

National Football League Game Summary

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Date: Sunday, 9/20/2026

Cincinnati Bengals at Houston Texans

Start Time: 12:02 PM CDT

at Reliant Stadium, Houston, TX

Game Day Weather

Game Weather: Partly Cloudy

Temp: 93° F (33.9° C) Humidity: 65%, Wind: SE 5 mph

Retractable Roof - Closed on Field Turf

Outdoor Weather: Partly Cloud

Officials

Referee: Hill, Adrian (29)

Umpire: Anderson, Barry (20)

Down Judge: Short, Danny (113)

Line Judge: Mapp, Julian (10)

Field Judge: Boger, Trawick (23)

Side Judge: Fucik, Glen (15)

Back Judge: Steed, Greg (12)

Replay Official: Hubbell, Bob (0)

Lineups

Cincinnati Bengals						Houston Texans					
Offense			Defense			Offense			Defense		
WR	1	J.Chase	LDE	99	M.Murphy	WR	19	X.Hutchinson	DE	55	D.Hunter
LOT	75	O.Brown	NT	97	D.Lawrence	WR	82	L.Bond	DT	72	T.Togia
LG	63	D.Fairchild	DT	93	J.Allen	LT	79	A.Erser	DT	98	S.Rankins
C	64	T.Karras	RDE	53	B.Mafe	LG	66	K.Rutledge	DE	51	W.Anderson
RG	66	D.Risner	LB	49	B.Carter	C	63	E.Brown	LB	35	J.Hansen
ROT	71	A.Mims	LB	44	D.Knight	RG	75	W.Teller	LB	0	A.Al-Shaair
TE	89	D.Sample	NCB	35	J.Davis	RT	77	T.Brown	CB	24	D.Stingley
WR	80	A.Iosivas	CB	23	D.Hill	TE	87	F.Moreau	CB	3	K.Lassiter
WR	5	T.Higgins	CB	0	D.Turner	WR	14	K.Boutte	S	5	J.Pitre
QB	9	J.Burrow	S	6	B.Cook	QB	7	C.Stroud	S	6	R.Blankenship
HB	30	C.Brown	S	27	J.Battle	RB	32	D.Montgomery	S	2	C.Bullock

Substitutions

K 2 E.McPherson, P 8 R.Rehchow, CB 20 T.Davis, HB 25 T.Brooks, S 29 K.Dugger, HB 34 S.Perine, S 37 P.Jules, CB 38 D.Ivey, LB 42 O.Burks, LB 43 J.Giles-Harris, LS 46 W.Wagner, LB 47 S.Bozeman, DE 52 C.Johnson, DE 55 C.Howell, C 69 J.Bayer, T 73 J.Foster, G 74 J.Rivers, WR 81 D.Meyers, TE 83 E.All, TE 84 J.Endries, WR 86 C.Young, TE 88 M.Gesicki, DT 90 K.Jenkins, DE 94 S.Stewart, DT 98 T.Slaton

Substitutions

RB 4 W.Marks, TE 8 C.Stover, CB 11 T.Smith, WR 13 J.Noel, K 15 K.Fairbairn, WR 17 J.Wayne, CB 22 J.Smith, S 27 K.Ramsey, LB 30 W.Woodaz, S 36 G.Odum, P 38 K.Kroege, LS 40 A.Brinkman, RB 44 B.Brooks, DE 54 S.Harsh, LB 56 J.Hill, T 57 B.Fisher, LB 59 A.Fisher, C 60 J.Andrews, G 64 F.Nwaiwu, TE 83 M.Klein, TE 86 D.Schultz, DE 94 D.Robinson, DT 95 J.Crumed, DE 96 L.Hall, DT 97 M.Edwards

Did Not Play

QB 16 J.Flacco

Did Not Play

QB 10 D.Mills

Not Active

QB 11 J.Johnson, WR 12 K.Williams, CB 28 J.Newton, C 65 C.Lew, T 77 M.Hinton, DT 92 B.Hill, DT 96 L.Robinson

Not Active

TE 9 B.Jordan, WR 12 N.Collins, LB 33 J.Hummel, CB 37 C.Wright, G 69 E.Ingram, T 78 N.Thomas, DE 90 J.Clowney

Field Goals (made () & missed)

E.McPherson		(51) (57)	K.Fairbairn		(37) 58SH (45)			
			1	2	3	4	OT	Total
VISITOR:	Cincinnati Bengals		0	7	10	3	0	20
HOME:	Houston Texans		0	3	3	0	0	6

Scoring Plays

Team	Qtr	Time	Play Description (Extra Point) (Drive Info)	Visitor	Home
Bengals	2	3:29	J.Chase 32 yd. pass from J.Burrow (E.McPherson kick) (7-81, 3:24)	7	0
Texans	2	1:17	K.Fairbairn 37 yd. Field Goal (9-54, 2:12)	7	3
Bengals	3	12:28	E.McPherson 51 yd. Field Goal (4-8, 2:02)	10	3
Bengals	3	3:03	J.Chase 18 yd. pass from J.Burrow (E.McPherson kick) (8-52, 4:26)	17	3
Texans	3	0:35	K.Fairbairn 45 yd. Field Goal (7-42, 2:28)	17	6
Bengals	4	12:16	E.McPherson 57 yd. Field Goal (7-33, 3:19)	20	6
Paid Attendance: 70,747				Time: 3:14	

