

National Football League Game Summary

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Date: Sunday, 1/4/2026

Indianapolis Colts at Houston Texans

Start Time: 12:02 PM CST

at NRG Stadium, Houston, TX

Game Day Weather

Game Weather:

Retractable Roof - Closed on Artificial Turf

Temp: 61° F (16.1° C) Humidity: 67%, Wind: W 6 mph

Outdoor Weather: Sunny

Officials

Referee: Clark, Land (130)

Umpire: Pellis, Mark (131)

Down Judge: Stephan, Tom (68)

Line Judge: Hutcheon, Jeff (46)

Field Judge: Walker, Jaber (26)

Side Judge: Pender, Dominique (114)

Back Judge: Freeman, Brad (88)

Replay Official: Frye, Gerald (0)

Lineups

Indianapolis Colts

	Offense	Defense
WR	14 A.Pierce	DE 97 L.Latu
LT	79 B.Raimann	DT 95 A.Adebawore
LG	56 Q.Nelson	NT 90 G.Stewart
C	60 T.Bortolini	DT 92 N.Gallimore
RG	71 M.Goncalves	DE 51 K.Paye
RT	75 J.Travis	MLB 44 Z.Franklin
TE	84 T.Warren	WLB 53 G.Pratt
WR	2 J.Downs	CB 43 C.Mitchell
WR	11 M.Pittman	CB 29 M.Blackmon
QB	15 R.Leonard	FS 0 C.Bynum
RB	28 J.Taylor	SS 20 N.Cross

Defense

Houston Texans

	Offense	Defense
TE	86 D.Schultz	DE 55 D.Hunter
TE	87 C.Stover	DT 72 T.Togai
TE	88 H.Bryant	DT 90 S.Rankins
LT	79 A.Ersery	DE 51 W.Anderson
LG	54 J.Patterson	LB 39 H.To'oTo'o
C	60 J.Andrews	LB 0 A.Al-Shaair
RG	69 E.Ingram	CB 11 T.Smith
RT	71 T.Howard	CB 38 K.Wallace
WR	19 X.Hutchinson	CB 24 D.Stingley
QB	7 C.Stroud	S 5 J.Pitre
RB	27 W.Marks	S 2 C.Bullock

Offense

Defense

Substitutions

P 8 R.Sanchez, K 10 B.Grupe, WR 13 L.Treadwell, WR 16 A.Dulin, RB 21 D.Giddens, CB 23 K.Moore, S 25 R.Thomas, RB 26 A.Abdullah, RB 31 T.Goodson, CB 35 J.Edwards, CB 40 J.Jones, LS 46 L.Rhodes, TE 49 S.McKeon, LB 50 S.Olubi, DE 52 S.Ebukam, LB 57 J.Carlies, LB 58 A.Ajiake, LB 59 B.Johnson, C 63 D.Pinter, T 67 L.Tenuta, G 68 D.Tucker, TE 81 M.Alie-Cox, DE 91 J.Tuimoloau, DE 94 T.Lewis, DT 96 C.Wormley

P 6 T.Townsend, QB 10 D.Mills, WR 13 C.Kirk, WR 14 J.Noel, K 15 K.Fairbairn, CB 25 M.Bryant, RB 26 J.Jordan, LB 31 D.Clark, S 32 K.Merriweather, RB 33 D.Ogunbowale, CB 36 A.Huzzie, LS 40 A.Brinkman, CB 42 J.Ingram, RB 44 B.Brooks, LB 45 E.Speed, LB 48 C.Harris, T 57 B.Fisher, DT 58 L.Fotu, T 63 J.Kingston, C/G 70 J.Scraggs, WR 81 J.Higgins, WR 84 J.Watson, DT 91 N.Jones, DE 92 D.Horton, DE 95 D.Barnett, DE 96 D.Autry

Did Not Play

QB 4 S.Henigan

Substitutions

Did Not Play

CB 1 A.Gardner, QB 17 P.Rivers, S 36 R.Lowery, S 39 G.Odum, TE 86 W.Mallory, DT 98 E.Johnson

CB 4 K.Lassiter, WR 12 N.Collins, WR 17 B.Berrios, 3QB 18 G.Mertz, RB 21 N.Chubb, LB 56 J.Hill, T 77 T.Brown

Not Active

Not Active

Field Goals (made () & missed)

		(50) (39) (22)	K.Fairbairn					(51) (48) (29) (43) (44) (43)	
			1	2	3	4	OT	Total	
VISITOR:	Indianapolis Colts		10	7	10	3	0	30	
HOME:	Houston Texans		6	17	3	12	0	38	

Scoring Plays

Team	Qtr	Time	Play Description (Extra Point) (Drive Info)	Visitor	Home
Texans	1	12:05	K.Fairbairn 51 yd. Field Goal (8-37, 2:55)	0	3
Colts	1	10:36	A.Pierce 66 yd. pass from R.Leonard (B.Grupe kick) (3-69, 1:29)	7	3
Texans	1	6:36	K.Fairbairn 48 yd. Field Goal (7-31, 4:00)	7	6
Colts	1	0:34	B.Grupe 50 yd. Field Goal (11-44, 6:02)	10	6
Texans	2	9:34	J.Higgins 11 yd. pass from C.Stroud (K.Fairbairn kick) (11-82, 6:00)	10	13
Texans	2	8:32	C.Stroud 2 yd. run (K.Fairbairn kick) (1-2, 0:06)	10	20
Colts	2	1:25	A.Pierce 8 yd. pass from R.Leonard (B.Grupe kick) (8-92, 2:34)	17	20
Texans	2	0:00	K.Fairbairn 29 yd. Field Goal (9-59, 1:25)	17	23
Colts	3	13:05	R.Leonard 1 yd. run (B.Grupe kick) (4-65, 1:55)	24	23

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Texans	3	6:53	K.Fairbairn 43 yd. Field Goal (8-47, 3:26)	24	26
Colts	3	1:42	B.Grupe 39 yd. Field Goal (13-44, 5:11)	27	26
Texans	4	11:15	K.Fairbairn 44 yd. Field Goal (4-8, 1:13)	27	29
Colts	4	2:39	B.Grupe 22 yd. Field Goal (14-61, 8:36)	30	29
Texans	4	0:12	K.Fairbairn 43 yd. Field Goal (7-40, 2:27)	30	32
Texans	4	0:00	T.Togiai 17 yd. fumble return	30	38
Paid Attendance: 71,133				Time: 3:11	

