

DETROIT LIONS
(Visitor)

VS. TAMPA BAY BUCCANEERS
(Home)

Date NOVEMBER 23, 1980

At TAMPA STADIUM

FINAL TEAM STATISTICS

	VISITOR DETROIT	HOME TAMPA BAY
TOTAL FIRST DOWNS	19	15
BY RUSHING	9	2
BY PASSING	8	11
BY PENALTY	2	2
THIRD DOWN EFFICIENCY	7-18 41.2%	4-12 33.3%
TOTAL NET YARDS	262	200
TOTAL OFFENSIVE PLAYS (Inc. times thrown passing)	72	52
AVERAGE GAIN PER OFFENSIVE PLAY	3.6	3.8
NET YARDS RUSHING	129	45
TOTAL RUSHING PLAYS	40	16
AVERAGE GAIN PER RUSHING PLAY	3.2	2.8
NET YARDS PASSING	133	155
TIMES THROWN—YARDS LOST ATTEMPTING TO PASS ...	3-24	2-16
GROSS YARDS PASSING	157	171
PASS ATTEMPTS—COMPLETIONS—HAD INTERCEPTED	29-22-0	34-18-1
AVERAGE GAIN PER PASS PLAY (Inc. times thrown passing)	4.9	4.3
PUNTS—NUMBER AND AVERAGE	6-45.5	7-40.7
HAD BLOCKED	0	0
TOTAL RETURN YARDAGE	156	133
NO. AND YARDS PUNT RETURNS	4-63	6-53
NO. AND YARDS KICKOFF RETURNS	3-70	4-80
NO. AND YARDS INTERCEPTION RETURNS	1-23	0-0
PENALTIES—NUMBER AND YARDS	7-52	3-25
FUMBLES—NUMBER AND LOST	4-1	3-3
TOUCHDOWNS	3	1
RUSHING	3	0
PASSING	0	1
RETURNS	0	0
EXTRA POINTS MADE—ATTEMPTS	3-3	1-1
FIELD GOALS MADE—ATTEMPTS	1-2	1-1
TIME OF POSSESSION	36:01	23:59

DATE NOVEMBER 23, 1980
VISITOR DETROIT LIONS

FINAL INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

AT TAMPA STADIUM
HOME TAMPA BAY BUCCANERS

RUSHING		ATT.	NET YARDS	AVG.	LONG GAIN	TD			
SIMS		15	75	5.0	(21)	1			
BUSSEY		12	28	2.3	6	1			
DANIELSON		4	10	2.5	7	0			
R. WILLIAMS		1	11	11.0	(11)	1			
KING		1	7	7.0	7	0			
KANE		6	0	0.0	3	0			
ROBINSON		1	-2	-2.0	-2	0			
TOTALS		40	129	3.2	(21)	3			
PASSING		ATT.	COMP.	YARDS	TKD YDS	TD	LG.	Had Int.	
DANIELSON		29	22	157	3 -24	0	32	0	
TOTALS		29	22	157	3 -24	0	32	0	
PASS RECEIVING		NO.	YARDS	LG.	TD				
SIMS		5	33	12	0				
BUSSEY		2	9	7	0				
HILL		7	31	11	0				
SCOTT		5	74	32	0				
KING		3	10	5	0				
TOTALS		22	157	32	0				
INTERCEPTIONS		NO.	YARDS	LG.	TD				
SMITH		1	23	23	0				
TOTALS		1	23	23	0				
PUNTING		NO.	YDS.	AVG.	TB	IN 20	LG.		
BLADAWY		6	273	45.5	0	0	56		
TOTALS		6	273	45.5	0	0	56		
PUNT RETURNS		NO.	FC	YARDS	LG.	TD			
R. WILLIAMS		4	1	63	53	0			
TOTALS		4	1	63	53	0			
KICKOFF RETURNS		NO.	YARDS	LG.	TD				
KANE		2	64	35	0				
R. WILLIAMS		1	6	6	0				
TOTALS		3	70	35	0				
FUMBLES		FUM.	OWN REC.	YDS.	TD	OPP REC.	YDS.	TD	OUT BDS
SIMS		1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
OLDHAM		-	-	-	-	1	0	-	-
SCOTT		1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
W. SMITH		-	-	-	-	1	0	-	-
HILL / LUCE		1	-	-	-	-	1	0	-
DANIELSON / DIETERICH		1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
TOTALS		4	2	-	-	3	0	-	1

