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PACKERS HOST FALCONS IN CONFERENCE BATTLE

Green Bay looks to end its first two-game losing skid since 2006 when it welcomes NFC South foe Atlanta to Lambeau Field Sunday.

- ▶ Last weekend, the Packers fell to the Bucs in Tampa Bay, 30-21, and return to Green Bay with plenty to work on. At 2-2, they stand tied atop the NFC North with the Chicago Bears.
- ▶ Winners of 10 of its last 12 regular-season home games, Green Bay hosts a Falcons club that has won just one of its last 11 road games.
- ▶ Sunday will be the 272nd consecutive sellout (256 regular season, 16 playoffs) at Lambeau Field, the league's longest-tenured stadium.
- ▶ The all-time series between the two clubs stands nearly even. The Packers hold a slight edge at 12-10-0, and the teams have split the last four contests.
- ▶ Atlanta makes its first appearance at Lambeau Field since the 2002 Wild Card Playoffs, when Atlanta became the first NFL opponent to win a postseason game at Lambeau Field.
- ▶ Previously undefeated at Lambeau Field in playoff games (13-0) and during the '02 home schedule (8-0), the Packers fell behind early and never recovered.
- ▶ The Falcons had visited Lambeau Field early that season – their last regular-season visit – with the Packers prevailing 37-34 in overtime.
- ▶ Both teams have overturned their rosters since then, as each has few players remaining (Atlanta - 4, Green Bay - 5) from the '02 teams.
- ▶ Fresh off a 24-9 defeat at Carolina, Atlanta comes into the game 2-2.



RODGERS REHABBING, INTENDS TO PLAY

A scan has revealed there's no major structural damage to quarterback **Aaron Rodgers'** right shoulder, and Head Coach **Mike McCarthy** said his quarterback has every intention of playing this week against Atlanta.

- ▶ It is believed Rodgers suffered the injury on a third-quarter scramble while diving for a first down. He returned on the next series to throw a 48-yard touchdown pass to **Greg Jennings** but came off the field in obvious pain. After sitting one series, he returned for another before exiting the game for good.
- ▶ In his Monday afternoon press conference, McCarthy laid out the practice plan for Rodgers in preparation for Atlanta.
- ▶ "They're going to obviously rehab him today and tomorrow and we'll probably have a better idea Wednesday," McCarthy said. "Speaking with Aaron this morning, he has every intention on playing, but I think Wednesday's practice will be a pretty good indicator for us. It's just something we'll have to continue to rehab and see where we are Wednesday."
- ▶ Should Rodgers' shoulder prevent him from starting, rookie quarterback **Matt Flynn** would get the nod. Flynn, a seventh-round selection, led LSU to the BCS National Championship last fall. McCarthy indicated both will be given the necessary reps this week to prepare for Sunday.
- ▶ Don Majkowski was the last Packers rookie to start a game under center. He started five in 1987, compiling a 2-2-1 record as a starter.

WITH THE CALL

FOX Sports enters its 15th season as an NFL network television partner and will air the contest to a regional audience.

- ▶ Play-by-play man **Ron Pitts** joins color commentator **Tony Boselli** in the broadcast booth with **Charissa Thompson** serving as the sideline reporter.
- ▶ Milwaukee's WTMJ (620 AM), airing Green Bay games since 1929, heads up the 56-station Packers Radio Network, with **Wayne Larrivee** (play-by-play) and two-time Packers Pro Bowler **Larry McCarren** (color) calling the action. The duo are in their 10th season of broadcasts together across the Packers Radio Network, which covers 47 markets in six states. Fans should note that if the Milwaukee Brewers play Sunday, the Packers broadcast may be switched to WKTI (94.5 FM).
- ▶ For out-of-town listeners, the broadcast is available to NFL Field Pass subscribers on www.packers.com as well as on Sirius Satellite Radio (channel 127 WTMJ feed) as part of the network's NFL Sunday Drive.
- ▶ DIRECTV subscribers can watch the game in HD on channel 709.

PRESEASON

Date	Opponent	Time	TV
Mon., Aug. 11	CINCINNATI BENGALS	L, 17-20	(69,675)
Sat., Aug. 16	at San Francisco 49ers	L, 6-34	(67,230)
Fri., Aug. 22	at Denver Broncos	.W, 27-24	(74,213)
Thurs., Aug. 28	TENNESSEE TITANS (Gold Pkg.)	L, 21-23	(69,744)

REGULAR SEASON

Date	Opponent	Time	TV
Mon., Sept. 8	MINNESOTA VIKINGS	.W, 24-19	(71,004)
Sun., Sept. 14	at Detroit Lions	.W, 48-25	(60,285)
Sun., Sept. 21	DALLAS COWBOYS (Gold Pkg.)	L, 16-27	(71,113)
Sun., Sept. 28	at Tampa Bay Buccaneers	L, 21-30	(64,122)
Sun., Oct. 5	ATLANTA FALCONS	12 noon	FOX
Sun., Oct. 12	at Seattle Seahawks	3:15 p.m.	FOX
Sun., Oct. 19	INDIANAPOLIS COLTS	3:15 p.m.	CBS
Sun., Oct. 26	Open Date		
Sun., Nov. 2	at Tennessee Titans	12 noon	FOX
Sun., Nov. 9	at Minnesota Vikings	12 noon	FOX
Sun., Nov. 16	CHICAGO BEARS (Gold Pkg.)	*12 noon	FOX
Mon., Nov. 24	at New Orleans Saints	7:30 p.m.	ESPN
Sun., Nov. 30	CAROLINA PANTHERS	*12 noon	FOX
Sun., Dec. 7	HOUSTON TEXANS	*12 noon	CBS
Sun., Dec. 14	at Jacksonville Jaguars	*12 noon	FOX
Mon., Dec. 22	at Chicago Bears	7:30 p.m.	ESPN
Sun., Dec. 28	DETROIT LIONS	*12 noon	FOX

*—Start time and broadcast may shift due to NFL flexible scheduling

NFL POSTSEASON DATES

Jan. 3-4	AFC and NFC Wild Card Playoffs
Jan. 10-11	AFC and NFC Divisional Playoffs
Jan. 18	AFC and NFC Championship Games
Feb. 1	Super Bowl XLIII at Raymond James Stadium, Tampa
Feb. 8	AFC-NFC Pro Bowl at Aloha Stadium, Honolulu





PACKERS TEAM NOTES

WHAT 2-2 MEANS IN THE LONG RUN

It's no secret that early success dramatically increases a team's chances to make the postseason.

- ▶ After winning their first two games, the Packers have dropped two in a row to end the first quarter of the season at 2-2.
- ▶ The Packers traditionally have done well in the first month of the season. Over the past 11 seasons (1998-2008), Green Bay's opening-month record stands at 24-15 (.615), fourth best in the NFL over that time.
- ▶ During that period, only Indianapolis (25-11, .694), Denver (26-13, .667) and Seattle (24-13, .648) have a better record in the opening month of the season.
- ▶ Perhaps most importantly about the 2-2 start is the fact that both wins have come against NFC North clubs.
- ▶ One only needs to look to 2007 to see what impact a fast start can and can't have. Of the four teams to reach the conference championship, only Green Bay and New England stood at 4-0.
- ▶ The eventual Super Bowl champion New York Giants were 2-2, while San Diego was just 1-3.
- ▶ A look at NFL teams' records through the first quarter of the year and the rate at which each got to the playoffs, compiled from 1990-2007:

Record through 4 games	% of teams in playoffs
0-4	1.7%
1-3	15.6%
2-2	34.0%
3-1	66.2%
4-0	84.9%



NOTE OF THE WEEK

The Packers got another return touchdown this past Sunday, a 62-yard interception return from **Charles Woodson**.

- ▶ The Packers lead the NFL with four touchdowns scored on returns this season, three on interception returns and one on a punt return.

THE LAMBEAU ADVANTAGE

The crown jewel of the National Football League, Lambeau Field has long been known as one of the tougher venues to play in, particularly during the harsh Wisconsin winter.

- ▶ McCarthy stated consistently that one of the team's goals was to reclaim the mystique of playing at Lambeau Field. Mission accomplished.
- ▶ The team finished 7-1 at home last season, a marked improvement over the prior three seasons (10-14 combined).
- ▶ Despite the loss to Dallas in Week 3, Green Bay has won 10 of its last 12 regular-season home games.
- ▶ Since **Ron Wolf** and **Mike Holmgren** began the revitalization of the franchise in 1992, no NFL team has enjoyed more consistent success at home. A look at the top home W-L records since the '92 season:

Team	W-L record	Pct.
Green Bay	98-32-0	.754
Denver	97-33-0	.746
Pittsburgh	94-35-1	.727
Kansas City	93-37-0	.715
Minnesota	87-43-0	.669

BACK-TO-BACK STREAK SNAPPED

Part of the Packers' recent success has been their ability to rebound after a loss. With the loss Sunday at Tampa, the Packers lost a second consecutive game for the first time in nearly 22 months.

- ▶ The team last sustained back-to-back losses in 2006, when it lost three straight contests (Weeks 11-13).
- ▶ That's a stretch of 23 games without consecutive losses. Over that period, the Packers were 19-4, second best in the NFL to New England (21-2).
- ▶ The 23-game run without consecutive losses was the league's second longest active streak, also to New England. Their 26-game streak is on the line this Sunday at San Francisco.

AGAINST ROOKIE SIGNAL CALLERS

Matt Ryan, the No. 3 overall pick in the 2008 NFL Draft, will become the third rookie quarterback to start against the Packers in the McCarthy era.

- ▶ Ryan, who naturally has been up and down in his first four games, has performed much better at home (2-0) than on the road (0-2) thus far. A look at the numbers:

	Att.	Cmp.	Yds.	Pct.	TD	Int	QB Rtg
Georgia Dome	31	21	353	67.7	2	0	127.5
Away from Home	74	34	316	45.9	0	2	46.9

- ▶ Defensive coordinator **Bob Sanders** will be in charge of formulating a gameplan to stop Ryan and the Falcons this Sunday. Twice before with the Packers, he has been assigned with stopping a rookie quarterback.
- ▶ Against Matt Leinart and the Arizona Cardinals in Oct. 2006, the defense surrendered 218 total net yards (132 passing) and totaled four sacks and an interception.
- ▶ Later that season against Minnesota and Tarvaris Jackson, the Packers defense allowed just three first downs and 104 total net yards while racking up three sacks.
- ▶ A look at how rookie QBs have fared against Green Bay over the last two seasons under McCarthy and Sanders:

	Att.	Cmp.	Yds.	Pct.	TD	Int	QB Rtg
Matt Leinart	35	14	157	40.0	1	1	51.7
Tarvaris Jackson	20	10	50	50.0	0	1	35.4

ANOTHER STREAK SNAPPED

Aaron Rodgers' first interception of the season came in the second quarter last Sunday, ending a streak of 157 consecutive pass attempts without an interception, the third-longest in team history.

- ▶ That total ranks as the third-longest in team history. The two longest were by Bart Starr (294 pass attempts) and Brett Favre (163).
- ▶ Previously, Rodgers' lone interception of his career came in Baltimore in 2005.

STOPPING THE RUN A MUST

Green Bay's defense has struggled against the run this year, allowing three 100-yard rushers in its first four games.

- ▶ Sunday it faces the league's top-ranked run offense in Atlanta, which comes in averaging over 180 yards on the ground per game.
- ▶ Free agent acquisition Michael Turner got things going in Week 1, rushing for a franchise-record 220 yards (on 22 carries) as the team rushed for over 300 yards against Detroit.
- ▶ Turner leads all NFL backs with 422 rushing yards and is tied for the lead with five rushing scores. Backup Jerious Norwood has 237 rushing yards, good for 19th in the NFL and 11 spots higher than the first Packers player (Grant, 30th, 186 yards).



THE DOPE ON THIS WEEK'S OPPONENT:

Packers vs. Atlanta Falcons:

All-time regular season:
12-10-0

All-time, postseason: 1-1

All-time, at Lambeau Field: 5-3

Streaks: The two teams have split the last four meetings.

Last meeting, regular season:

Nov. 13, 2005, at Georgia Dome; Packers won, 33-25

Last meeting, at Lambeau Field:

Jan. 4, 2003 (2002 NFC Wild Card playoff); Falcons won, 27-7

Last meeting, regular season, at Lambeau Field:

Sept. 8, 2002; Packers won, 37-34 OT



COACHES CAPSULES

Mike McCarthy: 24-14-0, .632, (incl. 1-1 postseason); 3rd NFL season

Mike Smith: 2-2-0, .500; 1st NFL season

Head to Head: Never met

vs. Opponent: McCarthy 0-0 vs. Falcons; Smith 0-0 vs. Packers

MIKE McCARTHY...Is in third year as the Packers' 14th head coach.

