

**Steelers****NEWS**

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# AFC

## Wild Card Playoff Game

**#5 Pittsburgh Steelers (12-4)**

at

**#4 Denver Broncos (8-8)**

Sunday, Jan. 8, 2012 • 4:30 p.m. (ET)

Sports Authority Field at Mile High • Denver, Colo.

**AFC Wild Card Playoff Game****Pittsburgh Steelers (12-4) at Denver Broncos (8-8)****Date:** Sunday, Jan. 8, 2012**Kickoff:** 4:30 p.m., ET**Site:** Sports Authority Field at Mile High (76,125) • Denver, Colo.**Playing Surface:** DD Grassmaster**TV Coverage:** CBS (locally KDKA-TV, channel 2)**Announcers:** Jim Nantz (play-by-play)  
Phil Simms (color analyst)**Local Radio:** Steelers Radio Network  
WDVE-FM (102.5)/WBGG-AM (970)**Announcers:** Bill Hillgrove (play-by-play)  
Tunch Ilkin (color analyst)  
Craig Wolfley (sideline)**National Radio:** Westwood One**Announcers:** Kevin Harlan (play-by-play)  
Dan Fouts (color analyst)  
Steve Tasker (sideline)**Spanish Radio:** Grupo Imagen - Destricto Federal (Mexico City)  
XEDA-FM 90.5**A Look at the Coaches:****Pittsburgh Steelers Head Coach Mike Tomlin**

Overall regular-season record: 55-25 (.688)/fifth season  
 Regular-season record at Pittsburgh: 55-25 (.688)/fifth season  
 Playoff Record/Years: 5-2/three years

**Denver Broncos Head Coach John Fox**

Overall regular-season record: 8-8 (.500)/first season  
 Regular-season record at Denver: 81-79 (.506)/10th season  
 Playoff Record/Years: 5-3/three years

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**Pittsburgh Steelers 2011 Schedule/Results****Preseason (3-1)**

Friday, Aug. 12 at Washington L, 7-16 (KDKA)  
**Thursday, Aug. 18 PHILADELPHIA W, 24-14 (FOX)**  
**Saturday, Aug. 27 ATLANTA W, 34-16 (KDKA)**  
 Thursday, Sept. 1 at Carolina W, 33-17 (KDKA)

**Regular Season (12-4)**

Sunday, Sept. 11 at Baltimore L, 7-35 (CBS)  
**Sunday, Sept. 18 SEATTLE W, 24-0 (FOX)**  
 Sunday, Sept. 25 at Indianapolis W, 23-20 (NBC)  
 Sunday, Oct. 2 at Houston L, 10-17 (CBS)  
**Sunday, Oct. 9 TENNESSEE W, 38-17 (CBS)**  
**Sunday, Oct. 16 JACKSONVILLE W, 17-13 (CBS)**  
 Sunday, Oct. 23 at Arizona W, 32-20 (CBS)  
**Sunday, Oct. 30 NEW ENGLAND W, 25-17 (CBS)**  
**Sunday, Nov. 6 BALTIMORE L, 20-23 (NBC)**  
 Sunday, Nov. 13 at Cincinnati W, 24-17 (CBS)  
 Sunday, Nov. 20 BYE  
 Sunday, Nov. 27 at Kansas City W, 13-9 (NBC)  
**Sunday, Dec. 4 CINCINNATI W, 35-7 (CBS)**  
**Thursday, Dec. 8 CLEVELAND W, 14-3 (NFL Net./KDKA)**  
 Monday, Dec. 19 at San Francisco L, 3-20 (ESPN)  
**Saturday, Dec. 24 ST. LOUIS W, 27-0 (FOX)**  
 Sunday, Jan. 1 at Cleveland W, 13-9 (CBS)

**Postseason**

Sunday, Jan. 8 at Denver (CBS)  
 Sat.-Sun., Jan. 14-15 Divisional Playoff Games (CBS & FOX)  
 Sunday, Jan. 22 Conference Championships (CBS & FOX)  
 Sunday, Jan. 29 AFC-NFC Pro Bowl (Hawaii) (NBC)  
 Sunday, Feb. 5 Super Bowl XLVI (Indianapolis) (NBC)

*NOTE: All times are Eastern.  
 Home games in **Bold/CAPS**.*



## THE COACHES

**MIKE TOMLIN** was named the 16<sup>th</sup> head coach in Pittsburgh Steelers history on Jan. 22, 2007. Hired at the age of 34, Tomlin became only the third head coach hired by the Steelers since 1969.

Tomlin became the youngest head coach in NFL history to both coach in and win a Super Bowl when he led the Steelers to a 27-23 victory over the Arizona Cardinals in Super Bowl XLIII. By winning the Super Bowl in only his second season as a head coach, he also became the fastest to win a Super Bowl title in Steelers history.

Tomlin is one of only seven coaches in league history to win a Super Bowl within his first two seasons as an NFL head coach.

Tomlin compiled a 54-25 (.684) record in the regular season during his first five years as head coach. Tomlin became only the second Steelers' head coach to post winning records in each of his first five seasons. He became only the sixth head coach to win at least nine games in each of his first five seasons since the NFL merger in 1970 (George Seifert, Mike Holmgren, Bill Cowher, Chuck Knox and Mike Sherman).

Tomlin led the Steelers to a 12-4 record in 2011, marking the third time in his five years as head coach that Pittsburgh finished with a 12-4 record (2008, '10). During that time span only New England (2007, '10, '11) and Indianapolis (2007, '08, '09) have as many seasons with at least 12 wins. It was also the second time in team history that the Steelers recorded back-to-back regular seasons with at least 12 wins (1978, 14-2 and 1979, 12-4) and the ninth time overall.

The Steelers continued to be dominant at Heinz Field under Tomlin this season. Pittsburgh finished with a 7-1 home record in 2011 after finishing 7-1 (2007), 6-2 (2008), 6-2 (2009) and 5-3 (2010) at home during Tomlin's first four seasons. Tomlin's 31-9 record and .775 winning percentage at home after five seasons ranks second in Steelers' history.

Under Tomlin Pittsburgh has continued to have success in the AFC North, going 22-8 against division opponents during the regular season.

Tomlin was a three-year starter at wide receiver at William and Mary (1990-94) and finished his career with 101 receptions for 2,046 yards and a school-record 20 TD catches. A first-team All-Yankee Conference selection in 1994, he established a school record with a 20.2 yards-per-catch average.

Tomlin was the NFL's second-youngest head coach in 2007, and he became only the second Steelers coach in team history to win at least 10 games during his first year at the helm. The Steelers posted a 7-1 record at home in 2007 and were 5-1 in the AFC North (3-0 at home).

Tomlin became only the second Steelers head coach to win his first three games. During 2007, the Steelers became just the fifth team in NFL history to win their first four home games by at least 20 points.

Tomlin led the Steelers to a 10-6 record in 2007, and became just the second coach in team history to post a winning record, win a division title and earn a playoff berth in his inaugural season.

**JOHN FOX** was named the 14th head coach in Denver Broncos history on January 13, 2011. In 22 NFL seasons, Fox has appeared in two Super Bowls and three conference championship games as a head coach or defensive coordinator.

Prior to going to Denver, Fox was the head coach of the Carolina Panthers from 2002-10. While in Carolina he led the Panthers to three 11-win seasons, two NFC South Division titles, three playoff appearances and one Super Bowl appearance. As a head coach, Fox has four postseason road victories, ranking third in NFL history behind Pro Football Hall of Fame Coaches Tom Landry (7, Dallas) and Joe Gibbs (5, Washington).



## STEELERS RADIO COVERAGE

For the 13th consecutive year, WDVE-FM (102.5) and WBGG-AM (970) are carrying all Steelers games.

Additionally, Steelers games can be heard on a 47-station network spanning Pennsylvania, West Virginia, Ohio and Maryland. For the second straight year, all Steelers' games will be broadcast in Spanish on Estadio W (730 AM).

For the 17th straight season, Bill Hillgrove serves as the "Voice of the Steelers" and handles play-by-play duties for the broadcast. Joining Hillgrove for his 13th season as an expert analyst is Tunch Ilkin, the former Steelers All-Pro offensive tackle. Joining the team for his ninth season is former Steeler offensive lineman Craig Wolfley, who provides sideline analysis.

Stations on the Steelers Radio Network include:

### FLAGSHIP STATIONS (2)

WDVE-FM (102.5)  
WBGG-AM (970)

### PENNSYLVANIA (31)

Altoona-WVAM (1430)  
Altoona-WRKY (104.9)  
Beaver Falls-WBVP (1230)  
Beaver Falls-WMBA (1460)  
Bedford-WAYC (100.9)  
Bradford-WESB (1490)  
Butler-WISR (680)  
Chambersburg-WCHA (800)  
Clarendon-WKNB (104.3)  
Clarion-WCCR (92.7)  
Cooperstown-WUUZ (107.7)  
DuBois-WOWQ (102.1)  
Erie-WJET (1440)  
Gettysburg-WGET (1320)  
Grove City-WWGY (95.1)  
Harrisburg-WTPA (93.5)  
Indiana-WQMU (92.5)  
Johnstown-WRKW (99.1)  
Johnstown-WNTW (990)  
Latrobe-WCNS (1480)  
Punxsutawney-WPXZ (104.1)  
Saegertown-WUUZ (94.3)  
Scottsdale-WLSW (103.9)  
Scranton-WEJL (630/1240)

Scranton-WEZX (96.1/106.9)  
Somerset-WNTJ (850)  
State College/Pleasant Gap-WRSC (98.7)  
Uniontown-WMBS (590)  
Washington-WJPA (1450)  
Williamsport-WCXR (93.3)  
Williamsport-WZXR (103.7)

### OHIO (3)

Findlay-WFIN (1330)  
Westerville-WTDA (103.9)  
Youngstown-WNIO (1390)

### MARYLAND (4)

Cumberland-WTBO (1450)  
Frostburg-WFRB (560)  
Hagerstown-WHAG (1410)  
Mountain Lake Park-WKHJ (104.5)

### WEST VIRGINIA (6)

Buckhannon-WBRB (101.3)  
Fairmont-WRLF (94.3)  
Fairmont-WMMN (920)  
Morgantown-WKKW (97.9)  
St. Mary's-WJAW (630)  
Wheeling-WWVA (1170)

### MEXICO (1)

Mexico City-Imagen DF (90.5 FM)

## 2011 AFC North Final Standings

	W	L	T	Pct.	Pts.	Opp.
Baltimore	12	4	0	.750	378	266
<b>Pittsburgh</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>.750</b>	<b>325</b>	<b>227</b>
Cincinnati	9	7	0	.563	344	323
Cleveland	4	12	0	.250	218	307

### This Week in the AFC North:

#### Saturday Jan. 7:

Cincinnati (9-7) at Houston (10-6), 4:30 p.m. (NBC)

#### Sunday Jan. 8:

**Pittsburgh (12-4) at Denver (8-8), 4:30 p.m. (CBS, locally KDKA-TV, channel 2)**

Baltimore - Bye

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## STEELERS PRONUNCIATIONS

Arnaz Battle .....	(ARE-nez)
Damon Cromartie-Smith .....	(Day-min)
Trai Essex .....	(TRAY)
Ramon Foster .....	(ra-MONE)
Jeremy Kapinos .....	(CAP-in-os)
Brett Keisel .....	(KEE-sull)
Chris Kemoeatu .....	(kay-moy-AH-too)
Keenan Lewis .....	(KEY-nan)
Jamon Meredith .....	(JUH-mon)
Mewelde Moore .....	(Muh-WELL-dee)
Troy Polamalu .....	(Pole-uh-MAH-lu)
Maurkice Pouncey .....	(Mar-KEESE POUN-see)
Ben Roethlisberger .....	(ROTH-lis-ber-ger)
Shaun Suisham .....	(Swee-zum)
LaMarr Woodley .....	(la-MARR)
Jason Worlds .....	(Worlds)

## MEDIA NOTES

**Denver Broncos Conference Call:** Denver Head Coach **John Fox** and **QB Tim Tebow** will be available for interviews via conference call on Wednesday, Jan. 4, in the Steelers' media workroom. Tebow will call at 3:15 p.m. and Fox will call immediately following.

**Weekly Press Conference:** Steelers' head coach **Mike Tomlin** will conduct his weekly press conference every Tuesday at noon in the Steelers' media workroom at their UPMC Sports Performance Complex headquarters. The press conference will be broadcast live on ROOT Sports.

**Official Steelers Website:** Media and fans can read about the latest Steelers news on the official Steelers website. The site, [www.steelers.com](http://www.steelers.com), features breaking news, statistics, player biographies and much more.

### Media-Only Section of [www.steelers.com](http://www.steelers.com)

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## STEELERS LAST GAME

### Pittsburgh 13, Cleveland 9

• Sunday, Jan. 1 • Cleveland, Ohio (Cleveland Browns Stadium)

#### Pittsburgh Team Notes:

- The Steelers have swept the season series against Cleveland seven times in the last eight seasons and 11 times since 1994.
- Pittsburgh improved to 333-208-1 all time against the AFC, including 9-3 this season.
- The Steelers are now 62-56 versus the Browns during the regular season, including 24-35 on the road.
- Pittsburgh recorded its 16<sup>th</sup> victory in the last 17 games against Cleveland, including its fourth straight.
- The Steelers improved to 11-2 at Cleveland since 1999.
- Pittsburgh finished the regular season with a 12-4 record, marking the second time in team history that the Steelers recorded back-to-back regular seasons with at least 12 wins (1978, 14-2 and 1979, 12-4). This is the ninth time Pittsburgh has registered at least 12 wins during the regular season.
- This marks the fifth time the Steelers have registered at least 12 wins during the regular season since 2000, the third most in the NFL during that time span (New England-6, Indianapolis-7)
- The Steelers finished the regular season winning six of their last seven games.
- Pittsburgh improved to 10-2 in regular season finales since 2000.
- Pittsburgh registered 199 net passing yards to give them 4,054 on the season, the second highest single season total in franchise history (4,148 in 2009).
- The Steelers controlled the ball for 39:11.
- Pittsburgh recorded 161 rushing yards on 36 carries (4.5 avg.).
- The Steelers only gave up 168 net passing yards, marking the 10th opponent to be limited to 170 passing yards or less this season.
- The Steelers defense forced the Browns to three-and-outs on their first three possessions, holding them to a total of 16 yards.
- After only giving up 72 net rushing yards to the Browns, the Steelers have now held nine opponents to under 100 net rushing yards.
- Pittsburgh held Cleveland quarterback Seneca Wallace to a passer rating of 42.4, marking the 10<sup>th</sup> quarterback the Steelers have held to a passer rating less than 73.0 this season.
- Pittsburgh has held five of its last six opponents under 10 points (9, 7, 3, 20, 0, 9).
- For the 15th consecutive game the Steelers defense held their opponent to 23 points or less (0, 20, 17, 17, 13, 20, 17, 23, 17, 9, 7, 3, 20, 0, 9). Pittsburgh has only given up 20 or more points five times this season.

## THIS WEEK'S SCHEDULE (SUBJECT TO CHANGE)

Tuesday, Jan. 3	Wednesday, Jan. 4	Thursday, Jan. 5	Friday, Jan. 6	Saturday, Jan. 7	Sunday, Jan. 8	Monday, Jan. 9
Noon - Coach Tomlin Press Conference (ROOT Sports)  • No player availability	• Open locker room 12:30 - 1 p.m.  Practice 1:15 - 3:15 p.m.  Coach Tomlin available upon request after practice  • Open locker room 3:15 - 3:45 p.m.	• Open locker room 12:15 - 12:45 p.m.  Practice 1 - 3 p.m.  Coach Tomlin available upon request after practice  • Open locker room 3 - 3:30 p.m.	• Practice 10:45 a.m - 12:30 p.m.  Coach Tomlin available upon request after practice  • Open locker room 12:30 - 1 p.m.	• No media availability	4:30 p.m. (ET) Away Game at Denver Broncos (Sports Authority Field at Mile High) CBS (KDKA-TV, locally channel 2)	• TBA

## **Pittsburgh Individual Notes:**

### **Head Coach Mike Tomlin**

- Improved to 55-25 overall during the regular season.
- Finished the regular season with a 12-4 record for the third time as head coach of the Pittsburgh Steelers (2008, '10), tying New England (2007, '10, '11) and Indianapolis (2007, '08, '09) for the most seasons with at least 12 wins over that time span.
- Improved to 22-8 against AFC North opponents during the regular season.
- Recorded a 4-2 record against AFC North teams this season, marking the fourth time in five years that Tomlin led the Steelers to at least four wins in the division (5 in 2007, 6 in '08, 5 in '10).
- Improved to 9-1 against Cleveland, sweeping the season series for the fourth time in five years.
- Won fourth consecutive regular-season finale.

### **QB Ben Roethlisberger**

- Registered his 80<sup>th</sup> career win in his 113<sup>th</sup> career start, becoming the fourth quarterback who began their career in the Super Bowl era to reach 80 wins in 113 or fewer starts: Tom Brady (104), Roger Staubach (105) and Ken Stabler (112).
- Is now 80-33 as a starter during the regular season.
- Improved to 14-1 against Cleveland.
- With 4,077 passing yards in 15 games played, recorded his second career 4,000+ yard season (4,328 yards in 2009).

### **WR Hines Ward**

- Registered five receptions to reach 1,000 for his career. He is the first Steeler and the eighth player in NFL history to reach the mark. Ward joins Hall of Famer Jerry Rice as the only two players to reach 1,000 career receptions and win multiple Super Bowls.
- Passed Derrick Mason (12,061) for the 18th-most receiving yards in NFL history with 12,083.

<b>Rk.</b>	<b>Player</b>	<b>Rec.</b>	<b>Yards</b>	<b>Rec.</b>
17.	Charlie Joiner (1969-86)	12,146		750
18.	<b>Hines Ward (1998-Present)</b>	<b>12,083</b>		<b>1,000</b>
19.	Derrick Mason (1997-2011)	12,061		943

### **WR Antonio Brown**

- Became the first player in NFL history with at least 1,000 receiving yards (1,108) and at least 1,000 return yards (1,062) in the same season.
- With a team-high 90 receiving yards on six receptions against Cleveland, Brown reached 1,108 on the season, surpassing 1,100 receiving yards for the first time in his career. He joined Mike Wallace, who already went over 1,100 yards, as the third Steeler duo since 1960 to each register at least 1,100 receiving yards in the same season (2002: Hines Ward, 1,329 / Plaxico Burress, 1,325 and 2009: Ward, 1,167 / Santonio Holmes, 1,248).

### **RB Isaac Redman**

- Recorded a career-high 92 rushing yards on 19 carries with a seven-yard touchdown to give the Steelers a 13-6 lead in the third quarter.

### **RB Rashard Mendenhall**

- Recorded 38 yards on eight carries before leaving the game due to a knee injury.
- Now has 3,367 career rushing yards, passing Walter Abercrombie (3,343) for the ninth most rushing yards in Steelers history.

<b>Rk.</b>	<b>Player</b>	<b>Yards</b>	<b>Car.</b>
8.	Rocky Bleier (1968-80)	3,865	928
9.	<b>Rashard Mendenhall (2008- )</b>	<b>3,367</b>	<b>813</b>
10.	Walter Abercrombie (1982-87)	3,343	842

### **TE Heath Miller**

- With two receptions for 23 yards Heath Miller now has 337 career receptions, passing Lynn Swann (336) for the fourth most receptions in Steelers' history.

<b>Rk.</b>	<b>Player</b>	<b>Rec.</b>	<b>Yards</b>	<b>TDs</b>
1.	<b>Hines Ward (1998-Present)</b>	<b>1,000</b>	<b>12,083</b>	<b>85</b>
2.	John Stallworth (1974-87)	537	8,723	63
3.	Louis Lipps (1984-91)	358	6,018	39
4.	<b>Heath Miller (2005-Present)</b>	<b>337</b>	<b>3,864</b>	<b>31</b>
5.	Lynn Swann (1974-82)	336	5,462	51

### **S Troy Polamalu**

- Recorded an interception at the Cleveland 45-yard line with 8:22 left in the third quarter.
- It was his 29<sup>th</sup> career interception, passing Jack Lambert (28) for the ninth most in franchise history.

### **S Ryan Clark**

- Recorded a sack for a loss of seven yards, forcing the Browns into a 3<sup>rd</sup>-and-17 that they did not convert.
- It was his first sack since 9/9/07 at Cleveland.

### **LB Lawrence Timmons**

- For the second consecutive game registered one sack, marking the third time in his career he registered at least one sack in back-to-back games during the regular season (games 5-6 and games 10-11 in 2009).

## **STEELERS-BRONCOS SERIES HISTORY**

**Series History:** Series began in 1970

**Overall:** Denver leads 13-7-1

**At Pittsburgh:** Denver leads 6-4

**At Denver:** Denver leads 7-3-1

**Neutral Sites:** n/a

**Last Regular-Season Meeting:** Nov. 9, 2009 (in Denver)

Pittsburgh 28, Denver 10

**Postseason Series:** Series tied 3-3

**Last Postseason Meeting:** Jan. 22, 2005 (in Denver)

Pittsburgh 34, Denver 17 (AFC Championship)

*(postseason record not included in overall series record)*

Pittsburgh owns a 7-13-1 all-time record against the Denver Broncos in the regular season, including a 4-6 record in Pittsburgh and a 3-7-1 mark in Denver...the teams are tied 3-3 in postseason contests...the Steelers won the most recent meeting between the two teams, 28-10, on Nov. 9, 2009...the Steelers 34-17 victory over Denver in the 2005 AFC Championship Game was the last time the Steelers played a road playoff game...two of the three times Pittsburgh has beaten Denver in the playoffs they have gone on to win the Super Bowl (2005, 1978)...the last two postseason games the two have played against each other have been AFC Championship games, with the winner going on to win the Super Bowl each time...below is the results of all postseason games the Steelers and Broncos have played against one another:

<b>Season</b>	<b>Round</b>	<b>Site</b>	<b>Result</b>
2005	AFC Championship	Denver	W, 34-17
1997	AFC Championship	Pittsburgh	L, 21-24
1989	Divisional Playoffs	Denver	L, 23-24
1984	Divisional Playoffs	Denver	W, 24-17
1978	Divisional Playoffs	Pittsburgh	W, 33-10
1977	Divisional Playoffs	Denver	L, 21-34

## 2011 FINAL REGULAR SEASON STATISTICAL COMPARISON

<u>Steelers</u>	<u>Category</u>	<u>Broncos</u>
20.3	Points Scored Per Game	19.3
14.2	Points Allowed Per Game	24.4
21.3	First Downs Per Game	17.9
372.3	Total Yards Per Game	316.6
118.9	Rushing Yards Per Game	164.5
253.4	Passing Yards Per Game	152.1
35	Sacks By	41
11	Interceptions By	9
32:33	Avg. Time of Possession	28:51
36	Touchdowns	36
13	Rushing Touchdowns	11
21	Passing Touchdowns	20
2	Touchdowns on Returns	5
23/31	Field Goals	19/25
44.7	Punting Avg.	47.4
10.5	Punt Return Avg.	12.7
25.1	Kickoff Return Avg.	24.5

## WHAT TO LOOK FOR

### PITTSBURGH TEAM NOTES

- Looks to improve to 4-3 against the Denver Broncos in the playoffs.
- With a win, will be 3-1 on the road in the Wild Card Round.
- Looks to improve to 34-21 in the postseason.
- A win will mark the 10th for the Steelers in their last 12 postseason games.

### PITTSBURGH INDIVIDUAL NOTES

#### Head Coach Mike Tomlin

- Looks to improve to 6-2 in the postseason.

#### QB Ben Roethlisberger

- Needs 139 passing yards to become the second player in franchise history with 3,000+ passing yards in the postseason (Terry Bradshaw, 3,833).
- Looks to improve to 11-3 all-time as a starter in the postseason.
- Looks to record his eighth multi-touchdown passing game in the postseason.
- Is one touchdown shy of joining Terry Bradshaw (30) as the only Steeelers with at least 20 postseason touchdowns passes.
- Needs 36 completions to pass Bradshaw (261) for the most in Steelers' postseason history.

#### WR Hines Ward

- Needs one reception to pass John Stallworth (17 games, 1975-85) for the most consecutive postseason games with a reception.
- Looks for sixth career 100-yard receiving game in the postseason.
- With at least two touchdowns will record second multi-touchdown game of his postseason career.

#### TE Heath Miller

- Needs nine receptions to pass Ernie Mills (43) for the fifth most in Steelers' postseason history.
- Is 68 receiving yards shy of passing Franco Harris (504) for the fifth most by a Steeler in the postseason.

#### LB James Farrior

- Needs one sack to tie Chad Brown and Jason Gildon (5.0) for the fourth most by a Steeler since sacks became an official statistic in 1982.

### S Troy Polamalu

- With three postseason interceptions, needs one more to tie Mel Blount and Levon Kirkland (4) for the third most in Steelers' history.

### LB LaMarr Woodley

- Needs one sack to extend his streak of posting at least one sack in eight consecutive postseason games.

## PIT-DEN CONNECTIONS

### Local Connections

- Steelers wide receivers coach **Scottie Montgomery** played for the Broncos from 2000-2002.
- Broncos Head Coach **John Fox** coached at the University of Pittsburgh from 1986-1988. Fox also coached for the Steelers from 1989-1991.
- Broncos **OT Tony Hills** played for the Steelers from 2008-2010. He was originally drafted by the Steelers in the fourth round (130<sup>th</sup> overall) of the 2008 NFL Draft.

### Pro Connections

- Broncos **LB Mario Haggan** and **RB Willis McGahee** played for the Buffalo Bills in 2003 when Steelers defensive coordinator **Dick LeBeau** was on the Bills' staff.
- Broncos **DE Jason Hunter**, **OG Manny Ramirez** and Steelers **LB Larry Foote** were teammates with the Detroit Lions in 2009.
- Steelers tight ends coach **James Daniel** and Broncos defensive coordinator **Dennis Allen** were on the Atlanta Falcons' coaching staff from 2002-2003.
- Steelers wide receivers coach **Scottie Montgomery** was teammates with the Broncos with current Broncos assistant special teams coach **Keith Burns** from 2000-2002. Montgomery also played for the Broncos when current Broncos secondary coach **Ron Milus** was on the Broncos' staff from 2000-2002. Burns also played for the Tampa Bay Buccaneers in 2004, when Steelers Head Coach **Mike Tomlin** was on the Buccaneers' staff in 2004. Burns was also a teammate with the Buccaneers with Steelers **S Will Allen** in 2004.
- Steelers special teams coach **Al Everest** and Broncos quarterbacks coach **Adam Gase** were on the San Francisco 49ers' staff together in 2008. Everest was also on the 49ers' staff with Broncos special teams coordinator **Jeff Rodgers** in 2007.
- Steelers offensive line coach **Sean Kugler** and Broncos running backs coach **Eric Studesville** and wide receivers coach **Tyke Tolbert** were on the Buffalo Bills' coaching staff from 2007-2009.

### College Connections

- Steelers **C Maurkice Pouncey** and **OT Marcus Gilbert** were teammates at the University of Florida with Broncos **QB Tim Tebow** from 2007-2009. Pouncey and Gilbert were instrumental in the success of the Gator offense, as they blocked for Tebow, who won the Heisman Trophy in 2007. All played a key role in the Gators' 2009 BCS National Championship.
- Steelers **CB Bryant McFadden** and **LB Lawrence Timmons** and Broncos **DT Brodrick Bunkley** and **CB Tony Carter** were all teammates at Florida State University in 2004. Timmons and Bunkley were teammates from 2004-2005 and Timmons and Carter were teammates from 2004-2006.
- Steelers **WR Hines Ward** and Broncos **CB Champ Bailey** were teammates at the University of Georgia from 1995-1997.
- Steelers **CB William Gay** and Broncos **DE Elvis Dumervil** were teammates at the University of Louisville from 2003-2005.
- Steelers **QB Dennis Dixon** and Broncos **RB Jeremiah Johnson** were teammates at the University of Oregon from 2005-2007. Dixon was also teammates with Broncos **TE Dante Rosario** from 2003-2006.
- Steelers **OG Ramon Foster** and Broncos **DE Robert Ayers** were teammates at the University of Tennessee from 2004-2008.

Broncos **P Britton Colquitt** was also teammates with Foster and Ayers from 2005-2008.

• Steelers **OT Jonathan Scott** and Broncos **WR Quan Cosby** were teammates at the University of Texas in 2005. Broncos **OT Tony Hills** was teammates with Scott from 2003-2005.

• Steelers **LB Stevenson Sylvester** and Broncos **OG Zane Beadles** were teammates at the University of Utah from 2006-2009.

• Steelers **LB Jason Worilds** and Broncos **WR Eddie Royal** were teammates at Virginia Tech from 2006-2007.

• Steelers defensive backs coach **Carnell Lake** coached at UCLA in 1999 when Broncos **S Rahim Moore** played for the Bruins.

Several Steelers and Broncos are products of the same colleges, including the following:

### STEELERS-BRONCOS COLLEGE CONNECTIONS

<u>STEELERS</u>	<u>COLLEGE</u>	<u>BRONCOS</u>
OT Marcus Gilbert	Florida	QB Tim Tebow
C Maurkice Pouncey		DE Derrick Harvey
OT Max Starks		DT Marcus Thomas
LB Lawrence Timmons	Florida State	DB Brodrick Bunkley
CB Bryant McFadden		CB Tony Carter
WR Hines Ward	Georgia	CB Champ Bailey
CB William Gay	Louisville	Elvis Dumervil
WR Jericho Cotchery	N.C. State	MLB Nate Irving
WR Arnaz Battle	Notre Dame	S David Bruton
		QB Brady Quinn
		S Kyle McCarthy
QB Dennis Dixon	Oregon	RB Jeremiah Johnson
		TE Dante Rosario
TE Weslye Saunders	South Carolina	CB Andre Goodman
OT Jamon Meredith		
OG Ramon Foster	Tennessee	DE Robert Ayers
		P Britton Colquitt
NT Casey Hampton	Texas	WR Quan Cosby
OT Jonathan Scott		OT Tony Hills
OG Chris Kemoeatu	Utah	OG Zane Beadles
LB Stevenson Sylvester		
LB Jason Worilds	Virginia Tech	WR Eddie Royal

## STEELERS POSTSEASON INFORMATION

### Steelers' Postseason Notes:

• The Steelers are 4-3 all-time in Wild Card playoff games. The following is a look at Pittsburgh's postseason history while playing in a Wild Card game:

<u>Date</u>	<u>Opponent</u>	<u>Result</u>
12/22/73	at Oakland Raiders	L, 14-33
12/31/89	Houston Oilers	W, 26-23
1/8/94	at Kansas City Chiefs	L, 24-27 (OT)
12/29/96	Indianapolis Colts	W, 42-14
1/5/03	Cleveland Browns	W, 36-33
1/8/06	at Cincinnati Bengals	W, 31-17
1/5/07	Jacksonville Jaguars	L, 31-29

• This marks the first road Wild Card playoff game since a 2005 victory in Cincinnati.

• This will be the Steelers fourth Wild Card Game on the road ('05 CIN, '93 KC, '89 HOU).

• The Steelers hold a 2-1 record on the road in the Wild Card Round.

• In 2005, the Steelers became the first No. 6 seed in NFL history to win the Super Bowl. Since then two other Wild Card teams have gone on to win the Super Bowl ('10 Green Bay, 6 and '07 Giants, 5).

• This marks the first time the Steelers will be playing Denver in a Wild Card Game.

• The Steelers are 33-21 (.611) in the postseason, including a 20-10 record at home, a 7-9 mark on the road and a 6-2 record at neutral sites (Super Bowls IX, X, XIII, XIV, XXX, XL, XLIII and XLV).

• The Steelers have played in the Super Bowl in three of the past six years and two of the past three. The eight trips to the Super Bowl are tied for the most in NFL history with the Dallas Cowboys. The Steelers' six wins in the Super Bowl are the most in league history.

• Pittsburgh is 6-2 in Super Bowls.

• The following is a look at Pittsburgh's Super Bowl history:

<u>Date</u>	<u>Opponent</u>	<u>Result</u>	<u>Site</u>
1/12/75	Minnesota Vikings	W, 16-6	New Orleans, La.
1/18/76	Dallas Cowboys	W, 21-17	Miami, Fla.
1/21/79	Dallas Cowboys	W, 35-31	Miami, Fla.
1/20/80	L.A. Rams	W, 31-19	Pasadena, Calif.
1/28/96	Dallas Cowboys	L, 17-27	Tempe, Ariz.
2/5/06	Seattle Seahawks	W, 21-10	Detroit, Mich.
2/1/09	Arizona Cardinals	W, 27-23	Tampa, Fla.
2/6/11	Green Bay Packers	L, 25-31	Arlington, Texas

• Head Coach **Mike Tomlin** is only the second coach in NFL history to reach two Super Bowls in his first four seasons as a head coach (Joe Gibbs - Washington Redskins).

• The Steelers are 5-2 during the **Mike Tomlin** era in the postseason.

• The Steelers have played in 54 playoff games, which is second all-time behind Dallas (58).

• Pittsburgh has won nine of its last 11 postseason games.

• **Mike Tomlin** is the youngest coach in NFL history to win a Super Bowl. Following is a look at the youngest head coaches in Super Bowl history:

<u>Season</u>	<u>Coach</u>	<u>Team</u>	<u>Yrs.</u>	<u>Days</u>
<b>2008</b>	<b>Mike Tomlin</b>	<b>Pittsburgh</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>323*</b>
1995	Bill Cowher	Pittsburgh	38	265
1968	Don Shula	Baltimore	39	8
2002	Jon Gruden	Tampa Bay	39	162
1967	John Rauch	Oakland	40	147

\* Age on Feb. 1, 2009

• **Mike Tomlin** became just the seventh coach in NFL history to win a Super Bowl within his first two seasons as head coach. Following is a look at the seven coaches who have won a Super Bowl within their first two seasons:

<u>Season</u>	<u>Coach</u>	<u>Team</u>	<u>Season</u>
<b>2008</b>	<b>Mike Tomlin</b>	<b>Pittsburgh Steelers</b>	<b>2nd</b>
2000	Brian Billick	Baltimore Ravens	2nd
1995	Barry Switzer	Dallas Cowboys	2nd
1989	George Siefert	San Francisco 49ers	1st
1982	Joe Gibbs	Washington Redskins	2nd
1980	Tom Flores	Oakland Raiders	2nd
1971	Don McCafferty	Baltimore Colts	2nd

• The Steelers won the AFC Central title a team-record six consecutive seasons from 1974-79. They also won four consecutive division titles from 1994-97.

• The Steelers won a team-record seven consecutive postseason games, including two Super Bowls (IX and X), from Dec. 22, 1974 through Dec. 19, 1976. They won six consecutive postseason games from Dec. 30, 1978 through Jan. 20, 1980, including victories in Super Bowls XIII and XIV.

• The Steelers have been shut out only once in the postseason, during the 1947 Eastern Division Playoff game, Dec. 21, 1947, versus the Philadelphia Eagles. The Steelers and Eagles finished that season with 8-4 records and tied for first place in the Eastern Division. In those days, there was only one NFL Championship Game, so the two Pennsylvania neighbors squared off for the right to face the Chicago Cardinals in the Championship Game. The Eagles won, 21-0, but lost in the Championship Game, 28-21, to the Cardinals, the same franchise the Steelers faced in Super Bowl XLIII.

• The Steelers record for fewest points allowed in a playoff game is five, during a 34-5 win in the 1978 AFC Championship Game versus the Houston Oilers at Three Rivers Stadium, Jan. 7, 1979. The Steelers allowed a team-high 45 points during a 45-28 AFC Championship Game road loss to the Miami Dolphins Jan. 6, 1985.

• Pittsburgh has faced 22 different teams in the postseason and has a winning record against 12 of those opponents. The Steelers have split their postseason contests with two teams and have a losing record versus eight teams.

• The Steelers rank among the most successful teams in the NFL in the postseason. Pittsburgh is first with 20 division titles since 1970, is tied for third in consecutive playoff victories, and is tied for first in total playoff berths since 1970.

**STEELERS POSTSEASON RANKINGS**

**DIVISION TITLES SINCE 1970 MERGER**

<b>PITTSBURGH</b> .....	<b>20</b>
San Francisco .....	18
Dallas .....	17
Minnesota .....	16
Indianapolis .....	13
Oakland .....	13
New England .....	12
Miami .....	12

**PLAYOFF BERTHS SINCE 1970 MERGER**

<b>PITTSBURGH</b> .....	<b>26</b>
Dallas .....	26
Minnesota .....	24
Miami .....	22
San Francisco .....	22

**CONSECUTIVE PLAYOFF VICTORIES**

New England (2001, 2003-05) .....	10
Green Bay (1961-62, 1965-67) .....	9
<b>PITTSBURGH (1974-76)</b> .....	<b>7</b>
San Francisco (1988-90) .....	7
Dallas (1992-94) .....	7
Denver (1997-98) .....	7

• Following is the Steelers' record versus each individual opponent:

**Steelers vs. Individual Postseason Opponents**

<b>Team</b>	<b>Record</b>	<b>Pct.</b>
Baltimore/Indianapolis Colts	6-0	1.000
Cleveland Browns	2-0	1.000
Baltimore Ravens	2-0	1.000
New York Jets	2-0	1.000
Arizona Cardinals**	1-0	1.000
Cincinnati Bengals	1-0	1.000
Los Angeles Rams**	1-0	1.000
Minnesota Vikings**	1-0	1.000
Seattle Seahawks**	1-0	1.000
Houston Oilers/Tennessee Titans	3-1	.750
Buffalo Bills	2-1	.667
Dallas Cowboys**	2-1	.667
Oakland/Los Angeles Raiders	3-3	.500
<b>Denver Broncos</b>	<b>3-3</b>	<b>.500</b>
Miami Dolphins	1-2	.333
San Diego Chargers	1-2	.333
New England Patriots	1-3	.250
Green Bay Packers**	0-1	.000
Detroit Lions	0-1	.000
Jacksonville Jaguars	0-1	.000
Kansas City Chiefs	0-1	.000
<u>Philadelphia Eagles*</u>	<u>0-1</u>	<u>.000</u>
<b>Total</b>	<b>33-21</b>	<b>.611</b>

\* 1947 Eastern Division playoff game.

\*\* Super Bowl opponent.

**Winningest Active Coaches in the Postseason  
(Winning Percentage)**

<b>Name</b>	<b>W</b>	<b>L</b>	<b>Pct.</b>
Bill Belichick	15	5	.750
<b>Mike Tomlin</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>.714</b>
Mike McCarthy	5	2	.714
Sean Payton	4	2	.667
Rex Ryan	4	2	.667
Ken Whisenhunt	4	2	.667
Lovie Smith	3	2	.600
Mike Shanahan	8	6	.571

John Harbaugh	4	3	.571
Andy Reid	10	8	.556
Tom Coughlin	8	7	.533
Jim Caldwell	2	2	.500
Norv Turner	4	4	.500
Pete Carroll	1	3	.250
Mike Smith	0	2	.000
Marvin Lewis	0	2	.000
Chan Gailey	0	2	.000

**STEELERS INDIVIDUAL POSTSEASON INFORMATION**

**Head Coach Mike Tomlin**

- Owns a 5-2 record all-time in the postseason.
- Became the second head coach in NFL history to reach two Super Bowls in his first four seasons as the head coach.
- Became the youngest head coach in NFL history to win a Super Bowl (Super Bowl XLIII).
- Became just the seventh coach in NFL history to win a Super Bowl within his first two seasons as head coach.

**QB Ben Roethlisberger**

- Owns a 10-3 all-time (.769) record in the postseason as the starting quarterback.
- Led the Steelers to the Super Bowl in three of his first seven seasons as the starting quarterback.
- Became just the sixth quarterback in NFL history to start three Super Bowls in his first seven seasons (Troy Aikman, Tom Brady, John Elway, Bob Griese, Jim Kelly).
- Led the Steelers to four AFC Championship Games in his first seven seasons as the starting quarterback, becoming just the eighth quarterback in NFL history to do so (Troy Aikman, Tom Brady, Terry Bradshaw, Jim Kelly, Donovan McNabb, Ken Stabler, Roger Staubach).
- Became the youngest quarterback in league history to win a Super Bowl (Super Bowl XL) at 23 years old.
- Became the second-youngest starting quarterback to win two Super Bowls (26 years, 336 days old on Feb. 1, 2009; Tom Brady - 26 years, 182 days on Feb. 1, 2004).
- Engineered a game-winning, 78-yard drive that culminated with a six-yard touchdown pass to WR Santonio Holmes for the go-ahead score with 35 seconds left in Super Bowl XLIII.
- Became just the 10th quarterback in NFL history to win more than one Super Bowl (Terry Bradshaw, Joe Montana - 4; Troy Aikman, Tom Brady - 3; Ben Roethlisberger, John Elway, Bob Griese, Jim Plunkett, Bart Starr, Roger Staubach - 2).
- In 13 career postseason games, has a 61.2 completion percentage (226 of 369) for 2,861 yards. His 226 completions and 2,861 passing yards are the second-most in team postseason history.
- Has 19 touchdowns and 16 interceptions and an 84.5 passer rating in 13 postseason games.
- Has seven multi-touchdown passing games.
- Had a career playoff-high 65-yard touchdown pass to WR Santonio Holmes in the 2008 AFC Championship Game versus the Baltimore Ravens.
- Posted a career playoff-high 337 yards passing in the 2007 AFC Wild Card game against the Jacksonville Jaguars.
- Has engineered three postseason fourth quarter/overtime game-winning drives, including most recently in the 2010 AFC Divisional Playoff Game against the Baltimore Ravens.

**WR Hines Ward**

- MVP of Super Bowl XL as he finished with 123 yards receiving on five receptions with one touchdown.
- Has 88 career catches for 1,181 yards (13.4 avg.) with 10 touchdowns.

- Ranks first on the team's all-time postseason list for receptions with 88, the only receiver in team history to post at least 80 receptions.
- Ranks first on the team's all-time postseason list for receiving yards with 1,181 career postseason yards.
- Became just the second player in team history to post 1,000 yards receiving in the postseason, joining Hall of Famer John Stallworth.
- Has caught a pass in 17 straight postseason games, tying John Stallworth (17 games, 1975-85) for the longest streak in team history.
- Finished with seven catches for 78 yards (11.1 avg.) with one touchdown in Super Bowl XLV.
- In three career Super Bowls, has 14 catches for 244 yards (17.4 avg.) with two touchdowns.
- Has five career 100-yard receiving games in the postseason.
- Has one multi-touchdown postseason game (1/11/03 at Tennessee – two receiving touchdowns).

#### **WR Mike Wallace**

- In three career postseason games, has 13 catches for 115 yards (8.8 avg.) with one touchdown.
- Finished with a team-high nine catches for 89 yards (9.9 avg.) with one touchdown in Super Bowl XLV.

#### **WR Antonio Brown**

- In his first career postseason game, finished with a game-high 75 yards receiving in the Steelers' 2010 AFC Divisional Playoff win over the Baltimore Ravens.
- Hauled in a career postseason long catch of 58 yards on the Steelers' final drive to set up the game-winning touchdown against the Ravens.
- In the 2010 AFC Championship Game, caught a 14-yard pass on third-and-six to seal the victory in the final two minutes of the game.

#### **TE Heath Miller**

- Team is 9-2 in the postseason during his career.
- Has 35 career postseason receptions for 437 yards (12.5 avg.) with four touchdowns, all team postseason records for tight ends.
- In the 2010 AFC Championship Game, finished with two receptions for 38 yards (19.0 avg.), becoming only the sixth player in team history and just the 11th tight end in NFL history to reach 400 career postseason receiving yards.
- Had career playoff-highs of eight catches for 85 yards in the 2007 AFC Wild Card Game against the Jacksonville Jaguars.
- Of his 35 postseason catches, 22 have gone for first downs or touchdowns.

