Inside the Pressbox WEEK 8

Thursday, October 21st

TULANE
7:30 p.m.
SMU

LOUISIANA
7:30 p.m.
ARKANSAS ST

FAU
7:30 p.m.
CHARLOTTE

SAN JOSE ST
11:00 p.m.
UNLV

Friday, October 22nd

MIDDLE TENNESSEE
6:00 p.m.
CONNECTICUT

MEMPHIS
7:00 p.m.
UCF

COLORADO ST
9:30 p.m.
UTAH ST

WASHINGTON
10:30 p.m.
ARIZONA

Saturday, October 23rd

WESTERN MICHIGAN
3:30 p.m.
TOLEDO

MASSACHUSETTS
12:00 p.m.
FLORIDA ST

TEXAS ST
2:00 p.m.
GEORGIA ST

★ OHIO ST
7:30 p.m.
INDIANA

BUFFALO
3:30 p.m.
AKRON

ILLINOIS
12:00 p.m.
PENN ST

GEORGIA TECH
7:30 p.m.
VIRGINIA

BOSTON COLLEGE
4:00 p.m.
LOUISVILLE

SYRACUSE
12:30 p.m.
VIRGINIA TECH

CLEMSON
3:30 p.m.
PITTSBURGH

MARYLAND
3:30 p.m.
MINNESOTA

NORTHWESTERN
12:00 p.m.
MICHIGAN

NORTHERN ILLINOIS
12:00 p.m.
CENTRAL MICHIGAN

KENT ST
1:00 p.m.
OHIO

CINCINNATI
12:00 p.m.
NAVY

NC STATE
7:30 p.m.
MIAMI, FL

★ WAKE FOREST
12:00 p.m.
ARMY

TEMPLE
7:00 p.m.
USF

EASTERN MICHIGAN
12:00 p.m.
BOWLING GREEN

★ EAST CAROLINA
4:00 p.m.
HOUSTON

OKLAHOMA
12:00 p.m.
KANSAS

MIAMI, OH
3:30 p.m.
BALL ST

NEW MEXICO
3:30 p.m.
WYOMING

COLORADO
3:30 p.m.
CALIFORNIA

UTAH
7:30 p.m.
OREGON ST

BYU
3:30 p.m.
WASHINGTON ST

OREGON
3:30 p.m.
UCLA

KANSAS ST
12:00 p.m.
TEXAS TECH

WEST VIRGINIA
7:30 p.m.
★ TCU

OKLAHOMA ST
3:30 p.m.
IOWA ST

RICE
3:30 p.m.
★ UAB

TENNESSEE
7:00 p.m.
ALABAMA

SOUTH CAROLINA
7:30 p.m.
TEXAS A&M

MISSISSIPPI ST
4:00 p.m.
VANDERBILT

WISCONSIN
3:00 p.m.
PURDUE

LSU
3:30 p.m.
MISSISSIPPI

SOUTH ALABAMA
7:00 p.m.
ULM

LIBERTY
4:00 p.m.
NORTH TEXAS

UTSA
7:00 p.m.
LOUISIANA TECH

WKU
7:00 p.m.
FIU

SAN DIEGO ST
7:00 p.m.
AIR FORCE

USC
7:30 p.m.
NOTRE DAME

NEVADA
7:00 p.m.
FRESNO ST

NEW MEXICO ST
12:00 a.m.
HAWAII

FBS vs FCS Games

Saturday October 23rd

Arkansas Pine Bluff at Arkansas

Phil Steele's

SPECIAL PLAYS OF THE WEEK

UPSET PLAY OF THE WEEK

*this is a Best Bet

No Selection This week

HIGH SCORING POW

No Selection This week

Tulane Green Wave

Green Wave Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	TEAM ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	FOE OFF	FOE DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	127	149		2	9/4	at Oklahoma	35-40	L	69	72	73	1	3	22			
0-1		0-0		131	62			9/11	Morgan St	69-20	W	76	71	92						
1-1	2-0	0-0	0-0	129	141		17	9/18	at Mississippi	21-61	L	65	71	33	3	43	38			
1-2	2-1	0-0	1-0	125	126			9/25	UAB	21-28	L	67	98	32	82	27	96			
1-3	2-2	0-0	0-0	123	121			10/2	at East Carolina	29-52	L	72	106	40	85	94	42			
1-4	4-1	0-1	2-0	119	127			10/9	Houston	22-40	L	76	110	79	86	32	10			
1-5		0-2		117				10/16	Bye			85	112	82						
1-5	6-0	0-2	2-0	117	128		21	10/23	at SMU			80	114	91	12	98	60			
	6-0		2-0		148			10/30	Cincinnati						24	3	23			
	3-3		1-2		123			11/6	at UCF						29	95	114			
	3-4		2-1		119			11/13	Tulsa						39	68	128			
	1-5		0-2		112			11/20	USF						112	124	85			
	4-3		1-2		121			11/27	at Memphis						15	97	20			

	OVERALL:	OVERALL:
	1-5	6-0
	vs. AAC	vs. AAC
	0-2	2-0

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

Tulane		SMU
#85	Rush Off	#36
#44	Pass Off	#13
#66	**Total Off**	**#7**
#35	Score Off	#10
#87	Sks Allowed	#1
#106	Rush Def	#57
#114	Pass Def	#100
#120	**Total Def**	**#77**
#126	Score Def	#46
#51	Sks By	#84
#111	Ypg Diff	#18
-7	**Total TO's**	**-1**

SMU Mustangs

Mustangs Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	TEAM ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	FOE OFF	FOE DEF	FOE ST
0-0		0-0		123	91			9/4	Abilene Christian	56-9	W	29	84	32						
1-0	1-0	0-0	0-0	123	105			9/11	North Texas	35-12	W	28	85	78	56	115	46			
2-0	1-1	0-0	0-0	123	113			9/18	at Louisiana Tech	39-37	W	11	85	99	111	90	93			
3-0	2-0	0-0	0-0	122	137			9/25	at TCU	42-34	W	10	85	99	14	46	61			
4-0	1-3	0-0	0-0	127	113			10/2	USF	41-17	W	6	92	105	112	123	117			
5-0	1-3	1-0	1-1	128	117	24		10/9	at Navy	31-24	W	4	94	91	128	92	126			
6-0		2-0		128		23		10/16	Bye			8	96	76						
6-0	1-5	2-0	0-2	128	117	21		10/23	Tulane			12	98	60	80	114	91			
	5-1		3-0		129			10/30	at Houston						72	25	13			
	4-3		1-2		121			11/6	at Memphis						15	97	20			
	3-3		1-2		123			11/13	UCF						29	95	114			
	6-0		2-0		148			11/20	at Cincinnati						24	3	23			
	3-4		2-1		119			11/27	Tulsa						39	68	128			

Tulane Green Wave

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
at Oklahoma	35-40	-34	0	-1	24	32-100	3.1	27-45	296	4	24	35-116	3.3	31-40	314	1
Morgan St	69-20	356	18	1	32	49-294	6.0	21-34	290	0	14	33-44	1.3	17-29	184	5
at Mississippi	21-61	-402	-27	0	14	38-139	3.7	10-18	166	2	41	61-372	6.1	23-33	335	2
UAB	21-28	-38	-1	-2	24	28-90	3.2	28-50	305	0	25	48-193	4.0	19-27	240	3
at East Carolina	29-52	-208	-6	-4	19	31-124	4.0	23-38	280	2	25	44-310	7.0	22-34	302	2
Houston	22-40	-127	-1	-1	17	38-94	2.5	20-31	214	8	18	36-147	4.1	23-36	288	2
Bye																
at SMU																
Cincinnati																
at UCF																
Tulsa																
USF																
at Memphis																
Average	33-40	-75.5	-2.8	-1.2	22	36-140	3.9	59.7%	259	7.4%	25	43-197	4.6	67.8%	277	7.5%
Conference	26-46	-167.5	-3.5	-2.5	18	35-109	3.2	62.3%	247	14.5%	22	40-229	5.7	64.3%	295	5.7%
Away	28-51	-214.7	-11.0	-1.7	19	34-121	3.6	59.4%	247	7.9%	30	47-266	5.7	71.0%	317	4.7%

TEAM AVERAGES

SMU Mustangs

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
Abilene Christian	56-9	158	11	4	26	38-171	4.5	26-35	319	0	15	28-119	4.3	15-36	213	2
North Texas	35-12	31	-3	-2	20	31-225	7.3	21-33	312	0	23	41-122	3.0	34-55	384	2
at Louisiana Tech	39-37	95	5	1	31	38-183	4.8	36-50	395	0	26	30-132	4.4	24-41	351	1
at TCU	42-34	149	9	-2	29	52-350	6.7	17-28	245	0	20	30-170	5.7	18-28	276	2
USF	41-17	127	11	0	30	40-162	4.1	29-42	301	0	19	37-113	3.1	14-22	223	2
at Navy	31-24	163	10	-2	22	29-80	2.8	30-40	324	1	12	53-177	3.3	4-7	64	3
Bye																
Tulane																
at Houston																
at Memphis																
UCF																
at Cincinnati																
Tulsa																
Average	41-22	120.5	7.2	-0.2	26	38-195	5.1	69.7%	316	0.4%	19	37-139	3.8	57.7%	252	6.3%
Conference	36-21	145.0	10.5	-1.0	26	35-121	3.5	72.0%	313	1.2%	16	45-145	3.2	62.1%	144	17.2%
Home	44-13	105.3	6.3	0.7	25	36-186	5.1	69.1%	311	0.0%	19	35-118	3.3	55.8%	273	5.3%

Position by Position Edges

Tulane		SMU
0.92	Tulane QB/WR vs. SMU DB's	
	Tulane RB's vs. SMU LB's	1.06
0.19	Tulane OL vs. SMU DL	
	Tulane DL vs. SMU OL	1.49
	Tulane LB'S vs. SMU RB's	0.73
	Tulane DB's vs. SMU QB/WR	2.73
	Tulane ST's vs. SMU ST's	1.68
0.25	Tulane K vs. SMU K	
	Tulane Coaches vs. SMU Coaches	0.20
1.36	Tulane Pts vs. SMU Pts	7.89

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

SMU

By 6.53 Points

Last Five Years Meetings (Last 22 years at PhilSteele.com)

2020	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
Tulane	-	68.5	34	23	48-195	12-29-192	
SMU	17	-6.5	37	25	43-142	24-38-439	0
2019	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Tulane	-	70.5	20	26	53-223	22-37-242	
SMU	-	-3.5	37	18	38-197	15-27-180	1
2018	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Tulane	-	-7	23	18	46-168	14-23-153	
SMU	-	57	27	17	32-36	21-40-291	2
2017	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Tulane	-	67	38	27	43-171	18-31-314	
SMU	-	-7.5	41	24	33-103	24-33-375	-2
2016	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Tulane	-	-2	31	18	46-227	13-26-164	
SMU	-	51	35	22	43-137	16-31-302	-1

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Projected Box Score

Projected Rushing			
117 yards	Tulane	SMU	217 yards
Projected Passing			
263 yards	Tulane	SMU	367 yards
Projected Yardage Total			
379 yards	Tulane	SMU	584 yards
Projected Final Score			
28 points	Tulane	SMU	48 points
Experience Rankings			
63	Tulane	SMU	46
Team Schedule Strength			
83	Tulane	SMU	120

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Smu By 14
Las Vegas Total	70.5 Points
+/- Ratings	Smu By 14.5
Game Grade	Smu By 15.1
Computer Yards	Smu 584-379
Computer Points	Smu 48-28
Phil Steele	Smu by 22

Phil's Forecast:

SMU is 6-0 SU (4-2 ATS) against Tulane as AAC foes. Last year SMU was without star WR Roberson but would wind up with a trio of 100-yd receivers. SMU was off a bye. Tulane went 3&out on their 1st possession but recovered a muffed SMU punt and scored. SMU went up 10-7 and then the teams traded TD's and then Tulane hit a late 1H FG It to make it 17-17 at half (311-202 SMU). Tulane went 37/6 (bad punt SMU) to lead 31-27 early 4Q. SMU got a TD then Tulane answered with a FG 1:30 left to tie. SMU had a 57 yd FG go off the upright as time expired 4Q. In OT Tulane was picked off and then SMU got a 34 yd GW FG to win 37-34 with a 581-387 yd edge. SMU is 5-1 SU off a bye while Tulane is 5-3 ATS off a bye since '15. SMU is 9-3 ATS the L3Y under Dykes as a home favorite while Tulane is 4-8-1 ATS the L4Y as a road underdog. SMU is a perfect 6-0 SU and 4-2 ATS this year. Oklahoma transfer Tanner Mordecai has taken over for Texas transfer Shane Buchelle at QB and they have not missed a beat with 511 ypg and 41 ypg both topping last years totals. The O-line has allowed just one sack and Ulysses Bentley has rushed for 405 (7.4). They did need a tipped pass Hail Mary to get past LTech but then had a 29-20 FD edge at TCU. In their last game SMU was just 2-11 on 3rd down after Navy got a 20 yd FR TD the Middies led 21-7 but Massey got a 95 yd KR TD and SMU pulled back to 21-21 H. SMU was int in the EZ on 1&G at 9 and missed a 51 yd FG on last play of half and had 14-7 FD edge. Tied 24-24 SMU 65/9 TD 8:19 left and Navy SOD at own 42 & 19 on last two drives with SMU taking knee at 5. Tulane came into the season with high hopes and took Oklahoma to the wire in the opener. They have now lost 4 in a row ATS and are 0-5 SU vs FBS teams. QB Michael Pratt has thrown for 1364 (60%, 13-5) but at midseason their top rusher is Cameron Carroll with just 215 (4.2). The Tulane D is allowing foes 100 ypg above their season average. They were dominated by Ole Miss and East Carolina on the road and in their last game did only trail Houston 17-15 at half but UH got 39 & 56 yd TD drives after Tulane was SOD and pulled away 40-22. In 2018 Tulane was 2-5 but then went 5-1 including a bowl win and in 2020 they opened 2-4 but went 4-1 and made a bowl so Fritz can convince his team they have a lot to play for. SMU does have Houston on deck but the L4W my AGG has SMU at 108.1 and Tulane is at 86.5 which has SMU by 21.6. Tulane is allowing 197 ypg rush (4.6) and is #122 in my pass D ranking allowing 68% with a 16-5 ratio and will have a tough time keeping up with this potent SMU offense.

SMU 49 Tulane 27

Louisiana Ragin Cajuns

Ragin Cajuns Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	FOE OFF	FOE DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	128	139	23	21	9/4	at Texas	18-38	L	47	33	7	15	34	6			
0-1		0-0		127				9/11	Nicholls	27-24	W	65	35	9						
1-1	0-2	0-0	0-0	125	113			9/18	Ohio	49-14	W	74	49	2	102	120	79			
2-1	1-2	0-0	0-0	129	109			9/25	at GA Southern	28-20	W	64	81	4	115	115	42			
3-1	3-0	1-0	0-0	127	105			10/2	at South Alabama	20-18	W	62	91	2	102	74	72			
4-1	4-1	2-0	1-0	124	131			10/9	Appalachian St	41-13	W	64	96	5	30	44	23			
5-1		3-0		129				10/16	Bye			60	86	8						
5-1	1-5	3-0	0-2	133	105			10/23	at Arkansas St			57	89	25	106	130	32			
	2-4		1-1		106			10/30	Texas St						111	111	75			
	2-4		1-1		116			11/6	Georgia St						90	117	116			
	4-3		2-1		117			11/13	at Troy						101	54	121			
	5-2		0-0		131			11/20	at Liberty						78	39	105			
	3-3		1-2		97			11/27	ULM						130	126	118			

	Score	Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
at Texas	18-38	-77	1	-1	22	29-76	2.6	28-40	282	4	21	42-170	4.0	18-26	265	3
Nicholls	27-24	-94	-4	0	20	31-113	3.6	19-33	304	1	24	37-152	4.1	26-37	359	3
Ohio	49-14	312	17	0	33	49-310	6.3	25-34	252	1	16	28-112	4.0	14-27	138	1
at GA Southern	28-20	-75	-5	1	18	37-129	3.5	17-28	249	1	23	57-278	4.9	11-24	175	3
at South Alabama	20-18	-104	2	-1	17	33-225	6.8	10-21	58	1	15	43-144	3.3	19-29	243	2
Appalachian St	41-13	244	6	3	22	44-246	5.6	15-25	209	1	16	29-76	2.6	15-27	135	2
Bye																
at Arkansas St																
Texas St																
Georgia St																
at Troy																
at Liberty																
ULM																
Average	31-21	34.3	2.8	0.3	22	37-183	4.9	63.0%	226	5.0%	19	39-155	3.9	60.6%	219	8.2%
Conference	30-17	21.7	1.0	1.0	19	38-200	5.3	56.8%	172	4.1%	18	43-166	3.9	56.3%	184	8.8%
Away	22-25	-85.3	-0.7	-0.3	19	33-143	4.3	61.8%	196	6.7%	20	47-197	4.2	60.8%	228	10.1%

OVERALL:	OVERALL:
5-1	1-5
vs. SUN	vs. SUN
3-0	0-2

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

Louisiana		Arkansas St
#44	Rush Off	#127
#77	Pass Off	#6
#57	**Total Off**	**#42**
#53	Score Off	#54
#27	Sks Allowed	#121
#78	Rush Def	#128
#57	Pass Def	#128
#61	**Total Def**	**#129**
#42	Score Def	#129
#59	Sks By	#110
#63	Ypg Diff	#123
+2	**Total TO's**	**-3**

Louisiana Ragin Cajuns | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **Arkansas St Red Wolves**

Position by Position Edges

Louisiana		Arkansas St
1.78	Louisiana QB/WR vs. Arkansas St DB's	
1.52	Louisiana RB's vs. Arkansas St LB's	
2.62	Louisiana OL vs. Arkansas St DL	
1.42	Louisiana DL vs. Arkansas St OL	
2.57	Louisiana LB'S vs. Arkansas St RB's	
	Louisiana DB's vs. Arkansas St QB/WR	1.17
	Louisiana ST's vs. Arkansas St ST's	0.21
	Louisiana K vs. Arkansas St K	
1.50	Louisiana Coaches vs. Arkansas St Coaches	
11.40	Louisiana Pts vs. Arkansas St Pts	1.39

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

Louisiana

By 10.02 Points

Arkansas St Red Wolves

Red Wolves Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	FOE OFF	FOE DEF	FOE ST
0-0		0-0		110				9/4	Central Arkansas	40-21	W	86	112	66						
1-0	1-0	0-0	0-0	111	126			9/11	Memphis	50-55	L	77	107	83	35	66	1			
1-1	0-2	0-0	0-0	112	126			9/18	at Washington	3-52	L	59	111	90	31	29	125			
1-2	0-3	0-0	0-0	108	124			9/25	at Tulsa	34-41	L	78	113	83	63	72	117			
1-3	1-3	0-0	0-1	110	111			10/2	at GA Southern	33-59	L	90	120	53	113	121	63			
1-4	5-0	0-1	1-0	106	133		15	10/7	Coastal Carolina	20-52	L	90	124	46	5	84	14			
1-5		0-2		105				10/16	Bye			109	129	34						
1-5	5-1	0-2	3-0	105	133			10/21	Louisiana			106	130	32	57	89	25			
	4-2		1-2		112			10/30	at South Alabama						87	62	97			
	4-2		1-1		122			11/6	Appalachian St						38	59	24			
	3-3		1-2		97			11/13	at ULM						130	126	118			
	2-4		1-1		116			11/20	at Georgia St						90	117	116			
	2-4		1-1		106			11/27	Texas St						111	111	75			

	Score	Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
Central Arkansas	40-21	175	10	1	25	39-194	5.0	28-38	319	3	15	20-42	2.1	23-42	296	1
Memphis	50-55	0	11	2	35	32-98	3.1	42-66	582	2	24	37-263	7.1	22-33	417	4
at Washington	3-52	-330	-15	0	15	23-48	2.1	22-49	220	3	30	39-200	5.1	25-44	398	1
at Tulsa	34-41	-304	-6	-1	20	26-38	1.5	23-37	321	6	26	49-308	6.3	17-25	355	3
at GA Southern	33-59	-6	13	-4	33	25-91	3.6	36-61	443	6	20	50-503	10.1	3-13	37	0
Coastal Carolina	20-52	-412	-7	-1	16	17-18	1.1	20-41	255	4	23	36-294	8.2	22-27	391	0
Bye																
Louisiana																
at South Alabama																
Appalachian St																
at ULM																
at Georgia St																
Texas St																
Average	30-47	-146.2	1.0	-0.5	24	27-81	3.0	58.6%	357	8.2%	23	39-268	7.0	60.9%	316	4.9%
Conference	27-56	-209.0	3.0	-2.5	25	21-55	2.6	54.9%	349	9.8%	22	43-399	9.3	62.5%	214	0.0%
Home	37-43	-79.0	4.7	0.7	25	29-103	3.5	62.1%	385	6.2%	21	31-200	6.4	65.7%	368	4.9%

Last Five Years Meetings (Last 22 years at PhilSteele.com)

2020	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
Louisiana	-	-14.5	27	19	38-196	17-29-244	
Arkansas St	-	69	20	24	44-199	21-40-224	-1
2019	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Louisiana	-	-6.5	37	26	46-315	17-25-181	
Arkansas St	-	68	20	27	49-170	23-34-303	0
2018	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Louisiana	-	70.5	47	22	39-228	19-28-319	
Arkansas St	-	-3	43	27	45-208	17-31-270	1
2017	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Louisiana	-	65	3	17	41-91	15-36-179	
Arkansas St	-	-12.5	47	30	43-262	24-40-309	1
2016	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Louisiana	-	49	24	15	33-50	13-24-242	
Arkansas St	-	-5	19	28	33-128	35-57-393	-1

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Projected Box Score

Projected Rushing		
267 yards	Louisiana	Arkansas St 63 yards
Projected Passing		
257 yards	Louisiana	Arkansas St 365 yards
Projected Yardage Total		
524 yards	Louisiana	Arkansas St 428 yards
Projected Final Score		
45 points	Louisiana	Arkansas St 26 points
Experience Rankings		
6	Louisiana	Arkansas St 64
Team Schedule Strength		
99	Louisiana	Arkansas St 59

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Louisiana By 18
Las Vegas Total	70 Points
+/- Ratings	Louisiana By 24.0
Game Grade	Louisiana By 12.5
Computer Yards	Louisiana 524-428
Computer Points	Louisiana 45-26
Phil Steele	Louisiana by 19

Phil's Forecast:

Ark St has faced Louisiana more times than any other current SBC foe (Ark St trails 27-20-1). The Cajuns have won 9 of the last 13 meetings against the Red Wolves & are 9-4 ATS in that same span. Ark St is just 1-4 ATS the L4Y off a scheduled bye. Last year the Cajuns won their 3rd straight game over Ark St but on short rest they trailed the Red Wolves 6-0 at the half (108-182). The Cajuns got two TD's in the 3Q to take a 14-6 lead, but Ark St got an early 4Q TD (missed 2-pt conv). After 2 ULL FG's the Red Wolves scored a TD and this time converted the 2-pt try to tie the game 20-20. LA went 61/6 (1:07) to go up 27-20 & Ark St was int'd to seal the win for the Cajuns. While LA HC Napier is great as an underdog, the Cajuns are just 2-6 ATS over the L2Y as SBC chalk. Ark St did go 3-1 ATS LY as an underdog and it helps they get an extra week to prep for the Cajuns. Over the L2Y LA has played 10 games where the game was decided by 10 pts or less. Louisiana is 2-0 ATS in home mid-week games this year and 0-4 ATS in their other 4 games. Last week they had their most impressive game of the year on a Tuesday as they rolled App St 41-13 with a 455-211 yd edge. The prior two weeks they only beat Georgia Southern by 8 and South Alabama by 2 on the SBC road and were -89.5 ypg in those! Ark St has yet to settle on a QB with both James Blackman (Florida St transfer) and Layne Hatcher having their good and bad games, but they have combined for a 17-7 ratio. ASU's D is allowing an alarming 7.43 ypc rush vs FBS foes and 633 ypg and are allowing foes 222 ypg more than they average which is #130 out of #130 defenses! Louisiana has not been great this year but are 5-1 with their only loss to Texas and they are at their best when able to run the ball down an opponent's throat. The AGG's only show ULL by 12.4 and Ark St did only loss at home to Memphis by 5 (backdoor) and at Tulsa by 7. Ark St has also taken on the tougher schedule (#51 vs #91). I will go with my computer's projection here.

Louisiana 45 Arkansas St 26

FAU Owls

Owls Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	116	135		13	9/4	at Florida	14-35	L	91	44	108	32	26	59
0-1	1-0	0-0	0-0	116	115			9/11	GA Southern	38-6	W	101	44	113	99	87	35
1-1		0-0		120				9/18	Fordham	45-14	W	82	50	70			
2-1	2-1	0-0	0-1	120	121			9/25	at Air Force	7-31	L	74	65	37	85	91	129
2-2	1-3	0-0	0-0	116	108			10/2	FIU	58-21	W	88	87	38	84	99	26
3-2	3-2	1-0	1-0	120	123			10/9	at UAB	14-31	L	56	86	42	80	58	85
3-3		1-1		118				10/16	Bye			76	82	51			
3-3	4-2	1-1	2-0	118	112			10/21	at Charlotte			73	80	50	65	119	63
	6-1		3-0		113			10/30	UTEP						75	41	117
	4-3		2-1		119			11/6	Marshall						48	67	74
	1-6		0-3		103			11/13	at Old Dominion						115	93	42
	2-4		1-1		121			11/20	at WKU						44	109	38
	2-4		1-2		116			11/27	Middle Tennessee						122	103	110

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
at Florida	14-35	-200	-3	0	23	37-92	2.5	19-33	261	6	26	46-400	8.7	20-35	153	0
GA Southern	38-6	284	10	2	27	44-209	4.8	19-29	332	5	17	38-139	3.7	14-24	118	1
Fordham	45-14	310	23	-1	32	49-246	5.0	30-46	301	0	9	18-29	1.6	16-40	208	1
at Air Force	7-31	-297	-14	-1	10	20-141	7.1	11-33	78	1	24	73-446	6.1	2-5	70	0
FIU	58-21	316	14	1	30	47-296	6.3	24-28	408	0	16	27-69	2.6	19-41	319	2
at UAB	14-31	-15	3	-3	19	38-52	1.4	21-36	239	8	16	34-133	3.9	13-24	173	1
Bye																
at Charlotte																
UTEP																
Marshall																
at Old Dominion																
at WKU																
Middle Tennessee																
Average	29-23	66.3	5.5	-0.3	24	39-173	4.4	60.5%	270	9.8%	18	39-203	5.2	49.7%	174	3.0%
Conference	36-26	150.5	8.5	-1.0	25	43-174	4.1	70.3%	324	12.5%	16	31-101	3.3	49.2%	246	4.6%
Away	12-32	-170.7	-4.7	-1.3	17	32-95	3.0	50.0%	193	14.7%	22	51-326	6.4	54.7%	132	1.6%

OVERALL:	OVERALL:
3-3	4-2
vs. CUSA	vs. CUSA
1-1	2-0

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

FAU		Charlotte
#52	Rush Off	#50
#33	Pass Off	#70
#35	**Total Off**	**#61**
#60	Score Off	#56
#109	Sks Allowed	#38
#111	Rush Def	#124
#14	Pass Def	#63
#62	**Total Def**	**#112**
#53	Score Def	#70
#124	Sks By	#84
#42	Ypg Diff	#102
-2	**Total TO's**	**+1**

FAU Owls | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **Charlotte 49ers**

Position by Position Edges

FAU		Charlotte
1.03	FAU QB/WR vs. Charlotte DB's	
	FAU RB's vs. Charlotte LB's	0.05
1.76	FAU OL vs. Charlotte DL	
	FAU DL vs. Charlotte OL	1.15
0.54	FAU LB'S vs. Charlotte RB's	
0.90	FAU DB's vs. Charlotte QB/WR	
0.17	FAU ST's vs. Charlotte ST's	
	FAU K vs. Charlotte K	0.75
	FAU Coaches vs. Charlotte Coaches	0.75
4.39	FAU Pts vs. Charlotte Pts	2.70

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

FAU

By 1.69 Points

Charlotte 49ers

49ers Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	108	114			9/4	Duke	31-28	W	121	113	103	105	102	11
1-0		0-0		110				9/11	Gardner-Webb	38-10	W	116	117	115			
2-0	0-2	0-0	0-0	108	113			9/18	at Georgia St	9-20	L	105	119	98	98	107	103
2-1	1-2	0-0	0-1	108	119			9/25	Middle Tennessee	42-39	W	91	114	97	122	87	121
3-1	1-4	1-0	1-2	111	121			10/2	at Illinois	14-24	L	57	118	97	85	70	53
3-2	1-4	1-0	0-1	111	104			10/9	at FIU	45-33	W	69	120	102	87	118	36
4-2		2-0		112				10/16	Bye			64	119	74			
4-2	3-3	2-0	1-1	112	118			10/23	Florida Atlantic			65	119	63	73	80	50
	2-4		1-1		121			10/30	at WKU						44	109	38
	2-4		1-1		102			11/6	Rice						116	118	127
	2-4		1-1		111			11/13	at Louisiana Tech						103	96	112
	4-3		2-1		119			11/20	Marshall						48	67	74
	1-6		0-3		103			11/27	at Old Dominion						115	93	42

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
Duke	31-28	-102	-3	2	20	40-154	3.9	19-30	324	1	23	44-352	8.0	20-29	228	3
Gardner-Webb	38-10	260	10	-1	24	46-306	6.7	15-25	168	1	14	40-164	4.1	6-22	50	2
at Georgia St	9-20	-161	-3	1	17	39-118	3.0	13-28	158	2	20	49-298	6.1	6-12	139	1
Middle Tennessee	42-39	57	5	-1	30	40-220	5.5	35-36	339	0	25	23-123	5.3	28-40	379	1
at Illinois	14-24	-151	-5	-1	17	27-72	2.7	17-23	191	3	22	50-336	6.7	10-19	78	0
at FIU	45-33	-160	5	1	23	38-179	4.7	22-28	199	3	18	30-72	2.4	19-30	466	5
Bye																
Florida Atlantic																
at WKU																
Rice																
at Louisiana Tech																
Marshall																
at Old Dominion																
Average	30-26	-42.8	1.5	0.2	22	38-175	4.6	71.2%	230	5.9%	20	39-224	5.7	58.6%	223	7.9%
Conference	44-36	-51.5	5.0	0.0	27	39-200	5.1	89.1%	269	4.7%	22	27-98	3.7	67.1%	423	8.6%
Home	37-26	71.7	4.0	0.0	25	42-227	5.4	75.8%	277	2.2%	21	36-213	6.0	59.3%	219	6.6%

Last Five Years Meetings (Last 22 years at PhilSteele.com)

2020	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
Florida Atlantic	-	-5	21	15	33-217	11-22-98	
Charlotte	-	61	17	22	41-82	24-32-314	-1
2019	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Florida Atlantic	-	65.5	45	22	51-236	21-28-321	
Charlotte	-	-1	27	17	27-52	19-38-284	-2
2018	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Florida Atlantic	-	-17	24	23	49-187	16-28-305	
Charlotte	-	54.5	27	23	50-321	10-17-111	0
2017	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Florida Atlantic	-	-23.5	31	31	63-318	18-22-245	
Charlotte	-	64.5	12	10	30-84	10-22-171	2
2016	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Florida Atlantic	-	-13	23	26	41-174	22-42-212	
Charlotte	-	62	28	22	48-219	14-17-223	-1

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Projected Box Score

Projected Rushing		
229 yards	FAU	Charlotte 147 yards
Projected Passing		
237 yards	FAU	Charlotte 196 yards
Projected Yardage Total		
465 yards	FAU	Charlotte 343 yards
Projected Final Score		
30 points	FAU	Charlotte 25 points
Experience Rankings		
11	FAU	Charlotte 113
Team Schedule Strength		
94	FAU	Charlotte 127

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Fau By 7
Las Vegas Total	57 Points
+/- Ratings	Fau By 3.0
Game Grade	Fau By 13.5
Computer Yards	Fau 465-343
Computer Points	Fau 30-25
Phil Steele	Fau by 11

Phil's Forecast:

Charlotte has covered 4 straight against FAU but have only won 2 of 5 meetings outright. Last year UC led 10-0 at half, FAU scored all 21 pts in the 3Q. Up 21-16, the Owls were SOD at the UC17. The 49ers drove to FAU 9 but ran out of time. Both teams are fresh off a bye. UC is 9-2 SU at home and 4-0 as a HD under Healy including an upset of Duke in the opener. Charlotte did not have high expectations but have opened a solid 4-2. In their last game FIU had a 126-53 yd edge in the 1Q but settled for short FG and SOD at 2 and trailed 7-3. Charlotte led 17-6 H and won 45-33 with FIU having 538-378 yd edge. Charlotte QB Chris Reynolds is hitting 65% with a super 15-3 ratio and the 49ers are rushing for 175 ypg (4.6). They are struggling on defense allowing foes 132 ypg (#128) above their season avg and allowing FBS foes 6.0 ypc rush. FAU is just 3-3 but road losses to Florida, Air Force and UAB were all expected. FAU is holding foes to 20 ypg below their season average. The Owls have been favored 3 times and won those games by 33.3 ppg (avg line -15). Nkosi Perry (Miami Fla transfer) has thrown for 1471 (60% 11-4) and RB Johnny Ford (USF transfer) has rushed for 311 (5.6) and Malcolm Davidson (PS#77) has 225 (4.7). FAU has taken on the tougher schedule (#96 vs #127) and is +66 ypg while Charlotte is -43 ypg so FAU is playing to an AGG of 99.0 while Charlotte is just at 83.9 (FAU by 12.2).

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San Jose St Spartans

Spartans Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	FOE OFF	FOE DEF	FOE ST
0-0		0-0		124				8/28	Southern Utah	45-14	W	92	58	64						
1-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	124	134		15	9/4	at USC	7-30	L	88	57	90	12	19	12			
1-1		0-0		122				9/11	Bye			89	59	95						
1-1	1-2	0-0	0-0	122	114			9/18	at Hawaii	17-13	W	97	54	90	87	73	67			
2-1	2-1	1-0	0-0	122	118			9/25	at Western Michigan	3-23	L	115	46	79	84	111	122			
2-2	1-4	1-0	0-0	117	95			10/2	New Mexico St	37-31	W	111	57	60	118	126	61			
3-2	1-3	1-0	0-0	114	122			10/9	at Colorado St	14-32	L	113	67	56	112	114	89			
3-3	5-0	1-1	1-0	113	126		24	10/16	San Diego St	13-19	L	114	64	67	72	14	12			
3-4	0-6	1-2	0-2	113	109			10/23	at UNLV			0	0	0	123	123	120			
	4-2		0-2		117			10/30	Wyoming						105	58	104			
	5-1		2-0		128			11/6	at Nevada						67	70	27			
	4-2		2-1		116			11/13	Utah St						52	104	30			
								11/20	Bye											
	5-2		2-1		127			11/27	Fresno St						27	44	80			

	Score	Yds	Net FD	TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
Southern Utah	45-14	293	4	-2	21	23-133	5.8	18-30	410	0	17	31-111	3.6	17-31	139	1
at USC	7-30	-40	-5	-1	18	19-68	3.6	24-46	308	0	23	34-160	4.7	24-36	256	2
Bye																
at Hawaii	17-13	-78	-1	-1	15	26-56	2.2	23-51	235	2	16	37-127	3.4	18-39	242	2
at Western Michigan	3-23	-228	-8	-3	11	30-60	2.0	9-26	59	8	19	43-147	3.4	17-28	200	4
New Mexico St	37-31	16	-5	0	18	36-209	5.8	15-18	193	0	23	24-86	3.6	30-44	300	1
at Colorado St	14-32	-182	-8	-3	13	31-113	3.6	11-22	154	3	21	53-217	4.1	19-23	232	1
San Diego St	13-19	105	2	0	19	42-117	2.8	16-35	228	2	17	36-70	1.9	15-30	170	3
at UNLV																
Wyoming																
at Nevada																
Utah St																
Bye																
Fresno St																
Average	19-23	-16.3	-3.0	-1.4	16	30-108	3.7	50.9%	227	6.6%	19	37-131	3.6	60.6%	220	6.1%
Conference	15-21	-51.7	-2.3	-1.3	16	33-95	2.9	46.3%	206	6.5%	18	42-138	3.3	56.5%	215	6.5%
Away	10-25	-132.0	-5.5	-2.0	14	27-74	2.8	46.2%	189	9.0%	20	42-163	3.9	61.9%	233	7.1%

OVERALL:	OVERALL:
3-4	0-6
vs. MTW	vs. MTW
1-2	0-2

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

San Jose St		UNLV
#115	Rush Off	#98
#74	Pass Off	#112
#110	**Total Off**	**#123**
#116	Score Off	#115
#78	Sks Allowed	#117
#44	Rush Def	#68
#60	Pass Def	#125
#47	**Total Def**	**#115**
#57	Score Def	#114
#59	Sks By	#122
#87	Ypg Diff	#125
-10	**Total TO's**	**-2**

San Jose St Spartans | TEAM AVERAGES | UNLV Rebels

UNLV Rebels

Rebels Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	FOE OFF	FOE DEF	FOE ST
0-0		0-0		105				9/4	Eastern Washington	33-35	L	119	122	121						
0-1	1-0	0-0	0-0	106	131		23	9/11	at Arizona St	10-37	L	120	122	57	15	26	13			
0-2	1-1	0-0	0-0	106	141		14	9/18	Iowa St	3-48	L	120	125	83	10	18	121			
0-3	3-1	0-0	0-0	104	131		22	9/25	at Fresno St	30-38	L	126	126	98	22	64	95			
0-4	4-0	0-1	1-0	108	129			10/2	at UTSA	17-24	L	124	124	104	64	50	11			
0-5		0-1		109				10/9	Bye			122	122	108						
0-5	3-2	0-1	1-1	109	116			10/16	Utah St	24-28	L	125	122	109	59	105	37			
0-6	3-4	0-2	1-2	109	113			10/23	San Jose St			123	123	120	114	64	67			
	5-1		2-0		128			10/30	at Nevada						67	70	27			
	2-5		0-3		103			11/6	at New Mexico						125	82	76			
	3-4		1-2		117			11/13	Hawaii						81	55	94			
	6-0		2-0		126			11/20	San Diego St						88	12	4			
	6-1		3-1		129			11/27	at Air Force						71	65	125			

	Score	Yds	Net FD	TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
Eastern Washington	33-35	-132	-5	1	17	44-199	4.5	12-23	140	4	22	34-97	2.9	29-39	374	3
at Arizona St	10-37	-307	-18	1	11	32-88	2.8	7-19	67	5	29	47-287	6.1	20-29	175	1
Iowa St	3-48	-363	-20	0	7	31-36	1.2	10-19	94	3	27	37-184	5.0	23-30	309	0
at Fresno St	30-38	-28	-5	0	18	36-152	4.2	15-28	281	4	23	23-83	3.6	30-42	378	1
at UTSA	17-24	-31	-3	-3	20	29-35	1.2	26-38	316	6	23	41-104	2.5	24-30	278	0
Bye																
Utah St	24-28	-110	-14	-1	12	31-219	7.1	12-24	111	1	26	46-142	3.1	21-32	298	1
San Jose St																
at Nevada																
at New Mexico																
Hawaii																
San Diego St																
at Air Force																
Average	20-35	-161.8	-10.8	-0.3	14	34-122	3.6	54.3%	168	15.2%	25	38-150	3.9	72.8%	302	3.0%
Conference	27-33	-69.0	-9.5	-0.5	15	34-186	5.5	51.9%	196	9.6%	25	35-113	3.3	68.9%	338	2.7%
Home	20-37	-201.7	-13.0	0.0	12	35-151	4.3	51.5%	115	12.1%	25	39-141	3.6	72.3%	327	4.0%

Position by Position Edges

San Jose St		UNLV
1.84	San Jose St QB/WR vs. UNLV DB's	
	San Jose St RB's vs. UNLV LB's	1.37
0.09	San Jose St OL vs. UNLV DL	
1.28	San Jose St DL vs. UNLV OL	
1.94	San Jose St LB'S vs. UNLV RB's	
1.14	San Jose St DB's vs. UNLV QB/WR	
4.21	San Jose St ST's vs. UNLV ST's	
1.10	San Jose St K vs. UNLV K	
1.75	San Jose St Coaches vs. UNLV Coaches	
13.35	San Jose St Pts vs. UNLV Pts	1.37

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

San Jose St

By 11.98 Points

Last Five Years Meetings (Last 22 years at PhilSteele.com)

2020	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
San Jose St	-	-16	34	23	29-176	18-29-281	
UNLV	-	59	17	16	36-70	19-28-224	1
2019	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
San Jose St	-	-7	35	26	21-99	37-56-465	
UNLV	-	65.5	38	21	38-252	21-36-203	4
2018	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
San Jose St	-	-3	50	25	40-157	26-37-349	
UNLV	-	59.5	37	25	37-167	28-50-387	-2
2017	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
San Jose St	-	64	13	30	33-147	30-49-315	
UNLV	-	-13.5	41	25	52-345	11-16-203	3
2016	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
San Jose St	-	56.5	30	24	42-132	24-40-292	
UNLV	-	-3	24	20	40-217	12-30-185	-1

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Projected Box Score

	San Jose St	UNLV	
Projected Rushing			
118 yards	San Jose St	UNLV	96 yards
Projected Passing			
231 yards	San Jose St	UNLV	163 yards
Projected Yardage Total			
349 yards	San Jose St	UNLV	259 yards
Projected Final Score			
21 points	San Jose St	UNLV	17 points
Experience Rankings			
13	San Jose St	UNLV	77
Team Schedule Strength			
86	San Jose St	UNLV	37

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	San Jose St By 4
Las Vegas Total	44.5 Points
+/- Ratings	San Jose St By 1.5
Game Grade	San Jose St By 9.0
Computer Yards	San Jose St 349-259
Computer Points	San Jose St 21-17
Phil Steele	San Jose St by 10

Phil's Forecast:

San Jose St leads the series 18-6-1 and are 6-2 SU/ATS against UNLV as MW foes, however these foes have traded wins with the home team going 5-0 SU/ATS recently. Last year UNLV actually led 3-0 early but then SJSt went 79/5 in 1:39 to go up 7-3. SJSt extended their lead to 17-3 early 2Q with a 53/6 drive and then closed out the 1H scoring with a 70/8 drive to go up 24-10 at the half (244-142). UNLV cut the lead to 24-17 late 3Q but SJSt responded going 71/5 in 1:56 and then the Spartans got a FG with 6:07 left 4Q and squeaked out a cover, winning 34-17 (-16). San Jose sacked UNLV 7 times and held them to 294 yds. The Spartans are in an unfamiliar role as a road MW favorite (0-2 ATS under Brennan) while UNLV is just 2-5 ATS as a DD MW underdog under HC Arroyo. San Jose had a dream season last year going undefeated and winning the MW, but Covid had some wacky results last year and that may have been lightning in a bottle. This year they opened 3-3 and going 0-5 ATS vs FBS foes. They did win at Hawaii by only by 4 and only beat NMexSt 37-31. They did not have QB Starkel in that but last week vs powerful SDST, neither team scored a TD in regulation and SDST P Ariza had an 86 & 53 yd punts. SDSt led 6-3 at half with an Ariza 53 yd FG. He missed a 55 yd 3Q FG and SJSt 66/11 48 yd FG 6-6 but missed a 52 yd FG :15 left. Lucas Johnson off the bench hit 14 and 24 yd TD passes in OT as Aztecs won in 2 OT 19-13 and the Spartans had a 345-240 yd edge. UNLV opened the year 0-5 SU including a loss to Eastern Washington but was 3-1 ATS vs FBS foes covering on the road vs Ariz St, Fresno and UTSA. Last week UNLV open 66/10 26 yd FG but Scarver 100 yd KR TD then next play Charles Williams 75 yd TD run 10-7 10:49 UNLV 45 yd IR 14/4 TD 17-7 5:39 1Q. USU 1&G 2 SOD 1 but Nathan 20 yd PR 36/2 TD 17-14. USU SOD 33 then 50/10 miss 52 yd FG trail 17-14 H. USU open 3Q 60/5 TD UNLV 77/8 TD 24-21 USU miss 44 yd FG 12:29 miss 41 yd FG 4:58 UNLV 3&out USU 60/9 11 yd TD run Noa :35 left 28-24 and had 26-12 FD 440-330 yd edges. UNLV has taken on the tougher schedule (#39 vs #87) but San Jose is playing to an AGG of 91.8 and UNLV is at just 80.4 (San Jose 8.9). The buy sign may have come on for San Jose last week after outgaining powerful SDST 345-240 and they get this road win.

San Jose St 27 UNLV 17

Middle Tenn Blue Raiders

Blue Raiders Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	FOE DEF	FOE ST
0-0		0-0		117				9/4	Monmouth	50-15	W	98	109	125			
1-0	1-0	0-0	1-0	121	128		19	9/11	at Virginia Tech	14-35	L	94	109	51	79	21	48
1-1	2-0	0-0	0-0	119	127			9/18	at UTSA	13-27	L	97	101	112	52	69	14
1-2	2-1	0-1	0-0	119	108			9/25	at Charlotte	39-42	L	122	87	121	91	114	97
1-3	2-2	0-2	0-0	116	119			10/2	Marshall	34-28	W	116	104	116	41	79	48
2-3	4-1	1-2	0-0	117	135			10/9	at Liberty	13-41	L	116	100	106	65	34	110
2-4		1-2		116				10/16	Bye			118	100	108			
2-4	1-7	1-2	0-2	116	95			10/23	at Connecticut			122	103	110	129	122	93
	1-6		0-3		100			10/30	Southern Miss						127	106	65
	2-4		1-1		121			11/6	at WKU						44	109	38
	1-5		0-2		103			11/13	FIU						84	121	49
	1-6		0-3		103			11/20	Old Dominion						115	93	42
	3-3		1-1		118			11/27	at Florida Atlantic						73	80	50

OVERALL:	OVERALL:
2-4	1-7
vs. CUSA	vs. AAC
1-2	0-2

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

Middle Tenn		Connecticut
#123	Rush Off	#101
#61	Pass Off	#117
#112	**Total Off**	**#124**
#77	Score Off	#124
#87	Sks Allowed	#105
#96	Rush Def	#115
#99	Pass Def	#71
#104	**Total Def**	**#101**
#99	Score Def	#114
#94	Sks By	#110
#117	Ypg Diff	#124
+10	**Total TO's**	**-3**

Connecticut Huskies

Huskies Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	FOE DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	101	121			9/4	at Fresno St	0-45	L	129	127	109	33	85	126
0-1		0-0		97				9/11	Holy Cross	28-38	L	129	128	105			
0-2	1-0	0-0	0-0	94	127			9/18	Purdue	0-49	L	129	127	119	55	61	75
0-3	2-0	0-0	0-0	91	124			9/25	at Army West Point	21-52	L	129	129	125	100	79	22
0-4	3-0	0-1	0-0	92	124			10/2	Wyoming	22-24	L	129	128	113	92	63	66
0-5	1-3	0-1	0-1	96	107			10/9	at Vanderbilt	28-30	L	129	128	101	119	111	102
0-6	0-5	0-1	0-0	98	91			10/16	at UMass	13-27	L	129	126	93	126	130	111
0-7		0-2		94				10/23	Yale	21-15	W	129	122	93			
1-7	2-4	0-2	1-2	95	116			10/30	Middle Tennessee			0	0	0	122	103	110
								11/6	Bye								
	4-2		3-1		135			11/13	at Clemson						66	6	90
	3-3		1-2		123			11/20	at UCF						29	95	114
	5-1		3-0		129			11/27	Houston						72	25	13

Middle Tenn Blue Raiders

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
Monmouth	50-15	63	2	4	19	34-89	2.6	20-26	248	2	17	38-88	2.3	27-42	186	3
at Virginia Tech	14-35	-34	-4	-1	20	36-66	1.8	26-40	283	3	24	39-224	5.7	17-28	159	1
at UTSA	13-27	-253	-12	1	11	25-8	0.3	14-30	191	5	23	44-175	4.0	26-46	277	2
at Charlotte	39-42	-57	-5	1	25	23-123	5.3	28-40	379	1	30	40-220	5.5	25-36	339	0
Marshall	34-28	-179	-12	4	16	49-209	4.3	12-21	105	2	28	35-172	4.9	31-47	321	2
at Liberty	13-41	-184	-9	1	12	21-35	1.7	22-42	230	3	21	42-227	5.4	17-30	222	3
Bye																
at Connecticut																
Southern Miss																
at WKU																
FIU																
Old Dominion																
at Florida Atlantic																
Average	27-31	-107.3	-6.7	1.7	17	31-88	2.8	61.3%	239	8.0%	24	40-184	4.6	62.4%	251	4.8%
Conference	29-32	-163.0	-9.7	2.0	17	32-113	3.5	59.3%	225	8.8%	27	40-189	4.8	63.6%	312	3.1%
Away	20-36	-132.0	-7.5	0.5	17	26-58	2.2	59.2%	271	7.9%	25	41-212	5.1	60.7%	249	4.3%

TEAM AVERAGES

Connecticut Huskies

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
at Fresno St	0-45	-431	-16	0	9	31-35	1.1	14-30	72	4	25	38-156	4.1	27-39	382	0
Holy Cross	28-38	-101	-1	-3	18	39-88	2.3	17-41	174	3	19	51-226	4.4	11-20	137	4
Purdue	0-49	-339	-18	-1	11	34-124	3.6	14-25	99	0	29	42-187	4.5	30-36	375	3
at Army West Point	21-52	-279	-15	-1	9	19-116	6.1	11-26	109	2	24	67-397	5.9	3-3	107	0
Wyoming	22-24	-71	-3	1	19	28-110	3.9	19-39	171	3	22	45-203	4.5	15-26	149	0
at Vanderbilt	28-30	84	2	0	25	37-192	5.2	24-43	331	2	23	33-106	3.2	27-40	333	1
at UMass	13-27	-116	-7	-3	14	31-163	5.3	13-24	128	2	21	56-247	4.4	11-23	160	0
Yale	21-15	19	-1	4	15	38-119	3.1	21-32	199	3	16	27-108	4.0	19-54	191	1
Middle Tennessee																
Bye																
at Clemson																
at UCF																
Houston																
Average	17-35	-154.3	-7.4	-0.4	15	32-118	3.7	51.2%	160	7.3%	22	45-204	4.5	59.3%	229	3.7%
Conference	14-40	-127.5	-8.0	-0.5	18	36-158	4.5	55.9%	215	2.9%	26	38-147	3.9	75.0%	354	5.3%
Home	18-32	-123.0	-5.8	0.3	16	35-110	3.2	51.8%	161	6.6%	22	41-181	4.4	55.1%	213	5.9%

Position by Position Edges

Middle Tenn		Connecticut
0.84	Middle Tenn QB/WR vs. Connecticut DB's	
	Middle Tenn RB's vs. Connecticut LB's	1.08
0.02	Middle Tenn OL vs. Connecticut DL	
0.19	Middle Tenn DL vs. Connecticut OL	
1.08	Middle Tenn LB'S vs. Connecticut RB's	
2.06	Middle Tenn DB's vs. Connecticut QB/WR	
	Middle Tenn ST's vs. Connecticut ST's	1.73
0.45	Middle Tenn K vs. Connecticut K	
0.45	Middle Tenn Coaches vs. Connecticut Coaches	
5.09	Middle Tenn Pts vs. Connecticut Pts	2.81

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

Middle Tenn

By 2.28 Points

Last Five Years Meetings (Last 22 years at PhilSteele.com)

None

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Projected Box Score

	Middle Tenn	Connecticut
Projected Rushing		
	131 yards	143 yards
Projected Passing		
	254 yards	177 yards
Projected Yardage Total		
	385 yards	320 yards
Projected Final Score		
	38 points	19 points
Experience Rankings		
	83	87
Team Schedule Strength		
	68	122

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Middle Tenn By 15
Las Vegas Total	56 Points
+/- Ratings	Middle Tenn By 18.5
Game Grade	Middle Tenn By 11.0
Computer Yards	Middle Tenn 385-320
Computer Points	Middle Tenn 38-19
Phil Steele	Middle Tenn by 19

Phil's Forecast:

MT travels to Storrs for the first time since 2000, which was the Huskies first season as an FBS team. The Blue Raiders are 2-0 in previous meetings. MT is in a rare spot as a DD away favorite. MT has the talent edge and is fresh off a bye. UConn actually has a double-bye on deck and this is their last chance to be competitive before a brutal last 3 games (at Clem/at UCF/Hou). Middle Tenn is 0-4 SU and 0-3-1 ATS on the road this year losing by 16 ppg and are -132 ypg. Those foes were Vtech, UTSA, Charlotte and Liberty all much stronger than the Huskies. QB Chase Cunningham guided them to an upset of Marshall at home and is hitting 61% with a. super 12-2 ratio. Middle has taken on the tougher schedule (#68 vs #124) and should be favored in 4 games (including this one) so are still very much alive for bowl eligibility. UConn opened the year 0-7 including a huge showdown with winless UMass and lost that game on the road 27-13. Last week they were a 3 point home dog to Yale and I used UConn on the Phil Steele Plus Tour. UConn snapped an 11 gm losing streak. They got a wide open 63 yd TD pass with 5:21 left 2Q and after an int went 52/3 for TD :20 left and led Yale 14-0 at half with a 193-79 yd edge. QB Krajewski ran for a TD mid 3Q 21-0 and Yale chipped away pulling back to 21-16 on 60 yd TD pass with 4:30 left but were int in EZ on untimed down from 30. UConn did nearly beat Vandy on the road and got a back door cover vs Army and covered vs Wyoming at home in a two point loss. I will go with my computers forecast on this one.