Final Individual Statistics

Cincinnati Bengals										Houston Texans									
RUSHING		ATT	YDS	AVG	LG	TD	RUSHING		ATT	YDS	AVG	LG	TD						
C.Brown		20	80	4.0	11	0	C.Stroud		3	29	9.7	14	0						
S.Perine		2	6	3.0	4	0	J.Noel		1	13	13.0	13	0						
J.Burrow		1	-1	-1.0	-1	0	D.Montgomery		6	10	1.7	4	0						
							W.Marks		8	8	1.0	3	0						
Total		23	85	3.7	11	0	Total		18	60	3.3	14	0						
PASSING		ATT	CMP	YDS	SK/YD	TD	LG	IN	RT	PASSING		ATT	CMP	YDS	SK/YD	TD	LG	IN	RT
J.Burrow		31	20	207	5/25	2	32	0	105.2	C.Stroud		55	30	353	4/39	0	35	0	74.3
										K.Kroeger		1	0	0	0/0	0	0	0	39.6
Total		31	20	207	5/25	2	32	0	105.2	Total		56	30	353	4/39	0	35	0	73.0
PASS RECEIVING		TAR	REC	YDS	AVG	LG	TD	PASS RECEIVING		TAR	REC	YDS	AVG	LG	TD				
J.Chase		9	7	75	10.7	32	2	D.Schultz		14	12	140	11.7	35	0				
T.Higgins		10	5	95	19.0	23	0	W.Marks		6	5	27	5.4	12	0				
C.Brown		5	3	2	0.7	6	0	X.Hutchinson		9	3	37	12.3	18	0				
E.All		3	2	5	2.5	5	0	K.Boutte		5	3	37	12.3	21	0				
S.Perine		1	1	16	16.0	16	0	F.Moreau		2	2	34	17.0	25	0				
C.Young		1	1	7	7.0	7	0	J.Wayne		7	2	33	16.5	18	0				
A.Iosivas		1	1	7	7.0	7	0	D.Montgomery		2	2	14	7.0	8	0				
D.Meyers		1	0	0	0.0	0	0	J.Noel		5	1	31	31.0	31	0				
Total		31	20	207	10.4	32	2	Total		50	30	353	11.8	35	0				
INTERCEPTIONS		NO	YDS	AVG	LG	TD	INTERCEPTIONS		NO	YDS	AVG	LG	TD						
Total		0	0	0	0	0	Total		0	0	0	0	0						
PUNTING		NO	YDS	AVG	NET	TB	IN20	LG	PUNTING		NO	YDS	AVG	NET	TB	IN20	LG		
R.Rehkov		8	345	43.1	39.1	0	4	59	K.Kroeger		5	207	41.4	37.6	0	2	49		
Total		8	345	43.1	39.1	0	4	59	Total		5	207	41.4	37.6	0	2	49		
PUNT RETURNS		NO	YDS	AVG	FC	LG	TD	PUNT RETURNS		NO	YDS	AVG	FC	LG	TD				
D.Meyers		3	19	6.3	2	15	0	J.Noel		3	32	10.7	3	17	0				
								[OUT OF BOUNDS]		2	0	0.0	0	0	0				
Total		3	19	6.3	2	15	0	Total		3	32	10.7	3	17	0				
KICKOFF RETURNS		NO	YDS	AVG	FC	LG	TD	KICKOFF RETURNS		NO	YDS	AVG	FC	LG	TD				
D.Meyers		3	90	30.0	0	40	0	W.Marks		2	40	20.0	0	22	0				
								J.Noel		1	31	31.0	0	31	0				
								T.Smith		1	22	22.0	0	22	0				
								[TOUCHBACK]		1	0	0.0	0	0	0				
Total		3	90	30.0	0	40	0	Total		4	93	23.3	0	31	0				

Cincinnati Bengals

FUMBLES	FUM	LOST	OWN-REC	YDS	TD	FORCED	OPP-REC	YDS	TD	OUT-BDS
Total	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Houston Texans

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

Cincinnati Bengals vs Houston Texans
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Final Team Statistics

	Visitor Bengals	Home Texans
TOTAL FIRST DOWNS	12	22
By Rushing	3	3
By Passing	9	15
By Penalty	0	4
THIRD DOWN EFFICIENCY	5-15-33.3%	5-17-29.4%
FOURTH DOWN EFFICIENCY	0-0-0.0%	0-4-0.0%
TOTAL NET YARDS	267	374
Total Offensive Plays (inc. times thrown passing)	59	78
Average gain per offensive play	4.5	4.8
NET YARDS RUSHING	85	60
Total Rushing Plays	23	18
Average gain per rushing play	3.7	3.3
Tackles for a loss-number and yards	2-6	3-4
NET YARDS PASSING	182	314
Times thrown - yards lost attempting to pass	5-25	4-39
Gross yards passing	207	353
PASS ATTEMPTS-COMPLETIONS-HAD INTERCEPTED	31-20-0	56-30-0
Avg gain per pass play (inc.# thrown passing)	5.1	5.2
KICKOFFS Number-In End Zone-Touchbacks	5-1-1	3-0-0
PUNTS Number and Average	8-43.1	5-41.4
Had Blocked	0	0
FGs - PATs Had Blocked	0-0	0-0
Net Punting Average	39.1	37.6
TOTAL RETURN YARDAGE (Not Including Kickoffs)	19	32
No. and Yards Punt Returns	3-19	3-32
No. and Yards Kickoff Returns	3-90	4-93
No. and Yards Interception Returns	0-0	0-0
PENALTIES Number and Yards	12-78	9-83
FUMBLES Number and Lost	0-0	1-0
TOUCHDOWNS	2	0
Rushing	0	0
Passing	2	0
EXTRA POINTS Made-Attempts	2-2	0-0
Kicking Made-Attempts	2-2	0-0
FIELD GOALS Made-Attempts	2-2	2-3
RED ZONE EFFICIENCY	1-1-100%	0-4-0%
GOAL TO GO EFFICIENCY	0-0-0%	0-0-0%
SAFETIES	0	0
FINAL SCORE	20	6
TIME OF POSSESSION	30:49	29:11

