Victor Wembanyama

C-F, 7-2, 229lbs, 7-8 Wingspan Born Jan 4, 2004 (18 Years Old)

Metropolitans 92 of the LNB Pro A

2021-2022 Stats

18.4 MPG 9.4 PPG 5.1 RPG 0.8 APG 1.8 TPG 0.9 SPG 1.8 BPG 47.3% FG (3.9-8.2) 26% 3FG (0.8-3.1) 70.0% FT (.9-1.3)

Per 36 Minutes

18.4 PPG 10.0 RPG 1.5 APG 3.6 TPG 1.7 SPG 3.5 BPG

Strengths Weaknesses

-Tall and Long -Needs to Gain Weight and Add Muscle

-Shot Blocking -Needs to become more efficient

-Shooting and Handle Potential -Needs to Cut Down on Turnovers

-Movement for Size

-Defensive Anchor

-Solid Rebounder

Summary

When looking at Wembanyama there is a lot to like. From his height and wingspan to his defensive impact, to his shooting potential. Wembanyama deservingly is the top prospect in this years upcoming NBA draft but there are some question marks. On offence Wembanyama shows a lot of potential with his handles, shooting and mobility but I believe he must become a lot more efficient and consistent if he wants to be face of the franchise type player. On defence I believe his shot blocking ability will be a strong impact right out the gate, but I think he must get a lot stronger. When watching Wembanyama you can see that smaller guys just bully him out of the way sometimes or you can see him struggle to back down his opponent forcing a tough shot. If he doesn’t get stronger then I believe he will struggle guarding big strong big men in the post.

I see Wembanyama a lot like Chet Holmgren they are very similar in the way they play, with Chet being more skillful but Victor being taller and longer. But I believe they both must become stronger to be the best player that they can be. If Wembanyama can get stronger he will be able to handle the beating from stronger player better while also protecting him from injury. If he can get stronger I think he can be one of the best player in the world and I would jump at the chance to draft him.