



# KIKO ALONSO

LINEBACKER // 6-3 // 239 // OREGON '13

ACQUIRED: T, '16 (PHI.)

HOMETOWN: LOS GATOS, CALIF. // BORN: 8/14/90

NFL: SEVENTH SEASON // DOLPHINS: FOURTH SEASON

## NFL CAREER

### TRANSACTIONS:

- Traded from Philadelphia to Miami on March 9, 2016.
- Traded from Buffalo to Philadelphia on March 10, 2015.
- 2nd-round pick (46th overall) by Buffalo in the 2013 NFL draft.

### CAREER HONORS:

- 2013 PFWA NFL Defensive Rookie of the Year.
- Pepsi MAX Rookie of the Week (vs. Baltimore, 9/29/13).

### CAREER HIGHLIGHTS:

- Played in 73 career games with 63 starts.
- 557 tackles (344 solo), 3 sacks, 10 interceptions, 16 passes defended, 7 forced fumbles and 7 fumble recoveries; 1 interception return for a TD.
- Totaled 100+ tackles in 4 of his 5 NFL seasons.
- Was the only NFL player with 100+ tackles, 3+ interceptions and 3+ forced fumbles in 2018.
- Played all 1,145 of Buffalo's defensive snaps in 2013 and was one of just 3 NFL linebackers (Nick Roach and Lawrence Timmons) to do so that year.
- Became just the 8th linebacker since 1989 to record at least 150 tackles and 4 interceptions in a single season (2013).
- In 2013, his 159 tackles were third in the NFL and led all rookies:

#### TOTAL TACKLES IN THE NFL (2013)

PLAYER	TEAM	TOT	SOLO	ASST
1. Vontaze Burfitt	Cincinnati	171	114	57
2. Paul Posluszny	Jacksonville	162	122	40
3. KIKO ALONSO	BUFFALO	159	87	72
4. Luke Kuechly	Carolina	156	93	63
5. Lavonte David	Tampa Bay	144	106	38

- Recorded 22 tackles vs. Cincinnati on Oct. 13, 2013, the 2nd-most by any NFL player during that season:

#### NFL SINGLE-GAME TACKLES (2013)

PLAYER	TM	OPP	DATE	TOT	SL	AST
1. Luke Kuechly	Car.	N.O.	12/22/13	24	9	15
2. KIKO ALONSO	BUFF.	CIN.	10/13/13	22	9	13
3. Paul Worrlow	Atl.	Sea.	11/10/13	19	10	9
Paul Worrlow	Atl.	Car.	11/3/13	19	9	10

### 2018 (MIAMI):

- Started 15 games.
- Dressed but did not play in 1 game.
- 125 tackles (79 solo), 3 interceptions, 6 passes defended, 3 forced fumbles and 1 fumble recovery.
- Was the only NFL player with 100+ tackles, 3+ interceptions and 3+ forced fumbles.
- His 125 tackles tied for 10th in the NFL and the most by a Dolphins linebacker since Karlos Dansby in 2012.

### AT N.Y. JETS (9/16): 13 solo tackles and 2 forced fumbles.

- Forced a WR Robby Anderson fumble recovered by LB Raekwon McMillan at the N.Y. 49-yard line, setting up an WR Albert Wilson touchdown on Miami's next possession to extend the Dolphins lead 14-0 in the 2nd quarter.
- Forced a WR Quincy Enunwa fumble in the 4th quarter.
- Made 50th career start.

### VS. CHICAGO (10/14): 11 tackles (9 solo), 1 forced fumble and 1 fumble recovery.

- Recovered a fumble that was forced by DE Robert Quinn at Miami's 1-yard line with 3:35 remaining in the 2nd quarter.
- Forced a fumble at Chicago's 43-yard line that was recovered by CB Xavien Howard with 2:00 remaining in the 4th quarter.

### VS. N.Y. JETS (11/4): 7 tackles (4 solo), 1 interception and 2 passes defended.

- Intercepted QB Sam Darnold and returned it 14 yards in the 1st quarter.

