

## 2012-13 Timberwolves Schedule

Date	Opponent	Time/Score
11/2	Sacramento	W 92- 80
11/4	at Toronto	L 86-105
11/5	at Brooklyn	W107- 96
11/7	Orlando	W 90- 75
11/9	Indiana	W 96- 94
11/10	at Chicago	L 80- 87
11/12	at Dallas	W 90- 82
11/14	Charlotte	L 87- 89
11/16	Golden State	L 98-106
11/21	Denver	L 94-101
11/23	at Portland	L 95-103
11/24	at Golden State	L 85- 96
11/27	at Sacramento	W 97- 89
11/28	at L.A. Clippers	L 95-101
11/30	Milwaukee	W 95- 85
12/4	at Philadelphia	W105- 88
12/5	at Boston	L 94-104
12/7	Cleveland	W 91- 73
12/12	Denver	W108-105
12/14	at New Orleans	W113-102
12/15	Dallas	W114-106 (ot)
12/17	at Orlando	L 93-102
12/18	at Miami	L 92-103
12/20	Oklahoma City	W 99- 93
12/23	at New York	L 91- 94
12/26	Houston	L 84- 87
12/29	Phoenix	W111-107
1/2	at Utah	L 84-106
1/3	at Denver	W101- 97
1/5	Portland	L 97-102
1/8	Atlanta	W108-103
1/9	at Oklahoma City	L 84-106
1/11	at New Orleans	L 92-104
1/13	at San Antonio	L 88-106
1/14	at Dallas	L 98-113
1/17	L.A. Clippers	L 77- 90
1/19	Houston	W 92- 79
1/21	at Atlanta	L 96-104
1/23	Brooklyn	L 83- 91
1/25	at Washington	L101-114
1/26	at Charlotte	L101-102
1/30	L.A. Clippers	L 90- 96
2/1	L.A. Lakers	L100-111
2/2	New Orleans	W115- 86
2/4	Portland	7:00 p.m.
2/6	San Antonio	8:00 p.m.
2/8	New York	7:00 p.m.
2/10	at Memphis	5:00 p.m.
2/11	at Cleveland	6:00 p.m.
2/13	Utah	7:00 p.m.
2/20	Philadelphia	7:00 p.m.
2/22	at Oklahoma City	7:00 p.m.
2/24	Golden State	2:30 p.m.
2/26	at Phoenix	8:00 p.m.
2/28	at L.A. Lakers	9:30 p.m.
3/2	at Portland	9:00 p.m.
3/4	Miami	7:00 p.m.
3/6	Washington	7:00 p.m.
3/9	at Denver	8:00 p.m.
3/10	Dallas	6:00 p.m.
3/12	San Antonio	7:00 p.m.
3/13	at Indiana	6:00 p.m.
3/15	at Houston	7:00 p.m.
3/17	New Orleans	6:00 p.m.
3/18	at Memphis	7:00 p.m.
3/21	at Sacramento	9:00 p.m.
3/22	at Phoenix	9:00 p.m.
3/24	Chicago	6:00 p.m.
3/26	at Detroit	6:30 p.m.
3/27	L.A. Lakers	7:00 p.m.
3/29	Oklahoma City	7:00 p.m.
3/30	Memphis	7:00 p.m.
4/1	Boston	7:00 p.m.
4/3	at Milwaukee	7:00 p.m.
4/5	Toronto	7:00 p.m.
4/6	Detroit	7:00 p.m.
4/9	at Golden State	9:30 p.m.
4/10	at L.A. Clippers	9:30 p.m.
4/12	at Utah	8:00 p.m.
4/13	Phoenix	7:00 p.m.
4/15	Utah	7:00 p.m.
4/17	at San Antonio	7:00 p.m.

(all times Central)

## Minnesota Timberwolves (18-26) vs. Portland Trail Blazers (24-23)

Game #45, Home Game #22

Target Center

February 4, 2013 at 7:00 PM CST

TV: Fox Sports North Plus

Radio: WCCO (830 AM)

### Probable Starters:

Pos.	No.	Player	Ht.	Wt.	Notable
F	47	Andrei Kirilenko	6-9	234	Shooting 60.0% in last 9 home gms
F	7	Derrick Williams	6-8	243	Career-high 11 reb 1/25 @ Was.
C	14	Nikola Pekovic	6-11	281	Last 21: 17.7 pts (53.1%), 9.8 reb
G	13	Luke Ridnour	6-2	173	Season-high 22 points 1/26 @ Cha.
G	9	Ricky Rubio	6-4	194	10.3 pts (46.9%), 6.5 ast in last 4

### Injury Report:

**Forward Chase Budinger:** Suffered a lateral meniscus tear in his left knee Nov. 10 at Chicago. He underwent surgery on Nov. 13, has missed 38 games and will be sidelined indefinitely.

**Guard Malcolm Lee:** Underwent surgery on his right knee on Jan. 14 and right hip on Jan. 16, has missed the last 25 games and is expected to miss the remainder of the season.

**Forward Kevin Love:** Underwent surgery to repair the third and fourth metacarpals in his right hand on Jan. 15, has missed 15 games and is expected to be sidelined for 8-10 weeks.

**Center Nikola Pekovic:** Returned Jan. 30 vs. the L.A. Clippers, having missed the previous five games due to a right thigh contusion sustained Jan. 17 vs. the Clippers.

**Guard Brandon Roy:** Has missed the past 39 games after undergoing arthroscopic surgery on his right knee on Nov. 19, and will be sidelined indefinitely.

**Guard Alexey Shved:** Returned Jan. 30 vs. the L.A. Clippers after missing the previous five contests due to a sprained left ankle suffered Jan. 17 vs. the Clippers.

### Recent Transactions:

**Jan. 29:** Re-signed forward Mickaël Gelabale and center Chris Johnson to 10-day contracts.

**Jan. 19:** Signed free-agent forward Mickaël Gelabale and free-agent center Chris Johnson to 10-day contracts.

**Jan. 8:** Signed free-agent forward Lazar Hayward to a 10-day contract.

**Jan. 6:** Waived forward Lazar Hayward.

### Records:

	Record	Home	Road	Overtime
<b>OVERALL</b>	<b>18-26 (.409)</b>	<b>12-9 (.571)</b>	<b>6-17 (.261)</b>	<b>1-0 (1.000)</b>
<b>Atlantic</b>	2-4 (.333)	0-1 (.000)	2-3 (.400)	0-0 (.000)
<b>Southeast</b>	2-6 (.250)	2-1 (.667)	0-5 (.000)	0-0 (.000)
<b>Central</b>	3-1 (.750)	3-0 (1.000)	0-1 (.000)	0-0 (.000)
<b>EASTERN</b>	<b>7-11 (.389)</b>	<b>5-2 (.714)</b>	<b>2-9 (.182)</b>	<b>0-0 (.000)</b>
<b>Northwest</b>	3-5 (.375)	2-2 (.500)	1-3 (.250)	0-0 (.000)
<b>Southwest</b>	5-4 (.556)	3-1 (.750)	2-3 (.400)	1-0 (1.000)
<b>Pacific</b>	3-6 (.333)	2-4 (.333)	1-2 (.333)	0-0 (.000)
<b>WESTERN</b>	<b>11-15 (.423)</b>	<b>7-7 (.500)</b>	<b>4-8 (.333)</b>	<b>1-0 (1.000)</b>

**STREAKS:**

**Overall:** Won 1

**Home:** Won 1

**Road:** Lost 7

### Next 5 Games:

(all times Central)

Date	Opponent	Time	TV	Radio
Wednesday, Feb. 6	vs. San Antonio Spurs	8:00 p.m.	FSN / ESPN	WCCO
Friday, Feb. 8	vs. New York Knicks	7:00 p.m.	FSN	WCCO
Sunday, Feb. 10	at Memphis Grizzlies	5:00 p.m.	WFTC	WCCO
Monday, Feb. 11	at Cleveland Cavaliers	6:00 p.m.	FSN	WCCO
Wednesday, Feb. 13	vs. Utah Jazz	7:00 p.m.	FSN	WCCO

Min	Four Factors	NO
.617	Effective FG%	.421
.194	TO Percentage	.233
.441	Off. Rebound %	.237
.260	FT Made / FG Att.	.386
Min	Scoring	NO
29	Points off TOs	7
58	Points in the Paint	32
23	2nd-Chance Points	13
9	Fast Break Points	9

**Last Game: Saturday, Feb. 2 – Minnesota 115, New Orleans 86**

Dante Cunningham's 18 points featured a club-record 9-for-9 shooting performance and topped a 68-point bench contribution as the Timberwolves snapped their six-game losing streak by routing New Orleans, 115-86, on Saturday night at Target Center. Minnesota never trailed, closing the first quarter with 12 unanswered points to open a 33-14 lead. Ryan Anderson's jumper at 10:46 of the second ended the Hornets' drought, but the Wolves' lead ballooned to 55-25 on a Nikola Pekovic basket with 3:31 to play. Leading by 27 at intermission, Minnesota's advantage never dipped below 23 in the second half, although Anthony Davis and Robin López teamed up for 15 third-quarter points for New Orleans. The Wolves took their largest lead of the contest when Lou Amundson's dunk made it 110-76 with 2:03 remaining, and Minnesota went on to register a season-high point total as well as its third-largest winning margin in the past decade. Pekovic had 14 points and a game-high seven rebounds for the Wolves, who shot a season-high 58.4 percent from the floor. Davis led the Hornets with 18 points and López finished with 16.

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**Previous Game: Friday, Feb. 1 – L.A. Lakers 111, Minnesota 100**

Pau Gasol tallied 22 points and 12 rebounds, Kobe Bryant added 17 points, 12 rebounds and eight assists, and Los Angeles rolled to a 111-100 victory over the Timberwolves on Friday night at Target Center. Gasol scored 13 points and the Lakers shot a blistering 68 percent in building a 37-24 lead after one quarter, and margin crested at 29 when Steve Nash's 3-pointer midway through the second capped a 20-1 surge. Minnesota rallied to within 68-53 by halftime, and Luke Ridnour's steal and layup shaved the deficit to eight with 7:11 to play in the third period. Alexey Shved's trey beat the buzzer to keep the Wolves within 85-76 entering the fourth, and another Shved 3-pointer made it 94-90 with 5:55 remaining. However, Gasol countered with a three-point play to stall Minnesota's comeback bid, and after a Dante Cunningham jumper brought the Wolves back to within seven at the 1:47 mark, Gasol and Bryant sealed the win with free throws. Antawn Jamison had 18 points for the Lakers, which beat Minnesota for the 20th consecutive time. Shved's 18 points topped the Wolves and Derrick Williams netted 15 points with nine rebounds.

Min	Four Factors	LAL
.517	Effective FG%	.489
.128	TO Percentage	.131
.167	Off. Rebound %	.347
.090	FT Made / FG Att.	.228
Min	Scoring	LAL
19	Points off TOs	16
46	Points in the Paint	38
13	2nd-Chance Points	16
13	Fast Break Points	8

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**Tonight's Opponent: Portland Trail Blazers**

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

Friday, Nov. 23	at Portland	L95-103
Saturday, Jan. 5	at Minnesota	L97-102
Monday, Feb. 4	at Minnesota	
Saturday, Mar. 2	at Portland	

The victory last Mar. 7 ended an eight-game home drought vs. Portland, dating to Mar. 25, 2007. The Blazers have won 19 of the last 21 overall.

**First Meeting:** Wesley Matthews and Damian Lillard combined for 58 points and Portland made up an early 13-point deficit to hand the Timberwolves a 103-95 loss on Nov. 23 at the Rose Garden. Matthews finished with 30 points and Lillard added 28 points and eight assists for the Blazers, while Kevin Love topped Minnesota with 24 points and 13 rebounds.

**Second Meeting:** Nicolas Batum and Wesley Matthews tallied 26 points apiece and Portland nearly squandered a 22-point lead before hanging on to defeat the Timberwolves, 102-97, on Jan. 5 at Target Center. Damian Lillard finished with 20 points for the Trail Blazers, while Nikola Pekovic led Minnesota with 21 points and 15 rebounds, and Derrick Williams tacked on 18 points.

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**Next Opponent: San Antonio Spurs – Wednesday, Feb. 6 at Target Center**

Series Capsule:	
<b>Timberwolves vs. Spurs</b>	
<b>All-Time Results:</b>	<b>Current Streaks:</b>
Overall..... <b>25-70</b>	Overall ..... <b>Lost 2</b>
in Minnesota..... <b>17-30</b>	Home ..... <b>Won 2</b>
in San Antonio..... <b>8-40</b>	Road ..... <b>Lost 16</b>
Playoffs ('99 & '01) ..... <b>2-6</b>	
Last Win: 87-79 at Minnesota (1/27/12)	
Last Loss: 88-106 at San Antonio (1/13/13)	
Biggest Win: 24 – 112-88 at San Antonio (2/23/02)	
Biggest Loss: 38 – 84-122 at San Antonio (12/30/95)	

**2012-13 vs. San Antonio (0-1)**

Sunday, Jan. 13	at San Antonio	L88-106
Wednesday, Feb. 6	at Minnesota	
Tuesday, Mar. 12	at Minnesota	
Wednesday, Apr. 17	at San Antonio	

The Wolves took last year's season set -- winning both Target Center meetings -- after dropping their previous 16 games vs. San Antonio.

**First Meeting:** Tony Parker scored 20 points and Gary Neal added 10 of his 15 points in the fourth quarter as San Antonio eased away to a 106-88 victory over the Timberwolves on Jan. 13 at the AT&T Center. Tim Duncan finished with 12 points, nine rebounds and seven blocks for the Spurs, while J.J. Barea's 15 points led Minnesota and Luke Ridnour added 13 points and six assists.

