



# Pro Scouting Report



## PLAYER INFO

#	Pro Position(s)	Prospect (Last, First)	DOB (Age)	Scout Name (Last, First)
<b>99</b>	<b>DL</b>	<b>Gotsis, Adam</b>	<b>9-23-93 (27)</b>	<b>Wilkins, Dan</b>

COLLEGE	YEAR - RD - TM	TEAM
<b>Georgia Tech (GATC)</b>	<b>16 - 2nd - DEN</b>	<b>Denver Broncos</b>

## CAREER INFORMATION

Games Played	Games Started	Games Won	Winning %	Positions Started	Captain
<b>48</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>42%</b>	<b>DE/DT</b>	<b>No</b>

**INJURIES** 2015 - Torn ACL (College) 2016 - Right knee scope (Offseason) 2017 - Sprained shoulder (Preseason - didn't miss time)

**KEY STATS** Run game impact backed up by above average tackle production for a defensive lineman, totalling 93 over three seasons. Sack numbers are well below average, with just 5 over that span, but 11 passes defended is well above average and evidence of high-level disruption in pass lanes.

## MEASURABLES

Height	Weight	40 YD	10 YD	Arm	Hand	Vert	3 Cone	SS	Broad	Bench
<b>6040</b>	<b>287</b>	<b>NA</b>	<b>NA</b>	<b>34 1/8</b>	<b>10 3/4</b>	<b>NA</b>	<b>NA</b>	<b>NA</b>	<b>NA</b>	<b>NA</b>

**Tapes Viewed** 2018: vs. KC, at CIN, at SF, vs. CLE, at OAK

**BEST** Play Strength, UOH, Mental Processing, Competitive Toughness, Leverage, Pursuit vs. run.

**WORST** Pass Rush Plan, UOH, Lateral Agility vs. pass

**PROJECTION** High-level run defender a starting-caliber 5-technique in either a one-gap or two-gap system. Wins winning with very good play strength, very good competitive toughness, very good UOH, and good mental processing. Pass-rush is limited to a predictable bull-rush, but can still impact the passing game with ability to to disrupt throwing lanes.

**SCHEME FIT** Any 1 or 2 Gap scheme in need of interior run defenders who can rotate off the field on 3rd down, holding the line of scrimmage against the run and keeping 2nd level players clean on early downs.

## SUMMARY

A 4th-year DL who has started 25 games out of 48 played, including 12 of 16 in 2018, where he's played in similar one-gap 34 defensive schemes under coordinators Wade Phillips and Joe Woods. Spent his 2018 campaign primarily as a 5-technique end in base, tasked with clogging interior lanes and holding the line of scrimmage against the run. He has good height, solid arm length, and solid mass throughout his frame, including his base. Solid AA with good explosiveness, good balance through contact, and adequate lateral agility. Very good against the run, keying the ball and showing efficient movement at the snap for good upfield burst. Has good mental processing to diagnose both zone and gap running plays, making the correct read for his assigned gap and demonstrating good play speed to establish positioning for ideal leverage. Shows good foot speed to move laterally down the line as required against outside zone, as well the more subtle phonebooth movements to establish positioning on gap plays. Very good play strength, very good UOH, and good length allow him to get into an opponent's chest, neutralize blocks, and leverage his gap either head-up, against down blocks, or when taking on combos. Good pad level, ankle flexion and an ability to drop his hips further leverage his strength for a very good anchor that makes him a difficult player to move in short yardage. His combination of play strength and UOH helps him to shed and explode off blocks and he shows a good ability to finish tackles on ball-carriers within his range. Good pursuit working through traffic in search of the ball and coming down the line as a backside defender to clean up plays turned back inside by a well-set edge. Relentless motor also shows up with effort to chase plays downfield. Very good competitive toughness demonstrated with overall aggressiveness and consistency against the run, with success coming against even the best of opponents. As a pass-rusher, he keys the ball and demonstrates a good first step off the line, giving him the ability to utilize his strength and push the pocket by converting speed to power against average to below average opponents. Shows very good mental processing with an elite ability to disrupt passing windows and knock balls down at the line when he can't get to the quarterback with his rush. Very good competitive toughness again shows up with the ability to make an impact based on effort as a play begins to break down. Doesn't have the ability to get skinny through gaps and penetrate against the run, preventing him from playing on the other side of the line and making big plays on the ball-carrier for a loss. Only marginal as a pass-rusher, lacking the agility to threaten the feet of his opponent laterally, as well as the UOH and pass-rush plan to establish a varied rush or utilize counter moves. The bull-rush is too predictable as a result and is only effective against weaker opponents. Overall, Gotsis' high-level ability against the run makes him a starting-caliber 5-technique who wins with very good play strength, very good competitive toughness, very good UOH, and good mental processing. While his dominance shutting down gaps and making plays on the ball have come primarily in a one-gap system, the power skill set with an ability to control blocks and find the ball should see that production translate when seeing an increase in two-gap responsibilities under new head coach Vic Fangio. His pass-rush is limited to a predictable bull rush to push the pocket, so consistent pressure can't be expected, but he can factor into the passing game with a good motor and the ability to disrupt throwing lanes in front of the quarterback.