#### **DE Brett Keisel**

- Has 34 career tackles (20 solo), three sacks, one forced fumble and two fumble recoveries in 15 postseason games.
- Finished with five tackles and recovered the fumble at the end of the game that sealed the Steelers' victory in Super Bowl XLIII.
- Has three career postseason sacks, including two in the 2005 AFC Championship Game against Denver and one in the 2008 AFC Divisional Playoff Game versus San Diego.
- Team is 2-0 when he posts a sack in the postseason.

#### **DE Ziggy Hood**

- In three career postseason games (all starts), has 10 tackles (eight solo) with two sacks.
- Posted a sack in the 2010 AFC Divisional Playoff Game and in Super Bowl XLV.

#### **DT Casey Hampton**

- Has 33 career tackles (20 solo) in 15 playoff games (14 starts).
- Has one career postseason sack, a five-yarder in Super Bowl XL.

- Has forced one fumble and recovered one fumble in his 15 career postseason games.

#### **LB James Farrior**

- In 18 career postseason games (three with NYJ and 15 with Pittsburgh), has 111 career tackles (77 solo).
- Finished with a team-high (tied) seven tackles in Super Bowl XLIII.
- Led the team with 21 tackles in the 2008 postseason.
- Has posted five postseason sacks, including four with Pittsburgh.
- Has two career interceptions in the playoffs, the most recent coming in the 2007 AFC Wild Card Game against the Jacksonville Jaguars.

#### **LB James Harrison**

- Has posted 36 tackles (24 solo) in 11 career playoff games (seven starts).
- Had one of the most memorable and game-changing plays in Super Bowl history with his record-breaking 100-yard interception return for a touchdown in Super Bowl XLIII. It marked the longest play in Super Bowl history, breaking the old mark of 99 yards on a kickoff return by Desmond Howard (Green Bay) versus New England in Super Bowl XXXI.
- Finished Super Bowl XLIII with four tackles (three solo) and one interception and two QB hurries.
- Has 6.5 sacks in his postseason career, including three in the 2010 AFC Divisional Playoff Game versus Baltimore.
- His three sacks in the 2010 AFC Divisional Game against the Ravens tied the team's postseason single-game record. Chad Brown had three against the Colts on 12/29/96 and Gerald Williams had three against the Chiefs on 1/8/94.
- Posted a six-yard sack in Super Bowl XLV.

#### **LB LaMarr Woodley**

- In seven career postseason games, has 11 sacks, including two in Super Bowl XLIII and one in Super Bowl XLV.
- Has recorded at least one sack in every postseason game he has played.
- Had a seven-yard sack against the New York Jets in the 2010 AFC Championship Game and now has 11 career postseason sacks.
- Became the first player in the NFL to post at least one sack in six straight postseason games, surpassing Jason Buck (5 consecutive).
- Became just the 10th player to register at least 10 career postseason sacks since 1982.
- Reached double-digits in sacks in just six games, the fewest number of playoff games to record at least 10 sacks since 1982. DE Richard Dent had 10 sacks in seven postseason games.
- Finished Super Bowl XLIII with four tackles, two sacks and one forced fumble. His forced fumble sealed the victory with just five seconds remaining in the game.
- Became the first player in NFL history to record four straight multi-sack playoff games. He posted two sacks in his first four career postseason games.
- Has 33 tackles (24 solo) in seven postseason games and finished second on the team with 19 tackles (13 solo) during the 2008 playoffs.
- Had a career postseason-high nine tackles in the 2008 AFC Championship Game against the Baltimore Ravens.

#### **LB Lawrence Timmons**

- In seven career postseason games, has 32 tackles, one fumble recovery and four special teams tackles.
- Had five tackles in the 2008 AFC Championship Game.
- His lone fumble recovery sealed the 2008 AFC Championship Game victory over the Baltimore Ravens.
- Team is 5-2 in his seven games played (three starts).



- Made his first career postseason start in the 2010 AFC Divisional Playoff Game against the Baltimore Ravens and finished with nine tackles.

**LB Larry Foote**

- Has started 10 postseason games (15 total played).
- Has recorded 61 career tackles (42 solo) in the postseason.
- Has posted a half-sack and two interceptions in his postseason career, including a diving interception in the 2008 AFC Divisional Playoff Game against San Diego.

**S Troy Polamalu**

- Team is 10-3 in 13 playoff games as a starter.
- Has 68 career postseason tackles (40 solo) with a half-sack and three interceptions (one touchdown).
- Team is 3-0 when he records an interception.
- Had a 40-yard interception return for a touchdown in the 2008 AFC Championship Game against Baltimore, the first postseason interception return for a touchdown in Steelers' history.

**S Ryan Clark**

- Has played in eight career playoff games, including six with Pittsburgh.
- Has 49 career postseason tackles (33 solo), including a career-high eight three times.
- In the 2010 AFC Divisional Playoff Game against Baltimore, posted his first career postseason interception and added his second career forced fumble in the Steelers' victory.
- In three postseason games in 2010, had 21 tackles, one interception and one forced fumble.
- Finished with a career-high (tied) eight tackles in Super Bowl XLV and in the 2010 AFC Divisional Playoff Game against Baltimore.

**CB Ike Taylor**

- Team is 9-1 when he starts and 10-3 overall in the postseason.
- Has three interceptions in 13 playoff games.
- In the 2010 AFC Championship Game against the Jets, posted his first career sack and forced fumble by QB Mark Sanchez in the second quarter, which led to a 19-yard fumble return for a touchdown by CB William Gay.
- Finished with a team-high (tied) seven tackles (five solo) in Super Bowl XLIII.

**CB William Gay**

- Has played in seven career postseason games and team is 5-2.
- Has two career postseason fumble recoveries.
- In the 2010 AFC Championship Game, posted his first career postseason touchdown as he scooped up a Jets' fumble and returned it 19 yards for a touchdown late in the first half.

**CB Bryant McFadden**

- Has played in 13 career postseason games, starting eight.
- As a Steeler, has played in 11 games, starting six.
- Has 20 tackles and five pass breakups in those 11 games for Pittsburgh.
- Played in all four postseason games as a rookie for the Steelers in 2004 — had five tackles and three pass breakups in the 2004 postseason.
- Had a career-high 14 tackles in the 2009 postseason for the Arizona Cardinals — had a career-high seven tackles in each game.
- Teams are a combined 10-3 in his 13 games played.

**TEAM NOTES**

**Sustaining Success:** Pittsburgh has made the playoffs seven times, including this season, and won the AFC North five times since the divisional realignment in 2002. The Steelers won the AFC North Division for three times in last four years.

Although the Steelers finished with an identical 12-4 record the Baltimore Ravens won the division this season because the Ravens beat the Steelers twice.

The Steelers have won 20 division titles since the NFL merger in 1970, the most in the NFL during that time.

The following is a list of teams that have won the most division titles and qualified for the playoffs since 2002:

Team	Playoffs	Division Titles
Indianapolis	9	7
New England**	8	8
Philadelphia	7	6
<b>Pittsburgh*</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>5</b>
Green Bay**	7	5
San Diego	5	5

\*Clinched playoff spot this season

\*\*Clinched division title this season

**Defensive Dominance:** The Steelers gave up 14.2 points per game in 2011 to lead the NFL. After only allowing 14.5 points per game in 2010, this marks only the third time in team history that the Steelers have given up less than 15.0 points per game in back-to-back seasons (1974-13.5; 1975-11.6; 1976-9.9).

In eight home games, the Steelers allowed a total of 80 points, giving up 10.0 points per game, the lowest in the NFL. It is also the sixth lowest in Steelers history:

Year	Points Per Game Allowed at Home
1936	8.2
1946	9.0
1974	9.4
2001	9.8
1976	9.9
<b>2011</b>	<b>10.0</b>

Since **Dick LeBeau** has been defensive coordinator (2004-present) the Steelers have allowed an average of 15.4 points per game at Heinz Field, ranking second in the NFL over that time span for points given up at home during the regular season (Baltimore, 14.8).

The Steelers have allowed the fewest points in the NFL since the beginning of the 2007 season. Pittsburgh has allowed just 1,266 points during that span.

The following is a list of the top four teams in the NFL who have allowed the fewest points since the start of the 2007 campaign:

Team	Points Allowed
<b>Pittsburgh</b>	<b>1,275</b>
Baltimore	1,425
New England	1,523
Green Bay	1,567

**Defense! Defense! Defense!** Pittsburgh recorded two shutouts this season (Week 2, 24-0 vs. Sea, Week 16, 27-0 vs. StL). It is the fifth time since 1960 that Pittsburgh recorded multiple shutouts in a season (2, in 2007, 2 in 2000, 5 in 1976, 2 in 1974).

The Steelers were one of four teams to record a shutout in 2011 (Buf, KC, SF) and the only team with two shutouts.

It marked the fourth and fifth shutouts during the **Mike Tomlin** era. The Steelers now have 29 shutouts since 1960, which is the second most in the NFL during that time span:

Team	Shutouts
Chicago	30
<b>Pittsburgh</b>	<b>29</b>
San Francisco	26
Miami	25
New England	24

**Toughest Division?:** The AFC North was the only division to have two teams with 12+ wins in 2011. It was also the only division that had three teams with at least nine victories. The AFC North finished first in the NFL for most wins as a division (37), and it had the highest winning percentage (.578) of any division in the NFL.

How did these teams having so much success? It's simple, defense. The AFC North gave up the fewest points allowed as a division (1,123), and it's the only division that all four teams had given up less than 325 points. In addition, all four teams were in the top-10 in the NFL in total defense. The AFC North also boasted four top-10 pass defenses (Pittsburgh 1, Cleveland 2, Baltimore 4, Cincinnati 9) and three top-10 rush defenses in the NFL (Baltimore 2, Pittsburgh 8, Cincinnati 10).

Team	Final Rank (NFL)	Total Yds.	Rush Yds.	Pass Yds.
<b>Pittsburgh</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>271.8</b>	<b>99.8</b>	<b>171.9</b>
Baltimore	3	288.9	92.6	196.3
Cincinnati	7	316.3	104.7	211.6
Cleveland	10	332.4	147.4	184.9

The AFC North has three teams (Baltimore, Cincinnati, Pittsburgh) in the 2011 postseason, marking the first time since realignment prior to the 2002 season that a division had three playoff teams. Since 2008, the AFC North has had two teams in the playoffs each year.

**Tough In The Air:** The 2011 season saw an unprecedented number of 300-yard passing games throughout the NFL. The Steelers number one-ranked pass defense held nine teams under 175 net passing yards, winning eight of those games. Pittsburgh only gave up 21 pass plays of 25+ yards this season, tied with Tennessee for first in the NFL in 2011.

In seven of the final nine regular season games the Steelers held their opponents to 190 net passing yards or less (NE, @ Cin, @ KC, Cin, @ SF, vs. StL, @ Cle).

In Week 16, Pittsburgh held the Rams to 68 net passing yards and in Week 5, the Steelers' limited the Jacksonville offense to 76 net passing yards. It was the first time since 1992 (4) that Pittsburgh limited at least two teams to under 80 net passing yards during the regular season. Since 1970, it was the ninth time the Steelers defense held opponents under 80 net passing yards multiple times in one regular season (1992-4; 1979-3; 1978-2; 1977-4; 1976-4; 1975-3; 1974-7; 1973-6; 1972-2).

Pittsburgh only gave up 10 net passing yards in the first two quarters against Jacksonville, which was the fifth-fewest net passing yards allowed by Pittsburgh's defense in the first half, dating back to 1991.

Opp.	Net Passing Yards	W/L
at Bal, 9/11 (Week 1)	215	L
vs. Sea, 9/18 (Week 2)	133	W
at Ind, 9/25 (Week 3)	144	W
at Hou, 10/2 (Week 4)	138	L
vs. Ten, 10/9 (Week 5)	240	W
vs. Jac, 10/16 (Week 6)	76	W
at Ariz, 10/23 (Week 7)	257	W
vs. NE, 10/30 (Week 8)	170	W
vs. Bal, 11/6 (Week 9)	289	L
at Cin, 11/13 (Week 10)	170	W
at KC, 11/27 (Week 12)	162	W
vs. Cin, 12/4 (Week 13)	128	W
vs. Cle, 12/8 (Week 14)	206	W
at SF, 12/19 (Week 15)	187	L
vs. StL, 12/24 (Week 16)	68	W
at Cle, 1/1 (Week 17)	168	W

Under Head Coach **Mike Tomlin** (2007-present) the Steelers have given up a league-low 187.0 net passing yards per game during the regular season:

Team	Net Passing Yards/Game (2007-Present)
<b>Pittsburgh</b>	<b>187.0</b>
New York Jets	197.4
Tampa Bay	200.9
Indianapolis	203.0

Since the start of the 2007 season, Pittsburgh's defense has allowed only 86 passing touchdowns, the fewest in the NFL over that time span.

**Road Warriors:** The Steelers have had great success playing away from Heinz Field over the last decade. Dating back to the start of 2010 season, the Steelers have won 12 of their past 16 road games, including winning four of their last five.

Since the beginning of the 2000 season, the Steelers own the fourth-best road winning percentage in the NFL. The following is a list of the top road winning percentages since 2000:

Team	W	L	T	Pct.
New England	63	33	0	.656
Philadelphia	62	33	1	.651
Indianapolis	59	37	0	.615
<b>Pittsburgh</b>	<b>58</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>.604</b>
New Orleans	56	40	0	.583
New York Giants	55	41	0	.573

**Holiday Cheer:** In Week 17, the Steelers played a regular season game on New Year's Day for the second time in franchise history, beating the Cleveland Browns 13-9. The only other time was in 2005 and they beat Detroit 35-21 in Pittsburgh. The 2005 victory gave the Steelers a berth in the playoffs and they went on to win Super Bowl XL.

Overall, in regular season games played in the month of January, Pittsburgh is 8-1. Eight regular-season wins in the month of January is the most by any NFL team.

With a victory over St. Louis (Week 16) in 2011, the Steelers improved to 4-3 all-time in regular season games played on Christmas Eve. It was the Steelers' first game played on Christmas Eve since 2006, when they lost to Baltimore, 31-7, at home. The previous season Pittsburgh won, 41-0, at Cleveland on Christmas Eve.

**Controlling The NFC:** The Steelers have won 26 of their past 32 regular-season games versus teams in the NFC, dating back to 2003, including winning three of four this season.

The Steelers are 100-59-1 all-time against the NFC, including 57-19-1 at home. Pittsburgh has won eight of its last 10 games against NFC opponents.

The Steelers have seven consecutive home victories versus NFC teams. Pittsburgh last lost to an NFC team at Heinz Field in 2008 (21-14, vs. New York Giants). Prior to losing to the Giants, Pittsburgh had won eight straight games versus NFC teams at home. The Steelers are 6-2 versus the NFC in the Super Bowl.

**If You Build It, They Will Come:** In 2011, Pittsburgh registered a total attendance of 504,279, marking the fourth consecutive season that over 503,000 fans attended games at Heinz Field. Since Heinz Field opened in 2001, Pittsburgh has recorded over 503,000 fans six times.

In the 2010 AFC Championship victory over the N.Y. Jets, the Steelers broke the single-game record. The attendance of 66,662 surpassed the old mark of 65,597 set October 25, 2009, during a game versus the Minnesota Vikings.

The previous regular-season record was 65,392, which was set on November 16, 2009 versus Cincinnati.

Pittsburgh set the team home attendance record in 2009 by averaging 63,458 (507,882 total). The Steelers need an attendance of at least 63,685 this Saturday versus the Rams to set a new record

Pittsburgh has sold out 308 straight games at home, dating back to Nov. 5, 1972 versus Cincinnati.

Following is a look at the team's average attendance in its 10-plus years at Heinz Field:

<u>Year</u>	<u>Total Attendance</u>	<u>Avg.</u>
2001	499,191	62,399
2002	490,274	61,284
2003	477,584	59,698
2004	507,385	63,423
2005	507,434	63,429
2006	499,461	62,433
2007	496,675	62,084
2008	503,125	62,890
2009	507,882 •	63,458 •
2010	504,669	63,084
<b>2011</b>	<b>504,279</b>	<b>63,035</b>

• *Team record*

**Heinz Field Advantage:** The Steelers own the best home record in the NFL with a 234-89-1 record (.724) since 1970. Pittsburgh is 65-22-1 (.744) at home since Heinz Field opened in 2001, including a 7-1 record in 2011. This season marked the first time Pittsburgh finished with a 7-1 record at home since 2007. It was the 12th time since the AFL-NFL merger in 1970 that the Steelers won at least seven regular-season games at home, including the fourth time at Heinz Field (2001, '04, '07).

In five seasons under Head Coach **Mike Tomlin** the Steelers have won at least five games at home each season. The last time Pittsburgh did not win at least five home games in a season was 2003. Since 2004, Pittsburgh and New England are the only teams in the league to register at least five wins at home during each regular season.

Pittsburgh finished the 2004 regular season with an undefeated (8-0) home record for only the third time in team history and for the first time in 25 years.

The Steelers finished the 1979 regular season with an undefeated home record (8-0) and eventually won Super Bowl XIV. The Steelers were also undefeated at home (7-0) in 1972.

The following is a look at the list of the Steelers' records at home since 2004:

<u>Year</u>	<u>Record</u>
2004	8-0
2005	5-3
2006	5-3
2007	7-1
2008	6-2
2009	6-2
2010	5-3
<b>2011</b>	<b>7-1</b>

**Primetime Team:** The Steelers played a total of five games in primetime in 2011 and finished 3-2, playing three times on Sunday night (2-1), once on Thursday night (1-0) and once on Monday night (0-1). Only five other teams played five primetime games this season (Bal, NO, NYG, NYJ, Phi) and only one played six primetime games (Dal).

Under Head Coach **Mike Tomlin**, Pittsburgh is 6-1 on Monday Night Football.

**Ground Success:** In six of the final seven regular-season games, the Steelers registered at least 28 carries and over 100 yards rushing in each (161 on 36 at Cleveland / 169 on 28 vs. St. Louis / 147 on 28 vs. Cleveland / 136 on 33 vs. Cincinnati / 108 on 28 carries at Kansas City / 105 yards on 30 carries at Cincinnati).

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The Steelers recorded at least 28 carries in 11 games in 2011, winning all 11.

In 10 of the final 12 games of the 2011 regular season, Pittsburgh outrushed its opponent. In Weeks 13, 14, 16 and 17 the Steelers totaled 136, 147, 169 and 161 rushing yards, their third, fourth, fifth and sixth highest rushing totals of the season.

In Weeks 5 and 6, the Steelers recorded 174 and 185 rushing yards for their two highest rushing totals. Overall, Pittsburgh registered four games with at least 160 net rushing yards in 2011, the most since recording seven during the 2007 regular season.

The Steelers achieved success on the ground by using a number of running backs this season. Four different Steelers have over 120 rushing yards and two have eclipsed 470 yards (**RB Rashard Mendenhall**, 928/**RB Isaac Redman**, 479). All the backs have combined to total 1,903 rushing yards on 434 carries, averaging 4.4 yards per carry. It was the third consecutive season that Pittsburgh averaged over 4.0 yards per rush (2010-4.1, 2009-4.2).

**Limiting QBs:** Pittsburgh faced 16 different quarterbacks during the 2011 regular season, holding nine to a passer rating lower than 73.0.

Over the final seven regular-season games, Pittsburgh's defense recorded nine interceptions by six different players (**Lawrence Timmons** and **William Gay** at Cincinnati, **Ike Taylor**, **Ryan Mundy** and **Keenan Lewis** at Kansas City, Taylor vs. Cincinnati, Gay and **Troy Polamalu** vs. Cleveland and Polamalu at Cleveland).

The Steelers allowed only one quarterback to throw for 300 yards and held 11 under 200 yards in 2011. The only quarterback to throw for 300 yards on the Steelers during the 2011 regular season was Joe Flacco and he attempted 47 passes, completing 28 to get to 300 yards in Week 9.

The Steelers limited Tom Brady to 198 passing yards, and he averaged 327.2 yards per game this season. It was the only time Brady was held under 200 yards in 2011.

<u>Opp QB</u>	<u>Cmp Pct.</u>	<u>Yds.</u>	<u>Rtg.</u>
Joe Flacco (@ Bal)	58.6	224	117.6
Tavaris Jackson (Sea)	69.0	159	82.4
Kerry Collins (@ Ind)	44.8	93	52.8
Curtis Painter (@ Ind)	45.4	60	62.7
Matt Schaub (@ Hou)	66.7	138	100.9
Matt Hasselbeck (Ten)	59.2	262	72.0
Blaine Gabbert (Jac)	46.2	109	70.8
Kevin Kolb (@ Ariz)	52.9	272	86.9
Tom Brady (NE)	68.6	198	101.8
Joe Flacco (Bal)	59.6	300	85.4
Andy Dalton (@ Cin)	50.0	170	61.8
Tyler Palko (@ KC)	64.3	167	40.9
Andy Dalton (Cin)	45.8	135	77.6
Bruce Gradkowski (Cin)	50.0	17	16.7
Colt McCoy (Cle)	51.4	209	46.0
Seneca Wallace (Cle)	100.0	13	118.8
Alex Smith (SF)	58.1	187	86.4
Kellen Clemens (StL)	37.5	91	49.1
Seneca Wallace (Cle)	39.0	177	42.4

**Turning Up the Heat:** Pittsburgh registered 35 sacks in 2011. The Steelers recorded 28 of the 35 sacks at Heinz Field to tie for second in the NFL for sacks at home (Minnesota, 28; Baltimore, 33). Pittsburgh's 28 sacks at home during the 2011 regular season ranked as the second most (36 in 1996) by a Steelers' team since sacks became an official statistic in 1982.

Due to injuries the Steelers had to play without their primary sack specialists **LB LaMarr Woodley** (six games missed) and **LB James Harrison** (five games missed) for a good portion of the season. While both players each recorded nine sacks in 2011, 10 other Steelers also contributed to putting pressure on the

quarterback: **DE Brett Keisel-3, LB Jason Worilds-3, LB Lawrence Timmons-2, LB James Farrior-2, LB Larry Foote-1.5, DE Ziggy Hood-1.5, S Troy Polomalu-1, S Ryan Clark-1, NT Steve McClendon-1 and DE Cameron Heyward-1.**

The Steelers recorded five sacks in Week 2 versus Seattle, tying for the third highest single-game total of the **Mike Tomlin** era and the most since registering six versus Oakland on 11/21/10.

On the road the Steelers recorded sacks at key times. Against Arizona in Week 7 Woodley recorded a sack on third-and-seven at the PIT 45-yard line that forced a punt. Woodley also forced Cardinals QB Kevin Kolb into an intentionally grounding penalty in the end zone that resulted in a safety.

In Week 3 versus Indianapolis, Harrison forced a fumble on a sack of Curtis Painter that Polamalu returned 16 yards for a touchdown to give Pittsburgh a 20-13 lead in the fourth quarter.

Since 1994, the Steelers have led the AFC in sacks six times and the entire NFL three times, including in 2010. Since 2004, the Steelers have the most sacks in the NFL with 344, 10 more than the second place team (New York Giants, 334).

Sacks became an official NFL statistic in 1982, however, a record of "passers tackled" was kept prior to that time. Following are the Steelers' single-season sack totals dating back to 1970:

**Pittsburgh Steelers Team Sack Totals (Since 1970)**

<u>Year</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>Year</u>	<u>Total</u>
1970	26	1991	38
1971	33	1992	36
1972	40	1993	42
1973	33	1994	55 *
1974	52	1995	42
1975	43	1996	51
1976	41	1997	48
1977	32	1998	41
1978	44	1999	39
1979	49	2000	39
1980	18	2001	55 *
1981	40	2002	50
1982	34	2003	35
1983	50	2004	41
1984	47	2005	47
1985	36	2006	39
1986	43	2007	36
1987	26	2008	51
1988	19	2009	47
1989	31	2010	48
1990	34	2011	35

\* Team Record

**Safety First:** In Weeks 7 and 8, the Steelers defense registered two safeties: in Week 7 **LB LaMarr Woodley** forced QB Kevin Kolb into an intentional grounding penalty in the end zone and in Week 8 **DE Brett Keisel** stripped the ball from QB Tom Brady in the closing seconds and it rolled out of the end zone.

Dating back to 1960, this was the first time that the Steelers registered safeties in back-to-back weeks. The last team in the NFL to register safeties in back-to-back games was the New York Giants in 2008. It is only the third time since 1960 that Pittsburgh registered two safeties in one season (1962, 1980).

**Continued Success:** Since the 1970 merger of the National and American Football Leagues, the Pittsburgh Steelers own the best record in the NFL.

The following is a look at the top three regular-season records since the merger in 1970:

<u>Team</u>	<u>W</u>	<u>L</u>	<u>T</u>	<u>Pct.</u>
1. Pittsburgh Steelers	396	250	2	.613
2. Miami Dolphins	385	261	2	.596
3. Dallas Cowboys	381	267	0	.588

**Among The Best:** The Steelers have 589 career wins (including postseason), which is the fourth-most in NFL history.

The following is a listing of the top five teams in the NFL for career wins (including postseason):

<u>Team</u>	<u>Wins</u>
1. Chicago Bears	728
2. Green Bay Packers	703
3. New York Giants	665
4. Pittsburgh Steelers	589
5. Washington Redskins	576

Additionally, Pittsburgh owns the third-best record in the NFL since the free-agency era (since 1993) with a 193-110-1 (.637) record.

The following is a look at the top three regular-season records in the free agency era (since 1993):

<u>Team</u>	<u>W</u>	<u>L</u>	<u>T</u>	<u>Pct.</u>
1. New England Patriots	198	106	0	.651
2. Green Bay Packers	194	110	0	.638
3. Pittsburgh Steelers	193	110	1	.637

**Regular-Season Success:** Pittsburgh owns the third-best regular-season record in the NFL over the past 10-plus seasons. The Steelers have averaged over 10 wins per year and have earned seven playoff berths, six division titles and two Super Bowl victories in that time period.

The following are the top five teams in regular-season winning percentage from 2000-2011:

<u>Team</u>	<u>W</u>	<u>L</u>	<u>T</u>	<u>Pct.</u>	<u>Playoff Berths</u>
New England	139	53	0	.724	9
Pittsburgh	127	64	1	.664	8
Indianapolis	127	65	0	.661	9
Philadelphia	121	70	1	.633	9
Green Bay	120	72	0	.625	8

**In the Red Zone:** In the final 10 games of the regular season, the Steelers were 36-for-42 in the red zone, coming away with 23 touchdowns and 13 field goals. In Week 16 versus St. Louis, Pittsburgh was 4-for-4 in the red zone with three touchdowns while in Week 13 the Steelers were 4-for-4 against Cincinnati, scoring a touchdown each time. In two games against the Bengals this season, the Steelers scored seven touchdowns and one field goal on eight red zone opportunities.

Pittsburgh was 5-for-5 in both Week 8 versus New England and in Week 5 against Tennessee.

Following is a look at how the Steelers offense has performed in the red zone this season:

<u>Opponent</u>	<u>Att./Scores</u>	<u>TDs</u>	<u>FGs</u>	<u>Pts</u>
@ Baltimore	2/1	1	0	7
vs. Seattle	4/3	2	1	17
@ Indianapolis	2/1	0	1	3
@ Houston	3/2	1	1	10
vs. Tennessee	5/5	4	1	31
vs. Jacksonville	2/2	1	1	10
@ Arizona	3/3	2	1	17
vs. New England	5/5	2	3	23
vs. Baltimore	4/3	1	2	13
@ Cincinnati	4/4	3	1	24
@ Kansas City	3/2	1	1	10
vs. Cincinnati	4/4	4	0	28
vs. Cleveland	3/1	1	0	7
@ San Francisco	1/0	0	0	0
vs. St. Louis	4/4	3	1	24
@ Cleveland	4/3	1	2	13
<b>Total</b>	<b>53/43</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>237</b>

**Red Zone Defense:** Over the final 11 games of the 2011 regular season, the Steelers allowed their opponents to enter the red zone a total of just 17 times.

Twice this season, Week 12 at Kansas City where they gave up nine points and in a Week 2 shutout of Seattle, the Steelers defense didn't allow either offense to reach the red zone and only one Seattle possession ended across mid-field. In Weeks 16 and 17,

St. Louis and Cleveland only made it to the red zone once each and came away with a combined three points.

Following is a look at how the Steelers' defense performed in the red zone in 2011:

Opponent	Att./Scores	TDs	FGs	Pts
@ Baltimore	6/5	3	2	27
vs. Seattle	0/0	0	0	0
@ Indianapolis	3/3	1	2	13
@ Houston	2/2	1	1	10
vs. Tennessee	3/3	2	1	17
vs. Jacksonville	1/1	1	0	7
@ Arizona	2/2	2	0	14
vs. New England	2/2	2	0	14
vs. Baltimore	2/2	1	1	10
@ Cincinnati	1/1	1	0	7
@ Kansas City	0/0	0	0	0
vs. Cincinnati	2/1	1	0	7
vs. Cleveland	2/1	0	1	3
@ San Francisco	3/3	2	1	17
vs. St. Louis	1/0	0	0	0
@ Cleveland	1/1	0	1	3
<b>Total</b>	<b>31/27</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>149</b>

**Five & 10:** The Steelers ranked in the top five in the AFC and/or the top 10 in the NFL in several team and individual categories in 2011. Following is a list of those rankings:

### Pittsburgh Steelers - 2011 AFC/NFL FINAL Rankings

Team Offense	Statistic	Rank (AFC/NFL)
Total Yards Per Game	372.3	4th/12th
Yards Per Play	5.9	4th/11th
Passing Net Yards Per Game	253.4	3rd/11th
Passing Net Yards Per Play	6.9	5th/10th
First Downs Per Game	21.3	3rd/9th
Third Down Efficiency	45.9%	2nd/4th

Team Defense	Statistic	Rank (AFC/NFL)
Total Yards Per Game	271.8	1st/1st
Yards Per Play	4.5	1st/1st
Rushing Yards Per Game	99.8	4th/8th
Passing Net Yards Per Game	171.9	1st/1st
Passing Net Yards Per Play	4.9	1st/1st
First Downs Per Game	16.5	1st/1st
Points Per Game Allowed	14.2	1st/1st
Points Per Game Differential	7.1	4th/7th
Net Yards Per Game Differential	100.5	1st/1st

Special Teams	Statistic	Rank (AFC/NFL)
Kickoff Return Average (Offense)	25.1	5th/8th
Gross Punting Average (Defense)	44.7	2nd/7th
Punt Return Average (Defense)	8.4	5th/12th

Individual Offense	Statistic	Rank (AFC/NFL)
Roethlisberger (Completions)	324	4th/11th
Roethlisberger (Completion Percentage)	63.2	2nd/6th
Roethlisberger (Passing Yards)	4,077	3rd/9th
Roethlisberger (Average Gain)	7.95	4th/8th
Roethlisberger (Passing TDs)	21	5th/T-11th
Roethlisberger (Passer Rating)	90.1	3rd/10th
Roethlisberger (3rd Down Passer Rating)	97.6	1st/6th
Redman (3rd-And-One Rushing)	87.5	T-4th/T-6th
Wallace (Receiving Yards)	1,193	4th/11th
A. Brown (All-Purpose Yards)	2,211	1st/2nd
A. Brown (3rd Down Receptions)	28	2nd/3rd

Individual Special Teams	Statistic	Rank (AFC/NFL)
A. Brown (Punt Return Average)	10.8	5th/10th
A. Brown (Kickoff Return Average)	27.3	3rd/5th

## COACHING NOTES

**In Control:** Head Coach **Mike Tomlin** owns an 22-8 all-time mark against teams in the AFC North.

Tomlin owns an impressive 12-3 record against divisional foes at Heinz Field.

**Among The Best:** Since **Mike Tomlin** was named head coach of the Steelers in 2007, Pittsburgh has compiled the second-most wins in the NFL during that time span (53). The following is the top three regular-season records in the NFL since 2007:

Team	Record	Playoff App.	Super Bowl App.
NE	64-16	4	1
PIT	<b>55-25</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>2</b>
GB	55-25	4	1

**Our House:** Head Coach **Mike Tomlin** owns a 31-9 regular-season record at Heinz Field in his five seasons in Pittsburgh.

For the second time in the Tomlin era, the Steelers finished 7-1 at home in 2011 (2007). For the third time in Tomlin's five seasons, the Steelers started 4-0 at home this season. Tomlin has led Pittsburgh to at least five home wins in each of his five seasons as head coach.

**Leading The Way:** Head Coach **Mike Tomlin** has the highest regular-season winning percentage (.688) amongst active NFL head coaches who have coached a minimum of 70 games:

Name	W	L	T	Win Pct.
<b>Mike Tomlin (Pit 2007-11)</b>	<b>55</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>.688</b>
Mike McCarthy (GB 2006-11)	63	33	0	.656
Sean Payton (NO 2006-11)	62	34	0	.646
Bill Belichick (Cle 1991-95, NE 2000-11)	175	97	0	.643
Andy Reid (Phi 1999-11)	126	81	1	.609

**Tomlin Versus the NFC:** During his career, Head Coach **Mike Tomlin** regular-season record against the NFC is 14-6, including 3-1 in 2011.

The Steelers .700 regular-season winning percentage against the NFC since 2007 is tied for the fourth best in the NFL.

Team	W	L	Pct.
New England	18	2	.900
Tennessee	16	4	.800
Green Bay	42	17	.712
<b>Pittsburgh</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>.700</b>
Baltimore	14	6	.700

Under Tomlin, the Steelers are 7-2, including the postseason, against the NFC West. Pittsburgh's only losses came on the road in Arizona (2007) and San Francisco (2011).

Over the past three regular seasons the Steelers are 9-3 against the NFC.

**Primetime Specialist:** This season the Steelers played five primetime games (3-2). Head Coach **Mike Tomlin** is 18-7 overall in primetime games, including an 9-4 record on the road. He is 6-1 on Monday Night Football, 7-5 on Sunday Night Football and 5-1 on Thursday Night Football.

Tomlin joined only Bill Cowher (Steelers), Tom Flores (Raiders), Steve Mariucci (49ers), George Siefert (49ers) and Don Shula (Colts, Dolphins) as coaches to win their first six Monday Night Football games.

**10 Wins:** Head Coach **Mike Tomlin** led the Steelers to at least 10 wins for the second consecutive season and for the fourth time in five years (2007, '08, '10).

Tomlin became only the sixth head coach to win at least nine games in each of his first five seasons since the NFL merger in 1970.

Tomlin joined George Seifert, Mike Holmgren, Bill Cowher, Chuck Knox and Mike Sherman.

**Bye Week:** Since 2007, the Steelers are 4-1 in games following the bye week under Head Coach **Mike Tomlin**. The only time Pittsburgh lost after the bye was in 2007, losing 31-28 at Denver. The Steelers have also performed well going into the bye week since Tomlin was named head coach, going 4-1 in those contests, including a 24-17 victory in Week 10 at Cincinnati this season.

Tomlin has entered the bye week with a winning percentage of at least .700 in each of his five seasons.

**Strong Out Of The Gate:** Head Coach **Mike Tomlin** has led Pittsburgh to a 12-4 record for the third time in his five years as head coach of the Steelers (2010, 08). It also was the second time in team history that the Steelers recorded back-to-back regular seasons with at least 12 wins (1978, 14-2 and 1979, 12-4).

Under Tomlin, Pittsburgh has recorded a 9-3 record in the first 12 games four times in the last five seasons. Tomlin is the only head coach in Steelers' history to lead his team to at least nine wins through the first 12 games in four of his first five seasons.

The Steelers started 6-2 for the fifth consecutive season under Tomlin in 2011. He became the only coach in Steelers history and in the NFL (since 1978) to open each of his first five seasons with at least six wins through the first eight games.

This season marked the 14th time since 1978 that Pittsburgh has opened the season with at least six wins in their first eight games. In 13 of those cases the Steelers went on to make the playoffs.

Pittsburgh won their first four home games for the third time in five seasons under Tomlin.

In Week 2, Pittsburgh won its fifth straight home opener under Tomlin. He is the only Steelers head coach to win his first five home openers.

**Few And Far Between:** Head Coach **Mike Tomlin** became only the second coach in Steelers' history to post winning records in each of his first five seasons. Tomlin is the only coach in team history to win division titles in each of his first two seasons (2007-08).

In 2007, Tomlin became the second head coach in team history to post a winning record in his first season with a mark of 10-6.

**High Honor Roll:** Defensive coordinator **Dick LeBeau** was inducted into the Pro Football Hall of Fame in August of 2010. LeBeau had an outstanding NFL career, finishing with 62 career interceptions (seventh all-time) and 171 consecutive starts (then-NFL record for a cornerback) with the Detroit Lions.

LeBeau was also inducted into the Ohio State University Hall of Fame in 2009. He played at Ohio State as a cornerback and halfback and was a member of the 1957 national championship team.

**Defensive Mastermind:** The Steelers defense has been led by defensive coordinator **Dick LeBeau** since 2004. During that time span it has been regarded as one of the top defenses in the NFL, helping to lead the Steelers to three Super Bowls. This season LeBeau's defense ranked first in yards per game and net passing yards per game. Below is how the LeBeau's defenses rank since the start of the 2004 season:

<u>Defensive Category</u>	<u>Statistic</u>	<u>Rank (NFL)</u>
Sacks	344	1st
Passing Touchdowns	136	1st

Yards From Scrimmage	292.4	1st
Scrimmage Yards/Touch	6.8	1st
Net Passing Yards/Game	190.3	1st
Rushing Yards	10,848	1st
Rushing Yards/Game	84.8	1st
Rushes of 10+ Yards	252	1st
Rushing Average	3.6	2nd
Rushing Touchdowns	59	2nd
QB Rating	73.7	2nd
25+ Yard Passes	153	2nd
Yards Per Catch	10.8	T-2nd
Completion Percentage	57.3	3rd

## INDIVIDUAL OFFENSIVE NOTES

**Pro Bowl Bound: QB Ben Roethlisberger** was selected to his second career Pro Bowl after a 2011 regular season that saw him register the second most passing yards in franchise history and the second most completions, while playing in only 15 games.

Roethlisberger was twice named AFC Offensive Player of the Week in 2011 and broke the team's all-time record for completions in Week 14 versus Cincinnati.

**Climbing The Ranks: QB Ben Roethlisberger** continues to populate the top of the Steelers' franchise records.

Roethlisberger had 4,077 passing yards in 15 games played in 2011, passing Terry Bradshaw (3,724 in 1979) for the second most passing yards during a regular season in franchise history. Roethlisberger already owns the number one mark with 4,328 yards in 2009.

Rk.	Player	Year	Passing Yards
1.	Ben Roethlisberger	2009	4,328
2.	<b>Ben Roethlisberger</b>	<b>2011</b>	<b>4,077</b>
3.	Terry Bradshaw	1979	3,724
4.	Ben Roethlisberger	2006	3,513

With 324 completions in 2011, Roethlisberger passed Tommy Maddox (298 in 2003) for the second-highest single season total in franchise history behind his own mark of 337 completions in 2009.

Rk.	Player	Year	Completions
1.	Ben Roethlisberger	2009	337
2.	<b>Ben Roethlisberger</b>	<b>2011</b>	<b>324</b>
3.	Tommy Maddox	2003	298
4.	Ben Roethlisberger	2008	281
5.	Ben Roethlisberger	2006	280

**Facing The NFC:** With a career record of 79-33 as a starter, **QB Ben Roethlisberger** has posted gaudy numbers no matter the opposition.

Throughout his career, Roethlisberger has feasted on competition from the NFC. In 28 career regular-season games against NFC opponents, Roethlisberger has posted a 21-7 record while completing 457-of-742 passes (61.6 pct.) for 6,230 yards with 37 touchdowns and 20 interceptions.

Roethlisberger's statistics against the NFC are equally impressive in games at Heinz Field. In 14 career games against NFC opponents at home, Roethlisberger has a 13-1 mark while completing 217-of-365 passes (59.5 pct.) for 3,139 yards with 18 touchdowns and eight interceptions for a passer rating of 94.8.

Roethlisberger won his first seven starts against NFC teams.

**Quick Start: QB Ben Roethlisberger** completed 177-of-276 pass attempts for 2,139 yards, 14 touchdowns and six interceptions in the first half in 2011. Roethlisberger totaled over 100 yards passing in 13-of-15 first halves including 231 yards passing twice (at Ind, vs. NE).

In Week 7 versus Arizona, he registered a first-half passer rating of 140.4 by completing 9-of-16 passes for 199 yards and two

touchdowns. Roethlisberger followed that up by completing a first half career-high 23-of-32 passes for 231 yards, the fifth highest passing yardage total of his career in the first half, with two touchdowns and one interception.

In Week 14, Roethlisberger led the Steelers to an opening drive touchdown against Cleveland, marking the sixth time in the last nine games that Pittsburgh scored a touchdown on their opening possession. Roethlisberger also recorded a 151.0 passer rating in the first half, the eighth time in his career he registered a passer rating of 150+ in the first half.

Over the last nine games he played in during the 2011 regular season, Roethlisberger led the Steelers offense to points on 25-of-52 first-half possessions (16 TDs, nine FGs). In Week 13 versus the Bengals, Pittsburgh scored on three consecutive offensive possessions in the second quarter. Three weeks earlier at Cincinnati, Roethlisberger led the Steelers to touchdowns on their first two possessions for the third time in 2011 (vs. Ten, vs. Jac).

In Week 5 against Tennessee, Roethlisberger recorded three touchdown passes in the first half. It marked the fourth time in his career he totaled at least four touchdown passes in the first half and was only the sixth time since 1991 that a Steelers quarterback achieved the feat.

Player	Opp.	Passing TDs/First Half
Ben Roethlisberger	Bal (11/5/07)	5
<b>Ben Roethlisberger</b>	<b>Ten (10/9/11)</b>	<b>3</b>
Ben Roethlisberger	Atl (10/22/06)	3
Ben Roethlisberger	StL (12/20/07)	3
Charlie Batch	TB (9/26/10)	3
Kordell Stewart	Den (12/7/97)	3

Roethlisberger completed 7-of-11 passes for 171 yards and one touchdown for a 137.5 passer rating in the first quarter against the Colts in Week 3. The 171 yards were the most yards he has thrown for in the first quarter during his career. Dating back to 1991, it was the highest first-quarter passing total of any Steelers' quarterback.

**Finding The End Zone: QB Ben Roethlisberger** recorded the 20th game of his career with at least three touchdown passes in Week 7 at Arizona. On the season, Roethlisberger had 21 touchdown passes in 15 games played, marking the third time in his career he totaled at least 20 passing touchdowns (26 in 2009 / 32 in 2007).

Roethlisberger tied a career high with five touchdown passes in Week 5 against Tennessee. It was the fourth time in his career he threw at least four touchdown passes in one game and only the second time he totaled five (11/5/07 at Baltimore). Roethlisberger is the only Steelers quarterback to throw for a franchise-best five touchdowns in a single game twice during the regular season:

Player	Opp	Passing TDs
<b>Ben Roethlisberger</b>	<b>Ten (10/9/11)</b>	<b>5</b>
<b>Ben Roethlisberger</b>	<b>Bal (11/5/07)</b>	<b>5</b>
Mark Malone	Ind (9/8/85)	5
Terry Bradshaw	Atl (11/15/81)	5

Since the start of the 2007 season, Roethlisberger has the third-most games with at least five touchdown passes in the NFL.

