

## 2013-14 Timberwolves Schedule

Date	Opponent	Time/Score
10/30	Orlando	W120-115 (ot)
11/1	Oklahoma City	W100- 81
11/3	at New York	W109-100
11/4	at Cleveland	L 92- 93
11/6	Golden State	L 93-106
11/8	Dallas	W116-108
11/10	at L.A. Lakers	W113- 90
11/11	at L.A. Clippers	L107-109
11/13	Cleveland	W124- 95
11/15	at Denver	L113-117
11/16	Boston	W106- 88
11/19	at Washington	L100-104
11/20	L.A. Clippers	L 98-102
11/22	Brooklyn	W111- 81
11/23	at Houston	L101-112
11/25	at Indiana	L 84- 98
11/27	Denver	L110-117
11/30	at Dallas	W112-106
12/1	at Oklahoma City	L103-113
12/7	Miami	L 82-103
12/10	at Detroit	W121- 94
12/11	Philadelphia	W106- 99
12/13	at San Antonio	L110-117
12/15	at Memphis	W101- 93
12/16	at Boston	L 97-101
12/18	Portland	W120-109
12/20	at L.A. Lakers	L 91-104
12/22	at L.A. Clippers	L116-120 (ot)
12/27	Washington	W120- 98
12/28	at Milwaukee	W117- 95
12/30	Dallas	L 98-100
1/1	New Orleans	W124-112
1/4	Oklahoma City	L111-115
1/6	at Philadelphia	W126- 95
1/8	Phoenix	7:00 p.m.
1/10	Charlotte	7:00 p.m.
1/12	at San Antonio	6:00 p.m.
1/15	Sacramento	7:00 p.m.
1/17	at Toronto	6:00 p.m.
1/18	Utah	7:00 p.m.
1/21	at Utah	8:00 p.m.
1/24	at Golden State	9:30 p.m.
1/25	at Portland	9:00 p.m.
1/27	at Chicago	7:00 p.m.
1/29	New Orleans	7:00 p.m.
1/31	Memphis	7:00 p.m.
2/1	at Atlanta	6:30 p.m.
2/4	L.A. Lakers	7:00 p.m.
2/5	at Oklahoma City	7:00 p.m.
2/7	at New Orleans	8:30 p.m.
2/8	Portland	7:00 p.m.
2/10	Houston	7:00 p.m.
2/12	Denver	7:00 p.m.
2/19	Indiana	7:00 p.m.
2/22	at Utah	8:00 p.m.
2/23	at Portland	8:00 p.m.
2/25	at Phoenix	8:00 p.m.
3/1	at Sacramento	9:00 p.m.
3/3	at Denver	8:00 p.m.
3/5	New York	7:00 p.m.
3/7	Detroit	7:00 p.m.
3/9	Toronto	6:00 p.m.
3/11	Milwaukee	7:00 p.m.
3/14	at Charlotte	6:00 p.m.
3/16	Sacramento	6:00 p.m.
3/19	at Dallas	7:30 p.m.
3/20	at Houston	7:00 p.m.
3/23	Phoenix	2:30 p.m.
3/24	at Memphis	7:00 p.m.
3/26	Atlanta	7:00 p.m.
3/28	L.A. Lakers	7:00 p.m.
3/30	at Brooklyn	5:00 p.m.
3/31	L.A. Clippers	7:00 p.m.
4/2	Memphis	7:00 p.m.
4/4	at Miami	6:30 p.m.
4/5	at Orlando	6:00 p.m.
4/8	San Antonio	7:00 p.m.
4/9	Chicago	7:00 p.m.
4/11	Houston	7:00 p.m.
4/13	at Sacramento	8:00 p.m.
4/14	at Golden State	9:30 p.m.
4/16	Utah	7:00 p.m.

(all times Central)

## Minnesota Timberwolves (17-17) vs. Phoenix Suns (20-12)

Game #35, Home Game #17

Target Center

January 8, 2014 at 8:30 PM CST

TV: Fox Sports North / ESPN

Radio: WCCO (830 AM)

### Probable Starters:

Pos.	No.	Player	Ht.	Wt.	Notable
F	13	Corey Brewer	6-9	185	Hitting 51.8% in last 6 gms (Min 4-2)
F	42	Kevin Love	6-10	243	Avg 30.8 pts (52.0%) in last 12 gms
C	14	Nikola Pekovic	6-11	285	23.3 pts (54.6%), 11.0 reb in last 9
G	23	Kevin Martin	6-7	197	3rd in FT% (90.6%), 18th in pts (19.7)
G	9	Ricky Rubio	6-4	185	9.9 ast in last 7; leads NBA in steals

### Injury Report:

**Forward Chase Budinger:** Underwent arthroscopic surgery on his left knee (meniscectomy) on Oct. 1 and will be sidelined indefinitely.

**Forward Luc Richard Mbah a Mouté:** Has missed the past two games due to a strained left groin suffered Jan. 1 vs. New Orleans, and is listed as questionable for tonight's contest.

**Center Ronny Turiaf:** Returned Monday at Philadelphia, having been sidelined for the previous 31 games due to a radial head fracture in his right elbow suffered Nov. 1 vs. Oklahoma City.

### Recent Transactions:

**Jan. 5:** Assigned forward Shabazz Muhammad to Iowa (D-League).

**Nov. 26:** Acquired forward Luc Richard Mbah a Mouté from Sacramento in exchange for forward Derrick Williams.

**Oct. 26:** Waived center Chris Johnson.

**Oct. 26:** Exercised the 2014-15 contract options on guard Ricky Rubio and forward Derrick Williams.

**Oct. 25:** Waived guards Lorenzo Brown and Othyus Jeffers.

**Sept. 30:** Signed free-agent guard A.J. Price to a one-year contract.

**Sept. 26:** Signed rookie guard Lorenzo Brown, rookie forward Robbie Hummel and free-agent guard Othyus Jeffers to one-year contracts.

**Aug. 16:** Re-signed center Nikola Pekovic to a five-year contract.

### Records:

	Record	Home	Road	Overtime
<b>OVERALL</b>	<b>17-17 (.500)</b>	<b>10-6 (.625)</b>	<b>7-11 (.389)</b>	<b>1-1 (.500)</b>
<b>Atlantic</b>	5-1 (.833)	3-0 (1.000)	2-1 (.667)	0-0 (.000)
<b>Southeast</b>	2-2 (.500)	2-1 (.667)	0-1 (.000)	1-0 (1.000)
<b>Central</b>	3-2 (.600)	1-0 (1.000)	2-2 (.500)	0-0 (.000)
<b>EASTERN</b>	<b>10-5 (.667)</b>	<b>6-1 (.857)</b>	<b>4-4 (.500)</b>	<b>1-0 (1.000)</b>
<b>Northwest</b>	2-4 (.333)	2-2 (.500)	0-2 (.000)	0-0 (.000)
<b>Southwest</b>	4-3 (.571)	2-1 (.667)	2-2 (.500)	0-0 (.000)
<b>Pacific</b>	1-5 (.167)	0-2 (.000)	1-3 (.250)	0-1 (.000)
<b>WESTERN</b>	<b>7-12 (.368)</b>	<b>4-5 (.444)</b>	<b>3-7 (.300)</b>	<b>0-1 (.000)</b>

**STREAKS:**

**Overall:** Won 1

**Home:** Lost 1

**Road:** Won 2

### Next 5 Games:

(all times Central)

Date	Opponent	Time	TV	Radio
Friday, Jan. 10	vs. Charlotte Bobcats	7:00 p.m.	FSN	WCCO
Sunday, Jan. 12	at San Antonio Spurs	6:00 p.m.	FSN	WCCO
Wednesday, Jan. 15	vs. Sacramento Kings	7:00 p.m.	FSN	WCCO
Friday, Jan. 17	at Toronto Raptors	6:00 p.m.	FSN	WCCO
Saturday, Jan. 18	vs. Utah Jazz	7:00 p.m.	----	WCCO

Min	Four Factors	Phi
.540	Effective FG%	.525
.119	TO Percentage	.217
.280	Off. Rebound %	.093
.180	FT Made / FG Att.	.138
Min	Scoring	Phi
30	Points off TOs	11
46	Points in the Paint	44
19	2nd-Chance Points	2
14	Fast Break Points	16

**Last Game: Monday, Jan. 6 – Minnesota 126, Philadelphia 95**

Kevin Love scored 16 of his 26 points in the third quarter and Nikola Pekovic added 16 points and a season-high 14 rebounds as the Timberwolves routed Philadelphia, 126-95, on Monday night at the Wells Fargo Center. Corey Brewer's 12 points helped Minnesota grab a 32-29 lead after one quarter, but 3-pointers from James Anderson and Elliot Williams put the Sixers on top 35-32 early in the second. However, J.J. Barea's trey ignited a 24-8 barrage over the final seven minutes to send the Wolves into halftime with a 70-54 cushion. Philadelphia could get no closer in the second half, as Love's 16 points were enhanced by 11 from Kevin Martin and Minnesota took advantage of seven Sixers miscues to push the margin to 105-74 after three quarters. Reserves took over the final stanza as the Wolves finished 16-for-26 from 3-point range en route to a season-high point total and matched the second-largest winning margin on the road in franchise history. Martin finished with 18 points, Brewer tallied 15 and Ricky Rubio dealt eight assists for Minnesota. Thaddeus Young's 20 points led the Sixers, who saw their four-game winning streak halted.

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**Previous Game: Saturday, Jan. 4 – Oklahoma City 115, Minnesota 111**

Kevin Durant scored 23 of his season-high 48 points in the fourth quarter as Oklahoma City rallied from a 13-point deficit to edge the Timberwolves, 115-111, on Saturday night at Target Center. Minnesota led 30-26 after one quarter behind eight points apiece from Kevin Love and Nikola Pekovic, but the Thunder opened the second with eight consecutive points. Neither team led by more than five until a pair of Ricky Rubio free throws sent the Wolves into halftime with a 55-49 advantage. Durant helped Oklahoma City slice an 11-point deficit to 70-67 midway through the third before Love closed the third quarter with back-to-back 3-pointers to rebuild an 87-77 cushion. Minnesota took its largest lead when Corey Brewer made it 92-79 early in the fourth before Durant erupted for 16 points during a 17-5 surge over the next three minutes. Jeremy Lamb put the Thunder in front twice down the stretch, and Durant's jumper broke a 111-111 tie with four seconds remaining. Pekovic finished with 31 points and 11 rebounds for Minnesota while Love added 30 points and 14 boards, and Rubio collected 13 points, 10 assists and five steals.

Min	Four Factors	OkC
.495	Effective FG%	.530
.133	TO Percentage	.205
.205	Off. Rebound %	.244
.191	FT Made / FG Att.	.325
Min	Scoring	OkC
21	Points off TOs	24
66	Points in the Paint	46
9	2nd-Chance Points	13
22	Fast Break Points	20

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**Tonight's Opponent: Phoenix Suns**

**2012-13 vs. Phoenix (3-1)**

Saturday, Dec. 29	at Minnesota	<b>W</b> 111-107
Tuesday, Feb. 26	at Phoenix	L83-84 (OT)
Friday, Mar. 22	at Phoenix	<b>W</b> 117-86
Saturday, Apr. 13	at Minnesota	<b>W</b> 105-93

The Dec. 29 victory halted a six-game home losing streak vs. Phoenix. The Wolves are 4-2 in the past six overall after dropping nine in a row.

**First Meeting:** Nikola Pekovic scored 28 points and Kevin Love added 23 with 18 rebounds as the Timberwolves closed 2012 with a 111-107 win over Phoenix on Dec. 29 at Target Center. Andrei Kirilenko tallied 20 points and Alexey Shved dished 10 assists for Minnesota, while Luis Scola led the Suns with 33 points, Shannon Brown added 21 and Goran Dragic handed out 12 assists.

**Second Meeting:** Marcin Gortat forced OT with a late basket as Phoenix squandered an 18-point lead before edging the Wolves, 84-83, on Feb. 26 at the US Airways Center. Derrick Williams led Minnesota with 21 points and 12 rebounds while Nikola Pekovic put in 18 points and 12 boards.

**Third Meeting:** Andrei Kirilenko's 20 points led seven double-figure scorers and the Timberwolves posted the second-biggest road win in club history with a 117-86 triumph over Phoenix on Mar. 22 at US Airways Center. Ricky Rubio finished with 12 points, eight assists and five steals for Minnesota, while Luis Scola topped the Suns with 17 points and 12 rebounds.

**Fourth Meeting:** Ricky Rubio collected a career-high 24 points, 10 assists and five steals, and J.J. Barea added 16 points to lead the Timberwolves to a 105-93 victory over Phoenix on Apr. 13 at Target Center. Minnesota equaled a club single-game record with 17 steals. Markieff Morris led the Suns with 20 points and Goran Dragic contributed 10 points and 14 assists.

*Series Capsule:*

**Timberwolves vs. Suns**

*All-Time Results:*

Overall .....**31-60**  
 in Minnesota .....**18-26**  
 in Phoenix.....**13-34**  
 Preseason .....**1-2**

*Current Streaks:*

Overall ..... **Won 2**  
 Home ..... **Won 2**  
 Road ..... **Won 1**

Last Win: 105-93 at Minnesota (4/13/13)  
 Last Loss: 83-84 OT at Phoenix (2/26/13)  
 Biggest Win: 31 – 117-86 at Phoenix (3/22/13)  
 Biggest Loss: 38 – 114-152 at Phoenix (3/16/10)

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**Next Opponent: Charlotte Bobcats – Friday, Jan. 10 at Target Center**

*Series Capsule:*

**Timberwolves vs. Bobcats**

*All-Time Results:*

Overall.....**6-12**  
 in Minnesota .....**4-5**  
 in Charlotte .....**2-7**  
 Preseason .....**0-0**

*Current Streaks:*

Overall ..... **Lost 2**  
 Home ..... **Lost 1**  
 Road ..... **Lost 1**

Last Win: 88-83 at Charlotte (3/28/12)  
 Last Loss: 101-102 at Charlotte (1/26/13)  
 Biggest Win: 13 – 102-89 at Minnesota (11/19/05)  
 Biggest Loss: 20 – 89-109 at Minnesota (3/4/08)

**2012-13 vs. Charlotte (0-2)**

Wednesday, Nov. 14	at Minnesota	L87-89
Saturday, Jan. 26	at Charlotte	L101-102

The Bobcats swept last year's two-game series and have won 10 of the past 13 meetings overall. The teams will square off Mar. 14 in Charlotte.

**First Meeting:** Kemba Walker had 22 points, including the game-winning jumper with 0.7 seconds left, as Charlotte held off the Timberwolves, 89-87, on Nov. 14 at Target Center. Ramon Sessions tallied 18 points and Byron Mullens grabbed 15 rebounds for the Bobcats. Andrei Kirilenko led Minnesota with 26 points and 12 rebounds, while Luke Ridnour netted 16 points and 10 assists.

**Second Meeting:** Kemba Walker tallied 25 points and eight assists, and Gerald Henderson's 3-pointer with 4.6 seconds left helped Charlotte snap its 16-game home losing streak with a 102-101 victory over the Timberwolves on Jan. 26 at Time Warner Cable Arena. Ramon Sessions had 23 points for the Bobcats while Luke Ridnour led Minnesota with 22 points and seven rebounds.

