

DENVER BRONCOS NEWS RELEASE

Week 16 • Denver (8-6) at Tennessee (4-10) • The Coliseum • 7:30 p.m. (CST)



BRONCOS LOOK TO REBOUND AFTER LOSS AT K.C.; TRAVEL TO TENNESSEE ON CHRISTMAS NIGHT

Kansas City racked up 410 total yards, including 162 rushing and defeated the Broncos 45-17 at Arrowhead Stadium Sunday. The Chiefs' Dante Hall took the game's opening kickoff 97 yards for a touchdown, and Kansas City was able to roll from there. Running back Larry Johnson scored on a 5-yard run to give Kansas City a 14-0 lead, before Rod Smith scored on a 22-yard touchdown pass from Jake Plummer. In the second quarter, Denver was driving, but Plummer threw his first of two interceptions on the game, and the Chiefs capitalized with a 7-yard touchdown by Eddie Kennison and a 21-7 lead. Denver was unable to recover, and now sit at 8-6 on the year. Smith led the Broncos with six catches for 75 yards, and reached 700 career receptions (the 20th player in NFL history to reach that number), and moved into 20th place all-time in NFL history in receptions.

In Week 16, Denver takes to the road for the final time in 2004 when they face Tennessee on Christmas night. Kickoff for the game is set for 7:30 p.m. (CST) at The Coliseum. The game will be the 32nd meeting between the franchises dating back to 1960, but it will be the first meeting between the teams since Tennessee moved from Houston in 1996. The franchise was the Houston Oilers from 1960 to 1996, was the Tennessee Oilers from 1997 to 1998, before adopting the Titans moniker.

RADIO/TELEVISION at TENNESSEE

The Broncos and the Titans play in front of a national television audience on Christmas night. The game will be broadcast on ESPN's *Sunday Night Football*, and locally on KUSA-TV (NBC-Channel 9). **Mike Patrick** will provide the play-by-play, and joining him in the booth will be **Joe Theismann** and **Paul Maguire** doing the color commentary. **Suzy Kolber** will be on the sidelines.

For the 35th consecutive year, KOA radio (850) is the flagship station for the Denver Broncos radio network, and every game this season will be broadcast. **Dave Logan** and **Scott Hastings** will provide the play-by-play and color commentary respectively, with **Alan Roach** on the sidelines. The Broncos radio network extends to nine states, and the KOA pregame show, hosted by **Mike Rice**, begins two hours prior to kickoff.

The game will also be broadcast in Spanish on KBNO radio (1280). **Milo Sanchez** will do the play-by-play, with **Luke Sandoval** adding color commentary.

Westwood One/CBS Radio will provide a national radio broadcast. The team includes **Ted Robinson** with the call and **Neil O'Donnell** by his side. **Jeff Bostic** will be at field level.

2004 AFC WEST STANDINGS

Team	W	L	T	PF	PA	Home	Road	AFC	NFC	DIV	Streak
y - S.D.	11	3	0	391	262	6-1	5-2	8-2	3-1	4-1	W 8
Denver	8	6	0	311	274	5-2	3-4	5-5	3-1	3-3	L 1
K.C.	6	8	0	435	381	3-4	3-4	5-5	1-3	2-2	W 3
Oakland	5	9	0	284	398	3-4	2-5	3-7	2-2	1-4	W 1

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The Denver Broncos have a media-only website, which was created to assist accredited media in their coverage of the Broncos. By going to www.DenverBroncos.com/Mediaroom, members of the press will find complete statistical packages, press releases, rosters, updated player and coach bios, the 2004 Broncos Media Guide, game recaps and much more. Feature clippings are also available as one complete packet, and broken down individually by player and coach. Game clippings will also be posted weekly throughout the season. In addition, there is a password-protected photo section where media members can download high-resolution headshots and action shots, which will be updated after every game. Get a username and password by sending a request to photos@broncos.nfl.com.

The files are posted in .pdf format, and require Adobe's Acrobat Reader to access them. If you do not have a copy of Acrobat Reader, a free version can be downloaded from the Mediaroom.

Members of the media will also find a new feature in 2004. The Denver Broncos have created a complete archive of game books and flip cards for every regular-season and preseason game in franchise history. This searchable database is found on www.DenverBroncos.com/mediaroom.

DENVER BRONCOS 2004 SCHEDULE

Wk	Day	Date	Opponent	Site	Time/Res.	TV/Record
1	Sun.	Sept. 12	KANSAS CITY	INVESCO Field at Mile High	W 34-24	1-0
2	Sun.	Sept. 19	at Jacksonville	ALLTEL Stadium	L 6-7	1-1
3	Sun.	Sept. 26	SAN DIEGO	INVESCO Field at Mile High	W 23-13	2-1
4	Sun.	Oct. 3	at Tampa Bay	Raymond James Stadium	W 16-13	3-1
5	Sun.	Oct. 10	CAROLINA	INVESCO Field at Mile High	W 20-17	4-1
6	Sun.	Oct. 17	at Oakland	Network Associates Coliseum	W 31-3	5-1
7	Mon.	Oct. 25	at Cincinnati	Paul Brown Stadium	L 10-23	5-2
8	Sun.	Oct. 31	ATLANTA	INVESCO Field at Mile High	L 28-41	5-3
9	Sun.	Nov. 7	HOUSTON	INVESCO Field at Mile High	W 31-13	6-3
10			BYE WEEK			
11	Sun.	Nov. 21	at New Orleans	Louisiana Superdome	W 34-13	7-3
12	Sun.	Nov. 28	OAKLAND	INVESCO Field at Mile High	L 24-25	7-4
13	Sun.	Dec. 5	at San Diego	Qualcomm Stadium	L 17-20	7-5
14	Sun.	Dec. 12	MIAMI	INVESCO Field at Mile High	W 20-17	8-5
15	Sun.	Dec. 19	at Kansas City	Arrowhead Stadium	L 17-45	8-6
16	Sat.	Dec. 25	at Tennessee	The Coliseum	7:30 p.m. CST	ESPN
17	Sun.	Jan. 2	INDIANAPOLIS	INVESCO Field at Mile High	2:15 p.m. MST	CBS

**DENVER BRONCOS MEDIA SCHEDULE
at TENNESSEE • DEC. 25, 2004**

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WE WILL NOTIFY THE MEDIA OF ANY CHANGES AS SOON AS POSSIBLE.

Tuesday, Dec. 21:

11:50 a.m. Jake Plummer Press Conference
12:15 p.m. Mike Shanahan Press Conference
12:15-1 p.m. Broncos Locker Room Open to Media
1:30-1:40 p.m. Practice open to Media
(local photography only)
Post-Practice Coach Shanahan Available
(local media only)

Wednesday, Dec. 22:

10:45 a.m. Billy Volek Conference Call
11 a.m. Jeff Fisher Conference Call
11:50-12 p.m. Practice open to Media
(local photography only)
Approx. 1:50 p.m. Coach Shanahan Available
(local media only)
Approx. 2:30 p.m. Broncos Locker Room Open to Media

Thursday, Dec. 23:

11:45-11:55 a.m. Practice open to Media
(local photography only)
Approx. 1:15 p.m. Coach Shanahan Available
(local media only)

WEEK 16 IN THE NFL

Friday, Dec. 24 **FOX-TV National Weekend**
Green Bay at Minnesota (FOX) 2:00p (CT)
Saturday, Dec. 25
Oakland at Kansas City (CBS) 4:00p (CT)
Denver at Tennessee (ESPN) 7:30p (CT)
Sunday, Dec. 26
New York Giants at Cincinnati 1:00p (ET)
Chicago at Detroit 1:00p (ET)
San Diego at Indianapolis 1:00p (ET)
Houston at Jacksonville 1:00p (ET)
Atlanta at New Orleans 12:00p (CT)
Baltimore at Pittsburgh 1:00p (ET)
Carolina at Tampa Bay 1:00p (ET)
New England at New York Jets 4:05p (ET)
Buffalo at San Francisco 1:05p (PT)
Washington at Dallas 3:15p (CT)
Arizona at Seattle 1:15p (PT)
Cleveland at Miami (ESPN) 8:30p (ET)
Monday, Dec. 27
Philadelphia at St. Louis (ABC) 8:00p (CT)

THE SERIES vs. TENNESSEE

Saturday's game will be the 32nd meeting between the franchises dating back to 1960, but it will be the first meeting between the teams since Tennessee moved from Houston in 1996. The franchise was the Houston Oilers from 1960 to 1996, was the Tennessee Oilers from 1997 to 1998, before adopting the Titans moniker. The Titans lead the all-time series 20-11-1 (.641) and Denver is 7-7-1 (.500) at home and 4-13 (.235) on the road. Under Head Coach Mike Shanahan, the Broncos are 0-1 against their franchise, having lost at Houston 42-33 in 1995.

BRONCOS/TITANS SERIES BREAKDOWN

First Game: Houston 45, at Denver 25 (11/6/60)
Last Game: at Houston 42, Denver 33 (11/26/95)
Current Streak: Tennessee has won one
Longest Streak: Tennessee won five from 1962 to 1964
Last Broncos' Home Win: at Denver 27, Houston 21 (10/18/92)
Last Broncos' Home Loss: Houston 40, at Denver 10 (10/4/87)
Last Broncos' Road Win: Denver 26, at Houston 14 (10/9/83)
Last Broncos Road Loss: at Houston 42, Denver 33 (11/26/95)

BRONCOS/TITANS ALL-TIME RESULTS

(Houston Oilers 1960-96)	1972—@Denver 30, Houston 17
(Tennessee Oilers 1997-98)	1973—Denver 48, @Houston 20
1960—Houston 45, @Denver 25	1974—@Denver 37, Houston 14
1960—@Houston 20, Denver 10	1976—@Houston 17, Denver 3
1961—Houston 55, @Denver 14	1977—Denver 24, @Houston 14
1961—@Houston 45, Denver 14	1979—@Houston 13, Denver 7*
1962—@Denver 20, Houston 10	1980—Houston 20, @Denver 16
1962—@Houston 34, Denver 17	1983—Denver 26, @Houston 14
1963—@Houston 20, Denver 14	1985—@Denver 31, Houston 20
1963—Houston 33, @Denver 24	1987—Houston 40, @Denver 10
1964—Houston 38, @Denver 17	1987—@Denver 34, Houston 10**
1964—@Houston 34, Denver 15	1991—@Houston 42, Denver 14
1965—@Denver 28, Houston 17	1991—@Denver 26, Houston 24**
1965—Denver 31, @Houston 21	1992—@Denver 27, Houston 21
1966—@Houston 45, Denver 7	1995—@Houston 42, Denver 33
1966—@Denver 40, Houston 38	*AFC Wild Card Playoff
1967—@Houston 10, Denver 6	**AFC Divisional Playoff
1967—Houston 20, @Denver 18	Titans lead series 20-11-1
1968—@Houston 38, Denver 17	(Home: 7-7-1 / Away: 4-13)
1969—@Houston 24, Denver 21	
1969—@Denver 20, Houston 20	
1970—@Houston 31, Denver 21	Postseason: Broncos lead 2-1
	(Home: 2-0 / Away: 0-1)

BRONCOS/TITANS SKINNY

	BRONCOS	TITANS
Record	8-6	4-10
Division Standing	2nd (AFCW)	4th (AFCS)
NFL Offensive Ranking	5th	8th
Offense-Points Per Game	22.2	21.7
Possession Average	31:47	32:47
Total Net Yards Per Game	384.5	358.7
Net Rushing Yards Per Game	137.8	122.6
Net Passing Yards Per Game	246.7	236.1
Had Intercepted/Yards Lost	19/319	17/281
Sacks Allowed/Yards Lost	15/86	38/274
Field Goals/FGA	22/26	15/22
NFL Defensive Ranking	7th	21st
Defense-Points Per Game	19.6	27.4
Defense-Total Net Yards Per Game	293.3	342.4
Defense-Rushing Yards Per Game	101.4	115.8
Defense-Passing Yards Per Game	191.9	226.6
Defense-Intercepted by/Yards	10/150	16/217
Defense-Sacks For/Yards	31/215	30/205

Punts-Average Yards (Gross).....	40.5	43.4
Punts-Average Yards (Net).....	34.0	38.0
Punt Returns-Average Per	9.0	4.6
Punt Returns-Average Per Allowed	9.3	6.6
Kickoff Returns-Average Per.....	20.7	19.8
Kickoff Returns-Average Per Allowed	24.4	20.0
Penalties Against/Yards.....	89/810	100/857
Fumbles/Lost.....	20/8	32/12
Opponent Fumbles/Lost.....	21/7	20/10
Turnover Ratio.....	-10	-3

NOTABLE PERFORMANCES VS. TENNESSEE

**Please refer to player game-by-game charts vs. Tenn. in the statistics section for a more detailed analysis. **

• CB CHAMP BAILEY

Tallied six tackles (5 solo) along with one interception at Tenn. 10/6/02 for the Redskins. In only other career game against the Titans, made one tackle (solo) vs. Tenn. 10/30/00 for the Redskins.

• LB PATRICK CHUKWURAH

Forced a fumble in a one-tackle (solo) game vs. Tenn. 12/9/01 for the Vikings in his only career game against the Titans.

• DE MARCO COLEMAN

Registered four tackles (3 solo) vs. Tenn. 10/30/00 for the Redskins. Also started vs. the Houston Oilers 11/22/92 for the Dolphins. In five career games (5 starts) vs. Tenn. and the Houston Oilers, has eight tackles (7 solo).

• K JASON ELAM

In his only career game vs. Tenn., connected on 2-of-3 field goals, including a 56-yarder, at the Houston Oilers 11/26/95.

• DT LUTHER ELLISS

Made a tackle (assisted) at the Houston Oilers 12/10/95 for the Lions. Appeared in a game vs. Tenn. 10/21/01 for the Lions.

• RB GARRISON HEARST

Ran for 90 yds. on 15 carries (6.0 avg.) vs. the Houston Oilers 10/6/96 for the Bengals. Posted a 36-yd. run in a three-carry, 56-yd. (18.7 avg.) day at the Houston Oilers 12/6/94 for the Cardinals. In three career games (2 starts) vs. the Houston Oilers, rushed 29 times for 170 yds. (5.9 avg.) and caught one pass for eight yards.

• DT DARIUS HOLLAND

In a start vs. Tenn. 11/28/99, totaled four tackles (3 solo) two passes defended and a forced fumble for the Browns. In four career games (1 starts) vs. Tenn., recorded nine tackles (2 solo), one forced fumble and three passes defended.

• DE RAYLEE JOHNSON

Appeared in two games vs. Tenn., including a game vs. the Houston Oilers 9/19/93, and totaled one career tackle (solo) for the Chargers.

• DT ELLIS JOHNSON

Started the AFC Divisional Playoff game vs. Tenn. 1/16/00 and made four tackles (1 solo) for the Colts. In his only other game vs. Tenn. 11/23/03, made three tackles (1 solo) for the Falcons.

• QB DANNY KANELL

Completed 18-of-29 passes (62.1%) with two touchdowns and two interceptions at Tenn. 12/19/99 for the Giants.

• S JOHN LYNCH

Made 12 tackles (11 solo) at Tenn. 10/14/01 for the Buccaneers. Broke up two passes and recorded six tackles (all solo) at the Houston Oilers 10/29/95 for the Buccaneers. In three career games (3 starts) vs. Tenn./Hou., totaled 20 tackles (17 solo) and three pass breakups for the Buccaneers.

• QB JAKE PLUMMER

In his only career game vs. Tenn. 10/26/97, completed 21-of-40 passes (52.5%) for 195 yards with two touchdowns for the Cardinals.

THE LAST TIME at HOUSTON 42, DENVER 33 (ASTRODOME, 11/26/95)

The Broncos lost a battle of the offenses to the Houston Oilers and saw their playoff hopes take a serious hit in a 42-33 defeat that saw Houston score on five of its first six possessions. Only 36,113 saw what was expected to be a low scoring affair turn into a shootout that Denver could not keep pace with. The Oilers racked up 448 yards of total offense (Denver had 472) and produced the most points against a Broncos defense since December 1994 at San Francisco.

The Broncos took the opening kickoff and drove 27 yards in 10 plays and saw Jason Elam connect on a career-long 56-yard field goal, his fifth from 50 yards or more on the season, tying a team record set in 1980 by Fred Steinfort. The kick was also the second-longest in Broncos history, behind a 57-yard boot by Stienfort, also set in 1980.

On the Oilers second play from scrimmage, rookie RB Rodney Thomas stamped around right end for a 74-yard touchdown and a 7-3 Houston lead. That was only the beginning of things to come. as John Elway connected with Anthony Miller on 50-yard score on the Broncos' next possession to regain the lead. Houston then answered with a Chris Chandler-to-Chris Sanders 36-yard score and a 14-10 lead at the end of the first quarter.

The Oilers stretched their advantage to 21-10 in quarter two on a Marion Butts 1-yard plunge. Denver answered that score with Terrell Davis' 60-yard touchdown, which was the longest run by a Denver rookie running back in team history. But Houston closed the first half scoring as Chandler connected with Sanders again, this time from 35 yards out to give Houston a 28-17 halftime advantage.

The Oilers started the second half by taking the kickoff and driving 72 yards in 12 plays, capped by a 12-yard pass from Chandler to Haywood Jeffries for a 35-17 lead. Denver answered with a 1-yard touchdown run by Aaron Craver and a 35-yard field goal by Elam to pull within eight, but Houston drove 82 yards on nine plays, capped by a Butts 5-yard touchdown run to put Houston ahead 42-27. Another Elway-to-Miller connection, this one from 35 yards out, closed the scoring.

In the game, Elway surpassed Joe Montana and moved into fifth place on the all-time passing yards list and Miller set a personal best with his 10th and 11th touchdown receptions of the season. Sharpe added eight receptions for 65 yards and Davis had 110 rushing yards and 30 receiving yards, enough to make him the all-time single-season rookie total yards from scrimmage leader in Broncos history, surpassing the mark of 1,307 yards set by Bobby Humphrey in 1989.

BRONCOS/TITANS CONNECTIONS

- Tennessee cornerback **Andre Woolfolk** was born in Denver and attended Thomas Jefferson High.
- Titans offensive coordinator **Mike Heimerdinger** was the wide receivers coach for the Broncos from 1995-99. Heimerdinger coached with Broncos head coach **Mike Shanahan** at the University of Florida in 1980 as a graduate assistant and in 1983 as a wide receivers coach. (Shanahan was the offensive coordinator at Florida from 1980-83).
- Tennessee assistant head coach **George Henshaw** served as the Denver offensive line coach from 1988-90, as the WRs coach in 1991, and as the offensive coordinator in 1992.
- Titans special teams coach **Alan Lowry** held the same position in San Francisco when **Shanahan** was the offensive coordinator there from 1992-94.
- Titans linebackers coach **Dave McGinnis** was a defensive coordinator and then head coach for the Arizona Cardinals during Broncos quarterback **Jake Plummer's** tenure there from 1997-2002.....prior to his acquisition by the Titans, **Jason McAddley** played with Plummer in Arizona during the 2002 season...Broncos defensive end **Trevor Pryce** and Titans receiver McAddley were both born in Brooklyn, New York...McAddley and Broncos rookie receiver **Triandos Luke** were teammates at the University of Alabama...Luke and Titans rookie defensive end **Antwan Odom** played together at the University of Alabama and were both selected in the 2004 NFL Draft.
- Broncos defensive lineman **Ellis Johnson** and Titans defensive lineman **Kevin Carter** played on the same line together at the University of Florida...Carter and Broncos offensive lineman **P.J. Alexander** are both natives of Tallahassee, Fla.
- **Johnson** and Titans offensive lineman **Jason Mathews** were teammates with Indianapolis from 1995-97.
- Tennessee punter **Craig Hentrich** and Broncos defensive lineman **Darius Holland** played together in Green Bay from 1995-97.
- Broncos offensive lineman **Cooper Carlisle** played with Titans quarterback **Doug Johnson** and tight end **Erron Kinney** at the University of Florida.
- Titans tight end **Shad Meier** and Broncos defensive lineman **Mario Fatatehi** and linebacker **Terry Pierce** were all teammates at Kansas State University.
- Broncos running back **Garrison Hearst** and Titans safety **Lance Schulters** played together in San Francisco from 1998-2001.

- Titans tailback **Chris Brown** was an All-American at the University of Colorado...Brown was also teammates with Broncos linebacker **Jason Sykes** in Boulder.
- Titans cornerback **Andre Woolfolk** is a native of Denver, Colo.
- Broncos fullback **Kyle Johnson** and Titans linebacker **Keith Bulluck** played college ball together at Syracuse.
- Broncos safety **Kenoy Kennedy** and Titans defensive end **Carlos Hall** were teammates at the University of Arkansas.
- Broncos rookie cornerback **Jeff Shoate** and Titans rookie center **Eugene Amano** are both natives of San Diego, Calif.
- Broncos safety **Nick Ferguson**, tailback **Cecil Sapp**, Titans linebacker **Ken Amato**, and cornerback **Samari Rolle** are all natives of Miami, Fla...Rolle and Broncos quarterback **Danny Kannel** played college ball at Florida State University.
- Broncos receiver **Ashley Lelie** and Titans rookie defensive end **Travis LaBoy** played college ball together at Hawaii.
- Broncos long snapper **Mike Leach** played for the Titans during the 2000-2001 seasons.

WEEKLY CONFERENCE CALLS

Head Coach **Mike Shanahan** and quarterback **Jake Plummer** will be available to the Tennessee media by conference call Tuesday, with Plummer available approximately 12 p.m. (MDT) and Shanahan slated for 12:45 p.m. (MDT). Titans **Head Coach Jeff Fisher** and quarterback **Billy Volek** will speak to the Denver press via conference call on Wednesday, with Volek at approximately 10:45 a.m. (MDT) and Fisher at 11 a.m. (MDT).

COVERAGE ON WWW.DENVERBRONCOS.COM

DenverBroncos.com will have the most comprehensive coverage of the 2004 Broncos season available as the club seeks its third Super Bowl Championship. Game day coverage in the Game Center will always include individual and team statistics, lineups, photos, scoring summary, gamebooks (PDF and HTML), postgame quotes (audio, text or both), feature stories, a live audio broadcast in both English and Spanish and archives of those broadcasts, a running game story and a Broncos TV game recap. For home games at INVESCO Field at Mile High you can also watch Head Coach Mike Shanahan's live postgame press conference. You are always able to find all team press releases in the Press Box, and an up-to-date sortable roster, player bios, team and individual statistics, and injury and transaction updates in the Team section.

As the Broncos pursue their goal of winning Super Bowl XXXIX, DenverBroncos.com will chronicle the journey for you. Each time the club takes the field for practice we'll have a story to keep you informed of the goings-on with the team. With a record of 8-6 the Broncos head to Tennessee to play the Titans in a Christmas Day matchup on ESPN's Saturday Night Football.

The Broncos and Titans will kick off on Saturday, Dec. 25 at 6:30 p.m. (MST) from The Coliseum. On Tuesday you can preview the game in the Broncos-Titans Game Center with news, notes and connections between the two clubs. You can also read updated player bios along with individual and team statistics.

The team will begin its practices and meetings for the game on Tuesday, one day earlier than normal this week since it is a Saturday game. There will be three Broncos TV features this week, on Monday, Wednesday and a preview show before Saturday night's game. With the holiday around the corner, Monday's installment of Broncos TV will cover the recent events coordinated by Jake Plummer and John Lynch. Plummer took local children on a shopping spree at area Galt's and Target stores while Lynch hosted members of the Denver Broncos Boys & Girls Club for a dinner with each receiving holiday gifts. You can always go back through the archives at any time to watch previous Broncos TV features.

DenverBroncos.com offers its fantasy football coverage each Tuesday and Thursday. In the season's final quarter we'll review the Week 15 games on Tuesday and preview the Week 16 games on Thursday.

DenverBroncos.com offers live video coverage of the team's press conferences. This week Jake Plummer and Head Coach Mike Shanahan will take to the lectern on Tuesday. The press conferences will be at their normal time, 11:50 a.m. (MST) for the quarterback and the head coach will follow at 12:15 p.m. Check the site to watch live and see what each has to say about this week's opponent. And if you can't see it live, we'll have the archive for you to watch at your convenience. The HealthONE Injury Report will be announced on Tuesday and updated on Wednesday and Thursday.

Despite being placed on injured reserve Nate Jackson will continue his journal through the end of the season. Look for his next edition this week as he begins to recover from his injury.

With Christmas coming up on Saturday we're going to take a peek back into the lives of some of the Broncos and share with you some of their favorite holiday memories from when they were children. You can find this special feature on Thursday along with Broncology, our weekly analysis of statistics and history and the Titans at a Glance piece to let you know what to look for on Tennessee's offense and defense.

This week's Q&A is with Broncos' linebacker and one of its team captains, Al Wilson. With two games to play Denver, Baltimore, Buffalo and Jacksonville all have 8-6 records and are in a battle for the sixth and final playoff berth. As the club prepares for its Christmas Day game against Tennessee he will make time to answer your questions this week. You can begin sending in questions today and look for Al's answers on Friday.

The Broncos-Titans Capsule and Notes -- which will give you stats and notes about the two teams in preparation for the game--will also be available on Friday.

WEEK 15: at KANSAS CITY 45, DENVER 17 (ARROWHEAD STADIUM, 12/19/04)

The Denver Broncos dropped to 8-6 after a 45-17 loss to the Kansas City Chiefs in front of 77,702 at Arrowhead Stadium.

Kansas City came on strong right out of gate, as Dante Hall took the opening kickoff 97-yards for a touchdown, and Chiefs running back Larry Johnson put his team ahead 14-0 with a 5-yard touchdown run to cap off an 87-yard drive.

The Broncos got on the board at the end of the first quarter, when quarterback Jake Plummer found wide receiver Rod Smith for a 22-yard touchdown. Denver got the ball back and began driving down for a potential tying touchdown, but Plummer was intercepted by Dexter McCleon, his first of two interceptions.

The Chiefs capitalized when Trent Green hit wipe out Eddie Kennison for a 7-yard score, and Kansas City followed that with a 32-yard touchdown scamper by Johnson, giving the Chiefs a commanding 28-7 second-quarter lead. Denver would pull to within 28-10 on a 27-yard field goal by Jason Elam to end the first half.

Two touchdown passes by Green early in the third quarter capped off drives of 90 and 99 yards for the Kansas City offense, giving the Chiefs a 42-10 lead. Denver's only points of the second half came on a 4-yard touchdown by running back Garrison Hearst.

Smith, who paced Denver receivers with six catches for 75 yards, became just the 20th receiver in NFL history to reach 700-career receptions, and moved into 20th place all-time in NFL history in receptions. Tatum Bell led the Broncos in rushing with 50 yards on nine carries while Plummer completed 23-of-41 passes for 292 yards. Both teams amassed over 400 yards of total offense for the game.

BRONCOS HEAD COACH MIKE SHANAHAN

Mike Shanahan in 2004 completes a full decade as head coach of the Denver Broncos, and that decade of measurement against the game's all-time coaches places him among the pro football elite. After the team's 23-13 win over San Diego (9/26), he joined the exclusive club of head coaches to post 100 wins in the first 10 seasons with one club.

COACHES WITH 100 WINS FOR ONE TEAM THROUGH THE FIRST 10 SEASONS WITH THAT TEAM (including playoffs)

	Years	Wins by Season			SB WINS
		Reg	Post	TOTAL	
Joe Gibbs, Washington	1981-1990	101	12	113	2
John Madden, Raiders	1969-1978	103	9	112	1
Don Shula, Miami	1970-1979	104	8	112	2
George Seifert, San Francisco	1989-1996	98	10	108	2
Mike Ditka, Chicago	1982-1991	101	6	107	1
Marv Levy, Buffalo	1986-1995	96	11	107	0
Mike Shanahan, Broncos	1995-2004	99	7	106	2
Bud Grant, Minnesota	1967-1976	98	8	106	0
Bill Cowher, Pittsburgh	1992-2001	99	6	105	0
Marty Schottenheimer, K.C.	1989-1998	101	3	104	0
Bill Walsh, San Francisco	1979-1988	92	10	102	3
Dennis Green, Minnesota	1992-2001	97	4	101	0

No head coach in the NFL has won more games than Mike Shanahan's 106 victories since the start of the 1995 season. Those 106 wins include seven straight in the playoffs (he is the only coach to have produced seven playoff wins in two years) during the 1997 and 1998 World Championship seasons, years in which he firmly established himself among the game's sideline greats. His postseason percentage of .700, on a 7-3 record, is second only to Vince Lombardi (9-1, .900) among coaches with more than five playoff victories.

Under Shanahan's guidance, Denver has: Posted the most wins in pro football history in a two-year period (33 in 1997-98); posted the most wins in pro football history in a three-year period (46 in 1996-98); won the most postseason games ever in a two-year period (seven, 1997-98); won 18 straight games over 1997-98 to tie the all-time NFL record for consecutive wins; been undefeated for three straight regular seasons at home (1996-98), just the second team ever to do so; and posted a 22-2 record in its last 24 games during the back-to-back title years.

He produced consecutive Super Bowl titles, three straight 13-plus win seasons (including postseason), and two AFC West titles from 1996-98. Shanahan led Denver to a 14-2 regular season mark and a 3-0 postseason mark in 1998, taking the Broncos back to the victorious Super Bowl glory they experienced in 1997. In his third season with the Broncos in 1997, Shanahan not only led the Broncos back to the Super Bowl for the first time in eight years, but he directed them to their first ever Super Bowl victory. Only Red Miller (1st year) in 1977 got a Broncos' team to the Super Bowl faster than Shanahan did.

In his 10th year with Denver, he has fashioned a franchise-record regular season home mark of **61-18 (.772)**, a regular season mark of **99-59 (.627)**, and an overall mark of **106-62 (.631)**. His NFL record as a head coach in regular season play is **107-71 (.601)** and his overall record is **114-74 (.606)**.

Over the last 12 years (ninth in Denver and the previous three in San Francisco) Mike Shanahan's offenses have finished number one in the NFL four times, second twice and third twice; in two of those campaigns Denver was just 17 yards and 83 yards short of the number one spot.

In 1998 the defending world champions stormed to their second straight title with an offense that scored 501 points and finished third in the NFL in total yards, while the defense had another spectacular postseason, allowing just 25 points and two touchdowns while sparking a remarkable 13-1 turnover ratio in the playoffs.

In 1997 he directed a Denver offense that scored a total of 583 points (29.2 per game) during the entire 1997 season, the fifth highest total in NFL history and the second highest total in AFC history for a combined regular and postseason. Of course, in 1998 Shanahan's Broncos topped that mark by producing 596 regular and postseason points. The all-time high of 636 points came from the 1994 World Champion San Francisco 49ers, for whom Shanahan was the offensive coordinator.

He led his team to a 12-4 regular season record in 1997, marking the first time in franchise history that the team won 12 or more games in back-to-back seasons.

During his NFL career, Shanahan has been a part of teams that have played in nine conference Championship Games, in addition to his six Super Bowl appearances (three victories), five with Denver and Super Bowl XXIX with San Francisco. In his 26 seasons as a pro and college coach, Shanahan's teams have participated in postseason or bowl games 21 times. Shanahan is a graduate of Eastern Illinois University, and also has a master's degree from that institution.

TITANS HEAD COACH JEFF FISHER

Jeff Fisher became the franchise's 15th head coach on January 5, 1995 after closing his first campaign with the Oilers as Head Coach/Defensive Coordinator. He replaced Jack Pardee on Nov. 14, 1994, coaching the remaining six games as head coach. He is the franchise's winningest head coach and is the fourth youngest head coach (45) to win 80 regular season games since 1960.

Under his direction, the Titans are tied with the St. Louis Rams for having the tied for the third best record in the NFL over the last five seasons with a 60-33 record. In those five years, the Titans have advanced to the postseason four times, captured two division titles, played in two AFC Championship games and Super Bowl XXXIV. In 2000, Fisher became only the fifth coach in NFL history to lead his team to consecutive 13-win seasons, joining Mike Ditka (Chicago Bears, 1985-86), George Seifert (San Francisco 49ers, 1989-90), Marv Levy (Buffalo Bills, 1990-91) and Mike Holmgren (Green Bay Packers, 1996-97). Fisher originally joined the Oilers in 1994 as the defensive coordinator, after serving as defensive backs coach for the San Francisco 49ers (1992-93). He began his coaching career with the Philadelphia Eagles in 1986, where he handled defensive backs until becoming the NFL's youngest defensive coordinator in 1988. From 1981-85, Fisher was a cornerback for the Chicago Bears after being a seventh-round draft choice from USC.

His overall career head coaching record is 97-76 and has a career-mark of 92-72 in the regular season. Fisher's 60 wins since the start of the 1999 regular season ranks second in the NFL, one reason why he is regarded as one of the best head coaches in the league. In fact, Fisher is one of two coaches who has registered 60 victories during that time frame. Fisher is not only considered one of the best coaches in the NFL but in franchise history because his 97 career wins are more than any other head coach in the history of the franchise.

BRONCOS CHAMPIONS IN THE COMMUNITY

John Lynch will hosted his Lynch's Christmas Party on Tuesday, Dec. 14 at the Denver Center for the Performing Arts. A total of 30 kids from all six Boys and Girls Club of Metro Denver enjoyed a party with holiday treats and received gifts from John and Linda Lynch. Following the party, the kids watched the "Radio City Christmas Spectacular" starring the Rockettes.

Jake Plummer took 40 children from the Family Tree to shop and Target in the morning on Dec. 14 and took another 25 children from the Family Tree to shop at Sports Authority that afternoon. In addition, the LoDo Rio Grande Mexican restaurant donated 20 percent of their proceeds for the day to the Jake Plummer Foundation.

The Denver Broncos Holiday Party was held Dec. 7 at INVESCO Field at Mile High. Families submitted by the Denver Rescue Mission and the Salvation Army had the opportunity to enjoy holiday treats and a visit from Santa Claus. Players, cheerleaders, Miles and Thunder were on hand to help distribute a gift to all of the children.

The Denver Broncos honored their nominees for the Walter Payton Man of the Year 2004 awards at a private dinner on Thursday, Nov. 18. Jake Plummer, John Lynch, Rod Smith and Al Wilson were chosen and their community work was presented to a committee that chose Rod Smith as the organization's overall award winner. Smith will be the team's nomination for the NFL's Walter Payton Man of the Year award.

The Walter Payton Man of the Year award NFL's most prestigious off-field honor and is the only league honor bestowed on players who demonstrate excellence in their civic and professional responsibilities. The award is given at the end of each season to the NFL player who best provides leadership for his teammates on the gridiron and his fellow citizens in the community. The NFL will announce the 2004 Walter Payton Man of the Year at the Super Bowl.

The Denver Broncos hosted the first-ever Broncos Bowl presented by Verizon SuperPages on Nov. 13 at INVESCO Field at Mile High. Championship games for all four of the Denver Police Activities League age divisions (7 to 14 year-olds) were up for grabs. Broncos players and alumni were on hand as honorary coaches throughout the event. In addition, the Denver Broncos Cheerleaders will hosted an on-field clinic for Denver PAL cheerleaders followed by a special tribute to Denver PAL and all 2,000 of its youth football players.

DENVER BRONCOS 2004 WEEK 16 NOTES

SMITH 1ST IN 1000-YARD RECEIVING SEASONS

Wide receiver Rod Smith is the Broncos' all-time leader in receptions, yards and touchdowns, but is also the franchise's leader in 1000-yard seasons with seven, including this season. Smith has 67 catches for 1,010 yards and six touchdowns

MOST 1000-YARD RECEIVING SEASONS, BRONCOS

Player	1000-Yd. Seasons	Years
1. Rod Smith	7	2004, 2002, 2001, 2000, 1999, 1998, 1997
2. Ed McCaffrey	3	1998, 1999, 2000
Shannon Sharpe	3	1997, 1996, 1994
Lionel Taylor	3	1963, 1961, 1960
Steve Watson	3	1984, 1983, 1981

SMITH RANKS WITH THE LEAGUE'S BEST

Rod Smith has been one of the NFL's most productive wide outs since 1997, and ranks third among active pass catchers in receptions (678), fourth in receiving yards (9,249) and fourth in receiving touchdowns (55).

MOST RECEPTIONS IN THE NFL SINCE 1997

Wide Receiver	Receptions
1. Marvin Harrison (IND)	770
2. Jimmy Smith (JAX)	682
3. Rod Smith (DEN)	678
4. Terrell Owens (PHI)	634
5. Keyshawn Johnson (TB)	600

MOST RECEIVING YARDS IN THE NFL SINCE 1997

Wide Receiver	Rec. Yards
1. Marvin Harrison (IND)	10,205
2. Jimmy Smith (JAX)	9,693
3. Terrell Owens (PHI)	9,252
4. Rod Smith (DEN)	9,249
5. Randy Moss (MIN)	9,046

MOST RECEIVING TOUCHDOWNS IN THE NFL SINCE 1997

Wide Receiver	Rec. TDs
1. Terrell Owens (PHI)	91
2. Randy Moss (MIN)	89
3. Marvin Harrison (IND)	88
4. Rod Smith (DEN)	55
5. Tony Gonzalez (KC)	52

BRONCOS RECEIVER TOPS THE CHART

With three catches for 29 yards and a touchdown against Houston (11/7), wide receiver Rod Smith became the franchise's all-time leader in receptions, passing Shannon Sharpe. After catching six passes for 75 yards at Kansas City (12/19), Smith sits with 700 receptions. Sharpe finished his Broncos' career with 675 receptions for 8,439 yards and 55 touchdowns.

MOST RECEPTIONS BY A BRONCO, CAREER

Player	Rec.	Yards	TDs	Years with Denver
1. Rod Smith	700	9,638	58	1995-Present
2. Shannon Sharpe	675	8,439	55	1990-99, 02-03
3. Lionel Taylor	543	6,872	44	1960-65
4. Ed McCaffrey	462	6,200	46	1995-2003

SMITH LEADS BY EXAMPLE

Wide receiver Rod Smith is widely considered one of the leaders in the locker room, but he is also the team's all-time leader in receiving yards with 9,638 over his 10-year career. He made six catches for 75 yards at Kansas City (12/19).

MOST RECEIVING YARDS BY A BRONCO, CAREER

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3. Lionel Taylor	6,872	543	44	1960-65

TOUCHDOWN FEVER

Wide receiver Rod Smith—who ranks No. 1 in all three major receiving categories in franchise history—moved past Shannon Sharpe for first place in most receiving touchdowns in Broncos history with his 13 yarder vs. Houston (11/7).

MOST RECEIVING TOUCHDOWNS BY A BRONCO

Player	TD Receptions	Years
1. Rod Smith	58	1995-Present
2. Shannon Sharpe	55	1990-99, 02-03
3. Ed McCaffrey	46	1995-03
4. Haven Moses	44	1972-81
Lionel Taylor	44	1960-66

BRONCOS WIDEOUT ON A STREAK

Rod Smith owns the franchise record with 90 straight games with at least one catch, after hauling in six passes for 75 yards at Kansas City (12/19).

MOST CONSECUTIVE GAMES WITH A RECEPTION, BRONCOS

Player	Consec. Games	Years of Streak
1. Rod Smith	90	1999-Present
2. Ed McCaffrey	68	1997-2003
3. Lionel Taylor	62	1960-64
4. Shannon Sharpe	60	1995-99
5. Steve Watson	49	1983-86

PLUMMER'S PASSING FANCY

Jake Plummer ranks third in the AFC and fifth in the NFL in passing yards with 3,540 through 14 games. At an average of 252.9 passing yards per game, Plummer is on pace to finish the season with a career-best 4,046 yards, which would topple John Elway's franchise record of 4,030.

NFL'S LEADING PASSERS, 2004

Rk.	Player, Team	Passing Yards
1.	Peyton Manning, Ind.	4,168
2.	Daunte Culpepper, Min.	4,133
3.	Trent Green, K.C.	3,860
4.	Donovan McNabb, Phi.	3,839
5.	Jake Plummer, Den.	3,540

MOST COMPLETIONS, AFC, 2004

Rk.	Player, Team	Completions
1.	Peyton Manning, Ind.	308
2.	Trent Green, K.C.	304
3.	Jake Plummer, Den.	265
4.	Carson Palmer, Cin.	263
5.	David Carr, Hou.	257

MOST TOUCHDOWN PASSES, AFC, 2004

Rk.	Player, Team	TD Passes
1.	Peyton Manning, Ind.	47
2.	Trent Green, K.C.	24
	Drew Brees, S.D.	24
4.	Jake Plummer, Den.	23
5.	Tom Brady, N.E.	21

PLUMMER BRONCOS ALL-TIME TOP-RATED PASSER

Jake Plummer, in his first season-and-a-half as the Broncos starter has amassed the best career passer rating in Broncos history. Below, a look at the top five:

**BEST PASSER RATING AMONG ALL-TIME BRONCOS
(min. 500 attempts)**

Quarterback	Years	Pass Rating
1. Jake Plummer	2003-04	84.9
2. Brian Griese	1998-02	84.1
3. John Elway	1983-98	79.9
4. Craig Morton	1977-82	78.8
5. Charley Johnson	1972-75	73.1

PLUMMER POSTING IMPRESSIVE TD PCT.

Jake Plummer ranks fifth in the NFL in touchdown percentage since the start of the 2003 season. He has thrown 38 touchdown passes in 767 attempts during that time for a percentage of 4.95.

**MOST TOUCHDOWNS PER PASS ATTEMPT, 2003-04
(QBs with 600 or more attempts)**

Player	TD	Att.	TD Pct.
1. Peyton Manning, Ind.	76	1,017	7.47%
2. Daunte Culpepper, Min.	59	935	6.31%
3. Brett Favre, G.B.	57	955	5.91%
4. Steve McNair, Ten.	32	615	5.20%
5. Jake Plummer, Den.	37	726	5.10%

PLUMMER GETTING BETTER WITH AGE

Jake Plummer has improved his career statistics considerably since joining the Broncos before the 2003 season. Below is a side-by-side look at Plummer's statistics from 1997-2002 and from 2003-04:

Statistical Category	1997-2002 (Arizona)	2003-04 (Denver)
Win/Loss Record	30-52	17-8
Winning Pct.	37%	68%
Passer Rating	69.1	84.9
TD/INT Ratio	90-114 (-24)	38-26 (+12)
TD%	3.3	5.0
INT%	4.2	3.4
Completion Pct.	56.1%	59.2%
Passing Yds./Game	208.7	228.9
Passing Yds./Attempt	6.39	7.46

WINNING /ISN'T EVERYTHING?

Since coming to Denver in 2003 and taking over as Denver's starting quarterback, Jake Plummer has found a way to win. He currently ranks fourth in the NFL in winning percentage by a starting quarterback, and below is a list of the top performers.

BEST REG.-SEASON WINNING PERCENTAGE BY A QB, 2003-04

Quarterback	Record	Pct.
1. Tom Brady, N.E.*	26-3	90%
2. Donovan McNabb, Phi.	25-5	83%
3. Peyton Manning, Ind.	23-7	77%
4. Jake Plummer, Den.	17-8	68%
5. Marc Bulger, St. L.	18-9	67%

* - plays Monday night

THE START OF SOMETHING GOOD

Durability and longevity are traits every coach looks for in a quarterback, and Jake Plummer ranks among the best in both. Plummer has started 107 games since 1997, which ranks fifth in the NFL among active quarterbacks.

MOST STARTS BY NFL QUARTERBACKS SINCE 1997

Quarterback	Starts
1. Brett Favre, G.B.	126
2. Steve McNair, Ten.	111
3. Drew Bledsoe, N.E./Buf.	110
Peyton Manning, Ind.	110
5. Jake Plummer, Ari./Den.	107

THE COMEBACK KID

Jake Plummer has a knack for bringing his team back. In his career, Plummer has amassed 25 game-saving or game-tying drives in the fourth quarter and 19 game-winning comeback drives in the fourth quarter or overtime, which ranks first among active quarterbacks.

MOST COMEBACKS SINCE 1995

Quarterback	Comebacks
1. Jake Plummer, Ari./Den. (1997-2004)	19
2. Drew Bledsoe, N.E./Buf. (1997-2004)	18
3. Peyton Manning, Ind. (1998-2004)	17

NO ROOM FOR SACKS

Anchored by center Tom Nalen—who earned his fifth-career trip to the Pro Bowl in 2003—Denver's offensive line has only allowed 15 sacks this season and is on pace to only allow 17 total, which would set a franchise record.

FEWEST SACKS ALLOWED IN A SEASON, BRONCOS

Fewest Sacks	Year
1. 22 sacks	1971
2. 24 sacks	*1982
3. 24 sacks	1965

* - (players' strike; nine-game season)

CATCH ME IF YOU CAN

Jake Plummer has been sacked just 29 times in his 24 games since joining the Broncos before the 2003 season, the fewest among quarterbacks who have started at least 22 games in that time. He has attempted 796 passes and averages just one sack for every 37.4 attempts.

**FEWEST SACKS PER PASS ATTEMPT, 2003-04
(QBS WITH AT LEAST 22 GAMES)**

Player	Sacks	Att.	Sack Ratio
1. Peyton Manning, Ind.	27	1,044	1/38.7 att.
2. Brett Favre, G.B.	30	985	1/32.8 att.
3. Jake Plummer, Den.	29	796	1/27.4 att.
4. Joey Harrington, Det.	41	1,005	1/24.5 att.
5. Trent Green, K.C.	48	1,029	1/21.4 att.

DENVER'S OFFENSE RANKS WITH THE NFL'S BEST

Denver's offense is chewing up major yards this season, and currently ranks fifth in the NFL in total offense (3rd in the AFC), averaging 358.7 yards a game.

NFL LEADERS IN TOTAL OFFENSE, 2004

Team	Total Yds.	YPG
1. Kansas City	5,819	415.6
2. Indianapolis	5,811	415.1
3. Minnesota	5,603	400.2
4. Green Bay	5,510	393.6
5. Denver	5,022	358.7

LELIE DIGS THE LONG BALL

Third-year wide receiver Ashley Lelie has developed into one of the top big-play threats in the NFL this season as all six of his touchdown receptions (37, 40, 35, 31, 39 and 33 yds.) have gone for 30 or more yards. He leads the NFL in touchdown catches of 30 or more yards this year and ranks second in franchise history for a single-season total in that category.

MOST TD RECEPTIONS OF 30+-YARDS IN A SEASON, 2004

Wide Receiver	TD Receptions
1. Ashley Lelie, Den.	6
2. Torry Holt, Stl.	5
3. Drew Bennett, Ten.	4
Chad Johnson, Cin.	4
Jimmy Smith, Jac.	4
Reggie Wayne, Ind.	4

MOST TD RECEPTIONS OF 30+-YARDS IN A SEASON, BRONCOS

Wide Receiver	TD Receptions
1. Anthony Miller (1995)	10
2. Ashley Lelie (2004)	6
3. Steve Watson (1981)	5
4. Rod Smith (1997)	4
Mark Jackson (1992)	4

Note: A Bronco has caught four touchdown passes of 30 or more yards in a single season four other times in team history: Steve Watson (1984), Al Denson (1969), Bob Scarpitto (1963) and Lionel Taylor (1960).

BRONCOS 2004 WEEK-BY-WEEK RANKINGS PROGRESSION

Week	AFC						NFL					
	Offense			Defense			Offense			Defense		
	Total	Rush	Pass	Total	Rush	Pass	Total	Rush	Pass	Total	Rush	Pass
1 (Kansas City)	3	2t	7	8	12	5	8t	2t	16	16	25	9
2 (at Jacksonville)	4	4	6	3	11	2	7	7	10	5	19	3
3 (vs. San Diego)	4	9	3	1	7	2	9	15	9	1	14	2
4 (at Tampa Bay)	7	12	5	1	8	2	14	18	12	2	14	2
5 (vs. Carolina)	4	8	5	1	4	2	10	11	11	1	10	2
6 (at Oakland)	2	1	5	1	2	2	5	1	14	1	4	2
7 (at Cincinnati)	3	2	6	1	3	2	7	2	15	2	4	2
8 (vs. Atlanta)	3	4	3	2	6	2	5	5	8	4	10	3
9 (vs. Houston)	3	4	4	3	5	2	5	6	8	4	8	2
10 (Bye Week)	3	4	3	2	6	2	5	6	8	3	8	2
11 (at New Orleans)	3	4	3	4	3	5	5	6	7	6	5	8
12 (vs. Oakland)	3	5	3	6	3t	7	5	6	7	8	4t	12
13 (at San Diego)	3	5	4	3	4	5	5	7	8	5	5	8
14 (vs. Miami)	3	4	3	3	4	6	5	5	7	4	5	9
15 (at Kansas City)	3	5	4	5	7	7	5	6	8	7	8	10

"WATTS" IT TO YA?

Rookie wide receiver Darius Watts is making a splash for Denver's offense in his first year out of Marshall. In 14 games this year, he has 29 receptions for 356 yards (12.3) and one touchdown. If he keeps this current pace, Watts will finish the year with 33 catches for 407 yards, which would rank fifth all-time among Broncos rookies. Below is a list of the top-5 rookie receiving output in Broncos history:

	<u>Rec.</u>	<u>Yards</u>	<u>Avg.</u>	<u>TD</u>
Darius Watts (current)	29	356	12.3	1
On Pace For	33	407	12.3	1

MOST RECEPTIONS BY A BRONCOS ROOKIE

<u>Player</u>	<u>Rec.</u>	<u>Yards</u>	<u>Avg.</u>	<u>TD</u>
1. Vance Johnson (1985)	51	721	14.1	3
2. Al Frazier (1961)	47	799	17.0	6
3. Mark Jackson (1986)	38	738	19.4	1
4. Ashley Lelie (2002)	35	525	15.0	2
5. Ricky Nattiel (1987)	31	630	20.3	2

ALL IN THE FAMILY

Scattered throughout the Broncos' coaching staff are five coaches who also have worn the orange and blue as players, marking the highest total among 2004 NFL staffs that include former players coaching the franchise for which they played at least one regular-season game. Offensive Coordinator Gary Kubiak (quarterback, 1983-'91), Offensive Line Coach Rick Dennison (inside linebacker, 1982-'90), Wide Receivers Coach Steve Watson (wide receiver, 1979-'87), Special Teams Coach Ronnie Bradford (defensive back, 1993-'95) and Defensive Backs Coach Jimmy Spencer (cornerback, 2000-'03) all have successfully transferred what they learned playing for the Broncos to members of this year's squad.

COACHES WHO PLAYED AT LEAST ONE REGULAR-SEASON GAME FOR THAT FRANCHISE

DENVER BRONCOS	5
(Kubiak, Dennison, Watson, Bradford and Spencer)	
Miami Dolphins	2
(Bernie Parmalee - TE coach; Jeff Dellenbach - fellowship coach)	
Minnesota Vikings	2
(Mike Tice - head coach; Pete Bercich - LB coach)	
Tennessee Titans.....	2
(Chuck Cecil - safeties/nickelbacks; Mike Munchak - OL coach)	
Pittsburgh Steelers.....	2
(Dick Hoak - RB coach; Darren Perry - DB coach)	
Kansas City Chiefs.....	2
(Irv Eatman - asst. OL coach; James Saxon - RB coach)	
Oakland Raiders	2
(Fred Biletnikoff - WR coach; Willie Brown - DB assistant)	

Note: 13 other teams have one coach on their staffs who played at least on regular-season game for that franchise.

BRONCOS' SACKERS SET RECORD

Plenty of Broncos defenders have contributed to the team's 31.0 sacks in 2004. A franchise-record 16 different Broncos have recorded at least one (1.0) sack this year, marking Denver's highest total since sacks became an official statistic in 1982.

NUMBER OF BRONCOS WITH AT LEAST ONE SACK IN A SEASON

<u>Year</u>	<u>No.</u>
1. 2004	16
2. 1984	15
3. 2001	14

Note: Denver's 2000, 1999, 1988 and 1983 defenses each had 13 different players with at least one sack.

IT STARTS WITH CHAMP

Four-time Pro Bowl CB Champ Bailey has started every game of his career since the Redskins drafted him No. 7 overall in the 1999 NFL Draft, a span of 94 consecutive starts that includes this year's totals. He is the only cornerback in the NFL to start every possible regular-season game played during that period.

MOST STARTS BY A CORNERBACK, NFL 1999-04

<u>Cornerback</u>	<u>Starts</u>
1. Champ Bailey, Den.	94
2. Ronde Barber, T.B.	93
3. Sam Madison, Mia.*	90
Dewayne Washington, Jac.	90
5. Chris McAlister, Balt.	85
Samari Rolle, Tenn.	85

* - plays Monday night

FOURTH QUARTER DOMINANCE

The Broncos have been dominating opponents in the fourth quarter this season, as evidenced by the following statistical comparisons:

<u>STATISTICAL COMPARISONS IN THE FOURTH QUARTER CATEGORY</u>	<u>BRONCOS</u>	<u>OPPONENT</u>
Time of Possession (Avg.)	9:02	5:58
Offensive Points Scored	78	43
First Downs	91	49
Total Yards	1,456	874
Offensive Plays	277	209
3rd Down Conversion Pct.	21-59 (36%)	10-46 (24%)

FOURTH SCORE AND FEW POINTS ALLOWED

Making a stand in the fourth quarter is often times the difference between winning and losing, and Denver's defense allows very few points in the fourth quarter (48), which is first in the NFL. Below is a list of the teams who have allowed the fewest fourth-quarter points:

FEWEST POINTS ALLOWED IN THE FOURTH QUARTER, NFL

<u>Team</u>	<u>4th-Q Pts. Allowed</u>	<u>Avg.</u>
1. Denver	48	3.4
2. New England	47	3.6
3. Pittsburgh	57	4.1
Tampa Bay	57	4.1
5. Washington	59	4.2

"FIRST" AND FOREMOST

Denver's defense this season has had a knack for getting off the field. The Broncos, after Week 15, rank second in the NFL for fewest 1st downs allowed (15.5).

FEWEST 1ST DOWNS ALLOWED PER GAME, NFL

Team	1 st Downs	
	Allowed	Avg.
1. Washington	209	14.9
2. Pittsburgh	216	15.4
3. Denver	217	15.5
4. Tampa Bay	224	16.0
5. Buffalo	231	16.5

THE BEST OF THE BEST

Starting weakside linebacker D.J. Williams, the Broncos' leading tackler, has done more than his share during his rookie season to maintain the University of Miami's rich tradition of producing elite NFL linebackers. His 102 tackles (74 solo) put the former Hurricane on pace to rival the rookie tackle totals of other accomplished linebackers from Miami, whose seven linebackers on opening-day rosters this year tied for the most in the NFL.

Year Former Univ. of Miami Rookie Linebacker

1996	Ray Lewis, Baltimore	142 tackles (104 solo)
2004	D.J. Williams, Denver	102 tackles (74 solo)*
1993	Darrin Smith, Dallas	93 tackles (49 solo)
2001	Dan Morgan, Carolina	75 tackles (47 solo)
2000	Nate Webster, Tampa Bay	32 tackles (18 solo)
1993	Jessie Armstead, NY Giants	31 tackles (28 solo)
1993	Mike Barrow, Houston	26 tackles (21 solo)

* - Williams is on pace to finish the season with 117 tackles, a rookie total that would rank behind only Ray Lewis among former Miami linebackers.

HEAD OF THE CLASS

Williams is on pace to record 117 tackles this year, and currently leads the team with 102 (74 solo). If his tackle total remains the highest on the team, it would make him only the second rookie ever to lead the Broncos and mark the first time in 32 years that such a feat has occurred. The last time a rookie led Denver was in 1972 when linebacker Tom Graham, a fourth-round draft choice from Oregon, tied for a team-high 91 tackles.

HOLDING THE OPPONENTS AT BAY

The Broncos have held eight of their 13 opponents under 20 points this season. Under Head Coach Shanahan, they are 67-15 (.817) when they hold their opponents under 20 points. In addition, the club is 44-3 (.936) when holding the opponent to 15 points or less, including six of 10 teams this year. Also, in that time the Broncos have only lost once when holding the opponent to 10 points or less. Below is a list of the 31 games in which Denver's defense has held the opponent to 10 points or under since 1995, (20-0 home and 10-1 on the road).

GAMES IN WHICH THE BRONCOS HAVE HELD THEIR OPPONENTS TO 10 POINTS OR LESS

Sept. 3, 1995	W 22-7	vs. Buffalo
Oct. 8, 1995	W 37-3	at New England
Oct. 16, 1995	W 27-0	vs. Oakland
Nov. 5, 1995	W 38-6	vs. Arizona

Sept. 1, 1996	W 31-6	vs. New York Jets
Sept. 29, 1996	W 14-10	at Cincinnati
Oct. 27, 1996	W 34-7	vs. Kansas City
Nov. 17, 1996	W 34-8	at New England
Dec. 1, 1996	W 34-7	vs. Seattle
Aug. 31, 1997	W 19-3	vs. Kansas City
Nov. 9, 1997	W 34-0	vs. Carolina
Nov. 24, 1997	W 31-3	vs. Oakland
Dec. 21, 1997	W 38-3	vs. San Diego
Nov. 8, 1998	W 27-10	vs. San Diego
Nov. 16, 1998	W 30-7	at Kansas City
Oct. 17, 1999	W 31-10	vs. Green Bay
Dec. 25, 1999	W 17-7	at Detroit
Oct. 8, 2000	W 21-7	at San Diego
Oct. 15, 2000	W 44-10	vs. Cleveland
Dec. 23, 2000	W 38-9	vs. San Francisco
Oct. 7, 2001	W 20-6	vs. Kansas City
Dec. 9, 2001	W 20-7	vs. Seattle
Oct. 6, 2002	W 26-9	vs. San Diego
Nov. 17, 2002	W 31-9	at Seattle
Dec. 29, 2002	W 37-7	vs. Arizona
Sept. 7, 2003	W 30-10	at Cincinnati
Sept. 22, 2003	W 31-10	vs. Oakland
Nov. 16, 2003	W 37-8	vs. San Diego
Nov. 30, 2003	W 22-8	at Oakland
Sept. 19, 2004	L 6-7	at Jacksonville
Oct. 17, 2004	W 31-3	at Oakland

BRONCOS TOPS IN THE AFC SINCE FREE AGENCY BEGAN (1993)

Since the league's current free-agent system began in 1993, the Broncos have been extremely successful. In fact, the team has the AFC's best record, 115-75 (.605), and ranks second overall. Below are the NFL's top teams since free agency began:

NFL'S WINNINGEST TEAMS SINCE FREE AGENCY BEGAN (1993)

Team	Record	Playoff Appearances	Super Bowl Wins
1. Green Bay	125-65 (.658)	9	1
2. Denver	115-75 (.605)	6	2
3. San Francisco	112-78 (.589)	8	1
4. Kansas City	110-80 (.579)	5	0
5. Miami	107-82 (.566)	7	0

CENTURY MARK AND BEYOND

The Denver Broncos have had one of the most potent rushing attacks in the NFL since Head Coach Mike Shanahan took over in 1995. In addition to having five different running backs rush for over 1,000 yards in a season (Terrell Davis, Olandis Gary, Mike Anderson, Clinton Portis and Reuben Droughns, who eclipsed the 1,000 yard mark in Week 13 vs. Miami), the Broncos are tops in the NFL with most individual 100-yard games with 75, including eight this season (six by Reuben Droughns, and one each by Quentin Griffin and Tatum Bell). Below is a list of the NFL's top teams in 100-yard performers since 1995.

MOST INDIVIDUAL 100-YARD GAMES SINCE 1995, NFL

Team	100-yd. Games
1. Denver	75
2. Pittsburgh	63
3. Indianapolis	55
4. Dallas	53
5. Detroit	48

THE DROUGHNS FILE

In Denver's 20-17 win over Miami, Reuben Droughns rushed for 62 yards on 18 carries, and eclipsed the 1,000-yard mark. On the season, he has 1,073 yards rushing on 238 carries (4.5) and four touchdowns. He is the fifth different running back under Head Coach Mike Shanahan to go over 1,000 yards in a season (Terrell Davis, Olandis Gary, Mike Anderson and Clinton Portis).

BETTER LATE THAN NEVER

In his fifth NFL season, Reuben Droughns eclipsed the 1,000-yard mark for the first time in his Broncos career Dec. 12 vs. Miami (currently sits with 1,048 yards on 234 carries). Along with former Denver running back Floyd Little, who also was a first-time 1,000-yard rusher in his fifth NFL season, that is the latest in a career that a Bronco has reached 1,000 yards for the first time.

Player	Year of first 1,000-yard season
Reuben Droughns	5 th (2004)
Floyd Little	5 th (1971)
Gaston Green	4 th (1991)
Sammy Winder	3 rd (1984)
Otis Armstrong	2 nd (1974)

HOLD THE STUFFING

A very solid offensive line and a powerful running back is a great combination for gaining positive yardage in the run game. Running back Reuben Droughns leads the NFL in terms of not getting stuffed behind the line of scrimmage for negative yards. In 238 attempts this season, Droughns has only been tackled for negative yards 15 times (26 yards), and leads the NFL at 6.3 percent (minimum of 175 carries). Below is a list of the NFL's top-5 backs in "stuff" percentage:

NFL LEADERS IN "STUFF" PERCENTAGE (min. 175 attempts)

Player	Rushes	Times Stuffed	Yds. Lost	Stuff%
1. Reuben Droughns (DEN)	238	15	26	6.3%
2. Duce Staley (PIT)	184	13	23	7.1%
3. Curtis Martin (NYJ)	330	24	47	7.3%
4. Chris Brown (TEN)	220	17	28	7.7%
5. Edgerrin James (IND)	311	25	39	8.0%

100-YARDS AND RUNNING

The Broncos have won 10 of their last 12 games and 35 of their last 43 when a running back rushes for 100 yards or more.

BRONCOS' WINS WHEN A RUNNING BACK TOPS 100-YARDS

Player	Yards	Opponent	Result
1. Terrell Davis	178 yards	Seattle (12/27/98)	W 28-21
2. Olandis Gary	124 yards	Green Bay (10/17/99)	W 31-10
3. Olandis Gary	108 yards	at San Diego (11/7/99)	W 33-17
4. Olandis Gary	183 yards	Seattle (12/19/99)	W 36-30
5. Olandis Gary	185 yards	at Detroit (12/25/99)	W 17-7
6. Mike Anderson	131 yards	Atlanta (9/10/00)	W 42-14
7. Mike Anderson	187 yards	at Oakland (9/17/00)	W 33-24
8. Mike Anderson	103 yards	Cleveland (10/15/00)	W 44-10
9. Terrell Davis	115 yards	at N.Y. Jets (11/5/00)	W 30-23
10. Mike Anderson	195 yards	at Seattle (11/26/00)	W 38-31
11. Mike Anderson	251 yards	at New Orleans (12/3/00)	W 38-23
12. Mike Anderson	131 yards	Seattle (12/10/00)	W 31-24
13. Terrell Davis	101 yards	N.Y. Giants (9/10/01)	W 31-20

14. Mike Anderson	155 yards	Kansas City (10/7/01)	W 20-6
15. Mike Anderson	118 yards	at Dallas (11/22/01)	W 26-24
16. Terrell Davis	109 yards	Seattle (12/9/01)	W 20-7
17. Clinton Portis	103 yards	Buffalo (9/22/02)	W 28-23
18. Clinton Portis	102 yards	San Diego (10/6/02)	W 26-9
19. Clinton Portis	111 yards	at New England (10/27/02)	W 24-16
20. Clinton Portis	136 yards	at Seattle (11/17/02)	W 31-9
Clinton Portis	159 yards	at San Diego (12/1/02)	L 37-30 OT
Clinton Portis	103 yards	at New York (12/8/02)	L 13-19
21. Clinton Portis	130 yards	Kansas City (12/15/02)	W 31-24
22. Clinton Portis	228 yards	Arizona (12/29/02)	W 37-7
23. Clinton Portis	120 yards	at Cincinnati (9/7/03)	W 30-10
24. Clinton Portis	129 yards	at San Diego (9/14/03)	W 37-13
Clinton Portis	141 yards	at Kansas City (10/5/03)	L 23-24
Clinton Portis	117 yards	at Minnesota (10/19/03)	L 20-28
Clinton Portis	111 yards	vs. New England (11/3/03)	L 26-30
25. Clinton Portis	106 yards	vs. San Diego (11/16/03)	W 37-8
Clinton Portis	165 yards	vs. Chicago (11/23/03)	L 10-19
26. Clinton Portis	170 yards	at Oakland (11/30/03)	W 22-8
27. Clinton Portis	218 yards	vs. Kansas City (12/7/03)	W 45-27
28. Clinton Portis	139 yards	vs. Cleveland (12/14/03)	W23-20OT
29. Quentin Griffin	136 yards	at Indianapolis (12/21/03)	W 31-17
30. Quentin Griffin	156 yards	vs. Kansas City (9/12/04)	W 34-24
31. R. Droughns	193 yards	vs. Carolina (10/10/04)	W 20-17
32. R. Droughns	176 yards	at Oakland (10/17/04)	W 31-3
R. Droughns	110 yards	at Cincinnati (10/25/04)	L 10-23
33. R. Droughns	120 yards	vs. Houston (11/7/04)	W 31-13
34. R. Droughns	166 yards	at New Orleans (11/21/04)	W 34-13
R. Droughns	102 yards	vs. Oakland (11/28/04)	L 24-25
35. Tatum Bell	123 yards	vs. Miami (11/12/04)	W 20-17

SHUTOUTS, WE NO NEED NO STINKIN' SHUTOUTS

It's a rare day when the Broncos can't score any points. Denver currently holds the third longest current streak in the NFL for consecutive games without being shutout at 195. Below is a list of the top current streaks in the league.

MOST CONSECUTIVE GAMES WITHOUT BEING SHUTOUT, NFL

Team	Games
1. Minnesota	216
2. Green Bay	212
3. Denver	195

HOLD IT RIGHT THERE

When John Elway was ruling the roost in Denver, comebacks were often times the only thing people talked about. But since Head Coach Mike Shanahan took over the reigns in 1995, the Broncos have learned to not allow the opponents to come back on them. In Shanahan's tenure, the Broncos are 83-12 (.874) in games in which they led after three quarters.

BRONCOS RECORD WHEN LEADING AFTER THREE QUARTERS

Year	Record	Pct.
1995	6-1	.857
1996	10-1	.909
1997	12-0	1.000
1998	13-0	1.000
1999	5-2	.714
2000	9-1	.900
2001	7-2	.778
2002	8-2	.800
2003	9-3	.750
2004	4-0	1.000
Total	83-12	.874

RUMMY .500

With its current 8-6 record, and after finishing 10-6 in 2003, Denver continued to improve its streak of 73 straight weeks with a .500 or better record, the longest current streak in the NFL.

CURRENT STREAKS / CONSECUTIVE WEEKS WITH .500+ RECORD

73	Denver Broncos (10/08/2000 to present)
30	Seattle Seahawks and Minnesota Vikings

HOME, SWEET HOME

The Broncos have amassed the NFL's best home record since 1974 in the regular season and postseason. Denver also has the most regular season home victories in the league since 1974, and the most victories, regular and postseason, since 1974:

Team	Regular Season	Postseason	Total	Pct.
1. Denver	178-61-1 (.744)	11-2 (.846)	189-63-1	.749
2. Pittsburgh	169-69-1 (.709)	14-5 (.700)	183-74-1	.711
3. Miami*	166-69-1 (.706)	11-6 (.647)	178-74-1	.706
4. Dallas	160-80-0 (.667)	14-4 (.778)	174-84-0	.674
5. Washington	149-88-1 (.628)	10-1 (.909)	159-89-1	.641

* - plays Monday night at home

SHANAHAN TOPS THE CHART

Mike Shanahan's 10-year regular season record is currently first among active coaches in the league since 1995:

TOP RECORDS AMONG ACTIVE COACHES IN NFL, 1995-03

Head Coach, Team (s)	Record	Pct.
1. Mike Shanahan, Denver	99-59	.627
2. Bill Cowher, Pittsburgh	97-60-1	.617
3. Mike Holmgren, Green Bay/Seattle	96-62	.608
4. Jeff Fisher, Tennessee	92-66	.582

DENVER STRIKES FAST UNDER SHANAHAN

Since Mike Shanahan became Denver's head coach prior to the start of the 1995 season, the Broncos have not only scored the most points in the first quarter in the NFL, but they also have the biggest point-differential in the first quarter:

BEST FIRST-QUARTER POINT-DIFFERENTIAL SINCE 1995

Team	Differential	Points For	Points Against
1. Denver	+437	953	516
2. Tennessee	+235	808	573
3. Green Bay	+163	709	546

In addition, in Head Coach Mike Shanahan's career, he is first in NFL history in first-quarter leads. In Shanahan's 178 games coached, he has enjoyed a lead at the end of the first quarter 89 times (.500), which ranks first:

	Games	1 st -Qtr. Leads	Pct.
1. Mike Shanahan	178	89	50.0
2. Greasy Neal	101	50	49.5
3. Jeff Fisher	164	81	49.4

"30" IS THE MAGIC NUMBER, YEAH IT IS

Since Head Coach Mike Shanahan took over the Broncos' coaching reins in 1995, Denver has scored 30 or more points **38 times** (twice in postseason) at home, and 20 or more points **71 times** (4 times in playoff action) at home in 82 regular season

and four playoff games. Including road games, they have scored 30 or more points **64 times** (including 3 times in the playoffs) and 20 or more points **123 times** in the 153 regular season games and nine postseason games under him. As noted above, Denver's record in the 64 games in which it has scored 30 or more points under Shanahan is an amazing **62-2** (which includes 3-0 in playoff competition), including a **38-0** mark (which includes a 2-0 playoff record) at Mile High Stadium and INVESCO Field at Mile High.

ELAM MOVED OVER 1,400 CAREER POINTS

In 186 career games, Jason Elam has scored 1,414 career points—and two weeks ago with his five points at San Diego (12/5)—and has eclipsed the 1,400-point plateau faster than any player in NFL history. Nick Lowery held the NFL record, reaching the mark in 203 career games.

FASTEST TO 1,400 CAREER POINTS, NFL HISTORY

Name	Games Needed
1. Jason Elam	184 games
2. Nick Lowery	203 games
3. Gary Anderson	205 games
4. Morten Andersen	207 games

In addition, Elam surpassed the 1,300 career points mark in just his 170th career game, and was the fastest player in NFL history to accomplish that feat:

FASTEST TO 1,300 CAREER POINTS, NFL HISTORY

Name	Games Needed
1. Jason Elam	170 games
2. Nick Lowery	188 games
3. Gary Anderson	191 games

ELAM REACHES ANOTHER CAREER MILESTONE

Kicker Jason Elam joined a very elite group in NFL history this season by becoming just the 16th player ever to hit 300 career field goals. Elam now has 310 career field goals, and ranks sixth among active kickers.

ACTIVE KICKERS WITH 300 OR MORE FIELD GOALS

Name	FGs
1. Gary Anderson (TEN)	535
2. Morten Andersen (MIN)	518
3. John Carney (NO)	364
4. Matt Stover (BAL)	347
5. Steve Christie (NYG)	331
6. Jason Elam (DEN)	310

And, of the kickers in league history who have reached this number, Elam did it faster than any other, taking just 177 games to accomplish the feat (11 faster than John Carney).

GAMES NEEDED TO REACH 300 CAREER FIELD GOALS

Name	Games
1. Jason Elam	177
2. John Carney	188
3. Gary Anderson	191
Nick Lowery	191

ELAM HAS NFL'S SECOND LONGEST SCORING STREAK

Jason Elam is on quite a tear. He has scored at least one point in every game of his career (186), which is tied for the second longest streak in NFL history for scoring in consecutive games. If Elam scores a point in Denver's next game, he'll pass Jim Breech for sole possession of second place all time (186).

LONGEST CONSECUTIVE SCORING STREAKS, NFL HISTORY

Player	Games	Years
1. Morten Andersen	327	1983-Present
2. Jason Elam	186	1993-Present
Jim Breech	186	1979-92
4. Ray Wersching	155	1977-87

ELAM RANKS SECOND ALL-TIME IN 50+ FGS

The 50-yard field goal by Elam in Denver's 20-17 win vs. Miami (12/12) was the 34th of his career (regular season). He currently ranks second all-time in field goals of 50+-yards.

CAREER FIELD GOALS OF 50+-YARDS, ALL-TIME

Name	Field Goals
1. Morten Andersen (NO, ATL, NYG, KC, MIN)	40
2. Jason Elam (Denver)	34
3. Jason Hanson (DET)	25
John Kasay (SEA, CAR)	25

ELAM IS 1ST IN CAREER PAT PCT.

Elam is the NFL's leader in career PAT percentage at 99.6 percent (484 of 486):

NFL'S CAREER LEADERS IN PAT PERCENTAGE

Name	Made	Att.	Pct.
1. Jason Elam (DEN)	484	486	99.6
2. Tommy Davis	348	350	99.4
3. Mike Vanderjagt (IND)	288	290	99.3
Matt Stover (BAL)	427	430	99.3
5. Jeff Wilkins (STL)	394	397	99.2

ELAM AMONG THE LEADERS

Jason Elam ranks among the league leaders in fields goals made inside 40 yards since he entered the league in 1993:

NFL'S MOST ACCURATE KICKERS INSIDE 40 YDS. SINCE 1993

Player	Team(s)	FG/FGA	Pct.
1. Jason Hanson	Detroit	184/193	.953
2. Matt Stover	Baltimore/Cleveland	210/221	.950
3. John Kasay	Carolina/Seattle	160/170	.941
4. Jason Elam	Denver	205/219	.936
5. Morten Andersen	MIN/K.C./N.O./ATL/N.Y.G.	180/194	.928

ELAM AMONG THE LEADERS (PART 2)

Jason Elam ranks first in the NFL in points scored (1,414) and field goals made (310) since entering the league in 1993. Here is a look at the tops in each category:

MOST POINTS SCORED, 1993-2004

Player	Current Team	Points
1. Jason Elam	Denver	1,414
2. Gary Anderson	Tennessee	1,298
3. Matt Stover	Baltimore	1,295
4. Morten Andersen	Minnesota	1,262
5. John Carney	New Orleans	1,231

MOST FIELD GOALS MADE, 1993-2004

Player	Current Team	FGs
1. Jason Elam	Denver	310
Matt Stover	Baltimore	310
3. John Carney	New Orleans	298
4. Jason Hanson	Detroit	281
5. Gary Anderson	Tennessee	278

A "SCORE" TO SETTLE

In only 11 years, Jason Elam has scored 1,414 career points, which ranks sixth among the league's active leaders. In addition, Elam ranks 16th all-time in league history, and with nine more points, can move past Matt Bahr for 15th. Below is a list of the NFL's top-6 active scorers:

TOP-5 ACTIVE SCORERS, NFL

Player	Yrs	TDs	PATs	FGs	Total Pts
1. Gary Anderson, Ten.	23	0	816	535	2,421
2. Morten Anderson, Min	23	0	793	518	2,347
3. John Carney, N.O.	17	0	436	364	1,528
4. Matt Stover, Bal.	14	0	427	347	1,468
5. Steve Christie, NYG	15	0	463	331	1,456
6. Jason Elam, Den.	12	0	484	310	1,414

ELAM THIRD IN CAREER 100-POINT SEASONS

Kicker Jason Elam, who has scored 101 points in 14 games this season, passed the 100-point plateau for the 12th time in his career, which ranks third all-time among kickers.

NFL'S CAREER LEADERS IN 100-POINT SEASONS

Name	100-pt Seasons	Years Played
1. Morten Andersen (MIN)	14	1982-Present
Gary Anderson (TEN)	14	1982-Present
3. Jason Elam	12	1993-Present
4. Nick Lowery	11	1980-1996
5. Norm Johnson	9	1982-1999
Pete Stoyanovich	9	1989-2000

In addition, Elam's 12 consecutive 100-point seasons is the most in NFL history.

MOST CONSECUTIVE 100-POINT SEASONS, NFL HISTORY

Name	100-pt Seasons	Years
1. Jason Elam	12	1993-Present
2. Adam Vinatieri	9	1996-Present
3. Ryan Longwell	9	1997-Present
4. Mike Vanderjagt	7	1998-Present

ELAM FOURTH IN GAMES PLAYED

By playing in all 14 games this season, Jason Elam has moved into fourth place all-time Broncos history in regular-season games played with 186. He can pass Paul Howard 187 by playing in Denver's final two games this season.

MOST GAMES PLAYED BRONCOS HISTORY (REGULAR SEASON)

Name	Games	Years Played
1. John Elway	234	1983-98
2. Tom Jackson	191	1973-86
3. Paul Howard	187	1973-86
4. Jason Elam	186	1993-Present
5. Dennis Smith	184	1981-94

WHAT TO LOOK FOR...**HEAD COACH MIKE SHANAHAN**

- Needs to win one more game in 2004 to reach 100 regular-season coaching victories faster than any coach in franchise history. Dan Reeves, the only other coach with as many wins, took 166 games to win his 100th. Shanahan currently has a 99-57 record (156 games) in the regular season.

KICKER JASON ELAM

- Needs nine points to pass Matt Bahr (1,422) for 15th, and 25 to move past Jim Turner (1,439) for 14th on the NFL's all-time top scorers list.

QUARTERBACK JAKE PLUMMER

- Needs 96 yards passing to pass John Elway (3,635 in 1997) for fourth place, 352 to pass Elway (3,891 in 1985) for third place, 431 to pass Elway (3,970 in 1995) for second place and 491 to pass Elway (4,030 in 1993) for first place on Denver's single-season passing yards list.

- Needs 716 yards to pass Steve Ramsey (6,437) for sixth place on Denver's all-time passing yards list.

- Needs three completions to pass Steve Ramsey (456) for sixth place and 64 to pass Charley Johnson (517) for fifth place on the Broncos' all-time completions list.

- Needs 44 attempts to pass Steve Tensi (810) for seventh place and 153 to pass Steve Ramsey (919) on Denver's all-time passing attempts list.

- Needs 278 combined yards to pass Floyd Little (6,366) for eighth place and 349 to pass Steve Ramsey (6,437) for seventh place on Denver's all-time combined yardage list.

- Needs one touchdown passes to pass Steve Tensi (38) for sixth place and 14 to pass Frank Tripucka (51) for fifth place on the Broncos' all-time touchdown passes list.

- Needs two touchdown passes to pass Frank Tripucka (24 in 1960) for fifth place, four to pass John Elway (25 in 1993) for fourth place, five to pass John Elway (26 in 1995 & 1996) for second place and six to pass John Elway (27 in 1997) for first place on the Broncos' all-time single-season TD passes list.

WIDE RECEIVER ROD SMITH

- Needs to score one touchdown to pass Terrell Davis (65) for first place on Denver's all-time career touchdowns scored list.

- Needs 23 catches to pass Marshall Faulk (722, current) for 19th place in NFL history for career receptions.

- Needs 126 receiving yards to pass Keenan McCardell (9,763, current) for 24th place and 135 to pass Terrell Owens (9,772, current) for 23rd place in NFL history for career receiving yards.

2004 AFC WEST STANDINGS

Team	W	L	T	PCT.	PF	PA	Home	Road	DIV	AFC	NFC
SD	11	3	0	.786	391	262	6-1	5-2	4-1	8-2	3-1
DEN	8	6	0	.571	311	274	5-2	3-4	3-3	5-5	3-1
KC	6	8	0	.429	435	381	3-4	3-4	2-2	5-5	1-3
OAK	5	9	0	.357	284	398	3-4	2-5	1-4	3-7	2-2

2004 AFC EAST STANDINGS

Team	W	L	T	PCT.	PF	PA	Home	Road	DIV	AFC	NFC
NE	12	1	0	.923	365	217	7-0	5-1	4-0	9-1	3-0
NYJ	10	4	0	.714	297	206	6-1	4-3	3-2	7-4	3-0
BUF	8	6	0	.571	330	248	5-2	3-4	3-3	5-6	3-0
MIA	2	11	0	.154	213	289	1-5	1-6	0-5	0-9	2-2

2004 AFC NORTH STANDINGS

Team	W	L	T	PCT.	PF	PA	Home	Road	DIV	AFC	NFC
PIT	13	1	0	.929	323	220	7-0	6-1	4-1	9-1	4-0
BAL	8	6	0	.571	280	225	5-2	3-4	3-2	5-5	3-1
CIN	6	8	0	.429	313	340	4-3	2-5	2-4	4-8	2-0
CLE	3	11	0	.214	247	366	3-5	0-6	2-4	2-8	1-3

2004 AFC SOUTH STANDINGS

Team	W	L	T	PCT.	PF	PA	Home	Road	DIV	AFC	NFC
IND	11	3	0	.786	474	287	6-1	5-2	5-1	7-3	4-0
JAC	8	6	0	.571	248	253	4-3	4-3	2-3	5-5	3-1
HOU	6	8	0	.429	274	317	3-4	3-4	3-2	5-5	1-3
TEN	4	10	0	.286	304	383	1-5	3-5	1-5	3-8	1-2

2004 NFC WEST STANDINGS

Team	W	L	T	PCT.	PF	PA	Home	Road	DIV	AFC	NFC
SEA	7	7	0	.500	319	326	3-3	4-4	2-3	6-4	1-3
STL	6	8	0	.429	267	356	4-2	2-6	5-1	6-5	0-3
ARI	5	9	0	.357	251	291	4-3	1-6	2-3	4-6	1-3
SF	2	12	0	.143	245	390	1-6	1-6	2-4	2-10	0-2

2004 NFC EAST STANDINGS

Team	W	L	T	PCT.	PF	PA	Home	Road	DIV	AFC	NFC
PHI	13	1	0	.929	369	202	7-0	6-1	6-0	11-0	2-1
DAL	5	9	0	.357	256	367	3-4	2-5	1-3	4-6	1-3
NYG	5	9	0	.357	253	300	2-5	3-4	2-3	4-7	1-2
WAS	5	9	0	.357	209	234	2-5	3-4	1-4	5-5	0-4

2004 NFC NORTH STANDINGS

Team	W	L	T	PCT.	PF	PA	Home	Road	DIV	AFC	NFC
GB	8	6	0	.571	359	335	4-4	4-2	3-1	7-3	1-3
MIN	8	6	0	.571	356	340	5-2	3-4	3-2	5-5	3-1
CHI	5	9	0	.357	204	281	2-5	3-4	2-2	4-6	1-3
DET	5	9	0	.357	258	313	2-5	3-4	1-4	4-7	1-2

2004 NFC SOUTH STANDINGS

Team	W	L	T	PCT.	PF	PA	Home	Road	DIV	AFC	NFC
ATL	11	3	0	.786	301	283	7-1	4-2	4-1	8-2	3-1
CAR	6	8	0	.429	300	298	3-4	3-4	2-2	5-5	1-3
NO	6	8	0	.429	301	374	2-5	4-3	1-3	4-6	2-2
TB	5	9	0	.357	274	255	4-3	1-6	2-3	4-6	1-3

2004 GAME-BY-GAME OFFENSIVE STARTERS

GAME	WR	LT	LG	C	RG	RT	TE	WR	QB	RB	FB
Kansas City	Smith	Lepsis	Hamilton	Nalen	Neil	Foster	Putzier	Lelie	Plummer	Griffin	Droughns
at Jacksonville	Smith	Lepsis	Hamilton	Nalen	Neil	Foster	Carswell	Lelie	Plummer	Griffin	Hape (TE)
San Diego	Smith	Lepsis	Hamilton	Nalen	Neil	Foster	Carswell	Lelie	Plummer	Griffin	Droughns
at Tampa Bay	Smith	Lepsis	Hamilton	Nalen	Neil	Foster	Carswell	Lelie	Plummer	Griffin	Droughns
Carolina	Smith	Lepsis	Hamilton	Nalen	Neil	Foster	Carswell	Lelie	Plummer	Droughns	Watts (WR)
at Oakland	Smith	Lepsis	Hamilton	Nalen	Neil	Foster	Carswell	Lelie	Plummer	Droughns	Putzier (TE)
at Cincinnati	Smith	Lepsis	Hamilton	Nalen	Neil	Foster	Hape	Lelie	Plummer	Droughns	K. Johnson
Atlanta	Smith	Lepsis	Hamilton	Nalen	Neil	Foster	Carswell	Lelie	Plummer	Droughns	Putzier (TE)
Houston	Smith	Lepsis	Hamilton	Nalen	Neil	Foster	Carswell	Lelie	Plummer	Droughns	Putzier (TE)
at New Orleans	Smith	Lepsis	Hamilton	Nalen	Neil	Foster	Carswell	Lelie	Plummer	Droughns	K. Johnson
Oakland	Smith	Lepsis	Hamilton	Nalen	Neil	Foster	Carswell	Lelie	Plummer	Droughns	Watts (WR)
at San Diego	Smith	Lepsis	Hamilton	Nalen	Neil	Foster	Carswell	Lelie	Plummer	Droughns	K. Johnson
Miami	Smith	Lepsis	Hamilton	Nalen	Carlisle	Foster	Carswell	Lelie	Plummer	Droughns	Hape (TE)
at Kansas City	Smith	Lepsis	Hamilton	Nalen	Carlisle	Foster	Carswell	Lelie	Plummer	Droughns	Putzier (TE)
at Tennessee											
Indianapolis											

2004 GAME-BY-GAME DEFENSIVE STARTERS

GAME	LE	LT	RT	RE	WLB	MLB	SLB	LCB	RCB	SS	FS
Kansas City	Coleman	Fatafehi	Pryce	R. Johnson	Williams	Wilson	Spragan	Bailey	Herndon	Kennedy	Lynch
at Jacksonville	Coleman	Fatafehi	Pope	Hayward	Williams	Wilson	Spragan	Bailey	Herndon	Kennedy	Lynch
San Diego	Coleman	Fatafehi	Pope	Hayward	Williams	Wilson	Spragan	Bailey	Herndon	Kennedy	Lynch
at Tampa Bay	Coleman	Fatafehi	Pope	Hayward	Williams	Wilson	Spragan	Bailey	Herndon	Kennedy	Lynch
Carolina	Coleman	Fatafehi	Pope	Hayward	Williams	Wilson	Spragan	Bailey	Herndon	Kennedy	Lynch
at Oakland	Coleman	Fatafehi	Pope	Hayward	Williams	Wilson	Spragan	Bailey	Herndon	Kennedy	Lynch
at Cincinnati	Coleman	Fatafehi	Pope	Hayward	Williams	Wilson	Spragan	Bailey	Herndon	Kennedy	Lynch
Atlanta	Coleman	Fatafehi	Pope	Hayward	Williams	Wilson	Spragan	Bailey	Herndon	Kennedy	Lynch
Houston	Coleman	Fatafehi	Pope	Hayward	Middlebrooks (CB)	Wilson	Spragan	Bailey	Herndon	Kennedy	Ferguson
at New Orleans	Coleman	Fatafehi	Pope	Hayward	Williams	Wilson	Spragan	Bailey	Herndon	Kennedy	Lynch
Oakland	Coleman	Fatafehi	Pope	Hayward	Walls (CB)	Wilson	Spragan	Bailey	Herndon	Kennedy	Lynch
at San Diego	Coleman	Fatafehi	Pope	Hayward	Williams	Wilson	Middlebrooks (CB)	Bailey	Herndon	Kennedy	Lynch
Miami	Coleman	Fatafehi	Pope	Hayward	Williams	Wilson	Spragan	Bailey	Herndon	Kennedy	Lynch
at Kansas City	Coleman	Fatafehi	Pope	Hayward	Williams	Wilson	Spragan	Bailey	Herndon	Kennedy	Lynch
at Tennessee											
Indianapolis											

DENVER'S RECORD IS...

