

Milwaukee Brewers at San Diego Padres

MLB | Postseason | October 6, 2026

Checked Oct 06, 01:08 PM Toronto | prepared snapshot, not live

Away	Milwaukee Brewers
Home	San Diego Padres
Venue	Petco Park, San Diego, California, 92101
Scheduled start	Oct 06, 09:30 PM Toronto
Game evidence	S1 source event 401908004 MLB 849826

Provisional prediction

Expected score	Milwaukee Brewers 4.3 - San Diego Padres 4.2
Winner lean	Milwaukee Brewers model probability 51.6%
Margin / total	Home minus away -0.0 runs; total 8.5
Spread meaning	Model margin, not a bookmaker spread or a claim of value.

Lineups not fully set. Historical scoring baseline; probable personnel shown as context, not numeric adjustments. Probabilities are uncalibrated model estimates.

What matters in this matchup

Probable starters: Dustin May (Right) at Nick Pivetta (Right). Actual batting orders and bullpen availability remain separate checks.

At scheduled start: 84 F, Mostly Clear; wind NW 5 mph; precipitation chance 1%. Stadium-relative wind direction and numerical run adjustment are not verified. [S2]

Use and confidence

Early research estimate. Small winner differences are weak leans; model probability is not proven accuracy. Recheck personnel and current prices before relying on it.

1. Availability and playing conditions

Milwaukee Brewers - away

Dustin May - OFFICIAL PROBABLE - NOT FINAL CONFIRMATION [S3]

Batting order: Not posted in captured official feed. Roster names are not treated as starters. [S4]

Captured injury listings [S5]

Player	Reported status / issue	Source effective date
Grant Anderson	15-Day-IL / Biceps	2026-09-15T16:04Z
Brandon Woodruff	60-Day-IL / Shoulder	2026-09-29T19:54Z
Quinn Priester	60-Day-IL / Shoulder	2026-06-18T15:25Z
Angel Zerpa	60-Day-IL / Elbow	2026-05-31T17:56Z
Brian Fitzpatrick	60-Day-IL / Elbow	2026-07-05T00:09Z

Final lineup, scratches, replacement roles and any restrictions still require a near-start check. Listed return dates are not clearance.

San Diego Padres - home

Nick Pivetta - OFFICIAL PROBABLE - NOT FINAL CONFIRMATION [S6]

Batting order: Not posted in captured official feed. Roster names are not treated as starters. [S4]

Captured injury listings [S5]

Player	Reported status / issue	Source effective date
Miguel Andujar	10-Day-IL / Wrist	2026-09-24T05:45Z
Jeremiah Estrada	15-Day-IL / Shoulder	2026-09-12T20:06Z
Lucas Giolito	60-Day-IL / Elbow	2026-08-24T23:01Z
Casey Mize	15-Day-IL / Ankle	2026-09-26T21:47Z
Rodolfo Duran	60-Day-IL / Forearm	2026-09-29T20:52Z

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Location and conditions

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Rest and travel

Milwaukee Brewers: last completed phase game 2026-10-04, 1 full calendar off-days; San Diego Padres: last completed phase game 2026-10-04, 1 full calendar off-days. Actual travel itinerary, time-zone adaptation and numerical fatigue effect are unverified.

2. Milwaukee Brewers - recent game evidence

Current postseason chronology [S7]

Date	Opponent / venue role	Score (team first)
2026-10-03	San Diego Padres / home	3-2
2026-10-04	San Diego Padres / home	4-3

NHL: every completed regular-season game in the current source schedule is summarized below. NBA: available preseason games only. MLB: every completed current postseason game, not a claim of reviewing all 162 regular-season games.

2026-10-03 | home vs San Diego Padres | W 3-2 (Final)

Period/quarter/inning scores, team first: 1: 0-0; 2: 0-2; 3: 2-0; 4: 0-0; 5: 0-0; 6: 0-0; 7: 1-0; 8: 0-0 [S8]

Recorded scoring sequence: P2 None 0-1; P2 None 0-2; P3 None 2-2; P7 None 3-2

Jackson Chourio: At bats 4, Hits 1, Runs 1, Rbis 2, Strikeouts 0. Historical game participation; not tonight's confirmation.

Brice Turang: At bats 3, Hits 0, Runs 0, Rbis 0, Strikeouts 1. Historical game participation; not tonight's confirmation.

William Contreras: At bats 3, Hits 1, Runs 1, Rbis 1, Strikeouts 0. Historical game participation; not tonight's confirmation.

Interpretation: Separate the starting-pitcher matchup from relief innings. A close final score does not identify a repeatable bullpen or sequencing advantage.