RUSHING		ATT.	NET YARDS	AVG.	LONG GAIN	TD			
ECKWOOD		12	27	2.3	8	0			
J. DAVIS		1	3	3.0	3	0			
T. DAVIS		1	2	2.0	2	0			
G. DAVIS		1	1	1.0	1	0			
WILLIAMS		1	12	12.0	12	0			
TOTALS		16	45	2.8	12	0			
PASSING		ATT.	COMP.	YARDS	TKD YDS	TD	LG.	Had Int.	
WILLIAMS		34	18	171	2 -16	1	21	1	
TOTALS		34	18	171	2 -16	1	21	1	
PASS RECEIVING		NO.	YARDS	LG.	TD				
ECKWOOD		6	45	17	0				
HAGINS		1	14	14	0				
JONES		4	48	14	1				
HOUSE		1	5	5	0				
T. DAVIS		1	9	9	0				
GILES		2	17	11	0				
BRADOUICH		1	21	21	0				
G. DAVIS		2	12	10	0				
TOTALS		18	171	21	1				
INTERCEPTIONS		NO.	YARDS	LG.	TD				
TOTALS									
PUNTING		NO.	YDS.	AVG.	TB	IN 20	LG.		
BLANCHARD		7	285	40.7	1	2	53		
TOTALS		7	285	40.7	1	2	53		
PUNT RETURNS		NO.	FC	YARDS	LG.	TD			
REECE		6	0	53	13	0			
TOTALS		6	0	53	13	0			
KICKOFF RETURNS		NO.	YARDS	LG.	TD				
G. DAVIS		2	43	25	0				
REECE		2	37	22	0				
TOTALS		4	80	25	0				
FUMBLES		FUM.	OWN REC.	YDS.	TD	OPP REC.	YDS.	TD	OUT BDS
JORDAN		-	-	-	-	1	0	-	-
ECKWOOD		1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
REECE		2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
TOTALS		3	-	-	-	1	0	-	-

DETROIT LIONS VS TAMPA BAY BUCCANEERS, TAMPA STADIUM, NOVEMBER 23, 1980

FIRST QUARTER

Tampa Bay wins the toss, elects to receive, Detroit to defend the south goal.

Murray kicks, taken by G. Davis at TB2, returned to TB27 25 (Robinson)

TAMPA BAY - 14:51

TB27 1 - 10 Williams back to throw on a play action, complete at TB25 to Eckwood, run
out of bounds at TB44 17 (Smith) FIRST DOWN
TB44 1 - 10 Eckwood up middle 2 (Gay)
TB46 2 - 8 Williams back to throw, complete over the middle at TB47 to Eckwood 11
(Oldham) FIRST DOWN
D43 1 - 10 Williams rolls right, sacked for loss of 4 yds. (Pureifory)
D47 2 - 14 J. Davis up middle 3 (Baker)
D44 3 - 11 Williams back to throw on a blitz, incomplete over the middle PENALTY -
Detroit, offsides, 5yds.
D39 3 - 6 Williams back to throw, complete at D32 to Hagins, brought down at D25 14
(W. Williams) FIRST DOWN
D25 1 - 10 Eckwood breaks to the outside 3 (Hunter)
D22 2 - 7 Eckwood up middle 1 (Oldham)
D21 3 - 6 Williams back to throw, complete at D10 to Giles, hit immediately 11 (Allen)
FIRST DOWN
D10 1-goal Eckwood around RE 3 (Fantetti)
D7 2-goal Eckwood off LT no gain (White)
D7 3 - goal Williams back to throw, intended for Hagins, incomplete
D7 4 - goal Yeapremian attempts 24-yard field goal - good - 7:49 (13 plays, 66 yards,
7 mins. 2 secs.)

TAMPA BAY - 3
DETROIT - 0

Yeapremian kicks, taken at D2 by Kane, returned to D31 29 (Reece)

DETROIT - 7:38

D31 1 - 10 Sims off RT -1 (Cotney)
D30 2 - 11 Danielson back to throw, complete to Sims on the left flat at D25,
brought down at D38 8 (Washington)
D38 3 - 3 Bussey up middle -1 (L. Selmon)
D37 4 - 4 Skladany punts, taken by Reece at TB10, returned to TB23 13 (Callicutt)
(53-yard punt)

