

DRAFTEE FANTASY

ANALYSIS

2022

Welcome to our draftee fantasy analysis document for 2022!

We've crunched all the state league numbers to deliver you a comprehensive fantasy analysis of every draftee.

This document features AFL Fantasy averages from the league where draftees played majority of their football in 2022. It will also tell you what type of player they are in terms of position, how they build their fantasy scores, where they sit regarding team selection, along with other information that should be factored in when deciding whether to pick them in your fantasy team.

Use this document to find the next big player in AFL Fantasy.

DOCUMENT KEY:

Position:	Scoring:	Relevance:	Other:
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Plays up forward	Gets high possession numbers	Is a chance to debut in round 1	Missed games through injury last season
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Plays in the ruck	Kicks goals	Should score well early in their career	ls a mature age player
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Plays an inside midfielder role	Mostly uses the ball by foot	Might take time - stash for the future	Has senior experience
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Plays an outside midfielder role	Gets high tackle numbers	Unlikely to be a fantasy player	Has previously featured on a club's list
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Plays down back	Gets intercept possessions	Hard to tell at this stage	
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Plays as a key defender or forward			

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Cadman is the best key forward in the 2022 draft. He has a fantastic set of hands and manages to find the goals week in, week out. We often don't expect great fantasy scoring from key forwards, but Cadman put up some reasonable scores, particularly in the back end of the 2022 season. He averaged 110.4 from his final five games of the season booting 8 goals throughout this period. He also managed to rack up 20+ disposals in all but one of those outings. However, senior football is a different kettle of fish, and I don't expect him to be putting up too many big scores at the top level for a while.

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		Selectio	on:			2022 Club:					
	Pic	k 2 - Natio	nal Draft			Sandringham Dragons (NAB League)					
	Drafted To:						Position:				
	Brisbane Lions							MID			
GP	К	Н	М	Т	НО	HO FF FA G B					
14	15.8	18.7	3.3	4.9	0	2.5	0.8	0.4	0.8	117.9	

Ashcroft was the standout performer of this year's draft crop and deservedly went to the Brisbane Lions at pick 2 via father-son selection. The son of Brisbane three-time premiership player Marcus Ashcroft was prolific in his draft year playing as a ball-winning midfielder with footy smarts and good acceleration. He played 14 games for Sandringham Dragons in the NAB League for an average of 117.9 AFL Fantasy points. His top scores were 149 against Western Jets and 138 against Northern Knights. He also played 3 VFL games for an average of 116.3 with scores of 116, 122 and 111. He is the clear standout in this year's draft. Draft with confidence.

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		Selectio	on:			2022 Club:					
Pick 3 - National Draft						Sandringham Dragons (NAB League)					
	Drafted To:						Position:				
	North Melbourne Kangaroos						MID/FWD				
GP	К	Н	М	Т	НО	HO FF FA G B					
14	11.8	7.5	3.6	3.3	0	1	1.3	2.6	1.7	88.5	

Sheezel is one of the more naturally skilled footballers in this year's draft. Playing as a forward who can run through the midfield, he's a proven goalkicker with exceptional foot skills. Throughout the year, his scoring fluctuated which is not uncommon for forwards of his nature, but some of his ceiling games were remarkable. In round 9 of the NAB League, he had 37 disposals playing in the midfield, putting up a score of 159. He also had a 6-goal haul against Tasmania Devils to score 137 points. Expect his fantasy output to start slowly as a forward but keep an eye on him as he is added into the midfield rotation later in his career.

GEORGE WARDLAW 2022 Club: Selection: Pick 4 - National Draft Oakleigh Chargers (NAB League) Position: **Drafted To:** MID North Melbourne Kangaroos GP K HO FF FΑ G ΑF Н M Т В 0.5 8.5 3.8 4.2 0 8.0 1.2 0.2 68

Despite getting injured for the second half of the 2022 season, George Wardlaw was still considered one of the draft's best prospects. This tough inside midfielder has explosive qualities including a penetrative kick, clean hands, good athleticism, and the ability to go forward and kick a goal. Looking at his fantasy qualities, he only averaged 68 in the NAB League, but this included a score of 0 in a game where he got injured in the opening minute. If you take out this score, he averaged 91 AFL Fantasy points. As an inside midfielder, he may not have a huge impact in fantasy straight away, but he is one to watch over time.

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		Selectio	on:			2022 Club:					
Pick 5 - National Draft						Oakleigh Chargers (NAB League)					
Drafted To:						Position:					
	Essendon Bombers						MID				
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6	19.8	14	7.2	1.3	0	1.2	1.2	0.3	1	115	

Tsatas played on a wing early but added an inside game as the season went on. He possesses an elite kick and can break lines with his speed and athleticism. He started the year well averaging 112 AFL Fantasy points throughout the first four rounds of the season, but then missed two months with a foot fracture. He returned for one game in round 16 against Sandringham Dragons who featured some of the best talents in the draft. In this match he was clearly the best player on the ground scoring 115 AFL Fantasy points on the back of 38 disposals. Tsatas is a player that has a fantasy game and should be considered early in fantasy drafts.

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		Selection	on:			2022 Club:				
	Pio	ck 6 - Natio	nal Draft			Gippsland Power (NAB League)				
Drafted To:						Position:				
		Gold Coast	t Suns			MID/FWD				
GP	К	Н	M	Т	НО	O FF FA G E			В	AF
11	13.1	6.7	5.7	4.6	0	1.5	1	1.9	1.6	100

This powerful midfielder-forward impacts the game with his big frame and appetite for the contest. He's also damaging in front of goals kicking 21 majors from 11 games. The Gippsland product is considered to have the best all-round game in this year's draft crop. Looking at his AFL Fantasy numbers, he showed his ceiling with a massive score in round 14 against Northern Knights, racking up 31 disposals, 12 marks, 5 tackles and 4 goals. His scoring fluctuated throughout the year, but this is to be expected spending so much time up forward. He's likened to Jordan De Goey, so make of that what you will in terms of fantasy.