Interpretation: These observations describe this game; opponent adjustment and stable repeatability have not been established.

2026-10-04 | home vs San Diego Padres | W 4-3 (Final)

Period/quarter/inning scores, team first: 1: 0-1; 2: 0-0; 3: 0-0; 4: 0-0; 5: 1-1; 6: 0-0; 7: 1-1; 8: 0-0; 9: 2-0 [S9]

Recorded scoring sequence: P1 None 0-1; P5 None 0-2; P5 None 1-2; P7 None 1-3; P7 None 2-3; P9 None 4-3

Jackson Chourio: At bats 4, Hits 1, Runs 0, Rbis 2, Strikeouts 0. Historical game participation; not tonight's confirmation.

Brice Turang: At bats 4, Hits 0, Runs 0, Rbis 0, Strikeouts 1. Historical game participation; not tonight's confirmation.

Jake Bauers: At bats 4, Hits 0, Runs 0, Rbis 0, Strikeouts 2. Historical game participation; not tonight's confirmation.

Interpretation: Separate the starting-pitcher matchup from relief innings. A close final score does not identify a repeatable bullpen or sequencing advantage.

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2. San Diego Padres - recent game evidence

Current postseason chronology [S10]

Date	Opponent / venue role	Score (team first)
2026-09-29	Chicago Cubs / home	8-0
2026-09-30	Chicago Cubs / home	4-1
2026-10-03	Milwaukee Brewers / away	2-3
2026-10-04	Milwaukee Brewers / away	3-4

NHL: every completed regular-season game in the current source schedule is summarized below. NBA: available preseason games only. MLB: every completed current postseason game, not a claim of reviewing all 162 regular-season games.

2026-09-29 | home vs Chicago Cubs | W 8-0 (Final)

Period/quarter/inning scores, team first: 1: 2-0; 2: 0-0; 3: 1-0; 4: 1-0; 5: 3-0; 6: 0-0; 7: 1-0; 8: 0-0 [S11]

Recorded scoring sequence: P1 None 1-0; P1 None 2-0; P3 None 3-0; P4 None 4-0; P5 None 6-0; P5 None 7-0; P5 None 7-0; P7 None 8-0; P7 None 8-0

Fernando Tatis Jr.: At bats 3, Hits 2, Runs 3, Rbis 1, Strikeouts 1. Historical game participation; not tonight's confirmation.

Samad Taylor: At bats 2, Hits 0, Runs 0, Rbis 0, Strikeouts 1. Historical game participation; not tonight's confirmation.

Dustin Harris: At bats 2, Hits 1, Runs 0, Rbis 0, Strikeouts 0. Historical game participation; not tonight's confirmation.

Interpretation: Separate the starting-pitcher matchup from relief innings. A close final score does not identify a repeatable bullpen or sequencing advantage.

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2026-09-30 | home vs Chicago Cubs | W 4-1 (Final)

Period/quarter/inning scores, team first: 1: 0-0; 2: 2-0; 3: 0-0; 4: 2-1; 5: 0-0; 6: 0-0; 7: 0-0; 8: 0-0 [S12]

Recorded scoring sequence: P2 None 1-0; P2 None 2-0; P4 None 2-1; P4 None 4-1

Fernando Tatis Jr.: At bats 4, Hits 0, Runs 0, Rbis 0, Strikeouts 1. Historical game participation; not tonight's confirmation.

Dustin Harris: At bats 4, Hits 0, Runs 0, Rbis 0, Strikeouts 0. Historical game participation; not tonight's confirmation.

Jase Bowen: At bats 0, Hits 0, Runs 0, Rbis 0, Strikeouts 0. Historical game participation; not tonight's confirmation.

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2026-10-03 | away vs Milwaukee Brewers | L 2-3 (Final)

Period/quarter/inning scores, team first: 1: 0-0; 2: 2-0; 3: 0-2; 4: 0-0; 5: 0-0; 6: 0-0; 7: 0-1; 8: 0-0 [S8]

Recorded scoring sequence: P2 None 1-0; P2 None 2-0; P3 None 2-2; P7 None 2-3

Fernando Tatis Jr.: At bats 5, Hits 1, Runs 0, Rbis 0, Strikeouts 2. Historical game participation; not tonight's confirmation.

Dustin Harris: At bats 4, Hits 2, Runs 0, Rbis 0, Strikeouts 0. Historical game participation; not tonight's confirmation.

Manny Machado: At bats 4, Hits 2, Runs 0, Rbis 0, Strikeouts 1. Historical game participation; not tonight's confirmation.