- ▶ Was named Packers head coach on Jan. 12, 2006, his first head coaching job after 13 years as an NFL assistant.
- ▶ Honored as the 2007 Motorola NFL Coach of the Year and NFL Alumni Coach of the Year.
- ▶ Became the first Packers coach since Vince Lombardi to lead the team to a championship game in his second season.
- ▶ Tied franchise record for most victories by a coach in his first two seasons (21).

MIKE SMITH...Is in first year as the Falcons' 14th head coach.

- ▶ From 2003-07, served as the defensive coordinator for the Jacksonville Jaguars and led a unit that ranked fourth in overall defense, third in points allowed and fifth in rushing defense from 2003-06 before a dip to 12th in the rankings last year.
- ▶ Prior to joining the Jaguars, spent four seasons with the Baltimore Ravens and was defensive assistant/defensive line coach from 1999-2001, including the team's 2000 Super Bowl season. Was the team's linebackers coach in 2002.
- ▶ Before joining the NFL ranks, coached at San Diego State (1982-85), Morehead State (1986) and Tennessee Tech (1987-98).
- ▶ Played linebacker at East Tennessee (1977-81) and for Winnipeg of the CFL (1982).

THE PACKERS-FALCONS SERIES

For a series that began with the Packers cruising to a 56-3 victory over the then-expansion Falcons in their first meeting in 1966, it has evolved into a closely contested rivalry. The Packers hold a modest 13-11 advantage, including postseason.

- ▶ Over the last decade-plus, Atlanta-Green Bay clashes have proven memorable. In 1994, the Packers defeated Atlanta in the final NFL game in Milwaukee (Dec. 18). Brett Favre's lunging, 9-yard TD scramble on the game's final play sealed the 21-17 victory.
- ▶ A scant year later, the Packers and Falcons crossed paths in the postseason for the first time - on Dec. 31, 1995, in Lambeau Field. With Edgar Bennett rushing for 108 yards, the NFC Central Division champion Packers pulled out a 37-20 victory with the aid of a 76-yard scoring punt return by rookie Antonio Freeman.
- ▶ In the 2002 regular season opener (Sept. 8), Favre and Michael Vick fought into overtime. Favre guided the Packers to four TDs and three

field goals in a 37-34 sudden-death victory. The Falcons, however, delivered a reverberating, 27-7 win in the 2002 playoffs, Green Bay's first playoff loss in franchise history at Lambeau Field.

NOTABLE CONNECTIONS

Atlanta DT Grady Jackson played previously for the Packers (2003-05)... Falcons assistant head coach/secondary Emmitt Thomas was Green Bay's defensive coordinator in 1999, the same year McCarthy was quarterbacks coach...Atlanta QB Matt Ryan and Green Bay CB Will Blackmon were teammates at Boston College. As a senior in 2006, Blackmon switched to WR and was Ryan's main target, leading the team in catches and receiving yards...Four Falcons -- WR Michael Jenkins, C Alex Stepanovich, TE Ben Hartsock and DE Simon Fraser -- were all teammates on Ohio State's national championship team in 2002 with Green Bay LB A.J. Hawk...Atlanta DT Jason Jefferson and LS Mike Schneck both played collegiately at Wisconsin. Schneck is a Whitefish Bay, Wis., native... Green Bay FB John Kuhn and Atlanta CB Brent Grimes both played in college at Shippensburg and are the second and third players, respectively, following retired Green Bay LS Rob Davis, to come to the NFL from that school...Green Bay backup QB Matt Flynn and Atlanta CB Chevis Jackson, both rookies, were college teammates on LSU's national title team last year. Flynn was a seventh-round draft choice this past year by the Packers, while Jackson was a third-round selection by the Falcons... Packers OL Jason Spitz and Breno Giacomini and Falcons WR Harry Douglas and S Antoine Harris were all college teammates at Louisville.

INDIVIDUALLY VS. FALCONS

Donald Driver has 17 catches for 192 yards in two career games against the Falcons...In his only career game against Atlanta, Nick Barnett posted a sack and two fumble recoveries.

LAST MEETING, REGULAR SEASON

Nov. 13, 2005, at Georgia Dome; Packers won, 33-25.

- ▶ Green Bay got its second win of the season behind 103 rushing yards and three touchdowns (one receiving) from Samkon Gado, who was making his first career start on his 23rd birthday.
- ▶ The Packers sacked Atlanta QB Michael Vick three times, one each by Nick Barnett, Aaron Kampman and Al Harris. Barnett's recovery of a Roddy White fumble and subsequent return to the Atlanta 2-yard line set up Gado's third TD of the day and a 33-17 Green Bay lead late in the fourth quarter.
- ▶ Donald Driver had 10 receptions for 114 yards, and Ryan Longwell booted four field goals, the last two from 53 and 51 yards.

LAST MEETING, AT LAMBEAU FIELD

Jan. 3, 2003 (2002 NFC Wild Card playoff); Falcons won, 27-7.

- ▶ Atlanta and Vick swept to a 24-0 halftime lead en route to a 27-7 victory against a Packers team minus Pro Bowl running back Ahman Green and starting wide receivers Driver and Terry Glenn, sidelined by injuries.
- ▶ Vick personally accounted for 191 yards of Atlanta offense, completing 13 of 25 passes for 117 yards and adding 64 rushing yards in 10 attempts. It was the first home playoff loss ever for the Packers, who were the NFL's only 8-0 home team in 2002 and had tied for the league's best record (12-4).



PACKERS TEAM NOTES

INJURIES BEGINNING TO MOUNT

A number of key contributors were held out of action in Tampa, and a number of others sustained injuries against the Bucs that could put their status for Sunday in jeopardy.

- ▶ Besides Rodgers, also injured in the game were CB **Will Blackmon** (thigh), tackle **Chad Clifton** (hamstring), safety **Nick Collins** (back), defensive end **Jason Hunter** (hamstring), linebacker **A.J. Hawk** (groin), defensive end **Cullen Jenkins** (pectoral) and safety **Aaron Rouse** (knee).
- ▶ Those who were held out in Tampa included safety **Atari Bigby** (hamstring), running back **Kregg Lumpkin** (hamstring), cornerback **Al Harris** (spleen), fullback **Korey Hall** (knee) and wide receiver **James Jones** (knee).
- ▶ The lone player Head Coach **Mike McCarthy** has ruled out is Harris, who will be out for the coming weeks as doctors monitor how quickly he heals. The team will take a wait-and-see approach with the rest of the injured players.
- ▶ For the others, Wednesday will prove to be a big day as the severity of the injuries will be indicated by who practices and how much they do.

YOUNG QUARTERBACKS SQUARE OFF

Packers quarterback **Aaron Rodgers** has been a mainstay in the headlines this offseason as he became the first quarterback not named Favre to start under center for Green Bay in nearly 16 years.

- ▶ Don Majkowski started for the Packers against the Bengals on Sept. 20, 1992, and 253 games later, Rodgers got the nod.
- ▶ While Rodgers is in his first year as a starter, it's not as if he's new to the NFL. Rodgers is now in his fourth year in the NFL – his third in Mike McCarthy's West Coast offense – and is already among the most tenured players in the locker room. Of the 53-man roster, only 10 have been in Green Bay longer than Rodgers.
- ▶ Even with his seniority on the league's youngest club, Rodgers is still young among starting NFL quarterbacks.
- ▶ This week, he'll face the conference's youngest quarterback in Boston College product Matt Ryan.
- ▶ Among Week 1 starters in the NFC, only Ryan was younger than Rodgers.
- ▶ If Rodgers can't go this weekend due to a shoulder injury, Green Bay will have the youngest starting QB in the conference. Rookie **Matt Flynn** turned 23 on June 20, almost one month after Ryan turned 23.
- ▶ A look at the youngest quarterbacks to start a game in the NFC:

Player	Team	Age
Matt Ryan	Atlanta	23 (5/17/85)
Aaron Rodgers	Green Bay	24 (12/2/83)
Tarvaris Jackson	Minnesota	25 (4/21/83)
Kyle Orton	Chicago	25 (11/14/82)
Jason Campbell	Washington	26 (12/31/81)

FIGHTING FOR FIELD POSITION

McCarthy has pointed to the battle of field position as a main indicator of the team's success. Green Bay won the battle in its first two games but has lost its last two.

- ▶ Its punt return unit has helped the offense thus far. Return man Will Blackmon has averaged 12.8 yards per punt return, good for fifth in the NFL. Also, it is holding opponents to 6.6 yards per punt return, sixth best in the league.
- ▶ One area the team must improve is its kick return average. Between Blackmon and rookie Jordy Nelson, the team is averaging 19.4 yards per kick return – 28th among NFL clubs.

UPON A CLOSER LOOK AT THE STATS

Some of the good, bad and strange statistics through four games:

- ▶ Only one other defense in the NFL is picking off passes at a higher rate than the Packers. Green Bay has eight interceptions in 141 attempts (5.7%), while Tampa Bay has eight interceptions in 131 attempts (6.1%).
- ▶ Green Bay's red-zone offense still ranks third in the conference, and seventh in the league, converting touchdowns on 60% (6-of-10) of its opportunities.
- ▶ The Packers' third-down offense has been solid thus far, thanks in large part to **Aaron Rodgers**. His 113.7 quarterback rating on third down (22-of-38 for 317 yards) ranks third among all NFL passers.
- ▶ Each of Rodgers' six TD passes have come on third down. Five different receivers have caught a score thus far.
- ▶ **Mason Crosby's** six touchbacks rank tied for fourth in the league.
- ▶ One week after ranking first in the NFL, Green Bay's red-zone defense dropped to sixth. It has allowed touchdowns on four of 15 opportunities (26.7%).
- ▶ Sunday will feature plenty of playmakers. **Greg Jennings** (482 receiving yards), Michael Turner (422 rushing yards) and John Abraham (six sacks) all lead the league in their respective categories.
- ▶ The Packers are surrendering 5.2 yards per rush. That ranks 29th.
- ▶ Green Bay's offense has 59 first downs on the year. Only St. Louis (51) has fewer among NFC teams. It's 20 first downs via the rush is the third lowest in the conference, ahead of Detroit (16) and St. Louis (19).
- ▶ The defense is allowing an average gain of 6.13 yards on first down, which ranks 31st. Only Detroit (8.82) is allowing more.

IN THE LEAGUE RANKINGS, 2008



GREEN BAY (Team)			ATLANTA (Team)		
Category	NFC	NFL	Category	NFC	NFL
Turnover Margin (+3)	2T	4T	Turnover Margin (+2)	4	7T
Total Offense (319.8)	12	15	Total Offense (338.5)	8	10
Rushing (93.5)	11	23	Rushing (181.8)	1	1
Passing (226.3)	7	10	Passing (156.8)	16	26
Total Defense (361.5)	13	26	Total Defense (332.3)	11	20
vs. Rush (157.8)	14	26	vs. Rush (131.2)	13	23
vs. Pass (203.8)	5	15	vs. Pass (201.0)	4	13
Third-Down Offense (39.6%)	6T	13T	Third-Down Offense (33.3%)	13	25
Third-Down Defense (37.5%)	12	17	Third-Down Defense (35.8%)	7T	11T
Red-Zone Offense (60.0%)	3	7	Red-Zone Offense (38.5%)	14	26
Red-Zone Defense (26.7%)	3	6	Red-Zone Defense (58.3%)	11	21

GREEN BAY (Individual)			ATLANTA (Individual)		
Category	NFC	NFL	Category	NFC	NFL
Rushing: Grant (186)	16	30	Rushing: Turner (422)	1	1
Passing: Rodgers (91.4)	6	11	Passing: Ryan (70.7)	14	26
Receptions: Jennings (25)	5	7	Receptions: White (18)	10T	17T
Rec. Yds.: Jennings (482)	1	1	Rec. Yds.: White (322)	7	9
Sacks: Kampman (4.0)	2T	4T	Sacks: Abraham (6.0)	1	1
Interceptions: Collins (3)	1T	2T	Interceptions: Four players (1)	8T	19T
Woodson (3)	1T	2T			



PACKERS NOTES - OFFENSE

TOPS IN THE LEAGUE

Third-year pro **Greg Jennings** has been known as a big-play receiver since coming to Green Bay. Now, the rest of the league is catching on.

