#### 2009-10 Timberwolves Schedule Time/Score Date Opponent 10/28 New Jersey..... W 95- 93 10/30 Cleveland ..... L 87-104 11/1 @ Phoenix..... L112-120 11/2 @ L.A. Clippers ..... L 90- 93 11/4 Boston..... L 90- 92 11/6 Milwaukee ..... L 72- 87 11/8 @ Portland ..... L 93-116 @ Golden State ..... L105-146 11/9 11/11 Portland...... L 84-107 11/13 Dallas ..... L 77- 89 @ Memphis ..... L 87- 97 11/14 Houston..... L 84- 97 11/18 11/21 @ Portland ..... L 78-106 11/23 @ L.A. Clippers ..... L 87- 91 11/25 Denver ..... L111-124 Phoenix ..... L 95-120 11/27 11/29 12/2 Memphis...... L 95- 97 @ New Orleans ..... L 89- 98 12/4 Utah ...... **W**108-101 12/5 @ Toronto ..... L 88- 94 12/8 12/9 New Orleans...... L 96- 97 12/11 @ L.A. Lakers..... L 92-104 12/12 @ Sacramento ...... L100-120 12/14 @ Utah...... W110-108 12/16 L.A. Clippers..... L 95-120 Sacramento.......... W112- 96 12/18 12/20 @ Boston ..... L104-122 Atlanta ...... L 87-112 @ New Jersey ..... **W**103- 99 12/22 12/23 Washington ...... W101- 89 12/26 12/29 @ San Antonio ...... L 99-117 12/30 Utah ...... L103-107 1/1 Orlando ..... L 94-106 @ Indiana..... L111-122 1/2 1/6 Golden State ...... L101-107 1/8 Indiana ..... W116-109 1/9 @ Chicago ...... L 96-110 @ Denver..... L 94-105 @ Houston .... L114-120 (3ot) 1/11 1/13 @ Memphis ...... L110-135 Philadelphia .... **W**108-103 (ot) 1/15 1/18 1/20 Oklahoma City ...... L 92- 94 1/22 New Orleans..... L 94- 96 1/23 @ Milwaukee ..... L 94-127 @ New York ...... L105-132 1/26 1/27 @ Cleveland...... L 95-109 L.A. Clippers...... W111- 97 1/29 1/31 2/5 @ Dallas..... **W**117-108 2/6 2/9 @ Philadelphia ...... L 97-119 2/10 Charlotte..... L 92- 93 2/16 @ Detroit..... L 85-108 @ Washington...... L 99-108 2/17 Chicago ...... L 94-100 Oklahoma City ...... L107-109 2/19 2/21 2/23 @ Atlanta ......6:00 p.m. @ Oklahoma City ....7:00 p.m. 2/24 2/26 2/27 Portland......7:00 p.m. 3/3 @ Dallas.....7:30 p.m. 3/6 Houston......7:00 p.m. 3/8 Dallas ......7:00 p.m. 3/10 Denver ......7:00 p.m. 3/12 San Antonio......7:00 p.m. @ Sacramento ......8:00 p.m. 3/14 3/16 @ Phoenix.....9:00 p.m. 3/17 @ Utah......8:00 p.m. 3/19 @ L.A. Lakers......9:30 p.m. 3/22 Toronto......7:00 p.m. 3/24 @ Charlotte ......6:00 p.m. 3/26 @ Orlando......6:00 p.m. 3/28 Phoenix ......6:00 p.m. 3/31 Sacramento......7:00 p.m. Miami ......7:00 p.m. @ Oklahoma City ....6:00 p.m. 4/3 4/4 4/7 Golden State .....7:00 p.m. 4/9 L.A. Lakers ......7:00 p.m. 4/11 @ New Orleans ......6:00 p.m. 4/12 @ San Antonio .......7:30 p.m. 4/14 Detroit ......7:00 p.m. (all times Central)

# Minnesota Timberwolves (14-44) at Atlanta Hawks (35-20)

Game #59, Road Game #30

Philips Arena February 24, 2010 at 7:00 PM EST TV: Fox Sports North Radio: KFAN (1130 AM)

Probable Starters:											
Pos.	No.	Player	Ht.	Wt.	Notable						
F –	8	Ryan Gomes	6-7	240	1-10 3ptrs in last 5; 18-33 in prev 8						
F-	25	Al Jefferson	6-10	265	Avg 12.4 pts, 6.8 reb since AS Break						
C –	1	Ryan Hollins	7-0	240	Started last 11: avg 8.5 pts (57.9%)						
G –	22	Corey Brewer	6-9	188	Has made 3pter in 22 straight games						
G –	10	Jonny Flynn	6-0	185	Avg 16.0 pts in last 4 (10.7 in prev 9)						

# Injury Report:

Center Ryan Hollins: Returned to the lineup Jan. 18 vs. Philadelphia, having been sidelined for the previous six games with an upper respiratory infection.

Forward Kevin Love: Returned Jan. 22 vs. New Orleans, after missing the previous two contests due to an upper respiratory infection.

#### Recent Transactions:

Feb. 21: Recalled forward Nathan Jawai from Sioux Falls (D-League).

Feb. 19: Assigned forward Nathan Jawai to Sioux Falls (D-League).

<u>Feb. 17:</u> Acquired center Darko Milicic and cash considerations from New York in exchange for forward Brian Cardinal.

<u>Dec. 29:</u> Acquired forward Alando Tucker, a conditional 2nd-round choice in the 2010 NBA Draft and cash from Phoenix in exchange for guard Jason Hart.

Nov. 2: Exercised the 2010-11 contract options on forwards Corey Brewer and Kevin Love.

Oct. 23: Waived guard Antonio Daniels.

Oct. 21: Waived center Jared Reiner.

Oct. 20: Acquired forward Nathan Jawai from Dallas in return for a conditional 2nd-round choice in the 2012 NBA Draft.

Oct. 19: Waived guards Devin Green and Mustafa Shakur.

	Record	<u>Home</u>	<u>Road</u>	<u>Overtime</u>	
OVERALL	14-44 (.241)	9-20 (.310)	5-24 (.172)	1-1 (.500)	
Atlantic	4-5 (.444)	3-1 (.750)	1-4 (.200)	1-0 (1.000)	
Southeast	2-4 (.333)	1-3 (.250)	1-1 (.500)	0-0 (.000)	
Central	1-8 (.111)	1-3 (.250)	0-5 (.000)	0-0 (.000)	
EASTERN	7-17 (.292)	5-7 (.412)	2-10 (.167)	1-0 (1.000)	
Northwest	3-7 (.300)	1-4 (.200)	2-3 (.400)	0-0 (.000)	
Southwest	2-11 (.154)	1-6 (.143)	1-5 (.167)	0-1 (.000)	
Pacific	2-9 (.182)	2-3 (.400)	0-6 (.000)	0-0 (.000)	
WESTERN	7-27 (.206)	4-13 (.235)	3-14 (.176)	0-1 (.000)	
TREAKS:	Overall: Won 1	Home	: Lost 3	Road: Won 1	

## Next 5 Games:

(all times Central)

Date	Opponent	Time	TV	Radio
Friday, Feb. 26	at Oklahoma City Thunder	7:00 p.m.	_	KFAN
Saturday, Feb. 27	vs. Portland Trail Blazers	7:00 p.m.	_	KFAN
Wednesday, Mar. 3	at Dallas Mavericks	7:30 p.m.	_	KFAN
Saturday, Mar. 6	vs. Houston Rockets	7:00 p.m.	FSN	KFAN
Monday, Mar. 8	vs. Dallas Mavericks	7:00 p.m.	FSN	KFAN

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## Last Game: Tuesday, Feb. 23 – Minnesota 91, Miami 88

Kevin Love totaled 17 points and 12 rebounds, and the Timberwolves withstood a late Miami rally to post a 91-88 victory on Tuesday night at the AmericanAirlines Arena. Minnesota led 24-15 after 12 minutes, a season best for fewest points allowed in a first quarter, and took its biggest lead of the night when Ramon Sessions' jumper made it 32-15 early in the second. However, the Heat scored the game's next eight points and narrowed the gap to 45-41 by halftime, then edged in front on Michael Beasley's three-point play with 10:53 left in the third. Love's 3-pointer capped a 7-0 finish to the quarter that rebuilt Minnesota's lead to 68-58, and another long range strike from Love hiked that to 80-66 with 7:39 to play. However, Mario Chalmers converted a four-point play to begin the Miami comeback, and Beasley's tip-in of a Jermaine O'Neal miss cut it to 87-86 with 56.8 seconds left. After Jonny Flynn and Dorell Wright traded baskets, Love's offensive rebound in the closing seconds helped seal the win. Flynn tallied 16 points and Al Jefferson snared 11 rebounds for Minnesota, while Wright topped the Heat with 26 points and O'Neal added 18.

# Previous Game: Sunday, Feb. 21 – Oklahoma City 109, Minnesota 107

Kevin Durant scored 32 points and Russell Westbrook registered his second career triple-double (22 points, 10 rebounds, 14 assists) as Oklahoma City stretched its winning streak to nine games with a 109-107 victory over the Timberwolves on Sunday evening at Target Center. Minnesota spotted the Thunder a 19-4 head start before closing the first quarter with eight straight points to pull within 30-23. Oklahoma City took its biggest lead when Westbrook's three-point play made it 56-39 late in the second, but Corey Brewer's buzzer-beating trey brought the Wolves back to within 11. After a Jeff Green jumper put the Thunder on top 84-70 with 3:19 left in the third period, Minnesota roared back with an 18-2 blitz over the next seven minutes, edging in front 88-86 on a Brewer jumper with 8:16 left. However, Green's 3-pointer started Oklahoma City on an 11-0 response that featured three dunks, and Durant converted a four-point play with 2:17 remaining to help seal the decision. Green netted 17 points and 14 rebounds for the Thunder, while Kevin Love totaled 19 points and 14 boards for Minnesota and Jonny Flynn also finished with 19 points.

<u>Min</u>	Four Factors	<u>OkC</u>
.489	Effective FG%	.500
.137	TO Percentage	.161
.319	Off. Rebound %	.326
.160	FT Made / FG Att.	.253
Min	Scoring	<u>OkC</u>
16	Points off TOs	19
56	Points in the Paint	44
18	2nd-Chance Points	16
22	Fast Break Points	21

# Tonight's Opponent: Atlanta Hawks

## 2009-10 vs. Atlanta (0-1)

Tuesday, Dec. 22 at Minnesota L87-112

Wednesday, Feb. 24 at Atlanta

The Wolves have dropped six straight at Philips Arena since a 103-93 victory on Nov. 20, 2002; five of those losses have been by single digits.

<u>First Meeting:</u> Jamal Crawford scored 26 points and Joe Johnson added 21 points with six assists as Atlanta dispatched the Wolves, 112-87, on Dec. 22 at Target Center. Mike Bibby had 18 points and Al Horford collected 16 points and 11 rebounds for the Hawks. Al Jefferson led Minnesota with 17 points and 10 rebounds, with Kevin Love totaling 15 points and a career-high 19 boards.

#### 2008-09 vs. Atlanta (0-2)

Wednesday, Feb. 4	at Minnesota	L86-94
Monday, Mar. 23	at Atlanta	L97-109

2007-08 vs. Atlanta (0-2)

Saturday, Nov. 24 at Minnesota L87-94 Thursday, Dec. 6 at Atlanta L89-90 Series Capsule:

# Timberwolves vs. Hawks

All-Time Results:		Current Streaks:
Overall	15-24	OverallLost 7
in Minnesota	10-10	HomeLost 4
in Atlanta	5-14	RoadLost 6
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Last Win: 84-83 at Minnesota (4/9/06) Last Loss: 87-112 at Minnesota (12/22/09)

Biggest Win: 23 – 103-80 at Minnesota (1/26/02) Biggest Loss: 25 – 87-112 at Minnesota (12/22/09)

# Next Opponent: Oklahoma City Thunder – Friday, Feb. 26 at the Ford Center

Series Capsule:

# **Timberwolves vs. Thunder**

All-Time Results:	Current Streaks:
Overall 25-56	OverallLost 3
in Minnesota 16-25	Home Lost 3
in Seattle/Ok.City 9-31	Road Won 1
Playoffs (1008) 2-3	

Last Win: 129-87 at Minnesota (1/7/09) Last Loss: 107-109 at Minnesota (2/21/10) Biggest Win: 42 – 129-87 at Minnesota (1/7/09) Biggest Loss: 37 – 87-124 at Seattle (12/5/92);

37 – 93-130 at Seattle (2/14/96)

2009-10 vs. Oklahoma City (0-2)

Wednesday, Jan. 20 at Minnesota L96-110 Sunday, Feb. 21 at Minnesota L107-109

Friday, Feb. 26 at Oklahoma City Sunday, Apr. 4 at Oklahoma City

<u>First Meeting:</u> Kevin Durant scored 31 points -- his 13th 30+ effort in 16 games -- and hauled down 10 rebounds as Oklahoma City surpassed last season's victory total with a 94-92 triumph over the Timberwolves on Jan. 20 at Target Center. Corey Brewer topped Minnesota with 25 points and five steals, while Al Jefferson collected 20 points and nine rebounds.

