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26	Leonard Fournette	56	Kenyan Drake
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29	Andrew Luck	59	Davonta Freeman
30	Todd Gurley	60	Robert Woods

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FDH Draft Philosophy: Value With Every Pick!

We at FantasyDrafthelp.com always emphasize the wisdom of our VIP approach to drafting: information and process lead to value. Of course, value is the single most important component of drafting or auctions. Even in the fantasy industry, this point is often overlooked.

In most cases, titles are won by patiently accruing value throughout a draft or auction.

During the Information stage, fantasy owners compile information about players at individual positions. Process involves comparison of players across all of the positions.

We put a tremendous amount of hard work into our draft board, and you do as well. As such, you need to trust the fruits of these labors and adhere to your draft board as much as possible. The surest way to be able to extract maximum value is to prepare extensively ahead of time and then refrain from jumping around on the board on Draft Day. Approach the draft with an actuarial mindset, determined to squeeze maximum value out of every pick, and you will be poised for success.

	Quarterbacks	Exp	UQB	Rk	Cmp%	Rk	Yds	Rk	TD	Rk	Int	Rk	RushYds	Rk	Bye
1	Patrick Mahomes	2	1614	1	66	16T	5097	2	50	1	12	19T	273	10	12
2	Andrew Luck	1	1550	2T	67.3	12	4593	5	39	2	15		148	12	6
3	Deshaun Watson	3	1540	5	68.3	8T	4165	11	26	12	9	12	549	3	10
4	Matt Ryan	4T	1550	2T	69.4	5	4924	3	35	3T	7	7T	125	16	9
5	Aaron Rodgers	4T	1532	8	62.3		4442	6	25	13	2	1	269	11	11
6	Russell Wilson	7T	1535	7	65.6	19	3448	18	35	3T	7	7T	376	6	11
7	Baker Mayfield	6	1515	17	63.8		3725	17	27	11	14		131	15	7
8	Jared Goff	10	1536	6	64.9	20	4688	4	32	6T	12	19T	108	18	9
9	Ben Roethlisberger	15	1549	4	67	13	5129	1	34	5	16		98	20	7
10	Drew Brees 1X	7T	1523	11T	74.4	1	3992	13	32	6T	5	5	22		9
11	Carson Wentz	11	1512	20	69.6	4	3074		21	17T	7	7T	91		10
12	Philip Rivers	13	1523	11T	68.3	8T	4308	8	32	6T	12	19T	7		12
13	Tom Brady	18T	1522	13T	65.8	18	4355	7	29	10	11	15T	35		10
14	Jameis Winston	12	1510		64.6		2992		19		14		283	9	7
15	Dak Prescott	14	1519	15	67.7	11	3885	15	22	16	8	10T	305	8	8
16	Cam Newton	9	1525	10	67.9	10	3395	19	24	14T	13		463	4	7
17	Jimmy Garoppolo	17	1406		59.6		718		5		3	2T	33		4
18	Kirk Cousins 2X	18T	1526	9	70.1	3	4298	10	30	9	10	13T	123	17	12
19	Derek Carr		1513	18T	68.9	6T	4049	12	19		10	13T	47		6
20	Matthew Stafford		1513	18T	66.1	15	3777	16	21	17T	11	15T	71		5
21	Sam Darnold		1504		57.7		2865		17		15		138	13T	4
22	Marcus Mariota		1496		68.9	6T	2528		11		8	10T	357	7	11
23	Nick Foles		1445		72.3	2	1413		7		4	4	17		10
24	Andy Dalton		1504		61.9		2566		21	17T	11	15T	99	19	9
25	Lamar Jackson	20	1478		58.2		1201		6		3	2T	697	1	8
26	Mitchell Trubisky		1522	13T	66.6	14	3223	20	24	14T	12	19T	421	5	6
27	Kyler Murray	16													12
28	Joe Flacco		1490		61.2		2465		12		6	6	43		10
29	Josh Allen 3X		1507		52.8		2074		10		12	19T	631	2	6

Draft Board Decoder

The FantasyDrafthelp.com draft board contains all the relevant information you need right at your fingertips. For example, in terms of QB, RB, WR and TE:

^ Players are color-coded by their value by round in a 12-team draft. 1st round is gold, 2nd round silver, 3rd round bronze, 4th round orange and 5th round light blue.

^ The "Exp" column displays where each player placed in an "experts consensus board" of top fantasy magazines and websites.

^ The "Stat" column shows how each player performed on our standard deviation from the mean statistic in 2017 (stat details on Page 4).

^ Players in bold scored better than the statistical mean in all categories measured on our draft board.

^ 2018 yardage and TD totals are listed, along with rankings for each and rankings in the aforementioned "Stat" category. Also, as a new to the WR and TE boards, "Ctch%" measures the completion percentage of targets to each player.

^ "Bye" denotes each player's bye week.

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	Running Backs	Exp	UQB	Rk	Yds	Rk	TD	Rk	Y/A	Rk	RecYds	Rk	Bye
1	Saquon Barkley	1	1602	3	1307	2	11	5	5	14T	721	4	11
2	Ezekiel Elliott	3	1561	6	1434	1	6	19T	4.7	26T	567	8	8
3	Christian McCaffrey	4	1617	1	1098	6	7	14T	5	14T	867	1	7
4	Alvin Kamara	2	1598	4	883	18	14	2	4.5	36T	709	5	9
5	David Johnson	6	1515	19T	940	13	7	14T	3.6		446	13	12
6	Melvin Gordon 1X	5	1540	8T	885	17	10	6	5.1	12T	490	10	12
7	Le'Veon Bell	7	NA		NA		NA		NA		NA		4
8	Joe Mixon	10	1527	13	1168	4	8	11T	4.9	17T	296	22	9
9	Nick Chubb	12	1520	16	996	10	8	11T	5.2	9T	149		7
10	Dalvin Cook	11	1504	34	615	30	2		4.6	31T	305	20	12
11	James Conner	9	1549	8T	973	11T	12	3T	4.5	36T	497	9	6
12	Damien Williams	13	1503	35T	256		4		5.1	12T	160		12
13	Leonard Fournette	17	1490		439		5	24T	3.3		185	40	10
14	Todd Gurley	8	1615	2	1251	3	17	1	4.9	17T	580	7	11
15	Derrick Henry	16	1533	10	1059	7	12	3T	4.9	17T	99		11
16	Marlon Mack 2X	14T	1513	24T	908	16	9	7T	4.7	26T	103		6
17	Phillip Lindsay	21	1531	11	1037	9	9	7T	5.4	5T	241	27	10
18	Kerryon Johnson	20	1513	24T	641	29	3		5.4	5T	213	33	5
19	Chris Carson	22	1525	14	1151	5	9	7T	4.7	26T	163		11
20	Josh Jacobs 3X	18	NA		NA		NA		NA		NA		6
21	David Montgomery	27	NA		NA		NA		NA		NA		6
22	Mark Ingram	24	1505	30T	645	28	6	19T	4.7	26T	170		8
23	Lamar Miller	29	1510	27T	973	11T	5	24T	4.6	31T	163		10
24	Kenyan Drake	28	1518	17	535	34	4		4.5	36T	477	12	5
25	Davonta Freeman	25	NA		NA		NA		NA		NA		9
26	Jordan Howard	33T	1510	27T	935	14	9	7T	3.7		145		10
27	Latavius Murray	32	1502	37T	578	31	6	19T	4.1		141		9
28	LeSean McCoy 4X	36	1488		514	37T	3		3.2		238	28	6
29	Sony Michel	19	1501		931	15	6	19T	4.5	36T	50		10
30	James White	23	1567	5	425		5	24T	4.5	36T	751	2	10
31	Tarik Cohen	26	1560	7	444		3		4.5	36T	725	3	6
32	Darrell Henderson	39T	NA		NA		NA		NA		NA		9
33	Derrius Guice	30	NA		NA		NA		NA		NA		10
34	Tevin Coleman	31	1508	29	800	22	4		4.8	22T	276	23	4
35	Royce Freeman	37	1495		521	35	5	24T	4		72		10
36	Jerick McKinnon	38	NA		NA		NA		NA		NA		4
37	Adrian Peterson		1515	19T	1042	8	7	14T	4.2		208	35	10
38	Nyheim Hines	39T	1502	37T	314		2		3.7		425	15	6
39	Miles Sanders	35	NA		NA		NA		NA		NA		10
40	Jalen Richard		1529	12	259		1		4.7	26T	607	6	6
41	Kareem Hunt		1514	22T	824	20	7	14T	4.5	36T	378	19	7
42	Rashaad Penny 5X	33T	1496		419		2		4.9	17T	75		11
43	Peyton Barber		1497		871	19	5	24T	3.7		92		7