Final Individual Statistics

Indianapolis Colts

Houston Texans

RUSHING		ATT	YDS	Avg	LG	TD	RUSHING		ATT	YDS	Avg	LG	TD								
D.Giddens		8	30	3.8	9	0	B.Brooks		13	63	4.8	20	0								
J.Taylor		14	26	1.9	8	0	W.Marks		10	48	4.8	9	0								
R.Leonard		3	21	7.0	11	1	D.Mills		1	12	12.0	12	0								
T.Goodson		1	3	3.0	3	0	C.Stroud		2	5	2.5	3	1								
A.Abdullah		1	1	1.0	1	0	J.Jordan		5	3	0.6	2	0								
J.Downs		1	-5	-5.0	-5	0	D.Ogunbowale		1	3	3.0	3	0								
Total		28	76	2.7	11	1	Total		32	134	4.2	20	1								
PASSING		ATT	CMP	YDS	SK/YD	TD	LG	IN	RT	PASSING		ATT	CMP	YDS	SK/YD	TD	LG	IN	RT		
R.Leonard		34	21	270	1/8	2	66	1	94.0	C.Stroud		23	14	169	0/0	1	33	0	97.9		
R.Sanchez		1	1	16	0/0	0	16	0	118.8	D.Mills		9	3	36	0/0	0	17	0	46.5		
Total		35	22	286	1/8	2	66	1	95.7	Total		32	17	205	0/0	1	33	0	83.5		
PASS RECEIVING		TAR	REC	YDS	Avg	LG	TD	PASS RECEIVING		TAR	REC	YDS	Avg	LG	TD						
T.Warren		8	5	26	5.2	9	0	X.Hutchinson		9	5	84	16.8	33	0						
A.Pierce		7	4	132	33.0	66	2	D.Schultz		4	4	73	18.3	32	0						
J.Downs		4	4	61	15.3	30	0	J.Higgins		5	2	23	11.5	12	1						
M.Alie-Cox		4	3	22	7.3	16	0	W.Marks		3	2	0	0.0	3	0						
A.Abdullah		2	2	24	12.0	15	0	J.Noel		1	1	13	13.0	13	0						
J.Taylor		2	2	13	6.5	11	0	C.Stover		2	1	9	9.0	9	0						
M.Pittman		4	2	11	5.5	16	0	D.Ogunbowale		2	1	6	6.0	6	0						
A.Dulin		2	0	0	0.0	0	0	C.Kirk		2	1	-3	-3.0	-3	0						
R.Leonard		0	0	-3	0.0	-3	0	Total		28	17	205	12.1	33	1						
INTERCEPTIONS		NO	YDS	Avg	LG	TD	INTERCEPTIONS		NO	YDS	Avg	LG	TD								
Total		0	0	0	0	0	A.Huzzie		1	0	0.0	0	0								
							Total		1	0	0.0	0	0								
PUNTING		NO	YDS	Avg	NET	TB	IN20	LG	PUNTING		NO	YDS	Avg	NET	TB	IN20	LG				
R.Sanchez		2	90	45.0	42.0	0	0	49	T.Townsend		3	121	40.3	36.0	0	2	45				
Total		2	90	45.0	42.0	0	0	49	Total		3	121	40.3	36.0	0	2	45				
PUNT RETURNS		NO	YDS	Avg	FC	LG	TD	PUNT RETURNS		NO	YDS	Avg	FC	LG	TD						
J.Downs		1	13	13.0	1	13	0	J.Noel		1	6	6.0	0	6	0						
[OUT OF BOUNDS]		1	0	0.0	0	0	0	[DOWNED]		1	0	0.0	0	0	0						
Total		1	13	13.0	1	13	0	Total		1	6	6.0	0	6	0						
KICKOFF RETURNS		NO	YDS	Avg	FC	LG	TD	KICKOFF RETURNS		NO	YDS	Avg	FC	LG	TD						
A.Dulin		2	59	29.5	0	30	0	J.Noel		6	175	29.2	0	43	0						
A.Abdullah		2	53	26.5	0	30	0	[TOUCHBACK]		1	0	0.0	0	0	0						
[TOUCHBACK]		4	0	0.0	0	0	0	Total		6	175	29.2	0	43	0						
Total		4	112	28.0	0	30	0														
Indianapolis Colts							Houston Texans														
FUMBLES		FUM	LOST	OWN-REC	YDS	TD	FORCED	OPP-REC	YDS	TD	OUT-BDS	FUMBLES		FUM	LOST	OWN-REC	YDS	TD	OUT-BDS		
R.Leonard		2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	D.Horton		0	0	0	0	0	0		
Total		2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	D.Hunter		0	0	0	0	0	0		
Houston Texans		FUMBLES		FUM	LOST	OWN-REC	YDS	TD	FORCED	OPP-REC	YDS	TD	OUT-BDS	H.To'oTo'o		0	0	0	0	0	0
FUMBLES		FUM		0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	T.Togiai		0	0	0	0	0	0	
FUMBLES		FUM		0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	Total		0	0	0	0	0	0	

Indianapolis Colts vs Houston Texans
1/4/2026 at NRG Stadium

Final Team Statistics

	Visitor Colts	Home Texans
TOTAL FIRST DOWNS	19	22
By Rushing	7	10
By Passing	11	9
By Penalty	1	3
THIRD DOWN EFFICIENCY	8-15-53.3%	4-13-30.8%
FOURTH DOWN EFFICIENCY	1-1-100.0%	0-0-0.0%
TOTAL NET YARDS	354	339
Total Offensive Plays (inc. times thrown passing)	64	64
Average gain per offensive play	5.5	5.3
NET YARDS RUSHING	76	134
Total Rushing Plays	28	32
Average gain per rushing play	2.7	4.2
Tackles for a loss-number and yards	4-11	1-2
NET YARDS PASSING	278	205
Times thrown - yards lost attempting to pass	1-8	0-0
Gross yards passing	286	205
PASS ATTEMPTS-COMPLETIONS-HAD INTERCEPTED	35-22-1	32-17-0
Avg gain per pass play (inc.# thrown passing)	7.7	6.4
KICKOFFS Number-In End Zone-Touchbacks	7-2-1	8-7-4
PUNTS Number and Average	2-45.0	3-40.3
Had Blocked	0	0
FGs - PATs Had Blocked	0-0	0-0
Net Punting Average	42.0	36.0
TOTAL RETURN YARDAGE (Not Including Kickoffs)	13	6
No. and Yards Punt Returns	1-13	1-6
No. and Yards Kickoff Returns	4-112	6-175
No. and Yards Interception Returns	0-0	1-0
PENALTIES Number and Yards	7-81	7-77
FUMBLES Number and Lost	2-2	0-0
TOUCHDOWNS	3	3
Rushing	1	1
Passing	2	1
Fumbles	0	1
EXTRA POINTS Made-Attempts	3-3	2-2
Kicking Made-Attempts	3-3	2-2
FIELD GOALS Made-Attempts	3-3	6-6
RED ZONE EFFICIENCY	2-4-50%	2-3-67%
GOAL TO GO EFFICIENCY	2-3-67%	1-1-100%
SAFETIES	0	0
FINAL SCORE	30	38
TIME OF POSSESSION	31:45	28:15

Indianapolis Colts vs Houston Texans

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Ball Possession And Drive Chart

Indianapolis Colts

#	Time Recd	Time Lost	Time Poss	How Ball Obtained	Drive Began	# Play	Yds Gain	Yds Pen	Net Yds	1st Down	Last Scrm	How Given Up
1	12:05	10:36	1:29	Kickoff	IND 31	3	69	0	69	1	IND 34	Touchdown
2	6:36	0:34	6:02	Kickoff	IND 24	11	39	5	44	2	HST 32	Field Goal
3	9:34	8:38	0:56	Kickoff	IND 29	2	-13	0	-13	0	IND 24	Fumble
4	8:32	7:05	1:27	Kickoff	IND 35	3	3	0	3	0	IND 38	Punt
5	3:59	1:25	2:34	Punt	IND 8	8	62	30	92	5	* HST 8	Touchdown
6	15:00	13:05	1:55	Kickoff	IND 35	4	65	0	65	3	* HST 1	Touchdown
7	11:23	10:19	1:04	Punt	IND 22	3	6	0	6	0	IND 28	Punt
8	6:53	1:42	5:11	Kickoff	IND 35	13	59	-15	44	3	* HST 21	Field Goal
9	14:47	12:28	2:19	Punt	IND 8	5	16	0	16	1	IND 24	Interception
10	11:15	2:39	8:36	Kickoff	IND 35	14	56	5	61	4	* HST 4	Field Goal
11	0:12	0:00	0:12	Kickoff	IND 25	1	-8	0	-8	0	IND 25	Fumble

