

National Football League Game Summary

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Date: Sunday, 12/27/1998

Tampa Bay Buccaneers at Cincinnati Bengals

Start Time: 1:01 PM EST

at Cinergy Field, Cincinnati, Ohio

Game Day Weather

Game Weather: Cloudy

Temp: 40° F (4.4° C)Wind: SW 14 mph

Played Outdoors on Turf: Artificial

Outdoor Weather: Mostly cloudy and fair, Wind Chill: 0

Officials

Referee: Phil Luckett (59)

Umpire: Hendi Ancich (115)

Head Linesman: Earnie Frantz (111)

Line Judge: Dale Orem (51)

Field Judge: Jim Saracino (58)

Side Judge: Laird Hayes (125)

Back Judge: Ron Spitler (119)

Replay Official:

Lineups

Tampa Bay Buccaneers				Cincinnati Bengals			
Offense		Defense		Offense		Defense	
WR	81 J.Green	LE	97 T.Jackson	WR	81 C.Pickens	DE	90 M.Bankston
LT	74 P.Gruber	NT	77 B.Culpepper	T	77 K.Sargent	DT	67 K.Von Oelhoffen
C/G	65 K.Dogins	DT	99 W.Sapp	T	75 A.Brown	DE	96 C.Simmons
C	61 T.Mayberry	DE	91 R.Upshaw	C	65 D.Brilz	LB	50 J.Francis
G	73 F.Middleton	SLB	50 J.Gooch	G	63 M.Goff	LB	56 B.Simmons
RT	70 J.Odom	MLB	59 J.Duncan	T	71 W.Anderson	LB	51 T.Spikes
TE	83 D.Moore	WLB	55 D.Brooks	TE	82 T.McGee	LB	55 R.Wilson
WR	86 K.Williams	LCB	21 D.Abraham	WR	86 D.Scott	CB	33 A.Ambrose
QB	12 T.Dilfer	RCB	20 R.Barber	QB	10 P.Justin	CB	27 A.Hawkins
RB	28 W.Dunn	SS	47 J.Lynch	RB	28 C.Dillon	S	35 S.Shade
FB	40 M.Alstott	FS	22 C.Mincy	FB	44 B.Milne	S	31 G.Myers

Substitutions

QB 4 S.Walsh, K 5 M.Husted, P 6 T.Barnhardt, S 23 T.Bouie, CB 25 B.Kelly, CB 27 A.Parker, CB 31 F.Young, S 33 E.Vance, RB 37 J.Ellison, FB 41 L.Neal, LB 53 S.Quarles, LB/LS 54 M.Palmer, LB 58 D.Davis, T 69 P.Pierson, T 71 J.Wunsch, C 75 T.Washington, DT 78 M.Jones, TE 80 J.Davis, TE 82 P.Hape, WR 84 R.Thomas, WR 85 R.Anthony, WR 89 H.Copeland, DE 94 S.White, DT 98 J.Cannida

Substitutions

P 6 B.Costello, QB 8 J.Blake, K 9 D.Pelfrey, QB 15 E.Kresser, CB 20 T.Randolph, RB 21 E.Bieniemy, DB 29 K.Moore, RB 36 B.Bennett, CB 37 R.Blackmon, S 40 M.Bell, LB 52 J.Sprotte, LB 57 A.Ross, LS 59 G.Trutt, T 60 R.Jones, C 64 R.Payne, WR 80 W.Jackson, WR 84 D.Gibson, WR 87 S.Williams, TE 89 M.Battaglia, LB 91 B.Granville, DE 92 J.Copeland, DE 94 J.Langford, LB 95 S.Foley, DT 97 A.Purvis

Did Not Play

QB/P 13 S.Milanovich

Did Not Play

G 68 S.Shaw

Not Active

RB 26 R.Abdullah, S 29 S.Smith, LB 51 A.Singleton, LG 64 J.Diaz, DE/DT 96 B.Mix

Not Active

RB 45 R.Zellars, FB 46 C.Groce, G 62 B.Gutierrez, WR 85 J.Hundon, FB 88 S.Bush, DT 93 M.Thompson, LB 98 C.Curtis

Field Goals (made () & missed)

M.Husted		18RU	D.Pelfrey		41WR		
			1	2	3	4	OT
VISITOR:	Tampa Bay Buccaneers		14	14	0	7	0
HOME:	Cincinnati Bengals		0	0	0	0	0

Scoring Plays

Team	Qtr	Time	Play Description (Extra Point) (Drive Info)	Visitor	Home
Buccaneers	1	12:29	R.Thomas 50 yd. pass from T.Dilfer (M.Husted kick) (5-70, 2:31)	7	0
Buccaneers	1	2:46	M.Alstott 1 yd. run (M.Husted kick) (3-8, 1:12)	14	0
Buccaneers	2	14:57	M.Alstott 1 yd. run (M.Husted kick) (6-31, 2:39)	21	0
Buccaneers	2	8:07	R.Anthony 4 yd. pass from T.Dilfer (M.Husted kick) (3-4, 0:50)	28	0
Buccaneers	4	9:20	M.Alstott 3 yd. run (M.Husted kick) (7-43, 3:51)	35	0

