

An emailer asked about scheduling in the NBA. Another suggested that in any given year there are teams that benefit greatly and others that are negatively impacted by the number of back to backs and 4 games in 5 nights that they play, and possibly more importantly, how many of their opponent's games are on the 2nd game of a back to back or 5th day of a 4 games in 5 night stretch.

So for those of us that were curious, here is the data for this year through last friday

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Team

opp 4 in 5

					Hawks	1	18	16	3	2
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					Celtics	2	13	14	0	3
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					Bulls	4	18	16	2	3
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					Cavaliers	5	14	12	3	4
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					Mavericks	6	12	13	1	1
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					Nuggets	7	17	15	3	0
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					Pistons	8	10	4	2	0

					Warriors	9	11	11	2	0
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					Rockets	10	17	19	3	2
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					Pacers	11	17	15	2	2
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					Clippers	12	15	22	2	1
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					Lakers	13	15	7	1	0
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					Grizzlies	14	15	11	1	2
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					Heat	15	13	13	0	2
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					Bucks	16	19	21	3	3
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					Timberwolves	17	17	13	1	1
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					Nets	18	18	18	1	3
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					Hornets	19	15	23	1	3
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					Knicks	20	11	13	0	4
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					Thunder	21	14	13	2	1
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					Magic	22	11	16	1	1
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					76ers	23	15	13	2	1
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					Suns	24	15	16	2	3
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					Blazers	25	12	17	1	2
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					Kings	26	18	11	3	0
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					Spurs	27	14	17	1	0
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					Raptors	28	12	9	1	0
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					Jazz	29	14	20	2	3
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					Wizards	30	13	16	3	1
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