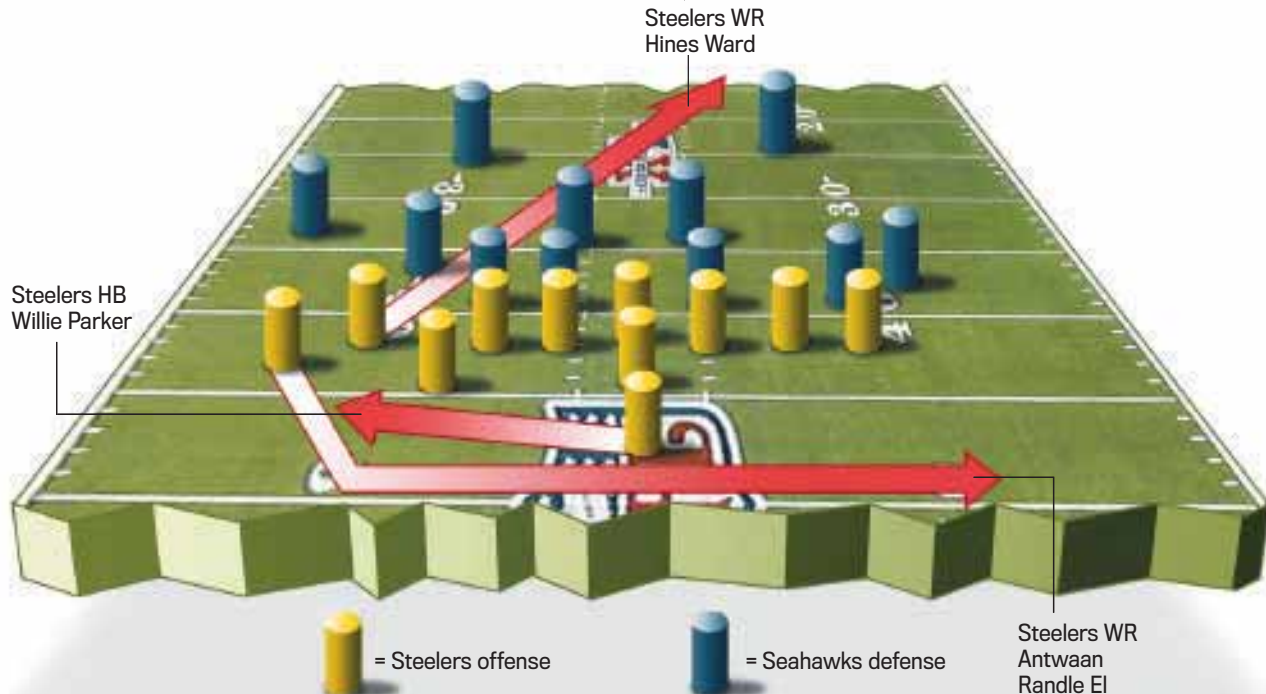




# PITTSBURGH STEELERS 21, SEATTLE SEAHAWKS 10

## FOURTH QUARTER: STEELERS 21, SEAHAWKS 10



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Receiver Hines Ward skips away after catching a touchdown from Antwaan Randle El, a former college quarterback, over Marcus Trufant of the Seahawks.

### KEY TO THE QUARTER: Pulling out all the stops

Bill Cowher loves his gadget plays. And now we know why. Pittsburgh sealed its record-tying fifth Super Bowl championship Sunday night on a trick play – a reverse pass from Antwaan Randle El to Hines Ward – that the Steelers had worked to perfection earlier this season against Cleveland.

"When they called the play, I just said, 'Yes!' " Randle El said. "But then I had to make sure I didn't give it away when I lined up. I had to sell it as a running play."

He did that pretty well, as Ben Roethlisberger took the

snap on first-and-10 from the Seattle 43 and pitched the ball to Willie Parker for what appeared to be a toss sweep. Parker instead handed it on a reverse to Randle El, a former collegiate quarterback at Indiana. He rolled to his right – Roethlisberger threw a big block – and heaved a strike to Ward, who caught it in stride and beat the Seahawks' Marcus Trufant to the end zone.

It was the first touchdown pass ever thrown by a receiver in a Super Bowl. It's one that won't be soon forgotten.