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Running Backs	Exp	UQB	Rk	Yds	Rk	TD	Rk	Y/A	Rk	RecYds	Rk	Bye
44 T.J. Yeldon		1511	26	414		1		4		487	11	10
45 Austin Ekeler		1516	18	554	33	3		5.2	9T	404	16	12
46 C.J. Anderson		1515	19T	403		2		6	2	41		5
47 Mike Davis		1505	30T	514	37T	4		4.6	31T	214	32	6
48 Jamaal Williams		1499		464		3		3.8		210	34	11
49 Theo Riddick		1495		171		0		4.3		384	18	5
50 Matt Breida		1514	22T	814	21	3		5.3	8	261	25	4
51 Ronald Jones III 6X		NA		44		0		1.9		33		7

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FantasyDrafthelp.com Suggested League Guidelines

Many leagues start 1 QB, 2 RB, 2 WR, 1TE, 1 K and some D/ST combination. Some leagues allow the TE position to be WR or TE (in which case, only a few TEs merit any consideration) and some have a "flex" position, which is generally 1 additional RB or WR. With leagues who utilize defense, some deploy a team D/ST unit and some use individual D players.

The most common scoring system is a variation of the following: 4 points per passing TD, 1 point per 25 yards passing, 1 point per passing 2-point PAT, 6 points per receiving or rushing TD, 1 point per 10 yards rushing or receiving, 2 points per rushing or receiving 2-point PAT, 2 points per "big play touchdown" (50 or more yards), 1 point per kicking PAT, 3 points per FG, with a 1-point bonus at 45 yards, a 2-point bonus at 50 yards and a 3-point bonus at 55 yards, 6 points per defensive or special teams TD, 1 point per interception, sack or fumble recovered and 2 points per safety. In leagues that award 6 points for passing TDs, QBs are worth much more.

Top 10 Rookies

1. Josh Jacobs
2. David Montgomery
3. Geronimo Allison
4. Mecole Hardman
5. Parris Campbell
6. N'Keal Harry
7. Darrell Henderson
8. DK Metcalf
9. Miles Sanders
10. Marquise Brown

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What initially began in 2009 as a small coalition of like-minded growing New Media and creative organizations has flourished into a well-rounded creative juggernaut of more than two dozen entities that transcends the notion of traditional labeling. The 21st Century Media Alliance is an umbrella of cooperative companies and professionals that is pursuing many synergistic opportunities and projects. Possessed of varying yet often complementary skill sets, Alliance members are bound by their core principles of inventiveness, communication, pragmatism and dedication to their efforts and those of the larger group. In a great many creative areas, if you're looking to have a job performed the right way, chances are that you need look no further than The 21st Century Media Alliance.

Evaluating Production Across a Spectrum: Lessons of "The Stat"

Our "Stat" category on our draft board calculates the standard deviation from the mean in all statistical categories.

In simple English, imagine a spectrum going across from left to right, with negative numbers on the left side, a "zero" in the middle and positive numbers on the right side. We utilize this statistic for baseball, basketball, hockey and NASCAR as well as football. A player's perform-ance in each category is plotted on one of these spectrums, with the most valuable players putting up most of their numbers on the most of their numbers on the positive side. Then, we add up the totals of every category, positive and negative. By using this tool, we can identify not merely how they performed, but how valuable their performances were in each category. Truly, this statistic serves as the ultimate baseline for the previous season's production.

	D/ST	Exp	Bye
1	Chicago	1	6
2	Houston	4	10
3	Jacksonville	2	10
4	LA Chargers	6	12
5	LA Rams	5	9
6	Minnesota	3	12
7	Cleveland	10T	7
8	New Orleans	7	9
9	Buffalo	9	6
10	Denver	8	10
11	New England	12	10
12	Baltimore	10T	8
13	Indianapolis 1X	14	6
14	Dallas	13	8
15	Pittsburgh	16	7
16	Tennessee	17	11
17	NY Jets	15	4
18	Seattle	20T	11
19	Philadelphia	18	10
20	Kansas City	20T	12
21	Washington	19	10
22	Green Bay		11
23	Atlanta		9
24	San Francisco		4
25	Detroit 2X		5

	Kickers	Exp	UQB	Rk	FG%	Rk	Pts	Rk	Bye
1	Stephen Gostkowski	3	1545	8	84.4		130	5	10
2	Robbie Gould	6	1616	2	97.1	4	126	8	4
3	Wil Lutz	4	1601	4	93.3	7	136	4	9
4	Greg Zuerlein	5	1527	11	87.1	17	116	11	9
5	Ka'imi Fairbairn	2	1609	3	88.1	14	150	1	10
6	Justin Tucker	1	1590	5	89.7	11T	141	2	8
7	Harrison Butker 1X	9	1576	6	88.9	13	137	3	12
8	Michael Badgley	11	1540	9	93.8	6	72		12
9	Mason Crosby	10	1532	10	81.1		124	9	11
10	Jake Elliott	7T	1514	18T	83.9		111	14T	10
11	Adam Vinatieri	7T	1519	15T	85.2	19	113	13	6
12	Brett Maher	12	1523	14	80.6		119	10	8
13	Aldrick Rosas	17	1617	1	97.0	5	127	7	11
14	Josh Lambo	13T	1519	15T	90.5	9	76		10
15	Dan Bailey	15	1474		75.0		93	20	12
16	Matt Prater	13T	1526	12	87.5	15T	114	12	5
17	Jason Myers		1573	7	91.7	8	129	6	11
18	Giorgio Tavecchio	18T	1511	20	100.0	1T	23		9
19	Ryan Succop	16	1514	18T	86.7	18	106	16	11
20	Graham Gano	18T	1502		87.5	15T	72		7
21	Chris Boswell		1368		65.0		82		7
22	Dustin Hopkins		1524	13	89.7	11T	103	17	10
23	Brandon McManus 2X		1498		80.0		95	19	10

Overvalued Players

NOTE: Players are listed as overvalued or undervalued based on their placement in the "Experts' Draft Board" on our draft board under the "Exp" heading.