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## Miscellaneous Team Notes:

### 2013-14 STARTING LINEUPS:

Game #s	Forward	Forward	Center	Guard	Guard	Record
1-8,10-19,21-24,26-34	Brewer	Love	Pekovic	Rubio	Martin	16-15
9, 25	Hummel	Love	Pekovic	Rubio	Brewer	1-1
20	Brewer	Mbah a Mouté	Pekovic	Rubio	Martin	0-1

### BY THE NUMBERS: The Wolves are...

- **17-10** when scoring 100+ points
- **0-7** when scoring less than 100 points
- **15-7** when shooting 42%+
- **2-10** when shooting less than 42%
- **6-15** when allowing 100+ points
- **11-2** when allowing less than 100 points
- **8-16** when allowing 45%+
- **9-1** when allowing less than 45%
- **11-1** when outshooting their foe or even
- **6-16** when being outshot
- **14-11** when outrebounding their foe or tied
- **3-6** when being outrebounded
- **15-9** when committing <17 TOs
- **2-8** when committing 17+ TOs
- **16-6** when leading or tied after 3 quarters
- **1-11** when trailing after 3 quarters
- **11-6** in games decided by 10+ points
- **6-11** in games decided by <10 points

### 2013-14 TIMBERWOLVES LEADERS (through Jan. 6):

(\*Triple-Double)

	TIMES LED TEAM			DOUBLE FIGURES					DOUBLE-DOUBLES	
	Pts	Reb	Ast	10+	20+	30+	10+	10+	Pt/	Pt/
				Pts	Pts	Pts	Reb	Ast	Reb	Ast
J.J. Barea.....	0	0	3	13	1	0	0	1	0	1
Corey Brewer.....	0	1	0	23	2	0	1	0	0	0
Chase Budinger.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Dante Cunningham.....	0	0	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	0
Gorgui Dieng.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Robbie Hummel.....	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
Kevin Love.....	23	30	4	33	28	10	29	0	29	0
Kevin Martin.....	10	0	0	29	16	3	1	0	1	0
Luc Richard Mbah a Mouté.....	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Shabazz Muhammad.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Nikola Pekovic.....	3	4	0	33	12	3	19	0	18	0
A.J. Price.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ricky Rubio.....	0	1	28	15	1	0	1	11	*1	6
Alexey Shved.....	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ronny Turiaf.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

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### DUNK-O-METER: Wolves players' dunk totals for 2013-14 (through Jan. 6):

Corey Brewer.....	31
Kevin Martin.....	19
Kevin Love.....	17
Nikola Pekovic.....	8
Dante Cunningham.....	6
Luc Richard Mbah a Mouté.....	3
Alexey Shved.....	3
Gorgui Dieng.....	1
J.J. Barea.....	0
Ricky Rubio.....	0

**PODOLOFF PONDERINGS:** Kevin Love poured in a season-high 45 points with 19 rebounds and six assists Dec. 22 at the Clippers; he's registered eight of the league's dozen 25/15/5 performances this season. A look at some of the NBA's early MVP candidates for 2013-14 (through Jan. 6):

Player	Team	PER	G	Min	FG%	3Pt%	FT%	Reb	Ast	Stl	Blk	Pts
Kevin Durant, OkC.....		29.14	34	37.6	.496	.420	.884	8.3	4.9	1.50	0.85	29.0
LeBron James, Mia.....		29.05	33	36.3	.588	.405	.751	6.8	6.6	1.27	0.33	25.3
<b>Kevin Love, Min.....</b>		<b>28.42</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>36.4</b>	<b>.470</b>	<b>.388</b>	<b>.816</b>	<b>13.3</b>	<b>4.2</b>	<b>0.91</b>	<b>0.39</b>	<b>26.4</b>
Chris Paul, LA-C.....		27.62	34	34.6	.464	.356	.870	4.6	11.2	2.44	0.09	19.6
Dirk Nowitzki, Dal.....		23.12	33	32.9	.489	.410	.898	5.9	3.0	1.06	0.73	20.9
Paul George, Ind.....		22.89	33	36.5	.461	.384	.862	6.1	3.6	1.94	0.27	23.2
Stephen Curry, G.S.....		22.84	33	37.5	.445	.405	.863	4.7	9.6	1.91	0.30	23.0
LaMarcus Aldridge, Por.....		22.35	34	37.0	.470	.000	.804	11.1	2.9	0.91	0.97	23.3
James Harden, Hou.....		21.40	29	38.7	.445	.323	.852	4.9	5.2	1.24	0.52	24.4
Tony Parker, S.A.....		20.09	31	30.8	.507	.471	.770	2.5	6.2	0.55	0.03	17.7

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**INSIDE THE BOX SCORE:** The Wolves racked up 72 paint points Dec. 18 vs. Portland, including 54 in the 1st half -- the highest total for any half in the NBA since Vancouver poured in 54 before halftime vs. Denver on Mar. 21, 1997. The 72 points are also a franchise single-game best dating to the 1996-97 season. A look at some of Minnesota's key figures to date (through Jan. 6):

Last 5 Games	FG Pct.	FTAs	Reb	TO	Pts off TOs	Paint Pts	Fast Break	2nd Chance	Bench Pts
	Min-Opp	Min-Opp	Margin	Margin	Min-Opp	Min-Opp	Min-Opp	Min-Opp	Min-Opp
12/28 @ Milwaukee	47.8%-44.9%	29-17	Min +9	Min +2	25-12	44-44	9-15	17-16	29-35
12/30 vs. Dallas	45.6%-47.7%	23-14	Min +7	Min -7	11-19	42-48	15-12	12- 8	5-26
1/1 vs. New Orleans	55.7%-51.7%	35-22	Even	Min +3	16-19	54-62	23-27	9-11	42-39
1/4 vs. Oklahoma City	45.7%-48.2%	29-28	Min -5	Min +7	21-24	66-46	22-20	9-13	5-40
1/6 @ Philadelphia	46.0%-47.5%	23-16	Min +13	Min +10	30-11	46-44	14-16	19- 2	47-33
<b>Season Averages</b>	<b>43.4%-47.5%</b>	<b>27.4-18.0</b>	<b>Min +2.4</b>	<b>Min +2.9</b>	<b>19.5-15.5</b>	<b>46.4-46.5</b>	<b>15.9-15.6</b>	<b>15.9-12.7</b>	<b>23.7-35.3</b>

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### 2013-14 TIMBERWOLVES PLUS/MINUS REPORT:

Last 5 Games	Wolves	Barea	Brewer	Cunningham	Dieng	Hummel	Love	Martin	Mbah Mouté	Pekovic	Rubio	Shved	Turiaf
12/28 @ Milwaukee	W22	-7	+15	+3	+2	+3	+33	+21	-6	+14	+27	+1	INJ
12/30 vs. Dallas	L2	-6	+10	0	DNP	+7	-3	-4	-14	-1	+4	-3	INJ
1/1 vs. New Orleans	W12	-1	+17	+4	-5	-11	+21	+20	+6	+9	+18	-8	INJ
1/4 vs. Oklahoma City	L4	-12	-1	-10	DNP	-1	-4	+7	INJ	+6	+8	-13	INJ
1/6 @ Philadelphia	W31	+3	+26	+4	+2	+5	+28	+19	INJ	+19	+22	+16	+9
<b>Season Totals:</b>	<b>+162</b>	<b>-9</b>	<b>+191</b>	<b>-33</b>	<b>-32</b>	<b>+24</b>	<b>+263</b>	<b>+136</b>	<b>-12</b>	<b>+134</b>	<b>+185</b>	<b>-7</b>	<b>+15</b>
<b>Per Game:</b>	<b>+4.8</b>	<b>-0.3</b>	<b>+5.6</b>	<b>-1.0</b>	<b>-1.7</b>	<b>+0.9</b>	<b>+8.0</b>	<b>+4.3</b>	<b>-0.8</b>	<b>+3.9</b>	<b>+5.4</b>	<b>-0.2</b>	<b>+5.0</b>
<b>Per 48 Minutes:</b>	<b>+4.7</b>	<b>-0.7</b>	<b>+8.3</b>	<b>-2.4</b>	<b>-15.1</b>	<b>+3.8</b>	<b>+10.5</b>	<b>+6.1</b>	<b>-2.2</b>	<b>+5.6</b>	<b>+8.2</b>	<b>-1.0</b>	<b>+17.5</b>

**THE BREAKDOWN:** Some quick comparisons of Minnesota's 2013-14 numbers to date:

	----- Records -----			----- Wolves -----			----- Opponents -----			----- Margins -----		
	Total	Home	Road	Pts	FG%	3Pt%	Pts	FG%	3Pt%	Pts	Reb	TO
2013-14 (thru 34 games).....	17-17	10-6	7-11	107.4	.434	.346	102.6	.475	.356	+4.8	+2.4	+2.9
2012-13 (thru 34 games).....	16-18	10-5	6-13	95.2	.429	.296	96.4	.454	.356	-1.2	+4.5	-1.0
2011-12 (thru 34 games).....	17-17	10-10	7-7	96.8	.430	.322	95.6	.438	.352	+1.2	+2.5	-1.8
Last 6 Games.....	4-2	2-2	2-0	116.0	.482	.408	102.5	.476	.318	+13.5	+5.5	+3.8
Previous 6 Games.....	2-4	1-0	1-4	105.8	.426	.348	107.3	.478	.342	-1.5	+3.3	+0.5
At Target Center.....		10-6		108.7	.439	.325	101.8	.465	.350	+6.9	+2.8	+3.7
On the Road.....			7-11	106.3	.431	.362	103.4	.484	.361	+2.9	+2.1	+2.2
vs. .500+ Opponents.....	5-12	3-6	2-6	104.1	.424	.324	106.8	.492	.364	-2.7	+1.5	+1.4
vs. <.500 Opponents.....	12-5	7-0	5-5	110.7	.445	.367	98.5	.458	.346	+12.2	+3.2	+4.4
In Wins.....	17-0	10-0	7-0	114.5	.465	.408	97.6	.447	.331	+16.9	+4.2	+4.3
In Losses.....	0-17	0-6	0-11	100.4	.405	.285	107.7	.504	.384	-7.4	+0.5	+1.5
vs. Western Conference.....	7-12	4-5	3-7	107.2	.445	.344	106.9	.485	.367	+0.3	+1.8	+1.1
vs. Eastern Conference.....	10-4	6-1	4-4	107.7	.422	.348	97.3	.462	.340	+10.4	+3.1	+5.3
1+ Days Rest.....	14-11	8-5	6-6	109.0	.446	.361	103.1	.471	.344	+5.9	+2.9	+1.8
0 Days Rest.....	3-6	2-1	1-5	103.0	.404	.309	101.3	.487	.390	+1.7	+1.0	+6.0

**HIT THE GROUND RUNNING:** Minnesota outscored the Lakers 47-23 in the opening 12 minutes on Nov. 10, marking the highest-scoring quarter in franchise history. *The Wolves lead the NBA in 1st-quarter scoring, tallying 29.1 points (47.3%) through 34 starts;* Dallas (27.6 points) and Houston (26.9) rank 2nd and 3rd, respectively. A quarter-by-quarter look at 2013-14 to date for Minnesota:

	1st Qtr	2nd Qtr	1st Half	3rd Qtr	4th Qtr	2nd Half	Game
through Jan. 6	Pts / FG%	Pts / FG%	Pts / FG%	Pts / FG%	Pts / FG%	Pts / FG%	Pts / FG%
Timberwolves.....	29.1 / 47.3%	26.7 / 42.0%	55.8 / 44.7%	28.1 / 45.1%	22.7 / 38.9%	50.8 / 42.1%	107.4 / 43.4%
Opponents.....	26.0 / 48.4%	25.6 / 49.0%	51.6 / 48.7%	25.3 / 47.9%	25.0 / 44.8%	50.3 / 46.4%	102.6 / 47.5%
Scoring Margins.....	(+3.2 pts)	(+1.1 pts)	(+4.2 pts)	(+2.7 pts)	(-2.2 pts)	(+0.5 pts)	(+4.8 pts)

**THE 30-30 CLUB:** Kevin Love poured in 45 points with 19 rebounds and six assists, and Nikola Pekovic added a career-high 34 points and 14 rebounds Dec. 22 at the Clippers. It's one of 21 times in franchise history -- including four this season -- that two players have tallied 30+ points in the same contest; *the 79 combined points represent the top single-game haul ever for a Wolves duo:* (^Playoff game)

Date	Opponent	Final	Players/Points	Date	Opponent	Final	Players/Points
1/4/14	Oklahoma City	L111-115	Pekovic 31, Love 30	12/5/03	@ Sacramento	W112-109 (ot)	Sprewell 37, Garnett 33
12/22/13	@ L.A. Clippers	L116-120 (ot)	Love 45, Pekovic 34	4/22/03	L.A. Lakers^	W119-91	Hudson 37, Garnett 35
11/8/13	Dallas	W116-108	Love 32, Martin 32	1/30/03	@ Dallas	L109-112	Garnett 31, Hudson 31
11/3/13	@ New York	W109-100	Love 34, Martin 30	2/27/02	L.A. Lakers	W112-101	Garnett 33, Billups 30
2/17/12	@ Houston	W111-98	Love 33, Pekovic 30	2/19/02	@ Dallas	W117-100	Billups 36, Szczerbak 31
1/26/11	Oklahoma City	L117-118 (ot)	Love 31, Beasley 30	1/11/02	L.A. Lakers	W120-102	Szczerbiak 34, Garnett 32
11/12/10	New York	W112-103	Beasley 35, Love 31	3/30/97	@ Golden State	W113-102	Garnett 33, Gugliotta 31
3/4/07	@ Boston	L117-124 (2ot)	Davis 35, Garnett 33	1/2/91	Dallas	W119-95	Campbell 32, Richardson 31
4/18/04	Denver^	W106-92	Cassell 40, Garnett 30	11/12/89	Seattle	L97-108	Mitchell 31, Campbell 30
2/8/04	Memphis	L98-99	Cassell 34, Garnett 30	11/10/89	Philadelphia	W125-118 (2ot)	Campbell 38, Corbin 36
12/23/03	@ New York	W98-92	Cassell 31, Sprewell 31				

**ONE-TWO-ZERO:** The Wolves rang up 126 points Monday at Philadelphia, their top single-game total in regulation since winning 127-124 at Phoenix on Mar. 12, 2012. *It's the seventh time Minnesota has tallied 120+ points this year,* the most for a single season in franchise history and the most in the NBA for 2013-14. A look at some of the Wolves' scoring exploits to date (through Jan. 6);

Most 120+ Point Games, Season		Most 20+ Point Victories, Season		Most Points Per Game, Season	
Timberwolves	2013-14 NBA	Timberwolves	2013-14 NBA	PPG	Timberwolves
7	2013-14	7	Minnesota	107.4	2013-14 (34 games)
6	2010-11	4	L.A. Clippers	101.1	1997-98 (82 games)
6	1991-92	4	Philadelphia	101.1	2010-11 (82 games)
4	MR: 2011-12	3	Miami/N.O./Port.	100.5	1991-92 (82 games)

**BREWER'S BLEND:** Corey Brewer currently ranks 7th in the NBA in fast break scoring by tallying 5.1 ppg in that category. Meanwhile, Nikola Pekovic (5.4 ppg) and Kevin Love (4.8 ppg) rank 1-3 in second-chance scoring, and Kevin Martin is 3rd on the league leader board for points off TOs (4.7 ppg). A look at the NBA leaders in each of the four miscellaneous scoring charts (through Jan. 6):

Fast Break PPG	2nd-Chance PPG	In the Paint PPG	Off Turnovers PPG
5.92 Russell Westbrook, OkC	5.35 Nikola Pekovic, Min.	13.4 DeMarcus Cousins, Sac.	5.00 Paul George, Ind.
5.91 LeBron James, Mia.	4.88 Andre Drummond, Det.	13.4 Nikola Pekovic, Min.	4.91 LeBron James, Mia.
5.77 John Wall, Was.	4.85 Kevin Love, Min.	13.3 David Lee, G.S.	4.66 Kevin Martin, Min.
5.59 Goran Dragic, Pho.	4.63 Carmelo Anthony, N.Y.	13.0 LeBron James, Mia.	4.53 Carmelo Anthony, N.Y.
5.31 James Harden, Hou.	4.26 DeMarcus Cousins, Sac.	12.5 Dwight Howard, Hou.	4.53 Kevin Durant, OkC

**WOLF TRACKS:** Minnesota completed a sweep of its two-game season set vs. Philadelphia with Monday's 126-95 victory, its fourth win in six starts to once again reach .500 (17-17)... The Wolves haven't been above .500 since the 98-84 loss at Indiana on Nov. 25 dropped them to 8-8... Monday's final 31-point spread equals the 2nd-largest road win in franchise history and marks the 14th victory by 30+ overall (second this year, having downed Brooklyn 111-81 on Nov. 22 at Target Center)... Minnesota wrapped up its first three-game homestand of the season with Saturday's 115-111 loss to Oklahoma City... The Wolves built a 13-point, 4th-quarter advantage before faltering, the third time they've let a double-digit lead slip away... It's the sixth game Minnesota has lost this year when leading or tied after three; they tumble to 0-9 in games decided by four points or fewer... The homestand began with a 100-98 loss to Dallas on Dec. 30 and continued with the 124-112 triumph over New Orleans on New Year's Day... The Wolves posted their second 22-point win in as many nights with the 117-95 verdict at Milwaukee on Dec. 28; they notched a 120-98 victory over Washington on Dec. 27... Minnesota completed a winless weekend in Los Angeles with the 120-116 OT loss at the Clippers on Dec. 22; L.A. has beaten the Wolves three times (by a combined 10 points) this season... Minnesota began the trip with a 104-91 loss to the Lakers on Dec. 20... The Wolves posted a 120-109 win over Portland on Dec. 18, beating the Blazers for only the third time in their past 24... Minnesota completed its first three-game trip with the 101-97 loss at Boston on Dec. 16; the swing began with a 117-110 defeat in San Antonio on Dec. 13 and continued with a 101-93 win at Memphis on Dec. 15... The Wolves overcame a 19-point, 2nd-quarter deficit to beat Philadelphia, 106-99, on Dec. 11, their lone double-digit comeback of the year... Oklahoma City made up an 11-point deficit to beat Minnesota, 113-103, on Dec. 1; the Wolves built a 16-point, 2nd-quarter advantage before falling, 104-100, on Nov. 19 at Washington...

**SCHEDULE NOTES:** Tonight's contest is the fifth in a 12-day stretch that sees the Wolves play five of six at Target Center; six of their previous eight games were on the road... Minnesota's January slate features 15 games, nine of which are vs. teams currently below .500... The Dec. 7 loss to Miami concluded a run of six straight games vs. teams with .500+ records; Minnesota went 1-5 in that stretch, with four of the losses by double-figure spreads... The Dec. 28 win at Milwaukee wrapped up the ninth of 20 back-to-back sets this year... They're 3-6 on the tail ends of back-to-backs; the next one isn't until Jan. 17-18... The Dec. 11 win over Philadelphia capped a string of three in a row vs. Eastern Conference opponents for Minnesota; eight of their past 12 wins have come against Eastern foes...

**ON TARGET:** Minnesota shot a season-high 55.7% on Jan. 1 vs. New Orleans, its third 50%+ effort of the year and first since hitting 50.6% at Dallas on Nov. 30 (14 games)... The Wolves have seen their accuracy climb to 48.0% (while averaging 116.0 ppg) in the past seven games, after hitting just 40.9% in the previous 15... Minnesota finished at 29.3% in the Dec. 7 loss to Miami, the lowest single-game percentage in franchise history... Overall, the Wolves rank 24th in the NBA at 43.4% but 2nd in scoring (107.4 ppg) behind Portland; the club single-season record for scoring average is 101.1 ppg, set in 1997-98... At the other end, Miami's 55.1% effort on Dec. 7 was on the heels of a 56.3% night by Oklahoma City on Dec. 1 (the top percentage vs. Minnesota this year)... The Wolves have allowed 50%+ in nine of their past 20 starts (two in the first 14); Minnesota's defensive percentage has jumped to 49.2% in those 20... They rank last in the NBA in defensive FG percentage (47.5%), as well as 26th in scoring defense (102.6 ppg)...