Paid Attendance: 49,826

Time: 2:42

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Final Individual Statistics

Tampa Bay Buccaneers

Cincinnati Bengals

RUSHING	ATT	YDS	AVG	LG	TD	RUSHING	ATT	YDS	AVG	LG	TD
W.Dunn	19	89	4.7	19	0	C.Dillon	14	70	5.0	13	0
M.Alstott	20	69	3.5	9	3	B.Bennett	5	13	2.6	9	0
L.Neal	4	25	6.3	12	0	B.Milne	1	3	3.0	3	0
T.Dilfer	2	22	11.0	12	0	D.Scott	1	2	2.0	2	0
J.Ellison	6	18	3.0	10	0	B.Costello	1	0	0.0	0	0
						E.Kresser	1	-1	-1.0	-1	0
Total	51	223	4.4	19	3	Total	23	87	3.8	13	0

PASSING	ATT	CMP	YDS	SK/YD	TD	LG	IN	RT	PASSING	ATT	CMP	YDS	SK/YD	TD	LG	IN	RT
T.Dilfer	16	10	111	2/14	2	50	1	96.6	E.Kresser	17	7	102	0/0	0	35	2	21.8
									P.Justin	10	4	74	2/17	0	41	0	66.2
Total	16	10	111	2/14	2	50	1	96.6	Total	27	11	176	2/17	0	41	2	32.3

PASS RECEIVING	TAR	REC	YDS	AVG	LG	TD	PASS RECEIVING	TAR	REC	YDS	AVG	LG	TD
J.Green	5	3	23	7.7	11	0	T.McGee	6	3	68	22.7	35	0
K.Williams	3	2	18	9.0	10	0	C.Dillon	5	3	51	17.0	41	0
M.Alstott	2	2	8	4.0	4	0	D.Scott	4	2	37	18.5	24	0
R.Thomas	2	1	50	50.0	50	1	C.Pickens	9	2	17	8.5	11	0
W.Dunn	1	1	8	8.0	8	0	B.Milne	1	1	3	3.0	3	0
R.Anthony	1	1	4	4.0	4	1	S.Williams	1	0	0	0.0	0	0
L.Neal	1	0	0	0.0	0	0	B.Bennett	1	0	0	0.0	0	0
Total	15	10	111	11.1	50	2	Total	27	11	176	16.0	41	0

INTERCEPTIONS	NO	YDS	AVG	LG	TD	INTERCEPTIONS	NO	YDS	AVG	LG	TD
R.Barber	1	56	56.0	56	0	A.Ambrose	1	0	0.0	0	0
C.Mincy	1	5	5.0	5	0						
Total	2	61	30.5	56	0	Total	1	0	0.0	0	0

PUNTING	NO	YDS	AVG	NET	TB	IN20	LG	PUNTING	NO	YDS	AVG	NET	TB	IN20	LG
M.Husted	4	159	39.8	35.8	0	1	48	B.Costello	3	143	47.7	30.8	1	0	52
								[BLOCKED]	1	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	0
Total	4	159	39.8	35.8	0	1	48	Total	4	143	35.8	30.8	1	0	52

PUNT RETURNS	NO	YDS	AVG	FC	LG	TD	PUNT RETURNS	NO	YDS	AVG	FC	LG	TD
[DOWNED]	1	0	0.0	0	0	0	S.Williams	2	16	8.0	2	10	0
[OUT OF BOUNDS]	1	0	0.0	0	0	0							
[TOUCHBACK]	1	0	0.0	0	0	0							
Total	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	Total	2	16	8.0	2	10	0

KICKOFF RETURNS	NO	YDS	AVG	FC	LG	TD	KICKOFF RETURNS	NO	YDS	AVG	FC	LG	TD
J.Green	1	12	12.0	0	12	0	D.Gibson	4	85	21.3	0	22	0
							E.Bieniemy	1	16	16.0	0	16	0
							[TOUCHBACK]	1	0	0.0	0	0	0
Total	1	12	12.0	0	12	0	Total	5	101	20.2	0	22	0

Tampa Bay Buccaneers

FUMBLES	FUM	LOST	OWN-REC	YDS	TD	FORCED	OPP-REC	YDS	TD	OUT-BDS
J.Ellison	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
Total	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0

Cincinnati Bengals

FUMBLES	FUM	LOST	OWN-REC	YDS	TD	FORCED	OPP-REC	YDS	TD	OUT-BDS
E.Bieniemy	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
G.Trutt	1	0	0	-12	0	0	0	0	0	0
M.Battaglia	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	2	1	1	-12	0	0	0	0	0	0

Tampa Bay Buccaneers vs Cincinnati Bengals
12/27/1998 at Cinergy Field

Final Team Statistics

	Visitor Buccaneers	Home Bengals
TOTAL FIRST DOWNS	22	11
By Rushing	16	4
By Passing	5	7
By Penalty	1	0
THIRD DOWN EFFICIENCY	9-15-60.0%	2-10-20.0%
FOURTH DOWN EFFICIENCY	0-0-0.0%	0-3-0.0%
TOTAL NET YARDS	320	246
Total Offensive Plays (inc. times thrown passing)	69	52
Average gain per offensive play	4.6	4.7
NET YARDS RUSHING	223	87
Total Rushing Plays	51	23
Average gain per rushing play	4.4	3.8
Tackles for a loss-number and yards	3-6	6-12
NET YARDS PASSING	97	159
Times thrown - yards lost attempting to pass	2-14	2-17
Gross yards passing	111	176
PASS ATTEMPTS-COMPLETIONS-HAD INTERCEPTED	16-10-1	27-11-2
Avg gain per pass play (inc.# thrown passing)	5.4	5.5
KICKOFFS Number-In End Zone-Touchbacks	6-3-1	1-0-0
PUNTS Number and Average	4-39.8	4-35.8
Had Blocked	0	1
FGs - PATs Had Blocked	0-0	0-0
Net Punting Average	35.8	30.8
TOTAL RETURN YARDAGE (Not Including Kickoffs)	61	16
No. and Yards Punt Returns	0-0	2-16
No. and Yards Kickoff Returns	1-12	5-101
No. and Yards Interception Returns	2-61	1-0
PENALTIES Number and Yards	1-5	5-30
FUMBLES Number and Lost	0-0	2-1
TOUCHDOWNS	5	0
Rushing	3	0
Passing	2	0
EXTRA POINTS Made-Attempts	5-5	0-0
Kicking Made-Attempts	5-5	0-0
FIELD GOALS Made-Attempts	0-1	0-1
RED ZONE EFFICIENCY	4-6-67%	0-1-0%
GOAL TO GO EFFICIENCY	4-5-80%	0-0-0%
SAFETIES	0	0
FINAL SCORE	35	0
TIME OF POSSESSION	36:28	23:32

