NEW ORLEANS SAINTS

NFC SOUTH 11-5 1st Place



2009 13-3

Drew Brees

Pierre Thomas Margues Colston

John Carney Jonathan Vilma

RB

REC

PT DIF 6-2 **LEADERS**

DIV

4,388 yds, 363-514 (70.6%), 34-11, 109.6 rat 793 yds, 147 att, 5.4 ypc, long 34, 6 TD's 1,074 yds, 70 rec, 15.3 ypc, long 68, 9 TD's 89 pts, 13 FG's, 50 XP's 110 tkl's, 87 solo

2008 8-8

QB RB **Drew Brees** Pierre Thomas Lance Moore Pierre Thomas

Jonathan Vilma

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PT DIF Н 6-2 +70 **LEADERS**

5069 yds, 413-635 (65%), 34-17, 96.2 rat 625 yds, 129 att, 4.8 ypc, long 42, 9 TD's 928 yds, 79 rec, 11.7 ypc, long 70, 10 TD's 72 pts, 12 TD's (9 Rush, 3 Rec) 132 tkľs, 98 solò

2007 7-9

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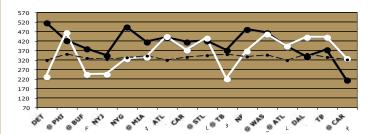
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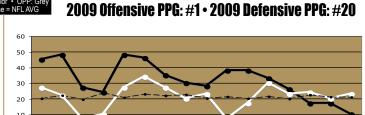
Scott Fujita

LEADERS 4424 yds, 440-652 (67.5%), 28-18, 89.4 rat 581 yds, 157 att, 3.7 ypc, long 22, 4 TD's 1202 yds, 98 rec, 12.3 ypc, 45 long, 11 TD's 66 pts, 11 TD's (11 Rec) 95 tkl's, 77 solo

PT DIF

2009 Offensive YPG: #1 • 2009 Defensive YPG: #25





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2009 GAME-BY-GAME STATS Total Def 231 463 243 244 325 334 442 371 γ_{DS} GAME NFL Total Off 515 421 378 343 493 414 437 414 Sks Vs 0 2 2 0 0 5 2 1 Sks By 1 1 4 4 2 2 3 2 2 3 2 0 1 SEASON Co-**A**π 26-34 25-34 16-29 TO's 0 3 1 3 2 -1 -1 1 -2 4 2 3 1 -3 2 4 1 #8 #5 #4 #3 #7 #10 #12 #14 #14 #16 #17 #16 #15 Yps 198 384 154 Diff 284 -42 135 99 168 80 -5 43 -14 151 114 8 -1 -103 -66 -114 59 -218 GRADE 85.5 88.5 88.6 88.8 88.2 83.3 79.4 83.8 66.4 92.1 78.9 82.3 72.4 65.3 70.9 88.4 74.3 79.0 RANK #103 16-37 31-52 21-36 Detroit 14 23 13 14 17 17 21 23 14 23 28 19 24 24 15 15 31 23 379 28 23 21 18 28 22 23 18 19 21 18 25 24 23 23 14 27 15 20 48-22 27-7 29-133 38-222 22-79 21-89 3.6 4.2 at Philadelphia at Buffalo 288 156 190 369 276 291 330 217 187 367 408 271 249 102 247 189 #62 #61 #58 #66 #133 #207 #124 32-153 40-124 27-138 35-146 23-84 20-32 23-30 22-38 25-33 24-35 27-132 19-84 24-10 48-27 46-34 NY Jets NY Giants 14-27 18-36 112 241 197 281 189 293 100 244 367 303 294 258 310 at Miami 35-27 30-20 Atlanta Carolina 24-161 39-182 6.7 4.7 4.9 5.2 4.4 3.5 4.2 4.0 5.2 4.8 19-42 17-30 28-23 38-7 38-17 33-30 26-23 29-203 36-183 26-113 24-55 26-95 29-141 23-119 28-122 25-88 21-89 26-40 17-33 23-40 30-42 23-34 St Louis 420 370 480 463 391 336 373 213 18-26 19-29 18-23 35-49 31-41 29-45 32-37 15-29 434 219 366 455 392 439 439 327 359 475 #431 1 0 1 at Tampa Bay New England #34 #56 #216 #148 Washington 1 Atlanta 17-24 17-20 10-23 45-14 31-28 13-65 23-124 32-111 36-145 34-176 37-178 22-34 21-31 14-23 #333 #441 #359 #63 #297 Dallas 3 2 1 0 Tampa Bay at Carolina 0 0 1 418 257 34-171 23-68 Arizona Minnesota 23-32 17-31 15-101 36-165 6.7 4.6 24-36 28-46 2.8 4.4 Indianapolis 332 18-51 281 432 19-99 31-45 333 Ö -100 #13 #212 18 0.7 505-2320 4.6 413-701 4670 36 617-400 7468 410 543-2396 450-646 5072 22 6990 478 **AVERAGES** 393 22 29-126 4.4 69.7% 267 3.4% 368 20 27-122 4.6 58.9% 246 5.1% 25 #6

