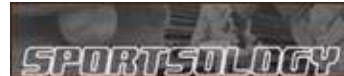
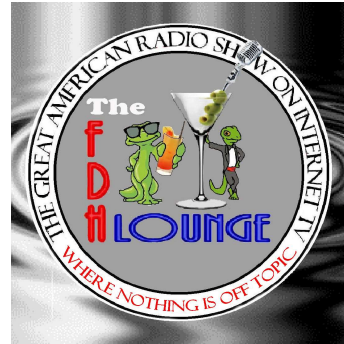


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* The "Stat" column shows how each player performed on our standard deviation from the mean statistic in 2022-23 (stat details on Page 2).

* Relevant 2023-24 statistical categories are listed, along with rankings for each, the number of games played and rankings in the aforementioned "Stat" category.

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THE TOP 75 PLAYERS IN PRO BASKETBALL HISTORY

The NBA's 75th Anniversary has prompted a wave of Best-Of lists, but few with the substance to reinforce the selections. Authors Rick Morris, Ben Chew and Russ Cohen came together to create a list of the top 75 pro basketball players ever, with evidence to justify the placement of each -- as well as biographical details, comparisons of various legends, little-known-but-interesting tidbits, what-if scenarios and much more. Additionally, the book includes our year-by-year ranking of the top players in pro basketball and rosters for hypothetical "Olympic Dream Teams" had they existed prior to 1992.

This is a book that is crafted for sports fans who are interested in learning more about the rich history of pro basketball. Available on Amazon.com



Top 50 Overall

1	Nikola Jokic	26	Walker Kessler
2	Shai Gilgeous-Alexander	27	Evan Mobley
3	Luka Doncic	28	DeMar DeRozan
4	Tyrese Haliburton	29	Julius Randle
5	Giannis Antetokounmpo	30	Jaylen Brown
6	Kevin Durant	31	Karl-Anthony Towns
7	Jayson Tatum	32	Dejounte Murray
8	Jimmy Butler	33	Anthony Edwards
9	OG Anunoby	34	Paul George
10	Mikal Bridges	35	Jalen Williams
11	Kawhi Leonard	36	De'Aaron Fox
12	LeBron James	37	Jalen Brunson
13	Donovan Mitchell	38	Chet Holmgren
14	Stephen Curry	39	Cameron Johnson
15	Lauri Markkanen	40	Zion Williamson
16	Damian Lillard	41	Aaron Gordon
17	Joel Embiid	42	Josh Giddey
18	Anthony Davis	43	Darius Garland
19	Domantas Sabonis	44	Bradley Beal
20	Fred VanVleet	45	Zach LaVine
21	Devin Booker	46	Desmond Bane
22	Jaren Jackson Jr.	47	Jamal Murray
23	Victor Wembanyama	48	Paolo Banchero
24	Kyrie Irving	49	Brandon Ingram
25	James Harden	50	LaMelo Ball

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	Guards	Exp	UQB	Rk	G	MP	FG%	Rk	3P%	Rk	FT%	Rk	REB	Rk
1	Shai Gilgeous-Alexan	2	1256	1	68	35.5	0.51	11	0.345		0.905	9T	4.8	21T
2	Luka Doncic	1	1217	2	66	36.2	0.496	15	0.342		0.742		8.6	1
3	Tyrese Haliburton	3	1169	3	56	33.6	0.49	21	0.4	23	0.871	24T	3.7	
4	Donovan Mitchell	9	963	5	68	35.8	0.484	24T	0.386		0.867	30T	4.3	32T
5	Stephen Curry	4	912	9	56	34.7	0.493	18	0.427	9	0.915	6	6.1	7T
6	Damian Lillard	5	927	7	58	36.3	0.463		0.371		0.914	7	4.8	21T
7	Fred VanVleet	14	987	4	69	36.7	0.393		0.342		0.898	14	4.1	
8	Devin Booker	10	814	17	53	34.6	0.494	16T	0.351		0.855		4.5	26T
9	Kyrie Irving	8	928	6	60	37.4	0.494	16T	0.379		0.905	9T	5.1	16T
10	James Harden 1X	7	896	13	58	36.8	0.441		0.385		0.867	30T	6.1	7T
11	Dejounte Murray	19	828	14	74	36.4	0.464		0.344		0.832		5.3	14T
12	Anthony Edwards	12T	799	20	79	36	0.459		0.369		0.756		5.8	11T
13	Paul George	12T	794	22	56	34.6	0.457		0.371		0.871	24T	6.1	7T
14	Jalen Williams	31T	822	15	75	30.3	0.521	7	0.356		0.812		4.5	26T
15	De'Aaron Fox	18	798	21	73	33.4	0.512	10	0.324		0.78		4.2	34T
16	Jalen Brunson 2X	17	782	23	68	35	0.491	20	0.416	13	0.829		3.5	
17	Josh Giddey	29	714	28	76	31.1	0.482	27	0.325		0.731		7.9	2
18	Darius Garland	21	711	29	69	35.5	0.462		0.41	16	0.863	33	2.7	
19	Bradley Beal	23T	698	32	50	33.5	0.506	12T	0.365		0.842		3.9	
20	Zach LaVine	23T	721	27	77	35.9	0.485	22T	0.375		0.848		4.5	26T
21	Desmond Bane	16	710	30	58	31.7	0.479	30T	0.408	18	0.883	19	5	18T
22	Jamal Murray	22	662		65	32.8	0.454		0.398	25T	0.833		4	
23	LaMelo Ball	6	685		36	35.2	0.411		0.376		0.836		6.4	4
24	Tyrese Maxey	30	695	34	60	33.6	0.481	28	0.434	7	0.845		2.9	
25	Jrue Holiday	20	697	33	67	32.6	0.479	30T	0.384		0.859	35T	5.1	16T

	Guards	AST	Rk	STL	Rk	BLK	Rk	TOV	Rk	PTS	Rk
1	Shai Gilgeous-Alexan	5.5	32T	1.6	2T	1	1	2.8		31.4	3
2	Luka Doncic	8	8	1.4	14T	0.5	10T	3.6		32.4	1
3	Tyrese Haliburton	10.4	2	1.6	2T	0.4	23T	2.5		20.7	26
4	Donovan Mitchell	4.4		1.5	7T	0.4	23T	2.6		28.3	5
5	Stephen Curry	6.3	17T	0.9		0.4	23T	3.2		29.4	4
6	Damian Lillard	7.3	12	0.9		0.3		3.3		32.2	2
7	Fred VanVleet	7.2	13	1.8	1	0.6	6T	2		19.3	34T
8	Devin Booker	5.5	32T	1		0.3		2.7		27.8	6
9	Kyrie Irving	5.5	32T	1.1	30T	0.8	3	2.1		27.1	7
10	James Harden 1X	10.7	1	1.2	24T	0.5	10T	3.4		21	23
11	Dejounte Murray	6.1	24T	1.5	7T	0.3		2.2		20.5	27
12	Anthony Edwards	4.4		1.6	2T	0.7	4T	3.3		24.6	12
13	Paul George	5.1		1.5	7T	0.4	23T	3.1		23.8	14
14	Jalen Williams	3.3		1.4	14T	0.5	10T	1.6		14.1	
15	De'Aaron Fox	6.1	24T	1.1	30T	0.3		2.5		25	10
16	Jalen Brunson 2X	6.2	19T	0.9		0.2		2.1		24	13
17	Josh Giddey	6.2	19T	0.8		0.4	23T	2.8		16.6	
18	Darius Garland	7.8	9	1.2	25T	0.1		2.9		21.6	19
19	Bradley Beal	5.4	35	0.9		0.7	4T	2.9		23.2	16
20	Zach LaVine	4.2		0.9		0.2		2.5		24.8	11
21	Desmond Bane	4.4		1		0.4	23T	2.2		21.5	20
22	Jamal Murray	6.2	19T	1		0.2		2.2		20	31
23	LaMelo Ball	8.4	5	1.3	20T	0.3		3.6		23.3	15
24	Tyrese Maxey	3.5		0.8		0.1		1.3		20.3	29
25	Jrue Holiday	7.4	11	1.2	25T	0.4	23T	2.9		19.3	34T

Evaluating Production Across a Spectrum: Lessons of our Proprietary Ultimate Quantitative Baseline Stat

Our "UQB" category (Ultimate Quantitative Baseline) on our draft board calculates the standard deviation from the mean in all relevant hockey 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.

We utilize this statistic for football, baseball, basketball, hockey and NASCAR as well as hoops. For hockey, we use all of the standard fantasy categories listed on the draft board to factor in for this statistical compilation. A player's performance 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.

