



NATIONAL FOOTBALL LEAGUE GAME SUMMARY

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DATE September 18, 1988 DAY OF WEEK Sunday STARTING TIME 12 noon

VISITOR Denver VS. HOME Kansas City AT Arrowhead Stadium
OUTDOOR Cloudy - Rain WIND CHILL none RELATIVE HUMIDITY 100%
WEATHER TEMPERATURE 73 WIND AND DIRECTION S 9 mph
OFFICIALS
REFEREE Jerry Seeman UMPIRE Rex Stuart LINE JUDGE Bama Glass SIDE JUDGE Dave Parry
HEAD BACK FIELD ALSO REPLAY
LINESMAN Aaron Pointer JUDGE Pete Liske JUDGE Don Dorkowski OFFICIAL Dave Kamanski

LINEUPS

Table with columns for VISITOR OFFENSE, VISITOR DEFENSE, HOME OFFENSE, and HOME DEFENSE. Lists player names and numbers for both teams.

SUBSTITUTIONS

M. Horan 2; R. Karlis 3; G. Kubiak 8;
K. Clark 27; S. Sewell 30; T. Braxton 34;
K. Bell 35; K. Guidry 37; B. Plummer 38;
G. Willhite 47; M. Brooks 56; T. Lucas 59;
G. Perry 60; W. Bowyer 65; L. Lee 68;
R. Jones 75; S. Graddy 83; R. Massie 85;
P. Kelly 86; B. Klostermann 97; S. Knight 99;

SUBSTITUTIONS

K. Goodburn 2; N. Lowery 8; B. Kenney 9;
J. Saxon 21; G. Hill 23; J. Pearson 24;
D. Hollis 25; S. Johnson 45; K. Gamble 48;
J. Del Rio 50; A. Lingner 51; A. Snipes 52;
T. Howard 53; C. DiGiacomo 65; D. Lutz 72;
M. Stensrud 67; D. Colbert 81; K. Taylor 82;
J. Hayes 85; E. Harry 86; N. Smith 90;
G. Baldinger 91;

DID NOT PLAY

D. Smith 49; M. Ruether 57

R. Jones 80

INACTIVE

K. Karcher 12; C. Kay 88

D. McManus 14; L. Burruss 34

FIELD GOALS (Made & Missed)

R. Karlis, 2 of 2 (23, 42)

N. Lowery, 2 of 2 (50, 29)

Scoreboard table with columns for 1, 2, 3, 4, OT, and TOTAL. Rows for VISITOR DENVER and HOME KANSAS CITY.

Scoring Play table with columns for TEAM, PERIOD, ELAPSED TIME, SCORING PLAY, and SCORE VISITOR HOME.

ATTENDANCE 63,268 (TICKETS DISTRIBUTED 69,854 ; UNUSED 6,586 ) TIME 3:24

# FINAL INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

DATE ' 9-18-88 \_\_\_\_\_

AT Arrowhead Stadium

VISITOR DENVER

HOME KANSAS CITY

RUSHING						ATT.	NET YARDS	AVG.	LONG GAIN	TD
T. Dorsett						10	35	3.5	8	1
S. Sewell						1	3	3.0	3	0
S. Winder						6	12	2.0	7	0
J. Elway						5	20	4.0	8	0
TOTALS						22	70	3.2	8	1
PASSING		ATT.	COMP.	YARDS	TKD YDS.	TD	LG.	Had Int.		
J. Elway		32	15	213	0	0	30	2		
TOTALS		32	15	213	0	0	30	2		
PASS RECEIVING						NO.	YARDS	LG.	TD	
O. Mobley						4	59	19	0	
V. Johnson						3	57	25	0	
G. Willhite						1	11	11	0	
S. Winder						1	0	0	0	
S. Graddy						1	30	30	0	
T. Dorsett						2	31	16	0	
R. Massie						1	6	6	0	
S. Sewell						1	12	12	0	
R. Nattiel						1	7	7	0	
TOTALS						15	213	30	0	
INTERCEPTIONS						NO.	YARDS	LG.	TD	
none						0	0	0	0	
TOTALS						0	0	0	0	
PUNTING		NO.	YDS	AVG.	TB	IN 20	LG.			
M. Horan		2	86	43.0	0	0	56			
TOTALS		2	86	43.0	0	0	56			
PUNT RETURNS		NO.	FC.	YARDS	LG.	TD				
K. Clark		3	0	22	12	0				
G. Willhite		1	0	11	11	0				
R. Nattiel		1	0	-4	-4	0				
TOTALS		5	0	29	12	0				
KICK OFF RETURNS		NO.	YARDS	LG.	TD					
K. Bell		3	46	20	0					
TOTALS		3	46	20	0					
FUMBLES		FUM	OWN REC	YDS.	TD	OPP. REC.	YDS.	TD	OUT BDS	
O. Mobley		1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
TOTALS		1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	