TAMPA BAY - 5:19

TB23 1 - 10 Williams back to throw, complete at TB35 to Jones, brought down at TB37 14
(Smith) FIRST DOWN
TB37 1 - 10 Eckwood on a pitch back around RE 3 (Pureifory)
TB40 2 - 7 Williams back to throw, intended for Hagins on the right sideline, overthrown,
incomplete
TB40 3 - 7 Williams back to throw, complete to House at TB45, hit immediately 5
(W. Williams) R.
TB45 4 - 2 Blanchard punts, taken by Williams at D15 0 (A. Brown) PENALTY - Detroit,
clipping, 7 yds. (40-yard punt) (Penalty against L. Thompson)

DETROIT - 3:07

D8 1 - 10 Sims on a pitchback around RE 4 (D. Selmon) PENALTY - Detroit, illegal
use of the hands, 4 yds.
D7 1 - 11 Danielson back to throw, complete to Sims over the middle at D14 7 (Wood)
D14 2 - 4 Sims off LT 2 (Cotney)
D16 3 - 2 Sims up middle 4 (Wood) FIRST DOWN
D20 1 - 10 Danielson back to throw on a play action, complete on the right flat at
D15 to Bussey, brought down at D22 2 (Cotney)
D22 2 - 8 Danielson back to throw, complete to Sims 5 (Cotney)

END OF FIRST QUARTER

TAMPA BAY - 3
DETROIT - 0

3rd down conversions: Tampa Bay - 2 of 4; Detroit - 1 of 2

SECOND QUARTER

DETROIT

D27 3 - 3 Danielson back to throw, scrambles left 7 (L. Selmon) FIRST DOWN
 D34 1 - 10 Sims on a pitchback around RE, fumbles the ball at D36, recovered by
 Jordan at D36 2 (Bussey)

TAMPA BAY - 14:07

D36 1 - 10 Eckwood around RE, gets a good block by Yarno 8 (Fantetti)
 D28 2 - 2 Eckwood up middle no gain (Pureifory)
 D28 3 - 2 Williams back to throw, intended for Hagins on the right flat at D17, hit
 immediately, incomplete PENALTY - Detroit, pass interference, 12 yds.
 FIRST DOWN
 D16 1 - 10 T. Davis on a pitchback around LE, breaks a tackle at D20 2 (Allen)
 D14 2 - 8 Williams back to throw, lots of time, complete to Eckwood on the left flat 2
 (White) to Jones
 D12 3 - 6 Williams back to throw, plenty of time, scrambles left, throws complete/in the
 end zone for TOUCHDOWN - 11:06 - Yepremian attempts extra point - good
 (5 plays, 36 yards, 3 mins. 1 sec.) FIRST DOWN

TAMPA BAY - 10
 DETROIT - 0

Yepremian kicks, taken by R. Williams at D9, returned to D15 6 (A. Brown)

DETROIT - 10:57

D15 1 - 10 Sims up middle 2 (D. Selmon)
 D17 2 - 8 Danielson back to throw, complete to Hill at D21, brought down at D22 5
 (D. Selmon)
 D22 3 - 3 Danielson back to throw, complete at D40 to Scott, brought down at TB46
 32 (Cotney) FIRST DOWN
 TB46 1 - 10 Danielson back to throw, complete over the middle to Scott at TB28,
 hit immediately 18 (Cotney) FIRST DOWN
 TB28 1 - 10 Danielson back to throw, intended for Sims on a screen, incomplete
 TB28 2 - 10 Danielson back to throw, complete over the middle at TB22 to Hill 9
 (Cotney)
 TB19 3 - 1 Bussey up middle 3 (D. Selmon) FIRST DOWN
 TB16 1 - 10 Danielson back to throw, plenty of time, scrambles right 5 (Cotney)
 TB11 2 - 5 Sims on a reverse, hands off to R. Williams who goes around RE into
 the end zone for TOUCHDOWN - 5:56 - Murray attempts extra point - good
 (9 plays, 85 yards, 5 mins. 1 sec.) FIRST DOWN

TAMPA BAY - 10
 DETROIT - 7

Murray kicks, taken at TB11 by Reece, returned to TB26 15 (L. Thompson)

TAMPA BAY - 5:47

TB26 1 - 10 Eckwood on a pitchback around RE, fumbles at TB32, recovered by Oldham at TB32
 6 (Wood)

DETROIT - 5:38

TB32 1 - 10 Bussey around RE 5 (Wood)
 TB27 2 - 5 Danielson back to throw, complete at TB29 to Hill 6 (Washington)
 FIRST DOWN
 TB21 1 - 10 Sims around RE into end zone for TOUCHDOWN - 4:02 - Murray attempts
 extra point - good (3 plays, 32 yards, 1 min. 36 secs.) FIRST DOWN