Player	Game of 5+ Passing TDs
Tom Brady	4
Drew Brees	3
<b>Ben Roethlisberger</b>	<b>2</b>
Matthew Stafford	2
Carson Palmer	2

**Controlling The North:** With a victory vs. Cleveland in Week 17, **QB Ben Roethlisberger** improved to 33-9 (.786) as a starter against AFC North opponents during his career. He finished a perfect 5-0 in 2010 against divisional foes and was 4-2 this season.

Roethlisberger had won 12 straight games against divisional foes as the starter prior to the Week 3 setback at Cincinnati in 2009, which was the longest streak in the NFL and the longest since Peyton Manning won 12 straight from 2004-06.

In his 42 career games versus division opponents, Roethlisberger has posted a perfect passer rating once (11/5/07 vs. Baltimore) and has recorded a passer rating of over 100.0 a total of 16 times.

The following is a look at his statistics against the AFC North in his 42 games as a starter:

Statistic	42 games vs. AFC North (as a starter)
Record	33-9
Completion Pct. (Comp.-Att.)	60.9 (738-1,211)
Passing Yards	9,452
Passing Touchdowns	57
Interceptions	38
Passer Rating	88.0

Also, the following is a look at Roethlisberger's career statistics against AFC North opponents as a starter at home compared to the road:

Statistic	Home vs. AFC North	Away vs. AFC North
Record	17-5	16-4
Completion Pct. (Comp.-Att.)	61.2 (383-626)	60.7 (355-585)
Passing Yards	5,144	4,288
Passing Touchdowns	33	24
Interceptions	22	16
Passer Rating	90.2	85.5

**Home Cooking: QB Ben Roethlisberger** owns a 44-13 (.772) mark in the regular season in his career at Heinz Field, including winning his first eight starts as a rookie in 2004. Roethlisberger was 6-1 at home in 2011.

At Heinz Field, Roethlisberger has completed 63.3 percent of his passes for 13,695 with 86 touchdowns and 46 interceptions for a passer rating of 95.0. He has thrown for more than 300 yards 11 times and has 26 multi-touchdown games at home (21-5 record in such games), including a franchise and career high (tied) five touchdowns versus the Titans in Week 5 (2011).

Roethlisberger has twice posted a perfect passer rating at home, including most recently in Week 9 of 2007 against Baltimore. He also had a perfect passer rating (158.3) against Tennessee in the 2005 season opener and has posted at least a 125.0 passer rating eight times.

The Steelers have scored at least 20 points in 46 of the 57 games at home with Roethlisberger as the starter.

**300-Yard Plateau: QB Ben Roethlisberger** registered 330 yards passing in Week 15 at San Francisco, marking the 20th 300+ yard passing game of his career. It was also Roethlisberger's fifth of the season, tying his career-high for a single season. Midway through the season, he registered over 300 yards passing in a franchise-best three consecutive games (Weeks 7-9).

Game	Cmp	Att	Yds	TD	INT	Rtg
at Ari (10/23)	26	39	361	3	0	121.8
vs. NE (10/30)	36	50	365	2	1	97.5
vs. Bal (11/6)	20	37	330	1	1	82.0

In Weeks 7 and 8 Roethlisberger became the first Steelers' quarterback to register at least 360 passing yards in back-to-back games (361, 365). For his career, Roethlisberger has thrown for at least 360 yards, a franchise best, 10 times.

The Steelers have won six of the last nine games where Roethlisberger has thrown for 300 yards.

**Title Man: QB Ben Roethlisberger** has led the Steelers to the AFC Championship Game four times in his first seven seasons. He is one of only two active NFL quarterbacks to win multiple Super Bowl titles (Tom Brady).

Roethlisberger joined Roger Staubach, Bernie Kosar, Tom Brady and Donovan McNabb as the only quarterbacks to lead their teams to the conference title game at least three times in their first five seasons as the starting quarterback.

**Starting In Style:** In his career, **QB Ben Roethlisberger** owns a 80-33 (.708) record as a starting quarterback in the regular season. That mark is the second-best record in the NFL among all active quarterbacks (min. 50 starts).

Roethlisberger registered his 80<sup>th</sup> career win in his 113<sup>th</sup> career start, becoming the fourth quarterback who began their career in the Super Bowl era to reach 80 wins in 113 or fewer starts: Tom Brady (104), Roger Staubach (105) and Ken Stabler (112).

His 63-27 record after his first 90 starts in the NFL ranks third (tied) in league history for the best record in such starts. Only Brady (67-23) and Stabler (66-23-1) had better records in their first 90 starts in the NFL. Roethlisberger's record is tied with Jim McMahon.

The following is a look at the top five starting records among active quarterbacks in the NFL (min. 50 starts):

Name	W	L	T	Pct.
1. Tom Brady, Patriots	123	37	0	.767
2. <b>Ben Roethlisberger, Steelers</b>	<b>80</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>.708</b>
3. Matt Ryan, Falcons	43	18	0	.705
4. Joe Flacco, Ravens	43	20	0	.683
5. Peyton Manning, Colts	141	67	0	.678

**Movin' On Up: QB Ben Roethlisberger** leads the Steelers in nearly 40 different career categories and is tied for first in five other categories. In Week 13 vs. Cincinnati (2011), he passed Terry Bradshaw (2,025) for the most completions in franchise history. The following is where Roethlisberger ranks in Steelers history in several key passing categories:

**Roethlisberger's Career Rankings Among Steelers QBs**

Category	Statistic	Rank
Single-Season TD Passes (2007)	32	1 <sup>st</sup>
Single-Season Passing Yards (2009)	4,328	1 <sup>st</sup>
Single-Season Completions (2009)	337	1 <sup>st</sup>
Single-Season Completion Pct. (2004)	66.4	1 <sup>st</sup>
Single-Season Passer Rating (2007)	104.1	1 <sup>st</sup>
3,000-Yard Passing Seasons (2006-11)	6	1 <sup>st</sup>
Consecutive 3,000-Yard Passing Seasons (2006-11)	6	1 <sup>st</sup>
Single-Game Completion Pct. (11/26/07 vs. Miami)	85.7	1 <sup>st</sup>
Seasons w/ 250+ Completions (2006-09, 11)	5	1 <sup>st</sup>
Seasons w/ Completion Pct. of 60.0+ (2004, '05, '07, '09, '10, '11)	5	1 <sup>st</sup>
Seasons w/ Passer Rating of 90.0+ (2004, '05, '07, '09, '10, '11)	5	1 <sup>st</sup>
Completions in Single Game (11/5/06 vs. Denver)	38	1 <sup>st</sup>
Passing Yards in Single Game (12/20/09 vs. G.B.)	503	1 <sup>st</sup>
Career Winning Pct.	.708	1 <sup>st</sup>
Career Completion Pct.	63.1	1 <sup>st</sup>
Career Passing Yards/Attempts	8.0	1 <sup>st</sup>
Career QB Rating	92.1	1 <sup>st</sup>
Career 300-yard Passing Games	21	1 <sup>st</sup>
Career Games w/ 30+ Completions	6	1 <sup>st</sup>
Career Games w/ 100.0+ Passer Rating	49	1 <sup>st</sup>
Career Perfect Passer Rating Games (158.3) **	3	1 <sup>st</sup>
Career QB Rating in 4th Qtr. *	86.1	1 <sup>st</sup>
Career Touchdown Passes in Final 2 mins./game *	25	1 <sup>st</sup>
Consecutive Games w/ At Least One TD Pass (2006-07)	15	1 <sup>st</sup>
Games Played by Rookie QB (2004)	14	1 <sup>st</sup>
Passing Attempts by Rookie QB (2004)	295	1 <sup>st</sup>
Pass Completions by Rookie QB (2004)	196	1 <sup>st</sup>
Passing Yards by Rookie QB (2004)	2,621	1 <sup>st</sup>
Passing TDs by Rookie QB (2004)	17	1 <sup>st</sup>
Rushing Attempts by Rookie QB (2004)	56	1 <sup>st</sup>
Rushing Yards by Rookie QB (2004)	144	1 <sup>st</sup>
Completion Pct. by Rookie QB (2004) **	66.4	1 <sup>st</sup>
Passer Rating by Rookie QB (2004) **	98.1	1 <sup>st</sup>

Comp. %/Single Game by Rookie QB (10/17/04 vs. Dal.) **	84.0	1 <sup>st</sup>
Consecutive Wins to Start Career (2004) **	13	1 <sup>st</sup>
Total Wins by Rookie QB (2004) **	13	1 <sup>st</sup>
Single-Game TD Passes at Heinz Field ('07 vs. Bal, '11 vs. Ten)	5	1 <sup>st</sup>
Total Wins When Throwing for 300-plus Yards	11	1 <sup>st</sup>
Career Completions	2,090	1 <sup>st</sup>
Single-Game TD Passes on MNF (11/5/07 vs. Bal.) **	5	T-1 <sup>st</sup>
Consecutive Passes Completed (11/26/07 vs. Miami)	15	T-1 <sup>st</sup>
Seasons w/ 25+ Passing TDs (2007, 2009)	2	T-1 <sup>st</sup>
Career TD Passes (indoors)	16	T-1 <sup>st</sup>
Passing TDs in Single Game ('07 vs. Bal; '11 vs. Ten)	5	T-1 <sup>st</sup>
Career QB Rating in Final 2 mins./game *	76.9	2 <sup>nd</sup>
Career Yards/Attempt in Final 2 mins./game *	6.78	2 <sup>nd</sup>
Career Attempts	3,313	2 <sup>nd</sup>
Career Passing Yards	26,579	2 <sup>nd</sup>
Career Passing TDs	165	2 <sup>nd</sup>
Career TD Passes (on road)	79	2 <sup>nd</sup>
Career Passing Yards vs. NFC	6,230	2 <sup>nd</sup>
Career Touchdown Passes in Dec./Jan.	47	2 <sup>nd</sup>
Career Rushing Yards (by QB)	944	3 <sup>rd</sup>
Attempts in Single Game (11/5/06 vs. Denver)	54	3 <sup>rd</sup>

\* Since 1991

\*\* NFL Record

**Passing Perfection: QB Ben Roethlisberger** has achieved a number of outstanding single-season accomplishments in his eight-year career, including achieving a feat three times that is rarely done in the NFL.

Roethlisberger, who set the team's single-season mark for passer rating (104.1) in 2007, has had a perfect passer rating (158.3) three times in his career, tying him with QB Peyton Manning for the most in NFL history (minimum 10 attempts).

Roethlisberger's 44 career 100-plus passer rating games in the regular season rank first in team history, surpassing Terry Bradshaw, who had 31 such games since the passer rating rule was implemented in 1973.

**Steelers Highest Single-Season Passer-Ratings Leaders**  
(Among Qualifiers)

Player	Rating
1. <b>Ben Roethlisberger (2007)</b>	<b>104.1</b>
2. <b>Ben Roethlisberger (2009)</b>	<b>100.5</b>
3. <b>Ben Roethlisberger (2005)</b>	<b>98.6</b>
4. <b>Ben Roethlisberger (2004)</b>	<b>98.1</b>
5. <b>Ben Roethlisberger (2010)</b>	<b>97.0</b>

**Steelers Top Single-Season Completion Percentage Leaders**  
(Minimum 250 Attempts)

Player	Att.	Comp.	Pct.
1. <b>Ben Roethlisberger (2009)</b>	<b>506</b>	<b>337</b>	<b>66.6</b>
2. <b>Ben Roethlisberger (2004)</b>	<b>295</b>	<b>196</b>	<b>66.4</b>
3. <b>Ben Roethlisberger (2007)</b>	<b>404</b>	<b>264</b>	<b>65.3</b>
4. <b>Ben Roethlisberger (2011)</b>	<b>513</b>	<b>324</b>	<b>63.2</b>
5. <b>Ben Roethlisberger (2005)</b>	<b>268</b>	<b>168</b>	<b>62.7</b>

**Deadly Combination:** In 2011, **QB Ben Roethlisberger** and **WR Mike Wallace** connected for 1,193 yards on 72 receptions with eight touchdowns, including two scores in Week 13 versus Cincinnati.

The two have combined for 11 touchdowns of at least 40 yards since the start of 2009, which ranks first in team history and is the second-most amongst active players in the NFL (12, Peyton Manning and Reggie Wayne).

In 2011, Roethlisberger and Wallace recorded three touchdowns of at least 40 yards. In Week 7 at Arizona, Roethlisberger and Wallace connected on a 95-yard touchdown, the longest pass play and second-longest offensive play from scrimmage in Steelers history. In Week 5 versus Tennessee, Roethlisberger and Wallace connected on a 40-yard touchdown pass. In Week 3 at Indianapolis the two recorded an 81-yard touchdown, marking the fourth-longest pass of Roethlisberger's career and the second longest reception for Wallace. The following is a list of the top QB-WR combos in terms of touchdowns of 40 yards in club history:



**Quarterback/Wide Receiver**

<b>Ben Roethlisberger/Mike Wallace</b>	<b>11</b>
Bubby Brister/Louis Lipps	7
Terry Bradshaw/John Stallworth	6
Jim Finks/Ray Mathews	6

**Career TDs of  
40-plus yds.**

**Best of the Batch: QB Charlie Batch** filled in for an injured Ben Roethlisberger in Week 15 vs. St. Louis and led the Steelers to a 27-0 win while throwing for 208 yards on 15-of-22 passing (68.1). It was the first time he threw for over 200 yards since 12/30/07, at Baltimore (218).

Batch has a 24-29 record as a starting quarterback, including a 5-2 record in his nine seasons with Pittsburgh. He started two games in 2010 for the Steelers (Weeks 3-4) and went 1-1 in those two starts.

In his seven career starts with the Steelers, Batch is 92-of-151 (60.9 pct.) for 1,177 yards with eight touchdowns and seven interceptions (83.7 passer rating).

**Moving Up: WR Hines Ward** reached 12,083 career receiving yards, becoming the 19th player in NFL history to reach 12,000 receiving yards. The 17 players ahead of Ward on the NFL career receiving yards list, only Jerry Rice and Art Monk have multiple Super Bowl rings, and both are Hall of Famers.

<u>Rk.</u>	<u>Player</u>	<u>Rec. Yards</u>	<u>Rec.</u>
16.	Jimmy Smith (1992-2005)	12,287	862
17.	Charlie Joiner (1969-86)	12,146	750
<b>18.</b>	<b>Hines Ward (1998-Present)</b>	<b>12,083</b>	<b>1,000</b>
19.	Derrick Mason (1997-2011)	12,061	943
20.	Michael Irvin (1988-1999)	11,904	750

**Another Milestone: WR Hines Ward** five receptions for 24 yards in Week 17 at Cleveland to give him 1,000 career receptions. He became the eighth player in NFL history to reach 1,000 career receptions and the first in Steelers' history. Ward joined Hall of Famer Jerry Rice as the only two players to reach 1,000 career receptions and win multiple Super Bowls.

<u>Rk.</u>	<u>Player</u>	<u>Rec.</u>	<u>Rec. Yards</u>
1.	Jerry Rice (1985-2004)	1,549	22,895
2.	Tony Gonzalez (1997-Present)	1,149	13,338
3.	Marvin Harrison (1996-2008)	1,102	14,580
4.	Cris Carter (1987-2002)	1,101	13,899
5.	Tim Brown (1988-2004)	1,094	14,934
6.	Terrell Owens (1996-2010)	1,078	15,934
7.	Isaac Bruce (1994-2009)	1,024	15,208
<b>8.</b>	<b>Hines Ward (1998-Present)</b>	<b>1,000</b>	<b>12,083</b>

**Top Dawg: WR Hines Ward** leads the Steelers in at least 15 different career receiving categories.

Ward is the team's all-time leader in receiving yards (12,083), receptions (1,000) and receiving touchdowns (85).

Ward is the only wide receiver in Steelers history to be voted to four Pro Bowls. Ward's 1,167 receiving yards in 2009 made him the first Steelers receiver to reach 1,000 yards six times during his career with the team. No other Steeler has more than three.

Additionally, Ward has 29 career 100-yard receiving games, which is first on the team's all-time list.

In 2002, Ward became the first receiver in Steelers history to catch 100 passes (112) in a season. His 12 touchdown receptions in 2002 tied him with Louis Lipps (1985) and Buddy Dial (1961) for the highest single-season total in team history.

Ward was selected to the 2002-05 AFC Pro Bowl squads.

The following is where Ward ranks in Steelers history in several key receiving categories:

**Ward's Rankings Among Steelers Receivers (All-Time)**

<u>Category</u>	<u>Statistic</u>	<u>Rank</u>
Receptions .....	1,000	1 <sup>st</sup>
Receiving Yards .....	12,083	1 <sup>st</sup>
Receiving TDs .....	85	1 <sup>st</sup>
Career 100-Yard Games .....	29	1 <sup>st</sup>
Consecutive Games w/ Catch .....	186	1 <sup>st</sup>
1,000-Yd. Seasons (2001-04, 2008-09) .....	6	1 <sup>st</sup>
Consecutive 1,000-Yd. Seasons (2001-04) .....	4	1 <sup>st</sup>
90-plus Catch Seasons (2001-03, 2009) .....	4	1 <sup>st</sup>
Consecutive 90-plus Catch Seasons (2001-03) .....	3	1 <sup>st</sup>
Receptions in a Season (2002) .....	112	1 <sup>st</sup>
Rushing Yards by a Receiver .....	428	1 <sup>st</sup>
Consecutive Pro Bowls by Receiver (2002-05) .....	4	1 <sup>st</sup>
Consecutive Seasons as Team's Leading Receiver .....	11	1 <sup>st</sup>
TD Receptions in a Season (2002) .....	12	T-1 <sup>st</sup>
Consecutive 100-Yard Games (2002) .....	3	T-2 <sup>nd</sup>
Receptions in a Single Game (11/30/03) .....	13	2 <sup>nd</sup>
Receiving Yards in a Season (2002) .....	1,329	3 <sup>rd</sup>
100-Yard Games in a Season (2002, 2005, 2008, 2009) .....	5	T-3 <sup>rd</sup>
Receiving Yards in a Game (10/22/06) .....	171	11 <sup>th</sup>

**Chart Topper: WR Hines Ward** is the leading receiver in Steelers history in receptions, receiving yardage and touchdown catches. He has more receptions than Hall of Fame receivers John Stallworth and Lynn Swann combined.

Following are the Steelers' career receiving leaders:

**Steelers All-Time Leading Receivers**

<u>Rank</u>	<u>Player</u>	<u>No.</u>	<u>Yds.</u>	<u>Avg.</u>	<u>TDs</u>
<b>1.</b>	<b>Hines Ward (1998-present)</b>	<b>1,000</b>	<b>12,083</b>	<b>12.1</b>	<b>85</b>
2.	John Stallworth (1974-87)	537	8,723	16.2	63
3.	Louis Lipps (1984-91)	358	6,018	16.8	39
<b>4.</b>	<b>Heath Miller (2005-present)</b>	<b>337</b>	<b>3,864</b>	<b>11.5</b>	<b>31</b>
5.	Lynn Swann (1974-82)	336	5,462	16.3	51
6.	Elbie Nickel (1947-57)	329	5,133	15.6	37
7.	Franco Harris (1972-83)	306	2,284	7.5	9
8.	Plaxico Burress (2000-2004)	261	4,164	16.0	22
9.	Charles Johnson (1994-98)	250	3,400	13.6	15
10.	Merril Hoge (1987-93)	241	2,054	8.5	13

**Steelers All-Time Receiving Yardage Leaders**

<u>Rank</u>	<u>Player</u>	<u>Rec.</u>	<u>Yds.</u>	<u>Avg.</u>	<u>TDs</u>
<b>1.</b>	<b>Hines Ward (1998-present)</b>	<b>1,000</b>	<b>12,083</b>	<b>12.1</b>	<b>85</b>
2.	John Stallworth (1974-87)	537	8,723	16.2	63
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5.	Elbie Nickel (1947-57)	329	5,133	15.6	37
6.	Buddy Dial (1959-63)	229	4,723	20.6	42
7.	Plaxico Burress (2000-04)	261	4,164	16.0	22
8.	Ray Mathews (1951-59)	230	3,919	16.1	34
<b>9.</b>	<b>Heath Miller (2005-present)</b>	<b>337</b>	<b>3,864</b>	<b>11.5</b>	<b>31</b>
10.	Santonio Holmes (2006-09)	235	3,835	16.3	20

**Steelers' All-Time Scoring Leaders**

<u>Rank</u>	<u>Player</u>	<u>TDs</u>	<u>PAIs</u>	<u>2pt.</u>	<u>FGs</u>	<u>Pts</u>
1.	Gary Anderson (1982-93)	0	416	0	309	1,343
2.	Jeff Reed (2002-10)	0	307	0	204	919
3.	Roy Gerela (1971-78)	0	293	0	146	731
4.	Franco Harris (1972-83)	100	0	0	0	600
<b>5.</b>	<b>Hines Ward (1998-present)</b>	<b>86</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>526</b>
6.	Jerome Bettis (1996-2005)	80	0	1	0	482
7.	Norm Johnson (1995-98)	0	137	0	105	452
8.	John Stallworth (1974-87)	64	0	0	0	384
9.	Kris Brown (1999-01)	0	98	0	80	338
10.	Lynn Swann (1974-82)	53	0	0	0	318

**Ward Sticking Around: WR Hines Ward** is in his 14th year in the league and currently ranks first among active wide receivers (7th in NFL history) with 1,000 career receptions. The following is a list the top three active wide receivers with the most career receptions:

<u>Active Player</u>	<u>Career Receptions</u>
<b>Hines Ward</b>	<b>1,000</b>
Derrick Mason	943
Reggie Wayne	862

**12,000+ In One Place:** WR Hines Ward surpassed 12,000 receiving yards for his career, becoming the 19th player in NFL history to reach the mark.

Ward became the third player in NFL history to reach 12,000 receiving yards while playing for one team during their entire career (Marvin Harrison, Ind. and Steve Largent, Sea.). Ward is the first player in Steelers' history to reach 12,000 career receiving yards.

The following is a list of the players who have played their entire career with one team and posted more than 10,000 receiving yards:

<u>Player (Team)</u>	<u>Total Receiving Yds.</u>
Marvin Harrison (Colts)	14,580
Steve Largent (Seahawks)	13,089
<b>Hines Ward (Steelers)</b>	<b>12,083</b>
Michael Irvin (Cowboys)	11,904
Rod Smith (Broncos)	11,389

**Hines Hanging Around:** WR Hines Ward has been with the Steelers since he was drafted in the third round in the 1998 NFL Draft. The 2011 season marked Ward's 14th season with the Steelers, which ties for the second longest tenure in team history behind Mike Webster, who played in Pittsburgh for 15 years (1974-88). Ward owns the longest tenure among wide receivers with their current team.

The following is a list of the longest-tenured wideouts with their current team:

<u>Player</u>	<u>Team</u>	<u>First Year With Team</u>
Hines Ward	Steelers	1998
Donald Driver	Packers	1999

**Red-Zone Receiver:** WR Hines Ward has been a major target for Pittsburgh quarterbacks in the red zone. In Week 5, he recorded two touchdown receptions in the red zone against Tennessee.

Since 2002, Ward is second in the NFL with 50 red-zone receiving touchdowns. Ward had four red-zone touchdowns in 2010.

The following is a look at the top three active players in the NFL with receiving touchdowns in the red zone since 2002:

<u>Player (Team)</u>	<u># of Red-Zone TDs</u>
1. Antonio Gates (Chargers)	57
<b>2. Hines Ward (Steelers)</b>	<b>50</b>
3. Larry Fitzgerald (Cardinals)	49

**Ward On The Run:** WR Hines Ward's versatility makes him a threat to run the football as well as catch a pass.

Ward has 428 career rushing yards to mark the most by a Steelers wide receiver in team history.

Ward scored his first (and only) career rushing touchdown in 2004 against Philadelphia.

**Run That Rock, 34:** RB Rashard Mendenhall enjoyed a very solid second-half of the 2011 season. Since the beginning of November, Mendenhall had 507 rushing yards and six rushing touchdowns.

In Week 15 vs. St. Louis, Mendenhall rushed for 116 yards and one touchdown. He now has 29 career rushing touchdowns in the regular season, surpassing Pro Football Hall of Famer Franco Harris for the most rushing touchdowns in the first four seasons of a career in Steelers' history.

Mendenhall's game versus the Rams also marked the third time in 2011 that he averaged better than five yards per carry. In Week 10 Mendenhall averaged 5.4 yards on 13 carries (70 yards) against New England. In Week 6 versus Jacksonville, Mendenhall averaged of 6.3 yards per carry.

Mendenhall went over 100 rushing yards in the first half against the Jaguars for the first time in his career (113), including a career long run of 68 yards. It was the second-most rushing yards by a

Steeler in the first half, dating back to 1991. Mendenhall finished with 146 yards on 23 carries, the fourth most rushing yards of his career (151, 155, 165).

In addition to his success running the football, Mendenhall has held his own catching the football. He recorded nine receptions for 106 yards since the beginning of November, including a career long 35-yarder in Week 16 versus Rams.

**Wallace Continues To Thrive:** WR Mike Wallace followed up his breakout 2010 season with a stellar 2011, recording a career high 72 receptions for 1,193 yards and eight touchdowns. He was named a starter for his first career Pro Bowl, becoming the first Steelers wide receiver to start in the Pro Bowl since 1985 when John Stallworth was named a starter.

Wallace joined WR Antonio Brown (1,108 yards) as the third Steeler duo since 1960 to each register at least 1,100+ receiving yards in the same season (2002: Hines Ward, 1,329 / Plaxico Burress, 1,325 and 2009: Ward, 1,167 / Santonio Holmes, 1,248).

In 2010, Wallace posted his first career 1,000-yard season as he led all Steelers with 60 receptions, 1,257 receiving yards and 10 receiving touchdowns.

**100 Is the Number:** In Week 7 at Arizona, WR Mike Wallace gained 118 yards on three receptions, including a 95-yard touchdown, the longest reception and second longest offensive play from scrimmage in team history. It was Wallace's fourth 100-yard receiving game of the season.

He posted 100 yards receiving in each of the first three games in 2011, setting a franchise-best streak of six consecutive games with at least 100 yards receiving.

Wallace's six consecutive games with 100+ yards receiving tied the second longest streak in NFL history:

<u>100-yard Receiving Games</u>			
<u>Player</u>	<u>Team</u>	<u>Year</u>	<u>In a Row</u>
Charley Hannigan	Hou	1961	7
Michael Irvin	Dal	1995	7
<b>Mike Wallace</b>	<b>Pit</b>	<b>2010-11</b>	<b>6</b>
Raymond Berry	Bal	1960	6
Bill Groman	Hou	1961	6
Pat Studstill	Det	1966	6
Isaac Bruce	StL	1995	6

Wallace now has 12 career 100-yard receiving games during the regular season, passing Plaxico Burress (11) for the fourth-most in Steelers' history:

<u>Career 100-yard Receiving Games</u>			
<u>Rk.</u>	<u>Player</u>	<u>Years</u>	<u>Receiving Games</u>
1.	<b>Hines Ward</b>	<b>1998-Present</b>	<b>29</b>
2.	John Stallworth	1974-87	25
3.	Louis Lipps	1984-91	16
4.	<b>Mike Wallace</b>	<b>2009-Present</b>	<b>12</b>

In Week 3 at Indianapolis, Wallace set a career high with 144 yards on five receptions, including an 81-yard touchdown. Dating back to 1991, Wallace's 129 yards on three receptions were the most by a Steelers' receiver in the first quarter.

**Breakout Campaign:** WR Mike Wallace had a personal-best 10 receiving touchdowns in 2010. In 2011, Wallace recorded eight touchdowns.

Wallace led the NFL with seven 100-yard receiving games in 2010, tying the team's regular-season record set by John Stallworth in 1984. In 2011, Wallace had four 100-yard receiving games.

<u>100-yard receiving games (single season)</u>		
<u>Player</u>	<u>Year</u>	<u>Receiving Games</u>
<b>Mike Wallace</b>	<b>2010</b>	<b>7</b>
John Stallworth	1984	7

Yancey Thigpen	1997	6
<b>Hines Ward</b>	<b>2009</b>	<b>5</b>
Louis Lipps	1989	5

**Going Deep: WR Mike Wallace** was one of the NFL's top deep threats in 2010, averaging a conference-best 21.0 yards per catch (2nd in NFL), after leading the NFL in receiving average as a rookie in 2009. In 2011, Wallace averaged 16.6 yards per catch.

Since entering the league in 2009, Wallace has averaged 18.7 yards per catch and has 40 receptions of 25+ yards, second most behind Eagles WR DeSean Jackson (42).

In 2011, Wallace had 12 receptions of at least 25 yards (26, 28t, 29, 40, 40t, 48, 53, 81t, 95t, 25t, 36, 46). He had 26 receptions for at least 20 yards in 2010, the most for Pittsburgh since Hall of Famer John Stallworth had 24 in 1984.

In 2011, Wallace had seven receptions of at least 40 yards, including a 81-yard touchdown at Indianapolis in Week 3 and a 95-yard touchdown in Week 7 at Arizona, which ranks as the second longest offensive play from scrimmage and the longest pass play in Steelers' history. Wallace registered a reception of at least 40 yards in six consecutive games in 2011 (Games 2-7), the longest such streak in the NFL since Isaac Bruce in 2000 (Games 2-7).

The following is a list of all of Wallace's receptions (21) of at least 40 yards (bolded are 2011 receptions):

<u>Reception</u>	<u>Opponent</u>	<u>Date</u>
<b>95 yards (TD)</b>	<b>at Arizona</b>	<b>10/23/11</b>
<b>81 yards (TD)</b>	<b>at Indianapolis</b>	<b>9/25/11</b>
60 yards (TD)	vs. Green Bay	12/20/09
56 yards (TD)	at Cleveland	1/2/11
54 yards (TD)	at Miami	1/3/10
53 yards (TD)	at Miami	10/24/10
<b>53 yards</b>	<b>vs. Seattle</b>	<b>9/18/11</b>
52 yards (TD)	vs. Oakland	11/21/10
52 yards	vs. Atlanta	9/12/10
51 yards	at Cincinnati	9/27/09
50 yards	vs. Cleveland	10/17/10
<b>48 yards</b>	<b>vs. Jacksonville</b>	<b>10/16/11</b>
47 yards (TD)	at Detroit	10/11/09
<b>46 yards</b>	<b>vs. St. Louis</b>	<b>12/24/11</b>
46 yards (TD)	at Tampa Bay	9/26/10
45 yards	vs. Baltimore	12/27/09
43 yards (TD)	vs. Carolina	12/23/10
41 yards	at Cleveland	1/2/11
41 yards (TD)	at Tampa Bay	9/26/10
<b>40 yards (TD)</b>	<b>vs. Tennessee</b>	<b>10/9/11</b>
<b>40 yards</b>	<b>at Houston</b>	<b>10/2/11</b>
40 yards (TD)	vs. Minnesota	10/25/09

**Miller Time: TE Heath Miller** has been a consistent performer for the Steelers throughout his career and that continued this season. Miller was third on the team with 51 receptions for 631 yards and two touchdowns, and he registered at least one reception in all 16 games. Miller has recorded at least one reception in every game he has played in, including postseason, dating back to 11/3/08 vs. Washington, a streak of 58 games.

Miller passed Elbie Nickel (329) for the franchise lead in receptions by a tight end and passed Lynn Swann for the fourth most in Steelers history.

<u>Rk.</u>	<u>Player</u>	<u>Rec.</u>	<u>Yards</u>	<u>TDs</u>
1.	<b>Hines Ward (1998-Present)</b>	<b>991</b>	<b>12,027</b>	<b>85</b>
2.	John Stallworth (1974-87)	537	8,723	63
3.	Louis Lipps (1984-91)	358	6,018	39
4.	<b>Heath Miller (2005-Present)</b>	<b>337</b>	<b>3,864</b>	<b>31</b>
5.	Lynn Swann (1974-82)	336	5,462	51
6.	Elbie Nickel (1947-57)	329	5,131	37

In Week 14 against Cleveland Miller registered 82 yards on five receptions, including a 39-yard reception, the fifth longest of his career.

Miller recorded one the best games of 2011 in Week 8 against New England, posting seven receptions for 85 yards. Miller got off to a fast start, registering four receptions on the first drive of the game to account for 55 of the Steelers 68 total yards on the touchdown drive. Miller tied a first half career-high with six receptions and set a first half career-high with 76 yards. Miller previously registered six receptions in the first half against San Diego on 10/4/09, totaling 58 yards. Dating back to 1991, Miller's six receptions tied Eric Green (6 for 118 yards, 9/22/91 vs. Philadelphia) for the most receptions by a Steelers' tight end in the first half.

Miller had two touchdowns in 2011, giving him 31 for his career and making him the eighth Steelers player to record at least 30 receiving touchdowns. He is second on the team's all-time list for touchdowns by a tight end (Nickel, 37). After registering a touchdown in the Week 7 victory over Arizona, Pittsburgh improved 22-6 when Miller finds the end zone.

**Growing Up: WR Antonio Brown** is a second-year player that continues to get better as each game goes by. Last season he showed flashes of his ability late in the season and through out the postseason. In 2011 he is showing up on a more consistent basis on offense as well as special teams.

In 2011, Brown became the first player in NFL history with at least 1,000 receiving yards (1,108) and at least 1,000 return yards (1,062) in the same season.

With 2,211 all-purpose yards in 2011 Brown passed Barry Foster (2,034 in 1992) for the franchise single season record. He has elevated himself to consistent threat anytime he gets his hands on the ball, scoring as a receiver and returner.

As a receiver, Brown was second on the team with 69 receptions for 1,108 yards and two touchdowns, shattering his rookie totals of 167 yards on 16 receptions in nine games played in 2010.

Brown ranked third in the NFL in third down receiving with 28 receptions.

In 2011, Brown also set career single game highs in receiving yards: 151 on five receptions vs. Cleveland in Week 14, and receptions: nine for 67 yards versus New England in Week 8.

After not registering a 100-yard receiving game in the first 14 games of his career, Brown had three in the last eight games of the 2011 regular season (151 vs. Cleveland, 109 vs. Baltimore, 102 at Arizona).

Over the final five weeks of the regular season, Brown set new career-longs with a 45-yard reception versus Cincinnati in Week 13 and a 79-yard touchdown reception against Cleveland in Week 14.

Against Kansas City in Week 12, Brown recorded a team-high 81 yards on four receptions. In Week 10 at Cincinnati he made his first career start and recorded five receptions for a team-high 86 yards. Including four receptions for 74 yards on a drive that traveled 77 yards in 15 plays and resulted in a field goal that gave Pittsburgh a 17-10 lead late in the second quarter. During the drive Brown converted two consecutive third downs for the Steelers: a 3<sup>rd</sup>-and-19 with a 21-yard reception and a 3<sup>rd</sup>-and-7 with a 15-yard reception.

**Center Of Attention:** For the second consecutive season **C Maurkice Pouncey** was named to the Pro Bowl. This is his first selection as a starter.

Pouncey is the anchor of the Steelers offensive line. Last year, he was the first Steelers rookie offensive lineman to make the Pro Bowl since offensive tackle Frank Varrichione in 1956 and the first Steelers rookie since linebacker Kendrell Bell in 2002.

## INDIVIDUAL DEFENSIVE NOTES

**Finding the Ball: CB Ike Taylor** is one of the top cornerbacks in the league and is consistently matched up with the other team's top receiving threat, routinely minimizing their impact.

In two of the final six regular-season games, Taylor also contributed in the form of interceptions. In Weeks 13 and 14, Taylor registered interceptions in back-to-back regular season games for the first time in his career.

Pittsburgh had eight different players record interceptions during the regular season and Taylor is one of three (William Gay, Troy Polamalu) with two. He was one shy of his career-high of three set in 2007. Taylor also led the team with 20 passes defended during the regular season, the second highest single-season total in his career (25 in 2005).

Since Taylor became a regular starter (2005-present), the Steelers have led the league in pass defense, allowing only 192.4 net passing yards per game. Since 2005 the Steelers have played 112 regular-season games, with Taylor playing in all of them and starting 91, and during that time the defense has only allowed seven players to record double-digit receptions in a single game. Also, in those 112 games, Pittsburgh's defense has allowed only nine 300-yard passers, including only one in 2011.

**Man Of Troy: SS Troy Polamalu** continued to make plays during the 2011 regular season as well as be a consistent force on the Steelers defense, earning his seventh Pro Bowl honor and sixth as a starter.

Polamalu finished the season tied for third on the team with 90 tackles, including leading the team with 10 tackles at Cincinnati in Week 10. It marked his 13th career game with at least 10 tackles and second this season (10, at Houston).

On 3<sup>rd</sup>-and-4 at the Pittsburgh 12-yard line in Week 16 versus St. Louis, Polamalu tackled RB Steven Jackson for a loss of three yards, forcing a field goal that was missed with 13:40 left in the fourth quarter.

Polamalu recorded the 29th interception of his career against the Browns in Week 17, passing Jack Lambert for the ninth-most in Steelers' history. It was his seventh career interception against Cleveland, the most he has had against any opponent. Polamalu's 29 career interceptions are the most of any active Steeler. The team is 24-3 when Polamalu has an interception.

In Week 3 at Indianapolis, Polamalu returned a fumble 16 yards for a touchdown in the fourth quarter. In Week 2 he registered his first sack of 2011 and the ninth of his career versus Seattle.

Polamalu ranks fifth in Steelers' history among safeties in sacks. He is one shy of passing Chris Oldham (9.5) for fourth place in franchise history for the most sacks among safeties.

Since 2008, Polamalu is tied for second among NFL safeties in interceptions (19):

<u>Player</u>	<u>Team</u>	<u>INT</u>
Ed Reed	Baltimore	23
<b>Troy Polamalu</b>	<b>Pittsburgh</b>	<b>19</b>
Nick Collins	Green Bay	17
Michael Griffin	Tennessee	14

**If There's a Will There's A Way: CB William Gay** returned to the starting lineup in 2011 after serving as a nickel back for most of 2010. He was been an integral part of the Steelers number one ranked pass defense that held 10 teams to 170 net passing yards or less during the regular season. Gay tied for second on the team with 13 passes defended this season.

Gay came up with key interceptions at key times during the regular season. In Week 14 vs. Cleveland he recorded an interception in the end zone with 3:11 left in the game and the Steelers only up by four points. His best game of the season

came in Week 10 at Cincinnati. He was part of a secondary that held the Bengals to 170 net passing yards and contributed two game-altering plays in the fourth quarter. With the Bengals on the Pittsburgh 47-yard line with 12:22 remaining, Gay deflected a pass into the hands of **LB Lawrence Timmons**. Later, with 2:33 left in the game and Cincinnati driving to the Steelers' 25-yard line, Gay jumped a route to intercept an Andy Dalton pass, returning it 12 yards to the Pittsburgh 31-yard line. From there, Pittsburgh ran out the clock for the seven-point win.

With two interceptions during the regular season, Gay set a new career high after only recording one interception from 2007-10.

**Harrison Back In Charge: LB James Harrison**, the 2008 NFL Defensive Player of the Year, has been a terror on opposing quarterbacks since he became the starting outside linebacker for the Steelers in 2007. One of the only things that has been able to stop him are injuries, as a hurt eye sidelined him for four games during the 2011 regular season (Week 5-8). Although he only played in 11 games, Harrison finished the regular season tied for the team lead with nine sacks.

During the second half of the regular season, Harrison registered seven sacks: three sacks twice (Week 9 vs. Bal and Week 13 vs. Cin) and one against St. Louis in Week 16. He became the third Steelers' player to register at least three sacks multiple times in one season since 1982 (Chad Brown, 1996, 2; Mike Merriweather, 1984, 3).

Harrison has five regular-season games with at least three sacks in his career, tying Joey Porter for the most 3+ sack games during the regular season by a Steelers' player since 1982.

Including the postseason, Harrison has nine sacks against the Ravens, the most by any Steelers' player against Baltimore. He has eight career sacks versus the Bengals.

The Steelers are 28-12 when he posts a sack.

**Climbing The Ranks:** With 58.0 career sacks, **LB James Harrison** is one shy of tying Keith Willis (59.0, 1982-91) for the third most by a Steelers since sacks became an official statistic in 1982.

<u>Rk.</u>	<u>Player</u>	<u>Sacks</u>
1.	Jason Gildon (1994-2003)	77.0
2.	Joey Porter (1999-2006)	60.0
3.	Keith Willis (1982-91)	59.0
4.	<b>James Harrison (2002-Present)</b>	<b>58.0</b>

**Outside Presence: LB James Harrison** forced a fumble on a fourth-quarter sack of Ravens QB Joe Flacco in Week 9, giving Pittsburgh the ball at its own 42-yard line. Harrison forced a fumble on a sack that **SS Troy Polamalu** returned 16 yards for a touchdown to give Pittsburgh a 20-13 lead during a Week 3 victory over Indianapolis.

Harrison now has 26 forced fumbles in his career, ranking second in team history for career forced fumbles, behind only Greg Lloyd. The following is a list of the top seven career forced fumble leaders for the Steelers since 1987:

<u>Rk.</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u># of FF</u>
1.	Greg Lloyd	36
2.	<b>James Harrison</b>	<b>26</b>
3.	Jason Gildon	18
4.	Rod Woodson	17
5.	Joey Porter	16
	Carnell Lake	16
7.	<b>James Farrior</b>	<b>14</b>
	Levon Kirkland	14

In 2010, Harrison had a team-best six forced fumbles. The following is a list of the top five single-season forced fumbles leaders for the Steelers since 1992:

<u>Rk.</u>	<u>Name (Year)</u>	<u># of FF</u>
1.	<b>James Harrison (2008)</b> Greg Lloyd (1994)	7 7
3.	<b>James Harrison (2010)</b> <b>James Harrison (2007)</b> Greg Lloyd (1995)	6 6 6

**Sack Attack:** Despite missing five games during the 2011 regular season **LB James Harrison** tied for the team-lead with 9.0 sacks. He had a team-high 10.5 sacks in 2010 after posting 10 in 2009.

Harrison had a career-high 16 sacks in 2008, breaking the team record for sacks in a season. Mike Merriweather previously held the record since 1984.

The following is a list of the top five single-season sack leaders in team history:

<u>Rk.</u>	<u>Name (Year)</u>	<u># of Sacks</u>
1.	<b>James Harrison (2008)</b>	16
2.	Mike Merriweather (1984)	15
3.	Kevin Greene (1994) Keith Willis (1983)	14 14
5.	<b>LaMarr Woodley (2009)</b> Jason Gildon (2000)	13.5 13.5

**Double Trouble:** The Steelers have a tradition of fielding some of the best pass-rushing linebackers in the NFL, and current linebackers **James Harrison** and **LaMarr Woodley** have accounted for two of the top four sack totals by a Steelers' duo in team history.

In 2011, the two combined for 18.0 sacks during the regular season: Harrison (9.0) and Woodley (9.0), even though Harrison (Weeks 5-8, 14) and Woodley (Games 9-11, 13, 15) each missed games.

In 2010, Harrison (10.5) and Woodley (10) combined for 20.5 sacks. They totaled 23.5 sacks between them (Woodley 13.5, Harrison, 10) in 2009.

In 2008, Harrison and Woodley broke the team's top sack duo record (since 1982) by combining for 27.5 sacks. The 27.5 sacks by Harrison (16) and Woodley (11.5) broke the record (24) previously held by Jason Gildon (13.5) and Joey Porter (10.5) in 2000 and Kevin Greene (14) and Greg Lloyd (10) in 1994.