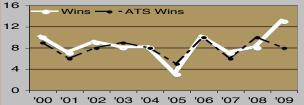


2009 GAME-BY-GAME PLAYER STATS

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40	Drew Brees	26-34	25-34	16-29	20-32		23-30	22-38	25-33	24-35	18-26	19-29	18-23	35-49	31-40	29-45	32-37		\Box	23-32	17-31	32-39	435-616
8		358-6-1	311-3-1	172-0-0	190-0-0		369-4-0	298-1-3	308-2-1	330-1-1	223-2-2	187-3-0	371-5-0	419-2-1	296-3-0	298-1-1	258-1-0		\supset	247-3-0	197-3-0	288-2-0	5120-42-11
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8	Mike Bell	28-143	17-86				15-34	12-80	17-49	5-17	8-30	13-75	13-50	16-34		4-8	7-20	17-28	(4)	6-11	0-0	2-4	180-669
2	Reggie Bush	7-14	10-33	13-64	6-37		6-17	3-10	2-3	2-16	6-83			1-0	6-33	1-29	2-16	5-35	1	5-84	7-8	5-25	87-507
	Lynell Hamilton			5-24	0-0							9-19	0-0	0-0	4-13	0-0	7-21	10-48	님	5-23	1-(-1)		41-147
	Marques Colston	3-30	8-98	4-67	2-33		8-166	5-72	6-85	1-45	2-17	5-74	4-121	2-46	6-54	5-86	8-77	1-3	R	6-83	2-22	7-83	85-1262
	Devery Henderson	5-103	3-71	3-40	3-21		1-6	4-71	4-46	3-93	4-72	1-(-2)	3-116	6-61	3-31	2-22	5-35	1-18		4-80	4-39	7-63	66-986
69	Robert Meachem	2-51	1-11	0-0	1-19		2-70	0-0	2-47	5-98	1-27	2-10	5-69	8-142	4-57	5-43	5-66	2-12	\vdash	0-0	2-19	2-6	49-747
	Jeremy Shockey	4-31	4-49	6-48	4-34		4-37	4-105	5-72	3-26	3-42	2-17	1-15	4-47	4-46			0-0	굱	3-36	1-9	3-13	55-627
題	Reggie Bush	5-55	3-42	3-17	3-7		1-7	3-16	2-11	7-37	2-15			4-28	6-46	2-17	6-37	0-0	H	4-24	2-33	4-38	57-430
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	David Thomas	1-15	2-19	0-0	1-18		0-0	1-(-1)	2-27	0-0	5-45	4-66	1-25	3-31	2-9	8-77	5-25		닏	0-0	3-32	1-9	39-397
	Lance Moore	2-38	0-0		1-1		6-78	2-18	2-11							1-7			贸	2-6	1-5	2-21	19-185
	Jonathan Vilma	4-1	7	5	6		4	10	6	12	8	6-0-1	9	6-0-1	7-0-1	14-1-0	6	0	巴	1	5-0-1	7	123-2-4
	Roman Harper	6	7	10	6		5-1	3	8	12	8	3-0.5	10	4	5	6	6	3	너	2	7	7	118-1.5
	Scott Shanle	5-0-1	12-0-1	6	5		5	6	3	4	6	2	3	4	2	6			[-	7	10	6	92-0-2
	Darren Sharper	1-0-2	3-0-1	2	9-0.5-2		3	4-0-1	4-0-1	9		5	6-0-1	5	3	10	7-0-1		\Box	2	11	3	87-0.5-9
	Tracy Porter	7	1-0-1	2	5		4	9-0-1	6-0-1	7	2					6	6-0-1	2	- -	5	8-0-1	4-0-1	74-0-6
69	Scott Fujita	7	1	9	4		1				4	5-1	7			10	6	4	اسرا	2	4	4	68-1
_	Malcolm Jenkins	1	3	2			0		0	2	2	7-0-1	8	9	4	7	10	0	5	0		4	59-0-1
9	Jabari Greer	2	7	6	6		5-0-1	4	6-0-1	2								6	-	2	8	4	58-0-2
품	Will Smith	3	1	5-1-1	4-1.5		1	1	4-2	4-2	2-1	3-1	4-1.5	4	1	4-2	7-1	1	1	1-0-1	6	1	57-13-2
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	Charles Grant	1	1	3-2	5-2		4	1	3	3	5-0.5	2	2	2	1	2	8-1	1		0			44-5.5-0
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Date	Opponent	Line	Score	e W/L				SCORE :	SU AT		DATE				SU	ATS O/U	Team Angles
Sep 9	Minnesota (Thur)				10/06/2008 09/25/2005			27-30 16-33	L L L L	. 0 46' . 0 45	10/17/2004 12/15/2002		+3 -7	31-38 31-32	L L	L 0 53' L 0 51	The Saints have lost 4 straight reg ssn gms to the Vikes but wo LY's NFC Chmp gm in OT, despite being outgained 475-257.
Sep 20	at San Francisco (Mon)				09/28/2008 10/28/2007	SF - @SF -				V P48 V O40	12/03/2006 09/19/2004	SF SF	-7 -7	34-10 30-27	W	W U 45 L O 41'	NO has won 5 straight vs their former div foe and when they last met in '08, had a 467-312 yd edge and led 28-9 in the 40
Sep 26	Atlanta				11/02/2009 12/07/2008			35-27 29-25	W L	. 0 56 V 0 52	10/21/2007 09/25/2006		-8 +4'	22-16 23-3	W	L U 42' W U 44'	The Saints have won 7 of 8 vs the Falcons incl 3 straight but their last gm here led 28-14 3Q, but needed a 4Q TD to hold on.
Oct 3	Carolina				11/08/2009 12/28/2008			30-20 31-33	W L L L	. U 51 . O 51'	10/07/2007 12/31/2006		-3' +3	13-16 21-31	L	L U 43' L O 38	NO has won just 2 of 9 vs Carolina but won here LY as after trailing 17-6 at half, outscored the Panthers 24-3 in the 2H.
Oct 10	at Arizona				12/16/2007 10/03/2004			31-24 10-34		V 0 49 . 0 40'							Saints have won 7 of 10 vs the Cardinals, but have split the L/6 Last met in '07 when NO had a 421-317 yd edge & led 31-21 in 30
Oct 17	at Tampa Bay				11/22/2009 11/30/2008			38-7 20-23	W W	V U 51 V U 44'	09/16/2007 11/05/2006		-5 +1	14-31 31-14	L W	L 041 W 037	NO is just 2-4 vs Tampa Bay but won here LY, scoring the fina 38 pts as they held TB to 124 yds after their opening TD drive
Oct 24	Cleveland				09/10/2006 11/24/2002			19-14 15-24	W W L L	V U 36' L U 48							Saints are just 1-3 vs the Browns since 1993, but won their las gm in '06, as Reggie Bush had 119 ttl yds in his pro debut.
Oct 31	Pittsburgh (Night)				11/12/2006 10/06/2002			31-38 32-29	L L W P								These tms have met just 4 times since 1988, with NO losing incl their last gm in '06 as NO was outscored 21-7 in the 2H.
Nov 7	at Carolina				01/03/2010 10/19/2008			10-23 7-30	L L	. U 40' . U 44'	11/25/2007 10/01/2006	@CAR @CAR	₹-3 ₹+7	31-6 18-21	W L	W U 41' W U 41	New Orleans has lost 3 of 4 in Carolina but in LY's reg ssn final with the #1 seed in hand, sat their starters as Brees DNP.
Nov 14	BYE WEEK				Last	4 Me	eti	ngs	Sin	nce 2	2001.Di	visio	on i	is L/	4 a	Site	The Saints are just 1-5 after the Bye week, but won last year.
Nov 21	Seattle				10/14/2007 09/12/2004	@SEA +		28-17 7-21		V 0 43 . U 46	09/07/2003	@SEA	+3	10-27	L	L U49	New Orleans ended a 3 gm losing streak to Seattle when the last met in '07, despite being outgained and led 28-7 in the 30
Nov 25	at Dallas (Thur)				12/19/2009 12/10/2006			17-24 42-17	L L W W	. U 54 V O 47	12/12/2004 12/28/2003			27-13 13-7	W	W U 49 W U 38'	Saints had won 4 straight vs Dallas, but had their unbeaten se end LY on a fumb in Dallas Terr after coming back from 24-3.
Dec 5	at Cincinnati				11/19/2006 12/22/2002			16-31 13-20	L L L L	. U 51' . U 48'							New Orleans has dropped 3 straight in the series and the last time in Cincy they allowed 2 4Q TD incl the GW w/1:46 left.
Dec 12	St Louis				11/15/2009 11/11/2007			28-23 29-37	W L L L		10/23/2005 09/26/2004			17-28 28-25	L W	L U 46 W O 49	Saints have lost 4 straight at home to the Rams and the last time here in '07, trailed 34-7 in the 4Q before scoring 3 late TD'
Dec 19	at Baltimore				10/29/2006 12/08/2002	BAL - @BAL -	·2' :	22-35 37-25	L L W W	. 037 V 042							NO is 1-3 vs the Ravens but in their last trip to Baltimore in '02, led 20-7 in 3Q as they blk'd 2 punts and had 5 takeaways.
Dec 27	at Atlanta (Mon)				12/13/2009 11/09/2008		⊧1 ¹ 2	26-23 20-34	W L L L	. U 50' . O 51	12/10/2007 11/26/2006			34-14 31-13	W W	W 044 W U48	The Saints have won 3 of 4 in Atlanta but in their last gm here needed a 4Q FG & stopped the Falcons on a 4th & 2 to hold o
Jan 2	Tampa Bay				12/27/2009 09/07/2008			17-20 24-20	L L W W	. U 48' V O 43	12/02/2007 10/08/2006		-5 -7	23-27 24-21	L W	L 041 L 035	In LY's game New Orleans was trying to lock up HF advantac but K Hartley missed a 37 yd FG with :05 left and they lost in O
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2000 2001 2002 2003 2004 2005 2006 2007 2008 2009 10 Yr Total STRAIGHT UP 10-6 3-13 10-6 13-3 83-77 37-41 46-36 79-78-3 22-33-1 4-4 5-3 8-7-1 1-6 4-4 2-7 6-2 5-10-1 10-6 3-5 5-2 4-4 3-6 6-10 10-5-1 3-5 4-4 3-5 6-2 7-1 Home 6-10 8-8 1-4 2-1 1-0 5-1 4-1 4-3 0-1 1-0 1-2 1-3 0-1 1-4-1 0-2 1-2-1 4-1 Home Favorite 2-4 0-2 2-1 2-2 1-4 5-6 4-8 2-2 1-6 4-4 4-5 2-0 4-4 2-6 0-0 3-2 1-2 2-3 4-7 5-7 1-3 3-4 3-5 5-8 2-3 5-7 0-1 1-2 Home_Dog 1-0 4-2 1-1 4-1 0-1 2-0 5-12-1 18-10 0-0 0-0 Away Favorite 4-3 Away Dog On Grass On Turf 4-3 4-2 3-3-1 4-2-1 0-1 3-2 30-21-1 32-22-2 6-1 3-2 5-6 6-6 2-2 4-3 4-4 1-3 0-1 4-6-1 7-5 5-5 7-5 2-2 2-5 7-1 6-5 9-3 1-3 6-4 3-2 2-4 6-3 47-56-1 6-5-1 4-0 2-5-1 7-0 8-4 1-3 5-5 4-1 4-8 4-0 7-6 0-2 2-9-1 58-60-2 vs Conf vs Non-Conf Off SU Win Off SU Loss 1-2-1 5-4 2-3-1 3-1 0-3 4-7-1 21-18-1 35-45-1 38-29-2 5-3 2-2 5-3 0-0 **FAVORITE** 4-4 1-4 3-4 1-0 5-3 2-1 4-3 1-0 5-6-1 0-2 6-1 8-7 40-43-1 0-2 1-2 2-1 6-1 16-15-1 37-37-1 By 3 or Less 5-6-1 2-4 0-0 7-2 3-1 7-2 0-0 Single Digit 0-1 2-4 1-3 1-4 1-0 0-0 2-1 0-0 4-8-1 3-6 35-33-2 0-0 0-0 UNDERDOG 4-4 2-2 4-4 0-0 3-3 0-3 0-0 3-4-1 1-4-1 3-4-1 0-1 1-1 7-4 0-0 0-1 1-2 0-0 2-4 1-1 By 3 or Less 0-0 12-16-2 2-1 0-0 3-3 Single Digit 4-6-1 0-1 33-31-2 0-2 0-0 3-3 2-0 0-1 ŏ-ò 2-2 Double Digit DIVISION 3-5 0-2 0-2 31-33 3-0 0-1 1-1 0-0 0-0 1-2 0-1 1-1 0-3 0-0 0-2 6-15 2-7 Home Favorite 0 - 3Home Dog 0-0 0-0 0-0 3-0 4-6 2-1 0-0 Away Favorite 1-1 1-0 0-0 0-0 0-0 Away Dog VS NON-DIV 2-0 3-5 2-2 0-0 1-0 4-6 2-3 0-0 6-4 3-6-1 6-4 48-45-3 7-3 0-2 0-0-1 16-18-3-5-1 4-0 0-1 0-1 1-3 2-1 0-0 Home Favorite 1-2-1 4-1 Home Dog 0-1 1-0 3-2 1-0 0-0 Ĭ-0 ŏ-ò 0-1 1-1 2-0 0-0 12-6 Away Favŏrite

