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### PATRIOTS RETURN FROM THE BYE WEEK TO FACE THE RAVENS

#### MEDIA SCHEDULE

#### **TUESDAY, OCTOBER 12**

10:15-12:15 Media Check-In 11:15-12:00 Open Locker Room

Approx. 1:05 Local Media Access to Practice

#### WEDNEDAY, OCTOBER 13

10:15-12:15 Media Check-In 11:10-11:55 Open Locker Room TBA Tom Brady Availability

12:15-12:30 Bill Belichick Press Conference Approx. 1:05 Local Media Access to Practice

Baltimore Conference Calls TBA

#### THURSDAY, OCTOBER 14

10:30-11:30 Media Check-In 11:10-11:55 Open Locker Room

Approx. 1:05 Local Media Access to Practice

#### FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 15

10:00-10:45 Media Check-In

10:30 – 10:45 Bill Belichick Press Conference Approx. 11:30 Local Media Access to Practice

Approx. 1:15 Open Locker Room

#### 2010 PATRIOTS SCHEDULE

REGULAR SEASON (3-1)						
Sun., Sept. 12		Cincinnati	W	38-24		
Sun., Sept. 19		N.Y. Jets	L	14-28		
Sun., Sept. 26		Buffalo	W	38-30		
Mon., Oct. 4	at	Miami	W	41-14		
Sun., Oct. 10		BYE WEEK				
Sun., Oct. 17		Baltimore	1:00	CBS		
Sun., Oct. 24	at	San Diego	4:15	CBS		
Sun., Oct. 31		Minnesota	4:15	FOX		
Sun., Nov. 7	at	Cleveland	1:00	CBS		
Sun., Nov. 14	at	Pittsburgh	8:20	NBC		
Sun., Nov. 21		Indianapolis	4:15	CBS*		
Thurs., Nov. 25	at	Detroit	12:30	CBS		
Mon., Dec. 6		N.Y. Jets	8:30	ESPN		
Sun., Dec. 12	at	Chicago	1:00	CBS*		
Sun., Dec. 19		Green Bay	8:20	NBC*		
Sun., Dec. 26	at	Buffalo	1:00	CBS*		
Sun., Jan. 2		Miami	1:00	CBS*		
AFC FAST STANDINGS						

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Team	W	L	Т	Pct.	PF	PA
New York Jets	3	1	0	.750	106	61
<b>NEW ENGLAND</b>	3	1	0	.750	131	96
Miami Dolphins	2	2	0	.500	66	92
Buffalo Bills	0	5	0	.000	87	161

#### PATRIOTS MEDIA WEBSITE

The Patriots' media-only website, located at <a href="http://media.patriots.com">http://media.patriots.com</a>, will be updated for registered users with all the latest media information, schedules, rosters and press releases. The media site will also serve as the team's primary credentialing system again in 2010.

#### PATRIOTS 2010 MEDIA GUIDE

The Patriots 2010 Media Guide will be online and updated throughout the season. Media can access the media guide at <a href="https://www.patriots.com">www.patriots.com</a>.

#### NEW ENGLAND PATRIOTS (3-1) vs. BALTIMORE RAVENS (4-1)

Sun., Oct. 17, 2010 ★ Gillette Stadium (68,756) ★ 1:00 p.m. EDT

The New England Patriots return from the Bye Week to face the Baltimore Ravens at Gillette Stadium. Last season, the Patriots beat Baltimore in the regular-season, 27-21, but suffered their first home loss in a postseason game at Gillette Stadium when Baltimore beat the Patriots, 33-14, in a Wild Card matchup.

The Patriots improved to a 3-1 record following a 41-14 victory on Monday Night Football against AFC Division rival Miami on Oct. 4. The Patriots have started the season with at least three wins in their first four games for the fifth straight season and are the only NFL team to begin each of the last five seasons with a record of 3-1 or better through their first four games. With the 41 points against Miami, the Patriots are first in the NFL with an average of 32.8 points per game. Against Miami, the Patriots became the first team in NFL history to score a touchdown five different ways with a rushing touchdown, a receiving touchdown, a kickoff returned for a touchdown, a blocked field goal returned for a touchdown and an interception returned for a touchdown.

Safety Patrick Chung became the first NFL player to block a field goal and a punt in the same game since CB Ramon Walker of Houston accomplished the feat vs. New England on Nov. 23, 2003. He added to his impressive game against the Dolphins with an interception that he returned 51 yards for a touchdown in the fourth quarter.

#### THE PATRIOTS WANT TO HELP KICK CANCER IN 2010

Through the New England Patriots Charitable Foundation's "Kick Cancer" campaign, a season-long initiative to increase cancer awareness among Patriots fans, the team will promote breast cancer awareness during the month of October. In partnership with Re/Max of New England, Susan G. Komen for the Cure and American Airlines, the Patriots will honor 10 breast cancer survivors at the Oct. 17 game against the Baltimore Ravens. Patriots fans who donate to Susan G Komen will receive a pink

game towel and fans will be able to donate airline miles through American Airlines to support breast cancer causes. The Patriots are also supporting the NFL's league-wide breast cancer awareness initiative called "A Crucial Catch: Annual Screening Saves Lives." Patriots players and coaches will wear pink apparel during each October game, including LB Gary Guyton, whose mother is a breast cancer survivor. For



more information, visit <a href="www.patriots.com/community">www.patriots.com/community</a>

#### BROADCAST INFORMATION

**TELEVISION:** This week's game will be broadcast to a regional audience by **CBS** and can be seen in Boston on **WBZ-TV Channel 4**. **Jim Nantz** will handle play-by-play duties with **Phil Simms** providing color.

NATIONAL RADIO: This week's game will be broadcast to a national audience the Westwood One Radio Sports. Howard David and Tony Boselli will call the game.

**RADIO:** 98.5 FM, The Sports Hub, is the flagship station for the **Patriots Radio Network**. A complete listing of the network's 36 stations can be found in this press release. Play-by-play broadcaster **Gil Santos** is in his 34th season as the voice of the Patriots and will call the action along with Patriots Hall of Famer **Gino Cappelletti**. Santos and Cappelletti are celebrating their 27th season as a tandem.

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# PATRIOTS VS. RAVENS

#### **SERIES HISTORY**

The Patriots and Ravens have squared off five times in the

regular season since the Baltimore franchise was founded following the Cleveland Browns' move to Baltimore in 1996. New England owns a perfect 5-0 record over Baltimore, including a 27-21 victory at Gillette Stadium in Week 4 of the 2009 season. The Patriots and Ravens played in their first postseason meeting last year with Baltimore taking a 33-14 win in a



Wild Card matchup at Gillette Stadium on January 10, 2010.

The Ravens' first trip to Gillette Stadium came on Nov. 28, 2004 with the Patriots claiming a 24-3 victory. Baltimore's first visit to



Foxborough was the final game of the 1999 regular season, a 20-3 New England win. The first meeting between the teams came during the Ravens' first season in Baltimore, when the Patriots prevailed 46-38 on Oct. 6, 1996. The 84 total points scored by both teams in that game rank as the second-highest total number of points in a game in Patriots history.

#### Regular Season - Patriots 5, Ravens 0

Date	Result	Score	H/A	Stadium
10/06/96	W	46-38	Α	Memorial Stadium
01/02/00	W	20-3	Н	Foxboro Stadium
11/28/04	W	24-3	Н	Gillette Stadium
12/03/07	W	27-24	Α	M&T Bank
10/04/09	W	27-21	Н	Gillette Stadium

# Postseason - Ravens 1, Patriots 0 Result Score H/A Stadium

DateResultScoreH/AStadium01/10/10L14-33HGillette Stadium

TALE O	F THE TAPE	
2010 Regular Season	NE	BAL
Record	3-1	4-1
Divisional Standings	1 <sup>st</sup> t	1st
Total Yards Gained	1,377	1,641
Total Offense (Rank)	344.3 (11)	328.2(19)
Rush Offense	122.3 (13)	114.0 (14)
Pass Offense	220.0 (15)	214.2 (18)
Points Per Game	32.8 (1)	18.4 (26)
Touchdowns Scored	17	11
Total Yards Allowed	1,538	1,289
Total Defense (Rank)	384.5 (29)	257.8 (3)
Rush Defense	113.0 (20)	101.2 (11)
Pass Defense	271.5 (28)	156.6 (2)
Points Allowed/Game	24.0 (26)	14.4 (5)
Touchdowns Allowed	11	6
Field Goals Made/Attempted	4/7	5/7
Possession Avg.	28:53	32:14
Sacks Allowed/Yards Lost	5/23	5/39
Sacks Made/Yards	7/43	8/54
Interceptions For/Against	7/2	1/6
Penalties Against/Yards	19/175	30/261
Punts/Avg.	10/42.5	23/41.2
Takeaway/Giveaway Ratio	+4	-6

#### PATRIOTS VS. RAVENS' PREDECESSORS

From 1970-83, the Patriots faced the Baltimore Colts 27 times, recording a 12-15 record in those games. The Colts moved to Indianapolis prior to the 1984 season and Baltimore was without an NFL team until the Cleveland Browns moved to Baltimore and became the Ravens in 1996. Prior to the move, the Patriots were 4-11 against the Browns, including a 2-4 record against Cleveland while Bill Belichick was the Browns' head coach from 1991-95.

#### PASSING PERFORMANCES

Tom Brady is slated to start against the Ravens in the regular season for just the fourth time in his career

Tom Brady vs. Baltimore (3-0)

Date	H/A	Α	С	Yd	%	TD		Rating	W/L	Score
11/28/04	Н	30	15	172	.500	0	0	67.6	W	24-3
12/03/07	Α	38	18	257	.474	2	1	76.3	W	27-24
10/04/09	Н	32	21	258	.656	1	0	100.8	W	27-21

#### PATRIOTS VS. AFC NORTH

The Patriots are 13-2 all-time against the AFC North in the regular-season since it was founded in 2002. The only AFC North losses for New England were to the Steelers, with a 34-20 loss at Pittsburgh (10/31/04) and vs. Pittsburgh (11/30/08). This week's game is New England's second

#### 2009 REGULAR SEASON MEETING: Patriots 27, Ravens 21

October 4, 2009 \* Gillette Stadium

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Baltimore Ravens	7	0	7	7	- 21
New England Patriots	3	14	7	3	- 27

The New England Patriots improved to 3-1 with a 27-21 victory over the Baltimore Ravens. The New England defense held the Ravens on two fourth-down attempts in the fourth quarter to secure the win. Trailing 27-21 with just over five minutes to play, Baltimore attempted a fourth-down play on a fourth-and-one situation from its own 45-yard line. LB Gary Guyton and S Brandon McGowan stopped RB Willie McGahee on a run up the middle for no gain. After forcing the Patriots to punt, Baltimore got the ball back with 3:32 to play and drove to the 14-yard line. QB Joe Flacco's fourth-down pass fell incomplete with 32 seconds to play, allowing the Patriots to run out the clock to remain unbeaten against the Ravens.

New England struck quickly when LB Eric Alexander forced a fumble on the game's opening kickoff which McGowan recovered at the Baltimore 12-yard line. But the Patriots could not get a first down and were forced to settle for a field goal and a 3-0 lead. The Ravens responded with a 15-play, 81-yard drive that ended in a 20-yard touchdown pass to WR Derrick Mason for a 7-3 lead. The Patriots scored 14 points in the second quarter to take a 17-7 halftime lead. QB Tom Brady capped a 76-yard drive with a one-yard touchdown run to make it 10-7, and RB Sammy Morris scored on a 12-yard run with under five minutes to play in the first half. Baltimore had an opportunity to cut the deficit to three on the ensuing drive when they marched to the New England 17-yard line with 1:15 to go, but CB Leigh Bodden picked off a Flacco pass to preserve the 17-7 lead.

Midway through the third quarter, Baltimore made it 17-14 when LB Terrell Suggs forced a fumble on a sack of Brady that was recovered by DE Dwan Edwards in the end zone with 6:19 left in the third quarter. Brady was unshaken and on the next series directed a scoring drive that ended in a 14-yard touchdown pass to WR Randy Moss for a 24-14 New England lead. Baltimore answered with an 80-yard drive that ended in a 13-yard scoring pass from Flacco to McGahee early in the fourth quarter to cut the New England lead to 24-21. New England went on a 15-play, 59-yard drive that took 7:50 off the clock on the next series before adding a field goal for a 27-21 lead.

The Patriots held the Ravens to 21 total points (and just 14 points on offense) after the Ravens came into the game ranked second in the NFL averaging 34.3 points per game.



# PATRIOTS VS. RAVENS

#### CONNECTIONS

#### FORMER PATRIOTS

- Baltimore linebackers coach **Dean Pees** was a member of the Patriots coaching staff for six years, including four seasons (2006-09) as New England's defensive coordinator.
- Baltimore WR Donter Stallworth caught passes for the Patriots in 2007.
- Ravens LB Prescott Burgess was a member of the New England Patriots from 9/22/09-10/4/09.

#### FORMER RAVENS

Patriots special teams coach Scott O'Brien served as Ravens special teams coach from 1996-98.

#### **FORMER TEAMMATES**

- Patriots TE Alge Crumpler and Ravens CB's Chris Carr and Cary Williams played together for the Tennessee Titans in 2008.
- New England RB Sammy Morris and Baltimore RB Willis McGahee both played for the Buffalo Bills in 2003.
- Pats LB Tracy White has played with Ravens S Ken Hamlin on the Seattle Seahawks from 2003-04 and G/T Tony Moll on the Green Bay Packers from 2006-08.

#### FORMER COLLEGE TEAMMATES

- Patriots LB Jerod Mayo and Ravens rookie LS Morgan Cox were Volunteers at Tennessee from 2006-07.
- New England S Pat Chung and Baltimore TE Ed Dickson were teammates at Oregon from 2006-08. Chung was also a Duck with Ravens DT Haloti Ngata in 2005.
- Patriots NT Vince Wilfork and S Brandon Meriweather were teammates at the "U" of Miami with Ravens ILB Tavares Gooden in 2003. Wilfork was also a member of the Hurricanes with Baltimore RB Willis McGahee from 2001-02.
- Patriots rookie CB Devin McCourty and Ravens RB Ray Rice played together at Rutgers from 2006-07.
- Pats LB Gary Guyton and Ravens S Dawan Landry were teammates at Georgia Tech from 2004-2005.
- New England CB Jonathan Wilhite and Ravens G Ben Grubbs played two seasons together at Auburn, from 2005-2006.
- New England backup QB Brian Hoyer and Baltimore DT Brandon McKinney were Spartans at Michigan State in 2005
- Pats LB Rob Ninkovich and Baltimore K Billy Cundiff were teammates on the New Orleans Saints in 2006.
  - Patriots DL Mike Wright and Ravens S Haruki Nakamura were teammates at the University of Cincinnati in 2004.
  - Patriots T Nick Kaczur and Ravens RB Jalen Parmele played together at Toledo in 2004.
  - New England P Zoltan Mesko Baltimore and OLB Prescott Burgess were teammates at Michigan in 2006
- Pats OL Mark LeVoir and Ravens S Tom Zbikowski played together for Notre Dame from 2004-05.
- Patriots rookie DL Brandon Deaderick and Ravens rookie DL Terrence Cody played together at Alabama from 2008-09.

#### **NEW ENGLAND TIES**

Ravens President Dick Cass graduated from Yale Law School in 1971.

#### **CONNECTIONS** (continued)

- Ravens assistant head coach/special teams coordinator Jerry Rosburg was secondary coach for the Boston College Eagles from 1997-98.
- Ravens defensive line coach Clarence Brooks attended New Bedford (MA) HS and was a guard at the University of Massachusetts from 1970-72 and a team captain in his final season. Brooks earned All-Conference and All-East honors on the O-Line.
- Baltimore offensive assistant Jason Brooks (son of Clarence Brooks) was born in Amherst, Mass. and served as UMass' assistant defensive backs coach in the spring of 2007 and wide receivers coach at Vermont's Norwich University in 2008
- Baltimore head coach's assistant Matt Weiss was born in Cheshire, Conn. and attended the Hopkins School (New Haven, Conn.) where he quarterbacked the football team to its first ever 12-0 record and New England Prep School Class C Championship.
- Ravens director of player personnel Eric DeCosta was born in Taunton, Mass., lettered in football for three years at Colby and from 1993-1995, was an intern and graduate assistant coach at Trinity College (Hartford, Conn.) while earning his master's degree in English.
- Ravens scout Mark Azevedo was born in Plymouth, Mass., a four-year contributor at TE for Colby College and a graduate assistant at Springfield College in 2004.
- Ravens offensive assistant Craig Ver Steeg served as Harvard University's passing game coordinator, QBs and WRs coach and recruiting coordinator from 1994-1995.
- Baltimore C Matt Birk played his college football at Harvard from 1994-97.

#### WINNINGEST COACH/QB TANDEM

Bill Belichick and Tom Brady have the winning percentage among a head coach-starting quarterback tandem since the 1970 merger.

