

2026 NFL Divisional Round

Analytics Report

Generated: January 12, 2026

Data: 2025 NFL Season (Weeks 1–19)

AFC Bracket

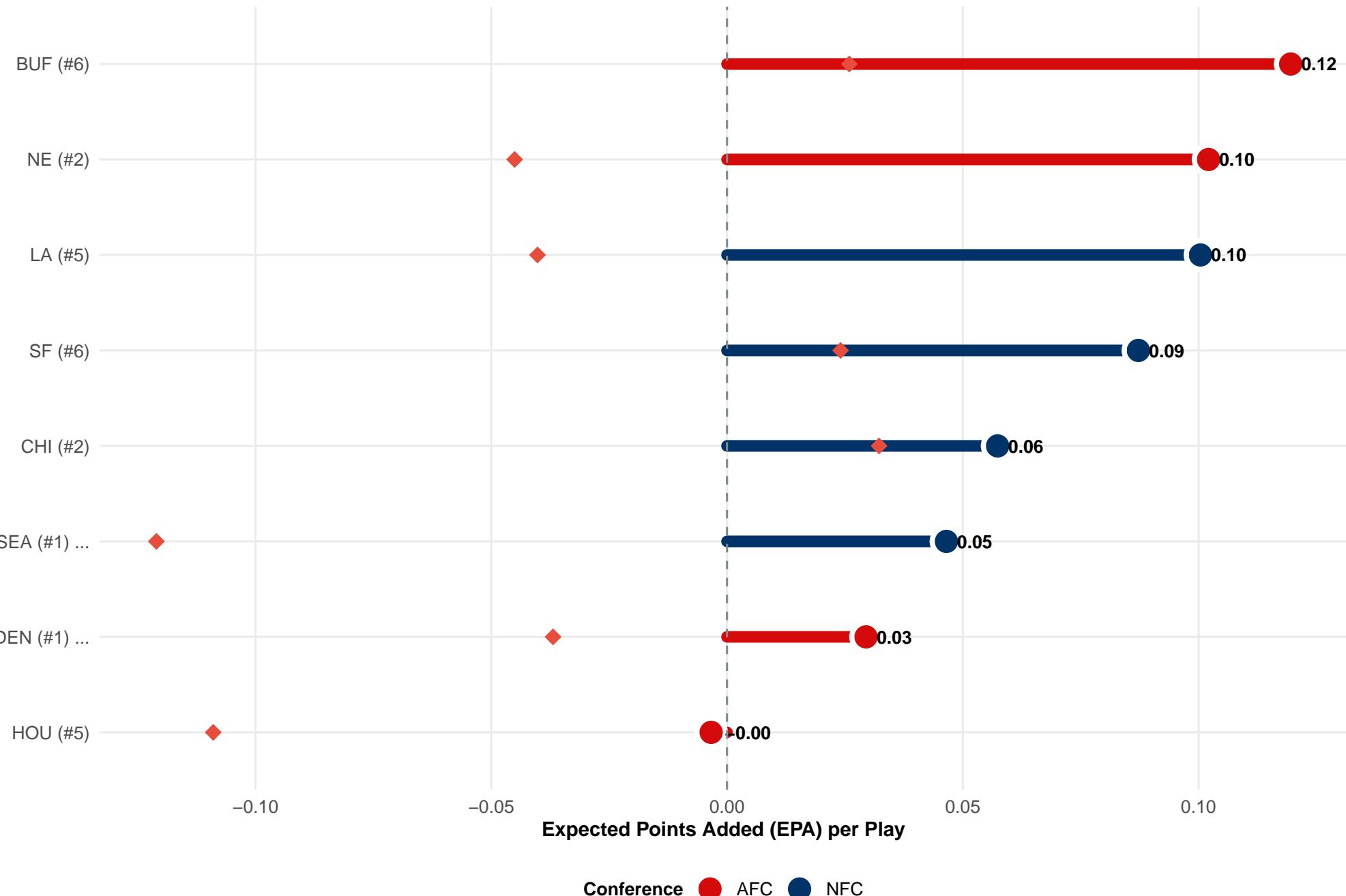
#1 DEN (BYE) vs #6 BUF | #2 NE vs #5 HOU