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LOUISIANA SUPERDOME

OPENED 9/28/1975 CAPACITY: 69,082 (#17) 2009 ATTENDANCE: HOME: 70,105 (#19) AVG: 69,750 (#19)

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Opponent Line Score ATS 0/U 2007 RESULTS Opponent Opponent Line Score ATS O/U Score ATS O/U Opponent 19-14 W 36 U 34-27 W 39 O 23-3 W 44 U L 53 U L 41' O 24-20 W 42' O -14 45-27 W 49' O at Carolina 23-20 W 44' U at Cleveland +3 +3 +7 +6 at Indianapolis (Th) +6 10-41 Tampa Bay Detroit +3' +3' E L 43 U L 44' O 24-29 L 41' O 32-34 W 51 O 48-22 W 45' O 27-7 W 51 U at NY Giants (M) 10-27 at Green Bay at Tampa Bay 14-31 at Washington +1 +5' at Philadelphia -2 -6 -4' at Buffalo Tennessee (M) at Denver at Minnesota 16-33 Atlanta (M) 14-31 L 45' U 19-7 W 39 U 3-52 L 42 O 31-34 W 43' O 18-21 W 41' 31-17 W 48 24-10 W 46 U Buffalo (SA) BYE WEEK San Francisco NY Jets at Carolina 35 O 47 O 13-16 28-17 27-30 L 34-3 W at Green Bay +3 +5' Tampa Bay 24-21 Carolina -3' 43' U Minnesota (M) -3 -7 46' 0 **RYF WFFK** W 47 W 42' O W 48 NY Giants Atlanta (SA) 27-24 at Seattle (N) +6 Oakland -3 48-27 W 47' Philadelphia +3 46-34 W 47' O 35-27 L 55 O 30-20 L 51' U +3 -2' 17-28 6-21 L 47 -8 -2 -3' 22-16 31-10 L 42' U W 40 O W 40 O 42' +3 7-30 L 44' -6 at St Louis BYE WEEK Atlanta at Carolina at Miami Miami (BR) ŭ 22-35 31-14 L 37 O W 38 O San Diego (UK) BYE WEEK 37-32 W 46 35-27 30-20 Baltimore -2 E at San Francisco +3 0 Atlanta (M) -11 41-24 -12' 34 O Carolina Chicago (BR) 17-20 at Tampa Bay Jacksonville +6 -3 +3' L 45' L 51 W 48 BYE WEEK at Pittsburgh 31-38 O St Louis -10' 29-37 46 O at Atlanta 20-34 1 50 0 P at St Louis -14 28-23 50 0 at Kansas City Green Bay (M) 30-20 W 50 51-29 W 51 W 51 U W 56' U at New England at NY Jets (N) 17-24 21-19 16-31 31-13 at Tampa Bay New England (M) 38-7 38-17 +9 W 48 Cincinnati at Houston +1' -2' 10-23 49' -5' E -10' +1' W 37 O 31-6 W 42 Ö -2 at Atlanta at Carolina 23-27 34-14 Tampa Bay (BR) at Atlanta (M) +3' 3-10 +10 17-36 -7 +7 -9' 34-10 W 45 42-17 W 47 ÜOU 41 +4' 20-23 W 45 U at Washington (OT) -9' 33-30 L 47 O San Francisco Tampa Bay -3 -3' -3' at Tampa Bay 1 44' Ŏ at Dallas (N) at Atlanta (M) W 43' Atlanta -3 +3 -7 29-25 W 51' 24-27 P 45' 0 at Atlanta -10 -7' 26-23 17-24 50' O 53' U 10-27 L 40 10-16 L 47' 31-24 ŏ at Chicago (Th) Carolina (BR) +9' Washington W 49' Dallas (S) Arizona W 47' U L 37' O L 47 O L 40' O 12-13 30-7 -3 -1 23-38 42-7 W 50 U Tampa Báy (OT) -14 17-20 49 Detroit (SA) Philadelphia at Detroit +13' 13-27 +1' 31-33 L 51 O at Tampa Bay Carolina 21-31 at Chicago 25-33 Carolina at Carolina +7 10-23

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NEW ORLEANS SAINTS

OFFENSIVE OUTLOOK FOR 2010

QUARTERBACKS - It took a Super Bowl win for many to realize that Drew Brees has been the top QB in the NFL over the L4Y. Since 2006, Brees leads the NFL in passing yards, attempts, completions, 300 yd gms (30), completions of 25 or more yds (142) and is tied with Peyton Manning with 122TD passes. He and Manning are the only players with four straight 4,000 yd passing seasons and Brees is the only Saints QB to be named to the Pro Bowl in franchise history. A pocket passer with solid mechanics and lightning fast decisions, Brees is virtually unstoppable when he gets into a rhythm. He has displayed a supernatural ability to get the ball to his receivers no matter how well they are being covered. In 2008, 7 players caught 30 or more balls from Brees and his ability to diffuse opposing defenses continues to improve as NO had 9 players with 35 or more receptions LY. Brees did face 6 tms with a top 10 pass defense LY and he avg'd 259 ypg (69%) with a 7-2 ratio and a 97.6 QBR in those contests. The only serious issue with this position is that the Saints have no depth at this time behind Brees. Mark Brunell got his ring and left in FA. Chase Daniel was bounced on and off the practice squad LY. Sean Canfield is a shotgun-oriented spread offense QB which actually meshes well with the system here. NO would do itself right by acquiring another veteran just before camp opens to give the team a quality bkp. As long as Brees stays healthy, the Saints have one of the 3 best QB's in the NFL at the helm.

QB DREW BREES #8 6-0 209 Age: 31 10th Yr (15/15) #2DC SD '01 - 4388 pass yds (70.6%), 34-11 ratio, 8.5 ypa, 109.6 QBR LY. 5069 pass yds (65%), 34-17 ratio, 8.0 ypa, 96.2 QBR, 13 sks, '08 NFL OPOY. 98.8% off snaps in '07. Chase Daniel #10 6-0 218 Age: 24 2nd Yr

UFA out of Missouri,#3 QB no game action, prac sqd LT Sean Canfield ∰ 6-4 223 Age: 23 Rookie 7th round, 239th pick out of Oregon St.

2009 QB Rating:	106.02 - #2
2010 QB 1 and 2 :	109.64 - #1
QB Career Start Record:	68-53 - #12
2010 QB '08-'09 Starts :	31-#19
QB Career Playoff Record:	4-2 - #4
NFL Player Draft Rating:	8.48 - #23

RUNNING BACKS - Its a bit surprising to say that one of the most improved units in the NFL for 2009 belonged to one of the more dominant offenses in the NFL recently. NO finished 2008 28th in rushing and 21st in ypc with 99.6 ypg (4.0) and only had a single 100 yd game by a RB (Pierre Thomas 127 yds vs ATL). Their #1 RB Deuce McAlister essentially retired due to injury after the season and Reggie Bush's status for the season was questioned after he had microfracture surgery. Outside of Bush the top RB's on deck were a trio of UFA's in Pierre Thomas, Mike Bell and Lynell Hamilton. Both Thomas and Bell were dinged up early in the season with knee sprains and ankle injuries but Payton devised gameplans that played to the strengths of the healthy backs. Bush supplied the speed, Bell the power, Thomas was the balanced RB and Hamilton got experience in the system and will be the power back in 2010. When the confetti settled NO ended the season 6th in rushing (132 ypg 4.5) but only had 2 100 yd rushers in the regular season. The Saints gained 512 more yards (32%) more in 2009 on the ground than in 2008. Admittedly a lot of the Saints yardage was with games salted away and opposing defenses played the pass a lot more. Bell was allowed to leave on an RFA tender to PHI and the Saints are going to promote Hamilton into his spot. Thomas is also an RFA and will get a contract extension prior to camp but he isn't likely to get the Steven Jackson amount he is seeking. NO does utilize the FB position and brought in Jason McKie a dedicated blocking FB to compete with Heath Evans who is a balanced FB coming off an ACL tear. The Saints haven't had an 1,100 yd rusher since Deuce tallied 1641 (4.7) back in 2003. They aren't likely to have one in 2010 as the Saints continue to be at the forefront of the passing revolution in the NFL.