Middle Tennessee 38 Connecticut 19

Memphis Tigers

Tigers Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- DEF	FOE ST
0-0		0-0		123				9/4	Nicholls	42-17	W	36	66	60			
1-0	1-0	0-0	0-0	126	111			9/11	at Arkansas St	55-50	W	35	66	1	77	107	83
2-0	2-0	0-0	0-0	125	132			9/18	Miss St	31-29	W	18	57	12	49	24	59
3-0	3-0	0-0	1-0	127	127			9/25	UTSA	28-31	L	13	69	3	62	52	14
3-1	2-2	0-0	0-0	125	107			10/2	at Temple	31-34	L	19	76	7	103	78	115
3-2	1-4	0-1	0-1	121	117			10/9	at Tulsa	29-35	L	20	88	8	50	66	130
3-3	1-4	0-2	1-2	119	117			10/16	Navy	35-17	W	21	94	18	128	93	123
4-3	3-3	1-2	1-2	121	123			10/23	at UCF			15	97	20	29	95	114
								10/30	Bye								
	6-0		2-0		128			11/6	SMU						12	98	60
	3-3		1-1		125			11/13	East Carolina						55	84	47
	5-1		3-0		129			11/19	at Houston						72	25	13
	1-5		0-2		117			11/27	Tulane						80	114	91

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
Nicholls	42-17	288	15	1	32	53-322	6.1	19-32	265	0	17	28-100	3.6	19-34	199	0
at Arkansas St	55-50	0	-11	-2	24	37-263	7.1	22-33	417	4	35	32-98	3.1	42-66	582	2
Miss St	31-29	-222	-14	0	12	25-87	3.5	16-28	159	1	26	16-49	3.1	50-67	419	2
UTSA	28-31	8	-9	-1	16	32-78	2.4	15-25	329	2	25	62-205	3.3	19-30	194	2
at Temple	31-34	-19	2	-2	25	38-155	4.1	24-40	305	3	23	33-157	4.8	36-50	322	0
at Tulsa	29-35	197	14	-3	33	42-151	3.6	34-57	463	3	19	46-235	5.1	11-21	182	0
Navy	35-17	174	-2	-1	15	34-200	5.9	8-12	215	0	17	65-198	3.0	4-6	43	4
at UCF																
Bye																
SMU																
East Carolina																
at Houston																
Tulane																
Average	36-30	60.9	-0.7	-1.1	22	37-179	4.8	60.8%	308	5.7%	23	40-149	3.7	66.1%	277	3.6%
Conference	32-29	117.3	4.7	-2.0	24	38-169	4.4	60.6%	328	5.5%	20	48-197	4.1	66.2%	182	5.2%
Away	38-40	59.3	1.7	-2.3	27	39-190	4.9	61.5%	395	7.7%	26	37-163	4.4	65.0%	362	1.5%

OVERALL:	OVERALL:
4-3	3-3
vs. AAC	vs. AAC
1-2	1-2

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

Memphis		UCF
#47	Rush Off	#27
#17	Pass Off	#63
#10	**Total Off**	**#39**
#23	Score Off	#30
#63	Sks Allowed	#27
#67	Rush Def	#94
#115	Pass Def	#42
#99	**Total Def**	**#72**
#95	Score Def	#106
#101	Sks By	#120
#47	Ypg Diff	#50
-8	**Total TO's**	**0**

Memphis Tigers | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **UCF Knights**

Position by Position Edges

Memphis		UCF
0.86	Memphis QB/WR vs. UCF DB's	
1.12	Memphis RB's vs. UCF LB's	
1.29	Memphis OL vs. UCF DL	
	Memphis DL vs. UCF OL	0.74
	Memphis LB'S vs. UCF RB's	0.87
	Memphis DB's vs. UCF QB/WR	1.08
4.38	Memphis ST's vs. UCF ST's	
	Memphis K vs. UCF K	1.95
	Memphis Coaches vs. UCF Coaches	0.05
7.65	Memphis Pts vs. UCF Pts	4.69

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

Memphis

By 2.96 Points

UCF Knights

Knights Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	130	126			9/4	Boise St	36-31	W	10	69	76	44	52	10
1-0		0-0		130				9/11	Bethune-Cookman	63-14	W	9	76	120			
2-0	1-1	0-0	0-0	128	128			9/18	at Louisville	35-42	L	7	61	100	79	82	41
2-1		0-0		128				9/25	Bye			7	68	106			
2-1	0-3	0-0	0-1	128	114			10/2	at Navy	30-34	L	7	70	107	128	96	127
2-2	3-2	0-1	1-0	124	125			10/9	East Carolina	20-16	W	13	87	100	54	89	47
3-2	5-0	1-1	1-0	124	147		3	10/16	at Cincinnati	21-56	L	22	83	81	37	4	44
3-3	4-3	1-2	1-2	123	121			10/23	Memphis			29	95	114	15	97	20
	3-3		1-1		109			10/30	at Temple						97	100	111
	1-5		0-2		117			11/6	Tulane						80	114	91
	6-0		2-0		128			11/13	at SMU						12	98	60
	1-7		0-2		95			11/20	Connecticut						129	122	93
	1-5		0-2		112			11/26	USF						112	124	85

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
Boise St	36-31	290	12	-1	29	48-255	5.3	25-37	318	3	17	26-20	0.8	25-39	263	0
Bethune-Cookman	63-14	392	18	1	37	42-290	6.9	28-44	381	1	19	14-24	1.7	29-51	255	0
at Louisville	35-42	-81	-2	0	22	34-212	6.2	23-30	208	2	24	37-191	5.2	24-39	310	1
Bye																
at Navy	30-34	-80	-9	0	17	29-148	5.1	16-27	178	0	26	76-348	4.6	2-4	58	1
East Carolina	20-16	-1	-5	2	16	31-165	5.3	23-35	194	2	21	39-141	3.6	20-32	219	4
at Cincinnati	21-56	-180	-9	-2	14	37-155	4.2	16-27	141	1	23	42-336	8.0	13-23	140	1
Memphis																
at Temple																
Tulane																
at SMU																
Connecticut																
USF																
Average	34-32	56.7	0.8	0.0	23	37-204	5.5	65.5%	237	4.5%	22	39-177	4.5	60.1%	208	3.7%
Conference	24-35	-87.0	-7.7	0.0	16	32-156	4.8	61.8%	171	3.4%	23	52-275	5.3	59.3%	139	10.2%
Home	40-20	227.0	8.3	0.7	27	40-237	5.9	65.5%	298	5.2%	19	26-62	2.3	60.7%	246	3.3%

Last Five Years Meetings (Last 22 years at PhilSteele.com)

2020	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
Memphis	-	75	50	41	45-217	34-50-486	
UCF	-	-3	49	34	47-197	35-49-601	0
2019	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Memphis	-	81	30	27	52-281	17-29-209	
UCF	10	-5.5	31	18	37-165	17-29-296	1
2018	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Memphis	-	64	41	23	45-401	18-30-182	
UCF	7	-3	56	34	62-350	19-28-348	-2
2017	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Memphis	-	68.5	13	25	24-75	27-49-321	
UCF	-	-4.5	40	27	49-350	19-31-253	3
2016	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Memphis	16	81	55	32	45-282	30-44-471	
UCF	12	-7	62	32	39-232	28-40-494	-2

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Projected Box Score

Projected Rushing			
176 yards	Memphis	UCF	210 yards
Projected Passing			
280 yards	Memphis	UCF	297 yards
Projected Yardage Total			
455 yards	Memphis	UCF	507 yards
Projected Final Score			
36 points	Memphis	UCF	41 points
Experience Rankings			
82	Memphis	UCF	80
Team Schedule Strength			
95	Memphis	UCF	81

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Memphis By 1
Las Vegas Total	63.5 Points
+/- Ratings	Ucf By 6.5
Game Grade	Ucf By 3.9
Computer Yards	Ucf 507-455
Computer Points	Ucf 41-36
Phil Steele	Ucf by 1

Phil's Forecast:

From 2005-18 UCF won 13 straight games over Memphis (7-5-1 ATS). Two of those meetings were in the AAC title game back in '17 and '18. In last year's matchup the score just 7-7 after the 1Q. In the 2Q UCF scored 3 TD's on 4 drives and took a 27-14 lead into the half (434-321). To open the 2H UCF & Memphis traded TD's then off a UCF fumble at the Memphis 3-yd line the Tigers went 96/8 to make it 35-29. Early 4Q UCF went 93 yds in 1 play to make it 43-29. At 49-44 UCF punted and Memphis went 85/9 to take the 50-49 lead (missed 2-pt try) and then UCF missed a late FG and their 13-gm win streak was snapped despite UCF putting up 798 yds (Memphis had 703 yds) and UCF QB Gabriel threw for a career high 601 yds & 5 TD's. UCF is 0-5 ATS as a home favorite vs FBS teams the L2Y. Memphis is 0-3 ATS as an AD under HC Silverfield. UCF opened 2-0 and had a 573-283 yd edge vs Boise. They lost at Louisville and lost QB Gabriel on the last play then lost at Navy by 4 and needed a last-minute TD to get past East Carolina at home 20-16. Last week they traveled to Cincy and a partially blocked punt led to a 38 yd TD drive to lead 7-0 and RB Ford had a 79 yd TD run to make it 28-0 and it was 35-7 at half with 314-99 yd edge. UCF without QB Gabriel, RB Harvey and Bowser and WR Robinson. Cincy got a 74 yd IR TD to lead 42-7 and rolled 56-21 at home. UCF has just 350 ypg offense since Gabriel was lost. Memphis opened 3-0 but were outgained by Miss St 468-246 in a home win. They led UTSA 21-0 and Temple 17-0 but lost both then had a 614-417 yd edge at Tulsa and lost by 6. Last Thursday Memphis had a 415-241 yd edge and beat Navy at home 35-17. Memphis has a potent offense avg 84 ypg more than their opp's allow but also are allowing teams 65 ypg then they normally avg on defense (not so good). Frosh QB Seth Henigan is hitting 61% with a 16-4 ratio. This game is a tossup and an upset would not surprise me.

UCF 38 Memphis 37

Colorado St Rams

Rams Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	FOE DEF	FOE ST
0-0		0-0		120				9/3	South Dakota St	23-42	L	118	76	92			
0-1	0-1	0-0	0-0	117	107			9/11	Vanderbilt	21-24	L	114	86	70	112	118	85
0-2	1-1	0-0	0-0	113	122			9/18	at Toledo	22-6	W	104	93	109	80	65	19
1-2	3-0	0-0	1-0	118	148		5	9/25	at Iowa	14-24	L	93	117	86	101	3	5
1-3		0-0		122				10/2	Bye			111	115	89			
1-3	3-2	0-0	1-0	122	114			10/9	San Jose St	32-14	W	112	114	89	113	67	56
2-3	2-4	1-0	0-2	123	105			10/16	at New Mexico	36-7	W	107	107	70	119	80	91
3-3	4-2	2-0	2-1	125	116			10/22	at Utah St			102	45	81	52	104	30
	3-4		1-2		127			10/30	Boise St						99	69	9
	4-2		0-2		117			11/6	at Wyoming						105	58	104
	6-1		3-1		129			11/13	Air Force						71	65	125
	3-4		1-2		117			11/20	at Hawaii						81	55	94
	5-1		2-0		128			11/27	Nevada						67	70	27

	Score	Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
South Dakota St	23-42	-4	6	-2	28	40-124	3.1	33-49	338	3	22	34-242	7.1	18-28	224	0
Vanderbilt	21-24	103	-1	0	20	33-207	6.3	20-38	238	0	21	37-104	2.8	27-42	238	3
at Toledo	22-6	36	7	0	18	49-209	4.3	11-28	110	0	11	28-13	0.5	25-43	270	6
at Iowa	14-24	-28	0	0	12	48-95	2.0	16-30	155	3	12	32-54	1.7	15-23	224	3
Bye																
San Jose St	32-14	182	8	3	21	53-217	4.1	19-23	232	1	13	31-113	3.6	11-22	154	3
at New Mexico	36-7	373	10	3	21	54-163	3.0	16-26	289	4	11	38-63	1.7	4-20	16	6
at Utah St																
Boise St																
at Wyoming																
Air Force																
at Hawaii																
Nevada																
Average	25-20	110.3	5.0	0.7	20	46-169	3.7	59.3%	227	5.7%	15	33-98	2.9	56.2%	188	11.8%
Conference	34-11	277.5	9.0	3.0	21	54-190	3.6	71.4%	261	10.2%	12	35-88	2.6	35.7%	85	21.4%
Away	24-12	127.0	5.7	1.0	17	50-156	3.1	51.2%	185	8.3%	11	33-43	1.3	51.2%	170	17.4%

OVERALL:	OVERALL:
3-3	4-2
vs. MTW	vs. MTW
2-0	2-1

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

Colorado St		Utah St
#59	Rush Off	#57
#72	Pass Off	#14
#68	**Total Off**	**#11**
#93	Score Off	#61
#47	Sks Allowed	#38
#16	Rush Def	#118
#20	Pass Def	#81
#8	**Total Def**	**#106**
#27	Score Def	#90
#9	Sks By	#110
#24	Ypg Diff	#58
+4	**Total TO's**	**-2**

Colorado St Rams | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **Utah St Aggies**

Utah St Aggies

Aggies Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	FOE DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	110	133			9/4	at Washington St	26-23	W	101	100	24	42	91	128
1-0		0-0		115				9/11	North Dakota	48-24	W	102	90	53			
2-0	2-0	0-0	0-0	117	124			9/18	at Air Force	49-45	W	73	87	47	91	99	126
3-0	1-2	1-0	0-0	120	127			9/25	Boise St	3-27	L	41	103	31	94	76	2
3-1	4-0	1-1	0-0	116	130		13	10/1	BYU	20-34	L	38	103	34	63	101	31
3-2		1-1		116				10/9	Bye			53	104	38			
3-2	0-5	1-1	0-1	116	109			10/16	at UNLV	28-24	W	59	105	37	125	122	109
4-2	3-3	2-1	2-0	116	125			10/23	Colorado St			52	104	30	102	45	81
	3-4		1-2		117			10/30	Hawaii						81	55	94
	1-6		0-0		99			11/6	at New Mexico St						119	127	96
	3-4		1-2		113			11/13	at San Jose St						114	64	67
	4-2		0-2		117			11/20	Wyoming						105	58	104
	2-5		0-3		103			11/27	at New Mexico						125	82	76

	Score	Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
at Washington St	26-23	81	5	-1	25	46-222	4.8	23-36	219	0	20	26-149	5.7	20-35	211	2
North Dakota	48-24	182	-1	1	23	38-217	5.7	23-37	404	1	24	24-65	2.7	32-46	374	1
at Air Force	49-45	9	3	1	26	39-180	4.6	31-50	448	2	23	63-437	6.9	6-12	182	1
Boise St	3-27	8	-7	-2	18	42-235	5.6	13-31	208	3	25	42-148	3.5	22-39	287	2
BYU	20-34	-130	1	-2	23	35-22	0.6	26-48	314	3	22	36-221	6.1	22-30	245	2
Bye																
at UNLV	28-24	110	14	1	26	46-142	3.1	21-32	298	1	12	31-219	7.1	12-24	111	1
Colorado St																
Hawaii																
at New Mexico St																
at San Jose St																
Wyoming																
at New Mexico																
Average	29-30	43.3	2.5	-0.3	24	41-170	4.1	58.5%	315	4.3%	21	37-207	5.6	61.3%	235	4.8%
Conference	27-32	42.3	3.3	0.0	23	42-186	4.4	57.5%	318	5.3%	20	45-268	5.9	53.3%	193	5.3%
Home	24-28	20.0	-2.3	-1.0	21	38-158	4.1	53.4%	309	6.0%	24	34-145	4.3	66.1%	302	4.3%

Position by Position Edges

Colorado St		Utah St
0.32	Colorado St QB/WR vs. Utah St DB's	
	Colorado St RB's vs. Utah St LB's	1.37
0.40	Colorado St OL vs. Utah St DL	
1.46	Colorado St DL vs. Utah St OL	
0.93	Colorado St LB'S vs. Utah St RB's	
	Colorado St DB's vs. Utah St QB/WR	0.56
	Colorado St ST's vs. Utah St ST's	2.62
	Colorado St K vs. Utah St K	1.10
0.50	Colorado St Coaches vs. Utah St Coaches	
3.61	Colorado St Pts vs. Utah St Pts	5.65

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

Utah St

By 2.04 Points

Last Five Years Meetings (Last 22 years at PhilSteele.com)

2019	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
Colorado St	-	70.5	24	11	35-79	14-30-217	
Utah St	-	-24	34	25	56-240	17-33-204	-1
2018	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Colorado St	-	65	24	29	44-199	25-38-307	
Utah St	14	-28.5	29	16	28-141	15-24-169	1
2017	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Colorado St	-	-8.5	27	29	52-216	22-31-293	
Utah St	-	64.5	14	14	29-63	18-34-149	0
2016	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Colorado St	-	50	31	22	47-224	17-32-240	
Utah St	-	-6	24	23	39-251	19-34-205	-2

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Projected Box Score

Projected Rushing			
219 yards	Colorado St	Utah St	109 yards
Projected Passing			
214 yards	Colorado St	Utah St	300 yards
Projected Yardage Total			
433 yards	Colorado St	Utah St	410 yards
Projected Final Score			
30 points	Colorado St	Utah St	27 points
Experience Rankings			
24	Colorado St	Utah St	39
Team Schedule Strength			
74	Colorado St	Utah St	72

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Colorado St By 3.5
Las Vegas Total	58.5 Points
+/- Ratings	Colorado St By 4.8
Game Grade	Colorado St By 1.1
Computer Yards	Colorado St 433-410
Computer Points	Colorado St 30-27
Phil Steele	Colorado St by 10

Phil's Forecast:

Teams first met back in 1902 and CSU leads the series 39-35-2. Did not meet last season (gm canceled). The Aggies have won the last two meetings but the Rams have covered 4 straight games in the series. Utah St opened with comeback wins vs Wash St, North Dakota and Air Force then played better than the finals vs Boise and BYU (lost by 19 ppg). Last week they went to UNLV and had a 26-12 FD and 440-330 yd edges but after missing 2 4Q FG's they needed a 60/9 TD with :35 left to pull out a 28-24 road win. Colo St was the opposite as they opened up with a pair of upset home losses to SDakotaSt and Vandy but they beat a strong Toledo 22-6 on the road, led a top 5 Iowa 14-7 at half and bounced the defending MW champ San Jose 32-14 at home with a 449-267 yd edge. Last week they traveled to New Mexico and Colo St allowed just 76 yds to New Mexico the 2nd lowest total in school history. Cayden Camper had 5 FG's (also 5 vs Toledo, 6 vs San Jose) but did miss one. Lobo frosh QB CJ Montes was just 3-19-11 but NM only trailed 13-7 at half thanks to a 63 yd PR. Colo St open 3Q 75/6 TD and rolled 36-7 on the road with 452-79 yd edge. QB Todd Centeio is hitting 60% with a 6-1 ratio. The Rams defense is allowing a paltry 227 ypg the last 4 weeks and Colo St is playing to a 112.9 AGG in that span holding foes to 110 ypg below their opp avg. Utah St is playing to a 96.2 AGG the L4W and they D is allowing 463 ypg which is 111 ypg above what their opp avg. While my computer has this a toss up, I will go more with the L4W AGG which has Colo St by 13.2!

Colorado St 28 Utah St 18

Washington Huskies

Huskies Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- DEF	FOE ST
0-0		0-0		133		20		9/4	Montana	7-13	L	19	27	57			
0-1	1-0	0-0	0-0	128	134			9/11	at Michigan	10-31	L	27	28	111	31	37	2
0-2	1-1	0-0	0-0	126	112			9/18	Arkansas St	52-3	W	31	29	125	59	111	90
1-2	1-2	0-0	0-0	130	128			9/25	California	31-24	W	51	13	103	37	55	118
2-2	3-1	1-0	1-0	130	133			10/2	at Oregon St	24-27	L	59	15	98	25	45	60
2-3		1-1		130				10/9	Bye			58	9	114			
2-3	4-2	1-1	2-1	130	132			10/16	UCLA	17-24	L	62	10	114	30	26	29
2-4	0-6	1-2	0-3	128	107			10/23	at Arizona			68	16	107	109	99	129
	3-4		2-3		131			10/30	at Stanford						51	50	59
	5-1		2-1		133			11/6	Oregon						28	19	44
	5-2		3-1		135			11/13	Arizona St						20	31	39
	2-4		1-2		119			11/19	at Colorado						117	63	40
	4-3		3-2		129			11/26	Washington St						83	49	83

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
Montana	7-13	59	11	-3	21	27-65	2.4	27-46	226	3	10	34-127	3.7	12-23	105	1
at Michigan	10-31	-44	-1	-1	19	32-50	1.6	20-37	293	4	20	56-343	6.1	7-15	44	0
Arkansas St	52-3	330	15	0	30	39-200	5.1	25-44	398	1	15	23-48	2.1	22-49	220	3
California	31-24	-131	-3	2	18	30-92	3.1	19-32	234	1	21	37-138	3.7	30-42	319	3
at Oregon St	24-27	28	-3	0	15	35-176	5.0	17-26	142	3	18	50-242	4.8	7-15	48	2
Bye																
UCLA	17-24	-153	-3	-2	19	31-83	2.7	20-30	184	2	22	40-237	5.9	21-27	183	0
at Arizona																
at Stanford																
Oregon																
Arizona St																
at Colorado																
Washington St																
Average	24-20	14.8	2.7	-0.7	20	32-111	3.4	59.5%	246	6.5%	18	40-189	4.7	57.9%	153	5.3%
Conference	24-25	-85.3	-3.0	0.0	17	32-117	3.7	63.6%	187	6.8%	20	42-206	4.9	69.0%	183	6.0%
Away	17-29	-8.0	-2.0	-0.5	17	34-113	3.4	58.7%	218	11.1%	19	53-293	5.5	46.7%	46	6.7%

OVERALL:	OVERALL:
2-4	0-6
vs. PAC 12	vs. PAC 12
1-2	0-3

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

Washington		Arizona
#113	Rush Off	#107
#56	Pass Off	#64
#96	**Total Off**	**#101**
#99	Score Off	#128
#72	Sks Allowed	#87
#101	Rush Def	#110
#4	Pass Def	#10
#39	**Total Def**	**#60**
#37	Score Def	#104
#110	Sks By	#115
#72	Ypg Diff	#90
-4	**Total TO's**	**-9**

Washington Huskies | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **Arizona Wildcats**

Position by Position Edges

Washington		Arizona
	Washington QB/WR vs. Arizona DB's	0.20
	Washington RB's vs. Arizona LB's	0.64
1.26	Washington OL vs. Arizona DL	
	Washington DL vs. Arizona OL	0.15
2.72	Washington LB'S vs. Arizona RB's	
3.11	Washington DB's vs. Arizona QB/WR	
2.48	Washington ST's vs. Arizona ST's	
	Washington K vs. Arizona K	0.75
1.45	Washington Coaches vs. Arizona Coaches	
11.02	Washington Pts vs. Arizona Pts	1.74

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

Washington

By 9.28 Points

Arizona Wildcats

Wildcats Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	116	132			9/4	† BYU	16-24	L	103	106	102	57	78	8
0-1	1-0	0-0	0-0	118	118			9/11	San Diego St	14-38	L	98	106	124	85	42	31
0-2		0-0		113				9/18	Northern Arizona	19-21	L	87	108	118			
0-3	3-0	0-0	0-0	109	139		3	9/25	at Oregon	19-41	L	100	99	126	26	26	38
0-4		0-1		111				10/2	Bye			100	93	125			
0-4	3-2	0-1	1-1	111	132			10/9	UCLA	16-34	L	105	95	124	30	30	25
0-5	1-4	0-2	0-2	111	115			10/16	at Colorado	0-34	L	103	92	120	121	70	94
0-6	2-4	0-3	1-2	107	128			10/23	Washington			109	99	129	68	16	107
	3-3		2-3		127			10/30	at USC						23	66	36
	1-5		0-3		124			11/6	California						47	60	95
	4-2		3-0		137			11/13	Utah						34	15	108
	4-3		3-2		129			11/19	at Washington St						83	49	83
	5-2		3-1		135			11/27	at Arizona St						20	31	39

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
† BYU	16-24	58	9	-1	27	35-81	2.3	36-48	345	4	18	34-161	4.7	19-29	207	1
San Diego St	14-38	-226	-12	-1	9	19-49	2.6	18-36	179	4	21	55-271	4.9	10-16	183	2
Northern Arizona	19-21	123	4	0	19	27-106	3.9	25-41	257	2	15	45-148	3.3	12-20	92	1
at Oregon	19-41	42	14	-5	31	53-202	3.8	21-35	233	1	17	31-187	6.0	10-24	206	2
Bye																
UCLA	16-34	-49	5	0	27	42-122	2.9	26-38	240	3	22	47-329	7.0	8-19	82	1
at Colorado	0-34	-85	1	-2	19	31-127	4.1	20-39	153	2	18	39-117	3.0	12-19	248	1
Washington																
at USC																
California																
Utah																
at Washington St																
at Arizona St																
Average	14-32	-22.8	3.5	-1.5	22	35-115	3.3	61.6%	235	6.8%	19	42-202	4.8	55.9%	170	6.3%
Conference	12-36	-30.7	6.7	-2.3	26	42-150	3.6	59.8%	209	5.4%	19	39-211	5.4	48.4%	179	6.5%
Home	16-31	-50.7	-1.0	-0.3	18	29-92	3.1	60.0%	225	7.8%	19	49-249	5.1	54.5%	119	7.3%

Last Five Years Meetings (Last 22 years at PhilSteele.com)

2020	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
Washington	-	-11.5	44	24	45-233	16-26-239	
Arizona	-	53	27	22	26-72	27-39-259	-1
2019	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Washington	-	-6.5	51	18	45-207	15-22-243	
Arizona	-	69	27	18	39-151	16-33-209	-3
2018	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Washington	9	-13	35	24	51-352	14-21-160	
Arizona	-	58	28	23	43-308	19-31-167	-2

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Projected Box Score

Projected Rushing			
148 yards	Washington	Arizona	155 yards
Projected Passing			
168 yards	Washington	Arizona	142 yards
Projected Yardage Total			
316 yards	Washington	Arizona	297 yards
Projected Final Score			
28 points	Washington	Arizona	9 points
Experience Rankings			
33	Washington	Arizona	91
Team Schedule Strength			
40	Washington	Arizona	33

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Washington By 17.5
Las Vegas Total	46.5 Points
+/- Ratings	Washington By 17.3
Game Grade	Washington By 6.1
Computer Yards	Washington 316-297
Computer Points	Washington 28-9
Phil Steele	Washington by 22

Phil's Forecast:

Arizona has dropped the last 4 (1-3 ATS) vs Washington. Last year the Wildcats fell behind 24-0 at half and 37-0 after 3Q. Jimmy Lake said afterward, "It could almost have been 60-0 if we caught some passes." Arizona put up 301 yds and 4 TD's in 4Q vs backups (AZ 1.8 ypp 1st 3Q) with last :33 left. Last time here ('19), Wash trailed 17-13 at half before rallying in the 2H, 51-27. Wash faked a punt on 4&1 from its own 31 on 4th play and got a 65 yd TD pass 3 plays later then dominated leading AZ 24-0 at half with 267-45 yd edge. UW got off to a very disappointing start at 2-3 SU as they had a 14-2 FD edge vs Montana but lost at home and was only outgained by 44 yds by a powerful Michigan team. The Huskies were SOD in their own territory late and lost to Oregon St. Last week UW did get LB ZTF back for some snaps. UW was int at UCLA 30 then 74/12 settle 25 yd FG UCLA 2 TD and FG next 3 drives led 17-3 and UW TD 17-10 H. UW 75/9 TD 17-17 but after each team punt UCLA 90/13 TD 8:19 left. UW man open but int at 4 4;50 left and UCLA run out clock. Arizona opened the year 0-5 but did actually outgain Oregon and BYU and were just -10 ypg despite losing by 15 ppg. They lost QB McCloud. Arizona owns the nation's longest losing streak (18) and last week Colorado got their first conference shutout since 2005. Colorado had got two 1H FG and led 6-0 with AZ SOD at 1 late in 1H. Colo then got a 36 yd scoop and score on a blocked punt and 50 yd IR TD and a 62 yd TD pass to Rice to lead 27-0 after 3Q. Arizona lost starting QB Cruz in 2Q and Plummer hit 7-17-71. Colo went 70/9 for TD 4:08 left 34-0. AZ did throw into EZ inc at end in 34-0 loss. As you know, I was very high on Washington at the start of the year and they have disappointed me almost weekly. They would win the North if they win out and maybe this game gets them started on a second half surge.

Washington 28 Arizona 6

W Michigan Broncos

OVERALL:	OVERALL:
5-2	3-4
vs. MAC	vs. MAC
2-1	1-2

Toledo Rockets

Broncos Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	TEAM ST	--PS RANK-- FOE OFF	FOE DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	114	132			9/4	at Michigan	14-47	L	49	93	100	41	50	40
0-1		0-0		112				9/11	Illinois St	28-0	W	66	99	129			
1-1	2-0	0-0	0-0	114	127			9/18	at Pittsburgh	44-41	W	83	104	130	39	12	86
2-1	2-1	0-0	1-0	118	122			9/25	San Jose St	23-3	W	84	111	122	115	46	79
3-1	2-2	0-0	0-0	123	115			10/2	at Buffalo	24-17	W	86	80	122	94	108	100
4-1	2-3	1-0	0-1	123	120			10/9	Ball St	20-45	L	82	77	122	124	107	29
4-2	3-3	1-1	2-0	118	118			10/16	Kent St	64-31	W	87	87	127	57	103	124
5-2	3-4	2-1	1-2	122	118			10/23	at Toledo			60	76	119	91	42	53
								10/30	Bye								
	4-3		2-1		116			11/3	Central Michigan						54	105	73
	2-5		1-2		100			11/9	Akron						120	125	130
	4-3		1-2		119			11/16	at Eastern Michigan						108	107	1
	5-2		3-0		117			11/23	at Northern Illinois						89	110	87

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

W Michigan		Toledo
#42	Rush Off	#74
#48	Pass Off	#78
#43	**Total Off**	**#75**
#46	Score Off	#73
#87	Sks Allowed	#126
#29	Rush Def	#63
#35	Pass Def	#13
#27	**Total Def**	**#23**
#73	Score Def	#15
#8	Sks By	#59
#19	Ypg Diff	#39
+3	**Total TO's**	**+9**

Rockets Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	TEAM ST	--PS RANK-- FOE OFF	FOE DEF	FOE ST
0-0		0-0		119				9/4	Norfolk St	49-10	W	72	51	113			
1-0	1-0	0-0	0-0	119	137		8	9/11	at Notre Dame	29-32	L	71	55	28	14	8	18
1-1	0-2	0-0	0-0	122	113			9/18	Colorado St	6-22	L	80	65	19	104	93	109
1-2	1-2	0-0	0-0	117	120			9/25	at Ball St	22-12	W	103	61	46	118	104	55
2-2	0-4	1-0	0-0	121	93			10/2	at UMass	45-7	W	95	52	51	120	130	126
3-2	3-2	1-0	1-0	123	117			10/9	Northern Illinois	20-22	L	94	40	65	91	117	103
3-3	3-3	1-1	1-1	120	114			10/16	at Central Michigan	23-26	L	89	41	67	46	109	65
3-4	5-2	1-2	2-1	118	122			10/23	Western Michigan			91	42	53	60	76	119
	4-3		1-2		119			11/2	Eastern Michigan						108	107	1
								11/6	Bye								
	2-5		0-3		99			11/10	at Bowling Green						126	90	12
	1-6		1-2		109			11/16	at Ohio						98	120	84
	2-5		1-2		100			11/27	Akron						120	125	130

TEAM AVERAGES

W Michigan Broncos

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
at Michigan	14-47	-241	-5	0	17	32-119	3.7	20-37	191	1	22	43-335	7.8	13-17	216	1
Illinois St	28-0	350	20	-1	24	51-233	4.6	15-22	174	1	4	26-28	1.1	8-19	29	4
at Pittsburgh	44-41	27	3	3	28	48-160	3.3	26-38	357	3	25	24-75	3.1	25-34	415	2
San Jose St	23-3	228	8	3	19	43-147	3.4	17-28	200	4	11	30-60	2.0	9-26	59	8
at Buffalo	24-17	175	14	1	29	49-178	3.6	21-33	279	3	15	29-131	4.5	12-22	151	1
Ball St	20-45	1	5	-4	23	49-119	2.4	19-35	257	4	18	28-65	2.3	15-26	310	1
Kent St	64-31	286	12	1	32	51-341	6.7	15-22	307	0	20	34-124	3.6	19-34	238	5
at Toledo																
Bye																
Central Michigan																
Akron																
at Eastern Michigan																
at Northern Illinois																
Average	31-26	118.0	8.1	0.4	25	46-185	4.0	61.9%	252	7.4%	16	31-117	3.8	56.7%	203	12.4%
Conference	36-31	154.0	10.3	-0.7	28	50-213	4.3	61.1%	281	7.8%	18	30-107	3.5	56.1%	233	8.5%
Away	27-35	-13.0	4.0	1.3	25	43-152	3.5	62.0%	276	6.5%	21	32-180	5.6	68.5%	261	5.5%

Toledo Rockets

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
Norfolk St	49-10	169	7	2	21	39-205	5.3	13-17	236	3	14	42-147	3.5	8-18	125	1
at Notre Dame	29-32	-96	-11	2	16	31-132	4.3	19-32	221	5	27	39-132	3.4	24-36	317	6
Colorado St	6-22	-36	3	0	11	28-13	0.5	25-43	270	6	8	49-209	4.3	11-28	110	0
at Ball St	22-12	132	2	0	19	44-272	6.2	12-20	172	3	17	35-122	3.5	21-36	190	4
at UMass	45-7	321	14	4	22	43-223	5.2	20-30	232	1	8	26-23	0.9	11-25	111	1
Northern Illinois	20-22	-25	-8	1	15	22-135	6.1	16-31	236	0	23	55-242	4.4	14-24	154	1
at Central Michigan	23-26	18	7	0	20	44-142	3.2	15-32	208	7	13	35-128	3.7	21-35	204	1
Western Michigan																
Eastern Michigan																
Bye																
at Bowling Green																
at Ohio																
Akron																
Average	28-19	69.0	2.0	1.3	18	36-160	4.5	58.5%	225	12.2%	16	40-143	3.6	54.5%	173	6.9%
Conference	22-20	41.7	0.3	0.3	18	37-183	5.0	51.8%	205	12.0%	18	42-164	3.9	58.9%	183	6.3%
Home	25-18	36.0	0.7	1.0	16	30-118	4.0	59.3%	247	9.9%	15	49-199	4.1	47.1%	130	2.9%

Position by Position Edges

W Michigan		Toledo
	W Michigan QB/WR vs. Toledo DB's	1.12
	W Michigan RB's vs. Toledo LB's	0.98
0.15	W Michigan OL vs. Toledo DL	
0.90	W Michigan DL vs. Toledo OL	
0.86	W Michigan LB'S vs. Toledo RB's	
	W Michigan DB's vs. Toledo QB/WR	0.21
	W Michigan ST's vs. Toledo ST's	2.71
	W Michigan K vs. Toledo K	0.25
	W Michigan Coaches vs. Toledo Coaches	0.55
1.91	W Michigan Pts vs. Toledo Pts	5.82

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

Toledo

By 3.92 Points

Last Five Years Meetings (Last 22 years at PhilSteele.com)

	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
2020	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Western Michigan	-	-2.5	41	24	28-153	20-29-284	
Toledo	-	58	38	29	39-162	30-46-339	-1
2019	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Western Michigan	-	74	24	23	29-117	25-51-303	
Toledo	-	-1.5	31	26	53-275	14-22-200	-1
2018	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Western Michigan	-	-6.5	24	17	34-125	25-32-307	
Toledo	-	68	51	25	35-268	18-32-247	1
2017	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Western Michigan	-	61.5	10	15	31-95	13-29-180	
Toledo	-	-11	37	22	38-155	19-29-300	1
2016	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Western Michigan	14	-7.5	55	25	48-249	19-25-196	
Toledo	-	71	35	20	30-227	13-24-229	-3

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Projected Box Score

	Projected Rushing		
165 yards	W Michigan	Toledo	130 yards
	Projected Passing		
188 yards	W Michigan	Toledo	212 yards
	Projected Yardage Total		
353 yards	W Michigan	Toledo	342 yards
	Projected Final Score		
24 points	W Michigan	Toledo	26 points
	Experience Rankings		
21	W Michigan	Toledo	4
	Team Schedule Strength		
70	W Michigan	Toledo	114

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	W Michigan By 1.5
Las Vegas Total	55 Points
+/- Ratings	Toledo By 0.3
Game Grade	W Michigan By 2.0
Computer Yards	W Michigan 353-342
Computer Points	Toledo 26-24
Phil Steele	W Michigan by 4

Phil's Forecast:

Last year Toledo led 24-10 at half and got a 4 yd TD run to lead 38-28 with just 2:54 left and had a 501-316 yd edge. WM went 70/11 for TD recovered onside and on a fake spike capped a 51/4 drive with 9 yd TD pass to wide open Jaylen Hall to stun the Rockets 41-38 (-2') at home. Toledo is 8-3 SU (6-5 ATS) vs WM S/'10, only once scoring less than 30 pts. The visitor is just 1-4 SU & ATS since 2016. Last time here Broncos never led trailing 24-7 at HT and never getting closer than 7 in 2H in a 31-24 loss (+1'). Tim Lester is 3-7 ATS as an AD but did win at Pitt this year. Jason Candle is 13-15 ATS as a HF. When Western is "on" they look like the best team in the MAC with Kaleb Eleby hitting 62% with a 12-2 ratio. WMich upset a powerfull Pitt and had a 457-282 yd edge vs Buffalo. After an upset loss to Ball St Last week WM scored on their first 5 poss but 3 were FG's and they led 23-17 at half with Kent settling for 20 yd FG at :00. Kent fumble 2nd play 3Q WM score TD's first 5 poss of 2H with Kent punting 4 times, 57-23. Each team got a late TD 64-31 WM 648-362 yd edge. Coming into the year I thought Toledo had the best defense in the MAC but they are allowing 316 ypg and holding foes to 53 ypg below their season avg and WMich is allowing 319 ypg but holding foes to 61 ypg below their season avg and have taken on the tougher schedule (#69 vs #112). Toledo QB Carter Bradley struggled vs Northern Illinois and they went to rFr DeQuan Finn (PS#63). Finn hit 15-32-208 vs CMich for a QBR of just 29.7. WM is playing to an AGG of 104.8 and Toledo is at 98.7 (WM by 1.6).

Western Michigan 27 Toledo 23

UMass Minutemen

Minutemen Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	95	126			9/4	at Pittsburgh	7-51	L	128	129	84	43	21	35
0-1	1-0	0-0	0-0	93	128			9/11	Boston College	28-45	L	127	130	121	24	73	37
0-2	1-1	0-0	0-0	95	119			9/18	Eastern Michigan	28-42	L	127	130	128	113	116	101
0-3	3-0	0-0	0-0	96	128		17	9/25	at Coastal Carolina	3-53	L	117	130	119	12	97	87
0-4	2-2	0-0	1-0	93	121			10/2	Toledo	7-45	L	120	130	126	95	52	51
0-5	0-6	0-0	0-1	91	98			10/9	Connecticut	27-13	W	126	130	111	129	126	93
1-5		1-0		95				10/16	Bye			123	130	122			
1-5	2-4	1-0	2-2	95	127			10/23	at Florida St			124	129	123	43	53	64
	5-2		0-0		131			10/30	at Liberty						78	39	105
								11/6	Rhode Island								
								11/13	Maine								
	4-2		1-0		121			11/20	at Army West Point						86	48	70
	1-6		0-0		99			11/27	at New Mexico St						119	127	96

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
at Pittsburgh	7-51	-389	-24	1	11	27-42	1.6	14-31	167	5	35	41-223	5.4	34-45	375	1
Boston College	28-45	-136	-4	-1	20	30-121	4.0	14-29	214	0	24	43-250	5.8	14-18	221	0
Eastern Michigan	28-42	12	4	-1	30	34-206	6.1	23-39	313	1	26	42-184	4.4	16-24	323	1
at Coastal Carolina	3-53	-400	-17	0	13	24-28	1.2	18-30	130	3	30	45-312	6.9	15-25	246	0
Toledo	7-45	-321	-14	-4	8	26-23	0.9	11-25	111	1	22	43-223	5.2	20-30	232	1
Connecticut	27-13	116	7	3	21	56-247	4.4	11-23	160	0	14	31-163	5.3	13-24	128	2
Bye																
at Florida St																
at Liberty																
Rhode Island																
Maine																
at Army West Point																
at New Mexico St																
Average	17-42	-186.3	-8.0	-0.3	17	33-111	3.4	51.4%	183	5.6%	25	41-226	5.5	67.5%	254	3.0%
Conference	17-39	-182.5	-8.8	-0.3	15	35-108	3.1	46.3%	163	5.6%	24	40-215	5.4	69.2%	239	3.4%
Away	5-52	-394.5	-20.5	0.5	12	26-35	1.4	52.5%	149	13.1%	33	43-268	6.2	70.0%	311	1.4%

OVERALL:	OVERALL:
1-5	2-4
vs. IND	vs. ACC
1-0	2-2

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

UMass		Florida St
#112	Rush Off	#25
#104	Pass Off	#108
#122	**Total Off**	**#77**
#122	Score Off	#80
#38	Sks Allowed	#87
#125	Rush Def	#88
#101	Pass Def	#93
#123	**Total Def**	**#95**
#127	Score Def	#94
#124	Sks By	#42
#128	Ypg Diff	#93
-2	**Total TO's**	**-7**

UMass Minutemen | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **Florida St Seminoles**

Position by Position Edges

UMass		Florida St
	UMass QB/WR vs. Florida St DB's	1.65
	UMass RB's vs. Florida St LB's	2.34
	UMass OL vs. Florida St DL	0.78
	UMass DL vs. Florida St OL	3.07
	UMass LB'S vs. Florida St RB's	2.27
	UMass DB's vs. Florida St QB/WR	1.28
	UMass ST's vs. Florida St ST's	2.87
	UMass K vs. Florida St K	0.25
	UMass Coaches vs. Florida St Coaches	0.65
0.00	UMass Pts vs. Florida St Pts	15.17

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

Florida St

By 15.17 Points

Florida St Seminoles

Seminoles Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	127	137		9	9/5	Notre Dame	38-41	L	26	37	72	20	7	13
0-1		0-0		127				9/11	Jacksonville St	17-20	L	25	36	77			
0-2	2-0	0-0	0-0	122	128			9/18	at Wake Forest	14-35	L	27	35	73	60	56	4
0-3	2-1	0-1	0-0	120	128			9/25	Louisville	23-31	L	50	51	73	72	89	71
0-4	3-1	0-2	0-0	120	128			10/2	Syracuse	33-30	W	50	49	82	60	83	55
1-4	3-2	1-2	2-2	122	136			10/9	at North Carolina	35-25	W	44	54	75	12	55	99
2-4		2-2		127				10/16	Bye			43	51	68			
2-4	1-5	2-2	1-0	127	95			10/23	UMass			43	53	64	124	129	123
	4-2		3-1		135			10/30	at Clemson						66	6	90
	5-1		2-0		136			11/6	NC State						32	13	77
	2-4		0-2		128			11/13	Miami, Fl						40	27	62
	4-2		0-2		124			11/20	at Boston College						61	83	33
	4-3		2-3		133			11/27	at Florida						9	7	52

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
Notre Dame	38-41	11	2	-2	19	48-264	5.5	14-26	178	5	17	35-65	1.9	26-35	366	5
Jacksonville St	17-20	-15	1	0	22	37-202	5.5	18-34	133	0	21	39-108	2.8	17-38	242	5
at Wake Forest	14-35	-167	-11	-4	16	29-91	3.1	16-22	226	3	27	58-225	3.9	22-31	259	3
Louisville	23-31	58	2	-1	23	36-205	5.7	24-39	248	6	21	41-131	3.2	25-40	264	1
Syracuse	33-30	-11	4	-1	22	37-247	6.7	22-32	131	2	18	40-239	6.0	13-23	150	1
at North Carolina	35-25	-49	-5	1	22	41-238	5.8	11-13	145	0	27	36-229	6.4	17-32	203	1
Bye																
UMass																
at Clemson																
NC State																
Miami, Fl																
at Boston College																
at Florida																
Average	27-30	-28.8	-1.2	-1.2	21	38-208	5.5	63.3%	177	9.6%	22	42-166	4.0	60.3%	247	8.0%
Conference	26-30	-42.3	-2.5	-1.3	21	36-195	5.5	68.9%	188	10.4%	23	44-206	4.7	61.1%	219	4.8%
Home	28-31	10.8	2.3	-1.0	22	40-230	5.8	59.5%	173	9.9%	19	39-136	3.5	59.6%	256	8.8%

Last Five Years Meetings (Last 22 years at PhilSteele.com)

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Projected Box Score

	UMass	Florida St
Projected Rushing		
92 yards	UMass	Florida St 315 yards
Projected Passing		
156 yards	UMass	Florida St 217 yards
Projected Yardage Total		
248 yards	UMass	Florida St 532 yards
Projected Final Score		
15 points	UMass	Florida St 44 points
Experience Rankings		
106	UMass	Florida St 79
Team Schedule Strength		
43	UMass	Florida St 26

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Florida St By 35.5
Las Vegas Total	60 Points
+/- Ratings	Florida St By 36.3
Game Grade	Florida St By 23.9
Computer Yards	Florida St 532-248
Computer Points	Florida St 44-15
Phil Steele	Florida St by 35

Phil's Forecast:

First meeting. UMass HC Walt Bell was FSU's OC/QB coach in '18. FSU is 8-0 SU/6-2 ATS when hosting G5 opponents with their last loss coming in 2009 vs USF. UMass is facing their 3rd ACC foe this season after losing to both Pitt & BC in the first 2 weeks (1-1 ATS). FSU is on a 2-9 ATS run vs non-conference foes the last 3Y. FSU is 0-5 ATS when favored by 20+ points including an outright upset loss to Jacksonville St this year. FSU opened the year a perfect 0-4 SU and were 1-4 ATS after only beating Syracuse 33-30 at home (-5'). The season took a major swing when they went on the road at North Carolina and Jordan Travis had 14-121 rush and hit 11-13-145 and NC had 12 pen's for 110 yds. NC was a 3 TD favorite and jumped out to a 10-0 lead after 2 poss. FSU got 3 TD's on next 3 drives and led 21-10 at half with NC 14-10 FD edge. NC pulled to 21-17 but FSU went 75/5 & 83/9 for TD's 35-17 and NC was SOD at the 5 and went 58/11 for TD 2:47 left 35-17 final. The Seminoles figure to be a dog in their last 5 games so need every win they can get, and they are fresh off a bye. UMass lost at Pitt 51-7 but are 3-3 ATS this year. After starting the year 0-5 they took on winless Connecticut in a much talked about game. Ellis Merriweather had 39-171 rush. UMass went 73/12 for TD to open and UC 74/3 TD then 50/9 FG 10-7 and that was score at half. UMass 72/10 21 yd FG tie open 3Q then SOD 31 UConn miss 53 yd FG. Mass 55/6 28 yd FG 1st play 4Q then after int 6/3 TD 20-10. UConn 75/9 settle 20 yd FG 20-13 10:07. UMass 78/8 TD 27-13 4:54 and their first win under Bell. Bell is 0-6 SU and ATS on the road losing by an average of 44-5 and they are -328 ypg! FSU needs to gain confidence and gets a big win at home.

Florida St 45 UMass 10

Texas St Bobcats

Bobcats Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	FOE OFF	FOE DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	112	129			9/4	Baylor	20-29	L	100	114	79	94	38	70
0-1	1-0	0-0	0-0	113	108			9/11	at FIU	23-17	W	107	119	99	108	98	11
1-1		0-0		113				9/18	Incarnate Word	34-42	L	110	118	87			
1-2	2-1	0-0	0-0	108	118			9/25	at Eastern Michigan	21-59	L	114	108	62	112	116	100
1-3		0-0		104				10/2	Bye			118	114	69			
1-3	3-1	0-0	0-1	104	108			10/9	South Alabama	33-31	W	119	111	71	107	68	93
2-3	3-3	1-0	1-1	105	118			10/16	Troy	28-31	L	114	110	99	110	53	112
2-4	2-4	1-1	1-1	106	116			10/23	at Georgia St			111	111	75	90	117	116
	5-1		3-0		133			10/30	at Louisiana						57	89	25
	3-3		1-2		97			11/6	ULM						130	126	118
	2-5		1-3		110			11/13	GA Southern						107	115	41
	6-0		2-0		134			11/20	at Coastal Carolina						2	61	14
	1-5		0-2		105			11/27	at Arkansas St						106	130	32

	OVERALL:	OVERALL:
	2-4	2-4
	vs. SUN	vs. SUN
	1-1	1-1

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

Texas St		Georgia St
#83	Rush Off	#23
#91	Pass Off	#116
#100	**Total Off**	**#85**
#82	Score Off	#97
#101	Sks Allowed	#55
#92	Rush Def	#90
#82	Pass Def	#96
#90	**Total Def**	**#98**
#113	Score Def	#118
#122	Sks By	#101
#107	Ypg Diff	#105
-3	**Total TO's**	**-3**

Georgia St Panthers

Panthers Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	FOE OFF	FOE DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	122	120			9/4	Army West Point	10-43	L	59	101	114	109	82	55
0-1	0-1	0-0	0-1	117	132		24	9/11	at North Carolina	17-59	L	78	105	114	13	38	98
0-2	2-0	0-0	0-0	113	108			9/18	Charlotte	20-9	W	98	107	103	105	119	98
1-2	2-1	0-0	0-0	113	136		23	9/25	at Auburn	24-34	L	111	121	112	3	34	21
1-3	3-1	0-0	0-0	116	127			10/2	Appalachian St	16-45	L	108	112	121	32	47	9
1-4	2-2	0-1	1-1	112	96			10/9	at ULM	55-21	W	109	119	119	130	125	121
2-4		1-1		116				10/16	Bye			91	118	117			
2-4	2-4	1-1	1-1	116	106			10/23	Texas St			90	117	116	111	111	75
	2-5		1-3		110			10/30	at GA Southern						107	115	41
	5-1		3-0		133			11/6	at Louisiana						57	89	25
	6-0		2-0		134			11/13	at Coastal Carolina						2	61	14
	1-5		0-2		105			11/20	Arkansas St						106	130	32
	4-3		2-1		117			11/27	Troy						101	54	121

Texas St Bobcats

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
Baylor	20-29	-151	-2	-2	20	27-79	2.9	20-40	156	1	22	45-238	5.3	15-24	148	0
at FIU	23-17	-64	0	3	21	44-171	3.9	18-31	165	4	21	38-141	3.7	17-34	259	1
Incarnate Word	34-42	5	-1	1	26	44-182	4.1	25-41	278	2	27	23-79	3.4	31-47	376	1
at Eastern Michigan	21-59	-200	-15	-1	18	37-112	3.0	16-25	187	4	33	44-242	5.5	22-35	257	2
Bye																
South Alabama	33-31	70	3	0	23	48-212	4.4	18-28	187	3	20	44-140	3.2	19-26	189	1
Troy	28-31	-17	-2	-4	21	39-91	2.3	22-32	279	4	23	40-205	5.1	22-29	182	1
at Georgia St																
at Louisiana																
ULM																
GA Southern																
at Coastal Carolina																
at Arkansas St																
Average	27-35	-59.5	-2.8	-0.5	22	40-141	3.5	60.4%	209	9.1%	24	39-174	4.5	64.6%	235	3.1%
Conference	31-31	26.5	0.5	-2.0	22	44-152	3.5	66.7%	233	11.7%	22	42-173	4.1	74.5%	186	3.6%
Away	22-38	-132.0	-7.5	1.0	20	41-142	3.5	60.7%	176	14.3%	27	41-192	4.7	56.5%	258	4.3%

TEAM AVERAGES

Georgia St Panthers

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
Army West Point	10-43	-179	-6	-2	14	28-48	1.7	12-20	129	3	20	67-258	3.9	3-4	98	0
at North Carolina	17-59	-336	-12	0	16	45-181	4.0	14-30	90	1	28	40-201	5.0	23-31	406	2
Charlotte	20-9	161	3	-1	20	49-298	6.1	6-12	139	1	17	39-118	3.0	13-28	158	2
at Auburn	24-34	-35	-1	0	20	47-267	5.7	12-24	117	3	21	35-166	4.7	22-43	253	2
Appalachian St	16-45	-122	-2	-2	21	40-134	3.4	20-37	246	4	23	40-163	4.1	23-32	339	1
at ULM	55-21	213	18	2	39	58-326	5.6	20-29	246	0	21	37-122	3.3	20-32	237	3
Bye																
Texas St																
at GA Southern																
at Louisiana																
at Coastal Carolina																
Arkansas St																
Troy																
Average	24-35	-49.7	0.0	-0.5	22	45-209	4.7	55.3%	161	7.9%	22	43-171	4.0	61.2%	249	5.9%
Conference	36-33	45.5	8.0	0.0	30	49-230	4.7	60.6%	246	6.1%	22	39-143	3.7	67.2%	288	6.3%
Home	15-32	-46.7	-1.7	-1.7	18	39-160	4.1	55.1%	171	11.6%	20	49-180	3.7	60.9%	198	4.7%

Position by Position Edges

Texas St		Georgia St
0.94	Texas St QB/WR vs. Georgia St DB's	
	Texas St RB's vs. Georgia St LB's	0.23
0.18	Texas St OL vs. Georgia St DL	
	Texas St DL vs. Georgia St OL	1.46
	Texas St LB'S vs. Georgia St RB's	1.08
0.54	Texas St DB's vs. Georgia St QB/WR	
1.81	Texas St ST's vs. Georgia St ST's	
	Texas St K vs. Georgia St K	1.50
	Texas St Coaches vs. Georgia St Coaches	1.70
3.47	Texas St Pts vs. Georgia St Pts	5.97

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

Georgia St

By 2.49 Points

Last Five Years Meetings (Last 22 years at PhilSteele.com)

2019	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
Texas St	-	-3	37	20	50-221	16-25-129	
Georgia St	-	63	34	27	53-204	24-40-219	-3
2018	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Texas St	-	51.5	40	19	36-164	21-26-325	
Georgia St	-	-6.5	31	25	43-221	21-40-224	-2
2017	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Texas St	-	48.5	30	23	25-75	35-55-315	
Georgia St	-	-6.5	33	21	41-162	26-40-368	-1
2016	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Texas St	-	61.5	21	27	41-120	27-47-300	
Georgia St	-	-10	41	23	37-196	27-40-340	0

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Projected Box Score

Projected Rushing			
95 yards	Texas St	Georgia St	283 yards
Projected Passing			
233 yards	Texas St	Georgia St	174 yards
Projected Yardage Total			
328 yards	Texas St	Georgia St	457 yards
Projected Final Score			
28 points	Texas St	Georgia St	37 points
Experience Rankings			
34	Texas St	Georgia St	16
Team Schedule Strength			
116	Texas St	Georgia St	42

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Georgia St By 10.5
Las Vegas Total	60.5 Points
+/- Ratings	Georgia St By 12.5
Game Grade	Georgia St By 10.6
Computer Yards	Georgia St 457-328
Computer Points	Georgia St 37-28
Phil Steele	Georgia St by 3

Phil's Forecast:

These teams have met 7 previous times and GSt trails the series 4-3. Their last 3 meetings have been decided by 9 pts or less including their last mtg ('19) when GSt kicked a FG to send the game to OT. Texas St won 37-34 in 3OT. Georgia St is 3-6 ATS the L5Y off a bye and the road team is 4-2-1 ATS in the series. Also 5 of the past 6 games have gone 'Over' the total. Georgia St lost their first two badly including a 43-10 home loss to Army and were -2'. They beat Charlotte at home by 9 and they led Auburn 24-19 with :50 left but gave up a 4&7 TD pass and IR TD to lose by 10. After getting rolled by App St, I used them on my Phil Steele Plus Tour and ULM went 97/6 for a TD on their 2nd poss to lead 7-0 but Georgia St led 28-7 at half and scored TD's on first 4 poss of 2H to lead 55-14 with ULM going 70/12 for TD with 4:34 left. Furman transfer Darren Grainger took over at QB for Cornelius Brown (52%, 0-4) and has hit 59% with a 9-3 ratio. Texas St only lost to Baylor by 9 and beat FIU but then were without 20+ players due to Covid and injuries vs both Incarnate Word and Eastern Michigan. After a bye they upset South Alabama and last week they led Troy 28-24 after 3Q but gave up an KR TD and lost. Georgia St has taken on the tougher schedule (#43 vs #118). Taking away those two player depleted games Texas St is playing to an AGG of 87.7 and Georgia St is at 88.0 which has the two teams even. When not playing ULM, Georgia St is avg just 17.4 ppg and laying over 10 pts. Since their bye the Bobcats have hidden line value on their side and are a sneaky 2-0 ATS with almost two outright upsets and I like them again this week.