TAMPA BAY - 10
 DETROIT - 14

Murray kicks, taken by G. Davis at TB12, brought down at TB30 18 (Robinson)

TAMPA BAY - 3:51

TB30 1 - 10 Williams back to throw on a play action, complete on the right flat to T. Davis
 at TB33, brought down at TB39 9 (Fantetti)
 TB39 2 - 1 Eckwood around RE 4 (Oldham) FIRST DOWN
 TB43 1 - 10 Williams back to throw, complete on the right flat at TB40 to Eckwood, knocked
 out of bounds at 50 7 (Weaver)
 50 2 - 3 Eckwood up middle 1 (Pureifory)
 D49 3 - 2 Eckwood on a pitchback around RE -4 (Fantetti)
 TB47 4 - 6 (2 min. warning) Blanchard punts, into end zone for touchback (53-yard
 punt) 1:51

SECOND QUARTER (continued)

DETROIT - 1:51
D20 1 - 10 PENALTY - Tampa Bay, offsides, 5 yds. (Penalty against Logan) 1:51
D25 1 - 5 Danielson back to throw, under pressure, complete to Bussey on a screen
at D21, brought down at D32 7 (Johnson) FIRST DOWN 1:40
D32 1 - 10 Danielson back to throw, complete on the left sideline to Hill, hit
immediately -1 (Johnson) 1:14
D31 2 - 11 Sims around RE 2 (Lewis) :47
D33 3 - 9 Sims up middle 3 (L. Selmon) :42
D36 4 - 6 Skladany punts, taken by Reece at TB30, returned to TB44 14 (Cobb) :34
(34-yard punt) PENALTY - Tampa Bay, running into the kicker, 5 yds.
(Penalty against A. Brown) FIRST DOWN
D41 1 - 10 Danielson back to throw, complete on the left flat at D38 to King no gain
(Reece) :08
D41 2 - 10 Danielson back to throw, complete on the left flat to King 5 (Reece)
D46 3 - 5 Danielson back to throw, complete at D41 to King 5 (Reece)

END OF SECOND QUARTER

TAMPA BAY - 10
DETROIT - 14

FIRST HALF SUMMARY

DETROIT LIONS VISITOR VS TAMPA BAY BUCCANEERS HOME Nov. 23, 1980 TAMPA STADIUM SITE

PERIOD SCORES
 VISITOR 0 - 14 = 14
 HOME 3 - 7 = 10

TIME OF POSSESSION
 VISITOR 15:07
 HOME 14:53

TEAM	PERIOD	ELAPSED TIME	SCORING PLAY	SCORE	
				VISITOR	HOME
TAMPA BAY	1	7:11	FG YEPPREMIAN 24	13-66	0 3
TAMPA BAY	2	3:54	JONES 12 PASS from Williams (YEPPREMIAN KICK) 5-36		0 10
DETROIT	2	9:04	R. WILLIAMS 11 RUN (MURRAY KICK)	9-85	7 10
DETROIT	2	10:58	SIMS 21 RUN (MURRAY KICK)	3-32	14 10

	VISITOR DETROIT	HOME TAMPA BAY
TOTAL FIRST DOWNS	11	8
First Downs Rushing-Passing-by Penalty	6-4-1	1-6-1
THIRD DOWN EFFICIENCY	5-7-71.4%	3-6-50%
TOTAL NET YARDS	177	130
Total No. Offensive Plays (Include times thrown passing)	30	26
NET YARDS RUSHING	69	32
NET YARDS PASSING	108	98
Gross Yards Gained Passing	108	102
Times Thrown-Yards Lost Attempting to Pass	0-0	1-4
PASS ATTEMPTS-COMPLETIONS-HAD INTERCEPTED	15-14-0	12-10-0
PUNTS-Number and Average	1-53	2-46.5
PENALTIES-Number and Yards	4-29	2-10
FUMBLES-Number and Lost	1-1	1-1

VISITOR DETROIT LIONS

RUSHING						
	ATT.	NET YARDS	AVG.	LONG GAIN	TD	
SIMS	9	39	4.3	(21)	1	
BUSSEY	3	7	2.3	5	0	
DANIELSON	2	12	6.0	7	0	
R. WILLIAMS	1	11	11.0	(11)	1	
15 69 4.6 (21) 2						
PASSING						
	ATT.	COMP.	YARDS	TKD YDS.	TD	LG.
DANIELSON	15	14	108	0	0	32
PASS RECEIVING						
	NO.	YARDS	LG.	TD		
SIMS	3	20	8	0		
BUSSEY	2	9	7	0		
HILL	4	19	9	0		
SCOTT	2	50	32	0		
KING	3	10	5	0		
14 108 32 0						

