRADY</b>	<b>464</b>	<b>300</b>	<b>64.7</b>	<b>3093</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>49t</b>	<b>11</b>
1991	Hugh Millen	409	246	60.1	3073	9	60t	18
<b>2001</b>	<b>Tom Brady</b>	<b>413</b>	<b>264</b>	<b>63.9</b>	<b>2843</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>91t</b>	<b>12</b>



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## POINT MAN

Adam Vinatieri scored eight points against the Lions last week and increased his season total to 89. He is tied for third in the AFC and tied for eighth in the NFL with 89 points. He has made 20 of his 22 field goal attempts this season and 27 of his last 29 kicks. Vinatieri increased his career point total to 777. Gino Cappelletti leads all Patriots scorers with 1,130 points.

### LEADING SCORERS IN PATRIOTS HISTORY

#	SCORING	TD	PAT/PATA	2-Pt	FG /FGA	TP
1	Gino Cappelletti	42	346/ 358	2	176/ 334	1,130
2	<b>Adam Vinatieri</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>235/ 240</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>180/ 221</b>	<b>777</b>
3	John Smith	0	308/ 323	0	128/ 191	692

### LEADING SCORERS (KICKERS) IN THE AFC

#	SCORING	PAT/PATA	FG/ FGA	LG	TP
1	Morten Andersen, K.C.	41/ 41	21/ 24	50	104
2	Mike Hollis, Buf.	33/ 33	20/ 27	54	93
3	<b>Adam Vinatieri</b>	<b>29/ 29</b>	<b>20/ 22</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>89</b>
	Jason Elam, Den.	32/ 33	19/ 27	55	89
5	S. Janikowski, Oak.	38/ 38	16/ 22	51	86

## DOME MAN

Vinatieri has been successful on all 27 of his field goal attempts inside a dome (including the playoffs) during his seven-year career. Last week against Detroit, he nailed field goals of 31 and 29 yards, increasing his career mark 27.

## JUST FOR KICKS

Patriots kicker Adam Vinatieri is the Patriots all-time leader in field goals with 180. He surpassed Gino Cappelletti's franchise record of 176, which had stood since 1970, against the Raiders (Nov. 17) on a 31-yard field goal. Vinatieri also ranks third in Patriots history with 235 extra points.

### Most FGs in Pats History

1	<b>Adam Vinatieri</b>	<b>180</b>
2	Gino Cappelletti	176
3	John Smith	128
4	Tony Franklin	93

### Most PATs in Pats History

1	Gino Cappelletti	346
2	John Smith	308
3	<b>Adam Vinatieri</b>	<b>235</b>
4	Tony Franklin	163

## ACCURATE STATEMENTS

Vinatieri has made 20-of-22 (.909) field goals in 2002. He is the second most accurate field goal kicker in the NFL this season (see below).

Kicker	FGM	FGA	Pct.	Points
David Akers, Phi. ....	24	26	.923	104
<b>Adam Vinatieri, NE</b> .....	<b>20</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>.909</b>	<b>89</b>
Jason Hanson, Det. ....	18	20	.900	77
Morten Andersen, K.C. ....	21	24	.875	104
John Carney, N.O. ....	21	24	.875	93

Vinatieri is also the most accurate kicker in franchise history, as well as the fifth most accurate kicker in NFL history. He has recorded an 81.4 conversion rate (180-221) over his seven-year career.

### NFL ALL-TIME MOST ACCURATE KICKERS

	TEAM	PCT.	FGM/FGA
1	Mike Vanderjagt	Colts	85.2 132/155
2	Olindo Mare	Dolphins	83.6 153/183
3	John Carney	Saints	81.8 311/380
4	<b>Adam Vinatieri</b>	<b>Patriots</b>	<b>81.4 180/221</b>
5	Matt Stover	Ravens	81.2 281/346
6	Ryan Longwell	Packers	81.0 153/189

## KICKIN' IT

Patriots kicker Adam Vinatieri has scored 777 points since he entered the league in 1996. During that time span, only Jason Elam 792 has scored more points than Vinatieri. The top five scorers since 1996 are listed below:

Rk	Player	Total	Rk	Player	Total
1	Jason Elam .....	792	4	Gary Anderson.....	750
2	<b>Adam Vinatieri</b> .....	<b>777</b>	5	Matt Stover .....	720
3	Mike Hollis .....	770			

## CLUTCH KICKERS

Vinatieri has kicked 13 field goals in the final minute of the fourth quarter or in overtime to give his team the victory, which ranks third among active kickers (regular season and postseason).

Kicker	Game Winning FGs	Kicker	GW FGs
Morten Andersen.....	17	John Carney .....	9
Steve Christie.....	16	Jason Hanson .....	9
<b>Adam Vinatieri</b> .....	<b>13</b>	Joe Nedney.....	8

## LAST-MINUTE MAN

Vinatieri drilled a 35-yard game-winning field goal in overtime against the Kansas City Chiefs on Sept. 22 that lifted the Patriots to a 41-38 victory. The game-winning kick was the 13<sup>th</sup> of his career and his first this season. Last year, he became the first kicker in Super Bowl history to kick a game-winning field goal on the final play of the game. Over half of his game-winning kicks (seven) have come in overtime. His game-winning kicks are listed below:

Date	Opponent	Yds	Time	Final Score
9/22/96	Jacksonville	40	12:24 (OT)	28-25
9/14/97	N.Y. Jets	34	6:57 (OT)	27-24
10/04/98	at New Orleans	27	0:03	30-27
12/20/98	San Francisco	35	0:03	24-21
9/12/99	at N.Y. Jets	23	0:03	30-28
9/19/99	Indianapolis	26	0:35	31-28
11/19/00	Cincinnati	22	0:03	16-13
12/17/00	at Buffalo	24	0:19 (OT)	13-10
10/14/01	San Diego	44	10:55 (OT)	29-26
12/16/01	at Buffalo	23	9:15 (OT)	12-9
1/19/02	Oakland	23	6:31 (OT)	16-13
2/3/02	St. Louis	48	0:07	20-17
<b>9/22/02</b>	<b>Kansas City</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>10:20 (OT)</b>	<b>41-38</b>

## SCORE-IA

Patriots tight end Christian Fauria is tied with Kevin Faulk and Antowain Smith with the team lead in touchdowns with a single-season career high six. In his seven *years* prior to joining the Patriots, Fauria had caught seven touchdown passes. He is tied with Green Bay's Bubba Franks for second in the league among the NFL's tight ends with six touchdown receptions. Fauria has caught 23 passes this season, six for touchdowns, for an average of a touchdown catch every 3.8 receptions. It's the highest ratio in the NFL among players with at least 20 receptions (see below).

Player, Team	Catches	TDs	Ratio
<b>Christian Fauria, NE</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>3.8</b>
Donte Stallworth, NO	25	6	4.0
Anthony Becht, NYJ (MNF)	22	5	4.4
Andre Davis, CLE.	28	6	4.6

## HAPPY RETURNS

Patriots running back and kickoff returner Kevin Faulk is tied with Christian Fauria and Antowain Smith for the team lead with six touchdowns this season (two rushing, three receiving and one kickoff return). He was the first of two players in the NFL this season who has scored touchdowns rushing, receiving and on returns (Dennis Northcutt). He's also the first Patriot since Irving Fryar to accomplish the triple-play with one rushing, seven receiving and two punt return touchdowns in 1985.

Faulk became the Patriots all-time kickoff return leader earlier this season against Green Bay (10/13). He moved ahead of David Meggett (2,561 yards). He currently has 2,689 career kick return yards.



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## PASSING BY

Tom Brady became the sixth Patriot to record a 3,000-yard passing season last week against the Lions. He currently has 3,093 yards passing through 12 games this season. Earlier this season, he became just the sixth player in franchise history to pass for over 5,000 yards at Chicago (11/10/02) and now has 5,942 yards passing. He is currently on pace to throw for 4,124 yards. The franchise record is 4,555 set by Drew Bledsoe in 1994.