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	Guards	Exp	UQB	Rk	G	MP	FG%	Rk	3P%	Rk	FT%	Rk	REB	Rk
26	Trae Young	11	639		73	34.8	0.429		0.335		0.886	18	3	
27	Gary Trent Jr.		820	16	66	32.1	0.433		0.369		0.839		2.6	
28	Kentavious Cald-Pope		763	25	76	31.3	0.462		0.423	11	0.824		2.7	
29	Chris Paul	26T	925	8	59	32	0.44		0.375		0.831		4.3	32T
30	Terry Rozier	26T	638		63	35.3	0.415		0.327		0.809		4.1	
31	<u>CJ McCollum 3X</u>	31T	636		75	35.3	0.437		0.389	33T	0.769		4.4	31
32	Cade Cunningham	15	457		12	33.3	0.415		0.279		0.837		6.2	6
33	Ja Morant	25	702	31	61	31.9	0.466		0.307		0.748		5.9	10
34	Tyler Herro	33T	675		67	34.9	0.439		0.378		0.934	2	5.4	13
35	Ben Simmons	33T	614		42	26.3	0.566	1	0		0.439		6.3	5
36	Devin Vassell	33T	630		38	31	0.439		0.387	35	0.78		3.9	
37	Josh Hart		902	11	76	32.3	0.529	5T	0.372		0.75		7.8	3
38	Scoot Henderson		NA		NA	NA	NA		NA		NA		NA	
39	<u>Bruce Brown 4X</u>		624		80	28.5	0.483	26	0.358		0.758		4.1	
40	Austin Reaves		672		64	28.8	0.529	5T	0.398	25T	0.864	32	3	
41	Jordan Poole	28	484		82	30	0.43		0.336		0.87	27T	2.7	
42	Marcus Smart		690	35	61	32.1	0.415		0.336		0.746		3.1	
43	Spencer Dinwiddie		638		79	34.5	0.438		0.369		0.812		3.4	
44	Anfernee Simons		626		62	35	0.447		0.377		0.894	15T	2.6	
45	Malcolm Brogdon		672		67	26	0.484	24T	0.444	5	0.87	27T	4.2	34T
46	Derrick White		661		82	28.3	0.462		0.381		0.875	22	3.6	
47	Luke Kennard		726	26	59	22.3	0.492	19	0.494	1	0.949	1	2.7	
48	Klay Thompson		639		69	33	0.436		0.412	15	0.879	21	4.1	
49	Kevin Porter Jr. 5X		613		59	34.3	0.442		0.366		0.784		5.3	14T

	Guards	AST	Rk	STL	Rk	BLK	Rk	TOV	Rk	PTS	Rk
26	Trae Young	10.2	3	1.1	30T	0.1		4.1		26.2	8T
27	Gary Trent Jr.	1.6		1.6	2T	0.2		0.8	7T	17.4	
28	Kentavious Cald-Pope	2.4		1.5	7T	0.5	10T	1.1	25T	10.8	
29	Chris Paul	8.9	4	1.5	7T	0.4	23T	1.9		13.9	
30	Terry Rozier	5.1		1.2	25T	0.3		2.1		21.1	21T
31	<u>CJ McCollum 3X</u>	5.7	28T	0.9		0.5	10T	2.4		20.9	24
32	Cade Cunningham	6	27	0.8		0.6	6T	3.3		19.9	32
33	Ja Morant	8.1	7	1.1	30T	0.3		3.4		26.2	8T
34	Tyler Herro	4.2		0.8		0.2		2.4		20.1	30
35	Ben Simmons	6.1	24T	1.3	20T	0.6	6T	2.3		6.9	
36	Devin Vassell	3.6		1.1	30T	0.4	23T	1.5		18.5	
37	Josh Hart	3.8		1.2	25T	0.3		1.5		9.8	
38	Scoot Henderson	NA		NA		NA		NA		NA	
39	<u>Bruce Brown 4X</u>	3.4		1.1	30T	0.6	6T	1.5		11.5	
40	Austin Reaves	3.4		0.5		0.3		1.5		13	
41	Jordan Poole	4.5		0.8		0.3		3.1		20.4	28
42	Marcus Smart	6.3	17T	1.5	7T	0.4	23T	2.3		11.5	
43	Spencer Dinwiddie	6.5	16	0.8		0.3		1.8		17.3	
44	Anfernee Simons	4.1		0.7		0.2		2.1		21.1	21T
45	Malcolm Brogdon	3.7		0.7		0.3		1.5		14.9	
46	Derrick White	3.9		0.7		0.9	2	1.2	31T	12.4	
47	Luke Kennard	1.5		0.5		0.1		0.8	7T	9.3	
48	Klay Thompson	2.4		0.7		0.4	23T	1.8		21.9	18
49	Kevin Porter Jr. 5X	5.7	28T	1.4	14T	0.3		3.2		19.2	

2023-24 Fantasy Overview

^ The second and third tiers at guard are drastically deeper than at forward. Also, the top three guards are a cut above any of the forwards.

^ The top two tiers at center are deeper than last year.

Overvalued Players of 2023

Centers: Bam Adebayo, Clint Capela, Pascal Siakam
Forwards: Gordon Hayward, Kris Middleton, Karl-Anthony towns
Guards: LaMelo Ball, Cade Cunningham, Ja Morant, Jordan Poole, Trae Young

Undervalued Players of 2023

Centers: Brook Lopez, Alperen Sengun
Forwards: OG Anunoby, Miles Bridges, Aaron Gordon, Chet Holmgren, Cameron Johnson, Trey Murphy III, Keegan Murray,
Guards: Kentavious Caldwell-Pope, Josh Giddey, Tyrese Maxey, Dejounte Murray, Gary Trent, Jr, Fred VanVleet, Jalen Williams

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	Forwards	Exp	UQB	Rk	G	MP	FG%	Rk	3P%	Rk	FT%	Rk	REB	Rk
1	Giannis Antetokou	2T	1060	3	63	32.1	0.553	7	0.275		0.645		11.8	1
2	Kevin Durant	2T	1057	4	47	35.6	0.56	4	0.404	13T	0.919	1	6.7	16
3	Jayson Tatum	1	995	7	74	36.9	0.466		0.35		0.854	19	8.8	5
4	Jimmy Butler	6T	1314	1	64	33.4	0.539	10	0.35		0.85	22	5.9	24
5	OG Anunoby	11	1185	2	67	35.6	0.476	35T	0.387	30	0.838	29T	5	
6	Mikal Bridges	6T	737	15	83	35.7	0.468		0.382	31	0.895	4	4.4	
7	Kawhi Leonard	4	998	6	52	33.6	0.512	15	0.416	4	0.871	15	6.5	19T
8	LeBron James	6T	905	8	55	35.5	0.5	21	0.321		0.768		8.3	7
9	Lauri Markkanen 1X	9	905	9	66	34.4	0.499	22	0.391	24T	0.875	11	8.6	6
10	Evan Mobley	10	811	13	79	34.4	0.554	6	0.216		0.674		9	4
11	DeMar DeRozan	13	836	12	74	36.2	0.504	19	0.324		0.872	13T	4.6	
12	Julius Randle	18T	843	11	77	35.5	0.459		0.343		0.757		10	2
13	Jaylen Brown	12	720	21	67	35.9	0.491	26	0.335		0.765		6.9	14T
14	KarlAnthonyTowns2X	5	648	31	29	33	0.495	25	0.366		0.874	12	8.1	8
15	Chet Holmgren	21	NA		NA	NA	NA		NA		NA		NA	
16	Cameron Johnson	24	722	20	42	28.5	0.47		0.404	13T	0.842	26T	4.4	
17	Zion Williamson	14	999	5	29	33	0.608	1	0.368		0.714		7	13
18	Aaron Gordon 3X		712	24	68	30.2	0.564	3	0.347		0.608		6.6	17T
19	Paolo Banchero	15T	467		72	33.8	0.427		0.298		0.738		6.9	14T
20	Brandon Ingram	15T	615		45	34.2	0.484	32T	0.39	26T	0.882	7	5.5	28T
21	Khris Middleton	15T	590		33	24.3	0.436		0.315		0.902	3	4.2	
22	Miles Bridges		NA		NA	NA	NA		NA		NA		NA	
23	Scottie Barnes	18T	645	32	77	34.8	0.456		0.281		0.772		6.6	17T
24	Jerami Grant	23	670	27	63	35.7	0.475		0.401	16T	0.813		4.5	
25	John Collins	20	627		71	30	0.508	17	0.292		0.803		6.5	19T
26	Tobias Harris	25	672	26	74	32.9	0.501	20	0.389	28T	0.876	9T	5.7	27
27	Michael Porter Jr.	22	627		62	29	0.487	29	0.414	6	0.8		5.5	28T
28	Buddy Hield	26T	714	23	80	31	0.458		0.425	2	0.822		5	