<u>Second Meeting:</u> Kevin Durant scored 32 points and Russell Westbrook registered a triple-double (22/10/14) as Oklahoma City held on for a 109-107 victory over the Timberwolves on Feb. 21 at Target Center. Jeff Green finished with 17 points and 14 rebounds for the Thunder, while Kevin Love totaled 19 points and 14 boards for Minnesota and Jonny Flynn also finished with 19 points.

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# Miscellaneous Team Notes:

#### 2009-10 STARTING LINEUPS:

Ryan Gomes .....2

Sasha Pavlovic ......2

Oleksiy Pecherov.....2

Game #s	Forward	Forward	Center	Guard	<u>Guard</u>	Record
1-2,17-22,42-44,46-47	Wilkins	Gomes	Jefferson	Flynn	Brewer	4-9
3-7	Gomes	Pecherov	Jefferson	Flynn	Brewer	0-5
8	Brewer	Gomes	Jefferson	Flynn	Ellington	0-1
9, 12-16, 48-58	Gomes	Jefferson	Hollins	Flynn	Brewer	5-12
10-11	Gomes	Jawai	Hollins	Flynn	Brewer	0-2
23-24	Gomes	Love	Jefferson	Flynn	Brewer	0-2
25-41, 45	Wilkins	Love	Jefferson	Flynn	Brewer	5-13

#### 2009-10 TIMBERWOLVES LEADERS (through Feb. 23):

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<u>Pts</u>	Reb	<u>Ast</u>	<u>Pts</u>	<u>Pts</u>	<u>Pts</u>	Reb	<u>Ast</u>	<u>Reb</u>	<u>Ast</u>
Corey Brewer11	1	7	41	10	0	1	0	1	0
Wayne Ellington1	0	2	11	0	0	0	0	0	0
Jonny Flynn14	1	30	42	10	0	0	0	0	0
Ryan Gomes7	2	4	29	6	0	1	0	1	0
Ryan Hollins0	3	0	8	0	0	0	0	0	0
Nathan Jawai1	0	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
Al Jefferson17	24	5	52	24	0	29	0	27	0
Kevin Love7	24	3	32	6	0	29	0	26	0
Darko Milicic0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sasha Pavlovic0	1	0	3	0	0	1	0	0	0
Oleksiy Pecherov1	3	0	6	1	0	2	0	1	0
Ramon Sessions1	1	17	19	2	0	0	0	0	0
Alando Tucker 0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Damien Wilkins0	4	7	13	0	0	5	0	3	0

BY THE NUMBERS: The Wolves are...

- 12-12 when scoring 100+ points
- 2-32 when scoring less than 100 points
- 11-15 when shooting 45%+
- **3-29** when shooting less than 45%
- 7-30 when allowing 100+ points
- 7-14 when allowing less than 100 points
- 4-34 when allowing 45%+
- 10-10 when allowing less than 45%
- 10-11 when outshooting their opponent
- 4-33 when being outshot
- 11-16 when outrebounding their foe or even
- 3-28 when being outrebounded
- 8-22 when committing <16 TOs</li>
- 6-22 when committing 16+ TOs
- 11-3 when leading or tied after 3 quarters
- **3-41** when trailing after 3 quarters
- 4-27 in games decided by 10+ points
- 10-17 in games decided by <10 points

# Name	<u>Team</u>	<u>G</u>	<u>Min</u>	FG%	<u>3Pt%</u>	<u>FT%</u>	<u>Reb</u>	<u>Ast</u>	<u>Stl</u>	<u>Blk</u>	<u>Pts</u>
4. Tyreke Evans	SAC	52	37.1	.467	.260	.769	4.8	5.4	1.52	0.44	20.3
10. Brandon Jennings	MIL	55	33.5	.370	.380	.812	3.6	6.1	1.31	0.29	16.5
7. Stephen Curry	GS	56	35.1	.458	.407	.873	4.2	5.1	1.84	0.23	15.3
6. Jonny Flynn	MIN	58	29.2	.416	.355	.815	2.5	4.3	1.09	0.03	13.9
23. Omri Casspi	SAC	55	28.1	.467	.385	.667	5.0	1.4	0.80	0.31	11.9
43. Marcus Thornton	NO	48	21.4	.437	.383	.793	2.3	1.0	0.67	0.13	11.3
3. James Harden	OKC	55	23.0	.393	.382	.805	3.3	2.1	1.00	0.24	9.8
21. Darren Collison	NO	51	22.0	.445	.317	.854	2.4	4.3	0.92	0.06	9.6
18. Ty Lawson	DEN	52	22.0	.513	.429	.778	2.1	3.4	0.83	0.04	9.2
39. Jonas Jerebko	DET	54	27.1	.486	.275	.689	5.6	0.6	0.70	0.33	8.9
44. Chase Budinger	HOU	47	19.6	.419	.364	.783	2.9	1.1	0.43	0.17	8.6
26. Tai Gibson	CHI	56	25.1	.487	.000	.621	6.9	0.7	0.63	1.16	8.4

ROOKIE ROUNDUP: Jonny Flynn scored a game-high 29 points in the Jan. 18 win over Philadelphia,

**THE BREAKDOWN:** Some quick comparisons of Minnesota's 2009-10 numbers to date:

	Records		Wolves			C	opponen	its	Margins			
	<u>Total</u>	Home	Road	Pts	FG%	3Pt%	Pts	FG%	3Pt%	Pts	Reb	TO
2009-10 (thru 58 games)	14-44	9-20	5-24	97.8	.448	.340	106.2	.474	.367	-8.4	+0.3	-1.4
2008-09 (thru 58 games)	18-40	8-21	10-19	99.3	.443	.343	103.5	.476	.377	-4.3	+1.4	-1.4
2007-08 (thru 58 games)	12-46	10-21	2-25	93.6	.441	.335	100.9	.466	.341	-7.2	+0.1	-1.4
2006-07 (thru 58 games)	26-32	17-13	9-19	95.9	.467	.349	97.9	.457	.345	-1.9	-0.1	-1.7
Last 11 Games	5-6	3-3	2-3	101.3	.483	.436	102.1	.466	.340	-0.8	-0.3	-1.5
Previous 16 Games	2-14	2-5	0-9	101.6	.439	.348	112.4	.485	.404	-10.8	+1.1	-2.3
At Target Center		9-20		97.3	.458	.338	101.3	.462	.355	-4.0	+1.8	-1.2
On the Road			5-24	98.3	.438	.342	111.1	.487	.379	-12.8	-1.2	-1.6
vs500+ Opponents	7-24	3-14	4-10	97.8	.446	.349	106.5	.477	.377	-8.7	-1.5	-0.1
vs. <.500 Opponents	7-20	6-6	1-14	97.9	.450	.330	106.0	.472	.355	-8.1	+2.4	-3.0
In Wins	14-0	9-0	5-0	107.1	.486	.422	98.9	.442	.318	+8.2	+7.6	-0.6
In Losses	0-44	0-20	0-24	94.9	.436	.315	108.6	.485	.382	-13.7	-2.0	-1.7
vs. Western Conference	7-27	4-13	3-14	98.7	.455	.329	107.2	.479	.362	-8.4	-0.2	-1.2
vs. Eastern Conference	7-17	5-7	2-10	96.5	.437	.355	104.9	.468	.373	-8.4	+1.1	-1.8
1+ Days Rest	11-32	7-17	4-15	97.3	.441	.347	105.3	.466	.359	-8.0	+0.9	-2.0
0 Days Rest	3-12	2-3	1-9	99.2	.466	.318	108.7	.500	.393	-9.5	-1.2	+0.3

**DOUBLE-DOUBLE DUO:** Wolves center Al Jefferson hauled down a franchise-record 26 rebounds in the triple-OT loss at Houston on Jan. 13, part of his fifth career 20/20 effort. His 23 defensive rebounds are the most by any NBA player since Kevin Garnett grabbed 23 for Minnesota vs. Orlando on Jan. 12, 2005. <u>Jefferson also becomes just the ninth player in the past 15 years to collect 25+ points and 25+ rebounds in the same game</u>. Meanwhile, forward Kevin Love totaled a team-high 17 points and 12 rebounds Tuesday at Miami; he's grabbed 10+ boards in 29 of 38 outings this year (including 26 point/rebound double-doubles):

25+ Points, 25+ Rebounds, Game	Since 1995		Highest Rebound Pct., Season, Age 22 or	Highest Rebound Pct., Season, Age 22 or Younger					
Player, Team Opponen	t <u>Date</u>	Pts / Reb	Player, Team (Age) Season	<u>Minutes</u>	Reb%				
Al Jefferson, Min @ Houst	on 1/13/10	26 / 26	Danny Fortson, Den. (22)1998-99	1,417	23.7				
Dwight Howard, Orl @ Golden	State 1/10/07	30 / 25	Moses Malone, BufHou. (21) 1976-77	2,506	23.4				
Dwight Howard, Orl Philadelph	nia 4/15/06	28 / 26	Moses Malone, Hou. (22)1977-78	2,107	22.3				
Shaquille O'Neal, LAL Milwaukee	e 3/21/04	31 / 26	Kevin Love, Min. (21)2009-10	1,118	21.7				
Kevin Garnett, Min @ Sacran	nento 12/5/03	33 / 25	Dwight Howard, Orl. (22)2007-08	3,088	21.7				
Lorenzen Wright, Mem Dallas	11/4/01	33 / 26	Charles Oakley, Chi. (22) 1985-86	1,772	21.2				
Chris Webber, Sac Indiana	1/5/01	51 / 26	LaSalle Thompson, K.C. (22) 1983-84	1,915	21.1				
Dikembe Mutombo, Atl Minnesota	a 12/14/99	27 / 29	Kevin Love, Min. (20) 2008-09	2,048	21.0				
Patrick Ewing, N.Y@ L.A. La	kers 2/23/97	34 / 25	Dwight Howard, Orl. (20)2005-06	3,021	20.9				
Charles Barkley, Pho Houston	3/24/95	34 / 26	Shaquille O'Neal, Orl. (20) 1992-93	3,071	20.6				

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JEFFERSON, LOVE TO DON RED, WHITE & BLUE: USA Basketball announced on Feb. 10 that forwards Al Jefferson and Kevin Love are among 27 NBA players named to the 2010-2012 Men's National Team Program. Players from the program will be selected to represent the United States in international basketball competitions over the next three summers, including the 2010 FIBA World Championships in Turkey and the 2012 Summer Olympics in London. The Timberwolves are one of six teams to place two players on the preliminary roster, along with Denver (Carmelo Anthony, Chauncey Billups), the L.A. Lakers (Kobe Bryant, Lamar Odom), Memphis (Rudy Gay, O.J. Mayo), Oklahoma City (Kevin Durant, Russell Westbrook) and Utah (Carlos Boozer, Deron Williams).

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**INSIDE THE BOX SCORE:** The Wolves racked up 64 paint points Jan. 15 at Memphis, their top single-game total since collecting 68 at Charlotte on Aug. 8, 2008. *For the season, Minnesota ranks 11th in the NBA in paint scoring at 43.2 ppg;* they're 21st by allowing 43.7 paint points per contest, including 60 by Detroit on Feb. 16. A look at some of the Wolves' key figures to date (through Feb. 23):

	FG Pct.	FTAs	Reb	ΤΟ	Pts off TOs	Paint Pts	Fast Break	2nd Chance	Bench Pts
Last 5 Games	<u>Min-Opp</u>	Min-Opp	<u>Margin</u>	<u>Margin</u>	Min-Opp	Min-Opp	Min-Opp	Min-Opp	Min-Opp
2/16 @ Detroit	44.3%-53.5%	33-21	Min -6	Min -3	14-26	40-60	12-26	11-14	45-46
2/17 @ Washington	48.1%-47.7%	23-28	Min –4	Min –4	21-27	52-44	14-12	12-20	37-33
2/19 vs. Chicago	44.7%-43.2%	20-31	Min –7	Min –3	10-10	42-48	23-21	13-16	32-21
2/21 vs. Oklahoma City	45.7%-47.1%	21-23	Min –2	Min +2	16-19	56-44	22-21	18-16	52-20
2/23 @ Miami	43.6%-41.3%	19-16	Min +11	Min –8	14-24	34-32	14-13	16-10	39-40
Season Averages	44.8%-47.4%	23.1-24.3	Min +0.3	Min -1.4	16.1-19.3	43.2-43.7	15.1-17.7	15.0-13.4	32.5-33.8