**2011-12 vs. San Antonio (2-1)**

Monday, Jan. 2	at Minnesota	<b>W</b> 106-96
Friday, Jan. 27	at Minnesota	<b>W</b> 87-79
Wednesday, Mar. 21	at San Antonio	L100-116

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## Miscellaneous Team Notes:

### 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
36,42-44	Kirilenko	Williams	Pekovic	Rubio	Ridnour	1-3
37-41	Kirilenko	Williams	Stiemsma	Rubio	Ridnour	1-4

### 2012-13 TIMBERWOLVES LEADERS (through Feb. 2):

	TIMES LED TEAM			---- DOUBLE FIGURES ----					DOUBLE-DOUBLES	
	Pts	Reb	Ast	10+	20+	30+	10+	10+	Pt/	Pt/
				Pts	Pts	Pts	Reb	Ast	Reb	Ast
Lou Amundson	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
J.J. Barea	5	0	13	26	2	0	0	2	0	1
Chase Budinger	1	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0
Dante Cunningham	1	3	0	17	0	0	3	0	3	0
Mickaël Gelabale	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0
Chris Johnson	0	1	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
Andrei Kirilenko	5	9	4	32	6	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	12	10	0	32	11	1	14	0	14	0
Luke Ridnour	5	1	11	29	3	0	0	2	0	2
Brandon Roy	0	0	3	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ricky Rubio	0	0	10	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Alexey Shved	6	0	10	23	1	0	0	2	0	2
Greg Stiemsma	0	1	1	4	0	0	0	0	0	0
Derrick Williams	3	7	0	16	1	0	3	0	2	0

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

- 18-16 when scoring 90+ points
- 0-10 when scoring less than 90 points
- 10-5 when shooting 45%+
- 8-21 when shooting less than 45%
- 9-23 when allowing 90+ points
- 9-3 when allowing less than 90 points
- 7-17 when allowing 45%+
- 11-9 when allowing less than 45%
- 13-3 when outshooting their foe or even
- 5-23 when being outshot
- 15-10 when outrebounding their foe or tied
- 3-16 when being outrebounded
- 16-8 when leading or tied after 3 quarters
- 2-18 when trailing after 3 quarters
- 9-12 in games decided by 10+ points
- 9-14 in games decided by <10 points

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### 2012-13 TIMBERWOLVES GAMES LOST

#### DUE TO INJURY/ILLNESS (through Feb. 2):

Chase Budinger	38	Alexey Shved	5
Brandon Roy	38	Josh Howard	4
Kevin Love	26	Andrei Kirilenko	4
Malcolm Lee	25	Dante Cunningham	1
Ricky Rubio	24	Lazar Hayward	1
J.J. Barea	7		
Nikola Pekovic	7	<b>Team:</b>	<b>180</b>

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### DUNK-O-METER: Wolves players' dunk totals for 2012-13 (through Feb. 2):

Andrei Kirilenko	48
Derrick Williams	24
Nikola Pekovic	19
Dante Cunningham	16
Chris Johnson	11
Alexey Shved	11
Kevin Love	8
Greg Stiemsma	7
Lou Amundson	6
Chase Budinger	3
Josh Howard	3
Malcolm Lee	3
Mickaël Gelabale	1

### ROOKIE ROUNDUP: Alexey Shved, the Wolves' lone first-year player, handed out a season-high 12 assists Dec. 20 vs. Oklahoma City. A glance at the NBA's rookie class of 2012-13 (through Feb. 2):

#	Name	Team	G	Min	FG%	3Pt%	FT%	Reb	Ast	Stl	Blk	Pts
6.	Damian Lillard	POR	47	38.6	.423	.362	.845	3.3	6.5	1.00	0.28	18.4
4.	Dion Waiters	CLE	40	30.0	.379	.321	.769	2.5	3.2	1.05	0.23	14.2
3.	Bradley Beal	WAS	41	31.0	.389	.357	.786	3.3	2.5	0.90	0.49	13.2
1.	Anthony Davis	NO	35	28.6	.530	.000	.720	7.6	0.8	1.17	1.80	13.1
--	<b>Alexey Shved</b>	<b>MIN</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>28.5</b>	<b>.379</b>	<b>.316</b>	<b>.740</b>	<b>2.6</b>	<b>4.7</b>	<b>0.79</b>	<b>0.44</b>	<b>11.0</b>
2.	Michael Kidd-Gilchrist	CHA	45	26.6	.470	.250	.763	5.9	1.6	0.78	1.00	9.6
7.	Harrison Barnes	GS	46	25.7	.443	.359	.733	4.4	1.5	0.67	0.20	9.2
--	Kyle Singler	DET	47	27.7	.438	.375	.808	3.9	1.1	0.74	0.53	8.7
17.	Tyler Zeller	CLE	44	27.6	.410	.000	.765	6.1	1.2	0.52	0.95	8.1
--	Jonas Valanciunas	TOR	29	22.1	.521	.000	.703	5.2	1.0	0.31	1.10	7.6
9.	Andre Drummond	DET	47	20.2	.609	.500	.376	7.6	0.4	0.94	1.64	7.5
19.	Andrew Nicholson	ORL	44	14.5	.528	.000	.813	3.3	0.4	0.32	0.36	7.3
8.	Terrence Ross	TOR	44	17.8	.407	.329	.609	2.2	0.8	0.68	0.20	7.0
31.	Jeffery Taylor	CHA	45	21.8	.425	.360	.804	2.1	0.9	0.76	0.20	6.6

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**BOARD BLITZ:** The Wolves outrebounded Miami 53-24 on Dec. 18, *the largest single-game margin in club history* and the biggest in the NBA this season. 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 beat San Antonio, 102-98. Minnesota also piled up a franchise-record 34 second-chance points vs. the Heat:

#### Largest Rebounding Margins

Mgn (Total)	Opponent	Date	Final
<b>+29 (53-24)</b>	<b>@ Miami</b>	<b>12/18/12</b>	<b>L 92-103</b>
+28 (62-34)	@ L.A. Clippers	4/ 7/09	W 87- 77
+26 (60-34)	Sacramento	2/19/04	W 92- 75
+26 (57-31)	Chicago	4/13/03	W 119- 95
+26 (61-35)	Sacramento	12/14/01	W 114- 94
+25 (49-24)	@ Miami	2/18/09	W 111-104
+25 (56-31)	Atlanta	1/ 2/04	W 93- 75

#### Fewest Rebounds, Opponent

#	Opponent	Date	Final
23	Houston	2/21/96	W 120-101
23	Detroit	12/28/90	L 85- 97
<b>24</b>	<b>@ Miami</b>	<b>12/18/12</b>	<b>L 92-103</b>
24	@ Miami	2/18/09	W 111-104
24	@ Cleveland	12/19/95	L 95-100
25	@ Toronto	1/21/04	W 108- 97
25	@ San Antonio	2/23/02	W 112- 88
25	L.A. Lakers	3/10/95	W 109-103

#### Most 2nd-Chance Points (since 1996-97)

#	Opponent	Date	Final
<b>34</b>	<b>@ Miami</b>	<b>12/18/12</b>	<b>L 92-103</b>
32	L.A. Lakers	1/29/12	L 101-106
31	Golden State	2/27/11	W 126-123
30	Phoenix	3/28/10	L 105-111
30	@ L.A. Clippers	4/ 7/09	W 87- 77
30	@ Golden State	11/11/08	L 110-113
30	Atlanta	12/12/02	W 113- 95

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

	----- Records -----			----- Wolves -----			----- Opponents -----			----- Margins -----		
	Total	Home	Road	Pts	FG%	3Pt%	Pts	FG%	3Pt%	Pts	Reb	TO
2012-13 (thru 44 games).....	18-26	12-9	6-17	95.2	.435	.300	96.9	.458	.360	-1.7	+3.2	-0.5
2011-12 (thru 44 games).....	22-22	12-12	10-10	98.3	.436	.341	97.5	.446	.340	+0.8	+1.5	-1.9
2010-11 (thru 44 games).....	10-34	8-13	2-21	103.0	.443	.385	108.9	.466	.387	-5.9	+2.5	-2.3
2009-10 (thru 44 games).....	9-35	6-17	3-18	96.9	.442	.309	106.1	.472	.369	-9.2	+0.8	-1.6
2008-09 (thru 44 games).....	16-28	8-14	8-14	98.3	.441	.342	101.4	.467	.374	-3.1	+1.5	-1.0
2007-08 (thru 44 games).....	8-36	6-14	2-22	94.0	.440	.337	102.5	.467	.353	-8.5	+0.1	-1.9
2006-07 (thru 44 games).....	22-22	13-8	9-14	96.4	.472	.343	97.0	.457	.348	-0.6	+0.5	-1.6
Last 13 Games.....	2-11	2-4	0-7	93.6	.447	.298	100.2	.485	.389	-6.5	-2.5	+0.7
First 31 Games.....	16-15	10-5	6-10	95.9	.431	.301	95.5	.447	.349	+0.4	+5.5	-1.0
At Target Center.....		12-9		96.2	.435	.302	93.3	.425	.325	+3.0	+1.2	+1.6
On the Road.....			6-17	94.3	.435	.299	100.2	.490	.393	-5.9	+5.0	-2.4
vs. .500+ Opponents.....	10-16	6-7	4-9	92.9	.428	.308	94.8	.448	.354	-1.9	+3.0	-0.2
vs. <.500 Opponents.....	8-10	6-2	2-8	98.5	.446	.290	99.9	.473	.370	-1.4	+3.3	-0.9
In Wins.....	18-0	12-0	6-0	101.3	.466	.327	91.1	.423	.320	+10.2	+7.4	-0.2
In Losses.....	0-26	0-9	0-17	91.0	.415	.283	100.9	.483	.389	-9.9	+0.2	-0.7
vs. Western Conference.....	11-15	7-7	4-8	95.9	.429	.277	98.2	.458	.349	-2.3	+2.3	-0.1
vs. Eastern Conference.....	7-11	5-2	2-9	94.2	.445	.336	94.9	.458	.378	-0.7	+4.3	-1.0
1+ Days Rest.....	14-18	10-9	4-9	94.5	.433	.301	95.8	.453	.348	-1.3	+1.8	-0.1
0 Days Rest.....	4-8	2-0	2-8	97.2	.441	.299	99.8	.474	.396	-2.6	+6.8	-1.5

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**INSIDE THE BOX SCORE:** Minnesota outscored the Hornets 58-32 in the paint on Saturday, its best single-game total since piling up a franchise-record 70 point points in the Dec. 14 victory at New Orleans. The Wolves slipped to 38.3 ppg in the paint over 15 January outings, after tallying 47.5 ppg in 12 December starts. A look at some of Minnesota's key figures to date (through Feb. 2):

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
1/25 @ Washington	44.3%-57.8%	33-17	Min +13	Min -1	13-15	32-40	13- 6	25-11	46-49
1/26 @ Charlotte	48.1%-50.7%	23-26	Min -8	Even	15-22	32-50	21-17	12-12	39-48
1/30 vs. L.A. Clippers	44.0%-45.5%	27-36	Min -7	Min +2	14-12	34-42	9- 7	13-23	37-25
2/1 vs. L.A. Lakers	46.1%-42.4%	18-25	Min -17	Even	19-16	46-38	13- 8	13-16	46-36
2/2 vs. New Orleans	58.4%-40.0%	29-33	Min +16	Min +5	29- 7	58-32	9- 9	23-13	68-40
<b>Season Averages</b>	<b>43.5%-45.8%</b>	<b>25.5-20.5</b>	<b>Min +3.2</b>	<b>Min -0.5</b>	<b>16.7-17.3</b>	<b>42.0-41.8</b>	<b>11.0-14.3</b>	<b>15.7-12.6</b>	<b>34.3-33.3</b>

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Last 5 Games	Wolves	Amundson	Barea	Cunningham	Gelabale	Johnson	Kirilenko	Pekovic	Ridnour	Rubio	Shved	Stiemsma	Williams
1/25 @ Washington	L13	+2	-1	-8	-4	-5	-13	INJ	-16	-14	INJ	-6	0
1/26 @ Charlotte	L1	DNP	-18	-11	-4	-11	-7	INJ	+7	+23	INJ	+5	+11
1/30 vs. L.A. Clippers	L6	DNP	+5	+5	+4	DNP	-10	-14	-11	-18	+12	+8	-11
2/1 vs. L.A. Lakers	L11	DNP	-6	-8	-12	+6	+1	-10	-5	-12	-5	DNP	-4
2/2 vs. New Orleans	W29	-4	+21	+27	+14	-4	+15	+13	+8	+8	+21	+20	+6
<b>Season Totals:</b>	<b>-74</b>	<b>-48</b>	<b>+40</b>	<b>-63</b>	<b>-9</b>	<b>-20</b>	<b>-3</b>	<b>-18</b>	<b>-41</b>	<b>-64</b>	<b>-35</b>	<b>-6</b>	<b>-69</b>
<b>Per Game:</b>	<b>-1.7</b>	<b>-2.4</b>	<b>+1.1</b>	<b>-1.5</b>	<b>-1.1</b>	<b>-2.9</b>	<b>-0.1</b>	<b>-0.5</b>	<b>-0.9</b>	<b>-3.4</b>	<b>-0.9</b>	<b>-0.2</b>	<b>-1.7</b>
<b>Per 48 Minutes:</b>	<b>-1.7</b>	<b>-14.3</b>	<b>+2.2</b>	<b>-2.8</b>	<b>-2.8</b>	<b>-9.2</b>	<b>-0.1</b>	<b>-0.7</b>	<b>-1.4</b>	<b>-6.9</b>	<b>-1.5</b>	<b>-0.6</b>	<b>-4.1</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
Nov. 9, 2012	Chase Budinger	Indiana	96- 94	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				

**BULLSEYE:** Dante Cunningham shot 9-for-9 from the floor en route to a game- and season-high 18-point effort in Saturday's 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 club history; the Wolves finished the game shooting a season-high 58.4% from the floor:

<u>Most FGs Made, None Missed, Game</u>	<u>Most Bench Points, Game</u>	<u>Highest FG Percentage -- Since 2004-05</u>
9 Dante Cunningham..... 2/2/13 vs. New Orleans	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) 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 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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**HALFWAY HOME:** Atlanta outscored Minnesota 34-19 in the 4th quarter on Jan. 21, shooting a torrid 80.0% (12-for-15) from the floor. In their past 14 contests, the Wolves are being outscored by an average of -6.6 points (45.3-51.9) in the 2nd half, allowing opponents to fire at a combined 49.0% (266-for-543) clip. A quarter-by-quarter look at 2012-13 to date for Minnesota:

<u>through Feb. 2</u>	<u>1st Qtr Pts / FG%</u>	<u>2nd Qtr Pts / FG%</u>	<u>1st Half Pts / FG%</u>	<u>3rd Qtr Pts / FG%</u>	<u>4th Qtr Pts / FG%</u>	<u>2nd Half Pts / FG%</u>	<u>Game Pts / FG%</u>
Timberwolves.....	25.5 / 46.1%	24.4 / 45.3%	49.8 / 45.8%	21.8 / 41.4%	23.3 / 40.9%	45.1 / 41.1%	95.2 / 43.5%
Opponents .....	22.7 / 45.0%	25.2 / 46.4%	47.9 / 45.7%	24.0 / 45.7%	24.9 / 46.5%	48.9 / 46.1%	96.9 / 45.8%
Scoring Margins .....	(+2.8 pts)	(-0.8 pts)	(+2.0 pts)	(-2.2 pts)	(-1.6 pts)	(-3.8 pts)	(-1.7 pts)

**DOUBLING DOWN:** The Wolves spotted Brooklyn a 22-point, 3rd-quarter lead before rallying to win 107-96 on Nov. 5 at the Barclays Center. It's the 4th-largest deficit overcome to win in club history (10th time coming back from 20+ points down), and the biggest since making up a 24-point spread at Dallas on Jan. 17, 1998 (winning 113-110 in OT). A look at the Wolves' "volatility factor" for 2012-13:

<u>Comebacks</u>					<u>Blown Leads</u>				
<u>Deficit</u>	<u>Time, Qtr</u>	<u>Opponent</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Final</u>	<u>Lead</u>	<u>Time, Qtr</u>	<u>Opponent</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Final</u>
22 (49-71)	9:36 / 3rd	@ Brooklyn	Nov. 5	107- 96	18 (29-11)	3:40 / 1st	@ Charlotte	Jan. 26	101-102
13 (18-31)	0:38 / 1st	Dallas	Dec. 15	114-106 OT	18 (54-36)	3:56 / 2nd	@ Atlanta	Jan. 21	96-104
12 (23-35)	10:45 / 2nd	Denver	Dec. 12	108-105	18 (29-11)	0:44 / 1st	@ New Orleans	Jan. 11	92-104
10 (56-66)	4:23 / 3rd	@ Denver	Jan. 3	101- 97	17 (58-41)	0:12 / 2nd	Denver	Nov. 21	94-101
7 (12-19)	5:36 / 1st	@ Sacramento	Nov. 27	97- 89	15 (68-53)	7:55 / 3rd	@ Orlando	Dec. 17	93-102
					14 (60-46)	7:43 / 3rd	Houston	Dec. 26	84- 87
					13 (43-30)	7:31 / 2nd	@ Portland	Nov. 23	95-103
					12 (44-32)	6:52 / 2nd	Golden State	Nov. 16	98-106
					11 (38-27)	7:25 / 2nd	L.A. Clippers	Jan. 30	90- 96
					11 (63-52)	8:37 / 3rd	@ New York	Dec. 23	91- 94
					11 (35-24)	6:09 / 2nd	@ Golden State	Nov. 24	85- 96

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**ELITE COMPANY:** Andrei Kirilenko swiped his 1000th steal in the 1st quarter of the Jan. 11 game at New Orleans. He becomes just the 15th player in NBA history (since steals and blocked shots became official statistics in 1973-74) to register 2000+ assists, 1000+ steals and 1000+ blocks in a career. A look at the full list, which includes only one other active player (Kevin Garnett):

<u>Player</u>	<u>Years</u>	<u>G</u>	<u>Ast</u>	<u>Stl</u>	<u>Blk</u>	<u>Player</u>	<u>Years</u>	<u>G</u>	<u>Ast</u>	<u>Stl</u>	<u>Blk</u>
Kareem Abdul-Jabbar ...	1970-1989	1560	5660	1160	3189	David Robinson.....	1990-2003	987	2441	1388	2954
Julius Erving.....	1977-1987	836	3224	1508	1293	Vlade Divac.....	1990-2005	1134	3541	1288	1631
Robert Parish.....	1977-1997	1611	2180	1219	2361	Clifford Robinson.....	1990-2007	1380	3094	1402	1390
Jack Sikma.....	1978-1991	1107	3488	1162	1048	Robert Horry.....	1993-2008	1107	2343	1158	1035
Hakeem Olajuwon.....	1985-2002	1238	3058	2162	3830	Chris Webber.....	1994-2008	831	3526	1197	1200
Patrick Ewing.....	1986-2002	1183	2215	1136	2894	Kevin Garnett.....	1996-2013	1301	5166	1715	1954
Karl Malone.....	1986-2004	1476	5248	2085	1145	<b>Andrei Kirilenko .....</b>	<b>2001-2013</b>	<b>721</b>	<b>2042</b>	<b>1022</b>	<b>1426</b>
Horace Grant.....	1988-2004	1165	2575	1143	1136						

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**ROSTER NOTES:** The Wolves re-signed forward Mickaël Gelabale and center Chris Johnson to 10-day contracts last Tuesday (Jan. 29)... Of the 15 players who ended 2011-12 with the Timberwolves, only seven are back this year... Nine new faces dot Minnesota's roster, including free-agent signees Andrei Kirilenko, Brandon Roy, Greg Stiemsma, Alexey Shved, Lou Amundson, Gelabale and Johnson... Chase Budinger (Houston) and Dante Cunningham (Memphis) were picked up via trade over the summer... Last December, the Wolves returned 10 of 13 players from their 2010-11 roster; they kept just five of 15 players from 2009-10 to the next season... The current 16-player roster averages 3.5 years of NBA experience and has an average age of 26.8 years; last year's Opening Night group was at 3.7 and 25.3, respectively (2.7 and 24.2 in 2010-11)... Kevin Love remains Minnesota's longest-tenured player, entering his fifth season in a Timberwolves uniform; Kirilenko and Luke Ridnour, both of whom will turn 32 in February, are the oldest...

