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**CBS SPORTS' COUNTDOWN TO SUPER BOWL 50 BEGINS AS NETWORK ANNOUNCES
2015 NFL ON CBS BROADCAST SCHEDULE**

**CBS TELEVISION NETWORK AND NFL NETWORK ALSO KICKS OFF
SECOND YEAR OF PARTNERSHIP OF *THURSDAY NIGHT FOOTBALL***

The CBS Television Network, home of Super Bowl 50, marks its 56th year broadcasting the NFL headlined by Super Bowl 50 on February 7, 2016, as well as some of the most marquee games on the NFL schedule including **New England-Dallas** (10/11), **Denver-Indianapolis** (11/8), **New England-N.Y. Giants** (11/15), **Pittsburgh-Seattle** (11/29), **N.Y. Jets-N.Y. Giants** (12/6) and **Denver-Pittsburgh** (12/20), during its 17 weeks of regular-season coverage.

In addition to the AFC package, the 104 regular-season game broadcast schedule once again features NFC crossover games. The regular-season schedule is followed by a post-season slate of AFC Playoff games, the AFC Championship game, as well as Super Bowl 50 from Levi's Stadium in Santa Clara, Calif.

This year also marks the second season of partnership between the CBS Television Network and NFL Network in broadcasting *Thursday Night Football*. The 16-game *Thursday Night Football* schedule kicks off on September 17 with **Denver-Kansas City** from Arrowhead Stadium in Kansas City, Mo.

► NINE NFL ON CBS DOUBLEHEADER WEEKENDS

The 2015 NFL ON CBS broadcast schedule on Sunday, Sept. 13 begins with a CBS doubleheader and includes eight more doubleheader weekends featuring key AFC and AFC-NFC match-ups:

AFC

Denver-Indianapolis (11/8)
Denver-Pittsburgh (12/20)
New York Jets-Buffalo (1/3/16)
New England-Miami (1/3/16)
Baltimore-Denver (9/13)

AFC-NFC

New England-Dallas (10/11)
New England-N.Y. Giants (11/15)
Pittsburgh-Seattle (11/29)
San Diego-Green Bay (10/18)
Miami-Philadelphia (11/15)

► GAMES FEATURING NEW ENGLAND, INDIANAPOLIS, DENVER, PITTSBURGH, NEW YORK GIANTS, DALLAS, SEATTLE, SAN FRANCISCO, CHICAGO AND GREEN BAY HIGHLIGHT SUNDAY'S 2015 SCHEDULE

Along with near-weekly AFC divisional battles, the broadcast schedule on Sunday also features other AFC-NFC match-ups including **N.Y. Jets-N.Y. Giants** (12/6), **Baltimore-San Francisco** (10/18), **Denver-Chicago** (11/22), **Buffalo-Philadelphia** (12/13), **Pittsburgh-St. Louis** (9/27), **Cincinnati-Arizona** (11/22) and **Kansas City-Minnesota** (10/18)

► **NFC CROSSOVER GAMES ONCE AGAIN ADDED TO *NFL ON CBS* SCHEDULE**

In addition to the AFC package of games, THE NFL ON CBS's broadcast schedule once again features NFC games highlighted by **Carolina-Dallas** (Thanksgiving Day, 11/26); **Chicago-Seattle** (9/27); **St. Louis-Green Bay** (10/11), as well as other NFC Crossover flex games to be determined later in the season.

► **THANKSGIVING DAY GAME**

Thanksgiving Day (11/26) will feature **Carolina at Dallas** in an NFC Crossover game.

► **OPENING KICK-OFF**

THE NFL ON CBS kicks off Week 1 with double-header coverage on Sunday, Sept. 13 (12:00 Noon-1:00 PM, ET) beginning with THE NFL TODAY. Games that day include: **Baltimore vs. Denver; Miami vs. Washington; Indianapolis vs. Buffalo; Cleveland vs. N.Y. Jets; Kansas City vs. Houston; Cincinnati vs. Oakland** and **Tennessee vs. Tampa Bay**.

Jim Nantz and **Phil Simms**, along with **Tracy Wolfson** reporting, are the lead announce team for the Network's coverage of THE NFL ON CBS on Thursday night, along with select games on Sunday. THE NFL TODAY, CBS Sports' NFL pre-game, halftime and post-game studio show, begins on Sunday, Sept. 13 (12:00 Noon-1:00 PM, ET) with host **James Brown**, along with analysts **Boomer Esiason, Bill Cowher, Tony Gonzalez** and **Bart Scott**.

Sean McManus is Chairman, CBS Sports and serves as the Executive Producer of CBS Sports' coverage of the NFL. **David Berson** is President, CBS Sports. **Harold Bryant** is Executive Producer and Senior Vice President, Production, CBS Sports.

Following is the complete 2015 NFL ON CBS broadcast schedule.