6-1	when leading after 1st quarter	0-1	when Denver passes for 300 yards
7-1	when leading after 2nd quarter	1-1	when opponent passes for 300 yards
4-0	when leading after 3rd quarter	1-0	when playing in domes
2-3	when trailing after 1st quarter	7-6	when playing outdoors
0-5	when trailing after 2nd quarter	1-0	when playing on an artificial surface
1-6	when trailing after 3rd quarter	7-6	when playing on natural grass
5-2	when Denver scores first	4-3	when winning the coin toss
3-4	when opponent scores first	4-3	when losing the coin toss
3-0	when tied at the half	7-2	when scoring 20 or more points
7-4	when Denver rushes for 100 yards	1-5	when yielding 20 or more points
4-3	when opponent rushes for 100 yards	0-0	in overtime games
3-0	when winning turnover margin	4-5	when losing turnover margin

2004 BRONCOS TURNOVER RATIO

Opponent	GIVEAWAYS			TAKEAWAYS			Difference	Result
	Fumbles	Interceptions	Total	Fumbles	Interceptions	Total		
Kansas City	1	2	3	0	1	1	-2	W 34-24
at Jacksonville	1	0	1	0	0	0	-1	L 6-7
San Diego	1	0	1	1	0	1	E	W 23-13
at Tampa Bay	0	0	0	1	0	1	+1	W 16-13
Carolina	0	2	2	0	0	0	-2	W 20-17
at Oakland	0	1	1	1	1	2	+1	W 31-3
at Cincinnati	1	2	3	0	1	1	-2	L 10-23
Atlanta	0	3	2	1	0	1	-2	L 28-41
Houston	0	0	0	0	0	0	E	W 31-13
at New Orleans	0	0	0	1	3	4	+4	W 34-13
Oakland	2	1	3	1	2	3	E	L 24-25
at San Diego	0	4	4	1	1	2	-2	L 17-20
Miami	1	2	3	0	1	1	-2	W 20-17
at Kansas City	1	2	3	0	0	0	-3	L 17-45
at Tennessee								
Indianapolis								
TOTALS	8	19	27	7	10	17	-10	8-6

2004 INDIVIDUAL SINGLE-GAME HIGHS

BRONCOS

YARDS RUSHING.....	193, Reuben Droughns, vs. Carolina (10/10/04)
RUSHING ATTEMPTS	38, Reuben Droughns, at Oakland (10/17/04)
RUSHING TOUCHDOWNS.....	2, Tatum Bell, vs. Miami (12/12/04) and Quentin Griffin, vs. Kansas City (9/12/04)
YARDS PASSING	499, Jake Plummer, vs. Atlanta (10/31/04)
PASS ATTEMPTS	55, Jake Plummer, vs. Atlanta (10/31/04)
PASS COMPLETIONS.....	31, Jake Plummer, vs. Atlanta (10/31/04)
TOUCHDOWN PASSES	4, Two times; most recent; vs. Houston (11/7/04)
PASSES HAD INTERCEPTED	4, Jake Plummer, at San Diego (12/6/04)
RECEPTIONS.....	9, Rod Smith, vs. Atlanta (10/31/04)
RECEIVING YARDS	208, Rod Smith, vs. Atlanta (10/31/04)
RECEIVING TOUCHDOWNS	1, 19 times; most recent; Smith at Kansas City (12/19/04)
TOTAL YARDS FROM SCRIMMAGE.....	214, Rod Smith, vs. Atlanta (10/31/04)
FIELD GOALS	3, Jason Elam, at Tampa Bay (10/03/04) and vs. San Diego (9/26/04)
TACKLES	13, Two times; most recent; D.J. Williams at San Diego (12/5/04)
INTERCEPTIONS	1, Ten times; most recent; Wilson vs. Miami (12/12/04)
SACKS	2.0, Anton Palepoi, at Oakland (10/17/04)
LONGEST RUN FROM SCRIMMAGE.....	51, Reuben Droughns, at New Orleans (11/21/04)
LONGEST PASS COMPLETION	85, Jake Plummer, vs. Oakland (11/28/04)
LONGEST PASS RECEPTION	85, Rod Smith, vs. Oakland (11/28/04)
LONGEST INTERCEPTION RETURN.....	76, Reggie Hayward, at New Orleans (11/21/04)
LONGEST PUNT RETURN	30, Rod Smith, vs. Kansas City (9/12/04)
LONGEST KICKOFF RETURN	48, Reuben Droughns, vs. San Diego (9/26/04)
LONGEST PUNT	66, Micah Knorr, vs. Kansas City (9/12/04)
LONGEST FIELD GOAL.....	52, Jason Elam, vs. Houston (11/7/04)

OPPONENTS

YARDS RUSHING.....	151, Larry Johnson, at Kansas City (12/19/04) and Priest Holmes, vs. Kansas City (9/12/04)
RUSHING ATTEMPTS	30, Larry Johnson, at Kansas City (12/19/04) and LaDainian Tomlinson, at San Diego (12/6/04)
RUSHING TOUCHDOWNS.....	3, Priest Holmes, vs. Kansas City (9/12/04)
YARDS PASSING	377, Aaron Brooks, at New Orleans (11/21/04)
PASS ATTEMPTS	60, Aaron Brooks, at New Orleans (11/21/04)
PASS COMPLETIONS.....	34, Aaron Brooks, at New Orleans (11/21/04)
TOUCHDOWN PASSES	4, Kerry Collins, vs. Oakland (11/28/04)
PASSES HAD INTERCEPTED	3, Aaron Brooks, at New Orleans (11/21/04)
RECEPTIONS.....	11, Deuce McAllister, at New Orleans (11/21/04)
RECEIVING YARDS	149, Chad Johnson, at Cincinnati (10/25/04)
RECEIVING TOUCHDOWNS	3, Jerry Porter, vs. Oakland (11/28/04)
TOTAL YARDS FROM SCRIMMAGE.....	151, Larry Johnson, at Kansas City (12/19/04)
FIELD GOALS	3, Shayne Graham, at Cincinnati (10/25/04)
TACKLES	20, Donnie Edwards, at San Diego (12/6/04)
INTERCEPTIONS	2, Dexter McCleon, at Kansas City (12/19/04)
SACKS	2.0, Kawika Mitchell, at Kansas City (12/19/04) and Justin Smith, at Cincinnati (10/25/04)
LONGEST RUN FROM SCRIMMAGE.....	44, Michael Vick, vs. Atlanta (10/31/04)
LONGEST PASS COMPLETION	63, Kerry Collins, vs. Oakland (11/28/04)
LONGEST PASS RECEPTION	63, Ronald Curry, vs. Oakland (11/28/04)
LONGEST INTERCEPTION RETURN.....	97, Julius Peppers, vs. Carolina (10/10/04)
LONGEST PUNT RETURN	50, Jermaine Lewis, at Jacksonville (9/17/04)
LONGEST KICKOFF RETURN	97, Dante Hall, at Kansas City (12/19/04)
LONGEST PUNT	65, Shane Lechler, at Oakland (10/17/04)
LONGEST FIELD GOAL.....	53, John Kasay, vs. Carolina (10/10/04) and Shayne Graham at Cincinnati (10/25/04)

2004 BRONCOS SINGLE-GAME HIGHS

BRONCOS	HIGHS	LOWS
TOTAL FIRST DOWNS	27, vs. Atlanta (10/31/04)	16, vs. Oakland (11/28/04)
TOTAL NET YARDS	567, vs. Atlanta (10/31/04)	249, at Tampa Bay (10/03/04)
TOTAL OFFENSIVE PLAYS	74, vs. Atlanta (10/31/04)	49, at Tampa Bay (10/03/04)
NET YARDS RUSHING	254, at Oakland (10/17/04)	37, vs. San Diego (9/26/04)
RUSHING ATTEMPTS	51, at Oakland (10/17/04)	19, vs. Atlanta (10/31/04)
NET YARDS PASSING	499, vs. Atlanta (10/31/04)	138, at Tampa Bay (10/03/04)
PASS ATTEMPTS	55, vs. Atlanta (10/31/04)	23, vs. Oakland (11/28/04)
PASS COMPLETIONS	31, vs. Atlanta (10/31/04)	13, at Tampa Bay (10/03/04)
PASSES HAD INTERCEPTED	4, at San Diego (12/6/04)	0, Four times; most recent; at New Orleans (11/21/04)
TIMES SACKED	6, at Kansas City (12/19/04)	0, Seven times; most recent; vs. Miami (12/12/04)
PUNTS	7, Two times; most recent; vs. Oakland (11/28/04)	2, at Oakland (10/17/04) and vs. Kansas City (9/12/04)
GROSS PUNTING AVERAGE	56.5, vs. Kansas City (9/12/04)	32.0, at Oakland (10/17/04)
NET PUNTING AVERAGE	43.5, vs. Kansas City (9/12/04)	24.6, at Jacksonville (9/17/04)
PUNT RETURNS	7, vs. Miami (12/12/04)	0, vs. San Diego (9/26/04)
PUNT RETURN YARDS	59, at Oakland (10/17/04)	0, at Kansas City (12/19/04) and vs. San Diego (9/26/04)
KICKOFF RETURNS	5, at Cincinnati (10/25/04)	1, vs. Miami (12/12/04) and at Oakland (10/17/04)
KICKOFF RETURN YARDS	155, at Kansas City (12/19/04)	17, vs. Houston (11/7/04)
INTERCEPTION RETURNS	3, at New Orleans (11/21/04)	0, Five times; most recent; at Kansas City (12/19/04)
INTERCEPTION RETURN YARDS	83, at New Orleans (11/21/04)	0, vs. Kansas City (9/12/04)
PENALTIES	10, at Kansas City (12/19/04)	3, vs. San Diego (9/26/04)
YARDS PENALIZED	100, at Kansas City (12/19/04)	25, vs. San Diego (9/26/04)
FUMBLES	3, at Jacksonville (9/17/04) & vs. K.C. (9/12/04)	0, Five times; most recent; at San Diego (12/6/04)
FUMBLES LOST	2, vs. Oakland (11/28/04)	0, Seven times; most recent; at San Diego (12/6/04)
INTERCEPTIONS MADE	3, at New Orleans (11/21/04)	0, Six times; most recent; at Kansas City (12/19/04)
SACKS MADE	4, Four times; most recent; vs. Miami (12/12/04)	0, at Tampa Bay (10/03/04)
FUMBLES FORCED	3, at San Diego (12/6/04)	0, Three times; most recent; vs. Houston (11/7/04)
FUMBLES RECOVERED	1, Six times; most recent; at San Diego (12/6/04)	0, Five times; most recent; at Kansas City (12/19/04)
TIME OF POSSESSION	37:08, at Jacksonville (9/17/04)	26:49, at Kansas City (12/19/04)

2004 OPPONENT SINGLE-GAME HIGHS

OPPONENT	HIGHS	LOWS
TOTAL FIRST DOWNS	22, Three times; most recent; at K.C. (12/19/04)	8, at Jacksonville (9/17/04)
TOTAL NET YARDS	467, vs. Atlanta (10/31/04)	145, at Oakland (10/17/04)
TOTAL OFFENSIVE PLAYS	76, at New Orleans (11/21/04)	40, at Jacksonville (9/17/04)
NET YARDS RUSHING	195, vs. Atlanta (10/31/04)	31, at Oakland (10/17/04)
RUSHING ATTEMPTS	36, at K.C. (12/19/04) and vs. Atlanta (10/31/04)	14, at New Orleans (11/21/04)
NET YARDS PASSING	362, at New Orleans (11/21/04)	86, at San Diego (12/6/04)
PASS ATTEMPTS	60, at New Orleans (11/21/04)	16, at Jacksonville (9/17/04)
PASS COMPLETIONS	34, at New Orleans (11/21/04)	8, at Jacksonville (9/17/04)
PASSES HAD INTERCEPTED	3, at New Orleans (11/21/04)	0, Six times; most recent; at Kansas City (12/19/04)
TIMES SACKED	4, Four times; most recent; vs. Miami (12/12/04)	0, at Tampa Bay (10/03/04)
PUNTS	9, at Jacksonville (9/17/04)	3, vs. Atlanta (10/31/04)
GROSS PUNTING AVERAGE	49.2, vs. San Diego (9/26/04)	32.8, at Kansas City (12/19/04)
NET PUNTING AVERAGE	46.2, vs. Carolina (10/10/04)	32.7, vs. Atlanta (10/31/04)
PUNT RETURNS	5, at Jacksonville (9/17/04)	0, at Oakland (10/17/04)
PUNT RETURN YARDS	78, at Jacksonville (9/17/04)	-6, vs. Houston (11/7/04)
KICKOFF RETURNS	7, at New Orleans (11/21/04)	1, Three times; most recent; vs. Carolina (10/10/04)
KICKOFF RETURN YARDS	174, at New Orleans (11/21/04)	16, vs. Carolina (10/10/04)
INTERCEPTION RETURNS	4, at San Diego (12/6/04)	0, Five times; most recent; at New Orleans (11/21/04)
INTERCEPTION RETURN YARDS	97, vs. Carolina (10/10/04)	0, Six times; most recent; vs. Miami (12/12/04)
PENALTIES	11, at San Diego (12/6/04)	4, vs. Miami (12/12/04)
YARDS PENALIZED	109, vs. Houston (11/7/04)	38, vs. Oakland (11/28/04)
FUMBLES	3, at San Diego (12/6/04)	0, Three times; most recent; vs. Houston (11/7/04)
FUMBLES LOST	1, Seven times; most recent; at San Diego (12/6/04)	0, Six times; most recent; at Kansas City (12/19/04)
INTERCEPTIONS MADE	4, at San Diego (12/6/04)	0, Five times; most recent; at New Orleans (11/21/04)
SACKS MADE	6, at Kansas City (12/19/04)	0, Seven times; most recent; vs. Miami (12/12/04)
FUMBLES FORCED	3, vs. Kansas City (9/12/04)	0, Five times; most recent; at San Diego (12/6/04)
FUMBLES RECOVERED	2, vs. Oakland (11/28/04)	0, Seven times; most recent; at San Diego (12/6/04)
TIME OF POSSESSION	33:11, at Kansas City (12/19/04)	22:52, at Jacksonville (9/17/04)

LONGEST SCORING DRIVES OF 2004

Most Plays:

Broncos: 14 (at Tampa Bay, Oct. 4, FG, 84 yards, 6:32)
 Opponent: 14 (at Tampa Bay, Oct. 4, FG, 62 yards, 5:32)

Most Yards:

Broncos: 99 (vs. Houston, Nov. 7, TD, 7 plays, 3:35)
 Opponent: 99 (at Kansas City, Dec. 19, TD, 10 plays, 6:05)

Most Time:

Broncos: 7:10 (vs. Kansas City, Sept. 12, TD, 13 plays, 87 yards)
 Opponent: 6:26 (at Kansas City, Dec. 19, TD, 11 plays, 87 yards)

2004 SACK CHART

Reggie Hayward (6.5) — 0.5 vs. Kansas City (9/12/04), 1.0 at Jacksonville (9/17/04), 1.0 vs. San Diego (9/26/04), 1.0 vs. Houston (11/7/04), 1.0 at New Orleans (11/21/04), 1.0 vs. Oakland (11/28/04), 1.0 at San Diego (12/6/04); **Marco Coleman (2.5)** — 1.0 vs. Houston (11/7/04), 1.0 vs. Miami (12/12/04), 0.5 at Kansas City (12/19/04); **Luther Elliss (2.0)** — 1.0 at Oakland (10/17/04), 1.0 vs. Houston (11/7/04); **Anton Palepoi (2.0)** — 2.0 at Oakland (10/17/04); **Kenoy Kennedy (2.0)** — 1.0 vs. San Diego (9/26/04), 1.0 vs. Miami (12/12/04); **John Lynch (2.0)** — 1.0 at San Diego (12/6/04), 1.0 vs. Miami (12/12/04); **Ellis Johnson (2.0)** — 1.0 vs. Carolina (10/10/04), 1.0 vs. Miami (12/12/04); **D.J. Williams (2.0)** — 1.0 at Jacksonville (9/19/04), 1.0 at Kansas City (12/19/04); **Al Wilson (2.0)** — 1.0 at Cincinnati (10/25/04), 1.0 at Kansas City (12/19/04); **Mario Fatafeh (2.0)** — 0.5 vs. Kansas City (9/12/04), 1.0 vs. Atlanta (10/31/04), 0.5 at Kansas City (12/19/04); **Raylee Johnson (1.0)** — 1.0 vs. San Diego (9/26/04); **Willie Middelbrooks (1.0)** — 1.0 at Tampa Bay (10/3/04); **Monsanto Pope (1.0)** — 1.0 vs. San Diego (9/26/04); **Donnie Spragan (1.0)** — 1.0 at Oakland (10/17/04); **Kelly Herndon (1.0)** — 1.0 vs. Houston (11/7/04); **Patrick Chukwurah (1.0)** — 1.0 at New Orleans (11/21/04).

SHORTEST SCORING DRIVES OF 2004

Fewest Plays:

Broncos: 1 (at New Orleans, Nov. 21, TD, 51 yards, 0:10)
 Opponent: 1 (vs. Houston, Nov. 7, TD, 1 yds, 0:04)

Fewest Yards:

Broncos: 16 (vs. Houston, Nov. 7, FG, 7 plays, 3:16)
 Opponent: -11 (at Cincinnati, Oct. 25, FG, 4 plays, 1:39)

Fewest Time:

Broncos: 0:10 (at New Orleans, Nov. 21, TD, 1 plays, 51 yards)
 Opponent: 0:04 (vs. Houston, Nov. 7, TD, 1 play, 1 yd)

2004 INTERCEPTION CHART

Champ Bailey (3) — 1 vs. Kansas City (9/12/04), 1 at Cincinnati (10/25/04), 1 at New Orleans (11/21/04)
Al Wilson (2) — 1 at New Orleans (11/21/04), 1 vs. Miami (12/12/04)
Kelly Herndon (1) — 1 at Oakland (10/17/04)
Reggie Hayward (1) — 1 at New Orleans (11/21/04)
John Lynch (1) — 1 vs. Oakland (11/28/04)
Ellis Johnson (1) — 1 vs. Oakland (11/28/04)
Kenoy Kennedy (1) — 1 at San Diego (12/6/04)

BRONCOS INDIVIDUAL LEADERS BY STATISTICAL CATEGORY

Category	Player	AFC Rank	AFC Leader	NFL Rank	NFL Leader
Scoring	Jason Elam — 101	T5th	Vinatieri, New England — 123	T7th	Vinatieri, New England — 123
Rushing	Reuben Droughns — 1073	7th	Martin, New York Jets — 1511	11th	Martin, New York Jets — 1511
Passing Yards	Jake Plummer — 3540	3rd	Manning, Indianapolis — 4168	5th	Manning, Indianapolis — 4168
Passer Rating	Jake Plummer — 80.8	10th	Manning, Indianapolis — 123.9	18th	Manning, Indianapolis — 123.9
Receiving Yards	Rod Smith — 1010	7th	Bennett, Tennessee — 1171	15th	Horn, New Orleans — 1248
Receptions	Rod Smith — 67	12th	Mason, Tennessee — 88	25th	Mason, Tennessee — 88
Punting Avg.	Jason Baker — 39.1	NA*	Lechler, Oakland — 47.6	NA*	Lechler, Oakland — 47.6
Net Punting Avg.	Jason Baker — 32.6	NA*	Scifres, San Diego — 38.4	NA*	Berger, New Orleans — 39.5
Interceptions	Bailey — 3	T17th	Reed, Baltimore — 8	T34th	Reed, Baltimore — 8
Kickoff Ret. Avg.	Reuben Droughns — 24.6	NA*	McGee, Buffalo — 26.6	NA*	Ponder, New York Giants — 28.0
Punt Ret. Avg.	Rod Smith — 10.1	4th	Northcutt, Cleveland — 11.9	8th	Drummond, Detroit — 13.2

* Player does not meet league requirements to qualify for ranking.

HOW THE BRONCOS RANK IN THE AFC AND NFL

OFFENSE	Broncos Total	AFC Rank	AFC Leader	NFL Rank	NFL Leader
Points Per Game	22.2	8th	Indianapolis — 33.9	12th	Indianapolis — 33.9
Total Yards Per Game	384.5	3rd	Kansas City — 415.6	5th	Kansas City — 415.6
Yards Per Play	5.8	3rd	Indianapolis — 6.8	6th	Indianapolis — 6.8
Rushing Yards Per Game	137.8	5th	New York Jets — 154.4	6th	Atlanta — 169.6
Net Passing Yds. Per Game	246.7	4th	Indianapolis — 292.6	8th	Indianapolis — 292.6
Interceptions thrown (fewest)	19	14th	San Diego — 6	28th	San Diego — 6
Sacks (fewest)	15	2nd	Indianapolis — 9	3rd	Indianapolis — 9
First Downs Per Game	21.6	3rd	Indianapolis — 24.4	5th	Indianapolis — 24.4
Third-Down Efficiency	36.7	10th	Kansas City — 46.4	17th	Minnesota — 52.9
Fourth-Down Efficiency	50.0	T5th	San Diego — 71.4	T11th	Tampa Bay — 80.0
DEFENSE	Broncos Total	AFC Rank	AFC Leader	NFL Rank	NFL Leader
Points Per Game	19.1	9th	New York Jets — 14.6	14th	Philadelphia — 14.4
Total Yards Per Game	293.3	5th	Pittsburgh — 258.5	7th	Pittsburgh — 258.5
Yards Per Play	5.0	6th	Buffalo — 4.4	9th	Two with — 4.4
Rushing Yards Per Game	101.4	7th	Two with — 80.9	8th	Two with — 80.9
Net Passing Yds. Per Game	191.1	7th	Miami — 165.5	10th	Tampa Bay — 161.2
Interceptions (most)	10	14th	Two with — 19	T25th	Carolina — 24
Sacks (most)	31	9th	Indianapolis — 43	T17th	Tampa Bay — 44
First Downs Allowed Per Game	15.5	2nd	Pittsburgh — 15.4	3rd	Washington — 14.9
Third-Down Efficiency	33.2	4th	Miami — 28.3	7th	Miami — 28.3
Fourth-Down Efficiency	38.5	6th	Baltimore — 0.0	12th	Baltimore — 0.0

THE LAST TIME...

(Reflects the last time each individual statistic occurred)
(2004 performances boldfaced; Super Bowl performances in Italics)

100 YARDS RUSHING:

Broncos: **Tatum Bell, 17-123, 2TD, vs. Miami, 12/12/04**
Playoffs: Terrell Davis, 25-102, vs. Atlanta, 1/31/99
Opponents: **Larry Johnson, 30-151, 2 TD, at Kansas City, 12/19/04**
Playoffs: Jamal Lewis, 30-110, 2 TD, at Baltimore, 12/31/00

200 YARDS RUSHING:

Broncos: Clinton Portis, 22-218, 5 TD, vs. Kansas City, 12/7/03
Playoffs: Has never happened
Opponents: Ahman Green, 20-218, 2 TD, at Green Bay, 12/28/03
Playoffs: *Tim Smith, 23-204, 2TD, vs. Washington, 1/31/88*

TWO 100-YARD RUSHERS:

Broncos: Otis Armstrong (116) and Norris Weese (120), at Chicago, 12/8/76
Playoffs: Terrell Davis (184) and Derek Loville (103), vs. Jacksonville, 12/27/97
Opponents: Curt Warner (126) and John L. Williams (109), at Seattle, 12/11/88
Playoffs: Has never happened

100-YARD RUSHER AND 100-YARD RECEIVER:

Broncos: Quentin Griffin (136) and Ashley Lelie (115), at Indianapolis, 12/21/03
Playoffs: *Terrell Davis (102) and Rod Smith (152), vs. Atlanta, 1/31/99*
Opponents: **Larry Johnson (151) and Eddie Kennison (101), at K.C., 12/19/04**
Playoffs: *Tim Smith (204) and Ricky Sanders (193), vs. Washington, 1/31/88*

100-YARD RUSHER AND TWO 100-YARD RECEIVERS:

Broncos: Mike Anderson (103), Rod Smith (111) and Ed McCaffrey (129), vs. Cleveland, 10/15/00
Playoffs: Has never happened
Opponents: Has never happened
Playoffs: Has never happened

100-YARD RUSHER, 300-YARD PASSER, 100-YARD RECEIVER:

Broncos: Clinton Portis (102), Brian Griese (316), Ed McCaffrey (113), vs. San Diego, 10/6/02
Playoffs: *Terrell Davis (102), John Elway (336), Rod Smith (152), vs. Atlanta, 1/31/99*
Opponents: Priest Holmes (161), Trent Green (310) and Dante Hall (143), Kansas City, 12/15/02
Playoffs: *Tim Smith (204), Doug Williams (340), Ricky Sanders (193), vs. Washington, 1/31/88*

100-YARD RUSHER, 300-YARD PASSER AND TWO 100-YARD RECEIVERS:

Broncos: Mike Anderson (103), Brian Griese (336), Rod Smith (111) and Ed McCaffrey (129), vs. Cleveland, 10/15/00
Playoffs: Has never happened
Opponents: Has never happened
Playoffs: Has never happened

100-YARD RUSHER AND 300-YARD PASSER:

Broncos: Clinton Portis (102) and Brian Griese (316), vs. San Diego, 10/6/02
Playoffs: *Terrell Davis (102) and John Elway (336), vs. Atlanta, 1/31/99*
Opponents: Priest Holmes (161) and Trent Green (310), Kansas City, 12/15/02
Playoffs: *Tim Smith (204) and Doug Williams (340), vs. Washington, 1/31/88*

100-YARD RECEIVER AND 300-YARD PASSER:

Broncos: **Rod Smith (208) and Jake Plummer (499), vs. Atlanta, 10/31/04**
Playoffs: *Rod Smith (152) and John Elway (336), vs. Atlanta, 1/31/99*
Opponents: **Jerry Porter (135), Ronald Curry (110) and Kerry Collins (339), vs. Oakland 11/28/04**
Playoffs: Brandon Stokley (144), Marvin Harrison (133) and Peyton Manning (377), at Indianapolis, 1/4/04

TWO 100-YARD RECEIVERS AND 300-YARD PASSER:

Broncos: Rod Smith (187), Ed McCaffrey (148) and Gus Frerotte (462), vs. San Diego, 11/19/00
Playoffs: Has never happened
Opponents: **Jerry Porter (135), Ronald Curry (110) and Kerry Collins (339), vs. Oakland, 11/28/04**
Playoffs: Brandon Stokley (144), Marvin Harrison (133) and Peyton Manning (377), at Indianapolis, 1/4/04

THREE 100-YARD RECEIVERS AND 300-YARD PASSER:

Broncos: Has never happened
Playoffs: Has never happened
Opponents: Marshall Faulk (100), Torry Holt (103), Az-Zahir Hakim (116) and Kurt Warner (441), vs. St. Louis, 9/4/00
Playoffs: Has never happened

TWO RUSHING TOUCHDOWNS:

Broncos: **Tatum Bell, 17-123, 2TD, vs. Miami, 12/12/04**
Playoffs: *Howard Griffith, 4-9, 2 TD, vs. Atlanta, 1/31/99*
Opponents: **Larry Johnson, 30-151, 2 TD, at Kansas City, 12/19/04**
Playoffs: Jamal Lewis, 30-110, 2 TD, at Baltimore, 12/31/00

THREE RUSHING TOUCHDOWNS:

Broncos: Clinton Portis, 22-218, 5 TD, vs. Kansas City, 12/7/03
Playoffs: *Terrell Davis, 30-157, 3 TD, vs. Green Bay, 1/25/98*
Opponents: **Priest Holmes, 26-151, 3 TD, vs. Kansas City, 9/12/04**
Playoffs: Napoleon McCallum, 13-81, 3 TD, at L.A. Raiders, 1/9/94

FOUR RUSHING TOUCHDOWNS:

Broncos: Clinton Portis, 22-218, 5 TD, vs. Kansas City, 12/7/03
Playoffs: Has never happened
Opponents: Curt Warner, 23-126, 4 TD, at Seattle, 12/11/88
Playoffs: Has never happened

FIVE RUSHING TOUCHDOWNS:

Broncos: Clinton Portis, 22-218, 5 TD, vs. Kansas City, 12/7/03
Playoffs: Has never happened
Opponents: Has never happened
Playoffs: Has never happened

300 YARDS PASSING:

Broncos: **Jake Plummer, 31-55, 499 yds., 4 TD, 3 INT, vs. Atlanta, 10/31/04**
Playoffs: *John Elway, 18-29, 336 yds., 1 TD, 1 INT, vs. Atlanta, 1/31/99*
Opponents: **Kerry Collins, 26-45, 339 yds., 4 TD, 2 INT, vs. Oakland, 11/28/04**
Playoffs: Peyton Manning, 22-26, 377 yds., 5 TD, 0 INT, at Indianapolis, 1/4/04

400 YARDS PASSING:

Broncos: **Jake Plummer, 31-55, 499 yds., 4 TD, 3 INT, vs. Atlanta, 10/31/04**
Playoffs: Has never happened
Opponents: Aaron Brooks, 30-48, 441 yds., 2 TD, 2 INT, at New Orleans, 12/3/00
Playoffs: Has never happened

THREE TOUCHDOWN PASSES:

Broncos: **Jake Plummer, 16-24, 234 yds., 4 TD, vs. Houston, 11/7/04**
Playoffs: John Elway, 29-47, 302 yds., 3 TD, 1 INT, at L.A. Raiders, 1/9/94
Opponents: **Trent Green, 16-19, 224 yds., 3 TD, at Kansas City, 12/19/04**
Playoffs: Peyton Manning, 22-26, 377 yds., 5 TD, 0 INT, at Indianapolis, 1/4/04

FOUR TOUCHDOWN PASSES:

Broncos: **Jake Plummer, 16-24, 234 yds., 4 TD, vs. Houston, 11/7/04**
Playoffs: Has never happened
Opponents: **Kerry Collins, 26-45, 339 yds., 4 TD, 2 INT, vs. Oakland, 11/28/04**
Playoffs: Peyton Manning, 22-26, 377 yds., 5 TD, 0 INT, at Indianapolis, 1/4/04

FIVE TOUCHDOWN PASSES:

Broncos: Gus Frerotte, 36-58, 462 yds., 5 TD, 4 INT, vs. San Diego, 11/19/00
Playoffs: Has never happened
Opponents: John Hadl, 21-35, 325 yds., 5 TD, vs. San Diego, 12/1/68
Playoffs: Peyton Manning, 22-26, 377 yds., 5 TD, 0 INT, at Indianapolis, 1/4/04

SIX TOUCHDOWN PASSES:

Broncos: Has never happened
Playoffs: Has never happened
Opponents: Len Dawson, 23-38, 435 yds., 6 TD, at Kansas City, 11/1/64
Playoffs: Has never happened

100 YARDS RECEIVING:

Broncos: **Ashley Lelie, 4-105, at San Diego, 12/5/04**
Playoffs: *Rod Smith, 5-152, TD, vs. Atlanta, 1/31/99*
Opponents: **Eddie Kennison, 7-101, 2 TD, at Kansas City, 12/19/04**
Playoffs: Brandon Stokley, 4-144, 2TD, and Marvin Harrison, 7-133, 2 TD, at Indianapolis, 1/4/04

200 YARDS RECEIVING:

Broncos: **Rod Smith, 9-208, vs. Atlanta, 10/31/04**
Playoffs: Has never happened
Opponents: Torrance Small, 6-200, 2 TD, vs. New Orleans, 12/24/94
Playoffs: Has never happened

TWO 100-YARD RECEIVERS:

Broncos: Rod Smith (187) and Ed McCaffrey (148), vs. San Diego, 11/19/00
Playoffs: Has never happened
Opponents: **Jerry Porter (135) and Ronald Curry (110), vs. Oakland, 11/28/04**
Playoffs: Brandon Stokley, 4-144, 2 TD, and Marvin Harrison, 7-133, 2TD, at Indianapolis, 1/4/04

TWO RECEIVING TOUCHDOWNS:

Broncos: Shannon Sharpe, 7-101, 3 TD, vs. San Diego, 11/16/03
Playoffs: Clarence Kay, 4-105, 2 TD, vs. Houston, 1/10/88
Opponents: **Eddie Kennison, 7-101, 2 TD, at Kansas City, 12/19/04**
Playoffs: Brandon Stokley, 4-144, 2 TD and Marvin Harrison, 7-133, 2 TD, at Indianapolis, 1/4/04

THREE RECEIVING TOUCHDOWNS:

Broncos: Shannon Sharpe, 7-101, 3 TD, vs. San Diego, 11/16/03
Playoffs: Has never happened
Opponents: **Jerry Porter, 6-135, 3 TD, vs. Oakland, 11/28/04**
Playoffs: *Jerry Rice, 7-148, 3 TD, vs. San Francisco, 1/28/90*

FOUR RECEIVING TOUCHDOWNS:

Broncos: Has never happened
 Playoffs: Has never happened
 Opponents: Lance Alworth, 9-171, 4 TD, vs. San Diego, 12/1/68
 Playoffs: Has never happened

TWO INTERCEPTIONS:

Broncos: Deltha O'Neal, vs. San Diego, 10/6/02
 Playoffs: *Darrien Gordon, vs. Atlanta, 1/31/99*
 Opponents: **Dexter McCleon, at Kansas City, 12/19/04**
 Playoffs: David Macklin, at Indianapolis, 1/4/04

THREE INTERCEPTIONS:

Broncos: Deltha O'Neal (4), vs. Kansas City, 10/7/01
 Playoffs: Has never happened
 Opponents: Mark Kelso, at Buffalo, 12/12/92
 Playoffs: Has never happened

FOUR INTERCEPTIONS:

Broncos: Deltha O'Neal, vs. Kansas City, 10/7/01
 Playoffs: Has never happened
 Opponents: Has Never Happened
 Playoffs: Has never happened

TWO SACKS:

Broncos: **Anton Palepoi, at Cincinnati, 10/25/04**
 Playoffs: Neil Smith (2) and Alfred Williams (2), at Kansas City, 1/4/98
 Opponents: **Kawika Mitchell, at K.C. 12/19/04 and Justin Smith, at Cin. 10/25/04**
 Playoffs: Michael McCrary (3), at Baltimore, 12/31/00

THREE SACKS:

Broncos: Bertrand Berry (3), vs. Kansas City, 12/7/03
 Playoffs: Has never happened
 Opponents: Trace Armstrong (3), at Oakland, 12/22/02
 Playoffs: Michael McCrary, at Baltimore, 12/31/00

FOUR SACKS:

Broncos: Simon Fletcher, at San Diego, 11/11/90
 Playoffs: Has never happened
 Opponents: Michael Sinclair, at Seattle, 9/8/96
 Playoffs: Has never happened

TWO OPPONENT FUMBLE RECOVERIES:

Broncos: Bill Romanowski, at Seattle, 9/8/96
 Playoffs: Has never happened
 Opponents: Terry McDaniel, vs. Los Angeles Raiders, 9/18/94
 Playoffs: *Randy Hughes, vs. Dallas, 1/15/78*

SHUTOUT ON ROAD:

by Broncos: Denver 12, at Cleveland 0, 9/27/92
 Playoffs: Has never happened
 by Opponents: at L.A. Raiders 24, Denver 0, 11/22/92
 Playoffs: Has never happened

SHUTOUT AT HOME:

by Broncos: at Denver 34, vs. Carolina 0, 11/9/97
 Playoffs: Has never happened
 by Opponents: Has never happened
 Playoffs: Has never happened

OVERTIME WIN AWAY FROM DENVER:

Broncos: Denver 37, at Kansas City 34, 10/20/02
 Playoffs: Denver 23, at Cleveland 20, 1/11/87
 Opponents: at San Diego 30, Denver 27, 12/1/02
 Playoffs: Has never happened
 TIE: Denver 17, at Green Bay 17, 9/20/87

OVERTIME WIN IN DENVER:

Broncos: at Denver 23, Cleveland 20, 12/14/03
 Playoffs: Has never happened
 Opponents: Indianapolis 23, at Denver 20, 11/24/02
 Playoffs: Has never happened
 TIE: at Denver 35, Pittsburgh 35, 9/22/74

40 POINTS:

Broncos: at Denver 45, Kansas City 27, 12/7/03
 Playoffs: at Denver 42, Jacksonville 17, 12/27/97
 Opponents: **at Kansas City 45, Denver 17, 12/19/04**
 Playoffs: at Indianapolis 41, Denver 10, 1/4/04

50 POINTS:

Broncos: at Denver 50, San Diego 34, 10/6/63
 Playoffs: Has never happened
 Opponents: at Indianapolis 55, Denver 24, 10/31/88
 Playoffs: San Francisco 55, Denver 10, 1/28/90

TWO-POINT CONVERSION:

Broncos: Clinton Portis run, at Oakland, 11/30/03
 Playoffs: Terrell Davis run, vs. Jacksonville, 1/4/97
 Opponents: Doug Flutie pass to Stephen Alexander, vs. San Diego, 11/16/03
 Playoffs: Has never happened

THREE FIELD GOALS:

Broncos: **Jason Elam, at Tampa Bay 10/03/04**
 Playoffs: Jason Elam vs. N.Y. Jets, 1/17/99
 Opponents: **Shayne Graham, at Cincinnati, 10/25/04**
 Playoffs: Mike Hollis, vs. Jacksonville, 1/4/97

FOUR FIELD GOALS:

Broncos: Jason Elam, vs. Miami, 10/13/02
 Playoffs: Has never happened
 Opponents: Paul Edinger, vs. Chicago, 11/24/03
 Playoffs: Has never happened

FIVE FIELD GOALS:

Broncos: Jason Elam, vs. Miami, 10/13/02
 Playoffs: Has never happened
 Opponents: Mike Vanderjagt, at Indianapolis, 1/6/02
 Playoffs: Has never happened

SIX FIELD GOALS:

Broncos: Has never happened
 Playoffs: Has never happened
 Opponents: Gary Anderson, at Pittsburgh, 10/23/88
 Playoffs: Has never happened

PUNT RETURN FOR A TOUCHDOWN:

Broncos: Rod Smith, 65 yds., vs. San Diego, 11/16/03
 Playoffs: Has never happened
 Opponents: Dante Hall, 93 yds., at Kansas City, 10/5/03
 Playoffs: Has never happened

KICKOFF RETURN FOR A TOUCHDOWN:

Broncos: Deltha O'Neal, 87 yds., vs. New England, 10/1/00
 Playoffs: Has never happened
 Opponents: **Dante Hall, 97 yds., at Kansas City, 12/19/04**
 Playoffs: *Tim Dwight, 94 yds., vs. Atlanta, 1/31/99*

INTERCEPTION RETURN FOR A TOUCHDOWN:

Broncos: **Ellis Johnson, 32 yds., vs. Oakland 11/28/04**
 Playoffs: Has never happened
 Opponents: **Kevin Mathis, 66 yds., vs. Atlanta, 10/31/04**
 Playoffs: Carlton Bailey, at Buffalo, 1/12/92

FUMBLE RETURN FOR A TOUCHDOWN:

Broncos: Chester McGlockton, 24 yds., vs. Buffalo, 9/22/02
 Playoffs: Neil Smith, 79 yds., vs. Miami, 1/9/99
 Opponents: Marcus Wilkins, 0 yds. (in end zone), at Green Bay, 12/28/03
 Playoffs: Has never happened

MISSED FIELD GOAL RETURN FOR A TOUCHDOWN:

Broncos: Has never happened
 Playoffs: Has never happened
 Opponents: Chris McAlister, 108 yds., at Baltimore, 9/30/02
 Playoffs: Has never happened

BLOCKED PUNT:

Broncos: Jashon Sykes, at Indianapolis, 12/21/03
 Playoffs: Has never happened
 Opponents: **Antwan Peek, vs. Houston, 11/7/04**
 Playoffs: Blake Spence, vs. New York Jets, 1/17/99

BLOCKED PUNT RETURN FOR A TOUCHDOWN:

Broncos: Ian Gold, vs. Oakland, 11/13/00
 Playoffs: Has never happened
 Opponents: Alex Bannister, at Seattle, 10/14/01
 Playoffs: Travis Davis, 29 yds., vs. Jacksonville, 12/27/97

BLOCKED FIELD GOAL:

Broncos: Trevor Pryce, at San Diego, 12/1/02
 Playoffs: Has never happened
 Opponents: **Langston Walker, vs. Oakland, 11/28/04**
 Playoffs: Has never happened

BLOCKED FIELD GOAL RETURN FOR A TOUCHDOWN:

Broncos: Louis Wright, 60 yds., vs. San Diego, 11/17/85
 Playoffs: Has never happened
 Opponents: Cornelius Bennett, 80 yds., at Buffalo, 9/30/90
 Playoffs: Has never happened

MISSED POINT-AFTER-TOUCHDOWN ATTEMPT:

Broncos: Jason Elam (hit left upright), vs. Indianapolis, 11/24/02
 Playoffs: Jason Elam (Blocked by Clyde Simmons), vs. Jacksonville, 1/4/97
 Opponents: **Sebastian Janikowski (Blocked by Monsanto pope), vs. Oakland, 11/28/04**
 Playoffs: Has never happened

SAFETY:

Broncos: Punt fumbled out of bounds in end zone, vs. New England, 11/3/03
 Playoffs: Tony Eason sacked in the end zone by Rulon Jones, vs. New England, 1/4/87
 Opponents: Punt blocked out of bounds in end zone, at Oakland, 11/30/03
 Playoffs: Mike Horan runs out of endzone, vs. Cleveland, 1/17/88

2004 BRONCOS/OPPONENTS REPLAY CHALLENGES

COACH SHANAHAN

2004 Opponents Play	Time Outs	Result	Success Rate
at Jac. (9/19)			
7:20 1st qtr. (1-10-JAC 26) B. Leftwich completes 28-yd. pass to J. Smith (Challenged inbounds)	3	Call Upheld	0-1
3:55 3rd qtr. (1-10-DEN 26) J. Plummer incomplete pass to D. Watts (Challenging catch)	3	Call Upheld	0-2
vs. S.D. (9/26)			
3:31 2nd qtr. (3-1-DEN 29) J. Plummer up the middle for no gain (Challenged spot)	2	Call Upheld	0-3
at T.B. (10/3)			
6:50 2nd qtr. (2-20-TB 49) R. Smith fumbles after 3-yd. catch (Challenged fumble); recovered for 56-yard TD	3	Call Reversed	1-4
at N.O. (11/21)			
4:36 2nd qtr. (1-10-DEN 35) A. Brooks completes 31-yd. pass to D. Stallworth (Challenged inbounds)	2	Call Reversed	2-5
12:29 4th qtr. (4-5-DEN 37) A. Brooks incomplete to J. Horn (Challenged interception by Bailey)	2	Call Reversed	3-6
vs. Mia. (12/12)			
8:28 4th qtr. (6-6-MIA 34) Plummer pass intended for Lelie intercepted by R. Howard (Challenged catch)	2	Call Reversed	4-7

Total Success Rate = 57.0 %

OPPONENTS

2004 Opponents Play	Time Outs	Result	Success Rate
at Jac. (9/19)			
2:37 4th qtr. (3-5-JAC 46) B. Leftwich incomplete pass to J. Smith (Challenged catch)	3	Call Upheld	0-1
at T.B. (10/3)			
15:00 3rd qtr. (1-10-DEN 20) J. Plummer incomplete pass to A. Lelie (Challenged incompleteness—B. Kelly INT)	3	Call Upheld	0-2
vs. Car. (10/10)			
6:55 3rd qtr. (4-1-CAR 1) J. Peppers fumbles after 101-yd. INT return for a touchback (Challenged fumble)	3	Call Reversed	1-3
9:50 4th qtr. (3-7-CAR 39) J. Plummer completes 39-yd. TD pass to A. Lelie (Challenged inbounds)	3	Call Upheld	1-4
at Cin. (10/25)			
4:33 1st qtr. (1-10-DEN 5) J. Plummer completes 42-yd. pass to A. Lelie (Challenged catch)	3	Call Reversed	2-5
vs. Atl. (10/31)			
8:49 3rd qtr. (1-15-DEN 33) J. Plummer completes 31-yd. pass to R. Smith (Challenged inbounds)	3	Call Upheld	2-6
vs. Hou. (11/7)			
13:15 2nd qtr. (4-1-DEN 50) D. Carr up middle for no gain (Challenged spot)	3	Call Upheld	2-7
at S.D. (12/5)			
5:24 3rd qtr. (2-5-DEN 5) Brees pass intended for Neal intercepted by Kennedy, and returned 95 yards for TD (Challenged INT)	3	Call Reversed	3-8
vs. K.C. (12/19)			
5:35 3rd qtr. (4-16-KC 43) Baker punts 42 yards to KC 1, downed by M. Leach (Challenged touchback)	2	Call Upheld	3-9

Total Success Rate = 25.0 %

2004 Replay Challenges Breakdown

	Coach Shanahan	Opponents		Coach Shanahan	Opponents
1 st half	2-4 (50.0%)	1-2 (50.0%)	Offense	2-4 (50.0%)	1-3 (33.3%)
2 nd half	2-3 (66.7%)	2-7 (28.6%)	Defense	2-3 (50.0%)	2-6 (33.3%)

ALL-TIME BRONCOS/OPPONENTS REPLAY CHALLENGES (SINCE IT BEGAN IN 1999)

COACH SHANAHAN

Year	Overall	First Half	Second Half	Offense	Defense
2004:	4-7	2-4	2-3	2-4	2-3
2003:	2-6	2-2	0-4	0-1	2-5
2002:	2-6	1-5	1-1	*2-6	0-0
2001:	2-10	1-3	1-7	0-4	2-6
2000:	5-11	1-4	4-7	4-7	1-4
1999:	1-5	0-0	1-5	0-2	1-3
Total:	16-45 (35.6%)	7-18 (38.9%)	9-27 (33.3%)	8-24 (33.3%)	8-21 (38.1%)

*-Offensive total includes a punt return

OPPONENTS

Year	Overall	First Half	Second Half	Offense	Defense
2004:	3-8	1-2	2-7	1-3	2-6 [@]
2003:	2-8	0-1	2-7	1-7*	1-1
2002:	1-3	0-1	1-2	1-2	0-1
2001:	2-6	2-4	0-2	1-4	1-2
2000:	2-8	1-6	1-2	2-6 [^]	0-2
1999:	2-4	1-3	1-1	1-2	1-2
Total:	12-37 (32.4%)	5-17 (29.4%)	7-21 (33.3%)	7-24 (29.2%)	5-14 (35.7%)

*-Offensive total includes a punt return

[^]-Offensive total includes a kickoff return[@]-Defensive Total includes a punt

BRONCOS 2004 GAME-BY-GAME SCORING DRIVES

Date	Opp.	Plays	Yards	Time	Res.	Qtr	Scoring Play	Quarterback
9-12	KC	12	45	5:27	FG	1	Elam 43 yd. field goal	Plummer
9-12	KC	8	59	3:46	TD	2	Griffin 1 yd. pass from Plummer (Elam kick)	Plummer
9-12	KC	6	50	3:15	TD	2	Griffin 25 yd. run (Elam kick)	Plummer
9-12	KC	3	77	1:29	TD	3	Griffin 47 yd. run (Elam kick)	Plummer
9-12	KC	10	37	4:22	FG	4	Elam 45 yd. field goal	Plummer
9-12	KC	13	87	7:10	TD	4	Hape 2 yd. pass from Plummer (Elam kick)	Plummer
9-19	@JAC	7	47	3:02	FG	2	Elam 44 yd. field goal	Plummer
9-19	@JAC	10	76	3:11	FG	2	Elam 22 yd. field goal	Plummer
9-26	SD	6	72	3:27	TD	1	Smith 16 yd. pass from Plummer (Elam kick)	Plummer
9-26	SD	11	70	4:54	FG	2	Elam 22 yd. field goal	Plummer
9-26	SD	6	23	3:14	FG	2	Elam 23 yd. field goal	Plummer
9-26	SD	9	64	4:08	TD	3	Lelie 33 yd. pass from Plummer (Elam kick)	Plummer
9-26	SD	6	25	2:54	FG	4	Elam 43 yd. field goal	Plummer
10-3	@TB	7	43	3:40	TD	1	Hape 5 yd. pass from Plummer (Elam kick)	Plummer
10-3	@TB	7	31	2:09	FG	2	Elam 49 yd. field goal	Plummer
10-3	@TB	9	39	5:18	FG	2	Elam 50 yd. field goal	Plummer
10-3	@TB	14	84	6:32	FG	4	Elam 24 yd. field goal	Plummer
10-10	CAR	9	67	4:17	FG	1	Elam 32 yd. field goal	Plummer
10-10	CAR	8	62	3:19	FG	1	Elam 33 yd. field goal	Plummer
10-10	CAR	7	76	1:25	TD	2	Droughns 5 yd. pass from Plummer (Elam kick)	Plummer
10-10	CAR	8	87	4:18	TD	4	Lelie 39 yd. pass from Plummer (Elam kick)	Plummer
10-17	@OAK	10	71	6:02	TD	1	Putzier 12 yd. pass from Plummer (Elam kick)	Plummer
10-17	@OAK	7	80	3:43	TD	2	Carswell 10 yd. pass from Plummer (Elam kick)	Plummer
10-17	@OAK	6	58	3:02	TD	2	Lelie 31 yd. pass from Plummer (Elam kick)	Plummer
10-17	@OAK	6	20	2:42	FG	3	Elam 33 yd. field goal	Plummer
10-17	@OAK	11	78	6:44	TD	3	Droughns 4 yd. run (Elam kick)	Plummer
10-25	@CIN	8	72	3:42	TD	2	Smith 3 yd. pass from Plummer (Elam kick)	Plummer
10-25	@CIN	11	64	4:58	FG	3	Elam 29 yd. field goal	Plummer
10-31	ATL	10	69	5:35	TD	1	Hape 1 yd. pass from Plummer (Elam kick)	Plummer
10-31	ATL	1	80	0:12	TD	1	Smith 80 yd. pass from Plummer (Elam kick)	Plummer
10-31	ATL	11	73	4:49	TD	4	Watts 7 yd. pass from Plummer (Elam kick)	Plummer
10-31	ATL	5	80	1:23	TD	4	Lelie 35 yd. pass from Plummer (Elam kick)	Plummer
11-7	HOU	7	99	3:35	TD	1	Putzier 34 yd. pass from Plummer (Elam kick)	Plummer
11-7	HOU	7	16	3:16	FG	2	Elam 52 yd. field goal	Plummer
11-7	HOU	6	80	3:20	TD	2	Lelie 40 yd. pass from Plummer (Elam kick)	Plummer
11-7	HOU	6	53	0:53	TD	2	Smith 13 yd. pass from Plummer (Elam kick)	Plummer
11-7	HOU	7	80	3:53	TD	3	K. Johnson 23 yd. pass from Plummer (Elam kick)	Plummer
11-21	@NO	1	51	0:10	TD	1	Droughns 51 yd. run (Elam kick)	Plummer
11-21	@NO	3	81	1:12	TD	1	Lelie 37 yd. pass from Plummer (Elam kick)	Plummer
11-21	@NO	7	35	3:46	FG	1	Elam 48 yd. field goal	Plummer
11-21	@NO	6	18	2:15	FG	1	Elam 34 yd. field goal	Plummer
11-21	@NO	12	76	6:35	TD	4	K. Johnson 19 yd. pass from Plummer (Elam kick)	Plummer
11-28	OAK	9	48	5:01	FG	2	Elam 32 yd. field goal	Plummer
11-28	OAK	2	88	0:18	TD	2	Smith 85 yd. pass from Plummer (Elam kick)	Plummer
11-28	OAK	6	83	3:16	TD	4	Droughns 3 yd. run (Elam kick)	Plummer
12-5	@SD	5	64	2:33	TD	2	Bell 16 yd. run (Elam kick)	Plummer
12-5	@SD	6	65	2:26	TD	4	Droughns 4 yd. run (Elam kick)	Plummer
12-5	@SD	9	49	3:47	FG	4	Elam 31 yd. field goal	Plummer
12-12	MIA	9	80	4:53	TD	2	Bell 7 yd. run (Elam kick)	Plummer
12-12	MIA	4	70	1:21	TD	2	Bell 11 yd. run (Elam kick)	Plummer
12-12	MIA	5	35	2:00	FG	3	Elam 20 yd. field goal	Plummer
12-12	MIA	5	23	2:09	FG	4	Elam 50 yd. field goal	Plummer
12-19	@KC	9	64	4:47	TD	1	Smith 22 yd. pass from Plummer (Elam kick)	Plummer
12-19	@KC	9	70	1:47	FG	2	Elam 27 yd. field goal	Plummer
12-19	@KC	6	61	1:18	TD	4	Hearst 4 yd. run (Elam kick)	Plummer

BRONCOS 2004 TOUCHDOWN DRIVE ANALYSIS

Yards	TD Length	TD Drive Length	Possession Time	TDs	Plays	TDs
1 - 9 yards	12	-	00:00 - 00:59	4	1	2
10 - 19 yards	7	-	01:00 - 01:59	6	2	1
20 - 29 yards	3	-	02:00 - 02:59	2	3	2
30 - 39 yards	6	-	03:00 - 03:59	11	4	1
40 - 49 yards	2	1	04:00 - 04:59	5	5	2
50 - 59 yards	1	5	05:00 - 05:59	1	6	8
60 - 69 yards	-	6	06:00 - 06:59	3	7	5
70 - 79 yards	-	9	07:00 - 07:59	1	8	3
80 - 89 yards	2	11	08:00 - 08:59	-	9	3
90 - 99 yards	-	1	09:00 - 09:59	-	10	2
			10:00 - 10:59	-	11	2
			11:00 - 11:59	-	12	1
			12:00 - 12:59	-	13	1
			13:00 - 13:59	-	14	-
			14:00 - 14:59	-	15	-
			15:00 +	-	16+	-
TOTAL				33		33

2004 GAME OPENING DRIVES

		BRONCOS			OPPONENT		
		Pts	FD	Yds.	Pts	FD	Yds.
9-12	K.C.	3	3	45	7	2	80
9-19	@ JAC	0	3	43	0	0	6
9-26	S.D.	0	0	-3	0	0	-2
10-3	@ T.B.	0	2	37	0	1	19
10-10	CAR	3	3	64	0	0	6
10-17	@ OAK	0	1	11	0	1	10
10-25	@ CIN	0	0	3	0	2	29
10-31	ATL	7	5	69	3	2	68
11-7	HOU	0	0	6	0	4	61
11-21	@ N.O.	7	0	51	0	0	4
11-28	OAK	0	3	30	0	3	40
12-5	@ S.D.	0	0	4	7	2	43
12-12	MIA	0	4	61	0	2	19
12-19	@ K.C.	0	2	22	7	5	87
12-25	@ TEN						
1-2	IND						
SEASON		20	26	443	24	24	470

2004 2ND HALF OPENING DRIVES

		BRONCOS			OPPONENT		
		Pts	FD	Yds.	Pts	FD	Yds.
9-12	K.C.	0	0	0	3	0	-1
9-19	@ JAC	0	1	33	0	0	9
9-26	S.D.	0	1	24	0	1	14
10-3	@ T.B.	0	0	-4	3	3	51
10-10	CAR	0	3	57	0	1	45
10-17	@ OAK	3	1	20	0	0	-3
10-25	@ CIN	0	0	1	0	0	5
10-31	ATL	0	2	36	7	5	60
11-7	HOU	7	3	80	0	2	34
11-21	@ N.O.	0	3	35	0	1	16
11-28	OAK	0	1	16	7	1	36
12-5	@ S.D.	0	0	2	0	2	29
12-12	MIA	3	1	35	0	0	0
12-19	@ K.C.	0	1	11	7	4	90
12-25	@ TEN						
1-2	IND						
SEASON		13	17	346	27	20	385

2004 SCORING DRIVE LENGTH

	BRONCOS		OPPONENT	
	TD	FG	TD	FG
(MINUS)	-	-	-	1
0 - 9	-	-	3	3
10 - 19	-	2	-	2
20 - 29	-	4	2	2
30 - 39	-	5	4	1
40 - 49	1	4	4	4
50 - 59	5	-	3	1
60 - 69	6	3	3	2
70 - 79	9	3	2	2
80 - 89	11	1	7	-
90 - 99	1	-	2	-
SEASON	33	22	30	18

DEFENSIVE END MARCO COLEMAN – vs. TENNESSEE

	<u>G/S</u>	<u>W/L</u>	<u>UT</u>	<u>A</u>	<u>TT</u>	<u>S-Yds</u>	<u>I-Yds</u>	<u>PD</u>	<u>FF</u>	<u>FR</u>
11-22-92*	1-1	W	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
9-13-98^	1-1	W	1	0	1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
10-30-00%	1-1	L	3	1	4	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
10-13-02#	1-1	L	2	0	2	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
12-22-02#	1-1	L	1	0	1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
TOTALS	5-5	2-3	7	1	8	0-0	0-0	0	0	0

* - with Miami ^- with San Diego %- with Washington #-with Jacksonville

RUNNING BACK GARRISON HEARST – vs. TENNESSEE

	<u>G/S</u>	<u>W/L</u>	RUSHING					RECEIVING				
			<u>Att.</u>	<u>Yds.</u>	<u>Avg.</u>	<u>LG</u>	<u>TD</u>	<u>Rec.</u>	<u>Yds.</u>	<u>Avg.</u>	<u>LG</u>	<u>TD</u>
12-4-94*	1-0	W	3	56	18.7	36	0	0	0	0.0	—	0
10-6-96*	1-1	L	15	90	6.0	23	0	0	0	0.0	—	0
12-15-96^	1-1	W	11	24	2.2	9	0	1	8	8.0	8	0
TOTALS	3-2	2-1	29	170	5.9	36	0	1	8	8.0	8	0

*-with Arizona ^-with Cincinnati

DEFENSIVE TACKLE DARIUS HOLLAND – vs. TENNESSEE

	<u>G/S</u>	<u>W/L</u>	<u>UT</u>	<u>A</u>	<u>TT</u>	<u>S-Yds</u>	<u>I-Yds</u>	<u>PD</u>	<u>FF</u>	<u>FR</u>
9-19-99*	1-0	L	1	0	1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
11-28-99*	1-1	L	3	1	4	0-0	0-0	2	1	0
11-19-00*	1-0	L	4	1	5	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
12-17-00*	1-0	L	1	0	1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
TOTALS	4-1	0-4	9	2	11	0-0	0-0	2	1	0

* - with Cleveland

SAFETY JOHN LYNCH – vs. TENNESSEE

	<u>G/S</u>	<u>W/L</u>	<u>UT</u>	<u>A</u>	<u>TT</u>	<u>S-Yds</u>	<u>I-Yds</u>	<u>PD</u>	<u>FF</u>	<u>FR</u>
10-29-95*	1-1	L	6	0	6	0-0	0-0	2	0	0
10-14-01*	1-1	L	9	3	12	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
12-28-03*	1-1	L	2	0	2	0-0	0-0	1	0	0
TOTALS	3-3	0-3	17	3	20	0-0	0-0	3	0	0

* - with Tampa Bay

DENVER BRONCOS 2004 TEAM STATISTICS (8-6)

Date	W-L	Score	OT	Opponent	Attendance	Rushing	No.	Yds	Avg	Long	TD
09/12	W	34-24		Kansas City	75,939	Droughns	238	1073	4.5	51t	4
09/19	L	6-7		at Jacksonville	69,127	Griffin	85	311	3.7	47t	2
09/26	W	23-13		San Diego	74,533	Bell	47	261	5.6	29	3
10/03	W	16-13		at Tampa Bay	65,341	Plummer	47	162	3.4	22	0
10/10	W	20-17		Carolina	75,072	Hearst	16	59	3.7	11	1
10/17	W	31-3		at Oakland	62,507	Watts	5	33	6.6	10	0
10/25	L	10-23		at Cincinnati	65,806	Smith	4	25	6.3	14	0
10/31	L	28-41		Atlanta	75,083	Lelie	3	5	1.7	8	0
11/07	W	31-13		Houston	74,292	Team	445	1929	4.3	51t	10
11/21	W	34-13		at New Orleans	64,900	Opponents	367	1419	3.9	44	15
11/28	L	24-25		Oakland	75,936	Receiving	No.	Yds	Avg	Long	TD
12/05	L	17-20		at San Diego	65,395	Smith	67	1010	15.1	85t	6
12/12	W	20-17		Miami	75,027	Lelie	48	926	19.3	58	6
12/19	L	17-45		at Kansas City	77,702	Droughns	30	211	7.0	18	1
12/25				at Tennessee		Putzier	29	445	15.3	39	2
01/02				Indianapolis		Watts	29	356	12.3	28	1

	Denver	Opponent
Total First Downs	302	217
Rushing	104	79
Passing	159	118
Penalty	39	20
3rd Down: Made/Att	66/179	62/187
3rd Down Pct.	36.9	33.2
4th Down: Made/Att	7/14	5/13
4th Down Pct.	50.0	38.5
Possession Avg.	31:47	28:13
Total Net Yards	5383	4106
Avg. Per Game	384.5	293.3
Total Plays	925	828
Avg. Per Play	5.8	5.0
Net Yards Rushing	1929	1419
Avg. Per Game	137.8	101.4
Total Rushes	445	367
Net Yards Passing	3454	2687
Avg. Per Game	246.7	191.9
Sacked/Yards Lost	15/86	31/215
Gross Yards	3540	2902
Att./Completions	465/265	430/243
Completion Pct.	57.0	56.5
Had Intercepted	19	10
Punts/Average	64/40.5	81/44.7
Net Punting Avg.	64/34.0	81/37.9
Penalties/Yards	89/810	113/1021
Fumbles/Ball Lost	20/8	21/7
Touchdowns	35	32
Rushing	10	15
Passing	23	15
Returns	2	2

Score By Periods	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	OT	PTS
Team	78	118	37	78	0	311
Opponents	51	108	67	48	0	274

Scoring	TD	Rush	Rec	Ret	K-PAT	FG	S	PTS
Elam	0	0	0	0	35/35	22/26	0	101
Lelie	6	0	6	0			0	36
Smith	6	0	6	0			0	36
Droughns	5	4	1	0			0	30
Bell	3	3	0	0			0	18
Griffin	3	2	1	0			0	18
Hape	3	0	3	0			0	18
K. Johnson	2	0	2	0			0	12
Putzier	2	0	2	0			0	12
Carswell	1	0	1	0			0	6
Hearst	1	1	0	0			0	6
E. Johnson	1	0	0	1			0	6
Watts	1	0	1	0			0	6
Wilson	1	0	0	1			0	6
Team	35	10	23	2	35/35	22/26	0	311
Opponents	32	15	15	2	28/29	18/23	0	274

2-Pt. Conversions: Team 0-0, Opponents 0-3
 Sacks: Hayward 6.5, Coleman 2.5, Ellis 2.0, Fatafehi 2.0, E. Johnson 2.0, K. Kennedy 2.0, Lynch 2.0, Palepoi LG 2.0, Palepoi TM 2.0, Williams 2.0, Wilson 2.0, Chukwurah 1.0, Herndon 1.0, R. Johnson 1.0, Middlebrooks 1.0, Pope 1.0, Spragan 1.0, Team 31.0, Opponents 15.0

Passing	Att	Cmp	Yds	Cmp%	Yds/Att	TD	TD%	Int	Int%	Long	Sack/Lost	Rating
Plummer	465	265	3540	57.0	7.61	23	4.9	19	4.1	85t	15/86	80.8
Team	465	265	3540	57.0	7.61	23	4.9	19	4.1	85t	15/86	80.8
Opponents	430	243	2902	56.5	6.75	15	3.5	10	2.3	63	31/215	79.2

Receiving	No.	Yds	Avg	Long	TD
Smith	67	1010	15.1	85t	6
Lelie	48	926	19.3	58	6
Droughns	30	211	7.0	18	1
Putzier	29	445	15.3	39	2
Watts	29	356	12.3	28	1
Carswell	20	175	8.8	20	1
Griffin	10	68	6.8	22	1
K. Johnson	9	126	14.0	31	2
Jackson	8	73	9.1	20	0
Luke	6	52	8.7	12	0
Hape	4	15	3.8	7	3
Bell	2	52	26.0	58	0
Hearst	2	20	10.0	15	0
Bailey	1	11	11.0	11	0
Team	265	3540	13.4	85t	23
Opponents	243	2902	11.9	63	15

Interceptions	No.	Yds	Avg	Long	TD
Bailey	3	0	0.0	0	0
Wilson	2	17	8.5	10	1
Hayward	1	76	76.0	76	0
E. Johnson	1	32	32.0	32t	1
K. Kennedy	1	21	21.0	21	0
Herndon	1	2	2.0	2	0
Lynch	1	2	2.0	2	0
Team	10	150	15.0	76	2
Opponents	19	319	16.8	97	1

Punting	No.	Yds	Avg	Net	TB	In	Lg	B
Knorr	54	2243	41.5	34.2	6	12	66	1
Baker LG	18	692	38.4	29.7	1	7	52	0
Baker TM	9	352	39.1	32.6	1	4	48	0
Team	64	2595	40.5	34.0	7	16	66	1
Opponents	81	3617	44.7	37.9	11	31	65	0

Punt Returns	Ret	FC	Yds	Avg	Long	TD
Smith	21	8	212	10.1	30	0
Luke	15	6	113	7.5	21	0
Team	36	14	325	9.0	30	0
Opponents	30	10	279	9.3	50	0

Kickoff Returns	No.	Yds	Avg	Long	TD
R. Alexander	18	368	20.4	32	0
Droughns	14	344	24.6	48	0
Luke	10	190	19.0	30	0
Griffin	4	52	13.0	21	0
Team	46	954	20.7	48	0
Opponents	53	1293	24.4	97t	1

Field Goals	1-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50+
Elam	0/0	7/7	6/6	6/9	3/4
Team	0/0	7/7	6/6	6/9	3/4
Opponents	0/0	6/6	7/8	1/3	4/6

Elam: (43G,45G)(44G,22G,51N)(22G,23G,43G)(49G,50G,23G)(32G,33G)(33G)(49N,29G)(52G)(48G, 34G)(32G,43B)(43N,31G)(20G,50G)(27G)
 Opponents:(58N,50G)(23G,51G)(28G,30G)(53G,52N)(35G)(53G,34G,35G)(24G,43G,49N)(37N)(24G, 36G)(48N)(23G,23G)(32G)(39G)

BRONCOS 2004 REGULAR SEASON DEFENSIVE STATISTICS (8-6)

(based on coaches' film review)

PLAYER	TT	UT	A	S	Yds.	I	Yds.	PD	FF	FR
1 Williams	102	74	28	2.0	13.0	0	0	6	0	0
2 Wilson	94	61	33	2.0	17.0	2	17	4	2	0
3 Kennedy	86	72	14	2.0	15.0	1	21	6	2	1
4 Bailey	75	66	9	0.0	0.0	3	0	11	0	0
5 Herndon	72	60	12	1.0	5.0	1	2	16	2	0
6 Lynch	68	53	15	2.0	17.0	1	2	6	3	0
7 Spragan	62	38	24	1.0	1.0	0	0	2	1	1
8 Hayward	54	39	15	6.5	42.5	1	76	4	0	1
9 Coleman	44	28	16	2.5	14.5	0	0	1	1	1
10 Fatafehi	28	19	9	2.0	19.0	0	0	1	0	1
11 Pope	25	20	5	1.0	2.0	0	0	1	0	0
12 Walls	21	18	3	0.0	0.0	0	0	2	1	0
E. Johnson	21	13	8	2.0	15.0	1	32	1	0	0
14 Palepoi	20	13	7	2.0	16.0	0	0	2	0	0
15 R. Johnson	18	11	7	1.0	12.0	0	0	2	1	0
16 Middlebrooks	17	16	1	1.0	3.0	0	0	10	0	1
17 Ferguson	16	15	1	0.0	0.0	0	0	1	0	0
18 Elliss	6	6	0	2.0	11.0	0	0	0	0	0
19 Chukwurah	4	3	1	1.0	12.0	0	0	1	2	0
20 Holland	2	2	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	1	0	0
Pierce	2	0	2	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0
22 Pryce	1	1	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	1	0	0
R. Alexander	1	1	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTALS	839	629	210	31.0	215.0	10	150	79	15	6

SPECIAL TEAMS STATISTICS

PLAYER	TT	UT	A	FF	FR	BK	BP	TD
1 Ferguson	13	10	3	0	0	0	0	0
2 R. Alexander	11	6	5	0	1	0	0	0
3 K. Johnson	9	7	2	0	0	0	0	0
4 N. Jackson	7	5	2	0	0	0	0	0
Middlebrooks	7	4	3	0	0	0	0	0
6 Brandon	6	6	0	1	0	0	0	0
Williams	6	5	1	0	0	0	0	0
8 Chukwurah	5	4	1	0	0	0	0	0
Kennedy	5	4	1	0	0	0	0	0
10 Bell	4	4	0	0	0	0	0	0
Droughns	4	2	2	0	0	0	0	0
12 Leach	3	3	0	0	0	0	0	0
Pierce	3	2	1	1	0	0	0	0
14 Spragan	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
Walls	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
Young	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
17 Adams	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Baker	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Green	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lynch	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Shoate	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Herndon	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Sapp	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
24 Pope	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
Smith	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0
TEAM	96	72	24	2	4	1	0	0

ADDITIONAL STATISTICS: Smith has recovered 3 of his own fumbles on a punt returns; vs. K. C. (9/12), at Jac. (9/19) and vs. Oak. (11/28)

MISCELLANEOUS TACKLES: Nalen 4, Foster 3, Plummer 3, Droughns 2, Hamilton 2, Lelie 2, Putzier 2, R. Smith 2, K. Johnson 1, Watts 1.

MISCELLANEOUS FUMBLE RECOVERIES: Plummer 4, Carswell 1, Hamilton 1.

MISCELLANEOUS FORCED FUMBLES: None.

DEFENSIVE TOUCHDOWNS: Wilson 7 yd. INT return at N.O. (11-21), E. Johnson 32 yd. INT return vs. Oak (11/28)

TWO-POINT CONVERSION STOPS: Pass Failed (Carr) vs. Hou. (11/7), Pass Failed (Collins) vs. Oak. (11/28), Pass Failed (Collins) vs. Oak. (11/28)

BLOCKED PUNTS: None.

BLOCKED KICKS: Pope blocked an extra point (3rd quarter) vs. Oak. (11/28)

2004 DENVER BRONCO MISCELLANEOUS STATISTICS (8-6)



DRIVE ENGINEERING

Quarterback	Drives										Points Yielded	Pts./Drive	Quarterback		Directing Offense**		
	Started	TD	FG	FGA	PNT	DWN	TRN	SAF	CLK	RPL			Drive	Drive Efficiency*	Plays	Yards	Avg.
J. PLUMMER	167	33	22	4	64	6	27	0	11	0	297	1.78	32.9%	37.8%	914	5391	5.9
DENVER	167	33	22	4	64	6	27	0	11	0	297	1.78	32.9%	37.8%	914	5391	5.9
OPPONENTS	167	30	18	5	81	7	16	0	10	(0)	260	1.56	28.7%	33.8%	823	4111	5.0

(*—The second number is the percentage the quarterback has put his team in position to score, allowing for missed field goals and subtracting those drives ended by the clock and replaced due to injury. Quarterbacks who leave the game during a drive only get a replacement credit if team goes on to earn at least one first down. Blocked punts for safeties counted as drive ended by puny; **—does not include plays when not at helm or not truly setting a play in motion, i.e., muffed punts, kneel downs or spiked balls; 12-for [-8] in 2004.)

KICKOFF ANALYSIS

Kicker	No.										Opp.		OSY		ASY	
	Total	Ret.	FC	MF	NA	TB	EZ+	OB	OnS	SQB	OSY	Ret.	ASY	Ret.		
M. KNORR	60	45	0	0	0	15	3	0	(1)	(0)	1620	1320	027	029		
J. BAKER	8	7	0	0	0	0	0	1	(1)	(0)	311	271	039	039		
DENVER	68	52	0	0	0	15	3	1	(2)	(0)	1931	1591	028	031		
Opponents	60	46	0	0	0	14	4	0	(0)	(1)	1593	1313	D27	D29		

(KEY: MF—muffed; EZ+—through or over end zone; OSY—Opponent Starting Yardline; ASY—Average Starting Yardline; Ret—averages using returned kicks only. OnSides (OnS), short squibs (SQB) and free kicks are omitted in figuring the above; out-of-bounds are not. Yardlines determined from spot of penalties, not after they are assessed. Returns on inside kicks are omitted from the above.)

FIRST DOWN TENDENCIES

Team	Rushing-----			Passing-----			Overall-----			Times Gained-----					Miscellany-----			
	Plays	Yards	Avg.	Plays	Yards	Avg.	Plays	Yards	Avg.	20+	10+	5+	2-	0	Neq.	TD	QBS	TO
DENVER	233	1129	4.8	196	1571	8.0	429	2700	6.29	31	88	180	175	97	22	17	3	14
Opponents	188	692	3.7	157	852	5.4	345	1544	4.48	17	47	129	165	80	39	10	9	3

YARDS GAINED ANALYSIS

Team	1st Down-----			2nd Down-----			3rd Down-----			4th Down-----			Season-----			*By Quarter-----				Plus Territory (50-in)--			
	Att	Yards	Avg.	Att	Yards	Avg.	Att	Yards	Avg.	Att	Yards	Avg.	Att	Yards	Avg.	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	Att	Yards	Avg.	Pts
DENVER	429	2700	6.3	301	1659	5.5	180	909	5.1	15	115	7.7	925	5383	5.82	1342	1485	1096	1460	416	2103	5.1	276
Opponents	345	1544	4.5	282	1409	5.0	188	1123	6.0	13	30	2.3	828	4106	4.96	989	1288	955	874	350	1627	4.6	253

*—OverTime Yards: N/A. (3rd & 4th down plays add to one more than efficiency attempts for both Denver & Opponent due to penalties where gain counted to the spot of the foul).

Drives In Opponent Territory (minus drives with 50+ yard scores): Denver 99/164 (60.4%, 21.2 ypd); Opponents 89/166 (53.6%, 18.3 ypd).

THIRD DOWN EFFICIENCY ANALYSIS

Team	3rd Down and-----										Second				Rush	Pass	Total	Pct.
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11-14	15-19	20+					
DENVER	17-29	9-14	6-12	7-13	3-15	4-14	5-14	3-12	3- 9	3-14	4-17	2-11	0- 5	30-59	36-120	33-97	66-179	36.9
Opponents	15-18	4- 9	7-13	3- 9	7-21	4-10	5-18	4-16	5-17	4-14	2-24	2-10	0- 8	21-43	41-144	24-87	62-187	33.2

AVERAGE YARDS TO GO: Denver 6.9 (180/1235); Opponents 7.9 (187/1486).

OFFENSIVE BREAKDOWN: 66 conversions for 787 yards (11.9), 5 TDs; 113 failures for 122 yards (1.1); Opponents: 6 sacks, 4 interceptions.

DEFENSIVE BREAKDOWN: 62 conversions for 919 yards (14.8), 10 TD; 125 failures for 194 yards (1.6); Denver: 12 sacks, 4 interceptions, 3 fumble recoveries.

TURNOVER ANALYSIS

DENVER's 27 turnovers have led to 90 Opponent points: 10 TD, 7 FG; 31.7% of Opponents' total points (284).

OPPONENTS' 17 turnovers have led to 47 Denver points: 5 TD, 4 FG; 15.1% of Denver's total points (311).

AVERAGE STARTING FIELD POSITION

	Denver	Opponent
Drives Started	167	167
Cumulative Starting Yardlines	4664	5497
Average Field Position	D28	O33
Drives Started In Plus Territory	18	24
Scores/TD,FG	8/2,6	21/12,9
Punts/Downs	1/2	1/2
Turnovers/Ran Out Clock	3/4	0/0
Drives Started Inside Own 20/At Own 20	43/30	29/27

SCORING PERCENTAGE INSIDE-THE-20 (RED ZONE)

	Denver	Opponent
Times Penetrated Opponent 20	40	38
Total Scores	34	30
Touchdowns	20	18
Field Goals-Attempts	14-14	12-13
Turnovers/Downs/Punts	5/1/0	4/2/1
Scores From Outside the 20/TD,FG	21/13,8	18/12,6
Scoring Percentage	85.0	78.9
*—Ran Out Clock Not Trying To Score	3	1

(*—not included in total count above.)

YARDS LOST DUE TO PENALTIES

	Denver	Opponent
Times Penalized After Offensive Gain	22	16
Yards Lost Due To Penalties	254	159
Touchdowns Called Back	0	1
Field Goals Called Back	1	0
First Downs Lost	10	5

TIME SPENT IN THE LEAD

	Denver	Opponent	Tied
Through 13 Games (840:00 total minutes)	361:16	301:25	177:19
Percentage of Time In The Lead	43.0	35.9	21.1

EXPANDED PUNTING

Team	Punts	Yards	Avg.	Number		Avg.	Long	Pct. Not	Pct.	Inside Opp Terr.				Adjusted 50 & Out					
				Returned	Yards					Return	Return	Returned	Net. Avg.	In20	In10	TB	FC	No.	Yards
M. KNORR	54	2243	41.54	26	240	9.2	50	51.9	34.87	12	22.2	4	6	9	12	451	42	1792	42.7
J. BAKER	9	352	39.11	4	39	9.8	16	55.6	32.56	4	44.4	1	1	2	5	184	4	168	42.0

FIRST DOWNS EARNED

Player	Rush	Pass	Rec.	—	Total
J. PLUMMER	9	159	0	—	168
R. DROUGHNS	60	0	13	—	73
R. SMITH	2	0	44	—	46
A. LELIE	0	0	35	—	35
J. PUTZIER	0	0	22	—	22
D. WATTS	2	0	17	—	19
Q. GRIFFIN	13	0	4	—	17
T. BELL	12	0	0	—	12
D. CARSWELL	0	0	9	—	9
G. HEARST	6	0	1	—	7
K. JOHNSON	0	0	5	—	5
P. HAPE	0	0	3	—	3
N. JACKSON	0	0	3	—	3
T. LUKE	0	0	3	—	3

TRUE QUARTERBACK RUSHING

Player	Att.	Yds	Avg.	Kneeldowns	Adjusted	Spkd Ps		
J. PLUMMER	47	162	3.4	8(-8)	39	170	4.4	4

GOAL-TO-GO SITUATIONS

Team	Summary-----										GTG Plays-----		
	Total*	TD	FG	FGA	DWN	TO	Plays	TDs	Pct.				
DENVER	21	12	5	0	1	3	40	12	30.0				
OPPONENTS	17	12	4	0	0	1	38	12	31.6				

(*—does not include running out the clock: Denver 1, Opponent 0.)

DENVER BRONCOS 2004 DEPTH CHART

(AS OF MONDAY, DEC. 20, 2004)

Broncos Offense

WR	80	Rod Smith	<u>17</u>	<u>Darius Watts</u>				
LT	78	Matt Lepsis	65	Cooper Carlisle				
LG	50	Ben Hamilton	69	P.J. Alexander				
C	66	Tom Nalen	50	Ben Hamilton				
RG	62	Dan Neil	65	Cooper Carlisle				
RT	72	George Foster	74	Cornell Green				
TE	89	Dwayne Carswell	88	Jeb Putzier	86	Patrick Hape	83	Mike Leach
WR	85	Ashley Lelie	<u>10</u>	<u>Triandos Luke</u>	81	Charlie Adams		
QB	16	Jake Plummer	13	Danny Kanell				
RB	34	Reuben Droughns	<u>26</u>	<u>Tatum Bell</u>	20	Garrison Hearst	37	Cecil Sapp
FB	39	Kyle Johnson	34	Reuben Droughns				

Broncos Defense

LE	92	Marco Coleman	95	Anton Palepoi	[93	Trevor Pryce]
LT	68	Mario Fatafehi	61	Ellis Johnson	97	Demetris Veal
RT	75	Monsanto Pope	90	Darius Holland		
RE	98	Reggie Hayward	99	Raylee Johnson		
WLB	<u>52</u>	<u>D.J. Williams</u>	59	Donnie Spragan	53	Louis Green
MLB	56	Al Wilson	55	Patrick Chukwurah		
SLB	59	Donnie Spragan	58	Terry Pierce	57	Jashon Sykes
LCB	24	Champ Bailey	<u>40</u>	<u>Jeff Shoate</u>		
RCB	31	Kelly Herndon	<u>45</u>	<u>Roc Alexander</u>		
SS	28	Kenoy Kennedy	32	Chris Young		
FS	47	John Lynch	25	Nick Ferguson	42	Sam Brandon

Broncos Specialists

P	6	Jason Baker				
K	1	Jason Elam				
KO	6	Jason Baker	1	Jason Elam		
PR	80	Rod Smith	<u>10</u>	<u>Triandos Luke</u>	24	Champ Bailey
KR	34	Reuben Droughns	<u>45</u>	<u>Roc Alexander</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>Triandos Luke</u>
PC	83	Mike Leach	86	Patrick Hape		
KC	83	Mike Leach	78	Matt Lepsis	50	Ben Hamilton
H	6	Jason Baker	13	Danny Kanell		

Rookie and First-Year players underlined
[injured players]

BRONCOS PRONUNCIATION GUIDE

Patrick Chukwurah (chuk-WER-uh)
Reuben Droughns (DRONES)
Jason Elam (EE-lum)
Mario Fatafehi (fa-ta-FAY-hee)
Ashley Lelie (lu-LEE)

Triandos Luke (tree-AN-dus)
Jeb Putzier [putz-EER]
Jeff Shoate (SHOTE)
Donnie Spragan (SPRAY-gan)
Jashon Sykes (JAY-shon)

Denver Broncos 2004 Alphabetical Roster
(updated 12/20/04)

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Birthdate	NFL Exp.	College	High School Hometown	How Acq.	2004 P-S-DNP-INA
81	Adams, Charlie	WR	6-2	190	10/23/79	2	Hofstra	Mechanicsburg, Pa.	FA-'04	2-0-0-3
69	Alexander, P.J.	G	6-4	297	12/23/78	2	Syracuse	Tallahassee, Fla.	FA-'03	2-0-12-0
45	Alexander, Roc	CB	5-10	186	9/23/81	R	Washington	Colorado Springs, Colo.	CFA-'04	14-0-0-0
24	Bailey, Champ	CB	6-0	192	6/22/78	6	Georgia	Folkston, Ga.	T(Was)-'04	14-14-0-0
6	Baker, Jason	P/K	6-2	205	5/17/78	4	Iowa	Fort Wayne, Ind.	W(Ind)-'04	8-0-0-0*
26	Bell, Tatum	RB	5-11	213	3/2/81	R	Oklahoma State	Dallas, Texas	D2a-'04	12-0-0-2
42	Brandon, Sam	S	6-2	200	7/5/79	3	UNLV	Riverside, Calif.	D4-'02	7-0-0-7
65	Carlisle, Cooper	G/T	6-5	295	8/11/77	5	Florida	McComb, Miss.	D4b-'00	14-1-0-0
89	Carswell, Wayne	TE	6-3	290	1/18/72	11	Liberty	Jacksonville, Fla.	CFA-'94	13-12-0-0
55	Chukwurah, Patrick	LB	6-1	250	3/1/79	4	Wyoming	Irving, Texas	FA-'04	12-0-0-2
92	Coleman, Marco	DE	6-3	270	12/18/69	13	Georgia Tech	Dayton, Ohio	UFA (Phi)-'04	14-14-0-0
34	Droughns, Reuben	RB	5-11	220	8/21/78	5	Oregon	Anaheim, Calif.	FA-'02	14-13-0-0
1	Elam, Jason	K	5-11	200	3/8/70	12	Hawaii	Ft. Walton Beach, Fla.	D3b-'93	14-0-0-0
68	Fatafehi, Mario	DT	6-2	300	1/27/79	4	Kansas State	Honolulu, Hawaii	FA-'03	14-14-0-0
25	Ferguson, Nick	S	5-11	201	11/27/74	5	Georgia Tech	Miami, Fla.	FA-'03	14-1-0-0
72	Foster, George	T	6-5	338	6/9/80	2	Georgia	Macon, Ga.	D1-'03	14-14-0-0
74	Green, Cornell	T	6-6	315	8/25/76	5	Central Florida	St. Petersburg, Fla.	UFA(TB)-'04	0-0-1-13
53	Green, Louis	LB	6-3	228	9/23/79	1	Alcorn State	Vicksburg, Miss.	FA-'03	4-0-0-0
50	Hamilton, Ben	G/C	6-4	283	8/18/77	4	Minnesota	Minneapolis, Minn.	D4a-'01	14-14-0-0
86	Hape, Patrick	TE	6-4	262	6/6/74	8	Alabama	Killen, Ala.	UFA(TB)-'01	14-3-0-0
98	Hayward, Reggie	DE	6-5	270	3/14/79	4	Iowa State	Dolton, Ill.	D3-'01	14-13-0-0
20	Hearst, Garrison	RB	5-11	215	1/4/71	12	Georgia	Lincolnton, Ga.	FA-'04	6-0-3-5
31	Herdon, Kelly	CB	5-10	180	11/3/76	3	Toledo	Twinsburg, Ohio	FA-'01	14-14-0-0
90	Holland, Darius	DT	6-5	330	11/10/73	9	Colorado	Las Cruces, N.M.	FA-'03	2-0-0-11
61	Johnson, Ellis	DT	6-2	288	10/30/73	10	Florida	Wildwood, Fla.	T(Atl)-'04	1-0-0-0
39	Johnson, Kyle	FB	6-0	242	12/15/78	2	Syracuse	Woodbridge, N.J.	FA-'03	14-3-0-0
99	Johnson, Raylee	DE	6-3	272	6/1/70	12	Arkansas	Fordyce, Ark.	FA-'04	12-1-0-2
13	Kanell, Danny	QB	6-3	218	11/21/73	7	Florida State	Fort Lauderdale, Fla.	FA-'03	0-0-14-0
28	Kennedy, Kenoy	S	6-1	215	11/15/77	5	Arkansas	Terrell, Texas	D2b-'00	14-14-0-0
83	Leach, Mike	TE/LS	6-2	245	10/18/76	5	William & Mary	Jefferson Township, N.J.	FA-'02	14-0-0-0
85	Lelie, Ashley	WR	6-3	200	2/16/80	3	Hawaii	Honolulu, Hawaii	D1-'02	14-14-0-0
78	Lepsis, Matt	T	6-4	290	1/13/74	8	Colorado	Conroe, Texas	CFA-'97	14-14-0-0
10	Luke, Triandos	WR	5-10	189	12/24/81	R	Alabama	Phenix City, Ala.	D6a-'04	8-0-0-6
47	Lynch, John	S	6-2	220	9/25/71	12	Stanford	Del Mar, Calif.	FA-'04	13-13-0-1
66	Nalen, Tom	C	6-3	286	5/13/71	11	Boston College	Foxboro, Mass.	D7c-'94	14-14-0-0
62	Neil, Dan	G	6-2	285	10/21/73	8	Texas	Cypress Creek, Tex.	D3-'97	13-12-0-1
95	Palepoi, Anton	DE	6-3	283	1/19/78	3	UNLV	Salt Lake City, Utah	FA-'04	9-0-0-3
58	Pierce, Terry	LB	6-1	251	6/21/81	2	Kansas State	Fort Worth, Texas	D2-'03	13-0-1-0
16	Plummer, Jake	QB	6-2	212	12/19/74	8	Arizona State	Boise, Idaho	UFA(Ari)-'03	14-14-0-0
75	Pope, Monsanto	DT	6-3	300	1/27/78	3	Virginia	Hopewell, Va.	D7b-'02	14-13-0-0
93	Pryce, Trevor	DE	6-5	295	8/3/75	8	Clemson	Winter Park, Fla.	D1-'97	1-1-0-13
88	Putzier, Jeb	TE	6-4	256	1/20/79	3	Boise State	Eagle, Idaho	D6-'02	14-5-0-0
37	Sapp, Cecil	RB	5-11	229	12/23/78	2	Colorado State	Miami, Fla.	CFA-'03	3-0-0-4
40	Shoate, Jeff	CB	5-10	189	3/23/81	R	San Diego State	San Diego, Calif.	D5-'04	5-0-0-8
80	Smith, Rod	WR	6-0	200	5/15/70	10	Missouri Southern	Texarkana, Ark.	CFA-'94	14-14-0-0
59	Spragan, Donnie	LB	6-3	239	7/12/76	3	Stanford	Union City, Calif.	FA-'01	14-13-0-0
57	Sykes, Jashon	LB	6-2	236	9/25/79	2	Colorado	Los Angeles, Calif.	CFA-'02	3-0-0-11
97	Veal, Demetris	DT	6-2	288	8/11/81	2	Tennessee	Paramount, Calif.	FA-'04	0-0-0-1
17	Watts, Darius	WR	6-2	188	12/19/81	R	Marshall	Atlanta, Ga.	D2b-'04	14-2-0-0
52	Williams, D.J.	LB	6-1	242	7/20/82	R	Miami	Concord, Calif.	D1-'04	14-12-0-0
56	Wilson, Al	LB	6-0	240	6/21/77	6	Tennessee	Jackson, Tenn.	D1-'99	14-14-0-0
32	Young, Chris	S	6-0	210	1/23/80	2	Georgia Tech	Senoia, Ga.	D7a-'02	10-0-0-4

PRACTICE SQUAD

30	Beard, Santonio	RB	6-0	224	2/14/80	1	Alabama	Nashville, Tenn.	FA-'04	0-0-0-0
27	Cox, Curome	CB	6-1	199	2/28/81	R	Maryland	Washington, D.C.	FA-'04	0-0-0-0
70	Clabo, Tyson	G	6-6	314	10/17/81	R	Wake Forest	Knoxville, Tenn.	CFA-'04	0-0-0-0
3	Crenshaw, Romar	WR	6-0	185	9/22/80	R	S.E. Oklahoma State	Broken Bow, Okla.	CFA-'04	0-0-0-0
8	Mauck, Matt	QB	6-1	213	2/12/79	R	Louisiana State	Jasper, Ind.	D7a-'04	0-0-0-2
91	McNeal, Bryant	DE	6-4	248	7/13/79	2	Clemson	Swansea, S.C.	D4c-'03	0-0-0-0
79	Sewell, Josh	C/G	6-2	300	7/26/81	R	Nebraska	Lincoln, Neb.	D6b-'04	0-0-0-0
9	Van Pelt, Bradlee	QB	6-2	225	7/3/80	R	Colorado State	Santa Barbara, Calif.	D7c-'04	0-0-0-0

RESERVE/INJURED

No.	Name	Date Placed	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Birthdate	NFL Exp.	College	High School Hometown	How Acq.	2004 P-S-DNP-INA
38	Anderson, Mike (Groin)	8/31/04	RB	6-0	230	9/21/73	5	Utah	Winnsboro, S.C.	D6-'00	0-0-0-0
96	Davis, Dorsett (L Finger)	7/31/04	DT	6-5	305	1/24/79	3	Mississippi State	Cleveland, Miss.	D3-'02	0-0-0-0
94	Elliss, Luther (Lower Back)	12/17/04	DT	6-5	318	3/22/73	10	Utah	Mancos, Colo.	FA-'04	8-0-0-5
22	Griffin, Quentin (R knee)	10/27/04	RB	5-7	195	1/12/81	2	Oklahoma	Houston, Texas	D4a-'03	6-4-0-1
14	Jackson, Nate (L Ankle)	12/7/04	WR	6-3	223	6/4/79	2	Menlo	San Jose, Calif.	T(S.F.)-'03	12-0-0-0
2	Johnson, B.J. (L Ankle)	8/31/04	WR	5-11	207	8/4/82	R	Texas	Grand Prairie, Texas	CFA-'04	0-0-0-0
43	LeSueur, Jeremy (Hernia)	9/5/04	CB	6-0	197	10/5/80	R	Michigan	Holly Springs, Miss.	D3-'04	0-0-0-0
23	Middlebrooks, Willie (R Knee)	12/17/04	CB	6-1	200	2/12/79	4	Minnesota	Homestead, Fla.	D1-'01	12-2-0-1
48	Miree, Brandon (L Thumb)	8/16/04	RB	5-11	237	4/14/81	R	Pittsburgh	Cincinnati, Ohio	D7b-'04	0-0-0-0
35	Walls, Lenny (R Shoulder)	11/30/04	CB	6-4	192	9/26/79	3	Boston College	San Francisco, Calif.	CFA-'02	7-1-1-3

Head Coach: Mike Shanahan (10th year). **Assistant Coaches:** Gary Kubiak (Offensive Coordinator), Larry Coyer (Defensive Coordinator), Ronnie Bradford (Special Teams), Jacob Burney (Defensive Line), Troy Calhoun (Offensive Asst./Special Teams), Rick Dennison (Offensive Line), Kirk Doll (Assistant Defensive Backs), Pat McPherson (Quarterbacks), Keith Millard (Asst. Defensive Line/Pass Rush Specialist), Brian Pariani (Tight Ends), Greg Saporta (Asst. Strength & Conditioning), Cedric Smith (Asst. Strength & Conditioning), Jimmy Spencer (Defensive Backs), Bobby Turner (Running Backs), Rich Tuten (Strength & Conditioning), Steve Watson (Wide Receivers).

KEY: CFA-college free agent; D-drafted; FA-acquired as free agent; RFA-acquired as restricted free agent; UFA-acquired as unrestricted free agent; T-trade; W-waivers. * - Baker was with Kansas City (2 games) and Indianapolis (4 games).