Rk.	Name	Att	Comp	Yards	Pct	TD	Int
1.	Drew Bledsoe	4,518	2,544	29,657	56.3	166	138
2.	Steve Grogan	3,593	1,879	26,886	52.3	182	208
3.	Babe Parilli	2,412	1,140	16,747	47.3	132	138
4.	Tony Eason	1,500	876	10,732	58.4	60	48
5.	Jim Plunkett	1,503	729	9,932	48.5	62	87
6.	<b>TOM BRADY</b>	<b>880</b>	<b>565</b>	<b>5,942</b>	<b>64.2</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>23</b>
7.	Hugh Millen	612	370	4,276	60.5	17	28
8.	Mike Taliaferro	680	305	3,920	44.9	27	44

## RATINGS GAME

Brady has recorded five quarterback ratings of over 100.0 this season, including a 147.6 rating in his previous meeting with Buffalo (11/3/02). He has eight career 100.0 plus ratios in his 26 career starts, all Patriots victories (see below), including three of the top five in Patriots history. Earlier this season, Brady became the first Patriots quarterback to open the season with three consecutive games with passer ratings over 100.0 (minimum of 15 attempts). Brady has recorded a passer rating of 91.1 through 12 games this season.

Date	Opp.	Att	C	Yds	Pct.	TD	I	Rating	W/L
10/21/01	at Ind.	20	16	202	.800	3	0	148.3	W
<b>11/03/02</b>	<b>at Buf</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>265</b>	<b>.846</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>147.6</b>	<b>W</b>
11/25/01	N.O.	26	19	258	.731	4	0	143.9	W
11/04/01	at Atl.	31	21	250	.677	3	0	124.4	W
<b>11/24/02</b>	<b>Min.</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>239</b>	<b>.617</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>112.3</b>	<b>W</b>
<b>9/22/02</b>	<b>K.C.</b>	<b>54</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>410</b>	<b>.722</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>110.9</b>	<b>W</b>
<b>09/09/02</b>	<b>Pitt.</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>294</b>	<b>.674</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>110.0</b>	<b>W</b>
<b>09/15/02</b>	<b>at NYJ</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>269</b>	<b>.714</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>100.8</b>	<b>W</b>

## COMPLETING THE PICTURE

Brady has completed 62.4 percent of his passes during his NFL career (880-565). He currently ranks third in NFL history (minimum 500 attempts) with a 64.2 completion percentage.

### HIGHEST COMPLETION %/CAREER MIN: 500 ATTEMPTS

Rk	Name	Att	Com	Pct.
1.	Kurt Warner .....	1623	1083	66.7
2.	Steve Young.....	4149	2667	64.3
3.	<b>Tom Brady.....</b>	<b>880</b>	<b>565</b>	<b>64.2</b>
4.	Joe Montana.....	5391	3409	63.2
5.	Jeff Garcia.....	1837	1144	62.3

## ON TARGET

Brady currently holds the Patriots all-time completion percentage record (64.2), completing 565 of his 880 passes. Last season, Brady recorded a Patriots single-season franchise completion percentage record of 63.9. This season, he has recorded a 64.7 completion percentage and is on pace to break his own single-season record. Earlier this season, he established the highest single-game completion percentage in Patriots history (min. of 20 attempts) against the Bills (11/3), completing 22 of 26 passes (.846).

### Highest Completion % in Franchise History (min. of 500 passes)

Rk	Quarterback	Att	Comp	Comp %
1.	<b>Tom Brady</b>	<b>880</b>	<b>565</b>	<b>64.2</b>
2.	Hugh Millen	612	370	60.5
3.	Tony Eason	1,500	876	58.4

## FIRST THINGS FIRST

Brady has quarterbacked the Patriots to victories in 18 of his 26 regular season starts during his career, compiling a winning percentage of 69.2 percent, the third highest of any active starting quarterback in the NFL. Including the playoffs, he is 21-8 as a starter. Last season, Brady became the only quarterback in franchise history to win 11 of his first 14 regular season starts as a Patriot. Vito "Babe" Parilli ranks second in Patriots annals with 10 wins in his first 14 starts.

Quarterback, Team	W	L	Pct.
Kurt Warner, St. Louis .....	35	14	.714
Jay Fiedler, Miami.....	27	11	.711
<b>Tom Brady, New England.....</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>.692</b>
Brett Favre, Green Bay .....	112	57	.663
Brad Johnson, Tampa Bay.....	49	28	.636

## TOUCHING DOWN

Brady is the NFL's leader with 24 touchdown passes this season and has already eclipsed his touchdown total of last season (18). He has reached 24 touchdown passes in the fewest amount of games in Patriots history, 11. Vito 'Babe' Parilli held the previous mark of 12 games, set in 1964, the season he recorded the most touchdown passes in franchise history. He has passed for three or more touchdowns in five games this season, including three of the last five games. His 24 touchdowns rank sixth in Patriots single-game history (see below).

31	Vito 'Babe' Parilli, 1964	27	Drew Bledsoe, 1996
28	Drew Bledsoe, 1997	25	Drew Bledsoe, 1994
28	Steve Grogan, 1979	<b>24</b>	<b>TOM BRADY, 2002</b>

## SHARING THE WEALTH

The Patriots have distributed their 24 passing touchdowns to 11 different players this season. It's the widest distribution of any team in the NFL and the most in Patriots history. The Redskins rank second with 10 and the Broncos, Packers and Titans rank third with nine.

<b>11 ... Patriots</b>	9 ... Broncos / Packers / Titans
10 ... Redskins	

## LAST BUT NOT LEAST

This season Brady has flourished in the fourth quarter, totaling the third highest quarterback rating in the NFL, 107.6.

Rk	Player	Att	C	Yds	Pct.	TD	I	Rating
1	T. Green	92	58	721	63.0	9	1	115.4
2	M. Bulger	42	27	336	64.3	4	1	110.8
3	<b>T. Brady</b>	<b>113</b>	<b>70</b>	<b>842</b>	<b>61.9</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>107.6</b>

## TOMMY GUN

Through 13 weeks of action in the NFL, Brady ranks among the league leaders in numerous passing categories in the NFL (prior to the Jets-Raiders game on Monday Night Football):

<b>1<sup>st</sup></b> in attempts (464)	<b>2<sup>nd</sup></b> in completions (300)
<b>4<sup>th</sup></b> in yards (3,093)	<b>1<sup>st</sup></b> in touchdowns (24)
<b>8<sup>th</sup></b> in completion % (64.7)	<b>6<sup>th</sup></b> in quarterback rating (91.1)

## COMEBACK KID

Patriots quarterback Tom Brady completed four of seven passes for 53 yards on the final drive of the Patriots 33-30 come-from-behind victory over the Bears (11/10), including a 20-yard game-winning touchdown pass in the final seconds. It was Brady's seventh game-winning drive to break a tie or deficit in his 27 career starts. It was also the fifth time he led a fourth-quarter comeback drive. Brady's passing statistics from his seven game-winning performances are listed below.

		Time Remaining			Passing Statistics				
Date	Opp.	Score	in Reg.	Att	Cmp	Yds	Td	Int	Final
10/14/01	vs. S.D.	16-26	8:48	18	13	130	1	0	29-26 ot
12/2/01	at NYJ	14-16	15:00	7	6	56	0	0	17-16
12/16/01	at Buf.	6-9	5:57	13	9	116	0	0	12-9 ot
1/19/02	vs. Oak.*	3-13	15:00	27	20	138	0	0	16-13 ot
2/3/02	vs. St.L.**	17-17	1:21	8	5	53	0	0	20-17
9/22/02	vs. K.C.	38-38	0:00	5	4	46	0	0	41-38 ot
11/10/02	at Chi.	19-30	5:16	14	9	116	2	0	33-30

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WXZO Burlington 96.7 FM

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WEBB-FM Augusta 98.5 FM  
WFXZ Bangor 101.7 FM  
WIDE Biddeford 1400 AM  
WNSX Winter Harbor 97.7 FM  
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### 2002 TELEVISION RATINGS

