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#16  SF	MIA at SF  Miami Dolphins Power Rank #32 Entering Week 2 Consensus average: 31.25. Miami's outlook remains developmental, with promising rookie contributions offering encouragement. Consistent improvement across a thin roster matters more than...	SF favored by 12.5 pts  San Francisco 49ers Power Rank #9 Entering Week 2 Consensus average: 7.75. San Francisco made a convincing opening statement. Keeping its veteran defensive core healthy remains essential to turning that performance into sustained contention.
#15  BAL	NO at BAL  New Orleans Saints Power Rank #20 Entering Week 2 Consensus average: 19.75. New Orleans showed enough offensive promise to remain encouraged. Starting faster is the immediate challenge; another late surge may not erase an early deficit.	BAL favored by 8.5 pts  Baltimore Ravens Power Rank #4 Entering Week 2 Consensus average: 5.25. Baltimore's balanced attack looks comfortable under its new staff. Sustaining that efficiency while tightening run defense would strengthen the case for an extended...
#14  KC	IND at KC  Indianapolis Colts Power Rank #26 Entering Week 2 Consensus average: 25.50. Indianapolis needs improvement from its quarterback and overwhelmed defense. Week 2 tests whether both units can regain stability together.	KC favored by 6.5 pts  Kansas City Chiefs Power Rank #5 Entering Week 2 Consensus average: 6.25. A productive running game and strong defense give Kansas City more ways to win. Maintaining that support eases the burden on Patrick Mahomes.
#13  PHI	PHI at TEN  Philadelphia Eagles Power Rank #11 Entering Week 2 Consensus average: 11.00. Philadelphia escaped its opener without resolving concerns about offensive rhythm. More consistent drives are needed before treating the Eagles as a convincing top-tier team.	PHI favored by 7 pts  Tennessee Titans Power Rank #30 Entering Week 2 Consensus average: 30.50. Tennessee needs basic offensive rhythm after a difficult opener. Longer possessions and more defensive resistance are necessary to make the next game genuinely...
#12  TB	CLE at TB  Cleveland Browns Power Rank #31 Entering Week 2 Consensus average: 31.25. Cleveland cannot count on its defense to cover offensive limitations yet. Both units need a substantial response before the outlook moves beyond early-season concern.	TB favored by 8.5 pts  Tampa Bay Buccaneers Power Rank #18 Entering Week 2 Consensus average: 18.25. Tampa Bay moved the ball but undermined itself with turnovers. Protecting possessions could produce a quick rebound, especially if the defense sustains its...
#11  SEA	SEA at ARI  Seattle Seahawks Power Rank #1 Entering Week 2 Consensus average: 1.25. Defense gives Seattle a strong foundation despite quarterback uncertainty. Week 2 will test whether the offense can contribute without relying on another late rescue.	SEA favored by 4.5 pts  Arizona Cardinals Power Rank #24 Entering Week 2 Consensus average: 23.75. Arizona's defense offered encouragement. Backing it up against Seattle would establish that the improved outlook extends beyond one upset.
#10  LA	NYG at LA  New York Giants Power Rank #16 Entering Week 2 Consensus average: 16.00. The Giants showed a more physical, controlled identity under John Harbaugh. Repeating that execution against another opponent matters more than one encouraging...	LA favored by 7 pts  Los Angeles Rams Power Rank #3 Entering Week 2 Consensus average: 5.00. The Rams still have enough talent to rebound. Garrett's absence and a demanding early schedule make a sharper, more coordinated performance urgent.
#9  LAC	LV at LAC  Las Vegas Raiders Power Rank #28 Entering Week 2 Consensus average: 27.50. Las Vegas handled a favorable opening matchup. Sustaining progress without Brock Bowers is the next challenge, with stronger opponents providing a clearer test.	LAC favored by 7 pts  Los Angeles Chargers Power Rank #22 Entering Week 2 Consensus average: 21.50. Protection concerns and defensive transition cloud the Chargers' outlook. Better passing timing is achievable, but the response must include improvements beyond...