#### WINNINGEST COACH/QB TANDEMS SINCE 1970

Quarterback/Head Coach	Team	W	L	T	Pct.
Tom Brady/Bill Belichick	NE	100	31	0	.763
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

#### TOP QB HOME STARTING RECORDS **SINCE 1970 MERGER** <u>Player</u> Team(s) Pct. Tom Brady 64 NE 0 .853 Terry Bradshaw PIT 75 14 0 .843 DEN 25 John Elway 104 0 .806

TB/SF

Steve Young

Brady has now won 22 consecutive regular-season starts at home. Brett Favre has the longest such streak since 1970 with 25 consecutive home wins with Green Bay (1995-98).

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# LAST GAME: PATRIOTS-DOLPHINS

#### PATRIOTS 41, MIAMI 14

October 4, 2010 \* Sun Life Stadium

	1	2	3	4	Final
New England Patriots	0	6	21	14	<b>– 41</b>
Miami Dolphins	7	0	7	0	<b>— 14</b>

Safety Patrick Chung blocked two kicks and returned an interception for a touchdown, and New England scored two times on special teams to help the Patriots to a 41-14 victory in a Monday Night Football game against AFC East Divisional rival Miami at Sun Life Stadium.

Chung blocked a punt in the third quarter to set up a touchdown and then blocked a field goal in the fourth quarter that was returned 35 yards for a touchdown by CB Kyle Arrington. Chung capped of his big day with an interception that he returned 51 yards for a touchdown later in the fourth quarter.

QB Tom Brady became the 11<sup>th</sup> NFL quarterback to register 100 wins as a starter. Brady reached the milestone in the fewest number of starts (131) among quarterbacks who began their careers in the Super Bowl era.

New England trailed 7-6 at halftime, but quickly took control in the second half. WR Brandon Tate returned the second half kickoff 103 yards for a touchdown, the second time in 2010 that he took the second half kickoff for a score. Two minutes later, the Patriots added to their lead after Chung blocked a punt to help set up a touchdown. After the Patriots' defense held Miami on three straight plays, Chung blocked a punt that was recovered by LB Brandon Spikes at the Miami 15-yard line. Two plays later, RB BenJarvus Green-Ellis scored on a 12-yard run for a 20-7 lead.

After Miami closed the gap to 20-14 with a 28-yard touchdown pass to RB Ricky Williams, Brady put together a 12-play, 78-yard drive that resulted in an 11-yard touchdown pass to RB Danny Woodhead for a 27-14 lead heading into the final quarter.

Early in the fourth quarter Miami lined up for a 53-yard field goal, but Chung blocked the kick and Arrington scooped up the loose football and ran 35 yards for a touchdown and a 24-14 New England lead. Midway through the final quarter, Chung intercepted a QB Chad Henne pass intended for WR Brandon Marshall and ran 51 yards for a touchdown and a 41-14 lead.

Another big contributor to the win was LB Ron Ninkovich, who had his first two NFL interceptions after picking off Henne in the first quarter and the second quarter inside New England territory.

The Patriots became the first team in NFL history to score a touchdown five different ways in a single game with a rushing touchdown, a receiving touchdown, a kickoff returned for a touchdown, a blocked field goal returned for a touchdown and an interception returned for a touchdown.

#### TOM BRADY WINS HIS 100TH GAME

Tom Brady won his 100<sup>th</sup> game as a starter. He is the 11<sup>th</sup> NFL quarterback to register 100 wins as a starting quarterback. Brady reached the milestone in the fewest number of starts (131) among quarterbacks who began their careers in the Super Bowl era (since 1966).

# PATRICK CHUNG RECORDS HIS FIRST NFL BLOCKED PUNT AND BLOCKED FIELD GOAL

S Patrick Chung blocked a second half punt and field goal to become the first NFL player to do both in a single game since the CB Ramon Walker had a blocked field goal and punt vs. New England on Nov. 23, 2003. Chung blocked a second half punt to give the Patriots a first down at the Miami 15-yard line and set up a 12-yard touchdown run by RB BenJarvus Green-Ellis. Chung then blocked a 53-yard field goal attempt in the fourth quarter that was recovered by CB Kyle Arrington and returned for a touchdown. Chung was a two-time special teams player of the year during his college career at Oregon.

## CHUNG SCORES HIS FIRST NFL TOUCHDOWN ON A 51-YARD INTERCEPTION RETURN

Chung picked off a Chad Henne pass in the fourth quarter and returned it 51 yards for a touchdown. It marked his first interception returned for a touchdown and the second touchdown off an interception for the Patriots in 2010. Gary Guyton returned an interception 59 yards for a score in the season-opener vs. Cincinnati (9/12).

#### WR BRANDON TATE SCORES ON HIS SECOND KICKOFF RETURN OF 2010

WR Brandon Tate returned the second half kickoff for a touchdown for the second time in 2010 when he scored on a 103-yard return. Tate took the second half kick 97 yards for a score in the season-opener vs. Cincinnati (9/12). Tate's 103-yard return is second in team history to the 108-yard return by Ellis Hobbs at NY Jets on Sept. 7, 2007. Tate is the first Patriots player to return two kicks for a touchdown in a season since Kevin Faulk returned two for a touchdown in 2002. The Patriots record for most kickoff returns for a touchdown in a season is three by Raymond Clayborn in 1977.

#### PATRIOTS BECOME FIRST TEAM IN NFL HISTORY TO SCORE A TD FIVE DIFFERENT WAYS IN THE SAME GAME

The Patriots became the first team in NFL history to score a touchdown five different ways in the same game. The Patriots scored a rushing touchdown, a receiving touchdown, had a kickoff returned for a touchdown, blocked a field goal that was returned for a touchdown and returned an interception for a touchdown.

# LB ROB NINKOVICH MAKES HIS FIRST TWO NFL INTERCEPTIONS

LB Rob Ninkovich recorded his first two NFL interceptions. He picked off a QB Chad Henne in the first quarter for his first NFL interception. He registered his second interception in the second quarter. It is the first time that a Patriots player has registered at least two interceptions in a game since CB Leigh Bodden had three vs. NY. Jets on Nov. 22, 2009. It is the first time that a Patriots linebacker has recorded two interceptions in a game since LB Junior Seau had two on Oct. 7, 2007 vs. Cleveland. Ninkovich added his second career sack in the fourth quarter. Only one NFL player had two interceptions and a sack in the same game last season. Green Bay's Charles Woodson recorded the feat Nov. 11, 2009 at Detroit.

# RB DANNY WOODHEAD RECORDS HIS FIRST NFL TOUCHDOWN RECEPTION

A week after making his Patriots debut with his first NFL start and first NFL touchdown on a 22-yard run vs. Buffalo (9/26), Danny Woodhead scored his first NFL touchdown reception on an 11-yard pass from QB Tom Brady in the third quarter.

#### **MAYO GETS CREDIT FOR 17 TOTAL TACKLES**

LB Jerod Mayo was credited with 17 total tackles, his second highest output to the 23 tackles he had as a rookie vs. NY Jets (11/23/08). Mayo has 46 total tackles in 2010 and is on pace for a career high 184 total tackles.

#### TWO ROOKIES MAKE THEIR NFL DEBUT

LB Dane Fletcher and DL Brandon Deaderick made their NFL debut against Miami after being inactive for the first three games of the season.

#### PATRIOTS GOOD IN OCTOBER

The Patriots improved to 26-5 in the month of October since the 2003 season.

#### PATRIOTS OFF TO A HOT START ONCE AGAIN

The Patriots have started the season with at least three wins in their first four games for the fifth straight season and are the only NFL team to begin each of the last five seasons with a record of 3-1 or better through their first four games.



# Inside The Numbers

#### BY THE NUMBERS

The number kickoff returns that WR Brandon Tate has returned for a touchdown in 2010 after he returned a 97-yard kickoff for a touchdown vs. Cincinnati (9/12) and a 103-yard kickoff for a touchdown at Miami (10/4). Tate is the first Patriots' player to return two kicks for a touchdown in a season since Kevin Faulk returned two for a touchdown in 2002. The Patriots' record for most returns in a single season is three by Raymond Clayborn in

The number of second half kickoffs returned for a touchdown by Tate. Both of his 2010 kickoff returns for a touchdown were on the second half kickoff.

The number of blocked kicks recorded by S Patrick Chung in 2010 after he blocked a punt and a field goal in the Patriots win at Miami (10/4). He is the first NFL player to block a field goal and a punt in the same game since CB Ramon Walker of Houston blocked a field goal and a punt vs. New England on Nov. 23, 2003.

The number of interceptions that the Patriots have returned for a touchdown in 2010 after LB Gary Guyton returned an interception 59 yards for a score vs. Cincinnati (9/12) and S Patrick Chung returned an interception 51 yards for a score at Miami (10/4).

The number of seasons that Welker has reached 100 receptions and 1,000 receiving yards to join Marvin Harrison (4), Jerry Rice (3), Herman Moore (3) and Brandon Marshall (3) as the only players to catch 100 passes and have 1,000 receiving yards in three consecutive seasons.

The number of times in NFL history a team has had two players go three straight seasons with 1,000 yards receiving after Welker and Randy Moss completed their third straight season with over 1,000 yards receiving in 2009.

The number of seasons that Tom Brady has passed for more than 3,000 yards to tie the team record with Drew Bledsoe.

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The number of 10-plus reception games by Wes Welker. He has the most 10-plus reception games in Patriots' history.

22

The number of consecutive regular-season starts that Tom Brady has won at Gillette Stadium. The NFL record for most consecutive home wins by a starting quarterback since the 1970 AFL-NFL merger is held by Brett Favre, who won 25 straight games for Green Bay (1995-98).

The number of points the Patriots have scored in each of their two homes games in 2010 after a 38-24 win vs. Cincinnati (9/12) and a 38-30 win vs. Buffalo (9/26). The Patriots lead the NFL in 2010 with an average of 32.8 points per game.

67

The number of consecutive regular-season games that Welker has caught at least one reception. He has caught at least one pass in all 53 games as a member of the Patriots, including three postseason games.

72

The number of times that Brady has thrown two or more touchdowns in a game. The Patriots are 61-11 when he throws for two or more touchdowns.

100

The number of wins that Brady has as a starting quarterback. He reached the milestone in the fewest number of starts (131) among all quarterbacks in the modern era.

#### 2009 SEASON ACCOMPLISHMENTS

The number of times Tom Brady has passed for 4,000 or more yards in a season after his team-record third 4,000 yard season in 2009. His 4,398 passing yards last season are second to the team-record 4,806 yards passing he had in 2007.

The number of times that Brady has finished a season with 25 or more touchdowns after closing out the 2009 season with 28 touchdown passes. He is tied with Drew Brees for the fifth most seasons with 25 or more touchdowns.

15

The number of times Tom Brady has earned AFC Offensive Player of the Week honors. He earned the award two times in 2009 - vs. Buffalo and vs. Tennessee.

The number of regular season 300-yard passing games by Tom Brady, a new team record. Brady's seven 300-yard games in 2009 moved him past Drew Bledsoe (26) for the team record.

#### THE KRAFT ERA

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. Only Denver (2; 1997 and 1998) and Pittsburgh (2; 2005 and 2008) have won multiple Super Bowl titles since 1994.

The number of conference 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. Pittsburgh is second with three conference titles since 1994.

The number of playoff games the Patriots have won since Robert Kraft purchased the team in 1994. That mark is the highest total in the NFL over that span. Pittsburgh ranks second with 15 playoff wins over that span.

The number of playoff games the Patriots have appeared in since 1994. The mark is the highest in the NFL, ahead of the 23 games played by Pittsburgh.

The number consecutive home games the Patriots have sold out, a streak that includes every preseason, regular season and playoff game since the 1994 regular season opener.

#### THE BELICHICK ERA

Bill Belichick is one of just four coaches to win three championships since the Super Bowl era began. Belichick joins three members of the Pro Football Hall of Fame in the exclusive club (Chuck Knoll 4, Joe Gibbs 3 and Bill Walsh 3). Belichick is the only coach to win three Super Bowls in the post-1993 salary cap era and the only one to ever win three in four years.

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The Patriots' regular season record since 2001 under Head Coach Bill Belichick. Under Belichick, the Patriots have won 74.3 percent of their regular season games, recording the highest winning percentage of any major American professional sports team over that span.

#### PATRIOTS HALL OF FAME

The number of Patriots Hall of Famers that are also in the Pro Football Hall of Fame (John Hannah, Andre Tippett, Mike Haynes and Nick Buoniconti).

The number of players in the Patriots Hall of Fame following the induction of former RB Sam "Bam" Cunningham.



# ROBERT KRAFT NEWS & NOTES

Carolina Panthers.....

Since Robert Kraft purchased the team in 1994, the Patriots have experienced one of the most dramatic turnarounds in the history of sports. In 16 seasons of ownership, Kraft has transformed one of the league's least successful clubs into what many 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 (.311 pct.) and recording 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 nine division titles, five conference crowns and three Super Bowl championships. The Patriots have made five Super Bowl appearances since Kraft purchased the team, a period during which no other NFL franchise has earned more than three

	Pre-Kraft		Kraft Era
	<u> 1960-93</u>	<u> 1989-93</u>	<u> 1994-09</u>
Overall Record	225-276-9	19-61	186-99
Winning Pct.	.450	.311	.653
Super Bowl Titles	0	0	3
Conference Titles	1	0	5
Division Titles	3	0	9
Playoff Seasons	6	0	11
Playoff Record	4-6		17-8
Home Playoff Games	1	0	12
Home Playoff Record	0-1		11-1

#### A CHAMPIONSHIP TRADITION

The Patriots, the Los Angeles Lakers and the San Antonio Spurs are the only teams from the four major professional sports leagues to have won at least three titles since 2001.

#### **MULTIPLE LEAGUE CHAMPIONSHIPS SINCE 2001**

<u>Team</u>	League	Titles
Los Angeles Lakers	NBA	4
New England Patriots		
San Antonio Spurs		

CHAMPIONSHIP GAME/SERIES APPEARANCES SINCE 1994						
<u>Team</u>	League	<u>Appearances</u>				
New York Yankees	MLB	7				
Los Angeles Lakers	NBA	7				
Detroit Red Wings	NHL	6				
New England Patriots						
San Antonio Spurs	NBA	4				
New Jersey Devils						

#### **SELLOUT STREAK**

In the early 1990s, 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-ticket base stands at a capped total of 61,759 and more than 50,000 fans are on a waiting list. The Patriots have sold out 174 consecutive home games (dating back to the 1994 regular-season opener).

#### **SUCCESS STORY**

Since Robert Kraft purchased the team in 1994, the Patriots have been one of the NFL's elite franchises. Over the first 16 seasons of Kraft's ownership, the Patriots own the NFL's highest winning percentage and have won more Super Bowl titles, more conference championships and more playoff games than any other NFL team. The Patriots have now won 9 or more games in 13 of the 16 seasons that Robert Kraft has owned the team.

SINCE ROBERT KRAFT PURCI				
TOTAL VICTORIES SINCE	1994	(Incl. I	Postse	ason)
New England Patriots				186
Pittsburgh Steelers				178
Green Bay Packers				174
Indianapolis Colts				174
Denver Broncos				163
Philadelphia Eagles				
WINNING PERCENTAGE SIN				
Team	W W	94 (1110 L	ti. Pos T	Pct.
New England Patriots	186	99	0	.653
•				.631
Pittsburgh Steelers	178	104	1	
Green Bay Packers	174	108	0	.617
Indianapolis Colts	174	109	0	.615
Denver Broncos	163	111	0	.595
Philadelphia Eagles	158	122	2	.564
Minnesota Vikings(prior to MNF)	152	122	0	.555
SUPER BOWL CHAMPI	ONSHI	PS SI	<b>NCE 19</b>	94
New England Patriots				3
Pittsburgh Steelers				2
Denver Broncos				
9 Teams				
CONFERENCE CHAMPI				
New England Patriots				
Pittsburgh Steelers				
Denver Broncos				
Green Bay Packers				
St. Louis Rams				
Indianapolis Colts				
New York Giants				
14 Teams				1
PLAYOFF VICTOR	RIES SI	NCE 1	994	
New England Patriots				17
Pittsburgh Steelers				
Green Bay Packers				
Philadelphia Eagles				
Indianapolis Colts				
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PLAYOFF GAMES PI				
New England Patriots				
Pittsburgh Steelers				
Indianapolis Colts				
Green Bay Packers				
Philadelphia Eagles				
Denver Broncos				13
San Francisco 49ers				13
PLAYOFF SEASO	NS SI	NCF 19	94	
Indianapolis Colts				12
New England Patriots				11
Green Bay Packers	•••••	•••••	•••••	11
Philadelphia Eagles				
Pittsburgh Steelers				
Dallas Cowboys				7
PLAYOFF WINNING PE				
Team	W	L		Pct.
New Orleans Saints				
New England Patriots	17	8		680
Pittsburgh Steelers	15	8		652
Arizona Cardinals				
Baltimore Ravens	8	5		615
Denver Broncos	8	5		615
Carolina Panthors	6	1		600

#### The Patriots have won more than half of their games nine straight years after finishing the 2009 season with a 10-6 record. They are the first team to win more than half of their games in nine straight seasons since free agency began in 1993. The

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Patriots are the fifth team to win more than half of their games in nine straight seasons since the 1970 AFL-NFL merger, joining the 49ers (16 straight from 1983-1998), the Cowboys (16 straight from 1970-85), the Raiders (11 straight from 1970-80) and the Steelers (9 straight from 1972-80).