#### 2009-10 TIMBERWOLVES PLUS/MINUS REPORT:

Last 5 Games	Wolves	Brewer E	<u>Ilington</u>	<u>Flynn</u>	Gomes	<u>Hollins</u>	Jawai Je	efferson_	Love	Milicic	Pavlovic S	<u>essions</u>	Wilkins
2/16 @ Detroit	L23	-4	-19	-7	-18	-10	-3	-22	-7		-1	-16	-3
2/17 @ Washington	L9	0	-2	-5	-8	+1	-5	-12	-1		-7	-4	-5
2/19 vs. Chicago	L6	+2	-8	+1	-2	-12	DNP	-5	+2	DNP	-5	-7	+4
2/21 vs. Oklahoma C	ity L2	-8	+11	-13	-27	-22	DNP	-37	+24	+35	-3	+11	+19
2/23 @ Miami	<b>W</b> 3	-8	+13	-7	-3	-1	DNP	-1	+12	+1	DNP	+8	+1
Season Totals:	-488	-317	-122	-400	-213	-306	-72	-350	<b>–57</b>	+36	-216	-138	-180
Per Game:	-8.4	-5.5	-2.2	-6.9	-4.1	-5.9	-2.0	-6.3	-1.5	+18.0	-4.2	-2.4	-3.2
Per 48 Minutes:	-8.4	-8.5	-5.9	-11.3	-7.0	-16.0	-8.9	-9.1	-2.4	+39.6	-15.8	-5.4	<b>-7.1</b>

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**DOUBLING DOWN:** Minnesota spotted Philadelphia a 51-31 advantage late in the 2nd quarter before rallying to win in OT on Jan. 18, <u>matching the fifth-biggest deficit the Wolves have ever overcome (eighth 20+ overall)</u>. They've made up double-figure spreads in eight of their 14 wins, while letting leads of 10+ points get away on six occasions. A look at the Wolves' "volatility factor" for 2009-10:

Comebacks	;				Blown Lead	Blown Leads							
<u>Deficit</u>	Time, Qtr	<b>Opponent</b>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Final</u>	<u>Lead</u>	Time, Qtr	<u>Opponent</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Final</u>				
20 (31-51)	3:04 / 2nd	Philadelphia	Jan. 18	108-103 (OT)	16 (78-62)	6:32 / 3rd	New Orleans	Dec. 9	96- 97				
19 (53-72)	6:02 / 3rd	New Jersey	Oct. 28	95- 93	12 (24-12)	5:13 / 1st	@ Washington	Feb. 17	99-108				
17 (43-60)	3:02 / 2nd	@ Denver	Nov. 29	106-100	11 (49-38)	1:12 / 2nd	@ New Orleans	Dec. 4	89- 98				
15 (7-22)	6:14 / 1st	New York	Jan. 31	112- 91	11 (19-8)	5:58 / 1st	Memphis	Dec. 2	95- 97				
14 (36-50)	3:30 / 2nd	Utah	Dec. 5	108-101	10 (14-4)	6:51 / 1st	@ Chicago	Jan. 9	96-110				
13 (17-30)	11:24 / 2nd	Memphis	Feb. 6	109-102	10 (55-45)	9:45 / 3rd	Boston	Nov. 4	90- 92				
11 (37-48)	8:26 / 2nd	@ Utah	Dec. 14	110-108									
10 (47-57)	1:48 / 2nd	@ Dallas	Feb. 5	117-108									

**THIRD DEGREE:** Detroit outscored Minnesota 33-13 in the 3rd period on Feb. 16, breaking open a 52-52 halftime deadlock. It's the Wolves' second-lowest-scoring quarter of the season; <u>they'd outscored each of their previous five opponents in the 3rd period,</u> piling up a +5.6 point (29.2-23.6) cushion in that stretch. A quarter-by-quarter look at 2009-10 to date for Minnesota:

through Feb. 23	1st Qtr	2nd Qtr	1st Half	3rd Qtr	4th Qtr	2nd Half	Game
	Pts / FG%						
Timberwolves	27.4 / 49.6%	24.1 / 43.9%	48.4 / 44.4%	23.7 / 44.7%	25.1 / 46.2%	48.8 / 45.4%	97.8 / 44.8%
Opponents		27.3 / 48.5%	54.7 / 49.1%	26.2 / 47.2%	24.7 / 44.6%	50.9 / 46.0%	106.2 / 47.4%
Scoring Margins		(–3.2 pts)	(–6.3 pts)	(–2.5 pts)	(+0.4 pts)	(–2.1 pts)	(–8.4 pts)

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**ZEROING IN:** After shooting less than 30 percent from beyond the arc through December, Minnesota has seen its three-point accuracy rise dramatically in the New Year. *The Wolves rank among the league's top three teams in three-point percentage since Jan. 1*, while rookie guard Wayne Ellington is one of four individuals shooting better than 50% in that span. A quick breakdown:

through Dec. 31			since Jan. 1			Highest Three-Point FG P	<b>ct.</b> (since Jan. 1):	
<u>Team</u>	3FG-A	Pct.	<u>Team</u>	3FG-A	Pct.	Player, Team	3FG-A	Pct.
1. Phoenix	315-750	.420	1. Denver	178-453	.393	1. Kyle Korver, Utah	25-43	.581
2. Cleveland	249-599	.416	2. Toronto	142-364	.390	2. Mike Miller, Was	31-56	.554
3. San Antonio	210-545	.385	3. Minnesota	148-380	.389	3. Wayne Ellington, Min	27-51 .	.529
4. Orlando	320-867	.369	4. Charlotte	168-444	.378	4. Kevin Durant, OkC	41-82	.500
5. Toronto	215-588	.366	5. Phoenix	191-506	.377	5. Arron Afflalo, Den	42-85	.494
28. Minnesota	121-411	.294	6. Cleveland	190-505	.376	6. Jarrett Jack, Tor	24-49	.490

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**SOMETHING'S BREWING:** Corey Brewer's long-range strike midway through the 2nd quarter Tuesday at Miami extended his run of consecutive games with a made three-pointer to 22, <u>breaking the previous franchise record of 21 held by Isaiah Rider</u> (set Dec. 20, 1994-Feb. 3, 1995). Brewer began his streak Jan. 8 vs. Indiana, and is shooting 43.2% (41-for-95) from beyond the arc over the 22 games; 13 of those have featured two or more treys, including a 4-for-5 performance at New York on Jan. 26. The NBA's longest such streak this season belongs to Houston guard Aaron Brooks, whose current 28-game run began on Dec. 22.

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WOLF TRACKS: Minnesota snapped its six-game losing streak with Tuesday's 91-88 triumph in Miami... It's the second straight year the Wolves have claimed a win at AmericanAirlines Arena (111-104 last Feb. 18)... Oklahoma City extended its winning streak to nine games with Sunday's 109-107 decision at Target Center; the teams will meet again on Friday at the Ford Center... Chicago completed a sweep of its two-game season series vs. Minnesota with last Friday's 100-94 triumph; the Bulls had recorded a 110-96 victory on Jan. 9 at the United Center... Washington beat the Wolves 108-99 last Wednesday at the Verizon Center, gaining a split of the season set after Minnesota had notched a 101-89 triumph on Dec. 26 at Target Center... During the six-game skid, the Wolves' offense plummeted to 95.7 ppg; they'd averaged 104.5 ppg in their prior 17 starts... They began a two-game Eastern swing by suffering a 108-85 setback Feb. 16 at Detroit, their lowest point total since scoring 78 at Portland on Nov. 21... Minnesota headed into the All-Star Break with a 93-92 home defeat vs. Charlotte on Feb. 10, one night after suffering a 119-97 loss at Philadelphia that ended the Wolves' season-best four-game winning streak... It was the first time Minnesota had put together four consecutive wins since last January, when they began 2009 with five in a row... The Wolves rallied for a 109-102 win over Memphis on Feb. 6, salvaging the series finale vs. the Grizzlies... One night earlier, Minnesota snapped a 13-game, four-year drought vs. Dallas with a 117-108 decision at the American Airlines Center... Minnesota completed a two-game homestand by defeating New York 112-91 on Jan. 31, having sustained a 132-105 loss to the Knicks five nights earlier at MSG; the final 21-point spread marks the Wolves' biggest winning margin of the season...

WRITING IN THE MARGINS: The Jan. 29 win over the Clippers marked the second game this year in which the Wolves never trailed (also Dec. 18 vs. Sacramento), while their 23-point, 3rd-quarter lead represents the biggest they've enjoyed at any point this season... On the other hand, the Jan. 26 setback at New York was one of four times Minnesota hasn't led; the Knicks jumped out to a 15-0 lead, the most consecutive points ever allowed by the Wolves to start a game... <u>Tuesday's 91-88 win at Miami improved Minnesota's record to 3-8 in one-possession games</u> (decided by three points or less); they finished 6-8 in that category a year ago... Meanwhile, the Jan. 31 win over New York was their fourth double-digit victory of 2009-10... The Wolves have won 13 of their last 15 MLK Day contests, following the Jan. 18 home win over Philadelphia; that outing was also Minnesota's second OT game in six days and 100th all-time (44 wins, 56 losses)... Houston beat the Wolves 120-114 on Jan. 13, the first triple-overtime game in franchise history...

**LONG-RANGE PLANS:** New York finished 17-for-40 from beyond the arc on Jan. 26, equaling the highest total of three-pointers ever allowed by Minnesota (Golden State, Apr. 12, 1995); Orlando hit 15-for-37 on New Year's Day, while Indiana finished 16-for-32 a week later (Jan. 8)... The Knicks' 40 attempts are also the most ever by a Minnesota opponent... Meanwhile, *the Wolves sank a season-high* 12 treys (in 22 attempts) Feb. 5 at Dallas, and are shooting 38.9% (162-for-416) in their last 28 starts... Minnesota has surrendered 10+three-pointers on 18 occasions (including Milwaukee's 11-for-23 showing on Jan. 23), allowing a league-leading average of 7.59 treys per night (3rd-highest average in NBA history)... They're allowing a combined 36.7% (ranking 27th), *but have shaved that to 31.3% (26-for-83) over the last five*... The Wolves stand 23rd in three-point accuracy (34.0%) and 26th in treys made (4.64 per game)...

SCHEDULE NOTES: Tonight's game wraps up a 16-day run that sees the Wolves play seven of eight vs. Eastern Conference foes... Beginning Friday in Oklahoma City, Minnesota's next 11 games will be against Western rivals, capped by a four-game West Coast trip (Mar. 14-19)... The Wolves continue their third (and final) four-games-in-five-nights set this evening; they'll round it out with a home game vs. Portland on Saturday...Tonight's contest also concludes the 16th of 20 sets of back-to-back outings for 2009-10; Minnesota is 3-12 on the tail end of back-to-backs, beating Utah (Dec. 5), New Jersey (Dec. 23) and Memphis (Feb. 6), having finished 6-16 a year ago... Tuesday's victory in Miami improved the Wolves' record to 2-10 on the road vs. Eastern opponents; their only other success was Dec. 23 at New Jersey...The 117-108 win in Dallas on Feb. 5 ended a nine-game road losing streak, dating to the win at New Jersey... It was also the Wolves' first victory vs. a .500+ team since beating Utah 110-108 on Dec. 14; all three of Minnesota's wins this month have been against teams with winning records... On the flipside, the Wolves have won seven of their last 14 vs. sub-.500 teams...

**FINDING THE RANGE:** The Wolves shot 55.6% Feb. 6 vs. Memphis, their 2nd-best percentage of the season and the fourth straight game they'd hit 50%+... Minnesota finished at 53.0% one night earlier in Dallas, 50.0% on Jan. 31 vs. New York and 52.4% on Jan. 29 vs. the Clippers... The latter outing was their top percentage for January and the first time they'd cracked 50% since beating Indiana on Jan. 8 (11 games)... <u>Minnesota has shot 45% or better in 10 straight home games (a combined 48.5%)</u>, but has been held below 40% in five of its past 14 away from Target Center, most recently a 38.9% effort Jan. 27 at Cleveland... The Wolves shot 57.1% in the Dec. 5 win over Utah, their highest percentage since hitting 59.0% vs. Phoenix on Jan. 29, 2007... They hit a season-low 32.6% vs. Dallas on Nov. 13, one of 11 sub-40% nights; a year ago, they were below 40% on 11 occasions, going 0-11 in those... The 37.4% effort vs. Washington on Dec. 26 marked the first time Minnesota has won with a sub-40% night since Mar. 19, 2008 vs. Memphis... <u>The Wolves currently rank 23rd in FG accuracy (44.8%) and 21st in scoring (97.8 ppg)</u>; they were 29th (44.1%) and 21st (97.8 ppg) last year...

AT THE OTHER END: Minnesota limited the Heat to 88 points on Tuesday, their 2nd-best defensive total of the year (87 by Milwaukee, Nov. 6) and the first time they've held an opponent below 100 away from Target Center since the 103-99 victory at New Jersey on Dec. 23... Over their past nine road starts, the Wolves are allowing a combined 51.6% (393-for-762) while surrendering an average of 114.9 ppg... Detroit shot 53.5% on Feb. 16, the sixth time in 14 games Minnesota has permitted 50%+; Philly's 57.5% effort on Feb. 9 marked the sixth time overall they've given up 55% or better... The 27-point setback in New York on Jan. 26 marked the 12th time this season the Wolves have permitted 120+ points and one of 13 losses by 20+ points; a year ago, Minnesota allowed 120 points on four occasions and suffered 10 losses by 20+... At Target Center, the Wolves are 7-9 in their last 16, with seven of the losses coming by six or less (including consecutive two-point defeats vs. Oklahoma City and New Orleans on Jan. 20-22)... They've kept five of their past eight home opponents below 100 (an average of 97.8 ppg)... Overall, Minnesota ranks 28th in scoring defense (106.2 ppg) and 26th in defensive FG percentage (47.4%); they were 22nd (102.7 ppg) and 26th (47.4%) a year ago...