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2015 NFL ON CBS BROADCAST SCHEDULE

(all times ET)

WEEK 1 - SUNDAY, SEPT. 13 – CBS DBHDR

Miami @ Washington 1:00
Indianapolis @ Buffalo 1:00
Cleveland @ N.Y. Jets 1:00
Kansas City @ Houston 1:00

Baltimore @ Denver 4:25
Cincinnati @ Oakland 4:25
Tennessee @ Tampa Bay 4:25

WEEK 2 - SUNDAY, SEPT. 20

Houston @ Carolina 1:00
New England @ Buffalo 1:00
San Diego @ Cincinnati 1:00
Tennessee @ Cleveland 1:00

Baltimore @ Oakland 4:05
Miami @ Jacksonville 4:05

WEEK 3 - SUNDAY, SEPT. 27 – CBS DBHDR

San Diego @ Minnesota 1:00
Pittsburgh @ St. Louis 1:00
Jacksonville @ New England 1:00
Cincinnati @ Baltimore 1:00
Oakland @ Cleveland 1:00
Indianapolis @ Tennessee 1:00

Chicago @ Seattle 4:25
Buffalo @ Miami 4:25

WEEK 4 - SUNDAY, OCT. 4

N.Y. Jets-Miami (London) 9:30 AM
Oakland @ Chicago 1:00
Houston @ Atlanta 1:00
Kansas City @ Cincinnati 1:00
Jacksonville @ Indianapolis 1:00

Cleveland @ San Diego 4:05

WEEK 5 - SUNDAY, OCT. 11 – CBS DBHDR

Jacksonville @ Tampa Bay 1:00
Cleveland @ Baltimore 1:00
Buffalo @ Tennessee 1:00
St. Louis @ Green Bay 1:00

New England @ Dallas 4:25
Denver @ Oakland 4:25

WEEK 6 - SUNDAY, OCT. 18 – CBS DBHDR

Kansas City @ Minnesota 1:00
Cincinnati @ Buffalo 1:00
Denver @ Cleveland 1:00
Miami @ Tennessee 1:00
Houston @ Jacksonville 1:00

San Diego @ Green Bay 4:25
Baltimore @ San Francisco 4:25

WEEK 7 - SUNDAY, OCT. 25

Cleveland @ St. Louis 1:00
Houston @ Miami 1:00
N.Y. Jets @ New England 1:00
Pittsburgh @ Kansas City 1:00

Oakland @ San Diego 4:05

WEEK 8 - SUNDAY, NOV. 1

San Diego @ Baltimore 1:00
Cincinnati @ Pittsburgh 1:00
Tennessee @ Houston 1:00

N.Y. Jets @ Oakland 4:05

WEEK 9 - SUNDAY, NOV. 8 – CBS DBHDR

Tennessee @ New Orleans 1:00
Miami @ Buffalo 1:00
Jacksonville @ N.Y. Jets 1:00
Oakland @ Pittsburgh 1:00

Denver @ Indianapolis 4:25

WEEK 10 - SUNDAY, NOV. 15 – CBS DBHDR

Miami @ Philadelphia	1:00
Jacksonville @ Baltimore	1:00
Cleveland @ Pittsburgh	1:00
New England @ N.Y. Giants	4:25
Kansas City @ Denver	4:25

WEEK 11 - SUNDAY, NOV. 22

Denver @ Chicago	1:00
Oakland @ Detroit	1:00
Indianapolis @ Atlanta	1:00
N.Y. Jets @ Houston	1:00
Cincinnati @ Arizona	4:05

WEEK 12 - THURSDAY, NOV. 26**THANKSGIVING DAY**

Carolina @ Dallas	4:30
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WEEK 12 - SUNDAY, NOV. 29 – CBS DBHDR

Miami @ N.Y. Jets	1:00
San Diego @ Jacksonville	1:00
Oakland @ Tennessee	1:00
Buffalo @ Kansas City	1:00
Pittsburgh @ Seattle	4:25

WEEK 13 - SUNDAY, DEC. 6

N.Y. Jets @ N.Y. Giants	1:00
Houston @ Buffalo	1:00
Baltimore @ Miami	1:00
Cincinnati @ Cleveland	1:00
Jacksonville @ Tennessee	1:00

Kansas City @ Oakland	4:05
Denver @ San Diego	4:05

WEEK 14 - SUNDAY, DEC. 13

Buffalo @ Philadelphia	1:00
Tennessee @ N.Y. Jets	1:00
Pittsburgh @ Cincinnati	1:00
New England @ Houston	1:00
Indianapolis @ Jacksonville	1:00
San Diego @ Kansas City	1:00

Oakland @ Denver	4:05
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WEEK 15 – SUNDAY, DEC. 20 – CBS DBHDR

Houston @ Indianapolis	1:00
Tennessee @ New England	1:00
Kansas City @ Baltimore	1:00
Buffalo @ Washington	1:00

Denver @ Pittsburgh	4:25
Miami @ San Diego	4:25

WEEK 16 – SUNDAY, DEC. 27

Jacksonville @ New Orleans	1:00
Indianapolis @ Miami	1:00
New England @ N.Y. Jets	1:00
Houston @ Tennessee	1:00
Cleveland @ Kansas City	1:00

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WEEK 17 – SUNDAY, JAN. 3, 2016 – CBS DBHDR

N.Y. Jets @ Buffalo	1:00
New England @ Miami	1:00
Baltimore @ Cincinnati	1:00
Pittsburgh @ Cleveland	1:00
Jacksonville @ Houston	1:00
Tennessee @ Indianapolis	1:00
Oakland @ Kansas City	1:00

San Diego @ Denver	4:25
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AFC PLAYOFFS – JAN. 10-24, 2016**AFC CHAMPIONSHIP - SUNDAY, JAN. 24****SUPER BOWL 50 – SUNDAY, FEB. 7**