HOME TAMPA BAY BUCCANEERS

RUSHING						
	ATT.	NET YARDS	AVG.	LONG GAIN	TD	
ECKWOOD	12	27	2.3	8	0	
J. DAVIS	1	3	3.0	3	0	
T. DAVIS	1	2	2.0	2	0	
14 32 2.3 8 0						
PASSING						
	ATT.	COMP.	YARDS	TKD YDS.	TD	LG.
WILLIAMS	12	10	102	1	4	17
PASS RECEIVING						
	NO.	YARDS	LG.	TD		
ECKWOOD	4	37	17	0		
HAGINS	1	14	14	0		
JONES	2	26	14	1		
HOUSE	1	5	5	0		
T. DAVIS	1	9	9	0		
GILES	1	11	11	0		
10 102 17 1						

THIRD QUARTER

Yepremian kicks, taken by Kane at D2, returned to D37 35 (T. Davis)

DETROIT - 14:51

- D37 1 - 10 Bussey up middle 4 (Kollar)
 D41 2 - 6 Sims on a pitchback around RE 1 (Logan) PENALTY - Detroit, offensive holding, 10 yds.
 D32 2 - 15 Danielson back to throw, intended for Scott, almost intercepted at D47 by Lewis and C. Brown
 D32 3 - 15 Danielson back to throw, complete over the middle at D38 to Scott, fumbles the ball at D39 and recovers his own fumble at D38 6 (Wood)
 D38 4 - 9 Skladany punts, taken by Reece at TB22, returned to TB31 9 (Whited) (40-yard punt)

TAMPA BAY - 12:53

- TB31 1 - 10 Williams back to throw, complete to Jones at TB41, breaks a tackle at TB41 11 (Hunter) FIRST DOWN
 TB42 1 - 10 Williams back to throw, complete on a screen to Eckwood at TB35 -2 (Oldham)
 TB40 2 - 12 Williams back to throw, complete to Giles over the middle 6 (Weaver)
 TB46 3 - 6 Williams back to throw, intended for House at D33, broken up, incomplete
 TB46 4 - 6 Blanchard punts, taken by R. Williams at D10, returned to D12 2 (Obradovich) (44-yard punt)

DETROIT - 10:23

- D12 1 - 10 Bussey around RE -4 (Lewis)
 D8 2 - 14 Danielson back to throw, complete over the middle at D14 to Scott 6 (D. Selmon)
 D14 3 - 8 King off RT 7 (C. Brown)
 D21 4 - 1 Skladany punts, taken by Reece at TB41, breaks a tackle at TB42, fumbles the ball at TB47, recovered by Smith at TB47 6 (38-yard punt)

DETROIT - 7:59

- TB47 1 - 10 Danielson back to throw, scrambles right, sacked for loss of 2 yds. (L. Selmon)
 TB49 2 - 12 Sims on a pitchback around LE 2 (L. Selmon)
 TB47 3 - 10 Danielson back to throw under heavy pressure, complete at D48 to Sims, breaks a tackle at TB42 12 (C. Brown) FIRST DOWN
 TB35 1 - 10 Bussey around RE 4 (Lewis)
 TB31 2 - 6 Danielson back to throw, complete over the middle to Hill at TB27, fumbles at TB27, goes out of bounds at TB31 0 (Washington)
 TB31 3 - 6 Danielson back to throw, complete at TB36 to Sims 1 (Hawkins) (Sims shaken up on the play)
 TB30 4 - 5 Murray attempts 47-yard field goal - no good, wide right

TAMPA BAY - 5:35

- TB30 1 - 10 Williams back to throw, rolls right, complete to Obradovich at TB45, brought down at D49 21 (Fantetti) FIRST DOWN
 D49 1 - 10 G. Davis up middle 1 (Oldham)
 D48 2 - 9 Williams back to throw, intended for Giles at D40, incomplete
 D48 3 - 9 Williams back to throw, under heavy pressure, sacked for loss of 12 yards. (Baker)
 TB40 4 - 21 Blanchard punts, taken by R. Williams at D18, breaks a tackle at D22, knocked out of bounds at TB29 53 (Thomas) (42-yard punt)

DETROIT - 3:33

- TB29 1 - 10 Danielson back to throw, complete to Scott at TB20, brought down at TB17 12 (Cotney) FIRST DOWN
 TB17 1 - 10 Kane up middle -2 (Johnson)
 TB19 2 - 12 Kane up middle 3 (L. Selmon)
 TB16 3 - 9 Danielson back to throw, intended for King, overthrown, incomplete
 TB16 4 - 9 Murray attempts 33-yard field goal - good - 1:22 (5 plays, 13 yards, 2 mins. 11 secs.)

