



# Pro Scouting Report



## PLAYER INFO

#	Pro Position(s)	Prospect (Last, First)	DOB (Age)	Scout Name (Last, First)
<b>28</b>	<b>RB</b>	<b>Gordon, Melvin</b>	<b>4-13-93 (24)</b>	<b>Nazar, Sean</b>

COLLEGE	YEAR - RD - TM	TEAM
<b>WISCONSIN (WIUN)</b>	<b>15-1ST-SD</b>	<b>San Diego Chargers</b>

## CAREER INFORMATION

Games Played	Games Started	Games Won	Winning %	Positions Started	Captain
<b>27</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>33%</b>	<b>RB</b>	<b>No</b>

INJURIES	<b>2011:</b> Left Groin Strain (Week 4, Out Rest of Season), <b>2012:</b> No Injuries, <b>2013:</b> No Injuries, <b>2014:</b> No Injuries, <b>2015:</b> Left High Ankle Sprain (Weeks 7-8, Still Played), Left Knee Cartilage Tear (Week 14, Out Rest of Season), <b>2016:</b> Sprained left PCL (Week 14, Out Rest of Season)
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KEY STATS	<b>2016:</b> Pro Bowl Selection, Week 9 OPOW, 7th in total rushing touchdowns (increased from 0 in 2015 to 10 in 2016), Over 500 of his 997 rushing yards were off broken tackles.
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## MEASURABLES

Height	Weight	40 YD	10 YD	Arm	Hand	Vert	3 Cone	SS	Broad	Bench
<b>6005</b>	<b>215</b>	<b>4.52</b>	<b>1.62</b>	<b>32.38</b>	<b>9 3/4</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>7.04</b>	<b>4.07</b>	<b>126</b>	<b>19</b>

Tapes Viewed	<b>2016:</b> vs JAX 9/18, at ATL 10/23, at DEN 10/30, vs TEN 11/6, vs MIA 11/13
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BEST	AA, Explosiveness, Long Speed, Balance, Outside Runs
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WORST	Base Blocking, Vision during Inside Zone, Double/Body Catching
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PROJECTION	A starting complete 3-down RB you can win because of that is functional inside and excels outside the tackles with his very good explosiveness, long speed, and overall AA in both Gap and Zone run schemes. Will struggle to maintain pocket integrity if not chip blocking, lacks vision during Inside Zone runs, and occasionally double/body catches in the passing game.
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SCHEME FIT	Balanced offence utilizing outside runs out of both Gap/Zone blocking schemes in the run game plus Checkdown and Screen routes to get him in space in the pass game.
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## SUMMARY

2nd year RB who has started 24 out of 27 games including 13 games in 2016 missing rest of year with a sprained left PCL, 2nd season in OC Ken Whisenhunt's Erhardt-Perkins offense utilizing both Gap and Zone blocking schemes. Handled majority of pass-catching responsibilities after RB Danny Woodhead's season ending injury week 2. Possesses very good height and solid weight along a muscular long-legged frame with very good arm length and hand size displaying very good overall AA, balance, long speed, and explosiveness plus good quickness and lateral agility. Displays good mental processing, head is on a swivel pre-snap reading defensive alignments and detects defensive movements post-snap. Good vision and play speed during Gap and Outside Zone run schemes, homerun threat, good initial burst to quickly get ahead of his Down blockers during Gap run concepts with his naturally long stride while still maintaining enough patience to read his lead FB/puller behind LOS during power runs, reads his blockers leverages vs. defenders to execute the optimal cut during Outside Zone run concepts, can create a few extra yards even when blocks are missed vs. smaller defenders. Good finish ability, showcases good play strength by cohesively utilizing his strong leg drive and very good explosiveness to maintain balance through contact, especially when he uses his free hand to push off defenders for leverage before making his jump-cut. Displays solid competitive toughness, reliable on critical short-yard conversions, delivers smart blocks for teammates downfield to help them secure more YAC. Good chip blocker, throws bigger sized edge pass rushers off balance by cohesively exploding through his hips and driving his shoulder into them. Good ball security, keeps ball tight against solar plexus, worked heavily during off-season decreasing fumbles by 3 times the amount in 2016 from 2015 (6 to 2). Solid in passing game, primarily utilized in Checkdown routes and got multiple Screen and occasional Bubble looks throughout the season, runs smooth routes for his size and displays the ability to adjust to the ball and catch away from his body, creates separation and generates YAC when doesn't double/body catch vs good LB's in Man Coverage. Displays adequate vision during Inside Zone runs, hesitates at the LOS waiting for a hole to reveal itself when the picture isn't clear. Adequate base pass blocker, lacks processing vs. complex blitz packages, struggles to anchor and sustain block to give his QB time in the pocket vs good rushers with a high center of gravity and lack of proper hand placement on the rushers inner chestplate. Will occasionally double/body catch instead of away from body, especially when he hears footsteps behind him. Overall, a starting complete 3-down RB you can win because of that is functional inside and excels outside the tackles with his very good explosiveness, long speed, and overall AA in both Gap and Zone run schemes. Will struggle to maintain pocket integrity if not chip blocking, lacks vision during Inside Zone runs, and occasionally double/body catches in the passing game.