Ball Possession And Drive Chart

Tampa Bay Buccaneers												
#	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	12:29	2:31	Kickoff	TB 30	5	70	0	70	2	50	Touchdown
2	9:46	4:25	5:21	Missed FG	TB 31	10	53	0	53	4	* CIN 16	Interception
3	3:58	2:46	1:12	Downs	CIN 8	3	8	0	8	1	* CIN 1	Touchdown
4	2:36	14:57	2:39	Fumble	CIN 31	6	31	0	31	3	* CIN 1	Touchdown
5	11:18	9:36	1:42	Punt	TB 20	3	5	0	5	0	TB 25	Punt
6	8:57	8:07	0:50	Blocked Punt	CIN 4	3	4	0	4	1	* CIN 4	Touchdown
7	6:22	3:01	3:21	Punt	TB 32	5	12	-5	7	1	TB 39	Punt
8	2:52	0:09	2:43	Interception	CIN 30	8	24	5	29	2	* CIN 1	Missed FG
9	7:46	1:26	6:20	Downs	TB 7	10	27	5	32	3	TB 39	Punt
10	13:11	9:20	3:51	Interception	CIN 43	7	43	0	43	3	* CIN 3	Touchdown
11	6:30	3:10	3:20	Downs	TB 39	5	17	0	17	1	CIN 44	Punt
12	2:38	0:00	2:38	Punt	TB 44	5	26	0	26	1	CIN 31	End of Game

(587) Average TB 49

Cincinnati Bengals												
#	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	12:29	9:46	2:43	Kickoff	CIN 21	6	56	0	56	2	TB 23	Missed FG
2	4:25	3:58	0:27	Interception	CIN 20	4	-12	0	-12	0	CIN 20	Downs
3	2:46	2:36	0:10	Kickoff		0	0	0	0	0		Fumble
4	14:57	11:18	3:39	Kickoff	CIN 24	5	39	-15	24	1	CIN 48	Punt
5	9:36	8:57	0:39	Punt	CIN 33	3	-9	0	-9	0	CIN 24	Blocked Punt
6	8:07	6:22	1:45	Kickoff	CIN 22	3	-1	0	-1	0	CIN 21	Punt
7	3:01	2:52	0:09	Punt	CIN 21	1	0	0	0	0	CIN 21	Interception
8	0:09	0:00	0:09	Missed FG	CIN 20	1	-1	0	-1	0	CIN 20	End of Half
9	15:00	7:46	7:14	Kickoff	CIN 20	13	73	0	73	4	* TB 7	Downs
10	1:26	13:11	3:15	Punt	CIN 33	7	47	0	47	3	TB 20	Interception
11	9:20	6:30	2:50	Kickoff	CIN 25	7	41	-5	36	1	TB 39	Downs
12	3:10	2:38	0:32	Punt	CIN 11	3	1	0	1	0	CIN 12	Punt

(250) Average CIN 23

* inside opponent's 20

Time of Possession by Quarter		1st	2nd	3rd	4th	OT	Total
Visitor	Tampa Bay Buccaneers	11:40	8:39	6:20	9:49		36:28
Home	Cincinnati Bengals	3:20	6:21	8:40	5:11		23:32
Kickoff Drive No.-Start Average		Buccaneers: 1 - TB 30		Bengals: 5 - CIN 22			

Tampa Bay Buccaneers vs Cincinnati Bengals
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Final Defensive Statistics

Tampa Bay Buccaneers		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
R.Barber	7	0	7	0	0	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
D.Brooks	6	0	6	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
J.Gooch	5	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
R.Upshaw	3	1	4	1	9	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
B.Culpepper	2	0	2	1	8	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
S.Quarles	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
S.White	2	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
D.Abraham	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
J.Duncan	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
T.Bouie	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
TEAM	1	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
E.Vance	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
W.Sapp	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
C.Mincy	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
J.Ellison	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
R.Thomas	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
J.Davis	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
D.Davis	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Total	34	2	36	2	17	8	2	2	2	0	0	6	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	0

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

Cincinnati Bengals		Regular Defensive Plays										Special Teams					Misc			
	TKL	AST	COMB	SK	/ YDS	TFL	QH	IN	PD	FF	FR	TKL	AST	FF	FR	BL	TKL	AST	FF	FR
T.Spikes	9	2	11	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
B.Simmons	9	1	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
G.Myers	6	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
A.Hawkins	6	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
C.Simmons	5	1	6	1	8	3	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
J.Langford	5	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
M.Bell	4	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
S.Shade	3	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
K.Moore	2	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
M.Bankston	2	0	2	1	6	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
S.Foley	2	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
J.Francis	1	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
A.Ambrose	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
T.Randolph	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
A.Purvis	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
R.Wilson	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
K.Von Oelhoffen	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
B.Granville	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
R.Blackmon	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
A.Ross	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
T.McGee	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
B.Bennett	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
M.Battaglia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Total	57	10	67	2	14	5	2	1	3	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	1