QB: Lamar Jackson, Kyler Murray, Cam Newton
RB: Todd Gurley, Sony Michel, James White
WR: Julian Edelman, Larry Fitzgerald, Kenny Golladay, Marvin Jones, Dede Westbrook, Robert Woods
TE: Chris Herndon, Jason Witten

Undervalued Players

QB: Tom Brady, Ben Roethlisberger
RB: Jordan Howard, LeSean McCoy, Lamar Miller, David Montgomery
WR: Tyler Boyd, Christian Kirk, Tyler Lockett
TE: Noah Fant, David Njoku, Greg Olsen

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Projected Sleepers

QB: Andy Dalton, Jameis Winston
RB: Tevin Coleman, Derrius Guice
WR: Corey Davis, DJ Moore, Mike Williams
TE: TJ Hockenson, Delanie Walker

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Projected Breakthroughs

QB: Baker Mayfield
RB: Kerryon Johnson
WR: Dante Pettis
TE: Hunter Henry, OJ Howard

Wild Card Players

NOTE: These are players listed with a wide range of opinion on our experts' draft board between the highest and lowest rankings.

QB: Kirk Cousins, Dak Prescott, Russell Wilson
RB: Chris Carson, Tevin Coleman, Davonta Freeman, Royce Freeman, Derrius Guice, Mark Ingram, Phillip Lindsay, Sony Michel, David Montgomery, Latavius Murray, Miles Sanders
WR: Geronimo Allison, Robby Anderson, Parris Campbell, Corey Davis, Larry Fitzgerald, Mecole Hardman, N'Keal Harry, Tyreek Hill, Marvin Jones, Christian Kirk, Cooper Kupp, DK Metcalf, DJ Moore, Donte Pettis, Allen Robinson, Sterling Shepard, Golden Tate, Sammy Watkins, Dede Westbrook, Mike Williams
TE: Jack Doyle, Noah Fant, Jimmy Graham, Chris Herridon, TJ Hockenson, Greg Olsen, Jordan Reed, Austin Seferian-Jenkins, Jace Sternberger, Delanie Walker, Jason Witten

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	Wide Receivers	Exp	UQB	Rk	Ctch%	Rk	Yds	Rk	Y/R	Rk	TD	Rk	Bye
1	DeAndre Hopkins	1	1658	1	70.6	24	1572	2	13.7	40T	11	4	10
2	Davante Adams	2T	1608	8	65.7		1386	7	12.5		13	2	11
3	Odell Beckham	6	1533	21T	62.1		1052	15	13.7	40T	6	20T	7
4	Julio Jones	2T	1613	7	66.5	40	1677	1	14.8	30T	8	11T	9
5	Antonio Brown	7	1554	14T	61.9		1297	9	12.5		15	1	6
6	Michael Thomas	4	1635	5	85	1	1405	6	11.2		9	8T	9
7	JuJu Smith-Schuster	5	1650	2	66.9	36	1426	5	12.8		7	13T	7
8	Mike Evans	8	1554	14T	62.3		1524	3	17.7	4	8	11T	7
9	Keenan Allen 1X	9	1645	4	71.3	21	1196	13	12.3		6	20T	12
10	Amari Cooper	12	1517	32	70.1	28	1005	18	13.4		7	13T	8
11	Adam Thielen	11	1646	3	73.9	10	1373	8	12.2		9	8T	12
12	A.J. Green	13	1496		59.7		694		15.1	24T	6	20T	9
13	T.Y. Hilton	10	1511		63.3		1270	10	16.7	12	6	20T	6
14	Stefon Diggs	14	1561	13	68.5	30T	1021	17	10		9	8T	12
15	Tyler Boyd	22	1572	10	70.4	25	1028	16	13.5		7	13T	9
16	Tyler Lockett	24	1510		81.4	3	965	20	16.9	10	10	5T	11
17	Tyreek Hill 2X	36	1631	6	63.5		1479	4	17	8T	12	3	12
18	Calvin Ridley	20	1507		69.6	29	821	28	12.8		10	5T	9
19	Brandin Cooks	18	1532	23T	68.4	32	1204	12	15.1	24T	5	31T	9
20	Chris Godwin	21	1506		62.1		842	26	14.3	34T	7	13T	7
21	Mike Williams	25	1487		65.2		664		15.4	16T	10	5T	12
22	Sammy Watkins	26	1511		72.7	14T	519		13		3		12
23	Robert Woods	16	1527	27	66.2	42	1219	11	14.2	36T	6	20T	9
24	Julian Edelman	15	1509		68.5	30T	850	24	11.5		6	20T	10
25	Cooper Kupp	23	1504		72.7	14T	566		14.2	36T	6	20T	9
26	Kenny Golladay 3X	17	1506		58.8		1063	14	15.2	20T	5	31T	5
27	D.J. Moore	28T	1510		67.1	35	788	31	14.3	34T	2		7
28	Jarvis Landry	19	1552	16	54.4		976	19	12		4		7
29	Christian Kirk	34T	1538	18	63.2		590		13.7	40T	3		12
30	Allen Robinson	31	1502		58.5		754	33	13.7	40T	4		6
31	Robby Anderson	32	1508		53.2		752	34	15	26T	6	20T	4
32	Alshon Jeffery	27	1508		70.7	23	843	25	13		6	20T	10
33	Corey Davis	35	1515	35T	58		891	21	13.7	40T	4		11
34	Will Fuller	28T	1448		71.1	22	503		15.7	14	4		10
35	Golden Tate	34T	1516	33T	65.5		795	30	10.7		4		11
36	Dante Pettis	30	1383		60		467		17.3	5	5	31T	4
37	Sterling Shepard	33	1505		61.7		872	22	13.2		4		11
38	Geronimo Allison	37			66.7	37T	303		15.2	20T	2		11
39	Mecole Hardman	43T	NA		NA		NA		NA		NA		12
40	Parris Campbell	42	NA		NA		NA		NA		NA		6
41	N'Keal Harry 4X	45	NA		NA		NA		NA		NA		10
42	James Washington		1415		42.1		217		13.6		1		7
43	Courtland Sutton	41	1549	17	50		704	40	16.8	11	4		10
44	Antonio Callaway		1507		54.4		586		13.6		5	31T	7
45	John Brown		1532	23T	43.3		715	39	17	8T	5	31T	6
46	Josh Gordon		1566	11	57.7		737	35	18	3	4		10
47	DK Metcalf		NA		NA		NA		NA		NA		11
48	Tre'Quan Smith		1580	9	63.6		427		15.3	18T	5	31T	9
49	DeVante Parker		1522	28	51.1		309		12.9		1		5
50	DeSean Jackson		1423		55.4		774	32	18.9	2	4		10
51	Marquise Brown		NA		NA		NA		NA		NA		8
52	Nelson Agholor		1533	21T	66	44T	736	36	11.5		4		10
53	Willie Snead		1423		65.3		651		10.5		1		8
54	Keke Coutee	43T	1473		68.3	33	287		10.3		1		10
55	Dede Westbrook	40	1499		65.3		717	38	10.9		5	31T	10

Don't Be That Guy

^ Don't be that guy who is unprepared and whines in the mid to late rounds that everyone worth taking is already gone. They're not; you're just unprepared.

^ Don't be that guy who doesn't properly understand your league's scoring system. League setups are like snowflakes; no two are the same. Our draft board is configured to conform to a fairly basic scoring system, but your league could have some quirks that would force you to make adaptations to our board. Be aware.

^ Don't be that guy who doesn't pay enough attention and selects players who are already off the board. It's impolite to your leaguemates and it will invariably break your concentration when everyone howls at you and you've got to go back to Square One on a backup pick. To ensure that you are aware of everything that is going on during your draft, utilize a "grid" to track all teams, with the number of rounds going down the left side and the teams listed along the top.

^ Don't be that guy who approaches the draft like it's a night of epic decision-making. If you've done your homework, it's not. You merely find out where you're drafting and you "let the draft come to you."