— John Niyo

### Seahawks continued...

- 2-10-SEA48 (15:00) S.Alexander left end to PIT 47 for 5 yards (C.Hampton).
- 3-5-PIT47 (14:17) M.Hasselbeck pass to B.Engram to PIT 30 for 17 yards (I.Taylor).
- 1-10-PIT30 (13:32) S.Alexander right tackle to PIT 24 for 6 yards (T.Polamalu).
- 2-4-PIT24 (13:10) S.Alexander up the middle to PIT 19 for 5 yards (A.Smith).
- 1-10-PIT19 (12:35) M.Hasselbeck pass to J.Stevens to PIT 1 for 18 yards (C.Hope; T.Polamalu). PENALTY on SEA-S.Locklear, Offensive Holding, 10 yards, enforced at PIT 19 – No Play.
- 1-20-PIT29 (12:08) M.Hasselbeck sacked at PIT 34 for -5 yards (C.Hampton).
- 2-25-PIT34 (11:34) S.Alexander left end to PIT 27 for 7 yards (J.Porter).
- 3-18-PIT27 (10:54) M.Hasselbeck pass intended for D.Jackson INTERCEPTED by I.Taylor at PIT 5. I.Taylor to PIT 29 for 24 yards (M.Hasselbeck). PENALTY on SEA-M.Hasselbeck, Low Block, 15 yards, enforced at PIT 29.



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Cornerback Ike Taylor grabs this pass, intended for Darrell Jackson of the Seahawks.

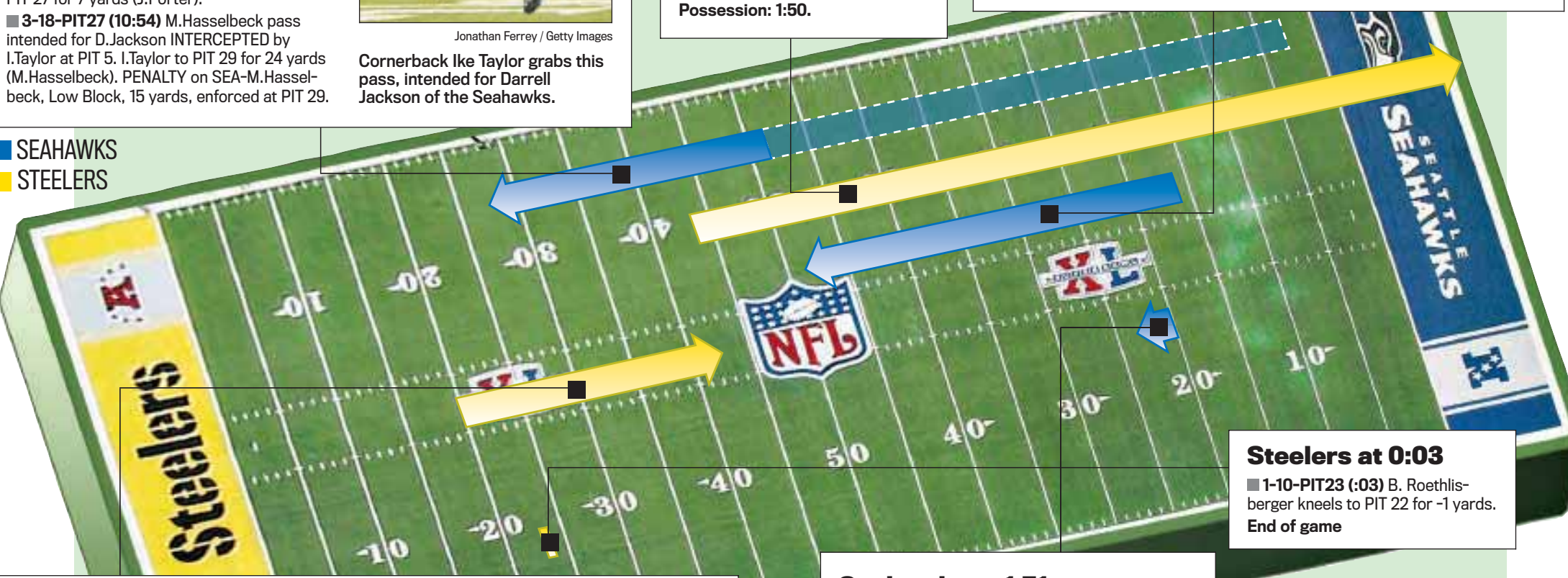
### Steelers at 10:46

- 1-10-PIT44 (10:46) W.Parker up the middle to PIT 45 for 1 yard (M.Tubbs).
  - 2-9-PIT45 (10:10) B.Roethlisberger pass to A.Randle El pushed ob at SEA 48 for 7 yards (E.Pruitt).
  - 3-2-SEA48 (9:44) (Shotgun) B.Roethlisberger up the middle to SEA 43 for 5 yards (J.Babineaux).
  - 1-10-SEA43 (9:04) A.Randle El pass to H.Ward for 43 yards, TOUCHDOWN. Play was a reverse pass. J.Reed extra point is GOOD, Center-G.Warren, Holder-C.Gardocki.
- SEA 10 PIT 21, Plays: 4 Yards: 56 Possession: 1:50.