First Half Summary

Scoring Plays				Visitor	Home
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				Tampa Bay Buccaneers	Cincinnati Bengals
TOTAL FIRST DOWNS				14	3
First Downs Rushing-Passing-by Penalty				9 - 4 - 1	1 - 2 - 0
THIRD DOWN EFFICIENCY				6-9-66.7%	0-5-0.0%
TOTAL NET YARDS				207	84
Total Offensive Plays				42	22
NET YARDS RUSHING				115	27
NET YARDS PASSING				92	57
Gross Yards Passing				98	74
Times thrown-yards lost attempting to pass				1-6	2-17
Pass Attempts-Completions-Had Intercepted				14 - 8 - 1	11 - 4 - 1
Punts-Number and Average				2 - 44.0	3 - 33.0
Penalties-Number and Yards				1 - 5	3 - 20
Fumbles-Number and Lost				0 - 0	2 - 1
Red Zone Efficiency				3-5-60%	0-0-0%
Average Drive Start				CIN 45	CIN 23

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Play By Play

First Quarter

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TB wins toss, elects to Receive, and CIN elects to defend the South goal.

D.Pelfrey kicks 52 yards from CIN 30 to TB 18. J.Green to TB 30 for 12 yards (A.Ross).

Tampa Bay Buccaneers at 15:00

1-10-TB 30	(15:00) T.Dilfer pass to W.Dunn pushed ob at TB 38 for 8 yards (A.Ambrose).	
2-2-TB 38	(15:00) W.Dunn left guard to TB 41 for 3 yards (G.Myers).	R1
<u>1-10-TB 41</u>	(15:00) T.Dilfer pass to K.Williams to TB 49 for 8 yards.	
2-2-TB 49	(15:00) W.Dunn left guard to 50 for 1 yard (C.Simmons).	
3-1-50	(15:00) T.Dilfer pass to R.Thomas for 50 yards, TOUCHDOWN.	P2
	M.Husted extra point is GOOD, Center-M.Palmer, Holder-T.Barnhardt.	

TB 7 CIN 0, 5 plays, 70 yards, 2:31 drive, 2:31 elapsed

M.Husted kicks 70 yards from TB 30 to CIN 0. D.Gibson to CIN 21 for 21 yards (T.Bouie).

Cincinnati Bengals at 12:29, (1st play from scrimmage 12:18)

1-10-CIN 21	(12:18) C.Dillon right guard to CIN 34 for 13 yards (J.Gooch).	R1
<u>1-10-CIN 34</u>	(12:18) P.Justin pass to C.Dillon to TB 25 for 41 yards (R.Barber).	P2
<u>1-10-TB 25</u>	(12:18) B.Bennett right guard to TB 26 for -1 yards (B.Culpepper).	
2-11-TB 26	(12:18) B.Milne right guard to TB 23 for 3 yards (R.Upshaw).	
3-8-TB 23	(12:18) P.Justin pass incomplete to C.Pickens.	
4-8-TB 23	(12:18) D.Pelfrey 41 yard field goal is No Good, Wide Right, Center-G.Truitt, Holder-B.Costello.	

Tampa Bay Buccaneers at 9:46

1-10-TB 31	(9:46) T.Dilfer pass incomplete to J.Green (A.Ambrose).	
2-10-TB 31	(9:46) M.Alstott left guard to TB 40 for 9 yards (A.Hawkins).	
3-1-TB 40	(9:46) M.Alstott right guard to TB 42 for 2 yards (T.Spikes).	R3
<u>1-10-TB 42</u>	(9:46) W.Dunn left guard to TB 45 for 3 yards (B.Simmons).	
2-7-TB 45	(9:46) M.Alstott left guard to TB 49 for 4 yards (T.Spikes, C.Simmons).	
3-3-TB 49	(9:46) T.Dilfer right guard pushed ob at CIN 39 for 12 yards (M.Bell).	R4
<u>1-10-CIN 39</u>	(9:46) W.Dunn up the middle to CIN 37 for 2 yards (A.Hawkins, R.Wilson).	
2-8-CIN 37	(9:46) T.Dilfer pass to J.Green to CIN 28 for 9 yards (B.Simmons).	P5
<u>1-10-CIN 28</u>	(9:46) W.Dunn right guard to CIN 16 for 12 yards (G.Myers).	R6
<u>1-10-CIN 16</u>	(9:46) T.Dilfer pass intended for K.Williams INTERCEPTED by A.Ambrose at CIN 0. Touchback.	

Cincinnati Bengals at 4:25

1-10-CIN 20	(4:25) P.Justin pass incomplete to C.Pickens.	
2-10-CIN 20	(4:25) P.Justin pass incomplete to C.Dillon.	
3-10-CIN 20	(4:25) P.Justin pass incomplete to D.Scott.	
4-10-CIN 20	(4:25) B.Costello Aborted. G.Truitt FUMBLES at CIN 20, recovered by CIN-M.Battaglia at CIN 3. M.Battaglia to CIN 8 for 5 yards.	