### 2017 (MIAMI):

- Started all 16 games.
- 115 tackles (79 solo), 1 sack, 2 forced fumbles and 1 pass defended.
- His 115 total tackles were 8th in the AFC and 14th in the NFL.

### VS. TENNESSEE (10/8): 7 tackles (6 solo), 1 sack, 1 pass defended and 1 forced fumble.

- Sacked QB Matt Cassel for a loss of 7 yards, forcing a fumble that was recovered by S Reshad Jones for a 38-yard TD.

### VS. OAKLAND (11/15): 5 tackles (4 solo) and 1 forced fumble.

- Forced a OL Marshall Newhouse fumble that was recovered by DE Charles Harris in the 4th quarter.

**AT KANSAS CITY (12/24):** 11 tackles (8 solo).

- His 11 tackles were a season high.

## **2016 (MIAMI):**

- Started 15 games.
- Inactive for 1 contest.
- 115 tackles (69 solo), 2 interceptions, 4 passes defended, 1 forced fumble and 4 fumble recoveries.
- His 115 total tackles led the team and were 9th in the AFC.
- Tied for 1st in the NFL with 4 defensive fumble recoveries, which were the most by a Dolphins player since DE Jason Taylor in 2001.

**AT SEATTLE (9/11):** 11 tackles (3 solo) and 1 fumble recovery.

- Made Dolphins debut.
- Recovered a QB Russell Wilson fumble in the 4th quarter.

**AT SAN DIEGO (11/13):** 4 solo tackles and 1 interception.

- Intercepted QB Philip Rivers with 1:01 remaining in the 4th quarter and returned it 60 yards for a TD, sealing Miami's 31-24 win.
- It was the latest interception return to give the Dolphins a lead since at least 1991.

**VS. SAN FRANCISCO (11/27):** 11 tackles (4 solo), 1 interception and 1 fumble recovery.

- Became first Dolphins linebacker since at least 1993 to recover a fumble and intercept a pass in the same game.
- Recovered a TE Garrett Celek fumble in the 2nd quarter.
- Intercepted a QB Colin Kaepernick pass and returned the ball 10 yards in the 3rd quarter.
- Tackled QB Colin Kaepernick along with DT Ndamukong Suh at Miami's 2-yard line on the final play to end the game and preserve Miami's 31-24 victory.

## **POSTSEASON:**

**AFC WILD CARD AT PITTSBURGH (1/8):** 6 tackles (1 solo).

## **2015 (PHILADELPHIA):**

- Played in 11 games with 1 start.
- 43 tackles (30 solo), 1 interception and 1 pass defended.
- Traded from Buffalo to Philadelphia on March 9, 2016.

**AT ATLANTA (9/14):** 6 tackles (4 solo) and 1 interception.

- Made his Eagles debut.
- Recorded a one-handed interception of QB Matt Ryan in the end zone.

**VS. WASHINGTON (12/26):** 8 tackles (5 solo).

**AT N.Y. GIANTS (1/3):** 9 tackles (8 solo).

- His 9 tackles were a season high.

## **2014 (BUFFALO):**

- Missed the entire season due to injury.
- Placed on injured reserve on Aug. 26.

## **2013 (BUFFALO):**

- Started all 16 games.

- 159 tackles (87 solo), 4 interceptions, 2 sacks, 4 passes defended, 2 fumble recoveries and 1 forced fumble.
- Became just the 8th linebacker since 1989 to record at least 150 tackles and 4 interceptions in a single season.
- His 159 tackles were third in the NFL.
- Played all 1,145 of the team's defensive snaps and was one of just 3 NFL linebackers (Nick Roach and Lawrence Timmons) to do so.

**VS. NEW ENGLAND (9/8):** 9 tackles (5 solo), 1 forced fumble and 1 fumble recovery.

- Made his NFL debut.

**VS. BALTIMORE (9/29):** 5 tackles (2 solo) and 2 interceptions.

- Picked off QB Joe Flacco twice in the 2nd half, including on Baltimore's final drive to seal the win.
- Earned Pepsi MAX Rookie of the Week honors for the performance.