### Seahawks at 8:48

- 1-10-SEA16 (8:48) M.Hasselbeck pass incomplete to D.Jackson.
- 2-10-SEA16 (8:40) M.Hasselbeck right end to SEA 34 for 18 yards. FUMBLES, RECOVERED by PIT-T.Polamalu at SEA 40. T.Polamalu to SEA 33 for 7 yards (R.Tobeck). Play Challenged by SEA and REVERSED. M.Hasselbeck right end to SEA 34 for 18 yards (L.Foote).
- 1-10-SEA34 (8:11) S.Alexander left tackle to SEA 38 for 4 yards (C.Hampton).
- 2-6-SEA38 (7:33) M.Hasselbeck pass to J.Jurevicius pushed ob at PIT 49 for 13 yards (D.Townsend).
- 1-10-PIT49 (7:19) M.Hasselbeck pass incomplete to J.Jurevicius.
- 2-10-PIT49 (7:13) S.Alexander right end to PIT 47 for 2 yards (C.Hoke).
- 3-8-PIT47 (6:36) M.Hasselbeck sacked at SEA 48 for -5 yards (D.Townsend).
- 4-13-SEA48 (6:28) T.Rouen punts 52 yards to end zone, Center-J.Darce, Touchback.

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### Steelers at 0:03

- 1-10-PIT23 (:03) B. Roethlisberger kneels to PIT 22 for -1 yards. End of game

### Steelers at 6:15

- 1-10-PIT20 (6:15) J.Bettis left tackle to PIT 18 for -2 yards (C.Darby).
- 2-12-PIT18 (5:33) J.Bettis right tackle to PIT 24 for 6 yards (M.Boulware; D.Lewis).
- 3-6-PIT24 (4:45) (Shotgun) B.Roethlisberger pass to A.Randle El to PIT 31 for 7 yards (J.Babineaux).
- 1-10-PIT31 (3:59) J.Bettis up the middle to PIT 35 for 4 yards (L.Tatupu).
- 2-6-PIT35 (3:54) J.Bettis left tackle to PIT 38 for 3 yards (D.Lewis).
- 3-3-PIT38 (3:51) B.Roethlisberger left end to PIT 41 for 3 yards (L.Hill).
- 1-10-PIT41 (3:09) J.Bettis right tackle to PIT 43 for 2 yards (L.Tatupu; M.Boulware).
- 2-8-PIT43 (3:04) J.Bettis right tackle to PIT 43 for no gain (L.Tatupu).
- 3-8-PIT43 (2:18) J.Bettis up the middle to PIT 47 for 4 yards (L.Hill).
- 4-4-PIT47 (2:00) C.Gardocki punts 53 yards to end zone, Center-G.Warren, Touchback.



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The Bus drove the Steelers' final drive. Detroit native Jerome Bettis had seven of his 14 carries on this time-consuming drive.

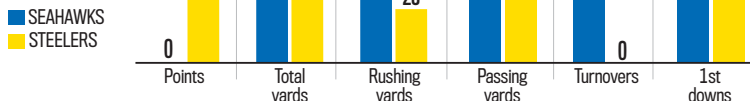
### Seahawks at 1:51

- 1-10-SEA20 (1:51) M.Hasselbeck pass to J.Stevens to SEA 26 for 6 yards (J.Farrior, A.Smith).
- 2-4-SEA26 (1:28) (No Huddle) M.Hasselbeck pass to J.Jurevicius to PIT 39 for 35 yards (T.Polamalu).
- 1-10-PIT39 (1:05) (No Huddle) M.Hasselbeck pass incomplete to J.Stevens. Ball thrown away.
- 2-10-PIT39 (1:00) M.Hasselbeck pass incomplete to M.Strong.
- 3-10-PIT39 (:52) M.Hasselbeck pass incomplete to B.Engram.
- 4-10-PIT39 (:47) M.Hasselbeck pass to B.Engram to PIT 26 for 13 yards (T.Polamalu).
- 1-10-PIT26 (:35) (No Huddle) M.Hasselbeck spiked the ball to stop the clock.
- 2-10-PIT26 (:34) M.Hasselbeck pass incomplete to S.Alexander (T.Carter).
- 3-10-PIT26 (:27) M.Hasselbeck pass to J.Stevens to PIT 23 for 3 yards (T.Carter).
- 4-7-PIT23 (:08) (No Huddle) M.Hasselbeck pass incomplete to J.Stevens (B.McFadden).

### TIME OF POSSESSION:



### TOTAL OFFENSE:



**5** Super Bowl championships for the Steelers.

**7** Rushes by the Steelers Jerome Bettis on their final drive.

**17** Yards gained by Bettis, a Detroit native, on the drive.

**43** Yard TD pass from Antwann Randle El to Hines Ward.