TAMPA BAY - 10

DETROIT - 17

Murray kicks, taken by Reece at TB7, returned to TB29 22 (Callicutt)

TAMPA BAY - 1:13

- TB29 1 - 10 Williams back to throw, intended for Eckwood on the right flat, incomplete
 TB29 2 - 10 Williams back to throw, intended for Jones at D45, overthrown, incomplete
 TB29 3 - 10 Williams back to throw, complete to G. Davis at TB30, hit immediately 2 (Oldham)
 TB31 4 - 8 Blanchard punts, taken by R. Williams at D26, returned to D34 8 (Obradovich)

THIRD QUARTER (continued)

DETROIT (:12)

D34 1 - 10 Danielson back to throw, intended for Thompson, incomplete
D34 2 - 10 Kane hit behind line of scrimmage by L. Selmon -3 (L. Selmon)
D31 3 - 13

END OF THIRD QUARTER

TAMPA BAY - 10
DETROIT - 17

3rd down conversions: Detroit - 6 of 12; Tampa Bay - 3 of 9

FOURTH QUARTER

DETROIT

D31 3 - 13 Danielson back to throw under heavy pressure, sacked for loss of 11 yards
(Stalls)
D20 4 - 24 Skladany punts, taken by Reece at TB24, returned to TB34 10 (Whited)
(56-yard punt)

TAMPA BAY - 14:22

TB34 1 - 10 Williams back to throw on a play action, going long, intended for House at
D25, overthrown, incomplete
TB34 2 - 10 Williams back to throw, intended for G. Davis on right flat, batted down,
incomplete
TB34 3 - 10 Williams back to throw, intended for House at D45, overthrown, incomplete
TB34 4 - 10 Blanchard punts, downed at D39 (27-yard punt)

DETROIT - 13:56

D39 1 - 10 Danielson back to throw on a play action, intended for Scott at TB45,
overthrown, incomplete
D39 2 - 10 Danielson back to throw, complete over the middle at D44 to Hill, brought
down at 50 11 (Johnson) FIRST DOWN
50 1 - 10 Danielson back to throw, intended for Sims on the left flat, overthrown,
incomplete
50 2 - 10 Danielson back to throw, under pressure, scrambles, complete at D45 to Hill,
brought down at TB49 1 (Hawkins)
TB49 3 - 9 Danielson back to throw, under heavy pressure, fumbles the ball, recovered
by Dieterich at D40 -11 (Stalls - sack; Radford)
D40 4 - 20 Skladany punts, taken by Reece at TB13, returned to TB29 11 (Cobb)
(42-yard punt)

TAMPA BAY - 11:01

TB29 1 - 10 Williams back to throw on a play action, under heavy pressure, intended for
Eckwood, incomplete
TB29 2 - 10 Williams back to throw, intended for Eckwood at TB45, overthrown, incomplete
TB29 3 - 10 Williams back to throw, intended for Jones at TB36, overthrown, incomplete
TB29 4 - 10 Blanchard punts, taken by R. Williams on a fair catch at D35 (36-yard punt)

DETROIT - 10:40

D35 1 - 10 Sims up middle 5 (Radford)
D40 2 - 5 Bussey around LE 6 (C. Brown) FIRST DOWN
D46 1 - 10 Danielson back to throw, under pressure, scrambles, forced out of bounds
at D47 1 (Radford)
D47 2 - 9 Bussey up middle 4 (A. Brown)
TB49 3 - 5 Danielson back to throw, intended for King over the middle, overthrown,
incomplete PENALTY - Tampa Bay, personal foul, 15 yds. FIRST DOWN
TB34 1 - 10 Sims on a pitchback around RE 8 (A. Brown)
TB26 2 - 2 Sims around LE 6 (Johnson) FIRST DOWN
TB20 1 - 10 Bussey up middle 1 (Johnson)
TB19 2 - 9 Kane up middle no gain (Cotney)
TB19 3 - 9 Sims around RE, breaks a tackle at TB18, run out of bounds at TB5 14
(Reece) FIRST DOWN
TB5 1 - 10 Bussey around RE into end zone for TOUCHDOWN - 5:17 - Murray attempts
extra point - good (11 plays, 65 yards, 5 mins. 23 secs.) FIRST DOWN

