



PITTSBURGH STEELERS (7-6-1) AT KANSAS CITY CHIEFS (10-4)



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REGULAR-SEASON SERIES HISTORY

LEADER: Steelers lead all-time series, 22-11
STREAKS: Steelers have won 2 of past 3

LAST GAME: 9/16/18: Chiefs 42 at Steelers 37
LAST GAME AT SITE: 10/15/17: Steelers 19, Chiefs 13

PITTSBURGH STEELERS	LEADERS	KANSAS CHIEFS
W 19-13 vs. Tennessee	LAST WEEK	W 34-28 at L.A. Chargers (OT, Thu.)
Mike Tomlin: 6-3	COACH VS. OPP.	Andy Reid: 4-6
20.8/23.4	PTS. FOR/AGAINST	27.5/21.1
317.5	OFFENSE	397.2
Ben Roethlisberger: 313-480-3,214-19-7-91.4	PASSING	Patrick Mahomes: 360-549-4,052-30-13-95.8
Najee Harris (R): 249-891-3.6-6	RUSHING	Clyde Edwards-Helaire: 110-490-4.5-3
Diontae Johnson: 86-1,028-12.0-6	RECEIVING	Tyreek Hill: 102-1,178-11.5-9
367.5	DEFENSE	366.4
T.J. Watt: 17.5	SACKS	Chris Jones: 7
Minkah Fitzpatrick, Ahkello Witherspoon: 2	INTs	Tyrann Mathieu: 3
+2 (17/15)	TAKE/GIVE	0 (25/25)
Pressley Harvin (R): 43.3 (38.1)	PUNTING (NET)	Tommy Townsend: 48.0 (45.5)
Chris Boswell: 107 (23/25 PAT; 28/31 FG)	KICKING	Harrison Butker: 107 (41/43 PAT; 22/25 FG)

STEELERS NOTES

- **QB BEN ROETHLISBERGER** passed for 148 yards & had 1st rush TD of season last week. Has 2+ TD passes & 105+ rating in 2 of past 3. Passed for 452 yards & 3 TDs vs. 0 INTs for 104.3 rating in last meeting. Has 10 TDs vs. INT for 119 rating in his past 4 starts vs. KC. Has 3+ TD passes & 100+ rating in 2 of his past 3 on road. Has 63,562 career pass yards & surpassed **PHILIP RIVERS** (63,440) for 5th-most in NFL history.
- **RB NAJEE HARRIS** has 100+ scrimmage yards in 2 of past 3. Has rush TD in 4 of his past 5 on road. Aims for 4th in row vs. AFC West with TD. Leads rookies with 1,296 scrimmage yards (891 rush, 405 rec.) & ranks 2nd with 9 TDs (6 rush, 3 rec.), most-ever scrimmage yards by Pit. rookie.
- **WR DIONTAE JOHNSON** has 5+ catches in 9 straight games, third-longest active streak in NFL. Has 90+ rec. yards in 4 of past 5. Aims for his 6th in row on road with 75+ rec. yards. Is of 2 AFC WRs (**TYREEK HILL**) with 85+ catches (86), 1,000+ rec. yards (1,028) & 6+ rec. TDs (6) this season. **WR CHASE CLAYPOOL** aims for 4th in row on road with 80+ rec. yards. Rookie **TE PAT FREIERMUTH** aims for 5th in row on road with TD catch.
- **LB T.J. WATT** had 1.5 sacks & FR last week. Has 5 sacks in his past 3. Leads NFL with 17.5 sacks, most in Pit. history. Has 67 career sacks, 3rd-most by player in 1st 5 seasons since 1982. **LB JOE SCHOBERT** had 1st INT of season in Week 15. Aims for his 5th in row with 7+ tackles. **S MINKAH FITZPATRICK** had career-high 14 tackles & 1st FR of season last week.

CHIEFS NOTES

- **QB PATRICK MAHOMES** passed for season-high 410 yards with 3 TDs for 105.8 rating last week. Aims for 3rd in row with 2+ TD passes & 105+ rating. Completed 23 of 28 atts. (81.1 pct.) for 326 yards & 6 TDs vs. 0 INTs for career-high 154.8 rating in last meeting. Has 30 TDs (28 pass, 2 rush) vs. 4 INTs for 129 rating in 8 career starts vs. AFC North. Is 2nd QB ever (HOFer **PEYTON MANNING**) with 4,000+ pass yards in 4 of 1st 5 seasons.
- **RB CLYDE EDWARDS-HELAIRE** has 50+ scrimmage yards in 3 of his past 4. **FB MICHAEL BURTON** had 1st-career rush TD last week.
- **TE TRAVIS KELCE** had 10 catches for career-high 191 yards & 2 TDs, incl. GW 34-yard rec. TD in OT last week. Had 7 catches for 109 yards & 2 TDs in last meeting. Has rec. TD in 2 of his past 3 vs. Pit. Aims for his 9th in row vs. AFC North with 75+ rec. yards. Leads TEs with 1,066 rec. yards & is 1st TE ever with 1,000+ rec. yards in 6 straight seasons. **WR TYREEK HILL** had team-high 12 catches for 148 yards & TD in Week 15, his 4th game with 10+ catches this season, tied-most in NFL. Aims for 3rd in row with 75+ rec. yards. Had 90 rec. yards & TD catch in last meeting. Ranks 2nd in NFL with career-high 102 catches.
- **CB CHARVARIUS WARD** had career-high 10 tackles & 2 PD last week. Has 6 PD in his past 4. Has 7+ tackles in 3 of past 4. Rookie **LB NICK BOLTON** led team with 14 tackles & had 3 PD in Week 15. Leads rookies with 102 tackles & ranks 2nd with 11 TFL. **LB ANTHONY HITCHENS** had 2nd-career INT last week.