Date	Opponent	Affiliate/ Network	Rating/ Share	Results
Sat., Aug. 10	at N.Y. Giants	WCVB	12.7 / 28	L, 19-22
Sat., Aug. 17	Philadelphia	CBS	12.4 / 26	W, 16-15
Fri., Aug. 23	Carolina	WCVB	11.1 / 21	W, 23-3
Thur., Aug. 29	at Washington	WCVB	15.0 / 29	W, 28-14
<b>REGULAR SEASON</b>				
Mon., Sept. 9	Pittsburgh	ABC	27.6 / 49	W, 30-14
Sun., Sept. 15	at N.Y. Jets	CBS	28.4 / 57	W, 44-7
Sun., Sept. 22	Kansas City	CBS	27.6 / 58	W, 41-38 ot
Sun., Sept. 29	at San Diego	CBS	33.2 / 58	L, 28-14
Sun., Oct. 6	at Miami	CBS	24.0 / 52	L, 26-13
Sun., Oct. 13	Green Bay	FOX	25.1 / 54	L, 28-10
Sun., Oct. 20	BYE			
Sun., Oct. 27	Denver	CBS	29.9 / 50	L, 24-16
Sun., Nov. 3	at Buffalo	CBS	30.0 / 58	W, 31-7
Sun., Nov. 10	at Chicago	CBS	32.2 / 51	W, 33-30
Sun., Nov. 17	at Oakland	ESPN/WCVB	30.4 / 48	L, 20-27
Sun., Nov. 24	Minnesota	FOX	28.1 / 58	W, 24-17
Thur., Nov. 28	at Detroit	CBS	20.3 / 39	W, 20-12
Sun., Dec. 8	Buffalo	1:00 CBS		
Mon., Dec. 16	at Tennessee	9:00 ABC		
Sun., Dec. 22	N.Y. Jets	8:30 ESPN		
Sun., Dec. 29	Miami	1:00 CBS		

**Note:** Each rating point represents one percent of the area's 2.1 million homes. Cable channel ratings are based on the full number of homes, although only 76 percent of area homes have cable service.

### RATINGS GAME

The Patriots-Vikings game (11/24) earned a 28.1 rating (58 share) and was the highest rated program in the Boston market (see below). It was the 10<sup>th</sup> consecutive Patriots game that was the highest rated program in the Boston market.

Rk	Programs 11/18-11/24 (Network)	Rating (Share)
1.	<b>Patriots/Vikings (FOX)</b> .....	<b>28.1 (58)</b>
2.	Everybody Loves Raymond (CBS) .....	20.5 (29)
3.	Will and Grace (NBC) .....	18.4 (27)
4.	The Bachelor (ABC) .....	18.2 (28)
5.	Friends (NBC) .....	17.9 (27)





# NEW ENGLAND PATRIOTS 2002

## PATRIOTS TEAM STATS GAME-BY-GAME

OFFENSE		FIRST DOWNS				NET OFF.		RUSHING			PASSING										PEN.		PUNTS	
DATE	OPPONENT	Total	Rush	Pass	Pn	Yds	Plays	Yds	Att	Avg	Net	S	YL	Gross	Att	Cmp	Pct	TD	Int	No	Yds	No	Avg	
09/09	Pittsburgh	20	2	14	4	343	63	63	18	3.5	280	2	14	294	43	29	67.4%	3	0	7	88	5	39.4	
09/15 at	New York Jets	24	11	13	0	432	75	163	40	4.1	269	0	0	269	35	25	71.4%	2	1	3	36	2	41.5	
09/22	Kansas City	27	8	19	0	496	79	97	20	4.9	399	4	8	410	55	39	70.9%	4	1	12	100	6	36.7	
09/29 at	San Diego	25	8	17	0	440	76	87	23	3.8	353	0	0	353	53	36	67.9%	2	2	6	45	3	23.3	
10/05 at	Miami	16	2	12	2	245	51	37	17	2.2	208	3	32	240	31	17	54.8%	2	2	6	49	4	45.8	
10/13	Green Bay	20	9	9	2	289	68	123	22	5.6	166	2	17	183	44	24	54.5%	1	3	12	126	3	39.7	
10/27	Denver	16	6	9	1	179	53	69	19	3.6	110	5	20	130	29	15	51.7%	1	0	8	83	8	38.8	
11/03 at	Buffalo	23	5	17	1	422	63	159	36	4.4	263	1	2	265	26	22	84.6%	3	0	8	59	1	36.0	
11/10 at	Chicago	19	4	15	0	397	76	82	19	4.3	315	2	13	328	55	36	65.5%	3	1	6	65	5	45.8	
11/17 at	Oakland	12	2	7	3	195	51	48	17	2.8	147	4	25	172	30	18	60.0%	0	0	7	34	2	44.0	
11/24	Minnesota	20	4	14	2	299	69	80	33	2.4	219	2	20	239	34	21	61.8%	3	0	5	25	5	32.6	
11/28 at	Detroit	23	12	10	1	349	68	139	38	3.7	210	0	0	210	30	18	60.0%	0	1	9	55	4	26.8	
12/08	Buffalo																							
12/16 at	Tennessee																							
12/22	New York Jets																							
12/29	Miami																							
Regular Season Totals		245	73	156	16	4086	792	1147	302	3.8	2939	25	151	3093	465	300	64.5%	24	11	89	765	48	37.6	

## OPPONENTS TEAM STATS GAME-BY-GAME

DEFENSE		FIRST DOWNS				NET OFF.		RUSHING			PASSING										PEN.		PUNTS	
DATE	OPPONENT	Total	Rush	Pass	Pn	Yds	Plays	Yds	Att	Avg	Net	S	YL	Gross	Att	Cmp	Pct	TD	Int	No	Yds	No	Avg	
09/09	Pittsburgh	20	7	11	2	283	67	74	24	3.1	209	5	38	247	38	25	65.8%	2	3	13	112	5	39.4	
09/15 at	New York Jets	9	1	7	1	200	47	32	9	3.6	168	5	21	189	33	18	54.5%	1	1	7	55	7	45.6	
09/22	Kansas City	21	14	7	0	349	62	221	34	6.5	128	3	21	149	25	16	64.0%	3	2	1	5	4	40.5	
09/29 at	San Diego	14	11	3	0	342	52	238	34	7.0	104	0	0	104	18	10	55.6%	2	0	2	20	3	40.0	
10/05 at	Miami	21	7	12	2	319	72	137	44	3.1	182	1	8	190	27	17	63.0%	2	0	5	35	3	38.0	
10/13	Green Bay	20	7	9	4	301	64	158	36	4.4	143	1	4	147	27	17	63.0%	3	0	5	60	6	43.0	
10/27	Denver	23	9	12	2	351	65	136	40	3.4	215	2	14	229	23	18	78.3%	1	1	2	51	2	36.0	
11/03 at	Buffalo	28	6	16	6	331	62	65	13	5.0	266	4	36	302	45	28	62.2%	1	1	5	59	3	31.0	
11/10 at	Chicago	14	8	6	0	299	60	125	28	4.5	174	2	9	183	30	16	53.3%	2	1	5	30	6	40.5	
11/17 at	Oakland	22	9	11	2	386	70	97	31	3.1	289	1	8	297	38	26	68.4%	0	1	12	115	3	37.7	
11/24	Minnesota	26	8	16	2	417	78	153	25	6.1	264	4	8	272	49	24	49.0%	2	0	8	74	2	27.5	
11/28 at	Detroit	14	4	9	1	292	59	82	15	5.5	210	0	0	210	44	22	50.0%	0	3	8	60	3	45.0	
12/08	Buffalo																							
12/16 at	Tennessee																							
12/22	New York Jets																							
12/29	Miami																							
Regular Season Totals		232	91	119	22	3870	758	1518	333	4.6	2352	28	167	2519	397	237	59.7%	19	13	73	676	47	40.0	



