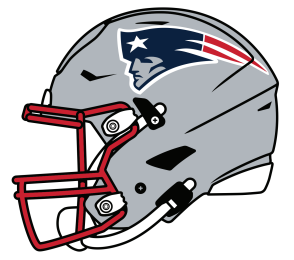




SUPER BOWL



SEATTLE SEAHAWKS

14-3 • 2-0

In a rematch of Super Bowl 49, the Seattle Seahawks will take on the New England Patriots. The matchup features two of the NFL's most balanced teams. In terms of yardage, each team was top 10 in every category on both sides of the ball.

NEW ENGLAND PATRIOTS

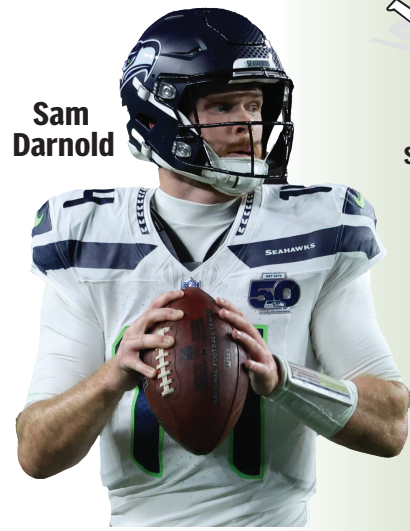
14-3 • 3-0

Levi's Stadium • Santa Clara, Calif. • Feb. 8 • 6:30 p.m. EST • Halftime performer: Bad Bunny



Seahawks Head Coach Mike Macdonald

Macdonald is just one win from becoming the first head coach to win a Super Bowl as the primary defensive play-caller. The Seahawks had one of the best defenses in the NFL setting a franchise record for regular-season wins.



Sam Darnold

OFFENSE

Jaxon Smith-Njigba 11 • WR

PROJECTED STARTERS

AJ Barner 88 • TE

Robbie Ouzts 40 • FB

Jason Myers 5 • K

Charles Cross 67 • LT

Grey Zabel 76 • LG

Jalen Sundell 61 • C

Rashid Shaheed 22 • KR

Sam Darnold 14 • QB

Anthony Bradford 75 • RG

Abraham Lucas 72 • RT

Kenneth Walker III 9 • RB

Cooper Kupp 10 • WR

SPECIAL TEAMS

KEY PLAYER

Craig Woodson 31 • S

Christian Gonzalez 0 • CB

Harold Landry III 2 • OLB

Milton Williams 97 • DT

Khyiris Tonga 95 • NT

Christian Barmore 90 • DT

K'Lavon Chaisson 44 • OLB

Jaylinn Hawkins 21 • S

Carlton Davis III 7 • CB

DEFENSE



Patriots Head Coach Mike Vrabel

Vrabel is the eighth player to play in a Super Bowl and then reach one as a head coach. With a win, he can make NFL history as the first one to win a Super Bowl as a player and head coach for the same franchise. His Patriots have not lost on the road this season.



Drake Maye

Regular season stats

ATT	COMP	YDS	TD	INT
477	323	4048	25	14

Postseason

53	37	470	4	0
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WHEN THE SEAHAWKS HAVE THE BALL

Sam Darnold has taken it to another level during the playoffs. He must continue to stay decisive under pressure and not force the issue. He will look often to All-Pro WR Jaxon Smith-Njigba (1,793 yards, 10 TDs). Christian Gonzalez will be tasked with slowing him down. It could be the matchup that decides it all.

Regular season stats

ATT	COMP	YDS	TD	INT
492	354	4394	31	8

Postseason

77	43	533	4	2
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Hawking corner

Drafted by Seattle 5th overall in 2023, Devon Witherspoon is a three-time Pro Bowler. In 2025 he led all cornerbacks in Pro Football Focus grade (89.9) and made an impact in coverage, against the run and on blitzes.



SEAHAWKS DEFENSE | PATRIOTS OFFENSE

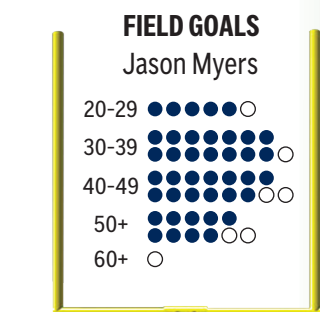
DEFENSIVE LEADERS

TACKLES*: Ernest Jones: 126

SACKS: Byron Murphy II, Uchenna Nwosu, Leonard Williams: 7.0

INT: Ernest Jones: 5

Regular season *Combined



FGA	48
FGM	41
PCT	85.4
LNG	57

Made ● Missed ○

Regular season

Sources: NFL, Pro-Football-Reference, Pro Football Focus

Devon Witherspoon 21 • CB

Coby Bryant 8 • S

Derick Hall 58 • RUSH/LB

Drake Thomas 42 • WLB

Leonard Williams 99 • DT

Byron Murphy II 91 • NT

Ernest Jones IV 13 • MLB

Uchenna Nwosu 7 • SLB

Julian Love 20 • S

Josh Jobe 29 • CB

SPECIAL TEAMS

Michael Dickson P • 4

Rashid Shaheed 22 • KR

Stefon Diggs 8 • WR

Hunter Henry 85 • TE

Morgan Moses 76 • RT

Mike Onwenu 71 • RG

Garrett Bradbury 65 • C

Jared Wilson 58 • LG

Will Campbell 66 • LT

DeMario Douglas 3 • WR

Kayshon Boutte 9 • WR

PROJECTED STARTERS



Game changer at CB

Drafted 17th overall in 2023, Christian Gonzalez was a Pro Bowler in 2025. He had a sack and the game-sealing interception in the AFC Championship while forcing a key fumble in the Divisional Round.

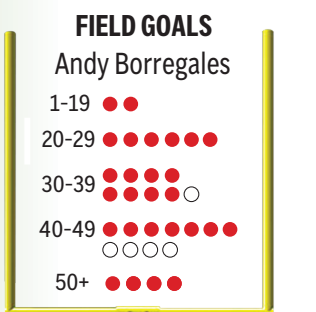
DEFENSIVE LEADERS

TACKLES*: Robert Spillane: 97

SACKS: Harold Landry III: 8.5

INT: Jaylinn Hawkins: 4

Regular season *Combined



FGA	32
FGM	27
PCT	84.4
LNG	59

Made ● Missed ○

Regular season

WHEN THE PATRIOTS HAVE THE BALL

Drake Maye is an MVP candidate for a reason but this might be the best defense he will face all year. Seattle has four players with 40-plus QB pressures. Top wideout Stefon Diggs has to be a factor for the Pats. He'll see a lot of All-Pro Devon Witherspoon. Also watch for LB Ernest Jones IV who flies around the field.

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