Tampa Bay Buccaneers at 3:58

1-8-CIN 8	(3:58) M.Alstott right guard to CIN 4 for 4 yards (B.Simmons).	
2-4-CIN 4	(3:58) M.Alstott to CIN 1 for 3 yards (M.Bell, J.Francis).	
3-1-CIN 1	(3:58) M.Alstott for 1 yard, TOUCHDOWN.	R7
	M.Husted extra point is GOOD, Center-M.Palmer, Holder-T.Barnhardt.	

TB 14 CIN 0, 3 plays, 8 yards, 1:12 drive, 12:14 elapsed

M.Husted kicks 55 yards from TB 30 to CIN 15. E.Bieniemy to CIN 32 for 17 yards. FUMBLES, RECOVERED by TB-J.Ellison at CIN 31.

Tampa Bay Buccaneers at 2:36

1-10-CIN 31	(2:36) W.Dunn right guard to CIN 14 for 17 yards (A.Hawkins).	R8
<u>1-10-CIN 14</u>	(2:36) W.Dunn to CIN 12 for 2 yards (C.Simmons).	
2-8-CIN 12	(2:36) W.Dunn to CIN 13 for -1 yards (C.Simmons).	
3-9-CIN 13	(2:36) T.Dilfer to CIN 3 for 10 yards (T.Spikes).	R9
<u>1-3-CIN 3</u>	(2:36) M.Alstott to CIN 1 for 2 yards (B.Simmons, T.Spikes).	

END OF QUARTER

	Score	Time Poss	First Downs				Efficiencies	
			R	P	X	T	3 Down	4 Down
Tampa Bay Buccaneers	14	11:40	7	2	0	9	5/5	0/0
Cincinnati Bengals	0	3:20	1	1	0	2	0/2	0/1

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Play By Play

Tampa Bay Buccaneers continued.

2-1-CIN 1	(15:00) M.Alstott for 1 yard, TOUCHDOWN.	R10
M.Husted extra point is GOOD, Center-M.Palmer, Holder-T.Barnhardt.		

TB 21 CIN 0, 6 plays, 31 yards, 2:39 drive, 0:03 elapsed
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M.Husted kicks 67 yards from TB 30 to CIN 3. D.Gibson to CIN 24 for 21 yards (J.Ellison).

Cincinnati Bengals at 14:57

1-10-CIN 24	(14:57) C.Dillon right guard to CIN 26 for 2 yards (S.White).	
2-8-CIN 26	(14:57) P.Justin pass to D.Scott to 50 for 24 yards (D.Brooks).	P3
1-10-50	(14:57) PENALTY on CIN-R.Jones, False Start, 5 yards, enforced at 50 - No Play.	
1-15-CIN 45	(14:57) C.Dillon left guard to CIN 49 for 4 yards (J.Gooch).	
2-11-CIN 49	(14:57) P.Justin pass to C.Pickens to TB 45 for 6 yards (D.Abraham).	
3-5-TB 45	(14:57) P.Justin pass incomplete to T.McGee (J.Duncan).	
	PENALTY on CIN-A.Brown, Offensive Holding, 10 yards, enforced at TB 45 - No Play.	
3-15-CIN 45	(14:57) P.Justin pass to B.Milne to CIN 48 for 3 yards.	
4-12-CIN 48	(14:57) B.Costello punts 52 yards to end zone, Center-G.Truitt, Touchback.	

Tampa Bay Buccaneers at 11:18

1-10-TB 20	(11:18) W.Dunn left guard to TB 21 for 1 yard (T.Spikes).	
2-9-TB 21	(11:18) T.Dilfer pass to M.Alstott to TB 25 for 4 yards (S.Foley, T.Spikes).	
3-5-TB 25	(11:18) T.Dilfer pass incomplete.	
	Penalty on TB-F.Middleton, Offensive Holding, declined.	
4-5-TB 25	(11:18) M.Husted punts 48 yards to CIN 27, Center-M.Palmer. S.Williams to CIN 33 for 6 yards (S.Quarles).	

Cincinnati Bengals at 9:36

1-10-CIN 33	(9:36) P.Justin pass incomplete to C.Dillon.	
2-10-CIN 33	(9:36) P.Justin pass incomplete to C.Pickens.	
3-10-CIN 33	(9:36) P.Justin sacked at CIN 24 for -9 yards (R.Upshaw).	
4-19-CIN 24	(9:36) B.Costello punt is BLOCKED by D.Davis, Center-G.Truitt, ball out of bounds at CIN 4.	

Tampa Bay Buccaneers at 8:57

1-4-CIN 4	(8:57) T.Dilfer pass incomplete to R.Thomas.	
	Timeout #1 by TB at 08:51.	
2-4-CIN 4	(8:51) M.Alstott up the middle to CIN 4 for no gain (S.Shade).	
3-4-CIN 4	(8:51) T.Dilfer pass to R.Anthony for 4 yards, TOUCHDOWN.	P11
M.Husted extra point is GOOD, Center-M.Palmer, Holder-T.Barnhardt.		

TB 28 CIN 0, 3 plays, 4 yards, 0:50 drive, 6:53 elapsed

M.Husted kicks 70 yards from TB 30 to CIN 0. D.Gibson pushed ob at CIN 22 for 22 yards (R.Thomas).

Cincinnati Bengals at 8:07

1-10-CIN 22	(8:07) C.Dillon right guard to CIN 26 for 4 yards (D.Brooks).	
2-6-CIN 26	(8:07) C.Dillon right guard to CIN 29 for 3 yards (D.Brooks).	
3-3-CIN 29	(8:07) P.Justin sacked at CIN 21 for -8 yards (B.Culpepper).	
4-11-CIN 21	(8:07) B.Costello punts 47 yards to TB 32, Center-G.Truitt, out of bounds.	