Interpretation: Separate the starting-pitcher matchup from relief innings. A close final score does not identify a repeatable bullpen or sequencing advantage.

Interpretation: These observations describe this game; opponent adjustment and stable repeatability have not been established.

2026-10-04 | away vs Milwaukee Brewers | L 3-4 (Final)

Period/quarter/inning scores, team first: 1: 1-0; 2: 0-0; 3: 0-0; 4: 0-0; 5: 1-1; 6: 0-0; 7: 1-1; 8: 0-0; 9: 0-2 [S9]

Recorded scoring sequence: P1 None 1-0; P5 None 2-0; P5 None 2-1; P7 None 3-1; P7 None 3-2; P9 None 3-4

Fernando Tatis Jr.: At bats 5, Hits 0, Runs 1, Rbis 0, Strikeouts 1. Historical game participation; not tonight's confirmation.

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3. Matchup interpretation and key players

Milwaukee Brewers

Current phase: 2 games, 2 wins; scoring average 3.50 for / 2.50 against. These are descriptive averages, not projected scores.

Probable pitcher	Dustin May / Right
Season sample	31 starts / 145.2 IP
ERA / WHIP	4.70 / 1.32
Strikeouts / walks	144 / 50
Source	S3 2026 regular season

Recent start source: S13

Recent start	IP	ER	K / BB	Pitches
2026-09-05	3.2	2	5 / 0	56
2026-09-11	6.0	0	6 / 1	84
2026-09-18	2.1	3	4 / 1	70
2026-09-22	2.0	2	2 / 2	36
2026-09-26	3.0	2	5 / 1	58

ERA and WHIP summarize past results. xERA/FIP, current pitch mix, expected innings, bullpen readiness and lineup handedness are not reconciled into the model.

San Diego Padres

Current phase: 4 games, 2 wins; scoring average 4.25 for / 2.00 against. These are descriptive averages, not projected scores.

Probable pitcher	Nick Pivetta / Right
Season sample	8 starts / 34.2 IP
ERA / WHIP	2.86 / 1.01
Strikeouts / walks	42 / 8
Source	S6 2026 regular season

Recent start source: S14

Recent start	IP	ER	K / BB	Pitches
2026-04-12	3.0	0	4 / 0	46
2026-09-07	5.0	0	2 / 0	63
2026-09-13	4.0	2	5 / 0	69

Recent start	IP	ER	K / BB	Pitches
2026-09-18	5.0	1	4 / 1	76
2026-09-24	4.2	0	7 / 1	87

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How to read the matchup

Compare the two recent-game sections: did score and underlying volume agree, did the game change late, and did current absences affect the players producing those numbers? Where shot-quality, possession or bullpen detail is missing, the report cannot declare a repeatable style edge.

Conditional game scripts

Early innings depend on the actual starter and batting order; later innings depend on available relievers and substitutions. The weather forecast supplies context but is not converted into a home-run or run-total adjustment without stadium-relative wind and a validated method.

4. Executed simulations and prediction limits

EXPERIMENTAL TEAM-SCORE BASELINE. This run is real and reproducible, but is not adjusted for the personnel, injuries, game-flow evidence, weather or tactical factors described in this report. It supplies the provisional prediction on page one; no accuracy or betting edge is established.	
Scenario win share	Milwaukee Brewers 51.6% San Diego Padres 48.4%
Average sampled score	Milwaukee Brewers 4.27 San Diego Padres 4.23
Total scenarios	Mean 8.50; central 80% sampled totals 3-14
Trials / seed	100,000 / 1953998197
Raw ties	10.6%; assumed 50/50 winner split
Run completed	2026-10-06T17:08:30.588335+00:00
Input hash	See retained JSON run record

Method: pooled venue scoring/conceding moments; independent negative-binomial draws where overdispersed, otherwise Poisson. For NHL, current completed regular-season results augment the preserved prior sample. NBA preseason estimates explicitly transfer preserved regular-season scoring without a rotation model. There is no opponent-strength, roster, goalie/pitcher or recency adjustment. Historical NHL overtime/shootout scores are included; raw ties are not regulation ties. MLB postseason transfer remains unvalidated.

Monte Carlo repeat-run error approximately +/- 0.31 percentage points at 95%. This only measures simulation noise; it excludes model and input uncertainty. No accuracy, calibration or ROI is claimed.

Milwaukee Brewers: 162 historical qualifying games; 81 in this venue role. Latest input 2026-09-27T19:10Z.