Ball Possession And Drive Chart

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	15:00	13:55	1:05	Kickoff	CIN 41	3	6	0	6	0	CIN 47	Punt			
2	13:12	10:08	3:04	Punt	CIN 46	5	8	-5	3	1	CIN 49	Punt			
3	8:36	4:40	3:56	Punt	CIN 40	5	30	-15	15	1	HST 45	Punt			
4	13:20	10:08	3:12	Downs	CIN 16	5	21	-10	11	1	CIN 27	Punt			
5	6:53	3:29	3:24	Downs	CIN 19	7	81	0	81	3	HST 32	Touchdown			
6	1:17	0:21	0:56	Kickoff	CIN 18	5	10	0	10	1	CIN 28	Punt			
7	14:30	12:28	2:02	Punt	HST 41	4	8	0	8	0	HST 33	Field Goal			
8	7:29	3:03	4:26	Missed FG	CIN 48	8	57	-5	52	3	* HST 18	Touchdown			
9	0:35	12:16	3:19	Kickoff	CIN 28	7	33	0	33	1	HST 39	Field Goal			
10	10:42	9:54	0:48	Punt	CIN 18	3	5	0	5	0	CIN 23	Punt			
11	8:24	5:04	3:20	Punt	CIN 20	5	7	0	7	1	CIN 27	Punt			
12	3:15	2:10	1:05	Downs	HST 41	3	2	0	2	0	HST 39	Punt			
13	0:12	0:00	0:12	Downs	CIN 38	1	-1	0	-1	0	CIN 38	End of Game			
(450) Average CIN 35															
Houston Texans															
#	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	13:55	13:12	0:43	Punt	HST 13	3	2	0	2	0	HST 15	Punt			
2	10:08	8:36	1:32	Punt	HST 8	3	5	0	5	0	HST 13	Punt			
3	4:40	13:20	6:20	Punt	HST 8	12	86	-10	76	3	* CIN 16	Downs			
4	10:08	6:53	3:15	Punt	HST 33	7	48	0	48	2	* CIN 18	Downs			
5	3:29	1:17	2:12	Kickoff	HST 27	9	49	5	54	4	* CIN 19	Field Goal			
6	0:21	0:00	0:21	Punt	HST 24	3	18	5	23	2	HST 47	End of Half			
7	15:00	14:30	0:30	Kickoff	HST 36	3	0	0	0	0	HST 36	Punt			
8	12:28	7:29	4:59	Kickoff	HST 27	8	38	-5	33	2	CIN 40	Missed FG			
9	3:03	0:35	2:28	Kickoff	HST 31	7	42	0	42	3	CIN 27	Field Goal			
10	12:16	10:42	1:34	Kickoff	HST 20	4	30	-13	17	1	HST 37	Punt			
11	9:54	8:24	1:30	Punt	HST 41	3	4	-5	-1	0	HST 40	Punt			
12	5:04	3:15	1:49	Punt	HST 21	6	15	5	20	1	HST 41	Downs			
13	2:10	0:12	1:58	Punt	HST 12	13	37	13	50	4	* CIN 19	Downs			
(301) Average HST 23															
* inside opponent's 20															
Time of Possession by Quarter									1st	2nd	3rd	4th	OT	Total	
Visitor	Cincinnati Bengals								8:05	7:32	7:03	8:09		30:49	
Home	Houston Texans								6:55	7:28	7:57	6:51		29:11	
Kickoff Drive No.-Start Average									Bengals: 3 - CIN 29					Texans: 5 - HST 28	

Final Defensive Statistics

Cincinnati Bengals	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
D.Knight	4	8	12	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
D.Hill	4	6	10	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	0		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
J.Battle	4	4	8	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
D.Turner	4	1	5	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
B.Carter	2	3	5	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
B.Cook	3	1	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
J.Allen	3	0	3	1	8	3	1	0	0	0	0		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
C.Johnson	2	1	3	2	24	2	2	0	0	0	0		1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
D.Lawrence	2	1	3	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
J.Davis	2	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
S.Stewart	2	0	2	1	7	1	1	0	0	0	0		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
T.Slaton	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
B.Mafe	1	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
T.Davis	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
M.Murphy	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
K.Jenkins	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
C.Howell	0	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
D.Ivey	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
K.Dugger	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
O.Burks	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
P.Jules	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
J.Giles-Harris	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	38	28	66	4	39	8	7	0	8	0	0		4	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

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

Houston Texans	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
A.Al-Shaair	6	6	12	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
W.Anderson	4	4	8	1	5	3	2	0	1	0	0		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
T.Togiai	1	5	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
K.Lassiter	4	1	5	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
R.Blankenship	3	2	5	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
J.Pitre	3	1	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
J.Hansen	1	3	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
M.Edwards	0	4	4	0.5	0	0	1	0	0	0	0		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
L.Hall	2	1	3	1	6	1	2	0	0	0	0		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
S.Rankins	2	1	3	1	8	2	2	0	0	0	0		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
D.Stingley	2	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
S.Harsh	1	1	2	0.5	0	0	1	0	0	0	0		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
D.Hunter	1	0	1	1	6	1	1	0	1	0	0		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
J.Smith	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
K.Fairbairn	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
A.Fisher	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
F.Moreau	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
B.Brooks	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
J.Hill	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
K.Kroeger	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Total	31	30	61	5	25	8	10	0	3	0	0		4	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	1

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First Half Summary

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Play By Play

First Quarter

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HST wins the coin toss and elects to defer. CIN elects to Receive, and HST elects to defend the north goal.

K.Fairbairn kicks 64 yards from HST 35 to CIN 1. D.Meyers to CIN 41 for 40 yards (K.Fairbairn).

Cincinnati Bengals at 15:00, (1st play from scrimmage 14:51)

- 1-10-CIN 41 (14:51) (Shotgun) J.Burrow pass incomplete short left to C.Brown [R.Blankenship].
- 2-10-CIN 41 (14:47) (Shotgun) J.Burrow pass short left to J.Chase to CIN 47 for 6 yards (K.Lassiter).
- 3-4-CIN 47 (14:09) (Shotgun) J.Burrow pass short middle to J.Chase to HST 35 for 18 yards (J.Pitre). Houston challenged the pass completion ruling, and the play was REVERSED. (Shotgun) J.Burrow pass incomplete short middle to J.Chase.
- 4-4-CIN 47 (14:04) R.Rehkwow punts 45 yards to HST 8, Center-W.Wagner. J.Noel pushed ob at HST 13 for 5 yards (O.Burks).

Houston Texans at 13:55

- 1-10-HST 13 (13:55) D.Montgomery right guard to HST 15 for 2 yards (B.Carter; D.Hill).
- 2-8-HST 15 (13:29) (No Huddle, Shotgun) C.Stroud pass incomplete short left to X.Hutchinson (D.Turner).
- 3-8-HST 15 (13:24) (Shotgun) C.Stroud pass incomplete short middle to J.Wayne (J.Davis).
- 4-8-HST 15 (13:19) K.Kroeger punts 39 yards to CIN 46, Center-A.Brinkman, fair catch by D.Meyers.

Timeout at 13:12.

Cincinnati Bengals at 13:12

- 1-10-CIN 46 (13:12) (Shotgun) S.Perine up the middle to CIN 48 for 2 yards (M.Edwards; T.Togia).
- 2-8-CIN 48 (12:38) (Shotgun) J.Burrow pass short middle to J.Chase to HST 44 for 8 yards (K.Lassiter; J.Hansen).
- 1-10-HST 44 (11:55) (Shotgun) *PENALTY on CIN-J.Chase, False Start, 5 yards, enforced at HST 44 - No Play.*
- 1-15-HST 49 (11:38) (Shotgun) C.Brown up the middle to HST 45 for 4 yards (T.Togia; M.Edwards).
- 2-11-HST 45 (11:04) (Shotgun) J.Burrow pass incomplete short left to C.Brown (W.Anderson).
- 3-11-HST 45 (10:58) (Shotgun) J.Burrow sacked at CIN 49 for -6 yards (L.Hall).
- 4-17-CIN 49 (10:15) R.Rehkwow punts 43 yards to HST 8, Center-W.Wagner, fair catch by J.Noel.

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Timeout at 10:08.