ALL YOU NEED IS...: The Wolves outrebounded Miami 47-36 on Tuesday, marking the first time in nine February outings they've held the board advantage... *Minnesota is being outrebounded by an average of -3.3 rpg (39.3-42.7) this month,* after piling up a +3.6 rpg (45.7-42.1) edge in December and January combined... Charlotte outrebounded the Wolves 45-34 on Feb. 10, their first double-digit deficit since Nov. 27 vs. Phoenix... Minnesota outrebounded New York 58-36 on Jan. 31, its eighth double-digit margin of the year and third spread of 20+; they outboarded Indiana 56-36 on Jan. 8 and New Orleans 49-29 on Dec. 9... The Wolves collected 65 rebounds in the triple-OT game at Houston on Jan. 15, tying the club single-game record set vs. Philadelphia on Feb. 3, 1991 (double-OT)... *Minnesota is now 10th in the NBA in offensive rebound percentage (.274) and 10th in total rebound percentage (.507)*, after sitting 18th and 25th, respectively, in late November... Minnesota is grabbing just 9.6 offensive rpg this month (13.1 in January), but still ranks 3rd in the NBA in second-chance points, averaging 14.7 ppg; they finished 3rd in that category last year (14.6 ppg)...

**NO FREE LUNCH:** The Wolves finished 33-for-45 from the line Jan. 8 vs. Indiana, their busiest night in nearly four years (since a 40-for-51 outing vs. New York on Mar. 26, 2006) and just the third time in 10 years they've attempted 45+... *Minnesota has boosted its frequency to 25.1 attempts per game over its past 35 games*, after averaging just 20.0 in its first 23 starts... Toronto's 40-for-48 effort on Dec. 8 marks the most prolific night by a Wolves opponent in nearly 10 years (since Phoenix went 43-for-49 on Mar. 14, 2000) and just the 9th time an opponent has converted 40+ FTs... Minnesota sank all 18 of its FT attempts Nov. 21 at Portland, the 17th perfect night in franchise annals; the club record for most FTs made without a miss is 24 (at Phoenix, Apr. 5, 2003)... *They rank 24th in FT accuracy (73.8%) and 26th in FTs attempted (23.1 per game)*; a year ago, Minnesota ended 15th (76.9%) and 19th (23.9 per game)...

**ONE FOR THE BOOKS:** Golden State's 146-point explosion on Nov. 9 equaled the top single-game total ever by a Wolves opponent; the Warriors posted a 146-109 victory on Apr. 1, 1994 in Oakland... The final 41-point spread also matches the biggest losing margin in club history; Minnesota suffered a 113-72 defeat at Miami on Mar. 5, 1996... The Wolves committed 28 turnovers at Golden State, one short of the franchise single-game record; they coughed it up 29 times at New Jersey on Nov. 4, 2002... Meanwhile, the Warriors' 22 steals on Nov. 9 mark the highest total in an NBA game in over 12 years, since Atlanta swiped 23 at Philadelphia on Apr. 9, 1997... The Wolves collected 15 steals Oct. 28 vs. New Jersey, the 15th time in franchise history (second in the last six years) they've come up with 15+; the club single-game mark is 17, set most recently at New Jersey on Mar. 24, 2000... *Minnesota ranks 11th in steals (7.50 spg);* however, they're last in both blocked shots (3.53 bpg) and turnovers (16.1 per game)...

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Season Superlatives (through Feb. 23)

Wolves Individual Highs:	
Points	Jonny Flynn vs. Philadelphia (1/18/10) OT
Field Goals Made13	Al Jefferson at New Jersey (12/23/09)
Field Goals Attempted	Al Jefferson at Houston (1/13/10) 3OT
Field Goal Percentage (Min. 10 FGM)	(10-13) (3x) MR: Al Jefferson at Memphis (1/15/10)
3-Point Field Goals Made5	Jonny Flynn vs. Orlando (1/1/10);
	Ryan Gomes vs. Memphis (2/6/10)
3-Point Field Goals Attempted 8	Corey Brewer vs. L.A. Clippers (1/29/10)
Free Throws Made11	Kevin Love vs. Golden State (1/6/10)
Free Throws Attempted	Al Jefferson vs. Indiana (1/8/10)
Free Throw Percentage (Min. 10 FTM)	(11-12) Kevin Love vs. Golden State (1/6/10)
Total Rebounds26	Al Jefferson at Houston (1/13/10) 3OT
Offensive Rebounds8	(4x) MR: Al Jefferson at Denver (1/11/10)
Defensive Rebounds 23	Al Jefferson at Houston (1/13/10) 3OT
Assists9	(4x) MR: Ramon Sessions vs. New York (1/31/10)
Steals5	Corey Brewer at L.A. Clippers (11/2/09);
	Corey Brewer vs. Oklahoma City (1/20/10)
Turnovers8	Al Jefferson at L.A. Clippers (11/23/09)
Blocked Shots5	Al Jefferson vs. Utah (12/30/09)
Minutes Played49:29	Al Jefferson at Houston (1/13/10) 3OT
Opponent Individual Highs:	
Points	Aaron Brooks at Houston (1/13/10) 3OT
Field Goals Made14	Aaron Brooks at Houston (1/13/10) 3OT;
	Andray Blatche at Washington (2/17/10)
Field Goals Attempted	Aaron Brooks at Houston (1/13/10) 3OT
Field Goal Percentage (Min. 10 FGM)	(13-18) Rudy Gay vs. Memphis (2/6/10)
3-Point Field Goals Made6	(4x) MR: Dorell Wright at Miami (2/23/10)
3-Point Field Goals Attempted 13	Trevor Ariza vs. Houston (11/18/09)
Free Throws Made 14	Deron Williams at Utah (12/14/09);
	Kevin Durant vs. Oklahoma City (2/21/10)
Free Throws Attempted 18	Deron Williams at Utah (12/14/09)
Free Throw Percentage (Min. 10 FTM) 1.000	(11-11) Kevin Durant vs. Oklahoma City (1/20/10)
Total Rebounds20	(3x) MR: Nazr Mohammed vs. Charlotte (2/10/10)
Offensive Rebounds8	Pau Gasol at L.A. Lakers (12/11/09)
Defensive Rebounds 16	Nazr Mohammed vs. Charlotte (2/10/10)
Assists	(3x) MR: Rajon Rondo at Boston (12/20/09)
Steals 8	Chris Paul at New Orleans (12/4/09)
Turnovers 8	Aaron Brooks vs. Houston (11/18/09)
Blocked Shots5	(6x) MR: JaVale McGee at Washington (2/17/10)
Minutes Played 59:25	Aaron Brooks at Houston (1/13/10) 3OT

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Season Superlatives (through Feb. 23)

Wolve           Points, Game         117           Points, 1st Half         64           Points, 2nd Half         69           Points, 1st Quarter         34           Points, 2nd Quarter         35           Points, 3rd Quarter         40           Points, 4th Quarter         41           Points, Overtime         9	at Dallas (2/5/10) vs. New Orleans (12/9/09) vs. Denver (11/25/09) (2x) MR: vs. L.A. Clippers (1/29/10) (3x) MR: at Denver (1/11/10) at Indiana (1/2/10) at New York (1/26/10) (3x) MR: vs. Philadelphia (1/18/10)	Wolve 72 33 32 13 11 13 13	vs. Milwaukee (11/6/09) vs. Dallas (11/13/09) vs. New Orleans (12/9/09) at Houston (1/13/10) vs. Dallas (11/13/09) at Detroit (2/16/10) vs. New Orleans (12/9/09) at Houston (1/13/10), 2nd
Field Goals Made47 Field Goals Attempted111 Field Goal Percentage571	vs. Sacramento (12/18/09) at Houston (1/13/10) 3OT <b>(44-77)</b> vs. Utah (12/5/09)	29 70 .326	(3x) <i>MR:</i> at Portland (11/21/09) at Detroit (2/16/10) <b>(29-89)</b> vs. Dallas (11/13/09)
3-Pt Field Goals Made	at Dallas (2/5/10) at Dallas (2/5/10) <b>(7-12)</b> vs. Phila. (1/18/10) OT	1 6 .067	(4x) <i>MR:</i> vs. Golden State (1/6/10) at L.A. Clippers (11/2/09) <b>(1-15)</b> at Memphis (11/14/09)
Free Throws Made	vs. Indiana (1/8/10) vs. Indiana (1/8/10) (18-18) at Portland (11/21/09)	5 9 .550	vs. Charlotte (2/10/10) (2x) <i>MR:</i> vs. Charlotte (2/10/10) (11-20) (2x) <i>MR:</i> vs. Chi. (2/19/10)
Total Rebounds	at Houston (1/13/10) 3OT (2x) <i>MR:</i> at Denver (1/11/10) at Houston (1/13/10) 3OT	29 3 21	vs. Portland (11/11/09) vs. Portland (11/11/09) at Cleveland (1/27/10)
Assists       31         Steals       15         Turnovers       28         Blocked Shots       9         Personal Fouls       31	vs. Utah (12/30/09) vs. New Jersey (10/28/09) at Golden State (11/9/09) (2x) <i>MR</i> : vs. Oklahoma City (2/21/10) at Golden State (11/9/09)	11 3 7 0 10	(3x) MR: at San Antonio (12/29/09) vs. Golden State (1/6/10) vs. Memphis (2/6/10) (2x) MR: at Philadelphia (2/9/10) vs. Memphis (2/6/10)
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Top Individual Performances (through Feb. 23)

### **POINTS**

- 29 Jonny Flynn, 1/18 vs. Phi.
- 28 Jonny Flynn, 12/14 at Utah
- 27 Corey Brewer, 12/26 at Was.
- 27 Al Jefferson, 12/23 at N.J.
- 27 Ryan Gomes, 11/29 at Den.
- 26 Ryan Gomes, 2/6 vs. Mem.
- 26 Al Jefferson, 1/13 at Hou.
- 26 Al Jefferson, 1/6 vs. G.S.
- 26 Al Jefferson, 12/12 at Sac.
- 25 MR: Kevin Love, 1/31 vs. N.Y.

#### **FIELD GOALS**

- 13 Al Jefferson, 12/23 at N.J.
- 12 Al Jefferson, 1/13 at Hou.
- 12 Al Jefferson, 1/6 vs. G.S.
- 12 Al Jefferson, 12/12 at Sac.
- 12 Ryan Gomes, 11/29 at Den.

#### **FREE THROWS**

- 11 Kevin Love, 1/6 vs. G.S.
- 10 Kevin Love, 1/11 at Den.
- 9 Jonny Flynn, 1/18 vs. Phi.
- 8 MR: Ryan Hollins, 1/2 at Ind.

## **3-PT. FIELD GOALS**

- 5 Ryan Gomes, 2/6 vs. Mem.
- 5 Jonny Flynn, 1/1 vs. Orl.
- 4 Corev Brewer, 1/26 at N.Y.
- 4 Jonny Flynn, 12/14 at Utah

### **TOTAL REBOUNDS**

- 26 Al Jefferson, 1/13 at Hou.
- 19 Kevin Love, 12/22 vs. Atl.
- 19 Kevin Love, 12/11 at LAL
- 16 Al Jefferson, 1/29 vs. LAC
- 16 Kevin Love, 12/23 at N.J.
- 16 Kevin Love, 12/18 vs. Sac.
- 16 Al Jefferson, 12/9 vs. N.O.
- 15 Kevin Love, 2/16 at Det.
- 15 Al Jefferson, 1/11 at Den.
- 15 Kevin Love, 1/6 vs. G.S.
- 15 Ryan Gomes, 11/1 at Pho.

#### **OFFENSIVE REBOUNDS**

- 8 Al Jefferson, 1/11 at Den.
- 8 Kevin Love, 1/1 vs. Orl.
- 8 Kevin Love, 12/22 vs. Atl.
- 8 Kevin Love, 12/11 at LAL
- 7 MR: Kevin Love, 1/27 at Cle.

### **DEFENSIVE REBOUNDS**

- 23 Al Jefferson, 1/13 at Hou.
- 14 Al Jefferson, 1/29 vs. LAC
- 12 Kevin Love, 2/16 at Det.
- 12 Ryan Gomes, 11/1 at Pho.

## **BLOCKED SHOTS**

- 5 Al Jefferson, 12/30 vs. Utah
- 4 Al Jefferson, 2/6 vs. Mem.
- 3 MR: Darko Milicic, 2/23 at Mia.

### **ASSISTS**

- 9 Ramon Sessions, 1/31 vs. N.Y.
- 9 Jonny Flynn, 1/18 vs. Phi.
- 9 Kevin Love, 12/30 vs. Utah
- 9 Jonny Flynn, 12/2 vs. Mem.
- 8 Jonny Flynn, 1/31 vs. N.Y.
- 8 Jonny Flynn, 1/29 vs. LAC
- 8 Jonny Flynn, 1/20 vs. OkC
- 8 Jonny Flynn, 1/9 at Chi.
- 8 Jonny Flynn, 12/9 vs. N.O.
- 8 Jonny Flynn, 12/8 at Tor.
- 8 Ramon Sessions, 11/14 at Mem.