- ▶ Through Week 4, Jennings leads all NFL receivers with 482 yards. He totaled his third 100-yard performance of the season against Tampa Bay, giving him seven for his career.
- ▶ His reception total (25) ranks seventh among all NFL receivers.
- ▶ Jennings' 19.3 yards per catch tops all wideouts with at least 15 receptions. Last season, his 17.4 yards per catch ranked fourth in the NFL.
- ▶ Opponents were successful in keeping Jennings out of the end zone through the first three weeks of the season, but he found the end zone twice against the Bucs. Including playoffs, it was the fourth multi-TD performance of his career.
- ▶ Last season including playoffs, Jennings caught 14 TD passes. He did not go without a TD reception in consecutive games all of last season.

FOR THE FIRST TIME

Last Sunday marked the first time the Packers had lost when giving running back **Ryan Grant** 15-or-more carries. They are now 8-1.

- ▶ Green Bay's rushing attack ranks 23rd in the NFL, which is just behind its 2007 finish (21st).
- ▶ Like last year, Green Bay has started slow in its run game production. Last season, it ranked last in the league through the season's first 10 weeks.
- ▶ To say Grant rescued the rushing offense last season seems obvious. His 929 rushing yards over the final 10 weeks of the season ranked second only to All-Pro LaDainian Tomlinson (947).
- ▶ The run unit is finally back healthy, which should result in increased production. Grant had battled a hamstring injury over the course of training camp and the first four games but now appears back to full strength.
- ▶ Also, last weekend marked the return of center **Scott Wells** from a back injury. His return allows **Jason Spitz** to move back to guard, allowing for the team to return to the five-man unit it has used over the bulk of the previous two years.



WANTED: MORE BIG PLAYS

Big plays served as the catalyst to Green Bay's high-octane offense last season, and all of those weapons at the skill positions return this season.

- ▶ The Packers have 14 big plays (gains of 20 yards-or-more) thus far on the season. Two have come via the rush (Grant, Rodgers) and 12 through the air (Jennings 8, Driver 2, D. Lee, Nelson).
- ▶ Their current pace would put them at 56 big plays on the season, down more than 10 from a year ago when the Packers finished the season with 67 plays of 20 yards-or-more, second only to Dallas (68). Fifteen of those big plays came on the ground, and 52 came through the air.
- ▶ Five touchdown runs were of 20 yards-or-more, while 11 touchdowns through the air were of 20 yards-or-more. Of those 11 TDs, eight were of 40 yards-or-more.
- ▶ Green Bay is on a nearly similar scoring pace this season. The team put up 435 points in 2007, fourth in the league and third on the Packers' all-time single-season list. They are on pace for 436 points this season.

NO ONE'S BETTER AFTER THE CATCH THAN THE 'FAB FIVE'

Head Coach **Mike McCarthy** utilizes a number of four- and five-wide sets to take advantage of his receivers' abilities after the catch.

- ▶ Called the 'Big Five' or 'Fab Five' formation by McCarthy, it proved a nightmare for opposing defenses last year with its matchup problems.
- ▶ It was the matchups – such as a wideout isolated on a linebacker – that Green Bay utilized to its advantage.
- ▶ Battling through injuries early this season, the wideout group has not had all five active for a game yet.
- ▶ Led by wide receivers **Donald Driver**, **Greg Jennings**, **James Jones**, **Ruvell Martin** and tight end **Donald Lee**, Green Bay led the league in yards after the catch in 2007.
- ▶ The Packers amassed a league-best 2,294 yards after the catch, 51.4% of their total passing yards. The NFL average in 2007 was 1,596 yards.
- ▶ The only other teams to surpass 2,000 yards after the catch were New Orleans (2,112) and New England (2,052).

▶ The big-play ability of the group didn't come as a total surprise. Green Bay finished second in yards after the catch, behind New Orleans, in 2006.

▶ Added in the draft was All-America wideout **Jordy Nelson** from Kansas State, who was praised by scouts for his abilities with the ball in his hands.

▶ Nelson got his first chance to contribute on offense against Detroit, hauling in his first career catch for a 29-yard score, his first "big play" in Green Bay.

EXPERIENCED DUO ON THE EDGE

None of the offensive fireworks would be possible without the steady play Green Bay gets from its offensive line, headed by its two bookends at tackles.

- ▶ Green Bay surrendered just 19 sacks last season, tied for third fewest in the NFL. While injuries have shuffled the interior line – much like they did in 2007 – **Chad Clifton** and **Mark Tauscher** remain fixtures at tackle.
- ▶ In Week 1, Clifton completely neutralized Vikings DE Jared Allen. The All-Pro end did not register a single tackle.
- ▶ The pass protection has not been up to par the previous two weeks, as Dallas (5) and Tampa Bay (3) had multiple sacks.
- ▶ This week, they face a challenge in an Atlanta pass rush led by defensive end John Abraham. He leads all NFL players with six sacks through the first four weeks.
- ▶ Although not necessarily the sole forecaster of strength at the position, experience on the offensive line is often closely related to the ultimate success or failure of the collective unit.
- ▶ Clifton and Tauscher boast a combined 16 years and 226 career starts between them. All of that experience has come in a Packers uniform.
- ▶ A look at the longest-tenured tackle duos in the NFL :

1. Jon Runyan (180) and Tra Thomas (153)- Phi. - 333 combined starts
2. **Chad Clifton (115) and Mark Tauscher (111)- GB - 226**
3. Walter Jones (171) and Sean Locklear (42)- Sea. - 213
4. Flozell Adams (150) and Marc Colombo (43)- Dal. - 193
5. Alex Barron (47) and Orlando Pace (144)- StL - 191



PACKERS NOTES - DEFENSE

TIED FOR THE NFC LEAD IN TAKEAWAYS

The turnover statistic remains one of the most important in all of football. In Tampa, Green Bay lost the turnover battle for the first time this year.

- ▶ Winning or losing the turnover battle is usually a good indicator to a game's final score. Out of their 13 wins last season, Green Bay won the turnover battle nine times, tied three times and lost just once.
- ▶ Green Bay has nine takeaways, tied for the best mark in the NFC and second among all NFL clubs. Tennessee leads the league with 12.
- ▶ Of the nine takeaways, eight have been for interceptions. That ties Tennessee and Tampa Bay for the most in the league.
- ▶ Besides an interception in Week 1, which led to Green Bay kneeling on the final plays on the ensuing possession, the Packers have been able to turn takeaways into points. They have 45 points off turnovers thus far.
- ▶ On the other side of the ball, the defense has shown the ability to clamp down after turnovers. The unit has surrendered 30 points after turnovers this year – 24 of which came at Tampa.
- ▶ Also, Green Bay did not have a giveaway in the opener against the Vikings, a feat they accomplished four times last season. Not surprisingly, all four were victories.
- ▶ Over a longer stretch, the Packers have won 31 of 32 games playing turnover-free football, since a loss at Dallas, Nov. 18, 1996. Green Bay's only loss in such games during that stretch was a 23-20 defeat at Minnesota, Oct. 23, 2005.
- ▶ Including playoffs, the Packers have won 34 of their last 35 games without a giveaway.

GETTING AFTER THE QB

Led by two-time Pro Bowl defensive end **Aaron Kampman**, the defense has generated nine sacks on the season. The unit totaled five in Week 2, matching a season high from a year ago.

- ▶ With his four sacks already this year, Kampman now leads the NFL in sacks since 2006 with 31.5. Over the previous two seasons, only San Diego's Shawne Merriman had more:

Player	Team	2006-07 Sacks
Shawne Merriman	San Diego	29.5
Aaron Kampman	Green Bay	27.5
DeMarcus Ware	Dallas	25.5
Jason Taylor	Miami (now Wash.)	24.5
Jared Allen	K.C. (now Minn.)	23.0

NEW WEEK, NEW TEST FOR SECONDARY

Opposing quarterbacks have been stymied by the Packers thus far. The defense has yielded a low completion percentage (50.4%) and picked off eight passes for a collective opposing quarterback rating of 57.9.

- ▶ In addition to containing Matt Ryan and a strong running game, defensive coordinator **Bob Sanders** and his unit will have their hands full with big-play receivers Roddy White and Michael Jenkins.
- ▶ White enjoyed a breakout season last year (83 receptions, 1,202 yards, six TDs), his third in the NFL. The University of Alabama-Birmingham product is off to a similar start this season with 18 catches for 322 yards and a score.
- ▶ White (17.9 yards per catch) and Jenkins (18.8) have shown the ability to stretch defenses this season, which prevents opposing teams from loading the box in an attempt to stall the NFL's No. 1 rushing unit.

PICKS KEEP COMING FOR COLLINS

Safety **Nick Collins** has intercepted a pass in three consecutive games.

- ▶ His 2008 output so far (3) has nearly matched his career total heading into the season (4).
- ▶ Collins has performed at an elite level while toughing out a lower back injury suffered early in the Dallas contest. The fourth-year pro has 26 tackles – good for third on the squad – to go with his three picks.
- ▶ The three consecutive games with a pick is the longest of Collins' career. Teammate **Charles Woodson** had a similar streaks in '06 and '07.
- ▶ With another interception Sunday, Collins would match the longest streak in franchise history since John Symank picked off a pass in four straight games in 1961.
- ▶ Irv Comp owns the team record, recording an interception in five straight games in 1943.



WOODSON CONTINUES TO AMAZE

For the third straight week, CB **Charles Woodson** did not participate in practice to help ease the pain of a broken toe he suffered against Minnesota on Kickoff Weekend.

- ▶ And for the third straight week, Woodson turned in an elite performance, picking off a Brian Griese pass in the fourth quarter and returning it for his sixth career touchdown on an interception return.

▶ Against Dallas in Week 3, Woodson matched up against Pro Bowler Terrell Owens, limiting him to just 17 receiving yards on two catches. It was Owens' lowest output since joining the Cowboys in 2006.

▶ Week 2 was Woodson's first game action without hitting the practice field in the week prior. He responded with two fourth quarter interceptions, one returned for a score, to seal the victory for Green Bay over Detroit.

- ▶ During the week, countless hours are spent rehabbing the toe with the team's medical staff. Woodson has worn a boot on the foot when not rehabbing.

▶ It's hard to imagine any NFL cornerback playing better than Woodson right now. The 11-year pro appears poised to make his fifth Pro Bowl appearance and first since 2001.

- ▶ Among active players, Woodson's six career interception returns for scores ranks near the top of the NFL. Four have come as a member of the Packers:

Player	Team	TDs on INT return
Darren Sharper	Minnesota	8
Ronde Barber	Tampa Bay	6
Derrick Brooks	Tampa Bay	6
Aaron Glenn	New Orleans	6
Charles Woodson	Green Bay	6
Phillip Buchanon	Tampa Bay	5
Dré Bly	Denver	5
Nate Clements	San Francisco	5
Chris McAlister	Baltimore	5

NOT OPEN EARLY

Through four games, the Packers defense has not allowed a first-quarter touchdown.

- ▶ Dallas scored the only first quarter points against the defense, converting a field goal on its first drive of the game.



PACKERS TEAM NOTES

NFL'S YOUNGEST FOR THIRD STRAIGHT YEAR

Based on an analysis of Kickoff Weekend rosters done by the league office, the Green Bay Packers and Kansas City Chiefs tied for the youngest roster with an average age of 25.57 years. For the Packers, that makes three years in a row.

- ▶ Last season, Green Bay's average roster age of 25.72 years on Kickoff Weekend was the youngest in the NFL. Indianapolis placed second with an average roster age of 25.74 years.
- ▶ In 2006, the Packers' average roster age of 25.57 years was the youngest in the league. Tennessee, with an average roster age of 25.77 years, was second.
- ▶ Despite being the league's youngest team for a third consecutive season, Green Bay has experienced NFL players at nearly every position. Only one rookie appears on the Week 4 two-deep – backup quarterback **Matt Flynn**.

TOPS IN THE FREE AGENCY ERA

The Packers own more NFL championships (12) than any other franchise, but it's not all about past glory for the Green and Gold.

- ▶ Talk of unrestricted free agency in the early '90s led many to believe small-town Green Bay would be the first franchise to fold.
- ▶ Since the advent of free agency in 1993, the Packers own the best W-L record in the NFL. They have captured seven division titles in that time.
- ▶ The Packers have won 10 or more game in nine seasons since 1993.
- ▶ A look at the most successful teams in the free-agency era shows eight of the last 12 Super Bowl champions, beginning with Green Bay's '96 title:

Team	W-L record	Pct.
Green Bay Packers	154-90-0	.631
New England Patriots	152-91-0	.625
Pittsburgh Steelers	151-92-1	.620
Denver Broncos	149-95-0	.610
Indianapolis Colts	139-104-0	.572
Kansas City Chiefs	136-108-0	.557
Philadelphia Eagles	134-109-1	.551

IN THE 'BLACK AND BLUE' DIVISION

The Packers and McCarthy must be up to a new task this season. For the first time in his three seasons as coach, McCarthy must get a team ready to defend its division crown.