	Forwards	AST	Rk	STL	Rk	BLK	Rk	TOV	Rk	PTS	Rk
1	Giannis Antetokou	5.7	4	0.8	33T	0.8	12T	3.9		31.1	1
2	Kevin Durant	5	7	0.7		1.4	2	3.3		29.1	3
3	Jayson Tatum	4.6	12T	1.1	10T	0.7	19T	2.9		30.1	2
4	Jimmy Butler	5.3	5	1.8	2	0.3		1.6		22.9	12
5	OG Anunoby	2		1.9	1	0.7	21T	2		16.8	24T
6	Mikal Bridges	3.3	22	1.1	10T	0.7	21T	1.5		20.1	19
7	Kawhi Leonard	3.9	16	1.4	4T	0.5	31T	1.7		23.8	11
8	LeBron James	6.8	1T	0.9	24T	0.6	24T	3.2		28.9	4
9	Lauri Markkanen 1X	1.9		0.6		0.6	24T	1.9		25.6	7
10	Evan Mobley	2.8	25T	0.8	33T	1.5	1	1.8		16.2	28
11	DeMar DeRozan	5.1	6	1.1	10T	0.5	31T	2.1		24.5	10
12	Julius Randle	4.1	14T	0.6		0.3		2.8		25.1	8
13	Jaylen Brown	3.5	20T	1.1	10T	0.4		2.9		26.6	5
14	KarlAnthonyTowns2X	4.8	10T	0.7		0.6	24T	3		20.8	16
15	Chet Holmgren	NA		NA		NA		NA		NA	
16	Cameron Johnson	1.9		1.2	6T	0.3		0.9	15T	15.5	30
17	Zion Williamson	4.6	12T	1.1	10T	0.6	24T	3.4		26	6
18	Aaron Gordon 3X	3	23	0.8	33T	0.8	12T	1.4		16.3	27
19	Paolo Banchero	3.7	17T	0.8	33T	0.5	31T	2.8		20	20
20	Brandon Ingram	5.8	3	0.7		0.4		3.3		24.7	9
21	Khris Middleton	4.9	8T	0.7		0.2		2.2		15.1	33
22	Miles Bridges	NA		NA		NA		NA		NA	
23	Scottie Barnes	4.8	10T	1.1	10T	0.8	12T	2		15.3	32
24	Jerami Grant	2.4	33T	0.8	33T	0.8	12T	1.8		20.5	17
25	John Collins	1.2		0.6		1	6T	1.1	26T	13.1	
26	Tobias Harris	2.5	30T	0.9	24T	0.5	31T	1.2	34T	14.7	35T
27	Michael Porter Jr.	1		0.6		0.5	31T	1.1	26T	17.4	22
28	Buddy Hield	2.8	25T	1.2	6T	0.3		1.7		16.8	24T

Don't Be That Guy

^ Don't sleep on stat-sheet fillers who aren't as well-publicized as some of the megastars. Examples include Robert Williams, Herbert Jones and Robert Covington.

^ Don't show up unprepared to deal with the specificities of your league's scoring system. Be prepared on all of the details.

^ Don't "punt" categories in a rotisserie league. You must try to be competitive in all areas in order to win.

^ Don't assemble too many injury question marks.

Suggested League Guidelines

We recommend that you hold your auction or serpentine-style draft with 10 owners, selecting 12 players (4 guards, 4 forwards, 2 centers). In case of an auction, use a financial system that allots an average of \$11 per player.

Our preferred style of play is head-to-head rotisserie, in which teams compete on a week-to-week head-up basis.

Recommended categories are points, rebounds, assists, steals, blocks, 3-pointers, 3-point percentage, field goal percentage, free throw percentage and least turnovers. First place in each category would yield 10 points, second place 9 points, etc.

A rotating tiebreaker category should be utilized in the case of a 5-5 category tie. The starting lineup should consist of 2 guards, 2 forwards and 1 center.

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	Forwards	Exp	UQB	Rk	G	MP	FG%	Rk	3P%	Rk	FT%	Rk	REB	Rk
29	Trey Murphy III	35T	725	18	79	31	0.484	32T	0.406	12	0.905	2	3.6	
30	Keegan Murray		634	33	80	29.8	0.453		0.411	8T	0.765		4.6	
31	Draymond Green	26T	673	25	73	31.5	0.527	11	0.305		0.713		7.2	10T
32	Franz Wagner	30T	616		80	32.6	0.485	31	0.361		0.842	26T	4.1	
33	Keldon Johnson	28	612		63	32.7	0.452		0.329		0.749		5	
34	Saddiq Bey	29	575		77	27.6	0.422		0.361		0.861	17	4.7	
35	Andrew Wiggins	30T	600		37	32.2	0.473		0.396	19T	0.611		5	
36	Gordon Hayward	30T	579		50	31.5	0.475		0.325		0.811		4.3	
37	Kyle Kuzma	33T	494		64	35	0.448		0.333		0.73		7.2	10T
38	Jabari Smith Jr.		499		79	31	0.408		0.307		0.786		7.2	10T
39	P.J. Washington	35T	623		73	32.6	0.444		0.348		0.73		4.9	
40	<u>Tari Eason 4X</u>	33T	622		82	21.5	0.448		0.343		0.752		6	23
41	Bobby Portis		733	16	70	26	0.496	24	0.37		0.768		9.6	3
42	Kelly Oubre Jr.		739	14	48	32.3	0.431		0.319		0.76		5.2	35
43	Bennedict Mathurin		512		78	28.5	0.434		0.323		0.828	33	4.1	
44	Jarred Vanderbilt		731	17	78	24.1	0.548	8T	0.322		0.691		7.5	9
45	Jaden McDaniels		665	28	79	30.6	0.517	13T	0.398	18	0.736		3.9	
46	Aleksej Pokusevski		494		34	20.6	0.434		0.365		0.629		4.7	
47	AJ Griffin		543		72	19.5	0.465		0.39	26T	0.894	5	2.1	
48	Grant Williams		528		79	25.9	0.454		0.395	21T	0.77		4.6	
49	Herbert Jones 5X		848	10	66	29.6	0.469		0.335		0.764		4.1	

	Forwards	AST	Rk	STL	Rk	BLK	Rk	TOV	Rk	PTS	Rk
29	Trey Murphy III	1.4		1.1	10T	0.5	31T	0.8	11T	14.5	
30	Keegan Murray	1.2		0.8	33T	0.5	31T	0.8	11T	12.2	
31	Draymond Green	6.8	1T	1	19T	0.8	12T	2.8		8.5	
32	Franz Wagner	3.5	20T	1	19T	0.2		2.1		18.6	21
33	Keldon Johnson	2.9	24	0.7		0.2		2.1		22	13
34	Saddiq Bey	1.5		0.9	24T	0.2		0.9	15T	13.8	
35	Andrew Wiggins	2.3		1.2	6T	0.8	12T	1.3		17.1	23
36	Gordon Hayward	4.1	14T	0.8	33T	0.2		2		14.7	35T
37	Kyle Kuzma	3.7	17T	0.6		0.5	31T	3		21.2	15
38	Jabari Smith Jr.	1.3		0.5		0.9	8T	1.3		12.8	
39	P.J. Washington	2.4	33T	0.9	24T	1.1	5	1.5		15.7	29
40	<u>Tari Eason 4X</u>	1.1		1.2	6T	0.6	24T	1.2	34T	9.3	
41	Bobby Portis	1.5		0.4		0.2		1.2	34T	14.1	
42	Kelly Oubre Jr.	1.1		1.4	4T	0.4		1.3		20.3	18
43	Bennedict Mathurin	1.5		0.6		0.2		1.9		16.7	26
44	Jarred Vanderbilt	2.4	33T	1.1	10T	0.3		1.2	34T	7.9	
45	Jaden McDaniels	1.9		0.9	24T	1	6T	1.4		12.1	
46	Aleksej Pokusevski	1.9		0.6		1.3	3	1.3		8.1	
47	AJ Griffin	1		0.6		0.2		0.6	4T	8.9	
48	Grant Williams	1.7		0.5		0.4		1	22T	8.1	
49	<u>Herbert Jones 5X</u>	2.5	30T	1.6	3	0.6	24T	1.3		9.8	

Players Most Disproportionately Valuable in Points-Only Leagues

Centers: Pascal Siakam, Christian Wood
 Forwards: Bojan Bogdanovic, Keldon Johnson, Kyle Kuzma, Kelly Oubre Jr., Franz Wagner
 Guards: RJ Barrett, Jordan Clarkson, Jalen Green, Jordan Poole, Norman Powell, D'Angelo Russell, Anfernee Simons, Klay Thompson