Georgia St 31 Texas St 28

Ohio St Buckeyes

Buckeyes Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	145	134	4		9/2	at Minnesota	45-31	W	4	15	50	27	98	61
1-0	1-0	1-0	0-0	146	134	3	12	9/11	Oregon	28-35	L	2	15	49	18	17	20
1-1	0-2	1-0	0-0	141	124	9		9/18	Tulsa	41-20	W	1	25	54	57	52	124
2-1	1-2	1-0	0-0	141	95	10		9/25	Akron	59-7	W	1	28	35	121	128	114
3-1	3-1	1-0	0-1	141	134	11		10/2	at Rutgers	52-13	W	1	20	37	98	23	6
4-1	4-1	2-0	1-1	145	123	7		10/9	Maryland	66-17	W	1	15	37	22	23	49
5-1		3-0		149		6		10/16	Bye			1	11	29			
5-1	2-4	3-0	0-3	149	130	5		10/23	at Indiana			1	11	31	95	23	48
	5-1		2-1		145			10/30	Penn St						45	4	18
	3-5		1-4		133			11/6	at Nebraska						19	32	124
	4-2		2-1		131			11/13	Purdue						62	21	106
	7-0		4-0		136			11/20	Michigan St						22	34	51
	6-0		3-0		143			11/27	at Michigan						8	14	3

	Score	Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
at Minnesota	45-31	87	-7	1	17	26-201	7.7	13-22	294	0	24	50-203	4.1	14-25	205	2
Oregon	28-35	107	5	-1	32	31-128	4.1	35-54	484	2	27	38-269	7.1	17-35	236	0
Tulsa	41-20	7	-1	0	24	41-323	7.9	15-25	185	2	25	28-73	2.6	31-54	428	2
Akron	59-7	393	9	1	26	35-237	6.8	18-26	385	2	17	40-76	1.9	18-34	153	9
at Rutgers	52-13	194	7	3	25	37-208	5.6	18-27	333	1	18	31-112	3.6	28-40	235	2
Maryland	66-17	263	7	2	29	33-166	5.0	26-38	432	1	22	36-56	1.6	28-39	279	5
Bye																
at Indiana																
Penn St																
at Nebraska																
Purdue																
Michigan St																
at Michigan																
Average	49-21	175.2	3.3	1.0	26	34-211	6.2	65.1%	352	4.2%	22	37-132	3.5	59.9%	256	8.8%
Conference	54-20	181.3	2.3	2.0	24	32-192	6.0	65.5%	353	2.3%	21	39-124	3.2	67.3%	240	8.7%
Away	49-22	140.5	0.0	2.0	21	32-205	6.5	63.3%	314	2.0%	21	41-158	3.9	64.6%	220	6.2%

OVERALL:	OVERALL:
5-1	2-4
vs. BIG 10	vs. BIG 10
3-0	0-3

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

Ohio St		Indiana
#22	Rush Off	#96
#9	Pass Off	#86
#1	**Total Off**	**#107**
#2	Score Off	#106
#21	Sks Allowed	#55
#46	Rush Def	#36
#102	Pass Def	#49
#75	**Total Def**	**#36**
#38	Score Def	#75
#15	Sks By	#115
#6	Ypg Diff	#77
+6	**Total TO's**	**-4**

Ohio St Buckeyes | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **Indiana Hoosiers**

Position by Position Edges

Ohio St		Indiana
0.09	Ohio St QB/WR vs. Indiana DB's	
1.22	Ohio St RB's vs. Indiana LB's	
2.41	Ohio St OL vs. Indiana DL	
2.03	Ohio St DL vs. Indiana OL	
1.69	Ohio St LB'S vs. Indiana RB's	
1.50	Ohio St DB's vs. Indiana QB/WR	
0.70	Ohio St ST's vs. Indiana ST's	
0.75	Ohio St K vs. Indiana K	
0.25	Ohio St Coaches vs. Indiana Coaches	
10.64	Ohio St Pts vs. Indiana Pts	0.00

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

Ohio St

By 10.64 Points

Indiana Hoosiers

Hoosiers Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	141	143	17	18	9/4	at Iowa	6-34	L	30	8	58	64	22	4
0-1		0-1		137				9/11	Idaho	56-14	W	42	7	62			
1-1	2-0	0-1	0-0	137	139		8	9/18	Cincinnati	24-38	L	68	11	13	32	6	107
1-2	1-1	0-1	0-0	133	117			9/25	at WKU	33-31	W	83	24	33	71	96	50
2-2	4-0	0-1	1-0	131	143		4	10/2	at Penn St	0-24	L	82	37	28	29	9	20
2-3		0-2		130				10/9	Bye			93	41	40			
2-3	6-0	0-2	3-0	130	136		10	10/16	Michigan St	15-20	L	92	36	38	17	49	77
2-4	5-1	0-3	3-0	130	149		5	10/23	Ohio St			95	23	48	1	11	31
	4-2		1-2		119			10/30	at Maryland						31	36	71
	6-0		3-0		143			11/6	at Michigan						8	14	3
	3-4		0-4		122			11/13	Rutgers						100	56	5
	4-2		2-1		133			11/20	Minnesota						76	18	68
	4-2		2-1		131			11/27	at Purdue						62	21	106

	Score	Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
at Iowa	6-34	-70	-7	-1	11	31-77	2.5	14-33	156	1	18	36-158	4.4	13-28	145	2
Idaho	56-14	77	7	1	20	50-179	3.6	13-20	159	2	13	22-65	3.0	23-39	196	2
Cincinnati	24-38	48	0	-2	20	37-152	4.1	17-40	224	1	20	36-118	3.3	20-36	210	1
at WKU	33-31	49	11	0	35	39-134	3.4	35-53	373	3	24	20-93	4.7	31-44	365	1
at Penn St	0-24	-144	-8	-1	12	24-69	2.9	16-34	195	2	20	42-209	5.0	18-34	199	0
Bye																
Michigan St	15-20	81	10	-1	23	36-134	3.7	28-52	188	3	13	35-100	2.9	15-27	141	2
Ohio St																
at Maryland																
at Michigan																
Rutgers																
Minnesota																
at Purdue																
Average	22-27	6.8	2.2	-0.7	20	36-124	3.4	53.0%	216	5.2%	18	32-124	3.9	57.7%	209	3.8%
Conference	7-26	-44.3	-1.7	-1.0	15	30-93	3.1	48.7%	180	5.0%	17	38-156	4.1	51.7%	162	4.5%
Home	32-24	68.7	5.7	-0.7	21	41-155	3.8	51.8%	190	5.4%	15	31-94	3.0	56.9%	182	4.9%

Last Five Years Meetings (Last 22 years at PhilSteele.com)

2020	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
Ohio St	3	-20.5	42	27	50-307	18-30-300	
Indiana	9	66.5	35	19	16--1	27-51-491	-1
2019	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Ohio St	6	-17.5	51	30	42-306	17-29-214	
Indiana	-	59.5	10	15	31-42	21-36-215	0
2018	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Ohio St	3	-26.5	49	33	48-154	33-44-455	
Indiana	-	64.5	26	22	21-84	26-49-322	1
2017	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Ohio St	2	-20.5	49	26	51-292	20-35-304	
Indiana	-	56.5	21	25	27-17	42-68-420	-3
2016	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Ohio St	2	-28	38	18	50-290	9-21-93	
Indiana	-	59.5	17	14	40-99	14-28-182	0

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Projected Box Score

Projected Rushing			
187 yards	Ohio St	Indiana	105 yards
Projected Passing			
285 yards	Ohio St	Indiana	244 yards
Projected Yardage Total			
473 yards	Ohio St	Indiana	349 yards
Projected Final Score			
41 points	Ohio St	Indiana	20 points
Experience Rankings			
129	Ohio St	Indiana	40
Team Schedule Strength			
47	Ohio St	Indiana	18

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Ohio St By 21
Las Vegas Total	60.5 Points
+/- Ratings	Ohio St By 17.0
Game Grade	Ohio St By 15.1
Computer Yards	Ohio St 473-349
Computer Points	Ohio St 41-20
Phil Steele	Ohio St by 28

Phil's Forecast:

Last year Indiana fell behind 35-7 (outrushed 307 to -1 for the gm!) before mounting a huge 2H comeback behind career outings by QB Penix (491 yds & 5 td's) & WR Fryfogle (7 rec, 218 yds, 3 td's) in a 42-35 loss (+20'). OSU has won 26 straight vs IU including the last 12 in Bloomington (last loss in '88) and they are 7-2 ATS the last 9 trips with the average win by 22.4 ppg. Last time here ('19), the Buckeyes outgained the Hoosiers 528-257 (30-15 FD) in a 51-10 (-17') win (largest MOV vs Indy S/'06). Ohio St is fresh off a bye and will have a good amount of fans on hand. Ohio State's season got off to a poor start at 0-3 ATS including a home upset vs Oregon. They only led Tulsa by 7 with 5:00 left but won by 21 and since have reeled off a perfect 3-0 SU and 3-0 ATS. In their last game I used a Best Bet on Ohio St -21 vs MD and they scored on 1st 9 poss before finally being SOD with the bkps in. Up 59-17 OSU added 70 yd IR TD 2:58 left. Indiana had an even worse start to their season going 2-3 SU but did play better than the scores would indicate (lost by 22 ppg) in losses to 3 Top 10 teams in Iowa, Cincy and Penn St. Last week Mich St punted on first 6 poss and Indiana had 12-2 FD edge at half and 217-57 yd edge but gave up a 30 yd IR TD and only led 9-7 settling for 3 FG's including 70/13 and 71/12 drives. Mich St got a 51 yd FG then after an int went 39/5 for TD 17-9. Indy 75/11 TD but 2 pt NG. MSt got best drive of game 60/13 for FG 20-15. Indy punt, fmbl own 28 and SOD own 26 last 3 drives. Ohio St does have a big game vs Penn St on deck. CJ Stroud is hitting 66% with an 18-3 ratio and true frosh TreVeyon Henderson is living up to his PS#1 billing with 612 (8.7) plus OSU has the best WR corps in the country. The much-maligned defense has held their last 3 foes to 94 ypg below their season averages. Indy is holding foes to 98 ypg below their season average but the offense is averaging just 11.2 ppg vs Top Ten foes (have faced 4 already!) and they face another one here! As I mentioned when I used Ohio St vs Maryland the "buy sign" has come on for them and their offense can score on any defense.

Best Bet: ★ Ohio St 45 Indiana 17

Buffalo Bulls

Bulls Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	FOE DEF	FOE ST
0-0		0-0		115				9/4	Wagner	69-7	W	116	104	112			
1-0	1-1	0-0	0-1	118	127			9/11	at Nebraska	3-28	L	111	101	4	38	42	122
1-1	2-0	0-0	0-0	116	129		16	9/18	Coastal Carolina	25-28	L	108	103	36	9	70	61
1-2	1-2	0-0	0-0	117	102			9/25	at Old Dominion	35-34	W	90	112	78	120	105	68
2-2	3-1	0-0	0-0	115	123			10/2	Western Michigan	17-24	L	94	108	100	86	80	122
2-3	2-3	0-1	1-0	115	117			10/9	at Kent St	38-48	L	101	106	105	75	103	123
2-4	1-5	0-2	1-1	114	108			10/16	Ohio	27-26	W	88	115	101	95	121	83
3-4	2-5	1-2	1-2	113	100			10/23	at Akron			93	78	98	120	125	130
	2-5		0-3		99			10/30	Bowling Green						126	90	12
	3-4		2-1		116			11/9	at Miami, OH						92	102	88
								11/13	Bye								
	5-2		3-0		117			11/17	Northern Illinois						89	110	87
	4-3		2-1		125			11/23	at Ball St						113	92	22

	OVERALL:	OVERALL:
	3-4	2-5
	vs. MAC	vs. MAC
	1-2	1-2

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

Buffalo		Akron
#35	Rush Off	#104
#90	Pass Off	#71
#60	**Total Off**	**#103**
#52	Score Off	#111
#5	Sks Allowed	#129
#103	Rush Def	#121
#69	Pass Def	#67
#96	**Total Def**	**#107**
#79	Score Def	#124
#36	Sks By	#84
#86	Ypg Diff	#115
-1	**Total TO's**	**+1**

Akron Zips

Zips Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	FOE DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	99	132			9/4	at Auburn	10-60	L	124	125	123	22	18	25
0-1	0-1	0-0	0-0	96	108			9/11	Temple	24-45	L	128	125	64	110	111	122
0-2		0-0		94				9/18	Bryant	35-14	W	128	128	62			
1-2	2-1	0-0	1-0	95	141		10	9/25	at Ohio St	7-59	L	121	128	114	1	28	35
1-3	0-4	0-0	0-0	95	107			10/2	Ohio	17-34	L	123	129	129	106	125	84
1-4	2-3	0-1	0-1	94	101			10/9	at Bowling Green	35-20	W	125	127	129	127	78	18
2-4	2-4	1-1	1-1	99	117			10/16	at Miami, OH	21-34	L	122	124	130	100	102	69
2-5	3-4	1-2	1-2	100	113			10/23	Buffalo			120	125	130	93	78	98
	4-3		2-1		125			11/2	Ball St						113	92	22
	5-2		2-1		122			11/9	at Western Michigan						60	76	119
								11/13	Bye								
	3-4		2-1		114			11/20	Kent St						56	112	122
	3-4		1-2		118			11/27	at Toledo						91	42	53

Buffalo Bulls

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
Wagner	69-7	472	23	-1	30	56-312	5.6	16-22	257	0	7	35-18	0.5	7-15	79	5
at Nebraska	3-28	-157	0	0	19	33-135	4.1	27-50	224	0	19	41-220	5.4	14-20	296	0
Coastal Carolina	25-28	-36	-1	1	20	47-262	5.6	13-21	146	0	21	42-212	5.0	13-19	232	3
at Old Dominion	35-34	-136	-10	2	17	38-106	2.8	17-26	191	0	27	45-209	4.6	24-41	224	4
Western Michigan	17-24	-175	-14	-1	15	29-131	4.5	12-22	151	1	29	49-178	3.6	21-33	279	3
at Kent St	38-48	-84	3	-2	36	54-312	5.8	24-45	237	2	33	45-226	5.0	22-36	407	1
Ohio	27-26	27	9	0	25	40-112	2.8	22-30	261	1	16	43-271	6.3	6-101	75	1
at Akron																
Bowling Green																
at Miami, OH																
Bye																
Northern Illinois																
at Ball St																
Average	31-28	-12.7	1.4	-0.1	23	42-196	4.6	60.6%	210	1.9%	22	43-191	4.4	40.4%	227	6.4%
Conference	27-33	-77.3	-0.7	-1.0	25	41-185	4.5	59.8%	216	4.1%	26	46-225	4.9	28.8%	254	2.9%
Away	25-37	-125.7	-2.3	0.0	24	42-184	4.4	56.2%	217	1.7%	26	44-218	5.0	61.9%	309	5.2%

Buffalo Bulls | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **Akron Zips**

Akron Zips

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
at Auburn	10-60	-425	-16	0	12	36--3	-0.1	22-27	191	6	28	32-316	9.9	22-27	297	0
Temple	24-45	-60	7	-2	26	43-171	4.0	19-34	191	3	19	34-177	5.2	19-23	245	0
Bryant	35-14	432	10	0	24	37-282	7.6	19-23	296	2	14	31-29	0.9	17-25	117	3
at Ohio St	7-59	-393	-9	-1	17	40-76	1.9	18-34	153	9	26	35-237	6.8	18-26	385	2
Ohio	17-34	-131	-6	1	19	38-112	2.9	18-25	215	7	25	47-398	8.5	8-15	60	2
at Bowling Green	35-20	21	0	3	18	39-117	3.0	20-25	268	4	18	34-107	3.1	21-35	257	4
at Miami, OH	21-34	-118	-1	0	21	24-65	2.7	25-39	291	3	22	39-245	6.3	19-25	229	1
Buffalo																
Ball St																
at Western Michigan																
Bye																
Kent St																
at Toledo																
Average	21-38	-96.3	-2.1	0.1	20	37-117	3.2	68.1%	229	16.4%	22	36-216	6.0	70.5%	227	6.8%
Conference	24-29	-76.0	-2.3	1.3	19	34-98	2.9	70.8%	258	15.7%	22	40-250	6.3	64.0%	182	9.3%
Home	25-31	80.3	3.7	-0.3	23	39-188	4.8	68.3%	234	14.6%	19	37-201	5.4	69.8%	141	7.9%

Position by Position Edges

Buffalo		Akron
0.67	Buffalo QB/WR vs. Akron DB's	
0.90	Buffalo RB's vs. Akron LB's	
1.92	Buffalo OL vs. Akron DL	
1.23	Buffalo DL vs. Akron OL	
2.06	Buffalo LB'S vs. Akron RB's	
0.73	Buffalo DB's vs. Akron QB/WR	
4.02	Buffalo ST's vs. Akron ST's	
1.90	Buffalo K vs. Akron K	
	Buffalo Coaches vs. Akron Coaches	0.95
13.43	Buffalo Pts vs. Akron Pts	0.95

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

Buffalo

By 12.48 Points

Last Five Years Meetings (Last 22 years at PhilSteele.com)

2020	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
Buffalo	24	-33	56	21	50-428	6-10-79	
Akron	-	58.5	7	10	30-92	12-27-112	0
2019	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Buffalo	-	-17.5	21	16	42-189	14-23-65	
Akron	-	47.5	0	11	21-3	22-39-193	-3
2018	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Buffalo	-	-11	24	20	46-223	16-30-212	
Akron	-	53.5	6	13	32-120	12-29-115	0
2017	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Buffalo	-	50.5	20	28	34-141	34-50-313	
Akron	-	-1	21	18	25-76	21-29-286	0
2016	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Buffalo	-	57	41	19	42-378	7-21-140	
Akron	-	-17.5	20	18	42-128	18-42-178	0

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Projected Box Score

Projected Rushing			
232 yards	Buffalo	Akron	128 yards
Projected Passing			
197 yards	Buffalo	Akron	256 yards
Projected Yardage Total			
429 yards	Buffalo	Akron	384 yards
Projected Final Score			
37 points	Buffalo	Akron	25 points
Experience Rankings			
114	Buffalo	Akron	57
Team Schedule Strength			
112	Buffalo	Akron	100

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Buffalo By 11
Las Vegas Total	57 Points
+/- Ratings	Buffalo By 10.5
Game Grade	Buffalo By 9.1
Computer Yards	Buffalo 429-384
Computer Points	Buffalo 37-25
Phil Steele	Buffalo by 4

Phil's Forecast:

Zips lead the all-time series 11-9 but have lost 9 of the last 12 including 3 straight being outscored a combined 101-13 in those 3 games. Last year UA was +33 vs UB (largest dog s/'13, +34 vs Ohio St). Buffalo had MAC title game clinched and entered AP poll for the first time ever, but Jared Patterson became 12th player in history to reach 1,000 yards in 5 games despite not playing 2H. Buffalo led 35-0 at half and Patterson had 105 yds and Marks (wore #41) had 182 rush yds and won 56-7. Last time here UB's offense was held to just 7 pts as the defense outscored them with 2 strip sack FR TD's in a 24-6 road win (-11). Buffalo opened 2-4 SU but the losses were to Nebraska, Coastal Car, WMich and Kent St. Last week they were home vs Ohio and tough loss for Ohio which led 21-0 after 1Q including a 99 yd run by QB Rogers and led 21-10 H and 26-10 after 3Q never trailed until Buffalo got a FG at :00 after missing a FG but Ohio was offsides on previous play. Ohio led 26-18 but fumbled at own 35 and Buff got a TD mid 4Q off that. Akron also opened 2-4 losing to that same Ohio team but did notch a MAC win when they upset (+14) Bowling Green at home 35-20. Last week Miami first two drives 64/10 & 77/5 TD's. Akron 38/3 (after fum) TD 14-7. Miamin 75/9 TD 21-7 H with 275-138 yd edge. Miami first 3 2H drives TD, TD, FG 34-7 12:20 left. Akron 80/11 TD 9:34, punt then 50/1 50 yd TD pass :31 left 34-21 back door cover (was a push prior +20). Buffalo QB Kyle Vantrease is hitting just 59% with a 5-4 ratio. Akron lost QB Irons and Nelson to injury, but Zach Gibson has thrown for 506 yards hitting 73% with a 6-0 ratio playing the last two games (both covers). Look for Anthony Williams (PS#57) and Blake Hester to do some damage on the ground vs a Bulls defense that is allowing 225 ypg rugh (4.9) in MAC play. Buffalo has covered just once all year in an FBS game.

Buffalo 31 Akron 27

Illinois Fighting Illini

Fighting Illini Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	FOE OFF	FOE DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	124	130			8/28	† Nebraska	30-22	W	66	94	49	65	54	99			
1-0	0-0	1-0	0-0	127	124			9/4	UTSA	30-37	L	75	95	44	70	59	34			
1-1	1-0	1-0	0-0	124	133			9/11	at Virginia	14-42	L	86	96	64	84	80	22			
1-2	2-0	1-0	0-0	121	124			9/18	Maryland	17-20	L	89	92	57	29	44	37			
1-3	2-1	1-1	0-0	120	129			9/25	at Purdue	9-13	L	96	73	57	49	39	74			
1-4	3-1	1-2	1-0	121	111			10/2	Charlotte	24-14	W	85	70	53	57	118	97			
2-4	1-3	1-2	0-2	121	132			10/9	Wisconsin	0-24	L	93	76	63	68	12	96			
2-5		1-3		118				10/16	Bye			96	77	69						
2-5	5-1	1-3	2-1	118	145		7	10/23	at Penn St			0	0	0	45	4	18			
	3-4		0-4		122			10/30	Rutgers						100	56	5			
	4-2		2-1		133			11/6	at Minnesota						76	18	68			
								11/13	Bye											
	6-1		3-1		143			11/20	at Iowa						104	2	7			
	3-3		1-2		123			11/27	Northwestern						58	94	102			

	OVERALL:	OVERALL:
	2-5	5-1
	vs. BIG 10	vs. BIG 10
	1-3	2-1

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

Illinois		Penn St
#75	Rush Off	#91
#121	Pass Off	#35
#116	**Total Off**	**#67**
#119	Score Off	#68
#78	Sks Allowed	#27
#86	Rush Def	#24
#107	Pass Def	#30
#100	**Total Def**	**#21**
#64	Score Def	#4
#51	Sks By	#94
#119	Ypg Diff	#34
+6	**Total TO's**	**+3**

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
† Nebraska	30-22	-66	-1	0	18	48-167	3.5	15-19	159	3	19	39-160	4.1	16-32	232	5
UTSA	30-37	-85	-2	0	24	35-146	4.2	22-43	266	0	26	50-217	4.3	20-32	280	1
at Virginia	14-42	-219	-11	0	20	27-116	4.3	24-45	221	3	31	33-133	4.0	28-40	423	0
Maryland	17-20	-146	-5	1	19	45-150	3.3	10-26	185	6	24	27-131	4.9	32-43	350	3
at Purdue	9-13	-40	0	2	17	42-175	4.2	14-27	100	2	17	26-38	1.5	24-40	277	3
Charlotte	24-14	151	5	1	22	50-336	6.7	10-19	78	0	17	27-72	2.7	17-23	191	3
Wisconsin	0-24	-398	-21	2	9	13-26	2.0	11-34	67	1	30	61-391	6.4	10-19	100	0
Bye																
at Penn St																
Rutgers																
at Minnesota																
Bye																
at Iowa																
Northwestern																
Average	18-25	-114.7	-5.0	0.9	18	37-159	4.3	49.8%	154	7.0%	23	38-163	4.3	64.2%	265	6.6%
Conference	14-20	-162.5	-6.8	1.3	16	37-130	3.5	47.2%	128	11.3%	23	38-180	4.7	61.2%	240	8.2%
Away	18-26	-108.3	-4.0	0.7	18	39-153	3.9	58.2%	160	8.8%	22	33-110	3.4	60.7%	311	7.1%

Penn St Nittany Lions

Nittany Lions Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	FOE OFF	FOE DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	142	142	19	12	9/4	at Wisconsin	16-10	W	18	12	9	23	16	83			
1-0	1-0	1-0	0-0	144	126	11		9/11	Ball St	44-13	W	22	11	25	90	94	52			
2-0	2-0	1-0	0-0	146	135	10	22	9/18	Auburn	28-20	W	34	8	24	6	21	27			
3-0		1-0		145		6		9/25	Villanova	38-17	W	33	10	20						
4-0	2-2	1-0	0-1	143	131	4		10/2	Indiana	24-0	W	29	9	20	82	37	28			
5-0	5-0	2-0	2-0	145	148	4	3	10/9	at Iowa	20-23	L	26	3	16	102	2	3			
5-1		2-1		145		7		10/16	Bye			33	3	19						
5-1	2-5	2-1	1-3	145	118	7		10/23	Illinois			45	4	18	96	77	69			
	5-1		3-0		149			10/30	at Ohio St						1	11	31			
	4-2		1-2		119			11/6	at Maryland						31	36	71			
	6-0		3-0		143			11/13	Michigan						8	14	3			
	3-4		0-4		122			11/20	Rutgers						100	56	5			
	7-0		4-0		136			11/27	at Michigan St						22	34	51			

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
at Wisconsin	16-10	-62	-18	3	11	18-50	2.8	18-33	247	2	29	58-174	3.0	22-37	185	2
Ball St	44-13	198	12	2	32	48-240	5.0	22-31	253	3	20	26-69	2.7	30-45	226	1
Auburn	28-20	29	-2	0	22	33-94	2.8	29-33	302	0	24	40-182	4.6	21-39	185	0
Villanova	38-17	229	5	0	20	34-80	2.4	22-31	429	3	15	26-58	2.2	20-34	222	3
Indiana	24-0	144	8	1	20	42-209	5.0	18-34	199	0	12	24-69	2.9	16-34	195	2
at Iowa	20-23	-18	0	-3	18	33-107	3.2	22-46	180	1	18	45-110	2.4	17-31	195	3
Bye																
Illinois																
at Ohio St																
at Maryland																
Michigan																
Rutgers																
at Michigan St																
Average	28-14	86.7	0.8	0.5	21	35-130	3.8	63.0%	268	4.3%	20	37-110	3.0	57.3%	201	5.0%
Conference	20-11	21.3	-3.3	0.3	16	31-122	3.9	51.3%	209	2.7%	20	42-118	2.8	53.9%	192	6.9%
Home	34-13	150.0	5.8	0.8	24	39-156	4.0	70.5%	296	4.7%	18	29-95	3.3	57.2%	207	3.9%

Illinois Fighting Illini | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **Penn St Nittany Lions**

Position by Position Edges

Illinois		Penn St
	Illinois QB/WR vs. Penn St DB's	3.17
	Illinois RB's vs. Penn St LB's	2.54
	Illinois OL vs. Penn St DL	0.23
0.20	Illinois DL vs. Penn St OL	
0.83	Illinois LB'S vs. Penn St RB's	
	Illinois DB's vs. Penn St QB/WR	1.05
	Illinois ST's vs. Penn St ST's	2.23
	Illinois K vs. Penn St K	1.00
	Illinois Coaches vs. Penn St Coaches	1.70
1.03	Illinois Pts vs. Penn St Pts	11.93

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

Penn St

By 10.89 Points

Last Five Years Meetings (Last 22 years at PhilSteele.com)

2020	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
Illinois	-	53	21	12	38-153	8-22-120	
Penn St	-	-15	56	28	53-253	19-27-327	1

2019	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
Illinois	-	60.5	24	26	45-245	18-31-166	
Penn St	10	-28	63	31	51-387	13-20-204	0

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Projected Box Score

Projected Rushing			
118 yards	Illinois	Penn St	190 yards
Projected Passing			
102 yards	Illinois	Penn St	295 yards
Projected Yardage Total			
220 yards	Illinois	Penn St	484 yards
Projected Final Score			
3 points	Illinois	Penn St	32 points
Experience Rankings			
15	Illinois	Penn St	99
Team Schedule Strength			
11	Illinois	Penn St	16

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Penn St By 63.5
Las Vegas Total	46.5 Points
+/- Ratings	Penn St By 32.5
Game Grade	Penn St By 23.9
Computer Yards	Penn St 484-220
Computer Points	Penn St 32-3
Phil Steele	Penn St by 28

Phil's Forecast:

Illinois hasn't won in Happy Valley since '10 having dropped the last 4 here by 21 ppg. Last time here ('20), I used Penn St as an Inside the Pressbox Best Bet but Illinois led 21-14 late 1Q. Penn St scored TD's on next 4 poss to lead 42-21 at half with WR Dotson having 239 all purp yds in the latest game ever played in Beaver Stadium. Illinois did not cross midfield after the 1Q in 56-21 win (+15). Penn St has won 6 of the last 7 in the series (incl the L/4 at home) and has won the last 3 by 37.7 ppg. Both teams are off a bye, but Penn St has Ohio State on deck. Penn State was my #1 Most Improved team in the magazine and played like it opening up 5-0 SU with an upset win at Wisconsin and win on these pages vs Auburn. They were headed to 5-0 ATS vs FBS teams with another upset road when leading Iowa 17-7 on the road when Sean Clifford was injured. Bkp QB Roberson in his first real action had 6 of his 7 series start inside their own 11 thanks to P Tory Taylor. His first 4 drives went for -20 yds and Iowa closed to 17-10 H and down 20-16 got a 44 yd TD pas with 6:26 left for first lead and won 23-20. Clifford is questionable for this and DT Mustipher is OFY. Illinois upset Nebraska in the opener for a great start to the Bielema era but has been 1-5 SU and 2-4 ATS since. They did have a 4-point loss to Purdue and 3-point loss to Maryland. In their last game it looked like Wisconsin of old with two 100 yard rushers and a 30-9 FD and 491-93 yd edge. Brandon Peters was 3-7-30 when injured and Sitkowski hit 8-27-55. UW had 18 & 14 play scoring drives and led 10-0 H in a 24-0 loss. Illinois is -163 ypg in Big Ten play and Penn St shut out a stronger Indiana here at home 24-0 three weeks back. The biggest questions are QB Clifford and the Lions have Ohio State on deck but off a loss Penn St should bounce back with a solid win vs a team that is putting jup 257 ypg in conf p:lay while hitting just 47% completions. Bielema came out this week saying basically that he was not happy with the talent he inherited and even if Clifford does not play, Roberson will have had two weeks of practice with the #1's and will be much improved.

Penn St 34 Illinois 6

Georgia Tech Yellow Jackets

Yellow Jackets Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	FOE OFF	FOE DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	124	112			9/4	Northern Illinois	21-22	L	62	43	96	114	119	88
0-1		0-0		120				9/11	Kennesaw St	45-17	W	57	47	123			
1-1	1-1	0-0	0-0	120	142		6	9/18	at Clemson	8-14	L	53	64	81	16	2	89
1-2	2-1	0-1	1-1	123	139		21	9/25	North Carolina	45-22	W	68	83	111	6	47	89
2-2	3-1	1-1	0-0	128	127			10/2	Pittsburgh	21-52	L	58	66	112	21	33	56
2-3	3-2	1-2	0-1	124	115			10/9	at Duke	31-27	W	62	71	109	18	90	35
3-3		2-2		124				10/16	Bye			63	79	104			
3-3	5-2	2-2	3-2	124	135			10/23	at Virginia			70	81	103	41	91	99
	3-3		1-1		122			10/30	Virginia Tech						110	20	10
	2-4		0-2		128			11/6	at Miami, Fl						40	27	62
	4-2		0-2		124			11/13	Boston College						61	83	33
	5-1		0-0		137			11/20	at Notre Dame						85	10	37
	7-0		5-0		156			11/27	Georgia						11	1	46

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Yds Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Yds Sks
Northern Illinois	21-22	128	10	0	25	52-273	5.3	15-26	156	4	15	42-165	3.9	11-17	136	0
Kennesaw St	45-17	140	7	2	20	36-158	4.4	17-23	254	3	13	43-161	3.7	8-20	111	2
at Clemson	8-14	25	2	1	21	39-106	2.7	20-33	203	4	19	41-158	3.9	18-25	126	0
North Carolina	45-22	25	1	3	19	43-261	6.1	13-19	133	1	18	35-63	1.8	25-39	306	8
Pittsburgh	21-52	-148	-6	-2	21	31-73	2.4	24-33	359	2	27	41-181	4.4	24-37	399	1
at Duke	31-27	-49	-10	-1	17	39-143	3.7	12-25	297	1	27	62-197	3.2	22-29	292	1
Bye																
at Virginia																
Virginia Tech																
at Miami, Fl																
Boston College																
at Notre Dame																
Georgia																
Average	29-26	20.2	0.7	0.5	21	40-169	4.2	63.5%	234	9.4%	20	44-154	3.5	64.7%	228	7.2%
Conference	26-29	-36.8	-3.3	0.3	20	38-146	3.8	62.7%	248	7.3%	23	45-150	3.3	68.5%	281	7.7%
Away	20-21	-12.0	-4.0	0.0	19	39-125	3.2	55.2%	250	8.6%	23	52-178	3.4	74.1%	209	1.9%

OVERALL:	OVERALL:
3-3	5-2
vs. ACC	vs. ACC
2-2	3-2

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

Georgia Tech		Virginia
#61	Rush Off	#100
#66	Pass Off	#2
#64	**Total Off**	**#6**
#63	Score Off	#22
#78	Sks Allowed	#115
#76	Rush Def	#99
#70	Pass Def	#66
#71	**Total Def**	**#94**
#70	Score Def	#63
#84	Sks By	#101
#70	Ypg Diff	#23
+3	**Total TO's**	**-2**

Georgia Tech Yellow Jackets | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **Virginia Cavaliers**

Position by Position Edges

Georgia Tech		Virginia
0.06	Georgia Tech QB/WR vs. Virginia DB's	
	Georgia Tech RB's vs. Virginia LB's	0.21
0.42	Georgia Tech OL vs. Virginia DL	
0.87	Georgia Tech DL vs. Virginia OL	
1.97	Georgia Tech LB'S vs. Virginia RB's	
	Georgia Tech DB's vs. Virginia QB/WR	2.24
0.85	Georgia Tech ST's vs. Virginia ST's	
	Georgia Tech K vs. Virginia K	1.50
	Georgia Tech Coaches vs. Virginia Coaches	1.15
4.17	Georgia Tech Pts vs. Virginia Pts	5.10

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

Virginia

By 0.93 Points

Virginia Cavaliers

Cavaliers Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	FOE OFF	FOE DEF	FOE ST
0-0		0-0		129				9/4	William & Mary	43-0	W	96	79	119			
1-0	1-1	0-0	1-0	133	124			9/11	Illinois	42-14	W	84	80	22	86	96	64
2-0	1-1	0-0	0-1	136	136		21	9/18	at North Carolina	39-59	L	71	77	85	8	38	88
2-1	3-0	0-1	1-0	133	130			9/25	Wake Forest	17-37	L	47	95	92	54	62	15
2-2	2-2	0-2	0-0	128	130			10/2	at Miami, Fl	30-25	W	49	100	96	24	36	46
3-2	3-2	1-2	1-1	130	129			10/9	at Louisville	34-33	W	45	91	94	61	83	48
4-2	3-3	2-2	0-2	131	115			10/16	Duke	48-0	W	53	98	103	20	89	49
5-2	3-3	3-2	2-2	135	124			10/23	Georgia Tech			41	91	99	70	81	103
	5-2		0-0		126			10/30	at BYU						53	87	54
								11/6	Bye								
	5-1		0-0		137			11/13	Notre Dame						85	10	37
	5-1		2-0		132			11/20	at Pittsburgh						14	28	78
	3-3		1-1		122			11/27	Virginia Tech						110	20	10

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Yds Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Yds Sks
William & Mary	43-0	362	11	0	22	32-206	6.4	21-32	339	1	11	37-94	2.5	10-16	89	1
Illinois	42-14	219	11	0	31	33-133	4.0	28-40	423	0	20	27-116	4.3	24-45	221	3
at North Carolina	39-59	-125	-8	-1	27	22-21	1.0	40-57	553	3	35	47-392	8.3	14-21	307	1
Wake Forest	17-37	33	7	-2	31	27-99	3.7	33-59	407	6	24	45-203	4.5	17-29	270	0
at Miami, Fl	30-28	77	5	-1	23	35-181	5.2	25-44	268	3	18	40-169	4.2	15-29	203	4
at Louisville	34-33	19	6	-1	26	25-35	1.4	40-61	487	6	20	34-233	6.9	17-28	270	0
Duke	48-0	203	11	3	29	33-164	5.0	25-46	364	3	18	35-110	3.1	28-46	215	1
Georgia Tech																
at BYU																
Bye																
Notre Dame																
at Pittsburgh																
Virginia Tech																
Average	36-24	112.6	6.1	-0.3	27	30-120	4.1	62.5%	406	6.5%	21	38-188	5.0	58.4%	225	4.7%
Conference	34-31	41.4	4.2	-0.4	27	28-100	3.5	61.0%	416	7.9%	23	40-221	5.5	59.5%	253	3.9%
Home	38-13	204.3	10.0	0.3	28	31-151	4.8	60.5%	383	5.6%	18	36-131	3.6	58.1%	199	3.7%

Last Five Years Meetings (Last 22 years at PhilSteele.com)

2019	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
Georgia Tech	-	46	28	19	32-143	15-22-229	
Virginia	-	-15.5	33	25	37-155	24-35-258	1
2018	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Georgia Tech	-	-5.5	30	13	52-268	1-8-37	
Virginia	-	52.5	27	24	33-130	22-28-273	-1
2017	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Georgia Tech	-	-7.5	36	16	52-220	6-22-179	
Virginia	-	50.5	40	15	25-97	21-43-260	0
2016	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Georgia Tech	-	-10.5	31	8	31-199	5-10-122	
Virginia	-	54.5	17	25	42-189	27-46-220	-3

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Projected Box Score

Projected Rushing			
172 yards	Georgia Tech	Virginia	115 yards
Projected Passing			
194 yards	Georgia Tech	Virginia	396 yards
Projected Yardage Total			
367 yards	Georgia Tech	Virginia	512 yards
Projected Final Score			
22 points	Georgia Tech	Virginia	35 points
Experience Rankings			
37	Georgia Tech	Virginia	84
Team Schedule Strength			
67	Georgia Tech	Virginia	50

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Virginia By 7
Las Vegas Total	63 Points
+/- Ratings	Virginia By 15.0
Game Grade	Virginia By 12.6
Computer Yards	Virginia 512-367
Computer Points	Virginia 35-22
Phil Steele	Virginia by 1

Phil's Forecast:

Last time here GT was 2-6 and more than 2 TD underdogs. The Jackets led 21-17 2Q when UVA went 50/4 & took 24-21 lead w/:11 left in 1H. GT got within 5 pts 4Q, but UVA ran out last 5:30, 33-28 (-15'). These 2 two met every year from 1982-2019 but didn't meet last year. Home team is 20-4 SU/18-5-1 ATS. Cavaliers have only won 4 of last 11 meetings. Georgia Tech has had an up and down season. They were upset by Northern Illinois in the opener then nearly upset Clemson on the road losing by 6. They were a 2 TD dog to North Carolina and pulled the upset 45-22 but then back at home lost to Pitt 52-21. In their last game HC Collins said GT was decimated at certain positions. GT led 14-0 after 2 poss. Duke missed 2 FG and was SOD at the 20. GT led 17-14 H. Duke took its first lead with 5:06 left 1H settling for a 22 yd FG. Duke had a 27-17 FD edge but down 27-24 GT got ball 1:42 and no timeouts at their own 12 and got a 36 yd TD pass :51 left to pull out a 31-27 road win. Virginia opened 2-0 but lost to that same NCarolina team and then to WForest by 20 each. Both Miami and Louisville missed GW FG's at the end and Virginia which could easily been 2-4 was 4-2. Last week they rolled over Duke 48-0. QB Brennan Armstong has thrown for 2824 (65%, 19-6). GT QB Jeff Sims is dynamic and after missing 2 early games has thrown for 789 (62%, 6-4) and rushed for 255 (6.7). GT rates a solid edge on defense holding foes to 53 ypg below their season avg and Virginia is allowing foes 24 ypg above. The last 3 meetings were decided by 12 total points. GTech should be in a lot better physical shape than their last game as they are fresh off a bye and could pull off an upset.

Virginia 31 Georgia Tech 30

Boston College Eagles

Eagles Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	FOE OFF	FOE DEF	FOE ST
0-0		0-0		129				9/4	Colgate	51-0	W	24	64	45						
1-0	0-1	0-0	0-0	128	93			9/11	at UMass	45-28	W	24	73	37	127	130	121			
2-0	1-1	0-0	0-0	125	110			9/18	at Temple	28-3	W	37	86	11	112	102	129			
3-0	2-1	0-0	0-1	127	124			9/25	Missouri	41-34	W	36	75	13	20	80	16			
4-0	2-2	0-0	1-1	127	136		25	10/2	at Clemson	13-19	L	34	75	27	69	6	93			
4-1		0-1		128				10/9	Bye			46	73	19						
4-1	4-1	0-1	1-0	128	123		22	10/16	NC State	7-33	L	49	77	15	34	17	90			
4-2	3-3	0-2	1-2	124	128			10/23	at Louisville			61	83	33	49	75	35			
	3-4		0-3		126			10/30	at Syracuse						63	73	82			
	3-3		1-1		122			11/6	Virginia Tech						110	20	10			
	3-3		2-2		124			11/13	at Georgia Tech						70	81	103			
	2-4		2-2		127			11/20	Florida St						43	53	64			
	6-0		4-0		134			11/27	Wake Forest						42	74	6			

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
Colgate	51-0	336	13	2	25	35-178	5.1	21-30	347	0	12	35-105	3.0	10-19	84	2
at UMass	45-28	136	4	1	24	43-250	5.8	14-18	221	0	20	30-121	4.0	14-29	214	0
at Temple	28-3	-18	0	-1	13	35-187	5.3	5-13	34	0	13	36-78	2.2	17-24	161	4
Missouri	41-34	59	1	1	23	49-275	5.6	18-29	175	1	22	23-88	3.8	30-42	303	0
at Clemson	13-19	-81	1	-3	19	34-46	1.4	23-40	311	4	18	40-231	5.8	13-28	207	1
Bye																
NC State	7-33	-90	1	-2	17	30-97	3.2	21-39	194	3	16	34-130	3.8	16-24	251	1
at Louisville																
at Syracuse																
Virginia Tech																
at Georgia Tech																
Florida St																
Wake Forest																
Average	31-20	57.0	3.3	-0.3	20	38-172	4.6	60.4%	214	4.7%	17	33-126	3.8	60.2%	203	4.8%
Conference	10-26	-85.5	1.0	-2.5	18	32-72	2.2	55.7%	253	8.9%	17	37-181	4.9	55.8%	229	3.8%
Away	29-17	12.3	1.7	-1.0	19	37-161	4.3	59.2%	189	5.6%	17	35-143	4.1	54.3%	194	6.2%

OVERALL:	OVERALL:
4-2	3-3
vs. ACC	vs. ACC
0-2	1-2

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

Boston College		Louisville
#54	Rush Off	#45
#87	Pass Off	#29
#74	**Total Off**	**#25**
#50	Score Off	#38
#21	Sks Allowed	#13
#38	Rush Def	#70
#37	Pass Def	#124
#34	**Total Def**	**#114**
#27	Score Def	#89
#115	Sks By	#25
#49	Ypg Diff	#80
-2	**Total TO's**	**+1**

Boston College Eagles | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **Louisville Cardinals**

Position by Position Edges

Boston College		Louisville
	Boston College QB/WR vs. Louisville DB's	0.26
	Boston College RB's vs. Louisville LB's	0.30
0.59	Boston College OL vs. Louisville DL	
	Boston College DL vs. Louisville OL	0.44
0.52	Boston College LB'S vs. Louisville RB's	
	Boston College DB's vs. Louisville QB/WR	0.30
	Boston College ST's vs. Louisville ST's	0.29
	Boston College K vs. Louisville K	2.00
	Boston College Coaches vs. Louisville Coaches	1.10
1.11	Boston College Pts vs. Louisville Pts	4.67

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

Louisville

By 3.56 Points

Louisville Cardinals

Cardinals Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	FOE OFF	FOE DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	130	138			9/6	† Mississippi	24-43	L	63	70	80	7	60	103			
0-1		0-0		129				9/11	Eastern Kentucky	30-3	W	64	77	67						
1-1	2-0	0-0	0-0	128	128			9/18	UCF	42-35	W	79	82	41	7	61	100			
2-1	0-3	0-0	0-1	128	120			9/25	at Florida St	31-23	W	72	89	71	50	51	73			
3-1	4-0	1-0	2-0	128	135		24	10/2	at Wake Forest	34-37	L	71	84	58	48	42	19			
3-2	3-2	1-1	1-2	129	130			10/9	Virginia	33-34	L	61	83	48	45	91	94			
3-3		1-2		128				10/16	Bye			45	75	43						
3-3	4-2	1-2	0-2	128	124			10/23	Boston College			49	75	35	61	83	33			
	5-1		2-0		136			10/30	at NC State						32	13	77			
	4-2		3-1		135			11/6	Clemson						66	6	90			
	3-4		0-3		126			11/13	Syracuse						63	73	82			
	3-4		0-3		111			11/20	at Duke						26	86	56			
	6-1		4-1		136			11/27	Kentucky						35	35	92			

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
† Mississippi	24-43	-214	-9	-2	22	39-155	4.0	23-38	200	2	31	41-188	4.6	22-32	381	2
Eastern Kentucky	30-3	206	4	2	18	38-158	4.2	16-26	283	1	14	22-86	3.9	23-34	149	1
UCF	42-35	81	2	0	24	37-191	5.2	24-39	310	1	22	34-212	6.2	23-30	208	2
at Florida St	31-23	-58	-2	1	21	41-131	3.2	25-40	264	1	23	36-205	5.7	24-39	248	6
at Wake Forest	34-37	21	-1	-1	25	43-213	5.0	19-27	309	2	26	44-177	4.0	23-40	324	2
Virginia	33-34	-19	-6	1	20	34-233	6.9	17-28	270	0	26	25-35	1.4	40-61	487	5
Bye																
Boston College																
at NC State																
Clemson																
Syracuse																
at Duke																
Kentucky																
Average	32-29	2.8	-2.0	0.2	22	39-180	4.7	62.6%	273	3.5%	24	34-151	4.5	65.7%	300	7.6%
Conference	33-31	-18.7	-3.0	0.3	22	39-192	4.9	64.2%	281	3.2%	25	35-139	4.0	62.1%	353	9.3%
Home	35-24	89.3	0.0	1.0	21	36-194	5.3	61.3%	288	2.2%	21	27-111	4.1	68.8%	281	6.4%

Last Five Years Meetings (Last 22 years at PhilSteele.com)

2020	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
Boston College	-	-1	34	21	37-188	19-26-247	
Louisville	-	55	27	23	35-199	19-31-296	-2
2019	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Boston College	-	60.5	39	24	45-259	15-33-304	
Louisville	-	-5	41	26	44-236	23-34-428	2
2018	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Boston College	-	-12.5	38	20	61-251	16-22-179	
Louisville	-	61	20	15	32-47	17-35-170	1
2017	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Boston College	-	57	45	27	59-364	12-28-191	
Louisville	-	-21.5	42	25	36-293	19-39-332	-1
2016	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Boston College	-	54	7	9	37-57	14-25-150	
Louisville	5	-25.5	52	22	36-210	19-29-305	0

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Projected Box Score

Projected Rushing			
103 yards	Boston College	Louisville	186 yards
Projected Passing			
240 yards	Boston College	Louisville	266 yards
Projected Yardage Total			
343 yards	Boston College	Louisville	452 yards
Projected Final Score			
22 points	Boston College	Louisville	33 points
Experience Rankings			
52	Boston College	Louisville	100
Team Schedule Strength			
123	Boston College	Louisville	31

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Louisville By 6
Las Vegas Total	57 Points
+/- Ratings	Louisville By 8.0
Game Grade	Louisville By 10.6
Computer Yards	Louisville 452-343
Computer Points	Louisville 33-22
Phil Steele	Louisville by 3

Phil's Forecast:

Louisville is 7-6 all-time vs BC but they've lost 3 of the last 4 meetings. The home team is 4-3 SU but 2-5 ATS in ACC mtgs. Last year BC entered avg just 104 rush ypg, but ran for 188 against Louisville, which was without both starting NT's. The Eagles scored the last 10 pts of the 1H to take 20-10 lead. They led 34-20 when UL got a 69 yd td pass but QB Cunningham was int'd on UL's final possession. UL is fresh off a bye but BC's bye was only 2 weeks ago. BC opened the year 4-0 SU but then had to take on Clemson in Death Valley off a loss and still nearly won outright with a bobbled snap deep in Clemson territory costing them in a 19-13 road loss but cover. Last week the 1H yds were 172-172 but BC had a TD pass knocked loose in EZ and then missed a FG and NCST went 70/16. WR Emezie was hit and fumbled clearly but they let the play stand as an incompletion so NCST got a 27 yd FG to lead 10-7 H. BC's P dropped the ball and NCST returned it for a TD then after a pass off the WR's hand was int NCST went 61/7 for TD. A pass intended for TE was snagged by WR Thomas on broken play and he went 79 yds for TD 31-7 in 33-7 misleading Wolfpack road win. Louisville looked poor in the opener trailing Ole Miss 26-0 at half but then beat an FCS team got a last second TD to upset UCF at home and went into Florida St and was outgained 453-395 but won 31-23. They had a 3-point loss to undefeated Wake Forest with a 522-501 yd edge and missed a GW FG at :00 vs Virginia to fall to 3-3. They had a bye last week. QB Malik Cunningham has been the key to an offense that is avg 453 ypg as he has thrown for 1576 (64%, 8-2) and rushed for 347 (4.6). The Cards are playing to an AGG of 104.6 the last 4 weeks and BC is at just 95.6. BC has pulled 14 outright upsets in the last 5 years and is 17-6-1 as an AD.

Louisville 30 Boston College 27

Syracuse Orangemen

Orangemen Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	FOE OFF	FOE DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	121	123			9/4	at Ohio	29-9	W	84	68	18	88	110	54	0	0	0
1-0	1-0	0-0	0-0	126	132			9/11	Rutgers	7-17	L	81	75	12	106	46	10	0	0	0
1-1		0-0		125				9/18	Albany	62-24	W	95	73	110				0	0	0
2-1	3-0	0-0	0-0	127	131			9/25	Liberty	24-21	W	60	78	45	69	49	109	0	0	0
3-1	0-4	0-0	0-2	128	120			10/2	at Florida St	30-33	L	60	83	55	50	49	82	0	0	0
3-2	5-0	0-1	3-0	126	134		19	10/9	Wake Forest	37-40	L	59	81	52	36	64	21	0	0	0
3-3	3-2	0-2	2-1	126	135			10/16	Clemson	14-17	L	52	78	66	58	6	97	0	0	0
3-4	3-3	0-3	1-1	126	122			10/23	at Virginia Tech			63	73	82	110	20	10	0	0	0
	4-2		0-2		124			10/30	Boston College						61	83	33	0	0	0
								11/6	Bye									0	0	0
	3-3		1-2		128			11/13	at Louisville						49	75	35	0	0	0
	5-1		2-0		136			11/20	at NC State						32	13	77	0	0	0
	5-1		2-0		132			11/27	Pittsburgh						14	28	78	0	0	0

	OVERALL:	OVERALL:
	3-4	3-3
	vs. ACC	vs. ACC
	0-3	1-1

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

Syracuse		Virginia Tech
#13	Rush Off	#90
#111	Pass Off	#105
#62	**Total Off**	**#117**
#61	Score Off	#110
#55	Sks Allowed	#72
#26	Rush Def	#80
#24	Pass Def	#27
#19	**Total Def**	**#50**
#53	Score Def	#35
#6	Sks By	#42
#30	Ypg Diff	#101
-2	**Total TO's**	**+1**

Virginia Tech Hokies

Hokies Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	FOE OFF	FOE DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	125	136		10	9/4	North Carolina	17-10	W	76	23	77	9	35	43	0	0	0
1-0	1-0	1-0	0-0	128	121	19		9/11	Middle Tennessee	35-14	W	79	21	48	94	109	51	0	0	0
2-0	1-1	1-0	0-0	130	129	15		9/18	at West Virginia	21-27	L	90	13	15	66	33	6	0	0	0
2-1		1-0		130				9/25	Richmond	21-10	W	95	17	41				0	0	0
3-1		1-0		127				10/2	Bye			99	21	32				0	0	0
3-1	4-1	1-0	0-0	127	137		14	10/9	Notre Dame	29-32	L	104	22	22	73	7	30	0	0	0
3-2	4-1	1-0	1-0	127	127			10/16	Pittsburgh	7-28	L	104	23	10	15	43	61	0	0	0
3-3	3-4	1-1	0-3	122	126			10/23	Syracuse			110	20	10	63	73	82	0	0	0
	3-3		2-2		124			10/30	at Georgia Tech						70	81	103	0	0	0
	4-2		0-2		124			11/6	at Boston College						61	83	33	0	0	0
	3-4		0-3		111			11/13	Duke						26	86	56	0	0	0
	2-4		0-2		128			11/20	at Miami, Fl						40	27	62	0	0	0
	5-2		3-2		135			11/27	at Virginia						41	91	99	0	0	0

Syracuse Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
at Ohio	29-9	37	1	1	21	44-283	6.4	12-18	100	1	20	32-134	4.2	23-31	212	0
Rutgers	7-17	63	-2	-3	14	30-67	2.2	19-32	191	5	16	43-50	1.2	22-28	145	4
Albany	62-24	488	13	-1	24	42-286	6.8	17-24	337	0	11	32-7	0.2	14-22	128	8
Liberty	24-21	-64	2	1	22	53-228	4.3	6-15	77	1	20	41-150	3.7	16-21	219	6
at Florida St	30-33	11	-4	1	18	40-239	6.0	13-23	150	1	22	37-247	6.7	22-32	131	2
Wake Forest	37-40	88	12	0	33	58-354	6.1	15-27	160	2	21	37-96	2.6	19-32	330	2
Clemson	14-17	42	-2	-1	18	30-165	5.5	17-37	191	2	20	37-116	3.1	22-36	198	2
at Virginia Tech																
Boston College																
Bye																
at Louisville																
at NC State																
Pittsburgh																
Average	29-23	95.0	2.9	-0.3	21	42-232	5.5	56.3%	172	6.8%	19	37-114	3.1	68.3%	195	11.9%
Conference	27-30	47.0	2.0	0.0	23	43-253	5.9	51.7%	167	5.7%	21	37-153	4.1	63.0%	220	6.0%
Away	30-21	24.0	-1.5	1.0	20	42-261	6.2	61.0%	125	4.9%	21	35-191	5.5	71.4%	172	3.2%

Syracuse Orangemen | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **Virginia Tech Hokies**

Virginia Tech Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
North Carolina	17-10	-58	-1	1	17	43-127	3.0	12-19	169	1	18	30-146	4.9	17-33	208	6
Middle Tennessee	35-14	34	4	1	24	39-224	5.7	17-28	159	1	20	36-66	1.8	26-40	283	3
at West Virginia	21-27	-40	1	1	19	41-106	2.6	19-31	223	6	18	33-176	5.3	15-26	193	2
Richmond	21-10	81	4	-1	19	33-106	3.2	17-29	212	2	15	36-160	4.4	15-23	77	2
Bye																
Notre Dame	29-32	-80	0	0	21	37-134	3.6	17-34	187	1	21	43-180	4.2	15-26	221	2
Pittsburgh	7-28	-187	-9	-1	13	28-90	3.2	11-32	134	3	22	44-208	4.7	22-37	203	1
Syracuse																
at Georgia Tech																
at Boston College																
Duke																
at Miami, Fl																
at Virginia																
Average	22-20	-41.7	-0.2	0.2	19	37-131	3.6	53.8%	181	8.1%	19	37-156	4.2	59.5%	198	8.6%
Conference	12-19	-122.5	-5.0	0.0	15	36-109	3.1	45.1%	152	7.8%	20	37-177	4.8	55.7%	206	10.0%
Home	22-19	-42.0	-0.4	0.0	19	36-136	3.8	52.1%	172	5.6%	19	38-152	4.0	59.7%	198	8.8%

Position by Position Edges

Syracuse		Virginia Tech
	Syracuse QB/WR vs. Virginia Tech DB's	2.20
	Syracuse RB's vs. Virginia Tech LB's	0.49
0.25	Syracuse OL vs. Virginia Tech DL	
0.92	Syracuse DL vs. Virginia Tech OL	
2.38	Syracuse LB'S vs. Virginia Tech RB's	
	Syracuse DB's vs. Virginia Tech QB/WR	0.24
	Syracuse ST's vs. Virginia Tech ST's	3.65
	Syracuse K vs. Virginia Tech K	0.35
	Syracuse Coaches vs. Virginia Tech Coaches	0.20
3.54	Syracuse Pts vs. Virginia Tech Pts	7.14

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

Virginia Tech

By 3.60 Points

Last Five Years Meetings (Last 22 years at PhilSteele.com)

2016	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
Syracuse	-	68.5	31	32	45-156	30-55-405	
Virginia Tech	17	-20	17	21	39-161	20-33-307	-1

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Projected Box Score

	Syracuse	Virginia Tech
Projected Rushing		
217 yards	Syracuse	Virginia Tech 138 yards
Projected Passing		
98 yards	Syracuse	Virginia Tech 178 yards
Projected Yardage Total		
315 yards	Syracuse	Virginia Tech 315 yards
Projected Final Score		
20 points	Syracuse	Virginia Tech 23 points
Experience Rankings		
36	Syracuse	Virginia Tech 98
Team Schedule Strength		
78	Syracuse	Virginia Tech 49

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Virginia Tech By 3
Las Vegas Total	45.5 Points
+/- Ratings	Virginia Tech By 0.3
Game Grade	Syracuse By 0.6
Computer Yards	Virginia Tech 315-315
Computer Points	Virginia Tech 23-20
Phil Steele	Virginia Tech by 10

Phil's Forecast:

Syracuse leads all-time series 10-8 but they've only met once as ACC members, with most of their meetings coming in the Big East. Last time here was back in 2003 when Syracuse lost to #4 VT 51-7. In their last meeting in 2015 the Hokies were nearly 3 TD favorites in Fuente's first year but lost by 2 td's against 2-4 Orange. The Orange are playing an 8th straight week while VT had a bye two weeks ago. Syracuse opened 3-3 but 5-1 ATS with their 3 losses by 7, 3 & 3 and they were +104 ypg. Last Friday they hosted Clemson which was playing its first game as unranked team since 2014 and looked like it. At one point Clemson had run 23 plays for 95 yds and Syr RB Tucker had 9-126 rush. Clemson did lead 17-7 4Q thanks in part to a fake punt but Syracuse got a 62 yd TD pass then missed a 48 yd FG with :38 left and had a 356-314 yd edge. Virginia Tech opened with a big upset of North Carolina at home. They were 3-2 and their losses were by 6 at WVirg and by 3 to ND in a game they led by 8 in the 4Q. VT was -13 ypg. Last week at home vs Pitt VT QB Burmeister playing with hurt shoulder. Pitt led 21-0 at half with 254-74 yd edge and open 3Q with 52/10 TD 28-0. VT 75/7 TD 6:33 left 3Q 28-7 and SOD at 37. Pitt 78/16/11:28 drive SOD at 16 2;00 left 28-7 win with 411-224 yd edge. VT has 4 road games left in their final 5 so this game is very important. Sean Tucker is by far the best RB on the field (948, 6.1). Taking away last week, VT has been impressive at home and get a must win vs a beatable foe.