RB PIERRE THOMAS 23 5-11 215 Age: 25 4th Yr (6/14)

RB PIERRE THOMAS 25 5-11 215 Age: 25 4th Yr (6/14) UFA NO '07 - 793 rush yd (5.4), 6 TD, 36 rush FD's, 302 rec (7.7) 2 TD, 16.9% of off LY. 5 sts, 15 gms, 625 rush yd (4.8), 9 TD, 284 rec yds (9.2), 3 TD, 13.8% of off in '08

Reggie Bush 25 6-0 203 Age: 25 5th Yr (8/14)
#1DC NO '06 - 390 rush yds (5.6), 19 rush FD's, 335 rec
yds, (7.1) 11.2% of off LY, 9 sts, 10 gms, 404 rush yds (3.8),
440 rec yds (8.5), 12.8% of off, out gms 8-11 (knee) in '08.
Lynell Hamilton 20 6-0 235 Age: 25 3rd Yr (1/9)
UFA NO '08 - 125 rush (3.6), 12 rush FD's, 48 rec yds
(9.6), 2.7% of off LY. 1 gm, no stats in '08.

FB HEATH EVANS #44 6-0 250 Age: 31 10th Yr (5/6) #3DC SEA '01 - 16 rush yd (3.2), 70 rec yds (7.0), 1.3% of off LY. 23 rush yds (2.1), 59 rec yds (19.7), 0 TD at NE in '08. Jason McKie #5 5-11 247 Age: 30 9th Yr (11/16) UFA DAL '02 - 0 rush att, 13 rec yds (2.6) with CHI LY. 31 sts, 42 gms, 61 rush yds (2.4) '06-'08 w/CHI.

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2009	RB Y	PC:					5.1 - #5
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RECEIVERS - One of the more overlooked factors in the Saints offensive success is that Brees has had the same top 4 WR's (5 counting Reggie Bush) to work with since 2006. The Saints have finished in the top 3 for yds per pass play in 3 of the L4Y (#14 in 2007) despite Marques Colston (2006-07, 2009) being the only player with 1,000 yd seasons in that span. NO returns its receiving corps intact once again keeping the continuity. While not the fastest, Colston has thrived as Brees' top possession target with 54 of his 70 rec's LY going for FD's. Henderson has evolved from a slot WR with questionable hands to a reliable deep threat who has improved his route running. Lance Moore was beat up by a hamstring injury early in the year, got healthy then was hit with a high ankle sprain. When healthy he is a quality slot WR who can make the most out of Brees' ability to beat coverages with precision. Prior to TC LY GM Mickey Loomis was asked who the breakout player for 2009 would be and without hesitation he named Robert Meachem. Meachem's 1st 2 years were a waste as he came out early from Tennessee, was out of shape and then missed all of his rookie season due to a knee injury. He was very limited in 2008 as he was really just learning the system and getting back into the game. LY he showed growth and became the team's deep threat and his 16.0 ypc was 9th best in the NFL. Meachem is expected to be 100% for TC after toe surgery in May and NO is quietly confident that he is finally going to be the pure #1 WR they drafted him to be. Courtney Roby isn't a factor in the passing game but his roster spot is in good shape due to his special teams abilities. The TE spot looks to be in good hands for the short term with Jeremy Shockey but the Saints also made an interesting move for the future by drafting Jimmy Graham in the 3rd RD. Despite a successful career as a hybrid TE/WR who isn't afraid to go over the middle, Shockey hasn't played a full 16 games in his career. With #2 TE David Thomas being a short area/blocking TE, Graham is another former basketball player that only played year of football. Admittedly still raw there has been a buzz around Graham that if he'd played 4 years at TE he would have been in the same class as Winslow and Shockey coming out of Miami. Usually in the NFL the receiving positions are graded on a #1 WR with everyone else coming in to complement him. NO's diffused passing attack in which Brees simply goes for the open WR regardless is a great example of the sum being better than its parts which should make for another impressive season.

WR MARQUES COLSTON ∰2 6-4 225 Age: 27 5th Yr. (14/16) #7DC NO '06 - 1074 rec yd (15.3), 54 rec FD's, 16.7% of off, 66.0 catch % LY. 6 st, 11 gm, 760 rec yd (16.2), 11.6% of off in '08.

Lance Moore ∰16 5-9 190 Age: 27 5th Yr (0/7)
UFA CLE '05 - 153 rec yd (10.9), 10 rec FD's, 2.4% of off,
73.7 catch %, banged up all yr LY. 6 st, 16 gm, 928 rec yd
(11.7), 14.1% of off in '08.

WR DEVERY HENDERSON ∰9 5-11 200 Age: 28 7th Yr (11/16) #2DC NO '04 - 804 rec yd (15.8), 33 rec FD's, 12.6% of off, 61.4 catch % LY. 13 st, 16 gm, 793 rec yd (24.8), 12.6% of off in '08. Robert Meachem ∰17 6-2 210 Age: 26 4th Yr (7/16)

#1DC NYG '02 - 59 rec yd (11.9), 29 rec FD, 8.8% of off, 70.3 catch % LY. 3 sts, 14 gms, 289 rec yds (24.1) '07-'08.

TE JEREMY SHOCKEY #88 6-5 251 Age: 30 9th Yr (12/13) #1DC NYG '02 - 569 rec yd (11.9), 29 rec FD, 8.8% of off, 71.6 catch % LY. 11 st, 12 gm, 483 rec yd (9.7), 7.4% of off '08.

catch % LY. 11 st, 12 gm, 483 rec yd (9.7), **7.4% of off** '08. **David Thomas (85)** 6-3 248 Age: 27 **5th** Yr (8/15) #3DC NE '06 - 356 rec yds (10.2), 18 rec FD's, **5.5% of off**, 71.4 catch % LY. 10 sts, 15 gms, 93 rec yds (10.3) w/NE '08.

2009 WR/TE Total Yards:	3,783 - #9
2009 WR/TE YPC:	13.5 - #5
2010 Top 6 WR/TE '09 Stats:	3,678 (14.0) - #5
2010 Top 6 WR/TE Rec Yds ('07-'09) :	9,463 (13.7) - #4
NFL Player Draft Rating:	8.03 - #18

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	Robert Meachem		45	722	16.0	9	54	
	Jeremy Shockey		48	569	11.9	3	66	
	David Thomas		35	356	10.2	ĭ	37	
	Reggie Bush		47	335	7.1	3	29	
	Pierre Thomas		39	302	7.7	2	36	
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	Heath Evans		10	70	7.0	2	13	
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	Scott Shanle		69	0	3	3	2	
	Scott Fujita		58	1	2	2	0	
-	Tracy Porter		57	0	0	12	4	
	Malcolm Jenkins		55	0	Ó	4	1	
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	Randall Gay		37	1	1	5	1	
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\mathbf{u}	Pierson Prioleau		29	0	0	1	0	
	Troy Evans		29	0	1	1	0	
	Jo-Lonn Dunbar		20	0	0	0	0	
	Alex Brown (from CHI)		48	6	6	1	0	
	Jimmy Wilkerson (from TB)		46	6	1	2	0	
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priorities was the rebuilding of the OL which had given up 41 sacks (1 every 13.5 pass att's). Since then NO has had the 2nd best protection unit over the L4Y allowing just 72 sacks (1 every 33.5 pass att's) with only IND being better (65 sacks). NO's OL had a banner year in 2009 as they started the same OL for 14 of 16 games despite losing LT Jammal Brown to a hip injury just prior to the season. Jermon Bushrod had only played in 3 games prior to being named the starter and while he was destroyed by DeMarcus Ware in the DAL game, NO wants to retain him as the starter. GM Mickey Loomis let it be known that Brown was available for a trade and he was traded to WAS in June for a conditional 2011 pick. NO reinforced the idea of trading him by drafting Charles Brown in the 2nd RD of the draft. With NO's aerial dominance recently it is a bit of surprise to see that they are the only team ranked in the top 6 in passing and rushing for 2009. The interior combination of Carl Nicks at LG, Jonathan Goodwin at C and Jahri Evans at RG is a big reason for NO's 512 yd increase (+.5 ypc) over 2008. Evans is currently regarded as the best OG in the NFL and NO smartly signed him to a 7 year deal in the offseason. Jon Stinchcomb isn't the most athletic RT in the NFL but he is very consistent and is surprisingly nimble for screen plays. NO is a bit thin on depth for the interior with only Nick Leckey having any starting experience. Zach Strief has been a good swing OT who doesn't cost much and also helps on special teams. A large part of the Saints impressive record in terms of sacks is admittedly due to Brees' ability to get rid of the ball quickly and NO's use of 5 step drops. With 4 of the 5 projected starters returning for the 3rd straight season the Saints should get another impressive performance out of this unit.

