2011 TOP 100 FANTASY RANKINGS 1.0

RANK	PLAYER	COMMENTS
1 .	Adrian Peterson, RB (MIN)	Whether it's rookie Christian Ponder or Donovan McNabb under center, All Day is our #1.
2 .	Chris Johnson, RB (TEN)	A 2,000 yard season possible, but w/ Jake Locker currently the only viable QB on the roster, things could get challenging.
3 .	Jamaal Charles, RB (KC)	1,467 rushing yards, 6.4 ypc average last season. With a slowed Thomas Jones, expect that and then some in '11.
4 .	Arian Foster, RB (HOU)	2010 was magical, especially when you consider Foster played the entire season with a torn meniscus.
5 .	Michael Vick, QB (PHI)	Vick's record setting performance last season makes fantasy owners wonder what he'll do for an encore.
6 .	Aaron Rodgers, QB (GB)	Reigning Super Bowl MVP gets back some key weapons on offense (Ryan Grant, Jermichael Finley). Scary.
7 .	Maurice Jones-Drew, RB (JAX)	Still the offensive centerpiece, but expect Rashard Jennings to lighten the load in '11.
8 .	Rashard Mendenhall, RB (PIT)	"Fumble Machine" should have lanes to run through w/ Ben Roethlisberger under center for a full season.
9 .	Andre Johnson, WR (HOU)	Believe it or not, Johnson has never posted double-digit TD's in any season of his eight-year career.
10 .	Ray Rice, RB (BAL)	Great value for a back more than capable of carrying both the offense in Charm City and your fantasy team.
11 .	LeSean McCoy, RB (PHI)	Workhorse back that benefits the most of any Eagles skill player from having Michael Vick as his QB.
12 .	Michael Turner, RB (ATL)	Turner still remains the focal point of a potent Atlanta offense, but will we see Matt Ryan air it out more in '11?
13 .	Roddy White, WR (ATL)	One of fantasy's best in '10 may lose a few catches to rookie Julio Jones, but that means less double-teams.
14 .	Steven Jackson, RB (STL)	The maturation of Sam Bradford coupled w/ no injuries could equal a banner year for Jackson.
15 .	Frank Gore, RB (SF)	Health concerns are always going to be there w/ Gore. A new head coach/system also presents some question marks.
16 .	Calvin Johnson, WR (DET)	In order for Megatron to truly break loose, Matthew Stafford needs to stay healthy for an entire season. Miracle, I know.
17 .	Darren McFadden, RB (OAK)	Fantasy owners finally saw glimpses of the real Darren McFadden last season. A 1st round talent barring injury.
18 .	Larry Fitzgerald, WR (ARI)	After a 2010 to forget, Larry Fitz is hoping Kevin Kolb makes his way to the desert once free agency starts.
19 .	Greg Jennings, WR (GB)	Jennings will have another nice season, however the return of Jermichael Finley means a drop in production -- not much though.
20 .	Drew Brees, QB (NO)	The emergence of a running game (Ingram, Ivory) should open things up for Brees after a subpar '10 (by Brees' standards).
21 .	Hakeem Nicks, WR (NYG)	Nicks showed an uncanny knack for the end zone in his breakout sophomore season, which ended in injury.
22 .	Tom Brady, QB (NE)	Brady proved in '10 that he doesn't need elite skill players around him to be a fantasy stud.
23 .	Peyton Hillis, RB (CLE)	Madden cover boy has a new head coach/system to adjust to. Bruising running style is also worrisome.
24 .	Mike Wallace, WR (PIT)	Big-play guy sky-rocketing up the WR fantasy ranks. Also benefits from having Big Ben for a full season.
25 .	Peyton Manning, QB (IND)	Peyton Manning is Peyton Manning, but the neck is cause for concern and he's no spring chicken.

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26 .	**Matt Forte, RB (CHI)**	After a disastrous 2009, Forte bounce backed big in '10 and looks comfortable in Mike Martz's offense.
27 .	**Ahmad Bradshaw, RB (NYG/FA)**	He's the Giants go-to back entering '11 (if he stays), but the lack of red zone carries should make you think twice.
