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## 2008 MLS FACT SHEET

### WHAT

Major League Soccer is the top-flight professional soccer league in the United States and was founded in 1996, after the country hosted the 1994 FIFA World Cup. Entering its 13th season in 2008, MLS is experiencing a period of growth highlighted by expansion, the construction of soccer-specific stadiums, and the addition of new investors. The San Jose Earthquakes join as an expansion team beginning in 2008, Seattle will be home to an expansion team in 2009, and the League aims to have 16 teams by 2010.

### TEAMS

#### EASTERN CONFERENCE

Chicago Fire  
Columbus Crew  
D.C. United  
Kansas City Wizards  
New England Revolution  
New York Red Bulls  
Toronto FC  
Seattle begins play in 2009; its conference will be announced at a later date.

#### WESTERN CONFERENCE

Chivas USA  
Colorado Rapids  
FC Dallas  
Houston Dynamo  
Los Angeles Galaxy  
Real Salt Lake  
San Jose Earthquakes

### SEASON

- o The 2008 MLS regular season opens March 29 and ends Oct. 26. The MLS Cup Playoffs begin Oct. 30. MLS Cup 2008, the League's championship game, will take place Nov. 23 at The Home Depot Center in Carson, Calif.
- o In 2008 the 14 MLS teams will each play a 30-game regular season and eight teams will advance to the MLS Cup Playoffs. The top three teams in each conference, plus two "wild cards" with the most points after 30 games, regardless of conference, will qualify. The team that finishes with the most regular season points is awarded the Supporters' Shield and earns an automatic bid to the annual CONCACAF Champions Cup tournament.
- o More than 33 million fans have attended regular season games in MLS' 12-season history.
- o MLS set an all-time attendance record in 2007 as 3.27 million fans attended regular season games.
- o In the 2007 Sierra Mist MLS All-Star Game, the MLS All-Stars defeated Scottish Premier League champion Celtic FC, 2-0, at Dick's Sporting Goods Park, home of the Colorado Rapids. MLS is now 4-0 against international opponents in All-Star Games.
- o In 2008, eight of the 14 teams will play in soccer-specific stadiums that were custom built for MLS teams during the past seven years. (More on stadiums below).

### PLAYERS

- o The 2006 U.S. World Cup 23-man roster featured 11 MLS players (at the time of the tournament) and 18 players with MLS experience.
- o At the end of the 2007 regular season, MLS had 130 players born outside the United States, representing 53 different countries.
- o A list of notable MLS players follows:
- o **Juan Pablo Ángel (New York Red Bulls):** Colombian National Team forward was a standout with Aston Villa in England before joining the Red Bulls as a Designated Player in 2007.
- o **David Beckham (Los Angeles Galaxy):** Former Real Madrid/Manchester United midfielder and English national team standout joined the Galaxy in 2007 as the team's Designated Player.
- o **Cuauhtémoc Blanco (Chicago Fire):** One of the most popular athletes in Mexico, Blanco is a regular for his national team and joined the Fire in 2007 as their Designated Player.
- o **Brian Ching (Houston Dynamo):** One of the best attacking players in the air in MLS, the Hawaiian native was a member of the 2006 U.S. World Cup team.
- o **Jimmy Conrad (Kansas City Wizards):** Veteran defender was a standout for the U.S. World Cup team in Germany in 2006.
- o **Dwayne De Rosario (Houston Dynamo):** De Rosario, from Scarborough, Ontario, is one of the League's most exciting and dangerous play-makers. He is the only two-time MLS Cup MVP winner.
- o **Landon Donovan (Los Angeles Galaxy):** Turning 26 in March, he began the year tied for the most career goals (34) for the U.S. Men's National Team and is considered the best American player today.
- o **Luciano Emilio (D.C. United):** The 2007 winner of the Budweiser Golden Boot for most goals and the Honda MVP, this Brazilian striker became the first player since 2002 to score 20 goals in a season.
- o **Marcelo Gallardo (D.C. United):** Dynamic attacker twice represented Argentina at the World Cup, led Monaco to the French League title and helped River Plate win the Copa Libertadores.
- o **Christian Gómez (Colorado Rapids):** Clever Argentine midfielder was the 2006 MLS Honda MVP.
- o **Taylor Twellman (New England Revolution):** The 2005 MLS MVP and Budweiser Golden Boot winner. Twellman has scored more MLS goals (91) than any player since he joined the League in 2002.

### TELEVISION

- o MLS has secured long-term national television agreements with ABC and ESPN, Univision, HDNet, Fox Soccer Channel and Fox Sports on Español.
- o All MLS teams have regional television agreements.
- o Every MLS match will be televised in 2008, either nationally or regionally.



## INVESTORS

Major League Soccer is structured as a single, limited liability company (single-entity). In the single-entity business structure, club operators own a financial stake in the league, not just their individual team. The MLS investors are:

- o **Phil Anschutz & the Anschutz Entertainment Group (AEG):** Investor-operator of the Houston Dynamo and Los Angeles Galaxy (other domestic sports business ventures include the Staples Center, The Home Depot Center, the NBA's Los Angeles Lakers and the NHL's Los Angeles Kings).
- o **The Hunt Family (Hunt Sports Group):** Investor-operator of FC Dallas and the Columbus Crew (other sports business ventures include the NFL's Kansas City Chiefs and NBA's Chicago Bulls).
- o **The Kraft Family (Kraft Soccer):** Investor-operator of the New England Revolution (other sports business ventures include the NFL's New England Patriots).
- o **Kroenke Sports Enterprises:** Investor-operator of the Colorado Rapids (other sports business ventures include the NBA's Denver Nuggets, NHL's Colorado Avalanche and NFL's St. Louis Rams).
- o **Dave Checketts & Sports Capital Partners:** Investor-operator of Real Salt Lake. Checketts is the former president of the NHL's New York Rangers, the NBA's New York Knicks and Madison Square Garden (other sports business ventures include the NHL's St. Louis Blues).
- o **Jorge Vergara & Antonio Cue:** Investor-operator of Club Deportivo Chivas USA (other sports business ventures include soccer club Chivas de Guadalajara in Mexico and soccer club Saprissa in Costa Rica).
- o **Red Bull Company Limited:** The Austrian company that produces the world's leading energy drink owns Red Bull New York. Other sports investments by Red Bull include a NASCAR team, Red Bull Salzburg, extreme sports and Formula One auto racing.
- o **Maple Leaf Sports & Entertainment:** Investor-operator of Toronto FC (other sports business ventures include the NHL's Toronto Maple Leafs and the NBA's Toronto Raptors).
- o **OnGoal, LLC:** Investor-operator group of the Kansas City Wizards consists of six Kansas City-area residents led by Cerner Corporation executives Neal Patterson and Cliff Illig.
- o **D.C. United Holdings:** Investor-operator of D.C. United is led by Victor MacFarlane and William H.C. ("Will") Chang. Chang holds ownership interest in Major League Baseball's San Francisco Giants.
- o **Lew Wolff and John Fisher:** Investor-operator of the San Jose Earthquakes, will join MLS as an expansion team in the Western Conference for the 2008 season. Wolff is a principle owner of the Oakland Athletics baseball club.
- o **Andrew Hauptman (Andell Holdings):** Investor-operator of the Chicago Fire.
- o **Joe Roth, Adrian Hanauer, Drew Carey and Vulcan Sports and Entertainment (VSE):** Investor-operators of MLS Seattle, who are set to join the League in 2009 (VSE's other sports business ventures include the NFL's Seattle Seahawks and NBA's Portland Trailblazers).

## STADIUMS

Major League Soccer has elevated the sport's stature in North America by building soccer-specific stadiums. In 1999, the League began moving aggressively to create custom-made venues for its teams that generate the atmosphere and intimacy the game deserves. The seating capacity for these stadiums is usually between 18,000 and 30,000 and the stadiums share design concepts with some of the finest soccer venues in Europe. In 2008, eight of the League's 14 teams will compete in stadiums built specifically for professional soccer. Real Salt Lake's new stadium will debut in the fall of 2008, Red Bull Park is scheduled to open in 2009, and the Kansas City Wizards plan to open their new facility in 2010. The existing soccer-specific stadiums in MLS are:

- o **Columbus Crew Stadium (Columbus, Ohio):** Opened in 1999 as the home of the Columbus Crew. Built by the Hunt Family, this stadium has hosted two All-Star Games, MLS Cup and many important U.S. National Team games.
- o **The Home Depot Center (Carson, Calif.):** Opened in 2003 as the "cathedral of American soccer", The Home Depot Center is the luxurious home of both the Los Angeles Galaxy and Chivas USA.
- o **Pizza Hut Park (Frisco, Texas):** Opened in August, 2005, the home of FC Dallas hosted MLS Cup 2005 and MLS Cup 2006.
- o **TOYOTA PARK (Bridgeview, Ill.):** Located just 15 minutes south of downtown Chicago, the handsome new park debuted in 2006 and hosted the Sierra Mist All-Star Game.
- o **BMO Field (Toronto, Canada):** Toronto FC began play in MLS in 2007 and sold out every regular season home game at the urban venue.
- o **Dick's Sporting Goods Park (Commerce City, Colo.):** The Colorado Rapids new stadium opened in 2007 and was the host of the 2007 Sierra Mist All-Star Game.

## SPONSORS

The portfolio of blue chip partners working with MLS to grow their business continues to expand with the growth of the League. A list of current sponsors, suppliers, and partners – including the year in which the partnership was formed – follows:

SPONSOR	CATEGORY	SINCE
adidas	athletic apparel and equipment	1996
Aquafina	water	1996
Budweiser	beer	1996
Chase	credit card issuer	2006
Cuervo	hard alcohol / spirits	2006
Dick's Sporting Goods	sporting goods retailer	2007
Gatorade	isotonic sports drink	2003
Getty Images	photography	2004
ICI Paints	paint	2006
Kraft Foods	crackers	2004
Kwik Goal	field equipment	1996
Makita	power tools	2004
NAPA	auto parts	2008
Panasonic	consumer electronics	2003
Pepsi, Sierra Mist	soft drink	1996
Red Bull	energy drink	2006
The Home Depot	home improvement retailer	2007
U.S. Soccer Foundation	charity foundation	2000
Visa	payment services provider	2007