**THIEVERY CORPORATION:** The 13-steal effort Monday at Philadelphia is the 17th time in 34 games the Wolves have reached double digits; they registered 29 such games a year ago, which was their top single-season total since 2000-01... Ricky Rubio and Corey Brewer have combined for 155 steals, the most-prolific duo in the NBA this year (Chris Paul/Darren Collison are 2nd with 123)... Philadelphia's 26 TOs on Dec. 11 are the most the Wolves have forced this year and one of 13 times they've generated 20+... Minnesota is 3rd in the NBA in steals (9.41 spg); the club record is 9.62 spg, set in 1989-90... The Wolves committed a season-low 5 TOs Dec. 27 vs. Washington; they've sliced their TOs to 13.5 per game in the last 12, including a seven-TO night on Dec. 16 at Boston and a nine-TO outing Dec. 15 at Memphis... Minnesota stands 7th in fewest TOs (14.3 per game) and 2nd in TOs forced (17.2)...

**THE BOARD REPORT:** Minnesota outrebounded the Sixers 53-40 on Monday, its biggest margin of the season and third double-digit spread overall... Oklahoma City posted a 45-40 advantage on Saturday, the first time Minnesota has come up short at home since Nov. 6 vs. Golden State and just the third time in the past 19 games they've been outboarded... The recent surge has boosted the Wolves into 3rd place in total rebound pct (.524); they're also 3rd in offensive rebound pct (.294) and 9th in defensive rebound pct (.753)... Minnesota was on the short end of a 54-44 count on Nov. 23 at Houston, the largest deficit they've faced this year... The Wolves have compiled a +2.4 rpg edge for the year (46.0-43.6), but have bumped that to +4.8 rpg (46.5-41.7) in the past 19 games...

**THREES & FREES:** The Wolves went 16-for-26 from long range Monday at Philadelphia, a season high for makes; Minnesota is 16-7 when hitting 7+ three-pointers (1-10 when fewer than seven)... They've hiked their three-point accuracy to 38.1% (120-for-315) over the past 14 games (going 8-6), after slipping to 28.5% (57-for-200) in the previous eight... The Wolves rank 12th in three-pointers made (8.1 per game) and 22nd in three-point accuracy (34.6%)... At the other end, Houston's 17 treys made on Nov. 23 equal the 3rd-highest total ever vs. Minnesota; however, they're allowing just 32.8% from long range in the last 15 (45.6% in the previous eight)... Minnesota went 31-for-38 from the line Dec. 27 vs. Washington, setting a season high for makes; the Wolves rank 3rd by averaging 27.4 FTAs per night... They also rank 2nd in the NBA in FTs made per game (21.6), 4th in FT accuracy (79.0%) and 3rd in fouls drawn (22.8)... At the other end, Minnesota's opponents are attempting just 18.0 FTs per night, the fewest in the NBA (San Antonio is 2nd at 18.9)...

**ONE FOR THE BOOKS:** The Wolves erupted for 47 points in the 1st quarter of the Nov. 10 win over the Lakers, the highest-scoring quarter in franchise history... Previously, Minnesota had scored 46 on two occasions: Dec. 26, 1997 vs. New Jersey (4th quarter) and Apr. 19, 1992 vs. Charlotte (2nd quarter)... It's the 28th time in NBA history that a team has scored 47+ points in a 1st quarter, and the first since Denver poured in 48 vs. Seattle (en route to a 168-116 victory) on Mar. 16, 2008... The 24-point lead enjoyed by the Wolves after 12 minutes equals the 2nd-most-lopsided quarter in franchise annals; the top performance in that category occurred on Feb. 7, 2001 at Target Center, when Minnesota led Sacramento 41-10 at the end of one period (a 117-88 victory)...

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### Season Superlatives (through Jan. 6)

#### Wolves Individual Highs:

Points .....	<b>45</b>
Field Goals Made .....	<b>16</b>
Field Goals Attempted.....	<b>28</b>
Field Goal Percentage (Min. 10 FGM).....	<b>.769</b>
3-Point Field Goals Made.....	<b>8</b>
3-Point Field Goals Attempted.....	<b>11</b>
Free Throws Made .....	<b>13</b>
Free Throws Attempted.....	<b>16</b>
Free Throw Percentage (Min. 10 FTM) .....	<b>1.000</b>
Total Rebounds.....	<b>19</b>
Offensive Rebounds.....	<b>10</b>
Defensive Rebounds .....	<b>16</b>
Assists.....	<b>16</b>
Steals .....	<b>6</b>
Turnovers .....	<b>7</b>
Blocked Shots .....	<b>3</b>
Minutes Played.....	<b>46:09</b>

Kevin Love at L.A. Clippers (12/22/13) OT  
 Nikola Pekovic at L.A. Clippers (12/22/13) OT  
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**(10-13)** Nikola Pekovic at Dallas (11/30/13)  
 Kevin Love at San Antonio (12/13/13)  
 Kevin Love at Boston (12/16/13)  
 Kevin Love at L.A. Clippers (12/22/13) OT  
 Kevin Love vs. Orlando (10/30/13) OT  
**(11-11)** Kevin Martin vs. Denver (11/27/13)  
 Kevin Love at L.A. Clippers (11/11/13);  
     Kevin Love at L.A. Clippers (12/22/13) OT  
 Nikola Pekovic at L.A. Lakers (12/20/13)  
 Kevin Love at L.A. Clippers (12/22/13) OT  
 Ricky Rubio vs. Cleveland (11/13/13)  
 Corey Brewer at Cleveland (11/4/13);  
     Ricky Rubio at Milwaukee (12/28/13)  
 (3x) *MR*: Kevin Love vs. Oklahoma City (1/4/14)  
 (4x) *MR*: Kevin Love at Memphis (12/15/13)  
 Nikola Pekovic at L.A. Clippers (12/22/13) OT

#### Opponent Individual Highs:

Points .....	<b>48</b>
Field Goals Made .....	<b>16</b>
Field Goals Attempted.....	<b>32</b>
Field Goal Percentage (Min. 10 FGM).....	<b>.769</b>
3-Point Field Goals Made.....	<b>7</b>
3-Point Field Goals Attempted.....	<b>14</b>
Free Throws Made .....	<b>12</b>
Free Throws Attempted.....	<b>13</b>
Free Throw Percentage (Min. 10 FTM) .....	<b>.923</b>
Total Rebounds.....	<b>17</b>
Offensive Rebounds.....	<b>9</b>
Defensive Rebounds .....	<b>13</b>
Assists.....	<b>16</b>
Steals .....	<b>5</b>
Turnovers .....	<b>9</b>
Blocked Shots .....	<b>4</b>
Minutes Played.....	<b>45:40</b>

Kevin Durant vs. Oklahoma City (1/4/14)  
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**(10-13)** Dirk Nowitzki at Dallas (11/30/13)  
 Damian Lillard vs. Portland (12/18/13)  
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 Kevin Durant vs. Oklahoma City (1/4/14)  
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**(12-13)** Kevin Durant vs. Oklahoma City (1/4/14)  
 Carmelo Anthony at New York (11/3/13);  
     DeAndre Jordan at L.A. Clippers (12/22/13) OT  
 DeAndre Jordan at L.A. Clippers (12/22/13) OT  
 David Lee vs. Golden State (11/6/13)  
 John Wall at Washington (11/19/13)  
 George Hill at Indiana (11/25/13)  
 Kyrie Irving at Cleveland (11/4/13);  
     Evan Turner vs. Philadelphia (12/11/13)  
 (4x) *MR*: Anthony Davis vs. New Orleans (1/1/14)  
 Nikola Vucevic vs. Orlando (10/30/13) OT

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### Season Superlatives (through Jan. 6)

#### Wolves Highs:

Points, Game .....	<b>126</b>	at Philadelphia (1/6/14)
Points, 1st Half .....	<b>70</b>	(2x) <i>MR</i> : at Philadelphia (1/6/14)
Points, 2nd Half .....	<b>63</b>	vs. New Orleans (1/1/14)
Points, 1st Quarter .....	<b>47</b>	at L.A. Lakers (11/10/13)
Points, 2nd Quarter .....	<b>39</b>	vs. Washington (12/27/13)
Points, 3rd Quarter .....	<b>39</b>	at Milwaukee (12/28/13)
Points, 4th Quarter .....	<b>32</b>	(2x) <i>MR</i> : vs. Washington (12/27/13)
Points, Overtime.....	<b>17</b>	vs. Orlando (10/30/13)
Field Goals Made .....	<b>46</b>	(3x) <i>MR</i> : at Philadelphia (1/6/14)
Field Goals Attempted.....	<b>100</b>	(3x) <i>MR</i> : at Philadelphia (1/6/14)
Field Goal Percentage.....	<b>.557</b>	<b>(44-79)</b> vs. New Orleans (1/1/14)
3-Pt Field Goals Made.....	<b>16</b>	at Philadelphia (1/6/14)
3-Pt Field Goals Attempted .....	<b>36</b>	vs. Brooklyn (11/22/13)
3-Pt Field Goal Percentage .....	<b>.615</b>	<b>(16-26)</b> at Philadelphia (1/6/14)
Free Throws Made .....	<b>31</b>	vs. Washington (12/27/13)
Free Throws Attempted.....	<b>39</b>	vs. Miami (12/7/13)
Free Throw Percentage.....	<b>.893</b>	<b>(25-28)</b> vs. Denver (11/27/13)
Total Rebounds.....	<b>54</b>	at L.A. Clippers (12/22/13) OT
Offensive Rebounds.....	<b>22</b>	at L.A. Lakers (12/20/13)
Defensive Rebounds.....	<b>41</b>	(3x) <i>MR</i> : vs. Portland (12/18/13)
Assists.....	<b>34</b>	vs. Cleveland (11/13/13)
Steals .....	<b>16</b>	at Cleveland (11/4/13)
Turnovers .....	<b>21</b>	(2x) <i>MR</i> : at Clippers (12/22/13) OT
Blocked Shots .....	<b>6</b>	(4x) <i>MR</i> : at Philadelphia (1/6/14)
Personal Fouls .....	<b>25</b>	at L.A. Clippers (11/11/13)

#### Wolves Lows:

<b>82</b>	vs. Miami (12/7/13)
<b>38</b>	at Cleveland (11/4/13)
<b>37</b>	at Washington (11/19/13)
<b>18</b>	at Houston (11/23/13)
<b>15</b>	at Cleveland (11/4/13)
<b>18</b>	(2x) <i>MR</i> : vs. Miami (12/7/13)
<b>12</b>	vs. Oklahoma City (11/1/13)
<b>10</b>	at L.A. Clippers (12/22/13)
<b>24</b>	vs. Miami (12/7/13)
<b>77</b>	vs. Oklahoma City (11/1/13)
<b>.293</b>	<b>(24-82)</b> vs. Miami (12/7/13)
<b>3</b>	at Indiana (11/25/13)
<b>15</b>	vs. Washington (12/27/13)
<b>.158</b>	<b>(3-19)</b> at Indiana (11/25/13)
<b>13</b>	at Houston (11/23/13)
<b>17</b>	at Houston (11/23/13)
<b>.577</b>	<b>(15-26)</b> at Boston (12/16/13)
<b>37</b>	vs. New Orleans (1/1/14)
<b>8</b>	vs. Cleveland (11/13/13)
<b>26</b>	at Houston (11/23/13)
<b>13</b>	vs. Miami (12/7/13)
<b>4</b>	at L.A. Clippers (12/22/13) OT
<b>5</b>	vs. Washington (12/27/13)
<b>0</b>	(2x) <i>MR</i> : at Boston (12/16/13)
<b>9</b>	at Dallas (11/30/13)

#### Opponent Highs:

Points, Game .....	<b>120</b>	at L.A. Clippers (12/22/13) OT
Points, 1st Half .....	<b>64</b>	vs. Denver (11/27/13)
Points, 2nd Half .....	<b>66</b>	(2x) <i>MR</i> : vs. Oklahoma City (1/4/14)
Points, 1st Quarter .....	<b>39</b>	vs. Philadelphia (12/11/13)
Points, 2nd Quarter .....	<b>36</b>	(2x) <i>MR</i> : vs. Denver (11/27/13)
Points, 3rd Quarter .....	<b>35</b>	vs. Portland (12/18/13)
Points, 4th Quarter .....	<b>39</b>	vs. New Orleans (1/1/14)
Points, Overtime.....	<b>14</b>	at L.A. Clippers (12/22/13)
Field Goals Made .....	<b>49</b>	at Oklahoma City (12/1/13)
Field Goals Attempted.....	<b>100</b>	vs. Orlando (10/30/13) OT
Field Goal Percentage.....	<b>.563</b>	<b>(49-87)</b> at Oklahoma City (12/1/13)
3-Pt Field Goals Made.....	<b>17</b>	at Houston (11/23/13)
3-Pt Field Goals Attempted .....	<b>40</b>	vs. Portland (12/18/13)
3-Pt Field Goal Percentage .....	<b>.548</b>	<b>(17-31)</b> at Houston (11/23/13)
Free Throws Made .....	<b>27</b>	vs. Oklahoma City (1/4/14)
Free Throws Attempted.....	<b>28</b>	(2x) <i>MR</i> : vs. Oklahoma City (1/4/14)
Free Throw Percentage.....	<b>1.000</b>	<b>(15-15)</b> at Washington (11/19/13)
Total Rebounds.....	<b>54</b>	(2x) <i>MR</i> : at Houston (11/23/13)
Offensive Rebounds.....	<b>16</b>	(3x) <i>MR</i> : at Milwaukee (12/28/13)
Defensive Rebounds.....	<b>43</b>	at Houston (11/23/13)
Assists.....	<b>33</b>	vs. Dallas (12/30/13)
Steals .....	<b>14</b>	at L.A. Clippers (12/22/13) OT
Turnovers .....	<b>26</b>	vs. Philadelphia (12/11/13)
Blocked Shots .....	<b>12</b>	at Cleveland (11/4/13)
Personal Fouls .....	<b>29</b>	(3x) <i>MR</i> : vs. Oklahoma City (1/4/14)

#### Opponent Lows:

<b>81</b>	(2x) <i>MR</i> : vs. Brooklyn (11/22/13)
<b>37</b>	vs. Brooklyn (11/22/13)
<b>38</b>	(4x) <i>MR</i> : vs. Dallas (12/30/13)
<b>14</b>	vs. Brooklyn (11/22/13)
<b>16</b>	at L.A. Lakers (12/20/13)
<b>18</b>	at San Antonio (12/13/13)
<b>14</b>	at L.A. Lakers (11/10/13)
<b>12</b>	vs. Orlando (10/30/13)
<b>29</b>	vs. Oklahoma City (11/1/13)
<b>74</b>	vs. Philadelphia (12/11/13)
<b>.349</b>	<b>(29-83)</b> vs. Oklahoma City (11/1/13)
<b>4</b>	(2x) <i>MR</i> : vs. Miami (12/7/13)
<b>15</b>	(3x) <i>MR</i> : at Memphis (12/15/13)
<b>.222</b>	<b>(4-18)</b> vs. Miami (12/7/13)
<b>6</b>	at Oklahoma City (12/1/13)
<b>9</b>	at Oklahoma City (12/1/13)
<b>.500</b>	<b>(8-16)</b> at Detroit (12/10/13)
<b>35</b>	vs. Washington (12/27/13)
<b>4</b>	at Philadelphia (1/6/14)
<b>24</b>	(2x) <i>MR</i> : vs. New Orleans (1/1/14)
<b>7</b>	vs. Brooklyn (11/22/13)
<b>3</b>	(2x) <i>MR</i> : vs. Washington (12/27/13)
<b>10</b>	at Memphis (12/15/13)
<b>1</b>	(3x) <i>MR</i> : vs. Washington (12/27/13)
<b>16</b>	(2x) <i>MR</i> : at Houston (11/23/13)

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### Top Individual Performances (through Jan. 6)

#### POINTS

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33 Kevin Love, 12/28 at Mil.  
33 Kevin Love, 11/13 vs. Cle.  
32 Kevin Love, 11/8 vs. Dal.  
32 Kevin Martin, 11/8 vs. Dal.  
31 Nikola Pekovic, 1/4 vs. OkC  
31 Kevin Love, 10/30 vs. Orl.

#### FIELD GOALS

16 Nikola Pekovic, 12/22 at LAC  
15 Kevin Love, 12/22 at LAC  
15 Kevin Love, 12/13 at S.A.  
14 Kevin Love, 12/30 vs. Dal.  
14 Nikola Pekovic, 12/18 vs. Por.

#### FREE THROWS

13 Kevin Love, 12/22 at LAC  
12 Kevin Love, 11/13 vs. Cle.  
12 Kevin Love, 11/3 at N.Y.  
12 Kevin Love, 10/30 vs. Orl.  
11 Kevin Martin, 11/27 vs. Den.

#### 3-PT. FIELD GOALS

8 Kevin Love, 12/13 at S.A.  
5 Kevin Love, 1/4 vs. OkC  
5 Corey Brewer, 11/13 vs. Cle.  
5 Kevin Martin, 11/4 at Cle.  
5 Kevin Martin, 11/3 at N.Y.

#### TOTAL REBOUNDS

19 Kevin Love, 12/22 at LAC  
19 Kevin Love, 11/11 at LAC  
17 Kevin Love, 11/25 at Ind.  
17 Kevin Love, 10/30 vs. Orl.  
16 Kevin Love, 12/10 at Det.  
16 Kevin Love, 11/22 vs. Bkn.  
16 Kevin Love, 11/6 vs. G.S.  
15 Kevin Love, 12/28 at Mil.  
15 Kevin Love, 12/18 vs. Por.  
15 Kevin Love, 12/11 vs. Phi.  
15 Kevin Love, 11/27 vs. Den.  
15 Kevin Love, 11/23 at Hou.  
15 Kevin Love, 11/8 vs. Dal.  
15 Kevin Love, 11/3 at N.Y.

#### OFFENSIVE REBOUNDS

10 Nikola Pekovic, 12/20 at LAL  
8 Nikola Pekovic, 12/22 at LAC  
8 Nikola Pekovic, 11/16 vs. Bos.  
7 MR: Nikola Pekovic, 12/11 vs. Phi.