(287) Average IND 26

Houston Texans

#	Time Recd	Time Lost	Time Poss	How Ball Obtained	Drive Began	# Play	Yds Gain	Yds Pen	Net Yds	1st Down	Last Scrm	How Given Up
1	15:00	12:05	2:55	Kickoff	HST 30	8	49	-12	37	2	IND 33	Field Goal
2	10:36	6:36	4:00	Kickoff	HST 39	7	31	0	31	2	IND 30	Field Goal
3	0:34	9:34	6:00	Kickoff	HST 18	11	82	0	82	6	* IND 11	Touchdown
4	8:38	8:32	0:06	Fumble	IND 2	1	2	0	2	1	* IND 2	Touchdown
5	7:05	3:59	3:06	Punt	HST 36	7	23	0	23	2	IND 41	Punt
6	1:25	0:00	1:25	Kickoff	HST 30	9	38	21	59	3	* IND 11	Field Goal
7	13:05	11:23	1:42	Kickoff	HST 45	3	3	0	3	0	HST 48	Punt
8	10:19	6:53	3:26	Punt	HST 29	8	47	0	47	3	IND 24	Field Goal
9	1:42	14:47	1:55	Kickoff	HST 31	5	16	0	16	1	HST 47	Punt
10	12:28	11:15	1:13	Interception	IND 33	4	8	0	8	0	IND 25	Field Goal
11	2:39	0:12	2:27	Kickoff	HST 35	7	40	0	40	2	IND 25	Field Goal

(458) Average HST 42

* inside opponent's 20

Time of Possession by Quarter			1st	2nd	3rd	4th	OT	Total
Visitor	Indianapolis Colts		7:31	4:57	8:10	11:07		31:45
Home	Houston Texans		7:29	10:03	6:50	3:53		28:15

Kickoff Drive No.-Start Average

Colts: 8 - IND 31

Texans: 7 - HST 33

Final Defensive Statistics

Indianapolis Colts	Regular Defensive Plays										Special Teams					Misc				
	TKL	AST	COMB	SK	/ YDS	TFL	Q	IN	PD	FF	FR	TKL	AST	FF	FR	BL	TKL	AST	FF	FR
Z.Franklin	7	5	12	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
N.Cross	3	3	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
A.Adebawore	3	3	6	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
S.Ebukam	2	3	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
C.Bynum	2	3	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
G.Pratt	2	3	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
J.Jones	3	1	4	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
M.Blackmon	3	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
N.Gallimore	1	2	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
C.Mitchell	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
C.Wormley	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
G.Stewart	1	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
L.Latu	0	2	2	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
R.Thomas	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	
K.Paye	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
K.Moore	0	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
T.Lewis	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
J.Edwards	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
T.Goodson	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
B.Johnson	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	
A.Ajiake	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	
A.Dulin	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	
J.Tuimoloau	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	
T.Warren	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	
Total	33	29	62	0	0	3	2	0	3	0	0	4	6	0	0	0	1	0	0	0

TKL = Tackle AST = Assist COMB = Combined QH=QB Hit IN = Interception PD = Pass Defense FF = Forced Fumble FR = Fumble Recovery

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Final Defensive Statistics

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First Half Summary

PERIOD SCORES

Colts	10	7	= 17
Texans	6	17	= 23

TIME OF POSSESSION

Colts	12:28
Texans	17:32

Scoring Plays

Team	Qtr	Time	Play Description (Extra Point) (Drive Info)	Visitor	Home
Texans	1	12:05	K.Fairbairn 51 yd. Field Goal (8-37, 2:55)	0	3
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Colts	1	0:34	B.Grupe 50 yd. Field Goal (11-44, 6:02)	10	6
Texans	2	9:34	J.Higgins 11 yd. pass from C.Stroud (K.Fairbairn kick) (11-82, 6:00)	10	13
Texans	2	8:32	C.Stroud 2 yd. run (K.Fairbairn kick) (1-2, 0:06)	10	20
Colts	2	1:25	A.Pierce 8 yd. pass from R.Leonard (B.Grupe kick) (8-92, 2:34)	17	20
Texans	2	0:00	K.Fairbairn 29 yd. Field Goal (9-59, 1:25)	17	23

TOTAL FIRST DOWNS

First Downs Rushing-Passing-by Penalty

Indianapolis Colts

Houston Texans

8

16

2 - 5 - 1

6 - 7 - 3

THIRD DOWN EFFICIENCY

3-6-50.0%

4-8-50.0%

TOTAL NET YARDS

160

225

Total Offensive Plays

26

40

NET YARDS RUSHING

19

56

NET YARDS PASSING

141

169

Gross Yards Passing

149

169

Times thrown-yards lost attempting to pass

1-8

0-0

Pass Attempts-Completions-Had Intercepted

14 - 9 - 0

23 - 14 - 0

Punts-Number and Average

1 - 41.0

1 - 33.0

Penalties-Number and Yards

6 - 66

6 - 72

Fumbles-Number and Lost

1 - 1

0 - 0

Red Zone Efficiency

1-1-100%

2-3-67%

Average Drive Start

IND 25

HST 42

Indianapolis Colts

Houston Texans

RUSHING

ATT YDS AVG LG TD

R.Leonard	1	11	11.0	11	0
J.Taylor	7	10	1.4	7	0
D.Giddens	2	3	1.5	2	0
J.Downs	1	-5	-5.0	-5	0
Total	11	19	1.7	11	0

RUSHING

ATT YDS AVG LG TD

W.Marks	10	48	4.8	9	0
C.Stroud	2	5	2.5	3	1
J.Jordan	5	3	0.6	2	0
Total	17	56	3.3	9	1

PASSING

ATT CMP YDS SK/YD TD LG IN RT

R.Leonard	13	8	133	1/8	2	66	0	135.6
R.Sanchez	1	1	16	0/0	0	16	0	118.8
Total	14	9	149	1/8	2	66	0	139.6

PASSING

ATT CMP YDS SK/YD TD LG IN RT

C.Stroud	23	14	169	0/0	1	33	0	97.9
Total	23	14	169	0/0	1	33	0	97.9

PASS RECEIVING

TAR REC YDS AVG LG TD

A.Pierce	4	3	79	26.3	66	2
M.Alie-Cox	3	2	17	8.5	16	0
J.Downs	1	1	30	30.0	30	0
M.Pittman	3	1	16	16.0	16	0
T.Warren	1	1	5	5.0	5	0
J.Taylor	1	1	2	2.0	2	0
Total	13	9	149	16.6	66	2

PASS RECEIVING

TAR REC YDS AVG LG TD

D.Schultz	4	4	73	18.3	32	0
X.Hutchinson	7	4	67	16.8	33	0
J.Higgins	4	2	23	11.5	12	1
W.Marks	3	2	0	0.0	3	0
C.Stover	2	1	9	9.0	9	0
C.Kirk	1	1	-3	-3.0	-3	0
Total	21	14	169	12.1	33	1

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First Half Summary

First Quarter

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Play By Play

HST wins toss, elects to Receive, and IND elects to defend the North goal.

B.Grupe kicks 64 yards from IND 35 to HST 1. J.Noel pushed ob at HST 30 for 29 yards (R.Thomas).

Houston Texans at 15:00, (1st play from scrimmage 14:54)

1-10-HST 30 (14:54) C.Stroud pass short left to D.Schultz to HST 47 for 17 yards (Z.Franklin).

1-10-HST 47 (14:08) C.Stroud pass incomplete short left to X.Hutchinson (C.Mitchell).

2-10-HST 47 (14:02) (Shotgun) C.Stroud pass incomplete short middle to J.Higgins (C.Mitchell).

3-10-HST 47 (13:57) (Shotgun) C.Stroud pass short middle to D.Schultz pushed ob at IND 21 for 32 yards (N.Cross).

1-10-IND 21 (13:37) J.Jordan up the middle to IND 23 for -2 yards (Z.Franklin).

2-12-IND 23 (12:55) (Shotgun) C.Stroud pass incomplete short middle.

PENALTY on HST-C.Stroud, Intentional Grounding, 12 yards, enforced at IND 23.