## 2008 MLS COMPOSITE SCHEDULE

Saturday, March 29	Time	TV	
Toronto FC at Columbus Crew	4:00		
Chicago Fire at Real Salt Lake	6:00		
Houston Dynamo at N.E. Revolution	7:30	FSC	
D.C. United at K.C. Wizards	8:00		
L.A. Galaxy at Colorado Rapids	9:30	FSC & HDNet	
<b>Sunday, March 30</b>			
Chivas USA at FC Dallas	3:00	TF	
<b>Thursday, April 3</b>			
N.E. Revolution at Chicago Fire	8:00	ESPN2	
San Jose Earthquakes at L.A. Galaxy	10:30	ESPN2	
<b>Saturday, April 5</b>			
Toronto FC at D.C. United	7:30		
Columbus Crew at N.Y. Red Bulls	7:30	FSC	
Colorado Rapids at K.C. Wizards	8:00		
Real Salt Lake at Chivas USA	9:00	HDNet	
<b>Sunday, April 6</b>			
FC Dallas at Houston Dynamo	3:00	TF	
<b>Wednesday, April 9</b>			
N.E. Revolution at K.C. Wizards	8:00		
<b>Saturday, April 12</b>			
Chicago Fire at San Jose Earthquakes	4:30	FSC	
Chivas USA at Columbus Crew	7:30		
Colorado Rapids at N.E. Revolution	7:30		
Houston Dynamo at K.C. Wizards	8:00	HDNet	
N.Y. Red Bulls at FC Dallas	8:30		
D.C. United at Real Salt Lake	9:00		
<b>Sunday, April 13</b>			
Toronto FC at L.A. Galaxy	3:00	TF	
<b>Thursday, April 17</b>			
Columbus Crew at D.C. United	8:00	ESPN2	
<b>Saturday, April 19</b>			
Real Salt Lake at Toronto FC	3:30		
N.E. Revolution at N.Y. Red Bulls	7:30	HDNet	
San Jose Earthquakes at Colorado Rapids	9:30	FSC	
Houston Dynamo at L.A. Galaxy	10:30		
<b>Sunday, April 20</b>			
K.C. Wizards at Chicago Fire	3:00	TF	
FC Dallas at Chivas USA	8:00		
<b>Thursday, April 24</b>			
N.E. Revolution at FC Dallas	8:30	ESPN2	
<b>Saturday, April 26</b>			
K.C. Wizards at Toronto FC	3:30		
Houston Dynamo at Columbus Crew	7:30		
Real Salt Lake at D.C. United	7:30	HDNet	
Colorado Rapids at Chicago Fire	8:30	FSC	
Chivas USA at L.A. Galaxy	10:30		
<b>Sunday, April 27</b>			
San Jose Earthquakes at N.Y. Red Bulls	3:00	TF	
<b>Thursday, May 1</b>			
N.Y. Red Bulls at Toronto FC	7:00	ESPN2	
<b>Saturday, May 3</b>			
K.C. Wizards at Columbus Crew	7:30	FSC	
Chicago Fire at N.E. Revolution	7:30		
Chivas USA at Houston Dynamo	8:30	HDNet	
L.A. Galaxy at Real Salt Lake	9:00		
FC Dallas at San Jose Earthquakes	10:00		
<b>Sunday, May 4</b>			
D.C. United at Colorado Rapids	3:00	TF	
<b>Thursday, May 8</b>			
Chicago Fire at D.C. United	7:30	ESPN2	
<b>Saturday, May 10</b>			
Colorado Rapids at Houston Dynamo	8:30	FSC	
FC Dallas at Real Salt Lake	9:00		
Columbus Crew at San Jose Earthquakes	10:00		
N.Y. Red Bulls at L.A. Galaxy	10:30	HDNet	
<b>Sunday, May 11</b>			
N.E. Revolution at Chivas USA	3:00	TF	
<b>Thursday, May 15</b>			
Real Salt Lake at Colorado Rapids	9:30	ESPN2	
<b>Saturday, May 17</b>			
Columbus Crew at Toronto FC	3:30		
San Jose Earthquakes at N.E. Revolution	7:30	HDNet	
K.C. Wizards at N.Y. Red Bulls	7:30		
Houston Dynamo at Chicago Fire	8:30		
D.C. United at Chivas USA	10:30	FSC	
<b>Sunday, May 18</b>			
L.A. Galaxy at FC Dallas	3:00	TF	
<b>Wednesday, May 21</b>			
D.C. United at Toronto FC	7:30		
<b>Thursday, May 22</b>			
Houston Dynamo at San Jose Earthquakes	10:30	ESPN2	
<b>Saturday, May 24</b>			
Toronto FC at D.C. United	7:30		
N.E. Revolution at Columbus Crew	7:30	FSC	
Real Salt Lake at FC Dallas	8:30		
Chivas USA at Colorado Rapids	9:30		
K.C. Wizards at L.A. Galaxy	10:30	HDNet	
<b>Sunday, May 25</b>			
Chicago Fire at N.Y. Red Bulls	3:00	TF	
<b>Thursday, May 29</b>			
D.C. United at N.E. Revolution	7:30	ESPN2	
<b>Saturday, May 31</b>			
L.A. Galaxy at Toronto FC	3:30		
N.Y. Red Bulls at Houston Dynamo	8:30	HDNet	
San Jose Earthquakes at Real Salt Lake	9:00	FSC	
Columbus Crew at Chivas USA	10:30		
<b>Sunday, June 1</b>			
FC Dallas at Colorado Rapids	3:00	TF	
<b>Wednesday, June 4</b>			
Houston Dynamo at D.C. United	7:30		
<b>Thursday, June 5</b>			
Chivas USA at N.Y. Red Bulls	7:30	ESPN2	
<b>Saturday, June 7</b>			
San Jose Earthquakes at Columbus Crew	7:30	HDNet	
D.C. United at Chicago Fire	8:30	FSC	
Toronto FC at Houston Dynamo	8:30		
K.C. Wizards at Real Salt Lake	9:00		
Colorado Rapids at L.A. Galaxy	10:30		
<b>Sunday, June 8</b>			
FC Dallas at N.E. Revolution	3:00	TF	
<b>Thursday, June 12</b>			
N.E. Revolution at Houston Dynamo	9:00	ESPN2	
<b>Saturday, June 14</b>			
N.Y. Red Bulls at D.C. United	7:30	HDNet	
Columbus Crew at K.C. Wizards	8:00		
Toronto FC at Colorado Rapids	9:30		
L.A. Galaxy at San Jose Earthquakes	10:00	FSC	
Real Salt Lake at Chivas USA	10:30		
<b>Sunday, June 15</b>			
Chicago Fire at FC Dallas	3:00	TF	
<b>Wednesday, June 18</b>			
San Jose Earthquakes at Real Salt Lake	9:00		
<b>Thursday, June 19</b>			
Chicago Fire at Chivas USA	10:30	ESPN2	
<b>Saturday, June 21</b>			
K.C. Wizards at Toronto FC	3:30		
FC Dallas at N.Y. Red Bulls	7:30	FSC	
Houston Dynamo at Colorado Rapids	9:30	HDNet	
N.E. Revolution at Real Salt Lake	9:30		
Columbus Crew at L.A. Galaxy	10:30		
<b>Sunday, June 22</b>			
San Jose Earthquakes at D.C. United	3:00	TF	
<b>Thursday, June 26</b>			
FC Dallas at Houston Dynamo	9:00	ESPN2	
<b>Saturday, June 28</b>			
Colorado Rapids at Columbus Crew	7:30	FSC	
Toronto FC at N.E. Revolution	7:30		
Real Salt Lake at K.C. Wizards	8:00		
San Jose Earthquakes at Chicago Fire	8:30		
N.Y. Red Bulls at Chivas USA	10:30	HDNet	
<b>Sunday, June 29</b>			
L.A. Galaxy at D.C. United	12:00	ABC	
<b>Thursday, July 3</b>			
Houston Dynamo at Real Salt Lake	10:00	ESPN2	
<b>Friday, July 4</b>			
K.C. Wizards at FC Dallas	7:00	HDNet	
N.Y. Red Bulls at Colorado Rapids	9:30		
N.E. Revolution at L.A. Galaxy	10:30		
<b>Saturday, July 5</b>			
Chicago Fire at Columbus Crew	8:00	FSC	
San Jose Earthquakes at Chivas USA	10:30	FSC	
<b>Thursday, July 10</b>			
N.Y. Red Bulls at K.C. Wizards	8:00		
Chivas USA at L.A. Galaxy	11:00	ESPN2	
<b>Saturday, July 12</b>			
Colorado Rapids at San Jose Earthquakes	4:00		
Toronto FC at Chicago Fire	8:30	FSC	
Columbus Crew at Real Salt Lake	9:00	HDNet	



<b>Thursday, July 17</b>			
K.C. Wizards at Columbus Crew	8:00	ESPN2	
<b>Saturday, July 19</b>			
San Jose Earthquakes at Toronto FC	3:30	HDNet	
L.A. Galaxy at N.Y. Red Bulls	6:30	FSC	
Real Salt Lake at Chicago Fire	8:30		
Colorado Rapids at FC Dallas	8:30		
<b>Thursday, July 24</b>			
MLS All-Star Game	7:00	ESPN2/TF	
BMO Field, Toronto)			
<b>Sunday, July 27</b>			
N.Y. Red Bulls at San Jose Earthquakes	3:00	TF	
L.A. Galaxy at FC Dallas	7:00		
Chicago Fire at K.C. Wizards	8:00		
Columbus Crew at Colorado Rapids	9:30		
<b>Monday, July 28</b>			
Toronto FC at Real Salt Lake	9:00		
<b>Saturday, Aug. 2</b>			
K.C. Wizards at D.C. United	7:30		
N.Y. Red Bulls at N.E. Revolution	7:30	FSC	
Chivas USA at Chicago Fire	8:30	HDNet	
Columbus Crew at Houston Dynamo	8:30		
<b>Sunday, Aug. 3</b>			
L.A. Galaxy at San Jose Earthquakes	3:00	TF	
FC Dallas at Toronto FC	7:00		
<b>Saturday, Aug. 9</b>			
Colorado Rapids at Toronto FC	3:30		
Chicago Fire at N.E. Revolution	7:30	HDNet	
D.C. United at N.Y. Red Bulls	7:30		
Chivas USA at K.C. Wizards	8:00		
Houston Dynamo at FC Dallas	8:30	FSC	
<b>Thursday, Aug. 14</b>			
L.A. Galaxy at Chivas USA	10:30	ESPN2	
<b>Saturday, Aug. 16</b>			
FC Dallas at Columbus Crew	7:30	FSC	
D.C. United at Chicago Fire	8:30		
Real Salt Lake at Houston Dynamo	8:30		
K.C. Wizards at Colorado Rapids	9:30		
N.E. Revolution at San Jose Earthquakes	10:00	HDNet	
<b>Sunday, Aug. 17</b>			
Toronto FC at N.Y. Red Bulls	5:00		
<b>Wednesday, Aug. 20</b>			
D.C. United at N.E. Revolution	7:30		
Chivas USA at Houston Dynamo	9:00		
<b>Thursday, Aug. 21</b>			
Chicago Fire at L.A. Galaxy	10:30	ESPN2	
<b>Saturday, Aug. 23</b>			
Real Salt Lake at Columbus Crew	7:30		
Colorado Rapids at D.C. United	7:30		
N.E. Revolution at Toronto FC	7:30	FSC	
FC Dallas at K.C. Wizards	8:00		
San Jose Earthquakes at Chivas USA	10:30	HDNet	
<b>Sunday, Aug. 24</b>			
Houston Dynamo at N.Y. Red Bulls	3:00	TF	
<b>Friday, Aug. 29</b>			
Colorado Rapids at Real Salt Lake	9:00		
<b>Saturday, Aug. 30</b>			
N.Y. Red Bulls at D.C. United	7:30	FSC	
L.A. Galaxy at N.E. Revolution	7:30	HDNet	
Columbus Crew at FC Dallas	8:30		
K.C. Wizards at San Jose Earthquakes	10:00		
Toronto FC at Chivas USA	10:30		
<b>Sunday, Aug. 31</b>			
Chicago Fire at Houston Dynamo	7:00	TF	
<b>Thursday, Sept. 4</b>			
Colorado Rapids at FC Dallas	8:30	ESPN2	
<b>Saturday, Sept. 6</b>			
Chivas USA at Toronto FC	4:00		
N.E. Revolution at Columbus Crew	7:30	HDNet	
N.Y. Red Bulls at Chicago Fire	8:30	FSC	
D.C. United at San Jose Earthquakes	10:00		
Real Salt Lake at L.A. Galaxy	10:30		
<b>Sunday, Sept. 7</b>			
K.C. Wizards at Houston Dynamo	3:00	TF	
<b>Thursday, Sept. 11</b>			
Chivas USA at N.E. Revolution	7:30	ESPN2	
<b>Saturday, Sept. 13</b>			
Columbus Crew at Toronto FC	3:30		
Houston Dynamo at San Jose Earthquakes	4:00		
Real Salt Lake at N.Y. Red Bulls	7:30		
FC Dallas at D.C. United	7:30	FSC	
L.A. Galaxy at K.C. Wizards	8:00	HDNet	
<b>Sunday, Sept. 14</b>			
Chicago Fire at Colorado Rapids	3:00	TF	