#### DEFENSIVE REBOUNDS

16 Kevin Love, 12/22 at LAC  
14 Kevin Love, 11/11 at LAC  
13 MR: Kevin Love, 12/28 at Mil.

#### BLOCKED SHOTS

3 Kevin Love, 12/15 at Mem.  
3 Gorgui Dieng, 11/23 at Hou.  
3 Gorgui Dieng, 11/22 vs. Bkn.  
3 Nikola Pekovic, 11/8 vs. Dal.

#### ASSISTS

16 Ricky Rubio, 11/13 vs. Cle.  
14 Ricky Rubio, 11/10 at LAL  
13 Ricky Rubio, 12/30 vs. Dal.  
12 Ricky Rubio, 12/22 at LAC  
12 Ricky Rubio, 11/15 at Den.  
11 J.J. Barea, 12/16 at Bos.  
11 Ricky Rubio, 11/27 vs. Den.  
11 Ricky Rubio, 10/30 vs. Orl.  
10 Ricky Rubio, 1/4 vs. OkC  
10 Ricky Rubio, 11/11 at LAC  
10 Ricky Rubio, 11/3 at N.Y.  
10 Ricky Rubio, 11/1 vs. OkC

#### STEALS

6 Ricky Rubio, 12/28 at Mil.  
6 Corey Brewer, 11/4 at Cle.  
5 MR: Ricky Rubio, 1/4 vs. OkC

#### TURNOVERS

7 Kevin Love, 1/4 vs. OkC  
7 Ricky Rubio, 11/27 vs. Den.  
7 Kevin Love, 11/16 vs. Bos.  
6 Kevin Martin, 12/22 at LAC  
6 Ricky Rubio, 12/7 vs. Mia.  
6 Corey Brewer, 11/25 at Ind.

#### MINUTES PLAYED

46 Nikola Pekovic, 12/22 at LAC  
43 Kevin Love, 1/4 vs. OkC  
43 Kevin Love, 12/22 at LAC  
43 Kevin Martin, 10/30 vs. Orl.  
42 Kevin Love, 12/20 at LAL



## 2012-13 in Review:

### 2012-13 STARTING LINEUPS:

Game #s	Forward	Forward	Center	Guard	Guard	Record
1-5	Kirilenko	Williams	Pekovic	Ridnour	Roy	4-1
6	Kirilenko	Williams	Pekovic	Ridnour	Budinger	0-1
7	Kirilenko	Williams	Pekovic	Ridnour	Lee	1-0
8-9	Kirilenko	Williams	Stiemsma	Ridnour	Lee	0-2
10-13,18-19	Kirilenko	Love	Pekovic	Ridnour	Lee	3-3
14,16-17	Howard	Love	Pekovic	Ridnour	Lee	1-2
15	Howard	Love	Pekovic	Ridnour	Barea	1-0
20,22-24,26-29	Kirilenko	Love	Pekovic	Ridnour	Shved	4-4
21,30-35	Kirilenko	Cunningham	Pekovic	Ridnour	Shved	2-5
25	Shved	Kirilenko	Pekovic	Ridnour	Barea	0-1
36,42,45,51-54,64-71,73-78	Kirilenko	Williams	Pekovic	Rubio	Ridnour	9-14
37-41,72,79,81-82	Kirilenko	Williams	Stiemsma	Rubio	Ridnour	2-7
46-50	Gelabale	Williams	Pekovic	Rubio	Ridnour	1-4
55	Cunningham	Williams	Pekovic	Rubio	Ridnour	0-1
56-63	Gelabale	Williams	Stiemsma	Rubio	Ridnour	2-6
80	Kirilenko	Williams	Cunningham	Rubio	Ridnour	1-0

### BY THE NUMBERS: The Wolves were...

- **19-7** when scoring 100+ points
- **12-44** when scoring less than 100 points
- **19-14** when shooting 45%+
- **12-37** when shooting less than 45%
- **7-36** when allowing 100+ points
- **24-15** when allowing less than 100 points
- **13-39** when allowing 45%+
- **18-12** when allowing less than 45%
- **21-4** when outshooting their foe or even
- **10-47** when being outshot
- **23-15** when outrebounding their foe or tied
- **8-36** when being outrebounded
- **29-13** when leading or tied after 3 quarters
- **2-38** when trailing after 3 quarters
- **15-26** in games decided by 10+ points
- **16-25** in games decided by <10 points

### 2012-13 TIMBERWOLVES LEADERS (Final):

(\*Triple-Double)

	TIMES LED TEAM			DOUBLE FIGURES					DOUBLE-DOUBLES	
	Pts	Reb	Ast	10+	20+	30+	10+	10+	Pt/	Pt/
				Pts	Pts	Pts	Reb	Ast	Reb	Ast
J.J. Barea.....	10	0	16	49	6	0	0	2	0	1
Chase Budinger.....	2	0	0	10	0	0	0	0	0	0
Dante Cunningham.....	2	7	0	32	1	0	4	0	3	0
Mickaël Gelabale.....	1	2	0	10	0	0	0	0	0	0
Chris Johnson.....	0	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
Andrei Kirilenko.....	6	10	4	44	8	0	8	0	7	0
Malcolm Lee.....	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0
Kevin Love.....	9	16	0	15	7	2	17	0	14	0
Nikola Pekovic.....	22	24	0	52	20	1	26	0	26	0
Luke Ridnour.....	8	1	15	53	5	0	0	2	0	2
Brandon Roy.....	0	0	3	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ricky Rubio.....	5	5	42	31	4	0	2	15	*2	12
Alexey Shved.....	8	0	13	30	1	0	0	2	0	2
Greg Stiemsma.....	0	9	1	12	0	0	1	0	1	0
Derrick Williams.....	15	17	0	45	9	0	9	0	8	0

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### 2012-13 TIMBERWOLVES GAMES LOST DUE TO INJURY/ILLNESS (Final):

Brandon Roy.....	76	J.J. Barea.....	7
Kevin Love.....	64	Alexey Shved.....	5
Malcolm Lee.....	63	Josh Howard.....	4
Chase Budinger.....	59	Dante Cunningham.....	1
Ricky Rubio.....	24	Lazar Hayward.....	1
Nikola Pekovic.....	19		
Andrei Kirilenko.....	18	<b>Team:</b>	<b>341</b>

### DUNK-O-METER: Wolves players' dunk totals for 2012-13 (Final):

Andrei Kirilenko.....	78
Derrick Williams.....	68
Dante Cunningham.....	38
Nikola Pekovic.....	33
Chris Johnson.....	24
Greg Stiemsma.....	22
Alexey Shved.....	15
Kevin Love.....	8
Mickaël Gelabale.....	7
Lou Amundson.....	6
Chase Budinger.....	6
Josh Howard.....	3
Malcolm Lee.....	3

### ROOKIE ROUNDUP: Alexey Shved, the Wolves' lone first-year player, had a season-high 12 assists Dec. 20 vs. Oklahoma City. A glance at the NBA's rookie class of 2012-13: (Note: # indicates draft position)

#	Name	Team	G	Min	FG%	3Pt%	FT%	Reb	Ast	Stl	Blk	Pts
6.	Damian Lillard.....	POR	82	38.6	.429	.368	.844	3.1	6.5	0.90	0.23	19.0
4.	Dion Waiters.....	CLE	61	28.8	.412	.310	.746	2.4	3.0	0.97	0.26	14.7
3.	Bradley Beal.....	WAS	56	31.2	.410	.386	.786	3.8	2.4	0.89	0.52	13.9
1.	Anthony Davis.....	NO	64	28.8	.516	.000	.751	8.2	1.0	1.17	1.75	13.5
7.	Harrison Barnes.....	GS	81	25.4	.439	.359	.758	4.1	1.2	0.64	0.17	9.2
2.	Michael Kidd-Gilchrist.....	CHA	78	26.0	.458	.222	.749	5.8	1.5	0.69	0.90	9.0
--	Jonas Valanciunas.....	TOR	62	23.9	.557	.000	.789	6.0	0.7	0.27	1.26	8.9
--	Kyle Singler.....	DET	82	28.0	.428	.350	.806	4.0	0.9	0.70	0.45	8.8
--	Chris Copeland.....	NY	56	15.4	.479	.421	.759	2.1	0.5	0.29	0.21	8.7
--	<b>Alexey Shved.....</b>	<b>MIN</b>	<b>77</b>	<b>23.9</b>	<b>.372</b>	<b>.295</b>	<b>.720</b>	<b>2.3</b>	<b>3.7</b>	<b>0.70</b>	<b>0.35</b>	<b>8.6</b>
15.	Maurice Harkless.....	ORL	76	26.0	.461	.274	.570	4.4	0.7	1.16	0.82	8.2
9.	Andre Drummond.....	DET	60	20.7	.608	.500	.371	7.6	0.5	0.98	1.58	7.9
17.	Tyler Zeller.....	CLE	77	26.4	.438	.000	.764	5.7	1.2	0.45	0.91	7.9
19.	Andrew Nicholson.....	ORL	75	16.7	.527	.000	.798	3.4	0.6	0.32	0.43	7.8

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**HALFWAY HOME:** The Wolves (71) and Lakers (70) combined to score 141 points in the 2nd half on Mar. 27, marking the highest-scoring half in the NBA this season. The two-team total is also just one point shy of Minnesota's franchise record for points in a half; the teams shot a combined 56.8% (54-for-95) after intermission. A quarter-by-quarter look at 2012-13 for the Wolves:

Final	1st Qtr Pts / FG%	2nd Qtr Pts / FG%	1st Half Pts / FG%	3rd Qtr Pts / FG%	4th Qtr Pts / FG%	2nd Half Pts / FG%	Game Pts / FG%
Timberwolves.....	24.7 / 45.8%	24.7 / 45.4%	49.4 / 45.6%	22.6 / 42.2%	23.5 / 42.1%	46.1 / 42.2%	95.7 / 43.9%
Opponents.....	23.4 / 45.5%	25.4 / 48.0%	48.8 / 46.7%	24.6 / 47.7%	24.6 / 46.0%	49.2 / 46.9%	98.1 / 46.7%
Scoring Margins.....	(+1.4 pts)	(-0.7 pts)	(+0.6 pts)	(-2.0 pts)	(-1.1 pts)	(-3.1 pts)	(-2.4 pts)

**THE BREAKDOWN:** Some quick comparisons of Minnesota's 2012-13 numbers:

	----- Records -----			----- Wolves -----			----- Opponents -----			----- Margins -----		
	Total	Home	Road	Pts	FG%	3Pt%	Pts	FG%	3Pt%	Pts	Reb	TO
2012-13 (Final).....	31-51	20-21	11-30	95.7	.439	.305	98.1	.468	.369	-2.4	-0.1	+1.1
2011-12 (Final).....	26-40	13-20	13-20	97.9	.433	.332	100.1	.455	.340	-2.2	+0.3	-1.9
2010-11 (Final).....	17-65	12-29	5-36	101.1	.441	.376	107.7	.468	.374	-6.6	+1.8	-2.6
2009-10 (Final).....	15-67	10-31	5-36	98.2	.449	.341	107.8	.480	.366	-9.6	-0.5	-2.0
2008-09 (Final).....	24-58	11-30	13-28	97.8	.441	.353	102.7	.474	.377	-4.9	+0.8	-1.7
2007-08 (Final).....	22-60	15-26	7-34	95.6	.451	.350	102.4	.472	.357	-6.8	-0.3	-1.0
2006-07 (Final).....	32-50	20-21	12-29	96.1	.461	.353	99.7	.460	.348	-3.7	-1.3	-1.4
2005-06 (Final).....	33-49	24-17	9-32	91.7	.456	.329	93.6	.441	.364	-1.9	-1.9	-0.6
2004-05 (Final).....	44-38	24-17	20-21	96.8	.459	.345	95.3	.438	.363	+1.5	+1.7	-1.4
2003-04 (Final).....	58-24	31-10	27-14	94.5	.462	.363	89.1	.414	.334	+5.5	+1.5	+0.8
2002-03 (Final).....	51-31	33-8	18-23	98.1	.466	.368	96.0	.437	.347	+2.1	+1.9	-0.1
2001-02 (Final).....	50-32	29-12	21-20	99.3	.461	.378	96.0	.445	.372	+3.4	+4.7	0.0
2000-01 (Final).....	47-35	30-11	17-24	97.3	.458	.357	96.0	.452	.351	+1.4	0.0	+1.3
Final 16 Games.....	8-8	4-5	4-3	101.1	.461	.353	99.1	.477	.395	+2.0	-2.9	+3.4
Previous 35 Games.....	7-28	6-11	1-17	93.2	.437	.286	100.0	.482	.377	-6.8	-3.8	+1.8
First 31 Games.....	16-15	10-5	6-10	95.9	.431	.301	95.5	.447	.349	+0.4	+5.5	-1.0
April.....	5-5	3-2	2-3	99.4	.448	.341	100.1	.490	.417	-0.7	-3.9	+4.9
March.....	6-11	4-5	2-6	95.3	.446	.299	98.2	.469	.353	-2.9	-4.8	+2.3
February.....	3-10	2-6	1-4	97.2	.448	.318	100.7	.472	.382	-3.5	-2.2	+2.0
January.....	3-12	2-4	1-8	92.8	.429	.290	100.9	.491	.418	-8.1	-0.9	+0.3
December.....	7-5	5-1	2-4	99.6	.448	.312	97.0	.459	.331	+2.6	+7.2	-0.6
November.....	7-8	4-3	3-5	92.5	.420	.286	92.6	.431	.336	-0.1	+4.5	-1.5
At Target Center.....		20-21		96.0	.439	.300	95.2	.447	.342	+0.8	-1.0	+2.4
On the Road.....			11-30	95.4	.439	.310	101.0	.488	.396	-5.5	+0.9	-0.3
vs. .500+ Opponents.....	14-35	9-17	5-18	94.3	.433	.307	98.5	.468	.374	-4.2	-0.5	+1.3
vs. <.500 Opponents.....	17-16	11-4	6-12	97.9	.449	.303	97.5	.467	.363	+0.4	+0.5	+0.8
In Wins.....	31-0	20-0	11-0	102.2	.474	.366	91.2	.432	.328	+11.0	+4.6	+1.3
In Losses.....	0-51	0-21	0-30	91.8	.418	.271	102.3	.490	.395	-10.5	-2.9	+1.0
vs. Western Conference.....	17-35	11-15	6-20	95.9	.433	.281	99.8	.470	.375	-3.9	-0.8	+1.6
vs. Eastern Conference.....	14-16	9-6	5-10	95.4	.451	.350	95.1	.463	.360	+0.3	+1.1	+0.2
1+ Days Rest.....	23-37	16-18	7-19	95.2	.439	.307	97.5	.462	.362	-2.2	-0.9	+1.3
0 Days Rest.....	8-14	4-3	4-11	97.2	.440	.301	99.9	.484	.391	-2.7	+2.0	+0.5

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**TRIPLE THREAT:** Ricky Rubio registered his first career triple-double (21 points, 12 assists, career-high 13 rebounds) Mar. 12 vs. San Antonio, *becoming the ninth player in franchise history to accomplish that feat.* It's the 29th triple-double overall in Wolves annals, with Kevin Garnett (19), Terrell Brandon (two) and Micheal Williams (two) putting up multiple efforts. Rubio also becomes the third Minnesota player ever -- and the fifth in the NBA this season -- to notch a triple-double with at least 12 in each category:

Timberwolves -- 12+ Points, 12+ Rebounds, 12+ Assists			NBA (2012-13) -- 12+ Points, 12+ Rebounds, 12+ Assists		
Player	Date/Opponent	Pts/Reb/Ast	Player, Team	Date/Opponent	Pts/Reb/Ast
Micheal Williams	12/19/92 @ Golden State (ot)	27 / 13 / 15	Rajon Rondo, Bos.	12/7/12 @ Philadelphia	16 / 13 / 14
Kevin Garnett	3/9/03 @ Phoenix	29 / 14 / 12	Tony Parker, S.A.	12/10/12 @ Houston	27 / 12 / 12
Kevin Garnett	4/6/03 @ Portland	16 / 14 / 12	Paul Pierce, Bos.	2/10/13 vs. Denver (3ot)	27 / 14 / 14
<b>Ricky Rubio</b>	<b>3/12/13 vs. San Antonio</b>	<b>21 / 13 / 12</b>	Paul George, Ind.	2/13/13 vs. Charlotte	23 / 12 / 12
			<b>Ricky Rubio, Min.</b>	<b>3/12/13 vs. San Antonio</b>	<b>21 / 13 / 12</b>

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**BEAT THE CLOCK:** Chase Budinger's game-winning basket with :00.8 remaining on Nov. 9 vs. Indiana was the 25th time in franchise history that the Wolves have won a game by scoring the deciding points with less than one second to play. Minnesota registered three such victories in 2011-12, including Kevin Love's 3-pointer on Jan. 20 at the Clippers; the club single-season high is four (1999-2000):

Date	Player	Opponent	Score	Date	Player	Opponent	Score
<b>Nov. 9, 2012</b>	<b>Chase Budinger</b>	<b>Indiana</b>	<b>96- 94</b>	Mar. 22, 2000	Anthony Peeler	@ Boston	109-106
Feb. 22, 2012	Luke Ridnour	Utah	100- 98	Jan. 17, 2000	Malik Sealy	Indiana	101-100
Feb. 19, 2012	Kevin Love	Philadelphia	92- 91	Dec. 27, 1999	Malik Sealy	@ Orlando	107-105
Jan. 20, 2012	Kevin Love	@ L.A. Clippers	101- 98	Apr. 18, 1998	Tom Hammonds	@ Milwaukee	111-109
Oct. 28, 2009	Damien Wilkins	New Jersey	95- 93	Jan. 16, 1998	Tom Gugliotta	@ Houston	116-115 OT
Nov. 28, 2008	Mike Miller	@ Okla. City	105-103	Jan. 31, 1997	Chris Carr	@ San Antonio	97- 95
Mar. 25, 2007	Kevin Garnett	Portland	94- 93	Feb. 23, 1996	Isaiah Rider	Detroit	94- 93
Feb. 11, 2007	Ricky Davis	Boston	109-107	Feb. 13, 1992	Pooh Richardson	@ Detroit	96- 93
Jan. 5, 2007	Kevin Garnett	Philadelphia	104-102 OT	Apr. 21, 1991	Tony Campbell	@ Washington	89- 87
Mar. 6, 2005	Latrell Sprewell	@ Boston	99- 97	Dec. 4, 1990	Sam Mitchell	Indiana	83- 81
Dec. 7, 2003	Kevin Garnett	@ L.A. Clippers	96- 94	Nov. 20, 1990	Tyrone Corbin	@ Dallas	92- 91 OT
Feb. 11, 2003	Wally Szczerbiak	Dallas	100- 98	Mar. 30, 1990	Sam Mitchell	@ Dallas	84- 82
Apr. 10, 2000	Kevin Garnett	Detroit	102-100				