LT JERMON BUSHROD #74 6-5 315 Age: 26 4th Yr (14/15) #4DC NO '07 - 4 penalties, 7.5 sks all'd, 14 sts at LT LY.

3 gms, 0 penalties, 0 sks all'd '07-'08.

Charles Brown 6-5 303 Age: 23 Rookie
2nd round, 64th pick out of USC.

LG CARL NICKS 6-5 343 Age: 25 3rd Yr (16/16)

#5DC NO '08 - 3 penalties, 1.5 sks all'd, 16 sts LG LY.

13 sts, 16 gms, 4 pen, 0.5 sks all'd in his rookie season.

Brandon Carter #61 6-6 329 Age: 24 Rookie

UFA out of Texas Tech.

C JONATHAN GOODWIN 676 6-3 318 Age: 31 9th Yr (16/16) #5DC NYJ '02 - 2 penalties, 0 sk all'd, 16 sts at C LY. 13 sts, 13 gms (inj), 3 penalties, 1 sack allowed in '08. Nick Leckey 660 6-3 291 Age: 28 7th Yr (0/8)

#6DC ARZ '04 - 0 penalties, 0 sks all'd LY.

10 sts, 10 gms (inj'd), 4 pen, 2 sks all'd at STL in '08.

RG JAHRI EVANS (778) 6-4 318 Age: 27 5th Yr (16/16)

#4DC NO '06 - 5 penalties, 2 sks all'd, 16 sts at RG LY.

16 sts, 5 penalties, 2 sacks allowed in '08.

Tim Duckworth 22 6-4 318 Age: 28 2nd Yr (0/0) UFA DEN '07 - NO's practice squad the L/3Y. RT JON STINCHCOMB 65-5 315 Age: 31 8th Yr (16/16) #2DC NO '03 - 4 penalties, 3 sks all'd, 16 sts at RT LY.

16 sts at RT, 3 penalties, 1.5 sacks allowed in '08. **Zach Strief #34** 6-7 320 Age: 27 **5th Yr** (2/16) #7DC NO '06 - 2 penalties, 0 sks all'd, 2 sts at LT LY. 1 st, 16 gms, 1 penalty, 1 sack allowed in '08. 2009 Rush Yds/YPC Production: 2.106/4.5 - #7 % Sacks Allowed/OB Hurries: 3.7%/49 - #3 **2010 OL Players '09 Starts:** 78 - #14 **2010 OL Career Starts: 289 - #20 Avg Starters Ht/Wt:** 6'4"/321 - #10

NFL Player Draft Rating: 7.73 - #8 **DEFENSIVE OUTLOOK FOR 2010**

DEFENSIVE LINE - Prior to 2009, the Saints' DL had been a major disappointment partially due to injuries to Charles Grant and Will Smith and partially due to having 3 different DL coaches in 3 years. The duo had tallied 16.5, 9.5 and 6 sacks before earning 18.5 sacks LY. Both players were able to start all 16 games though Grant tore his triceps in the meaningless season finale vs CAR. Smith had a career high 13 sacks as he got a huge boost from teams having to defend Sedrick Ellis next to him. Ellis became the missing link for a DL that had finished 23rd, 13th and 17th in rush defense from 2006-08 (117 ypg, 4.4). NO's #21 rush defense finish LY (122 ypg 4.5) is largely due to Ellis missing 5 games due to injury (rested vs CAR). With Ellis in the lineup NO allowed 102 ypg (4.2) rushing and without him (not inc Wk 17) they gave up 150 ypg (5.0) with four 100 yd rushers. The Saints showed some improvement on 3rd down defense moving from 19th to 14th but made a sizeable jump in red zone defense going from 9th (29 TD's on 60 drives) to 2nd with 22 TD's on 56 drives. NO has done a good job developing players from its practice squad with Remi Ayodele finding the right fit in DC Williams' defense and DeMario Pressley earning some decent time as the #4 DT when Ellis was out. Anthony Hargrove resurrected his career LY after being suspended for all of 2008. He was very versatile in the scheme playing DT/ DE depending on down and distance. NO drafted Al Woods to improve the run defense though he may not see significant time at NT until 2011. NO released Grant in the offseason and replaced him with Alex Brown who has a good history of health and work ethic as a pass rusher and is adequate vs the run.

will be the health of Ellis as they try to repeat.

DE ALEX BROWN 486 6-3 260 Age: 31 9th Yr (16/16) #2DC CHI '02 - 48 tkls, 6 sks (#2 tm), 6 tfl (#2) w/CHI LY. 16 sts, 44 tkls, 6 sks (#1), 13 tfl, 6 pbu w/CHI '08. Jimmy Wilkerson 6-2 270 Age: 29 8th Yr (15/15) #6DC KC '03 - 46 tkls, 6 sks (#2 tm), IR 12/28 ACL w/TB LY. 1 st, 16 gms, 23 tkls, 5 sks w/TB in '08.

DT SEDRICK ELLIS 1998 6-1 307 Age: 25 3rd Yr (10/10)

Bobby McCray is a situational pass rusher and was cut late in

June but could resurface later. Jimmy Wilkerson will see time

based on down and distance and he is likely to start the season on the PUP list after an ACL tear in mid-April. The Saints are keen

on improving their rush defense in 2010 as they face a slew of

teams with top notch RB's. The key to the Saints improvement

#1DC NO '08 - 34 tkls, 2 sks, 1 tfl, missed 6 (knee) LY. 13 sts, 13 gms, 30 tkls, 4 sks (#2 tm), 5 pbu as a rookie. **Anthony Hargrove #39** 6-3 272 Age: 27 **6th Yr** (6/16) #3DC STL '04 - 42 tkls, 5 sks, 3 tfl LY Susp all of '08. 12 gms, 28 tkls, 1.5 sks, 2 tfl, susp gms 1-4 w/BUF '07. NT REMI AYODELE #22 6-2 318 Age: 27 4th Yr (13/15) UFA NE '06 - 30 tkls, 1.5 sks, 1 tfl LY 6 gms, 3 tkls, 1 tfl, spent time on practice squad in '08.

DeMario Pressley 6-3 301 Age: 24 3rd Yr (0/7) #5DC NO '08 - 15 tkls, 3 tfl LY. No action (IR) in '08. DE WILL SMITH 6-3 282 Age: 29 7th Yr (16/16) #1DC NO '04 - Pro Bowl potential. 49 tkl, 13 sk (#1 tm),

UFA IND '07 - 10 tkls LY. 10 ams, 18 tkl, 3 sks (t-#3 tm), 1 tfl in '08.

2009 DL Sacks and TFL: 28.5-15 - #9 2009 Total Tackles by DL: 239 - #10 **2010 DL Sacks and TFL:** 33.5-18 - #3 2010 Total Tackles by DL: 264 - #1 **2010 DL Sacks and TFL ('07-'09): 36.5-22.5 - #12 NFL Player Draft Rating:** 7.67 - #15

LINEBACKERS - LY the Saints fielded their best LB unit since the Dome Patrol in the late 1980's and early 1990's. Gregg Williams ran a lot of situational 4-3/3-4 tendencies in 2009 to take advantage of Jonathan Vilma's athleticism, Scott Fujita's leadership and experience and Scott Shanle's dependability. Vilma played every down in 2008 and led the team in snaps for 2009 (98.1%). He plays more like a RB avoiding opposing OL to get to the ball carrier and his previous experience as a



3-4 LB with the Jets made the transition to the new defense easy. Vilma is an upper echelon tackling machine who gets overlooked in the top LB conversations because he doesn't make a lot of splashy plays and doesn't attract media attention. Shanle remains the WLB and is a solid, dependable player who doesn't make mistakes and does what he's supposed to in the system. SLB is open for competition after they opted to let Fujitá leave in FA. Jo-Lonn Dunbar who was the top backup LB for the Saints in 2009 will battle with former Jaguar Clint Ingram for the spot. Ingram went unsigned for most of the offseason as he had the same microfracture surgery as FS Darren Sharper. He's a good all around player who needs to find the right system to maximize his abilities. Dunbar has the edge right now due system familiarity and it wouldn't surprise me to see him starting most of the early games. Troy Evans and Marvin Mitchell are cornerstones of NO's special teams and situational backups. Stanley Arnoux starts his rookie season all over again as he recovers from his Achilles injury from LY. Jonathan Casillas is a fan favorite who got time late in the season when the coaching staff wanted to reward him for his efforts. Vilma makes this an above average unit that continues to improve with more time in the system but the SLB situation needs to be watched in training camp.