Houston Texans at 10:08

- 1-10-HST 8 (10:08) (Shotgun) D.Montgomery left guard to HST 12 for 4 yards (B.Mafe).
- 2-6-HST 12 (9:30) (Shotgun) D.Montgomery up the middle to HST 13 for 1 yard (D.Lawrence; B.Carter).
- 3-5-HST 13 (8:51) (Shotgun) C.Stroud pass incomplete short left to X.Hutchinson (D.Hill).
- 4-5-HST 13 (8:47) K.Kroeger punts 47 yards to CIN 40, impetus ends at CIN 48, Center-A.Brinkman. D.Meyers to CIN 40 for no gain.

Cincinnati Bengals at 8:36

- 1-10-CIN 40 (8:36) C.Brown up the middle to CIN 45 for 5 yards (J.Pitre).
- 2-5-CIN 45 (7:58) C.Brown left guard to HST 45 for 10 yards (S.Harsh).
- 1-10-HST 45 (7:21) C.Brown left guard pushed ob at HST 19 for 26 yards (R.Blankenship). *PENALTY on CIN-D.Fairchild, Offensive Holding, 10 yards, enforced at HST 45 - No Play.*
- 1-20-CIN 45 (6:55) (Shotgun) J.Burrow pass short middle to C.Young to HST 48 for 7 yards (A.Al-Shaair; R.Blankenship).
- 2-13-HST 48 (6:23) (Shotgun) J.Burrow pass short left to J.Chase pushed ob at HST 46 for 2 yards (K.Lassiter).
- 3-11-HST 46 (5:48) (Shotgun) J.Burrow pass short right to C.Brown to HST 40 for 6 yards (A.Al-Shaair; J.Pitre).
- 4-5-HST 40 (5:04) (Field Goal formation) *PENALTY on CIN-D.Risner, False Start, 5 yards, enforced at HST 40 - No Play.*
- 4-10-HST 45 (4:47) R.Rehkwow punts 37 yards to HST 8, Center-W.Wagner, fair catch by J.Noel.

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Timeout at 04:40.

Houston Texans at 4:40

- 1-10-HST 8 (4:40) C.Stroud pass incomplete short left to J.Noel.
- 2-10-HST 8 (4:34) (Shotgun) C.Stroud pass short right to D.Schultz to HST 15 for 7 yards (J.Battle; C.Howell).
- 3-3-HST 15 (3:57) (Shotgun) C.Stroud pass short right to D.Schultz to 50 for 35 yards (J.Battle).
- 1-10-50 (3:07) (Shotgun) B.Fisher reported in as eligible. C.Stroud pass short right to W.Marks to CIN 45 for 5 yards (D.Hill). *PENALTY on HST-T.Brown, Offensive Holding, 10 yards, enforced at 50 - No Play.*
- 1-20-HST 40 (2:49) (Shotgun) C.Stroud pass short middle to K.Boutte to CIN 45 for 15 yards (D.Knight).
- 2-5-CIN 45 (2:07) J.Noel right end to CIN 32 for 13 yards (D.Turner; J.Davis).
- 1-10-CIN 32 (1:25) W.Marks left guard to CIN 34 for -2 yards (J.Allen, B.Mafe).
- 2-12-CIN 34 (:44) (Shotgun) C.Stroud pass incomplete short middle to X.Hutchinson [D.Knight].
- 3-12-CIN 34 (:41) (Shotgun) C.Stroud pass short right to W.Marks to CIN 22 for 12 yards (B.Cook; B.Carter).

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	Score	Time Poss	First Downs				Efficiencies	
			R	P	X	T	3 Down	4 Down
Cincinnati Bengals	0	8:05	1	1	0	2	0/3	0/0
Houston Texans	0	6:55	1	2	0	3	2/4	0/0

Second Quarter

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Play By Play

Houston Texans continued.

- 1-10-CIN 22 (15:00) (Shotgun) W.Marks right tackle to CIN 22 for no gain (M.Murphy).
- 2-10-CIN 22 (14:25) (Shotgun) W.Marks right tackle to CIN 20 for 2 yards (J.Battle).
- 3-8-CIN 20 (13:49) (Shotgun) C.Stroud pass short right to W.Marks to CIN 16 for 4 yards (B.Carter).
Penalty on HST-W.Teller; Offensive Holding, declined.
- 4-4-CIN 16 (13:28) (Field Goal formation) K.Kroeger to CIN 24 for -8 yards. FUMBLES, and recovers at CIN 25. K.Kroeger pass incomplete short right.

Timeout at 13:20.

Cincinnati Bengals at 13:20

- 1-10-CIN 16 (13:20) C.Brown right guard to CIN 23 for 7 yards (J.Hansen).
- 2-3-CIN 23 (12:46) (Shotgun) J.Burrow pass short middle to T.Higgins to CIN 44 for 21 yards (R.Blankenship; D.Stingley). P3
- 1-10-CIN 44 (12:01) J.Burrow pass incomplete short right to T.Higgins.
- 2-10-CIN 44 (11:56) (Shotgun) PENALTY on CIN-T.Karras, False Start, 5 yards, enforced at CIN 44 - No Play.
- 2-15-CIN 39 (11:56) (Shotgun) J.Burrow sacked at CIN 33 for -6 yards (D.Hunter).
- 3-21-CIN 33 (11:14) (Shotgun) PENALTY on CIN-O.Brown, False Start, 5 yards, enforced at CIN 33 - No Play.
- 3-26-CIN 28 (10:57) (Shotgun) J.Burrow pass short middle to C.Brown to CIN 27 for -1 yards (S.Rankins, W.Anderson).
- 4-27-CIN 27 (10:16) R.Rehkw punts 40 yards to HST 33, Center-W.Wagner, out of bounds.

Timeout at 10:08.

Houston Texans at 10:08

- 1-10-HST 33 (10:08) C.Stroud pass short middle to F.Moreau to CIN 42 for 25 yards (B.Cook). P4
- 1-10-CIN 42 (9:45) (No Huddle, Shotgun) D.Montgomery left guard to CIN 38 for 4 yards (C.Johnson; D.Knight).
- 2-6-CIN 38 (9:09) (Shotgun) C.Stroud pass short middle to D.Schultz to CIN 27 for 11 yards (T.Davis). P5
- 1-10-CIN 27 (8:45) (No Huddle, Shotgun) C.Stroud pass short right to K.Boutte to CIN 26 for 1 yard (D.Turner).
- 2-9-CIN 26 (8:08) D.Montgomery left guard to CIN 26 for no gain (D.Lawrence).
- 3-9-CIN 26 (7:27) (Shotgun) C.Stroud pass short left to D.Montgomery to CIN 18 for 8 yards (D.Hill; J.Battle). (Virtual Measurement).
- 4-1-CIN 18 (6:58) B.Fisher reported in as eligible. D.Montgomery right tackle to CIN 19 for -1 yards (D.Lawrence).