RUSHING						ATT.	NET YARDS	AVG.	LONG GAIN	TD
P. Palmer						22	80	3.6	10	0
L. Moriarty						10	39	3.9	9	0
S. DeBerg						2	8	4.0	6	0
J. Saxon						1	3	3.0	3	0
TOTALS						35	130	3.7	10	0
PASSING		ATT.	COMP.	YARDS	TKD YDS.	TD	LG.	Had Int.		
S. DeBerg		35	21	259	1	9	26	0		
TOTALS		35	21	259	1	9	26	0		
PASS RECEIVING						NO.	YARDS	LG.	TD	
P. Palmer						7	84	26	1	
S. Paige						4	53	23	0	
E. Harry						3	35	15	0	
C. Carson						3	33	20	1	
L. Moriarty						2	22	12	0	
A. Roberts						2	32	20	0	
TOTALS						21	259	26	2	
INTERCEPTIONS						NO.	YARDS	LG.	TD	
D. Cherry						2	4	4	0	
TOTALS						2	4	4	0	
PUNTING		NO.	YDS	AVG.	TB	IN 20	LG.			
K. Goodburn		6	229	38.2	1	2	43			
TOTALS		6	229	38.2	1	2	43			
PUNT RETURNS		NO.	FC.	YARDS	LG.	TD				
K. Taylor		1	0	1	1	0				
TOTALS		1	0	1	1	0				
KICK OFF RETURNS		NO.	YARDS	LG.	TD					
D. Hollis		3	50	20	0					
J. Saxon		1	27	27	0					
K. Taylor		1	17	17	0					
TOTALS		5	94	27	0					
FUMBLES		FUM	OWN REC	YDS.	TD	OPP. REC.	YDS.	TD	OUT BDS	
P. Palmer		1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
S. Paige		0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	
D. Hackett		0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	
TOTALS		1	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	

DENVER  
(Visitor)

vs.

KANSAS CITY  
(Home)

Date: SEPTEMBER 18, 1983 At: KANSAS CITY ARROWHEAD

FINAL TEAM STATISTICS

	VISITOR DENVER	HOME KANSAS CITY
TOTAL FIRST DOWNS .....	17	22
BY RUSHING .....	4	7
BY PASSING .....	11	15
BY PENALTY .....	2	0
THIRD DOWN EFFICIENCY .....	5-11-45%	8-16-50%
FOURTH DOWN EFFICIENCY .....	0-1-0%	0-0-0%
TOTAL NET YARDS .....	283	380
TOTAL OFFENSIVE (Inc. times thrown passing) .....	54	71
AVERAGE GAIN PER OFFENSIVE PLAY .....	5.2	5.4
NET YARDS RUSHING .....	70	130
TOTAL RUSHING PLAYS .....	22	35
AVERAGE GAIN PER RUSHING PLAY .....	3.2	3.7
NET YARDS PASSING .....	213	250
TIMES THROWN-YARDS LOST ATTEMPTING TO PASS .....	0-0	1-9
GROSS YARDS PASSING .....	213	259
PASS ATTEMPTS-COMPLETIONS-HAD INTERCEPTED .....	32-15-2	35-21-0
AVERAGE GAIN PER PASS PLAY (Inc. times thrown passing) .....	6.7	6.9
KICKOFFS-NO. IN END ZONE-TOUCHBACKS .....	5-1-0	4-1-1
PUNTS-NUMBER AND AVERAGE .....	2-43.0	6-38.2
HAD BLOCKED .....	0	0
FGs + PATs HAD BLOCKED .....	0	0
TOTAL RETURN YARDAGE .....	29	5
NO. AND YARDS PUNT RETURNS .....	5-29	1-1
NO. AND YARDS KICKOFF RETURNS .....	3-46	5-94
NO. AND YARDS INTERCEPTION RETURNS .....	0-0	2-4
PENALTIES-NUMBER AND YARDS .....	3-20	7-39
FUMBLES-NUMBER AND LOST .....	1-1	1-0
TOUCHDOWNS .....	1	2
RUSHING .....	1	0
PASSING .....	0	2
RETURNS .....	0	0
EXTRA POINTS MADE-ATTEMPTS .....	1-1	2-2
FIELD GOALS MADE-ATTEMPTS .....	2-2	2-2
TIME OF POSSESSION .....	24:02	35:58

DENVER BRONCOS VS. KANSAS CITY CHIEFS  
September 18, 1988  
Arrowhead Stadium, Kansas City, Mo.

WEATHER: Cloudy, steady rain. TEMPERATURE: 73 degrees. WIND: South 9 mph.  
HUMIDITY: 100%; Rain likely throughout, possibly heavy at times.

COIN TOSS: Denver wins toss, elects to defend west (left) goal; KC to receive.