**ANNUAL ACHIEVEMENTS** 



# **BILL BELICHICK NEWS & NOTES**

#### THE HEAD COACH

Overall Record: 166-98 (.629) Regular Season: 151-93 (.619)

Postseason: 15-5 (.750)

With Patriots overall: 129-53 (.709) Overall since 2001: 124-42 (.747) Super Bowl Titles: 5 (86, 90, 01, 03, 04) Conf. Titles: 7 (86, 90, 96, 01, 03, 04, 07) Division Titles: 14 (75, 78, 86, 89, 90, 96, 98, 01, 03, 04, 05, 06, 07, 09)



Bill Belichick is the only head coach in NFL history to win three Super Bowl titles in a four-year span. He spent 20 years as an assistant coach in the NFL and this is his 16th season as a head coach. According to the Elias Sports Bureau, he is the only man in NFL history to serve 20 or more seasons as an assistant coach and at least 15 seasons as a head coach. Over a 100-game span from 2003-08, Belichick directed the team to an 82-18 record, marking the best 100-game span for any team in NFL history. In the 2007 season, Belichick led the Patriots to the fourth undefeated and untied regular season in the NFL's 90-year history and the first since the NFL established a 16-game schedule in 1978. He has led the Patriots to the Super Bowl four times and has produced seven division championships, including five straight from 2003-07. Belichick's Patriots teams own the alltime NFL records for consecutive total victories (21 from 2003-04), and established the record for consecutive regular-season victories (21 from 2006-08) and consecutive playoff victories (10 from 2001-05). Belichick owns the second-best postseason record in NFL history (15-5) and is the winningest NFL head coach since 2001 (124-42). From 2003-04, he directed the Patriots to back-to-back Super Bowl titles while posting consecutive 17-win campaigns. Belichick has spent more seasons in the league than any other current NFL head coach, and in that time has been a part of five Super Bowl championship teams. His overall record of 129-53 with the Patriots gives him the most victories and the best winning percentage of any head coach in franchise history.

#### **ELITE COMPANY**

Bill Belichick is one of nine NFL head coaches to win three or more championships since the league began postseason play in 1933. With the Patriots' victory in Super Bowl XXXIX, Belichick joined an exclusive club in which each of the eight other members has been enshrined in the Pro Football Hall of Fame.

### HEAD COACHES WITH THREE OR MORE NFL TITLES (Listed alphabetically)

(Listed dipridibetically)	
Head Coach	Championship Team(s)
Bill Belichick	New England Patriots
Paul Brown	Cleveland Browns
Weeb Ewbank	Baltimore Colts, New York Jets
Joe Gibbs	Washington Redskins
George Halas	Chicago Bears
Curly Lambeau	Green Bay Packers
Vince Lombardi	Green Bay Packers
Chuck Noll	Pittsburgh Steelers
Bill Walsh	San Francisco 49ers

#### **BELICHICK'S PATRIOTS RENAISSANCE**

Any successful project requires a sound plan and once head coach Bill Belichick implemented his design on the Patriots, his approach has given him the best record of any NFL head coach who has coached at least 40 games since 2001 (including the postseason).

#### NFL COACHES' RECORDS SINCE 2001

Coach	Team	W	L	T	Pct.
Bill Belichick	NE	124	42	0	.747
Tony Dungy	TB/IND	101	41	0	.711
Mike Tomlin	PIT	37	19	0	.660
Bill Cowher	PIT	70	35	1	.665
Wade Phillips	ATL/DAL	37	21	0	.639
Andy Reid	PHI	103	60	1	.631
Mike Martz	STL	46	29	0	.613

#### **AMONG THE GREATS**

Coach Belichick has recorded 166 career wins and is one of 15 coaches in NFL history to win 160 or more games. Belichick owns a career winning percentage of .629, which is tied for fourth all-time with Joe Gibbs(.629), behind George Halas (.682), Don Shula (.666), Curly Lambeau (.630) and Joe Gibbs (.629).

### TOP WINNING PERCENTAGE AMONG HEAD COACHES WITH AT LEAST 150 WINS (INCL. POSTSEASON)

Head Coach	Team(s)	Years	W	L	T	Pct.
George Halas	CHI	1920-29,33-41,46-55,58-67	324	151	31	.682
Don Shula	BAL/MIA	1963-95	347	173	6	.666
Curly Lambeau	GB/CHC/WAS	1921-53	229	134	22	.630
Bill Belichick	CLV/NE	1991-95,00-10	166	98	0	.629
Joe Gibbs	WAS	1981-92,04-07	171	101	0	.629
NOTE: Winning percent	tage calculated i	using current NFL rules, co	unting a	tie as a	half-win. h	nalf-loss.

#### **SUPER SUCCESS**

Bill Belichick is one of just four head coaches to win three Super Bowl championships. Belichick is the only coach to win three Super Bowls in the post-1993 salary cap era.

#### MOST SUPER BOWL VICTORIES

Head Coach	Team	Titles	Seasons
Chuck Noll	PIT	4	1974, 1975, 1978, 1979
Bill Belichick	NE	3	2001, 2003, 2004
Joe Gibbs	WAS	3	1982, 1987, 1991
Bill Walsh	SF	3	1981, 1984, 1988
NOTE: Sorted by most re	ecent championsh	nip. Super Bowls have	determined NFL champion since 1966.

#### PLAYOFF SUCCESS

Coach Belichick has won 15 career playoff games, a total that is the fifth-highest by a head coach in NFL history.

#### MOST PLAYOFF WINS BY AN NFL HEAD COACH

Coach	Team(s)	Wins
Tom Landry	Dallas Cowboys	20
Don Shula	Baltimore Colts, Miami Dolphins	19
Joe Gibbs	Washington Redskins	17
Chuck Noll	Pittsburgh Steelers	16
Bill Belichick .	Cleveland Browns, New England P	atriots15

#### POSTSEASON PROWESS

Bill Belichick is the second winningest head coach in NFL playoff history, trailing only the legendary Vince Lombardi, whose name is emblazoned on the Super Bowl trophy.

#### BEST POSTSEASON RECORDS IN NFL HISTORY

Head Coach	ream(s)	VV	L	PCT.
Vince Lombardi	GB/WAS	9	1	.900
Bill Belichick	CLE/NE	15	5	.750
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#### TOPS IN TEAM HISTORY

Bill Belichick is the most successful head coach in Patriots history. He has recorded more wins (129) and a higher winning percentage (.707) than any of the 13 previous head coaches.

#### WINNINGEST HEAD COACHES IN PATRIOTS HISTORY

		Career	Overall	Playoff
Coach	Years	Winning Pct.	W-L-T	W-L
Bill Belichick	2000-10	.709	129-53-0	14-4
Raymond Berry	1984-89	.554	51-41-0	3-2
Pete Carroll	1997-99	.549	28-23-0	1-2
Ron Meyer	1982-84	.529	18-16-0	0-1
Chuck Fairbanks	1973-78	.529	46-41	0-2
Mike Holovak	1961-68	.528	53-47-9	1-1
Bill Parcells	1993-96	.500	34-34	2-2
Ron Erhardt	1979-81	.438	21-27	0-0
Lou Saban	1960-61	.368	7-12	0-0
Clive Rush	1969-70	.238	5-16	0-0

# BELICHICK WINS 100th REGULAR-SEASON GAME WITH PATRIOTS

The Patriots' victory over Oakland on Dec. 14, 2008 was Bill Belichick's 100th regular-season victory as Patriots head coach. His 100<sup>th</sup> victory came in his 142<sup>nd</sup> regular-season game as head coach. Only three NFL coaches have won their 100<sup>th</sup> game with a team in fewer tries – Oakland's John Madden (136 games), Miami's Don Shula (137) and Cleveland's Paul Brown (138).



# TOM BRADY NEWS & NOTES

#### RECORDING SUCCESS

Tom Brady has quarterbacked the Patriots to victories in 100 of his 131 career regular-season starts, compiling a .763 winning percentage and giving him the best record of any quarterback in the Super Bowl Era (since 1966).

#### TOP WINNING PERCENTAGES IN **SUPER BOWL ERA**



(Since 1966, Minimum 50 Starts, Regular Season Only)

<u>Player</u>	Team(s)	Years	W	L	T	Pct.
Tom Brady	NE	2000-10	100	31	0	.763
Roger Staubach	DAL	1969-79	85	29	0	.746
Joe Montana	SF/KC	1979-94	117	47	0	.713

### **ACTIVE QUARTERBACKS WINNING PERCENTAGE**

Minimum 32 Starts (two full seasons), Regular Season Only

Team(s)	W	L	T	Pct.
NE	100	31	0	.763
SD	49	20	0	.710
PIT	60	26	0	.698
IND	134	63	0	.680
DAL	39	20	0	.661
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#### **BRADY IS FASTEST TO 100 WINS**

Tom Brady won his 100th game as a starter on Monday Night Football at Miami (10/4/10). He is the 11th NFL quarterback to register 100 wins as a starting quarterback. Brady reached the milestone in the fewest number of starts (131) among quarterbacks who began their careers in the Super Bowl era (since 1966).

PLAYER	TEAM	STARTS TO REACH 100
Tom Brady	Patriots	131
Joe Montana	49ers	139
Terry Bradshaw	Steelers	147
Brett Favre	Packers	153
Peyton Manning	Colts	154

#### **BRADY ON PACE FOR HIGH NUMBERS IN 2010**

Tom Brady posted his team-record third season with 4,000 yards after finishing with 4,398 passing yards in 2009, He became the ninth NFL player to have three 4,000-yard seasons. Brady finished the '09 season with 28 touchdown passes for his fifth season with 25 or more touchdowns. He is on pace to finish 2010 with 3,644 yards passing and 36 touchdowns.

#### MOST SEASONS WITH 25-PLUS TOUCHDOWN PASSES

Peyton Manning	12	Joe Montana	6
Brett Favre	11	Tom Brady	5
Dan Marino	7	Drew Brees	5

Dan Marino	/ DI	ew brees	5		
TOM	BRADY'S RECC	ORD AS A STA	ARTER		
	Reg. Season	Playoffs	Total		
Overall:	100-31	14-4	114-35		
Home:	56-10	8-1 .	64-11		
Road:	44-21	6-3* .	50-24*		
By Yardage To	tal				
Less than 200:	24-12	3-1 .	27-13		
200-299:	50-15	9-2 .	59-17		
300 or more:	26-4	2-1 .	28-5		
Other Records					
On Artificial Turf	:48-5	4-2 .	52-7		
Temp. Below 40	21-3	8-1 .	29-4		
Thanksgiving or	later:37-9	14-4 .	51-13		
Leading at Halfti	me:78-8	10-2 .	88-10		
Leading after 3 (	Otrs:83-5	9-2 .	92-7		
Overtime:	6-1	1-0 .	7-1		
Passer rating >1	00.0:52-3	6-0 .	58-3		
*-Includes three Super Bowls at neutral sites					

#### BRADY IS PATRIOTS ALL-TIME LEADING PASSER

Tom Brady passed Drew Bledsoe on an 11-yard completion to Sam Aiken in the third quarter of the New Orleans (11/30/09) game to become the Patriots all-time passing leader.

#### PATRIOTS ALL-TIME LEADING PASSERS

Player	YEARS	ATT	COMP	YARDS
Tom Brady	2000-10	4,340	2,757	31,755
Drew Bledsoe	1993-01	4,518	2,544	29,657
Steve Grogan	1975-90	3.593	1.879	26,886

#### BRADY HAS THE FIFTH BEST QB RATING IN NFL HISTORY

Tom Brady has produced a 93.8 guarterback rating. His careermark is tied for the fifth best mark in NFL History.

#### NFL ALL-TIME LEADERS IN PASSER RATING

Quarterback	Years	Team(s)	Rating
Steve Young	1985-99	TB/SF	96.8
Philip Rivers	2004-2010	San Diego	96.7
Peyton Manning	1998-2010	Indianapolis	95.4
Tony Romo	2004-2010	Dallas	95.3
Tom Brady	2000-2010	Patriots	93.8
Kurt Warner	1998-2009	STL, NYG, ARI	93.7

#### BRADY WINS 22ND STRAIGHT START AT GILLETTE

Tom Brady has now won 22 consecutive regular-season starts at Gillette Stadium. The last time the Patriots lost a regular-season home game in which Brady started was on Nov. 12, 2006 against the New York Jets. Brady's home winning streak is the longest streak since QB John Elway of the Denver Broncos won 22 consecutive regular-season starts at home from Sept. 1, 1996 through Dec. 27, 1998. The NFL record for most consecutive home wins by a starting quarterback since the 1970 AFL-NFL merger is held by Brett Favre, who won 25 straight home games for Green Bay from Sept. 17, 1995 through Oct. 5, 1998

#### 200 TOUCHDOWNS

Brady' has 234 career touchdown passes and is in 19<sup>th</sup> place on the NFL's all-time touchdowns list. George Blanda is in 18th place with 236 career touchdown passes.

#### NFL RECORD BOOK / FASTEST TO 200 TOUCHDOWN PASSES

<u>Games</u>	Player	Team(s)	NFL Debut	200th TD
89	Dan Marino	Miami	09/19/83	09/17/89
106	Peyton Manning	Indianapolis	09/06/98	11/21/04
107	Brett Favre	Atlanta/Green Bay	10/27/91	11/15/98
116	Tom Brady	New England	11/23/00	09/27/09
121	Johnny Unitas	Baltimore Colts	1956	1963

#### **BRADY'S COMEBACKS**

Brady has engineered 29 career game-winning performances to lead his team to a victory from a fourth-quarter deficit or tie. TOM BRADY'S GAME-WINNING PERFORMANCES (29)

#### Time RemainingPassing Statistics^

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Date	Opp.	Score	in Reg.	Att	Cmp	Yds	TD	Int	Final
09/14/09	BUF	13-24	5:32	13	11	112	2	0	25-24
12/29/07 at	NYG	23-28	15:00	12	8	130	1	0	38-35
12/03/07 at	BAL	17-24	14:25	17	7	113	1	0	27-24
11/25/07	PHI	24-28	15:00	16	11	109	0	0	31-28
11/04/07 at	IND	10-20	9:42	10	8	144	2	0	24-20
01/14/07 at	SD*	13-21	8:35	14	9	122	1	1	24-21
12/03/06	DET	13-21	13:07	15	14	101	0	0	28-21
11/26/06	CHI	10-10	14:46	7	6	98	1	0	17-13
11/13/05 at	MIA	15-16	2:53	2	2	76	1	0	23-16
10/30/05	BUF	7-16	10:07	4	4	69	0	0	21-16
10/09/05 at	ATL	28-28	3:52	2	2	17	0	0	31-28
09/25/05 at	PIT	10-13	14:19	12	12	167	0	0	23-20
02/06/05	PHI**	14-14	15:00	4	2	33	0	0	24-21
10/03/04 at	BUF	17-17	15:00	4	2	8	1	0	31-17
02/01/04	CAR**	29-29	1:08	5	4	47	0	0	32-29
01/10/04	TEN*	14-14	15:00	11	6	27	0	0	17-14
11/30/03 at	IND	31-31	10:21	6	3	31	1	0	38-34
11/23/03 at	HST	13-20	3:11	14	10	133	1	0	(ot) 23-20
11/03/03 at	DEN	23-26	2:51	4	5	58	1	0	30-26
10/19/03 at	MIA	13-13	15:00	10	7	147	1	0	(ot) 19-13
10/05/03	TEN	24-27	4:40	1	1	15	0	0	38-30
12/29/02	MIA	13-24	4:59	13	8	69	1	0	(ot) 27-24
11/10/02 at	CHI	19-30	5:16	14	9	116	2	0	33-30
09/22/02	KC	38-38	0:00	5	4	46	0	0	(ot) 41-38
02/03/02	STL**	17-17	1:21	8	5	53	0	0	20-17
01/19/02	OAK*	3-13	15:00	27	20	138	0	0	(ot) 16-13
12/16/01 at	BUF	6-9	5:57	13	9	116	0	0	(ot) 12-9
12/02/01 at	NYJ	14-16	15:00	7	6	56	0	0	17-16
10/14/01	SD	16-26	8:48	18	13	130	1	0	(ot) 29-26
^-Statistics are	from the ti	me noted until	the end of	the gam	ne * Divis	ional Play	offs *	* Supe	r Bowl

#### BRADY HAS 3 TD PASSES OF 80 OR MORE YARDS

Brady's 81-yard TD pass to WR Sam Aiken at Miami on Dec. 6, 2009 was his third pass of 80 or more yards and the third longest of his career, behind his 91-yard TD pass to WR David Patten at Indianapolis (10/21/01) and an 82-yard TD pass to WR Troy Brown at Miami (10/19/03).