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	Centers	Exp	UQB	Rk	G	MP	FG%	Rk	3P%	Rk	FT%	Rk	REB	Rk
1	Nikola Jokic	1	1423	1	69	33.7	0.632	13	0.383	5	0.822	7	11.8	3
2	Joel Embiid	2	1081	4	66	34.6	0.548		0.33	17	0.857	1	10.2	8T
3	Anthony Davis	3	1077	5	56	34	0.563	20	0.257		0.784	10T	12.5	1
4	Domantas Sabonis	4	1001	6	79	34.6	0.615	17	0.373	8T	0.742	18	12.3	2
5	Jaren Jackson Jr.	5	1097	3	63	28.4	0.506		0.355	12	0.788	9	6.8	
6	Victor Wembanyama	7	NA		NA	NA	NA		NA		NA		NA	
7	Walker Kessler 1X	11	1138	2	74	23	0.72	2	0.333	15T	0.516		8.4	
8	Myles Turner	9	946	7	62	29.4	0.548		0.373	8T	0.783	12	7.5	
9	Brook Lopez		933	8	78	30.4	0.531		0.374	7	0.784	10T	6.7	
10	Kristaps Porzingis	8	851	10	65	32.6	0.498		0.385	4	0.851	3	8.4	
11	Nikola Vucevic	12	750	12	82	33.5	0.52		0.349	13T	0.835	5	11	6T
12	Alperen Sengün	18T	640	19	75	28.9	0.553		0.333	15T	0.715		9	19
13	Deandre Ayton	14	657	17	67	30.4	0.589	19	0.292		0.76	16	10	10
14	Bam Adebayo	6	507		75	34.6	0.54		0.083		0.806	8	9.2	15T
15	Pascal Siakam 2X	10	599		71	37.4	0.48		0.324	19	0.774	14	7.8	
16	Jarrett Allen	13	571		68	32.6	0.644	9	0.1		0.733		9.8	12
17	Rudy Gobert	15	361		70	30.7	0.659	6	0		0.644		11.6	4
18	Nic Claxton	16	659	16	76	29.9	0.705	3	0		0.541		9.2	15T
19	Jonas Valanciunas	17	667	15	79	24.9	0.547		0.349	13T	0.826	6	10.2	8T
20	Robert Williams		718	14	35	23.5	0.747	1	0		0.61		8.3	
21	Wendell Carter Jr.		618		57	29.6	0.525		0.356	11	0.738	19T	8.7	
22	James Wiseman		335		45	19.3	0.558		0.2		0.701		5.9	
23	Christian Wood	20T	653	18	67	25.9	0.515		0.376	6	0.772	15	7.3	
24	Clint Capela	20T	316		65	26.6	0.653	7	0		0.603		11	6T
25	Onyeka Okongwu		725	13	80	23.1	0.638	10	0.308		0.781	13	7.2	
26	Jusuf Nurkic 3X		620		52	26.8	0.519		0.361	10	0.661		9.1	17T

	Centers	AST	Rk	STL	Rk	BLK	Rk	TOV	Rk	PTS	Rk
1	Nikola Jokic	9.8	1	1.3	1	0.7		3.6		24.5	3
2	Joel Embiid	4.2	4	1	4T	1.7	8	3.4		33.1	1
3	Anthony Davis	2.6	14	1.1	3	2	6	2.2		25.9	2
4	Domantas Sabonis	7.3	2	0.8	14T	0.5		2.9		19.1	7
5	Jaren Jackson Jr.	1		1	4T	3	1	1.7		18.6	8
6	Victor Wembanyama	NA		NA		NA		NA		NA	
7	Walker Kessler 1X	0.9		0.4		2.3	4T	0.8	5T	9.2	
8	Myles Turner	1.4		0.6		2.3	4T	1.7		18	9T
9	Brook Lopez	1.3		0.5		2.5	2T	1.4	15T	15.9	13
10	Kristaps Porzingis	2.7	12T	0.9	6T	1.5	9	2.1		23.2	5
11	Nikola Vucevic	3.2	7T	0.7	18T	0.7		1.7		17.6	11
12	Alperen Sengün	3.9	5	0.9	6T	0.9		2.6		14.8	15
13	Deandre Ayton	1.7		0.6		0.8		1.8		18	9T
14	Bam Adebayo	3.2	7T	1.2	2	0.8		2.5		20.4	6
15	Pascal Siakam 2X	5.8	3	0.9	6T	0.5		2.4		24.2	4
16	Jarrett Allen	1.7		0.8	14T	1.2	14T	1.4	15T	14.3	16
17	Rudy Gobert	1.2		0.8	14T	1.4	10T	1.7		13.4	18
18	Nic Claxton	1.9	18	0.9	6T	2.5	2T	1.3	14	12.6	20
19	Jonas Valanciunas	1.8	19T	0.3		0.7		2		14.1	17
20	Robert Williams	1.4		0.6		1.4	10T	1	8T	8	
21	Wendell Carter Jr.	2.3	16T	0.5		0.6		1.9		15.2	14
22	James Wiseman	0.7		0.2		0.6		1.1	10T	10	
23	Christian Wood	1.8	19T	0.4		1.1	17T	1.8		16.6	12
24	Clint Capela	0.9		0.7	18T	1.2	14T	0.8	5T	12	
25	Onyeka Okongwu	1		0.7	18T	1.3	12T	1	8T	9.9	
26	Jusuf Nurkic 3X	2.9	11	0.8	14T	0.8		2.3		13.3	19

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We publish a series of guides such as this through the year as a partnership between Sportsology, The FDH Lounge, Fantasy Drafthelp.com and other entities under the banner of The 21st Century Media Alliance. Fantasy Racing (mid-February), Fantasy Baseball (mid-March), NFL Draft (mid-April), NHL Entry Draft (mid-June), NBA Draft (mid-June), Fantasy Football (late July), Fantasy Hockey (mid-September), Fantasy Hoops (mid-October).

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^ Regular season point distribution should come in the form of a "snapshot" of the Associated Press Top 25 poll on the following dates: January 1, January 15, January 29, February 12 and February 26. On those dates, points would be allocated in the following manner: 1st place (100 points), 2nd place (94 points), 3rd place (91 points), 4th place (88 points), 5th place (85 points), 6th place (78 points), 7th place (75 points), 8th place (72 points), 9th place (68 points), 10th place (65 points), 11th place (58 points), 12th place (55 points), 13th place (52 points), 14th place (48 points), 15th place (45 points), 16th place (40 points), 17th place (36 points), 18th place (32 points), 19th place (28 points), 20th place (25 points), 21st place (22 points), 22nd place (18 points), 23rd place (15 points), 24th place (12 points), 25th place (10 points). Additionally, 90 points are to be awarded to the winner of a regular season conference title and an additional 90 points to the winner of a conference title tournament.

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The Crossover In Eras Is Ending

By Rick Morris/The FDH Lounge

Two years ago in this space, we noted that the NBA was going through a period of a bit more parity at the top than we're used to seeing. Of course, the bar is low for that statement since the league usually features a narrow band of contenders at the top, but it was wider than usual. Heading into the 2023-24 season, we're seeing a decided return to normalcy.

In terms of teams representing the era of the 2010s, there were of course Golden State, Boston and Toronto in that mix – as well as the Lakers (by dint of having LeBron James) and Brooklyn (by dint of having their superteam for their approximate 15 minutes of relevance). Teams that we listed as being on the way up included Phoenix, Atlanta, New York, Denver, Memphis, Milwaukee, Dallas and Utah. Phoenix transitioned to a bit of a team from the holdover era by adding Kevin Durant to the mix, but they took their best shot at Denver and came up short, as did the Lakers – and Golden State didn't even get past LA, so the previous era is largely running on fumes all of a sudden. Toronto has already fallen apart and Boston indicated over the past two postseasons that they've capped out at "almost there."

In terms of the up-and-coming teams that we listed two years ago, Atlanta fell off hard, New York fell off but came back (but still looks to be at least one more impact player away from true contention), Denver became the Monster in the Rocky Mountains, Memphis is only as good as the faltering mental health of their best player, Dallas has fallen backwards and Utah moved to full-on rebuilding. So we're substantially thinned-out at the top. Philly and Miami were mentioned in passing two years ago and both of them are close to true contention, but still missing an element or two.

However, in the ever-evolving ecosystem of the Association, some teams that were not mentioned two years ago loom as some of the strongest contenders over the next half-decade: Cleveland (notwithstanding their disappointing playoff flameout this past spring), Sacramento (after their incredible come-up in '22-23), Oklahoma City (now decidedly on the way out of their rebuild) and San Antonio (as Big Vic leads a very expedited return to glory).