28 .	**Philip Rivers, QB (SD)**	Rivers will no doubt air it out in Norv Turner's offense. He's got the weapons around him (VJ, Gates) to be an elite QB1.
29 .	**Vincent Jackson, WR (SD)**	VJ's extended hold-out last season crippled fantasy owners hoping he would return earlier. He's full go in '11.
30 .	**Knowshon Moreno, RB (DEN)**	If Moreno wasn't always hurt, he may be ranked a bit higher. May struggle if the Broncos are playing from behind.
31 .	**Reggie Wayne, WR (IND)**	Wayne is a steal as our #9 ranked receiver. His drop is a testament to the young WR talent in a pass-happy league.
32 .	**LeGarrette Blount, RB (TB)**	Busted onto the scene last season w/ over 1,000 rushing yards despite only starting seven games.
33 .	**DeSean Jackson, WR (PHI)**	Always a threat to score when on the field, but will never catch more than 70 balls in a season.
34 .	**Antonio Gates, TE (SD)**	Battled through injuries last season, but when healthy he's Rivers' favorite target and fantasy's best TE.
35 .	**Miles Austin, WR (DAL)**	Value is a bit lower this season because of Dez Bryant. Still, Tony Romo is most comfortable w/ Miles.
36 .	**Jonathan Stewart, RB (CAR)**	With DeAngelo Williams' situation still in limbo, the oft-injured Stewart seems poised to carry the load in Carolina.
37 .	**Dwayne Bowe, WR (KC)**	His 15 receiving TD's last season led the NFL. Still, the drops and inconsistencies taper our interest.
38 .	**Ryan Mathews, RB (SD)**	Hopes to rebound after a disappointing rookie campaign. Hard to believe he was a projected 1st round fantasy pick in '10.
39 .	**Marques Colston, WR (NO)**	Go-to receiver on an explosive offense, yet there were times in '10 when Colston took a back seat to other weapons in NO.
40 .	**Dez Bryant, WR (DAL)**	Oozes talent. Lack of chemistry w/ Romo early last season was apparent, but he's too good to pass up.
41 .	**Jeremy Maclin, WR (PHI)**	May not have the explosiveness of a D. Jackson, but rapport w/ Vick and overall steadiness make him a WR2 w/ upside.
42 .	**DeAngelo Williams, RB (CAR/FA)**	Stock will rise/fall once we know where he'll be running the football in '11.
43 .	**Mike Williams, WR (TB)**	Impressive rookie campaign and rapport w/ Josh Freeman can't be ignored. WR2 w/ upside.
44 .	**Felix Jones, RB (DAL)**	Jones gets the nod in a crowded Dallas backfield (Choice, Murray). Injuries are more concerning than competition.
45 .	**Santonio Holmes, WR (NYJ/FA)**	Wherever Holmes goes, he's getting paid. Another free agent whose stock will rise/fall depending on his landing spot.
46 .	**Tony Romo, QB (DAL)**	Returns w/ same system and arsenal of weapons. After a wacky off-season, that's a huge advantage for any fantasy QB.
47 .	**Dallas Clark, TE (IND)**	Manning's security blanket is coming off of a season-ending wrist injury, but will be ready to go for training camp.
48 .	**Brandon Marshall, WR (MIA)**	Questions at QB and RB coupled w/ the never-ending off-the-field issues make Marshall the ultimate risk/reward.
49 .	**Jason Witten, TE (DAL)**	Two-straight seasons w/ 94 receptions, including 9 TD's in '10. Only negative: the growing emergence of Austin, Bryant.
50 .	**Jahvid Best, RB (DET)**	Showed flashes in rookie campaign. Still, Best is injury-prone and will be involved in a time-share w/ rookie Leshoure.

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51 .	**Brandon Lloyd, WR (DEN)**	Undrafted in virtually every '10 fantasy draft, Lloyd has his opportunity to prove that last season was no fluke.
52 .	**Wes Welker, WR (NE)**	WW surprised w/ his productivity last season (86 rec, 7 TD's) after returning from knee surgery. He'll be even better in '11.
