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Dan Hooker vs **Brian Ortega**

UFC Fight Night 294 — Lightweight

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MATCHUP BRIEF — Hooker vs Ortega

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Fighting Stats Dashboard stats updated: 2026-11-16 pull (UFC Stats commit 96adace8, 2026-11-15 data refresh; UFC Stats data through UFC 334: Gane vs. Hokit, Nov 14, 2026) **Research as-of:** 2026-11-16 **Bout:** Lightweight — **Dan Hooker (Blue)** vs **Brian Ortega (Red)** — UFC Fight Night: Prochazka vs. Stirling (Main Card), Sat Nov 21, 2026, ABHA Arena, Doha, Qatar

1. Quick Tape

Dan Hooker (Blue)		Brian Ortega (Red)
24-15-0 (UFC **14-11**)	**Record**	**16-5-0 (1 NC)** (UFC **8-5, 1 NC**)
36 on fight night (DOB Feb 13, 1990)	**Age**	**35** on fight night (DOB Feb 21, 1991)
6' 0" / 75"	**Height / Reach**	5' 8" / 69"
Switch	**Stance**	Switch
Auckland (UFC.com: Saigon Sports Club)	**Gym**	Team Ortega
#14 (LW)	**Ranking**	Unranked (LW)
L3	**Streak**	L2
Salahdine Parnasse — TKO (Body Kick and Punches) L (Sep 5, 2026)	**Last fight**	Aljamain Sterling — Decision (Unanimous) L (Aug 23, 2025)
Pro: 11 KO / 7 SUB / 6 DEC	**Win methods**	Pro: 3 KO / 8 SUB / 5 DEC
Yes (5 KO/TKO, 4 SUB, 6 DEC losses)	**Finished before?**	Yes (2 KO/TKO, 0 SUB, 3 DEC losses)
~**2.5 months** (77 days)	**Layoff into this bout**	~**14.9 months** (455 days)
Featherweight (2014–2016), lightweight since 2017, one featherweight return (2022)	**Weight history**	Featherweight (2014–2025); lightweight move announced for 2026; one 153-lb catchweight (Aug 2025)

2. Statistical Edges (UFC — UFC Stats)

Lightweight division averages from UFC Stats (n=457 with metrics).

Hooker (25, 245.7 min)	Metric	Ortega (14, 193.3 min)	Edge
4.82 (pctl 86)	**SLpM**	3.84 (pctl 71)	Hooker
4.94 (pctl 16)	**SApM**	6.38 (pctl 6)	Hooker
48.6% (pctl 74)	**Str Acc**	37.3% (pctl 26)	Hooker
49.0% (pctl 27)	**Str Def**	49.3% (pctl 28)	Ortega
33.3% (pctl 41)	**TD Acc**	25.0% (pctl 26)	Hooker
77.1% (pctl 82)	**TD Def**	54.5% (pctl 42)	Hooker
2:36 (pctl 52)	**CTRL /15**	1:17 (pctl 29)	Hooker
2:12 (pctl 67)	**CTRL against /15**	1:43 (pctl 77)	Ortega
0.55 (pctl 84)	**KD rate /15**	0.39 (pctl 76)	Hooker

Hooker (25, 245.7 min)	Metric	Ortega (14, 193.3 min)	Edge
0.18 (pctl 54)	**KD absorbed /15**	0.16 (pctl 56)	Ortega
0.67 (11/33)	**TD Avg /15**	0.93 (12/48)	Ortega
0.55	**Sub Avg /15**	0.93	Ortega
Distance 84.6% / Clinch 8.4% / Ground 7.0%	**Position share (sig landed)**	Distance 88.5% / Clinch 6.6% / Ground 4.9%	—

3. Style Clash (sourced, how they normally win)

Hooker path (how he has been winning): Counter-striking finisher at lightweight; guillotine and power-punch knockouts (Miller, Burns, Vick) plus close decisions over Felder, Turner and Gamrot. Three straight stoppage losses since Nov 2025.

Ortega path (how he has been winning): Finishes with submissions and flying-knee/triangle/guillotine scrambles; two straight decision losses since the Feb 2024 Rodríguez submission win.

Central tension: Hooker's counter striking and power versus Ortega's jiu-jitsu and scrambles — both coming off stoppage/withdrawal-heavy stretches.

Physicals + stance: See Quick Tape for height/reach (UFC Stats).

4. Optimal Matchup Path (keys — not picks)

For Hooker (Blue)

- Keep the fight standing and counter Ortega's entries.
- Avoid guillotine-heavy exchanges and long scrambles.
- Use early power; Hooker's best recent results are close decisions or first-round knockouts.

For Ortega (Red)

- Take the fight to the mat or clinch where triangle/guillotine work is available.
- Absorb early and rally late (Guida, Brandão wins).
- Make lightweight work after the weight-cut interruptions of his featherweight years.

Expectation-break watch: Ortega's lightweight debut after repeated withdrawals, and Hooker's durability after three straight losses.

5. Last Five Fights (dates + time between)

Hooker — last 5

#	Date	Opponent	Result	Method	Time since prior
1	**Sep 5, 2026**	Salahdine Parnasse (UFC Fight Night 287 - Hooker vs. Parnasse)	L	TKO (Body Kick and Punches) R1	**217 days** after Denis
2	**Jan 31, 2026**	Benoit St. Denis (UFC 325 - Volkanovski vs. Lopes 2)	L	TKO (Elbows and Punches) R2	**70 days** after Tsarukyan
3	**Nov 22, 2025**	Arman Tsarukyan (UFC Fight Night 265 - Tsarukyan vs. Hooker)	L	Submission (Arm-Triangle Choke) R2	**462 days** after Gamrot
4	**Aug 17, 2024**	Mateusz Gamrot (UFC 305 - Du Plessis vs. Adesanya)	W	Decision (Split)	**406 days** after Turner
5	**Jul 8, 2023**	Jalin Turner (UFC 290 - Volkanovski vs. Rodriguez)	W	Decision (Split)	**238 days** after Puelles

Into UFC Fight Night 294 (Nov 21, 2026): 77 days (~2.5 months) since Parnasse.

Ortega — last 5

#	Date	Opponent	Result	Method	Time since prior
1	**Aug 23, 2025**	Aljamain Sterling (UFC Fight Night 257 - Walker vs. Zhang)	L	Decision (Unanimous)	**343 days** after Lopes
2	**Sep 14, 2024**	Diego Lopes (UFC 306 - Noche UFC: O'Malley vs. Dvalishvili)	L	Decision (Unanimous)	**203 days** after Rodriguez
3	**Feb 24, 2024**	Yair Rodriguez (UFC Fight Night 237 - Moreno vs. Royval 2)	W	Submission (Arm-Triangle Choke) R3	**588 days** after Rodriguez
4	**Jul 16, 2022**	Yair Rodriguez (UFC on ABC 3 - Ortega vs. Rodriguez)	L	TKO (Shoulder Injury) R1	**294 days** after Volkanovski
5	**Sep 25, 2021**	Alexander Volkanovski (UFC 266 - Volkanovski vs. Ortega)	L	Decision (Unanimous)	**343 days** after Jung

Into UFC Fight Night 294 (Nov 21, 2026): 455 days (~14.9 months) since Sterling.

6. Betting Snapshot

Disclaimer: Informational only. **Not betting advice.** As-of **2026-11-16**.

Book	Hooker	Ortega
CBS Sports	–185	+154
UFC.com	no odds listed	no odds listed

7. Social Handles

Fighter	Instagram	X / Other	Notes
Dan Hooker	@danhangman	@danthehangman	Linked from the UFC.com athlete page
Brian Ortega	@briantcity	@BrianTcity	Linked from the UFC.com athlete page

No invented posts.

8. Sources

• Full reports: `dan-hooker-scouting-report-2026-11-16.md`, `brian-ortega-scouting-report-2026-11-16.md`
• UFC Stats (UFC Stats scrape): 2026-11-16 pull (UFC Stats commit 96adace8, 2026-11-15 data refresh; UFC Stats data through UFC 334: Gane vs. Hokit, Nov 14, 2026)
• UFC.com event page (https://www.ufc.com/event/ufc-fight-night-november-21-2026) and athlete pages; Sherdog fighter records; Wikipedia
• https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/UFC_Fight_Night:_Proch%C3%A1zka_vs._Stirling
• UFC.com event page (https://www.ufc.com/event/ufc-fight-night-november-21-2026), checked 2026-11-16
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SCOUTING REPORT — Dan Hooker (Blue)

Dan Hooker — Professional Scouting Report

Fighting Stats As-of: 2026-11-16 **Dashboard stats updated:** 2026-11-16 pull (UFC Stats commit 96adace8, 2026-11-15 data refresh; UFC Stats data through UFC 334: Gane vs. Hokit, Nov 14, 2026) **Slug:** `dan-hooker`

Fighter Header / Tombstone

Field	Detail
Full Name	Daniel Preston Hooker
Nickname	The Hangman
Weight Class & Ranking	Lightweight — **#14** (UFC.com rankings)
Record	**24-15-0** (Sherdog); **UFC 14-11-0** (UFC Stats)
DOB / Age	Feb 13, 1990 / **36** (as of 2026-11-16; **36** on fight night Nov 21, 2026)
Birthplace	Auckland, New Zealand
Fights Out Of	Auckland, New Zealand
Gym	Combat Academy / City Kickboxing roots (Auckland); UFC.com lists Saigon Sports Club (Vietnam)
Height / Reach	6' 0" / 75"
Stance	Switch (UFC Stats TOTT)
UFC	UFC
UFC Stats	UFC Stats
Sherdog	Sherdog

1. Early Life and Athletic Background

Born Feb 13, 1990 in Auckland into a family of partial Maori (Ngati Maniapoto) descent. He played both codes of rugby through school and was introduced to MMA by a friend after leaving school. He has coached MMA since 2008, including as head coach at City Kickboxing in Auckland, and opened his own gym, Combat Academy in Ellerslie, in mid-2018 (later closed to focus on fighting). He received his BJJ black belt on Oct 25, 2025.

Sources: Wikipedia (Dan Hooker); UFC.com athlete page

2. Training Gym, Coaches, and Training Partners

- **Auckland, New Zealand** — Wikipedia says he continues to live and train there; Wikipedia notes he trained at City Kickboxing in Newton, Auckland, before the 2017 Ross Pearson fight.
- UFC.com lists **Saigon Sports Club (Vietnam)** as his gym; he joined the Tiger Muay Thai pro fight team in 2016 (Wikipedia).
- Black belt in Brazilian jiu-jitsu (Oct 2025) and a pro kickboxing record of 9-1-3 (Wikipedia).

Sources: Wikipedia (Dan Hooker); UFC.com athlete page

2B. Social Media Deep Dive

Platform	Handle / URL	Status (as of 2026-11-16)
Instagram	@danhangman	Linked from the UFC.com athlete page
X	@danthehangman	Linked from the UFC.com athlete page

Posts that matter (sourced, not invented captions):

• No public injury, camp-change or withdrawal posts located for this fight week as of 2026-11-16.

3. Injury History and Medical Information

Documented items:

• **Hand injury (Mar 2023):** withdrew from UFC 285 vs. Jalin Turner (replaced by Mateusz Gamrot) (Wikipedia).

• **Injury (Dec 2023):** withdrew from the Bobby Green fight a week out (replaced by Turner) (Wikipedia).

• **Hand injury (Mar 2025):** withdrew from the UFC 313 bout vs. Justin Gaethje (replaced by Rafael Fiziev) (Wikipedia).

• **Quick turnaround:** MMA Fighting notes Hooker re-enters the cage quickly after a first-round KO loss to Salahdine Parnasse earlier this season (Sept 5, 2026).

• **Longest gap between pro bouts: 462 days** (Aug 17, 2024 → Nov 22, 2025) (Sherdog dates).

• **Knockdowns absorbed in the UFC:** UFC Stats credits opponents with **3** knockdowns against Hooker in 25 UFC fights.

• **Into UFC Fight Night 294 (Nov 21, 2026): 77 days** since the last bout (Sep 5, 2026). Active on UFC.com and booked; no public injury disclosure for this camp located beyond the items above.

No medical clearance claim beyond public activity and the confirmed booking.

Sources: Wikipedia (Dan Hooker); MMA Fighting (Sept 29, 2026); UFC Stats

4. Professional Fight Promotions and Career Trajectory

Debuted in MMA in March 2009 and went 10-4 mainly in New Zealand before the UFC. Debuted at UFC Fight Night 43 (June 2014) with a R1 TKO of Ian Entwistle. Moved up to lightweight in 2017 and beat Ross Pearson (R2 KO), Marc Diakiese (R3 guillotine), Jim Miller (R1 KO) and Gilbert Burns (R1 KO), lost to Edson Barboza (TKO), then knocked out James Vick in round one. He split decisions with Al Iaquinta (UD win), Paul Felder (SD win) and Dustin Poirier (UD loss, Fight of the Night), lost to Michael Chandler (R1 TKO), Islam Makhachev (R1 kimura, short notice) and Arnold Allen (featherweight, R1 TKO), then beat Jalin Turner (SD, UFC 290) and Mateusz Gamrot (SD, UFC 305). Recent results: lost by R2 arm-triangle to Arman Tsarukyan (Nov 22, 2025, Doha main event), R2 TKO to Benoît Saint Denis (UFC 325, Feb 1, 2026) and R1 TKO to Salahdine Parnasse (Sept 5, 2026).

Sources: Wikipedia (Dan Hooker); Sherdog; UFC Stats

5. Professional Record and Method Breakdown

Method pies — counts (overall pro — Sherdog)

Wins (24): KO/TKO **11** (46%) · Submission **7** (29%) · Decision **6** (25%) **Losses (15):** KO/TKO **5** (33%) · Submission **4** (27%) · Decision **6** (40%)

UFC wins (14 — UFC Stats): KO/TKO **7** · Submission **2** · Decision **5 UFC losses (11):** KO/TKO **5** · Submission **2** · Decision **4**

Finish subtype pies (UFC-only — UFC Stats METHOD+DETAILS)

UFC KO/TKO wins: Kicks **2** · Punches (Distance) **2** · Knees **2** · Elbows (Ground) **1 UFC SUB wins:** Guillotine **2 UFC finishing losses:** Salahdine Parnasse (KO/TKO, Punch to Head At Distance); Benoit Saint Denis (KO/TKO, Punches to Head From Mount); Arman Tsarukyan (Submission, Arm Triangle From Mount); Arnold Allen (KO/TKO, Punches to Head At Distance); Islam Makhachev (Submission, Kimura From Side Control); Michael Chandler (KO/TKO, Punch to Head At Distance); Edson Barboza (KO/TKO, Punches to Body At Distance)

Pro win finishes (Sherdog): KO/TKO — Front Kick to the Body **1**, Punch **2**, Knee **2**, Head Kick and Punches **1**, Elbows **1**, Punches **1**, Doctor Stoppage **2**, Eye Injury **1** · Submission — Guillotine Choke **3**, Rear-Naked Choke **2**, Triangle Choke **1**, Armbar **1**

Complete professional record (Sherdog; UFC rows cross-checked to UFC Stats)

Date	Opponent	Result	Method	R	Event	Opp. UFC rec (at fight)
2026-09-05	Salahdine Parnasse	**L**	TKO (Body Kick and Punches)	1	UFC Fight Night 287 - Hooker vs. Parnasse	0-0-0
2026-01-31	Benoit St. Denis	**L**	TKO (Elbows and Punches)	2	UFC 325 - Volkanovski vs. Lopes 2	—
2025-11-22	Arman Tsarukyan	**L**	Submission (Arm-Triangle Choke)	2	UFC Fight Night 265 - Tsarukyan vs. Hooker	9-2-0

Date	Opponent	Result	Method	R	Event	Opp. UFC rec (at fight)
2024-08-17	Mateusz Gamrot	**W**	Decision (Split)	3	UFC 305 - Du Plessis vs. Adesanya	7-2-0
2023-07-08	Jalin Turner	**W**	Decision (Split)	3	UFC 290 - Volkanovski vs. Rodriguez	6-3-0
2022-11-12	Claudio Puelles	**W**	TKO (Front Kick to the Body)	2	UFC 281 - Adesanya vs. Pereira	5-1-0
2022-03-19	Arnold Allen	**L**	TKO (Punches and Elbows)	1	UFC Fight Night 204 - Volkov vs. Aspinall	8-0-0
2021-10-30	Islam Makhachev	**L**	Submission (Kimura)	1	UFC 267 - Blachowicz vs. Teixeira	9-1-0
2021-09-25	Nasrat Haqparast	**W**	Decision (Unanimous)	3	UFC 266 - Volkanovski vs. Ortega	5-2-0
2021-01-23	Michael Chandler	**L**	TKO (Punches)	1	UFC 257 - Poirier vs. McGregor 2	0-0-0
2020-06-27	Dustin Poirier	**L**	Decision (Unanimous)	5	UFC on ESPN 12 - Poirier vs. Hooker	17-5-0
2020-02-23	Paul Felder	**W**	Decision (Split)	5	UFC Fight Night 168 - Felder vs. Hooker	9-4-0
2019-10-05	Al Iaquinta	**W**	Decision (Unanimous)	3	UFC 243 - Whittaker vs. Adesanya	9-4-0
2019-07-20	James Vick	**W**	KO (Punch)	1	UFC on ESPN 4 - Dos Anjos vs. Edwards	9-3-0
2018-12-15	Edson Barboza	**L**	KO (Punch to the Body)	3	UFC on Fox 31 - Iaquinta vs. Lee 2	13-6-0
2018-07-07	Gilbert Burns	**W**	KO (Punch)	1	UFC 226 - Miocic vs. Cormier	6-2-0
2018-04-21	Jim Miller	**W**	KO (Knee)	1	UFC Fight Night 128 - Barboza vs. Lee	17-10-0
2017-12-30	Marc Diakiese	**W**	Submission (Guillotine Choke)	3	UFC 219 - Cyborg vs. Holm	3-1-0
2017-06-10	Ross Pearson	**W**	KO (Knee)	2	UFC Fight Night 110 - Hunt vs. Lewis	11-10-0
2016-11-26	Jason Knight	**L**	Decision (Unanimous)	3	UFC Fight Night 101 - Whittaker vs. Brunson	1-1-0
2016-03-19	Mark Eddiva	**W**	Submission (Guillotine Choke)	1	UFC Fight Night 85 - Hunt vs. Mir	1-2-0
2015-10-03	Yair Rodriguez	**L**	Decision (Unanimous)	3	UFC 192 - Cormier vs. Gustafsson	2-0-0
2015-05-10	Hatsu Hioki	**W**	KO (Head Kick and Punches)	2	UFC Fight Night 65 - Miocic vs. Hunt	3-4-0
2014-09-20	Maximo Blanco	**L**	Decision (Unanimous)	3	UFC Fight Night 52 - Hunt vs. Nelson	2-3-0
2014-06-28	Ian Entwistle	**W**	TKO (Elbows)	1	UFC Fight Night 43 - Te Huna vs. Marquardt	0-0-0

Date	Opponent	Result	Method	R	Event	Opp. UFC rec (at fight)
2013-08-24	Nick Patterson	**W**	TKO (Punches)	3	AFC 6 - Australian Fighting Championship 6	—
2013-05-10	Rusty McBride	**W**	Submission (Rear-Naked Choke)	1	AFC 5 - Australian Fighting Championship 5	—
2012-10-13	Sboh Ceeh Khuboni	**W**	Submission (Triangle Choke)	1	Shuriken MMA - Clash of the Continents	—
2012-06-16	Chengjie Wu	**W**	TKO (Doctor Stoppage)	1	Legend FC - Legend Fighting Championship 9	—
2012-04-14	Rusty McBride	**W**	TKO (Doctor Stoppage)	2	AFC 3 - Australian Fighting Championship 3	—
2012-03-30	Haotian Wu	**L**	Technical Submission (Rear-Naked Choke)	2	Legend FC - Legend Fighting Championship 8	—
2011-09-03	Yuma Ishizuka	**W**	Decision (Unanimous)	3	AFC 2 - Lombard vs. Taylor	—
2011-07-30	Scott MacGregor	**W**	Submission (Guillotine Choke)	1	SFC 8 - Triple Threat	—
2010-07-03	Rob Lisita	**L**	Decision (Split)	3	SCF 6 - Southern Supremacy	—
2010-03-27	Sonny Brown	**L**	Submission (Rear-Naked Choke)	2	Rize 4 - Crowning Glory	—
2009-12-05	Ken Yasuda	**W**	TKO (Eye Injury)	1	Rize 3 - Ascension	—
2009-11-14	Adam Calver	**W**	Submission (Armbar)	1	SCF 4 - Legends Rise	—
2009-07-25	Adam Calver	**L**	Decision (Split)	3	SCF 3 - Supremacy Cage Fighting 3	—
2009-03-07	Mike Taylor	**W**	Submission (Rear-Naked Choke)	1	SCF 2 - Supremacy Cage Fighting 2	—

Finish Subtype Trends — Dan Hooker

UFC-only subtypes parsed from UFC Stats METHOD + DETAILS (no invention). **Full pro (Research)** subtypes appear only where the scouting report already states them. Coverage differs for pre-UFC bouts — labels mark the source.