- ▶ The club is off to an early start with two wins over division opponents. Since division play opened in 1967, the team has opened the season only one other time with two divisional wins: 1998.
- ▶ Green Bay won't play another NFC North opponent until Week 10 when it travels to the HHH Metrodome to play the Vikings.
- ▶ They'll continue division play in Week 11, hosting the Bears, before stepping outside the NFC North for another month.
- ▶ In games that ultimately could decide playoff seeding and the division crown, Green Bay wraps up the regular season with a trip to Chicago and a home contest against the Lions.
- ▶ McCarthy's solid 11-3 record in the NFL's 'black and blue' division is noteworthy because he's undefeated against two of the division opponents: Detroit (5-0) and Minnesota (5-0). The Packers are just 1-3 against Chicago over the past two seasons.

SUCCESS WITH YOUNG QUARTERBACKS

Head Coach **Mike McCarthy** is known around the league as one of the preeminent teachers of quarterbacks.

- ▶ McCarthy now has two new pupils in **Matt Flynn** and **Brian Brohm**, rookie draft picks who will serve as the No. 2 and No. 3 backup quarter-

back, respectively, to starter **Aaron Rodgers**.

- ▶ Flynn, a three-year backup at LSU, led the Tigers to the BCS National Championship in 2007. Brohm finished his career at Louisville as the Big East's all-time leader in passing yards (10,775) and completions (780).
- ▶ While his work with starting QBs with names like Favre and Montana is well-documented, McCarthy's work with some of the backup quarterbacks in his various coaching stops around the NFL is just as impressive.
- ▶ During his stint in Kansas City (1993-98), McCarthy worked with backup quarterback Rich Gannon. Gannon said of his experience with McCarthy: "He's the guy that really helped catapult my career. He was the guy who really taught me the West Coast system of football. He really taught me how to prepare for a game, taught me how to watch film, how to break down an opponent, how to study. It was really those things I took with me to Oakland."
- ▶ In Oakland, Gannon was a four-time Pro Bowler, two-time first-team All-Pro and 2002 NFL MVP.
- ▶ As quarterbacks coach for the Packers in 1999, McCarthy worked with Matt Hasselbeck in his first season on the Packers' active roster. Hasselbeck is a three-time Pro Bowler.
- ▶ During his time as offensive coordinator in New Orleans (2000-05), McCarthy tutored young quarterbacks Marc Bulger and Jake Delhomme.

		NFL Offense			NFL Defense		
After Week...	Opp.	Total	Rush	Pass	Total	Rush	Pass
1	MIN	14T	12	17	25	30	13
2	at Det	6	11	9	22	22	20
3	DAL	8	15	7	27	26	22
4	at TB	15	23	10	26	26	15
5	ATL						
6	at Sea						
7	IND						
8	(bye)						
9	at Ten						
10	at Min						
11	CHI						
12	at NO						
13	CAR						
14	HOU						
15	at Jax						
16	at Chi						
17	DET						
Packers in 2007		2	21	2	11	14	12
Packers in 2006		9	23	8	12	13	17
Packers in 2005		18	30	7	7	23	1
Packers in 2004		3	10	3	25	14	25
Packers in 2003		4	3	16	17	10	23
Packers in 2002		12	12	10	12	21	3
Packers in 2001		6	21	3	12	16	15
Packers in 2000		15	23	8	15	8	19
Packers in 1999		9	21	7	19	22	18
Packers in 1998		5	25	3	4	4	10
Packers in 1997		4	12	3	7	20	8
Packers in 1996		5	11	5	1	4	1
Packers in 1995		7	26	3	14	7	21
Packers in 1994		9	19	9	6	3	15
Packers in 1993		19	22	18	2	8	7
Packers in 1992		15	21	9	23	16	23



MIKE McCARTHY TRANSCRIPT

EXCERPTS FROM THE COACH – MONDAY, SEPT. 29

► **(What's most important to see from Rodgers, his arm strength on Wednesday or how he recovers from Wednesday's practice on Thursday?)**

Really a combination of both things. It's important for him to have the strength back in the shoulder, and really to see how well he throws on Wednesday will have a lot to do with it, and then Thursday morning how he recovers.

► **(Do you have to have Matt Flynn ready in any case?)**

Yes. As far as the planning for tonight and tomorrow with the coaches, we'll plan accordingly, and we'll make sure the reps going into Wednesday will illustrate that in making sure that both Matt and Aaron are ready to play.

► **(Is Hawk's groin a serious injury?)**

It's a pretty good strain. It's something that, ... Wednesday is important. Knowing A.J. I'm sure he'll do everything he can to play this week.

► **(What's happening in the run game and the rush defense?)**

As far as the performance yesterday, our run game was not very good. It starts up front, and you talk about footwork, targets, pad level, finish, just all the basic fundamentals that you practice, day in and day out. That will be our focus as we move through this week of preparation into Atlanta. Defensively, I thought we played with much better gap control throughout the defensive front. We're just not winning it down enough. Time and time again we had very good spacing and leverage on the ballcarrier, but was unable to put him down in a favorable down and distance. Those are things as far as tackling, firing your gun and so forth. I think we definitely made improvement in that area. We had the big run come out there at the end that obviously hurt us, which counts, in the run defense, but we're just not winning it down enough on defense. But I thought our gap control from Dallas to this week improved.

► **(Will you look to get Sitton in there at all this week?)**

I'm not looking to ... personnel changes is really not on my mindset right now. I'm more focused on the meeting today and make sure they clearly understand exactly what went wrong and what we need to do to fix it. It's not about changing parts. It's about getting the parts cleaned up and working in a better fashion.

► **(How was Aaron feeling this morning? In good spirits or still in a lot of pain?)**

Pretty positive. He wants to play, was his communication to me. We talked about the game and the things in the game. I would say his mindset is strong, very positive.

► **(Were you impressed or surprised with how well Aaron threw that ball to Jennings given he was holding his arm?)**

I think it was very impressive what he went back and was able to do. The coverage that we had on that particular play was probably the toughest coverage that you can get on that particular pass concept. It's really just a great throw, and catch and finish by Greg. He had thrown a screen on first down that didn't go very well for him. So for him to muster up and throw that ball the way he did was a tribute to his ability to deal with that in that particular situation. I think you could even say for our whole football team. We had a bunch of guys that were nicked up throughout the game that went back in and fought and gave us a chance to win that game in the fourth quarter.

► **(You can't keep going with Frost can you?)**

That's your opinion. The thing about our punting game, it was not very good. Field position two weeks in a row has been a negative. The combination of the punting and the three-and-outs by the offense, the ability to change field position is important. When you have a strong defense like we feel that we do, the ability to play a team like Tampa that has a focus on field position in the game, to lose that battle the way we did is not a positive. We need to punt the ball better, we need to punt protect the ball better. The punt protection was not what it was supposed to look like.

We've been very strong on special teams maybe the first two contests, but the last two weeks, this is probably as bad a performance as we've had on special teams in some time here. We need to get that fixed.

► **(Were you pleased with the performance of Tramon Williams?)**

Tramon Williams played well, played very well. He played very good as far as the coverage stuff. He had a couple of run fits that he can clean up, but definitely had the big play down there with the interception. He played OK on special teams. I would definitely say he had a winning performance.

► **(Collins and Jenkins, are their injuries a concern too?)**

Jenkins, they are scanning him this morning so I'll know more about him as the day goes on. I don't have enough information there. Collins, he feels about the same way he did coming out of the Dallas game. He has the back contusion, and he really gutted it out and made some big plays in the game. So we'll see where he is Wednesday. I'm sure his practice time will be limited.

► **(Can Woodson keep doing what he's doing or does he need to take a week off?)**

We actually didn't talk about Charles this morning. He really doesn't feel very good until probably Wednesday or Thursday, so I anticipate that will be the same this week. He'll be in the boot again. If I was to project the week, I would say it would go very similar to the way it has gone the last two weeks. We have not discussed a week off as we did last year.

► **(With the run game, how much of it is the line and how much on Ryan missing time in the preseason and practice?)**

It all fits together. You make statements of rhythm, timing, footwork, pad level, they all mean something. The cohesiveness of it all working in conjunction together is important, and that's definitely not there right now. It's nothing that can't be fixed. Their pads were lower than ours. It's not like we don't practice...we don't practice high pad level. Our footwork needs to be better. Our finish needs to be better. They did a better job of that than we did, and we need to go back and rep it and spend a little more time in pads and individual work this week than we have the last two weeks and that's how we'll go about it.

► **(If Aaron can't play Sunday, what does Matt need to work on to be ready to start?)**

Any quarterback that plays, his job is to run the game plan, to stay within the game plan and make the proper decisions. Play with good vision, accuracy, and footwork. They are all trained the same way, all three.

► **(How much smaller does the playbook get with Flynn?)**

We haven't really operated on a very high volume all year, so that's something coming out of the offseason. I think it's important as a coaching staff to challenge yourself. I've dealt with very high-volume offensive game plans in the past. Over the long haul, I think it creates more opportunity for mental errors. I don't think we have a volume issue as far as the size of our playbook for any of the quarterbacks to run. The percentage of that, the week will probably answer that question better.

► **(With catching production, Driver hasn't had many opportunities. Is that just one of those things?)**

I would say Donald played well actually yesterday. I know his production was only the one catch for eight yards, but when you look at his route running, I thought he did a much better job of running some routes. He actually fell subject a couple of times to the individual next to him where being a part of the concept where something that wasn't done right affected his route. In grading the film, I actually felt Donald played better than he did the last two weeks, but his opportunities just weren't there. We've got to get more production out of our offense. You can sit there and pick apart anybody. When you're on the field as long as we were and the number of plays that we're having, that's just not productive enough and it has affected him. But it's not really an illustration of how he played.



GAME REVIEW - BUCCANEERS 30, PACKERS 21

TOO MUCH TO OVERCOME IN TAMPA

The Green Bay Packers showed in their first two games this season that they're good enough to overcome some mistakes and still pull out big victories. But the number of miscues on Sunday against the Tampa Bay Buccaneers was simply too many, and they added up to a frustrating 30-21 defeat in front of 64,122 at Raymond James Stadium.

► The mistakes fell into every category. There were offensive penalties that set up difficult down-and-distance situations, defensive penalties on third downs to keep Buccaneer drives alive, a lack of execution in the running game, shoddy pass protection at critical times, and poor punts that allowed for productive returns.

► They all contributed to several opportunities for Tampa Bay, most notably four turnovers that the 3-1 Buccaneers converted into 24 of its 30 points to give the Packers their first consecutive losses since November of 2006.

► "We just made a number of the same mistakes that we made the first three weeks - that's four weeks now," Head Coach **Mike McCarthy** said. "When you have penalties, turnovers, it's very difficult to win a football game like that. You're playing a good football team, a very good defense in a tough environment. I just felt offensively we clearly didn't do enough to win the game."

► Green Bay's defense fueled a second-half comeback that was necessary mostly because of the turnovers.

► After scoring first on a 25-yard touchdown pass from **Aaron Rodgers** to **Greg Jennings** on the game's opening drive, the Green Bay offense faltered. The Packers made just four first downs in their next eight possessions and pretty much put themselves in a 20-7 hole.

► An interception that bounced off running back **Brandon Jackson's** hands set up Tampa's first score, a 9-yard TD pass from Brian Griese to tight end Alex Smith early in the second quarter. Then another pick, when Rodgers led wide receiver **Donald Driver** too far over the middle, by Bucs linebacker Barrett Ruud led to a field goal and a 13-7 halftime deficit.

► It got worse in the third quarter when running back **Ryan Grant**, who struggled mightily to run the ball after a productive opening series, fumbled and safety Jermaine Phillips scooped it up for the Bucs and returned it 38 yards for a touchdown.

► The defense gave the offense some chances, though. First, with the score still 13-7, cornerback **Tramon Williams** intercepted a deflected pass at the Green Bay 5-yard line to keep points off the board for the Bucs early in the third quarter.