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**WOLF TRACKS:** Minnesota snapped its season-high six-game losing streak with Saturday's 115-86 victory over New Orleans, its first win since beating Houston, 92-79, on Jan. 19 and just its second triumph in the last 13 games overall... Saturday's final 29-point margin represents the Wolves' biggest victory since a 129-95 decision vs. Cleveland on Dec. 4, 2010, and equals the 12th-largest spread in franchise history... The Lakers handed Minnesota a 111-100 setback on Friday, L.A.'s 20th straight win in the series and 10th in a row at Target Center... The Wolves began their longest homestand in 12 years with last Wednesday's 96-90 defeat vs. the Clippers; the last time Minnesota played six straight home games was Dec. 22, 2000-Jan. 1, 2001... Minnesota completed its two-game Eastern swing with the 102-101 loss at Charlotte on Jan. 26; one night earlier, the Wolves suffered a 114-101 setback at Washington... Brooklyn notched a 91-83 victory over Minnesota on Jan. 23, the Nets' first win at Target Center since 2002... Atlanta spotted the Wolves an 18-point, 2nd-quarter lead before rallying to win 104-96 on Jan. 21 at Philips Arena, tying the biggest margin Minnesota has let slip away this year (also Jan. 26 at Charlotte and Jan. 11 at New Orleans)... The Wolves stopped a five-game losing streak with the 92-79 triumph over Houston on Jan. 19; they opened the homestand with a 90-77 loss to the Clippers on Jan. 17... Minnesota fell 106-84 in Oklahoma City on Jan. 9; the 22-point spread equals its biggest losing margin of the year (also falling 106-84 at Utah on Jan. 2)... Houston eked out an 87-84 decision on Dec. 26, halting Minnesota's five-game Target Center winning streak; they've lost a league-high eight games when taking a lead into the 4th quarter (most recently Jan. 26 in Charlotte)... Minnesota edged Oklahoma City, 99-93, on Dec. 20, ending the Thunder's 12-game winning streak and a 12-game run in the head-to-head series...

**NUMEROLOGY:** The Wolves tallied a season-high 115 points in Saturday's victory, the fourth time in five games they've cracked the Century Mark... Minnesota is averaging 101.4 ppg in those five, after coming up short of 100 in each of the previous eight (scoring 88.8 ppg)... The Wolves finished with 77 points vs. the Clippers on Jan. 17, their lowest total since a 100-77 loss at Golden State on Mar. 13, 2011... Minnesota totaled 114 points Dec. 15 vs. Dallas, its third consecutive game with a season-high total; the Wolves are 9-3 this year when scoring 100+... At the other end, Minnesota has permitted 100+ in 10 of the last 15 games; Washington's 114 points on Jan. 25 are the most by a Wolves foe this year... They're allowing 100.3 ppg in the last 26, having surrendered just 91.9 ppg in their first 18 starts... The Wolves went 20-for-33 from the line Jan. 25 at Washington, the 15th time they've attempted 30+ FTs; the Wizards' 10-for-17 night marks the 18th time an opponent has taken fewer than 20 trips... On the year, Minnesota ranks 6th in the NBA in FT attempts per game (25.5) and 4th in fewest FT attempts allowed per game (20.5)... The Wolves currently rank last in the league in three-point accuracy (30.0%), 24th in FG accuracy (43.5%), 24th in FT accuracy (72.8%) and 21st in scoring (95.2 ppg)...

**PLAYING THE PERCENTAGES:** Minnesota shot 58.4% vs. New Orleans on Saturday, its best percentage since hitting 59.3% vs. Cleveland on Dec. 4, 2010; the previous season high was 53.4%, on Dec. 14 at New Orleans... The Wolves have shot 50%+ on six occasions overall, and have topped 44% in each of their last eight contests; they're hitting a combined 47.7% (299-for-627) over those eight, after slipping to 40.9% in the previous nine games... Minnesota was held to 35.7% by the Clippers on Jan. 17, its 11th sub-40% night this year (third in January)... The Wolves kept Houston to 32.1% from the floor on Jan. 19, their best defensive percentage since Indiana hit 29.6% on Mar. 9, 2011 (12th-best in club history)... Dallas shot 59.7% on Jan. 14, the highest figure by a Minnesota foe this year and the third in a current run of six straight road starts they've allowed 50%+; teams are shooting a combined 54.6% (297-for-544) during the Wolves' seven-game road skid... Minnesota ranks 20th in defensive FG pct (45.8%), 14th in scoring defense (96.9 ppg) and 15th in blocks (5.18 bpg); they blocked a season-high 12 shots Jan. 2 at Utah, and had a season-high 15 steals Dec. 15 vs. Dallas...

**THE BOARD REPORT:** The Wolves posted a 44-28 edge on the glass Saturday vs. New Orleans, their 16th double-digit margin this season (10 such games in 2011-12); the club single-season best is 23, set in 2001-02... Still, Minnesota has been outrebounded in 11 of its past 14 games, after holding the edge in 16 of the previous 18; they're facing an average deficit of -2.4 rpg (38.6-41.0) over the last 14... The Lakers piled up a 57-40 board advantage on Friday, Minnesota's largest deficit of the season and the third time they've been outrebounded by 10+; Golden State enjoyed a 50-34 margin on Nov. 16... The Wolves outrebounded Miami by a 53-24 count on Dec. 18, the largest single-game advantage (+29) in club history; the Heat's 24 rebounds equal the third-lowest total ever vs. the Wolves... Minnesota ranks 3rd in offensive rebound pct (.304), 6th in defensive rebound pct (.744) and 3rd in total rebound pct (.524)...

**NO THREES, PLEASE:** The Wolves finished 5-for-15 from beyond the arc Saturday vs. New Orleans, keeping their season three-point accuracy at 30.0%... Over the past 10 NBA seasons, only one team has finished below 30% from long distance; Charlotte shot 29.5% a year ago... Minnesota shot 13-for-25 from three-point range Dec. 4 at Philadelphia, one of four games with double-digit makes; they finished 10-for-22 vs. the Lakers on Friday... The Wolves' 8-for-15 (53.3%) performance Jan. 8 vs. Atlanta is their best percentage of the year... Meanwhile, Portland went 16-for-24 (66.7%) from long distance on Jan. 5, beginning a string of three consecutive games in which Minnesota surrendered 10+ treys... Wolves opponents have combined to shoot 41.8% (119-for-285) from beyond the arc over the last 15 games; Minnesota had limited teams to just 25.0% (32-for-128) from three-point distance in its previous six contests...

**SCHEDULE NOTES:** Saturday's victory concluded the 12th of 22 back-to-back sets for Minnesota; the next one begins Feb. 10 in Memphis... The Wolves began a six-game, 10-day homestand last Wednesday vs. the Clippers... The Jan. 26 game at Charlotte wrapped up a run of four straight games vs. Eastern opponents, and was the Wolves' final road outing against the Southeast Division for 2012-13... Minnesota completed January with a 3-12 mark, equaling its lowest win total for the month in club history... The Wolves finished December at 7-5, their first winning December since going 8-6 in 2004 and the third-best percentage ever for the month (11-2 in 2003, 10-5 in 2001)... Minnesota closed November at 7-8, its most successful opening month since putting together a 7-6 record in November 2005... The Dec. 18 loss at Miami ended the first four-games-in-five-nights run for the Wolves; they'll face four such sets overall, including three in the final five weeks (Mar. 9-13, Mar. 26-30, Apr. 9-13)... Minnesota drew an SRO 20,340 vs. Houston on Dec. 26, the third-largest crowd in Target Center history; they had 19,356 on hand Dec. 29 vs. Phoenix, their third full house of the year...

## 2012-13 Minnesota Timberwolves Season Superlatives (through Feb. 2)

### Wolves Individual Highs:

Points .....	<b>36</b>
Field Goals Made .....	<b>14</b>
Field Goals Attempted.....	<b>25</b>
Field Goal Percentage (Min. 10 FGM).....	<b>.778</b>
3-Point Field Goals Made.....	<b>5</b>
3-Point Field Goals Attempted.....	<b>11</b>
Free Throws Made .....	<b>14</b>
Free Throws Attempted.....	<b>18</b>
Free Throw Percentage (Min. 10 FTM) .....	<b>.833</b>
Total Rebounds .....	<b>24</b>
Offensive Rebounds.....	<b>9</b>
Defensive Rebounds.....	<b>21</b>
Assists.....	<b>12</b>
Steals .....	<b>5</b>
Turnovers .....	<b>7</b>
Blocked Shots .....	<b>4</b>
Minutes Played.....	<b>44:27</b>

Kevin Love vs. Cleveland (12/7/12)  
 Nikola Pekovic at New Orleans (12/14/12)  
 Kevin Love vs. Denver (11/21/12)  
**(14-18)** Nikola Pekovic at New Orleans (12/14/12)  
 Alexey Shved vs. L.A. Lakers (2/1/13)  
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 Kevin Love vs. Cleveland (12/7/12)  
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**(10-12)** Nikola Pekovic at Portland (11/23/12)  
 Kevin Love at Sacramento (11/27/12)  
 Nikola Pekovic at Miami (12/18/12)  
 Kevin Love at Sacramento (11/27/12)  
 Alexey Shved vs. Oklahoma City (12/20/12)  
 Ricky Rubio at Charlotte (1/26/13)  
 Alexey Shved at Oklahoma City (1/9/13)  
 (6x) *MR*: Nikola Pekovic at Utah (1/2/13)  
 Alexey Shved vs. Dallas (12/15/12) OT

### Opponent Individual Highs:

Points .....	<b>33</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>5</b>
3-Point Field Goals Attempted.....	<b>11</b>
Free Throws Made .....	<b>11</b>
Free Throws Attempted.....	<b>13</b>
Free Throw Percentage (Min. 10 FTM) .....	<b>1.000</b>
Total Rebounds .....	<b>17</b>
Offensive Rebounds.....	<b>6</b>
Defensive Rebounds.....	<b>16</b>
Assists.....	<b>16</b>
Steals .....	<b>6</b>
Turnovers .....	<b>8</b>
Blocked Shots .....	<b>10</b>
Minutes Played.....	<b>45:19</b>

(3x) *MR*: Luis Scola vs. Phoenix (12/29/12)  
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 Russell Westbrook vs. Oklahoma City (12/20/12)  
**(10-13)** Elton Brand at Dallas (1/14/13)  
 (7x) *MR*: N.Batum/W.Matthews vs. Portland (1/5/13)  
 Ryan Anderson at New Orleans (12/14/12);  
     Carlos Delfino vs. Houston (12/26/12)  
 Darren Collison at Dallas (11/12/12);  
     Russell Westbrook vs. Oklahoma City (12/20/12)  
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     Luis Scola vs. Phoenix (12/29/12)  
**(10-10)** Carl Landry at Golden State (11/24/12)  
 Omer Asik vs. Houston (12/26/12)  
 (4x) *MR*: Al Horford vs. Atlanta (1/8/13)  
 Omer Asik vs. Houston (12/26/12)  
 Greivis Vásquez at New Orleans (12/14/12)  
 Eric Bledsoe vs. L.A. Clippers (1/30/13)  
 Russell Westbrook vs. Oklahoma City (12/20/12)  
 Larry Sanders vs. Milwaukee (11/30/12)  
 Kemba Walker vs. Charlotte (11/14/12)

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### Wolves Highs:

Points, Game .....	<b>115</b>	vs. New Orleans (2/2/13)
Points, 1st Half .....	<b>65</b>	at Philadelphia (12/4/12)
Points, 2nd Half .....	<b>63</b>	at New Orleans (12/14/12)
Points, 1st Quarter .....	<b>34</b>	(2x) <i>MR</i> : at Charlotte (1/26/13)
Points, 2nd Quarter .....	<b>33</b>	at Golden State (11/24/12)
Points, 3rd Quarter .....	<b>32</b>	at New Orleans (12/14/12)
Points, 4th Quarter .....	<b>36</b>	vs. Portland (1/5/13)
Points, Overtime.....	<b>12</b>	vs. Dallas (12/15/12)
Field Goals Made .....	<b>47</b>	at New Orleans (12/14/12)
Field Goals Attempted.....	<b>96</b>	at Orlando (12/17/12)
Field Goal Percentage.....	<b>.584</b>	<b>(45-77)</b> vs. New Orleans (2/2/13)
3-Pt Field Goals Made.....	<b>13</b>	at Philadelphia (12/4/12)
3-Pt Field Goals Attempted .....	<b>28</b>	(2x) <i>MR</i> : vs. Houston (12/26/12)
3-Pt Field Goal Percentage .....	<b>.533</b>	<b>(8-15)</b> vs. Atlanta (1/8/13)
Free Throws Made .....	<b>30</b>	vs. Denver (12/12/12)
Free Throws Attempted.....	<b>37</b>	(3x) <i>MR</i> : vs. Denver (12/12/12)
Free Throw Percentage.....	<b>.889</b>	<b>(16-18)</b> vs. Portland (1/5/13)
Total Rebounds.....	<b>56</b>	vs. Milwaukee (11/30/12)
Offensive Rebounds.....	<b>22</b>	at Washington (1/25/13)
Defensive Rebounds.....	<b>42</b>	at Dallas (11/12/12)
Assists.....	<b>30</b>	(2x) <i>MR</i> : vs. New Orleans (2/2/13)
Steals .....	<b>15</b>	vs. Dallas (12/15/12) OT
Turnovers .....	<b>24</b>	at Toronto (11/4/12)
Blocked Shots .....	<b>12</b>	(2x) <i>MR</i> : at Utah (1/2/13)
Personal Fouls .....	<b>27</b>	vs. New Orleans (2/2/13)