UFC-only win finishes (METHOD + DETAILS)

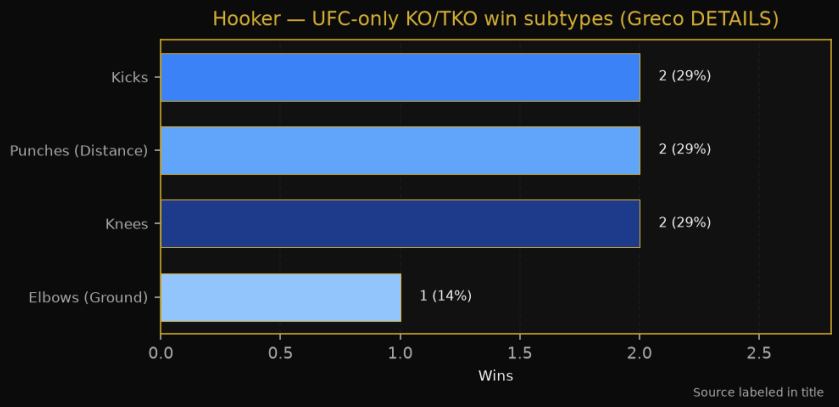
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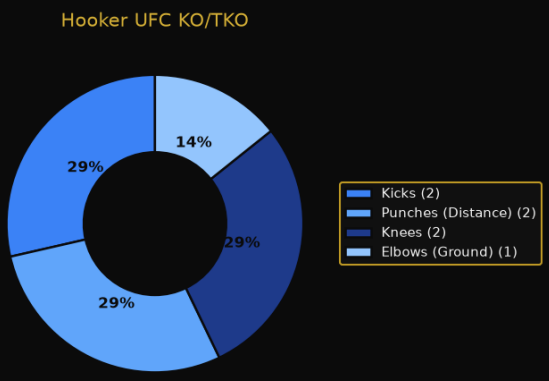
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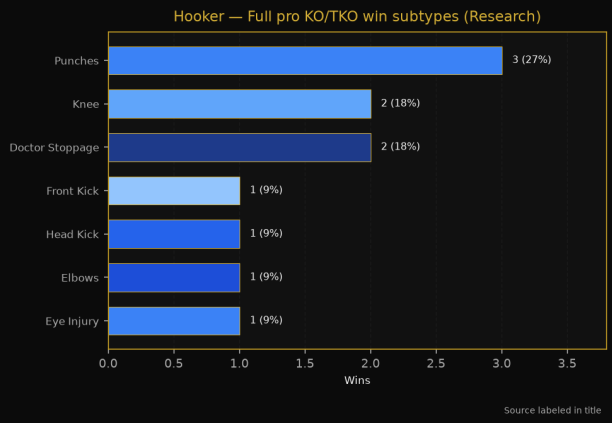
Subtype	Wins	Share
Kicks	2	28.6%
Punches (Distance)	2	28.6%
Knees	2	28.6%
Elbows (Ground)	1	14.3%

Submission subtypes

Subtype	Wins	Share
Guillotine	2	100.0%



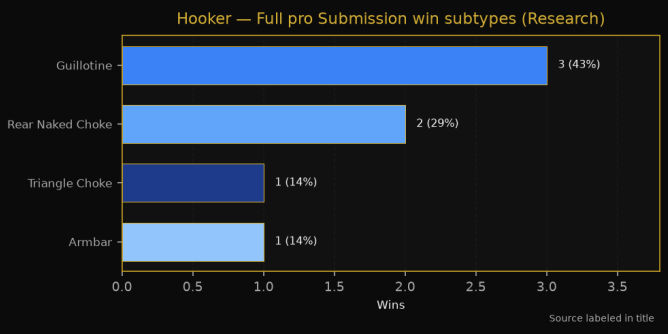


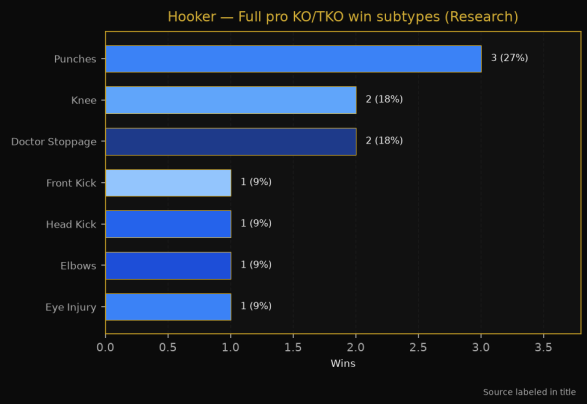


Full pro win finishes (Research Markdown)

KO/TKO wins (Research subtypes): **11** · Submission wins: **7** — includes pre-UFC.

Family	Subtype	Wins	Share	Source
KO/TKO	Punches	3	27.3%	Research
KO/TKO	Knee	2	18.2%	Research
KO/TKO	Doctor Stoppage	2	18.2%	Research
KO/TKO	Front Kick	1	9.1%	Research
KO/TKO	Head Kick	1	9.1%	Research
KO/TKO	Elbows	1	9.1%	Research
KO/TKO	Eye Injury	1	9.1%	Research
Submission	Guillotine	3	42.9%	Research
Submission	Rear Naked Choke	2	28.6%	Research
Submission	Triangle Choke	1	14.3%	Research
Submission	Armbar	1	14.3%	Research





Trend reads

- UFC-only KO/TKO wins (7): top subtype Kicks (2/7, 28.6%).
- UFC-only submission wins (2): Guillotine 2/2 (100.0%).
- UFC finishing losses: Punches (Distance) x4 (KO/TKO); Punches (Ground / GnP) x1 (KO/TKO); Arm Triangle x1 (Submission); Kimura x1 (Submission).
- Full pro (Research) win finish subtypes -- KO/TKO Punches x3, Knee x2, Doctor Stoppage x2, Front Kick x1, Head Kick x1; SUB Guillotine x3, Rear Naked Choke x2, Triangle Choke x1, Armbar x1 (includes pre-UFC; Research method strings).
- Pre-UFC / Research-only subtypes not seen in UFC Stats DETAILS: Doctor Stoppage, Triangle Choke, Armbar, Head Kick.

UFC finishing losses (for context)

- KO/TKO — Punches (Distance) ×4
- KO/TKO — Punches (Ground / GnP) ×1
- Submission — Arm Triangle ×1
- Submission — Kimura ×1

DAN HOOKER — FIGHT NARRATIVES (UFC)

Round stats from UFC Stats; official results from UFC Stats / Sherdog. Most recent 8 of 25 UFC fights shown; the full UFC history is in the record table above.

vs Salahdine Parnasse (Sep 5, 2026) — L KO/TKO R1 2:35 (Punch to Head At Distance) — UFC Fight Night: Hooker vs. Parnasse (Lightweight)

- **R1: 14/31** significant strikes vs Parnasse's 12/17, knocked down **1**×.
- **Fight:** 14/31 significant strikes vs 12/17; takedowns 0/0 vs 0/0; control 0:00 vs 0:02; knockdowns 0–1.

vs Benoit Saint Denis (Jan 31, 2026) — L KO/TKO R2 4:45 (Punches to Head From Mount) — UFC 325: Volkanovski vs. Lopes 2 (Lightweight)

- **R1: 26/41** significant strikes vs Denis's 35/46, Denis 2/6 takedowns, **0:22** of control, controlled for 1:55, 1 submission attempt.
- **R2: 4/6** significant strikes vs Denis's 62/81, 0/1 takedowns, Denis 0/3 takedowns, controlled for 4:19, 1 submission attempt, Denis 2 submission attempts.
- **Fight:** 30/47 significant strikes vs 97/127; takedowns 0/1 vs 2/9; control 0:28 vs 6:14.
- **Tape signal:** Denis controlled 6:14 of the fight.

vs Arman Tsarukyan (Nov 22, 2025) — L SUB R2 3:34 (Arm Triangle From Mount) — UFC Fight Night: Tsarukyan vs. Hooker (Lightweight)

- **R1: 5/20** significant strikes vs Tsarukyan's 19/30, Tsarukyan 1/3 takedowns, controlled for 3:16, 1 submission attempt.
- **R2: 5/13** significant strikes vs Tsarukyan's 23/30, Tsarukyan 1/1 takedowns, controlled for 2:46, 1 submission attempt, Tsarukyan 1 submission attempt.
- **Fight:** 10/33 significant strikes vs 42/60; takedowns 0/0 vs 2/4; control 0:10 vs 6:02.
- **Tape signal:** Tsarukyan controlled 6:02 of the fight.

vs Mateusz Gamrot (Aug 17, 2024) — W SD (29-28, 29-28, 29-28) — UFC 305: Du Plessis vs. Adesanya (Lightweight)

- **R1: 20/43** significant strikes vs Gamrot's 26/54, Gamrot 2/4 takedowns, **0:17** of control, controlled for 1:31.
- **R2: 17/34** significant strikes vs Gamrot's 11/17, Gamrot 2/4 takedowns, **0:44** of control, controlled for 2:37.
- **R3: 28/66** significant strikes vs Gamrot's 27/58, Gamrot 1/7 takedowns, **0:27** of control, controlled for 0:51.
- **Fight:** 65/143 significant strikes vs 64/129; takedowns 0/0 vs 5/15; control 1:28 vs 4:59.

vs Jalin Turner (Jul 8, 2023) — W SD (29-28, 29-28, 29-28) — UFC 290: Volkanovski vs. Rodriguez (Lightweight)

- **R1: 38/54** significant strikes vs Turner's 34/69, 0/1 takedowns.
- **R2: 44/81** significant strikes vs Turner's 34/60, Turner 0/1 takedowns, **0:16** of control, 1 submission attempt.
- **R3: 43/62** significant strikes vs Turner's 32/48, **1** knockdown scored, 0/1 takedowns, Turner 1/2 takedowns, **2:53** of control, controlled for 0:18.
- **Fight:** 125/197 significant strikes vs 100/177; takedowns 0/2 vs 1/3; control 3:09 vs 0:18; knockdowns 1–0.

vs Claudio Puelles (Nov 12, 2022) — W KO/TKO R2 4:06 (Kick to Body At DistanceFront Kick) — UFC 281: Adesanya vs. Pereira (Lightweight)

- **R1: 10/27** significant strikes vs Puelles's 0/5, Puelles 0/2 takedowns, **1:11** of control, Puelles 1 submission attempt.
- **R2: 19/36** significant strikes vs Puelles's 5/13, **1** knockdown scored, Puelles 0/6 takedowns, **0:57** of control, 1 submission attempt.
- **Fight:** 29/63 significant strikes vs 5/18; takedowns 0/0 vs 0/8; control 2:08 vs 0:08; knockdowns 1–0.

vs Arnold Allen (Mar 19, 2022) — L KO/TKO R1 2:33 (Punches to Head At Distance) — UFC Fight Night: Volkov vs. Aspinall (Featherweight)

- **R1: 14/49** significant strikes vs Allen's 49/84.
- **Fight:** 14/49 significant strikes vs 49/84; takedowns 0/0 vs 0/0; control 0:00 vs 0:02.

vs Islam Makhachev (Oct 30, 2021) — L SUB R1 2:25 (Kimura From Side Control) — UFC 267: Blachowicz vs. Teixeira (Lightweight)

- **R1: 4/13** significant strikes vs Makhachev's 2/3, Makhachev 1/1 takedowns, controlled for 1:48, Makhachev 2 submission attempts.
- **Fight:** 4/13 significant strikes vs 2/3; takedowns 0/0 vs 1/1; control 0:00 vs 1:48.

Cardio / round trends (UFC Stats, 25 UFC fights): significant strikes landed per round R1 18.3 → R2 24.4 → R3 24.4; absorbed R1 16.5 → R2 27.6 → R3 23.8; control per round R1 0:25 → R2 0:43 → R3 1:16. Rounds sampled — R1: 25, R2: 16, R3: 11.

UFC Stats — Condensed Identity

Field	Value
Nickname (UFC Stats)	The Hangman
DOB (age as of 2026-11-16)	Feb 13, 1990 (**36**)
Height / Weight / Reach	6' 0" / 155 lbs. / 75"
Stance	Switch
UFC record	**14-11-0** (25 timed fights, 245.7 min)

Career rates vs Lightweight division (UFC Stats + division averages, n=457)

Metric	Hooker	Div avg		Read
SLpM	**4.82**	3.12	+1.70	Above div avg (pctl 86)
SApM	**4.94**	3.65	+1.29	Below div avg (pctl 16)
SS Acc	**48.6%**	42.3%	+6.3	Near div avg (pctl 74)
SS Def	**49.0%**	54.4%	–5.4	Near div avg (pctl 27)
TD Acc	**33.3%**	36.2%	–2.9	Near div avg (pctl 41)

Metric	Hooker	Div avg		Read
TDD	**77.1%**	56.1%	+21.0	Above div avg (pctl 82)
CTRL /15	**2:36**	2:49	–0:13	Near div avg (pctl 52)
CTRL against /15	**2:12**	3:42	–1:30	Above div avg (pctl 67)
KD rate /15	**0.55**	0.27	+0.28	Above div avg (pctl 84)
KD absorbed /15	**0.18**	0.52	–0.34	Above div avg (pctl 54)
TD Avg /15	**0.67** (11/33)	—	—	Takedown volume
Sub Avg /15	**0.55** (9 attempts)	—	—	Submission attempts

Striking mix: Head **61.5%** / Body 18.2% / Leg 20.3% of significant strikes landed · Distance 84.6% / Clinch 8.4% / Ground 7.0%. Absorbed mix: Head 71.7% / Body 17.4% / Leg 10.9% · Distance 78.4% / Clinch 8.9% / Ground 12.7%.

6. Fighting Style, Strengths, and How They Win

- **Power-punching striker with kickboxing roots** (9-1-3 as a kickboxer; King in the Ring middleweight champion) (Wikipedia).
- **Guillotine/opportunistic submission threat:** guillotine finishes of Mark Eddiva and Marc Diakiese (Wikipedia).
- **Takes part in wars:** two Fight of the Night bonuses vs. Felder and Poirier, a third vs. Gamrot (Wikipedia).

Sources: Wikipedia (Dan Hooker); UFC Stats

Expectation Breaks

- Three straight losses (Tsarukyan, Saint Denis, Parnasse), each by submission or stoppage within two rounds, and the Parnasse loss was only about 11 weeks before this booking.
- The favourite on the books despite that run: CBS lists Hooker –185 over Ortega +154 on Nov 16.
- Wikipedia notes Hooker laid his gloves down after the Chandler loss, then said he would not retire.

7. Community / Expert Predictions and Sentiment

Label: opinion / media narrative — not facts about fight outcome.

- **Market:** CBS lists Hooker –185 / Ortega +154 (Nov 16); UFC.com lists no odds for this bout.
- Media framing (MMA Fighting, Sept 29): Ortega returns after pulling out of the Moicano bout with a cut over his eye; Hooker re-enters the cage quickly after the Parnasse KO loss.

No anonymous forum picks are included beyond sourced public pages.

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Fighting Stats. As-of 2026-11-16. Opinions labeled in §7.

SCOUTING REPORT — Brian Ortega (Red)

Brian Ortega — Professional Scouting Report

Fighting Stats As-of: 2026-11-16 **Dashboard stats updated:** 2026-11-16 pull (UFC Stats commit 96adace8, 2026-11-15 data refresh; UFC Stats data through UFC 334: Gane vs. Hokit, Nov 14, 2026) **Slug:** `brian-ortega`

Fighter Header / Tombstone

Field	Detail
Full Name	Brian Martin Ortega
Nickname	T-City
Weight Class & Ranking	Lightweight — unranked (UFC.com event page shows no rank); former UFC featherweight title challenger
Record	**16-5-0 (1 NC)** (Sherdog); **UFC 8-5-0 (1 NC)** (UFC Stats)
DOB / Age	Feb 21, 1991 / **35** (as of 2026-11-16; **35** on fight night Nov 21, 2026)
Birthplace	Los Angeles, California, USA
Fights Out Of	Carson / San Pedro, California, USA
Gym	Team Ortega (UFC.com); Gracie Jiu-Jitsu Academy (Torrance) roots
Height / Reach	5' 8" / 69"
Stance	Switch (UFC Stats TOTT)
UFC	UFC
UFC Stats	UFC Stats
Sherdog	Sherdog

1. Early Life and Athletic Background

Born Feb 21, 1991 in Los Angeles; American and Mexican citizen (his parents are from Hermosillo, Sonora). He grew up in a Section 8 housing project in San Pedro. At 13 his father enrolled him at the Gracie Jiu-Jitsu Academy in Torrance, where Rener Gracie became his head coach; at 17 he met boxing coach James Luhrsen. He won the Respect in the Cage featherweight title (UD over Carlos Garces) and went 8-0 on Southern California regional shows before signing with the UFC in April 2014.

Sources: Wikipedia (Brian Ortega); UFC.com athlete page

2. Training Gym, Coaches, and Training Partners

- **Team Ortega** is listed on UFC.com; Wikipedia credits Rener Gracie (BJJ) and James Luhrsen (boxing) for his early success.
- UFC.com lists his fighting style as Jiu-Jitsu.

Sources: Wikipedia (Brian Ortega); UFC.com athlete page

2B. Social Media Deep Dive

Platform	Handle / URL	Status (as of 2026-11-16)
Instagram	@briantcity	Linked from the UFC.com athlete page
X	@BrianTcity	Linked from the UFC.com athlete page

Posts that matter (sourced, not invented captions):

- No public injury, camp-change or withdrawal posts located for this fight week as of 2026-11-16.

3. Injury History and Medical Information

Documented items:

- **Aug 2025 weight cut:** the Sterling fight was changed to a 153-lb catchweight after Ortega had weight-cut complications (Wikipedia).
- **2026 withdrawals:** pulled out of the Mar 7, 2026 Renato Moicano rematch (UFC 326) with an injury and, per Wikipedia, withdrew days before the Sept 19, 2026 rebooking (UFC 331); MMA Fighting adds he pulled out because of a cut over his eye.
- **Shoulder (July 2022):** dislocated shoulder ended the first Yair Rodríguez fight in R1; he then had a year-and-a-half layoff (Wikipedia).
- **June 2024:** weight-cut problems moved the Diego Lopes fight to lightweight a day out; Ortega then withdrew from UFC 303 because of illness (Wikipedia).
- **Knee (Dec 2019)** and **doping (2014):** pulled out of the Chan Sung Jung fight with a knee injury; his UFC debut win over Mike De La Torre was changed to a no contest after a positive drostanolone test, with a $2,500 fine and nine-month suspension (Wikipedia).
- **Longest gap between pro bouts: 784 days** (Mar 12, 2011 → May 4, 2013) (Sherdog dates).
- **Knockdowns absorbed in the UFC:** UFC Stats credits opponents with **2** knockdowns against Ortega in 14 UFC fights.
- **Into UFC Fight Night 294 (Nov 21, 2026): 455 days** since the last bout (Aug 23, 2025). Active on UFC.com and booked; no public injury disclosure for this camp located beyond the items above.

No medical clearance claim beyond public activity and the confirmed booking.

Sources: Wikipedia (Brian Ortega); MMA Fighting (Sept 29, 2026); UFC Stats

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4. Professional Fight Promotions and Career Trajectory

Signed with the UFC in April 2014 at 8-0 after winning a regional featherweight title. Won five straight by finish (Tavares TKO, Brandão triangle, Guida flying-knee KO, Moicano guillotine, Swanson guillotine) and then became the first man to finish Frankie Edgar (R1 KO, UFC 222). Fought Max Holloway for the featherweight title (UFC 231, lost by doctor stoppage after R4), beat Chan Sung Jung (UD, Oct 2020) and lost the UFC 266 title fight to Alexander Volkanovski (UD). After the Rodríguez shoulder injury he beat Rodríguez in the Feb 2024 rematch (R3 arm-triangle) and then lost decisions to Diego Lopes (Sept 2024) and Aljamain Sterling (Aug 2025). Booked at lightweight twice in 2026 before withdrawing; this is his first bout of the year.

Sources: Wikipedia (Brian Ortega); Sherdog; UFC Stats

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5. Professional Record and Method Breakdown

Method pies — counts (overall pro — Sherdog)

Wins (16): KO/TKO **3** (19%) · Submission **8** (50%) · Decision **5** (31%) **Losses (5):** KO/TKO **2** (40%) · Submission **0** · Decision **3** (60%) **Draws:** 0 · **No contests:** 1

UFC wins (8 — UFC Stats): KO/TKO **3** · Submission **4** · Decision **1 UFC losses (5):** KO/TKO **2** · Decision **3**

Finish subtype pies (UFC-only — UFC Stats METHOD+DETAILS)

UFC KO/TKO wins: Punches (Clinch) **2** · Knees **1 UFC SUB wins:** Guillotine **2** · Arm Triangle **1** · Triangle Choke **1 UFC finishing losses:** Yair Rodriguez (KO/TKO, toShoulder injury); Max Holloway (TKO - Doctor's Stoppage)

Pro win finishes (Sherdog): KO/TKO — Punches **2**, Knee **1** · Submission — Arm-Triangle Choke **1**, Guillotine Choke **2**, Triangle Choke **4**, Rear-Naked Choke **1**

Complete professional record (Sherdog; UFC rows cross-checked to UFC Stats)

Date	Opponent	Result	Method	R	Event	Opp. UFC rec (at fight)
2025-08-23	Aljamain Sterling	**L**	Decision (Unanimous)	5	UFC Fight Night 257 - Walker vs. Zhang	16-5-0
2024-09-14	Diego Lopes	**L**	Decision (Unanimous)	3	UFC 306 - Noche UFC: O'Malley vs. Dvalishvili	4-1-0
2024-02-24	Yair Rodriguez	**W**	Submission (Arm-Triangle Choke)	3	UFC Fight Night 237 - Moreno vs. Royval 2	10-3-0
2022-07-16	Yair Rodriguez	**L**	TKO (Shoulder Injury)	1	UFC on ABC 3 - Ortega vs. Rodriguez	10-3-0

Date	Opponent	Result	Method	R	Event	Opp. UFC rec (at fight)
2021-09-25	Alexander Volkanovski	**L**	Decision (Unanimous)	5	UFC 266 - Volkanovski vs. Ortega	9-0-0
2020-10-17	Chan Sung Jung	**W**	Decision (Unanimous)	5	UFC Fight Night 180 - Ortega vs. Korean Zombie	6-2-0
2018-12-08	Max Holloway	**L**	TKO (Doctor Stoppage)	4	UFC 231 - Holloway vs. Ortega	15-3-0
2018-03-03	Frankie Edgar	**W**	KO (Punches)	1	UFC 222 - Cyborg vs. Kunitskaya	16-5-1
2017-12-09	Cub Swanson	**W**	Submission (Guillotine Choke)	2	UFC Fight Night 123 - Swanson vs. Ortega	10-3-0
2017-07-29	Renato Carneiro	**W**	Submission (Guillotine Choke)	3	UFC 214 - Cormier vs. Jones 2	—
2016-06-04	Clay Guida	**W**	KO (Knee)	3	UFC 199 - Rockhold vs. Bisping 2	12-10-0
2016-01-02	Diego Brandao	**W**	Submission (Triangle Choke)	3	UFC 195 - Lawler vs. Condit	6-3-0
2015-06-06	Thiago Tavares	**W**	TKO (Punches)	3	UFC Fight Night 68 - Boetsch vs. Henderson	9-5-1
2014-07-26	Mike de la Torre	NC	No Contest (Overturned)	1	UFC on Fox 12 - Lawler vs. Brown	0-1-0
2014-01-24	Keoni Koch	**W**	Decision (Split)	5	RFA 12 - Ortega vs. Koch	—
2013-08-16	Jordan Rinaldi	**W**	Submission (Triangle Choke)	3	RFA 9 - Munhoz vs. Curran	—
2013-05-04	Thomas Guimond	**W**	Submission (Triangle Choke)	1	RITC - Respect in the Cage	—
2011-03-12	Carlos Garces	**W**	Decision (Unanimous)	5	RITC - Respect in the Cage	—
2011-01-15	Chris Mercado	**W**	Decision (Unanimous)	3	RITC - Respect in the Cage	—
2010-07-24	Vincent Martinez	**W**	Submission (Rear-Naked Choke)	1	RITC - Respect in the Cage	—
2010-06-27	Brady Harrison	**W**	Decision (Unanimous)	3	Gladiator Challenge - Bad Behavior	—
2010-04-25	John Sassone	**W**	Submission (Triangle Choke)	1	Gladiator Challenge - Maximum Force	—

Finish Subtype Trends — Brian Ortega

UFC-only subtypes parsed from UFC Stats METHOD + DETAILS (no invention). **Full pro (Research)** subtypes appear only where the scouting report already states them. Coverage differs for pre-UFC bouts — labels mark the source.

