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HE IS SCORE

Evgeni Malkin recorded four points (1G-3A) on Wednesday night against the Sabres, which included his 500th career goal, making him the 48th player in NHL history to hit the mark.

- Through five games this season, Malkin has 11 points (2G-9A). This marks the most he has recorded in the first five games of a season in his career (9PTS in 2006-07 & '18-19) and the most by a Penguin since Mario Lemieux's 11 points (4G-7A) in five games in 2002-03.
- Malkin's four points (1G-3A) on Wednesday extended his multi-point streak to four games, giving him his longest streak of consecutive games with multiple points since Nov. 18-23, 2013. With multiple points tonight, he will match his career-high multi-point streak of five games:



Longest Multi-Point Streaks by Evgeni Malkin

GP	Season	Start	End	PTS
5	2007-08	Feb. 2, 2008	Feb. 10, 2008	4G-11A-15PTS
4	2024-25	Oct. 11, 2024	Present	2G-9A-11PTS
4	2013-14	Nov. 18, 2013	Nov. 23, 2013	1G-7A-8PTS
4	2011-12	Nov. 21, 2011	Nov. 26, 2011	3G-5A-8PTS
4	2009-10	Feb. 1, 2010	Feb. 10, 2010	2G-6A-8PTS

- With 11 points (2G-9A) through five games this season, Malkin leads the league outright in scoring for the first time since April 7, 2012 - the last day of the 2011-12 season when he captured his second Art Ross Trophy:

NHL Point Leaders

2024-25

1. Evgeni Malkin	11
2. Sam Reinhart	8
2. Mark Stone	8
2. Jack Eichel	8
5. Artemi Panarin	7

NHL Point Leaders

April 7, 2012

1. Evgeni Malkin	109
2. Steven Stamkos	97
3. Claude Giroux	93
4. Jason Spezza	84
5. Ilya Kovalchuk	83



TWO-HEADED MONSTER

Sidney Crosby (1G-2A) and Evgeni Malkin (1G-3A) combined for seven points (2G-5A) on Wednesday night, and hit the 1,600-point and 500-goal milestones, respectively.

- On February 15, 2022, Malkin had the lone assist on Crosby's 500th goal, and on Wednesday night, Crosby had the lone helper on Malkin's 500th tally. They became just the second duo in NHL history to each score 500 goals as teammates:

Duos to Each Score 500 Goals as Teammates

NHL History

	Wayne Gretzky & Jari Kurri
	Sidney Crosby & Evgeni Malkin

- The duo also combined on Crosby's overtime winning goal on Wednesday, marking each player's 81st multi-goal comeback win of their careers. The only players with more are Paul Coffey (98), Mark Messier (94), Jaromir Jagr (88), Kevin Lowe (87), Patrick Marleau (86), Glenn Anderson (85), Ron Francis (85) and Wayne Gretzky (82).



OT HERO

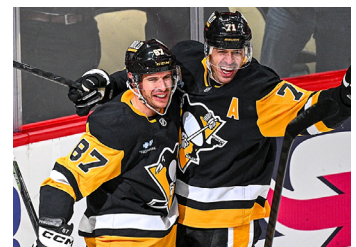
To put a cap on a historic night at PPG Paints Arena, Sidney Crosby buried his 21st career overtime goal to move Pittsburgh to 3-2-0 on the season.

- Crosby's 21st overtime goal doubled as his franchise-leading 91st career game winner. Only Alex Ovechkin (26) has more overtime winners than Crosby, while he tied Wayne Gretzky and Mark Recchi for the 21st-most game-winning goals in NHL history.

Overtime Goals

NHL History

1. Alex Ovechkin	26
2. Sidney Crosby	21
3. Brad Marchand	19
4. Jaromir Jagr	19
5. Ilya Kovalchuk	17



- Evgeni Malkin and Erik Karlsson had the helpers on Crosby's overtime winner, and all three players occupy a spot in the top-five in NHL history in overtime assists and points:

Overtime Assists

NHL History

1. Evgeni Malkin	28
2. Patrick Kane	27
3. Erik Karlsson	26
4. Ryan Getzlaf	25
5. Sidney Crosby	24

Overtime Points

NHL History

1. Sidney Crosby	45
2. Evgeni Malkin	41
3. Alex Ovechkin	40
4. Patrick Kane	39
5. Erik Karlsson	37