WON 7, LOST 5										* RUSHING										No.	Yds	Avg	Long	TD
09/09 W 30-14 Pittsburgh										68,436	A. Smith	196	782	4.0	42t	4								
09/15 W 44- 7 at New York Jets										78,726	Faulk	36	185	5.1	45t	2								
09/22 W 41-38 OT Kansas City										68,436	Edwards	27	86	3.2	17	0								
09/29 L 14-21 at San Diego										66,463	Brady	27	73	2.7	13	0								
10/06 L 13-26 at Miami										73,369	Pass	4	27	6.8	13	0								
10/13 L 10-28 Green Bay										68,436	Huard	1	4	4.0	4	0								
10/27 L 16-24 Denver										68,436	Redmond	4	2	0.5	5	0								
11/03 W 38- 7 at Buffalo										73,448	Branch	2	0	0.0	4	0								
11/10 W 33-30 at Chicago										63,105	Patten	1	-1	-1.0	-1	0								
11/17 L 20-27 at Oakland										62,552	Davey	2	-4	-2.0	-2	0								
11/24 W 24-17 Minnesota										68,436	Brown	2	-7	-3.5	-2	0								
11/28 W 20-12 at Detroit										62,109	TEAM	302	1147	3.8	45t	6								
12/08 Buffalo											OPPONENTS	333	1518	4.6	58t	1								
12/16 at Tennessee											* RECEIVING	No.	Yds	Avg	Long	TD								
12/22 New York Jets											Brown	76	715	9.4	38	2								
12/29 Miami											Patten	48	711	14.8	39	4								
											Branch	42	448	10.7	49t	2								
N.E.											Fauria	23	204	8.9	33	6								
Opp.											Faulk	22	266	12.1	36t	3								
TOTAL FIRST DOWNS										245	232													
Rushing										74	91													
Passing										155	119													
Penalty										16	22													
3rd Down: Made/Att										75/165	68/161													
3rd Down Pct.										45.5	42.2													
4th Down: Made/Att										8/16	8/13													
4th Down Pct.										50.0	61.5													
POSSESSION AVG.										30:18	29:42													
TOTAL NET YARDS										4086	3870													
Avg. Per Game										340.5	322.5													
Total Plays										792	758													
Avg. Per Play										5.2	5.1													
NET YARDS RUSHING										1147	1518													
Avg. Per Game										95.6	126.5													
Total Rushes										302	333													
NET YARDS PASSING										2939	2352													
Avg. Per Game										244.9	196.0													
Sacked/Yards Lost										25/154	28/167													
Gross Yards										3093	2519													
Att./Completions										465/300	397/237													
Completion Pct.										64.5	59.7													
Had Intercepted										11	13													
PUNTS/AVERAGE										48/37.6	47/40.0													
NET PUNTING AVG.										48/33.0	47/32.7													
PENALTIES/YARDS										89/765	73/676													
FUMBLES/BALL LOST										19/7	16/10													
TOUCHDOWNS										35	30													
Rushing										6	13													
Passing										24	17													
Returns										5	0													
* SCORE BY PERIODS										Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	OT	PTS									
TEAM										41	79	82	98	3	303									
OPPONENTS										36	89	73	53	0	251									
* KICKOFF RETURNS										No.	Yds	Avg	Long	TD										
* SCORING										TD-Ru-Pa-Rt	K-PAT	FG	S	PTS										
Vinatieri										0	0	0	0	29/29	20/22	0	89	Faulk	10	276	27.6	86t	1	
A. Smith										6	4	2	0			0	38	Pass	5	100	20.0	28	0	
Faulk										6	2	3	1			0	36	Bruschi	1	11	11.0	11	0	
Fauria										6	0	6	0			0	36	Edwards	1	15	15.0	15	0	
Patten										4	0	4	0			0	24	J. Green	1	10	10.0	10	0	
Brown										2	0	2	0			0	14	TEAM	54	1275	23.6	86t	1	
Branch										2	0	2	0			0	12	OPPONENTS	56	1191	21.3	57	0	
Bruschi										2	0	0	2			0	12	* FIELD GOALS	1-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50+	
Cleeland										1	0	1	0			0	6	Vinatieri	0/ 0	6/ 6	9/ 9	4/ 5	1/2	
Givens										1	0	1	0			0	6	TEAM	0/ 0	6/ 6	9/ 9	4/ 5	1/2	
Graham										1	0	1	0			0	6	OPPONENTS	1/ 1	2/ 3	7/ 9	4/11	0/2	
V. Green										1	0	0	1			0	6	Vinatieri: (45G,28G,27G)(28G,31G,40G)(37G,35G)						
D. Hayes										1	0	1	0			0	6	(41N)()(32G)(26G)(46G)(57G,31G,42G,25G)(36G,						
T. Jones										1	0	0	1			0	6	31G,52N)(34G)(31G,29G)						
Vrabel										1	0	1	0			0	6	OPPONENTS: (39N)()(39G)(50B)(45N,40G,33G)(42N)						
TEAM										35	6	24	5	29/29	20/22	0	303	(48N,19G,39N)(50N,25N,45N)(39G,40G,32G)(39G,						
OPPONENTS										30	13	17	0	29/30	14/26	0	251	49B,28G)(43B,38G,41N)(23G,45G,39G,46G)						
2-Pt. Conversions:										Brown, A. Smith, TEAM 2-6, OPPONENTS 0-0														
SACKS:										Bruschi 4.5, McGinest 4.5, Seymour 4.5, Vrabel 4.0, J. Green 2.0, Hamilton 2.0,														
T. Jones 1.5, Pleasant 1.5, Holsey 1.0, Law 1.0, Johnson 0.5, TEAM 28.0, OPPONENTS 25.0																								
* PASSING										Att	Cmp	Yds	Cmp%	Yds/Att	TD	TD%	Int	Int%	Long	Sack/Lost	Rating			
Brady										464	300	3093	64.7	6.67	24	5.2	11	2.4	49t	25/ 154	91.1			
Faulk										1	0	0	0.0	0.00	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0/ 0	39.6			
TEAM										465	300	3093	64.5	6.65	24	5.2	11	2.4	49t	25/ 154	90.9			
OPPONENTS										397	237	2519	59.7	6.35	17	4.3	13	3.3	52t	28/ 167	78.9			



# NEW ENGLAND PATRIOTS 2002 DEFENSIVE STATISTICS

As Recorded by Day of Game Stats Crew

DEFENSIVE STATISTICS											SP. TEAMS					FUMBLES - LOST (19-7)					
Name	TT	UT	A	S/ YL	Int/	Yds	PD	FF	FR		TT	UT	A	FF	FR	Own					
																	No.	Lost	Rec.	O.B.	
Roman Phifer	80	55	25	-	-	-	-	1	2	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	Tom Brady	9	4	5	0
Lawyer Milloy	65	42	23	-	-	-	-	6	-	-	1	1	0	-	-	-	Antowain Smith	2	1	3	0
Tedy Bruschi	64	45	19	4.5	18.0	2	75	7	1	-	2	2	0	-	-	-	Troy Brown	2	1	1	0
Victor Green	62	48	14	-	-	1	90	3	4	3	5	5	0	-	-	-	Deion Branch	1	0	1	0
Ty Law	61	47	14	1.0	5.0	3	29	9	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	Mike Compton	1	0	0	0
Ted Johnson	57	36	21	0.5	7.0	-	-	1	-	-	1	1	0	-	-	-	Marc Edwards	1	0	0	1
Mike Vrabel	49	35	14	4.0	26.0	1	0	4	-	2	4	3	1	-	-	-	Kevin Faulk	1	1	0	0
Willie McGinest	48	32	16	4.5	35.0	1	2	9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	David Givens	1	0	0	0
Otis Smith	42	36	6	-	-	2	21	6	1	-	5	3	2	-	-	-	Grey Ruegamer	1	0	0	0
Richard Seymour	39	22	17	4.5	32.0	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	Matt Light	0	0	1	0
Bobby Hamilton	37	23	14	2.0	7.0	1	0	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Totals	19	7	11	1
Tebucky Jones	36	27	9	1.5	11.0	-	-	3	1	2	5	3	2	-	-	-	BLOCKED KICKS				
Anthony Pleasant	18	9	9	1.5	11.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	XP	FG	P		
Steve Martin	16	12	4	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Tebucky Jones	1	0	0	
Jarvis Green	16	12	4	2.0	15.0	-	-	-	1	-	1	1	0	-	-	-	Richard Seymour	0	2	0	
Rick Lyle	15	9	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Team	0	1	0	
Terrell Buckley	13	13	0	-	-	2	4	7	-	-	1	1	0	-	-	-	Totals	1	3	0	
Antwan Harris	8	7	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	3	0	-	-	-	MISC. OFFENSIVE STATS				
Bernard Holsey	5	3	2	1.0	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Tkl	Ast	FF	FR	
Ben Kelly	4	3	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	0	-	-	-	Donald Hayes	2	0	0	0
Matt Chatham	2	2	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	13	11	2	-	-	-	Mike Compton	2	0	0	0
Larry Izzo	1	1	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	16	12	4	-	-	-	David Patten	2	0	0	0
Je'Rod Cherry	1	1	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	9	6	3	-	-	-	Greg Randall	2	0	0	0
Leonard Myers	1	1	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	2	0	1	-	-	Matt Light	2	0	0	0
Team	1	1	0	1.0	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	0	0	0	-	-	-	Christian Fauria	1	0	0	0
Patrick Pass	0	0	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	5	0	-	-	-	Troy Brown	1	0	0	0
David Givens	0	0	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	5	0	-	-	-	Tom Brady	1	0	0	0
Daniel Graham	0	0	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	4	0	-	-	-	Deion Branch	1	0	0	0
O.J. Brigance	0	0	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	1	1	-	-	-	Grey Ruegamer	1	0	0	0
J.R. Redmond	0	0	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	1	1	-	-	-	Totals	15	0	0	0
Adam Vinatieri	0	0	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	0	-	-	-					
Marc Edwards	0	0	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	0	1	-	-	-					
Lonie Paxton	0	0	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	0	-	-	-					
Troy Brown	0	0	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	0	0	-	1						
Totals	741	522	219	28	167	13	221	60	11	10	90	73	17	1	1						