UFC-only win finishes (METHOD + DETAILS)

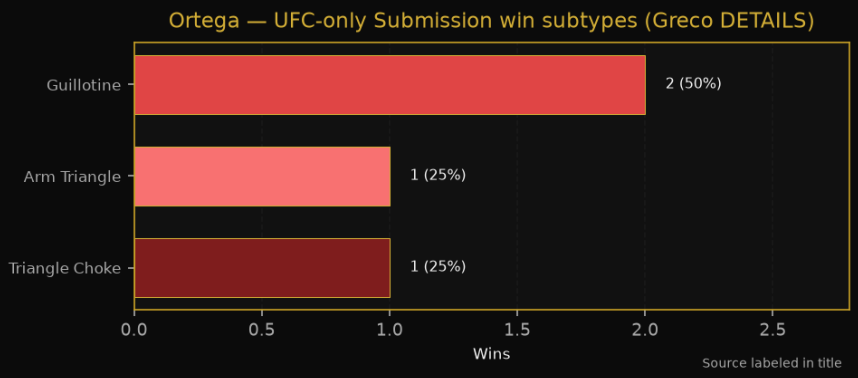
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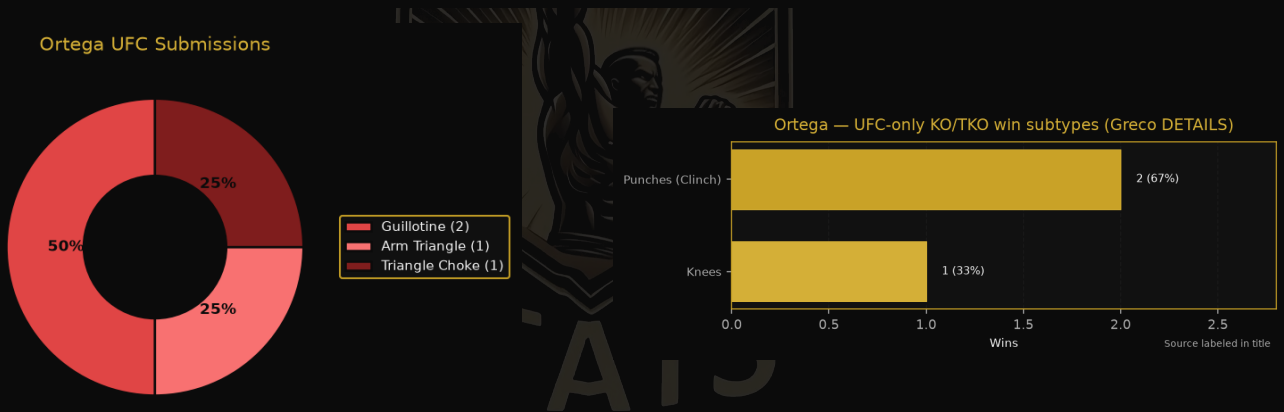
KO/TKO subtypes

Subtype	Wins	Share
Punches (Clinch)	2	66.7%
Knees	1	33.3%

Submission subtypes

Subtype	Wins	Share
Guillotine	2	50.0%
Arm Triangle	1	25.0%
Triangle Choke	1	25.0%

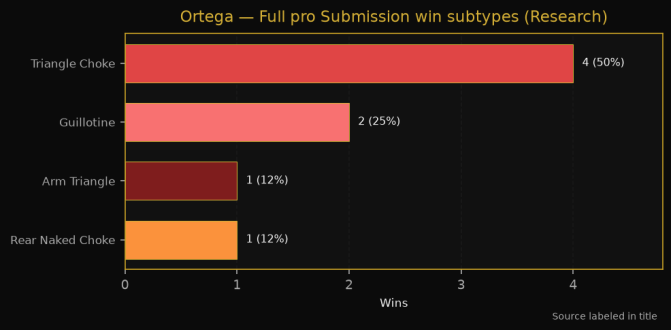


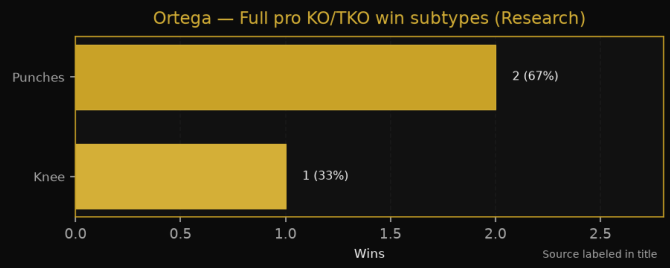


Full pro win finishes (Research Markdown)

KO/TKO wins (Research subtypes): **3** · Submission wins: **8** — includes pre-UFC.

Family	Subtype	Wins	Share	Source
KO/TKO	Punches	2	66.7%	Research
KO/TKO	Knee	1	33.3%	Research
Submission	Triangle Choke	4	50.0%	Research
Submission	Guillotine	2	25.0%	Research
Submission	Arm Triangle	1	12.5%	Research
Submission	Rear Naked Choke	1	12.5%	Research





Trend reads

- UFC-only KO/TKO wins (3): top subtype Punches (Clinch) (2/3, 66.7%).
- UFC-only submission wins (4): Guillotine 2/4 (50.0%).
- UFC finishing losses: Other (toShoulder injury) x1 (KO/TKO); TKO (Doctor Stoppage) x1 (KO/TKO).
- Full pro (Research) win finish subtypes -- KO/TKO Punches x2, Knee x1; SUB Triangle Choke x4, Guillotine x2, Arm Triangle x1, Rear Naked Choke x1 (includes pre-UFC; Research method strings).

UFC finishing losses (for context)

- KO/TKO — Other (toShoulder injury) ×1
- KO/TKO — TKO (Doctor Stoppage) ×1

BRIAN ORTEGA — FIGHT NARRATIVES (UFC)

Round stats from UFC Stats; official results from UFC Stats / Sherdog. Most recent 8 of 14 UFC fights shown; the full UFC history is in the record table above.

vs Aljamain Sterling (Aug 23, 2025) — L UD (45-50, 45-50, 45-50) — UFC Fight Night: Walker vs. Zhang (Catch Weight)

- **R1: 2/28** significant strikes vs Sterling's 27/44.
- **R2: 9/40** significant strikes vs Sterling's 13/54.
- **R3: 21/42** significant strikes vs Sterling's 35/52, 0/1 takedowns, Sterling 0/1 takedowns.
- **R4: 13/37** significant strikes vs Sterling's 25/39, Sterling 1/1 takedowns, controlled for 1:36.
- **R5: 10/27** significant strikes vs Sterling's 24/38, 0/1 takedowns, Sterling 2/4 takedowns, controlled for 2:19.
- **Fight:** 55/174 significant strikes vs 124/227; takedowns 0/2 vs 3/6; control 0:08 vs 3:55.

vs Diego Lopes (Sep 14, 2024) — L UD (26-30, 27-30, 27-30) — UFC 306: Riyadh Season Noche UFC (Featherweight)

- **R1: 15/45** significant strikes vs Lopes's 29/57, Lopes 1/1 takedowns, controlled for 2:03.
- **R2: 16/48** significant strikes vs Lopes's 22/46, 0/1 takedowns.
- **R3: 32/102** significant strikes vs Lopes's 55/103, 0/1 takedowns, controlled for 0:35.
- **Fight:** 63/195 significant strikes vs 106/206; takedowns 0/2 vs 1/1; control 0:06 vs 2:45.

vs Yair Rodriguez (Feb 24, 2024) — W SUB R3 0:58 (Arm Triangle From Side Control) — UFC Fight Night: Moreno vs. Royval 2 (Featherweight)

- **R1: 6/28** significant strikes vs Rodriguez's 45/91, knocked down **1**×, 1/2 takedowns, Rodriguez 0/1 takedowns, **0:42** of control, controlled for 1:32.
- **R2: 22/44** significant strikes vs Rodriguez's 9/17, 1/3 takedowns, **3:55** of control.
- **R3: 0/1** significant strikes vs Rodriguez's 1/7, 1/1 takedowns, **0:44** of control, 1 submission attempt.
- **Fight:** 28/73 significant strikes vs 55/115; takedowns 3/6 vs 0/1; control 5:21 vs 1:32; knockdowns 0–1.
- **Tape signal:** Won despite being out-landed 55-28 on significant strikes; got up from a knockdown to win; control-heavy win.

vs Yair Rodriguez (Jul 16, 2022) — L KO/TKO R1 4:11 (toShoulder injury) — UFC Fight Night: Ortega vs. Rodriguez (Featherweight)

- **R1: 22/35** significant strikes vs Rodriguez's 23/46, 1/5 takedowns, **2:24** of control.
- **Fight:** 22/35 significant strikes vs 23/46; takedowns 1/5 vs 0/0; control 2:24 vs 0:00.

vs Alexander Volkanovski (Sep 25, 2021) — L UD (46-49, 45-50, 44-50) — UFC 266: Volkanovski vs. Ortega (UFC Featherweight Title)

- **R1: 16/51** significant strikes vs Volkanovski's 30/52.
- **R2: 23/58** significant strikes vs Volkanovski's 38/61.
- **R3: 17/40** significant strikes vs Volkanovski's 61/99, 1/1 takedowns, **0:41** of control, controlled for 1:13, 2 submission attempts.
- **R4: 6/15** significant strikes vs Volkanovski's 35/58, 1/2 takedowns, controlled for 2:33, 1 submission attempt.
- **R5: 26/70** significant strikes vs Volkanovski's 50/83, 0/2 takedowns.
- **Fight:** 88/234 significant strikes vs 214/353; takedowns 2/5 vs 0/0; control 0:54 vs 3:51.

vs Chan Sung Jung (Oct 17, 2020) — W UD (50-45, 50-45, 50-45) — UFC Fight Night: Ortega vs. The Korean Zombie (Featherweight)

- **R1: 24/39** significant strikes vs Jung's 14/26, **1** knockdown scored.
- **R2: 23/37** significant strikes vs Jung's 14/34, **1** knockdown scored, 2/3 takedowns, **0:35** of control.
- **R3: 28/42** significant strikes vs Jung's 7/32, 0/1 takedowns.
- **R4: 17/35** significant strikes vs Jung's 8/26, 1/4 takedowns, **0:22** of control.
- **R5: 35/59** significant strikes vs Jung's 19/45, 0/2 takedowns.
- **Fight:** 127/212 significant strikes vs 62/163; takedowns 3/10 vs 0/0; control 0:57 vs 0:00; knockdowns 2–0.

vs Max Holloway (Dec 8, 2018) — L TKO - Doctor's Stoppage R4 5:00 — UFC 231: Holloway vs. Ortega (UFC Featherweight Title)

- **R1: 19/65** significant strikes vs Holloway's 40/84, 1/3 takedowns, **0:22** of control.
- **R2: 33/92** significant strikes vs Holloway's 66/126, 0/1 takedowns.
- **R3: 30/81** significant strikes vs Holloway's 50/84, 1/2 takedowns, **1:05** of control.
- **R4: 28/54** significant strikes vs Holloway's 134/196, 0/5 takedowns, Holloway 1/1 takedowns, **0:58** of control, controlled for 0:16.
- **Fight:** 110/292 significant strikes vs 290/490; takedowns 2/11 vs 1/1; control 2:25 vs 0:16.

vs Frankie Edgar (Mar 3, 2018) — W KO/TKO R1 4:44 (Punch to Head In Clinch) — UFC 222: Cyborg vs. Kunitskaya (Featherweight)

- **R1: 25/76** significant strikes vs Edgar's 27/77, **1** knockdown scored, Edgar 0/1 takedowns.
- **Fight:** 25/76 significant strikes vs 27/77; takedowns 0/0 vs 0/1; control 0:02 vs 0:00; knockdowns 1–0.
- **Tape signal:** Won despite being out-landed 27-25 on significant strikes.

Cardio / round trends (UFC Stats, 14 UFC fights): significant strikes landed per round R1 13.6 → R2 18.6 → R3 21.2; absorbed R1 26.0 → R2 26.4 → R3 28.4; control per round R1 0:28 → R2 0:28 → R3 0:20. Rounds sampled — R1: 14, R2: 11, R3: 10.

UFC Stats — Condensed Identity

Field	Value
Nickname (UFC Stats)	T-City
DOB (age as of 2026-11-16)	Feb 21, 1991 (**35**)
Height / Weight / Reach	5' 8" / 145 lbs. / 69"
Stance	Switch
UFC record	**8-5-0 (1 NC)** (14 timed fights, 193.3 min)

Career rates vs Lightweight division (UFC Stats + division averages, n=457)

Metric	Ortega	Div avg		Read
SLpM	**3.84**	3.12	+0.72	Above div avg (pctl 71)
SApM	**6.38**	3.65	+2.73	Below div avg (pctl 6)

Metric	Ortega	Div avg		Read
SS Acc	**37.3%**	42.3%	–5.0	Near div avg (pctl 26)
SS Def	**49.3%**	54.4%	–5.1	Near div avg (pctl 28)
TD Acc	**25.0%**	36.2%	–11.2	Below div avg (pctl 26)
TDD	**54.5%**	56.1%	–1.6	Near div avg (pctl 42)
CTRL /15	**1:17**	2:49	–1:32	Below div avg (pctl 29)
CTRL against /15	**1:43**	3:42	–1:59	Above div avg (pctl 77)
KD rate /15	**0.39**	0.27	+0.12	Above div avg (pctl 76)
KD absorbed /15	**0.16**	0.52	–0.36	Above div avg (pctl 56)
TD Avg /15	**0.93** (12/48)	—	—	Takedown volume
Sub Avg /15	**0.93** (12 attempts)	—	—	Submission attempts

Striking mix: Head **71.2%** / Body 18.3% / Leg 10.5% of significant strikes landed · Distance 88.5% / Clinch 6.6% / Ground 4.9%. Absorbed mix: Head 71.0% / Body 15.0% / Leg 14.0% · Distance 86.2% / Clinch 3.6% / Ground 10.2%.

6. Fighting Style, Strengths, and How They Win

- **Jiu-Jitsu-based finisher:** Triangle and guillotine finishes over Brandão, Moicano and Swanson, plus Rodríguez's arm-triangle (Wikipedia); UFC.com lists his style as Jiu-Jitsu.
- **Durable and dangerous from the back:** comeback wins over Brandão (triangle) and Guida (flying knee) from losing positions (Wikipedia).
- **Moving divisions:** this is a lightweight bout after his featherweight run.

Sources: Wikipedia (Brian Ortega); UFC.com athlete page; UFC Stats

Expectation Breaks

- Booked for a lightweight bout and withdrew twice in 2026 (Moicano rematch at UFC 326, then UFC 331) before this booking.
- His last win is the Feb 2024 Rodríguez rematch (two decision losses since).
- Wikipedia and MMA Fighting both note repeated weight-cut, illness and injury interruptions.

7. Community / Expert Predictions and Sentiment

Label: opinion / media narrative — not facts about fight outcome.

- **Market:** CBS lists Ortega +154 underdog to Hooker –185 (Nov 16).
- Media framing (MMA Fighting, Sept 29): Ortega returns to the cage after pulling out of the Moicano fight with a cut over his eye.

No anonymous forum picks are included beyond sourced public pages.

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Fighting Stats. As-of 2026-11-16. Opinions labeled in §7.

Dan Hooker

Blue OFFENSE

VS

Brian Ortega

Red DEFENSE

Striking Distribution

Distance %	Clinch %	Ground %
84.6%	8.4%	7.0%

Striking Accuracy

Distance Acc	Clinch Acc	Ground Acc
46.2%	59.9%	82.2%

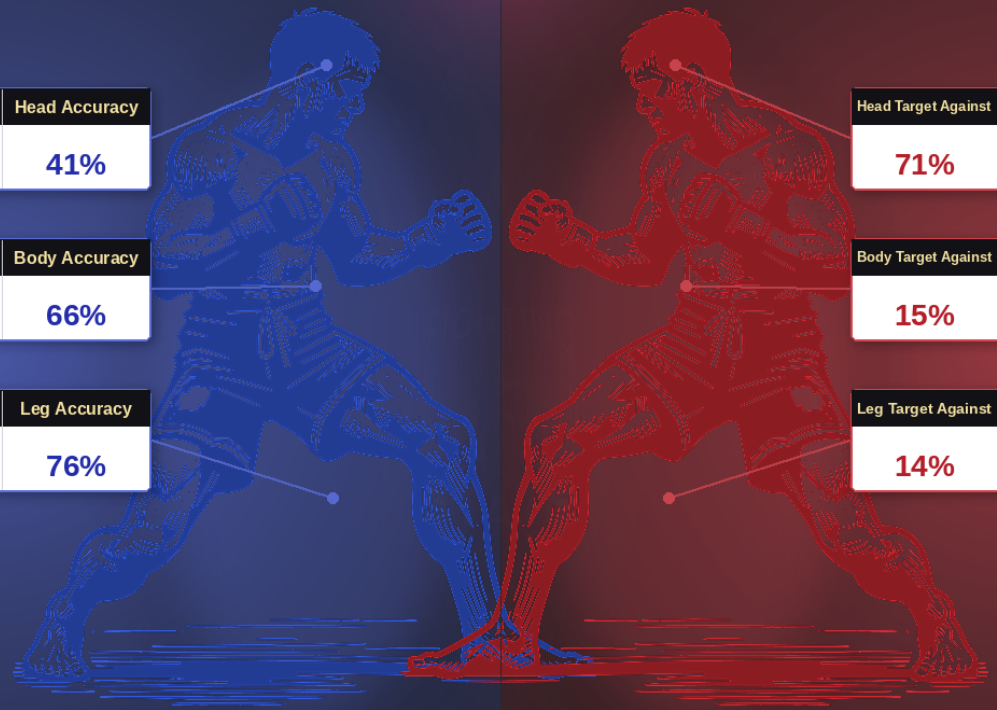
Offensive Knockdowns

KD	KD Rate
9	0.55

Head Target	Head Accuracy
62%	41%

Body Target	Body Accuracy
18%	66%

Leg Target	Leg Accuracy
20%	76%



Head Target Against	Head Strike Def
71%	56%

Body Target Against	Body Defense
15%	24%

Leg Target Against	Leg Strike Def
14%	9%

Strikes Against Distribution

Distance %	Clinch %	Ground %
86.2%	3.6%	10.2%

Striking Defense

Distance Def	Clinch Def	Ground Def
51.1%	22.8%	36.4%

Knockdowns Against

KD	KD Rate
2	0.16

Offensive Takedowns

TD Attempted	TD Success	TD Accuracy	Control (sec)	Control / TD	SUB.ATT	REV.
33	11	33.3%	2560	232.7	9	2

Takedown Defense

TDD Att	TDD Success	TDD %	Control Against (s)	Ctrl allowed/TD	SUB.ATT ag	REV. ag
33	18	54.5%	1326	88.4	0	2

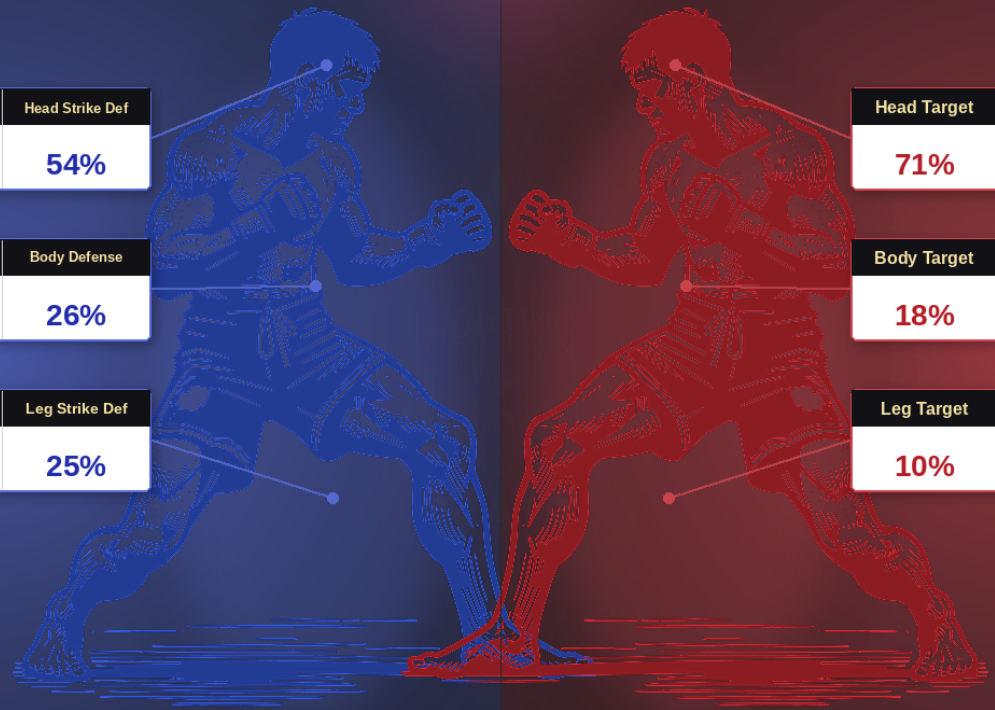
Dan Hooker

Blue DEFENSE

VS

Brian Ortega

Red OFFENSE



Strikes Against Distribution

Distance %	Clinch %	Ground %
78.4%	8.9%	12.7%

Striking Defense

Distance Def	Clinch Def	Ground Def
52.9%	33.3%	21.4%

Knockdowns Against

KD	KD Rate
3	0.18

Head Target Against	Head Strike Def
72%	54%

Body Target Against	Body Defense
17%	26%

Leg Target Against	Leg Strike Def
11%	25%

Head Target	Head Accuracy
71%	31%

Body Target	Body Accuracy
18%	73%

Leg Target	Leg Accuracy
10%	81%

Striking Distribution

Distance %	Clinch %	Ground %
88.5%	6.6%	4.9%

Striking Accuracy

Distance Acc	Clinch Acc	Ground Acc
35.2%	75.4%	66.7%

Offensive Knockdowns

KD	KD Rate
5	0.39

Takedown Defense

TDD Att	TDD Success	TDD %	Control Against (s)	Ctrl allowed/TD	SUB.ATT ag	REV. ag
105	81	77.1%	2170	90.4	17	1

Offensive Takedowns

TD Attempted	TD Success	TD Accuracy	Control (sec)	Control / TD	SUB.ATT	REV.
48	12	25.0%	998	83.2	12	2

Statistical Matchup Package

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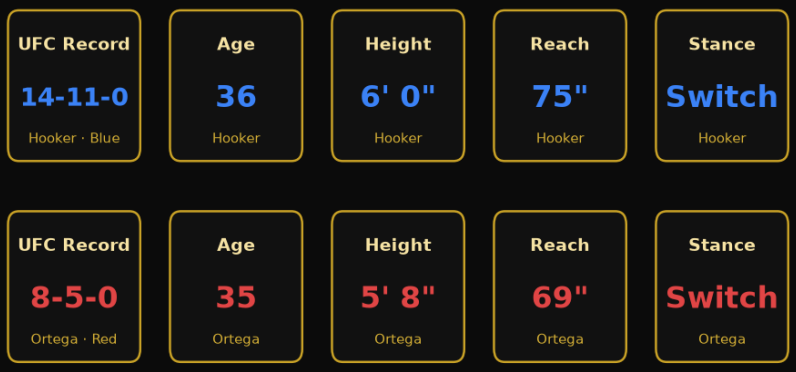
Tale of the Tape

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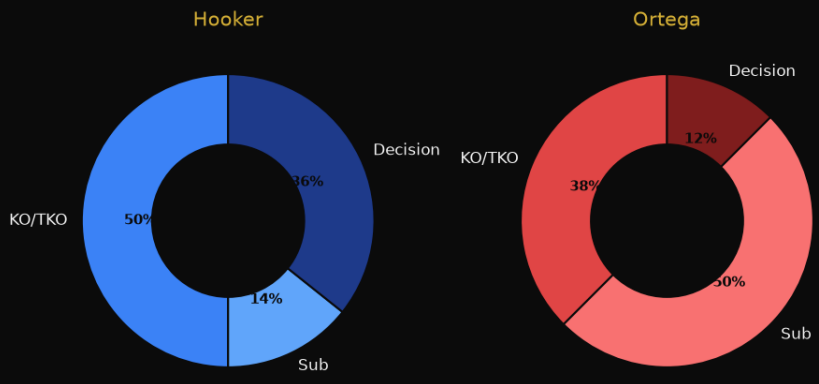
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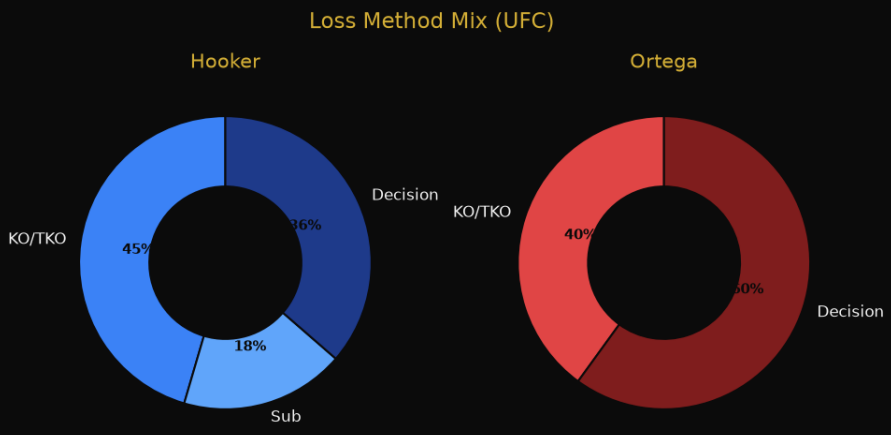
Term	Meaning
SLpM	Significant strikes landed per minute of fight time
SS Acc	Significant-strike accuracy (landed ÷ attempted)
Str Def	Striking defense % (share of opponent sig attempts missed)
TD Acc	Takedown accuracy (landed ÷ attempted)
TDD	Takedown defense % (stuff rate)
CTRL	Control time on the ground / clinch control clock
KD	Knockdowns scored (or absorbed, when labeled)
Stand/sig per 15	Projected significant-strike pace if stand-up lasted a full 15 min on striking-time basis (fight time – CTRL)
Striking time	Round/fight clock minus control time (mm:ss and % of round clock)

Tale of the Tape — Quick Look



Win Method Mix (UFC)





Matchup board read — Page A (Hooker OFF vs Ortega DEF)

Hooker's accuracy is the pressure point into Ortega's defense (Hooker SS Acc **48.6%** into Ortega Str Def **49.3%**). Most of Hooker's work is at distance (**84.6%**). Wrestling leverage: Hooker TD Acc **33.3%** vs Ortega TDD **54.5%**. Power check: Hooker KD scored **9** (0.55/15) vs Ortega KD absorbed **2** (0.16/15).