<b>Thursday, Sept. 18</b>			
N.Y. Red Bulls at Columbus Crew	7:00	ESPN2	
<b>Saturday, Sept. 20</b>			
Toronto FC at K.C. Wizards	8:00	HDNet	
San Jose Earthquakes at Houston Dynamo	8:30		
Chivas USA at Real Salt Lake	9:00		
N.E. Revolution at Colorado Rapids	9:00		
D.C. United at L.A. Galaxy	11:00	FSC	
<b>Sunday, Sept. 21</b>			
FC Dallas at Chicago Fire	3:00	TF	
<b>Thursday, Sept. 25</b>			
L.A. Galaxy at Chicago Fire	9:00	ESPN2	
<b>Saturday, Sept. 27</b>			
Houston Dynamo at Toronto FC	3:30		
Colorado Rapids at N.Y. Red Bulls	7:30		
Columbus Crew at N.E. Revolution	7:30		
Real Salt Lake at San Jose Earthquakes	10:00	HDNet	
K.C. Wizards at Chivas USA	10:30	FSC	
<b>Sunday, Sept. 28</b>			
D.C. United at FC Dallas	3:00	TF	
<b>Thursday, Oct. 2</b>			
San Jose Earthquakes at FC Dallas	8:30	ESPN2	
<b>Saturday, Oct. 4</b>			
L.A. Galaxy at Columbus Crew	7:30	HDNet	
Chivas USA at D.C. United	7:30	FSC	
Real Salt Lake at N.E. Revolution	7:30		
Toronto FC at N.Y. Red Bulls	7:30		
Houston Dynamo at Colorado Rapids	9:30		
<b>Sunday, Oct. 5</b>			
Chicago Fire at K.C. Wizards	3:00	TF	
<b>Thursday, Oct. 9</b>			
N.Y. Red Bulls at Real Salt Lake	10:00	ESPN2	
<b>Saturday, Oct. 11</b>			
N.E. Revolution at K.C. Wizards	8:00		
Toronto FC at FC Dallas	8:30	FSC	
Chivas USA at San Jose Earthquakes	10:00	HDNet	
<b>Sunday, Oct. 12</b>			
Columbus Crew at Chicago Fire	3:00	TF	
D.C. United at Houston Dynamo	7:00		
Colorado Rapids at L.A. Galaxy	8:00		
<b>Thursday, Oct. 16</b>			
N.E. Revolution at D.C. United	7:30	ESPN2	
<b>Saturday, Oct. 18</b>			
Chicago Fire at Toronto FC	3:30	HDNet	
Columbus Crew at N.Y. Red Bulls	7:30		
San Jose Earthquakes at K.C. Wizards	8:00		
FC Dallas at Real Salt Lake	9:00	FSC	
<b>Sunday, Oct. 19</b>			
Colorado Rapids at Chivas USA	3:00	TF	
L.A. Galaxy at Houston Dynamo	7:00		
<b>Thursday, Oct. 23</b>			
N.Y. Red Bulls at Chicago Fire	9:00	ESPN2	
<b>Saturday, Oct. 25</b>			
K.C. Wizards at N.E. Revolution	7:30		
Real Salt Lake at Colorado Rapids	9:30	HDNet	
Toronto FC at San Jose Earthquakes	10:00		
Houston Dynamo at Chivas USA	10:30	FSC	
<b>Sunday, Oct. 26</b>			
FC Dallas at L.A. Galaxy	3:00	TF	
D.C. United at Columbus Crew	5:00		

## MLS CUP PLAYOFFS

<b>Thursday, Oct. 30 - Sunday, Nov. 2</b>			
Conference Semifinals, Game 1			
<b>Thursday, Nov. 6 - Sunday, Nov. 9</b>			
Conference Semifinals, Game 2			
<b>Thursday, Nov. 13 - Sunday, Nov. 16</b>			
Conference Championships			
<b>Sunday, Nov. 23</b>			
MLS Cup 2008	3:30	ABC, TF	
(The Home Depot Center, Carson, Calif.)			

## SUPERLIGA 2008

<b>Saturday, July 12 - Sunday, July 13</b>			
Group Play, Game 1	8:00/10:00	TF	
<b>Tuesday, July 15-Wednesday, July 16</b>			
Group Play, Game 2	8:00/10:00	TF	
<b>Saturday, July 19 - Sunday, July 20</b>			
Group Play, Game 3	8:00/10:00	TF	
<b>Tuesday, July 29-Wednesday, July 30</b>			
Semifinals	8:00/10:00	TF	
<b>Tuesday, Aug. 5 or Wednesday, Aug. 6</b>			
SuperLiga Final	TBA	TF	

## TV KEY

ABC - American Broadcasting Company ESPN2 - ESPN2 and ESPN Deportes  
FSC - Fox Soccer Channel & Fox Soccer en Espanol HDNet - High Def. Network  
TF - Teletutela



## MLS RULES & REGULATIONS

### I. MLS ROSTER COMPOSITION

A Major League Soccer team's full roster is comprised of the Senior Roster and the Developmental Roster. The full roster shall exceed no more than 28 total players: 18 players on the Senior Roster and no more than 10 players on the Developmental Roster. All 28 players are eligible for selection as part of the game-day squad during the regular season and playoffs.

#### (A) SENIOR ROSTER

Other than at specified times during preseason or through injury situations (e.g. a player added as a season-ending injury replacement), an MLS team shall have no more than 18 senior roster players at any time. The senior roster is comprised of the following players, who all count against a team's salary budget:

##### (i) DOMESTIC PLAYERS\*

A domestic player is either a U.S. citizen, a permanent resident (green card holder) or the holder of other special status (e.g., has been granted refugee or asylum status).

##### (ii) INTERNATIONAL PLAYERS

During the 2007 season, teams were allotted seven international spots per team, four Senior International and three Youth International slots, with the exception of Toronto FC who were awarded seven Senior International slots (three of which could be used only on domestic U.S. players) and five Youth slots. Each team has been awarded one additional International player slot, for a total of eight (8) International Player slots per team, and the distinction between Youth International and Senior International has been removed. Additionally, all International player slots will be tradable, and pre-existing trades of Youth International slots will be honored and adhered to as if they were trades of unrestricted international slots. Toronto FC has been awarded two additional international player slots, which they may use only on domestic U.S. players. These slots shall be in effect for two (2) seasons and will be reviewed at the end of the 2009 MLS League Season.

*\* For Toronto FC, players with the legal right to work in Canada are considered domestic players (Canadian citizen, permanent resident, part of a protected class).*

#### (B) DEVELOPMENTAL ROSTER

MLS teams shall not have more than 10 developmental players on their developmental roster at any time (unless a player is added as a season-ending injury replacement). Developmental players can be either domestic or international and must be 25 years of age or younger during the calendar year of competition. These players do not count against a team's salary budget. They are signed to non-guaranteed contracts and thus, can be waived at any time. Teams are permitted an unlimited number of signings during a given season to ensure all 10-man developmental roster spots are occupied at any one time.

Generation adidas players and domestic and international underclassmen, form part of a team's Developmental Roster. They are acquired by MLS teams through the SuperDraft, Lottery, Discovery or waiver system (see below) if they join the League after the SuperDraft.

### II. METHODS OF PLAYER ACQUISITION

MLS teams may acquire players and add them to their Senior and Developmental rosters via the following 12 mechanisms:

#### (A) ALLOCATIONS

The allocations will be ranked in reverse order of finish for the 2007 season, taking playoff performance into account. San Jose, as an expansion team, will have the top-ranked allocation at the beginning of 2008. The rankings will be separate and distinct from the allocation amounts and will only be relevant in the event two or more teams file a request for the same player on the same day, in the case of returning U.S. National Team players, or in other cases where the League, in its discretion taking into account all the circumstances, determines that the allocation rankings shall be applied. In such cases, priority will be granted to the team with the higher allocation ranking. Once the team uses its allocation ranking to acquire a player it will drop to the bottom of the list. The ranking itself can be traded provided part of the compensation received in return is another team's ranking. A team may move up or down in the rankings, provided that at all times each team is assigned a ranking (no team can have more than one ranking and no team can be without a ranking). The rankings will reset at the end of each MLS League Season.

A club receives allocation money for (1) poor performance during the preceding MLS regular season; (2) the transfer of a player to a club outside of MLS for value; (3) roster purposes due to expansion status; or (4) exceptional circumstances as approved by the Competition Committee.

Each year the MLS Competition Committee determines how much allocation money is made available to each team. Allocation money can be traded by teams. Allocation money does not count against a team's salary budget and can be used:

- To sign players new to MLS (that is, a player that did not play in MLS during the previous season).
- To re-sign an existing MLS player, with League approval.
- In connection with the exercise of an option to purchase a player's rights or the extension of a player's contract for the second year provided the player was new to MLS in the immediately prior year.

Allocation money cannot otherwise be used to buy down the salary budget number of players already under contract to the League, nor can allocation money be used to buy down the budget number of a Designated Player.

#### (B) DESIGNATED PLAYER

The Designated Player Rule allows the League to sign players (under the League's single entity system) whose salary will fall outside of the team salary budget and whose cost above the salary budget charge will be the financial responsibility of the club for which they play. A Designated Player's salary charge will be capped at \$415,000 per annum in 2008, but his salary could be higher. Each team initially received one Designated Player slot, and clubs are allowed to trade Designated Player slots. However, no team can have more than two Designated Players. The Designated Player Rule is a three-year initiative that will conclude after the 2009 MLS season when its future will be reviewed.



## Pre-Existing High-Salaried Players

The MLS Board of Governors ruled that Landon Donovan, Eddie Johnson and Carlos Ruiz, who had high-salaried contracts with the League prior to the adoption of the Designated Player rule, will not occupy a Designated Player roster position for the 2008 and 2009 seasons. These players will, however, become their individual team's financial responsibility to the extent their actual salaries exceed their budget charge.

## (C.) SUPERDRAFT & SUPPLEMENTAL DRAFT

These are players drafted by teams at the annual MLS SuperDraft, which consists of four (4) rounds, and the MLS Supplemental Draft, which also consists of four (4) rounds. In order to be eligible to be drafted, players must be: invited to participate in that year's MLS Player Combine; Generation adidas-signed players; or college players who no longer have college eligibility and are nominated by MLS teams. The selection order is determined as follows: The first six selections are from teams that did not qualify for the previous playoffs beginning with the team with fewest regular season points (3 points per win, one point per tie). The remaining eight positions are ranked by fewest regular season points among the teams that were eliminated in the same round of the previous year's MLS Cup Playoffs.

A player who was drafted by a particular team through the SuperDraft or Supplemental Draft and did not sign with the League, is placed on that team's "College Protected List" until the second December 31 immediately following the draft in question, after which the team loses the rights to the player.

## (D.) TRADES

Players, rights to sign players, SuperDraft picks, allocation money, Designated Player slots and International Player slots may all be acquired and exchanged in trades approved by the MLS League Office provided all of the necessary rules regarding roster and salary budget compliance are met and the trade is consummated during the valid trading period. The trade window opened on November 19, 2007 and will close at the 2008 trade deadline of September 15, 2008 (in conjunction with the discovery claim and roster freeze deadline).

## (E.) DISCOVERY SIGNINGS

Each team has the opportunity to make six (6) discovery signings per season. The last day for discovery player signings is September 15, 2008 - coinciding with the roster freeze date and trade deadline. The six Discovery signings can be used to fill senior roster spots only. If multiple teams claim the same player using a Discovery, the team that filed the claim first will have first rights to the player. Discovery claims expire following each season. If a player was unable to come to terms during the season, the team that first filed the discovery retains the right of first refusal in the event the player is signed.