# **WR Wes Welker News & Notes**

#### WELKER LEADS NFL IN RECEPTIONS SINCE 2007

Wes Welker leads the NFL with 372 receptions since the start of 2007. He is the first player to reach 300 receptions in his first 40 games with a new team. Welker led the NFL in receptions in 2009 with 123, despite missing two games early in the year and most of the season-finale due to an injury.



#### 2007-PRESENT NFL REC. LEADERS

<u>Player</u>	Team	Rec.	Yds	TD
Wes Welker	NE	372	3,905	18
Brandon Marshall	DEN/MIA	334	4,050	24

#### 2009 RECEPTION LEADERS

<u>Player</u>	Team	Rec.
Wes Welker	NE	123
Steve Smith	NYG	107
Brandon Marshall	DEN/MIA	101

#### **WELKER: 7.4 CATCHES A GAME SINCE 2007**

Wes Welker is averaging 7.4 receptions per game since joining New England in 2007. His 7.4 average is the highest in the NFL during that time.

### MOST RECEPTIONS PER GAME SINCE 2007 (Minimum-20 games)

<u>Player</u>	Team	Average
Wes Welker	New England Patriots	7.4
Andre Johnson	Houston Texans	6.7
Brandon Marshall	Denver/Miami	6.7

#### WELKER FINISHES WITH SECOND MOST RECEPTIONS AND SECOND HIGHEST AVERAGE IN NFL HISTORY in 2009

Welker led the NFL with 123 receptions in 2009, despite missing two games due to injury and most of the season-finale due to an injury. He averaged 8.8 receptions in the 14 games he played. The 123 receptions are a Patriots record and match Herman Moore (Detroit in 1995) for the second most receptions in a single season in NFL history, behind Marvin Harrison's NFL record of 143 receptions in 2002. Welker's 8.8 catches per game in 2009 rank second in NFL history to the 8.9 average set by Harrison in 2002.

Welker has had six or more receptions in 29 of his last 34 regular-season games. He has 18 games with nine or more catches since joining the Patriots. His 18 games with nine or more catches are the most in Patriots history.

#### MOST RECEPTIONS IN A SEASON

<u>Player</u>	Team	Year	Receptions
Marvin Harrison	Indianapolis	2002	143
Wes Welker	New England	2009	123
Herman Moore	Detroit	1995	123
Cris Carter	Minnesota	1994	122
Cris Carter	Minnesota	1995	122
Jerry Rice	San Francisco	1995	122

#### WELKER LEADS NFL IN YARDS AFTER CATCH

Welker leads the NFL in yards after the catch since joining the Patriots in 2007. His 733 YAC yards in 2009 were second to Baltimore's Ray Rice, who had 782.

#### MOST YARDS AFTER THE CATCH SINCE 2007

<u>Player</u>	Team	Yards After the Catch
Wes Welker	<b>New England Patriots</b>	2,272
Brandon Marshall	Denver/Miami	1,620

#### **WELKER SETS CAREER HIGHS AGAINST JETS**

Welker had 15 receptions for 192 yards against the Jets on Nov. 22, 2009, setting the Patriots record for most catches in a non-overtime game.

#### MOST RECEPTIONS IN A GAME IN PATRIOTS HISTORY

Rec.	Player	Date	Opp	W/L	Score
16	Troy Brown	09/22/02	vs. KC	W	41-38 (ot)
15	Wes Welker	11/22/09	vs. NYJ	W	31-14

#### WELKER HAS THIRD BEST RECEIVING TOTAL

Welker totaled 192 receiving yards against the Jets (11/22/09), the third-best single game receiving yard total in the 50-year history of the Patriots.

#### MOST RECEVING YARDS IN A GAME IN PATS HISTORY

Yds. I	Player	Date	Qpp	W/L	Score
214	Terry Glenn	10/03/99	at CLE	W	19-7
193	Terry Glenn	12/06/98	at PIT	W	23-9
192	Wes Welker	11/22/09	NVI	W	31-14

#### WELKER TIES NFL RECORD FOR MOST 10-PLUS CATCH GAMES IN A SEASON WITH SEVEN

Welker had his seventh 10-plus reception game of the 2009 season with 13 vs. Jacksonville (12/27) to tie the NFL record for most 10-plus reception games in a single season. Andre Johnson of Houston had seven 10-plus reception games in 2008. The 10-plus receptions against the Jaguars marked the 11<sup>th</sup> time in his career that Welker had reached 10 or more receptions in a game.

### PATRIOTS MOST GAMES WITH 10-PLUS CATCHES Player No. of 10-plus reception games for the Patriots

Wes Welker	11
Ben Coates	5
Troy Brown	5

#### WELKER GOES OVER 100 RECEPTIONS IN 2009

Wes Welker's 10-catch game vs. Carolina on Dec. 13, 2009 pushed him over 100 receptions for the third straight season. He joins Marvin Harrison (4), Jerry Rice (3), Herman Moore (3) and Brandon Marshall (3) as the only players to catch 100 passes in three consecutive seasons. Welker owns the Patriots three highest single-season reception totals with 123 in 2009, 112 in 2007 and 111 in 2008.

#### **WELKER PILES UP YARDS**

Wes Welker had a career-high in receiving yards with 1,348 in 2009. It is the third highest in team history. Welker has three of the top eight receiving seasons in team history with his three-straight (1,175 in 2007, 1,165 in 2008 and 1,348 in 2009).

#### PATRIOTS SINGLE-SEASON RECEIVING YARD LEADERS

Player	Season	Yds	Rec.	TD
Randy Moss	2007	1493	98	23
Stanley Morgan	1986	1491	84	10
Wes Welker	2009	1348	123	4
Randy Moss	2009	1264	83	13
Troy Brown	2001	1199	101	5
Wes Welker	2007	1175	112	8
Ben Coates	1994	1174	96	7
Wes Welker	2008	1165	111	3

#### **WELKER MOVES PAST FRYAR**

Wes Welker moved past Irving Fryar (363) into fifth place on New England's all-time reception list and not has 372 receptions as a member of the Patriots. Welker passed Fryar on an 8-yard reception from QB Tom Brady in the third quarter vs. Buffalo (9/26/10). RB Kevin Faulk is in fourth place with 424 receptions.

#### WELKER'S ROUTE TO THE NFL

Despite being named the Oklahoma football player of the year by both *USA Today* and the *Daily Oklahoman*, Wes Welker's only scholarship offer came from Texas Tech, and only after a player that committed to Texas Tech backed out.

"I was thinking I'd get a scholarship somewhere," Welker said. "When it didn't happen when it was supposed to I was pretty hurt by it."

Welker had an impressive collegiate career, accumulating 259 receptions and eight punts returned for touchdowns. He even won a national award as the best special teams player in the country. Despite those accolades, he was passed over in the 2004 NFL draft and signed with San Diego as a free agent. He made the team, then was cut after the first game. He signed with Miami soon after and was used just on special teams. He caught New England's eye with a 71-yard punt return on Monday Night Football in a game against the Patriots. He was acquired by the Patriots in a trade with Miami in 2007.



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# WELKER TIES NFL RECORD FOR FEWEST INDIVIDUAL GAMES PLAYED TO REACH 100 RECEPTIONS

Welker reached 100 receptions in his 11<sup>th</sup> game of the 2009 season to tie Marvin Harrison for the fewest individual games played to reach 100 receptions in a season in NFL history. Harrison caught 100 passes in his first 11 games of the 2002 season en route to an NFL-record 143 catches. (Welker missed two games in 2009 due to injury).

#### **WELKER GOES OVER 100 YARDS**

Welker had a career-high six 100-yard games in 2009 and has 14 for his career. His previous high for most 100-yard games in a season was four in 2007 and 2008.

# WELKER HAS THREE STRAIGHT 100 CATCH AND 1000 YARD SEASONS

Welker registered his third straight season with at least 100 receptions (123) and 1,000 receiving yards (1,348) in 2009. Only four other NFL players have had three consecutive seasons of at least 100 receptions and 1,000 yards receiving: Marvin Harrison (4, 1999-02), Brandon Marshall (3, 2007-09), Herman Moore (3, 1995-97) and Jerry Rice (3, 1994-96).

#### WELKER AVERAGED NEARLY 100 YDS PER GAME

Wes Welker averaged 96.3 receiving yards per game in 2009. Since 2000, an NFL player has averaged 100 or more yards per game only 10 times.

#### **BRADY GOES DEEP IN 2009**

Brady completed two 58-yard passes and an 81-yard pass at Miami (12/6/09). It was the first time in his career that he completed three passes of 50 or more yards in the same game. He has five games with two 50-yard completions. He completed a 63-yard touchdown and a 55-yard pass to WR Randy Moss at Indianapolis (11/15/09).

#### **DIVISION DOMINANCE**

The New England Patriots own a 45-14 (.763) record in regular season AFC East games since the beginning of the 2001 season, compiling the best intra-division record of any team in the NFL over the last nine seasons. The Patriots finished 4-2 in the division in 2009 and are 2-1 so far in 2010.

#### NFL'S TOP DIVISIONAL RECORDS SINCE 2001

<u>Team</u>	W	L	T	Pct.
New England Patriots	45	14	0	.763
Indianapolis Colts	41	17	0	.707
Pittsburgh Steelers	41	18	0	.695
Green Bay Packers	39	19	0	.672

#### **AFC EAST DIVISIONAL RECORDS SINCE 2001**

<u>Team</u>	W	L	T_	Pct.	Div. Tit	<u>lles Years</u>
New England	45	14	0	.763	7	2001, 03-07, 09
New York Jets	30	29	0	.500	1	2002
Miami	25	33	0	.431	1	2008
Buffalo	19	40	0	.328	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

#### **TOP OFFENSE**

The Patriots offense finished third in the NFL in 2009. It is the third straight season that the offense finished in the Top 10. Since the 1970 merger, the Patriots' offense has finished in the top 10 15 times, including five times under head coach Bill Belichick. After four games in 2010, the Patriots offense is ranked 11<sup>th</sup>.

#### **AARON HERNANDEZ STARTS BIG**

Rookie TE Aaron Hernandez's first NFL reception was a 45-yard catch in the first quarter of the season-opener vs. Cincinnati (9/12). It is the longest reception by a Patriots rookie on his first catch since WR Tony Simmons had a 47-yard reception in his debut on Oct. 15, 1998. Hernandez had a second 40-plus catch in Week 2 at the NY Jets (9/19) with a 46-yard reception. Hernandez's 13-yard rush vs. Buffalo (9/26) is the longest run by a tight end in team history.

#### FRED TAYLOR AMONG NFL'S BEST

Fred Taylor ranks 15<sup>th</sup> in NFL history for most rushing yards with career totals of 2,516 carries for 11,638 yards and 66 rushing touchdowns in 149 games. He trails only New York's LaDainian Tomlinson (12,831) among active running backs in rushing yards. Taylor ranks among the NFL's all-time best in several categories.



Rushing yards per game (78.1)	13 <sup>th</sup>
Yards from scrimmage per game (94.1)	18 <sup>th</sup>
Rushes of 10-plus yards (331)	$5^{th}$
Rushes of 50-plus yards (13)	$4^{th}$
Yards from scrimmage (14,022)	$25^{th}$
Rushing touchdowns (66)	$30^{th}$

#### **TAYLOR HAS 49 CAREER 100-YD GAMES**

Fred Taylor finished with 105 yards rushing on 21 carries in the win vs. Atlanta on Sept. 27, 2009, recording his 49<sup>th</sup> 100-yard rushing game and his first as a Patriot. Taylor's 49 100-yard rushing games rank ninth in NFL history and first among active players.

#### MOST 100-YARD RUSHING GAMES/CAREER

1. Emmitt Smith 78	6. Jim Brown	58
2. Walter Payton77	7. Edgerrin James	57
3. Barry Sanders76	8. Curtis Martin	57
4. Eric Dickerson64	9. Fred Taylor	49
5. Jerome Bettis 61	<ol><li>Franco Harris</li></ol>	47
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#### TAYLOR'S AVERAGE IS HIGH

Fred Taylor ranks fifth in NFL history with a 4.6 yards per rush average among running backs with at least 10,000 yards. Below is the all-time list:

RK	PLAYER	AVG	RK	Player	AVG
1.	Jim Brown	5.2	4.	Tiki Barber	4.7
2.	Barry Sanders	5.0	5.	Fred Taylor	4.6
3.	O.J. Simpson	4.7			

Among active NFL running backs, Taylor's 4.6-yard average trails only Carolina's DeAngelo Williams (5.1), Minnesota's Adrian Peterson (5.0), Atlanta's Michael Turner (4.9) and San Francisco's Frank Gore (4.7).

#### **CRUMPLER HIGH IN AVERAGE**

Among active NFL tight ends, Patriots tight end Alge Crumpler ranks second in average yards per reception.

HIGHEST AVERAGE YARDS PER RECEPTION AMONG ACTIVE TIGHT ENDS

Player	Rec.	Yds.	Avg.
Antonio Gates (SD)	508	6,701	13.2
Alge Crumpler (ATL, TEN, N	IE) 367	4,691	12.8
Owen Daniels (HOU)	217	2,614	12.0
Tony Gonzalez (KC, ATL)	1023	12.053	11.8

# THREE PATRIOTS IN TOP 15 FOR ALL-PURPOSE YARDS AMONG ACTIVE PLAYERS

The Patriots have three players in the top 15 All-Purpose Yards among active NFL players.

#### ACTIVE LEADERS ALL-PURPOSE YARDS

PLAYER	TEAM	YARDS
1.LaDainian Tomlinson	New York Jets	16,853
2.Derrick Mason	Baltimore	16,374
3.Terrell Owens	Cincinnati	15,773
4.Randy Moss	Minnesota	14,958
5.Fred Taylor	New England	14,030
6.Joey Galloway	Washington	12,811
7.Steve Smith	Carolina	12,783
8.Kevin Faulk	New England	12,247
9.Tony Gonzalez	Atlanta	12,067
10.Clinton Portis	Washington	11,884
11.Hines Ward	Pittsburgh	11,752
12.Thomas Jones	Kansas City	11,588
13.Ricky Williams	Miami	11,499
14.Wes Welker	New England	11,288
15. Brian Westbrook	San Francisco	10.781



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#### **BANTA-CAIN SETS CAREER-HIGHS IN SACKS**

LB Tully Banta-Cain set a single-game career-high with three sacks in the win at Buffalo on Dec. 20, 2009 and closed out the 2009 season with a career-high of 10.0 sacks for the season. His previous best for a season was 5.5 in 2006 with the Patriots. He had three games in 2009 with at least two sacks and now has five games in his career with at least two sacks. The Patriots have now had a player finish the season with double digit sack totals 12 times. Banta-Cain's 10 sacks are the most for the Patriots since Mike Vrabel's 12.5 sacks in 2007.

#### PATRIOTS FORCE TURNOVERS

The Patriots did not force a turnover against Miami (11/8/09), breaking a streak of 15 straight games with a turnover. That streak had been the longest streak in the NFL. The Patriots finished +6 in 2009, which was tied for eighth in the NFL. The Patriots are +80 since 1997. Below is a turnover table since the 1997 season.

#### **NFL TURNOVER MARGIN SINCE 1997**

<u>Rank</u>	<u>leam</u>	Turnover Marg
1.	New England	+80
2.	Kansas City	+69
3.	Jacksonville	+56

#### **TOUGH AT HOME**

The Patriots own an overall record of 61-13 (.824) at Gillette Stadium. 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.

#### **BEST HOME RECORDS SINCE 2002**

Team	W	L	T	Pct.
New England	61	13	0	.824
Indianapolis	59	15	0	.797
Pittsburgh	51	20	1	.718
Baltimore	48	20	0	.706
Seattle	48	23	0	.676
San Diego	48	23	0	.676
Minnesota	45	23	0	.662
Philadelphia	48	25	0	.657

#### **EVEN STEPHEN**

Since joining the Patriots as a fourth-round draft choice in 2006, Stephen Gostkowski has connected on 83.6 percent of his regular-season field goal attempts (107-for-128), achieving the best field goal percentage in Patriots history.

#### PATRIOTS ALL-TIME LEADERS / FIELD GOAL PCT.

(Minimum 50 Attempts)

Years	FGM	FGA	Pct.
2006-10	107	128	.836
1996-05	263	321	.819
	2006-10	2006-10 107	2006-10 107 128

#### GOSTKOWSKI 7<sup>TH</sup> BEST EVER IN FIELD GOAL PCT.

Stephen Gostkowski's 83.6 field goal percentage is seventh-best among NFL kickers all-time.