► Then safety **Nick Collins**, who dropped an interception in the second quarter on a drive Tampa converted into a field goal, picked off Griese along the sideline in Tampa Bay territory. Three plays later, Rodgers hit Jennings on a deep slant that the star receiver, who had six catches for 109 yards, broke for a 48-yard touchdown to make it 20-14.

► The defense proceeded to give the Packers the lead on the Bucs' next drive, as cornerback **Charles Woodson** stepped in front of a short dump-off pass and ran the interception back 62 yards for the score. Suddenly, it was 21-20 Green Bay with 13:43 left.

► But all was not good, as Rodgers (14-of-27, 165 yards, 2 TD, 3 INT) was wincing in pain while trying to test his shoulder on the sidelines. He had injured it in the third quarter, on the drive preceding the Jennings TD, when he scrambled for 7 yards and reached the ball out while he was being tackled to try to get the first down. The impact of his outstretched arm hitting the ground like that made Rodgers feel as though he may

have dislocated the shoulder.

► So after the defense got another stop, in went rookie quarterback Matt Flynn in Rodgers' place, and the offense went three-and-out again. A low 38-yard punt by **Derrick Frost** was returned 19 yards to set up another Tampa field goal, and the Bucs led 23-21 with 2:26 left.

► Rodgers re-entered to try to save the day, bad shoulder and all, but the offense couldn't take advantage of good field position at the 40 after the kickoff went out of bounds. On the second snap, defensive end Greg White came untouched to Rodgers' blind side, and the quarterback's throw was picked off by defensive end Gaines Adams near midfield. A 47-yard run by Earnest Graham (20 carries, 111 yards) set up his 1-yard plunge to seal the game.

► Rodgers said there was a miscommunication on the pass protection that led to White's pressure and the interception. Rodgers thought White would be picked up, but the line was in a five-man protection that forced Rodgers to go to a hot read if someone came free.

► "It's unfortunate because we had a great matchup, Donald (Driver) on a defensive end for a big play," Rodgers said. "But communication today was part of the problem, especially on that play."

► Added center **Scott Wells**: "If they bring more than we have to block, there's a hot read. They looked as if they were bringing two linebackers, and we have to account for the most dangerous (rushers), from inside out."

► At the end of the day, though, it was really the Packers who were most dangerous to themselves. That final turnover marked the fifth Green Bay possession in the second half that started at the Packers' own 40 or better, and the offense came away with just seven points on those drives.

► "We've definitely got talent and we've got the capability of being the Packer

football team we're supposed to be," linebacker **Nick Barnett** said. "It's not time to press the panic button, but we definitely have to press the urgency button and get this thing moving."



STRUGGLES ON THE GROUND

When **Ryan Grant** broke off runs of 6, 3 and 8 yards within his first four carries on Sunday, he thought he was in for a productive day. But that wasn't to be.

► Grant, fully healthy for the first time this year after battling a hamstring problem since training camp, had just 3 more yards rushing over his final 11 carries of the game. He finished with 15 rushes for 20 yards, the second time he's posted those exact numbers (also at Detroit).

► "It felt like the energy wasn't there," said Grant, who also called his fumble, which was returned for a touchdown, inexcusable. "We looked sloppy. Just across the board it wasn't a good performance. We need to learn from this, and make sure we clean things up that have been haunting us a little bit."

► Particularly haunting has been the offense's short-yardage troubles. Three times on Sunday the Packers called Grant's number on third-and-1, and he picked up the first down only once. Those failures were symptomatic of the ground game's struggles all game long.

► "Usually if it's third-and-short and we're in a running formation, they know what we're doing and we know what they're doing," center **Scott Wells** said. "It just comes down to who executes better."



PACKERS TEAM NOTES

STILL TO COME...

	Record	NFL Rank	
		Offense	Defense
 Atlanta Falcons(2-2)	(2-2)	10	20
 at Seattle Seahawks.....(1-2)	(1-2)	11	12
 Indianapolis Colts.....(1-2)	(1-2)	17	23

Bye Week

 at Tennessee Titans.....(4-0)	(4-0)	22	5
 at Minnesota Vikings(1-3)	(1-3)	14	6
 Chicago Bears(2-2)	(2-2)	19	16
 at New Orleans Saints(2-2)	(2-2)	3	27
 Carolina Panthers(3-1)	(3-1)	24	8
 Houston Texans.....(0-3)	(0-3)	18	25
 at Jacksonville Jaguars ..(2-2)	(2-2)	23	18
 at Chicago Bears(2-2)	(2-2)	19	16
 Detroit Lions.....(0-3)	(0-3)	26	32

ARE YOU EXPERIENCED?

The Green Bay Packers entered the 2008 season with three quarterbacks on the roster: **Aaron Rodgers**, **Matt Flynn** and **Brian Brohm**. Rookies Flynn (LSU) and Brohm (Louisville) serve as the backups.

- ▶ None of the three players had ever started an NFL game, but that's not necessarily rare in this day and age in the NFL.
- ▶ In fact, it is the third time this decade that a team went into its opening game of a season without a quarterback on the roster who had ever started an NFL game. The two previous instances show decidedly different results.
- ▶ In **2006**, the San Diego Chargers began the season with two quarterbacks on the roster, neither of whom had started an NFL game: starter Philip Rivers and rookie backup Charlie Whitehurst. Rivers, a third-year pro in his first season as the starter, went to the Pro Bowl that season as the Chargers finished an NFL-best 14-2.
- ▶ In **2001**, the Carolina Panthers had three quarterbacks on the opening-day roster who had never started a game before: Chris Weinke, Dameyune Craig and Matt Lytle. The team finished 1-15.

ON THE ROAD AGAIN

Green Bay has actually played better on the road (12-6) than at home (11-7) under Head Coach **Mike McCarthy**.

- ▶ Tough road trips still remain to Seattle (Week 6), Tennessee (Week 9), New Orleans (Week 12) and Jacksonville (Week 15), as well as division foes Minnesota (Week 10) and Chicago (Week 16).
- ▶ The Packers have won nine of their last 12 road games. A look at the top road teams in the NFL since McCarthy took over in 2006:

Team	W-L record	Pct.
New England	16-1	.941
Dallas	14-4	.778
N.Y. Giants	13-4	.765
Green Bay	12-6	.706
Indianapolis	12-5	.706
Chicago	11-7	.611
San Diego	11-7	.611

2008 STRENGTH OF SCHEDULE

Though it faces six playoff teams from a year ago – the same number of playoff teams on the '07 schedule – Green Bay's 2008 schedule appears tougher on the surface than last year's slate.

- ▶ This season's schedule rotation matches up arguably the strongest division in the AFC, the South, against the NFC North. The AFC South sent three teams to the postseason in '07 (Colts, Jaguars and Titans), and its teams finished a combined 42-22 (.656) last season. By virtue of its first-place finish last season, Green Bay also plays division winners Dallas and Seattle.
- ▶ By the strength of schedule statistic, Green Bay's schedule ranks tied for the 11th toughest (with Chicago) among NFL teams.
- ▶ Strength of schedule is a subjective statistic because as coaches often say, it's not *who* you play, but *when* you play them.
- ▶ The overall schedule this season shows opposing teams with a combined mark of 136-120 (.531) from last season. That's up from last year, when opponents had a 126-130 (.492) record the previous season.
- ▶ In that same vein, the eight opponents coming to Lambeau Field (67-61, .523) have a stronger record than last year's home opponents (61-67, .477). So too are Green Bay's road contests, where the opponents appear stronger this year (69-59, .539) than last (65-63, .508).



PACKERS TEAM NOTES

MORE MCCARTHY - EXCERPTS FROM MONDAY

► ***(With the injury situation, are there any positions you feel you need to sign somebody?)***

Once we gather all of the medical information that will determine that situation. As I stand here right now I would say no, but I do not have all of the medical information.


► ***(You had five guys who couldn't dress because they were hurt. With more injuries now, does that disrupt the practice plan this week?)***

Individual work is important for every position, so we will make that a primary focus this week regardless of how many people are hurt or not hurt. It's a team issue. It's not an individual issue. When things don't go well, it's important for the coaches to emphasize it every possible way that they can and make sure it gets done right. We will do that Wednesday and Thursday in our padded work.


► ***(With catching production, Driver hasn't had many opportunities. Is that just one of those things?)***

I would say Donald played well actually yesterday. I know his production was only the one catch for eight yards, but when you look at his route running, I thought he did a much better job of running some routes. He actually fell subject a couple of times to the individual next to him where being a part of the concept where something that wasn't done right affected his route. In grading the film, I actually felt Donald played better than he did the last two weeks, but his opportunities just weren't there. We've got to get more production out of our offense. You can sit there and pick apart anybody. When you're on the field as long as we were and the number of plays that we're having, that's just not productive enough and it has affected him. But it's not really an illustration of how he played.

- Dallas, the Packers will travel for the final two prime-time contests – at New Orleans Nov. 24 (ESPN) and at Chicago Dec. 22 (ESPN).
- For the first time in club history, the first two games contested at Lambeau Field were in prime time.
- An Oct. 12 tilt at Seattle pits the Packers against former coach Mike Holmgren and marks a rematch of the NFC Divisional Playoff matchup in January when the Packers topped the Seahawks, 42-20, in Green Bay.
- The Packers will see the Tennessee Titans twice during the '08 campaign – the clubs played in the preseason on Aug. 28 and will see each other again in Week 9 when Green Bay travels to Nashville, the first regular-season trip to Tennessee for the Packers since the '01 season.
- Green Bay will travel to New Orleans for the third of four prime-time games in Week 12. The Packers last traveled to the Superdome in 2002. The Nov. 24 *MMF* game will be head coach Mike McCarthy's first return to the Superdome since serving as the Saints' offensive coordinator from 2000-04.
- The Houston Texans will make that franchise's first trip to Lambeau Field for a Dec. 7 matchup.
- For the fifth consecutive season, the Packers will celebrate Christmas with NFC North foes – a trip to Chicago (Dec. 22) and a home tilt against Detroit (Dec. 28) mark the final regular-season matchups.
- *Monday Night Football* and the Packers roll into Chicago for Green Bay's third Monday night game against the Bears in Week 16. No two NFL teams have met on the gridiron more than the Packers and Bears. The 2008 edition of the series marks the 176th and 177th overall meetings.
- The last time the Packers had four prime-time games on the schedule was in 2005.
- The Packers have 10 games with noon start times. Five of the noon start times beginning with Week 11 are subject to change due to NFL flexible scheduling. The '07 season saw 13 games with noon kickoffs.



2008 HONOR ROLL



CB Will Blackmon
Week 1 - NFC 'Special Teams Player of the Week'

QB Aaron Rodgers
Week 2 - FedEx Air NFL Player of the Week

RIGHT ON TARGET

Quarterback **Aaron Rodgers** completed 18 of 22 passes (81.8 percent) in the Packers' win over the Vikings. It was his first career NFL start.

- According to Elias Sports Bureau, only one quarterback completed a higher percentage of his passes in his first NFL start (minimum 20 attempts) since 1950. Rob Johnson was 20 for 24 (83 percent) in his first NFL start for the 1997 Jaguars.
- Additionally, Rodgers' completion percentage ranked fourth all-time in Packers history for a single game (minimum 20 attempts).
- Quarterback Lynn Dickey (1976-77, 79-85) owns the top two spots on the franchise list. He completed 19-of-21 (90.5 percent) at New Orleans on Dec. 13, 1981, and was 27-for-31 (87.1 percent) at Houston on Sept. 4, 1983.
- Brett Favre (1992-2007) stands at No. 3 on the list. He connected on 23-of-28 passes (82.1 percent) at Cleveland on Nov. 19, 1995.

2008 SCHEDULE QUICK HITS

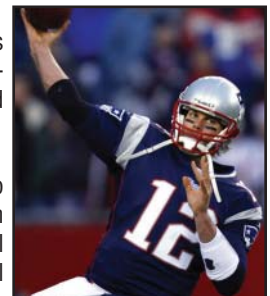
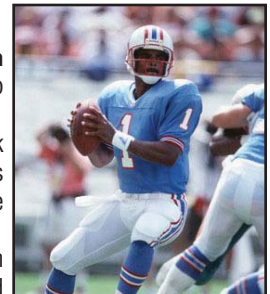
The Green Bay Packers' 2008 campaign is highlighted by five games in front of a national audience, including four prime-time contests.

- In addition to the *MMF* home-opener and Sunday night contest against

SOME GOOD COMPANY

Through his first three career starts, **Aaron Rodgers** totaled 796 passing yards and no interceptions.