	Wide Receivers	Exp	UQB	Rk	Ctch%	Rk	Yds	Rk	Y/R	Rk	TD	Rk	Bye
56	Deebo Samuel		NA		NA		NA		NA		NA		4
57	Larry Fitzgerald	38T	1498		61.6		734	37	10.6		6	20T	12
58	Marvin Jones 5X	38T	1458		56.5		508		14.5	33	5	31T	5
59	Michael Gallup		1504		48.5		507		15.4	16T	2		8
60	Marquez Valdes-Scantling		1479		52.1		581		15.3	18T	2		11
61	Paul Richardson				57.1		262		13.1		2		10
62	Hakeem Butler 6X		NA		NA		NA		NA		NA		12

CENTRAL DIVISION
Michigan
Michigan State
Notre Dame
Ohio State
Penn State
ATLANTIC DIVISION
Clemson
Florida
Florida State
Miami
Tennessee
SOUTHEAST DIVISION
Alabama
Auburn
Georgia
Louisiana State
Texas A&M
WESTERN DIVISION
Oklahoma
Oregon
Texas
USC
Washington

2019 Fantasy Overview

^ At RB, more starting jobs than usual seem to be set coming into this season, so you should be aiming to get at least 3 and probably 4 RB who figure to be in a lead role.

^ Conversely from the status of 2018, depth at WR is a bit deeper than RB in the early-to-mid rounds, so plan accordingly.

^ As it was in 2018, depth at both #1 QB and #2 QB is very good. Getting two backups maximizes the chance of having the options that you really want – including possible trade bait.

^ In an now-Gronkless world, TE remains top-heavy in terms of available options. If you don't get one of the top 3 players, just wait and try to 2 backups.

The Next Form of NCAA Football Evolution?

By Rick Morris/The FDH Lounge

With the increasing consolidation of college football's super-conferences and the increasing amount of money available to the major programs, the idea that Athletic sportswriter Stewart Mandel has been predicting for years becomes increasingly plausible: one super-league comprised solely of the top-level programs in the country. It's an intriguing idea, so we thought we'd play it out to see what it might resemble.

We're going with 20 teams split into four divisions. The regular season would be 14 games long, as every team would play everyone in their own division as well as two of the other three divisions. The divisional structure is off to the right.

Each division would have one home game each week being televised by a distinctive network: NBC, CBS, FOX and YouTube – with the reasoning for the latter being that it is inevitable that a streaming service would get involved and the committee's preference might well be for one without a subscription model like so many of the others. ESPN, ABC and FS1 would televise the other games, except for one game each that ESPN and FS1 would lose during the bye weeks, 5-9.

The season would have to begin the weekend before Labor Day and, with the one bye week, would end the weekend after Thanksgiving with a full slate of games.

Conference championships would obviously be a thing of the past. On the day after the end of the regular season, the same first Sunday in December when the College Football Playoff pairings are announced, the committee would announce the eight seeds for the season-ending tournament. The four division winners would earn automatic seeds with four at-large teams with no limitations on how many can come from each division. The eight teams would be seeded without regard to whether they are division winners or at-large, as the committee handling the matter would simply try to rank them most accurately from 1-8.

Much as there are six cities rotating in the New Year's Six, there would be six rotating for the annual quarterfinals and semifinals, with the national championship game remaining as an open bid process amongst more eligible cities. The quarterfinals would take place on the second Thursday of the month, then the next night, then a doubleheader on Saturday. NBC, CBS, and YouTube would rotate each year between these games, with the same network televising both games on Saturday. The semifinals would always take place late afternoon and nighttime on New Year's Day with the national championship remaining on the second Monday of January and the semifinals and championship would rotate between ESPN and FOX each year.

With such a system, college football would be saturated with high-quality matchups each Saturday, creating a dynamic with even more competitiveness than the NFL. Every team would face every other team at least once every two years, bringing new life to infrequently-visited historic rivalries and almost certainly animating new ones. It's a radically different form of big-time college football, but it's probably closer in line to where the game is going than many of the less-radical proposals being floated.

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	Tight Ends	Exp	UQB	Rk	Ctch%	Rk	Yds	Rk	Y/R	Rk	TD	Rk
1	Travis Kelce	1	1750	2	68.7		1336	2	13	7	10	2
2	Zach Ertz	2	1757	1	74.4	10	1163	3	10		8	3
3	George Kittle	3	1695	3	64.7		1377	1	15.6	3	5	7T
4	Hunter Henry	6	NA		NA		NA		NA		NA	
5	O.J. Howard	5	1522	7	70.8	14	565	13	16.6	1	5	7T
6	Jared Cook	8	1554	5	67.3		896	4	13.2	6	6	4T
7	Evan Engram	4	1504	15	70.3	16	577	11	12.8	9	3	
8	David Njoku	12T	1511	10	63.6		639	7	11.4	17T	4	9T
9	Eric Ebron 1X	7	1580	4	60.0		750	5	11.4	17T	13	1
10	Austin Hooper	9	1531	6	80.7	3	660	6	9.3		4	9T
11	TJ Hockenson	11	NA		NA		NA		NA		NA	
12	Delanie Walker	14	NA		57.1		52		13		0	
13	Vance McDonald	10	1506	13	69.4	18T	610	10	12.2	12T	4	9T
14	Noah Fant	18	NA		NA		NA		NA		NA	
15	Trey Burton	15T	1510	11	71.1	12T	569	12	10.5		6	4T
16	Greg Olsen		1489		71.1	12T	291		10.8		4	9T
17	Chris Herndon	12T	1502	16	69.6	17	502	16	12.9	8	4	9T
18	Jack Doyle	15T	1482		78.8	4	245		9.4		2	
19	Jimmy Graham	19T	1509	12	61.8		636	8	11.6	16	2	
20	Jordan Reed	17	1505	14	64.3		558	14	10.3		2	
21	Kyle Rudolph		1519	8	78.0	5	634	9	9.9		4	9T
22	Mark Andrews		1517	9	68.0		552	15	16.2	2	3	
23	Jason Witten 2X	19T	NA		NA		NA		NA		NA	

FDH BCS Bowl & Title Game Predictions

Rose Bowl: Alabama over Oklahoma
Sugar Bowl: Clemson over Georgia
National Title Game: Clemson over Alabama
Cotton Bowl: Michigan over Central Florida
Peach Bowl: Oregon over Florida
Orange Bowl: Ohio State over Miami
Fiesta Bowl: Texas over Notre Dame

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On the draft board, the numbers in parentheses are taken from a poll consensus. Take 6 owners and conduct a 7-round standard draft. Points will be assigned at 4 intervals: when the first College Football Playoff poll is released on October 29, when the poll is released on November 12, when the final poll is released on December 1 and when the final AP poll is released after the national title game. The October 29 poll accounts for 20% of the total score (with the exception of the bonus points, mentioned below), the November 12 poll accounts for 20% of the total score, the December 1 poll accounts for 20% of the total score and the final AP poll accounts for 40% of the total score.

For the first three polls, scoring is as follows: 1st place (50 points), 2nd place (45 points), 3rd place (43 points), 4th place (42 points), 5th place (41 points), 6th place (38 points), 7th place (37 points), 8th place (36 points), 9th place (35 points), 10th place (34 points), 11th place (30 points), 12th place (29 points), 13th place (28 points), 14th place (27 points), 15th place (26 points), 16th place (22 points), 17th place (21 points), 18th place (20 points), 19th place (19 points), 20th place (18 points), 21st place (13 points), 22nd place (12 points), 23rd place (11 points), 24th place (10 points), 25th place (9 points).