Tampa Bay Buccaneers at 6:22

1-10-TB 32	(6:22) T.Dilfer pass to M.Alstott to TB 36 for 4 yards (B.Simmons).	
2-6-TB 36	(6:22) W.Dunn left end pushed ob at TB 48 for 12 yards (G.Myers).	R12
1-10-TB 48	(6:22) W.Dunn up the middle to CIN 48 for 4 yards (G.Myers).	
2-6-CIN 48	(6:22) W.Dunn left guard to 50 for -2 yards (S.Foley).	
3-8-50	(6:22) PENALTY on TB, Delay of Game, 5 yards, enforced at 50 - No Play.	
3-13-TB 45	(6:22) T.Dilfer sacked at TB 39 for -6 yards (M.Bankston).	
4-19-TB 39	(6:22) M.Husted punts 40 yards to CIN 21, Center-M.Palmer, fair catch by S.Williams.	

Cincinnati Bengals at 3:01

1-10-CIN 21	(3:01) E.Kresser pass intended for T.McGee INTERCEPTED by C.Mincy at CIN 35. C.Mincy to CIN 30 for 5 yards (T.McGee).	
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Tampa Bay Buccaneers at 2:52

Tampa Bay Buccaneers vs Cincinnati Bengals at Cinergy Field

1-10-CIN 30	(2:52) T.Dilfer pass incomplete to J.Green (A.Ambrose).	
2-10-CIN 30	(2:52) W.Dunn left guard to CIN 28 for 2 yards (T.Spikes).	
	<i>PENALTY on CIN-K.Von Oelhoffen, Illegal Use of Hands, 5 yards, enforced at CIN 28.</i>	X13
<u>1-10-CIN 23</u>	(2:52) M.Alstott right guard to CIN 21 for 2 yards (B.Simmons).	

Two-Minute Warning

2-8-CIN 21	(2:00) T.Dilfer pass to J.Green to CIN 10 for 11 yards (A.Hawkins).	P14
<u>1-10-CIN 10</u>	(1:33) M.Alstott up the middle to CIN 7 for 3 yards (G.Myers).	
2-7-CIN 7	(:45) M.Alstott right guard to CIN 1 for 6 yards (M.Bell).	
3-1-CIN 1	(:25) T.Dilfer pass incomplete to L.Neal.	
4-1-CIN 1	(:16) M.Husted 18 yard field goal is No Good, Hit Right Upright, Center-M.Palmer, Holder-T.Barnhardt.	

Cincinnati Bengals at 0:09

1-10-CIN 20	(:09) E.Kresser up the middle to CIN 19 for -1 yards (Team).
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END OF QUARTER

	Score	Time Poss	First Downs				Efficiencies	
			R	P	X	T	3 Down	4 Down
Tampa Bay Buccaneers	28	8:39	2	2	1	5	1/4	0/0
Cincinnati Bengals	0	6:21	0	1	0	1	0/3	0/0

Play By Play

Third Quarter

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CIN elects to Receive, and TB elects to defend the North goal.

M.Husted kicks 70 yards from TB 30 to end zone, Touchback.

Cincinnati Bengals at 15:00

1-10-CIN 20	(15:00) C.Dillon left end to CIN 28 for 8 yards (J.Duncan).	
2-2-CIN 28	(15:00) C.Dillon left end to CIN 25 for -3 yards (R.Barber).	
3-5-CIN 25	(15:00) E.Kresser pass to T.McGee to CIN 31 for 6 yards (S.Quarles).	P4
<u>1-10-CIN 31</u>	(15:00) B.Bennett up the middle to CIN 28 for -3 yards (R.Upshaw, W.Sapp).	
2-13-CIN 28	(15:00) E.Kresser pass to T.McGee to TB 45 for 27 yards (T.Bouie).	P5
<u>1-10-TB 45</u>	(15:00) C.Dillon right end to TB 40 for 5 yards (J.Duncan, R.Upshaw).	
2-5-TB 40	(15:00) E.Kresser pass to C.Pickens to TB 29 for 11 yards (D.Abraham).	P6
<u>1-10-TB 29</u>	(15:00) C.Dillon left end to TB 23 for 6 yards (J.Gooch).	
2-4-TB 23	(15:00) B.Bennett left end to TB 14 for 9 yards (J.Gooch).	R7
<u>1-10-TB 14</u>	(15:00) B.Bennett right end to TB 15 for -1 yards (D.Brooks).	
2-11-TB 15	(15:00) E.Kresser pass incomplete to C.Pickens.	
3-11-TB 15	(15:00) C.Dillon right end to TB 7 for 8 yards (R.Barber).	
	Timeout #1 by CIN at 07:52.	
4-3-TB 7	(7:52) E.Kresser pass incomplete to D.Scott.	