Timeout at 06:53.

Cincinnati Bengals at 6:53

- 1-10-CIN 19 (6:53) C.Brown up the middle to CIN 24 for 5 yards (A.Al-Shaair; L.Hall).
- 2-5-CIN 24 (6:14) (Shotgun) J.Burrow pass short left to C.Brown to CIN 21 for -3 yards (K.Lassiter) [W.Anderson]. CIN-A.Mims was injured during the play.
- 3-8-CIN 21 (5:32) (Shotgun) J.Burrow pass short middle to T.Higgins to CIN 39 for 18 yards (A.Al-Shaair). P4
- 1-10-CIN 39 (4:55) C.Brown left tackle to CIN 45 for 6 yards (R.Blankenship).
- 2-4-CIN 45 (4:24) (Shotgun) J.Burrow pass incomplete short right to J.Chase.
- 3-4-CIN 45 (4:21) (Shotgun) J.Burrow pass short middle to T.Higgins to HST 32 for 23 yards (A.Al-Shaair). ** Injury Update: CIN-A.Mims has returned to the game. P5
- 1-10-HST 32 (3:37) (Shotgun) J.Burrow pass deep right to J.Chase for 32 yards, TOUCHDOWN. P6
E.McPherson extra point is GOOD, Center-W.Wagner, Holder-R.Rehkw.

Timeout at 03:29.

CIN 7 HST 0, 7 plays, 81 yards, 3:24 drive, 11:31 elapsed

E.McPherson kicks 60 yards from CIN 35 to HST 5. T.Smith to HST 27 for 22 yards (D.Ivey). CIN-D.Ivey was injured during the play.

Houston Texans at 3:29, (1st play from scrimmage 3:24)

- 1-10-HST 27 (3:24) (Shotgun) C.Stroud pass short middle to X.Hutchinson to HST 40 for 13 yards (D.Hill). P6
- 1-10-HST 40 (2:47) (Shotgun) C.Stroud pass short left to D.Schultz to CIN 45 for 15 yards (J.Davis). P7
- 1-10-CIN 45 (2:05) (Shotgun) C.Stroud pass short right to X.Hutchinson to CIN 39 for 6 yards (D.Turner).

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- 2-4-CIN 39 (2:00) C.Stroud pass incomplete deep right to J.Wayne.
- 3-4-CIN 39 (1:53) (Shotgun) C.Stroud pass incomplete short right to K.Boutte.
PENALTY on CIN-D.Hill, Defensive Holding, 5 yards, enforced at CIN 39 - No Play. X8
- 1-10-CIN 34 (1:46) (Shotgun) C.Stroud pass short right to X.Hutchinson ran ob at CIN 16 for 18 yards (B.Cook). P9
- 1-10-CIN 16 (1:39) (Shotgun) W.Marks up the middle to CIN 13 for 3 yards (K.Jenkins).
Timeout #1 by CIN at 01:34.
- 2-7-CIN 13 (1:34) (Shotgun) C.Stroud pass short left to W.Marks to CIN 19 for -6 yards (B.Carter).

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Timeout #2 by CIN at 01:28.

- 3-13-CIN 19(1:28) (Shotgun) C.Stroud pass incomplete short right. ** Injury Update: CIN-D.Ivey has returned to the game.
- 4-13-CIN 19(1:20) K.Fairbairn 37 yard field goal is GOOD, Center-A.Brinkman, Holder-K.Kroeger.

CIN 7 HST 3, 9 plays, 54 yards, 1 penalty, 2:12 drive, 13:43 elapsed

K.Fairbairn kicks 62 yards from HST 35 to CIN 3. D.Meyers to CIN 28 for 25 yards (A.Fisher).

PENALTY on CIN-C.Johnson, Offensive Holding, 10 yards, enforced at CIN 28.

Cincinnati Bengals at 1:17, (1st play from scrimmage 1:12)

- 1-10-CIN 18(1:12) (Shotgun) J.Burrow pass incomplete short right to T.Higgins [S.Rankins].
- 2-10-CIN 18(1:07) (Shotgun) J.Burrow pass short right to T.Higgins to CIN 28 for 10 yards (A.Al-Shaair).
- 1-10-CIN 28(:46) (No Huddle, Shotgun) J.Burrow pass incomplete short right to T.Higgins.
- 2-10-CIN 28(:42) (Shotgun) J.Burrow sacked at CIN 23 for -5 yards (W.Anderson).
- Timeout #1 by HST at 00:36.
- 3-15-CIN 23(:36) (Shotgun) C.Brown up the middle to CIN 28 for 5 yards (S.Rankins; J.Hansen).
- Timeout #2 by HST at 00:31.
- 4-10-CIN 28(:31) R.Rehkwow punts 58 yards to HST 14, Center-W.Wagner. J.Noel to HST 24 for 10 yards (D.Ivey; J.Giles-Harris).

Houston Texans at 0:21

- 1-10-HST 24(:21) (Shotgun) C.Stroud pass short left to J.Wayne to HST 42 for 18 yards (D.Hill).
- Timeout #3 by HST at 00:14.
- 1-10-HST 42(:14) (Shotgun) C.Stroud pass incomplete short right.
- PENALTY on CIN-T.Davis, Illegal Contact, 5 yards, enforced at HST 42 - No Play.
- 1-10-HST 47(:08) (Shotgun) C.Stroud pass incomplete short left to J.Noel.
- 2-10-HST 47(:04) (Shotgun) C.Stroud pass incomplete short right.

END OF QUARTER

	Score	Time Poss	First Downs				Efficiencies	
			R	P	X	T	3 Down	4 Down
Cincinnati Bengals	7	7:32	0	5	0	5	2/4	0/0
Houston Texans	3	7:28	0	6	2	8	0/3	0/2

Third Quarter

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Play By Play

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

E.McPherson kicks 60 yards from CIN 35 to HST 5. J.Noel to HST 36 for 31 yards (T.Davis; P.Jules).