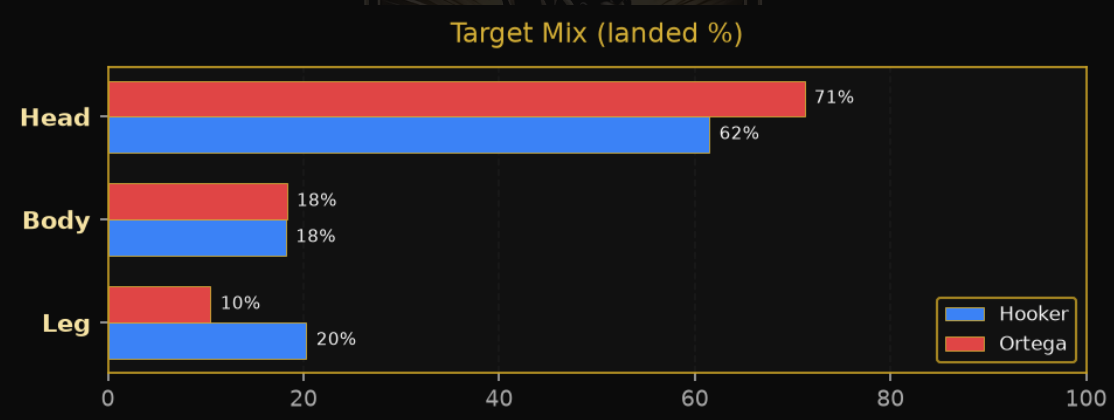
Matchup board read — Page B (Hooker DEF vs Ortega OFF)

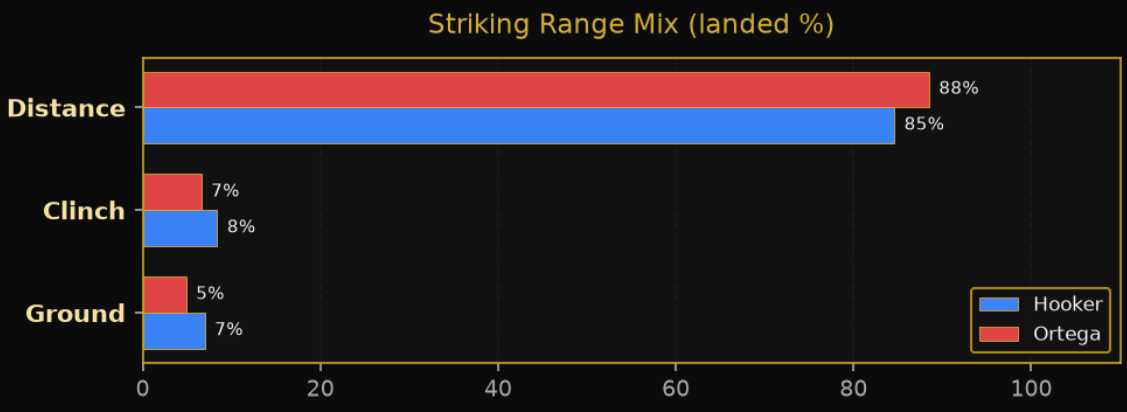
Ortega needs clean entries into Hooker's defense (Ortega SS Acc **37.3%** into Hooker Str Def **49.0%**). On the mat, Ortega's TD Acc **25.0%** (12/48) meets Hooker TDD **77.1%** — Hooker's strong TDD should stuff most entries unless clinch or fence work opens them. Expected control / 15: Ortega **77.4s (8.6%)** vs Hooker **156.3s (17.4%)** (Ortega SUB.ATT **12**).

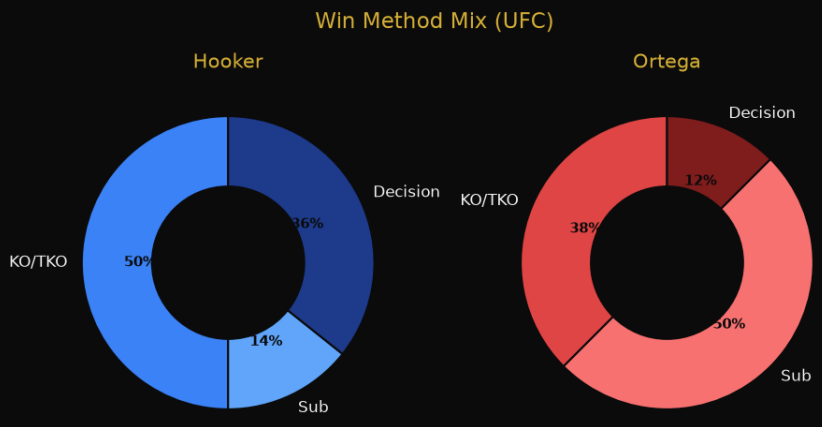
Career Striking Breakdown

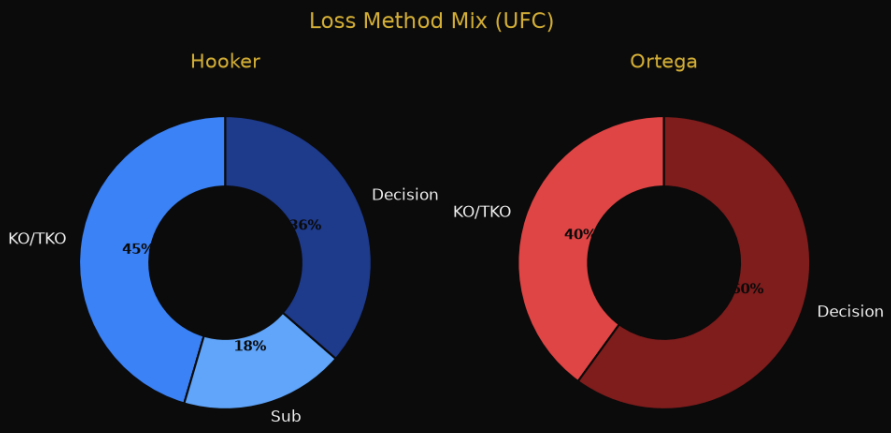
Layout: **Blue (Dan Hooker)** | metric | **Red (Brian Ortega)**. Dashboard stats updated: **2026-11-16**.

Blue	Metric	Red
1185/2436	**Sig landed / thrown**	742/1987
48.6%	**SS Acc**	37.3%
61.5% / 40.7%	**Head share / Acc**	71.2% / 31.0%
18.2% / 66.3%	**Body share / Acc**	18.3% / 72.7%
20.3% / 75.7%	**Leg share / Acc**	10.5% / 81.2%
84.6% / 8.4% / 7.0%	**Distance / Clinch / Ground share**	88.5% / 6.6% / 4.9%
9	**KD scored (offense)**	5
3	**KD absorbed (defense)**	2
0.55	**KD rate (scored / 15)**	0.39
0.18	**KD absorbed rate (/15)**	0.16
1 per 404 sig abs	**Knockdown rate (1 KD per N sig absorbed)**	1 per 616 sig abs
1213/2377	**Sig absorbed (landed on)**	1233/2431
49.0%	**Str Def**	49.3%









Career Grappling Breakdown

Blue (Dan Hooker) | metric | Red (Brian Ortega) — same titles side-by-side.

Blue	Metric	Red
11 of 33 (33.3%)	**TD landed / attempted (Acc)**	12 of 48 (25.0%)
24 of 105 (77.1%)	**TD against (TDD %)**	15 of 33 (54.5%)
9	**Submission attempts**	12
2	**Reversals**	2
156.3s (17.4%)	**Control expected / 15**	77.4s (8.6%)
42:40	**Career CTRL**	16:38
132.5s (14.7%)	**Control allowed / 15**	102.9s (11.4%)
36:10	**Career CTRL against**	22:06

Matchup implications

- Ortega TD Acc 25.0% into Hooker TDD 77.1%

  → Ortega brings high takedown volume (3.7 attempts per 15 min) at a low 25.0% (12 of 48) into Hooker's strong TDD (77.1%, 81 of 105 stopped). Expect most entries to be stuffed unless clinch or fence work opens them.

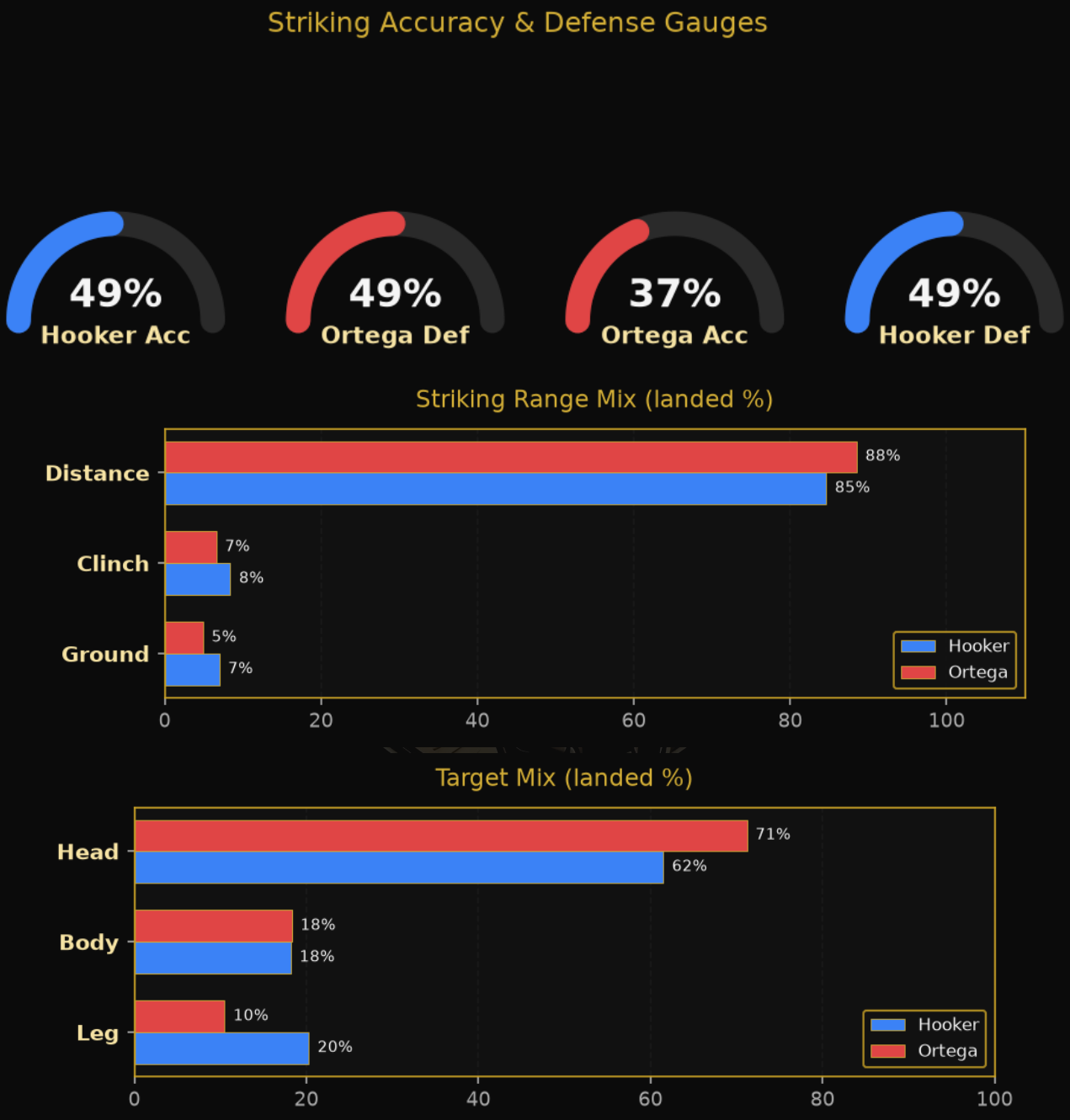
- Hooker TD Acc 33.3% into Ortega TDD 54.5%

→ Hooker brings moderate takedown volume (2.0 attempts per 15 min) at 33.3% (11 of 33) into Ortega's TDD of 54.5% (18 of 33 stopped). Neither number dominates; the wrestling exchanges look live.

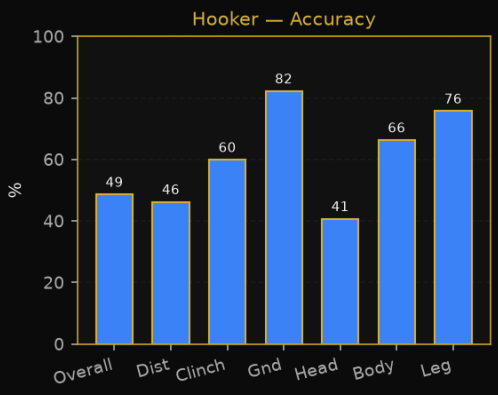
- Control allowed / 15: Hooker 132.5s (14.7%) vs Ortega 102.9s (11.4%)

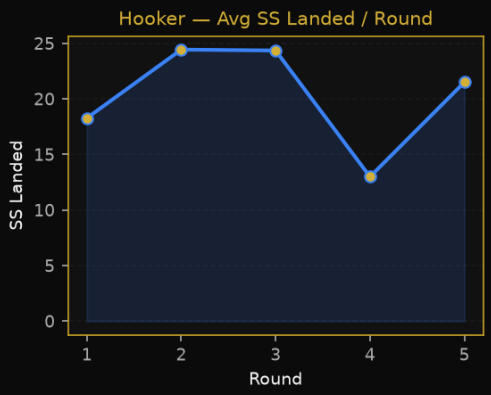
  → Similar control allowed: Hooker 14.7% vs Ortega 11.4% of a 15-min fight — no clear mat-time edge either way.

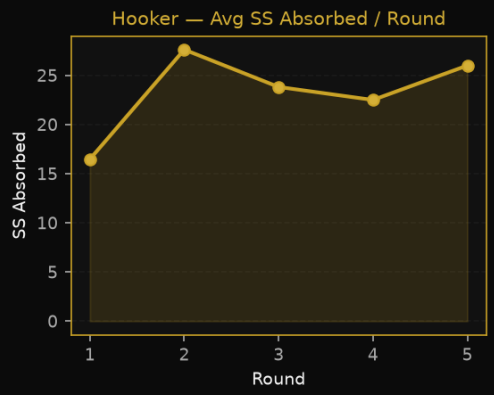
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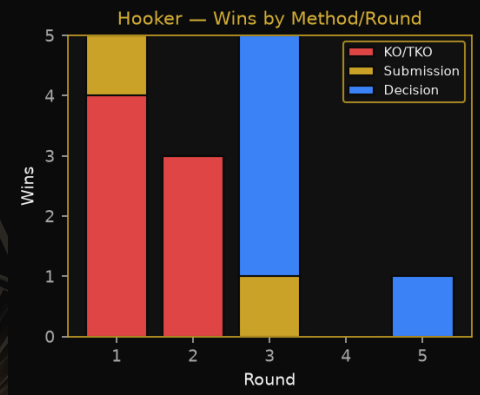


STRIKING — Dan Hooker (Blue)





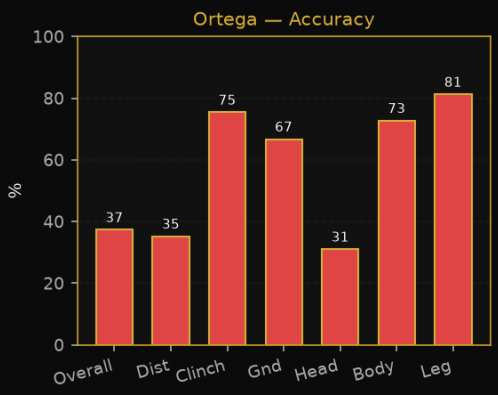


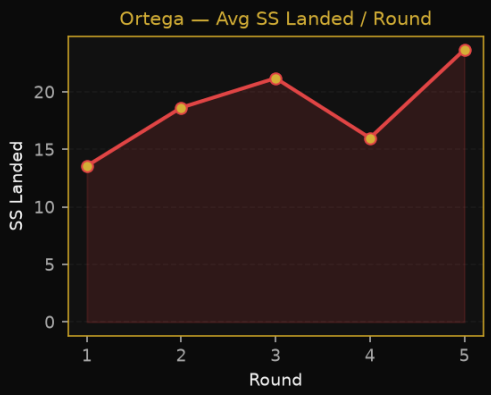


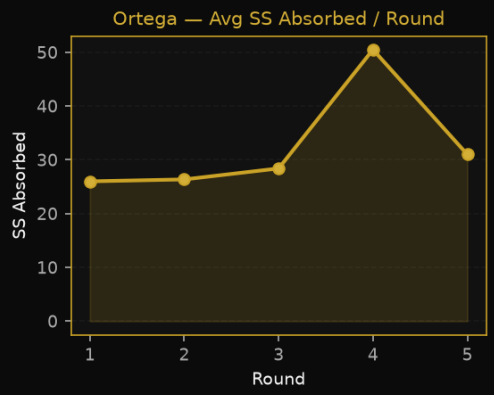
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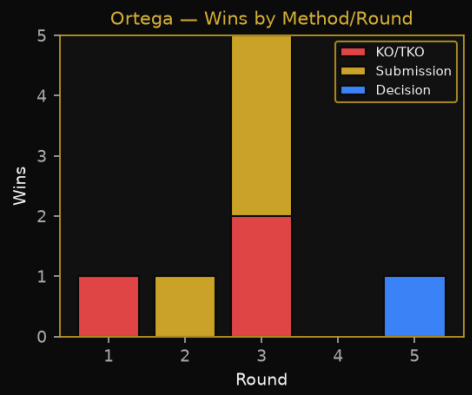
Career SS Acc **48.6%** · Def **49.0%** · Distance share **84.6%** · KD rate **0.55**/15 · Absorbed KD rate **0.18**/15.

STRIKING — Brian Ortega (Red)









Ortega striking snapshot

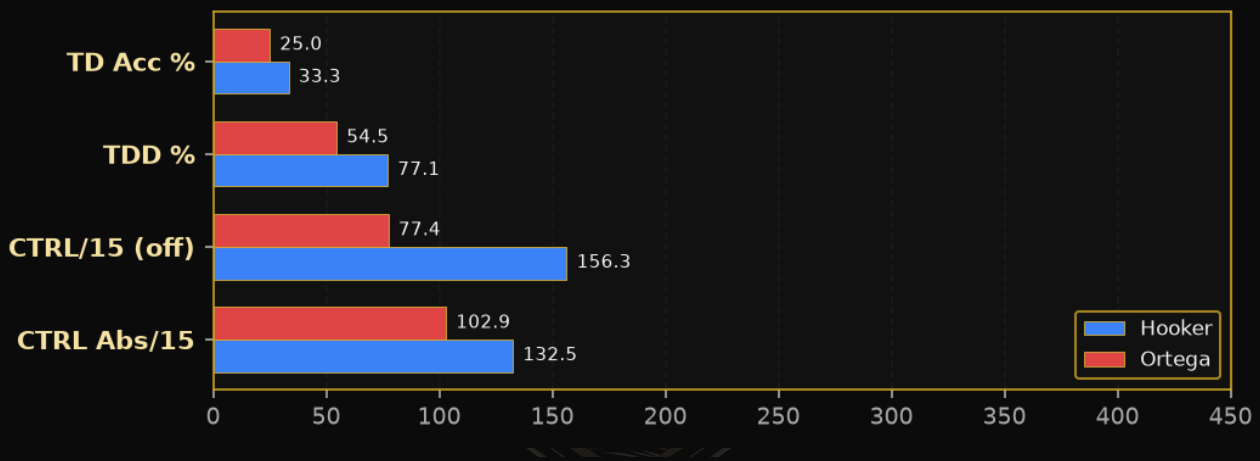
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Grappling Infographics & Matchup Insights

Takedown Accuracy & Defense Gauges



Grappling Snapshot



Matchup Snapshot — Expectation Breakers

CTRL Gap	Hooker Dist Bias	Ortega Sub Wins	Hooker TDD
0.5×	85%	50%	77.1%
Ortega CTRL/15 vs Hooker	Landed SS at distance	Of UFC wins	Career takedown defense

Hooker KD Rate	Ortega SUB.ATT	Hooker SS Acc	Ortega SS Acc
0.55	12	49%	37%
Per 15 minutes	Career attempts	Career accuracy	Career accuracy

Expectation-break insights

Insight

Control allowed: Hooker CTRL against / 15 = 132.5s (14.7%) vs Ortega 102.9s (11.4%) — Similar control allowed: Hooker 14.7% vs Ortega 11.4% of a 15-min fight — no clear mat-time edge either way.

