



# Pro Scouting Report



## PLAYER INFO

#	Pro Position(s)	Prospect (Last, First)	DOB (Age)	Scout Name (Last, First)
<b>62</b>	<b>OG</b>	<b>Easton, Nick</b>	<b>6-16-92 (26)</b>	<b>Foster, Marshall</b>

COLLEGE	YEAR - RD - TM	TEAM
<b>Harvard University [MAHA]</b>	<b>15-UDFA-BAL</b>	<b>Minnesota Vikings</b>

## CAREER INFORMATION

Games Played	Games Started	Games Won	Winning %	Positions Started	Captain
<b>23</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>57%</b>	<b>OG, C</b>	<b>No</b>

INJURIES	<b>2015-</b> No Serious Injuries <b>2016-</b> No Serious Injuries <b>2017-</b> Fractured Right Ankle (IR) in week 16
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KEY STATS	<b>Career Statistics:</b> 8 Penalties- 2 False Starts/ 0 Sacks Allowed <b>2017 Season Statistics:</b> 7 Penalties- 1 False Starts/ 0 Sacks Allowed
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## MEASURABLES

Height	Weight	40 YD	10 YD	Arm	Hand	Vert	3 Cone	SS	Broad	Bench
<b>6026</b>	<b>303</b>	<b>5.12</b>	<b>1.64</b>	<b>31 1/8</b>	<b>10 3/8</b>	<b>30 1/2</b>	<b>7.73</b>	<b>4.6</b>	<b>112"</b>	<b>29</b>

Tapes Viewed	<b>2015:</b> vs DET 9/13, at GB 10/18, at KC 12/13, at OAK 12/24, at DEN 1/3
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BEST	Mental Processing. Combo Block @ 1st Level, Cut block in space, 2nd level block against MLB
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WORST	Anchor, O/S Zone against 3 Tech. Reach block against 4/5 Tech, Waist bend in pass and run block
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PROJECTION	Easton is a starting OG you can win with in zone-based scheme where he can utilize his combo block ability at the first level and cut block ability in space to make run for runners. He struggles to hold anchor on longer passes
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SCHEME FIT	He can win and fit in a zone-based scheme because of his combo block ability.
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## SUMMARY

A 4th year OG who has started 17 of 23 games and started 12 of 16 games in 2017 with a fractured ankle that put him on Injury Reserve for the season. 1st year in Pat Shurmur's system which requires him to do more zone blocking and quick pass protection, he is a 3-down player who lines up mostly at Right Guard but also starter week 14 in 2017 at Center when the starting center was injured. Solid size with adequate weight and arm length with solid hand size, thick lower body with a fat belly and arms, he is more fat than muscle. Marginal athletic ability with good knee and ankle flexibility. Good gap blocker with solid get off ability especially on down blocks to show his solid UOH with good timing and initial placement to begin his engagement. Good control and steer on his drive block to move the defender out of position in the gap to open up space for the runner. Shows good mental processing to know where the runner is at all times so he can get in front of the defender and position him out of the play. Good down blocker with a who can get in front of a defender and not allow him to get near the play. Engages well on pulls and delivers a big initial hit on the LB to jar the LB and keep him from making a play. Very Good zone blocker who is a very good combo blocker at the first level and shows good mental processing on when to get off his initial block move to the second level. Easton shows good drive on I/S zone plays and shows solid quickness and explosiveness to get to the second level to make a play on MLB and drive him out of the play. Very good Cut blocker, especially in space and shows good mental processing with the angles he takes to initiate the cut block. Shows solid speed and timing to get down on to cut block more agile defenders, this keeps the defender out of the play. Solid pass protector who thrives with quick three-step drop passes. Shows good, he shows enough lateral agility to get in front of less quick rushers. He displays his solid use of hand with good punch timing and strength to stonewall a defender's initial charge. When he is not engaged with a rusher he is constantly looking for work and helping the C and OT when they need it. Easton competes at a high level in his run and pass blocking as he rises to the occasion against top-tier opponents (like Aaron Donald). He shows solid competitive toughness as he is the visual leader on the field, competing to the whistle. Struggles with a lack of play strength in 1 on 1 situations especially showing a lack of push on his drive blocks and pull blocks but makes up for it with his control/steer and big hits. Easton is slow to get Push @ POA with his man blocks. Struggles to gain the outside shoulder on O/S Zone, especially against a 3-Tech DT. Struggles to reach block to the left against 4/5 tech. Easton struggles to get to the second level against OLB and DB and get in front of them to engage due to slow foot speed and adequate play speed but makes up for this in his cut blocking ability and mental processing. Easton plays with a high pad level in run and pass block due to bending over at his waist and losing leverage. After placing his hands in good position at the beginning of a play he has a habit of moving his hands wide and high hands (often on the outside of the shoulder pads) in pass and run block after he has been engaged for a while. Easton struggles with holding pass protection on longer drops especially when facing a rusher in 2 tech who uses good agility and the swim move to move into the B gap. Adequate ability to anchor against Bull and Speed rush due to his high pad level and adequate play strength. Overall, Easton is a starting OG you can win with in zone-based scheme where he can utilize his combo block ability at the first level and cut block ability in space to make run for runners. He struggles to hold anchor on longer passes.