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(updated 12/20/04)

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Age	NFL Exp.	College	High School Hometown	How Acq.	2004 P-S-DNP-INA
1	Jason Elam	K	5-11	200	34	12	Hawaii	Ft. Walton Beach, Fla.	D3b-'93	14-0-0-0
6	Jason Baker	P/K	6-2	205	26	4	Iowa	Fort Wayne, Ind.	W(Ind)-'04	8-0-0-0*
10	Triandos Luke	WR	5-10	189	22	R	Alabama	Phenix City, Ala.	D6a-'04	8-0-0-6
13	Danny Kanell	QB	6-3	218	30	7	Florida State	Fort Lauderdale, Fla.	FA-'03	0-0-14-0
16	Jake Plummer	QB	6-2	212	29	8	Arizona State	Boise, Idaho	UFA(Ari)-'03	14-14-0-0
17	Darius Watts	WR	6-2	188	22	R	Marshall	Atlanta, Ga.	D2b-'04	14-2-0-0
20	Garrison Hearst	RB	5-11	215	33	12	Georgia	Lincolnton, Ga.	FA-'04	6-0-3-5
24	Champ Bailey	CB	6-0	192	26	6	Georgia	Folkston, Ga.	T(Was)-'04	14-14-0-0
25	Nick Ferguson	S	5-11	201	29	5	Georgia Tech	Miami, Fla.	FA-'03	14-1-0-0
26	Tatum Bell	RB	5-11	213	23	R	Oklahoma State	Dallas, Texas	FA-'04	12-0-0-2
28	Kenoy Kennedy	S	6-1	215	26	5	Arkansas	Terrell, Texas	D2b-'00	14-14-0-0
31	Kelly Herndon	CB	5-10	180	27	3	Toledo	Twinsburg, Ohio	FA-'01	14-14-0-0
32	Chris Young	S	6-0	210	24	2	Georgia Tech	Senoia, Ga.	D7a-'02	10-0-0-4
34	Reuben Droughns	RB	5-11	220	26	5	Oregon	Anaheim, Calif.	FA-'02	14-13-0-0
37	Cecil Sapp	RB	5-11	229	25	2	Colorado State	Miami, Fla.	CFA-'03	3-0-0-4
39	Kyle Johnson	FB	6-0	242	26	2	Syracuse	Woodbridge, N.J.	FA-'03	14-3-0-0
40	Jeff Shoate	CB	5-10	189	23	R	San Diego State	San Diego, Calif.	D5-'04	5-0-0-9
42	Sam Brandon	S	6-2	200	25	3	UNLV	Riverside, Calif.	D4-'02	7-0-0-7
45	Roc Alexander	CB	5-10	186	23	R	Washington	Colorado Springs, Colo.	CFA-'04	14-0-0-0
47	John Lynch	S	6-2	220	33	12	Stanford	Del Mar, Calif.	FA-'04	13-13-0-1
50	Ben Hamilton	G/C	6-4	283	26	4	Minnesota	Minneapolis, Minn.	D4a-'01	14-14-0-0
52	D.J. Williams	LB	6-1	242	22	R	Miami	Concord, Calif.	D1-'04	14-12-0-0
53	Louis Green	LB	6-3	228	25	1	Alcorn State	Vicksburg, Miss.	FA-'03	4-0-0-0
55	Patrick Chukwurah	LB	6-1	250	25	4	Wyoming	Irving, Texas	FA-'04	12-0-0-2
56	Al Wilson	LB	6-0	240	27	6	Tennessee	Jackson, Tenn.	D1-'99	14-14-0-0
57	Jashon Sykes	LB	6-2	236	25	2	Colorado	Los Angeles, Calif.	CFA-'02	3-0-0-11
58	Terry Pierce	LB	6-1	251	23	2	Kansas State	Fort Worth, Texas	D2-'03	13-0-1-0
59	Donnie Spragan	LB	6-3	239	28	3	Stanford	Union City, Calif.	FA-'01	14-13-0-0
61	Ellis Johnson	DT	6-2	288	31	10	Florida	Wildwood, Fla.	T(Atl)-'04	11-0-0-0
62	Dan Neil	G	6-2	285	31	8	Texas	Cypress Creek, Tex.	D3-'97	13-12-0-1
65	Cooper Carlisle	G/T	6-5	295	26	5	Florida	McComb, Miss.	D4b-'00	14-1-0-0
66	Tom Nalen	C	6-3	286	33	11	Boston College	Foxboro, Mass.	D7c-'94	14-14-0-0
68	Mario Fatafehi	DT	6-2	300	25	4	Kansas State	Honolulu, Hawaii	FA-'03	14-14-0-0
69	P.J. Alexander	G	6-4	297	25	2	Syracuse	Tallahassee, Fla.	FA-'03	2-0-12-0
72	George Foster	T	6-5	338	24	2	Georgia	Macon, Ga.	D1-'03	14-14-0-0
74	Cornell Green	T	6-6	315	28	5	Central Florida	St. Petersburg, Fla.	UFA(TB)-'04	0-0-1-13
75	Monsanto Pope	DT	6-3	300	26	3	Virginia	Hopewell, Va.	D7b-'02	14-13-0-0
78	Matt Lepsis	T	6-4	290	30	8	Colorado	Conroe, Texas	CFA-'97	14-14-0-0
80	Rod Smith	WR	6-0	200	34	10	Missouri Southern	Texarkana, Ark.	CFA-'94	14-14-0-0
81	Charlie Adams	WR	6-2	190	25	2	Hofstra	Mechanicsburg, Pa.	FA-'04	2-0-0-3
83	Mike Leach	TE/LS	6-2	245	28	5	William & Mary	Jefferson Township, N.J.	FA-'02	14-0-0-0
85	Ashley Lelie	WR	6-3	200	24	3	Hawaii	Honolulu, Hawaii	D1-'02	14-14-0-0
86	Patrick Hape	TE	6-4	262	30	8	Alabama	Killen, Ala.	UFA(TB)-'01	14-3-0-0
88	Jeb Putzier	TE	6-4	256	25	3	Boise State	Eagle, Idaho	D6-'02	14-5-0-0
89	Dwayne Carswell	TE	6-3	290	32	11	Liberty	Jacksonville, Fla.	CFA-'94	13-12-0-0
90	Darius Holland	DT	6-5	330	30	9	Colorado	Las Cruces, N.M.	FA-'03	2-0-0-11
92	Marco Coleman	DE	6-3	270	34	13	Georgia Tech	Dayton, Ohio	UFA(Phi)-'04	14-14-0-0
93	Trevor Pryce	DE	6-5	295	29	8	Clemson	Winter Park, Fla.	D1-'97	1-1-0-13
95	Anton Palepoi	DE	6-3	283	26	3	UNLV	Salt Lake City, Utah	FA-'04	9-0-0-3
97	Demetris Veal	DT	6-2	288	23	2	Tennessee	Paramount, Calif.	FA-'04	0-0-0-1
98	Reggie Hayward	DE	6-5	270	25	4	Iowa State	Dolton, Ill.	D3-'01	14-13-0-0
99	Raylee Johnson	DE	6-3	272	34	12	Arkansas	Fordyce, Ark.	FA-'04	12-1-0-2

PRACTICE SQUAD

3	Romar Crenshaw	WR	6-0	185	23	R	S.E. Oklahoma State	Broken Bow, Okla.	CFA-'04	0-0-0-0
8	Matt Mauck	QB	6-1	213	25	R	Louisiana State	Jasper, Ind.	D7a-'04	0-0-0-2
9	Bradlee Van Pelt	QB	6-2	231	24	R	Colorado State	Santa Barbara, Calif.	D7c-'04	0-0-0-0
27	Curome Cox	CB	6-1	199	23	R	Maryland	Washington, D.C.	FA-'04	0-0-0-0
30	Santonio Beard	RB	6-0	224	24	1	Alabama	Nashville, Tenn.	FA-'04	0-0-0-0
70	Tyson Clabo	G	6-6	314	22	R	Wake Forest	Knoxville, Tenn.	CFA-'04	0-0-0-0
79	Josh Sewell	C/G	6-2	300	23	R	Nebraska	Lincoln, Neb.	D6b-'04	0-0-0-0
91	Bryant McNeal	DE	6-4	248	25	2	Clemson	Swansea, S.C.	D4c-'03	0-0-0-0

RESERVE/INJURED

No.	Name	Date Placed	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Age	NFL Exp.	College	Hometown	High School How Acq.	2004 P-S-DNP-INA
2	B.J. Johnson (L Ankle)	8/31/04	WR	5-11	207	22	R	Texas	Grand Prairie, Texas	CFA-'04	0-0-0-0
14	Nate Jackson (L Ankle)	12/7/04	WR	6-3	223	25	2	Menlo	San Jose, Calif.	T(S.F.)-'03	12-0-0-0
22	Quentin Griffin (R Knee)	10/27/04	RB	5-7	195	23	2	Oklahoma	Houston, Texas	D4a-'03	6-4-0-1
23	Willie Middlebrooks (R Knee)	12/17/04	CB	6-1	200	25	4	Minnesota	Homestead, Fla.	D1-'01	12-2-0-1
35	Lenny Walls (R Shoulder)	11/30/04	CB	6-4	192	25	3	Boston College	San Francisco, Calif.	CFA-'02	7-1-1-3
38	Mike Anderson (Groin)	8/31/04	RB	6-0	230	31	5	Utah	Winnsboro, S.C.	D6-'00	0-0-0-0
43	Jeremy LeSueur (Hernia)	9/5/04	CB	6-0	197	24	R	Michigan	Holly Springs, Miss.	D3-'04	0-0-0-0
48	Brandon Miree (L Thumb)	8/16/04	RB	5-11	237	23	R	Pittsburgh	Cincinnati, Ohio	D7b-'04	0-0-0-0
94	Luther Elliss (Lower Back)	12/17/04	DT	6-5	318	31	10	Utah	Mancos, Colo.	FA-'04	8-0-0-5
96	Dorsett Davis (L Finger)	7/31/04	DT	6-5	305	25	3	Mississippi State	Cleveland, Miss.	D3-'02	0-0-0-0

Head Coach: Mike Shanahan (10th year). **Assistant Coaches:** Gary Kubiak (Offensive Coordinator), Larry Coyer (Defensive Coordinator), Ronnie Bradford (Special Teams), Jacob Burney (Defensive Line), Troy Calhoun (Offensive Asst./Special Teams), Rick Dennison (Offensive Line), Kirk Doll (Assistant Defensive Backs), Pat McPherson (Quarterbacks), Keith Millard (Asst. Defensive Line/Pass Rush Specialist), Brian Pariani (Tight Ends), Greg Saporta (Asst. Strength & Conditioning), Cedric Smith (Asst. Strength & Conditioning), Jimmy Spencer (Defensive Backs), Bobby Turner (Running Backs), Rich Tuten (Strength & Conditioning), Steve Watson (Wide Receivers).

KEY: CFA-college free agent; D-drafted; FA-acquired as free agent; RFA-acquired as restricted free agent; UFA-acquired as unrestricted free agent; T-trade; W-waivers. * - Baker was with Kansas City (2 games) and Indianapolis (4 games).

DENVER BRONCOS 2004 TRANSACTIONS — by date/by player
(Updated Dec. 20, 2004)

BY DATE

12/30/03 Signed WR MarTay Jenkins to future contract
Signed DT Thomas Pittman to future contract
Signed QB Tory Woodbury to future contract

12/31/03 Signed G Calvin Collins to future contract
Signed S Ron Israel to future contract
Signed T Jamain Stephens to future contract

1/6/04 Signed WR Atnaf Harris to future contract

1/7/04 Signed DT Luis Almanzar to future contract

1/13/04 Signed LB Patrick Chukwurah to future contract

2/9/04 Signed RB Antonio Beard

2/17/04 Signed P Hayden Epstein

2/24/04 Re-signed LB Al Wilson

3/2/04 Placed WR Ed McCaffrey on reserve/retired list
Waived T Ephraim Salaam

3/4/04 Acquired CB Champ Bailey and a 2004 second-round (41st overall) draft choice from Washington in exchange for RB Clinton Portis

3/10/04 Signed QB Mike Quinn (UFA-Houston)
Re-signed CB Scott Turner (UFA)

3/11/04 Signed DE Marco Coleman (UFA-Philadelphia)
Re-signed TE Mike Leach

3/12/04 Signed WR Willie Jackson

3/15/04 Re-signed CB Jimmy Spencer (UFA)
Signed CB Reggie Stephens

3/19/04 Re-signed RB Reuben Droughns (UFA)
Signed TE Jed Weaver (UFA-San Francisco)
Signed DE Raylee Johnson

3/22/04 Signed DE Raylee Johnson

3/23/04 Signed S John Lynch

3/24/04 Signed DT Luther Elliss

3/25/04 Signed RB Garrison Hearst

3/26/04 Signed T Cornell Green (UFA-Tampa Bay)

4/9/04 Traded CB Detha O'Neal, a 2004 first round (24th overall) pick and a 2004 fourth round (117th overall) pick to Cincinnati in exchange for a 2004 first round (17th overall) selection

4/15/04 Re-signed TE Patrick Hape (UFA)
Signed TE O.J. Santiago (UFA-Oakland)

4/26/04 Waived QB Tory Woodbury

4/28/04 Signed G Tyson Clabo (rookie free agent)

5/3/04 Signed CB Roc Alexander (rookie free agent)
Signed WR Romar Crenshaw (rookie free agent)

5/7/04 Signed WR B.J. Johnson (rookie free agent)
Signed DT Brandon Kennedy (rookie free agent)
Signed G Shannon Snell (rookie free agent)

5/10/04 Waived QB Steve Beuerlein

5/11/04 Signed LB Johnny Rutledge

5/14/04 Signed TE Byron Chamberlain

6/2/04 Waived DT Daryl Gardener

6/9/04 Waived G Calvin Collins

6/11/04 Signed WR Triandos Luke (draft choice)

6/14/04 Signed LB Charles Burton
Signed DE Randy Garner
Signed G Tyler Lenda

7/27/04 Signed WR Darius Watts
Signed CB Jeremy LeSueur
Signed CB Jeff Shoate
Signed C Jeff Sewell
Signed QB Matt Mauck
Signed RB Brandon Miree
Signed QB Bradlee Van Pelt
Waived S Jarius Jackson
Waived WR MarTay Jenkins
Waived CB Reggie Stephens

7/28/04 Waived LB John Mobley

7/30/04 Signed CB Reggie Stephens

7/31/04 Placed DT Dorsett Davis on reserve/injured list (left finger)

8/12/04 Signed CB Jermaine Chatman

8/16/04 Placed RB Brandon Miree on reserve/injured list (left thumb)
Waived CB Reggie Stephens

8/17/04 Signed LB Cornelius Anthony
Waived WR Willie Jackson

8/23/04 Signed LB Riall Johnson

8/31/04 Placed CB Jimmy Spencer on reserve/retired list
Placed RB Mike Anderson on reserve/injured list (groin)

Placed CB Jermaine Chatman on reserve/injured list (left hand)

Placed WR B.J. Johnson on reserve/injured list (left ankle)

Waived DE Luis Almanzar
Waived RB Antonio Beard
Waived WR Atnaf Harris
Waived S Ron Israel
Waived LB Riall Johnson
Waived DT Brandon Kennedy
Waived G Tyler Lenda
Waived QB Mike Quinn
Waived TE O.J. Santiago
Waived T Jamain Stephens
Waived CB Scott Turner

9/5/04 Placed CB Jeremy LeSueur on reserve/injured list (hernia)
Waived LB Cornelius Anthony
Waived LB Charles Burton
Waived TE Byron Chamberlain
Waived G Tyson Clabo
Waived WR Romar Crenshaw
Waived DT Nick Eason
Waived P Hayden Epstein
Waived RB Ahmaad Galloway
Waived DE Randy Garner
Waived LB Louis Green
Waived DE Bryant McNeal
Waived DE Clint Mitchell
Waived DT Thomas Pittman
Waived LB Johnny Rutledge
Waived RB Cecil Sapp
Waived C/G Josh Sewell
Waived G Shannon Snell
Waived QB Bradlee Van Pelt
Waived G/C Chris Watton
Waived TE Jed Weaver

9/6/04 Signed WR Romar Crenshaw to practice squad
Signed DT Nick Eason to practice squad
Signed LB Louis Green to practice squad
Signed DE Bryant McNeal to practice squad
Signed RB Cecil Sapp to practice squad
Signed C/G Josh Sewell to practice squad
Signed QB Bradlee Van Pelt to practice squad
Signed TE John Paul Foschi to practice squad

9/7/04 Waived DT Darius Holland

9/11/04 Signed LB Louis Green from practice squad

9/13/04 Signed DT Darius Holland
Waived LB Louis Green
Signed LB Louis Green to practice squad

9/15/04 Waived TE John Paul Foschi from practice squad
Signed RB Antonio Beard to practice squad

9/20/04 Acquired DT Ellis Johnson from Atlanta in exchange for a 2005 conditional draft pick

9/22/04 Waived QB Matt Mauck
Signed DE Anton Palepoi

9/24/04 Signed QB Matt Mauck to practice squad
Waived DT Nick Eason from practice squad

10/2/04 Activated DT Ellis Johnson from exempt/commissioner permission to 53-man roster
Waived WR Charlie Adams

10/4/04 Moved WR Adrian Madise from reserve/suspended to exempt/commissioner permission list

10/11/04 Waived WR Adrian Madise
Waived CB Jermaine Chatman from reserve/injured list

10/18/04 NFL placed TE Dwayne Carswell on reserve/suspended list

10/26/04 TE Dwayne Carswell reinstated from reserve/suspended list by NFL

10/27/04 Place RB Quentin Griffin on reserve/injured list (right knee)
Sign RB Cecil Sapp from practice squad
Sign RB Kris Briggs to practice squad

11/17/04 Waived RB Kris Briggs from practice squad
Signed G Tyson Clabo to practice squad

11/30/04 Placed CB Lenny Walls on reserve/injured (right shoulder)
Signed LB Louis Green from practice squad

12/1/04 Signed CB Curome Cox to practice squad

12/7/04 Placed WR Nate Jackson on reserve/injured (left ankle)

12/8/04 Re-signed WR Charlie Adams

12/9/04 Waived P Micah Knorr
Claimed P Jason Baker off Waivers (IND)

12/17/04 Placed CB Willie Middlebrooks on reserve/injured (right knee)
Placed DT Luther Elliss on reserve/injured (lower back)

12/18/04 Signed DT Demetris Veal

BY PLAYER

ADAMS, Charlie — WR
10/2/04 Waived
12/8/04 Re-signed

ALEXANDER, Roc — CB
5/3/04 Signed (rookie free agent)

ALMANZAR, Luis — DT
1/7/04 Signed to future contract
8/31/04 Waived

ANDERSON, Mike — RB
8/31/04 Placed on reserve/injured list (groin)

ANTHONY, Cornelius — LB
8/17/04 Signed
9/5/04 Waived

BAKER, Jason — P
12/9/04 Claimed off Waivers (Indianapolis)

BAILEY, Champ — CB
3/4/04 Acquired from Washington with a 2004 second-round (41st overall) draft choice for RB Clinton Portis

BEARD, Antonio — RB
2/9/04 Signed
8/31/04 Waived
9/15/04 Signed to practice squad

BEUERLEIN, Steve — QB
5/10/04 Waived

BURTON, Charles — LB
6/14/04 Signed
9/5/04 Waived

BRIGGS, Kris — RB
10/27/04 Signed to practice squad
11/17/04 Waived from practice squad

CARSWELL, Dwayne — TE
10/11/04 Placed on reserve/suspended list by NFL
10/26/04 Reinstated by NFL from reserve/suspended list

CHAMBERLIN, Byron — TE
5/14/04 Signed
9/5/04 Waived

CHATMAN, Jermaine — CB
8/12/04 Signed
8/31/04 Placed on reserve/injured list (left hand)
10/11/04 Waived from reserve/injured list

CHUKWURAH, Patrick — LB
1/13/04 Signed to future contract

CLABO, Tyson — G
4/28/04 Signed (rookie free agent)
9/5/04 Waived
11/17/04 Signed to practice squad

COLEMAN, Marco — DE
3/11/04 Signed (UFA-Philadelphia)

COLLINS, Calvin — G
12/31/03 Signed to future contract
6/9/04 Waived

COX, Curome — CB
12/1/04 Signed to practice squad

CRENSHAW, Romar — WR
5/3/04 Signed (rookie free agent)
9/5/04 Waived
9/6/04 Signed to practice squad

DAVIS, Dorsett — DT
7/31/04 Placed on reserve/injured list (left finger)

DROUGHNS, Reuben — RB

3/19/04 Re-signed (UFA)
EASON, Nick — DT
9/5/04 Waived
9/6/04 Signed to practice squad
9/24/04 Waived
ELLISS, Luther — DT
3/24/04 Signed
12/17/04 Placed on reserve/injured (lower back)
EPSTEIN, Hayden — P
2/17/04 Signed
9/5/04 Waived
FOSCHI, John Paul — TE
9/7/04 Signed to practice squad
9/15/04 Waived
GALLOWAY, Ahmaad — RB
9/5/04 Waived
GARDENER, Daryl — DT
6/2/04 Waived
GARNER, Randy — DE
6/14/04 Signed
9/5/04 Waived
GREEN, Cornell — T
3/26/04 Signed (UFA-Tampa Bay)
GREEN, Cornell — T
9/5/04 Waived
9/6/04 Signed to practice squad
9/11/04 Signed
9/13/04 Waived and re-signed to practice squad
GREEN, Louis — LB
9/5/04 Waived
9/6/04 Signed to practice squad
9/11/04 Signed from practice squad
9/11/04 Waived; re-signed to practice squad
11/30/04 Signed from practice squad
GRIFFIN, Quentin — RB
10/27/04 Placed on reserve/injured list (right knee)
HAPE, Patrick — TE
4/15/04 Re-signed (UFA)
HARRIS, Atnaf — WR
1/6/04 Signed to future contract
8/31/04 Waived
HEARST, Garrison — RB
3/25/04 Signed
HOLLAND, Darius — DT
9/11/04 Waived
9/13/04 Signed
ISRAEL, Ron — S
12/31/03 Signed to future contract
8/31/04 Waived
JACKSON, Jarious — QB
7/27/04 Waived
JACKSON, Nate — WR
12/7/04 Placed on reserve/injured list (left ankle)
JACKSON, Willie — WR
3/12/04 Signed
8/17/04 Waived
JENKINS, MarTay — WR
12/30/03 Signed to future contract
7/27/04 Waived
JOHNSON, B.J. — WR
5/7/04 Signed (rookie free agent)
8/31/04 Placed on reserve/injured list (left ankle)
JOHNSON, Ellis — DE
9/20/04 Acquired in a trade from Atlanta in exchange for a 2005 conditional draft pick
10/2/04 Activated from exempt/commissioner permission to 53-man roster
JOHNSON, Raylee — DE
3/22/04 Signed
JOHNSON, Riall — LB
8/23/04 Signed
KENNEDY, Brandon — DT
5/7/04 Signed (rookie free agent)
8/31/04 Waived
KNORR, Micah — P
2/9/04 Waived
LEACH, Mike — TE
3/11/04 Re-signed
LENDIA, Tyler — G
6/14/04 Signed
8/31/04 Waived
LeSUEUR, Jeremy — CB

7/27/04 Signed
9/5/04 Placed on reserve/injured list (hernia)
LUKE, Triandos — WR
6/11/04 Signed
LYNCH, John — S
3/23/04 Signed
MADISE, Adrian — WR
10/4/04 Moved from reserve/suspended to exempt/commissioner permission list
10/11/04 Waived
MAUCK, Matt — QB
7/27/04 Signed
9/22/04 Waived
9/24/04 Signed to practice squad
McNEAL, Bryant — DE
9/5/04 Waived
9/6/04 Signed to practice squad
MIIDDLEBROOKS, Willie — CB
12/17/04 Placed on reserve/injured (right knee)
MIREE, Brandon — RB
7/27/04 Signed
8/16/04 Place on reserve/injured list (left thumb)
McCAFFREY, Ed — WR
3/2/04 Placed on reserve/retired list
MITCHELL, Clint — DE
9/5/04 Waived
MOBLEY, John — LB
7/28/04 Waived
O'NEAL, Deltha — CB
4/9/04 Traded to Cincinnati along with a 2004 first round (24th overall) pick and a 2004 fourth round (117th overall) pick, in exchange for the Bengals 2004 first round (17th overall) selection
PITTMAN, Thomas — DT
12/30/03 Signed to future contract
9/5/04 Waived
PORTIS, Clinton — RB
3/4/04 Traded to Washington for CB Champ Bailey and a 2004 second-round (41st overall) draft choice
QUINN, Mike — QB
3/10/04 Signed (UFA-Houston)
8/31/04 Waived
RUTLEDGE, Johnny — LB
5/11/04 Re-signed
9/5/04 Waived
SALAAM, Ephraim — T
3/2/04 Waived
SANTIAGO, O.J. — TE
4/15/04 Signed (UFA-Oakland)
8/31/04 Waived
SAPP, Cecil — RB
9/5/04 Waived
9/6/04 Signed to practice squad
10/27/04 Signed
SEWELL, Josh — C
7/27/04 Signed
9/5/04 Waived
9/6/04 Signed to practice squad
SHOATE, Jeff — CB
7/27/04 Signed
SNELL, Shannon — G
5/7/04 Signed (rookie free agent)
9/5/04 Waived
SPENCER, Jimmy — CB
3/15/04 Re-signed (UFA)
8/31/04 Placed on reserve/retired list
STEPHENS, Jamain — T
12/31/03 Signed to future contract
8/31/04 Waived
STEPHENS, Reggie — CB
3/15/04 Signed
7/27/04 Waived
7/30/04 Signed
8/16/04 Waived
TURNER, Scott — CB
3/10/04 Re-signed (UFA)
8/31/04 Waived
VAN PELT, Bradlee — QB
7/27/04 Signed

9/5/04 Waived
9/6/04 Signed to practice squad
VEAL, Demetris — DE/DT
12/18/04 Signed
WALLS, Lenny — CB
11/30/04 Placed on reserve/injured list (right shoulder)
WATTON, Chris — G/C
9/5/04 Waived
WATTS, Darius — WR
7/27/04 Signed
WEAVER, Jed — TE
3/19/04 Signed (UFA-San Francisco)
9/5/04 Waived
WILSON, Al — LB
2/24/04 Re-signed
WOODBURY, Tory — QB
12/30/03 Signed to future contract
4/26/04 Waived

HOW THE BRONCOS ARE BUILT

Updated 12/20/04

Year	Draft	Trades	Free Agents/Waivers
1993 9-7 (3rd AFC West)	K Jason Elam (3b)		
1994 7-9 (4th AFC West)	C Tom Nalen (7c)		TE Dwayne Carswell* WR Rod Smith*
1995 8-8 (4th AFC West)			
1996 13-3 (1st AFC West)			
1997 12-4 (2nd AFC West) Super Bowl Champs	DT Trevor Pryce (1) C/G Dan Neil (3)		T Matt Lepsis*
1998 14-2 (1st AFC West) Super Bowl Champs			
1999 6-10 (5th AFC West)	LB Al Wilson (1)		
2000 11-5 (2nd AFC West)	S Kenoy Kennedy (2b) G/T Cooper Carlisle (4b) RB Mike Anderson (6) (IR)		
2001 8-8 (3rd AFC West)	CB Willie Middlebrooks (1) (IR) DE Reggie Hayward (3) C Ben Hamilton (4a)		TE Patrick Hape** (UFA-Tampa Bay) DB Kelly Herndon** LB Donnie Spragan**
2002 9-7 (2nd AFC West)	WR Ashley Lelie (1) DT Dorsett Davis (3) (IR) S Sam Brandon (4) TE Jeb Putzier (6) S Chris Young (7a) DT Monsanto Pope (7b)		RB Reuben Droughns** FB Kyle Johnson** TE/LS Mike Leach** LB Jashon Sykes* CB Lenny Walls* (IR)
2003 10-6 (2nd AFC West)	T George Foster (1) LB Terry Pierce (2) RB Quentin Griffin (4a) (IR) DE Bryant McNeal (4c) (PS)	WR Nate Jackson (S.F.)** (IR)	G/T P.J. Alexander** DT Mario Fatatehi** S Nick Ferguson** LB Louis Green** DT Darius Holland** QB Danny Kanell** QB Jake Plummer*** (UFA-Arizona) RB Cecil Sapp*
2004 8-6	LB DJ. Williams (1) RB Tatum Bell (2a) WR Darius Watts (2b) CB Jeremy LeSueur (3) (IR) CB Jeff Shoate (5) WR Triandos Luke (6a) C/G Josh Sewell (6b) (PS) QB Matt Mauck (7a) (PS) RB Brandon Miree (7b) (IR) QB Bradlee Van Pelt (7c) (PS)	CB Champ Bailey (Was)**	WR Charlie Adams** (CFA-02) CB Roc Alexander* P Jason Baker** RB Antonio Beard** (PS) LB Patrick Chukwurah** G Tyson Clabo* (PS) DE Marco Coleman*** (UFA-Philadelphia) CB Curome Cox** (PS) WR Romar Crenshaw* (PS) DT Luther Elliss** (IR) T Cornell Green*** (UFA-Tampa Bay) RB Garrison Hearst** WR B.J. Johnson* (IR) DT Ellis Johnson** DE Raylee Johnson** S John Lynch** DE Anton Palepoi** DT Demetris Veal**

Number in parenthesis after draft choice indicates the round in which the player was taken.

* – indicates player was a rookie free agent when he joined the Broncos.

** – indicates player was an NFL veteran or had been in other camps before joining the Broncos.

*** – indicates player was an unrestricted free agent who had not been released by previous team.

(year) – indicates a player who had a previous tenure with the club, and the year it began.

PS – indicates player is on the Practice Squad for the '04 season.

IR – indicates player is on Injured Reserve list for the '04 season.

NFI – indicates player is on the Reserve/Non-Football Injury list for the '04 season.

2004 INDIVIDUAL GAME-BY-GAME STATISTICS — RUSHING

Game	DROUGHNS				PLUMMER				BELL				HEARST			
	Att.	Yds.	LG	TD	Att.	Yds.	LG	TD	Att.	Yds.	LG	TD	Att.	Yds.	LG	TD
Kansas City	0	0	0	0	8	23	14	0	2	11	8	0	2	5	6	0
at Jacksonville	0	0	0	0	6	24	9	0	4	16	7	0	INACTIVE			
San Diego	2	10	9	0	2	1	1	0	INACTIVE				3	13	11	0
at Tampa Bay	8	20	8	0	5	18	7	0	0	0	0	0	INACTIVE			
Carolina	30	193	32	0	4	8	8	0	2	5	4	0	DID NOT PLAY			
at Oakland	38	176	22	1	1	15	15	0	6	25	13	0	INACTIVE			
at Cincinnati	24	110	13	0	1	3	3	0	0	0	0	0	INACTIVE			
Atlanta	15	49	20	0	2	5	4	0	INACTIVE (Hamstring)				0	0	0	0
Houston	29	120	11	0	1	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	5	13	4	0
at New Orleans	28	166	51	1	3	-1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Oakland	28	102	12	1	5	18	16	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	2	0
at San Diego	14	38	10	1	2	6	4	0	7	31	16	1	DID NOT PLAY			
Miami	18	62	21	0	5	11	10	0	17	123	29	2	INACTIVE			
at Kansas City	4	27	16	0	2	29	22	0	9	50	17	0	5	26	11	1
at Tennessee																
Indianapolis																
TOTAL	238	1073	51	4	47	162	22	0	47	261	29	3	16	59	11	1

Game	R. SMITH				LELIE				WATTS				GRIFFIN			
	Att.	Yds.	LG	TD	Att.	Yds.	LG	TD	Att.	Yds.	LG	TD	Att.	Yds.	LG	TD
Kansas City	1	-3	-3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	23	156	47	2
at Jacksonville	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	25	66	9	0
San Diego	0	0	0	0	2	6	8	0	0	0	0	0	12	7	6	0
at Tampa Bay	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	7	7	0	21	66	12	0
Carolina	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	4	4	0	INACTIVE			
at Oakland	2	22	14	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	16	9	0
at Cincinnati	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	10	10	0	0	0	0	0
Atlanta	1	6	6	0	0	0	0	0	1	8	8	0	INJURED RESERVE			
Houston	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	4	4	0	INJURED RESERVE			
at New Orleans	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	INJURED RESERVE			
Oakland	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	INJURED RESERVE			
at San Diego	0	0	0	0	1	-1	-1	0	0	0	0	0	INJURED RESERVE			
Miami	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	INJURED RESERVE			
at Kansas City	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	INJURED RESERVE			
at Tennessee																
Indianapolis																
TOTAL	4	25	14	0	3	5	8	0	5	33	10	0	85	311	47	2

2004 INDIVIDUAL GAME-BY-GAME STATISTICS — RECEIVING

Game	R. SMITH				LELIE				PUTZIER				WATTS			
	Rec.	Yds.	LG	TD	Rec.	Yds.	LG	TD	Rec.	Yds.	LG	TD	Rec.	Yds.	LG	TD
Kansas City	7	76	14	0	4	88	58	0	2	25	18	0	1	22	22	0
at Jacksonville	6	83	34	0	3	53	39	0	2	12	7	0	1	11	11	0
San Diego	5	75	32	1	4	67	33	1	5	66	24	0	4	42	17	0
at Tampa Bay	4	32	11	0	1	3	3	0	2	42	28	0	2	20	13	0
Carolina	4	60	26	0	2	52	39	1	0	0	0	0	1	14	14	0
at Oakland	1	24	24	0	2	45	31	1	3	52	28	1	1	28	28	0
at Cincinnati	5	50	15	1	6	82	35	0	0	0	0	0	4	36	19	0
Atlanta	9	208	80	1	6	94	35	1	2	47	38	0	7	86	25	1
Houston	3	29	13	1	4	81	40	1	2	48	34	1	1	5	5	0
at New Orleans	3	26	13	0	3	79	37	1	4	36	11	0	1	12	12	0
Oakland	2	99	85	1	4	80	57	0	1	18	18	0	2	27	19	0
at San Diego	4	76	45	0	4	105	44	0	1	39	39	0	2	23	13	0
Miami	8	97	26	0	2	60	32	0	2	30	19	0	1	16	16	0
at Kansas City	6	75	22	1	3	37	21	0	3	30	16	0	1	14	14	0
at Tennessee																
Indianapolis																
TOTAL	67	1010	85	6	48	926	58	6	29	445	39	2	29	356	28	1

Game	CARSWELL				DROUGHNS				JACKSON				HAPE			
	Rec.	Yds.	LG	TD	Rec.	Yds.	LG	TD	Rec.	Yds.	LG	TD	Rec.	Yds.	LG	TD
Kansas City	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	2	1
at Jacksonville	3	35	19	0	1	2	2	0	2	25	20	0	0	0	0	0
San Diego	1	4	4	0	3	17	13	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
at Tampa Bay	0	0	0	0	1	12	12	0	1	9	9	0	1	5	5	1
Carolina	4	45	19	0	4	18	13	1	1	6	6	0	0	0	0	0
at Oakland	2	30	20	1	1	4	4	0	0	0	0	0	1	7	7	0
at Cincinnati	RESERVE/SUSPENDED				4	20	9	0	4	33	11	0	0	0	0	0
Atlanta	0	0	0	0	6	63	18	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	1
Houston	2	19	15	0	1	6	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
at New Orleans	5	27	11	0	2	25	14	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Oakland	1	6	6	0	1	-5	-5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
at San Diego	1	0	0	0	4	35	12	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Miami	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	INJURED RESERVE				0	0	0	0
at Kansas City	1	9	9	0	2	14	12	0	INJURED RESERVE				0	0	0	0
at Tennessee																
Indianapolis																
TOTAL	20	175	20	1	30	211	18	1	8	73	20	0	4	15	7	3

Game	HEARST				BELL				K. JOHNSON				LUKE			
	Rec.	Yds.	LG	TD	Rec.	Yds.	LG	TD	Rec.	Yds.	LG	TD	Rec.	Yds.	LG	TD
Kansas City	1	5	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
at Jacksonville	INACTIVE				0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
San Diego	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
at Tampa Bay	INACTIVE				0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Carolina	DID NOT PLAY				0	0	0	0	1	31	31	0	0	0	0	0
at Oakland	INACTIVE				0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
at Cincinnati	INACTIVE				0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Atlanta	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Houston	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	46	23	1	0	0	0	0
at New Orleans	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	19	19	1	0	0	0	0
Oakland	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	8	5	0	1	12	12	0
at San Diego	DID NOT PLAY				0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Miami	INACTIVE				1	-6	-6	0	2	22	14	0	0	0	0	0
at Kansas City	1	15	15	0	1	58	58	0	0	0	0	0	5	40	10	0
at Tennessee																
Indianapolis																
TOTAL	2	20	15	0	2	52	58	0	9	126	31	2	6	52	12	0

Bailey made 1 rec. 11 yards vs. K.C. (9/12); *Q. Griffin* made 10 catches for 68 yards before being placed on IR.

2004 INDIVIDUAL GAME-BY-GAME STATISTICS — PASSING

PLUMMER

Game	Att	Cmp	Yds	Pct	Yds/							Rtg
					Att	TD	Int	LG	Sack	Lost		
Kansas City	29	18	230	0.621	7.9	2	2	58	1.0	9.0	81.1	
at Jacksonville	39	23	250	0.590	6.4	0	0	39	0.0	0.0	77.9	
San Diego	36	25	294	0.694	8.2	2	0	33	1.0	3.0	112.5	
at Tampa Bay	30	13	138	0.433	4.6	1	0	28	0.0	0.0	68.5	
Carolina	29	17	226	0.586	7.8	2	2	39	1.0	2.0	77.7	
at Oakland	20	11	190	0.550	9.5	3	1	31	0.0	0.0	106.3	
at Cincinnati	40	23	221	0.575	5.5	1	2	35	3.0	26.0	60.5	
Atlanta	55	31	499	0.564	9.8	4	3	80	0.0	0.0	88.4	
Houston	24	16	234	0.667	9.8	4	0	40	1.0	9.0	137.8	
at New Orleans	29	19	224	0.655	7.7	2	0	37	0.0	0.0	111.9	
Oakland	23	14	245	0.609	10.7	1	1	85	0.0	0.0	93.6	
at San Diego	40	16	278	0.400	7.0	0	4	45	2.0	15.0	24.8	
Miami	30	16	219	0.533	7.3	0	2	32	0.0	0.0	49.2	
at Kansas City	41	23	292	0.561	7.1	1	2	58	6.0	22.0	66.3	
at Tennessee												
Indianapolis												
TOTAL	465	265	3540	0.570	7.6	23	19	85	15.0	86.0	80.7	

KANELL

Game	Att	Cmp	Yds	Pct	Yds/							Rtg
					Att	TD	Int	LG	Sack	Lost		
Kansas City												DID NOT PLAY
at Jacksonville												DID NOT PLAY
San Diego												DID NOT PLAY
at Tampa Bay												DID NOT PLAY
Carolina												DID NOT PLAY
at Oakland												DID NOT PLAY
at Cincinnati												DID NOT PLAY
Atlanta												DID NOT PLAY
Houston												DID NOT PLAY
at New Orleans												DID NOT PLAY
Oakland												DID NOT PLAY
at San Diego												DID NOT PLAY
Miami												DID NOT PLAY
at Kansas City												DID NOT PLAY
at Tennessee												DID NOT PLAY
Indianapolis												DID NOT PLAY
TOTAL	0	0	0	0.000	0.0	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0.0	

MAUCK

Game	Att	Cmp	Yds	Pct	Yds/							Rtg
					Att	TD	Int	LG	Sack	Lost		
Kansas City												INACTIVE — 3RD QUARTERBACK
at Jacksonville												INACTIVE — 3RD QUARTERBACK
San Diego												PRACTICE SQUAD
at Tampa Bay												PRACTICE SQUAD
Carolina												PRACTICE SQUAD
at Oakland												PRACTICE SQUAD
at Cincinnati												PRACTICE SQUAD
Atlanta												PRACTICE SQUAD
Houston												PRACTICE SQUAD
at New Orleans												PRACTICE SQUAD
Oakland												PRACTICE SQUAD
at San Diego												PRACTICE SQUAD
Miami												PRACTICE SQUAD
at Kansas City												PRACTICE SQUAD
at Tennessee												
Indianapolis												
TOTAL	0	0	0	0.000	0.0	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0.0	

2004 INDIVIDUAL GAME-BY-GAME STATISTICS — SCORING

Game	ELAM						SMITH						HAPE						
	TDr	TDp	TDrt	FG	PAT	Tot	TDr	TDp	TDrt	FG	PAT	Tot	TDr	TDp	TDrt	FG	PAT	Tot	
Kansas City	0	0	0	2	4	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	6
at Jacksonville	0	0	0	2	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
San Diego	0	0	0	3	2	11	0	1	0	0	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
at Tampa Bay	0	0	0	3	1	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	6
Carolina	0	0	0	2	2	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
at Oakland	0	0	0	1	4	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
at Cincinnati	0	0	0	1	1	4	0	1	0	0	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Atlanta	0	0	0	0	4	4	0	1	0	0	0	6	0	1	0	0	0	0	6
Houston	0	0	0	1	4	7	0	1	0	0	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
at New Orleans	0	0	0	2	4	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Oakland	0	0	0	1	3	6	0	1	0	0	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
at San Diego	0	0	0	1	2	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Miami	0	0	0	2	2	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
at Kansas City	0	0	0	1	2	5	0	1	0	0	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
at Tennessee																			
Indianapolis																			
TOTAL	0	0	0	22	35	101	0	6	0	0	0	36	0	3	0	0	0	0	18

Game	DROUGHNS						LELIE						CARSWELL						
	TDr	TDp	TDrt	FG	PAT	Tot	TDr	TDp	TDrt	FG	PAT	Tot	TDr	TDp	TDrt	FG	PAT	Tot	
Kansas City	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
at Jacksonville	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
San Diego	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
at Tampa Bay	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Carolina	0	1	0	0	0	6	0	1	0	0	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
at Oakland	1	0	0	0	0	6	0	1	0	0	0	6	0	1	0	0	0	0	6
at Cincinnati	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Atlanta	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Houston	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
at New Orleans	1	0	0	0	0	6	0	1	0	0	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Oakland	1	0	0	0	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
at San Diego	1	0	0	0	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Miami	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
at Kansas City	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
at Tennessee																			
Indianapolis																			
TOTAL	4	1	0	0	0	30	0	6	0	0	0	36	0	1	0	0	0	0	6

Game	PUTZIER						WATTS						BELL						
	TDr	TDp	TDrt	FG	PAT	Tot	TDr	TDp	TDrt	FG	PAT	Tot	TDr	TDp	TDrt	FG	PAT	Tot	
Kansas City	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
at Jacksonville	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
San Diego	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
at Tampa Bay	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Carolina	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
at Oakland	0	1	0	0	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
at Cincinnati	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Atlanta	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Houston	0	1	0	0	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
at New Orleans	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Oakland	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
at San Diego	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	6
Miami	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	12
at Kansas City	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
at Tennessee																			
Indianapolis																			
TOTAL	0	2	0	0	0	12	0	1	0	0	0	6	3	0	0	0	0	0	18

K. Johnson scored 1 receiving TD for 6 points vs. Houston (11/7) and 1 receiving TD for 6 pts. at New Orleans (11/21)

Al Wilson scored 1 touchdown (INT return) at New Orleans (11/21); **Ellis Johnson** scored 1 touchdown (INT return) vs. Oak. (11/28)

Q. Griffin scored 3 TDs for 18 points (2 rush, 1 rec.) vs. Kansas City (9/12); **G. Hearst** scored 1 rush TD for 6 points at K.C. (12/19)

2004 INDIVIDUAL GAME-BY-GAME STATISTICS — RETURNS

Game	Kickoff Returns					Punt Returns														
	DROUGHNS					ALEXANDER					R. SMITH					LUKE				
	No	Yds	Avg	LG	TD	No	Yds	Avg	LG	TD	No	Yds	Avg	LG	TD	No	Yds	Avg	LG	TD
Kansas City	2	58	29.0	32	0	2	55	27.5	32	0	4	55	13.8	30	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
at Jacksonville	2	49	24.5	29	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	3	32	10.7	30	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
San Diego	4	137	34.3	48	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
at Tampa Bay	2	45	22.5	26	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	2	19	9.5	10	0
Carolina	2	21	10.5	18	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	2	10	5.0	9	0
at Oakland	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	4	59	14.8	21	0
at Cincinnati	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	1	2	2.0	2	0
Atlanta	0	0	0.0	0	0	4	79	19.8	25	0	2	23	11.5	12	0	INACTIVE				
Houston	1	17	17.0	17	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	2	18	9.0	9	0	INACTIVE				
at New Orleans	0	0	0.0	0	0	4	87	21.8	28	0	3	36	12.0	17	0	INACTIVE				
Oakland	0	0	0.0	0	0	4	85	21.3	24	0	1	2	2.0	2	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
at San Diego	0	0	0.0	0	0	4	62	15.5	21	0	4	33	8.3	21	0	INACTIVE				
Miami	1	17	17.0	17	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	2	13	6.5	10	0	5	23	4.6	10	0
at Kansas City	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	1	0	0.0	0	0
at Tennessee																				
Indianapolis																				
TOTAL	14	344	24.6	48	0	18	368	20.4	32	0	21	212	10.1	30	0	15	113	7.5	21	0

***Q. Griffin** returned 1 kickoff for 19 yards at Oakland (10/17/04)*

***T. Luke** returned 2 kickoffs for 35 yards at Cincinnati (10/25) and 8 kickoffs for 155 yards at K.C. (12/19)*

2004 FINAL SCORE BY PERIOD

Game	BRONCOS					OPPONENT					Final	Record
	1	2	3	4	OT	1	2	3	4	OT		
Kansas City	3	14	7	10	—	7	0	17	0	—	34-24	1-0
at Jacksonville	0	6	0	0	—	0	7	0	0	—	6-7	1-1
San Diego	7	6	7	3	—	3	0	7	3	—	23-13	2-1
at Tampa Bay	7	6	0	3	—	0	10	3	0	—	16-13	3-1
Carolina	6	7	0	7	—	0	10	7	0	—	20-17	4-1
at Oakland	7	14	10	0	—	3	0	0	0	—	31-3	5-1
at Cincinnati	0	7	3	0	—	7	6	7	3	—	10-23	5-2
Atlanta	14	0	0	14	—	3	17	7	14	—	28-41	5-3
Houston	7	17	7	0	—	0	7	0	6	—	31-13	6-3
at New Orleans	20	7	0	7	—	0	13	0	0	—	34-13	7-3
Oakland	0	10	0	14	—	0	7	6	12	—	24-25	7-4
at San Diego	0	7	0	10	—	7	10	3	0	—	17-20	7-5
Miami	0	14	3	3	—	7	7	3	0	—	20-17	8-5
at Kansas City	7	3	0	7	—	14	14	7	10	—	17-45	8-6
at Tennessee												
Indianapolis												
TOTAL	78	118	37	78	0	51	108	67	48	0	311-274	8-6

2004 INDIVIDUAL GAME-BY-GAME STATISTICS — FIELD GOALS

Game	ELAM						Total	Pct.
	1-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50-59	60+		
Kansas City	0-0	0-0	0-0	2-2	0-0	0-0	2-2	1.000
at Jacksonville	0-0	1-1	0-0	1-1	0-1	0-0	2-3	.667
San Diego	0-0	2-2	0-0	1-1	0-0	0-0	3-3	1.000
at Tampa Bay	0-0	1-1	0-0	1-1	1-1	0-0	3-3	1.000
Carolina	0-0	0-0	2-2	0-0	0-0	0-0	2-2	1.000
at Oakland	0-0	0-0	1-1	0-0	0-0	0-0	1-1	1.000
at Cincinnati	0-0	1-1	0-0	0-1	0-0	0-0	1-2	.500
Atlanta	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	.000
Houston	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	1-1	0-0	1-1	1.000
at New Orleans	0-0	0-0	1-1	1-1	0-0	0-0	2-2	1.000
Oakland	0-0	0-0	1-1	0-1	0-0	0-0	1-2	.500
at San Diego	0-0	0-0	1-1	0-1	0-0	0-0	1-2	.500
Miami	0-0	1-1	0-0	0-0	1-1	0-0	2-2	1.000
at Kansas City	0-0	1-1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	1-1	1.000
at Tennessee								
Indianapolis								
TOTAL	0-0	7-7	6-6	6-9	3-4	0-0	22-26	.846

2004 INDIVIDUAL GAME-BY-GAME STATISTICS — PUNTING

Game	KNORR							
	No.	Yds.	Avg.	NET	TB	In20	LG	B
Kansas City	2	113	56.5	43.5	0	0	66	0
at Jacksonville	7	290	41.4	24.6	2	1	53	0
San Diego	4	212	53.0	39.0	1	0	57	0
at Tampa Bay	5	189	37.8	37.4	0	2	49	0
Carolina	3	153	51.0	41.0	0	0	53	0
at Oakland	2	64	32.0	32.0	0	0	38	0
at Cincinnati	5	205	41.0	32.0	1	0	47	0
Atlanta	3	111	37.0	33.0	0	2	42	0
Houston	5	207	41.4	32.2	1	2	52	1
at New Orleans	6	245	40.8	39.5	0	3	49	0
Oakland	7	252	36.0	34.6	0	2	42	0
at San Diego	5	202	40.4	32.6	1	0	44	0
Miami								
at Kansas City								
at Tennessee								
Indianapolis								
TOTAL	54	2243	41.5	34.2	6	12	66	1

Game	BAKER							
	No.	Yds.	Avg.	NET	TB	In20	LG	B
Kansas City								
at Jacksonville								
San Diego								
at Tampa Bay								
Carolina								
at Oakland								
at Cincinnati								
Atlanta								
Houston								
at New Orleans								
Oakland								
at San Diego								
Miami	5	198	39.6	33.8	1	2	48	0
at Kansas City	4	154	38.5	31.0	0	2	42	0
at Tennessee								
Indianapolis								
TOTAL	9	352	39.1	32.6	1	4	48	0

2004 INDIVIDUAL GAME-BY-GAME STATISTICS — DEFENSE

Game	BAILEY						
	TT	UT	A	S	Yds	I	Yds
Kansas City	5	4	1	0.0	0.0	1	0
at Jacksonville	5	5	0	0.0	0.0	0	0
San Diego	6	4	2	0.0	0.0	0	0
at Tampa Bay	4	3	1	0.0	0.0	0	0
Carolina	5	4	1	0.0	0.0	0	0
at Oakland	4	4	0	0.0	0.0	0	0
at Cincinnati	9	8	1	0.0	0.0	1	0
Atlanta	6	6	0	0.0	0.0	0	0
Houston	5	5	0	0.0	0.0	0	0
at New Orleans	13	11	2	0.0	0.0	1	0
Oakland	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0
at San Diego	6	6	0	0.0	0.0	0	0
Miami	3	3	0	0.0	0.0	0	0
at Kansas City	4	3	1	0.0	0.0	0	0
at Tennessee							
Indianapolis							
TOTAL	75	66	9	0.0	0.0	3	0

Game	COLEMAN						
	TT	UT	A	S	Yds	I	Yds
Kansas City	3	2	1	0.0	0.0	0	0
at Jacksonville	4	1	3	0.0	0.0	0	0
San Diego	9	8	1	0.0	0.0	0	0
at Tampa Bay	1	0	1	0.0	0.0	0	0
Carolina	8	3	5	0.0	0.0	0	0
at Oakland	1	1	0	0.0	0.0	0	0
at Cincinnati	4	1	3	0.0	0.0	0	0
Atlanta	2	2	0	0.0	0.0	0	0
Houston	2	2	0	1.0	3.0	0	0
at New Orleans	2	2	0	0.0	0.0	0	0
Oakland	3	3	0	0.0	0.0	0	0
at San Diego	1	1	0	0.0	0.0	0	0
Miami	2	2	0	1.0	9.0	0	0
at Kansas City	2	0	2	0.5	2.5	0	0
at Tennessee							
Indianapolis							
TOTAL	44	28	16	2.5	14.5	0	0

Game	ELLISS						
	TT	UT	A	S	Yds	I	Yds
Kansas City	INACTIVE (SHOULDER)						
at Jacksonville	1	1	0	0.0	0.0	0	0
San Diego	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0
at Tampa Bay	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0
Carolina	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0
at Oakland	2	2	0	1.0	5.0	0	0
at Cincinnati	1	1	0	0.0	0.0	0	0
Atlanta	1	1	0	0.0	0.0	0	0
Houston	1	1	0	1.0	6.0	0	0
at New Orleans	INACTIVE (CALF)						
Oakland	INACTIVE (CALF)						
at San Diego	INACTIVE (CALF)						
Miami	INACTIVE (CALF)						
at Kansas City	INJURED RESERVE						
at Tennessee							
Indianapolis							
TOTAL	6	6	0	2.0	11.0	0	0

Game	FATAFEHI						
	TT	UT	A	S	Yds	I	Yds
Kansas City	3	1	2	0.5	11.5	0	0
at Jacksonville	3	2	1	0.0	0.0	0	0
San Diego	1	1	0	0.0	0.0	0	0
at Tampa Bay	2	0	2	0.0	0.0	0	0
Carolina	2	2	0	0.0	0.0	0	0
at Oakland	1	1	0	0.0	0.0	0	0
at Cincinnati	1	1	0	0.0	0.0	0	0
Atlanta	4	4	0	1.0	5.0	0	0
Houston	1	0	1	0.0	0.0	0	0
at New Orleans	1	1	0	0.0	0.0	0	0
Oakland	1	1	0	0.0	0.0	0	0
at San Diego	2	1	1	0.0	0.0	0	0
Miami	2	2	0	0.0	0.0	0	0
at Kansas City	4	2	2	0.5	2.5	0	0
at Tennessee							
Indianapolis							
TOTAL	28	19	9	2.0	19.0	0	0

Game	HAYWARD						
	TT	UT	A	S	Yds	I	Yds
Kansas City	4	1	3	0.5	11.5	0	0
at Jacksonville	6	5	1	1.0	4.0	0	0
San Diego	4	3	1	1.0	7.0	0	0
at Tampa Bay	3	2	1	0.0	0.0	0	0
Carolina	3	2	1	0.0	0.0	0	0
at Oakland	5	3	2	0.0	0.0	0	0
at Cincinnati	6	5	1	0.0	0.0	0	0
Atlanta	3	3	0	0.0	0.0	0	0
Houston	6	5	1	1.0	3.0	0	0
at New Orleans	3	1	2	1.0	3.0	1	76
Oakland	3	3	0	1.0	5.0	0	0
at San Diego	5	4	1	1.0	9.0	0	0
Miami	2	2	0	0.0	0.0	0	0
at Kansas City	1	0	1	0.0	0.0	0	0
at Tennessee							
Indianapolis							
TOTAL	54	39	15	6.5	42.5	1	76

Game	HERNDON						
	TT	UT	A	S	Yds	I	Yds
Kansas City	5	5	0	0.0	0.0	0	0
at Jacksonville	5	4	1	0.0	0.0	0	0
San Diego	6	5	1	0.0	0.0	0	0
at Tampa Bay	2	2	0	0.0	0.0	0	0
Carolina	6	4	2	0.0	0.0	0	0
at Oakland	4	3	1	0.0	0.0	1	2
at Cincinnati	5	4	1	0.0	0.0	0	0
Atlanta	4	4	0	0.0	0.0	0	0
Houston	9	9	0	1.0	5.0	0	0
at New Orleans	5	3	2	0.0	0.0	0	0
Oakland	8	6	2	0.0	0.0	0	0
at San Diego	6	6	0	0.0	0.0	0	0
Miami	4	3	1	0.0	0.0	0	0
at Kansas City	3	2	1	0.0	0.0	0	0
at Tennessee							
Indianapolis							
TOTAL	72	60	12	1.0	5.0	1	2

Game	HOLLAND						
	TT	UT	A	S	Yds	I	Yds
Kansas City	NOT WITH TEAM						
at Jacksonville	1	1	0	0.0	0.0	0	0
San Diego	1	1	0	0.0	0.0	0	0
at Tampa Bay	INACTIVE						
Carolina	INACTIVE						
at Oakland	INACTIVE						
at Cincinnati	INACTIVE						
Atlanta	INACTIVE						
Houston	INACTIVE						
at New Orleans	INACTIVE						
Oakland	INACTIVE						
at San Diego	INACTIVE						
Miami	INACTIVE						
at Kansas City	INACTIVE						
at Tennessee							
Indianapolis							
TOTAL	2	2	0	0.0	0.0	0	0

Game	E. JOHNSON						
	TT	UT	A	S	Yds	I	Yds
Kansas City	NOT WITH TEAM						
at Jacksonville	NOT WITH TEAM						
San Diego	EXEMPT/COMMISSIONER PERMISSION						
at Tampa Bay	2	1	1	0.0	0.0	0	0
Carolina	2	2	0	1.0	10.0	0	0
at Oakland	2	1	1	0.0	0.0	0	0
at Cincinnati	2	2	0	0.0	0.0	0	0
Atlanta	2	1	1	0.0	0.0	0	0
Houston	1	1	0	0.0	0.0	0	0
at New Orleans	1	0	1	0.0	0.0	0	0
Oakland	2	1	1	0.0	0.0	1	32
at San Diego	4	2	2	0.0	0.0	0	0
Miami	2	2	0	1.0	5.0	0	0
at Kansas City	1	0	1	0.0	0.0	0	0
at Tennessee							
Indianapolis							
TOTAL	21	13	8	2.0	15.0	1	32

Game	R. JOHNSON						
	TT	UT	A	S	Yds	I	Yds
Kansas City	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0
at Jacksonville	1	0	1	0.0	0.0	0	0
San Diego	6	5	1	1.0	12.0	0	0
at Tampa Bay	3	0	3	0.0	0.0	0	0
Carolina	1	1	0	0.0	0.0	0	0
at Oakland	2	1	1	0.0	0.0	0	0
at Cincinnati	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0
Atlanta	INACTIVE						
Houston	INACTIVE						
at New Orleans	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0
Oakland	1	1	0	0.0	0.0	0	0
at San Diego	2	1	1	0.0	0.0	0	0
Miami	1	1	0	0.0	0.0	0	0
at Kansas City	1	1	0	0.0	0.0	0	0
at Tennessee							
Indianapolis							
TOTAL	18	11	7	1.0	12.0	0	0

2004 INDIVIDUAL GAME-BY-GAME STATISTICS — DEFENSE

Game	KENNEDY						
	TT	UT	A	S	Yds	I	Yds
Kansas City	4	3	1	0.0	0.0	0	0
at Jacksonville	3	2	1	0.0	0.0	0	0
San Diego	8	7	1	1.0	9.0	0	0
at Tampa Bay	8	8	0	0.0	0.0	0	0
Carolina	5	5	0	0.0	0.0	0	0
at Oakland	4	4	0	0.0	0.0	0	0
at Cincinnati	4	4	0	0.0	0.0	0	0
Atlanta	10	8	2	0.0	0.0	0	0
Houston	6	5	1	0.0	0.0	0	0
at New Orleans	8	4	4	0.0	0.0	0	0
Oakland	2	1	1	0.0	0.0	0	0
at San Diego	7	6	1	0.0	0.0	1	21
Miami	7	6	1	1.0	6.0	0	0
at Kansas City	10	9	1	0.0	0.0	0	0
at Tennessee							
Indianapolis							
TOTAL	86	72	14	2.0	15.0	1	21

Game	LYNCH						
	TT	UT	A	S	Yds	I	Yds
Kansas City	6	5	1	0.0	0.0	0	0
at Jacksonville	8	5	3	0.0	0.0	0	0
San Diego	4	3	1	0.0	0.0	0	0
at Tampa Bay	7	6	1	0.0	0.0	0	0
Carolina	1	0	1	0.0	0.0	0	0
at Oakland	6	5	1	0.0	0.0	0	0
at Cincinnati	6	5	1	0.0	0.0	0	0
Atlanta	2	2	0	0.0	0.0	0	0
Houston	INACTIVE (SACRUM)						
at New Orleans	3	3	0	0.0	0.0	0	0
Oakland	4	3	1	0.0	0.0	1	2
at San Diego	8	8	0	1.0	11.0	0	0
Miami	6	4	2	1.0	6.0	0	0
at Kansas City	7	4	3	0.0	0.0	0	0
at Tennessee							
Indianapolis							
TOTAL	68	53	15	2.0	17.0	1	2

Game	MIDDLEBROOKS						
	TT	UT	A	S	Yds	I	Yds
Kansas City	2	2	0	0.0	0.0	0	0
at Jacksonville	2	2	0	0.0	0.0	0	0
San Diego	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0
at Tampa Bay	3	3	0	1.0	3.0	0	0
Carolina	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0
at Oakland	INACTIVE (HAMSTRING)						
at Cincinnati	1	1	0	0.0	0.0	0	0
Atlanta	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0
Houston	2	2	0	0.0	0.0	0	0
at New Orleans	3	3	0	0.0	0.0	0	0
Oakland	2	2	0	0.0	0.0	0	0
at San Diego	2	1	1	0.0	0.0	0	0
Miami	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0
at Kansas City	INJURED RESERVE						
at Tennessee							
Indianapolis							
TOTAL	17	16	1	1.0	3.0	0	0

Game	POPE						
	TT	UT	A	S	Yds	I	Yds
Kansas City	6	4	2	0.0	0.0	0	0
at Jacksonville	1	1	0	0.0	0.0	0	0
San Diego	5	5	0	1.0	2.0	0	0
at Tampa Bay	3	3	0	0.0	0.0	0	0
Carolina	1	1	0	0.0	0.0	0	0
at Oakland	1	1	0	0.0	0.0	0	0
at Cincinnati	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0
Atlanta	2	1	1	0.0	0.0	0	0
Houston	1	0	1	0.0	0.0	0	0
at New Orleans	1	1	0	0.0	0.0	0	0
Oakland	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0
at San Diego	2	2	0	0.0	0.0	0	0
Miami	1	0	1	0.0	0.0	0	0
at Kansas City	1	1	0	0.0	0.0	0	0
at Tennessee							
Indianapolis							
TOTAL	25	20	5	1.0	2.0	0	0

Game	PRYCE						
	TT	UT	A	S	Yds	I	Yds
Kansas City	1	1	0	0.0	0.0	0	0
at Jacksonville	INACTIVE (LOWER BACK)						
San Diego	INACTIVE (LOWER BACK)						
at Tampa Bay	INACTIVE (LOWER BACK)						
Carolina	INACTIVE (LOWER BACK)						
at Oakland	INACTIVE (LOWER BACK)						
at Cincinnati	INACTIVE (LOWER BACK)						
Atlanta	INACTIVE (LOWER BACK)						
Houston	INACTIVE (LOWER BACK)						
at New Orleans	INACTIVE (LOWER BACK)						
Oakland	INACTIVE (LOWER BACK)						
at San Diego	INACTIVE (LOWER BACK)						
Miami	INACTIVE (LOWER BACK)						
at Kansas City	INACTIVE (LOWER BACK)						
at Tennessee							
Indianapolis							
TOTAL	1	1	0	0.0	0.0	0	0

Game	SPRAGAN						
	TT	UT	A	S	Yds	I	Yds
Kansas City	4	1	3	0.0	0.0	0	0
at Jacksonville	5	2	3	0.0	0.0	0	0
San Diego	4	3	1	0.0	0.0	0	0
at Tampa Bay	3	1	2	0.0	0.0	0	0
Carolina	6	4	2	0.0	0.0	0	0
at Oakland	5	3	2	1.0	1.0	0	0
at Cincinnati	3	3	0	0.0	0.0	0	0
Atlanta	7	4	3	0.0	0.0	0	0
Houston	4	2	2	0.0	0.0	0	0
at New Orleans	5	4	1	0.0	0.0	0	0
Oakland	2	2	0	0.0	0.0	0	0
at San Diego	3	3	0	0.0	0.0	0	0
Miami	3	1	2	0.0	0.0	0	0
at Kansas City	8	5	3	0.0	0.0	0	0
at Tennessee							
Indianapolis							
TOTAL	62	38	24	1.0	1.0	0	0

Game	WALLS						
	TT	UT	A	S	Yds	I	Yds
Kansas City	4	3	1	0.0	0.0	0	0
at Jacksonville	INACTIVE (SHOULDER)						
San Diego	INACTIVE (SHOULDER)						
at Tampa Bay	INACTIVE (SHOULDER)						
Carolina	4	3	1	0.0	0.0	0	0
at Oakland	2	2	0	0.0	0.0	0	0
at Cincinnati	INACTIVE (SHOULDER)						
Atlanta	3	3	0	0.0	0.0	0	0
Houston	3	2	1	0.0	0.0	0	0
at New Orleans	3	3	0	0.0	0.0	0	0
Oakland	2	2	0	0.0	0.0	0	0
at San Diego	INJURED RESERVE						
Miami	INJURED RESERVE						
at Kansas City	INJURED RESERVE						
at Tennessee							
Indianapolis							
TOTAL	21	18	3	0.0	0.0	0	0

Game	WILLIAMS						
	TT	UT	A	S	Yds	I	Yds
Kansas City	7	7	0	0.0	0.0	0	0
at Jacksonville	4	2	2	1.0	7.0	0	0
San Diego	5	2	3	0.0	0.0	0	0
at Tampa Bay	9	8	1	0.0	0.0	0	0
Carolina	6	5	1	0.0	0.0	0	0
at Oakland	8	5	3	0.0	0.0	0	0
at Cincinnati	7	4	3	0.0	0.0	0	0
Atlanta	7	4	3	0.0	0.0	0	0
Houston	6	4	2	0.0	0.0	0	0
at New Orleans	3	2	1	0.0	0.0	0	0
Oakland	7	5	2	0.0	0.0	0	0
at San Diego	13	10	3	0.0	0.0	0	0
Miami	11	8	3	0.0	0.0	0	0
at Kansas City	9	8	1	1.0	6.0	0	0
at Tennessee							
Indianapolis							
TOTAL	102	74	28	2.0	13.0	0	0

Game	WILSON						
	TT	UT	A	S	Yds	I	Yds
Kansas City	5	5	0	0.0	0.0	0	0
at Jacksonville	1	0	1	0.0	0.0	0	0
San Diego	8	4	4	0.0	0.0	0	0
at Tampa Bay	5	2	3	0.0	0.0	0	0
Carolina	10	7	3	0.0	0.0	0	0
at Oakland	4	2	2	0.0	0.0	0	0
at Cincinnati	10	6	4	1.0	10.0	0	0
Atlanta	8	5	3	0.0	0.0	0	0
Houston	9	6	3	0.0	0.0	0	0
at New Orleans	8	6	2	0.0	0.0	1	7
Oakland	8	5	3	0.0	0.0	0	0
at San Diego	6	4	2	0.0	0.0	0	0
Miami	5	3	2	0.0	0.0	1	10
at Kansas City	7	6	1	1.0	7.0	0	0
at Tennessee							
Indianapolis							
TOTAL	94	61	33	2.0	17.0	2	17

2004 INDIVIDUAL GAME-BY-GAME STATISTICS — DEFENSE

Game	FERGUSON							ALEXANDER							PALEPOI						
	TT	UT	A	S	Yds	I	Yds	TT	UT	A	S	Yds	I	Yds	TT	UT	A	S	Yds	I	Yds
Kansas City	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	1	1	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	NOT WITH TEAM						
at Jacksonville	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	NOT WITH TEAM						
San Diego	1	1	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	INACTIVE						
at Tampa Bay	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	INACTIVE						
Carolina	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	INACTIVE						
at Oakland	2	2	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	3	2	1	2.0	16.0	0	0
at Cincinnati	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	3	2	1	0.0	0.0	0	0
Atlanta	4	3	1	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	3	1	2	0.0	0.0	0	0
Houston	4	4	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0
at New Orleans	4	4	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	1	0	1	0.0	0.0	0	0
Oakland	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	2	2	0	0.0	0.0	0	0
at San Diego	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	1	0	1	0.0	0.0	0	0
Miami	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	4	4	0	0.0	0.0	0	0
at Kansas City	1	1	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	3	2	1	0.0	0.0	0	0
at Tennessee																					
Indianapolis																					
TOTAL	16	15	1	0.0	0.0	0	0	1	1	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	20	13	7	2.0	16.0	0	0

Game	CHUKWURAH							PIERCE						
	TT	UT	A	S	Yds	I	Yds	TT	UT	A	S	Yds	I	Yds
Kansas City	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0
at Jacksonville	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0
San Diego	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0
at Tampa Bay	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0
Carolina	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0
at Oakland	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0
at Cincinnati	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0
Atlanta	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0
Houston	1	1	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0
at New Orleans	2	1	1	1.0	12.0	0	0	2	0	2	0.0	0.0	0	0
Oakland	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0
at San Diego	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0
Miami	1	1	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0
at Kansas City	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0
at Tennessee														
Indianapolis														
TOTAL	4	3	1	1.0	12.0	0	0	2	0	2	0.0	0.0	0	0

2004 INDIVIDUAL GAME-BY-GAME STATISTICS — LEADERS

	SCORING		RUSHES		RUSH YDS		RECEPTIONS		REC. YDS	
Game										
Kansas City	Griffin	18	Griffin	23	Griffin	156	Smith	7	Lelie	88
at Jacksonville	Elam	6	Griffin	25	Griffin	66	Smith	6	Smith	83
San Diego	Elam	11	Griffin	12	Hearst	13	Putzier/Smith	5	Smith	75
at Tampa Bay	Elam	10	Griffin	21	Griffin	66	Smith	4	Putzier	42
Carolina	Elam	8	Droughns	30	Droughns	193	Three Players	4	Smith	50
at Oakland	Elam	7	Droughns	38	Droughns	176	Putzier	3	Putzier	52
at Cincinnati	Smith	6	Droughns	24	Droughns	110	Lelie	6	Lelie	82
Atlanta	Four Players	6	Droughns	15	Droughns	49	Smith	9	Smith	208
Houston	Elam	7	Droughns	29	Droughns	120	Lelie	4	Lelie	81
at New Orleans	Elam	10	Droughns	28	Droughns	166	Carswell	5	Lelie	79
Oakland	Four Players	6	Droughns	28	Droughns	102	Lelie	4	Smith	99
at San Diego	Bell/Droughns	6	Droughns	14	Droughns	38	Three Players	4	Lelie	105
Miami	Bell	12	Droughns	18	Bell	123	Smith	8	Smith	97
at Kansas City	Smith/Hearst	6	Bell	9	Bell	50	Smith	6	Smith	75
at Tennessee										
Indianapolis										
MOST TIMES LED	Elam	8	Droughns	9	Droughns	8	Smith	9	Smith	7

	TACKLES		SACKS		INTS		PASSES DEF.		ST TACKLES	
Game										
Kansas City	Williams	7	Hayward/Fatafehi	1.0	Bailey	1	Herndon	4	Spragan	1
at Jacksonville	Lynch	8	Hayward/Williams	1.0	None	0	Three Players	1	Ferguson	2
San Diego	Coleman	9	Four Players	1.0	None	0	Herndon	3	Droughns	3
at Tampa Bay	Williams	9	Middlebrooks	1.0	None	0	Lynch	2	Alexander	2
Carolina	Wilson	10	E. Johnson	1.0	None	0	Herndon	3	Three Players	2
at Oakland	Williams	8	Palepoi	2.0	Herndon	1	Kennedy	2	Seven Players	1
at Cincinnati	Wilson	10	Wilson	1.0	Bailey	1	Four Players	1	Williams	3
Atlanta	Kennedy	10	Fatafehi	1.0	None	0	Williams	1	Four Players	1
Houston	Wilson/Herndon	9	Four Players	1.0	None	0	Four Players	1	K. Johnson	2
at New Orleans	Bailey	13	Hayward/Chukwurah	1.0	Three Players	1	Bailey/Hayward	2	Bell	3
Oakland	Wilson/Herndon	8	Hayward	1.0	Two Players	1	Herndon	2	Middlebrooks/Jackson	2
at San Diego	Williams	13	Hayward/Lynch	1.0	Kennedy	1	Four Players	1	Chukwurah	2
Miami	Williams	11	Four Players	1.0	Wilson	1	Herndon/Bailey	2	K. Johnson/Alexander	2
at Kansas City	Kennedy	10	Wilson/Williams	1.0	None	0	Three Players	1	Four Players	1
at Tennessee										
Indianapolis										
MOST TIMES LED	Williams	5	Hayward	7	Bailey	3	Herndon	6	Ferguson	5

	PUNT RET.		PR YDS		KICKOFF RET.		KO YDS	
Game								
Kansas City	Smith	4	Smith	55	Droughns/Alexander	2	Droughns	58
at Jacksonville	Smith	3	Smith	32	Droughns	2	Droughns	49
San Diego	None	0	None	0	Droughns	4	Droughns	137
at Tampa Bay	Luke	2	Luke	19	Droughns	2	Droughns	45
Carolina	Luke	2	Luke	10	Droughns	2	Droughns	21
at Oakland	Luke	4	Luke	59	Griffin	1	Griffin	19
at Cincinnati	Luke	1	Luke	2	Griffin	3	Luke	35
Atlanta	Smith	2	Smith	23	Alexander	4	Alexander	79
Houston	Smith	2	Smith	18	Droughns	1	Droughns	17
at New Orleans	Smith	3	Smith	36	Alexander	4	Alexander	87
Oakland	Smith	1	Smith	2	Alexander	4	Alexander	85
at San Diego	Smith	4	Smith	33	Alexander	4	Alexander	62
Miami	Luke	5	Luke	23	Droughns	1	Droughns	17
at Kansas City	Luke	1	None	0	Luke	8	Luke	155
at Tennessee								
Indianapolis								
MOST TIMES LED	Smith	7	Smith	7	Droughns	7	Droughns	7

2004 OFFENSIVE GAME-BY-GAME STATISTICS

	KC	at JAC	SD	at TB	CAR	at OAK	at CIN	ATL	HOU	at NO	OAK	at SD	MIA	at KC	at TEN	IND	TOTAL
First Downs																	
Total	24	20	18	19	23	25	22	27	21	18	16	21	24	24			302
Rushing	12	4	2	7	8	14	8	4	8	7	6	4	11	9			104
Passing	11	13	13	7	12	9	10	21	11	11	7	12	11	11			159
Penalty	1	3	3	5	3	2	4	2	2	0	3	5	2	4			39
Third-Down Efficiency																	
Attempts	5	6	2	8	4	6	6	4	6	4	2	4	5	4			66
Converted	12	17	11	17	10	11	15	12	13	12	11	14	13	11			179
Efficiency	42%	35%	18%	47%	40%	55%	40%	33%	46%	33%	18%	29%	38%	36%			37%
Fourth-Down Efficiency																	
Attempts	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	2	1	0			7
Converted	1	0	1	0	1	2	1	3	0	0	0	2	1	2			14
Efficiency	100%	0%	100%	0%	0%	0%	0%	67%	0%	0%	0%	100%	100%	0%			50%
Total Offense																	
Net Yards	413	356	328	249	434	444	318	567	364	389	367	337	415	402			5383
Plays	66	74	58	65	67	71	69	74	61	60	57	66	70	67			925
Avg./play	6.3	4.8	5.7	3.8	6.5	6.3	4.6	7.7	6.0	6.5	6.4	5.1	5.9	6.0			5.8
Rushing																	
Net Yards	192	106	37	111	210	254	123	68	139	165	122	74	196	132			1929
Attempts	36	35	21	35	37	51	26	19	36	31	34	24	40	20			445
Avg./rush	5.3	3.0	1.8	3.2	5.7	5.0	4.7	3.6	3.9	5.3	3.6	3.1	4.9	6.6			4.3
TFL - yds.	6-11	4-6	5-9	3-4	0-0	3-6	2-3	2-4	1-1	2-3	1-2	2-3	0-0	3-5			34-57
Passing																	
Net Yards	221	250	291	138	224	190	195	499	225	224	245	263	219	270			3454
Sacks	1	0	1	0	1	0	3	0	1	0	0	2	0	6			15
Yds. Lost	9	0	3	0	2	0	26	0	9	0	0	15	0	22			86
Gross Yds.	230	250	294	138	226	190	221	499	234	224	245	278	219	292			3540
Attempts	29	39	36	30	29	20	40	55	24	29	23	40	30	41			465
Compl.	18	23	25	13	17	11	23	31	16	19	14	16	16	23			265
Pct.	62%	59%	69%	43%	59%	55%	58%	56%	67%	66%	61%	40%	53%	56%			57%
Int.	2	0	0	0	2	1	2	3	0	0	1	4	2	2			19
Avg./play	6.8	6.4	7.9	4.6	7.5	9.5	4.5	9.1	9.0	7.7	10.7	6.3	7.3	5.7			7.2
Kickoffs																	
No.	7	2	6	5	5	6	3	5	6	7	5	4	5	4			70
In End Zone-TB	6-6	1-1	2-0	0-0	4-4	0-0	0-0	1-1	4-3	0-0	1-0	0-0	0-0	0-0			19-15
Punts																	
No.	2	7	4	5	3	2	5	3	6	6	7	5	5	4			64
Yards	113	290	212	189	153	64	205	111	207	245	252	202	198	154			2595
Avg.	56.5	41.4	53.0	37.8	51.0	32.0	41.0	37.0	34.5	40.8	36.0	40.4	39.6	38.5			40.5
Net Avg.	43.5	24.6	39.0	37.4	41.0	32.0	32.0	33.0	32.2	39.5	34.6	32.6	33.8	31.0			34.0
Had Blocked	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0			1
Kicks, Had Blocked																	
Field Goals-PATs	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	1-0	0-0	0-0	0-0			1-0
Punt Returns																	
No.	4	3	0	2	2	4	1	2	2	3	1	4	7	1			36
Yards	55	32	0	19	10	59	2	23	18	36	2	33	36	0			325
Avg.	13.8	10.7	0.0	9.5	5.0	14.8	2.0	11.5	9.0	12.0	2.0	8.3	5.1	0.0			9.0
Kickoff Returns																	
No.	4	2	4	2	2	1	5	4	1	4	4	4	1	8			46
Yards	113	49	137	45	21	19	68	79	17	87	85	62	17	155			954
Avg.	28.3	24.5	34.3	22.5	10.5	19.0	13.6	19.8	17.0	21.8	21.3	15.5	17.0	19.4			20.7
Interception Returns																	
No.	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	3	2	1	1	0			10
Yards	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	83	34	21	10	0			150
Avg.	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	27.7	17.0	21.0	10.0	0.0			15.0
Penalties																	
Number	4	7	3	7	4	9	8	9	4	6	5	8	5	10			89
Yds. Lost	35	57	25	50	37	85	88	70	50	82	31	57	43	100			810
Fumbles																	
No.	3	3	2	1	0	0	2	2	0	0	3	0	2	2			20
Lost	1	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	2	0	1	1			8
Touchdowns																	
Total TDs	4	0	2	1	2	4	1	4	4	4	3	2	2	2			35
Rush	2	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	1	2	2	1			10
Pass	2	0	2	1	2	3	1	4	4	2	1	0	0	1			23
Returns	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0			2
Extra Points																	
Made-Attempts	4-4	0-0	2-2	1-1	2-2	4-4	1-1	4-4	4-4	4-4	3-3	2-2	2-2	2-2			35-35
Kicking Md.-Att.	4-4	0-0	2-2	1-1	2-2	4-4	1-1	4-4	4-4	4-4	3-3	2-2	2-2	2-2			35-35
Rushing Md.-Att.	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0			0-0
Passing Md.-Att.	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0			0-0
Field Goals																	
Made-Attempts	2-2	2-3	3-3	3-3	2-2	1-1	1-2	0-0	1-1	2-2	1-2	1-2	2-2	1-1			22-26
Red Zone Efficiency																	
Scored-Attempts	2-5	0-1	1-3	1-2	1-5	3-4	1-2	2-3	1-1	1-3	1-2	2-4	2-5	2-3			20-48
Efficiency	40%	0%	33%	50%	20%	75%	50%	67%	100%	33%	50%	50%	40%	67%			42%
Goal-to-Go Efficiency																	
Scored-Attempts	2-3	0-1	0-0	1-2	1-2	1-1	1-1	2-3	0-0	0-1	1-1	1-3	1-2	1-2			12-22
Efficiency	67%	0%	0%	50%	50%	100%	100%	67%	0%	0%	100%	33%	50%	50%			55%
Safeties	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0			0
Total Points	34	6	23	16	20	31	10	28	31	34	24	17	20	17			311
Time of Poss.	31:36	37:08	29:15	32:49	33:09	36:57	32:29	29:19	32:05	30:25	30:41	28:25	33:44	26:49			31:46

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	KC	at JAC	SD	at TB	CAR	at OAK	at CIN	ATL	HOU	at NO	OAK	at SD	MIA	at KC	at TEN	IND	TOTAL
First Downs																	
Total	15	8	16	12	12	9	13	22	22	20	19	14	13	22			217
Rushing	10	2	7	4	6	2	6	10	10	2	3	9	3	5			79
Passing	5	4	8	7	5	5	6	11	11	15	13	4	10	14			118
Penalty	0	2	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	3	3	1	0	3			20
Third-Down Efficiency																	
Attempts	4	1	6	4	5	3	3	6	5	7	3	6	5	4			62
Converted	13	10	15	11	12	14	13	13	15	17	12	17	15	10			187
Efficiency	31%	10%	40%	36%	42%	21%	23%	46%	33%	41%	25%	35%	33%	40%			33%
Fourth-Down Efficiency																	
Attempts	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	1	1	0	0	0			5
Converted	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	3	3	2	0	1	1			13
Efficiency	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	100%	67%	33%	50%	0%	0%	0%			38%
Total Offense																	
Net Yards	318	176	214	269	227	145	321	467	331	411	395	208	214	410			4106
Plays	61	40	64	49	47	51	55	62	72	76	64	64	61	62			828
Avg./play	5.2	4.4	3.3	5.5	4.8	2.8	5.8	7.5	4.6	5.4	6.2	3.3	3.5	6.6			5.0
Rushing																	
Net Yards	167	67	85	110	64	31	133	195	103	49	61	122	70	162			1419
Attempts	28	22	30	24	26	16	33	36	27	14	18	35	22	36			367
Avg./rush	6.0	3.0	2.8	4.6	2.5	1.9	4.0	5.4	3.8	3.5	3.4	3.5	3.2	4.5			3.9
TFL - yds.	1-1	2-6	3-9	2-4	2-4	4-8	7-22	5-12	2-2	3-5	3-4	3-11	3-4	3-6			44-98
Passing																	
Net Yards	151	109	129	159	163	114	188	272	228	362	334	86	144	248			2687
Sacks	1	2	4	1	1	4	1	1	4	2	1	2	4	3			31
Yds. Lost	23	11	30	3	10	22	10	5	17	15	5	20	26	18			215
Gross Yds.	174	120	159	162	173	136	198	277	245	377	339	106	170	266			2902
Attempts	32	16	30	24	20	31	21	25	41	60	45	27	35	23			430
Compl.	16	8	15	15	13	15	12	19	22	34	26	14	17	17			243
Pct.	50%	50%	50%	63%	65%	48%	57%	76%	54%	57%	58%	52%	49%	74%			57%
Int.	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	3	2	1	1	0			10
Avg./play	4.6	6.1	7.9	6.4	7.8	3.3	8.5	10.5	5.1	5.8	7.3	3.0	3.7	9.5			5.8
Kickoffs																	
No.	5	2	4	3	4	2	5	8	3	4	5	4	4	8			61
In End Zone-TB	3-1	2-0	1-0	1-1	3-2	1-1	0-0	4-3	2-2	0-0	2-1	0-0	3-3	0-0			22-14
Punts																	
No.	5	9	6	5	5	7	5	3	6	4	6	8	8	4			81
Yards	227	397	295	221	241	333	191	121	280	186	261	372	361	131			3617
Avg.	45.4	44.1	49.2	44.2	48.2	47.6	38.2	40.3	46.7	46.5	43.5	46.5	45.1	32.8			44.7
Net Avg.	34.4	36.1	39.2	40.4	46.2	33.4	37.8	32.7	43.7	37.5	33.2	39.9	40.6	32.8			37.9
Had Blocked	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0			0
Kicks, Had Blocked																	
Field Goals-PATs	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-1	0-0	0-0	0-0			0-1
Punt Returns																	
No.	1	5	3	1	3	0	3	1	3	2	3	1	2	2			30
Yards	26	78	36	2	30	0	25	12	-6	8	10	19	9	30			279
Avg.	26.0	15.6	12.0	2.0	10.0	0.0	8.3	12.0	-2.0	4.0	3.3	19.0	4.5	15.0			9.3
Kickoff Returns																	
No.	1	1	6	5	1	6	3	3	3	7	5	4	4	4			53
Yards	17	24	156	119	16	103	64	97	59	174	132	88	97	147			1293
Avg.	17.0	24.0	26.0	23.8	16.0	17.2	21.3	32.3	19.7	24.9	26.4	22.0	24.3	36.8			24.4
Interception Returns																	
No.	2	0	0	0	2	1	2	3	0	0	1	4	2	2			19
Yards	9	0	0	0	97	23	48	78	0	0	37	-3	0	23			312
Avg.	4.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	50.5	23.0	24.0	26.0	0.0	0.0	37.0	-0.8	0.0	11.5			16.4
Penalties																	
Number	9	10	6	9	9	9	9	7	9	10	5	11	4	6			113
Yds. Lost	70	85	61	97	88	81	65	56	109	79	38	94	40	58			1021
Fumbles																	
No.	0	1	2	2	1	1	1	2	0	1	3	3	2	2			21
Lost	0	0	1	1	0	1	0	1	0	1	1	1	0	0			7
Touchdowns																	
Total TDs	3	1	1	1	2	0	2	5	2	1	4	2	2	6			32
Rush	3	0	1	0	1	0	1	2	2	0	0	2	1	2			15
Pass	0	1	0	1	1	0	1	2	0	1	4	0	1	3			15
Returns	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1			2
Extra Points																	
Made-Attempts	3-3	1-1	1-1	1-1	2-2	0-0	2-2	5-5	1-2	1-1	1-4	2-2	2-2	6-6			28-32
Kicking Md.-Att.	3-3	1-1	1-1	1-1	2-2	0-0	2-2	5-5	1-1	1-1	1-2	2-2	2-2	6-6			28-29
Rushing Md.-Att.	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0			0-0
Passing Md.-Att.	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-1	0-0	0-2	0-0	0-0	0-0			0-3
Field Goals																	
Made-Attempts	1-2	0-0	2-2	2-2	1-2	1-1	3-3	2-3	0-1	1-1	0-1	2-2	1-1	1-1			17-21
Red Zone Efficiency																	
Scored-Attempts	2-2	1-2	1-2	0-2	1-1	0-2	0-5	1-2	2-3	0-3	3-4	2-4	2-3	3-4			18-39
Efficiency	100%	50%	50%	0%	100%	0%	0%	50%	67%	0%	75%	50%	67%	75%			46%
Goal-to-Go Efficiency																	
Scored-Attempts	2-2	0-0	1-1	0	1-1	0-0	0-0	1-1	2-2	0-1	2-3	1-3	1-2	1-1			12-17
Efficiency	100%	0%	100%	0%	100%	0%	0%	100%	100%	0%	67%	33%	50%	100%			71%
Safeties	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0			0
Total Points	24	7	13	13	17	3	23	41	13	13	25	20	17	45			274
Time of Poss.	28:24	22:52	30:45	27:11	26:51	23:02	27:31	30:41	27:55	29:35	29:19	31:35	26:16	33:11			28:13

2004 GAME-BY-GAME PARTICIPATION

	KC	at JAC	SD	at TB	CAR	at OAK	at CIN	ATL	HOU	at NO	OAK	at SD	MIA	at KC	at TEN	IND	PLAYED	-	STARTS	-	DNP	-	INA											
Adams, Charlie	INA	INA	INA	NWT	NWT	NWT	NWT	NWT	NWT	NWT	NWT	NWT	SUB	SUB			2	-	0	-	0	-	3											
Alexander, P.J.	SUB	INA	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	SUB	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	SUB			3	-	0	-	11	-	0											
Alexander, Roc	SUB	SUB	SUB	SUB	SUB	SUB	SUB	SUB	SUB	SUB	SUB	SUB	SUB	SUB			14	-	0	-	0	-	0											
Anderson, Mike	PLACED ON INJURED RESERVE 8/31/04 (groin)																0	-	0	-	0	-	0											
Baker, Jason	NWT	NWT	NWT	NWT	NWT	NWT	NWT	NWT	NWT	NWT	NWT	NWT	SUB	SUB			2	-	0	-	0	-	0											
Bailey, Champ	LCB	LCB	LCB	LCB	LCB	LCB	LCB	LCB	LCB	LCB	LCB	LCB	LCB	LCB			14	-	14	-	0	-	0											
Beard, Antonio	NWT	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS			0	-	0	-	0	-	0											
Bell, Tatum	SUB	SUB	INA	SUB	SUB	SUB	SUB	INA	SUB	SUB	SUB	SUB	SUB	SUB			12	-	0	-	0	-	2											
Brandon, Sam	INA	INA	INA	INA	INA	SUB	SUB	SUB	SUB	SUB	SUB	SUB	INA	INA			7	-	0	-	0	-	7											
Briggs, Kris	NWT	NWT	NWT	NWT	NWT	NWT	NWT	PS	PS	NWT	NWT	NWT	NWT	NWT			0	-	0	-	0	-	0											
Carlisle, Cooper	SUB	SUB	SUB	SUB	SUB	SUB	SUB	SUB	SUB	SUB	SUB	SUB	RG	RG			14	-	2	-	0	-	0											
Carswell, Dwayne	SUB	TE	TE	TE	TE	TE	SUS	TE	TE	TE	TE	TE	TE	TE			13	-	12	-	0	-	0											
Chatman, Jermaine	PLACED ON I.R. 8/31 (left hand)																0	-	0	-	0	-	0											
Chukwurah, Patrick	INA	SUB	SUB	SUB	SUB	INA	SUB	SUB	SUB	SUB	SUB	SUB	SUB	SUB			12	-	0	-	0	-	2											
Clabo, Tyson	NWT	NWT	NWT	NWT	NWT	NWT	NWT	NWT	NWT	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS			0	-	0	-	0	-	0											
Coleman, Marco	LE	LE	LE	LE	LE	LE	LE	LE	LE	LE	LE	LE	LE	LE			14	-	14	-	0	-	0											
Cox, Curome	NWT	NWT	NWT	NWT	NWT	NWT	NWT	NWT	NWT	NWT	NWT	PS	PS	PS			0	-	0	-	0	-	0											
Crenshaw, Romar	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS			0	-	0	-	0	-	0											
Davis, Dorsett	PLACED ON INJURED RESERVE 7/31/04 (left finger)																0	-	0	-	0	-	0											
Droughns, Reuben	FB	SUB	FB	FB	RB	RB	RB	RB	RB	RB	RB	RB	RB	RB			14	-	13	-	0	-	0											
Eason, Nick	PS	PS	NWT	NWT	NWT	NWT	NWT	NWT	NWT	NWT	NWT	NWT	NWT	NWT			0	-	0	-	0	-	0											
Elam, Jason	SUB	SUB	SUB	SUB	SUB	SUB	SUB	SUB	SUB	SUB	SUB	SUB	SUB	SUB			14	-	0	-	0	-	0											
Elliss, Luther	INA	SUB	SUB	SUB	SUB	SUB	SUB	SUB	SUB	INA	INA	INA	INA	PLACED ON IR 12/17 (back)			8	-	0	-	0	-	5											
Fatafeh, Mario	LDT	LDT	LDT	LDT	LDT	LDT	LDT	LDT	LDT	LDT	LDT	LDT	LDT	LDT			14	-	14	-	0	-	0											
Ferguson, Nick	SUB	SUB	SUB	SUB	SUB	SUB	SUB	SUB	FS	SUB	SUB	SUB	SUB	SUB			14	-	1	-	0	-	0											
Foschi, John Paul	PS	NWT	NWT	NWT	NWT	NWT	NWT	NWT	NWT	NWT	NWT	NWT	NWT	NWT			0	-	0	-	0	-	0											
Foster, George	RT	RT	RT	RT	RT	RT	RT	RT	RT	RT	RT	RT	RT	RT			14	-	14	-	0	-	0											
Green, Cornell	INA	INA	INA	INA	INA	INA	INA	INA	INA	INA	INA	INA	INA	DNP			0	-	0	-	1	-	13											
Green, Louis	SUB	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	SUB	SUB	SUB			4	-	0	-	0	-	0											
Griffin, Quentin	RB	RB	RB	RB	INA	SUB	SUB	PLACED ON INJURED RESERVE 10/27/04 (right knee)																6	-	5	-	0	-	1				
Hamilton, Ben	LG	LG	LG	LG	LG	LG	LG	LG	LG	LG	LG	LG	LG	LG			14	-	14	-	0	-	0											
Hape, Patrick	SUB	TE	SUB	SUB	SUB	SUB	TE	SUB	SUB	SUB	SUB	SUB	TE	SUB			14	-	3	-	0	-	0											
Hayward, Reggie	SUB	RE	RE	RE	RE	RE	RE	RE	RE	RE	RE	RE	RE	RE			14	-	13	-	0	-	0											
Hearst, Garrison	SUB	INA	SUB	INA	DNP	INA	INA	DNP	SUB	SUB	SUB	DNP	INA	SUB			6	-	0	-	3	-	5											
Herndon, Kelly	RCB	RCB	RCB	RCB	RCB	RCB	RCB	RCB	RCB	RCB	RCB	RCB	RCB	RCB			14	-	14	-	0	-	0											
Holland, Darius	NWT	SUB	SUB	INA	INA	INA	INA	INA	INA	INA	INA	INA	INA	INA			2	-	0	-	0	-	11											
Jackson, Nate	SUB	SUB	SUB	SUB	SUB	SUB	SUB	SUB	SUB	SUB	SUB	SUB	SUB	PLACED ON IR 12/7 (left ankle)			12	-	0	-	0	-	0											
Johnson, B.J.	PLACED ON INJURED RESERVE 8/31/04 (left ankle)																0	-	0	-	0	-	0											
Johnson, Ellis	NWT	NWT	EXP	SUB	SUB	SUB	SUB	SUB	SUB	SUB	SUB	SUB	SUB	SUB			11	-	0	-	0	-	0											
Johnson, Kyle	SUB	SUB	SUB	SUB	SUB	SUB	FB	SUB	SUB	FB	SUB	FB	SUB	SUB			14	-	3	-	0	-	0											
Johnson, Raylee	RE	SUB	SUB	SUB	SUB	SUB	SUB	SUB	INA	SUB	SUB	SUB	SUB	SUB			12	-	1	-	0	-	2											
Kanell, Danny	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP			0	-	0	-	14	-	0											
Kennedy, Kenoy	SS	SS	SS	SS	SS	SS	SS	SS	SS	SS	SS	SS	SS	SS			14	-	14	-	0	-	0											
Knorr, Micah	SUB	SUB	SUB	SUB	SUB	SUB	SUB	SUB	SUB	SUB	SUB	SUB	NWT	NWT			12	-	0	-	0	-	0											
Leach, Mike	SUB	SUB	SUB	SUB	SUB	SUB	SUB	SUB	SUB	SUB	SUB	SUB	SUB	SUB			14	-	0	-	0	-	0											
Lelie, Ashley	WR	WR	WR	WR	WR	WR	WR	WR	WR	WR	WR	WR	WR	WR			14	-	14	-	0	-	0											
Lepsis, Matt	LT	LT	LT	LT	LT	LT	LT	LT	LT	LT	LT	LT	LT	LT			14	-	14	-	0	-	0											
LeSueur, Jeremy	PLACED ON INJURED RESERVE 9/5/04 (hernia)																0	-	0	-	0	-	0											
Luke, Triandos	INA	INA	INA	SUB	SUB	SUB	SUB	INA	INA	INA	SUB	SUB	SUB	SUB			8	-	0	-	0	-	6											
Lynch, John	FS	FS	FS	FS	FS	FS	FS	FS	INA	FS	FS	FS	FS	FS			13	-	13	-	0	-	1											
Madise, Adrian	SUS	SUS	SUS	SUS	EXP	NWT	NWT	NWT	NWT	NWT	NWT	NWT	NWT	NWT			0	-	0	-	0	-	0											
Mauck, Matt	3QB	3QB	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS			0	-	0	-	0	-	2											
McNeal, Bryant	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS			0	-	0	-	0	-	0											
Middlebrooks, Willie	SUB	SUB	SUB	SUB	SUB	INA	SUB	SUB	CB	SUB	SUB	CB	SUB	PLACED ON IR 12/17 (r. leg)			12	-	2	-	0	-	1											
Miree, Brandon	PLACED ON INJURED RESERVE 8/16/04 (left thumb)																0	-	0	-	0	-	0											
Nalen, Tom	C	C	C	C	C	C	C	C	C	C	C	C	C	C			14	-	14	-	0	-	0											
Neil, Dan	RG	RG	RG	RG	RG	RG	RG	RG	RG	RG	RG	RG	RG	SUB	INA			13	-	12	-	0	-	1										
Palepoi, Anton	NWT	NWT	INA	INA	INA	SUB	SUB	SUB	SUB	SUB	SUB	SUB	SUB	SUB			9	-	0	-	0	-	3											
Pierce, Terry	SUB	DNP	SUB	SUB	SUB	SUB	SUB	SUB	SUB	SUB	SUB	SUB	SUB	SUB			13	-	0	-	1	-	0											
Plummer, Jake	QB	QB	QB	QB	QB	QB	QB	QB	QB	QB	QB	QB	QB	QB			14	-	14	-	0	-	0											
Pope, Monsanto	SUB	RDT	RDT	RDT	RDT	RDT	RDT	RDT	RDT	RDT	RDT	RDT	RDT	RDT			14	-	13	-	0	-	0											
Pryce, Trevor	RDT	INA	INA	INA	INA	INA	INA	INA	INA	INA	INA	INA	INA	INA			1	-	1	-	0	-	13											
Putzier, Jeb	TE	SUB	SUB	SUB	SUB	TE	SUB	TE	TE	SUB	SUB	SUB	SUB	TE			14	-	5	-	0	-	0											
Sapp, Cecil	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	SUB	SUB	INA	INA	INA	SUB	INA			3	-	0	-	0	-	4											
Sewell, Josh	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS			0	-	0	-	0	-	0											
Shoate, Jeff	INA	SUB	SUB	SUB	INA	INA	SUB	INA	INA	INA	INA	INA	INA	SUB			5	-	0	-	0	-	9											
Smith, Rod	WR	WR	WR	WR	WR	WR	WR	WR	WR	WR	WR	WR	WR	WR			14	-	14	-	0	-	0											
Spragan, Donnie	SLB	SLB	SLB	SLB	SLB	SLB	SLB	SLB	SLB	SLB	SLB	SUB	SLB	SLB			14	-	12	-	0	-	0											
Sykes, Jashon	SUB	SUB	INA	INA	INA	SUB	INA	INA	INA	INA	INA	INA	INA	INA			3	-	0	-	0	-	11											
Van Pelt, Bradlee	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS			0	-	0	-	0	-	0											
Veal, Demetris	NWT	NWT	NWT	NWT	NWT	NWT	NWT	NWT	NWT	NWT	NWT	NWT	NWT	INA			0	-	0	-	0	-	1											
Walls, Lenny	SUB	INA	DNP	INA	SUB	SUB	INA	SUB	SUB	SUB	CB	PLACED ON IR 11/30 (right shoulder)																7	-	1	-	1	-	3
Watts, Darius	SUB	SUB	SUB	SUB	WR	SUB	SUB	SUB	SUB	SUB	WR	SUB	SUB	SUB			14	-	2	-	0	-	0											
Williams, D.J.	WLB	WLB	WLB	WLB	WLB	WLB	WLB	WLB	WLB	WLB	WLB	WLB	WLB	WLB			14	-	13	-	0	-	0											
Wilson, Al	MLB	MLB	MLB	MLB	MLB	MLB	MLB	MLB	MLB	MLB	MLB	MLB	MLB	MLB			14	-	14	-	0	-	0											
Young, Chris	SUB	SUB	SUB	SUB	SUB	INA	INA	SUB	SUB	SUB	INA	INA	SUB	SUB			10	-	0	-	0	-	4											

KEY: IR-injured reserve; DNP-did not play; RE-roster exemption; INA-inactive; PS-practice squad; NWT-not with team; SUS-suspended; NFI-reserve/non-football injury; PUP-reserve/physically unable to perform; 3QB-

Weather: Cloudy, 82°, Wind S 15 mph • Attendance: 75,939 • Time: 3:23

The Broncos won their season opener for the fourth straight year by defeating division rival Kansas City, 34-24, in front of 75,939 fans at INVESCO field at Mile High and a national television audience on ESPN's Sunday Night Football. Second-year running back Quentin Griffin, in just his second career start, led the Broncos charge with three touchdowns (2 rush, 1 rec) and 156 yards rushing on 23 carries, setting a new franchise record for rushing yards in a season opener.