Houston Texans at 15:00, (1st play from scrimmage 14:54)

- 1-10-HST 36 (14:54) (Shotgun) C.Stroud pass incomplete short middle to X.Hutchinson (D.Turner).
- 2-10-HST 36 (14:49) (Shotgun) C.Stroud pass incomplete short right to J.Noel (D.Hill).
- 3-10-HST 36 (14:44) (Shotgun) C.Stroud pass incomplete short middle to J.Wayne (D.Hill).
- 4-10-HST 36 (14:40) K.Kroeger punts 35 yards to CIN 29, Center-A.Brinkman. D.Meyers pushed ob at CIN 44 for 15 yards (F.Moreau).
PENALTY on HST-F.Moreau, Lowering the Head to Make Forcible Contact, 15 yards, enforced at CIN 44.

Timeout at 14:30.

Cincinnati Bengals at 14:30

- 1-10-HST 41 (14:30) J.Burrow pass short middle to E.All to HST 36 for 5 yards (W.Anderson).
- 2-5-HST 36 (13:54) C.Brown left guard to HST 40 for -4 yards (W.Anderson, A.Al-Shaair).
- 3-9-HST 40 (13:14) (Shotgun) J.Burrow pass short middle to A.Iosivas to HST 33 for 7 yards (R.Blankenship).
- 4-2-HST 33 (12:32) **E.McPherson 51 yard field goal is GOOD, Center-W.Wagner, Holder-R.Rehkow.**

Timeout at 12:28.

CIN 10 HST 3, 4 plays, 8 yards, 2:02 drive, 2:32 elapsed

E.McPherson kicks 60 yards from CIN 35 to HST 5. W.Marks to HST 27 for 22 yards (K.Dugger).

Houston Texans at 12:28, (1st play from scrimmage 12:24)

- 1-10-HST 27 (12:24) W.Marks left tackle to HST 30 for 3 yards (J.Battle; D.Knight).
- 2-7-HST 30 (11:52) C.Stroud pass short right to F.Moreau to HST 39 for 9 yards (D.Hill). P12
- 1-10-HST 39 (11:12) *PENALTY on HST-K.Rutledge, False Start, 5 yards, enforced at HST 39 - No Play.*
- 1-15-HST 34 (10:51) (Shotgun) C.Stroud scrambles up the middle to HST 48 for 14 yards (D.Knight).
- 2-1-HST 48 (9:51) W.Marks up the middle to CIN 49 for 3 yards (T.Slaton). R13
- 1-10-CIN 49 (9:09) C.Stroud pass short middle to W.Marks to CIN 40 for 9 yards (D.Knight; D.Hill).
- 2-1-CIN 40 (8:24) C.Stroud pass incomplete short middle to W.Marks.
- 3-1-CIN 40 (8:19) W.Marks right guard to CIN 40 for no gain (T.Slaton).
- 4-1-CIN 40 (7:33) K.Fairbairn 58 yard field goal is No Good, Short, Center-A.Brinkman, Holder-K.Kroeger.

Timeout at 07:29.

Cincinnati Bengals at 7:29

- 1-10-CIN 48 (7:29) (Shotgun) J.Burrow pass short right to J.Chase to HST 48 for 4 yards (A.Al-Shaair).
- 2-6-HST 48 (6:54) *PENALTY on CIN-O.Brown, False Start, 5 yards, enforced at HST 48 - No Play.*
- 2-11-CIN 47 (6:34) (Shotgun) S.Perine right guard to HST 49 for 4 yards (L.Hall).
- 3-7-HST 49 (5:56) (Shotgun) J.Burrow pass short left to S.Perine to HST 33 for 16 yards (J.Smith) [L.Hall]. P8
- 1-10-HST 33 (5:11) J.Burrow pass incomplete short left to E.All (D.Hunter).
- 2-10-HST 33 (5:06) C.Brown left guard to HST 22 for 11 yards (J.Pitre). R9
- 1-10-HST 22 (4:31) C.Brown left tackle to HST 20 for 2 yards (J.Pitre).
- 2-8-HST 20 (3:51) C.Brown up the middle pushed ob at HST 18 for 2 yards (A.Al-Shaair).
- 3-6-HST 18 (3:12) (Shotgun) **J.Burrow pass deep right to J.Chase for 18 yards, TOUCHDOWN.** P10
- E.McPherson extra point is GOOD, Center-W.Wagner, Holder-R.Rehkow.

Timeout at 03:03.

CIN 17 HST 3, 8 plays, 52 yards, 4:26 drive, 11:57 elapsed

E.McPherson kicks 52 yards from CIN 35 to HST 13. W.Marks to HST 31 for 18 yards (C.Johnson).

Houston Texans at 3:03, (1st play from scrimmage 2:59)

- 1-10-HST 31 (2:59) (Shotgun) C.Stroud scrambles right end ran ob at HST 42 for 11 yards (S.Stewart). R14
- PENALTY on CIN-B.Carter, Defensive Holding, 5 yards, enforced at HST 42.* X15
- 1-10-HST 47 (2:39) (Shotgun) C.Stroud pass short right to D.Montgomery to CIN 47 for 6 yards (J.Battle; D.Knight).
- 2-4-CIN 47 (1:58) (Shotgun) C.Stroud pass deep left to K.Boutte to CIN 26 for 21 yards (J.Davis). P16
- 1-10-CIN 26 (1:28) (No Huddle, Shotgun) C.Stroud scrambles left end to CIN 22 for 4 yards (B.Cook).
- 2-6-CIN 22 (:49) (Shotgun) C.Stroud pass incomplete deep right to J.Wayne.
- 3-6-CIN 22 (:44) (Shotgun) *PENALTY on HST-T.Brown, False Start, 5 yards, enforced at CIN 22 - No Play.*

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3-11-CIN 27 (:44) (Shotgun) C.Stroud pass incomplete deep right to D.Schultz [C.Howell].

4-11-CIN 27 (:39) **K.Fairbairn 45 yard field goal is GOOD, Center-A.Brinkman, Holder-K.Kroeger.**

PENALTY on HST-K.Rutledge, Unnecessary Roughness, 15 yards, enforced between downs.

CIN 17 HST 6, 7 plays, 42 yards, 1 penalty, 2:28 drive, 14:25 elapsed

K.Fairbairn kicks 77 yards from HST 20 to CIN 3. D.Meyers to CIN 28 for 25 yards (B.Brooks; J.Hill).

Cincinnati Bengals at 0:35, (1st play from scrimmage 0:29)

1-10-CIN 28 (:29) C.Brown left guard to CIN 33 for 5 yards (M.Edwards; A.Al-Shaair).

END OF QUARTER

	Score	Time Poss	First Downs				Efficiencies	
			R	P	X	T	3 Down	4 Down
Cincinnati Bengals	17	7:03	1	2	0	3	2/3	0/0
Houston Texans	6	7:57	2	2	1	5	0/3	0/0

Play By Play

Fourth Quarter

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Cincinnati Bengals continued.