## (F.) DEVELOPMENTAL ROSTER SIGNINGS

Teams are permitted an unlimited number of development player signings during a given season to ensure all 10-man developmental roster spots are occupied at any given time. International Player limits per team still apply.

## (G.) WAIVERS

A team may place a player on waivers at any time during the regular season at which point he is made available to all other teams. The waiver claiming period shall commence on the first business day after the League delivers notice to teams and shall expire at 5:00 p.m. EST on the second business day after the Waiver Period Commencement Date. The claiming period is 48 hours.

Clubs each have the opportunity of claiming a player off waivers in reverse order based on points-per-game total during a given season. If the waivers occur before every team has played three regular season games, the point totals of the previous year are instead taken into consideration with the team with the worst point total having the first option.

Once a team selects a player off waivers, that club is automatically moved to the bottom of the priority list for subsequent waiver selections in a given season, regardless of its points-per-game total. Players who may be placed on the MLS waiver wire are as follows:

- (i) A player waived by an MLS team in the current season
- (ii) A player who completed his college eligibility within the past season, who was not made available in either the SuperDraft or Supplemental Draft; or
- (iii) a player who has played in MLS previously where his last MLS team does not wish to exercise their right of first refusal or no longer has the right of first refusal since 12 months have passed since the player's date of release, except in the case of returning U.S. National Team players as stated above.

## (H.) LOTTERY

Some players shall be assigned to MLS teams via the weighted Lottery process. Any team assigned a player through the lottery in any particular season shall not be assigned another lottery player that season unless and until all teams have received a lottery player or have agreed to waive their option to participate in a Lottery. The players made available through lotteries include:

- (i) Generation adidas players signed after the MLS SuperDraft;
- (ii) Draft eligible players to whom an MLS contract was offered but who failed to sign with the League prior to the Draft.

The weighted lottery takes into consideration each team's performance over its last 30 regular season games and the most recent postseason. The team with the worst record over its last 30 regular season games (dating back to previous season if necessary) will have the greatest probability of winning the lottery. Teams are not required to participate in a lottery. Players are assigned via the lottery system in order to prevent a player from potentially influencing his destination club with a strategic holdout.

## (I.) EXTREME HARDSHIP CALL-UPS

Teams may add players to their roster in cases of "extreme hardship" as follows: (1) a team has less than two available goalkeepers or (2) a team has less than 15 available players. Extreme hardship call-ups are made on a game-by-game basis.

## (J.) SEASON-ENDING INJURY REPLACEMENTS

A team with a player lost to a season-ending injury can replace that player on its roster, while remaining responsible for the full amount of the injured player's salary. A player can be placed on the season-ending injury list once another player has been signed as a replacement. International player limits still apply at the time a season-ending replacement is made (with the player being replaced not counting against those limits).





## (K.) SHORT-TERM INJURY REPLACEMENTS

A team with a player who has a short-term injury can replace that player on its roster, while remaining responsible for the full amount of the injured player's salary. A player can be placed on the short-term injured reserve list once another player has been signed as a replacement. Note that the injured player will have to sit out a minimum of six (6) MLS League matches before he can rejoin the team's roster. International player limits still apply at the time a short-term replacement is made (with the player being replaced not counting against those limits).

## (L.) RETURNING U.S. NATIONAL TEAM POOL PLAYERS

In the event a U.S. National Team pool player playing abroad returns to the U.S. and there is interest from multiple MLS teams, preference will be given first to a team prepared to use an allocation. If there is more than one team prepared to use an allocation on a particular player, the current season's allocation rankings as determined by the MLS Competition Committee would be used. In the event no team is willing to use an allocation, the player will be assigned via waivers.

**NOTE:** No changes may be made to a team's active full roster during the period beginning on September 16, 2008 (Roster Freeze Date) through the day after MLS Cup. Nevertheless, a team may obtain players in accordance with the extreme hardship rules and procedures to replace players who are injured or otherwise legitimately unavailable after the Roster Freeze Date. Any other replacements after the Roster Freeze Date may only be made in exceptional circumstances in the League's sole and absolute discretion.

## (III.) METHODS OF RELEASING PLAYERS

### (A) WAIVERS

Teams may waive players based on performance at any time during the MLS season. Players on guaranteed contracts waived on or after July 1 of any year, however, will continue to have their salary budget count against the team's salary budget and the team waiving the player will not receive a replacement except under the normal player acquisition mechanisms. Players may not be waived while they are injured, unless the League reaches a settlement with the injured player for his release. In such a scenario, the settlement amount will be charged to the team's salary budget. Upon return to fitness, however, a player may be waived normally.

### (B) TRANSFERS AND LOANS

An MLS player may be transferred or loaned at any time to a team outside the League. The registration windows – the dates between which MLS may request the transfer certificate of an international player are as follows:

- January 15 – April 15 (Primary Window)
- July 15 – August 15 (Secondary Window)

### (C) CONTRACT EXPIRATION

When a player's contract expires, the player does not count against the roster or budget of the team in question. A team retains the rights to the player indefinitely following the expiration of a contract only if attempts were made to re-sign the player.

**NOTE:** No changes may be made to a team's active full roster during the period beginning September 16, 2008 (Roster Freeze Date) through the day after MLS Cup. Nevertheless, a team may obtain a goalkeeper in accordance with the extreme hardship rules and procedures to replace a goalkeeper who is injured or otherwise legitimately unavailable after the Roster Freeze Date. Any other replacements after the Roster Freeze Date may only be made in exceptional circumstances in the League's sole and absolute discretion.

## (IV.) PLAYER RIGHTS

The following explains the status of player rights in specific instances:

### (A) OUT OF CONTRACT PLAYERS / OPTIONS NOT PICKED UP

A team retains the right of first refusal to the player indefinitely only if attempts were made to re-sign the player.

### (B) DRAFTED BUT NOT SIGNED

A player who was drafted by a particular team through the SuperDraft or Supplemental Draft and did not sign, is placed on that team's "College Protected List" until the second December 31 immediately following the draft in question, after which the team loses the rights to sign the player.

### (C) PLAYER TRANSFERRED OUTSIDE MLS

If a replacement allocation is granted, a team does not retain a right of first refusal unless the team has not yet used or traded in full or part the compensatory allocation. In such a case, the team may retain the right of first refusal on the player provided they surrender the full amount of the replacement allocation. If an allocation is not granted, the team will retain a right of first refusal should he return to MLS.



## MLS RULES OF COMPETITION

### STRUCTURE

The fourteen (14) MLS teams are divided into two conferences:

#### EASTERN CONFERENCE

Chicago Fire  
Columbus Crew  
D.C. United  
Kansas City Wizards  
New England Revolution  
New York Red Bulls  
Toronto FC

#### WESTERN CONFERENCE

Chivas USA  
Colorado Rapids  
FC Dallas  
Houston Dynamo  
Los Angeles Galaxy  
Real Salt Lake  
San Jose Earthquakes

### SCHEDULE

Each team plays a 30-game regular season schedule. Each MLS team will play two games against the other 13 teams (one home, one away) accounting for 26 games of the season. The remaining four games are played against intra-conference foes.

### POINT SYSTEM

Teams will receive three points for a win, one point for a tie and zero points for a loss.

### REFEREES

All referees in MLS are National Referees assigned by the United States Soccer Federation.

### GAME CLOCK

The official game time for all Major League Soccer games will be managed on the field by the referee. If necessary, the referee may also allot extra time (a.k.a. "stoppage time") at the end of each period (first half, second half, and if applicable, first overtime period and second overtime period) to allow for injuries, time-wasting or other disturbances.

The stadium clock will display the time from 0:00 to 45:00 and from 45:00 to 90:00 (plus stoppage time where applicable in each half). For statistical purposes, the minutes for goals, substitutions, yellow cards, etc., will be listed from the first minute until the 90th minute. A goal scored at 15 minutes 10 seconds will be listed as having been scored in the 16th minute. Events occurring during stoppage time will follow the international norm by being demarcated with a "+" sign and the extra minutes. For example, a goal scored three minutes into first half stoppage time will be officially identified as happening at "48+."

### GAME DAY ROSTERS

Each team can nominate 18 players for a game day roster. Teams are allowed three substitutions per game.

### CAUTIONS AND SUSPENSION

A player will be suspended for one game upon receiving his fifth yellow card – regardless of the nature of the infraction which resulted in his being awarded a yellow card. A second suspension of one game would result after the awarding of an additional three cards as would a third suspension after the awarding of card number eleven. With the "Good Behavior" incentive it is possible for a player to have a caution expunged. If a player goes three games without receiving a yellow card, after an initial warning, the player will have one yellow card expunged. A player may take advantage of the "Good Behavior" incentive only once throughout the season.

## MLS CUP PLAYOFF FORMAT AND TEAM-STANDINGS TIE-BREAKERS

### WHO QUALIFIES

Eight teams qualify for the 2008 MLS Cup Playoffs. Playoff berths will be determined by points in the standings upon the completion of the regular season. All 14 teams will have played 30 games.

The top three teams in each conference qualify and are seeded 1, 2 & 3 in their respective four-team playoff conference brackets. The two MLS teams with the next most points, regardless of conference, receive "wildcard" berths. The two wildcard teams will be seeded according to conference first. If more than four teams qualify from one conference, the team finishing lower than fourth in its conference will shift over to the other conference bracket. A team switching conference brackets will be seeded below all other teams in its new conference playoff bracket.

### PLAYOFF FORMAT

Conference Semifinal series are conducted in a home-and-home, aggregate-goal format. The lower seeded team in the Conference Semifinal hosts the first game. The winners of those four series advance to single-game Conference Championships that will determine the MLS Cup Finalists.

The team that scores the most goals in the home-and-home series advances to the single elimination Conference Championship. If the teams are tied after 180 minutes in the Conference Semifinal series, a 30-minute extra time period (divided into two 15-minute periods) will be played followed by kicks from the penalty mark, if necessary. The team with the higher seed between the two Conference finalists will host the Conference Championship game.

In the case of ties after 90 minutes of regulation in the Eastern and Western Conference Championship games and MLS Cup, 30 minutes of extra time (divided into two 15-minute periods) would be played followed by kicks from the penalty mark, if necessary, to determine the winners.



## TEAM-STANDINGS TIE-BREAKING PROCEDURES

The team awarded the highest position in the MLS standings will be the team with the greatest number of points (3 points for a win, 1 point for a tie, 0 points for a loss). In the event that two teams finish the regular season with an equal number of points, the following system will be used to break the tie:

- (1) The highest position shall be awarded to the team with the better win/loss record in current regular season games against all other teams equal in points. (head-to-head competition)
- (2) If the teams are still equal in the standings, the highest position shall be awarded to the team with the greater goal difference against all other teams during the regular season. (goal differential)
- (3) If the teams are still equal in the standings, the highest position shall be awarded to the team scoring the greatest number of total goals against all other teams during the regular season. (total goals)
- (4) If the teams are still equal in the standings, the procedures described in this section shall be applied only to games played on the road by each team against all other teams during the regular season. (road 1-3)
- (5) If the teams are still equal in the standings, the procedures described in this section shall be applied only to games played at home by each team against all other teams during the regular season. (home 1-3)
- (6) If the teams are still equal in the standings, the highest position shall be awarded to the team with the fewest team disciplinary points in the League Fair Play table during the regular season.
- (7) If the teams are still equal in the standings, the highest position in the standings shall be determined by the toss of a coin.
- (8) The first tiebreaker in a three-way tie is also head-to-head, but it is determined via points-per-game versus the other two teams. If two teams are tied in points-per-game head-to-head, the next tie breaker is goal difference.