TAMPA BAY - 10

DETROIT - 24

Murray kicks, out of end zone for touchback

TAMPA BAY - 5:12

TB20 1 - 10 Williams back to throw, complete over the middle to G. Davis 10 (Weaver)
FIRST DOWN
TB30 1 - 10 Williams back to throw, intended for Eckwood on the right flat, incomplete
TB30 2 - 10 Williams back to throw, scrambles 12 (Gay) FIRST DOWN
TB42 1 - 10 Williams back to throw, intended for Giles over the middle, incomplete
TB42 2 - 10 Williams back to throw, intended for Hagins over the middle, hit immediately,
incomplete
TB42 3 - 10 Williams back to throw, complete over the middle to Eckwood 10 (W. Williams)
FIRST DOWN
D48 1 - 10 Williams back to throw, complete to Jones on the right sideline 11 FIRST DOWN
D37 1 - 10 Williams back to throw, intended for Giles at the D30, underthrown, incomplete
PENALTY - Detroit, pass interference, 8 yds. FIRST DOWN
D29 1 - 10 Williams back to throw, under heavy pressure, intercepted at D2 by Smith,
returned to D25 23 (Hannah)

FOURTH QUARTER (continued)

DETROIT - 2:37

D25 1 - 10 Bussey off LT 1 (L. Selmon)

D26 2 - 9 Kane around RE 1 (Stalls)

D27 3 - 8 Kane around LE 1 (Hawkins)

D28 4 - 7 (2 min. warning) Skladany punts, taken by Reece at TB28, fumbles at TB37, recovered by Luce at TB32 4

DETROIT - 1:48

TB32 1 - 10 Bussey around RE no gain (Hawkins)

1:29

TB32 2 - 10 Robinson around RE -2 (Stalls)

:43

TB34 3 - 12 PENALTY - Detroit, delay of game, 5 yds.

:08

TB39 3 - 17 Danielson falls on the ball at TB42 -3

END OF GAME

TAMPA BAY - 10

DETROIT - 24

DEFENSIVE STATISTICS

(Unofficial)

Visitor									Home								
Detroit LIONS	Tackles	Assists	Sacks	Yards Lost	Interceptions	Passes Defensed	Fumbles Recovered	Blocked Punt FG and PAT	Tampa Bay Bucs	Tackles	Assists	Sacks	Yards Lost	Interceptions	Passes Defensed	Fumbles Recovered	Block Punt FG and PAT
21 W. Williams	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	20 N. Colzie	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	
23 R. Oldham	5	3	0	0	0	1	1	0	25 C. Jordan	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	
28 J. Hunter	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	33 M. Cotney	9	2	0	0	0	0	0	
44 P. McCoy									34 C. Brown	3	2	0	0	0	0	0	
44 W. Smith	2	1	0	0	1	0	1	0	40 M. Washington	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	
40 J. Allen	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	41 N. Thomas	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	
48 E. Lewis	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	46 D. Reece	3	2	0	0	0	0	0	
50 E. Cole	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	52 S. Brantley	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
52 S. White	2	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	54 R. Wood	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	
53 G. Cobb	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	55 A. Brown	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	
57 K. Fantetti	5	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	57 D. Lewis	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	
58 D. Luce	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	58 D. Selmon	5	5	0	0	0	0	0	
59 C. Weaver	3	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	59 A. Hawkins	4	0	0	0	0	1	0	
60 A. Baker	3	0	1	12	0	0	0	0	56 C. Johnson	6	1	0	0	0	0	0	
63 M. McCoy	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	63 L. Selmon	7	3	0	0	0	0	0	
64 J. Mendenhall	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	65 D. Stalls	2	0	2	22	0	0	0	
71 T. Tuinei	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	76 D. Logan	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	
75 D. Purcitorry	2	0	1	4	0	0	0	0	77 B. Kollar	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	
79 W. Gay	2	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	78 B. Radford	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	
27 L. Bradley	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	79 R. Lewis	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
36 B. Robinson	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	36 R. Berns	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	
31 K. Callicatt	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	27 T. Davis	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	
39 L. Thompson	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	36 J. Obrodovich	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	
74 M. Whited	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0									
72 C. Dieterich	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0									

Forced Fumbles

57 K. Fantetti
74 M. Whited

Forced Fumbles:

57 D. Lewis
65 D. Stalls

POST GAME QUOTES

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TAMPA BAY COACH JOHN MCKAY: We were in an ideal situation. We got ahead and then our defense gave up two scores faster than you can say Jack Robinson. We of course helped by fumbling the football.