Virginia Tech 27 Syracuse 17

Clemson Tigers

Tigers Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	FOE OFF	FOE DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	146	145	3	5	9/4	† Georgia	3-10	L	6	2	67	3	4	2			
0-1		0-0		143		6		9/11	South Carolina St	49-3	W	10	2	93						
1-1	1-1	0-0	0-0	142	120	6		9/18	Georgia Tech	14-8	W	16	2	89	53	64	81			
2-1	2-1	1-0	0-0	139	131	9		9/25	at NC State	21-27	L	48	4	94	35	11	82			
2-2	4-0	1-1	0-0	136	127	25		10/2	Boston College	19-13	W	69	6	93	34	75	27			
3-2		2-1		135				10/9	Bye			55	6	92						
3-2	3-3	2-1	0-2	135	126			10/16	at Syracuse	17-14	W	58	6	97	52	78	66			
4-2	5-1	3-1	2-0	135	132		3	10/23	at Pittsburgh			66	6	90	14	28	78			
	2-4		2-2		127			10/30	Florida St						43	53	64			
	3-3		1-2		128			11/6	Louisville						49	75	35			
	1-7		0-2		95			11/13	Connecticut						129	122	93			
	6-0		4-0		134			11/20	Wake Forest						42	74	6			
	4-3		1-3		113			11/27	at South Carolina						82	40	21			

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
† Georgia	3-10	-76	-1	1	14	23-2	0.1	19-37	178	7	15	31-121	3.9	22-30	135	1
South Carolina St	49-3	269	17	-2	26	36-242	6.7	23-39	262	0	9	34-103	3.0	10-27	132	1
Georgia Tech	14-8	-25	-2	-1	19	41-158	3.9	18-25	126	0	21	39-106	2.7	20-33	203	4
at NC State	21-27	-172	-21	0	10	23-103	4.5	12-26	111	2	31	51-148	2.9	32-45	238	3
Boston College	19-13	81	-1	3	18	40-231	5.8	13-28	207	1	19	34-46	1.4	23-40	311	4
Bye																
at Syracuse	17-14	-42	2	1	20	37-116	3.1	22-36	198	2	18	30-165	5.5	17-37	191	2
at Pittsburgh																
Florida St																
Louisville																
Connecticut																
Wake Forest																
at South Carolina																
Average	21-13	5.8	-1.0	0.3	18	33-142	4.3	56.0%	180	6.3%	19	37-115	3.1	58.5%	202	7.1%
Conference	18-16	-39.5	-5.5	0.8	17	35-152	4.3	56.5%	161	4.3%	22	39-116	3.0	59.4%	236	8.4%
Away	14-17	-96.7	-6.7	0.7	15	28-74	2.7	53.5%	162	11.1%	21	37-145	3.9	63.4%	188	5.4%

OVERALL:	OVERALL:
4-2	5-1
vs. ACC	vs. ACC
3-1	2-0

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

Clemson		Pittsburgh
#82	Rush Off	#53
#106	Pass Off	#5
#113	**Total Off**	**#5**
#112	Score Off	#3
#55	Sks Allowed	#27
#27	Rush Def	#17
#31	Pass Def	#57
#24	**Total Def**	**#25**
#2	Score Def	#33
#51	Sks By	#9
#79	Ypg Diff	#3
+2	**Total TO's**	**+6**

Clemson Tigers | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **Pittsburgh Panthers**

Position by Position Edges

Clemson		Pittsburgh
	Clemson QB/WR vs. Pittsburgh DB's	0.37
	Clemson RB's vs. Pittsburgh LB's	1.53
	Clemson OL vs. Pittsburgh DL	0.93
1.19	Clemson DL vs. Pittsburgh OL	
2.06	Clemson LB'S vs. Pittsburgh RB's	
	Clemson DB's vs. Pittsburgh QB/WR	0.12
0.94	Clemson ST's vs. Pittsburgh ST's	
1.10	Clemson K vs. Pittsburgh K	
1.25	Clemson Coaches vs. Pittsburgh Coaches	
6.55	Clemson Pts vs. Pittsburgh Pts	2.94

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

Clemson

By 3.61 Points

Pittsburgh Panthers

Panthers Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	FOE OFF	FOE DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	126	95			9/4	UMass	51-7	W	43	21	35	128	129	84			
1-0	1-0	0-0	0-0	127	119			9/11	at Tennessee	41-34	W	38	14	21	73	65	19			
2-0	1-1	0-0	0-0	127	114			9/18	Western Michigan	41-44	L	39	12	86	83	104	130			
2-1		0-0		123				9/25	New Hampshire	77-7	W	39	30	53						
3-1	2-2	0-0	1-1	127	128			10/2	at Georgia Tech	52-21	W	21	33	56	58	66	112			
4-1		1-0		127				10/9	Bye			14	43	55						
4-1	3-2	1-0	1-0	127	127			10/16	at Virginia Tech	28-7	W	15	43	61	104	23	10			
5-1	4-2	2-0	3-1	132	135	23		10/23	Clemson			14	28	78	66	6	90			
	2-4		0-2		128			10/30	Miami, Fl						40	27	62			
	3-4		0-3		111			11/6	at Duke						26	86	56			
	4-3		3-3		131			11/13	North Carolina						21	57	72			
	5-2		3-2		135			11/20	Virginia						41	91	99			
	3-4		0-3		126			11/27	at Syracuse						63	73	82			

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
UMass	51-7	389	24	-1	35	41-223	5.4	34-45	375	1	11	27-42	1.6	14-31	167	5
at Tennessee	41-34	23	4	3	24	45-96	2.1	25-37	301	2	20	33-136	4.1	22-33	238	5
Western Michigan	41-44	-27	-3	-1	25	24-75	3.1	25-34	415	2	28	48-160	3.3	26-38	357	3
New Hampshire	77-7	547	27	2	35	49-252	5.1	29-33	455	2	8	29-100	3.4	10-24	60	3
at Georgia Tech	52-21	148	6	2	27	41-181	4.4	24-37	399	1	21	31-73	2.4	24-33	359	2
Bye																
at Virginia Tech	28-7	187	9	1	22	44-208	4.7	22-37	203	1	13	28-90	3.2	11-32	134	3
Clemson																
Miami, Fl																
at Duke																
North Carolina																
Virginia																
at Syracuse																
Average	48-20	211.2	11.2	1.0	28	41-173	4.2	71.3%	358	4.0%	17	33-100	3.1	56.0%	219	11.0%
Conference	40-14	167.5	7.5	1.5	25	43-195	4.6	62.2%	301	2.7%	17	30-82	2.8	53.8%	247	7.7%
Home	56-19	303.0	16.0	0.0	32	38-183	4.8	78.6%	415	4.5%	16	35-101	2.9	53.8%	195	11.8%

Last Five Years Meetings (Last 22 years at PhilSteele.com)

2020	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
Clemson	4	-24	52	27	38-145	35-52-436	
Pittsburgh	-	58	17	12	24-16	24-43-230	-4
2019	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Clemson	2	-27.5	42	13	35-301	12-24-118	
Pittsburgh	-	52.5	10	11	48-191	4-16-8	-3
2018	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Clemson	3	-21	42	33	25-50	52-70-580	
Pittsburgh	-	64.5	43	23	33-156	22-38-308	2

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Projected Box Score

Projected Rushing		
91 yards	Clemson	Pittsburgh 109 yards
Projected Passing		
201 yards	Clemson	Pittsburgh 336 yards
Projected Yardage Total		
291 yards	Clemson	Pittsburgh 445 yards
Projected Final Score		
18 points	Clemson	Pittsburgh 31 points
Experience Rankings		
115	Clemson	Pittsburgh 65
Team Schedule Strength		
46	Clemson	Pittsburgh 105

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Pittsburgh By 3.5
Las Vegas Total	48 Points
+/- Ratings	Pittsburgh By 1.0
Game Grade	Pittsburgh By 15.9
Computer Yards	Pittsburgh 445-291
Computer Points	Pittsburgh 31-18
Phil Steele	Pittsburgh by 6

Phil's Forecast:

Last year Pitt's OLine was decimated, and Clemson was on their annual late season romp through the ACC. QB Pickett threw 3 int's and Pitt punted 3 times on their first 6 possessions and Clemson led 31-0. Pitt got within 38-17 3Q but the Tigers went 89/10 for a TD then after an int went 41/10, winning 52-17. The Tigers were on a 20-7-1 ATS run vs ACC foes but this year opened up 3-2 SU and 0-5 ATS including 0-3 ATS in ACC play. Clemson lost at NCSt and last week Clemson off a bye played its first game as unranked team since 2014 and looked like it. At one point Clemson had run 23 plays for 95 yds and Syr RB Tucker had 9-126 rush. They did lead 17-7 4Q thanks in part to a fake punt but Syracuse got a 62 yd TD pass then missed a 48 yd FG with :38 left and had a 356-314 yd edge. Pitt opened 4-1 SU and ATS and beat GTech 52-21 the same team Clemson just beat GT 14-8. Last week Pitt led 28-0 in Blacksburg winning 28-7 with a 411-224 yd edge. My AGG grades have Pitt at 115.4 and Clemson at just 103.3 AGG (Pitt by 16.7!). Clemson has taken on the much tougher schedule (#45 vs #102). Clemson has not been an underdog in ACC play since 2014 but they deserve to be here. Kenny Pickett is hitting 70% with a super 21-1 ratio and Israel Abanikanda rushed for 140 vs Vtech and is finally emerging.

Pittsburgh 23 Clemson 17

Maryland Terrapins

Terrapins Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- DEF	--PS RANK-- ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	121	132			9/4	West Virginia	30-24	W	61	77	89	60	30	68
1-0		0-0		124				9/11	Howard	62-0	W	50	60	82			
2-0	1-2	0-0	1-0	124	121			9/18	at Illinois	20-17	W	29	44	37	89	92	57
3-0	1-2	1-0	0-0	124	124			9/25	Kent St	37-16	W	18	21	34	65	107	120
4-0	4-0	1-0	1-0	127	144		5	10/2	Iowa	14-51	L	13	16	35	104	2	5
4-1	4-1	1-1	2-0	123	145		7	10/9	at Ohio St	17-66	L	22	23	49	1	15	37
4-2		1-2		119				10/16	Bye			29	35	64			
4-2	4-2	1-2	2-1	119	133			10/23	at Minnesota			31	36	71	76	18	68
	2-4		0-3		130			10/30	Indiana						95	23	48
	5-1		2-1		145			11/6	Penn St						45	4	18
	7-0		4-0		136			11/13	at Michigan St						22	34	51
	6-0		3-0		143			11/20	Michigan						8	14	3
	3-4		0-4		122			11/27	at Rutgers						100	56	5

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
West Virginia	30-24	171	4	4	22	44-164	3.7	26-36	332	2	18	21-48	2.3	24-40	277	3
Howard	62-0	428	24	1	32	49-227	4.6	27-32	347	1	8	20-66	3.3	12-31	80	2
at Illinois	20-17	146	5	-1	24	27-131	4.9	32-43	350	3	19	45-150	3.3	10-26	185	6
Kent St	37-16	68	-4	-1	23	28-142	5.1	31-41	384	1	27	47-150	3.2	19-33	308	5
Iowa	14-51	-157	-10	-7	14	17-97	5.7	21-37	174	0	24	42-145	3.5	23-38	283	2
at Ohio St	17-66	-263	-7	-2	22	36-56	1.6	28-39	279	5	29	33-166	5.0	26-38	432	1
Bye																
at Minnesota																
Indiana																
Penn St																
at Michigan St																
Michigan																
at Rutgers																
Average	30-29	65.5	2.0	-1.0	23	34-136	4.1	72.4%	311	5.3%	21	35-121	3.5	55.3%	261	9.2%
Conference	17-45	-91.3	-4.0	-3.3	20	27-95	3.6	68.1%	268	6.7%	24	40-154	3.8	57.8%	300	8.8%
Away	19-42	-58.5	-1.0	-1.5	23	32-94	3.0	73.2%	315	9.8%	24	39-158	4.1	56.3%	309	10.9%

OVERALL:	OVERALL:
4-2	4-2
vs. BIG 10	vs. BIG 10
1-2	2-1

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

Maryland		Minnesota
#86	Rush Off	#39
#16	Pass Off	#120
#31	**Total Off**	**#105**
#54	Score Off	#89
#55	Sks Allowed	#27
#34	Rush Def	#6
#104	Pass Def	#77
#68	**Total Def**	**#25**
#87	Score Def	#35
#18	Sks By	#59
#45	Ypg Diff	#66
-6	**Total TO's**	**+2**

Maryland Terrapins | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **Minnesota Golden Gophers**

Position by Position Edges

Maryland		Minnesota
	Maryland QB/WR vs. Minnesota DB's	0.22
	Maryland RB's vs. Minnesota LB's	1.39
	Maryland OL vs. Minnesota DL	0.66
0.15	Maryland DL vs. Minnesota OL	
1.12	Maryland LB'S vs. Minnesota RB's	
1.14	Maryland DB's vs. Minnesota QB/WR	
	Maryland ST's vs. Minnesota ST's	0.55
	Maryland K vs. Minnesota K	1.75
	Maryland Coaches vs. Minnesota Coaches	1.15
2.41	Maryland Pts vs. Minnesota Pts	5.71

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

Minnesota

By 3.30 Points

Minnesota Golden Gophers

Golden Gophers Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- DEF	--PS RANK-- ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	134	145		4	9/4	Ohio St	31-45	L	27	98	61	4	15	50
0-1	0-1	0-1	0-0	133	117			9/11	Miami, OH	31-26	W	47	97	104	115	108	108
1-1	1-1	0-1	0-0	131	122			9/18	at Colorado	30-0	W	51	94	72	78	39	92
2-1	1-2	0-1	0-0	135	92			9/25	Bowling Green	10-14	L	59	60	75	123	101	19
2-2	3-1	0-1	1-0	130	128			10/2	at Purdue	20-13	W	79	39	78	61	30	67
3-2		1-1		132				10/9	Bye			79	29	62			
3-2	3-4	1-1	1-3	132	135			10/16	Nebraska	30-23	W	82	20	62	19	32	124
4-2	4-2	2-1	1-2	133	119			10/23	Maryland			76	18	68	31	36	71
	3-3		1-2		123			10/30	at Northwestern						58	94	102
	2-5		1-3		118			11/6	Illinois						96	77	69
	6-1		3-1		143			11/13	at Iowa						104	2	7
	2-4		0-3		130			11/20	at Indiana						95	23	48
	3-3		1-2		133			11/27	Wisconsin						64	9	100

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
Ohio St	31-45	-87	7	-1	24	50-203	4.1	14-25	205	2	17	26-201	7.7	13-22	294	0
Miami, OH	31-26	-54	-1	2	19	46-175	3.8	8-17	112	1	20	30-104	3.5	16-31	237	0
at Colorado	30-0	378	16	2	22	53-277	5.2	11-17	164	1	6	21--19	-0.9	12-24	82	4
Bowling Green	10-14	49	0	-1	12	45-182	4.0	5-13	59	4	12	25-22	0.9	19-36	170	4
at Purdue	20-13	-154	-16	2	12	35-125	3.6	9-18	169	0	28	34-77	2.3	34-52	371	4
Bye																
Nebraska	30-23	19	3	-2	22	43-182	4.2	21-25	214	1	19	31-136	4.4	18-33	241	2
Maryland																
at Northwestern																
Illinois																
at Iowa																
at Indiana																
Wisconsin																
Average	25-20	25.2	1.5	0.3	19	45-191	4.2	59.1%	154	7.8%	17	28-87	3.1	56.6%	233	7.1%
Conference	27-27	-74.0	-2.0	-0.3	19	43-170	4.0	64.7%	196	4.4%	21	30-138	4.5	60.7%	302	5.6%
Home	26-27	-18.3	2.3	-0.5	19	46-186	4.0	60.0%	148	10.0%	17	28-116	4.1	54.1%	236	4.9%

Last Five Years Meetings (Last 22 years at PhilSteele.com)

2020	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
Maryland	-	61	45	28	31-281	26-35-394	
Minnesota	-	-20.5	44	24	50-262	10-15-189	2
2019	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Maryland	-	58	10	10	23-79	10-23-131	
Minnesota	17	-16	52	30	54-321	13-22-177	1
2018	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Maryland	-	-2.5	42	15	37-315	10-14-117	
Minnesota	-	47.5	13	23	40-94	14-32-169	-3
2017	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Maryland	-	43.5	31	23	47-262	18-28-154	
Minnesota	-	-13	24	18	31-80	13-26-229	-2
2016	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Maryland	-	-6.5	10	16	36-130	18-37-161	
Minnesota	-	49	31	16	48-229	7-15-82	4

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Projected Box Score

Projected Rushing		
67 yards	Maryland	Minnesota 187 yards
Projected Passing		
258 yards	Maryland	Minnesota 208 yards
Projected Yardage Total		
326 yards	Maryland	Minnesota 396 yards
Projected Final Score		
21 points	Maryland	Minnesota 34 points
Experience Rankings		
67	Maryland	Minnesota 1
Team Schedule Strength		
69	Maryland	Minnesota 13

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Minnesota By 5
Las Vegas Total	54.5 Points
+/- Ratings	Minnesota By 18.0
Game Grade	Minnesota By 11.7
Computer Yards	Minnesota 396-326
Computer Points	Minnesota 34-21
Phil Steele	Minnesota by 3

Phil's Forecast:

Maryland leads the series 4-2. Last year these two combined for 1,126 yds, 89 pts and 12 TD's as the Terrapins (+20'-pt dog!) won for the 1st time when trailing by 17 in the 4Q when Minny missed a PAT in OT, 45-44! The last time here ('19), the Terps were outgained 498-210 (321-79 rush), out-FD'd (30-10) and had the ball for just over 17 min (42:53-17:07) in their 1st loss in The Twin Cities. Maryland is fresh off a bye and Minny is off Nebraska. Maryland is 9-24 SU on the road the last 7 years and PJ Fleck is 18-10 SU at home. Minny looked good at home vs Ohio St, got past Miami Ohio but then had a 441-63 yd edge vs Colorado. They were -31 and were shocked at home by Bowling Green. Purdue had a 28-12 FD edge, but the Gophers won 20-13 on the road. Last week Martinez was high on many of his passes in 1H and Minny led 21-9 (Neb miss xp) with 247-134 yd edge. Down 21-16 Neb was SOD at the 1, then missed a chip shot 27 yd FG. Neb was SOD at UM 34 then Martinez was called for intentional grounding in own EZ with 4:45 left. UM went 72/5 for TD 2:12 and Neb went 75-6 for TD in 30-23 loss. Maryland opened 4-0 SU & 3-1 ATS and were a trendy upset pick vs Iowa, but I used Iowa as a Best Bet and they beat the Terps 51-14. I used Ohio St as a Best Bet vs MD and the Buckeyes won at home 66-17. Maryland had a bye last week to recover. The Terps run D is improved this year and is allowing just 121 (3.5) and Minny is down their top 2 RB's. Minny has taken on the tougher schedule (#13 vs #69). MInny has a much improved defense as last year they allowed foes 51 ypg above their season avg and this year are holding foes to 100 ypg below their season avg. MInny is playing to an AGG of 104.5 and Maryland is at 100.0 (Minny by 8.5). I like the fresh Terps team here as Minny is 0-2 ATS as a HF with an outright upset loss to BG and they are off a big underdog win while MD is fresh off a bye.

Minnesota 27 Maryland 24

Northwestern Wildcats

Wildcats Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	FOE OFF	FOE DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	132	124			9/4	Michigan St	21-38	L	89	53	74	78	90	116			
0-1		0-1		127				9/11	Indiana St	24-6	W	89	58	118						
1-1	1-1	0-1	0-0	124	114			9/18	at Duke	23-30	L	92	72	48	55	100	21			
1-2	0-3	0-1	0-0	121	109			9/25	Ohio	35-6	W	79	82	84	105	123	72			
2-2	2-3	0-1	0-2	123	131			10/2	at Nebraska	7-56	L	53	86	76	17	25	127			
2-3		0-2		119				10/9	Bye			57	101	90						
2-3	3-3	0-2	0-3	119	126			10/16	Rutgers	21-7	W	56	104	92	97	50	3			
3-3	6-0	1-2	3-0	123	143		6	10/23	at Michigan			58	94	102	8	14	3			
	4-2		2-1		133			10/30	Minnesota						76	18	68			
	6-1		3-1		143			11/6	Iowa						104	2	7			
	3-3		1-2		133			11/13	at Wisconsin						64	9	100			
	4-2		2-1		131			11/20	Purdue						62	21	106			
	2-5		1-3		118			11/27	at Illinois						96	77	69			

	Score	Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
Michigan St	21-38	-111	-3	1	20	38-117	3.1	30-43	283	3	23	37-326	8.8	15-26	185	2
Indiana St	24-6	106	6	-1	18	46-209	4.5	9-16	66	2	12	22-31	1.4	22-35	138	3
at Duke	23-30	-151	-4	-2	22	32-147	4.6	19-39	260	2	26	53-208	3.9	32-45	350	1
Ohio	35-6	113	5	2	22	51-373	7.3	12-20	88	0	17	31-179	5.8	21-32	169	4
at Nebraska	7-56	-364	-11	-1	17	26-37	1.4	25-40	256	4	28	53-427	8.1	15-21	230	0
Bye																
Rutgers	21-7	180	8	1	21	48-135	2.8	18-33	267	0	13	34-63	1.9	19-32	159	4
at Michigan																
Minnesota																
Iowa																
at Wisconsin																
Purdue																
at Illinois																
Average	22-24	-37.8	0.2	0.0	20	40-170	4.2	59.2%	203	5.8%	20	38-206	5.4	64.9%	205	7.3%
Conference	16-34	-98.3	-2.0	0.3	19	37-96	2.6	62.9%	269	6.0%	21	41-272	6.6	62.0%	191	7.6%
Away	15-43	-257.5	-7.5	-1.5	20	29-92	3.2	55.7%	258	7.6%	27	53-318	6.0	71.2%	290	1.5%

OVERALL:	OVERALL:
3-3	6-0
vs. BIG 10	vs. BIG 10
1-2	3-0

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

Northwestern		Michigan
#57	Rush Off	#7
#94	Pass Off	#102
#84	**Total Off**	**#40**
#109	Score Off	#14
#47	Sks Allowed	#2
#116	Rush Def	#30
#41	Pass Def	#21
#92	**Total Def**	**#19**
#61	Score Def	#9
#59	Sks By	#71
#98	Ypg Diff	#12
0	**Total TO's**	**+6**

Northwestern Wildcats | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **Michigan Wolverines**

Position by Position Edges

Northwestern		Michigan
	Northwestern QB/WR vs. Michigan DB's	1.36
	Northwestern RB's vs. Michigan LB's	1.42
	Northwestern OL vs. Michigan DL	0.64
	Northwestern DL vs. Michigan OL	2.70
	Northwestern LB'S vs. Michigan RB's	1.93
	Northwestern DB's vs. Michigan QB/WR	0.24
	Northwestern ST's vs. Michigan ST's	2.95
0.30	Northwestern K vs. Michigan K	
0.50	Northwestern Coaches vs. Michigan Coaches	
0.80	Northwestern Pts vs. Michigan Pts	11.24

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

Michigan

By 10.44 Points

Michigan Wolverines

Wolverines Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	FOE OFF	FOE DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	132	114			9/4	at Western Michigan	47-14	W	41	50	40	49	93	100			
1-0	0-1	0-0	0-0	134	128			9/11	Washington	31-10	W	31	37	2	27	28	111			
2-0	1-1	0-0	0-0	136	115	25		9/18	Northern Illinois	63-10	W	26	30	5	117	122	104			
3-0	3-0	0-0	0-0	140	134	19		9/25	Rutgers	20-13	W	5	16	6	102	25	9			
4-0	1-2	1-0	0-1	140	135	14		10/2	at Wisconsin	38-17	W	8	19	3	46	4	91			
5-0	3-3	2-0	1-2	143	135	9		10/9	at Nebraska	32-29	W	10	8	2	19	24	129			
6-0		3-0		143		8		10/16	Bye			11	13	2						
6-0	3-3	3-0	1-2	143	123	6		10/23	Northwestern			8	14	3	58	94	102			
	7-0		4-0		136			10/30	at Michigan St						22	34	51			
	2-4		0-3		130			11/6	Indiana						95	23	48			
	5-1		2-1		145			11/13	at Penn St						45	4	18			
	4-2		1-2		119			11/20	at Maryland						31	36	71			
	5-1		3-0		149			11/27	Ohio St						1	11	31			

	Score	Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
at Western Michigan	47-14	241	5	0	22	43-335	7.8	13-17	216	1	17	32-119	3.7	20-37	191	1
Washington	31-10	44	1	1	20	56-343	6.1	7-15	44	0	19	32-50	1.6	20-37	293	4
Northern Illinois	63-10	398	17	1	28	48-373	7.8	12-17	233	0	11	36-162	4.5	9-17	46	0
Rutgers	20-13	-77	-6	1	15	38-112	2.9	9-16	163	0	21	42-196	4.7	18-31	156	1
at Wisconsin	38-17	155	3	2	15	44-112	2.5	18-30	253	0	12	32-43	1.3	11-23	167	6
at Nebraska	32-29	28	7	1	26	42-204	4.9	22-39	255	1	19	32-140	4.4	18-28	291	1
Bye																
Northwestern																
at Michigan St																
Indiana																
at Penn St																
at Maryland																
Ohio St																
Average	39-16	131.5	4.5	1.0	21	45-247	5.5	60.4%	194	1.5%	17	34-118	3.4	55.5%	191	7.5%
Conference	30-20	35.3	1.3	1.3	19	41-143	3.5	57.6%	224	1.2%	17	35-126	3.6	57.3%	205	9.8%
Home	40-12	151.5	4.3	0.8	21	46-291	6.3	63.1%	164	1.5%	17	36-132	3.7	54.9%	172	4.9%

Last Five Years Meetings (Last 22 years at PhilSteele.com)

2018	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
Northwestern	-	46.5	17	15	34-28	16-29-174	
Michigan	14	-15.5	20	18	42-180	15-24-196	0

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Projected Box Score

Projected Rushing			
87 yards	Northwestern	Michigan	286 yards
Projected Passing			
146 yards	Northwestern	Michigan	253 yards
Projected Yardage Total			
233 yards	Northwestern	Michigan	539 yards
Projected Final Score			
10 points	Northwestern	Michigan	42 points
Experience Rankings			
130	Northwestern	Michigan	120
Team Schedule Strength			
93	Northwestern	Michigan	8

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Michigan By 24.5
Las Vegas Total	51 Points
+/- Ratings	Michigan By 25.0
Game Grade	Michigan By 33.9
Computer Yards	Michigan 539-233
Computer Points	Michigan 42-10
Phil Steele	Michigan by 17

Phil's Forecast:

Michigan has won 11 of the last 12 including the last 6. In their last meeting ('18), UM went on the road and held NW to 97 yds of total off in the last 3 Q's and had 6 sacks for the game and got a TD w/4:06 left to grind out a 20-17 win (-15'). NW has only beaten UM once in the last 20 years ('08), but 4 of their last 6 losses have been by just 1 score. Last time here ('15), NW was held to just 168 yds (38 rush) and was 2-13 on 3rd down in a 38-0 shutout loss (+10). Michigan is fresh off a bye and Jim Harbaugh is 34-8 SU at home. Northwestern is 15-4 ATS as an AD the last 7 years but were in that role once this year and lost to Nebraska 56-7! NW opened 2-3 with ugly losses to Mich St, Duke and Nebraska and last week Ryan Hillinski threw for 267 yds and capped a 98 yd drive with a 64 yd TD pass & Rutgers punted on 5 of first 6 poss and NW led 14-7 at half with 288-153 yd edge as NW missed a 44 yd FG and was SOD at 37. NW was SOD at 36 but Rutgers miss 33 yd FG in 3Q. NW 71/9 TD 7:33 left and had 21-13 FD edge. Michigan had modest expectations this year but opened a perfect 6-0 and 4-1-1 ATS. Northwestern had one of the nation's best defenses last year but lost DC Hankwitz and some key players and have gone from holding foes to 56 ypg below their season avg to allowing teams 48 ypg above their season avg and allowing 206 ypg rush (5.4) which plays into the strength of Michigan. NW is -98 ypg in Big Ten play. The Wolverines have won their Big Ten games by just 10 ppg and are just +35 ypg in those. Michigan does have rival Mich St on deck and Fitzgerald's teams usually start slow and then get better each week.

Michigan 34 Northwestern 17

N Illinois Huskies

Huskies Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	OFF	DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	112	124			9/4	at Georgia Tech	22-21	W	114	119	88	62	43	96
1-0	1-0	0-0	0-0	116	121			9/11	Wyoming	43-50	L	118	120	110	95	59	38
1-1	2-0	0-0	0-0	115	136		25	9/18	at Michigan	10-63	L	117	122	104	26	30	5
1-2		0-0		111				9/25	Maine	41-14	W	108	125	107			
2-2	3-1	0-0	0-0	114	122			10/2	Eastern Michigan	27-20	W	81	122	109	97	110	103
3-2	3-2	1-0	1-0	117	123			10/9	at Toledo	22-20	W	91	117	103	94	40	65
4-2	2-4	2-0	0-2	120	96			10/16	Bowling Green	34-28	W	90	116	106	127	84	11
5-2	4-3	3-0	2-1	117	116			10/23	at Central Michigan			89	110	87	54	105	73
								10/30	Bye								
	3-4		2-1		114			11/3	at Kent St						56	112	122
	4-3		2-1		125			11/10	Ball St						113	92	22
	3-4		1-2		113			11/17	at Buffalo						93	78	98
	5-2		2-1		122			11/23	Western Michigan						60	76	119

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
at Georgia Tech	22-21	-128	-10	0	15	42-165	3.9	11-17	136	0	25	52-273	5.3	15-26	156	4
Wyoming	43-50	82	-2	-2	22	38-244	6.4	19-36	233	2	24	45-191	4.2	13-23	204	1
at Michigan	10-63	-398	-17	-1	11	36-162	4.5	9-17	46	0	28	48-373	7.8	12-17	233	0
Maine	41-14	284	16	-1	29	45-292	6.5	17-24	282	0	13	30-125	4.2	14-26	165	0
Eastern Michigan	27-20	-50	4	1	24	55-242	4.4	9-21	84	0	20	24-38	1.6	27-40	338	5
at Toledo	22-20	25	8	-1	23	55-242	4.4	14-24	154	1	15	22-135	6.1	16-31	236	0
Bowling Green	34-26	-39	6	0	23	59-319	5.4	4-8	38	0	17	28-161	5.8	16-41	235	1
at Central Michigan																
Bye																
at Kent St																
Ball St																
at Buffalo																
Western Michigan																
Average	28-31	-32.0	0.7	-0.6	21	47-238	5.0	56.5%	139	2.0%	20	36-185	5.2	55.4%	224	5.4%
Conference	28-22	-21.3	6.0	0.0	23	56-268	4.8	50.9%	92	1.9%	17	25-111	4.5	52.7%	270	5.4%
Away	18-35	-167.0	-6.3	-0.7	16	44-190	4.3	58.6%	112	1.7%	23	41-260	6.4	58.1%	208	5.4%

OVERALL:	OVERALL:
5-2	4-3
vs. MAC	vs. MAC
3-0	2-1

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

N Illinois		C Michigan
#11	Rush Off	#70
#123	Pass Off	#24
#81	**Total Off**	**#36**
#65	Score Off	#73
#4	Sks Allowed	#117
#97	Rush Def	#44
#64	Pass Def	#103
#89	**Total Def**	**#76**
#96	Score Def	#76
#94	Sks By	#25
#95	Ypg Diff	#53
-4	**Total TO's**	**-2**

N Illinois Huskies | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **C Michigan Chippewas**

C Michigan Chippewas

Chippewas Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	OFF	DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	116	124			9/4	at Missouri	24-34	L	77	89	42	75	74	30
0-1		0-0		116				9/11	Robert Morris	45-0	W	69	92	80			
1-1	1-1	0-0	0-0	117	138			9/18	at LSU	21-49	L	69	110	65	46	14	34
1-2	1-2	0-0	0-0	117	106			9/25	FIU	31-27	W	70	106	54	81	93	18
2-2	1-3	0-0	0-0	115	116			10/2	at Miami, OH	17-28	L	54	105	71	110	116	66
2-3	1-4	0-1	1-0	114	108			10/9	at Ohio	30-27	W	48	108	72	100	123	86
3-3	3-3	1-1	1-1	114	120			10/16	Toledo	26-23	W	46	109	65	89	41	67
4-3	5-2	2-1	3-0	116	117			10/23	Northern Illinois			54	105	73	89	110	87
								10/30	Bye								
	5-2		2-1		122			11/3	at Western Michigan						60	76	119
	3-4		2-1		114			11/10	Kent St						56	112	122
	4-3		2-1		125			11/17	at Ball St						113	92	22
	4-3		1-2		119			11/26	Eastern Michigan						108	107	1

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
at Missouri	24-34	7	1	-2	27	39-174	4.5	24-47	301	9	26	36-211	5.9	21-32	257	2
Robert Morris	45-0	406	25	1	28	56-310	5.5	17-25	205	2	3	30-96	3.2	5-8	13	0
at LSU	21-49	-200	-6	-1	17	31-56	1.8	25-39	228	5	23	24-84	3.5	27-39	400	1
FIU	31-27	162	11	0	29	40-202	5.1	30-49	397	2	18	32-42	1.3	20-38	395	5
at Miami, OH	17-28	-84	-1	1	25	27-52	1.9	29-49	378	3	26	38-164	4.3	25-38	350	1
at Ohio	30-27	92	1	-1	23	41-204	5.0	16-30	257	1	22	46-179	3.9	13-19	190	2
Toledo	26-23	-18	-7	0	13	35-128	3.7	21-35	204	1	20	44-142	3.2	15-32	208	7
Northern Illinois																
Bye																
at Western Michigan																
Kent St																
at Ball St																
Eastern Michigan																
Average	28-27	52.1	3.4	-0.3	23	38-161	4.2	59.1%	281	8.4%	20	36-131	3.7	61.2%	259	8.7%
Conference	24-26	-3.3	-2.3	0.0	20	34-128	3.7	57.9%	280	4.4%	23	43-162	3.8	59.6%	249	11.2%
Home	34-17	183.3	9.7	0.3	23	44-213	4.9	62.4%	269	4.6%	14	35-93	2.6	51.3%	205	15.4%

Position by Position Edges

N Illinois		C Michigan
0.21	N Illinois QB/WR vs. C Michigan DB's	
0.53	N Illinois RB's vs. C Michigan LB's	
0.45	N Illinois OL vs. C Michigan DL	
	N Illinois DL vs. C Michigan OL	1.11
	N Illinois LB'S vs. C Michigan RB's	0.63
	N Illinois DB's vs. C Michigan QB/WR	0.85
	N Illinois ST's vs. C Michigan ST's	0.21
	N Illinois K vs. C Michigan K	1.65
	N Illinois Coaches vs. C Michigan Coaches	1.50
1.19	N Illinois Pts vs. C Michigan Pts	5.96

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

C Michigan

By 4.76 Points

Last Five Years Meetings (Last 22 years at PhilSteele.com)

2020	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
Northern Illinois	-	57.5	10	13	33-74	17-34-170	
Central Michigan	-	-7.5	40	16	42-237	13-20-196	1
2019	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Northern Illinois	-	-1.5	10	13	25-22	19-31-229	
Central Michigan	-	51	48	24	50-327	18-25-288	4
2018	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Northern Illinois	-	-14	24	15	48-180	12-20-104	
Central Michigan	-	46	16	21	46-164	18-33-158	-1
2017	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Northern Illinois	-	-3	24	19	40-137	20-36-128	
Central Michigan	-	51	31	16	33-139	20-39-247	1
2016	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Northern Illinois	-	64	28	16	37-174	18-30-165	
Central Michigan	-	-2.5	34	24	50-230	19-35-254	-1

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Projected Box Score

	N Illinois		C Michigan
Projected Rushing			
195 yards	N Illinois	C Michigan	182 yards
Projected Passing			
176 yards	N Illinois	C Michigan	290 yards
Projected Yardage Total			
371 yards	N Illinois	C Michigan	472 yards
Projected Final Score			
31 points	N Illinois	C Michigan	34 points
Experience Rankings			
104	N Illinois	C Michigan	18
Team Schedule Strength			
87	N Illinois	C Michigan	115

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	C Michigan By 5
Las Vegas Total	57.5 Points
+/- Ratings	C Michigan By 2.0
Game Grade	C Michigan By 4.4
Computer Yards	C Michigan 472-371
Computer Points	C Michigan 34-31
Phil Steele	C Michigan by 1

Phil's Forecast:

Chippewas lead all-time series 31-24-1. Central Michigan is on a 6-1 SU & 7-0 ATS run vs NIU. Last year CM was a 7'pt AF. CM only led 9-0 at half with a 134-96 yd edge but NIU was just 2 of 15 on 3rd down and two plays into the 4Q. CM was up 33-0 in a 40-10 road win with a 433-244 yd edge and NIU got a late TD with :11 left. Huskies are just 1-6 SU & ATS in Mt Pleasant with their last win in '13. Last time here NIU was a 1' pt AF but never led & trailed 38-10 at HT & lost 48-10 (-4 TO). Dog has won outright 4 of the last 7 (4-3 ATS). Central Michigan opened 3-3 with losses to Missouri, LSU and Miami Ohio all on the road. Last week CM open 80/14 TD then 21/5 (after 19 yd punt) TD while Toledo settled 2 FG's (41 & 48) and miss one. Toledo SOD 25 CM 63/10 46 yd FG :00 17-3 11-7 FD edge. UT 76 yd KR but settle 32 yd FG open 3Q. CM 51 yd FG. Toledo TD 23 & 50 yd FG's pull to 23-16 then 71/7 QB Finn 18 yd TD run :35 force OT. CM FG and Toledo 3rd down sack miss 51 yd FG. Northern Illinois opened a surprising 4-2 SU with a loss to Michigan and upsets of Toledo and Georgia Tech on the road. NIU is playing to an AGG of 89.8 and CMich is at 91.5 (CM by 4.6). This game is a toss up so take the points.

Central Michigan 31 Northern Illinois 30

Kent St Golden Flashes

Golden Flashes Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	FOE OFF	FOE DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	121	143		6	9/4	at Texas A&M	10-41	L	54	123	127	14	6	36			
0-1		0-0		120				9/11	VMI	60-10	W	63	124	112						
1-1	2-0	0-0	1-0	124	148		5	9/18	at Iowa	7-30	L	64	123	111	103	7	10			
1-2	3-0	0-0	1-0	124	124			9/25	at Maryland	16-37	L	65	107	120	18	21	34			
1-3	2-2	0-0	0-0	121	97			10/2	Bowling Green	27-20	W	66	107	120	127	85	24			
2-3	2-3	1-0	0-1	117	115			10/9	Buffalo	48-38	W	75	103	123	101	106	105			
3-3	4-2	2-0	1-1	118	118			10/16	at Western Michigan	31-64	L	57	103	124	87	87	127			
3-4	1-6	2-1	1-2	114	109			10/23	at Ohio			56	112	122	98	120	84			
								10/30	Bye											
	5-2		3-0		117			11/6	Northern Illinois						89	110	87			
	4-3		2-1		116			11/13	at Central Michigan						54	105	73			
	2-5		1-2		100			11/20	at Akron						120	125	130			
	3-4		2-1		116			11/27	Miami, OH						92	102	88			

	Score	Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
at Texas A&M	10-41	-259	-10	3	19	45-226	5.0	14-30	110	5	29	42-303	7.2	21-34	292	2
VMI	60-10	414	12	4	31	62-494	8.0	14-19	204	1	19	37-138	3.7	17-36	146	2
at Iowa	7-30	-154	-4	0	17	41-79	1.9	16-23	185	7	21	38-206	5.4	26-37	212	0
at Maryland	16-37	-68	4	1	27	47-150	3.2	19-33	308	5	23	28-142	5.1	31-41	384	1
Bowling Green	27-20	78	7	2	25	56-262	4.7	15-28	134	0	18	26-55	2.1	29-46	263	5
Buffalo	48-38	87	-3	2	33	45-226	5.0	22-36	407	1	36	54-312	5.8	24-45	234	2
at Western Michigan	31-64	-286	-12	-1	20	34-124	3.6	19-34	238	5	32	51-341	6.7	15-22	307	0
at Ohio																
Bye																
Northern Illinois																
at Central Michigan																
at Akron																
Miami, OH																
Average	28-34	-26.9	-0.9	1.6	25	47-223	4.7	58.6%	227	11.8%	25	39-214	5.4	62.5%	263	4.6%
Conference	35-41	-40.3	-2.7	1.0	26	45-204	4.5	57.1%	260	6.1%	29	44-236	5.4	60.2%	268	6.2%
Away	16-43	-191.8	-5.5	0.8	21	42-145	3.5	56.7%	210	18.3%	26	40-248	6.2	69.4%	299	2.2%

OVERALL:	OVERALL:
3-4	1-6
vs. MAC	vs. MAC
2-1	1-2

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

Kent St		Ohio
#16	Rush Off	#30
#75	Pass Off	#122
#27	**Total Off**	**#104**
#65	Score Off	#113
#121	Sks Allowed	#47
#120	Rush Def	#123
#106	Pass Def	#25
#122	**Total Def**	**#97**
#112	Score Def	#97
#84	Sks By	#84
#92	Ypg Diff	#110
+11	**Total TO's**	**-2**

Kent St Golden Flashes | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **Ohio Bobcats**

Position by Position Edges

Kent St		Ohio
0.82	Kent St QB/WR vs. Ohio DB's	
1.15	Kent St RB's vs. Ohio LB's	
1.78	Kent St OL vs. Ohio DL	
	Kent St DL vs. Ohio OL	1.69
	Kent St LB'S vs. Ohio RB's	0.02
0.69	Kent St DB's vs. Ohio QB/WR	
	Kent St ST's vs. Ohio ST's	2.04
	Kent St K vs. Ohio K	1.30
	Kent St Coaches vs. Ohio Coaches	0.95
4.44	Kent St Pts vs. Ohio Pts	6.00

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

Ohio

By 1.57 Points

Ohio Bobcats

Bobcats Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	FOE OFF	FOE DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	123	121			9/4	Syracuse	9-29	L	88	110	54	84	68	18			
0-1		0-0		118				9/11	Duquesne	26-28	L	91	113	102						
0-2	1-1	0-0	0-0	113	125			9/18	at Louisiana	14-49	L	102	120	79	74	49	2			
0-3	1-2	0-0	0-1	109	121			9/25	at Northwestern	6-35	L	105	123	72	79	82	84			
0-4	1-3	0-0	0-0	107	95			10/2	at Akron	34-17	W	106	125	84	123	129	129			
1-4	2-3	1-0	0-1	108	114			10/9	Central Michigan	27-30	L	100	123	86	48	108	72			
1-5	2-4	1-1	0-2	108	114			10/16	at Buffalo	26-27	L	95	121	83	88	115	101			
1-6	3-4	1-2	2-1	109	114			10/23	Kent St			98	120	84	56	112	122			
	3-4		2-1		116			11/2	Miami, OH						92	102	88			
	4-3		1-2		119			11/9	at Eastern Michigan						108	107	1			
	3-4		1-2		118			11/16	Toledo						91	42	53			
								11/20	Bye											
	2-5		0-3		99			11/26	at Bowling Green						126	90	12			

	Score	Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
Syracuse	9-29	-37	-1	-1	20	32-134	4.2	23-31	212	0	21	44-283	6.4	12-18	100	1
Duquesne	26-28	-55	-11	0	15	24-139	5.8	14-22	168	1	26	45-168	3.7	23-34	194	1
at Louisiana	14-49	-312	-17	0	16	28-112	4.0	14-27	138	1	33	49-310	6.3	25-34	252	1
at Northwestern	6-35	-113	-5	-2	17	31-179	5.8	21-32	169	4	22	51-373	7.3	12-20	88	0
at Akron	34-17	131	6	0	25	47-398	8.5	8-15	60	2	19	38-112	2.9	18-25	215	7
Central Michigan	27-30	-92	-1	1	22	46-179	3.9	13-19	190	2	23	41-204	5.0	16-30	257	1
at Buffalo	26-27	-27	-9	0	16	43-271	6.3	6-10	75	1	25	40-112	2.8	22-30	261	1
Kent St																
Miami, OH																
at Eastern Michigan																
Toledo																
Bye																
at Bowling Green																
Average	20-31	-72.1	-5.4	-0.3	19	36-202	5.6	63.5%	145	7.1%	24	44-223	5.1	67.0%	195	6.3%
Conference	29-25	4.0	-1.3	0.3	21	45-283	6.2	61.4%	108	11.4%	22	40-143	3.6	65.9%	244	10.6%
Home	21-29	-61.3	-4.3	0.0	19	34-151	4.4	69.4%	190	4.2%	23	43-218	5.0	62.2%	184	3.7%

Last Five Years Meetings (Last 22 years at PhilSteele.com)

2019	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
Kent St	-	64	38	27	39-214	24-35-262	
Ohio	-	-7.5	45	31	46-229	19-28-342	1
2018	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Kent St	-	69.5	26	25	36-201	27-35-271	
Ohio	-	-12	27	25	38-130	18-20-284	-1
2017	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Kent St	-	47	3	7	37-102	7-17-64	
Ohio	-	-18	48	23	43-336	9-20-138	1
2016	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Kent St	-	44.5	10	18	49-163	12-29-101	
Ohio	-	-3	14	13	36-208	11-19-127	-3

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Projected Box Score

Projected Rushing		
264 yards	Kent St	Ohio 270 yards
Projected Passing		
226 yards	Kent St	Ohio 175 yards
Projected Yardage Total		
490 yards	Kent St	Ohio 445 yards
Projected Final Score		
34 points	Kent St	Ohio 29 points
Experience Rankings		
68	Kent St	Ohio 42
Team Schedule Strength		
56	Kent St	Ohio 111

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Kent St By 5.5
Las Vegas Total	66.5 Points
+/- Ratings	Kent St By 1.0
Game Grade	Kent St By 6.7
Computer Yards	Kent St 490-445
Computer Points	Kent St 35-30
Phil Steele	Kent St by 3

Phil's Forecast:

Last time here the game had 10 lead changes & was tied 3 times including at 31 early 4Q. The Flashes fell behind 45-31. Kent St scored a TD w/:31 left but could not recover the onside & lost 45-38 (+7'). The Bobcats lead the all-time series 45-25-2 including 16-8 SU since 1996. Played every season since 1949 until last year's game was cancelled (Covid). Ohio has won 6 straight vs Kent St (4-2 ATS). Frank Solich was 65-25 SU at home, but Ohio is 0-3 under Tim Albin. Sean Lewis is 4-16 SU on the road. Kent had losses to Texas A&M, Iowa and Maryland and was 3-0 vs their level of teams. Last week WM scored on their first 5 poss's but 3 were FG's and they led 23-17 at half with Kent settling for 20 yd FG at :00. Kent fumble 2nd play 3Q WM score TD's first 5 poss of 2H with Kent punting 4 times, 57-23. Each team late TD 64-31 WM 648-362 yd edge. Ohio opened 0-4 in non conf play but then beat Akron 34-17 and almost upset CMich in 3-point home loss but were 2-0 ATS in MAC play with Armani Rogers taking over at QB. Last week it was a tough loss for Ohio which led 21-0 after 1Q including a 99 yd run by QB Rogers and led 21-10 H and 26-10 after 3Q never trailed until Buffalo got a FG at :00 after missing a FG but Ohio was offsides on previous play. Ohio led 26-18 but fumbled at own 35 and Buffalo got a TD mid 4Q off that. The Bobcats have not lost a MAC game by more than 7 since 2015. In MAC play Ohio is playing at an AGG of 90.7 and Kent is at just 85.7 in MAC play (Ohio by 8.5).

Kent St 37 Ohio 34

Cincinnati Bearcats

Bearcats Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	137	120	8		9/4	Miami, OH	49-14	W	46	5	48	113	103	91
1-0		0-0		139		7		9/11	Murray St	42-7	W	37	6	59			
2-0	1-1	0-0	0-1	139	137	8		9/18	at Indiana	38-24	W	32	6	107	68	11	13
3-0		0-0		142		8		9/25	Bye			45	5	81			
3-0	4-0	0-0	0-0	142	140	7	9	10/2	at Notre Dame	24-13	W	52	7	80	68	5	23
4-0	3-2	0-0	1-0	145	111	5		10/9	Temple	52-3	W	52	4	80	92	75	112
5-0	3-2	1-0	1-1	147	124	3		10/16	UCF	56-21	W	37	4	44	22	83	81
6-0	1-5	2-0	1-3	148	115	2		10/23	at Navy			24	3	23	128	101	126
	1-5		0-2		117			10/30	at Tulane						80	114	91
	3-4		2-1		119			11/6	Tulsa						39	68	128
	1-5		0-2		112			11/13	at USF						112	124	85
	6-0		2-0		128			11/20	SMU						12	98	60
	3-3		1-1		125			11/27	at East Carolina						55	84	47

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
Miami, OH	49-14	264	10	-3	27	31-247	8.0	20-26	295	2	17	45-169	3.8	9-28	109	2
Murray St	42-7	149	2	4	17	32-130	4.1	15-25	261	2	15	37-93	2.5	17-29	149	1
at Indiana	38-24	-48	0	2	20	36-118	3.3	20-36	210	1	20	37-152	4.1	17-40	224	1
Bye																
at Notre Dame	24-13	49	-3	1	16	30-93	3.1	19-32	297	1	19	28-84	3.0	23-46	257	2
Temple	52-3	308	9	3	23	33-279	8.5	23-31	263	1	14	29-84	2.9	18-32	150	6
UCF	56-21	180	9	2	23	42-336	8.0	13-23	140	1	14	37-155	4.2	16-27	141	1
at Navy																
at Tulane																
Tulsa																
at USF																
SMU																
at East Carolina																
Average	44-14	150.3	4.5	1.5	21	34-201	5.9	63.6%	244	4.6%	17	36-123	3.5	49.5%	172	6.4%
Conference	54-12	244.0	9.0	2.5	23	38-308	8.2	66.7%	202	3.7%	14	33-120	3.6	57.6%	146	11.9%
Away	31-19	0.5	-1.5	1.5	18	33-106	3.2	57.4%	254	2.9%	20	33-118	3.6	46.5%	241	3.5%

OVERALL:	OVERALL:
6-0	1-5
vs. AAC	vs. AAC
2-0	1-3

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

Cincinnati		Navy
#32	Rush Off	#19
#58	Pass Off	#129
#34	**Total Off**	**#125**
#6	Score Off	#120
#21	Sks Allowed	#121
#35	Rush Def	#55
#12	Pass Def	#72
#11	**Total Def**	**#58**
#3	Score Def	#108
#71	Sks By	#124
#9	Ypg Diff	#114
+9	**Total TO's**	**+2**

Cincinnati Bearcats | **LEADERS & TEAM AVERAGES** | **Navy Midshipmen**

Position by Position Edges

Cincinnati		Navy
1.14	Cincinnati QB/WR vs. Navy DB's	
0.43	Cincinnati RB's vs. Navy LB's	
1.11	Cincinnati OL vs. Navy DL	
2.75	Cincinnati DL vs. Navy OL	
2.44	Cincinnati LB'S vs. Navy RB's	
4.83	Cincinnati DB's vs. Navy QB/WR	
7.18	Cincinnati ST's vs. Navy ST's	
	Cincinnati K vs. Navy K	0.70
	Cincinnati Coaches vs. Navy Coaches	0.05
19.88	Cincinnati Pts vs. Navy Pts	0.75

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

Cincinnati

By 19.13 Points

Navy Midshipmen

Midshipmen Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	121	114			9/4	Marshall	7-49	L	117	92	120	93	61	39
0-1	1-0	0-0	0-0	116	121			9/11	Air Force	3-23	L	117	88	130	74	103	101
0-2		0-0		113				9/18	Bye			122	88	127			
0-2	2-1	0-0	0-0	113	123			9/25	Houston	20-28	L	128	94	130	96	45	11
0-3	2-1	0-1	0-0	114	128			10/2	UCF	34-30	W	128	96	127	7	70	107
1-3	5-0	1-1	1-0	117	128		24	10/9	SMU	24-31	L	128	92	126	4	94	91
1-4	3-3	1-2	0-2	117	119			10/16	at Memphis	17-35	L	128	93	123	21	94	18
1-5	6-0	1-3	2-0	115	148		2	10/23	Cincinnati			128	101	126	24	3	23
	3-4		2-1		119			10/30	at Tulsa						39	68	128
	5-1		0-0		137			11/6	at Notre Dame						85	10	37
								11/13	Bye								
	3-3		1-1		125			11/20	East Carolina						55	84	47
	3-3		1-1		109			11/27	at Temple						97	100	111
								12/4	Bye								

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
Marshall	7-49	-66	1	1	24	76-337	4.4	5-16	61	9	23	30-101	3.4	21-33	363	1
Air Force	3-23	-157	-8	-1	6	34-36	1.1	3-10	32	5	14	59-176	3.0	3-10	49	1
Bye																
Houston	20-28	-89	-5	-1	15	52-190	3.7	4-8	98	2	20	34-120	3.5	22-31	257	2
UCF	34-30	80	9	0	26	76-348	4.6	2-4	58	1	17	29-148	5.1	16-27	178	0
SMU	24-31	-163	-10	2	12	53-177	3.3	4-7	64	3	22	29-80	2.8	30-40	324	1
at Memphis	17-35	-174	2	1	17	65-198	3.0	4-6	43	4	15	34-200	5.9	8-12	215	0
Cincinnati																
at Tulsa																
at Notre Dame																
Bye																
East Carolina																
at Temple																
Bye																
Average	18-33	-94.8	-1.8	0.3	17	59-214	3.6	43.1%	59	47.1%	19	36-138	3.8	65.4%	231	3.3%
Conference	24-31	-86.5	-1.0	0.5	18	62-228	3.7	56.0%	66	40.0%	19	32-137	4.3	69.1%	244	2.7%
Home	17-33	-76.5	-2.0	0.5	17	60-225	3.8	37.8%	54	48.6%	19	37-126	3.4	63.6%	229	2.7%

Last Five Years Meetings (Last 22 years at PhilSteele.com)

2018	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
Cincinnati	-	-13.5	42	22	41-262	14-20-189	
Navy	-	48.5	0	13	52-124	3-4-47	-1

2017	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
Cincinnati	-	52.5	32	22	23-58	28-46-381	
Navy	-	-11	42	31	72-569	2-3-53	0

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Projected Box Score

Cincinnati		Navy
Projected Rushing		
156 yards	Cincinnati	Navy 213 yards
Projected Passing		
197 yards	Cincinnati	Navy 9 yards
Projected Yardage Total		
353 yards	Cincinnati	Navy 223 yards
Projected Final Score		
39 points	Cincinnati	Navy 9 points
Experience Rankings		
95	Cincinnati	Navy 102
Team Schedule Strength		
82	Cincinnati	Navy 15

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Cincinnati By 28
Las Vegas Total	49 Points
+/- Ratings	Cincinnati By 28.5
Game Grade	Cincinnati By 19.6
Computer Yards	Cincinnati 353-223
Computer Points	Cincinnati 39-9
Phil Steele	Cincinnati by 39

Phil's Forecast:

Will be their 3rd meeting as AAC foes. First met as conference foes in '17 when Navy won 42-32 at home & then the next year in '18 Cincy held Navy to 171 yds and shut them out 42-0 (451-171) at home. "We played Navy a few times," Fickell said. "Obviously, they're still different. They do some uniquely different things. But, all in all, you've at least played it a few times. You've seen what not to do and what did work." Last year Cincy held Army to 276 total yards and 10 points at home. Navy is 12-8-1 ATS as a HD. Cincy opened the year 5-0 SU and 4-0 ATS vs FBS foes with road wins over Indy and Notre Dame. Last week for the first time in school history Cincy scored 50+ in consecutive games. A partially blocked punt led to a 38 yd TD drive to lead 7-0 and RB Ford had a 79 yd TD run to make it 28-0 and it was 35-7 at half with 314-99 yd edge. UCF without QB Gabriel, RB Harvey and Bowser and WR Robinson. Cincy got a 74 yd IR TD to lead 42-7 and rolled 56-21 at home. Navy got off to a slow start with two blowout losses and fired their long time OC. They covered vs Houston and SMU and upset UCF. Last week Memphis opened with a 75/7 TD and Navy then went on a 75/21/11:50 drive for a TD to tie it 7-7. Mem got a 69 yd run by Austin on next play. Navy had two TD call back on pen's and settle for FG 14-10 then Memphis 74 yd TD pass and 63/12 TD led 28-10 H. Navy open 2H with 75/14/6:51 TD 28-17. Mem 72/5 TD Navy punt then 42/15/8:31 miss 55 yd FG in 35-17 Memphis win with 415-241 yd edge but Navy 17-16 FD. Navy is holding foes to 105 ypg below their season average but Cincy is gaining 117 ypg above what opp's allow. Cincy is avg 44 ppg and Navy is allowing 33 ppg. Cincy has a soft schedule down the stretch and needs impressive wins and have the defense and the knowledge to stuff the option.