**NOTE:** If two clubs remain tied after another club with the same number of points advances during any step, the tie breaker reverts to step 1 of the two-club format.



## CAREER MLS STATISTICS LEADERS

### GAMES PLAYED

PLAYER	GP
Steve Ralston, NE*	337
Chris Henderson, NY*	317
Cobi Jones, LA	306
Jason Kreis, RSL*	305
Mark Chung, SJ*	284
Kevin Hartman, KC*	273
Jesse Marsch, CHV*	273
Jaime Moreno, DC*	270
Chris Armas, CHI*	264
Chris Klein, LA*	264

### GAMES STARTED

PLAYER	GS
Steve Ralston, NE*	335
Chris Henderson, NY*	304
Jason Kreis, RSL*	282
Cobi Jones, LA	281
Mark Chung, SJ*	272
Kevin Hartman, KC*	268
Chris Armas, CHI*	260
Robin Fraser, CLB*	256
Jaime Moreno, DC*	255
Mike Petke, COL*	253

### MINUTES PLAYED

PLAYER	MIN
Steve Ralston, NE*	29885
Chris Henderson, NY*	26242
Jason Kreis, RSL*	25242
Cobi Jones, LA	25157
Mark Chung, SJ*	24470
Kevin Hartman, KC*	24435
Chris Armas, CHI*	23027
Robin Fraser, CLB*	22836
Tony Meola, NY*	22581
Jay Heaps, NE*	22493

### GOALS

PLAYER	GP	GOALS
Jaime Moreno, DC*	270	112
Ante Razov, CHV*	240	109
Jason Kreis, RSL*	305	108
Jeff Cunningham, TOR*	262	96
Taylor Twellman, NE	156	91
Roy Lassiter, DC*	179	88
Raul Diaz Arce, COL*	150	82
Carlos Ruiz, DAL*	140	81
Preki, KC*	242	79
Ronald Cerritos, HOU*	221	71

### ASSISTS

PLAYER	GP	ASTS
Steve Ralston, NE*	337	121
Carlos Valderrama, COL*	175	114
Preki, KC*	242	112
Marco Etcheverry, DC	191	101
Cobi Jones, LA	306	91
Jaime Moreno, DC*	270	89
Mauricio Cienfuegos, LA	206	80
Chris Henderson, NY*	317	80
Mark Chung, SJ*	284	76
Jason Kreis, RSL*	305	74

### SHOTS

PLAYER	GP	SHOTS
Ante Razov, CHV*	240	875
Jason Kreis, RSL*	305	818
Preki, KC*	242	773
Mark Chung, SJ*	284	624
Jaime Moreno, DC*	270	612
Jeff Cunningham, TOR*	262	587
Chris Henderson, NY*	317	538
Taylor Twellman, NE	156	510
Clint Mathis, NY*	210	498
Brian McBride, CLB	161	460

### SHOTS ON GOAL

PLAYER	GP	SOG
Ante Razov, CHV*	240	423
Jason Kreis, RSL*	305	370
Jaime Moreno, DC*	270	353
Preki, KC*	242	323
Taylor Twellman, NE	156	292
Jeff Cunningham, TOR*	262	286
Mark Chung, SJ*	284	282
Cobi Jones, LA	306	247
Ronald Cerritos, HOU*	221	244
Chris Henderson, NY*	317	237

### FOULS COMMITTED

PLAYER	GP	FC
Chris Henderson, NY*	317	474
Richie Williams, NY*	216	451
Chris Armas, CHI*	264	430
Jason Kreis, RSL*	305	425
Diego Gutierrez, CHI*	256	424
Jesse Marsch, CHV*	273	412
Ben Olsen, DC	200	399
Carey Talley, RSL*	252	398
Matt McKeon, KC*	172	389
Jay Heaps, NE*	259	378

### FOULS SUFFERED

PLAYER	GP	FS
Cobi Jones, LA	306	637
Jaime Moreno, DC*	270	617
Mark Chung, SJ*	284	578
Andy Williams, RSL*	222	574
Richard Mulrooney, HOU*	225	439
Ben Olsen, DC	200	439
Marco Etcheverry, DC	191	433
Jason Kreis, RSL*	305	430
Chris Henderson, NY*	317	425
Steve Ralston, NE*	337	424

### CAUTIONS (YELLOW)

PLAYER	GP	C
Pablo Mastroeni, COL*	207	59
Mike Petke, COL*	261	57
Marco Etcheverry, DC	191	56
Diego Gutierrez, CHI*	256	56
Ivan McKinley, DC*	174	55
Carey Talley, RSL*	252	55
Jay Heaps, NE*	259	53
Joe Franchino, NE*	210	52
Jesse Marsch, CHV*	273	52
C.J. Brown, CHI	249	47

### EJECTIONS (RED CARDS)

PLAYER	GP	EJECT
Clint Mathis, NY*	210	8
Pablo Mastroeni, COL*	207	7
Ivan McKinley, DC*	174	7
Leonel Alvarez, NE*	128	6
Ramiro Corrales, SJ*	178	6
Robin Fraser, CLB*	260	6
Ezra Hendrickson, CLB*	253	6
Mike Petke, COL*	261	6
Carlos Valderrama, COL*	175	6
4 players tied with 5		

### CORNER KICKS

PLAYER	GP	CK
Marco Etcheverry, DC	191	963
Chris Henderson, NY*	317	593
Steve Ralston, NE*	337	593
Richard Mulrooney, HOU*	225	560
Cobi Jones, LA	306	529
Robert Warzycha, CLB	160	503
Preki, KC*	242	493
Jose Cancela, COL*	95	353
Brad Davis, HOU*	142	350
Andy Williams, RSL*	222	340

### OFFSIDES

PLAYER	GP	OFF
Ante Razov, CHV*	240	289
Chris Henderson, NY*	317	274
Roy Lassiter, DC*	179	267
Jeff Cunningham, TOR*	262	265
Ronald Cerritos, HOU*	221	250
Raul Diaz Arce, COL*	150	201
Carlos Ruiz, DAL*	140	200
Mamadou Diallo, NY*	74	192
Jason Kreis, RSL*	305	165
Cobi Jones, LA	306	163

### GAME-WINNING GOALS

PLAYER	GP	GWG
Ante Razov, CHV*	240	32
Jason Kreis, RSL*	305	31
Jeff Cunningham, TOR*	262	28
Taylor Twellman, NE	156	26
Jaime Moreno, DC*	270	24
Landon Donovan, LA*	158	23
Carlos Ruiz, DAL*	140	21
Roy Lassiter, DC*	179	19
Mark Chung, SJ*	284	18
Clint Mathis, NY*	210	18

### GAME-WINNING ASSISTS

PLAYER	GP	GWA
Steve Ralston, NE*	337	33
Carlos Valderrama, COL*	175	33
Cobi Jones, LA	306	30
Preki, KC*	242	29
Mauricio Cienfuegos, LA	206	28
Marco Etcheverry, DC	191	25
Mark Chung, SJ*	284	23
Jaime Moreno, DC*	270	23
Chris Henderson, NY*	317	21
4 players tied with 20		



## HAT TRICKS

PLAYER	GP	HATS
Stern John, CLB	55	5
Diego Serna, COL*	124	5
Mamadou Diallo, NY*	74	4
Cobi Jones, LA	306	4
Amado Guevara, CHV*	107	3
Eduardo Hurtado, NE*	108	3
Taylor Twellman, NE	156	3

9 players tied with 2

## MULTI-GOAL GAMES

PLAYER	GP	GAMES
Ante Razov, CHV*	240	22
Carlos Ruiz, DAL*	140	17
Jeff Cunningham, TOR*	262	15
Jaime Moreno, DC*	270	15
Taylor Twellman, NE	156	15
Landon Donovan, LA*	158	14
Raul Diaz Arce, COL*	150	13
Stern John, CLB	55	12
Giovanni Savarese, SJ*	116	12

5 players tied with 11

## PENALTY-KICK GOALS

PLAYER	GP	PKG.
Jaime Moreno, DC*	270	33
Preki, KC*	242	23
Carlos Ruiz, DAL*	140	16
Amado Guevara, CHV*	107	15
Jeff Cunningham, TOR*	262	14
Raul Diaz Arce, COL*	150	13
Ante Razov, CHV*	240	13
Landon Donovan, LA*	158	12
Brian McBride, CLB	161	11
Mauricio Cienfuegos, LA	206	10
Jason Kreis, RSL*	305	10
Greg Vanney, DC*	245	10

## GOALS PER GAME

PLAYER	GP	GOALS	AVG.
Stern John, CLB	55	44	0.80
Luciano Emilio, DC	29	20	0.69
Mamadou Diallo, NY*	74	47	0.64
Taylor Twellman, NE	156	91	0.58
Carlos Ruiz, DAL*	140	81	0.58
Raul Diaz Arce, COL*	150	82	0.55
Ariel Graziani, SJ*	88	44	0.50
Roy Lassiter, DC*	179	88	0.49
Diego Serna, COL*	124	57	0.46
Ante Razov, CHV*	240	109	0.45

Minimum: 20 goals

## ASSISTS PER GAME

PLAYER	GP	ASTS	AVG.
C. Valderama, COL*	175	114	0.65
Marco Etcheverry, DC	191	101	0.53
Preki, KC*	242	112	0.46
Adrian Paz, COL*	80	34	0.43
Martin Machon, MIA*	85	36	0.42
Peter Nowak, CHI	114	48	0.42
Jerzy Podbrozny, CHI	55	22	0.40
M. Cienfuegos, LA	206	80	0.39
Robert Warzycha, CLB	160	61	0.38
Landon Donovan, LA*	158	60	0.38

Minimum: 20 assists

## GAMES PLAYED IN GOAL

PLAYER	GP
Kevin Hartman, KC*	273
Tony Meola, NY*	250
Scott Garlick, RSL*	237
Zach Thornton, COL*	222
Joe Cannon, LA*	216
Nick Rimando, RSL*	172
Matt Reis, NE*	161
Pat Onstad, HOU*	143
Mike Ammann, DC*	125
Mark Dougherty, CLB*	122

## GAMES STARTED IN GOAL

PLAYER	GS
Kevin Hartman, KC*	268
Tony Meola, NY*	250
Scott Garlick, RSL*	234
Zach Thornton, COL*	217
Joe Cannon, LA*	215
Nick Rimando, RSL*	172
Matt Reis, NE*	156
Pat Onstad, HOU*	143
Mike Ammann, DC*	124
Mark Dougherty, CLB*	120

## MINUTES PLAYED IN GOAL

PLAYER	MIN
Kevin Hartman, KC*	24435
Tony Meola, NY*	22556
Scott Garlick, RSL*	21171
Zach Thornton, COL*	19704
Joe Cannon, LA*	19455
Nick Rimando, RSL*	15688
Matt Reis, NE*	14176
Pat Onstad, HOU*	12938
Mike Ammann, DC*	11155
Mark Dougherty, CLB*	10766

## GOALS AGAINST AVG

PLAYER	GP	MIN	SHTS	SVS	GA	GAA	W-L-T	SHO
Pat Onstad, HOU*	143	12938	630	476	154	1.07	63-33-47	43
Kevin Hartman, KC*	273	24435	1344	1013	331	1.22	127-97-46	67
Troy Perkins, DC	77	6930	368	274	94	1.22	36-19-22	19
Jon Busch, CHI*	87	7790	491	382	109	1.26	36-26-23	26
Zach Thornton, COL*	222	19704	1103	822	281	1.28	111-71-33	57
Joe Cannon, LA*	216	19455	1183	902	281	1.30	84-84-45	56
Matt Reis, NE*	161	14176	815	610	205	1.30	67-46-43	42
Jonny Walker, CLB*	58	5285	297	220	77	1.31	20-24-14	14
Nick Rimando, RSL*	172	15688	951	719	232	1.33	72-65-35	43
Jorge Campos, CHI*	51	4326	260	195	65	1.35	29-16-0	8