The following is a list of the Steelers' top sack duos since 1982, when sacks became an official NFL statistic:

#### **Steelers Top Sack Duos (Since 1982)**

<u>Year</u>	<u>Players (Ind. sacks)</u>	<u>Total Sacks</u>
2008	<b>James Harrison (16*)</b> <b>LaMarr Woodley (11.5)</b>	27.5*
2000	Jason Gildon (13.5) Joey Porter (10.5)	24
1994	Kevin Greene (14) Greg Lloyd (10)	24
2009	<b>LaMarr Woodley (13.5)</b> <b>James Harrison (10)</b>	23.5
1984	Mike Merriweather (15) Edmund Nelson (7)	22

\* *Steelers Record*

**Double-Digit Duty:** **LB LaMarr Woodley** (9.0) and **LB James Harrison** (9.0) each came up one sack short of becoming the first Steelers with at least 10 sacks in four consecutive seasons, dating back to 1982 when sacks became an official statistic.

Harrison became the first player in team history to post at least 10 sacks in three straight seasons as he had a team-best 10.5 in 2010. Harrison posted 10 in 2009 and a career-best (team record) 16 in 2008.

Additionally, Woodley became just the second player in team history to post at least 10 sacks in three straight years as he finished with 10 in 2010. Woodley recorded 13.5 in 2009 and 11.5 in 2008.

**Turnover Party:** In the final seven games of the regular season, Pittsburgh recorded 11 takeaways (nine interceptions and two fumble recoveries) after only recording four (two interceptions, two fumble recoveries) in the first nine games of the season.

Besides blowout wins of 27-0 versus St. Louis in Week 16 and 35-7 against Cincinnati in Week 13, the Steelers won four of the final seven games by a combined 26 points, with three wins being sealed by timely interceptions late in the fourth quarter.

In Week 14 against Cleveland, **CB William Gay** registered an interception in the end zone with 3:11 to play in the fourth quarter. In Week 12 at Kansas City, **CB Keenan Lewis** recorded his first career interception at the Pittsburgh 14-yard line with 28 seconds remaining. Against Cincinnati in Week 10, Gay came up with an interception at the Steelers 25-yard line with 2:33 left in the game.

**Mr. Versatility:** **LB Lawrence Timmons** has the ability to do many things for the Pittsburgh defense and during the 2011 regular season he was utilized in many areas. Due to injuries Timmons had to start four games at outside linebacker while starting 12 at his natural inside linebacker position. His versatility helped the Steelers maintain a defense that finished the regular season ranked first in yards allowed.

To finish the regular season, Timmons registered a sack in back-to-back games. In Week 10 against the Bengals, Timmons played his normal spot at inside linebacker and registered his fourth career interception, diving to pick off an Andy Dalton at the Steelers 33-yard line in the fourth quarter. It was the second consecutive year Timmons registered an interception at Cincinnati.

Timmons finished the regular season tied for third on the team with 86 tackles, while also registering 11 quarterback hurries and five passes defended.

**Making It Work:** During the 2011 regular season, the Steelers had to deal with injury issues on defense. Pittsburgh used nine different starting lineups in 16 games and still finished the season ranked near the top of the league in many defensive categories.

During the regular season, the Steelers only played five games with all four starting linebackers.

The following is the number of Steelers defenders who have missed games this season (regular starters bolded):

<u>Player</u>	<u>Games Missed</u>
<b>DE Aaron Smith (IR)</b>	12
NT Chris Hoke (IR)	10
<b>LB LaMarr Woodley</b>	6
<b>LB James Harrison</b>	5
LB Jason Worilds	4
<b>NT Casey Hampton</b>	3
<b>DE Brett Keisel</b>	2
<b>LB James Farrior</b>	2

**Great First Half:** Before being sidelined with a hamstring injury suffered in Week 8 versus New England, **LB LaMarr Woodley** registered nine sacks through the first eight games. Despite missing six games, Woodley's nine sacks tied for the team lead.

Nine sacks was the second most he recorded in the first eight games of a season during his career (9.5, 2008). Woodley's nine sacks also marked the fourth-highest total for a Steeler in the first half of a season since sacks became an official statistic in 1982:

<u>Rk.</u>	<u>Player (Year)</u>	<u>Sacks in Games 1-8</u>
1.	James Harrison (2008)	10.0
1.	Keith Willis (1983)	10.0
3.	<b>LaMarr Woodley (2008)</b>	9.5
4.	<b>LaMarr Woodley (2011)</b>	9.0

## INDIVIDUAL SPECIAL TEAMS NOTES

**Bringing The Wood:** LB LaMarr Woodley has been a force defensively since he became a starter in 2008. The fifth-year linebacker finished the regular season with nine sacks in 10 games played. Including the postseason, Woodley has recorded at least half a sack 12 times in the past 15 games he has played, totaling 15.5 sacks during the span.

Woodley recorded 1.5 sacks in Week 5 versus Tennessee and 2.0 sacks in Week 6 against Jacksonville, Week 7 at Arizona and Week 8 versus New England. It was the 16<sup>th</sup> regular season game of his career with at least 1.5 sacks. It marked the first time since sacks became an official statistic in 1982 that a Steelers' player registered at least 1.5 sacks in four consecutive regular season games. The last player in the NFL with more than one sack in four straight games was Simeon Rice in 2002 (five straight).

His sack in Week 1 at Baltimore marked the third time in the past four Kickoff Weekend games (2008, 2010, 2011) he recorded a sack.

Woodley had posted at least a half-sack in 10 straight games, dating from 2009-10, and had 13.5 sacks during that span (Week 10 of 2009 through Week 2 of 2010). That span of 10 straight games broke the team's all-time record of six, previously held by Greg Lloyd in 1994.

**Elite Company:** LB LaMarr Woodley has registered 48.0 sacks in his first five seasons with the Steelers, which ranks as the best start in franchise history and is the eighth most career sacks for a Steeler.

The following is a breakdown of sacks in the history of the club in player's first two, three, four and five seasons (Kevin Greene had 35.5 sacks in his first three seasons with the team, but he had previously played with the L.A. Rams):

**Most Sacks (two consecutive seasons)**

<u>Name</u>	<u>Sacks</u>	<u>Years</u>
James Harrison	26.0	2008-09
Jason Gildon	25.5	2000-01
LaMarr Woodley	25.0	2008-09

**Most Sacks (first three seasons with team)**

<u>Name</u>	<u>Sacks</u>	<u>Years</u>
LaMarr Woodley	29.0	2007-09
Keith Willis	20.0	1982-84

**Most Sacks (first four seasons with team)**

<u>Name</u>	<u>Sacks</u>	<u>Years</u>
LaMarr Woodley	39.0	2007-10
Joey Porter	30.5	1999-02
Chad Brown	30.0	1993-96

**Most Sacks (first five seasons with team)**

<u>Name</u>	<u>Sacks</u>	<u>Years</u>
LaMarr Woodley	48.0	2007-11
Keith Willis	37.5	1982-86
Joey Porter	35.5	1999-03

**Return Success:** WR Antonio Brown performed well in the return game, helping to fuel a regular season that saw him set the franchise record with 2,048 all-purpose yards and earn his first trip to the Pro Bowl.

Brown also became the first player in NFL history with at least 1,000 receiving yards (1,108) and at least 1,000 return yards (1,062) in the same season.

In Week 13 versus Cincinnati, Brown returned a punt 60 yards for a touchdown. For his career, Brown now has one punt return for a touchdown and one kickoff return for a touchdown. Dating back to 1941, he is one of three Steelers' players with at least one punt return for a touchdown and one kick return for a touchdown:

<u>Player</u>	<u>PR TD</u>	<u>KR TD</u>
Antwaan Randle El	4	1
Rod Woodson	2	2
<b>Antonio Brown</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>

Brown finished the season ranked fifth in the AFC in punt returns (10.8 avg.) and third in kickoff returns (27.3 avg.).

During the regular season, Brown recorded other long punt returns to compliment the touchdowns. He registered a 41-yard return in Week 2 versus Seattle. He followed it up with a return of 37 yards at Indianapolis and 33 yards at Houston. In Week 7 at Arizona, Brown averaged 23.5 yards on two punt returns, including a long of 31 yards.

Brown has also performed well on kick returns. Against Tennessee in Week 5, he registered the second longest kick return of his career (89-yard TD, 9/12/10 vs. Atl), a 52-yarder to the 50-yard line. In Week 1 against the Baltimore Ravens he returned three kickoffs for a total of 103 yards (31, 41 and 31 yards).

**Coming Up Clutch:** K Shaun Suisham connected on a 38-yard field goal with four seconds left in the fourth quarter to give Pittsburgh a 23-20 victory over Indianapolis in Week 3. It marked the fourth game-winning field goal of his career and second as a member of the Steelers.

<u>Game</u>	<u>Distance</u>	<u>Time left</u>	<u>Final Score</u>
at Ind, 9/25/11	38	4th Q, 0:04	23-20
at Buf, 11/28/10	41	OT	19-16
at NYJ, 11/4/07	46	OT	23-20
vs. Mia, 9/9/07	39	OT	16-13

**Back Again:** For the second consecutive season, P Jeremy Kapinos signed with the Pittsburgh Steelers on 11/5/11 to replace P Daniel Sepulveda who was placed on the Reserve/Injured List due to a knee injury.

In the final eight games of the regular season, Kapinos averaged 45.0 yards (38.3 net avg.) on 34 punts with a long of 59 yards while landing 10 punts inside the 20-yard line.

In 2010, Kapinos was signed in early December to fill in for the injured Sepulveda. In four regular season games in 2010, Kapinos averaged 41.1 yards per punt (32.3 net avg.) while averaging 48.0 yards per punt (38.5 net avg.) in three postseason contests.

Kapinos had a very good preseason this year, averaging 49.8 yards on nine punts (44.6 net avg.) with a long of 63 yards and four punts landing inside the 20-yard line.

## THE STEELERS IN 2011

	Regular Season	Post Season
<b>Overall:</b>	<b>12-4</b>	<b>0-0</b>
At Home:	7-1	0-0
On the Road:	5-3	0-0
Neutral:	0-0	0-0
<b>By Month:</b>		
September:	2-1	0-0
October:	4-1	0-0
November:	2-1	0-0
December:	3-1	0-0
January:	1-0	0-0
<b>vs. AFC:</b>	<b>9-3</b>	<b>0-0</b>
vs. AFC North	4-2	0-0
vs. AFC East	1-0	0-0
vs. AFC South	3-1	0-0
vs. AFC West	1-0	0-0
<b>vs. NFC:</b>	<b>3-1</b>	<b>0-0</b>
vs. NFC East	0-0	0-0
vs. NFC North	0-0	0-0
vs. NFC South	0-0	0-0
vs. NFC West	3-1	0-0
When Scoring First:	8-0	0-0
When Opponent Scored First:	4-4	0-0
When Scoring 20 or More Points:	8-1	0-0
When Scoring Less Than 20 Points:	4-3	0-0
When Leading after the first quarter:	9-0	0-0
When Trailing after the first quarter:	1-4	0-0
When Tied after the first quarter:	2-0	0-0
When Leading at the Half:	10-0	0-0
When Trailing at the Half:	2-4	0-0
When Tied at the Half:	0-0	0-0
When Leading after three quarters:	11-0	0-0
When Trailing after three quarters:	1-4	0-0
When Tied after three quarters:	0-0	0-0
When Outrushing the Opponent:	10-1	0-0
With 35 or More Rushing Attempts:	2-0	0-0
With Less Than 25 Passing Attempts:	4-0	0-0
When Led in Time of Possession:	10-1	0-0
When Trailing in Time of Possession:	2-3	0-0
On Turf:	3-1	0-0
On Grass:	9-3	0-0
When led in Takeaway/Turnover Ratio:	6-0	0-0
When even in Takeaway/Turnover Ratio:	2-0	0-0
When trailed in Takeaway/Turnover Ratio:	4-4	0-0
With an Individual 100-Yard Rusher:	3-0	0-0
With an Individual 300-Yard Passer:	3-2	0-0
With an Individual 100-Yard Receiver:	4-2	0-0
With an Ind. Opponent 100-Yard Rusher:	1-2	0-0
With an Ind. Opponent 300-Yard Passer:	0-1	0-0
With an Ind. Opponent 100-Yard Receiver:	0-0	0-0
When winning the coin toss:	6-2	0-0
When losing the coin toss:	6-2	0-0
When playing outdoors:	10-3	0-0
When playing indoors:	2-1	0-0
In overtime games:	0-0	0-0

## Preseason Game #1

Washington 16, Pittsburgh 7

Aug. 12, 2011

FedEx Field (68,320)

**LANDOVER, Md.** – For the first time since 2006, the Steelers lost their preseason opener, falling to the Washington Redskins, 16-7, at FedEx Field. The Steelers fell to 4-9 in the preseason when facing the Redskins on the road.

Neither team scored in the first quarter, but the Redskins had an opportunity on their opening drive of the game but K Shayne Graham missed a 29-yard field goal. Midway through the second quarter, QB Rex Grossman found WR Santana Moss for an eight-yard touchdown to give the Redskins a 7-0 lead. Grossman finished with a game-high 207 yards passing and one touchdown. Moss finished with a game-high seven receptions for 64 yards and one touchdown.

The Steelers answered Washington on their next possession. **RB Isaac Redman** broke free for a 22-yard touchdown run to tie the game, 7-7. Redman finished the game with five carries for 42 yards and one touchdown. But it would be the last points the Steelers would score. Prior to halftime, Graham missed another field goal, this time from 49 yards, and the teams went into halftime tied 7-7.

The Steelers only managed to gain 57 yards of offense in the second half, and only drove the ball into Redskins' territory once. The Redskins moved the ball well in the second half. Rookie RBs Evan Royster and Roy Helu combined for 88 rushing yards, while QB Kellen Clemens added 105 passing yards. K Graham Gano made three second-half field goals, from 32, 34 and 45 yards out, to seal the victory for the Redskins.

The Redskins gained 452 total yards of offense (312 passing, 140 rushing) to the Steelers' 186 yards of total offense (103 passing, 83 rushing). Washington's offense had 27 first downs, while the Steelers only had 12. The Redskins' defense added three sacks, while the Steelers' defense had zero. Washington also dominated the time of possession, holding the football for almost 20 minutes more than Pittsburgh.

The majority of the Steelers' starters only played one or two series, while the Redskins' starters played the entirety of the first half. Despite accounts that the preseason games would consist of sloppy play, there were only five total penalties in the game and neither team had a turnover.

### GAME SUMMARY

<b>STEELERS (0-1)</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>7</b>
<b>Redskins (1-0)</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>16</b>

TEAM	Q	TIME	PLAY	DRIVE	SCORE
WAS	2	5:54	S. Moss 8 yd. pass from Grossman (Gano kick)	8-82; 3:51	0-7
PIT	2	4:13	Redman 22 yd. run (Suisham kick)	4-80; 1:41	7-7
WAS	3	4:50	Gano 32 yd. FG	14-82; 7:31	7-10
WAS	4	9:53	Gano 34 yd. FG	14-69; 6:30	7-13
WAS	4	2:23	Gano 34 yd. FG	7-28; 3:39	7-16

### TEAM STATISTICS

	Steelers	Redskins
1st Downs	12 (4-6-2)	27 (7-19-1)
3rd Downs	2-11 (18%)	5-14 (36%)
4th Downs	0-1 (0%)	1-1 (100%)
Total Net Yards	186	452
Plays-Avg.	48-3.9	78-5.8
Rushing Yards	83	140
Rush Att.-Avg.	18-4.6	35-4.0
Passing Yards	137	312
Att.-Comp.-Int.	27-11-0	43-28-0
Sacks By	0-0	3-34
Punts-Avg.	8-50.4	4-36.0
Penalties	2-10	3-38
Fumbles-Lost	0-0	2-0
Time of Poss.	20:35	39:25

### INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

**RUSHING:** Pit. – Redman 5-42, 1 TD; Dixon 2-17; Moore 4-10; Dwyer 5-7; Mendenhall 1-4; Clay 1-3. **Was.** – Royster 15-66; Hightower 10-44; Helu 8-28; Draughn 2-2.

**PASSING:** Pit. – Leftwich 10-6-0,70; Dixon 10-1-0, 29; Batch 4-2-0, 16; Roethlisberger 3-2-0, 22. **Was.** – Grossman 26-19-0, 207, 1 TD; Clemens 17-9-0, 105.

**RECEIVING:** Pit. – Brown 4-64; Battle 2-22; Greenwood 1-29; McCrae 1-10; Dwyer 1-6; Mendenhall 1-3; Wallace 1-3. **Was.** – Moss 7-64, 1 TD; Gaffney 5-38; Stallworth 3-46; Armstrong 3-32; Austin 2-46; Paul 1-16; Young 1-16; Paulsen 1-12; Davis 1-11; Helu 1-10; Hankerson 1-8; Hightower 1-8; Williams 1-5.

**Preseason Game #2**  
**Pittsburgh 24, Philadelphia 14**  
**Aug. 18, 2011**  
**Heinz Field (55,189)**

**PITTSBURGH** – The Steelers' offense scored three touchdowns in the first half, cruising to a 24-14 victory over the Philadelphia Eagles at Heinz Field. With the win, the Steelers improved to 11-4 all-time against the Eagles at home in the preseason.

Less than a week after the Steelers' first-team offense failed to score a touchdown, they erupted for three first-half scores. **QB Ben Roethlisberger** found **WR Antonio Brown** for a 29-yard touchdown midway through the first quarter to put the Steelers up 7-0. Roethlisberger then found **WR Hines Ward** for a 20-yard touchdown early in the second quarter to give the Steelers a 14-0 lead. Roethlisberger finished the game 8-of-12 for 125 yards and two touchdowns.

On the Eagles next drive **S Ryan Clark** picked off QB Michael Vick, the first of five forced turnovers by the Steelers on the night. On the following Eagles drive, **CB Keenan Lewis** picked off Vick. And prior to halftime, **S Troy Polamalu** picked off Vick to set the Steelers up in Eagles' territory. With only 19 seconds left in the half **QB Byron Leftwich** found newly acquired **WR Jericho Cotchery** for a 20-yard score and the Steelers went into halftime with a 21-0 lead. Leftwich completed 4-of-7 passes for 67 yards and one touchdown.

QB Vince Young came in for the Eagles in the third quarter and he was picked off by **LB Larry Foote**. Early in the fourth quarter, RB Dion Lewis was stripped by **S Will Allen**, the fifth turnover of the night for the Eagles.

**K Swayze Waters** added a 30-yard field goal in the fourth quarter to put the Steelers up 24-0. The Eagles would score twice late in the fourth quarter. WR Gerald Jones had two touchdown receptions of 14 and seven yards from QB Mike Kafka. Kafka finished with a game-high 160 yards passing.

The Steelers offense had 403 total yards of total offense (259 passing 144 rushing) and zero turnovers. **RB Jonathan Dwyer** had a game-high 44 yards rushing. The Steelers defense forced five turnovers (4 interceptions, 1 fumble). Also, 15 different Steelers caught at least one pass.

**GAME SUMMARY**

<b>Eagles (1-1)</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>14</b>
<b>STEELERS (1-1)</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>24</b>

TEAM	Q	TIME	PLAY	DRIVE	SCORE
PIT	1	7:24	A. Brown 29 yd. pass from Roethlisberger (Waters kick)	14-80; 7:36	7-0
PIT	2	11:06	Ward 20 yd. pass from Roethlisberger (Waters kick)	14-96; 8:15	14-0
PIT	2	0:12	Cotchery 20 yd. pass from Leftwich (Waters kick)	5-44; 0:37	21-0
PIT	4	14:12	Waters 30 yd. FG	8-51; 3:46	24-0
PHI	4	3:47	G. Jones 14 yd. pass from Kafka (Henery kick)	8-80; 2:57	24-7
PHI	4	0:19	G. Jones 7 yd. pass from Kafka (Henery kick)	12-94; 2:20	24-14

**TEAM STATISTICS**

	Eagles	Steelers
1st Downs	21 (6-15-0)	23 (8-13-2)
3rd Downs	3-8 (38%)	10-17 (59%)
4th Downs	2-3 (67%)	0-1 (0%)
Total Net Yards	335	403
Plays-Avg.	58-5.8	73-5.5
Rushing Yards	98	144
Rush Att.-Avg.	18-5.4	39-3.7
Passing Yards	241	282
Att.-Comp.-Int.	39-24-4	31-20-0
Sacks By	3-23	1-4
Punts-Avg.	1-53.0	2-36.5
Penalties	4-44	9-75
Fumbles-Lost	1-1	0-0
Time of Poss.	21:09	38:51

**INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS**

**RUSHING:** Phi. – Brown 6-25; McCoy 4-25; Kafka 2-24; Lewis 2-19; Vick 2-3; Young 1-2; Havili 1-0. **Pit.** – Dwyer 13-44; Mendenhall 6-28; Redman 8-26; Moore 5-16; Clay 4-14; Leftwich 1-9; Roethlisberger 1-8; Dixon 1-(-1).

**PASSING:** Phi. – Kafka 19-14-0, 160, 2 TD; Vick 12-5-3, 47; Young 8-5-1, 34. **Pit.** – Roethlisberger 12-8-0, 125, 2 TD; Dixon 11-8-0, 90; Leftwich 7-4-0, 67, 1 TD; Brown 1-0-0, 0.

**RECEIVING:** Phi. – Higgins 7-54; Harper 3-37; Jones 3-36, 2 TD; Hall 3-20; Lewis 2-48; Jackson 2-8; Cooper 1-16; McCoy 1-12; Moss 1-7; Buckley 1-3. **Pit.** – Battle 3-47; Cotchery 2-49, 1 TD; Mendenhall 2-17; Grisham 2-15; Brown 1-29, 1 TD; Moore 1-23; Robinson 1-22; Ward 1-20, 1 TD; Saunders 1-14; Lyons 1-12; Miller 1-11; Greenwood 1-10; Redman 1-7; Dwyer 1-6; Gilmore 1-0.

**Preseason Game #3**  
**Pittsburgh 34, Atlanta 16**  
**Aug. 27, 2011**  
**Heinz Field (56,754)**

**PITTSBURGH** – **QB Ben Roethlisberger** and **WR Antonio Brown** combined for two long touchdowns (77, 44) in the first half, and the Steelers cruised to a 34-16 victory against the Atlanta Falcons at Heinz Field. Pittsburgh is now 7-0 all time versus the Falcons in the preseason.

The Steelers wasted no time getting on the board, scoring only a minute and a half into the game. Brown took the opening kickoff back 51 yards and three plays later **RB Rashard Mendenhall** scored on a one-yard TD run. **LB Lawrence Timmons'** interception of QB Matt Ryan set up the Steelers second score, a **Shaun Suisham** 19-yard field goal, and the Steelers led 10-0.

The Falcons tied the game 10-10 on a field goal by K Matt Bryant and a 10-yard touchdown pass from Ryan to WR Roddy White. But the Steelers' offense kept rolling. Roethlisberger found Brown in the middle of the field for a 77-yard touchdown midway through the second quarter. With less than two minutes left in the half, Brown grabbed a 44-yard touchdown pass from Roethlisberger. Brown finished with a game-high 137 receiving yards and a game-high two touchdowns, while adding 109 kickoff return yards. Roethlisberger finished with 214 yards passing on just 11 completions and two touchdowns.

Bryant added a 46-yard field goal prior to halftime to cut the lead to 24-16. Neither team scored in the third quarter, but seconds into the fourth quarter, **CB Crezdon Butler** stepped in front of QB Chris Redman's pass and took it 95 yards for a touchdown to give the Steelers a 31-16 lead. Butler also added a game-high nine tackles. **K Swayze Waters** added a 27-yard field goal late in the game to seal the victory.

The Steelers offense had 320 total yards (224 passing, 96 rushing), and for the third consecutive game Pittsburgh's offense did not commit a turnover. The Steelers had a preseason-high in kickoff return yards (124) and interception return yards (139). **RB Jonathan Dwyer** led the team in rushing (36 yards) for the second consecutive game.

**GAME SUMMARY**

<b>Falcons (0-3)</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>16</b>
<b>STEELERS (2-1)</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>34</b>

TEAM	Q	TIME	PLAY	DRIVE	SCORE
PIT	1	13:30	Mendenhall 1 yd. run (Suisham kick)	3-35; 1:30	7-0
PIT	1	6:30	Suisham 19 yd. FG	4-2; 1:54	10-0
ATL	1	2:09	Bryant 23 yd. FG	12-75; 4:21	10-3
ATL	2	9:35	White 10 yd. pass from Ryan (Bryant kick)	8-38; 4:32	10-10
PIT	2	8:00	A. Brown 77 yd. pass from Roethlisberger (Suisham kick)	3-81; 1:35	17-10
ATL	2	2:53	Bryant 30 yd. FG	14-58; 5:07	17-13
PIT	2	1:41	A. Brown 44 yd. pass from Roethlisberger (Suisham kick)	6-81; 1:12	24-13
ATL	2	0:04	Bryant 46 yd. FG	12-52; 1:37	24-16
PIT	4	14:44	Butler 95 yd. interception return (Waters kick)	---; ---	31-16
PIT	4	1:51	Waters 27 yd. FG	11-68; 5:14	34-16

**TEAM STATISTICS**

	Falcons	Steelers
1st Downs	26 (7-18-1)	15 (7-8-0)
3rd Downs	10-20 (50%)	4-11 (36%)
4th Downs	1-1 (100%)	0-0 (0%)
Total Net Yards	405	320
Plays-Avg.	86-4.7	51-6.3
Rushing Yards	106	96
Rush Att.-Avg.	25-4.2	28-3.4
Passing Yards	309	238
Att.-Comp.-Int.	60-30-2	21-13-0
Sacks By	2-14	1-10
Punts-Avg.	4-35.0	4-44.0
Penalties	6-50	4-43
Fumbles-Lost	2-1	1-0
Time of Poss.	35:22	24:38

**INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS**

**RUSHING:** Atl. – Rodgers 7-38; Ryan 2-24; Turner 7-19; Snelling 4-12; Sylvester 1-7; Johnson 2-4; Redman 1-3; Smith 1-(-1). **Pit.** – Dwyer 6-36; Redman 5-20; Clay 3-10; Dixon 4-9; Mendenhall 7-8, 1 TD; Moore 1-6; Leftwich 1-6; Brown 1-1.

**PASSING:** Atl. – Ryan 42-22-1, 220, 1 TD; Redman 18-8-1, 89. **Pit.** – Roethlisberger 16-11-0, 214, 2 TD; Dixon 3-1-0, 13; Leftwich 2-1-0, 11.

**RECEIVING:** Atl. – White 8-101, 1 TD; Jones 5-59; Gonzalez 4-26; Douglas 3-31; Rodgers 2-12; Palmer 1-19; Smith 1-18; Weems 1-17; Strickland 1-9; Cone 1-9; Johnson 1-5; Snelling 1-3; Mughelli 1-0. **Pit.** – Brown 4-137, 2 TD; Ward 3-29; Johnson 2-34; Battle 2-19; Lyons 1-3; Wallace 1-6.



## Preseason Game #4

Pittsburgh 33, Carolina 17

Sept. 1, 2011

Bank of America Stadium (72,358)

**CHARLOTTE** – For the second consecutive year, the Steelers finished their preseason schedule in familiar fashion, beating the Carolina Panthers. With the 33-17 victory at Bank of America Stadium, the Steelers improved to 8-4 all time when facing the Panthers in the preseason.

The Steelers struck first for the third consecutive game, this time with a little luck. **WR Mike Wallace** caught the ball at the one-yard line, but he was stripped by CB Chris Gamble and the football rolled into the end zone. **TE David Johnson** fell on the loose ball and the Steelers took a 7-0 lead. The Panthers scored only three minutes later when rookie QB Cam Newton found TE Jeremy Shockey for a 10-yard touchdown to tie the game 7-7.

The Steelers went up 14-7 midway through the second quarter on **RB Jonathan Dwyer's** 50-yard touchdown run. Dwyer finished the night with a game-high 88 yards rushing on 13 carries. It was the third straight game that he led the Steelers in rushing. Dwyer finished the preseason with a team-leading 175 yards on the ground.

The Panthers though struck quickly on their ensuing drive. QB Derek Anderson found WR David Clowney for a 41-yard touchdown pass to tie the game 14-14. The Steelers would take a 20-14 halftime lead on **K Shaun Suisham's** two field goals. Suisham connected on field goals from 52 and 31 yards.

The Panthers got within three points on K Adi Kunalic's 20-yard field goal early in the third quarter, but it's the closest the Panthers would get the rest of the game. **K Swayze Waters** added two field goals, a 22-yarder late in the third quarter and a 53-yarder early in the fourth to put the Steelers up 26-17. **QB Dennis Dixon** found rookie **TE Weslye Saunders** for a 15-yard touchdown pass to seal the 33-17 victory for the Steelers. Dixon finished the game 11-of-22 for 157 yards and one touchdown.

The Steelers offense racked up 362 total yards, including a preseason-high 154 yards rushing. The Steelers offense did not commit a turnover for the entire preseason. The defense had a preseason-high four sacks and forced two turnovers. **NT Steve McLendon** had one sack, giving him a team-high two for the preseason.

### GAME SUMMARY

<b>STEELERS (3-1)</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>33</b>
<b>Panthers (1-3)</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>16</b>

TEAM	Q	TIME	PLAY	DRIVE	SCORE
PIT	1	9:54	Johnson fumble recovery in end zone (Suisham kick)	10-80: 5:06	7-0
CAR	1	6:07	Shockey 10 yd. pass from Newton (Mare kick)	9-71: 3:47	7-7
PIT	2	8:40	Dwyer 50 yd. run (Suisham kick)	4-69: 1:48	14-7
CAR	2	6:56	Clowney 41 yd. pass from Anderson (Kunalic kick)	4-80: 1:44	14-14
PIT	2	4:44	Suisham 52 yd. FG	6-21: 2:12	17-14
PIT	2	0:18	Suisham 31 yd. FG	7-52: 1:32	20-14
CAR	3	10:11	Kunalic 20 yd. FG	10-78: 4:49	20-17
PIT	3	3:28	Waters 22 yd. FG	12-79: 6:43	23-17
PIT	4	14:49	Waters 53 yd. FG	8-11: 3:19	26-17
PIT	4	13:56	Saunders 15 yd. pass from Dixon	1-15: 0:05	33-17

### TEAM STATISTICS

	Steelers	Panthers
1st Downs	18 (6-11-1)	22 (7-11-4)
3rd Downs	4-13 (31%)	6-13 (46%)
4th Downs	0-0 (0%)	0-3 (0%)
Total Net Yards	362	375
Plays-Avg.	61-5.9	68-5.5
Rushing Yards	154	95
Rush Att.-Avg.	30-5.1	23-4.1
Passing Yards	216	304
Att.-Comp.-Int.	30-17-0	41-21-1
Sacks By	4-24	1-8
Punts-Avg.	4-51.8	3-43.3
Penalties	11-99	3-40
Fumbles-Lost	2-1	2-1
Time of Poss.	30:00	30:00

### INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

**RUSHING:** Pit. – Dwyer 13-88, 1 TD; Clay 7-30; Redman 4-29; Dixon 4-6; Johnson 1-3; Moore 1-(-1). Car. – Goodson 7-31; Vaughan 6-25; Newton 1-19; Stewart 2-9; Felton 3-8; Sutton 2-4; Clausen 1-0; Anderson 1-(-1).

**PASSING:** Pit. – Dixon 22-11-0, 157, 1 TD; Batch 8-6-0, 59, 1 TD. Car. – Anderson 19-11-0, 192, 1 TD; Clausen 17-7-1, 87; Newton 5-3-0, 25, 1 TD.

**RECEIVING:** Pit. – Sanders 4-60; Battle 4-36; Saunders 3-32, 1 TD; Lyons 1-38; Johnson 1-14; Redman 1-11; Wallace 1-10; Grisham 1-10; Robinson 1-5. Car. – Wright 3-51; Sutton 3-30; Edwards 3-29; Clowney 2-45, 1 TD; Goodson 2-39; Hartsock 2-21; Shockey 2-19, 1 TD; LaFell 1-45; Vaughan 1-10; Warren 1-9; Naanee 1-6.

## Game #1

Baltimore 35, Pittsburgh 7

Sept. 11, 2011

M&T Bank Stadium (71,434)

**BALTIMORE** – The Steelers dropped their season opener for the first time since 2002, losing to the Baltimore Ravens at M&T Bank Stadium, 35-7. It was the largest margin of victory for the Ravens in the series history, thanks in large part to seven Steelers' turnovers.

It only took three plays for the Ravens to score their first touchdown. RB Ray Rice took the opening snap and rushed for 36 yards. Two plays later QB Joe Flacco found WR Anquan Boldin for a 27-yard touchdown and the Ravens led 7-0.

The Steelers first turnover came late in the first quarter when LB Terrell Suggs sacked and stripped the ball from **QB Ben Roethlisberger**. Suggs finished with a game-high three sacks. Rice then ran it in from one-yard out to put the Ravens up 14-0. The Steelers responded on their ensuing drive. Roethlisberger found **WR Emmanuel Sanders** for an 11-yard touchdown to cut the lead 14-7. But it would be the last points the Steelers would score.

Flacco and Rice hooked up for an 11-yard touchdown prior to halftime and the Steelers found themselves in a 14-point hole. On the Steelers' first play of the second half, Ravens' NT Haloti Ngata broke free and stripped the football from **RB Rashard Mendenhall**, setting the Ravens up at the Steelers' 16-yard line. On the very next play, Flacco found TE Ed Dickson for an 18-yard touchdown. Flacco finished the game 17-of-29 for 224 yards with three touchdowns and zero interceptions.

On the Steelers' very next offensive play, Roethlisberger was picked off by LB Ray Lewis. And on the Steelers ensuing drive, it looked as if they would find a way into the endzone, but Roethlisberger was intercepted by S Ed Reed. After Reed's interception, the Ravens marched right down the field and K Billy Cundiff connected on a 29-yard field goal.

Reed picked off Roethlisberger again in the fourth quarter, and the Steelers' **RB Mewelde Moore** was stripped by Lewis midway through the fourth quarter for the Steelers' seventh turnover. Cundiff connected from 30 yards out before the two-minute warning to give the Ravens the 35-7 victory.

Despite the turnovers, Roethlisberger finished with a game-high 280 yards passing. **WR Mike Wallace** also posted his ninth career 100-yard receiving game and fourth consecutive 100-yard game in the regular season. Wallace tied a career-high with eight receptions. **LB LaMarr Woodley** posted his 40th career sack, which tied him for 10th on the team's all-time list.

### GAME SUMMARY

<b>STEELERS (0-1)</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>7</b>
<b>Ravens (1-0)</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>35</b>

TEAM	Q	TIME	PLAY	DRIVE	SCORE
BAL	1	13:28	Boldin 27 yd. pass from Flacco (Cundiff kick)	3-66: 1:32	0-7
BAL	1	1:49	Rice 1 yd. run (Cundiff kick)	4-37: 1:19	0-14
PIT	2	10:23	Sanders 11 yd. pass from Roethlisberger (Suisham kick)	10-68: 6:26	7-14
BAL	2	1:48	Rice 11 yd. pass from Flacco (Cundiff Kick)	12-84: 5:16	7-21
BAL	3	14:39	Dickson 18 yd. pass from Flacco (Koch run)	1-18: 0:09	7-29
BAL	3	2:50	Cundiff 29 yd. FG	10-79: 4:35	7-32
BAL	4	1:56	Cundiff 30 yd. FG	4 (-3): 2:05	7-35

### TEAM STATISTICS

	Steelers	Ravens
1st Downs	20 (4-15-1)	17 (5-10-2)
3rd Downs	3-9 (33%)	7-16 (44%)
4th Downs	0-1 (0%)	0-1 (0%)
Total Net Yards	312	385
Plays-Avg.	61-5.1	61-6.3
Rushing Yards	66	170
Rush Att.-Avg.	16-4.1	31-5.5
Passing Yards	280	224
Att.-Comp.-Int.	41-22-3	29-17-0
Sacks By	1-9	4-34
Punts-Avg.	4-52.8	5-47.2
Penalties	6-63	7-75
Fumbles-Lost	4-4	0-0
Time of Poss.	27:29	32:31

### INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

**RUSHING:** Pit. – Mendenhall 12-45; Redman 3-12; Roethlisberger 1-9. Bal. – Rice 19-107, 1 TD; Williams 12-63.

**PASSING:** Pit. – Roethlisberger 41-22-3, 280, 1 TD. Bal. – Flacco 29-17-0, 224, 3 TD.

**RECEIVING:** Pit. – Wallace 8-107; Ward 5-67; Miller 3-42; Moore 2-30; Sanders 2-20, 1 TD; Brown 2-14. Bal. – Dickson 5-59, 1 TD; Boldin 4-74, 1 TD; Rice 4-42, 1 TD; Pitta 2-45; Williams 1-4; Leach 1-0.

**Game #2**  
**Pittsburgh 24, Seattle 0**  
**Sept. 18, 2011**  
**Heinz Field (63,663)**

**PITTSBURGH** – The Steelers won their ninth straight home opener, shutting out the Seattle Seahawks 24-0 at Heinz Field. This was the team's first shutout since the 2008 season and the second-consecutive time the Seahawks have been shut out at Heinz Field.

On the Steelers' opening drive, **QB Ben Roethlisberger** led the team to the Seattle one-yard line but the Seahawks held the Steelers on fourth-and-goal. The Steelers responded on their next drive when **RB Rashard Mendenhall** scored from one-yard out to put the Steelers up 7-0. Mendenhall finished with a game-high 66 yards rushing and one touchdown.

The Steelers went up 14-0 in the second quarter when **RB Isaac Redman** scored on a 20-yard touchdown run. It was Redman's first career rushing touchdown. He finished the game with 49 yards rushing and one touchdown. Steelers' **K Shaun Suisham** added a 20-yard field goal late in the first half and the Steelers took a 17-0 lead into halftime.

The Steelers scored their final points when Roethlisberger found **WR Mike Wallace** for a two-yard touchdown pass late in the third quarter. Wallace tied a career-high with eight receptions for 126 yards and one touchdown. The 126 receiving yards were the second-highest total of his career. Wallace also surpassed 100+ yards receiving for the fifth consecutive regular-season game.

The Steelers defense did not budge against Seattle, only letting up 164 total yards (133 passing, 31 rushing). The 164 yards allowed are the third-lowest total since the start of the 2008 season. The defense added five sacks. **NT Steve McLendon** recorded his first career half-sack and **LB James Harrison** became just the seventh player in team history to reach 50 sacks with his sack of QB Tarvaris Jackson.

With the victory, Roethlisberger won his 70<sup>th</sup> game as a starting quarterback. Roethlisberger is now 5-0 in home openers.

**GAME SUMMARY**

<b>Seahawks (0-2)</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>STEELERS (1-1)</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>24</b>

TEAM	Q	TIME	PLAY	DRIVE	SCORE
PIT	1	3:28	Mendenhall 1 yd. run (Suisham kick)	9-60; 4:51	7-0
PIT	2	12:41	Redman 20 yd. run (Suisham kick)	6-53; 2:40	14-0
PIT	2	1:52	Suisham 20 yd. FG	14-81; 7:43	17-0
PIT	3	3:30	Wallace 2 yd. pass from Roethlisberger (Suisham kick)	9-71; 5:47	24-0

**TEAM STATISTICS**

	Seahawks	Steelers
1st Downs	8 (1-7-0)	23 (5-16-2)
3rd Downs	2-12 (17%)	8-15 (53%)
4th Downs	1-2 (50%)	0-1 (0%)
Total Net Yards	164	421
Plays-Avg.	47-3.5	68-6.2
Rushing Yards	31	124
Rush Att.-Avg.	13-2.4	35-3.5
Passing Yards	159	313
Att.-Comp.-Int.	29-20-0	31-23-0
Sacks By	2-16	5-26
Punts-Avg.	8-48.1	3-58.3
Penalties	6-66	4-48
Fumbles-Lost	0-0	0-0
Time of Poss.	21:16	38:44

**INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS**

**RUSHING:** Sea. – Jackson 3-12; Lynch 6-11; Forsett 3-10; Washington 1(-2). Pit. – Mendenhall 19-66, 1 TD; Redman 10-49 1 TD; Roethlisberger 5-8; Brown 1-1.

**PASSING:** Sea. – Jackson 29-20-0, 159. Pit. – Roethlisberger 30-22-0, 298, 1 TD; Sanders 1-1-0, 15.

**RECEIVING:** Sea. – Obomanu 4-45; Durham 3-30; Forsett 3-20; Tate 2-12; McCoy 2-9; Williams 1-17; Miller 1-13; Williams 1-9; Washington 1-9; Baldwin 1-4; Lynch 1-1. Pit. – Wallace 8-126, 1TD; Brown 4-67, Ward 4-33; Sanders 2-44; Mendenhall 2-12, Miller 1-16; Moore 1-9; Redman 1-6.

**Game #3**  
**Pittsburgh 23, Indianapolis 20**  
**Sept. 25, 2011**  
**Lucas Oil Stadium (66,309)**

**INDIANAPOLIS** – **K Shaun Suisham** nailed a 38-yard field goal with only four seconds left in the game to lift the Steelers to a 23-20 victory against the Indianapolis Colts at Lucas Oil Stadium. With the victory, the Steelers improved to 2-1 on the season. It marked the first victory for the Steelers in Indianapolis during the regular season since 1991.

The Steelers took the opening kickoff and went up 3-0 on Suisham's 48-yard field goal. Late in the first quarter, the Steelers took a 10-0 lead when **QB Ben Roethlisberger** found **WR Mike Wallace** for an 81-yard touchdown, the longest reception in Wallace's career. Wallace finished the game with a career-high 144 yards receiving and one touchdown, extending his franchise record to six consecutive 100-yard receiving games.

The Colts scored 13 unanswered points, thanks in large part to three Steelers' turnovers. A Roethlisberger fumble set up K Adam Vinatieri's 21-yard field goal to cut the lead 10-3. And with less than two minutes remaining in the half, Roethlisberger was sacked and stripped and Colts' DE Jamaal Anderson scooped the ball up and returned it 47 yards for a touchdown. On the Steelers' ensuing drive, Roethlisberger was picked off and Vinatieri connected from 25 yards out to give the Colts a 13-10 lead at halftime.

The Steelers tied the game 13-13 early in the fourth quarter on Suisham's 44-yard field goal. Midway through the fourth quarter the Steelers' defense forced its first turnover of the season on **LB James Harrison's** sack and forced fumble. **S Troy Polamalu** picked up the loose ball and returned it 16 yards to give the Steelers a 20-13 lead.

The Colts though struck on their next drive. RB Joseph Addai scored from six yards out to tie the game 20-20. But there was plenty of time for the Steelers to score. Roethlisberger led the team on a 10-play, 60-yard drive that was capped off by Suisham's game-winning field goal. It was Roethlisberger's 24<sup>th</sup> game-winning/overtime drive of his career. Roethlisberger finished with a game-high 364 yards passing with one touchdown.