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- 2 Duke
- 3 Purdue
- 4 Michigan State

Second Tier

- 5 UConn
- 6 Houston
- 7 Florida Atlantic
- 8 Marquette
- 9 Tennessee
- 10 Creighton
- 11 Gonzaga

Third Tier

- 12 Arkansas
- 13 San Diego State
- 14 Miami
- 15 North Carolina

Fourth Tier

- 16 St. Mary's
- 17 Arizona
- 18 Texas A&M
- 19 Baylor
- 20 Villanova

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- 24 Kentucky
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2	OG Anunoby	Mikal Bridges	Devin Booker	Domantas Sabonis	Damian Lillard
3	Fred VanVleet	Walker Kessler	Evan Mobley	Karl-Anthony Towns	Anthony Davis
4	Jalen Williams	Julius Randle	DeMar DeRozan	Josh Giddey	Chet Holmgren
5	Cameron Johnson	De'Aaron Fox	Kristaps Porzingis	Aaron Gordon	Khris Middleton
6	Miles Bridges	Jrue Holiday	Zach LaVine	Scottie Barnes	Bradley Beal
7	Tyrese Maxey	Brook Lopez	Chris Paul	Jarrett Allen	Franz Wagner
8	Deandre Ayton	Tyler Herro	Nikola Vucevic	Keldon Johnson	Pascal Siakam
9	Gary Trent Jr.	Jerami Grant	Bennedict Mathurin	Ja Morant	Ben Simmons
10	Kyle Kuzma	Trey Murphy III	Jabari Smith Jr.	Anfernee Simons	Grant Williams
11	Terry Rozier	P.J. Washington	AJ Griffin	Devin Vassell	Herbert Jones
12	Jarred Vanderbilt	Derrick White	Luke Kennard	Brandon Miller	Malcolm Brogdon
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1	Kawhi Leonard	Jayson Tatum	LeBron James	Donovan Mitchell	Kevin Durant
2	Victor Wembanyama	Joel Embiid	Lauri Markkanen	Stephen Curry	Jimmy Butler
3	Dejounte Murray	Anthony Edwards	Kyrie Irving	Jaren Jackson Jr.	James Harden
4	Paolo Banchero	Jalen Brunson	Zion Williamson	Jaylen Brown	Paul George
5	Kentavious Cald-Pope	Brandon Ingram	Darius Garland	Jamal Murray	LaMelo Ball
6	Alperen Sengün	Desmond Bane	Bam Adebayo	Michael Porter Jr.	Myles Turner
7	Scot Henderson	Buddy Hield	Draymond Green	Trae Young	Andrew Wiggins
8	Saddiq Bey	Keegan Murray	Cade Cunningham	Gordon Hayward	CJ McCollum
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10	Aleksej Pokusevski	Spencer Dinwiddie	James Wiseman	Clint Capela	Bruce Brown
11	Markelle Fultz	Nic Claxton	Kelly Oubre Jr.	Bobby Portis	Jaden McDaniels
12	Luguentz Dort	Tari Eason	Klay Thompson	Jordan Poole	Marcus Smart

ROUND 1: The first American player at #4! Samm took a big swing on Leonard's health.

ROUND 2: Wouldn't you pay to see Jason and Mike V's backcourts play a game of 2-on-2?

ROUND 3: Mike V with a very nice value pick.

ROUND 4: Nate and Jeff got some fantasy stars to fall.

ROUND 5: Mike P took a slightly older player than he usually might in order to get big value.

ROUND 6: The last FDH Top 50 Players went to Nate, Mike V and Russ.

ROUNDS 7-12: How the mighty have fallen: Chris Paul, Morant, Klay, Capela, Gobert.

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Surplus Centers	Exp	UQB	Rk	G	MP	FG%	Rk	3P%	Rk	FT%	Rk	REB	Rk
Al Horford		751	11	63	30.5	0.476		0.446	1	0.714		6.2	
Dereck Lively II		NA		NA	NA	NA		NA		NA		NA	
Isaiah Stewart		172		50	28.3	0.442		0.327	18	0.738	19T	8.1	
Ivica Zubac		166		76	28.6	0.634	12	0		0.697		9.9	11
Jakob Poeltl	18T	170		72	26.5	0.629	15	0		0.592		9.1	17T
Jalen Duren		170		67	24.9	0.648	8	0		0.611		8.9	20T
Kelly Olynyk		621	20	68	28.6	0.499		0.394	3	0.853	2	6.2	
Kevon Looney		164		82	23.9	0.63	14	0		0.606		9.3	14
Mark Williams		174		43	19.3	0.637	11			0.691		7.1	
Marvin Bagley III		483		42	23.6	0.529		0.288		0.75	17	6.4	
Mason Plumlee		304		79	26	0.68	4			0.636		8.9	20T
Mitchell Robinson		222		59	27	0.671	5			0.484		9.4	13
Moritz Wagner		278		57	19.5	0.5		0.313	20	0.841	4	4.5	
Precious Achiuwa		253		55	20.7	0.485		0.269		0.702		6	
Steven Adams		0		42	27	0.597	18	0		0.364		11.5	5
Thomas Bryant		863	9	59	18.3	0.623	16	0.441	2	0.738	19T	5.7	

Surplus Centers	AST	Rk	STL	Rk	BLK	Rk	TOV	Rk	PTS	Rk
Al Horford	3	10	0.5		1	19T	0.6	2T	9.8	
Dereck Lively II	NA		NA		NA		NA		NA	
Isaiah Stewart	1.4		0.4		0.7		1.4	15T	11.3	
Ivica Zubac	1		0.4		1.3	12T	1.5	19T	10.8	
Jakob Poeltl	2.7	12T	0.9	6T	1.2	14T	1.7		12.5	
Jalen Duren	1.1		0.7	18T	0.9		1.4	15T	9.1	
Kelly Olynyk	3.7	6	0.9	6T	0.5		2.5		12.5	
Kevon Looney	2.5	15	0.6		0.6		0.5	1	7	
Mark Williams	0.4		0.7	18T	1	19T	0.9	7	9	
Marvin Bagley III	0.9		0.5		0.7		1.1	10T	12	
Mason Plumlee	3.1	9	0.6		0.6		1.5	19T	10.8	
Mitchell Robinson	0.9		0.9	6T	1.8	7	0.7	4	7.4	
Moritz Wagner	1.5		0.6		0.2		1.2	13	10.5	
Precious Achiuwa	0.9		0.6		0.5		1.1	10T	9.2	
Steven Adams	2.3	16T	0.9	6T	1.1	17T	1.9		8.6	
Thomas Bryant	0.5		0.3		0.5		0.6	2T	9.8	

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Surplus Forwards	Exp	UQB	Rk	G	MP	FG%	Rk	3P%	Rk	FT%	Rk	REB	Rk	2022-23 Team UQB Rankings	
Aaron Nesmith		531		73	24.9	0.427		0.366		0.838	29T	3.8		FantasyDrafthelp.com and The FDH Lounge are expanding the UQB concept to team sports. Our rankings are a mashup of the following measures: a strength of schedule metric, offensive rating, defensive rating, EFG, TS%, Asst/TO ratio, 3% and a modified Win Share formula.	
Ausar Thompson		NA		NA	NA	NA		NA		NA		NA			
Bojan Bogdanovic		630	35	59	32.1	0.488	28	0.411	8T	0.884	6	3.8			
Bol Bol		593		70	21.5	0.546	8T	0.265		0.759		5.8	25T		
Brandon Clarke		520		56	19.5	0.656		0.167		0.723		5.5	28T		
Brandon Miller		NA		NA	NA	NA		NA		NA		NA			
Brice Sensabaugh		NA		NA	NA	NA		NA		NA		NA			
Caleb Martin		595		71	29.3	0.464		0.356		0.805		4.8			
Cam Reddish		487		40	24.8	0.446		0.313		0.853	20	2.2			
Cedi Osman		427		77	20.1	0.451		0.372		0.694		2.3			
Chris Duarte		204		46	19.5	0.369		0.316		0.847	23T	2.5		1 Boston	16 Atlanta
Corey Kispert		553		74	28.3	0.497	23	0.424	3	0.852	21	2.8		2 Denver	17 Toronto
De'Andre Hunter		551		67	31.7	0.461		0.35		0.826	34	4.2		3 Philadelphia	18 Minnesota
Deni Avdija		518		76	26.6	0.437		0.297		0.739		6.4	21T	4 Cleveland	19 Oklahoma City
Dillon Brooks		419		73	30.3	0.396		0.326		0.779		3.3		5 Sacramento	20 LA Lakers
Dorian Finney-Smith		416		66	30.4	0.391		0.337		0.763		4.8		6 Milwaukee	21 Washington
Doug McDermott		359		64	20.5	0.457		0.413	7	0.757		2.2		7 Golden State	22 Utah
Georges Niang		453		78	19.4	0.442		0.401	16T	0.867	16	2.4		8 Brooklyn	23 Miami
Harrison Barnes		604		82	32.5	0.473		0.374	35	0.847	23T	4.5		9 Dallas	24 Portland
Jae Crowder		657	29	18	18.9	0.479	34	0.436	1	0.833	31	3.8		10T Phoenix	25 Indiana
Jalen McDaniels		580		80	23.9	0.455		0.332		0.841	28	4.3		10T Memphis	26 Orlando
Jalen Smith		435		68	18.8	0.476	35T	0.283		0.759		5.8	25T	12 New York	27 Charlotte
Jarace Walker		NA		NA	NA	NA		NA		NA		NA		13 New Orleans	28 Detroit
Jeremy Sochan		439		56	26	0.453		0.246		0.698		5.3	33T	14 Chicago	29 San Antonio
Jett Howard		NA		NA	NA	NA		NA		NA		NA		15 LA Clippers	30 Houston
Jonathan Kuminga		524		67	20.8	0.525	12	0.37		0.652		3.4			
Jordan Nwora		457		62	19.2	0.436		0.408	11	0.791		3.7			
Julian Champaanie		527		17	18.8	0.454		0.402	15	0.824	35	3.5			