Cincinnati 45 Navy 6

NC State Wolfpack

Wolfpack Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	FOE OFF	FOE DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	129	116			9/4	USF	45-0	W	38	13	26	108	108	85			
1-0	1-0	0-0	0-0	133	128			9/11	at Miss St	10-24	L	30	12	40	46	30	96			
1-1		0-0		129				9/18	Furman	45-7	W	41	9	105						
2-1	2-1	0-0	1-0	131	139		9	9/25	Clemson	27-21	W	35	11	82	48	4	94			
3-1	2-2	1-0	1-0	134	113	23		10/2	Louisiana Tech	34-27	W	44	10	92	101	98	108			
4-1		1-0		123		23		10/9	Bye			35	17	83						
4-1	4-1	1-0	0-1	123	128	22		10/16	at Boston College	33-7	W	34	17	90	49	77	15			
5-1	2-4	2-0	0-2	136	128	18		10/23	at Miami, Fl			32	13	77	40	27	62			
	3-3		1-2		128			10/30	Louisville						49	75	35			
	2-4		2-2		127			11/6	at Florida St						43	53	64			
	6-0		4-0		134			11/13	at Wake Forest						42	74	6			
	3-4		0-3		126			11/20	Syracuse						63	73	82			
	4-3		3-3		131			11/27	North Carolina						21	57	72			

	Score	Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
USF	45-0	254	12	2	27	40-293	7.3	17-26	232	1	15	32-104	3.3	14-33	167	0
at Miss St	10-24	19	1	-3	16	25-32	1.3	30-51	303	4	15	15-22	1.5	33-49	294	1
Furman	45-7	309	16	0	25	31-218	7.0	28-37	287	0	9	32-92	2.9	10-21	104	1
Clemson	27-21	172	21	0	31	51-148	2.9	32-45	238	3	10	23-103	4.5	12-26	111	2
Louisiana Tech	34-27	-62	-3	2	23	31-167	5.4	22-36	251	1	26	35-139	4.0	26-44	341	3
Bye																
at Boston College	33-7	90	-1	2	16	34-130	3.8	16-24	251	1	17	30-97	3.2	21-39	194	3
at Miami, Fl																
Louisville																
at Florida St																
at Wake Forest																
Syracuse																
North Carolina																
Average	32-14	130.3	7.7	0.5	23	35-165	4.7	66.2%	260	4.6%	15	28-93	3.3	54.7%	202	4.7%
Conference	30-14	131.0	10.0	1.0	24	43-139	3.3	69.6%	245	5.8%	14	27-100	3.8	50.8%	153	7.7%
Away	22-16	54.5	0.0	-0.5	16	30-81	2.7	61.3%	277	6.7%	16	23-60	2.6	61.4%	244	4.5%

OVERALL:	OVERALL:
5-1	2-4
vs. ACC	vs. ACC
2-0	0-2

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

NC State		Miami, Fl
#66	Rush Off	#73
#42	Pass Off	#26
#51	**Total Off**	**#45**
#38	Score Off	#38
#38	Sks Allowed	#105
#11	Rush Def	#71
#34	Pass Def	#79
#12	**Total Def**	**#73**
#6	Score Def	#92
#101	Sks By	#51
#14	Ypg Diff	#55
+3	**Total TO's**	**-5**

NC State Wolfpack | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **Miami, Fl Hurricanes**

Position by Position Edges

NC State		Miami, Fl
	NC State QB/WR vs. Miami, Fl DB's	0.96
	NC State RB's vs. Miami, Fl LB's	0.62
0.02	NC State OL vs. Miami, Fl DL	
0.68	NC State DL vs. Miami, Fl OL	
1.34	NC State LB'S vs. Miami, Fl RB's	
1.15	NC State DB's vs. Miami, Fl QB/WR	
0.74	NC State ST's vs. Miami, Fl ST's	
1.00	NC State K vs. Miami, Fl K	
0.80	NC State Coaches vs. Miami, Fl Coaches	
5.73	NC State Pts vs. Miami, Fl Pts	1.58

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

NC State

By 4.15 Points

Miami, Fl Hurricanes

Hurricanes Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	FOE OFF	FOE DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	133	158	14	1	9/4	† Alabama	13-44	L	5	17	31	8	1	1			
0-1	1-0	0-0	0-0	131	128	22		9/11	Appalachian St	25-23	W	8	27	27	26	22	29			
1-1	2-0	0-0	1-0	131	128	24		9/18	Michigan St	17-38	L	13	31	49	35	84	113			
1-2		0-0		126				9/25	Central Conn St	69-0	W	57	50	43						
2-2	2-2	0-0	0-2	130	128			10/2	Virginia	28-30	L	24	36	46	49	100	96			
2-3		0-1		128				10/9	Bye			32	30	50						
2-3	3-3	0-1	2-3	128	131			10/16	at North Carolina	42-45	L	31	28	55	18	65	100			
2-4	5-1	0-2	2-0	128	136		18	10/23	NC State			40	27	62	32	13	77			
	5-1		2-0		132			10/30	at Pittsburgh						14	28	78			
	3-3		2-2		124			11/6	Georgia Tech						70	81	103			
	2-4		2-2		127			11/13	at Florida St						43	53	64			
	3-3		1-1		122			11/20	Virginia Tech						110	20	10			
	3-4		0-3		111			11/27	at Duke						26	86	56			

	Score	Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
† Alabama	13-44	-235	-10	-2	18	31-87	2.8	23-31	179	4	28	38-147	3.9	28-39	354	1
Appalachian St	25-23	49	6	1	25	43-175	4.1	20-33	200	2	19	39-127	3.3	21-34	199	1
Michigan St	17-38	-14	6	0	29	24-52	2.2	38-60	388	3	23	41-193	4.7	18-31	261	3
Central Conn St	69-0	541	20	1	31	45-322	7.2	21-25	417	3	11	26-29	1.1	19-37	169	3
Virginia	28-30	-77	-5	1	18	40-169	4.2	15-29	203	4	23	35-181	5.2	25-44	268	3
Bye																
at North Carolina	42-45	39	7	-2	30	34-157	4.6	20-45	264	3	23	48-228	4.8	17-26	154	4
NC State																
at Pittsburgh																
Georgia Tech																
at Florida St																
Virginia Tech																
at Duke																
Average	32-30	50.5	4.0	-0.8	25	36-160	4.4	61.4%	275	8.5%	21	38-151	4.0	60.7%	234	7.1%
Conference	35-38	-19.0	1.0	-0.5	24	37-163	4.4	47.3%	234	9.5%	23	42-205	4.9	60.0%	211	10.0%
Home	35-23	124.8	6.8	-0.3	26	38-180	4.7	63.9%	302	8.2%	19	35-133	3.8	56.8%	224	6.8%

Last Five Years Meetings (Last 22 years at PhilSteele.com)

2020	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
NC State	-	58.5	41	24	34-131	20-29-279	
Miami, Fl	11	-10	44	30	41-189	32-42-431	1

2019	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
NC State	-	51	13	18	29-119	20-44-210	
Miami, Fl	-	-2.5	27	24	32-129	22-38-286	2

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Projected Box Score

Projected Rushing			
141 yards	NC State	Miami, Fl	149 yards
Projected Passing			
206 yards	NC State	Miami, Fl	261 yards
Projected Yardage Total			
347 yards	NC State	Miami, Fl	409 yards
Projected Final Score			
28 points	NC State	Miami, Fl	27 points
Experience Rankings			
44	NC State	Miami, Fl	8
Team Schedule Strength			
90	NC State	Miami, Fl	32

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	N Car St By 3
Las Vegas Total	51.5 Points
+/- Ratings	N Car St By 3.5
Game Grade	Miami, Fl By 1.1
Computer Yards	Miami, Fl 409-347
Computer Points	N Car St 28-27
Phil Steele	Miami, Fl by 3

Phil's Forecast:

Miami is 22-7 SU the L5Y at home including 13-5 vs ACC foes. Miami leads al-time series 10-5 and 'Canes have won 3 straight meetings. Last time here was in 2012, Miami led 23-7 1Q. Canes got 62 yd TD pass with :19 left & won 44-37. The teams combined for 1,315 yds. Last year tied at 31, NCSt got a 100 yd KR TD by Knight and after a 53 yd FG led 41-31 early 4Q. Miami (down 11 players incl LT and TE) got 38 & 22 yd FG's then QB King (31-41-430) hit a 54 yd pass to Harley with 2:34 left. Miami end game at NCSt 10 in 44-41 win (-10). Miami opened on a poor note going 2-3 with upset losses to Mich St and Virginia at home. They did miss a chip shot game winning FG at the end vs Virginia. Last week with QB King OFY Miami moved to 2-4 for the first time s/1997. Tyler Van Dyke in his first road start hit 5-15 in 1H and 20-45-264 in 2H NC led 31-17 at half with 18-10 FD edge as Miami had a 33 yd IR TD. Miami first 3 2H drives TD, FG, TD 38-34 then SOD 42 4&3 and NC 58/8 TD. Miami punt then 97/12 TD 3:08 left force punt 56/9 to 16 3&4 pass hit at line and intercept. Miami 30-23 FD edge game. NCSt lost at Miss St in a game they trailed 24-3 last 4Q but did upset Clemson with a 386-214 yd edge at home. They got an int in the EZ to stop Louis Tech in a 7-point home win. Last week the 1H yds were 172-172 but BC had a TD pass knocked loose in EZ and then missed a FG and NCST went 70/16. WR Emezie was hit and fumbled clearly but they let the play stand as an incompletion so NCST got a 27 yd FG to lead 10-7 H. BC's P dropped the ball and NCST returned it for a TD then after a pass off the WR's hand was int NCST went 61/7 for TD. A pass intended for TE was snagged by WR Thomas on broken play and he went 79 yds for TD 31-7 in 33-7 Wolfpack road win. Miami has taken on the tougher schedule (#33 vs #90). My computer has Miami winning outright with a 408-346 yd edge and I agree.

Miami, FL 30 NC State 27

Wake Forest Demon Deacons

Demon Deacons Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	FOE OFF	FOE DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	132	101			9/4	Old Dominion	42-10	W	39	63	65	125	124	93			
1-0		0-0		132				9/11	Norfolk St	41-16	W	48	62	65						
2-0	0-2	0-0	0-0	128	122			9/18	Florida St	35-14	W	60	56	4	27	35	73			
3-0	2-1	1-0	0-1	130	133			9/25	at Virginia	37-17	W	54	62	15	47	95	92			
4-0	3-1	2-0	1-0	135	128	24		10/2	Louisville	37-34	W	48	42	19	71	84	58			
5-0	3-2	3-0	0-1	134	126	19		10/9	at Syracuse	40-37	W	36	64	21	59	81	52			
6-0		4-0		134		16		10/16	Bye			39	73	9						
6-0	4-2	4-0	1-0	134	121	16		10/23	at Army West Point			42	74	6	86	48	70			
	3-4		0-3		111			10/30	Duke						26	86	56			
	4-3		3-3		131			11/6	at North Carolina						21	57	72			
	5-1		2-0		136			11/13	NC State						32	13	77			
	4-2		3-1		135			11/20	at Clemson						66	6	90			
	4-2		0-2		124			11/27	at Boston College						61	83	33			

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
Old Dominion	42-10	80	3	1	20	41-164	4.0	18-29	188	2	17	39-145	3.7	18-38	127	2
Norfolk St	41-16	77	3	0	22	31-161	5.2	18-29	252	0	19	39-141	3.6	19-31	195	3
Florida St	35-14	167	11	4	27	58-225	3.9	22-31	259	3	16	29-91	3.1	16-22	226	3
at Virginia	37-17	-33	-7	2	24	45-203	4.5	17-29	270	0	31	27-99	3.7	33-59	407	6
Louisville	37-34	-21	1	1	26	44-177	4.0	23-40	324	2	25	43-213	5.0	19-27	309	2
at Syracuse	40-37	-88	-12	0	21	37-96	2.6	19-32	330	2	33	58-354	6.1	15-27	160	2
Bye																
at Army West Point																
Duke																
at North Carolina																
NC State																
at Clemson																
at Boston College																
Average	39-21	30.3	-0.2	1.3	23	43-171	4.0	61.6%	271	4.7%	24	39-174	4.4	58.8%	237	8.8%
Conference	37-26	6.3	-1.8	1.8	25	46-175	3.8	61.4%	296	5.3%	26	39-189	4.8	61.5%	276	9.6%
Away	39-27	-60.5	-9.5	1.0	23	41-150	3.6	59.0%	300	3.3%	32	43-227	5.3	55.8%	284	9.3%

OVERALL:	OVERALL:
6-0	4-2
vs. ACC	vs. IND
4-0	1-0

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

Wake Forest		Army
#55	Rush Off	#2
#31	Pass Off	#128
#38	**Total Off**	**#88**
#12	Score Off	#46
#27	Sks Allowed	#2
#91	Rush Def	#4
#88	Pass Def	#38
#93	**Total Def**	**#6**
#43	Score Def	#39
#25	Sks By	#71
#64	Ypg Diff	#35
+8	**Total TO's**	**+2**

Wake Forest Demon Deacons | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **Army Black Knights**

Position by Position Edges

Wake Forest		Army
0.17	Wake Forest QB/WR vs. Army DB's	
	Wake Forest RB's vs. Army LB's	0.94
	Wake Forest OL vs. Army DL	0.48
	Wake Forest DL vs. Army OL	0.24
0.15	Wake Forest LB'S vs. Army RB's	
0.86	Wake Forest DB's vs. Army QB/WR	
3.25	Wake Forest ST's vs. Army ST's	
	Wake Forest K vs. Army K	0.80
	Wake Forest Coaches vs. Army Coaches	0.80
4.44	Wake Forest Pts vs. Army Pts	3.26

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

Wake Forest

By 1.18 Points

Army Black Knights

Black Knights Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	FOE OFF	FOE DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	120	122			9/4	at Georgia St	43-10	W	109	82	55	59	101	114			
1-0	1-0	0-0	0-0	125	116			9/11	WKU	38-35	W	104	79	14	103	68	32			
2-0	0-3	0-0	0-0	124	91			9/18	Connecticut	52-21	W	100	79	22	129	129	125			
3-0	1-2	1-0	0-0	123	116			9/25	Miami, OH	23-10	W	42	71	44	106	110	36			
4-0	1-3	1-0	0-1	123	116			10/2	at Ball St	16-28	L	40	53	29	122	109	45			
4-1		1-0		119				10/9	Bye			74	48	51						
4-1	2-3	1-0	1-2	119	135			10/16	at Wisconsin	14-20	L	73	40	57	65	5	95			
4-2	6-0	1-0	4-0	121	134	16		10/23	Wake Forest			86	48	70	42	74	6			
								10/30	Bye											
	6-1		3-1		129			11/6	† Air Force						71	65	125			
								11/13	Bucknell											
	1-5		1-0		95			11/20	UMass						124	129	123			
	5-2		0-0		131			11/27	at Liberty						78	39	105			
								12/4	Bye											
	1-5		1-3		115			12/11	† Navy						128	101	126			

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
at Georgia St	43-10	179	6	2	20	67-258	3.9	3-4	98	0	14	28-48	1.7	12-20	129	3
WKU	38-35	-61	1	0	23	67-339	5.1	5-6	77	1	22	19-42	2.2	28-40	435	3
Connecticut	52-21	279	15	1	24	67-397	5.9	3-3	107	0	9	19-116	6.1	11-26	109	2
Miami, OH	23-10	152	3	1	16	63-384	6.1	0-5	0	0	13	20-28	1.4	12-27	204	2
at Ball St	16-28	10	6	-2	18	61-213	3.5	5-15	66	0	12	26-36	1.4	17-28	233	2
Bye																
at Wisconsin	14-20	-44	-5	0	13	50-179	3.6	5-6	87	1	18	43-198	4.6	8-15	112	1
Wake Forest																
Bye																
† Air Force																
Bucknell																
UMass																
at Liberty																
Bye																
† Navy																
Average	31-21	85.8	4.3	0.3	19	63-295	4.7	53.8%	73	5.1%	15	26-78	3.0	56.4%	204	8.3%
Conference	14-20	-44.0	-5.0	0.0	13	50-179	3.6	83.3%	87	16.7%	18	43-198	4.6	53.3%	112	6.7%
Home	38-22	123.3	6.3	0.7	21	66-373	5.7	57.1%	61	7.1%	15	19-62	3.2	54.8%	249	7.5%

Last Five Years Meetings (Last 22 years at PhilSteele.com)

2016	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
Wake Forest	-	-6.5	13	17	23-123	23-43-220	
Army West Point	-	41.5	21	21	64-238	6-9-145	1

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Projected Box Score

Projected Rushing			
85 yards	Wake Forest	Army	322 yards
Projected Passing			
229 yards	Wake Forest	Army	80 yards
Projected Yardage Total			
314 yards	Wake Forest	Army	401 yards
Projected Final Score			
31 points	Wake Forest	Army	25 points
Experience Rankings			
27	Wake Forest	Army	54
Team Schedule Strength			
91	Wake Forest	Army	80

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Wake Forest By 3
Las Vegas Total	52.5 Points
+/- Ratings	Wake Forest By 9.5
Game Grade	Army By 5.7
Computer Yards	Army 401-314
Computer Points	Wake Forest 31-25
Phil Steele	Wake Forest by 7

Phil's Forecast:

The last meeting was in 2015 when WF won 17-14. WF is 19-5 against non-conf foes and have won their last 4 traveling to G5 foes. WF has a big edge on offense, but Army has the edge on defense & ST's. The Demon Deacons have had plenty of time to prep for the option coming off a bye and Army comes off a physical game at Wisconsin. Wake opened the year 6-0 SU and 3-3 ATS only beating Louisville and Syracuse by 3 each. They are allowing 174 (4.4) on the ground and the D is allowing foes 1 ypg above their season average. WF has a balanced offense and QB Sam Hartman is hitting 63% with a 14-3 ratio. Army opened up a perfect 4-0 SU but lost at Ball St 28-16 to fall to 2-3 ATS. Last week Wisconsin took its 3rd drive 95/12/6:04 for TD then went 81/10/6:14 on next and led 13-0 H with 12-2 FD and 230-48 yd edge. Army miss 43 yd FG then took 3rd 2H drive 54/8 TD 13-7. Army sack and fumble and UW 1/1 QB sneak TD 2:43 left 20-7 but Howard great catch on 36 yd pass and Army 77/7 TD :38 left back door cover. Army is playing to an AGG of 104.2 and Wake is at 102.0. Army is 27-2 SU at home the last 5 years but have hosted just one P5 team (beat Duke by 5) in that span. I like the Demon Deacons to stay undefeated. Army played last weeks game in a phone booth vs a similar run oriented offense and this week take on a much more explosive offense with a defense that has extra time to prep for the option.

Best Bet: ★ Wake Forest 31 Army 24

Temple Owls

Owls Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- DEF	--PS RANK-- ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	112	128			9/4	at Rutgers	14-61	L	106	111	118	99	49	5
0-1	0-1	0-0	0-0	108	96			9/11	at Akron	45-24	W	110	111	122	128	125	64
1-1	2-0	0-0	0-0	110	125			9/18	Boston College	3-28	L	112	102	129	37	86	11
1-2		0-0		108				9/25	Wagner	41-7	W	110	77	128			
2-2	3-1	0-0	0-0	107	125			10/2	Memphis	34-31	W	103	78	115	19	76	7
3-2	4-0	1-0	0-0	111	145		5	10/9	at Cincinnati	3-52	L	92	75	112	52	4	80
3-3		1-1		109				10/16	Bye			102	91	113			
3-3	1-5	1-1	0-2	109	112			10/23	at USF			97	100	111	112	124	85
	3-3		1-2		123			10/30	UCF						29	95	114
	3-3		1-1		125			11/6	at East Carolina						55	84	47
	5-1		3-0		129			11/13	Houston						72	25	13
	3-4		2-1		119			11/20	at Tulsa						39	68	128
	1-5		1-3		115			11/27	Navy						128	101	126

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
at Rutgers	14-61	-104	-9	-5	12	36-113	3.1	8-27	148	3	21	51-220	4.3	16-29	145	0
at Akron	45-24	60	-7	2	19	34-177	5.2	19-23	245	0	26	43-171	4.0	19-34	191	3
Boston College	3-28	18	0	1	13	36-78	2.2	17-24	161	4	13	35-187	5.3	5-13	34	0
Wagner	41-7	248	14	0	22	29-115	4.0	22-33	292	2	8	48-123	2.6	4-9	36	2
Memphis	34-31	19	-2	2	23	33-157	4.8	36-50	322	0	25	38-155	4.1	24-40	305	3
at Cincinnati	3-52	-308	-9	-3	14	29-84	2.9	18-32	150	6	23	33-279	8.5	23-31	263	1
Bye																
at USF																
UCF																
at East Carolina																
Houston																
at Tulsa																
Navy																
Average	23-34	-11.2	-2.2	-0.5	17	33-121	3.7	63.5%	220	7.9%	19	41-189	4.6	58.3%	162	5.8%
Conference	19-42	-144.5	-5.5	-0.5	19	31-121	3.9	65.9%	236	7.3%	24	36-217	6.1	66.2%	284	5.6%
Away	21-46	-117.3	-8.3	-2.0	15	33-125	3.8	54.9%	181	11.0%	23	42-223	5.3	61.7%	200	4.3%

OVERALL:	OVERALL:
3-3	1-5
vs. AAC	vs. AAC
1-1	0-2

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

Temple		USF
#99	Rush Off	#83
#82	Pass Off	#106
#106	**Total Off**	**#114**
#100	Score Off	#107
#78	Sks Allowed	#27
#101	Rush Def	#126
#9	Pass Def	#112
#48	**Total Def**	**#128**
#109	Score Def	#119
#110	Sks By	#128
#85	Ypg Diff	#127
-3	**Total TO's**	**+1**

Temple Owls | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **USF Bulls**

Position by Position Edges

Temple		USF
0.27	Temple QB/WR vs. USF DB's	
	Temple RB's vs. USF LB's	0.01
1.45	Temple OL vs. USF DL	
	Temple DL vs. USF OL	0.10
	Temple LB'S vs. USF RB's	0.05
1.48	Temple DB's vs. USF QB/WR	
	Temple ST's vs. USF ST's	1.10
0.70	Temple K vs. USF K	
0.80	Temple Coaches vs. USF Coaches	
4.70	Temple Pts vs. USF Pts	1.26

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

Temple

By 3.44 Points

USF Bulls

Bulls Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- DEF	--PS RANK-- ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	116	129			9/4	at NC State	0-45	L	108	108	85	38	13	26
0-1	1-0	0-0	0-0	112	135		13	9/11	Florida	20-42	L	109	110	128	33	24	61
0-2		0-0		111				9/18	Florida A&M	38-17	W	116	113	116			
1-2	3-0	0-0	0-0	109	134		15	9/25	at BYU	27-35	L	116	120	116	76	88	25
1-3	4-0	0-0	0-0	113	127			10/2	at SMU	17-41	L	112	123	117	6	92	105
1-4		0-1		112				10/9	Bye			113	121	120			
1-4	2-4	0-1	1-1	112	119			10/16	Tulsa	31-32	L	112	123	115	47	71	126
1-5	3-3	0-2	1-1	112	109			10/23	Temple			112	124	85	97	100	111
	3-3		1-1		125			10/30	at East Carolina						55	84	47
	5-1		3-0		129			11/6	Houston						72	25	13
	6-0		2-0		148			11/13	Cincinnati						24	3	23
	1-5		0-2		117			11/20	at Tulane						80	114	91
	3-3		1-2		123			11/26	at UCF						29	95	114

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
at NC State	0-45	-254	-12	-2	15	32-104	3.3	14-33	167	0	27	40-293	7.3	17-26	232	1
Florida	20-42	-383	-6	1	20	41-95	2.3	17-30	188	1	26	44-363	8.3	17-25	303	1
Florida A&M	38-17	24	-2	0	18	46-241	5.2	12-26	163	2	20	29-132	4.6	25-49	248	1
at BYU	27-35	-76	2	0	23	48-181	3.8	17-24	186	1	21	25-138	5.5	20-25	305	0
at SMU	17-41	-127	-11	0	19	37-113	3.1	14-22	223	2	30	40-162	4.1	29-42	301	0
Bye																
Tulsa	31-32	-267	-18	2	13	31-113	3.6	11-26	155	3	31	49-269	5.5	22-39	266	0
Temple																
at East Carolina																
Houston																
Cincinnati																
at Tulane																
at UCF																
Average	22-35	-180.5	-7.8	0.2	18	39-141	3.6	52.8%	180	5.6%	26	38-226	6.0	63.1%	276	1.5%
Conference	24-37	-197.0	-14.5	1.0	16	34-113	3.3	52.1%	189	10.4%	31	45-216	4.8	63.0%	284	0.0%
Home	30-30	-208.7	-8.7	1.0	17	39-150	3.8	48.8%	169	7.3%	26	41-255	6.3	56.6%	272	1.8%

Last Five Years Meetings (Last 22 years at PhilSteele.com)

2020	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
Temple	-	-13	39	32	43-146	30-42-270	
South Florida	-	54	37	21	44-143	16-29-181	-1
2019	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Temple	-	-1.5	17	16	39-153	17-23-167	
South Florida	-	66	7	20	37-61	22-38-225	-1
2018	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Temple	-	-13.5	27	18	40-73	20-35-264	
South Florida	-	62	17	15	48-184	14-23-82	-3
2017	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Temple	-	63	7	6	33--4	7-25-89	
South Florida	21	-19.5	43	22	63-312	8-20-96	4
2016	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Temple	-	60	46	26	51-319	14-21-209	
South Florida	-	-6.5	30	18	33-165	11-20-187	-1

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Projected Box Score

	Temple		USF
Projected Rushing			
153 yards	Temple	USF	210 yards
Projected Passing			
221 yards	Temple	USF	145 yards
Projected Yardage Total			
373 yards	Temple	USF	355 yards
Projected Final Score			
28 points	Temple	USF	35 points
Experience Rankings			
108	Temple	USF	78
Team Schedule Strength			
107	Temple	USF	53

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Usf By 2.5
Las Vegas Total	55.5 Points
+/- Ratings	Usf By 6.5
Game Grade	Usf By 2.1
Computer Yards	Temple 373-355
Computer Points	Usf 35-28
Phil Steele	Usf by 6

Phil's Forecast:

Temple has won 5 of the last 7 meetings against USF dating back to 2012. Last year's meeting was just the 2nd game of the season for Temple while USF already had 4 games under their belt. Temple jumped out to a 10-0 lead 1Q but then USF scored TD's on 3 of their next 5 drives to go up 21-17 late 1H. USF recovered an onside kick but then fumbled on the 1st play and then Temple drove 50/6 but then had a FG blocked to end the half (212-182 Temple). To start the 2H Temple got a FG, then USF responded with a TD then added a FG off a Temple INT to go up 31-20. Temple would respond with a TD (2-pt NG) and then in the 4Q Temple took the lead 32-31 after a FR TD (2-pt). Temple would extend their lead 39-31 after an 81/11 drive, but USF 72/12 TD drive but missed a 2-pt try that would have tied the game and USF fell 39-37 (416-424 yd edge for Temple). The Owls are off a bye while USF is at home again after facing Tulsa here last week. Rod Carey is 15-9 ATS as an AD. Temple is 3-3 including an upset win vs Memphis. Georgia transfer D'Wan Mathis (PS#12) led that win and has thrown for 882 (61%, 5-2) but the Owls avg 48 ypg below what their opp's allow. USF opened 1-4 SU and 2-3 ATS and last week Tulsa had a 19-6 FD edge in the 1H but had 3 TO's and gave up a 100 yd KR TD and 69 yd IR TD and actually trailed 24-20. USF went 81/10 for TD to lead 31-20 after 3Q. Tulsa went 99/10 for a TD USF was SOD on 4&1 at own 42 with 4:20 left and Tulsa went 42/9 conv on 4&3 and got a 3 yd TD run with :47 to win 32-31 with 31-13 FD and 535-268 yd edges. USF has a weak defensive front 7 and is allowing 226 ypg & 6.0 ypc rush but Temple's top RB is Edward Saydee (191, 3.9). Temple has the defensive edge and is playing to an AGG of 84.6 while USF is at just 81.7. USF did almost beat Tulsa here at home last week and finally snag their first FBS win in nearly two years.

USF 34 Temple 28

E Michigan Eagles

Eagles Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- DEF	FOE ST
0-0		0-0		117				9/4	St Francis Pa	35-15	W	107	118	29			
1-0	0-1	0-0	0-1	120	139		18	9/11	at Wisconsin	7-34	L	105	114	89	29	20	106
1-1	0-2	0-0	0-0	119	95			9/18	at UMass	42-28	W	113	116	101	127	130	128
2-1	1-2	0-0	0-0	118	108			9/25	Texas St	59-21	W	112	116	100	114	108	62
3-1	2-2	0-0	0-0	122	114			10/2	at Northern Illinois	20-27	L	97	110	103	81	122	109
3-2	2-3	0-1	1-0	119	117			10/9	Miami, OH	13-12	W	103	105	98	106	109	63
4-2	3-3	1-1	1-1	119	125			10/16	Ball St	31-38	L	111	101	86	124	95	21
4-3	2-5	1-2	0-3	119	99			10/23	at Bowling Green			108	107	1	126	90	12
	3-4		1-2		118			11/2	at Toledo						91	42	53
	1-6		1-2		109			11/9	Ohio						98	120	84
	5-2		2-1		122			11/16	Western Michigan						60	76	119
								11/20	Bye								
	4-3		2-1		116			11/27	at Central Michigan						54	105	73

	OVERALL:	OVERALL:
	4-3	2-5
	vs. MAC	vs. MAC
	1-2	0-3

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

E Michigan		Bowling Green
#109	Rush Off	#128
#55	Pass Off	#65
#92	**Total Off**	**#121**
#57	Score Off	#117
#111	Sks Allowed	#111
#104	Rush Def	#108
#39	Pass Def	#2
#81	**Total Def**	**#40**
#67	Score Def	#68
#59	Sks By	#42
#97	Ypg Diff	#99
-1	**Total TO's**	**-2**

Bowling Green Falcons

Falcons Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	84	120			9/4	at Tennessee	6-38	L	126	128	115	79	65	33
0-1	1-0	0-0	0-0	85	111			9/11	South Alabama	19-22	L	125	127	55	121	96	72
0-2		0-0		87				9/18	Murray St	27-10	W	123	124	28			
1-2	2-1	0-0	0-1	92	135			9/25	at Minnesota	14-10	W	123	101	19	59	60	75
2-2	1-3	0-0	0-0	97	121			10/2	at Kent St	20-27	L	127	85	24	66	107	120
2-3	1-4	0-1	0-1	101	94			10/9	Akron	20-35	L	127	78	18	125	127	129
2-4	4-2	0-2	2-0	96	120			10/16	at Northern Illinois	26-34	L	127	84	11	90	116	106
2-5	4-3	0-3	1-2	99	119			10/23	Eastern Michigan			126	90	12	108	107	1
	3-4		1-2		113			10/30	at Buffalo						93	78	98
								11/6	Bye								
	3-4		1-2		118			11/13	Toledo						91	42	53
	3-4		2-1		116			11/20	at Miami, OH						92	102	88
	1-6		1-2		109			11/27	Ohio						98	120	84

E Michigan Eagles

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
St Francis Pa	35-15	120	15	0	27	58-221	3.8	15-22	189	2	12	34-105	3.1	14-30	185	4
at Wisconsin	7-34	-426	-23	0	3	18-16	0.9	10-20	76	2	26	55-352	6.4	16-20	166	1
at UMass	42-28	-12	-4	1	26	42-184	4.4	16-24	323	1	30	34-206	6.1	23-39	313	1
Texas St	59-21	200	15	1	33	44-242	5.5	22-35	257	2	18	37-112	3.0	16-25	187	4
at Northern Illinois	20-27	50	-4	-1	20	24-38	1.6	27-40	338	5	24	55-242	4.4	9-21	84	1
Miami, OH	13-12	-128	-3	0	16	33-51	1.5	21-31	206	6	19	29-126	4.3	16-39	259	3
Ball St	31-38	-48	-1	-2	28	26-46	1.8	36-49	339	3	29	40-200	5.0	28-36	233	0
at Bowling Green																
at Toledo																
Ohio																
Western Michigan																
Bye																
at Central Michigan																
Average	30-25	-34.9	-0.7	-0.1	22	35-114	3.3	66.5%	247	9.5%	23	41-192	4.7	58.1%	204	6.7%
Conference	21-26	-42.0	-2.7	-1.0	21	28-45	1.6	70.0%	294	11.7%	24	41-189	4.6	55.2%	192	4.2%
Away	23-30	-129.3	-10.3	0.0	16	28-79	2.8	63.1%	246	9.5%	27	48-267	5.6	60.0%	188	3.8%

TEAM AVERAGES

Bowling Green Falcons

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
at Tennessee	6-38	-256	-20	2	11	23-32	1.4	25-38	187	2	31	64-331	5.2	12-24	144	3
South Alabama	19-22	-54	-11	-1	10	19-9	0.5	23-33	308	3	21	37-114	3.1	29-46	257	2
Murray St	27-10	138	2	1	22	43-118	2.7	22-28	221	2	20	33-69	2.1	13-28	132	3
at Minnesota	14-10	-49	0	1	12	25-22	0.9	19-36	170	4	12	45-182	4.0	5-13	59	4
at Kent St	20-27	-78	-7	-2	18	26-55	2.1	29-46	263	5	25	56-262	4.7	15-28	134	0
Akron	20-35	-21	0	-3	18	34-107	3.1	21-35	257	4	18	39-117	3.0	20-25	268	4
at Northern Illinois	26-34	39	-6	0	17	28-161	5.8	16-41	235	1	23	59-319	5.4	4-8	38	0
Eastern Michigan																
at Buffalo																
Bye																
Toledo																
at Miami, OH																
Ohio																
Average	19-25	-40.1	-6.0	-0.3	15	28-72	2.5	60.3%	234	8.2%	21	48-199	4.2	57.0%	147	9.3%
Conference	22-32	-20.0	-4.3	-1.7	18	29-108	3.7	54.1%	252	8.2%	22	51-233	4.5	63.9%	147	6.6%
Home	22-22	21.0	-3.0	-1.0	17	32-78	2.4	68.8%	262	9.4%	20	36-100	2.8	62.6%	219	9.1%

Position by Position Edges

E Michigan		Bowling Green
	E Michigan QB/WR vs. Bowling Green DB's	1.02
	E Michigan RB's vs. Bowling Green LB's	1.50
0.54	E Michigan OL vs. Bowling Green DL	
0.27	E Michigan DL vs. Bowling Green OL	
2.08	E Michigan LB'S vs. Bowling Green RB's	
0.27	E Michigan DB's vs. Bowling Green QB/WR	
6.26	E Michigan ST's vs. Bowling Green ST's	
1.80	E Michigan K vs. Bowling Green K	
1.30	E Michigan Coaches vs. Bowling Green Coaches	
12.51	E Michigan Pts vs. Bowling Green Pts	2.52

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

E Michigan

By 9.99 Points

Last Five Years Meetings (Last 22 years at PhilSteele.com)

2017	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
Eastern Michigan	-	-13	34	22	53-266	13-27-124	
Bowling Green	-	59	31	22	31-209	21-34-256	-1
2016	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Eastern Michigan	-	66	28	24	45-212	21-30-262	
Bowling Green	-	-3	25	29	42-206	23-47-250	1

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Projected Box Score

Projected Rushing			
138 yards	E Michigan	Bowling Green	136 yards
Projected Passing			
173 yards	E Michigan	Bowling Green	220 yards
Projected Yardage Total			
310 yards	E Michigan	Bowling Green	356 yards
Projected Final Score			
29 points	E Michigan	Bowling Green	20 points
Experience Rankings			
5	E Michigan	Bowling Green	126
Team Schedule Strength			
119	E Michigan	Bowling Green	104

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	E Michigan By 3
Las Vegas Total	49 Points
+/- Ratings	E Michigan By 17.5
Game Grade	Bowling Green By 1.0
Computer Yards	Bowling Green 356-310
Computer Points	E Michigan 29-20
Phil Steele	E Michigan by 10

Phil's Forecast:

BG leads series 25-13-1 including 11-3 SU & 8-6 ATS since 1990 but have lost 2 straight including 34-31 in their last meeting in '17 as a 13 pt AD (the first time BG was dog in series s/1990). Last time here ('16) EM (+3) trailed 10-7 mid-3Q but took a 21-10 lead & held on for a 28-25 outright upset. EMich is 4-4 ATS as an AF and BG was just 2-13 ATS as a dog under Loeffler coming into the year but things have been different this year. BG opened 2-4 SU but was 5-0 ATS as a dog and lost outright as a favorite vs Akron. They upset Minnesota and only lost at home to South Alabama by 3 and on the road to Kent by 7. Last week Jay Ducker (PS#74) had 33-210 rush for NIU. BG went 36/6 (after fum) for 7-0 lead, NIU went 63/13 & 73/6 for TD's 14-7. BG settled 23 yd FG and NIU 100 yd KR TD. BG 49 yd FG :07 NIU 21-13 H NIU FG, TD, FG open 3Q 34-16 BG 42 yd FG, NIU SOD BG 62/8 TD pull to 34-26 6:25. BG SOD 48 fmbl 50 last 2 drives did have 396-357 yd edge. Eastern opened 4-2 SU vs a soft schedule and are 0-3 ATS on the road this year. Last week Ball St open 75/9 & 68/13 TD's first two drives 14-0. EM 75/13 TD, Ball 18/7 FG (after int). EM 75/15 TD 1:31 Ball miss 39 yd FG 17-14 H. Ball score TD's first 3 2H poss with EM FG & TD 31-17. EM 75/9 TD 38-31 2:39. Ball miss 36 yd FG 2:06 but EM int at Ball 47 :57 left. BG QB Matt McDonald was the worst FBS QB last year but has improved to 61% with a 6-6 ratio and that BG defense which allowed 6.3 ypc rush last year is allowing just 4.2 ypc this year. BG is playing to an AGG of 85.4 in MAC play and EM is at 91.3. BG is also playing to an AGG of 77.3 at home and EM is at 85.8 on the road. BG does have a ST edge (#11 vs #86) but my computer is calling for EM to win by 9 and they are just a 3 point favorite. All of BG's FBS covers have come as dogs of 9 or more.

Eastern Michigan 30 Bowling Green 20

East Carolina Pirates

Pirates Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	FOE OFF	FOE DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	128	126			9/4	Appalachian St	19-33	L	56	95	44	37	25	28			
0-1	1-0	0-0	0-0	126	119			9/11	South Carolina	17-20	L	60	100	36	40	78	56			
0-2	2-0	0-0	0-0	125	116			9/18	at Marshall	42-38	W	85	97	67	44	68	66			
1-2		0-0		125				9/25	Charleston Southern	31-28	W	88	102	70						
2-2	1-3	0-0	0-0	121	123			10/2	Tulane	52-29	W	85	94	42	72	106	40			
3-2	2-2	1-0	0-1	125	124			10/9	at UCF	16-20	L	54	89	47	13	87	100			
3-3		1-1		125				10/16	Bye			61	81	50						
3-3	5-1	1-1	3-0	125	129			10/23	at Houston			55	84	47	72	25	13			
	1-5		0-2		112			10/30	USF						112	124	85			
	3-3		1-1		109			11/6	Temple						97	100	111			
	4-3		1-2		121			11/13	at Memphis						15	97	20			
	1-5		1-3		115			11/20	at Navy						128	101	126			
	6-0		2-0		148			11/27	Cincinnati						24	3	23			

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
Appalachian St	19-33	-99	-5	-1	20	24-86	3.6	22-41	300	4	25	36-226	6.3	20-27	259	1
South Carolina	17-20	-45	-3	1	12	38-116	3.1	12-25	152	5	15	39-99	2.5	13-24	214	3
at Marshall	42-38	-86	3	2	27	39-166	4.3	31-50	395	5	24	36-214	5.9	24-40	433	1
Charleston Southern	31-28	-133	-20	-1	14	33-165	5.0	17-26	238	1	34	39-131	3.4	38-61	405	5
Tulane	52-29	208	6	4	25	44-310	7.0	22-34	302	2	19	31-124	4.0	23-38	280	2
at UCF	16-20	1	5	-2	21	39-141	3.6	20-32	219	4	16	31-165	5.3	23-35	194	2
Bye																
at Houston																
USF																
Temple																
at Memphis																
at Navy																
Cincinnati																
Average	30-28	-25.7	-2.3	0.5	20	36-164	4.5	59.6%	268	10.1%	22	35-160	4.5	62.7%	298	6.2%
Conference	34-25	104.5	5.5	1.0	23	42-226	5.4	63.6%	261	9.1%	18	31-145	4.7	63.0%	237	5.5%
Away	29-29	-42.5	4.0	0.0	24	39-154	3.9	62.2%	307	11.0%	20	34-190	5.7	62.7%	314	4.0%

OVERALL:	OVERALL:
3-3	5-1
vs. AAC	vs. AAC
1-1	3-0

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

East Carolina		Houston
#67	Rush Off	#89
#36	Pass Off	#54
#48	**Total Off**	**#80**
#58	Score Off	#17
#111	Sks Allowed	#72
#82	Rush Def	#21
#123	Pass Def	#6
#118	**Total Def**	**#4**
#80	Score Def	#11
#59	Sks By	#6
#91	Ypg Diff	#19
+3	**Total TO's**	**+4**

East Carolina Pirates | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **Houston Cougars**

Position by Position Edges

East Carolina		Houston
	East Carolina QB/WR vs. Houston DB's	0.19
	East Carolina RB's vs. Houston LB's	0.93
	East Carolina OL vs. Houston DL	1.43
	East Carolina DL vs. Houston OL	0.25
1.06	East Carolina LB'S vs. Houston RB's	
	East Carolina DB's vs. Houston QB/WR	0.07
	East Carolina ST's vs. Houston ST's	1.71
	East Carolina K vs. Houston K	0.25
	East Carolina Coaches vs. Houston Coaches	0.30
1.06	East Carolina Pts vs. Houston Pts	5.13

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

Houston

By 4.08 Points

Houston Cougars

Cougars Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	FOE OFF	FOE DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	121	126			9/4	Texas Tech	21-38	L	73	48	3	31	45	53			
0-1	0-1	0-0	0-0	118	116			9/11	at Rice	44-7	W	83	53	58	122	102	103			
1-1		0-0		123				9/18	Grambling St	45-0	W	94	46	20						
2-1	0-2	0-0	0-0	123	113			9/25	Navy	28-20	W	96	45	11	128	94	130			
3-1	1-3	1-0	0-0	122	122			10/2	at Tulsa	45-10	W	89	56	18	35	59	124			
4-1	1-4	2-0	0-1	127	119			10/9	at Tulane	40-22	W	86	32	10	76	110	79			
5-1		3-0		129				10/16	Bye			78	27	14						
5-1	3-3	3-0	1-1	129	125			10/23	East Carolina			72	25	13	55	84	47			
	6-0		2-0		128			10/30	SMU						12	98	60			
	1-5		0-2		112			11/6	at USF						112	124	85			
	3-3		1-1		109			11/13	at Temple						97	100	111			
	4-3		1-2		121			11/19	Memphis						15	97	20			
	1-7		0-2		95			11/27	at Connecticut						129	122	93			

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
Texas Tech	21-38	-125	1	-3	16	35-77	2.2	27-38	174	4	15	28-145	5.2	17-24	231	3
at Rice	44-7	181	8	3	23	35-144	4.1	23-33	249	3	15	36-126	3.5	9-19	86	4
Grambling St	45-0	320	21	0	24	45-164	3.6	18-29	258	3	3	34-53	1.6	5-12	49	3
Navy	28-20	89	5	1	20	34-120	3.5	22-31	257	2	15	52-190	3.7	4-8	98	2
at Tulsa	45-10	116	8	2	22	33-144	4.4	19-29	261	0	14	28-31	1.1	20-39	258	4
at Tulane	40-22	127	1	1	18	36-147	4.1	23-36	288	2	17	38-94	2.5	20-31	214	8
Bye																
East Carolina																
SMU																
at USF																
at Temple																
Memphis																
at Connecticut																
Average	37-16	118.0	7.3	0.7	21	36-133	3.7	67.3%	248	7.1%	13	36-107	3.0	56.4%	156	18.0%
Conference	38-17	110.7	4.7	1.3	20	34-137	4.0	66.7%	269	4.2%	15	39-105	2.7	56.4%	190	17.9%
Home	31-19	94.7	9.0	-0.7	20	38-120	3.2	68.4%	230	9.2%	11	38-129	3.4	59.1%	126	18.2%

Last Five Years Meetings (Last 22 years at PhilSteele.com)

2018	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
East Carolina	-	69.5	20	27	31-41	38-63-374	
Houston	-	-16	42	18	43-157	16-28-249	4
2017	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
East Carolina	-	63	27	33	24-36	54-74-468	
Houston	-	-24	52	16	26-142	15-22-330	3

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Projected Box Score

Projected Rushing			
101 yards	East Carolina	Houston	136 yards
Projected Passing			
211 yards	East Carolina	Houston	297 yards
Projected Yardage Total			
312 yards	East Carolina	Houston	433 yards
Projected Final Score			
18 points	East Carolina	Houston	32 points
Experience Rankings			
25	East Carolina	Houston	31
Team Schedule Strength			
77	East Carolina	Houston	121

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Houston By 13.5
Las Vegas Total	58 Points
+/- Ratings	Houston By 8.0
Game Grade	Houston By 12.9
Computer Yards	Houston 433-312
Computer Points	Houston 32-18
Phil Steele	Houston by 6

Phil's Forecast:

Houston has won B2B meetings and have won 6 of the last 9 meetings dating back to 2003, but teams have not met since '18. In their last meeting in '18 Houston (-16) led 42-6 early 4Q before ECU went on B2B scoring drives & the game ended 42-20 despite ECU having the 415-406 yd edge (HOU +4 TO's). Both teams come into this game off a bye. Houston is 3-1 ATS the last 3Y as a home favorite while E.Carolina is 6-2 ATS the L3Y as a road underdog vs AAC foes. The previous games have featured a lot of scoring (6 of the L/8 have gone OVER). Houston led TTech 21-7 at the half but lost 38-21 then went on 5 mostly dominating wins as they are +118 ypg and have a defense that is holding foes to 111 ypg below their season avg (#12!). EC opened 3-3 with an upset win over Marshall and UCF got a TD in the final seconds to avoid a home upset loss to EC 20-16. The Pirates RB Keaton Mitchell has rushed for 639 (8.4!) and QB Holton Ahlers has thrown for 1485 (60%, 8-6). UH QB Clayton Tune has thrown for 1258 (70%, 10-6). EC has faced the tougher schedule (#76 vs #121). EC has delivered for me in their last two games as Best Bets and are a solid road dog and are getting 2 TD's here.

Best Bet: ★ Eastern Carolina 24 (+) Houston 30

Oklahoma Sooners

Sooners Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- DEF	--PS RANK-- ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	149	127	2		9/4	Tulane	40-35	W	1	3	22	69	72	73
1-0		0-0		145		4		9/11	Western Carolina	76-0	W	1	4	63			
2-0	2-1	0-0	0-1	147	129	3		9/18	Nebraska	23-16	W	2	4	25	31	42	124
3-0	2-1	0-0	0-0	145	129	4		9/25	West Virginia	16-13	W	4	6	22	73	38	12
4-0	2-2	1-0	0-1	142	130	6		10/2	at Kansas St	37-31	W	14	8	14	77	51	17
5-0	4-1	2-0	2-0	142	140	6	21	10/9	† Texas	55-48	W	11	16	27	4	85	27
6-0	3-2	3-0	1-1	144	135	4		10/16	TCU	52-31	W	5	19	46	9	61	47
7-0	1-5	4-0	0-3	145	101	3		10/23	at Kansas			5	37	55	121	128	101
	5-2		2-2		125			10/30	Texas Tech						36	88	58
								11/6	Bye								
	6-1		3-1		135			11/13	at Baylor						10	38	16
	4-2		2-1		141			11/20	Iowa St						18	24	115
	6-0		3-0		138			11/27	at Oklahoma St						79	17	79

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
Tulane	40-35	34	0	1	24	35-116	3.3	31-40	314	1	24	32-100	3.1	27-45	296	4
Western Carolina	76-0	446	20	3	31	38-277	7.3	27-38	347	2	11	27-55	2.0	21-36	123	4
Nebraska	23-16	24	3	1	21	35-194	5.5	24-34	214	0	18	38-95	2.5	19-25	289	5
West Virginia	16-13	87	1	0	19	28-57	2.0	26-36	256	4	18	29-47	1.6	23-34	179	1
at Kansas St	37-31	-28	0	0	22	32-131	4.1	23-28	261	2	22	7-100	14.3	29-41	320	1
† Texas	55-48	146	7	-1	26	41-339	8.3	24-40	323	2	19	27-128	4.7	20-34	388	3
TCU	52-31	-4	4	0	25	35-230	6.6	18-23	295	2	21	37-183	4.9	20-30	346	0
at Kansas																
Texas Tech																
Bye																
at Baylor																
Iowa St																
at Oklahoma St																
Average	43-25	100.7	5.0	0.6	24	35-192	5.5	72.4%	287	5.4%	19	28-101	3.6	64.9%	277	7.3%
Conference	40-31	50.3	3.0	-0.3	23	34-189	5.6	71.7%	284	7.9%	20	25-115	4.6	66.2%	308	3.6%
Away	46-40	59.0	3.5	-0.5	24	37-235	6.4	69.1%	292	5.9%	21	17-114	6.7	65.3%	354	5.3%

OVERALL:	OVERALL:
7-0	1-5
vs. BIG 12	vs. BIG 12
4-0	0-3

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

Oklahoma		Kansas
#38	Rush Off	#81
#20	Pass Off	#109
#14	**Total Off**	**#115**
#7	Score Off	#122
#63	Sks Allowed	#21
#18	Rush Def	#127
#115	Pass Def	#80
#64	**Total Def**	**#125**
#66	Score Def	#128
#25	Sks By	#128
#29	Ypg Diff	#126
+4	**Total TO's**	**+1**

Oklahoma Sooners | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **Kansas Jayhawks**

Position by Position Edges

Oklahoma		Kansas
2.83	Oklahoma QB/WR vs. Kansas DB's	
2.19	Oklahoma RB's vs. Kansas LB's	
3.14	Oklahoma OL vs. Kansas DL	
2.45	Oklahoma DL vs. Kansas OL	
2.74	Oklahoma LB'S vs. Kansas RB's	
0.32	Oklahoma DB's vs. Kansas QB/WR	
	Oklahoma ST's vs. Kansas ST's	0.34
1.30	Oklahoma K vs. Kansas K	
2.80	Oklahoma Coaches vs. Kansas Coaches	
17.76	Oklahoma Pts vs. Kansas Pts	0.34

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

Oklahoma

By 17.43 Points

Kansas Jayhawks

Jayhawks Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- DEF	--PS RANK-- ST
0-0		0-0		108				9/4	South Dakota	17-14	W	127	121	117			
1-0	1-0	0-0	0-0	108	129		17	9/11	at Coastal Carolina	22-49	L	124	116	41	17	50	97
1-1	2-0	0-0	0-0	108	128			9/18	Baylor	7-45	L	125	114	76	70	28	60
1-2	2-1	0-1	0-0	105	117			9/25	at Duke	33-52	L	127	122	85	25	86	17
1-3	2-2	0-1	0-1	105	140			10/2	at Iowa St	7-59	L	121	127	81	42	25	118
1-4		0-2		103				10/9	Bye			121	129	87			
1-4	4-2	0-2	1-2	103	125			10/16	Texas Tech	14-41	L	120	128	87	36	88	58
1-5	7-0	0-3	4-0	101	145		3	10/23	Oklahoma			121	128	101	5	37	55
	6-0		3-0		138			10/30	at Oklahoma St						79	17	79
	2-4		0-3		131			11/6	Kansas St						74	72	34
	4-3		2-2		136			11/13	at Texas						7	79	19
	3-3		1-2		134			11/20	at TCU						6	85	66
	2-4		0-3		125			11/27	West Virginia						94	52	15

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
South Dakota	17-14	-18	-2	0	12	41-82	2.0	17-26	163	1	14	41-165	4.0	10-22	98	1
at Coastal Carolina	22-49	-50	-11	1	16	38-172	4.5	15-30	238	6	27	40-215	5.4	17-21	245	1
Baylor	7-45	-410	-21	1	8	33-109	3.3	8-18	57	0	29	45-307	6.8	19-24	269	0
at Duke	33-52	-77	-6	0	21	40-207	5.2	19-32	323	1	27	52-279	5.4	22-29	328	0
at Iowa St	7-59	-262	-7	-2	18	44-175	4.0	11-22	127	0	25	33-290	8.8	19-27	274	1
Bye																
Texas Tech	14-41	-165	-6	1	17	33-145	4.4	15-28	128	0	23	42-244	5.8	18-25	194	0
Oklahoma																
at Oklahoma St																
Kansas St																
at Texas																
at TCU																
West Virginia																
Average	17-43	-163.7	-8.8	0.2	15	38-148	3.9	54.5%	173	5.1%	24	42-250	5.9	70.9%	235	2.0%
Conference	9-48	-279.0	-11.3	0.0	14	37-143	3.9	50.0%	104	0.0%	26	40-280	7.0	73.7%	246	1.3%
Home	13-33	-197.7	-9.7	0.7	12	36-112	3.1	55.6%	116	1.4%	22	43-239	5.6	66.2%	187	1.4%

Last Five Years Meetings (Last 22 years at PhilSteele.com)

2020	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
Oklahoma	19	-38.5	62	31	31-200	22-36-340	
Kansas	-	63.5	9	16	42-95	14-35-151	0
2019	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Oklahoma	6	-33.5	45	29	37-268	20-29-277	
Kansas	-	67	20	18	32-130	18-28-230	1
2018	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Oklahoma	6	-34.5	55	31	40-294	21-32-272	
Kansas	-	70	40	25	36-348	20-28-176	2
2017	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Oklahoma	3	-37.5	41	24	36-157	23-35-312	
Kansas	-	68.5	3	10	27-32	19-34-123	-2
2016	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Oklahoma	16	-40	56	24	38-267	20-33-271	
Kansas	-	65.5	3	11	28-49	21-37-121	-1

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Projected Box Score

Projected Rushing		
245 yards	Oklahoma	Kansas 81 yards
Projected Passing		
273 yards	Oklahoma	Kansas 227 yards
Projected Yardage Total		
518 yards	Oklahoma	Kansas 308 yards
Projected Final Score		
55 points	Oklahoma	Kansas 12 points
Experience Rankings		
74	Oklahoma	Kansas 97
Team Schedule Strength		
63	Oklahoma	Kansas 30

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Oklahoma By 38.5
Las Vegas Total	66.5 Points
+/- Ratings	Oklahoma By 41.5
Game Grade	Oklahoma By 26.0
Computer Yards	Oklahoma 518-308
Computer Points	Oklahoma 55-12
Phil Steele	Oklahoma by 48

Phil's Forecast:

These teams have met 111 times! OU has won 16 straight against the Jayhawks SU (10-6 ATS) and have not lost to Kansas since 1997 (20-17 in Lawrence). OU has scored a minimum of 34 points in every game during their 16-game win streak and have won every game by double digits. More recently OU has held KU to 9 pts or less in 5 of their past 7 games. Last year the Sooners were a huge favorite (38') and scored the first 31 points before KU got a FG at the end of the 2Q (268-112). OU scored 31 straight points in the 2H before KU scored a TD on the final play of the 4Q in a 62-9 thumping (540-246). Kansas got past South Dakota in the opener 17-14 and the fans charged the field. They were mostly competitive at half in their first 4 FBS games but lost all 4 ATS losing SU by 34 ppg. Last week TTech had a 15-4 FD edge at half and led 24-0 at Kansas. TT was 9-11 on 3rd down. TT open 2H with 2 TD and FG and led 41-0 with 6:29 left then Kansas went 75/10 and 35/5 (after fum) for a pair of garbage TD's 41-14. Kansas QB Jason Bean has thrown for 852 (56%, 5-3) and is the Hawks #1 rusher (289, 4.8). Oklahoma opened 5-0 SU but just 1-4 ATS and trailed Oklahoma 38-20 at half. OU rebounded to win that 55-48 behind bkp QB Caleb Williams and last Oklahoma opened an unimpressive 5-0 then trailed Texas 38-20 at half and inserted QB Caleb Williams and rallied for the win. Last week week Caleb Williams in his first start (first true start OU s/1990) hit 18-23 and ran for 66 yards and TCU WR Quentin Johnston had 185 yds and 3 TD's. TCU RB Evans was out and OU was without S Turner-Yell and CB Washington. OU led 24-14 at half with 309-218 yd edge. OU scored TD's all 3 3Q poss 45-24. TCU TD 11:16 left then punt and OU 68/9 for TD with 1;09 left 52-31. The Sooners can name the score here. The Sooners only have Texas Tech on deck and cannot travel a full roster on the road and get the big win you would expect. Kansas is a perfect 0-7 ATS and have to play on that streak (going vs Kansas) until it ends.