**GAME SUMMARY**

<b>STEELERS (2-1)</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>23</b>
<b>Colts (0-3)</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>20</b>

TEAM	Q	TIME	PLAY	DRIVE	SCORE
PIT	1	12:43	Suisham 48 yd. FG	7-50; 2:17	3-0
PIT	1	3:29	Wallace 81 yd. pass from Roethlisberger (Suisham kick)	2-86; 0:53	10-0
IND	2	6:14	Vinatieri 21 yd. FG	12-47; 5:44	10-3
IND	2	1:46	Anderson 47 yd. fumble return (Vinatieri kick)	---; ---	10-10
IND	2	0:15	Vinatieri 25 yd. FG	4-5; 1:19	10-13
PIT	4	12:10	Suisham 44 yd. FG	10-50; 5:40	13-13
PIT	4	5:13	Polamalu 16 yd. fumble return (Suisham kick)	---; ---	20-13
IND	4	2:09	Addai 6 yd. run (Vinatieri kick)	10-80; 3:04	20-20
PIT	4	0:04	Suisham 38 yd. FG	10-60; 2:05	23-20

**TEAM STATISTICS**

	Steelers	Colts
1st Downs	19 (4-14-1)	14 (4-10-0)
3rd Downs	8-15 (53%)	7-16 (44%)
4th Downs	0-0 (0%)	0-0 (0%)
Total Net Yards	408	241
Plays-Avg.	68-6.0	62-3.9
Rushing Yards	67	97
Rush Att.-Avg.	28-2.4	21-4.6
Passing Yards	364	153
Att.-Comp.-Int.	37-25-1	40-18-0
Sacks By	1-9	3-23
Punts-Avg.	3-37.3	7-44.4
Penalties	4-38	3-21
Fumbles-Lost	2-2	1-1
Time of Poss.	33:58	26:02

**INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS**

**RUSHING:** Pit. – Mendenhall 18-37; Roethlisberger 5-15; Moore 2-9; Redman 3-6. Ind. – Addai 17-86, 1 TD; Carter 4-11.

**PASSING:** Pit. – Roethlisberger 37-25-1, 364, 1 TD. Ind. – Collins 29-13-0, 93; Painter 11-5-0, 60.

**RECEIVING:** Pit. – Wallace 5-144, 1 TD; Miller 5-71; Brown 4-75; Ward 3-17; Mendenhall 3-9; Sanders 2-21; Moore 1-22; Johnson 1-3; Saunders 1-2. Ind. – Garcon 6-82; Collie 5-29; Wayne 3-24; Clark 2-12; Eldridge 1-4; Addai 1-2.

## Game #4

Houston 17, Pittsburgh 10  
Oct. 2, 2011  
Reliant Stadium (71,585)

**HOUSTON** – RB Arian Foster scored on a 42-yard run midway through the fourth quarter to score the final points of a 17-10 victory for the Houston Texans over the Steelers at Reliant Stadium. With the loss, the Steelers fell to 2-2 on the season.

The Texans scored on their first possession as QB Matt Schaub led the team on a 19-play, 95-yard drive that was capped off by a one-yard touchdown toss to TE Owen Daniels.

K Neil Rackers added a 25-yard field goal late in the second quarter to give the Texans a 10-0 lead. The Steelers finally had some momentum on their final drive of the half. **K Shaun Suisham** attempted a 30-yard field goal, but it was blocked by S Daniael Manning. CB Johnathan Joseph then scooped up the loose football and returned 61 yards for a touchdown but the play was negated on a block in the back penalty. The Steelers trailed 10-0 at the half.

On the Steelers' first possession of the second half **QB Ben Roethlisberger** led the team on a 13-play, 74-yard drive that was capped by **RB Rashard Mendenhall's** three-yard touchdown run. The Steelers then tied the game, 10-10, when Suisham connected from 26 yards to begin the fourth quarter.

On the Texans' ensuing possession, Foster broke free and scored from 42 yards out. It was the longest run the Steelers' defense had given up since the 2006 season. Foster finished the game with 30 carries for 155 yards and one touchdown. The Steelers though had a chance to tie the game with less than a minute left, but Roethlisberger was picked off by CB Jason Allen.

The Texans rushed for 180 yards, which is the second-most rushing yards the Steelers' defense allowed in a game since the 2001 season. Foster's 155 rushing yards were the second-most by a running back against the Steelers' defense since 2001.

**WR Hines Ward** had one reception for 19 yards, giving him 11,838 career receiving yards, which puts him in 20<sup>th</sup> place in NFL History for receiving yards.

### GAME SUMMARY

<b>STEELERS (2-2)</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>10</b>
<b>Texans (3-1)</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>17</b>

TEAM	Q	TIME	PLAY	DRIVE	SCORE
HOU	1	4:05	Daniels 1 yd. pass from Schaub (Rackers kick)	19-95; 10:55	0-7
HOU	2	2:33	Rackers 25 yd. FG	12-60; 5:41	0-10
PIT	3	7:02	Mendenhall 3 yd. run (Suisham kick)	13-74; 7:58	7-10
PIT	4	14:57	Suisham 26 yd. FG	9-55; 5:27	10-10
HOU	4	12:02	Foster 42 yd. run (Rackers kick)	5-85; 2:55	10-17

### TEAM STATISTICS

	Steelers	Texans
1st Downs	20 (8-10-2)	17 (9-8-0)
3rd Downs	5-12 (42%)	6-12 (50%)
4th Downs	0-1 (0%)	0-0 (0%)
Total Net Yards	296	318
Plays-Avg.	57-5.2	56-5.7
Rushing Yards	118	180
Rush Att.-Avg.	22-5.4	35-5.1
Passing Yards	206	138
Att.-Comp.-Int.	30-16-1	21-14-0
Sacks By	0-0	5-28
Punts-Avg.	4-50.5	5-47.0
Penalties	5-45	9-64
Fumbles-Lost	0-0	1-0
Time of Poss.	28:17	31:43

### INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

**RUSHING:** Pit. – Redman 6-40; Moore 4-34; Mendenhall 9-25, 1 TD; Roethlisberger 2-11; Brown 1-8. Hou. – Foster 30-155, 1 TD; Tate 2-20; Ogbonnaya 1-4; Schaub 2-1.

**PASSING:** Pit. – Roethlisberger 30-16-1, 206. Hou. – Schaub 21-14-0, 138, 1 TD.

**RECEIVING:** Pit. – Brown 5-67; Wallace 4-77; Miller 3-15; Ward 1-19; Redman 1-12; Sanders 1-10, Johnson 1-6. Hou. – Daniels 5-69, 1 TD; Johnson 4-36; Foster 3-11; Dreesen 1-14; Casey 1-8.

## Game #5

Pittsburgh 38, Tennessee 17  
Oct. 9, 2011  
Heinz Field (63,875)

**PITTSBURGH** – **QB Ben Roethlisberger** threw for five touchdowns and **RB Jonathan Dwyer** ran for 107 yards, propelling the Steelers to a 38-17 victory over the Tennessee Titans at Heinz Field.

The Titans scored on their first possession of the game, marching 69 yards on 13 plays. K Rob Bironas connected from 29 yards out to put the Titans up 3-0.

The Steelers scored touchdowns on their first three possessions of the game. Roethlisberger found **TE Heath Miller** for an eight-yard touchdown pass to take a 7-3 lead. On the Steelers ensuing drive, Dwyer, on his first play of the season, raced down the sideline for a 76-yard run. It was the longest run of his career and it tied for the seventh longest run from scrimmage in Steelers' history. Later in the drive, Roethlisberger found **WR Hines Ward** for a seven-yard touchdown, and the Steelers led 14-3.

Roethlisberger threw his third touchdown of the day midway through the second quarter, finding **TE David Johnson** for a one-yard score. It was Johnson's first career touchdown, and the Steelers went into halftime up 21-3. The Steelers went up 28-3 when Roethlisberger connected with Ward on a five-yard touchdown pass. It was Ward's first multi-touchdown game of the season and 16<sup>th</sup> of his career. Ward finished with a game-high seven catches for 54 yards and two touchdowns.

The Titans cut the lead 28-10 on RB Chris Johnson's one-yard touchdown run but the Steelers answered. **K Shaun Suisham** extended the lead to 31-10 with a 19-yard field goal. Late in the fourth quarter the Titans cut the lead 31-17, when QB Matt Hasselbeck connected with WR Damian Williams on a 19-yard touchdown.

Roethlisberger threw his fifth touchdown pass of the game on the Steelers' next drive, finding **WR Mike Wallace** for a 40-yard score. It marked the second time in his career that he threw five touchdowns. Roethlisberger finished the game 24-of-34 for 228 yards with five touchdowns and one interception.

The Steelers' offense gained a season-high 431 total yards, including a season-high 174 yards rushing. The Steelers' defense held the Titans to 66 yards rushing, and had three sacks and one interception.

### GAME SUMMARY

<b>Titans (3-2)</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>17</b>
<b>STEELERS (3-2)</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>38</b>

TEAM	Q	TIME	PLAY	DRIVE	SCORE
TEN	1	8:17	Bironas 29 yd. FG	13-69; 6:43	0-3
PIT	1	3:00	Miller 8 yd. pass from Roethlisberger (Suisham kick)	10-50; 5:17	7-3
PIT	2	11:14	Ward 7 yd. pass from Roethlisberger (Suisham kick)	8-70; 4:30	14-3
PIT	2	6:11	Johnson 1 yd. pass from Roethlisberger (Suisham kick)	5-90; 3:10	21-3
PIT	3	4:44	Ward 5 yd. pass from Roethlisberger (Suisham kick)	9-71; 5:41	28-3
TEN	3	2:02	Johnson 1 yd. run (Bironas kick)	9-77; 2:42	28-10
PIT	4	10:45	Suisham 19 yd. FG	11-53; 6:09	31-10
TEN	4	3:32	Williams 19 yd. pass from Hasselbeck (Bironas kick)	10-37; 2:55	31-17
PIT	4	2:39	Wallace 40 yd. pass from Roethlisberger (Suisham kick)	3-44; 0:53	38-17

### TEAM STATISTICS

	Titans	Steelers
1st Downs	20 (6-11-3)	26 (9-15-2)
3rd Downs	7-15 (47%)	7-12 (58%)
4th Downs	1-2 (50%)	1-1 (100%)
Total Net Yards	306	431
Plays-Avg.	70-4.4	64-6.7
Rushing Yards	66	174
Rush Att.-Avg.	18-3.7	28-6.2
Passing Yards	262	261
Att.-Comp.-Int.	49-29-1	35-25-1
Sacks By	1-4	3-22
Punts-Avg.	4-42.3	2-24.0
Penalties	9-70	5-51
Fumbles-Lost	1-0	0-0
Time of Poss.	27:38	32:22

### INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

**RUSHING:** Ten. – Johnson 14-51, 1 TD; Ringer 3-12; Hasselbeck 1-3. Pit. – Dwyer 11-107, 1 TD; Redman 15-49; Brown 1-10; Wallace 1-8.

**PASSING:** Ten. – Hasselbeck 49-29-1, 262, 1 TD. Pit. – Roethlisberger 34-24-1, 228, 5 TD; Sepulveda 1-1-0, 33.

**RECEIVING:** Ten. – Williams 6-66, 1 TD; Ringer 6-16, Washington 5-69; Cook 4-59; Hawkins 4-33; Johnson 3-14; Mariani 1-5. Pit. – Ward 7-54, 2 TD; Wallace 6-82, 1 TD; Miller 3-46, 1 TD; Redman 3-12; Brown 2-23; Johnson 2-5, 1 TD; Mundy 1-33; Dwyer 1-6.

## Game #6

Pittsburgh 17, Jacksonville 13  
Oct. 16, 2011  
Heinz Field (62,934)

**PITTSBURGH** – RB Rashard Mendenhall returned to action after missing the previous week with a hamstring injury, and rushed for a season-high 146 yards, leading the Steelers to a 17-13 victory over the Jacksonville Jaguars at Heinz Field. With the win, the Steelers improved to 4-2 on the season, including a 3-1 record against the AFC South.

The Steelers wasted no time, scoring on their opening drive of the game. QB Ben Roethlisberger led the team on a 10-play, 87-yard drive, that was capped off by Mendenhall's eight-yard touchdown run. The Steelers scored again on their next drive, when Roethlisberger found WR Mike Wallace for a 28-yard touchdown. Wallace finished with a game-high 76 yards on two receptions, including a long of 48 yards. It marked the fifth straight game Wallace had a reception of 40+ yards.

K Shaun Suisham connected on a 21-yard field goal to give the Steelers a 17-0 lead. For the second consecutive game, the Steelers scored on their first three drives of the game. The Steelers' defense dominated the first half, holding the Jaguars to 68 total yards, while sacking QB Blaine Gabbert four times. The Jaguars found a way to score, when K Josh Scobee connected from 46 yards out, and the Steelers went into halftime with a 17-3 lead.

The Steelers offense failed to score in the second half, which allowed the Jaguars to chip away at the lead. Late in the third quarter, Gabbert found WR Jason Hill for an 18-yard touchdown to cut the lead to 17-10. Late in the fourth quarter, Scobee connected from 45 yards out to cut the lead to 17-13. The Jaguars had a chance to win the game on their final drive, but Gabbert's hail-mary attempt was knocked down by Steelers' defenders.

The Steelers offense totaled 370 yards, including a season-high 185 yards on the ground. The Steelers' defense held the Jaguars to 209 total yards, including 76 net passing yards. The Steelers defense also had five sacks, including a pair from both LB LaMarr Woodley and DE Brett Keisel.

### GAME SUMMARY

Jaguars (1-5)	0	3	7	3	13
STEELERS (4-2)	7	10	0	0	17

TEAM	Q	TIME	PLAY	DRIVE	SCORE
PIT	1	4:23	Mendenhall 8 yd. run (Suisham kick)	10-87; 5:57	7-0
PIT	2	13:40	Wallace 28 yd. pass from Roethlisberger (Suisham kick)	8-72; 4:15	14-0
PIT	2	10:58	Suisham 21 yd. FG	5-69; 1:25	17-0
JAX	2	8:44	Scobee 46 yd. FG	8-47; 2:14	17-3
JAX	3	1:46	Hill 18 yd. pass from Gabbert (Scobee kick)	17-80; 9:35	17-10
JAX	4	4:17	Scobee 45 yd. FG	5-25; 2:56	17-13

### TEAM STATISTICS

	Jaguars	Steelers
1st Downs	16 (6-7-3)	15 (6-8-1)
3rd Downs	4-15 (27%)	7-15 (47%)
4th Downs	1-1 (100%)	0-0 (0%)
Total Net Yards	209	370
Plays-Avg.	61-3.4	58-6.4
Rushing Yards	133	185
Rush Att.-Avg.	30-4.4	32-5.8
Passing Yards	109	200
Att.-Comp.-Int.	26-12-0	23-12-0
Sacks By	3-15	5-33
Punts-Avg.	7-42.3	6-42.7
Penalties	4-22	8-65
Fumbles-Lost	0-0	1-0
Time of Poss.	28:47	31:13

### INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

**RUSHING:** Jax. – Jones-Drew 22-96; Karim 5-21; Gabbert 3-16. Pit. – Mendenhall 23-146, 1 TD; Redman 4-22; Roethlisberger 3-9; Dwyer 2-8.  
**PASSING:** Jax. – Gabbert 26-12-0, 109, 1 TD. Pit. – Roethlisberger 23-12-0, 200, 1 TD.  
**RECEIVING:** Jax. – Thomas 4-36; Lewis 2-29; Hill 2-29, 1 TD; Jones-Drew 2-8; Dillard 1-7; Jones 1-0. Pit. – Miller 4-27; Ward 3-47; Wallace 2-76, 1 TD; Sanders 1-32; Brown 1-16; Redman 1-2.

## Game #7

Pittsburgh 32, Arizona 20  
Oct. 23, 2011  
University of Phoenix Stadium (62,475)

**GLENDALE, Ariz.** – The Steelers won their third consecutive game, defeating the Arizona Cardinals 32-20 at the University of Phoenix Stadium. With the win, the Steelers improved to 5-2 on the season, including 2-0 against the NFC West.

The Steelers scored a touchdown on their first possession for the third straight game after S Ryan Clark intercepted QB Kevin Kolb off a tipped pass to set the Steelers up at the Cardinals 31-yard line. Five plays later, QB Ben Roethlisberger found TE Heath Miller for a 12-yard score, and the Steelers led 7-0.

Midway through the second quarter, Roethlisberger and WR Mike Wallace connected on a 95-yard touchdown reception. It was the longest pass play in Steelers' history and second-longest play from scrimmage in team history. Wallace has now recorded one reception of at least 40 yards in six consecutive games, which is the longest streak in the NFL since Isaac Bruce in 2000. Wallace finished with a game-high 118 yards receiving and one touchdown.

With the Steelers up 14-0, the Cardinals answered with a 13-play 80-yard drive that was capped off by a one-yard run by RB Alfonso Smith to cut the lead 14-7. The Steelers went into halftime with a 17-7 lead when K Shaun Suisham connected on a 41-yard field goal as time expired.

The Cardinals cut the lead 17-14 when Kolb found RB LaRod Stephens-Howling for a 73-yard touchdown. But the Steelers put the game out of reach on their next three drives. Roethlisberger found WR Emmanuel Sanders for a four-yard touchdown to put the Steelers up 24-14. Then the Steelers registered a safety, their first since the 2008 season. LB LaMarr Woodley pressured Kolb in the end zone and Kolb was flagged for intentional grounding.

Suisham added two field goals in the fourth quarter (42, 39) to give the Steelers a 32-14 lead. The Cardinals added one score late in the fourth quarter.

Roethlisberger finished the game 26-of-39 for 361 yards with three touchdowns and zero interceptions, guiding the Steelers' offense to a season-high 445 total yards. Woodley added two sacks, marking the second time in his career that he's had three consecutive multi-sack games.

### GAME SUMMARY

STEELERS (5-2)	7	10	9	6	32
Cardinals (1-5)	0	7	7	6	20

TEAM	Q	TIME	PLAY	DRIVE	SCORE
PIT	1	9:39	Miller 12 yd. pass from Roethlisberger (Suisham kick)	5-31; 3:07	7-0
PIT	2	8:09	Wallace 95 yd. pass from Roethlisberger (Suisham kick)	1-91; 0:12	14-0
ARZ	2	1:20	Smith 1 yd. run (Feely kick)	13-80; 6:49	14-7
PIT	2	0:00	Suisham 41 yd. FG	8-52; 1:20	17-7
ARZ	3	9:26	Stephens-Howling 73 yd. pass from Kolb (Feely kick)	6-89; 2:40	17-14
PIT	3	3:54	Sanders 4 yd. pass from Roethlisberger (Suisham kick)	11-80; 5:32	24-14
PIT	3	3:42	Penalty on Kolb enforced in end zone for a Safety	----; ----	26-14
PIT	4	11:30	Suisham 42 yd. FG	13-51; 7:12	29-14
PIT	4	6:46	Suisham 39 yd. FG	7-19; 4:10	32-14
ARZ	4	3:53	Doucet 2 yd. pass from Kolb (Pass failed)	11-71; 2:53	32-20

### TEAM STATISTICS

	Steelers	Cardinals
1st Downs	26 (5-17-4)	23 (5-15-3)
3rd Downs	6-12 (50%)	3-8 (38%)
4th Downs	0-0 (0%)	1-1 (100%)
Total Net Yards	445	330
Plays-Avg.	69-6.4	55-6.0
Rushing Yards	91	73
Rush Att.-Avg.	28-3.3	19-3.8
Passing Yards	361	272
Att.-Comp.-Int.	39-26-0	34-18-1
Sacks By	2-15	2-7
Punts-Avg.	3-39.3	4-47.8
Penalties	9-69	9-74
Fumbles-Lost	0-0	0-0
Time of Poss.	35:47	24:13

### INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

**RUSHING:** Pit. – Mendenhall 13-32; Redman 6-29; Moore 6-26; Miller 1-6; Roethlisberger 2-(-2). Ariz. – Wells 12-42; Smith 5-17, 1 TD; Kolb 2-14.  
**PASSING:** Pit. – Roethlisberger 39-26-0, 361, 3 TD. Ariz. – Kolb 34-18-1, 272, 2 TD.  
**RECEIVING:** Pit. – A. Brown 7-102; Sanders 5-46, 1 TD; Miller 4-59, 1 TD; Wallace 3-118, 1 TD; Ward 3-21; Redman 3-10; Mendenhall 1-5. Ariz. – Doucet 5-30, 1 TD; Fitzgerald 4-78; Stephens-Howling 2-76, 1 TD; Housler 2-28; Sampson 2-27; Sherman 1-15; King 1-10; Roberts 1-8.

## Game #8

Pittsburgh 25, New England 17  
Oct. 30, 2011  
Heinz Field (64,424)

**PITTSBURGH** – The Steelers won their fourth straight contest, defeating the New England Patriots 25-17 at Heinz Field. With the win, the Steelers improved to 6-2 on the season.

The Steelers scored a touchdown on their opening drive for the fourth straight game as they drove 68 yards on 11 plays. **QB Ben Roethlisberger** found **RB Mewelde Moore** for a five-yard touchdown to give the Steelers a 7-0 lead. Roethlisberger finished the game with a season-high 365 passing yards and two touchdowns.

The Steelers increased their lead to 10-0 when **K Shaun Suisham** connected on a 33-yard field goal. Roethlisberger looked poised to add to the lead but he was picked off by LB Gary Guyton. Guyton's interception set the Patriots up at the Steelers eight-yard line. Two plays later QB Tom Brady found WR Deion Branch for a two-yard touchdown to cut the lead 10-7.

Roethlisberger answered on the ensuing drive, finding **WR Antonio Brown** for a seven-yard touchdown to give the Steelers a 17-7 lead. Patriots K Stephen Gostkowski added a 46-yard field goal prior to halftime to cut the lead 17-10.

The Steelers offense continued to control the clock after halftime. Suisham added two field goals (21, 23) to give the Steelers a 23-10 lead. The Patriots made the last few minutes of the fourth quarter very interesting. Brady found TE Aaron Hernandez for a one-yard score to cut the lead to 23-17. The Patriots inside kick attempt failed but the Steelers were unable to run out the clock. That left Brady with less than 30 seconds to work.

The Steelers defense sealed the win when **DE Brett Keisel** sacked Brady and forced a fumble. The ball rolled through the end zone and out of bounds for a safety. **LB LaMarr Woodley** added two sacks, becoming the first player in team history to register at least 1.5 sacks in four consecutive regular-season games. The Steelers defense held the Patriots to season-lows in total net yards (213), passing yards (198) and points (17).

The Steelers offense totaled 427 total yards (329 passing and 98 rushing), while controlling the football for almost 40 minutes.

### GAME SUMMARY

<b>Patriots (5-2)</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>17</b>
<b>STEELERS (6-2)</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>25</b>

TEAM	Q	TIME	PLAY	DRIVE	SCORE
PIT	1	9:08	Moore 5 yd. pass from Roethlisberger (Suisham kick)	11-68; 5:52	7-0
PIT	2	14:57	Suisham 33 yd. FG	16-72; 7:47	10-0
NE	2	8:20	Branch 2 yd. pass from Brady (Gostkowski kick)	2-8; 0:33	10-7
PIT	2	2:41	Brown 7 yd. pass from Roethlisberger (Suisham kick)	10-76; 5:39	17-7
NE	2	0:29	Gostkowski 46 yd. FG	10-52; 2:12	17-10
PIT	3	6:11	Suisham 21 yd. FG	14-70; 7:06	20-10
PIT	4	11:26	Suisham 23 yd. FG	11-63; 5:54	23-10
NE	4	2:35	Hernandez 1 yd. pass from Brady (Gostkowski kick)	10-67; 3:28	23-17
PIT	4	0:08	Brady fumble out of bounds in end zone for safety	----; ----	25-17

### TEAM STATISTICS

	Patriots	Steelers
1st Downs	19 (31-11-5)	29 (5-23-1)
3rd Downs	3-10 (30%)	10-16 (63%)
4th Downs	0-0 (0%)	0-0 (0%)
Total Net Yards	213	427
Plays-Avg.	50-4.3	78-5.5
Rushing Yards	43	98
Rush Att.-Avg.	12-3.6	23-4.3
Passing Yards	198	365
Att.-Comp.-Int.	35-24-0	50-36-1
Sacks By	5-36	3-28
Punts-Avg.	4-42.0	1-31.0
Penalties	6-37	8-50
Fumbles-Lost	1-0	1-0
Time of Poss.	20:38	39:22

### INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

**RUSHING:** N.E. – Faulk 6-32; Green-Ellis 5-9; Hernandez 1-2. **Pit.** – Mendenhall 13-70; Moore 1-16; Redman 7-11; Roethlisberger 2-1.

**PASSING:** N.E. – Brady 35-24-0, 198, 2 TDs. **Pit.** – Roethlisberger 50-36-1, 365, 2 TDs.

**RECEIVING:** N.E. – Gronkowski 7-94; Welker 6-39; Faulk 5-20; Branch 4-36, 1 TD; Hernandez 2-9, 1 TD. **Pit.** – Brown 9-67, 1 TD; Miller 7-85; Wallace 7-70; Sanders 5-70; Mendenhall 3-22; Moore 2-29, 1 TD; Cotchery 1-10; Johnson 1-7; Redman 1-5.

## Game #9

Baltimore 23, Pittsburgh 20  
Nov. 6, 2011  
Heinz Field (64,581)

**PITTSBURGH** – For the second consecutive year, QB Joe Flacco threw the game-winning touchdown at Heinz Field, this time to WR Torrey Smith, and the Ravens beat the Steelers 23-20. The Steelers dropped to 6-3 on the season.

On the opening drive of the game, the Ravens traveled 74 yards in 14 plays to set up an 18-yard field goal by K Billy Cundiff to take a 3-0 lead. **K Shaun Suisham** tied the game with a 36-yard field goal early in the second quarter.

Both teams exchanged field goals as Cundiff made a 43-yarder midway through the second quarter and Suisham connected from 30 yards out with only one minute left in the half. Cundiff connected on a 51-yarder as the clock expired, and the Ravens led 9-6 at halftime.

LB Terrell Suggs picked off **QB Ben Roethlisberger** when the Steelers were driving early in the second half. The Ravens went up 16-6 on their ensuing drive when Rice scored from four yards out. The Steelers got right back into the game when **RB Rashard Mendenhall** scored on a one-yard run to cut the lead to 16-13. On the Ravens next drive, **LB James Harrison** forced a fumble on a sack of Flacco and **CB William Gay** fell on the loose ball. Harrison finished the game with three sacks in his first game back in more than one month.

Roethlisberger led his team on a six-play, 58-yard drive that was capped off by a 25-yard touchdown toss to **WR Mike Wallace**. Roethlisberger finished with 330 yards passing, becoming the only quarterback in Steelers' history to throw for 300+ yards in three consecutive regular-season games.

The Steelers defense held the Ravens on their next possession but the Steelers were unable to add to their total. They pinned the Ravens on their own eight-yard line with 2:24 left in the game. That's when Flacco led his team on a 13-play 92-yard drive that was capped by the 26-yard touchdown pass to Smith in closing seconds.

### GAME SUMMARY

<b>Ravens (6-2)</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>23</b>
<b>STEELERS (6-3)</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>20</b>

TEAM	Q	TIME	PLAY	DRIVE	SCORE
BAL	1	8:10	Cundiff 18 yd. FG	14-75; 6:50	0-3
PIT	2	14:05	Suisham 36 yd. FG	7-52; 3:03	3-3
BAL	2	9:28	Cundiff 43 yd. FG	10-34; 4:37	3-6
PIT	2	1:05	Suisham 30 yd. FG	10-49; 4:34	6-6
BAL	2	0:00	Cundiff 51 yd. FG	5-32; 1:05	6-9
BAL	3	4:27	Rice 3 yd. run (Cundiff kick)	12-71; 6:09	6-16
PIT	4	14:32	Mendenhall 1 yd. run (Suisham kick)	11-80; 4:55	13-16
PIT	4	4:59	Wallace 25 yd. pass from Roethlisberger (Suisham kick)	6-58; 2:41	20-16
BAL	4	0:08	Smith 26 yd. pass from Flacco (Cundiff kick)	13-92; 2:16	20-23

### TEAM STATISTICS

	Ravens	Steelers
1st Downs	23(2-18-3)	20 (5-15-0)
3rd Downs	14-21 (67%)	7-12 (58%)
4th Downs	1-1 (100%)	0-0 (0%)
Total Net Yards	356	392
Plays-Avg.	77-4.6	58-6.8
Rushing Yards	67	70
Rush Att.-Avg.	27-2.5	20-3.5
Passing Yards	300	330
Att.-Comp.-Int.	47-28-0	37-20-1
Sacks By	1-8	3-11
Punts-Avg.	2-45.0	3-33.3
Penalties	3-20	6-69
Fumbles-Lost	2-1	1-1
Time of Poss.	33:59	26:01

### INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

**RUSHING:** Bal. – Rice 18-43, 1 TD; Williams 9-24. **Pit.** – Mendenhall 13-52, 1 TD; Roethlisberger 3-13; Cotchery 1-3; Redman 3-2.

**PASSING:** Bal. – Flacco 47-28-0, 300, 1 TD. **Pit.** – Roethlisberger 37-20-1, 330, 1 TD.

**RECEIVING:** Bal. – Boldin 7-88; Smith 5-71, 1 TD; Pitta 5-46; Rice 5-43; Williams 2-28; Dickson 2-8; Williams 1-11; Leach 1-5. **Pit.** – Brown 5-109; Miller 5-73; Wallace 4-68, 1 TD; Cotchery 3-44; Johnson 1-25; Redman 1-8; Mendenhall 1-3.

## Game #10

Pittsburgh 24, Cincinnati 17  
Nov. 13, 2011  
Paul Brown Stadium (63,262)

**CINCINNATI – CB William Gay** picked off QB Andy Dalton late in the fourth quarter, helping to clinch the Steelers 24-17 victory over the Cincinnati Bengals at Paul Brown Stadium. The Steelers also improved to 10-2 during the regular season at Paul Brown Stadium.

The Steelers raced to a 14-0 lead, scoring touchdowns on their first two possessions of the game. **QB Ben Roethlisberger** found **WR Jerricho Cotchery** for a 16-yard touchdown to give the Steelers a 7-0 lead. It was Cotchery's first touchdown as a Steeler.

**RB Rashard Mendenhall** scored from two yards out late in the first quarter to give the Steelers a 14-0 lead. The Bengals scored with only 14 seconds left in the first quarter when Dalton found WR A.J. Green for a 36-yard touchdown. On the Steelers ensuing drive, Roethlisberger was picked off by CB Leon Hall. The Bengals took over and K Mike Nugent made a 43-yard field goal to cut the lead to 14-10.

**K Shaun Suisham** connected from 39 yards with less than a minute remaining in the first half, and the Steelers went into halftime with a 17-10 lead. The Bengals tied the game at 17-17 when Dalton found TE Jermaine Gresham for a one-yard score. The Steelers registered the game-deciding touchdown late in the third quarter when Mendenhall scored from nine yards out. Mendenhall finished with 44 yards rushing and recorded his fourth multi-touchdown game of his career.

The Steelers got a lot of help from their defense in the fourth quarter, recording two crucial interceptions when the Bengals were driving. **LB Lawrence Timmons** picked off Dalton early in the fourth quarter off a deflection by Gay. Then Gay added his own interception as the Bengals were driving late in the fourth quarter. The Steelers' defense forced a season-high two turnovers.

### GAME SUMMARY

<b>STEELERS (7-3)</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>24</b>
<b>Bengals (6-3)</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>17</b>

TEAM	Q	TIME	PLAY	DRIVE	SCORE
PIT	1	9:15	Cotchery 16 yd. pass from Roethlisberger (Suisham kick)	8-54; 4:15	7-0
PIT	1	3:37	Mendenhall 2 yd. run (Suisham kick)	9-78; 4:34	14-0
CIN	1	0:14	Green 36 yd. pass from Dalton (Nugent kick)	7-79; 3:23	14-7
CIN	2	12:02	Nugent 43 yd. FG	7-15; 2:41	14-10
PIT	2	0:58	Suisham 39 yd. FG	16-67; 6:38	17-10
CIN	3	8:38	Gresham 1 yd. pass from Dalton (Nugent kick)	11-67; 4:47	17-17
PIT	3	1:55	Mendenhall 9 yd. run (Suisham kick)	11-81; 6:43	24-17

### TEAM STATISTICS

	Steelers	Bengals
1st Downs	24 (6-18-0)	14 (6-7-1)
3rd Downs	5-12 (42%)	4-11 (36%)
4th Downs	0-0 (0%)	0-0 (0%)
Total Net Yards	328	279
Plays-Avg.	68-4.8	56-5.0
Rushing Yards	105	109
Rush Att.-Avg.	30-3.5	26-4.2
Passing Yards	223	170
Att.-Comp.-Int.	33-21-1	30-15-2
Sacks By	0-0	5-22
Punts-Avg.	5-50.4	6-46.0
Penalties	4-31	4-35
Fumbles-Lost	0-0	0-0
Time of Poss.	33:53	26:07

### INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

**RUSHING:** Pit. – Mendenhall 16-44, 2 TDs; Wallace 2-31; Redman 7-25; Moore 2-7; Roethlisberger 3-(-2). Cin. – Benson 15-57; Scott 7-38; Green 1-7; Hawkins 1-4; Leonard 2-3.

**PASSING:** Pit. – Roethlisberger 33-21-1, 245, 1 TD. Cin. – Dalton 30-15-2, 170, 2 TDs.

**RECEIVING:** Pit. – Wallace 6-54; Brown 5-86; Miller 3-31; Cotchery 2-29, 1 TD; Mendenhall 1-26; Saunders 1-11; Ward 1-10; Johnson 1-6, Redman 1-(-8). Cin. – Hawkins 5-56; Gresham 4-23, 1 TD; Caldwell 3-25; Green 1-36, 1 TD; Cochart 1-25; Benson 1-5.

## Game #11

Pittsburgh 13, Kansas City 9  
Nov. 27, 2011  
Arrowhead Stadium (72,173)

**KANSAS CITY – CB Keenan Lewis'** interception of Chiefs' QB Tyler Palko late in the fourth quarter sealed the 13-9 Steelers' victory against the Kansas City Chiefs at Arrowhead Stadium. The Steelers improved to 8-3 on the season and remained tied for first place in the AFC North.

Palko led the Chiefs on an 11-play, 57-yard drive set up K Ryan Succop for a 41-yard field goal on the opening drive of the game to put the Chiefs up 3-0. The Steelers marched the ball right down the field on their ensuing possession, but **RB Mewelde Moore** fumbled and the Chiefs recovered the football in the end zone.

On the ensuing drive the Steelers' defense came up big when **DE Brett Keisel** recovered a Palko fumble. On the Chiefs' next possession, **CB Ike Taylor** picked off Palko. **K Shaun Suisham** hit a 21-yard field goal to tie the game 3-3. **S Ryan Mundy** picked off Palko on the Chiefs' next possession. It was Mundy's first career interception.

The Steelers then marched right down the field. **QB Ben Roethlisberger** found **TE Weslye Saunders** for a two-yard touchdown to give the Steelers a 10-3 lead. It was Saunders' first career touchdown reception. Roethlisberger finished the game with 193 yards passing and one touchdown.

Late in the second quarter, Succop connected on a 49-yard field goal to cut the lead to 10-6. But as the halftime whistle sounded, Suisham connected on a 49-yard field goal of his own to give the Steelers a 13-6 lead going into the break.

Though the Steelers' offense did not score a point in the second half, the Steelers' defense repeatedly shut down the Chiefs. Succop was able to make a 40-yard field goal midway through the fourth quarter but it was too little, too late. As the Chiefs were driving to win the game, Palko threw his third interception of the night to Lewis.

The Steelers' offense outgained the Chiefs 290-252, and the Steelers' defense forced four turnovers. It was the most turnovers forced in a single game all season, and it was the first time the Steelers had a plus-two advantage in the turnover department.

### GAME SUMMARY

<b>STEELERS (8-3)</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>13</b>
<b>Chiefs (4-7)</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>9</b>

TEAM	Q	TIME	PLAY	DRIVE	SCORE
KC	1	10:40	Succop 41 yd. FG	11-57; 4:20	0-3
PIT	2	13:29	Suisham 21 yd. FG	4-4; 1:31	3-3
PIT	2	10:53	Saunders 2 yd. pass from Roethlisberger (Suisham kick)	5-24; 2:29	10-3
KC	2	4:30	Succop 49 yd. FG	9-38; 3:20	10-6
PIT	2	0:00	Suisham 49 yd. FG	9-47; 4:30	13-6
KC	4	7:11	Succop 40 yd. FG	13-70; 6:11	13-9

### TEAM STATISTICS

	Steelers	Chiefs
1st Downs	18 (3-13-2)	15 (6-9-0)
3rd Downs	3-11 (27%)	6-15 (40%)
4th Downs	1-1 (100%)	2-2 (100%)
Total Net Yards	290	252
Plays-Avg.	60-4.8	63-4.0
Rushing Yards	108	90
Rush Att.-Avg.	28-3.9	34-2.6
Passing Yards	193	167
Att.-Comp.-Int.	31-21-1	28-18-3
Sacks By	1-5	1-11
Punts-Avg.	5-42.2	3-37.3
Penalties	6-50	4-20
Fumbles-Lost	1-1	1-1
Time of Poss.	33:30	26:30

### INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

**RUSHING:** Pit. – Mendenhall 17-57; Redman 3-22; Moore 2-16; Roethlisberger 4-8; Brown 2-5. KC. – Jones 13-37; McCluster 9-28; Battle 9-20; Arenas 2-5; Palko 1-0.

**PASSING:** Pit. – Roethlisberger 31-21-1, 193, 1 TD. KC. – Palko 28-18-3, 167.

**RECEIVING:** Pit. – Brown 4-81; Ward 4-21; Moore 3-9; Sanders 2-25; Wallace 2-17; Mendenhall 2-10; Redman 2-8; Miller 1-20; Saunders 1-2, 1 TD. KC. – Bowe 7-69; Breaston 4-44; Baldwin 2-26; McCluster 2-11; Pope 1-9; Jones 1-7; Maneri 1-1.

## Game #12

Pittsburgh 35, Cincinnati 7  
Dec. 4, 2011  
Heinz Field (63,697)

**PITTSBURGH** – The Steelers exploded for 28 second quarter points and routed the Cincinnati Bengals 35-7 at Heinz Field. With the win, the Steelers improved to 9-3 on the season and remained tied for first place in the AFC North.

The Steelers got a lot of help in all three phases of the game. Cincinnati threatened on their first possession of the game, but **DE Cameron Heyward** blocked K Mike Nugent's field goal attempt, ending Cincinnati's momentum. Then the Steelers offense kicked it into high gear.

**RB Rashard Mendenhall** scored two consecutive touchdowns. Mendenhall first scored on a three-yard run and then scored on a five-yard run just two minutes later to give the Steelers a 14-0 lead. Mendenhall finished with a game-high 60 rushing yards and two touchdowns. His 28 career rushing touchdowns moved him into fifth place on the Steelers' all-time rushing touchdowns list.

On the Bengals ensuing drive, WR Brandon Tate was stripped on his kickoff return by **LB Stevenson Sylvester** and **WR Emmanuel Sanders** fell on the loose ball. Three plays later, **QB Ben Roethlisberger** found **WR Mike Wallace** for a 12-yard touchdown pass to give the Steelers a 21-0 lead.

The Bengals though would strike on their next drive, marching 80 yards in 10 plays. QB Andy Dalton found WR A.J. Green for an 11-yard touchdown to get the Bengals their only seven points of the game.

The Steelers forced the Bengals to punt on their next possession, and that's when the special teams delivered. **WR Antonio Brown** returned a punt 60 yards for a touchdown, marking the first punt return for a touchdown by the Steelers since the 2006 regular season. The Steelers went into halftime with a 28-7 lead.

The Steelers went ahead 35-7 when Roethlisberger found Wallace again, this time for a 19-yard touchdown. Roethlisberger finished the game 15-of-23 for 176 yards and two touchdowns. Ben's 2,026 career completions moved him into first place on the Steelers all-time list for completions, passing Terry Bradshaw (2,025) for the most in team history.

Both teams removed their starters in the fourth quarter. **CB Ike Taylor** though picked off QB Bruce Gradkowski early in the fourth quarter. It marked the first time Taylor had interceptions in back-to-back regular season games in his career.

### GAME SUMMARY

<b>Bengals (7-5)</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>7</b>
<b>STEELERS (9-3)</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>35</b>

TEAM	Q	TIME	PLAY	DRIVE	SCORE
PIT	2	12:47	Mendenhall 3 yd. run (Suisham kick)	9-87; 5:45	7-0
PIT	2	10:12	Mendenhall 5 yd. run (Suisham kick)	3-65; 1:34	14-0
PIT	2	8:33	Wallace 12 yd. pass from Roethlisberger (Suisham kick)	3-23; 1:32	21-0
CIN	2	4:06	Green 11 yd. pass from Dalton (Nugent kick)	10-80; 4:27	21-7
PIT	2	1:16	Brown 60 yd. punt return (Suisham kick)	---; ---	28-7
PIT	3	3:26	Wallace 19 yd. pass from Roethlisberger (Suisham kick)	10-93; 6:39	35-7

### TEAM STATISTICS

	Bengals	Steelers
1st Downs	13(6-7-0)	22 (9-10-3)
3rd Downs	2-11 (18%)	2-10 (20%)
4th Downs	1-1 (100%)	0-0 (0%)
Total Net Yards	232	295
Plays-Avg.	55-4.2	59-5.0
Rushing Yards	104	36
Rush Att.-Avg.	22-4.7	33-4.1
Passing Yards	152	176
Att.-Comp.-Int.	30-14-1	23-15-0
Sacks By	3-17	3-24
Punts-Avg.	7-45.3	5-54.2
Penalties	10-109	4-29
Fumbles-Lost	2-1	0-0
Time of Poss.	27:16	32:44

### INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

**RUSHING:** Cin. – Benson 13-52; Scott 5-30; Green 1-15; Dalton 2-6; Gradkowski 1-1. **Pit.** – Mendenhall 16-60; 2 TDs; Redman 8-51; Moore 1-13; Brown 1-9; Dwyer 3-8; Batch 3(-2); Wallace 1-(-3).

**PASSING:** Cin. – Dalton 24-11-0, 135, 1 TD; Gradkowski 6-3-1, 17. **Pit.** – Roethlisberger 23-15-0, 176, 2 TDs.

**RECEIVING:** Cin. – Green 6-87, 1 TD; Leonard 4-20; Gresham 3-37; Hawkins 1-8. **Pit.** – Ward 5-30; Wallace 3-38, 2 TDs; Brown 2-67; Miller 2-12; Saunders 1-14; Johnson 1-9; Sanders 1-6.

## Game #13

Pittsburgh 14, Cleveland 3  
Dec. 8, 2011  
Heinz Field (60,754)

**PITTSBURGH** – Clinging to a 7-3 lead late in the game, **QB Ben Roethlisberger** found **WR Antonio Brown** for a 79-yard touchdown pass to give the Steelers a 14-3 victory. The Steelers improved to 10-3 on the season while the Browns fell to 4-9.

The Browns took a 3-0 lead on their opening drive when K Phil Dawson connected on a 20-yard field goal.

The Steelers responded on their first drive of the game, going 73 yards on five plays. Roethlisberger found **WR Jerricho Cotchery** for an 11-yard touchdown to give the Steelers a 7-3 lead. It was Cotchery's second career touchdown as a Steeler.

The Steelers defense made key plays, giving the Steelers offense many opportunities to increase their lead, but both **WR Hines Ward** and **TE Heath Miller** fumbled in the red zone. Midway through the second quarter, it appeared that Roethlisberger sustained a significant injury to his left leg and would miss the rest of the first half. But Roethlisberger came on the field after halftime and played every snap in the second half.

The Steelers and Browns though could not capitalize on each other's mistakes. Roethlisberger was picked off by S Mike Adams but the Browns could not score despite being in Steelers' territory. Cleveland had the ball inside the Steelers' 20-yard line with less than five minutes to go but QB Colt McCoy threw his second interception, this time to **CB William Gay** in the end zone and the Steelers took over at the Cleveland 20-yard line.

Two plays later, Roethlisberger found Brown for the game-winning touchdown. Roethlisberger finished with 280 yards passing and two touchdowns for a passer rating of 129.6, his highest of the season. He improved to 13-1 all time against the Browns. Brown continued his dominance as he has now led the Steelers in either receptions or receiving yards for the seventh consecutive game.