(Eckwood's fumble the turning point?) Well we were moving again and then he fumbled and they go down and get the touchdown. There's no excuse for it.

We didn't play very good on offense or defense.

(Reece?) he talked all week about not getting enough support and then he dropped two of them. (mentioned Kevin House as a possible replacement next week).

(Sims touchdown - good running or bad defense?) Anytime that happens the coach whose in charge of the offense says that's good running and the coach in charge of defense says that's bad defense. Usually it's a combination of both. But to let a guy come around end with nobody challenging him is just bad defense.

We are not a very good football team now and we have no excuses for injuries or anything like that. We are just not playing as well as we should be playing. That starts with me and goes down through the assistants right into the players. But I don't think the assistants or coaches can do anything about fumbling the football.

We need more people and more attitude. We need to really want to win more. You know we had that team down 10-0, we should have really done something to them and we did nothing. That's to their credit and our discredit.

(the race) As far as I'm concerned and as I look at it, it's practically over. The best we can win is eight football games. I understand that everybody is getting beat so maybe no one is going to the Super Bowl.

I didn't see any phase of football that we played very good at. Not when it meant so much to us.

(Eckwood) You can't depend on somebody who fumbles all the time. We will change that. We will probably go to Gary Davis and Rick Berns. He never catches in practice but maybe he'll catch in a game. Providing Bell can't play, we have no running attack if Bell can't play.

I don't know whether it is character, "want to," bad luck or hard luck but we are not playing the way we played last year. There is no question about it. I stand there and I see it and I'm sure you see it up in the press box. I don't see the enthusiasm. We might not win a game or two but we still seemed to be enthusiastic. In all honesty if I knew what was wrong I would do something about it. We felt very confident going into this game that we would get back in the race. Things are fleeting but maybe 8-7-1 will win it.

I think there are too many good players and people on this team. Maybe it's a subconscious things. At times they play like worldbeaters.

DETROIT COACH MONTE CLARK: Well we needed that to get back on the right track. It was a good win for us and a lot of people contributed to it all the way around.- Ray Williams the first time he handled the ball in the game scored on the reverse and later on he had a big kick return for us. One of the best plays we've had for us on the return units, we just put him on the squad last week.

Our running backs ran the ball well. We tried to mix it up both run and pass.

The defense played exceptionally well last week and we moved the ball well but we couldn't score. We hadn't scored in six quarters. We needed this one.

We've got the short week coming up. We'll get back and let the players off tomorrow. We have Chicago Thanksgiving Day so there is not much time to savor anything. We all want to be very humble in this win because we know we play Tampa again in a couple of weeks. We'll try to win as many as we can and see what happens.

(Sims shoulder?) He's alright. We just rested him, he was getting tired, it was hotter than usual, he was just kind of running out of gas so we let the other guys fill in for him.

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DEFENSIVE STATISTICS

TACKLES

Dewey Selmon	- 14
Mark Cotney	- 12
Lee Roy Selmon	- 11
Cecil Johnson	- 9
David Lewis	- 6
Andy Hawkins	- 6
Richard Wood	- 5
Cedric Brown	- 5
Mike Washington	- 4
Danny Reece	- 3
Dave Stalls	- 3
David Logan	- 3
Aaron Brown	- 3
Curtis Jordan	- 4
Scot Brantley	- 2
Bruce Radford	- 1
Bill Kollar	- 1

TACKLES FOR LOSS

Cecil Johnson	- 2
Lee Roy Selmon	- 2
David Lewis	- 1
Mark Cotney	- 1

SACKS

Dave Stalls	- 2
Lee Roy Selmon	- 1

QUARTERBACK PRESSURES

Lee Roy Selmon	- 3
David Logan	- 2
Cecil Johnson	- 2
Dewey Selmon	- 1
Dave Stalls	- 1
Bill Kollar	- 1
Bruce Radford	- 1

PASSES BROKEN UP

David Lewis	- 1
Dewey Selmon	- 1
Cedric Brown	- 1

CAUSED FUMBLES

David Lewis	- 1
Richard Wood	- 1
Mike Washington	- 1
Dave Stalls	- 1

RECOVERED FUMBLE

Curtis Jordan	- 1
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SPECIAL TEAM TACKLES

Aaron Brown	- 2
Jim Obradovich	- 2
Neal Colzie	- 2
Andy Hawkins	- 1
Norris Thomas	- 1
Danny Reece	- 1
Rick Berns	- 1