- Rodgers became the third NFL quarterback since 1970 with 500-or-more passing yards and no interceptions over his first three career starts.
- The others were **Warren Moon** with Houston in 1984 (778 passing yards) and **Tom Brady** with New England in 2001 (618 passing yards).
- Moon, an NFL rookie in 1984, led the Oilers to a 3-13 mark in his first season as a starter. The nine-time Pro Bowler was inducted into the Pro Football Hall of Fame in 2006.
- Brady's first start came in Week 3 of the 2001 season. That season, he led the Patriots to an 11-5 regular-season mark and victory in Super Bowl XXXVI. A four-time Pro Bowl selection, he is a three-time Super Bowl champion.



WITH A ROOF OVER THEIR HEAD

Green Bay continued its success in domes in Week 2 and will have two more chances this season to improve upon its streak. The Packers will play at the Metrodome in Minneapolis in Week 10 and in the Superdome in New Orleans in Week 12.

- The team has won 10 of its last 12 games in domes, including all three games last season (at Detroit, Minnesota and St. Louis).



INDIVIDUAL NOTES & STREAKS

56 NICK BARNETT

- ▶ Has tallied over 130 tackles in each of his first five NFL seasons.
- ▶ Led the Packers in tackles four times in his first five seasons. Tied Brian Noble (4) and Bernardo Harris (4) for the franchise lead for most seasons leading the team in tackles (stat began in 1975).
- ▶ His 3½ sacks last season were a career high.

20 ATARI BIGBY

- ▶ Has five interceptions in his last six regular-season games played. Four came in the final month of 2007, when he was named 'NFC Defensive Player of the Month' for December.
- ▶ His 121 tackles last season were the most by any Packers defensive back since safety Mark Murphy recorded 128 tackles in 1990.
- ▶ Also led the team in interceptions (five) and passes defended (13) and tied for the lead with three forced fumbles.

76 CHAD CLIFTON

- ▶ A first-time Pro Bowler last year, has played in 120 career games, including 115 starts.
- ▶ Has started 83 of 84 games (missed '06 game vs. Miami, flu) since returning from a serious pelvic injury that ended his 2002 season.

36 NICK COLLINS

- ▶ Has an interception in three consecutive contests.
- ▶ Needs to return one interception for a touchdown to tie No. 5 Charley Brock, Doug Hart and Ken Ellis (all with three) on Green Bay's all-time career list. Collins has two.

2 MASON CROSBY

- ▶ With 141 points, became the seventh rookie in NFL history to lead the league in scoring and first since Kevin Butler in 1985.
- ▶ Surpassed Ryan Longwell's franchise record of points in a season by a kicker (131, 2000) and placed third behind Paul Hornung (176, 1960; 146, 1961) on the team's single-season scoring list.
- ▶ Established a franchise record for points in a season by a rookie and joined Chester Marcol (1972), Chris Jacke (1989) and Longwell (1997) as the only kickers in Packers history to score more than 100 points as a rookie.

80 DONALD DRIVER

- ▶ One of three players in team annals to reach 500 career catches, joining Sterling Sharpe (595) and James Lofton (530). Driver has 519.
- ▶ Established a Packers record with four consecutive seasons with 1,000 receiving yards. Antonio Freeman, Lofton and Sharpe each had three.
- ▶ Tied a franchise record with 1,000 receiving yards in a fifth overall season. Lofton and Sharpe also have five 1,000-yard campaigns.
- ▶ Has a reception in 99 consecutive games, the franchise's second-

- ▶ longest streak behind Sharpe's 103 (1988-94).
- ▶ Is one of four players in team annals to produce as many as six seasons with 50 receptions, joining Lofton and Sharpe (both seven) and Freeman (six).
- ▶ Also became only the second Packers player with four 80-catch seasons, joining Sharpe (four).
- ▶ Became only the seventh player in Packers history to reach 6,000 career yards, joining Lofton (9,656), Sharpe (8,134), Don Hutson (7,991), Boyd Dowler (6,918), Freeman (6,651) and Max McGee (6,346). Driver (7,151) stands at No. 4 in team history.
- ▶ Became Lambeau Field's all-time leader in receptions, surpassing Freeman (213) last season. Driver has 248 receptions at Lambeau.
- ▶ Stands 87 Lambeau Field receiving yards from becoming the stadium's all-time leader ahead of Freeman (3,477). Driver (3,391) is No. 2.
- ▶ His 14 touchdown receptions at Lambeau Field rank fourth in the stadium's history. He needs four to surpass No. 3 Robert Brooks (17).
- ▶ Needs one 100-yard receiving game to match No. 5 Boyd Dowler (19), two to reach No. 4 Freeman (20) and six to equal No. 3 Hutson (24) on the team's all-time list. Driver has 18 career 100-yard receiving games.
- ▶ Needs one TD reception to become only the eighth player in franchise annals to reach 40 career, joining Hutson (99), Sharpe (65), Freeman (57), McGee (50), Lofton (49), Billy Howton (43) and Dowler (40). Driver has 39.



94 KABEER GBAJA-BIAMILA

- ▶ Stands as the franchise leader on Green Bay's all-time sacks list, having surpassed Reggie White's career record (68½) last season. Gbaja-Biamila enters with 74½.

25 RYAN GRANT

- ▶ When he carries the ball 15-or-more times, the Packers are 8-1.
- ▶ Surpassed 1,000 career rushing yards in Week 1. Grant enters with 1,142.
- ▶ Snapped a streak of six consecutive games with a rushing TD vs. Minnesota, tying the second-longest streak in Packers history. Terdell Middleton had a rushing touchdown in six straight games in 1978, and Paul Hornung scored in seven consecutive games in 1960.



Two years after he co-founded the Packers with Curly Lambeau, George Calhoun began writing a piece called The Dope Sheet, which served as the official press release and game program from 1921-24.



INDIVIDUAL NOTES & STREAKS

31 AL HARRIS

- ▶ Saw his consecutive games played streak end at 175 games (163 regular season, 12 playoffs), a streak that began in Philadelphia in 1998.
- ▶ Also saw his consecutive starts streak come to an end in Week 4. Harris had started all 83 regular-season games since coming to Green Bay in 2003.
- ▶ Has 104 career starts.
- ▶ Needs to return one interception for a touchdown to tie No. 5 Charley Brock, Doug Hart, Ken Ellis and Charles Woodson (all with three) on Green Bay's all-time career list. With a second TD on an interception, would match No. 4 Johnny (Blood) McNally, who returned four. Harris has two.

50 A.J. HAWK

- ▶ Surpassed 300 career tackles in Week 2. Hawk enters with 318.
- ▶ Has started every game (36 regular season, 2 playoffs) since arriving in Green Bay as the No. 5 overall pick in the 2006 NFL Draft.

85 GREG JENNINGS

- ▶ Has caught a pass in 31 consecutive games.
- ▶ Established a career high with 167 receiving yards in Week 2.
- ▶ Enters with three straight 100-yard games, a career high.
- ▶ Surpassed 2,000 career receiving yards in Week 4 at Tampa Bay, his 31st career game. Jennings now has 2,034.
- ▶ Surpassed 1,000 career receiving yards on the 82-yard, game-winning touchdown catch in overtime vs. Denver last season.
- ▶ His 12 touchdown receptions last season were the most by a Packers player since Javon Walker had 12 TD catches in 2004.
- ▶ His average of 17.4 yards per catch last year ranked fourth in the NFL.

89 JAMES JONES

- ▶ Last season, his 47 catches ranked third on the team's list of receptions by a rookie. His yardage total (676) ranked fourth on the team's all-time rookies list.
- ▶ Among NFL rookies in '07, his receptions and yardage ranked third.

74 AARON KAMPMAN

- ▶ His 27½ sacks over the past two seasons (2006-07) ranked second in the NFL behind Shawne Merriman (29½).
- ▶ Surpassed Ezra Johnson (41½) on the team's all-time sack list. Kampman (45) enters at No. 4.
- ▶ Became just the fifth player to record 40 sacks in a Packers uniform, joining Kabeer Gbaja-Biamila (74½), Reggie White (68½), Tim Harris (55) and Ezra Johnson (41½).
- ▶ Tallied over 90 tackles for the third consecutive season.
- ▶ Had his consecutive starts streak (73) stopped as he was held out of the 2007 regular-season finale vs. Detroit.

86 DONALD LEE

- ▶ Last season, set career highs in receptions (48), receiving yards (575) and touchdown receptions (6).

12 AARON RODGERS

- ▶ Became the first quarterback other than Brett Favre to start a Packers game since Don Majkowski, Sept. 20, 1992.
- ▶ Registered his first career three-TD and first 300-yard game in Week 2.

65 MARK TAUSCHER

- ▶ Started his 100th career game last season. He has played in 113 career games, including 111 starts.

21 CHARLES WOODSON

- ▶ Enters with 32 career interceptions.
- ▶ With four interception returns for scores, matches No. 4 Johnny (Blood) McNally on Green Bay's all-time career list. With another, would match No. 2 Bobby Dillon and Darren Sharper, each of whom returned five.
- ▶ With five defensive touchdowns as a member of the Packers (four interceptions, one fumble return), ties No. 4 Dillon and Doug Hart on the team's all-time list.

PRONUNCIATION GUIDE

PLAYERS

Allen Barbre	BAR-ber
Atari Bigby	ah-TARR-ee BIG-bee
Brian Brohm	BRAH-m
Brandon Chillar	Chill-ER
Daryn Colledge	College
Kabeer Gbaja-Biamila	BAH-jah BEE-ah-MILL-lah
Breno Giacomini	Breh-NO GEE-ah-coh-MEE-knee
Brett Goode	G-ewd
Justin Harrell	HAIR-uhl
Cullen Jenkins	KULL-en
Aaron Kampman	CAMP-man
John Kuhn	KOON
Ruvell Martin	roo-VELL
Tony Moll	MALL
Charlie Peprah	PEP-rah

Ryan Pickett	PICK-ett
Brady Poppinga	puh-PING-gah
Aaron Rouse	ROWSE
Josh Sitton	SITT-en
Jason Spitz	SPITTS
Mark Tauscher	TAU-scher
Tramon Williams	trah-MAHN

COACHES

James Campen	KAMP-en
Tom Clements	KLEMM-ints
Jerry Fontenot	FON-tin-oh
Ben McAdoo	MACK-ah-doo
Kurt Schottenheimer	SHOTT-in-hyme-err
Shawn Slocum	SLOW-kumm



DEPTH CHART

Unofficial, Sept. 30, 2008

WR: 85 Greg Jennings
LT: 76 Chad Clifton
LG: 73 Daryn Colledge
C: 63 Scott Wells
RG: 72 Jason Spitz
RT: 65 Mark Tauscher
TE: 86 Donald Lee
WR: 80 Donald Driver
QB: 12 Aaron Rodgers
RB: 25 Ryan Grant
FB: 35 Korey Hall

LDE: 74 Aaron Kampman
LDT: 79 Ryan Pickett
RDT: 97 Johnny Jolly
RDE: 77 Cullen Jenkins
SAM: 51 Brady Poppinga
MIKE: 56 Nick Barnett
WILL: 50 A.J. Hawk
LCB: 21 Charles Woodson
RCB: 31 Al Harris
SS: 20 Atari Bigby
FS: 36 Nick Collins

K: 2 Mason Crosby
P: 6 Derrick Frost
H: 6 Derrick Frost
PR: 27 Will Blackmon
KR: 27 Will Blackmon

PC: 61 Brett Goode
KC: 61 Brett Goode

OFFENSE

82 Ruvell Martin
 73 Daryn Colledge
 78 Allen Barbre
 72 Jason Spitz
71 Josh Sitton
 75 Tony Moll
 84 Tory Humphrey
 89 James Jones
10 Matt Flynn
 32 Brandon Jackson
 30 John Kuhn

 68 Breno Giacomini
 88 Jermichael Finley
 87 Jordy Nelson
 11 Brian Brohm
 28 Kregg Lumpkin

DEFENSE

96 Michael Montgomery
 90 Colin Cole
 77 Cullen Jenkins
 94 Kabeer Gbaja-Biamila
 54 Brandon Chillar
 55 Desmond Bishop
 59 Tracy White
 27 Will Blackmon
 38 Tramon Williams
 37 Aaron Rouse
 26 Charlie Peprah

 99 Jeremy Thompson

 57 Jason Hunter

 22 Pat Lee
 24 Jarrett Bush

SPECIAL TEAMS

10 Matt Flynn
 38 Tramon Williams
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Rookies and first-year players are underlined