**IT TAKES A THIEF:** Ricky Rubio finished the season ranked 2nd in the NBA in steals per game (2.40), breaking the club single-season record (2.17) previously set by Micheal Williams in 1992-93. As a team, the Wolves collected 700 steals overall (8.54 spg), their highest total since swiping 789 and 712 steals in their first two years (1989-90 and 1990-91). Minnesota also collected 18.1 ppg off opponents' TOs, its top single-season figure since the category started being tracked in 1996-97. A look at some of the franchise leader boards:

<u>Steals Per Game</u>			<u>Steals Per Game</u>		<u>Opponent TOs Per Game</u>		<u>Points Off TOs (since 1996-97)</u>	
<b>2.40</b>	<b>Ricky Rubio, 2012-13</b>	<b>(137/57)</b>	9.62	1989-90 (789/82)	16.7	1998-99 (836/50)	<b>18.1</b>	<b>2012-13 (1483/82)</b>
2.17	Michael Williams, 1992-93	(165/76)	8.68	1990-91 (712/82)	16.7	1989-90 (1366/82)	17.2	1998-99 (861/50)
2.13	Tyrone Corbin, 1989-90	(175/82)	<b>8.54</b>	<b>2012-13 (700/82)</b>	16.4	1995-96 (1343/82)	17.2	1996-97 (1407/82)
2.06	Terrell Brandon, 2000-01	(161/78)	8.52	1998-99 (426/50)	16.1	1994-95 (1323/82)	17.1	1997-98 (1400/82)
1.98	Tyrone Corbin, 1990-91	(162/82)	8.32	2000-01 (682/82)	<b>15.9</b>	<b>2012-13 (1302/82)</b>	16.9	2000-01 (1387/82)

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**BULLSEYE:** Dante Cunningham shot 9-for-9 from the floor en route to a game-high 18-point effort in the Feb. 2 win over New Orleans. It's the most FGs any Timberwolves player has ever made without missing in a game; Trenton Hassell held the previous mark with an 8-for-8 night at Denver on Nov. 4, 2004. Cunningham's performance topped a 68-point contribution by Minnesota's bench, which is the 5th-highest single-game total in franchise history; the Wolves finished at a season-best 58.4% from the floor vs. New Orleans:

<u>Most FGs Made, None Missed, Game</u>		<u>Most Bench Points, Game</u>		<u>Highest FG Percentage -- Since 2004-05</u>	
<b>9</b>	<b>Dante Cunningham..... 2/2/13 vs. New Orleans</b>	74	vs. Sacramento.....4/15/09	.593	(48-81) vs. Cleveland..... 12/4/10
8	Trenton Hassell ..... 11/4/04 @ Denver	72	@ L.A. Clippers .....2/28/12	.590	(49-83) vs. Phoenix ..... 1/29/07
7	Ryan Hollins ..... 3/6/10 vs. Houston	72	@ Seattle.....1/21/05	<b>.584 (45-77)</b>	<b>vs. New Orleans ..... 2/2/13</b>
7	Gary Trent ..... 12/18/03 vs. Dallas	69	@ Dallas.....4/18/01	.581	(43-74) @ Houston..... 1/30/12
7	LaPhonso Ellis..... 4/8/01 vs. L.A. Lakers	<b>68</b>	<b>vs. New Orleans .....2/2/13</b>	.581	(43-74) vs. Seattle..... 12/28/05
6	MR: Wes Johnson ..... 1/2/12 vs. San Antonio	64	@ San Antonio .....4/12/10	.581	(43-74) @ Seattle..... 1/21/05

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**BOARD BLITZ:** The Wolves outrebounded Miami 53-24 on Dec. 18, the largest single-game margin in franchise history. The 29-board advantage is the largest compiled by any team in a loss since Jan. 6, 1994, when Golden State was outrebounded by 35 but defeated San Antonio, 102-98. Minnesota also piled up a club-record 34 second-chance points vs. the Heat:

<u>Largest Rebounding Margins</u>				<u>Fewest Rebounds, Opponent</u>				<u>Most 2nd-Chance Points (since 1996-97)</u>			
<u>Mgn (Total)</u>	<u>Opponent</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Final</u>	<u>#</u>	<u>Opponent</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Final</u>	<u>#</u>	<u>Opponent</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Final</u>
<b>+29 (53-24)</b>	<b>@ Miami.....</b>	<b>12/18/12</b>	L 92-103	23	Houston.....	2/21/96	W 120-101	<b>34</b>	<b>@ Miami.....</b>	<b>12/18/12</b>	L 92-103
+28 (62-34)	@ L.A. Clippers ....	4/ 7/09	W 87- 77	23	Detroit.....	12/28/90	L 85- 97	32	L.A. Lakers .....	1/29/12	L 101-106
+26 (60-34)	Sacramento .....	2/19/04	W 92- 75	<b>24</b>	<b>@ Miami.....</b>	<b>12/18/12</b>	L 92-103	31	Golden State.....	2/27/11	W 126-123
+26 (57-31)	Chicago .....	4/13/03	W 119- 95	24	@ Miami.....	2/18/09	W 111-104	30	Phoenix .....	3/28/10	L 105-111
+26 (61-35)	Sacramento .....	12/14/01	W 114- 94	24	@ Cleveland.....	12/19/95	L 95-100	30	@ L.A. Clippers ....	4/ 7/09	W 87- 77
+25 (49-24)	@ Miami .....	2/18/09	W 111-104	25	@ Toronto .....	1/21/04	W 108- 97	30	@ Golden State ..	11/11/08	L 110-113
+25 (56-31)	Atlanta .....	1/ 2/04	W 93- 75	25	@ San Antonio ...	2/23/02	W 112- 88	30	Atlanta .....	12/12/02	W 113- 95
				25	L.A. Lakers .....	3/10/95	W 109-103				

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**WOLF TRACKS:** Minnesota ended 2012-13 with a 31-51 record, its highest victory total since finishing 32-50 in 2006-07; this year's winning percentage (.378) fell short of the .394 (26-40) mark the Wolves compiled a season ago... Minnesota's season was highlighted by two wins apiece vs. San Antonio, Oklahoma City and Denver, the Western Conference's top three teams record-wise... Minnesota has now missed the postseason in nine straight seasons, after advancing to the playoffs every year from 1996-97 through 2003-04 (eight)... The current absence is the longest active postseason drought; Sacramento (seven), Toronto (five) and Washington (five) are next on that list... The Wolves began the season 16-15 (through Jan. 8), then endured a 7-28 stretch (Jan. 9-Mar. 21) before splitting their final 16 contests... The 107-101 home win over Detroit on Apr. 6 marked Rick Adelman's 1000th victory as an NBA head coach... Minnesota closed with four wins in its final seven away from Target Center, including a season-high three-game road winning streak (Mar. 22-26-Apr. 3)... The wins at Detroit (105-82 on Mar. 26) and Phoenix (117-86 on Mar. 22) marked the first time in club history that the Wolves have registered 20-point victories in consecutive road games... The final 31-point spread at Phoenix equals the second-largest road win in franchise history (and ties the 10th-largest overall); they won by 35 at Philadelphia (119-84) on Dec. 8, 2004... Prior to the three-game road winning streak, Minnesota had suffered through an 11-week stretch that saw them drop 17 of 18 road games; the Feb. 11 victory at Cleveland bisected droughts of eight (Jan. 9-Feb. 10) and nine games (Feb. 22-Mar. 21)... Memphis pulled away for a 99-86 win on Mar. 30 at Target Center... Minnesota took a 67-65 lead into the fourth period before being outscored 34-19 by the Grizzlies; they dropped 13 games when leading after three (second behind Cleveland's 14) and lost 18 games after building leads of 10+ points... Houston spotted the Wolves a 20-point, 3rd-quarter cushion before rallying to win 108-100 on Mar. 15; it's the biggest lead Minnesota let slip away this year and the 13th time in franchise history they've lost after building a lead of 20+ points...

**SCHEDULE NOTES:** Minnesota enjoyed a 5-5 final month, after compiling a 1-26 record over its previous three Aprils... The Apr. 17 triumph at San Antonio marked the Wolves' first victory in a season finale in five years (110-101 OT vs. Milwaukee, Apr. 16, 2008), and also halted a 16-game losing streak at the AT&T Center that dated to January 2004... Minnesota faced four groupings of four-games-in-five-nights this season, including three in the final five weeks (Mar. 9-13, Mar. 26-30, Apr. 9-13)... The Mar. 30 game vs. Memphis completed Minnesota's second seven-games-in-10-nights run in March (Mar. 9-18, Mar. 21-30); they went 8-14 on the tail end of back-to-back sets this season, after going 5-15 in those situations a year ago... The Wolves finished 20-21 for their best home record since going 20-21 in 2006-07... Minnesota drew an SRO 20,340 vs. Houston on Dec. 26, the third-largest crowd in Target Center history...

## Coach's Bio:

# RICK ADELMAN

**Overall Record:** 1019-724  
**Seasons in League:** 23rd

**Record with Minnesota:** 74-108  
**Seasons with Minnesota:** 3rd

Named head coach on Sept. 28, 2011, becoming the 10th coach in Timberwolves history... Minnesota is his fifth stop in an NBA coaching career that began in 1983 as an assistant to Jack Ramsay with Portland... Became the Trail Blazers' head coach on Feb. 18, 1989; he led them to the NBA Finals twice in his five full seasons on the bench (1990 and 1992) and won a career-best 63 games in 1990-91... Spent two seasons (1995-96 and 1996-97) with the Golden State Warriors before moving on to Sacramento in 1998... Took the Kings to the NBA Playoffs in each of his eight seasons there, including a trip to the Western Conference Finals in 2002; he compiled a 395-229 record (.633) to become the winningest coach in franchise history... Most recently, he coached the past four seasons (2007-08 through 2010-11) in Houston, a stint highlighted by a 22-game winning streak (Jan. 29-Mar. 16, 2008) that's the second-longest in NBA history... *Became the eighth coach in NBA history to reach the 1000-victory mark with the Apr. 6, 2013 win over Detroit*; he now leads active coaches in wins... Has also compiled a 79-78 postseason record; his teams have qualified for the playoffs 16 times in his 20 seasons as a head coach... Has been runner-up for NBA Coach of the Year honors four times (1990-91, 2000-01, 2001-02 and 2008-09), and has coached the West team in the NBA All-Star Game on three occasions (1991, 2001, 2003)... Appeared in 462 games during his seven-year NBA career, beginning in 1968-69 with the San Diego Rockets; he also played for Portland, Chicago, the New Orleans Jazz and the Kansas City-Omaha Kings... Chosen in the 7th round (79th overall) of the 1968 NBA Draft by San Diego, he finished with career averages of 7.7 ppg, 2.4 rpg and 3.5 apg... Tallied a career-high 12.6 ppg for Portland in 1970-71, after being selected by the Trail Blazers in the 1970 Expansion Draft... Born on June 16, 1946 in Lynwood, Calif., he earned a Master's degree in history from Loyola Marymount, where he was named MVP of the West Coast Athletic Conference as a senior in 1967-68... He and his wife Mary Kay have six children, Kathy, R.J., Laura, David, Caitlin and Patrick, along with seven grandchildren.

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### ADELMAN'S LIFETIME RECORD vs. THE NBA

Atlanta Hawks .....23-16	Detroit Pistons .....27-16	Milwaukee Bucks .....28-12	Portland Trail Blazers ..... 29-32
Boston Celtics .....27-17	Golden State Warriors .....51-29	Minnesota Timberwolves ...47-26	Sacramento Kings ..... 38-19
Brooklyn Nets (N.J.) .....34-6	Houston Rockets .....38-30	N.O. Pelicans (Cha.) .....39-20	San Antonio Spurs ..... 41-42
Charlotte Bobcats .....10-6	Indiana Pacers .....21-21	New York Knicks .....23-19	Toronto Raptors ..... 17-12
Chicago Bulls .....21-20	Los Angeles Clippers .....63-28	Okla. City Thunder (Sea.) ..46-45	Utah Jazz .....39-42
Cleveland Cavaliers .....29-14	Los Angeles Lakers .....38-50	Orlando Magic .....24-19	Washington Wizards ..... 29-14
Dallas Mavericks .....50-37	Memphis Grizzlies (Van.)...45-18	Philadelphia 76ers .....28-15	
Denver Nuggets .....54-30	Miami Heat .....20-22	Phoenix Suns .....40-47	<b>TOTAL: 1019-724</b>

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### ADELMAN'S YEAR-BY-YEAR COACHING RECORD

Season	Team	Regular Season			---- Playoffs ----			Season	Team	Regular Season			---- Playoffs ----		
		W	L	Pct	W	L	Pct			W	L	Pct	W	L	Pct
1988-89	Portland	14	21	.400	0	3	.000	2002-03	Sacramento	59	23	.720	7	5	.583
1989-90	Portland	59	23	.720	12	9	.571	2003-04	Sacramento	55	27	.671	7	5	.583
1990-91	Portland	63	19	.768	9	7	.563	2004-05	Sacramento	50	32	.610	1	4	.200
1991-92	Portland	57	25	.695	13	8	.619	2005-06	Sacramento	44	38	.537	2	4	.333
1992-93	Portland	51	31	.622	1	3	.250	2007-08	Houston	55	27	.671	2	4	.333
1993-94	Portland	47	35	.573	1	3	.250	2008-09	Houston	53	29	.646	7	6	.538
1995-96	Golden State	36	46	.439				2009-10	Houston	42	40	.512			
1996-97	Golden State	30	52	.366				2010-11	Houston	43	39	.524			
1998-99	Sacramento	27	23	.540	2	3	.400	2011-12	Minnesota	26	40	.394			
1999-00	Sacramento	44	38	.537	2	3	.400	2012-13	Minnesota	31	51	.378			
2000-01	Sacramento	55	27	.671	3	5	.375	2013-14	Minnesota	17	17	.500			
2001-02	Sacramento	61	21	.744	10	6	.625	<b>Career</b>	<b>23 Seasons</b>	<b>1019</b>	<b>724</b>	<b>.585</b>	<b>79</b>	<b>78</b>	<b>.503</b>

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### ALL-TIME NBA COACHING LEADERS

Most Wins			Highest Winning Pct. (min. 500 Games)			Most Playoff Wins					
Coach	W	L	Pct	Coach	W	L	Pct	Coach	W	L	Pct
1. Don Nelson	1335	1063	.557	1. Phil Jackson	1155	485	.704	1. Phil Jackson	229	104	.688
2. Lenny Wilkens	1332	1155	.536	2. Billy Cunningham	454	196	.698	2. Pat Riley	171	111	.606
3. Jerry Sloan	1221	803	.603	3. Gregg Popovich	931	431	.684	3. Gregg Popovich	133	83	.616
4. Pat Riley	1210	694	.636	4. K.C. Jones	522	252	.674	4. Larry Brown	100	93	.518
5. Phil Jackson	1155	485	.704	5. Red Auerbach	938	479	.662	5. Red Auerbach	99	69	.589
6. George Karl	1131	756	.599	6. Stan Van Gundy	371	208	.641	6. Jerry Sloan	98	104	.485
7. Larry Brown	1098	904	.548	7. Pat Riley	1210	694	.636	7. K.C. Jones	81	57	.587
<b>8. Rick Adelman</b>	<b>1019</b>	<b>724</b>	<b>.585</b>	8. Mike Brown	325	190	.631	8. Lenny Wilkens	80	98	.449
9. Bill Fitch	944	1106	.460	9. Tom Heinsohn	427	263	.619	9. George Karl	80	105	.432
10. Red Auerbach	938	479	.662	10. Jerry Sloan	1221	803	.603	<b>10. Rick Adelman</b>	<b>79</b>	<b>78</b>	<b>.503</b>
11. Dick Motta	935	1017	.479	11. George Karl	1131	756	.599	11. Chuck Daly	75	51	.595
12. Gregg Popovich	931	431	.684	12. Chuck Daly	638	437	.593	12. Don Nelson	75	91	.452
13. Jack Ramsay	864	783	.525	13. Larry Costello	430	300	.589	13. Billy Cunningham	66	39	.629
14. Cotton Fitzsimmons	832	775	.518	14. Rick Carlisle	539	381	.586	14. Doc Rivers	64	57	.529
15. Gene Shue	784	861	.477	<b>15. Rick Adelman</b>	<b>1019</b>	<b>724</b>	<b>.585</b>	15. John Kundla	60	35	.632

## Player Bios:

### J.J. BAREA

G 6-0 178 Northeastern '06 #11 8th Year

#### Season Averages:

8.4 ppg 40.9 FG% 1.8 rpg 3.6 apg

#### Last 5 Games

	Min	FG-A	3P-A	FT-A	Reb	Ast	Stl	TO	Blk	Pts
Dec. 28 at Milwaukee	19:04	2-8	2-3	0-0	3	6	0	2	0	6
Dec. 30 vs. Dallas	17:02	2-4	1-3	0-0	2	2	0	5	0	5
Jan. 1 vs. New Orleans	18:02	7-9	3-5	0-0	0	5	0	2	0	17
Jan. 4 vs. Oklahoma City	14:14	2-5	0-2	1-1	1	3	0	1	0	5
Jan. 6 at Philadelphia	19:17	5-12	3-4	0-0	1	2	0	5	0	13

**Notable:** Averaging 10.7 ppg (46.5%) and 4.2 apg in 20.4 mpg in the last 11, hitting 51.2% (21-for-41) from three-point range... Committed a season-high five TOs at Philadelphia; he has 25 ast/21 TOs in the past eight (32 ast/4 TOs in the previous six)... Dealt a game- and season-high 11 assists Dec. 16 at Boston, part of his 12th career point/assist double-double (first this year)... Scored a season-high 21 points Nov. 15 at Denver, the 27th 20+ outing of his career... Helped Puerto Rico earn a silver medal at the 2013 FIBA Americas Championship, held in Venezuela... Tallied 14.0 ppg (45.1%), 3.4 rpg and 3.8 apg in 10 contests as Puerto Rico qualified for the 2014 FIBA World Cup.