Surplus Forwards	AST	Rk	STL	Rk	BLK	Rk	TOV	Rk	PTS	Rk	Pullins Law Firm LLC: Pullins Law.com Scott Pullins:	
Aaron Nesmith	1.3		0.8	33T	0.5	31T	1	22T	10.1		"I have spent my career, both as an attorney, and otherwise, in roles where I help people break down and solve complex problems. After a consultation, you will be put on the path toward resolution of your issue. I will either recommend that you retain me to resolve your issue, I will recommend a trusted colleague, or I will offer some other solution, sometimes even free or at a lower cost than a private attorney, in order to assist you."	
Ausar Thompson	NA		NA		NA		NA		NA			
Bojan Bogdanovic	2.6	28T	0.6		0.1		2.3		21.6	14		
Bol Bol	1		0.4		1.2	4	1.6		9.1			
Brandon Clarke	1.3		0.8	33T	0.7	19T	1	22T	10			
Brandon Miller	NA		NA		NA		NA		NA			
Brice Sensabaugh	NA		NA		NA		NA		NA			
Caleb Martin	1.6		1	19T	0.4		1.1	26T	9.6			
Cam Reddish	1.4		1	19T	0.4		1.2	34T	9.7			
Cedi Osman	1.5		0.5		0.1		0.7	8T	8.7			
Chris Duarte	1.4		0.5		0.2		0.9	15T	7.9			
Corey Kispert	1.2		0.4		0.1		0.7	8T	11.1			
De'Andre Hunter	1.4		0.5		0.3		1.2	34T	15.4	31		
Deni Avdija	2.8	25T	0.9	24T	0.4		1.6		9.2			
Dillon Brooks	2.6	28T	0.9	24T	0.2		1.4		14.3			
Dorian Finney-Smith	1.5		0.8	33T	0.5	31T	0.9	15T	8.3			
Doug McDermott	1.4		0.2		0.1		0.9	15T	10.2			
Georges Niang	1		0.4		0.2		0.7	8T	8.2			
Harrison Barnes	1.6		0.7		0.1		1	23T	15	34		
Jae Crowder	1.5		0.7		0.3		0.4	1	6.9			
Jalen McDaniels	1.6		1	19T	0.4		1.2	34T	9.4			
Jalen Smith	1		0.3		0.9	8T	1.1	26T	9.4			
Jarace Walker	NA		NA		NA		NA		NA			
Jeremy Sochan	2.5	30T	0.8	33T	0.4		1.7		11			
Jett Howard	NA		NA		NA		NA		NA			
Jonathan Kuminga	1.9		0.6		0.5	31T	1.4		9.9			
Jordan Nwora	1.4		0.4		0.2		1.1	26T	8.7			
Julian Champagnie	0.6		0.4		0.3		0.6	4T	9.7			

Top 10 For The Next 10

The FDH Top 10 for the Next 10 is a list attempting to identify the best players in the league -- not necessarily in a pure fantasy sense -- over the course of the entire next decade. It's not a pure 25-and-under draft, but it skews heavily in that direction because most big-time stars are past their primes in their late 30s. Players who are both very young and very skilled already have the biggest edges.

- 1 Victor Wembanyama
- 2 Nikola Jokic
- 3 Luka Doncic
- 4 Anthony Edwards
- 5 Shai Gilgeous-Alexander
- 6 Evan Mobley
- 7 Jayson Tatum
- 8 Tyrese Haliburton
- 9 Paolo Banchero
- 10 Cade Cunningham

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Surplus Forwards	Exp	UQB	Rk	G	MP	FG%	Rk	3P%	Rk	FT%	Rk	REB	Rk	2023-24 NBA Power Rankings
Keita Bates-Diop		616		67	21.7	0.508	18	0.394	23	0.793		3.7		TOP TIER
Kenrich Williams		209		53	22.8	0.517	13T	0.373		0.436		4.9		1 Denver
Kenyon Martin Jr.		717	22	82	28	0.569	2	0.315		0.68		5.5	28T	SECOND TIER
Kevin Love		328		62	20	0.389		0.334		0.879	8	6.4	21T	2 Phoenix
Kris Murray		NA		NA	NA	NA		NA		NA		NA		3 Boston
Kyle Anderson		724	19	69	28.4	0.509	16	0.41	10	0.735		5.3	33T	4 Milwaukee
Malaki Branham		423		66	23.5	0.44		0.302		0.829	32	2.7		5 Cleveland
Max Strus		471		80	28.4	0.41		0.35		0.876	9T	3.2		6 Sacramento
Patrick Williams		633	34	82	28.3	0.464		0.415	5	0.857	18	4		7 Miami
Reggie Bullock		455		78	30.3	0.409		0.38	34	0.703		3.6		8 LA Lakers
Robert Covington		515		48	16.2	0.445		0.397	19T	0.75		3.5		9 Golden State
Royce O'Neale		403		76	31.7	0.386		0.389	28T	0.725		5.1		10 New York
Rui Hachimura		480		63	23.3	0.486	30	0.319		0.739		4.5		11 Philadelphia
T.J. Warren		512		42	16.4	0.489	27	0.328		0.8		2.9		12 LA Clippers
Taurean Prince		463		54	22.1	0.467		0.381	32T	0.844	25	2.4		13 Oklahoma City
Taylor Hendricks		NA		NA	NA	NA		NA		NA		NA		14 Dallas
Torrey Craig		543		79	24.7	0.456		0.395	21T	0.711		5.4	32	THIRD TIER
Trendon Watford		650	30	62	19.1	0.56	5	0.391	24T	0.72		3.8		15 Memphis
Troy Brown Jr.		556		76	24.5	0.43		0.381	32T	0.872	13T	4.1		16 Indiana
Surplus Forwards	AST	Rk	STL	Rk	BLK	Rk	TOV	Rk	PTS	Rk	13 Domantas Sabonis (NA)			
Keita Bates-Diop	1.5		0.7		0.3		0.8	11T	9.7		14 Jamal Murray (27)			
Kenrich Williams	2		0.8	33T	0.3		0.6	4T	8		15 Donovan Mitchell (13)			
Kenyon Martin Jr.	1.5		0.5		0.4		1.1	26T	12.7		16 Jalen Brunson (NA)			
Kevin Love	1.9		0.3		0.2		1.1	26T	8.2		17 Jaylen Brown (12)			
Kris Murray	NA		NA		NA		NA		NA		18 De'Aaron Fox (NA)			
Kyle Anderson	4.9	8T	1.1	10T	0.9	8T	1.5		9.4		19 Bam Adebayo (NA)			
Malaki Branham	1.9		0.5		0.1		1.2	34T	10.2		20 Anthony Edwards (15)			
Max Strus	2.1		0.5		0.2		0.9	15T	11.5		THIRD TIER			
Patrick Williams	1.2		0.9	24T	0.9	8T	1.2	34T	10.2		21 Anthony Davis (NA)			
Reggie Bullock	1.4		0.7		0.2		0.5	2T	7.2		22 Tyrese Haliburton (NA)			
Robert Covington	1.2		0.8	33T	0.7	19T	1.8		8		23 Desmond Bane (17)			
Royce O'Neale	3.7	17T	0.9	24T	0.6	24	1.5		8.8		24 Darius Garland (26)			
Rui Hachimura	0.9		0.3		0.4		0.8	11T	11.2		FOURTH TIER			
T.J. Warren	1		0.5		0.3		0.5	2T	7.5		25 Klay Thompson (NA)			
Taurean Prince	1.6		0.5		0.3		1.3		9.1		26 Julius Randle (NA)			
Taylor Hendricks	NA		NA		NA		NA		NA		27 James Harden (NA)			
Torrey Craig	1.5		0.6		0.8	12T	0.9	15T	7.4		28 Lauri Markkanen (NA)			
Trendon Watford	2.1		0.5		0.2		1.1	26T	7.4		29 Evan Mobley (NA)			
Troy Brown Jr.	1.3		0.8	33T	0.2		0.6	4T	7.1		30 Karl-Anthony Towns (19)			

The FDH Lounge Top 30 (Non-Fantasy) Players In The World

NOTE: These are the top 30 players in the NBA at the present time – averaging one per team in the league – by determination of FDH Managing Partner Rick Morris. Their ranking in last year's analysis is in parentheses. Players who were included last year, but not this year, are listed below.