## LEGEND

TT- Total Tackles	PD- Pass Defensed
UT- Unassisted Tackles	FF- Forced Fumbles
A- Assists	FR- Fumbles Recovered
S/Yds- Sacks/Yards Lost	Tack. T.O. - Tackles off Turnovers
I/Ret.- Interceptions/Return Yards	O.B. - Out of Bounds



# 2002 ALPHABETICAL ROSTER

Dec. 2, 2002

#	NAME	POS	HT	WT	BORN	YR	COLLEGE	H.S. HOMETOWN
63	Andruzzi, Joe	G	6-3	312	08/23/75	6	Southern Connecticut St.	Staten Island, N.Y.
68	Ashworth, Tom	OL	6-6	305	10/10/77	1	Colorado	Englewood, Colo.
12	Brady, Tom	QB	6-4	225	08/03/77	3	Michigan	San Mateo, Calif.
83	Branch, Deion	WR	5-9	193	07/18/79	R	Louisville	Albany, Ga.
80	Brown, Troy	WR	5-10	193	07/02/71	10	Marshall	Blackville, S.C.
54	Bruschi, Teddy	MLB	6-1	245	06/09/73	7	Arizona	Roseville, Calif.
22	Buckley, Terrell	CB	5-9	176	06/07/71	11	Florida State	Pascagoula, Miss.
58	Chatham, Matt	LB	6-4	248	06/28/77	3	South Dakota	Sioux City, Iowa
30	Cherry, Je'Rod	S	6-1	210	05/30/73	7	California	Berkeley, Calif.
85	Cleeland, Cameron	TE	6-4	272	08/15/75	5	Washington	Sedro Woolley, Wash.
77	Compton, Mike	G/C	6-6	310	09/18/70	10	West Virginia	Richlands, Va.
6	Davey, Rohan	QB	6-2	245	04/14/78	R	Louisiana State	Miami, Fla.
44	Edwards, Marc	FB	6-0	245	11/17/74	6	Notre Dame	Cincinnati, Ohio
33	Faulk, Kevin	RB	5-8	202	06/05/76	4	Louisiana State	Carencro, La.
88	Fauria, Christian	TE	6-4	250	09/22/71	8	Colorado	Encino, Calif.
87	Givens, David	WR	6-0	212	08/16/80	R	Notre Dame	Humble, Texas
82	Graham, Daniel	TE	6-3	253	11/16/78	R	Colorado	Denver, Colo.
97	Green, Jarvis	DE	6-3	285	01/12/79	R	Louisiana State	Donaldsonville, La.
27	Green, Victor	S	5-11	210	12/08/69	10	Akron	Americus, Ga.
91	Hamilton, Bobby	DE	6-5	280	07/01/71	8	Southern Mississippi	Columbia, Miss.
23	Harris, Antwan	S	5-9	194	05/29/77	3	Virginia	Raleigh, N.C.
29	Hayes, Chris	S	6-0	205	05/07/72	6	Washington State	San Bernadino, Calif.
81	Hayes, Donald	WR	6-4	220	07/13/75	5	Wisconsin	Madison, Wis.
71	Hochstein, Russ	G	6-4	300	10/07/77	2	Nebraska	Hartington, Neb.
99	Holsey, Bernard	DL	6-2	286	12/10/73	6	Duke	Cave Spring, Ga.
19	Huard, Damon	QB	6-3	215	07/09/73	6	Washington	Puyallup, Wash.
53	Izzo, Larry	LB	5-10	228	09/26/74	7	Rice	Houston, Texas
52	Johnson, Ted	LB	6-4	253	12/04/72	8	Colorado	Alameda, Calif.
74	Jones, Kenyatta	T	6-3	310	01/18/79	2	South Florida	Gainesville, Fla.
34	Jones, Tebucky	FS	6-2	218	10/06/74	5	Syracuse	New Britain, Conn.
70	Klemm, Adrian	T	6-3	312	05/21/77	3	Hawaii	Los Angeles, Calif.
24	Law, Ty	CB	5-11	200	02/10/74	8	Michigan	Aliquippa, Pa.
72	Light, Matt	T	6-4	305	06/23/78	2	Purdue	Greenville, Ohio
96	Lyle, Rick	DL	6-5	285	02/26/71	9	Missouri	Hickman Hills, Mo.
90	Martin, Steve	DT	6-4	320	05/31/74	7	Missouri	St. Paul, Minn.
55	McGinest, Willie	DE	6-5	270	12/11/71	9	Southern Cal	Long Beach, Calif.
36	Milloy, Lawyer	SS	6-0	210	11/14/73	7	Washington	Tacoma, Wash.
25	Myers, Leonard	CB	5-10	198	12/18/78	2	Miami (Fla.)	Ft. Lauderdale, Fla.
35	Pass, Patrick	FB	5-10	217	12/31/77	3	Georgia	Tucker, Ga.
86	Patten, David	WR	5-10	190	08/19/74	6	Western Carolina	Hopkins, S.C.
66	Paxton, Lonie	LS	6-2	260	03/13/78	3	Sacramento State	Corona, Calif.
95	Phifer, Roman	LB	6-2	248	03/05/68	12	UCLA	Pineville, N.C.
98	Pleasant, Anthony	DE	6-5	280	01/27/68	13	Tennessee State	Century, Fla.
64	Randall, Greg	T	6-5	322	06/23/78	3	Michigan State	La Marque, Texas
21	Redmond, J.R.	RB	5-11	215	09/28/77	3	Arizona State	Carson, Calif.
67	Ruegamer, Grey	C/G	6-5	302	06/01/76	4	Arizona State	Las Vegas, Nevada
93	Seymour, Richard	DT	6-6	310	10/06/79	2	Georgia	Gadsden, S.C.
32	Smith, Antowain	RB	6-2	232	03/14/72	6	Houston	Montgomery, Ala.
45	Smith, Otis	CB	5-11	198	10/22/65	13	Missouri	Matairie, La.
4	Vinatieri, Adam	K	6-0	202	12/28/72	7	South Dakota State	Rapid City, S.D.
50	Vrabel, Mike	OLB	6-4	261	08/14/75	6	Ohio State	Akron, Ohio
13	Walter, Ken	P	6-1	207	08/15/72	6	Kent State	Euclid, Ohio
65	Woody, Damien	C	6-3	320	11/03/77	4	Boston College	Beaverdam, Va.

## PRACTICE SQUAD

75	Anderson, Maurice	DT	6-3	296	01/19/75	2	Virginia	Nottoway, Va.
76	Gorin, Brandon	T	6-6	302	07/17/78	2	Purdue	Muncie, Ind.
94	Kocher, Ken	DT	6-3	315	07/30/80	R	UCLA	San Diego, Calif.
16	McCready, Scott	WR	6-0	200	02/01/77	1	South Florida	Tampa, Fla.
41	Price, Idris	FB	6-0	240	08/30/76	R	New Haven	Bridgeport, Conn.