Kansas City jumped on Denver early after running back Priest Holmes' 2-yard touchdown run completed an eight-play, 80-yard drive on the game's opening drive.

After a quarterback field goal by Jason Elam narrowed the gap for the Broncos, Denver took a 10-7 lead early in the second quarter when quarterback Jake Plummer hit Griffin for a 1-yard touchdown. The Broncos defense stuffed the Chiefs once again to regain the ball, setting the stage for Griffin's second touchdown—a 25-yard scamper in which the tailback slashed through several defenders en route to the end zone.

Denver opened the second half with a 17-7 lead, but the Chiefs quickly got back in the game after capitalizing on two Broncos turnovers. Plummer's first pass of the half was intercepted by Kansas City linebacker Monty Belsel, setting up a 50-yard field goal by Lawrence Tynes. On the Broncos' next possession, a solid Kansas City pass rush on third down forced Plummer to erratically heave the ball in the air and right into the hands of linebacker Shawn Barber deep in Broncos' territory. The Chiefs took advantage when Holmes scored his second touchdown of the contest on a 4-yard run tying the score at 17-7.

Griffin stepped up once again on Denver's next drive, as he burst up the middle for a 47-yard touchdown run, the longest of his career. Holmes' day was not finished, however, as he tied the game on a 33-yard touchdown run, his third of the game, to knot the score at 24.

Elam helped the Broncos regain the lead after he booted a 45-yard field goal, and on the Kansas City's next possession, Denver's defense forced the Chiefs to punt. The Broncos responded with a 13-play, 87-yard drive that burned 7:10 on the clock and was capped by a 2-yard touchdown pass from Plummer to tight end Patrick Hape, securing the win for the Broncos.

Denver's offense amassed 413 total yards, including 202 on the ground. Defensive back Champ Bailey was solid in his Broncos debut, notching his 19th career interception in the second quarter and also doubled up as a wide receiver, catching one pass for 11 yards.

OFFICIALS

Referee — Bernie Kukar (86); Umpire — Bill Schuster (129); Head Linesman — Phil McKinnely (110); Line Judge — Tom Barnes (55); Field Judge — Scott Stensson (88); Side Judge — Tom Hill (97); Back Judge — Steve Freeman (133); Replay — Dale Hamer

STARTING LINEUPS

Kansas City Chiefs			Denver Broncos		
Offense	Defense	Special	Offense	Defense	Special
WR 82 D. Hall	WR 80 R. Smith	LT 16 M. Cook	WR 82 R. Smith	LE 92 M. Coleman	K 1 J. Elam
LT 77 W. Roaf	LT 78 M. Lepsis	LG 53 C. Johnson	LT 78 M. Lepsis	LT 68 M. Fafarfeh	
LG 54 B. Waters	LG 50 B. Hamilton	RT 62 C. Johnson	RT 93 T. Pryce	RE 99 R. Johnson	
C 62 C. Wiegmann	RE 99 V. Holliday	QB 11 P. Hines	QB 66 T. Nalen	MLB 52 D. Williams	
RG 68 W. Shields	MLB 51 S. Fujita	RB 23 J. Elam	WLB 62 G. Foster	A 56 A. Wilson	
RT 76 J. Welbourn	SLB 56 M. Belsel	TE 89 J. Elam	SLB 59 D. Stragan	LCB 24 C. Bailey	
TE 87 T. Gonzalez	SLB 59 S. Barber	RB 31 P. Hines	LCB 24 C. Bailey	RCB 21 K. Kennedy	
WR 88 E. Kennison	LCB 44 E. Warfield	FB 49 T. Richardson	RCB 21 K. Kennedy	SS 28 K. Hennidy	
QB 10 T. Green	RCB 22 D. McClellan		SS 28 K. Hennidy	FS 47 J. Lynch	
RB 49 T. Richardson	SS 25 G. Wesley		FS 47 J. Lynch		
HB 31 P. Holmes	FS 21 J. Woods				

DENVER SUBSTITUTIONS: K 1 J. Elam, P/K 4 M. Moor, WR 17 D. Watts, RB 20 G. Hearst, CB 23 W. Middlebrooks, S 25 N. Foy, CB 26 T. Bell, S 32 C. Young, CB 35 L. Walker, FB 39 K. Johnson, CB 45 B. Alexander, DE 53 L. Green, LB 57 J. Slayton, LB 58 T. Pryce, LB 60 T. Bell, CB 61 C. Johnson, DE 70 M. P. Lee, TE 83 M. Leech, TE 86 P. Hape, TE 89 D. Carswell, DE 98 R. Polynear, LB 113 D. Bennett.

INACTIVE: QB 8 M. Mauck, WR 10 T. Linc, CB 40 J. Shoate, S 42 S. Brandon, LB 55 P. Chukwurah, T 74 C. Green, WR 81 C. Adams, DT 94 L. Ellis.

FIELD GOALS (made () & missed)

Player	Time	Yards	Result
J. Elam	12:00	45	()
J. Elam	20:00	34	()
J. Elam	32:00	24	()

FINAL BRONCOS DEFENSIVE STATISTICS (Based on coaches' film review)

Player	UT	A	TT	S-yds	I-yds	PD	FF	FR
D. Williams	5	1	6	0-0	0	0	0	0
J. Lynch	3	2	5	0-0	0	0	0	0
M. Pope	5	0	5	0-0	0	0	0	0
K. Hennidy	3	0	3	0-0	0	0	0	0
A. Wilson	5	0	5	0-0	0	0	0	0
C. Bailey	3	1	4	0-0	0	0	0	0
K. Kennedy	3	1	4	0-0	0	0	0	0
L. Walls	3	1	4	0-0	0	0	0	0
R. Hayward	1	3	4	0.5-11.5	0	0	0	0
Team Totals	48	15	63	1-23	1-15	0	0	0

FINAL INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

Kansas City Chiefs

RUSHING	ATT	YDS	AVG	LG	TD
P. Holmes	26	151	5.8	33	3
J. Elam	1	13	13.0	13	0
T. Green	1	3	3.0	3	0
Total	28	167	6.0	33	3

Denver Broncos

RUSHING	ATT	YDS	AVG	LG	TD
Q. Griffin	23	156	6.8	47	2
J. Plummer	8	23	2.9	14	0
T. Bell	2	11	5.5	8	0
G. Hearst	2	3	1.5	6	0
C. Smith	2	2	1.0	2	0
Total	38	195	5.1	47	2

PASS RECEIVING

Player	NO	YDS	AVG	LG	TD
F. Smith	7	70	10.0	19	1
A. Lelie	4	88	22.0	58	0
J. Putzier	2	25	12.5	18	0
D. Watts	2	22	11.0	11	0
C. Bailey	1	11	11.0	11	0
P. Hape	1	4	4.0	4	0
O. Griffin	1	1	1.0	1	0
Total	18	230	12.8	58	1

PASS RECEIVING (CONT'D)

Player	NO	YDS	AVG	LG	TD
J. Plummer	29	18	2.3	19	2
Total	29	18	2.3	19	2

PUNTING

Player	NO	YDS	NET	LG	M20	LG	M20
M. Moor	2	113	56.3	43.5	0	1	66
Total	2	113	56.3	43.5	0	1	66

PUNT RETURNS

Player	NO	YDS	AVG	FC	LG	TD
R. Smith	2	58	29.0	0	30	0
Total	2	58	29.0	0	30	0

KICKOFF RETURNS

Player	NO	YDS	AVG	FC	LG	TD
D. Hall	1	17	17.0	0	17	0
Total	1	17	17.0	0	17	0

KICKOFF RETURNS (CONT'D)

Player	NO	YDS	AVG	FC	LG	TD
D. Hall	1	17	17.0	0	17	0
Total	1	17	17.0	0	17	0

TOUCHDOWNS

Player	By Rushing	By Passing	By Penalty	Total
Q. Griffin	2	0	0	2
J. Plummer	0	1	0	1
Total	2	1	0	3

NET YARDS PASSING

Player	Comps	Att	Yards	Int	TD
J. Plummer	22	32	174	1	1
Total	22	32	174	1	1

NET YARDS RUSHING

Player	Att	Yards	TD
P. Holmes	26	151	3
J. Elam	1	13	0
T. Green	1	3	0
Total	28	167	3

TOTAL NET YARDS

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P. Holmes	151
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T. Green	3
Total	167

TOTAL NET YARDS (CONT'D)

Player	Net Yards
Q. Griffin	156
J. Plummer	23
T. Bell	11
G. Hearst	3
C. Smith	2
Total	195

NET YARDS PER PLAY

Team	Yards	Plays	Avg
Kansas City	167	28	6.0
Denver	195	38	5.1

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JACKSONVILLE 7, DENVER 6
Sunday, Sept. 19, 2004 • 1:02 p.m. EDT • ALLTEL Stadium • Jacksonville, Fla.
Weather: 78°, Wind NE 15 mph • Attendance: 69,127 • Time: 3:03

The Broncos fell to 1-1 on the season after a 7-6 defeat at the hands of the Jacksonville Jaguars in front of 69,127 at ALLTEL Stadium.

Despite statistically dominating the contest in terms of total yards, time of possession and first downs, the Broncos failed to reach the end zone and committed a costly turnover with seconds remaining in the fourth quarter.

Jacksonville scored the game's only touchdown with 12:39 left in the second quarter as Byron Leftwich found wide receiver Ernest Wilford for a 12-yard touchdown pass to give the Jaguars a 7-0 lead.

Two Jason Elam field goals (44, 22) narrowed the gap to 7-6 at the end of the first half for the Broncos.

Neither squad could sustain a drive for most of the second half as a total of eight punts were forced by the two defenses. Denver missed an opportunity to take the lead with 36 seconds remaining in the third quarter after Elam's 51-yard attempt into the wind fell just short.

The Broncos struggled with poor field position in the fourth quarter, starting on their own two, 10, and 11-yard lines in their final three possessions of the game.

With no timeouts remaining and 2:20 left in the game, Broncos quarterback Jake Plummer took control of the offense on Denver's 11-yard line and marched downfield with four straight completions, including a key 20-yard strike to Nate Jackson.

Plummer then scrambled for nine yards and ducked out-of-bounds on the Jacksonville 26-yard line.

After running back Quentin Griffin picked up the first down on a two-yard run, Plummer spiked the ball to stop the clock at 1:07. Two more Griffin runs brought up third down on the Jaguars 23-yard line with 37 seconds remaining.

On the next play, a bad exchange between Plummer and Griffin resulted in a fumble that was recovered by Jacksonville's Akin Ayodele, halting the Broncos' comeback bid.

Plummer completed 23-of-39 passes for 250 yards while Griffin finished with 66 yards on 25 carries. Veteran wideout Rod Smith led all receivers with six receptions for 83 yards.

OFFICIALS

Referee — Gerry Austin (34); Umpire — Roy Ellison (81); Head Linesman — John Scheyer (21); Line Judge — Carl Johnson (101); Field Judge — Scott Edwards (3); Side Judge — Mike Weatherford (116); Back Judge — Jim Howey (37); Replay — Rex Stuart

STARTING LINEUPS

Table with columns for Denver Broncos and Jacksonville Jaguars, listing players and their positions (WR, LB, RB, TE, OL, DL, DE, LB, RB, TE, OL, DL, DE).

Table with columns for DENVER SUBSTITUTIONS and INACTIVE, listing player names and their positions.

Table with columns for J. Elam, VISITOR, HOME, and TEAM, showing game statistics like field goals, touchdowns, and yardage.

FINAL INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

Large table showing individual statistics for Denver Broncos and Jacksonville Jaguars, including Rushing, Passing, Receiving, Punting, and Returns.

FINAL TEAM STATISTICS

Table showing team statistics for Denver Broncos and Jacksonville Jaguars, including Total Yards, Time of Possession, and Turnovers.

FINAL BRONCOS DEFENSIVE STATISTICS

Table showing defensive statistics for the Denver Broncos, including Tackles, Sacks, and Interceptions.

A stingy defensive effort and a 294-yard passing day by quarterback Jake Plummer helped the Broncos improve to 2-1 with a 23-13 victory over the San Diego Chargers before a crowd of 74,533 at INVESCO Field at Mile High.

Denver scored first on its second drive of the game, as Plummer connected with wide receiver Rod Smith for a 16-yard touchdown to cap off a six-play, 72-yard drive to give the Broncos a 7-0 lead.

Holding on to a 10-3 lead early in the second quarter, the Broncos forced a fumble after safety Keny Kennedy sacked San Diego quarterback Drew Brees and defensive tackle Mario Fatatehi scooped up the ball on the Chargers' 36-yard line. Fatatehi's 8-yard return to the Chargers' 29-yard line helped set up an eventual 23-yard Jason Elam field goal to give Denver a 13-3 lead.

In the second half, a Quentin Griffin fumble on Denver's second play of the third quarter yielded a seven-play, 36-yard drive that ended with a 1-yard touchdown run by Brees to close the gap to 13-10.

On the ensuing drive, the Chargers forced the Broncos to punt, but a roughing the kicker penalty gave Denver new life and the ball on San Diego's 34-yard line. After the Chargers' defense forced Denver into another 4th-down situation, the Broncos opted to go for it, and the result was a 33-yard touchdown strike from Plummer to wide receiver Ashley Lelie to give the Broncos a 20-10 advantage. Elam's 43-yard field goal on the Broncos' second drive of the fourth quarter gave Denver a 23-13 lead they would hold on to.

The Broncos kept San Diego star running back LaDainian Tomlinson in check for most of the contest, limiting the All-Pro to just 60 yards rushing, his lowest rushing output in his last 15 games.

Smith led all receivers with five catches for 75 yards while Plummer completed 25 of 36 passes for 294 yards and two touchdowns for a passer rating of 112.5.

OFFICIALS

Referee — Johnny Gier (23); Umpire — Ed Coukart (71); Head Linesman — Jim Mello (48); Line Judge — Jeff Bergman (32); Field Judge — Eddy Powers (68); Side Judge — Larry Rose (128); Back Judge — Scott Green (19); Replay — James Wilson

STARTING LINEUPS

Table with columns for San Diego Chargers and Denver Broncos, listing players and their positions (Offense, Defense, Special Teams).

DEWIER SUBSTITUTIONS: K 1 J. Elam, P/K 4 M. Knorr, WR 14 N. Jackson, WR 17 D. Watts, RB 20 W. Middlebrooks, S 25 N. Ferguson, S 25 N. Ferguson, S 32 C. Young, FB 39 K. Alexander, CB 40 J. Shoate, CB 45 P. Chukwurah, LB 58 T. Pierce, G/T 65 C. Carlisle, TE 83 M. Leach, TE 88 P. Hape, TE J. Putzier, DT 90 D. Holland, DT 94 L. Ellis, DE 99 R. Johnson, DID NOT PLAY: CB 13 D. Kanehl, CB 35 L. Wallis, G 69 P. Alexander. INACTIVE: WR 10 T. Luke, RB 26 T. Bell, S 42 S. Brandon, LB 57 J. Sykes, T 74 C. Green, WR 81 C. Adams, DE 93 T. Pryce, DE 95 A. Palepoi

FIELD GOALS (made () & missed) table showing field goals made and missed by N. Kaeding.

Team statistics table for San Diego Chargers and Denver Broncos, including rushing, passing, and punting stats.

PLAY DESCRIPTION (Extra Point) (Drive Info) table showing game plays, scores, and time.

FINAL BRONCOS DEFENSIVE STATISTICS

Table showing defensive statistics for the final Broncos game, including interceptions, fumbles, and touchdowns.

FINAL INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

Large table of individual statistics for San Diego Chargers and Denver Broncos, including rushing, passing, punting, and receiving stats.

FINAL TEAM STATISTICS

Table of team statistics for San Diego Chargers and Denver Broncos, including downs, time of possession, and other metrics.



DENVER 16. TAMPA BAY 13
 Sunday, Oct. 3, 2004 • 4:15 p.m. • EDT • Raymond James Stadium • Tampa, Fla.

Weather: 86°, Partly Cloudy, Wind W 9 mph • *Attendance:* 65,341 • *Time:* 3:05

The Broncos improved to 3-1 with a hard-fought 16-13 road victory over Tampa Bay before a crowd of 65,341 at Raymond James Stadium.

The game marked the return of Broncos safety John Lynch to the city in which he played 11 years, and the team he helped lead to a World Championship in 2002.

Denver struck first after a hit by safety Kenoy Kennedy forced Buc receiver Charles Lee to fumble the ball which was recovered by cornerback Willie Middlebrooks. The Broncos capped off a 43-yard drive with a 5-yard touchdown pass from Jake Plummer to tight end Patrick Happe to take a 7-0 lead.

Early in the second quarter, Denver increased its lead to 10-0 after Plummer hit tight end Jeb Putzier for a 28-yard completion, setting up a 49-yard field goal by Jason Elam. Tampa Bay countered on its next drive when Brad Johnson found wide receiver Michael Clayton for a 51-yard field goal.

After Elam's second field goal of the game (50-yards) gave Denver a 13-7 lead, the Buccaneers mounted a 62-yard drive which that culminated in a Martin Gramatica field goal from 28 yards out, cutting the score to 13-10 at halftime.

On their first possession of the second half, the Buccaneers drove down to the Denver 16-yard line, but Denver's defense stepped up, and held Tampa Bay to a 30-yard Gramatica field goal that knotted the game at 13.

In the fourth quarter, however, the Broncos showed their dominance, as they constructed an 84-yard drive that chewed up 6:32 on the clock, and resulted in a 23-yard field goal by Elam, which proved to be the game-winner.

Tampa Bay's Jameel White returned the ensuing kickoff 44-yards to the Buc's 45-yard line, but the Denver's defense once again took control. Middlebrooks knocked down a Johnson pass attempt to wide receiver Tim Brown on 3rd-and-3, forcing Tampa Bay to punt. Denver's offense then insured the win as they killed over seven minutes of the clock, before giving Tampa Bay the ball with just three seconds left in the game. Denver limited the Buccaneers to just 7 yards of total offense in the fourth quarter, and dominated the time of possession (13:20 to 1:40).

In his return to Tampa Bay, Lynch put in a solid effort, delivering several punishing hits and recording seven tackles and two passes defensed. Rookie linebacker D.J. Williams aided the solid defensive effort, leading the team with nine tackles.

After a slow start—just 12 yards rushing in the first-half—Quentin Griffin finished strong with 66 yards, including 48 coming in the fourth quarter.

OFFICIALS

Referee — Walt Coleman (65); **Umpire** — Carl Paganelli (124); **Head Linesman** — Ron Phares (10); **Line Judge** — Jerome Boger (109); **Field Judge** — Steve Zimmer (33); **Side Judge** — Dave Wyant (16); **Back Judge** — Greg Steed (12); **Replay** — Bob McGrath

STARTING LINEUPS

Denver Broncos		Tampa Bay Buccaneers	
Offense	WR 80 M. Coleman LT 32 M. Fataheli LG 78 M. Pope C 62 T. Nelen RG 62 D. Nelen TE 82 G. Foster RB 82 D. Carwell WR 85 A. Lelie QB 16 J. Plummer HB 22 O. Griffin FB 34 R. Droughtins	Offense	WR 50 M. Clayton LT 78 M. Oseese LG 78 W. Stincicomb C 76 J. Wade RB 60 T. Coleman TE 75 T. Steusie TE 55 K. Hilliger RB 14 W. Hillier CB 32 M. Johnson SS 26 D. Pittman FS 23 J. Phillips
Defense	LB 32 M. Fataheli RB 78 M. Pope RE 92 R. Hayward LB 59 D. Williams MLB 59 D. Spragan SLB 59 D. Spragan TE 82 G. Foster RB 85 A. Lelie RCB 31 K. Kennedy SS 28 K. Kennedy FS 47 J. Lynch	Defense	LE 84 G. Shires LT 92 A. McFarland RE 91 S. Berry RE 97 C. Dancy SLB 52 L. Goff MLB 53 S. Quarles WLB 53 D. Prook CB 25 B. Ertler RCB 20 R. Smith SS 26 D. Pittman FS 23 J. Phillips

DENVER SUBSTITUTIONS: K 1 J. Elam; PK 4 M. Knorr; WR 10 T. Luke; WR 14 N. Jackson; WR 17 D. Watts; CB 23 W. Middlebrooks; S 25 N. Ferguson; RB 26 T. Bell; S 32 C. Young; FB 39 K. Johnson; CB 40 J. Sheate; CB 45 R. Alexander; LB 55 P. Chukwurah; LB 58 T. Pierce; DL 61 E. Johnson; GT 65 C. Carlisle; TE 88 M. Leach; TE 88 P. Hape; TE J. Putzier; DT 94 L. Ellis; DE 99 R. Johnson. **DID NOT PLAY:** CB 13 D. Kaneill; G 69 P. Alexander. **INACTIVE:** RB 20 G. Hearst; CB 35 L. Walls; S 42 S. Brandon; LB 57 J. Sykes; T 74 C. Green; DE 93 T. Pryce; DE 96 A. Palepoi

Team	FIELD GOALS (made (___) & missed)			SCORE		
	Att	Made	Pct	Visitor	Home	TOTAL
Denver Broncos	1	2	33.3	3	4	16
Tampa Bay Buccaneers	0	10	0	0	0	13

Team	Qtr	Clock	PLAY DESCRIPTION (Extra Point) (Drive Info)	DRIVE			SCORE	
				Yds	Plays	Time	Visitor	Home
BRONCOS	1	3:01	P. Hape 5 yd. pass from J. Plummer (J. Elam kick) (8-43, 3:40)	7	7	0	0	
BRONCOS	2	13:14	J. Elam 49 yd. Field Goal (7-31, 2:09)	10	10	7	0	
BUCS	2	10:50	M. Clayton 51 yd. pass from B. Johnson (M. Gramatica kick) (4-75, 2:24)	10	7	7	7	
BRONCOS	2	5:32	J. Elam 50 yd. Field Goal (9-39, 5:18)	13	13	10	7	
BUCS	2	0:00	M. Gramatica 28 yd. Field Goal (14-62, 5:32)	13	13	10	10	
BUCS	3	8:15	M. Gramatica 30 yd. Field Goal (9-51, 5:11)	13	13	13	10	
BRONCOS	4	9:03	J. Elam 23 yd. Field Goal (14-84, 6:32)	16	13	16	13	

FINAL BRONCOS DEFENSIVE STATISTICS

(Based on coaches' film review)

Player	ATT			YDS			PD	FF	FR	TOTAL
	Att	Yds	Plays	Yds	Plays	Plays				
D. Williams	8	1	9	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0
K. Kennedy	6	1	7	0-0	0-0	1	0	0	0	0
J. Lynch	6	1	7	0-0	0-0	2	0	0	0	0
A. Wilson	2	3	5	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0
C. Bailey	3	1	4	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0
W. Middlebrooks	3	0	3	1-3	0-0	1	0	0	0	0
R. Hayward	2	1	3	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0
D. Spragan	1	2	3	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0

FINAL INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

Denver Broncos							Tampa Bay Buccaneers						
RUSHING	ATT	YDS	AVG	LG	TD	Rtg.	RUSHING	ATT	YDS	AVG	LG	TD	Rtg.
O. Griffin	21	66	3.1	12	0	68.5	J. White	15	72	4.8	14	0	100.3
R. Droughtins	8	20	2.5	8	0		M. Alstott	4	17	4.3	10	0	
J. Plummer	5	18	3.6	7	0		M. Clayton	3	7	2.3	7	0	
D. Watts	1	7	7.0	7	0		B. Johnson	1	7	7.0	7	0	
Total	35	111	3.2	12	0		Total	24	110	4.6	14	0	

PASSING						
ATT	CMP	YDS	TD	LG	INT	Rtg.
30	13	138	0/0	28	0	68.5

PUNT RECEIVING						
NO	YDS	AVG	LG	TD	Rtg.	
4	32	8.0	11	0	68.5	
2	42	21.0	28	0	68.5	
2	15	7.5	15	0	68.5	
1	12	12.0	12	0	68.5	
1	9	9.0	9	0	68.5	
1	5	5.0	5	0	68.5	
1	3	3.0	3	0	68.5	
Total	13	138	10.6	28		

INTERCEPTIONS						
NO	YDS	AVG	LG	TD	Rtg.	
0	0	0.0	0	0	68.5	
0	0	0.0	0	0	68.5	
0	0	0.0	0	0	68.5	
0	0	0.0	0	0	68.5	
0	0	0.0	0	0	68.5	
Total	0	0	0	0		

PUNTING						
NO	YDS	AVG	NET	TB	M20	LG
5	189	37.8	37.4	0	2	49
Total	5	189	37.8	37.4	0	49

PUNT RETURNS						
NO	YDS	AVG	FC	LG	TD	Rtg.
2	19	9.5	3	10	0	
Total	2	19	9.5	10	0	

KICKOFF RETURNS						
NO	YDS	AVG	FC	LG	TD	Rtg.
2	45	22.5	0	26	0	
Total	2	45	22.5	26	0	

FUMBLE RETURNS						
Own Fumbles	Lost	Yds	TD	FF	Rec.	Out
1	1	17	17.0	0	0	0
Total	1	17	17.0	0	0	0

TAMPA BAY BUCCANEERS						
Own Fumbles	Lost	Yds	TD	FF	Rec.	Out
1	1	0	0	0	0	0
Total	1	0	0	0	0	0

FINAL TEAM STATISTICS						
NET YARDS RUSHING	224	111	110			
NET YARDS PASSING	138	138	138			
NET YARDS PLAYING	362	249	248			
TOTAL NET YARDS	462	249	248			
Average gain per offensive play	13.2	21.7	21.7			
Average gain per rushing play	5.5	3.8	3.8			
Tackles for a loss - number and yards	4-11-36%	8-17-47%	0-0-0%			
Times thrown - yards lost attempting to pass	30-13-0	30-13-0	24-15-0			
PASS ATTEMPTS-COMPLETIONS-HAD INTERCEPTED	45-30-4	45-30-4	30-13-0			
Average gain per pass play (inc. # thrown passing)	3.2	3.2	3.2			
KICKOFFS Number-in End Zone-Touchbacks	3-1-1	5-0-0	5-4-2			
PUNTS Number and Average	5-37.8	5-37.8	5-37.8			
Face Blockers	0	0	0			
FGS - PATS Had Blocked	0	0	0			
TOTAL RETURN YARDS (Not including Kickoffs)	40	37	40			
TOTAL RETURNS (Including Kickoffs)	40	37	40			
No. and Yards Punt Returns	2-19	2-19	2-19			
No. and Yards Kickoff Returns	2-45	2-45	2-45			
No. and Yards Interception Returns	0-0	0-0	0-0			
PENALTIES Number and Yards	7-50	7-50	9-47			
FUMBLES Number and Lost	1-0	1-0	2-1			
TOUCHDOWNS	1	0	0			
Rushing	0	0	0			
Passing	0	0	0			
Interceptions	0	0	0			
EXTRA POINTS Made-Attempts	1-1	1-1	1-1			
Kicking Made-Attempts	3-3	3-3	3-3			
FIELD GOALS Made-Attempts	1-2-50%	1-2-50%	0-2-0%			
GOAL TO GO EFFICIENCY	1-2-50%	1-2-50%	0-0-0%			
SAFETIES	0	0	0			
FINAL SCORE	16	13	13			
TIME OF POSSESSION	32:49	27:11	27:11			



DENVER 20. CAROLINA 17

Sunday, Oct. 10, 2004 • 2:15 p.m. MDT • INVESCO Field at Mile High • Denver, Colo.

Weather: Mostly Sunny, 72°, Wind E 4 mph • Attendance: 75,072 • Time: 2:58

Running back Reuben Droughns rumbled for 193 rushing yards and Ashley Lelle caught a key fourth-quarter touchdown pass to help the Broncos start 4-1 for the third straight year with a 20-17 win over the NFC Defending Champion Carolina Panthers before a crowd of 75,072 at INVESCO Field at Mile High.

Droughns—making his first career start at running back in place of the injured Quentin Griffin—proved there would be no drop-off in production, when on the first Denver drive, his 32-yard run led to a Jason Elam 32-yard field goal.

After the Broncos defense forced a Carolina punt, an eight-play, 62-yard drive yielded another Elam field goal, this time from 33-yards out to give his team an early 6-0 lead in the first quarter.

The Panthers would take the lead in the second quarter on a 26-yard touchdown pass from quarterback Jake Delhomme to wide receiver Kenny Colbert. But after John Kasay booted a 53-yard field goal, increasing Carolina's lead to 10-6, the Broncos drove 76 yards in seven plays and regained the lead with a touchdown. Quarterback Jake Plummer hit Droughns on a 5-yard pass, and Denver took a 13-10 lead.

On the Broncos' first drive of the second half, the team was poised to score after driving down to the Carolina 1-yard line, but Plummer threw an interception to defensive end Julius Peppers on 4th-and-goal. Peppers returned the pick 101 yards and was brought down at the 3-yard-line by Rod Smith. The Panthers would score on a one-yard run by Delhomme to give his team a 17-13 lead after the longest non-scoring interception return in NFL history by Peppers.

Despite the setback, Plummer took charge on the team's first possession of the fourth quarter, and on 3-and-7 from Carolina's 57-yard line, Plummer fired a pass in to the end zone for Lelle, who jumped and made an acrobatic grab for what would prove to be the game-winning score.

Carolina had a chance to tie the game at 20 with a 42-yard field goal attempt, but a false start penalty on Rich Tyski followed by an unsportsmanlike conduct penalty on Matt Willis for throwing the flag at the referee, pushed the Panthers out of field goal range forcing them to punt. The Broncos got the ball back with 6:42 remaining and sustained a drive which ran out the clock. The drive was highlighted by a key 14-yard reception by rookie receiver Darius Watts, converting a key 3rd-and-3.

Droughns' 193 yards on the ground was the ninth best rushing total in franchise history, and the most by a Broncos back in his starting debut at the position.

With Elam's second field goal of the game, he became the 16th player in NFL history to hit 300 career field goals, and the fastest ever to reach the feat, needing only 177 games (John Carney held the previous record at 188 games).

OFFICIALS

Referee — Larry Nemmers (20); **Umpire** — Undrey Wash (96); **Head Linesman** — Paul Weidner (87); **Line Judge** — Michael Spanier (90)
Field Judge — Mike Weir (50); **Side Judge** — Carl Cheffers (51); **Back Judge** — Kirk Dorman (6); **Replay** — Neil Gerecht

STARTING LINEUPS

Carolina Panthers		Denver Broncos	
	Defense		Defense
WR	87 Mr. Muhammad	WR	80 R. Smith
LT	79 J. Gross	LT	78 M. Leptis
LG	76 T. Reyes	LG	50 B. Hamilton
C	90 J. Mitchell	RE	77 K. Jenkins
RG	79 D. Brazzinski	RE	98 R. Hayward
RT	71 M. Willis	MLB	52 D. Neal
TE	84 M. Gaines	MLB	56 A. Williams
WR	83 K. Colbert	SLB	59 D. Williams
QB	15 J. Delhomme	SLB	59 D. Spragan
FB	45 B. Hoover	LCB	24 C. Bailey
DB	26 D. Foster	RCB	31 K. Herndon
		SS	28 K. Kennedy
		FS	47 J. Lynch

DEFENDER SUBSTITUTIONS: K 1 J. Elam, P/K 4 M. Knorr, WR 10 T. Luke, WR 14 M. Jackson, CB 23 W. Middlebrooks, S 25 M. Ferguson, RB 26 T. Bell, S 32 C. Young, CB 35 K. Johnson, CB 45 R. Alexander, LB 55 P. Chuquwath, LB 58 T. Pierce, DT 61 E. Johnson, G/T 65 C. Carlisle, TE 83 M. Leach, TE 86 P. Hape, T 88 J. Puzizer, DT 94 L. Ellis, DE 98 R. Johnson. **Did Not Play:** QB 13 D. Kanel, RB 20 G. Hearst, G 69 P. Alexander

INACTIVE: RB 22 D. Griffin, CB 40 J. Shoate, S 42 S. Brandon, LB 57 J. Sylves, T 74 C. Green, DT 90 D. Holland, DE 93 T. Pryce, DE 95 A. Palepoi.

Qtr	Carolina Panthers	Denver Broncos	OT	TOTAL
VISITOR	0	2	3	4
HOME	6	7	0	7

Team	Qtr	Time	PLAY DESCRIPTION (Extra Point) (Drive Into)	SCORE
Broncos	1	10:43	J. Elam 32 yd. Field Goal (9:67, 4:17)	0-3
Brn	1	5:55	J. Elam 33 yd. Field Goal (8:62, 3:19)	0-6
PAN	2	5:26	K. Colbert 26 yd. pass from J. Delhomme (J. Kasay kick) (4:57, 2:01)	7-6
Brn	2	2:17	J. Kasay 53 yd. Field Goal (4:6, 1:59)	10-6
PAN	3	0:52	R. Droughns 5 yd. pass from J. Plummer (J. Elam kick) (7:76, 1:25)	10-13
Brn	3	5:03	J. Delhomme 1 yd. run (J. Kasay kick) (3:3, 1:29)	17-13
Brn	4	9:42	A. Lelle 39 yd. pass from J. Plummer (J. Elam kick) (8:87, 4:18)	17-20

FINAL BRONCOS DEFENSIVE STATISTICS

(Based on coaches' film review)												
Player	UT	A	TT	S-yds	I-yds	PD	FF	FR	I-yds	PD	FF	FR
A. Wilson	7	3	10	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0
M. Coleman	3	5	8	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0
D. Williams	5	1	6	0-0	0-0	2	0	0	1-10	0-0	0	0
K. Herndon	4	2	6	0-0	0-0	3	0	0	0-0	0	0	0
D. Spragan	2	0	6	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0
K. Kennedy	5	0	5	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0
C. Bailey	4	1	5	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0
L. Walls	3	1	4	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	1-10	0-0	4	0
Team Totals	43	17	60	0-0	0-0	1	0	0				

FINAL INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

Carolina Panthers						Denver Broncos					
RUSHING	ATT	YDS	AVG	LG	TD	RUSHING	ATT	YDS	AVG	LG	TD
N. Goings	12	22	1.8	5	0	R. Droughns	30	183	6.1	32	0
B. Hoover	5	21	4.2	10	0	J. Plummer	4	8	2.0	8	0
D. Foster	5	18	3.6	5	0	T. Bell	2	4	2.0	4	0
J. Delhomme	4	3	0.8	3	1	D. Watts	1	5	5.0	5	0
Total	26	64	2.5	10	1	Total	37	210	5.7	32	0

PASSING	ATT	CMP	YDS	TD	LG	INT	Rtg.	PASSING	ATT	CMP	YDS	TD	LG	INT	Rtg.
J. Delhomme	20	13	73	1/0	45	0	109.0	J. Plummer	23	17	226	2	39	2	77.7
Total	20	13	73	1/0	45	0	109.0	Total	23	17	226	2	39	2	77.7

PASS RECEIVING	NO	YDS	AVG	LG	TD	PASS RECEIVING	NO	YDS	AVG	LG	TD
K. Colbert	1	26	26.0	26	1	R. Droughns	4	45	11.3	20	0
R. Peppers	3	35	11.7	20	0	D. Carswell	4	45	11.3	20	0
M. Gaines	2	18	9.0	12	0	R. Droughns	4	18	4.5	13	1
D. Foster	2	0	0.0	4	0	A. Lelle	2	52	26.0	39	1
M. Muhammad	1	9	9.0	9	0	K. Johnson	1	31	31.0	31	0
N. Goings	1	-4	-4.0	-4	0	D. Watts	1	14	14.0	14	0
Total	13	173	13.3	45	1	Total	17	226	13.3	39	2

INTERCEPTIONS	NO	YDS	AVG	LG	TD	INTERCEPTIONS	NO	YDS	AVG	LG	TD
J. Peppers	1	101	101.0	101	0	Total	0	0	0.0	0	0
R. Manning	1	0	0.0	0	0						
Total	2	101	50.5	101	0						

PUNTING	NO	YDS	AVG	NET	TB	IN20	LG	PUNTING	NO	YDS	NET	AVG	TB	IN20	LG
T. Sauerbrun	5	241	48.2	46.2	0	4	58	M. Knorr	3	153	51.0	41.0	0	0	53
Total	5	241	48.2	46.2	0	4	58	Total	3	153	51.0	41.0	0	0	53

PUNT RETURNS	NO	YDS	AVG	FC	LG	TD	PUNT RETURNS	NO	YDS	AVG	FC	LG	TD
E. Baker	3	30	10.0	0	18	0	M. Knorr	2	10	5.0	0	9	0
Total	3	30	10.0	0	18	0	Total	2	10	5.0	0	9	0

KICKOFF RETURNS	NO	YDS	AVG	FC	LG	TD	KICKOFF RETURNS	NO	YDS	AVG	FC	LG	TD
E. Baker	1	16	16.0	0	16	0	R. Droughns	2	21	10.5	0	18	0
Total	1	16	16.0	0	16	0	Total	2	21	10.5	0	18	0

FUMBLER	Own	Opp.	Yds	TD	FF	Rec.	Out	FUMBLER	Own	Opp.	Yds	TD	FF	Rec.	Out
J. Delhomme	1	0	1	-3	0	0	0	M. Knorr	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	1	0	1	-3	0	0	0	Total	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

FINAL TEAM STATISTICS

FINAL TEAM STATISTICS	VISITOR	HOME
	PANTHERS	BRONCOS
TOTAL FIRST DOWNS	12	23
By Rushing	6	12
By Passing	5	8
By Penalty	1	3
THIRD DOWN EFFICIENCY	5-12-42%	4-10-40%
FOURTH DOWN EFFICIENCY	0-0-0%	0-1-0%
TOTAL NET YARDS	64	227
Total Offensive Plays (inc. times thrown passing)	47	67
Average gain per offensive play	1.4	3.4
NET YARDS RUSHING	64	64
Total Rushing Plays	26	37
Average gain per rushing play	2.5	1.7
Tackles for a loss - number and yards	2-4	0-0
NET YARDS PASSING	163	224
Times thrown - yards lost attempting to pass	1-10	1-2
Gross yards passing	173	226
PASS ATTEMPTS-COMPLETIONS-HAD INTERCEPTED	20-13-0	29-17-2
Average gain per pass play (inc. # thrown passing)	7.8	7.5
KICKOFFS Number-In End Zone-Touchbacks	4-3-2	5-4-4
PUNTS Number and Average	5-48.2	3-51.0
Had Blocked	0	0
Net punting average	46.2	41.0
FGS - PATS - Had Blocked	0-0-0	0-0-0
TOTAL RETURN YARDAGE (Not including Kickoffs)	131	10
No. and Yards Kicked Returns	3-30	2-10
No. and Yards Kickoff Returns	2-10	6-60
Penalties Number and Yards	9-88	4-37
FUMBLER Number and Lost	1-0	0-0
TOUCHDOWNS	2	2
Passing	1	1
Interceptions	2	0
EXTRA POINTS Made-Attempts	2-2	2-2
Kicking Made-Attempts	2-2	2-2
FIELD GOALS Made-Attempts	2-2	2-2
RECORD: Regular Season	1-1-100%	1-5-20%
GOAL TO GO EFFICIENCY	1-1-100%	1-2-50%
SAFETIES	0	0
FINAL SCORE	17	20
TIME OF POSSESSION	26:51	33:09



The Broncos dominated on both sides of the ball to improve to 5-1 on the season with a 31-3 victory over rival Oakland in front of 62,507 at the Network Associates Coliseum.

Quarterback Jake Plummer tossed three touchdowns and Reuben Droughins rushed for 176 yards on 38 carries to pace the Denver offensive attack while the Broncos' top-ranked defense shut down the Raiders, limiting them to just 145 total yards. The Raiders scored first with a 35-yard Sebastian Janikowski field goal, which was set up after linebacker Marques Anderson intercepted a Jake Plummer pass early in the first quarter.

The Broncos responded quickly on the ensuing drive as Plummer found tight end Jeb Putzler in the end zone for a 12-yard score to give his team a 7-3 lead.

Denver wasted no time after getting the ball back at the start of the second quarter as they put together a seven-play, 80-yard drive that ended with a 10-yard touchdown pass from Plummer to tight end Dwayne Carswell.

Plummer threw his third touchdown pass of the first half, a 31-yard strike to wide receiver Ashley Lelle, with 4:03 remaining in the second quarter to give Denver a commanding 21-3 advantage.

After Jason Elam booted a 33-yard field goal increasing the Broncos lead in the third quarter, Droughins capped off the scoring with a 4-yard touchdown run, the second rushing touchdown of his career.

Plummer finished the day 11-of-20 passing for 190 yards, three touchdowns and a 106.2 passer rating, while Putzler led all receivers with three receptions for 52 yards and a touchdown in the game.

The victory, Denver's fourth consecutive of the season, also marked Denver's fourth straight win over the Raiders and bumped Mike Shanahan's record to 15-4 overall against Oakland.

OFFICIALS

Referee — Ron Winter (14); Umpire — Jeff Rice (44); Head Linesman — Tony Veleri (36); Line Judge — Tom Stephan (68); Field Judge — Greg Bautreux (80); Side Judge — Michael Banks (72); Back Judge — Perry Anganelli (46); Replay — Ken Baker

STARTING LINEUPS

Denver Broncos					Oakland Raiders				
Offense	Defense	Offense	Defense		Offense	Defense	Offense	Defense	
WR 80 R. Smith	DE 92 M. Coleman	WR 80 J. Rice	DE 98 B. Hamilton		WR 80 J. Rice	DE 98 B. Hamilton			
LT 78 M. Leppis	DE 68 M. Fatalehi	LG 73 F. Middleton	LT 65 B. Sims		LG 73 F. Middleton	LT 65 B. Sims			
LG 50 B. Hamilton	RT 75 M. Pope	RG 62 A. Treu	RT 75 M. Pope		DE 91 T. Brayton	DE 91 T. Brayton			
RG 66 T. Nalen	WR 98 R. Hayward	RB 70 B. Badger	WR 98 R. Hayward		DE 92 T. Washington	DE 92 T. Washington			
RB 62 D. Neill	OLB 52 D. Williams	RB 76 R. Gallary	OLB 52 D. Williams		OLB 59 D. Gant	OLB 59 D. Gant			
TE 72 G. Foster	MLB 56 A. Wilson	ILB 83 C. Anderson	MLB 56 A. Wilson		ILB 58 M. Harris	ILB 58 M. Harris			
TE 89 D. Carswell	SLB 59 D. Spragan	CB 24 K. Kennedy	SLB 59 D. Spragan		ILB 58 D. Clark	ILB 58 D. Clark			
TE 88 J. Putzler	LCB 24 K. Herndon	FS 34 P. Buchanan	LCB 24 K. Herndon		FS 34 P. Buchanan	FS 34 P. Buchanan			
WR 85 A. Lelle	CB 31 K. Kennedy	CB 24 C. Woodson	CB 31 K. Kennedy		CB 24 C. Woodson	CB 24 C. Woodson			
QB 16 J. Plummer	HB 28 J. Lynch		HB 28 J. Lynch						
RB 34 R. Droughins	SS 47 R. Johnson		SS 47 R. Johnson						
DENVER SUBSTITUTIONS: K 1 J. Elam, P 14 M. Jackson, WR 14 T. Luke, WR 10 T. Luke, WR 47 D. Watts, RB 22 O. Griffin, S 25 N. Ferguson, RB 26 T. Ball, CB 28 L. Walls, FR 39 K. Johnson, S 42 S. Brandon, CB 45 R. Alexander, LB 57 L. Sylvester, LB 58 T. Place, DL 61 E. Johnson, DT 65 C. Collins, TE 83 M. Leary, TE 86 P. Harper, DT 94 L. Ellis, DE 95 A. Poirier, DE 99 B. Carson, DID NOT PLAY: QB 13 D. Penell, LG 69 P. Miller, RB 92 D. Moore, RB 20 G. Hearnst, CB 23 W. Middlebrooks, S 32 C. Young, CB 40 J. Shoaie, LB 55 P. Chikwura, T 74 C. Green, DT 90 D. Holland, DE 83 T. Pryce, T 76 E. Hearnst, RB 20 G. Hearnst, S 32 C. Young, CB 40 J. Shoaie, LB 55 P. Chikwura, T 74 C. Green, DT 90 D. Holland, DE 83 T. Pryce.									

FIELD GOALS (made ___ & missed ___)
 S. Janikowski (35)

J. Elam (33)	1	2	3	4	OT	TOTAL
VISITOR	7	14	10	0	—	31
HOME	3	0	0	0	—	3

Team	Qtr	Clock	Play Description (Extra Point) (Drive Info)	Score
RAIDERS	1	7:00	S. Janikowski 35 yd. Field Goal (4-3, 1:35)	0-0
BRONCOS	1	0:58	J. Putzler 12 yd. pass from J. Plummer (J. Elam kick) (10-71, 6:02)	7-3
BRONCOS	2	8:26	D. Carswell 10 yd. pass from J. Plummer (J. Elam kick) (7-80, 3:43)	14-3
BRONCOS	2	4:03	A. Lelle 31 yd. pass from J. Plummer (J. Elam kick) (6-36, 3:02)	21-3
BRONCOS	3	11:05	J. Elam 33 yd. Field Goal (6-20, 2:46)	24-3
BRONCOS	3	2:10	R. Droughins 4 yd. run (J. Elam kick) (11-78, 6:44)	31-3

FINAL BRONCOS DEFENSIVE STATISTICS

(Based on coaches' film review)

Player	UT	A	TT	S-yds	I-yds	PD	FF	FR
D. Williams	5	3	8	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
J. Lynch	5	1	6	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
R. Hayward	3	2	5	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
D. Spragan	3	2	5	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
K. Kennedy	4	0	4	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
C. Bailey	4	0	4	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
K. Herndon	3	1	4	0-0	0-0	1	0	0
A. Wilson	2	2	4	0-0	0-0	0	0	0

FINAL INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

Denver Broncos															Oakland Raiders														
RUSHING					PASSING					KICKOFF RETURNS					RUSHING					PASSING					KICKOFF RETURNS				
A. Zeareou	15	34	2.3	0	J. Putzler	3	52	17.3	28	A. Zeareou	15	34	2.3	0	A. Zeareou	15	34	2.3	0	J. Putzler	3	52	17.3	28					
R. Droughins	38	176	4.6	22	A. Lelle	2	45	22.5	31	R. Droughins	38	176	4.6	22	R. Droughins	38	176	4.6	22	A. Lelle	2	45	22.5	31					
T. Bell	6	25	4.2	13	D. Carswell	1	28	28.0	28	R. Droughins	1	3	3.0	1	T. Bell	6	25	4.2	13	D. Carswell	1	28	28.0	28					
R. Smith	2	11.0	5.5	0	R. Smith	1	24	24.0	24	D. Carswell	1	24	24.0	24	R. Smith	2	11.0	5.5	0	R. Smith	1	24	24.0	24					
O. Griffin	4	16	4.0	9	P. Hape	1	7	7.0	7	O. Griffin	4	16	4.0	9	P. Hape	1	7	7.0	7	O. Griffin	4	16	4.0	9					
Total	51	284	5.0	22	Total	11	190	17.3	31	Total	16	31	1.9	11	Total	16	31	1.9	11	Total	11	190	17.3	31					
PUNTING					INTERCEPTIONS					PUNTING					INTERCEPTIONS														
M. Knorr	2	64	32.0	32.0	0	0	0	0	0	M. Knorr	2	64	32.0	32.0	0	0	M. Knorr	2	64	32.0	32.0	0	0	0					
Total	2	64	32.0	32.0	0	0	0	0	0	Total	2	64	32.0	32.0	0	0	Total	2	64	32.0	32.0	0	0	0					
PUNT RETURNS					KICKOFF RETURNS					PUNT RETURNS					KICKOFF RETURNS														
T. Bell	1	59	14.0	0	T. Bell	1	59	14.0	0	T. Bell	1	59	14.0	0	T. Bell	1	59	14.0	0	T. Bell	1	59	14.0	0					
K. Lynch	0	0	0	0	K. Lynch	0	0	0	0	K. Lynch	0	0	0	0	K. Lynch	0	0	0	0	K. Lynch	0	0	0	0					
K. Kennedy	0	0	0	0	K. Kennedy	0	0	0	0	K. Kennedy	0	0	0	0	K. Kennedy	0	0	0	0	K. Kennedy	0	0	0	0					
Total	1	59	14.0	0	Total	4	59	14.8	0	Total	1	59	14.0	0	Total	4	59	14.8	0	Total	1	59	14.0	0					
NET YARDS RUSHING					NET YARDS PASSING					NET YARDS RUSHING					NET YARDS PASSING														
Total	190	190	17.3	31	Total	284	284	5.0	22	Total	190	190	17.3	31	Total	284	284	5.0	22	Total	284	284	5.0	22					
NET YARDS PER PLAY					NET YARDS PER PLAY					NET YARDS PER PLAY					NET YARDS PER PLAY														
Total	5.0	5.0	17.3	31	Total	5.0	5.0	17.3	31	Total	5.0	5.0	17.3	31	Total	5.0	5.0	17.3	31	Total	5.0	5.0	17.3	31					
NET YARDS PER ATTEMPT					NET YARDS PER ATTEMPT					NET YARDS PER ATTEMPT					NET YARDS PER ATTEMPT														
Total	5.0	5.0	17.3	31	Total	5.0	5.0	17.3	31	Total	5.0	5.0	17.3	31	Total	5.0	5.0	17.3	31	Total	5.0	5.0	17.3	31					
NET YARDS PER CARRY					NET YARDS PER CARRY					NET YARDS PER CARRY					NET YARDS PER CARRY														
Total	5.0	5.0	17.3	31	Total	5.0	5.0	17.3	31	Total	5.0	5.0	17.3	31	Total	5.0	5.0	17.3	31	Total	5.0	5.0	17.3	31					

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NET YARDS PER PLAY
 Average gain per offensive play

NET YARDS PER ATTEMPT
 Average gain per rushing play

NET YARDS PER CARRY
 Average gain per pass play (inc. # thrown passing)

NET YARDS PER PLAY PER PLAY
 Gross yards passing

NET YARDS PER PLAY PER ATTEMPT
 Times thrown—yards lost attempting to pass

NET YARDS PER PLAY PER ATTEMPT
 PASS ATTEMPTS—COMPLETIONS—HAD INTERCEPTED

NET YARDS PER PLAY PER ATTEMPT
 Average gain per pass play (inc. # thrown passing)

NET YARDS PER PLAY PER ATTEMPT
 KICKOFFS Number-in End Zone-Touchbacks

NET YARDS PER PLAY PER ATTEMPT
 PUNTS Number and Average

NET YARDS PER PLAY PER ATTEMPT
 Had Blocked

NET YARDS PER PLAY PER ATTEMPT
 FGS — PATs Had Blocked

NET YARDS PER PLAY PER ATTEMPT
 Net punting average

NET YARDS PER PLAY PER ATTEMPT
 TOTAL RETURN YARDAGE (Not including Kickoffs)

NET YARDS PER PLAY PER ATTEMPT
 No. and Yards Punt Returns

NET YARDS PER PLAY PER ATTEMPT
 No. and Yards Kickoff Returns

NET YARDS PER PLAY PER ATTEMPT
 PENALTIES Number and Yards

NET YARDS PER PLAY PER ATTEMPT
 FUMBLE Number and Yards

NET YARDS PER PLAY PER ATTEMPT
 TOUCHDOWNS

NET YARDS PER PLAY PER ATTEMPT
 Rushing

NET YARDS PER PLAY PER ATTEMPT
 Passing

NET YARDS PER PLAY PER ATTEMPT
 Extra Points

NET YARDS PER PLAY PER ATTEMPT
 EXTRA POINTS Made-Attempts

NET YARDS PER PLAY PER ATTEMPT
 Kickoffs Made-Attempts

NET YARDS PER PLAY PER ATTEMPT
 FIELD GOALS Made-Attempts

NET YARDS PER PLAY PER ATTEMPT
 RED ZONE EFFICIENCY

NET YARDS PER PLAY PER ATTEMPT
 GOAL TO GO EFFICIENCY

NET YARDS PER PLAY PER ATTEMPT
 SAFETIES

NET YARDS PER PLAY PER ATTEMPT
 FINAL SCORE

NET YARDS PER PLAY PER ATTEMPT
 TIME OF POSSESSION

CINCINNATI 23, DENVER 10

Monday, Oct. 25, 2004 • 9:00 p.m. EDT • Paul Brown Stadium • Cincinnati, Ohio

Weather: 61°, Wind SE 7 mph • Attendance: 65,806 • Time: 3:10



The Broncos suffered their second loss of the season at the hands of the Cincinnati Bengals, 23-10, before a national audience on ABC's Monday Night Football and a record crowd of 65,806 at Paul Brown Stadium.

The Bengals struck first in the opening quarter when quarterback Carson Palmer found a wide open Chad Johnson for a 50-yard touchdown pass. He got so open after cornerback Champ Bailey tripped while in man coverage, freeing up the receiver on the play.

The Broncos' defense held strong in the first half despite falling behind early as they stuffed Bengals running back Rudi Johnson on a 4th-and-1 attempt on Denver's 5-yard line. Cincinnati drove into the red zone once again on their next possession, but Bailey picked off a Palmer pass intended for Johnson at the 4-yard line to halt the drive.

Unfortunately, Denver's offense was unable to capitalize on the turnover, giving the ball back to the Bengals with an interception of their own, by former Broncos cornerback Deitha O'Neal. Cincinnati made Denver pay for the turnover, as kicker Shayne Graham booted a 53-yard field goal to give the Bengals a 10-0 lead in the second quarter.

On their next drive, the Broncos capped off an eight-play, 72-yard drive with a 3-yard touchdown pass from Plummer to wide receiver Rod Smith, narrowing the Bengals' lead to 10-7.

In waning moments of the first half, running back Reuben Droughns coughed the ball up, and Cincinnati would capitalize, with a 34-yard Graham field goal to take a 13-7 advantage into the locker room.

A 29-yard field goal by kicker Jason Eam brought the Broncos to within three points in the third quarter (13-10), but Johnson's 36-yard touchdown run two drives later gave the Bengals a 20-10 lead.

Graham hit a 35-yard field goal in the fourth quarter to round out scoring, which was set up by Plummer's second interception of the game.

For the third consecutive week, Droughns eclipsed the century mark in rushing yards, racking up 110 on 24 carries (4.7). Plummer finished the game 23 of 40 passing for 221 yards and a touchdown, but threw two interceptions.

Smith—who caught five passes for 50 yards—eclipsed the 9,000 career receiving yardage mark on his second catch of the game, becoming 31st player in NFL history to achieve this mark.

OFFICIALS

Reference — Bernie Kukar (86); Umpire — Bill Schuster (129); Head Linesman — Phil McKimely (110); Line Judge — Tom Barnes (55); Field Judge — Scott Stevenson (88); Side Judge — Tom Hill (97); Back Judge — Steve Freeman (133); Replay — Dale Palmer

STARTING LINEUPS

Table showing starting lineups for Denver Broncos and Cincinnati Bengals, including Offensive, Defensive, and Special Teams rosters.

FIELD GOALS (made (___) & missed)

Table listing field goal attempts, including player names, distances, and results.

DEWNER SUBSTITUTIONS

Table listing player substitutions, including player names and positions.

FINAL BRONCOS DEFENSIVE STATISTICS

(Based on coaches' film review)

Table showing defensive statistics for the Cincinnati Bengals, including tackles, sacks, and interceptions.

FINAL INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

Main table of individual statistics for the Denver Broncos and Cincinnati Bengals, including passing, rushing, and punting stats for both teams.

FINAL TEAM STATISTICS

Summary table of final team statistics, including downs, time of possession, and yardage for both teams.

Despite a record-setting day offensively for the Broncos, the Atlanta Falcons rallied from an early 14-3 deficit to top Denver, 41-28, in front of 75,083 fans at INVESCO Field at Mile High.

The Broncos jumped out to a 7-0 lead on the game's first drive, as quarterback Jake Plummer found tight end Patrick Hape for a one-yard touchdown. After Atlanta's Jay Feely kicked a 24-yard field goal, Denver needed just one play on the ensuing drive to reach pay dirt as Plummer connected with Rod Smith for an 80-yard touchdown, the longest reception of the veteran receiver's career. The pass also tied Plummer's career-long.

The Falcons would narrow Denver's lead to 14-10 on a 21-yard touchdown run by T.J. Duckett, and after Plummer was intercepted on a tipped pass by Patrick Kerney, Vick led his team down field for a 34-yard strike to Peerless Price in the end zone to put Atlanta ahead, 17-14. Plummer's second interception, on the next drive, would yield a 43-yard field goal by Feely near the end of the first half, and a 20-14 lead.

On Atlanta's first possession of the third quarter, Broncos linbacker Al Wilson sacked Vick on a third-and-5, but the play was negated by a defensive holding call on cornerback Lemmy Walls. The drive was extended, and the Falcons capitalized with Warrick Dunn's 5-yard touchdown run, giving Atlanta a 27-14 advantage.

Following a 25-yard touchdown pass from Vick to Price to start of the fourth quarter (34-14), the Broncos closed the gap as Plummer tossed a 7-yard touchdown pass to Darius Watts. Denver had a chance to make it a one-touchdown game on its next possession, as they drove to Atlanta's 7-yard line, but Watts could not handle a Plummer pass in the end zone on fourth down, ending the Broncos hopes of a comeback.

Plummer finished the day by completing 31-of-55 passes for a career-high and Broncos' record 499 yards passing and tied his personal best with four touchdown passes, but threw three interceptions. Smith also set a career high with 208 yards receiving on nine receptions, which ranks as the franchise's second-best single game output (214 by Shannon Sharpe vs. Kansas City 10/20/02).

OFFICIALS

Referee — Terry McAulley (77); Umpire — Carl Matzen (82); Head Linesman — Kent Payne (79); Line Judge — Mark Steinbrecher (84) Field Judge — Lee Dyer (27); Side Judge — Rick Patterson (15); Back Judge — Tony Steratore (12); Replay — Bobby Skelton

STARTING LINEUPS

Atlanta Falcons			Denver Broncos		
Offense	Defense		Offense	Defense	
WR 89 D. White	RE 91 B. Smith	WR 80 R. Smith	LE 92 M. Coleman	LT 78 M. Lepsis	LB 68 M. Fatatehi
LT 76 K. Shafler	RT 95 E. Jasper	LT 78 M. Hamilton	LT 78 M. Lepsis	RT 75 M. Pope	LB 68 M. Fatatehi
LG 63 R. Garza	LG 50 A. Lake	C 66 T. McClure	LG 50 A. Lake	RE 98 R. Hayward	RB 75 M. Pope
C 62 T. McClure	LE 97 P. Kerney	OLB 54 C. Draf	RT 72 G. Foster	MLB 52 D. Williams	TE 83 A. Crumpler
RG 74 T. Weiner	MLB 54 C. Draf	TE 83 A. Crumpler	TE 89 D. Stewart	SLB 56 A. Wilson	T. Duckett
TE 83 A. Crumpler	OLB 52 M. Stewart	WR 81 P. Price	RCB 36 J. Webster	LCB 24 C. Bailey	T. Hall
WR 81 P. Price	RCB 36 J. Webster	LCB 21 D. Hall	WR 85 A. Lelle	RCB 31 K. Herndon	
QB 7 M. Vick	LCB 21 D. Hall	SS 26 S. Shabazz	SS 28 K. Kennedy	FS 47 J. Lynch	
FB 33 J. Griffith	SS 25 K. McCadam	WR 14 M. Jackson	WR 34 R. Droughins		
HB 28 W. Dunn	WR 34 R. Droughins	RB 17 D. Watts	RB 23 W. Middlebrooks		

DNENVER SUBSTITUTIONS: K 1, J. Elam, PK 4, M. Knorr, WR 14, M. Jackson, RB 17, D. Watts, CB 23, W. Middlebrooks, S 25, N. Ferguson, S 25, N. Ferguson, S 22, C. Young, CB 35, L. Walls, RB 37, C. Sapp, FB 39, K. Johnson, S 42, S. Brannon, CB 45, R. Chalkley, LB 58, T. Pierce, DL 61, E. Johnson, G/T 65, C. Carlisle, TE/LB 83, M. Leach, TE 86, P. Hape, DT 94, L. Ellis, DT 95, A. Palencq, DID NOT PLAY: QB 13, D. Kaneel, RB 20, G. Hearst, G 69, P. Alexander. **INACTIVE:** WR 10, T. Luke, RB 26, T. Bell, CB 40, J. Shoate, LB 57, J. Sikes, TE 74, C. Green, DT 90, D. Holland, DE 83, T. Pryce, DE 99, R. Johnson

J. Feely (24) (43) 49W/L

FIELD GOALS (made / missed)

Offense	1	2	3	4	OT	TOTAL
Atlanta Falcons	3	17	7	14	—	41
Denver Broncos	14	0	0	14	—	28

PLAY DESCRIPTION (Extra Point) (Drive In)

Team	Qtr	Time	Play Description	Yds	TD	FF	FR
BRONCOS	1	9:25	P. Hape 1 yd. pass from J. Plummer (J. Elam kick) (10-69, 5:35)	0	7	0	0
FALCONS	1	3:38	J. Feely 24 yd. Field Goal (10-68, 5:47)	3	3	0	0
BRONCOS	1	3:26	R. Smith 80 yd. pass from J. Plummer (J. Elam kick) (1-80, 0:12)	3	14	0	0
FALCONS	2	11:02	T. Duckett 21 yd. run (J. Feely kick) (5-60, 1:43)	10	14	0	0
FALCONS	2	3:55	P. Price 34 yd. pass from M. Vick (J. Feely kick) (10-61, 5:05)	17	14	0	0
FALCONS	2	0:19	J. Feely 43 yd. Field Goal (6-21, 0:53)	20	14	0	0
FALCONS	3	10:36	W. Dunn 5 yd. run (J. Feely kick) (7-60, 4:24)	27	14	0	0
BRONCOS	4	14:17	P. Price 25 yd. pass from M. Vick (J. Feely kick) (6-83, 2:36)	34	14	0	0
BRONCOS	4	9:28	D. Watts 7 yd. pass J. Plummer (J. Elam kick) (11-73, 4:49)	34	21	0	0
BRONCOS	4	2:20	K. Mathis 66 yd. interception return (J. Feely kick)	41	21	0	0
BRONCOS	4	0:57	A. Lelle 35 yd. pass from J. Plummer (J. Elam kick) (5-80, 1:23)	41	28	0	0

Team Totals: 53 16 69 1-5 0-0 1 2 1

FINAL BRONCOS DEFENSIVE STATISTICS

(Based on coaches' film review)

Player	A	T	S	Yds	Int	P	FF	FR
K. Kearney	8	2	10	0-0	0	0	0	0
A. Wilson	5	3	8	0-0	0	1	0	0
D. Williams	4	3	7	0-0	0	1	0	0
C. Sapp	4	3	7	0-0	0	1	0	0
D. Sprague	6	0	6	0-0	0	0	0	0
M. Fatatehi	4	0	4	1-5	0-0	0	0	0
K. Herndon	4	0	4	0-0	0	0	0	0
N. Ferguson	3	1	4	0-0	0	0	0	0

FINAL INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

Atlanta Falcons												Denver Broncos																							
RUSHING			ATT			YDS			AVG			LG			TD			RUSHING			ATT			YDS			AVG			LG			TD		
M. Vick	12	18	252	1/5	27	1/5	2	46	0	25	0	118.8	J. Plummer	55	31	499	0/0	4	80	3	88.4														
T. Duckett	8	15	45	5/6	7	86	12.3	27	0	8	208	23.1	80	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0													
W. Dunn	15	33	22	2/2	2	46	23.0	46	1	9	9	9	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0														
M. Jenkins	1	2	2.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	6	6	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0													
Total	28	64	5.4	44	2	2	138.3			19	277	14.6	46	2	55	31	499	0/0	4	80	3	88.4													

PASS RECEIVING								PASS RECEIVING													
Player	No.	Yds	AVG	LG	TD	Int	Rtg.	Player	No.	Yds	AVG	LG	TD	Int	Rtg.						
M. Vick	24	18	252	1/5	27	1/5	2	46	0	25	0	118.8	J. Plummer	55	31	499	0/0	4	80	3	88.4
T. Duckett	8	15	45	5/6	7	86	12.3	27	0	8	208	23.1	80	1	0						
W. Dunn	15	33	22	2/2	2	46	23.0	46	1	9	9	9	9	0	0						
M. Jenkins	1	2	2.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	6	6	6	0	0						
Total	28	64	5.4	44	2	2	138.3			19	277	14.6	46	2	55						

FINAL TEAM STATISTICS

TOTAL FIRST DOWNS					TOTAL NET YARDS					TOTAL NET YARDS				
By Rushing	By Passing	By Penalty	Third Down Efficiency	Fourth Down Efficiency	Total	Total	Total	Total	Total					
11	1	1	6-13-46%	1-1-100%	22	4	79	19.8	0					
11	1	1	6-13-46%	1-1-100%	22	4	79	19.8	0					

DENVER 31, HOUSTON 13

Sunday, Nov. 7, 2004 • 2:15 p.m. MST • INVESCO Field at Mile High • Denver, Colo.

Weather: Partly Cloudy, 69°, Wind S 7 mph • Attendance: 74,292 • Time: 3:12



Quarterback Jake Plummer tossed four touchdown passes for the second straight game to lead the Broncos past the Houston Texans, 31-13, before a crowd of 74,292 at INVESCO Field at Mile High.

Aside from snapping a two-game skid and improving to 6-3 on the season, the game also had historic relevance for the Broncos, as veteran wide receiver Rod Smith became Denver's all-time leader in career receptions and touchdown receptions. In the first quarter, the Broncos capped off a 99-yard scoring drive with a 34-yard touchdown pass from Plummer to tight end Jeb Putzier, his second-career touchdown.

Denver's defense held strong on the Texans' next possession, stopping David Carr's quarterback sneak on 4th-and-inches at the 50-yard-line. After the Broncos took over, Smith caught a 9-yard pass giving him 676 on his career, which moved him ahead of former tight end Shannon Sharpe for first on the all-time franchise list. Denver would capitalize on the drive, when Jason Elam hit a 52-yard field goal to give the Broncos a 10-0 lead.

On their next possession, the Broncos were pinned back on their own 16-yard line when Houston's Antwan Peek blocked a Micah Knorr punt which was recovered by Jonathan Wells and advanced to the Denver 1-yard line. Houston pulled to within 3 points (10-7) after Dominick Davis scored on a 1-yard run.

Denver responded quickly, however, as Plummer rolled out on a bootleg and found wide receiver Ashley Lelle deep for a 40-yard score, giving the Broncos a 17-7 lead.

After the Broncos defense forced Houston to punt, an unnecessary roughness penalty on the Texans gave Denver the ball at Houston's 47-yard line. Plummer led the Broncos to another touchdown late in the first half, on a 13-yard touchdown pass to Smith, and the Broncos had a 24-7 lead. It was the 56th touchdown reception of Smith's career, besting the previous Denver record of 55 also set by Sharpe.

Denver would increase its lead in the third quarter on a 23-yard touchdown pass from Plummer to fullback Kyle Johnson. The Texans added a late touchdown in the fourth quarter on Davis' second scoring run to close out the scoring.

Running back Reuben Droughins notched his fourth 100-yard rushing game of the season as he ran for 120 yards on 29 carries, and Plummer completed 16 of 24 passes for 234 yards, four touchdowns, and a season-high 137.8 passer rating.

OFFICIALS

Referee — Jeff Triplette (42); Umpire — Scott Dawson (70); Head Linesman — Ron Marinucci (107); Line Judge — Jeff Seeman (45)
Field Judge — Duke Carroll (11); Side Judge — Greg Meyer (78); Back Judge — Richard Reels (83); Replay — Mark Burns

STARTING LINEUPS

	Houston Texans	Defense	Denver Broncos	Defense	
WR	80. A. Johnson	LE	96. G. Walker	LE	92. M. Coleman
LT	78. S. Ward	NT	91. S. Payne	LT	88. M. Fatafeh
LG	69. C. Pitts	RE	99. R. Smith	RT	75. M. Pope
C	76. S. McKinney	LOB	93. J. Babin	RE	98. R. Hayward
RG	72. Z. Wiegert	MLB	55. J. Sharpe	CB	23. W. Middlebrooks
RT	71. T. Wade	BLB	56. J. Foreman	MLB	56. D. Neel
TE	87. M. Brenner	ROLB	52. K. Wong	SLB	59. D. Spragan
WR	86. J. Gaffney	LCB	31. A. Glenn	LCB	24. C. Bailey
WR	85. C. Bradford	RCB	23. D. Robinson	RCB	31. K. Herndon
QB	8. D. Carr	SS	24. E. Brown	SS	28. K. Kennedy
HB	37. D. Davis	FS	42. M. Coleman	FS	25. N. Ferguson

DENVER SUBSTITUTIONS: K. J. Elam, P/K 4. M. Knorr, WR 14. N. Jackson, WR 17. D. Watts, RB 26. T. Bell, S 32. C. Young, CB 35. L. Wells, RB 39. K. Johnson, S 42. S. Brandon, CB 48. R. Alexander, LB 82. D. Williams, LB 85. P. Chukwurah, LB 95. T. Pierce, DT 61. E. Johnson, OT 69. C. Carlisle, TE 83. M. Leach, TE 86. F. Hape, DT 96. A. Palepoi, **DO NOT PLAY:** CB 13. D. Kariell, G 69. P. Alexander
INACTIVE: WR 10. T. Luke, CB 40. J. Shudde, S 47. J. Sikes, T 74. C. Green, DT 90. D. Holland, DE 93. T. Pryce, DE 99. R. Johnson

K. Brown	37MR	FIELD GOALS (made (___) & missed)	J. Elam	(52)			
VISITOR	Houston Texans	1	2	3	4	OT	TOTAL
HOME	Denver Broncos	0	7	0	6	0	13
		7	17	7	0	—	31

Team	Qtr	Clock	PLAY DESCRIPTION (Extra Point) (Drive Info)	Victor	Home	SCORE
BRONCOS	1	1:51	J. Putzier 24 yd. pass from J. Plummer (J. Elam kick) (7-90, 3:35)			0-0
BRONCOS	2	9:52	J. Elam 52-yd. Field Goal (7-6, 3:19)			0-0
BRONCOS	2	5:12	A. Lelle 40 yd. pass from J. Plummer (J. Elam kick) (1-1, 0:04)			7-10
BRONCOS	2	1:52	R. Smith 13 yd. pass from J. Plummer (J. Elam kick) (6-80, 3:20)			7-17
BRONCOS	2	0:32	R. Smith 13 yd. pass from J. Plummer (J. Elam kick) (6-53, 0:53)			7-24
BRONCOS	3	11:07	K. Johnson 23 yd. pass from J. Plummer (J. Elam kick) (7-80, 3:53)			7-31
TEXANS	4	6:53	D. Davis 1 yd. run (pass failed) (10-80, 3:48)			13-31

FINAL BRONCOS DEFENSIVE STATISTICS

(Based on coaches' film review)

Player	UT	A	TT	S-yds	I-yds	PD	FF	FR	TEAM TOTALS					
									A	TT	S-yds	I-yds	PD	FF
K. Herndon	9	0	9	1-5	0-0	0	0	0	2	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
A. Wilson	6	3	9	0-0	0-0	1	0	0	2	1-3	0-0	0	0	0
R. Hayward	1	1	6	1-3	0-0	0	0	0	1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
K. Kennedy	5	1	6	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	1	1-6	0-0	0	0	0
D. Williams	4	2	6	0-0	0-0	1	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
C. Bailey	5	0	5	0-0	0-0	1	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
N. Ferguson	4	0	4	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	1	1-0	0-0	0	0	0
D. Spragan	2	2	4	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	1	0	0
L. Walls	2	1	3	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	4-17	0-0	0
Team Totals	49	12	61	4-17	0-0	4	0	0						

FINAL INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

Houston Texans														Denver Broncos																
RUSHING					PASSING					TKO/INT				RUSHING					PASSING					TKO/INT						
ATT	YDS	AVG	LG	TD	ATT	YDS	AVG	LG	TD	ATT	CMP	YDS	TD	LG	IN	REG.	ATT	CMP	YDS	TD	LG	IN	REG.	ATT	YDS	AVG	LG	TD		
19	21	1.1	13	0	41	22	4/17	0	44	0	24	16	234	1/9	4	40	24	16	234	1/9	4	40	137.8	29	120	4.1	11	0		
D. Willis	15	7.5	13	0	D. Carr	22	4/17	0	44	0	J. Plummer	24	16	234	1/9	4	J. Plummer	24	16	234	1/9	4	40	137.8	R. Droughins	10	10	1.0	10	0
T. Hollings	2	1.0	13	0	C. Staley	6	46.7	43.7	0	3	57	M. Fatafeh	1	0	0.0	0	M. Fatafeh	1	0	0.0	0	0	0	G. Hearst	5	13	2.6	4	0	
D. Carr	5	10	2.0	0	Total	6	280	46.7	43.7	0	3	57	R. Hayward	2	0	0.0	0	R. Hayward	2	0	0.0	0	0	D. Watts	1	4	4.0	4	0	
J. Wells	1	7	7.0	0	Total	6	280	46.7	43.7	0	3	57	W. Middlebrooks	2	0	0.0	0	W. Middlebrooks	2	0	0.0	0	0	J. Plummer	1	2	2.0	2	0	
Total	27	103	3.8	13	Total	6	280	46.7	43.7	0	3	57	Total	6	207	41.4	32.2	1	2	52	Total	36	139	3.9	11	0				

PASSING RECEIVING					PASS RECEIVING					
NO	YDS	AVG	LG	TD	NO	YDS	AVG	LG	TD	
6	86	14.3	28	0	4	81	20.3	40	1	
6	84	14.0	44	0	K. Johnson	3	46	15.3	23	1
3	28	9.3	13	0	R. Smith	3	29	9.7	13	1
3	16	5.3	3	0	J. Putzier	2	48	24.0	34	1
2	19	9.5	10	0	D. Carswell	2	19	9.5	15	0
1	7	7.0	7	0	R. Droughins	1	6	6.0	6	0
1	5	5.0	5	0	D. Watts	1	5	5.0	5	0
22	245	11.1	44	0	Total	16	234	14.6	40	4

PUNTING					PUNTS RETURNED					
NO	YDS	AVG	FC	LG	NO	YDS	AVG	FC	LG	
6	280	46.7	43.7	0	3	57	19.7	0	21	0
J. Moses	3	4	-1.3	0	2	18	9.0	2	9	0
D. Robinson	0	-2	0.0	0	2	0	0.0	0	0	0
J. Elam	1	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0
0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0
3	57	19.7	0	21	0	0	0.0	0	0	0

KICKOFF RETURNS					KICKOFF RETURNS					
NO	YDS	AVG	FC	LG	NO	YDS	AVG	FC	LG	
3	59	19.7	0	21	0	0	0.0	0	0	0
J. Moses	3	59	19.7	0	21	0	0.0	0	0	0
0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0
0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0

FUMBLES					FUMBLES					
Fum	Lost	Rec.	Yds	TD	Fum	Lost	Rec.	Yds	TD	
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

FINAL TEAM STATISTICS

Houston Texans					Denver Broncos				
ATT	YDS	AVG	LG	TD	ATT	YDS	AVG	LG	TD
19	21	1.1	13	0	29	120	4.1	11	0
2	15	7.5	13	0	5	13	2.6	4	0
5	10	2.0	3	0	4	4	1.0	4	0
1	7	7.0	7	0	1	2	2.0	2	0
27	103	3.8	13	13	36	139	3.9	11	0

PUNTING					PUNTS RETURNED					
NO	YDS	AVG	FC	LG	NO	YDS	AVG	FC	LG	
6	280	46.7	43.7	0	3	57	19.7	0	21	0
J. Moses	3	4	-1.3	0	2	18	9.0	2	9	0
D. Robinson	0	-2	0.0	0	2	0	0.0	0	0	0
J. Elam	1	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0
0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0
3	57	19.7	0	21	0	0	0.0	0	0	0

KICKOFF RETURNS					KICKOFF RETURNS					
NO	YDS	AVG	FC	LG	NO	YDS	AVG	FC	LG	
3	59	19.7	0	21	0	0	0.0	0	0	0
J. Moses	3	59	19.7	0	21	0	0.0	0	0	0
0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0
0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0

FUMBLES					FUMBLES					
Fum	Lost	Rec.	Yds	TD	Fum	Lost	Rec.	Yds	TD	
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

NET YARDS PASSING					NET YARDS RUSHING				
Yds	Loss	Number	Yds	TD	Yds	Loss	Number	Yds	TD
245	0	22	245	0	103	0	27	103	0
32	0	3	25	0	27	0	3	27	0
32	0	3	25	0	27	0	3	27	0
32	0	3	25	0	27	0	3	27	0
32	0	3	25	0	27	0	3	27	0

NET YARDS RUSHING					NET YARDS RUSHING				
Yds	Loss	Number	Yds	TD	Yds	Loss	Number	Yds	TD
103	0	27	103	0	103	0	27	103	0
27	0	3	27	0	27	0	3	27	0
27	0	3	27	0	27	0	3	27	0
27	0	3	27	0	27	0	3	27	0
27	0	3	27	0	27	0	3	27	0

NET YARDS PASSING					NET YARDS RUSHING				
Yds	Loss	Number	Yds	TD	Yds	Loss	Number	Yds	TD
245	0	22	245	0	103	0	27	103	0
32	0	3	25	0	27	0	3	27	0
32	0	3	25	0	27	0	3	27	0
32	0	3	25	0	27	0	3	27	0
32	0	3	25	0	27	0	3	27	0

NET YARDS RUSHING					NET YARDS RUSHING				
Yds	Loss	Number	Yds	TD	Yds	Loss	Number	Yds	TD
103	0	27	103	0	103	0	27	103	0
27	0	3	27	0	27	0	3	27	0
27	0	3	27	0	27	0	3	27	0
27	0	3	27	0	27	0	3	27	0
27	0	3	27	0	27	0	3	27	0

NET YARDS PASSING					NET YARDS RUSHING				
Yds	Loss	Number	Yds	TD	Yds	Loss	Number	Yds	TD
245	0	22	245	0	103	0	27	103	0
32	0	3	25	0	27	0	3	27	0
32	0	3	25	0	27	0	3	27	0
32	0	3	25	0	27	0	3	27	0
32	0	3	25	0	27	0	3	27	0

NET YARDS RUSHING					NET YARDS RUSHING				
Yds	Loss	Number	Yds	TD	Yds	Loss	Number	Yds	TD
103									



OAKLAND 25, DENVER 24

Sunday, Nov. 28, 2004 • 6:30 p.m. MST • INVESCO Field at Mile High • Denver, Colo.

Weather: Snow/Fog, 18°, Wind N 7 mph • **Attendance:** 75,936 • **Time:** 3:23

On a snowy, frigid evening at INVESCO Field at Mile High, Oakland rallied from an 11-point deficit in the fourth quarter to send the Broncos to a 25-24 defeat in front of a national-television audience on ESPN's *Sunday Night Football* and 75,936 fans. The Broncos had a chance to win the game after Jake Plummer drove his team downfield in the final minutes of the contest, but a 43-yard Jason Elam field goal attempt was blocked by tackle Langston Walker to seal the victory for Oakland.

Ahead 3-0 in the second quarter, Plummer found wide receiver Rod Smith deep for an 85-yard touchdown pass, giving Denver a 10-0 lead. It marked the eighth-longest pass play in Broncos history, and set career-highs in yardage for both players. Oakland rebounded quickly as Doug Gabriel returned the kickoff to the Raiders 49-yard line, setting up a 42-yard touchdown pass from Kerry Collins to wide receiver Jerry Porter with just 23 seconds remaining in the half.

Oakland capitalized off a Reuben Droughnins fumble at the start of the second half with a 14-yard touchdown pass from Collins to Porter, and took a 13-10 lead. Denver regained control of the game in the fourth quarter, as Plummer found wide receiver Ashley Lelie for a 57-yard strike which set up a Droughnins 3-yard touchdown run, putting the Broncos ahead 17-13. The Broncos upped their lead on Oakland's next drive, as defensive tackle Monsanto Pope tipped a Collins pass at the line of scrimmage which was intercepted by Ellis Johnson, who returned it 32 yards for the score.