Player	Years	FGM	FGA	Pct.
Nate Kaeding	2004-10	156	179	87.2
Mike Vanderjagt	1998-06	230	266	86.5
Robbie Gould	2005-10	144	167	86.2
Shayne Graham	2001-09	196	230	85.2
Rob Bironas	2005-10	144	170	84.7
Matt Stover	1991-2009	471	563	83.7
Stephen Gostkowski	2006-10	107	128	83.6

#### SERIES SUCCESS

The Patriots extended their win streak to 14 games over Buffalo with a 38-30 win on Sept. 26, 2010. The 14-game win streak over a single opponent is tied for the third longest streak in NFL history.

#### PATRIOTS LONGEST SERIES WINNING STREAKS

Win	Date	Date		
Strk	Opponent	Begun	Ended	
14	Buffalo Bills	12/27/03	Active	
11	Buffalo Bills	01/02/83	12/20/87	
10	San Diego Chargers	12/02/73	10/14/01	
7	New York Jets	09/21/03	11/12/06	
7	Indianapolis Colts	10/20/96	12/12/99	

#### **SERIES SUCCESS (continued)**

LONGEST CURRENT NFL SERIES WINNING STREAKS							
<u>Team</u>	Opponent	Win Streak	Last Loss				
New England	Buffalo	14	09/07/03				
Green Bay	Detroit	10	09/11/05				
Denver	Cleveland	9	10/08/90				
Buffalo	Cincinnati	9	01/08/89				

#### LONGEST NFL SERIES WINNING STREAKS

<u>ream</u>	Opponent	<u>win Streak</u>
Miami	Buffalo	20 (1970-79)
San Francisco	Rams	17 (1990-98)
New England	Buffalo	14 (2003-current)
Miami	Colts	14 (1980-87)
San Diego	Oakland	13 (2003-10)
Dallas	Cardinals	13 (1990-96)

#### NFL'S BEST ROAD WARRIORS THIS DECADE

Since the start of the 2000 season, the Patriots have the third best road record with a 52-30 record, behind Indianapolis (56-27) and Philadelphia (54-28-1).

TEAM	RECORD
Indianapolis	56-27
Philadelphia	54-28-1
New England	51-30

#### WOODHEAD GOES FROM DIVISION II TO THE NFL

Danny Woodhead was a standout at Division II Chadron State in Nebraska. He averaged 178.9 yards per game and totaled 101 rushing touchdowns during his collegiate career. Woodhead's outstanding junior and senior seasons earned him two Harlon Hill Trophies, the Division II equivalent to the Heisman Trophy. He is one of just three players to ever win two or more Harlon Hill Trophies, joining Texas A&M University-Kingsville running back Johnny Bailey, who won it three times (1987-89) before playing six seasons in the NFL for the Bears, Cardinals, and Rams. Valdosta State University's Dusty Bonner was the only other player to win the Harlon Hill Trophy multiple times (2000 and 2001). Cincinnati Bengals running back Bernard Scott (2008—Abilene Christian) joins Woodhead as active NFL running backs who have won the award. In his first game with the Patriots, Woodhead scored a 22-yard in the win vs. Buff. (9/26).

#### EDELMAN GOES FROM STANDOUT QB TO WR

Julian Edelman began his college football career with a year at the College of San Mateo (Ca.) before transferring to Kent State where as a senior he completed 56% 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.

#### WILFORK WEARS HIS HEART ON HIS NECK

Vince Wilfork wears No. 75 over his shoulder pads. Underneath hangs a gold chain locket for those who were number one in his heart: his parents. In 2002, parents David and Barbara Wilfork both passed away within five months of each other, leaving the then University of Miami star without his greatest support system. Wilfork, who lost his father to diabetes, has raised hundreds of thousands of dollars for diabetes-related causes. His annual draft day fundraiser, a bowling event he has held for seven years, is one of the signature fundraising events held by a pro athlete in New England. For his charity work, Wilfork was awarded the 2010 New England Patriots Ron Burton Community Service Award. While he will always cherish his National Championship and Super Bowl rings, his constant reminder lies closest to his heart, a picture of his late parents at their high school prom. "I carry them with me wherever I go", Wilfork said of his parents' keepsake. "My parents pushed me to be the best I could be. The things I do and my wife does, we do out of the kindness of our heart, and we do it for the community. I never look for anything in return. My teammates are my second family. My kids, my wife, the New England Patriots - that's all I have."



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#### **ZOLTAN MESKO: COMING TO AMERICA**

Rookie P Zoltan Mesko was born in Timosoara, Romania, on the Romania-Hungary border. On Many occasions in 1989, during the communist revolutions, his family was forced to take cover by diving on the floor to avoid gun shots from the armies. Even after the fall of the Berlin Wall, his family lived in poverty. His family was finally able to escape Romania when his father won a United States Permanent Resident Card (green card) in the Diversity Immigrant Visa Lottery in 1997 when Mesko was 11.

#### MESKO DISCOVERS FOOTBALL

An avid soccer player from his days in Romania, Mesko had a strong leg. It was only when he came to America that he discovered his leg could take him places. In eighth grade, Mesko was playing kickball in the gym when he kicked the ball so high that he broke a light fixture. He was given a choice: pay for the light fixture or play football. With his family still struggling with money and football being a more popular sport than soccer at his school, the choice was an obvious one—Mesko decided to play football. His leg would land him numerous Division I Scholarships and admission offers from lyy League schools. From these, Mesko chose to play football at Michigan.

#### **DOUBLE TROUBLE: CB DEVIN MCCOURTY**

After being selected by the Patriots in the first round of the 2010 NFL Draft, CB 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 11<sup>th</sup> set of twins to play in the NFL. Devin and Jason were cornerbacks in the Rutgers secondary from 2005-08. 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.

#### MATT LIGHT AND THE LIGHT FOUNDATION

T Matt Light and the Light Foundation took aim at another successful year for the organization when they hosted the 2010 Matt Light Celebrity Shoot-Out on Tuesday, September 14 at Addieville East Farm in Mapleville, Rhode Island. The event allows for participants to test their clay shooting skills against a host of celebrities, including members of the New England Patriots as well as stars from TV and movies. The Light Foundation was established in 2001 and strives to instill the values of responsibility and hard work to youths.

#### ALL IN THE FAMILY: TE ROB GRONKOWSKI

Rookie TE Rob Gronkowski grew up playing football against his brothers in the backyard. Now, he has a chance to play against them in the NFL. Dan Gronkowski, the oldest of the bunch, is currently in his second season as a TE for the Denver Broncos, while 23-year old Chris is currently a rookie with the Dallas Cowboys as a fullback. The Gronkowski's are among 22 different sets of brothers currently in the NFL, yet they are the only family that can claim to have three siblings in the league. According to the pro Football Hall of Fame, the Gronkowski brothers join nine other familes to have at least three brothers playing at the same time.

Family	Brothers	Yr. in NFL at Same Time
Gronkows	ki Rob, Dan, Chris	2010
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

#### **READ BETWEEN THE LINES**

The Patriots teamed up with Ahern Middle School in Foxborough on June 9 to introduce "Read Between the Lines," a new program featuring Patriots offensive and defensive linemen to promote the school's "Summer Reading Blitz." Every



student in attendance received a "Read Between the Lines" playbook and was encouraged to set their personal reading goals of at least two books this past summer. If the 923 students collectively read more than 2010 books over the summer, a Patriots lineman promised to return for another assembly to reward the students. On Sept. 28, Stephen Neal returned to the school to reward the students who accomplished their summer reading goals. One student received a "game ball" for her efforts after reading 70 books.

#### LIKE FATHER LIKE SON

WR Matthew Slater spent his college days at UCLA. The thirdyear promising young talent was born in 1985, when another Slater in The City of Angels was named to his second of seven Pro Bowls. Matthew's father, Jackie Slater, a Hall of Fame offensive tackle, spent his entire career with the Rams organization in LA. Matthew Slater, drafted in 2008, is one of six 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) Howie Long (class of 2000) – son, Chris Long (STL) 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) Kellen Winslow (class of 1995) – son, Kellen Winslow (CLE)

#### GREETINGS FROM KAARST, GERMANY: SEBASTIAN VOLLMER MAKES HIS MARK

A native of Kaarst, Germany, Vollmer did not begin playing football until the age of 14 when he started playing for the Dusseldorf club team. Vollmer helped lead his German prep school team to two national football championships. His early football success landed him an appearance in the 2004 Global Junior Championships in San Diego, which led him to a scholarship at Houston. He spoke almost no English when he signed with Houston, but he became fluent in the language as he developed from a 250-pound tight end into a 315-pound lineman who started his final 25 games at tackle for the Cougars. Vollmer's collegiate career created interest from the NFL where the Patriots drafted him in the second round of the 2009 draft. Earned the nickname, Seabass, during his playing days at Houston. The nickname has carried over to the NFL.

#### PATRICK CHUNGS' JOURNEY TO THE NFL

Long before S Patrick Chung picked up flag football as a teen, his mother, Jamaican recording artist Sophia George, had preached about being a tough man in a song. Her hit single, "Girlie Girlie" - a traditional reggae song about poking fun at a boy who was not man enough - topped the charts in 1985. Chung is aware that among his talents he was born with, speed and agility, singing is not one of them. Chung, who possesses a great sense of pride in his unique heritage - his mother is Jamaican and his father is half Jamaican and half Chinese, was born in Jamaica and moved to California at age 12 where he started to play football as a freshman in high school. Chung went on to star at Oregon, where he holds the distinction of starting more games than any other defensive player in school history with 51 starts. He original entered the draft as junior but ultimately decided to return for his senior season. Pinned to the back of his locker is a reminder of the support he has gotten to this stage, a Jamaican flag that indicates his family's importance



# THE TEAM OF THE DECADE

hen Robert Kraft purchased the New England Patriots in 1994, few would have thought that just 16 years later the franchise would be the undisputed team of the decade in the first decade of the new millennium. Kraft brought a winning vision to the organization and dedicated his resources to building a consistent winner. On Jan. 27, 2000, Kraft hired Bill Belichick to coach the team, and three months later the team drafted then-unheralded quarterback Tom Brady, putting the final pieces in place for the Patriots to become the most successful NFL team of the 2000s.

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	New England Patriots		NFL	3
	San Antonio Spurs		NBA	3
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	Detroit Red Wings		NHL	2
	Houston Dynamo		MLS	2
	Los Angeles Galaxy		MLS	2
	New Jersey Devils		NHL	2
	New York Yankees		MLB	2
	Pittsburgh Steelers		NFL MLS	2
	San Jose Earthquakes		VILS	2
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	New England Revolutio	n	MLS	4
	Los Angeles Galaxy		MLS	4
	New York Yankees		MLB	4
	Detroit Red Wings		NHL	3
	New Jersey Devils		NHL	3
	San Antonio Spurs		NBA	3
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# PATRIOTS HOME DOMINANCE



S ince the Patriots moved to Gillette Stadium in 2002, they have celebrated more regular season and postseason wins than any other team in the NFL. The Patriots have the highest point differential at home in that time and are among the top three offensive and defensive leaders at home. The Patriots home dominance is especially strong against NFC teams.

REGULAR SEASON HOME RECORD SINCE 2002					
Rank	Team	W	L	T	Pct.
1	New England	54	12	0	0.818
2	Indianapolis	53	13	0	0.803
3	Baltimore	48	18	0	0.727
4	Pittsburgh	47	18	1	0.720
5	San Diego	46	20	0	0.697

HOME PL	AYOFF RECORD S	SINCE 2	2002 (N	IIN. 5 GAMES)
Rank	Team	W	L	Pct
1	New England	7	1	0.875
2	Seattle	4	1	0.800
3	Philadelphia	5	2	0.714
4	Indianapolis	6	3	0.667
5	Pittsburgh	4	2	0.667

HOME RECORD SINCE 2002 (INCLUDING PLAYOFFS)					
Rank	Team	W	L	Т	Pct.
1	New England	61	13	0	0.824
2	Indianapolis	59	15	0	0.797
3	Pittsburgh	51	20	1	0.718
4	Baltimore	48	20	0	0.706
5	San Diego	48	23	0	0.676
5	Seattle	48	23	0	0.676

	HOME RECORD VS. NFC SINCE 2002					
Rank	Team	W	L	T	Pct.	
1	New England	15	1	0	0.938	
2	Pittsburgh	14	2	1	0.853	
3	Jacksonville	14	3	0	0.824	
4	Indianapolis	14	3	0	0.824	
5	Baltimore	13	3	0	0.813	

HOME RECORD VS DIVISIONAL OPPONENTS SINCE 2002					
Rank	Team	W	L	T	Pct.
1	Indianapolis	20	4	0	0.833
2	New England	20	5	0	0.800
3	Minnesota	20	5	0	0.800
4	San Diego	18	6	0	0.750
5	Pittsburgh	18	7	0	0.720
6	Seattle	18	7	0	0.720
7	Green Bay	18	7	0	0.720

PO	POINT DIFFERENTIAL AT HOME SINCE 2002										
Rank	Team	Point Differential									
1	New England	641									
2	Indianapolis	608									
3	Baltimore	561									
4	San Diego	505									
5	Pittsburgh	441									

POIN	POINTS ALLOWED PER GAME AT HOME SINCE 2002											
Rank	Team	Points Allowed										
1	Baltimore	15.6										
2	New England	16.3										
3	Pittsburgh	17.9										
4	Indianapolis	17.9										
5	Jacksonville	18.0										

POII	POINTS SCORED PER GAME AT HOME SINCE 2002											
Rank	Team	Points Scored										
1	San Diego	28.0										
2	Indianapolis	27.1										
3	New England	26.0										
4	Kansas City	26.0										
5	Green Bay	25.0										



# PATRIOTS FOOTBALL NETWORK

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

Emmy-Award winning Patriots All Access airs weekly throughout the season on WBZ, Channel 4 in Boston and regional affiliates. 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 Coach Bill Belichick, including the popular "Belestrator" segment where the coach breaks down upcoming opponents.

Fridays at 7:00 p.m and Sundays at 9:00 a.m. on **TV 38 in Boston; WNAC-TV in Providence**; Saturdays at 12:05 a.m. on **WMUR-TV in Manchester**, **N.H.** Saturdays at 5:00 a.m. on **WMTW-TV in Portland, Maine**; Saturdays at 5:00 p.m. on **WCTX-TV in Hartford, Conn.** Saturdays at 7:00 p.m. on **WFXQ-TV in Springfield, Mass.**; Sundays at 11:00 a.m. on **WVII-TV in Bangor, Maine** 



#### TOTALLY PATRIOTS



otally Patriots is a unique, one of a kind Patriots show aimed for the next generation of Patriots fans. This weekly, youth oriented football show allows school aged fans unprecedented access to their favorite players, enabling them to ask questions in a relaxed, informal setting.

#### PATRIOTS TODAY AND PATRIOTS THIS WEEK

PATRIOTS TODAY: Available daily at Patriots.com and on Verizon Fios on Demand, as well as on Verizon wireless' VCAST. PATRIOTS THIS WEEK: Saturdays 9:30 p.m. on Comcast Sports Net.

Patriots Today gives fans a daily, in-depth look at the club that is unmatched by any other outlet. The show is hosted by Lyndsay Petruny with daily reports from Brian Lowe and twice-weekly analysis from PFW's Paul Perillo. This daily Webcast is dedicated exclusively to the Patriots and provides daily features, reports and commentary that will satisfy every fan's daily Patriots fix. Every Saturday (TBA) on Comcast Sports Net, Lyndsay Petruny will bring you Patriots This Week, providing a thorough recap of each week's developments.

#### PATRIOTS.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 dailly 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. Stay tuned for the debut of new shows during the 2009 season. Patriots.com also offers streaming audio of every Patriots press conference, as well as archives of Patriots.com Radio shows. Patriots.com provides podcasts of Patriots.com radio offerings as well as exclusive content.

#### **PATRIOTS MONDAY ON WEEL**

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 6:00 a.m.

#### PATRIOTS FRIDAY ON WEEL

WEEI Sports Radio 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. WEEI will broadcast Patriots Fridays each week throughout the season, kicking off with Dennis & Callahan at 6:00 a.m., followed by Dale & Holley at 10:00 a.m. and The Big Show with Glenn Ordway from 2:00 to 6:00 p.m.

# 98.5 THE SPORTS HUB PATRIOTS RADIO NETWORK

A new era in Patriots Radio history began last season, with the move of the game broadcasts to 98.5 FM, Boston's Sports Hub. The transition to Boston's new all-sports radio station insures that Patriots fans will continue to hear every kick, block

and tackle in stereo, and without static, in crystal-clear FM quality. Fans all over New England will be able to listen in to any of 36 stations on the Safety Insurance 98.5 The Sports Hub Patriots Radio Network, starting with Patriots Preview three hours before kickoff, and capped off with Patriots Postgame for three hours after the final gun.

