



EDMONTON OILERS vs. BUFFALO SABRES

Saturday, January 25, 2025 | 4:00 P.M. | Rogers Place | Broadcast: MSG



BUFFALO SABRES

18-25-5 | 41 PTS
8th place in the Atlantic Division
Last Game: 5-2 L at CGY

Top Scorers

Tage Thompson: 43 GP, 22 G, 18 A, 40 PTS
Jason Zucker: 46 GP, 16 G, 19 A, 35 PTS
JJ Peterka: 46 GP, 11 G, 24 A, 35 PTS

Season Series:

Jan. 25 at EDM | 4:00 P.M.
March 10 at BUF | 6:30 P.M.

EDMONTON OILERS

30-15-3 | 63 PTS
2nd place in the Pacific Division
Last Game: 6-2 W vs. VAN

Top Scorers

Leon Draisaitl: 48 GP, 35 G, 39 A, 74 PTS
Connor McDavid: 43 GP, 20 G, 45 A, 65 PTS
Evan Bouchard: 48 GP, 8 G, 28 A, 36 PTS

THINGS YOU SHOULD KNOW

Rasmus Dahlin has recorded 15 assists in his last 14 games, including three assists in his last three games.

Dahlin has posted 17 points (3+14) in his last 15 road games, including at least one point in five of his last six.

Dahlin is two assists away from tying Mike Ramsey for the second-most assists (256) by a Sabres defenseman all-time.

Dahlin is also one goal away from tying Ramsey for the second-most goals by a defenseman in franchise history (73).

Tage Thompson has posted 15 points (6+9) in his last 14 games and he is riding a five-game point streak (3+3).

A point in tonight's game would give **Thompson** his second-longest point streak of the season (Oct. 12 to Nov. 1; eight games; 6+6).

Thompson is riding a three-game goal streak and he would match his longest goal streak of his career with a goal in today's game (Nov. 5 to 11, 2024; Dec. 13 to 19, 2022).

Thompson has recorded one point in each of his last four games against the Oilers (2+2) and a point in tonight's game would give him a five-game point streak against Edmonton.

Mattias Samuelsson has registered three points (1+2) in his last three games.

A point in today's game would mark the most points **Samuelsson** has recorded in any four-game span in his career.

JJ Peterka has tallied at least one point in back-to-back games (1+2) and a point today would give him his fifth point streak of three or more games this season.

Peterka has recorded three goals in four career games against the Oilers.

In his last 13 games, **Jason Zucker** has recorded 14 points (8+6).

Zucker has notched at least one point in seven of his last eight road games and he has recorded 12 points (8+4) in that span.

BUFFALO INJURY REPORT

Jordan Greenway (middle body, IR); **Ryan McLeod** (upper body, IR); **Jason Zucker** (illness)

ON THIS DATE

The Sabres are 13-8-2 all-time on January 25.

January 25, 1977: Rick Martin scores two third-period goals – including the game-winner – to lead the Wales Conference All-Star Team to a 4-3 victory, earning MVP honors.

January 25, 2014: Christian Ehrhoff tallies his 300th career point with a goal in a 5-2 win at Columbus and adds two assists for a three-point performance.

January 25, 2015: Zemgus Girgensons represents the Sabres in the 2015 NHL All-Star Game after being elected by fans to play in the game with a league-high 1,574,896 votes.

ZACH ATTACK

Zach Benson leads all Sabres skaters in high-danger chances at 5-on-5 (45) according to Natural Stat Trick.

At 5-on-5, **Benson** ranks first among all Sabres forwards in shot attempts percentage (56.2 percent) and unblocked shot attempts percentage (54.8 percent).

Benson also ranks first among all Sabres skaters in shot attempts percentage when leading (52.7 percent).

Benson (124 shot attempts differential at 5-on-5) is one of two Sabres skaters (**Rasmus Dahlin**; 208), and the only Sabres forward, with a shot attempts differential of 100 or greater at 5-on-5.

HEAD-TO-HEAD

Buffalo Sabres	Edmonton Oilers
18-25-5	Record 30-15-3
9-12-3	Home Record 16-8-1
9-13-2	Road Record 14-7-2
4-5-1	Last 10 Games 7-3-0
3.02 (T-13th)	Goals For Per Game 3.31 (6th)
3.44 (T-29th)	Goals Against Per Game 2.73 (6th)
17.0% (27th)	Power Play 24.8% (7th)
77.4% (20th)	Penalty Kill 75.9% (24th)
48.2% (27th)	Team FO% 52.6% (4th)
50.3% (14th)	Team SAT% (5-on-5) 53.9% (3rd)