With the Broncos holding a 24-13 advantage with six minutes remaining in the game, the Raiders mounted a comeback beginning with a 6-yard touchdown pass from Collins to Ronald Curry, bringing Oakland within five after missing a two-point conversion attempt.

After a 63-yard pass from Collins to Curry brought the Raiders to the Denver 10-yard line, they would take the lead on Porter's third touchdown reception of the game, a five-yard pass from Collins on 4th-and-goal from the 5-yard line with 1:49 left to play in the game.

Down by one, Plummer completed passes of 16, 14, and 12 yards to set up a 43-yard field goal attempt by Elam, but Oakland's Langston Walker batted down the kick to end Denver's comeback hopes.

Droughnins finished the game with 102 yards rushing on 28 attempts, his sixth 100-yard game in the past seven, while Plummer completed 14-of-23 passes for 245 yards with a touchdown and an interception.

OFFICIALS

Referee — Mike Carey (94); **Umpire** — Dan Ferrell (64); **Head Linesman** — Steve Stieljes (22); **Line Judge** — Mark Periman (9); **Field Judge** — Buddy Horton (82); **Side Judge** — Tom Fincien (47); **Back Judge** — Keith Ferguson (61); **Replay** — Tommy Moore

STARTING LINEUPS

Oakland Raiders				Denver Broncos			
Offense		Defense		Offense		Defense	
WR 89	R. Curry	DE 98	R. Smith	WR 80	M. Coleman	LE 92	M. Lapsus
TE 86	B. Williams	DT 92	T. Washington	LT 78	M. Leaps	RT 68	M. Fatatehi
LG 70	B. Sims	DE/DT 99	W. Saap	LG 50	B. Hamilton	RE 75	M. Pope
LG 70	B. Sims	OLB 91	T. Brayton	CE 66	T. Nalen	MLB 98	R. Hayward
CB 62	A. Treu	OLB 21	N. Asomugha	DE 66	D. Neil	MLB 56	A. Wilson
RB 44	J. Groves	ILB 55	D. Clark	SLB 72	G. Foster	SLB 59	D. Spargan
RB 44	J. Groves	TE 89	D. Carswell	CB 35	L. Walker	CB 35	L. Walker
RB 44	J. Groves	RB 24	C. Woodson	RCB 24	C. Bailey	RCB 24	C. Bailey
WR 84	J. Porter	WR 17	J. Plummer	WR 17	D. Watts	WR 17	D. Watts
WR 84	J. Porter	WR 17	J. Plummer	SS 25	K. Kennedy	SS 25	K. Kennedy
QB 5	K. Collins	QB 16	J. Plummer	FS 28	N. Ferguson	FS 28	N. Ferguson
QB 5	K. Collins	QB 16	J. Plummer	FS 28	N. Ferguson	FS 28	N. Ferguson

DEWIER SUBSTITUTIONS: K 1 J. Elam, P/K 4 M. Kroer, WR 10 T. Luke, WR 14 N. Jackson, RB 20 G. Hearst, CB 23 W. Middlebrooks, S 25 N. Ferguson, RB 26 T. Bell, FB 30 K. Johnson, S 42 S. Brandon, CB 45 R. Alexander, LB 52 D. Williams, LB 55 P. Chukwurah, LB 58 T. Pierce, DT 61 E. Johnson, DT 65 C. Carlisle, TE/LB 83 M. Leach, TE 86 P. Hays, TE 91 J. Puzitzer, DT 95 A. Pelebot, DE 99 J. Johnson, **DNB** 13 D. Knebel, G 69 P. Alexander

INACTIVE: S 32 C. Young, RB 37 C. Saap, CB 40 J. Shvate, LB 57 J. Sykes, T 74 C. Green, DT 90 D. Holland, DE 93 T. Pryce, DT 94 L. Elites

S. Janikowski 48WR (32, 43B)

Team	OT	1	2	3	4	OT	TOTAL
Oakland Raiders	0	0	7	6	12	—	25
Denver Broncos	0	0	10	0	14	—	24

Team	Otr	Clck	Time	PLAY DESCRIPTION (Extra Point) (Drive Info)				SCORE	
				FF	PD	FF	Home	Visitor	Home
BRONCOS	2	1:55	J. Elam 32 yd. Field Goal (9-48, 5:00)	0	3				
BRONCOS	2	0:44	R. Smith 85 yd. pass from J. Plummer (J. Elam kick) (2-38, 0:18)	0	10				
RAIDERS	3	12:50	J. Porter 14 yd. pass from K. Collins (S. Janikowski kick) (3-51, 0:28)	7	10				
BRONCOS	4	14:26	J. Porter 14 yd. pass from K. Collins (kick blocked) (2-36, 0:46)	13	10				
BRONCOS	4	13:26	R. Droughnins 3 yd. run (J. Elam kick) (6-83, 3:16)	13	17				
RAIDERS	4	6:11	R. Curry 6 yd. pass from K. Collins (pass failed) (4-41, 1:49)	13	24				
RAIDERS	4	1:49	J. Porter 5 yd. pass from K. Collins (pass failed) (6-82, 1:48)	19	24				
				37	47	1-5	2-34	9	1

FINAL BRONCOS DEFENSIVE STATISTICS

(Based on coaches' film review)

Player	UT	A	TT	S-yds	I-yds	PD	FF	FR	FF	FR
K. Herndon	6	2	8	0-0	0-0	2	1	0	0	0
A. Wilson	5	3	8	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0
D. Williams	5	2	7	0-0	0-0	1	0	0	0	0
J. Lynch	3	1	4	0-0	1-2	1	0	0	0	0
R. Hayward	3	0	3	1-5	0-0	1	0	0	0	0
M. Coleman	3	0	3	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0
D. Spargan	2	0	2	0-0	0-0	1	0	0	0	0
W. Middlebrooks	2	0	2	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0
Team Totals				37	10	47	1-5	2-34	9	1

FINAL INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

Oakland Raiders													Denver Broncos												
RUSHING	ATT	YDS	TD	LG	AVG	LG	TD	RUSHING	ATT	YDS	TD	LG	AVG	LG	TD										
J. Wheatley	8	34	4.3	18	0	0	0	R. Droughnins	28	102	3.6	16	1	1	1										
J. Redmond	3	16	5.3	9	0	0	0	J. Plummer	5	18	3.6	12	0	0	0										
K. Collins	3	7	2.3	4	0	0	0	G. Hearst	1	2	2.0	2	0	0	0										
A. Zereoue	1	4	4.0	4	0	0	0																		
J. Fargas	3	6	2.0	3	0	0	0																		
Total	18	61	3.3	18	0	0	0	Total	34	122	3.6	16	1	1	1										

PASSING	ATT	CMP	YDS	TD	LG	INT	Rtg.	PASSING	ATT	CMP	YDS	TD	LG	INT	Rtg.	
K. Collins	45	26	339	1/5	4	63	2	92.7	J. Plummer	23	14	245	0/0	1	85	1
Total	45	26	339	1/5	4	63	2	92.7	Total	23	14	245	0/0	1	85	1

PASS RECEIVING	NO	YDS	AVG	FC	LG	TD	PASS RECEIVING	NO	YDS	AVG	FC	LG	TD
J. Porter	6	135	22.5	52	3	3	A. Lelie	4	80	20.0	57	0	0
R. Curry	6	110	18.3	63	1	1	R. Smith	2	99	49.5	85	1	1
D. Gabriel	4	51	12.8	22	0	0	D. Watts	2	27	13.5	19	0	0
J. Fargas	4	15	3.8	9	0	0	J. Puzitzer	2	8	4.0	5	0	0
J. Wheatley	2	12	6.0	11	0	0	D. Carswell	1	18	18.0	18	0	0
J. Redmond	2	2	1.0	1	0	0	R. Droughnins	1	12	12.0	12	0	0
D. Jolley	1	9	9.0	9	0	0	D. Watts	1	6	6.0	6	0	0
A. Zereoue	1	9	9.0	9	0	0	R. Droughnins	1	5	5.0	5	0	0
Total	26	339	13.0	63	4	4	Total	14	245	17.5	85	1	1

PUNTING	NO	YDS	AVG	NET	LG	INT	PUNTING	NO	YDS	AVG	NET	LG	INT
S. Leichter	6	281	46.8	33.2	3	3	M. Kroer	7	292	36.0	34.6	0	2
Total	6	281	46.8	33.2	3	3	Total	7	292	36.0	34.6	0	2

POINT RETURNS	NO	YDS	AVG	FC	LG	TD	POINT RETURNS	NO	YDS	AVG	FC	LG	TD
R. Droughnins	3	10	3.3	0	16	0	R. Droughnins	1	2	2.0	1	2	0
J. Porter	3	10	3.3	0	16	0	D. Carswell	1	0	0.0	0	0	0
J. Fargas	1	0	0.0	0	0	0	R. Droughnins	1	0	0.0	0	0	0
Total	3	10	3.3	0	16	0	Total	3	2	2.0	1	2	0

KICKOFF RETURNS	NO	YDS	AVG	FC	LG	TD	KICKOFF RETURNS	NO	YDS	AVG	FC	LG	TD
D. Gabriel	3	82	27.3	0	41	0	R. Alexander	4	85	21.3	0	24	0
J. Redmond	2	50	25.0	0	31	0	D. Carswell	1	0	0.0	0	0	
Total	5	132	26.4	0	41	0	Total	4	85	21.3	0	24	

Oakland Raiders	Own	Opp.	Out	Oakland Raiders	Own	Opp.	Out
FUMBLES	1	0	1	FUMBLES	1	0	1
Fum Lost	0	0	0	Fum Lost	0	0	0
Rec.	1	0	0	Rec.	1	0	0
Ret.	0	0	0	Ret.	0	0	0
Yds	0	0	0	Yds	0	0	0
TD	0	0	0	TD	0	0	0
Bnds	0	0	0	Bnds	0	0	0

Oakland Raiders	Own	Opp.	Out	Oakland Raiders	Own	Opp.	Out
FUMBLES	1	0	1	FUMBLES	1	0	1
Fum Lost	0	0	0	Fum Lost	0	0	0
Rec.	1	0	0	Rec.	1	0	0
Ret.	0	0	0	Ret.	0	0	0
Yds	0	0	0	Yds	0	0	0
TD	0	0	0	TD	0	0	0
Bnds	0	0	0	Bnds	0	0	0

FINAL TEAM STATISTICS

TEAM FIRST DOWNS	BY RUSHING	BY PASSING	BY PENALTY	THIRD DOWN EFFICIENCY	FOURTH DOWN EFFICIENCY	TOTAL NET YARDS	Total Offensive Plays (inc. times thrown passing)	Total Defensive Plays	Average gain per rushing play	Tackles for a loss - number and yards	Times thrown - yards lost attempting to pass	PASS ATTEMPTS-COMPLETIONS-HAD INTERCEPTED	Yards per pass play (inc. # thrown passing)	KICKOFFS	NET YARDS-PUSHING	Total Rushing Plays	Average gain per rushing play	Tackles for a loss - number and yards	Times thrown - yards lost attempting to pass	Gross yards passing	PASS ATTEMPTS-COMPLETIONS-HAD INTERCEPTED	Yards per pass play (inc. # thrown passing)	KICKOFFS	NET YARDS-PUSHING	Total Rushing Plays	Average gain per rushing play	Tackles for a loss - number and yards	Times thrown - yards lost attempting to pass
19	3	13	3	3-12.5%	1-2.50%	367	57	64	6.4	61	122	34	3.4	3.4	18	34	3.4	3.4	1.5	245	45-26-2	23-14-1	5-2-3	5-10	18	3.4	3.4	1.5
16	3	13	3	2-11.8%	0-0.0%	367	57	64	6.4	61	122	34	3.4	3.4	18	34	3.4	3.4	1.5	245	45-26-2	23-14-1	5-2-3	5-10	18	3.4	3.4	1.5

VISITOR RAIDERS	Oakland Raiders
19	19
3	3
13	13
3	3
3-12.5%	3-12.5%
1-2.50%	1-2.50%
367	367
57	57
64	64
6.4	6.4
61	61
122	122
34	34
3.4	3.4
3.4	3.4
1.5	1.5
245	245



Weather: 59°, Drizzle, Wind WSW 9 mph • Attendance: XX,XXX • Time: 3:23

The Broncos committed four costly turnovers and fell just short of a fourth-quarter comeback in a 20-17 loss to the San Diego Chargers at Qualcomm Stadium in San Diego, Calif.

The Chargers took a 7-0 lead early in the first quarter after a Plummer pass bounced off the hands of tight end Jeb Putzier and into those of cornerback Drayton Florence. San Diego capitalized on the interception by driving 43 yards on four plays, capped off by a 5-yard LaDainian Tomlinson touchdown run.

Near the end of the first quarter, Broncos cornerback Kelly Herndon knocked the ball loose from the grasp of San Diego wide receiver Eric Parker and defensive end Marco Coleman jumped on it for the recovery. The turnover set up a 16-yard touchdown run by rookie running back Tatum Bell—the first of his career—to tie the score at 7-7.

San Diego regained the lead on a 1-yard touchdown run by Tomlinson, and then added three more points on a Nate Kaeding 23-yard field goal after a Plummer pass was batted down and intercepted by Shaun Phillips at the Denver 17-yard line.

Down 20-7 entering the fourth quarter, a 45-yard pass from quarterback Jake Plummer to wide receiver Rod Smith highlighted a six-play, 65-yard drive that culminated in a 4-yard touchdown run by Reuben Droughins.

Jason Elam kicked a 31-yard field goal on Denver's next drive to bring the Broncos within three points (20-17) with just under 10 minutes remaining in the contest.

After Denver's defense forced the Chargers to punt, Plummer drove the team down the field and Droughins rushed up the middle for 4 yards on 3rd-and-3 to set up 1st-and-goal on the San Diego 7-yard line with 3:45 remaining. Plummer floated a pass high in the air for Smith on a fade to the left side of the end zone, but the ball was deflected in the air and picked off by San Diego's Jerry Wilson. Denver got one final possession late in the fourth quarter and drove to San Diego's 36-yard line before time expired, eliminating the Broncos' chances for a comeback win.

Denver's Ashley Lelie led all receivers with four catches for 105 yards on the day, the fourth 100-yard game of his career.

OFFICIALS

Referee — Ron Winter (14); Umpire — Jeff Rice (44); Head Linesman — Tony Velez (36); Line Judge — Tom Stephan (68); Field Judge — Greg Gautreaux (80); Side Judge — Michael Banks (72); Back Judge — Perry Paganelli (46); Replay — Ken Baker

STARTING LINEUPS

Table with columns for Denver Broncos and San Diego Chargers, listing players and their positions (Offense, Defense, Special Teams).

FIELD GOALS (made) & missed

Table showing field goal attempts by player (J. Elam, N. Kaeding) and the result (made or missed).

Table with columns for Team, Clock, and Play Description (Drive Info) for both Denver Broncos and San Diego Chargers.

FINAL BRONCOS DEFENSIVE STATISTICS

(Based on coaches' film review)

Table with columns for Player, UT, A, TT, S-yds, I-yds, PD, FF, FR, I-yds, S-yds, PD, FF, FR, Team Totals.

FINAL INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

Table with columns for Rushing, Passing, and Punting for Denver Broncos and San Diego Chargers.

Table with columns for Punting, Kickoff Returns, Punt Returns, and Fumbles for Denver Broncos and San Diego Chargers.

Table with columns for Punting, Kickoff Returns, Punt Returns, and Fumbles for Denver Broncos and San Diego Chargers.

FINAL TEAM STATISTICS

Table with columns for Total First Downs, Total Yards, Net Yards Rushing, Net Yards Passing, Total Offensive Plays, and various efficiency metrics for both teams.



DENVER 20. MIAMI 17

Sunday, Dec. 12, 2004 • 2:05 p.m. MST • INVESCO Field at Mile High • Denver, Colo.

Weather: Partly Cloudy, 37°, Wind E 8 mph • Attendance: 75,027 • Time: 3:12

Kicker Jason Elam's 50-yard field goal in the game's final minutes lifted the Broncos to a 20-17 victory over the Miami Dolphins before a crowd of 75,027 at INVESCO Field at Mile High.

The Broncos, who improved to 8-5 on the season with the win, amassed 415 yards of total offense, including 196 yards on the ground, while limiting Miami to 214 yards total.

Late in the first quarter, the Dolphins capitalized on a Jake Plummer interception when quarterback A.J. Feeley hit Marty Booker for an 8-yard touchdown. Denver tied the game early in the second quarter on a 7-yard touchdown run by rookie Tatum Bell, who finished the game with 123 yards rushing on 17 carries, the first 100-yard performance of his career.

Feeley drove Miami back down the field on the ensuing drive and found tight end Randy McMichael for a 21-yard gain to set up an 11-yard touchdown run by running back Sammy Morris.

With less than two minutes left in the half, Plummer completed three consecutive passes to move the Broncos down to the 11-yard line. Bell scored his second touchdown of the game (third of his career) on the next play with an 11-yard run that knotted the game at 14-14.

After inbacker Al Wilson intercepted a pass by Feeley on the first play of the second half, Elam hit a field goal from 20 yards out to give the Broncos the lead. Dolphins kicker Olindo Mare returned the favor with a 32-yard field goal later in the third quarter to tie the contest at 17.

The teams traded possessions until late in the fourth quarter when Reuben Droughins came up big with a 21-yard run that put Denver on Miami's 34-yard line. The run set the stage for Elam, as he knocked the ball through the uprights for the 16th game-winning field goal of his career with 2:55 remaining.

Miami had once last chance, and on a 4th-and-3 at the Dolphins' 39-yard line Broncos cornerback Kelly Herndon knocked a Feeley pass down and Denver would run the clock out to secure the win.

Bell had a breakout game despite leaving early with a separated left shoulder, posting 123 yards on 17 carries and the two touchdowns. Droughins finished with 62 yards on 18 carries and Rod Smith led all receivers with eight catches for 97 yards.

OFFICIALS

Referee — Walt Coleman (65); Umpire — Carl Paganelli (124); Head Linesman — Ron Phares (10); Line Judge — Jerome Boger (109); Field Judge — Steve Zimmer (33); Side Judge — David Wyant (16); Back Judge — Greg Steed (12); Replay — Bob McGrath

STARTING LINEUPS

Table with columns for Miami Dolphins and Denver Broncos, listing offense and defense players and their positions.

DENER SUBSTITUTIONS: K J. Elam, PK J. Elam, WR 10 T. Luke, WR 17 D. Watts, CB 23 M. Middlebrooks, S 25 N. Ferguson, RB 26 T. Bell, S 32 C. Young, RB 37 C. Sapp, FB 39 K. Johnson, LB 45 R. Alexander, LB 53 L. Green, LB 58 T. Pierce, DT 61 E. Johnson, G 62 D. Neil, WR 81 C. Adams, TE 83 M. Leach, TE 88 J. Puzler, DT 95 A. Palepoi, DE R. Johnson, DID NOT PLAY: QB 13 D. Kamei, G 69 P. Alexander, I/M-C/TIME: RB 20 G. Hearst, CB 40 J. Sheate, S 42 S. Brandon, LB 57 J. Sykes, T 74 C. Green, DT 90 D. Holland, DE 93 T. Pryce, DT 94 L. Elliss

FIELD GOALS (made ___ & missed)

Table showing field goal attempts for Miami Dolphins and Denver Broncos, including player names and yardages.

Table showing play descriptions for Miami Dolphins and Denver Broncos, including drive information and play results.

FINAL BRONCOS DEFENSIVE STATISTICS

(Based on coaches' film review)

Table with columns for Player, A, TT, S-yds, 1-yds, PD, FF, FR, UT, A, TT, S-yds, 1-yds, PD, FF, FR, Team Totals.

FINAL INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

Miami Dolphins

Table showing rushing statistics for Miami Dolphins: RUSHING, PASSING, PASS RECEIVING, INTERCEPTIONS, PUNTING, PUNT RETURNS, KICKOFF RETURNS.

Table showing rushing statistics for Denver Broncos: RUSHING, PASSING, PASS RECEIVING, INTERCEPTIONS, PUNTING, PUNT RETURNS, KICKOFF RETURNS.

Table showing rushing statistics for Miami Dolphins: RUSHING, PASSING, PASS RECEIVING, INTERCEPTIONS, PUNTING, PUNT RETURNS, KICKOFF RETURNS.

Table showing rushing statistics for Denver Broncos: RUSHING, PASSING, PASS RECEIVING, INTERCEPTIONS, PUNTING, PUNT RETURNS, KICKOFF RETURNS.

Table showing rushing statistics for Miami Dolphins: RUSHING, PASSING, PASS RECEIVING, INTERCEPTIONS, PUNTING, PUNT RETURNS, KICKOFF RETURNS.

Table showing rushing statistics for Denver Broncos: RUSHING, PASSING, PASS RECEIVING, INTERCEPTIONS, PUNTING, PUNT RETURNS, KICKOFF RETURNS.

Table showing rushing statistics for Miami Dolphins: RUSHING, PASSING, PASS RECEIVING, INTERCEPTIONS, PUNTING, PUNT RETURNS, KICKOFF RETURNS.

Table showing rushing statistics for Denver Broncos: RUSHING, PASSING, PASS RECEIVING, INTERCEPTIONS, PUNTING, PUNT RETURNS, KICKOFF RETURNS.

FINAL TEAM STATISTICS

Large table comparing team statistics for Miami Dolphins and Denver Broncos across various categories like Rushing, Passing, Receiving, etc.



Weather: 15°; Clear, Wind NE 10 mph • Attendance: 77,702 • Time: 3:15

The Denver Broncos dropped to 8-6 after a 45-17 loss to the Kansas City Chiefs in front of 77,702 at Arrowhead Stadium. Kansas City came on strong right out of gate, as Dante Hall took the opening kickoff 97-yards for a touchdown, and Chiefs running back Larry Johnson put his team ahead 14-0 with a 5-yard touchdown run to cap off an 87-yard drive.

The Broncos got on the board at the end of the first quarter, when quarterback Jake Plummer found wide receiver Rod Smith for a 22-yard touchdown. Denver got the ball back and began driving down for a potential tying touchdown, but Plummer was intercepted by Dexter McCleon, his first of two interceptions.

The Chiefs capitalized when Trent Green hit wide receiver Eddie Kennison for a 7-yard score, and Kansas City followed that with a 32-yard touchdown scamper by Johnson, giving the Chiefs a commanding 28-7 second-quarter lead. Denver would pull to within 28-10 on a 27-yard field goal by Jason Elam to end the first half.

Two touchdown passes by Green early in the third quarter capped off drives of 90 and 99 yards for the Kansas City offense, giving the Chiefs a 42-10 lead. Denver's only points of the second half came on a 4-yard touchdown by running back Garrison Hearst. Smith, who paced Denver receivers with six catches for 75 yards, became just the 20th receiver in NFL history to reach 700-career receptions, and moved into 20th place all-time in NFL history in receptions. Tatum Bell led the Broncos in rushing with 50 yards on nine carries while Plummer completed 23-of-41 passes for 292 yards. Both teams amassed over 400 yards of total offense for the game.

OFFICIALS

Referee — Tony Corrente (99); **Umpire** — Darrell Jenkins (76); **Head Linesman** — John McGrath (120); **Line Judge** — Ron Blum (7); **Field Judge** — Craig Wroblestad (89); **Side Judge** — Doug Toole (4); **Back Judge** — Don Carey (126); **Replay** — Bob Maitooth

STARTING LINEUPS

Denver Broncos

Offense	Defense
WR 80 R. Smith	WR 82 D. Hall
LT 78 M. Lepsis	LT 77 W. Roaf
LG 50 B. Hamilton	LG 54 B. Waters
C 66 T. Nalen	RE 69 J. Allen
RG 65 C. Carlisle	RT 75 L. Dalton
RT 72 G. Foster	LB 56 W. Shields
TE 89 D. Carswell	MLB 50 K. Mitchell
TE 88 J. Putzier	OLB 56 M. Beisel
WR 85 A. Lelle	RCB 44 E. Warfield
QB 16 J. Plummer	RCB 22 D. McCleon
RB 34 R. Droughins	SS 25 W. Pile
	FS 42 S. Harts

Kansas City Chiefs

Offense	Defense
WR 82 M. Coleman	LE 98 E. Hicks
LT 77 W. Roaf	LT 90 R. Sims
LG 54 B. Waters	RE 75 J. Allen
C 62 C. Wiegmann	RT 69 J. Allen
RG 68 W. Shields	MLB 50 K. Mitchell
RT 75 L. Dalton	OLB 56 M. Beisel
TE 88 J. Black	RCB 44 E. Warfield
TE 87 T. Gonzalez	RCB 22 D. McCleon
WR 80 T. Green	SS 25 W. Pile
QB 10 T. Richardson	FS 42 S. Harts
QB 16 J. Plummer	WR 17 D. Luke, WR 10 T. Luke, WR 20 G. Hearst, S 25 N. Ferguson, RB 26 T. Bell, S 32 C. Young, FB 39 K. Johnson, CB 45 P. Alexander, LB 53 L. Green, LB 55 P. Chukwurah, LB 58 T. Pierce, DT 61 E. Johnson, G 69 P. Alexander, WR 81 C. Adams, TE 15 S 83 M. Leach, TE 6 H. Wade, DE 95 A. Palepoi, DE 99 R. Johnson, DID NOT PLAY: CB 13 D. Kaneal, T 74 C. Green.

INACTIVE: RB 37 C. Sapp, S 42 S. Brantford, LB 57 J. Sykes, G 62 D. Neil, DT/DE 67 D. Veal, DT 90 D. Holland, DE 93 T. Pryce.

J. Elam (27) FIELD GOALS (made ___ / missed ___) L. Tynes (39)

VISITOR	HOME	OT	TOTAL
Denver Broncos	1	2	3
Kansas City Chiefs	7	3	0
	14	14	7
			10
			45

Team	Or	Clock	PLAY DESCRIPTION (Extra Point) (Drive Info)	Score	Visitor	Home
CHIEFS	1	14:47	D. Hall 97 yd. kickoff return (L. Tynes kick) (0-0, 0:13)	0	0	7
CHIEFS	1	4:49	L. Johnson 5 yd. run (L. Tynes kick) (11-87, 6:26)	0	14	14
BRONCOS	1	0:02	R. Smith 22 yd. pass from J. Plummer (J. Elam kick) (9-64, 4:47)	7	7	21
CHIEFS	2	9:36	E. Kennison 7 yd. pass from T. Green (L. Tynes kick) (6-58, 2:46)	7	7	28
CHIEFS	2	0:06	L. Johnson 32 yd. run (L. Tynes kick) (6-58, 2:46)	7	7	28
CHIEFS	3	8:11	J. Elam 27 yd. Field Goal (9-70, 1:47)	10	28	35
CHIEFS	4	14:13	S. Parker 48 yd. pass from T. Green (L. Tynes kick) (9-90, 5:21)	10	42	42
CHIEFS	4	5:31	E. Kennison 18 yd. pass from T. Green (L. Tynes kick) (10-99, 6:05)	10	42	45
BRONCOS	4	4:13	L. Tynes 39 yd. Field Goal (5-46, 1:12)	10	45	45
BRONCOS	4	4:13	G. Hearst 4 yd. run (J. Elam kick) (6-61, 1:18)	17	45	45

FINAL BRONCOS DEFENSIVE STATISTICS

(Based on coaches' film review)

Player	UT	ATT	S-yds	I-yds	PD	FF	FR
K. Kennedy	9	1	0	0	0	0	0
D. Williams	8	1	0	0	0	0	0
D. Spragan	5	3	0	0	0	0	0
A. Wilson	6	1	0	0	0	0	0
J. Lynch	4	3	0	0	0	0	0
C. Bailey	3	1	0	0	0	0	0
M. Fatafeh	2	2	4	0.5-2.5	0	0	0
Team Totals	44	18	62	3-18	0-0	3	2

FINAL INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

	Denver Broncos						Kansas City Chiefs					
	RUSHING	ATT	YDS	AVG	LG	TD	RUSHING	ATT	YDS	AVG	LG	TD
J. Plummer	9	29	14.5	22	0	0	L. Johnson	30	151	5.0	32	2
R. Droughins	4	27	6.8	16	1	0	D. Hall	1	6	6.0	6	0
G. Hearst	5	26	5.2	11	1	0	T. Collins	1	4	4.0	4	0
Total	20	132	6.6	22	1	0	Total	36	162	4.5	32	2

	PASSING	ATT	CMP	YDS	TD	INT	Rtg.
J. Plummer	41	23	292	6/22	1	58	66.3
Total	41	23	292	6/22	1	58	66.3

	PASS RECEIVING	NO	YDS	AVG	FC	LG	TD
R. Smith	6	75	12.5	22	1	0	0
L. Luke	5	40	8.0	10	0	0	0
A. Lelle	3	37	12.3	13	0	0	0
R. Parker	3	30	10.0	12	0	0	0
R. Droughins	2	10	5.0	13	0	0	0
T. Gonzalez	2	58	29.0	15	0	0	0
G. Hearst	1	15	15.0	15	0	0	0
D. Watts	1	14	14.0	14	0	0	0
D. Carswell	1	9	9.0	9	0	0	0
Total	23	292	12.7	58	1	0	0

	INTERCEPTIONS	NO	YDS	AVG	FC	LG	TD
Total	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0

	PUNTING	NO	YDS	AVG	NET	TB	IN20	LG
J. Baker	4	154	38.5	31.0	0	2	42	42
Total	4	154	38.5	31.0	0	2	42	42

	PUNT RETURNS	NO	YDS	AVG	FC	LG	TD
L. Luke (DOWNED)	1	0	0.0	0	0	0	0
(OUT-OF-BOUNDS)	1	0	0.0	0	0	0	0
Returns	2	0	0.0	0	0	0	0

	KICKOFF RETURNS	NO	YDS	AVG	FC	LG	TD
T. Luke	8	155	19.4	0	30	0	0
Returns	8	155	19.4	0	30	0	0

	Denver Broncos	Own	Fumbles	Lost	Rec.	Yds	TD	Opp.	FF	Rec.	Yds	TD	Opp.	FF	Rec.	Yds	TD	Opp.	FF	Rec.	Yds	TD	
T. Bell	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
L. Luke	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
D. Williams	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
A. Wilson	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

	Denver Broncos	Own	Fumbles	Lost	Rec.	Yds	TD	Opp.	FF	Rec.	Yds	TD	Opp.	FF	Rec.	Yds	TD							
T. Bell	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
L. Luke	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
D. Williams	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
A. Wilson	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

FINAL TEAM STATISTICS

	BRONCOS	CHIEFS
TOTAL FIRST DOWNS	24	26
By Rushing	12	14
By Passing	9	10
By Penalty	4	3
THIRD DOWN EFFICIENCY	4-11-36%	4-10-40%
FOURTH DOWN EFFICIENCY	0-2-0%	0-1-0%
TOTAL NET YARDS	402	410
Total Offensive Plays (inc. times thrown passing)	67	62
Average gain per offensive play	6.0	6.6
Net Yards Per Game	20.1	20.5
Total Rushing Plays	20	36
Average gain per rushing play	6.6	4.5
Tackles for a loss - number and yards	3-6	3-6
NET YARDS PASSING	270	248
Times thrown - yards lost attempting to pass	6-22	3-18
Press yards passing	282	266
PASS ATTEMPTS-COMPLETIONS-HAD INTERCEPTED	41-23-2	23-17-0
KICKOFFS (gain per pass play (inc. # in-rout passing))	8-90	7-83
Penalty-Touchbacks	4-0-0	0-0-0
PUNTS Number and Average	4-38.5	4-32.8
Had Blocked	0-0	0-0
FGs - PATs Had Blocked	32.8	32.8
TOTAL RETURN YARDAGE (Not Including Kickoffs)	310	310
No. and Yards Punt Returns	1-0	1-0
No. and Yards Kickoff Returns	8-155	4-147
PREMATHES Number of Yards	10-100	6-58
FUMBLES Number and Lost	2-1	2-0
TOUCHDOWNS	2	1
Rushing	1	1
Passing	1	0
Interceptions	0	0
EXTRA POINTS Made-Attempts	2-2	6-6
Field Goals Made-Attempts	1-1	1-1
RED ZONE EFFICIENCY	3-4-75%	3-4-75%
GOAL TO GO EFFICIENCY	1-2-50%	1-1-100%
SAFETIES	0	0
FINAL SCORE	17	45
TIME OF POSSESSION	26:49	33:11



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QUARTERBACKS

13 • Danny Kanell • QB • 6-3 • 218 • 7 • Florida State

Regular Season Games Played/Games Started: 2004: 0/0; Career: 43/24

2004 Regular Season:

Kanell has served as the Broncos' backup quarterback for each game and has not seen any playing time.

Kanell's 2004 Totals		Passing											
G	S	Att.	Comp.	Yds.	Pct.	Yd./Att.	TD	%	Int.	%	LG	S/Yd.	Rtg.
0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0.00	0	0.0	0	0.0	—	0/0	0.0
		Rushing											
		Att.	Yds.	Avg.	LG	TD							
		0	0	0.0	—	0							

Kanell's Career Totals		Passing											
G	S	Att.	Comp.	Yds.	Pct.	Yd./Att.	TD	%	Int.	%	LG	S/Yd.	Rtg.
43	24	956	491	5,129	51.4	5.37	31	3.2	34	3.6	68	63/512	63.2
		Rushing											
		Att.	Yds.	Avg.	LG	TD							
		44	49	0.9	13	0							

Kanell's Single-Game Career Bests: Attempts — 45 (vs. Dallas, 9/21/98); Completions — 26 (vs. Tampa, 11/25/00); Passing Yards — 259 (vs. Arizona, 10/18/98); Completion Pct. — 69.7% (23-of-33, at Oakland, 9/13/98); Touchdown Passes — 3, twice (last vs. Arizona, 10/18/98); Longest Completion — 68 (TD at Detroit, 10/19/97); Rushing Attempts — 6 (vs. Cincinnati, 10/26/97); Rushing Yards — 13 (at Philadelphia, 12/1/96); Longest Rush — 13 (at Philadelphia, 12/1/96); Rushing Touchdowns — none.

16 • Jake Plummer • QB • 6-2 • 212 • 8 • Arizona State

Regular Season Games Played/Games Started: 2004: 14/14; Career: 109/107

- He ranks third in the AFC (5th in NFL) with 3,540 passing yards and ranks third in the AFC (8th in NFL) with 265 completions.
- In 14 games this season, Plummer has set a single-season career high in touchdown passes with 23 (he previously threw 18 touchdowns in 2001 and 2002 with the Cardinals).
- His 23 touchdown passes rank fourth in the AFC (7th in NFL), and he passed John Elway (22 in 1985 and 1998) at K.C. (12/19) for sixth all-time on the Broncos' single-season touchdown list.
- Plummer became only the second quarterback in Broncos history (Craig Morton in 1981) to throw eight touchdowns in a two-game span with four scoring passes vs. Hou. (11/7) and vs. Atl. (10/31).
- His four touchdown passes vs. Hou. (11/7) tied a career high and marked his fourth career four-touchdown game to help him achieve a single-game career-best 137.8 passer rating.
- In throwing for 499 yards. vs. Atl. (10/31), Plummer posted the ninth-highest single-game yardage total in NFL history and the highest single-game total in Broncos history.
- His 499 passing yards vs. Atl. (10/31) marked the highest single-game passing total of any quarterback this season.
- His 85-yard touchdown strike to Rod Smith in snowy conditions vs. Oak. (11/28) was the longest pass of his career and the eighth-longest passing play in team history.
- Plummer's come-from-behind win vs. Mia. (12/12) marked his 26th career game-winning or game-tying scoring drive in the fourth quarter or overtime. Of those 26, 19 are "pure" comeback victories, which comprise the highest total of any NFL quarterback since 1995.
- Including this season's totals, Plummer is 17-8 (68.0%) as a Broncos starter (2003-present) during the regular season, marking the fourth-highest winning percentage of any NFL quarterback during that period (Tom Brady, 27-3, 90.0%, Donovan McNabb, 25-5, 83.3% and Peyton Manning, 23-7, 76.7%).
- He threw three touchdowns in the first half vs. Hou. (11/7), marking the fourth time in his career he has accomplished that feat in a half (1st half at Oak. 10/17/04, 1st half at S.D. 9/14/03 and 2nd half vs. Det. 11/18/01).
- Plummer was voted an offensive co-captain by his teammates, joining receiver Rod Smith in that role.

2004 Regular Season:

Plummer's creativity behind center has resulted in several miraculous performances this season as he has completed 265-of-465 passes (57.0%) for 3,540 yards with 23 touchdowns and 19 interceptions in starting all 14 games. **An offensive co-captain for the Broncos, Plummer ranks third in the AFC (5th in NFL) in passing yards and ranks third in the AFC (8th in NFL) in completions.** His touchdown total, a single-season career high, ranks fourth in the AFC (7th in NFL). At **K.C. (12/19)**, Plummer completed 23-of-41 passes (56.1%) for 292 yards with one touchdown and two interceptions while also recording a season-best 22-yard run on a scramble. **His touchdown pass, a 22-yarder to Rod Smith, in Kansas City moved him ahead of John Elway (22 in 1985 and 1998) into sixth place on the Broncos' all-time single-season touchdown list.** He did not throw a touchdown pass and had two interceptions vs. Mia. (12/12), but the quarterback made several key throws in a 16-of-30 (53.3%), 219-yard performance. He completed three passes for 59 yards to three different Broncos (Darius Watts, Ashley Lelie and Rod Smith) in the second quarter to put Denver in position for its second touchdown against the Dolphins in a drive that covered 70 yards in only four plays. Against a stingy Chargers defense at **S.D. (12/5)**, Plummer threw for 278 yards on 16-of-40 (40.0%) passing with four interceptions. He completed three passes of 39 or more yards in San Diego, including a game-long 45-yard pass to Rod Smith on a second-

half scoring drive. In snowy, frigid conditions vs. **Oak. (11/28)**, he completed a career-long 85-yard touchdown pass, the eighth-longest passing play in team history, to Rod Smith in the second quarter and finished the game 14-of-23 (60.9%) for 245 yards with one touchdown and one interception. Plummer also connected with Ashley Lelie on a 57-yard pass late against the Raiders, which moved Denver to the Oakland 3-yard line and set up a touchdown run on the next play. He was extremely efficient in Denver's game at **N.O. (11/21)** and finished the day throwing for two touchdown passes, which moved him ahead of Steve Ramsey for seventh place on the Broncos' all-time touchdown passes list (35), and 224 yards on 19-of-29 (65.5%) passing. His play resulted in a 111.9 passer rating, which was his second consecutive game with a passer rating more than 100.0, and a Denver score on its first four possessions to give it a 20-0 first-quarter lead. Against the Saints, he tossed back-to-back passes of 30 or more yards (33 and 37 yds.) on a first-quarter drive to Ashley Lelie with the latter strike a touchdown pass. He concluded Denver's scoring when he connected with fullback Kyle Johnson in stride for a 19-yard score that earned him his seventh multiple-touchdown game this season. **Plummer became only the second quarterback in Broncos history (Craig Morton in 1981) to throw eight touchdowns in a two-game span** with stellar outings vs. Hou. (11/7) and vs. Atl. (10/31). In throwing for four touchdowns and 234 yards in a 16-of-24 performance vs. **Hou. (11/7)**, **Plummer set a single-game career best with a 137.8 passer rating.** He connected with four different Denver players on his scoring passes, including a second-quarter strike to Rod Smith that moved the receiver into first place all-time in touchdowns by a Bronco. Plummer made a brilliant read on Smith's record-setting touchdown as he pump faked, scampered toward the line of scrimmage and found a wide open Smith in the left corner of the end zone. He also connected with Smith on a 9-yard pass in the second quarter to give Smith more receptions than any other player in franchise history. **He posted the ninth-highest single-game yardage mark in NFL history and set a franchise record with 499 passing yards** on 31-of-55 passing (56.3%) with four touchdowns and three interceptions vs. **Atl. (10/31)**. His four touchdowns against the Falcons tied a career high and were spread out to four different receivers on scoring drives that were all 69 yards or longer, including an 80-yard TD strike to Rod Smith in the first quarter that tied for the longest completion of his career (he also threw an 80-yd. TD pass at St. Louis 12/15/02). Additionally, he moved ahead of Steve DeBerg for eighth place on the Broncos' all-time passing yards list against the Falcons. In Denver's lone Monday night appearance and his 100th-career start at **Cin. (10/25)**, Plummer completed 23-of-40 passes for 221 yards with one touchdown and two interceptions. He moved into ninth place on the Broncos' all-time passing yardage list (ahead of Micky Slaughter) and passed Steve DeBerg for eighth place on the franchise's all-time completions list against the Bengals. He rolled to his right and found Rod Smith for a 3-yard score in the second quarter, marking the Broncos' only touchdown of the game in Cincinnati. He threw three touchdowns, all of which occurred in the first half, at **Oak. (10/17)** in passing for 190 yards on 11-of-20 passing with one interception to lead the Broncos' offense to 31 unanswered points. **Plummer led the Broncos to a 28-point win against the Raiders, the largest margin of victory in a road game against the Raiders in franchise history.** His performance at Oakland was his seventh career game with three or more touchdowns, and it marked the third contest in which he threw for three scores in a half. Plummer connected on two of his scoring passes to tight ends while also finding wide receiver Ashley Lelie for a 31-yard score. After throwing a pair of third-quarter interceptions vs. **Car. (10/10)**, Plummer bounced back by directing the Broncos to his 19th-career comeback victory against the Panthers when his 39-yard touchdown pass in the corner of the end zone to Ashley Lelie capped off an 87-yard drive early in the final period. **His comeback against the Panthers marked his 25th game-winning or game-tying scoring drive in the fourth quarter or overtime.** He finished the game against the Panthers with 226 yards on 17-of-29 passing with two touchdowns and two interceptions. He guided Denver to a win at **T.B. (10/3)** with 138 yards on 13-of-30 passing with one touchdown and no interceptions. Plummer fooled the Buccaneers' defense on a bootleg before throwing a 5-yard score for Denver's lone touchdown. He efficiently managed Denver's offense in the fourth quarter against the Buccaneers as the Broncos held onto the ball for 13:20 in the final period, **ensuring Plummer of his 24th game-winning or game-tying scoring drive in the fourth quarter or overtime.** Plummer threw for a season-high 294 yards and two touchdowns on 25-of-36 passing (69.4%) vs. **S.D. (9/26)**. His 294 passing yards were the most he's had in a game since Nov. 18, 2001, vs. Detroit. He threw a clutch 33-yard touchdown strike to wide receiver Ashley Lelie on fourth-and-9 in the third quarter with the Chargers trailing by only 3. **In the second quarter against the Chargers, he moved into 10th place on the Broncos' all-time passing yards list, ahead of John McCormick.** He threw for a then-season-high 250 yards on 23-of-39 passing with no touchdowns or interceptions at **Jac. (9/19)** while also scrambling for 24 yards on the ground. He hit wide receiver Ashley Lelie in stride for a 39-yard gain on the Broncos' 10-play, 76-yard drive at the end of the second quarter that set up Denver's second field goal of the game. Plummer directed the Broncos to a win in their season opener vs. **K.C. (9/12)** by completing 18-of-29 passes (with completions to eight different receivers) for a game-high 230 yards, two touchdowns and two interceptions. Plummer, who completed a 58-yard pass against the Chiefs and had a career-high eight rushes, also led a pivotal 13-play, 87-yard touchdown drive late in the game that ate up 7:10 and resulted in a 2-yard touchdown pass to seal Denver's win. **The win was his 23rd career game-winning or game-tying fourth-quarter scoring drive in the fourth quarter or overtime.**



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Plummer's 2004 Totals

G	S	Att.	Comp.	Passing					S/Yd.	Rtg.			
				Yds.	Pct.	Yd./Att.	TD	% Int.			% LG		
K.C. (9/12)*	29	18	230	62.1	7.93	2	6.9	2	6.9	58	1/9	81.1	
@Jac. (9/19)*	39	23	250	59.0	6.41	0	0.0	0	0.0	39	0/0	77.9	
S.D. (9/26)*	36	25	294	69.4	8.17	2	5.5	0	0.0	33T	1/3	112.5	
@T.B. (10/3)*	30	13	138	43.3	4.60	1	3.3	0	0.0	28	0/0	68.5	
Car. (10/10)*	29	17	226	58.6	7.79	2	6.9	2	6.9	39T	1/2	77.7	
@Oak. (10/17)*	20	11	190	55.0	9.50	3	15.0	1	5.0	31T	0/0	106.2	
@Cin. (10/25)*	40	23	221	57.5	5.53	1	2.5	2	5.0	35	3/26	60.5	
Atl. (10/31)*	55	31	499	56.3	9.07	4	7.3	3	5.5	80T	0/0	88.4	
Hou. (11/7)*	24	16	234	66.7	9.75	4	16.7	0	0.0	40T	1/9	137.8	
@N.O. (11/21)*	29	19	224	65.5	7.72	2	6.9	0	0.0	37T	0/0	111.9	
Oak. (11/28)*	23	14	245	60.9	10.65	1	4.3	1	4.3	85T	0/0	93.6	
@S.D. (12/5)*	40	16	278	40.0	6.95	0	0.0	4	10.0	45	2/15	24.8	
Mia. (12/12)*	30	16	219	53.3	7.30	0	0.0	2	6.7	32	0/0	49.2	
@K.C. (12/19)*	41	23	292	56.1	7.12	1	2.4	2	4.9	58	6/22	66.3	
14	14	465	265	3,540	57.0	7.61	23	4.9	19	4.1	85T	15/86	80.8

Rushing

Opp.	Att.	Yds.	Avg.	LG	TD
K.C. (9/12)	8	23	2.9	14	0
@Jac. (9/19)	6	24	4.0	9	0
S.D. (9/26)	2	1	0.5	1	0
@T.B. (10/3)	5	18	3.6	7	0
Car. (10/10)	4	8	2.0	8	0
@Oak. (10/17)	1	15	15.0	15	0
@Cin. (10/25)	1	3	3.0	3	0
Atl. (10/31)	2	5	2.5	4	0
Hou. (11/7)	1	2	2.0	2	0
@N.O. (11/21)	3	-1	-0.3	1	0
Oak. (11/28)	5	18	3.6	16	0
@S.D. (12/5)	2	6	3.0	4	0
Mia. (12/12)	5	11	2.2	10	0
@K.C. (12/19)	2	29	14.5	22	0
Total	47	162	3.4	22	0

Additional Statistics: Plummer recorded a miscellaneous tackle on an interception return at Cincinnati (10/25/04).

Plummer's Career Totals

G	S	Att.	Comp.	Passing					S/Yd.	Rtg.			
				Yds.	Pct.	Yd./Att.	TD	% Int.			% LG		
109	107	3,521	1,994	23,344	56.6	6.63	128	3.6	140	4.0	85T	2441/1,485	72.5

Rushing

Att.	Yds.	Avg.	LG	TD
331	1,550	4.7	40	13

Plummer's Single-Game Career Bests: Attempts — 57 (at Green Bay, 1/2/00); Completions — 35 (at Green Bay, 1/2/00); Passing Yards — 499 (vs. Atlanta, 10/31/04); Completion Pct. — 82.4% (14-of-17, at Indianapolis, 12/21/03); Touchdown Passes — 4 (four times, last vs. Houston, 11/7/04); Longest Completion — 85T (touchdown pass to Rod Smith vs. Oakland, 11/28/04); Rushing Attempts — 8 (vs. Kansas City, 9/12/04); Rushing Yards — 51 (at Dallas, 11/9/97); Longest Rush — 40 (vs. Oakland, 9/22/03); Rushing Touchdowns — 3 (at Washington, 11/22/98).

RUNNING BACKS

26 • Tatum Bell • RB • 5-11 • 213 • R • Oklahoma State

Regular Season Games Played/Games Started: 2004: 12/0; Career: 12/0

- Bell leads all AFC rookies (5th among NFL rookies) in rushing yards with 261.
- With 123 rushing yards vs. Mia. (12/12), Bell joined teammates Reuben Droughns and Quentin Griffin as the third Bronco to post at least one 100-yard game this year, marking only the second time in team history that such a feat has occurred (1995 – Terrell Davis, Glyn Milburn and Aaron Craver).
- Bell scored his first career touchdown on a 16-yard run at S.D. (12/5).
- He made a 58-yard reception on a screen pass, the longest catch of his career, at K.C. (12/19).

2004 Regular Season: Bell has displayed his quickness and potential during his rookie season, and the promising running back has rushed 47 times for 261 yards (5.6 avg.) with three touchdowns in 12 games. **Bell joined teammates Reuben Droughns and Quentin Griffin as the third Bronco this season to post at least one 100-yard game (vs. Mia. (12/12), marking only the second time in franchise history that such a feat has occurred.** Bell leads all AFC rookies (5th among NFL rookies) in rushing yards this year. He also recently has begun to show his ability on special teams, making four tackles on coverage units to rank 10th on the Broncos in that category. Despite being hampered by a severe left shoulder injury at K.C. (12/19) that was suffered a week earlier, Bell rushed nine times for 50 yards (5.6 avg.) and made a 58-yard reception out of a short screen pass. He broke away from Chiefs defenders on the run but had the ball knocked out of his hands on the Chiefs' 5-yard line for a touchback. Bell posted the first 100-yard game of his career vs. Mia. (12/12) with 123 yards on 17 carries (7.2 avg.) with two touchdowns. He exploded for 81 yards in the first half alone against the Dolphins, including slashing touchdown runs of seven and 11 yards, before he was removed from the game late in the third quarter with a sprained left shoulder. Bell had a

career-long 29-yard run around the left side early in the third quarter against the Dolphins that set up a 20-yard field goal. **He scored his first career touchdown on a 16-yard run at S.D. (12/5)** and totaled a career-best 31 yards on seven carries (4.4 avg.) during a game in which he saw the most extensive action of his rookie season. Bell played on special teams only vs. Oak. (11/28). He made a team-high three special teams tackles at N.O. (11/21) in a game that did not see him record a rushing statistic. He chased down Saints kick returner Michael Lewis on a second-quarter return during which Lewis used his elusiveness to gain 26 yards before Bell corralled him. Bell competed on special teams vs. Hou. (11/7). He was inactive for Denver's game vs. Atl. (10/31) with a hamstring injury suffered a week earlier. While he did not record a rush at Cin. (10/25) on *Monday Night Football*, the rookie contributed on special teams against the Bengals. Bell saw the most action he's seen all year at Oak. (10/17) by rushing six times for 25 yards (4.2 avg.). He was a factor on special teams against the Raiders, making the first tackle of his career on that unit. All of his yards against the Raiders came in relief of starter Reuben Droughns in the fourth quarter, including a 13-yard scamper around the left side on third-and-5. In Denver's comeback win vs. Car. (10/10), both of Bell's carries came in the first quarter to give the back a total of five yards for the game. At T.B. (10/3), Bell returned from the rib injury that kept him out of Denver's previous game to play on special teams only against the Buccaneers. He was inactive vs. S.D. (9/26) with a rib injury that he suffered in practice leading up to the game. In Denver's game at Jac. (9/19), Bell backed up Quentin Griffin and rushed four times for 16 yards (4.0 avg.) with three of his four runs coming in the first quarter. Bell primarily saw action on special teams in his NFL debut vs. K.C. (9/12) but did rush on consecutive plays on a fourth-quarter drive to total 11 yards.

Bell's 2004 Totals

G	S	No.	Yds.	Rushing			Receiving				
				Avg.	LG	TD	Rec.	Yds.	Avg.	LG	TD
K.C. (9/12)	2	11	5.5	8	0	0	0	0.0	—	0	
@Jac. (9/19)	4	16	4.0	7	0	0	0	0.0	—	0	
S.D. (9/26)	Inactive (rib injury)										
@T.B. (10/3)	Special Teams Only										
Car. (10/10)	2	5	2.5	4	0	0	0	0.0	—	0	
@Oak. (10/17)	6	25	4.2	13	0	0	0	0.0	—	0	
@Cin. (10/25)	0	0	0.0	—	0	0	0	0.0	—	0	
Atl. (10/31)	Inactive (hamstring)										
Hou. (11/7)	Special Teams Only										
@N.O. (11/21)	Special Teams Only										
Oak. (11/28)	Special Teams Only										
@S.D. (12/5)	7	31	4.4	16T	1	0	0	0.0	—	0	
Mia. (12/12)	17	123	7.2	29	2	1	-6	-6.0	-6	0	
@K.C. (12/19)	9	50	5.6	17	0	1	58	58.0	58	0	
12	0	47	261	5.6	29	3	2	52	26.0	58	0

Additional Statistics: Bell has made four tackles on special teams, including three at New Orleans (11/21/04).

Bell's Single-Game Career Bests: Attempts — 17 (vs. Miami, 12/12/04); Rushing Yards — 123 (vs. Miami, 12/12/04); Longest Rush — 29 (vs. Miami, 12/12/04); Rushing TDs — 2 (vs. Miami, 12/12/04); Receptions — 1 (twice, last at Kansas City, 12/19/04); Receiving Yards — 58 (at Kansas City, 12/19/04); Longest reception — 58 (at Kansas City, 12/19/04); Receiving TDs — None.

34 • Reuben Droughns • RB • 5-11 • 220 • 5 • Oregon

Regular Season Games Played/Games Started: 2004: 14/13; Career: 54/20

- Although only starting 10 games at running back, he already ranks seventh in the AFC (11th in NFL) in rushing with 1,073 yards on 238 carries (4.5 avg.) along with four touchdowns.
- Droughns is the fifth different Bronco in the last 10 years to rush for more than 1,000 yards, posting the franchise's 16th 1,000-yard season in 2004.
- In his fifth season, Droughns ties Floyd Little (1971) for the latest in a career that a Bronco has posted his first 1,000-yard season.
- His 51-yard touchdown run at N.O. (11/21) was the longest of his career as well as the longest run by the Broncos this season.
- Droughns' 193 rushing yards vs. Car. (10/10) were the most by a Broncos player in his first start at running back and were the ninth-highest regular-season game total in franchise history (10th most in any game).
- His 38 carries at Oak. (10/17) were the most in franchise history for a non-overtime game and second-most all-time in any game in addition to ranking as the most carries in a game by an NFL back this season.
- His 176 rushing yards at Oak. (10/17) earned him FedEx Ground NFL Player of the Week honors.
- Droughns has accounted for a team-high 73 first downs (60 rushing, 13 receiving) to rank fourth in the AFC (6th in NFL).
- Droughns was named AFC Special Teams Player of the Month for September, becoming the first Broncos kick returner to earn that award.
- The Broncos' primary kick returner for their first five games, Droughns has a 24.6 avg. on 14 returns for 344 yards.

2004 Regular Season:

Droughns' bruising running style makes him difficult to tackle after initial contact, and he has rushed for more than 100 yards in six of Denver's last 10 games as its featured running back after beginning the season as a fullback. In 14 games (13 starts), **Droughns leads the Broncos in rushing with 1,073 yards on 238 carries (4.5 avg.) with four touchdowns** while catching 30 passes for 211 yards (7.0 avg.) with a score. **He is the fifth different Bronco in the last 10 years to rush for more than 1,000 yards and posted the franchise's 16th 1,000-**



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yard season this year. Additionally, the fifth-year back tied Floyd Little (1971) for the latest in a career that has posted his first 1,000-yard season. While only starting 10 games at running back, he ranks seventh in the AFC (11th in NFL) in rushing yards. He has accounted for a team-high 73 first downs (60 rushing, 13 receiving) to rank fourth in the AFC (6th in NFL). Droughns was Denver's primary kick returner for its first five games and has a 24.6 avg. on 14 returns for 344 yards. His production on special teams **earned him AFC Special Teams Player of the Month honors for September to mark the first time a Broncos kick return garnered that award.** Droughns' success on special teams extends to punt and kick coverage, where he has made four tackles to rank 10th on the team. In a start at **K.C. (12/19)**, Droughns saw most of his action in the second half and finished the game with four rushes for 27 yards (6.8 avg.), including back-to-back fourth-quarter runs of 14 and 16 yards. He also caught two passes for 14 yards (7.0 avg.) against the Chiefs. **He posted the franchise's 16th 1,000-yard season and the first of his career** after his 18-carry, 62-yard (3.4 avg.) day vs. **Mia. (12/12)**. Droughns, who entered the Dolphins game 16 yards shy of 1,000, primarily was used in a reserve roll behind Tatum Bell but had a key 21-yard run in the fourth quarter that set up a 50-yard field goal that proved to be the game winner. He also returned a kick (17 yds.) for the first time in four weeks against Miami. Droughns had a quiet day at **S.D. (12/5)**, rushing only 14 times (his lowest number of attempts in eight starts at running back this year) for 38 yards (2.7 avg.), including a 4-yard touchdown run early in the fourth quarter. In snowy, frigid conditions vs. **Oak. (11/28)**, Droughns eclipsed the 100-yard mark for the sixth time in his last seven games with 102 yards on 28 carries (3.6 avg.) with a touchdown, a 3-yard score early in the fourth quarter. He recorded the longest run of his career on the Broncos' first play from scrimmage at **N.O. (11/21)** when he took off around the left side on a 51-yard touchdown run as part of the 166 yards he gained on 28 carries (5.9 avg.). Droughns, who also caught two passes for 25 yards against the Saints (12.5 avg.), was difficult to contain in the first half as he gained 106 yards (10.6 avg.) by halftime. He put up solid numbers vs. **Hou. (11/7)** by picking up 120 yards on 29 carries (4.1 avg.). Against the Texans, he gained nearly 40 yards each quarter in one of the most consistent performances of his career. While having a quiet day rushing the ball vs. **Atl. (10/31)** in only gaining 49 yards on 15 carries (3.3 avg.), Droughns posted a career-high six receptions and 63 yards receiving (10.5 avg.) against the Falcons. He eclipsed the 100-yard mark for the third consecutive game at **Cin. (10/25)** on *Monday Night Football*, rushing for 110 yards on 24 carries (4.6 avg.). He also tied a career high with four receptions for 20 yards (5.0 avg.) against the Bengals. Droughns rushed for 49 yards in the second quarter and gained five yards or more on 10 of his final 12 rushes before halftime against the Bengals. He set a franchise record for most carries in a non-overtime game at **Oak. (10/17)** with 38 rushes for 176 yards (4.6 avg.) with one touchdown to earn *FedEx Ground NFL Player of the Week honors. His 38 carries in a game are the most by a running back in the NFL this season.* Droughns had 82 yards in the second quarter against the Raiders, including four runs of more than 10 yards, to help him record the first 100-yard half of his career (103 total yards). With regular starter Quentin Griffin inactive vs. **Car. (10/10)** with an ankle injury, Droughns took advantage of his first start at tailback as a Bronco by rushing for 193 yards on 30 carries (6.4 avg.) to mark the **highest rushing total by a Denver player in his first start at running back and the ninth-highest rushing total by a Bronco back in the regular season (10th in any game).** He registered most of his yards in bruising fashion, and it took several Panthers to bring him down on a 15-yard third-down run in the second quarter that set up his 5-yard receiving touchdown, which was his first score this season. Droughns also caught a career-high four passes for 18 yards while totaling 10 of the Broncos' 23 first downs (8 rushing, 2 receiving) against the Panthers. In addition to returning two kicks for 45 yards (22.5 avg.) at **T.B. (10/3)**, he was used in short-yardage situations as well as on one-back sets and gained a season-high 20 yards on eight carries (2.5 avg.). He pulled Buccaneers defensive back Dwight Smith with him to pick up a tough third-and-1 with Denver at its 19-yard line late in a close game. Droughns gained a career-high 137 yards on four returns (34.3 avg.) vs. **S.D. (9/26)**. All four of his returns that day went for 20 or more yards, including a 48-yarder. He also had a team-high three special teams tackles against San Diego. He returned two kicks for 49 yards (24.5 avg.) at **Jac. (9/19)** while catching his first pass of the year. His 2-yard reception converted a crucial third-and-1 in the third quarter with Denver trailing by 1. In the Broncos' season opener vs. **K.C. (9/12)**, Droughns started at fullback, clearing the way for Quentin Griffin's franchise opening-day record 156 yards, and he was a major contributor on special teams despite battling leg cramps. **He returned two kicks for 58 yards (29.0 avg.) to lead all NFL Wk. 1 players in return yardage.** Droughns began Denver's first possession of the season with a 32-yard return.

Droughns' 2004 Totals		Rushing				Receiving					
G	S	No.	Yds.	Avg.	LG	TD	Rec.	Yds.	Avg.	LG	TD
K.C. (9/12)*		0	0	0.0	—	0	0	0	0.0	—	0
@Jac. (9/19)		0	0	0.0	—	0	1	2	2.0	2	0
S.D. (9/26)*		2	10	5.0	9	0	3	17	5.7	13	0
@T.B. (10/3)*		8	20	2.5	8	0	1	12	12.0	12	0
Car. (10/10)*		30	193	6.4	32	0	4	18	4.5	13	1
@Oak. (10/17)*		38	176	4.6	22	1	1	4	4.0	4	0
@Cin. (10/25)*		24	110	4.6	13	0	4	20	5.0	9	0
Atl. (10/31)*		15	49	3.3	20	0	6	63	10.5	18	0
Hou. (11/7)*		29	120	4.1	11	0	1	6	6.0	6	0
@N.O. (11/21)*		28	166	5.9	51T	1	2	25	12.5	14	0
Oak. (11/28)*		28	102	3.6	12	1	1	-5	-5.0	-5	0
@S.D. (12/5)*		14	38	2.7	10	1	4	35	8.8	12	0
Mia. (12/12)*		18	62	3.4	21	0	0	0	0.0	—	0
@K.C. (12/19)*		4	27	6.8	16	0	2	14	7.0	12	0
14	13	238	1,073	4.5	51T	4	30	211	7.0	18	1

Kickoff Returns

Opp.	Ret.	Yds.	Avg.	LG	TD
K.C. (9/12)	2	58	29.0	32	0
@Jac. (9/19)	2	49	24.5	29	0
S.D. (9/26)	4	137	34.3	48	0
@T.B. (10/3)	2	45	22.5	26	0
Car. (10/10)	2	21	10.5	18	0
@Oak. (10/17)	0	0	0.0	—	0
@Cin. (10/25)	0	0	0.0	—	0
Atl. (10/31)	0	0	0.0	—	0
Hou. (11/7)	1	17	17.0	17	0
@N.O. (11/21)	0	0	0.0	—	0
Oak. (11/28)	0	0	0.0	—	0
@S.D. (12/5)	0	0	0.0	—	0
Mia. (12/12)	1	17	17.0	17	0
@K.C. (12/19)	0	0	0.0	—	0
Total	14	344	24.6	48	0

Additional Statistics: Droughns has recorded four special teams tackles, including three vs. San Diego (9/26/04).

Droughns' Career Totals		Rushing				Receiving					
G	S	No.	Yds.	Avg.	LG	TD	Rec.	Yds.	Avg.	LG	TD
54	20	278	1,170	4.2	51T	5	48	372	7.8	22T	5

Kickoff Returns

Ret.	Yds.	Avg.	LG	TD
46	1,153	25.1	53	0

Additional Statistics: Special teams tackles (40). He forced a fumble on special teams.

Droughns' Single-Game Career Bests: Attempts — 38 (at Oakland, 10/17/04); **Rushing Yards** — 193 (vs. Carolina, 10/10/04); **Longest Rush** — 51T (at New Orleans, 11/21/04); **Rushing Touchdowns** — 1 (five times, last at San Diego, 12/5/04); **Receptions** — 6 (vs. Atlanta 10/31/04); **Receiving Yards** — 63 (vs. Atlanta, 10/31/04); **Longest Reception** — 22 (at San Diego, 12/1/02); **Receiving Touchdowns** — 1 (five times, last vs. Carolina, 10/10/04); **Kickoff Returns** — 5 (at Baltimore, 10/26/03); **Kickoff Return Yards** — 137 (vs. San Diego, 9/26/04); **Longest Kickoff Return** — 53 (vs. Indianapolis, 11/24/02).

22 • Quentin Griffin • RB • 5-7 • 195 • 2 • Oklahoma

Regular Season Games Played/Games Started: 2004: 6/4; Career: 16/5

- Griffin was placed on injured reserve Oct. 27 with a torn ACL in his right knee that was suffered returning a kick at Cin. (10/25).
- He underwent surgery Nov. 9 to repair his damaged right knee.
- A multi-dimensional threat, Griffin had 379 yards from scrimmage (311 rushing, 68 receiving) in six games.
- His 156-yard rushing effort vs. K.C. (9/12) is the 17th-highest single-game rushing total gained this season.
- Griffin set a franchise record for most rushing yards in a season-opener with a career and game-high 156 yards on 23 carries vs. K.C. (9/12).
- He served as the Broncos' primary kick returner for two games, returning four kicks for 52 yards (13.0 avg.).

2004 Regular Season:

Griffin showed flashes of big-play ability in six games (four starts) at running back **before he was placed on injured reserve Oct. 27 with a torn ACL in his right knee, which was repaired Nov. 9.** Before the injury, he collected 311 yards on 85 carries (3.7 avg.) with two touchdowns while catching 10 passes for 68 yards (6.8 avg.) with a score. The elusive Griffin was used as the Broncos' primary kick returner for two games and gained 52 yards returning four kicks (13.0 avg.) He suffered a torn ACL in his right knee returning a kick on the opening kickoff of the second half at **Cin. (10/25)** on *Monday Night Football* and did not return. Although he did not record a rush against Cincinnati, Griffin returned three kickoffs for 33 yards (11.0 avg.), including a 21-yard return in the second quarter that set up Denver's lone touchdown drive, before injuring his knee. Back in the lineup after missing the previous week with an ankle injury, Griffin totaled four carries for 16 yards (4.0 avg.) at **Oak. (10/17)**. He returned the first kickoff of his career against the Raiders, taking a first-quarter kick 19 yards to put the Broncos in excellent field position to begin their first touchdown drive of the game. He was inactive vs. **Car. (10/10)** with an ankle injury. The second-year back picked up 66 yards on 21 carries (3.1 avg.) at **T.B. (10/3)**, including 44 fourth-quarter yards, while catching a 15-yard pass. Griffin broke free for a 12-yard run in the fourth quarter that put Denver in position for the field goal that proved to be the game winner. He struggled with the Chargers' 3-4 defense vs. **S.D. (9/26)** and was held to a season-low seven yards on 12 carries (0.6 avg.). One of his three catches against the Chargers went for 22 yards on a swing pass and moved Denver into scoring range early in the second quarter, setting up a field goal. He also had a key block on a Chargers blitz in the third quarter, clearing the way for a 16-yard Jake Plummer completion on a touchdown drive. At **Jac. (9/19)**, the Jaguars' stingy run defense limited Griffin to 66 yards rushing on 25 carries (2.6 avg.), but his five catches for 29 yards (5.8 avg.) were a career high and more than any Jaguars receiver totaled. He was unable to secure Jake Plummer's handoff with the Broncos in position for a game-winning field goal with less than a minute in the game, allowing the Jaguars to end Denver's comeback attempt. Griffin enjoyed a record-setting day vs. **K.C. (9/12)** as **he set a franchise record for most rushing yards in a season opener with a career and game-high 156 yards on 23 carries (6.8 avg.) and scored the first three touchdowns (two rush, one reception) of his career.**



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His opening-weekend numbers ranked at the top of several offensive categories, including rushing yards (156 – second in NFL), first downs (eight – tied for third in the league), scoring (18 points – tied for first in the league) and total yards from scrimmage (157 – tied for third in the AFC). **The 156 yards he totaled on the ground are the 10th-highest single-game rushing total gained this season.** Griffin scored on 25 and 47-yard touchdown runs against the Chiefs, with the latter run coming in the third quarter with the score tied at 17, and he added a 1-yard touchdown catch for the first scoring reception of his career.

Griffin's 2004 Totals		Rushing					Receiving				
G	S	No.	Yds.	Avg.	LG	TD	Rec.	Yds.	Avg.	LG	TD
K.C. (9/12)*		23	156	6.8	47T	2	1	1	1.0	1T	1
@Jac. (9/19)*		25	66	2.6	9	0	5	29	5.8	12	0
S.D. (9/26)*		12	7	0.6	6	0	3	23	7.7	22	0
@T.B. (10/3)*		21	66	3.1	12	0	1	15	15.0	15	0
Car. (10/10)											
@Oak. (10/17)		4	16	4.0	9	0	0	0	0.0	—	0
@Cin. (10/25)		0	0	0.0	—	0	0	0	0.0	—	0
Atl. (10/31)											
6	4	85	311	3.7	47T	2	10	68	6.8	22	1

Additional Statistics: He has returned four kicks for 52 yards (13.0 avg.). At Cin. (10/25), Griffin returned three kicks for 33 yards (11.0 avg.), including a 21-yard returner. He returned a kick 19 yards at Oak. (10/17/04).

Griffin's Career Totals		Rushing					Receiving				
G	S	No.	Yds.	Avg.	LG	TD	Rec.	Yds.	Avg.	LG	TD
16	5	179	656	3.7	47T	2	18	129	7.2	24	1

Additional Statistics: He has returned four kicks for 52 yards (13.0 avg.).

Griffin's Single-Game Career Bests: Attempts — 28 (at Indianapolis, 12/21/03); **Rushing Yards** — 156 (vs. Kansas City, 9/12/04); **Longest Rush** — 47T (vs. Kansas City, 9/12/04); **Rushing TDs** — 2 (vs. Kansas City, 9/12/04); **Receptions** — 5 (at Jacksonville, 9/19/04); **Receiving Yards** — 29 (at Jacksonville, 9/19/04); **Longest reception** — 24 (at Indianapolis, 12/21/03); **Receiving TDs** — 1 (vs. Kansas City, 9/12/04); **Most Rushing Yards in a Quarter** — 70 (3rd qtr., vs. Kansas City, 9/12/04); **Most Rushing Yards in a Half** — 111 (2nd half, vs. Kansas City, 9/12/04). **Total Yards** — 160 (136 rush./24 rec., at Indianapolis, 12/21/03); **Total Touchdowns** — 3 (vs. Kansas City, 9/12/04).

20 • Garrison Hearst • RB • 5-11 • 215 • 12 • Georgia

Regular Season Games Played/Games Started: 2004: 6/0; Career: 125/105

2004 Regular Season:

Hearst has provided Denver depth at running back in six games, rushing 16 times for 59 yards (3.7 avg.) with one touchdown and catching two passes for 20 yards (10.0 avg.). Hearst had his busiest game of the year at **K.C. (12/19)**, recording five rushes for 26 yards (5.2 avg.) and his first touchdown of the year along with a 15-yard reception. All of Hearst's carries against the Chiefs came in the fourth quarter, including a 4-yard touchdown run with less than two minutes remaining. He was inactive vs. **Mia. (12/12)**. Hearst did not play at **S.D. (12/5)**. He ran once for two yards vs. **Oak. (11/28)**, giving starter Reuben Droughns a quick rest in the second quarter. When the Broncos kneeled on the ball to run out the clock in a win at **N.O. (11/21)**, Hearst recorded his only snaps that day on offense. He saw his most extensive action of the season vs. **Hou. (11/7)**, rushing five times for 13 yards (2.6 avg.). His carries against the Texans were his first rushing attempts in more than a month. His 3-yard run for a first down late in the second quarter against Houston occurred on the play before Jake Plummer's 40-yard touchdown pass to Ashley Lelie. Although active, he did not play vs. **Atl. (10/31)**. Hearst was inactive for Denver's games at **Cin. (10/25)** and at **Oak. (10/17)**. He dressed vs. **Car. (10/10)** but did not see any playing time against the Panthers. Although fully recovered from the left ankle sprain that hampered him for the previous two weeks, Hearst was held out of Denver's game at **T.B. (10/3)**. In his first game back since missing time with a left ankle sprain, Hearst rushed three times and picked up a team-high 13 yards (4.3 avg.) against a stingy run defense vs. **S.D. (9/26)**. His 11-yard run against the Chargers moved Denver into the Chargers' red zone and set up a touchdown pass a few plays later. He missed Denver's game at **Jac. (9/19)** with a left ankle sprain. At home vs. **K.C. (9/12)** to open the season, Hearst rushed twice for five yards and caught one pass for five yards before suffering a left ankle sprain. His 6-yard run in the second quarter put Denver inside Kansas City's red zone and set up a Jason Elam field goal.

Hearst's 2004 Totals		Rushing					Receiving				
G	S	No.	Yds.	Avg.	LG	TD	Rec.	Yds.	Avg.	LG	TD
K.C. (9/12)		2	5	2.5	6	0	1	5	5.0	5	0
@Jac. (9/19)											
S.D. (9/26)		3	13	4.3	11	0	0	0	0.0	—	0
@T.B. (10/3)											
Car. (10/10)											
@Oak. (10/17)											
@Cin. (10/25)											
Atl. (10/31)											
Hou. (11/7)		5	13	2.6	4	0	0	0	0.0	—	0
@N.O. (11/21)		0	0	0.0	—	0	0	0	0.0	—	0
Oak. (11/28)		1	2	2.0	2	0	0	0	0.0	—	0
@S.D. (12/5)											
Mia. (12/12)											
@K.C. (12/19)		5	26	5.2	11	1	1	15	15.0	15	0
6	0	16	59	3.7	11	1	2	20	10.0	15	0

Hearst's Career Totals		Rushing					Receiving				
G	S	No.	Yds.	Avg.	LG	TD	Rec.	Yds.	Avg.	LG	TD
125	105	1,827	7,944	4.3	96T	30	229	2,065	9.0	81T	9

Hearst's Single-Game Career Bests: Attempts — 31 (vs. Seattle, 12/1/02); **Rushing Yards** — 198 (vs. Detroit, 12/14/98); **Longest Rush** — 96 TD (vs. New York Jets, 9/6/98); **Rushing TDs** — 3 (vs. Seattle, 12/1/02); **Receptions** — 6, several times (last vs. Denver, 9/15/02); **Receiving Yards** — 105, twice (last at Chicago, 10/28/01); **Longest Reception** — 81T (vs. New Orleans, 11/22/98); **Receiving TDs** — 1, several times (last at New York Giants, 9/5/02).

39 • Kyle Johnson • RB • 6-0 • 242 • 2 • Syracuse

Regular Season Games Played/Games Started: 2004: 14/3; Career: 14/3

• Johnson has two receiving touchdowns this year (a 23-yarder vs. Hou. (11/7) and a 19-yarder at N.O. (11/21)) and has nine receptions for 126 yds. (14.0 avg.)

2004 Regular Season:

Johnson has become a reliable pass-catcher and lead blocker at the fullback position, playing in all 14 of the Broncos' games (3 starts). Statistically, his biggest contributions this season have come as a pass catcher who has tallied nine receptions for 126 yards (14.0 avg.) with two touchdowns. **He also has been a solid contributor on special teams, making nine tackles on kickoff and punt coverage to rank third on the Broncos.** At **K.C. (12/19)**, the fullback was forced out in the second quarter with a right ankle injury and did not start because Denver opened the game in a two tight-end set. He hauled in a Jake Plummer pass along the sideline and used a nifty move to gain 14 yards on the Broncos' first touchdown drive vs. **Mia. (12/12)**, and he finished the game with two receptions for 22 yards (11.0 avg.) along with two special teams tackles. Johnson started at **S.D. (12/5)** and played extensively against the Chargers but did not record an offensive statistic. Johnson hauled in two second-quarter passes to record eight yards (4.0 avg.) receiving vs. **Oak. (11/28)**, and he added a stop on special teams. In his second career start at **N.O. (11/21)**, he used his speed to turn a short catch into a 19-yard score early in the fourth quarter. He also served as a lead blocker for Reuben Droughns, helping the back gain 166 yards. Johnson had a career day vs. **Hou. (11/7)**, setting personal bests with three receptions for 46 yards (15.3 avg.), including a 23-yard touchdown reception for his first career score. Johnson did most of the work on his third-quarter touchdown catch against the Texans as he broke several tackles along the Texans sideline to scamper into the end zone. He also displayed his toughness after a 5-yard fourth-quarter reception by withstanding a big hit from Houston cornerback Dunta Robinson, who was shaken up as a result of the collision. On special teams against the Texans, Johnson made two tackles. Because Denver opened up in a two-tight end set vs. **Atl. (10/31)**, he did not start against the Falcons but did play extensively at fullback and on special teams. Johnson recorded his first career start at **Cin. (10/25)** on *Monday Night Football* and was involved in Denver's special teams effort, tackling Bengals return man Kenny Watson on a third-quarter kickoff. He played special teams only at **Oak. (10/17)**. With Reuben Droughns starting at running back vs. **Car. (10/10)**, Johnson replaced Droughns as the team's primary fullback against the Panthers but did not start because Denver opened the game in a three-wide receiver set, and he helped block for Droughns as he recorded the ninth-highest single-game rushing total (193 yds.) in franchise history. **He made a 31-yard catch, the first of his career,** on a quick pass from Jake Plummer over the middle in the first quarter that moved the Broncos into Carolina territory on their drive that resulted in their second field goal of the game. Johnson briefly played at fullback at **T.B. (10/3)**, including an appearance on the Broncos' fourth-quarter scoring drive that set up Denver's field goal that proved to be the game winner. Additionally, he made his first career tackle on special teams against the Buccaneers. He saw one play at fullback and played substantially on special teams vs. **S.D. (9/26)**. At **Jac. (9/19)**, Johnson played on special teams only. He saw most of his action on special teams vs. **K.C. (9/12)** in Denver's season opener while also filling in sparingly at fullback. He had a key block on a 32-yard kick return by Roc Alexander in the third quarter against the Chiefs.



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Johnson's 2004 Totals			Rushing				Receiving				
G	S	No.	Yds.	Avg.	LG	TD	Rec.	Yds.	Avg.	LG	TD
K.C. (9/12)		0	0	0.0	—	0	0	0	0.0	—	0
Special Teams Only											
@Jac. (9/19)											
S.D. (9/26)		0	0	0.0	—	0	0	0	0.0	—	0
@T.B. (10/3)		0	0	0.0	—	0	0	0	0.0	—	0
Car. (10/10)		0	0	0.0	—	0	1	31	31.0	31	0
Special Teams Only											
@Oak. (10/17)											
@Cin. (10/25)*		0	0	0.0	—	0	0	0	0.0	—	0
Atl. (10/31)		0	0	0.0	—	0	0	0	0.0	—	0
Hou. (11/7)		0	0	0.0	—	0	3	46	15.3	23T	1
@N.O. (11/21)*		0	0	0.0	—	0	1	19	19.0	19T	1
Oak. (11/28)		0	0	0.0	—	0	2	8	4.0	5	0
@S.D. (12/5)*		0	0	0.0	—	0	0	0	0.0	—	0
Mia. (12/12)		0	0	0.0	—	0	2	22	11.0	14	0
@K.C. (12/19)		0	0	0.0	—	0	0	0	0.0	—	0
14	3	0	0	0.0	—	0	9	126	14.0	31	2

Additional Statistics: Johnson has made nine special teams tackles this season. He also recorded a miscellaneous tackle vs. Carolina (10/10/04).

Johnson's Career Totals			Rushing				Receiving				
G	S	No.	Yds.	Avg.	LG	TD	Rec.	Yds.	Avg.	LG	TD
14	3	0	0	0.0	—	0	9	126	14.0	31	2

Additional Statistics: Johnson made nine tackles on special teams. He also recorded a miscellaneous tackle vs. Carolina (10/10/04).

Johnson's Single-Game Career Bests: Attempts — None; Rushing Yards — None; Longest Rush — None; Rushing TDs — None; Receptions — 3 (vs. Houston, 11/7/04); Receiving Yards — 46 (vs. Houston, 11/7/04); Longest reception — 31 (vs. Carolina, 10/10/04); Receiving TDs — 1 (twice, last at New Orleans, 11/21/04).

37 • Cecil Sapp • RB • 5-11 • 229 • 2 • Colorado State

Regular Season Games Played/Games Started: 2004: 3/0; Career: 4/0

2004 Regular Season: Sapp, who was signed from the Broncos' practice squad Oct. 27 after running back Quentin Griffin was placed on injured reserve with a torn ACL (right knee), has played in three games this season and totaled one special teams tackle. Sapp was inactive at K.C. (12/19). He saw his first action on offense vs. Mia. (12/12) when Reuben Droughns missed a few plays in the fourth quarter with a pinched nerve in his neck. Against the Dolphins, Sapp also made the first special teams tackle of his career. He was inactive at S.D. (12/5), vs. Oak. (11/28) and at N.O. (11/21). He saw time on special teams only vs. Hou. (11/7) and vs. Atl. (10/31).

Sapp's 2004 Totals			Rushing				Receiving				
G	S	No.	Yds.	Avg.	LG	TD	Rec.	Yds.	Avg.	LG	TD
Atl. (10/31)											
Special Teams Only											
Hou. (11/7)											
Special Teams Only											
@N.O. (11/21)											
Inactive											
Oak. (11/28)											
Inactive											
@S.D. (12/5)											
Inactive											
Mia. (12/12)		0	0	0.0	—	0	0	0	0.0	—	0
@K.C. (12/19)											
Inactive											
3	0	0	0	0.0	—	0	0	0	0.0	—	0

Additional Statistics: Sapp has made a tackle on special teams vs. Miami (12/12/04).

Sapp's Career Totals			Rushing				Receiving				
G	S	No.	Yds.	Avg.	LG	TD	Rec.	Yds.	Avg.	LG	TD
4	0	12	31	2.6	5	0	0	0	0.0	—	0

Additional Statistics: Sapp made one career tackle on special teams (vs. Miami, 12/12/04).

Sapp's Single-Game Career Bests: Attempts — 12 (at Green Bay, 12/28/03); Rushing Yards — 31 (at Green Bay, 12/28/03); Longest Rush — 5 (at Green Bay, 12/28/03); Rushing TDs — None; Receptions — None; Receiving Yards — None; Longest reception — None; Receiving TDs — None.

WIDE RECEIVERS

81 • Charlie Adams • WR • 6-2 • 190 • 2 • Hofstra

Regular Season Games Played/Games Started: 2004: 2/0; Career: 6/0

2004 Regular Season:

Adams was signed by the Broncos on Dec. 8 after Nate Jackson was placed on injured reserve with a fractured left ankle. He has appeared in two games this season contributing mostly on special teams, where he has made one tackle. He previously was on the Broncos' roster for their first three games (inactive for all three) this year before being waived Oct. 2. Adams saw significant time on special teams at K.C. (12/19) and appeared briefly at wide receiver late in the game. In Denver's win vs. Mia. (12/12), Adams saw time on special teams only and made his first career tackle on that unit.

Adams' 2004 Totals			Receiving			
G	S	No.	Yds.	Avg.	LG	TD
2	0	0	0	0.0	—	0

Additional Statistics: Adams made a tackle on special teams vs. Miami (12/12/04).

Adams' Career Totals			Receiving			
G	S	No.	Yds.	Avg.	LG	TD
6	0	0	0	0.0	—	0

Additional Statistics: Adams made one career tackle on special teams (vs. Miami, 12/12/04).

Adam's Single-Game Career Bests: Receptions — None; Receiving Yards — None; Longest Reception — None; Touchdown Receptions — None; Rushing Attempts — None; Rushing Yards — None; Longest Rush — None.

14 • Nate Jackson • WR • 6-3 • 223 • 2 • Menlo

Regular Season Games Played/Games Started: 2004: 12/0; Career: 13/0

2004 Regular Season:

Jackson emerged as an option at receiver for the Broncos, playing in 12 games and catching eight passes for 73 yards (9.1 avg.), before he was placed on injured reserve Dec. 7 with a fractured left ankle. He also made a difference on special teams by collecting seven tackles on kickoff and punt coverage. Jackson played on offense and special teams at S.D. (12/5), where he made one tackle, before a left ankle sprain forced him out of the game in the fourth quarter. He did not record a catch vs. Oak. (11/28) or at N.O. (11/21) but did compete on special teams. In the late-November game against the Raiders, he tied for the team-high with two special teams tackles. Jackson played receiver vs. Hou. (11/7) as well as special teams, and he drew a 15-yard unnecessary roughness penalty on a second-quarter punt return that set up Denver's third touchdown of the game. Jackson was tangled up on the ground with the Texans' Jonathan Wells but did not retaliate against Wells' aggressive play, forcing the penalty. Although he was held without a catch vs. Atl. (10/31), he caught Falcons punt returner Allen Rossum from behind for a tackle to stop a 39-yard third-quarter return. Jackson enjoyed a career game on Monday Night Football at Cin. (10/25), setting career highs in receptions (4) and receiving yards (33) to total an 8.3 yards-per-reception average. His four receptions against the Bengals equaled his total reception output for his seven career games played up to that point. Jackson did not have a catch against the Bengals until the fourth quarter when he made several clutch receptions, including back-to-back 8-yard grabs with Denver looking to mount a comeback. At Oak. (10/17) in front of many of the fans who supported him when he played at nearby Menlo College, Jackson appeared on offense but did not make a catch. He caught a pass in a game for the third time this season vs. Car. (10/10) with a 6-yard reception in the third quarter. His lone catch at T.B. (10/3), a 9-yarder along the sideline, occurred during a crucial fourth-quarter drive that set up a Denver field goal that proved to be the game winner. Jackson appeared at wide receiver in a few situations vs. S.D. (9/26) while also playing on special teams, making two tackles on that unit. He made the first two catches of his career at Jac. (9/19) during the Broncos' final drive of the game. The first catch of his career was a 5-yard grab just before the two-minute warning, and he followed that up with a 20-yard reception (the longest catch on that drive) that put Denver in scoring position. He saw the majority of his playing time vs. K.C. (9/12) on special teams and had limited duty on offense, where he did not make a catch.

Jackson's 2004 Totals			Receiving				Rushing				
G	S	No.	Yds.	Avg.	LG	TD	No.	Yds.	Avg.	LG	TD
K.C. (9/12)		0	0	0.0	—	0	0	0	0.0	—	0
@Jac. (9/19)		2	25	12.5	20	0	0	0	0.0	—	0
S.D. (9/26)		0	0	0.0	—	0	0	0	0.0	—	0
@T.B. (10/3)		1	9	9.0	9	0	0	0	0.0	—	0
Car. (10/10)		1	6	6.0	6	0	0	0	0.0	—	0
@Oak. (10/17)		0	0	0.0	—	0	0	0	0.0	—	0
@Cin. (10/25)		4	33	8.3	11	0	0	0	0.0	—	0
Atl. (10/31)		0	0	0.0	—	0	0	0	0.0	—	0
Hou. (11/7)		0	0	0.0	—	0	0	0	0.0	—	0
@N.O. (11/21)		0	0	0.0	—	0	0	0	0.0	—	0
Oak. (11/28)		0	0	0.0	—	0	0	0	0.0	—	0
@S.D. (12/5)		0	0	0.0	—	0	0	0	0.0	—	0
Mia. (12/12)											
Placed on Injured Reserve Dec. 7 (fractured left ankle)											
12	0	8	73	9.1	20	0	0	0	0.0	—	0

Additional Statistics: Jackson has made seven tackles on special teams, including two vs. Oakland (11/28/04) and vs. San Diego (9/26/04).

Jackson's Career Totals			Receiving				Rushing				
G	S	No.	Yds.	Avg.	LG	TD	No.	Yds.	Avg.	LG	TD
13	0	8	73	9.1	20	0	0	0	0.0	—	0

Additional Statistics: Jackson made seven career tackles on special teams.

Jackson's Single-Game Career Bests: Receptions — 4 (at Cincinnati, 10/25/04); Receiving Yards — 33 (at Cincinnati, 10/25/04); Longest Reception — 20 (at Jacksonville, 9/19/04); Touchdown Receptions — None; Rushing Attempts — None; Rushing Yards — None; Longest Rush — None.



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85 • Ashley Lelie • WR • 6-3 • 200 • 3 • Hawaii

Regular Season Games Played/Games Started: 2004: 14/14; Career: 46/25

- All six of his touchdown receptions have been longer than 30 yards (37, 40, 35, 31, 39 and 33 yds.), and he leads the NFL in touchdown receptions greater than 30 yards.
- With six touchdown catches of 30 or more yards this season, he has posted the second-highest single-season total of touchdown receptions greater than 30 yards in franchise history (behind Anthony Miller's 10 in 1995).
- Lelie leads the Broncos with a 19.3 avg. on receptions, which ranks second in the NFL among eligible receivers.
- His 48 catches are second most on the Broncos with four of his receptions providing the game-winning points (at N.O. 11/21, vs. Hou. 11/7, vs. Car. 10/10 and vs. S.D. 9/26).
- He posted the fourth 100-yard receiving game of his career and first this season at S.D. (12/5).
- Lelie recorded back-to-back six-catch games at Cin. (10/25) and vs. Atl. (10/31).
- He made an acrobatic 33-yard touchdown catch in the end zone from Jake Plummer on fourth-and-9 vs. S.D. (9/26) that proved to be the game-winning score.
- Against the Panthers (10/10), he hauled in a 39-yard fourth-quarter Jake Plummer pass in the corner of the end zone that proved to be the game winner.