DENVER KICKOFF: Karlis kicks to Hollis at KC 8, returns 16 yards to 24 (Plummer)  
KANSAS CITY BALL

1-10 KC24 DeBerg swing pass complete to Palmer for 11 and FIRST DOWN PASS (Haynes)  
1-10 KC35 Palmer pitch left for 9 (Kragen, Harden)  
2-1 KC44 Moriarty off right guard for 8 ' FIRST DOWN RUSHING (Harden)  
1-10 D 48 DeBerg incomplete long for Carson (Haynes)  
2-10 D 48 Palmer off left side, fumbles, Paige recovers for KC at KC 46;  
Credit one carry, no yards for Palmer, 6 yards on loose ball yardage.  
3-16 KC46 DeBerg swing pass complete right to Palmer for 6 (Ryan)  
4-10 D 48 Goodburn punts to Clark at D 7, 41-yard punt; returns 4 to D 11 (Snipes)

DENVER BALL (11:24)

1-10 D 11 Dorsett up middle for 3 (A. Pearson)  
2-7 D 14 Elway pass complete to Mobley, FUMBLES at D 28,  
Hackett recovers for KC at D 34; credit 14 yards on pass.  
Credit Griffin with hit and force on Mobley.

KANSAS CITY BALL (10:35)

1-10 D 34 Moriarty up middle for 2 (Gilbert)  
2-8 D 32 DeBerg incomplete for Roberts (Braxton)  
3-8 D 32 DeBerg incomplete, high for Palmer  
4-8 D 32 Lowery 50-yard field goal good with 9:40 left in first period.  
ELAPSED TIME: 5:20. TIME OF POSSESSION: 0:55. DRIVE: 2 yards in 4 plays.  
KANSAS CITY 3, DENVER 0.

KANSAS CITY KICKOFF: Lowery kicks to Bell at D 3, returns 20 to D 23 (G Baldinger)  
DENVER BALL (9:29)

1-10 D 23 Dorsett into right side for no gain (Cooper, A. Pearson)  
2-10 D 23 Sewell sweeps left side for 3 (Ross, A. Pearson)  
3-7 D 26 Elway complete after scramble to Johnson for 16 and  
FIRST DOWN PASSING (Lewis)  
1-10 D 42 Dorsett pitch left for 5 (Porter, A. Pearson)  
2-5 D 47 Winder up middle for no gain (Maas)  
3-5 D 47 Elway INTERCEPTED by Cherry after deflection by Lewis on  
pass for Johnson; Cherry returns 4 yards from 13 to KC 17.

KANSAS CITY BALL (7:00) -- rain has stopped

1-10 KC17 Palmer pitch right for 3 (Mecklenburg)  
2-7 KC20 DeBerg incomplete, high for Carson (Castille)  
3-7 KC20 DeBerg incomplete, out of Paige's hands (Castille)  
4-7 KC20 Goodburn punts to Willhite at D 37, 43-yard punt; returns 11 to D 48  
DENVER BALL (6:02) (Cooper)  
1-10 D 48 Winder pitch left end for loss of 2 (Porter, Cofield)  
2-12 D 46 Elway incomplete, deflected by Griffin  
3-12 D 46 Elway on run complete to Johnson for 25 and FIRST DOWN PASS  
(Lewis, Cherry)  
1-10 KC29 Elway incomplete behind Dorsett (A. Pearson)  
2-10 KC29 Elway incomplete out of Mobley's hands  
3-10 KC29 Elway complete over middle to Willhite for 11 FIRST DWN PASS  
(Hackett)  
1-10 KC18 Dorsett sweeps left for 1 (Cofield, Porter)  
2-9 KC17 Elway complete to Nattiel; BUT -- PENALTY, Holding, Kansas City  
(Cooper), 5 yards and FIRST DOWN PENALTY  
1-10 KC12 Dorsett sweeps right side for 4 (Bell)  
2-6 KC 8 Dorsett up middle for 2 (A. Pearson)  
3-4 KC 6 Elway complete to Johnson for 6-yard apparant TD pass, BUT--  
Field judge rules Johnson stepped out of end zone before catch;  
PENALTY -- Offsides, Kansas City; illegal receiver, Denver;  
Penalties offset, down to be replayed  
3-4 KC 6 Elway incomplete for Massie  
4-4 KC 6 Karlis 23-yard field goal GOOD with 0:57 left in first quarter.  
ELAPSED TIME: 14:03. POSSESSION: 5:05. DRIVE: 46 yards, 11 play  
KANSAS CITY 3, DENVER 3.