#### **STEALS**

- 5 Corey Brewer, 1/20 vs. OkC
- 5 Corey Brewer, 11/2 at LAC
- 4 MR: Corey Brewer, 2/6 vs. Mem.

### **TURNOVERS**

- 8 Al Jefferson, 11/23 at LAC
- 7 Ryan Gomes, 11/14 at Mem.
- 6 MR: Kevin Love, 1/31 vs. N.Y.

## **MINUTES PLAYED**

- 49 Al Jefferson, 1/13 at Hou.
- 46 Ryan Gomes, 1/13 at Hou.
- 46 Al Jefferson, 1/18 vs. Phi.
- 45 Corey Brewer, 1/13 at Hou.
- 43 Jonny Flynn, 1/18 vs. Phi.

# Timberwolves in the Community:

The Minnesota Timberwolves FastBreak Foundation will celebrate Black History Month in February. Beginning with the Feb. 6 game vs. Memphis, during which the team will present a \$10,000 grant to The Given Foundation for African American Literature, and continuing throughout the month at each Wolves game and at several events across the community, the FastBreak Foundation's Black History Month initiative will focus on organizations and events that work to educate, honor and celebrate Black history for youth in Minnesota. Highlights of the FastBreak Foundation's 2010 Black History Month include:

#### **FEBRUARY**

#### FEB. 2 - READING TIME OUT

The FastBreak Foundation hosted a Reading Timeout on Tuesday (Feb. 2) at Whittier International Elementary School in Minneapolis. Corey Brewer and Damien Wilkins read the story "Meet Martin Luther King Jr." to second and third grade students, after which the players and mascot Crunch asked questions about the book and distributed prizes.

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#### FEB. 6 - GRANT PRESENTATION

Each month, the FastBreak Foundation works to identify a local non-profit with goals that are closely aligned with the Foundation's monthly theme and bolster their programming through a \$10,000 grant. February's recipient is the Givens Foundation for African American Literature. The Givens Foundation enriches cultural understanding through programs that advance and promote African American literature and writers.

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#### FEB. 6-27 - HEROES IN THE MAKING

At each home game in February, the FastBreak Foundation will honor outstanding individuals who work every day to promote African American history into the lives of Minnesotans.

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## FEB. 6-27 - BLACK HISTORY MONTH PUBLIC SERVICE ANNOUNCEMENTS

During each home game the Timberwolves will air a PSA in-game to honor various leaders in Black history. These PSAs will showcase the work that each leader has accomplished to improve the lives of everyone today. The leaders that will be showcased are: Frederick Douglass, the Tuskegee Airmen, Sojourner Truth and Mary McLeod Bethune.

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#### Coach's Bio:

## **KURT RAMBIS**

Overall Record:38-57Record with Minnesota:14-44Seasons in League:2ndSeasons with Minnesota:1st

Named head coach on Aug. 10, 2009, becoming the ninth coach in Timberwolves history... It's his second stint as an NBA head coach, having directed the Los Angeles Lakers for the final 37 games in 1998-99 following the resignation of Del Harris... The Lakers opened his tenure with nine consecutive wins and finished the regular season 24-13, before advancing to the Western Conference Semifinals... Served as an assistant coach with the Lakers for all or part of 11 seasons (1995-99 under Harris, 2001-04 for Phil Jackson, the end of 2004-05 with Frank Hamblen and 2005-09 under Jackson), and enjoyed two tours in the team's front office (1999-2001 as Assistant General Manager, 2004-05 as Vice President of Business and Basketball Integration)... Overall, L.A. won four NBA Championships during his 14 years in management (2000, 2001, 2002, 2009), following a 14-year playing career that saw him contribute to four Lakers titles (1982, 1985, 1987, 1988)... Appeared in 880 games during an NBA career that began in Los Angeles and also included stops in Charlotte, Phoenix and Sacramento; he averaged 5.2 ppg and 5.6 rpg (in 18.5 mpg) while shooting 53.4%... Originally chosen by New York in the 3rd round (58th overall) of the 1980 NBA Draft, he played the 1980-81 season in Greece before signing with the Lakers as a free agent in 1981... Born on Feb. 25, 1958 in Cupertino, Calif., he earned a degree in psychology at Santa Clara University (1976-80), where he remains the school's all-time leading scorer (1,735 points) and ranks 2nd in career rebounds (1,037)... Named WCC Player of the Year following his senior season with the Broncos (1979-80)... He and his wife Linda have three children: Jesse, Jordan and Ali.

RAMBIS' LIFETIME RECORD vs. THE NBA											
Atlanta Hawks 0-1 Boston Celtics 0-2 Charlotte Bobcats 0-1 Chicago Bulls 0-2	Golden State Warriors2-3 Houston Rockets1-3 Indiana Pacers1-1 Los Angeles Clippers4-3	Minnesota Timberwolves2-0 New Jersey Nets2-0 New Orl. Hornets (Cha.)0-3 New York Knicks2-1	Portland Trail Blazers2-5 Sacramento Kings2-3 San Antonio Spurs0-2 Toronto Raptors0-1								
Cleveland Cavaliers       0-3         Dallas Mavericks       3-1         Denver Nuggets       2-2         Detroit Pistons       0-1	Los Angeles Lakers0-1 Memphis Grizzlies (Vanc.)3-3 Miami Heat1-0 Milwaukee Bucks0-2	Okla. City Thunder (Sea.)2-3 Orlando Magic1-1 Philadelphia 76ers1-2 Phoenix Suns3-3	Utah Jazz3-3         Washington Wizards1-1         TOTAL:       38-57								

Player Bios:

CORE	OREY BREWER #22								Season Averages:						
G/F	6-9	188	Florida '07	3r	d Year		13.2 բ	pg	43.3 FG%	3.6	rpg 2	.2 apg			
Last 5 Ga	<u>mes</u>		<u>Min</u>	FG-A	<u>3P-A</u>	FT-A	Reb	<u>Ast</u>	<u>Stl</u>	<u>TO</u>	<u>Blk</u>	<u>Pts</u>			
Feb. 16 at	Detroit		24:51	4-9	1-3	2-4	1	6	1	1	0	11			
Feb. 17 at	Washingto	n	26:03	3-9	1-3	0-0	2	2	3	1	0	7			
Feb. 19 vs	. Chicago.		30:03	8-18	2-5	1-5	5	3	1	1	1	19			
Feb. 21 vs	. Oklahoma	a City	29:14	7-16	2-6	2-4	1	4	0	0	0	18			
Feb. 23 at	Miami		33:00	3-11	1-5	2-2	3	3	0	1	0	9			

Notable: Fouled out of Sunday's game with :09.9 left, his third DQ this season... Has made at least one trey in 22 straight games (breaking Isaiah Rider's club record); he's 41-for-95 (43.2%) in that span, following an 11-for-55 (20.0%) start to the season... Tied his career high with six assists at Detroit... Tallied a team-high 20 points Jan. 29 vs. the Clippers, one of 11 times he's led and his 11th 20+ effort; he's scoring 15.5 ppg (45.5%) in the past 20... Tied his career best with five steals vs. Oklahoma City on Jan. 20, becoming the sixth player in club history to total 25+ points, 5+ rebounds, 5+ assists and 5+ steals... His 50-foot 3-pointer tied the Jan. 13 game at Houston at the end of regulation...

Career Highs - Corey Brewer									
Points:	27	vs. Washington12/26/09							
Rebounds:	18	@ Atlanta 12/6/07							
Assists:	6	MR: @ Detroit2/16/10							
Steals:	5	MR: vs. Okla. City1/20/10							
Blocks:	3	MR: vs. New Orleans 1/22/10							
Minutes:	45	@ Houston1/13/10							

Ranks 22nd in the NBA in steals (1.41 spg)... Averaged 15.6 ppg (47.0%) in January, up from 12.5 ppg (46.5%) in December and 11.8 ppg (38.1%) in November... Totaled a career-high 27 points Dec. 26 vs. Washington, and recorded his first career double-double with 22 points and a season-high 13 rebounds Nov. 25 vs. Denver... Had his 2010-11 contract option exercised on Nov. 2.

2008-09: Saw his second NBA season truncated after suffering a torn anterior cruciate ligament in his right knee Nov. 29 vs. Denver; he underwent surgery on Dec. 17 and missed the season's final 67 games... Played in 15 games (eight starts) prior to the injury, averaging 6.2 ppg and 3.3 rpg in 20.5 mpg while shooting 41.4% from the floor... Also went 5-for-12 (41.7%) from beyond the arc, after converting 19.4% (7-for-36) of his long-range attempts as a rookie... Netted 12 points Nov. 28 at Oklahoma City, and scored a season-high 15 points (in 37:39) Nov. 5 vs. San Antonio... Posted season highs in rebounds (seven) and steals (three) Oct. 29 vs. Sacramento... Had his 2009-10 contract option exercised on Oct. 29.

Milestones: Scored the 1000th point of his NBA career Jan. 9 at Chicago, and pulled down his 500th rebound Jan. 13 at Houston.

2009-10 vs. Atlanta	<u>Min</u>	FG-A	<u>3P-A</u>	FT-A	Reb	<u>Ast</u>	<u>Stl</u>	<u>TO</u>	<u>Blk</u>	<u>Pts</u>
Dec. 22 at Minnesota 3	9.37	5-12	1-3	4-6	4	3	1	3	0	15

WAY	NE ELI		Season Averages:									
G	6-4	200	North Carolina '09		Rookie		6.4 ppg	43	3.1 FG%	2.2	rpg 0	.9 apg
Last 5 (	<u>Games</u>		<u>Min</u>	FG-A	<u>3P-A</u>	FT-A	Reb	<u>Ast</u>	<u>Stl</u>	<u>TO</u>	<u>Blk</u>	<u>Pts</u>
Feb. 16	at Detroit		25:31	1-6	1-3	2-2	3	0	0	1	0	5
Feb. 17	at Washingto	n	13:32	0-1	0-0	2-2	2	1	0	2	0	2
Feb. 19	vs. Chicago		17:57	3-4	1-2	2-2	0	1	0	1	0	9
Feb. 21	vs. Oklahoma	a City	13:14	2-5	1-2	0-0	1	0	0	2	0	5
Feb. 23	at Miami		15:02	4-7	2-2	2-2	4	1	1	3	0	12

Notable: Led the Wolves with 16 points (12 in the 4th) Feb. 9 at Philadelphia, one of 10 double-digit outings; seven of those have come in road games... Scored 17 points Jan. 15 at Memphis, tying his season-best output set two nights earlier in Houston; he logged a season-high 34:37 in the Houston game... Shooting 51.7% (31-for-60) from beyond the arc in his past 28 contests, after a 10-for-48 (20.8%) start through 28 games... Scored 16 points Jan. 2 at Indiana; he also dished a team- and season-high five assists in that game... Pulled in a season-high seven rebounds Dec. 23 at New Jersey; he had six vs. the Nets on Oct. 28... Made his lone start Nov. 9 at Golden State... Signed on July 10... Chosen by Minnesota in the 1st round (28th overall) of the 2009 NBA Draft.

College: Named Most Outstanding Player of the 2009 NCAA Final Four after leading North Carolina to national title... Earned All-ACC Tournament honors in each of his three collegiate seasons, and finished his career ranked second in UNC history with 229 three-pointers... Had 25 points, a career-high seven assists and six rebounds Jan. 21 vs. Clemson, and scored a season-high 34 points with nine rebounds Feb. 3 vs. Maryland... Erupted for a career-high 36 points in a come-from-behind OT win at Clemson on Jan. 6, 2008... Earned All-East Regional honors for his play in the 2008 NCAA Tournament... A high school teammate of Charlotte rookie (and former Duke guard) Gerald Henderson at Episcopal Academy in Philadelphia.