3-24-IND 35 (12:47) (Shotgun) J.Jordan up the middle to IND 33 for 2 yards (T.Lewis; A.Adebawore).

(12:11) K.Fairbairn 51 yard field goal is GOOD, Center-A.Brinkman, Holder-T.Townsend.

Timeout at 12:05.

IND 0 HST 3, 8 plays, 37 yards, 2:55 drive, 2:55 elapsed

K.Fairbairn kicks 57 yards from HST 35 to IND 8. A.Abdullah to IND 31 for 23 yards (D.Clark; T.Smith).

Indianapolis Colts at 12:05, (1st play from scrimmage 11:59)

1-10-IND 31 (11:59) J.Taylor left tackle to IND 31 for no gain (W.Anderson).

2-10-IND 31 (11:25) (Shotgun) J.Taylor right guard to IND 34 for 3 yards (W.Anderson).

3-7-IND 34 (10:45) (Shotgun) R.Leonard pass deep left to A.Pierce for 66 yards, TOUCHDOWN.

B.Grupe extra point is GOOD, Center-L.Rhodes, Holder-R.Sanchez.

Timeout at 10:36.

IND 7 HST 3, 3 plays, 69 yards, 1:29 drive, 4:24 elapsed

B.Grupe kicks 62 yards from IND 35 to HST 3. J.Noel to HST 24 for 21 yards (T.Goodson).

*PENALTY on IND-A.Adebawore, Unnecessary Roughness, 15 yards, enforced at HST 24.***Houston Texans at 10:36, (1st play from scrimmage 10:30)**

1-10-HST 39 (10:30) B.Fisher reported in as eligible. W.Marks right guard to HST 43 for 4 yards (N.Cross; Z.Franklin).

*PENALTY on IND-T.Lewis, Illegal Use of Hands, 5 yards, enforced at HST 43.*1-10-HST 48 (10:12) W.Marks right guard to IND 48 for 4 yards (N.Cross; J.Jones).

2-6-IND 48 (9:33) (Shotgun) C.Stroud pass short right to J.Higgins to IND 36 for 12 yards (Z.Franklin).

1-10-IND 36 (8:56) B.Fisher reported in as eligible. J.Jordan right guard to IND 34 for 2 yards (N.Gallimore).

2-8-IND 34 (8:22) (Shotgun) C.Stroud pass deep left to J.Higgins pushed ob at IND 8 for 26 yards (J.Edwards).

PENALTY on HST-E.Ingram, Ineligible Downfield Pass, 5 yards, enforced at IND 34 - No Play.

2-13-IND 39 (7:57) (Shotgun) C.Stroud pass short left to C.Kirk to IND 42 for -3 yards (Z.Franklin, S.Ebukam).

3-16-IND 42 (7:19) (Shotgun) C.Stroud pass short middle to D.Schultz to IND 30 for 12 yards (N.Cross; Z.Franklin).

(6:41) K.Fairbairn 48 yard field goal is GOOD, Center-A.Brinkman, Holder-T.Townsend.

Timeout at 06:36.

IND 7 HST 6, 7 plays, 31 yards, 1 penalty, 4:00 drive, 8:24 elapsed

K.Fairbairn kicks 70 yards from HST 35 to IND -5. A.Dulin to IND 24 for 29 yards (B.Brooks; A.Huzzie).

Indianapolis Colts at 6:36, (1st play from scrimmage 6:28)

1-10-IND 24 (6:28) R.Leonard pass short left to M.Alie-Cox to IND 25 for 1 yard (T.Smith).

2-9-IND 25 (5:50) (Shotgun) J.Taylor up the middle to IND 24 for -1 yards (T.Togiai, W.Anderson).

3-10-IND 24 (5:07) (Shotgun) R.Leonard pass short left to T.Warren to IND 29 for 5 yards (J.Pitre; T.Smith).

4-5-IND 29 (4:20) (Punt formation) R.Sanchez pass short right to M.Alie-Cox to IND 45 for 16 yards (D.Clark).

1-10-IND 45 (3:48) (Punt formation) *PENALTY on HST, Defensive Too Many Men on Field, 5 yards, enforced at IND 45 - No Play.*

1-5-50 (3:29) J.Taylor right guard to 50 for no gain (J.Pitre; D.Hunter).

2-5-50 (2:51) (Shotgun) R.Leonard pass incomplete deep right to A.Pierce (D.Stingley).

3-5-50 (2:46) (Shotgun) R.Leonard right end ran ob at HST 39 for 11 yards (D.Stingley; H.To'oTo'o).

1-10-HST 39 (2:06) R.Leonard pass short right to J.Taylor to HST 37 for 2 yards (S.Rankins; A.Al-Shaair) [D.Barnett].

2-8-HST 37 (1:25) R.Leonard pass incomplete short left [D.Barnett].

3-8-HST 37 (1:20) (Shotgun) R.Leonard pass short right to A.Pierce to HST 32 for 5 yards (K.Wallace).

P1

P2

P1

X3

P4

P2

R3

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4-3-HST 32

(:39) B.Grupe 50 yard field goal is GOOD, Center-L.Rhodes, Holder-R.Sanchez.

Timeout at 00:34.

IND 10 HST 6, 11 plays, 44 yards, 1 penalty, 6:02 drive, 14:26 elapsed

B.Grupe kicks 62 yards from IND 35 to HST 3. J.Noel to HST 35 for 32 yards (R.Thomas).

PENALTY on HST-K.Wallace, Offensive Holding, 10 yards, enforced at HST 28.

Houston Texans at 0:34, (1st play from scrimmage 0:28)

1-10-HST 18 (:28) C.Stroud pass short right to C.Stover to HST 27 for 9 yards (M.Blackmon).

END OF QUARTER	Score	Time Poss	First Downs			Efficiencies		
			R	P	X	T	3 Down	4 Down
Indianapolis Colts	10	7:31	1	2	0	3	2/4	1/1
Houston Texans	6	7:29	0	3	1	4	1/3	0/0

Second Quarter

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Play By Play

Houston Texans continued.

2-1-HST 27	(15:00) B.Fisher reported in as eligible. W.Marks right guard to HST 29 for 2 yards (N.Gallimore; A.Adebawore).	R5
<u>1-10-HST 29</u>	(14:25) C.Stroud pass incomplete short right to D.Schultz (J.Tuimoloau).	
	<i>PENALTY on IND-J.Tuimoloau, Defensive Holding, 5 yards, enforced at HST 29 - No Play.</i>	X6
<u>1-10-HST 34</u>	(14:19) B.Fisher reported in as eligible. C.Stroud pass short middle to X.Hutchinson pushed ob at IND 33 for 33 yards (C.Bynum).	P7
<u>1-10-IND 33</u>	(13:36) B.Fisher reported in as eligible. W.Marks up the middle to IND 27 for 6 yards (M.Blackmon).	
2-4-IND 27	(12:55) B.Fisher reported in as eligible. C.Stroud scrambles right end pushed ob at IND 24 for 3 yards (M.Blackmon).	
3-1-IND 24	(12:13) B.Fisher reported in as eligible. W.Marks right guard to IND 22 for 2 yards (G.Stewart).	R8
<u>1-10-IND 22</u>	(11:33) W.Marks up the middle to IND 15 for 7 yards (M.Blackmon).	
	<i>PENALTY on IND-A.Adebawore, Defensive Offside, 5 yards, enforced at IND 22 - No Play.</i>	
1-5-IND 17	(11:10) B.Fisher reported in as eligible. J.Jordan left end to IND 10 for 7 yards (C.Mitchell).	
	<i>PENALTY on HST-J.Higgins, Offensive Holding, 10 yards, enforced at IND 16.</i>	
1-14-IND 26	(11:00) (Shotgun) C.Stroud pass incomplete short middle to X.Hutchinson.	
2-14-IND 26	(10:56) (Shotgun) W.Marks right guard to IND 17 for 9 yards (J.Jones).	
3-5-IND 17	(10:20) (Shotgun) W.Marks up the middle to IND 11 for 6 yards (C.Mitchell).	R9
<u>1-10-IND 11</u>	(9:40) C.Stroud pass short left to J.Higgins for 11 yards, TOUCHDOWN.	P10
	K.Fairbairn extra point is GOOD, Center-A.Brinkman, Holder-T.Townsend.	