53 .	**Shonn Greene, RB (NYJ)**	His 1st/early 2nd round projection last season was too high. With LT slowing down, he's worth a mid-round flier.
54 .	**Jermichael Finley, TE (GB)**	Aaron Rodgers' favorite target. Had he not been injured last season, I think we're talking Antonio Gates-good.
55 .	**BenJarvus Green-Ellis, RB (NE)**	We like Green-Ellis, but Bill Belichick is too unpredictable. Unpredictability is not good for your fantasy team.
56 .	**Sidney Rice, WR (MIN/FA)**	If Rice stays in Minnesota and Christian Ponder is his quarterback, we may have to knock him down a few slots.
57 .	**Matt Schaub, QB (HOU)**	Foster's unforeseen productivity last season dinged Schaub's value in '10. Numbers will be there, just not consistently.
58 .	**Daniel Thomas, RB (MIA)**	With Brown and Williams free agents, the rookie Thomas could be in-line for a big season as the 'Phins featured back.
59 .	**Steve Johnson, WR (BUF)**	A fantasy surprise in '10, Johnson will benefit from another season with Fitzpatrick and Gailey (no, seriously, he will).
60 .	**Vernon Davis, TE (SF)**	New system in SF and not a lot of time to learn it. Davis will get his, but ceiling may not be as high as in recent seasons.
61 .	**Matt Ryan, QB (ATL)**	Not flashy, but pleasantly consistent in '10. Add Julio Jones to the mix and Ryan should put up steady numbers in '11.
62 .	**Mark Ingram, RB (NO)**	Heisman Trophy winner will aim to be the guy in NO's backfield, but Ivory and Thomas will be breathing down his neck.
63 .	**Ben Roethlisberger, QB (PIT)**	The balance of Pittsburgh's O means the numbers needed from an elite fantasy QB aren't always there week-to-week.
64 .	**Josh Freeman, QB (TB)**	Ready to emerge into a reliable fantasy QB. We'd like to see TB pick-up another weapon in free agency to help him get there.
65 .	**Kenny Britt, WR (TEN)**	The uncertainty at QB coupled with Britt's stellar arrest history worry us to a point where it may best to stay away.
66 .	**Cedric Benson, RB (CIN)**	Latest arrest doesn't help his fantasy draft stock, especially if the commish lays down a suspension. Proceed w/ caution.
67 .	**Mario Manningham, WR (NYG)**	Scored 9 TD's last season and at times was Manning's top target when Nicks and Smith were out of the line-up.
68 .	**Anquan Boldin, WR (BAL)**	Injury-free in '10, still Boldin posted only 64 receptions for 837 yards. Cam Cameron needs to find ways to get Q the ball.
69 .	**Fred Jackson, RB (BUF)**	C.J. Spiller showed little last season to make us believe he'll significantly cut into Jackson's role as primary back in Buffalo.
70 .	**Percy Harvin, WR (MIN)**	Like Rice, Percy's season is contingent on the quarterback and the migraines, of course. At this point, a fringe WR2.
71 .	**Michael Crabtree, WR (SF)**	Talented underachiever who dislikes his QB. Doesn't sound like a recipe for success, but maybe new HC Harbaugh helps.
72 .	**Ryan Torain, RB (WAS)**	Expected to be the lead horse on the Shanny-go-round, but injury history and rookie runner Helu may derail Torain.
73 .	**Ryan Grant, RB (GB)**	Remember, his 2010 injury came in Week 1. Grant could be a great value pick, but will still compete w/ Starks for touches.
74 .	**Austin Collie, WR (IND)**	Those concussions last season were tough to watch. Target as a WR3 with WR2 potential -- anything higher is too risky.
75 .	**Mikel Leshoure, RB (DET)**	Leshoure could be the best of the rookie RB bunch. Will have his opportunities sharing a backfield w/ the injury-prone Best.

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76 .	**Steve Smith, WR (CAR)**	Will he stay in Carolina? Smith has gas in the tank and could be a steal in late rounds.