SLB CLINT INGRAM 55 6-2 238 Age: 27 5th Yr (12/13) #3DC JAX '02 - 52 tkls, 1 sk, 3 tfl, IR 12/21 (shldr) LY at JAX. 12 sts, 16 gms, 38 tkls, 2 sk, 4 tfl, in '08 at JAX. **Jo-Lonn Dunbar** 6-0 226 Age: 25 **3rd Yr** (3/9) UFA NO '08 - 20 tkls, IR 12/8 (hamstring) LY. 2 sts, 15 gms, 20 tkls, 2 pbu in his rookie season. MLB JONATHAN VILMA (\$51) 6-1 230 Age: 28 7th Yr (15/15) #7DC NO '07 - 27 tkls, 1 tfl LY.

25 gms, 18 tkls '07-'08. WLB SCOTT SHANLE 638 6-2 245 Age: 30 8th Yr (14/14) #7DC STL '03 - 69 tkls, 3 tfl, 3 pbu, 2 int LY. 16 sts, 87 tkls (#3 tm), 2 sks, 5 tfl (#1 tm), 5 pbu in '08. Anthony Waters (50) 6-3 238 Age: 26 3rd Yr (0/3) #3DC SD '07 - 2 tkls w/NO L

7 gms, 3 tkls (all on spec tms) with SD in '08.

2009 LB Sacks and TFL: 4.5-17 - #24 363 - #18 2009 Total Tackles by LB: **2010 LB '09 Sacks and TFL:** 3-15 - #27 **2010 LB Total '09 Tackles:** 278 - #23 **2010 LB Sacks and TFL ('07-'09):** 5-21 - #29 **NFL Player Draft Rating:** 6.66 - #27

DEFENSIVE BACKS - Prior to 2009 the Saints had given up a 79-39 TD/Int ratio from 2006-08 and hadn't posted a positive ratio since 2000 when they gave up a 17-20 ratio (7.1 ypa). LY despite a rash of injuries which devastated the CB position the Saints posted a 15-26 ratio (6.9 ypa) with 1 Int every 22 pass att's. The key player in the Saints' resurgence was FS Darren Sharper whose 9 int set the tone for the defense and

he was key in lining up the DB's correctly. Sharper is coming off microfracture surgery and will not see much if any time in preseason. NO formally shifted Malcolm Jenkins who was exclusively a CB LY to FS as a precaution and to get him started on his future. Roman Harper took off in Williams' defense and was great playing in the box leading the team in tfl and provided support in blitz packages. NO was so depleted by injuries that they were forced to start street FA's Chris McAllister and Mike McKenzie, who were shadows of their former selves due to injuries. This year NO has a surplus of CB's and it wouldn't be a surprise to see one get traded early in camp. Tracy Porter and Jabari Greer are both 100% over LY's injuries and are a capable tandem. NO stuck to its board and took the best player available with Patrick Robinson in a bit of a surprise move, Robinson's physical style of play makes him a good fit for Williams' defense and he is the heavy favorite for the nickel CB role. Randall Gay didn't have as good a season in 2009 as William's man-to-man schemes weren't ideally suited to his skill set. Gay will battle Leigh Torrence for a roster spot with special teams play likely to be the deciding factor. Usama Young is a bit of tweener at this point as they tried to shift him to safety but he hasn't fully embraced the position. While he is good in coverage and a decent tackler at this point he's likely to remain a depth/special teams player due to the talent ahead of him. Sharper's knee will garner a lot of attention in the preseason and there is a possibility he'll start the season on the PUP. Mickey Loomis has done a good job of stocking the back end of the defense after so many years of poor play and this should still be an opportunistic unit.



CB JABARI GREER (\$2 5-11 180 Age: 28 7th Yr (8/9) UFA BUF '04 - 44 tkls, 13 pbu (#2 tm), 2 int, surg 12/10 LY. 10 sts, 10 gms, 37 tkls, 7 pbu, 2 int w/BUF '08. Patrick Robinson #94 5-11 190 Age: 23 Rookie 1st round, 32nd pick out of Florida St CBTRACY PORTER 22 5-11 186 Age: 24 3rd Yr (11/12) #2DC NO '08 - 57 tkl, 12 pbu (#3 tm), 4 int (#2), missed 4 (wrist) LY. 5 st, 5 gm, 25 tkl, 5 pbu, 1 int, IR 10/7 (wrist inj) '08. Randall Gay #20 5-11 190 Age: 28 7th Yr (7/14) UFA NE '04 - 37 tkls, 1 sk, 5 pbu, 1 int LY 13 sts, 14 gms, 52 tkls, 1 sk, 2 tfl, 15 pbu (#1 tm) in '08. SS ROMAN HARPER 441 6-1 200 Age: 27 5th Yr (16/16) #2DC NO '06 - 102 tkls (#2 tm), 10 tfl (#1), 5 pbu LY. 15 sts, 15 gms, 89 tkls (#2 tm), 4 tfl (t-#2 tm), 9 pbu (#3 tm) '08. Chris Reis #89 6-1 215 Age: 27 4th Yr (1/15) UFA NO '07 - 17 tkls, 1 pbu, 1 int LY.

2010 DEPTH CHART

29 gms, 27 tkls, 1 sk '07-'08.

OFFENSE (Rd Drafted) Chase Daniel (U)

QB Drew Brees (2) Pierre Thomas (U) Heath Evans (3) Marques Colston (7) WR WR Devery Henderson (2) Jeremy Shockey (1) TE Jermon Bushrod (4) Carl Nicks (5) Jonathan Goodwin (5) Jahri Evans (4) Jon Stinchcomb (2)

Reggie Bush (1) Jason McKie (U) Lance Moore (U) Robert Meachem (1) David Thomas (3) Charles Brown (2) Brandon Carter (U) Nick Leckey (6) Tim Duckworth (U)

Sean Canfield (7) Lynell Hamilton (U) Zak Keasey (U) Adrian Arrington (7) Courtney Roby (3) Jimmy Graham (3) Jermey Parnell (U) Joe Tonga (U) Matt Tennant (5)

Zach Strief (7) Na'Shan Goddard (U)

DEFENSE (Rd Drafted)

Alex Brown (2) Sedrick Ellis (1) Remi Ayodele (U) Will Smith (1) SLB Clint Ingram (3) MLB Jonathan Vilma (1) WLB Scott Shanle (7) Jabari Greer (U)

Tracy Porter (2)

Roman Harper (2)

Darren Sharper (2)

Anthony Hargrove (3) Earl Heyman (U) DeMario Pressley (5) Al Woods (4) Jeff Charleston (U) Jo-Lonn Dunbar (Ú) Troy Evans (U)

Marvin Mitchell (7)

Anthony Waters (3) Jonathan Casillas (U) Patrick Robinson (1) Leigh Torrence (U) Randall Gay (U) Usama Young (3) Chris Reis (U) Chip Vaughn (4) Malcolm Jenkins (1) Pierson Prioleau (4)

Jimmy Wilkerson (6) Junior Galette (U)

SPECIAL TEAMS (Rd Drafted)

Garrett Hartley (U) Thomas Morstead (5)

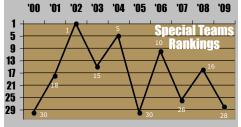
KR Reggie Bush (1) PR Courtney Roby (3)

FS DARREN SHARPER 22 6-2 210 Age: 34 14th Yr (14/14) #2DC GB '97 - 71 tkls, 15 pbu (#1 tm), 9 int (#1), All-Pro LY. 16 sts, 69 tkls, 1 tfl, 5 pbu, 1 int at MIN in '08.