2009-10 vs. Atlanta <u>N</u>	<u>lin</u> <u>FG-</u>	<u>A</u> <u>3P-A</u>	FT-A	Reb	<u>Ast</u>	<u>Stl</u>	<u>TO</u>	<u>Blk</u>	<u>Pts</u>
Dec. 22 at Minnesota13:	10 1-	3 0-0	0-0	2	1	0	0	0	2

JON	NY FLY	'NN			#10		Season Averages:							
G	6-0	190	Syracuse '09	I	Rookie		13.9 բ	pg	41.6 FG%	2.5	rpg 4	.3 apg		
Last 5	<u>Games</u>		<u>Min</u>	FG-A	<u>3P-A</u>	FT-A	Reb	<u>Ast</u>	<u>Stl</u>	<u>TO</u>	<u>Blk</u>	<u>Pts</u>		
Feb. 16	at Detroit		23:54	2-8	0-1	3-4	1	3	2	3	0	7		
Feb. 17	at Washingto	n	23:05	4-12	2-3	5-7	1	3	0	2	0	15		
Feb. 19	vs. Chicago		30:32	6-13	1-2	1-2	7	6	0	3	0	14		
Feb. 21	vs. Oklahoma	a City	25:33	7-14	1-1	4-4	3	5	2	4	0	19		
Feb. 23	at Miami		38:33	6-17	1-3	3-4	5	1	3	5	0	16		

Notable: Grabbed a team-high seven rebounds vs. Chicago, the first time he's led... Pulled in a season-high eight rebounds Jan. 31 vs. New York, becoming the 15th guard in Wolves history with 8+ rebounds and 8+ assists in a game; he's averaging 3.6 apg since the All-Star Break (5.8 apg in the previous six)... On the flipside, he's scoring at a 16.0 ppg clip since All-Star Weekend (10.7 ppg in the previous nine)... Committed a season-high six TOs Jan. 26 at New York (also Nov. 9 at Golden State)... Led all scorers with 29 points Jan. 18 vs. Philadelphia (a team season best) while dealing a season-high nine assists in a season-high 43:17... Sank five treys Jan. 1 vs. Orlando, and is shooting 38.5% (25-for-65) from long distance since Jan. 1... Has led Minnesota in scoring 14 times (with 10 20+ efforts) and in assists on 30 occasions; he dished nine assists Dec. 2 vs. Memphis, the most by a Wolves rookie since Randy Foye handed out 10 vs. Philadelphia on Jan. 5, 2007... Ranks 4th among NBA rookies in scoring (13.9 ppg), 3rd in FT accuracy (81.5%) and 5th in assists (4.3 apg)... Selected by Minnesota in the 1st round (6th overall) of the 2009 NBA Draft.

College: Started all 73 games in his two seasons at Syracuse... Named to the All-Big East Second Team following his sophomore season, while also earning A.P. All-America Honorable Mention honors and being chosen as a finalist for the Bob Cousy Award... Played 67 minutes, scored 34 points and handed out 11 assists in the six-OT victory over Connecticut on Mar. 12 in the Big East Tournament... Dished a career-high 13 assists while scoring 25 points (including 15-for-16 from the line) Feb. 14 vs. Georgetown... Netted a career-high 35 points Jan. 28 at Providence, and scored 22 points in the Orange's Sweet 16 loss to Oklahoma on Mar. 27... Set a Syracuse record by scoring 28 points in his college debut, Nov. 12, 2007 vs. Siena... Logged a string of 313 consecutive minutes played during his freshman season, including seven complete games... Started for the silver-medalist USA Basketball squad at the 2007 FIBA World U-19 Championships, and averaged 8.5 ppg and 5.3 apg for Team USA that earned gold at the 2006 FIBA Americas U-18 Championships... Along with former Syracuse teammate Paul Harris, helped Niagara Falls H.S. become the first team ever from Western New York to win the New York Federation state title (2006-07).

2009-10 vs. Atlanta Min	FG-A	<u>3P-A</u>	<u>FT-A</u>	<u>Reb</u>	<u>Ast</u>	<u>Stl</u>	<u>TO</u>	<u>Blk</u>	<u>Pts</u>
Dec. 22 at Minnesota26:42	5-13	1-2	5-6	1	2	1	4	0	16

RYA	N GOM	IES				Season Averages:						
F	6-7	240	Providence '05	5t	h Year		10.7 բ	pg	44.7 FG%	4.4	rpg 1	.5 apg
Last 5 (	<u> Sames</u>		<u>Min</u>	FG-A	<u>3P-A</u>	FT-A	Reb	<u>Ast</u>	<u>StI</u>	<u>TO</u>	<u>Blk</u>	<u>Pts</u>
Feb. 16	at Detroit		25:59	1-5	0-3	0-0	2	1	0	1	0	2
Feb. 17	at Washingto	n	31:52	8-13	0-1	0-0	7	0	0	1	1	16
Feb. 19	vs. Chicago		30:09	4-11	0-3	2-4	4	2	1	1	0	10
Feb. 21	vs. Oklahoma	a City	23:44	0-9	0-2	0-0	3	2	0	1	1	0
Feb. 23	at Miami		34:18	6-8	1-1	0-0	8	2	1	2	0	13

Nov. 13... Led the Wolves with 26 points Feb. 6 vs. Memphis, his sixth 20+ night and the fourth time he's taken scoring honors... Has started 16 of the past 17, after playing 11 straight off the bench; however, <a href="heist-fro-10 from long range in his last five starts">his last five starts</a>, following an eight-game barrage at 54.5% (18-for-33)... Dished a season-high six assists Jan. 8 vs. Indiana, and scored a season-high 27 points Nov. 29 at Denver... Returned Dec. 26 vs. Washington, after being sidelined for six games with a sprained left ankle... <a href="The DNP at Utah on Dec. 14 ended his Ironman streak at 203 games">The DNP at Utah on Dec. 14 ended his Ironman streak at 203 games</a> (dating to March

Career Highs – Ryan Gomes												
Points:	35	@ Golden State	1/21/08									
Rebounds:	17	MR: vs. Minnesota	3/4/07									
Assists:	10	vs. Charlotte	11/8/06									
Steals:	4	MR: @ Cleveland	3/27/09									
Blocks:	2	MR: @ Houston	1/13/10									
Minutes:	52	vs. Minnesota	3/4/07									

2007)... Committed a career-high seven TOs Nov. 14 at Memphis... Led the Wolves across the board (23 points, 15 rebounds, four assists) Nov. 1 at Phoenix; it's his sixth career game with 15+ rebounds and the 26th double-double of his career.

2008-09: Wrapped up his fourth NBA season (second with Minnesota) as the only Wolves player to play in all 82 contests... Started 76 times, having a run of 63 consecutive ended with the Mar. 25 bench outing at Philadelphia... Led the Wolves in minutes played (a career-best 2,614) while hitting 43.1% from the floor and 80.7% from the line... Averaged a career-high 13.3 ppg and 4.8 rpg, and connected on 37.2% of his three-point attempts; his 106 made treys are the second-most ever by a Wolves forward (Chuck Person hit 118 in 1992-93)... Slipped to 18-for-65 (27.7%) from beyond the arc in his last 18, after a 15-game blitz at 48.3% (29-for-60)... Averaged 16.0 ppg and 5.7 rpg over the final nine (Minnesota went 4-5), following a seven-game dip at 8.4 ppg (30.9%), during which the Wolves were 0-7... Collected a pair of double-doubles; he finished with 24 points and a season-high 13 rebounds Apr. 7 at the Clippers... Tied his career best with four steals Mar. 27 at Cleveland... Registered a season-high 28 points Mar. 13 vs. New York (also Mar. 7 at Portland); he scored 26 points (including the 3000th of his NBA career) Feb. 20 vs. Indiana.

Milestones: Scored the 4000th point of his NBA career Feb. 17 at Washington... Dealt his 500th career assist Jan. 8 vs. Indiana.

 2009-10 vs. Atlanta
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 Stl
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 Dec. 22 at Minnesota
 Inactive

RYAI	N HOLI	LINS			#1		Season Averages:						
С	7-0	240	UCLA '06	41	h Year		6.2 ppg	53	3.8 FG%	2.9 rp	og <b>0.</b>	7 apg	
Last 5 G	ames_		<u>Min</u>	FG-A	<u>3P-A</u>	FT-A	Reb	<u>Ast</u>	<u>Stl</u>	<u>TO</u>	<u>Blk</u>	<u>Pts</u>	
Feb. 16 a	at Detroit		19:03	2-3	0-0	2-4	1	1	0	2	0	6	
Feb. 17 a	at Washingto	n	13:42	1-2	0-0	4-4	0	0	0	1	1	6	
Feb. 19 v	/s. Chicago		27:43	3-4	0-0	3-4	6	1	1	1	1	9	
Feb. 21 v	s. Oklahoma	a City	14:10	3-3	0-0	2-2	2	1	0	1	2	8	
Feb. 23 a	at Miami		10:45	1-3	0-0	2-2	1	0	0	2	0	4	

Notable: Logged a career-high 34:08 Feb. 5 at Dallas before fouling out, his third DQ this year... Matched his career best with 19 points Jan. 29 vs. the L.A. Clippers, and tied a season high with three blocks Jan. 31 vs. New York... Has started the past 11 games (18 total); however, he's averaging 5.4 ppg over the last eight, after a three-game run tallying 16.7 ppg (61.3%)... Returned to the lineup Jan. 18 vs. Philadelphia, having missed the previous six contests with an upper respiratory infection (his first DNPs of the season)... Led the Wolves with a season-high nine rebounds Jan. 2 at Indiana; he also set career highs for FTs made (8) and attempted (10)... Finished with 15 points and eight rebounds (in 29:33) Nov. 14 at Memphis. Signed as a restricted free agent to

Career Highs - Ryan Hollins												
Points:	19	MR: vs. L.A. Clippers 1/29/10										
Rebounds:	12	@ Cleveland3/29/09										
Assists:	3	MR: @ New Jersey12/23/09										
Steals:	2	@ Atlanta11/14/07										
Blocks:	4	vs. Denver3/27/09										
Minutes:	34	@ Dallas2/5/10										

rebounds (in 29:33) Nov. 14 at Memphis... Signed as a restricted free agent to a three-year contract on Aug. 10.

2008-09: Split his third NBA season between Charlotte and Dallas, appearing in 45 games (three starts)... Acquired by the Mavericks (with Matt Carroll) from Charlotte for DeSagana Diop on Jan. 16, 2009... Averaged 3.2 ppg and 2.2 rpg in 9.9 mpg overall, hitting 53.2% from the floor and 59.7% from the line... Also played in nine of Dallas' 10 postseason contests, scoring eight points (on 4-for-4 shooting) May 5 at Denver and hauling in eight rebounds Apr. 25 vs. San Antonio... Scored a career-high 13 points (in a career-high 33:09) Mar. 19 at Atlanta, his lone double-digit outing... Snared a career-best 12 rebounds Mar. 29 at Cleveland, and totaled nine points, eight rebounds and a career-high four blocks Mar. 27 vs. Denver.

2009-10 vs. Atlanta Mi	n <u>FG-A</u>	<u>3P-A</u>	FT-A	Reb	<u>Ast</u>	<u>Stl</u>	<u>TO</u>	<u>Blk</u>	<u>Pts</u>
Dec. 22 at Minnesota20:33	2 5-8	0-0	0-0	5	0	0	3	0	10

#### **NATHAN JAWAI** #15 Season Averages: 45.8 FG% 2.7 rpg 0.6 apg F/C 2nd Year 3.3 ppg 6-10 Australia **Last 5 Games** <u>Min</u> FG-A 3P-A FT-A Reb <u>Stl</u> то Blk Pts Pts <u>Ast</u> 0 0 Feb. 17 at Washington.....3:13 0-1 0-0 0-0 1 0 0 0 3-7 0-0 0-2 3 2 0 3 0 6 3 1 0 6 2-5 0-0 2-2 0 3 Feb. 21 vs. Oklahoma City ...... Inactive

Notable: Recalled from Sioux Falls (the Wolves' D-League affiliate) on Sunday...

Led Minnesota with a career-high four assists Jan. 15 at Memphis... Shooting 40.3% (25-for-62) in his last 24, having started the year at 53.3% in the first 12... His seven rebounds vs. the Clippers on Dec. 16 tied a career best...

Played a career-high 25:46 Nov. 13 vs. Dallas, the first of two starting nods, and totaled a career-high 16 points Nov. 8 at Portland... Acquired from Dallas (with cash considerations) on Oct. 20 for a conditional 2nd-round choice in the 2012 NBA Draft... Acquired by Dallas from Toronto on July 9 in a four-team, eight-player trade that involved Memphis and Orlando.

Career Highs – Nathan Jawai												
Points:	16	@ Portland11/8/09										
Rebounds:	7	MR: vs. L.A. Clippers12/16/09										
Assists:	4	@ Memphis1/15/10										
Steals:	1	MR: vs. Philadelphia1/18/10										
Blocks:	2	MR: @ Memphis1/15/10										
Minutes:	26	vs. Dallas11/13/09										

2008-09: Appeared in six games with Toronto as a rookie, contributing 0.3 ppg and 0.3 rpg in 3.2 mpg... Missed the first 24 games due to a heart abnormality before being cleared to resume physical activity on Dec. 17... Also saw action in 14 games (nine starts) for the Raptors' D-League affiliate Idaho Stampede, tallying 11.1 ppg and 6.4 rpg (in 24.1 mpg) while shooting 52.6% from the field... Selected by Indiana in the 2nd round (41st overall) of the 2008 NBA Draft, then traded to Toronto (along with Jermaine O'Neal) for T.J. Ford, Rasho Nesterovic, Maceo Baston and Roy Hibbert on July 9, 2008.