#### Career Highs – J.J. Barea

Points:	<b>29</b>	@ Milwaukee.....	1/1/11
Rebounds:	<b>10</b>	MR: @ Oklahoma City....	3/23/12
Assists:	<b>15</b>	@ Denver.....	4/11/12
Steals:	<b>4</b>	MR: vs. Memphis.....	4/7/10
Blocks:	<b>1</b>	MR: vs. Detroit .....	11/23/10
Minutes:	<b>48</b>	vs. Golden State.....	4/22/12

**2012-13:** Completed his second season with the Wolves and seventh in the NBA by playing in 74 games and logging a career-high 1713 minutes (23.1 mpg)... Averaged 11.3 ppg, a career-high 2.8 rpg and 4.0 apg while shooting 41.7% from the floor and 78.4% from the FT line... Fired in a team- and career-best 97 three-pointers; he also led Minnesota by hitting 34.6% from beyond the arc... Started a pair of games (Nov. 30 vs. Milwaukee, Dec. 23 at New York) and missed seven due to injury; he was sidelined for five contests (Nov. 9-16) due to a sprained left foot... Led Minnesota in 4th-quarter scoring for the season, netting 310 of his 834 points in the final stanza (37.2% of his total)... Collected 12 of his team-high 17 points (and all five assists) in the 4th quarter of the Jan. 3 win at Denver... Scored a season-high 23 points Apr. 12 at Utah, the 10th time he led the Wolves; the 9-for-10 effort from the line set career highs in both categories... Posted team highs with 20 points and six assists Apr. 6 vs. Detroit, one of 16 times he led in assists... Led all scorers with 21 points Mar. 26 at Detroit, matching his career best with five three-pointers; he also rang up five treys in the Mar. 12 win over San Antonio... The Feb. 22 game at Oklahoma City was the 400th of his career; he scored his 3000th point Jan. 13 at San Antonio... Logged a season-high 37:55 Dec. 23 at New York and hauled in seven rebounds Dec. 26 vs. Houston.

#### 2012-13 vs. Phoenix

	Min	FG-A	3P-A	FT-A	Reb	Ast	Stl	TO	Blk	Pts
Dec. 29 at Minnesota	27:19	5-13	0-3	0-2	1	5	0	2	0	10
Feb. 26 at Phoenix	28:05	7-17	2-7	0-0	2	3	0	2	0	16
Mar. 22 at Phoenix	23:25	2-7	1-3	0-0	1	4	0	3	0	5
Apr. 13 at Minnesota	22:39	7-9	2-3	0-0	2	2	0	3	0	16

#### Career vs. Phoenix

	Min	FG%	3P%	FT%	Reb	Ast	Stl	TO	Blk	Pts
19 games	22.7	.442	.275	.560	2.0	3.5	0.26	1.5	0.00	9.2

# COREY BREWER

F 6-9 185 Florida '07

#13

7th Year

**Season Averages:**

**12.1 ppg 43.8 FG% 2.6 rpg 1.6 apg**

**Last 5 Games**

	Min	FG-A	3P-A	FT-A	Reb	Ast	Stl	TO	Blk	Pts
Dec. 28 at Milwaukee .....	33:06	5-9	0-2	2-2	2	2	3	3	0	12
Dec. 30 vs. Dallas .....	33:55	7-12	2-5	0-0	2	1	1	1	1	16
Jan. 1 vs. New Orleans .....	23:11	2-4	1-1	0-0	5	4	4	1	1	5
Jan. 4 vs. Oklahoma City .....	40:04	6-14	1-4	2-4	1	3	3	1	0	15
Jan. 6 at Philadelphia .....	27:47	5-8	3-3	2-3	3	2	2	0	0	15

**Notable:** Scored 12 of his 15 points in the 1st quarter on Monday; *he's averaging 12.2 ppg (51.8%) in the past six games*, after slipping to 4.5 ppg (14.8%) in the prior four... Snared a season-high 12 rebounds Dec. 15 at Memphis, the first time he's led the Wolves this year and his fifth career double-digit night... *Pumped in 27 points Nov. 13 vs. Cleveland*, tying his top single-game total in a Wolves uniform and marking the 10th time he's scored 25+... The five 3-pointers vs. Cleveland are one shy of his career best... Swiped a career-high six steals Nov. 4 at Cleveland; *he ranks 15th in the NBA in steals (1.74 spg) and 7th in fast break scoring (5.1 ppg)*... Signed as an unrestricted free agent to a three-year contract on July 12... He's the 11th player to enlist for two separate stints with the Wolves, having played four seasons (2007-08 through 2010-11) in his first tour after being selected by Minnesota in the 1st round of the 2007 NBA Draft.

**Career Highs – Corey Brewer**

Points:	<b>29</b>	vs. Philadelphia .....	3/21/13
Rebounds:	<b>18</b>	@ Atlanta .....	12/6/07
Assists:	<b>6</b>	MR: vs. Charlotte .....	12/22/12
Steals:	<b>6</b>	@ <b>Cleveland</b> .....	<b>11/4/13</b>
Blocks:	<b>3</b>	MR: vs. Charlotte .....	1/5/11
Minutes:	<b>45</b>	@ Houston .....	1/13/10

**2012-13:** Concluded his sixth NBA season and second in Denver by playing in all 82 games for the second time in his career... Averaged 12.1 ppg and 2.9 rpg in 24.4 mpg while shooting 42.5% from the floor, 29.6% from three-point range and 69.0% from the FT line... Contributed 10.8 ppg (30.9%) and 1.8 rpg in six playoff appearances... Started a pair of contests (Feb. 12 at Toronto, Feb. 13 at Brooklyn)... Sank a career-high 91 three-pointers on the season; his 118 steals are also a career best... Logged 30+ minutes on seven occasions; he tallied 21.1 ppg (45.8%) in those contests, *highlighted by a career-high 29-point effort Mar. 21, 2013 vs. Philadelphia*... Also swiped a career-high-tying five steals in that game... Added 28 points vs. San Antonio on Apr. 10 and netted 27 points -- featuring a 6-for-7 effort from beyond the arc -- Dec. 26 vs. the L.A. Lakers; overall, Denver was 11-0 when he scored 20+... Pulled down a season-high nine rebounds Dec. 20 at Portland, and dealt a career-high-tying six assists Dec. 22 vs. Charlotte... Scored the 3000th point of his career Dec. 20 at Portland, and grabbed his 1000th rebound Dec. 3 vs. Toronto.

**Milestone:** *Scored his 4000th career point Dec. 15 at Memphis*... Surpassed the 10,000-minute mark on Nov. 30 at Dallas; the Nov. 22 game vs. Brooklyn was the 400th of his NBA career... Picked up his 500th career steal Oct. 30 vs. Orlando.

**Career vs. Phoenix**

	Min	FG%	3P%	FT%	Reb	Ast	Stl	TO	Blk	Pts
17 games .....	25.4	.400	.206	.565	3.4	1.7	1.18	1.2	0.24	9.5

# CHASE BUDINGER

F 6-7 209 Arizona '09 #10 5th Year

2012-13 Averages:  
9.4 ppg 41.4 FG% 3.1 rpg 1.1 apg

**Notable:** Underwent arthroscopic surgery on his left knee on Oct. 1, *and will be sidelined indefinitely*... Re-signed to a three-year contract on July 12.

**2012-13:** Saw his fourth NBA season (first in Minnesota) interrupted by injury... Appeared in just 23 games, suffering a lateral meniscus tear in his left knee Nov. 10 at Chicago; *he underwent surgery on Nov. 13 and missed 59 games* before returning Mar. 21 at Sacramento... Tallied 9.4 ppg, 3.1 rpg and 1.1 apg, but registered career low percentages in all three shooting categories (41.4% from the field, 32.1% on three-pointers and 76.2% from the line)... Averaged 8.5 ppg (39.0%) and 2.9 rpg in 17 games after returning from the layoff...

Made his lone start in the Nov. 10 game at Chicago, scoring nine points and notching season highs in assists (four), steals (a career-best three) and minutes (27:53)... Sank at least one three-pointer in 18 of his 23 appearances, with a season-high three in the Apr. 17 victory at San Antonio... Netted a team-high 17 points Apr. 9 at Golden State, the second time he led, and pulled in a season-high nine rebounds Mar. 27 vs. the Lakers... Scored a team- and season-high 18 points Nov. 9 vs. Indiana, including the game-winner with :00.8 left... Netted 14 of his 16 points in the 2nd half Nov. 5 at Brooklyn, including the 2000th point of his NBA career... Acquired from Houston (along with the rights to Lior Eliyahu) on June 26 in exchange for a 1st-round pick (18th overall) in the 2012 NBA Draft.

### Career Highs – Chase Budinger

Points:	35	@ Minnesota.....	4/13/11
Rebounds:	12	MR: @ Miami.....	2/9/10
Assists:	6	vs. Orlando.....	2/24/10
Steals:	3	MR: @ Chicago.....	11/10/12
Blocks:	2	MR: vs. L.A. Clippers.....	4/9/11
Minutes:	45	@ Boston.....	4/2/10

2012-13 vs. Phoenix	Min	FG-A	3P-A	FT-A	Reb	Ast	Stl	TO	Blk	Pts
Dec. 29 at Minnesota.....	Inactive-Left Knee Surgery									
Feb. 26 at Phoenix.....	Inactive-Left Knee Surgery									
Mar. 22 at Phoenix.....	16:23	4-9	1-3	2-4	2	0	1	0	0	11
Apr. 13 at Minnesota.....	17:36	0-4	0-2	2-2	2	1	0	1	0	2

Career vs. Phoenix	Min	FG%	3P%	FT%	Reb	Ast	Stl	TO	Blk	Pts
13 games.....	25.8	.415	.346	.871	4.5	1.8	0.46	0.5	0.00	11.0

# DANTE CUNNINGHAM

F 6-8 221 Villanova '09 #33 5th Year

Season Averages:  
5.3 ppg 44.6 FG% 4.0 rpg 1.0 apg

Last 5 Games	Min	FG-A	3P-A	FT-A	Reb	Ast	Stl	TO	Blk	Pts
Dec. 28 at Milwaukee.....	18:47	3-6	0-0	0-0	4	2	1	0	0	6
Dec. 30 vs. Dallas.....	14:36	0-2	0-0	0-0	6	0	0	0	0	0
Jan. 1 vs. New Orleans.....	22:43	5-6	0-0	0-0	4	0	0	1	1	10
Jan. 4 vs. Oklahoma City.....	14:44	0-2	0-0	0-0	1	2	0	1	0	0
Jan. 6 at Philadelphia.....	15:19	5-9	0-0	0-0	1	0	1	0	1	10

**Notable:** Monday's outing marked his sixth double-digit scoring night... *Shooting 50.0% (16-for-32) over the past six*; he'd hit 35.8% in the prior nine... Pulled in a season-high eight rebounds Dec. 15 at Memphis, and picked off four steals Dec. 27 vs. Washington... The FTs Dec. 11 vs. Philadelphia were his first makes of the year... *Swiped a career-high five steals Nov. 16 vs. Boston*, and tallied 12 points Dec. 16 at Boston... Minnesota is 7-1 when he plays 23+ minutes... Had the 2013-14 option on his contract exercised on June 28.

**2012-13:** Wrapped up his first year in Minnesota and fourth in the NBA by playing in a career-high 80 games (nine starts) and logging a career-high 25.1 mpg... Recorded career bests across the board -- 8.7 ppg, 5.1 rpg and 0.8 apg -- while shooting 46.8% from the floor and 65.0% from the FT line... Swiped 84 steals (1.05 spg) *and ranked 4th in the NBA in steal/TO ratio (1.50-to-1)*; he picked off a career-high four steals Apr. 5 vs. Toronto... Reached double figures on 32 occasions, including 10 times in his final 16 outings; he averaged 11.3 ppg (on 51.3% shooting) in those last 16... Netted 19 points in the Apr. 1 win vs. Boston, and tacked on 18 points (in just 18:44) Mar. 27 vs. the L.A. Lakers... Hauled in his 1000th career rebound Mar. 17 vs. New Orleans, and went over the 5000-minute plateau Mar. 13 at Indiana... *Scored 17 of his team- and career-high 23 points in the 4th quarter vs. Portland on Feb. 4*... The 9-for-9 effort from the floor Feb. 2 vs. New Orleans is a club single-game record for accuracy; Trenton Hassell went 8-for-8 in a 2004 contest... Posted his third double-double (eighth career) Jan. 5 vs. Portland; the 12 rebounds, three blocks and 42:25 were all season bests... Handed out a career-high four assists Jan. 3 at Denver... Acquired from Memphis on July 24 in exchange for Wayne Ellington.

### Career Highs – Dante Cunningham

Points:	23	vs. Portland.....	2/4/13
Rebounds:	14	vs. Minnesota.....	3/27/12
Assists:	4	@ Denver.....	1/3/13
Steals:	5	vs. Boston.....	11/16/13
Blocks:	4	MR: vs. Minnesota.....	3/27/12
Minutes:	45	vs. Orlando.....	4/6/11

**Milestones:** The Nov. 23 game at Houston was the 300th of his NBA career... Needs 67 points for 2000.

2012-13 vs. Phoenix	Min	FG-A	3P-A	FT-A	Reb	Ast	Stl	TO	Blk	Pts
Dec. 29 at Minnesota.....	18:15	0-2	0-0	2-4	7	1	1	0	0	2
Feb. 26 at Phoenix.....	20:49	2-8	0-0	2-3	5	0	1	0	1	6
Mar. 22 at Phoenix.....	30:01	8-11	0-0	2-2	8	1	2	0	0	18
Apr. 13 at Minnesota.....	34:11	6-12	0-0	1-2	8	1	2	2	1	13

Career vs. Phoenix	Min	FG%	3P%	FT%	Reb	Ast	Stl	TO	Blk	Pts
14 games.....	17.0	.560	.000	.615	4.2	0.5	0.93	0.6	0.50	6.6

# GORGUI DIENG

C 6-11 238 Louisville '13

#5

Rookie

**Season Averages:**

**1.4 ppg 42.3 FG% 1.9 rpg 0.4 apg**

**Last 5 Games**

	Min	FG-A	3P-A	FT-A	Reb	Ast	Stl	TO	Blk	Pts
Dec. 28 at Milwaukee .....	1:37	1-1	0-0	0-0	2	0	0	0	0	2
Dec. 30 vs. Dallas .....	DNP-CD									
Jan. 1 vs. New Orleans .....	2:18	0-1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Jan. 4 vs. Oklahoma City .....	DNP-CD									
Jan. 6 at Philadelphia .....	6:24	1-2	0-0	0-2	3	0	1	0	0	2

**Notable:** Collected five points and six rebounds Dec. 7 vs. Miami, matching season highs... Had a season-high three blocks Nov. 22 vs. Brooklyn and hauled in six rebounds Nov. 13 vs. Cleveland... *Has totaled 13 blocks in 102 minutes to date (a league-leading 6.12 per 48 minutes)*... Signed to a two-year contract on July 13... Acquired from Utah (along with Shabazz Muhammad) in exchange for Trey Burke in a draft-night transaction on June 27; he was selected by the Jazz in the 1st round (21st overall) of the 2013 NBA Draft... Member of the Wolves' entry in the 2013 Las Vegas Summer League, where he averaged 4.8 ppg (54.5%) and 3.2 rpg.

**2012-13:** Helped Louisville win the NCAA Championship by averaging 9.8 ppg, a team-high 9.4 rpg, 2.0 apg and 2.52 bpg while playing 31.1 mpg in 33 contests (32 starts)... Missed seven games due to a broken left wrist suffered on Nov. 23 vs. Missouri; he returned for the Dec. 29 game vs. Kentucky... *Named the Big East's Defensive Player of the Year and was an All-Big East First Team selection;* he finished his career ranked 2nd on Louisville's all-time list for blocked shots (267)... Was the Cardinals' leading scorer four times, topped by a career-high 23-point outburst (on 10-for-11 shooting) Feb. 23 vs. Seton Hall, and led in rebounding on 23 occasions... Contributed eight points, eight rebounds, six assists and three blocks in the NCAA title game win over Michigan on Apr. 8 in Atlanta... Chopped a career-high 17 rebounds Feb. 14 vs. St. John's, and dished a career-best eight assists in the Big East Tournament championship game vs. Syracuse on Mar. 16... Blocked a season-high six shots Feb. 6 at Rutgers.