San Diego Padres: 162 historical qualifying games; 81 in this venue role. Latest input 2026-09-27T19:10Z.

Spread and total probabilities

DraftKings via ESPN, captured 2026-10-06T17:00:45.541756+00:00 [S5]. Snapshot, not a live available offer.

Captured spread	San Diego Padres -1.5; model cover 33.4%; away cover 66.6%; push 0.0%
Captured total	7.5; model over 54.3%; under 45.7%; push 0.0%

These fractions come from the same uncalibrated score scenarios. Price, bookmaker availability and edge are not established. NHL historical shootout scores and fair random tie breaking are a proxy, not exact sportsbook settlement.

Conditional player-prop outlook

Dustin May | Milwaukee Brewers

Conditional expected pitcher strikeouts: 4.4; 5+ probability 44.9%. Observed sample 5 games: 5.0, 6.0, 4.0, 2.0, 5.0.

Official probable pitcher; assumes workload similar to captured recent regular-season starts. Postseason hook and opposing lineup unmodeled. No current bookmaker player line captured.

Poisson with observed per-start mean; lineup and workload uncertainty unmodeled. Opportunity sensitivity: 3.5-5.3. +/-20% opportunity is an explicit illustrative assumption, not measured uncertainty. Sources: S13

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What changes the prediction

Different starter; scratch or minutes restriction; changed batting order/rotation; material weather change; corrected source results. The current model does not recompute player-specific team adjustments. This prepared report does not refresh itself.

5. Sources and freshness

Source numbers refer to the captured snapshots below. This is a prepared report; personnel and conditions may change before the game.

S1 | fetched 2026-10-06T17:00:55.769945+00:00

<https://statsapi.mlb.com/api/v1/schedule?sportId=1&date=2026-10-06&hydrate=probablePitcher,venue,team>

S2 | fetched 2026-10-06T17:00:57.010862+00:00

<https://api.weather.gov/gridpoints/SGX/57,14/forecast/hourly>

S3 | fetched 2026-10-06T17:02:18.108350+00:00

[https://statsapi.mlb.com/api/v1/people/669160?hydrate=stats\(group=\[pitching\],type=\[season\],season=2026\)](https://statsapi.mlb.com/api/v1/people/669160?hydrate=stats(group=[pitching],type=[season],season=2026))

S4 | fetched 2026-10-06T17:02:18.169328+00:00

<https://statsapi.mlb.com/api/v1.1/game/849826/feed/live>

S5 | fetched 2026-10-06T17:00:45.541756+00:00

<https://site.api.espn.com/apis/site/v2/sports/baseball/mlb/summary?event=401908004>

S6 | fetched 2026-10-06T17:02:18.218777+00:00

[https://statsapi.mlb.com/api/v1/people/601713?hydrate=stats\(group=\[pitching\],type=\[season\],season=2026\)](https://statsapi.mlb.com/api/v1/people/601713?hydrate=stats(group=[pitching],type=[season],season=2026))

S7 | fetched 2026-10-06T17:00:48.612966+00:00

<https://site.api.espn.com/apis/site/v2/sports/baseball/mlb/teams/8/schedule?season=2026&seasontype=3>

S8 | fetched 2026-10-06T17:00:54.932753+00:00

<https://site.api.espn.com/apis/site/v2/sports/baseball/mlb/summary?event=401908002>

S9 | fetched 2026-10-06T17:00:55.163222+00:00

<https://site.api.espn.com/apis/site/v2/sports/baseball/mlb/summary?event=401908003>

S10 | fetched 2026-10-06T17:00:48.799033+00:00

<https://site.api.espn.com/apis/site/v2/sports/baseball/mlb/teams/25/schedule?season=2026&seasontype=3>

S11 | fetched 2026-10-06T17:08:29.124963+00:00

<https://site.api.espn.com/apis/site/v2/sports/baseball/mlb/summary?event=401907974>

S12 | fetched 2026-10-06T17:00:55.535485+00:00

<https://site.api.espn.com/apis/site/v2/sports/baseball/mlb/summary?event=401907975>

S13 | fetched 2026-10-06T17:02:18.128059+00:00

<https://statsapi.mlb.com/api/v1/people/669160/stats?stats=gameLog&group=pitching&season=2026>

S14 | fetched 2026-10-06T17:02:18.264137+00:00

<https://statsapi.mlb.com/api/v1/people/601713/stats?stats=gameLog&group=pitching&season=2026>

Release status: PROVISIONAL RESEARCH. Predictions and conditional prop scenarios are experimental and unvalidated. All 23 catalog entries remain DRAFT; validated forecasts remain disabled.