2009-10 vs. Atlanta	<u>Min</u>	FG-A	<u>3P-A</u>	<u>FT-A</u>	<u>Reb</u>	<u>Ast</u>	<u>Stl</u>	<u>TO</u>	<u>Blk</u>	<u>Pts</u>
Dec. 22 at Minnesota	6:38	0-1	0-0	1-2	1	0	0	1	0	1

AL	JEFFER:	SON			#25		Season Averages:							
F	6-10	265	Prentiss H.S. '04	61	h Year		17.3 բ	pg	49.1 FG%	9.5	rpg 1	<b>.</b> 9 apg		
Last 5	Games		<u>Min</u>	FG-A	3P-A	FT-A	Reb	<u>Ast</u>	<u>Stl</u>	<u>TO</u>	<u>Blk</u>	<u>Pts</u>		
Feb. 1	6 at Detroit		24:42	6-12	0-0	2-4	5	1	0	1	0	14		
Feb. 1	7 at Washingtor	١	26:54	8-10	0-0	2-2	7	0	2	3	1	18		
Feb. 1	19 vs. Chicago		32:27	5-13	0-0	0-0	5	1	1	2	2	10		
			28:55	5-11	0-0	0-0	6	0	0	0	3	10		
Feb. 2	23 at Miami		26:13	5-12	0-0	0-0	11	1	0	2	2	10		

Notable: Averaging 6.8 rpg in five games since All-Star Weekend, and has attempted only 43 FTs in the past 21 contests... Tallied 16 of his 23 points in the 4th quarter vs. Memphis on Feb. 6, matching his own club record by hitting 8-for-8 from the floor... The Jan. 31 outing vs. New York was his 96th career 20/10 effort (76th with the Wolves) and 14th this season... Held to four points Jan. 26 at New York, his lowest point total with Minnesota; he's scoring 13.9 ppg (49.7%) in the last 14, following a 10-game barrage at 22.3 ppg (53.2%) and 11.8 rpg... Hauled in a career-high and club-record 26 rebounds Jan. 13 at Houston, part of his 5th career 20/20 effort; his 23 defensive rebounds tied

Career Highs – Al Jefferson									
Points:	40	MR: @ Charlotte	4/8/08						
Rebounds:	26	@ Houston	1/13/10						
Assists:	6	vs. New York	3/22/08						
Steals:	4	MR: @ Houston	2/7/09						
Blocks:	6	@ Charlotte	12/1/08						
Minutes:	51	vs. Minnesota	3/4/07						

Kevin Garnett's single-game mark (set twice, most recently vs. Orlando on Jan. 12, 2005)... Dished a season-high five assists vs. Washington on Dec. 26, and blocked a season-best five shots Dec. 30 vs. Utah... Scored a season-high 27 points Dec. 23 at New Jersey, and had 26 points at Sacramento on Dec. 12... <u>Collected 10 double-doubles in January (27 total)</u>... Led the Wolves across the board (pts/reb/ast) Dec. 4 at New Orleans, the second time he's accomplished that feat.

2008-09: Finished an abbreviated fifth NBA campaign (second in Minnesota) after suffering a torn anterior cruciate ligament in his right knee Feb. 8 at New Orleans; he underwent surgery on Feb. 18 and missed the final 32 games... Averaged 23.1 ppg and 11.0 rpg while logging 36.7 mpg; he shot a team-best 49.7% from the floor (good for 25th in the NBA) and a career-high 73.8% from the FT line... Equaled career highs with his rebound (22) and steal (four) totals Feb. 7 at Houston; it was his second career 30-point/20-rebound effort, and his seventh 30/10 outing of the year (15th with Minnesota)... Scored 30+ points in four of his final nine outings (eight total), averaging 27.2 ppg (52.3%) and 12.3 rpg in that stretch; he collected 30 double-doubles and had 24 games with 20+points and 10+ rebounds... Scored a season-high 39 points Jan. 25 vs. Chicago, and pulled in 17 rebounds Jan. 19 at the L.A. Clippers... Named Western Conference Player of the Week for Dec. 29-Jan. 4, the third such honor of his career... The Dec. 6 game vs. the Clippers was the 300th of his NBA career; he scored his 4000th point Nov. 21 vs. Boston... Held to a season-low eight points Dec. 1 at Charlotte but blocked a career-high six shots... Set a club record by hauling in 12 offensive rebounds Nov. 26 vs. Phoenix; the previous mark (11) was shared by Felton Spencer (Dec. 11, 1990 vs. the Clippers) and Kevin Garnett (Dec. 3, 2004 at Phoenix).

<u>Milestones:</u> Surpassed the 10,000-career-minute plateau Dec. 18 vs. Sacramento... <u>Scored the 5000th point of his NBA career Nov. 4</u> <u>vs. Boston</u>, and grabbed his 3000th career rebound Dec. 9 vs. New Orleans.

2009-10 vs. Atlanta	<u>Min</u>	FG-A	<u>3P-A</u>	FT-A	Reb	<u>Ast</u>	<u>Stl</u>	<u>TO</u>	<u>Blk</u>	<u>Pts</u>
Dec. 22 at Minnesota	33:13	7-12	0-0	3-6	10	2	0	5	1	17

KEVIN LOVE #42									ges:			
F	6-10	250	UCLA '08	<b>2</b> n	d Year		15.1 pp	og	46.6 FG%	11.4	rpg 2	2.4 apg
Last 5 G	Sames .		<u>Min</u>	FG-A	<u>3P-A</u>	FT-A	<u>Reb</u>	Ast	<u>Stl</u>	<u>TO</u>	<u>Blk</u>	<u>Pts</u>
Feb. 16	at Detroit		26:50	9-14	1-2	3-3	15	1	0	2	0	22
Feb. 17	at Washingtor	າ	28:01	5-10	1-2	2-4	13	1	1	4	0	13
Feb. 19	vs. Chicago		20:56	3-11	2-4	1-1	6	1	0	2	0	9
Feb. 21	vs. Oklahoma	City	31:11	7-13	1-3	4-6	14	3	3 1	2	1	19
Feb. 23	at Miami		30:39	4-10	3-3	6-7	12	2	2 1	4	0	17

Notable: Topped Minnesota in scoring and rebounding at Miami; his minute total vs. Oklahoma City is a February high... The Detroit outing marked his sixth 20/10 night of the season; he scored a career-high 25 points Jan. 31 vs. New York... Has come off the bench in 14 of 15; he'd missed the prior two games due to an upper respiratory infection... The Jan. 2 game at Indiana ended his double-double string at 11; he has 26 (in 38 games)... Led the Wolves with a career-high nine assists Dec. 30 vs. Utah, and tied his career best with 19 rebounds Dec. 22 vs. Atlanta (also Dec. 11 at the Lakers)... Has connected on 28 three-pointers (at a 42.4% clip), after hitting only two a year ago... Made his

Career Hig	Career Highs – Kevin Love										
Points:	25	vs. New York	1/31/10								
Rebounds:	19	MR: vs. Atlanta	12/22/09								
Assists:	9	vs. Utah	12/30/09								
Steals:	3	MR: @ Indiana	1/2/10								
Blocks:	4	vs. New York	3/13/09								
Minutes:	40	vs. New Jersey	3/29/09								

regular-season debut Dec. 4 at New Orleans, having been sidelined for the first 18 games due to a fractured fourth metacarpal (left hand) suffered Oct. 16 at Chicago; he underwent surgery on Oct. 20... Had his 2010-11 contract option exercised on Nov. 2.

2008-09: Completed his first NBA season by leading all rookies (and ranking 9th overall) in rebounding at 9.1 rpg... Broke the franchise single-season rookie rebounding record Apr. 11 vs. Phoenix, and totaled 734 to surpass Christian Laettner (708 in 1992-93)... Played in 81 games (including 37 starts), missing the Apr. 5 game vs. Denver due to the flu... Averaged 11.1 ppg (9th among rookies) while logging 25.3 mpg and hitting 45.9%; he boosted those numbers to 13.3 ppg (48.4%) and 9.9 rpg after Jan. 1 (50 games)... Led the Wolves in FTs made and attempted by finishing 265-for-336 (78.9%); he averaged 7.9 FTAs/48 on the season... Also broke Laettner's club rookie mark for double-doubles, collecting his 29th (best among NBA rookies) on Apr. 15 vs. Sacramento... Named Western Conference T-Mobile Rookie of the Month for March, the third Minnesota player to claim those honors (Stephon Marbury, Randy Foye)... Pulled in 19 rebounds Mar. 17 at San Antonio, one short of Dean Garrett's club rookie record... Led the NBA in offensive rebounds per 48 minutes (6.4); his 274 offensive boards ranked 3rd behind Dwight Howard (336) and Emeka Okafor (275), and mark the 2nd-highest season total in franchise history (Al Jefferson, 308 in 2007-08).

<u>Milestones:</u> Played in his 100th game Jan. 8 vs. Indiana, <u>and grabbed his 1000th career rebound Jan. 13 at Houston</u>... Went over the 1000-career-point mark Dec. 16 vs. the Clippers.

2009-10 vs. Atlanta	<u> Min</u>	FG-A	<u>3P-A</u>	FT-A	Reb	<u>Ast</u>	<u>Stl</u>	<u>TO</u>	<u>Blk</u>	<u>Pts</u>
Dec. 22 at Minnesota33	:39	6-12	0-1	3-3	19	0	0	1	0	15

DAR	KO MII	_ICIC			#31		Season	Average	s:			
С	7-0	275	Serbia	7t	h Year		2.8 pp	g 5′	1.9 FG%	2.8	rpg	<b>0.6</b> apg
Last 3			<u>Min</u>	FG-A	<u>3P-A</u>	FT-A	<u>Reb</u>	<u>Ast</u>	<u>Stl</u>	<u>TO</u>	<u>Blk</u>	<u>Pts</u>
Feb. 19	vs. Chicago.		Inactive									
Feb. 21	vs. Oklahom	a City	19:05	4-7	0-0	0-2	8	2	0	1	1	8
Feb. 23	at Miami		24:31	2-3	0-0	0-2	2	0	0	1	3	4

Notable: Made his Timberwolves debut Sunday vs. Oklahoma City; it was his first appearance since Nov. 13... Acquired from New York (along with cash considerations) on Feb. 17 for Brian Cardinal... Minnesota is his fifth NBA team; he began his career as an 18-year-old in 2003-04 with Detroit, and has also had stops in Orlando and Memphis... Saw action in eight games for the Knicks this season, averaging 2.0 ppg and 2.3 rpg in 8.9 mpg... Registered season highs with three assists and three steals at Miami on Opening Night (Oct. 28)... Acquired by New York from Memphis on June 25, 2009, in return for Quentin Richardson and cash considerations.

Career Highs – Darko Milicic									
Points:	21	MR: @ Chicago	3/4/08						
Rebounds:	16	MR: vs. Denver	1/30/08						
Assists:	5	@ Charlotte	12/14/06						
Steals:	3	MR: @ Miami	10/28/09						
Blocks:	5	MR: vs. Miami	12/14/08						
Minutes:	44	@ New Orleans	12/7/07						

**2008-09:** Appeared in 61 games with the Grizzlies (15 starts), missing 21 due to injury... Averaged 5.5 ppg, 4.3 rpg and 0.84 bpg in 17.0 mpg, while shooting a career-high 51.5% from the floor... Led Memphis in rebounding 11 times and recorded five point/rebound double-doubles... Scored a season-high 15 points Feb. 17 vs. Utah, and matched his career best with five blocks Dec. 14 vs. Miami.

2009-10 vs. Atlanta	<u>Min</u>	FG-A	3P-A	FT-A	Reb	<u>Ast</u>	<u>Stl</u>	<u>TO</u>	<u>Blk</u>	<u>Pts</u>
Dec. 22 at MinnesotaNot With 1	Геат									

#### Season Averages: SASHA PAVLOVIC #11 3.5 ppg 33.5 FG% 1.8 rpg 0.9 apg G/F 7th Year 6-7 Serbia **Last 5 Games** Min FG-A 3P-A FT-A Reb <u>Stl</u> то Blk Pts Pts <u>Ast</u> 0 0 2 Feb. 16 at Detroit ......8:15 1-2 0-1 0-0 2 1 0 0 1 0-1 0-0 1-2 0 1 0 0 Feb. 17 at Washington......8:25 0-0 0 0 0 3 1-1 1-1 0 2 0-0 0 0 0 0 0 Feb. 21 vs. Oklahoma City .......5:11 0 - 10-0 0 Feb. 23 at Miami ......DNP-CD

Notable: Scored 16 points Jan. 26 at New York, his high total since netting a season-high 17 at Golden State on Nov. 9 (third double-figure night)... Pulled in a career-high 10 rebounds Nov. 13 vs. Dallas, and pilfered a season-high three steals Nov. 25 vs. Denver... His minute (29:46) and assist (three) totals Nov. 9 at Golden State are season bests... Signed as a free agent to a one-year contract on Sept. 17... Waived by Phoenix on Sept. 15; he'd been acquired by the Suns (with Ben Wallace, a conditional 2nd-round draft choice and cash) from Cleveland on June 25 in exchange for Shaquille O'Neal.