Insight

TD volume vs TDD: Hooker TD Att 33 / Acc 33.3% into Ortega TDD 54.5% — neither number dominates; the wrestling exchanges look live.

Insight

TD offense gate: Ortega TD Acc 25.0% (12/48) — high takedown volume (3.7 attempts per 15 min) — Ortega looks for takedowns often.

Insight

Sub threat: Hooker career SUB.ATT 9 (14.3% of UFC wins) vs Ortega 12 (50.0% of UFC wins) — no clear submission edge on the UFC record.

Insight

KD profile: Hooker KD rate 0.55/15 vs Ortega 0.39/15; Hooker has absorbed 3 KD in UFC.

Insight

Distance bias: Hooker 84.6% landed SS at distance vs Ortega 88.5%; Hooker absorbs 78.4% of damage at distance.

Insight

Accuracy vs defense gate: Hooker Acc 48.6% → Ortega Def 49.3%; Ortega Acc 37.3% → Hooker Def 49.0%.

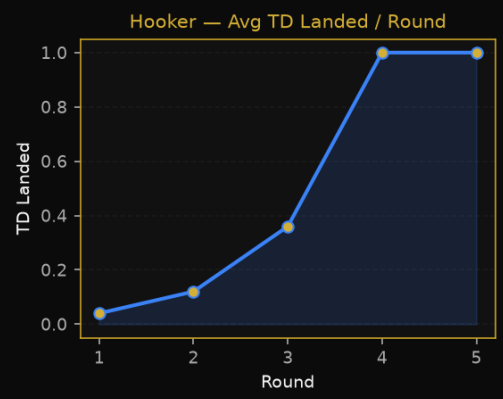
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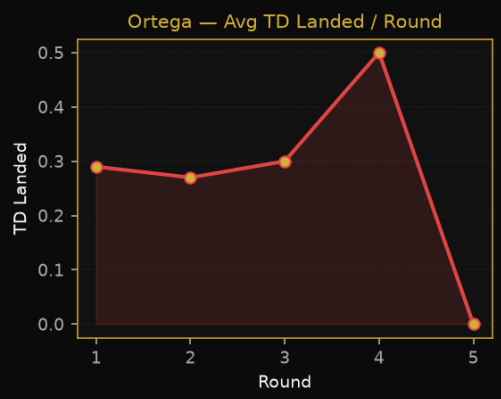
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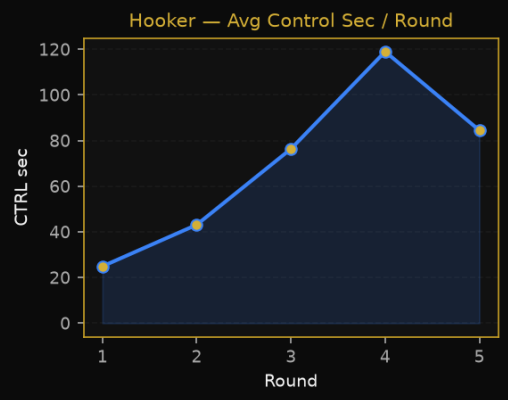
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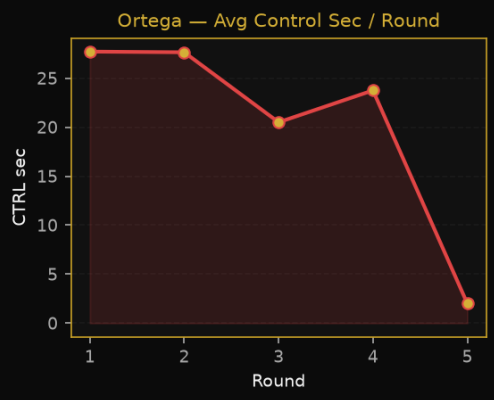
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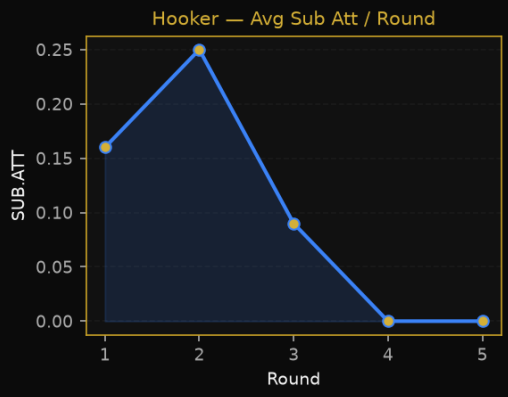
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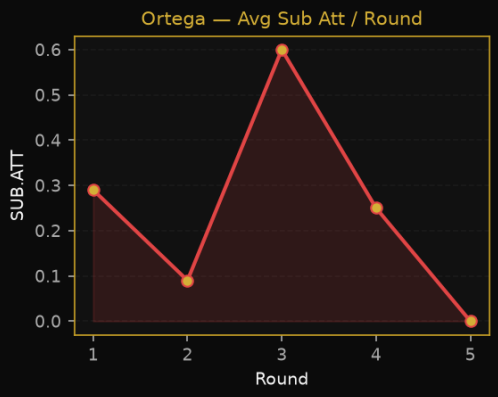


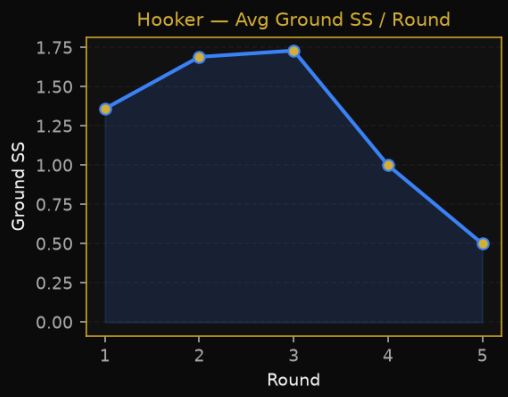


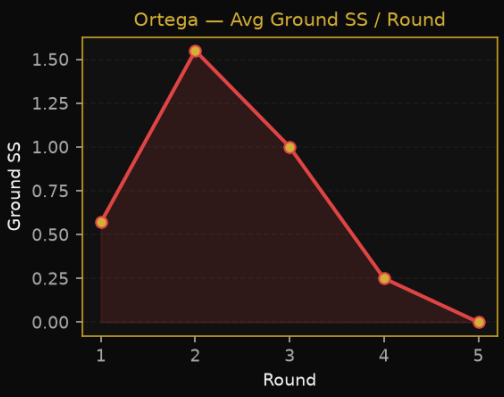

Hooker — Avg Control Sec / Round
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Ortega — Avg Control Sec / Round
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Hooker — Avg Ground SS / Round
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Leg Strikes — Offense vs Defense

UFCStats **LEG** column = significant strikes to the legs (**leg sig strikes / low-kick proxy**). Parsed as "a of b" from UFC fight stats. No limp/establishment narrative — volume, accuracy, share, and vs-average only. Tables sorted **most recent → oldest**. As of 2026-11-16.

Ortega Leg Output vs Hooker Leg Absorption

Side-by-side career board so FightingStats can compare **Ortega low-kick/leg output** vs **Hooker's leg absorption pattern**.

Metric	Ortega OFFENSE (leg)	Hooker DEFENSE (leg abs)	Hooker OFFENSE (leg)	Ortega DEFENSE (leg abs)
Leg sig landed	78	132	240	173
Leg sig attempted	96	176	317	191
Leg accuracy %	81.2%	75.0%	75.7%	90.6%
Leg share % of sig landed	10.5%	10.9%	20.3%	14.0%
Avg leg landed / round	1.86	2.36	4.29	4.12
Avg leg landed / fight	5.57	5.28	9.60	12.36
Sample rounds / fights	42/14	56/25	56/25	42/14

(Ortega OFF avg leg/rnd – Hooker DEF avg leg abs/rnd) = **-0.5**. leg share pp (Ortega OFF share – Hooker DEF share) = **-0.4**. Ortega career leg volume: **78 of 96** (81.2% acc · 10.5% of sig landed). Hooker career leg absorbed: **132 of 176** (10.9% of sig absorbed). Lightweight division avg leg L/rnd ≈ **2.48**.

Read — volume only

Ortega averages **1.86** leg sig landed per round (5.57/fight). Hooker absorbs **2.36** leg sig per round historically (5.28/fight). Leg landed / attempted from fight stats (significant strikes to the legs).

Leg-Kick Finishes & Fight Narratives (sourced)

Wins by leg kicks (UFC METHOD/DETAILS): No UFC KO/TKO win for either fighter lists leg/calf/low kick in UFC Stats METHOD/DETAILS for this package (check DETAILS per bout).

No sourced fight summaries found where leg kicks were a key part of how the bout played out.

Ortega Leg Offense — Round × Opponent

Brian Ortega — **offensive** leg sig / low-kick proxy. Columns: Date · Opponent · Round · Sig landed · Leg L/T · Acc% · Share% · vs Opp Avg Abs (Above/Below).

Baseline: round Leg Lnd vs that opponent's career avg leg sig absorbed/rnd (Above/Below/≈Avg; in parentheses). Lightweight division avg leg L/rnd ≈ 2.48.

Career: 78 of 96 leg sig (81.2% · 10.5% of 742 sig landed).

Date	Opponent	Rnd	Sig Lnd	Leg Lnd	Leg Att	Leg Acc%	Leg Share%	vs Opp Avg Abs
2025-08-23	Aljamain Sterling	1	2	0	1	0.0%	0.0%	Below (-2.36) vs 2.36
2025-08-23	Aljamain Sterling	2	9	0	1	0.0%	0.0%	Below (-2.36) vs 2.36
2025-08-23	Aljamain Sterling	3	21	5	5	100.0%	23.8%	Above (+2.64) vs 2.36
2025-08-23	Aljamain Sterling	4	13	0	0	—	0.0%	Below (-2.36) vs 2.36
2025-08-23	Aljamain Sterling	5	10	0	0	—	0.0%	Below (-2.36) vs 2.36
2024-09-14	Diego Lopes	1	15	3	3	100.0%	20.0%	≈Avg (+0.00) vs 3.00
2024-09-14	Diego Lopes	2	16	3	3	100.0%	18.8%	≈Avg (+0.00) vs 3.00
2024-09-14	Diego Lopes	3	32	1	1	100.0%	3.1%	Below (-2.00) vs 3.00
2024-02-24	Yair Rodriguez	1	6	0	0	—	0.0%	Below (-2.02) vs 2.02
2024-02-24	Yair Rodriguez	2	22	0	0	—	0.0%	Below (-2.02) vs 2.02
2024-02-24	Yair Rodriguez	3	0	0	0	—	—	Below (-2.02) vs 2.02
2022-07-16	Yair Rodriguez	1	22	1	2	50.0%	4.5%	Below (-1.02) vs 2.02
2021-09-25	Alexander Volkanovski	1	16	4	7	57.1%	25.0%	Above (+1.52) vs 2.48
2021-09-25	Alexander Volkanovski	2	23	4	6	66.7%	17.4%	Above (+1.52) vs 2.48
2021-09-25	Alexander Volkanovski	3	17	0	0	—	0.0%	Below (-2.48) vs 2.48
2021-09-25	Alexander Volkanovski	4	6	0	1	0.0%	0.0%	Below (-2.48) vs 2.48
2021-09-25	Alexander Volkanovski	5	26	1	1	100.0%	3.8%	Below (-1.48) vs 2.48
2020-10-17	Chan Sung Jung	1	24	8	9	88.9%	33.3%	Above (+4.00) vs 4.00
2020-10-17	Chan Sung Jung	2	23	7	8	87.5%	30.4%	Above (+3.00) vs 4.00
2020-10-17	Chan Sung Jung	3	28	11	13	84.6%	39.3%	Above (+7.00) vs 4.00
2020-10-17	Chan Sung Jung	4	17	7	11	63.6%	41.2%	Above (+3.00) vs 4.00
2020-10-17	Chan Sung Jung	5	35	8	8	100.0%	22.9%	Above (+4.00) vs 4.00
2018-12-08	Max Holloway	1	19	3	3	100.0%	15.8%	Below (-1.93) vs 4.93
2018-12-08	Max Holloway	2	33	0	0	—	0.0%	Below (-4.93) vs 4.93
2018-12-08	Max Holloway	3	30	3	3	100.0%	10.0%	Below (-1.93) vs 4.93
2018-12-08	Max Holloway	4	28	1	1	100.0%	3.6%	Below (-3.93) vs 4.93
2018-03-03	Frankie Edgar	1	25	1	1	100.0%	4.0%	Below (-0.48) vs 1.48
2017-12-09	Cub Swanson	1	16	3	3	100.0%	18.8%	Below (-0.65) vs 3.65
2017-12-09	Cub Swanson	2	8	0	0	—	0.0%	Below (-3.65) vs 3.65
2017-07-29	Renato Moicano	1	21	2	2	100.0%	9.5%	Below (-0.80) vs 2.80
2017-07-29	Renato Moicano	2	26	0	1	0.0%	0.0%	Below (-2.80) vs 2.80
2017-07-29	Renato Moicano	3	18	0	0	—	0.0%	Below (-2.80) vs 2.80
2016-06-04	Clay Guida	1	5	0	0	—	0.0%	Below (-1.10) vs 1.10
2016-06-04	Clay Guida	2	25	0	0	—	0.0%	Below (-1.10) vs 1.10
2016-06-04	Clay Guida	3	32	1	1	100.0%	3.1%	≈Avg (-0.10) vs 1.10
2016-01-02	Diego Brandao	1	11	0	0	—	0.0%	Below (-1.22) vs 1.22
2016-01-02	Diego Brandao	2	15	0	0	—	0.0%	Below (-1.22) vs 1.22
2016-01-02	Diego Brandao	3	3	0	0	—	0.0%	Below (-1.22) vs 1.22
2015-06-06	Thiago Tavares	1	5	0	0	—	0.0%	Below (-1.76) vs 1.76
2015-06-06	Thiago Tavares	2	5	0	0	—	0.0%	Below (-1.76) vs 1.76
2015-06-06	Thiago Tavares	3	31	1	1	100.0%	3.2%	Below (-0.76) vs 1.76

Date	Opponent	Rnd	Sig Lnd	Leg Lnd	Leg Att	Leg Acc%	Leg Share%	vs Opp Avg Abs
2014-07-26	Mike de la Torre	1	3	0	0	—	0.0%	Below (-1.09) vs 1.09

Hooker Leg Defense — Absorbed (Round × Opponent)

Dan Hooker — **defensive** leg sig absorbed (opponent LEG in that EVENT+BOUT+ROUND). Columns: Date · Opponent · Round · Sig abs · Leg Abs L/T · Opp Acc% · Share% · vs Own Avg Abs.

Baseline: round Leg Abs vs this fighter's own career avg leg sig absorbed/rnd (Above/Below/≈Avg; in parentheses). Lightweight division avg leg L/rnd ≈ 2.48.

Career absorbed: 132 of 176 (75.0% opponent leg acc · 10.9% of sig absorbed).

Date	Opponent	Rnd	Sig Abs	Leg Abs	Leg Att	Opp Acc%	Leg Share%	vs Own Avg Abs
2026-09-05	Salahdine Parnasse	1	12	3	3	100.0%	25.0%	Above (+0.64) vs 2.36
2026-01-31	Benoit Saint Denis	1	35	0	0	—	0.0%	Below (-2.36) vs 2.36
2026-01-31	Benoit Saint Denis	2	62	0	0	—	0.0%	Below (-2.36) vs 2.36
2025-11-22	Arman Tsarukyan	1	19	5	5	100.0%	26.3%	Above (+2.64) vs 2.36
2025-11-22	Arman Tsarukyan	2	23	1	1	100.0%	4.3%	Below (-1.36) vs 2.36
2024-08-17	Mateusz Gamrot	1	26	2	2	100.0%	7.7%	Below (-0.36) vs 2.36
2024-08-17	Mateusz Gamrot	2	11	0	0	—	0.0%	Below (-2.36) vs 2.36
2024-08-17	Mateusz Gamrot	3	27	0	0	—	0.0%	Below (-2.36) vs 2.36
2023-07-08	Jalin Turner	1	34	5	8	62.5%	14.7%	Above (+2.64) vs 2.36
2023-07-08	Jalin Turner	2	34	2	4	50.0%	5.9%	Below (-0.36) vs 2.36
2023-07-08	Jalin Turner	3	32	0	0	—	0.0%	Below (-2.36) vs 2.36
2022-11-12	Claudio Puelles	1	0	0	0	—	—	Below (-2.36) vs 2.36
2022-11-12	Claudio Puelles	2	5	1	1	100.0%	20.0%	Below (-1.36) vs 2.36
2022-03-19	Arnold Allen	1	49	6	6	100.0%	12.2%	Above (+3.64) vs 2.36
2021-10-30	Islam Makhachev	1	2	0	0	—	0.0%	Below (-2.36) vs 2.36
2021-09-25	Nasrat Haqparast	1	7	0	0	—	0.0%	Below (-2.36) vs 2.36
2021-09-25	Nasrat Haqparast	2	11	0	0	—	0.0%	Below (-2.36) vs 2.36
2021-09-25	Nasrat Haqparast	3	9	1	2	50.0%	11.1%	Below (-1.36) vs 2.36
2021-01-23	Michael Chandler	1	17	1	1	100.0%	5.9%	Below (-1.36) vs 2.36
2020-06-27	Dustin Poirier	1	20	1	1	100.0%	5.0%	Below (-1.36) vs 2.36
2020-06-27	Dustin Poirier	2	48	1	1	100.0%	2.1%	Below (-1.36) vs 2.36
2020-06-27	Dustin Poirier	3	28	0	0	—	0.0%	Below (-2.36) vs 2.36
2020-06-27	Dustin Poirier	4	20	0	0	—	0.0%	Below (-2.36) vs 2.36
2020-06-27	Dustin Poirier	5	37	0	0	—	0.0%	Below (-2.36) vs 2.36
2020-02-22	Paul Felder	1	16	5	8	62.5%	31.2%	Above (+2.64) vs 2.36
2020-02-22	Paul Felder	2	26	10	11	90.9%	38.5%	Above (+7.64) vs 2.36
2020-02-22	Paul Felder	3	28	7	10	70.0%	25.0%	Above (+4.64) vs 2.36
2020-02-22	Paul Felder	4	25	3	3	100.0%	12.0%	Above (+0.64) vs 2.36
2020-02-22	Paul Felder	5	15	2	2	100.0%	13.3%	Below (-0.36) vs 2.36
2019-10-05	Al Iaquinta	1	5	0	0	—	0.0%	Below (-2.36) vs 2.36
2019-10-05	Al Iaquinta	2	15	5	6	83.3%	33.3%	Above (+2.64) vs 2.36
2019-10-05	Al Iaquinta	3	17	4	6	66.7%	23.5%	Above (+1.64) vs 2.36
2019-07-20	James Vick	1	7	5	6	83.3%	71.4%	Above (+2.64) vs 2.36
2018-12-15	Edson Barboza	1	34	12	15	80.0%	35.3%	Above (+9.64) vs 2.36
2018-12-15	Edson Barboza	2	63	5	6	83.3%	7.9%	Above (+2.64) vs 2.36
2018-12-15	Edson Barboza	3	29	2	2	100.0%	6.9%	Below (-0.36) vs 2.36
2018-07-07	Gilbert Burns	1	13	7	10	70.0%	53.8%	Above (+4.64) vs 2.36
2018-04-21	Jim Miller	1	10	2	2	100.0%	20.0%	Below (-0.36) vs 2.36
2017-12-30	Marc Diakiese	1	6	4	16	25.0%	66.7%	Above (+1.64) vs 2.36
2017-12-30	Marc Diakiese	2	9	5	7	71.4%	55.6%	Above (+2.64) vs 2.36
2017-12-30	Marc Diakiese	3	9	2	3	66.7%	22.2%	Below (-0.36) vs 2.36

Date	Opponent	Rnd	Sig Abs	Leg Abs	Leg Att	Opp Acc%	Leg Share%	vs Own Avg Abs
2017-06-10	Ross Pearson	1	20	6	7	85.7%	30.0%	Above (+3.64) vs 2.36
2017-06-10	Ross Pearson	2	18	4	4	100.0%	22.2%	Above (+1.64) vs 2.36
2016-11-26	Jason Knight	1	14	0	0	—	0.0%	Below (-2.36) vs 2.36
2016-11-26	Jason Knight	2	7	0	0	—	0.0%	Below (-2.36) vs 2.36
2016-11-26	Jason Knight	3	38	1	2	50.0%	2.6%	Below (-1.36) vs 2.36
2016-03-19	Mark Eddiva	1	4	1	1	100.0%	25.0%	Below (-1.36) vs 2.36
2015-10-03	Yair Rodriguez	1	13	5	7	71.4%	38.5%	Above (+2.64) vs 2.36
2015-10-03	Yair Rodriguez	2	22	4	5	80.0%	18.2%	Above (+1.64) vs 2.36
2015-10-03	Yair Rodriguez	3	17	1	1	100.0%	5.9%	Below (-1.36) vs 2.36
2015-05-09	Hatsu Hioki	1	15	1	1	100.0%	6.7%	Below (-1.36) vs 2.36
2015-05-09	Hatsu Hioki	2	17	0	0	—	0.0%	Below (-2.36) vs 2.36
2014-09-20	Maximo Blanco	1	33	0	0	—	0.0%	Below (-2.36) vs 2.36
2014-09-20	Maximo Blanco	2	71	0	0	—	0.0%	Below (-2.36) vs 2.36
2014-09-20	Maximo Blanco	3	28	0	0	—	0.0%	Below (-2.36) vs 2.36
2014-06-28	Ian Entwistle	1	1	0	0	—	0.0%	Below (-2.36) vs 2.36

Hooker Leg Offense — Round × Opponent

Dan Hooker — **offensive** leg sig / low-kick proxy. Same columns as Ortega offense (Date · … · vs Opp Avg Abs).

Baseline: round Leg Lnd vs that opponent's career avg leg sig absorbed/rnd (Above/Below/≈Avg; in parentheses). Lightweight division avg leg L/rnd ≈ 2.48.

Career: 240 of 317 leg sig (75.7% · 20.3% of 1185 sig landed).