Minimum: 4000 minutes played

## WINS

PLAYER	GP	WON
Kevin Hartman, KC*	273	127
Zach Thornton, COL*	222	111
Scott Garlick, RSL*	237	107
Tony Meola, NY*	250	97
Joe Cannon, LA*	216	84
Nick Rimando, RSL*	172	72
Matt Reis, NE*	161	67
Mark Dougherty, CLB*	122	65
Pat Onstad, HOU*	143	63
Mike Ammann, DC*	125	53
Matt Jordan, COL*	117	53

## LOSSES

PLAYER	GP	WON
Tony Meola, NY*	250	109
Kevin Hartman, KC*	273	97
Scott Garlick, RSL*	237	93
Joe Cannon, LA*	216	84
Zach Thornton, COL*	222	71
Mike Ammann, DC*	125	67
Nick Rimando, RSL*	172	65
David Kramer, COL*	106	51
Mark Dougherty, CLB*	122	50
Matt Jordan, COL*	117	46
Matt Reis, NE*	161	46

## SAVES

PLAYER	GP	SVS
Tony Meola, NY*	250	1136
Scott Garlick, RSL*	237	1021
Kevin Hartman, KC*	273	1013
Joe Cannon, LA*	216	902
Zach Thornton, COL*	222	822
Nick Rimando, RSL*	172	719
Matt Reis, NE*	161	610
Mark Dougherty, CLB*	122	505
Mark Dodd, DAL	92	495
Mike Ammann, DC*	125	478

## SHUTOUTS

PLAYER	GP	SHO
Kevin Hartman, KC*	273	67
Tony Meola, NY*	250	62
Zach Thornton, COL*	222	57
Joe Cannon, LA*	216	56
Scott Garlick, RSL*	237	48
Pat Onstad, HOU*	143	43
Nick Rimando, RSL*	172	43
Matt Reis, NE*	161	42
Matt Jordan, COL*	117	30
Jon Busch, CHI*	87	26



## SUPERLIGA 2007

### GROUP STAGE

GROUP A	P	G	W	D	L	F	A	+/
LA Galaxy	6	3	2	0	1	9	8	+1
CF Pachuca	4	3	1	1	1	3	3	--
CD Guadalajara	4	3	1	1	1	3	3	--
FC Dallas	2	3	0	2	1	7	8	-1

Date	Match	Res
24.07.07	FC Dallas – CD Guadalajara	1:1
24.07.07	LA Galaxy – CF Pachuca	2:1
28.07.07	FC Dallas – CF Pachuca	1:1
28.07.07	LA Galaxy – CD Guadalajara	1:2
31.07.07	FC Dallas – LA Galaxy	5:6
31.07.07	CD Guadalajara – CF Pachuca	0:1

### SEMIFINALS

14.08.07	Houston Dynamo – CF Pachuca	2:2 aet (3:4 pen)
15.08.07	LA Galaxy – D.C. United	2:0

### FINAL

29.08.07	LA Galaxy – CF Pachuca	1:1 aet (3:4 pen)
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### STATISTICAL LEADERS

#### GOALS

PLAYER	TEAM	GP	GOALS
Landon Donovan	LA	5	4
Arturo Alvarez	DAL	3	3
Alan Gordon	LA	4	3
Chris Klein	LA	5	2
Rafael Marquez Lugo	PAC	5	2
Carlos Ruiz	DAL	3	2

GROUP B	P	G	W	D	L	F	A	+/
Houston Dynamo	7	3	2	1	0	3	1	+2
D.C. United	4	3	1	1	1	2	2	--
Club America	3	3	1	0	2	3	4	-1
Monarcas Morelia	2	2	0	2	1	4	5	-1

Date	Match	Res
25.07.07	D.C. United – Monarcas Morelia	1:1
25.07.07	Houston Dynamo – Club America	1:0
29.07.07	D.C. United – Club America	1:0
29.07.07	Houston Dynamo – Morelia	1:1
01.08.07	Houston Dynamo – D.C. United	1:0
01.08.07	Club America – Monarcas Morelia	3:2

#### ASSISTS

PLAYER	TEAM	GP	ASTS
Landon Donovan	LA	5	4
Drew Moor	DAL	2	2

### GOALS AGAINST AVERAGE

PLAYER	TEAM	GP	MIN	SHTS	SVS	GA	GAA	W-L-T	SHO
Zach Wells	HOU	2	180	8	7	1	0.50	1-0-1	1
Pat Onstad	HOU	2	210	4	2	2	0.86	1-1-0	1
Ray Burse	DAL	1	90	6	5	1	1.00	0-0-1	0
Luis Ernesto Michel	GUA	3	270	12	9	3	1.00	1-1-1	0
Troy Perkins	DC	4	360	14	10	4	1.00	1-2-1	1
Miguel Calero	PAC	5	510	26	20	6	1.06	3-1-1	1
Armando Navarrete	AME	3	270	18	14	4	1.33	1-2-0	0
Moises Munoz	MOR	3	270	15	10	5	1.67	0-1-2	0
Joe Cannon	LA	5	480	41	32	9	1.69	3-2-0	1
Dario Sala	DAL	2	180	10	3	7	3.50	0-1-1	0



CF Pachuca celebrates its penalty kick victory over the Los Angeles Galaxy on Aug. 29, 2007 in the championship game of the inaugural SuperLiga.



## 2007 IN REVIEW

### FINAL STANDINGS

EASTERN CONFERENCE										OVERALL										HOME										AWAY									
Team	GP	W	L	T	Pts.	GF	GA	+	-	W	L	T	GF	GA	W	L	T	GF	GA	W	L	T	GF	GA															
D.C. United	30	16	7	7	55	56	34	22		10	2	3	37	22	6	5	4	19	12																				
New England	30	14	8	8	50	51	43	8		8	3	4	32	21	6	5	4	19	22																				
New York	30	12	11	7	43	47	45	2		9	3	3	30	16	3	8	4	17	29																				
Chicago	30	10	10	10	40	31	36	-5		6	3	6	16	15	4	7	4	15	21																				
Kansas City	30	11	12	7	40	45	45	0		7	5	3	22	18	4	7	4	23	27																				
Columbus	30	9	11	10	37	39	44	-5		5	5	5	17	17	4	6	5	22	27																				
Toronto FC	30	6	17	7	25	25	49	-24		5	7	3	17	18	1	10	4	8	31																				

WESTERN CONFERENCE					OVERALL					HOME					AWAY				
Team	GP	W	L	T	Pts.	GF	GA	+	-	W	L	T	GF	GA	W	L	T	GF	GA
Chivas USA	30	15	7	8	53	46	28	18	10	1	4	28	8	5	6	4	18	20	
Houston	30	15	8	7	52	43	23	20	8	3	4	22	11	7	5	3	21	12	
FC Dallas	30	13	12	5	44	37	44	-7	7	5	3	17	17	6	7	2	20	27	
Colorado	30	9	13	8	35	29	34	-5	6	4	5	16	11	3	9	3	13	23	
Los Angeles	30	9	14	7	34	38	48	-10	6	6	3	25	25	3	8	4	13	23	
Real Salt Lake	30	6	15	9	27	31	45	-14	4	7	4	18	22	2	8	5	13	23	

### 2007 MLS CUP PLAYOFFS

#### EASTERN CONF. SEMIFINAL SERIES

##### #1 D.C. United vs. #4 Chicago Fire

(CHI won series, 3-2 on aggregate)

Thursday, Oct. 25: DC 0 at CHI 1

Thursday, Nov. 1: CHI 2 at DC 2

##### #2 New England Revolution vs. #3 New York Red Bulls

(NE won series, 1-0 on aggregate)

Saturday, Oct. 27: NE 0 at NY 0

Saturday, Nov. 3: NY 0 at NE 1

#### WESTERN CONF. SEMIFINAL SERIES

##### #1 Chivas USA vs. #4 Kansas City Wizards

(KC won series, 1-0 on aggregate)

Saturday, Oct. 27: CHV 0 at KC 1

Saturday, Nov. 3: KC 0 at CHV 0

##### #2 Houston Dynamo vs. #3 FC Dallas

(HOU won series, 4-2 on aggregate)

Saturday, Oct. 27: HOU 0 at FCD 1

Friday, Nov. 2: FCD 1 at HOU 4 (AET)

#### EASTERN CONFERENCE CHAMPIONSHIP

##### Chicago Fire at New England Revolution

Thursday, Nov. 8: CHI 0 at NE 1

#### WESTERN CONFERENCE CHAMPIONSHIP

##### Kansas City Wizards at Houston Dynamo

Saturday, Nov. 10: KC 0 at HOU 2

#### MLS CUP 2007

##### RFK Stadium, Washington, D.C.

##### New England Revolution vs. Houston Dynamo

Sunday, Nov. 18: NE 1 vs. HOU 2

### 2007 MLS AWARDS

#### Honda Most Valuable Player

Luciano Emilio, D.C. United

#### Panasonic Goalkeeper of the Year

Brad Guzan, Chivas USA

#### Visa Defender of the Year

Michael Parkhurst, New England Revolution

#### Gatorade Rookie of the Year

Maurice Edu, Toronto FC

#### Coach of the Year

Preki, Chivas USA

#### Fair Play Award

Michael Parkhurst, New England Revolution

#### Comeback Player of the Year

Eddie Johnson, Kansas City Wizards

#### U.S. Soccer Foundation Humanitarian of the Year

Diego Gutierrez, Chicago Fire

#### Newcomer of the Year

Luciano Emilio, D.C. United

#### Commissioner's Award

Cobi Jones, Los Angeles Galaxy

#### Goal of the Year

Cauteremoc Blanco, Chicago Fire

#### RadioShack Bext XI

GK: Brad Guzan

D: Jonathan Bornstein, Chivas USA

D: Michael Parkhurst, New England Revolution

D: Eddie Robinson, Chivas USA

M: Guillermo Barros Schelotto, Columbus Crew

M: Christian Gomez, D.C. United

M: Dwayne DeRosario, Houston Dynamo

M: Ben Olsen, D.C. United

M: Shalrie Joseph, New England Revolution

F: Luciano Emilio, D.C. United

F: Juan Pablo Angel, New York Red Bulls



## 2007 MLS STATISTICAL LEADERS

### BUDWEISER GOLDEN BOOT

PLAYER	TEAM	GP	GOALS
Luciano Emilio	DC	29	20
Juan Pablo Angel	NY	24	19
Taylor Twellman	NE	26	16
Eddie Jonson	KC	24	15
Maykel Galindo	CHV	28	12
Ante Razov	CHV	26	11
Christian Gomez	DC	27	10
Jozy Altidore	NY	22	9
Landon Donovan	LA	25	8
Robbie Findley	RSL*	25	8

### ASSISTS

PLAYER	TEAM	GP	ASTS
Steve Ralston	NE	26	14
Landon Donovan	LA	25	13
Sacha Kljestan	CHV	25	13
Guillermo Barros Schelotto	CLB	22	11
Davy Arnaud	KC	28	9
Christian Gomez	DC	27	9
Fred	DC	26	8
Ante Razov	CHV	26	8
Dave van den Bergh	NY	29	8