Oklahoma 58 Kansas 10

Miami, OH Redhawks

Redhawks Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	FOE OFF	FOE DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	120	137		8	9/4	at Cincinnati	14-49	L	113	103	91	46	5	48			
0-1	0-1	0-0	0-1	117	133			9/11	at Minnesota	26-31	L	115	108	108	47	97	104			
0-2		0-0		119				9/18	Long Island	42-7	W	119	112	77						
1-2	3-0	0-0	1-0	116	123			9/25	at Army West Point	10-23	L	106	110	36	42	71	44			
1-3	2-2	0-0	0-0	116	115			10/2	Central Michigan	28-17	W	110	116	66	54	105	71			
2-3	3-2	1-0	0-1	117	119			10/9	at Eastern Michigan	12-13	L	106	109	63	103	105	98			
2-4	2-4	1-1	1-1	117	99			10/16	Akron	34-21	W	100	102	69	122	124	130			
3-4	4-3	2-1	2-1	116	125			10/23	at Ball St			92	102	88	113	92	22			
	1-6		1-2		109			10/30	at Ohio						98	120	84			
	3-4		1-2		113			11/6	Buffalo						93	78	98			
	2-5		0-3		99			11/13	Bowling Green						126	90	12			
								11/20	Bye											
	3-4		2-1		114			11/27	at Kent St						56	112	122			

	OVERALL:	OVERALL:
	3-4	4-3
	vs. MAC	vs. MAC
	2-1	2-1

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

Miami, OH		Ball St
#78	Rush Off	#102
#59	Pass Off	#84
#69	**Total Off**	**#109**
#96	Score Off	#87
#38	Sks Allowed	#72
#64	Rush Def	#85
#47	Pass Def	#85
#49	**Total Def**	**#82**
#53	Score Def	#82
#18	Sks By	#42
#61	Ypg Diff	#108
-2	**Total TO's**	**+3**

Ball St Cardinals

Cardinals Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	FOE OFF	FOE DEF	FOE ST
0-0		0-0		130				9/4	Western Illinois	31-21	W	87	88	97						
1-0	1-0	0-0	1-0	126	144		11	9/11	at Penn St	13-44	L	90	94	52	22	11	25			
1-1	2-0	0-0	0-0	124	122			9/18	at Wyoming	12-45	L	107	98	43	93	54	52			
1-2	1-2	0-0	0-0	120	117			9/25	Toledo	12-22	L	118	104	55	103	61	46			
1-3	4-0	0-1	1-0	116	123			10/2	Army West Point	28-16	W	122	109	45	40	53	29			
2-3	4-1	0-1	1-0	120	123			10/9	at Western Michigan	45-20	W	124	107	29	82	77	122			
3-3	4-2	1-1	1-1	125	119			10/16	at Eastern Michigan	38-31	W	124	95	21	111	101	86			
4-3	3-4	2-1	2-1	125	116			10/23	Miami, OH			113	92	22	92	102	88			
	2-5		1-2		100			10/30	at Akron						120	125	130			
								11/6	Bye											
	5-2		3-0		117			11/10	at Northern Illinois						89	110	87			
	4-3		2-1		116			11/17	Central Michigan						54	105	73			
	3-4		1-2		113			11/23	Buffalo						93	78	98			

Miami, OH Redhawks

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
at Cincinnati	14-49	-264	-10	3	17	45-169	3.8	9-28	109	2	27	31-247	8.0	20-26	295	2
at Minnesota	26-31	54	1	-2	20	30-104	3.5	16-31	237	0	19	46-175	3.8	8-17	112	1
Long Island	42-7	307	14	-1	27	36-229	6.4	18-25	294	1	13	38-38	1.0	15-21	178	4
at Army West Point	10-23	-152	-3	-1	13	20-28	1.4	12-27	204	2	16	63-384	6.1	0-5	0	0
Central Michigan	28-17	84	1	-1	26	38-164	4.3	25-38	350	1	25	27-52	1.9	29-49	378	3
at Eastern Michigan	12-13	128	3	0	19	29-126	4.3	16-39	259	3	16	33-51	1.5	21-31	206	6
Akron	34-21	118	1	0	22	39-245	6.3	19-27	229	1	21	24-65	2.7	25-39	291	3
at Ball St																
at Ohio																
Buffalo																
Bowling Green																
Bye																
at Kent St																
Average	24-23	39.3	1.0	-0.3	21	34-152	4.5	53.5%	240	4.7%	20	37-145	3.9	62.8%	209	10.1%
Conference	25-17	110.0	1.7	-0.3	22	35-178	5.0	57.7%	279	4.8%	21	28-56	2.0	63.0%	292	10.1%
Away	16-29	-58.5	-2.3	0.0	17	31-107	3.4	42.4%	202	5.6%	20	43-214	5.0	62.0%	153	11.4%

TEAM AVERAGES

Ball St Cardinals

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
Western Illinois	31-21	-33	1	0	18	40-216	5.4	17-28	188	0	17	24-70	2.9	30-43	367	2
at Penn St	13-44	-198	-12	-2	20	26-69	2.7	30-45	226	1	32	48-240	5.0	22-31	253	3
at Wyoming	12-45	-118	0	-3	19	41-118	2.9	21-34	142	6	19	39-177	4.5	14-23	201	1
Toledo	12-22	-132	-2	0	17	35-122	3.5	21-36	190	4	19	44-272	6.2	12-20	172	3
Army West Point	28-16	-10	-6	2	12	26-36	1.4	17-28	233	2	18	61-213	3.5	5-15	66	0
at Western Michigan	45-20	-1	-5	4	18	28-65	2.3	15-26	310	1	23	49-119	2.4	19-35	257	4
at Eastern Michigan	38-31	48	1	2	29	40-200	5.0	28-36	233	0	28	26-46	1.8	36-49	339	3
Miami, OH																
at Akron																
Bye																
at Northern Illinois																
Central Michigan																
Buffalo																
Average	26-28	-63.4	-3.3	0.4	19	34-118	3.5	63.9%	217	6.0%	22	42-162	3.9	63.9%	236	7.4%
Conference	32-24	-28.3	-2.0	2.0	21	34-129	3.8	65.3%	244	5.1%	23	40-146	3.7	64.4%	256	9.6%
Home	24-20	-58.3	-2.3	0.7	16	34-125	3.7	59.8%	204	6.5%	18	43-185	4.3	60.3%	202	6.4%

Position by Position Edges

Miami, OH		Ball St
0.31	Miami, OH QB/WR vs. Ball St DB's	
	Miami, OH RB's vs. Ball St LB's	1.39
0.28	Miami, OH OL vs. Ball St DL	
1.18	Miami, OH DL vs. Ball St OL	
1.53	Miami, OH LB'S vs. Ball St RB's	
	Miami, OH DB's vs. Ball St QB/WR	0.76
	Miami, OH ST's vs. Ball St ST's	3.94
1.05	Miami, OH K vs. Ball St K	
	Miami, OH Coaches vs. Ball St Coaches	
4.34	Miami, OH Pts vs. Ball St Pts	6.09

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

Ball St

By 1.75 Points

Last Five Years Meetings (Last 22 years at PhilSteele.com)

2020	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
Miami, OH	-	-1	38	26	42-134	21-32-288	
Ball St	-	55.5	31	26	38-169	19-32-309	0
2019	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Miami, Oh	-	55.5	27	10	29-107	10-19-168	
Ball St	-	-3.5	41	30	54-261	26-40-317	1
2018	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Miami, Oh	-	-17	42	22	53-364	11-17-159	
Ball St	-	54.5	21	22	34-143	23-36-239	-1
2017	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Miami, OH	-	-18	28	14	29-125	15-27-148	
Ball St	-	56.5	7	23	56-293	13-29-98	-3
2016	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Miami, Oh	-	-7.5	21	20	25-62	26-35-380	
Ball St	-	53.5	20	26	40-247	22-34-188	-1

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Projected Box Score

Projected Rushing			
121 yards	Miami, OH	Ball St	112 yards
Projected Passing			
249 yards	Miami, OH	Ball St	261 yards
Projected Yardage Total			
369 yards	Miami, OH	Ball St	373 yards
Projected Final Score			
20 points	Miami, OH	Ball St	25 points
Experience Rankings			
32	Miami, OH	Ball St	14
Team Schedule Strength			
85	Miami, OH	Ball St	52

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Ball St By 5.5
Las Vegas Total	51.5 Points
+/- Ratings	Ball St By 11.5
Game Grade	Miami, Oh By 0.1
Computer Yards	Ball St 373-369
Computer Points	Ball St 26-21
Phil Steele	Ball St by 3

Phil's Forecast:

Home team is 5-1 SU & 4-2 ATS since 2013. Last year Ball St led 14-10 half and 21-10 3Q. Miami scored 3 straight TD's to lead 31-21 with 9:38 left. Ball got a TD then a 47 yd FG with 1:07 left to tie and forced a Miami punt. Ball was int'd and ret'd 18 yds to 6. Miami lined up on 3&G in protect like setting up for FG but ran it in for TD and 38-31 win (-1) at home. Teams have played for the Red Bird Rivalry Trophy since '17 with Miami going 3-1 SU & ATS in those games. Last time here Miami (+3') lost 41-27 despite blocking 2 punts (1 TD) as they were out FD 30-10 & outgained 578-275. Miami usually mails it in for non conf games and it appeared Ball took that same tact as the defending MAC champs opened 0-3 ATS missing the spread by 19 ppg. They lost their MAC opener to Toledo by 10 at home but then upset Army and thanks to +4 in TO's upset a powerful WMich team. Last week Ball St open 75/9 & 68/13 TD's first two drives 14-0. EM 75/13 TD, Ball 18/7 FG (after int). EM 75/15 TD 1:31 Ball miss 39 yd FG 17-14 H. Ball score TD's first 3 2H poss with EM FG & TD 31-17. EM 75/9 TD 38-31 2:39. Ball miss 36 yd FG 2:06 but EM int at Ball 47 :57 left. Miami lost to that same Army team 23-10 to open 1-3 but I used them as a Phil Steele Plus play in their MAC opener and they beat Central Michigan at home then had a 385-257 yd edge vs EMich but lost 13-12 on the road. Last week Miami first two drives 64/10 & 77/5 TD's. Akron 38/3 (after fum) TD 14-7. Miami 75/9 TD 21-7 H with 275-138 yd edge. Miami first 3 2H drives TD, TD, FG 34-7 12:20 left. 34-7 Akron 80/11 TD 9:34, punt then 50/1 50 yd TD pass :31 left 34-21 back door cover (was a push prior +20). QB Gabbert missed the last 3 games. On the season Miami has a higher AGG 94.7 to 92.0 but the L4W Ball is playing at a 100.0 AGG and Miami is at 96.6. Miami is 17-6 SU in MAC play the last 4 years.

Ball St 24 Miami, Oh 21

New Mexico Lobos

Lobos Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	FOE OFF	FOE DEF	FOE ST
0-0		0-0		116				9/4	Houston Baptist	27-17	W	95	120	122						
1-0	0-2	0-0	0-0	112	93			9/11	New Mexico St	34-25	W	97	121	100	126	129	68			
2-0	2-0	0-0	0-0	110	140		7	9/18	at Texas A&M	0-34	L	76	109	96	21	5	42			
2-1	2-1	0-0	0-0	110	101			9/25	at UTEP	13-20	L	99	67	101	75	72	88			
2-2	3-1	0-0	0-1	107	124			10/2	Air Force	10-38	L	107	57	86	56	82	128			
2-3	4-0	0-1	0-0	105	126		25	10/9	at San Diego St	7-31	L	115	80	81	71	18	11			
2-4	2-3	0-2	1-0	105	123			10/16	Colorado St	7-36	L	119	80	91	107	107	70			
2-5	4-2	0-3	0-2	103	117			10/23	at Wyoming			125	82	76	105	58	104			
								10/30	Bye											
		0-6	0-2		109			11/6	UNLV						123	123	120			
		5-2	2-1		127			11/13	at Fresno St						27	44	80			
		3-4	1-2		127			11/20	at Boise St						99	69	9			
		4-2	2-1		116			11/27	Utah St						52	104	30			

	Score	Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
Houston Baptist	27-17	121	1	2	16	40-129	3.2	21-27	179	2	15	23--9	-0.4	27-47	196	5
New Mexico St	34-25	214	10	2	29	46-178	3.9	26-38	381	2	19	23-109	4.7	18-45	236	0
at Texas A&M	0-34	-307	-13	0	9	36-89	2.5	10-23	33	4	22	34-154	4.5	19-33	275	3
at UTEP	13-20	-56	5	-1	17	35-123	3.5	17-39	165	1	12	33-51	1.5	15-29	293	2
Air Force	10-38	-215	-10	-3	13	20-47	2.4	14-22	179	4	23	73-408	5.6	1-2	33	1
at San Diego St	7-31	-143	-7	-1	12	34-66	1.9	13-27	127	4	19	43-203	4.7	12-25	133	0
Colorado St	7-36	-373	-10	-3	11	36-63	1.8	4-20	16	6	21	54-163	3.0	16-26	289	4
at Wyoming																
Bye																
UNLV																
at Fresno St																
at Boise St																
Utah St																
Average	14-29	-108.4	-3.4	-0.6	15	35-99	2.8	53.6%	154	11.7%	19	40-154	3.8	52.2%	208	7.2%
Conference	8-35	-243.7	-9.0	-2.3	12	30-59	2.0	44.9%	107	20.3%	21	57-258	4.6	54.7%	152	9.4%
Away	7-28	-168.7	-5.0	-0.7	13	35-93	2.6	44.9%	108	10.1%	18	37-136	3.7	52.9%	234	5.7%

OVERALL:	OVERALL:
2-5	4-2
vs. MTW	vs. MTW
0-3	0-2

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

New Mexico		Wyoming
#116	Rush Off	#71
#119	Pass Off	#109
#129	**Total Off**	**#111**
#128	Score Off	#89
#117	Sks Allowed	#38
#75	Rush Def	#83
#43	Pass Def	#7
#55	**Total Def**	**#28**
#85	Score Def	#47
#51	Sks By	#51
#118	Ypg Diff	#74
-4	**Total TO's**	**-2**

New Mexico Lobos | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **Wyoming Cowboys**

Position by Position Edges

New Mexico		Wyoming
	New Mexico QB/WR vs. Wyoming DB's	1.69
	New Mexico RB's vs. Wyoming LB's	2.20
	New Mexico OL vs. Wyoming DL	1.04
	New Mexico DL vs. Wyoming OL	0.53
0.66	New Mexico LB'S vs. Wyoming RB's	
1.26	New Mexico DB's vs. Wyoming QB/WR	
1.35	New Mexico ST's vs. Wyoming ST's	
	New Mexico K vs. Wyoming K	2.75
	New Mexico Coaches vs. Wyoming Coaches	1.75
3.27	New Mexico Pts vs. Wyoming Pts	9.97

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

Wyoming

By 6.70 Points

Wyoming Cowboys

Cowboys Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	FOE OFF	FOE DEF	FOE ST
0-0		0-0		125				9/4	Montana St	19-16	W	83	46	63						
1-0	1-0	0-0	0-0	121	116			9/11	at Northern Illinois	50-43	W	95	59	38	118	120	110			
2-0	1-1	0-0	0-0	122	124			9/18	Ball St	45-12	W	93	54	52	107	98	43			
3-0	0-4	0-0	0-1	124	92			9/25	at Connecticut	24-22	W	92	63	66	129	128	113			
4-0		0-0		120				10/2	Bye			93	62	73						
4-0	4-1	0-0	1-1	120	126			10/9	at Air Force	14-24	L	89	63	78	51	67	128			
4-1	4-2	0-1	1-1	120	124			10/16	Fresno St	0-17	L	98	64	79	27	44	80			
4-2	2-5	0-2	0-3	117	103			10/23	New Mexico			105	58	104	125	82	76			
	3-4		1-2		113			10/30	at San Jose St						114	64	67			
	3-3		2-0		125			11/6	Colorado St						102	45	81			
	3-4		1-2		127			11/13	at Boise St						99	69	9			
	4-2		2-1		116			11/20	at Utah St						52	104	30			
	3-4		1-2		117			11/27	Hawaii						81	55	94			

	Score	Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
Montana St	19-16	26	0	0	17	43-151	3.5	15-26	196	2	17	30-121	4.0	19-29	200	2
at Northern Illinois	50-43	-82	2	2	24	45-191	4.2	13-23	204	1	22	38-244	6.4	19-36	233	2
Ball St	45-12	118	0	3	19	39-177	4.5	14-23	201	1	19	41-118	2.9	21-34	142	6
at Connecticut	24-22	71	3	-1	22	45-203	4.5	15-26	149	0	19	28-110	3.9	19-39	171	3
Bye																
at Air Force	14-24	-64	-5	-1	15	27-114	4.2	11-28	143	3	20	64-211	3.3	7-10	110	1
Fresno St	0-17	12	1	-5	16	33-128	3.9	9-30	143	3	15	43-163	3.8	15-28	96	1
New Mexico																
at San Jose St																
Colorado St																
at Boise St																
at Utah St																
Hawaii																
Average	25-22	13.5	0.2	-0.3	19	39-161	4.2	49.4%	173	6.4%	19	41-161	4.0	56.8%	159	8.5%
Conference	7-21	-26.0	-2.0	-3.0	16	30-121	4.0	34.5%	143	10.3%	18	54-187	3.5	57.9%	103	5.3%
Home	21-15	52.0	0.3	-0.7	17	38-152	4.0	48.1%	180	7.6%	17	38-134	3.5	60.4%	146	9.9%

Last Five Years Meetings (Last 22 years at PhilSteele.com)

None

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Projected Box Score

Projected Rushing			
98 yards	New Mexico	Wyoming	173 yards
Projected Passing			
87 yards	New Mexico	Wyoming	182 yards
Projected Yardage Total			
185 yards	New Mexico	Wyoming	354 yards
Projected Final Score			
9 points	New Mexico	Wyoming	29 points
Experience Rankings			
53	New Mexico	Wyoming	3
Team Schedule Strength			
89	New Mexico	Wyoming	103

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Wyoming By 20
Las Vegas Total	40.5 Points
+/- Ratings	Wyoming By 17.8
Game Grade	Wyoming By 15.8
Computer Yards	Wyoming 354-185
Computer Points	Wyoming 29-9
Phil Steele	Wyoming by 27

Phil's Forecast:

Last year was the first time s/'14 the game was decided by less than 10 pts. In last year's game New Mexico snapped a 20 game MW losing streak. Fifth-string QB Isaiah Chavez took over after fellow walk on QB Connor Genal left in 2Q with wrist injury. Wyoming RB Valladay DNP and QB Williams was injured 4Q. The Cowboys top tackler LB Chad Muma was eject 1H. Wyoming led 13-10 at half but NMex went on a 72/10 3Q drive but were SOD at the 6. Down 16-10 Chavez on a fake fly sweep hit a wide open Bobby Cole for a 44 yd TD pass to take a 17-16 lead. Wyoming had TO's on last two drives and they lost by 1 point as an 18-point favorite. Since 2007 WY is just 4-10 ATS against the Lobos. The Lobos are on the road for the 2nd time in 3 weeks. Dating back to '16 Wyoming is 11-5 ATS as a home favorite and NMex was 4-1 ATS as a DD underdog vs MW foes under HC Gonzales in year one. After LY's upset Wyoming will not be looking past the Lobos. New Mexico opened 2-4 but a perfect 0-6 ATS and last week I used Colo St on the Phil Steele Plus Tour and Colo St allowed just 76 yds to New Mexico the 2nd lowest total in school history. Cayden Camper had 5 FG's (also 5 vs Toledo, 6 vs San Jose) but did miss one. Lobo frosh QB CJ Montes was just 3-19-11 but NM only trailed 13-7 at half thanks to a Wysong 63 yd PR. Colo St open 3Q 75/6 TD and rolled 36-7 on the road with 452-79 yd edge. The Lobos offense had been avg just 207 ypg the previous 4 games. The elevation does not bother New Mexico which is 4-1 ATS their last 5 trips here and Wyoming is only playing to an AGG of 92.9 and New Mexico is at 79.7 (Wyom by 15.8). Wyoming is 10-2 ATS at home and last week were a home dog to Fresno. Wyoming had 271-259 yd edge but 5 TO's and Fresno's 3 scoring drives were all off TO's and covered a combined 50 yards! Wyoming was int'd at 29, missed a 53 yd FG and int at FSU 11 in 17-0 home loss. Lobos are a perfect 0-7 ATS this year with an offense that had just 197 ypg the L4W and going vs a defense that has held foes to 114 ypg below their season avg the last 4 weeks!

Wyoming 30 New Mexico 3

Colorado Buffalos

Buffalos Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	TEAM ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	FOE OFF	FOE DEF	FOE ST
0-0		0-0		122				9/4	Northern Colorado	35-7	W	55	47	95						
1-0	1-0	0-0	0-0	118	144		5	9/11	† Texas A&M	7-10	L	58	45	66	7	5	33			
1-1	1-1	0-0	0-1	122	131			9/18	Minnesota	0-30	L	78	39	92	51	94	72			
1-2	2-1	0-0	0-0	118	131			9/25	at Arizona St	13-35	L	113	43	113	24	29	10			
1-3	2-2	0-1	1-2	117	129			10/2	USC	14-37	L	117	60	101	37	41	33			
1-4		0-2		115				10/9	Bye			120	72	97						
1-4	0-5	0-2	0-2	115	111			10/16	Arizona	34-0	W	121	70	94	103	92	120			
2-4	1-5	1-2	0-3	119	124			10/23	at California			117	63	40	47	60	95			
	5-1		2-1		133			10/30	at Oregon						28	19	44			
	4-2		2-1		130			11/6	Oregon St						37	46	43			
	5-2		3-1		134			11/13	at UCLA						30	26	29			
	2-4		1-2		128			11/20	Washington						68	16	107			
	4-2		3-0		137			11/27	at Utah						34	15	108			

	Score	Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
Northern Colorado	35-7	127	6	1	22	49-281	5.7	10-15	102	2	16	18-20	1.1	24-42	236	3
† Texas A&M	7-10	-28	0	0	14	38-171	4.5	13-25	89	1	14	29-97	3.3	19-40	191	1
Minnesota	0-30	-378	-16	-2	6	21--19	-0.9	12-24	82	4	22	53-277	5.2	11-17	164	1
at Arizona St	13-35	-189	-7	0	18	44-183	4.2	7-17	67	3	25	32-167	5.2	20-27	272	0
USC	14-37	-252	-9	-1	11	39-80	2.1	10-17	162	5	20	35-218	6.2	19-29	276	0
Bye																
Arizona	34-0	85	-1	2	18	39-117	3.0	12-19	248	1	19	31-127	4.1	20-39	153	2
at California																
at Oregon																
Oregon St																
at UCLA																
Washington																
at Utah																
Average	17-20	-105.8	-4.5	0.0	15	38-136	3.5	54.7%	125	13.7%	19	33-151	4.6	58.2%	215	3.6%
Conference	20-24	-118.7	-5.7	0.3	16	41-127	3.1	54.7%	159	17.0%	21	33-171	5.2	62.1%	234	2.1%
Away	10-23	-108.5	-3.5	0.0	16	41-177	4.3	47.6%	78	9.5%	20	31-132	4.3	58.2%	232	1.5%

OVERALL:	OVERALL:
2-4	1-5
vs. PAC 12	vs. PAC 12
1-2	0-3

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

Colorado		California
#88	Rush Off	#76
#126	Pass Off	#53
#126	**Total Off**	**#59**
#121	Score Off	#103
#87	Sks Allowed	#63
#72	Rush Def	#48
#53	Pass Def	#110
#56	**Total Def**	**#88**
#32	Score Def	#77
#120	Sks By	#115
#116	Ypg Diff	#83
0	**Total TO's**	**+2**

Colorado Buffalos | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **California Golden Bears**

California Golden Bears

Golden Bears Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	TEAM ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	FOE OFF	FOE DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	129	126			9/4	Nevada	17-22	L	81	56	107	25	62	14			
0-1	1-0	0-0	0-0	126	139			9/11	at TCU	32-34	L	87	43	126	16	9	6			
0-2		0-0		131				9/18	Sacramento St	42-30	W	75	41	120						
1-2	1-2	0-0	0-0	128	130			9/25	at Washington	24-31	L	37	55	118	51	13	103			
1-3	1-3	0-1	0-2	128	121			10/2	Washington St	6-21	L	28	54	119	92	68	64			
1-4		0-2		123				10/9	Bye			42	52	113						
1-4	4-1	0-2	1-1	123	134		9	10/16	at Oregon	17-24	L	41	48	105	32	21	39			
1-5	2-4	0-3	1-2	124	119			10/23	Colorado			47	60	95	117	63	40			
	4-2		2-1		130			10/30	Oregon St						37	46	43			
	0-6		0-3		107			11/6	at Arizona						109	99	129			
	3-3		2-3		127			11/13	USC						23	66	36			
	3-4		2-3		131			11/20	at Stanford						51	50	59			
	5-2		3-1		134			11/27	at UCLA						30	26	29			

	Score	Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
Nevada	17-22	-43	-2	0	17	27-153	5.7	25-38	177	2	19	26-61	2.3	22-39	312	2
at TCU	32-34	-56	-15	1	16	27-133	4.9	16-27	309	2	31	50-264	5.3	17-31	234	3
Sacramento St	42-30	67	5	0	29	33-246	7.5	22-34	288	0	24	22-59	2.7	29-55	408	0
at Washington	24-31	131	3	-2	21	37-138	3.7	30-42	319	3	18	30-92	3.1	19-32	234	1
Washington St	6-21	-59	-7	1	14	24-121	5.0	14-30	152	4	21	34-113	3.3	25-42	219	1
Bye																
at Oregon	17-24	-52	0	2	24	36-155	4.3	25-45	247	2	24	35-210	6.0	20-28	244	1
Colorado																
Oregon St																
at Arizona																
USC																
at Stanford																
at UCLA																
Average	23-27	-2.0	-2.7	0.3	20	31-158	5.1	61.1%	249	6.0%	23	33-133	4.1	58.1%	275	3.5%
Conference	16-25	6.7	-1.3	0.3	20	32-138	4.3	59.0%	239	7.7%	21	33-138	4.2	62.7%	232	2.9%
Home	22-24	-11.7	-1.3	0.3	20	28-173	6.2	59.8%	206	5.9%	21	27-78	2.8	55.9%	313	2.2%

Position by Position Edges

Colorado		California
	Colorado QB/WR vs. California DB's	1.83
	Colorado RB's vs. California LB's	1.59
	Colorado OL vs. California DL	0.12
	Colorado DL vs. California OL	0.79
1.06	Colorado LB'S vs. California RB's	
0.34	Colorado DB's vs. California QB/WR	
2.55	Colorado ST's vs. California ST's	
	Colorado K vs. California K	1.30
	Colorado Coaches vs. California Coaches	0.30
3.95	Colorado Pts vs. California Pts	5.94

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

California

By 1.99 Points

Last Five Years Meetings (Last 22 years at PhilSteele.com)

2018	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
Colorado	-	44	21	19	43-148	16-33-170	
California	-	-12	33	12	38-95	14-26-116	5

2017	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
Colorado	-	-3.5	44	27	53-200	21-27-353	
California	-	52	28	26	25-61	30-53-374	0

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Projected Box Score

	Colorado		California
Projected Rushing			
114 yards	Colorado	California	148 yards
Projected Passing			
147 yards	Colorado	California	258 yards
Projected Yardage Total			
261 yards	Colorado	California	407 yards
Projected Final Score			
16 points	Colorado	California	21 points
Experience Rankings			
94	Colorado	California	35
Team Schedule Strength			
54	Colorado	California	51

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	California By 9
Las Vegas Total	43.5 Points
+/- Ratings	California By 8.5
Game Grade	California By 8.0
Computer Yards	California 407-261
Computer Points	California 21-16
Phil Steele	California by 4

Phil's Forecast:

These two have split the last 4 meetings with the home team winning all 4 SU (2-1-1 ATS). Last time here ('18), Cal jumped out to a 21-0 1Q lead thanks to 2 int returns for TD's (forced 5 TO's for the game) in a 33-21 win (-12). Colorado beat a weak FCS team then opened up 0-4 SU and 1-3 ATS with their lone cover a 3 pt loss to Texas A&M. Last week they hosted Arizona and Colorado got their first conference shutout since 2005. Colorado had got two 1H FG and led 6-0 with AZ SOD at 1 late in 1H. Colo then got a 36 yd scoop and score on a blocked punt and 50 yd IR TD and a 62 yd TD pass to Rice to lead 27-0 after 3Q. Arizona lost starting QB McCloud last week and lost Cruz in 2Q and Plummer hit 7-17-71. Colo went 70/9 for TD 4:08 left 34-0. AZ did throw into EZ inc at end in 34-0 loss. Cal opened 1-4 SU with upset losses to Nevada and Wash St as a HF. Last week Oregon open with FG and Cal 75/13 TD led 7-3. Each team was SOD and Ducks fumbled at Cal 21 then 67/7 TD 10-7. UO fmbl Cal 35 :16 left H. Cal 45 yd FG then 80/11/5:46 TD lead 17-10 13:37 UO 62/5 TD then 70/7 TD 4:50 left lead 24-17. Cal 73/18 4&G 2 INC SOD :02 left. Colorado is playing to an AGG of 91.7 as they are -106 ypg while Cal is playing to an AGG of 96.6 and is -2 ypg (AGG Cal 7.9). My computer has Cal by 5 with a 407-261 yd edge. Seems east to pick Cal here but Karl Dorrell is 10-7 ATS as an AD and Justin Wilcox is 1-11-1 ATS as a HF!

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Utah Utes

Utes Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	FOE OFF	FOE DEF	FOE ST
0-0		0-0		135		24		9/4	Weber St	40-17	W	21	9	38			
1-0	1-0	0-0	0-0	137	130	21		9/11	at BYU	17-26	L	20	10	107	45	74	30
1-1	2-0	0-0	0-0	134	123			9/18	at San Diego St	31-33	L	24	47	106	88	34	32
1-2	1-2	0-0	0-1	131	121			9/25	Washington St	24-13	W	53	33	102	77	66	52
2-2		1-0		131				10/2	at Bye			51	22	110			
2-2	3-2	1-0	2-2	131	131			10/9	at USC	42-26	W	47	19	116	27	45	32
3-2	5-1	2-0	3-0	135	138		18	10/16	Arizona St	35-21	W	35	15	107	23	26	28
4-2	4-2	3-0	2-1	137	130			10/23	at Oregon St			34	15	108	37	46	43
	5-2		3-1		134			10/30	UCLA						30	26	29
	3-4		2-3		131			11/6	at Stanford						51	50	59
	0-6		0-3		107			11/13	at Arizona						109	99	129
	5-1		2-1		133			11/20	Oregon						28	19	44
	2-4		1-2		119			11/27	Colorado						117	63	40

	Utah	Oregon St
OVERALL:	4-2	4-2
vs. PAC 12	3-0	2-1

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

Utah		Oregon St
#49	Rush Off	#9
#76	Pass Off	#95
#65	**Total Off**	**#37**
#43	Score Off	#31
#27	Sks Allowed	#9
#47	Rush Def	#20
#53	Pass Def	#113
#41	**Total Def**	**#66**
#51	Score Def	#58
#25	Sks By	#71
#51	Ypg Diff	#48
-2	**Total TO's**	**+3**

Oregon St Beavers

Beavers Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	FOE OFF	FOE DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	124	127			9/4	at Purdue	21-30	L	71	83	69	48	71	101
0-1	1-1	0-0	0-0	124	115			9/11	Hawaii	45-27	W	82	83	94	99	74	69
1-1		0-0		125				9/18	Idaho	42-0	W	63	80	56			
2-1	2-1	0-0	1-1	128	134			9/25	at USC	45-27	W	46	53	64	29	19	39
3-1	2-2	1-0	1-0	133	130			10/2	Washington	27-24	W	25	45	60	59	15	98
4-1	2-3	2-0	1-2	133	126			10/9	at Washington St	24-31	L	33	46	45	96	50	69
4-2		2-1		130				10/16	Bye			36	46	48			
4-2	4-2	2-1	3-0	130	137			10/23	Utah			37	46	43	34	15	108
	1-5		0-3		124			10/30	at California						47	60	95
	2-4		1-2		119			11/6	at Colorado						117	63	40
	3-4		2-3		131			11/13	Stanford						51	50	59
	5-2		3-1		135			11/20	Arizona St						20	31	39
	5-1		2-1		133			11/27	at Oregon						28	19	44

Utah Utes

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
Weber St	40-17	180	14	0	28	31-188	6.1	21-29	262	1	14	30-57	1.9	21-33	213	3
at BYU	17-26	-28	-6	-2	15	25-193	7.7	15-26	147	2	21	46-219	4.8	18-30	149	0
at San Diego St	31-33	79	9	0	21	31-70	2.3	33-58	257	3	12	45-204	4.5	10-19	44	1
Washington St	24-13	31	-3	0	19	33-212	6.4	13-23	137	1	22	37-70	1.9	25-38	248	8
at Bye																
at USC	42-26	-7	-4	1	23	35-180	5.1	22-28	306	2	27	25-92	3.7	33-53	401	2
Arizona St	35-21	70	7	-1	29	36-208	5.8	21-33	247	0	22	35-148	4.2	20-31	237	4
at Oregon St																
UCLA																
at Stanford																
at Arizona																
Oregon																
Colorado																
Average	32-23	54.2	2.8	-0.3	23	32-175	5.5	63.5%	226	4.6%	20	36-132	3.6	62.3%	215	8.8%
Conference	34-20	31.3	0.0	0.0	24	35-200	5.8	66.7%	230	3.6%	24	32-103	3.2	63.9%	295	11.5%
Away	30-28	14.7	-0.3	-0.3	20	30-148	4.9	62.5%	237	6.3%	20	39-172	4.4	59.8%	198	2.9%

TEAM AVERAGES

Oregon St Beavers

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
at Purdue	21-30	-38	-9	0	15	25-78	3.1	21-38	285	1	24	33-88	2.7	29-42	313	1
Hawaii	45-27	104	2	1	28	42-256	6.1	21-29	302	1	26	29-88	3.0	24-49	366	4
Idaho	42-0	246	9	1	23	39-248	6.4	17-25	190	1	14	35-108	3.1	13-25	84	2
at USC	45-27	104	-1	2	31	51-322	6.3	15-19	213	0	32	22-76	3.5	31-49	355	2
Washington	27-24	-28	3	0	18	50-242	4.8	7-15	48	2	15	35-176	5.0	17-26	142	3
at Washington St	24-31	-24	3	-1	26	45-309	6.9	11-26	158	1	23	24-92	3.8	32-46	399	1
Bye																
Utah																
at California																
at Colorado																
Stanford																
Arizona St																
at Oregon																
Average	34-23	60.7	1.2	0.5	24	42-243	5.8	60.5%	199	3.9%	22	30-105	3.5	61.6%	277	5.5%
Conference	32-27	17.3	1.7	0.3	25	49-291	6.0	55.0%	140	5.0%	23	27-115	4.2	66.1%	299	5.0%
Home	38-17	107.3	4.7	0.7	23	44-249	5.7	65.2%	180	5.8%	18	33-124	3.8	54.0%	197	9.0%

Position by Position Edges

Utah		Oregon St
	Utah QB/WR vs. Oregon St DB's	0.73
	Utah RB's vs. Oregon St LB's	1.08
1.35	Utah OL vs. Oregon St DL	
	Utah DL vs. Oregon St OL	0.10
0.78	Utah LB'S vs. Oregon St RB's	
1.31	Utah DB's vs. Oregon St QB/WR	
	Utah ST's vs. Oregon St ST's	1.98
1.85	Utah K vs. Oregon St K	
1.50	Utah Coaches vs. Oregon St Coaches	
6.79	Utah Pts vs. Oregon St Pts	3.90

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

Utah

By 2.90 Points

Last Five Years Meetings (Last 22 years at PhilSteele.com)

2020	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
Utah	-	-11.5	30	21	44-229	18-27-174	
Oregon St	-	51.5	24	22	31-133	20-38-202	-1
2019	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Utah	15	-14.5	52	24	42-256	14-18-247	
Oregon St	-	59	7	16	22-48	22-42-169	0
2018	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Utah	21	-7	19	17	60-275	4-13-42	
Oregon St	-	40.5	14	15	35-197	9-30-100	0

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Projected Box Score

Projected Rushing			
174 yards	Utah	Oregon St	209 yards
Projected Passing			
216 yards	Utah	Oregon St	186 yards
Projected Yardage Total			
390 yards	Utah	Oregon St	395 yards
Projected Final Score			
30 points	Utah	Oregon St	28 points
Experience Rankings			
72	Utah	Oregon St	43
Team Schedule Strength			
35	Utah	Oregon St	57

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Utah By 3
Las Vegas Total	56.5 Points
+/- Ratings	Utah By 4.3
Game Grade	Oregon St By 2.2
Computer Yards	Oregon St 395-390
Computer Points	Utah 30-28
Phil Steele	Utah by 7

Phil's Forecast:

Series is tied 11-11-1 but the Beavers have lost the last 5 (3-2 ATS). Last year Chance Nolan in his first start threw for 202 yds and OSU was without RB Jefferson. Utah scored on 5 of first 6 drives with 1 punt in 1st 3Q's and led 30-10 after a 54 yd PR TD. Utah had just 21 yds in 4Q and OSU went 65/8 and 61/9 for TD's (5:07) then were SOD at 31 (2:47) and 4&8 SOD at 36 :34 left, 30-24 and the cover (+11'). Last time here ('19), OSU suffered its worst home loss S/'91 in a 52-7 blowout (+14'). Utes have won the last 3 in Corvallis (2-1 ATS) and Utah is 11-7-1 ATS as an AF the last 6 years. Oregon St opened the year with a loss at Purdue but switched to Nolan at QB and he led them to a 4-0 record including wins over USC and Washington. In their last game OSU on 4&19 pass got 18 yds and was SOD at 5 with :33 in a road loss to Wash St 31-24. Utah opened slow at 1-2 with losses to SDSt and BYU and trailed Wash St 13-7 in the 3Q. The next 6 Q's Utah was dominant with a 17-1 FD edge to finish off the Cougars and then dominated USC on the road. Last week I used them as a Best Bet and ASU open 75/12 TD Utah open 75/11 TD 7-7 but ASU led 21-7 at half. Utah had 4 2H drives and went 75/9, 68/6 67/11 and 82/12 all for TD's with ASU punting twice and having a 51 yd FG blocked in 35-21 Utah home win. The situation really favors the Beavers fresh off a bye and at home with Utah off B2B huge games vs Pac 12 South foes. The talent edge favors Utah as they look like the best team in the Pac 12 and they are playing their best ball of the year and Whittingham is 9-2 ATS on the Pac 12 road and Jonathan Smith is 2-9-1 ATS as a HD.

Utah 30 Oregon St 23

BYU Cougars

Cougars Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	FOE OFF	FOE DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	132	116			9/4	† Arizona	24-16	W	57	78	8	103	106	102			
1-0	1-0	0-0	0-0	130	137		21	9/11	Utah	26-17	W	45	74	30	20	10	107			
2-0	2-0	0-0	0-0	133	132	23	19	9/18	Arizona St	27-17	W	54	75	40	17	27	9			
3-0	1-2	0-0	0-0	134	109	15		9/25	USF	35-27	W	76	88	25	116	120	116			
4-0	3-1	0-0	1-1	130	116	13		10/2	at Utah St	34-20	W	63	101	31	38	103	34			
5-0	2-3	0-0	1-1	130	127	10		10/9	Boise St	17-26	L	49	82	34	95	60	4			
5-1	5-1	0-0	3-1	126	135	19		10/16	at Baylor	24-38	L	54	72	41	14	33	26			
5-2	4-3	0-0	3-2	126	129			10/23	at Washington St			53	87	54	83	49	83			
	5-2		3-2		135			10/30	Virginia						41	91	99			
								11/6	Idaho St											
								11/13	Bye											
	2-5		1-3		110			11/20	at GA Southern						107	115	41			
	3-3		2-3		127			11/27	USC						23	66	36			

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Yds Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Yds Sks
† Arizona	24-16	-58	-9	1	18	34-161	4.7	19-29	207	1	27	35-81	2.3	36-48	345	4
Utah	26-17	28	6	2	21	46-219	4.8	18-30	149	0	15	25-193	7.7	15-26	147	2
Arizona St	27-17	-65	4	2	23	39-144	3.7	16-28	217	2	19	33-161	4.9	21-29	265	2
USF	35-27	76	-2	0	21	25-138	5.5	20-25	305	0	23	8-181	22.6	17-24	186	1
at Utah St	34-20	130	-1	2	22	36-221	6.1	22-30	245	2	23	35-22	0.6	26-48	314	3
Boise St	17-26	101	0	-4	24	27-111	4.1	22-37	302	1	24	45-140	3.1	18-29	172	1
at Baylor	24-38	-125	-7	0	15	24-67	2.8	22-31	342	5	22	47-303	6.4	18-28	231	0
at Washington St																
Virginia																
Idaho St																
Bye																
at GA Southern																
USC																
Average	27-23	12.4	-1.3	0.4	21	33-152	4.6	66.2%	252	5.2%	22	33-154	4.7	65.1%	237	5.6%
Conference	25-22	-55.0	-1.5	1.3	19	36-148	4.1	63.6%	229	6.8%	21	35-185	5.3	68.7%	247	6.1%
Away	27-25	-17.7	-5.7	1.0	18	31-150	4.8	70.0%	265	8.9%	24	39-135	3.5	64.5%	297	5.6%

OVERALL:	OVERALL:
5-2	4-3
vs. IND	vs. PAC 12
0-0	3-2

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

BYU		Wash St
#79	Rush Off	#111
#47	Pass Off	#41
#62	**Total Off**	**#82**
#79	Score Off	#86
#47	Sks Allowed	#101
#77	Rush Def	#79
#87	Pass Def	#86
#78	**Total Def**	**#79**
#53	Score Def	#72
#71	Sks By	#71
#75	Ypg Diff	#88
+3	**Total TO's**	**+3**

BYU Cougars | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **Wash St Cougars**

Position by Position Edges

BYU		Wash St
	BYU QB/WR vs. Wash St DB's	1.04
	BYU RB's vs. Wash St LB's	1.61
0.64	BYU OL vs. Wash St DL	
	BYU DL vs. Wash St OL	0.05
1.38	BYU LB'S vs. Wash St RB's	
	BYU DB's vs. Wash St QB/WR	0.21
0.46	BYU ST's vs. Wash St ST's	
	BYU K vs. Wash St K	0.70
0.75	BYU Coaches vs. Wash St Coaches	
3.23	BYU Pts vs. Wash St Pts	3.61

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

Wash St

By 0.38 Points

Wash St Cougars

Cougars Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	FOE OFF	FOE DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	133	110			9/4	Utah St	23-26	L	42	91	128	101	100	24			
0-1		0-0		128				9/11	Portland St	44-24	W	43	89	73						
1-1	1-1	0-0	0-1	125	130			9/18	USC	14-45	L	58	91	30	14	19	45			
1-2	1-2	0-1	0-0	121	131			9/25	at Utah	13-24	L	77	66	52	53	33	102			
1-3	1-3	0-2	0-1	121	128			10/2	at California	21-6	W	92	68	64	28	54	119			
2-3	4-1	1-2	2-0	126	133			10/9	Oregon St	31-24	W	96	50	69	33	46	45			
3-3	3-3	2-2	2-2	129	131			10/16	Stanford	34-31	W	86	47	60	55	45	80			
4-3	5-2	3-2	0-0	129	126			10/23	BYU			83	49	83	53	87	54			
	5-2		3-1		135			10/30	at Arizona St						20	31	39			
								11/6	Bye											
	5-1		2-1		133			11/13	at Oregon						28	19	44			
	0-6		0-3		107			11/20	Arizona						109	99	129			
	2-4		1-2		128			11/27	at Washington						68	16	107			

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Yds Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Yds Sks
Utah St	23-26	-81	-5	1	20	26-149	5.7	20-35	211	2	25	46-222	4.8	23-36	219	0
Portland St	44-24	42	3	1	27	33-159	4.8	21-32	303	2	24	27-102	3.8	28-50	318	2
USC	14-45	-168	-9	-1	15	30-99	3.3	20-34	180	3	24	25-48	1.9	21-48	399	1
at Utah	13-24	-31	3	0	22	37-70	1.9	25-38	248	8	19	33-212	6.4	13-23	137	1
at California	21-6	59	7	-1	21	34-113	3.3	25-42	219	1	14	34-121	3.6	14-30	152	4
Oregon St	31-24	24	-3	1	23	24-92	3.8	32-46	399	1	26	45-309	6.9	11-26	158	1
Stanford	34-31	40	0	2	20	27-100	3.7	17-30	289	1	20	35-76	2.2	23-32	273	4
BYU																
at Arizona St																
Bye																
at Oregon																
Arizona																
at Washington																
Average	26-26	-16.4	-0.6	0.4	21	30-112	3.7	62.3%	264	7.0%	22	35-156	4.4	54.3%	237	5.3%
Conference	23-26	-15.2	-0.4	0.2	20	30-95	3.1	62.6%	267	7.4%	21	34-153	4.5	51.6%	224	6.9%
Home	29-30	-28.6	-2.8	0.8	21	28-120	4.3	62.1%	276	5.1%	24	36-151	4.3	55.2%	273	4.2%

Last Five Years Meetings (Last 22 years at PhilSteele.com)

None

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Projected Box Score

	BYU	Wash St
Projected Rushing		
126 yards	BYU	113 yards
Projected Passing		
237 yards	BYU	295 yards
Projected Yardage Total		
363 yards	BYU	408 yards
Projected Final Score		
24 points	BYU	25 points
Experience Rankings		
119	BYU	20
Team Schedule Strength		
25	BYU	36

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Byu By 4.5
Las Vegas Total	55.5 Points
+/- Ratings	Wash St By 17.5
Game Grade	Byu By 0.5
Computer Yards	Wash St 408-363
Computer Points	Wash St 25-24
Phil Steele	Wash St by 1

Phil's Forecast:

The last time Wash St played a non-conf game after September was in 2009, when Paul Wulff's Cougars lost to Notre Dame 40-14 in a Halloween matchup at the Alamo-dome. The Cougars haven't hosted a nonleague game in the month of October since 2001. First met in the 1981 Holiday Bowl (BYU won 38-36). This is BYU's first ever trip to Pullman. Last met in '12 when BYU won 30-6 as an 11' pt HF. Wazzou is 1-3 in the series (2-2 ATS) and has lost the last 2. Rolovich faced Sitake twice while at Hawaii and lost at home 30-20 (+3) and on the road 49-23 (+10). Wash St led Utah St 23-11 in the 4Q but lost and led USC 14-7 3Q but lost QB deLaura to injury. They led Utah 13-7 3Q but lost but then rebounded to upset both Cal (21-6) and Oregon St (31-24). Last week at home Stanford got a TD and two FG on first 3 drives to lead 13-0 WST 70/3, 70/6 TD's tie 13-13 then 67/10 SOD 9 but Stanf fmbl and WST 10/1 TD. Stanf 62/8 FG :39 left 20 16 H. WST SOD 23 then 66/7 TD lead 27-16. Stanf next 2 drives 74/9 and 85/11 TD's lead 31-27 7:32. WST punt then 70/6 Borghi TD run 1:30 left 34-31 home win. BYU was thinking playoffs after a 5-0 start and are a perfect 3-0 vs the Pac 12 this year including home upsets of Utah and Ariz St. Last week Baylor had a 305-135 yd edge at half but on 4&4 from 6 was int in EZ and SOD at 24 and only led 17-7. BYU open 3Q 75/6 TD then Baylor went 78/6 TD and after a fumble 67/4 for TD 31-14. Bay went 82/12 for TD to lead 38-17 3:55 left then BYU went 75/7 for gbg TD 1:51 left. BYU is playing to an AGG of 103.4 and Wash St is at 97.5 but the L4W Wash St is at a 108.0 AGG and BYU at just 101.3! The big news is Rolovich and 4 assistants were fired by Wash St this week so they are short-handed but many times that leads to a first game bounce (like with the Raiders over Denver last week).

Washington St 24 BYU 23

Oregon Ducks

Ducks Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	FOE OFF	FOE DEF	FOE ST
0-0	1-0	0-0	0-0	135	125	11		9/4	Fresno St	31-24	W	11	14	78	34	69	125			
1-0	1-0	0-0	1-0	134	146	12	3	9/11	at Ohio St	35-28	W	18	17	20	2	15	49			
2-0		0-0		139		4		9/18	Stony Brook	48-7	W	23	22	74						
3-0	0-3	0-0	0-0	139	109	3		9/25	Arizona	41-19	W	26	26	38	100	99	126			
4-0	2-2	1-0	1-1	137	129	3		10/2	at Stanford	24-31	L	26	28	39	45	55	90			
4-1		1-1		134		8		10/9	Bye			31	26	41						
4-1	1-4	1-1	0-2	134	123	9		10/16	California	24-17	W	32	21	39	41	48	105			
5-1	5-2	2-1	3-1	133	134	10		10/23	at UCLA			28	19	44	30	26	29			
	2-4		1-2		119			10/30	Colorado						117	63	40			
	2-4		1-2		128			11/6	at Washington						68	16	107			
	4-3		3-2		129			11/13	Washington St						83	49	83			
	4-2		3-0		137			11/20	at Utah						34	15	108			
	4-2		2-1		130			11/27	Oregon St						37	46	43			

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
Fresno St	31-24	-15	-3	2	20	49-186	3.8	15-24	172	3	23	30-75	2.5	30-43	298	4
at Ohio St	35-28	-107	-5	1	27	38-269	7.1	17-35	236	0	32	31-128	4.1	35-54	484	2
Stony Brook	48-7	165	12	4	26	39-173	4.4	22-30	263	3	14	39-140	3.6	10-23	131	1
Arizona	41-19	-42	-14	5	17	31-187	6.0	10-24	206	2	31	53-202	3.8	21-35	233	1
at Stanford	24-31	60	-2	-1	21	54-228	4.2	14-26	186	2	23	35-124	3.5	20-36	230	2
Bye																
California	24-17	52	0	-2	24	35-210	6.0	20-28	244	1	24	36-155	4.3	25-45	247	2
at UCLA																
Colorado																
at Washington																
Washington St																
at Utah																
Oregon St																
Average	34-21	18.8	-2.0	1.5	23	41-209	5.1	58.7%	218	6.6%	25	37-137	3.7	59.7%	271	5.1%
Conference	30-22	23.3	-5.3	0.7	21	40-208	5.2	56.4%	212	6.4%	26	41-160	3.9	56.9%	237	4.3%
Away	30-30	-23.5	-3.5	0.0	24	46-249	5.4	50.8%	211	3.3%	28	33-126	3.8	61.1%	357	4.4%

OVERALL:	OVERALL:
5-1	5-2
vs. PAC 12	vs. PAC 12
2-1	3-1

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

Oregon		UCLA
#24	Rush Off	#17
#83	Pass Off	#93
#50	**Total Off**	**#52**
#32	Score Off	#34
#47	Sks Allowed	#78
#54	Rush Def	#8
#109	Pass Def	#121
#87	**Total Def**	**#67**
#40	Score Def	#68
#84	Sks By	#59
#71	Ypg Diff	#60
+9	**Total TO's**	**+5**

Position by Position Edges

Oregon		UCLA
	Oregon QB/WR vs. UCLA DB's	0.11
	Oregon RB's vs. UCLA LB's	1.57
0.60	Oregon OL vs. UCLA DL	
	Oregon DL vs. UCLA OL	0.12
0.77	Oregon LB'S vs. UCLA RB's	
0.86	Oregon DB's vs. UCLA QB/WR	
	Oregon ST's vs. UCLA ST's	1.38
	Oregon K vs. UCLA K	
0.70	Oregon Coaches vs. UCLA Coaches	
2.93	Oregon Pts vs. UCLA Pts	3.18

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

UCLA

By 0.25 Points

UCLA Bruins

Bruins Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	FOE OFF	FOE DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	131	122			8/28	Hawaii	44-10	W	28	32	82	90	57	86			
1-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	135	144		16	9/4	LSU	38-27	W	21	29	15	16	10	16			
2-0		0-0		139		16		9/11	Bye			12	23	16						
2-0	2-1	0-0	0-0	139	127	13		9/18	Fresno St	37-40	L	23	9	24	21	56	104			
2-1	2-1	0-0	1-0	135	131	24		9/25	at Stanford	35-24	W	30	13	36	43	57	95			
3-1	3-1	1-0	1-0	137	132	20		10/2	Arizona St	23-42	L	34	35	31	23	27	12			
3-2	0-4	1-1	0-1	132	111			10/9	at Arizona	34-16	W	30	30	25	105	95	124			
4-2	2-3	2-1	1-1	132	130			10/16	at Washington	24-17	W	30	26	29	62	10	114			
5-2	5-1	3-1	2-1	134	133		10	10/23	Oregon			0	0	0	28	19	44			
	4-2		3-0		137			10/30	at Utah						34	15	108			
								11/6	Bye											
	2-4		1-2		119			11/13	Colorado						117	63	40			
	3-2		2-3		127			11/20	at USC						23	66	36			
	1-5		0-3		124			11/27	California						47	60	95			

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
Hawaii	44-10	123	4	2	20	43-244	5.7	12-22	148	2	16	21-26	1.2	28-53	243	2
LSU	38-27	91	-5	0	19	47-210	4.5	9-16	260	4	24	25-49	2.0	26-46	330	2
Bye																
Fresno St	37-40	-174	-15	1	17	29-117	4.0	14-24	278	0	32	37-114	3.1	29-54	455	3
at Stanford	35-24	95	13	0	24	51-204	4.0	18-29	251	2	11	22-67	3.0	19-32	293	2
Arizona St	23-42	-40	5	0	22	52-190	3.7	21-32	235	4	17	33-178	5.4	13-19	287	0
at Arizona	34-16	49	-5	0	22	47-329	7.0	8-19	82	3	27	42-122	2.9	26-38	240	3
at Washington	24-17	153	3	2	22	40-237	5.9	21-27	183	0	19	31-83	2.7	20-30	184	2
Oregon																
at Utah																
Bye																
Colorado																
at USC																
California																
Average	34-25	42.4	0.0	0.7	21	44-219	5.0	60.9%	205	8.9%	21	30-91	3.0	59.2%	290	5.1%
Conference	29-25	64.3	4.0	0.5	23	48-240	5.1	63.6%	188	8.4%	19	32-113	3.5	65.5%	251	5.9%
Home	36-30	0.0	-2.8	0.8	20	43-190	4.5	59.6%	230	10.6%	22	29-92	3.2	55.8%	329	4.1%

Last Five Years Meetings (Last 22 years at PhilSteele.com)

2020	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
Oregon	11	-17	38	21	34-88	19-30-334	
UCLA	-	62.5	35	27	51-267	19-31-195	-3
2019	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Oregon	-	-10	42	20	42-200	19-33-292	
UCLA	-	61.5	21	29	38-199	23-49-297	-3
2018	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Oregon	-	68.5	14	24	62-246	8-15-74	
UCLA	-	-6	31	22	37-142	21-36-266	2

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Projected Box Score

Projected Rushing			
127 yards	Oregon	UCLA	218 yards
Projected Passing			
238 yards	Oregon	UCLA	256 yards
Projected Yardage Total			
364 yards	Oregon	UCLA	474 yards
Projected Final Score			
29 points	Oregon	UCLA	32 points
Experience Rankings			
101	Oregon	UCLA	23
Team Schedule Strength			
55	Oregon	UCLA	17

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Ucla By 2
Las Vegas Total	60.5 Points
+/- Ratings	Ucla By 4.5
Game Grade	Ucla By 6.0
Computer Yards	Ucla 474-364
Computer Points	Ucla 32-29
Phil Steele	Ucla by 7

Phil's Forecast:

Oregon has won 13 of the last 16 in the series including 8 of the last 9 (5-4 ATS). Last year UCLA was without 9 players including DTR and rFr Chase Griffin started with RB Felton rushing for 167 yds. Oregon took advantage of two fumbles to lead 14-0 but trailed 17-14 when they got a 58 yd IR TD at :00 by Happle to lead 21-17 H. Oregon had leads of 31-21, 38-28 but UCLA down 3 had ball but was SOD, and Oregon escaped 38-35 (-17). The Bruins lone win occurred the last time here ('17) when UCLA won its 600th game in a 31-14 (-6) victory. UCLA has had impressive wins vs LSU and Stanford but also lost to Fresno St and Ariz St both at home. Last week UCLA was without WR Phillips. UCLA led 17-10 H. UW 75/9 TD 17-17 but after each team punt UCLA 90/13 TD 8:19 left for the win. Oregon opened 4-1 with an impressive win vs Ohio State. They did trail Fresno late and only led Arizona by 5 4Q in a couple of wins where they were outgained. Last week Oregon led 10-7 H. Cal 45 yd FG then 80/11/5:46 TD lead 17-10 13:37 UO 62/5 TD then 70/7 TD 4:50 left lead 24-17. Cal 73/18 4&G 2 INC SOD :02 left. UCLA is playing to an AGG of 108.5 and Oregon is at 105.2 (UCLA by 6.2) but even more impressively UCLA is at 110.7 the L4W and UO is at 101.4 (UCLA by 12.8) and the Bruins are +42 ypg taking on the #16 schedule and Oregon is +19 ypg taking on the #56 schedule. My computer has the Bruins with a 475-365 yd edge.