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# 2002 NUMERICAL ROSTER

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#	NAME	POS	HT	WT	AGE	YR	COLLEGE	HOW ACO.	G/S/D/I
4	Adam Vinatieri	K	6-0	202	28	7	South Dakota State	FA-96	12/0/0/0
6	Rohan Davey	QB	6-2	245	24	R	Louisiana State	D4a-02	1/0/0/11
12	Tom Brady	QB	6-4	225	25	3	Michigan	D6b-00	12/12/0/0
13	Ken Walter	P	6-1	207	30	6	Kent State	FA-01	12/0/0/0
19	Damon Huard	QB	6-3	215	29	6	Washington	UFA (MIA)-01	2/0/10/0
21	J.R. Redmond	RB	5-11	215	25	3	Arizona State	D3-00	7/0/0/5
22	Terrell Buckley	CB	5-9	176	31	11	Florida State	FA-(TB)-02	12/1/0/0
23	Antwan Harris	S	5-9	194	25	3	Virginia	D6a-00	10/0/0/2
24	Ty Law	CB	5-11	200	28	8	Michigan	D1-95	12/12/0/0
25	Leonard Myers	CB	5-10	198	23	2	Miami (Fla.)	D6b-01	4/0/0/0
27	Victor Green	S	5-11	210	32	10	Akron	FA (NYJ)-02	12/3/0/0
29	Chris Hayes	S	6-0	205	30	6	Washington State	FA (NYJ)-02	0/0/0/0
30	Je'Rod Cherry	S	6-1	210	29	7	California	FA-01	12/0/0/0
32	Antowain Smith	RB	6-2	232	30	6	Houston	FA (BUF)-01	12/11/0/0
33	Kevin Faulk	RB	5-8	202	26	4	Louisiana State	D2-99	11/0/0/1
34	Tebucky Jones	FS	6-2	218	28	5	Syracuse	D1b-98	10/10/0/2
35	Patrick Pass	FB	5-10	217	24	3	Georgia	D7b-00	11/0/0/1
36	Lawyer Milloy	SS	6-0	210	28	7	Washington	D2-96	12/12/0/0
44	Marc Edwards	FB	6-0	245	27	6	Notre Dame	UFA (CLE)-01	12/7/0/0
45	Otis Smith	CB	5-11	198	37	13	Missouri	FA-00	12/11/0/0
50	Mike Vrabel	OLB	6-4	261	27	6	Ohio State	UFA (PIT)-01	12/10/0/0
52	Ted Johnson	LB	6-4	253	29	8	Colorado	D2-95	10/7/0/2
53	Larry Izzo	LB	5-10	228	28	7	Rice	UFA (MIA)-01	11/0/0/1
54	Tedy Bruschi	MLB	6-1	245	29	7	Arizona	D3-96	11/9/0/1
55	Willie McGinest	DE	6-5	270	30	9	Southern Cal	D1-94	12/8/0/0
58	Matt Chatham	LB	6-4	248	25	3	South Dakota	CW (STL)-00	12/0/0/0
63	Joe Andruzzi	G	6-3	312	27	6	Southern Connecticut St.	FA-00	9/9/0/3
64	Greg Randall	T	6-5	322	24	3	Michigan State	D4-00	6/3/0/6
65	Damien Woody	C	6-3	320	24	4	Boston College	D1a-99	12/11/0/0
66	Lonie Paxton	LS	6-2	260	24	3	Sacramento State	FA-00	12/0/0/0
67	Grey Ruggamer	C/G	6-5	302	26	4	Arizona State	FA-00	9/2/0/3
68	Tom Ashworth	OL	6-6	305	25	1	Colorado	FA-01	1/0/0/11
70	Adrian Klemm	T	6-3	312	25	3	Hawaii	D2-0	12/1/0/0
71	Russ Hochstein	G	6-4	300	25	2	Nebraska	FA-02	1/0/1/1
72	Matt Light	T	6-4	305	24	2	Purdue	D2-01	12/12/0/0
74	Kenyatta Jones	T	6-3	310	23	2	South Florida	D4a-01	11/9/0/1
77	Mike Compton	G/C	6-6	310	32	10	West Virginia	UFA (DET)-01	12/12/0/0
80	Troy Brown	WR	5-10	193	31	10	Marshall	D8-93	10/9/0/2
81	Donald Hayes	WR	6-4	220	27	5	Wisconsin	UFA (CAR)-02	8/1/1/3
82	Daniel Graham	TE	6-3	253	23	R	Colorado	D1-02	9/4/0/3
83	Deion Branch	WR	5-9	193	23	R	Louisville	D2-02	12/6/0/0
85	Cameron Cleeland	TE	6-4	272	27	5	Washington	UFA (NO)-02	10/1/0/2
86	David Patten	WR	5-10	190	28	6	Western Carolina	UFA (CLE)-01	12/11/0/0
87	David Givens	WR	6-0	212	22	R	Notre Dame	D7b-02	8/0/0/4
88	Christian Fauria	TE	6-4	250	31	8	Colorado	UFA (SEA)-02	12/10/0/0
90	Steve Martin	DT	6-4	320	28	7	Missouri	UFA (NYJ)-02	12/5/0/0
91	Bobby Hamilton	DE	6-5	280	31	8	Southern Mississippi	UFA (NYJ)-00	12/11/0/0
93	Richard Seymour	DT	6-6	310	23	2	Georgia	D1-01	12/12/0/0
95	Roman Phifer	LB	6-4	248	34	12	UCLA	FA-01 (NYJ)-01	10/10/0/2
96	Rick Lyle	DL	6-5	285	31	9	Missouri	UFA (NYJ)-02	11/0/0/1
97	Jarvis Green	DE	6-3	285	23	R	Louisiana State	D4b-02	11/4/0/1
98	Anthony Pleasant	DE	6-5	280	34	13	Tennessee State	UFA (SF)-01	10/7/0/2
99	Bernard Holsey	DL	6-2	286	28	6	Duke	FA-02	6/0/0/6

## INJURED RESERVE

31	Ben Kelly	CB	5-9	185	23	3	Colorado	CW (MIA)-01
37	Rob Kelly	S	6-0	205	27	5	Ohio State	FA-02
61	Stephen Neal	G	6-4	305	24	1	Cal State-Bakersfield	FA-01

## RESERVE NON-FOOTBALL INJURY

42	Antwoine Womack	RB	5-11	225	24	R	Virginia	D7a-02
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# UNOFFICIAL 2002 DEPTH CHART

(unofficial, 12/2/02)

## OFFENSE

<b>WR:</b> 80 Troy Brown (10/9/0/2)	<u>83</u> <u>Deion Branch</u> (12/6/0/0)	<u>87</u> <u>David Givens</u> (8/0/0/4)
<b>LT:</b> 72 Matt Light (12/12/0/0)	<u>68</u> <u>Tom Ashworth</u> (1/0/0/11)	
<b>LG:</b> 77 Mike Compton (12/12/0/0)	70 Adrian Klemm (12/1/0/0)	
<b>C:</b> 65 Damien Woody (12/11/0/0)	67 Grey Ruegamer (9/2/0/3)	
<b>RG:</b> 63 Joe Andruzzi (9/9/0/3)	70 Adrian Klemm (11/1/0/0)	71 Russ Hochstein (1/0/1/1)
<b>RT:</b> 74 Kenyatta Jones (11/9/0/1)	64 Greg Randall (6/3/0/6)	
<b>TE:</b> 88 Christian Fauria (12/10/0/0)	85 Cameron Cleeland (10/1/0/2)	<u>82</u> <u>Daniel Graham</u> (9/4/0/3)
<b>WR:</b> 86 David Patten (12/11/0/0)	81 Donald Hayes (8/1/1/3)	
<b>QB:</b> 12 Tom Brady (12/12/0/0)	19 Damon Huard (2/0/10/0)	<u>6</u> <u>Rohan Davey</u> (1/0/0/11)
<b>RB:</b> 32 Antowain Smith (12/11/0/0)	33 Kevin Faulk (11/0/0/1)	21 J.R. Redmond (7/0/0/5)
		35 Patrick Pass (11/0/0/1)
<b>FB:</b> 44 Marc Edwards (12/7/0/0)		