2004 Regular Season:

Lelie's size and ability to get down the field have given the Broncos' offense a deep threat this season, and he has made several big plays in crucial situations on the way to leading the team in yards-per-catch average (19.3 avg.) and ranking second in the NFL in that statistic through 14 games (14 starts). Additionally, he stands second on the team with 48 receptions and 926 receiving yards. **All six of Lelie's touchdown receptions have been longer than 30 yards (37, 40, 35, 31, 39 and 33 yds.), and he leads the NFL in that statistic. Additionally, his six touchdown receptions of more than 30 yards rank as the second-highest single-season total in franchise history (Anthony Miller had 10 in 1995).** Lelie recorded three catches for 37 yards (12.3 avg.) at **K.C. (12/19)**, including a 21-yarder in the second quarter that converted a third-and-15. He showed great concentration and hand strength at **Mia. (12/12)** by catching a 32-yard pass over Dolphins cornerback Sam Madison in a two-catch, 60-yard (30.0 avg.) game. Lelie tallied the fourth 100-yard receiving game of his career and his first this year at **S.D. (12/5)** with a game-high 105 receiving yards on four catches (26.3 avg.). He continued to show his ability to haul in the deep ball against the Chargers, catching passes of 44 and 36 yards in the first quarter. In snowy, frigid conditions vs. **Oak. (11/28)**, Lelie led Denver in receptions with four catches for 80 yards (20.0 avg.). The majority of his yards against the Raiders came on a 57-yard, fourth-quarter catch in which he pulled in the ball and stumbled to the ground before gaining an additional 10 yards to the Oakland 3-yard line, setting up a touchdown run on the next play. He came up with his two biggest receptions on back-to-back plays in the first quarter at **N.O. (11/21)** by catching a 33-yard pass from Jake Plummer before hauling in a 37-yard touchdown. He finished the Broncos' game against the Saints with three receptions for 79 yards (26.3 avg.) and a touchdown. Lelie hauled in his fifth touchdown catch of the season longer than 30 yards vs. **Hou. (11/7)** with a 40-yard touchdown reception in the second quarter, and he finished the game with a team-high four catches and 81 yards receiving (20.3 avg.). One of his biggest plays vs. Houston was not a catch but rather a 36-yard pass interference call he drew on Texans cornerback Aaron Glenn in the first quarter that helped Denver set up its first touchdown of the game. He recorded his second consecutive six-catch game vs. **Atl. (10/31)** as he collected a season-high 94 receiving yards, including a 35-yard touchdown catch. He turned in a big fourth quarter against the Falcons by collecting 54 receiving yards on a single drive (13, 6 and 35-yard catches) that ended with his touchdown reception. On **Monday Night Football** at **Cin. (10/25)**, Lelie had a team-high six catches for 82 yards. He hauled in a 35-yard pass in the third quarter that put the Broncos inside Cincinnati's 20-yard line to set up a field goal, which trimmed the Bengals' lead to 3. He came down with a 31-yard touchdown in the second quarter at **Oak. (10/17)** on his way to making two catches for 45 yards (22.5 avg.) against the Raiders. On third down in the fourth quarter vs. **Car. (10/10)** with the Broncos trailing by four, Lelie made a 39-yard, over-the-shoulder, touchdown catch in the corner of the end zone that proved to be the game winner, **marking the third consecutive week that he was involved in the game-changing play.** He added another catch against the Panthers to total 52 yards on two catches (26.0 avg.). Although he only caught one pass for three yards at **T.B. (10/3)**, his effort in going after a fourth-quarter pass helped result in a 37-yard pass interference call that put Denver in position to make a field goal that proved to be the game winner. Lelie pulled down a spectacular 33-yard touchdown grab, which proved to be the game-winner, over the head of Chargers cornerback Quentin Jammer on fourth-and-9 in the third quarter vs. **S.D. (9/26)** as part of a four-catch, 67-yard (16.8 avg.) effort vs. the Chargers. He recorded his first rushing statistics of the season that day, rushing twice on reverses for six yards (3.0 avg.). He caught three passes for 53 yards (17.7 avg.) at **Jac. (9/19)** in a performance highlighted by a 39-yard catch that moved the Broncos down to Jacksonville's 6-yard line and set up a field goal right before the half. He also made a tough 8-yard catch on a third down with Denver driving at the end of the game. Lelie hauled in a 58-yard strike from Jake Plummer vs. **K.C. (9/12)** to begin a Denver series in the third quarter on his way to recording 88 yards receiving on four catches (22.0 avg.) against the Chiefs. The 58-yard catch was the second-longest reception on opening weekend in the NFL. **The 58-yard reception stands as Denver's longest play from scrimmage this year.** With the score tied at 24, his 22-yard catch to begin the fourth quarter set up a field goal that eventually proved to be the game winner. Lelie also had a key block on Quentin Griffin's 25-yard touchdown run in the second quarter.

Lelie's 2004 Totals					Receiving					Rushing						
G	S	No.	Yds.	Avg.	LG	TD	No.	Yds.	Avg.	LG	TD	No.	Yds.	Avg.	LG	TD
K.C. (9/12)*		4	88	22.0	58	0	0	0	0.0	—	0	0	0	0.0	—	0
@Jac. (9/19)*		3	53	17.7	39	0	0	0	0.0	—	0	0	0	0.0	—	0
S.D. (9/26)		4	67	16.8	33T	1	2	6	3.0	8	0	0	0	0.0	—	0
@T.B. (10/3)*		1	3	3.0	3	0	0	0	0.0	—	0	0	0	0.0	—	0
Car. (10/10)*		2	52	26.0	39T	1	0	0	0.0	—	0	0	0	0.0	—	0
@Oak. (10/17)*		2	45	22.5	31T	1	0	0	0.0	—	0	0	0	0.0	—	0
@Cin. (10/25)*		6	82	13.7	35	0	0	0	0.0	—	0	0	0	0.0	—	0
Atl. (10/31)*		6	94	15.7	35T	1	0	0	0.0	—	0	0	0	0.0	—	0
Hou. (11/7)*		4	81	20.3	40T	1	0	0	0.0	—	0	0	0	0.0	—	0
@N.O. (11/21)*		3	79	26.3	37T	1	0	0	0.0	—	0	0	0	0.0	—	0
Oak. (11/28)*		4	80	20.0	57	0	0	0	0.0	—	0	0	0	0.0	—	0
@S.D. (12/5)*		4	105	26.3	44	0	1	-1	-1.0	-1	0	0	0	0.0	—	0
Mia. (12/12)*		2	60	30.0	32	0	0	0	0.0	—	0	0	0	0.0	—	0
@K.C. (12/19)*		3	37	12.3	21	0	0	0	0.0	—	0	0	0	0.0	—	0
14	14	48	926	19.3	58	6	3	5	1.7	8	0	0	0	0	0	0

Additional Statistics: Lelie recorded a miscellaneous tackle on an interception return at Cincinnati (10/25/04).

Lelie's Career Totals					Receiving					Rushing						
G	S	No.	Yds.	Avg.	LG	TD	No.	Yds.	Avg.	LG	TD	No.	Yds.	Avg.	LG	TD
46	25	120	2,079	17.3	60	10	15	88	5.9	24	0	0	0	0.0	—	0

Lelie's Single-Game Career Bests: Receptions — 8 (vs. Oakland, 11/11/02) **Receiving Yards** — 115 (at Indianapolis, 12/21/03); **Longest Reception** — 60 (at Indianapolis, 12/21/03); **Touchdown Receptions** — 1 (10 times, last at New Orleans, (11/21/04)); **Rushing Attempts** — 2 (five times, last vs. San Diego, 9/26/04); **Rushing Yards** — 24 (at Kansas City, 10/20/02); **Longest Rush** — 24 (at Kansas City, 10/20/02).

10 • Triandos Luke • WR • 5-10 • 189 • R • Alabama

Regular Season Games Played/Games Started: 2004: 8/0; Career: 8/0

2004 Regular Season:

In his first NFL season, Luke is becoming more comfortable in his role as one of the Broncos' regular special-teams contributors, and he has totaled 15 punt returns for 113 yards (7.5 avg.) and 10 kickoff returns for 190 yards (19.0 avg.) in eight games played (four special teams only). Additionally, he has shown improvement as a wide receiver with six receptions for 52 yards (8.7 avg.). Luke had one of the best games of his rookie year at **K.C. (12/19)**, catching five passes for 40 yards (8.0 avg.) to set career highs. In addition to one punt return (0 yds.), he returned kickoffs for the first time in nearly two months against the Chiefs, posting eight returns for 155 yards (19.4 avg.) **that marked the most kick returns by a Bronco in a game since Kevin Kasper's eight returns at Kansas City on Oct. 20, 2002.** He returned a career-high five punts for 23 yards (4.6 avg.) vs. **Mia. (12/12)** and played sparingly at wide receiver. He also has gained 35 yards on two kick returns (17.5 avg.) and totaled one reception for 12 yards. He played on special teams only at **S.D. (12/5)**. Luke's first NFL catch, a 12-yard reception, came in a crucial situation with a little more than a minute remaining in the fourth quarter vs. **Oak. (11/28)** as the Broncos were driving for a potential game-winning score. He was inactive at **N.O. (11/21)** and vs. **Hou. (11/7)**. Luke was inactive for the first time in four weeks vs. **Atl. (10/31)**. Although he had a relatively quiet game returning punts (one return for two yards and two fair catches) on **Monday Night Football** at **Cin. (10/25)**, he replaced Quentin Griffin as the Broncos' kickoff returner after Griffin suffered a knee injury returning the opening kickoff of the second half. Luke finished the game with two kick returns for 35 yards (17.5 avg.). He made an impact in the Broncos' game at **Oak. (10/17)** by gaining 59 yards on four returns (14.8 avg.). Late in the third quarter against the Raiders, Luke brought back a punt 21 yards and picked up an additional 15 yards on a face mask penalty. He had two returns for 10 yards (5.0 avg.) vs. **Car. (10/10)**. In his first career game at **T.B. (10/3)**, he gained 19 yards on two returns (9.5 avg.) and made three fair catches. Luke was inactive for Denver's first three games.

Luke's 2004 Totals					Receiving					Punt Returns								
G	S	No.	Yds.	Avg.	LG	TD	Ret	Yds.	Avg.	FC	LG	TD	No.	Yds.	Avg.	LG	TD	
K.C. (9/12)																		
@Jac. (9/19)																		
S.D. (9/26)																		
@T.B. (10/3)							2	19	9.5	3	10	0						
Car. (10/10)							2	10	5.0	1	9	0						
@Oak. (10/17)		0	0	0.0	—	0	4	59	14.8	0	21	0						
@Cin. (10/25)							1	2	2.0	2	2	0						
Atl. (10/31)																		
Hou. (11/7)																		
@N.O. (11/21)																		
Oak. (11/28)		1	12	12.0	12	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0						
@S.D. (12/5)							0	0	0.0	0	—	0						
Mia. (12/12)		0	0	0.0	—	0	5	23	4.6	0	10	0						
@K.C. (12/19)		5	40	8.0	10	0	1	0	0.0	0	0	0						
8	0	6	52	8.7	12	0	15	113	7.5	6	21	0						

Additional Statistics: Luke has returned 10 kickoffs for 190 yards (19.0 avg.), including eight at K.C. (12/19/04).

Luke's Single-Game Career Bests: Receptions — 5 (at Kansas City, 12/19/04); **Receiving Yards** — 40 (at Kansas City, 12/19/04); **Longest Reception** — 12 (vs. Oakland, 11/28/04);



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Touchdown Receptions — None; **Rushing Attempts** — None; **Rushing Yards** — None; **Longest Rush** — None; **Punt Returns** — 5 (vs. Miami, 12/12/04); **Punt Return Yards** — 59 (at Oakland, 10/17/04); **Longest Punt Return** — 21 (at Oakland, 10/17/04).

80 • Rod Smith • WR • 6-0 • 200 • 10 • Missouri Southern

Regular Season Games Played/Games Started: 2004: 14/14; Career: 149/124

- Smith became one of 20 players in NFL history to record 700 career receptions (700 catches – 9,638 yds.) in Denver's game at K.C. (12/19), passing Gary Clark (699 catches) for 20th on the NFL's all-time receptions list.
- Smith became the Broncos' franchise leader in receptions (700) and touchdown catches (58) as he passed Shannon Sharpe in both categories with three catches for 29 yards (9.7 avg.) and one touchdown vs. Hou. (11/7).
- Smith's team-high 1,010 receiving yards rank seventh in the AFC while his 67 receptions also lead the Broncos and rank 12th in the AFC.
- His 15.1 yard-per-reception average is his best since 2000 (16.0 avg.) and third best since he became a starter in 1997.
- He hauled in a career-long 85-yard touchdown vs. Oak. (11/28) that marked the eighth-longest passing play in team history despite the snowy conditions.
- The veteran became only the second Bronco in team history to top 200 receiving yards in a game with 208 yards vs. Atl. (10/31), and he totaled the second-highest single-game receiving total in Denver history that day while also becoming the first Bronco ever and the fourth player in the last 10 years to post 100 or more yards receiving in each half of a game (107 yds. in the first half / 101 yds. in the second half).
- His career-high 208 receiving yards vs. Atl. (10/31), which marked the highest single-game receiving output in the NFL this season, included an 80-yard touchdown catch that tied him with Shannon Sharpe for the Broncos' all-time lead in career touchdowns (55) and also was his regular-season career long for a reception.
- With 50 yards receiving at Cin. (10/25), Smith became one of 31 players with more than 9,000 career receiving yards and the only undrafted player to accomplish that feat.
- Smith's 678 receptions and 9,249 receiving yards since 1997 rank third and fourth, respectively, among active NFL receivers, and his 55 touchdown catches are fourth most during that period.
- Smith moved into seventh-place all-time in Broncos scoring (passing Shannon Sharpe) vs. S.D. (9/26) and now has 368 career points.
- He has caught at least one pass in a franchise-record 90 consecutive games.
- In playing at Oak. (10/17), Smith moved past Haven Moses for most games played by a receiver in team history and has appeared in 149 games with the Broncos.
- He leads the Broncos and ranks fourth in the AFC (8th in NFL) in punt-return average with a 10.1 avg. on 21 returns for 212 yards.
- Smith was selected by his teammates as an offensive co-captain along with quarterback Jake Plummer.

2004 Regular Season:

The production, consistency and veteran leadership Smith has brought to the Broncos have helped the team contend for a playoff berth as well as inspired teammates. He leads the Broncos with 67 receptions and 1,010 receiving yards (15.1 avg.) and has six touchdowns through 14 games (14 starts). He ranks seventh in the AFC in receiving yards while placing 12th in the AFC in receptions. **Smith, in his 10th NFL season, was selected by his teammates as an offensive co-captain for the Broncos, joining quarterback Jake Plummer in that role.** In addition to being Plummer's go-to receiver, he leads the Broncos and ranks fourth in the AFC (8th in NFL) in punt-return average with a 10.1 avg. on 21 returns for 212 yards. **He became one of 20 players in NFL history to record 700 career receptions at K.C. (12/19)** as he used a six-catch, 75-yard effort (12.5 avg.) with one touchdown to reach the 700-mark in catches, passing Gary Clark for 20th all-time in career receptions in NFL history. He scored his lone touchdown against the Chiefs on a 22-yard grab with a few seconds left in the first quarter. He caught six of the Broncos' first eight receptions vs. **Mia. (12/12)** on the way to totaling a game-high eight receptions for 97 yards (12.1 avg.). Against the Dolphins, Smith passed Terrance Mathis and moved into 21st on the NFL's all-time receptions list. Smith hauled in the longest catch of the game, a 45-yarder, at **S.D. (12/5)** in a four-catch, 76-yard (19.0 avg.) outing against the Chargers. His 45-yard reception in the second-half led to a touchdown a few plays later and sparked Denver's comeback attempt. He also returned four punts for 33 yards (8.3 avg.) in San Diego, including a 21-yard return that gave the Broncos decent field position for their final drive. In snowy, frigid conditions vs. **Oak. (11/28)**, **he beat Raiders free safety Ray Buchanan for a career-long 85-yard touchdown reception that marked the eighth-longest passing play in team history** on the way to finishing the game with two catches for 99 yards (49.5 avg.). At **N.O. (11/21)**, Smith tallied three receptions for 26 yards (8.7 avg.), which all came in the second quarter, while gaining 36 yards on three punt returns (12.0 avg.). **He became the Broncos' all-time leader in receptions and touchdowns vs. Hou. (11/7)** with three catches for 29 yards (9.7 avg.), including a 13-yard touchdown in the second quarter in which Jake Plummer found the receiver wide open in the left corner of the end zone. With a career-high 208 receiving yards vs. **Atl. (10/31)**, **Smith posted the second most receiving yards in a game in franchise history and joined Shannon Sharpe as the only two Broncos to go over the 200-yard mark receiving.** Additionally, his 208 yards receiving mark the highest single-game receiving output in the NFL this season. He caught a game-high nine passes against the Falcons, including an 80-yard touchdown pass in the first quarter that tied him with Shannon Sharpe for most career touchdowns in franchise history (55) as well as set a regular-season career long. Smith's consistency against the Falcons was evident **as he became the first Bronco and the fourth player in the last 10 years to record 100 or more yards receiving in each half** (107 yds. in the first half, 101 yds. in the second half). He turned in another solid outing on **Monday Night Football at Cin. (10/25)** with five catches for 50 yards (10.0 avg.). He caught his second touchdown of the season in the second quarter on a 3-yard pass. **He eclipsed 9,000 career receiving yards against the Bengals, becoming one of 31 players to accomplish that feat.** Additionally, he passed Ozzie

Newsome for 23rd on the NFL's all-time receptions list against the Bengals. He extended his franchise-record streak of recording at least one reception to 82 games at **Oak. (10/17)** with a 24-yard grab, his lone catch, on third down in the first quarter to move the Broncos inside Oakland's 15-yard line and set up a touchdown one play later. He also converted a third down with a 14-yard run in the third quarter. In starting against the Raiders, **Smith moved past Haven Moses for most games played (142) by a receiver in team history.** Smith led or tied for the team high in receptions for the fifth consecutive game vs. **Car. (10/10)** with four catches for a team-high 60 yards (15.0 avg.). **His hustle was exemplified by running nearly 100 yards in an effort to chase down Panthers defensive end Julius Peppers**, who intercepted a Jake Plummer pass and took it back 97 yards before getting tangled up with Smith at the Broncos' 3-yard line. He had a team-high four catches for 32 yards (8.0 avg.) at **T.B. (10/3)**. Smith's 11-yard reception moved Denver inside the Buccaneers' 25-yard line on their lone touchdown drive. He caught his first touchdown (16 yds.) of the season vs. **S.D. (9/26)** and led Denver in receiving yards (75 yards on five catches) for the third consecutive game. **With the score against the Chargers, Smith passed Shannon Sharpe for seventh place on the Broncos-all-time scoring list with 338 points.** He had game highs in receptions (6) and receiving yards (83) for a 13.8 average at **Jac. (9/19)**. His 34-yard grab midway through the second quarter put Denver into Jaguars territory and set up its first points of the game on a field goal. He recorded a game-high seven receptions for 76 yards (10.9 avg.) vs. **K.C. (9/12)** in Denver's season opener while serving as the Broncos' sole punt returner with four returns for 55 yards (13.8 avg.), including a 30-yard return that was the longest in the NFL that week. **His punt-return yardage total in Wk. 1 was the best in the NFL while his seven catches in the opening week rank third in the NFL.** He caught a pass on the Broncos' first four possessions against the Chiefs.

Smith's 2004 Totals		Receiving					Rushing				
G	S	No.	Yds.	Avg.	LG	TD	No.	Yds.	Avg.	LG	TD
K.C. (9/12)*		7	76	10.9	14	0	1	-3	-3.0	-3	0
@Jac. (9/19)*		6	83	13.8	34	0	0	0	0.0	—	0
S.D. (9/26)*		5	75	15.0	32	1	0	0	0.0	—	0
@T.B. (10/3)*		4	32	8.0	11	0	0	0	0.0	—	0
Car. (10/10)*		4	60	15.0	26	0	0	0	0.0	—	0
@Oak. (10/17)*		1	24	24.0	24	0	2	22	11.0	14	0
@Cin. (10/25)*		5	50	10.0	15	1	0	0	0.0	—	0
Atl. (10/31)*		9	208	23.1	80T	1	1	6	6.0	6	0
Hou. (11/7)*		3	29	9.7	13T	1	0	0	0.0	—	0
@N.O. (11/21)*		3	26	8.7	13	0	0	0	0.0	—	0
Oak. (11/28)*		2	99	49.5	85T	1	0	0	0.0	—	0
@S.D. (12/5)*		4	76	19.0	45	0	0	0	0.0	—	0
Mia. (12/12)*		8	97	12.1	26	0	0	0	0.0	—	0
@K.C. (12/19)*		6	75	12.5	22	1	0	0	0.0	—	0
14	14	67	1,010	15.1	85T	6	4	25	6.3	14	0

Punt Returns	
Opp.	Total
Ret.	21
Yds.	212
Avg.	10.1
FC	8
LG	30
TD	0

Additional Statistics: He recorded a miscellaneous tackle vs. Carolina (10/10/04) when he tripped up the Panthers' Julius Peppers' during his 97-yd. interception return. Smith recovered his own fumble on punt returns at Jacksonville. (9/19/04) and vs. K.C. (9/12/04).

Smith's Career Totals		Receiving				Rushing					
G	S	No.	Yds.	Avg.	LG	TD	No.	Yds.	Avg.	LG	TD
149	124	700	9,638	13.8	85T	58	40	337	8.4	50T	1

Additional Statistics: He recorded a miscellaneous tackle vs. Carolina (10/10/04) when he tripped up the Panthers' Julius Peppers' during his 97-yd. interception return. Smith recovered his own fumble on two punt returns (vs. Jac. 9/19/04 and vs. K.C. 9/12/04). Smith has returned 51 punts for 634 yds. (12.4 avg.), with one touchdown, 32 fair catches and a long return of 65 (TD, vs. San Diego, 11/16/03). He has returned six kickoffs for 93 yds. (15.5) with a long of 29. He has also attempted three passes and completed two (66.7) for 86 yds. in his career for a passer rating of 109.7. He attempted one pass, a 14-yd. completion to John Elway in 1998 (vs. Oakland, 11/22); threw an incomplete pass intended for Ed McCaffrey in 2002 (at Baltimore, 9/30) and attempted one pass, a 72-yd. completion to Clinton Portis in 2003 (at Kansas City, 10/5). Smith scored a touchdown on a fumble recovery in 1998 (at Miami, 12/21). Special teams tackles (7).

Smith's Single-Game Career Bests: Receptions — 14* (at Arizona, 9/23/01); Receiving Yards — 208 (vs. Atlanta, 10/31/04); Longest Reception — 85T (vs. Oakland, 11/28/04); Receiving TDs — 3 (vs. Cleveland, 10/16/00); Punt Returns — 7 (vs. Kansas City, 10/27/96); Punt Return Yards — 99 (vs. Kansas City, 10/27/96); Longest Punt Return — 65 (TD, vs. San Diego, 11/16/03); Punt Return TDs — 1 (vs. San Diego, 11/16/03); Rushing Attempts — 3 (at Cincinnati, 9/7/03 and at Seattle, 11/26/00); Rushing Yards — 78 (at Seattle, 11/26/00); Longest Rush — 50 (TD, at Seattle, 11/26/00); Rushing TDs — 1 (at Seattle, 11/26/00); Longest Pass Completion — 72 (to Clinton Portis, at Kansas City, 10/5/03). *franchise record

17 • Darius Watts • WR • 6-2 • 188 • R • Marshall

Regular Season Games Played/Games Started: 2004: 14/2; Career: 14/2

- Denver's second of two second-round draft choices (54th overall) in the 2004 NFL Draft, Watts has 29 catches to rank second among AFC rookies while he also ranks second in the AFC (6th in NFL) among rookies with 356 receiving yards.
- Watts is on pace for 33 catches, which would mark the fifth-best rookie receiving output in Broncos history.



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2004 Regular Season:

Watts has made strides as Denver's third receiver during his rookie season, appearing in 14 games (2 starts) and totaling 29 catches for 356 yards (12.3 avg.) with a touchdown while adding five rushes for 33 yards (6.6 avg.). **He ranks second among AFC rookies in receptions while also ranking second in the conference among rookies in receiving yards (6th in NFL).** He finished with one catch for 14 yards at **K.C. (12/19)** with his lone reception moving Denver into Chiefs territory with a little more than a minute remaining in the first half on a scoring (field goal) drive. Watts' only catch vs. **Mia. (12/12)** was a 16-yard catch that began Denver's second touchdown drive of the game. At **S.D. (12/5)**, he caught two passes for 23 yards (11.5 avg.). Both of his receptions, a 13 and 10-yarder, occurred on the Broncos' final drive during their comeback attempt. Watts recorded the second start of his career vs. **Oak. (11/28)** with Denver opening the game in a three wide-receiver set, and the rookie made two catches for 27 yards (13.5 avg.). He showed great balance to stay inbounds on a 19-yard catch, which converted a third down, in the Broncos' game against the Raiders. He caught a 12-yard pass, his only reception of the game, from Jake Plummer for a first down at **N.O. (11/21)** on a second-half touchdown drive. Watts kept his streak of recording at least one catch in every game alive vs. **Hou. (11/7)** with a 5-yard reception in the fourth quarter. He also took a reverse against the Texans in the third quarter, running four yards around the left side to set up a touchdown pass two plays later. In a breakout game vs. **Atl. (10/31)**, he made a career-high seven receptions for a personal-best 86 yards (12.3 avg.), including a 7-yard catch that marked the first touchdown of his career. He made major contributions in the fourth quarter against the Falcons by recording six grabs for 78 yards in the final period, including three catches for 41 yards on a drive. He showed great concentration in getting both feet inbounds on his first-career touchdown reception during the Broncos' comeback attempt against Atlanta. Watts came up big for the Broncos on *Monday Night Football* at **Cin. (10/25)** by tying a then-career high with four catches for 36 yards (9.0 avg.) while also gaining a first down on a 10-yard reverse in the first quarter. He used his speed to turn up field to make a 19-yard reception in the second quarter against the Bengals to set up Denver's lone touchdown. Watts' only catch at **Oak. (10/17)** came on a crossing route over the middle in the first quarter that he turned into a 28-yard gain. In his first career start vs. **Car. (10/10)** with the Broncos electing to open the game in a three wide-receiver set, Watts used a combination of his long arms and sharp reflexes to catch a quick Jake Plummer pass for 14 yards while falling down on a key fourth-quarter third-down conversion with less than five minutes remaining. The catch, which was his lone grab against the Panthers, helped the Broncos run out the clock to seal their comeback win. During his two-catch, 20-yard (10.0 avg.) effort at **T.B. (10/3)**, his 13-yard grab on a third-and-16 in the second quarter moved the Broncos just close enough to make a 50-yard field goal. **He also recorded his first career rush against the Buccaneers on a fourth-quarter 7-yard run that converted a third down during the Broncos' seven-minute, 23-second drive that sealed their win.** He had a career day vs. **S.D. (9/26)**, setting personal bests with four catches and 42 yards receiving. Watts made two catches, including a 17-yard grab to move Denver into scoring range, during a fourth-quarter drive that set up a field goal against the Chargers. He recorded a clutch 11-yard reception, his lone catch of the game, at **Jac. (9/19)** with the Broncos pinned at their 6-yard line late in the game trailing by 1. In his NFL debut vs. **K.C. (9/12)**, Watts was Denver's No. 3 receiver and caught a 22-yard pass late in the first quarter to move the Broncos into scoring territory to set up a Quentin Griffin touchdown catch.

Watts' 2004 Totals		Receiving				Rushing					
G	S	No.	Yds.	Avg.	LG	TD	No.	Yds.	Avg.	LG	TD
K.C. (9/12)		1	22	22.0	22	0	0	0	0.0	—	0
@Jac. (9/19)		1	11	11.0	11	0	0	0	0.0	—	0
S.D. (9/26)		4	42	10.5	17	0	0	0	0.0	—	0
@T.B. (10/3)		2	20	10.0	13	0	1	7	7.0	7	0
Car. (10/10)*		1	14	14.0	14	0	1	4	4.0	4	0
@Oak. (10/17)		1	28	28.0	28	0	0	0	0.0	—	0
@Cin. (10/25)		4	36	9.0	19	0	1	10	10.0	10	0
Atl. (10/31)		7	86	12.3	25	1	1	8	8.0	8	0
Hou. (11/7)		1	5	5.0	5	0	1	4	4.0	4	0
@N.O. (11/21)		1	12	12.0	—	0	0	0	0.0	—	0
Oak. (11/28)*		2	27	13.5	19	0	0	0	0.0	—	0
@S.D. (12/5)*		2	23	11.5	13	0	0	0	0.0	—	0
Mia. (12/12)		1	16	16.0	16	0	0	0	0.0	—	0
@K.C. (12/19)		1	14	14.0	14	0	0	0	0.0	—	0
14	2	29	356	12.3	28	1	5	33	6.6	10	0

Additional Statistics: Watts recorded one miscellaneous tackle vs. K.C. (9/12/04).

Watts' Single-Game Career Bests: Receptions — 7 (vs. Atlanta, 10/31/04); Receiving Yards — 86 (vs. Atlanta, 10/31/04); Longest Reception — 28 (at Oakland, 10/17/04); Touchdown Receptions — 1 (vs. Atlanta, 10/31/04); Rushing Attempts — 1 (four times, last vs. Atlanta 10/31/04); Rushing Yards — 10 (at Cincinnati, 10/25/04); Longest Rush — 10 (at Cincinnati 10/25/04).

TIGHT ENDS

89 • Dwayne Carswell • TE • 6-3 • 290 • 11 • Liberty

Regular Season Games Played/Games Started: 2004: 13/12; Career: 154/79

2004 Regular Season:

Carswell has readjusted to playing tight end after spending training camp as an offensive lineman, appearing in 13 games (12 starts) and making 20 catches for 175 yards (8.8 avg.) with one touchdown. The veteran also has played as an H-back in certain formations this season. Carswell caught a 9-yard pass at **K.C. (12/19)** for his only reception of the game. In a start vs. **Mia. (12/12)**, he did not record a catch. He totaled one reception at **S.D. (12/5)** but

was stopped at the line of scrimmage for no gain. Carswell made a 6-yard catch, his only reception, vs. **Oak. (11/28)**, on a second-half Broncos touchdown drive. He had a season and team-high five catches for 27 yards (5.4 avg.) at **N.O. (11/21)**. He was used in several different formations, including split wide, against the Saints. His two-catch, 19-yard (11.1 avg.) game vs. **Hou. (11/7)** was highlighted by a 15-yard reception during an efficient touchdown drive that took place with less than 1:30 left in the first half. He did not make a catch in a start vs. **Atl. (10/31)**. Carswell missed Denver's game at **Cin. (10/25)** because he was on the reserve/suspended list. He made two catches for 30 yards (15.0 avg.), including a 10-yard score on third-and-9 in the second quarter that marked his first touchdown this season, at **Oak. (10/17)**. He turned in a huge game vs. **Car. (10/10)**, during which he tied for the team-lead in receptions (4 catches for 45 yards — 11.3 avg.) and recorded the most receptions and receiving yards that he's had in a game since 12/1/02 at San Diego. All of his receptions came in the second half, and he accounted for 30 receiving yards during the Broncos' game-winning, fourth-quarter touchdown drive. Carswell was involved as a blocker during short-yardage situations at **T.B. (10/3)**, helping Denver convert eight third-down attempts, and he did not record a catch that game. His lone reception in a start vs. **S.D. (9/26)** was a 4-yard grab that began a Denver field-goal drive in the second quarter. Carswell recorded his first start of the season at **Jac. (9/19)** during a game in which he totaled his first offensive statistics of the season. He made three catches for 35 yards (11.7 avg.), including a shoestring 19-yard reception late in the fourth quarter with Denver looking to erase its 1-point deficit against the Jaguars. Carswell played sparingly at tight end vs. **K.C. (9/12)** and saw action on special teams.

Carswell's 2004 Totals

G	S	No.	Yds.	Avg.	LG	TD
K.C. (9/12)		0	0	0.0	—	0
@Jac. (9/19)*		3	35	11.7	19	0
S.D. (9/26)*		1	4	4.0	4	0
@T.B. (10/3)*		0	0	0.0	—	0
Car. (10/10)*		4	45	11.3	19	0
@Oak. (10/17)*		2	30	15.0	20	1
@Cin. (10/25)		Reserve/Suspended				
Atl. (10/31)*		0	0	0.0	—	0
Hou. (11/7)*		2	19	9.5	15	0
@N.O. (11/21)*		5	27	5.4	11	0
Oak. (11/28)*		1	6	6.0	6	0
@S.D. (12/5)*		1	0	0.0	0	0
Mia. (12/12)*		0	0	0.0	0	0
@K.C. (12/19)*		1	9	9.0	9	0
13	12	20	175	8.8	20	1

Carswell's Career Totals

G	S	No.	Yds.	Avg.	LG	TD
154	79	188	1,681	8.9	43T	13

Additional Statistics: Special teams tackles (31). Recovered one fumble in 1994 and had one forced fumble on special teams in 1998 (at K.C., 11/16). Returned one kickoff for 0 yds. in 1994, one kickoff for 0 yds. in 2000 and one kickoff for 14 yds. in 2002 (Total: 3-14, 4.7). Scored on a two-point conversion, 2001.

Carswell's Single-Game Career Bests: Receptions — 6 (at Kansas City, 12/16/01 and at Detroit, 12/25/99); Receiving Yards — 68 (at Cincinnati, 10/16/00); Receiving TDs — 1 (13 times, most recently at Oakland, 10/17/04); Longest Reception — 43 (TD, at New Orleans, 12/3/00).

86 • Patrick Hape • TE • 6-4 • 262 • 8 • 14 Alabama

Regular Season Games Played/Games Started: 2004: 14/3; Career: 122/19

• Although he has only four receptions this season, Hape has recorded three touchdowns to rank third on the team in receiving scores.

2004 Regular Season:

Three of Hape's four receptions this season have gone for touchdowns (1, 5 and 2 yards), and the tight end has thrived in the Broncos' goal-line offense through 14 games (3 starts) with 15 receiving yards (3.8 avg.). **His three touchdown receptions rank third on the Broncos.** His ability to sell Denver's play-action pass on the goal line has resulted in a productive season, and the veteran also has been used as an H-back on offense. He saw time at tight end at **K.C. (12/19)** and became Denver's lead blocker against the Chiefs when fullback Kyle Johnson went down with a first-half injury. Hape made his third start of the season vs. **Mia. (12/12)** but did not make a catch. He saw action on offense at **S.D. (12/5)**, vs. **Oak. (11/28)**, at **N.O. (11/21)** and vs. **Hou. (11/7)** but did not make a catch in those games. Hape made his only catch vs. **Atl. (10/31)** count as he hauled in 1-yard pass in the left corner of the end zone from Jake Plummer to account for Denver's first score of the game. He made his second start of the season at **Cin. (10/25)** on *Monday Night Football* but did not record a catch. Hape hauled in a 7-yard reception at **Oak. (10/17)** in the third quarter that brought Denver inside the Raiders' 10-yard line to set up their fourth touchdown of the game. Hape appeared at tight end during blocking situations vs. **Car. (10/10)** and also appeared at H-back. He came down with a 5-yard touchdown grab at **T.B. (10/3)** after Jake Plummer fooled the Buccaneers' defense with a bootleg to the right side. **The 5-yard score against the Buccaneers marked the longest touchdown of Hape's career.** Hape briefly saw action at tight end vs. **S.D. (9/26)** while also playing on special teams. He started his first game since the 2001 season at **Jac. (9/19)** when the Broncos opened the game in a two-tight end set, but he did not total any offensive statistics against the Jaguars. Hape's only reception vs. **K.C. (9/12)** during the Broncos' season opener was a 2-yard touchdown catch with a little more



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than two minutes left in the game that capped off a crucial 13-play, 87-yard drive occupying more than seven minutes of time in the fourth quarter. The score sealed the win for Denver as the Broncos took a 34-24 lead over the Chiefs following the pivotal drive.

Hape's 2004 Totals		Receiving				
G	S	No.	Yds.	Avg.	LG	TD
K.C. (9/12)		1	2	2.0	2T	1
@Jac. (9/19)*		0	0	0.0	—	0
S.D. (9/26)		0	0	0.0	—	0
@T.B. (10/3)		1	5	5.0	5T	1
Car. (10/10)		0	0	0.0	—	0
@Oak. (10/17)		1	7	7.0	7	0
@Cin. (10/25)*		0	0	0.0	—	0
Atl. (10/31)		1	1	1.0	1T	1
Hou. (11/7)		0	0	0.0	—	0
@N.O. (11/21)		0	0	0.0	—	0
Oak. (11/28)		0	0	0.0	—	0
@S.D. (12/5)		0	0	0.0	—	0
Mia. (12/12)*		0	0	0.0	—	0
@K.C. (12/19)		0	0	0.0	—	0
14	3	4	15	3.8	7	3

Hape's Career Totals		Receiving				
G	S	No.	Yds.	Avg.	LG	TD
122	19	47	267	5.7	25	10

Additional Statistics: Hape scored on a two-point conversion attempt at Green Bay, 9/13/98. Rushed once for one yard, 1997. Rushed twice for 0 yds., 2001: **Total Rushing:** 3-1, LG of 1.

Hape's Single-Game Career Bests: Receptions — 2 (nine times, most recently vs. Cleveland, 12/14/03); **Receiving Yards** — 35 (at Kansas City, 12/16/01); **Longest Reception** — 25 (at Kansas City, 12/16/01); **Receiving Touchdowns** — 1 (10 times, most recently vs. Atlanta, 10/31/04).

83 • Mike Leach • TE/LS • 6-2 • 245 • 5 • William & Mary
Regular Season Games Played/Games Started: 2004: 14/0; Career: 57/0

2004 Regular Season:

Leach has handled the Broncos' long-snapping duties for all 14 of their games this season. At **K.C. (12/19)**, he downed a 42-yard Jason Baker punt at the Chiefs' 1-yard line in the third quarter. He was the first Bronco downfield on a fourth-quarter punt vs. **Oak. (11/28)** and pulled down Raiders returner Phillip Buchanon for a loss of six yards on the play. He made a tackle on special teams at **N.O. (11/21)**. On Denver's opening punt of the game at **Cin. (10/25)** on *Monday Night Football*, he was the first Bronco downfield and slowed up Bengals return man Deltha O'Neal for a 1-yard return. At **Oak. (10/17)**, Leach downed a Micah Knorr punt at the Raiders' 26-yard line in the fourth quarter. He made a tackle on special teams at **T.B. (10/3)**.

Leach's 2004 Totals		Receiving				
G	S	No.	Yds.	Avg.	LG	TD
14	0					
Special Teams Only						

Additional Statistics: Leach made a special teams tackle vs. Oakland (11/28/04), at New Orleans (11/21/04) and at Tampa Bay (10/3/04).

Leach's Career Totals		Receiving				
G	S	No.	Yds.	Avg.	LG	TD
57	0	0	0	0.0	—	0

Additional Statistics: Special teams tackles (8). He returned a kickoff for 10 yds. vs. Cleveland (11/19/00).

Leach's Single-Game Career Bests: Receptions — None; **Receiving Yards** — None; **Longest Reception** — None; **Touchdown Receptions** — None; **Rushing Attempts** — None; **Rushing Yards** — None; **Longest Rush** — None.

88 • Jeb Putzier • TE • 6-4 • 256 • 3 • Boise State
Regular Season Games Played/Games Started: 2004: 14/5; Career: 21/6

- Putzier is enjoying the finest season of his career, ranking fourth among AFC tight ends (9th in NFL) with 445 yards receiving and placing fifth in receptions by an AFC tight end with 29.
- His 15.3 yards-per-reception average leads the AFC (2nd in NFL) among eligible tight ends.

2004 Regular Season:

Putzier's athleticism gives Denver the ability to stretch the field with him in the game, and the former college receiver leads the Broncos' tight ends with 29 catches for 445 yards (15.3 avg.) through 14 games (5 starts). He ranks fourth in the AFC (9th in NFL) among tight ends in receiving yards while placing fifth in receptions by an AFC tight end. **He leads the AFC (2nd in NFL) among eligible tight ends with a 15.3 yards-per-reception average.** In addition to his duties at tight end, Putzier takes on added responsibility as an H-back for Denver in certain formations. With the Broncos opening their game at **K.C. (12/19)** in a two tight-end set, he started and caught three passes for 30 yards (10.0 avg.). Putzier converted a fourth-and-6 in the fourth quarter vs. **Mia. (12/12)** with a 19-yard reception, and he totaled two

catches for 30 yards (15.0 avg.) in Denver's win against the Dolphins. He kept the Broncos' comeback attempt alive at **S.D. (12/5)** with a career-high 39-yard catch, his only reception, in the fourth quarter. Putzier's lone catch vs. **Oak. (11/28)** was an 18-yard reception in the first quarter. He was significantly involved in Denver's offense at **N.O. (11/21)**, catching four passes for 36 yards (9.0 avg.). In the third quarter against the Saints, he caught three passes (10, 9 and 11 yds.) that went for first downs. Putzier hauled in a highlight-reel worthy 34-yard touchdown in the first quarter vs. **Hou. (11/7)** as part of a two-catch, 48-yard (24.0 avg.) receiving day against the Texans. On his touchdown reception, Putzier caught the pass from Jake Plummer and then froze Texans cornerback Dunta Robinson with a stutter step along the left sideline before he raced in for the score. His speed turned a short catch into a career-long 38-yard reception in the second quarter vs. **Atl. (10/31)** during a two-catch, 47-yard (23.5 avg.) day against the Falcons. On *Monday Night Football* at **Cin. (10/25)**, Putzier was held without a catch for only the second time this season. With three catches for 52 yards (17.3 avg.) along with his first career touchdown, Putzier led all Broncos in receiving at **Oak. (10/17)** while making his first start since the opener. Putzier's day against the Raiders was highlighted by a 12-yard scoring catch in the first quarter as well as a 28-yard reception, which tied a career high, in the second quarter. He appeared on offense vs. **Car. (10/10)** but did not make a catch, marking the first game all season he was held without a reception. With his arms at full extension, Putzier held on to a Jake Plummer pass over the middle for a career-high 28 yards at **T.B. (10/3)** and finished the game with two catches for 42 yards (28.0 avg.). Putzier enjoyed a career day vs. **S.D. (9/26)** as he set personal bests in receptions (5), receiving yards (66) and longest catch (24 yards). His then-career-high 24-yard grab came in the third quarter of the Chargers' game on a screen pass and helped him tie for the game high in receptions against the Chargers. Putzier's two catches for 12 yards (6.0 avg.) at **Jac. (9/19)** came in the second quarter, with his second grab going for seven yards during Denver's field-goal drive at the end of the first half. He made his second career start vs. **K.C. (9/12)** in the Broncos' season opener and caught two passes for 25 yards (12.5), highlighted by an 18-yard catch during Denver's 13-play, 87-yard touchdown drive in the fourth quarter that helped secure its victory.

Putzier's 2004 Totals		Receiving				
G	S	No.	Yds.	Avg.	LG	TD
K.C. (9/12)*		2	25	12.5	18	0
@Jac. (9/19)		2	12	6.0	7	0
S.D. (9/26)		5	66	13.2	24	0
@T.B. (10/3)		2	42	21.0	28	0
Car. (10/10)		0	0	0.0	—	0
@Oak. (10/17)*		3	52	17.3	28	1
@Cin. (10/25)		0	0	0.0	—	0
Atl. (10/31)*		2	47	23.5	38	0
Hou. (11/7)*		2	48	24.0	34T	1
@N.O. (11/21)		4	36	9.0	11	0
Oak. (11/28)		1	18	18.0	18	0
@S.D. (12/5)		1	39	39.0	39	0
Mia. (12/12)		2	30	15.0	19	0
@K.C. (12/19)*		3	30	10.0	16	0
14	5	29	445	15.3	39	2

Additional Statistics: Putzier recorded one miscellaneous tackle vs. K.C. (9/12/04).

Putzier's Career Totals		Receiving				
G	S	No.	Yds.	Avg.	LG	TD
21	6	33	479	14.5	39	2

Additional Statistics: Putzier recorded one miscellaneous tackle vs. K.C. (9/12/04). He returned a kickoff for 16 yds. at Baltimore (10/26/03).

Putzier's Single-Game Career Bests: Receptions — 5 (vs. San Diego, 9/26/04); **Receiving Yards** — 66 (vs. San Diego, 9/26/04); **Longest Reception** — 39 (at San Diego, 12/5/04); **Receiving Touchdowns** — 1 (twice, last vs. Houston, 11/7/04).

OFFENSIVE LINE

69 • P.J. Alexander • G • 6-4 • 297 • 2 • Syracuse
Regular Season Games Played/Games Started: 2004: 3/0; Career: 3/0

2004 Regular Season:

Alexander has seen action in three games, playing on special teams at **K.C. (12/19)**, **Cin. (10/25)** and vs. **K.C. (9/12)**. He has dressed for all 14 games.

Alexander's 2004 Totals

G	S
3	0

Alexander's Career Totals

G	S
3	0

65 • Cooper Carlisle • G/T • 6-5 • 295 • 5 • Florida
Regular Season Games Played/Games Started: 2004: 14/2; Career: 61/4

2004 Regular Season:

Carlisle has seen action on special teams in all 14 of Denver's games this season and has played on the offensive line in four games (2 starts). He started his second consecutive game



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at **K.C. (12/19)** in place of Dan Neil at right guard, helping the Broncos average 6.6 yards per rush against the Chiefs. **Carlisle made his first start of the season and his first start since Dec. 28, 2003, (at Green Bay) in place of Dan Neil at right guard vs. Mia. (12/12).** Against the Dolphins, he helped rookie Tatum Bell post the first 100-yard game of his career to mark only the second time in franchise history that three different Broncos have had at least one 100-yard game in a season. At **Cin. (10/25)** on *Monday Night Football*, he entered the game on the offensive line as an eligible receiver late in the second quarter on the play that resulted in Rod Smith's touchdown reception. He replaced Dan Neil at right guard in the fourth quarter at **Oak. (10/17)** with Neil getting most of the quarter off.

Carlisle's 2004 Totals

G	S
14	2

Carlisle's Career Totals

G	S
61	4

Additional Statistics: Carlisle has one reception (6 yds.) for a touchdown on a pass from Jake Plummer at San Diego (9/14/03).

72 • George Foster • T • 6-5 • 338 • 2 • Georgia

Regular Season Games Played/Games Started: 2004 14/14; Career: 15/14

2004 Regular Season:

Foster has started all 14 of Denver's games this season at right tackle and has not missed an offensive snap all season **on a line that has given up only 15 sacks to rank third in the NFL. Denver's offensive line is on pace to allow 19 sacks, which would set a new team record (The 1971 Broncos allowed a record-low 22 sacks).** He started at **K.C. (12/19)**, helping the Broncos average 6.6 yards per rush against the Chiefs. Foster helped rookie Tatum Bell post the first 100-yard game of his career vs. **Mia. (12/12)**, marking only the second time in franchise history that three different Broncos have had at least one 100-yard game in a season. He started at **S.D. (12/5)**, clearing the way for two different Broncos to score rushing touchdowns for the first time this season. Despite slick conditions vs. **Oak. (11/28)** that were caused by a heavy snowfall, Foster and the Broncos' offensive line did not yield a sack to the Raiders' 3-4 defense. Foster's blocking contributed to the Broncos holding an opponent without a sack for the fifth time at **N.O. (11/21)** while the offensive line also cleared the way for Reuben Droughns to rush for 166 yards. He protected Jake Plummer vs. **Hou. (11/7)** as the offensive line surrendered only one sack (-9 yds.) to the Texans. Foster was a part of franchise history vs. **Atl. (10/31) in protecting Jake Plummer as he recorded the most passing yards in a single game in team history (ninth in NFL history) with 499 yards,** and the lineman's efforts resulted in a sackless game for the fourth time this season. His blocking helped Reuben Droughns rush for more than 110 yards for the third consecutive game on *Monday Night Football* at **Cin. (10/25)**. Foster and the Broncos' offensive line did not allow a sack for the third game this season at **Oak. (10/17)** in addition to clearing paths for Denver's dominating run game, which accounted for 254 yards on 51 carries. Foster was part of a blocking effort vs. **Car. (10/10)** that paved the way for Reuben Droughns to post the ninth-highest single-game rushing total (193 yards) by a Bronco in franchise history during the regular season. Additionally, Foster held Panthers defensive end Julius Peppers without a sack. For the second time this season in Denver's game at **T.B. (10/3)**, Foster helped the Broncos hold their opponent without a sack. In Denver's game vs. **S.D. (9/26)**, Foster and the rest of Denver's offensive line held the Chargers to only one sack for -3 yards. He played a role in the Broncos not allowing a sack at **Jac. (9/19)**. Foster made his first NFL start at right tackle in Denver's season opener vs. **K.C. (9/12)** and was part of a blocking effort that paved the way for Quentin Griffin to set a franchise record for most rushing yards in a season opener with a game-high 156 yards along with two rushing touchdowns.

Foster's 2004 Totals

G	S
14	14

Additional Statistics: Foster has one miscellaneous tackle in 2004.

Foster's Career Totals

G	S
15	14

74 • Cornell Green • T • 6-6 • 315 • 5 • Central Florida

Regular Season Games Played/Games Started: 2004 0/0; Career: 24/8

2004 Regular Season:

Green has been inactive for 13 of 14 games this year but has not played in 2004. He dressed for the first time all year at **K.C. (12/19)**. He was hampered early in the season by a groin injury that he suffered late in the preseason.

Green's 2004 Totals

G	S
0	0

Green's Career Totals

G	S
24	8

50 • Ben Hamilton • G/C • 6-4 • 283 • 4 • Minnesota

Regular Season Games Played/Games Started: 2004: 14/14; Career: 46/46

2004 Regular Season:

Hamilton has started all 14 of the Broncos' games at left guard and has not missed an offensive snap all season **on a line that has given up only 15 sacks to rank third in the NFL. Denver's offensive line is on pace to allow 19 sacks, which would set a new team record (The 1971 Broncos allowed a record-low 22 sacks).** He started at **K.C. (12/19)**, helping the Broncos average 6.6 yards per rush against the Chiefs. Hamilton helped rookie Tatum Bell post the first 100-yard game of his career vs. **Mia. (12/12)**, marking only the second time in franchise history that three different Broncos have had at least one 100-yard game in a season. He started at **S.D. (12/5)**, clearing the way for two different Broncos to score rushing touchdowns for the first time this season. Despite slick conditions vs. **Oak. (11/28)** that were caused by a heavy snowfall, Hamilton and the Broncos' offensive line did not yield a sack to the Raiders' 3-4 defense. His blocking contributed to the Broncos holding an opponent without a sack for the fifth time at **N.O. (11/21)** while the offensive line also cleared the way for Reuben Droughns to rush for 166 yards. He protected Jake Plummer vs. **Hou. (11/7)** as the offensive line surrendered only one sack (-9 yds.) to the Texans. Hamilton was a part of franchise history vs. **Atl. (10/31) in protecting Jake Plummer as he recorded the most passing yards in a single game in team history (ninth in NFL history) with 499 yards,** and the lineman's efforts resulted in a sackless game for the fourth time this season. On *Monday Night Football* at **Cin. (10/25)**, he was a part of a blocking effort that paved the way for Reuben Droughns to rush for more than 110 yards for the third consecutive game. Hamilton's blocking played a role in the Broncos not allowing a sack for the third game this season at **Oak. (10/17)** in addition to clearing paths for Denver's dominating run game, which accounted for 254 yards on 51 carries. In Denver's comeback win vs. **Car. (10/10)**, Hamilton helped solidify the interior of Denver's offensive line for Reuben Droughns in the running back's 193-yard rushing effort that marked the ninth-highest single-game rushing total by a Bronco in franchise history during the regular season. For the second time this season at **T.B. (10/3)**, Hamilton and Denver's offensive line did not surrender a sack to its opponent. He was part of a blocking effort vs. **S.D. (9/26)** that held the Chargers to only one sack for -3 yds. At **Jac. (9/19)**, Hamilton and Denver's offensive line held the Jaguars without a sack. He was a part of a blocking effort vs. **K.C. (9/12)** that paved the way for Quentin Griffin to set a franchise record for most rushing yards in a season opener with a game-high 156 yards along with two rushing touchdowns.

Hamilton's 2004 Totals

G	S
14	14

Additional Statistics: He recovered a fumble vs. Atlanta (10/31). Hamilton recorded a miscellaneous tackle on an interception return at Cincinnati (10/25/04).

Hamilton's Career Totals

G	S
46	46

78 • Matt Lepsis • T • 6-4 • 290 • 8 • Colorado

Regular Season Games Played/Games Started: 2004: 14/14; Career: 110/93

2004 Regular Season:

Lepsis has started all 14 of Denver's games at left tackle and has not missed an offensive snap all season **on a line that has given up only 15 sacks to rank third in the NFL. Denver's offensive line is on pace to allow 19 sacks, which would set a new team record (The 1971 Broncos allowed a record-low 22 sacks).** He started at **K.C. (12/19)**, helping the Broncos average 6.6 yards per rush against the Chiefs. Lepsis helped rookie Tatum Bell post the first 100-yard game of his career vs. **Mia. (12/12)**, marking only the second time in franchise history that three different Broncos have had at least one 100-yard game in a season. He started at **S.D. (12/5)**, clearing the way for two different Broncos to score rushing touchdowns for the first time this season. Despite slick conditions vs. **Oak. (11/28)** that were caused by a heavy snowfall, Lepsis and the Broncos' offensive line did not yield a sack to the Raiders' 3-4 defense. He spent much of the game blocking the Raiders' Warren Sapp. His blocking contributed to the Broncos holding an opponent without a sack for the fifth time at **N.O. (11/21)** while the offensive line also cleared the way for Reuben Droughns to rush for 166 yards. He protected Jake Plummer vs. **Hou. (11/7)** as the offensive line surrendered only one sack (-9 yds.) to the Texans. Lepsis was a part of franchise history vs. **Atl. (10/31) in protecting Jake Plummer as he recorded the most passing yards in a single game in team history (ninth in NFL history) with 499 yards,** and the lineman's efforts resulted in a sackless game for the fourth time this season. Behind Lepsis and the rest of the Broncos' offensive line, Reuben Droughns rushed for more than 110 yards for the third consecutive game at **Cin. (10/25)** on *Monday Night Football*. Lepsis contributed to a standout performance by Denver's offensive line at **Oak. (10/17)** as it held an opponent without a sack for the third game this season and cleared paths for Denver's dominating run game, which accounted for 254 yards on 51 carries. Lepsis and the rest of Denver's offensive line cleared the way for Reuben Droughns to rush for 193 yards vs. **Car. (10/10)** to mark the ninth-highest single-game rushing total by a Bronco in franchise history during the regular season. Playing in his 100th career game at **T.B. (10/3)**, Lepsis held Pro Bowl defensive end Simeon Rice without a sack as the Broncos did not surrender a sack for the second game this season. Along with the rest of Denver's starters vs. **S.D. (9/26)**, Lepsis helped hold the Chargers to only one sack for -3 yds. He protected Jake Plummer at **Jac. (9/19)** as the Jaguars were unable to record a sack during the game. In the Broncos' season opener vs. **K.C. (9/12)**, Lepsis was part of a blocking



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effort that paved the way for Quentin Griffin to set a franchise record for most rushing yards in a season opener with a game-high 156 yards along with two rushing touchdowns.

Lepsis' 2004 Totals

G	S
14	14

Lepsis' Career Totals

G	S
110	93

66 • Tom Nalen • C • 6-3 • 286 • 11 • Boston College

Regular Season Games Played/Games Started: 2004: 14/14; Career: 155/149

2004 Regular Season:

One of the most decorated offensive linemen in franchise history, Nalen has been Denver's starting center for all 14 of its games and has not missed an offensive snap all season **on a line that has given up only 15 sacks to rank third in the NFL. Denver's offensive line is on pace to allow 19 sacks, which would set a new team record (The 1971 Broncos allowed a record-low 22 sacks).** He started at **K.C. (12/19)**, helping the Broncos average 6.6 yards per rush against the Chiefs. Nalen helped rookie Tatum Bell post the first 100-yard game of his career vs. **Mia. (12/12)**, marking only the second time in franchise history that three different Broncos have had at least one 100-yard game in a season. He started at **S.D. (12/5)**, clearing the way for two different Broncos to score rushing touchdowns for the first time this season. Despite slick conditions vs. **Oak. (11/28)** that were caused by a heavy snowfall, Nalen and the Broncos' offensive line did not yield a sack to the Raiders' 3-4 defense. Nalen's blocking contributed to the Broncos holding an opponent without a sack for fifth time at **N.O. (11/21)** while the offensive line also cleared the way for Reuben Droughns to rush for 166 yards. He protected Jake Plummer vs. **Hou. (11/7)** as the offensive line surrendered only one sack (-9 yds.) to the Texans. Nalen was a part of franchise history vs. **Atl. (10/31) in protecting Jake Plummer as he recorded the most passing yards in a single game in team history (ninth in NFL history) with 499 yards,** and the lineman's efforts resulted in a sackless game for the fourth time this season. He helped Reuben Droughns rush for more than 110 yards for the third consecutive game at **Cin. (10/25)** on *Monday Night Football*. Nalen's play at **Oak. (10/17)** was crucial in the Broncos holding an opponent without a sack for the third game this season, and he cleared paths for Denver's dominating run game, which accounted for 254 yards on 51 carries. He anchored the Broncos' offensive line vs. **Car. (10/10)** as it blocked for Reuben Droughns during his 193-yard rushing effort, which marked the ninth-highest single-game rushing total by a Bronco in franchise history. For the second time this season at **T.B. (10/3)**, Nalen and Denver's line held an opponent without a sack. Against the Chargers vs. **S.D. (9/26)**, Nalen and the Broncos' offensive line allowed only one sack for -3 yds. The veteran anchored the Broncos' offensive line at **Jac. (9/19)** as the unit did not surrender a sack during the game. He started vs. **K.C. (9/12)** and was a part of a blocking effort that paved the way for Quentin Griffin to set a franchise record for most rushing yards in a season opener with a game-high 156 yards along with two touchdowns.

Nalen's 2004 Totals

G	S
14	14

Additional Statistics: Nalen has one miscellaneous tackle in 2004.

Nalen's Career Totals

G	S
155	149

Additional Statistics: Nalen caught a tipped pass for a 1-yd. loss at Oakland (10/19/97).

62 • Dan Neil • G • 6-2 • 285 • 8 • Texas

Regular Season Games Played/Games Started: 2004: 13/12; Career: 108/104

2004 Regular Season:

Neil has played at right guard in 13 games (12 starts) **on a line that has given up only 15 sacks to rank third in the NFL. Denver's offensive line is on pace to allow 19 sacks, which would set a new team record (The 1971 Broncos allowed a record-low 22 sacks).** He was inactive at **K.C. (12/19)** for the first time since Dec. 28, 2003, at Green Bay. He was active but did not start vs. **Mia. (12/12)**, marking the first time since his rookie year in 1997 that he was active and did not start in a game. Against the Dolphins, he appeared on special teams only. He started at **S.D. (12/5)**, clearing the way for two different Broncos to score rushing touchdowns for the first time this season. Despite slick conditions vs. **Oak. (11/28)** that were caused by a heavy snowfall, Neil and the Broncos' offensive line did not yield a sack to the Raiders' 3-4 defense. Neil's blocking contributed to the Broncos holding an opponent without a sack for the fifth time at **N.O. (11/21)** while the offensive line also cleared the way for Reuben Droughns to rush for 166 yards. He protected Jake Plummer vs. **Hou. (11/7)** as the offensive line surrendered only one sack (-9 yds.) to the Texans. Neil was a part of franchise history vs. **Atl. (10/31) in protecting Jake Plummer as he recorded the most passing yards in a single game in team history (ninth in NFL history) with 499 yards,** and the lineman's efforts resulted in a sackless game for the fourth time this season. Along with the rest of Denver's offensive line, Neil played a role in Reuben Droughns gaining more than 110 yards rushing for the third consecutive game at **Cin. (10/25)** on *Monday Night Football*. Neil helped Denver hold an opponent without a sack for the third game this season at **Oak. (10/17)** in addition to clearing paths for Denver's dominating run game, which accounted for 254 yards on 51 carries. He was given most of the fourth quarter off against the Raiders and was

replaced on the line by Cooper Carlisle. In his 100th career game, Neil played a role in Reuben Droughns' 193-yard rushing day vs. **Car. (10/10)** that ranked as the ninth-highest single-game rushing total by a Bronco in franchise history during the regular season. He was part of a solid performance by the Broncos' offensive line at **T.B. (10/3)**, highlighted by the unit holding an opponent without a sack for the second time this season. Denver's offensive line, assisted by Neil's efforts, limited the Chargers to one sack for -3 yds. vs. **S.D. (9/26)**. His play as was critical in the Broncos holding the Jaguars without a sack at **Jac. (9/19)**. Neil started at right guard for Denver in its season opener vs. **K.C. (9/12)** and blocked for Quentin Griffin as he set a franchise record for most rushing yards in a season opener with a game-high 156 yards along with two touchdowns.

Neil's 2004 Totals

G	S
13	12

Neil's Career Totals

G	S
108	104

DEFENSIVE LINE

92 • Marco Coleman • DE • 6-3 • 270 • 13 • Georgia Tech

Regular Season Games Played/Games Started: 2004: 14/14; Career: 198/183

2004 Regular Season:

Coleman has shown no signs of slowing down in his 13th NFL season, starting all 14 Denver games to mark his first starting action since 2002. **The veteran has totaled 44 tackles (28 solos) on the year, which is the second-highest total among Broncos defensive linemen,** 2.5 sacks (-12 yds.), one forced fumble, one fumble recovery and one pass breakup. His play has been a major reason why Denver's defense continues to perform at a high level despite the absence of Trevor Pryce due to injury. Coleman added two tackles and half a sack at **K.C. (12/19)** with he and Mario Fatafeh combining to bring down quarterback Trent Green for a loss of five yards in the second quarter. He posted his second sack of the season (-9 yds.) vs. **Mia. (12/12)** when he pulled down Dolphins quarterback A.J. Feeley and forced a fumble on that first-quarter play. He finished the Dolphins game with two tackles (both solo). Coleman recovered his first fumble of the season at **S.D. (12/5)** that set up Denver's first touchdown, and he finished the game with one tackle. Coleman tallied three tackles (all solo) vs. **Oak. (11/28)** in snowy, frigid conditions. He added two tackles (2 solo) and a pass breakup at **N.O. (11/21)** while helping limit Saints running back Deuce McAllister to only 42 yards rushing. Coleman recorded his second consecutive two-tackle game (both solo) vs. **Hou. (11/7)**, including his first sack of the season (-3 yds.) on Texans quarterback David Carr in the second quarter. He contributed two tackles (both solo) vs. **Atl. (10/31)**. Coleman recorded four tackles (1 solo) on *Monday Night Football* at **Cin. (10/25)**. At **Oak. (10/17)**, he made a tackle for a loss as the Broncos held the Raiders to only 31 yards rushing in the game. He finished the Broncos' game vs. **Car. (10/10)** with eight tackles (3 solo), marking the second-highest tackle total on the team that day, to lead the Broncos' run defense in limiting the Panthers to only 64 rushing yards. He contributed one tackle in the Broncos' win at **T.B. (10/3)**. Starting at left end in place of Trevor Pryce (herniated disc) for the second consecutive week, Coleman led an inspired Denver defense vs. **S.D. (9/26)** by tying for the team-high with nine tackles (8 solo) **and helping to hold LaDainian Tomlinson to his lowest rushing total (60 yds.) in 15 games.** Coleman started at left end at **Jac. (9/19)** and totaled four tackles (three solo) in **limiting Jacksonville to only 67 yards rushing on 22 carries (3.0).** The veteran started at left defensive end vs. **K.C. (9/12)**, making three tackles (2 solo) in his first start since 2002.

Coleman's 2004 Totals

G	S	UT	A	TT	S-Yds	I-Yds	PD	FF	FR
K.C. (9/12)*	2	1	3	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
@Jac. (9/19)*	1	3	4	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
S.D. (9/26)*	8	1	9	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
@T.B. (10/3)*	0	1	1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
Car. (10/10)*	3	5	8	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
@Oak. (10/17)*	1	0	1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
@Cin. (10/25)*	1	3	4	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
Atl. (10/31)*	2	0	2	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
Hou. (11/7)*	2	0	2	1-3	0-0	0	0	0	0
@N.O. (11/21)*	2	0	2	0-0	0-0	1	0	0	0
Oak. (11/28)*	3	0	3	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
@S.D. (12/5)*	1	0	1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	1
Mia. (12/12)*	2	0	2	1-9	0-0	0	1	0	0
@K.C. (12/19)*	0	2	2	5-2.5	0-0	0	0	0	0
14	14	28	16	44	2.5-14.5	0-0	1	1	1

Coleman's Career Totals

G	S	UT	A	TT	S-Yds	I-Yds	PD	FF	FR
198	183	496	204	700	64.5-424.5	1-2	18	21	4

94 • Luther Elliss • DT • 6-5 • 318 • 10 • Utah

Regular Season Games Played/Games Started: 2004: 8/0; Career: 134/119

2004 Regular Season:

Elliss has totaled six tackles (all solo) and two sacks (-11 yds.) in eight games **before being placed on injured reserve Dec. 17 with a herniated disc in his lower back.** An injury to his calf muscle forced him inactive at **S.D. (12/5)**, vs. **Oak. (11/28)** and at **N.O. (11/21)**. Elliss pulled



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down quarterback David Carr vs. **Hou. (11/7)** for a 6-yard loss on third down in the second quarter to force a punt, and the play marked his only tackle of the game. In Denver's game vs. **Atl. (10/31)**, Elliss made one solo tackle while being used in a reserve role. The veteran made a tackle for a loss on *Monday Night Football* at **Cin. (10/25)**. Elliss rotated in at defensive tackle at **Oak. (10/17)** to make his first sack of the season (-5 yds.) in a two-tackle game. The veteran appeared sparingly on defense vs. **Car. (10/10)** but created pressure on Panthers quarterback Jake Delhomme to force a key third-down incompleteness in the fourth quarter. Elliss saw time in the Broncos' rotation at defensive tackle against the Buccaneers at **T.B. (10/3)**. **He was part of a Denver defensive effort vs. S.D. (9/26) that held LaDainian Tomlinson to his lowest rushing total (60 yds.) in 15 games.** He was used frequently on third-down situations as a reserve at **Jac. (9/19)** and had one tackle in his only action this season. Elliss was limited in practice with a pectoral muscle injury leading up to the game vs. **K.C. (9/12)** and was inactive against the Chiefs.

Elliss' 2004 Totals

G	S	UT	A	TT	S-Yds	I-Yds	PD	FF	FR
K.C. (9/12) Inactive (Pectoral Muscle)									
@Jac. (9/19)		1	0	1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
S.D. (9/26)		0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
@T.B. (10/3)		0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
Car. (10/10)		0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
@Oak. (10/17)		2	0	2	1-5	0-0	0	0	0
@Cin. (10/25)		1	0	1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
Atl. (10/31)		1	0	1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
Hou. (11/7)		1	0	1	1-6	0-0	0	0	0
@N.O. (11/21) Inactive (calf injury)									
Oak. (11/28) Inactive (calf injury)									
@S.D. (12/5) Inactive (calf injury)									
Mia. (12/12) Inactive (calf injury)									
@K.C. (12/19) Placed on Injured Reserve Dec. 17 (herniated disc - lower back)									
8	0	6	0	6	2-11	0-0	0	0	0

Elliss' Career Totals

G	S	UT	A	TT	S-Yds	I-Yds	PD	FF	FR
134	119	272	190	462	29-195	0-0	12	8	5

68 • Mario Fatafehi • DT • 6-2 • 300 • 4 • Kansas State

Regular Season Games Played/Games Started: 2004: 14/14; Career: 43/24

2004 Regular Season:

Fatafehi has been the Broncos' starting left defensive tackle through 14 games and has totaled 28 tackles (19 solo) with two sacks (-19.0 yds.), one pass breakup and his first career fumble recovery. He made four tackles (2 solo) at **K.C. (12/19)** and combined with Marco Coleman to sack Trent Green for a loss of five yards in the second quarter. Fatafehi had consecutive two-tackle games vs. **Mia. (12/12)** and at **S.D. (12/5)**. Fatafehi contributed one tackle vs. **Oak. (11/28)**. In a start at **N.O. (11/21)**, he contributed a solo tackle and played a part in Denver's defense limiting Saints running back Deuce McAllister to only 42 rushing yards. He recorded one assisted tackle vs. **Hou. (11/7)**. He tallied Denver's only sack of Michael Vick vs. **Atl. (10/31)** in a four-tackle (all solo) game that led all Broncos linemen. Fatafehi pulled down Vick for a loss of five yards in the third quarter to facilitate a punt that aided Denver's comeback attempt. On *Monday Night Football* at **Cin. (10/25)**, he made one tackle (solo) against the Bengals. Fatafehi broke up his first pass this season and made a tackle at **Oak. (10/17)** as the Broncos held the Raiders to only 31 yards rushing in the game. During Denver's comeback victory vs. **Car. (10/10)**, he made two tackles (both solo) as the Broncos held Carolina to only 64 yards rushing. Fatafehi helped Denver earn a tough road victory at **T.B. (10/3)** with two tackles. Along with making a tackle, he recovered his first career fumble off Drew Brees after the quarterback was hit by Kenoy Kennedy and took it eight yards vs. **S.D. (9/26)**. **He was part of a Broncos defensive effort that limited Chargers running back LaDainian Tomlinson to his lowest rushing total (60 yds.) in 15 games.** At **Jac. (9/19)**, he stopped Jaguars running back Fred Taylor behind the line of scrimmage in the third quarter on the way to making three tackles (2 solo). Fatafehi played a role in **limiting Jacksonville to only 67 yards rushing on 22 carries (3.0)**. Starting at left defensive tackle vs. **K.C. (9/12)** in the season opener, Fatafehi totaled three tackles (1 solo) and half a sack for -11.5 yards. He and defensive end Reggie Hayward combined to sack Chiefs QB Trent Green for -23 yards in the first quarter with the Chiefs near midfield.

Fatafehi's 2004 Totals

G	S	UT	A	TT	S-Yds	I-Yds	PD	FF	FR
K.C. (9/12)*		1	2	3	.5-11.5	0-0	0	0	0
@Jac. (9/19)*		2	1	3	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
S.D. (9/26)*		1	0	1	0-0	0-0	0	0	1
@T.B. (10/3)*		0	2	2	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
Car. (10/10)*		2	0	2	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
@Oak. (10/17)*		1	0	1	0-0	0-0	1	0	0
@Cin. (10/25)*		1	0	1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
Atl. (10/31)*		4	0	4	1-5	0-0	0	0	0
Hou. (11/7)*		0	1	1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
@N.O. (11/21)*		1	0	1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
Oak. (11/28)*		1	0	1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
@S.D. (12/5)*		1	1	2	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
Mia. (12/12)*		2	0	2	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
@K.C. (12/19)*		2	2	4	.5-2.5	0-0	0	0	0
14	14	19	9	28	2-19.0	0-0	1	0	1

Additional Statistics: Fatafehi recovered a fumble and returned it eight yards vs. San Diego (9/26/04).

Fatafehi's Career Totals

G	S	UT	A	TT	S-Yds	I-Yds	PD	FF	FR
43	24	56	33	89	4.5-33.5	0-0	3	1	1

Additional Statistics: Fatafehi returned a kickoff for no gain vs. Chicago (11/23/03).

98 • Reggie Hayward • DE • 6-5 • 270 • 4 • Iowa State

Regular Season Games Played/Games Started: 2004: 14/13; Career: 45/18

- Hayward leads the Broncos with 6.5 sacks (-42.5 yds.), and his 54 tackles (39 solo) lead the team's linemen.
- His 76-yard interception return, the first of his career, at N.O. (11/21) was the longest non-scoring interception return in team history and was the fourth-longest overall interception return by a Bronco.
- His four-game streak with at least one (1.0) sack this season was the longest by a Bronco since Alfred Williams in 1996.

2004 Regular Season:

Hayward has been Denver's top pass-rushing threat through 14 games (13 starts) and leads the team in sacks (6.5 for -42.5 yds.) **while totaling 54 tackles (39 solo), which lead Denver's defensive linemen,** one interception (76 yds.), five pass breakups and one fumble recovery. **Hayward has shown remarkable consistency, posting a four-game streak with at least one (1.0) sack to mark the longest such streak by a Bronco since 1996 (DE Alfred Williams).** At **K.C. (12/19)**, Hayward recorded one tackle and a pass breakup. He added two tackles (both solo) vs. **Mia. (12/12)** but saw his four-game sack streak (the franchise's longest since 1996 - DE Alfred Williams) come to an end. At **S.D. (12/5)**, he sacked Drew Brees for a loss of nine yards in the second quarter to mark his fourth consecutive game with a sack and led the Broncos' defensive linemen with five tackles (4 solo). He continued to create pressure on the quarterback vs. **Oak. (11/28)** with a 5-yard sack of Kerry Collins in the third quarter that was one of three tackles (all solo) against the Raiders. In the fourth quarter at N.O. (11/21), Hayward intercepted the first pass of his career late in the fourth quarter and took it 76 yards to the Saints' 5-yard line. **His 76-yard interception return was the longest non-scoring interception return in team history and was the fourth-longest overall interception return by a Bronco.** He finished the game with three tackles (1 solo) and one sack (-3 yds.) while helping to limit Saints running back Deuce McAllister to only 42 rushing yards. He led all Broncos linemen with six tackles (5 solo) vs. **Hou. (11/7)**, including a 3-yard sack on Texans quarterback David Carr that ended the first half. Hayward totaled three stops (all solo) vs. **Atl. (10/31)** and recovered a T.J. Duckett fumble that was forced by Al Wilson in the second quarter with the Falcons inside the Broncos' 30-yard line. He led all Broncos linemen in tackles on *Monday Night Football* at **Cin. (10/25)** with six tackles (5 solo). Hayward recorded his 100th-career tackle in a five-tackle game (3 solo) at **Oak. (10/17)** as the Broncos held the Raiders to only 31 yards rushing. He contributed three tackles (two solo) in a start vs. **Car. (10/10)** as the Broncos' run defense surrendered only 64 rushing yards. Hayward tied for the team-lead among linemen with three tackles (2 solo) at **T.B. (10/3)**. He sacked Drew Brees late in the fourth quarter for -7 yards vs. **S.D. (9/26)** and had four tackles (3 solo) for the Broncos, **who held LaDainian Tomlinson to his lowest rushing total (60 yds.) in 15 games.** He made his first start of the season at **Jac. (9/19)** and totaled six tackles (5 solo), tying a team high, with one sack (-4 yds.) at right defensive end in one of his finest performances as a pro. On the Jaguars' first play of the game, Hayward sacked Jaguars quarterback Byron Leftwich, and the pass rusher followed that up with a tackle on Fred Taylor on the next play. **He played a part in limiting Jacksonville to only 67 yards rushing on 22 carries (3.0).** He had four tackles (1 solo) along with half a sack for -11.5 in Denver's game vs. **K.C. (9/12)**. Hayward and defensive tackle Mario Fatafehi combined to sack Kansas City QB Trent Green for -23 yards on a first-quarter drive that eventually would stall.

Hayward's 2004 Totals

G	S	UT	A	TT	S-Yds	I-Yds	PD	FF	FR
K.C. (9/12)		1	3	4	.5-11.5	0-0	0	0	0
@Jac. (9/19)*		5	1	6	1-4	0-0	0	0	0
S.D. (9/26)*		3	1	4	1-7	0-0	0	0	0
@T.B. (10/3)*		2	1	3	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
Car. (10/10)*		2	1	3	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
@Oak. (10/17)*		3	2	5	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
@Cin. (10/25)*		5	1	6	0-0	0-0	1	0	0
Atl. (10/31)*		3	0	3	0-0	0-0	0	0	1
Hou. (11/7)*		5	1	6	1-3	0-0	0	0	0
@N.O. (11/21)*		1	2	3	1-3	1-76	2	0	0
Oak. (11/28)*		3	0	3	1-5	0-0	1	0	0
@S.D. (12/5)*		4	1	5	1-9	0-0	0	0	0
Mia. (12/12)*		2	0	2	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
@K.C. (12/19)*		0	1	1	0-0	0-0	1	0	0
14	13	39	15	54	6.5-42.5	1-76	5	0	1

Hayward's Career Totals

G	S	UT	A	TT	S-Yds	I-Yds	PD	FF	FR
45	18	94	36	130	18-110.5	1-76	10	2	3



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(As of Dec. 20, 2004)



90 • Darius Holland • DT • 6-5 • 330 • 9 • Colorado

Regular Season Games Played/Games Started: 2004: 2/0; Career: 111/35

2004 Regular Season:

Holland has appeared in two games as a reserve defensive tackle, recording two solo tackles and a pass breakup. The veteran has been inactive for Denver's last 11 games. During the Broncos' dominating defensive performance vs. **S.D. (9/26)**, **Holland made one tackle while helping hold LaDainian Tomlinson to his lowest rushing total (60 yds.) in 15 games.** He made a tackle at **Jac. (9/19)** while seeing action at defensive tackle. Holland missed the Broncos' season opener vs. **K.C. (9/12)** after being waived a day before the game. He resigned with the Broncos on Sept. 13, 2004.

Holland's 2004 Totals

G	S	UT	A	TT	S-Yds	I-Yds	PD	FF	FR
K.C. (9/12)					Not With Team				
@Jac. (9/19)		1	0	1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
S.D. (9/26)		1	0	1	0-0	0-0	1	0	0
@T.B. (10/3)					Inactive				
Car. (10/10)					Inactive				
@Oak. (10/17)					Inactive				
@Cin. (10/25)					Inactive				
Atl. (10/31)					Inactive				
Hou. (11/7)					Inactive				
@N.O. (11/21)					Inactive				
Oak. (11/28)					Inactive				
@S.D. (12/5)					Inactive				
Mia. (12/12)					Inactive				
@K.C. (12/19)					Inactive				
2	0	2	0	2	0-0	0-0	1	0	0

Holland's Career Totals

G	S	UT	A	TT	S-Yds	I-Yds	PD	FF	FR
111	35	126	79	205	4.5-18	1-0	9	1	3

61 • Ellis Johnson • DT • 6-2 • 288 • 10 • Florida

Regular Season Games Played/Games Started: 2004: 11/0; Career: 147/89

• Johnson intercepted Kerry Collins vs. Oak. (11/28) and returned it 32 yards for a touchdown.

2004 Regular Season:

Johnson, who was acquired from the Atlanta Falcons in a trade on Sept. 20, has shown the talent that allowed him to lead all NFL interior linemen in sacks last season. In 11 games with Denver, he has 21 tackles (13 solo) with two sacks (-15 yds.) and a 32-yard interception return for a touchdown along with one pass breakup. He added one tackle at **K.C. (12/19)**. **Johnson posted the 50th sack of his career against A.J. Feeley in Denver's game vs. Mia. (12/12)** in a two-tackle (both solo) game. He played one of his most complete games since joining the Broncos at **S.D. (12/5)** with four tackles (2 solo). In the fourth quarter vs. **Oak. (11/28)**, Johnson intercepted a Kerry Collins pass deflected by Monsanto Pope and raced 32 yards for the first score of his career in a two-tackle (one solo) game. He added one tackle at **N.O. (11/21)**. Johnson was used extensively in the Broncos' defensive line rotation vs. **Hou. (11/7)** and made one solo tackle. Rotated in at defensive tackle during pass-rush situations, Johnson recorded two tackles (1 solo) vs. **Atl. (10/31)**. Johnson was involved in several quarterback pressures at **Cin. (10/25)** on *Monday Night Football* and added two tackles (both solo). He drilled Bengals quarterback Carson Palmer as he released a fourth-quarter pass, forcing an incompleteness. He was used in pass-rush situations at **Oak. (10/17)** and made two tackles (1 solo) while recording a couple of quarterback pressures. He had several hits and pressures on quarterback Jake Delhomme vs. **Car. (10/10)** on the way to recording the Broncos' lone sack (-10 yds.) against the Panthers and two tackles (both solo). He saw his first action as a Bronco at **T.B. (10/3)**, where he made two tackles (1 solo) while rotating in at defensive tackle during several pass-rush situations. He ran down the Buccaneers' Michael Pittman along the left sideline in the second quarter, limiting the back to a 1-yard gain.

Johnson's 2004 Totals

G	S	UT	A	TT	S-Yds	I-Yds	PD	FF	FR
K.C. (9/12)					Not With Team				
@Jac. (9/19)					Not With Team				
S.D. (9/26)		On Exempt/Commissioner Permission List							
@T.B. (10/3)		1	1	2	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
Car. (10/10)		2	0	2	1-10	0-0	0	0	0
@Oak. (10/17)		1	1	2	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
@Cin. (10/25)		2	0	2	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
Atl. (10/31)		1	1	2	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
Hou. (11/7)		1	0	1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
@N.O. (11/21)		0	1	1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
Oak. (11/28)		1	1	2	0-0	1-32T	1	0	0
@S.D. (12/5)		2	2	4	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
Mia. (12/12)		2	0	2	1-5	0-0	0	0	0
@K.C. (12/19)		0	1	1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
11	0	13	8	21	2-15	1-32T	1	0	0

Johnson's Career Totals

G	S	UT	A	TT	S-Yds	I-Yds	PD	FF	FR
147	89	286	267	553	50-30	3-49	14	5	4

99 • Raylee Johnson • DE • 6-3 • 272 • 12 • Arkansas

Regular Season Games Played/Games Started: 2004: 12/1; Career: 157/54

2004 Regular Season:

Johnson has been a reliable backup at defensive end in 12 games (1 start), making 18 tackles (11 solo) while recording one sack (-12 yds.), one forced fumble and two pass breakups. At **K.C. (12/19)**, he added three tackles. Johnson was used in a reserve role vs. **Mia. (12/12)**, breaking up a pass and adding a solo tackle. At **S.D. (12/5)**, his first game playing as the visitor at Qualcomm Stadium, he made two tackles (1 solo). Johnson chipped in one tackle vs. **Oak. (11/28)**. He returned to action for the first time in two weeks at **N.O. (11/21)** but did not record a defensive statistic. For Denver's game vs. **Hou. (11/7)**, Johnson was inactive for the second consecutive contest. He was inactive for the first time this season vs. **Atl. (10/31)**. Johnson played sparingly on defense at **Cin. (10/25)** on *Monday Night Football*. He contributed to a solid defensive effort at **Oak. (10/17)** with two tackles (1 solo). Johnson recorded a defensive stop in reserve action vs. **Car. (10/10)**. He rotated in at defensive end at **T.B. (10/3)** to make three tackles, which tied for the team-high among linemen. In the Broncos' game vs. **S.D. (9/26)**, where he played 11 seasons, Johnson forced the ball out of Drew Brees' hands while making his first sack of the season (-12 yds.) in the fourth quarter during his six-tackle (5 solo) day. **Johnson and Denver held LaDainian Tomlinson, his former teammate, to his lowest rushing total (60 yds.) in 15 games.** In Denver's first road game of the year, Johnson contributed his first tackle at **Jac. (9/19)** as a reserve defensive end. Although he did not register a tackle vs. **K.C. (9/12)**, Johnson started at right defensive end and broke up a Trent Green pass in the Broncos' season opener.

Johnson's 2004 Totals

G	S	UT	A	TT	S-Yds	I-Yds	PD	FF	FR
K.C. (9/12)*		0	0	0	0-0	0-0	1	0	0
@Jac. (9/19)		0	1	1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
S.D. (9/26)		5	1	6	1-12	0-0	0	1	0
@T.B. (10/3)		0	3	3	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
Car. (10/10)		1	0	1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
@Oak. (10/17)		1	1	2	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
@Cin. (10/25)		0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
Atl. (10/31)					Inactive				
Hou. (11/7)					Inactive				
@N.O. (11/21)		0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
Oak. (11/28)		1	0	1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
@S.D. (12/5)		1	1	2	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
Mia. (12/12)		1	0	1	0-0	0-0	1	0	0
@K.C. (12/19)		1	0	1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
12	1	11	7	18	1-12	0-0	2	1	0

Johnson's Career Totals

G	S	UT	A	TT	S-Yds	I-Yds	PD	FF	FR
157	54	187	50	237	48-306.5	0-0	10	11	4

Additional Statistics: Has scored two touchdowns in his career with the Chargers. Returned a fumble 45 yards for a score at Denver (11/11/01) and recovered a fumble in the end zone for a touchdown vs. Houston (9/15/02).

95 • Anton Palepoi • DE • 6-3 • 283 • 3 • UNLV

Regular Season Games Played/Games Started: 2004: 9/0; Career: 29/1

2004 Regular Season:

Palepoi, who was signed Sept. 22, 2004, has shown his pass-rush ability in nine games played this year with 20 tackles (13 solo) and two sacks (-16 yds.), which tie for the third-highest total on the Broncos. He also has two pass breakups on the year. He posted three tackles (2 solo) at **K.C. (12/19)**. Palepoi had one of the strongest games of his career vs. **Mia. (12/12)** with four tackles (4 solo) and a pass breakup. At **S.D. (12/5)**, he had tallied one assisted tackle. Palepoi frequently disrupted the Raiders' passing game vs. **Oak. (11/28)** and made two tackles (both solo) on the night. His pressure on Saints quarterback Aaron Brooks at **N.O. (11/21)** on a fourth-quarter pass resulted in a Reggie Hayward interception that was returned 76 yards to the Saints' 5-yard line, and he finished that game with one tackle. Palepoi saw substantial time in pass-rush situations vs. **Hou. (11/7)** and had several quarterback pressures, which resulted in him batting down a David Carr pass. He posted three tackles (1 solo) vs. **Atl. (10/31)** in seeing his most extensive action defensively since joining the Broncos. On *Monday Night Football* at **Cin. (10/25)**, Palepoi recorded three tackles (2 solo), including a 1-yard stuff of Bengals running back Rudi Johnson late in the third quarter. **He recorded two sacks (-16 yds.) in the second half** as part of a three-tackle (2 solo) game at **Oak. (10/17)** while playing in his first game as a Bronco. Palepoi was inactive for the Broncos' games vs. **Car. (10/10)**, at **T.B. (10/3)** and vs. **S.D. (9/26)**.



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Palepoi's 2004 Totals

G	S	UT	A	TT	S-Yds	I-Yds	PD	FF	FR
K.C. (9/12)					Not With Team				
@Jac. (9/19)					Not With Team				
S.D. (9/26)					Inactive				
@T.B. (10/3)					Inactive				
Car. (10/10)					Inactive				
@Oak. (10/17)		2	1	3	2-16	0-0	0	0	0
@Cin. (10/25)		2	1	3	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
Atl. (10/31)		1	2	3	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
Hou. (11/7)		0	0	0	0-0	0-0	1	0	0
@N.O. (11/21)		0	1	1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
Oak. (11/28)		2	0	2	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
@S.D. (12/5)		0	1	1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
Mia. (12/12)		4	0	4	0-0	0-0	1	0	0
@K.C. (12/19)		2	1	3	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
9	0	13	7	20	2-16	0-0	2	0	0

Palepoi's Career Totals

G	S	UT	A	TT	S-Yds	I-Yds	PD	FF	FR
29	1	24	16	40	3-23	0-0	4	1	0

75 • Monsanto Pope • DT • 6-3 • 300 • 3 • Virginia

Regular Season Games Played/Games Started: 2004: 14/13; Career: 44/19

2004 Regular Season:

Pope's play on the interior of Denver's defensive line through 14 games (13 starts) has made it difficult for Broncos opponents to run the ball. This season, he has totaled 25 tackles (20 solo), one sack (-2 yds.) and one pass breakup. He made one solo tackle at **K.C. (12/19)**. Pope added an assisted tackle vs. **Mia. (12/12)** in a Broncos win. He made two tackles (both solo) at **S.D. (12/5)**. Although he did not make any tackles vs. **Oak. (11/28)**, Pope blocked an extra-point attempt by Sebastian Janikowski in the third quarter and tipped a Kerry Collins pass in the fourth quarter that was intercepted by Ellis Johnson and returned 32 yards for a touchdown. With the Broncos holding Saints running back Deuce McAllister to only 42 yards rushing at **N.O. (11/21)**, he added one tackle in Denver's dominating defensive performance. Pope had one assisted tackle vs. **Hou. (11/7)**. He contributed two tackles (1 solo) vs. **Atl. (10/31)**. He started at **Cin. (10/25)** on *Monday Night Football* but did not record a defensive tackle. In a start at **Oak. (10/17)**, he helped limit the Raiders to only 31 rushing yards with one solo tackle. He solidified the interior of Denver's defensive line with one solo tackle vs. **Car. (10/10)** as the Panthers were held to only 64 rushing yards. Pope tied for the team-lead in tackles among linemen with three (all solo) at **T.B. (10/3)**. He had his first sack of the season (-2 yds.) on the game's final play vs. **S.D. (9/26)** to go along with five solo tackles. **Pope and the Broncos limited LaDainian Tomlinson to his lowest rushing total (60 yds.) in 15 games.** With San Diego on the goal line in the third quarter, Pope stuffed Tomlinson for no gain on a run. Pope also negated a big gain on an end-around by San Diego by stopping the play for only a 3-yard gain. He helped fill the void created by defensive end/tackle Trevor Pryce's absence at **Jac. (9/19)** with one solo tackle against the **Jaguars in helping limit the team to only 67 yards rushing on 22 carries (3.0)**. He finished tied for second on the team and first among linemen with six tackles (4 solo) vs. **K.C. (9/12)**.

Pope's 2004 Totals

G	S	UT	A	TT	S-Yds	I-Yds	PD	FF	FR
K.C. (9/12)		4	2	6	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
@Jac. (9/19)*		1	0	1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
S.D. (9/26)*		5	0	5	1-2	0-0	0	0	0
@T.B. (10/3)*		3	0	3	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
Car. (10/10)*		1	0	1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
@Oak. (10/17)*		1	0	1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
@Cin. (10/25)*		0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
Atl. (10/31)*		1	1	2	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
Hou. (11/7)*		0	1	1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
@N.O. (11/21)*		1	0	1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
Oak. (11/28)*		0	0	0	0-0	0-0	1	0	0
@S.D. (12/5)*		2	0	2	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
Mia. (12/12)*		0	1	1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
@K.C. (12/19)*		1	0	1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
14	13	20	5	25	1-2	0-0	1	0	0

Pope's Career Totals

G	S	UT	A	TT	S-Yds	I-Yds	PD	FF	FR
44	19	55	18	73	6-32	0-0	3	1	0

93 • Trevor Pryce • DE/DT • 6-5 • 295 • 8 • Clemson

Regular Season Games Played/Games Started: 2004: 1/1; Career: 104/98

2004 Regular Season:

Pryce has missed the last 13 games recovering from surgery to relieve a herniated disc in his lower back. Before the injury, he appeared in the season opener and recorded one tackle and one pass breakup. When he missed Denver's game at **Jac. (9/19)**, **it marked the first game he has missed since Dec. 25, 1999, when he did not play at Detroit.** Pryce recorded a start at right defensive tackle in the Broncos' season opener vs. **K.C. (9/12)**, moving inside to replace DT Luther Elliss, who was inactive with a right shoulder injury. Despite missing parts of the game against the Chiefs with back pain, he totaled a solo tackle and a pass breakup.