### Wolves Lows:

<b>77</b>	vs. L.A. Clippers (1/17/13)
<b>38</b>	(2x) <i>MR</i> : vs. Charlotte (11/14/12)
<b>32</b>	at Orlando (12/17/12)
<b>16</b>	at Oklahoma City (1/9/13)
<b>13</b>	vs. Orlando (11/7/12)
<b>11</b>	vs. Milwaukee (11/30/12)
<b>11</b>	at Golden State (11/24/12)
<b>12</b>	vs. Dallas (12/15/12)
<b>29</b>	(2x) <i>MR</i> : at Utah (1/2/13)
<b>64</b>	(2x) <i>MR</i> : vs. Houston (1/19/13)
<b>.345</b>	<b>(29-84)</b> at Utah (1/2/13)
<b>2</b>	(4x) <i>MR</i> : at Utah (1/2/13)
<b>9</b>	vs. Indiana (11/9/12)
<b>.118</b>	<b>(2-17)</b> (2x) <i>MR</i> : at Utah (1/2/13)
<b>4</b>	vs. Brooklyn (1/23/13)
<b>6</b>	vs. Brooklyn (1/23/13)
<b>.444</b>	<b>(8-18)</b> vs. L.A. Lakers (2/1/13)
<b>30</b>	(2x) <i>MR</i> : at Charlotte (1/26/13)
<b>5</b>	vs. Indiana (11/9/12)
<b>20</b>	at Atlanta (1/21/13)
<b>14</b>	vs. Houston (1/19/13)
<b>2</b>	(2x) <i>MR</i> : at Denver (1/3/13)
<b>10</b>	(2x) <i>MR</i> : vs. Atlanta (1/8/13)
<b>1</b>	at Miami (12/18/12)
<b>10</b>	at San Antonio (1/13/13)

### Opponent Highs:

Points, Game .....	<b>114</b>	at Washington (1/25/13)
Points, 1st Half .....	<b>68</b>	vs. L.A. Lakers (2/1/13)
Points, 2nd Half .....	<b>64</b>	at New Orleans (1/11/13)
Points, 1st Quarter .....	<b>37</b>	vs. L.A. Lakers (2/1/13)
Points, 2nd Quarter .....	<b>34</b>	at L.A. Clippers (11/28/12)
Points, 3rd Quarter .....	<b>36</b>	at Dallas (1/14/13)
Points, 4th Quarter .....	<b>35</b>	vs. Denver (12/12/12)
Points, Overtime.....	<b>4</b>	vs. Dallas (12/15/12)
Field Goals Made .....	<b>48</b>	at Washington (1/25/13)
Field Goals Attempted.....	<b>97</b>	vs. Phoenix (12/29/12)
Field Goal Percentage.....	<b>.597</b>	<b>(46-77)</b> at Dallas (1/14/13)
3-Pt Field Goals Made.....	<b>16</b>	vs. Portland (1/5/13)
3-Pt Field Goals Attempted .....	<b>32</b>	vs. L.A. Lakers (2/1/13)
3-Pt Field Goal Percentage .....	<b>.667</b>	<b>(16-24)</b> vs. Portland (1/5/13)
Free Throws Made .....	<b>27</b>	vs. New Orleans (2/2/13)
Free Throws Attempted.....	<b>36</b>	vs. L.A. Clippers (1/30/13)
Free Throw Percentage.....	<b>1.000</b>	<b>(8-8)</b> at Orlando (12/17/12)
Total Rebounds.....	<b>57</b>	vs. L.A. Lakers (2/1/13)
Offensive Rebounds.....	<b>21</b>	vs. Houston (1/19/13)
Defensive Rebounds.....	<b>40</b>	(2x) <i>MR</i> : vs. L.A. Lakers (2/1/13)
Assists.....	<b>33</b>	at Dallas (1/14/13)
Steals .....	<b>15</b>	vs. Cleveland (12/7/12)
Turnovers .....	<b>23</b>	vs. New Orleans (2/2/13)
Blocked Shots .....	<b>14</b>	(2x) <i>MR</i> : at Miami (12/18/12)
Personal Fouls .....	<b>34</b>	vs. Sacramento (11/2/12)

### Opponent Lows:

<b>73</b>	vs. Cleveland (12/7/12)
<b>31</b>	vs. New Orleans (2/2/13)
<b>34</b>	at Brooklyn (11/5/12)
<b>12</b>	vs. Orlando (11/7/12)
<b>13</b>	vs. Dallas (12/15/12)
<b>15</b>	vs. Brooklyn (1/23/13)
<b>10</b>	at Brooklyn (11/5/12)
<b>4</b>	vs. Dallas (12/15/12)
<b>25</b>	vs. Houston (1/19/13)
<b>70</b>	vs. New Orleans (2/2/13)
<b>.321</b>	<b>(25-78)</b> vs. Houston (1/19/13)
<b>2</b>	(2x) <i>MR</i> : vs. Phoenix (12/29/12)
<b>9</b>	vs. L.A. Clippers (1/30/13)
<b>.118</b>	<b>(2-17)</b> vs. Phoenix (12/29/12)
<b>6</b>	vs. Cleveland (12/7/12)
<b>8</b>	at Orlando (12/17/12)
<b>.444</b>	<b>(8-18)</b> at Portland (11/23/12)
<b>24</b>	at Miami (12/18/12)
<b>4</b>	(2x) <i>MR</i> : at Dallas (1/14/13)
<b>18</b>	at Miami (12/18/12)
<b>14</b>	(2x) <i>MR</i> : vs. Houston (1/19/13)
<b>1</b>	at Golden State (11/24/12)
<b>5</b>	vs. Phoenix (12/29/12)
<b>1</b>	at Dallas (1/14/13)
<b>14</b>	vs. L.A. Lakers (2/1/13)



## 2012-13 Minnesota Timberwolves

### Top Individual Performances (through Feb. 2)

#### POINTS

36 Kevin Love, 12/7 vs. Cle.  
34 Kevin Love, 11/21 vs. Den.  
31 Nikola Pekovic, 12/14 at N.O.  
28 Nikola Pekovic, 12/29 vs. Pho.  
28 Kevin Love, 12/20 vs. OkC  
26 Andrei Kirilenko, 11/14 vs. Cha.  
25 Nikola Pekovic, 1/8 vs. Atl.  
24 Nikola Pekovic, 12/20 vs. OkC  
24 Kevin Love, 11/23 at Por.  
23 *MR*: Kevin Love, 12/29 vs. Pho.

#### FIELD GOALS

14 Nikola Pekovic, 12/14 at N.O.  
13 Nikola Pekovic, 12/29 vs. Pho.  
12 Kevin Love, 11/21 vs. Den.  
10 *MR*: A. Kirilenko, 12/29 vs. Pho.

#### FREE THROWS

14 Kevin Love, 12/7 vs. Cle.  
12 Kevin Love, 11/28 at LAC  
12 Kevin Love, 11/23 at Por.  
10 Nikola Pekovic, 11/23 at Por.

#### 3-PT. FIELD GOALS

5 Alexey Shved, 2/1 vs. LAL  
4 J.J. Barea, 1/26 at Cha.  
4 J.J. Barea, 1/14 at Dal.  
4 Alexey Shved, 12/23 at N.Y.  
4 Kevin Love, 12/20 vs. OkC  
4 Alexey Shved, 12/4 at Phi.  
4 Alexey Shved, 11/30 vs. Mil.  
4 J.J. Barea, 11/21 vs. Den.

#### TOTAL REBOUNDS

24 Kevin Love, 11/27 at Sac.  
18 Nikola Pekovic, 1/8 vs. Atl.  
18 Kevin Love, 12/29 vs. Pho.  
18 Kevin Love, 12/18 at Mia.  
17 Kevin Love, 1/3 at Den.  
17 Nikola Pekovic, 12/23 at N.Y.  
16 Nikola Pekovic, 11/30 vs. Mil.  
15 Nikola Pekovic, 1/5 vs. Por.  
15 Kevin Love, 12/17 at Orl.  
15 Kevin Love, 11/24 at G.S.

#### OFFENSIVE REBOUNDS

9 Nikola Pekovic, 12/18 at Mia.  
8 Nikola Pekovic, 1/5 vs. Por.  
7 Nikola Pekovic, 12/17 at Orl.  
7 Nikola Pekovic, 12/15 vs. Dal.  
7 Nikola Pekovic, 11/23 at Por.

#### DEFENSIVE REBOUNDS

21 Kevin Love, 11/27 at Sac.  
16 Kevin Love, 12/29 vs. Pho.  
15 Kevin Love, 12/18 at Mia.  
13 Kevin Love, 12/17 at Orl.

#### BLOCKED SHOTS

4 Nikola Pekovic, 1/2 at Utah  
4 Andrei Kirilenko, 11/16 vs. G.S.  
4 Derrick Williams, 11/16 vs. G.S.  
4 Andrei Kirilenko, 11/5 at Brk.  
4 Greg Stiemsma, 11/4 at Tor.  
4 Greg Stiemsma, 11/2 vs. Sac.

#### ASSISTS

12 Alexey Shved, 12/20 vs. OkC  
10 Alexey Shved, 12/29 vs. Pho.  
10 Luke Ridnour, 12/14 at N.O.  
10 J.J. Barea, 12/4 at Phi.  
10 J.J. Barea, 11/24 at G.S.  
10 Luke Ridnour, 11/14 vs. Cha.  
9 Ricky Rubio, 12/15 vs. Dal.  
9 Brandon Roy, 11/7 vs. Orl.  
8 *MR*: Alexey Shved, 2/2 vs. N.O.

#### STEALS

5 Ricky Rubio, 1/26 at Cha.  
4 Andrei Kirilenko, 1/17 vs. LAC  
4 Luke Ridnour, 1/9 at OkC  
4 Ricky Rubio, 1/8 vs. Atl.  
4 Luke Ridnour, 12/14 at N.O.  
4 Andrei Kirilenko, 12/12 vs. Den.  
4 Andrei Kirilenko, 12/7 vs. Cle.  
4 Luke Ridnour, 11/12 at Dal.

#### TURNOVERS

7 Alexey Shved, 1/9 at OkC  
6 Andrei Kirilenko, 1/21 at Atl.  
6 Nikola Pekovic, 12/18 at Mia.  
5 *MR*: Ricky Rubio, 1/25 at Was.

#### MINUTES PLAYED

44 Alexey Shved, 12/15 vs. Dal.  
44 Andrei Kirilenko, 11/12 at Dal.  
44 Andrei Kirilenko, 11/14 vs. Cha.  
44 Kevin Love, 11/27 at Sac.  
43 Nikola Pekovic, 12/15 vs. Dal.

## 2011-12 in Review:

### 2011-12 STARTING LINEUPS:

Game #s	Forward	Forward	Center	Guard	Guard	Record
1-7	Beasley	Love	Milicic	Ridnour	Johnson	2-5
8-10	Johnson	Love	Milicic	Ridnour	Ellington	1-2
11-16, 22-23, 39-40	Johnson	Love	Milicic	Rubio	Ridnour	7-3
17	Williams	Love	Milicic	Rubio	Ridnour	0-1
18	Williams	Love	Milicic	Rubio	Ellington	1-0
19-21, 24, 27-28, 30-35, 37-38	Johnson	Love	Pekovic	Rubio	Ridnour	9-5
25-26, 36, 41	Johnson	Williams	Pekovic	Rubio	Ridnour	1-3
29	Johnson	Love	Pekovic	Rubio	Webster	0-1
42-45, 47	Johnson	Love	Pekovic	Ridnour	Webster	2-3
46	Johnson	Love	Milicic	Ridnour	Webster	0-1
48-54	Johnson	Williams	Love	Ridnour	Webster	2-5
55	Johnson	Love	Miller	Ridnour	Webster	0-1
56-59	Johnson	Love	Pekovic	Barea	Webster	0-4
60-61	Johnson	Williams	Pekovic	Barea	Webster	0-2
62-66	Johnson	Randolph	Pekovic	Barea	Webster	1-4

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### 2011-12 TIMBERWOLVES LEADERS (Final):

	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.....	7	0	19	24	5	0	1	8	*1	7
Michael Beasley.....	5	2	0	26	6	1	5	0	4	0
Wayne Ellington.....	0	0	0	16	0	0	0	0	0	0
Wes Johnson.....	0	0	0	9	0	0	0	0	0	0
Malcolm Lee.....	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Kevin Love.....	43	50	0	54	46	19	48	0	48	0
Darko Milicic.....	1	0	0	6	1	0	0	0	0	0
Brad Miller.....	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Nikola Pekovic.....	6	9	0	36	11	1	16	0	16	0
Anthony Randolph.....	1	2	0	9	2	0	2	0	2	0
Luke Ridnour.....	1	0	18	36	6	0	0	5	0	5
Ricky Rubio.....	3	2	33	24	1	0	0	15	0	12
Anthony Tolliver.....	0	0	0	9	1	0	1	0	1	0
Martell Webster.....	1	0	0	15	1	0	1	0	0	0
Derrick Williams.....	1	5	0	27	4	0	4	0	2	0

(\*Triple-Double)

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### 2011-12 TIMBERWOLVES GAMES LOST DUE TO INJURY/ILLNESS (Final):

Ricky Rubio.....	25	Luke Ridnour.....	10
Malcolm Lee.....	23	Kevin Love.....	9
J.J. Barea.....	22	Wayne Ellington.....	2
Darko Milicic.....	21	Wes Johnson.....	1
Michael Beasley.....	19	Anthony Randolph.....	0
Brad Miller.....	18	Anthony Tolliver.....	0
Martell Webster.....	18	Derrick Williams.....	0
Nikola Pekovic.....	12	<b>Team:</b>	<b>180</b>

### THE BREAKDOWN: Some quick comparisons of Minnesota's 2011-12 numbers:

	Records			Wolves			Opponents			Margins		
	Total	Home	Road	Pts	FG%	3Pt%	Pts	FG%	3Pt%	Pts	Reb	TO
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
Last 26 Games.....	5-21	1-10	4-11	98.5	.434	.328	106.0	.471	.346	-7.5	-2.0	-2.1
First 40 Games.....	21-19	12-10	9-9	97.6	.433	.335	96.4	.444	.336	+1.2	+1.8	-1.8
At Target Center.....		13-20		95.8	.425	.326	98.1	.460	.338	-2.3	+2.2	-1.9
On the Road.....			13-20	100.0	.442	.338	102.2	.449	.342	-2.1	-1.6	-1.9
vs. .500+ Opponents.....	13-26	7-15	6-11	99.3	.438	.327	103.3	.466	.351	-3.9	-1.1	-1.5
vs. <.500 Opponents.....	13-14	6-5	7-9	95.9	.427	.341	95.6	.438	.321	+0.3	+2.2	-2.4
In Wins.....	26-0	13-0	13-0	101.6	.461	.395	92.6	.434	.333	+9.0	+4.8	-1.9
In Losses.....	0-40	0-20	0-20	95.6	.416	.295	105.0	.468	.344	-9.5	-2.6	-1.9
vs. Western Conference.....	19-29	10-14	9-15	99.6	.440	.343	101.7	.460	.331	-2.0	0.0	-1.7
vs. Eastern Conference.....	7-11	3-6	4-5	93.4	.415	.301	96.0	.441	.365	-2.6	+1.1	-2.4
1+ Days Rest.....	21-25	11-15	10-10	99.3	.436	.340	100.9	.457	.343	-1.6	+0.3	-1.6
0 Days Rest.....	5-15	2-5	3-10	94.8	.427	.314	98.4	.449	.331	-3.6	+0.4	-2.6

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**CRUNCH TIME:** Minnesota limited Memphis to 17.4% shooting (4-for-23) in the 4th period on Apr. 17, and finished 13th in the NBA in 4th-quarter FG pct. defense (42.9%) as well as 17th in scoring defense (23.7 points). A year ago, the Wolves finished last in the league in both 4th-quarter categories (allowing 46.9% and 26.1 points). A quarter-by-quarter look at 2011-12 for Minnesota:

<b>Final</b>	<b>1st Qtr Pts / FG%</b>	<b>2nd Qtr Pts / FG%</b>	<b>1st Half Pts / FG%</b>	<b>3rd Qtr Pts / FG%</b>	<b>4th Qtr Pts / FG%</b>	<b>2nd Half Pts / FG%</b>	<b>Game Pts / FG%</b>
Timberwolves .....	24.4 / 44.0%	24.3 / 43.9%	48.7 / 44.0%	24.7 / 43.6%	24.0 / 42.0%	48.6 / 42.8%	97.9 / 43.3%
Opponents .....	25.2 / 47.2%	25.2 / 45.5%	50.3 / 46.4%	25.2 / 46.1%	23.7 / 42.9%	49.0 / 44.5%	100.1 / 45.5%
Scoring Margins .....	(-0.7 pts)	(-0.9 pts)	(-1.6 pts)	(-0.6 pts)	(+0.2 pts)	(-0.3 pts)	(-2.2 pts)

**WOLF TRACKS:** Minnesota finished the 2011-12 season at 26-40 (.394), a nine-win improvement over 2010-11 and marking their best single-season victory total since compiling a 32-50 record in 2006-07... It's also the Wolves' top winning percentage for a season since 2005-06, when they went 33-49 (.402); Minnesota has now missed the postseason in eight consecutive seasons (beginning with 2004-05), after advancing to the playoffs every year from 1996-97 through 2003-04 (eight)... The current absence is the NBA's longest active postseason drought; Sacramento (six seasons), Golden State (five) and New Jersey (five) are next on that list... Prior to the Mar. 30 home loss to Boston, the Wolves stood 25-27 and were within 2.5 games of a playoff berth; Minnesota was officially eliminated from postseason contention with the Apr. 12 setback vs. the L.A. Clippers... The Wolves were above .500 as late as Mar. 12, when the 127-124 victory at Phoenix hiked their record to 22-21; however, they won just four of their final 23 starts... The Wolves closed with eight consecutive home losses to go 13-20... On the flipside, they put together a matching 13-20 road record, their best since a 20-21 mark in 2004-05; Minnesota had won a total of 10 road games in its previous two seasons (going 5-36 in both 2009-10 and 2010-11)...