Career Highs – Sasha Pavlovic									
Points:	25	vs. Sacramento	3/13/07						
Rebounds:	10	vs. Dallas	11/13/09						
Assists:	7	vs. Washington	1/23/08						
Steals:	4	MR: vs. Charlotte	2/2/07						
Blocks:	3	MR: vs. New York	3/15/09						
Minutes:	46	vs. Miami	4/5/07						

2008-09: Finished his sixth season in the NBA (fifth with Cleveland) by playing in 66 games, with 12 starts... Sidelined for 11 games due to injury (Feb. 3-4, flu; Feb. 10-Mar. 1, sprained right ankle) and drew five DNP-CDs... Averaged 4.6 ppg and 1.9 rpg while logging 16.0 mpg; he shot 42.2% overall, including a career-best 41.0% (48-for-117) from three-point range... Also saw action in 11 postseason games for the Cavaliers... Had eight games with 10+ points, led by a 20-point effort vs. Philadelphia on Apr. 15... Added 19 points and six rebounds (in a season-high 43:06) Jan. 16 vs. New Orleans.

Milestones: The Dec. 5 game vs. Utah was the 400th of his NBA career... Swiped his 200th career steal Nov. 21 at Portland.

2009-10 vs. Atlanta	<u>Min</u>	FG-A	<u>3P-A</u>	FT-A	Reb	<u>Ast</u>	<u>Stl</u>	<u>TO</u>	<u>Blk</u>	<u>Pts</u>
Dec. 22 at Minnesota10	):53	0-1	0-1	0-0	1	1	0	1	0	0

OLE	KSIY P	<b>ECHER</b>	OV		#4		Season	Averages	5.			
F	7-0	245	Ukraine	3rd Year			4.9 pp	g 41	.1 FG%	6 3.1 rpg 0		<b>.3</b> apg
Last 5 G			<u>Min</u> Inactive	FG-A	<u>3P-A</u>	FT-A	Reb	<u>Ast</u>	<u>Stl</u>	<u>TO</u>	<u>Blk</u>	<u>Pts</u>
Feb. 19 v Feb. 21 v	/s. Chicago /s. Oklahoma	a City		2-4	1-1	0-0	1	0	0	2	0	5

Notable: Tuesday's game marked his 23rd DNP since Dec. 1 (none through November)... Snagged a career-high-tying 10 rebounds (in just 10:59) Dec. 8 at Toronto... Posted his second career double-double (12 pts/10 reb) Nov. 21 at Portland... Has come off the bench in his last 28; prior to that, he'd tallied 10.2 ppg (55.0%) and 6.0 rpg in starting five consecutive games... Scored a career-high 24 points Nov. 4 vs. Boston, and led the Wolves with nine boards Nov. 6 vs. Milwaukee... Acquired from Washington (along with Etan Thomas, Darius Songaila and the Wizards' 1st-round selection in the 2009 NBA Draft) on June 24 in return for Mike Miller and Randy Foye.

Career Hig	Career Highs - Oleksiy Pechero									
Points:	24	vs. Boston	11/4/09							
Rebounds:	10	MR: @ Toronto	12/8/09							
Assists:	3	MR: vs. Utah	12/30/09							
Steals:	2	MR: @ Denver	3/20/09							
Blocks:	2	MR: vs. Houston	11/18/09							
Minutes:	39	@ Orlando	4/16/08							

**2008-09:** Concluded his second season in the NBA by appearing in 32 games (all off the bench)... Did not miss a game due to injury/illness... Averaged 3.6 ppg and 2.4 rpg in 8.7 mpg, while shooting 38.6% from the floor and 82.8% from the FT line... Enjoyed four double-figure nights, including a pair of 13-point performances (Feb. 4 vs. New Jersey, Mar. 17 at Utah)... Equaled his career high with 10 rebounds (logging a season-high 28:40) in the Apr. 15 finale at Boston.

2009-10 vs. Atlanta	<u>Min</u>	FG-A	<u>3P-A</u>	FT-A	<u>Reb</u>	<u>Ast</u>	<u>Stl</u>	<u>TO</u>	<u>Blk</u>	<u>Pts</u>
Dec. 22 at Minnesota	1:58	0-1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0

#### Season Averages: RAMON SESSIONS #7 47.4 FG% 2.7 rpg 3.2 apg 7.9 ppg 6-3 190 3rd Year Nevada '07 **Last 5 Games** Min FG-A 3P-A FT-A Reb <u>Stl</u> то Blk Pts <u>Ast</u> 4 0 3-6 0-0 4-6 3 5 2 10 0 Feb. 17 at Washington.....24:55 5-11 0-1 0-0 3 5 1 2 10 0-0 1-2 3 2 0 0 0 7 Feb. 19 vs. Chicago......17:28 3-5 Feb. 21 vs. Oklahoma City ......22:27 1-3 0-0 0-0 2 4 0 2 1 2 Feb. 23 at Miami ......9:25 2 4

Notable: Tallying 9.2 ppg (55.4%) and 4.1 apg in nine February outings; he'd averaged 6.6 ppg and shot 40.2% last month... <u>Dished a game- and season-high nine assists Jan. 31 vs. New York</u>, one of 17 times he's led... Scored 20 points Jan. 26 at New York, his second 20+ night... Hauled in a season-high eight rebounds Dec. 26 vs. Washington (also Nov. 2 at the Clippers); he's averaging 6.1 reb/48 on the year... <u>Scored a season-high 23 points Nov. 27 vs. Phoenix</u> (first time he's led), and dealt eight assists Nov. 14 at Memphis... Signed as a restricted free agent to a four-year contract on Sept. 11.

2008-09: Completed his second NBA season by playing in 79 games (39 starts)

Career Highs – Ramon Sessions									
Points:	44	vs. Detroit	2/7/09						
Rebounds:	10	vs. L.A. Lakers	4/1/09						
Assists:	24	vs. Chicago	4/14/08						
Steals:	4	MR: @ Philadelphia	4/2/09						
Blocks:	2	@ Indiana	4/6/08						
Minutes:	53	@ Minnesota	4/16/08						

and averaging 27.5 mpg... Drew one DNP-CD and spent two games on the Inactive List... <u>Led the Bucks with 5.7 apg (18th in the league)</u>, and averaged 12.4 ppg and 3.4 rpg while hitting 44.5% from the floor and 79.4% from the line... Reached double digits 53 times (12 games with 20+ points) and collected nine double-doubles... Finished the season with a 2.97-to-1 ast/TO ratio, ranking 9th in the NBA... Had a career-high four steals on four occasions, most recently Apr. 2 at Philadelphia... <u>Scored a career-high 44 points vs. Detroit on Feb. 7</u>, going 13-for-18 from the field and 18-for-21 from the line while also passing for 12 assists... Handed out a season-high 17 assists while scoring 15 points and snagging seven boards Feb. 11 vs. Indiana... Tallied 27 points, eight assists, four rebounds and three steals Feb. 22 vs. Denver... <u>Registered his first career triple-double with 16 points, 16 assists and a career-best 10 rebounds Apr. 1 vs. the Lakers.</u>.. Finished with 18 points, 10 assists, five rebounds and four steals Apr. 2 at Philadelphia... Scored 19 points and added eight rebounds and seven assists Apr. 13 vs. Orlando.

Milestones: The Nov. 2 game at the Clippers was the 100th of his NBA career; he needs 18 rebounds to hit the 500 mark.

2009-10 vs. Atlanta	<u>Viin</u>	FG-A	<u>3P-A</u>	FT-A	<u>Reb</u>	<u>Ast</u>	<u>Stl</u>	<u>TO</u>	<u>Blk</u>	<u>Pts</u>
Dec. 22 at Minnesota21	:18	0-6	0-0	7-10	3	2	1	1	0	7

ALANDO TUCKER					#29		Season Averages:							
F	6-6	205	Wisconsin '07	31	d Year		3.8 pp	g 4:	3.8 FG%	<b>0.7</b> rp	g	<b>0.3</b> apg		
Last 5	Games		Min	FG-A	3P-A	FT-A	Reb	Ast	<u>Stl</u>	<u>TO</u>	Blk	Pts		
Feb. 16	at Detroit		Inactive	<u> </u>					_					
Feb. 17	at Washingto	n	Inactive											
Feb. 19	vs. Chicago		DNP-CD											
Feb. 21	vs. Oklahoma	a City	Inactive											
Feb. 23	at Miami		Inactive											

Notable: Made his Timberwolves debut Jan. 26 at New York... Acquired from Phoenix on Dec. 29 (along with a conditional 2nd-round choice in the 2010 NBA Draft and cash) in return for Jason Hart... Saw action in 11 games with the Suns this season, netting 3.9 ppg (43.3%) in 6.5 mpg... Scored a seasonhigh 14 points at New York on Dec. 1.

**2008-09:** Completed his second NBA season by appearing in 30 games with Phoenix, averaging 4.6 ppg in 9.4 mpg while shooting 43.0% from the floor and 34.8% (8-for-23) from long distance... Made his lone start of the season Feb. 26 at the Lakers, scoring a career-high 16 points (on 7-for-11 shooting)

Career Highs – Alando Tucker										
Points:	16	@ L.A. Lakers	2/26/09							
Rebounds:	5	vs. Portland	4/16/08							
Assists:	2	MR: @ Orlando	11/4/09							
Steals:	1	MR: @ Portland	3/26/09							
Blocks:	1	MR: @ Philadelphia	2/9/09							
Minutes:	32	@ L.A. Lakers	2/26/09							

with a season-high four rebounds in a career-best 31:44... Reached double figures five times overall, including a 13-point effort (in just 9:59) Apr. 5 at Dallas; he collected 10 points and two assists at Minnesota on Apr. 11... Also played two games for the D-League's Iowa Energy, chipping in 8.0 ppg with 4.5 rpg.

2009-10 vs. Atlanta	<u>Min</u>	FG-A	<u>3P-A</u>	FT-A	<u>Reb</u>	<u>Ast</u>	<u>Stl</u>	<u>TO</u>	<u>Blk</u>	<u>Pts</u>
Dec. 22 at MinnesotaNot With Te	eam									

DAM	IEN W	ILKINS			#3		Season Averages:						
G/F	6-6	225	Georgia '04	61	h Year		5.9 ppg	4:	3.3 FG%	3.6 rp	og 1	.9 apg	
Last 5 G	ames		<u>Min</u>	FG-A	<u>3P-A</u>	FT-A	Reb	<u>Ast</u>	<u>Stl</u>	<u>TO</u>	<u>Blk</u>	<u>Pts</u>	
Feb. 16 a	at Detroit		19:15	2-4	0-0	2-4	1	1	1	1	1	6	
Feb. 17 a	at Washingto	on	26:14	2-5	0-0	2-2	6	1	1	1	1	6	
Feb. 19 v	vs. Chicago.		23:25	2-5	0-0	0-0	7	3	2	1	0	4	
Feb. 21 v	vs. Oklahom	a City	27:16	7-12	1-3	3-3	4	1	1	0	1	18	
Feb. 23 a	at Miami		17:34	1-4	0-0	0-0	1	3	1	0	0	2	

Notable: Matched his season high with Sunday's 18-point effort (also Dec. 20 at Boston)... Has come off the bench in the past 11, after starting the previous 23 games (and 29 of 31)... Shooting 50.0% (58-for-116) in his last 24 outings... Dished a team-high seven assists Jan. 22 vs. New Orleans (one off his career best)... Picked up his third double-double Jan. 18 vs. Philly; the Wolves have won all of those, and are 8-5 when he scores 10+... Pulled in a career-high 13 rebounds vs. Washington on Dec. 26, and blocked a career-high three shots Dec. 20 at Boston... Hit the game-winning basket as time expired Oct. 28 vs. New Jersey, capping his first double-double since Feb. 12, 2006... Acquired

Career Highs – Damien Wilkins									
Points:	41	@ Atlanta	11/16/07						
Rebounds:	13	vs. Washington	12/26/09						
Assists:	8	@ Denver	12/29/05						
Steals:	7	vs. Utah	3/5/06						
Blocks:	3	MR: @ Boston	12/20/09						
Minutes:	51	@ Atlanta	11/16/07						

from Oklahoma City (with Chucky Atkins) on July 27 in return for Etan Thomas and two future 2nd-round draft choices.

2008-09: Completed his fifth season in the NBA (all with the Seattle/Oklahoma City franchise) by appearing in 41 games (14 starts)...
Drew a total of 37 DNP-CDs, and was sidelined for the Feb. 27 game at Dallas due to bruised ribs... Averaged a career-low 5.3 ppg,
1.7 rpg and 0.9 apg while logging 15.5 mpg... Shot a career-low 36.2% overall, but drilled a career-best 37.5% (27-for-72) from three-point distance... Reached double figures on seven occasions, including a season-high 18 points (in a season-best 34:53) Mar.
7 at New Orleans... Chipped in 17 points and five rebounds Nov. 19 vs. the L.A. Clippers.

Milestones: Dealt his 500th career assist Dec. 8 at Toronto, and pulled in his 1000th career rebound last Friday vs. Chicago.

2009-10 vs. Atlanta	<u>Min</u>	FG-A	3P-A	FT-A	Reb	<u>Ast</u>	<u>StI</u>	<u>TO</u>	<u>Blk</u>	<u>Pts</u>
Dec. 22 at Minnesota3	2:20	1-4	0-0	2-3	1	3	2	3	0	4