#### FLAGSHIP STATION 98.5 FM Boston's Sports Hub

#### MASSACHUSETTS WAOY Springfield 102.1 FM WBEC Pittsfield 1420 AM **WPKZ** Fitchburg 1280 AM WNAW N. Adams 1230 AM 1420 AM **WBSM** New Bedford WPVO Greenfield 95.3 FM WSAR Fall River 1480 AM WWFX 100.1 FM Worcester **WXTK** 95.1 FM Hvannis

#### MAINE

WEBB Augusta 98.5 FM WWMJ Bangor 95.7 FM WBLM Portland 102.9 FM WEGP Presque Isle 1390 AM

#### CONNECTICUT

 WCCC
 Hartford
 106.9 FM

 WXLM
 New London
 104.7 FM

 WINY
 Putnam
 1350 AM

 WGCH
 Greenwich
 1490 AM

#### NEW HAMPSHIRE

WTPL Concord 107.7 FM WSAK Hampton 102.1 FM WHQ Laconia 104.9 FM WKNE 99.1 FM Keene **WSHK** Portsmouth 105.3 FM WGHM Nashua 1590 AM WPKQ N. Conway 103.7 FM WGAM Manchester 1250 AM

#### RHODE ISLAND

WPRO Providence 630 AM WEAN Providence 99.7 FM

#### VERMONT

WBTN Bennington 1370 AM
WORK Barre 107.1 FM
WKVT Brattleboro 92.7 FM
WEAV Burlington 960 AM
WEXP Rutland 101.5 FM
WMOO Derby Center 92.1 FM
WSTJ St Johnsbury1340 AM
WMXR Woodstock 93.9 FM



# **2010 OFFENSIVE STATISTICS**

WON 3, LOST 1					* RUSHING	No.	Yds	Ava	Long	TD
09/12 W 38-24	Cinci	nnati		68,756	Green-Ellis	47	215	4.6	22	2
09/19 L 14-28	at Ne	w York Jets			F. Taylor	25	98	3.9	24	0
09/26 W 38-30	Buffa	lo			Woodhead LG	11	78	7.1	22t	1
10/04 W 41-14	at Mi	ami		69,090	Woodhead TM	11	78	7.1	22t	1
10/17	Balti	more			Faulk	8	45	5.6	11	0
10/24	at Sa	n Diego			Morris	9	24	2.7	9	0
10/31	Minne	sota			Hernandez	1	13	13.0	13	0
11/07	at Cl	eveland			Brady	9	12	1.3	9	0
11/14	at Pi	ttsburgh			Tate	1	5	5.0	5	0
11/21	India	napolis			Edelman	1	1	1.0	1	0
11/25	at De				Hoyer	1	-2	-2.0	-2	0
12/06		ork Jets			TEAM	113	489	4.3	24	3
12/12	at Ch	icago			OPPONENTS	101	452	4.5	31	1
12/19	Green	Bay			* RECEIVING	No.	Yds	Avg	Long	TD
12/26	at Bu	ffalo			Welker	26	217	8.3	27	3
01/02	Miami				Hernandez	18	240	13.3	46	0
			Opp.		Tate	11	135	12.3	29	0
TOTAL FIRST DOWNS	S	84		91	Moss	9	139	15.4	35t	3
Rushing		33		25	Faulk	6	62	10.3	21	0
Passing		45		62	Gronkowski	6	62	10.3	21	2
Penalty		6		4	Edelman	4	14	3.5	6	0
3rd Down: Made,	/Att	26/47	29/		F. Taylor	2	6	3.0	7	0
3rd Down Pct.		55.3		54.7	Morris	1	19	19.0	19	0
4th Down: Made,	/Att	2/3	4	/5	Woodhead LG	1	11	11.0	11t	1
4th Down Pct.		66.7		80.0	Woodhead TM	1	11	11.0	11t	1
POSSESSION AVG.		28:53	31:		Green-Ellis	1	6	6.0	6	0
TOTAL NET YARDS		1377		38	TEAM	85	911	10.7	46	9
Avg. Per Game		344.3		84.5	OPPONENTS	106		10.7	51	9
Total Plays		240	2	61	* INTERCEPTIONS		Yds	Avg		TD
Avg. Per Play		5.7		5.9	Chung	2		38.5	51t	1
NET YARDS RUSHING	G	489		52	Ninkovich	2	1	0.5	1	0
Avg. Per Game		122.3		13.0	Guyton	1		59.0	59t	1
Total Rushes		113		.01	Meriweather	1	0	0.0	0	0
NET YARDS PASSING	G	888		86	Page	1	0	0.0	0	0
Avg. Per Game		222.0		71.5	TEAM			19.6	59t	2
Sacked/Yards Lo	ost	5/23		43	OPPONENTS	2	0	0.0	0	0
Gross Yards		911		.29	* PUNTING			et TB	In Lg	
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Completion Pct		69.7		69.3	TEAM	10 425 42			2 60	
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PUNTS/AVERAGE		10/42.5		40.4	* PUNT RETURNS	Ret FC			Long	
NET PUNTING AVG.		10/38.2		33.4	Edelman	2 0				0
PENALTIES/YARDS	_	19/175	20/1		Tate	1 0				0
FUMBLES/BALL LOST	T	3/2		/1	Welker	1 0	-	0.0		0
TOUCHDOWNS		17		11	Faulk	0 1				0
Rushing		3 9		1 9	TEAM	4 1 7 2				0
Passing		5		9	* KICKOFF RETURNS					
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TEAM		17 44 42	28		Green-Ellis	1	0	0.0	0	0
OPPONENTS		10 26 39	21		TEAM			31.6	103t	2
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TEAM 1		9 5 17/17		0 131						
OPPONENTS 11		9 1 10/10	6/8	0 96						
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SACKS: G. Warren										
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	1/1									
FUM/LOST: Brady	1/1, Ta									

* PASSING	Att	Cmp	Yds	Cmp% 1	ds/Att	TD	TD%	Int	Int%	Long	Sack	'Lost	Rating
Brady	122	85	911	69.7	7.47	9	7.4	2	1.6	46	5/	23	109.0
TEAM	122	85	911	69.7	7.47	9	7.4	2	1.6	46	5/	23	109.0
OPPONENTS	153	106	1129	69.3	7.38	9	5.9	7	4.6	51	7/	43	91.1



# **2010 Defensive Statistics**

Tackle Statistics based on Coaches Film Review

PLAYER	PLAYER TACKLES				SACKS		IN	TERCE	PTIO	NS	FUMBLES				SP. TEAMS				
Name	TT	UT	Α	S/	Yds	QH	Int/	Yds	TD	PD	FF	FR/	Yds	TD	TT	UT	Α	FF	FR
Jerod Mayo	46	34	12	1.0	7.0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Patrick Chung	36	25	11	0.0	0.0	0	2	77	1	2	0	0	0	0	2	1	1	0	0
Devin McCourty	21	16	5	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	3	3	0	0	0
Brandon Spikes	20	11	9	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
James Sanders	19	14	5	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	2	1	1	0	0
Darius Butler	16	14	2	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Tully Banta-Cain	16	11	5	1.5	6.0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Rob Ninkovich	16	8	8	1.0	7.0	2	2	1	0	2	0	1	0	0	3	1	2	0	0
Kyle Arrington	16	10	6	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	2	0	0	0
Jonathan Wilhite	14	12	2	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Vince Wilfork	13	7	6	0.0	0.0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Brandon Meriweather	12	7	5	0.0	0.0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0
Gary Guyton	11	8	3	0.0	0.0	1	1	59	1	1	0	0	0	0	2	1	1	0	0
Jermaine Cunningham	8	4	4	0.0	0.0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Gerard Warren	8	4	4	2.0	16.0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ron Brace	7	6	1	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Myron Pryor	4	3	1	0.5	2.0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mike Wright	4	3	1	1.0	5.0	3	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Brandon Deaderick	2	1	1	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Marques Murrell	1	1	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Jarrad Page	1	1	0	0.0	0.0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
BenJarvus Green-Ellis	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	6	3	3	0	0
Danny Woodhead	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0
Tracy White	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	4	3	0	0
	291	200	91	7.0	43.0	15	7	137	2	17	1	1	0	0	30	19	11	0	0

FUMBLES - LOST (3-2)										
			Own							
	No.	Lost	Rec	O.B.						
Tom Brady	1	1	0	0						
Brandton Tate	1	1	0	0						
Wes Welker	1	0	1	0						
	3	2	1	0						

MISC. OFFENSIVE STATS									
	Tkl	Ast	FF	FR					
Randy Moss	2	0	0	0					
Stephen Neal	1	0	0	0					
	3	0	0	0					

	KEY
TT-Total Tackles	Int/Yds-Interceptions/Yards Returned
UT-Unassisted Tackles	PD-Passes Defensed
A-Assisted Tackles	FF-Forced Fumbles

BLOCKED KICKS										
	ΚP	FG	Р							
Patrick Chung		1	1							
Totals		1	1							



# 2010 NEW ENGLAND PATRIOTS ROSTER AS OF OCTOBER 11, 2010

ALPHABETICAL ROSTER								
#	NAME	POS	HT	WT	BORN	YR	COLLEGE	H.S. HOMETOWN
27	Arrington, Kyle	CB	5-10	196	8/12/1986	2	Hofstra	Accokeek, Md.
95	Banta-Cain, Tully	LB	6-2	250	8/28/1980	8	California	Sunnyvale, Calif.
97	Brace, Ron	DL	6-3	330	12/18/1986	2	Boston College	Worcester, Mass.
12	Brady, Tom	QB	6-4	225	8/3/1977	11	Michigan	San Mateo, Calif.
28	Butler, Darius	CB	5-10	190	3/18/1986	2	Connecticut	Ft. Lauderdale, Fla.
25	Chung, Patrick	S	5-11	212	8/19/1987	2	Oregon	Rancho Cucamonga, Calif.
41	Clayton, Thomas	RB	5-11	220	4/26/1984	2	Kansas State	Alexandria, Va.
63	Connolly, Dan	OL	6-4	313	9/2/1982	5	Southeast Missouri St.	St. Louis, Mo.
98	Crable, Shawn	LB	6-5	250	12/26/1984	3	Michigan	Massillon, Ohio
82	Crumpler, Alge	TE	6-2	275	12/23/1977	10	North Carolina	Wilmington, N.C.
96	Cunningham, Jermaine	LB	6-3	260	4/24/1988	R	Florida	Stone Mountain, Ga.
71	Deaderick, Brandon	DL	6-4	305	8/19/1987	R	Alabama	Elizabethtown, Ky.
11	Edelman, Julian	WR	5-10	198	5/22/1986	2	Kent State	Redwood City, Calif.
52	Fletcher, Dane	LB	6-2	244	9/14/1986	R	Montana State	Bozeman, Montana
3	Gostkowski, Stephen	K	6-1	215	1/28/1984	5	Memphis	Madison, Miss.
42	Green-Ellis, BenJarvus	RB	5-11	215	7/2/1985	3	Mississippi	New Orleans, La.
87	Gronkowski, Rob	TE	6-6	265	5/14/1989	R	Arizona	Pittsburgh, Pa.
59	Guyton, Gary	LB	6-3	245	11/14/1985	3	Georgia Tech	Hinesville, Ga.
85	Hernandez, Aaron	TE	6-1	245	11/6/1989	R	Florida	Bristol, Conn.
8	Hoyer, Brian	QB	6-2	215	10/13/1985	2	Michigan State	North Olmsted, Ohio
47	Ingram, Jake	LS	6-3	240	10/23/1985	2	Hawaii	Mililani, Hawaii
77	Kaczur, Nick	T	6-4	315	7/28/1979	6	Toledo	Brantford, Ontario
	Koppen, Dan	C	6-2	296				Whitehall, Pa.
67		T			9/12/1979	8	Boston College	·
64	LeVoir, Mark	T	6-7	310	7/29/1982	4	Notre Dame	Eden Prairie, Minn.
72	Light, Matt		6-4	305	6/23/1978	10	Purdue	Greenville, Ohio
74	Love, Kyle	DL	6-1	310	11/18/1986	R	Mississippi State	Fairburn, Ga.
51	Mayo, Jerod	LB	6-1	245	2/23/1986	3	Tennessee	Hampton, Va.
32	McCourty, Devin	СВ	5-10	193	8/13/1987	R	Rutgers	Montvale, N.J.
31	Meriweather, Brandon	S P	5-11	200	1/14/1984	4	Miami (Fla.)	Apopka, Fla.
14	Mesko, Zoltan		6-5	231	3/16/1986	R	Michigan	Twinsburg, Ohio
34	Morris, Sammy	RB	6-0	220	3/23/1977	11	Texas Tech	San Antonio, Texas
61	Neal, Stephen	G	6-4	305	10/9/1976	9	Cal State-Bakersfield	San Diego, Calif.
50	Ninkovich, Rob	LB	6-2	255	2/1/1984	5	Purdue	Blue Island, III.
60	Ohrnberger, Rich	OL	6-2	300	2/14/1986	2	Penn State	East Meadow, N.Y.
69	Ojinnaka, Quinn	OL	6-5	295	4/23/1984	5	Syracuse	Seabrook, Md.
44	Page, Jarrad	S	6-0	225	10/19/1984	5	UCLA	San Leandro, Calif.
17	Price, Taylor	WR	6-0	205	10/8/1987	R	Ohio	Hilliard, Ohio
91	Pryor, Myron	DL	6-1	310	6/13/1986	2	Kentucky	Louisville, Ky.
36	Sanders, James	S	5-10	210	11/11/1983	6	Fresno State	Porterville, Calif.
18	Slater, Matthew	WR	6-0	200	9/9/1985	3	UCLA	Anaheim, Calif.
55	Spikes, Brandon	LB	6-2	250	9/3/1987	R	Florida	Shelby, N.C.
19	Tate, Brandon	WR	6-1	195	10/5/1987	2	North Carolina	Burlington, N.C.
21	Taylor, Fred	RB	6-1	228	1/27/1976	13	Florida	Belle Glade, Fla.
76	Vollmer, Sebastian	OL	6-8	315	7/10/1984	2	Houston	Kaarst, Germany
92	Warren, Gerard	DL	6-4	325	7/25/1978	10	Florida	Lake Butler, Fla.
83	Welker, Wes	WR	5-9	185	5/1/1981	7	Texas Tech	Oklahoma City, Okla.
62	Wendell, Ryan	С	6-2	290	3/4/1986	2	Fresno State	Diamond Bar, Calif.
22	Wheatley, Terrence	CB	5-9	185	5/5/1985	3	Colorado	Plano, Texas
58	White, Tracy	LB	6-0	230	4/14/1981	8	Howard	St. Stephen, S.C.
75	Wilfork, Vince	NT	6-2	325	11/4/1981	7	Miami (Fla.)	Boynton Beach, Fla.
24	Wilhite, Jonathan	СВ	5-11	185	2/23/1984	3	Auburn	Monroe, La.
39	Woodhead, Danny	RB	5-9	195	1/25/1985	3	Chadron State	North Platte, Ne.
99	Wright, Mike	DL	6-4	295	3/1/1982	6	Cincinnati	Cincinnati, Ohio
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#	NAME	POS
3	Stephen Gostkowski	K
8	Brian Hoyer	QB
11	Julian Edelman	WR
12	Tom Brady	QB
14	Zoltan Mesko	Р
17	Taylor Price	WR
18	Matthew Slater	WR
19	Brandon Tate	WR
21	Fred Taylor	RB
22	Terrence Wheatley	CB
24	Jonathan Wilhite	СВ
25	Patrick Chung	S
27	Kyle Arrington	СВ
28	Darius Butler	CB
31	Brandon Meriweather	S
32	Devin McCourty	СВ
34	Sammy Morris	RB
36	James Sanders	S
39	Danny Woodhead	RB
41	Thomas Clayton	RB
42	BenJarvus Green-Ellis	RB
44	Jarrad Page	S
47	Jake Ingram	LS
50	Rob Ninkovich	LB
51		LB
52	Jerod Mayo	
	Dane Fletcher	LB
55	Brandon Spikes	LB
58	Tracy White	LB
59	Gary Guyton	LB
60	Rich Ohrnberger	OL_
61	Stephen Neal	G
62	Ryan Wendell	С
63	Dan Connolly	OL
64	Mark LeVoir	T
67	Dan Koppen	С
69	Quinn Ojinnaka	OL
71	Brandon Deaderick	DL
72	Matt Light	Т
74	Kyle Love	DL
75	Vince Wilfork	NT
76	Sebastian Vollmer	OL
77	Nick Kaczur	Т
82	Alge Crumpler	TE
83	Wes Welker	WR
85	Aaron Hernandez	TE
87	Rob Gronkowski	TE
91	Myron Pryor	DL
92	Gerard Warren	DL
95	Tully Banta-Cain	LB
96	Jermaine Cunningham	LB
97	Ron Brace	DL
98	Shawn Crable	LB
OO	Miko Wright	DI

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#	NAME	POS	HT	WT	BORN	YR	COLLEGE	H.S. HOMETOWN
68	Austin, Thomas	OL	6-4	310	11/14/1986	R	Clemson	Camden, S.C.
38	Brown, Sergio	S	6-2	210	5/22/1988	R	Notre Dame	Maywood, Illinois
86	Butler, Carson	TE	6-4	260	8/21/1987	1	Michigan	Detroit, Mich.
29	Carter, Tony	CB	5-9	175	5/24/1986	2	Florida State	Jacksonville, Fla.
10	Jenkins, Darnell	WR	5-10	191	12/31/1982	1	Miami (Fla.)	Miami, Fla.
65	Maneri, Steve	Т	6-6	290	3/20/1988	R	Temple	Saddle Brook, N.J.
53	McKenzie, Tyrone	LB	6-2	245	12/11/1985	2	South Florida	Riverview, Fla.
5	Ratliff, Brett	QB	6-4	224	8/8/1985	3	Utah	Chico, Calif.