**MARGINAL INFORMATION:** The 131-102 loss to Denver on Apr. 26 was Minnesota's largest of the year; previously, they'd dropped a 114-90 decision to Phoenix on Apr. 9... Eleven of the Wolves' final 26 games were decided by six points or less; they suffered 17 losses in two-possession games (one behind Toronto's league-leading total)... Minnesota spotted Utah an 18-point lead before rallying to win at the buzzer on Feb. 22, and held on to beat Phoenix 127-124 on Mar. 12... The Wolves ranked 4th with seven one-possession victories (decided by three points or less), and played the 3rd-most such games in the NBA (14)... Half of the Wolves' 26 wins were by double-digit spreads -- their highest single-season total since winning 16 games by 10+ points in 2005-06 -- Including five of nine since All-Star Weekend (109-97 at the Clippers, 122-110 at Portland, 106-94 vs. Portland, 117-100 vs. Denver, 91-80 at Detroit); they lost 16 games by 10+ points (four by 20+)... Last season, Minnesota was 11-32 in games decided by 10+ points and 4-20 in two-possession games... They suffered 10 defeats by 20+ points, including a franchise-record 128-86 setback in Orlando on Nov. 3, 2010...

**THE IRON RANGE:** Denver shot 62.9% in the Apr. 26 finale, the 3rd-highest percentage ever by a Wolves opponent (Detroit 66.7%, Nov. 8, 1994; L.A. Lakers 64.2%, Mar. 20, 1992); Minnesota allowed 50%+ in five April starts and seven of the last 18... Detroit's 80 points on Apr. 29 were the fewest allowed by Minnesota since the 87-79 win over San Antonio on Jan. 27, and the Wolves' 10th sub-90 defensive effort last year... The 149-140 double-OT loss at Oklahoma City on Mar. 23 marked the NBA's 5th-highest scoring game in the past 15 years, and the top aggregate since Seattle beat Denver 151-147 in two OTs on Apr. 6, 2008... The Wolves tallied 127 points in the Mar. 12 win at Phoenix, the most they've ever scored in a non-OT road game; the Suns' 124 points are the most allowed by Minnesota in a win... However, the Wolves saw their scoring dip to 93.3 ppg (42.0%) over the final 16 games... The Mar. 30 loss to Boston produced a season-low 79 points, one of 17 sub-90 outings for the Wolves... The 34.7% accuracy was their lowest since mid-January; Minnesota shot a season-high 58.1% on Jan. 30 at Houston... Washington's 34.5% effort on Jan. 8 was the Wolves' best defensive showing in 2011-12... Minnesota ranked 25th in scoring defense (100.1 ppg) and 22nd in defensive FG pct. (45.5%)...

**TURNOVER TROUBLE:** Minnesota coughed up 28 TOs in the Feb. 10 loss to Dallas, one shy of the franchise single-game record and one of seven 20+ outings last year... The Wolves saw their TOs rise to 14.5 per night in 25 games following Ricky Rubio's injury, after committing 13.1 per night in their previous 10 starts... Minnesota tied the franchise record low by committing only four TOs vs. the L.A. Lakers on Jan. 29, one of three single-digit outings last season... The Wolves finished 21st in TOs (15.2 per game) and 26th in steals allowed (8.32 per game)... Meanwhile, they ended 27th in TOs forced (13.3 per game) and 26th in steals (6.61 per game), swiping a season-high 12 steals Mar. 1 at Phoenix... Those figures contributed to a league-high -4.3 ppg deficit in points off TOs for the Wolves, who ranked last in points allowed (18.4 per game) and 29th in points scored (14.1 per game)... Atlanta outscored the Wolves 26-6 in fast-break points on Jan. 14, Dallas rang up a 24-4 margin on Jan. 1, and Denver enjoyed a 29-2 advantage on Mar. 25... For the year, the Wolves ranked 26th in the NBA in fast-break scoring (10.3 ppg) and 28th in fast-break points allowed (15.8 per game)...

**BOARD REPORT:** Minnesota outboarded Golden State 49-37 on Apr. 4, its 10th double-digit margin last season... Meanwhile, Denver piled up a 48-29 edge in the Apr. 26 finale Minnesota's largest deficit of the year... The Wolves came up short 17 times in 32 games after All-Star Weekend, and were outrebounded by 10+ spreads on 11 occasions... Minnesota faced a -2.1 rpg deficit since the Break, after posting a +2.5 rpg advantage in the season's first half; during its 11-game April losing streak, Minnesota was outboarded by a -4.2 rpg (40.5-44.7) margin... Memphis outrebounded the Wolves 59-47 on Feb. 8; the Grizzlies' 59 boards are the most vs. Minnesota since Dallas totaled 60 on Nov. 29, 2003... Minnesota pulled down 24 offensive boards Jan. 29 vs. the Lakers... The Wolves ended 5th in the NBA in second-chance scoring (14.7 points per game)... Minnesota ranked 15th in total rebounding pct. (.503), 14th in offensive rebound pct. (.275) and 16th in defensive rebound pct. (.730)... Last year, the Wolves finished the season 3rd in total rebound pct. (.517) and 2nd in offensive rebound pct. (.296), holding the edge 49 times in 82 games and enjoying 20+ board margins on six occasions (14 double-figure advantages)... Minnesota also led the NBA in second-chance points in 2010-11, netting 16.2 ppg...

## Coach's Bio:

# RICK ADELMAN

**Overall Record:** 989-682  
**Seasons in League:** 22nd

**Record with Minnesota:** 44-66  
**Seasons with Minnesota:** 2nd

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... Currently ranks 8th on the league's career coaching victory list, and is second only to Denver's George Karl among active coaches... 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 .....24-16	Milwaukee Bucks .....26-12	Portland Trail Blazers .....28-30
Boston Celtics .....25-16	Golden State Warriors .....51-26	Minnesota Timberwolves ...47-26	Sacramento Kings .....38-18
Brooklyn Nets (N.J.) .....33-6	Houston Rockets .....38-28	N.O. Hornets (Cha.) .....37-20	San Antonio Spurs .....39-40
Charlotte Bobcats .....10-6	Indiana Pacers .....21-19	New York Knicks .....22-18	Toronto Raptors .....17-11
Chicago Bulls .....21-19	Los Angeles Clippers .....63-24	Okla. City Thunder (Sea.) ..44-42	Utah Jazz .....39-39
Cleveland Cavaliers .....27-13	Los Angeles Lakers .....37-47	Orlando Magic .....23-19	Washington Wizards .....27-13
Dallas Mavericks .....48-35	Memphis Grizzlies (Vanc.) 44-15	Philadelphia 76ers .....25-15	
Denver Nuggets .....54-27	Miami Heat .....20-20	Phoenix Suns .....38-46	<b>TOTAL: 989-682</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	2001-02	Sacramento	61	21	.744	10	6	.625
1989-90	Portland	59	23	.720	12	9	.571	2002-03	Sacramento	59	23	.720	7	5	.583
1990-91	Portland	63	19	.768	9	7	.563	2003-04	Sacramento	55	27	.671	7	5	.583
1991-92	Portland	57	25	.695	13	8	.619	2004-05	Sacramento	50	32	.610	1	4	.200
1992-93	Portland	51	31	.622	1	3	.250	2005-06	Sacramento	44	38	.537	2	4	.333
1993-94	Portland	47	35	.573	1	3	.250	2007-08	Houston	55	27	.671	2	4	.333
1995-96	Golden State	36	46	.439				2008-09	Houston	53	29	.646	7	6	.538
1996-97	Golden State	30	52	.366				2009-10	Houston	42	40	.512			
1998-99	Sacramento	27	23	.540	2	3	.400	2010-11	Houston	43	39	.524			
1999-00	Sacramento	44	38	.537	2	3	.400	2011-12	Minnesota	26	40	.394			
2000-01	Sacramento	55	27	.671	3	5	.375	2012-13	Minnesota	18	26	.409			
								<b>Career</b>	<b>22 Seasons</b>	<b>989</b>	<b>682</b>	<b>.592</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	885	410	.683	3. Gregg Popovich	118	77	.605
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	1104	749	.596	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>989</b>	<b>682</b>	<b>.592</b>	8. Tom Heinsohn	427	263	.619	8. Lenny Wilkens	80	98	.449
9. Bill Fitch	944	1106	.460	9. Jerry Sloan	1221	803	.603	<b>9. Rick Adelman</b>	<b>79</b>	<b>78</b>	<b>.503</b>
10. Red Auerbach	938	479	.662	10. George Karl	1104	749	.596	10. George Karl	78	101	.436
11. Dick Motta	935	1017	.479	11. Chuck Daly	638	437	.593	11. Chuck Daly	75	51	.595
12. Gregg Popovich	885	410	.683	<b>12. Rick Adelman</b>	<b>989</b>	<b>682</b>	<b>.592</b>	12. Don Nelson	75	91	.452

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## Player Bios:

### LOU AMUNDSON

F 6-9 225 UNLV '06 #17 7th Year

#### Season Averages:

1.6 ppg 36.8 FG% 2.4 rpg 0.2 apg

Last 5 Games	Min	FG-A	3P-A	FT-A	Reb	Ast	Stl	TO	Blk	Pts
Jan. 25 at Washington.....	3:05	0-1	0-0	1-2	2	0	0	1	0	1
Jan. 26 at Charlotte.....	DNP-CD									
Jan. 30 vs. L.A. Clippers.....	DNP-CD									
Feb. 1 vs. L.A. Lakers.....	DNP-CD									
Feb. 2 vs. New Orleans.....	7:59	4-5	0-0	0-2	3	1	0	0	0	8

**Notable:** Tied his season high with eight points vs. New Orleans on Saturday (also Jan. 2 at Utah)... Has drawn 17 DNP-CDs in the past 27 games (24 total)... Had season highs in rebounds (seven), blocks (three) and minutes (22:46) vs. Charlotte on Nov. 14... Made his Timberwolves debut on Nov. 4 at Toronto... Signed as an unrestricted free agent on Sept. 25.

**2011-12:** Wrapped up his sixth year in the NBA (first with Indiana) by playing in 60 regular-season contests and 11 more in the playoffs... Contributed 3.6 ppg and 3.7 rpg in 12.6 mpg, shooting 43.0% from the field and 42.7% from the FT line... Added 2.5 ppg and 2.1 rpg as the Pacers advanced to the Eastern Conference Semifinals... Pumped in a career-high 21 points (on 10-for-11 shooting) with eight rebounds vs. Portland on Mar. 13, and notched his lone double-double with 11 points and 10 rebounds at New Orleans on Mar. 3... Pulled in a season-high 12 rebounds (in 22:48) Feb. 22 at Charlotte; the Pacers were 15-3 when he played 15+ minutes... Shot 48.0% from the floor after the All-Star Break.

#### Career Highs – Lou Amundson

Points:	21	vs. Portland.....	3/13/12
Rebounds:	14	vs. Indiana.....	1/7/09
Assists:	3	vs. Golden State.....	1/23/10
Steals:	3	MR: @ Minnesota.....	3/28/10
Blocks:	5	vs. Memphis.....	1/2/10
Minutes:	29	vs. Dallas.....	1/9/09

2012-13 vs. Portland	Min	FG-A	3P-A	FT-A	Reb	Ast	Stl	TO	Blk	Pts
Nov. 23 at Portland.....	8:17	0-3	0-0	0-0	2	0	0	1	1	0
Jan. 5 at Minnesota.....	5:35	0-1	0-0	0-0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Career vs. Portland	Min	FG%	3P%	FT%	Reb	Ast	Stl	TO	Blk	Pts
14 games.....	11:7	.550	.000	.545	2.5	0.4	0.07	0.8	0.50	4.0

### J.J. BAREA

G 6-0 180 Northeastern '06 #11 7th Year

#### Season Averages:

11.3 ppg 41.3 FG% 3.0 rpg 4.5 apg

Last 5 Games	Min	FG-A	3P-A	FT-A	Reb	Ast	Stl	TO	Blk	Pts
Jan. 25 at Washington.....	20:41	6-13	1-4	0-1	3	5	0	2	0	13
Jan. 26 at Charlotte.....	32:21	7-18	4-7	1-1	5	4	0	2	0	19
Jan. 30 vs. L.A. Clippers.....	24:26	4-7	1-3	5-7	1	4	1	1	1	14
Feb. 1 vs. L.A. Lakers.....	23:08	6-10	2-4	0-1	1	3	0	4	0	14
Feb. 2 vs. New Orleans.....	24:06	2-7	1-2	0-0	4	6	0	3	0	5

**Notable:** Dealt a game-high eight assists Jan. 23 vs. Brooklyn, the 12th time he's led... Tied his season high with 21 points Jan. 14 at Dallas, the second straight game he'd led... Shooting 46.8% (36-for-77) in the last seven games, after slipping to 35.2% (31-for-88) in his previous eight outings... Netted 12 of his team-high 17 points (and all five assists) in the 4th quarter of the Jan. 3 victory at Denver... Paced the Wolves with 18 points Dec. 26 vs. Houston, adding a season-high seven rebounds... Made his second start Dec. 23 at New York, logging a season-high 37:55... Had 11 points and 10 assists Dec. 4 at Philly, his first double-double this year (12th career)... Returned Nov. 21 vs. Denver, having missed the previous five games with a left mid-foot sprain... Led all scorers with 21 points on Nov. 2 vs. Sacramento.

**2011-12:** Finished his first season in Minnesota and sixth in the NBA by registering career highs in scoring (11.3 ppg), assists (5.7 apg), rebounds (2.8 rpg) and minutes played (25.2 mpg)... Shot 40.0% from the floor, 37.1% (53-for-143) from three-point range and 77.6% from the line... Saw action in 41 games, missing a total of 22 due to injury and drawing three DNP-CDs... Started the final 11 contests, his first of the year; he averaged 16.0 ppg (42.1%) and 9.3 apg in 36.1 mpg in those 11, while shooting 43.3% (26-for-60) from three-point distance and collecting five double-doubles (seven total)... Tallied a season-high 28 points Apr. 17 vs. Memphis; his five treys in that game tied a career best... Dished a career-high 15 assists Apr. 11 at Denver, the Wolves' best since Troy Hudson dealt 15 vs. Cleveland on Feb. 28, 2003... Notched his first career triple-double Mar. 23 at Oklahoma City (25 pts, 10 reb, 14 ast); he's the eighth player in club history to post a triple-double (first since 2007)... Was credited with 10+ assists in five of his final seven road outings, averaging 11.1 apg in that stretch... Handed out his 1000th career assist Mar. 7 vs. Portland.