Points are doubled in the final poll, since it accounts for twice the point total of each of the three previous ones. Additional bonuses are awarded for the following accomplishments:
25 points for winning the National Championship Game, 15 points for winning the national semifinals, 10 points for earning a spot in the semifinals, 10 points for a conference title (or piece of one, for conferences without a championship game), 12 points for winning a "Big 6" non-semifinal bowl game, 6 points for earning a spot in a "Big 6" non-semifinal bowl, 5 points for winning a non-"Big 6" bowl game and 10 points for having the Heisman Trophy winner on one of your teams.

We added a new wrinkle to the game in 2018, an additional level if you want more depth to the game. It's called the "Top 3" option, which awards points for finishing in the Top 3 of a conference division. 250 points go to the top team in a division (with 100 bonus points for the winner of the conference championship game), 150 points to the second-place team and 50 points to the third-place team. For teams in the Big 12 where there are no divisions, the point totals remain the same, but with 35 points for fourth place and 20 points for fifth place. Records are determined first by conference record, with overall record serving as a tiebreaker, with a tie being proclaimed anytime that both records are the same. Our projected standings for each conference are listed on Page 9.

	TOP TIER		THIRD TIER
1	Clemson (1)	16	Penn State (17)
2	Alabama (2)	17	Utah (16)
3	Oklahoma (4)	18	Iowa State (18)
4	Georgia (3)	19	Stanford (19T)
5	Ohio State (5)	20	Wisconsin (19T)
6	Texas (10T)	21	Miami (26T)
7	Oregon (10T)	22	Army (26T)
8	Michigan (6)	23	Washington State (23)
9	Notre Dame (7)	24	Nebraska (22)
10	Florida (8T)	25	Syracuse (29)
11	Texas A&M (12)	26	Iowa (21T)
12	LSU (8T)	27	Boise State (30)
	SECOND TIER	28	Northwestern (25)
13	Washington (13)	29	Michigan State (24)
14	Auburn (15)	30	Mississippi State (26T)
15	Central Florida (14)	31	Missouri (31T)
		32	Virginia (33T)
		33	Virginia Tech (33T)
		34	Baylor (31T)

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Surplus Players

Surplus Quarterbacks	Exp	UQB	Rk	Cmp%	Rk	Yds	Rk	TD	Rk	Int	Rk	RushYds	Rk	Bye
Case Keenum		1510		62.3		3890	14	18		15		93		10
Eli Manning		1516	16	66	16T	4299	9	21	17T	11	15T	20		11
Josh Rosen		1484		55.2		2278		11		14		138	13T	5

Surplus Running Backs	Exp	UQB	Rk	Yds	Rk	TD	Rk	Y/A	Rk	RecYds	Rk	Bye
Alex Collins		1494		411		7	14T	3.6		105		8
Alexander Mattison		NA		NA		NA		NA		NA		12
Alfred Blue		1487		499	40	2		3.3		154		10
Alfred Morris		1491		428		2		3.9		73		4
Bilal Powell		1490		343		0		4.3		110		4
Brandon Bolden		1499		91		2		11.4	1	13		10
Carlos Hyde		1480		571	32	5	24T	3.3		33		12
Chris Thompso		1490		178		0		4.1		268	24	10
Cordarrelle Patterson		1505	30T	228		1		5.4	5T	247	26	6
Darren Sproles		1489		120		1		4.1		160		10
Dion Lewis		1493		517	36	1		3.3		400	17	11
D'Onta Foreman		NA		NA		NA		NA		NA		10
Doug Martin		1501		723	24	4		4.2		116		6
Duke Johnson		1503	35T	201		0		5	14T	429	14	7
Elijah McGuire		1479		276		3		3		193	39	4
Frank Gore		1494		722	25	0		4.6	31T	124		6
Giovani Bernard		1495		211		3		3.8		218	31	9
Gus Edwards		1496		718	26	2		5.2	9T	20		8
Isaiah Crowell		1505	30T	685	27	6	19T	4.8	22T	152		6
Ito Smith		1491		315		4		3.5		152		9
Jacquizz Rodgers		1477		106		1		3.2		304	21	7
James Develin		1385		8		4		1.3		61		10
Javorius Allen		1464		110		3		2.7		196	38	8
Jay Ajayi		1484		184		3		4.1		20		10
Jaylen Samuels		1493		256		0		4.6	31T	199	37	7
Josh Adams		1495		511	39	3		4.3		58		10
Justin Jackson		1493		206		2		4.1		135		12

OTHER CONFERENCE CHAMPIONS
SUN BELT
App State over Arkansas State
AAC
Cincinnati over Houston
MAC
Ohio over Toledo
CONFERENCE USA
FAU over UAB
MOUNTAIN WEST
San Diego State over Boise State

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Washington
Stanford
Washington State
California
Oregon State
PAC 12 SOUTH
Utah
Arizona State
UCLA
USC
Arizona
Colorado
ACC ATLANTIC
Clemson
Syracuse
Florida State
NC State
Boston College
Wake Forest
Louisville
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Pittsburgh
North Carolina
Duke
Georgia Tech
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Alabama
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Indiana
Maryland
Rutgers

BIG 12
Oklahoma
Texas
Iowa State
TCU
Baylor

BIG 12
Oklahoma State
Texas Tech
West Virginia
Kansas
Kansas State

Surplus Players

Surplus Running Backs	Exp	UQB	Rk	Yds	Rk	TD	Rk	Y/A	Rk	RecYds	Rk	Bye
Kapri Bibbs		1493		103		3		4.9	17T	115		11
Kenneth Dixon		1502	37T	333		2		5.5	3T	51		8
LeGarrette Blount		1465		418		5	24T	2.7		67		5
Spencer Ware		1499		246		2		4.8	22T	224	30	12
Wendell Smallwood		1502	37T	364		3		4.2		230	29	10
Zach Zenner		1492		265		3		4.8	22T	56		5

Surplus Wide Receivers	Exp	UQB	Rk	Ctch%	Rk	Yds	Rk	Y/R	Rk	TD	Rk	Bye
Adam Humphries		1530	25	72.4	16T	816	29	10.7		5	31T	11
Albert Wilson		1495		74.3	9	391		15	26T	4		5
Allen Hurns		1489		57.1		295		14.8	30T	2		8
Anthony Miller		1485		61.1		423		12.8		7	13T	6
Chester Rogers		1518	30T	73.6	12	485		9.2		2		6
Chris Conley		1468		61.5		334		10.4		5	31T	10
Chris Hogan		1507		63.6		532		15.2	20T	3		7
Cole Beasley		1516	33T	74.7	6T	672		10.3		3		6
Cordarrelle Patterson		1471		75.0	5	247		11.8		3		6
Curtis Samuel		1484		60.0		494		12.7		5	31T	7
DaeSean Hamilton		1493		66.7	37T	243		8.1		2		10
Danny Amendola		1520	29	74.7	6T	575		9.7		1		5
David Moore		1486		49.1		445		17.1	7	5	31T	11
Demarcus Robinson		1479		66.7	37T	288		13.1		4		12
Demaryius Thomas		1563	12	66.3	41	677		11.5		5	31T	10
Devin Funchess		1508		55.7		549		12.5		4		6
Donte Moncrief		1518	30T	53.9		668		13.9	38T	3		7
Dontrelle Inman		1506		71.8	19	304		10.9		3		10
Emmanuel Sanders		1535	19T	72.4	16T	868	23	12.2		4		10
Equanimeous St. Brown		1487		58.3		328		15.6	15	0		11
Jamison Crowder		1498		59.2		388		13.4		2		4
Jarius Wright		1502		72.9	13	447		10.4		1		7
Jermaine Kearse		1513	38T	48.7		371		10		1		X
John Ross		1488		36.2		210		10		7	13T	9

2020 NFL Draft Preview

In another sign that the goofy excesses of NBA Culture have bled over to other sports, teams such as the Giants and Dolphins are thought by some in the media to be engaged in a Tank For Tua (Tagovailoa, Alabama QB) strategy. Whether they are or aren't, quarterback is not an all-or-nothing dynamic at the top of the 2020 NFL Draft -- not with Georgia's Jake Fromm and Oregon's Oregon's Justin Hebert potentially challenging for the #1 overall pick.