DENVER KICKOFF: Karlis kicks to Saxon at 12, returns 27 to KC39 (Clark)

KANSAS CITY BALL (0:48)

1-10 KC39 Palmer off right tackle for 3 (Fletcher)  
END FIRST QUARTER: KANSAS CITY 3, DENVER 3  
TIME OF POSSESSION: Denver: 8:32, Kansas City 6:28  
THIRD DOWN CONVERSIONS: Denver: 3 of 5, Kansas City 0 of 3

DENVER BRONCOS VS. KANSAS CITY CHIEFS  
SECOND QUARTER

KANSAS CITY DRIVE CONTINUES -- second play upcoming; rain has ended.

- 2-7 KC42 DeBerg complete to Paige for 6 (Harden)
- 3-1 KC48 Palmer up middle for no gain (Braxton)
- 4-1 KC48 Goodburn punts to Clark at D15, 37-yard punt, returns 12 to D 27 (Snipes)

DENVER BALL (13:26)

- 1-10 D 27 Elway complete in right flat to Winder for no gain (Cooper)
- 2-10 D 27 Winder sweep left for no gain (Cofield, Ross, Hackett)
- 3-10 D 27 Elway complete to Massie for 6 (Johnson)
- 4-4 D 33 PENALTY -- False start, Denver (Bryan), 5 yards
- 4-9 D 28 Horan punts to KC 42, 30-yard punt; no return

KANSAS CITY BALL (11:34)

- 1-10 KC42 DeBerg complete to Paige right side for 18 and FIRST DOWN PASS (Harden)
- 1-10 D 40 DeBerg incomplete for Roberts (Ryan)
- 2-10 D 40 Palmer up middle for 2 (Fletcher, Townsend)
- 3-8 D 38 DeBerg complete right sideline for Harry for 9, FIRST DOWN PASS (Haynes)
- 1-10 D 29 Moriarty pitch left for 2 (Townsend)
- 2-8 D 27 DeBerg complete over middle for Carson for 20, FIRST DOWN PASS (Castille)  
Castille hurt on tackle, taken from field via stretcher, 9:37 left.
- 1-G D 7 Palmer off right guard for 1 (Mecklenburg)
- 2-G D 6 DeBerg complete to Carson over middle for 6-yard touchdown with 8:21 left  
FIRST DOWN PASS. ELAPSED TIME: 6:39. POSSESSION: 3:13. DRIVE: 58 yards  
in 8 plays. PAT: Lowery kick. KANSAS CITY 10, DENVER 7.  
Defender, Clark, fell down on play.

KANSAS CITY KICKOFF: Lowery kicks to Bell at D 12, returns 13 to D 25 (Snipes)

DENVER BALL (8:12)

- 1-10 D 25 Dorsett off right end for 6 (A. Pearson)
- 2-4 D 31 PENALTY -- Holding, Denver (Bryan), 10 yards --
- 2-14 D 21 PENALTIES -- Offsides, Kansas City; Motion, Denver, Offsetting
- 2-14 D 21 Elway incomplete long to Nattiel (Lewis)
- 3-14 D 21 Elway complete left sideline to Graddy for 30 FIRST DOWN PASS
- 1-10 KC49 Elway complete over middle to Mobley for 19 FIRST DOWN PASS  
(Porter)
- 1-10 KC30 PENALTY -- Illegal motion, Denver (Mobley), 5 yards  
A. Pearson hurt on play, Winder run off left side, 5:33
- 1-15 KC35 Elway on run dumps complete to Dorsett for 15 FIRST DOWN PASS  
(Cherry)
- 1-10 KC20 Winder pitch right side for 4 (Cooper)
- 2-6 KC16 Elway incomplete for Dorsett in end zone (A. Pearson)
- 3-6 KC16 Elway on quarterback draw for 8 and FIRST DOWN RUSH (Hackett)
- 1-G KC 8 TIMEOUT -- Denver, No. 1, 2:59.  
Dorsett sweeps left side, breaks 2 tackles for 8-yard TD  
with 2:52 left in half. PAT: Karlis kick. FIRST DOWN RUSHING.  
ELAPSED TIME: 12:08. POSSESSION: 5:20. DRIVE: 75 yards in  
nine plays. KANSAS CITY 10, DENVER 10.

DENVER KICKOFF: Karlis kicks to Hollis 2 yards deep, returns 20 to KC 18, BUT --  
PENALTY -- Illegal block, KC (Howard), 9-yard penalty

KANSAS CITY BALL (2:42)