NFC Bracket

#1 SEA (BYE) vs #6 SF | #2 CHI vs #5 LA

Offensive & Defensive EPA: Divisional Round Teams

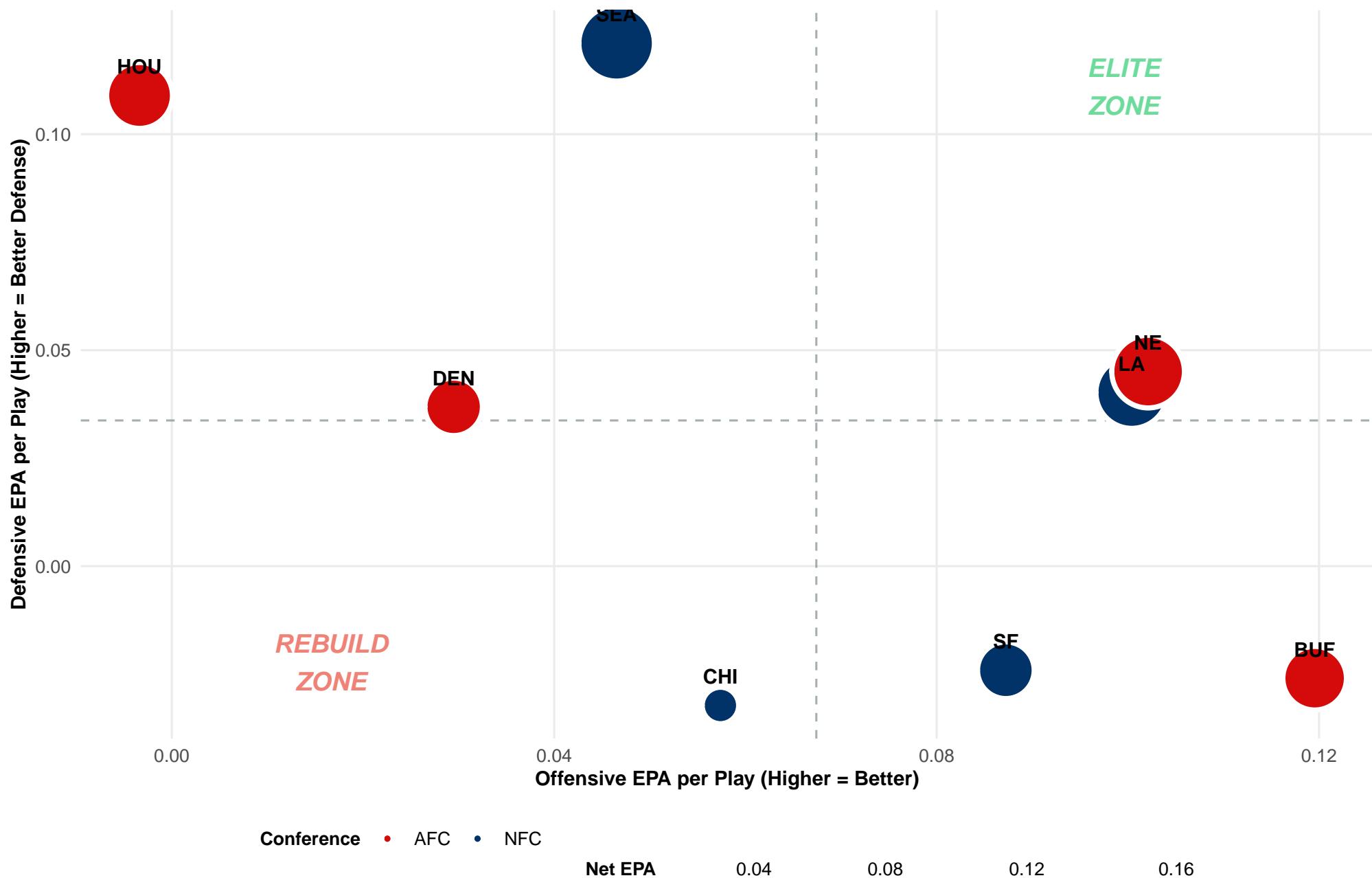
Circle = Offensive EPA | Diamond = Defensive EPA | ... = Bye Week



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Efficiency Matrix: Offense vs Defense

Bubble size = Net EPA | Upper-right = Elite teams | Lower-left = Struggling



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Quarter-by-Quarter Scoring Patterns