# ROBBIE HUMMEL

F 6-8 220 Purdue '12

#6

Rookie

**Season Averages:**

**2.9 ppg 36.1 FG% 2.7 rpg 0.3 apg**

**Last 5 Games**

	Min	FG-A	3P-A	FT-A	Reb	Ast	Stl	TO	Blk	Pts
Dec. 28 at Milwaukee .....	5:18	1-1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Dec. 30 vs. Dallas .....	5:42	0-2	0-2	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Jan. 1 vs. New Orleans .....	4:24	0-2	0-1	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Jan. 4 vs. Oklahoma City .....	7:17	0-1	0-0	0-0	2	0	0	0	0	0
Jan. 6 at Philadelphia .....	20:13	1-5	1-3	0-0	8	1	1	0	0	3

**Notable:** Claimed a season-high eight rebounds Monday at Philadelphia; *he's averaging 11.6 reb/48 on the year*... Scored all of his season-high 10 points in the 4th quarter Dec. 11 vs. Philadelphia... Logged a season-high 28:12 on Nov. 13 vs. Cleveland... Signed to a one-year contract on Sept. 26... Originally chosen by Minnesota in the 2nd round (58th overall) of the 2012 NBA Draft... Member of the Wolves' entry at the 2013 Las Vegas Summer League, where he tallied 8.6 ppg (47.1%) and 5.8 rpg.

**2012-13:** Wrapped up his first professional season by appearing in 30 games for Spanish club Blusens Monbús Obradoiro in the Liga Endesa (ACB)... Averaged 10.1 ppg and 3.8 rpg in 20.3 mpg, shooting 47.0% from the field, 41.2% (28-for-68) from three-point range and 89.1% from the FT line... Reached double figures on 19 occasions, scoring a game- and season-high 19 points (in 24:33) in the Apr. 14 victory at Real Madrid... Added 18 points Jan. 13 at Joventut, and snared nine rebounds Dec. 1 at Estudiantes... Debuted on Nov. 10 vs. Murcia, having been sidelined for two months after undergoing arthroscopic surgery on his right knee.



# KEVIN LOVE

F 6-10 243 UCLA '08

## #42

6th Year

### Season Averages:

**26.4 ppg 47.0 FG% 13.3 rpg 4.2 apg**

Last 5 Games	Min	FG-A	3P-A	FT-A	Reb	Ast	Stl	TO	Blk	Pts
Dec. 28 at Milwaukee .....	34:44	11-17	4-6	7-9	15	6	1	2	0	33
Dec. 30 vs. Dallas .....	39:42	14-24	2-7	6-8	11	4	1	1	0	36
Jan. 1 vs. New Orleans .....	34:50	7-19	1-7	6-8	6	3	1	2	1	21
Jan. 4 vs. Oklahoma City .....	43:25	11-21	5-9	3-7	14	5	2	7	1	30
Jan. 6 at Philadelphia .....	29:02	7-12	4-7	8-10	7	4	2	1	1	26

**Notable:** Has tallied 30+ points in six of his past 12 (10 this season, 40 career), averaging 30.8 ppg (52.0%) in that stretch... The New Orleans effort ended his string of 25-point outings at 11 games, the longest such streak in the NBA this year as well as the longest in franchise history... Poured in a season-high 45 points Dec. 22 at the Clippers, his club-record sixth career 40+ night (second this year); he totaled 42 points Dec. 13 at San Antonio... The 19 rebounds and 13 FTs at the Clippers are season bests; he's 3rd in the NBA with 208 FTs made (Durant 281, Harden 224)... Handed out a game- and career-high nine assists Dec. 18 vs. Portland... Tied Stephon Marbury's franchise single-game record by sinking eight three-pointers Dec. 13 at San Antonio; he's shooting 44.0% (48-for-109) from beyond the arc since Dec. 1... Totaled 32 points and 15 rebounds Nov. 8 vs. Dallas, one of 23 career games with 30+ points/15+ boards (five this season); among active players, only Tim Duncan (44), Dwight Howard (37) and Kevin Garnett (24) have collected more... Also dished eight assists vs. Dallas; it's the sixth time he's led the Wolves across the board (pts/reb/ast), the first since 2010-11... Named Western Conference Player of the Week on Nov. 4, the first such honor of his career... Ranks 2nd in scoring (26.4 ppg), 2nd in rebounding (13.3 rpg) and 5th among forwards in assists (4.2 apg)... Sank the game-tying 3-pointer with :10.1 left in regulation vs. Orlando on Oct. 30.

**2012-13:** Limited to 18 games in his fifth NBA campaign, missing 62 due to an injury to his right hand... Also sidelined for the Dec. 15 game vs. Dallas due to illness and the Dec. 23 contest at New York with a left eye injury... Averaged 18.3 ppg, 14.0 rpg and 2.3 apg but posted career lows in FG accuracy (35.2%) and FT accuracy (70.4%); he also slipped to 21.7% from three-point range... Made his season debut Nov. 21 vs. Denver, totaling 34 points and 14 boards; he'd missed the first nine games after sustaining a fracture of the third and fourth metacarpals in his right hand on Oct. 17... Re-fractured the third metacarpal in the Jan. 3 victory at Denver; he underwent surgery on Jan. 15 and was sidelined for the final 53 contests... Also underwent arthroscopic surgery to remove scar tissue on his left knee on Apr. 10... Led Minnesota with 28 points in the Dec. 20 win vs. Oklahoma City, adding a season-high seven assists... Overtook Tony Campbell (4888) for 5th place on the Wolves' career scoring list Dec. 18 at Miami (also his 200th career start)... Poured in a season-high 36 points Dec. 7 vs. Cleveland, part of his 29th career game with 30+ points/10+ rebounds... Hauled down a season-high 24 rebounds Nov. 27 at Sacramento, including a career-best 21 defensive boards; he's just the third Timberwolves player to pull in 20+ defensive boards in a game, joining Kevin Garnett and Al Jefferson... The Sacramento game marked the 16th time he's contributed 20+ points and 20+ rebounds in the same contest (18th career 20-rebound night overall)... Earned a gold medal at the 2012 Summer Olympics in London, averaging 11.6 ppg (63.0%) and 7.6 rpg in eight appearances.

**Milestone:** The Nov. 15 effort at Denver was the 200th double-double of his career; he needs 72 rebounds to reach 4000... Scored his 5000th point Oct. 30 vs. Orlando, and went over the 10,000-career-minute mark Dec. 18 vs. Portland.

### Career Highs – Kevin Love

Points:	<b>51</b>	@ Oklahoma City .....	3/23/12
Rebounds:	<b>31</b>	vs. New York .....	11/12/10
Assists:	<b>9</b>	MR: vs. Portland .....	12/18/13
Steals:	<b>3</b>	MR: @ Denver .....	11/15/13
Blocks:	<b>4</b>	MR: @ Memphis .....	3/27/12
Minutes:	<b>49</b>	@ Oklahoma City .....	3/23/12

2012-13 vs. Phoenix	Min	FG-A	3P-A	FT-A	Reb	Ast	Stl	TO	Blk	Pts
Dec. 29 at Minnesota .....	40:33	8-20	2-6	5-7	18	1	0	2	0	23
Feb. 26 at Phoenix .....	DNP-Right Hand Surgery									
Mar. 22 at Phoenix .....	DNP-Right Hand Surgery									
Apr. 13 at Minnesota .....	DNP-Right Hand Surgery									

Career vs. Phoenix	Min	FG%	3P%	FT%	Reb	Ast	Stl	TO	Blk	Pts
10 games .....	31.3	.376	.314	.814	11.8	1.8	0.80	1.8	0.20	17.1

# KEVIN MARTIN

## #23

G 6-7 197

Western Carolina '04 10th Year

### Season Averages:

**19.7 ppg 42.5 FG% 3.4 rpg 2.1 apg**

#### Last 5 Games

	Min	FG-A	3P-A	FT-A	Reb	Ast	Stl	TO	Blk	Pts
Dec. 28 at Milwaukee .....	28:43	8-17	4-7	0-0	2	2	1	4	0	20
Dec. 30 vs. Dallas .....	35:53	6-15	1-3	6-7	3	1	0	3	1	19
Jan. 1 vs. New Orleans .....	31:28	8-14	0-3	4-5	3	3	0	1	0	20
Jan. 4 vs. Oklahoma City .....	39:49	7-14	1-3	2-3	6	1	1	3	0	17
Jan. 6 at Philadelphia .....	22:55	5-10	3-4	5-5	1	4	2	1	0	18

**Notable:** Dealt a season-high four assists on Monday... The Jan. 1 outing vs. New Orleans was his 16th 20-point effort; he's shooting 52.6% (20-for-38) in the new year... Saw his string of consecutive FTs made halted at 36 on Nov. 30 at Dallas; he's 3rd in FT accuracy (90.6%) and 15th in FTs made (155)... Pulled in a season-high 10 rebounds Nov. 20 vs. the L.A. Clippers, part of his ninth career double-double (first since Nov. 4, 2009 vs. Atlanta)... The Nov. 19 game at Washington ended his run of eight straight 20-point nights... The Nov. 11 effort at the Clippers was his 72nd career 30-point outing (3rd this year); 20 of his 30 points were scored in the 2nd half... Tallied a season-high 32 points Nov. 8 vs. Dallas; he's 18th in scoring (19.7 ppg)... Acquired in a sign-and-trade from Oklahoma City on July 11 in a three-team transaction that sent Luke Ridnour and a 2nd-round pick in the 2014 NBA Draft to Milwaukee... Minnesota is his fourth NBA team.

#### Career Highs – Kevin Martin

Points:	<b>50</b>	@ Golden State.....	4/1/09
Rebounds:	<b>12</b>	vs. San Antonio.....	3/8/07
Assists:	<b>8</b>	MR: vs. L.A. Clippers.....	3/4/12
Steals:	<b>5</b>	vs. Seattle .....	11/6/07
Blocks:	<b>3</b>	vs. Charlotte.....	2/25/09
Minutes:	<b>56</b>	@ Golden State.....	1/14/09

**2012-13:** Completed his ninth NBA season and first in Oklahoma City, having been acquired from Houston (along with Jeremy Lamb, two 1st-round picks and a 2nd-round pick) on Oct. 27 in exchange for James Harden, Cole Aldrich, Daequan Cook and Lazar Haywood... Appeared in 77 games off the bench for the Thunder, missing five contests due to injury or illness... Averaged 14.0 ppg - good for 5th in the NBA among reserves -- along with 2.3 rpg and 1.4 apg in 27.7 mpg... Shot 45.0% from the floor (his best percentage since 2007-08) while ranking 10th in the NBA in three-point accuracy (a career-high 42.6%) and 4th in FT accuracy (89.0%)... Added 14.0 ppg (38.0%) and 3.1 rpg while logging 29.4 mpg over 11 playoff outings, his first postseason games since 2005-06 with Sacramento... Tallied a season-high 28 points -- 19 in the 2nd quarter -- Nov. 4 vs. Atlanta and added 27 points (hitting 6-for-11 from long range) Nov. 16 at New Orleans; the Thunder were 9-1 when he scored 20+... Claimed a season-high seven rebounds Dec. 27 vs. Dallas and picked off a season-high four steals Jan. 23 at Golden State... Dealt his 1000th career assist Nov. 18 vs. Golden State, and played in his 500th NBA game Dec. 19 at Atlanta; he sank his 900th three-pointer Apr. 11 at Golden State.

**Milestones:** Scored the 10,000th point of his career Nov. 11 at the Clippers; he becomes the 321st member of the NBA's 10K club... Sank his 3000th free throw Nov. 20 vs. the Clippers; he needs 36 three-pointers for 1000 and 69 rebounds to reach 2000.

#### Career vs. Phoenix

	Min	FG%	3P%	FT%	Reb	Ast	Stl	TO	Blk	Pts
25 games .....	28.1	.389	.385	.861	3.0	1.5	1.00	1.4	0.12	13.2

# LUC RICHARD MBAH A MOUTÉ

F 6-8 230 UCLA '08

## #12

6th Year

### Season Averages:

4.2 ppg 46.3 FG% 3.3 rpg 1.0 apg

Last 5 Games	Min	FG-A	3P-A	FT-A	Reb	Ast	Stl	TO	Blk	Pts
Dec. 28 at Milwaukee	15:26	2-5	0-0	4-8	8	0	0	1	0	8
Dec. 30 vs. Dallas	14:17	0-1	0-1	0-0	1	0	0	2	0	0
Jan. 1 vs. New Orleans	15:10	1-1	0-0	1-1	1	0	0	2	0	3
Jan. 4 vs. Oklahoma City	DNP-Strained Left Groin									
Jan. 6 at Philadelphia	DNP-Strained Left Groin									

**Notable:** Listed as questionable for tonight's contest... Grabbed a season-high eight rebounds (including five offensive) Dec. 28 at Milwaukee... Started the Dec. 7 game vs. Miami (scoring a season-high 11 points)... Acquired from Sacramento on Nov. 26 in return for forward Derrick Williams... Saw action in nine games with the Kings, starting each of the five most recent contests; he drew four DNP-CDs... Scored 11 points Nov. 20 at Phoenix, and had seven rebounds Nov. 19 vs. Phoenix... Acquired by Sacramento from Milwaukee on July 12 in exchange for two future 2nd-round draft picks.

### Career Highs – Luc Richard Mbah a Mouté

Points:	22	@ Golden State.....	3/6/12
Rebounds:	19	@ Golden State.....	2/3/11
Assists:	6	@ Cleveland .....	12/14/12
Steals:	5	MR: vs. Philadelphia.....	3/12/11
Blocks:	3	MR: vs. New York.....	3/20/11
Minutes:	47	vs. Charlotte .....	11/27/10

**2012-13:** Finished his fifth season in the NBA (and with the Bucks) by appearing in 58 games, including 45 starts... *Milwaukee went 23-22 in his starts*, compared with 15-22 in all other contests... Sidelined for the first 14 games while recovering from offseason surgery on his right knee; he also missed eight contests (Mar. 12-24) due to a sprained right toe... Averaged 6.7 ppg and 4.4 rpg in 22.9 mpg, while shooting a career-low 40.1% from the floor, 35.1% (13-for-37) from three-point range and 57.1% from the FT line... Also saw action in four postseason contests (all starts) vs. Miami, contributing 8.3 ppg (on 43.5% shooting) and 3.5 rpg in 34.0 mpg... *Tallied a season-high 20 points (in a season-high 40:02) Dec. 21 at Boston*, the fourth 20+ effort of his career... Collected his lone double-double with 10 points and 10 rebounds Dec. 18 vs. Indiana, and handed out a career-high six assists (adding a season-best four steals) Dec. 14 at Cleveland... Originally selected by Milwaukee in the 2nd round (37th overall) of the 2008 NBA Draft; he was a teammate of Kevin Love at UCLA in 2007-08.

Career vs. Phoenix	Min	FG%	3P%	FT%	Reb	Ast	Stl	TO	Blk	Pts
10 games	25.0	.466	.500	.769	4.5	1.1	1.30	1.1	0.50	6.5

# SHABAZZ MUHAMMAD

F 6-6 222 UCLA '13

## #15

Rookie

### Season Averages:

1.1 ppg 25.0 FG% 0.7 rpg 0.0 apg

Last 5 Games	Min	FG-A	3P-A	FT-A	Reb	Ast	Stl	TO	Blk	Pts
Dec. 28 at Milwaukee	1:37	0-1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Dec. 30 vs. Dallas	DNP-CD									
Jan. 1 vs. New Orleans	2:18	1-1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	1	0	2
Jan. 4 vs. Oklahoma City	DNP-CD									
Jan. 6 at Philadelphia	Inactive									

**Notable:** Assigned to Iowa (D-League) on Sunday, and is expected to be in uniform for this week's D-League Showcase in Reno... Returned Nov. 23 at Houston, after missing five contests due to a sprained right ankle... Pulled down four rebounds (in a season-high 9:39) Nov. 13 vs. Cleveland... Signed to a two-year contract on July 13... Acquired from Utah (along with Gorgui Dieng) in return for Trey Burke in a draft-night transaction on June 27; he was selected by the Jazz in the 1st round (14th overall) of the 2013 NBA Draft... Played for the Wolves' entry at the 2013 Las Vegas Summer League, averaging 8.5 ppg (36.5%) and 2.2 rpg.

**2012-13:** Was UCLA's leading scorer (17.9 ppg) as a freshman, shooting 44.3% from the floor, 37.7% (40-for-106) from three-point distance and 71.1% from the FT line in 32 games (30 starts)... Also averaged 5.2 rpg while logging 30.8 mpg... *Earned All-Pac-12 First Team honors and was named the conference's Co-Freshman of the Year*; he also was selected to the USBWA's Freshman All-American team... Scored 20+ points on 14 occasions, with UCLA going 12-2 in those games; he reached double figures in 31 of 32 games overall... Collected three point/rebound double-doubles, totaling 13 points and a season-high 11 rebounds Feb. 14 at California... Pumped in a season-high 27 points in back-to-back contests (Dec. 22 vs. Fresno State, Dec. 28 vs. Missouri), capping a four-game run that saw him average 25.0 ppg and shoot 54.5% (36-for-66) from the floor... Dished a season-high four assists Dec. 15 vs. Prairie View A&M... Finished the year with a 20-point outing vs. Minnesota in the NCAA Tournament on Mar. 22.

# NIKOLA PEKOVIC

## #14

C 6-11 285 Montenegro

4th Year

### Season Averages:

18.0 ppg 52.6 FG% 9.3 rpg 1.0 apg

#### Last 5 Games

	Min	FG-A	3P-A	FT-A	Reb	Ast	Stl	TO	Blk	Pts
Dec. 28 at Milwaukee	32:47	7-12	0-0	5-8	11	3	1	3	1	19
Dec. 30 vs. Dallas	41:42	6-13	0-0	6-6	10	1	1	1	1	18
Jan. 1 vs. New Orleans	33:51	7-12	0-0	8-11	7	0	1	1	0	22
Jan. 4 vs. Oklahoma City	38:06	13-22	0-0	5-8	11	0	0	0	0	31
Jan. 6 at Philadelphia	22:41	7-15	0-0	2-2	14	1	0	3	1	16

**Notable:** Grabbed a game- and season-high 14 rebounds at Philadelphia, part of his 18th double-double on the year (61st career); it's the fourth time he's been the Wolves' top rebounder... Has posted 26 career 20-point/10-rebound efforts (eight this year)... Erupted for a career-high 34 points Dec. 22 at the Clippers; he's scored 30+ in three of the past nine games, averaging 23.3 ppg (54.6%) and 11.0 rpg in that stretch... Pulled in 10 offensive rebounds Dec. 20 at the Lakers, tying the NBA season best; he's just the third player in franchise history to grab 8+ offensive boards in consecutive games (Kevin Love and Joe Smith)... Tallied 30 points Dec. 18 vs. Portland, one of three times he's been Minnesota's leading scorer this year... Matched his career high with four assists Nov. 10 at the L.A. Lakers... Ranks 22nd in the NBA in scoring (18.0 ppg), 16th in rebounding (9.3 rpg) and 16th in FG accuracy (52.6%)... Re-signed to a five-year contract on Aug. 16.