Unusually for these times, there are two RB candidates for the Top 10 a year out: Wisconsin stud Jonathan Taylor and national champion Travis Etienne of Clemson. There are also two very noteworthy WRs as well: Alabama's Jerry Jeudy and Colorado's Laviska Shenault.

In the trenches, Auburn DL Derrick Brown and Nick Coe loom large, along with OL Andrew Thomas of Georgia, Tyler Bladasz of Wisconsin, Mekhi Becton of Louisville and Walker Little of Stanfod, Ohio State DE Chase Young, Alabama DL Raekwon Davis and Michigan State DL Kenny Willekes. Other candidates for the Top 10 include DB Grant Delpit of LSU, Isaiah Simmons of Clemson and CJ Henderson of Florida and Alabama LB Dylan Moses.

Fantasy Over-Under Game & Draft Board

We've come up with yet another permutation on the fantasy football experience at FantasyDrafthelp.com: the Fantasy Over-Under Game. It's based on the projected win totals released every year by the sports books.

For our game, ideally, you have four owners with three standard serpentine rounds. Each owner will take a team to finish either over or under their projected win total. The teams listed on our draft board to the right are considered by us to be the ones most likely to go over or under their projected totals by a decent amount.

Here's the scoring system:
^ Correct by 5 or more games: 25 points
^ Correct by 3-4 games: 16 points
^ Correct by 2 games: 7 points
^ Correct by 1 game: 4 points
^ Right on the win total: 0 points
^ Incorrect by 1 game: -4 points
^ Incorrect by 2 games: -7 points
^ Incorrect by 3-4 games: -16 points
^ Incorrect by 5 or more games: -25 points

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2 Buffalo under 7
3 Miami under 4.5
4 Indianapolis over 9.5
5 New Orleans under 10.5
6 Baltimore under 8.5

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Surplus Players

Surplus Wide Receivers	Exp	UQB	Rk	Ctch%	Rk	Yds	Rk	Y/R	Rk
Jordan Matthews		1479		71.4	20	300		15	26T
Josh Doctson		1506		56.4		532		12.1	
Josh Reynolds		1472		54.7		402		13.9	38T
Keelan Cole		1494		54.3		491		12.9	
Kelvin Benjamin		1454		37.3		380		15.2	20T
Kendrick Bourne		1535	19T	63.6		487		11.6	
Kenny Stills		1496		57.8		553		14.9	29
Laquon Treadwell		1477		66.0	44T	302		8.6	
Marquise Goodwin		1486		53.5		395		17.2	6
Maurice Harris		1483		59.6		304		10.9	
Michael Crabtree		1481		54.0		607		11.2	
Mohamed Sanu		1515	35T	70.2	27	838	27	12.7	
Phillip Dorsett		1514	37	76.2	4	290		9.1	
Pierre Garcon		1482		52.2		286		11.9	
Quincy Enunwa		1511	40T	55.9		449		11.8	
Randall Cobb		1497		62.3		383		10.1	
Rashard Higgins		1504		73.6	11	572		14.7	32
Robert Foster		1529	26	61.4		541		20	1
Ryan Grant		1511	40T	67.3	34	334		9.5	
Ryan Switzer		1471		81.8	2	253		7	
Seth Roberts		1502		70.3	26	494		11	
Tajae Sharpe		1501		55.3		316		12.2	
Taylor Gabriel		1513	38T	72.0	18	688		10.3	
Taywan Taylor		1430		66.1	43	466		12.6	
Tyrell Williams		1510		63.1		653		15.9	13
Zav Jones		1510		54.9		652		11.6	

Surplus Tight Ends	Exp	UQB	Rk	Ctch%	Rk	Yds	Rk	Y/R	Rk	TD
Antonio Gates		1491		62.2		333		11.9	14	2
Austin Seferian-Jenkins		1460		57.9		90		8.2		1
Ben Watson		1497	20	76.1	7	400	19	11.4	17T	2
Blake Jarwin		1490		75.0	9	307		11.4	17T	3
C.J. Uzomah		1499	18	67.2		439	17	10.2		3
Cameron Brate		1493		61.2		289		9.6		6
Charles Clay		1466		58.3		184		8.8		0
Dallas Goedert		1495		75.0	8	334		10.1		4
Geoff Swaim		1480		81.3	2	242		9.3		1
Gerald Everett		1476		66.0		320		9.7		3
Ian Thomas		1493		73.5	11	333		9.3		2
Jace Sternberger		NA		NA		NA		NA		NA
James O'Shaughnessy		1472		63.2		214		8.9		0
Jason Croom		1480		62.9		259		11.8	15	1
Jeff Heuerman		1487		64.6		281		9.1		2
Jesse James		1501	17	76.9	6	423	18	14.1	5	2
Levine Toilolo		1480		87.5	1	263		12.5	11	1
Matt LaCosse		1481		64.9		250		10.4		1
Mike Gesicki		1470		68.8	20	202		9.2		0
Nick Boyle		1472		62.2		213		9.3		0
Nick Vannett		1487		67.4		269		9.3		3
Ricky Seals-Jones		1493		49.3		343		10.1		1

FDH Non-Fantasy Ranking of the Top 32 Players in the NFL

NOTE: As opposed to our fantasy rankings, these do not pertain to statistical accomplishments, but rather are reflections of overall excellence and worth on the gridiron. 32 players were selected to represent an average of one per team in the league. Numbers in parentheses represent where the players ranked in 2018.

Players listed underneath the Top 32 were on the list in 2018.

FDH Non-Fantasy Ranking of the Top 25 NCAA Football Coaches

NOTE: These rankings are for the purposes of determining, in order, which coaches would be most desirable to lead a program in 2019.

The FDH Lounge: Nothing is Off-topic. Nothing.

TOP TIER
1 Nick Saban
2 Dabo Swinney
SECOND TIER
3 Lincoln Riley
4 Kirby Smart
THIRD TIER
5 Jimbo Fisher
6 Brian Kelly
7 Chris Petersen
8 Mark Dantonio
9 James Franklin
10 Tom Herman
FOURTH TIER
11 Ryan Day
12 Gary Patterson
13 Mike Leach
14 Gus Malzahn
15 Mario Cristobal
16 David Shaw
17 Jim Harbaugh
18 Matt Campbell
19 Jeff Brohm
20 Kyle Whittingham
21 Scott Satterfield
22 Dino Babers
FIFTH TIER
23 Mike Gundy
24 Paul Chryst
25 Frank Solich