## DEFENSE

<b>LE:</b> 55 Willie McGinest (12/8/0/0)	96 Rick Lyle (11/0/0/1)	
<b>DT:</b> 91 Bobby Hamilton (12/11/0/0)	90 Steve Martin (12/5/0/0)	
<b>DT:</b> 93 Richard Seymour (12/12/0/0)	99 Bernard Holsey (6/0/0/6)	
<b>RE:</b> 98 Anthony Pleasant (10/7/0/2)	<u>97</u> <u>Jarvis Green</u> (11/4/0/1)	
<b>OLB:</b> 50 Mike Vrabel (12/10/0/0)	58 Matt Chatham (12/0/0/0)	
<b>MLB:</b> 54 Tedy Bruschi (11/9/0/1)	52 Ted Johnson (10/7/0/2)	53 Larry Izzo (11/0/0/1)
<b>OLB:</b> 95 Roman Phifer (10/10/0/2)	55 Willie McGinest (12/8/0/0)	
<b>LCB:</b> 24 Ty Law (12/12/0/0)	22 Terrell Buckley (12/1/0/0)	
<b>RCB:</b> 45 Otis Smith (12/11/0/0)	25 Leonard Myers (4/0/0/0)	
<b>SS:</b> 36 Lawyer Milloy (12/12/0/0)	23 Antwan Harris (10/0/0/2)	30 Je'Rod Cherry (12/0/0/0)
<b>FS:</b> 34 Tebucky Jones (10/10/0/2)	27 Victor Green (12/3/0/0)	29 Chris Hayes (0/0/0/0)

## SPECIAL TEAMS

<b>K:</b> 4 Adam Vinatieri (12/0/0/0)	13 Ken Walter (12/0/0/0)	
<b>P:</b> 13 Ken Walter (12/0/0/0)	4 Adam Vinatieri (12/0/0/0)	
<b>H:</b> 13 Ken Walter (12/0/0/0)	19 Damon Huard (2/0/10/0)	
<b>PR:</b> 80 Troy Brown (10/9/0/2)	<u>83</u> <u>Deion Branch</u> (12/6/0/0)	33 Kevin Faulk (11/0/0/1)
<b>KR:</b> <u>83</u> <u>Deion Branch</u> (12/6/0/0)	35 Patrick Pass (11/0/0/1)	33 Kevin Faulk (11/0/0/1)
<b>PC:</b> 66 Lonie Paxton (12/0/0/0)	77 Mike Compton (12/12/0/0)	
<b>KC:</b> 66 Lonie Paxton (12/0/0/0)	77 Mike Compton (12/12/0/0)	

Rookies and first-year players are underlined  
[indicates out of line-up due to injury]

## PATRIOTS PRONUNCIATION

Tedy Bruschi ..... Teddy ● BREW-ski  
Christian Fauria ..... FOR-ee-AY  
Damon Huard ..... HUE-ard  
Lonie Paxton ..... Lonnie

Grey Ruegamer ..... ROO-gah-mer  
Antowain Smith ..... AN-twon  
Adam Vinatieri ..... VIN-a-TERRY



## NEW ENGLAND PATRIOTS 2002

### GAME-BY-GAME STARTERS

2002 OFFENSIVE STARTERS BY GAME												
Date	Opponent	WR	LT	LG	C	RG	RT	TE	WR	QB	RB	FB
09/09	Pittsburgh	Brown	Light	Andruzzi	Compton	Woody	Jones	Fauria	Graham (TE)	Brady	Smith	Edwards
09/15 at	New York Jets	Brown	Light	Compton	Woody	Andruzzi	Jones	Fauria	Patten	Brady	Smith	Edwards
09/22	Kansas City	Hayes	Light	Compton	Woody	Andruzzi	Jones	Cleeland	Patten	Brady	Graham (TE)	Branch (WR)
09/29 at	San Diego	Branch	Light	Compton	Ruegamer	Klemm	Jones	Fauria	Patten	Brady	Smith	Graham (TE)
10/05 at	Miami	Branch	Light	Compton	Ruegamer	Woody	Jones	Fauria	Patten	Brady	Smith	Edwards
10/13	Green Bay	Brown	Light	Compton	Woody	Neal	Jones	Fauria	Patten	Brady	Smith	Branch (WR)
10/27	Denver	Brown	Light	Compton	Woody	Andruzzi	Jones	Fauria	Patten	Brady	Smith	Edwards
11/03 at	Buffalo	Brown	Light	Compton	Woody	Andruzzi	Randall	Fauria	Patten	Brady	Smith	Branch (WR)
11/10 at	Chicago	Brown	Light	Compton	Woody	Andruzzi	Randall	Graham	Patten	Brady	Smith	Edwards
11/17 at	Oakland	Brown	Light	Compton	Woody	Andruzzi	Randall	Fauria	Patten	Brady	Smith	Branch (WR)
11/24	Minnesota	Brown	Light	Compton	Woody	Andruzzi	Jones	Fauria	Patten	Brady	Smith	Edwards
11/28 at	Detroit	Brown	Light	Compton	Woody	Andruzzi	Jones	Fauria	Patten	Brady	Smith	Edwards
12/08	Buffalo											
12/16 at	Tennessee											
12/22	New York Jets											
12/29	Miami											

2002 DEFENSIVE STARTERS BY GAME												
Date	Opponent	DE	DT	DT	DE	OLB	MLB	OLB	LCB	RCB	SS	FS
09/09	Pittsburgh	McGinest	Martin	Seymour	Pleasant	Vrabel	Bruschi	Phifer	Law	Smith	Milloy	Jones
09/15 at	New York Jets	Hamilton	Martin	Seymour	Pleasant	Vrabel	Johnson	Bruschi	Law	Smith	Milloy	Jones
09/22	Kansas City	Hamilton	Martin	Seymour	Pleasant	Vrabel	Johnson	McGinest	Law	Smith	Milloy	Jones
09/29 at	San Diego	Hamilton	Martin	Seymour	Pleasant	Vrabel	Bruschi	Phifer	Law	Smith	Milloy	Jones
10/05 at	Miami	McGinest	Hamilton	Seymour	J. Green	Vrabel	Bruschi	Phifer	Law	Smith	Milloy	Jones
10/13	Green Bay	McGinest	Hamilton	Seymour	J. Green	Vrabel	Bruschi	Phifer	Law	Smith	Milloy	Jones
10/27	Denver	McGinest	Hamilton	Seymour	J. Green	V. Green (S)	Bruschi	Phifer	Law	Smith	Milloy	Jones
11/03 at	Buffalo	McGinest	Hamilton	Seymour	J. Green	Vrabel	Johnson	Phifer	Law	Buckley	Milloy	Jones
11/10 at	Chicago	Hamilton	Martin	Seymour	Pleasant	McGinest	Johnson	Phifer	Law	Smith	Milloy	Jones
11/17 at	Oakland	Hamilton	Seymour	McGinest	Vrabel	Bruschi	Johnson	Phifer	Law	Smith	Milloy	Jones
11/24	Minnesota	Hamilton	Seymour	Pleasant	Vrabel	Bruschi	Johnson	Phifer	Law	Smith	Milloy	Green
11/28 at	Detroit	Hamilton	Seymour	Pleasant	Vrabel	Bruschi	Johnson	Phifer	Law	Smith	Milloy	Green
12/08	Buffalo											
12/16 at	Tennessee											
12/22	New York Jets											
12/29	Miami											



## 2002 SEASON - HOW BUILT

<u>YEAR</u>	<u>DRAFTEES (24)</u>	<u>VETERAN FREE AGENTS (23)</u>	<u>WAIVERS (1) / TRADES (0)</u>	<u>ROOKIE AND FIRST-YEAR FREE AGENTS (5)</u>
1993	Troy Brown (8)			
1994	Willie McGinest (1)			
1995	Ty Law (1) Ted Johnson (2)			
1996	Lawyer Milloy (2) Tedy Bruschi (3)			Adam Vinatieri (fa)
1997				
1998	Tebucky Jones (1b)			
1999	Damien Woody (1a) Kevin Faulk (2)			
2000	Adrian Klemm (2) J.R. Redmond (3) Greg Robinson-Randall (4) Antwan Harris (6a) Tom Brady (6b) Patrick Pass (7b)	Joe Andruzzi (fa) (G.B.) Bobby Hamilton (fa) (NYJ) Otis Smith (fa) (NYJ)	Matt Chatham (fa) (cw-STL)	Lonie Paxton (fa) Grey Ruegamer (fa)
2001	Richard Seymour (1) Matt Light (2) Kenyatta Jones (4a) Leonard Myers (6b)	Je'Rod Cherry (2) (PHI) Mike Compton (3) (DET)* Marc Edwards (2) (CLE)* Damon Huard (fa) (MIA) Larry Izzo (fa) (MIA)* David Patten (fa) (CLE) * Roman Phifer (2) (NYJ) Anthony Pleasant (3) (SF)* Antowain Smith (1) (BUF) Mike Vrabel (3) (PIT)* Ken Walter (fa) (CAR)		Tom Ashworth (fa)
2002	Daniel Graham (1) Deion Branch (2) Rohan Davey (4a) Jarvis Green (4b) David Givens (7b)	Terrell Buckley (1) (TB) Cameron Cleeland (2) (NO)* Christian Fauria (2) (SEA)* Victor Green (fa) (NYJ) Chris Hayes (7) (NYJ) Donald Hayes (4) (CAR)* Bernard Holsey (fa) (IND) Rick Lyle (fa) (NYJ)* Steve Martin (5) (NYJ)*		Russ Hochstein (5)
<p><b>Injured Reserve</b> Rob Kelly (2) (NO) Stephen Neal (fa) Ben Kelly (3) (cw-MIA)</p> <p><b>Reserve-Non-Football Injury</b> Antwoine Womack (7a)</p>				