Malcolm Jenkins 27 6-0 204 Age: 22 2nd Yr (6/14)

2009 Defensive QBR:	68.6 - #3
2009 DB Int/PBU:	9/38 - #12
2010 DB '09 Int/PBU:	19/56 - #4
2010 DB '07-'09 Int/PBU:	16/82 - #11
2010 FS/SS Tackles for '09:	173 - #5
NFL Player Draft Rating:	7.02 - #26

#1DC NO '09 - 55 tkls. 4 pbu. 1 int at CB LY. SPECIAL TEAMS - One of the general trends in the NFL has been that teams with high powered offenses like NO, IND, NE and GB post poor special teams finishes. This is a combination of teams not wanting to risk their best players on a more dangerous unit and a lack of financial investment in bringing in dedicated special teams players like a Sean Morey. NO has been near the bottom of our special teams rankings 2 of the L3Y finishing 26th in 2007 and 28th in 2008. With the success of the Saints offense Punter Thomas Morstead didn't have a lot of room to boom most of the time and only had a 36.0 net (31st) with just 18 inside the 20 (26th). He did get to show off his leg on KO's with 27 TB's and only DAL K David Buehler had more (29). NO went into the season with K John Carney but he was inconsistent at the end of the season and missed 4 FG including 3 under 40. Garrett Hartley who was suspended the first 4 games for violating the NFL's substance abuse policy only had a long of 38 yds after replacing Carney for the final 5 games. He made his 1st game winning FG (40 yds) vs MIN in the NFC Championship and is the 1st K to make three 40 yd FG's in the Super Bowl. NO was an impressive 4th on KR's (24.4) thanks to Courtney Roby. However they were 31st on PR's as they didn't want Reggie Bush to get injured on PR's and he was basically out there to just catch the ball. NO's coverage units weren't good at all as they allowed a 14.3 avg on PR's (32nd) and 24.5 on KR's (29th). Look for another good year by NO's offense to have a negative effect on their special teams



(#28 in '09) as they finish in the bottom third of our rankings for 2010 but the coverage units should improve some

K GARRETT HARTLEY \$\overline{45}\$ 5-8 196 Age: 24 3rd Yr (5 gms) UFA NO '08 - 9-11 FG's, L/38, 10-11 xp's LY

8 gm, 13-13 FG, 4-4 from 40+, L/47, 28-28 xp in rookie yr. P THOMAS MORSTEAD 86-4 225 Age: 24 2nd Yr (16 gms) #5DC NO '09 - 58 punts (43.6), 36.0 net, 18 ln/20, won

starting job in late August as a rookie.

KR COURTNEY ROBY #15 6-0 189 Age: 27 6th Yr (15 gms) #3DC TEN '05 - 42 KR (27.5), 1 TD LY, 19 KR (24.8), 0 TD in '08.

PR REGGIE BUSH #25 6-0 203 Age: 25 5th Yr (14 gms)

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Thomas Morstead's '09 Net Avg: 36	.0 - #26
2009 Offensive KR Avg: 2	<u> 4.4 - #4</u>
2009 Foe's Avg Drive Start on KR's: 2	5.5 - #8
2009 Offensive PR Avg: 4	l.6 - #31
2009 Net TD Returns/Block P/FG's:	-2
Garrett Hartley's '09 FG: 9-11 L/3	18 - #35
2009 Special Teams Rating: 6.3	70 - #28

#1DC NO '06 - 27 PR's (4.8), 0 TD LY. 10 gms, 20 PR's (13.5), 3 TD in '08.

COACHING - The Saints went into 2009 with a new OC and a

new DC in Pete Carmichael and Gregg Williams. Carmichael was promoted from QB coach and his primary job LY was to organize the day to day activities for the offense during the week. This is because Payton who is at this point regarded as the best offensive-minded HC in the NFL calls his own plays. In the 4 years that Payton has been running the offense the Saints have finished no lower than 6th in 3rd down efficiency. LY's small improvement from 4th to 2nd in red zone offense

doesn't tell the real story of just how good they were. NO led the NFL with 71 drives inside the 20 and was 2nd only to MIN with 41 TD's. Williams was the best coaching hire of 2009 as will 4 TDs. Williams was the best coaching the of 2009 as he instilled a dramatically new attitude into a defense that was #3 with 39 takeaways LY (7 TD's). NO's #25 defensive ranking is misleading as they were besieged by injuries to the CB spot at midseason. Teams were also able to throw for big yards late in games due to big leads by the offense. While NO only pulled in 1 sack in the postseason they scored numerous QB hits vs Warner and Favre and the Saints were +11 TO's as well. Usually the coaching staff of a SB winner is raided by other teams but the uncertainty of the 2011 season has left the unit largely intact. They do have a potentially serious legal issue brewing involving GM Mickey Loomis, Sean Payton and asst HC Joe Vitt but the status of it is unknown at this time. This is a top-notch coaching unit that knows how to put its players in the best position to succeed.

Head Coach - Sean Payton, 5th year
Payton has the 2nd most wins in franchise history (38-26) and his 4-1 postseason record (inc SB XLIV) is a franchise best. Payton was the OC for the NYG from 1999-2002 and with DAL from 2003-06.

Offensive Coordinator - Pete Carmichael Jr, 5th year
Carmichael became the OC in 2009 after being the QB coach
from 2006-08. He was with SD from 2002-05 as a quality control asst and WR's coach. NO leads the NFL with thirty 300 yd passing games in his tenure.

QB Coach - Joe Lombardi, 4th year

Lombardi was named the QB coach in 2009 after being an offensive asst in 2007-'08. He was a defensive asst in ATL

RB Coach - Bret Ingalls, 2nd year Ingalls became the RB coach in 2009 after being the OL coach at Northwestern from 2006-'08. NO's run game im-

coach at Northwestern from 2006-'08. NO's run garne improved by 512 yds in 2009.

WR Coach - Curtis Johnson, 5th year
Johnson was Miami, FL's WR coach from 1996-'05. Since '06, NO has had 34 100 yd receiving gms which is 3rd in the NFL.

OL Coach - Aaron Kromer, 3rd year
Kromer was named the NO RB coach in 2008 and shifted to OL coach in 2009. He was TB's OL coach from 2006-'07 and was an asst working with the OL there in 2005.

Defensive Coordinator - Gregg Williams, 2nd year

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williams has 20 years of NFL experience with 3 as a HC (BUF 2001-'03) and 10 as a DC (1997-2000 TEN, 2004-'07 WAS, JAX '08) where he has fielded four Top 10 defenses

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DL Coach - Bill Johnson, 2nd year

Johnson was the DL coach in DEN from 2007-'08 years. He was the Falcons' DL coach from 2001-'06. His DL's have allowed 127 ypg rushing (4.5) over the L9Y.

LB Coach/Assistant HC - Joe Vitt, 5th year

Vitt has been an NFL asst since 1979. Vitt joined NO after 2 seasons as the LB coach in STL. He served as the Rams' interior LG for 11 agrees in 2005.

Secondary Coach - Dennis Allen, 5th year
Allen was NO's asst DL coach from 2006-'07. He was then moved to secondary coach in 2008-'09. After finishing 23rd in pass defense for 2008 with a 21-15 TD/Int ratio NO came in 26th but with a much improved 15-26 ratio last year.

Special Teams Coach - Greg McMahon, 5th year

McMahon took control of the ST's in 2008, after serving as a ST's assistant his first 2 years. He coached in the college ranks for 24 ssns, most recently as the TE's/ST's cch at EC.



2010 DRAFT 1-32 Patrick Robinson CB Florida St Charles Brown USC 2-64 ΤE Jimmy Graham 3-95 Miami, FI 4-123 DT Al Woods LSU 5-158 Boston College Matt Tennant 7-239 QΒ Sean Canfield Oregon St ADDITIONS AND DELETIONS (3) FB FB DE DE