1 Aaron Donald (5)
2 Tom Brady (2)
3 Khalil Mack (3)
4 JJ Watt (32)
5 Patrick Mahomes (NA)
6 Antonio Brown (3)
7 Russell Wilson (8)
8 Aaron Rodgers (1)
9 Von Miller (7)
10 Andrew Luck (NA)
11 DeAndre Hopkins (10)
12 Joey Bosa (9)
13 Odell Beckham Jr (NA)
14 Deshaun Watson (NA)
15 Saquon Barkley (NA)
16 Luke Kuechly (13)
17 Davonte Adams (NA)
18 Ezekiel Elliott (23)
19 Travis Kelce (NA)
20 Quenton Nelson (NA)
21 Le'Veon Bell (16)
22 Derwin James (NA)
23 Myles Garrett (NA)
24 Fletcher Cox (29)
25 Bobby Wagner (28)
26 Nick Chubb (NA)
27 Julio Jones (21)
28 Jared Goff (22)
29 Drew Brees (19)
30 Baker Mayfield (NA)
31 Marshon Lattimore (25)
32 Joel Bitonio (NA)

Todd Gurley (4)
Carson Wentz (6)
Calais Campbell (11)
David Johnson (12)
Tyron Smith (15)
Jalen Ramsey (17)
Harrison Smith (18)
Leonard Fournette (20)
Zack Martin (24)
Geno Atkins (26)
Kareem Hunt (27)
Cameron Jordan (30)
Eric Weddle (31)

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	Russ	Rick	Ben	Mike V	Jake	Jeff
1	Saquon Barkley	Ezekiel Elliott	DeAndre Hopkins	Odell Beckham	Christian McCaffrey	Julio Jones
2	A.J. Green	Adam Thielen	Leonard Fournette	Dalvin Cook	Mike Evans	James Conner
3	Patrick Mahomes	Damien Williams	T.Y. Hilton	Travis Kelce	Todd Gurley	Andrew Luck
4	Chris Carson	Chris Godwin	Russell Wilson	Calvin Ridley	Brandin Cooks	Marlon Mack
5	Julian Edelman	Jared Goff	Robert Woods	Mike Williams	Mark Ingram	Sammy Watkins
6	Tarik Cohen	Christian Kirk	Sony Michel	Carson Wentz	Tom Brady	Lamar Miller
7	Robby Anderson	Kenyan Drake	Alshon Jeffery	Derrius Guice	Cam Newton	Golden Tate
8	Harrison Butker	Kirk Cousins	Dak Prescott	Jimmy Garoppolo	Justin Tucker	Matthew Stafford
9	Jared Cook	Robbie Gould	O.J. Howard	LA Chargers	David Njoku	Eric Ebron
10	Lamar Jackson	Dante Pettis	Chicago	Nelson Agholor	New England	Mason Crosby
11	Courtland Sutton	Houston	Tevin Coleman	Jalen Richard	Tyreek Hill	Larry Fitzgerald
12	Jacksonville	Austin Hooper	Michael Badgley	Jake Elliott	Adrian Peterson	Denver

	Nate	Mike P	Samm	Jason	Dave	Jon
1	David Johnson	Davante Adams	Le'Veon Bell	Alvin Kamara	Melvin Gordon	Nick Chubb
2	Amari Cooper	Joe Mixon	JuJu Smith-Schuster	Keenan Allen	Antonio Brown	Michael Thomas
3	George Kittle	Tyler Lockett	Ben Roethlisberger	Zach Ertz	Aaron Rodgers	Matt Ryan
4	Deshaun Watson	Kerryon Johnson	Tyler Boyd	Baker Mayfield	Derrick Henry	Stefon Diggs
5	Cooper Kupp	D.J. Moore	Davonta Freeman	Jordan Howard	Josh Jacobs	Phillip Lindsay
6	David Montgomery	Drew Brees	Mecole Hardman	Allen Robinson	Jarvis Landry	Kenny Golladay
7	Parris Campbell	N'Keal Harry	Geronimo Allison	LeSean McCoy	Stephen Gostkowski	Greg Zuerlein
8	Jameis Winston	Ka'imi Fairbairn	Nyheim Hines	Wil Lutz	Corey Davis	Philip Rivers
9	Will Fuller	Hunter Henry	Marcus Mariota	Josh Gordon	Evan Engram	Latavius Murray
10	Kareem Hunt	Darrell Henderson	Noah Fant	Cleveland	Sam Darnold	Sterling Shepard
11	New Orleans	Kyler Murray	Pittsburgh	DeVante Parker	LA Rams	Minnesota
12	Adam Vinatieri	Indianapolis	Chris Boswell	Derek Carr	Marvin Jones	Greg Olsen

NOTE: This draft was held prior to Tyreek Hill's "exoneration" by the NFL and Kansas City Chiefs.

2019 FDH Mock Draft Analysis

conducted on July 2, 2019.

ROUND 1: Two Browns? That might be the new normal, but it still feels weird.

ROUND 2: RB/WR combos are omnipresent!

ROUND 3: 3 Squeelers for Samm? Wow! Jake got the value of the year if Gurley is healthy.

ROUND 4: Very good value for Jeff. The previous round's panic run on QBs crested here.

ROUND 5: Brothers Dave and Jonny scooped up excellent value at the end of the round.

Surplus Tight Ends	Exp	UQB	Rk	Ctch%	Rk	Yds	Rk	Y/R	Rk	TD	Rk	Bye
Ryan Griffin		1483		55.8		305		12.7	10	0		10
Tyler Higbee		1486		70.6	15	292		12.2	12T	2		9
Vernon Davis		1498	19	69.4	18T	367	20	14.7	4	2		10

Surplus Kickers	Exp	UQB	Rk	FG%	Rk	Pts	Rk	Bye
Cairo Santos		1475		77.8		64		7
Caleb Sturgis		1357		69.2		36		X
Chandler Catanzaro		1494		80.0		78		4
Cody Parkey		1498		76.7		111	14T	X
Daniel Carlson		1495		81.0		75		6
Greg Joseph	20	1498		85.0	20	76		7
Jason Sanders		1519	15T	90.0	10	89		5
Johnny Hekker		1441		100.0	1T	4		9
Kai Forbath		1366		80.0		15		X
Matthew McCrane		1319		66.7		33		X
Mike Nugent		1508		100.0	1T	22		X
Phil Dawson		1248		62.5		30		12
Randy Bullock		1502		82.6		96	18	9
Sam Ficken		370		33.3		13		11
Stephen Hauschka		1492		78.6		91		6
Zane Gonzalez		1290		64.3		35		12

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ROUND 6: Nate got probably the best value of the draft with Montgomery. It's interesting, although probably justified, to see Brady and Brees drop here.

ROUND 7: This was a fascinating mix of candidates: breakouts (Anderson, Drake, Allison, Guice) and rookies (Campbell, Harry).

ROUNDS 8-12: These were the landing spots for K, D/ST and remaining TE.