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Mike Wright

	FRACTICE 3QUAD									
#	NAME	POS								
5	Brett Ratliff	QB								
10	Darnell Jenkins	WR								
29	Tony Carter	CB								
38	Sergio Brown	S								
53	Tyrone McKenzie	LB								
65	Steve Maneri	T								
68	Thomas Austin	OL								
86	Carson Butler	TF								

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#	NAME	POS	HT	WT	BORN	YR	COLLEGE	H.S. HOMETOWN
	Barrett, Josh	S	6-2	225	11/22/1984	3	Arizona State	Reno, Nev.
23	Bodden, Leigh	CB	6-1	193	9/24/1981	8	Duquesne	Hyattsville, Md.
33	Faulk, Kevin	RB	5-8	202	6/5/1976	12	Louisiana State	Carencro, La.
26	Lockett, Bret	DB	6-1	220	10/7/1986	2	UCLA	Diamond Bar, Calif.
30	McGowan, Brandon	S	5-11	210	9/26/1983	6	Maine	Jersey City, N.J.
90	Richard, Darryl	DL	6-4	295	6/17/1986	1	Georgia Tech	Destrehan, La.
94	Warren, Ty	DL	6-5	300	2/6/1981	8	Texas A&M	Bryan, Texas
66	Weston, Kade	DL	6-5	315	11/29/1986	R	Georgia	Red Bank, N.J.

#### RESERVE/INJURED LIST

ĸ	RESERVE/INJURED LIST										
#	NAME	POS									
23	Leigh Bodden	CB									
26	Bret Lockett	DB									
30	Brandon McGowan	S									
33	Kevin Faulk	RB									
66	Kade Weston	DL									
90	Darryl Richard	DL									
94	Ty Warren	DL									
	Josh Barrett	S									

#### RESTRICTED FREE AGENT

#	NAME	POS	HT	WT	BORN	YR	COLLEGE	H.S. HOMETOWN
70	Mankins, Logan	G	6-4	310	3/10/1982	6	Fresno State	Catheys Valley, Calif.

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#	NAME	POS							
15	Tyree Barnes	WR							
15	Shun White	WR							
44	Fric Kettani	RB							

#### RESERVE/MILITARY LIST

#	NAME	POS	HT	WT	BORN	YR	COLLEGE	H.S. HOMETOWN
15	Barnes, Tyree	WR	6-0	196	4/15/1986	1	Navy	Hampton, Va.
44	Kettani, Eric	RB	5-11	235	3/26/1987	1	Navy	Kirtland, Ohio
15	White, Shun	WR	5-8	195	12/9/1985	1	Navy	Memphis, Tenn.

ASSISTANTS: Josh Boyer, Defensive Backs; Corwin Brown, Defensive Backs; Ivan Fears, Running Backs; Brian Ferentz, Offensive Assistant Coach;
Brian Flores, Assistant Coach Offense/Special Teams; Patrick Graham, Defensive Assistant Coach; Pepper Johnson, Defensive Line; Harold Nash, Assistant Strength and Conditioning; Bill O'Brien, Quarterbacks; Scott O'Brien, Special Teams; Chad O'Shea, Receivers; Matt Patricia, Linebackers; Dante Scarnecchia, Assistant Head Coach/Offensive Line; Mike Woicik, Strength and Conditioning



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#	NAME	POS	HT	WT	AGE	YR	COLLEGE	HOW ACQ.
3	Stephen Gostkowski	K	6-1	215	26	5	Memphis	D4b-06
8	Brian Hoyer	QB	6-2	215	24	2	Michigan State	FA-09
11	Julian Edelman	WR	5-10	198	24	2	Kent State	D7a-09
12	Tom Brady	QB	6-4	225	33	11	Michigan	D6b-00
14	Zoltan Mesko	Р	6-5	231	24	R	Michigan	D5-10
17	Taylor Price	WR	6-0	205	23	R	Ohio	D3-10
18	Matthew Slater	WR	6-0	200	25	3	UCLA	D5-08
19	Brandon Tate	WR	6-1	195	23	2	North Carolina	D3a-09
21	Fred Taylor	RB	6-1	228	34	13	Florida	FA(JAX)-09
22	Terrence Wheatley	СВ	5-9	185	25	3	Colorado	D2-08
24	Jonathan Wilhite	СВ	5-11	185	26	3	Auburn	D4-08
25	Patrick Chung	S	5-11	212	23	2	Oregon	D2a-09
27	Kyle Arrington	СВ	5-10	196	24	2	Hofstra	FA-09
28	Darius Butler	СВ	5-10	190	24	2	Connecticut	D2c-09
31	Brandon Meriweather	S	5-11	200	26	4	Miami (Fla.)	D1-07
32	Devin McCourty	СВ	5-10	193	23	R	Rutgers	D1-10
34	Sammy Morris	RB	6-0	220	33	11	Texas Tech	UFA(MIA)-07
36	James Sanders	S	5-10	210	26	6	Fresno State	D4-05
39	Danny Woodhead	RB	5-9	195	25	3	Chadron State	FA-10
41	Thomas Clayton	RB	5-11	220	26	2	Kansas State	FA-10
42	BenJarvus Green-Ellis	RB	5-11	215	25	3	Mississippi	FA-08
44	Jarrad Page	S	6-0	225	25	5	UCLA	TR(KC)-10
47	Jake Ingram	LS	6-3	240	24	2	Hawaii	D6a-09
50	Rob Ninkovich	LB	6-2	255	26	5	Purdue	FA-09
51	Jerod Mayo	LB	6-1	245	24	3	Tennessee	D1-08
52	Dane Fletcher	LB	6-2	244	24	R	Montana State	FA-10
55	Brandon Spikes	LB	6-2	250	23	R	Florida	D2c-10
58	Tracy White	LB	6-0	230	29	8	Howard	TR(PHI)-10
59	Gary Guyton	LB	6-3	245	24	3	Georgia Tech	FA-08
60	Rich Ohrnberger	OL	6-2	300	24	2	Penn State	D4-09
61	Stephen Neal	G	6-4	305	34	9	Cal State-Bakersfield	FA-01
62	Ryan Wendell	C	6-2	290	24	2	Fresno State	FA-08
63	Dan Connolly	OL	6-4	313	28	5	Southeast Missouri St.	FA(JAX)-08
64	Mark LeVoir	T	6-7	310	28	4	Notre Dame	CW(STL)-08
67	Dan Koppen	C	6-2	296	31	8	Boston College	D5-03
69	Quinn Ojinnaka	OL	6-5	295	26	5	Syracuse	TR(ATL)-10
71	Brandon Deaderick	DL	6-4	305	23	R	Alabama	D7b-10
72	Matt Light	T	6-4	305	32	10	Purdue	D2-01
74	Kyle Love	DL	6-1	310	23	R	Mississippi State	FA-10
75	Vince Wilfork	NT	6-2	325	28	7	Miami (Fla.)	D1a-04
76	Sebastian Vollmer	OL	6-8	315	26	2	Houston	D2d-09
77	Nick Kaczur	T	6-4	315	31	6	Toledo	D3b-05
82	Alge Crumpler	TE	6-2	275	32	10	North Carolina	FA(TEN)-10
83	Wes Welker	WR	5-9	185	32 29	7	Texas Tech	TR(MIA)-07
85	Aaron Hernandez	TE	6-1	245	20	, R	Florida	D4-10
87	Rob Gronkowski	TE	6-6	265	21	R	Arizona	D2a-10
91	Myron Pryor	DL	6-1	310	24	2	Kentucky	D6b-09
91	Gerard Warren	DL	6-4	325	32	10	Florida	FA(OAK)-10
	Tully Banta-Cain							FA(OAK)-10 FA(SF)-09
95 06	,	LB	6-2	250 260	30 22	8 D	California	` '
96 97	Jermaine Cunningham	LB	6-3	260	22	R	Florida  Poston College	D2b-10
	Ron Brace	DL	6-3	330		2	Boston College	D2b-09
98	Shawn Crable	LB	6-5	250	25	3	Michigan	D3a-08
99	Mike Wright	DL	6-4	295	28	6	Cincinnati	FA-05

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#	NAME	POS	HT	WT	AGE	YR	COLLEGE	HOW ACQ.
5	Brett Ratliff	QB	6-4	224	25	3	Utah	FA-10
10	Darnell Jenkins	WR	5-10	191	27	1	Miami (Fla.)	FA-09
29	Tony Carter	CB	5-9	175	24	2	Florida State	FA-10
38	Sergio Brown	S	6-2	210	22	R	Notre Dame	FA-10
53	Tyrone McKenzie	LB	6-2	245	24	2	South Florida	D3b-09
65	Steve Maneri	T	6-6	290	22	R	Temple	CW(HOU)-10
68	Thomas Austin	OL	6-4	310	23	R	Clemson	FA-10
86	Carson Butler	TE	6-4	260	23	1	Michigan	FA-10

#### RESERVE/INJURED LIST

#	NAME	POS	HT	WT	AGE	YR	COLLEGE	INJURY (IR date)
23	Leigh Bodden	CB	6-1	193	29	8	Duquesne	shoulder (8/31/10)
26	Bret Lockett	DB	6-1	220	24	2	UCLA	chest (8/31/10)
30	Brandon McGowan	S	5-11	210	27	6	Maine	chest (9/4/10)
33	Kevin Faulk	RB	5-8	202	34	12	Louisiana State	knee (9/22/10)
66	Kade Weston	DL	6-5	315	23	R	Georgia	abdomen (8/24/10)
90	Darryl Richard	DL	6-4	295	24	1	Georgia Tech	foot (8/31/10)
94	Ty Warren	DL	6-5	300	29	8	Texas A&M	hip (8/13/10)
	Josh Barrett	S	6-2	225	25	3	Arizona State	shoulder (8/31/10)

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#	NAME	POS	HT	WT	AGE	YR	COLLEGE	HOW ACQ.
70	Logan Mankins	G	6-4	310	28	6	Fresno State	D1-05

#### RESERVE/MILITARY LIST

#	NAME	POS	HT	WT	AGE	YR	COLLEGE	DATE
15	Tyree Barnes	WR	6-0	196	24	1	Navy	July, 23
15	Shun White	WR	5-8	195	24	1	Navy	August, 17
44	Eric Kettani	RB	5-11	235	23	1	Navy	July, 23



# 2010 Positional Roster

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#	NAME	POS	нт	WT	DEFENSE ( BORN	25) YR	COLLEGE	H.S. HOMETOWN
	ISIVE LINE (7)	F03		VVI	BORN	IIX	COLLEGE	11.3. HOWETOWN
97	Brace, Ron	DL	6-3	330	12/18/1986	2	Boston College	Worcester, Mass.
71	Deaderick, Brandon	DL	6-4	305	8/19/1987	R	Alabama	Elizabethtown, Ky.
74 91	Love, Kyle	DL DL	6-1	310	11/18/1986	R 2	Mississippi State Kentucky	Fairburn, Ga.
91	Pryor, Myron Warren, Gerard	DL	6-1 6-4	310 325	6/13/1986 7/25/1978	10	Florida	Louisville, Ky. Lake Butler, Fla.
75	Wilfork, Vince	NT	6-2	325	11/4/1981	7	Miami (Fla.)	Boynton Beach, Fla.
99	Wright, Mike	DL	6-4	295	3/1/1982	6	Cincinnati	Cincinnati, Ohio
	ACKER (9)							
95	Banta-Cain, Tully	LB	6-2	250	8/28/1980	8	California	Sunnyvale, Calif.
98	Crable, Shawn	LB	6-5	250	12/26/1984	3	Michigan	Massillon, Ohio
96 52	Cunningham, Jermaine Fletcher, Dane	LB LB	6-3 6-2	260 244	4/24/1988 9/14/1986	R R	Florida Montana State	Stone Mountain, Ga. Bozeman, Montana
59	Guyton, Gary	LB	6-3	245	11/14/1985	3	Georgia Tech	Hinesville, Ga.
51	Mayo, Jerod	LB	6-1	245	2/23/1986	3	Tennessee	Hampton, Va.
50	Ninkovich, Rob	LB	6-2	255	2/1/1984	5	Purdue	Blue Island, Ill.
55	Spikes, Brandon	LB	6-2	250	9/3/1987	R	Florida	Shelby, N.C.
58	White, Tracy	LB	6-0	230	4/14/1981	8	Howard	St. Stephen, S.C.
	ISIVE BACK (9)	CD	F 40	100	0/42/4006	2	11-61 -	Accelerate Mail
27 28	Arrington, Kyle	CB CB	5-10	196	8/12/1986	2	Hofstra	Accokeek, Md.
25	Butler, Darius Chung, Patrick	S	5-10 5-11	190 212	3/18/1986 8/19/1987	2	Connecticut Oregon	Ft. Lauderdale, Fla. Rancho Cucamonga, Calif.
32	McCourty, Devin	CB	5-10	193	8/13/1987	R	Rutgers	Montvale, N.J.
31	Meriweather, Brandon	S	5-10	200	1/14/1984	4	Miami (Fla.)	Apopka, Fla.
44	Page, Jarrad	S	6-0	225	10/19/1984	5	UCLA	San Leandro, Calif.
36	Sanders, James	S	5-10	210	11/11/1983	6	Fresno State	Porterville, Calif.
22	Wheatley, Terrence	CB	5-9	185	5/5/1985	3	Colorado	Plano, Texas
24	Wilhite, Jonathan	CB	5-11	185	2/23/1984	3	Auburn	Monroe, La.
	NAME	DOC	ш	MAT	OFFENSE (		COLLECE	H C HOMETOWN
# OFFEN	ISIVE LINE (10)	POS	HT	WT	BORN	YR	COLLEGE	H.S. HOMETOWN
63	Connolly, Dan	OL	6-4	313	9/2/1982	5	Southeast Missouri St.	St. Louis, Mo.
77	Kaczur, Nick	T	6-4	315	7/28/1979	6	Toledo	Brantford, Ontario
67	Koppen, Dan	Ċ	6-2	296	9/12/1979	8	Boston College	Whitehall, Pa.
64	LeVoir, Mark	Т	6-7	310	7/29/1982	4	Notre Dame	Eden Prairie, Minn.
72	Light, Matt	Т	6-4	305	6/23/1978	10	Purdue	Greenville, Ohio
61	Neal, Stephen	G	6-4	305	10/9/1976	9	Cal State-Bakersfield	San Diego, Calif.
60	Ohrnberger, Rich	OL	6-2	300	2/14/1986	2	Penn State	East Meadow, N.Y.
69	Ojinnaka, Quinn	OL	6-5	295	4/23/1984	5	Syracuse	Seabrook, Md.
76	Vollmer, Sebastian	OL	6-8	315	7/10/1984	2	Houston	Kaarst, Germany
62	Wendell, Ryan	С	6-2	290	3/4/1986	2	Fresno State	Diamond Bar, Calif.
12	TERBACK (2) Brady, Tom	QB	6-4	225	8/3/1977	11	Michigan	San Mateo, Calif.
8	Hoyer, Brian	QB	6-2	215	10/13/1985	2	Michigan State	North Olmsted, Ohio
	RECEIVER (5)	ν-			,,			,
11	Edelman, Julian	WR	5-10	198	5/22/1986	2	Kent State	Redwood City, Calif.
17	Price, Taylor	WR	6-0	205	10/8/1987	R	Ohio	Hilliard, Ohio
18	Slater, Matthew	WR	6-0	200	9/9/1985	3	UCLA	Anaheim, Calif.
19	Tate, Brandon	WR	6-1	195	10/5/1987	2	North Carolina	Burlington, N.C.
83	Welker, Wes	WR	5-9	185	5/1/1981	7	Texas Tech	Oklahoma City, Okla.
	ING BACK (5)	DD	E 11	220	4/26/1004	2	Vancas State	Alexandria Va
41 42	Clayton, Thomas Green-Ellis, BenJarvus	RB RB	5-11 5-11	220 215	4/26/1984 7/2/1985	2	Kansas State Mississippi	Alexandria, Va. New Orleans, La.
34	Morris, Sammy	RB	6-0	220	3/23/1977	11	Texas Tech	San Antonio, Texas
21	Taylor, Fred	RB	6-1	228	1/27/1976	13	Florida	Belle Glade, Fla.
39	Woodhead, Danny	RB	5-9	195	1/25/1985	3	Chadron State	North Platte, Ne.
TIGHT	END (3)							
82	Crumpler, Alge	TE	6-2	275	12/23/1977	10	North Carolina	Wilmington, N.C.
87	Gronkowski, Rob	TE	6-6	265	5/14/1989	R	Arizona	Pittsburgh, Pa.
85	Hernandez, Aaron	TE	6-1	245	11/6/1989	R	Florida	Bristol, Conn.
	NAME	DOS	шт	WE	SPECIALIST		COLLEGE	U.S. HOMETOWN
# SPECI	NAME ALISTS (3)	POS	HT	WT	BORN	YR	COLLEGE	H.S. HOMETOWN
3	Gostkowski, Stephen	K	6-1	215	1/28/1984	5	Memphis	Madison, Miss.
47	Ingram, Jake	LS	6-3	240	10/23/1985	2	Hawaii	Mililani, Hawaii
14	Mesko, Zoltan	P	6-5	231	3/16/1986	R	Michigan	Twinsburg, Ohio
					RESERVE/INJU		3)	
#	NAME	POS	HT	WT	BORN	YR	COLLEGE	H.S. HOMETOWN
RESER	RVE/INJURED (8)	_			44.6	_		
	Barrett, Josh	S	6-2	225	11/22/1984	3	Arizona State	Reno, Nev.
23 33	Bodden, Leigh	CB RB	6-1 5-8	193 202	9/24/1981 6/5/1976	8 12	Duquesne Louisiana State	Hyattsville, Md. Carencro, La.
26	Faulk, Kevin Lockett, Bret	DB	5-8 6-1	202	10/7/1986	2	UCLA	Carencro, La. Diamond Bar, Calif.
30	McGowan, Brandon	S	5-11	210	9/26/1983	6	Maine	Jersey City, N.J.
90	Richard, Darryl	DL	6-4	295	6/17/1986	1	Georgia Tech	Destrehan, La.
94	Warren, Ty	DL	6-5	300	2/6/1981	8	Texas A & M	Bryan, Texas
66	Weston, Kade	DL	6-5	315	11/29/1986	R	Georgia	Red Bank, N.J.
				RES	TRICTED FREE	AGEN		
#	NAME	POS	HT	WT	BORN	YR	COLLEGE	H.S. HOMETOWN
70	Mankins, Logan	G	6-4	310	3/10/1982	6	Fresno State	Catheys Valley, Calif.
					ESERVE/MILIT			
#	NAME	POS	HT	WT	BORN	YR	COLLEGE	H.S. HOMETOWN
RESEF 15	RVE/MILITARY (3)	WR	6-0	196	4/15/1986	1	Navy	Hampton, Va.
44	Barnes, Tyree Kettani, Eric	RB	5-11	235	3/26/1987	1	Navy	Hampton, va. Kirtland, Ohio
15	White, Shun	WR	5-8	195	12/9/1985	1	Navy	Memphis, Tenn.