- 1-10 KC 9 DeBerg complete over middle to Palmer for 8 (Mecklenburg)
- 2-2 KC17 PENALTY -- False start, KC (R. Baldinger), 5 yards
- 2-7 KC12 TWO MINUTE WARNING Timeouts left: Kansas City 3, Denver 2  
DeBerg complete to Paige over middle for 4, FUMBLES on Mecklenburg hit,  
Mecklenburg recovers-- at Denver 13  
REPLAY OVERTURNS DECISION -- Pass ruled incomplete; Paige hurt
- 3-7 KC12 DeBerg complete to Palmer after Clark tip for 26 FIRST DOWN PASSING  
(Clark); TIMEOUT: Kansas City, No. 2, 1:33  
NOTE: Kansas City charged a timeout on Paige injury, its first
- 1-10 KC38 (1:33) DeBerg complete to Palmer for 6 and out-of-bounds
- 2-4 KC44 (1:28) DeBerg complete left to Moriarty for 10 FIRST DOWN PASS (Plummer)
- 1-10 D 46 (1:02) DeBerg complete to Paige for 6 (Haynes)
- 2-4 D 40 (0:40) DeBerg incomplete for Paige (Haynes)
- 3-4 D 40 (0:37) DeBerg incomplete for Carson deep (Braxton)
- 4-4 D 40 (0:30) TIMEOUT: Denver, No. 2, 0:30  
Goodburn punts into end zone, touchback, 40-yard punt

DENVER BALL (0:21)

- 1-10 D 20 Elway falls on ball for loss of 2

END FIRST HALF: KANSAS CITY 10, DENVER 10

TIME OF POSSESSION: 7:43 (16:15 half); Kansas City 7:17 (13:45)

Denver

THIRD DOWNS: Denver 2 of 3 (5 of 8 half); KC 2 of 4 (2 of 7 half)

# HALF TIME SUMMARY

Denver **VS.** Kansas City  
VISITOR HOME

9-18-88  
DATE

Arrowhead Stadium  
SITE

**PERIOD SCORES**  
VISITOR 3 - 7 = 10  
HOME 3 - 7 = 10

**TIME OF POSSESSION**  
VISITOR 16:15  
HOME 13:45

TEAM	PERIOD	ELAPSED TIME	SCORING PLAY	SCORE	
				VISITOR	HOME
KC	1	5:20	FG Lowery 50 (Drive: 4 plays-2 yards)	0	3
Den	1	14:03	FG Karlis 23 (11-46)	3	3
KC	2	6:39	Carson 6 pass from DeBerg (Lowery kick) (8-58)	3	10
Den	2	12:08	Dorsett 8 run (Karlis kick) (9-75)	10	10

**TOTAL FIRST DOWNS**

First Downs Rushing-Passing-by Penalty

**THIRD DOWN EFFICIENCY**

**TOTAL NET YARDS**

Total No. Offensive Plays (Include times thrown passing)

**NET YARDS RUSHING**

**NET YARDS PASSING**

Gross Yards Gained Passing

Times Thrown—Yards Lost Attempting to Pass

**PASS ATTEMPTS—COMPLETIONS—HAD INTERCEPTED**

**PUNTS—Number and Average**

**PENALTIES—Number and Yards**

**FUMBLES—Number and Lost**

VISITOR	Denver	HOME	Kansas City
	9		8
	2-6-1		1-7-0
	5-8-63 %		2-7-29 %
	176		162
	31		31
	15-40		10-30
	136		132
	136		132
	0-0		0-0
	16-9-1		21-12-0
	1-30.0		4-40.2
	3-20		3-19
	1-1		1-0

**VISITORS DENVER**

RUSHING					
	ATT.	NET YARDS	AVG.	LONG GAIN	TD
T. Dorsett	8	29	3.6	8	1
S. Sewell	1	3	3.0	3	0
S. Winder	4	2	.5	4	0
J. Elway	2	6	3.0	8	0
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>2.7</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>1</b>
PASSING					
	ATT.	COMP.	YARDS	TKD YDS.	TD
J. Elway	16	9	136	0	1
PASS RECEIVING					
	NO.	YARDS	LG.	TD	
O. Mobley	2	33	19	0	
V. Johnson	2	41	25	0	
G. Willhite	1	11	11	0	
S. Winder	1	0	0	0	
S. Graddy	1	30	30	0	
T. Dorsett	1	15	15	0	
R. Massie	1	6	6	0	

**HOME KANSAS CITY**

RUSHING					
	ATT.	NET YARDS	AVG.	LONG GAIN	TD
P. Palmer	7	18	2.6	9	0
L. Moriarty	3	12	4.0	8	0
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>3.0</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>0</b>
PASSING					
	ATT.	COMP.	YARDS	TKD YDS.	TD
S. DeBerg	21	12	132	0	1
PASS RECEIVING					
	NO.	YARDS	LG.	TD	
P. Palmer	5	57	26	0	
S. Paige	3	30	18	0	
E. Harry	1	9	9	0	
C. Carson	2	26	20	1	
L. Moriarty	1	10	10	0	

DENVER BRONCOS VS. KANSAS CITY CHIEFS  
THIRD QUARTER

DENVER KICKOFF: Kansas City moving west to east (left to right)  
Karlis kicks to Hollis at 9, returns 14 to KC 23 (Bell)