UCLA 31 Oregon 24

Kansas St Wildcats

Wildcats Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	FOE OFF	FOE DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	125	131			9/4	† Stanford	24-7	W	53	96	19	58	67	37			
1-0		0-0		130				9/11	Southern Illinois	23-31	L	49	93	7						
1-1	2-0	0-0	0-0	129	128			9/18	Nevada	38-17	W	61	83	35	28	62	55			
2-1	3-0	0-0	0-0	132	130	25		9/25	at Oklahoma St	20-31	L	58	48	28	86	40	63			
2-2	4-0	0-1	1-0	130	142		6	10/2	Oklahoma	31-37	L	77	51	17	14	8	14			
2-3		0-2		130				10/9	Bye			72	59	6						
2-3	3-2	0-2	1-1	130	142			10/16	Iowa St	20-33	L	75	54	6	24	22	119			
2-4	5-2	0-3	2-2	131	125			10/23	at Texas Tech			74	72	34	36	88	58			
	3-3		1-2		134			10/30	TCU						6	85	66			
	1-5		0-3		101			11/6	at Kansas						121	128	101			
	2-4		0-3		125			11/13	West Virginia						94	52	15			
	6-1		3-1		135			11/20	Baylor						10	38	16			
	4-3		2-2		136			11/27	at Texas						7	79	19			

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
† Stanford	24-7	111	1	1	15	31-200	6.5	9-14	144	3	14	22-39	1.8	23-30	194	4
Southern Illinois	31-23	104	7	-1	24	49-208	4.2	11-21	172	1	17	40-100	2.5	16-28	176	6
Nevada	38-17	67	8	1	22	48-269	5.6	9-13	129	0	14	23-25	1.1	28-41	306	3
at Oklahoma St	20-31	-221	-12	-2	13	25-62	2.5	14-31	198	2	25	43-137	3.2	22-34	344	1
Oklahoma	31-37	28	0	0	22	27-100	3.7	29-41	320	1	22	32-131	4.1	23-28	261	2
Bye																
Iowa St	20-33	-76	2	-1	21	33-136	4.1	15-23	206	3	19	35-210	6.0	22-25	208	0
at Texas Tech																
TCU																
at Kansas																
West Virginia																
Baylor																
at Texas																
Average	27-25	2.2	1.0	-0.3	20	36-163	4.6	60.8%	195	7.0%	19	33-107	3.3	72.0%	248	8.6%
Conference	24-34	-89.7	-3.3	-1.0	19	28-99	3.5	61.1%	241	6.3%	22	37-159	4.3	77.0%	271	3.4%
Away	22-19	-55.0	-5.5	-0.5	14	28-131	4.7	51.1%	171	11.1%	20	33-88	2.7	70.3%	269	7.8%

OVERALL:	OVERALL:
2-4	5-2
vs. BIG 12	vs. BIG 12
0-3	2-2

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

Kansas St		Texas Tech
#69	Rush Off	#62
#100	Pass Off	#21
#95	**Total Off**	**#24**
#76	Score Off	#25
#38	Sks Allowed	#27
#23	Rush Def	#84
#95	Pass Def	#65
#51	**Total Def**	**#74**
#65	Score Def	#100
#42	Sks By	#94
#82	Ypg Diff	#40
-2	**Total TO's**	**-4**

Kansas St Wildcats | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **Texas Tech Red Raiders**

Texas Tech Red Raiders

Red Raiders Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	FOE OFF	FOE DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	126	121			9/4	† Houston	38-21	W	31	45	53	73	48	3			
1-0		0-0		128				9/11	SF Austin	28-22	W	39	40	50						
2-0	1-1	0-0	0-0	124	108			9/18	FIU	54-21	W	36	36	63	96	89	18			
3-0	2-1	0-0	0-0	126	139			9/25	at Texas	35-70	L	30	32	60	17	70	65			
3-1	2-2	0-1	0-1	123	132			10/2	at West Virginia	23-20	W	36	65	75	87	32	13			
4-1		1-1		126				10/9	Bye			41	74	66						
4-1	2-2	1-1	0-1	123	132			10/16	TCU	31-52	L	38	88	72	16	69	57			
4-2	1-4	1-2	0-2	125	103			10/23	at Kansas	41-14	W	36	88	58	120	128	87			
	2-4		0-3		131			10/30	Kansas St						74	72	34			
	7-0		4-0		145			11/6	at Oklahoma						5	37	55			
	4-2		2-1		141			11/13	Iowa St						18	24	115			
	6-0		3-0		138			11/20	Oklahoma St						79	17	79			
	6-1		3-1		135			11/27	at Baylor						10	38	16			

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
† Houston	38-21	125	-1	3	15	28-145	5.2	17-24	231	3	16	35-77	2.2	27-38	174	4
SF Austin	28-22	-11	-11	-4	11	28-190	6.8	12-22	174	0	22	29-32	1.1	38-59	343	2
FIU	54-21	338	21	0	31	37-177	4.8	27-37	407	0	10	29-55	1.9	13-29	191	2
at Texas	35-70	-119	-7	-1	20	33-128	3.9	26-34	392	2	27	52-336	6.5	18-23	303	1
at West Virginia	23-20	-78	-2	0	20	30-80	2.7	23-35	266	3	22	27-94	3.5	26-35	330	2
Bye																
TCU	31-52	60	8	-1	26	37-214	5.8	23-41	344	1	18	47-394	8.4	8-10	104	0
at Kansas	41-14	165	6	-1	23	42-244	5.8	18-25	194	0	17	33-145	4.4	15-28	128	0
Kansas St																
at Oklahoma																
Iowa St																
Oklahoma St																
at Baylor																
Average	36-31	68.6	2.0	-0.6	21	34-168	5.0	67.0%	287	4.1%	19	36-162	4.5	65.3%	225	5.0%
Conference	33-39	7.0	1.3	-0.8	22	36-167	4.7	66.7%	299	4.4%	21	40-242	6.1	69.8%	216	3.1%
Home	38-32	129.0	6.0	-1.7	23	34-194	5.7	62.0%	308	1.0%	17	35-160	4.6	60.2%	213	4.1%

Position by Position Edges

Kansas St		Texas Tech
	Kansas St QB/WR vs. Texas Tech DB's	0.23
	Kansas St RB's vs. Texas Tech LB's	0.08
0.38	Kansas St OL vs. Texas Tech DL	
0.27	Kansas St DL vs. Texas Tech OL	
0.59	Kansas St LB'S vs. Texas Tech RB's	
	Kansas St DB's vs. Texas Tech QB/WR	1.06
1.49	Kansas St ST's vs. Texas Tech ST's	
0.10	Kansas St K vs. Texas Tech K	
0.35	Kansas St Coaches vs. Texas Tech Coaches	
3.18	Kansas St Pts vs. Texas Tech Pts	1.37

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

Kansas St

By 1.81 Points

Last Five Years Meetings (Last 22 years at PhilSteele.com)

2020	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
Kansas St	-	-2	31	20	42-198	12-22-206	
Texas Tech	-	63.5	21	27	34-204	34-49-267	-1
2019	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Kansas St	-	55.5	30	21	37-126	14-28-246	
Texas Tech	-	-2.5	27	26	31-144	29-50-368	-1
2018	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Kansas St	-	56.5	21	22	50-154	17-26-213	
Texas Tech	-	-6.5	6	11	26-31	19-30-150	-2
2017	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Kansas St	-	63	42	24	36-145	18-28-263	
Texas Tech	-	-3.5	35	26	31-122	34-53-405	0
2016	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Kansas St	-	-10	44	21	39-231	10-20-104	
Texas Tech	-	67.5	38	33	28-63	46-63-529	-1

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Projected Box Score

Projected Rushing			
191 yards	Kansas St	Texas Tech	129 yards
Projected Passing			
167 yards	Kansas St	Texas Tech	297 yards
Projected Yardage Total			
358 yards	Kansas St	Texas Tech	427 yards
Projected Final Score			
33 points	Kansas St	Texas Tech	30 points
Experience Rankings			
88	Kansas St	Texas Tech	71
Team Schedule Strength			
12	Kansas St	Texas Tech	79

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Even
Las Vegas Total	60.5 Points
+/- Ratings	Kansas St By 2.3
Game Grade	Kansas St By 0.5
Computer Yards	Texas Tech 427-358
Computer Points	Kansas St 33-30
Phil Steele	Texas Tech by 4

Phil's Forecast:

Dating back to 2011 Kansas St has won 9 out of the 10 meetings (8-2 ATS) against TTech. In last year's game KSt blocked a punt on TTech's 1st possession and then went 20/3 for a TD to go up 7-0. TTech missed a FG in the 1Q, then KSt went 97/13 in 6:47 for a TD to take a 14-0 lead and TTech missed another FG on their next poss. TTech came out in the 2H and looked like a new team as they went 88/18, 84/4 and 74/7 for TD's on 3 straight drives to take a 21-17 lead. KSt scored a TD of their own to re-take the lead 24-21 and then would put the game away with a 88/6 TD drive late 4Q to win 31-21 (-2). KSt is 6-4 ATS as a road underdog & are 13-8 ATS against Big 12 foes under HC Klieman while TTech is 1-3 ATS as a home favorite the L2Y. Four of the last 5 games have decided by 10 pts or less. Texas Tech opened 4-1 with a big win over Houston, a blowout loss to Texas but a solid road win at West Virginia. I used TCU as a Best Bet and they beat TT 52-31 in Lubbock. Last week TT had a 15-4 FD edge at half and led 24-0 at Kansas. TT was 9-11 on 3rd down. TT open 2H with 2 TD and FG and led 41-0 with 6:29 left then Kansas went 75/10 and 35/5 (after fum) for a pair of garbage TD's 41-14. Kansas St opened a solid 3-0 with dominating wins over Stanford and Nevada. Without QB Thompson they struggled at Okla St and lost by 11 but he returned and threw for 320 vs the Sooners in a 6 point loss. Last week Breece Hall got a 75 yd TD run on first play game. ISt led 20-7 H with 251-120 yd edge. KST punt and IST 93/18/10:02 TD 27-7 2:55. KST 75/11 TD, IST 52/5 FG and KST 75/11 TD 30-20 5:05. IST recover onside 40 yd FG 1:23 33-20. KST 66/7 to 11 last drive. TT rates the offensive and home edges but KSt has the edge on defense and on Special teams (#6 vs #72). Tech needs this to be bowl eligible is the slightly better team and at home.

Texas Tech 31 Kansas St 27

West Virginia Mountainers

Mountaners Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	FOE OFF	FOE DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	132	121			9/4	at Maryland	24-30	L	60	30	68	61	77	89			
0-1		0-0		128				9/11	Long Island	66-0	W	62	34	24						
1-1	2-0	0-0	1-0	129	130	15		9/18	Virginia Tech	27-21	W	66	33	6	90	13	15			
2-1	3-0	0-0	0-0	129	145		4	9/25	at Oklahoma	13-16	L	73	38	12	4	6	22			
2-2	3-1	0-1	0-1	132	123			10/2	Texas Tech	20-23	L	87	32	13	36	65	75			
2-3	4-1	0-2	2-1	128	132			10/9	at Baylor	20-45	L	84	24	15	21	42	25			
2-4		0-3		125				10/16	Bye			94	44	16						
2-4	3-3	0-3	1-2	125	134			10/23	at TCU			94	52	15	6	85	66			
	4-2		2-1		141			10/30	Iowa St						18	24	115			
	6-0		3-0		138			11/6	Oklahoma St						79	17	79			
	2-4		0-3		131			11/13	at Kansas St						74	72	34			
	4-3		2-2		136			11/20	Texas						7	79	19			
	1-5		0-3		101			11/27	at Kansas						121	128	101			

	OVERALL:	OVERALL:
	2-4	3-3
	vs. BIG 12	vs. BIG 12
	0-3	1-2

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

West Virginia		TCU
#114	Rush Off	#15
#40	Pass Off	#68
#83	**Total Off**	**#21**
#68	Score Off	#17
#87	Sks Allowed	#9
#19	Rush Def	#119
#96	Pass Def	#82
#45	**Total Def**	**#111**
#48	Score Def	#104
#36	Sks By	#115
#68	Ypg Diff	#73
-6	**Total TO's**	**+1**

TCU Horned Frogs

Horned Frogs Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	FOE OFF	FOE DEF	FOE ST
0-0		0-0		139				9/4	Duquesne	45-3	W	17	11	15						
1-0	0-1	0-0	0-0	139	126			9/11	California	34-32	W	16	9	6	87	43	126			
2-0		0-0		137				9/18	Bye			15	16	50						
2-0	3-0	0-0	0-0	137	122			9/25	SMU	34-42	L	14	46	61	10	85	99			
2-1	3-1	0-0	1-0	132	142			10/2	Texas	27-32	L	16	71	43	5	77	59			
2-2	4-1	0-1	1-1	132	123			10/9	at Texas Tech	52-31	W	16	69	57	38	88	72			
3-2	6-0	1-1	3-0	135	144		4	10/16	at Oklahoma	31-52	L	9	61	47	5	19	46			
3-3	2-4	1-2	0-3	134	125			10/23	West Virginia			6	85	66	94	52	15			
	2-4		0-3		131			10/30	at Kansas St						74	72	34			
	6-1		3-1		135			11/6	Baylor						10	38	16			
	6-0		3-0		138			11/13	at Oklahoma St						79	17	79			
	1-5		0-3		101			11/20	Kansas						121	128	101			
	4-2		2-1		141			11/27	at Iowa St						18	24	115			

West Virginia Mountainers

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
at Maryland	24-30	-171	-4	-4	18	21-48	2.3	24-40	277	3	22	44-164	3.7	26-36	332	2
Long Island	66-0	447	20	0	29	55-198	3.6	20-32	344	2	9	31-35	1.1	11-21	60	2
Virginia Tech	27-21	40	-1	-1	18	33-176	5.3	15-26	193	2	19	41-106	2.6	19-31	223	6
at Oklahoma	13-16	-87	-1	0	18	29-47	1.6	23-34	179	1	19	28-57	2.0	26-36	256	4
Texas Tech	20-23	78	2	0	22	27-94	3.5	26-35	330	2	20	30-80	2.7	23-35	266	3
at Baylor	20-45	-163	3	-1	24	38-90	2.4	24-37	272	6	21	32-171	5.3	20-31	354	0
Bye																
at TCU																
Iowa St																
Oklahoma St																
at Kansas St																
Texas																
at Kansas																
Average	28-23	24.0	3.2	-1.0	22	34-109	3.2	64.7%	266	7.8%	18	34-102	3.0	65.8%	249	8.9%
Conference	18-28	-57.3	1.3	-0.3	21	31-77	2.5	68.9%	260	8.5%	20	30-103	3.4	67.6%	292	6.9%
Away	19-30	-140.3	-0.7	-1.7	20	29-62	2.1	64.0%	243	9.0%	21	35-131	3.8	69.9%	314	5.8%

TEAM AVERAGES

TCU Horned Frogs

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
Duquesne	45-3	294	20	1	26	38-178	4.7	18-24	253	0	6	29-61	2.1	3-12	76	1
California	34-32	56	15	-1	31	50-264	5.3	17-31	234	3	16	27-133	4.9	16-27	309	2
Bye																
SMU	34-42	-149	-9	2	20	30-170	5.7	16-28	276	2	29	52-350	6.7	17-28	245	0
Texas	27-32	-63	-1	-2	24	41-169	4.1	20-28	182	1	25	53-272	5.1	12-22	142	2
at Texas Tech	52-31	-60	-8	1	18	47-394	8.4	8-10	104	0	26	37-214	5.8	23-41	344	1
at Oklahoma	31-52	4	-4	0	21	37-183	4.9	20-30	346	0	25	35-230	6.6	18-23	295	2
West Virginia																
at Kansas St																
Baylor																
at Oklahoma St																
Kansas																
at Iowa St																
Average	37-32	13.7	2.2	0.2	23	41-226	5.6	65.6%	233	4.0%	21	39-210	5.4	58.2%	235	5.2%
Conference	37-38	-39.7	-4.3	-0.3	21	42-249	6.0	70.6%	211	1.5%	25	42-239	5.7	61.6%	260	5.8%
Home	35-27	34.5	6.3	0.0	25	40-195	4.9	64.0%	236	5.4%	19	40-204	5.1	53.9%	193	5.6%

Position by Position Edges

West Virginia		TCU
	West Virginia QB/WR vs. TCU DB's	0.18
	West Virginia RB's vs. TCU LB's	1.95
	West Virginia OL vs. TCU DL	0.00
	West Virginia DL vs. TCU OL	0.37
	West Virginia LB'S vs. TCU RB's	0.69
	West Virginia DB's vs. TCU QB/WR	0.96
1.35	West Virginia ST's vs. TCU ST's	
	West Virginia K vs. TCU K	1.60
	West Virginia Coaches vs. TCU Coaches	1.10
1.35	West Virginia Pts vs. TCU Pts	6.85

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

TCU

By 5.50 Points

Last Five Years Meetings (Last 22 years at PhilSteele.com)

2020	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
West Virginia	-	-3	24	18	37-180	19-26-212	
TCU	-	44	6	19	34-134	16-29-161	-2
2019	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
West Virginia	-	42.5	20	13	27-86	20-35-158	
TCU	-	-13.5	17	17	34-153	15-37-144	1
2018	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
West Virginia	7	-13.5	47	26	40-164	26-41-371	
TCU	-	55.5	10	12	24--7	22-37-229	0
2017	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
West Virginia	23	67.5	24	28	39-142	25-45-366	
TCU	8	-13	31	16	36-170	16-29-236	2
2016	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
West Virginia	12	-6.5	34	25	48-158	16-23-231	
TCU	-	65.5	10	18	29-152	18-31-148	-3

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Projected Box Score

Projected Rushing			
127 yards	West Virginia	TCU	202 yards
Projected Passing			
222 yards	West Virginia	TCU	232 yards
Projected Yardage Total			
349 yards	West Virginia	TCU	434 yards
Projected Final Score			
26 points	West Virginia	TCU	35 points
Experience Rankings			
103	West Virginia	TCU	47
Team Schedule Strength			
45	West Virginia	TCU	44

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Tcu By 4.5
Las Vegas Total	56.5 Points
+/- Ratings	Tcu By 13.3
Game Grade	Tcu By 6.3
Computer Yards	Tcu 434-349
Computer Points	Tcu 35-26
Phil Steele	Tcu by 12

Phil's Forecast:

The Mountaineers are 4-1 SU and 5-0 ATS against the Horned Frogs. Last year TCU came into this game as the slight underdog (+3) but WVU kicked off the scoring with a 99/15 TD drive that took 7:33. TCU responded with a 59/10 FG drive but then WVU went up 14-3 on a 75/6 TD drive. After half the two teams would trade FG's and the only other score came on a WVU 42/2 drive after a fumbled punt by TCU. The stingy WVU defense held TCU to just 295 yds while RB Leddie Brown ran for 156. TCU is just 2-5 ATS the L4Y as a Big 12 home favorite while WVU HC Brown is 14-7 ATS all-time as a road underdog. Six of the past 7 meetings have also gone 'Under' the total. West Virginia opened a disappointing 2-4 SU with outright upset losses by Maryland and Texas Tech at home and a blowout loss to Baylor. They did take Oklahoma to the wire and knock off a ranked Vtech team and are fresh off a bye. Leddie Brown has rushed for 422 (4.4) and Doege is hitting 66% with a 8-5 ratio. TCU only beat Cal by 2 and lost outright to SMU at home. They got a late score to only lose to Texas by 5 but delivered a Best Bet winner beating Texas Tech on the road 52-31. Last week Caleb Williams in his first start (first true start OU s/1990) hit 18-23 and ran for 66 yards and TCU WR Quentin Johnston had 185 yds and 3 TD's. TCU RB Evans was out. OU led 24-14 at half with 309-218 yd edge. OU scored TD's all 3 3Q poss 45-24. TCU TD 11:16 left then punt and OU 68/9 for TD with 1;09 left 52-31. WR Quinton Johnston lived up to his PS#27 billing and the 6'4" WR had 7-185 and gives TCU another top-notch weapon to go along with QB Max Duggan (65% 13-2) and RB's Zach Evans (PS#1, 579, 7.8) and Kendre Miller (357, 7.3). WV is avg just 337 ypg in Big 12 play. WV actually has the defensive edge, but the Frogs have a large edge on offense (#11 vs #89). The Frogs are the stronger team and at home with the much more explosive offense and they are only -4'.

Best Bet: ★ TCU 36 West Virginia 24

Oklahoma St Cowboys

Cowboys Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	FOE OFF	FOE DEF	FOE ST
0-0		0-0		132				9/4	Missouri St	23-16	W	45	36	71						
1-0	0-1	0-0	0-0	128	124			9/11	Tulsa	28-23	W	53	41	68	44	51	74			
2-0	1-1	0-0	0-0	128	129			9/18	at Boise St	21-20	W	67	48	31	62	66	3			
3-0	2-1	0-0	0-0	130	132		25	9/25	Kansas St	31-20	W	86	40	63	58	48	28			
4-0	4-0	1-0	2-0	132	135	19	21	10/2	Baylor	24-14	W	80	34	83	12	35	30			
5-0		2-0		134		12		10/9	Bye			83	21	84						
5-0	4-2	2-0	2-1	134	136	12	25	10/16	at Texas	32-24	W	84	18	89	7	79	19			
6-0	4-2	3-0	2-1	138	141	8		10/23	at Iowa St			79	17	79	18	24	115			
	1-5		0-3		101			10/30	Kansas						121	128	101			
	2-4		0-3		125			11/6	at West Virginia						94	52	15			
	3-3		1-2		134			11/13	TCU						6	85	66			
	5-2		2-2		125			11/20	at Texas Tech						36	88	58			
	7-0		4-0		145			11/27	Oklahoma						5	37	55			

	OVERALL:	OVERALL:
	6-0	4-2
	vs. BIG 12	vs. BIG 12
	3-0	2-1

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

Oklahoma St		Iowa St
#59	Rush Off	#41
#88	Pass Off	#51
#79	**Total Off**	**#41**
#82	Score Off	#33
#21	Sks Allowed	#9
#15	Rush Def	#14
#45	Pass Def	#5
#18	**Total Def**	**#3**
#27	Score Def	#13
#18	Sks By	#59
#36	Ypg Diff	#4
-1	**Total TO's**	**+2**

Iowa St Cyclones

Cyclones Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	FOE OFF	FOE DEF	FOE ST
0-0		0-0		146		7		9/4	Northern Iowa	16-10	W	2	20	110						
1-0	1-0	0-0	1-0	142	147	9	10	9/11	Iowa	17-27	L	4	23	69	72	16	3			
1-1	0-2	0-0	0-0	141	106	14		9/18	UNLV	48-3	W	10	18	121	120	125	83			
2-1	3-0	0-0	1-0	143	132	14		9/25	at Baylor	29-31	L	38	20	93	9	31	77			
2-2	1-3	0-1	0-1	140	105			10/2	Kansas	59-7	W	42	25	118	121	127	81			
3-2		1-1		142				10/9	Bye			23	27	118						
3-2	2-3	1-1	0-2	142	130			10/16	at Kansas St	33-20	W	24	22	119	75	54	6			
4-2	6-0	2-1	3-0	141	138		8	10/23	Oklahoma St			18	24	115	79	17	79			
	2-4		0-3		125			10/30	at West Virginia						94	52	15			
	4-3		2-2		136			11/6	Texas						7	79	19			
	5-2		2-2		125			11/13	at Texas Tech						36	88	58			
	7-0		4-0		145			11/20	at Oklahoma						5	37	55			
	3-3		1-2		134			11/27	TCU						6	85	66			

Oklahoma St Cowboys

Score		Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
Missouri St	23-16	33	-7	-1	16	28-54	1.9	22-40	315	1	23	37-102	2.8	24-46	234	5
Tulsa	28-23	-34	1	-1	19	43-140	3.3	15-26	173	2	18	39-123	3.2	19-27	224	2
at Boise St	21-20	25	-4	1	15	57-246	4.3	6-13	82	2	19	35-61	1.7	22-35	242	4
Kansas St	31-20	221	12	2	25	43-137	3.2	22-34	344	1	13	25-62	2.5	14-31	198	2
Baylor	24-14	126	14	-3	24	59-218	3.7	13-23	182	1	10	29-101	3.5	13-27	173	3
Bye																
at Texas	32-24	81	9	1	25	49-220	4.5	19-33	178	1	16	33-138	4.2	15-27	179	3
at Iowa St																
Kansas																
at West Virginia																
TCU																
at Texas Tech																
Oklahoma																
Average	27-20	75.3	4.2	-0.2	21	47-169	3.6	57.4%	212	4.7%	17	33-98	3.0	55.4%	208	9.8%
Conference	29-19	142.7	11.7	0.0	25	50-192	3.8	60.0%	235	3.3%	13	29-100	3.5	49.4%	183	9.4%
Away	27-22	53.0	2.5	1.0	20	53-233	4.4	54.3%	130	6.5%	18	34-100	2.9	59.7%	211	11.3%

TEAM AVERAGES

Iowa St Cyclones

Score		Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
Northern Iowa	16-10	60	4	2	17	34-136	4.0	21-26	199	1	13	26-45	1.7	21-34	230	2
Iowa	17-27	166	10	-3	21	27-87	3.2	24-43	252	2	11	39-67	1.7	11-21	106	4
UNLV	48-3	363	20	0	27	37-184	5.0	23-30	309	0	7	31-36	1.2	10-19	94	3
at Baylor	29-31	197	12	0	27	40-216	5.4	22-33	263	2	15	33-118	3.6	14-19	164	2
Kansas	59-7	262	7	2	25	33-290	8.8	19-27	274	1	18	44-175	4.0	11-22	127	0
Bye																
at Kansas St	33-20	76	-2	1	19	35-210	6.0	22-25	208	0	21	33-136	4.1	15-23	206	3
Oklahoma St																
at West Virginia																
Texas																
at Texas Tech																
at Oklahoma																
TCU																
Average	34-16	187.3	8.5	0.3	23	34-187	5.5	71.2%	251	3.3%	14	34-96	2.8	59.4%	155	10.1%
Conference	40-19	178.3	5.7	1.0	24	36-239	6.6	74.1%	248	3.5%	18	37-143	3.9	62.5%	166	7.8%
Home	31-15	162.7	7.0	0.3	21	31-171	5.5	66.7%	242	4.2%	14	36-96	2.6	55.8%	154	7.8%

Position by Position Edges

Oklahoma St		Iowa St
	Oklahoma St QB/WR vs. Iowa St DB's	0.53
	Oklahoma St RB's vs. Iowa St LB's	1.92
	Oklahoma St OL vs. Iowa St DL	1.04
0.03	Oklahoma St DL vs. Iowa St OL	
0.72	Oklahoma St LB'S vs. Iowa St RB's	
0.37	Oklahoma St DB's vs. Iowa St QB/WR	
3.65	Oklahoma St ST's vs. Iowa St ST's	
	Oklahoma St K vs. Iowa St K	
	Oklahoma St Coaches vs. Iowa St Coaches	0.25
4.77	Oklahoma St Pts vs. Iowa St Pts	3.75

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

Oklahoma St

By 1.02 Points

Last Five Years Meetings (Last 22 years at PhilSteele.com)

2020	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
Oklahoma St	6	-3	24	24	51-226	20-29-235	
Iowa St	17	52	21	18	33-227	19-34-162	1
2019	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Oklahoma St	-	64	34	14	31-153	16-24-249	
Iowa St	23	-10.5	27	30	25-86	39-63-382	-2
2018	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Oklahoma St	25	-9	42	22	43-126	19-33-289	
Iowa St	-	55	48	21	38-140	19-25-325	0
2017	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Oklahoma St	12	-6.5	49	23	37-146	25-31-376	
Iowa St	24	61.5	42	30	29-105	30-47-386	-1
2016	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Oklahoma St	-	-17	38	20	33-108	26-44-351	
Iowa St	-	67.5	31	26	42-165	25-44-283	-3

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Projected Box Score

Projected Rushing			
110 yards	Oklahoma St	Iowa St	140 yards
Projected Passing			
159 yards	Oklahoma St	Iowa St	256 yards
Projected Yardage Total			
269 yards	Oklahoma St	Iowa St	396 yards
Projected Final Score			
18 points	Oklahoma St	Iowa St	28 points
Experience Rankings			
66	Oklahoma St	Iowa St	29
Team Schedule Strength			
34	Oklahoma St	Iowa St	84

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Iowa St By 7
Las Vegas Total	47 Points
+/- Ratings	Iowa St By 7.0
Game Grade	Iowa St By 10.5
Computer Yards	Iowa St 396-269
Computer Points	Iowa St 28-18
Phil Steele	Iowa St by 10

Phil's Forecast:

Dating back to 2012 Iowa St has just 1 win against OSU and that came in '18 (48-42 upset win in Stillwater). Home team is on a 2-5-1 ATS slide since '12 and the past 6 meetings have all been decided by 7 points or less. Last year's game was #17 ISU at #6 OSU and ISU went up 7-0 in 1Q after an INT. ISU would later miss a FG and OSU tied it 7-7. OSU took the lead in 2Q on a 79/12 drive and ISU missed another FG late 1H and trailed 14-7 at HT. The teams traded INT's then TD's to open the 3Q. After 5 combined punts OSU extended their lead to 24-14. ISU punted 2 more times before getting a late TD but then failed to recover an onside kick & lost 24-21. ISU RB Breece Hall did have 185 yds (9.3 ypc!) in the game. ISU is 4-1 ATS LY as a home favorite vs Big 12 foes, but OSU is 4-1 ATS since '18 as a road underdog. Iowa St usually starts slow under Campbell and finishes strong and opened up just 2-2 SU and 1-3 ATS with upset losses to Iowa and Baylor. The Cyclones crushed Kansas and then last week led Kansas St 27-7 on the road in a 33-20 road win. Breece Hall had just 69 yds in each of the first two but 100, 190, 123 and 197 the last 4. The Cyclone D is holding foes to 123 ypg below their season avg (#10) and the offense is putting up 87 ypg above their season avg. They were +166 yds vs Iowa and +197 yds vs Baylor in their two losses. OSU barely got past their first 3 foes, took on a backup QB vs Kansas St and got a late TD to beat Baylor by 10 at home. Last week Texas was in complete control up 17-3 at the OSU 18 when an out pass was int'd and returned 85 yds for a TD by Jason Taylor. Texas still led 17-13 H, 24-13 OSU pulled to 24-22 but missed the 2 then took its first lead on FG 4:37 left. Texas had 12 yds on last 6 drives and was SOD at own 42 and OSU 42/3 TD 2:18 left as maybe Texas let them score. Texas was int'd on next play. Iowa St is playing to an AGG of 113.8 and OSU is at 106.3 (ISt by 10.8) and my computer has the Cyclones by 10 as well with a 396-269 yard edge.

Iowa St 27 Oklahoma St 17

Rice Owls

Owls Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	OFF	DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	117	127			9/4	at Arkansas	17-38	L	123	105	81	52	31	111
0-1	0-1	0-0	0-0	116	118			9/11	Houston	7-44	L	122	102	103	83	53	58
0-2	1-1	0-0	0-0	111	135			9/18	at Texas	0-58	L	121	106	123	30	45	97
0-3		0-0		107				9/25	Texas Southern	48-34	W	124	118	127			
1-3	1-3	0-0	0-0	103	111			10/2	Southern Miss	24-19	W	109	119	123	125	88	65
2-3		1-0		106				10/9	Bye			108	115	125			
2-3	6-0	1-0	2-0	106	128			10/16	at UTSA	0-45	L	108	114	128	51	57	22
2-4	5-2	1-1	3-0	102	127			10/23	at UAB			116	118	127	69	29	61
	1-5		0-3		100			10/30	North Texas						77	116	86
	4-2		2-0		112			11/6	at Charlotte						65	119	63
	2-4		1-1		121			11/13	WKU						44	109	38
	6-1		3-0		113			11/20	at UTEP						75	41	117
	2-4		1-1		111			11/27	Louisiana Tech						103	96	112

	Score	Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
at Arkansas	17-38	-65	1	-2	19	39-81	2.1	17-35	227	2	18	44-245	5.6	12-21	128	2
Houston	7-44	-181	-8	-3	15	36-126	3.5	9-19	86	4	23	35-144	4.1	23-33	249	3
at Texas	0-58	-336	-12	0	14	32-156	4.9	19-24	128	3	26	41-427	10.4	17-21	193	0
Texas Southern	48-34	159	9	-2	30	52-349	6.7	18-23	271	1	21	35-104	3.0	20-36	357	2
Southern Miss	24-19	-53	-6	4	15	33-118	3.6	17-23	207	1	21	27-57	2.1	25-40	321	5
Bye																
at UTSA	0-45	-301	-14	-2	8	36-66	1.8	8-16	36	3	22	38-261	6.9	14-24	142	1
at UAB																
North Texas																
at Charlotte																
WKU																
at UTEP																
Louisiana Tech																
Average	16-40	-129.5	-5.0	-0.8	17	38-149	3.9	62.9%	159	10.0%	22	37-206	5.6	63.4%	232	7.4%
Conference	12-32	-177.0	-10.0	1.0	12	35-92	2.7	64.1%	122	10.3%	22	33-159	4.9	60.9%	232	9.4%
Away	6-47	-234.0	-8.3	-1.3	14	36-101	2.8	58.7%	130	10.7%	22	41-311	7.6	65.2%	154	4.5%

OVERALL:	OVERALL:
2-4	5-2
vs. CUSA	vs. CUSA
1-1	3-0

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

Rice		UAB
#80	Rush Off	#63
#118	Pass Off	#98
#120	**Total Off**	**#90**
#125	Score Off	#85
#72	Sks Allowed	#87
#117	Rush Def	#25
#73	Pass Def	#50
#105	**Total Def**	**#31**
#125	Score Def	#19
#71	Sks By	#51
#120	Ypg Diff	#59
-5	**Total TO's**	**+2**

Rice Owls | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **UAB Blazers**

Position by Position Edges

Rice		UAB
	Rice QB/WR vs. UAB DB's	1.73
	Rice RB's vs. UAB LB's	2.23
	Rice OL vs. UAB DL	1.17
	Rice DL vs. UAB OL	1.76
	Rice LB'S vs. UAB RB's	0.41
	Rice DB's vs. UAB QB/WR	0.67
	Rice ST's vs. UAB ST's	3.09
	Rice K vs. UAB K	2.10
	Rice Coaches vs. UAB Coaches	1.70
0.00	Rice Pts vs. UAB Pts	14.86

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

UAB

By 14.86 Points

UAB Blazers

Blazers Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	OFF	DEF	FOE ST
0-0		0-0		122				9/4	† Jacksonville St	33-0	W	74	29	47			
1-0	1-0	0-0	0-0	126	147		2	9/11	at Georgia	7-56	L	67	31	17	3	3	42
1-1	1-1	0-0	0-0	122	105			9/18	at North Texas	40-6	W	77	37	117	50	117	39
2-1	1-2	1-0	0-0	126	125			9/25	at Tulane	28-21	W	82	27	96	67	98	32
3-1	3-1	1-0	0-0	128	130			10/2	Liberty	12-36	L	70	31	85	74	44	114
3-2	3-2	1-0	1-0	123	120			10/9	Florida Atlantic	31-14	W	80	58	85	56	86	42
4-2	1-5	2-0	0-2	125	103			10/16	at Southern Miss	34-0	W	80	38	96	126	99	36
5-2	2-4	3-0	1-1	127	102			10/23	Rice			69	29	61	116	118	127
								10/30	Bye								
	2-4		1-1		111			11/6	Louisiana Tech						103	96	112
	4-3		2-1		119			11/13	at Marshall						48	67	74
	7-0		3-0		132			11/20	at UTSA						50	43	26
	6-1		3-0		113			11/27	UTEP						75	41	117

	Score	Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
† Jacksonville St	31-0	363	11	-2	19	37-147	4.0	19-23	371	1	8	16-64	4.0	18-35	91	0
at Georgia	7-56	-365	-12	-2	11	36-127	3.5	8-17	47	3	23	38-163	4.3	14-22	376	0
at North Texas	40-6	187	-1	1	17	51-173	3.4	7-14	234	2	18	44-121	2.8	14-34	99	3
at Tulane	28-21	38	1	2	25	48-193	4.0	19-27	240	3	24	28-90	3.2	28-50	305	0
Liberty	12-36	-219	-10	0	14	36-173	4.8	12-26	152	5	24	39-213	5.5	15-21	331	1
Florida Atlantic	31-14	15	-3	3	16	34-133	3.9	13-24	173	1	19	38-52	1.4	21-36	239	8
at Southern Miss	34-0	281	11	0	20	42-223	5.3	11-20	165	1	9	35-75	2.1	6-16	32	3
Rice																
Bye																
Louisiana Tech																
at Marshall																
at UTSA																
UTEP																
Average	26-19	42.9	-0.4	0.3	17	41-167	4.1	58.9%	197	10.6%	18	34-111	3.3	54.2%	210	7.0%
Conference	35-7	161.0	2.3	1.3	18	42-176	4.2	53.4%	191	6.9%	15	39-83	2.1	47.7%	123	16.3%
Home	22-25	-102.0	-6.5	1.5	15	35-153	4.4	50.0%	163	12.0%	22	39-133	3.4	63.2%	285	15.8%

Last Five Years Meetings (Last 22 years at PhilSteele.com)

2020	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
Rice	-	43.5	16	20	39-66	19-33-166	
UAB	-	-7	21	13	34-137	9-18-217	1
2019	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Rice	-	43.5	20	22	37-134	16-36-171	
UAB	-	-10	35	18	37-127	14-26-282	2
2018	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Rice	-	52.5	0	9	37-50	13-28-136	
UAB	-	-16.5	42	18	45-208	11-19-274	-1
2017	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Rice	-	51.5	21	17	35-236	14-24-227	
UAB	-	-10.5	52	21	36-242	20-21-197	3

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Projected Box Score

	Rice	UAB
Projected Rushing		
66 yards	Rice	UAB	217 yards
Projected Passing		
118 yards	Rice	UAB	226 yards
Projected Yardage Total		
184 yards	Rice	UAB	443 yards
Projected Final Score		
6 points	Rice	UAB	39 points
Experience Rankings		
81	Rice	UAB	55
Team Schedule Strength		
76	Rice	UAB	65

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Uab By 23
Las Vegas Total	45 Points
+/- Ratings	Uab By 29.3
Game Grade	Uab By 28.4
Computer Yards	Uab 443-184
Computer Points	Uab 39-6
Phil Steele	Uab by 33

Phil's Forecast:

It's homecoming in Birmingham. Last year UAB had just 43 scholarship players available, with a dozen key players out including their top 2 RB's and top WR. Rice led 13-7 half (14-5 FD) but UAB got 63 & 42 yd TD passes on first 5 plays of 3Q to lead 21-13. Rice got 40 yd FG 11:14 left but punted and was int'd at midfield on last two drives. The home team is 7-2 SU/8-1 ATS. UAB is 16-6-2 ATS at home but Rice is 9-7 as an AD under Bloomgren. Rice is fresher, having had their bye 2 weeks ago while UAB is playing for the 8th straight week with their bye on deck. Rice opened a poor 1-3 SU and 0-4 ATS with only a win vs a weak FCS team. Rice was outgained 378-325 by SMiss but won and after a bye last week, UTSA reached 7-0 for first time in school history. UTSA got 2 TD and FG on first 3 drives then a DL tipped pass 40 yd IR TD. UTSA punt twice then 75/7 TD led 31-0 H with 294-53 yd edge. 4th play of 3Q UTSA 49 yd IR TD and add 60/7 3Q TD in 45-0 rout. UAB got mauled by Georgia but opened 3-1 and in the first game of their brand-new home stadium were tied 3-3 at half but got "Malik Willis'd" and lost 36-12 to Liberty. They got a not as impressive as the score win at home vs FAU (31-14) and last week UAB led 31-0 at half with 275-62 yd edge and even had a blocked punt TD to make it 17-0 2Q. Only score in 2H was a UAB FG in 34-0 road win. UAB is playing to an AGG of 103.1 and Rice at just 78.1 (UAB by 28.1). My computer has UAB winning this 39-6 and the spread is just -23 so I agree and like the home team Blazers here.

Best Bet: ★ UAB 39 Rice 6

Tennessee Volunteers

Volunteers Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	FOE OFF	FOE DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	120	84			9/4	Bowling Green	38-6	W	79	65	33	126	128	115			
1-0	1-0	0-0	0-0	119	127			9/11	Pittsburgh	34-41	L	73	65	19	38	14	21			
1-1		0-0		119				9/18	Tennessee Tech	56-0	W	72	60	7						
2-1	2-1	0-0	0-1	121	138		11	9/25	at Florida	14-38	L	44	35	7	8	14	88			
2-2	2-2	0-1	0-1	121	124			10/2	at Missouri	62-24	W	39	48	10	20	81	15			
3-2	3-2	1-1	0-2	126	119			10/9	South Carolina	45-20	W	15	37	33	77	39	26			
4-2	4-1	2-1	1-1	128	142		13	10/16	Mississippi	26-31	L	13	37	20	2	66	53			
4-3	6-1	2-2	3-1	129	154		4	10/23	at Alabama			16	30	28	3	8	2			
								10/30	at Bye											
	6-1		4-1		136			11/6	at Kentucky						35	35	92			
	7-0		5-0		156			11/13	Georgia						11	1	46			
	4-2		1-2		112			11/20	South Alabama						87	62	97			
	2-5		0-3		105			11/27	Vanderbilt						118	113	109			

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Yds Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Yds Sks
Bowling Green	38-6	256	20	-2	31	64-331	5.2	12-24	144	3	11	23-32	1.4	25-38	187	2
Pittsburgh	34-41	-23	-4	-3	20	33-136	4.1	22-33	238	5	24	45-96	2.1	25-37	301	2
Tennessee Tech	56-0	238	14	3	24	47-202	4.3	20-32	215	1	10	28-35	1.3	17-36	144	4
at Florida	14-38	-82	-5	1	20	37-148	4.0	15-31	275	3	25	40-283	7.1	22-28	222	1
at Missouri	62-24	287	14	2	35	59-458	7.8	15-19	225	1	21	30-74	2.5	27-44	322	1
South Carolina	45-20	102	2	2	24	49-247	5.0	17-23	225	6	22	41-153	3.7	21-34	217	4
Mississippi	26-31	-43	0	0	29	50-222	4.4	18-29	245	5	29	62-279	4.5	21-39	231	5
at Alabama																
at Bye																
at Kentucky																
Georgia																
South Alabama																
Vanderbilt																
Average	39-23	105.0	5.9	0.4	26	48-249	5.1	62.3%	224	12.6%	20	38-136	3.5	61.7%	232	7.4%
Conference	37-28	66.0	2.8	1.3	27	49-269	5.5	63.7%	243	14.7%	24	43-197	4.6	62.8%	248	7.6%
Away	38-31	102.5	4.5	1.5	28	48-303	6.3	60.0%	250	8.0%	23	35-179	5.1	68.1%	272	2.8%

OVERALL:	OVERALL:
4-3	6-1
vs. SEC	vs. SEC
2-2	3-1

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

Tennessee		Alabama
#6	Rush Off	#64
#79	Pass Off	#15
#16	**Total Off**	**#13**
#11	Score Off	#4
#121	Sks Allowed	#87
#52	Rush Def	#10
#75	Pass Def	#44
#57	**Total Def**	**#16**
#52	Score Def	#34
#18	Sks By	#18
#28	Ypg Diff	#5
+3	**Total TO's**	**+7**

Tennessee Volunteers | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **Alabama Crimson Tide**

Position by Position Edges

Tennessee		Alabama
	Tennessee QB/WR vs. Alabama DB's	0.66
	Tennessee RB's vs. Alabama LB's	1.41
0.25	Tennessee OL vs. Alabama DL	
0.04	Tennessee DL vs. Alabama OL	
0.19	Tennessee LB'S vs. Alabama RB's	
	Tennessee DB's vs. Alabama QB/WR	0.70
	Tennessee ST's vs. Alabama ST's	1.82
	Tennessee K vs. Alabama K	2.00
	Tennessee Coaches vs. Alabama Coaches	3.25
0.48	Tennessee Pts vs. Alabama Pts	9.84

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

Alabama

By 9.36 Points

Alabama Crimson Tide

Crimson Tide Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	FOE OFF	FOE DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	158	133	1	14	9/4	† Miami, Fl	44-13	W	8	1	1	5	17	31			
1-0		0-0		159		1		9/11	Mercer	48-14	W	5	1	8						
2-0	2-0	0-0	0-0	155	136	1	11	9/18	at Florida	31-29	W	4	3	1	20	17	82			
3-0	1-2	1-0	0-0	153	112	1		9/25	Southern Miss	63-14	W	15	7	1	119	64	23			
4-0	3-0	1-0	0-0	154	145	1	12	10/2	Mississippi	42-21	W	9	11	1	2	38	68			
5-0	3-2	2-0	0-2	155	134	1		10/9	at Texas A&M	38-41	L	7	11	1	39	5	12			
5-1	3-2	2-1	1-1	150	133	5		10/16	at Miss St	49-9	W	6	16	1	44	12	116			
6-1	4-3	3-1	2-2	154	129	4		10/23	Tennessee			3	8	2	16	30	28			
	4-3		2-2		133			10/30	LSU						46	47	45			
	1-6		0-0		99			11/6	New Mexico St						119	127	96			
	4-3		1-3		133			11/13	Arkansas						17	51	89			
	5-2		2-1		140			11/20	at Auburn						13	33	11			

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Yds Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Yds Sks
† Miami, Fl	44-13	235	10	2	28	38-147	3.9	28-39	354	1	18	31-87	2.8	23-31	179	4
Mercer	48-14	208	11	2	24	34-158	4.6	20-31	266	2	13	36-48	1.3	10-18	168	3
at Florida	31-29	-115	-7	1	19	27-91	3.4	22-35	233	2	26	43-258	6.0	17-27	181	1
Southern Miss	63-14	393	11	0	22	33-211	6.4	23-26	395	2	11	3-82	27.3	11-24	131	2
Mississippi	42-21	160	9	0	27	50-210	4.2	21-27	241	3	18	34-78	2.3	21-29	213	2
at Texas A&M	38-41	143	1	-1	25	34-153	4.5	28-48	369	4	24	27-94	3.5	21-31	285	0
at Miss St	49-9	244	-2	3	22	41-195	4.8	20-28	348	2	24	19--1	-0.1	35-55	300	7
Tennessee																
LSU																
New Mexico St																
Arkansas																
at Auburn																
Average	45-20	181.1	4.7	1.0	24	37-166	4.5	69.2%	315	6.8%	19	28-92	3.3	64.2%	208	8.8%
Conference	40-25	108.0	0.3	0.8	23	38-162	4.3	65.9%	298	8.0%	23	31-107	3.5	66.2%	245	7.0%
Home	51-16	253.7	10.3	0.7	24	39-193	4.9	76.2%	301	8.3%	14	24-69	2.8	59.2%	171	9.9%

Last Five Years Meetings (Last 22 years at PhilSteele.com)

2020	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
Alabama	2	-21.5	48	30	40-170	28-36-417	
Tennessee	-	65.5	17	16	38-139	14-25-163	0
2019	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Alabama	1	-34.5	35	23	34-140	18-24-233	
Tennessee	-	61	13	18	37-114	12-24-117	-1
2018	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Alabama	1	-29	58	30	42-218	21-32-327	
Tennessee	-	57.5	21	13	30-31	14-25-227	0
2017	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Alabama	1	-36.5	45	35	53-272	22-33-332	
Tennessee	-	51	7	7	30-64	9-16-44	1
2016	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Alabama	1	-13.5	49	28	48-409	18-28-185	
Tennessee	9	57	10	11	32-32	18-31-131	1

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Projected Box Score

Projected Rushing			
110 yards	Tennessee	Alabama	171 yards
Projected Passing			
169 yards	Tennessee	Alabama	339 yards
Projected Yardage Total			
279 yards	Tennessee	Alabama	510 yards
Projected Final Score			
23 points	Tennessee	Alabama	46 points
Experience Rankings			
125	Tennessee	Alabama	124
Team Schedule Strength			
75	Tennessee	Alabama	19

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Alabama By 25
Las Vegas Total	67 Points
+/- Ratings	Alabama By 30.5
Game Grade	Alabama By 17.6
Computer Yards	Alabama 510-279
Computer Points	Alabama 46-23
Phil Steele	Alabama by 35

Phil's Forecast:

Nick Saban has won all 14 meetings vs Tenn by 25.7 ppg and is 10-4 ATS in those. The home meetings have been slightly closer with Bama 'only' winning by 22.4 ppg. HC Heupel was the OC at Oklahoma in '13 when the Sooners beat Bama 45-31 in the Orange Bowl. Tenn has lost 37 straight vs Top 10 ranked teams. Both teams have byes on deck after playing 8 straight weeks. Bama returns home after B2B road gms vs A&M & Miss St. The Crimson Tide are on an 7-0 ATS run as a HF vs FBS teams. Tennessee lost to Pitt by 7 at home and gave Florida a game for a half but lost 38-14 in the Swamp. They beat up on two weak SEC teams putting up 107 pts on Missouri and South Carolina combined. Last week Ole Miss went 11/2 for TD after a fmbl PR and Tenn sack Corral for safety 7-2. UT 49/3 for TD after free kick 9-7. Ole Miss 57/11 FG 54/8 TD 91/12 TD led 24-9 with UT 39 yd FG :00 24-12 H Miss 17-10 FD. Tenn open 3Q with TD, FG , TD to UM's FG, TD, int and pulled to 31-26 13:41 left. UT 4&24 own 36 pass 23 yds SOD :54. UT force punt :27 39/5 Milton run OOB last play instead of throw. Bama played that same Ole Miss team at home 3 weeks ago and led 42-7 giving up two late TD's. After a stunning loss to A&M last week Miss St had 14-10 FD edge and the yds were even at 200-200. Miss St settled for 2 FG and gave up 40 yd IR TD and trailed 21-6. Bama 75 yd TD pass 1st play 3Q and took control to lead 49-9 and Miss St int in EZ 2:29 left. Tennessee expended a lot of effort (as did their fans throwing stuff on the field) last week and QB Hooker was injured and is doubtful and Bama has a bye on deck. Tennessee does not have the depth to hang with Bama for 4Q's and Tide have a big 2H.

Alabama 48 Tennessee 13

South Carolina Gamecocks

Gamecocks Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	FOE OFF	FOE DEF	FOE ST
0-0		0-0		117				9/4	Eastern Illinois	46-0	W	40	73	62						
1-0	0-1	0-0	0-0	119	126			9/11	at East Carolina	20-17	W	40	78	56	60	100	36			
2-0	2-0	0-0	0-0	120	151		2	9/18	at Georgia	13-40	L	43	58	26	5	1	53			
2-1	3-0	0-1	1-0	121	123			9/25	Kentucky	10-16	L	61	36	56	27	37	80			
2-2	2-2	0-2	0-1	118	119			10/2	Troy	23-14	W	78	40	47	105	67	94			
3-2	3-2	0-2	1-1	119	126			10/9	at Tennessee	20-45	L	77	39	26	15	37	33			
3-3	2-4	0-3	0-2	116	103			10/16	Vanderbilt	21-20	W	79	39	24	117	117	110			
4-3	5-2	1-3	2-2	113	139		17	10/23	at Texas A&M			82	40	21	33	5	17			
								10/30	Bye											
	4-3		2-3		133			11/6	Florida						9	7	52			
	3-4		0-3		118			11/13	at Missouri						25	108	8			
	5-2		2-1		140			11/20	Auburn						13	33	11			
	4-2		3-1		135			11/27	Clemson						66	6	90			

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
Eastern Illinois	46-0	334	14	1	23	47-258	5.5	18-28	185	1	9	22-31	1.4	13-22	78	2
at East Carolina	20-17	60	3	-1	15	39-109	2.8	13-24	214	3	12	38-111	2.9	12-25	152	5
at Georgia	13-40	-181	-13	1	13	34-96	2.8	14-29	214	3	26	31-184	5.9	24-35	307	1
Kentucky	10-16	-116	-10	3	12	26-58	2.2	17-25	158	2	22	44-230	5.2	15-22	102	0
Troy	23-14	54	-2	1	19	27-102	3.8	20-34	255	3	21	32-155	4.8	21-37	148	2
at Tennessee	20-45	-102	-2	-2	22	41-153	3.7	21-34	217	4	24	49-247	5.0	17-23	225	6
Vanderbilt	21-20	122	2	-2	17	32-117	3.7	22-35	317	1	15	39-106	2.7	11-21	206	2
at Texas A&M																
Bye																
Florida																
at Missouri																
Auburn																
Clemson																
Average	22-22	24.4	-1.1	0.1	17	35-128	3.6	59.8%	223	8.1%	18	36-152	4.2	61.1%	174	9.7%
Conference	16-30	-69.3	-5.8	0.0	16	33-106	3.2	60.2%	227	8.1%	22	41-192	4.7	66.3%	210	8.9%
Away	18-34	-74.3	-4.0	-0.7	17	38-119	3.1	55.2%	215	11.5%	21	39-181	4.6	63.9%	228	14.5%

	South Carolina	Texas A&M
OVERALL:	4-3	5-2
vs. SEC	1-3	2-2

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

South Carolina		Texas A&M
#95	Rush Off	#51
#80	Pass Off	#89
#99	**Total Off**	**#78**
#108	Score Off	#75
#99	Sks Allowed	#63
#74	Rush Def	#56
#15	Pass Def	#52
#33	**Total Def**	**#43**
#44	Score Def	#14
#25	Sks By	#9
#67	Ypg Diff	#62
+1	**Total TO's**	**-3**

TEAM AVERAGES

Position by Position Edges

South Carolina		Texas A&M
	South Carolina QB/WR vs. Texas A&M DB's	2.13
	South Carolina RB's vs. Texas A&M LB's	2.32
	South Carolina OL vs. Texas A&M DL	1.18
	South Carolina DL vs. Texas A&M OL	0.42
	South Carolina LB'S vs. Texas A&M RB's	0.25
1.06	South Carolina DB's vs. Texas A&M QB/WR	
	South Carolina ST's vs. Texas A&M ST's	0.48
	South Carolina K vs. Texas A&M K	0.60
	South Carolina Coaches vs. Texas A&M Coaches	2.90
1.06	South Carolina Pts vs. Texas A&M Pts	10.29

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

Texas A&M

By 9.23 Points

Texas A&M Aggies

Aggies Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	FOE OFF	FOE DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	143	121	6		9/4	Kent St	41-10	W	14	6	36	54	123	127			
1-0	1-0	0-0	0-0	144	118	5		9/11	† Colorado	10-7	W	7	5	33	58	45	66			
2-0	2-0	0-0	0-0	140	110	7		9/18	New Mexico	34-0	W	21	5	42	76	109	96			
3-0	3-0	0-0	0-0	140	135	7	16	9/25	† Arkansas	10-20	L	28	2	27	19	22	47			
3-1	2-2	0-1	0-1	137	130	15		10/2	Miss St	22-26	L	43	3	21	47	14	111			
3-2	5-0	0-2	2-0	134	155		1	10/9	Alabama	41-38	W	39	5	12	7	11	1			
4-2	3-3	1-2	0-2	139	118	21		10/16	at Missouri	35-14	W	42	7	17	25	106	4			
5-2	4-3	2-2	1-3	139	113	17		10/23	South Carolina			33	5	17	82	40	21			
								10/30	Bye											
	5-2		2-1		140			11/6	Auburn						13	33	11			
	5-1		2-1		141			11/13	at Mississippi						4	71	57			
								11/20	Prairie View A&M											
	4-3		2-2		133			11/27	at LSU						46	47	45			

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
Kent St	41-10	259	10	-3	29	42-303	7.2	21-34	292	2	19	45-226	5.0	14-30	110	5
† Colorado	10-7	28	0	0	14	29-97	3.3	19-40	191	1	14	38-171	4.5	13-25	89	1
New Mexico	34-0	307	13	0	22	34-154	4.5	19-33	275	3	9	36-89	2.5	10-23	33	4
† Arkansas	10-20	-171	-5	-1	15	23-121	5.3	20-36	151	3	20	49-197	4.0	9-19	246	2
Miss St	22-26	-141	-13	-1	15	32-162	5.1	12-20	135	3	28	17-30	1.8	46-59	408	3
Alabama	41-38	-143	-1	1	24	27-94	3.5	21-31	285	0	25	34-153	4.5	28-48	369	4
at Missouri	35-14	103	10	1	29	42-283	6.7	13-25	148	1	19	30-98	3.3	29-43	230	2
South Carolina																
Bye																
Auburn																
at Mississippi																
Prairie View A&M																
at LSU																
Average	28-16	34.6	2.0	-0.4	21	33-173	5.3	57.1%	211	5.9%	19	36-138	3.9	60.3%	212	8.5%
Conference	27-25	-88.0	-2.3	0.0	21	31-165	5.3	58.9%	180	6.3%	23	33-120	3.7	66.3%	313	6.5%
Home	35-19	70.5	2.3	-0.8	23	34-178	5.3	61.9%	247	6.8%	20	33-125	3.8	61.3%	230	10.0%

Last Five Years Meetings (Last 22 years at PhilSteele.com)

	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
2020	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Texas A&M	7	-10	48	26	45-264	17-27-266	
South Carolina	-	59	3	9	25-50	12-28-100	-2
2019	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Texas A&M	-	-11	30	27	46-319	20-33-221	
South Carolina	-	49	6	15	17-45	19-46-215	1
2018	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Texas A&M	22	-2.5	26	25	40-105	25-37-353	
South Carolina	-	52	23	19	18-76	17-35-223	-2
2017	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Texas A&M	-	-7.5	24	20	49-237	19-27-159	
South Carolina	-	49	17	14	26-23	17-30-256	0
2016	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Texas A&M	9	-18	24	22	39-216	23-40-206	
South Carolina	-	48.5	13	21	35-161	22-35-217	0

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Projected Box Score

Projected Rushing			
92 yards	South Carolina	Texas A&M	197 yards
Projected Passing			
155 yards	South Carolina	Texas A&M	197 yards
Projected Yardage Total			
247 yards	South Carolina	Texas A&M	394 yards
Projected Final Score			
6 points	South Carolina	Texas A&M	31 points
Experience Rankings			
117	South Carolina	Texas A&M	111
Team Schedule Strength			
61	South Carolina	Texas A&M	14

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Texas A&M By 20.5
Las Vegas Total	45 Points
+/- Ratings	Texas A&M By 30.8
Game Grade	Texas A&M By 14.9
Computer Yards	Texas A&M 394-247
Computer Points	Texas A&M 31-6
Phil Steele	Texas A&M by 28

Phil's Forecast:

A&M is 7-0 SU/4-3 ATS and all 7 meetings have come in SEC play. The Aggies held a 530-150 yd edge last year and won 48-3. SC is 4-6 ATS as an AD, A&M was 9-3 as a HF in '18 & '19 but went 0-3 last year with the small or zero crowds. Both teams have played 8 straight weeks with much needed bye weeks on deck. The Aggies season was headed South after upset losses to Arkansas and Miss St but they turned their season back around with an upset of Alabama. Last week I used them as a Best Bet - 9 at Missouri and RB's Spiller and Achane combined for 292 rush. A&M led 21-0 after 3 poss but missed a FG and only led 28-7 at half. Each team open 3Q with TD and A&M miss 46 yd FG (short again) and won 35-14 on road. South Carolina opened 3-0 ATS covering vs powerful Georgia and coming up just short vs UK in week 4 losing by 6 (+4). After a cover vs Troy they were mauled at Tennessee. Last week they got win #4 at home vs Vandy but it was not easy. Vandy was without QB Seals and SC was without RT Wonnum WR Brooks. SC open 75/12 TD. Vandy 51/7 for FG first drive. SCar 75/2 82 yd TD pass 14-3 then held scoreless 49:00. Vandy SOD 4 Scar SOD 13. Vandy 14/3 (after fum) TD trail 14-10 H. SC fumble at 11 Vandy 89/8 TD lead 17-14. SC miss 38 yd FG, int'd twice. Vandy 28 yd FG 1:36 led 20-14. SC bring in bkp QB Noland SC 75/8 TD :37 left escape 21-20 with 434-312 yd edge. A&M has taken on the #17 toughest schedule and South Carolina #62. SC is allowing 220 (5.3) rush to SEC teams not named Vandy and A&M has the top RB corps of Spiller and Achane. The Gamecocks are on a 1-9 ATS run in SEC play. A&M's season was in the trash but that upset of Bama has given them life and SCarolina trailed Tennessee 35-0 in 2Q of 25 point road loss and get blown out again here.