The Steelers defense continued its stellar play, recording three sacks and two interceptions. The defense has forced 10 turnovers in its last four games.

### GAME SUMMARY

<b>Browns (4-9)</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>3</b>
<b>STEELERS (10-3)</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>14</b>

TEAM	Q	TIME	PLAY	DRIVE	SCORE
CLE	1	9:22	Dawson 20 yd. FG	10-78; 5:38	0-3
PIT	1	6:12	Cotchery 11 yd. pass from Roethlisberger (Suisham kick)	5-73; 3:10	7-3
PIT	4	2:52	Brown 79 yd. pass from Roethlisberger (Suisham kick)	2-80; 0:19	14-3

### TEAM STATISTICS

	Browns	Steelers
1st Downs	19(4-12-3)	20 (7-11-2)
3rd Downs	7-16 (44%)	2-8 (25%)
4th Downs	0-1 (0%)	0-1 (0%)
Total Net Yards	304	416
Plays-Avg.	69-4.4	53-7.8
Rushing Yards	98	147
Rush Att.-Avg.	30-3.3	28-5.3
Passing Yards	222	280
Att.-Comp.-Int.	36-19-2	23-16-1
Sacks By	2-11	3-16
Punts-Avg.	6-34.2	4-41.3
Penalties	6-54	12-97
Fumbles-Lost	2-0	2-2
Time of Poss.	32:18	27:42

### INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

**RUSHING:** Cle. – Ogbonnaya 2-31; Hillis 10-25; Hardesty 11-24; McCoy 6-15; Cribbs 1-3. **Pit.** – Mendenhall 18-76; Redman 6-35; Wallace 1-21; Moore 3-15.

**PASSING:** Cle. – McCoy 35-18-2, 209; Wallace 1-1-0, 13. **Pit.** – Roethlisberger 23-16-1, 280, 2 TDs; Batch 2-0-0, 0.

**RECEIVING:** Cle. – Moore 4-55; Massaquoi 3-44; Cribbs 2-38; Little 2-25; Norwood 2-21; Smith 2-19; Watson 2-11; Hardesty 2-9. **Pit.** – Brown 5-151, 1 TD; Wallace 4-57; Cotchery 2-33, 1 TD; Johnson 2-22; Miller 2-11; Ward 1-6.

## Game #14

San Francisco 20, Pittsburgh 3  
Dec. 19, 2011  
Candlestick Park (69,732)

**SAN FRANCISCO** – The Steelers suffered a 20-3 loss against the San Francisco 49ers on Monday Night Football at Candlestick Park. Despite the loss, the Steelers still clinched a playoff spot and remained tied for first place in the AFC North.

The start of the game was delayed because of a power outage, but once the game began, the Steelers had success moving the football early. However, their first two drives ended with interceptions. On the Steelers' first possession, **QB Ben Roethlisberger** was picked off by CB Carlos Rodgers. That led to a David Akers' 22-yard field goal, and the 49ers led 3-0.

Roethlisberger was picked off again on the Steelers' next drive, which led to another Akers' field goal. His 38-yard boot gave the 49ers a 6-0 lead. Right after Akers' field goal, the game was delayed again because of a power outage. Once play resumed, neither team was able to score, and the 49ers led 6-0 at halftime.

The Steelers finally got on the board midway through the third quarter when **K Shaun Suisham** nailed a 51-yard bomb to cut the lead to 6-3. It was Suisham's longest field goal as a Steeler.

The 49ers though drove right down the field on their ensuing drive. **QB Alex Smith** found TE Vernon Davis for a one-yard score to give the 49ers a 13-3 lead. Two drives later, Roethlisberger fumbled the football when he was sacked, giving the 49ers excellent field position. **RB Frank Gore** scored from five yards out to give the 49ers the 20-3 victory.

Despite outgaining the 49ers 389-287, the Steelers turned the ball over four times and did not force any turnovers. Roethlisberger threw for 330 yards but he threw three interceptions. **WR Jerricho Cotchery** recorded a season-high and his highest total as a Steeler with 93 receiving yards. **TE Heath Miller** added a season-high 82 receiving yards.

### GAME SUMMARY

<b>STEELERS (10-4)</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>3</b>
<b>49ers (11-3)</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>20</b>

TEAM	Q	TIME	PLAY	DRIVE	SCORE
SF	1	3:25	Akers 22 yd. FG	17-69; 7:11	0-3
SF	2	12:13	Akers 38 yd. FG	9-25; 3:02	0-6
PIT	3	6:08	Suisham 51 yd. FG	7-57; 4:00	3-6
SF	4	3:44	Davis 1 yd. pass from Smith (Akers kick)	5-79; 2:24	3-13
SF	4	9:06	Gore 5 yd. run (Akers kick)	5-17; 2:25	3-20

### TEAM STATISTICS

	Steelers	49ers
1st Downs	20 (4-15-1)	17 (7-9-1)
3rd Downs	8-14 (57%)	4-13 (31%)
4th Downs	0-0 (0%)	0-0 (0%)
Total Net Yards	389	287
Plays-Avg.	66-5.9	61-4.7
Rushing Yards	184	100
Rush Att.-Avg.	19-4.4	30-3.3
Passing Yards	330	187
Att.-Comp.-Int.	44-25-3	31-18-0
Sacks By	0-0	3-25
Punts-Avg.	4-38.5	6-47.5
Penalties	9-72	7-49
Fumbles-Lost	2-1	0-0
Time of Poss.	31:26	28:34

### INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

**RUSHING:** Pit. – Mendenhall 15-64; Moore 1-21; Roethlisberger 1-0; Redman 2-(-1). SF. – Gore 18-65, 1 TD; Dixon 5-12; Smith 3-12; Ginn 1-6; Miller 1-3; Hunter 2-2.

**PASSING:** Pit. – Roethlisberger 44-25-3, 330. SF. – Smith 31-18-0, 187; 1 TD.

**RECEIVING:** Pit. – Cotchery 5-93; Miller 5-82; Wallace 5-66; Brown 5-59; Mendenhall 3-25; Moore 2-5. SF. – Davis 6-72, 1 TD; Crabtree 4-35; Williamgs 4-33; Hunter 2-24; Ginn 1-14; Swain 1-9.

## Game #15

Pittsburgh 27, St. Louis 0  
Dec. 24, 2011  
Heinz Field (60,081)

**PITTSBURGH** – The Steelers, led by their running game and stingy defense, shut out the St. Louis Rams 27-0 in the final regular season home game at Heinz Field in 2011. This marked the 29<sup>th</sup> shutout for the Steelers since 1960, which is the second most in the NFL during that span. With the victory, the Steelers improved to 11-4 on the season, including a 7-1 record at home.

The Steelers took a 3-0 lead when **K Shaun Suisham** connected on a 21-yard field goal late in the first quarter. The Steelers increased their lead 10-0 when rookie **RB John Clay** scored on a 10-yard touchdown run midway through the second quarter. It was Clay's first career carry. The Steelers took a 10-0 lead into halftime.

Early in the third quarter, Suisham connected on a 49-yard field goal to give the Steelers a 13-0 lead. The Steelers then got two fourth quarter rushing touchdowns. **RB Rashard Mendenhall** scored the first on a one-yard run to give the Steelers a 20-0 lead, then **RB Isaac Redman** scored from two yards out to give the Steelers their final score.

Three Steelers running backs (Clay, Mendenhall and Redman) each scored a rushing touchdown, marking the first time since the 2008 season that three different Pittsburgh players each scored a rushing touchdown. The Steelers rushing attack finished with 169 rushing yards and three rushing touchdowns.

**QB Charlie Batch**, filling in for injured **QB Ben Roethlisberger**, finished 15-of-22 for 208 yards, and improved to 5-2 as the Steelers starting quarterback. **WR Antonio Brown** set the franchise single-season record for all-purpose yards as he registered 77 all-purpose yards for the game to give him 2,048 on the season. Brown also surpassed 1,000 receiving yards on the season for the first time in his career.

The Steelers defense put together one of their most impressive performances of the season. They had three sacks and forced the Rams to punt seven times. They also allowed a season-low 68 net passing yards.

For the 12<sup>th</sup> time since the 1970 AFL-NFL merger, the Steelers won at least seven regular-season home games, including the fourth time in the history of Heinz Field.

### GAME SUMMARY

<b>Rams (2-13)</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>STEELERS (11-4)</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>27</b>

TEAM	Q	TIME	PLAY	DRIVE	SCORE
PIT	1	4:43	Suisham 21 yd. FG	10-76; 5:28	3-0
PIT	2	6:50	Clay 10 yd. run (Suisham kick)	4-75; 1:54	10-0
PIT	3	9:19	Suisham 49 yd. FG	9-42; 5:41	13-0
PIT	4	8:58	Mendenhall 1 yd. run (Suisham kick)	3-51; 1:00	20-0
PIT	4	3:14	Redman 2 yd. run (Suisham kick)	9-63; 4:28	27-0

### TEAM STATISTICS

	Rams	Steelers
1st Downs	15(9-4-2)	17 (8-9-0)
3rd Downs	6-16 (38%)	1-7 (14%)
4th Downs	0-1 (0%)	0-0 (0%)
Total Net Yards	232	377
Plays-Avg.	63-3.7	50-7.5
Rushing Yards	164	169
Rush Att.-Avg.	36-4.6	28-6.0
Passing Yards	91	208
Att.-Comp.-Int.	24-9-0	22-15-1
Sacks By	0-0	3-23
Punts-Avg.	7-40.1	4-47.8
Penalties	4-21	7-50
Fumbles-Lost	1-0	0-0
Time of Poss.	30:45	29:15

### INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

**RUSHING:** STL. – Jackson 24-103; Williams 9-42; Clemens 2-10; Jones 1-9. Pit. – Mendenhall 18-118, 1 TD; Redman 8-35, 1 TD; Clay 1-10, 1 TD; Brown 1-8.

**PASSING:** STL. – Clemens 24-9-0, 91. Pit. – Batch 22-15-1, 208.

**RECEIVING:** STL. – Lloyd 3-29; Alexander 2-25; Jackson 2-24; Kendricks 2-13. Pit. – Wallace 4-82; Ward 4-32; Brown 3-34; Mendenhall 1-35; Miller 1-18; Redman 1-5; Johnson 1-2.



## Game #16

Pittsburgh 13, Cleveland 9

Jan. 1, 2012

Cleveland Browns Stadium (68,266)

**CLEVELAND** – The Steelers held on to beat the Cleveland Browns 13-9 in the 2011 regular-season finale at Cleveland Browns Stadium. The Steelers finished the season with a 12-4 record and entered the 2011 Playoffs as the #5 seed.

The Browns took a 3-0 lead in the second quarter when K Phil Dawson connected from 26 yards. Dawson connected on a 45-yard field goal with a minute left in the first half to give the Browns a 6-0 lead. However it left the Steelers with enough time to cut into the lead. **K Shaun Suisham** connected on a 19-yard field goal as time expired and the Steelers went into halftime trailing 6-3.

Suisham booted a 29-yard field goal early in the third quarter to tie the game at 6-6. On the Browns' ensuing drive, **S Troy Polamalu** picked off Browns' QB Seneca Wallace to set the Steelers up in Browns' territory. **RB Isaac Redman** scored on a seven-yard run to give the Steelers a 13-6 lead.

Dawson connected on a 49-yard field goal to cut the Steelers lead 13-9. The Browns had plenty of opportunities to take the lead but they were unable to capitalize on two Steelers' fumbles. The Browns even had a chance to win the game on the final play, but Wallace's pass was broken up in the endzone by Steeler defenders.

**QB Ben Roethlisberger** finished with 221 yards passing, giving him 4,077 yards on the season. It is the second time in his career that he surpassed 4,000 passing yards in a single season.

**WR Hines Ward** recorded five receptions, giving him 1,000 for his career. He is the first Steeler and eighth player in NFL history to reach the mark.

**WR Antonio Brown** became the first player in NFL history with at least 1,000 yards receiving and at least 1,000 return yards in the same season.

For the second straight game, the Steelers defense did not allow a touchdown. The Steelers finished the regular season holding five of their final six opponents under 10 points.

### GAME SUMMARY

<b>STEELERS (12-4)</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>13</b>
<b>Browns (4-12)</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>9</b>

TEAM	Q	TIME	PLAY	DRIVE	SCORE
CLE	2	6:03	Dawson 26 yd. FG	10-57; 3:54	0-3
CLE	2	1:06	Dawson 45 yd. FG	8-40; 1:56	0-6
PIT	2	0:00	Suisham 19 yd. FG	9-71; 1:06	3-6
PIT	3	9:43	Suisham 29 yd. FG	13-66; 5:17	6-6
PIT	3	5:27	Redman 7 yd. run (Suisham kick)	6-43; 2:55	13-6
CLE	3	1:59	Dawson 49 yd. FG	8-46; 3:28	13-9

### TEAM STATISTICS

	Steelers	Browns
1st Downs	22 (8-12-2)	14 (3-11-0)
3rd Downs	8-16 (50%)	4-14 (29%)
4th Downs	1-2 (50%)	0-0 (0%)
Total Net Yards	360	240
Plays-Avg.	78-4.6	58-4.1
Rushing Yards	161	72
Rush Att.-Avg.	36-4.5	15-4.8
Passing Yards	221	177
Att.-Comp.-Int.	40-23-0	41-16-1
Sacks By	2-9	2-22
Punts-Avg.	4-45.3	6-38.3
Penalties	4-37	5-40
Fumbles-Lost	2-2	2-0
Time of Poss.	39:11	20:49

### INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

**RUSHING:** Pit. – Redman 19-92; 1 TD; Mendenhall 8-38; Clay 9-31. Cle. – Wallace 3-44; Hillis 10-30; Hardesty 2-(-2).

**PASSING:** Pit. – Roethlisberger 40-23-0, 221. Cle. – Wallace 41-16-1, 177.

**RECEIVING:** Pit. – Brown 6-90; Ward 5-24; Cotchery 3-28; Redman 3-18; Miller 2-23; Sanders 1-14; Wallace 1-11; Mendenhall 1-7; Johnson 1-6. Cle. – Cribbs 7-91; Moore 4-39; Massaquoi 2-16; Mitchell 1-19; Cameron 1-15; Hillis 1-(-3).

**PITTSBURGH STEELERS / WEEK 17 / THROUGH SUNDAY, JANUARY 1, 2012**

WON 12, LOST 4				* RUSHING		No.	Yds	Avg	Long	TD			
09/11	L 7-35	at Baltimore	71,434	Mendenhall	228	928	4.1	68	9				
09/18	W 24- 0	Seattle	63,663	Redman	110	479	4.4	27	3				
09/25	W 23-20	at Indianapolis	66,309	Moore	22	157	7.1	21	0				
10/02	L 10-17	at Houston	71,585	Dwyer	16	123	7.7	76	0				
10/09	W 38-17	Tennessee	63,875	Roethlisberger	31	70	2.3	11	0				
10/16	W 17-13	Jacksonville	62,934	Wallace	5	57	11.4	21	0				
10/23	W 32-20	at Arizona	62,475	A. Brown	7	41	5.9	10	0				
10/30	W 25-17	New England	64,424	Clay	10	41	4.1	10t	1				
11/06	L 20-23	Baltimore	64,851	Miller	1	6	6.0	6	0				
11/13	W 24-17	at Cincinnati	63,262	Cotchery	1	3	3.0	3	0				
11/27	W 13- 9	at Kansas City	72,173	C. Batch	3	-2	-.7	0	0				
12/04	W 35- 7	Cincinnati	63,697	TEAM	434	1903	4.4	76	13				
12/08	W 14- 3	Cleveland	60,754	OPPONENTS	399	1597	4.0	42t	7				
12/19	L 3-20	at San Francisco	69,732	* RECEIVING	No.	Yds	Avg	Long	TD				
12/24	W 27- 0	St. Louis	60,081	Wallace	72	1193	16.6	95t	8				
01/01	W 13- 9	at Cleveland	68,266	A. Brown	69	1108	16.1	79t	2				
		Pitt.	Opp.	Miller	51	631	12.4	39	2				
TOTAL FIRST DOWNS	341	264	Ward	46	381	8.3	31	2					
Rushing	96	82	Sanders	22	288	13.1	32	2					
Passing	221	156	Mendenhall	18	154	8.6	35	0					
Penalty	24	26	Redman	18	78	4.3	12	0					
3rd Down: Made/Att	90/196	86/221	Cotchery	16	237	14.8	36	2					
3rd Down Pct.	45.9	38.9	Johnson	12	91	7.6	25	1					
4th Down: Made/Att	3/8	8/13	Moore	11	104	9.5	24	1					
4th Down Pct.	37.5	61.5	Saunders	4	29	7.3	14	1					
POSSESSION AVG.	32:33	27:27	Mundy	1	33	33.0	33	0					
TOTAL NET YARDS	5957	4348	Dwyer	1	6	6.0	6	0					
Avg. Per Game	372.3	271.8	TEAM	341	4333	12.7	95t	21					
Total Plays	1015	964	OPPONENTS	289	2981	10.3	73t	15					
Avg. Per Play	5.9	4.5	* INTERCEPTIONS	No.	Yds	Avg	Long	TD					
NET YARDS RUSHING	1903	1597	Polamalu	2	33	16.5	33	0					
Avg. Per Game	118.9	99.8	Taylor	2	29	14.5	29	0					
Total Rushes	434	399	Gay	2	12	6.0	12	0					
NET YARDS PASSING	4054	2751	Clark	1	10	10.0	10	0					
Avg. Per Game	253.4	171.9	Lewis	1	9	9.0	9	0					
Sacked/Yards Lost	42/279	35/230	Mundy	1	5	5.0	5	0					
Gross Yards	4333	2981	Woodley	1	1	1.0	1	0					
Att./Completions	539/341	530/289	Timmons	1	0	0.0	0	0					
Completion Pct.	63.3	54.5	TEAM	11	99	9.0	33	0					
Had Intercepted	15	11	OPPONENTS	15	201	13.4	31	0					
PUNTS/AVERAGE	60/44.7	87/43.6	* PUNTING	No.	Yds	Avg	Net	TB	In	Lg	B		
NET PUNTING AVG.	60/38.6	87/38.9	Kapinos	34	1530	45.0	38.3	1	10	59	0		
PENALTIES/YARDS	101/854	96/777	Sepulveda	25	1153	46.1	39.1	5	8	66	1		
FUMBLES/BALL LOST	16/13	13/4	TEAM	60	2683	44.7	38.6	6	18	66	1		
TOUCHDOWNS	36	23	OPPONENTS	87	3789	43.6	38.9	3	30	63	0		
Rushing	13	7	* PUNT RETURNS	Ret	FC	Yds	Avg	Long	TD				
Passing	21	15	A. Brown	30	26	325	10.8	60t	1				
Returns	2	1	Sanders	3	0	22	7.3	10	0				
* SCORE BY PERIODS	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	OT	PTS	TEAM	33	26	347	10.5	60t	1
TEAM	69	121	63	72	0	325	OPPONENTS	29	13	245	8.4	20	0
OPPONENTS	43	71	56	57	0	227	* KICKOFF RETURNS	No.	Yds	Avg	Long	TD	
* SCORING	TD-Ru-Pa-Rt	K-PAT	FG	S	PTS	A. Brown	27	737	27.3	52	0		
Suisham	0 0 0 0	36/36	23/31	0	105	Sanders	5	93	18.6	25	0		
Mendenhall	9 9 0 0			0	54	Cotchery	1	19	19.0	19	0		
Wallace	8 0 8 0			0	48	Moore	1	10	10.0	10	0		
A. Brown	3 0 2 1			0	18	Redman	1	18	18.0	18	0		
Redman	3 3 0 0			0	18	TEAM	35	877	25.1	52	0		
Cotchery	2 0 2 0			0	12	OPPONENTS	43	1018	23.7	45	0		
Miller	2 0 2 0			0	12	* FIELD GOALS	1-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50+		
Sanders	2 0 2 0			0	12	Suisham	2/ 2	8/ 8	6/ 8	6/11	1/2		
Ward	2 0 2 0			0	12	TEAM	2/ 2	8/ 8	6/ 8	6/11	1/2		
Clay	1 1 0 0			0	6	OPPONENTS	1/ 1	8/ 8	2/ 4	10/12	1/2		
Johnson	1 0 1 0			0	6	Suisham: ( ) (20G, 41N) (48G, 36N, 44G, 38G) (30B, 26G)							
Moore	1 0 1 0			0	6	(19G) (21G, 46N) (41G, 42G, 39G) (33G, 21G, 23G, 44N)							
Polamalu	1 0 0 1			0	6	(36G, 30G) (39G) (21G, 49G) (50N) ( ) (51G, 48N) (21G, 49G)							
Saunders	1 0 1 0			0	6	(45N, 19G, 29G)							
TEAM	36 13 21 2	36/36	23/31	2	325	OPP: (29G, 30G) ( ) (21G, 25G) (25G) (29G) (46G, 45G) ( )							
OPPONENTS	23 7 15 1	21/21	22/27	0	227	(46G, 42N) (18G, 40N, 43G, 51G) (43G) (41G, 49G, 40G)							
2-Pt Conv: TM	0-0, OPP	1-2				(33B) (20G) (22G, 38G) (52N, 33N) (26G, 45G, 49G)							
SACKS: Harrison	9, Woodley	9, Keisel	3, Worilds	3, Farrior	2, Timmons	2, Foote	1.5, Hood	1.5,					
Clark	1, Heyward	1, McLendon	1, Polamalu	1, TM	35, OPP	42 FUM/LOST: Roethlisberger	8/5,						
Moore	2/2, Redman	2/2, Mendenhall	1/1, Miller	1/1, Wallace	1/1, Ward	1/1							
* PASSING	Att	Cmp	Yds	Cmp%	Yds/Att	TD	TD%	Int	Int%	Long	Sack/Lost	Rating	
Roethlisberger	513	324	4077	63.2	7.95	21	4.1	14	2.7	95t	40/ 269	90.1	
C. Batch	24	15	208	62.5	8.67	0	0.0	1	4.2	46	2/ 10	72.9	
Sanders	1	1	15	100.0	15.00	0	0.0	0	0.0	15	0/ 0	118.8	
Sepulveda	1	1	33	100.0	33.00	0	0.0	0	0.0	33	0/ 0	118.8	
TEAM	539	341	4333	63.3	8.04	21	3.9	15	2.8	95t	42/ 279	89.7	
OPPONENTS	530	289	2981	54.5	5.62	15	2.8	11	2.1	73t	35/ 230	71.7	

**2011 PITTSBURGH STEELERS FINAL  
REGULAR-SEASON DEFENSIVE/SPECIAL TEAMS STATISTICS**

Player				Sacks/		Int./	SPECIAL TEAMS STATISTICS								
	U	A	Tot	Yds.	QP	Yards	PD	FF	FR	U	A	Tot	FF	FR	BL
Clark	69	31	100	1/7	0	1/10	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Timmons	74	17	91	2/13	12	1/0	6	0	0	5	0	5	1	0	0
Polamalu	75	15	90	1/0	1	1/33	13	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Farrior	68	22	90	2/13	9	0/0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Harrison	49	13	62	9/54	22	0/0	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Gay	45	11	56	0/0	0	2/12	13	0	1	0	1	1	0	0	0
Foote	36	13	49	1.5/11.5	4	0/0	1	0	0	1	1	2	0	0	0
Keisel	40	8	48	3/23	37	0/0	9	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Woodley	32	11	43	9/68.5	11	1/1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Taylor	33	6	39	0/0	0	2/29	20	0	0	1	1	2	0	0	0
Worlds	24	13	37	3/16	14	0/0	0	1	0	3	0	3	0	0	0
Hood	27	9	36	1.5/10.5	21	0/0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hampton	29	4	33	0/0	7	0/0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lewis	29	2	31	0/0	0	1/9	5	0	0	2	2	4	0	0	0
Mundy	17	5	22	0/0	0	1/5	3	0	0	5	8	13	0	0	0
McLendon	9	2	11	1/5.5	3	0/0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Smith	5	6	11	0/0	4	0/0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
C. Allen	9	1	10	0/0	0	0/0	0	0	0	7	1	8	0	0	0
Heyward	6	3	9	1/8	6	0/0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
McFadden	4	1	5	0/0	0	0/0	1	0	0	4	1	5	1	0	0
Hoke	3	0	3	0/0	1	0/0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sylvester	1	1	2	0/0	0	0/0	0	0	0	4	3	7	1	0	0
Carter	1	0	1	0/0	1	0/0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0
C. Brown	0	0	0	0/0	0	0/0	0	0	0	13	2	15	1	0	0
W. Allen	0	0	0	0/0	0	0/0	0	0	0	7	2	9	0	0	0
Suisham	0	0	0	0/0	0	0/0	0	0	0	2	3	5	0	0	0
Battle	0	0	0	0/0	0	0/0	0	0	0	2	2	4	0	0	0
Cromartie-Smith	0	0	0	0/0	0	0/0	0	0	0	3	0	3	0	0	0
Redman	0	0	0	0/0	0	0/0	0	0	0	2	0	2	0	0	0
Dwyer	0	0	0	0/0	0	0/0	0	0	0	1	1	2	0	0	0
Sanders	0	0	0	0/0	0	0/0	0	0	0	1	1	2	0	1	0
Ivy	0	0	0	0/0	0	0/0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0
Moore	0	0	0	0/0	0	0/0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0
Saunders	0	0	0	0/0	0	0/0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0
Warren	0	0	0	0/0	0	0/0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>685</b>	<b>194</b>	<b>879</b>	<b>35/230</b>	<b>153</b>	<b>10/99</b>	<b>83</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>67</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>97</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>
<b>OPPONENTS</b>	<b>660</b>	<b>313</b>	<b>973</b>	<b>42/279</b>	<b>74</b>	<b>15/201</b>	<b>80</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>66</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>74</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>2</b>

## 2011 PITTSBURGH STEELERS DEPTH CHART

### OFFENSE

WR	86	HINES WARD (6-0, 205, 14)	88	Emmanuel Sanders (5-11, 180, 2)	89	Jerricho Cotchery (6-1, 200, 8)
LT	78	MAX STARKS (6-8, 345, 8)	72	Jonathan Scott (6-6, 318, 5)		
LG	68	CHRIS KEMOEATU (6-3, 344, 6)	69	Jamon Meredith (6-5, 305, 3)		
C	53	MAURKICE POUNCEY (6-4, 304, 2)	64	Doug Legursky (6-1, 315, 3)		
RG	73	RAMON FOSTER (6-6, 325, 3)	79	Trai Essex (6-5, 324, 7)		
RT	77	MARCUS GILBERT (6-6, 330, R)	72	Jonathan Scott (6-6, 318, 5)		
TE	83	HEATH MILLER (6-5, 256, 7)	85	David Johnson (6-2, 260, 3)	82	Weslye Saunders (6-5, 270, R)
RB	34	RASHARD MENDENHALL (5-10, 225, 4)	33	Isaac Redman (6-0, 230, 2)	21	Mewelde Moore (5-11, 209, 8)
					38	John Clay (6-1, 248, R)
FB	85	DAVID JOHNSON (6-2, 260, 3)				
QB	7	BEN ROETHLISBERGER (6-5, 241, 8)	16	Charlie Batch (6-2, 216, 14)	10	Dennis Dixon (6-3, 209, 4)
WR	17	MIKE WALLACE (6-0, 199, 3)	84	Antonio Brown (5-10, 186, 2)	81	Arnaz Battle (6-1, 208, 9)

### DEFENSE

DE	96	ZIGGY HOOD (6-3, 300, R)	65	Al Woods (6-4, 307, 2)		
NT	98	CASEY HAMPTON (6-1, 325, 11)	90	Steve McLendon (6-4, 280, 2)		
DE	99	BRETT KEISEL (6-5, 285, 10)	97	Cameron Heyward (6-5, 288, R)		
LOLB	56	LAMARR WOODLEY (6-2, 265, 5)	54	Chris Carter (6-1, 248, R)		
LILB	51	JAMES FARRIOR (6-2, 243, 15)	55	Stevenson Sylvester (6-2, 231, 2)		
RILB	94	LAWRENCE TIMMONS (6-1, 234, 5)	50	Larry Foote (6-1, 239, 10)	57	Mortty Ivy (6-1, 239, 1)
ROLB	92	JAMES HARRISON (6-0, 242, 8)	93	Jason Worilds (6-2, 262, 2)		
LCB	22	WILLIAM GAY (5-10, 190, 5)	20	Bryant McFadden (6-0, 190, 7)	37	Anthony Madison (5-9, 180, 6)
FS	25	RYAN CLARK (5-11, 205, 10)	29	Ryan Mundy (6-1, 209, 3)		
SS	43	TROY POLAMALU (5-10, 207, 9)	26	Will Allen (6-1, 200, 8)	42	Damon Cromartie-Smith (6-2, 210, 1)
RCB	24	IKE TAYLOR (6-2, 195, 9)	23	Keenan Lewis (6-0, 208, 3)	28	Cortez Allen (6-1, 196, R)

### SPECIAL TEAMS

P	13	JEREMY KAPINOS (6-1, 233, 4)				
PK	6	SHAUN SUISHAM (6-0, 200, 7)				
LS	60	GREG WARREN (6-3, 252, 7)	72	Jonathan Scott (6-6, 318, 6)		
H	13	JEREMY KAPINOS (6-1, 233, 4)				
KR	84	ANTONIO BROWN (5-10, 186, 2)	88	Emmanuel Sanders (5-11, 180, 2)	21	Mewelde Moore (5-11, 209, 8)
PR	84	ANTONIO BROWN (5-10, 186, 2)	88	Emmanuel Sanders (5-11, 180, 2)	89	Jerricho Cotchery (6-1, 200, 8)

- Rookies

## PITTSBURGH STEELERS 2011 ALPHABETICAL ROSTER

NO	NAME	POS	HT	WT	DOB	AGE	EXP	COLLEGE	BIRTHPLACE	HOW ACQ	2011 GP/GS
28	Allen, Cortez	CB	6-1	196	10/29/88	23	R	The Citadel	Ocala, FL	D4 '11	15/0
26	Allen, Will	S	6-1	200	06/17/82	29	8	Ohio State	Dayton, OH	FA '10	16/0
16	Batch, Charlie	QB	6-2	216	12/05/74	37	14	Eastern Michigan	Homestead, PA	FA '02	4/1
81	Battle, Arnaz	WR	6-1	208	02/22/80	31	9	Notre Dame	Dallas, TX	FA '10	10/0
84	Brown, Antonio	WR	5-10	186	07/10/88	23	2	Central Michigan	Miami, FL	D6b '10	16/3
54	Carter, Chris	LB	6-1	248	04/06/89	22	R	Fresno State	Fontana, CA	D5 '11	8/0
25	Clark, Ryan	S	5-11	205	10/12/79	32	10	LSU	Marrero, LA	UFA '06 (Was)	16/16
38	Clay, John	RB	6-1	248	01/04/88	24	R	Wisconsin	Racine, WI	FA '11	2/0
89	Cotchery, Jerricho	WR	6-1	200	06/16/82	29	8	North Carolina State	Birmingham, AL	FA '11	13/0
42	Cromartie-Smith, Damon	S	6-2	210	02/19/87	24	1	UTEP	Riverside, CA	FA '11	4/0
10	Dixon, Dennis	QB	6-3	209	01/11/85	26	4	Oregon	San Leandro, CA	D5 '08	0/0
79	Essex, Trai	OG	6-5	324	12/05/82	29	7	Northwestern	Fort Wayne, IN	D3 '05	16/3
51	Farrior, James	LB	6-2	243	01/06/75	37	15	Virginia	Ettrick, VA	UFA '02 (NYJ)	14/14
50	Foote, Larry	LB	6-1	239	06/12/80	31	10	Michigan	Detroit, MI	FA '10	15/5
73	Foster, Ramon	OG	6-6	325	01/07/86	26	3	Tennessee	Henning, TN	FA '09	15/14
22	Gay, William	CB	5-10	190	01/01/85	27	5	Louisville	Tallahassee, FL	D5b '07	16/15
77	Gilbert, Marcus	OT	6-6	330	02/15/88	23	R	Florida	Fort Lauderdale, FL	D2 '11	14/13
98	Hampton, Casey	NT	6-1	325	09/03/77	34	11	Texas	Galveston, TX	D1 '01	13/12
92	Harrison, James	LB	6-0	242	05/04/78	33	8	Kent State	Akron, OH	FA '04	11/11
97	Heyward, Cameron	DE	6-5	288	05/06/89	22	R	Ohio State	Pittsburgh, PA	D1 '11	16/0
96	Hood, Ziggy	DE	6-3	300	02/16/87	24	3	Missouri	Amarillo, TX	D1 '09	16/14
57	Ivy, Mortty	LB	6-1	239	04/26/86	25	1	West Virginia	Monroeville, PA	FA '11	6/0
85	Johnson, David	TE	6-2	260	08/26/87	24	3	Arkansas State	Pine Bluff, AR	D7b '09	16/16
13	Kapinos, Jeremy	P	6-1	233	08/23/84	27	4	Penn State	West Point, NY	FA '11	8/0
99	Keisel, Brett	DE	6-5	285	09/19/78	33	10	Brigham Young	Greybull, WY	D7b '02	14/14
68	Kemoeatu, Chris	OG	6-3	344	01/04/83	29	6	Utah	Kahuku, HI	D6 '05	13/8
64	Legursky, Doug	C/G	6-1	315	06/09/86	25	3	Marshall	Frankfurt, Germany	FA '08	10/10
23	Lewis, Keenan	CB	6-0	208	05/17/86	25	3	Oregon State	New Orleans, LA	D3c '09	16/1
37	Madison, Anthony	CB	5-9	180	10/08/81	30	6	Alabama	Thomasville, AL	FA '11	5/0
20	McFadden, Bryant	CB	6-0	190	11/21/81	30	7	Florida State	Hollywood, FL	T '10 (Arz)	13/1
90	McLendon, Steve	NT	6-4	280	01/03/86	26	2	Troy	Ozark, AL	FA '09	14/1
69	Meredith, Jamon	OT	6-5	304	05/11/86	25	3	South Carolina	Simpsonville, SC	FA '11	4/0
83	Miller, Heath	TE	6-5	256	10/22/82	29	7	Virginia	Swords Creek, VA	D1 '05	16/16
21	Moore, Mewelde	RB	5-11	209	07/24/82	29	8	Tulane	Hammond, LA	UFA '08 (Min)	12/0
29	Mundy, Ryan	S	6-1	209	02/11/85	26	3	West Virginia	Pittsburgh, PA	D6b '08	16/0
43	Polamalu, Troy	S	5-10	207	04/19/81	30	9	Southern California	Santa Ana, CA	D1 '03	16/16
53	Pouncey, Maurkice	C	6-4	304	07/24/89	22	2	Florida	Lakeland, FL	D1 '10	14/14
33	Redman, Isaac	RB	6-0	230	11/10/84	27	2	Bowie State	Paulsboro, NJ	FA '09	16/1
7	Roethlisberger, Ben	QB	6-5	241	03/02/82	29	8	Miami (OH)	Cory Rawson, OH	D1 '04	15/15
88	Sanders, Emmanuel	WR	5-11	180	03/17/87	24	2	SMU	Bellville, TX	D3 '10	11/0
82	Saunders, Weslye	TE	6-5	270	01/16/89	22	R	South Carolina	Durham, NC	FA '11	16/6
72	Scott, Jonathan	OT	6-6	318	01/10/83	29	5	Texas	Dallas, TX	FA '10	12/5
78	Starks, Max	OT	6-8	345	01/10/82	30	8	Florida	Orlando, FL	D3 '04	12/12
6	Suisham, Shaun	K	6-0	200	12/29/81	30	7	Bowling Green	Wallaceburg, Ontario	FA '10	16/0
55	Sylvester, Stevenson	LB	6-2	231	07/18/88	23	2	Utah	Las Vegas, NV	D5c '10	15/1
24	Taylor, Ike	CB	6-2	195	05/05/80	31	9	LA-Lafayette	Gretna, LA	D4 '03	16/16
94	Timmons, Lawrence	LB	6-1	234	05/14/86	25	5	Florida State	Florence, SC	D1 '07	16/16
17	Wallace, Mike	WR	6-0	199	08/01/86	25	3	Mississippi	New Orleans, LA	D3b '09	16/14
86	Ward, Hines	WR	6-0	205	03/08/76	35	14	Georgia	Forest Park, GA	D3b '98	15/9
60	Warren, Greg	LS	6-3	252	10/18/81	30	7	North Carolina	Goldsboro, NC	FA '05	16/0
56	Woodley, LaMarr	LB	6-2	265	11/03/84	27	5	Michigan	Saginaw, MI	D2 '07	10/10
65	Woods, Al	DE	6-4	307	03/25/87	24	2	LSU	Jennings, LA	FA '11	2/0
93	Worlds, Jason	LB	6-2	262	03/03/88	23	2	Virginia Tech	Carteret, NJ	D2 '10	12/7
<b>RESERVE/INJURED LIST</b>											
35	Batch, Baron	RB	5-10	210	12/21/87	24	R	Texas Tech	Midland, TX	D7 '11	0/0
31	Brown, Curtis	CB	6-0	185	09/24/88	23	R	Texas	Longview, TX	D3 '11	12/0
74	Colon, Willie	OT	6-3	315	04/09/83	28	6	Hofstra	Bronx, NY	D4a '06	1/1
27	Dwyer, Jonathan	RB	5-11	229	07/26/89	22	2	Georgia Tech	Marietta, GA	D6a '10	7/0
76	Hoke, Chris	NT	6-2	305	04/06/76	35	11	Brigham Young	Long Beach, CA	FA '01	6/2
4	Leftwich, Byron	QB	6-5	250	01/14/80	31	9	Marshall	Washington, D.C.	T '10 (T.B.)	0/0
34	Mendenhall, Rashard	RB	5-10	225	06/19/87	24	4	Illinois	Skokie, IL	D1 '08	15/15
9	Sepulveda, Daniel	P	6-3	230	01/12/84	27	5	Baylor	Austin, TX	D4a '07	8/0
91	Smith, Aaron	DE	6-5	298	04/19/76	35	13	Northern Colorado	Colorado Springs, CO	D4 '99	4/4
<b>PRACTICE SQUAD</b>											
95	Bryant, Corbin	DE	6-4	300	01/04/88	24	R	Northwestern	Chicago, IL	FA '11	1/0
19	Grisham, Tyler	WR	5-11	180	06/11/87	24	1	Clemson	Birmingham, AL	FA '09	0/0
66	Joseph, Elisha	NT	6-3	275	06/20/88	23	R	Temple	Hartford, CT	FA '11	0/0
62	Malecki, John	OG	6-2	298	05/26/88	23	1	Pittsburgh	Murrysville, PA	FA '11	0/0
45	McCoy, Jamie	TE	6-3	240	07/21/87	24	1	Texas A&M	Midland, TX	FA '11	0/0
71	Scott, Chris	OT	6-4	319	08/04/87	24	2	Tennessee	Riverdale, GA	FA '11	2/0
30	Spann, Chad	RB	5-8	202	08/04/88	23	R	Northern Illinois	Indianapolis, IN	FA '11	0/0
67	Turner, Trevis	OT	6-7	330	05/02/87	24	R	Abilene Christian	DeSoto, TX	FA '11	0/0

Experience Includes 2011 Season  
Number of Players on Active Roster: 53

Head Coach: Mike Tomlin  
Assistant Coaches: John Mitchell (asst head coach/defensive line); Dick LeBeau (defensive coordinator); Bruce Arians (offensive coordinator); Randy Fichtner (quarterbacks); Keith Butler (linebackers); James Daniel (tight ends); Al Everest (special teams); Harold Goodwin (offensive asst); Scottie Montgomery (wide receivers); Carnell Lake (defensive backs); Amos Jones (asst special teams); Sean Kugler (offensive line); Jerry Olsavsky (defensive asst); Kirby Wilson (running backs); Garrett Giemont (strength and conditioning); Marcel Pastoor (asst strength and conditioning).