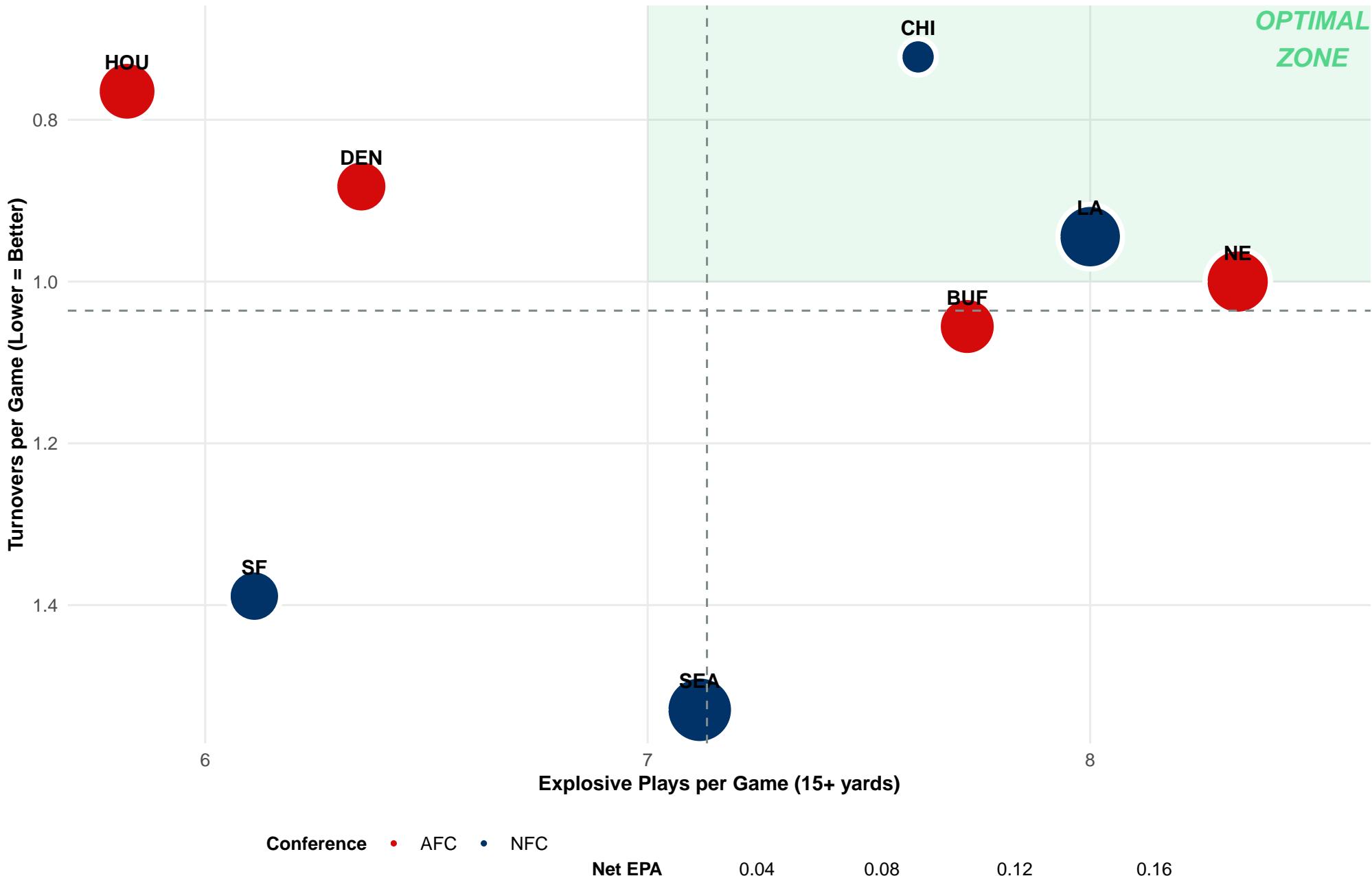
Average points per quarter | Higher intensity = More scoring

Quarter

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Risk–Reward Analysis: Explosive Plays vs Turnovers