Tampa Bay Buccaneers at 7:46

1-10-TB 7	(7:46) <i>PENALTY on CIN-K.Von Oelhoffen, Encroachment, 5 yards, enforced at TB 7 - No Play.</i>	
1-5-TB 12	(7:46) M.Alstott left end to TB 20 for 8 yards (S.Shade).	R15
<u>1-10-TB 20</u>	(7:46) M.Alstott right guard to TB 21 for 1 yard (S.Shade, B.Simmons).	
2-9-TB 21	(7:46) W.Dunn up the middle to TB 22 for 1 yard (T.Spikes).	
3-8-TB 22	(7:46) T.Dilfer pass to K.Williams to TB 32 for 10 yards (A.Hawkins).	P16
<u>1-10-TB 32</u>	(7:46) M.Alstott left guard to TB 37 for 5 yards (M.Bell).	
2-5-TB 37	(7:46) T.Dilfer pass to J.Green to TB 40 for 3 yards (A.Hawkins).	
3-2-TB 40	(7:46) W.Dunn left end to TB 46 for 6 yards (T.Spikes).	R17
<u>1-10-TB 46</u>	(7:46) W.Dunn right end to 50 for 4 yards (B.Simmons, K.Von Oelhoffen).	
2-6-50	(7:46) W.Dunn up the middle to TB 47 for -3 yards (C.Simmons).	
3-9-TB 47	(7:46) T.Dilfer sacked at TB 39 for -8 yards (C.Simmons).	
4-17-TB 39	(7:46) M.Husted punts 38 yards to CIN 23, Center-M.Palmer. S.Williams to CIN 33 for 10 yards (S.Quarles).	

Cincinnati Bengals at 1:26

1-10-CIN 33	(1:26) E.Kresser pass to C.Dillon to CIN 41 for 8 yards (R.Barber).	
2-2-CIN 41	(1:26) E.Kresser pass to D.Scott to TB 46 for 13 yards (R.Barber).	P8
<u>1-10-TB 46</u>	(1:26) E.Kresser pass to C.Dillon to TB 44 for 2 yards (D.Brooks).	

END OF QUARTER

	Score	Time Poss	First Downs				Efficiencies	
			R	P	X	T	3 Down	4 Down
Tampa Bay Buccaneers	28	6:20	2	1	0	3	2/3	0/0
Cincinnati Bengals	0	8:40	1	4	0	5	1/2	0/1

Fourth Quarter

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Play By Play

Cincinnati Bengals continued.

2-8-TB 44	(15:00) C.Dillon left end to TB 31 for 13 yards (J.Gooch).	R9
<u>1-10-TB 31</u>	(15:00) D.Scott left end to TB 29 for 2 yards (R.Barber).	
2-8-TB 29	(15:00) B.Bennett to TB 20 for 9 yards (D.Brooks).	R10
<u>1-10-TB 20</u>	(15:00) E.Kresser pass intended for S.Williams INTERCEPTED by R.Barber at TB 1. R.Barber to CIN 43 for 56 yards (B.Bennett).	

Tampa Bay Buccaneers at 13:11

1-10-CIN 43	(13:11) M.Alstott right guard to CIN 38 for 5 yards (T.Spikes).	
2-5-CIN 38	(13:11) M.Alstott up the middle to CIN 33 for 5 yards (K.Moore).	R18
<u>1-10-CIN 33</u>	(13:11) W.Dunn up the middle to CIN 27 for 6 yards (K.Moore).	
2-4-CIN 27	(13:11) W.Dunn left end to CIN 8 for 19 yards (J.Francis).	R19
<u>1-8-CIN 8</u>	(13:11) M.Alstott right guard to CIN 5 for 3 yards (T.Spikes).	
2-5-CIN 5	(13:11) M.Alstott up the middle to CIN 3 for 2 yards (G.Myers).	
3-3-CIN 3	(13:11) M.Alstott right guard for 3 yards, TOUCHDOWN.	R20
	M.Husted extra point is GOOD, Center-M.Palmer, Holder-T.Barnhardt.	

TB 35 CIN 0, 7 plays, 43 yards, 3:51 drive, 5:40 elapsed

M.Husted kicks 66 yards from TB 30 to CIN 4. D.Gibson to CIN 25 for 21 yards (T.Bouie, J.Davis).

Cincinnati Bengals at 9:20

1-10-CIN 25	(9:20) C.Dillon left guard to CIN 22 for -3 yards (S.White).	
2-13-CIN 22	(9:20) E.Kresser pass incomplete to T.McGee.	
3-13-CIN 22	(9:20) E.Kresser pass to T.McGee to TB 43 for 35 yards (E.Vance).	P11
<u>1-10-TB 43</u>	(9:20) E.Kresser pass incomplete to C.Pickens.	
2-10-TB 43	(9:20) C.Dillon left end to TB 34 for 9 yards (R.Barber).	
3-1-TB 34	(9:20) <i>PENALTY on CIN-A.Brown, False Start, 5 yards, enforced at TB 34 - No Play.</i>	
3-6-TB 39	(9:20) E.Kresser pass incomplete to C.Pickens.	
4-6-TB 39	(9:20) E.Kresser pass incomplete to T.McGee.	

Tampa Bay Buccaneers at 6:30

1-10-TB 39	(6:30) J.Ellison up the middle to TB 40 for 1 yard (B.Simmons).	
2-9-TB 40	(6:30) J.Ellison right end ran ob at 50 for 10 yards (T.Randolph, B.Granville).	R21
<u>1-10-50</u>	(6:30) J.Ellison up the middle to CIN 46 for 4 yards (J.Langford).	
2-6-CIN 46	(6:30) J.Ellison left guard to CIN 45 for 1 yard (J.Langford).	
3-5-CIN 45	(6:30) J.Ellison up the middle to CIN 44 for 1 yard (M.Bankston).	
4-4-CIN 44	(6:30) M.Husted punts 33 yards to CIN 11, Center-M.Palmer, fair catch by S.Williams.	