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6	Shaun Suisham	K	6-0	200	12/29/81	30	7	Bowling Green	Wallaceburg, Ontario	FA '10	16/0
7	Ben Roethlisberger	QB	6-5	241	03/02/82	29	8	Miami (OH)	Cory Rawson, OH	D1 '04	15/15
10	Dennis Dixon	QB	6-3	209	01/11/85	26	4	Oregon	San Leandro, CA	D5 '08	0/0
13	Jeremy Kapinos	P	6-1	233	08/23/84	27	4	Penn State	West Point, NY	FA '11	8/0
16	Charlie Batch	QB	6-2	216	12/05/74	37	14	Eastern Michigan	Homestead, PA	FA '02	4/1
17	Mike Wallace	WR	6-0	199	08/01/86	25	3	Mississippi	New Orleans, LA	D3b '09	16/14
20	Bryant McFadden	CB	6-0	190	11/21/81	30	7	Florida State	Hollywood, FL	T '10 (Arz)	13/1
21	Mewelde Moore	RB	5-11	209	07/24/82	29	8	Tulane	Hammond, LA	UFA '08 (Min)	12/0
22	William Gay	CB	5-10	190	01/01/85	27	5	Louisville	Tallahassee, FL	D5b '07	16/15
23	Keenan Lewis	CB	6-0	208	05/17/86	25	3	Oregon State	New Orleans, LA	D3c '09	16/1
24	Ike Taylor	CB	6-2	195	05/05/80	31	9	LA-Lafayette	Gretna, LA	D4 '03	16/16
25	Ryan Clark	S	5-11	205	10/12/79	32	10	LSU	Marrero, LA	UFA '06 (Was)	16/16
26	Will Allen	S	6-1	200	06/17/82	29	8	Ohio State	Dayton, OH	FA '10	16/0
28	Cortez Allen	CB	6-1	196	10/29/88	23	R	The Citadel	Ocala, FL	D4 '11	15/0
29	Ryan Mundy	S	6-1	209	02/11/85	26	3	West Virginia	Pittsburgh, PA	D6b '08	16/0
33	Isaac Redman	RB	6-0	230	11/10/84	27	2	Bowie State	Paulsboro, NJ	FA '09	16/1
37	Anthony Madison	CB	5-9	180	10/08/81	30	6	Alabama	Thomasville, AL	FA '11	5/0
38	John Clay	RB	6-1	248	01/04/88	23	R	Wisconsin	Racine, WI	FA '11	2/0
42	Damon Cromartie-Smith	S	6-2	210	02/19/87	24	1	UTEP	Riverside, CA	FA '11	4/0
43	Troy Polamalu	S	5-10	207	04/19/81	30	9	Southern California	Santa Ana, CA	D1 '03	16/16
50	Larry Foote	LB	6-1	239	06/12/80	31	10	Michigan	Detroit, MI	FA '10	15/5
51	James Farrior	LB	6-2	243	01/06/75	37	15	Virginia	Ettrick, VA	UFA '02 (NYJ)	14/14
53	Maurkice Pouncey	C	6-4	304	07/24/89	22	2	Florida	Lakeland, FL	D1 '10	14/14
54	Chris Carter	LB	6-1	248	04/06/89	22	R	Fresno State	Fontana, CA	D5 '11	8/0
55	Stevenson Sylvester	LB	6-2	231	07/18/88	23	2	Utah	Las Vegas, NV	D5c '07	15/1
56	LaMarr Woodley	LB	6-2	265	11/03/84	27	5	Michigan	Saginaw, MI	D2 '07	10/10
57	Mortty Ivy	LB	6-1	239	04/26/86	25	1	West Virginia	Monroeville, PA	FA '11	6/0
60	Greg Warren	LS	6-3	252	10/18/81	30	7	North Carolina	Goldsboro, NC	FA '05	16/0
64	Doug Legursky	C/G	6-1	315	06/09/86	25	3	Marshall	Frankfurt, Germany	FA '08	10/10
65	Al Woods	DE	6-4	307	03/25/87	24	2	LSU	Jennings, LA	FA '11	2/0
68	Chris Kemoeatu	OG	6-3	344	01/04/83	29	6	Utah	Kahuku, HI	D6 '05	13/8
69	Jamon Meredith	OT	6-5	304	05/11/86	25	3	South Carolina	Simpsonville, SC	FA '11	4/0
72	Jonathan Scott	OT	6-6	318	01/10/83	29	5	Texas	Dallas, TX	FA '10	12/5
73	Ramon Foster	OG	6-6	325	01/07/86	26	3	Tennessee	Henning, TN	FA '09	15/14
77	Marcus Gilbert	OT	6-6	330	02/15/88	23	R	Florida	Fort Lauderdale, FL	D2 '11	14/13
78	Max Starks	OT	6-8	345	01/10/82	30	8	Florida	Orlando, FL	D3 '04	12/12
79	Trai Essex	OG	6-5	324	12/05/82	29	7	Northwestern	Fort Wayne, IN	D3 '05	16/3
81	Arnaz Battle	WR	6-1	208	02/22/80	31	9	Notre Dame	Dallas, TX	FA '10	10/0
82	Wesley Saunders	TE	6-5	270	01/16/89	22	R	South Carolina	Durham, NC	FA '11	16/6
83	Heath Miller	TE	6-5	256	10/22/82	29	7	Virginia	Swords Creek, VA	D1 '05	16/16
84	Antonio Brown	WR	5-10	186	07/10/88	23	2	Central Michigan	Miami, FL	D6b '10	16/3
85	David Johnson	TE	6-2	260	08/26/87	24	3	Arkansas State	Pine Bluff, AR	D7b '09	16/16
86	Hines Ward	WR	6-0	205	03/08/76	35	14	Georgia	Forest Park, GA	D3b '98	15/9
88	Emmanuel Sanders	WR	5-11	180	03/17/87	24	2	SMU	Bellville, TX	D3 '10	11/0
89	Jerricho Cotchery	WR	6-1	200	06/16/82	29	8	North Carolina State	Birmingham, AL	FA '11	13/0
90	Steve McLendon	NT	6-4	280	01/03/86	26	2	Troy	Ozark, AL	FA '09	14/1
92	James Harrison	LB	6-0	242	05/04/78	33	8	Kent State	Akron, OH	FA '04	11/11
93	Jason Worilds	LB	6-2	262	03/03/88	23	2	Virginia Tech	Carteret, NJ	D2 '10	12/7
94	Lawrence Timmons	LB	6-1	234	05/14/86	25	5	Florida State	Florence, SC	D1 '07	16/16
96	Ziggy Hood	DE	6-3	300	02/16/87	24	3	Missouri	Amarillo, TX	D1 '09	16/14
97	Cameron Heyward	DE	6-5	288	05/06/89	22	R	Ohio State	Pittsburgh, PA	D1 '11	16/0
98	Casey Hampton	NT	6-1	325	09/03/77	34	11	Texas	Galveston, TX	D1 '01	13/12
99	Brett Keisel	DE	6-5	285	09/19/78	33	10	Brigham Young	Greybull, WY	D7b '02	14/14
<b>RESERVE/INJURED LIST</b>											
4	Byron Leftwich	QB	6-5	250	01/14/80	31	9	Marshall	Washington, D.C.	T '10 (T.B.)	0/0
9	Daniel Sepulveda	P	6-3	230	01/12/84	27	5	Baylor	Austin, TX	D4a '07	8/0
27	Jonathan Dwyer	RB	5-11	229	07/26/89	22	2	Georgia Tech	Marietta, GA	D6a '10	7/0
31	Curtis Brown	CB	6-0	185	09/24/88	23	R	Texas	Longview, TX	D3 '11	12/0
34	Rashard Mendenhall	RB	5-10	225	06/19/87	24	4	Illinois	Skokie, IL	D1 '08	15/15
35	Baron Batch	RB	5-10	210	12/21/87	24	R	Texas Tech	Midland, TX	D7 '11	0/0
74	Willie Colon	OT	6-3	315	04/09/83	28	6	Hofstra	Bronx, NY	D4a '06	1/1
76	Chris Hoke	NT	6-2	305	04/06/76	35	11	Brigham Young	Long Beach, CA	FA '01	6/2
91	Aaron Smith	DE	6-5	298	04/19/76	35	13	Northern Colorado	Colorado Springs, CO	D4 '99	4/4
<b>PRACTICE SQUAD</b>											
19	Tyler Grisham	WR	5-11	180	06/11/87	24	1	Clemson	Birmingham, AL	FA '09	0/0
30	Chad Spann	RB	5-8	202	08/04/88	23	R	Northern Illinois	Indianapolis, IN	FA '11	0/0
45	Jamie McCoy	TE	6-3	240	07/21/87	24	1	Texas A&M	Midland, TX	FA '11	0/0
62	John Malecki	OG	6-2	298	05/26/88	23	1	Pittsburgh	Murrysville, PA	FA '11	0/0
66	Elisha Joseph	NT	6-3	275	06/20/88	23	R	Temple	Hartford, CT	FA '11	0/0
67	Trevis Turner	OT	6-7	330	05/02/87	24	R	Abilene Christian	DeSoto, TX	FA '11	0/0
71	Chris Scott	OT	6-4	319	08/04/87	24	2	Tennessee	Riverdale, GA	FA '11	2/0
95	Corbin Bryant	DE	6-4	300	01/04/88	24	R	Northwestern	Chicago, IL	FA '11	1/0

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## OFFENSE (27)

NO	NAME	POS	HT	WT	DOB	AGE	EXP	COLLEGE	BIRTHPLACE	HOW ACQ	2011 GP/GS
<b>QUARTERBACKS (3)</b>											
7	Ben Roethlisberger	QB	6-5	241	03/02/82	29	8	Miami (OH)	Cory Rawson, OH	D1 '04	15/15
10	Dennis Dixon	QB	6-3	209	01/11/85	26	4	Oregon	San Leandro, CA	D5 '08	0/0
16	Charlie Batch	QB	6-2	216	12/05/74	37	14	Eastern Michigan	Homestead, PA	FA '02	4/1
<b>RUNNING BACKS (3)</b>											
21	Mewelde Moore	RB	5-11	209	07/24/82	29	8	Tulane	Hammond, LA	UFA '08 (Min)	12/0
33	Isaac Redman	RB	6-0	230	11/10/84	27	2	Bowie State	Paulsboro, NJ	FA '09	16/1
38	John Clay	RB	6-1	248	01/04/88	24	R	Wisconsin	Racine, WI	FA '11	2/0
<b>WIDE RECEIVERS (6)</b>											
17	Mike Wallace	WR	6-0	199	08/01/86	25	3	Mississippi	New Orleans, LA	D3b '09	16/14
81	Arnaz Battle	WR	6-1	208	02/22/80	31	9	Notre Dame	Dallas, TX	FA '10	10/0
84	Antonio Brown	WR	5-10	186	07/10/88	23	2	Central Michigan	Miami, FL	D6b '10	16/3
86	Hines Ward	WR	6-0	205	03/08/76	35	14	Georgia	Forest Park, GA	D3b '98	15/9
88	Emmanuel Sanders	WR	5-11	180	03/17/87	24	2	SMU	Bellville, TX	D3 '10	11/0
89	Jerricho Cotchery	WR	6-1	200	06/16/82	29	8	North Carolina State	Birmingham, AL	FA '11	13/0
<b>TIGHT ENDS (3)</b>											
82	Weslye Saunders	TE	6-5	270	01/16/89	22	R	South Carolina	Durham, NC	FA '11	16/6
83	Heath Miller	TE	6-5	256	10/22/82	29	7	Virginia	Swords Creek, VA	D1 '05	16/16
85	David Johnson	TE	6-2	260	08/26/87	24	2	Arkansas State	Pine Bluff, AR	D7b '09	16/16
<b>OFFENSIVE LINEMEN (9)</b>											
53	Maurkice Pouncey	C	6-4	304	07/24/89	22	2	Florida	Lakeland, FL	D1 '10	14/14
64	Doug Legursky	C/G	6-1	315	06/09/86	25	3	Marshall	Frankfurt, Germany	FA '08	10/10
68	Chris Kemoeatu	OG	6-3	344	01/04/83	29	6	Utah	Kahuku, HI	D6 '05	13/8
69	Jamon Meredith	OT	6-5	304	05/11/86	25	3	South Carolina	Simpsonville, SC	FA '11	4/0
72	Jonathan Scott	OT	6-6	318	01/10/83	29	5	Texas	Dallas, TX	FA '10	12/5
73	Ramon Foster	OG	6-6	325	01/07/86	26	3	Tennessee	Henning, TN	FA '09	15/14
77	Marcus Gilbert	OT	6-6	330	02/15/88	23	R	Florida	Fort Lauderdale, FL	D2 '11	14/13
78	Max Starks	OT	6-8	345	01/10/82	30	8	Florida	Orlando, FL	D3 '04	12/12
79	Trai Essex	OG	6-5	324	12/05/82	29	7	Northwestern	Fort Wayne, IN	D3 '05	16/3
<b>SPECIALISTS (3)</b>											
6	Shaun Suisham	K	6-0	200	12/29/81	30	7	Bowling Green	Wallaceburg, Ontario	FA '10	16/0
13	Jeremy Kapinos	P	6-1	233	08/23/84	27	4	Penn State	West Point, NY	FA '11	8/0
60	Greg Warren	LS	6-3	252	10/18/81	30	7	North Carolina	Goldsboro, NC	FA '05	16/0

## DEFENSE (26)

<b>DEFENSIVE LINEMEN (6)</b>											
65	Al Woods	DE	6-4	307	03/25/87	24	2	LSU	Jennings, LA	FA '11	2/0
90	Steve McLendon	NT	6-4	280	01/03/86	26	2	Troy	Ozark, AL	FA '09	14/1
96	Ziggy Hood	DE	6-3	300	02/16/87	24	3	Missouri	Amarillo, TX	D1 '09	16/14
97	Cameron Heyward	DE	6-5	288	05/06/89	22	R	Ohio State	Pittsburgh, PA	D1 '11	16/0
98	Casey Hampton	NT	6-1	325	09/03/77	34	11	Texas	Galveston, TX	D1 '01	13/12
99	Brett Keisel	DE	6-5	285	09/19/78	33	10	Brigham Young	Greybull, WY	D7b '02	14/14
<b>LINEBACKERS (9)</b>											
50	Larry Foote	LB	6-1	239	06/12/80	31	10	Michigan	Detroit, MI	FA '10	15/5
51	James Farrior	LB	6-2	243	01/06/75	37	15	Virginia	Ettrick, VA	UFA '02 (NYJ)	14/14
54	Chris Carter	LB	6-1	248	04/06/89	22	R	Fresno State	Fontana, CA	D5 '11	8/0
55	Stevenson Sylvester	LB	6-2	231	07/18/88	23	2	Utah	Las Vegas, NV	D5c '10	15/1
56	LaMarr Woodley	LB	6-2	265	11/03/84	27	5	Michigan	Saginaw, MI	D2 '07	10/10
57	Mortty Ivy	LB	6-1	239	04/26/86	25	1	West Virginia	Monroeville, PA	FA '11	6/0
92	James Harrison	LB	6-0	242	05/04/78	33	8	Kent State	Akron, OH	FA '04	11/11
93	Jason Worilds	LB	6-2	262	03/03/88	23	2	Virginia Tech	Carteret, NJ	D2 '10	12/7
94	Lawrence Timmons	LB	6-1	234	05/14/86	25	5	Florida State	Florence, SC	D1 '07	16/16
<b>DEFENSIVE BACKS (11)</b>											
20	Bryant McFadden	CB	6-0	190	11/21/81	30	7	Florida State	Hollywood, FL	T '10 (Arz)	13/1
22	William Gay	CB	5-10	190	01/01/85	27	5	Louisville	Tallahassee, FL	D5b '07	16/15
23	Keenan Lewis	CB	6-0	208	05/17/86	25	3	Oregon State	New Orleans, LA	D3c '09	16/1
24	Ike Taylor	CB	6-2	195	05/05/80	31	9	LA-Lafayette	Gretna, LA	D4 '03	16/16
25	Ryan Clark	S	5-11	205	10/12/79	32	10	LSU	Marrero, LA	UFA '06 (Was)	16/16
26	Will Allen	S	6-1	200	06/17/82	29	9	Ohio State	Dayton, OH	FA '10	16/0
28	Cortez Allen	CB	6-1	196	10/29/88	23	R	The Citadel	Ocala, FL	D4 '11	15/0
29	Ryan Mundy	S	6-1	209	02/11/85	26	3	West Virginia	Pittsburgh, PA	D6b '08	16/0
37	Anthony Madison	CB	5-9	180	10/08/81	30	6	Alabama	Thomasville, AL	FA '11	5/0
42	Damon Cromartie-Smith	S	6-2	210	02/19/87	24	1	UTEP	Riverside, CA	FA '11	4/0
43	Troy Polamalu	S	5-10	207	04/19/81	30	9	Southern California	Santa Ana, CA	D1 '03	16/16

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9	Daniel Sepulveda	P	6-3	230	01/12/84	27	5	Baylor	Austin, TX	D4a '07	8/0
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31	Curtis Brown	CB	6-0	185	09/24/88	23	R	Texas	Longview, TX	D3 '11	12/0
34	Rashard Mendenhall	RB	5-10	225	06/19/87	24	4	Illinois	Skokie, IL	D1 '08	15/15
35	Baron Batch	RB	5-10	210	12/21/87	24	R	Texas Tech	Midland, TX	D7 '11	0/0
74	Willie Colon	OT	6-3	315	04/09/83	28	6	Hofstra	Bronx, NY	D4a '06	1/1
76	Chris Hoke	NT	6-2	305	04/06/76	35	11	Brigham Young	Long Beach, CA	FA '01	6/2
91	Aaron Smith	DE	6-5	298	04/19/76	35	13	Northern Colorado	Colorado Springs, CO	D4 '99	4/4

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19	Tyler Grisham	WR	5-11	180	06/11/87	24	1	Clemson	Birmingham, AL	FA '09	0/0
30	Chad Spann	RB	5-8	202	08/04/88	23	R	Northern Illinois	Indianapolis, IN	FA '11	0/0
45	Jamie McCoy	TE	6-3	240	07/21/87	24	1	Texas A&M	Midland, TX	FA '11	0/0
62	John Malecki	OG	6-2	298	05/26/88	23	1	Pittsburgh	Murrysville, PA	FA '11	0/0
66	Elisha Joseph	NT	6-3	275	06/20/88	23	R	Temple	Hartford, CT	FA '11	0/0
67	Trevis Turner	OT	6-7	330	05/02/87	24	R	Abilene Christian	DeSoto, TX	FA '11	0/0
71	Chris Scott	OT	6-4	319	08/04/87	24	2	Tennessee	Riverdale, GA	FA '11	2/0
95	Corbin Bryant	DE	6-4	300	01/04/88	24	R	Northwestern	Chicago, IL	FA '11	1/0

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NO	NAME	POS	HT	WT	DOB	AGE	EXP	COLLEGE	BIRTHPLACE	HOW ACQ	2011 GP/GS
<b>15th YEAR (1)</b>											
51	Farrior, James	LB	6-2	243	01/06/75	37	15	Virginia	Ettrick, VA	UFA '02 (NYJ)	14/14
<b>14th YEAR (2)</b>											
16	Batch, Charlie	QB	6-2	216	12/05/74	37	14	Eastern Michigan	Homestead, PA	FA '02	4/1
86	Ward, Hines	WR	6-0	205	03/08/76	35	14	Georgia	Forest Park, GA	D3b '98	15/9
<b>11th YEAR (1)</b>											
98	Hampton, Casey	NT	6-1	325	09/03/77	34	11	Texas	Galveston, TX	D1 '01	13/12
<b>10th YEAR (3)</b>											
25	Clark, Ryan	S	5-11	205	10/12/79	32	10	LSU	Marrero, LA	UFA '06 (Was)	16/16
50	Foote, Larry	LB	6-1	239	06/12/80	31	10	Michigan	Detroit, MI	FA '10	15/5
99	Keisel, Brett	DE	6-5	285	09/19/78	33	10	Brigham Young	Greybull, WY	D7b '02	14/14
<b>9th YEAR (3)</b>											
81	Battle, Arnaz	WR	6-1	208	02/22/80	31	9	Notre Dame	Dallas, TX	FA '10	10/0
43	Polamalu, Troy	S	5-10	207	04/19/81	30	9	Southern California	Santa Ana, CA	D1 '03	16/16
24	Taylor, Ike	CB	6-2	195	05/05/80	31	9	LA-Lafayette	Gretna, LA	D4 '03	16/16
<b>8th YEAR (6)</b>											
26	Allen, Will	S	6-1	200	06/17/82	29	8	Ohio State	Dayton, OH	FA '10	16/0
89	Cotchery, Jerricho	WR	6-1	200	06/16/82	29	8	North Carolina State	Birmingham, AL	FA '11	13/0
92	Harrison, James	LB	6-0	242	05/04/78	33	8	Kent State	Akron, OH	FA '04	11/11
21	Moore, Mewelde	RB	5-11	209	07/24/82	29	8	Tulane	Hammond, LA	UFA '08 (Min)	12/0
7	Roethlisberger, Ben	QB	6-5	241	03/02/82	29	8	Miami (OH)	Cory Rawson, OH	D1 '04	15/15
78	Starks, Max	OT	6-8	345	01/10/82	30	8	Florida	Orlando, FL	D3 '04	12/12
<b>7th YEAR (5)</b>											
79	Essex, Trai	OG	6-5	324	12/05/82	29	7	Northwestern	Fort Wayne, IN	D3 '05	16/3
20	McFadden, Bryant	CB	6-0	190	11/21/81	30	7	Florida State	Hollywood, FL	T '10 (Arz)	13/1
83	Miller, Heath	TE	6-5	256	10/22/82	29	7	Virginia	Swords Creek, VA	D1 '05	16/16
6	Suisham, Shaun	K	6-0	200	12/29/81	30	7	Bowling Green	Wallaceburg, Ontario	FA '10	16/0
60	Warren, Greg	LS	6-3	252	10/18/81	30	7	North Carolina	Goldsboro, NC	FA '05	16/0
<b>6th YEAR (2)</b>											
68	Kemoeatu, Chris	OG	6-3	344	01/04/83	29	6	Utah	Kahuku, HI	D6 '05	13/8
37	Madison, Anthony	CB	5-9	180	10/08/81	30	6	Alabama	Thomasville, AL	FA '11	5/0
<b>5th YEAR (4)</b>											
22	Gay, William	CB	5-10	190	01/01/85	27	5	Louisville	Tallahassee, FL	D5b '07	16/15
72	Scott, Jonathan	OT	6-6	318	01/10/83	29	5	Texas	Dallas, TX	FA '10	12/5
94	Timmons, Lawrence	LB	6-1	234	05/14/86	25	5	Florida State	Florence, SC	D1 '07	16/16
56	Woodley, LaMarr	LB	6-2	265	11/03/84	27	5	Michigan	Saginaw, MI	D2 '07	10/10
<b>4th YEAR (2)</b>											
10	Dixon, Dennis	QB	6-3	209	01/11/85	26	4	Oregon	San Leandro, CA	D5 '08	0/0
13	Kapinos, Jeremy	P	6-1	233	08/23/84	27	4	Penn State	West Point, NY	FA '11	8/0
<b>3rd YEAR (8)</b>											
73	Foster, Ramon	OG	6-6	325	01/07/86	26	3	Tennessee	Henning, TN	FA '09	15/14
96	Hood, Ziggy	DE	6-3	300	02/16/87	24	3	Missouri	Amarillo, TX	D1 '09	16/14
85	Johnson, David	TE	6-2	260	08/26/87	24	3	Arkansas State	Pine Bluff, AR	D7b '09	16/16
64	Legursky, Doug	C/G	6-1	315	06/09/86	25	3	Marshall	Frankfurt, Germany	FA '08	10/10
23	Lewis, Keenan	CB	6-0	208	05/17/86	25	3	Oregon State	New Orleans, LA	D3c '09	16/1
69	Meredith, Jamon	OT	6-5	304	05/11/86	25	3	South Carolina	Simpsonville, SC	FA '11	4/0
29	Mundy, Ryan	S	6-1	209	02/11/85	26	3	West Virginia	Pittsburgh, PA	D6b '08	16/0
17	Wallace, Mike	WR	6-0	199	08/01/86	25	3	Mississippi	New Orleans, LA	D3b '09	16/14
<b>2nd YEAR (8)</b>											
84	Brown, Antonio	WR	5-10	186	07/10/88	23	2	Central Michigan	Miami, FL	D6b '10	16/3
90	McLendon, Steve	NT	6-4	280	01/03/86	26	2	Troy	Ozark, AL	FA '09	14/1
53	Pouncey, Maurkice	C	6-4	304	07/24/89	22	2	Florida	Lakeland, FL	D1 '10	14/14
33	Redman, Isaac	RB	6-0	230	11/10/84	27	2	Bowie State	Paulsboro, NJ	FA '09	16/1
88	Sanders, Emmanuel	WR	5-11	180	03/17/87	24	2	SMU	Bellville, TX	D3 '10	11/0
55	Sylvester, Stevenson	LB	6-2	231	07/18/88	23	2	Utah	Las Vegas, NV	D5c '10	15/1
65	Woods, Al	DE	6-4	307	03/25/87	24	2	LSU	Jennings, LA	FA '11	2/0
93	Worlds, Jason	LB	6-2	262	03/03/88	23	2	Virginia Tech	Carteret, NJ	D2 '10	12/7
<b>1st YEAR (2)</b>											
42	Cromartie-Smith, Damon	S	6-2	210	02/19/87	24	1	UTEP	Riverside, CA	FA '11	4/0
57	Ivy, Mortty	LB	6-1	239	04/26/86	25	1	West Virginia	Monroeville, PA	FA '11	6/0
<b>ROOKIES (6)</b>											
28	Allen, Cortez	CB	6-1	196	10/29/88	23	R	The Citadel	Ocala, FL	D4 '11	15/0
54	Carter, Chris	LB	6-1	248	04/06/89	22	R	Fresno State	Fontana, CA	D5 '11	8/0
38	Clay, John	RB	6-1	248	01/04/88	24	R	Wisconsin	Racine, WI	FA '11	2/0
77	Gilbert, Marcus	OT	6-6	330	02/15/88	23	R	Florida	Fort Lauderdale, FL	D2 '11	14/13
97	Heyward, Cameron	DE	6-5	288	05/06/89	22	R	Ohio State	Pittsburgh, PA	D1 '11	16/0
82	Saunders, Weslye	TE	6-5	270	01/16/89	22	R	South Carolina	Durham, NC	FA '11	16/6
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35	Batch, Baron	RB	5-10	210	12/21/87	24	R	Texas Tech	Midland, TX	D7 '11	0/0
31	Brown, Curtis	CB	6-0	185	09/24/88	23	R	Texas	Longview, TX	D3 '11	12/0
74	Colon, Willie	OT	6-3	315	04/09/83	28	6	Hofstra	Bronx, NY	D4a '06	1/1
27	Dwyer, Jonathan	RB	5-11	229	07/26/89	22	2	Georgia Tech	Marietta, GA	D6a '10	7/0
76	Hoke, Chris	NT	6-2	305	04/06/76	35	11	Brigham Young	Long Beach, CA	FA '01	6/2
4	Leftwich, Byron	QB	6-5	250	01/14/80	31	9	Marshall	Washington, D.C.	T '10 (T.B.)	0/0
34	Mendenhall, Rashard	RB	5-10	225	06/19/87	24	4	Illinois	Skokie, IL	D1 '08	15/15
9	Sepulveda, Daniel	P	6-3	230	01/12/84	27	5	Baylor	Austin, TX	D4a '07	8/0
91	Smith, Aaron	DE	6-5	298	04/19/76	35	13	Northern Colorado	Colorado Springs, CO	D4 '99	4/4
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95	Bryant, Corbin	DE	6-4	300	01/04/88	24	R	Northwestern	Chicago, IL	FA '11	1/0
19	Grisham, Tyler	WR	5-11	180	06/11/87	24	1	Clemson	Birmingham, AL	FA '09	0/0
66	Joseph, Elisha	NT	6-3	275	06/20/88	23	R	Temple	Hartford, CT	FA '11	0/0
62	Malecki, John	OG	6-2	298	05/26/88	23	1	Pittsburgh	Murrysville, PA	FA '11	0/0
45	McCoy, Jamie	TE	6-3	240	07/21/87	24	1	Texas A&M	Midland, TX	FA '11	0/0
71	Scott, Chris	OT	6-4	319	08/04/87	24	2	Tennessee	Riverdale, GA	FA '11	2/0
30	Spann, Chad	RB	5-8	202	08/04/88	23	R	Northern Illinois	Indianapolis, IN	FA '11	0/0
67	Turner, Trevis	OT	6-7	330	05/02/87	24	R	Abilene Christian	DeSoto, TX	FA '11	0/0

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# 2011 ROSTER MOVES

Date	Pos.	Name	Transaction	Date	Pos.	Name	Transaction
1/11	LB	Baraka Atkins	Signed Contract	8/4	LS	Derek Chard	Released
1/11	LB	Mortty Ivy	Signed Contract	8/4	LB	Erik Clanton	Released
1/11	RB	James Johnson	Signed Contract	8/4	P	Aaron Bates	Released
1/11	OG	Nevin McCaskill	Signed Contract	8/4	QB	Chris Dieker	Released
1/11	TE/FB	Jamie McCoy	Signed Contract	8/4	OG	Dorian Brooks	Released
1/11	CB	Donovan Warren	Signed Contract	8/4	OT	Joshua Harrison	Released
2/14	LB	Chris McCoy	Signed Contract	8/4	OG	John Malecki	Signed Contract
2/14	K	Swayze Waters	Signed Contract	8/5	LB	LaMarr Woodley	Signed Extension
2/14	WR	Wes Lyons	Signed Contract	8/8	DE	Ty Boyle	Released
2/17	TE	Eugene Bright	Signed Contract	8/8	DE	Jarrett Crittenton	Signed Contract
2/17	S	Damon Cromartie-Smith	Signed Contract	8/8	WR	Hines Ward	Activated from PUP List
2/17	LB	Chris Ellis	Signed Contract	8/10	WR	Adam Mims	Released
2/17	WR	Tyler Grisham	Signed Contract	8/10	WR	Kenneth Moore	Signed Contract
2/17	DE	Sunny Harris	Signed Contract	8/14	DE	Sunny Harris	Waived/Injured
2/17	OT	Kyle Jolly	Signed Contract	8/14	WR	Jerricho Cotchery	Signed Contract
2/23	LB	LaMarr Woodley	Signed Contract Tender	8/14	OG	Chris Kemoeatu	Activated from PUP List
3/7	Coach	Carnell Lake	Signed Contract	8/16	WR	Limas Sweed	Released
4/28	DE	Cameron Heyward	Drafted	8/16	TE	Eugene Bright	Waived/Injured
4/29	OT	Marcus Gilbert	Drafted	8/16	CB	Kevin Dockery	Signed Contract
4/29	CB	Curtis Brown	Drafted	8/16	CB	Macho Harris	Signed Contract
4/30	CB	Cortez Allen	Drafted	8/22	OG	Nevin McCaskill	Released
4/30	LB	Chris Carter	Drafted	8/22	OG	Trai Essex	Signed Contract
4/30	OG	Keith Williams	Drafted	8/23	LB	Lawrence Timmons	Signed Extension
4/30	RB	Baron Batch	Drafted	8/28	RB	Baron Batch	Placed on the Reserve/Injured List
7/26	TE/FB	Vaughn Charlton	Signed Contract	8/28	TE	Miguel Chavis	Waived/Injured
7/26	RB	John Clay	Signed Contract	8/28	WR	Kenneth Moore	Released
7/26	WR	Terrence McCrae	Signed Contract	8/28	CB	Kevin Dockery	Released
7/26	WR	Armand Robinson	Signed Contract	8/28	TE/FB	Vaughn Charlton	Released
7/26	WR	Adam Mims	Signed Contract	8/28	WR	Eric Greenwood	Released
7/26	TE	Weslye Saunders	Signed Contract	8/30	WR	Terrence McCrae	Released
7/26	C	Colin Miller	Signed Contract	8/30	DT	Anthony Gray	Released
7/26	OT	Trevis Turner	Signed Contract	8/30	CB	Niles Brinkley	Released
7/26	S	Brett Greenwood	Signed Contract	8/30	LB	Chris Ellis	Released
7/26	CB	Niles Brinkley	Signed Contract	9/2	QB	Byron Leftwich	Placed on the Reserve/Injured List
7/26	LB	Erik Clanton	Signed Contract	9/2	LB	Baraka Atkins	Released
7/26	LB	Mario Harvey	Signed Contract	9/2	LB	Mario Harvey	Released
7/26	DE	Miguel Chavis	Signed Contract	9/2	LB	Mortty Ivy	Released
7/26	DT	Anthony Gray	Signed Contract	9/2	LB	Chris McCoy	Released
7/26	WR	Eric Greenwood	Signed Contract	9/2	DE	Corbin Bryant	Released
7/26	LS	Derek Chard	Signed Contract	9/2	S	Damon Cromartie-Smith	Released
7/26	OT	Joshua Harrison	Signed Contract	9/2	S	Brett Greenwood	Released
7/26	DE	Ty Boyle	Signed Contract	9/2	CB	Macho Harris	Released
7/27	P	Aaron Bates	Signed Contract	9/2	CB	Donovan Warren	Released
7/27	QB	Chris Dieker	Signed Contract	9/2	RB	John Clay	Released
7/29	WR	Antwaan Randle El	Released	9/2	RB	James Johnson	Released
7/29	OT	Max Starks	Released	9/2	C	Colin Miller	Released
7/29	OT	Flozell Adams	Released	9/2	OT	Kyle Jolly	Released
7/29	DE	Cameron Heyward	Signed Contract	9/2	OG	John Malecki	Released
7/29	OT	Marcus Gilbert	Signed Contract	9/2	OT	Trevis Turner	Released
7/29	CB	Cortez Allen	Signed Contract	9/2	OG	Keith Williams	Released
7/29	LB	Chris Carter	Signed Contract	9/2	WR	Tyler Grisham	Released
7/29	OG	Keith Williams	Signed Contract	9/2	WR	Wes Lyons	Released
7/29	RB	Baron Batch	Signed Contract	9/2	WR	Armand Robinson	Released
7/29	CB	Ike Taylor	Signed Contract	9/2	TE	Jamie McCoy	Released
7/29	K	Shaun Suisham	Signed Contract	9/2	K	Swayze Waters	Released
7/29	OT	Jonathan Scott	Signed Contract	9/3	DE	Jarrett Crittenton	Released
7/29	OT	Willie Colon	Signed Contract	9/3	P	Jeremy Kapinos	Released
7/29	OT	Tony Hills	Signed Contract	9/3	TE	John Gilmore	Released
7/29	WR	Hines Ward	Active/PUP List	9/3	OT/OG	Tony Hills	Released
7/29	OG	Chris Kemoeatu	Active/PUP List	9/3	CB	Crezdon Butler	Released
7/29	TE	Eugene Bright	Active/PUP List	9/4	DE	Corbin Bryant	Signed to Practice Squad
7/30	CB	Curtis Brown	Signed Contract	9/4	RB	John Clay	Signed to Practice Squad
7/30	DE	Corbin Bryant	Signed Contract	9/4	S	Damon Cromartie-Smith	Signed to Practice Squad
8/4	P	Daniel Sepulveda	Signed Contract	9/4	WR	Tyler Grisham	Signed to Practice Squad
8/4	CB	William Gay	Signed Contract	9/4	LB	Mortty Ivy	Signed to Practice Squad
8/4	RB	Mewelde Moore	Signed Contract	9/4	OG	John Malecki	Signed to Practice Squad
8/4	DT	Chris Hoke	Signed Contract	9/4	TE	Jamie McCoy	Signed to Practice Squad
8/4	QB	Dennis Dixon	Signed Contract	9/4	OT	Trevis Turner	Signed to Practice Squad
8/4	LS	Greg Warren	Signed Contract	9/10	S	Troy Polamalu	Signed Extension
8/4	TE	John Gilmore	Signed Contract	9/12	TE	Jamie McCoy	Released from Practice Squad

# 2011 ROSTER MOVES

9/12	TE	Dorin Dickerson	Signed to Practice Squad
9/13	OT	Willie Colon	Placed on the Reserve/Injured List
9/13	OT	Jamon Meredith	Signed to Active Roster
9/15	TE	Dorin Dickerson	Placed on Practice Squad/Injured List
9/15	TE	Jamie McCoy	Signed to Practice Squad
10/5	OT	Chris Scott	Released
10/5	OT	Max Starks	Signed Contract
10/5	S	Damon Cromartie-Smith	Released
10/5	RB	Tristan Davis	Signed to Practice Squad
10/6	OG	John Malecki	Released from Practice Squad
10/6	OT	Chris Scott	Signed to Practice Squad
10/18	RB	Tristan Davis	Released from Practice Squad
10/18	S	Damon Cromartie-Smith	Signed to Practice Squad
10/18	LB	Mortty Ivy	Released from Practice Squad
10/18	NT	Elisha Joseph	Signed to Practice Squad
10/22	DE	Aaron Smith	Placed on the Reserve/Injured List
10/22	DE	Corbin Bryant	Signed to Active Roster
10/24	LB	Mortty Ivy	Signed to Practice Squad
10/29	DE	Corbin Bryant	Released
10/29	LB	Mortty Ivy	Signed to Active Roster
10/31	DE	Corbin Bryant	Signed to Practice Squad
11/2	DE	Elisha Joseph	Released from Practice Squad
11/2	WR	Jamar Newsome	Signed to Practice Squad
11/5	P	Daniel Sepulveda	Placed on the Reserve/Injured List
11/5	P	Jeremy Kapinos	Signed to Active Roster
11/9	LB	Mortty Ivy	Released
11/9	DE	Al Woods	Signed to Active Roster
11/30	WR	Jamar Newsome	Released from Practice Squad
11/30	LB	Mortty Ivy	Signed to Practice Squad
12/8	NT	Chris Hoke	Placed on the Reserve/Injured List
12/8	RB	Jonathan Dwyer	Placed on the Reserve/Injured List
12/8	LB	Mortty Ivy	Signed to Active Roster
12/8	S	Damon Cromartie-Smith	Signed to Active Roster
12/12	NT	Elisha Joseph	Signed to Practice Squad
12/12	RB	Chad Spann	Signed to Practice Squad
12/17	WR	Tyler Grisham	Released from Practice Squad
12/20	WR	Tyler Grisham	Signed to Practice Squad
12/23	CB	Curtis Brown	Placed on the Reserve/Injured List
12/23	RB	John Clay	Signed to Active Roster
12/26	OG	John Malecki	Signed to Practice Squad
1/3	RB	Rashard Mendenhall	Placed on the Reserve/Injured List
1/3	CB	Anthony Madison	Signed to Active Roster

## HOW THE 2011 STEELERS WERE BUILT

Year-Record (Finish)	Draft Choices (27)			Free Agents (22) Unrestricted Free Agents (3) Trade (1)		
1998: 7-9 (3 <sup>rd</sup> AFC Central)	WR	Hines Ward	(#3b)			
1999: 6-10 (4 <sup>th</sup> AFC Central)						
2001: 13-3 (1 <sup>st</sup> AFC Central)	DT	Casey Hampton	(#1)			
2002: 11-5-1 (1 <sup>st</sup> AFC North)	DE	Brett Keisel	(#7b)	QB	Charlie Batch	FA
				LB	James Farrior	UFA (NYJ)
2003: 6-10 (3 <sup>rd</sup> AFC North)	S	Troy Polamalu	(#1)			
	CB	Ike Taylor	(#4)			
2004: 15-1 (1 <sup>st</sup> AFC North)	QB	Ben Roethlisberger	(#1)	LB	James Harrison	FA
2005: 11-5 (2 <sup>nd</sup> AFC North)	TE	Heath Miller	(#1)	LS	Greg Warren	FA
	OG	Trai Essex	(#3)			
	OG	Chris Kemoeatu	(#6)			
2006: 8-8 (T-2 <sup>nd</sup> AFC North)				S	Ryan Clark	UFA (Was)
2007: 10-6 (1 <sup>st</sup> AFC North)	LB	Lawrence Timmons	(#1)			
	LB	LaMarr Woodley	(#2)			
	CB	William Gay	(#5b)			
2008: 12-4 (1 <sup>st</sup> AFC North)	QB	Dennis Dixon	(#5)	RB	Mewelde Moore	UFA (Min)
	S	Ryan Mundy	(#6b)	C	Doug Legursky	FA
2009: 9-7 (3 <sup>rd</sup> AFC North)	DE	Ziggy Hood	(#1)	RB	Isaac Redman	FA
	CB	Keenan Lewis	(#3b)	OT	Ramon Foster	FA
	WR	Mike Wallace	(#3c)	DT	Steve McLendon	FA
	TE	David Johnson	(#7b)			
2010: 12-4 (T-1 <sup>st</sup> AFC North)	C	Maurkice Pouncey	(#1)	OT	Jonathan Scott	FA
	LB	Jason Worilds	(#2)	S	Will Allen	FA
	WR	Emmanuel Sanders	(#3)	WR	Arnaz Battle	FA
	LB	Stevenson Sylvester	(#5c)	K	Shaun Suisham	FA
	WR	Antonio Brown	(#6b)	CB	Bryant McFadden	T (Arz)
				LB	Larry Foote	FA
2011: 12-4 (T-1 <sup>st</sup> AFC North)	DE	Cameron Heyward	(#1)	TE	Weslye Saunders	FA
	OT	Marcus Gilbert	(#2)	WR	Jerricho Cotchery	FA
	CB	Cortez Allen	(#4)	OT	Jamon Meredith	FA
	LB	Chris Carter	(#5)	OT	Max Starks	FA
				P	Jeremy Kapinos	FA
				DE	Al Woods	FA
				LB	Morty Ivy	FA
				S	Damon Cromartie-Smith	FA
				RB	John Clay	FA
				CB	Anthony Madison	FA

# 2011 STARTING LINEUPS

## OFFENSE

### Opponent

	<u>WR</u>	<u>LT</u>	<u>LG</u>	<u>C</u>	<u>RG</u>	<u>RT</u>	<u>TE</u>	<u>WR</u>	<u>QB</u>	<u>RB</u>	<u>FB</u>
<b><u>Preseason</u></b>											
at Washington (8/12)	Wallace	J. Scott	C. Scott	Pouncey	Legursky	Colon	Miller	Gilmore (TE)	Roethlisberger	Mendenhall	Johnson
PHILADELPHIA (8/18)	Wallace	J. Scott	Foster	Pouncey	Hills	Colon	Miller	Ward	Roethlisberger	Mendenhall	Johnson
ATLANTA (8/27)	Wallace	Gilbert	Kemoeatu	Pouncey	Hills	Colon	Miller	Ward	Roethlisberger	Mendenhall	Johnson
at Carolina (9/1)	Wallace	J. Scott	Kemoeatu	Legursky	Essex	Colon	Johnson	Sanders	Batch	Redman	Brown (WR)

### Opponent

	<u>WR</u>	<u>LT</u>	<u>LG</u>	<u>C</u>	<u>RG</u>	<u>RT</u>	<u>TE</u>	<u>WR</u>	<u>QB</u>	<u>RB</u>	<u>FB</u>
<b><u>Regular Season</u></b>											
at Baltimore (9/11)	Wallace	J. Scott	Kemoeatu	Pouncey	Legursky	Colon	Miller	Ward	Roethlisberger	Mendenhall	Johnson
SEATTLE (9/18)	Wallace	J. Scott	Foster	Pouncey	Legursky	Gilbert	Miller	Ward	Roethlisberger	Mendenhall	Johnson
at Indianapolis (9/25)	Wallace	J. Scott	Kemoeatu	Pouncey	Legursky	Gilbert	Miller	Ward	Roethlisberger	Mendenhall	Johnson
at Houston (10/2)	Wallace	Essex	Kemoeatu	Pouncey	Foster	Gilbert	Miller	Ward	Roethlisberger	Mendenhall	Johnson
TENNESSEE (10/9)	Wallace	Starks	Legursky	Pouncey	Foster	Gilbert	Miller	Ward	Roethlisberger	Redman	Johnson
JACKSONVILLE (10/16)	Wallace	Starks	Legursky	Pouncey	Foster	J. Scott	Miller	Saunders (TE)	Roethlisberger	Mendenhall	Johnson
at Arizona (10/23)	Wallace	Starks	Kemoeatu	Pouncey	Foster	Gilbert	Miller	Saunders (TE)	Roethlisberger	Mendenhall	Johnson
NEW ENGLAND (10/30)	Wallace	Starks	Kemoeatu	Pouncey	Foster	Gilbert	Miller	Saunders (TE)	Roethlisberger	Mendenhall	Johnson
BALTIMORE (11/6)	Wallace	Starks	Kemoeatu	Pouncey	Foster	Gilbert	Miller	Ward	Roethlisberger	Mendenhall	Johnson
at Cincinnati (11/13)	Wallace	Starks	Kemoeatu	Pouncey	Foster	Gilbert	Miller	Brown	Roethlisberger	Mendenhall	Johnson
at Kansas City (11/20)	Ward	Starks	Legursky	Pouncey	Foster	Gilbert	Miller	Saunders (TE)	Roethlisberger	Mendenhall	Johnson
CINCINNATI (12/4)	Wallace	Starks	Legursky	Pouncey	Foster	Gilbert	Miller	Saunders (TE)	Roethlisberger	Mendenhall	Johnson
CLEVELAND (12/8)	Wallace	Starks	Legursky	Pouncey	Foster	Gilbert	Miller	Brown	Roethlisberger	Mendenhall	Johnson
at San Francisco (12/19)	Wallace	Starks	Essex	Legursky	Foster	Gilbert	Miller	Brown	Roethlisberger	Mendenhall	Johnson
ST. LOUIS (12/24)	Ward	Starks	Essex	Legursky	Foster	J. Scott	Miller	Saunders (TE)	Batch	Mendenhall	Johnson
at Cleveland (1/1)	Wallace	Starks	Kemoeatu	Pouncey	Foster	Gilbert	Miller	Ward	Roethlisberger	Mendenhall	Johnson

# 2011 STARTING LINEUPS

## DEFENSE

### Opponent

	<u>LE</u>	<u>NT</u>	<u>RE</u>	<u>LOLB</u>	<u>LILB</u>	<u>RILB</u>	<u>ROLB</u>	<u>LCB</u>	<u>RCB</u>	<u>SS</u>	<u>FS</u>
<u>Preseason</u>											
at Washington (8/12)	Smith	Hampton	Keisel	Woodley	Farrior	Timmons	Worilds	Gay	Taylor	Mundy	Clark
PHILADELPHIA (8/18)	Hood	Hampton	Keisel	Woodley	Farrior	Timmons	Harrison	Lewis	Gay	Polamalu	Clark
ATLANTA (8/27)	Smith	Hampton	Keisel	Woodley	Farrior	Timmons	Harrison	Lewis	Gay	Polamalu	Clark
at Carolina (9/1)	Hood	Hoke	Keisel	Woodley	Foote	Timmons	Worilds	Lewis	Gay	Mundy	Clark

