

FRIDAY UPDATE: DECEMBER 7, 2012

WEEK 14 NFL MATCHUPS:
DECEMBER 9 - 10

		StatFox DAVE	StatFox GARY	StatFox SCOTT	StatFox BRIAN	StatFox FORECASTER	StatFox CONSENSUS
• (105) BALTIMORE at (106) WASHINGTON	-2½	BALTIMORE	WASHINGTON	BALTIMORE	BALTIMORE	WASHINGTON	BALTIMORE
• (107) KANSAS CITY at (108) CLEVELAND	-6½	CLEVELAND	CLEVELAND	KANSAS CITY	KANSAS CITY	KANSAS CITY	KANSAS CITY
• (109) SAN DIEGO at (110) PITTSBURGH	-7½	BEST BET *	PITTSBURGH	SAN DIEGO	SAN DIEGO	SAN DIEGO	SAN DIEGO
• (111) TENNESSEE at (112) INDIANAPOLIS	-5½	BEST BET *	INDIANAPOLIS	INDIANAPOLIS	INDIANAPOLIS	INDIANAPOLIS	INDIANAPOLIS
• (113) NEW YORK JETS at (114) JACKSONVILLE	+2½	NEW YORK JETS	BEST BET *	NEW YORK JETS	JACKSONVILLE	NEW YORK JETS	NEW YORK JETS
• (115) CHICAGO at (116) MINNESOTA	+3	CHICAGO	BEST BET *	CHICAGO	MINNESOTA	MINNESOTA	
• (117) ATLANTA at (118) CAROLINA	+3½	ATLANTA	BEST BET *	BEST BET *	BEST BET *	CAROLINA	
• (119) PHILADELPHIA at (120) TAMPA BAY	-7½	BEST BET *	TAMPA BAY	PHILADELPHIA	PHILADELPHIA	TAMPA BAY	
• (121) ST. LOUIS at (122) BUFFALO	-3	BUFFALO	BUFFALO	BUFFALO	BUFFALO	ST. LOUIS	BUFFALO
• (123) DALLAS at (124) CINCINNATI	-3	CINCINNATI	BEST BET *	CINCINNATI	BEST BET *	CINCINNATI	CINCINNATI
• (125) MIAMI at (126) SAN FRANCISCO	-10½	BEST BET *	SAN FRANCISCO	BEST BET *	BEST BET *	MIAMI	
• (127) NEW ORLEANS at (128) NEW YORK GIANTS	-4½	NEW YORK GIANTS	BEST BET *	NEW ORLEANS	NEW YORK GIANTS	NEW YORK GIANTS	NEW YORK GIANTS
• (129) ARIZONA at (130) SEATTLE	-10	SEATTLE	SEATTLE	SEATTLE	ARIZONA	ARIZONA	SEATTLE
• (131) DETROIT at (132) GREEN BAY	-6½	BEST BET *	DETROIT	DETROIT	GREEN BAY	DETROIT	DETROIT
• (133) HOUSTON at (134) NEW ENGLAND	-3½	NEW ENGLAND	HOUSTON	HOUSTON	HOUSTON	HOUSTON	HOUSTON

One of the resources utilized by handicappers is the public betting information offered by a variety of sources. Leading the way is Sportsbook.com, which offers up this data on both its .net and .com Web sites. Boasting massive sports betting customer databases, Sportsbook.com is able to present statistics that are accurately reflective of public sentiment, and hence useful to the handicapper studying them. These betting trends tell what percentage of bets is being placed on each side of a point spread and total.

This data can be used to profit from. Most "sharps," when given the option, choose to be on the side of the bookmaker, or opposite that of the betting public. However, that side doesn't always win, and some bettors believe in the theory that there is "strength in numbers"—that group would rather follow the big money. By following these betting trends consistently, you'll be able to form your own opinion. Here's a look at this week's NFL line movement and betting trends so that you can see which way the public is leaning.

Open = Opening Line **Current** = Current Line

Side = % of bets on each side of line

Total = Top line = % of bets on over

12/09/2012 1:00 PM EST	Open	Current	Side	Total
105 BALTIMORE RAVENS	47	47½	44%	40%
106 WASHINGTON REDSKINS	PK	-2½	56%	60%

12/09/2012 1:00 PM EST	Open	Current	Side	Total
107 KANSAS CITY CHIEFS	38	38	25%	55%
108 CLEVELAND BROWNS	-4½	-6½	75%	45%

12/09/2012 1:00 PM EST	Open	Current	Side	Total
109 SAN DIEGO CHARGERS	42½	41½	23%	31%
110 PITTSBURGH STEELERS	-7½	-7½	77%	69%

12/09/2012 1:00 PM EST	Open	Current	Side	Total
111 TENNESSEE TITANS	49½	48	12%	61%
112 INDIANAPOLIS COLTS	-5	-5½	88%	39%

12/09/2012 1:00 PM EST	Open	Current	Side	Total
113 NEW YORK JETS	-1	-2½	67%	7%
114 JACKSONVILLE JAGUARS	39	38½	33%	93%