Cincinnati Bengals at 3:10

1-10-CIN 11	(3:10) C.Dillon left end to CIN 12 for 1 yard (S.Quarles).	
2-9-CIN 12	(3:10) E.Kresser pass incomplete to C.Pickens.	
	Timeout #2 by CIN at 02:58.	
3-9-CIN 12	(2:58) E.Kresser pass incomplete to B.Bennett.	
4-9-CIN 12	(2:58) B.Costello punts 44 yards to TB 44, Center-G.Trutt, downed by CIN-M.Bell.	

Tampa Bay Buccaneers at 2:38

1-10-TB 44	(2:38) L.Neal up the middle to 50 for 6 yards (J.Langford, R.Blackmon).	
Two-Minute Warning		
2-4-50	(2:00) L.Neal up the middle to CIN 38 for 12 yards (B.Simmons, K.Moore).	R22
<u>1-10-CIN 38</u>	(1:53) J.Ellison left guard to CIN 37 for 1 yard (J.Langford).	
2-9-CIN 37	(1:10) L.Neal up the middle to CIN 31 for 6 yards (J.Langford).	
3-3-CIN 31	(:29) L.Neal right guard to CIN 30 for 1 yard (A.Purvis).	

END OF QUARTER

	Score	Time Poss	First Downs				Efficiencies	
			R	P	X	T	3 Down	4 Down
Tampa Bay Buccaneers	35	9:49	5	0	0	5	1/3	0/0
Cincinnati Bengals	0	5:11	2	1	0	3	1/3	0/1

Miscellaneous Statistics Report

Tampa Bay Buccaneers vs Cincinnati Bengals 12/27/1998 at Cinergy Field

Ten Longest Plays for Tampa Bay Buccaneers

Yards	Qtr	Play Start	Play Description
50	1	3-1-50	(15:00) T.Dilfer pass to R.Thomas for 50 yards, TOUCHDOWN.
19	4	2-4-CIN 27	(13:11) W.Dunn left end to CIN 8 for 19 yards (J.Francis).
17	1	1-10-CIN 31	(2:36) W.Dunn right guard to CIN 14 for 17 yards (A.Hawkins).
12	1	3-3-TB 49	(9:46) T.Dilfer right guard pushed ob at CIN 39 for 12 yards (M.Bell).
12	1	1-10-CIN 28	(9:46) W.Dunn right guard to CIN 16 for 12 yards (G.Myers).
12	2	2-6-TB 36	(6:22) W.Dunn left end pushed ob at TB 48 for 12 yards (G.Myers).
12	4	2-4-50	(2:00) L.Neal up the middle to CIN 38 for 12 yards (B.Simmons, K.Moore).
11	2	2-8-CIN 21	(2:00) T.Dilfer pass to J.Green to CIN 10 for 11 yards (A.Hawkins).
10	1	3-9-CIN 13	(2:36) T.Dilfer to CIN 3 for 10 yards (T.Spikes).
10	3	3-8-TB 22	(7:46) T.Dilfer pass to K.Williams to TB 32 for 10 yards (A.Hawkins).

Ten Longest Plays for Cincinnati Bengals

Yards	Qtr	Play Start	Play Description
41	1	1-10-CIN 34	(12:18) P.Justin pass to C.Dillon to TB 25 for 41 yards (R.Barber).
35	4	3-13-CIN 22	(9:20) E.Kresser pass to T.McGee to TB 43 for 35 yards (E.Vance).
27	3	2-13-CIN 28	(15:00) E.Kresser pass to T.McGee to TB 45 for 27 yards (T.Bouie).
24	2	2-8-CIN 26	(14:57) P.Justin pass to D.Scott to 50 for 24 yards (D.Brooks).
13	1	1-10-CIN 21	(12:18) C.Dillon right guard to CIN 34 for 13 yards (J.Gooch).
13	3	2-2-CIN 41	(1:26) E.Kresser pass to D.Scott to TB 46 for 13 yards (R.Barber).
13	4	2-8-TB 44	(15:00) C.Dillon left end to TB 31 for 13 yards (J.Gooch).
11	3	2-5-TB 40	(15:00) E.Kresser pass to C.Pickens to TB 29 for 11 yards (D.Abraham).
9	3	2-4-TB 23	(15:00) B.Bennett left end to TB 14 for 9 yards (J.Gooch).
9	4	2-8-TB 29	(15:00) B.Bennett to TB 20 for 9 yards (D.Brooks).

Touchdown Scoring Information

		Offense	Defense	Special Teams
VISITOR	Tampa Bay Buccaneers	5	0	0
HOME	Cincinnati Bengals	0	0	0

Player Scoring Information

Club	Player	TD	Rush TD	Rec TD	KO TD	Punt TD	Int TD	Fum TD	Misc TD	FG	XP	2Pt Rush	2Pt Rec	Sfty	Points
TB	M.Alstott	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	18
TB	R.Thomas	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6
TB	R.Anthony	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6
TB	M.Husted	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	0	0	5

Possession Detail

	First Half		Second Half		Game	
	Visitor	Home	Visitor	Home	Visitor	Home
Largest Lead	28	0	35	0	35	0
Drives Leading	7	0	4	0	11	0
Time of Possession Leading	17:48	0:00	16:09	0:00	33:57	0:00
Largest Deficit	0	-28	0	-35	0	-35
Drives Trailing	0	8	0	4	0	12
Time of Possession Trailing	0:00	9:41	0:00	13:51	0:00	23:32
Times Score Tied Up		0		0		0
Lead Changes		1		0		1