- 2-5-CIN 33 (15:00) (Shotgun) J.Burrow sacked at CIN 33 for 0 yards (sack split by M.Edwards and S.Harsh).
- 3-5-CIN 33 (14:18) (Shotgun) J.Burrow pass deep right to T.Higgins pushed ob at HST 44 for 23 yards (D.Stingley).
- 1-10-HST 44 (13:44) C.Brown right tackle to HST 42 for 2 yards (J.Hansen; T.Togia).
- 2-8-HST 42 (13:03) C.Brown right guard to HST 39 for 3 yards (W.Anderson; T.Togia).
- 3-5-HST 39 (12:24) (Shotgun) J.Burrow pass incomplete short left to T.Higgins.
- 4-5-HST 39 **(12:21) E.McPherson 57 yard field goal is GOOD, Center-W.Wagner, Holder-R.Rehkov.**

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Timeout at 12:16.

CIN 20 HST 6, 7 plays, 33 yards, 3:19 drive, 2:44 elapsed

E.McPherson kicks 65 yards from CIN 35 to landing zone to end zone, Touchback to the HST 20.

Houston Texans at 12:16

- 1-10-HST 20 (12:16) (Shotgun) C.Stroud pass deep left to J.Noel ran ob at CIN 49 for 31 yards.
- 1-10-CIN 49 (11:43) (Shotgun) C.Stroud pass incomplete short middle to J.Noel.
- 2-10-CIN 49 (11:39) (Shotgun) W.Marks right guard to 50 for -1 yards (J.Allen, D.Knight).
- 3-11-50 (10:55) (Shotgun) C.Stroud pass incomplete short right [D.Lawrence].
- PENALTY on HST-C.Stroud, Intentional Grounding, 13 yards, enforced at 50.*
- 4-24-HST 37 (10:50) K.Kroeger punts 49 yards to CIN 14, Center-A.Brinkman. D.Meyers to CIN 18 for 4 yards (J.Hansen).

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Timeout at 10:42.

Cincinnati Bengals at 10:42

- 1-10-CIN 18 (10:42) (Shotgun) J.Burrow pass short middle to J.Chase pushed ob at CIN 23 for 5 yards (T.Togia).
- 2-5-CIN 23 (10:07) (Shotgun) J.Burrow pass incomplete short middle to D.Meyers.
- 3-5-CIN 23 (10:05) (Shotgun) J.Burrow pass incomplete short right to T.Higgins (D.Stingley).
- 4-5-CIN 23 (10:02) R.Rehkov punts 36 yards to HST 41, Center-W.Wagner, out of bounds.

Houston Texans at 9:54

- 1-10-HST 41 (9:54) (Shotgun) *PENALTY on HST-T.Brown, False Start, 5 yards, enforced at HST 41 - No Play.*
- 1-15-HST 36 (9:54) (Shotgun) C.Stroud pass short right to D.Schultz to HST 45 for 9 yards (D.Hill; D.Knight).
- 2-6-HST 45 (9:17) (Shotgun) C.Stroud sacked at HST 40 for -5 yards (C.Johnson).
- 3-11-HST 40 (8:36) (Shotgun) C.Stroud pass incomplete deep left to K.Boutte.
- 4-11-HST 40 (8:30) K.Kroeger punts 45 yards to CIN 15, Center-A.Brinkman, fair catch by D.Meyers.
- PENALTY on HST-J.Hill, Ineligible Downfield Kick, 5 yards, enforced at CIN 15.*

Cincinnati Bengals at 8:24

- 1-10-CIN 20 (8:24) C.Brown right guard to CIN 28 for 8 yards (A.Al-Shaair).
- 2-2-CIN 28 (7:40) C.Brown right end to CIN 33 for 5 yards (D.Stingley).
- 1-10-CIN 33 (6:54) J.Burrow pass short right to E.All to CIN 33 for no gain (R.Blankenship).
- 2-10-CIN 33 (6:09) C.Brown left end to CIN 35 for 2 yards (K.Lassiter).
- Timeout #1 by CIN at 05:24.
- 3-8-CIN 35 (5:24) (Shotgun) J.Burrow sacked at CIN 27 for -8 yards (S.Rankins).
- Timeout #1 by HST at 05:17.
- 4-16-CIN 27 (5:17) R.Rehkov punts 59 yards to HST 14, Center-W.Wagner. J.Noel to HST 31 for 17 yards (K.Dugger; P.Jules).
- PENALTY on HST-J.Wayne, Illegal Block Above the Waist, 10 yards, enforced at HST 31.*

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Houston Texans at 5:04

- 1-10-HST 21 (5:04) (Shotgun) C.Stroud pass short left to D.Schultz to HST 30 for 9 yards (D.Knight).
- 2-1-HST 30 (4:44) (No Huddle, Shotgun) C.Stroud pass short right to D.Schultz to HST 32 for 2 yards (D.Turner).
- 1-10-HST 32 (4:24) (No Huddle, Shotgun) *PENALTY on CIN-M.Murphy, Neutral Zone Infraction, 5 yards, enforced at HST 32 - No Play.*
- 1-5-HST 37 (4:24) (Shotgun) C.Stroud pass short right to D.Schultz to HST 41 for 4 yards (D.Knight).
- 2-1-HST 41 (4:08) (No Huddle, Shotgun) C.Stroud sacked at HST 33 for -8 yards (J.Allen).
- 3-9-HST 33 (3:40) (No Huddle, Shotgun) C.Stroud pass short middle to W.Marks to HST 41 for 8 yards (J.Battle).
- 4-1-HST 41 (3:20) (No Huddle, Shotgun) C.Stroud pass incomplete short middle to J.Wayne (J.Battle).

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Cincinnati Bengals at 3:15

- 1-10-HST 41 (3:15) C.Brown up the middle to HST 43 for -2 yards (W.Anderson).

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Timeout #2 by HST at 03:08.

2-12-HST 43 (3:08) C.Brown right tackle to HST 43 for no gain (W.Anderson; T.Togiai).

Timeout #3 by HST at 03:04.

3-12-HST 43 (3:04) J.Bayer reported in as eligible. C.Brown left guard to HST 39 for 4 yards (W.Anderson; A.Al-Shaair).

4-8-HST 39 (2:16) (Pass formation) Penalty on CIN, Delay of Game, declined.

4-8-HST 39 (2:16) R.Rehkov punts 27 yards to HST 12, Center-W.Wagner, fair catch by J.Noel.

Houston Texans at 2:10

1-10-HST 12 (2:10) (Shotgun) C.Stroud pass incomplete short right to D.Schultz.