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TOP TIER

- 1 Nikola Jokic (2)
 - 2 Giannis Antetokounmpo (1)
 - 3 Stephen Curry (4)
 - 4 Joel Embiid (3)
- SECOND TIER
- 5 Jimmy Butler (7)

6 Jayson Tatum (6)

- 7 Kevin Durant (9)
- 8 Devin Booker (14)
- 9 Luka Doncic (5)
- 10 LeBron James (11)
- 11 Damian Lillard (23)
- 12 Shai Gilgeous-Alexander

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Alec Burks		590		51	22	0.436		0.414	14	0.814		3.1	
Amen Thompson		NA		NA	NA	NA		NA		NA		NA	
Andrew Nembhard		544		75	27.6	0.441		0.35		0.79		2.7	
Anthony Black		NA		NA	NA	NA		NA		NA		NA	
Bogdan Bogdanovic		616		54	27.9	0.447		0.406	19	0.831		3.1	
Bones Hyland		492		56	19.4	0.399		0.371		0.843		2.4	
Cam Thomas		399		57	16.6	0.441		0.383		0.868	29	1.7	
Cameron Payne		491		48	20.2	0.415		0.368		0.766		2.2	
Caris LeVert		557		74	30.2	0.431		0.392	31	0.722		3.8	
Coby White		578		74	23.4	0.443		0.372		0.871	24T	2.9	
Cole Anthony		596		60	25.9	0.454		0.364		0.894	15T	4.8	21T
Collin Sexton		590		48	23.9	0.506	12T	0.393	30	0.819		2.2	
Damion Lee		459		74	20.4	0.442		0.445	4	0.904	12	3	
D'Angelo Russell		609		71	32.5	0.469	35	0.396	29	0.829		3	
De'Anthony Melton		765	24	77	27.9	0.425		0.39	32	0.793		4.1	
Dennis Schröder		537		66	30.1	0.415		0.329		0.857		2.5	
Dennis Smith Jr.		401		54	25.7	0.412		0.216		0.736		3.1	
Donte DiVincenzo		625		72	26.3	0.435		0.397	27T	0.817		4.5	26T
Duane Washington Jr.		5		31	12.7	0.367		0.36		0.667		1.2	
Edmond Sumner		463		53	13.9	0.461		0.356		0.917	5	1.5	
Eric Gordon		506		69	28.5	0.446		0.371		0.821		1.9	
Gabe Vincent		469		68	25.9	0.402		0.334		0.872	23	2.1	
Gary Harris		618		48	24.7	0.45		0.431	8	0.9	13	2	
Grady Dick		NA		NA	NA	NA		NA		NA		NA	
Grayson Allen		627		72	27.4	0.44		0.399	24	0.905	9T	3.3	
Immanuel Quickley		630		81	28.9	0.448		0.37		0.819		4.2	34T
Isaiah Joe		596		73	19.1	0.441		0.409	17	0.82		2.4	
Jaden Hardy		393		48	14.8	0.438		0.404	21	0.823		1.9	

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Surplus Guards	AST	Rk	STL	Rk	BLK	Rk	TOV	Rk	PTS	Rk
Alec Burks	2.2		0.7		0.2		1.1	25T	12.8	
Amen Thompson	NA		NA		NA		NA		NA	
Andrew Nembhard	4.5		0.9		0.2		1.7		9.5	
Anthony Black	NA		NA		NA		NA		NA	
Bogdan Bogdanovic	2.8		0.8		0.3		1.2	31T	14	
Bones Hyland	3.1		0.7		0.3		1.5		11.8	
Cam Thomas	1.4		0.4		0.1		1.1	25T	10.6	
Cameron Payne	4.5		0.7		0.2		1.7		10.3	
Caris LeVert	3.9		1		0.3		1.6		12.1	
Coby White	2.8		0.7		0.1		1	17T	9.7	
Cole Anthony	3.9		0.6		0.5	10T	1.5		13	
Collin Sexton	2.9		0.6		0.1		1.8		14.3	
Damion Lee	1.3		0.4		0.1		1.1	25T	8.2	
D'Angelo Russell	6.2	19T	1		0.4	23T	2.6		17.8	
De'Anthony Melton	2.6		1.6	2T	0.5	10T	1.3		10.1	
Dennis Schröder	4.5		0.8		0.2		1.7		12.6	
Dennis Smith Jr.	4.8		1.4	14T	0.5	10T	1.5		8.8	
Donte DiVincenzo	3.5		1.3	20T	0.1		1.6		9.4	
Duane Washington Jr.	2		0.2		0.1		1.1	25T	7.9	
Edmond Sumner	1.3		0.6		0.2		0.9	12T	7.1	
Eric Gordon	2.7		0.6		0.4	23T	1.5		12.4	
Gabe Vincent	2.5		0.9		0.1		1.4		9.4	
Gary Harris	1.2		0.9		0.3		0.6	3T	8.3	
Grady Dick	NA		NA		NA		NA		NA	
Grayson Allen	2.3		0.9		0.2		1	17T	10.4	
Immanuel Quickley	3.4		1		0.2		1.2	31T	14.9	
Isaiah Joe	1.2		0.7		0.1		0.5	1T	9.5	
Jaden Hardy	1.4		0.4		0.1		1	17T	8.8	

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Surplus Guards	Exp	UQB	Rk	G	MP	FG%	Rk	3P%	Rk	FT%	Rk	REB	Rk	2022-23 FDH NBA All-Stars By Division	
Jaden Ivey		404		74	31.1	0.416		0.343		0.747		3.9			
Jalen Green		567		76	34.2	0.416		0.338		0.786		3.7			
Jalen Suggs		545		53	23.5	0.419		0.327		0.723		3		Atlantic Division	
Jevon Carter		552		81	22.3	0.423		0.421	12	0.816		2.5	PG	Jalen Brunson	
Joe Harris		401		74	20.6	0.457		0.426	10	0.643		2.2	PG	James Harden	
John Wall		404		34	22.2	0.408		0.303		0.681		2.7	SG	Tyrese Maxey	
Jordan Clarkson		445		61	32.6	0.444		0.338		0.816		4	SG	Gary Trent Jr	
Jordan Hawkins		NA		NA	NA	NA		NA		NA		NA	SF	Jayson Tatum	
Jose Alvarado		514		61	21.5	0.411		0.336		0.813		2.3	SF	Jaylen Brown	
Josh Green		652		60	25.7	0.537	3T	0.402	22T	0.723		3	PF	Julius Randle	
Josh Okogie		409		72	18.8	0.391		0.335		0.724		3.5	PF	Pascal Siakam	
Josh Richardson		573		65	23.5	0.431		0.365		0.852		2.7	C	Joel Embiid	
Joshua Primo		0		4	23.3	0.346		0.25		0.778		3.3	C	Mitchell Robinson	
Kendrick Nunn		340		70	13.8	0.424		0.354		0.854		1.6		Central Division	
Kevin Huerter		627		75	29.4	0.485	22T	0.402	22T	0.725		3.3	PG	Jrue Holiday	
Killian Hayes		491		76	28.3	0.377		0.28		0.821		2.9	PG	Darius Garland	
Kobe Bufkin		NA		NA	NA	NA		NA		NA		NA	SG	Donovan Mitchell	
Kris Dunn		897	12	22	25.8	0.537	3T	0.472	2	0.774		4.5	SG	Bennedict Mathurin	
Kyle Lowry		546		55	31.2	0.404		0.345		0.859	35T	4.1	SF	DeMar DeRozan	
Landry Shamet		418		40	20.2	0.377		0.377		0.882	20	1.7	SF	Buddy Hield	
Lonnie Walker IV		489		56	23.2	0.448		0.365		0.858		1.9	PF	Giannis Antetokounmpo	
Luguentz Dort		497		74	30.7	0.388		0.33		0.772		4.6	PF	Evan Mobley	
Mac McClung		61		2	20.5	0.45		0.364		0.6		5	18T	C	Brook Lopez
Malik Beasley		486		81	25.8	0.395		0.357		0.769		3.5		C	Myles Turner
Malik Monk		556		77	22.3	0.448		0.359		0.889	17	2.6			Southeast Division
Markelle Fultz		805	19	60	29.6	0.514	9	0.31		0.783		3.9	PG	Trae Young	
Mike Conley		641		67	30.3	0.428		0.385		0.834		2.7	PG	Kyle Lowry	
Monte Morris		633		62	27.3	0.48	29	0.382		0.831		3.4	SG	Bradley Beal	
													SG	Tyler Herro	
Surplus Guards	AST	Rk	STL	Rk	BLK	Rk	TOV	Rk	PTS	Rk	COMMTROL The ONLY firm that represents clients and not a particular vendor, product or technology in the internet, voice and communications industries! Commtrol.com		SF	Jimmy Butler	
Jaden Ivey	5.2		0.8		0.2		3.2		16.3			SF	Franz Wagner		
Jalen Green	3.7		0.8		0.2		2.6		22.1	17		PF	Paolo Banchero		
Jalen Suggs	2.9		1.3	20T	0.5	10T	1.8		9.9			PF	Kyle Kuzma		
Jevon Carter	2.4		0.8		0.4	23T	1	17T	8			C	Bam Adebayo		
Joe Harris	1.4		0.5		0.2		0.6	3T	7.6			C	Kristaps Porzingis		
John Wall	5.2		0.8		0.4	23T	2.4		11.4						Northwest Division
Jordan Clarkson	4.4		0.5		0.2		3		20.8	25				PG	Damian Lillard
Jordan Hawkins	NA		NA		NA		NA		NA					PG	Shai Gilgeous-Alexander
Jose Alvarado	3		1.1	30T	0.2		1.3		9					SG	Anthony Edwards
Josh Green	1.7		0.7		0.1		1.2	31T	9.1				SG	Jalen Williams	
Josh Okogie	1.5		0.8		0.5	10T	0.9	12T	7.3				SF	Michael Porter Jr	
Josh Richardson	2.7		1.1	30T	0.3		1.3		10.1				SF	Luguentz Dort	
Joshua Primo	4.5		0.3		0.5	10T	2.8		7				PF	Lauri Markkanen	
Kendrick Nunn	1.3		0.4		0.1		0.9	12T	7.1				PF	Karl-Anthony Towns	
Kevin Huerter	2.9		1.1	30T	0.3		1.3		15.2				C	Nikola Jokic	
Killian Hayes	6.2	19T	1.4	14T	0.4	23T	2.3		10.3				C	Walker Kessler	
Kobe Bufkin	NA		NA		NA		NA		NA						Pacific Division
Kris Dunn	5.6	31	1.1	30T	0.5	10T	1.6		13.2						
Kyle Lowry	5.1		1		0.4	23T	1.9		11.2		PG	Luka Doncic	PG	Stephen Curry	
Landry Shamet	2.3		0.7		0.1		0.9	12T	8.7		PG	Ja Morant	PG	De'Aaron Fox	
Lonnie Walker IV	1.1		0.5		0.3		0.8	7T	11.7		SG	CJ McCollum	SG	Devin Booker	
Luguentz Dort	2.1		1		0.3		1.2	31T	13.7		SG	Devin Vassell	SG	Kevin Huerter	
Mac McClung	4.5		0		0		1.5		12.5		SF	Brandon Ingram	SF	Kawhi Leonard	
Malik Beasley	1.5		0.8		0.1		1.1	25T	12.7		SF	Desmond Bane	SF	Paul George	
Malik Monk	3.9		0.6		0.3		1.9		13.5		PF	Brandon Clarke	PF	LeBron James	
Markelle Fultz	5.7	28T	1.5	7T	0.4	23T	2.3		14		PF	Jeremy Sochan	PF	Draymond Green	
Mike Conley	6.7	14	1.1	30T	0.2		1.5		11.9		C	Jaren Jackson Jr	C	Domantas Sabonis	
Monte Morris	5.3		0.7		0.2		1	17T	10.3		C	Christian Wood	C	Anthony Davis	