KANSAS CITY BALL

1-10 KC23 Palmer off left side for 4 (Dennison)  
2-6 KC27 Palmer off right tackle 10 FIRST DOWN RUSHING (Haynes)  
1-10 KC37 Palmer off right tackle for 1 (Dennison)  
2-9 KC38 DeBerg complete to Harry for 11 FIRST DOWN PASSING (Ryan)  
1-10 KC49 DeBerg complete left side to Roberts for 12 FIRST DOWN PASSING (Ryan)  
1-10 D 39 Palmer off left guard for 7 (Harden)  
2-3 D 32 Moriarty off right guard for 2 (Townsend)  
3-1 D 30 DeBerg dives over center for 2 and FIRST DOWN RUSHING  
1-10 D 28 DeBerg sacked from blind side by Ryan for loss of 9  
2-19 D 37 DeBerg complete to Carson for 7 (Harden)  
3-12 D 30 DeBerg complete over middle to Paige for 23 FIRST DOWN PASS (Plummer)  
1-G D 7 Moriarty off left side for 3 (Townsend)  
2-G D 4 PENALTY -- Illegal use of hands, KC (Baugh), 10 yards  
2-G D 14 DeBerg incomplete for Paige (Haynes)  
3-G D 14 DeBerg complete over middle to Palmer for 14-yard TOUCHDOWN with 6:04  
left. PAT: Lowery kick. ELAPSED TIME: 8:56. POSSESSION: 8:56.  
DRIVE: 77 yards in 14 plays. KANSAS CITY 17, DENVER 10.

KANSAS CITY KICKOFF: Lowery kicks to Bell in end zone, touchback  
DENVER BALL (5:58)

1-10 D 20 Dorsett off right tackle for 3 (Maas, Smith)  
2-7 D 23 Elway scrambles for 2 (Hackett)  
3-5 D 25 Elway incomplete for Graddy (Ross nearly intercepts)  
4-5 D 25 Horan punts to Taylor at KC 19, 56-yard punt; Taylor returns  
to KC 35, BUT -- PENALTY, illegal block, KC (Johnson) at  
the KC 20, 10-yard penalty; credit Taylor with one-yard return

KANSAS CITY BALL (4:47)

1-10 KC10 DeBerg complete to Moriarty for 12 and FIRST DOWN PASSING (Harden)  
1-10 KC22 Palmer pitch left side for 4 (Clark)  
2-6 KC26 DeBerg incomplete, deflected at line by Gilbert  
3-6 KC26 DeBerg incomplete down middle for Carson (Plummer)  
4-6 KC26 Goodburn punts to Nattiel at D 44, 30-yard punt; returns minus 4 to D40  
(Hayes, Saxon)

DENVER BALL (3:13)

1-10 D 40 Dorsett off right tackle for 3 (Maas) Griffin hurt, 2:59  
2-7 D 43 Elway INTERCEPTED by Cherry on pass for Johnson, no return  
from KC 11 (Johnson tackle)

KANSAS CITY BALL (2:22)

1-10 KC11 Palmer pitch wide left for 4 (Clark, Mecklenburg)  
2-6 KC15 DeBerg incomplete, deflected by Townsend at line  
3-6 KC15 DeBerg complete to Harry left side for 15 and FIRST DOWN PASS (Braxton)  
1-10 KC30 DeBerg scrambles for 6 (Mecklenburg, Clark)  
2-4 KC36 Palmer off left tackle for 3 (Mecklenburg)  
3-1 KC39 Palmer off left side for 2 FIRST DOWN RUSHING (Mecklenburg)

END THIRD QUARTER: KANSAS CITY 17, DENVER 10

TIME OF POSSESSION: KANSAS CITY 12:58, DENVER 2:02

THIRD DOWNS: KANSAS CITY 5 of 6, DENVER 0 of 1

DENVER BRONCOS VS. KANSAS CITY CHIEFS  
FOURTH QUARTER

KANSAS CITY DRIVE CONTINUES -- seventh play upcoming

1-10 KC41 Moriarty off left side for 4 (Kragen)  
2-6 KC45 Moriarty off left guard for 4 (Ryan)  
3-2 KC49 Palmer sweep left for 1 (Mecklenburg)  
4-1 50 Goodburn punts to Clark at D 12, 38-yard punt; returns 6 to D 18  
(Linger)

DENVER BALL (12:37)