2-10-HST 12 (2:06) (Shotgun) C.Stroud pass short right to D.Schultz to HST 19 for 7 yards (D.Hill; D.Knight).

Two-Minute Warning

3-3-HST 19 (2:00) (Shotgun) C.Stroud pass short right to D.Schultz to HST 30 for 11 yards (D.Hill; D.Knight).

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1-10-HST 30 (1:44) (No Huddle) C.Stroud spiked the ball to stop the clock.

2-10-HST 30 (1:43) (Shotgun) C.Stroud pass short right to D.Schultz to HST 35 for 5 yards (D.Hill).

3-5-HST 35 (1:25) (No Huddle, Shotgun) C.Stroud pass deep middle to D.Schultz to CIN 40 for 25 yards (J.Battle).

P20

1-10-CIN 40 (1:08) (No Huddle) C.Stroud spiked the ball to stop the clock.

2-10-CIN 40 (1:07) (Shotgun) C.Stroud pass incomplete deep right to X.Hutchinson.

3-10-CIN 40 (1:01) (Shotgun) C.Stroud pass short left to J.Wayne to CIN 25 for 15 yards (D.Turner).

P21

PENALTY on CIN-D.Turner, Face Mask, 13 yards, enforced at CIN 25.

X22

1-10-CIN 12 (:51) (Shotgun) C.Stroud pass incomplete short right to K.Boutte.

2-10-CIN 12 (:45) (Shotgun) C.Stroud sacked at CIN 19 for -7 yards (S.Stewart).

3-17-CIN 19 (:25) (No Huddle, Shotgun) C.Stroud pass incomplete deep right to X.Hutchinson (D.Hill).

4-17-CIN 19 (:19) (Shotgun) C.Stroud sacked at CIN 38 for -19 yards (C.Johnson).

Cincinnati Bengals at 0:12

1-10-CIN 38 (:12) J.Burrow kneels to CIN 37 for -1 yards.

END OF QUARTER

	Score	Time Poss	First Downs				Efficiencies	
			R	P	X	T	3 Down	4 Down
Cincinnati Bengals	20	8:09	1	1	0	2	1/5	0/0
Houston Texans	6	6:51	0	5	1	6	3/7	0/2

Miscellaneous Statistics Report

Cincinnati Bengals vs Houston Texans
9/20/2026 at Reliant Stadium

Ten Longest Plays for Cincinnati Bengals

Yards	Qtr	Play Start	Play Description
32	2	1-10-HST 32	(3:37) (Shotgun) J.Burrow pass deep right to J.Chase for 32 yards, TOUCHDOWN.
23	2	3-4-CIN 45	(4:21) (Shotgun) J.Burrow pass short middle to T.Higgins to HST 32 for 23 yards (A.Al-Shaair). ** Injury Update: CIN-A.Mims has returned to the game.
23	4	3-5-CIN 33	(14:18) (Shotgun) J.Burrow pass deep right to T.Higgins pushed ob at HST 44 for 23 yards (D.Stingley).
21	2	2-3-CIN 23	(12:46) (Shotgun) J.Burrow pass short middle to T.Higgins to CIN 44 for 21 yards (R.Blankenship; D.Stingley).
18	2	3-8-CIN 21	(5:32) (Shotgun) J.Burrow pass short middle to T.Higgins to CIN 39 for 18 yards (A.Al-Shaair).
18	3	3-6-HST 18	(3:12) (Shotgun) J.Burrow pass deep right to J.Chase for 18 yards, TOUCHDOWN.
16	3	3-7-HST 49	(5:56) (Shotgun) J.Burrow pass short left to S.Perine to HST 33 for 16 yards (J.Smith) [L.Hall].
11	3	2-10-HST 33	(5:06) C.Brown left guard to HST 22 for 11 yards (J.Pitre).
10	1	2-5-CIN 45	(7:58) C.Brown left guard to HST 45 for 10 yards (S.Harsh).
10	2	2-10-CIN 18	(1:07) (Shotgun) J.Burrow pass short right to T.Higgins to CIN 28 for 10 yards (A.Al-Shaair).

Ten Longest Plays for Houston Texans

Yards	Qtr	Play Start	Play Description
35	1	3-3-HST 15	(3:57) (Shotgun) C.Stroud pass short right to D.Schultz to 50 for 35 yards (J.Battle).
31	4	1-10-HST 20	(12:16) (Shotgun) C.Stroud pass deep left to J.Noel ran ob at CIN 49 for 31 yards.
28	4	3-10-CIN 40	(1:01) (Shotgun) C.Stroud pass short left to J.Wayne to CIN 25 for 15 yards (D.Turner).
25	2	1-10-HST 33	(10:08) C.Stroud pass short middle to F.Moreau to CIN 42 for 25 yards (B.Cook).
25	4	3-5-HST 35	(1:25) (No Huddle, Shotgun) C.Stroud pass deep middle to D.Schultz to CIN 40 for 25 yards (J.Battle).
21	3	2-4-CIN 47	(1:58) (Shotgun) C.Stroud pass deep left to K.Boutte to CIN 26 for 21 yards (J.Davis).
18	2	1-10-CIN 34	(1:46) (Shotgun) C.Stroud pass short right to X.Hutchinson ran ob at CIN 16 for 18 yards (B.Cook).
18	2	1-10-HST 24	(:21) (Shotgun) C.Stroud pass short left to J.Wayne to HST 42 for 18 yards (D.Hill).
16	3	1-10-HST 31	(2:59) (Shotgun) C.Stroud scrambles right end ran ob at HST 42 for 11 yards (S.Stewart).
15	1	1-20-HST 40	(2:49) (Shotgun) C.Stroud pass short middle to K.Boutte to CIN 45 for 15 yards (D.Knight).

Touchdown Scoring Information

		Offense	Defense	Special Teams
VISITOR	Cincinnati Bengals	2	0	0
HOME	Houston Texans	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
CIN	J.Chase	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	12
CIN	E.McPherson	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	2	0	0	0	8
HST	K.Fairbairn	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	6

Possession Detail

	First Half		Second Half		Game	
	Visitor	Home	Visitor	Home	Visitor	Home
Largest Lead	7	0	14	0	14	0
Drives Leading	1	0	7	0	8	0
Time of Possession Leading	0:56	0:00	15:12	0:00	16:08	0:00
Largest Deficit	0	-7	0	-14	0	-14
Drives Trailing	0	2	0	7	0	9
Time of Possession Trailing	0:00	2:33	0:00	14:48	0:00	17:21
Times Score Tied Up		0		0		0
Lead Changes		1		0		1