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#8  CHI	MIN at CHI  Minnesota Vikings Power Rank #17 Entering Week 2 Consensus average: 17.00. Minnesota's comeback and Jefferson's production offer encouragement. Quarterback uncertainty complicates the outlook, making stable offensive execution the next test rather...	CHI favored by 5.5 pts  Chicago Bears Power Rank #7 Entering Week 2 Consensus average: 7.00. Chicago's offense offers considerable scoring upside. A defense that allowed 37 points must improve before an explosive opener becomes convincing evidence of a complete...
#7  BUF	DET at BUF  Detroit Lions Power Rank #13 Entering Week 2 Consensus average: 12.00. Detroit survived despite exposed pass-defense weaknesses. Better coverage and communication are essential while the secondary works through injuries; offensive...	BUF favored by 4.5 pts  Buffalo Bills Power Rank #2 Entering Week 2 Consensus average: 4.00. Josh Allen keeps Buffalo dangerous against anyone. The next step is defensive consistency, so winning does not require another high-scoring finish.
#6  NE	PIT at NE  Pittsburgh Steelers Power Rank #21 Entering Week 2 Consensus average: 19.75. Pittsburgh can lean on defensive playmakers, but offensive scoring remains a concern. More sustained drives would reduce dependence on game-changing plays from the...	NE favored by 5.5 pts  New England Patriots Power Rank #14 Entering Week 2 Consensus average: 14.00. New England's first priority is reducing costly quarterback mistakes. A steadier passing performance would make its narrow opening loss look more correctable than defining.
#5  GB	GB at NYJ  Green Bay Packers Power Rank #19 Entering Week 2 Consensus average: 19.00. Green Bay needs to finish games while navigating important absences. Cleaner late-game execution would help prevent another promising start from unraveling.	GB favored by 4.5 pts  New York Jets Power Rank #27 Entering Week 2 Consensus average: 26.50. The Jets looked organized on both sides. Repeating that against stronger opposition is necessary before one win justifies a major reassessment.
#4  DAL	WAS at DAL  Washington Commanders Power Rank #23 Entering Week 2 Consensus average: 22.75. Washington's protection held up better than feared. Reducing mental errors and sustaining offensive execution could turn a competitive opening loss into a more...	DAL favored by 3.5 pts  Dallas Cowboys Power Rank #15 Entering Week 2 Consensus average: 15.00. Dallas has time to recover, but preseason optimism needs on-field evidence. Winning physical matchups and producing timely stops are central to the Week 2 response.
#3  CAR	CAR at ATL  Carolina Panthers Power Rank #25 Entering Week 2 Consensus average: 25.25. Bryce Young gives Carolina something to build on. Defensive repairs are urgent; offensive progress cannot compensate for repeated breakdowns.	CAR favored by 1.5 pts  Atlanta Falcons Power Rank #29 Entering Week 2 Consensus average: 28.50. Bijan Robinson provides a dependable offensive focal point. Quarterback uncertainty limits Atlanta's outlook until the passing game can contribute enough to keep defenses...
#2  HOU	CIN at HOU  Cincinnati Bengals Power Rank #8 Entering Week 2 Consensus average: 7.50. Defensive takeaways changed Cincinnati's opener. Week 2 should reveal whether the improvement extends to routine stops rather than depending on another turnover-heavy...	HOU favored by 3 pts  Houston Texans Power Rank #12 Entering Week 2 Consensus average: 11.75. Houston remains competitive, but quarterback ball security demands attention. Finishing possessions cleanly is the clearest route from a close loss to a Week 2 rebound.
#1  DEN	JAX at DEN  Jacksonville Jaguars Power Rank #6 Entering Week 2 Consensus average: 7.00. Jacksonville handled an overmatched opponent convincingly. The roster looks competitive, but stronger opposition will offer a better measure of its championship potential.	DEN favored by 2.5 pts  Denver Broncos Power Rank #10 Entering Week 2 Consensus average: 9.25. Denver retains considerable defensive upside despite a poor opener. Cleaner tackling and a more functional offense are immediate priorities before confidence returns.

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