

Pro Scouting Report										
PLAYER INFO										
#	Pro Position(s)	Prospect (Last, First)		DOB (Age)		Scout Name (Last, First)				
81	TE	Kroft, Tyler		10-15-92 (28)		Wesley, Breston				
COLLEGE			YEAR - RD - TM			TEAM				
Rutgers (NJRU)			15-3rd-CIN			Buffalo Bills				
GAMER INFORMATION										
Games Played	Games Started	Games Won	Winning %	Positions Started	Captain					
70	42	33	47%	TE	No					
INJURIES										
2016-No injuries, 2017-No injuries, 2018-No injuries, 2019-right foot broken bone (OTA/4-6 weeks; missed week 1-2) left ankle injury (Missed weeks 3-5)										
KEY STATS										
Snap counts, targets, receptions and receiving TDs have trended downward most of his career. His most effective year 2017-(62) targets, (42) receptions, (7) rec tds. Catch % has trended downward since 3rd year 2015-(73.3%), 2016-(83.3%), 2017-(67.7%), 2018-(66.7%), 2019-(42.9%).										
MEASURABLES										
Height	Weight	40 YD	10 YD	Arm	Hand	Vert	3 Cone	SS	Broad	Bench
6054	246	4.75	1.65	33	9 5/8	34	7.18	4.5	120"	17
EXPOSURES										
2019: vsMIA 10/20, vsPHI 11/27, @CLE 11/10, vsDEN 11/24, vsNYJ 12/29										
STRENGTHS										
Mental Processing / Run, Pass Blocking Technique										
WEAKNESSES										
Balance / Acceleration/ Catch Radius										
SCHEME FIT										
Most effective on inside Gap/Zone and outside Zone runs, where he displays Mental processing and technique as a blocker. Displays ability to be effective in passing game on quick in routes, flat routes, crossing routes and deep outside breaking routes.										
PROJECTION										
A rotational TE you can win with on inside Gap/Zone, outside Zone runs and on short-deep in/flat/crossing and outside breaking routes from the Y/split out alignment. Displays good Mental processing, head/hand placement and pad level as run/pass blocker. Demonstrates ability to use angles in his route running on front/behind and below/above frame on short-deep passes. Struggles with his balance after contact on run/pass plays. Lacks the acceleration to separate in his routes and make catches with 2 feet off the ground										
BACKGROUND										
A 6th year rotational TE who has started 42 of 71 career games with 3 starts in 11 games played in 2019 in his first year under HC Sean McDermott, OC Brian Daboll and TE coach Rob Boras in an Erhardt-Perkins based scheme. Played next to an inexperienced OL. Was used on short in's, flat/crossing and deep outside breaking routes in the passing game while asked to block on inside/outside Zone, and inside Gap runs.										
BODY TYPE / AA										
Good Ht and adequate Wt with athletic build, solid arm length and hand size. Displays solid AA with combination of solid explosiveness and agility.										
POSITIVES IN PASS GAME										
Solid in Pass pro- Y position 3pt stance vs 6.7 tech-Displays patience in his jump/45 degree set using the scoot technique, with inside breastplate/outside shoulder pad, punch timing to refit hands with pad level, lateral feet and base in his anchor to sustain rip speed/power rush and give QB time vs small good DL. Shows ability to help OT on due blocks with ½ man inside breastplate outside shoulder pad placement, and the awareness to recognize and sustain late outside blitz vs solid DB. Y/U/#2 Wr. 2pt- Demonstrates solid initial quickness to read and react to solid DB rushers on outside. Displays patience with feet and inside breastplate hand placement to control and give QB time on 3rd down. Shows [solid] Mental processing and ability in his lateral quickness to engage hands on the shoulder pad in Base block with the pad level and leverage to release the defender and step into a short area with numbers/head to QB as a checkdown on scramble plays. Solid Passing game vs 2 high/2 high zone/cover 3- soft coverage- Displays Mental processing by using motion from split out to Y, adjustments to his alignment pre snap and solid COD to stem at the LOS/top of his route to read defensive coverage post snap. Demonstrates foot chatter and hand swipe to stem and press solid DB/LB leverage while he extends arms at the top of his route to create space. He displays the ability to use hand swipe, sink his hips at the top of the route and explode out with angles/correct depth to cross defenders face. Displays ability to get his numbers/head back to the QB as he gains leverage in his crossing/corner and go routes. He displays his ability to snag the ball above/below the frame in front, extend his arms above/below his frame to catch with hands in stride/stationary in the middle. Demonstrates his ability to press vertical reading LB Zone responsibility, drops his weight after contact and explodes out of break with angles to the outside on corner routes, adjusting his body behind his frame slightly, with body catch in the endzone. The play action scheme displays his ability to manipulate leverage on go route with timing and solid burst, snags above the frame, over the shoulder with late hands, in stride. Gets upfield quickly on short flat route and finishes 2 hands on the ball for security and pad level falling forward for + yards.										
POSITIVES IN RUN GAME										
Display Good Mental processing to communicate the outside blitz alert with teammates pre snap. Good on Gap runs- Displays initial quickness out of 2/3pt stance to climb/scoot with pad level, inside breastplate and head placement/plays long to refit hands with hip fluidity to gain leverage at POA and control/stalemate on Base, Cutoff block vs solid DB/LB. Solid on Inside Zone runs- #2 Wr displays solid initial quickness out of 2/3pt stance. Demonstrates ½ man inside breastplate outside shoulder pad placement to Combo solid DL and climb to 2nd level with solid DB inside angle, engaging with inside breastplate shoulder pad and head placement with base to get movement in space. As a 2nd level blocker displays ability to climb with no defender over top as the Y/#3 Wr out of 2/3pt with solid initial quickness/release, uses angle for leverage to engage with inside breastplate head placement, lateral feet in space to execute block vs solid DB/LB.										
NEGATIVES IN PASS GAME										
Adequate Pass pro vs solid DB/LB/DL Struggles with his pad level, right lower body strength and balance. Displays late breastplate shoulder pad punch timing, while getting movement/giving QB time to throw. Adequate vs Off Man/Bail defender from 2/3pt Struggles with lateral quickness on go routes, to create separation in his release from 2/3pt stance when DB/LB try to reroute him.Lacks foot speed to separate/get to route depth quickly on short outside, middle sit down routes Lacks lower body strength in his right foot to maintain balance after contact and accelerating upfield in stride after the catch. Also, struggles adjusting his body to the left/right side of his frame with arms/body fully extended on the sideline when the QB scrambles and on short middle sitdowns routes vs solid DB/LB coverage. He struggles with Mental processing and ability to run through Zone coverage and find the void.										
NEGATIVES IN RUN GAME										
Adequate Run blocking vs solid DB/LB/DL. Struggles with his pad level, right lower body strength and balance at the POA on Zone/Gap runs. Struggles with his leverage while engaged and ability to reach/climb, control the edge/sustain blocks at the 2nd level.										