Timeout at 09:34.

IND 10 HST 13, 11 plays, 82 yards, 2 penalties, 6:00 drive, 5:26 elapsed

K.Fairbairn kicks 66 yards from HST 35 to IND -1. A.Abdullah pushed ob at IND 29 for 30 yards (K.Merriweather).

Indianapolis Colts at 9:34, (1st play from scrimmage 9:28)

1-10-IND 29	(9:28) (Shotgun) J.Downs right end to IND 24 for -5 yards (K.Wallace).
2-15-IND 24	(8:50) (Shotgun) R.Leonard sacked at IND 17 for -7 yards (D.Hunter). FUMBLES (D.Hunter), touched at IND 16, RECOVERED by HST-H.To'oTo'o at IND 2.

Houston Texans at 8:38

1-2-IND 2	(8:38) T.Togiai reported in as eligible. C.Stroud right end for 2 yards, TOUCHDOWN.	R11
	K.Fairbairn extra point is GOOD, Center-A.Brinkman, Holder-T.Townsend.	

Timeout at 08:32.

IND 10 HST 20, 1 plays, 2 yards, 0:06 drive, 6:28 elapsed

K.Fairbairn kicks 65 yards from HST 35 to end zone, Touchback to the IND 35.

Indianapolis Colts at 8:32

1-10-IND 35	(8:32) D.Giddens right guard to IND 37 for 2 yards (J.Pitre; W.Anderson).
2-8-IND 37	(7:57) (Shotgun) D.Giddens left tackle to IND 38 for 1 yard (W.Anderson).
3-7-IND 38	(7:20) (Shotgun) R.Leonard pass incomplete short middle to M.Pittman.
4-7-IND 38	(7:15) R.Sanchez punts 41 yards to HST 21, Center-L.Rhodes, downed by IND-A.Dulin.
<i>PENALTY on IND-A.Dulin, Kick Catch Interference, 15 yards, enforced at HST 21.</i>	

Timeout at 07:05.

Houston Texans at 7:05

1-10-HST 36	(7:05) B.Fisher reported in as eligible. J.Jordan left guard to HST 36 for no gain (Z.Franklin; S.Ebukam).
2-10-HST 36	(6:26) (Shotgun) C.Stroud pass short middle to D.Schultz to HST 48 for 12 yards (N.Cross).
<u>1-10-HST 48</u>	(5:43) B.Fisher reported in as eligible. W.Marks right guard to IND 49 for 3 yards (C.Wormley).
2-7-IND 49	(5:00) W.Marks up the middle to IND 41 for 8 yards (G.Pratt).
<u>1-10-IND 41</u>	(4:24) C.Stroud pass incomplete short right to C.Stover.
2-10-IND 41	(4:19) (Shotgun) C.Stroud pass incomplete short right to X.Hutchinson.
3-10-IND 41	(4:14) (Shotgun) C.Stroud pass incomplete short right to J.Higgins (J.Jones).
4-10-IND 41	(4:07) T.Townsend punts 33 yards to IND 8, Center-A.Brinkman, fair catch by J.Downs.

Timeout at 03:59.

Indianapolis Colts at 3:59

1-10-IND 8	(3:59) J.Taylor right guard to IND 15 for 7 yards (E.Speed; C.Bullock).
2-3-IND 15	(3:22) (Shotgun) J.Taylor right end to IND 19 for 4 yards (T.Togiai).
<u>1-10-IND 19</u>	(2:39) (Shotgun) R.Leonard pass deep right to J.Downs to IND 49 for 30 yards (C.Bullock).

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Two-Minute Warning

<u>1-10-IND 49</u>	(2:00) R.Leonard pass incomplete deep right to A.Pierce [S.Rankins]. <i>PENALTY on HST-K.Wallace, Defensive Pass Interference, 30 yards, enforced at IND 49 - No Play.</i>	X6
<u>1-10-HST 21</u>	(1:54) R.Leonard pass incomplete short left to M.Alie-Cox.	
<u>2-10-HST 21</u>	(1:48) (Shotgun) R.Leonard pass short middle to M.Pittman to HST 5 for 16 yards (K.Wallace).	P7
	Timeout #1 by HST at 01:39.	
<u>1-5-HST 5</u>	(1:39) (Shotgun) J.Taylor up the middle to HST 8 for -3 yards (W.Anderson).	
	Timeout #2 by HST at 01:35.	
<u>2-8-HST 8</u>	(1:35) R.Leonard pass incomplete short left to M.Pittman.	
<u>3-8-HST 8</u>	(1:29) (Shotgun) R.Leonard pass short right to A.Pierce for 8 yards, TOUCHDOWN.	P8
	B.Grupe extra point is GOOD, Center-L.Rhodes, Holder-R.Sanchez.	

IND 17 HST 20, 8 plays, 92 yards, 1 penalty, 2:34 drive, 13:35 elapsed

B.Grupe kicks 61 yards from IND 35 to HST 4. J.Noel to HST 30 for 26 yards (A.Ajiak; A.Dulin).

Houston Texans at 1:25, (1st play from scrimmage 1:19)

<u>1-10-HST 30</u>	(1:19) (Shotgun) C.Stroud pass short middle to W.Marks to HST 27 for -3 yards (A.Adebawore) [K.Moore].	
<u>2-13-HST 27</u>	(1:01) (No Huddle, Shotgun) C.Stroud pass deep right to X.Hutchinson pushed ob at HST 48 for 21 yards (M.Blackmon).	
	<i>Penalty on IND-M.Blackmon, Defensive Pass Interference, declined.</i>	X14
	The Replay Official reviewed the pass completion ruling, and the play was REVERSED. (No Huddle, Shotgun) C.Stroud pass incomplete deep right to X.Hutchinson (M.Blackmon).	
	<i>PENALTY on IND-M.Blackmon, Defensive Pass Interference, 21 yards, enforced at HST 27 - No Play.</i>	
<u>1-10-HST 48</u>	(:57) (Shotgun) C.Stroud pass short middle to X.Hutchinson to IND 30 for 22 yards (R.Thomas).	P15
<u>1-10-IND 30</u>	(:39) (No Huddle, Shotgun) C.Stroud pass short right to W.Marks to IND 27 for 3 yards (C.Bynum).	
	Timeout #3 by HST at 00:32.	
<u>2-7-IND 27</u>	(:32) (Shotgun) C.Stroud pass short right to X.Hutchinson pushed ob at IND 21 for 6 yards (J.Jones).	
<u>3-1-IND 21</u>	(:28) W.Marks up the middle to IND 17 for 4 yards (S.Ebukam).	R16
	** Injury Update: IND-C.Mitchell return is Questionable.	
<u>1-10-IND 17</u>	(:16) (No Huddle) C.Stroud spiked the ball to stop the clock.	
<u>2-10-IND 17</u>	(:15) (Shotgun) C.Stroud pass incomplete short right to W.Marks.	
<u>3-10-IND 17</u>	(:07) (Shotgun) C.Stroud pass short right to X.Hutchinson ran ob at IND 11 for 6 yards (J.Jones).	
<u>4-4-IND 11</u>	(:03) K.Fairbairn 29 yard field goal is GOOD, Center-A.Brinkman, Holder-T.Townsend.	