7 players tied with 7

### GOALKEEPING LEADERS

PLAYER	TEAM	GP	MIN	SHTS	SVS	GA	GAA	W-L-T	SHO
Pat Onstad	HOU	27	2418	107	85	22	0.82	13-8-6	11
Brad Guzan	CHV	27	2430	112	87	25	0.93	14-6-7	13
Bouna Coundoul	COL	30	2668	152	120	32	1.08	9-12-8	9
Jon Conway	NY	14	1143	71	57	14	1.10	6-5-2	4
Troy Perkins	DC	29	2610	149	117	32	1.10	16-6-7	8
Matt Pickens	CHI	27	2430	133	102	31	1.15	9-8-10	10
Nick Rimando	RSL	27	2430	183	146	37	1.37	6-13-8	7
Matt Reis	NE	30	2700	163	120	43	1.43	14-8-8	10
Will Hesmer	CLB	20	1800	100	71	29	1.45	8-7-5	5
Kevin Hartman	KC	30	2700	155	110	45	1.50	11-12-7	5
Joe Cannon	LA	29	2610	165	119	46	1.59	9-13-7	5
Dario Sala	DAL	18	1620	93	64	29	1.61	8-7-3	5
Kenny Stamatopoulos	TOR	12	1080	61	41	20	1.67	1-8-3	2
Ronald Waterreus	NY	18	1557	90	59	31	1.79	6-6-5	5

Minimum: 1000 minutes played

### TEAM ATTENDANCE REPORT

TEAM	DATES	HOME DATES		DATES	ROAD DATES	
		TOTAL	AVERAGE		TOTAL	AVERAGE
Chicago Fire	15	247,356	16,490	15	261,270	17,418
Chivas USA	15	214,578	14,305	15	239,588	15,973
Colorado Rapids	15	221,229	14,749	15	215,154	14,344
Columbus Crew	15	228,451	15,230	15	240,155	16,010
FC Dallas	15	227,182	15,145	15	250,220	16,681
D.C. United	15	314,506	20,967	15	240,674	16,045
Houston Dynamo	15	238,240	15,883	15	234,730	15,649
Kansas City Wizards	15	173,784	11,586	15	240,809	16,054
Los Angeles Galaxy	15	363,782	24,252	15	420,525	28,035
New England Revolution	15	251,812	16,787	15	223,544	14,903
New York Red Bulls	15	247,948	16,530	15	245,844	16,390
Real Salt Lake	15	239,395	15,960	15	236,047	15,736
Toronto FC	15	301,947	20,130	15	221,650	14,777
<b>MLS TOTALS</b>	<b>195</b>	<b>3,270,210</b>	<b>16,770</b>	<b>195</b>	<b>3,270,210</b>	<b>16,770</b>





## 2007 MLS INDIVIDUAL LEADERS

### GAMES PLAYED

PLAYER	GP
Chris Klein, LA*	32
Chad Barrett, CHI	30
Wade Barrett, HOU	30
Bounaoundoul, COL	30
Andy Dorman, NE	30
Kevin Hartman, KC	30
Richard Mulrooney, HOU*	30
Joseph Ngwenya, HOU*	30
Matt Reis, NE	30

### GAMES STARTED

PLAYER	GS
Chris Klein, LA*	32
Wade Barrett, HOU	30
Bounaoundoul, COL	30
Kevin Hartman, KC	30
Joseph Ngwenya, HOU*	30
Matt Reis, NE	30
C.J. Brown, CHI	29
Joe Cannon, LA	29
Troy Perkins, DC	29
Kerry Zavagnin, KC	29

### MINUTES PLAYED

PLAYER	MIN
Chris Klein, LA*	2880
Kevin Hartman, KC	2700
Matt Reis, NE	2700
Bounaoundoul, COL	2668
Wade Barrett, HOU	2649
Joe Cannon, LA	2610
Troy Perkins, DC	2610
C.J. Brown, CHI	2565
Kerry Zavagnin, KC	2564
Seth Stammers, NY	2547

### GOALS

PLAYER	GP	GOALS
Luciano Emilio, DC	29	20
Juan Pablo Angel, NY	24	19
Taylor Twellman, NE	26	16
Eddie Johnson, KC	24	15
Maykel Galindo, CHV	28	12
Ante Razov, CHV	26	11
Christian Gomez, DC	27	10
Jozy Altidore, NY	22	9
Landon Donovan, LA	25	8
Robbie Findley, RSL*	25	8

### ASSISTS

PLAYER	GP	ASTS
Steve Ralston, NE	26	14
Landon Donovan, LA	25	13
Sacha Kijestian, CHV	25	13
Guillermo Barros Schelotto, CLB	22	11
Davy Arnaud, KC	28	9
Christian Gomez, DC	27	9
Fred, DC	26	8
Ante Razov, CHV	26	8
Dave van den Bergh, NY	29	8
7 players tied with 7		

### SHOTS

PLAYER	GP	SHOTS
Juan Pablo Angel, NY	24	97
Taylor Twellman, NE	26	90
Ante Razov, CHV	26	85
Christian Gomez, DC	27	82
Luciano Emilio, DC	29	79
Eddie Johnson, KC	24	75
Davy Arnaud, KC	28	74
Dwayne De Rosario, HOU	24	62
Arturo Alvarez, DAL	27	61
Chad Barrett, CHI	30	59
Eddie Gaven, CLB	27	59
Carlos Ruiz, DAL	22	59

### SHOTS ON GOAL

PLAYER	GP	SOG
Taylor Twellman, NE	26	55
Juan Pablo Angel, NY	24	53
Luciano Emilio, DC	29	47
Christian Gomez, DC	27	44
Eddie Johnson, KC	24	43
Ante Razov, CHV	26	42
Chad Barrett, CHI	30	37
Eddie Gaven, CLB	27	33
Alejandro Moreno, CLB*	29	32
Arturo Alvarez, DAL	27	30
Alecko Eskandarian, RSL*	23	30

### FOULS COMMITTED

PLAYER	GP	FC
Juan Toja, DAL	27	83
Eddie Robinson, HOU	25	70
Maurice Edu, TOR	25	65
Jeff Larentowicz, NE	28	61
Ryan Cochrane, HOU	25	55
Shairie Joseph, NE	27	55
Alejandro Moreno, CLB*	29	54
Dane Richards, NY	28	50
Carl Robinson, TOR	26	50
Ben Olsen, DC	24	49

### FOULS SUFFERED

PLAYER	GP	FS
Alejandro Moreno, CLB*	29	93
Guillermo Barros Schelotto, CLB	22	65
Eddie Robinson, HOU	25	64
Davy Arnaud, KC	28	63
Cuahtemoc Blanco, CHI	14	61
Joseph Ngwenya, HOU*	30	60
Eddie Johnson, KC	24	57
Brian Mullan, HOU	28	55
Maykel Galindo, CHV	28	53
Shairie Joseph, NE	27	52

### CAUTIONS (YELLOW)

PLAYER	GP	C
Eddie Robinson, HOU	25	11
Kyle Beckerman, RSL*	28	9
Alecko Eskandarian, RSL*	23	9
Jesse Marsch, CHV	28	9
Carlos Ruiz, DAL	22	9
Mehdi Ballouchy, COL*	23	8
Paulo Nagamura, CHV*	26	8
Ben Olsen, DC	24	8
8 players tied with 7		

### EJECTIONS (RED CARDS)

PLAYER	GP	EJECT
Andrew Boyens, TOR	23	2
Ugo Ihemelu, COL	25	2
Kyle Martino, LA	26	2
Clint Mathis, NY	26	2
46 players tied with 1		

### CORNER KICKS

PLAYER	GP	CK
Steve Ralston, NE	26	130
Terry Cooke, COL	29	101
Landon Donovan, LA	25	80
Guillermo Barros Schelotto, CLB	22	73
Brad Davis, HOU	17	62
Davy Arnaud, KC	28	61
Carlos Marinelli, KC	26	57
Richard Mulrooney, HOU*	30	55
Cuahtemoc Blanco, CHI	14	51
Eddie Gaven, CLB	27	50

### OFFSIDES

PLAYER	GP	OFF
Joseph Ngwenya, HOU*	30	55
Eddie Johnson, KC	24	50
Juan Pablo Angel, NY	24	42
Chad Barrett, CHI	30	37
Jeff Cunningham, TOR*	23	33
Alejandro Moreno, CLB*	29	32
Pat Noonan, NE	27	32
Maykel Galindo, CHV	28	30
Ante Razov, CHV	26	30
Carlos Pavaon, LA	18	24

### GAME-WINNING GOALS

PLAYER	GP	GWG
Kenny Cooper, DAL	31	6
Nicolas Hernandez, COL	30	6
Landon Donovan, LA	24	5
Andy Herron, CHI	20	5
Jaime Moreno, DC	32	5
Ante Razov, CHV	28	5
Jose Burciaga Jr., KC	30	4
Brian Ching, HOU	21	4
Jeff Cunningham, RSL	31	4
Taylor Twellman, NE	32	4

### GAME-WINNING ASSISTS

PLAYER	GP	GWA
Eddie Johnson, KC	24	6
Juan Pablo Angel, NY	24	5
Maykel Galindo, CHV	28	5
Taylor Twellman, NE	26	5
Luciano Emilio, DC	29	4
Ante Razov, CHV	26	4
10 players tied with 3		

### HAT TRICKS

PLAYER	GP	HATS
Eddie Johnson, KC	24	2
Brad Davis, HOU	17	1
Nate Jaqua, HOU*	25	1
Ben Olsen, DC	24	1



## MULTI-GOAL GAMES

PLAYER	GP	GAMES
Juan Pablo Angel, NY	24	5
Luciano Emilio, DC	29	5
Maykel Galindo, CHV	28	3
Eddie Johnson, KC	24	3
Taylor Twellman, NE	26	3
Jozy Altidore, NY	22	2
Ben Olsen, DC	24	2
Scott Sealy, KC	18	2

27 players tied with 1

## PENALTY-KICK GOALS

PLAYER	GP	PKG
Juan Pablo Angel, NY	24	5
Landon Donovan, LA	25	5
Jovan Kirovski, COL	28	4
Jaime Moreno, DC	21	4
Shalrie Joseph, NE	27	3
Christian Gomez, DC	27	3
Carey Talley, RSL	26	2
Abe Thompson, DAL	24	2

20 players tied with 1

## GOALS PER GAME

PLAYER	GP	GOALS	AVG
Juan Pablo Angel, NY	24	19	0.79
Luciano Emilio, DC	29	20	0.69
Eddie Johnson, KC	24	15	0.63
Taylor Twellman, NE	26	16	0.62
Maykel Galindo, CHV	28	12	0.43
Ante Razov, CHV	26	11	0.42
Jozy Altidore, NY	22	9	0.41
Scott Sealy, KC	18	7	0.39
Christian Gomez, DC	27	10	0.37
Danny Dichio, TOR	17	6	0.35

Minimum: 5 goals

## ASSISTS PER GAME

PLAYER	GP	ASTS	AVG
Steve Ralston, NE	26	14	0.54
Landon Donovan, LA	25	13	0.52
Sacha Kljestan, DC	25	13	0.52
G. Barros Schelotto, CLB	22	11	0.50
Cuahtemoc Blanco, CHI	14	7	0.50
Christian Gomez, DC	27	9	0.33
Davy Arnaud, KC	28	9	0.32
Fred, DC	26	8	0.31
Ante Razov, CHV	26	8	0.31
Ben Olsen, DC	24	7	0.29

Minimum: 5 assists

## GOALS PER 90 MIN.

PLAYER	MIN	GOALS	AVG
J. Cunningham, RSL	2404	16	0.60
Chad Barrett, CHI	780	5	0.58
Andy Herron, CHI	1449	9	0.56
Carlos Ruiz, DAL	2113	13	0.55
Brian Ching, HOU	1822	11	0.54
C. Gomez, DC	2367	14	0.53
Scott Sealy, KC	1762	10	0.51
Ante Razov, LA	2147	12	0.50
J.P. Peguero, NY*	1248	6	0.43