Pryce's 2004 Totals

G	S	UT	A	TT	S-Yds	I-Yds	PD	FF	FR
K.C. (9/12)*		1	0	1	0-0	0-0	1	0	0
@Jac. (9/19)					Inactive (lower back—herniated disc)				
S.D. (9/26)					Inactive (lower back—herniated disc)				
@T.B. (10/3)					Inactive (lower back—herniated disc)				
Car. (10/10)					Inactive (lower back—herniated disc)				
@Oak. (10/17)					Inactive (lower back—herniated disc)				
@Cin. (10/25)					Inactive (lower back—herniated disc)				
Atl. (10/31)					Inactive (lower back—herniated disc)				
Hou. (11/7)					Inactive (lower back—herniated disc)				
@N.O. (11/21)					Inactive (lower back—herniated disc)				
Oak. (11/28)					Inactive (lower back—herniated disc)				
@S.D. (12/5)					Inactive (lower back—herniated disc)				
Mia. (12/12)					Inactive (lower back—herniated disc)				
@K.C. (12/19)					Inactive (lower back—herniated disc)				
1	1	1	0	1	0-0	0-0	1	0	0

Pryce's Career Totals

G	S	UT	A	TT	S-Yds	I-Yds	PD	FF	FR
104	98	275	74	349	60-394	2-1	5	10	4

97 • Demetris Veal • DT • 6-2 • 288 • 2 • Tennessee

Regular Season Games Played/Games Started: 2004: 0/0; Career: 3/0

2004 Regular Season:

Veal was signed off the Baltimore Ravens' practice squad Dec. 18 and was inactive for Denver's game at **K.C. (12/19)**. Veal did not see any time on Baltimore's active roster before joining the Broncos.

Veal's 2004 Totals

G	S	UT	A	TT	S-Yds	I-Yds	PD	FF	FR
@K.C. (12/19)					Inactive				
0	0	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0

Veal's Career Totals

G	S	UT	A	TT	S-Yds	I-Yds	PD	FF	FR
3	0	3	1	4	0-0	0-0	0	0	0

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55 • Patrick Chukwurah • LB • 6-1 • 250 • 4 • Wyoming

Regular Season Games Played/Games Started: 2004: 12/0; Career: 39/5

2004 Regular Season:

Chukwurah's primary position is a backup middle linebacker, but most of his action on defense this season has come as a defensive end during pass-rush situations. He has played in 12 games since recovering from a lower-back injury that kept him out of the season opener and has totaled four tackles (3 solo), one sack (-12 yds.), one forced fumble and one pass breakup as well as making five tackles on special teams. Chukwurah played on special teams and appeared at defensive end during a few passing plays at **K.C. (12/19)**. He tallied a tackle on defense as an end as well as on special teams vs. **Mia. (12/12)**. Chukwurah had a big day on special teams at **S.D. (12/5)** as he made two tackles on the unit, including a takedown of Chargers punt returner Tim Dwight on a 21-yard return. He showed his ability covering kickoffs vs. **Oak. (11/28)** by tackling J.R. Redmond at the end of a 31-yard second-quarter return. Along with forcing a fumble, Chukwurah registered his first sack of the season (-12 yds.) at **N.O. (11/21)** just before the two-minute warning of the first half on Saints quarterback Aaron Brooks as part of a two-tackles (1 solo) game. His pressure on Brooks on a fourth-quarter pass resulted in a Reggie Hayward interception that was returned 76 yards to the Saints' 5-yard line. He made his first tackle of the season on special teams as well as defensively vs. **Hou. (11/7)** while also playing at defensive end. Chukwurah saw some snaps at defensive end in pass-rush situations vs. **Atl. (10/31)** and at **Cin. (10/25)** on *Monday Night Football*. He was inactive for Denver's game at **Oak. (10/17)** with a quadriceps injury. During a crucial third-down attempt in the fourth quarter vs. **Car. (10/10)**, Chukwurah lined up at defensive end and swatted Jake Delhomme's arm to break up the pass for an incompleteness. **At T.B. (10/3)**, Chukwurah did not record a tackle but drilled the Buccaneers' Brad Johnson just after the quarterback released the ball on a third-quarter completion. In Denver's games vs. **S.D. (9/26)** and at **Jac. (9/19)**, Chukwurah was used as a defensive end during pass-rush situations and also contributed on special teams. He was inactive for the Broncos' season opener vs. **K.C. (9/12)** because of a lower-back injury.

Chukwurah's 2004 Totals

G	S	UT	A	TT	S-Yds	I-Yds	PD	FF	FR
K.C. (9/12)					Inactive (lower back)				
@Jac. (9/19)		0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
S.D. (9/26)		0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
@T.B. (10/3)		0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
Car. (10/10)		0	0	0	0-0	0-0	1	0	0
@Oak. (10/17)					Inactive (quadriceps)				
@Cin. (10/25)		0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
Atl. (10/31)		0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
Hou. (11/7)		1	0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
@N.O. (11/21)		1	1	2	1-12	0-0	0	1	0



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Oak. (11/28)	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
@S.D. (12/5)	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
Mia. (12/12)	1	0	1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
@K.C. (12/19)	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
12	0	3	1	4	1-12	0-0	1	1

Additional Statistics: Chukwurah has made five special teams tackles, including two at San Diego (12/5/04)

Chukwurah's Career Totals

G	S	UT	A	TT	S-Yds	I-Yds	PD	FF	FR
39	5	15	12	27	3.5-37	0-0	2	3	0

Additional Statistics: Special teams tackles (27).

53 • Louis Green • LB • 6-3 • 228 • 1 • Alcorn State

Regular Season Games Played/Games Started: 2004: 4/0; Career: 4/0

2004 Regular Season:

Green returned to the active roster Dec. 2 in a roster opening created when Lenny Walls was placed on injured reserve and has played in four games this season on special teams only, where he has made one tackle. He brought down Chiefs returner Dante Hall at **K.C. (12/19)** for the first special teams tackle of his career in a game in which he appeared on special teams only. He also played on special teams only vs. **Mia. (12/12)** and at **S.D. (12/5)**. Before the Chargers' game, he had been on the practice squad since Sept. 13. Green was signed from the practice squad a day before the game vs. **K.C. (9/12)** and appeared on special teams only against the Chiefs.

Green's 2004 Totals

G	S	UT	A	TT	S-Yds	I-Yds	PD	FF	FR
4	0								
Special Teams Only									

Additional Statistics: Green made a special teams tackle at Kansas City (12/19/04).

58 • Terry Pierce • LB • 6-1 • 251 • 2 • Kansas State

Regular Season Games Played/Games Started: 2004: 13/0; Career: 16/0

2004 Regular Season:

Pierce has seen action in 13 games this season for the Broncos, making three tackles on special teams while recording two tackles as a linebacker. At **K.C. (12/19)**, he appeared on special teams only. In addition to his special teams duties, he briefly saw time at linebacker vs. **Mia. (12/12)**. Pierce played on special teams only at **S.D. (12/5)** and vs. **Oak. (11/28)**. He made his first two defensive tackles of the season at **N.O. (11/21)** and forced a fumble on special teams that was recovered by Roc Alexander on a first-quarter kickoff return by Michael Lewis. He also made a tackle on special teams in New Orleans. Pierce played on special teams only vs. **Hou. (11/7)**, vs. **Atl. (10/31)** and at **Cin. (10/25)** on *Monday Night Football*. He briefly played at linebacker, his first defensive action in two games, at **Oak. (10/17)**. He saw time on special teams only vs. **Car. (10/10)** and at **T.B. (10/3)**. He pulled down Chargers return man Tim Dwight vs. **S.D. (9/26)** on a fourth-quarter kick return in addition to recording another special-teams stop for two total tackles that day. When Al Wilson missed a few plays with a twisted left ankle against the Chargers late in the game, Pierce saw time at linebacker. He was active but did not play at **Jac. (9/19)**. After recovering from a knee injury that limited him at the end of the preseason, Pierce was in for a few plays defensively vs. **K.C. (9/12)** but did not register a tackle.

Pierce's 2004 Totals

G	S	UT	A	TT	S-Yds	I-Yds	PD	FF	FR
K.C. (9/12)	0	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
@Jac. (9/19)					Did Not Play				
S.D. (9/26)	0	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
@T.B. (10/3)					Special Teams Only				
Car. (10/10)					Special Teams Only				
@Oak. (10/17)	0	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
@Cin. (10/25)					Special Teams Only				
Atl. (10/31)					Special Teams Only				
Hou. (11/7)					Special Teams Only				
@N.O. (11/21)	0	2	2	2	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
Oak. (11/28)					Special Teams Only				
@S.D. (12/5)					Special Teams Only				
Mia. (12/12)	0	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
@K.C. (12/19)					Special Teams Only				
13	0	0	2	2	0-0	0-0	0	0	0

Additional Statistics: He forced a fumble on special teams at New Orleans (11/21/04). He has three special teams tackles, including two vs. San Diego (9/26/04).

Pierce's Career Totals

G	S	UT	A	TT	S-Yds	I-Yds	PD	FF	FR
16	0	2	3	5	0-0	0-0	0	0	0

Additional Statistics: He forced a fumble on special teams at New Orleans (11/21/04). Special teams tackles (3).

59 • Donnie Spragan • LB • 6-3 • 239 • 3 • Stanford

Regular Season Games Played/Games Started: 2004: 14/13; Career: 46/21

2004 Regular Season:

Spragan has been solid as Denver's strong side linebacker for all 14 (13 starts) of its games this season and has 62 tackles (38 solo) along with one sack (-1 yds.), a forced fumble, fumble recovery and two pass breakups. He also has made two special teams tackles. At **K.C. (12/19)**, he recorded a season-high eight tackles (5 solo) and a pass breakup while bringing down Chiefs returner Dante Hall on special teams. He posted consecutive three-tackle games vs. **Mia. (12/12)** and at **S.D. (12/5)**. He recovered his first fumble of the season vs. **Oak. (11/28)** after Kelly Herndon jarred the ball loose from Raiders running back Justin Fargas in the third quarter. Spragan finished the game with two tackles (both solo) as well as a pass breakup. He made five tackles (4 solo) at **N.O. (11/21)** as part of a Denver defensive effort that limited Saints running back Deuce McAllister to only 42 yards rushing. He recorded four tackles (2 solo) vs. **Hou. (11/7)**. In what was a busy day for the Broncos' linebacking unit vs. **Atl. (10/31)** in attempting to contain Michael Vick, Spragan made seven tackles (4 solo). He recorded three tackles (all solo) on *Monday Night Football* at **Cin. (10/25)**. He turned in a strong game at **Oak. (10/17)** with five tackles (3 solo) and his first career sack (-1 yd.) as the Broncos held the Raiders to 145 total yards. His six tackles (4 solo) were part of an outstanding effort by the Broncos' run defense vs. **Car. (10/10)** that limited the Panthers to only 64 rushing yards. Spragan played well at **T.B. (10/3)**, posting three tackles (1 solo). He created heavy pressure on Buccaneers quarterback Brad Johnson on a third-and-3 during Tampa Bay's first possession of the game, hitting Johnson as he released the ball and forcing an incompletion. His four tackles (3 solo) vs. **S.D. (9/26)** played a part in *limiting LaDainian Tomlinson to his lowest rushing total (60 yds.) in 15 games*. At **Jac. (9/19)**, he tied for second on the team with five tackles (2 solo) and *forced the first fumble of his career*. Making a start at strong side linebacker vs. **K.C. (9/12)**, Spragan made four tackles (1 solo) against the Chiefs. Additionally, he made a special teams stop against the Chiefs.

Spragan's 2004 Totals

G	S	UT	A	TT	S-Yds	I-Yds	PD	FF	FR
K.C. (9/12)*	1	3	4	4	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
@Jac. (9/19)*	2	3	5	5	0-0	0-0	0	1	0
S.D. (9/26)*	3	1	4	4	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
@T.B. (10/3)*	1	2	3	3	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
Car. (10/10)*	4	2	6	6	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
@Oak. (10/17)*	3	2	5	5	1-1	0-0	0	0	0
@Cin. (10/25)*	3	0	3	3	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
Atl. (10/31)*	4	3	7	7	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
Hou. (11/7)*	2	2	4	4	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
@N.O. (11/21)*	4	1	5	5	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
Oak. (11/28)*	2	0	2	2	0-0	0-0	1	0	1
@S.D. (12/5)	3	0	3	3	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
Mia. (12/12)*	1	2	3	3	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
@K.C. (12/19)*	5	3	8	8	0-0	0-0	1	0	0
14	13	38	24	62	1-1	0-0	2	1	1

Additional Statistics: Spragan made a special teams tackle at Kansas City (12/19/04) and vs. Kansas City (9/12/04).

Spragan's Career Totals

G	S	UT	A	TT	S-Yds	I-Yds	PD	FF	FR
46	21	94	44	138	1-1	0-0	8	1	2

Additional Statistics: Special teams tackles (24). Spragan forced a fumble at Oakland (12/22/02) on a kickoff return. Recovered a fumble on special teams at Indianapolis (12/21/03).

57 • Jashon Sykes • LB • 6-2 • 236 • 2 • Colorado

Regular Season Games Played/Games Started: 2004: 3/0; Career: 19/8

2004 Regular Season:

Sykes has appeared in three of the Broncos' games this season, contributing mostly on special teams and seeing a few snaps on defense. Sykes was inactive for Denver's last eight games: at **K.C. (12/19)**, vs. **Mia. (12/12)**, at **S.D. (12/5)**, vs. **Oak. (11/28)**, at **N.O. (11/21)**, vs. **Hou. (11/7)**, vs. **Atl. (10/31)** and at **Cin. (10/25)**. He was active for the first time in three games at **Oak. (10/17)** and played special teams only. He was inactive for Denver's games vs. **Car. (10/10)**, at **T.B. (10/3)** and vs. **S.D. (9/26)**. He did not register a play on defense at **Jac. (9/19)** but did play on special teams. Sykes played sparingly on defense vs. **K.C. (9/12)** during the Broncos' opening day win, seeing action on only a few plays.



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Sykes' 2004 Totals

G	S	UT	A	TT	S-Yds	I-Yds	PD	FF	FR
K.C. (9/12)		0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
@Jac. (9/19)					Special Teams Only				
S.D. (9/26)					Inactive				
@T.B. (10/3)					Inactive				
Car. (10/10)					Inactive				
@Oak. (10/17)					Special Teams Only				
@Cin. (10/25)					Inactive				
Atl. (10/31)					Inactive				
Hou. (11/7)					Inactive				
@N.O. (11/21)					Inactive				
Oak. (11/28)					Inactive				
@S.D. (12/5)					Inactive				
Mia. (12/12)					Inactive				
@K.C. (12/19)					Inactive				
3	0	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0

Sykes' Career Totals

G	S	UT	A	TT	S-Yds	I-Yds	PD	FF	FR
19	8	49	15	64	0-0	0-0	0	1	0

Additional Statistics: Special teams tackles (12). He recovered a fumble at Cincinnati (9/7/03) on a kickoff return. Sykes blocked a punt at Indianapolis (12/21/03).

52 • D.J. Williams • LB • 6-1 • 242 • R • Miami

Regular Season Games Played/Games Started: 2004: 14/12; Career: 14/12

- Denver's first-round draft choice in 2004, Williams is having an exceptional rookie season as he leads the Broncos in tackles with 102 (74 solo) as the Broncos' starting weak side linebacker.
- With a nine-tackle (8 solo) game at K.C. (12/19), he eclipsed the 100-tackle mark for the season.
- He is on pace to be only the eighth regular starter as a rookie in the Mike Shanahan era and has a chance to be the first rookie under Coach Shanahan and second in team history to lead or tie the Broncos in tackles.

2004 Regular Season:

Williams has contributed as much as any Broncos defensive rookie in recent history through 14 games (12 starts) as the team's starting weak side linebacker and **leads Denver in tackles with 102 (74 solo) while also recording two sacks (-13 yds.), six pass breakups and one forced fumble.** Additionally, he has made significant contributions to the Broncos' special teams, recording six tackles on the unit to tie for sixth on the team. **Williams went above the 100-tackle mark for the season at K.C. (12/19)** with nine stops (8 solo), one sack (-6 yds.) and the first forced fumble of his career. He drilled Chiefs quarterback Trent Green for a fourth-quarter sack, knocking the ball loose with his hit. For the second consecutive week vs. **Mia. (12/12)**, the promising rookie lead the Broncos in tackles with 11 (8 solo). He enjoyed an outstanding game at **S.D. (12/5)**, collecting a career and team-high 13 tackles (10 solo) in addition to making a tackle on special teams. Williams turned in a strong performance vs. **Oak. (11/28)** with seven tackles (5 solo), a pass breakup and a stop on special teams. He helped the Broncos limit Saints running back Deuce McAllister to only 42 yards rushing at **N.O. (11/21)** with three tackles (2 solo) in the Broncos' win. In Denver's game vs. **Hou. (11/7)**, he recorded his eighth game of the season with five or more tackles as he made six stops (4 solo) and broke up a David Carr pass. He did not start against the Texans because Denver chose to open the game with three cornerbacks. Williams had a strong showing vs. **Atl. (10/31)** with seven tackles (4 solo), including three stops behind the line of scrimmage. He drilled Falcons quarterback Michael Vick as he released the ball on a second-quarter blitz to force an errant throw. He also chased down Vick from behind for a 5-yard loss in the first quarter. In his first-ever game on *Monday Night Football* at **Cin. (10/25)**, Williams made seven tackles (4 solo), broke up a pass and totaled three tackles on special teams. The rookie showed his closing speed to break up a third-quarter pass intended for Bengals receiver T.J. Houshmandzadeh. He led Denver with eight tackles (5 solo) at **Oak. (10/17)** as the Broncos held the Raiders to only 145 total yards. Williams' bone-jarring hit on Raiders running back Zack Crockett in the first quarter brought the back down for no gain. His six tackles (5 solo) vs. **Car. (10/10)** were part of a strong Broncos defensive effort that limited the Panthers to only 64 yards rushing. Williams led Denver with nine tackles (8 solo) at **T.B. (10/3)** in a game that saw him make several big hits. He had a huge hit on the Buccaneers' Mike Alstott late in the first half that sent the fullback backward for only a 1-yard gain after he caught a screen pass. A few plays earlier, Williams showed his speed by running across the field, behind the Buccaneers' offensive line, to chase down Jamel White for a 2-yard gain. In posting five tackles (2 solo) vs. **S.D. (9/26)**, he helped **limit LaDainian Tomlinson to his lowest rushing total (60 yds.) in 15 games.** He also had a special teams tackle against the Chargers. He recorded the first sack of his career in the fourth quarter at **Jac. (9/19)** when he pulled down Jaguars running back LaBrandon Toefield on a passing play for a loss of seven yards. Williams finished the game against the Jaguars with four tackles (2 solo). **Williams became the first Bronco rookie to start on opening day since 1998 when he started at weakside linebacker vs. K.C. (9/12).** He led the team with seven tackles (all solo), including several open-field hits on Chiefs Pro Bowl running back Priest Holmes. He also broke up a pass in the season opener.

Williams' 2004 Totals

G	S	UT	A	TT	S-Yds	I-Yds	PD	FF	FR
K.C. (9/12)*		7	0	7	0-0	0-0	1	0	0
@Jac. (9/19)*		2	2	4	1-7	0-0	0	0	0
S.D. (9/26)*		2	3	5	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
@T.B. (10/3)*		8	1	9	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
Car. (10/10)*		5	1	6	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
@Oak. (10/17)*		5	3	8	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
@Cin. (10/25)*		4	3	7	0-0	0-0	1	0	0
Atl. (10/31)*		4	3	7	0-0	0-0	1	0	0
Hou. (11/7)		4	2	6	0-0	0-0	1	0	0
@N.O. (11/21)*		2	1	3	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
Oak. (11/28)		5	2	7	0-0	0-0	1	0	0
@S.D. (12/5)*		10	3	13	0-0	0-0	1	0	0
Mia. (12/12)*		8	3	11	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
@K.C. (12/19)*		8	1	9	1-6	0-0	0	1	0
14	12	74	28	102	2-13	0-0	6	1	0

Additional Statistics: Williams has six special teams tackles, including three at Cincinnati (10/25/04).

56 • Al Wilson • LB • 6-0 • 240 • 6 • Tennessee

Regular Season Games Played/Games Started: 2004: 14/14; Career: 93/87

- Wilson's 94 tackles (61 solo) rank second on the Broncos.
- Along with safety John Lynch, he was selected as Denver's co-defensive captain by his teammates.
- At N.O. (11/21), Wilson intercepted a pass for the first time since Dec. 10, 2000, vs. Seattle, and returned it seven yards for his first-career touchdown.

2004 Regular Season:

Wilson has anchored the Broncos' defense through 14 games (14 starts) this season and is the undisputed emotional leader of the unit. **Selected as a Broncos co-defensive captain by his teammates, Wilson ranks second on the Broncos in tackles with 94 (61 solo)** while also making two sacks (-17 yds.), intercepting two passes (17 yds., including a touchdown), breaking up four passes and forcing two fumbles. He sacked Chiefs quarterback Trent Green at **K.C. (12/19)** for a 7-yard loss in the second quarter, forcing a fumble on the play in his seven-tackle (6 solo). Wilson posted his second interception of the year in a five-tackle (3 solo) game vs. **Mia. (12/12)**. He picked off the Dolphins' A.J. Feeley on the first play of the second quarter for a 10-yard return that set up a Broncos field goal. He added six tackles (4 solo) at **S.D. (12/5)**. Wilson tallied eight tackles (5 solo) vs. **Oak. (11/28)**, including a bone-jarring stop on running back Tyrone Wheatley on a 4th-and-1 in the first quarter. At **N.O. (11/21)**, Wilson intercepted a second-quarter Aaron Brooks pass and returned it seven yards for a touchdown, **marking his first interception since Dec. 10, 2000, vs. Seattle, and the first score of his career.** Earlier in the game, he drilled Saints running back Deuce McAllister, who managed only 42 rushing yards, for a 3-yard loss on a screen pass, and he finished the day with eight tackles (6 solo). He tied for the team high in tackles with nine (6 solo) vs. **Hou. (11/7)**, including three tackles for a loss. He showed great range in breaking up a David Carr pass against the Texans. Wilson led Denver's linebackers with eight tackles (5 solo) vs. **Ail. (10/31)**. He pried the ball loose from Falcons running back T.J. Duckett after his run brought Atlanta inside Denver's 30-yard line in the second quarter, and teammate Reggie Hayward recovered the ball to register the turnover for Denver. Wilson tallied a team-high 10 tackles (6 solo) at **Cin. (10/25)** on *Monday Night Football*, including a sack for -10 yds. on an impressive second-quarter series in which Denver forced the Bengals to lose 11 yards on three plays when Cincinnati was inside the Broncos' 25-yard line. Wilson recorded four stops (2 solo) in a Broncos defensive effort at **Oak. (10/17)** that held the Raiders to only 145 total yards. **He posted his 2nd-career double-digit tackle game in his strongest outing of the year vs. Car. (10/10) with a team-high 10 tackles (7 solo) that helped limit the Panthers to only 64 yards rushing.** At **T.B. (10/3)**, Wilson recorded five tackles (2 solo) in a hard-fought Broncos win. He led all Broncos linebackers with eight tackles (4 solo) vs. **S.D. (9/26)** while helping **limit LaDainian Tomlinson to his lowest rushing total (60 yds.) in 15 games.** Wilson twisted his left ankle late in the game vs. San Diego but returned to help seal the victory. He stopped Tomlinson for no gain on a huge first-quarter hit. The linebacker broke up his first pass of the season at **Jac. (9/19)** and added an assisted tackle in the Broncos' dominating defensive effort against the Jaguars. Wilson started at middle linebacker vs. **K.C. (9/12)** and had five tackles (all solo) to raise his career solo tackle total over 500. He had to be helped off the field at the half with leg cramps and was hampered by them in the second half against the Chiefs.



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Wilson's 2004 Totals

G	S	UT	A	TT	S-Yds	I-Yds	PD	FF	FR
K.C. (9/12)*	5	0	5	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
@Jac. (9/19)*	0	1	1	0-0	0-0	1	0	0	0
S.D. (9/26)*	4	4	8	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
@T.B. (10/3)*	2	3	5	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
Car. (10/10)*	7	3	10	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
@Oak. (10/17)*	2	2	4	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
@Cin. (10/25)*	6	4	10	1-10	0-0	0	0	0	0
Atl. (10/31)*	5	3	8	0-0	0-0	0	1	0	0
Hou. (11/7)*	6	3	9	0-0	0-0	1	0	0	0
@N.O. (11/21)*	6	2	8	0-0	1-7	1	0	0	0
Oak. (11/28)*	5	3	8	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
@S.D. (12/5)*	4	2	6	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
Mia. (12/12)*	3	2	5	0-0	1-10	1	0	0	0
@K.C. (12/19)*	6	1	7	1-7	0-0	0	1	0	0
14	14	61	33	94	2-17	2-17	4	2	0

Wilson's Career Totals

G	S	UT	A	TT	S-Yds	I-Yds	PD	FF	FR
93	87	559	182	741	17-114	5-38	34	6	6

Additional Statistics: Special teams tackles (4).

CORNERBACKS

45 • Roc Alexander • CB • 5-10 • 186 • R • Washington

Regular Season Games Played/Games Started: 2004: 14/0; Career: 14/0

2004 Regular Season:

Alexander has been a versatile player for Denver through 14 games, showing special teams ability covering kicks as well as returning them while contributing as a reserve at cornerback. Alexander recently has been looked to as an option at kick returner, recording 18 returns for 368 yards (20.4 avg.). **He's been a spark plug on kick/punt coverage, making 11 tackles for the second-highest total on the Broncos**, and he has posted one defensive tackle. Additionally, he recorded one fumble recovery while defending a kick return. With regular nickel back Willie Middlebrooks missing his first game after being placed on injured reserve, Alexander saw extensive time in passing situations at **K.C. (12/19)**. He tackled Chiefs receiver Eddie Kennison on an inside kick return in the fourth quarter. He played at cornerback in passing situations vs. **Mia. (12/12)** and made two stops on special teams. At **S.D. (12/5)**, he returned four kicks for 62 yards (15.5 avg.) while seeing a few snaps on defense in passing situations. He gained 85 yards on four kick returns (21.3 avg.) vs. **Oak. (11/28)** and protected the ball despite the snowy, frigid conditions on the field. Alexander scooped up the first fumble recovery of his career at **N.O. (11/21)** on a first-quarter kick return by Michael Lewis, who had the ball jarred free by Terry Pierce. Later in that game, Alexander downed a 37-yard punt at the Saints' 3-yard line and also made a tackle on special teams. The rookie was a factor on kickoff returns in New Orleans, gaining 87 yards on four returns (21.8 avg.), including a 28-yard return in the second quarter. He made a special teams tackle vs. **Hou. (11/7)**. Returning kicks for the first time since the season opener vs. **Atl. (10/31)**, he gained 79 yards on four returns (19.8 avg.), including a 25-yard return to begin the game and put Denver in solid field position for their first touchdown drive. He also tallied one special teams tackle against the Falcons. Alexander tackled Bengals kick return Cliff Russell on the opening kickoff on **Monday Night Football** at **Cin. (10/25)**, stopping Russell after a 17-yard return. With nickel back Willie Middlebrooks out with a hamstring injury at **Oak. (10/17)** and cornerback Lenny Walls having left the game in the fourth quarter with a separated shoulder, Alexander saw some time at defensive back in addition to his special teams duties against the Raiders. He recorded one stop on special teams against the Raiders. In Denver's comeback win vs. **Car. (10/10)**, he played on special teams only. He pulled down kick returner Jamel White at **T.B. (10/3)** at the end of a 44-yard return in the fourth quarter, keeping the Buccaneers outside of Broncos territory. He also tackled another Buccaneer on special teams that day. He made a tackle on special teams vs. **S.D. (9/26)** while also seeing several plays on defense. He did not record any defensive action at **Jac. (9/19)** but made a special teams stop against the Jaguars. Alexander returned two kicks for 55 yards (27.5 avg.) vs. **K.C. (9/12)**. **His 27.5 avg. was the second-highest return average in the AFC for Wk. 1, trailing only teammate Reuben Droughns.** Alexander came up big on the defensive side of the ball late in the game with cornerbacks Lenny Walls (shoulder) and Kelly Herndon (cramps) forced out, making a key third-down tackle on Chiefs wide receiver Eddie Kennison.

Alexander's 2004 Totals

G	S	UT	A	TT	S-Yds	I-Yds	PD	FF	FR
K.C. (9/12)	1	0	1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
@Jac. (9/19)				Special Teams Only					
S.D. (9/26)	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
@T.B. (10/3)	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
Car. (10/10)				Special Teams Only					
@Oak. (10/17)	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
@Cin. (10/25)	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
Atl. (10/31)				Special Teams Only					
Hou. (11/7)				Special Teams Only					
@N.O. (11/21)				Special Teams Only					
Oak. (11/28)				Special Teams Only					
@S.D. (12/5)	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
Mia. (12/12)	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
@K.C. (12/19)	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
14	0	1	0	1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0

Additional Statistics: Alexander recovered a fumble defending a kick return at New Orleans (11/21/04). He has made 11 special teams tackles, including two vs. Miami (12/12/04) and at Tampa Bay (10/3/04).

Kickoff Returns

Opp.	Ret.	Yds.	Avg.	LG	TD
K.C. (9/12)	2	55	27.5	32	0
@Jac. (9/19)	0	0	0.0	—	0
S.D. (9/26)	0	0	0.0	—	0
@T.B. (10/3)	0	0	0.0	—	0
Car. (10/10)	0	0	0.0	—	0
@Oak. (10/17)	0	0	0.0	—	0
@Cin. (10/25)	0	0	0.0	—	0
Atl. (10/31)	4	79	19.8	25	0
Hou. (11/7)	0	0	0.0	—	0
@N.O. (11/21)	4	87	21.8	28	0
Oak. (11/28)	4	85	21.3	24	0
@S.D. (12/5)	4	62	15.5	21	0
Mia. (12/12)	0	0	0.0	—	0
@K.C. (12/19)	0	0	0.0	—	0
Total	18	368	20.4	32	0

Alexander's Single-Game Career Bests: Kick Returns — 4 (four times, last at San Diego, 12/5/04); Kick Return Yards — 87 (at New Orleans, 11/21/04); Longest Kick Return — 32 (vs. Kansas City, 9/12/04); Kick Return TDs — None.

24 • Champ Bailey • CB • 6-0 • 192 • 6 • Georgia

Regular Season Games Played/Games Started: 2004: 14/14; Career: 94/94

- Bailey has three of Denver's 10 interceptions this season (1 at N.O. 11/21, 1 at Cin. 10/25 and 1 vs. K.C. 9/12).
- His 75 tackles (66 solo) rank fourth on the team and lead all Broncos cornerbacks.
- Since his rookie season in 1999, Bailey is the only cornerback in the NFL to start in every possible regular-season game his team played (a span of 94 games through Week 15).
- He has appeared on offense in three games, totaling one catch for 11 yards (vs. K.C. on 9/12).

2004 Regular Season:

Bailey has displayed his game-changing ability through 14 games (14 starts) with the Broncos since being acquired in a blockbuster offseason trade. **He ranks fourth on the team and leads all cornerbacks in tackles with 75 (66 solo) and has three of the Broncos' 10 interceptions this season along with 11 pass breakups. Including 14 starts this season, he is the only cornerback in the NFL to play in every possible regular-season game his team played since his rookie season in 1999.** At **K.C. (12/19)**, Bailey tallied four stops (3 solo) and broke up a pass. He broke up two A.J. Feeley passes vs. **Mia. (12/12)** and made three tackles (all solo). In a solid performance by the Broncos' defensive backs at **S.D. (12/5)**, Bailey had six tackles (all solo) and helped limit Drew Brees to a season-low 106 passing yards. Bailey extended his consecutive starts streak to 91 vs. **Oak. (11/28)**. He displayed tremendous closing speed in intercepting a fourth-down Aaron Brooks pass in the end zone at **N.O. (11/21)** in a game in which he led Denver with 13 tackles (11 solo). He initially was ruled as making the catch out of bounds, but the call was changed to an interception after a replay challenge. Bailey made five tackles (all solo) vs. **Hou. (11/7)** and helped limit up-and-coming Texans receiver Andre Johnson to three catches for only 28 yards (9.3 avg.). In Denver's game vs. **Atl. (10/31)**, Bailey posted six tackles (all solo) in trying to limit the effectiveness of quarterback Michael Vick. He upended Vick with a hard-hitting open-field tackle late in the second quarter, limiting Vick to a 5-yard gain. Bailey was kept busy on **Monday Night Football** at **Cin. (10/25)** by the Bengals' Chad Johnson with many of his nine tackles (8 solo) coming from stops on the Pro Bowler. Bailey recorded a key interception off Bengals quarterback Carson Palmer on a third down at the Broncos' 10-yard line in the second quarter, making a great catch for his second interception of the season. Additionally, he has played at receiver in three games, mostly on third-down situations, catching a pass for 11 yards. At **Oak. (10/17)**, Bailey helped limit the Raiders to 114 passing yards while also making four tackles (4 solo). Three of his five tackles (4 solo) were for a loss vs. **Car. (10/10)**, and he held Panthers star receiver Muhsin Muhammad to one catch for nine yards, his lowest receiving yardage total in 23 games. Bailey tackled Panthers running back Nick Goings for losses of two and four yards on consecutive plays in the second quarter. He made four tackles (3 solo) at **T.B. (10/3)**. Bailey did not see a snap on offense for the first time all season vs. **S.D. (9/26)** but had six tackles (4 solo) and one pass breakup while lining up most of the game opposite Chargers receiver Reche Caldwell and limiting him to three catches for 39 yards. Bailey was matched up against Pro Bowl receiver Jimmy Smith at **Jac. (9/19)** and made five tackles during the game in **helping hold Jaguars quarterback Byron Leftwich to only 120 yards passing.** He intercepted his first pass as Bronco in the second quarter vs. **K.C. (9/12)** and made five tackles (4 solo) while playing a part in holding Chiefs Pro-Bowl tight end Tony Gonzalez to only two receptions for 17 yards. **The game vs. K.C. was the fourth time (out of a possible six) that Bailey had recorded an interception on opening day.** Additionally, he saw action on several third-down situations as a receiver and caught an 11-yard pass from Jake Plummer on a third-and-12 in the first quarter while lined up at running back for the Broncos' first catch of the season. **The play marked the first time since 1993 that a Broncos defensive player (LB Dave Wyman) made a reception.**



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Bailey's 2004 Totals

G	S	UT	A	TT	S-Yds	I-Yds	PD	FF	FR
K.C. (9/12)*	4	1	5	0-0	0-0	1-0	3	0	0
@Jac. (9/19)*	5	0	5	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
S.D. (9/26)*	4	2	6	0-0	0-0	1	0	0	0
@T.B. (10/3)*	3	1	4	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
Car. (10/10)*	4	1	5	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
@Oak. (10/17)*	4	0	4	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
@Cin. (10/25)*	8	1	9	0-0	1-0	1	0	0	0
Atl. (10/31)*	6	0	6	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
Hou. (11/7)*	5	0	5	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
@N.O. (11/21)*	11	2	13	0-0	1-0	2	0	0	0
Oak. (11/28)*	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
@S.D. (12/5)*	6	0	6	0-0	0-0	1	0	0	0
Mia. (12/12)*	3	0	3	0-0	0-0	2	0	0	0
@K.C. (12/19)*	3	1	4	0-0	0-0	1	0	0	0
14	14	66	9	75	0-0	3-0	11	0	0

Receiving

Opp.	No.	Yds.	Avg.	LG	TD
K.C. (9/12)	1	11	11.0	11	0
@Jac. (9/19)	0	0	0.0	—	0
S.D. (9/26)	Did Not Play Offense				
@T.B. (10/3)	Did Not Play Offense				
Car. (10/10)	0	0	0.0	—	0
@Oak. (10/17)	Did Not Play Offense				
@Cin. (10/25)	Did Not Play Offense				
Atl. (10/31)	Did Not Play Offense				
Hou. (11/7)	Did Not Play Offense				
@N.O. (11/21)	Did Not Play Offense				
Oak. (11/28)	Did Not Play Offense				
@S.D. (12/5)	Did Not Play Offense				
Mia. (12/12)	Did Not Play Offense				
@K.C. (12/19)	Did Not Play Offense				
Total	1	11	11.0	11	0

Bailey's Career Totals

G	S	UT	A	TT	S-Yds	I-Yds	PD	FF	FR
94	94	359	77	436	1-6	21-122	105	2	4

Additional Statistics: Bailey returned 25 punts for 303 yards (12.1 avg.), with a long of 54 yards, and one kickoff for 17 yards. He totaled four career receptions for 89 yards (22.3 avg.) with a long of 42 yards.

31 • Kelly Herndon • CB • 5-10 • 180 • 3 • Toledo

Regular Season Games Played/Games Started: 2004: 14/14; Career: 43/25

- Herndon's 16 pass breakups are the most by a Bronco this season.
- He ranks fifth on the Broncos with 72 tackles (60 solo).
- Herndon caused fumbles in back-to-back games vs. Oak. (11/28) and at S.D. (12/5).
- Herndon recorded the first sack of his career vs. Hou. (11/7) when he drilled David Carr for a 5-yard loss on a blitz late in the third quarter.

2004 Regular Season:

Herndon has started opposite Champ Bailey in all 14 of the Broncos' games this season and has 72 tackles (60 solo), one interception (2 yds.), one sack (-5 yds.) and two forced fumbles. **His 16 pass breakups lead the Broncos, and he has one of the team's 10 interceptions this season.** Herndon recorded three tackles (2 solo) and a pass breakup at **K.C. (12/19)**. He continued his stellar defense vs. **Mia. (12/12)**, making four tackles (3 solo) and breaking up two passes, including A.J. Feeley's final attempt of the game intended for Derrius Thompson. Herndon forced a fumble for the second consecutive game at **S.D. (12/5)** when he stripped the ball from Chargers wide receiver Eric Parker to force a turnover. Herndon finished the game with six tackles (all solo) while helping to limit Drew Brees to a season-low 106 passing yards. In an eight-tackle (6 solo) game vs. **Oak. (11/28)**, he forced a fumble in the third quarter with a helmet-to-football collision on running back Justin Fargas and had a big hit on Tyrone Wheatley that forced the running back out of the game. He also broke up two Kerry Collins passes against Oakland. Herndon played well at **N.O. (11/21)**, making five tackles (3 solo). In Denver's game vs. **Hou. (11/7)**, he tied for the team high with nine tackles (all solo) and recorded the first sack of his career (-5 yds.) when he drilled David Carr on a blitz late in the third quarter. Herndon made four tackles (all solo) in a start vs. **Atl. (10/31)** and was faced with the challenge of covering Falcons receiver Peerless Price on several plays. On **Monday Night Football** at **Cin. (10/25)**, he made five tackles (4 solo) and broke up a pass. Herndon made a big stop on an end-around by Bengals receiver Cliff Russell for -8 yds. in the first quarter. He intercepted a Kerry Collins pass at **Oak. (10/17)** and made four tackles (3 solo) while helping to limit the Raiders to only 114 yards passing. The third-year cornerback turned in a team-high three pass breakups to go along with six tackles (4 solo), which led the Broncos' secondary, vs. **Car. (10/10)**. Herndon recorded two tackles (all solo) at **T.B. (10/3)**. Against the Chargers vs. **S.D. (9/26)**, he had a team-high three pass breakups along with six tackles (5 solo). He tied for second on the team with five tackles at **Jac. (9/19)** in **helping limit Jacksonville quarterback Byron Leftwich to only 120 yards passing.** Herndon started the season opener vs. **K.C. (9/12)** across from Champ Bailey and made five stops while breaking up a team-high four passes. In the second half against the Chiefs, Herndon missed time with leg cramps.

Herndon's 2004 Totals

G	S	UT	A	TT	S-Yds	I-Yds	PD	FF	FR
K.C. (9/12)*	5	0	5	0-0	0-0	0-0	4	0	0
@Jac. (9/19)*	4	1	5	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
S.D. (9/26)*	5	1	6	0-0	0-0	0-0	3	0	0
@T.B. (10/3)*	2	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
Car. (10/10)*	4	2	6	0-0	0-0	0-0	3	0	0
@Oak. (10/17)*	3	1	4	0-0	1-2	1	0	0	0
@Cin. (10/25)*	4	1	5	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
Atl. (10/31)*	4	0	4	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
Hou. (11/7)*	9	0	9	1-5	0-0	0	0	0	0
@N.O. (11/21)*	3	2	5	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
Oak. (11/28)*	6	2	8	0-0	0-0	2	1	0	0
@S.D. (12/5)*	6	0	6	0-0	0-0	0	1	0	0
Mia. (12/12)*	3	1	4	0-0	0-0	2	0	0	0
@K.C. (12/19)*	2	1	3	0-0	0-0	1	0	0	0
14	14	60	12	72	1-5	1-2	16	2	0

Additional Statistics: Herndon made a special teams tackle at Oakland (10/17/04).

Herndon's Career Totals

G	S	UT	A	TT	S-Yds	I-Yds	PD	FF	FR
43	25	125	25	150	1-5	5-21	31	4	0

Additional Statistics: Special teams tackles (14). Herndon forced a fumble at Cincinnati (9/7/03) on a kickoff.

23 • Willie Middlebrooks • CB • 6-1 • 200 • 4 • Minnesota

Regular Season Games Played/Games Started: 2004: 12/2; Career: 51/2

2004 Regular Season:

Middlebrooks, a former first-round draft choice, was enjoying his finest season as a pro in 2004 before being placed on injured reserve Dec. 17 with a lower right leg injury. In addition to 17 tackles (16 solo), one sack (-3 yds.) and one fumble recovery in 12 games, **Middlebrooks recorded 10 pass breakups and seven special teams tackles.** He left Denver's game vs. **Mia. (12/12)** in the second half to get an X-ray on his right leg. Middlebrooks made his second career start at **S.D. (12/5)** with the Broncos opening the game in a nickel package, and he finished the game with two tackles (1 solo) and a pass breakup. He registered two tackles on special teams, along with two defensive tackles, vs. **Oak. (11/28)**. At **N.O. (11/21)**, he tallied three tackles (all solo) and broke up an Aaron Brooks pass. He made his first career start (three-cornerback package) vs. **Hou. (11/7)** and tallied two tackles (all solo) and a stop on special teams. He rotated in at defensive back for a few passing situations vs. **Atl. (10/31)** but did not make a tackle. As well as making a tackle on **Monday Night Football** at **Cin. (10/25)**, he broke up a pass in the end zone late in the second quarter intended for Bengals Kelley Washington. Middlebrooks was inactive at **Oak. (10/17)** with a partially torn left hamstring. Although he did not play in the second half vs. **Car. (10/10)** with a partially torn left hamstring, he did record two special teams tackles through the game's first two quarters. He had a career game at **T.B. (10/3)** during which he totaled three tackles (all solo) to go along with his first career sack and fumble recovery. On a third-down blitz in the first quarter, he sacked quarterback Brad Johnson, **marking his first career sack,** to force the Buccaneers to punt. Perhaps his best play against the Buccaneers came on third down in the fourth quarter of a close game when he leaped to break up a sideline pass intended for Tim Brown. He was a part of Denver takeaways when he scooped up a first-quarter fumble inside the Buccaneers' 45-yard line to give the Broncos excellent field position for their lone touchdown. He extended his streak of pass breakups to three games vs. **S.D. (9/26)**, recording one on a Drew Brees pass. He made two tackles and broke up a pass at **Jac. (9/19)** in **helping Denver hold Jaguars quarterback Byron Leftwich to only 120 yards passing.** Additionally, he made a special teams tackle against Jacksonville. Middlebrooks broke up three passes vs. **K.C. (9/12)** and saw increased playing time opposite Champ Bailey in the fourth quarter after injuries to cornerbacks Lenny Walls and Kelly Herndon. He also made two tackles (both solo) against the Chiefs.

Middlebrooks' 2004 Totals

G	S	UT	A	TT	S-Yds	I-Yds	PD	FF	FR
K.C. (9/12)	2	0	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	3	0	0
@Jac. (9/19)	2	0	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	1	0	0
S.D. (9/26)	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	1	0	0
@T.B. (10/3)	3	0	3	1-3	0-0	0-0	1	0	1
Car. (10/10)	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
@Oak. (10/17)	Inactive (left hamstring)								
@Cin. (10/25)	1	0	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	1	0	0
Atl. (10/31)	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
Hou. (11/7)*	2	0	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	1	0	0
@N.O. (11/21)	3	0	3	0-0	0-0	0-0	1	0	0
Oak. (11/28)	2	0	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
@S.D. (12/5)*	1	1	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	1	0	0
Mia. (12/12)	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
@K.C. (12/19)	Placed on Injured Reserve Dec. 17 (lower right leg injury)								
12	2	16	1	17	1-3	0-0	10	0	1



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Additional Statistics: Middlebrooks has totaled seven tackles on special teams in 2004.

Middlebrooks' Career Totals

G	S	UT	A	TT	S-Yds	I-Yds	PD	FF	FR
51	2	19	1	20	1-3	0-0	11	0	1

Additional Statistics: Special teams tackles (39).

40 • Jeff Shoate • CB • 5-10 • 189 • R • San Diego State

Regular Season Games Played/Games Started: 2004: 5/0; Career: 5/0

2004 Regular Season:

Shoate has seen action in five games during his rookie season. He returned to action at **K.C. (12/19)** to play on special teams only. He was inactive for six consecutive games: vs. **Mia. (12/12)**, at **S.D. (12/5)**, vs. **Oak. (11/28)**, at **N.O. (11/21)**, vs. **Hou. (11/7)** and vs. **Atl. (10/31)**. Shoate played special teams only at **Cin. (10/25)** on *Monday Night Football*. He was inactive at **Oak. (10/17)** and vs. **Car. (10/10)**. The defensive back made his first special teams tackle at **T.B. (10/3)** while playing one snap on defense. He appeared on special teams only vs. **S.D. (9/26)**. He played on special teams and was in on defense during one play at **Jac. (9/19)**. In the Broncos' season opener vs. **K.C. (9/12)**, Shoate was inactive.

Shoate's 2004 Totals

G	S	UT	A	TT	S-Yds	I-Yds	PD	FF	FR
K.C. (9/12)					Inactive				
@Jac. (9/19)		0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
S.D. (9/26)					Special Teams Only				
@T.B. (10/3)		0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
Car. (10/10)					Inactive				
@Oak. (10/17)					Inactive				
@Cin. (10/25)					Special Teams Only				
Atl. (10/31)					Inactive				
Hou. (11/7)					Inactive				
@N.O. (11/21)					Inactive				
Oak. (11/28)					Inactive				
@S.D. (12/5)					Inactive				
Mia. (12/12)					Inactive				
@K.C. (12/19)					Special Teams Only				
5	0	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0

Additional Statistics: Shoate has made a tackle on special teams at Tampa Bay (10/3/04).

35 • Lenny Walls • CB • 6-4 • 192 • 3 • Boston College

Regular Season Games Played/Games Started: 2004: 7/1; Career: 36/17

2004 Regular Season:

Walls was placed on injured reserve Nov. 30 with a separated right shoulder, which he had repaired Dec. 1. Before the injury, he posted 21 tackles (18 solo), two pass breakups and one forced fumble in seven games (1 start). Additionally, he made two tackles on special teams. Walls, who made his first start of the season vs. **Oak. (11/28)** with Denver opening the game in a three-cornerback set, totaled two tackles (2 solo) and a pass breakup against the Raiders before dislocating his right shoulder late in the first half. He added three tackles (all solo) and a pass breakup at **N.O. (11/21)** while making a stop on special teams against the Saints. Walls contributed three tackles (2 solo) vs. **Hou. (11/7)**. Walls returned to action vs. **Atl. (10/31)** after missing the previous week with a shoulder injury and was used as Denver's nickelback, posting three tackles (all solo) and a forced fumble against the Falcons. Walls pulled down Falcons quarterback Michael Vick at the end of his 44-yard run in the first quarter and forced a fumble on the play, which the quarterback recovered. He was inactive for the Broncos' *Monday Night Football* game at **Cin. (10/25)** with a separated right shoulder suffered a week earlier against the Raiders. After making two tackles (all solo) at **Oak. (10/17)** and helping limit the Raiders to only 145 yards passing, Walls was forced out of the game in the fourth quarter with a separated right shoulder that was suffered when he made a tackle. After not playing in three consecutive games because of the shoulder injury he suffered in the Broncos' opening game, Walls saw time as the team's nickel back vs. **Car. (10/10)** and made four tackles (3 solo), including one stop behind the line of scrimmage. The effects of the injury caused him to miss Denver's game at **T.B. (10/3)**. The cornerback dressed but did not play vs. **S.D. (9/26)** and missed the Broncos' game at **Jac. (9/19)**. He had four tackles (three solo) in that game vs. **K.C. (9/12)** before separating his right shoulder in the fourth quarter while making a tackle.

Walls' 2004 Totals

G	S	UT	A	TT	S-Yds	I-Yds	PD	FF	FR
K.C. (9/12)		3	1	4	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
@Jac. (9/19)					Inactive (separated right shoulder)				
S.D. (9/26)					Did Not Play (separated right shoulder)				
@T.B. (10/3)					Inactive (separated right shoulder)				
Car. (10/10)		3	1	4	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
@Oak. (10/17)		2	0	2	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
@Cin. (10/25)					Inactive (separated right shoulder)				
Atl. (10/31)		3	0	3	0-0	0-0	0	1	0
Hou. (11/7)		2	1	3	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
@N.O. (11/21)		3	0	3	0-0	0-0	1	0	0
Oak. (11/28)*		2	0	2	0-0	0-0	1	0	0
@S.D. (12/5)					Placed on Injured Reserve Nov. 30 (separated right shoulder)				
7	1	18	3	21	0-0	0-0	2	1	0

Additional Statistics: Walls made a special teams tackle at New Orleans (11/21/04) and at Oakland (10/17/04).

Walls' Career Totals

G	S	UT	A	TT	S-Yds	I-Yds	PD	FF	FR
36	17	76	13	89	0-0	1-0	22	2	1

Additional Statistics: Special teams tackles (8). Walls forced a fumble on special teams vs. St. Louis (9/8/02).

SAFETIES

42 • Sam Brandon • S • 6-2 • 200 • 3 • UNLV

Regular Season Games Played/Games Started: 2004: 7/0; Career: 39/12

2004 Regular Season:

Brandon has appeared in seven games this season, playing mostly on special teams where he has made six tackles to tie for sixth on the team. Brandon was inactive at **K.C. (12/19)** and vs. **Mia. (12/12)**. He contributed a tackle on special teams in consecutive games at **S.D. (12/5)** and vs. **Oak. (11/28)**. At **N.O. (11/21)**, he recorded two tackles on special teams. He made a tackle on special teams vs. **Hou. (11/7)** and was inserted on defense to defend a Hail Mary attempt at the end of the game. Brandon played entirely on special teams vs. **Atl. (10/31)**. He made a tackle on special teams on *Monday Night Football* at **Cin. (10/25)**. In addition to his special teams responsibilities, Brandon saw a few snaps defensively at **Oak. (10/17)**. He was inactive for the first five games of the season.

Brandon's 2004 Totals

G	S	UT	A	TT	S-Yds	I-Yds	PD	FF	FR
K.C. (9/12)					Inactive				
@Jac. (9/19)					Inactive				
S.D. (9/26)					Inactive				
@T.B. (10/3)					Inactive				
Car. (10/10)					Inactive				
@Oak. (10/17)		0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
@Cin. (10/25)					Special Teams Only				
Atl. (10/31)					Special Teams Only				
Hou. (11/7)		0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
@N.O. (11/21)					Special Teams Only				
Oak. (11/28)					Special Teams Only				
@S.D. (12/5)					Special Teams Only				
Mia. (12/12)					Inactive				
@K.C. (12/19)					Inactive				
7	0	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0

Additional Statistics: Brandon has made six special teams tackles this season, including two at New Orleans (11/21/04).

Brandon's Career Totals

G	S	UT	A	TT	S-Yds	I-Yds	PD	FF	FR
39	12	60	15	75	0-0	1-0	10	2	2

Additional Statistics: Special teams tackles (23). Brandon blocked a Darren Bennett punt vs. San Diego (10/6/02) for a safety.

25 • Nick Ferguson • S • 5-11 • 201 • 5 • Georgia Tech

Regular Season Games Played/Games Started: 2004: 14/1; Career: 68/12

• Ferguson, who leads the Broncos with 13 special teams tackles, was voted special teams captain by his teammates.

2004 Regular Season:

Ferguson has played in all 14 games (1 start) and has been a key special teams player for the Broncos while recording 16 tackles (15 solo) and a pass breakup on defense. **Ferguson leads the Broncos with 13 tackles on special teams and was selected special teams captain by his teammates.** Ferguson made a defensive stop while also tackling Chiefs returner Dante Hall at **K.C. (12/19)**. He did not play defense but made a tackle on special teams vs. **Mia. (12/12)**. Ferguson saw most of his playing time at **S.D. (12/5)** on special teams. In Denver's



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game vs. **Oak. (11/28)**, Ferguson continued his strong special teams play with a tackle on the unit. He played extensively at **N.O. (11/21)**, rotating in for John Lynch who was slowed by a bruised sacrum, and totaled four tackles (all solo) and a pass breakup. With John Lynch out due to a bruised sacrum vs. **Hou. (11/7)**, Ferguson recorded his first start of the year and posted 11 tackles (10 solo) on defense while adding a stop on special teams. He became Denver's primary free safety vs. **Atl. (10/31)** when John Lynch suffered a bruised sacrum at 12:03 of the second quarter, and Ferguson took advantage of the opportunity by making four tackles (3 solo). He broke up an end around by Falcons receiver Michael Jenkins in the second quarter for only a 2-yard gain, and he leveled tight end Alge Crumpler on a 12-yard fourth-quarter reception. Ferguson also joined with Chris Young to bring down Falcons kick returner Allen Rossum on a first-quarter return. He made a tackle on special teams on *Monday Night Football* at **Cin. (10/25)**. Ferguson totaled two tackles (all solo) at **Oak. (10/17)** as he saw time at safety in the fourth quarter with John Lynch resting, and he also made a tackle on special teams. He recorded two tackles on special teams coverage vs. **Car. (10/10)** in the Broncos' comeback win against the Panthers. He saw time at safety at **T.B. (10/3)** in a game in which he made a tackle on special teams. He replaced John Lynch on defense for the final few plays of the first half vs. **S.D. (9/26)** and tackled LaDainian Tomlinson on a run. Ferguson also made a special teams tackle against the Chargers. At **Jac. (9/19)**, he recorded his first special teams tackles (2) of the season against the Jaguars while not playing on defense. He only saw a few series of action on defense vs. **K.C. (9/12)** and did not record a tackle.

Ferguson's 2004 Totals

G	S	UT	A	TT	S-Yds	I-Yds	PD	FF	FR
K.C. (9/12)		0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
@Jac. (9/19)					Special Teams Only				
S.D. (9/26)		1	0	1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
@T.B. (10/3)		0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
Car. (10/10)					Special Teams Only				
@Oak. (10/17)		2	0	2	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
@Cin. (10/25)					Special Teams Only				
Atl. (10/31)		3	1	4	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
Hou. (11/7)*		4	0	4	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
@N.O. (11/21)		4	0	4	0-0	0-0	1	0	0
Oak. (11/28)					Special Teams Only				
@S.D. (12/5)		0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
Mia. (12/12)					Special Teams Only				
@K.C. (12/19)		1	0	1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
14	1	15	1	16	0-0	0-0	1	0	0

Additional Statistics: Ferguson has recorded 13 special teams tackles, including two vs. Carolina (10/10/04) and at Jacksonville (9/19/04).

Ferguson's Career Totals

G	S	UT	A	TT	S-Yds	I-Yds	PD	FF	FR
68	12	99	30	129	1-13	1-20	7	3	0

Additional Statistics: Special teams tackles (76).

28 • Kenoy Kennedy • SS • 6-1 • 215 • 5 • Arkansas

Regular Season Games Played/Games Started: 2004: 14/14; Career: 71/57

- Kennedy has shown a knack for creating turnovers as he has two forced fumbles along with one fumble recovery.
- He ranks third on the Broncos with 86 tackles (72 solo).
- His interception of Drew Brees at S.D. (12/5) snapped Brees' franchise record streak of 194 passes without an interception.

2004 Regular Season:

Kennedy has started all 14 games and teams with John Lynch to form one of the top safety combinations in the NFL. **Third on the Broncos with 86 tackles (72 solo), Kennedy also has two sacks (-15 yds.), one interception (21 yds.), six passes defended, two forced fumbles and one fumble recovery.** He also has contributed five tackles on special teams. At **K.C. (12/19)**, he led all Broncos with 10 tackles (9 solo) to tie his season high set against Atlanta in late October. Kennedy had several huge hits vs. **Mia. (12/12)**, including a tackle on special teams, and highlighted his seven-tackle (6 solo) day with a 6-yard sack of A.J. Feeley. At **S.D. (12/5)**, he picked off Drew Brees for his first interception of the season and returned it 21 yards. Kennedy, who also had seven tackles (six solo) against the Chargers, **snapped Brees' franchise record streak of 195 consecutive passes without an interception** and helped limit the quarterback to a season-low 106 passing yards. He totaled two tackles (1 solo) vs. **Oak. (11/28)**. He has made four special teams tackles this season that tie for the fifth-highest total on the team. He made several big hits at **N.O. (11/21)** and tallied eight tackles (4 solo) while also breaking up a pass. Kennedy continued his standout year vs. **Hou. (11/7)** as he made six tackles (5 solo) against the Texans. With 10 tackles (8 solo), he posted a team and season high in that category vs. **Atl. (10/31)**. Kennedy turned in a big game on *Monday Night Football* at **Cin. (10/25)** with four tackles (all solo) and a pass breakup. He saved a touchdown when he leveled Bengals running back Rudi Johnson at the Broncos' 3-yard line, setting up Champ Bailey's interception on the next play. At **Oak. (10/17)**, he recovered a fumble forced by John Lynch on Raiders receiver Joey Porter with Oakland driving into Denver territory late in the first half. He also made four tackles (all solo) and broke up two passes to limit the Raiders to only 114 yards passing. He made five tackles (all solo) vs. **Car. (10/10)** in addition as well as making two tackles on special teams. He forced a turnover for the second consecutive week and had eight tackles (all solo) at **T.B. (10/3)**. Kennedy's tackle on Buccaneers receiver Charles Lee jarred the ball loose, putting Denver inside Tampa Bay's 45-yard line and in

position for their lone touchdown after the fumble was recovered by a teammate. He had eight tackles (all solo) vs. **S.D. (9/26)** while forcing the ball free from Drew Brees on a blitz to earn a sack for -9 yards and a forced fumble. Kennedy also made a stop on special teams against the Chargers. He made three tackles (2 solo) at **Jac. (9/19)** and **helped hold Jaguars quarterback Byron Leftwich to only 120 yards passing** while adding a special teams tackle. Kennedy started at strong safety in the Broncos season opener vs. **K.C. (9/12)** and made four tackles (three solo) while breaking up a pass.

Kennedy's 2004 Totals

G	S	UT	A	TT	S-Yds	I-Yds	PD	FF	FR
K.C. (9/12)*		3	1	4	0-0	0-0	1	0	0
@Jac. (9/19)*		2	1	3	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
S.D. (9/26)*		7	1	8	1-9	0-0	0	1	0
@T.B. (10/3)*		8	0	8	0-0	0-0	0	1	0
Car. (10/10)*		5	0	5	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
@Oak. (10/17)*		4	0	4	0-0	0-0	2	0	1
@Cin. (10/25)*		4	0	4	0-0	0-0	1	0	0
Atl. (10/31)*		8	2	10	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
Hou. (11/7)*		5	1	6	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
@N.O. (11/21)*		4	4	8	0-0	0-0	1	0	0
Oak. (11/28)*		1	1	2	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
@S.D. (12/5)*		6	1	7	0-0	1-21	1	0	0
Mia. (12/12)*		6	1	7	1-6	0-0	0	0	0
@K.C. (12/19)*		9	1	10	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
14	14	72	14	86	2-15	1-21	6	2	1

Additional Statistics: Kennedy has recorded five special teams tackles in 2004.

Kennedy's Career Totals

G	S	UT	A	TT	S-Yds	I-Yds	PD	FF	FR
71	57	271	76	347	5-33	4-27	31	3	3

Additional Statistics: Special teams tackles (16).

47 • John Lynch • S • 6-2 • 220 • 12 • Stanford

Regular Season Games Played/Games Started: 2004: 13/13; Career: 177/145

- Behind two crushing hits, including one on quarterback Drew Brees, Lynch forced two fumbles at S.D. (12/5).
- Lynch leads the Broncos with three forced fumbles.
- In Denver's game at T.B. (10/3), where he played the first 11 years of his career, Lynch made seven tackles (6 solo) and broke up two passes.
- He ranks sixth on the Broncos with 68 tackles (53 solo) and has one of Denver's 10 interceptions.
- He tied a single-season career high in sacks this season with two, which ties for third on the Broncos.
- Along with Al Wilson, Lynch was selected by his teammates as a defensive co-captain.

2004 Regular Season:

Lynch has brought veteran instincts and stability to the Broncos as their starting free safety, placing sixth on the team with 68 tackles (53 solo). **The Broncos' defensive co-captain, Lynch also has notched six pass breakups, one interception (2 yds.), two sacks (-17 yds.) and a team-high three forced fumbles.** He posted seven tackles (4 solo) at **K.C. (12/19)**. Lynch recorded his second consecutive game with a sack (-6 yds. - QB A.J. Feeley) vs. **Mia. (12/12)** in a six-tackle (4 solo) game against the Dolphins. He forced two fumbles in an eight-tackle game (all solo) game at **S.D. (12/5)** while helping limit quarterback Drew Brees to a season-low 106 passing yards. With Chargers running back Jesse Chatman struggling to go down on a first-quarter run, Lynch drilled him full speed to jar the ball loose. Late in the game, he blind-sided Brees on a blitz for an 11-yard sack that dislodged the ball. His interception off a Kerry Collins pass on the goal line vs. **Oak. (11/28)** prevented a score and marked his first career interception as a member of the Broncos. He finished that late November game against the Raiders will four tackles (3 solo) and a pass breakup. While still recovering from a bruised sacrum at **N.O. (11/21)**, the veteran played sparingly against the Saints but managed to record three tackles (all solo). He missed his first game of the season vs. **Hou. (11/7)** with a bruised sacrum (an injury near his tailbone) that he suffered in the previous game against the Falcons. He was forced out of Denver's game vs. **Atl. (10/31)** after suffering a bruised sacrum at 12:03 of the second quarter. Before the injury, Lynch made two tackles (both solo), including a head-on stop of Falcons running back T.J. Duckett, who is more than 30 pounds heavier than him. At **Cin. (10/25)** on *Monday Night Football*, he made six tackles (5 solo) for the second consecutive game. In one of the Broncos' finest defensive series of the season in which they forced the Bengals to lose 11 yards on three plays in the second quarter while they were inside the Denver 25-yard line, Lynch tackled Bengals running back Rudi Johnson for a 5-yard loss. **Lynch went over 1,000 tackles for his career** with six tackles (5 solo) at **Oak. (10/17)**. He also forced a fumble on Raiders receiver Joey Porter at the Denver 8-yard line late in the first half, which was recovered by Kenoy Kennedy, while also helping to limit Oakland to only 114 total passing yards. He moved within one tackle of 1000 career stops with a tackle vs. **Car. (10/10)** in the Broncos' comeback win. **In an emotional return to Tampa Bay (10/3), where he played his first 11 NFL seasons, Lynch turned in an exceptional game against his former teammates with seven tackles (6 solo) and a team-high two pass breakups.** Lynch, who received a standing ovation from Buccaneers fans during starting introductions, had one of the game's most important plays when he slipped past the Buccaneers' offensive line on a third-and-2 in the fourth quarter of a close game, stopping fullback Mike Alstott for a 2-yard loss. He frequently was used on blitzes vs. **S.D. (9/26)** and recorded four tackles (3 solo) and a pass breakup against the Chargers. Lynch disrupted an intended deep post



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pattern in the fourth quarter when he rushed in from the corner to hit Drew Brees as the quarterback was releasing the ball. He recorded a game-high eight tackles (5 solo) at **Jac. (9/19)** and broke up a pass in **helping limit Jaguars quarterback Byron Leftwich to only 120 yards passing. He also played special teams against the Jaguars for the first time in two years, making a tackle on a third-quarter kickoff.** He made his Broncos debut vs. **K.C. (9/12)** and made six tackles (five solo) to lead Denver defensive backs in that category while breaking up a pass. He had a big hit on Chiefs WR Dante Hall to break up a pass although the play resulted in a penalty.

Lynch's 2004 Totals

G	S	UT	A	TT	S-Yds	I-Yds	PD	FF	FR
K.C. (9/12)*		5	1	6	0-0	0-0	1	0	0
@Jac. (9/19)*		5	3	8	0-0	0-0	1	0	0
S.D. (9/26)*		3	1	4	0-0	0-0	1	0	0
@T.B. (10/3)*		6	1	7	0-0	0-0	2	0	0
Car. (10/10)*		0	1	1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
@Oak. (10/17)*		5	1	6	0-0	0-0	0	1	0
@Cin. (10/25)*		5	1	6	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
Atl. (10/31)*		2	0	2	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
Hou. (11/7)*		Inactive (bruised Sacrum)							
@N.O. (11/21)*		3	0	3	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
Oak. (11/28)*		3	1	4	0-0	1-2	1	0	0
@S.D. (12/5)*		8	0	8	1-11	0-0	0	2	0
Mia. (12/12)*		4	2	6	1-6	0-0	0	0	0
@K.C. (12/19)*		4	3	7	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
13	13	53	15	68	2-17	1-2	6	3	0

Additional Statistics: Lynch made a special teams tackle at Jacksonville (9/19/04).

Lynch's Career Totals

G	S	UT	A	TT	S-Yds	I-Yds	PD	FF	FR
177	145	627	414	1,041	8-57	24-202	78	10	7

Additional Statistics: Special teams tackles – 1993 (6), 1996 (8), 1995 (2), 1996 (3), 1997 (3), 2001 (1), 2004 (1) Total (24).

32 • Chris Young • S • 6-0 • 210 • 2 • Georgia Tech

Regular Season Games Played/Games Started: 2004: 10/0; Career: 21/0

2004 Regular Season:

Young has played on special teams only during 10 games this season and has two tackles on the unit. He played special teams only at **K.C. (12/19)** and vs. **Mia. (12/12)**. Young was inactive at **S.D. (12/5)** and vs. **Oak. (11/28)**. He played special teams only at **N.O. (11/21)** and vs. **Hou. (11/7)**. He joined with Nick Ferguson vs. **Atl. (10/31)** to bring down Falcons kick returner Allen Rossum on a return in the first quarter. He was inactive for Denver's last two games at **Cin. (10/25)** and at **Oak. (10/17)**. He made his first special teams stop of the year vs. **S.D. (9/26)**.

Young's 2004 Totals

G	S	UT	A	TT	S-Yds	I-Yds	PD	FF	FR
10	0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	0

Additional Statistics: Young made one special teams tackle vs. Atlanta (10/31) and vs. San Diego (9/26/04).

Young's Career Totals

G	S	UT	A	TT	S-Yds	I-Yds	PD	FF	FR
21	0	1	0	1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0

Additional Statistics: Young made six career special teams tackles.

KICKER/PUNTER

6 • Jason Baker • P • 6-2 • 205 • 4 • Iowa

Regular Season Games Played/Games Started: 2004: 8/0; Career: 53/0

- Baker was claimed off waivers Dec. 9 from the Colts, who waived him Dec. 8.
- A kickoff specialist and holder in addition to his punting duties, Baker played six games before joining the Broncos (two with Kansas City, four with Indianapolis).

2004 Regular Season:

Baker is a strong-legged punter who was claimed off waivers by the Broncos on Dec. 9. He has punted 18 times for 692 yards (38.4 avg.) in eight games this season, including seven punts placed inside the 20-yard line. At **K.C. (12/19)**, where Baker played the entire 2003 season, he placed a punt at the Chiefs' 1-yard line and added another one inside the 20-yard line to finish with four punts for 154 yards (38.5 avg.). He also tackled his former teammate Dante Hall on a fourth-quarter punt return against the Chiefs. Baker's first game with Denver, vs. **Mia. (12/12)** saw him place two of his five punts inside the 20-yard line and finish the game with 198 yards. He also kicked off five times. In four games before joining the Broncos, Baker punted nine times for 340 yards (37.8 avg.) and placed three punts inside the 20 while playing for the Chiefs. In Kansas City's game vs. **Hou. (9/26)**, he punted four times for 159 yards (39.8 avg.), including two punts inside the 20. At **Balt. (10/4)**, he had five punts for 181 yards (36.2 yds.).

Baker's 2004 Totals

G	S	No.	Yds.	Avg.	Net	TB	In20	LG	B	Opp. Ret.	Ret. Yds.
Hou. (9/26)		4	159	39.8	32.0	0	2	52	0	2	31
@Balt. (10/4)		5	181	36.2	22.8	0	1	50	0	2	67
Hou. (11/14)										Kickoffs Only	
@Chi. (11/21)										Kickoffs Only	
@Det. (11/25)										Kickoffs Only	
Ten. (12/5)										Kickoffs Only	
Mia. (12/12)		5	198	39.6	33.8	1	2	48	0	2	9
K.C. (12/19)		4	154	38.5	31.0	0	2	42	0	2	30
8	0	18	692	38.4	29.7	1	7	52	0	8	137

Additional Statistics: Baker has kicked off 41 times in 2004 with two touchbacks. He has made one tackle on special teams (vs. Houston 11/14/04). He added a special teams tackle at Kansas City (12/19/04).

Baker's Career Totals

G	S	No.	Yds.	Avg.	Net	TB	In20	LG	B	Opp. Ret.	Ret. Yds.
53	0	222	8,794	39.6	33.1	16	63	68	1	111	1,073

Additional Statistics: Kickoffs: 136. Touchbacks: 8. Special teams tackles (10). Rushed once for no yards at Chicago (10/28/01).

Baker's Single-Game Career Bests: Punts — 9 (at Baltimore, 9/28/03); **Highest Average** — 49.3 (at Atlanta 10/14/01); **Highest Net Average** — 46.0 (at Atlanta, 12/7/03); **Longest Punt** — 68 (at Baltimore, 9/28/03).



Denver Broncos Updated Player Bios

(As of Dec. 20, 2004)



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Regular Season Games Played/Games Started: 2004: 14/0; Career: 186/0

- When he pasted the 100-point mark (101 total) this season at K.C. (12/19), Elam recorded his 12th consecutive 100-point season, the longest streak in NFL history.
- He ranks third all-time in 100-point seasons
- Elam stands fourth all-time in Broncos history in regular-season games played (186), and if he plays in Denver's final two games, will take over sole possession of third place all-time.
- Elam scored at least one point in every game of his career (186), which ties Jim Breach for the second-longest streak in NFL history (behind Morten Anderson).
- He ranks tied for fifth in the AFC (T-7th in NFL) in scoring among kickers with 101 points.
- He notched his 300th-career field goal faster than any other kicker in NFL history vs. Car. (10/10) and is one of only 16 kickers in NFL history with 300 field goals (310 total).
- Elam was named AFC Special Teams Player of the Week after a strong performance at T.B. (10/3), marking the fourth time in his career that he has won that award.
- He has made two game-winning or game tying field goals in the fourth quarter with the most recent being a 50-yarder vs. Mia. (12/12).
- Elam passed Mark Moseley at N.O. (11/21) for 16th place all-time on the NFL's scoring list (1,414 career pts.).
- His 22 field goals tie for fourth in the AFC (T-5th in NFL).
- He has connected on 22-of-26 field-goal attempts (84.6%), including three field goals of more than 50 yards.
- Elam connected on two 49+-yard field goals in a game for the first time in his career at T.B. (10/3).

2004 Regular Season:

Elam has been a model of consistency through 14 games, connecting on 22-of-26 field-goal attempts (84.6%) with a long of 52 yards. He has accounted for 101 of Denver's 311 points this season (66 pts. on field goals, 35 on extra points) and tied for fifth in the AFC (T-7th in NFL) in scoring among kickers. His 22 field goals tie for fourth in the AFC (T-5th in NFL). **Elam has scored in every game of his career (186), which ties Jim Breach for the second-longest streak in NFL history (behind Morten Anderson).** With a 27-yard field goal and two extra points at **K.C. (12/19)**, he went over the 100-point mark for the 12th consecutive season for the longest such streak in NFL history. He currently stands third all-time in 100-point seasons. Additionally, he tied Jim Breach for the second-longest scoring streak in NFL history (186 games) against the Chiefs. During Denver's visit to Kansas City, he kicked off for the first time in 2004 on Denver's onside kick attempt late in the game that the Chiefs recovered. Elam drilled a 50-yard field goal vs. **Mia. (12/12)** in the fourth quarter that proved to be the game winner and also made a 20-yard field goal against the Dolphins. **Elam's 50-yarder was his 16th game-winning or tying field goal in the fourth quarter and his second this season.** Although his 43-yard attempt at **S.D. (12/5)** drifted wide left, he made up for the miss with a 31-yard field goal in the fourth quarter that kept Denver's comeback alive. In snowy conditions vs. **Oak. (11/28)**, he made 1-of-2 field goals. He connected on a 32-yard attempt in the second quarter against the Raiders, but a potential game-tying 43-yard field goal with less than a minute remaining in the fourth quarter was blocked, marking the first time since Nov. 5, 2001, that an Elam field-goal attempt had been blocked. Elam had a busy first quarter at **N.O. (11/21)**, connecting on 48 and 34-yard field goals in his only attempts of the game. He drilled a 52-yard kick in the first quarter vs. **Hou. (11/7)**, which marked his second conversion from longer than 50 yards this season. Elam did not attempt a field goal for the first time this season vs. **Atl. (10/31)** but did connect on all four extra-point attempts to extend his scoring streak to 180 games. At **Cin. (10/25)** on *Monday Night Football*, he moved past Fred Cox for 18th place all-time on the NFL's scoring list with a 29-yard field goal and an extra point. His 49-yard field-goal attempt against the Bengals was wide left, marking his first miss in four weeks. He moved into a tie for 18th place (Fred Cox) on the NFL's all-time scoring list with a 33-yard field goal and four extra points at **Oak. (10/17)**. With two field goals (32 and 33 yards) in the first quarter vs. **Car. (10/10)**, **Elam notched his 300th career field goal faster than any other kicker in NFL history and is one of only 16 players in NFL history with 300 field goals.** Elam helped Denver overcome a stingy Buccaneers defense at **T.B. (10/3)** by hitting 3-of-3 field goals that day. His 50-yarder in the second quarter against the Buccaneers was his longest field goal this season, and he added a clutch fourth-quarter 23-yarder to secure the win. Against the Buccaneers, Elam hit two 49+-yard field goals (50 and 49 yds.) in a game for the first time in his career. **His play against the Buccaneers earned the kicker AFC Special Teams Player of the Week, marking the fourth time in his career he has won that award.** Against the Chargers in Denver's game vs. **S.D. (9/26)**, he drilled two field goals, a 22 and 23-yarder, before hitting a 43-yarder in the fourth quarter to extend Denver's lead to two possessions. His sole miss of the season came at **Jac. (9/19)** when his 51-yard attempt into a stiff wind late in the third quarter fell short. He was successful on his two other attempts at Jacksonville, a 44-yard kick that bounced off the left upright before clearing the bar and a 22-yarder, to account for Denver's only points that game. Elam had a strong opening to the 2004 season vs. **K.C. (9/12)** by connecting on 43 and 45-yard field goals and all four extra points. **He scored 10 points in Wk. 1, which tied for the top mark in the NFL.** His 45-yarder with 13:26 remaining in the fourth quarter against the Chiefs broke a 24-24 tie and proved to be the eventual game winner.

Elam's 2004 Totals		Field Goals						PATs			
G	1-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50-59	60+	Total	Pct.	Md./Att.	Pct.	Pts.
K.C.	0/0	0/0	0/0	2/2	0/0	0/0	2/2	1.000	4/4	1.000	10
@Jac.	0/0	1/1	0/0	1/1	0/1	0/0	2/3	.667	0/0	.000	6
S.D.	0/0	2/2	0/0	1/1	0/0	0/0	3/3	1.000	2/2	1.000	11
@T.B.	0/0	1/1	0/0	1/1	1/1	0/0	3/3	1.000	1/1	1.000	10
Car.	0/0	0/0	2/2	0/0	0/0	0/0	2/2	1.000	2/2	1.000	8
@Oak.	0/0	0/0	1/1	0/0	0/0	0/0	1/1	1.000	4/4	1.000	7
@Cin.	0/0	1/1	0/0	0/1	0/0	0/0	1/2	.500	1/1	1.000	4
Atl.	0/0	0/0	0/0	0/0	0/0	0/0	0/0	.000	4/4	1.000	4
Hou.	0/0	0/0	0/0	0/0	1/1	0/0	1/1	1.000	4/4	1.000	7
@N.O.	0/0	0/0	1/1	1/1	0/0	0/0	2/2	1.000	4/4	1.000	10
Oak.	0/0	0/0	1/1	0/1	0/0	0/0	1/2	.500	3/3	1.000	6
@S.D.	0/0	0/0	1/1	0/1	0/0	0/0	1/2	.500	2/2	1.000	5
Mia.	0/0	1/1	0/0	0/0	1/1	0/0	2/2	1.000	2/2	1.000	8
@K.C.	0/0	1/1	0/0	0/0	0/0	0/0	1/1	1.000	2/2	1.000	5
14	0/0	7/7	6/6	6/9	3/4	0/0	22/26	.846	35/35	1.000	101

Additional Statistics: Elam kicked off on Denver's onside kick attempt at Kansas City (12/19/04).

Elam's Career Totals		Field Goals						PATs			
G	1-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50-59	60+	Total	Pct.	Md./Att.	Pct.	Pts.
186	4/4	102/107	98/107	72/118	33/50	1/4	310/390	.795	484/486	.996	1,414

Additional Statistics: Elam punted once (vs. Kansas City, 10/22/95) for 17 yards. Special teams tackles: (7).

Elam's Single-Game Career Bests: **FG Attempts** — 6 (made 5; at Kansas City, 11/16/97 and vs. Buffalo, 9/3/95); **FG Made** — 5 (three times, last vs. Miami, 10/13/02); **Longest FG** — *63 yards (ties NFL record) (vs. Jacksonville, 10/25/98); **Longest Attempt** — 66 yards (vs. Seattle, 12/10/95); **Most Consecutive Field Goals Made** — 19 (12/21/97-11/29/98); **PAT Attempts** — 6 (vs. Kansas City, 12/7/03, vs. Dallas, 9/13/98 and vs. Baltimore, 10/20/96); **PATs Made** — 6 (vs. Kansas City, 12/7/03, vs. Dallas, 9/13/98 and vs. Baltimore, 10/20/96); **Most Consecutive PATs Made** — *371 (NFL record) (11/21/93-11/17/02); **Most Points Scored** — 16 three times (vs. Miami, 10/13/02; at Kansas City, 11/16/97 at Buffalo, 11/16/97); **Most Consecutive Games with a Field Goal** — 16 (at San Diego, 12/1/02 through vs. Chicago, 11/23/03).



JASON BAKER

6-2 • 205 • 4TH YR. • IOWA

BORN: May 17, 1978, in Fort Wayne, Ind.
HIGH SCHOOL: Wayne High School, Fort Wayne, Ind.
ACQUIRED: Waivers (Indianapolis), 2004
PRO YEAR: 4th • **YEAR WITH BRONCOS:** 1st
NFL GAMES PLAYED/STARTED: 51/0 • **POSTSEASON:** 2/0

PUNTER/KICKER

A strong-legged punter and kickoff specialist, Jason Baker was claimed off waivers by the Broncos on Dec. 9, 2004, from the Indianapolis Colts and looks to make an impact on Denver's special teams. The fourth-year pro was an integral part of the Kansas City Chiefs' 13-3 record in 2003, punting a career-high 80 times for 3,156 yards (39.5 avg.) with 21 punts inside the 20-yard line. The 2003 season also marked the first time in Baker's career that he handled kickoff duties, and he record 92 kickoffs with 57 of those placed inside the 10-yard line. The Wayne, Ind., native also has seen substantial time with the San Francisco 49ers, playing in 27 regular-season games for that franchise from his rookie year of 2001 through most of the 2002 season, and appeared in two games for the Philadelphia Eagles at the end of the 2002 campaign. His NFL career got off to a successful start with the 49ers as Pro Football Weekly named him to its All-Rookie Team after he placed 21 of his 69 punts inside the 20-yard line. In 2004, Baker was on the Indianapolis Colts' roster from 11/11 - 12/8 after Kansas City waived him 10/5. Including four games played this year (two with Kansas City and four with Indianapolis) before joining Denver, he totaled 213 career punts for 8,442 yards (39.6 avg.) and placed 59 of those inside the 20-yard line. A solid kickoff specialist, he begins his Broncos career with 126 total kickoffs for 5,840 yards (62.5 avg.) and eight touchbacks. Baker entered the NFL as a rookie free agent from the University of Iowa, where he earned honorable mention All-Big Ten honors as a senior and ranks first in Iowa history and second in Big Ten annals in both career punts (272) and punting yards (11,304).

2003: Baker enjoyed a career season for the Chiefs as their punter and kickoff specialist, recording a career-high 80 punts for 3,156 yards (39.5 avg. / 33.2 net) with 21 punts inside the 20-yard line, seven touchbacks and one block in 16 games. Signed by Kansas City on 5/13, he also assumed kickoff duties for the first time in his career and blasted 57 of his 92 kickoffs inside the 10-yard line with six touchbacks while showing his special-teams effort with seven tackles. In Kansas City's AFC Divisional Playoff game vs. Ind. (1/11/04), he did not attempt a punt but placed two of his six kickoffs inside the 10-yard line. He tallied a season-high 46.0-yard gross average and a career-best 46.0 net average at Den. (12/7) while drilling two touchbacks on kickoffs. At Cin. (11/16), Baker had a busy day in punting seven times for 235 yards (33.6 avg.) in a game in which he tied a career high with three punts inside the 20-yard line. In a six-punt, 222-yard day (37.0 avg.) vs. Buf. (10/26), he had the first punt blocked of his career when cornerback Pierson Prioleau knocked the ball out of the end zone for a safety. During that game against the Bills, he placed three punts inside the 20-yard line for a career high. Baker had seven punts for 287 yards (41.0 avg.) at Oak. (10/20). In a visit to Lambeau Field to face the Packers (10/12), Baker registered a special teams tackle along with 249 yards on six punts (41.5 avg.). He preceded a solid performance vs. Den. (10/5), which saw him place two punts inside the 20-yard line, with an impressive game at Balt. (9/28). Against the Ravens, he punted a career-high nine times for 322 yards (35.8 avg.), including a career-long 68-yarder, and pinned two punts inside the 20-yard line. He demonstrated his leg strength at Hou. (9/21), drilling five of his seven kickoffs inside the 10-yard line while having a solid punting effort with a 42.8-yard average on four punts.

2002: In 13 games (11 with the 49ers and two with the Eagles), Baker punted 55 times for 2,133 yards (38.8 avg. / 31.5 net) with 14 punts inside the 20-yard line and four touchbacks. Baker was with the 49ers for 11 games before he was released 11/27. He then signed with the Eagles on 12/3 and saw time in two games with them before he was released 12/18. He recorded seven punts for 234 yards (33.4 avg.) in Philadelphia's game vs. Wash. (12/15). In his first game with the Eagles, Baker turned in a solid outing at Sea. (12/8) with six punts for 211 yards (35.2 avg.) and placed two of those punts

inside the 20-yard line. Appearing in his final game of the season with the 49ers, Baker drilled six punts for 240 yards (40.0 avg.) vs. Phi. (11/25). A week earlier, he tallied 299 yards on seven punts (42.7 avg.) at S.D. (11/17). He pinned three punts inside the 20-yard line in a seven-punt, 282-yard (40.3 avg.) game vs. Wash. (9/22). In a game vs. Den. (9/15), he booted five punts for 195 yards (39.0 avg.).

2001: Baker had an outstanding rookie season with the 49ers that saw him earn All-Rookie honors from Pro Football Weekly after punting 69 times for 2,813 yards (40.8 avg. / 35.4 net) with 21 punts inside the 20-yard line and only four touchbacks in 16 games. He also kicked off once and notched two tackles on special teams. In the 49ers' NFC Wild Card Game vs. G.B. (1/13/02), he had five punts for 183 yards (36.6 avg.) and placed three inside the 20-yard line. With three punts inside the 20-yard line vs. Phi. (12/22), Baker set a season high and highlighted his six-punt, 246-yard effort (41.0 avg.). In a visit to Indianapolis (11/25), he booted six punts for 255 yards (42.5 avg.) with three punts inside the 20-yard line. He posted a career-high 344 yards on seven punts (49.1 avg.) at Car. (11/18). One of Baker's six punts vs. N.O. (11/11) went for a season-high 64 yards, and he finished the game with 260 yards punting (43.3 avg.). Baker kicked off for the first time in his career vs. Det. (11/4). He posted a season-high punting average of 49.3 yards on four punts at Atl. (10/14). In his NFL debut vs. Atl. (9/9), he punted five times for 154 yards (30.8 avg.) and placed his first punt inside the 20-yard line.

COLLEGE: Baker was one of the nation's top punters during his four years at Iowa, where he set a school record with 272 punts and 11,304 punting yards while ranking second in Big Ten history in those categories. He earned honorable mention All-Big Ten honors as a senior in 2000 after punting 74 times for 3,145 yards (42.5 avg.) with 24 punts inside the 20-yard line. His final year at Iowa also was highlighted by 16 punts of 50 yards or more, and he owns four career punts of more than 69 yards. A former baseball player for the Hawkeyes, Baker concluded his college career with four of the 11 longest punts in school history, including a career-long 79-yarder in the 1997 Sun Bowl. During that game, he set Iowa bowl records with eight punts for 391 yards (48.9 avg.) to earn MVP honors. He earned a bachelor's degree in business administration and entrepreneurship.

PERSONAL: Baker was a second-team all-conference selection as a senior at Wayne High School in Fort Wayne, Ind., concluding a prep career in which he averaged 39.0 yards per punt while handling kicking duties and playing wide receiver as a team captain. During his junior season, he helped his team to a state championship. An all-around athlete, Baker also lettered on Wayne's baseball team. Born May 17, 1978, Jason Michael Baker resides in Kansas City, Mo.

BAKER'S REGULAR SEASON RECORD

Year	Club	G	S	No.	Yds.	Avg.	Net.	TB	In 20	LG	Blk.
2001	San Fran.	16	0	69	2,813	40.8	35.4	4	21	64	0
2002	San Fran.	11	0	42	1,688	40.2	32.0	3	12	51	0
2002	Philadelphia	2	0	13	445	34.2	31.5	1	2	44	0
2003	Kansas City	16	0	80	3,156	39.5	33.2	7	21	68	1
2004	Kansas City	2	0	9	340	37.8	26.9	0	3	52	0
2004	Indianapolis	4	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	—	0
CAREER TOTAL		51	0	213	8,442	39.6	33.2	15	59	68	1

ADDITIONAL STATISTICS: Special team tackles — 2001 (2), 2003 (7), TOTAL (9). Kickoffs — 2001 (1), 2003 (92), 2004 (33), TOTAL (126). Rushed one time for no yards at Chicago (10/28/01).

BAKER'S POSTSEASON RECORD

Year	Club	G	S	No.	Yds.	Avg.	Net.	TB	In 20	LG	Blk.
2001	San Fran.	1	0	5	183	36.6	29.6	0	3	45	0
2003	Kansas City	1	0	0	183	0.0	0.0	0	0	—	0
CAREER TOTAL		2	0	5	183	36.6	29.6	0	3	45	0

BAKER'S SINGLE-GAME HIGHS

(postseason in parenthesis)
Punts — 9 at Baltimore, 9/28/03 (5 vs. Green Bay, 1/13/02); **Highest Average** — 49.3 at Atlanta, 10/14/01 (36.6 vs. Green Bay, 1/13/02); **Highest Net Average** — 46.0 at Atlanta, 12/7/03 (29.6 vs. Green Bay, 1/13/02); **Longest Punt** — 68 at Baltimore, 9/28/03 (45 vs. Green Bay, 1/13/02).



MARCO COLEMAN

6-3 • 270 • 13TH YR. • GEORGIA TECH

BORN: Dec. 18, 1969, in Dayton, Ohio

HIGH SCHOOL: Patterson High School, Dayton, Ohio

ACQUIRED: Unrestricted Free Agent (Philadelphia), 2004

PRO YEAR: 13th • YEAR WITH BRONCOS: 1st

NFL GAMES PLAYED/STARTED: 184/169 • POSTSEASON: 9/7

DEFENSIVE END

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Marco Coleman joined the Broncos (3/11) as an unrestricted free agent from Philadelphia and will add depth to Denver's defensive line. In 184 career games (169 starts), Coleman has 656 tackles (468 solo), 62 sacks for -410 yards, 17 passes defended, 20 forced fumbles and three fumble recoveries. An experienced defensive lineman, he was voted to the Pro Bowl in 2000 when he made 12 sacks. Entering his 13th year in the NFL, he has played for Miami (1992-95), San Diego (1996-98), Washington (1999-2001), Jacksonville (2002) and Philadelphia (2003). Originally drafted in first round (12th overall) by Miami in the 1992 NFL Draft, he has missed just eight games in 12 seasons. Coleman has started all 16 games in seven seasons and appeared in 16 games nine of 12 seasons. He played right defensive end in his first eight seasons and left end the last four years. Coleman was named the NFL Rookie of the Year in 1992 by *Sports Illustrated* and led San Diego's defensive linemen in tackles three consecutive seasons (1996-98). He has also appeared in nine postseason games, with 41 tackles (33 solo), three sacks and two forced fumbles.

2003: Coleman signed with Philadelphia on Sept. 5, replacing Derrick Burgess, who was placed on injured reserve. He played in 13 games, primarily as a backup defensive end, and posted 10 tackles (5 solo), a half sack and one quarterback pressure. Coleman made three tackles at Buffalo (9/28) and picked up the half sack in the season finale at Washington (12/27). He was a reserve in both of the Eagles' playoff games, where he made three tackles (all solo).

2002: Coleman signed with Jacksonville on June 19 and started all 16 games at left defensive end where he ranked 12th on team with 54 tackles (27 solo), adding five sacks, one forced fumble, one tackle for loss and five quarterback pressures. He led the team's defensive ends in tackles and was one of just six players to start every game on defense. Coleman picked up his first sack as a Jaguar on Oct. 6 vs. Philadelphia (of Donovan McNabb) and notched a sack of Chris Redman on Oct. 20 at Baltimore. He posted a season-high 10 tackles on Nov. 17 at Houston and made two sacks on Dec. 1 vs. Pittsburgh (of Kordell Stewart), marking first multi-sack game since 2000. Coleman tallied his fifth sack of the season Dec. 15 at Cincinnati (of Jon Kitna) and forced a fumble on the play.