Date	Opponent	Rnd	Sig Lnd	Leg Lnd	Leg Att	Leg Acc%	Leg Share%	vs Opp Avg Abs
2026-09-05	Salahdine Parnasse	1	14	12	19	63.2%	85.7%	≈Avg (+0.00) vs 12.00
2026-01-31	Benoit Saint Denis	1	26	2	2	100.0%	7.7%	Above (+0.43) vs 1.57
2026-01-31	Benoit Saint Denis	2	4	1	1	100.0%	25.0%	Below (-0.57) vs 1.57
2025-11-22	Arman Tsarukyan	1	5	1	1	100.0%	20.0%	Above (+0.30) vs 0.70
2025-11-22	Arman Tsarukyan	2	5	0	0	—	0.0%	Below (-0.70) vs 0.70
2024-08-17	Mateusz Gamrot	1	20	0	0	—	0.0%	Below (-1.83) vs 1.83
2024-08-17	Mateusz Gamrot	2	17	0	0	—	0.0%	Below (-1.83) vs 1.83
2024-08-17	Mateusz Gamrot	3	28	0	0	—	0.0%	Below (-1.83) vs 1.83
2023-07-08	Jalin Turner	1	38	14	16	87.5%	36.8%	Above (+9.68) vs 4.32
2023-07-08	Jalin Turner	2	44	8	9	88.9%	18.2%	Above (+3.68) vs 4.32
2023-07-08	Jalin Turner	3	43	1	1	100.0%	2.3%	Below (-3.32) vs 4.32
2022-11-12	Claudio Puelles	1	10	6	11	54.5%	60.0%	Above (+4.04) vs 1.96
2022-11-12	Claudio Puelles	2	19	2	2	100.0%	10.5%	≈Avg (+0.04) vs 1.96
2022-03-19	Arnold Allen	1	14	3	3	100.0%	21.4%	≈Avg (-0.04) vs 3.04
2021-10-30	Islam Makhachev	1	4	3	3	100.0%	75.0%	Above (+1.88) vs 1.12
2021-09-25	Nasrat Haqparast	1	26	10	13	76.9%	38.5%	Above (+5.68) vs 4.32
2021-09-25	Nasrat Haqparast	2	29	2	2	100.0%	6.9%	Below (-2.32) vs 4.32
2021-09-25	Nasrat Haqparast	3	18	8	9	88.9%	44.4%	Above (+3.68) vs 4.32
2021-01-23	Michael Chandler	1	8	8	12	66.7%	100.0%	Above (+4.25) vs 3.75
2020-06-27	Dustin Poirier	1	33	9	9	100.0%	27.3%	Above (+6.35) vs 2.65
2020-06-27	Dustin Poirier	2	66	7	7	100.0%	10.6%	Above (+4.35) vs 2.65
2020-06-27	Dustin Poirier	3	20	2	4	50.0%	10.0%	Below (-0.65) vs 2.65
2020-06-27	Dustin Poirier	4	11	1	1	100.0%	9.1%	Below (-1.65) vs 2.65
2020-06-27	Dustin Poirier	5	25	2	2	100.0%	8.0%	Below (-0.65) vs 2.65
2020-02-22	Paul Felder	1	24	15	19	78.9%	62.5%	Above (+11.05) vs 3.95
2020-02-22	Paul Felder	2	26	8	9	88.9%	30.8%	Above (+4.05) vs 3.95
2020-02-22	Paul Felder	3	39	7	8	87.5%	17.9%	Above (+3.05) vs 3.95
2020-02-22	Paul Felder	4	15	5	5	100.0%	33.3%	Above (+1.05) vs 3.95
2020-02-22	Paul Felder	5	18	5	6	83.3%	27.8%	Above (+1.05) vs 3.95
2019-10-05	Al Iaquinta	1	38	13	14	92.9%	34.2%	Above (+10.19) vs 2.81
2019-10-05	Al Iaquinta	2	27	6	7	85.7%	22.2%	Above (+3.19) vs 2.81
2019-10-05	Al Iaquinta	3	33	4	5	80.0%	12.1%	Above (+1.19) vs 2.81
2019-07-20	James Vick	1	22	9	14	64.3%	40.9%	Above (+5.78) vs 3.22
2018-12-15	Edson Barboza	1	26	8	12	66.7%	30.8%	Above (+5.03) vs 2.97
2018-12-15	Edson Barboza	2	40	2	2	100.0%	5.0%	Below (-0.97) vs 2.97
2018-12-15	Edson Barboza	3	15	0	0	—	0.0%	Below (-2.97) vs 2.97
2018-07-07	Gilbert Burns	1	22	6	7	85.7%	27.3%	Above (+3.38) vs 2.62
2018-04-21	Jim Miller	1	24	5	7	71.4%	20.8%	Above (+3.59) vs 1.41
2017-12-30	Marc Diakiese	1	7	4	6	66.7%	57.1%	Above (+1.03) vs 2.97
2017-12-30	Marc Diakiese	2	5	3	3	100.0%	60.0%	≈Avg (+0.03) vs 2.97
2017-12-30	Marc Diakiese	3	5	4	5	80.0%	80.0%	Above (+1.03) vs 2.97
2017-06-10	Ross Pearson	1	32	15	16	93.8%	46.9%	Above (+11.91) vs 3.09

Date	Opponent	Rnd	Sig Lnd	Leg Lnd	Leg Att	Leg Acc%	Leg Share%	vs Opp Avg Abs
2017-06-10	Ross Pearson	2	37	8	9	88.9%	21.6%	Above (+4.91) vs 3.09
2016-11-26	Jason Knight	1	17	2	6	33.3%	11.8%	Above (+0.29) vs 1.71
2016-11-26	Jason Knight	2	6	1	3	33.3%	16.7%	Below (-0.71) vs 1.71
2016-11-26	Jason Knight	3	24	0	0	—	0.0%	Below (-1.71) vs 1.71
2016-03-19	Mark Eddiva	1	5	1	2	50.0%	20.0%	≈Avg (-0.22) vs 1.22
2015-10-03	Yair Rodriguez	1	2	0	4	0.0%	0.0%	Below (-2.02) vs 2.02
2015-10-03	Yair Rodriguez	2	11	0	5	0.0%	0.0%	Below (-2.02) vs 2.02
2015-10-03	Yair Rodriguez	3	6	0	0	—	0.0%	Below (-2.02) vs 2.02
2015-05-09	Hatsu Hioki	1	7	2	6	33.3%	28.6%	≈Avg (-0.05) vs 2.05
2015-05-09	Hatsu Hioki	2	14	0	2	0.0%	0.0%	Below (-2.05) vs 2.05
2014-09-20	Maximo Blanco	1	21	0	0	—	0.0%	Below (-1.68) vs 1.68
2014-09-20	Maximo Blanco	2	41	4	7	57.1%	9.8%	Above (+2.32) vs 1.68
2014-09-20	Maximo Blanco	3	37	1	1	100.0%	2.7%	Below (-0.68) vs 1.68
2014-06-28	Ian Entwistle	1	12	0	0	—	0.0%	≈Avg (+0.00) vs 0.00

Ortega Leg Defense — Absorbed (Round × Opponent)

Brian Ortega — **defensive** leg sig absorbed. Same columns as Hooker defense (Date · … · vs Own Avg Abs).

Baseline: round Leg Abs vs this fighter's own career avg leg sig absorbed/rnd (Above/Below/≈Avg; in parentheses). Lightweight division avg leg L/rnd ≈ 2.48.

Career absorbed: 173 of 191 (90.6% opponent leg acc · 14.0% of sig absorbed).

Date	Opponent	Rnd	Sig Abs	Leg Abs	Leg Att	Opp Acc%	Leg Share%	vs Own Avg Abs
2025-08-23	Aljamain Sterling	1	27	8	8	100.0%	29.6%	Above (+3.88) vs 4.12
2025-08-23	Aljamain Sterling	2	13	6	6	100.0%	46.2%	Above (+1.88) vs 4.12
2025-08-23	Aljamain Sterling	3	35	8	8	100.0%	22.9%	Above (+3.88) vs 4.12
2025-08-23	Aljamain Sterling	4	25	3	3	100.0%	12.0%	Below (-1.12) vs 4.12
2025-08-23	Aljamain Sterling	5	24	1	1	100.0%	4.2%	Below (-3.12) vs 4.12
2024-09-14	Diego Lopes	1	29	3	4	75.0%	10.3%	Below (-1.12) vs 4.12
2024-09-14	Diego Lopes	2	22	10	10	100.0%	45.5%	Above (+5.88) vs 4.12
2024-09-14	Diego Lopes	3	55	5	5	100.0%	9.1%	Above (+0.88) vs 4.12
2024-02-24	Yair Rodriguez	1	45	7	8	87.5%	15.6%	Above (+2.88) vs 4.12
2024-02-24	Yair Rodriguez	2	9	1	1	100.0%	11.1%	Below (-3.12) vs 4.12
2024-02-24	Yair Rodriguez	3	1	0	0	—	0.0%	Below (-4.12) vs 4.12
2022-07-16	Yair Rodriguez	1	23	5	5	100.0%	21.7%	Above (+0.88) vs 4.12
2021-09-25	Alexander Volkanovski	1	30	11	13	84.6%	36.7%	Above (+6.88) vs 4.12
2021-09-25	Alexander Volkanovski	2	38	14	15	93.3%	36.8%	Above (+9.88) vs 4.12
2021-09-25	Alexander Volkanovski	3	61	12	15	80.0%	19.7%	Above (+7.88) vs 4.12
2021-09-25	Alexander Volkanovski	4	35	6	6	100.0%	17.1%	Above (+1.88) vs 4.12
2021-09-25	Alexander Volkanovski	5	50	5	8	62.5%	10.0%	Above (+0.88) vs 4.12
2020-10-17	Chan Sung Jung	1	14	6	6	100.0%	42.9%	Above (+1.88) vs 4.12
2020-10-17	Chan Sung Jung	2	14	2	2	100.0%	14.3%	Below (-2.12) vs 4.12
2020-10-17	Chan Sung Jung	3	7	4	6	66.7%	57.1%	≈Avg (-0.12) vs 4.12
2020-10-17	Chan Sung Jung	4	8	1	1	100.0%	12.5%	Below (-3.12) vs 4.12
2020-10-17	Chan Sung Jung	5	19	0	0	—	0.0%	Below (-4.12) vs 4.12
2018-12-08	Max Holloway	1	40	0	0	—	0.0%	Below (-4.12) vs 4.12
2018-12-08	Max Holloway	2	66	3	3	100.0%	4.5%	Below (-1.12) vs 4.12
2018-12-08	Max Holloway	3	50	2	2	100.0%	4.0%	Below (-2.12) vs 4.12
2018-12-08	Max Holloway	4	134	0	0	—	0.0%	Below (-4.12) vs 4.12
2018-03-03	Frankie Edgar	1	27	5	5	100.0%	18.5%	Above (+0.88) vs 4.12
2017-12-09	Cub Swanson	1	30	12	13	92.3%	40.0%	Above (+7.88) vs 4.12
2017-12-09	Cub Swanson	2	30	4	5	80.0%	13.3%	≈Avg (-0.12) vs 4.12
2017-07-29	Renato Moicano	1	41	4	4	100.0%	9.8%	≈Avg (-0.12) vs 4.12
2017-07-29	Renato Moicano	2	42	2	2	100.0%	4.8%	Below (-2.12) vs 4.12
2017-07-29	Renato Moicano	3	26	4	4	100.0%	15.4%	≈Avg (-0.12) vs 4.12
2016-06-04	Clay Guida	1	17	4	4	100.0%	23.5%	≈Avg (-0.12) vs 4.12
2016-06-04	Clay Guida	2	25	3	3	100.0%	12.0%	Below (-1.12) vs 4.12
2016-06-04	Clay Guida	3	20	0	0	—	0.0%	Below (-4.12) vs 4.12
2016-01-02	Diego Brandao	1	25	5	5	100.0%	20.0%	Above (+0.88) vs 4.12
2016-01-02	Diego Brandao	2	22	3	5	60.0%	13.6%	Below (-1.12) vs 4.12
2016-01-02	Diego Brandao	3	9	0	0	—	0.0%	Below (-4.12) vs 4.12
2015-06-06	Thiago Tavares	1	10	0	0	—	0.0%	Below (-4.12) vs 4.12
2015-06-06	Thiago Tavares	2	9	0	0	—	0.0%	Below (-4.12) vs 4.12
2015-06-06	Thiago Tavares	3	20	4	5	80.0%	20.0%	≈Avg (-0.12) vs 4.12
2014-07-26	Mike de la Torre	1	6	0	0	—	0.0%	Below (-4.12) vs 4.12

Opponent Career Historical Avg — Leg Sig Absorbed

For each UFC opponent faced: career historical average leg sig strikes **absorbed** (what opponents land on them across their UFC career). This is the offense-row baseline for the Above/Below column. Opponents ordered by most recent appearance.

Opponents faced by Dan Hooker — their career leg-absorbed averages

Opponent	Fights	Rnds	Leg Abs L/T	Avg Leg Abs /Fight	Avg /Rnd	Leg Acc% on them	Leg Share% of SS Abs
Salahdine Parnasse	1	1	12 of 19	12.00	12.00	63.2%	85.7%
Benoit Saint Denis	13	23	36 of 39	2.77	1.57	92.3%	10.1%
Arman Tsarukyan	13	33	23 of 32	1.77	0.70	71.9%	8.6%
Mateusz Gamrot	14	35	64 of 83	4.57	1.83	77.1%	14.4%
Jalin Turner	15	25	108 of 116	7.20	4.32	93.1%	26.2%
Claudio Puelles	10	26	51 of 60	5.10	1.96	85.0%	17.0%
Arnold Allen	15	46	140 of 169	9.33	3.04	82.8%	20.5%
Islam Makhachev	19	50	56 of 76	2.95	1.12	73.7%	17.7%
Nasrat Haqparast	16	41	177 of 197	11.06	4.32	89.8%	15.0%
Michael Chandler	8	20	75 of 87	9.38	3.75	86.2%	19.1%
Dustin Poirier	32	81	215 of 263	6.72	2.65	81.7%	13.2%
Paul Felder	15	43	170 of 209	11.33	3.95	81.3%	24.0%
Al Iaquinta	15	42	118 of 136	7.87	2.81	86.8%	13.7%
James Vick	14	27	87 of 123	6.21	3.22	70.7%	23.0%
Edson Barboza	33	87	258 of 312	7.82	2.97	82.7%	13.9%
Gilbert Burns	25	66	173 of 197	6.92	2.62	87.8%	15.2%
Jim Miller	48	105	148 of 202	3.08	1.41	73.3%	9.4%
Marc Diakiese	15	39	116 of 137	7.73	2.97	84.7%	24.2%
Ross Pearson	26	66	204 of 268	7.85	3.09	76.1%	16.5%
Jason Knight	9	24	41 of 51	4.56	1.71	80.4%	11.8%
Mark Eddiva	4	9	11 of 13	2.75	1.22	84.6%	8.9%
Yair Rodriguez	16	46	93 of 140	5.81	2.02	66.4%	11.6%
Hatsu Hioki	8	22	45 of 90	5.62	2.05	50.0%	18.5%
Maximo Blanco	9	19	32 of 52	3.56	1.68	61.5%	12.3%
Ian Entwistle	3	3	0 of 0	0.00	0.00	—	0.0%

Opponents faced by Brian Ortega — their career leg-absorbed averages

Opponent	Fights	Rnds	Leg Abs L/T	Avg Leg Abs /Fight	Avg /Rnd	Leg Acc% on them	Leg Share% of SS Abs
Aljamain Sterling	23	70	165 of 207	7.17	2.36	79.7%	23.2%
Diego Lopes	11	28	84 of 108	7.64	3.00	77.8%	14.2%
Yair Rodriguez	16	46	93 of 140	5.81	2.02	66.4%	11.6%
Alexander Volkanovski	19	65	161 of 230	8.47	2.48	70.0%	15.4%
Chan Sung Jung	12	36	144 of 180	12.00	4.00	80.0%	21.5%
Max Holloway	33	112	552 of 685	16.73	4.93	80.6%	22.5%
Frankie Edgar	30	99	147 of 187	4.90	1.48	78.6%	10.9%
Cub Swanson	26	68	248 of 331	9.54	3.65	74.9%	18.0%
Renato Moicano	21	46	129 of 153	6.14	2.80	84.3%	17.5%
Clay Guida	37	93	102 of 125	2.76	1.10	81.6%	7.6%
Diego Brandao	10	18	22 of 25	2.20	1.22	88.0%	8.2%

Opponent	Fights	Rnds	Leg Abs L/T	Avg Leg Abs /Fight	Avg /Rnd	Leg Acc% on them	Leg Share% of SS Abs
Thiago Tavares	18	38	67 of 83	3.72	1.76	80.7%	17.7%
Mike de la Torre	7	11	12 of 14	1.71	1.09	85.7%	6.1%

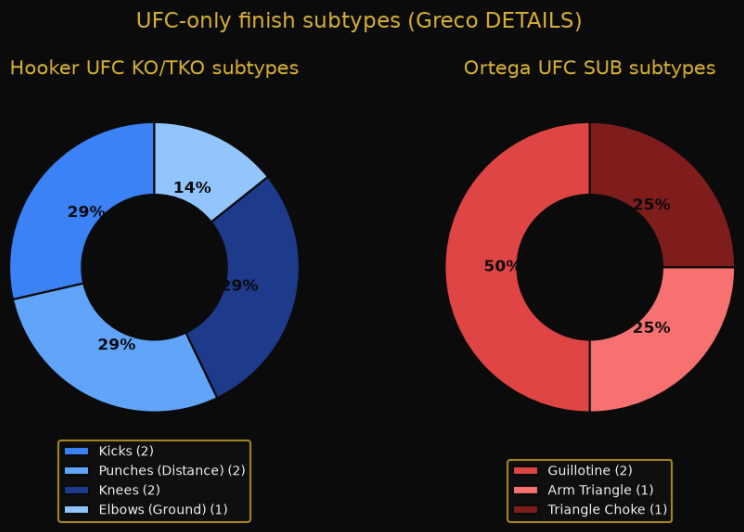
Source: UFCStats **LEG** = significant strikes to the legs (leg sig / low-kick proxy). Landed of attempted parsed from fight-stats CSV. Sort: most recent → oldest.

Finish Path Mismatch — Callout

Shown only because the finish paths create a real matchup flag (otherwise finish pies live in scouting when research is present).

Finish mismatch

Dan Hooker wins by KO/TKO often (7/14) while Brian Ortega has lost by KO/TKO (2/5).



Lightweight Division Context

Upcoming bout is billed **Lightweight**. Division pool (n=457): Fighters whose majority of UFC bouts are in billed class 'Lightweight', OR whose most recent UFC bout is in that family. **Last Greco weight class:** Hooker = **Lightweight Bout**; Ortega = **Catch Weight Bout**. Values: fighter · division average · delta · standing in division. Control rows show seconds and % of a 15-min fight.

Metric	Div Avg	Hooker	vs avg	Hooker standing	Ortega	vs avg	Ortega standing
SS Acc %	42.3%	48.6%	+6.3 pp	top 26%	37.3%	-5.0 pp	top 74%
SS Def %	54.4%	49.0%	-5.4 pp	top 73%	49.3%	-5.1 pp	top 72%
TD Acc %	36.2%	33.3%	-2.9 pp	top 59%	25.0%	-11.2 pp	top 74%
TDD %	56.1%	77.1%	+21.0 pp	top 18%	54.5%	-1.6 pp	top 58%
Control expected / 15 min	169.4s (18.8%)	156.3s (17.4%)	-13.1s	top 48%	77.4s (8.6%)	-92.0s	top 71%
Control allowed / 15 min	222.3s (24.7%)	132.5s (14.7%)	-89.8s	top 33%	102.9s (11.4%)	-119.4s	top 23%
KD rate / 15	0.27	0.55	+0.28	top 16%	0.39	+0.12	top 24%
KD Abs rate / 15	0.52	0.18	-0.34	top 46%	0.16	-0.36	top 44%
SLpM	3.12	4.82	+1.70	top 14%	3.84	+0.72	top 29%
SApM	3.65	4.94	+1.29	top 84%	6.38	+2.73	top 94%

Control expected / allowed per 15 min = total CTRL (or CTRL against) seconds ÷ fight seconds × 900. Shown as seconds and % of a 15-minute (900s) fight (e.g. 290.4s ≈ 32.3%).

Hooker vs division field

SS Acc **48.6%** (div avg 42.3%, top 26%) · SS Def **49.0%** (top 73%) · TDD **77.1%** (top 18%). Last Greco class: Lightweight Bout.

Ortega vs division field

SLpM **3.84** (top 29%) · TDD **54.5%** (top 58%) · SS Def **49.3%** (top 72%). Last Greco class: Catch Weight Bout.

Standing = share of the Lightweight pool at or better on that metric (“top X%”). For Control allowed / 15, KD Abs rate, and SApM, lower is better.

Dan Hooker — A/B/C/D Fight Tables

Locked next-build tables. **A/B** = every UFC round × opponent (most recent first); sig by **distance / clinch / ground only** (no head/body/leg). Striking time = mm:ss [% of round clock] (clock – CTRL). Stand/15* = projected sig pace if stand-up lasted a full 15 min on striking-time basis. **C/D** = fight-level grappling. C/D styles: **bold gold wash** = ≥1 TD attempt; muted = 0 attempts; **teal wash** = landed ≥1 TD vs historically strong career TDD (≥70%). Diff = subject sig landed – absorbed.

A — Offensive Significant Strikes — Dan Hooker

SS T/L = thrown/landed. Dist/Clin/Gnd = sig landed/thrown by position. Tot D/C/G uses UFCStats position splits (all distance strikes are significant).