77 .	**Ryan Williams, RB (ARI)**	Next to a new QB, Williams is the biggest piece to Arizona's *Extreme Offensive Makeover: Ken Whisenhunt Edition.*
78 .	**Johnny Knox, WR (CHI)**	As of today, Knox remains Jay Cutler's go-to in the passing game. Let's see what the Bears do in free agency.
79 .	**A.J. Green, WR (CIN)**	Usually it's buyer beware with rookie WR's, but Green may be the exception to the rule. Monitor the QB situation.
80 .	**Marshawn Lynch, RB (SEA)**	Beast Mode will carry the load for the 'Hawks -- we think. Let's wait until free agency before etching that in stone.
81 .	**Braylon Edwards, WR (NYJ/FA)**	Edwards can be a productive WR3 when motivated. Check back next week to see where he'll be playing this season.
82 .	**Pierre Garcon, WR (IND)**	Has never had more than 70 rec, 800 yards in a season. With Clark/Collie returning from injury, that trend should continue.
83 .	**James Starks, RB (GB)**	Starks made his money in last season's playoffs. He'll compete with the veteran Grant for backfield supremacy.
84 .	**Pierre Thomas, RB (NO)**	Thomas could be the odd man out in a backfield that now features rookie Mark Ingram and the hard-running Chris Ivory.
85 .	**Eli Manning, QB (NYG)**	Eli doesn't put up consistent enough numbers to be an every-week fantasy starter. A reliable QB2/QB1 spot play? Yes.
86 .	**Brandon Jacobs, RB (NYG)**	With Bradshaw's situation in flux, Jacobs' work load could increase in NY. At worst, he's still a TD vulcher.
87 .	**Santana Moss, WR (WAS/FA)**	Moss is expected to re-sign in Washington, which means catching balls from John Beck or Rex Grossman. Hmmm…...
88 .	**Michael Bush, RB (OAK/FA)**	A must hand-cuff for McFadden owners if Bush stays in Oakland. Also keep your eyes on speedy rookie RB Taiwan Jones.
89 .	**Joe Flacco, QB (BAL)**	Most thought that Flacco would reach elite status in '10. It didn't happen. Regardless, a nice QB2 option with upside.
90 .	**Ronnie Brown, RB (MIA/FA)**	Free agent waiting for his phone to ring this weekend. Could be a late-round bargain if put in the right situation.
91 .	**Malcolm Floyd, WR (SD/FA)**	Floyd would benefit most from playing with Philip Rivers and opposite of Vincent Jackson. Value rises if he stays in SD.
92 .	**Julio Jones, WR (ATL)**	No OTA's + learning curve + Roddy = slow start. But like Dez Bryant last season, stash him on your bench for a strong finish.
93 .	**Joseph Addai, RB (IND/FA)**	Three straight seasons *without* 1,000 yards. Missed eight games last season with injuries. Don't hang your hat on this guy.
94 .	**Jordy Nelson, WR (GB)**	Super Bowl hero would like to carry that momentum into '11. Stock rises if James Jones leaves via free agency.
95 .	**Beanie Wells, RB (ARI)**	One of fantasy's biggest disappointments in '10, Wells will now compete with the rookie Williams for touches.
96 .	**Randy Moss, WR (TEN/FA)**	Randy is in 'freakish shape' according to his agent. Someone in your league is going to overreach. Don't let it be you.
97 .	**Lance Moore, WR (NO/FA)**	A combined 145 rec and 18 TD's in 2008 and 2010 (was hurt for most of '09). Just sayin' -- not a bad stash for your bench.
98 .	**Jimmy Graham, TE (NO)**	You'll find him higher here than most: dude's a beast. If you miss out on the top TE's early, snag Graham late.
99 .	**Chad Ochocinco, WR (CIN)**	Twitter, reality shows, music videos, soccer tryouts, NASCAR, bull riding…does this guy still play football?
100 .	**LaDainian Tomlinson, RB (NYJ)**	An aging L.T. looks to be nothing more than a flex play and/or insurance for Greene.