2001: Coleman started 12 games in his final season with Washington and missed four games due to a right elbow injury. He collected 55 tackles (41 solo), 4.5 sacks and three forced fumbles. In Week 2 at Green Bay, he made six tackles but suffered a dislocated right elbow in the third quarter and left the game. He was inactive for the next four games, marking the first time in his career that he missed more than one game in a season. Coleman returned to the lineup Oct. 28 vs. N.Y. Giants and made three tackles. Against Seattle (11/4), he posted four tackles, one sack and one forced fumble, and two weeks later at Denver, made five tackles, one sack and one forced fumble. On Dec. 16 vs. Philadelphia, Coleman made six tackles, a half-sack and had one pass defended that led to an interception. He made five tackles, one sack, one forced fumble and a pass deflection on Dec. 30 at New Orleans, and added four tackles and a sack in the season finale vs. Arizona (1/6).

2000: Coleman enjoyed his finest season as a pro when he made a career-high 12 sacks and earned his first trip to the Pro Bowl. His sack total topped his previous career-high of 6.5 in 1995 and 1999, and he finished the season tied for eighth in NFL in sacks. Coleman made 62 tackles (42 solo), which ranked eighth on team, and added three passes defended and two forced fumbles. He started all 16 games for fourth consecutive season and played left defensive end for first time after eight years as a

right end (switch made after Redskins signed Bruce Smith). Coleman recorded at least a half-sack in each of the first six games and was named the NFC Defensive Player of the Week after an 11-tackle, three-sack game vs. Tampa Bay in Week 5. Those three sacks tied his single-game career-high set 10/29/92 vs. Indianapolis, and his 11 tackles were a season-high. He posted 2.5 sacks in a season-opening win over Carolina. Against Philadelphia in Week 6, he sacked quarterback Donovan McNabb and forced a fumble on game's second play. He netted a half-sack in Week 11 at St. Louis, and again sacked McNabb in Week 12, forcing another fumble. Coleman tallied six tackles in Week 13 vs. N.Y. Giants, posted six tackles and a sack in Week 14 at Dallas and four tackles in Week 14 at Pittsburgh.

1999: Coleman signed with Washington as an unrestricted free agent on June 3 and started all 16 games at right end, finishing first on team in QB pressures (44), second in sacks (6.5) and tied for first in forced fumbles (three). He ranked eighth with 65 tackles (42 solo) and nine tackles for loss, while also posting a recovered a fumble and returned it 42 yards for his first career touchdown (Nov. 21 vs. N.Y. Giants). In Week 2 vs. N.Y. Giants, he had four tackles, two pressures and a forced fumble, and followed that up with five tackles and two QB pressures in the Redskins' 27-20 win over N.Y. Jets in Week 3. Coleman posted seven quarterback pressures in Week 4 vs. Carolina, and eight pressures, 1.5 sacks, four tackles and three assists in Week 7 vs. Chicago. In Week 9 vs. Philadelphia, he suffered a strained cervical spine and left game but came back to start the next week vs. N.Y. Giants and made three solo tackles, two assists, one sack, one tackle for loss and a recovered fumble that he returned 42 yards for a touchdown and his first career score. Coleman had four tackles in Washington's NFC Wild Card Playoff vs. Detroit and eight tackles in the NFL Divisional Playoff Game at Tampa Bay.

1998: Coleman led a San Diego defense, which claimed the league's No. 1 defensive ranking, that allowed only 263 yards and 71.3 yards rushing per game. He led the team's defensive linemen in tackles for the third consecutive season with 51, in 16 starts for the Chargers. Coleman added 3.5 sacks and two fumble recoveries. He collected a season-high nine tackles and a sack in Week 14 at Seattle.

1997: Coleman, who started all 16 games, led all Chargers defensive linemen in tackles for a second consecutive season (48). He added two sacks, one interception (the only one of his career) and forced a team-high three fumbles. Coleman recorded a season-high five tackles, a half-sack and his first career interception at New Orleans in Week 2, and posted five tackles in each game against Kansas City (Week 7 and Week 15).

1996: In his first season with San Diego after being signed as an unrestricted free agent, Coleman made 42 tackles, four sacks and one forced fumble in 15 starts. He posted a season-high six tackles and one sack in the Chargers' Week 6 Monday night game vs. Oakland.

1995: In 16 starts on the season for Miami, Coleman ranked seventh on team with 65 tackles and second with 6.5 sacks. He had a season-high nine tackles and added a sack vs. Saints (10/15), and set a postseason career-high with 11 tackles vs. Buffalo in the AFC Wild Card Playoff game (12/30).

1994: Coleman started all 16 games for the Dolphins and finished the year with 66 tackles, six sacks, four forced fumbles and three passes defended, including five or more tackles in eight games. He opened the season with eight tackles and a sack vs. New England. Coleman posted eight tackles, two sacks (tied a team playoff record) and one forced fumble at San Diego in an AFC Divisional Playoff game (1/8).

1993: Coleman, who started 15 games for Miami, made 54 tackles, 5.5 sacks, two forced fumbles and one pass defended. He had a season-high eight tackles and recorded a sack vs. Bills (9/26). After he fractured his hand vs. Washington (10/4), Coleman was inactive the next week vs. Cleveland. He returned to the lineup vs. Indianapolis (10/24) and made two tackles, and he made two tackles and 1.5 sacks vs. New England (11/21).

1992: Coleman was named the NFL Rookie of the Year by *Sports Illustrated* and Defensive Rookie of the Year by *Football News* after finishing the season with Miami with 84 tackles, six sacks and one forced fumble. His six sacks were the third-highest single-season total for a Dolphin rookie. He made 15 starts (16 played), started the season at outside linebacker before moving to right defensive end for the final 12 games. Coleman posted 13 tackles and three sacks vs. Indianapolis as his first position and followed that with a six-tackle, two sack performance vs. N.Y. Jets. He was the first Dolphins rookie to have back-to-back games with two sacks. Against Buffalo (1/16), he tallied 11 tackles, and made five tackles and one sack vs. Buffalo in the AFC Championship Game. He joined the Dolphins as the team's first-round selection (12th overall) in the draft.

COLLEGE: Coleman finished his career at Georgia Tech as the school's all-time leader with 28 sacks despite playing just three years, and earned All-ACC honors his junior year, playing in 11 games while tallying 67 tackles, 10 sacks and one fumble recovery. He helped lead the school to a share of the national championship as a sophomore in 1990 by making 81 tackles and 13 sacks. Coleman was named second-team All-America by the *Sporting News* and was named the ACC Defensive Player of the Week after a 12-tackle, five-sack performance vs. Maryland. As a redshirt freshman, he started all season at outside linebacker posting 63 tackles and five sacks.

PERSONAL: Coleman attended Patterson Co-Operative High School in Dayton, Ohio, where he was an all-area linebacker. As a senior, he made 84 tackles, 31 sacks, three forced fumbles, six fumble recoveries and blocked an extra point. He lettered three times in football and once in track. Coleman performed a cameo role opposite actor Jim Carrey in the movie *Ace Ventura: Pet Detective*. Marco Darrell Coleman is married (Katrina) and has three children, Kabrione, Kennedy and Kenneth. Born Dec. 18, 1969, in Dayton, Ohio, he resides in both Atlanta and Jacksonville.

COLEMAN'S REGULAR SEASON RECORD

Year	Club	G	S	UT	A	TT	S-Yds.	I-Yds.	PD	FF	FR	TD-Int.	TD-FR	S	Pts.
1992	Miami	16	15	61	23	84	6-45	0-0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
1993	Miami	15	15	35	19	54	5.5-44.5	0-0	1	2	0	0	0	0	0
1994	Miami	16	16	48	18	66	6-23	0-0	3	4	0	0	0	0	0
1995	Miami	16	16	37	28	65	6.5-49	0-0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0
1996	San Diego	16	15	34	8	42	4-41	0-0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
1997	San Diego	16	16	41	7	48	2-13	1-2	1	3	0	0	0	0	0
1998	San Diego	16	16	46	5	51	3.5-21.5	0-0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0
1999	Washington	16	16	45	14	65	6.5-39.5	0-0	2	3	1	0	1	0	6
2000	Washington	16	16	42	20	62	12-94	0-0	3	2	0	0	0	0	0
2001	Washington	12	12	41	14	55	4.5-11.5	0-0	3	3	0	0	0	0	0
2002	Jacksonville	16	16	27	27	54	5-27	0-0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
2003	Philadelphia	13	0	5	5	10	0.5-1.0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
CAREER TOTALS	184	169	468	188	656	62-410	1-2	17	20	3	0	1	0	6	0

COLEMAN'S POSTSEASON RECORD

Year	Club	G	S	UT	A	TT	S-Yds.	I-Yds.	PD	FF	FR	TD-Int.	TD-FR	S	Pts.
1992	Miami	2	2	7	1	8	1-7	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
1994	Miami	2	2	7	1	8	2-6	0-0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
1995	Miami	1	1	10	1	11	0-0	0-0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
1999	Washington	2	2	6	5	11	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
2003	Philadelphia	2	0	3	0	3	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
CAREER TOTALS	9	7	33	8	41	3-13	0-0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0



ELLIS JOHNSON

6-2 • 288 • 10TH YR. • FLORIDA

BORN: Oct. 30, 1973, in Wildwood, Fla.

HIGH SCHOOL: Wildwood High School, Wildwood, Fla.

ACQUIRED: Trade (Atlanta), 2004

PRO YEAR: 10th • YEAR WITH BRONCOS: 1st

NFL GAMES PLAYED/STARTED: 136/89 • **POSTSEASON:** 8/3

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DEFENSIVE TACKLE

Ellis Johnson, an accomplished defensive tackle who led all NFL interior linemen in sacks last season, joined the Broncos on Sept. 20, 2004, in a trade with Atlanta for an undisclosed draft choice. In 136 career games (89 starts), Johnson has made 532 tackles (273 solo) and recorded 48 sacks (-315 yds.), highlighted by his eight sacks in 2003 that tied a personal best. He has eight multiple-sack games during his nine years in the NFL spent with the Colts (1995-01) and Falcons (2002-03). A durable veteran who has missed only eight games in his career, Johnson should add to an already potent Denver defense by providing an inside pass-rushing threat on the Broncos' defensive line. He spent the previous two seasons with the Falcons, where he was a vital member of their defensive unit. He played in 32 games (5 starts) for Atlanta and totaled 118 tackles (65 solo) with 15 sacks (-107 yds.) from 2002-03

after the team signed him as a free agent Sept. 1, 2002. Johnson spent his first seven seasons in the NFL with the Colts and started every game he played during a five-year span from 1997-2001 (76 games). The Colts' leader in sacks in 1998 with eight (-34 yds.), Johnson's sack total that year also was a personal best and complimented his 75 tackles (48 solo). That season came before a strong 1999 campaign that saw him register 7.5 sacks (-46.5 yds.) and 76 tackles (34 solo). The Colts selected Johnson in the first round (15th overall) of the 1995 NFL draft out of Florida, and he played in all 16 regular-season games as a rookie (2 starts), totaling 4.5 sacks (-26 yds.), while seeing action in three Indianapolis playoff games (1 start) that year. At Florida, Johnson was a three-year starter and totaled 165 tackles (112 solo), 17.5 sacks (-134 yds.), six forced fumbles and one fumble recovery in 44 games (26 starts) during four seasons with the Gators. His 36.5 career tackles for loss rank 10th all-time in Florida history. He was named National Defensive Player of the Year by CNN as a senior in addition to being tabbed a first-team All-Southeastern Conference selection and earning honorable mention All-American honors from *The Sporting News*.

2003: Johnson played in 16 games (3 starts) in his second season with the Falcons, collecting 64 tackles (35 solo) and eight sacks (-49 yds.). His eight sacks led all interior linemen in the NFL and tied his personal best, which he set in 1998 with the Colts. He had a pair of two-sack games with his first of the season coming vs. New Orleans (10/19) when he pulled down Saints quarterback Aaron Brooks twice for nine yards to post five tackles. A little over a month later at Houston (11/30), two of his seven total tackles were sacks (-9 yds.) to mark the eighth multiple-sack game of Johnson's career. During the Falcons' game at Carolina (9/28), he tied for the lead among Atlanta defensive linemen with seven tackles (6 solo). He had a strong game vs. Washington (9/14) with five tackles (4 solo) and a sack.

2002: Johnson was signed by the Falcons as a free agent on Sept. 1 after the Colts waived him Aug. 28. Playing in a new defensive system, he finished the year with 54 tackles (30 solo), seven sacks (-58 yds.) and one forced fumble in 16 games (2 starts). His seven sacks were second most by a Falcons player and were supplemented by 13 quarterback pressures. In Atlanta's upset win at Green Bay (1/4/03) in an NFC Wild Card Game, Johnson tackled Packers running back Ahman Green for a 4-yard loss on fourth down with Green Bay threatening to score in the second quarter. He combined for four tackles (3 solo) during the Falcons' two playoff games. He had one sack (-6 yds.), six tackles and a season-high three quarterback pressures at Minnesota (12/1). At Carolina (11/24), he added two sacks (-17 yds.). Johnson came off the bench vs. Baltimore (11/3) and enjoyed a strong game for the Falcons as he collected six tackles, one sack (-10 yds.) and one quarterback pressure.

2001: Johnson started all 16 games at right defensive tackle for the Colts to mark the third time in his career and the third time in the last four seasons that he has started 16 games. He registered 61 tackles (25 solo), 3.5 sacks (-38.5 yds.), two batted passes and one forced fumble in his final year in Indianapolis. Johnson showed consistency during his seventh NFL season by making at least four tackles in 11 games. He had a strong game vs. Denver (1/6/02) with one sack (-7 yds.) and four tackles against the Broncos. During the Colts' game vs. Atlanta (12/16), he collected six tackles and 1.5 sacks (-17.5 yds.). In a game at New Orleans (11/18), Johnson made his first sack of the season for a 14-yard loss and totaled three tackles. He made two stops vs. New England (10/21). Johnson had several strong performances in September, making five tackles vs. Buffalo (9/23) and four tackles at N.Y. Jets (9/9).

2000: Johnson played in 13 games (13 starts) at right defensive tackle and made 58 tackles (25 solo) with five sacks (-25 yds.), one interception and one forced fumble. He was inactive for three games (vs. Detroit (10/29), at Chicago (11/5) and vs. N.Y. Jets (11/12)) with a knee injury. He started in the Colts' AFC Wild Card Game at Miami (12/30) and recorded six tackles (3 solo) and one sack, his first ever in the playoffs, that went for -4.5 yards. The Colts played vs. Miami (11/26) a month before their playoff showdown with the Dolphins, and Johnson turned in an equally impressive game that day with five tackles and one sack (0 yds.). A week earlier at Green Bay (11/19), he produced four tackles, one sack and the second interception of his career against the Packers. When the Colts visited Seattle (10/15), he came through with three tackles, one sack and a forced fumble. He posted back-to-back five-tackle games at Buffalo (10/1) and at New England (10/8). Johnson was a dominating presence on the defensive line vs. Oakland (9/10) with seven tackles.

1999: Johnson started all 16 games at right defensive tackle, totaling 76 tackles (34 solo) and 7.5 sacks (-46.5 yds.) while recovering one fumble and breaking up three passes. His sack total in 1999 was the second-highest total among Colts defenders. Johnson started in the Colts' AFC Divisional Playoff Game vs. Tennessee (1/16/00), making four tackles (1 solo). While visiting the Giants (1/14), he turned in a

strong showing with seven tackles (3 solo) and two sacks (-11 yds.). Johnson's season-high in tackles came when he had 10 stops vs. Kansas City (11/7). Two weeks earlier, Johnson made six tackles and two sacks (the third multiple-sack game of his career) vs. Cincinnati (10/24). He added five tackles, including one sack, at N.Y. Jets (10/17). The sack against the Jets came on the game's final play to seal the win for the Colts. In a game at San Diego (9/26), Johnson totaled six tackles and half a sack (-3.5 yds.).

1998: Johnson posted the most complete season of his career and was one of seven Colts to start all 16 games. His 75 tackles (48 solo) were fifth most on the team, and his eight sacks (-34 yds.) were a team and career high. Additionally, he registered one forced fumble and three pass breakups for the Colts. Johnson totaled the second multiple-sack game of his career vs. Carolina (12/27) with two sacks (-9 yds.) to go along with nine tackles and his lone forced fumble of the season. He posted back-to-back games with a sack at Seattle (12/20) and vs. Cincinnati (12/13). In a performance vs. San Diego (10/4), he created havoc on the defensive line with seven tackles (5 solo). His season-high in tackles came vs. New Orleans (9/27) with 10 stops and one sack against the Saints.

1997: Johnson continued his development in his third NFL season with 69 tackles (41 solo), 4.5 sacks (-38 yds.), one interception and two fumble recoveries while playing and starting in 15 games. He ranked fifth on the team in tackles while his sack total tied for the second-highest total among Colts. He played games 1-10 and 13-16 at right defensive tackle, and the lineman started at left defensive tackle at Detroit (11/23). The only game he missed in 1997 was the Colts' game vs. Green Bay (11/16) when a knee injury kept him off the field. His three sacks (-25 yds.) at N.Y. Jets (12/7) were a career high, and he also contributed six tackles. Johnson blocked a field goal at San Diego (10/26), which resulted in a 42-yard return for a touchdown by one of his teammates. A week earlier, he chipped in a season-high nine tackles vs. Buffalo (10/20). Johnson's first career interception came at Buffalo (9/21).

1996: Johnson followed up an impressive rookie campaign by appearing in 12 games (6 starts) and totaling 40 tackles (21 solo) with one pass breakup for the Colts. He started games 5-8 at left defensive end and games 14-15 at right defensive tackle when he filled in for injured Colts tackle Tony Siragusa. In the Colts' AFC Wild Card Game at Pittsburgh (12/29), Johnson was used as a reserve and had a huge game with seven tackles (6 solo). His turned in a strong performance at New England (11/24), when he made seven tackles. Johnson's season got off to a frustrating start after two concussions, the first of which was suffered in training camp and preceded another one in a preseason game vs. Green Bay (8/24), forced him inactive for the first four games of the season.

1995: A first-round draft pick (15th overall), Johnson saw action in all 16 regular-season games (2 starts) during his rookie year with the Colts. He totaled 35 tackles (14 solo) and 4.5 sacks (-26 yds.) on the season. His two starts came at left defensive tackle in consecutive weeks: at N.Y. Jets (9/10) and at Buffalo (9/17), which was a game he started in place of Tony Siragusa and recorded half of a sack to mark the first of his career. He played in all three of the Colts' playoff games, starting at Kansas City (1/7/96), and combined for four tackles (3 solo) in the postseason. In Indianapolis' game vs. San Diego (12/17), he tallied five tackles and one sack against the Chargers. He also notched a sack vs. San Francisco (10/15) for -6 yds., vs. Buffalo (11/5) for -6 yds. and at Jacksonville (12/10) for -7 yds.

COLLEGE: One of the most decorated defensive linemen ever to play at Florida, Johnson was named National Defensive Player of the Year by CNN following his senior year in 1994 after recording 62 tackles (14.5 for a loss), 6.5 sacks (-63 yds.) and five forced fumbles. A three-year starter, he totaled 165 career tackles (112 solo) with 36.5 going for a loss, 17.5 sacks (-134 yds.), six forced fumbles and one fumble recovery in 44 games (26 starts) during four years with the Gators. In addition, his final year at Florida saw the Wildwood, Fla., native pick up first-team All-Southeastern Conference honors as well as honorable mention All-American accolades from *The Sporting News*. Johnson, whose 36.5 career tackles for loss rank 10th all-time in Florida history, was named Most Valuable Player of the 1994 SEC Championship game.

PERSONAL: Johnson attended Wildwood High School in Wildwood, Fla., where he played six different positions (defensive tackle, offensive tackle, fullback, nose guard, defensive end and linebacker) as a senior. An avid outdoorsman who enjoys fishing, Johnson was a member of a hunting and fishing club while with the Colts and owns two farms in Indianapolis. He also is a licensed pilot. At the University of Florida, Johnson was a linguistics major and studied the African dialect of Yoruba (a tribe in Nigeria and Benin). Johnson and his wife, Simone, have two children: Nichole (9) and Ellis Jr. (6). Ellis Bernard Johnson was born Oct. 30, 1973, in Wildwood, Fla., and resides in Indianapolis.

JOHNSON'S REGULAR SEASON RECORD

Year	Club	G	S	UT	A	TT	S-Yds.	I-Yds.	PD	FF	FR	TD-Int.	TD-FR	S	Pbs.
1995	Indianapolis	16	2	14	21	35	4.5-26	0-0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
1996	Indianapolis	12	6	21	19	40	0-0	0-0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
1997	Indianapolis	15	15	41	28	69	4.5-38	1-18	0	0	2	0	0	0	0
1998	Indianapolis	16	16	48	27	75	8-34	0-0	3	1	0	0	0	0	0
1999	Indianapolis	16	16	34	42	76	7.5-46.5	0-0	3	0	1	0	0	0	0
2000	Indianapolis	13	13	25	33	58	5-25	1-(-1)	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
2001	Indianapolis	16	16	25	36	61	3.5-38.5	0-0	2	1	0	0	0	0	0
2002	Atlanta	16	2	30	24	54	7-58	0-0	3	1	0	0	0	0	0
2003	Atlanta	16	3	35	29	64	8-49	0-0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0
CAREER TOTALS		136	89	273	259	532	48-315	2-17	13	5	4	0	0	0	0

JOHNSON'S POSTSEASON RECORD

Year	Club	G	S	UT	A	TT	S-Yds.	I-Yds.	PD	FF	FR	TD-Int.	TD-FR	S	Pbs.
1995	Indianapolis	3	1	3	1	4	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
1996	Indianapolis	1	0	6	1	7	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
1999	Indianapolis	1	1	1	3	4	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
2000	Indianapolis	1	1	3	3	6	1-4.5	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
2002	Atlanta	2	0	3	1	4	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
CAREER TOTALS		8	3	16	9	25	1-4.5	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0



ANTON PALEPOI

6-3 • 283 • 3RD YR. • UNLV

BORN: Jan. 19, 1978, in American Samoa

HIGH SCHOOL: Hunter High School, Salt Lake City

ACQUIRED: Free Agent, 2004

PRO YEAR: 3rd • **YEAR WITH BRONCOS:** 1st

NFL GAMES PLAYED/STARTED: 20/1 • **POSTSEASON:** 1/0

DEFENSIVE END

Anton Palepoi (PAL-a-poy) is an agile defensive end who will provide depth and speed at that position for the Broncos while looking to contribute on special teams. Entering his third season, the former second-round draft choice should continue his development with Denver, which signed him Sept. 22, 2004. Palepoi was drafted by the Seahawks in 2002 and was with the team for two full seasons as well as this year's preseason before being released Sept. 14. In 20 career games (1 start), Palepoi has totaled 20 tackles (11 solo), one sack (-7.0 yds.), two passes defended and one forced fumble to go along with five tackles on special teams. Additionally, he has returned two kickoffs for 22 yards (11.0 avg.) He was selected in the second round (60th overall) of the 2002 NFL Draft from UNLV.

2003: Palepoi played as a reserve defensive end while seeing action on special teams, appearing in seven games (0 starts) and recording three tackles (1 solo) defensively. On kickoff and punt coverage, he made two tackles. He also returned one kickoff for 14 yards at Arizona (9/14). Palepoi played at defensive end as well as on special teams in the Seahawks' NFC Wild Card Game at Green Bay (1/4/04), making one stop on special teams. In the Seahawks' game at Minnesota (12/7), Palepoi had a season-best two tackles (1 solo).

2002: Palepoi showed promise in his rookie season, appearing in 13 games (1 start) and totaling 17 tackles (10 solo), one sack (-7.0 yds.), two passes defended and one forced fumble. He also played on the Seahawks' special teams unit, where he recorded three tackles and returned a kickoff eight yards vs. Denver (11/17). He made his first career start vs. Philadelphia (12/8) in place of Lamar King but suffered an ankle injury in the second quarter that kept him out for the remainder of the game. As a result of the injury, Palepoi was inactive for Seattle's remaining three games. At San Francisco (12/1), Palepoi had his second-consecutive three-tackle game to tie a career high. One week earlier, he made three defensive stops vs. Kansas City (11/24). He posted his first career sack vs. Minnesota (9/29) when he pulled down Vikings quarterback Daunte Culpepper for a loss of seven yards. Palepoi's first-ever forced fumble also occurred against the Vikings that day.

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Regular Season Game #14

National Football League Game Summary

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Date: Sunday, 12/19/2004

Denver Broncos At Kansas City Chiefs
at Arrowhead Stadium, Kansas City, MO

Start Time: 12:00 PM CST

Game Day Weather

Game Weather: Clear

Temp: 15° F (-9.4° C), Humidity: 42%, Wind: Northeast 10 mph

Played Outdoor on Turf: Grass

Outdoor Weather: Clear, Wind Chill: -1

Officials

Referee: Tony Corrente (99)

Umpire: Darrell Jenkins (76)

Head Linesman: John McGrath (120)

Line Judge: Ron Blum (7)

Side Judge: Doug Toole (4)

Field Judge: Craig Wrolstad (89)

Back Judge: Don Carey (126)

Replay Official: Bob Mantooth ()

Video Operator: Terry Poulos ()

Lineups

Denver Broncos

Kansas City Chiefs

Offense		Defense	
WR 80	R.Smith	LE 92	M.Coleman
LT 78	M.Lepsis	LT 68	M.Fatafehi
LG 50	B.Hamilton	RT 75	M.Pope
C 66	T.Nalen	RE 98	R.Hayward
RG 65	C.Carlsle	LOLB 52	D.Williams
RT 72	G.Foster	MLB 56	A.Wilson
TE 89	D.Carswell	ROLB 59	D.Spragan
TE 88	J.Putzier	LCB 24	C.Bailey
WR 85	A.Lelie	RCB 31	K.Herndon
QB 16	J.Plummer	SS 28	K.Kennedy
RB 34	R.Droughns	FS 47	J.Lynch

Offense		Defense	
WR 82	D.Hall	LE 98	E.Hicks
LT 77	W.Roaf	LT 90	R.Sims
LG 54	B.Waters	RT 75	L.Dalton
C 62	C.Wiegmann	RE 69	J.Allen
RG 68	W.Shields	LOLB 51	S.Fujita
RT 65	J.Black	MLB 50	K.Mitchell
TE 88	T.Gonzalez	ROLB 56	M.Beisel
WR 87	E.Kennison	LCB 44	E.Warfield
QB 10	T.Green	RCB 22	D.McCleon
FB 49	T.Richardson	SS 35	W.Pile
RB 27	L.Johnson	FS 42	S.Harts

Substitutions

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K 1 J.Elam, P/K 6 J.Baker, WR 10 T.Luke, WR 17 D.Watts, RB 20 G.Hearst, S 25 N.Ferguson, RB 26 T.Bell, S 32 C.Young, FB 39 K.Johnson, CB 40 J.Shoaate, CB 45 R.Alexander, LB 53 L.Green, LB 55 P.Chukwurah, LB 58 T.Pierce, DT 61 E.Johnson, G 69 P.Alexander, WR 81 C.Adams, TE/LS 83 M.Leach, TE 86 P.Hape, DE 95 A.Palepoi, DE 99 R.Johnson

K 1 L.Tynes, P 5 S.Cheek, QB 15 T.Collins, WR 18 S.Parker, CB 20 B.Sapp, CB 24 W.Bartee, S 25 G.Wesley, CB 26 J.Battle, FB 43 O.Easy, LB 52 Q.Caver, LB 53 F.Jones, DE 55 G.Stills, T 74 B.Williams, T 79 K.Sampson, WR 81 C.Horn, TE 83 K.Gammon, TE 84 K.Wilson, TE 89 J.Dunn, LB 91 R.Scanlon, DT 93 J.Browning, DT 94 J.Siavii, DE 96 J.Wilkerson, LB 97 K.Fox

Did Not Play

Did Not Play

QB 13 D.Kanell, T 74 C.Green

QB#3 11 D.Huard, S 21 J.Woods, RB 23 D.Blalock, S 41 S.Cannot, T 66 J.Ingram, T 67 C.Bober, WR 80 J.Morton, DE 99 V.Holliday

Not Active

Not Active

RB 37 C.Sapp, S 42 S.Brandon, LB 57 J.Sykes, G 62 D.Neil, DT/DE 67 D.Veal, DT 90 D.Holland, DE 93 T.Pryce

Field Goals (made) & missed

J.Elam	(27)
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L.Tynes	(39)
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Scoring Plays

Team	Qtr	Time	Play Description (Extra Point) (Drive Info)
Chiefs	1	14:47	D.Hall 97 yd. kickoff return (L.Tynes kick) (0-0, 0:13)
Chiefs	1	4:49	L.Johnson 5 yd. run (L.Tynes kick) (11-87, 6:26)
Broncos	1	0:02	R.Smith 22 yd. pass from J.Plummer (J.Elam kick) (9-64, 4:47)
Chiefs	2	9:36	E.Kennison 7 yd. pass from T.Green (L.Tynes kick) (6-44, 2:34)
Chiefs	2	4:06	L.Johnson 32 yd. run (L.Tynes kick) (6-58, 2:46)
Broncos	2	0:04	J.Elam 27 yd. Field Goal (9-70, 1:47)
Chiefs	3	8:11	S.Parker 48 yd. pass from T.Green (L.Tynes kick) (9-90, 5:21)
Chiefs	4	14:13	E.Kennison 18 yd. pass from T.Green (L.Tynes kick) (10-99, 6:05)
Chiefs	4	5:31	L.Tynes 39 yd. Field Goal (5-46, 1:12)
Broncos	4	4:13	G.Hearst 4 yd. run (J.Elam kick) (6-61, 1:18)

Visitor	Home
0	7
0	14
7	14
7	21
7	28
10	28
10	35
10	42
10	45
17	45

Paid Attendance: 77,702

Time: 3:15

Denver Broncos vs Kansas City Chiefs
12/19/2004 at Arrowhead Stadium

Final Individual Statistics

Denver Broncos							Kansas City Chiefs										
RUSHING							RUSHING										
T.Bell	9	50	5.6	17	0		L.Johnson	30	151	5.0	32	2					
J.Plummer	2	29	14.5	22	0		D.Hall	1	6	6.0	6	0					
R.Droughns	4	27	6.8	16	0		T.Collins	1	4	4.0	4	0					
G.Hearst	5	26	5.2	11	1		O.Easy	4	1	0.3	4	0					
Total	20	132	6.6	22	1		Total	36	162	4.5	32	2					
PASSING							PASSING										
J.Plummer	41	23	292	6/22	1	58	2	66.3	T.Green	19	16	224	3/18	3	48	0	155.4
									T.Collins	4	1	42	0/0	0	42	0	70.8
Total	41	23	292	6/22	1	58	2	66.3	Total	23	17	266	3/18	3	48	0	151.4
PASS RECEIVING							PASS RECEIVING										
R.Smith	6	75	12.5	22	1		E.Kennison	7	101	14.4	42	2					
T.Luke	5	40	8.0	10	0		S.Parker	3	84	28.0	48	1					
A.Lelie	3	37	12.3	21	0		T.Gonzalez	3	44	14.7	21	0					
J.Putzier	3	30	10.0	16	0		D.Hall	2	17	8.5	14	0					
R.Droughns	2	14	7.0	12	0		T.Richardson	1	11	11.0	11	0					
T.Bell	1	58	58.0	58	0		J.Dunn	1	9	9.0	9	0					
G.Hearst	1	15	15.0	15	0												
D.Watts	1	14	14.0	14	0												
D.Carswell	1	9	9.0	9	0												
Total	23	292	12.7	58	1		Total	17	266	15.6	48	3					
INTERCEPTIONS							INTERCEPTIONS										
							D.McCleon	2	23	11.5	23	0					
Total		0	0	0.0	0	0	Total		2	23	11.5	23	0				
PUNTING							PUNTING										
J.Baker	4	154	38.5	31.0	0	2	42	S.Cheek	4	131	32.8	32.8	0	0	44		
Total	4	154	38.5	31.0	0	2	42	Total	4	131	32.8	32.8	0	0	44		
PUNT RETURNS							PUNT RETURNS										
T.Luke	1	0	0.0	0	0	0	D.Hall	2	30	15.0	1	16	0				
[DOWNED]	1	0	0.0	0	0	0	[DOWNED]	1	0	0.0	0	0	0				
[OUT OF BOUNDS]	1	0	0.0	0	0	0											
Returns	1	0	0.0	0	0	0	Returns	2	30	15.0	1	16	0				
KICKOFF RETURNS							KICKOFF RETURNS										
T.Luke	8	155	19.4	0	30	0	D.Hall	3	111	37.0	0	97	1				
							E.Kennison	1	36	36.0	0	36	0				
Returns	8	155	19.4	0	30	0	Returns	4	147	36.8	0	97	1				

Denver Broncos

FUMBLES	FUM LOST	OWN-REC	YDS	TD	FORCED	OPP-REC	YDS	TD	OUT-BDS
T.Bell	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
T.Luke	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
D.Williams	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
A.Wilson	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Total	2	1	0	0	2	0	0	0	2

Kansas City Chiefs

FUMBLES	FUM LOST	OWN-REC	YDS	TD	FORCED	OPP-REC	YDS	TD	OUT-BDS
T.Green	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
T.Richardson	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
G.Wesley	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Total	2	0	2	0	1	0	0	0	0

Denver Broncos vs Kansas City Chiefs

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Final Team Statistics

	Visitor Broncos	Home Chiefs
TOTAL FIRST DOWNS	24	22
By Rushing	9	5
By Passing	11	14
By Penalty	4	3
THIRD DOWN EFFICIENCY	4-11-36%	4-10-40%
FOURTH DOWN EFFICIENCY	0-2-0%	0-1-0%
TOTAL NET YARDS	402	410
Total Offensive Plays (inc. times thrown passing)	67	62
Average gain per offensive play	6.0	6.6
NET YARDS RUSHING	132	162
Total Rushing Plays	20	36
Average gain per rushing play	6.6	4.5
Tackles for a loss-number and yards	3-5	3-6
NET YARDS PASSING	270	248
Times thrown - yards lost attempting to pass	6-22	3-18
Gross yards passing	292	266
PASS ATTEMPTS-COMPLETIONS-HAD INTERCEPTED	41-23-2	23-17-0
Avg gain per pass play (inc.# thrown passing)	5.7	9.5
KICKOFFS Number-In End Zone-Touchbacks	4-0-0	8-0-0
PUNTS Number and Average	4-38.5	4-32.8
Had Blocked	0	0
FGs - PATs Had Blocked	0-0	0-0
Net Punting Average	31.0	32.8
TOTAL RETURN YARDAGE (Not Including Kickoffs)	0	53
No. and Yards Punt Returns	1-0	2-30
No. and Yards Kickoff Returns	8-155	4-147
No. and Yards Interception Returns	0-0	2-23
PENALTIES Number and Yards	10-100	6-58
FUMBLES Number and Lost	2-1	2-0
TOUCHDOWNS	2	6
Rushing	1	2
Passing	1	3
Kickoff Returns	0	1
EXTRA POINTS Made-Attempts	2-2	6-6
Kicking Made-Attempts	2-2	6-6
FIELD GOALS Made-Attempts	1-1	1-1
RED ZONE EFFICIENCY	2-3-67%	3-4-75%
GOAL TO GO EFFICIENCY	1-2-50%	1-1-100%
SAFETIES	0	0
FINAL SCORE	17	45
TIME OF POSSESSION	26:49	33:11

KC wins toss, elects to Receive, and DEN elects to defend the West goal.

J.Baker kicks 67 yards from DEN 30 to KC 3. D.Hall for 97 yards, TOUCHDOWN.

Kansas City Chiefs at 15:00

L.Tynes extra point is GOOD, Center-K.Gammon, Holder-S.Cheek.

DEN 0 KC 7, 0 plays, 97 yards, 0:13 elapsed

L.Tynes kicks 60 yards from KC 30 to DEN 10. T.Luke to DEN 31 for 21 yards (F.Jones).

Denver Broncos at 14:47, (1st play from scrimmage 14:41)

- 1-10-DEN 31 (14:41) J.Plummer pass to R.Smith to DEN 48 for 17 yards (K.Mitchell, S.Harts). P1
- 1-10-DEN 48 (14:11) J.Plummer pass to R.Droughns to 50 for 2 yards (S.Fujita).
- 2-8-50 (13:35) J.Plummer pass incomplete to J.Putzier.
- 3-8-50 (13:29) J.Plummer up the middle pushed ob at KC 28 for 22 yards (S.Harts). R2
- 1-10-KC 28 (12:59) R.Droughns up the middle to KC 18 for 10 yards (S.Harts).
PENALTY on DEN-R.Smith, Clipping, 15 yards, enforced at KC 28 - No Play.
- 1-25-KC 43 (12:30) J.Plummer pass incomplete to R.Smith.
- 2-25-KC 43 (12:27) R.Droughns up the middle to KC 45 for -2 yards (K.Mitchell).
- 3-27-KC 45 (11:47) J.Plummer sacked at KC 47 for -2 yards (E.Hicks).
- 4-29-KC 47 (11:21) J.Baker punts 34 yards to KC 13, Center-M.Leach, fair catch by D.Hall.

Kansas City Chiefs at 11:15

- 1-10-KC 13 (11:15) L.Johnson left tackle to KC 15 for 2 yards (A.Wilson).
- 2-8-KC 15 (10:37) L.Johnson up the middle to KC 20 for 5 yards (K.Kennedy).
- 3-3-KC 20 (9:58) T.Green pass to E.Kennison to KC 25 for 5 yards (C.Bailey). P1
- 1-10-KC 25 (9:18) L.Johnson up the middle to KC 32 for 7 yards (K.Kennedy).
- 2-3-KC 32 (8:42) T.Green pass to S.Parker to DEN 45 for 23 yards (K.Herdon). P2
- 1-10-DEN 45 (8:02) L.Johnson left end to DEN 43 for 2 yards (J.Lynch).
- 2-8-DEN 43 (7:18) T.Green pass to D.Hall pushed ob at DEN 29 for 14 yards (N.Ferguson). P3
- 1-10-DEN 29 (6:49) L.Johnson up the middle to DEN 24 for 5 yards (K.Kennedy).
- 2-5-DEN 24 (6:14) L.Johnson left end to DEN 11 for 13 yards (M.Fatafehi). R4
- 1-10-DEN 11 (5:29) L.Johnson up the middle to DEN 5 for 6 yards (D.Williams).
- 2-4-DEN 5 (4:56) **L.Johnson left end for 5 yards, TOUCHDOWN.** R5

L.Tynes extra point is GOOD, Center-K.Gammon, Holder-S.Cheek.

DEN 0 KC 14, 11 plays, 87 yards, 6:26 drive, 10:11 elapsed

L.Tynes kicks 54 yards from KC 30 to DEN 16. T.Luke to DEN 36 for 20 yards (W.Pile).

Denver Broncos at 4:49, (1st play from scrimmage 4:42)

- 1-10-DEN 36 (4:42) T.Bell up the middle to DEN 40 for 4 yards (M.Beisel, K.Mitchell).
- 2-6-DEN 40 (4:10) T.Bell up the middle to DEN 45 for 5 yards (K.Mitchell).
- 3-1-DEN 45 (3:35) T.Bell up the middle to KC 45 for 10 yards (S.Harts, E.Warfield). R3
- 1-10-KC 45 (2:57) J.Plummer pass to R.Smith to KC 42 for 3 yards (S.Harts, M.Beisel).
- 2-7-KC 42 (2:18) J.Plummer pass to T.Luke to KC 33 for 9 yards (D.McCleon). P4
- 1-10-KC 33 (1:38) T.Bell left end pushed ob at KC 16 for 17 yards (W.Pile). R5
- 1-10-KC 16 (1:13) T.Bell up the middle to KC 12 for 4 yards (K.Mitchell).
- 2-6-KC 12 (:36) J.Plummer pass to K.Johnson to KC 12 for no gain.
PENALTY on DEN-B.Hamilton, Offensive Holding, 10 yards, enforced at KC 12 - No Play.
- 2-16-KC 22 (:12) J.Plummer pass incomplete to A.Lelie.
- 3-16-KC 22 (:07) **J.Plummer pass to R.Smith for 22 yards, TOUCHDOWN.** P6

J.Elam extra point is GOOD, Center-M.Leach, Holder-J.Baker.

DEN 7 KC 14, 9 plays, 64 yards, 4:47 drive, 14:58 elapsed

J.Baker kicks 63 yards from DEN 30 to KC 7. D.Hall to KC 19 for 12 yards (N.Ferguson).

PENALTY on KC-R.Scanlon, Illegal Block Above the Waist, 9 yards, enforced at KC 19.

END OF QUARTER	Score	Time	First Downs				Efficiencies		
==== Quarter Summary =====			Poss	R	P	X	T	3Down	4Down
Denver Broncos	7	8:19	3	3	0	6		3/4	0/0
Kansas City Chiefs	14	6:41	2	3	0	5		1/1	0/0

2nd Quarter

Play By Play

Kansas City Chiefs continued.

Kansas City Chiefs Q1-00:02, (1st play from scrimmage 15:00)

- 1-10-KC 10 (15:00) L.Johnson up the middle to KC 14 for 4 yards (D.Spragan).
- 2-6-KC 14 (14:21) T.Green sacked at KC 7 for -7 yards (A.Wilson). FUMBLES (A.Wilson), recovered by KC-T.Richardson at KC 7.
- 3-13-KC 7 (13:47) L.Johnson up the middle to KC 17 for 10 yards (K.Kennedy).
- 4-3-KC 17 (13:09) S.Cheek punts 44 yards to DEN 39, Center-K.Gammon, ball declared dead.

Denver Broncos at 12:56

- 1-10-DEN 39 (12:56) J.Plummer pass to J.Putzier to KC 45 for 16 yards (D.McCleon). P7
- 1-10-KC 45 (12:20) J.Plummer pass intended for A.Lelie INTERCEPTED by D.McCleon at KC 33. D.McCleon to DEN 44 for 23 yards (T.Nalen).

Kansas City Chiefs at 12:10

- 1-10-DEN 44 (12:10) T.Green pass incomplete to T.Gonzalez.
- 2-10-DEN 44 (12:07) L.Johnson up the middle to DEN 39 for 5 yards (D.Williams).
PENALTY on DEN-J.Lynch, Unnecessary Roughness, 15 yards, enforced at DEN 39. X6
- 1-10-DEN 24 (11:41) T.Green sacked at DEN 29 for -5 yards (sack split by M.Coleman and M.Fatafeh).
- 2-15-DEN 29 (11:07) L.Johnson up the middle to DEN 20 for 9 yards (J.Lynch).
- 3-6-DEN 20 (10:24) T.Green pass to T.Gonzalez to DEN 7 for 13 yards (K.Kennedy). P7
- 1-7-DEN 7 (9:41) **T.Green pass to E.Kennison for 7 yards, TOUCHDOWN.** P8
- L.Tynes extra point is GOOD, Center-K.Gammon, Holder-S.Cheek.

DEN 7 KC 21, 6 plays, 44 yards, 1 penalty, 2:34 drive, 5:24 elapsed

L.Tynes kicks 48 yards from KC 30 to DEN 22. T.Luke to DEN 35 for 13 yards (B.Sapp).

Denver Broncos at 9:36, (1st play from scrimmage 9:31)

- 1-10-DEN 35 (9:31) J.Plummer pass incomplete to T.Bell.
- 2-10-DEN 35 (9:25) *PENALTY on DEN-A.Lelie, False Start, 5 yards, enforced at DEN 35 - No Play.*
- 2-15-DEN 30 (9:25) J.Plummer pass incomplete.
- 3-15-DEN 30 (9:20) J.Plummer pass to A.Lelie to KC 49 for 21 yards (W.Pile). P8
- 1-10-KC 49 (8:41) T.Bell up the middle to KC 48 for 1 yard (J.Wilkerson).
- 2-9-KC 48 (8:00) T.Bell up the middle to 50 for -2 yards (J.Siavii).
- 3-11-50 (7:42) J.Plummer pass to A.Lelie to KC 41 for 9 yards (D.McCleon).
- 4-2-KC 41 (6:58) J.Plummer sacked at KC 41 for 0 yards (K.Mitchell).

Kansas City Chiefs at 6:52

- 1-10-KC 42 (6:52) T.Green pass to J.Dunn to DEN 49 for 9 yards (D.Spragan).
Penalty on DEN-K.Herdon, Illegal Contact, declined.
- 2-1-DEN 49 (6:27) L.Johnson up the middle to DEN 46 for 3 yards (D.Spragan). R9
- 1-10-DEN 46 (5:48) D.Hall left end to DEN 40 for 6 yards (J.Lynch).
- 2-4-DEN 40 (5:19) L.Johnson up the middle to DEN 38 for 2 yards (D.Williams).
- 3-2-DEN 38 (4:39) T.Green pass to E.Kennison to DEN 32 for 6 yards (D.Spragan, C.Bailey). P10
Penalty on DEN-J.Lynch, Defensive Holding, declined.
- 1-10-DEN 32 (4:12) **L.Johnson up the middle for 32 yards, TOUCHDOWN.** R11
- L.Tynes extra point is GOOD, Center-K.Gammon, Holder-S.Cheek.

DEN 7 KC 28, 6 plays, 58 yards, 2:46 drive, 10:54 elapsed

L.Tynes kicks 50 yards from KC 30 to DEN 20. T.Luke to DEN 39 for 19 yards (J.Wilkerson).

Denver Broncos at 4:06, (1st play from scrimmage 4:02)

- 1-10-DEN 39 (4:02) J.Plummer pass incomplete to R.Droughns.
- 2-10-DEN 39 (3:57) J.Plummer pass incomplete to J.Putzier.
- 3-10-DEN 39 (3:51) J.Plummer pass to T.Luke to DEN 45 for 6 yards (B.Sapp).
- 4-4-DEN 45 (3:14) J.Baker punts 38 yards to KC 17, Center-M.Leach. D.Hall to KC 31 for 14 yards (D.Spragan).

Kansas City Chiefs at 3:06

- 1-10-KC 31 (3:06) L.Johnson up the middle to KC 32 for 1 yard (A.Wilson).
- 2-9-KC 32 (2:23) L.Johnson up the middle to KC 32 for no gain (M.Pope, A.Wilson).
Timeout #1 by DEN at 02:17.
- 3-9-KC 32 (2:17) T.Green pass to E.Kennison to KC 40 for 8 yards (C.Bailey).

Two-Minute Warning

- 4-1-KC 40 (2:00) S.Cheek punts 29 yards to DEN 31, Center-K.Gammon, out of bounds.
PENALTY on DEN-J.Shoate, Offensive Holding, 10 yards, enforced at DEN 31.

Denver Broncos at 1:51

- 1-10-DEN 21 (1:51) J.Plummer pass to T.Luke to DEN 31 for 10 yards (E.Warfield). P9
- 1-10-DEN 31 (1:28) J.Plummer pass to R.Smith to DEN 38 for 7 yards (S.Fujita).
Timeout #2 by DEN at 01:25.
- 2-3-DEN 38 (1:25) J.Plummer pass to J.Putzier to DEN 43 for 5 yards (K.Mitchell). P10
- 1-10-DEN 43 (1:03) J.Plummer pass to D.Watts to KC 43 for 14 yards (E.Warfield). P11
Timeout #3 by DEN at 00:57.
- 1-10-KC 43 (:57) J.Plummer pass to R.Smith to KC 38 for 5 yards (S.Fujita).
- 2-5-KC 38 (:38) J.Plummer pass incomplete to T.Luke.
- 3-5-KC 38 (:38) *PENALTY on KC-R.Sims, Encroachment, 5 yards, enforced at KC 38 - No Play.* X12
- 1-10-KC 33 (:34) J.Plummer pass incomplete to A.Lelie (B.Sapp).
- 2-10-KC 33 (:31) J.Plummer pass to T.Luke to KC 28 for 5 yards (G.Wesley).
- 3-5-KC 28 (:12) J.Plummer pass incomplete to R.Smith.
PENALTY on KC-B.Sapp, Defensive Pass Interference, 19 yards, enforced at KC 28 - No Play. X13
Timeout #1 by KC at 00:07.
- 1-9-KC 9 (:07) **J.Elam 27 yard field goal is GOOD, Center-M.Leach, Holder-J.Baker.**

DEN 10 KC 28, 9 plays, 70 yards, 2 penalties, 1:47 drive, 14:56 elapsed

J.Baker kicks 43 yards from DEN 30 to KC 27. D.Hall to KC 29 for 2 yards (L.Green).

END OF QUARTER	Score	Time	First Downs				Efficiencies		
==== Quarter Summary =====			Poss	R	P	X	T	3Down	4Down
Denver Broncos	10	6:17	0	5	2	7		1/3	0/1
Kansas City Chiefs	28	8:43	2	3	1	6		2/4	0/0

Denver Broncos vs Kansas City Chiefs
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First Half Summary

	PERIOD SCORES		TIME OF POSSESSION
Broncos (Visitor)	7 3 = 10	Broncos	14:36
Chiefs (Home)	14 14 = 28	Chiefs	15:24

Scoring Plays

Team	Qtr	Time	Scoring Play	Score	
				Visitor	Home
Chiefs	1	14:47	D.Hall 97 yd. kickoff return (L.Tynes kick) (0-0, 0:13)	0	7
Chiefs	1	4:49	L.Johnson 5 yd. run (L.Tynes kick) (11-87, 6:26)	0	14
Broncos	1	0:02	R.Smith 22 yd. pass from J.Plummer (J.Elam kick) (9-64, 4:47)	7	14
Chiefs	2	9:36	E.Kennison 7 yd. pass from T.Green (L.Tynes kick) (6-44, 2:34)	7	21
Chiefs	2	4:06	L.Johnson 32 yd. run (L.Tynes kick) (6-58, 2:46)	7	28
Broncos	2	0:04	J.Elam 27 yd. Field Goal (9-70, 1:47)	10	28

	Broncos	Chiefs
TOTAL FIRST DOWNS	13	11
First Downs Rushing-Passing-by Penalty	3 - 8 - 2	4 - 6 - 1
THIRD DOWN EFFICIENCY	4-7-57%	3-5-60%
TOTAL NET YARDS	208	190
Total Offensive Plays	36	29
NET YARDS RUSHING	59	117
NET YARDS PASSING	149	73
Gross Yards Passing	151	85
Times thrown-yards lost attempting to pass	2-2	2-12
Pass Attempts-Completions-Had Intercepted	25 - 15 - 1	9 - 8 - 0
Punts-Number and Average	2 - 36	2 - 36.5
Penalties-Number and Yards	5 - 55	3 - 33
Fumbles-Number and Lost	0 - 0	1 - 0
Red Zone Efficiency	2-3-67%	3-4-75%
Average Drive Start	DEN 34	KC 31

Denver Broncos						Kansas City Chiefs											
RUSHING	ATT	YDS	AVG	LG	TD	RUSHING	ATT	YDS	AVG	LG	TD						
T.Bell	7	39	5.6	17	0	L.Johnson	17	111	6.5	32	2						
J.Plummer	1	22	22.0	22	0	D.Hall	1	6	6.0	6	0						
R.Droughns	1	-2	-2.0	-2	0												
Total	9	59	6.6	22	0	Total	18	117	6.5	32	2						
PASSING	ATT	CMP	YDS	SK/YD	TD	LG	IN	RT	PASSING	ATT	CMP	YDS	SK/YD	TD	LG	IN	RT
J.Plummer	25	15	151	2/2	1	22	1	73.9	T.Green	9	8	85	2/12	1	23	0	143.1
Total	25	15	151	2/2	1	22	1	73.9	Total	9	8	85	2/12	1	23	0	143.1
PASS RECEIVING	NO	YDS	AVG	LG	TD	PASS RECEIVING	NO	YDS	AVG	LG	TD						
R.Smith	5	54	10.8	22	1	E.Kennison	4	26	6.5	8	1						
T.Luke	4	30	7.5	10	0	S.Parker	1	23	23.0	23	0						
A.Lelie	2	30	15.0	21	0	D.Hall	1	14	14.0	14	0						
J.Putzier	2	21	10.5	16	0	T.Gonzalez	1	13	13.0	13	0						
D.Watts	1	14	14.0	14	0	J.Dunn	1	9	9.0	9	0						
R.Droughns	1	2	2.0	2	0												
Total	15	151	10.1	22	1	Total	8	85	10.6	23	1						

Denver Broncos	Regular Defensive Plays										Special Teams					Misc			
	TKL	AST	COMB	SACK	YRDS	IN	PD	FF	FR	FR	TKL	AST	FF	FR	BL	TKL	AST	FF	FR
K.Kennedy	5	0	5	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
D.Spragan	4	0	4	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
A.Wilson	3	1	4	1.0	7.0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
J.Lynch	3	0	3	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Kansas City Chiefs	Regular Defensive Plays										Special Teams					Misc			
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3rd Quarter

Play By Play

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DEN elects to Receive, and KC elects to defend the East goal.

L.Tynes kicks 53 yards from KC 30 to DEN 17. T.Luke to DEN 39 for 22 yards. FUMBLES, ball out of bounds at DEN 39. T.Luke fumbled at DEN39, ball rolled forward and knocked out of bounds by L.Tynes at DEN47. Ball returned to spot of fumble.

Denver Broncos at 15:00, (1st play from scrimmage 14:53)

- 1-10-DEN 39 (14:53) J.Plummer pass incomplete.
- 2-10-DEN 39 (14:53) J.Plummer pass to R.Droughns to KC 49 for 12 yards (K.Mitchell). P14
- 1-10-KC 49 (14:08) R.Droughns right end to 50 for -1 yards (E.Hicks, E.Warfield).
- 2-11-50 (13:40) J.Plummer pass intended for A.Lelie INTERCEPTED by D.McCleon at KC 10. D.McCleon to KC 10 for no gain (A.Lelie).

Kansas City Chiefs at 13:32

- 1-10-KC 10 (13:32) L.Johnson left end to KC 17 for 7 yards (D.Spragan).
- 2-3-KC 17 (12:47) L.Johnson up the middle to KC 23 for 6 yards (D.Williams). R12
- 1-10-KC 23 (12:09) L.Johnson left end to KC 28 for 5 yards (D.Spragan).
- 2-5-KC 28 (11:26) T.Green pass to S.Parker to KC 41 for 13 yards (D.Williams). P13
- Timeout #1 by KC at 10:38.
- 1-10-KC 41 (10:38) L.Johnson up the middle to KC 41 for no gain (R.Hayward).
- 2-10-KC 41 (9:58) *PENALTY on KC-D.Hall, False Start, 5 yards, enforced at KC 41 - No Play.*
- 2-15-KC 36 (9:46) T.Green pass to E.Kennison to DEN 49 for 15 yards (K.Kennedy, A.Wilson). P14
- 1-10-DEN 49 (9:04) L.Johnson left end to DEN 48 for 1 yard (K.Herndon).
- 2-9-DEN 48 (8:23) T.Green pass incomplete to D.Hall.
- 3-9-DEN 48 (8:18) **(Shotgun) T.Green pass to S.Parker for 48 yards, TOUCHDOWN.** P15
- L.Tynes extra point is GOOD, Center-K.Gammon, Holder-S.Cheek.

DEN 10 KC 35, 9 plays, 90 yards, 5:21 drive, 6:49 elapsed

L.Tynes kicks 54 yards from KC 30 to DEN 16. T.Luke to DEN 31 for 15 yards (W.Bartee).

Denver Broncos at 8:11, (1st play from scrimmage 8:06)

- 1-10-DEN 31 (8:06) J.Plummer pass to R.Smith ran ob at KC 48 for 21 yards (S.Harts). P15
- 1-10-KC 48 (7:52) J.Plummer pass to D.Carswell to KC 39 for 9 yards (M.Beisel).
- 2-1-KC 39 (7:15) T.Bell right end to KC 37 for 2 yards (G.Wesley). R16
- 1-10-KC 37 (6:34) T.Bell left end to KC 28 for 9 yards (S.Harts).
- 2-1-KC 28 (6:34) *PENALTY on DEN-M.Lepsis, False Start, 5 yards, enforced at KC 28 - No Play.*
- 2-6-KC 33 (5:44) J.Plummer pass incomplete to A.Lelie.
- 3-6-KC 33 (5:38) J.Plummer pass incomplete to T.Luke.
- 4-6-KC 33 (5:35) (Shotgun) J.Plummer pass to R.Smith to KC 23 for 10 yards (W.Bartee). P13
- PENALTY on DEN-R.Smith, Offensive Pass Interference, 10 yards, enforced at KC 33 - No Play.*
- 4-16-KC 43 (5:35) J.Baker punts 42 yards to KC 1, Center-M.Leach, downed by DEN-M.Leach. P14
- Play Challenged by KC and Upheld. (Timeout #2 by KC at 05:18.)

Kansas City Chiefs at 5:18

- 1-10-KC 1 (5:18) L.Johnson left tackle to KC 7 for 6 yards (D.Spragan).
- 2-4-KC 7 (4:43) T.Green pass to T.Richardson to KC 18 for 11 yards (D.Spragan, R.Johnson). P16
- 1-10-KC 18 (4:07) L.Johnson up the middle to KC 23 for 5 yards (K.Kennedy, J.Lynch).
- 2-5-KC 23 (3:24) T.Green pass to T.Gonzalez to KC 44 for 21 yards (A.Palepoi). P17
- 1-10-KC 44 (2:53) T.Green pass to T.Gonzalez to DEN 46 for 10 yards (K.Kennedy). P18
- 1-10-DEN 46 (2:11) L.Johnson up the middle to DEN 39 for 7 yards (D.Williams).
- 2-3-DEN 39 (1:32) L.Johnson right end to DEN 40 for -1 yards (M.Fatafehi).
- 3-4-DEN 40 (:51) (Shotgun) T.Green pass incomplete to D.Hall. P19
- PENALTY on DEN-C.Bailey, Illegal Use of Hands, 5 yards, enforced at DEN 40 - No Play.*
- 1-10-DEN 35 (:47) L.Johnson up the middle to DEN 33 for 2 yards (D.Williams).
- 2-8-DEN 33 (:08) T.Green pass to S.Parker ran ob at DEN 32 for 1 yard. P20
- PENALTY on DEN-A.Wilson, Roughing the Passer, 15 yards, enforced at DEN 33 - No Play.*
- Penalty on KC-S.Parker, Illegal Shift, superseded.*

END OF QUARTER	Score	Time	First Downs				Efficiencies	
==== Quarter Summary =====		Poss	R	P	X	T	3Down	4Down
Denver Broncos	10	4:21	1	2	0	3	0/1	0/0
Kansas City Chiefs	35	10:39	1	6	2	9	1/1	0/0

4th Quarter

Play By Play

Kansas City Chiefs continued.

1-10-DEN 18 (15:00) L.Johnson right end to DEN 18 for no gain (K.Kennedy, M.Pope).

2-10-DEN 18 (14:19) **T.Green pass to E.Kennison for 18 yards, TOUCHDOWN.** P21

L.Tynes extra point is GOOD, Center-K.Gammon, Holder-S.Cheek.

DEN 10 KC 42, 10 plays, 99 yards, 2 penalties, 6:05 drive, 0:47 elapsed

L.Tynes kicks 65 yards from KC 30 to DEN 5. T.Luke to DEN 35 for 30 yards (J.Battle).

Denver Broncos at 14:13, (1st play from scrimmage 14:06)

1-10-DEN 35 (14:06) (Shotgun) J.Plummer sacked at DEN 27 for -8 yards (L.Dalton).

2-18-DEN 27 (13:48) J.Plummer pass incomplete to J.Putzier.

3-18-DEN 27 (13:42) (Shotgun) J.Plummer pass to T.Luke to DEN 37 for 10 yards (G.Wesley).
PENALTY on KC-G.Wesley, Unnecessary Roughness, 15 yards, enforced at DEN 37. X17

1-10-KC 48 (13:21) (Shotgun) J.Plummer pass incomplete to R.Smith (B.Sapp).

2-10-KC 48 (13:17) (Shotgun) J.Plummer sacked at KC 48 for 0 yards (J.Browning).

3-10-KC 48 (12:53) (Shotgun) J.Plummer right end ran ob at KC 41 for 7 yards.

4-3-KC 41 (12:27) J.Plummer pass incomplete to A.Lelie.

Kansas City Chiefs at 12:22

1-10-KC 41 (12:22) T.Green pass incomplete to D.Hall.

2-10-KC 41 (12:17) T.Green sacked at KC 35 for -6 yards (D.Williams). FUMBLES (D.Williams), touched at KC 35, and recovers at KC 35. T.Green to KC 35 for no gain (D.Williams).
Timeout #3 by KC at 11:42.

3-16-KC 35 (11:42) T.Green pass to D.Hall to KC 38 for 3 yards (K.Herndon).

4-13-KC 38 (11:42) S.Cheek punts 25 yards to DEN 37, Center-K.Gammon, downed by KC-O.Easy.

Denver Broncos at 10:57

1-10-DEN 37 (10:57) J.Plummer pass to T.Bell to KC 5 for 58 yards (G.Wesley). FUMBLES (G.Wesley), ball out of bounds in End Zone, Touchback. T.Bell fumbled at KC5, ball out of bounds in the endzone for a touchback.

Kansas City Chiefs at 10:44

1-10-KC 20 (10:44) L.Johnson right end to KC 18 for -2 yards (A.Wilson).

2-12-KC 18 (10:19) L.Johnson up the middle to KC 22 for 4 yards (D.Williams, A.Wilson).

3-8-KC 22 (9:33) T.Collins pass incomplete to S.Parker.

4-8-KC 22 (9:26) S.Cheek punts 33 yards to DEN 45, Center-K.Gammon. T.Luke to DEN 45 for no gain (J.Battle).

Denver Broncos at 9:20

1-10-DEN 45 (9:20) G.Hearst to KC 44 for 11 yards (K.Mitchell). R18

1-10-KC 44 (8:39) J.Plummer pass to J.Putzier to KC 35 for 9 yards (M.Beisel, W.Bartee).

2-1-KC 35 (8:03) J.Plummer sacked at KC 38 for -3 yards (K.Mitchell).

3-4-KC 38 (7:34) J.Plummer pass incomplete.

PENALTY on DEN-M.Lepsis, Offensive Holding, 10 yards, enforced at KC 38 - No Play.

3-14-KC 48 (7:29) J.Plummer sacked at DEN 43 for -9 yards (J.Wilkerson, G.Stills).

4-23-DEN 43 (6:54) J.Baker punts 40 yards to KC 17, Center-M.Leach. D.Hall to KC 33 for 16 yards (J.Baker).

Kansas City Chiefs at 6:43

1-10-KC 33 (6:43) T.Collins pass to E.Kennison to DEN 25 for 42 yards (K.Kennedy). P22

1-10-DEN 25 (6:26) O.Easy up the middle to DEN 21 for 4 yards (J.Lynch).

2-6-DEN 21 (5:42) T.Collins pass incomplete to S.Parker (K.Herndon).

3-6-DEN 21 (5:38) (Shotgun) T.Collins pass incomplete to E.Kennison.

4-6-DEN 21 (5:38) **L.Tynes 39 yard field goal is GOOD, Center-K.Gammon, Holder-S.Cheek.**

DEN 10 KC 45, 5 plays, 46 yards, 1:12 drive, 9:29 elapsed

L.Tynes kicks 46 yards from KC 30 to DEN 24. T.Luke to DEN 39 for 15 yards (K.Fox).

Denver Broncos at 5:31, (1st play from scrimmage 5:27)

1-10-DEN 39 (5:27) R.Droughns up the middle to KC 47 for 14 yards (E.Hicks). R19

1-10-KC 47 (5:03) J.Plummer pass to A.Lelie to KC 40 for 7 yards (D.McCleon).

2-3-KC 40 (4:57) R.Droughns up the middle to KC 24 for 16 yards (G.Wesley). R20

1-10-KC 24 (4:33) J.Plummer pass incomplete to R.Droughns.

2-10-KC 24 (4:27) J.Plummer pass to G.Hearst to KC 9 for 15 yards (G.Wesley). P21

PENALTY on KC-K.Mitchell, Face Mask (15 Yards), 5 yards, enforced at KC 9. X22

1-4-KC 4 (4:16) **G.Hearst up the middle for 4 yards, TOUCHDOWN.** R23

J.Elam extra point is GOOD, Center-M.Leach, Holder-J.Baker.

DEN 17 KC 45, 6 plays, 61 yards, 1 penalty, 1:18 drive, 10:47 elapsed

J.Baker kicks onside 18 yards from DEN 30 to DEN 48. E.Kennison to DEN 12 for 36 yards (R.Alexander).

Kansas City Chiefs at 4:13, (1st play from scrimmage 4:05)

1-10-DEN 12 (4:05) O.Easy right end to DEN 12 for no gain (A.Wilson).

2-10-DEN 12 (3:23) O.Easy left end to DEN 12 for no gain (D.Williams).

3-10-DEN 12 (2:43) T.Collins left end to DEN 8 for 4 yards (D.Williams).

Two-Minute Warning

4-6-DEN 8 (2:00) O.Easy right end to DEN 11 for -3 yards (A.Palepoi).

Denver Broncos at 1:53

1-10-DEN 11 (1:53) G.Hearst left end to DEN 14 for 3 yards (J.Allen).

2-7-DEN 14 (1:13) G.Hearst up the middle to DEN 21 for 7 yards (G.Wesley). R24

1-10-DEN 21 (:33) G.Hearst up the middle to DEN 22 for 1 yard (J.Allen).

END OF QUARTER

==== Quarter Summary =====

	Score	Time	First Downs				Efficiencies		
			Poss	R	P	X	T	3Down	4Down
Denver Broncos	17	7:52	5	1	2	8		0/3	0/1
Kansas City Chiefs	45	7:08	0	2	0	2		0/4	0/1

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Ball Possession And Drive Chart

Denver Broncos

#	Time Recd	Time Lost	Time Poss	How Ball Obtained	Drive Began	# Play	Yds Gain	Yds Pen	Net Yds	1st Down	Last Scrm	How Given Up
1	14:47	11:15	3:32	Kickoff	DEN 31	7	37	-15	22	2	KC 47	Punt
2	4:49	0:02	4:47	Kickoff	DEN 36	9	74	-10	64	4	* KC 22	Touchdown
3	12:56	12:10	0:46	Punt	DEN 39	2	16	0	16	1	KC 45	Interception
4	9:36	6:52	2:44	Kickoff	DEN 35	7	29	-5	24	1	KC 41	Downs
5	4:06	3:06	1:00	Kickoff	DEN 39	3	6	0	6	0	DEN 45	Punt
6	1:51	0:04	1:47	Punt	DEN 21	9	46	24	70	5	* KC 9	Field Goal
7	15:00	13:32	1:28	Kickoff	DEN 39	4	11	0	11	1	50	Interception
8	8:11	5:18	2:53	Kickoff	DEN 31	6	41	-15	26	2	KC 43	Punt
9	14:13	12:22	1:51	Kickoff	DEN 35	7	9	15	24	1	KC 41	Downs
10	10:57	10:44	0:13	Punt	DEN 37	1	58	0	58	0	DEN 37	Fumble
11	9:20	6:43	2:37	Punt	DEN 45	4	8	-10	-2	1	DEN 43	Punt
12	5:31	4:13	1:18	Kickoff	DEN 39	6	56	5	61	5	* KC 4	Touchdown
13	1:53	0:00	1:53	Downs	DEN 11	3	11	0	11	1	DEN 21	End of Game

(438) Average DEN 34

Kansas City Chiefs

#	Time Recd	Time Lost	Time Poss	How Ball Obtained	Drive Began	# Play	Yds Gain	Yds Pen	Net Yds	1st Down	Last Scrm	How Given Up
1	15:00	14:47	0:13	Kickoff		0	0	0	0	0		Touchdown
2	11:15	4:49	6:26	Punt	KC 13	11	87	0	87	5	* DEN 5	Touchdown
3	0:02	12:56	2:06	Kickoff	KC 10	3	7	0	7	0	KC 17	Punt
4	12:10	9:36	2:34	Interception	DEN 44	6	29	15	44	3	* DEN 7	Touchdown
5	6:52	4:06	2:46	Downs	KC 42	6	58	0	58	3	DEN 32	Touchdown
6	3:06	1:51	1:15	Punt	KC 31	3	9	0	9	0	KC 40	Punt
7	0:04	0:00	0:04	Kickoff		0	0	0	0	0		End of Half
8	13:32	8:11	5:21	Interception	KC 10	9	95	-5	90	4	DEN 48	Touchdown
9	5:18	14:13	6:05	Punt	KC 1	10	79	20	99	6	* DEN 18	Touchdown
10	12:22	10:57	1:25	Downs	KC 41	3	-3	0	-3	0	KC 38	Punt
11	10:44	9:20	1:24	Fumble	KC 20	3	2	0	2	0	KC 22	Punt
12	6:43	5:31	1:12	Punt	KC 33	5	46	0	46	1	DEN 21	Field Goal
13	4:13	1:53	2:20	Kickoff	DEN 12	4	1	0	1	0	* DEN 8	Downs

(345) Average KC 31

* inside opponent's 20

Time of Possession by Quarter		1st	2nd	3rd	4th	OT	Total
Visitor	Denver Broncos	8:19	6:17	4:21	7:52		26:49
Home	Kansas City Chiefs	6:41	8:43	10:39	7:08		33:11

Kickoff Drive No.-Start Average Broncos: 8 - DEN 36 Chiefs: 1 - KC 10

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CHIEFS

No	Name	Pos
1	Tynes, Lawrence	K
5	Cheek, Steve	P
10	Green, Trent	QB
11	Huard, Damon	QB#3
15	Collins, Todd	QB
18	Parker, Samie	WR
20	Sapp, Benny	CB
21	Woods, Jerome	S
22	McClellan, Dexter	CB
23	Blaylock, Derrick	RB
24	Bartee, William	CB
25	Wesley, Greg	S
26	Battle, Julian	CB
27	Johnson, Larry	RB
35	Pile, Willie	S
41	Connot, Scott	S
42	Harts, Shaunard	S
43	Easy, Omar	FB
44	Warfield, Eric	CB
49	Richardson, Tony	FB
50	Mitchell, Kawika	LB
51	Fujita, Scott	LB
52	Caver, Quinton	LB
53	Jones, Fred	LB
54	Waters, Brian	G
55	Stills, Gary	DE
56	Beisel, Monty	LB
62	Wiegmann, Casey	C
65	Black, Jordan	T
66	Ingram, Johnathan	T
67	Bober, Chris	T
68	Shields, Will	G
69	Allen, Jared	DE
74	Williams, Brett	T
75	Dalton, Lionel	DT
77	Roaf, Willie	T
79	Sampson, Kevin	T
80	Morton, Johnnie	WR
81	Horn, Chris	WR
82	Hall, Dante'	WR
83	Gammon, Kendall	TE
84	Wilson, Kris	TE
87	Kennison, Eddie	WR
88	Gonzalez, Tony	TE
89	Dunn, Jason	TE
90	Sims, Ryan	DT
91	Scanlon, Rich	LB
93	Browning, John	DT
94	Stavii, Junior	DT
96	Wilkinson, Jimmy	DE
97	Fox, Keyaron	LB
98	Hicks, Eric	DE
99	Holliday, Vonnie	DE

CHIEFS OFFENSE

Pos	No	Name	WR
K	80	J. Morton	WR
LT	77	W. Roaf	LT
LG	54	B. Waters	LG
C	62	C. Wiegmann	C
RG	68	W. Shields	RG
RT	67	C. Bober	RT
S	88	T. Gonzalez	RT
TE	87	E. Kennison	TE
WR	10	T. Green	WR
QB	49	T. Richardson	QB
FB	23	D. Blaylock	FB
RB	82	D. Hall	RB
S	15	T. Collins	S
O	43	O. Easy	O
L	27	L. Johnson	L

BRONCOS DEFENSE

Pos	No	Name	WR
LE	92	M. Coleman	LE
LT	68	M. Fatafehi	LT
RT	75	M. Pope	RT
RE	98	R. Hayward	RE
WLB	52	D. Williams	WLB
MLB	56	A. Wilson	MLB
SLB	59	D. Spragan	SLB
LCB	24	C. Bailey	LCB
RCB	31	K. Herndon	RCB
SS	28	K. Kennedy	SS
FS	47	J. Lynch	FS
G	45	R. Alexander	G
C	32	C. Young	C
T	25	N. Ferguson	T

CHIEFS SPECIALISTS

Pos	No	Name	P
P	5	S. Cheek	P
K	1	L. Tynes	K
KO	1	L. Tynes	KO
H	5	S. Cheek	H
PR	82	D. Hall	PR
KR	82	D. Hall	KR
PC	83	K. Gammon	PC
KC	83	K. Gammon	KC

CHIEFS DEFENSE

Pos	No	Name	LE
LE	98	E. Hicks	LE
LT	90	R. Sims	LT
RT	75	L. Dalton	RT
RE	69	J. Allen	RE
L	51	S. Fujita	L
MLB	50	K. Mitchell	MLB
ROLB	52	Q. Caver	ROLB
LCB	44	E. Warfield	LCB
RCB	24	W. Bartee	RCB
SS	35	W. Pile	SS
FS	42	S. Harts	FS

BRONCOS OFFENSE

Pos	No	Name	WR
WR	80	R. Smith	WR
LT	78	M. Lepsis	LT
LG	50	B. Hamilton	LG
C	66	T. Nalen	C
RG	62	D. Neil	RG
RT	72	G. Foster	RT
TE	89	D. Carswell	TE
WR	85	A. Leile	WR
QB	16	J. Plummer	QB
RB	34	R. Droughns	RB
FB	39	K. Johnson	FB

BRONCOS SPECIALISTS

Pos	No	Name	P
P	6	J. Baker	P
K	1	J. Elam	K
KO	6	J. Baker	KO
PR	80	R. Smith	PR
KR	45	R. Alexander	KR
PC	83	M. Leach	PC
KC	83	M. Leach	KC
H	13	D. Kanell	H

BRONCOS

No	Name	Pos
1	Elam, Jason	K
6	Baker, Jason	PIK
10	Green, Trent	WR
13	Kanell, Danny	QB
16	Plummer, Jake	QB
17	Watts, Darius	WR
20	Hearst, Garrison	RB
23	Middlebrooks, Willie	CB
24	Bailey, Champ	CB
25	Ferguson, Nick	S
26	Bell, Tatum	RB
28	Kennedy, Kenoy	S
31	Herndon, Kelly	CB
32	Young, Chris	S
34	Droughns, Reuben	RB
37	Sapp, Cecil	RB
39	Johnson, Kyle	FB
40	Shoate, Jeff	CB
42	Brandon, Sam	S
45	Alexander, Roc	CB
47	Lynch, John	S
50	Hamilton, Ben	G/C
52	Williams, D.J.	LB
53	Green, Louis	LB
55	Chukwurah, Patrick	LB
56	Wilson, Al	LB
57	Sykes, Jason	LB
58	Pierce, Terry	LB
59	Spragan, Donnie	LB
61	Johnson, Ellis	DT
62	Nell, Dan	G
65	Carlisle, Cooper	G/T
66	Nalen, Tom	C
67	Veal, Demein	DT/DE
68	Fatafehi, Mario	DT
69	Alexander, P.J.	G
72	Foster, George	T
74	Green, Cornell	T
75	Pope, Monsanto	DT
78	Lepsis, Matt	T
80	Smith, Rod	WR
81	Adams, Charlie	WR
83	Leach, Mike	TE/LS
85	Lelle, Ashley	WR
86	Hape, Patrick	TE
88	Putzier, Jeb	TE
89	Carswell, Dwayne	TE
90	Holland, Darius	DT
92	Coleman, Marco	DE
93	Pryce, Trevor	DE
94	Ellis, Luther	DT
95	Palepoi, Anton	DE
98	Hayward, Reggie	DE
99	Johnson, Raylee	DE

TODAY'S OFFICIALS: Referee-Tony Corrente (99); Umpire-Darrell Jenkins (76); Head Linesman-John McGrath (120); Line Judge-Ron Blum (7); Field Judge-Craig Wroldstad (89); Side Judge-Doug Toole (4); Back Judge-Don Carey (126); Replay Assistant-Bob Mantoosh (); Video Operator-Terry Poulos ()

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KANSAS CITY CHIEFS

No	Name	Pos	Ht	Wt	Age	Ex	School	No	Name	Pos	Ht	Wt	Age	Ex	School
69	Allen, Jared	DE	K 6'00"	187	26	1	Troy State	1	Jason Elam		K 5'11"	200	34	12	Hawaii
24	Baree, William	CB	P 6'04"	200	27	1	Humboldt State	6	Jason Baker		PK 6'01"	195	26	4	Iowa
26	Battle, Julian	CB	CB 6'03"	210	34	8	Indiana	10	Triandos Luke		WR 5'11"	193	23	4	Alabama
56	Beisel, Monty	LB	QB#3 6'03"	220	31	7	Washington	13	Danny Kanel		QB 6'03"	218	31	7	Florida State
65	Black, Jordan	T	QB 6'04"	219	33	9	Michigan	16	Jake Plummer		QB 6'02"	202	30	8	Arizona State
23	Blaylock, Derrick	RB	WR 5'11"	180	23	3	Oregon	17	Darius Watts		WR 6'02"	240	23	3	Marshall
67	Bober, Chris	T	CB 5'09"	188	23	3	Northern Iowa	20	Garrison Hearst		RB 5'11"	215	33	10	Georgia
93	Browning, John	DT	S 6'02"	207	31	8	Memphis	23	Willie Middlebrooks		CB 6'01"	200	25	4	Minnesota
52	Caver, Quinton	LB	CB 5'10"	195	31	8	Clemson	24	Champ Bailey		CB 6'00"	192	26	6	Georgia
5	Cheek, Steve	P	RB 5'09"	200	25	3	Stephen F. Austin	25	Nick Ferguson		S 5'11"	201	30	5	Georgia Tech
15	Collins, Todd	QB	CB 6'01"	196	27	5	Oklahoma	26	Tatum Bell		RB 5'11"	212	33	3	Oklahoma State
41	Conrod, Scott	S	S 6'02"	208	26	5	Arkansas-Pine Bluff	28	Kenoy Kennedy		S 6'01"	215	27	5	Arkansas
75	Dalton, Lional	DT	CB 6'02"	207	23	2	Tennessee	31	Kelly Herndon		CB 5'10"	180	28	3	Toledo
89	Dunn, Jason	TE	RB 6'02"	225	25	2	Penn State	32	Chris Young		S 6'00"	215	24	2	Georgia Tech
97	Fox, Kevaron	FB	S 6'02"	206	24	1	Virginia Tech	34	Reuben Droughms		RB 5'11"	207	26	4	Oregon
51	Fujita, Scott	LB	S 5'11"	207	26	4	Boise State	37	Cecil Sapp		RB 5'11"	230	26	1	Colorado State
83	Gannon, Kendall	TE	FB 6'01"	240	27	3	Penn State	39	Kyle Johnson		FB 6'00"	242	26	1	Syracuse
88	Gonzalez, Tony	TE	FB 6'04"	198	28	7	Nebraska	40	Jeff Shoate		CB 5'10"	187	23	3	San Diego State
10	Green, Trent	QB	FB 6'01"	232	33	10	Auburn	42	Sam Brandon		S 6'02"	200	25	3	Nevada-Las Vegas
82	Hall, Shaunard	S	LB 6'02"	250	25	2	South Florida	45	Roc Alexander		CB 6'00"	193	23	3	Washington
98	Hicks, Eric	DE	LB 6'05"	247	25	3	California	47	John Lynch		S 6'02"	220	33	12	Stanford
99	Holiday, Vonnie	DE	LB 6'04"	230	26	4	Arkansas	50	Ben Hamilton		G/C 6'04"	283	27	3	Minnesota
81	Horn, Chris	WR	LB 6'02"	246	27	4	Colorado	52	D.J. Williams		LB 6'01"	250	22	1	Miami
11	Huard, Damon	QB#3	G 6'03"	315	27	5	North Texas	53	Louis Green		LB 6'03"	224	25	1	Alcorn State
66	Ingram, Johnathan	T	DE 6'02"	235	30	5	West Virginia	55	Patrick Chukwurah		LB 6'01"	250	25	3	Wyoming
27	Johnson, Larry	RB	C 6'02"	285	29	9	Iowa	56	Al Wilson		LB 6'00"	240	27	6	Tennessee
53	Jones, Fred	LB	T 6'06"	315	24	1	Noire Dame	58	Terry Pierce		LB 6'02"	255	23	2	Kansas State
87	Kennison, Eddie	WR	T 6'01"	300	24	1	San Diego State	59	Donnie Spragan		LB 6'04"	239	28	3	Stanford
22	McClell, Dexter	CB	T 6'05"	305	28	5	Nebraska-Omaha	61	Ellis Johnson		DT 6'02"	288	31	10	Florida
50	Mitchell, Kawika	LB	G 6'03"	315	33	12	Nebraska	65	Dan Neil		G 6'02"	285	31	8	Texas
80	Morton, Johnnie	WR	DE 6'06"	265	26	5	Idaho State	65	Cooper Carlisle		G/T 6'05"	295	27	4	Florida
18	Parker, Samie	WR	T 6'05"	315	24	1	Florida State	66	Tom Nalen		C 6'03"	286	33	11	Boston College
35	Pile, Willie	S	DT 6'01"	309	29	6	Eastern Michigan	67	Demetris Veal		DT/DE 6'02"	290	23	2	Tennessee
49	Richardson, Tony	FB	T 6'05"	312	32	14	Louisiana Tech	68	Mario Fatatehi		DT 6'02"	296	25	4	Kansas State
77	Roaf, Willie	T	T 6'04"	312	32	12	Syracuse	69	P.J. Alexander		G 6'04"	297	26	1	Syracuse
79	Sampson, Kevin	T	WR 6'00"	190	33	11	Southern California	72	George Foster		T 6'05"	329	24	1	Georgia
20	Sapp, Benny	CB	WR 5'11"	195	27	1	Rocky Mountain	74	Cornell Green		T 6'06"	315	28	3	Central Florida
91	Scanton, Rich	LB	WR 5'08"	193	26	5	Texas A&M	75	Monsanto Pope		DT 6'03"	300	26	3	Virginia
68	Shields, Will	G	TE 6'04"	255	36	13	Pittsburgh, Kan.	80	Matt Lepsis		T 6'04"	290	30	7	Colorado
94	Siavii, Junior	DE	TE 6'02"	250	33	9	Pittsburgh	81	Charlie Adams		WR 6'00"	200	34	10	Missouri Southern
90	Sims, Ryan	DT	WR 5'11"	192	31	9	Louisiana State	83	Mike Leach		WR 6'02"	190	25	2	Hofstra
55	Sills, Gary	DE	TE 6'04"	248	28	8	California	85	Ashley Lelle		TE/LS 6'04"	245	28	5	William & Mary
1	Tynes, Lawrence	K	TE 6'06"	273	31	8	Eastern Kentucky	85	Patrick Hape		WR 6'03"	200	24	3	Hawaii
44	Warfield, Eric	CB	TE 6'04"	320	24	3	North Carolina	86	Patrick Hape		TE 6'04"	282	30	8	Alabama
54	Waters, Brian	G	LB 6'02"	250	24	8	Syracuse	88	Jeff Putzier		TE 6'04"	256	25	3	Boise State
25	Wesley, Greg	S	DT 6'04"	293	31	8	West Virginia	89	Dwayne Carswell		TE 6'03"	260	32	11	Liberty
62	Wiegmann, Casey	C	DT 6'04"	344	31	8	Oregon	90	Darius Holland		TE 6'05"	330	31	9	Colorado
96	Wilkinson, Jimmy	DE	DE 6'02"	280	23	2	Oklahoma	92	Marco Coleman		DE 6'03"	270	35	13	Georgia Tech
74	Williams, Brett	T	LB 6'03"	235	22	2	Georgia Tech	93	Trevor Pryce		DE 6'05"	295	29	10	Clemson
84	Wilson, Kris	TE	DE 6'06"	280	28	7	Maryland	94	Luther Elliss		DT 6'05"	318	31	8	Utah
21	Woods, Jerome	S	DE 6'05"	290	29	7	North Carolina	95	Anton Palepoi		DE 6'03"	280	26	3	Nevada-Las Vegas
								98	Reggie Hayward		DE 6'05"	270	25	4	Iowa State
								99	Raylee Johnson		DE 6'03"	272	34	11	Arkansas

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DENVER BRONCOS

No	Name	Pos	Ht	Wt	Age	Ex	School	No	Name	Pos
81	Adams, Charlie	WR	K 5'11"	200	34	12	Hawaii	81	Adams, Charlie	WR
69	Alexander, P.J.	G	PK 6'01"	195	26	4	Iowa	69	Alexander, P.J.	G
45	Alexander, Roc	CB	WR 5'11"	193	23	4	Alabama	45	Alexander, Roc	CB
24	Bailey, Champ	CB	QB 6'03"	218	31	7	Florida State	24	Bailey, Champ	CB
6	Baker, Jason	PK	QB 6'02"	202	30	8	Arizona State	6	Baker, Jason	PK
26	Bell, Tatum	RB	WR 6'02"	240	23	3	Marshall	26	Bell, Tatum	RB
42	Brandon, Sam	S	RB 5'11"	215	33	10	Georgia	42	Brandon, Sam	S
65	Carlisle, Cooper	G/T	CB 6'01"	200	25	4	Minnesota	65	Carlisle, Cooper	G/T
89	Carswell, Dwayne	TE	CB 6'00"	192	26	6	Georgia	89	Carswell, Dwayne	TE
55	Chukwurah, Patrick	LB	S 5'11"	201	30	5	Georgia Tech	55	Chukwurah, Patrick	LB
92	Coleman, Marco	DE	RB 5'11"	212	33	3	Oklahoma State	92	Coleman, Marco	DE
34	Droughns, Reuben	RB	S 6'01"	215	27	5	Arkansas	34	Droughns, Reuben	RB
1	Elam, Jason	K	CB 5'10"	180	28	3	Toledo	1	Elam, Jason	K
94	Ellis, Luther	DT	S 6'00"	215	24	2	Georgia Tech	94	Ellis, Luther	DT
68	Fatafeh, Mario	DT	RB 5'11"	207	26	4	Oregon	68	Fatafeh, Mario	DT
25	Ferguson, Nick	S	RB 5'11"	230	26	1	Colorado State	25	Ferguson, Nick	S
72	Foster, George	T	FB 6'00"	242	26	1	Syracuse	72	Foster, George	T
74	Green, Cornell	T	CB 5'10"	187	23	3	San Diego State	74	Green, Cornell	T
53	Green, Louis	LB	S 6'02"	200	25	3	Nevada-Las Vegas	53	Green, Louis	LB
50	Hamilton, Ben	G/C	CB 6'00"	193	23	3	Washington	50	Hamilton, Ben	G/C
86	Hape, Patrick	TE	S 6'02"	220	33	12	Stanford	86	Hape, Patrick	TE
98	Hayward, Reggie	DE	G/C 6'04"	283	27	3	Minnesota	98	Hayward, Reggie	DE
20	Hearst, Garrison	RB	LB 6'01"	250	22	1	Miami	20	Hearst, Garrison	RB
31	Hendon, Kelly	CB	LB 6'03"	224	25	1	Alcorn State	31	Hendon, Kelly	CB
61	Johnson, Kyle	DT	LB 6'01"	250	25	3	Wyoming	61	Johnson, Kyle	DT
99	Johnson, Raylee	DE	LB 6'00"	240	27	6	Tennessee	99	Johnson, Raylee	DE
13	Kanel, Danny	QB	LB 6'03"	239	25	2	Colorado	13	Kanel, Danny	QB
28	Kennedy, Kenoy	S	LB 6'02"	255	23	2	Kansas State	28	Kennedy, Kenoy	S
83	Leach, Mike	TE/LS	DT 6'02"	288	31	10	Florida	83	Leach, Mike	TE/LS
85	Lelle, Ashley	WR	G 6'02"	285	31	8	Texas	85	Lelle, Ashley	WR
78	Lepsis, Matt	T	G/T 6'05"	295	27	4	Florida	78	Lepsis, Matt	T
10	Luke, Triandos	WR	C 6'03"	286	33	11	Boston College	10	Luke, Triandos	WR
47	Lynch, John	S	DT/DE 6'02"	290	23	2	Tennessee	47	Lynch, John	S
23	Middlebrooks, Willie	CB	DT 6'02"	296	25	4	Kansas State	23	Middlebrooks, Willie	CB
66	Nalen, Tom	C	G 6'04"	297	26	1	Syracuse	66	Nalen, Tom	C
62	Neil, Dan	G	T 6'05"	329	24	1	Georgia	62	Neil, Dan	G
95	Palepoi, Anton	DE	T 6'06"	315	28	3	Central Florida	95	Palepoi, Anton	DE
58	Pierce, Terry	LB	DT 6'03"	300	26	3	Virginia	58	Pierce, Terry	LB
16	Plummer, Jake	QB	T 6'04"	290	30	7	Colorado	16	Plummer, Jake	QB
75	Pope, Monsanto	DE	WR 6'00"	200	34	10	Missouri Southern	75	Pope, Monsanto	DE
93	Pryce, Trevor	DE	WR 6'02"	190	25	2	Hofstra	93	Pryce, Trevor	DE
88	Putzier, Jeb	TE	TE/LS 6'04"	245	28	5	William & Mary	88	Putzier, Jeb	TE
37	Sapp, Cecil	RB	WR 6'03"	200	24	3	Hawaii	37	Sapp, Cecil	RB
40	Shoate, Jeff	CB	TE 6'04"	282	30	8	Alabama	40	Shoate, Jeff	CB
80	Smith, Rod	WR	TE 6'04"	256	25	3	Boise State	80	Smith, Rod	WR
59	Sragan, Donnie	LB	TE 6'03"	260	32	11	Liberty	59	Sragan, Donnie	LB
57	Sykes, Jashon	LB	DE 6'05"	295	29	10	Clemson	57	Sykes, Jashon	LB
67	Veal, Demetris	DT/DE	DE 6'03"	270	35	13	Georgia Tech	67	Veal, Demetris	DT/DE
17	Watts, Darius	WR	DT 6'05"	318	31	8	Utah	17	Watts, Darius	WR
52	Williams, D.J.	LB	DE 6'03"	280	26	3	Nevada-Las Vegas	52	Williams, D.J.	LB
56	Wilson, Al	LB	DE 6'05"	270	25	4	Iowa State	56	Wilson, Al	LB
32	Young, Chris	S	DE 6'03"	272	34	11	Arkansas	32	Young, Chris	S

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