#### Career Highs – J.J. Barea

Points:	29	@ Milwaukee.....	1/1/11
Rebounds:	10	MR: @ Oklahoma City....	3/23/12
Assists:	15	@ Denver.....	4/11/12
Steals:	4	MR: vs. Memphis.....	4/7/10
Blocks:	1	MR: vs. L.A. Clippers....	1/30/13
Minutes:	48	vs. Golden State.....	4/22/12

**Milestones:** Scored his 3000th career point Jan. 13 at San Antonio, and drilled his 300th three-pointer Saturday vs. the Lakers.

2012-13 vs. Portland	Min	FG-A	3P-A	FT-A	Reb	Ast	Stl	TO	Blk	Pts
Nov. 23 at Portland.....	18:17	2-7	0-4	0-0	2	1	1	3	0	4
Jan. 5 at Minnesota.....	25:31	5-13	2-5	2-2	3	7	0	2	0	14
Career vs. Portland	Min	FG%	3P%	FT%	Reb	Ast	Stl	TO	Blk	Pts
19 games.....	19:2	.407	.375	.957	2.4	2.9	0.26	1.4	0.00	7.7

# CHASE BUDINGER

F 6-7 218 Arizona '09

#10

4th Year

### Season Averages:

11.8 ppg 48.0 FG% 3.5 rpg 1.5 apg

**Notable:** Sustained a lateral meniscus tear in his left knee Nov. 10 at Chicago; he underwent surgery on Nov. 13 and will be sidelined indefinitely... Made his first start at Chicago; the three steals tied his career high... Led the Wolves with a season-high 18 points Nov. 9 vs. Indiana, including the game-winner with :00.8 left... Scored 14 of his 16 points in the 2nd half Nov. 5 at Brooklyn... Tallied a game-high 21 points in the Oct. 24 preseason victory over Detroit; he shot 53.1% (17-for-32) from three-point range in the preseason... 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.

**2011-12:** Completed his third season in the NBA and with the Rockets by tallying 9.6 ppg and 3.7 rpg in 58 contests (nine starts)... Shot 44.2% from the field and a career-high 40.2% (88-for-219) from three-point range -- good for 20th in the NBA -- while logging 22.4 mpg... Tallied 20+ points on four occasions, with a season-high 27 in the Apr. 26 finale vs. New Orleans; he averaged 11.8 ppg and shot 49.4% (including 43.6% from beyond the arc) as a starter... Participated in the Sprite Slam Dunk Contest on Feb. 26 as part of All-Star Weekend in Orlando... Hauled in 10 rebounds vs. Phoenix on Feb. 3, part of his lone point/rebound double-double for the year... Logged a season-high 42:14 at the Clippers on Mar. 17, and led Houston with 22 points at Portland on Feb. 8.

**Milestones:** Scored the 2000th point of his NBA career Nov. 5 at Brooklyn.

2012-13 vs. Portland	Min	FG-A	3P-A	FT-A	Reb	Ast	Stl	TO	Blk	Pts
Nov. 23 at Portland.....	Inactive-Left Knee Surgery									
Jan. 5 at Minnesota.....	Inactive-Left Knee Surgery									
Career vs. Portland	Min	FG%	3P%	FT%	Reb	Ast	Stl	TO	Blk	Pts
10 games.....	22.5	.471	.350	.688	3.1	1.0	0.50	0.9	0.10	10.7

### 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

# DANTE CUNNINGHAM

F 6-8 226 Villanova '09

#33

4th Year

### Season Averages:

8.0 ppg 46.2 FG% 5.3 rpg 0.9 apg

Last 5 Games	Min	FG-A	3P-A	FT-A	Reb	Ast	Stl	TO	Blk	Pts
Jan. 25 at Washington.....	29:04	3-9	0-0	2-4	5	2	0	0	0	8
Jan. 26 at Charlotte.....	30:22	5-11	0-0	0-2	2	1	0	1	0	10
Jan. 30 vs. L.A. Clippers.....	34:57	3-7	0-0	1-2	9	2	1	1	1	7
Feb. 1 vs. L.A. Lakers.....	21:12	3-8	0-0	0-0	6	0	1	1	1	6
Feb. 2 vs. New Orleans.....	26:08	9-9	0-0	0-0	4	0	2	1	0	18

**Notable:** Tallied a game-high 18 points vs. New Orleans, the first time he's led and his 16th double-digit night... Saturday's 9-for-9 effort from the floor is a franchise single-game record for accuracy; Trenton Hassell went 8-for-8 in a 2004 contest... Has come off the bench in his last eight contests, having started the previous six; he's logging 31.3 mpg over his last 14 outings... His 18 FGAs Jan. 14 at Dallas equal the most by any Timberwolves player this year aside from Kevin Love and Nikola Pekovic... Missed the Jan. 19 game vs. Houston due to illness, his first DNP of the year; he's shooting 54.5% (36-for-66) in seven games since returning, after hitting 34.8% (32-for-92) in his previous nine... Registered his third double-double (8th career) Jan. 5 vs. Portland; the 12 rebounds, three blocks and 42:25 are all season bests... Dished a career-high four assists Jan. 3 at Denver... Scored 12 points (on 5-for-5 shooting) Dec. 12 vs. Denver; he swiped a season-high three steals Nov. 23 at Portland... Chipped in 14 points Nov. 16 vs. Golden State... Grabbed a game-high 11 rebounds (adding 11 points) in the Nov. 5 win at Brooklyn... Acquired from Memphis on July 24 in exchange for Wayne Ellington.

**2011-12:** Concluded his third NBA season and first with the Grizzlies by tallying 5.2 ppg and 3.8 rpg in 64 outings (five starts)... Sidelined for two games (Mar. 31-Apr. 2) due to a sprained left ankle suffered Mar. 30 at Houston... Shot a career-best 51.6% from the floor and 65.2% from the line while logging 17.6 mpg... Also played in all seven playoff games for Memphis, contributing 1.1 ppg and 1.6 rpg in 7.0 mpg... Scored in double figures 10 times and had four games with 10+ rebounds... Started the Mar. 27 game vs. Minnesota, collecting a season-high 13 points, a career-high 14 rebounds (his lone double-double) and a career-high four blocks in 40:31... Had the game-winning tip-in with :00.2 to play Feb. 17 vs. Denver.

2012-13 vs. Portland	Min	FG-A	3P-A	FT-A	Reb	Ast	Stl	TO	Blk	Pts
Nov. 23 at Portland.....	19:07	2-4	0-0	0-0	3	0	3	1	1	4
Jan. 5 at Minnesota.....	42:25	5-13	0-0	0-0	12	2	2	0	3	10
Career vs. Portland	Min	FG%	3P%	FT%	Reb	Ast	Stl	TO	Blk	Pts
7 games.....	20.1	.558	.000	.571	4.9	0.4	1.29	0.4	1.14	7.4

### Career Highs – Dante Cunningham

Points:	21	MR: @ New Jersey.....	4/11/11
Rebounds:	14	vs. Minnesota.....	3/27/12
Assists:	4	@ Denver.....	1/3/13
Steals:	4	vs. Indiana.....	3/3/10
Blocks:	4	MR: vs. Minnesota.....	3/27/12
Minutes:	45	vs. Orlando.....	4/6/11

# MICKAËL GELABALE

## #15

F 6-7 215 France

3rd Year

### Season Averages:

6.3 ppg 55.9 FG% 3.4 rpg 0.4 apg

#### Last 5 Games

	Min	FG-A	3P-A	FT-A	Reb	Ast	Stl	TO	Blk	Pts
Jan. 25 at Washington.....	26:20	7-10	0-2	1-2	7	1	1	2	0	15
Jan. 26 at Charlotte.....	20:34	1-4	1-3	1-1	2	0	0	2	0	4
Jan. 30 vs. L.A. Clippers.....	15:52	0-2	0-1	0-0	2	0	3	0	0	0
Feb. 1 vs. L.A. Lakers.....	6:44	0-0	0-0	0-0	2	0	0	0	0	0
Feb. 2 vs. New Orleans.....	21:28	4-5	1-2	2-2	5	0	1	1	0	11

**Notable:** Saturday's outing marked his third double-figure effort... Picked off a career-high three steals Jan. 30 vs. the Clippers... Re-signed to a second 10-day contract on Jan. 29, having signed initially on Jan. 19... The point, rebound and minute totals Jan. 25 at Washington are all season bests... Scored 10 of his 11 points in the 4th quarter of his Jan. 19 Wolves debut vs. Houston; *it was his first NBA game since Mar. 16, 2008*... Most recently played for Spanish club Valencia, averaging 11.0 ppg (40.7%) and 3.4 rpg in five ACB appearances (20.8 mpg) and chipping in five points and three boards in his lone Eurocup outing... Began the season with Croatian club Cedevita Zagreb, where he tallied 12.8 ppg (60.5%) and 4.9 rpg in 10 Euroleague contests (31.7 mpg)... Scored a season-high 23 points with 10 rebounds on Nov. 15 vs. Zalgiris Kaunas... Also saw action in 12 Adriatic League games for Cedevita, contributing 10.8 ppg (60.7%) and 5.1 rpg... *Across all competitions this year, he's shooting a combined 43.3% (26-for-60) from three-point distance*... Represented France at the 2012 Summer Olympics, averaging 7.8 ppg (44.4%) and 3.5 rpg in six contests (logging 24.5 mpg).

#### Career Highs – Mickaël Gelabale

Points:	21	vs. L.A. Lakers .....	2/24/08
Rebounds:	9	vs. Toronto .....	12/23/06
Assists:	7	@ Houston .....	1/31/07
Steals:	3	vs. L.A. Clippers .....	1/30/13
Blocks:	2	MR: @ Charlotte .....	11/17/07
Minutes:	43	@ Phoenix .....	1/9/07

**2011-12:** Spent the season with BC Khimki Moscow Region, appearing in a total of 25 games... Tallied 4.5 ppg and 2.5 rpg in 12 Russian League appearances (13.9 mpg), and registered 3.6 ppg and 2.4 rpg in five VTB United League outings (13.0 mpg)... Also competed in the Eurocup, adding 4.2 ppg and 1.5 rpg in six outings... His most recent NBA appearance was with Seattle in 2007-08; he suffered a torn ACL in his right knee during practice on Mar. 18 and was sidelined for the remainder of the season.

#### 2012-13 vs. Portland

	Min	FG-A	3P-A	FT-A	Reb	Ast	Stl	TO	Blk	Pts
Nov. 23 at Portland.....	Not With Team									
Jan. 5 at Minnesota.....	Not With Team									

#### Career vs. Portland

	Min	FG%	3P%	FT%	Reb	Ast	Stl	TO	Blk	Pts
6 games .....	12.2	.353	.429	.909	1.3	1.0	0.33	0.2	0.17	4.2

# CHRIS JOHNSON

## #20

C 6-11 220 LSU '09

3rd Year

### Season Averages:

8.6 ppg 75.0 FG% 3.6 rpg 0.6 apg

#### Last 5 Games

	Min	FG-A	3P-A	FT-A	Reb	Ast	Stl	TO	Blk	Pts
Jan. 25 at Washington.....	21:21	3-6	0-0	3-6	5	0	1	2	1	9
Jan. 26 at Charlotte.....	12:31	3-3	0-0	0-0	1	0	0	1	0	6
Jan. 30 vs. L.A. Clippers.....	DNP-CD									
Feb. 1 vs. L.A. Lakers.....	11:07	3-4	0-0	2-2	5	2	1	1	0	8
Feb. 2 vs. New Orleans.....	7:59	3-3	0-0	0-0	1	0	1	0	1	6

**Notable:** The Clippers DNP was his first of the year... Re-signed to a second 10-day contract on Jan. 29... His block (three) and assist (two) totals Jan. 23 vs. Brooklyn are career bests; he ran his season-opening string of made FGs to eight before missing... *Tallied 13 of his career-high 15 points in the 4th quarter Jan. 19 vs. Houston*, his Wolves regular-season debut... Signed to a 10-day contract on Jan. 19... Began the season with the D-League's Santa Cruz Warriors; he's the 16th GATORADE Call-Up of 2012-13... Averaged 10.9 ppg (53.1%), 6.1 rpg and 2.07 bpg in 14 contests (five starts) with Santa Cruz, logging 25.6 mpg... Tallied a season-high 24 points (on 10-for-12 shooting) vs. Springfield on Dec. 27, and hauled down a season-best 11 rebounds Jan. 8 vs. Austin... Saw action in three preseason contests with the Timberwolves, totaling six points and three rebounds in 15 minutes, before being waived on Oct. 27.

#### Career Highs – Chris Johnson

Points:	15	vs. Houston.....	1/19/13
Rebounds:	13	@ Golden State.....	4/13/11
Assists:	2	MR: vs. L.A. Lakers .....	2/1/13
Steals:	4	@ L.A. Lakers .....	3/31/12
Blocks:	3	MR: vs. Brooklyn .....	1/23/13
Minutes:	40	@ Golden State.....	4/13/11

**2011-12:** Completed his second NBA season with a seven-game stint in New Orleans, having played 20 contests for Portland before being waived on Mar. 15... Claimed by the Hornets on Mar. 19 and later waived on Apr. 18... Over the 27 combined games, he averaged 2.0 ppg and 1.5 rpg in 6.5 mpg, hitting 48.8% from the floor and 78.9% from the FT line... Registered a career-high 11 points and six rebounds Mar. 26 at the Clippers, and grabbed a season-high eight rebounds (adding a career-high four steals) Mar. 31 at the Lakers... Also saw action in nine playoff games in the Dominican League in September, helping Santo Domingo win the championship by averaging 10.1 ppg (48.8%), 9.0 rpg and 2.22 bpg.

#### 2012-13 vs. Portland

	Min	FG-A	3P-A	FT-A	Reb	Ast	Stl	TO	Blk	Pts
Nov. 23 at Portland.....	Not With Team									
Jan. 5 at Minnesota.....	Not With Team									

#### Career vs. Portland

	Min	FG%	3P%	FT%	Reb	Ast	Stl	TO	Blk	Pts
1 game .....	9.0	.333	.000	.000	3.0	0.0	0.00	1.0	0.00	2.0

# ANDREI KIRILENKO

## #47

F 6-9 234 Russia

11th Year

### Season Averages:

13.6 ppg 51.3 FG% 6.4 rpg 3.1 apg

#### Last 5 Games

	Min	FG-A	3P-A	FT-A	Reb	Ast	Stl	TO	Blk	Pts
Jan. 25 at Washington.....	28:55	5-9	1-3	6-8	4	2	0	3	1	17
Jan. 26 at Charlotte.....	32:37	2-6	0-1	6-6	3	2	2	1	1	10
Jan. 30 vs. L.A. Clippers.....	32:08	3-10	1-4	7-8	4	4	2	1	1	14
Feb. 1 vs. L.A. Lakers.....	31:38	5-8	1-2	1-2	0	3	1	0	1	12
Feb. 2 vs. New Orleans.....	26:32	4-7	1-2	3-6	6	3	2	3	0	12

**Notable:** Posted a game-high 21 points and 11 rebounds Jan. 19 vs. Houston, his seventh double-double (86th career) and third 20/10 effort (34th career)... Has been the Wolves' leading scorer five times (with six 20+ efforts) and top rebounder nine times... Shooting 60.0% (57-for-95) in his last nine at Target Center, compared with 42.4% (28-for-66) over his last eight road outings... Dished six assists Dec. 17 at Orlando, the third time he's led... Scored a team-high 22 points Dec. 18 at Miami, and totaled 21 points and 11 rebounds Dec. 14 at New Orleans... Ranks 26th in FG accuracy (51.3%), 21st in steals (1.55 spg) and 30th in blocks (1.15 bpg)... Returned Dec. 7 vs. Cleveland, having missed four games due to back spasms... Posted season highs in assists (six) and steals (four) vs. the Cavs; he's the third player in club history to tally 6+ assists, 4+ steals and 3+ blocks in a game (Kevin Garnett, Tom Gugliotta)... Netted season highs in points (26) and rebounds (12) Nov. 14 vs. Charlotte... Played a season-high 44:15 on Nov. 12 at Dallas, one of eight 40+ nights; he blocked a season-high four shots Nov. 5 at Brooklyn... Signed as an unrestricted free agent to a two-year contract on July 27... Led Russia to a bronze medal at the 2012 Summer Olympics, averaging a team-high 17.5 ppg (54.0%), 7.5 rpg and 1.88 spg in eight games.