Date	Opponent	R	WC	SS T/L	Diff	KD	Dist	Clin	Gnd	Tot T/L	Tot D/C/G	StrTime [%clk]	Stand/15 *
Sep 05, 2026	Salahdine Parnasse	1	Lightweight Bout	31/14	2	0	14/31	0/0	0/0	31/14	14/0/0	2:35 [100%]	81.3
Jan 31, 2026	Benoit Saint Denis	1	Lightweight Bout	41/26	-9	0	24/38	2/3	0/0	49/34	24/2/0	4:38 [93%]	77.7
Jan 31, 2026	Benoit Saint Denis	2	Lightweight Bout	6/4	-58	0	4/6	0/0	0/0	19/17	4/0/0	4:39 [98%]	12.9
Nov 22, 2025	Arman Tsarukyan	1	Lightweight Bout	20/5	-14	0	4/17	1/3	0/0	25/9	4/1/0	4:50 [97%]	12.4
Nov 22, 2025	Arman Tsarukyan	2	Lightweight Bout	13/5	-18	0	5/13	0/0	0/0	16/8	5/0/0	3:34 [100%]	21.0
Aug 17, 2024	Mateusz Gamrot	1	Lightweight Bout	43/20	-6	0	15/38	1/1	4/4	47/24	15/1/4	4:43 [94%]	47.7
Aug 17, 2024	Mateusz Gamrot	2	Lightweight Bout	34/17	6	0	7/23	1/1	9/10	46/27	7/1/9	4:16 [85%]	24.6
Aug 17, 2024	Mateusz Gamrot	3	Lightweight Bout	66/28	1	0	22/58	2/4	4/4	69/31	22/2/4	4:33 [91%]	72.5
Jul 08, 2023	Jalin Turner	1	Lightweight Bout	54/38	4	0	35/51	3/3	0/0	55/39	35/3/0	5:00 [100%]	105.0
Jul 08, 2023	Jalin Turner	2	Lightweight Bout	81/44	10	0	38/70	6/11	0/0	85/48	38/6/0	4:44 [95%]	120.4
Jul 08, 2023	Jalin Turner	3	Lightweight Bout	62/43	11	1	27/36	10/17	6/9	107/85	27/10/6	2:07 [42%]	191.3
Nov 12, 2022	Claudio Puelles	1	Lightweight Bout	27/10	10	0	10/27	0/0	0/0	35/16	10/0/0	3:49 [76%]	39.3
Nov 12, 2022	Claudio Puelles	2	Lightweight Bout	36/19	14	1	14/31	0/0	5/5	38/21	14/0/5	3:09 [77%]	66.7
Mar 19, 2022	Arnold Allen	1	Featherweight Bout	49/14	-35	0	14/49	0/0	0/0	49/14	14/0/0	2:33 [100%]	82.3
Oct 30, 2021	Islam Makhachev	1	Lightweight Bout	13/4	2	0	4/13	0/0	0/0	28/19	4/0/0	2:25 [100%]	24.8
Sep 25, 2021	Nasrat Haqparast	1	Lightweight Bout	63/26	19	0	23/60	3/3	0/0	67/30	23/3/0	4:24 [88%]	78.4
Sep 25, 2021	Nasrat Haqparast	2	Lightweight Bout	56/29	18	0	16/42	11/12	2/2	86/59	16/11/2	2:03 [41%]	117.1
Sep 25, 2021	Nasrat Haqparast	3	Lightweight Bout	34/18	9	0	16/32	0/0	2/2	108/88	16/0/2	1:29 [30%]	161.8
Jan 23, 2021	Michael Chandler	1	Lightweight Bout	19/8	-9	0	8/19	0/0	0/0	19/8	8/0/0	2:30 [100%]	48.0
Jun 27, 2020	Dustin Poirier	1	Lightweight Bout	67/33	13	0	29/62	4/5	0/0	69/35	29/4/0	4:51 [97%]	89.7
Jun 27, 2020	Dustin Poirier	2	Lightweight Bout	98/66	18	0	60/89	6/9	0/0	101/69	60/6/0	4:42 [94%]	191.5

Date	Opponent	R	WC	SS T/L	Diff	KD	Dist	Clin	Gnd	Tot T/L	Tot D/C/G	StrTime [%clk]	Stand/15 *
Jun 27, 2020	Dustin Poirier	3	Lightweight Bout	39/20	-8	0	15/33	1/1	4/5	51/30	15/1/4	2:50 [57%]	79.4
Jun 27, 2020	Dustin Poirier	4	Lightweight Bout	14/11	-9	0	9/12	0/0	2/2	27/23	9/0/2	2:52 [57%]	47.1
Jun 27, 2020	Dustin Poirier	5	Lightweight Bout	35/25	-12	0	23/33	1/1	1/1	35/25	23/1/1	3:43 [74%]	92.8
Feb 22, 2020	Paul Felder	1	Lightweight Bout	46/24	8	0	24/46	0/0	0/0	47/25	24/0/0	4:37 [92%]	78.0
Feb 22, 2020	Paul Felder	2	Lightweight Bout	43/26	0	0	26/43	0/0	0/0	44/27	26/0/0	4:02 [81%]	96.7
Feb 22, 2020	Paul Felder	3	Lightweight Bout	63/39	11	0	38/61	1/2	0/0	63/39	38/1/0	4:38 [93%]	123.0
Feb 22, 2020	Paul Felder	4	Lightweight Bout	36/15	-10	0	15/35	0/1	0/0	39/18	15/0/0	3:10 [63%]	71.0
Feb 22, 2020	Paul Felder	5	Lightweight Bout	33/18	3	0	17/32	1/1	0/0	41/24	17/1/0	3:28 [69%]	73.6
Oct 05, 2019	Al Iaquinta	1	Lightweight Bout	63/38	33	0	23/48	0/0	15/15	69/44	23/0/15	3:31 [70%]	98.1
Oct 05, 2019	Al Iaquinta	2	Lightweight Bout	63/27	12	1	20/53	0/0	7/10	63/27	20/0/7	3:59 [80%]	75.3
Oct 05, 2019	Al Iaquinta	3	Lightweight Bout	81/33	16	0	33/81	0/0	0/0	81/33	33/0/0	5:00 [100%]	99.0
Jul 20, 2019	James Vick	1	Lightweight Bout	41/22	15	1	19/38	0/0	3/3	41/22	19/0/3	2:30 [98%]	114.0
Dec 15, 2018	Edson Barboza	1	Lightweight Bout	75/26	-8	0	26/74	0/1	0/0	75/26	26/0/0	5:00 [100%]	78.0
Dec 15, 2018	Edson Barboza	2	Lightweight Bout	96/40	-23	0	39/94	1/2	0/0	119/63	39/1/0	4:56 [99%]	118.6
Dec 15, 2018	Edson Barboza	3	Lightweight Bout	33/15	-14	0	13/30	2/3	0/0	40/22	13/2/0	2:18 [99%]	84.8
Jul 07, 2018	Gilbert Burns	1	Lightweight Bout	34/22	9	2	19/31	0/0	3/3	34/22	19/0/3	2:13 [90%]	128.6
Apr 21, 2018	Jim Miller	1	Lightweight Bout	44/24	14	1	23/43	0/0	1/1	44/24	23/0/1	2:46 [92%]	124.7
Dec 30, 2017	Marc Diakiese	1	Lightweight Bout	18/7	1	0	7/18	0/0	0/0	19/8	7/0/0	4:43 [94%]	22.3
Dec 30, 2017	Marc Diakiese	2	Lightweight Bout	12/5	-4	0	5/12	0/0	0/0	19/11	5/0/0	2:04 [41%]	36.3
Dec 30, 2017	Marc Diakiese	3	Lightweight Bout	10/5	-4	0	5/10	0/0	0/0	10/5	5/0/0	0:41 [98%]	109.8
Jun 10, 2017	Ross Pearson	1	Lightweight Bout	65/32	12	0	32/65	0/0	0/0	70/37	32/0/0	5:00 [100%]	96.0
Jun 10, 2017	Ross Pearson	2	Lightweight Bout	76/37	19	1	36/75	0/0	1/1	76/37	36/0/1	3:01 [99%]	179.0
Nov 26, 2016	Jason Knight	1	Featherweight Bout	28/17	3	0	17/28	0/0	0/0	35/24	17/0/0	4:26 [89%]	57.5
Nov 26, 2016	Jason Knight	2	Featherweight Bout	17/6	-1	0	6/17	0/0	0/0	19/8	6/0/0	5:00 [100%]	18.0
Nov 26, 2016	Jason Knight	3	Featherweight Bout	55/24	-14	0	24/53	0/1	0/1	57/26	24/0/0	4:52 [97%]	74.0
Mar 19, 2016	Mark Eddiva	1	Featherweight Bout	9/5	1	0	4/8	1/1	0/0	10/6	4/1/0	1:11 [85%]	50.7

Date	Opponent	R	WC	SS T/L	Diff	KD	Dist	Clin	Gnd	Tot T/L	Tot D/C/G	StrTime [%clk]	Stand/15 *
Oct 03, 2015	Yair Rodriguez	1	Featherweight Bout	14/2	-11	0	0/8	2/6	0/0	24/12	0/2/0	3:23 [68%]	0.0
Oct 03, 2015	Yair Rodriguez	2	Featherweight Bout	40/11	-11	0	7/34	3/5	1/1	52/20	7/3/1	4:02 [81%]	26.0
Oct 03, 2015	Yair Rodriguez	3	Featherweight Bout	25/6	-11	0	2/14	1/4	3/7	86/53	2/1/3	1:34 [31%]	19.1
May 09, 2015	Hatsu Hioki	1	Featherweight Bout	25/7	-8	0	6/23	1/2	0/0	33/15	6/1/0	4:52 [97%]	18.5
May 09, 2015	Hatsu Hioki	2	Featherweight Bout	36/14	-3	1	11/32	1/1	2/3	41/19	11/1/2	4:11 [99%]	39.4
Sep 20, 2014	Maximo Blanco	1	Featherweight Bout	61/21	-12	0	11/47	10/14	0/0	64/24	11/10/0	4:29 [90%]	36.8
Sep 20, 2014	Maximo Blanco	2	Featherweight Bout	106/41	-30	0	33/86	8/20	0/0	107/42	33/8/0	4:48 [96%]	103.1
Sep 20, 2014	Maximo Blanco	3	Featherweight Bout	69/37	9	0	22/41	15/28	0/0	82/50	22/15/0	3:59 [80%]	82.8
Jun 28, 2014	Ian Entwistle	1	Featherweight Bout	18/12	11	0	3/5	1/1	8/12	67/51	3/1/8	1:40 [47%]	27.0

B — Defensive Significant Strikes — Dan Hooker

Absorbed mirror. Abs T/L = opponent thrown/landed on subject. KD↓ = knockdowns absorbed. Abs/15 = distance sig absorbed per 15 min of striking time.

Date	Opponent	R	WC	Abs T/L	Diff	KD↓	Dist	Clin	Gnd	Tot Abs	Tot D/C/G	StrTime [%clk]	Abs/15*
Sep 05, 2026	Salahdine Parnasse	1	Lightweight Bout	17/12	2	1	9/14	0/0	3/3	17/12	9/0/3	2:35 [100%]	52.3
Jan 31, 2026	Benoit Saint Denis	1	Lightweight Bout	46/35	-9	0	16/27	8/8	11/11	73/62	16/8/11	4:38 [93%]	51.8
Jan 31, 2026	Benoit Saint Denis	2	Lightweight Bout	81/62	-58	0	4/5	2/3	56/73	132/108	4/2/56	4:39 [98%]	12.9
Nov 22, 2025	Arman Tsarukyan	1	Lightweight Bout	30/19	-14	0	15/26	2/2	2/2	45/32	15/2/2	4:50 [97%]	46.5
Nov 22, 2025	Arman Tsarukyan	2	Lightweight Bout	30/23	-18	0	3/5	0/0	20/25	44/37	3/0/20	3:34 [100%]	12.6
Aug 17, 2024	Mateusz Gamrot	1	Lightweight Bout	54/26	-6	0	9/28	2/2	15/24	59/31	9/2/15	4:43 [94%]	28.6
Aug 17, 2024	Mateusz Gamrot	2	Lightweight Bout	17/11	6	0	7/11	0/0	4/6	34/27	7/0/4	4:16 [85%]	24.6
Aug 17, 2024	Mateusz Gamrot	3	Lightweight Bout	58/27	1	0	27/58	0/0	0/0	61/30	27/0/0	4:33 [91%]	89.0
Jul 08, 2023	Jalin Turner	1	Lightweight Bout	69/34	4	0	30/64	4/5	0/0	69/34	30/4/0	5:00 [100%]	90.0
Jul 08, 2023	Jalin Turner	2	Lightweight Bout	60/34	10	0	25/51	9/9	0/0	60/34	25/9/0	4:44 [95%]	79.2
Jul 08, 2023	Jalin Turner	3	Lightweight Bout	48/32	11	0	23/37	5/7	4/4	62/45	23/5/4	2:07 [42%]	163.0
Nov 12, 2022	Claudio Puelles	1	Lightweight Bout	5/0	10	0	0/5	0/0	0/0	5/0	0/0/0	3:49 [76%]	0.0
Nov 12, 2022	Claudio Puelles	2	Lightweight Bout	13/5	14	0	5/13	0/0	0/0	13/5	5/0/0	3:09 [77%]	23.8
Mar 19, 2022	Arnold Allen	1	Featherweight Bout	84/49	-35	0	46/75	3/9	0/0	85/50	46/3/0	2:33 [100%]	270.6

Date	Opponent	R	WC	Abs T/L	Diff	KD↓	Dist	Clin	Gnd	Tot Abs	Tot D/C/G	StrTime [%clk]	Abs/15*
Oct 30, 2021	Islam Makhachev	1	Lightweight Bout	3/2	2	0	2/3	0/0	0/0	14/13	2/0/0	2:25 [100%]	12.4
Sep 25, 2021	Nasrat Haqparast	1	Lightweight Bout	21/7	19	0	6/20	1/1	0/0	21/7	6/1/0	4:24 [88%]	20.4
Sep 25, 2021	Nasrat Haqparast	2	Lightweight Bout	27/11	18	0	8/22	3/5	0/0	35/19	8/3/0	2:03 [41%]	58.5
Sep 25, 2021	Nasrat Haqparast	3	Lightweight Bout	21/9	9	0	9/21	0/0	0/0	21/9	9/0/0	1:29 [30%]	91.0
Jan 23, 2021	Michael Chandler	1	Lightweight Bout	24/17	-9	1	7/11	0/0	10/13	24/17	7/0/10	2:30 [100%]	42.0
Jun 27, 2020	Dustin Poirier	1	Lightweight Bout	31/20	13	0	16/27	4/4	0/0	31/20	16/4/0	4:51 [97%]	49.5
Jun 27, 2020	Dustin Poirier	2	Lightweight Bout	83/48	18	0	37/70	11/13	0/0	88/53	37/11/0	4:42 [94%]	118.1
Jun 27, 2020	Dustin Poirier	3	Lightweight Bout	40/28	-8	0	25/36	1/1	2/3	50/38	25/1/2	2:50 [57%]	132.3
Jun 27, 2020	Dustin Poirier	4	Lightweight Bout	28/20	-9	0	9/14	0/0	11/14	53/43	9/0/11	2:52 [57%]	47.1
Jun 27, 2020	Dustin Poirier	5	Lightweight Bout	49/37	-12	0	29/41	4/4	4/4	67/54	29/4/4	3:43 [74%]	117.0
Feb 22, 2020	Paul Felder	1	Lightweight Bout	42/16	8	0	15/41	1/1	0/0	43/17	15/1/0	4:37 [92%]	48.7
Feb 22, 2020	Paul Felder	2	Lightweight Bout	48/26	0	0	25/45	1/3	0/0	50/27	25/1/0	4:02 [81%]	93.0
Feb 22, 2020	Paul Felder	3	Lightweight Bout	57/28	11	0	27/51	1/6	0/0	57/28	27/1/0	4:38 [93%]	87.4
Feb 22, 2020	Paul Felder	4	Lightweight Bout	47/25	-10	0	23/45	2/2	0/0	49/27	23/2/0	3:10 [63%]	109.0
Feb 22, 2020	Paul Felder	5	Lightweight Bout	36/15	3	0	15/36	0/0	0/0	44/20	15/0/0	3:28 [69%]	64.9
Oct 05, 2019	Al Iaquinta	1	Lightweight Bout	23/5	33	0	5/23	0/0	0/0	23/5	5/0/0	3:31 [70%]	21.3
Oct 05, 2019	Al Iaquinta	2	Lightweight Bout	39/15	12	0	15/39	0/0	0/0	40/16	15/0/0	3:59 [80%]	56.5
Oct 05, 2019	Al Iaquinta	3	Lightweight Bout	54/17	16	0	17/54	0/0	0/0	54/17	17/0/0	5:00 [100%]	51.0
Jul 20, 2019	James Vick	1	Lightweight Bout	23/7	15	0	7/23	0/0	0/0	23/7	7/0/0	2:30 [98%]	42.0
Dec 15, 2018	Edson Barboza	1	Lightweight Bout	73/34	-8	0	30/69	4/4	0/0	73/34	30/4/0	5:00 [100%]	90.0
Dec 15, 2018	Edson Barboza	2	Lightweight Bout	106/63	-23	0	59/102	4/4	0/0	106/63	59/4/0	4:56 [99%]	179.4
Dec 15, 2018	Edson Barboza	3	Lightweight Bout	47/29	-14	1	28/44	1/3	0/0	48/30	28/1/0	2:18 [99%]	182.6
Jul 07, 2018	Gilbert Burns	1	Lightweight Bout	28/13	9	0	13/28	0/0	0/0	29/13	13/0/0	2:13 [90%]	88.0
Apr 21, 2018	Jim Miller	1	Lightweight Bout	20/10	14	0	8/17	2/3	0/0	23/13	8/2/0	2:46 [92%]	43.4
Dec 30, 2017	Marc Diakiese	1	Lightweight Bout	28/6	1	0	6/28	0/0	0/0	28/6	6/0/0	4:43 [94%]	19.1
Dec 30, 2017	Marc Diakiese	2	Lightweight Bout	21/9	-4	0	8/20	1/1	0/0	39/26	8/1/0	2:04 [41%]	58.1

Date	Opponent	R	WC	Abs T/L	Diff	KD↓	Dist	Clin	Gnd	Tot Abs	Tot D/C/G	StrTime [%clk]	Abs/15*
Dec 30, 2017	Marc Diakiese	3	Lightweight Bout	20/9	-4	0	9/20	0/0	0/0	20/9	9/0/0	0:41 [98%]	197.6
Jun 10, 2017	Ross Pearson	1	Lightweight Bout	47/20	12	0	18/45	2/2	0/0	47/20	18/2/0	5:00 [100%]	54.0
Jun 10, 2017	Ross Pearson	2	Lightweight Bout	41/18	19	0	18/41	0/0	0/0	41/18	18/0/0	3:01 [99%]	89.5
Nov 26, 2016	Jason Knight	1	Featherweight Bout	59/14	3	0	12/56	0/1	2/2	60/15	12/0/2	4:26 [89%]	40.6
Nov 26, 2016	Jason Knight	2	Featherweight Bout	25/7	-1	0	6/23	0/1	1/1	46/26	6/0/1	5:00 [100%]	18.0
Nov 26, 2016	Jason Knight	3	Featherweight Bout	101/38	-14	0	37/99	1/2	0/0	102/39	37/1/0	4:52 [97%]	114.0
Mar 19, 2016	Mark Eddiva	1	Featherweight Bout	8/4	1	0	4/8	0/0	0/0	12/7	4/0/0	1:11 [85%]	50.7
Oct 03, 2015	Yair Rodriguez	1	Featherweight Bout	23/13	-11	0	9/17	4/6	0/0	25/15	9/4/0	3:23 [68%]	39.9
Oct 03, 2015	Yair Rodriguez	2	Featherweight Bout	48/22	-11	0	21/44	1/4	0/0	49/23	21/1/0	4:02 [81%]	78.1
Oct 03, 2015	Yair Rodriguez	3	Featherweight Bout	33/17	-11	0	8/19	1/4	8/10	49/29	8/1/8	1:34 [31%]	76.6
May 09, 2015	Hatsu Hioki	1	Featherweight Bout	40/15	-8	0	15/40	0/0	0/0	41/16	15/0/0	4:52 [97%]	46.2
May 09, 2015	Hatsu Hioki	2	Featherweight Bout	52/17	-3	0	17/52	0/0	0/0	57/22	17/0/0	4:11 [99%]	61.0
Sep 20, 2014	Maximo Blanco	1	Featherweight Bout	57/33	-12	0	27/49	5/7	1/1	57/33	27/5/1	4:29 [90%]	90.3
Sep 20, 2014	Maximo Blanco	2	Featherweight Bout	134/71	-30	0	63/116	8/18	0/0	135/72	63/8/0	4:48 [96%]	196.9
Sep 20, 2014	Maximo Blanco	3	Featherweight Bout	49/28	9	0	19/33	9/16	0/0	54/32	19/9/0	3:59 [80%]	71.5
Jun 28, 2014	Ian Entwistle	1	Featherweight Bout	9/1	11	0	0/8	1/1	0/0	9/1	0/1/0	1:40 [47%]	0.0

C — Offensive Takedowns — Dan Hooker

Opp TD allwd/f = opponent career takedowns absorbed ÷ UFC fights. Opp Career TDD% = 1 – (TD landed on them / TD attempted on them).

Date	Opponent	R	Res	TD A/L	Opp TD allwd/f	CTRL	Sub	Rev	Opp Career TDD%
Sep 05, 2026	Salahdine Parnasse	—	L	0/0	0.00	0:00	0	0	—
Jan 31, 2026	Benoit Saint Denis	—	L	1/0	0.38	0:28	2	0	72.2%
Nov 22, 2025	Arman Tsarukyan	—	L	0/0	0.77	0:10	2	0	75.0%
Aug 17, 2024	Mateusz Gamrot	—	W	0/0	0.21	1:28	0	0	76.9%
Jul 08, 2023	Jalin Turner	—	W	2/0	0.80	3:09	1	0	75.0%
Nov 12, 2022	Claudio Puelles	—	W	0/0	0.44	2:08	1	0	60.0%
Mar 19, 2022	Arnold Allen	—	L	0/0	1.40	0:00	0	0	73.1%
Oct 30, 2021	Islam Makhachev	—	L	0/0	0.11	0:00	0	0	91.3%
Sep 25, 2021	Nasrat Haqparast	—	W	7/3	0.50	7:04	0	0	84.9%
Jan 23, 2021	Michael Chandler	—	L	0/0	0.88	0:00	0	0	56.2%
Jun 27, 2020	Dustin Poirier	—	L	9/4	1.06	6:02	0	0	63.0%
Feb 22, 2020	Paul Felder	—	W	5/1	1.73	5:05	0	0	64.9%
Oct 05, 2019	Al Iaquinta	—	W	1/0	0.93	2:30	0	0	74.1%
Jul 20, 2019	James Vick	—	W	0/0	1.14	0:03	0	0	57.9%

Date	Opponent	R	Res	TD A/L	Opp TD allwd/f	CTRL	Sub	Rev	Opp Career TDD%
Dec 15, 2018	Edson Barboza	—	L	1/0	0.85	0:05	0	0	73.1%
Jul 07, 2018	Gilbert Burns	—	W	0/0	0.76	0:15	1	0	53.7%
Apr 21, 2018	Jim Miller	—	W	0/0	1.15	0:14	0	0	47.6%
Dec 30, 2017	Marc Diakiese	—	W	3/2	0.73	3:14	1	0	66.7%
Jun 10, 2017	Ross Pearson	—	W	1/0	0.81	0:01	0	0	75.3%
Nov 26, 2016	Jason Knight	—	L	0/0	2.00	0:42	0	1	47.1%
Mar 19, 2016	Mark Eddiva	—	W	0/0	2.00	0:13	1	0	63.6%
Oct 03, 2015	Yair Rodriguez	—	L	3/1	1.75	6:01	0	0	59.4%
May 09, 2015	Hatsu Hioki	—	W	0/0	1.25	0:10	0	1	50.0%
Sep 20, 2014	Maximo Blanco	—	L	0/0	0.33	1:44	0	0	80.0%
Jun 28, 2014	Ian Entwistle	—	W	0/0	0.33	1:54	0	0	0.0%

Above-expected TD (C) — Dan Hooker

Landed ≥1 TD vs historically strong career TDD (≥70%): Nasrat Haqparast (Sep 25, 2021) TD 3/7 vs career TDD 84.9%.

D — Defensive Grappling — Dan Hooker

TD ag = takedown attempts/landed against subject. CTRL ag = opponent control. Fight TDD% = stuff rate in that fight; Opp TD Acc = opponent career offensive TD accuracy. Teal wash = opponent landed ≥1 TD despite subject's strong career TDD.