**VS. CINCINNATI (10/13):** 22 tackles (9 solo).

- His 22 tackles were the 2nd-most by an NFL player during the 2013 season.

## **HONORS:**

- PFWA NFL Defensive Rookie of the Year
- Pepsi MAX Rookie of the Week (vs. Baltimore, 9/29)

## **BEFORE THE NFL**

### **COLLEGE (OREGON):**

- 3-year letterman (2009, 2011-12) and 1-year starter.

**CAREER:** Played in 36 games with 17 starts; 143 tackles (99 solo), 3.5 sacks, 6 interceptions, 9 passes defended, 3 forced fumbles and 2 fumble recoveries.

**SENIOR (2012):** Started 12 games; 81 tackles (58 solo), 1 sack and 4 interceptions.

**JUNIOR (2011):** Played in 12 games with 5 starts; 46 tackles (28 solo), 2 interceptions and 2.5 sacks.

- Named Rose Bowl Defensive Player of the Game with 5 tackles, 1 interception and 1.5 sacks vs. Wisconsin (1/2).

**SOPHOMORE (2010):** Missed the entire season.

**REDSHIRT FRESHMAN (2009):** Played in 12 games; 16 tackles (3 solo) and 1 forced fumble.

- Redshirted in 2008.

## **HIGH SCHOOL (LOS GATOS HS – LOS GATOS, CALIF.)**

**SENIOR (2007):** 150 tackles (81 solo) and 27 sacks; 35 receptions for 559 yards (16.0 avg.) and 7 TDs.

- Helped school win the league title.
- 1st-team All-Northern California on defense.

## **OFF THE FIELD**

### **COMMUNITY:**

- Supported the 2019 DCC bike ride by signing autographs and taking pictures with fans.
- Golfed during the 2018 DCC Fins Weekend golf tournament.
- Regularly hosts youth football camps in Puerto Rico during the offseason.

- Has made multiple mission trips to Puerto Rico to help with hurricane relief efforts.
- Brother, Carlos, was drafted by MLB's Philadelphia Phillies.

#### PERSONAL:

- Born to a Colombian mother and Cuban father.
- Speaks Spanish fluently and embraces Miami's Latin culture.

### KIKO ALONSO'S NFL REGULAR SEASON STATS

YEAR	TEAM	GP	GS	TACKLES					INTERCEPTIONS					FUMBLES	
				TOT	SOLO	ASST	SK	YDS	INT	YDS	LG	TD	PD	FF	FR
2013	BUFFALO	16	16	159	87	72	2.0	17.0	4	38	32	0	4	1	2
2014	BUFFALO			INJURED RESERVE											
2015	PHILADELPHIA	11	1	43	30	13	0.0	0.0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0
2016	MIAMI	15	15	115	69	46	0.0	0.0	2	70	60t	1	4	1	4
2017	MIAMI	16	16	115	79	36	1.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	1	2	0
2018	MIAMI	15	15	125	79	46	0.0	0.0	3	30	15	0	6	3	1
NFL TOTALS		73	63	557	344	213	3.0	17.0	10	138	60t	1	16	7	7

### KIKO ALONSO'S NFL PLAYOFF STATS

YEAR	TEAM	GP	GS	TACKLES					INTERCEPTIONS					FUMBLES	
				TOT	SOLO	ASST	SK	YDS	INT	YDS	LG	TD	PD	FF	FR
2016	MIAMI	1	1	6	1	5	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
NFL TOTALS		1	1	6	1	5	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

#### ADDITIONAL STATS

**Defensive Touchdowns:** (Miami) 1 interception return in 2016.

#### SINGLE-GAME CAREER HIGHS

**Tackles:** 22 vs. Cincinnati, 10/13/13  
**Sacks:** 1 3 times, last: vs. Tennessee, 10/8/17  
**Interceptions:** 2 vs. Baltimore, 9/29/13  
**Passes Defensed:** 2 3 times, last: vs. N.Y. Jets, 11/4/18  
**Forced Fumbles:** 2 at N.Y. Jets, 9/16/18  
**Fumble Recoveries:** 1 7 times, last: vs. Chicago, 10/14/18