**2012-13:** Concluded his third season in the NBA by notching career highs in scoring (16.3 ppg), rebounding (8.8 rpg) and minutes (31.6 mpg)... Appeared in 62 games, missing 19 due to injury; he sat out three games (Nov. 14-16, Mar. 30) with a sprained left ankle, five (Jan. 19-26) due to a right thigh contusion, eight (Mar. 2-15) with an abdominal strain and the final three (Apr. 13-17) due to a left calf contusion... Ranked 20th in FG accuracy (52.0%) while shooting 74.4% from the FT line... Collected a team-high 26 point/rebound double-doubles, including 11 games with 20+ points and 10+ boards... Named Western Conference Player of the Week for Apr. 1-7, the first such honor of his career and the first for any Wolves player since Al Jefferson in January 2009; he averaging 20.4 ppg (55.6%) and 9.8 rpg over his last nine starts (36.0 mpg)... Scored the 2000th point of his career Apr. 9 at Golden State, and grabbed his 1000th career rebound Mar. 26 at Detroit... Shot 12-for-16 from the line Apr. 5 vs. Toronto, marking career highs in both categories... Paced the Wolves with 27 points and a career-high 18 rebounds Feb. 20 vs. Philadelphia, and collected 25 points and 18 rebounds Jan. 8 vs. Atlanta... Scored a season-high 31 points Dec. 14 at New Orleans.

#### 2012-13 vs. Phoenix

	Min	FG-A	3P-A	FT-A	Reb	Ast	Stl	TO	Blk	Pts
Dec. 29 at Minnesota	34:20	13-20	0-0	2-4	11	1	1	0	1	28
Feb. 26 at Phoenix	40:15	6-11	0-0	6-6	12	2	3	1	3	18
Mar. 22 at Phoenix	13:45	5-7	0-0	1-4	2	0	1	0	0	11
Apr. 13 at Minnesota	DNP-Left Calf Contusion									

#### Career vs. Phoenix

	Min	FG%	3P%	FT%	Reb	Ast	Stl	TO	Blk	Pts
9 games	25.4	.619	.000	.719	5.4	0.6	1.33	1.1	0.56	14.1

#### Career Highs – Nikola Pekovic

Points:	34	@ L.A. Clippers.....	12/22/13
Rebounds:	18	MR: vs. Philadelphia.....	2/20/13
Assists:	4	MR: @ L.A. Lakers.....	11/10/13
Steals:	3	MR: @ Phoenix.....	2/26/13
Blocks:	4	MR: @ Utah.....	1/2/13
Minutes:	46	@ L.A. Clippers.....	12/22/13

# A.J. PRICE

## #22

G 6-2 195 Connecticut '09

5th Year

### Season Averages:

1.5 ppg 45.0 FG% 0.4 rpg 0.7 apg

#### Last 5 Games

	Min	FG-A	3P-A	FT-A	Reb	Ast	Stl	TO	Blk	Pts
Dec. 28 at Milwaukee	1:37	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	2	0	0	0	0
Dec. 30 vs. Dallas	DNP-CD									
Jan. 1 vs. New Orleans	2:18	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Jan. 4 vs. Oklahoma City	DNP-CD									
Jan. 6 at Philadelphia	6:24	4-6	1-2	0-0	0	1	0	0	0	9

**Notable:** Scored a season-high nine points Monday at Philadelphia... Logged a season-high 12:12 vs. Cleveland on Nov. 13... Made his Timberwolves debut Nov. 6 vs. Golden State... Signed to a one-year contract on Sept. 30.

**2012-13:** Finished his first season with Washington and fourth in the NBA by playing in a career-high 57 games (22 starts)... Missed 15 contests due to a fractured fourth metatarsal in his right hand suffered Dec. 8 vs. Golden State, and was sidelined for nine games (Mar. 13-27) due to a strained groin... Registered career bests with 7.7 ppg, 2.0 rpg, 3.6 apg and 22.4 mpg; he shot 39.0% from the floor, a career-high 35.0% (70-for-200) from three-point range and 79.0% from the FT line... Tallied 9.0 ppg and 4.7 apg as a starter, logging 26.3 mpg... Scored a career-high 24 points in the Apr. 17 season finale at Chicago, and added 23 points (going 5-for-8 from beyond the arc) vs. Miami on Apr. 10; he reached double figures on 18 occasions overall... Notched his lone double-double with 12 points and a career-high 14 assists Nov. 10 at Indiana... Signed by the Wizards as an unrestricted free agent to a one-year contract on July 24, after spending three seasons with Indiana.

#### Career Highs – A.J. Price

Points:	24	@ Chicago.....	4/17/13
Rebounds:	8	vs. Minnesota.....	2/11/11
Assists:	14	@ Indiana.....	11/10/12
Steals:	3	MR: @ Detroit.....	3/26/11
Blocks:	1	MR: @ Brooklyn.....	4/15/13
Minutes:	37	@ Boston.....	11/7/12

#### Career vs. Phoenix

	Min	FG%	3P%	FT%	Reb	Ast	Stl	TO	Blk	Pts
4 games	13.0	.389	.500	1.000	1.5	1.3	0.25	1.5	0.25	5.3

# RICKY RUBIO

G 6-4 185 Spain

#9  
3rd Year

### Season Averages:

8.9 ppg 34.8 FG% 4.6 rpg 8.3 apg

### Last 5 Games

	Min	FG-A	3P-A	FT-A	Reb	Ast	Stl	TO	Blk	Pts
Dec. 28 at Milwaukee	27:19	1-5	0-1	2-2	2	8	6	3	0	4
Dec. 30 vs. Dallas	30:58	1-3	0-1	2-2	9	13	3	2	0	4
Jan. 1 vs. New Orleans	32:56	4-6	1-1	5-6	8	9	3	3	2	14
Jan. 4 vs. Oklahoma City	33:48	4-13	0-2	5-6	4	10	5	2	0	13
Jan. 6 at Philadelphia	24:50	2-8	0-0	0-0	3	8	1	1	0	4

**Notable:** Saturday's outing was his 30th career double-double (sixth this year), and the 10th 10+ point/10+ assist/5+ steal effort of his career... Dishing 9.9 apg in the last seven games... Snared a game-high eight rebounds Jan. 1 vs. New Orleans, and picked off a season-high six steals Dec. 28 at Milwaukee... Tallied a season-high 21 points Dec. 11 vs. Philadelphia; Minnesota is 11-4 when he scores 10+... Dealt a career-high 16 assists Nov. 13 vs. Cleveland, the most by any Wolves player since Chauncey Billups tied the franchise record with 17 vs. Dallas on Mar. 28, 2002... Posted his second career triple-double Nov. 10 at the Lakers... Leads the NBA in steals (2.82 spg) and ranks 5th in assists (8.3 apg) and 18th in FT accuracy (85.3%)... Had his 2014-15 contract option exercised on Oct. 26... Helped Spain earn a bronze medal at EuroBasket 2013, held Sept. 4-22 in Slovenia; he averaged 7.2 ppg (46.3%) and 3.4 apg in 11 contests.

**2012-13:** Completed his second year in the NBA by appearing in 57 games (47 starts)... Made his first appearance of the year Dec. 15 vs. Dallas; he'd been sidelined for the first 20 games while recovering from surgery to repair a torn ACL and a torn LCL in his left knee... Also missed four contests (Dec. 29-Jan. 5) with back spasms... Averaged 10.7 ppg, 4.0 rpg and 7.3 apg while playing 29.7 mpg; he shot 36.0% from the floor, 29.3% from three-point range and 79.9% from the line... Ranked 2nd in the NBA in steals (2.40 spg), breaking the previous franchise single-season mark (2.17) set by Micheal Williams in 1992-93; he also finished 10th in the league in assists... Tallied a career-high 24 points Apr. 13 vs. Phoenix, part of his 13th double-double this year and third 20-point/10-assist outing in the season's final month... Scored the 1000th point of his NBA career Apr. 12 at Utah, and dished his 500th career assist Feb. 20 vs. Philadelphia... Picked off eight steals Apr. 3 at Milwaukee, tying the franchise record shared by Tyrone Corbin and Brandon; it also matched the NBA's single-game best for 2012-13 (Kemba Walker, Nov. 10)... The five three-pointers and eight TOs at Milwaukee were both career highs; he sank 16 of his final 36 from beyond the arc (44.4%)... Tallied a game-high 23 points Mar. 30 vs. Memphis, the second time he led the Wolves across the board (pts/reb/ast)... Collected his first career triple-double Mar. 12 vs. San Antonio, racking up 21 points, 12 assists and a career-high 13 rebounds... Swiped six steals Mar. 6 vs. Washington, capping a run that saw him grab 43 steals in 10 contests, the most prolific 10-game stretch in the NBA since Ron Artest totaled 44 in 2002 (Jan. 19-Feb.12) and the 4th-highest total in the past 20 years... Chipped in five points and 10 assists in the BBVA Rising Stars Challenge on Feb. 15... Handed out a season-high 14 assists vs. Portland on Feb. 4; he dealt 10 of the assists in the fourth quarter, matching a franchise record he shares with Marbury and Pooh Richardson... Had his 2013-14 contract option exercised on Oct. 30.

**Milestones:** Dealt his 1000th career assist Dec. 30 vs. Dallas, becoming the 10th player in Wolves history to reach that plateau... The Nov. 1 game vs. Oklahoma City was the 100th of his NBA career... Grabbed his 500th career rebound Dec. 11 vs. Philadelphia.

### Career Highs – Ricky Rubio

Points:	24	vs. Phoenix	4/13/13
Rebounds:	13	vs. San Antonio	3/12/13
Assists:	16	vs. Cleveland	11/13/13
Steals:	8	@ Milwaukee	4/3/13
Blocks:	2	MR: vs. New Orleans	1/1/14
Minutes:	46	@ Dallas	1/25/12

### 2012-13 vs. Phoenix

	Min	FG-A	3P-A	FT-A	Reb	Ast	Stl	TO	Blk	Pts
Dec. 29 at Minnesota	DNP-Back Spasms									
Feb. 26 at Phoenix	38:55	2-12	0-0	1-2	5	10	4	6	0	5
Mar. 22 at Phoenix	29:04	3-7	0-0	6-7	6	8	5	4	0	12
Apr. 13 at Minnesota	35:57	8-18	1-3	7-7	5	10	5	4	0	24

### Career vs. Phoenix

	Min	FG%	3P%	FT%	Reb	Ast	Stl	TO	Blk	Pts
4 games	33.8	.364	.200	.913	4.5	7.5	4.00	3.8	0.00	13.5

# ALEXEY SHVED

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#1  
2nd Year

### Season Averages:

3.4 ppg 27.2 FG% 1.5 rpg 1.1 apg

Last 5 Games	Min	FG-A	3P-A	FT-A	Reb	Ast	Stl	TO	Blk	Pts
Dec. 28 at Milwaukee	19:55	2-8	1-5	0-0	3	2	1	0	1	5
Dec. 30 vs. Dallas	6:14	0-3	0-1	0-0	2	0	0	2	1	0
Jan. 1 vs. New Orleans	16:32	2-4	2-4	4-4	3	2	1	1	1	10
Jan. 4 vs. Oklahoma City	8:33	0-2	0-0	0-0	0	1	1	0	0	0
Jan. 6 at Philadelphia	22:34	4-12	1-3	1-1	3	4	3	0	1	10

**Notable:** Picked off a career-high three steals at Philadelphia; the four assists are a season best... Has gone 11-for-29 (37.9%) from beyond the arc in the last 12 games, and has committed just five TOs in that stretch, as well (172 minutes)... Posted season highs with 13 points and five rebounds Dec. 27 vs. Washington, one of four double-digit scoring nights... Had two blocks Nov. 19 at Washington... Played for Russia at EuroBasket 2013, held Sept. 4-22 in Slovenia... Tallied a team-high 16.4 ppg (46.5%) and 4.8 apg in five games.

**2012-13:** Appeared in 77 games as Minnesota's lone rookie, missing five (Jan. 19-26) with a sprained left ankle... Ranked 2nd among qualified NBA rookies in assists (3.7 apg) and 5th in scoring (8.6 ppg) while grabbing 2.3 rpg in 23.9 mpg... Shot 37.2% from the field, 29.5% from beyond the arc and 72.0% from the line; he hoisted a team-high 288 trey attempts... Made 16 consecutive starts from Dec. 14-Jan. 14; he averaged 11.2 ppg (37.1%) and 5.9 apg as a starter, logging 33.7 mpg...

### Career Highs – Alexey Shved

Points:	22	vs. Golden State.....	11/16/12
Rebounds:	7	MR: @ Indiana .....	3/13/13
Assists:	12	vs. Oklahoma City .....	12/20/12
Steals:	3	@ Philadelphia.....	1/ 6/14
Blocks:	3	@ Dallas .....	11/12/12
Minutes:	44	vs. Dallas .....	12/15/12

... Led the Wolves in assists on 12 occasions; he dealt nine assists Apr. 9 at Golden State, his 2nd-highest total of the season... Collected 73 ast/27 TOs (2.70-to-1) over the final 22 games... Pulled in a season-high seven rebounds Mar. 13 at Indiana... Scored 17 points Feb. 22 at Oklahoma City, one of eight times he led Minnesota; however, he slipped to 5.7 ppg and 35.2% in 30 ensuing contests... Netted 12 points and four assists in the BBVA Rising Stars Challenge on Feb. 15, as part of All-Star Weekend in Houston... Handed out a season-high 12 assists vs. Oklahoma City on Dec. 20, and logged a season-high 44:27 Dec. 15 vs. Dallas... Scored a season-high 22 points Nov. 16 vs. Golden State... Signed as an unrestricted free agent to a three-year contract on July 25... Earned a bronze medal with Russia at the 2012 Summer Olympics, tallying 11.4 ppg (43.4%), 3.1 rpg and 5.9 apg in eight contests.

2012-13 vs. Phoenix	Min	FG-A	3P-A	FT-A	Reb	Ast	Stl	TO	Blk	Pts
Dec. 29 at Minnesota	34:04	3-6	1-4	5-6	4	10	0	3	0	12
Feb. 26 at Phoenix	23:27	2-9	1-2	0-0	1	1	1	1	0	5
Mar. 22 at Phoenix	13:32	2-4	0-1	2-2	2	5	1	1	0	6
Apr. 13 at Minnesota	7:35	1-4	1-2	0-0	1	0	0	0	0	3

  

Career vs. Phoenix	Min	FG%	3P%	FT%	Reb	Ast	Stl	TO	Blk	Pts
4 games	19:8	.348	.333	.875	2.0	4.0	0.50	1.3	0.00	6.5

# RONNY TURIJAF

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#32  
9th Year

### Season Averages:

1.0 ppg 20.0 FG% 4.0 rpg 1.0 apg

Last 5 Games	Min	FG-A	3P-A	FT-A	Reb	Ast	Stl	TO	Blk	Pts
Dec. 28 at Milwaukee	Inactive-Fractured Right Elbow									
Dec. 30 vs. Dallas	Inactive-Fractured Right Elbow									
Jan. 1 vs. New Orleans	Inactive-Fractured Right Elbow									
Jan. 4 vs. Oklahoma City	Inactive-Fractured Right Elbow									
Jan. 6 at Philadelphia	22:34	0-1	0-0	0-0	9	1	0	2	2	0

**Notable:** Returned to the lineup Monday at Philadelphia, having been sidelined for the previous 31 games after suffering a radial head fracture in his right elbow Nov. 1 vs. Oklahoma City... Had 12 rebounds Oct. 23 at Philly, the most by any Wolves player this preseason... Signed as an unrestricted free agent to a two-year contract on July 18; Minnesota is his seventh NBA team.

**2012-13:** Finished his eighth season in the NBA and first with the Clippers by seeing action in 65 games off the bench... Averaged a career-low 1.9 ppg with 2.3 rpg in 10.8 mpg; he shot 50.5% from the floor but just 36.5% (23-for-63) from the FT line... Added 3.2 ppg and 1.6 rpg in 11.8 mpg over five playoff contests, going 7-for-10 from the floor... Scored 11 points (on 5-for-5 shooting) Jan. 17 at Minnesota, his lone double-digit outing of the year... Grabbed a season-high seven rebounds Feb. 26 vs. Charlotte, and picked off a career-high-tying three steals Nov. 7 vs. San Antonio... Logged a season-best 21:40 Feb. 28 at Indiana; the Clippers were 20-0 when he played 15+ minutes... Signed as an unrestricted free agent to a one-year contract on July 27.

### Career Highs – Ronny Turiaf

Points:	23	@ Golden State.....	11/1/06
Rebounds:	15	vs. Phoenix .....	4/8/07
Assists:	8	MR: @ Golden State .....	11/19/10
Steals:	3	MR: vs. San Antonio.....	11/7/12
Blocks:	6	MR: vs. Indiana .....	1/2/11
Minutes:	40	vs. Oklahoma City .....	1/21/09

Career vs. Phoenix	Min	FG%	3P%	FT%	Reb	Ast	Stl	TO	Blk	Pts
21 games	16.6	.517	.000	.571	4.3	1.1	0.24	0.9	1.00	5.4