# **HOW THE PATRIOTS WERE BUILT**

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<u>YEAR</u> 2000			WAIVERS (1) / TRADES (4)	ROOKIE AND FIRST-YEAR <u>FREE AGENTS (9)</u>		
2001	Matt Light (2)			Stephen Neal (fa)		
2003	Dan Koppen (5)					
2004	Vince Wilfork (1a)					
2005	Nick Kaczur (3b) James Sanders (4)			Mike Wright (fa)		
2006	Stephen Gostkowski (4b)					
2007	Brandon Meriweather (1)	Sammy Morris (5)(MIA)	Wes Welker (fa)(tr-MIA)			
2008	Jerod Mayo (1) Terrence Wheatley (2) Shawn Crable (3a) Jonathan Wilhite (4) Matthew Slater (5)	Dan Connolly (fa)(JAX)	Mark LeVoir (fa) CW (STL)	BenJarvus Green-Ellis (fa) Gary Guyton (fa)		
2009	Patrick Chung (2a) Ron Brace (2b) Darius Butler (2c) Sebastian Vollmer (2d) Brandon Tate (2a) Rich Ohrnberger (4) Jake Ingram (6a) Myron Pryor (6b) Julian Edelman (7a)	Tully Banta-Cain (7)(SF) Rob Ninkovich (fa)(NO) Fred Taylor (1)(JAX)		Kyle Arrington (fa) (PHI) Brian Hoyer (fa) Ryan Wendell (fa)		
2010	D Devin McCourty (1) Rob Gronkowski (2a) Jermaine Cunningham (2b) Brandon Spikes (2c) Taylor Price (3) Aaron Hernandez (4) Zoltan Mesko (5) Brandon Deaderick (7b)	Thomas Clayton (6)(SF) Alge Crumpler (2)(TEN) )Gerard Warren (1)(OAK) Danny Woodhead (fa)(NYJ)	Quinn Ojinnaka (5) (tr-ATL) Jarrad Page (7) (tr-KC) Tracy White (fa) (tr-PHI)	Dane Fletcher (fa) Kyle Love (fa)		
	RESTRICTED FREE AGENT (1) Logan Mankins (1)  NOTE: Team in parenthesis is the player's prior team (#) – indicates round drafted (fa) – indicates non-drafted free agents		RESERVE/INJURED (8) Josh Barrett Leigh Bodden Kevin Faulk Bret Lockett Brandon McGowan Darryl Richard Ty Warren Kade Weston	RESERVE/MILITARY (3) Tyree Barnes (fa) Eric Kettani (fa) Shun White (fa)		



# **2010 TRANSACTIONS**

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JANUARY, 20	10		JULY, 2010		
1/13/2010	Agnone, Robbie	Signed	7/12/2010	Deaderick, Brandon	Signed/Draft Choice
1/13/2010	Davis, Bruce	Signed	7/21/2010	Weston, Kade	Signed/Draft Choice
1/13/2010	Grady, Adrian	Signed	7/21/2010	Robinson, Zac	Signed/Draft Choice
1/13/2010	Jenkins, Darnell	Signed	7/25/2010	Gronkowski, Rob	Signed/Draft Choice
1/13/2010	Myers, Rob	Signed	7/25/2010	Cunningham, Jermaine	Signed/Draft Choice
1/13/2010	Richard, Darryl	Signed	7/27/2010	Spikes, Brandon	Signed/Draft Choice
1/13/2010	Rowe, Jeff	Signed	7/28/2010	McCourty, Devin	Signed/Draft Choice
			7/28/2010	Crable, Shawn	Released
FEBRUARY, 2			7/29/2010	Burgess, Derrick	Placed on reserve/DNR
2/22/2010	Wilfork, Vince	Designated Franchsie Player	7/31/2010	Patten, David	Retired
2/24/2010	Patten, David	Signed	ALIGUET OF	140	
MADOU 2010	•		8/2/2010		Cianad
MARCH, 2010	Mankins, Logan	Tandarad contract		Butler, Carson	Signed
3/4/2010	Gostkowski, S.	Tendered contract Tendered contract	8/2/2010 8/4/2010	Owens, Rod Ghiaciuc, Eric	signed Signed
3/4/2010	Woods, Pierre	Tendered contract	8/4/2010	Wise, John	Released
3/4/2010	Baker, Chris	Released	8/6/2010	Barrett, Josh	Claimed off waivers from Denver
3/5/2010	Banta-Cain, Tully	Re-signed	8/6/2010	Clayton, Thomas	Released
3/9/2010	Wilfork, Vince	Re-signed	8/9/2010	Stapleton, Darnell	Signed
3/9/2010	Neal, Stephen	Re-signed	8/9/2010	Willingham, DeAngelo	Signed
3/11/2010	Faulk, Kevin	Re-signed	8/9/2010	Grady, Adrian	Released
3/12/2010	Bodden, Leigh	Re-signed	8/9/2010	Farnham, Buddy	Released
3/12/2010	Murrell, Margues	Signed	8/11/2010	Clayton, Thomas	Signed
3/24/2010	Crumpler, Alge	Signed	8/11/2010	Stapleton, Darnell	Released
5,2.,2525	orampier, ruge	5.9.104	8/13/2010	Burgess, Derrick	Reinstated to roster from reserve/DNR
APRIL, 2010			8/13/2010	Warren, Ty	Placed on Reserve/Injured (hip)
4/10/2010	Lewis, Damione	Signed	8/15/2010	Farnham, Buddy	Signed
4/14/2010	King, David	Signed	8/15/2010	Simmons, Brian	Signed
4/20/2010	Holt, Torry	Signed	8/15/2010	Holt, Torry	Placed on Reserve/Injured (knee)
4/21/2010	Gordon, Amon	Signed	8/20/2010	Ventrone, Ross	Released
4/22/2010	McCourty, Devin	Drafted	8/23/2010	Ojinnaka, Quinn	Acquired via trade (ATL)
4/23/2010	Gronkowski, Rob	Drafted	8/23/2010	Ventrone, Ross	Signed
4/23/2010	Cunningham, J.	Drafted	8/23/2010	Weston, Kade	Released
4/23/2010	Spikes, Brandon	Drafted	8/23/2010	Johnson, Terrence	Released
4/23/2010	Price, Taylor	Drafted	8/24/2010	Weston, Kade	Placed on Reserve/Injured (abdomen)
4/24/2010	Hernandez, Aaron	Drafted	8/29/2010	Johnson, Terrence	Signed
4/24/2010	Mesko, Zoltan	Drafted	8/29/2010	Simmons, Brian	Released
4/24/2010	Larsen, Ted	Drafted	8/31/2010	Barrett, Josh	Placed on Reserve/Injured (shoulder)
4/24/2010	Welch, Thomas	Drafted	8/31/2010	Bodden, Leigh	Placed on Reserve/Injured (shoulder)
4/24/2010	Deaderick, Brandon	Drafted	8/31/2010	Lockett, Bret	Placed on Reserve/Injured (chest)
4/24/2010	Weston, Kade	Drafted	8/31/2010	Richard, Darryl	Placed on Reserve/Injured (foot)
4/24/2010	Robinson, Zac	Drafted	8/31/2010	Johnson, Terrence	Released
4/24/2010	Warren, Gerard	Signed			
4/26/2010	Thomas, Adalius	Released	SEPTEMBER	2, 2010	
4/29/2010	Anderson, Bryan	Signed	9/3/2010	Ghiaciuc, Erci	Released
4/29/2010	Brown, Sergio	Signed	9/3/2010	Lewis, Damione	Released
4/29/2010	Fletcher, Dane	Signed	9/4/2010	Aiken, Sam	Released
4/29/2010	Johnson, Terrence	Signed	9/4/2010	Alexander, Eric	Released
4/29/2010	Love, Kyle	Signed	9/4/2010	Brown, Sergio	Released
4/29/2010	Paschall, Pat	Signed	9/4/2010	Burgess, Derrick	Released
4/29/2010	Ventrone, Ross	Signed	9/4/2010	Bussey, George	Released
4/29/2010	Wise, John	Signed	9/4/2010	Butler, Carson	Released
MAY 2010			9/4/2010	Clayton, Thomas Farnham, Buddy	Released
MAY, 2010	Farnham Buddy	Cignod	9/4/2010 9/4/2010	Jenkins, Darnell	Released Released
5/3/2010 5/10/2010	Farnham, Buddy Taylor, Chris	Signed Signed	9/4/2010	Larsen, Ted	Released
5/18/2010	Larsen, Ted	Signed/Draft Choice	9/4/2010	Myers, Rob	Released
5/18/2010	Springs, Shawn	Released	9/4/2010	Ohrnberger, Rich	Released
5/21/2010	Agnone, Robbie	Released	9/4/2010	Owens, Rod	Released
5/21/2010	Rowe, Jeff	Released	9/4/2010	Robinson, Zac	Released
5/24/2010	Teel, Mike	Claimed off Waivers (Seattle)	9/4/2010	Taylor, Chris	Released
5/25/2010	Price, Taylor	Signed/Draft Choice	9/4/2010	Ventrone, Ross	Released
5/27/2010	Burgess, Derrick	Re-signed	9/4/2010	Welch, Thomas	Released
5/27/2010	Davis, Bruce	Released	9/4/2010	Williams, Thomas	Released
5/27/2010	Stanback, Isaiah	Released	9/4/2010	Willingham, DeAngelo	Released
0,=:,====			9/4/2010	Woods, Pierre	Released
JUNE, 2010			9/4/2010	McGowan, Brandon	Placed on Reserve/Injured (chest)
6/4/2010	Welch, Thomas	Signed/Draft Choice	9/5/2010	Page, Jarrad	Acquired via trade (KC)
6/8/2010	Hernandez, Aaron	Signed/Draft Choice	9/5/2010	White, Tracy	Acquired via trade (PHI)
6/10/2010	Gordon, Amon	Released	9/5/2010	Maneri, Steve	Claimed off waivers from Houston
6/11/2010	Clayton, Thomas	Signed	9/5/2010	McKenzie, Tyrone	Released
6/11/2010	Anderson, Bryan	Released	9/6/2010	Brown, Sergio	Signed to the practice squad
6/11/2010	King, David	Released	9/6/2010	Crable, Shawn	Signed to the practice squad
6/11/2010	Teel, Mike	Released	9/6/2010	Jenkins, Darnell	Signed to the practice squad
6/16/2010	Mesko, Zoltan	Signed/Draft Choice	9/6/2010	Ohrnberger, Rich	Signed to the practice squad
6/24/2010	Paschall, Pat	Released			

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9/6/2010	James, Javarris	Signed to the practice squad
9/6/2010	Mastrud, Jeron	Signed to the practice squad
9/7/2010	Carter, Tony	Signed to the practice squad
9/7/2010	McKenzie, Tyrone	Signed to the practice squad
9/7/2010	Miller, Prince	Signed to the practice squad
9/7/2010	Mastrud, Jeron	Released from the practice squad
9/13/2010	Murrell, Marques	Released
9/14/2010	Maroney, Laurence	Traded to Denver
9/15/2010	Miller, Prince	Signed by Baltimore
9/18/2010	Woodhead, Danny	Signed
9/21/2010	Butler, Carson	Signed to the practice squad
9/22/1010	) Faulk, Kevin	Placed on Reserve/Injured (knee)
9/25/2010	Crable, Shawn	Signed from the practice squad
9/27/2010	Maneri, Steve	Released
9/29/2010	Ohrnberger, Rich	Signed from the practice squad
9/29/2010	Austin, Thomas	Signed to the practice squad
9/29/2010	Maneri, Steve	Signed to the practice squad
9/30/2010	Clayton, Thomas	Signed from the CLE practice squad
9/30/2010	Ojinnaka, Quinn	Released

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10/5/2010	James, Javarris	Released from the practice squad
10/6/2010	Moss, Randy	Traded to Minnesota
10/7/2010	Ojinnaka, Quinn	Signed
10/7/2010	Ratliff, Brett	Signed to the practice squad



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WR:	83 Wes Welker	OFFE 11 Julian Edelman	NSE	
LT:	72 Matt Light	64 Mark LeVoir		
LG:	63 Dan Connolly	60 Rich Ohrnberger	*70 Logan Mankins	
C:	67 Dan Koppen	62 Ryan Wendell	, c _ogaa	
RG:	61 Stephen Neal	69 Quinn Ojinnka		
RT:	76 Sebastian Vollmer	64 Mark LeVoir	77 Nick Kaczur	
TE:	82 Alge Crumpler	87 Rob Gronkowski	85 Aaron Hernandez	
	19 Brandon Tate	18 Matthew Slater	17 Taylor Price	
QB:	12 Tom Brady	8 Brian Hoyer		
RB:	21 Fred Taylor	42 BenJarvus Green-Ellis	41 Thomas Clayton	
RB:	34 Sammy Morris	39 Danny Woodhead  DEFE	NSE	
LE:	92 Gerard Warren	91 Myron Pryor		
NT:	75 Vince Wilfork	97 Ron Brace	74 Kyle Love	
RE:	99 Mike Wright	71 Brandon Deaderick		
OLB	95 Tully Banta-Cain	96 Jermaine Cunningham	52 Dane Fletcher	
ILB:	51 Jerod Mayo	58 Tracy White		
ILB:	55 Brandon Spikes	59 Gary Guyton		
OLB	50 Rob Ninkovich	98 Shawn Crable		
LCB:	28 Darius Butler	22 Terrence Wheatley		
RCB	32 Devin McCourty	24 Jonathan Wilhite	27 Kyle Arrington	
S	31 Brandon Meriweather	5		
S	25 Patrick Chung	36 James Sanders SPECIAL	TEAMS	
K:	3 Stephen Gostkowski	14 Zoltan Mesko	TEAMS	
P:	14 Zoltan Mesko	3 Stephen Gostkowski		
H:	14 Zoltan Mesko	8 Brian Hoyer		
PR:	11 Julian Edelman	19 Brandon Tate		
KR:	19 Brandon Tate	18 Matthew Slater	34 Sammy Morris	
LS:	47 Jake Ingram	PRONUNCIAT	TON GUIDE	
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