1-10 D 18 Elway incomplete, long for Johnson  
2-10 D 18 Elway complete over middle to Sewell for 12 FIRST DOWN PASS  
1-10 D 30 PENALTY -- Offside, Kansas City (Maas), 5 yards  
1-5 D 35 Elway incomplete, out of Dorsett hands  
2-5 D 35 Elway complete to Mobley for 8 FIRST DOWN PASS (Cooper,  
1-10 D 43 Elway complete to Dorsett diving on right sideline for  
16 yards and FIRST DOWN PASSING. Replay confirms catch.  
1-10 KC41 Elway complete to Johnson over middle for 16 FIRST DOWN PASS  
(Lewis)  
1-10 KC25 Elway incomplete for Sewell (Porter knocked ball loose)  
2-10 KC25 Elway incomplete for Nattiel in end zone (Ross)  
3-10 KC25 Elway incomplete for Johnson in end zone (JC Pearson)  
4-10 KC25 Karlis 42-yard field goal GOOD with 9:34 left to play.  
ELAPSED TIME: 5:26. POSSESSION: 3:03. DRIVE: 57 yards, 10 plays  
KANSAS CITY 17, DENVER 13.

DENVER KICKOFF: Karlis kicks to Taylor at KC 7, returns 17 to KC 24 (Lucas)

KANSAS CITY BALL (9:25)

1-10 KC24 DeBerg complete to Roberts right side for 20 FIRST DOWN PASS (Plummer)  
1-10 KC44 Palmer pitch to left side for 4 (Mecklenburg); Bowyer hurt, 8:30  
2-6 KC48 DeBerg complete to Palmer left sideline for 13 FIRST DOWN PASS (Robbins)  
1-10 D 39 Moriarty off left guard for 9, inches short (Harden)  
2-1 D 30 Moriarty straight ahead for 2 and FIRST DOWN RUSHING (Mecklenburg)  
1-10 D 28 Palmer pitch right end for 2 (Kragen)  
2-8 D 26 Palmer big hole off right tackle for 10 FIRST DOWN RUSHING (Harden)  
1-10 D 16 Saxon off left tackle for 3 (Townsend)  
2-7 D 13 Palmer pitch right for 1 (Haynes)  
3-6 D 12 DeBerg incomplete, thrown out of end zone  
4-6 D 12 Lowery 29-yard field goal GOOD with 3:47 left to play.  
ELAPSED TIME: 11:13. POSSESSION: 5:38. DRIVE: 64 yards, 11 plays.  
KANSAS CITY 20, DENVER 13.

KANSAS CITY KICKOFF: Lowery kicks to Bell at D 5, returns 13 to D 13 (Colbert)

DENVER BALL (3:37)

1-10 D 18 Elway complete left side to Nattiel for 7 (Lewis)  
2-7 D 25 Winder off left tackle for 3 FIRST DOWN RUSHING (Cofield)  
1-10 D 28 Elway complete to Mobley left side for 18 FIRST DOWN PASS  
1-10 D 46 Winder off right guard for 7 (Porter) (Porter)  
2-3 KC47 TWO MINUTE WARNING -- Timeouts left: Denver 3, Kansas City 3  
Elway scrambles for 6 FIRST DOWN RUSHING (Hackett, Smith)  
1-10 KC41 TIMEOUT -- Denver, No. 1, 1:42  
PENALTY -- Holding, Kansas City (Porter), 5 yds  
and FIRST DOWN PENALTY  
1-10 KC36 Elway scrambles for 6 (G Baldinter  
2-4 KC30 (1:16) Elway incomplete for Nattiel (Lewis)  
3-4 KC30 (1:12) Elway incomplete for Winder out of backfield, long  
4-4 KC30 (1:08) Elway incomplete for Sewell, long (Porter)

KANSAS CITY BALL (1:04)

1-10 KC30 Palmer pitch left for 5 (Kragen)  
2-5 KC35 TIMEOUT -- Denver, No. 2, 0:56  
Palmer pitch right tackle for 4 (Gilbert); TIMEOUT -- Denver, No. 3, :51  
3-1 KC39 Moriarty sweep left for 3 and FIRST DOWN RUSHING (Mecklenburg)  
1-10 KC42 END GAME: KANSAS CITY 20, DENVER 17

TIME OF GAME: 3:24

TIME OF POSSESSION: KC 9:15 (35:58 total); Denver 5:45 (24:02 total)

THIRD DOWNS: KC 1 of 3 (8 of 16); Denver 0 of 2 (5 of 11 total)

FOURTH DOWNS: Denver 0 of 1, KC 0 of 0



**DEFENSIVE STATISTICS**

(Unofficial)