HOW THE PACKERS WERE BUILT

Year	Record	Draft (32)	Trades (2)	Free Agents (17)
1999	8-8-0	WR Donald Driver D7b		
2000	9-7-0	T Chad Clifton D2 T Mark Tauscher D7a		DE Kaber Gbaja-Biamila (D5a-00)
2001	12-4-0			
2002	12-4-0	DE Aaron Kampman D5a		
2003	10-6-0	LB Nick Barnett D1	CB Al Harris (Phi)	
2004				DT Colin Cole DE Cullen Jenkins C Scott Wells (D7-04)
2005	4-12-0	QB Aaron Rodgers D1 S Nick Collins D2a LB Brady Poppinga D4b DE Michael Montgomery D6a		S Atari Bigby TE Tory Humphrey TE Donald Lee
2006	8-8-0	LB A.J. Hawk D1 G/T Daryn Colledge D2a WR Greg Jennings D2b G Jason Spitz D3b CB Will Blackmon D4b T Tony Moll D5b DT Johnny Jolly D6a		DE Jason Hunter WR Ruvell Martin DT Ryan Pickett (UFA) LB Tracy White CB Tramon Williams CB Charles Woodson (UFA)
2007	13-3-0	*DT Justin Harrell D1 RB Brandon Jackson D2 WR James Jones D3a S Aaron Rouse D3b G Allen Barbre D4 FB Korey Hall D6a LB Desmond Bishop D6b K Mason Crosby D6c	RB Ryan Grant (NYG)	
2008		WR Jordy Nelson D2a QB Brian Brohm D2b CB Pat Lee D2c TE Jermichael Finley D3 DE Jeremy Thompson D4a G Josh Sitton D4b T Breno Giacomini D5 QB Matt Flynn D7a		LB Brandon Chillar (UFA) P Derrick Frost LS Brett Goode RB Kregg Lumpkin

Waivers (3): CB/S Jarrett Bush (from Carolina), 2006; S Charlie Peprah (from N.Y. Giants), 2006; FB John Kuhn (from Pittsburgh), 2007

* - on Reserve/PUP



2008 REGULAR-SEASON STATISTICS

	Packers	Opponent
TOTAL FIRST DOWNS	59	78
Rushing	20	36
Passing	37	33
Penalty	2	9
3rd Down: Made/Att.	21/53	21/56
3rd Down Pct.	39.6	37.5
4th Down: Made/Att.	2/6	3/5
4th Down Pct.	33.3	60.0
POSSESSION AVG.	28:36	31:24
TOTAL NET YARDS	1279	1446
Avg. Per Game	319.8	361.5
Total Plays	236	271
Avg. Per Play	5.4	5.3
NET YARDS RUSHING	374	631
Avg. Per Game	93.5	157.8
Total Rushes	96	121
NET YARDS PASSING	905	815
Avg. Per Game	226.3	203.8
Sacked/Yards Lost	9/62	9/54
Gross Yards	967	869
Att./Completions	131/80	141/71
Completion Pct.	61.1	50.4
Had Intercepted	3	8
PUNTS/AVERAGE	19/44.9	18/42.5
Net Punting Avg.	19/37.9	18/33.9
PENALTIES/YARDS	35/322	29/206
FUMBLES/BALL LOST	8/3	4/1
TOUCHDOWNS	13	10
Rushing	3	4
Passing	6	5
Returns	4	1

SCORE BY PERIODS

	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	OT	PTS
PACKERS	17	27	20	45	0	109
OPPONENTS	3	29	23	46	0	101

SCORING

	TD	-Ru	-Pa	-Rt	K-PAT	FG	S	PTS
Mason Crosby	0	0	0	0	13/13	6/7	0	31
Greg Jennings	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	12
Aaron Rodgers	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	12
Charles Woodson	2	0	0	2	0	0	0	12
Will Blackmon	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	6
Nick Collins	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	6
Donald Driver	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	6
Korey Hall	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	6
Brandon Jackson	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	6
James Jones	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	6
Jordy Nelson	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	6
PACKERS	13	3	6	4	13/13	6/7	0	109
OPPONENTS	10	4	5	1	9/9	10/10	1	101

2-Point Conversions: PACKERS 0-0, OPPONENTS 0-1

SACKS: Aaron Kampman 4, Cullen Jenkins 2.5, A.J. Hawk 2, Kabeer Gbaja-Biamila 0.5, PACKERS 9, OPPONENTS 9

RUSHING

	No	Yds	Avg	Long	TD
Ryan Grant	55	186	3.4	57	0
Brandon Jackson	18	93	5.2	19t	1
Aaron Rodgers	19	78	4.1	21	2
Kregg Lumpkin	1	19	19.0	19	0
Derrick Frost	1	0	0.0	0	0
Matt Flynn	2	-2	-1.0	-1	0
PACKERS	96	374	3.9	57	3
OPPONENTS	121	631	5.2	60t	4

PASSING

	Att	Cmp	Yds	Cmp%	Yds/Att	TD	TD%	Int	Int%	Long	Sack/Lost	Rating
Aaron Rodgers	126	78	961	61.9	7.63	6	4.8	3	2.4	62	9/62	91.4
Matt Flynn	5	2	6	40.0	1.20	0	0.0	0	0.0	3	0/0	47.9
PACKERS	131	80	967	61.1	7.38	6	4.6	3	2.3	62	9/62	89.5
OPPONENTS	141	71	869	50.4	6.16	5	3.5	8	5.7	63	9/54	57.9

RECEIVING

	No	Yds	Avg	Long	TD
Greg Jennings	25	482	19.3	62	2
Donald Driver	16	174	10.9	50	1
Donald Lee	11	84	7.6	26	0
Jordy Nelson	9	102	11.3	29t	1
Brandon Jackson	7	57	8.1	18	0
James Jones	4	29	7.3	9t	1
Kregg Lumpkin	3	22	7.3	12	0
Ryan Grant	2	-4	-2.0	2	0
Ruvell Martin	1	13	13.0	13	0
Tory Humphrey	1	7	7.0	7	0
Korey Hall	1	1	1.0	1t	1
PACKERS	80	967	12.1	62	6
OPPONENTS	71	869	12.2	63	5

INTERCEPTIONS

	No	Yds	Avg	Long	TD
Nick Collins	3	109	36.3	61	1
Charles Woodson	3	103	34.3	62t	2
Tramon Williams	1	39	39.0	39	0
Atari Bigby	1	7	7.0	7	0
PACKERS	8	258	32.3	62t	3
OPPONENTS	3	14	4.7	10	0

PUNTING

	No	Yds	Avg	Net	TB	In 20	LG	Bk
Derrick Frost	19	853	44.9	37.9	3	1	65	0
PACKERS	19	853	44.9	37.9	3	1	65	0
OPPONENTS	18	765	42.5	33.9	2	6	65	0

PUNT RETURNS

	Ret	FC	Yds	Avg	Long	TD
Will Blackmon	9	1	115	12.8	76t	1
PACKERS	9	1	115	12.8	76t	1
OPPONENTS	11	1	73	6.6	20	0

KICKOFF RETURNS

	No	Yds	Avg	Long	TD
Will Blackmon	17	342	20.1	36	0
Jordy Nelson	3	46	15.3	23	0
PACKERS	20	388	19.4	36	0
OPPONENTS	17	383	22.5	45	0

FIELD GOALS

	1-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50+
Mason Crosby	0/0	1/1	4/5	1/1	0/0
PACKERS	0/0	1/1	4/5	1/1	0/0
OPPONENTS	0/0	4/4	4/4	1/1	1/1

Crosby: (42G,33B) (25G,39G) (36G,38G,33G) ()

Opponents: (37G,27G) (38G,49G,53G) (25G,39G) (23G,36G,24G)



2008 REGULAR-SEASON DEFENSIVE STATISTICS

Official totals - based on coaches' film review, through September 28 at Tampa Bay

SPECIAL TEAMS

Player	Total			Sacks/	Int/	Fum	For	Pass
	Tackles	Solo	Asst	Yards	Yards	Rec	Fum	Def
A.J. Hawk	34	29	5	2.0/8.0	0/0	0	0	1
Nick Barnett	30	23	7	0.0/0.0	0/0	0	0	0
Nick Collins	26	20	6	0.0/0.0	3/109	0	0	6
Aaron Rouse	25	18	7	0.0/0.0	0/0	0	0	0
Brady Poppinga	19	14	5	0.0/0.0	0/0	0	0	1
Ryan Pickett	19	9	10	0.0/0.0	0/0	0	0	0
Cullen Jenkins	18	13	5	2.5/25.5	0/0	0	0	1
Aaron Kampman	18	13	5	4.0/20.5	0/0	0	0	0
Johnny Jolly	17	13	4	0.0/0.0	0/0	0	0	0
Charles Woodson	15	13	2	0.0/0.0	3/103	0	0	10
Colin Cole	11	5	6	0.0/0.0	0/0	0	0	0
Michael Montgomey	9	7	2	0.0/0.0	0/0	0	0	0
Tramon Williams	8	8	0	0.0/0.0	1/39	0	0	3
Will Blackmon	7	7	0	0.0/0.0	0/0	1	1	1
Atari Bigby	7	6	1	0.0/0.0	1/7	0	0	1
Brandon Chillar	7	6	1	0.0/0.0	0/0	0	1	1
Al Harris	6	6	0	0.0/0.0	0/0	0	0	4
Jason Hunter	5	4	1	0.0/0.0	0/0	0	0	0
Charlie Peprah	5	2	3	0.0/0.0	0/0	0	0	0
Desmond Bishop	3	2	1	0.0/0.0	0/0	0	0	0
Kabeer Gbaja-Biamila	2	1	1	0.5/0.0	0/0	0	0	0
Totals	291	219	72	9.0/54.0	8/258	1	2	29

Player	TT	FR	FF
Brandon Chillar	6	0	0
Tracy White	6	0	0
Will Blackmon	5	0	0
Jarrett Bush	5	0	0
Korey Hall	3	0	0
Michael Montgomery	3	0	0
Tramon Williams	3	0	0
Desmond Bishop	2	0	0
Tory Humphrey	2	0	0
Aaron Rouse	2	0	0
Mason Crosby	1	0	0
Jermichael Finley	1	0	0
John Kuhn	1	0	0
Brady Poppinga	1	0	0
Totals	41	0	0

Special teams touchdowns (1):
Blackmon — 76-yard punt return vs. Minnesota (9/8)

DEFENSIVE SCORING

Player	TD	Int Fum		Safeties
		Ret	Ret	
Charles Woodson	2	2	0	0
Nick Collins	1	1	0	0
Totals	3	3	0	0

Defensive touchdowns 3):

Collins — 42-yard interception return at Detroit (9/14)
Woodson — 41-yard interception return at Detroit (9/14);
62-yard interception return at Tampa Bay (9/28)

MISCELLANEOUS TACKLES

Player	Tackles
Jordy Nelson	2
Chad Clifton	1
Mark Tauscher	1
Scott Wells	1
Totals	5