\* unrestricted free agent  
 (#) - indicates round drafted  
 (fa) - indicates non-drafted free agents





# GILLETTE STADIUM FACT SHEET



## STADIUM SIZE

**Seating Capacity:** 68,000, including 60,000 general seats, 6,000 club seats and the capacity for 2,000 guests in the 80 suites

**Stadium Dimensions:** 1000' long x 80' wide x 168' high

**Stadium Area:** 1.9 million square feet

**Width of Seats:** 19-21 inches

## FAN AMENITIES

**Entry Gates:** 60 entry gates for general seating.

**Concourses:** 70 feet wide, double the width of the old facilities.

**Concessions:** 46 permanent concession stands and 60 portable food and beverage stands providing over 350 points of sale.

**Novelty Stands:** 15 permanent stands.

**Restroom Facilities:** 60, including 24 men's restrooms, 20 women's restrooms and 16 family facilities, three times as many as the old facilities.

**Scoreboards/Video Boards:** Two HDTV video boards, measuring 27' high x 48' wide. Each will be able to display live action, instant replay reviews, game statistics and highlights from around the league.

**Sound System:** State-of-the-art distributed sound with over 2,000 sources of sound.

**Television Monitors:** Over 1,000

**Ticket Office Ticket Windows:** 16

**ATM Locations:** Seven

**Team Store:** 7,200 square feet

## SUITES AND CLUBS

**Club Lounges:** 120,000 square feet of space with functional use year-round. Lounges have full view of the field from end zone to end zone and have cathedral ceilings four stories high.

**Luxury Suites:** The 80 suites will be the largest in the NFL, ranging from 800 to 1,900 square feet.

## OTHER NOTABLE IMPROVEMENTS

- The Patriots training facility is over 40,000 square feet and features a large team auditorium and state-of-the-art strength and conditioning facilities.
- Spacious plazas at each stadium entrance.
- Open concourse views to the field.
- Over 68,000 comfortable chairback seats (with cupholders at every seat).
- A coastal-themed signature view featuring a lighthouse and a bridge in the north end zone of the stadium.
- A full-service television production studio.

## OUT WITH THE OLD, IN WITH THE NEW

Based on the comparisons below, there is no comparison between Foxboro Stadium and the state-of-the-art facilities currently offered at Gillette Stadium. The comparative chart below offers a description of some of the dramatic changes fans are enjoying this season.

STADIUM FACTS	FOXBORO STADIUM	GILLETTE STADIUM
<b>Cost</b>	Approximately \$6 million	Approximately \$325 million
<b>Chairback Seats</b>	7,281	68,000
<b>Bench Seats</b>	53,011	0
<b>Seat Width</b>	16 1/2 inches (bench)	19-21 inches (15% more space)
<b>Luxury Suites</b>	34	80 (from 800-1900 sf)
<b>Luxury Suite Seats</b>	504	2,000
<b>Club Seats</b>	0	6,000 (21 inches wide)
<b>Club Lounges</b>	0	2 (each 4 stories high and over 60,000 square feet)
<b>Parking Spaces</b>	11,000	over 14,000
<b>Concession Points of Sale</b>	117	over 350
<b>Number of Concourses</b>	1	3
<b>Width of Main Concourse</b>	35 feet	70 feet
<b>Permanent Novelty Stands</b>	6	15
<b>Team Store</b>	3,600 square feet	7,200 square feet
<b>Video Screens</b>	1	2
<b>Video Screen Size</b>	29 feet x 29 feet	48 feet x 27 feet
<b>Stadium Footprint</b>	7.95 acres	17.3 acres
<b>Men's Restrooms</b>	10	24
<b>Women's Restrooms</b>	10	20
<b>Family Restrooms</b>	0	16
<b>Television Monitors</b>	115	Over 1,000
<b>Sound System</b>	Single Point Sound	Full Stadium Distributed Sound

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## BY THE NUMBERS

**24**

The number of touchdown passes Tom Brady has thrown this year in 12 games. His 24 touchdown passes are more than the Patriots recorded as a team in 31 of the franchise's previous 42 seasons.

**18**

The number of touchdown passes Brady threw last year in 15 games.

**31**

Patriots single-season record for touchdowns passes, recorded by Vito 'Babe' Parilli in 1964.

**11**

The number of different Patriots who have caught touchdown passes this season. It's the highest touchdown distribution in the NFL and the most in franchise history.

**3,093**

The number of passing yards Brady has accumulated this season. He is just the sixth Patriot to record a 3,000-yard passing season in the club's history.

**29**

Starts by Patriots quarterback Tom Brady (including playoffs).

**21**

The Patriots have won 21 of the 29 games Brady has started (including playoffs).

**4,685**

The number of receiving yards Troy Brown has recorded during his 10-year career. He surpassed both Gino Cappelletti (4,589) and Terry Glenn (4,669) and now ranks fifth in Patriots history.

**397**

The number of career receptions Brown has recorded during his 10-year career. He ranks third in Patriots annals.

**711**

The number of receiving yards recorded by David Patten this season. Patten needs 39 yards to establish a new career-high (749 yards, 2001).

**6**

The number of touchdown passes tight end Christian Fauria has caught this season, setting a career-high.

**7**

The number of touchdowns Fauria had recorded in his seven years prior to joining the Patriots (1995-01 with Seattle).

**12**

The number of Patriots opponent's kicks that have been missed and/or blocked this season. It's the highest total in the NFL.

**3**

The number of field goals the Patriots have blocked this season. It's highest total since 1998 when they also blocked three field goals.

**81.4**

The career field goal conversion percentage of Adam Vinatieri (180-221). It is the tops in Patriots history and the fourth highest total in NFL history.

**777**

The number of career points Vinatieri has amassed since he entered the league in 1996. Only one other kicker (Jason Elam, 783) has scored more points than him during that time span.

**106**

The number of consecutive games Adam Vinatieri has scored (including playoffs).

**2**

The number of interceptions linebacker Tedy Bruschi has recorded this season.

**2**

The number of interceptions Bruschi has returned for touchdowns this season, including his 27-yard return last week against the Lions.

**6**

The number of Patriots who have returned two interceptions for touchdowns in one season during the 42-year history of the franchise.

**1**

The number of those players who have been linebackers (Tedy Bruschi).

**306**

The number of rushing yards Antowain Smith has gained against the Buffalo Bills in three games (102 yard average).

**5**

The number of touchdowns Smith has scored against the Bills (3 rushing, 2 receiving).

**6**

The number of touchdowns Smith has scored this season. He is tied for the team lead along with Kevin Faulk and Christian Fauria.

**45.5**

The Patriots third down conversion percentage this season (75-165). They rank second in the AFC and third in the NFL.

**60.0**

The Patriots third down conversion ratio against the Lions (9-15). It was the third game this season they had a third down conversion rate of 60% or higher.

**50.0**

The Patriots third down conversion percentage in their seven wins this season (52-104).

**37.7**

The Patriots third down conversion percentage in their five losses this season (23-61).

**9:46**

The time of the Patriots final drive of the game versus Detroit. It was the longest of the season and the longest since they elapsed 10:11 to help close out their 38-17 victory over Indianapolis (10/21/01).