Date	Opponent	R	Res	TD ag A/L	CTRL ag	Sub ag	Rev ag	Fight TDD%	Opp TD Acc	Opp TD/f
Sep 05, 2026	Salahdine Parnasse	—	L	0/0	0:02	0	0	—	—	0.00
Jan 31, 2026	Benoit Saint Denis	—	L	9/2	6:14	2	0	77.8%	—	1.85
Nov 22, 2025	Arman Tsarukyan	—	L	4/2	6:02	1	0	50.0%	—	2.54
Aug 17, 2024	Mateusz Gamrot	—	W	15/5	4:59	0	0	66.7%	—	3.86
Jul 08, 2023	Jalin Turner	—	W	3/1	0:18	0	0	66.7%	—	0.27
Nov 12, 2022	Claudio Puelles	—	W	8/0	0:08	1	0	100.0%	—	2.56
Mar 19, 2022	Arnold Allen	—	L	0/0	0:02	0	0	—	—	1.20
Oct 30, 2021	Islam Makhachev	—	L	1/1	1:48	2	0	0.0%	—	2.53
Sep 25, 2021	Nasrat Haqparast	—	W	1/0	0:03	0	0	100.0%	—	0.25
Jan 23, 2021	Michael Chandler	—	L	0/0	0:09	0	0	—	—	1.12
Jun 27, 2020	Dustin Poirier	—	L	7/1	2:49	4	0	85.7%	—	0.88
Feb 22, 2020	Paul Felder	—	W	1/0	0:03	0	0	100.0%	—	0.27
Oct 05, 2019	Al Iaquinta	—	W	3/0	0:23	0	0	100.0%	—	0.53
Jul 20, 2019	James Vick	—	W	0/0	0:00	0	0	—	—	0.14
Dec 15, 2018	Edson Barboza	—	L	1/0	1:43	0	0	100.0%	—	0.33
Jul 07, 2018	Gilbert Burns	—	W	1/0	0:00	0	0	100.0%	—	1.68
Apr 21, 2018	Jim Miller	—	W	2/1	0:27	0	0	50.0%	—	0.94
Dec 30, 2017	Marc Diakiese	—	W	5/0	0:23	0	1	100.0%	—	2.67
Jun 10, 2017	Ross Pearson	—	W	0/0	0:02	0	0	—	—	0.58
Nov 26, 2016	Jason Knight	—	L	13/4	4:52	4	0	69.2%	—	1.11
Mar 19, 2016	Mark Eddiva	—	W	2/0	0:17	0	0	100.0%	—	1.00
Oct 03, 2015	Yair Rodriguez	—	L	9/2	0:31	0	0	77.8%	—	0.62
May 09, 2015	Hatsu Hioki	—	W	5/2	2:00	0	0	60.0%	—	2.25
Sep 20, 2014	Maximo Blanco	—	L	13/3	2:34	0	0	76.9%	—	1.22
Jun 28, 2014	Ian Entwistle	—	W	2/0	0:21	3	0	100.0%	—	0.00

Brian Ortega — A/B/C/D Fight Tables

Locked next-build tables. **A/B** = every UFC round × opponent (most recent first); sig by **distance / clinch / ground only** (no head/body/leg). Striking time = mm:ss [% of round clock] (clock – CTRL). Stand/15* = projected sig pace if stand-up lasted a full 15 min on striking-time basis. **C/D** = fight-level grappling. C/D styles: **bold gold wash** = ≥1 TD attempt; muted = 0 attempts; **teal wash** = landed ≥1 TD vs historically strong career TDD (≥70%). Diff = subject sig landed – absorbed.

A — Offensive Significant Strikes — Brian Ortega

SS T/L = thrown/landed. Dist/Clin/Gnd = sig landed/thrown by position. Tot D/C/G uses UFCStats position splits (all distance strikes are significant).

Date	Opponent	R	WC	SS T/L	Diff	KD	Dist	Clin	Gnd	Tot T/L	Tot D/C/G	StrTime [%clk]	Stand/15 *
Aug 23, 2025	Aljamain Sterling	1	Catch Weight Bout	28/2	-25	0	2/28	0/0	0/0	28/2	2/0/0	5:00 [100%]	6.0
Aug 23, 2025	Aljamain Sterling	2	Catch Weight Bout	40/9	-4	0	9/40	0/0	0/0	40/9	9/0/0	5:00 [100%]	27.0
Aug 23, 2025	Aljamain Sterling	3	Catch Weight Bout	42/21	-14	0	21/42	0/0	0/0	42/21	21/0/0	5:00 [100%]	63.0
Aug 23, 2025	Aljamain Sterling	4	Catch Weight Bout	37/13	-12	0	12/36	0/0	1/1	55/29	12/0/1	4:58 [99%]	36.2
Aug 23, 2025	Aljamain Sterling	5	Catch Weight Bout	27/10	-14	0	10/27	0/0	0/0	60/39	10/0/0	4:54 [98%]	30.6
Sep 14, 2024	Diego Lopes	1	Featherweight Bout	45/15	-14	0	14/43	0/0	1/2	51/21	14/0/1	5:00 [100%]	42.0
Sep 14, 2024	Diego Lopes	2	Featherweight Bout	48/16	-6	0	16/48	0/0	0/0	48/16	16/0/0	5:00 [100%]	48.0
Sep 14, 2024	Diego Lopes	3	Featherweight Bout	102/32	-23	0	31/101	1/1	0/0	102/32	31/1/0	4:54 [98%]	94.9
Feb 24, 2024	Yair Rodriguez	1	Featherweight Bout	28/6	-39	0	6/28	0/0	0/0	30/7	6/0/0	4:18 [86%]	20.9
Feb 24, 2024	Yair Rodriguez	2	Featherweight Bout	44/22	13	0	7/21	2/3	13/20	70/39	7/2/13	1:05 [22%]	96.9
Feb 24, 2024	Yair Rodriguez	3	Featherweight Bout	1/0	-1	0	0/1	0/0	0/0	4/1	0/0/0	0:14 [24%]	0.0
Jul 16, 2022	Yair Rodriguez	1	Featherweight Bout	35/22	-1	0	15/27	7/8	0/0	39/26	15/7/0	1:47 [43%]	126.2
Sep 25, 2021	Alexander Volkanovski	1	Featherweight	51/16	-14	0	15/49	1/2	0/0	51/16	15/1/0	5:00 [100%]	45.0
Sep 25, 2021	Alexander Volkanovski	2	Featherweight	58/23	-15	0	22/57	1/1	0/0	58/23	22/1/0	5:00 [100%]	66.0
Sep 25, 2021	Alexander Volkanovski	3	Featherweight	40/17	-44	0	15/38	2/2	0/0	46/22	15/2/0	4:19 [86%]	52.1
Sep 25, 2021	Alexander Volkanovski	4	Featherweight	15/6	-29	0	6/15	0/0	0/0	25/14	6/0/0	4:47 [96%]	18.8
Sep 25, 2021	Alexander Volkanovski	5	Featherweight	70/26	-24	0	24/66	2/4	0/0	70/26	24/2/0	5:00 [100%]	72.0
Oct 17, 2020	Chan Sung Jung	1	Featherweight Bout	39/24	10	1	24/39	0/0	0/0	39/24	24/0/0	5:00 [100%]	72.0
Oct 17, 2020	Chan Sung Jung	2	Featherweight Bout	37/23	9	1	17/29	2/2	4/6	38/24	17/2/4	4:25 [88%]	57.7
Oct 17, 2020	Chan Sung Jung	3	Featherweight Bout	42/28	21	0	27/41	1/1	0/0	42/28	27/1/0	5:00 [100%]	81.0
Oct 17, 2020	Chan Sung Jung	4	Featherweight Bout	35/17	9	0	15/33	2/2	0/0	36/18	15/2/0	4:38 [93%]	48.6

Date	Opponent	R	WC	SS T/L	Diff	KD	Dist	Clin	Gnd	Tot T/L	Tot D/C/G	StrTime [%clk]	Stand/15 *
Oct 17, 2020	Chan Sung Jung	5	Featherweight Bout	59/35	16	0	35/57	0/2	0/0	59/35	35/0/0	5:00 [100%]	105.0
Dec 08, 2018	Max Holloway	1	Featherweight	65/19	-21	0	18/64	1/1	0/0	65/19	18/1/0	4:38 [93%]	58.3
Dec 08, 2018	Max Holloway	2	Featherweight	92/33	-33	0	31/90	2/2	0/0	92/33	31/2/0	5:00 [100%]	93.0
Dec 08, 2018	Max Holloway	3	Featherweight	81/30	-20	0	27/77	3/4	0/0	83/32	27/3/0	3:55 [78%]	103.4
Dec 08, 2018	Max Holloway	4	Featherweight	54/28	-106	0	25/51	3/3	0/0	54/28	25/3/0	4:02 [81%]	93.0
Mar 03, 2018	Frankie Edgar	1	Featherweight Bout	76/25	-2	1	17/66	6/8	2/2	77/25	17/6/2	4:42 [99%]	54.3
Dec 09, 2017	Cub Swanson	1	Featherweight Bout	40/16	-14	0	14/38	2/2	0/0	40/16	14/2/0	5:00 [100%]	42.0
Dec 09, 2017	Cub Swanson	2	Featherweight Bout	30/8	-22	0	6/28	2/2	0/0	30/8	6/2/0	2:52 [85%]	31.4
Jul 29, 2017	Renato Moicano	1	Featherweight Bout	75/21	-20	0	21/75	0/0	0/0	75/21	21/0/0	5:00 [100%]	63.0
Jul 29, 2017	Renato Moicano	2	Featherweight Bout	82/26	-16	0	25/81	1/1	0/0	82/26	25/1/0	5:00 [100%]	75.0
Jul 29, 2017	Renato Moicano	3	Featherweight Bout	63/18	-8	0	18/61	0/2	0/0	63/18	18/0/0	2:59 [100%]	90.5
Jun 04, 2016	Clay Guida	1	Featherweight Bout	29/5	-12	0	5/29	0/0	0/0	29/5	5/0/0	5:00 [100%]	15.0
Jun 04, 2016	Clay Guida	2	Featherweight Bout	77/25	0	0	24/74	1/3	0/0	77/25	24/1/0	4:58 [99%]	72.5
Jun 04, 2016	Clay Guida	3	Featherweight Bout	83/32	12	1	31/82	0/0	1/1	83/32	31/0/1	4:39 [100%]	100.0
Jan 02, 2016	Diego Brandao	1	Featherweight Bout	42/11	-14	0	10/41	1/1	0/0	45/14	10/1/0	3:55 [78%]	38.3
Jan 02, 2016	Diego Brandao	2	Featherweight Bout	57/15	-7	0	15/57	0/0	0/0	57/15	15/0/0	5:00 [100%]	45.0
Jan 02, 2016	Diego Brandao	3	Featherweight Bout	11/3	-6	0	3/11	0/0	0/0	12/4	3/0/0	1:01 [63%]	44.3
Jun 06, 2015	Thiago Tavares	1	Featherweight Bout	17/5	-5	0	0/11	0/1	5/5	27/14	0/0/5	4:20 [87%]	0.0
Jun 06, 2015	Thiago Tavares	2	Featherweight Bout	13/5	-4	0	2/8	3/4	0/1	17/9	2/3/0	4:58 [99%]	6.0
Jun 06, 2015	Thiago Tavares	3	Featherweight Bout	71/31	11	1	20/53	2/2	9/16	73/33	20/2/9	3:58 [95%]	75.6
Jul 26, 2014	Mike de la Torre	1	Featherweight Bout	6/3	-3	0	2/5	1/1	0/0	8/5	2/1/0	0:26 [26%]	69.2

B — Defensive Significant Strikes — Brian Ortega

Absorbed mirror. Abs T/L = opponent thrown/landed on subject. KD↓ = knockdowns absorbed. Abs/15 = distance sig absorbed per 15 min of striking time.

Date	Opponent	R	WC	Abs T/L	Diff	KD↓	Dist	Clin	Gnd	Tot Abs	Tot D/C/G	StrTime [%clk]	Abs/15*
Aug 23, 2025	Aljamain Sterling	1	Catch Weight Bout	44/27	-25	0	27/44	0/0	0/0	44/27	27/0/0	5:00 [100%]	81.0
Aug 23, 2025	Aljamain Sterling	2	Catch Weight Bout	54/13	-4	0	12/53	1/1	0/0	54/13	12/1/0	5:00 [100%]	36.0

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Aug 23, 2025	Aljamain Sterling	3	Catch Weight Bout	52/35	-14	0	34/51	1/1	0/0	52/35	34/1/0	5:00 [100%]	102.0
Aug 23, 2025	Aljamain Sterling	4	Catch Weight Bout	39/25	-12	0	16/30	3/3	6/6	49/35	16/3/6	4:58 [99%]	48.3
Aug 23, 2025	Aljamain Sterling	5	Catch Weight Bout	38/24	-14	0	11/20	2/2	11/16	63/43	11/2/11	4:54 [98%]	33.7
Sep 14, 2024	Diego Lopes	1	Featherweight Bout	57/29	-14	0	14/31	0/0	15/26	63/34	14/0/15	5:00 [100%]	42.0
Sep 14, 2024	Diego Lopes	2	Featherweight Bout	46/22	-6	0	20/43	2/3	0/0	46/22	20/2/0	5:00 [100%]	60.0
Sep 14, 2024	Diego Lopes	3	Featherweight Bout	103/55	-23	0	41/87	4/4	10/12	105/57	41/4/10	4:54 [98%]	125.5
Feb 24, 2024	Yair Rodriguez	1	Featherweight Bout	91/45	-39	1	24/62	9/12	12/17	102/50	24/9/12	4:18 [86%]	83.7
Feb 24, 2024	Yair Rodriguez	2	Featherweight Bout	17/9	13	0	9/17	0/0	0/0	26/13	9/0/0	1:05 [22%]	124.6
Feb 24, 2024	Yair Rodriguez	3	Featherweight Bout	7/1	-1	0	1/7	0/0	0/0	7/1	1/0/0	0:14 [24%]	64.3
Jul 16, 2022	Yair Rodriguez	1	Featherweight Bout	46/23	-1	0	21/44	1/1	1/1	76/48	21/1/1	1:47 [43%]	176.6
Sep 25, 2021	Alexander Volkanovski	1	Featherweight	52/30	-14	0	30/50	0/2	0/0	52/30	30/0/0	5:00 [100%]	90.0
Sep 25, 2021	Alexander Volkanovski	2	Featherweight	61/38	-15	0	38/61	0/0	0/0	61/38	38/0/0	5:00 [100%]	114.0
Sep 25, 2021	Alexander Volkanovski	3	Featherweight	99/61	-44	0	30/42	0/0	31/57	109/65	30/0/31	4:19 [86%]	104.2
Sep 25, 2021	Alexander Volkanovski	4	Featherweight	58/35	-29	0	13/22	0/0	22/36	72/46	13/0/22	4:47 [96%]	40.8
Sep 25, 2021	Alexander Volkanovski	5	Featherweight	83/50	-24	0	47/79	3/4	0/0	83/50	47/3/0	5:00 [100%]	141.0
Oct 17, 2020	Chan Sung Jung	1	Featherweight Bout	26/14	10	0	14/26	0/0	0/0	26/14	14/0/0	5:00 [100%]	42.0
Oct 17, 2020	Chan Sung Jung	2	Featherweight Bout	34/14	9	0	14/34	0/0	0/0	34/14	14/0/0	4:25 [88%]	47.5
Oct 17, 2020	Chan Sung Jung	3	Featherweight Bout	32/7	21	0	7/32	0/0	0/0	32/7	7/0/0	5:00 [100%]	21.0
Oct 17, 2020	Chan Sung Jung	4	Featherweight Bout	26/8	9	0	8/26	0/0	0/0	29/10	8/0/0	4:38 [93%]	25.9
Oct 17, 2020	Chan Sung Jung	5	Featherweight Bout	45/19	16	0	19/44	0/1	0/0	45/19	19/0/0	5:00 [100%]	57.0
Dec 08, 2018	Max Holloway	1	Featherweight	84/40	-21	0	39/83	1/1	0/0	90/46	39/1/0	4:38 [93%]	126.3
Dec 08, 2018	Max Holloway	2	Featherweight	126/66	-33	0	66/126	0/0	0/0	126/66	66/0/0	5:00 [100%]	198.0
Dec 08, 2018	Max Holloway	3	Featherweight	84/50	-20	0	50/82	0/2	0/0	88/54	50/0/0	3:55 [78%]	191.5
Dec 08, 2018	Max Holloway	4	Featherweight	196/134	-106	0	126/188	7/7	1/1	203/141	126/7/1	4:02 [81%]	468.6
Mar 03, 2018	Frankie Edgar	1	Featherweight Bout	77/27	-2	0	27/76	0/1	0/0	77/27	27/0/0	4:42 [99%]	86.2
Dec 09, 2017	Cub Swanson	1	Featherweight Bout	52/30	-14	0	29/51	1/1	0/0	52/30	29/1/0	5:00 [100%]	87.0

Date	Opponent	R	WC	Abs T/L	Diff	KD↓	Dist	Clin	Gnd	Tot Abs	Tot D/C/G	StrTime [%clk]	Abs/15*
Dec 09, 2017	Cub Swanson	2	Featherweight Bout	45/30	-22	0	27/41	3/4	0/0	45/30	27/3/0	2:52 [85%]	141.3
Jul 29, 2017	Renato Moicano	1	Featherweight Bout	89/41	-20	0	41/89	0/0	0/0	89/41	41/0/0	5:00 [100%]	123.0
Jul 29, 2017	Renato Moicano	2	Featherweight Bout	105/42	-16	0	42/105	0/0	0/0	107/44	42/0/0	5:00 [100%]	126.0
Jul 29, 2017	Renato Moicano	3	Featherweight Bout	58/26	-8	0	26/58	0/0	0/0	58/26	26/0/0	2:59 [100%]	130.7
Jun 04, 2016	Clay Guida	1	Featherweight Bout	55/17	-12	1	15/53	2/2	0/0	72/25	15/2/0	5:00 [100%]	45.0
Jun 04, 2016	Clay Guida	2	Featherweight Bout	72/25	0	0	23/70	2/2	0/0	72/25	23/2/0	4:58 [99%]	69.5
Jun 04, 2016	Clay Guida	3	Featherweight Bout	65/20	12	0	20/65	0/0	0/0	65/20	20/0/0	4:39 [100%]	64.5
Jan 02, 2016	Diego Brandao	1	Featherweight Bout	48/25	-14	0	23/42	0/0	2/6	52/28	23/0/2	3:55 [78%]	88.1
Jan 02, 2016	Diego Brandao	2	Featherweight Bout	46/22	-7	0	22/46	0/0	0/0	46/22	22/0/0	5:00 [100%]	66.0
Jan 02, 2016	Diego Brandao	3	Featherweight Bout	14/9	-6	0	6/11	0/0	3/3	18/11	6/0/3	1:01 [63%]	88.5
Jun 06, 2015	Thiago Tavares	1	Featherweight Bout	25/10	-5	0	6/21	0/0	4/4	54/36	6/0/4	4:20 [87%]	20.8
Jun 06, 2015	Thiago Tavares	2	Featherweight Bout	18/9	-4	0	1/5	0/0	8/13	71/57	1/0/8	4:58 [99%]	3.0
Jun 06, 2015	Thiago Tavares	3	Featherweight Bout	51/20	11	0	19/50	1/1	0/0	52/21	19/1/0	3:58 [95%]	71.8
Jul 26, 2014	Mike de la Torre	1	Featherweight Bout	11/6	-3	0	5/9	1/2	0/0	14/8	5/1/0	0:26 [26%]	173.1

C — Offensive Takedowns — Brian Ortega

Opp TD allwd/f = opponent career takedowns absorbed ÷ UFC fights. Opp Career TDD% = 1 – (TD landed on them / TD attempted on them).

Date	Opponent	R	Res	TD A/L	Opp TD allwd/f	CTRL	Sub	Rev	Opp Career TDD%
Aug 23, 2025	Aljamain Sterling	—	L	2/0	1.17	0:08	0	0	44.9%
Sep 14, 2024	Diego Lopes	—	L	2/0	0.80	0:06	0	0	74.2%
Feb 24, 2024	Yair Rodriguez	—	W	6/3	1.75	5:21	1	0	59.4%
Jul 16, 2022	Yair Rodriguez	—	L	5/1	1.75	2:24	0	0	59.4%
Sep 25, 2021	Alexander Volkanovski	—	L	5/2	0.89	0:54	3	1	67.3%
Oct 17, 2020	Chan Sung Jung	—	W	10/3	1.00	0:57	0	0	71.4%
Dec 08, 2018	Max Holloway	—	L	11/2	0.94	2:25	0	0	81.4%
Mar 03, 2018	Frankie Edgar	—	W	0/0	0.73	0:02	0	0	65.6%
Dec 09, 2017	Cub Swanson	—	W	1/0	1.19	0:30	2	0	72.6%
Jul 29, 2017	Renato Moicano	—	W	2/0	0.76	0:00	1	0	62.8%
Jun 04, 2016	Clay Guida	—	W	0/0	0.59	0:03	0	0	69.4%
Jan 02, 2016	Diego Brandao	—	W	1/0	0.50	1:41	2	0	80.8%
Jun 06, 2015	Thiago Tavares	—	W	0/0	0.72	0:54	1	1	62.9%
Jul 26, 2014	Mike de la Torre	—	NC	3/1	1.00	1:13	2	0	83.3%

Above-expected TD (C) — Brian Ortega

Landed ≥1 TD vs historically strong career TDD (≥70%): Chan Sung Jung (Oct 17, 2020) TD 3/10 vs career TDD 71.4%; Max Holloway (Dec 08, 2018) TD 2/11 vs career TDD 81.4%; Mike de la Torre (Jul 26, 2014) TD 1/3 vs career TDD 83.3%.

D — Defensive Grappling — Brian Ortega

TD ag = takedown attempts/landed against subject. CTRL ag = opponent control. Fight TDD% = stuff rate in that fight; Opp TD Acc = opponent career offensive TD accuracy. Teal wash = opponent landed ≥1 TD despite subject's strong career TDD.

Date	Opponent	R	Res	TD ag A/L	CTRL ag	Sub ag	Rev ag	Fight TDD%	Opp TD Acc	Opp TD/f
Aug 23, 2025	Aljamain Sterling	—	L	6/3	3:55	0	0	50.0%	—	2.43
Sep 14, 2024	Diego Lopes	—	L	1/1	2:45	0	0	0.0%	—	0.70
Feb 24, 2024	Yair Rodriguez	—	W	1/0	1:32	0	0	100.0%	—	0.62
Jul 16, 2022	Yair Rodriguez	—	L	0/0	0:00	0	0	—	—	0.62
Sep 25, 2021	Alexander Volkanovski	—	L	0/0	3:51	0	2	—	—	1.79
Oct 17, 2020	Chan Sung Jung	—	W	0/0	0:00	0	0	—	—	0.67
Dec 08, 2018	Max Holloway	—	L	1/1	0:16	0	0	0.0%	—	0.24
Mar 03, 2018	Frankie Edgar	—	W	1/0	0:00	0	0	100.0%	—	2.43
Dec 09, 2017	Cub Swanson	—	W	0/0	0:14	0	0	—	—	0.54
Jul 29, 2017	Renato Moicano	—	W	2/2	0:20	0	0	0.0%	—	1.14
Jun 04, 2016	Clay Guida	—	W	6/0	0:31	0	0	100.0%	—	2.11
Jan 02, 2016	Diego Brandao	—	W	3/2	0:20	0	0	33.3%	—	1.70
Jun 06, 2015	Thiago Tavares	—	W	11/6	8:22	0	0	45.5%	—	2.33
Jul 26, 2014	Mike de la Torre	—	NC	1/0	0:00	0	0	100.0%	—	0.14

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Period	W-L	Profit	Units	ROI
2024	386-648	$61,106	+122.2u	14.7%
2025	716-989	$183,271	+366.5u	25.6%
2026 YTD	807-888	$48,812	+122.5u	7.8%
All-time since 2024	1909-2525	$293,189	+611.2u	16.7%
2026 Live Betting	272-197	$31,001	+65.9u	13.8%

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