Minimum: 20 goals

## ASSISTS PER 90 MIN.

PLAYER	MIN	ASTS	AVG
G. Barros Schelotto, CLB	1605	11	0.62
Steve Ralston, NE	2337	14	0.54
Sacha Kljestan, CHV	2186	13	0.54
Landon Donovan, LA	2191	13	0.53
Cuahtemoc Blanco, CHI	1233	7	0.51
Stuart Holden, HOU	1030	5	0.44
Dax McCarty, DAL	1604	7	0.39
Jaime Moreno, DC	1440	6	0.38
Ramon Nunez, CHV*	1248	5	0.36
Christian Gomez, DC	2272	9	0.36

Minimum: 5 assists

## SCORING PCT.

PLAYER	GP	SH	G	PCT
D. Dichio, TOR	17	20	6	30.0
A. Thompson, DAL	24	19	5	26.3
R. Findley, RSL*	25	31	8	25.8
L. Emilio, DC	29	79	20	25.3
Fred, DC	26	28	7	25.0
B. Olsen, DC	24	29	7	24.1
M. Galindo, CHV	28	55	12	21.8
C. Brown, RSL	22	23	5	21.7
S. Sealy, KC	18	33	7	21.2
J. Altidore, NY	22	43	9	20.9

## SHOTS ON GOAL PCT.

PLAYER	GP	SH	SOG	PCT
J. Cunningham, TOR*	23	32	21	65.6
C. Barrett, CHI	30	59	37	62.7
T. Twellman, NE	26	90	55	61.1
S. Sealy, KC	18	33	20	60.6
L. Emilio, DC	29	79	47	59.5
A. Moreno, CLB*	29	54	32	59.3
C. Samuel, TOR	18	41	24	58.5
J. Ngwenya, HOU*	30	40	23	57.5
E. Johnson, KC	24	75	43	57.3
P. Noonan, NE	27	42	24	57.1

## GAMES PLAYED IN GOAL

PLAYER	GP
Bounaoundoul, COL	30
Kevin Hartman, KC	30
Matt Reis, NE	30
Joe Cannon, LA	29
Troy Perkins, DC	29
Brad Guzan, CHV	27
Pat Onstad, HOU	27
Matt Pickens, CHI	27
Nick Rimando, RSL	27
Will Hesmer, CLB	20

## GAMES STARTED IN GOAL

PLAYER	GS
Bounaoundoul, COL	30
Kevin Hartman, KC	30
Matt Reis, NE	30
Joe Cannon, LA	29
Troy Perkins, DC	29
Brad Guzan, CHV	27
Pat Onstad, HOU	27
Matt Pickens, CHI	27
Nick Rimando, RSL	27
Will Hesmer, CLB	20

## GOALS AGAINST AVG.

PLAYER	GP	MIN	SHTS	SVS	GA	GAA	W-L-T	SHO
Pat Onstad, HOU	27	2418	107	85	22	0.82	13-8-6	11
Brad Guzan, CHV	27	2430	112	87	25	0.93	14-6-7	13
Bounaoundoul, COL	30	2668	152	120	32	1.08	9-12-8	9
Jon Conway, NY	14	1143	71	57	14	1.10	6-5-2	4
Troy Perkins, DC	29	2610	149	117	32	1.10	16-6-7	8

Minimum: 1000 minutes played

## MINUTES PLAYED IN GOAL

PLAYER	MIN
Kevin Hartman, KC	2700
Matt Reis, NE	2700
Bounaoundoul, COL	2668
Joe Cannon, LA	2610
Troy Perkins, DC	2610
Brad Guzan, CHV	2430
Matt Pickens, CHI	2430
Nick Rimando, RSL	2430
Pat Onstad, HOU	2418
Will Hesmer, CLB	1800

## WINS

PLAYER	GP	WON
Troy Perkins, DC	29	16
Brad Guzan, CHV	27	14
Matt Reis, NE	30	14
Pat Onstad, HOU	27	13
Kevin Hartman, KC	30	11
Joe Cannon, LA	29	9
Bounaoundoul, COL	30	9
Matt Pickens, CHI	27	9
Will Hesmer, CLB	20	8
Dario Sala, DAL	18	8

## SAVES

PLAYER	GP	SVS
Nick Rimando, RSL	27	146
Bounaoundoul, COL	30	120
Matt Reis, NE	30	120
Joe Cannon, LA	29	119
Troy Perkins, DC	29	117
Kevin Hartman, KC	30	110
Matt Pickens, CHI	27	102
Brad Guzan, CHV	27	87
Pat Onstad, HOU	27	85
Will Hesmer, CLB	20	71

## SHUTOUTS

PLAYER	GP	SHO
Brad Guzan, CHV	27	13
Pat Onstad, HOU	27	11
Matt Pickens, CHI	27	10
Matt Reis, NE	30	10
Bounaoundoul, COL	30	9
Troy Perkins, DC	29	8
Nick Rimando, RSL	27	7
Joe Cannon, LA	29	5
Kevin Hartman, KC	30	5
Will Hesmer, CLB	20	5
Dario Sala, DAL	18	5
Ronald Waterreus, NY	18	5



## 2007 MLS RESERVE DIVISION

### FINAL STANDINGS

Team	GP	W	OVERALL					Pts.	GF	GA	+/-	HOME					W	L	T	AWAY				
			L	T								W	L	T	GF	GA				W	L	T	GF	GA
Colorado Rapids	10	7	0	3			24	22	8	+14	3	0	1		9	2		4	0	2	13	6		
Chivas USA	11	6	3	2			20	25	23	+2	4	1	1		17	15		2	2	1	8	8		
NE Revolution	12	6	4	2			20	20	14	+6	5	1	1		11	6		1	3	1	9	8		
KC Wizards	12	6	5	1			19	22	19	+3	3	3	0		11	9		3	2	1	11	10		
D.C. United	12	4	3	5			17	16	12	+4	2	3	1		9	8		2	0	4	7	4		
FC Dallas	12	4	4	4			16	17	18	-1	3	1	2		6	3		1	3	2	11	15		
Columbus Crew	11	4	4	3			15	17	14	+3	1	1	2		9	5		3	3	1	8	9		
NY Red Bulls	9	5	4	0			15	14	15	-1	4	1	0		9	6		1	3	0	5	9		
Real Salt Lake	11	5	6	0			15	19	17	+2	4	2	0		15	9		1	4	0	4	8		
Toronto FC	12	3	5	4			13	14	19	-5	1	2	2		6	8		2	3	2	8	11		
Houston Dynamo	12	3	6	3			12	16	21	-5	2	2	2		11	10		1	4	1	5	11		
Chicago Fire	11	2	6	3			9	12	19	-7	2	1	2		7	6		0	5	1	5	13		
LA Galaxy	11	2	7	2			8	14	29	-15	2	3	2		9	12		0	4	0	5	17		

### 2007 REVOLUTION RESERVE DIVISION RESULTS

DATE	OPPONENT	RESULT	GOALSCORERS
April 14	vs. Toronto FC Reserves	W 3-2	Sims, Gonzalez, Thompson
May 6	vs. Chicago Fire Reserves	W 1-0	Sims
May 13	at Los Angeles Galaxy Reserves	L 1-2	Noonan
May 27	vs. Kansas City Wizards Reserves	W 3-0	Oka 2, Loftus
June 7	vs. D.C. United Reserves	L 0-2	none
June 17	vs. Columbus Crew Reserves	W 2-1	Gonzalez, Igwe
July 22	vs. Houston Dynamo Reserves	W 1-0	Kello*
July 29	at Real Salt Lake Reserves	L 2-3	Cristman, Helton
Sept. 9	at D.C. United Reserves	T 1-1	Gonzalez
Sept. 22	at New York Red Bulls Reserves	W 4-0	Cristman 2, Nyassi, Mansally
Oct. 7	at Chicago Fire	L 1-2	Nyassi
Oct. 14	vs. Columbus Crew	T 1-1	Mansally

### 2007 NEW ENGLAND REVOLUTION RESERVE DIVISION STATISTICS

POS	PLAYER	GP	GS	MIN	G	A	C	E
MID	Bryan Byrne	11	11	776	0	3	1	0
FWD	Adam Cristman	6	5	327	3	1	1	0
MID	Andy Dorman	2	2	148	0	1	1	0
DEF	Gary Flood	12	12	1080	0	1	0	0
MID	Joe Franchino	3	3	219	0	1	0	0
MID	Miguel Gonzalez	11	5	648	3	0	2	0
DEF	Kyle Helton	8	8	703	1	1	0	0
MID	Daniel Hernandez	3	3	198	0	1	2	0
DEF	Amaechi Igwe	11	11	990	1	0	3	0
DEF	Avery John	5	5	405	0	0	1	0
DEF	Marshall Leonard	12	12	1080	0	0	3	0
FWD	Chris Loftus	11	8	785	1	0	2	0
MID	Anders Kello*	7	0	247	1	0	0	0
GK	Brad Knighton	6	4	450	0	0	0	0
MID	Abdoullie Mansally	4	4	360	2	0	0	0
FWD	Pat Noonan	3	3	162	1	0	0	0
MID	Sainey Nyassi	4	4	319	2	0	0	0
FWD	Arsene Oka	6	4	398	2	1	0	0
DEF	James Riley	3	3	163	0	0	0	0
F/M	Willie Sims	8	3	419	2	1	0	0
MID	Khano Smith	1	1	45	0	0	1	0
MID	Ryan Solle	8	7	629	0	1	1	0
MID	Wells Thompson	7	6	461	1	1	3	0
DEF	Geoff Walker*	7	1	227	0	0	0	0
GK	Doug Warren	8	8	630	0	1	0	0
FWD	Bojan Zoric*	1	0	18	0	0	0	0
TEAM TOTALS		12	12	1080	20	14	21	0

**GAME-WINNING GOALS:** Adam Cristman 1, Amaechi Igwe 1, Anders Kello 1, Arsene Oka 1, Willie Sims 1, Wells Thompson 1.

**GAME-WINNING ASSISTS:** Bryan Byrne 1, Joe Franchino 1, Arsene Oka 1, Doug Warren 1.

**PENALTY KICK GOALS/ATTEMPTS:** Adam Cristman 1-1, Miguel Gonzalez 1-1

POS	GOALKEEPER	GP	GS	MIN	GA	GAA	PG	PA	W	L	T	SO
GK	Doug Warren	8	8	630	7	1.00	2	2	4	1	2	2
GK	Brad Knighton	6	4	450	7	1.40	1	1	2	3	0	1
TEAM TOTALS		12	12	1080	14	1.17	3	3	6	4	2	4

\* guest player

### 2007 RESERVE DIVISION LEADERS

GOALS LEADERS	TEAM	G
Anthony Hamilton	CHV	8
Chris Wondolowski	HOU	7
Ryan Pore	KC	7
Jarrod Laventure	NY	5
John Thorington	CHI	4
Matt Taylor	CHV	4
Jose Cancela	COL	4
Kei Kamara	CLB	4
Dominic Oduro	DAL	4
Yura Movsisyan	KC/RSL	4
Gavin Gilton	LA/RSL	4
Mike Caso	LA/CLB	4
Kyle Brown	RSL	4
Jamie Watson	RSL	4

ASSIST LEADERS	TEAM	A
Ricardo Virtuoso	CLB	7
Rodrigo Lopez	CHV	5
Calen Carr	CHI	4
Scott Jones	DAL	4
Michael Kraus	KC	4
Andrea Lombardo	TOR	4



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