12/09/2012 1:00 PM EST	Open	Current	Side	Total
115 CHICAGO BEARS	-1	-3	70%	51%
116 MINNESOTA VIKINGS	40	39	30%	49%

12/09/2012 1:00 PM EST	Open	Current	Side	Total
117 ATLANTA FALCONS	-3½	-3½	88%	82%
118 CAROLINA PANTHERS	47½	48	12%	18%

12/09/2012 1:00 PM EST	Open	Current	Side	Total
119 PHILADELPHIA EAGLES	45½	47½	43%	87%
120 TAMPA BAY BUCCANEERS	-9	-7½	57%	13%

12/09/2012 1:00 PM EST	Open	Current	Side	Total
121 ST. LOUIS RAMS	42	42½	59%	89%
122 BUFFALO BILLS	-3	-3	41%	11%

12/09/2012 1:00 PM EST	Open	Current	Side	Total
123 DALLAS COWBOYS	45½	45½	32%	81%
124 CINCINNATI BENGALS	-2½	-3	68%	19%

12/09/2012 4:05 PM EST	Open	Current	Side	Total
125 MIAMI DOLPHINS	41	39	43%	28%
126 SAN FRANCISCO 49ERS	-10	-10½	57%	72%

12/09/2012 4:25 PM EST	Open	Current	Side	Total
127 NEW ORLEANS SAINTS	53	53	63%	90%
128 NEW YORK GIANTS	-6	-4½	37%	10%

12/09/2012 4:25 PM EST	Open	Current	Side	Total
129 ARIZONA CARDINALS	34½	35½	51%	60%
130 SEATTLE SEAHAWKS	-10½	-10	49%	40%

12/09/2012 8:30 PM EST	Open	Current	Side	Total
131 DETROIT LIONS	52½	50½	24%	25%
132 GREEN BAY PACKERS	-7	-6½	76%	75%

12/10/2012 8:40 PM EST	Open	Current	Side	Total
133 HOUSTON TEXANS	52½	51	56%	75%
134 NEW ENGLAND PATRIOTS	-4½	-3½	44%	25%

KEY WEEK 14 NFL INJURIES

BALTIMORE OLB Terrell Suggs (torn biceps) is doubtful to play on Sunday . . . **WASHINGTON** could be missing two CBs in Cedric Griffin (suspension) and DeAngelo Hall (ankle) . . .

PITTSBURGH QB Ben Roethlisberger will start under center on Sunday. CB Ike Taylor (ankle) remains out indefinitely . . . **INDIANAPOLIS** RB Donald Brown (ankle) is out indefinitely . . .

N.Y. JETS QB Mark Sanchez was named the starter for Sunday despite being benched last week.

It's doubtful he'll have the services of TE Dustin Keller (ankle) . . . **JACKSONVILLE** will likely be

missing both WR Cecil Shorts and RB Rashad Jennings due to lingering concussion symptoms

. . . **CHICAGO** LB Brian Urlacher (hamstring) and CB Tim Jennings (shoulder) and WR Earl Bennett

(concussion) are all out indefinitely, while WRs Devin Hester (concussion) and Alshon Jeffery

(knee) are both listed as questionable . . . **MINNESOTA** WR Percy Harvin (ankle) was placed on

season-ending IR . . . **ATLANTA** CB Asante Samuel (shoulder) will be a game-time decision . . .

CAROLINA RB Jonathan Stewart (ankle) and WR Brandon LaFell (foot) are both out this week

. . . **PHILADELPHIA** RB LeSean McCoy (head) is doubtful for Sunday's game . . . **ST. LOUIS** WR

Danny Amendola (heel) has practiced on a limited basis this week and will likely be a game-time

decision for Sunday . . . **BUFFALO** WR Steve Johnson (hamstring) is listed as questionable, but

the team expects him to start this week . . . **CINCINNATI** TE Jermaine Gresham (hamstring) did

not practice on Thursday and is questionable for Sunday's action . . . **SAN FRANCISCO** WR Mario

Manningham (shoulder) is doubtful for Sunday . . . **N.Y. GIANTS** WR Hakeem Nicks (knee) was not

able to practice Thursday and is questionable for Sunday's action . . . **ARIZONA** will start QB John

Skelton in place of rookie Ryan Lindley . . . **SEATTLE** WR Sidney Rice (head) expects to start in

Week 14 . . . **DETROIT** WRs Titus Young and Ryan Broyles are both out for the season with knee

injuries . . . **GREEN BAY** WR Jordy Nelson (hamstring) is doubtful for Sunday night and RB James

Starks (knee) is out indefinitely . . . **HOUSTON** CB Johnathan Joseph (hamstring) is questionable

for Monday night, while DB Brice McCain (foot) has already been ruled out . . . **NEW ENGLAND** TE

Rob Gronkowski (forearm) and WR Julian Edelman (foot, IR) are both out this week.