IND 17 HST 23, 9 plays, 59 yards, 1 penalty, 1:25 drive, 15:00 elapsed

END OF QUARTER	Score	Time Poss	First Downs				Efficiencies	
			R	P	X	T	3 Down	4 Down
Indianapolis Colts	17	4:57	1	3	1	5	1/2	0/0
Houston Texans	23	10:03	6	4	2	12	3/5	0/0

Third Quarter

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Play By Play

IND elects to Receive, and HST elects to defend the North goal.

K.Fairbairn kicks 65 yards from HST 35 to end zone, Touchback to the IND 35.

Indianapolis Colts at 15:00

1-10-IND 35 (15:00) R.Leonard pass short right to T.Warren to IND 35 for no gain (C.Bullock).

2-10-IND 35 (14:20) R.Leonard pass short left to J.Taylor to IND 46 for 11 yards (E.Speed).

1-10-IND 46 (13:41) R.Leonard pass deep middle to A.Pierce to HST 1 for 53 yards (J.Ingram).1-1-HST 1 (13:11) (No Huddle, Shotgun) R.Leonard right end for 1 yard, TOUCHDOWN.

B.Grupe extra point is GOOD, Center-L.Rhodes, Holder-R.Sanchez.

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P10

R11

Timeout at 13:05.

IND 24 HST 23, 4 plays, 65 yards, 1:55 drive, 1:55 elapsed

B.Grupe kicks 63 yards from IND 35 to HST 2. J.Noel pushed ob at HST 45 for 43 yards (R.Thomas).

Houston Texans at 13:05, (1st play from scrimmage 12:56)

1-10-HST 45 (12:56) B.Fisher reported in as eligible. B.Brooks right guard to HST 48 for 3 yards (A.Adebawore). ** Injury Update: IND-C.Mitchell has returned to the game.

2-7-HST 48 (12:23) B.Brooks up the middle to HST 48 for no gain (G.Pratt; A.Adebawore).

3-7-HST 48 (11:40) (Shotgun) D.Mills pass incomplete short right to D.Ogunbowale.

4-7-HST 48 (11:35) T.Townsend punts 43 yards to IND 9, Center-A.Brinkman. J.Downs to IND 22 for 13 yards (C.Stover).

Timeout at 11:23.

Indianapolis Colts at 11:23

1-10-IND 22 (11:23) (Shotgun) R.Leonard pass incomplete deep right to A.Dulin.

2-10-IND 22 (11:16) (Shotgun) R.Leonard pass incomplete short left to A.Pierce.

3-10-IND 22 (11:12) (Shotgun) R.Leonard pass short left to T.Warren to IND 28 for 6 yards (M.Bryant).

4-4-IND 28 (10:31) R.Sanchez punts 49 yards to HST 23, Center-L.Rhodes. J.Noel to HST 29 for 6 yards (J.Tuimoloau; B.Johnson).

Timeout at 10:19.

Houston Texans at 10:19

1-10-HST 29 (10:19) B.Fisher reported in as eligible. D.Mills scrambles up the middle to HST 41 for 12 yards (Z.Franklin). IND-S.Ebukam was injured during the play. R17

1-10-HST 41 (9:43) (Shotgun) B.Brooks left tackle to IND 39 for 20 yards (G.Pratt; C.Bynum). R181-10-IND 39 (9:05) B.Brooks right guard to IND 31 for 8 yards (C.Wormley).

2-2-IND 31 (8:26) (Shotgun) B.Brooks right tackle to IND 27 for 4 yards (S.Ebukam). ** Injury Update: IND-S.Ebukam has returned to the game. R19

1-10-IND 27 (7:45) (Shotgun) D.Ogunbowale right guard to IND 24 for 3 yards (Z.Franklin; L.Latu).

2-7-IND 24 (7:07) (Shotgun) D.Mills pass incomplete short left to J.Higgins.

3-7-IND 24 (7:03) (Shotgun) D.Mills pass incomplete short right [L.Latu].

4-7-IND 24 (6:58) K.Fairbairn 43 yard field goal is GOOD, Center-A.Brinkman, Holder-T.Townsend.

Timeout at 06:53.

IND 24 HST 26, 8 plays, 47 yards, 3:26 drive, 8:07 elapsed

K.Fairbairn kicks 65 yards from HST 35 to end zone, Touchback to the IND 35.

Indianapolis Colts at 6:53

1-10-IND 35 (6:53) J.Taylor up the middle to IND 38 for 3 yards (H.To'oTo'o; E.Speed).

2-7-IND 38 (6:16) J.Taylor right end to IND 38 for no gain (D.Horton).

3-7-IND 38 (5:32) (Shotgun) R.Leonard pass short middle to J.Downs to HST 39 for 23 yards (K.Merriweather). P12

1-10-HST 39 (4:55) (Shotgun) T.Goodson right end to HST 36 for 3 yards (N.Jones).

2-7-HST 36 (4:15) (Shotgun) R.Leonard pass incomplete short middle to T.Warren (H.To'oTo'o) [N.Jones].

3-7-HST 36 (4:10) (Shotgun) R.Leonard pass short middle to A.Abdullah to HST 21 for 15 yards (K.Wallace). P13

1-10-HST 21 (3:33) A.Abdullah up the middle to HST 20 for 1 yard (M.Bryant).

2-9-HST 20 (2:56) R.Leonard pass short middle to M.Alie-Cox to HST 15 for 5 yards (M.Bryant; S.Rankins). HST-K.Merriweather was injured during the play.

3-4-HST 15 (2:26) (Shotgun) R.Leonard pass short right to T.Warren to HST 6 for 9 yards (J.Ingram; E.Speed). P14

1-6-HST 6 (2:03) (No Huddle, Shotgun) R.Leonard pass incomplete short right.

2-6-HST 6 (1:57) (Shotgun) R.Leonard pass incomplete short right to T.Warren.

3-6-HST 6 (1:52) (Shotgun) R.Leonard pass incomplete short right to A.Pierce (J.Ingram).

PENALTY on IND-A.Pierce, Disqualification, 15 yards, enforced at HST 6.

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4-21-HST 21

(1:47) B.Grupe 39 yard field goal is GOOD, Center-L.Rhodes, Holder-R.Sanchez.

IND 27 HST 26, 13 plays, 44 yards, 5:11 drive, 13:18 elapsed

B.Grupe kicks 65 yards from IND 35 to HST 0. J.Noel to HST 31 for 31 yards (B.Johnson; R.Thomas).

Houston Texans at 1:42, (1st play from scrimmage 1:35)

1-10-HST 31 (1:35) (Shotgun) B.Brooks right guard to HST 39 for 8 yards (K.Paye).

2-2-HST 39 (1:00) B.Brooks up the middle to HST 44 for 5 yards (Z.Franklin).

1-10-HST 44 (:19) D.Mills pass incomplete short left to C.Kirk.

2-10-HST 44 (:15) (Shotgun) B.Brooks up the middle to HST 47 for 3 yards (N.Gallimore; K.Moore).

R20

END OF QUARTER	Score	Time Poss	First Downs				Efficiencies	
			R	P	X	T	3 Down	4 Down
Indianapolis Colts	27	8:10	1	5	0	6	3/5	0/0
Houston Texans	26	6:50	4	0	0	4	0/2	0/0

Fourth Quarter

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Play By Play

Houston Texans continued.

3-7-HST 47 (15:00) (Shotgun) D.Mills pass incomplete short right.
 4-7-HST 47 (14:56) T.Townsend punts 45 yards to IND 8, Center-A.Brinkman, out of bounds.