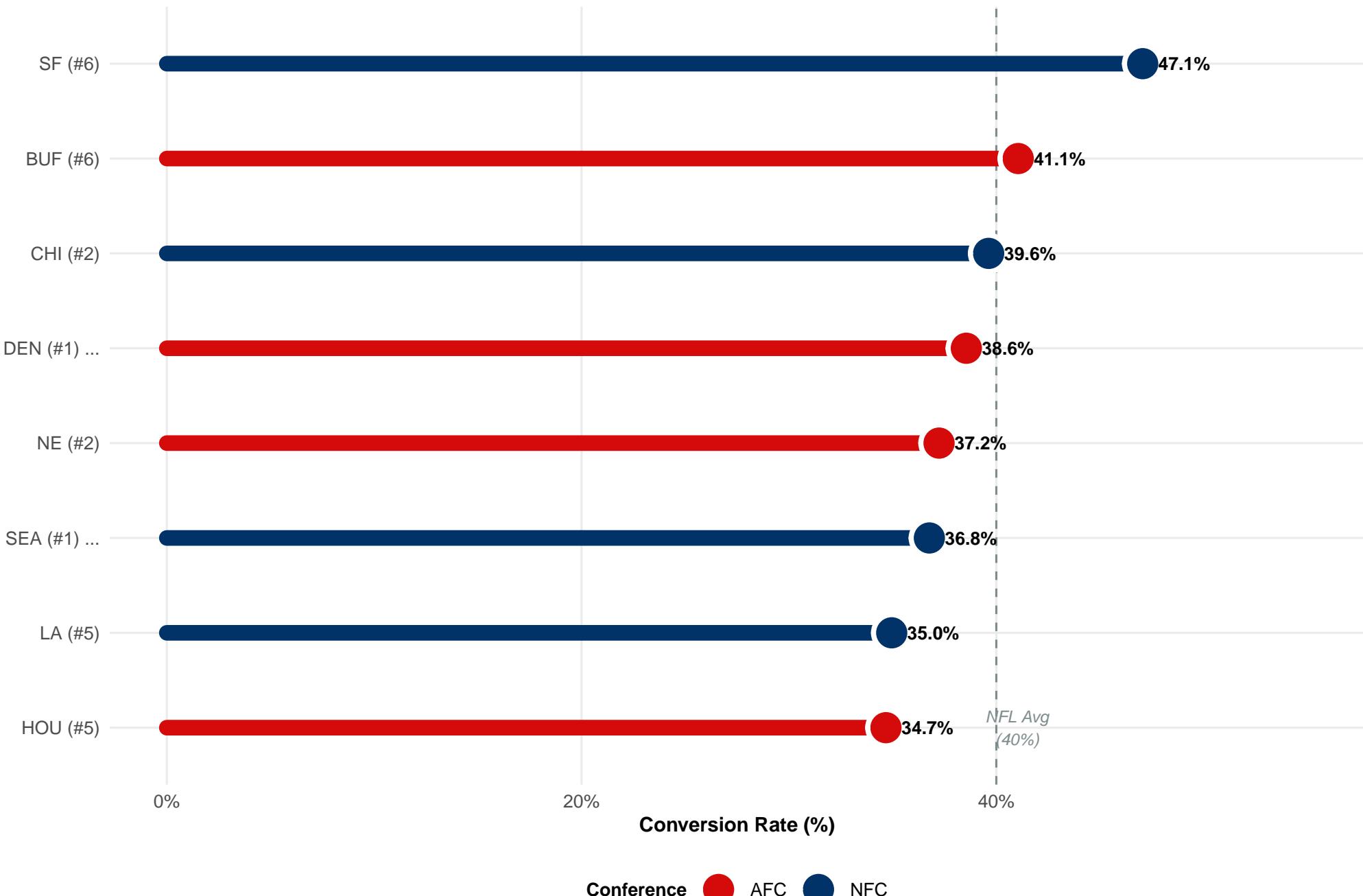
Lower turnovers + More explosives = Better | Green zone = Optimal efficiency