Visitor								Home							
Tackles	Assists	Sacks	Yards Lost	Interceptions	Passes Defensed	Fumbles Recovered	Blocked Punt FG and PAT	Tackles	Assists	Sacks	Yards Lost	Interceptions	Passes Defensed	Fumbles Recovered	Blocked Punt FG and PAT
Denver Broncos								K.C. Chiefs							
27 Clark	3							20 Cherry	1	2		2			
28 Castille	1							27 Porter	4	1			1		
31 Harden	8	3						29 Lewis	4	1			1		
34 Braxton	2				1			31 Ross	1	1			2		
36 Haynes	7							45 Johnson	1	1					
38 Plumber	3							52 Snipes	3						
48 Robbins	1	2						54 Cofield	4						
50 Ryan	5	3	1	9 yds				55 Cooper	7						
55 Dennison	3							57 Hackett	2	5				1	
59 Lucas	1							63 Mads	2						
61 Townsend	3	2			1			90 Smith	2						
71 Krager	4	4						91 Baldinger	2						
73 Fletcher	1	1						96 Pearson	3	2					
75 Jones	1							98 Griffin	1	1			1		
77 Mecklenburg	9	2						99 Bell	1						
90 Gilbert	3	2			1			21 Saxon		1					
3 Karlis	1							85 Hayes	1						
35 Bell	2							57 Lingner	1						
82 Johnson	2							81 Colbert	1						
84 Nattiel	1														
86 Kelly	1														

Forced Fumbles  
75 Jones

Special Teams Tackles  
38 Plumber 86 Kelly  
3 Karlis 59 Lucas  
35 Bell (2)  
Misc. Tackles (Int/Fumble Returns)  
82 Johnson (2)  
84 Nattiel

Forced Fumbles  
98 Griffin

Special Teams Tackles  
52 Snipes (3) 57 Lingner  
55 Cooper 81 Colbert  
85 Hayes 21 Saxon-Assist  
Misc. Tackles (Int/Fumble Returns)

**BALL POSSESSION AND DRIVE CHART**

DENVER AT KANSAS CITY

VISITOR DENVER

DATE: Sept. 18, 1988

No.	Time Ball Received	Time Ball Lost	Time of Possess.	How Ball Obtained	Start Of Drive	Number Plays Held	Total Yards Gained	Yards In Penalty (+ or -)	Net Drive Yards	Number 1st Downs	Where Ball Lost	How Given Up
1	11:24	10:35	:49	PUNT	D-11	2	17	0	17	0	D-28	Fumble
2	9:40	7:00	2:40	Kickoff	D-23	6	24	0	24	1	D-47	Interception
3	6:02	:57	5:05	PUNT	D-48	10	41	+5	46	3	K-6	FG-GOOD
4	13:26	11:34	1:52	PUNT	D-27	4	6	-5	1	0	D-28	PUNT
5	8:21	2:52	5:29	Kickoff	D-25	9	90	-15	75	5	EZ	Touchdown
6	:21	:00	:21	PUNT	D-20	1	-2	0	-2	0	D-18	HALF
7	6:04	4:47	1:17	Kickoff	D-20	4	5	0	5	0	D-25	PUNT
8	3:13	2:22	:51	PUNT	D-40	2	3	0	3	0	D-43	Interception
9	12:37	9:34	3:03	PUNT	D-18	10	52	+5	57	4	D-25	FG-GOOD
10	3:47	1:04	2:43	Kickoff	D-18	9	47	+5	52	3	K-30	4th no good
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HOME KANSAS CITY

No.	Time Ball Received	Time Ball Lost	Time of Possess.	How Ball Obtained	Start Of Drive	Number Plays Held	Total Yards Gained	Yards In Penalty (+ or -)	Net Drive Yards	Number 1st Downs	Where Ball Lost	How Given Up
1	15:00	11:24	3:36	Kickoff	K-24	7	28	0	28	2	D-48	Punt
2	10:35	9:40	:55	Fumble	D-34	4	2	0	2	0	D-32	FG-GOOD
3	7:00	6:02	:58	Interception	K-17	4	3	0	3	0	K-20	PUNT
4	:57	13:26	2:31	Kickoff	K-39	4	9	0	9	0	K-48	PUNT
5	11:34	8:21	3:13	PUNT	K-42	8	58	0	58	4	EZ	Touchdown
6	2:52	:21	2:31	Kickoff	K-9	9	56	-5	51	2	D-40	PUNT
7	15:00	6:04	8:56	Kickoff	K-23	14	87	-10	77	6	EZ	Touchdown
8	4:47	3:13	1:34	PUNT	K-10	5	16	0	16	1	K-26	PUNT
9	2:22	12:37	4:45	Interception	K-11	10	39	0	39	2	50	PUNT
10	9:34	3:47	5:47	Kickoff	K-24	11	64	0	64	4	K-12	FG-GOOD
11	1:04	:00	1:04	4th incomp.	K-30	3	12	0	12	1	K-42	End of Game
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Time of Possession  
By Quarter

Visitor	<u>DENVER</u>	<u>8:34</u>	<u>7:42</u>	<u>2:08</u>	<u>5:46</u>	<u>24:10</u>
Home	<u>Kansas City</u>	<u>6:26</u>	<u>7:18</u>	<u>12:52</u>	<u>9:14</u>	<u>35:50</u>
		1st	2nd	3rd	4th	OT Total