Indianapolis Colts at 14:47

1-10-IND 8 (14:47) D.Giddens left tackle to IND 17 for 9 yards (E.Speed; D.Clark).
 2-1-IND 17 (14:08) D.Giddens left tackle to IND 20 for 3 yards (D.Clark). R15
1-10-IND 20 (13:25) (Shotgun) R.Leonard pass incomplete short right to A.Dulin (J.Ingram).
 2-10-IND 20 (13:18) (Shotgun) R.Leonard pass short right to J.Downs to IND 24 for 4 yards (A.Huzzie).
 3-6-IND 24 (12:35) (Shotgun) R.Leonard pass short left intended for T.Warren INTERCEPTED by A.Huzzie (T.Togiai) at IND 33. A.Huzzie to IND 33 for no gain (T.Warren).

Houston Texans at 12:28

1-10-IND 33 (12:28) (Shotgun) B.Brooks left end to IND 31 for 2 yards (S.Ebukam; G.Pratt).
 2-8-IND 31 (12:05) (No Huddle, Shotgun) D.Mills pass incomplete short middle to X.Hutchinson.
 3-8-IND 31 (12:02) (Shotgun) D.Mills pass short left to D.Ogunbowale to IND 25 for 6 yards (C.Bynum; J.Edwards).
 4-2-IND 25 (11:20) **K.Fairbairn 44 yard field goal is GOOD, Center-A.Brinkman, Holder-T.Townsend.**

Timeout at 11:15.

IND 27 HST 29, 4 plays, 8 yards, 1:13 drive, 3:45 elapsed

K.Fairbairn kicks 65 yards from HST 35 to end zone, Touchback to the IND 35.

Indianapolis Colts at 11:15

1-10-IND 35 (11:15) J.Taylor right guard to IND 36 for 1 yard (L.Fotu; D.Barnett).
2-9-IND 36 (10:31) R.Leonard left end to IND 33 for -3 yards (A.Huzzie).
PENALTY on HST-N.Jones, Defensive Offside, 5 yards, enforced at IND 36 - No Play.
 2-4-IND 41 (10:04) (Shotgun) J.Taylor right guard to IND 42 for 1 yard (A.Huzzie).
 3-3-IND 42 (9:23) (Shotgun) J.Taylor right guard to 50 for 8 yards (M.Bryant). R16
1-10-50 (8:46) J.Taylor right end to IND 48 for -2 yards (D.Barnett).
 2-12-IND 48 (8:03) (Shotgun) R.Leonard pass short right to A.Abdullah to HST 43 for 9 yards (D.Barnett).
 3-3-HST 43 (7:17) R.Leonard scrambles left end ran ob at HST 34 for 9 yards (T.Togiai). R17
1-10-HST 34 (6:37) (Shotgun) J.Taylor up the middle to HST 29 for 5 yards (D.Clark; C.Harris).
 2-5-HST 29 (6:09) (No Huddle, Shotgun) R.Leonard pass short left to T.Warren to HST 23 for 6 yards (T.Smith). P18
1-10-HST 23 (5:29) (Shotgun) D.Giddens right tackle to HST 17 for 6 yards (D.Clark; E.Speed).
 2-4-HST 17 (4:49) (Shotgun) D.Giddens up the middle to HST 12 for 5 yards (T.Togiai). R19
1-10-HST 12 (4:08) (Shotgun) D.Giddens up the middle to HST 11 for 1 yard (C.Harris; D.Barnett).
 2-9-HST 11 (3:29) (Shotgun) D.Giddens up the middle to HST 8 for 3 yards (M.Bryant).
 3-6-HST 8 (2:48) (Shotgun) R.Leonard pass short right to M.Pittman pushed ob at HST 4 for 4 yards (A.Huzzie).
 4-2-HST 4 (2:42) **B.Grupe 22 yard field goal is GOOD, Center-L.Rhodes, Holder-R.Sanchez.**

Timeout at 02:39.

IND 30 HST 29, 14 plays, 61 yards, 1 penalty, 8:36 drive, 12:21 elapsed

B.Grupe kicks 65 yards from IND 35 to end zone, Touchback to the HST 35.

Houston Texans at 2:39

1-10-HST 35 (2:39) (Shotgun) B.Brooks up the middle to HST 42 for 7 yards (Z.Franklin).

Two-Minute Warning

2-3-HST 42 (2:00) (Shotgun) D.Mills pass short middle to X.Hutchinson to IND 41 for 17 yards (G.Pratt). P21
 Timeout #1 by IND at 01:48.
1-10-IND 41 (1:48) (Shotgun) D.Mills pass short middle to J.Noel to IND 28 for 13 yards (C.Bynum; Z.Franklin). P22
 Timeout #2 by IND at 01:42.
1-10-IND 28 (1:42) (Shotgun) B.Brooks up the middle to IND 26 for 2 yards (G.Stewart; L.Latu).
 2-8-IND 26 (:59) (Shotgun) B.Brooks right guard to IND 25 for 1 yard (A.Adebawore).
 3-7-IND 25 (:20) (Shotgun) B.Brooks up the middle to IND 25 for no gain (N.Cross).
 Timeout #3 by IND at 00:17.
 4-7-IND 25 (17) **K.Fairbairn 43 yard field goal is GOOD, Center-A.Brinkman, Holder-T.Townsend.**

IND 30 HST 32, 7 plays, 40 yards, 2:27 drive, 14:48 elapsed

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K.Fairbairn kicks 70 yards from HST 35 to IND -5. A.Dulin to IND 25 for 30 yards (D.Ogunbowale; J.Watson).

Timeout #1 by HST at 00:05.

** Injury Update: IND-L.Latu return is Questionable.

Indianapolis Colts at 0:12, (1st play from scrimmage 0:05)

1-10-IND 25 (:05) (Shotgun) R.Leonard pass short middle to J.Downs to IND 29 for 4 yards. Lateral to M.Pittman to IND 20 for -9 yards. Lateral to R.Leonard to IND 21 for 1 yard (D.Horton). FUMBLES (D.Horton), touched at IND 17, RECOVERED by HST-T.Togiai at IND 17. T.Togiai for 17 yards, TOUCHDOWN.

IND 30 HST 38, 0 plays, 17 yards, 0:00 drive , 15:00 elapsed

END OF QUARTER	Score	Time Poss	First Downs			Efficiencies		
			R	P	X	T	3 Down	4 Down
Indianapolis Colts	30	11:07	4	1	0	5	2/4	0/0
Houston Texans	38	3:53	0	2	0	2	0/3	0/0

Miscellaneous Statistics Report

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Ten Longest Plays for Indianapolis Colts

Yards	Qtr	Play Start	Play Description
66	1	3-7-IND 34	(10:45) (Shotgun) R.Leonard pass deep left to A.Pierce for 66 yards, TOUCHDOWN.
53	3	1-10-IND 46	(13:41) R.Leonard pass deep middle to A.Pierce to HST 1 for 53 yards (J.Ingram).
30	2	1-10-IND 19	(2:39) (Shotgun) R.Leonard pass deep right to J.Downs to IND 49 for 30 yards (C.Bullock).
23	3	3-7-IND 38	(5:32) (Shotgun) R.Leonard pass short middle to J.Downs to HST 39 for 23 yards (K.Merriweather).
16	1	4-5-IND 29	(4:20) (Punt formation) R.Sanchez pass short right to M.Alie-Cox to IND 45 for 16 yards (D.Clark).
16	2	2-10-HST 21	(1:48) (Shotgun) R.Leonard pass short middle to M.Pittman to HST 5 for 16 yards (K.Wallace).
15	3	3-7-HST 36	(4:10) (Shotgun) R.Leonard pass short middle to A.Abdullah to HST 21 for 15 yards (K.Wallace).
11	1	3-5-50	(2:46) (Shotgun) R.Leonard right end ran ob at HST 39 for 11 yards (D.Stingley; H.To'oTo'o).
11	3	2-10-IND 35	(14:20) R.Leonard pass short left to J.Taylor to IND 46 for 11 yards (E.Speed).
9	3	3-4-HST 15	(2:26) (Shotgun) R.Leonard pass short right to T.Warren to HST 6 for 9 yards (J.Ingram; E.Speed).