No	ALPHABETICAL ROSTER	Pos	Ht	Wt	Birthdate	NFL Exp	College	High School Hometown
78	Barbre, Allen	G	6-4	305	6/22/84	2	Missouri Southern St.	Granby, Mo.
56	Barnett, Nick	LB	6-2	236	5/27/81	6	Oregon State	Fontana, Calif.
20	Bigby, Atari	S	5-11	213	9/19/81	3	Central Florida	Miami, Fla.
55	Bishop, Desmond	LB	6-2	238	7/24/84	2	California	Fairfield, Calif.
27	Blackmon, Will	CB	6-0	206	10/27/84	3	Boston College	Warwick, R.I.
11	Brohm, Brian	QB	6-3	223	9/23/85	R	Louisville	Louisville, Ky.
24	Bush, Jarrett	CB/S	6-0	200	5/21/84	3	Utah State	Vacaville, Calif.
54	Chillar, Brandon	LB	6-3	243	10/21/82	5	UCLA	Carlsbad, Calif.
76	Clifton, Chad	T	6-5	320	6/26/76	9	Tennessee	Martin, Tenn.
90	Cole, Colin	DT	6-1	330	6/24/80	4	Iowa	Ft. Lauderdale, Fla.
73	Colledge, Daryn	G/T	6-4	308	2/11/82	3	Boise State	North Pole, Alaska
36	Collins, Nick	S	5-11	207	8/16/83	4	Bethune-Cookman	Cross City, Fla.
2	Crosby, Mason	K	6-1	207	9/3/84	2	Colorado	Georgetown, Texas
80	Driver, Donald	WR	6-0	194	2/2/75	10	Alcorn State	Houston, Texas
88	Finley, Jermichael	TE	6-5	247	3/26/87	R	Texas	Diboll, Texas
6	Frost, Derrick	P	6-2	210	11/25/80	5	Northern Iowa	St. Louis, Mo.
10	Flynn, Matt	QB	6-2	222	6/20/85	R	Louisiana State	Tyler, Texas
94	Gbaja-Biamila, Kabeer	DE	6-4	249	9/24/77	9	San Diego State	Los Angeles, Calif.
68	Giacomini, Breno	T	6-7	311	9/27/85	R	Louisville	Malden, Mass.
61	Goode, Brett	LS	6-1	261	11/2/84	1	Arkansas	Fort Smith, Ark.
25	Grant, Ryan	RB	6-1	226	12/9/82	2	Notre Dame	Ramsey, N.J.
35	Hall, Korey	FB	6-0	243	8/5/83	2	Boise State	Glenns Ferry, Idaho
31	Harris, Al	CB	6-1	190	12/7/74	11	Texas A&M-Kingsville	Pompano Beach, Fla.
50	Hawk, A.J.	LB	6-1	248	1/6/84	3	Ohio State	Centerville, Ohio
84	Humphrey, Tory	TE	6-2	255	1/20/83	3	Central Michigan	Saginaw, Mich.
57	Hunter, Jason	DE	6-4	271	8/28/83	3	Appalachian State	Fayetteville, N.C.
32	Jackson, Brandon	RB	5-10	220	10/2/85	2	Nebraska	Horn Lake, Miss.
77	Jenkins, Cullen	DE	6-2	305	1/20/81	5	Central Michigan	Bellefonte, Mich.
85	Jennings, Greg	WR	5-11	198	9/21/83	3	Western Michigan	Kalamazoo, Mich.
97	Jolly, Johnny	DT	6-3	320	2/21/83	3	Texas A&M	Houston, Texas
89	Jones, James	WR	6-1	218	3/31/84	2	San Jose State	San Jose, Calif.
74	Kampman, Aaron	DE	6-4	265	11/30/79	7	Iowa	Parkersburg, Iowa
30	Kuhn, John	FB	6-0	259	9/9/82	3	Shippensburg	York, Pa.
86	Lee, Donald	TE	6-4	248	8/31/80	6	Mississippi State	Maben, Miss.
22	Lee, Pat	CB	6-0	194	2/20/84	R	Auburn	Miami, Fla.
28	Lumpkin, Kregg	RB	5-11	228	5/15/84	R	Georgia	Stone Mountain, Ga.
82	Martin, Ruvell	WR	6-4	220	8/10/82	3	Saginaw Valley State	Muskegon, Mich.
75	Moll, Tony	G/T	6-5	306	8/23/83	3	Nevada	Sonoma, Calif.
96	Montgomery, Michael	DE	6-5	273	8/18/83	4	Texas A&M	Center, Texas
87	Nelson, Jordy	WR	6-3	217	5/31/85	R	Kansas State	Riley, Kan.
26	Peprah, Charlie	S	5-11	203	2/24/83	3	Alabama	Plano, Texas
79	Pickett, Ryan	DT	6-2	330	10/8/79	8	Ohio State	Zephyrhills, Fla.
51	Poppinga, Brady	LB	6-3	247	9/21/79	4	Brigham Young	Evanston, Wyo.
12	Rodgers, Aaron	QB	6-2	220	12/2/83	4	California	Chico, Calif.
37	Rouse, Aaron	S	6-4	223	1/8/84	2	Virginia Tech	Virginia Beach, Va.
71	Sitton, Josh	G	6-3	317	6/6/86	R	Central Florida	Pensacola, Fla.
72	Spitz, Jason	G/C	6-3	302	12/19/82	3	Louisville	Jacksonville, Fla.
65	Tauscher, Mark	T	6-3	316	6/17/77	9	Wisconsin	Auburndale, Wis.
99	Thompson, Jeremy	DE	6-4	270	10/9/85	R	Wake Forest	Charlotte, N.C.
63	Wells, Scott	C	6-2	303	1/7/81	5	Tennessee	Brentwood, Tenn.
59	White, Tracy	LB	6-0	238	4/14/81	6	Howard	St. Stephens, S.C.
38	Williams, Tramon	CB	5-11	191	3/16/83	2	Louisiana Tech	Napoleonville, La.
21	Woodson, Charles	CB	6-1	202	10/7/76	11	Michigan	Fremont, Ohio

Practice Squad

13	Allen, Jake	WR	6-4	196	1/18/85	R	Mississippi College	Waynesboro, Miss.
95	Bledsoe, Fred	DT	6-3	329	4/7/86	R	Arkansas	Little Rock, Ark.
64	Carvalho, Brennen	C	6-1	300	12/8/86	R	Portland State	Honolulu, Hawaii
58	Lansanah, Danny	LB	6-1	248	8/28/85	R	Connecticut	Harrisburg, Pa.
98	Malone, Alfred	DT	6-4	312	2/21/82	1	Troy	Frisco City, Ala.
40	Porter, Joe	CB	5-10	203	11/27/85	1	Rutgers	Franklin, N.J.
16	Swain, Brett	WR	6-0	203	6/21/85	R	San Diego State	Carlsbad, Calif.
42	Wynn, DeShawn	RB	5-10	238	10/9/83	2	Florida	Cincinnati, Ohio

Reserve/PUP

91	Harrell, Justin	DT	6-4	320	2/14/84	2	Tennessee	Aug. 25 (back)
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19	Bodiford, Shaun	WR	5-11	196	5/4/82	3	Portland State	July 28 (back)
46	Jansen, J.J.	LS	6-2	256	1/20/86	R	Notre Dame	Aug. 31 (knee)
44	Moore, Evan	TE	6-6	247	1/3/85	R	Stanford	Aug. 19 (knee)



No	NUMERICAL ROSTER	Pos	Ht	Wt	Age	NFL Exp	College	How Acquired	Reg. season GP/GS/DNP/IA
2	Mason Crosby	K	6-1	207	24	2	Colorado	D6c-07	4/0/0/0
6	Derrick Frost	P	6-2	210	27	5	Northern Iowa	FA-08	4/0/0/0
10	Matt Flynn	QB	6-2	222	23	R	Louisiana State	D7a-08	2/0/2/0
11	Brian Brohm	QB	6-3	223	23	R	Louisville	D2b-08	0/0/0/4
12	Aaron Rodgers	QB	6-2	220	24	4	California	D1-05	4/4/0/0
20	Atari Bigby	S	5-11	213	26	3	Central Florida	FA-05	2/2/0/2
21	Charles Woodson	CB	6-1	202	31	11	Michigan	UFA-06 (Oak)	4/4/0/0
22	Pat Lee	CB	6-0	194	24	R	Auburn	D2c-08	1/0/0/3
24	Jarrett Bush	CB/S	6-0	200	24	3	Utah State	W-06 (Car)	4/0/0/0
25	Ryan Grant	RB	6-1	226	25	2	Notre Dame	T-07 (NYG)	4/4/0/0
26	Charlie Peprah	S	5-11	203	25	3	Alabama	W-06 (NYG)	2/0/0/2
27	Will Blackmon	CB	6-0	206	23	3	Boston College	D4b-06	4/0/0/0
28	Kregg Lumpkin	RB	5-11	228	24	R	Georgia	FA-08	2/0/1/1
30	John Kuhn	FB	6-0	259	26	3	Shippensburg	W-07 (Pitt)	4/0/0/0
31	Al Harris	CB	6-1	190	33	11	Texas A&M-Kingsville	T-03 (Phil)	3/3/0/1
32	Brandon Jackson	RB	5-10	220	22	2	Nebraska	D2-07	4/0/0/0
35	Korey Hall	FB	6-0	243	25	2	Boise State	D6a-07	2/1/0/2
36	Nick Collins	S	5-11	207	25	4	Bethune-Cookman	D2a-05	4/4/0/0
37	Aaron Rouse	S	6-4	223	24	2	Virginia Tech	D3b-07	4/2/0/0
38	Tramon Williams	CB	5-11	191	25	2	Louisiana Tech	FA-06	4/1/0/0
50	A.J. Hawk	LB	6-1	248	24	3	Ohio State	D1-06	4/4/0/0
51	Brady Poppinga	LB	6-3	247	28	4	Brigham Young	D4b-05	4/3/0/0
54	Brandon Chillar	LB	6-3	243	25	5	UCLA	FA-08	4/1/0/0
55	Desmond Bishop	LB	6-2	238	24	2	California	D6b-07	4/0/0/0
56	Nick Barnett	LB	6-2	236	27	6	Oregon State	D1-03	4/4/0/0
57	Jason Hunter	DE	6-4	271	25	3	Appalachian State	FA-06	4/0/0/0
59	Tracy White	LB	6-0	238	27	6	Howard	FA-06	4/0/0/0
61	Brett Goode	LS	6-1	261	23	1	Arkansas	FA-08	4/0/0/0
63	Scott Wells	C	6-2	303	27	5	Tennessee	FA-04 (D7-04)	1/1/1/2
65	Mark Tauscher	T	6-3	316	31	9	Wisconsin	D7a-00	4/4/0/0
68	Breno Giacomini	T	6-7	311	23	R	Louisville	D5b-08	1/0/1/2
71	Josh Sitton	G	6-3	317	22	R	Central Florida	D4b-08	0/0/0/4
72	Jason Spitz	G/C	6-3	302	25	3	Louisville	D3b-06	4/4/0/0
73	Daryn Colledge	G/T	6-4	308	26	3	Boise State	D2a-06	4/4/0/0
74	Aaron Kampman	DE	6-4	265	28	7	Iowa	D5a-02	4/4/0/0
75	Tony Moll	G/T	6-5	306	25	3	Nevada	D5b-06	4/3/0/0
76	Chad Clifton	T	6-5	320	32	9	Tennessee	D2-00	4/4/0/0
77	Cullen Jenkins	DE	6-2	305	27	5	Central Michigan	FA-04	4/4/0/0
78	Allen Barbre	G	6-4	305	24	2	Missouri Southern State	D4-07	4/0/0/0
79	Ryan Pickett	DT	6-2	330	28	8	Ohio State	UFA-06 (STL)	4/4/0/0
80	Donald Driver	WR	6-0	194	33	10	Alcorn State	D7b-99	4/4/0/0
82	Ruvell Martin	WR	6-4	220	26	3	Saginaw Valley State	FA-06	2/1/0/2
84	Tory Humphrey	TE	6-2	255	25	3	Central Michigan	FA-05	4/0/0/0
85	Greg Jennings	WR	5-11	198	24	3	Western Michigan	D2b-06	4/4/0/0
86	Donald Lee	TE	6-4	248	28	6	Mississippi State	FA-05	4/3/0/0
87	Jordy Nelson	WR	6-3	217	23	R	Kansas State	D2a-08	4/0/0/0
88	Jermichael Finley	TE	6-5	247	21	R	Texas	D3-08	2/0/0/2
89	James Jones	WR	6-1	218	24	2	San Jose State	D3a-07	2/2/0/2
90	Colin Cole	DT	6-1	330	28	4	Iowa	FA-04	4/0/0/0
94	Kabeer Gbaja-Biamila	DE	6-4	249	31	9	San Diego State	FA-00 (D5a-00)	4/0/0/0
96	Michael Montgomery	DE	6-5	273	25	4	Texas A&M	D6a-05	4/0/0/0
97	Johnny Jolly	DT	6-3	320	25	3	Texas A&M	D6a-06	4/4/0/0
99	Jeremy Thompson	DE	6-4	270	22	R	Wake Forest	D4a-08	0/0/0/4

Practice Squad

13	Jake Allen	WR	6-4	196	23	R	Mississippi College	FA-08	0/0/0/0
16	Brett Swain	WR	6-0	203	23	R	San Diego State	D7b-08	0/0/0/0
40	Joe Porter	CB	5-10	203	22	1	Rutgers	FA-07	0/0/0/0
42	DeShawn Wynn	RB	5-10	238	24	2	Florida	D7a-07	0/0/0/0
58	Danny Lansanah	LB	6-1	248	23	R	Connecticut	FA-08	0/0/0/0
64	Brennen Carvalho	C	6-1	300	21	R	Portland State	FA-08	0/0/0/0
95	Fred Bledsoe	DT	6-3	329	22	R	Arkansas	FA-08	0/0/0/0
98	Alfred Malone	DT	6-4	312	26	1	Troy	FA-07	0/0/0/0

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