### Opponent

	<u>LE</u>	<u>NT</u>	<u>RE</u>	<u>LOLB</u>	<u>LILB</u>	<u>RILB</u>	<u>ROLB</u>	<u>RCB</u>	<u>LCB</u>	<u>SS</u>	<u>FS</u>
<u>Regular Season</u>											
at Baltimore (9/11)	Smith	Hampton	Keisel	Woodley	Farrior	Timmons	Harrison	Taylor	McFadden	Polamalu	Clark
SEATTLE (9/18)	Smith	Hampton	Keisel	Woodley	Farrior	Timmons	Harrison	Taylor	Gay	Polamalu	Clark
at Indianapolis (9/25)	Smith	Lewis (CB)	Hood	Woodley	Farrior	Timmons	Harrison	Taylor	Gay	Polamalu	Clark
at Houston (10/2)	Smith	Hampton	Hood	Woodley	Farrior	Timmons	Harrison	Taylor	Gay	Polamalu	Clark
TENNESSEE (10/9)	Hood	Hoke	Keisel	Woodley	Farrior	Foote	Timmons	Taylor	Gay	Polamalu	Clark
JACKSONVILLE (10/16)	Hood	Hoke	Keisel	Woodley	Farrior	Foote	Timmons	Taylor	Gay	Polamalu	Clark
at Arizona (10/23)	Hood	McLendon	Keisel	Woodley	Farrior	Foote	Timmons	Taylor	Gay	Polamalu	Clark
NEW ENGLAND (10/30)	Hood	Hampton	Keisel	Woodley	Sylvester	Foote	Timmons	Taylor	Gay	Polamalu	Clark
BALTIMORE (11/6)	Hood	Hampton	Keisel	Worilds	Foote	Timmons	Harrison	Taylor	Gay	Polamalu	Clark
at Cincinnati (11/13)	Hood	Hampton	Keisel	Worilds	Farrior	Timmons	Harrison	Taylor	Gay	Polamalu	Clark
at Kansas City (11/20)	Hood	Hampton	Keisel	Worilds	Farrior	Timmons	Harrison	Taylor	Gay	Polamalu	Clark
CINCINNATI (12/4)	Hood	Hampton	Keisel	Woodley	Farrior	Timmons	Harrison	Taylor	Gay	Polamalu	Clark
CLEVELAND (12/8)	Hood	Hampton	Keisel	Worilds	Farrior	Timmons	Harrison	Taylor	Gay	Polamalu	Clark
at San Francisco (12/19)	Hood	Hampton	Keisel	Woodley	Farrior	Timmons	Worilds	Taylor	Gay	Polamalu	Clark
ST. LOUIS (12/24)	Hood	Hampton	Keisel	Worilds	Farrior	Timmons	Harrison	Taylor	Gay	Polamalu	Clark
at Cleveland (1/1)	Hood	Hampton	Keisel	Worilds	Farrior	Timmons	Harrison	Taylor	Gay	Polamalu	Clark

## 2011 PLAYER PARTICIPATION

Games	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	Career G-S	Consec. G-S	2011 Injury Games Missed	2011 Games/ Starts	
	Sep 11	Sep 18	Sep 25	Oct 2	Oct 9	Oct 16	Oct 23	Oct 30	Nov 6	Nov 13	Nov 20	Nov 27	Dec 4	Dec 11	Dec 18	Dec 24					Jan 1
	@		@	@			@			@	@			@		@					
	BAL	SEA	IND	HOU	TEN	JAX	ARZ	NE	BAL	CIN	KC	CIN	CLE	SF	STL	CLE					
<b>Names</b>																					
Allen, Cortez	P	P	P	P	SI	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	15/0	11/0	1	15/0	
Allen, Will	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	114/26	22/0	0	16/0	
Batch, Baron	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	0/0	0/0	16	0/0	
Batch, Charlie	DNPP		DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	P	DNP	QB	DNP	79/53	0/0	0	4/1		
Battle, Arnaz	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	SI	SI	SI	SI	DNPP	SI	113/38	0/0	4	10/0		
Brown, Antonio	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	WR	P	P	WR	WR	P	P	25/3	21/0	0	16/3	
Brown, Curtis	SI	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	SI	IR	IR	12/0	0/0	3	12/0	
Bryant, Corbin	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	P	—	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	1/0	0/0	0	1/0	
Carter, Chris	SI	SI	P	SI	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	SI	SI	SI	SI	SI	8/0	0/0	8	8/0	
Clark, Ryan	<b>FS</b>	<b>FS</b>	<b>FS</b>	<b>FS</b>	<b>FS</b>	<b>FS</b>	<b>FS</b>	<b>FS</b>	<b>FS</b>	<b>FS</b>	<b>FS</b>	<b>FS</b>	<b>FS</b>	<b>FS</b>	<b>FS</b>	<b>FS</b>	130/106	40/19	0	16/16	
Clay, John	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	P	P	2/0	2/0	0	2/0	
Colon, Willie	<b>RT</b>	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	51/51	0/0	15	1/1	
Cotchery, Jerricho	SI	SI	SI	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	116/65	13/0	2	13/0	
Cromartie-Smith, Damon	PS	PS	PS	PS	—	—	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	P	P	P	P	4/0	4/0	0	4/0	
Dixon, Dennis	SI	SI	SI	SI	DNP	DNP	SI	SI	SI	SI	SI	SI	SI	SI	DNP	DNP	DNP	4/3	0/0	0	0/0
Dwyer, Jonathan	SI	SI	SI	SI	P	P	SI	P	P	P	P	P	IR	IR	IR	IR	8/0	0/0	4	7/0	
Essex, Trai	P	P	P	<b>LT</b>	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	<b>LG</b>	<b>LG</b>	P	77/28	26/0	0	16/3	
Farrior, James	<b>ILB</b>	<b>ILB</b>	<b>ILB</b>	<b>ILB</b>	<b>ILB</b>	<b>ILB</b>	<b>ILB</b>	SI	SI	<b>ILB</b>	<b>ILB</b>	<b>ILB</b>	<b>ILB</b>	<b>ILB</b>	<b>ILB</b>	<b>ILB</b>	230/196	7/7	2	14/14	
Foote, Larry	P	P	P	P	<b>ILB</b>	<b>ILB</b>	<b>ILB</b>	<b>ILB</b>	<b>ILB</b>	P	P	SI	P	P	P	P	155/104	4/0	1	15/5	
Foster, Ramon	SI	<b>LG</b>	P	<b>RG</b>	<b>RG</b>	<b>RG</b>	<b>RG</b>	<b>RG</b>	<b>RG</b>	<b>RG</b>	<b>RG</b>	<b>RG</b>	<b>RG</b>	<b>RG</b>	<b>RG</b>	<b>RG</b>	41/26	15/13	0	15/14	
Gay, William	P	<b>LCB</b>	<b>LCB</b>	<b>LCB</b>	<b>LCB</b>	<b>LCB</b>	<b>LCB</b>	<b>LCB</b>	<b>LCB</b>	<b>LCB</b>	<b>LCB</b>	<b>LCB</b>	<b>LCB</b>	<b>LCB</b>	<b>LCB</b>	<b>LCB</b>	80/37	80/15	0	16/15	
Gilbert, Marcus	DNPP	<b>RT</b>	<b>RT</b>	<b>RT</b>	SI	<b>RT</b>	<b>RT</b>	<b>RT</b>	<b>RT</b>	<b>RT</b>	<b>RT</b>	<b>RT</b>	<b>RT</b>	<b>RT</b>	P	<b>RT</b>	14/13	10/1	1	14/13	
Grisham, Tyler	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	—	PS	PS	4/0	0/0	0	0/0
Hampton, Casey	<b>NT</b>	<b>NT</b>	P	<b>NT</b>	SI	SI	SI	<b>NT</b>	<b>NT</b>	<b>NT</b>	<b>NT</b>	<b>NT</b>	<b>NT</b>	<b>NT</b>	<b>NT</b>	<b>NT</b>	157/146	9/9	3	13/12	
Harrison, James	<b>OLB</b>	<b>BOL</b>	<b>BOL</b>	<b>BOL</b>	SI	SI	SI	SI	<b>OLB</b>	<b>BOL</b>	<b>BOL</b>	<b>BOL</b>	<b>BOL</b>	<b>BOL</b>	SUS	<b>OLB</b>	<b>BOL</b>	118/82	2/2	4	11/11
Heyward, Cameron	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	16/0	16/0	0	16/0	
Hoke, Chris	P	P	P	P	<b>NT</b>	<b>NT</b>	SI	SI	SI	SI	SI	SI	IR	IR	IR	IR	114/18	0/0	6	6/2	
Hood, Ziggy	P	P	<b>DE</b>	<b>DE</b>	<b>DE</b>	<b>DE</b>	<b>DE</b>	<b>DE</b>	<b>DE</b>	<b>DE</b>	<b>DE</b>	<b>DE</b>	<b>DE</b>	<b>DE</b>	<b>DE</b>	<b>DE</b>	48/23	48/14	0	16/14	
Ivy, Mortty	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	—	P	P	—	—	PS	P	P	P	P	6/0	4/0	0	6/0	
Johnson, David	<b>FB</b>	<b>FB</b>	<b>FB</b>	<b>FB</b>	<b>FB</b>	<b>FB</b>	<b>FB</b>	<b>FB</b>	<b>FB</b>	<b>FB</b>	<b>FB</b>	<b>FB</b>	<b>FB</b>	<b>FB</b>	<b>FB</b>	<b>FB</b>	47/24	43/21	0	16/16	
Joseph, Elisha	—	—	—	—	—	PS	PS	—	—	—	—	—	—	PS	PS	PS	0/0	0/0	0	0/0	
Kapinos, Jeremy	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	34/0	8/0	0	8/0	
Keisel, Brett	<b>DE</b>	<b>DE</b>	SI	SI	<b>DE</b>	<b>DE</b>	<b>DE</b>	<b>DE</b>	<b>DE</b>	<b>DE</b>	<b>DE</b>	<b>DE</b>	<b>DE</b>	<b>DE</b>	<b>DE</b>	<b>DE</b>	116/82	12/12	2	14/14	
Kemoeatu, Chris	<b>LG</b>	SI	<b>LG</b>	<b>LG</b>	SI	SI	<b>LG</b>	<b>LG</b>	<b>LG</b>	<b>LG</b>	P	P	P	P	P	<b>LG</b>	74/53	10/1	3	13/8	
Leftwich, Byron	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	58/49	0/0	16	0/0	
Legursky, Doug	<b>RG</b>	<b>RG</b>	<b>RG</b>	SI	<b>LG</b>	<b>LG</b>	SI	SI	SI	DNPP	<b>LG</b>	<b>LG</b>	<b>LG</b>	<b>C</b>	<b>C</b>	SI	35/14	0/0	5	10/10	
Lewis, Keenan	P	P	<b>CB</b>	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	29/1	18/0	0	16/1	
Malecki, John	PS	PS	PS	PS	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	PS	0/0	0/0	0	0/0	

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## 2011 PLAYER PARTICIPATION

Games	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16				
	Sep	Sep	Sep	Oct	Oct	Oct	Oct	Oct	Nov	Nov	Nov	Dec	Dec	Dec	Dec	Jan				
	11	18	25	2	9	16	23	30	6	13	27	4	8	19	24	1				
	@		@	@			@			@	@			@		@				
	BAL	SEA	IND	HOU	TEN	JAX	ARZ	NE	BAL	CIN	KC	CIN	CLE	CLE	STL	CLE				
																	Career	Consec.	2011 Injury	2011
																	G-S	G-S	Games	Games/
																			Missed	Starts
<b>Names</b>																				
McCoy, Jamie	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	0/0	0/0	0	0/0
McFadden, Bryant	<b>LCB</b>	SI	SI	SI	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	96/51	12/0	1	13/1
McLendon, Steve	DNPP	DNPP	DNPP	P	P	<b>NT</b>	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	21/1	13/0	0	14/1
Mendenhall, Rashard	<b>RB</b>	<b>RB</b>	<b>RB</b>	<b>RB</b>	DNPP	<b>RB</b>	<b>RB</b>	<b>RB</b>	<b>RB</b>	<b>RB</b>	<b>RB</b>	<b>RB</b>	<b>RB</b>	<b>RB</b>	<b>RB</b>	<b>RB</b>	51/44	11/11	0	15/15
Meredith, Jamon	—	SI	SI	DNPP	P	P	P	P	SI	SI	SI	SI	SI	SI	SI	SI	17/4	0/0	0	4/0
Miller, Heath	<b>TE</b>	<b>TE</b>	<b>TE</b>	<b>TE</b>	<b>TE</b>	<b>TE</b>	<b>TE</b>	<b>TE</b>	<b>TE</b>	<b>TE</b>	<b>TE</b>	<b>TE</b>	<b>TE</b>	<b>TE</b>	<b>TE</b>	<b>TE</b>	108/107	18/18	0	16/16
Moore, Mewelde	P	P	P	P	SI	SI	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	SI	SI	113/15	0/0	4	12/0
Mundy, Ryan	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	48/2	48/0	0	16/0
Polamalu, Troy	<b>SS</b>	<b>SS</b>	<b>SS</b>	<b>SS</b>	<b>SS</b>	<b>SS</b>	<b>SS</b>	<b>SS</b>	<b>SS</b>	<b>SS</b>	<b>SS</b>	<b>SS</b>	<b>SS</b>	<b>SS</b>	<b>SS</b>	<b>SS</b>	123/107	17/17	0	16/16
Pouncey, Maurkice	<b>C</b>	<b>C</b>	<b>C</b>	<b>C</b>	<b>C</b>	<b>C</b>	<b>C</b>	<b>C</b>	<b>C</b>	<b>C</b>	<b>C</b>	<b>C</b>	<b>C</b>	<b>C</b>	SI	SI	30/30	1/1	2	14/14
Redman, Isaac	P	P	P	P	<b>RB</b>	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	33/1	32/0	0	16/1
Roethlisberger, Ben	<b>QB</b>	<b>QB</b>	<b>QB</b>	<b>QB</b>	<b>QB</b>	<b>QB</b>	<b>QB</b>	<b>QB</b>	<b>QB</b>	<b>QB</b>	<b>QB</b>	<b>QB</b>	<b>QB</b>	<b>QB</b>	<b>QB</b>	<b>QB</b>	114/113	1/1	0	15/15
Sanders, Emmanuel	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	SI	SI	P	P	SI	SI	SI	P	24/1	1/0	5	11/0
Saunders, Weslye	P	P	P	P	<b>TE</b>	<b>TE</b>	<b>TE</b>	<b>TE</b>	P	P	<b>TE</b>	<b>TE</b>	P	P	<b>TE</b>	P	16/6	16/0	0	16/6
Scott, Chris	SI	P	SI	P	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	2/0	0/0	0	2/0
Scott, Jonathan	<b>LT</b>	<b>LT</b>	<b>LT</b>	SI	P	<b>RT</b>	P	P	P	P	DNPP	P	DNPP	<b>RT</b>	<b>DNP</b>		58/28	0/0	1	12/5
Sepulveda, Daniel	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	52/0	0/0	8	8/0
Smith, Aaron	<b>DE</b>	<b>DE</b>	<b>DE</b>	<b>DE</b>	SI	SI	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	IR	160/152	0/0	12	4/4
Spann, Chad	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	PS	PS	PS	0/0	0/0	0	0/0
Starks, Max	—	—	—	—	<b>LT</b>	<b>LT</b>	<b>LT</b>	<b>LT</b>	<b>LT</b>	<b>LT</b>	<b>LT</b>	<b>LT</b>	<b>LT</b>	<b>LT</b>	<b>LT</b>	<b>LT</b>	107/80	12/12	0	12/12
Suisham, Shaun	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	82/0	25/0	0	16/0
Sylvester, Stevenson	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	<b>ILB</b>	P	P	SI	P	P	P	P	P	31/1	5/0	0	15/1
Taylor, Ike	<b>RCB</b>	<b>RCB</b>	<b>RCB</b>	<b>RCB</b>	<b>RCB</b>	<b>RCB</b>	<b>RCB</b>	<b>RCB</b>	<b>RCB</b>	<b>RCB</b>	<b>RCB</b>	<b>RCB</b>	<b>RCB</b>	<b>RCB</b>	<b>RCB</b>	<b>RCB</b>	141/107	123/20	0	16/16
Timmons, Lawrence	<b>ILB</b>	<b>ILB</b>	<b>ILB</b>	<b>ILB</b>	<b>OLB</b>	<b>BOLB</b>	<b>BOLB</b>	<b>BOLB</b>	<b>BOLB</b>	<b>BOLB</b>	<b>BOLB</b>	<b>BOLB</b>	<b>BOLB</b>	<b>BOLB</b>	<b>BOLB</b>	<b>BOLB</b>	78/46	71/21	0	16/16
Turner, Trevis	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	0/0	0/0	0	0/0
Wallace, Mike	<b>WR</b>	<b>WR</b>	<b>WR</b>	<b>WR</b>	<b>WR</b>	<b>WR</b>	<b>WR</b>	<b>WR</b>	<b>WR</b>	<b>WR</b>	<b>WR</b>	P	<b>WR</b>	<b>WR</b>	<b>WR</b>	P	48/34	48/1	0	16/14
Ward, Hines	<b>WR</b>	<b>WR</b>	<b>WR</b>	<b>WR</b>	<b>WR</b>	P	P	SI	<b>WR</b>	P	<b>WR</b>	P	P	P	<b>WR</b>	<b>WR</b>	217/190	8/2	1	15/9
Warren, Greg	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	101/0	32/0	0	16/0
Woodley, LaMarr	<b>OLB</b>	<b>BOLB</b>	<b>BOLB</b>	<b>BOLB</b>	<b>BOLB</b>	<b>BOLB</b>	<b>BOLB</b>	<b>BOLB</b>	<b>BOLB</b>	SI	SI	SI	<b>OLB</b>	<b>SI</b>	<b>OLB</b>	<b>SI</b>	70/57	0/0	6	10/10
Woods, Al	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	SI	SI	SI	SI	SI	SI	SI	11/0	0/0	0	2/0
Worilds, Jason	P	P	P	P	SI	SI	SI	SI	<b>OLB</b>	<b>BOLB</b>	<b>BOLB</b>	P	<b>OLB</b>	<b>BOLB</b>	<b>BOLB</b>	<b>BOLB</b>	26/7	8/4	4	12/7

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<b>SUS</b>	—	Suspended

# 2011 INDIVIDUAL HIGHS

<u>OPPONENTS</u>			<u>STEELERS</u>			
			<u>RUSHING</u>			
at Hou (10/2)	Arian Foster	30	Rushes	23	Rashard Mendenhall	vs. Jax (10/16)
at Hou (10/2)	Arian Foster	155	Yards	146	Rashard Mendenhall	vs. Jax (10/16)
at Hou (10/2)	Arian Foster	42t	Long	76	Jonathan Dwyer	vs. Ten (10/9)
at Bal (9/11)	Ray Rice	1	TDs	2	Rashard Mendenhall	at Cin (11/13)
at Ind (9/25)	Joseph Addai	1		2	Rashard Mendenhall	vs. Cin (12/4)
at Hou (10/2)	Arian Foster	1				
vs. Ten (10/9)	Chris Johnson	1				
at Arz (10/23)	Alfonso Smith	1				
vs. Bal (11/6)	Ray Rice	1				
at S.F. (12/19)	Frank Gore	1				
			<u>RECEIVING</u>			
vs. NE (10/31)	Rob Gronkowski	7	Receptions	9	Antonio Brown	vs. NE (10/31)
vs. Bal (11/6)	Anquan Boldin	7				
at KC (11/27)	Dwayne Bowe	7				
at Cle (1/1)	Joshua Cribbs	7				
vs. NE (10/31)	Rob Gronkowski	94	Yards	151	Antonio Brown	vs. Cle (12/8)
at Arz (10/23)	LaRod Stephens-Howling	73t	Long	95t	Mike Wallace	at Arz (10/23)
at Bal (9/11)	Anquan Boldin	1	TDs	2	Hines Ward	vs. Ten (10/9)
at Bal (9/11)	Ed Dickson	1		2	Mike Wallace	vs. Cin (12/4)
at Bal (9/11)	Ray Rice	1				
at Hou (10/2)	Owen Daniels	1				
vs. Ten (10/9)	Damian Williams	1				
vs. Jax (10/16)	Jason Hill	1				
at Arz (10/23)	LaRod Stephens-Howling	1				
at Arz (10/23)	Early Doucet	1				
vs. NE (10/31)	Deion Branch	1				
vs. NE (10/31)	Aaron Hernandez	1				
vs. Bal (11/6)	Torrey Smith	1				
at Cin (11/13)	A.J. Green	1				
at Cin (11/13)	Jermaine Gresham	1				
vs. Cin (12/4)	A.J. Green	1				
at S.F. (12/19)	Vernon Davis	1				
			<u>PASSING</u>			
vs. Ten (10/9)	Matt Hasselbeck	49	Attempts	50	Ben Roethlisberger	vs. NE (10/31)
vs. Ten (10/9)	Matt Hasselbeck	29	Completions	36	Ben Roethlisberger	vs. NE (10/31)
vs. Bal (11/6)	Joe Flacco	300	Yards	365	Ben Roethlisberger	vs. NE (10/31)
at Arz (10/23)	Kevin Kolb	73t	Long	95t	Ben Roethlisberger	at Arz (10/23)
at Bal (9/11)	Joe Flacco	3	TDs	5	Ben Roethlisberger	vs. Ten (10/9)
at KC (11/27)	Tyler Palko	3	INTs	3	Ben Roethlisberger	at Bal (9/11)
				3	Ben Roethlisberger	at S.F. (12/19)
			<u>PUNT RETURNS</u>			
vs. Cin (12/4)	Brandon Tate	5	Returns	4	Antonio Brown	vs. Sea (9/18)
				4	Antonio Brown	at Ind (9/25)
				4	Antonio Brown	vs. Jax (10/16)
vs. Cin (12/4)	Brandon Tate	54	Yards	65	Antonio Brown	at Ind (9/25)
				65	Antonio Brown	vs. Cin (12/4)
at Cin (11/13)	Brandon Tate	20	Long	60t	Antonio Brown	vs. Cin (12/4)
	NONE		TDs	1	Antonio Brown	vs. Cin (12/4)
			<u>KICKOFF RETURNS</u>			
at Arz (10/23)	LaRod Stephens-Howling	5	Returns	4	Emmanuel Sanders	at KC (11/27)
vs. Bal (11/6)	David Reed	129	Yards	103	Antonio Brown	at Bal (9/11)
vs. Bal (11/6)	David Reed	45	Long	52	Antonio Brown	vs. Ten (10/9)
	NONE		TDs		NONE	
			<u>PUNTS</u>			
vs. Sea (9/18)	Jon Ryan	8	Punts	6	Daniel Sepulveda	vs. Jax (10/16)
vs. Sea (9/18)	Jon Ryan	385	Yards	271	Jeremy Kapinos	vs. Cin (12/4)
vs. Sea (9/18)	Jon Ryan	48.1	Avg.	58.3	Daniel Sepulveda	vs. Sea (9/18)
at S.F. (12/19)	Andy Lee	49.2	Net	47.8	Daniel Sepulveda	at Bal (9/11)
at Cle (1/1)	Brad Maynard	63	Long	66	Daniel Sepulveda	vs. Sea (9/18)
vs. Cin (12/4)	Kevin Huber	4	In 20	2	Daniel Sepulveda	at Bal (9/11)
vs. Cle (12/8)	Brad Maynard	4		2	Daniel Sepulveda	at Arz (10/23)
at S.F. (12/19)	Andy Lee			2	Jeremy Kapinos	at KC (11/27)
				2	Jeremy Kapinos	vs. Cin (12/4)
at Bal (9/11)	Sam Koch	1	Touchbacks	2	Daniel Sepulveda	vs. Sea (9/18)
at Cin (11/13)	Kevin Huber	1				
at Cle (1/1)	Brad Maynard	1				
			<u>INTERCEPTIONS</u>			
at Bal (9/11)	Ed Reed	2	Interceptions	1	LaMarr Woodley	vs. Ten (10/9)
				1	Ryan Clark	at Arz (10/23)
				1	Lawrence Timmons	at Cin (11/13)
				1	William Gay	at Cin (11/13)
				1	Ike Taylor	at KC (11/27)
				1	Ryan Mundy	at KC (11/27)
				1	Keenan Lewis	at KC (11/27)



At S.F. (12/19)	Carlos Rodgers	31	Long Return	1	Ike Taylor	vs. Cin (12/4)
	NONE		TDs	1	Troy Polamalu	vs. Cle (12/8)
				1	William Gay	vs. Cle (12/8)
				1	Troy Polamalu	vs. Cle (1/1)
				33	Troy Polamalu	vs. Cle (12/8)
					NONE	
			<b><u>TACKLES</u></b>			
at Ind (9/25)	Pat Angerer	20	Total	13	James Farrior	at Ten (10/9)
at Ind (9/25)	Pat Angerer	11	Solo	12	James Farrior	at Ten (10/9)
at Ind (9/25)	Pat Angerer	9	Assisted	5	James Farrior	vs. Jax (10/16)
at Bal (9/11)	Terrell Suggs	3	Sacks	3	James Harrison	vs. Bal (11/6)
				3	James Harrison	vs. Cin (12/4)

# 2011 DRIVE ENGINEERING

## Steelers

### REGULAR SEASON

<u>STEELERS</u>	<u>No.</u> <u>Drives</u>	<u>TD</u>	<u>Missed Blkd</u>			<u>Blkd</u>					<u>Safety</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>Scoring</u>		<u>1st</u> <u>Drive</u>
			<u>FG</u>	<u>FG</u>	<u>FG</u>	<u>Punt</u>	<u>Punt</u>	<u>Downs</u>	<u>Fum.</u>	<u>Int.</u>			<u>Pts</u>	<u>Effic.</u>	
Sept. 11 at Bal	13	1	0	0	0	4	0	1	4	3	0	0	7	7.7	Punt
Sept. 18 vs. Sea	10	3	1	1	0	3	0	1	0	0	0	1	24	40.0	Downs
Sept. 25 at Ind	12	1	3	1	0	3	0	0	2	1	0	1	16	33.3	FG
Oct. 2 at Hou	9	1	1	0	1	4	0	1	0	1	0	0	10	22.2	Punt
Oct. 9 vs. Ten	9	5	1	0	0	1	1	0	0	1	0	0	38	66.7	TD
Oct. 16 vs. Jax	11	2	1	1	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	1	17	27.2	TD
Oct. 23 at Ari	10	3	3	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	1	30	60.0	TD
Oct. 30 vs. NE	10	2	3	1	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	2	23	50.0	TD
Nov. 6 vs. Bal	9	2	2	0	0	3	0	0	1	1	0	0	20	44.4	Punt
Nov. 13 at Cin	11	3	1	0	0	5	0	0	0	1	0	1	24	58.2	TD
Nov. 27 at KC	11	1	2	0	0	5	0	0	1	1	0	1	13	27.2	Fum
Dec. 4 vs. Cin	11	4	0	1	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	1	28	36.3	Punt
Dec. 8 vs. Cle	10	2	0	0	0	4	0	1	2	1	0	0	14	20.0	TD
Dec. 19 at SF	11	0	1	1	0	4	0	0	1	3	0	1	3	9.1	INT
Dec. 24 vs. STL	10	3	2	0	0	4	0	0	0	1	0	0	27	50.0	FG
Jan. 1 at Cle	11	1	2	1	0	4	0	1	2	0	0	0	13	27.2	Downs
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>168</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>59</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>307</b>	<b>33.9</b>	

## Opponents

### REGULAR SEASON

<u>OPPONENTS</u>	<u>No.</u> <u>Drives</u>	<u>TD</u>	<u>Missed Blkd</u>			<u>Blkd</u>					<u>Safety</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>Scoring</u>		<u>1st</u> <u>Drive</u>
			<u>FG</u>	<u>FG</u>	<u>FG</u>	<u>Punt</u>	<u>Punt</u>	<u>Downs</u>	<u>Fum.</u>	<u>Int.</u>			<u>Pts</u>	<u>Effic.</u>	
Sept. 11 at Bal	13	4	2	0	0	5	0	1	0	0	0	1	35	46.2	TD
Sept. 18 vs. Sea	10	0	0	0	0	8	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0.0	Punt
Sept. 25 at Ind	12	1	2	0	0	7	0	0	1	0	0	1	13	25.0	Punt
Oct. 2 at Hou	9	2	1	0	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	1	17	33.3	TD
Oct. 9 vs. Ten	11	2	1	0	0	4	0	1	0	1	0	2	17	27.2	FG
Oct. 16 vs. Jax	11	1	2	0	0	7	0	0	0	0	0	1	13	27.2	Punt
Oct. 23 at Ari	9	3	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	1	1	0	20	33.3	INT
Oct. 30 vs. NE	9	2	1	1	0	4	0	0	1	0	1	0	17	33.3	Punt
Nov. 6 vs. Bal	9	2	3	1	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	23	55.5	FG
Nov. 13 at Cin	11	2	1	0	0	6	0	0	0	2	0	0	17	27.2	Punt
Nov. 27 at KC	10	0	3	0	0	3	0	0	1	3	0	0	9	30.0	FG
Dec. 4 vs. Cin	12	1	0	0	1	7	0	0	1	1	0	1	7	8.3	FG Block
Dec. 8 vs. Cle	11	0	1	0	0	6	0	1	0	2	0	1	3	9.1	FG
Dec. 19 at SF	11	2	2	0	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	1	20	36.4	FG
Dec. 24 vs. STL	11	0	0	2	0	7	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0.0	Punt
Jan. 1 at Cle	11	0	3	0	0	6	0	0	0	1	0	1	9	27.2	Punt
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>170</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>87</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>220</b>	<b>25.9</b>	

## 2011 STEELERS SCORING DRIVES

### REGULAR SEASON

Opponent	Obtained	Scoring Play	Plays	Yards	Drive	Score	Qtr	Time
					Time	Pit-Opp		Remain
Baltimore	Kickoff	Sanders 11 yd. pass from Roethlisberger	10	68	6:26	7-14	2	10:23
Seattle	Punt	Mendenhall 1 yd. run	9	60	4:51	7-0	1	3:28
Seattle	Punt	Redman 20 yd. run	6	53	2:40	14-0	2	12:41
Seattle	Punt	Suisham 20 yd. FG	14	81	7:43	21-0	2	1:52
Seattle	Punt	Wallace 2 yd. pass from Roethlisberger	9	71	5:47	24-0	3	3:30
Indianapolis	Kickoff	Suisham 48 yd. FG	7	50	2:17	3-0	1	12:43
Indianapolis	Punt	Wallace 81 yd. pass from Roethlisberger	2	86	0:53	10-0	1	3:29
Indianapolis	Punt	Suisham 44 yd. FG	10	50	5:40	13-13	4	12:10
Indianapolis	—	Polamalu 16 yd. fumble return	—	—	0:08	20-13	4	5:13
Indianapolis	Kickoff	Suisham 38 yd. FG	10	60	2:05	23-20	4	0:04
Houston	Kickoff	Mendenhall 3 yd. Run	13	74	7:58	7-10	3	7:02
Houston	Punt	Suisham 26 yd. FG	9	55	5:27	10-10	4	14:57
Tennessee	Kickoff	Miller 8 yd. pass from Roethlisberger	10	50	5:17	7-3	1	3:00
Tennessee	Punt	Ward 7 yd. pass from Roethlisberger	8	70	4:30	14-3	2	11:14
Tennessee	Punt	Johnson 1 yd. pass from Roethlisberger	5	90	3:10	21-3	2	6:11
Tennessee	Punt	Ward 5 yd. pass from Roethlisberger	9	71	5:41	28-3	3	4:44
Tennessee	Interception	Suisham 19 yd. FG	11	53	6:09	31-10	4	10:45
Tennessee	Kickoff	Wallace 40 yd. pass from Roethlisberger	3	44	0:53	38-17	4	2:39
Jacksonville	Punt	Mendenhall 8 yd. run	10	87	5:57	7-0	1	4:23
Jacksonville	Punt	Wallace 28 yd. pass from Roethlisberger	8	72	4:15	14-0	2	13:40
Jacksonville	Punt	Suisham 21 yd. FG	5	69	1:25	17-0	2	10:58
Arizona	Interception	Miller 12 yd. pass from Roethlisberger	5	31	3:07	7-0	1	9:39
Arizona	Punt	Wallace 95 yd. pass from Roethlisberger	1	91	0:12	14-0	2	8:09
Arizona	Kickoff	Suisham 41 yd. FG	8	52	1:20	17-7	2	0:00
Arizona	Kickoff	Sanders 4 yd. pass from Roethlisberger	11	80	5:32	24-14	3	3:54
Arizona	—	Penalty on Kolb in end zone for safety	—	—	0:07	26-14	3	3:42
Arizona	Kickoff	Suisham 42 yd. FG	13	51	7:12	29-14	4	11:30
Arizona	Punt	Suisham 39 yd. FG	7	19	4:10	32-14	4	6:46
New England	Kickoff	Moore 5 yd. pass from Roethlisberger	11	68	5:52	7-0	1	9:08
New England	Punt	Suisham 33 yd. FG	16	72	7:47	10-0	2	14:57
New England	Kickoff	Brown 7 yd. pass from Roethlisberger	10	76	5:39	17-7	2	2:41
New England	Punt	Suisham 21 yd. FG	14	70	7:06	20-10	3	6:11
New England	Missed FG	Suisham 23 yd. FG	11	63	5:54	23-10	4	11:26
New England	—	Brady fumble out of bounds in end zone for a safety	—	—	0:11	25-17	4	0:08
Baltimore	Missed FG	Suisham 36 yd. FG	7	52	3:03	3-3	2	14:05
Baltimore	Punt	Suisham 30 yd. FG	10	49	4:34	6-6	2	1:05
Baltimore	Kickoff	Mendenhall 1yd. run	11	80	4:55	13-16	4	14:32
Baltimore	Fumble	Wallace 25 yd. pass from Roethlisberger	6	58	2:41	20-16	4	4:59
Cincinnati	Punt	Cotchery 16 yd. pass from Roethlisberger	8	54	4:15	7-0	1	9:15
Cincinnati	Punt	Mendenhall 2 yd. run	9	78	4:34	14-0	1	3:37
Cincinnati	Punt	Suisham 39 yd. FG	16	67	6:38	17-10	2	0:58
Cincinnati	Kickoff	Mendenhall 9 yd. run	11	81	6:43	24-17	3	1:55
Kansas City	Kickoff	Suisham 21 yd. FG	4	4	1:31	3-3	2	13:29
Kansas City	Interception	Saunders 2 yd. pass from Roethlisberger	5	24	2:29	10-3	2	10:53
Kansas City	Kickoff	Suisham 49 yd. FG	9	47	4:30	13-6	2	0:00
Cincinnati	Punt	Mendenhall 3 yd. run	9	87	5:45	7-0	2	12:47
Cincinnati	Punt	Mendenhall 5 yd. run	3	65	1:34	14-0	2	10:12
Cincinnati	Fumble	Wallace 12 yd. pass from Roethlisberger	3	23	1:32	21-0	2	8:33
Cincinnati	—	Brown 60 yd. punt return	—	—	0:17	28-7	2	1:16
Cincinnati	Punt	Wallace 19 yd. pass from Roethlisberger	10	93	6:39	35-7	3	3:26
Cleveland	Kickoff	Cotchery 11 yd. pass from Roethlisberger	5	73	3:10	7-3	1	6:12
Cleveland	Interception	Brown 79 yd. pass from Roethlisberger	2	80	0:19	14-3	4	2:52
San Francisco	Punt	Suisham 51 yd. FG	7	57	4:00	3-6	3	6:08
St. Louis	Punt	Suisham 21 yd. FG	10	76	5:28	3-0	1	4:43
St. Louis	Punt	Clay 10 yd. run	4	75	1:54	10-0	2	6:50
St. Louis	Kickoff	Suisham 49 yd. FG	9	42	5:41	13-0	3	9:19
St. Louis	Punt	Mendenhall 1 yd. run	3	51	1:00	20-0	4	8:58
St. Louis	Punt	Redman 2 yd. run	9	63	4:28	27-0	4	3:14
Cleveland	Kickoff	Suisham 19 yd. FG	9	71	1:06	3-6	2	0:00
Cleveland	Kickoff	Suisham 29 yd. FG	13	66	5:17	6-6	3	9:43
Cleveland	Interception	Redman 7 yd. run	6	43	2:55	13-6	3	5:27

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Baltimore	Kickoff	Boldin 27 yd. pass from Flacco	3	66	1:32	0-7	1	13:28
Baltimore	Fumble	Rice 1 yd. run	4	37	1:19	0-14	1	1:49
Baltimore	Punt	Rice 11 yd. pass from Flacco	12	84	5:16	7-21	2	1:48
Baltimore	Fumble	Dickson 18 yd. pass from Flacco	1	18	0:09	7-29	3	14:39
Baltimore	Interception	Cundiff 29 yd. FG	10	79	4:35	7-32	3	2:50
Baltimore	Fumble	Cundiff 30 yd. FG	4	-3	2:05	7-35	4	1:56
Indianapolis	Fumble	Vinatieri 21 yd. FG	12	47	5:44	7-3	2	6:14
Indianapolis	—	Anderson 47 yd. fumble return	—	—	0:15	10-10	2	1:46
Indianapolis	Interception	Vinatieri 25 yd. FG	4	5	1:19	10-13	2	0:15
Indianapolis	Kickoff	Addai 6 yd. Run	10	80	3:04	20-20	4	2:09
Houston	Kickoff	Daniels 1 yd. pass from Schaub	19	95	10:55	0-7	1	4:05
Houston	Punt	Rackers 25 yd. FG	12	60	5:41	0-10	2	2:33
Houston	Kickoff	Foster 42 yd. run	5	85	2:55	10-17	4	12:02
Tennessee	Kickoff	Bironas 29 yd. FG	13	69	6:43	0-3	1	8:17
Tennessee	Kickoff	Johnson 1 yd. run	9	77	2:42	28-10	3	2:02
Tennessee	Blocked Punt	Williams 19 yd. pass from Hasselbeck	10	37	2:55	31-17	4	3:32
Jacksonville	Kickoff	Scobee 46 yd. FG	8	47	2:14	17-3	2	8:44
Jacksonville	Punt	Hill 18 yd. pass from Gabbert	17	80	9:35	17-10	3	1:46
Jacksonville	Punt	Scobee 45 yd. FG	8	47	2:14	17-13	4	4:17
Arizona	Kickoff	Smith 1 yd. run	13	80	6:49	14-7	2	1:20
Arizona	Kickoff	Stephens-Howling 73 yd. pass from Kolb	6	89	2:40	17-14	3	9:26
Arizona	Kickoff	Doucet 2 yd. pass from Kolb	11	71	2:53	32-20	4	3:53
New England	Interception	Branch 2 yd. pass from Brady	2	8	0:33	10-7	2	8:20
New England	Kickoff	Gostkowski 46 yd. FG	10	52	2:12	17-10	2	0:29
New England	Missed FG	Hernandez 1 yd. pass from Brady	10	67	3:28	23-17	4	2:35
Baltimore	Kickoff	Cundiff 18 yd. FG	14	75	6:50	0-3	1	8:10
Baltimore	Kickoff	Cundiff 43 yd. FG	10	34	4:37	3-6	2	9:28
Baltimore	Kickoff	Cundiff 51 yd. FG	5	32	1:05	6-9	2	0:00
Baltimore	Interception	Rice 4 yd. run	12	71	6:09	6-16	3	4:27
Baltimore	Punt	Smith 26 yd. pass from Flacco	13	92	2:16	20-23	4	0:08
Cincinnati	Kickoff	Green 36 yd. pass from Dalton	7	79	3:23	14-7	1	0:14
Cincinnati	Interception	Nugent 43 yd. FG	7	15	2:41	14-10	2	12:02
Cincinnati	Punt	Gresham 1 yd. pass from Dalton	11	67	4:47	17-17	3	8:38
Kansas City	Kickoff	Succop 41 yd. FG	11	57	4:20	0-3	1	10:40
Kansas City	Punt	Succop 49 yd. FG	9	38	3:20	10-6	2	4:30
Kansas City	Punt	Succop 40 yd. FG	13	70	6:11	13-9	4	7:11
Cincinnati	Kickoff	Green 11 yd. pass from Dalton	10	80	4:27	21-7	2	4:06
Cleveland	Kickoff	Dawson 20 yd. FG	10	78	5:38	0-3	1	9:22
San Francisco	Interception	Akers 22 yd. FG	17	69	7:11	0-3	1	3:25
San Francisco	Interception	Akers 38 yd. FG	9	25	3:02	0-6	2	12:13
San Francisco	Kickoff	Davis 1 yd. pass from Smith	5	79	2:24	3-13	3	3:44
San Francisco	Fumble	Gore 5 yd. run	5	17	2:25	3-20	4	9:06
Cleveland	Missed FG	Dawson 26 yd. FG	10	57	3:54	0-3	2	6:03
Cleveland	Punt	Dawson 45 yd. FG	8	40	1:56	0-6	2	1:06
Cleveland	Kickoff	Dawson 49 yd. FG	8	46	3:28	13-9	3	1:59

## THIRD/FOURTH DOWN CONVERSIONS

### REGULAR SEASON

<u>Date</u>	<u>Opponent</u>	<u>THIRD DOWN</u>			<u>FOURTH DOWN</u>		
		<u>Made</u>	<u>Att.</u>	<u>Pct.</u>	<u>Made</u>	<u>Att.</u>	<u>Pct.</u>
9/11/11	<b>STEELERS</b> at Baltimore	3 7	9 16	33% 44%	0 0	1 1	0% 0%
9/18/11	<b>STEELERS</b> vs. Seattle	8 2	15 12	53% 17%	0 1	1 2	0% 50%
9/25/11	<b>STEELERS</b> at Indianapolis	8 7	15 16	53% 44%	0 0	0 0	0% 0%
10/2/11	<b>STEELERS</b> at Houston	5 6	12 12	42% 50%	0 0	1 0	0% 0%
10/9/11	<b>STEELERS</b> vs. Tennessee	7 7	12 15	58% 47%	1 1	1 2	100% 50%
10/16/11	<b>STEELERS</b> vs. Jacksonville	7 4	15 15	47% 27%	0 1	0 1	0% 100%
10/23/11	<b>STEELERS</b> at Arizona	6 3	12 8	50% 38%	0 1	0 1	0% 100%
10/30/11	<b>STEELERS</b> vs. New England	10 3	16 10	63% 30%	0 0	0 0	0% 0%
11/6/11	<b>STEELERS</b> vs. Baltimore	7 14	12 21	58% 67%	0 1	0 1	0% 100%
11/13/11	<b>STEELERS</b> at Cincinnati	5 4	12 11	42% 36%	0 0	0 0	0% 0%
11/27/11	<b>STEELERS</b> at Kansas City	3 6	11 15	27% 40%	1 2	1 2	100% 100%
12/4/11	<b>STEELERS</b> vs. Cincinnati	2 2	10 11	20% 18%	0 1	0 1	0% 100%
12/8/11	<b>STEELERS</b> vs. Cleveland	2 7	8 16	25% 44%	0 0	1 1	0% 0%
12/19/11	<b>STEELERS</b> at San Francisco	8 4	14 13	57% 31%	0 0	0 0	0% 0%
12/24/11	<b>STEELERS</b> vs. St. Louis	1 6	7 16	14% 38%	0 0	0 1	0% 0%
1/1/12	<b>STEELERS</b> at Cleveland	8 4	16 14	50% 29%	1 0	2 0	50% 0%
	<b>STEELERS</b>	<b>90</b>	<b>196</b>	<b>46%</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>38%</b>
	<b>OPPONENTS</b>	<b>86</b>	<b>221</b>	<b>39%</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>62%</b>