Ten Longest Plays for Houston Texans

Yards	Qtr	Play Start	Play Description
33	2	1-10-HST 34	(14:19) B.Fisher reported in as eligible. C.Stroud pass short middle to X.Hutchinson pushed ob at IND 33 for 33 yards
32	1	3-10-HST 47	(13:57) (Shotgun) C.Stroud pass short middle to D.Schultz pushed ob at IND 21 for 32 yards (N.Cross).
22	2	1-10-HST 48	(:57) (Shotgun) C.Stroud pass short middle to X.Hutchinson to IND 30 for 22 yards (R.Thomas).
20	3	1-10-HST 41	(9:43) (Shotgun) B.Brooks left tackle to IND 39 for 20 yards (G.Pratt; C.Bynum).
17	1	1-10-HST 30	(14:54) C.Stroud pass short left to D.Schultz to HST 47 for 17 yards (Z.Franklin).
17	4	2-3-HST 42	(2:00) (Shotgun) D.Mills pass short middle to X.Hutchinson to IND 41 for 17 yards (G.Pratt).
13	4	1-10-IND 41	(1:48) (Shotgun) D.Mills pass short middle to J.Noel to IND 28 for 13 yards (C.Bynum; Z.Franklin).
12	1	2-6-IND 48	(9:33) (Shotgun) C.Stroud pass short right to J.Higgins to IND 36 for 12 yards (Z.Franklin).
12	1	3-16-IND 42	(7:19) (Shotgun) C.Stroud pass short middle to D.Schultz to IND 30 for 12 yards (N.Cross; Z.Franklin).
12	2	2-10-HST 36	(6:26) (Shotgun) C.Stroud pass short middle to D.Schultz to HST 48 for 12 yards (N.Cross).

Touchdown Scoring Information

VISITOR	Indianapolis Colts	Offense	Defense	Special Teams
		3	0	0
HOME	Houston Texans	2	1	0

Player Scoring Information

Club	Player	TD	Rush TD	Rec TD	KO TD	Punt TD	Int TD	TD	Fum TD	Misc TD	FG	XP	2Pt Rush	2Pt Rec	Sfty	Points
IND	A.Pierce	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	12
IND	B.Grupe	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	3	0	0	0	12
IND	R.Leonard	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6
HST	K.Fairbairn	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	2	0	0	0	20
HST	C.Stroud	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6
HST	J.Higgins	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6
HST	T.Togiai	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	6

Possession Detail

	First Half		Second Half		Game	
	Visitor	Home	Visitor	Home	Visitor	Home
Largest Lead	4	10	1	8	4	10
Drives Leading	1	3	2	0	3	3
Time of Possession Leading	6:02	4:37	3:23	0:00	9:25	4:37
Largest Deficit	-10	-4	-8	-1	-10	-4
Drives Trailing	4	2	4	5	8	7
Time of Possession Trailing	6:26	10:00	15:54	10:43	22:20	20:43
Times Score Tied Up	0		0			0
Lead Changes	3		6			9

Playtime Percentage

Percent of playtime per player on offense, defense and special teams (Unofficial)

	Indianapolis Colts				Houston Texans			
	Offense	Defense	Special Teams		Offense	Defense	Special Teams	
J.Travis	T 65 100%		6 17%	A.Ersery	T 68 100%		8 22%	
M.Goncalves	G 65 100%		6 17%	J.Andrews	C 68 100%			
Q.Nelson	G 65 100%			J.Higgins	WR 55 81%			
R.Leonard	QB 65 100%			E.Ingram	G 54 79%		8 22%	
B.Raimann	T 65 100%			J.Patterson	C/G 54 79%		8 22%	
T.Bortolini	C 65 100%			T.Howard	T/G 54 79%		8 22%	
M.Pittman	WR 58 89%			X.Hutchinson	WR 54 79%		3 8%	
T.Warren	TE 53 82%			C.Stroud	QB 44 65%			
A.Pierce	WR 44 68%			C.Kirk	WR 39 57%			
J.Downs	WR 41 63%		3 8%	D.Schultz	TE 38 56%			
J.Taylor	RB 34 52%			C.Stover	TE 33 49%		23 64%	
M.Alie-Cox	TE 27 42%		18 50%	W.Marks	RB 31 46%			
A.Dulin	WR 24 37%		21 58%	B.Fisher	T 26 38%		8 22%	
D.Giddens	RB 20 31%			D.Mills	QB 24 35%			
A.Abdullah	RB 8 12%		8 22%	B.Brooks	RB 18 26%		17 47%	
S.McKeon	TE 8 12%		6 17%	H.Bryant	TE 16 24%		7 19%	
L.Treadwell	WR 5 8%		15 42%	J.Kingston	T 14 21%		8 22%	
T.Goodson	RB 3 5%		13 36%	J.Scruggs	C/G 14 21%		8 22%	
Z.Franklin	LB 68 100%		9 25%	J.Watson	WR 13 19%		16 44%	
C.Bynum	S 68 100%		9 25%	J.Noel	WR 11 16%		10 28%	
N.Cross	S 68 100%		1 3%	J.Jordan	RB 10 15%			
G.Pratt	LB 58 85%			D.Ogunbowale	RB 9 13%		15 42%	
K.Moore	CB 52 76%	8 22%		T.Togiai	DT 1 1%	36 55%	1 3%	
J.Jones	CB 51 75%	16 44%		T.Smith	CB	65 100%	8 22%	
L.Latu	DE 46 68%	1 3%		K.Wallace	CB	60 92%	14 39%	
J.Edwards	CB 42 62%	4 11%		H.To'oTo'o	LB	45 69%	9 25%	
A.Adebawore	DT 41 60%	29 81%		D.Barnett	DE	45 69%	7 19%	
N.Gallimore	DT 38 56%	8 22%		D.Horton	DE	44 68%	27 75%	
G.Stewart	DT 37 54%	9 25%		J.Ingram	CB	39 60%	16 44%	
S.Ebukam	DE 36 53%	1 3%		M.Bryant	CB	35 54%	21 58%	
K.Paye	DE 29 43%			C.Bullock	S	33 51%	1 3%	
C.Mitchell	CB 24 35%	1 3%		L.Fotu	DT	32 49%	6 17%	
T.Lewis	DE 21 31%	8 22%		E.Speed	LB	30 46%	14 39%	
J.Tuimoloau	DE 19 28%	19 53%		S.Rankins	DT	27 42%		
C.Wormley	DT 19 28%	6 17%		N.Jones	DT	26 40%	7 19%	
M.Blackmon	CB 18 26%	8 22%		D.Stingley	CB	26 40%	1 3%	
R.Thomas	S 10 15%	22 61%		J.Pitre	S	26 40%	1 3%	
A.Ajiake	LB 3 4%	30 83%		A.Al-Shaair	LB	26 40%	1 3%	
S.Olubi	LB	29 81%		C.Harris	LB	24 37%	18 50%	
B.Johnson	LB	21 58%		A.Huzzie	CB	22 34%	14 39%	
B.Grupe	K	13 36%		D.Clark	LB	20 31%	27 75%	
J.Carlies	LB	10 28%		W.Anderson	DE	19 29%		
R.Sanchez	P	10 28%		D.Hunter	DE	17 26%	1 3%	
L.Rhodes	LS	10 28%		D.Autry	DE	10 15%	6 17%	
L.Tenuta	T	6 17%						

D.Pinter	C	6	17%	K.Merriweather	S	8	12%	13	36%
D.Tucker	G	6	17%	K.Fairbairn	K			16	44%
				A.Brinkman	LS			11	31%
				T.Townsend	P			11	31%