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Southwest Division

PG Luka Doncic
PG Ja Morant
SG CJ McCollum
SG Devin Vassell
SF Brandon Ingram
SF Desmond Bane
PF Brandon Clarke
PF Jeremy Sochan
C Jaren Jackson Jr
C Christian Wood

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ATLANTIC DIVISION

X-Boston 58-24
Y-New York 50-32
Y-Philadelphia 46-36
y-Brooklyn 38-44
Toronto 28-54

CENTRAL DIVISION

X-Milwaukee 56-26
Y-Cleveland 55-27
y-Indiana 41-41
Chicago 31-51
Detroit 25-57

SOUTHEAST DIVISION

X-Miami 51-31
y-Orlando 39-43
y-Atlanta 37-45
Charlotte 23-59
Washington 20-62

WESTERN CONFERENCE

NORTHWEST DIVISION

X-Denver 59-23
Y-Oklahoma City 46-36
y-Minnesota 38-44
Utah 36-46
Portland 35-47

PACIFIC DIVISION

X-Phoenix 57-25
Y-Sacramento 53-29
Y-LA Lakers 45-37
Y-Golden State 44-38
y-LA Clippers 43-39

SOUTHWEST DIVISION

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y-Memphis 40-42
New Orleans 37-45
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Indiana over Orlando
Brooklyn over Atlanta
Orlando over Brooklyn
Dallas over LA Clippers
Memphis over Minnesota

CONFERENCE QUARTERFINALS

1 Boston over 8 Orlando in 4
2 Milwaukee over 7 Indiana in 6
3 Cleveland over 6 Philadelphia in 6
4 Miami over 5 New York in 7
1 Denver over 8 Memphis in 6
2 Phoenix over 7 Dallas in 6
3 Sacramento over 6 Golden State in 7
4 LA Lakers over 5 Oklahoma City in 7

CONFERENCE SEMIFINALS

1 Boston over 4 Miami in 7
2 Milwaukee over 3 Cleveland in 7
1 Denver over 4 LA Lakers in 5
2 Phoenix over 3 Sacramento in 6

CONFERENCE FINALS

1 Boston over 2 Milwaukee in 6
1 Denver over 2 Phoenix in 6
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Surplus Guards	Exp	UQB	Rk	G	MP	FG%	Rk	3P%	Rk	FT%	Rk	REB	Rk
Nick Smith		NA		NA	NA	NA		NA		NA		NA	
Norman Powell		573		60	26.1	0.479	30T	0.397	27T	0.812		2.9	
Ochai Agbaji		350		59	20.5	0.427		0.355		0.812		2.1	
Pat Connaughton		387		61	23.7	0.392		0.339		0.659		4.6	23T
Quentin Grimes		586		71	29.9	0.468		0.386		0.796		3.2	
Reggie Jackson		499		68	24.4	0.411		0.333		0.91	8	2.1	
RJ Barrett		437		73	33.9	0.434		0.31		0.74		5	18T
Russell Westbrook		392		73	29.1	0.436		0.311		0.656		5.8	11T
Seth Curry		550		61	19.9	0.463		0.405	20	0.927	3	1.6	
Shaedon Sharpe		436		80	22.2	0.472	34	0.36		0.714		3	
Shake Milton		406		76	20.6	0.479	30T	0.378		0.853		2.5	
Skylar Mays		906	10	6	31.5	0.5	14	0.462	3	0.923	4	3.2	
T.J. McConnell		808	18	75	20.3	0.543	2	0.441	6	0.853		3.1	
Terance Mann		602		81	23.1	0.519	8	0.389	33T	0.78		3.4	
Terrence Ross		510		63	21.1	0.43		0.368		0.794		2.4	
Tim Hardaway Jr.		553		71	30.3	0.401		0.385		0.77		3.5	
Tre Jones		647		68	29.2	0.459		0.285		0.86	34	3.6	
Tyus Jones		626		80	24.3	0.438		0.371		0.8		2.5	
Victor Oladipo		566		42	26.3	0.397		0.33		0.747		3	

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Surplus Guards	AST	Rk	STL	Rk	BLK	Rk	TOV	Rk	PTS	Rk
Nick Smith	NA		NA		NA		NA		NA	
Norman Powell	1.8		0.8		0.3		1.7		17	
Ochai Agbaji	1.1		0.3		0.3		0.7	5T	7.9	
Pat Connaughton	1.3		0.6		0.2		0.5	1T	7.6	
Quentin Grimes	2.1		0.7		0.4	23T	1	17T	11.3	
Reggie Jackson	3.4		0.7		0.1		1.7		10.2	
RJ Barrett	2.8		0.4		0.2		2.2		19.6	33
Russell Westbrook	7.5	10	1		0.5	10T	3.5		15.9	
Seth Curry	1.6		0.6		0.1		0.8	7T	9.2	
Shaedon Sharpe	1.2		0.5		0.3		1	17T	9.9	
Shake Milton	3.2		0.3		0.2		1.2	31T	8.4	
Skylar Mays	8.3	6	1		0.2		1.7		15.3	
T.J. McConnell	5.3		1.1	30T	0.1		1.9		8.7	
Terance Mann	2.3		0.5		0.3		1	17T	8.8	
Terrence Ross	1.5		0.6		0.2		0.7	5T	8.3	
Tim Hardaway Jr.	1.8		0.7		0.2		0.8	7T	14.4	
Tre Jones	6.6	15	1.3	20T	0.1		1.6		12.9	
Tyus Jones	5.2		1		0.1		0.9	12T	10.3	
Victor Oladipo	3.5		1.4	14T	0.3		2.1		10.7	

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