2025 combine: the timed running-back cohort

Twenty-four individual NFL timed-run reports. The player names below link to the corresponding primary NFL video report; times use its reported final value, not an unofficial stopwatch overlay.

Player	40-yard time (seconds)
Jaydon Blue	4.38
Tahj Brooks	4.52
Donovan Edwards	4.44
Trevor Etienne	4.42
DJ Giddens	4.43
Omarion Hampton	4.46
RJ Harvey	4.40
TreVeyon Henderson	4.43
Jarquez Hunter	4.44
Ollie Gordon II	4.61
Ulysses Bentley IV	4.62
Jordan James	4.55
Kaleb Johnson	4.57
Montrell Johnson Jr.	4.41
Quinshon Judkins	4.48
Corey Kiner	4.57
Woody Marks	4.54
Damien Martinez	4.51
Kyle Monangai	4.60
Devin Neal	4.58
Raheim Sanders	4.46
Brashard Smith	4.39
Bhayshul Tuten	4.32
Marcus Yarns	4.45

Calculation: sum of the 24 reported times = 107.58 seconds; 107.58 / 24 = 4.4825 seconds, rounded to 4.48. Fourteen times are strictly below 4.50 seconds.

Scope: participants with a reported time, not every invited prospect or NFL running back. The selected cohort is not a harmonized cross-era experiment. This test measures a straight sprint, not game speed, cutting, recognition or strength.