**2011-12:** Returned to Russia for the first time since 2000-01 and helped CSKA Moscow repeat as PBL champions and advance to the Euroleague Final Four... Named Euroleague MVP and Defensive Player of the Year, as well as being chosen to the All-Euroleague First Team... Averaged 14.1 ppg and 7.5 rpg in 17 contests (29.4 mpg), shooting 53.3% from the field, 41.7% (20-for-48) from long distance and 75.8% from the FT line... Led the Euroleague in rebounding and blocked shots (1.94 bpg) and ranked 2nd in steals (1.53 spg)... Scored a season-high 23 points at Gescrap Bilbao on Mar. 30 and pulled down a season-high 15 rebounds Oct. 17 at Zalgiris Kaunas... Had 17 points and nine rebounds in the Final Four win over Panathaiikos on May 11 in Istanbul, and totaled 12 points and 10 boards in the championship game vs. Olympiacos two nights later... Earned regular season MVP and Final Four MVP honors in the VTB United League after averaging 11.4 ppg (60.0%) and 6.1 rpg in 11 games, tallying 19 points in the semifinal win over Lietuvos Rytas on May 2 in Vilnius, Lithuania... Registered a team-high 12.3 ppg (63.4%) and 6.1 rpg in 15 PBL contests.

**Milestones:** Picked up his 1000th career steal Jan. 11 at New Orleans; he becomes just the 15th player in NBA history to collect 2000+ assists, 1000+ steals and 1000+ blocks... Pulled in his 4000th career rebound Jan. 2 at Utah, and dealt his 2000th assist Jan. 8 vs. Atlanta... The Dec. 18 contest at Miami was the 700th of his NBA career, while the Dec. 26 game vs. Houston was his 500th start.

#### 2012-13 vs. Portland

	Min	FG-A	3P-A	FT-A	Reb	Ast	Stl	TO	Blk	Pts
Nov. 23 at Portland.....	35:41	3-9	1-2	3-4	6	5	1	1	0	10
Jan. 5 at Minnesota.....	42:25	7-13	1-1	0-0	7	2	1	2	0	15

#### Career vs. Portland

	Min	FG%	3P%	FT%	Reb	Ast	Stl	TO	Blk	Pts
34 games.....	29.9	.455	.357	.793	5.8	2.4	1.21	1.9	2.09	11.7

#### Career Highs – Andrei Kirilenko

Points:	31	@ Miami.....	2/17/04
Rebounds:	18	vs. Phoenix.....	3/21/06
Assists:	11	MR: vs. L.A. Lakers.....	11/30/07
Steals:	8	@ Houston.....	12/3/03
Blocks:	10	vs. Sacramento.....	3/25/06
Minutes:	50	@ Houston.....	12/27/08

# MALCOLM LEE

## #8

G 6-5 203 UCLA '11

2nd Year

### Season Averages:

4.9 ppg 38.2 FG% 2.4 rpg 1.3 apg

**Notable:** Left the Dec. 12 game vs. Denver after suffering a hyperextended right knee, and has missed the past 25 games... Underwent right knee surgery on Jan. 14 and right hip surgery on Jan. 16, and is expected to miss the rest of the season... Had started 12 of the Wolves' previous 13 games at the time of the injury, the first starts of his career... Hauled down a career-high eight rebounds Dec. 7 vs. Cleveland, and scored a career-high 10 points Dec. 4 at Philadelphia... Logged a career-high 35:22 on Nov. 14 vs. Charlotte.

**2011-12:** Had a delayed start to his rookie season in the NBA, having missed the first 24 games after undergoing surgery on Dec. 30 to repair a torn meniscus in his left knee... Made his debut Mar. 10 vs. New Orleans, and went on to play in 19 contests; he averaged 3.3 ppg, 1.4 rpg and 1.6 apg while logging 12.8 mpg... Shot 39.0% from the field and 82.4% from the line... Handed out a season-high five assists Apr. 9 vs. Phoenix, and scored a season-high nine points Apr. 16 at Indiana... Also had two stints with the Sioux Falls SkyForce; he played in seven D-League games overall, tallying 10.1 ppg, 4.1 rpg and 5.9 apg.

#### Career Highs – Malcolm Lee

Points:	10	MR: @ Philadelphia.....	12/4/12
Rebounds:	8	vs. Cleveland.....	12/7/12
Assists:	5	vs. Phoenix.....	4/9/12
Steals:	2	MR: vs. Denver.....	12/12/12
Blocks:	2	vs. New Orleans.....	3/10/12
Minutes:	35	vs. Charlotte.....	11/14/12

#### 2012-13 vs. Portland

	Min	FG-A	3P-A	FT-A	Reb	Ast	Stl	TO	Blk	Pts
Nov. 23 at Portland.....	18:32	3-4	1-2	0-0	0	1	0	2	0	7
Jan. 5 at Minnesota.....	DNP-Hyperextended Right Knee									

#### Career vs. Portland

	Min	FG%	3P%	FT%	Reb	Ast	Stl	TO	Blk	Pts
2 games.....	18.5	.500	.500	1.000	2.0	1.0	1.00	1.0	0.00	5.5



# KEVIN LOVE

F 6-10 253 UCLA '08

#42

5th Year

**Season Averages:**

**18.3 ppg 35.2 FG% 14.0 rpg 2.3 apg**

**Notable:** Suffered a fractured third metacarpal in his right hand Jan. 3 at Denver; he underwent surgery on Jan. 15 and is expected to be sidelined for 8-10 weeks... Topped the Wolves with 28 points Dec. 20 vs. Oklahoma City, adding a season-high seven assists... Poured in a season-high 36 points Dec. 7 vs. Cleveland, part of his 29th career game with 30+ points/10+ rebounds... Held to six points Dec. 4 at Philadelphia, ending his run of six straight double-doubles... 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); Garnett (26) holds the club record in that category, while Dwight Howard (42) is the 20/20 leader among active NBA players... Made his season debut Nov. 21 vs. Denver, totaling 34 points and 14 rebounds; he'd missed the first nine games after suffering a fracture of the third and fourth metacarpals in his right hand on Oct. 17... Earned a gold medal at the 2012 Summer Olympics in London, averaging 11.6 ppg (63.0%) and a team-high 7.6 rpg in eight appearances for Team USA.

**2011-12:** Finished his fourth year with the Wolves by playing in 55 games, sitting out the final seven after suffering a concussion Apr. 11 at Denver... Earned Second Team All-NBA honors after ranking 4th in scoring (a franchise-record 26.0 ppg), 2nd in rebounding (13.3 rpg) and 2nd in minutes played (39.0 mpg); Kevin Garnett held the previous club single-season scoring mark at 24.2 ppg in 2003-04... Shot 44.8% from the field, 37.2% (105-for-282) from long range and 82.4% from the FT line, becoming only the third player in league history to average 25+ ppg and 10+ rpg while also sinking 50+ treys, joining Larry Bird (1984-85) and Charles Barkley (1992-93)... Also led the NBA in point/rebound double-doubles (48) and finished 4th in FTs made (379) and 5th in FT attempts (460)... Was Minnesota's top scorer 43 times and leading rebounder on 50 occasions; he tallied 30+ points a club-record 19 times... Totaled 40 points and 19 rebounds Mar. 28 at Charlotte, his third 40+ effort in March (fourth career, tying Garnett's club record) and his 10th 30-point/15-rebound night of the season; the rest of the league combined for nine... Poured in a club-record 51 points Mar. 23 at Oklahoma City, breaking Garnett's mark of 47 (Jan. 4, 2005 vs. Phoenix); the seven treys were also a career high... Pulled in his 3000th career rebound Mar. 7 vs. Portland, overtook Sam Mitchell (3030) for 2nd place on the Wolves' career rebounding list Mar. 12 at Phoenix, and scored his 4000th point Feb. 20 at Denver... Had 42 points Mar. 3 at Portland, and followed up with a 39-point effort vs. the Clippers; he averaged a league-best 30.7 ppg (46.4%) and 13.9 rpg in March... Tallied 17 points, seven rebounds and three steals for the West in the 2012 All-Star Game in Orlando; he also won the Foot Locker Three-Point Contest... Hit the game-winning FTs with :00.1 left Feb. 19 vs. Philadelphia; he sank a three-pointer as time expired to beat the Clippers on Jan. 20... Signed a four-year contract extension on Jan. 25... Saw his run of double-doubles halted at 15 Jan. 21 at Utah, the NBA's longest streak to open a season since Moses Malone reeled off 16 in 1981-82... Totaled 31 points and 20 rebounds Dec. 27 at Milwaukee, setting franchise records with his 19-for-24 outing from the line.

**Milestones:** Sank his 250th career three-pointer Dec. 29 vs. Phoenix... Overtook Tony Campbell (4888) for 5th place on the Wolves' career scoring list Dec. 18 at Miami (also his 200th career start); he needs 21 points to reach 5000 and 13 games for 300 career.

**Career Highs – Kevin Love**

Points:	51	@ Oklahoma City	3/23/12
Rebounds:	31	vs. New York	11/12/10
Assists:	9	vs. Utah	12/30/09
Steals:	3	MR: @ Orlando	12/17/12
Blocks:	4	MR: @ Memphis	3/27/12
Minutes:	49	@ Oklahoma City	3/23/12

<b>2012-13 vs. Portland</b>	<b>Min</b>	<b>FG-A</b>	<b>3P-A</b>	<b>FT-A</b>	<b>Reb</b>	<b>Ast</b>	<b>Stl</b>	<b>TO</b>	<b>Blk</b>	<b>Pts</b>
Nov. 23 at Portland.....	35:48	6-15	0-2	12-16	13	1	3	1	0	24
Jan. 5 at Minnesota .....	DNP-Broken Right Hand									
<b>Career vs. Portland</b>	<b>Min</b>	<b>FG%</b>	<b>3P%</b>	<b>FT%</b>	<b>Reb</b>	<b>Ast</b>	<b>Stl</b>	<b>TO</b>	<b>Blk</b>	<b>Pts</b>
13 games .....	34.2	.442	.429	.829	10.7	2.1	0.62	1.4	0.08	17.8

# NIKOLA PEKOVIC

C 6-11 281 Montenegro

## #14

3rd Year

### Season Averages:

**15.9 ppg 51.0 FG% 8.6 rpg 0.9 apg**

#### Last 5 Games

	Min	FG-A	3P-A	FT-A	Reb	Ast	Stl	TO	Blk	Pts
Jan. 25 at Washington.....	DNP-Right Thigh Contusion									
Jan. 26 at Charlotte.....	DNP-Right Thigh Contusion									
Jan. 30 vs. L.A. Clippers.....	37:07	8-15	0-0	1-2	12	1	0	1	1	17
Feb. 1 vs. L.A. Lakers.....	34:05	6-13	0-0	2-5	9	0	1	0	1	14
Feb. 2 vs. New Orleans.....	23:51	5-10	0-0	4-5	7	0	1	3	1	14

**Notable:** Returned on Jan. 30, having missed the previous five games after suffering the thigh injury Jan. 17 vs. the Clippers... Led the Wolves with 17 points and 12 rebounds on Jan. 30, his 14th double-double of the year (31st career) and the 13th time he's been the top scorer... Tallying 17.7 ppg (53.1%) and 9.8 rpg in his last 21 outings, after averaging 13.6 ppg (47.4%) and 7.1 rpg in the first 16... Added 20 points and 12 rebounds Jan. 14 at Dallas, his sixth 20/10 effort in his last 16 games (seventh total, 15th career)... Had 25 points and a career-high 18 rebounds Jan. 8 vs. Atlanta... Notched team highs of 21 points and 15 rebounds Jan. 5 vs. Portland, sinking his final eight FG attempts... Tied a career high with four blocks Jan. 2 at Utah, and scored a team-high 28 points Dec. 29 vs. Phoenix... Hauled in 17 rebounds Dec. 23 at New York, and snared a season-high nine offensive boards Dec. 18 at Miami... Logged a season-high 42:36 vs. Dallas on Dec. 15... Scored a career-high 31 points Dec. 14 at New Orleans, his second 30+ night; he had 16 rebounds Nov. 30 vs. Milwaukee... Dished a career-high four assists Nov. 27 at Sacramento; his 10-for-12 effort from the FT line Nov. 23 at Portland marks a career best in both categories... Ranks 7th in offensive rebounds (3.6 per game) and 28th in FG accuracy (51.0%)... Talled a game-high 21 points in the Nov. 5 victory at Brooklyn... Underwent surgery to remove bone spurs from his right ankle on May 15.

#### Career Highs – Nikola Pekovic

Points:	<b>31</b>	@ New Orleans.....	<b>12/14/12</b>
Rebounds:	<b>18</b>	vs. Atlanta.....	<b>1/8/13</b>
Assists:	<b>4</b>	@ Sacramento.....	<b>11/27/12</b>
Steals:	<b>3</b>	MR: @ Houston.....	<b>2/17/12</b>
Blocks:	<b>4</b>	MR: @ Utah.....	<b>1/2/13</b>
Minutes:	<b>44</b>	vs. Charlotte.....	<b>2/15/12</b>

**2011-12:** Completed his second NBA season by averaging 13.9 ppg and 7.4 rpg in 26.9 mpg... Played in 47 games (35 starts), missing 12 due to injury... Shot a franchise-record 56.4% from the field, ranking 3rd in the NBA and shattering the previous club mark of 52.6% set by Kevin Garnett in 2005-06; he also hit 74.3% from the FT line... Pulled down 181 offensive rebounds in 1264 minutes to lead the NBA on both a per-48 (6.9) and percentage (16.1%) basis; he ranked 3rd in offensive rebounds per game (3.9) behind DeMarcus Cousins and Kevin Love... Appeared in just two of Minnesota's first 11 games and logged a total of 99 minutes in the first 17; however, his 13-point effort in the Jan. 25 victory at Dallas triggered a 15-game run that saw him tally 16.6 ppg and 9.9 rpg while shooting 61.8%... Sliced his foul rate to 3.7 per 48 minutes, having committed an average of 9.8 PFs per 48 as a rookie... Hauled in a career-high 16 rebounds Apr. 22 vs. Golden State, one of 16 point/rebound double-doubles on the season... Scored a game-high 23 points Apr. 19 at Detroit, his 11th 20+ effort and one of six times he led the Wolves... Returned Apr. 2 at Sacramento, having missed the previous seven games due to bone spurs in his right ankle... Collected 20 points and 12 rebounds Mar. 16 at the L.A. Lakers, his eighth 20/10 game on the year... Tallied 30 points with 12 rebounds (nine offensive) in the Feb. 17 win at Houston; he also swiped a career-best three steals and blocked three shots in that game... Logged a career-high 43:31 vs. Charlotte on Feb. 15, and led the Wolves with 27 points off the bench Feb. 3 at New Jersey.