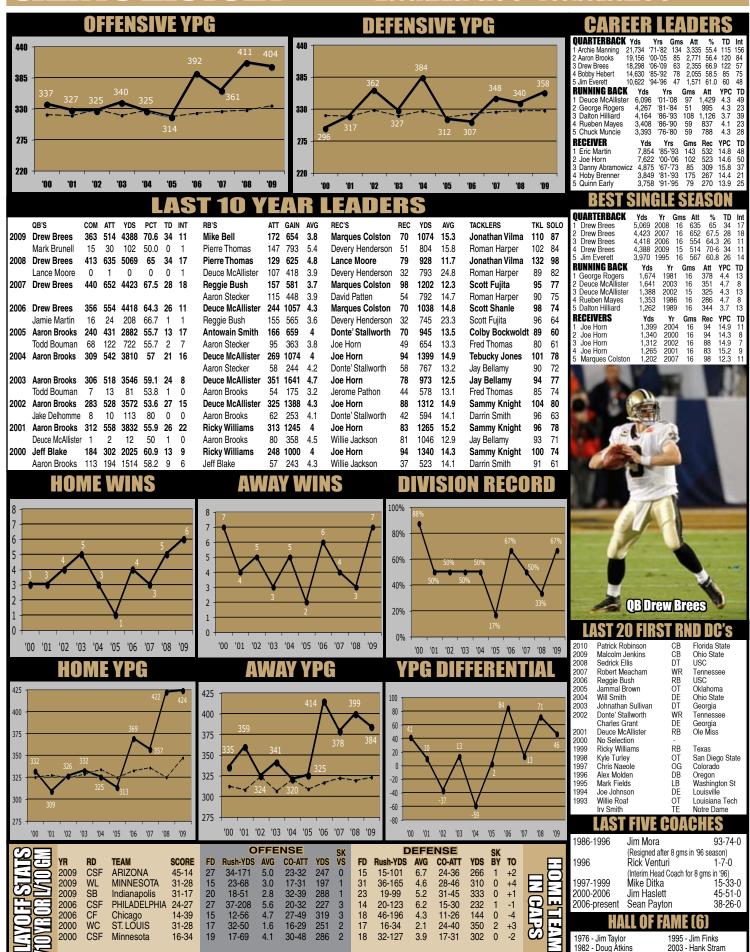
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			09 S/GN		WT		EXP	SCHOOL
	Stanley Arnoux Adrian Arrington	LB WR	0/0	6'0" 6'3"	232 192	9/9/86 11/7/85	2	Wake Forest Michigan
	Remi Ayodele	DT	13/15	6'2"	318	4/22/83	4	Oklahoma
	Larry Beavers	WR	-	5'11"	167	10/7/85	R	Wesleyan
89	Montez Billings	WR	-	6'2"	183	6/15/86	R	Auburn
9	Drew Brees	QB	15/15	6'0"	209	1/15/79	10	Purdue
	Alex Brown	DE	16/16	6'3"	260	6/4/79	9	Florida
		T RB	8/14	6'5"	303	4/10/87	R	USC
	Reggie Bush Jermon Bushrod	nd T	14/15	6'0" 6'5"	203 315	3/2/85 8/19/84	5 4	USC Towson
4	Sean Canfield	QB	-	6'4"	223	11/12/86	R	Oregon St
	Brandon Carter	OG	_	6'6"	329	9/10/86	R	Texas Tech
52	Jonathan Casillas	OLB	2/11	6'1"	227	6/3/87	2	Wisconsin
97	Jeff Charleston	DE	0/16	6'4"	265	1/19/83	4	Idaho St
	Harry Coleman	LB	-	6'1"	211	11/10/85	R	LSU
		WR	14/16	6'4"	225	6/5/83	5	Hofstra
	Chase Daniel Tim Duckworth	QB G	0/0 0/0	6'0" 6'4"	218 318	10/7/86 9/14/82	2	Missouri Auburn
	Jo-Lonn Dunbar	OLB	3/9	6'0"	226	3/13/85	3	Boston College
	Sedrick Ellis	DT	10/10	6'1"	307	7/9/85	3	USC
44	Heath Evans	FB	5/6	6'0"	250	12/30/78	10	Auburn
	Jahri Evans	G	16/16	6'4"	318	8/22/83	5	Bloomsburg
	Troy Evans	OLB	2/16	6'3"	238	12/3/77	9	Cincinnati
	Greg Fassitt	CB	0/1	5'11"	186	4/4/85	1	Grambling St
	Junior Galette Randall Gay	DE CB	- 7/14	6'2" 5'11"	257 190	// 5/5/82	R 7	Stillman LSU
	•	T	0/0	6'5"	315	4/23/83	1	South Carolina
	Jonathan Goodwin	Ċ	16/16	6'3"	318	12/2/78	9	Michigan
	Jimmy Graham	TE	-	6'7"	260	11/24/86	R	Miami, Fl
	Jabari Greer	CB	8/9	5'11"	180	2/11/82	7	Tennessee
	Clint Gresham	LS	-	6'3"	236	//	R	TCU
	Roy Hall	WR	0/0	6'3"	240	12/8/83	4	Ohio St
	Lynell Hamilton Anthony Hargrove	RB DT	1/9 6/16	6'0" 6'3"	235 272	8/5/85 7/20/83	2 6	San Diego St Georgia Tech
	Rod Harper	WR	0/10	6'0"	209	3/26/85	2	Murray St
	Roman Harper	SS	16/16	6'1"	200	12/11/82	5	Alabama
5	Garrett Hartley	K	0/5	5'8"	196	5/16/86	3	Oklahoma
19	Devery Henderson	WR	11/16	5'11"	200	3/26/82	7	LSU
	Earl Heyman	DT	0/0	6'1"	289	9/5/87	1	Louisville
	PJ Hill	RB	0/0	5'10"	218	1/3/87	2	Wisconsin
	Tory Humphrey Clint Ingram	TE LB	0/1 12/13	6'2" 6'2"	255 240	1/20/83 3/21/83	4 5	C Michigan Oklahoma
	Chris Ivory	RB	12/13	6'0"	222	3/22/88	R	Tiffin U
	Malcolm Jenkins	CB	6/14	6'0"	204	12/20/87	2	Ohio St
	Reggie Jones	DB	0/0	6'0"	200	3/15/86	2	Portland St
	Zak Keasey	LB	0/0	6'0"	235	3/19/82	2	Princeton
		LS	0/16	6'3"	242	5/12/72	16	Arizona St
	Nick Leckey	C	0/8	6'3"	291	3/12/82	7	Kansas St
	Tyler Lorenzen Marcus Mailei	TE FB	0/0 0/2	6'5" 6'0"	229 255	12/24/85 10/30/86	1	Connecticut Weber St
	Sam Maxwell	LB	-	6'2"	246	//	R	Kentucky
	Jason McKie	RB	11/16		247	5/22/80	9	Temple
	Robert Meachem	WR	7/16	6'2"	210	9/28/84	4	Tennessee
	Marvin Mitchell	ILB	2/14	6'3"	249	10/21/84	4	Tennessee
	Lance Moore	WR	0/7	5'9"	190	8/31/3	5	Toledo
	Thomas Morstead	P	0/16	6'4"	225	3/8/86	2	SMU
	Carl Nicks Jermey Parnell	G DT	16/16 0/0	6'5" 6'6"	343 278	5/14/85 7/20/86	3	Nebraska Mississippi
	Tracy Porter	CB	11/12		186	8/11/86	3	Indiana
	DeMario Pressley	DT	0/7	6'3"	301	11/3/85	3	NC St
	Pierson Prioleau	SAF	1/16	5'11"	188	8/6/77	12	Virginia Tech
	Chris Reis	FS	1/15	6'1"	215	9/19/83	4	Georgia Tech
	Patrick Robinson	DB	-	5'11"	190	9/7/87	R	Florida St
	Courtney Roby	WR	0/15	6'0"	189	1/10/83	6	Indiana Foot Corolina
	Jay Ross Scott Shanle	DT OLB	- 14/14	6'3" 6'2"	313 245	10/3/87 11/23/79	0 8	East Carolina Nebraska
	Brandon Sharpe	DE	14/14	6'2"	254	12/22/86	o R	Texas Tech
	Darren Sharper	FS	14/14	6'2"	210	11/3/75	14	William & Man
	Jeremy Shockey	TE	12/13	6'5"	251	8/18/80	9	Miami, Fl
81	Matt Simon	WR	0/0	6'1"	199	12/4/85	1	N Illinois
	Will Smith	DE	16/16	6'3"	282	7/4/81	7	Ohio St
	Jonathan Stinchcomb		16/16	6'5"	315	8/27/79	8	Georgia
		T WR	2/16	6'7"	320	9/22/83	5 R	Northwestern S
	Andy Tanner Matt Tennant	C	_	6'0" 6'5"	183 300	5/16/88 3/19/87	R R	Midwestern S Boston College
	David Thomas	TE	8/15	6'3"	248	7/5/83	n 5	Texas
	Pierre Thomas	RB	14/6	5'11	215	12/18/84	4	Illinois
	Joe Tonga	G	-	6'4"	313	12/8/84	R	Indiana (PA)
	Leigh Torrence	DB	0/5	5'11"	179	1/4/82	5	Stanford
	Chip Vaughn	SAF	0/0	6'2"	221	10/26/85	2	Wake Forest
37			15/15	6'1"	230	4/16/82	7	Miami, Fl
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SAINTS HISTORY

Record: 267-370-5 Postseason: 5-6



2010 - Ricky Jackson

1991 - Earl Campbell