2019 FDH Standings/Playoff Predictions

AFC East
X-New England 11-5
New York Jets 8-8
Buffalo 4-12
Miami 2-14

AFC North -2
X-Cleveland 10-6
Y-Pittsburgh 9-7
Baltimore 7-9
Cincinnati 6-10

AFC South
X-Indianapolis 11-5
Houston 9-7
Tennessee 8-8
Jacksonville 7-9

AFC West
X-Los Angeles 11-5
Y-Kansas City 10-6
Denver 8-8
Oakland 5-11

NFC East
X-Philadelphia 10-6
Y-Dallas 9-7
Washington 6-10
New York Giants 3-13

NFC North
X-Green Bay 10-6
Y-Chicago 9-7
Minnesota 8-8
Detroit 7-9

NFC South
X-Atlanta 10-6
New Orleans 9-7
Carolina 7-9
Tampa Bay 7-9

NFC West
X-Los Angeles 11-5
San Francisco 9-7
Seattle 9-7
Arizona 4-12

Wild Card Playoffs
New England over Pittsburgh
Cleveland over Kansas City
Atlanta over Dallas
Chicago over Green Bay

Divisional Round
Indianapolis over Cleveland
New England over LA Chargers
LA Rams over Chicago
Philadelphia over Atlanta

Championship Sunday
Indianapolis over New England
Philadelphia over LA Rams

Super Bowl 54
Indianapolis over Philadelphia
Super Bowl MVP: Andrew Luck
NFL MVP: Andrew Luck
Coach of the Year: Freddie Kitchens
Offensive Rookie of the Year: Josh Jacobs
Defensive Rookie of the Year: Nick Bosa

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1 Bill Belichick
2 Sean McVay
3 Pete Carroll
4 John Harbaugh
5 Doug Peterson
6 Sean Payton
7 Matt Nagy
8 Frank Reich
9 Bruce Arians
10T Andy Reid
10T Anthony Wynn

2019 NFL Power Rankings

TOP TIER
1 Philadelphia
2 Indianapolis
3 New England
4 LA Chargers
5 LA Rams
6 Cleveland
7 Green Bay
8 Pittsburgh
9 Kansas City
10 Chicago
11 Atlanta
12 Dallas
13 Houston
14 New Orleans
15 Seattle
16 San Francisco
SECOND TIER
17 Minnesota
18 Tennessee
19 Denver
20 Carolina
21 New York Jets
22 Jacksonville
23 Baltimore
24 Detroit
25 Tampa Bay
THIRD TIER
26 Cincinnati
27 Washington
28 Oakland
29 Buffalo
30 Arizona
31 New York Giants
32 Miami

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FDH Best Games of the 2019 NCAA Football Season

1 Notre Dame at Georgia, Week 4
2 Oklahoma vs. Texas at Dallas, Week 7
3 Ohio State at Michigan, Week 12
4 Texas A&M at Clemson, Week 2
5 Notre Dame at Michigan, Week 9
6 Auburn vs. Oregon at Arlington, Week 1
7 Penn State at Ohio State, Week 13
8 Alabama at Auburn, Week 12
9 Michigan at Penn State, Week 8
10 Miami vs. Florida at Orlando, Week 1
11 Georgia at Auburn, Week 12
12 Texas A&M at Georgia, Week 13
13 Michigan at Wisconsin, Week 4
14 Georgia vs. Florida in Jacksonville, Week 10
15 Washington State at Washington, Week 12
16 LSU at Texas, Week 2
17 Tennessee at Florida, Week 3
18 Alabama at Texas A&M, Week 7
19 Virginia at Notre Dame, Week 5
20 LSU at Alabama, Week 11
21 Wisconsin at Ohio State, Week 9
22 Houston at Oklahoma, Week 1
23 Stanford at UCF, Week 3
24 Auburn at Georgia, Week 6
25 Texas A&M at LSU, Week 12
26 Michigan State at Michigan, Week 10
27 Washington State at Oregon, Week 9
28 Missouri at Georgia, Week 11
29 Auburn at Texas A&M, Week 4
30 Florida at Kentucky, Week 2
31 Arizona State at Michigan State, Week 3
32 Miami at Florida State, Week 8
33 Michigan State at Ohio State, Week 6
34 Iowa State at Oklahoma, Week 11
35 Oregon at Washington, Week 7
36 Boise State vs. Florida State at Jacksonville, Week 1
37 Stanford at Washington State, Week 12
38 Florida at Missouri, Week 12
39 Tennessee at Kentucky, Week 11
40 TCU at Purdue, Week 2
41 Missouri at Florida State, Week 10
42 Kentucky at Georgia, Week 8
43 Pitt at Penn State, Week 3
44 Ohio State at Nebraska, Week 2
45 USC at Notre Dame, Week 6
46 Clemson at Syracuse, Week 2
47 Cincinnati at Ohio State, Week 2
48 Wisconsin at Nebraska, Week 10
49 Ohio State at Northwestern, Week 6
50 Georgia at Tennessee, Week 5

2019 FDH UQB Team Stat

For a decade now, FantasyDrafthelp.com has featured the UQB, or Ultimate Quantitative Baseline, as the most accurate measure of what a player achieved the previous season in fantasy production. Now, for the first time, The FDH Lounge has a non-fantasy version of this statistic for team production: the most accurate version of how good, or bad, a given team was during the previous season.

Our statistic simply adds together the ranking of 10 different indexes: The FDH Lounge final power rankings for 2018, The FDH Lounge rankings for impressiveness of victories (based equally on a team's victories and the strength of the schedule that they played), offensive yards gained, defensive yards allowed, DVOA, Offensive DVOA, Defensive DVOA, Special Teams DVOA, The FDH Lounge 2019 NFL Draft ratings and The FDH Lounge 2019 NFL offseason ratings. The lower the number, the better each team did. Numbers in parentheses represent where the team placed in the final UQB rankings for the 2018 regular season. These numbers may surprise you in some ways and then again, they may not.

	TOP TIER	
1	Philadelphia (12)	125
2	Los Angeles Chargers (4)	128
	SECOND TIER	
3	Baltimore (2)	141
4	Houston (8)	142
5	Indianapolis (9)	148
6	New Orleans (1)	152
7	Dallas (16T)	154
8	Cleveland (21)	156
9	Los Angeles Rams (3)	163
10	Jacksonville (16T)	170
11	Pittsburgh (6)	172
12	Green Bay (22T)	180
13	Carolina (15)	187
14	Washington (26T)	188
15	Tennessee (14)	196
16	Kansas City (5)	197
17	New York Jets (28)	200
18	Cincinnati (24)	202
19	New England (7)	205
20	Minnesota (10)	206
21	Chicago (11)	212
22	Atlanta (31)	221
23	Buffalo (22T)	224
24	Denver (20)	228
25	San Francisco (29)	229
26	Oakland (30)	232
27	New York Giants (18)	235
28	Arizona (31)	237
29	Seattle (13)	238
30	Detroit (26T)	244
	THIRD TIER	
31	Tampa Bay (25)	281
	FOURTH TIER	
32	Miami (32)	339

FDH Best Games of the 2019 NFL Season

1 New Orleans at LA Rams (Week 2, FOX)
2 New England at Philadelphia (Week 11, CBS)
3 Kansas City at New England (Week 14, CBS)
4T Cleveland at Pittsburgh/Pittsburgh at Cleveland (Week 13, CBS/Week 11, FOX)
6T LA Chargers at Kansas City/Kansas City at LA Chargers (Week 17, CBS/Week 11, ESPN/Mexico City)
8 Indianapolis at New Orleans (Week 15, ESPN)
9 Cleveland at New England (Week 8, CBS)
10 Indianapolis at Kansas City (Week 5, NBC)
11 Pittsburgh at New England (Week 1, NBC)
12 LA Rams at Cleveland (Week 3, NBC)
13 New York Giants at New England (Week 6, FOX)
14 LA Rams at Pittsburgh (Week 10, CBS)
15T Cleveland at Baltimore/Baltimore at Cleveland (Week 4, CBS/Week 16, CBS)
17T Baltimore at Pittsburgh/Pittsburgh at Baltimore (Week 5, CBS/Week 17, CBS)
19T Houston at Indianapolis/Indianapolis at Houston (Week 7, CBS/Week 12, FOX)
21 Dallas at New England (Week 12, FOX)
22 Baltimore at LA Rams (Week 12, ESPN)
23T LA Rams at San Francisco/San Francisco at LA Rams (Week 16, FOX/Week 6, FOX)
25 New York Giants at New York Jets/Indianapolis at LA Chargers (Week 10, FOX/Week 1, CBS)

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