#### 2012-13 vs. Portland

	Min	FG-A	3P-A	FT-A	Reb	Ast	Stl	TO	Blk	Pts
Nov. 23 at Portland.....	32:48	4-13	0-0	10-12	10	2	1	3	0	18
Jan. 5 at Minnesota.....	21:49	9-14	0-0	3-3	15	0	0	0	2	21

#### Career vs. Portland

	Min	FG%	3P%	FT%	Reb	Ast	Stl	TO	Blk	Pts
6 games.....	17.8	.525	.000	.731	5.3	0.8	0.17	1.3	0.50	10.2



# RICKY RUBIO

G 6-4 194 Spain

#9  
2nd Year

### Season Averages:

5.5 ppg 30.9 FG% 2.2 rpg 5.4 apg

### Last 5 Games

	Min	FG-A	3P-A	FT-A	Reb	Ast	Stl	TO	Blk	Pts
Jan. 25 at Washington.....	31:01	1-8	0-2	2-2	5	6	1	5	0	4
Jan. 26 at Charlotte.....	29:03	4-9	1-2	5-6	1	8	5	2	0	14
Jan. 30 vs. L.A. Clippers.....	27:28	4-9	0-1	1-2	3	4	2	2	0	9
Feb. 1 vs. L.A. Lakers.....	28:59	4-9	0-0	1-2	4	7	2	3	0	9
Feb. 2 vs. New Orleans.....	22:31	3-5	0-0	3-4	3	7	1	1	0	9

**Notable:** Scored a season-high 14 points Jan. 26 at Charlotte, his first double-digit night; the five steals are a team season best... Averaging 10.3 ppg (on 46.9% shooting), 6.5 apg and 2.50 spg over the last four games (27.0 mpg)... Has started the past nine contests, after coming off the bench in his first 10 outings... The minute total Jan. 25 at Washington is a season high; he also pulled down a season-high-tying five boards in D.C.... The Jan. 8 outing vs. Atlanta was his first since Dec. 26 vs. Houston, having missed four games due to back spasms... Picked off four steals Jan. 8 vs. Atlanta; he also handed out a game-high eight assists... Scored eight points vs. Houston on Dec. 26... Made his first appearance of the year Dec. 15 vs. Dallas, totaling eight points and a season-high nine assists; he'd been sidelined for the first 20 games while recovering from left knee surgery... Had his 2013-14 contract option exercised on Oct. 30.

**2011-12:** Made his NBA debut by playing in 41 games before suffering a torn ACL and a torn LCL in his left knee on Mar. 9 vs. the Lakers; he underwent reconstructive surgery on Mar. 21 and missed the Wolves' final 25 contests... Earned First Team All-Rookie honors and finished 2nd to Kyrie Irving of Cleveland in voting for the NBA's Rookie of the Year Award, equaling the best-ever showing by a Wolves player (Stephon Marbury, 1996-97)... Started 31 times, with Minnesota going 18-13; they slipped to 5-20 following the injury... Averaged 10.6 ppg, 4.2 rpg and 2.22 spg in 34.2 mpg, while leading all rookies (and ranking 6th in the NBA) in assists with 8.2 apg... It's the Wolves' highest per-game average since Terrell Brandon handed out 8.9 apg in 1999-2000; Marbury, Micheal Williams and Pooh Richardson are the only other Wolves players to average 8+ apg in a season... Shot 35.7% from the field, 34.0% (32-for-94) from three-point range and 80.3% (good for 3rd among rookies) from the FT line... Contributed 15 points and 10 assists in his final appearance (Mar. 9 vs. the Lakers), his 12th double-double on the year; that's the most by a Wolves player since Sam Cassell totaled 18 in 2003-04... Tied a franchise record by handing out 10 assists in the 1st quarter at Portland on Mar. 3... Netted 12 points and seven assists in the BBVA Rising Stars Challenge on Feb. 25, as part of All-Star Weekend in Orlando... Scored 14 of his season-high 22 points in the 1st quarter vs. Philadelphia on Feb. 19... Matched his season best with 14 assists Feb. 7 vs. Sacramento (also Jan. 8 at Washington), and swiped a season-high six steals twice (Jan. 18 vs. Detroit, Feb. 3 at New Jersey); he registered 3+ steals in a game 18 times... Led the Wolves in rebounds (a season-high eight) Jan. 30 at Houston, while scoring 18 points... Named January's Western Conference Rookie of the Month... Logged a season-high 46:27 in the Jan. 25 victory at Dallas.

### Career Highs – Ricky Rubio

Points:	22	vs. Philadelphia.....	2/19/12
Rebounds:	8	MR: @ Houston.....	1/30/12
Assists:	14	MR: vs. Sacramento.....	2/7/12
Steals:	6	MR: @ New Jersey.....	2/3/12
Blocks:	1	MR: vs. L.A. Lakers.....	3/9/12
Minutes:	46	@ Dallas.....	1/25/12

### 2012-13 vs. Portland

	Min	FG-A	3P-A	FT-A	Reb	Ast	Stl	TO	Blk	Pts
Nov. 23 at Portland.....	Inactive-Left Knee Surgery									
Jan. 5 at Minnesota.....	DNP-Back Spasms									

### Career vs. Portland

	Min	FG%	3P%	FT%	Reb	Ast	Stl	TO	Blk	Pts
2 games.....	32.5	.250	.333	.714	2.5	8.0	1.50	3.0	0.00	7.0

# ALEXEY SHVED

G 6-6 188 Russia

#1  
Rookie

### Season Averages:

11.0 ppg 37.9 FG% 2.6 rpg 4.7 apg

### Last 5 Games

	Min	FG-A	3P-A	FT-A	Reb	Ast	Stl	TO	Blk	Pts
Jan. 25 at Washington.....	DNP-Sprained Left Ankle									
Jan. 26 at Charlotte.....	DNP-Sprained Left Ankle									
Jan. 30 vs. L.A. Clippers.....	21:02	5-13	1-6	1-1	2	3	0	3	0	12
Feb. 1 vs. L.A. Lakers.....	26:31	6-16	5-11	1-2	4	6	0	3	0	18
Feb. 2 vs. New Orleans.....	25:29	4-11	1-5	3-4	4	8	0	2	1	12

**Notable:** Had a team-high 18 points vs. the Lakers, the sixth time he's led; *the five three-pointers are a team season best...* Returned Jan. 30, having missed the previous five games (his first DNPs of the year) after suffering the ankle injury Jan. 17 vs. the Clippers... *Chosen to participate in the 2013 BBVA Rising Stars Challenge*, to be played on Feb. 15 as part of All-Star Weekend in Houston... Hitting 31.3% (35-for-112) in his last 10, after a six-game run at 45.7%... Committed a season-high seven TOs Jan. 9 at Oklahoma City... Has recorded a pair of point/assist double-doubles; *his 12 assists vs. Oklahoma City on Dec. 20 are a team season best...* Has gone 41-for-63 (65.1%) from the FT line in his last 23 outings, having shot 87.8% (36-for-41) in the first 16... Logged a season-high 44:27 in the Dec. 15 win over Dallas... Scored a season-high 22 points with seven assists Nov. 16 vs. Golden State; he blocked three shots Nov. 12 at Dallas, equaling the most ever by a Wolves rookie guard... *Ranks 2nd among rookies in assists (4.7 apg) and 3rd in scoring (11.0 ppg)...* 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, averaging 11.4 ppg (43.4%), 3.1 rpg and a team-high 5.9 apg in eight contests.

**2011-12:** Helped CSKA Moscow win its 19th Russian (SuperLeague/PBL) title as well as the VTB United League championship... The club narrowly missed pulling off a Triple Crown, losing the Euroleague final to Olympiacos, 62-61, on a basket with :00.7 remaining on May 13 in Istanbul, Turkey... Averaged 11.6 ppg, 3.0 rpg and 3.3 apg in 23 PBL contests (regular and postseason combined), hitting 49.6% from the floor, 39.2% from three-point range and 78.3% from the line... *Earned Playoffs MVP honors* after CSKA swept Lokomotiv and Khimky en route to the title... Contributed 10.1 ppg (on 57.0% shooting) in 18 VTB appearances, playing 20.3 mpg... Tallied 10.6 ppg, 2.6 rpg and 3.0 apg in 21 Euroleague outings (21.1 mpg), hitting 48.7% from the floor -- *including a blistering 49.3% (33-for-67) from three-point range* -- and 83.3% from the FT line... Dished seven assists Nov. 2 at Zagreb, and tallied a season-high 19 points Oct. 17 at Zalgiris Kaunas... Scored 15 points with five rebounds in the Final Four victory over Panathinaikos on May 11.

### 2012-13 vs. Portland

	Min	FG-A	3P-A	FT-A	Reb	Ast	Stl	TO	Blk	Pts
Nov. 23 at Portland.....	16:25	1-5	0-3	2-2	2	3	1	1	0	4
Jan. 5 at Minnesota.....	29:32	1-11	0-3	0-0	3	7	0	3	1	2

### Career vs. Portland

	Min	FG%	3P%	FT%	Reb	Ast	Stl	TO	Blk	Pts
2 games.....	23:0	.125	.000	1.000	2.5	5.0	0.50	2.0	0.50	3.0

# GREG STIEMSMA

C 6-11 243 Wisconsin '08

#34  
2nd Year

### Season Averages:

3.4 ppg 42.3 FG% 2.4 rpg 0.4 apg

### Last 5 Games

	Min	FG-A	3P-A	FT-A	Reb	Ast	Stl	TO	Blk	Pts
Jan. 25 at Washington.....	18:32	1-3	0-0	0-0	2	6	2	1	0	2
Jan. 26 at Charlotte.....	23:48	4-4	0-0	3-4	7	0	0	2	2	11
Jan. 30 vs. L.A. Clippers.....	10:53	1-2	0-0	2-4	3	0	0	0	0	4
Feb. 1 vs. L.A. Lakers.....	DNP-CD									
Feb. 2 vs. New Orleans.....	16:10	3-4	0-0	2-2	3	1	1	0	2	8

**Notable:** Friday's DNP was his fourth of the season (first since Dec. 26 vs. Houston)... Came off the bench vs. the Clippers, having started the previous five contests... Dished a game-high six assists Jan. 25 at Washington, *doubling his previous career best...* The Charlotte game was his third double-digit scoring night; he also grabbed a season-high seven rebounds... Had blocked a shot in 11 straight games prior to Jan. 2 at Utah; *he's 5th in the NBA in blocks per 48 (4.34)...* Tallied a season-high 12 points Nov. 7 vs. Orlando... Signed as an unrestricted free agent to a two-year contract on Aug. 2.

**2011-12:** Finished his rookie NBA season by playing in 55 games (three starts) for Boston... Averaged 2.9 ppg and 3.2 rpg in 13.9 mpg; *he ranked 14th in the league -- 2nd among rookies -- in blocked shots (1.55 bpg)...* Shot 54.5% from the floor and 70.7% from the line... Also saw action in 19 of 20 playoff games for the Celtics, adding 1.5 ppg and 2.2 rpg in 7.5 mpg... Made his first career start and tallied a season-high 13 points and seven rebounds Jan. 2 vs. Washington, one of three double-digit nights... *Debuted with six blocks at New Orleans on Dec. 28*, the most by any player in his first NBA game since Shawn Bradley had eight vs. Washington on Nov. 5, 1993... Played four games with Sioux Falls (D-League) prior to the start of the NBA season, averaging 9.0 ppg (50.0%), 10.8 rpg and 4.50 bpg.

### Career Highs – Greg Stiemsma

Points:	13	vs. Washington.....	1/2/12
Rebounds:	9	MR: @ New Jersey.....	4/14/12
Assists:	6	@ Washington.....	1/25/13
Steals:	4	MR: @ Charlotte.....	4/15/12
Blocks:	6	MR: @ Charlotte.....	4/15/12
Minutes:	29	@ New Jersey.....	4/14/12

### 2012-13 vs. Portland

	Min	FG-A	3P-A	FT-A	Reb	Ast	Stl	TO	Blk	Pts
Nov. 23 at Portland.....	DNP-CD									
Jan. 5 at Minnesota.....	13:57	1-4	0-0	0-0	2	0	0	1	2	2

### Career vs. Portland

	Min	FG%	3P%	FT%	Reb	Ast	Stl	TO	Blk	Pts
2 games.....	20:5	.077	.000	.500	4.5	1.5	1.50	1.5	2.00	1.5

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## Season Averages:

9.3 ppg 41.6 FG% 4.5 rpg 0.4 apg

### Last 5 Games

	Min	FG-A	3P-A	FT-A	Reb	Ast	Stl	TO	Blk	Pts
Jan. 25 at Washington.....	30:48	6-17	1-3	5-8	11	1	1	0	0	18
Jan. 26 at Charlotte.....	18:05	2-8	1-2	0-2	2	1	0	2	0	5
Jan. 30 vs. L.A. Clippers.....	12:33	2-3	1-2	0-0	0	0	0	1	0	5
Feb. 1 vs. L.A. Lakers.....	31:52	6-14	2-4	1-4	9	0	1	1	0	15
Feb. 2 vs. New Orleans.....	13:53	1-3	0-1	3-4	3	0	1	1	0	5

**Notable:** Hauled down a team-high nine rebounds vs. the Lakers... Has started the past nine games, running his season total to 18... Scored a team-high 18 points Jan. 25 at Washington, the third time he's led; he also matched a career high with 11 rebounds, part of his second double-double this year (fourth career)... Tallied all 18 of his points Jan. 5 vs. Portland in the 4th quarter, equaling the highest-scoring quarter by a Wolves player since Ricky Davis had 21 at Golden State on Apr. 15, 2007 (4th quarter)... Shooting 38.6% (44-for-114) over his past 12 games, after hitting at a 48.8% clip in the previous 20; he's also converted just seven of his last 29 three-point attempts (24.1%)...

### Career Highs – Derrick Williams

Points:	27	MR: @ Denver .....	4/11/12
Rebounds:	11	MR: @ Washington.....	1/25/13
Assists:	3	vs. Denver.....	3/25/12
Steals:	3	MR: @ Phoenix.....	3/1/12
Blocks:	4	vs. Golden State.....	11/16/12
Minutes:	43	vs. L.A. Lakers .....	3/9/12

Snagged a career-high 11 rebounds Jan. 9 at Oklahoma City... Led all scorers with a season-high 23 points Nov. 16 vs. Golden State, adding a career-high four blocks in a season-best 37:01... Had his 2013-14 contract option exercised on Oct. 30.

**2011-12:** Finished his rookie season as the only Wolves player to appear in all 66 games... Ranked 7th among first-year players in scoring (8.8 ppg) and 5th in rebounding (4.7 rpg) while logging 21.5 mpg; he was named to the All-Rookie Second Team... Shot 41.2% from the floor, 26.8% (37-for-138) from three-point range and 69.7% from the line... Drew 15 starts, tallying 11.3 ppg (38.6%) and 5.7 rpg while playing 30.0 mpg in those contests... Shot 32.8% (59-for-180) over his final 20 outings, on the heels of a 14-game run that saw him hit 50.8%... Also dipped to 9-for-52 (17.3%) from beyond the arc in those 20, after hitting 42.5% in his previous 14... Collected a pair of double-doubles, most recently totaling 13 points and 10 rebounds Apr. 16 at Indiana... Tied his season high with 27 points Apr. 11 at Denver, his fourth 20+ effort... Posted season highs with 11 rebounds and three blocks Mar. 19 at Golden State... Collected 22 points and 10 rebounds while logging a season-high 42:35 vs. the Lakers on Mar. 9... Led the Wolves with 27 points Feb. 28 at the L.A. Clippers, sinking his final eight shots... Chipped in two points and three rebounds in the BBVA Rising Stars Challenge on Feb. 25, as part of All-Star Weekend in Orlando; he also participated in the Sprite Slam Dunk Contest.

### 2012-13 vs. Portland

	Min	FG-A	3P-A	FT-A	Reb	Ast	Stl	TO	Blk	Pts
Nov. 23 at Portland.....	DNP-CD									
Jan. 5 at Minnesota.....	17:49	6-10	2-3	4-5	6	0	2	3	0	18

### Career vs. Portland

	Min	FG%	3P%	FT%	Reb	Ast	Stl	TO	Blk	Pts
4 games .....	29.0	.500	.300	.778	6.8	0.3	0.50	1.5	0.00	15.8