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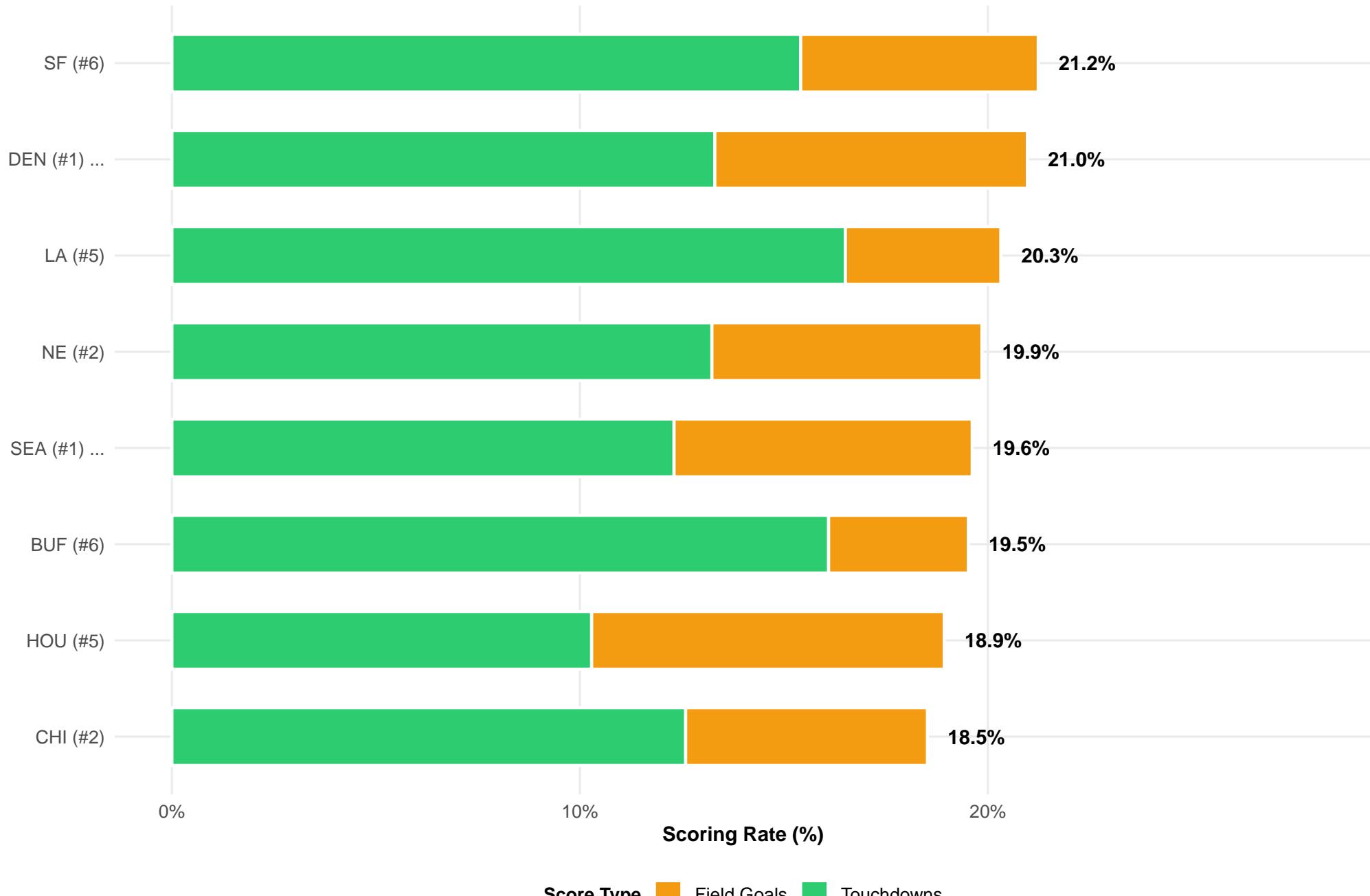
Third Down Conversion Rate: Sustaining Drives

Critical playoff metric | ... = Bye Week



Red Zone Efficiency: TDs vs Field Goals

Scoring breakdown inside the 20 | ... = Bye Week



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Analytics Summary

Top Performers by Metric

Best Net EPA: SEA (+0.17)

Best 3rd Down: SF (47.1%)

Best Red Zone: LA (16.5% TD rate)

Most Explosive: NE (8.3 plays/game)

Best Ball Security: CHI (0.72 TO/game)

Data Quality

Total plays analyzed: 47,333

Teams analyzed: 8 (all divisional round participants)

Missing data: None – all 8 teams complete