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TITANS-49ERS SUPPLEMENTAL NOTES

TOTAL OF 49 CARRIES AGAINST JAGUARS SET TITANS UP FOR SUCCESS: Last Sunday, for the 15th time in franchise history and only the fourth time since 1980, the Titans reached 49 rushing attempts in a game. They gained 305 rushing yards—second in team history—on 49 carries against the Jaguars.

The Titans are 14-1 all-time in games in which they rush 49 or more times. They are 112-8-2 in games with 40 or more carries, including a 29-1 mark in the Jeff Fisher era (1995-09).

Their 49 attempts versus the Jaguars also tied for the second highest number thus far in 2009.

Most rushing attempts by a team in a game in 2009:

Team	Date	Opp	Att	Yds	Avg	Lg	TD
1. New York Jets	10/25/09	Oak (W)	54	316	5.9	33t	4
2. Miami Dolphins	09/21/09	Ind (L)	49	239	4.9	19	2
New York Giants	09/27/09	TB (W)	49	226	4.6	38	1
Tennessee Titans	11/01/09	Jax (W)	49	305	6.2	89t	2
5. Carolina Panthers	10/18/09	TB (W)	48	267	5.6	26t	3

In the last four seasons (2006-09), no NFL team has averaged more carries per game than the Titans, who have rushed 31.36 times per game during that time period. The Titans' cumulative record in those games is 32-23.

Most rushing attempts per game, 2006-09:

Team	Att/Gm	G	Att	Yds	Avg	Lg	TD
1. Tennessee Titans	31.36	55	1,725	7,658	4.4	91t	62
2. Baltimore Ravens	30.96	55	1,703	6,684	3.9	82t	52
3. Atlanta Falcons	30.47	55	1,676	7,680	4.6	90t	48
4. New England Patriots	30.18	55	1,660	6,901	4.2	59t	65
5. Minnesota Vikings	30.07	56	1,684	7,742	4.6	95t	59
6. New York Giants	30.05	56	1,683	7,956	4.7	88t	55
7. Jacksonville Jaguars	29.78	55	1,638	7,655	4.7	80t	69
8. Washington Redskins	29.67	55	1,632	6,836	4.2	78	42
9. Pittsburgh Steelers	29.55	55	1,625	6,599	4.1	76	47
10. New York Jets	29.54	56	1,654	6,864	4.1	71t	53

JOHNSON AND WHITE MOVING UP LIST: The Titans have a pair of running backs that are making a move toward the franchise's all-time Top 10 rushers.

With 2,322 career yards, **LenDale White** needs just three yards in this Sunday's game to pass **Allen Pinkett** (2,324) for 10th place on the list.

Chris Johnson moved past **Rodney Thomas** (1,847) for 15th place during last Sunday's record-setting, 228-yard performance against the Jacksonville Jaguars, which gave him 2,052 career yards.

All-time leading rushers in franchise history:

Player	Seasons	Games	Att	Yards	Avg	Lg	TD
1. Eddie George	1996-2003	128	2,733	10,009	3.7	76	64
2. Earl Campbell	1978-1984	91	1,979	8,574	4.3	81t	73
3. Lorenzo White	1988-1994	95	1,000	4,079	4.1	44	29
4. Hoyle Granger	1966-1972	69	773	3,514	4.5	69	18
5. Steve McNair	1995-2005	139	614	3,439	5.6	71t	36
6. Mike Rozier	1985-1990	68	910	3,426	3.8	41	27
7. Charley Tolar	1960-1966	95	907	3,277	3.6	40	21
8. Ronnie Coleman	1974-1981	113	700	2,769	4.0	46t	16
9. Chris Brown	2003-2007	54	643	2,757	4.3	52	16
10. Allen Pinkett	1986-1991	87	561	2,324	4.1	60	21
11. LenDale White	2006-2009	52	616	2,322	3.8	80t	23
12. Gary Brown	1991-1995	65	477	2,115	4.4	39t	12
13. Fred Willis	1972-1976	58	603	2,114	3.5	44	11
14. Billy Cannon	1960-1963	48	512	2,111	4.1	64	14
15. Chris Johnson	2008-2009	22	370	2,052	5.5	91t	13

TOP RUSHING AVERAGES VERSUS DIVISION OPPONENTS: With **Chris Johnson's** performance last week against the Jaguars (228 yards), his top two career games in terms of rushing yards have come against divisional opponents. Earlier this season (Sept. 20), Johnson set a then-career high with 197 yards against the Houston Texans.

In nine career games against the AFC South, Johnson has 915 yards and five touchdowns on 145 rushing attempts. His 6.31 yards-per-carry average tops all NFL rushers in divisional games since the start of the 2008 season (minimum of 40 attempts).

AFC South ball carriers own the top three slots on the list, with **Steve Slaton** (5.59) and **Maurice Jones-Drew** (5.54) second and third, respectively.

Highest rushing average in division games, 2008-09 (min. 40 attempts):

Player	Games vs. Division	Att	Yds	Avg	Lg	TD
1. Chris Johnson	9	145	915	6.31	91t	5
2. Steve Slaton	8	132	738	5.59	71t	6
3. Maurice Jones-Drew	10	138	765	5.54	80t	10
4. Darren Sproles	10	59	327	5.54	37	2
5. DeAngelo Williams	8	153	843	5.51	41	6
6. Frank Gore	7	130	693	5.33	80t	7
7. Leon Washington	9	71	377	5.31	47t	2
8. Pierre Thomas	6	58	307	5.29	30	2
9. Jonathan Stewart	8	101	496	4.91	30	6
10. Adrian Peterson	9	211	1,007	4.77	59	8

REGULAR SEASON RECORDS IN NOVEMBER THROUGH JANUARY: The Titans began the month of November with their first win of 2009 and a hope of accumulating victories in the second half of the season, a feat they have pursued with success in recent years. In the "Titans era" (1999-09), the franchise has been one of the NFL's best teams from the start of November through the end of the regular season.

Since the start of the 1999 season, the Titans are ranked sixth in the NFL in regular season winning percentage from November through January, winning 54 of their 88 games (.614). They trail the New England Patriots, Indianapolis Colts, Philadelphia Eagles, Pittsburgh Steelers and Baltimore Ravens.

Best winning percentages in November-January regular season games, 1999-09:

Team	W	L	T	Pct
1. New England Patriots	61	25	0	0.709
2. Indianapolis Colts	63	28	0	0.692
3. Philadelphia Eagles	57	30	1	0.653
4. Pittsburgh Steelers	57	32	1	0.639
5. Baltimore Ravens	55	34	0	0.618
6. Tennessee Titans	54	34	0	0.614
7. Green Bay Packers	54	37	0	0.593
8. Tampa Bay Buccaneers	49	38	0	0.563
9. Seattle Seahawks	51	40	0	0.560
10. Denver Broncos	47	38	0	0.553

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