Texas A&M 34 South Carolina 6

Miss St Bulldogs

Bulldogs Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	132	110			9/4	Louisiana Tech	35-34	W	50	28	51	111	87	98
1-0	1-0	0-0	0-0	128	133			9/11	NC State	24-10	W	46	30	96	30	12	40
2-0	2-0	0-0	0-0	132	125			9/18	at Memphis	29-31	L	49	24	59	18	57	12
2-1	2-1	0-0	0-0	130	138			9/25	LSU	25-28	L	56	15	110	52	18	26
2-2	3-1	0-1	0-1	130	137		15	10/2	at Texas A&M	26-22	W	47	14	111	43	3	21
3-2		1-1		133				10/9	Bye			40	13	117			
3-2	5-1	1-1	2-1	133	150		5	10/16	Alabama	9-49	L	44	12	116	6	16	1
3-3	2-5	1-2	0-3	129	105			10/23	at Vanderbilt			59	22	113	118	113	109
	6-1		4-1		136			10/30	Kentucky						35	35	92
	4-3		1-3		133			11/6	at Arkansas						17	51	89
	5-2		2-1		140			11/13	at Auburn						13	33	11
								11/20	Tennessee St								
	5-1		2-1		141			11/27	Mississippi						4	71	57

	Score	Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Yds Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Yds Sks
Louisiana Tech	35-34	66	8	-2	22	19-65	3.4	39-47	370	3	14	25-101	4.0	21-37	268	1
NC State	24-10	-19	-1	3	15	15-22	1.5	33-49	294	1	16	25-32	1.3	30-51	303	4
at Memphis	29-31	222	14	0	26	16-49	3.1	50-67	419	2	12	25-87	3.5	16-28	159	1
LSU	25-28	144	14	-1	29	26-116	4.5	47-62	371	1	15	27-63	2.3	17-27	280	2
at Texas A&M	26-22	141	13	1	28	17-30	1.8	45-59	408	3	15	32-162	5.1	12-20	135	3
Bye																
Alabama	9-49	-244	2	-3	24	19--1	-0.1	35-55	300	7	22	41-195	4.8	20-28	348	2
at Vanderbilt																
Kentucky																
at Arkansas																
at Auburn																
Tennessee St																
Mississippi																
Average	25-29	51.7	8.3	-0.3	24	19-47	2.5	73.5%	360	5.0%	16	29-107	3.7	60.7%	249	6.8%
Conference	20-33	13.7	9.7	-1.0	27	21-48	2.3	72.2%	360	6.3%	17	33-140	4.2	65.3%	254	9.3%
Away	28-27	181.5	13.5	0.5	27	17-40	2.4	75.4%	414	4.0%	14	29-125	4.4	58.3%	147	8.3%

OVERALL:	OVERALL:
3-3	2-5
vs. SEC	vs. SEC
1-2	0-3

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

Miss St		Vanderbilt
#129	Rush Off	#110
#4	Pass Off	#97
#58	**Total Off**	**#118**
#93	Score Off	#126
#99	Sks Allowed	#63
#22	Rush Def	#100
#98	Pass Def	#105
#52	**Total Def**	**#113**
#87	Score Def	#111
#71	Sks By	#127
#54	Ypg Diff	#122
-2	**Total TO's**	**-4**

Miss St Bulldogs | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **Vanderbilt Commodores**

Position by Position Edges

Miss St		Vanderbilt
2.46	Miss St QB/WR vs. Vanderbilt DB's	
	Miss St RB's vs. Vanderbilt LB's	1.56
0.18	Miss St OL vs. Vanderbilt DL	
1.56	Miss St DL vs. Vanderbilt OL	
2.72	Miss St LB'S vs. Vanderbilt RB's	
1.53	Miss St DB's vs. Vanderbilt QB/WR	
0.48	Miss St ST's vs. Vanderbilt ST's	
	Miss St K vs. Vanderbilt K	0.50
1.75	Miss St Coaches vs. Vanderbilt Coaches	
10.67	Miss St Pts vs. Vanderbilt Pts	2.06

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

Miss St

By 8.61 Points

Vanderbilt Commodores

Commodores Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- DEF	FOE ST
0-0		0-0		112				9/4	East Tenn St	3-23	L	110	116	106			
0-1	0-1	0-0	0-0	107	117			9/11	at Colorado St	24-21	W	112	118	85	114	86	70
1-1	1-1	0-0	1-0	111	131			9/18	Stanford	23-41	L	115	115	78	56	67	115
1-2	3-0	0-0	1-0	111	150		2	9/25	Georgia	0-62	L	107	109	91	11	1	51
1-3	0-5	0-1	0-1	107	96			10/2	Connecticut	30-28	W	119	111	102	129	128	101
2-3	3-2	0-1	1-2	105	134		20	10/9	at Florida	0-42	L	114	116	95	8	10	74
2-4	3-3	0-2	0-3	103	116			10/16	at South Carolina	20-21	L	117	117	110	79	39	24
2-5	3-3	0-3	1-2	105	129			10/23	Miss St			118	113	109	59	22	113
	3-4		0-3		118			10/30	Missouri						25	108	8
								11/6	Bye								
	6-1		4-1		136			11/13	Kentucky						35	35	92
	5-1		2-1		141			11/20	at Mississippi						4	71	57
	4-3		2-2		129			11/27	at Tennessee						16	30	28

	Score	Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Yds Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Yds Sks
East Tenn St	3-23	7	10	-3	23	31-85	2.7	24-44	236	2	13	37-179	4.8	13-22	135	0
at Colorado St	24-21	-103	1	0	21	37-104	2.8	27-42	238	3	20	33-207	6.3	20-38	238	0
Stanford	23-41	-24	3	-1	23	44-247	5.6	18-40	151	1	20	27-204	7.6	19-29	218	1
Georgia	0-62	-455	-24	-2	4	28-53	1.9	5-18	24	1	28	48-241	5.0	21-28	291	0
Connecticut	30-28	-84	-2	0	23	33-106	3.2	27-40	333	1	25	37-192	5.2	24-43	331	2
at Florida	0-42	-192	0	0	18	34-88	2.6	24-45	199	3	18	34-181	5.3	18-28	298	0
at South Carolina	20-21	-122	-2	2	15	39-106	2.7	11-21	206	2	17	32-117	3.7	22-35	317	1
Miss St																
Missouri																
Bye																
Kentucky																
at Mississippi																
at Tennessee																
Average	14-34	-139.0	-2.0	-0.6	18	35-113	3.2	54.4%	198	5.2%	20	35-189	5.3	61.4%	261	1.8%
Conference	7-42	-256.3	-8.7	0.0	12	34-82	2.4	47.6%	143	7.1%	21	38-180	4.7	67.0%	302	1.1%
Home	14-39	-139.0	-3.3	-1.5	18	34-123	3.6	52.1%	186	3.5%	22	37-204	5.5	63.1%	244	2.5%

Last Five Years Meetings (Last 22 years at PhilSteele.com)

2020	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
Miss St	-	-18.5	24	14	11--22	35-46-226	
Vanderbilt	-	45	17	30	36-142	31-46-336	-5

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Projected Box Score

Projected Rushing			
86 yards	Miss St	Vanderbilt	76 yards
Projected Passing			
394 yards	Miss St	Vanderbilt	208 yards
Projected Yardage Total			
480 yards	Miss St	Vanderbilt	284 yards
Projected Final Score			
36 points	Miss St	Vanderbilt	15 points
Experience Rankings			
93	Miss St	Vanderbilt	73
Team Schedule Strength			
1	Miss St	Vanderbilt	41

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Miss St By 20.5
Las Vegas Total	51.5 Points
+/- Ratings	Miss St By 21.0
Game Grade	Miss St By 21.7
Computer Yards	Miss St 480-284
Computer Points	Miss St 36-15
Phil Steele	Miss St by 32

Phil's Forecast:

Miss St has won the last 4 meetings but haven't played here since 2009. The Bulldogs were 18' pt chalk last year despite a 4-game losing streak where they scored just 30 total points. It was QB Rogers first career start and Miss St led 17-0 at H despite only a 162-156 yd edge. The Bulldogs were outgained 478-204 but were +5 TO's and won 24-17. MSU has lost 6 straight road games (1-5 ATS) vs SEC East foes while Vandy is 3-15 SU/6-12 ATS vs SEC West foes including 6 straight losses (1-5 ATS). Visiting teams usually have the crowd edge and Miss St fans will make up a good portion of the crowd. Vanderbilt is 3-14 as an HD. Miss St was in a tough spot last year as Leach took over a run heavy team and tried to incorporate his passing schemes and they put up just 340 ypg. This year they are close to 100 ypg better and opened 3-2 with an impressive home win as a dog vs NCSt (led 24-3) and in losses to Memphis and LSU they were +222 and +144 ypg. They upset A&M on the road and last week off a bye and Alabama was off a loss but in 1H Miss St had 14-10 FD edge and the yds were even at 200-200. Miss St settle 2 FG and gave up 40 yd IR TD and trailed 21-6. Bama 75 yd TD pass 1st play 3Q and took control to lead 49-9 and Miss St int in EZ 2:29 left. Vandy opened 2-4 but vs the first 3 Power 5 foes they faced they were 0-3 SU and ATS losing by 40 ppg! (-233 ypg). Last week Vandy was without QB Seals. Scar open 75/12 TD Vandy 51/7 FG first drive. Scar 75/2 82 yd TD pass 14-3 then held scoreless 49:00. Vandy SOD 4 SCar SOD 13. Vandy 14/3 (after fum) TD trail 14-10 H. SC fumble at 11 Vandy 89/8 TD lead 17-14. SC miss 38 yd FG, int'd twice Vandy 28 yd FG 1:36 led 20-14. SC bring in bkp QB Noland SC 75/8 TD :37 left escape 21-20 with 434-312 yd edge. Miss St D is holding foes to 83 ypg below their season average and Vandy has just 225 ypg on offense vs SEC foes this year. Vandy is #104 in my pass D rankings and Leach likes to score points.

Mississippi St 42 Vanderbilt 10

Wisconsin Badgers

Badgers Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	OFF	DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	142	142	12	19	9/4	Penn St	10-16	L	23	16	83	18	12	9
0-1	1-0	0-1	0-0	139	120	18		9/11	Eastern Michigan	34-7	W	29	20	106	105	114	89
1-1		0-1		140		18		9/18	Bye			22	15	91			
1-1	3-0	0-1	0-0	140	135	18	12	9/25	† Notre Dame	13-41	L	22	8	79	34	12	29
1-2	4-0	0-1	1-0	135	140		14	10/2	Michigan	17-38	L	46	4	91	8	19	3
1-3	2-4	0-2	1-2	132	121			10/9	at Illinois	24-0	W	68	12	96	93	76	63
2-3	4-1	1-2	1-0	135	119			10/16	Army West Point	20-14	W	65	5	95	73	40	57
3-3	4-2	1-2	2-1	133	131		25	10/23	at Purdue			64	9	100	62	21	106
	6-1		3-1		143			10/30	Iowa						104	2	7
	3-4		0-4		122			11/6	at Rutgers						100	56	5
	3-3		1-2		123			11/13	Northwestern						58	94	102
	3-5		1-4		133			11/20	Nebraska						19	32	124
	4-2		2-1		133			11/27	at Minnesota						76	18	68

	Wisconsin	Purdue
OVERALL:	3-3	4-2
vs. BIG 10	1-2	2-1

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

Wisconsin		Purdue
#26	Rush Off	#122
#115	Pass Off	#10
#89	**Total Off**	**#53**
#114	Score Off	#97
#47	Sks Allowed	#78
#3	Rush Def	#28
#8	Pass Def	#18
#2	**Total Def**	**#13**
#25	Score Def	#5
#84	Sks By	#94
#10	Ypg Diff	#15
-11	**Total TO's**	**-2**

Purdue Boilermakers

Boilermakers Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	OFF	DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	127	124			9/4	Oregon St	30-21	W	48	71	101	71	83	69
1-0	0-2	0-0	0-0	127	94			9/11	at Connecticut	49-0	W	55	61	75	129	127	119
2-0	2-0	0-0	0-0	130	134		12	9/18	at Notre Dame	13-27	L	42	53	58	19	10	44
2-1	1-3	0-0	1-1	129	120			9/25	Illinois	13-9	W	49	39	74	96	73	57
3-1	2-2	1-0	0-1	128	130			10/2	Minnesota	13-20	L	61	30	67	79	39	78
3-2		1-1		126				10/9	Bye			63	36	77			
3-2	6-0	1-1	3-0	126	148		2	10/16	at Iowa	24-7	W	68	34	78	105	2	5
4-2	3-3	2-1	1-2	131	133	25		10/23	Wisconsin			62	21	106	64	9	100
	3-5		1-4		133			10/30	at Nebraska						19	32	124
	7-0		4-0		136			11/6	Michigan St						22	34	51
	5-1		3-0		149			11/13	at Ohio St						1	11	31
	3-3		1-2		123			11/20	† Northwestern						58	94	102
	2-4		0-3		130			11/27	Indiana						95	23	48

Wisconsin Badgers

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
Penn St	10-16	62	18	-3	29	58-174	3.0	22-37	185	2	11	18-50	2.8	18-33	247	2
Eastern Michigan	34-7	426	23	0	26	55-352	6.4	16-20	166	1	3	18-16	0.9	10-20	76	2
Bye																
† Notre Dame	13-41	72	-1	-4	16	28-74	2.6	18-41	240	1	17	32-3	0.1	21-37	239	6
Michigan	17-38	-155	-3	-2	12	32-43	1.3	11-23	167	6	15	44-112	2.5	18-30	253	0
at Illinois	24-0	398	21	-2	30	61-391	6.4	10-19	100	0	9	13-26	2.0	11-34	67	1
Army West Point	20-14	44	5	0	18	43-198	4.6	8-15	112	1	13	50-179	3.6	5-6	87	1
at Purdue																
Iowa																
at Rutgers																
Northwestern																
Nebraska																
at Minnesota																
Average	20-19	141.2	10.5	-1.8	22	46-205	4.4	54.8%	162	7.1%	11	29-64	2.2	51.9%	162	7.5%
Conference	17-18	101.7	12.0	-2.3	24	50-203	4.0	54.4%	151	10.1%	12	25-63	2.5	48.5%	189	3.1%
Away	19-21	235.0	10.0	-3.0	23	45-233	5.2	46.7%	170	1.7%	13	23-15	0.6	45.1%	153	9.9%

Purdue Boilermakers

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
Oregon St	30-21	38	9	0	24	33-88	2.7	29-42	313	1	15	25-78	3.1	21-38	285	1
at Connecticut	49-0	339	18	1	29	42-187	4.5	30-36	375	3	11	34-124	3.6	14-25	99	0
at Notre Dame	13-27	5	3	-2	19	25-57	2.3	36-54	291	3	16	34-120	3.5	15-32	223	4
Illinois	13-9	40	0	-2	17	26-38	1.5	24-40	277	3	17	42-175	4.2	14-27	100	2
Minnesota	13-20	154	16	-2	28	34-77	2.3	34-52	371	4	12	35-125	3.6	9-18	169	0
Bye																
at Iowa	24-7	193	7	3	24	33-86	2.6	31-43	378	1	17	30-76	2.5	17-32	195	4
Wisconsin																
at Nebraska																
Michigan St																
at Ohio St																
† Northwestern																
Indiana																
Average	24-14	128.2	8.8	-0.3	24	32-89	2.8	68.9%	334	5.6%	15	33-116	3.5	52.3%	179	6.4%
Conference	17-12	129.0	7.7	-0.3	23	31-67	2.2	65.9%	342	5.9%	15	36-125	3.5	51.9%	155	7.8%
Home	19-17	77.3	8.3	-1.3	23	31-68	2.2	64.9%	320	6.0%	15	34-126	3.7	53.0%	185	3.6%

Wisconsin Badgers | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **Purdue Boilermakers**

Position by Position Edges

Wisconsin		Purdue
	Wisconsin QB/WR vs. Purdue DB's	2.19
	Wisconsin RB's vs. Purdue LB's	0.11
0.22	Wisconsin OL vs. Purdue DL	
1.24	Wisconsin DL vs. Purdue OL	
3.94	Wisconsin LB'S vs. Purdue RB's	
0.07	Wisconsin DB's vs. Purdue QB/WR	
0.08	Wisconsin ST's vs. Purdue ST's	
0.30	Wisconsin K vs. Purdue K	
0.35	Wisconsin Coaches vs. Purdue Coaches	
6.19	Wisconsin Pts vs. Purdue Pts	2.30

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

Wisconsin

By 3.89 Points

Last Five Years Meetings (Last 22 years at PhilSteele.com)

2019	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
Wisconsin	14	-24.5	45	31	55-403	15-19-203	
Purdue	-	48	24	20	20-50	27-44-326	3
2018	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Wisconsin	-	53.5	47	24	51-385	16-24-160	
Purdue	-	-4	44	28	31-76	31-48-386	0
2017	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Wisconsin	7	-17	17	24	53-295	13-18-199	
Purdue	-	50	9	14	26-66	13-29-155	2
2016	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Wisconsin	6	-28	49	23	56-221	12-15-191	
Purdue	-	48.5	20	16	22-71	15-31-222	-2

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Projected Box Score

Projected Rushing			
164 yards	Wisconsin	Purdue	1 yards
Projected Passing			
133 yards	Wisconsin	Purdue	320 yards
Projected Yardage Total			
297 yards	Wisconsin	Purdue	321 yards
Projected Final Score			
13 points	Wisconsin	Purdue	19 points
Experience Rankings			
60	Wisconsin	Purdue	51
Team Schedule Strength			
7	Wisconsin	Purdue	27

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Wisconsin By 3
Las Vegas Total	40 Points
+/- Ratings	Purdue By 1.3
Game Grade	Purdue By 2.5
Computer Yards	Purdue 321-297
Computer Points	Purdue 19-13
Phil Steele	Wisconsin by 7

Phil's Forecast:

Purdue has lost the last 14 to Wisconsin (longest streak by either team in the series). In their last meeting ('19), Purdue dropped their 7th straight in Madison and was outgained 606-376 (403-50 rush) in a 45-24 loss (+24'). Last time here ('18), UW outrushed Purdue 385-76 but found itself down 27-13 in the 4Q but the Badgers rallied in 3 OT's to win 44-41 (+4). Paul Chryst is 17-6 ATS as an AF with Wisconsin and Jeff Brohm is 9-4 ATS as a HD. The Badgers opened 1-3 but had a 83-46 FD edge in those games vs powers Penn St, Notre Dame and Michigan. They looked like UW of old with a 491-93 yd edge at Illinois and last week Wisconsin took its 3rd drive 95/12/6:04 for TD then went 81/10/6:14 on next and led 13-0 H with 12-2 FD and 230-48 yd edge. Army miss 43 yd FG then took 3rd 2H drive 54/8 TD 13-7. Army sack and fumble and UW 1/1 QB sneak TD 2:43 left 20-7 but Howard great catch on 36 yd pass and Army 77/7 TD :38 left back door cover. Purdue beat Oregon St in the opener and the Beavers are near the top in the Pac 12. They had a 348-343 yd edge vs ND but lost by 14, only had a 315-275 yd edge vs Illinois. They had a 28-12 FD edge vs Minny but lost at home despite a 448-294 yd edge. Last week I used them on Phil Steele Plus +12 vs and Iowa team off a huge win and Purdue's last win on the road vs the #2 team was back in 1974 vs Notre Dame. Purdue alternated 3 QB's early but OConnel threw for 375 yds and WR Bell had a stadium record 240 rec yds. Tied 7-7 Purdue went 75/10 for TD :19 left half 14-7 and momentum. Purdue 66/8 FG then 85/15 but reach EZ and fumble TB. PU then 46/7 TD and Iowa was int'd 4 times with Purdue having 464-271 yd edge. Purdue does have Brohm's best defense holding foes to 57 ypg below their season avg and 295 ypg overall. Wisconsin has a defense that is allowing just 226 ypg and holding foes to 176 ypg below their season avg (2nd only to Georgia) despite facing 3 top 10 teams. Wisconsin has covered their last 7 trips to West Lafayette and have the situational edge and Badgers control their own destiny in the West, as if they win out, they are in Big Ten title game.

Wisconsin 16 Purdue 9

LSU Tigers

Tigers Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	FOE DEF	FOE ST
0-0	1-0	0-0	0-0	144	135	16		9/4	at UCLA	27-38	L	16	10	16	21	29	15
0-1		0-0		140				9/11	McNeese	34-7	W	23	13	43			
1-1	1-1	0-0	0-0	138	117			9/18	Central Michigan	49-21	W	46	14	34	69	110	65
2-1	2-1	0-0	0-0	138	130			9/25	at Miss St	28-25	W	52	18	26	56	15	110
3-1	3-1	1-0	0-0	138	133		22	10/2	Auburn	19-24	L	55	18	25	4	43	8
3-2	5-0	1-1	3-0	135	129		16	10/9	at Kentucky	21-42	L	60	20	24	38	33	76
3-3	4-2	1-2	2-2	130	136		20	10/16	Florida	49-42	W	66	42	30	7	8	52
4-3	5-1	2-2	2-1	133	141		12	10/23	at Mississippi			46	47	45	4	71	57
								10/30	Bye								
	6-1		3-1		154			11/6	at Alabama						3	8	2
	4-3		1-3		133			11/13	Arkansas						17	51	89
	3-3		1-2		97			11/20	ULM						130	126	118
	5-2		2-2		139			11/27	Texas A&M						33	5	17

	OVERALL:	OVERALL:
	4-3	5-1
	vs. SEC	vs. SEC
	2-2	2-1

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

LSU		Mississippi
#103	Rush Off	#3
#28	Pass Off	#19
#71	**Total Off**	**#2**
#37	Score Off	#5
#87	Sks Allowed	#63
#73	Rush Def	#114
#94	Pass Def	#89
#83	**Total Def**	**#108**
#82	Score Off	#93
#9	Sks By	#25
#84	Ypg Diff	#25
+5	**Total TO's**	**+5**

Mississippi Rebels

Rebels Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	FOE DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	138	130			9/6	† Louisville	43-24	W	7	60	103	63	70	80
						20		9/11	Austin Peay	54-17	W						
2-0	1-1	0-0	0-0	141	129	17		9/18	Tulane	61-21	W	3	43	38	65	71	33
3-0		0-0		145		13		9/25	Bye			2	44	58			
3-0	4-0	0-0	1-0	145	154	12	1	10/2	at Alabama	21-42	L	2	38	68	9	11	1
3-1	4-1	0-1	1-1	144	135	17	13	10/9	Arkansas	52-51	W	2	47	43	29	14	70
4-1	4-2	1-1	2-1	142	128	13		10/16	Tennessee	31-26	W	2	66	53	13	37	20
5-1	4-3	2-1	2-2	141	133	12		10/23	LSU			4	71	57	46	47	45
	5-2		2-1		140			10/30	at Auburn						13	33	11
	5-2		0-0		131			11/6	Liberty						78	39	105
	5-2		2-2		139			11/13	Texas A&M						33	5	17
	2-5		0-3		105			11/20	Vanderbilt						118	113	109
	3-3		1-2		129			11/27	at Miss St						59	22	113

LSU Tigers

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
at UCLA	27-38	-91	5	0	24	25-49	2.0	26-46	330	2	19	47-210	4.5	9-16	260	4
McNeese	34-7	164	7	1	17	36-126	3.5	21-37	180	3	10	42-51	1.2	10-20	91	8
Central Michigan	49-21	200	6	1	23	24-84	3.5	27-39	400	1	17	31-56	1.8	25-39	228	5
at Miss St	28-25	-143	-14	1	15	27-63	2.3	17-27	280	2	29	26-115	4.4	47-62	371	1
Auburn	19-24	-95	-4	-1	19	25-33	1.3	26-46	325	3	23	29-163	5.6	24-48	290	0
at Kentucky	21-42	-67	-2	-1	22	35-147	4.2	22-38	261	4	24	45-330	7.3	14-17	145	1
Florida	49-42	-34	-5	4	22	45-321	7.1	14-24	133	1	27	35-138	3.9	23-40	350	2
at Mississippi																
Bye																
at Alabama																
Arkansas																
ULM																
Texas A&M																
Average	32-28	-9.4	-1.0	0.7	20	31-118	3.8	59.5%	273	6.2%	21	36-152	4.2	62.8%	248	8.7%
Conference	29-33	-84.8	-6.3	0.8	20	33-141	4.3	58.5%	250	7.4%	26	34-187	5.5	64.7%	289	2.4%
Away	25-35	-100.3	-3.7	0.0	20	29-86	3.0	58.6%	290	7.2%	24	39-218	5.6	73.7%	259	6.3%

TEAM AVERAGES

Mississippi Rebels

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
† Louisville	43-24	214	9	2	31	41-188	4.6	22-32	381	2	22	39-155	4.0	23-38	200	2
Austin Peay	54-17	226	3	1	29	43-336	7.8	24-39	294	2	26	37-144	3.9	24-44	260	5
Tulane	61-21	402	27	0	41	61-372	6.1	23-33	335	2	14	38-139	3.7	10-18	166	2
Bye																
at Alabama	21-42	-160	-9	0	18	34-78	2.3	21-29	213	2	27	50-210	4.2	21-27	241	3
Arkansas	52-51	-65	-17	2	22	49-324	6.6	14-21	287	0	39	58-350	6.0	25-35	326	1
Tennessee	31-26	43	0	0	29	62-279	4.5	1-39	231	5	29	50-222	4.4	18-29	245	5
LSU																
at Auburn																
Liberty																
Texas A&M																
Vanderbilt																
at Miss St																
Average	44-30	110.0	2.2	0.8	28	48-263	5.4	54.4%	290	6.7%	26	45-203	4.5	63.4%	240	9.4%
Conference	35-40	-60.7	-8.7	0.7	23	48-227	4.7	40.4%	244	7.9%	32	53-261	4.9	70.3%	271	9.9%
Home	56-30	187.7	4.3	1.0	31	51-344	6.7	65.6%	305	4.3%	26	44-211	4.8	60.8%	251	8.2%

Mississippi Rebels

Position by Position Edges

LSU		Mississippi
0.81	LSU QB/WR vs. Mississippi DB's	
	LSU RB's vs. Mississippi LB's	1.41
0.13	LSU OL vs. Mississippi DL	
	LSU DL vs. Mississippi OL	0.23
	LSU LB'S vs. Mississippi RB's	0.25
	LSU DB's vs. Mississippi QB/WR	1.19
	LSU ST's vs. Mississippi ST's	0.40
2.35	LSU K vs. Mississippi K	
1.10	LSU Coaches vs. Mississippi Coaches	
4.39	LSU Pts vs. Mississippi Pts	3.47

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

LSU

By 0.92 Points

Last Five Years Meetings (Last 22 years at PhilSteele.com)

2020	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
LSU	-	74.5	53	29	43-158	27-51-435	
Mississippi	-	-1.5	48	25	48-307	15-27-251	-5
2019	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
LSU	1	-21.5	58	35	39-225	32-42-489	
Mississippi	-	66	37	26	44-402	15-27-212	1
2018	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
LSU	5	-10.5	45	33	50-281	18-25-292	
Mississippi	-	60	16	18	31-150	19-38-178	1
2017	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
LSU	24	-7	40	26	55-393	9-13-200	
Mississippi	-	60.5	24	21	28-153	17-34-194	-3
2016	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
LSU	25	-7	38	20	36-311	19-28-204	
Mississippi	23	60.5	21	19	36-107	20-33-218	1

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Projected Box Score

Projected Rushing			
161 yards	LSU	Mississippi	256 yards
Projected Passing			
262 yards	LSU	Mississippi	323 yards
Projected Yardage Total			
422 yards	LSU	Mississippi	579 yards
Projected Final Score			
34 points	LSU	Mississippi	46 points
Experience Rankings			
61	LSU	Mississippi	38
Team Schedule Strength			
20	LSU	Mississippi	10

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Mississippi By 9.5
Las Vegas Total	76.5 Points
+/- Ratings	Mississippi By 12.0
Game Grade	Mississippi By 14.6
Computer Yards	Mississippi 579-422
Computer Points	Mississippi 46-34
Phil Steele	Mississippi by 3

Phil's Forecast:

HC Orgeron is 5-0 SU/4-1 ATS against his former employer. Last year the Tigers led 34-21 at half on a rainy day. After an int to open 3Q Ole Miss scored 4 straight TD's, led 48-30. LSU went 75/10 & 56/3 for TD's. Corral finished with 5 int's & Ole Miss fumbled on LSU27 with :40 left & Tigers won 53-48. LSU has rushed for 274 ypg in the last 5 meetings. LSU is 7-1 ATS as an AD. Ole Miss opened the season strong with 3 blowout wins then in a showdown vs Bama trailed 42-7 4Q. They won a shootout vs Arkansas and last week Ole Miss went 11/2 for TD after a fmbl PR and Tenn sack Corral for safety 7-2. UT 49/3 for TD after free kick 9-7 . UM 57/11 FG 54/8 TD 91/12 TD led 24-9 with UT 39 yd FG :00 24-12 H Miss 17-10 FD. Tenn open 3Q with TD, FG , TD to UM's FG, TD, int and pulled to 31-26 13:41 left. UT 4&24 own 36 pass 23 yds SOD :54. UT force punt :27 39/5 Milton run OOB last play instead of throw. LSU lost to UCLA in the opener then won 3 in a row. They led Auburn 13-0 and were in control but gave up a Bo Nix TD pass where he had scrambled from sideline to sideline, lost that game late and then were walloped by Kentucky. Last week missing a ton of key players and at home for an 11 am start they were a DD home dog to Florida and Tyrion Davis-Price rushed for LSU record 287 yard and LSU despite missing 7 defensive starters led 21-6 but gave up a Hail Mary TD at :00 1H. LSU snagged 4 int's and led 28-13, 35-21, 49-42 and got the 4th int with 1:59 left and ran out the clock in upset home win. QB Corrall ran for 30-195 last week but is very banged up and ? for this. Ole Miss D was playing well at the start but is allowing 531 ypg in SEC play. Orgeron has been let go but will remain until the end of the year and that may have team playing hard for him (player's coach) and another upset would not surprise me.

Mississippi 41 LSU 38

South Alabama Jaguars

Jaguars Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	FOE OFF	FOE DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	106	116			9/4	Southern Miss	31-7	W	122	107	105	102	80	46
1-0	0-1	0-0	0-0	111	85			9/11	at Bowling Green	22-19	W	121	96	72	125	127	55
2-0		0-0		109				9/18	Alcorn St	28-21	W	118	95	80			
3-0		0-0		105				9/25	Bye			109	79	69			
3-0	3-1	0-0	1-0	105	127			10/2	Louisiana	18-20	L	102	74	72	62	91	2
3-1	1-3	0-1	0-0	108	104			10/9	at Texas St	31-33	L	107	68	93	119	111	71
3-2	2-4	0-2	1-2	107	115			10/16	GA Southern	41-14	W	99	69	98	101	111	54
4-2	3-3	1-2	1-2	112	97			10/23	at ULM			87	62	97	130	126	118
	1-5		0-2		105			10/30	Arkansas St						106	130	32
	4-3		2-1		117			11/6	at Troy						101	54	121
	4-2		1-1		122			11/13	at Appalachian St						38	59	24
	4-3		2-2		129			11/20	at Tennessee						16	30	28
	6-0		2-0		122			11/27	Coastal Carolina						2	61	14

	OVERALL:	OVERALL:
	4-2	3-3
	vs. SUN	vs. SUN
	1-2	1-2

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

South Alabama		ULM
#87	Rush Off	#120
#46	Pass Off	#114
#72	**Total Off**	**#127**
#63	Score Off	#118
#38	Sks Allowed	#115
#33	Rush Def	#95
#17	Pass Def	#111
#14	**Total Def**	**#116**
#19	Score Def	#114
#18	Sks By	#59
#32	Ypg Diff	#129
+3	**Total TO's**	**+6**

ULM Warhawks

Warhawks Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	FOE OFF	FOE DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	96	125			9/4	at Kentucky	10-45	L	130	126	130	67	42	52
0-1		0-0		96				9/11	Bye			130	126	109			
0-1		0-0		96				9/18	Jackson St	12-7	W	130	126	114			
1-1	2-1	0-0	0-0	94	124			9/25	Troy	29-16	W	130	124	115	104	59	105
2-1	4-0	1-0	0-0	99	130		16	10/2	at Coastal Carolina	6-59	L	130	117	106	11	89	44
2-2	1-4	1-1	0-1	96	112			10/9	Georgia St	21-55	L	130	125	121	109	119	119
2-3	5-1	1-2	0-0	92	136			10/16	Liberty	31-28	W	130	127	121	69	31	102
3-3	4-2	1-2	1-2	97	112			10/23	South Alabama			130	126	118	87	62	97
	4-2		1-1		122			10/30	at Appalachian St						38	59	24
	1-5		1-1		106			11/6	at Texas St						111	111	75
	1-5		0-2		105			11/13	Arkansas St						106	130	32
	4-3		2-2		133			11/20	at LSU						46	47	45
	5-1		3-0		133			11/27	at Louisiana						57	89	25

South Alabama Jaguars

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
Southern Miss	31-7	42	-6	3	13	34-31	0.9	17-22	269	3	19	45-125	2.8	13-29	133	4
at Bowling Green	22-19	54	11	1	21	37-114	3.1	29-46	257	2	10	19-9	0.5	23-33	308	3
Alcorn St	28-21	107	9	-3	22	43-246	5.7	14-24	158	0	13	31-32	1.0	20-34	265	4
Bye																
Louisiana	18-20	104	-2	1	15	43-144	3.3	19-29	243	2	17	33-225	6.8	10-21	58	1
at Texas St	31-33	-70	-3	0	20	44-140	3.2	19-26	189	1	23	48-212	4.4	18-28	187	3
GA Southern	41-14	312	10	1	20	32-140	4.4	25-33	405	2	10	44-121	2.8	7-25	112	4
at ULM																
Arkansas St																
at Troy																
at Appalachian St																
at Tennessee																
Coastal Carolina																
Average	29-19	91.5	3.2	0.5	19	39-136	3.5	68.3%	254	5.6%	15	37-121	3.3	53.5%	177	11.2%
Conference	30-22	115.3	1.7	0.7	18	40-141	3.6	71.6%	279	5.7%	17	42-186	4.5	47.3%	119	10.8%
Away	27-26	-8.0	4.0	0.5	21	41-127	3.1	66.7%	223	4.2%	17	34-111	3.3	67.2%	248	9.8%

ULM Warhawks

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
at Kentucky	10-45	-467	-12	3	12	43-17	0.4	11-20	70	6	24	34-135	4.0	22-33	419	4
Bye																
Jackson St	12-7	-35	1	3	17	41-94	2.3	17-35	156	3	16	17-26	1.5	28-42	259	3
Troy	29-16	-88	-3	0	15	41-122	3.0	11-19	168	2	18	23-67	2.9	35-49	311	3
at Coastal Carolina	6-59	-354	-16	0	10	31-72	2.3	13-24	131	2	26	42-275	6.5	21-24	282	0
Georgia St	21-55	-213	-18	-2	21	37-122	3.3	20-32	237	3	39	58-326	5.6	20-29	246	0
Liberty	31-28	-21	0	2	22	47-140	3.0	16-25	225	6	22	49-251	5.1	16-28	135	4
South Alabama																
at Appalachian St																
at Texas St																
Arkansas St																
at LSU																
at Louisiana																
Average	18-35	-196.3	-8.0	1.0	16	40-95	2.4	56.8%	165	14.2%	24	37-180	4.8	69.3%	275	6.8%
Conference	19-43	-218.3	-12.3	-0.7	15	36-105	2.9	58.7%	179	9.3%	28	41-223	5.4	74.5%	280	2.9%
Home	23-27	-89.3	-5.0	0.8	19	42-120	2.9	57.7%	197	12.6%	24	37-168	4.6	66.9%	238	6.8%

TEAM AVERAGES

Position by Position Edges

South Alabama		ULM
2.53	South Alabama QB/WR vs. ULM DB's	
	South Alabama RB's vs. ULM LB's	0.15
0.61	South Alabama OL vs. ULM DL	
3.07	South Alabama DL vs. ULM OL	
3.23	South Alabama LB'S vs. ULM RB's	
1.50	South Alabama DB's vs. ULM QB/WR	
1.23	South Alabama ST's vs. ULM ST's	
	South Alabama K vs. ULM K	0.15
	South Alabama Coaches vs. ULM Coaches	1.00
12.16	South Alabama Pts vs. ULM Pts	1.30

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

South Alabama

By 10.85 Points

Last Five Years Meetings (Last 22 years at PhilSteele.com)

2020	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
South Alabama	-	-15	38	20	44-169	11-17-246	
ULM	-	57	14	20	27-94	23-34-286	-1
2019	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
South Alabama	-	58	17	24	52-263	14-26-114	
ULM	-	-15	30	18	32-142	17-25-286	1
2018	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
South Alabama	-	62	10	11	31-89	14-23-129	
ULM	-	-7	38	26	38-175	28-33-376	-1
2017	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
South Alabama	-	-4.5	33	26	35-232	20-33-317	
ULM	-	59	23	20	41-307	14-23-179	-1
2016	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
South Alabama	-	-12	35	30	41-209	23-37-307	
ULM	-	50.5	42	27	46-181	26-39-279	0

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Projected Box Score

Projected Rushing			
119 yards	South Alabama	ULM	93 yards
Projected Passing			
257 yards	South Alabama	ULM	174 yards
Projected Yardage Total			
377 yards	South Alabama	ULM	267 yards
Projected Final Score			
30 points	South Alabama	ULM	19 points
Experience Rankings			
56	South Alabama	ULM	86
Team Schedule Strength			
129	South Alabama	ULM	88

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	S Alabama By 13.5
Las Vegas Total	51 Points
+/- Ratings	S Alabama By 12.3
Game Grade	S Alabama By 13.5
Computer Yards	S Alabama 377-267
Computer Points	S Alabama 30-19
Phil Steele	S Alabama by 11

Phil's Forecast:

South Alabama trails the series 4-3. The road team has won just 1 time in 7 games. The 'Under' in this series has hit the last 4 games. In LY's meeting USA opened the scoring when CB Rockette (USA's first INT of year) returned an INT 95 yds for a TD (14 pt swing). USA got an 80 yd TD pass to lead 17-0 in 1Q. ULM went 85/8 for a TD with 3:54 left 1H and trailed 17-6 H (missed PAT). ULM missed a 29 yd FG in 3Q then USA went 80/10 and then 49/5 for 2 TD's in the 3Q and the score was 31-6 and USA won 38-14 (-15) at home. ULM is 12-25-3 ATS dating back to '14 at home. USA is a SBC road favorite for the first time since '17 when they were at GSthrn (-5) and lost 52-0. South Alabama is 4-2 after an 0-2 start to Sun Belt play last week blasted Georgia Southern leading 31-0 in a 41-14 home win. ULM is 2-4 getting past Jackson St and somehow upsetting Troy (+23'). Last week they did it again. Liberty was -32 and after a 0-0 1Q they went 18/4 (after Int) and 85/8 for TD's on last two drives and led 14-0 at half with 16-8 FD edge. ULM shockingly went 73/10, 1/1 (after int), 68/5 and 62/8 for TD's all in the 3Q for a 28-14 lead! Liberty went 65/8 & 60/3 in 4Q for TD's to tie. ULM Calum Sutherland's 53 yd GW FG with 1:44 left was the Warhawks' first field goal from beyond 50 yards since 2014. ULM is playing an AGG of 84.2 over the L4W and South Alabama is at 92.1 (USA by just 4.7). USA has a defense that is holding foes to 45 ypg below their season avg and South Carolina/Utah transfer QB Jake Bentley just accounted for 5 TD's last week and has super WR Jalen Tolbert to throw to. ULM is -67 ypg vs opp avg on offense and -83 on defense. When ULM loses, they lose by 40.6 ppg but when they cover as a dog they win outright covering by 36 ppg! Chandler Rogers has topped 200 yds pass in B2B weeks and has 213 rush yds in just a few starts. My computer has it 30-19 and I have a tough time finding the pulse of ULM so I will just go with that.

South Alabama 30 ULM 19

Liberty Flames

Flames Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	TEAM ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	FOE OFF	FOE DEF	FOE ST
0-0		0-0		133				9/4	Campbell	48-7	W	34	55	75						
1-0	1-0	0-0	0-0	131	124			9/11	at Troy	21-13	W	32	52	79	86	82	76			
2-0	1-1	0-0	0-0	131	102			9/18	Old Dominion	45-17	W	48	51	84	124	121	71			
3-0	2-1	0-0	0-0	131	127			9/25	at Syracuse	21-24	L	69	49	109	60	78	45			
3-1	3-1	0-0	1-0	130	128			10/2	at UAB	36-12	W	74	44	114	70	31	85			
4-1	2-3	0-0	1-2	135	117			10/9	Middle Tennessee	41-13	W	65	34	110	116	100	106			
5-1	2-3	0-0	1-2	136	92			10/16	at ULM	28-31	L	69	31	102	130	127	121			
5-2	1-5	0-0	0-3	131	100			10/23	at North Texas			78	39	105	77	116	86			
	1-5		1-0		95			10/30	UMass						124	129	123			
	5-1		2-1		141			11/6	at Mississippi						4	71	57			
								11/13	Bye											
	5-1		3-0		133			11/20	Louisiana						57	89	25			
	4-2		1-0		121			11/27	Army West Point						86	48	70			

OVERALL:	OVERALL:
5-2	1-5
vs. IND	vs. CUSA
0-0	0-3

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

Liberty		North Texas
#28	Rush Off	#18
#69	Pass Off	#95
#46	**Total Off**	**#55**
#29	Score Off	#105
#117	Sks Allowed	#55
#24	Rush Def	#109
#14	Pass Def	#76
#5	**Total Def**	**#102**
#15	Score Def	#114
#4	Sks By	#94
#9	Ypg Diff	#89
-3	**Total TO's**	**0**

North Texas Mean Green

Mean Green Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	TEAM ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	FOE OFF	FOE DEF	FOE ST
0-0		0-0		105				9/4	Northwestern St	44-14	W	68	117	27						
1-0	1-0	0-0	0-0	105	123			9/11	at SMU	12-35	L	56	115	46	28	85	78			
1-1	1-1	0-0	0-0	105	122			9/18	UAB	6-40	L	50	117	39	77	37	117			
1-2	1-2	0-1	0-0	101	114			9/25	at Louisiana Tech	17-24	L	75	119	49	98	100	108			
1-3		0-2		102				10/2	Bye			83	113	61						
1-3	2-3	0-2	0-2	102	119			10/9	at Missouri	35-48	L	88	112	64	28	102	9			
1-4	3-3	0-2	1-1	103	116			10/16	Marshall	21-49	L	81	113	85	48	68	59			
1-5	5-2	0-3	0-0	100	131			10/23	Liberty			77	116	86	78	39	105			
	2-4		1-1		102			10/30	at Rice						116	118	127			
	1-6		0-3		100			11/6	at Southern Miss						127	106	65			
	6-1		3-0		113			11/13	UTEP						75	41	117			
	1-5		0-2		103			11/20	at FIU						84	121	49			
	7-0		3-0		132			11/27	UTSA						50	43	26			

Liberty Flames

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
Campbell	48-7	268	10	0	27	41-218	5.3	19-29	319	0	17	29-86	3.0	15-32	183	0
at Troy	21-13	107	9	1	22	47-185	3.9	13-18	154	5	13	24-21	0.9	18-25	211	5
Old Dominion	45-17	223	8	0	23	41-182	4.4	21-29	242	3	15	35-67	1.9	15-27	134	5
at Syracuse	21-24	64	-2	-1	20	41-150	3.7	16-21	219	7	22	53-228	4.3	6-15	77	1
at UAB	36-12	219	10	0	24	39-213	5.5	15-21	331	1	14	36-173	4.8	12-26	152	5
Middle Tennessee	41-13	184	9	-1	21	42-227	5.4	17-30	222	3	12	21-35	1.7	22-42	230	3
at ULM	28-31	21	0	-2	22	49-251	5.1	16-28	135	4	22	47-140	3.0	16-25	225	6
at North Texas																
UMass																
at Mississippi																
Bye																
Louisiana																
Army West Point																
Average	34-17	155.1	6.3	-0.4	23	43-204	4.8	66.5%	232	13.1%	16	35-107	3.1	54.2%	173	13.0%
Conference	21-24	64.0	-2.0	-1.0	20	41-150	3.7	76.2%	219	33.3%	22	53-228	4.3	40.0%	77	6.7%
Away	27-20	102.8	4.3	-0.5	22	44-200	4.5	68.2%	210	19.3%	18	40-141	3.5	57.1%	166	18.7%

TEAM AVERAGES

North Texas Mean Green

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
Northwestern St	44-14	109	8	2	29	50-345	6.9	12-26	182	0	21	49-261	5.3	16-26	157	4
at SMU	12-35	-31	3	2	23	41-122	3.0	34-55	384	2	20	31-225	7.3	21-33	312	0
UAB	6-40	-187	1	-1	18	44-121	2.8	14-34	99	3	17	51-173	3.4	7-14	234	2
at Louisiana Tech	17-24	47	3	0	24	49-241	4.9	15-37	92	2	21	40-79	2.0	19-28	207	3
Bye																
at Missouri	35-48	19	0	-3	21	49-188	3.8	16-26	305	3	21	39-314	8.1	21-33	160	1
Marshall	21-49	-66	-6	0	18	46-277	6.0	17-32	134	2	24	40-154	3.9	24-32	323	1
Liberty																
at Rice																
at Southern Miss																
UTEP																
at FIU																
UTSA																
Average	23-35	-18.2	1.5	0.0	22	47-216	4.6	51.4%	199	5.7%	21	42-201	4.8	65.1%	232	6.6%
Conference	15-38	-68.7	-0.7	-0.3	20	46-213	4.6	44.7%	108	6.8%	21	44-135	3.1	67.6%	255	8.1%
Home	24-34	-48.0	1.0	0.3	22	47-248	5.3	46.7%	138	5.4%	21	47-196	4.2	65.3%	238	9.7%

Position by Position Edges

Liberty		North Texas
1.45	Liberty QB/WR vs. North Texas DB's	
	Liberty RB's vs. North Texas LB's	0.24
0.22	Liberty OL vs. North Texas DL	
0.49	Liberty DL vs. North Texas OL	
0.11	Liberty LB'S vs. North Texas RB's	
1.33	Liberty DB's vs. North Texas QB/WR	
1.90	Liberty ST's vs. North Texas ST's	
	Liberty K vs. North Texas K	0.25
0.30	Liberty Coaches vs. North Texas Coaches	
5.79	Liberty Pts vs. North Texas Pts	0.49

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

Liberty

By 5.31 Points

Last Five Years Meetings (Last 22 years at PhilSteele.com)

2018	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
Liberty	-	69.5	7	23	42-122	16-40-222	
North Texas	-	-12	47	25	47-346	16-27-185	1

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Projected Box Score

Projected Rushing		
247 yards	Liberty	North Texas 168 yards
Projected Passing		
184 yards	Liberty	North Texas 187 yards
Projected Yardage Total		
431 yards	Liberty	North Texas 355 yards
Projected Final Score		
40 points	Liberty	North Texas 18 points
Experience Rankings		
10	Liberty	North Texas 59
Team Schedule Strength		
118	Liberty	North Texas 98

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Liberty By 21.5
Las Vegas Total	60.5 Points
+/- Ratings	Liberty By 27.3
Game Grade	Liberty By 16.6
Computer Yards	Liberty 431-355
Computer Points	Liberty 40-18
Phil Steele	Liberty by 31

Phil's Forecast:

Liberty travels to Denton for the first time as the Flames lost their only previous meeting at home 47-7 in 2018. NT is 3-7 SU 4-6 ATS in non-conference play. NT is 18-8 SU at Apogee Stadium the last 4Y and the Mean Green haven't been an underdog of more than 2 TD's at home since '16. Hugh Freeze is 21-10 ATS with Liberty. Liberty opened 5-1 SU and ATS including an impressive 36-12 win at UAB in the first game of the Blazers new stadium. Last week they were shocked by ULM losing 31-28 as a 33 point favorite!. North Texas opened 1-4 SU but had a 228-162 yard edge at half vs powerful SMU and only lost at LTech by 7 and covered for me on Phil Steele Plus on the road vs Missouri. Last week I used them as a Best Bet at home +11 vs Marshall and deeply regretted it. Marshall punted on first poss then scored TD's on next 6 and led 42-7 H. NT was SOD at Marshall 21, 21, 25 & 46 in 2H then down 49-7 went 90/6 and 58/7 for TD's the last with 2:37 left. North Texas is playing to an AGG of 84.7 and Liberty is up at 104.8 (Liberty by 16.7). Did not think I would be writing this stat this week, but Hugh Freeze is 7-2 ATS off a loss.

Liberty 48 North Texas 17

UTSA Roadrunners

Roadrunners Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	OFF	DEF	FOE ST
0-0	1-0	0-0	1-0	124	127			9/4	at Illinois	37-30	W	70	59	34	75	95	44
1-0		0-0		127				9/11	Lamar	54-0	W	68	64	95			
2-0	1-1	0-0	0-0	127	119			9/18	Middle Tennessee	27-13	W	52	69	14	97	101	112
3-0	3-0	1-0	0-0	127	127			9/25	at Memphis	31-28	W	62	52	14	13	69	3
4-0	0-4	1-0	0-1	129	108			10/2	UNLV	24-17	W	64	50	11	124	124	104
5-0	1-3	1-0	0-0	128	119			10/9	at WKU	52-46	W	67	51	17	66	99	59
6-0	2-3	2-0	1-0	128	106			10/16	Rice	45-0	W	51	57	22	108	114	128
7-0	2-4	3-0	1-1	132	111	24		10/23	at Louisiana Tech			50	43	26	103	96	112
								10/30	Bye								
	6-1		3-0		113			11/6	at UTEP						75	41	117
	1-6		0-3		100			11/13	Southern Miss						127	106	65
	5-2		3-0		127			11/20	UAB						69	29	61
	1-5		0-3		100			11/27	at North Texas						77	116	86

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Offense Comp Att	Offense Yds Pass	Offense Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Defense Comp Att	Defense Yds Pass	Defense Sks
at Illinois	37-30	85	2	0	26	50-217	4.3	20-32	280	1	24	35-146	4.2	22-43	266	0
Lamar	54-0	305	10	2	20	29-106	3.7	26-32	321	1	10	36-89	2.5	6-13	33	0
Middle Tennessee	27-13	253	12	-1	23	44-175	4.0	26-45	277	2	11	25-8	0.3	14-30	191	5
at Memphis	31-28	-8	9	1	25	62-205	3.3	19-30	194	2	16	32-78	2.4	15-25	329	2
UNLV	24-17	31	3	3	23	41-104	2.5	24-30	278	0	20	29-35	1.2	26-38	316	6
at WKU	52-46	-106	-3	0	32	37-192	5.2	29-39	372	0	35	29-147	5.1	38-60	523	1
Rice	45-0	301	14	2	22	38-261	6.9	14-24	142	1	8	36-66	1.8	8-16	36	3
at Louisiana Tech																
Bye																
at UTEP																
Southern Miss																
UAB																
at North Texas																
Average	39-19	123.0	6.7	1.0	24	43-180	4.2	68.1%	266	3.0%	18	32-81	2.6	57.3%	242	7.6%
Conference	41-20	149.3	7.7	0.3	26	40-209	5.3	63.9%	264	2.8%	18	30-74	2.5	56.6%	250	8.5%
Away	40-35	-9.7	2.7	0.3	28	50-205	4.1	67.3%	282	3.0%	25	32-124	3.9	58.6%	373	2.3%

OVERALL:	OVERALL:
7-0	2-4
vs. CUSA	vs. CUSA
3-0	1-1

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

UTSA		LA Tech
#46	Rush Off	#97
#39	Pass Off	#37
#33	**Total Off**	**#70**
#13	Score Off	#68
#13	Sks Allowed	#63
#5	Rush Def	#62
#91	Pass Def	#127
#32	**Total Def**	**#117**
#21	Score Def	#98
#36	Sks By	#101
#17	Ypg Diff	#109
+7	**Total TO's**	**+2**

UTSA Roadrunners | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **LA Tech Bulldogs**

Position by Position Edges

UTSA		LA Tech
0.51	UTSA QB/WR vs. LA Tech DB's	
	UTSA RB's vs. LA Tech LB's	0.03
0.60	UTSA OL vs. LA Tech DL	
2.50	UTSA DL vs. LA Tech OL	
2.47	UTSA LB'S vs. LA Tech RB's	
	UTSA DB's vs. LA Tech QB/WR	0.46
2.83	UTSA ST's vs. LA Tech ST's	
	UTSA K vs. LA Tech K	3.00
	UTSA Coaches vs. LA Tech Coaches	1.85
8.90	UTSA Pts vs. LA Tech Pts	5.33

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

UTSA

By 3.57 Points

LA Tech Bulldogs

Bulldogs Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	OFF	DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	110	132			9/4	at Miss St	34-35	L	111	87	98	50	28	51
0-1		0-0		114				9/11	SE Louisiana	45-42	W	119	91	127			
1-1	2-0	0-0	0-0	113	123			9/18	SMU	37-39	L	111	90	93	11	85	99
1-2	1-2	0-0	0-1	114	101			9/25	North Texas	24-17	W	98	100	108	75	119	49
2-2	3-1	1-0	1-0	113	134		23	10/2	at NC State	27-34	L	101	98	108	44	10	92
2-3		1-0		115				10/9	Bye			97	97	115			
2-3	5-1	1-0	2-0	115	109			10/16	at UTEP	3-19	L	96	97	111	75	41	117
2-4	7-0	1-1	3-0	111	132		24	10/23	UTSA			103	96	112	50	43	26
	1-6		0-3		103			10/30	at Old Dominion						115	93	42
	5-2		3-0		127			11/6	at UAB						69	29	61
	4-2		2-0		112			11/13	Charlotte						65	119	63
	1-6		0-3		100			11/20	Southern Miss						127	106	65
	2-4		1-1		102			11/27	at Rice						116	118	127

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Offense Comp Att	Offense Yds Pass	Offense Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Defense Comp Att	Defense Yds Pass	Defense Sks
at Miss St	34-35	-66	-8	2	14	25-101	4.0	21-37	268	1	22	19-65	3.4	39-47	370	3
SE Louisiana	45-42	-146	-9	2	23	43-198	4.6	20-28	250	1	32	27-99	3.7	44-59	495	3
SMU	37-39	-95	-5	-1	26	30-132	4.4	24-41	351	1	31	38-183	4.8	36-50	395	0
North Texas	24-17	-47	-3	0	21	40-79	2.0	19-28	207	3	24	49-241	4.9	15-37	92	2
at NC State	27-34	62	3	-2	26	35-139	4.0	26-44	341	3	23	31-167	5.4	22-36	251	1
Bye																
at UTEP	3-19	-107	-4	1	14	28-92	3.3	15-29	186	4	18	44-102	2.3	19-29	283	1
UTSA																
at Old Dominion																
at UAB																
Charlotte																
Southern Miss																
at Rice																
Average	28-31	-66.5	-4.3	0.3	21	34-124	3.7	60.4%	267	6.3%	25	35-143	4.1	67.8%	314	3.9%
Conference	14-18	-77.0	-3.5	0.5	18	34-86	2.5	59.6%	197	12.3%	21	47-172	3.7	51.5%	188	4.5%
Home	35-33	-96.0	-5.7	0.3	23	38-136	3.6	64.9%	269	5.2%	29	38-174	4.6	65.1%	327	3.4%

Last Five Years Meetings (Last 22 years at PhilSteele.com)

2020	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
UTSA	-	53.5	27	25	53-188	19-34-197	
Louisiana Tech	-	-2.5	26	15	27-78	25-39-169	0
2019	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
UTSA	-	57	27	17	31-128	26-44-280	
Louisiana Tech	-	-20.5	41	24	38-168	25-35-331	0
2018	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
UTSA	-	44.5	3	16	23-85	19-40-201	
Louisiana Tech	-	-11	31	21	38-75	25-37-309	0
2017	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
UTSA	-	50.5	6	15	45-110	9-16-91	
Louisiana Tech	-	-1.5	20	19	37-193	7-21-101	0
2016	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
UTSA	-	67.5	35	20	42-131	22-42-179	
Louisiana Tech	-	-22	63	23	30-180	17-27-293	1

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Projected Box Score

Projected Rushing		
161 yards	UTSA	LA Tech 82 yards
Projected Passing		
230 yards	UTSA	LA Tech 284 yards
Projected Yardage Total		
391 yards	UTSA	LA Tech 366 yards
Projected Final Score		
31 points	UTSA	LA Tech 21 points
Experience Rankings		
2	UTSA	LA Tech 49
Team Schedule Strength		
126	UTSA	LA Tech 71

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Utsa By 6.5
Las Vegas Total	59.5 Points
+/- Ratings	Utsa By 17.3
Game Grade	Utsa By 4.5
Computer Yards	Utsa 391-366
Computer Points	Utsa 31-21
Phil Steele	Louisiana Tech by 3

Phil's Forecast:

LTech had won 6 straight vs UTSA until last year's 1 pt road loss. The Roadrunners trailed 17-6 at half. RB McCormick had just 30 yds in the 1H then 135 and 3 TD's in the 2H as UTSA held on for 27-26 (+2') home win. The Bulldogs are 5-0 when hosting UTSA, with the avg win by 19 ppg. UTSA is playing their 8th straight week with a bye on deck while LT just had their bye 2 weeks ago. UTSA opened a perfect 6-0 SU and 5-1 ATS and were +93 ypg. Last week they hosted Rice and UTSA reached 7-0 for first time in school history. UTSA got 2 TD and FG on first 3 drives then a DL tipped pass which Harmanson 40 yd IR TD. UTSA punt twice then 75/7 TD led 31-0 H with 294-53 yd edge. 4th play of 3Q UTSA 49 yd IR TD and add 60/7 3Q TD in 45-0 rout. LT opened just 2-3 but that does not tell the story as they led Miss St by 20 in the 4Q, gave up a tipped hail Mary TD and lost to powerful SMU by 2 and were int'd in the EZ down 7 at NCSt (3 plays away from being 5-0 and ranked!). Last week they were in the favorites role where they struggle, and they lost outright at UTEP 19-3 and were outgained 385-278. LT has taken on the much tougher schedule (#72 vs #125). UTSA has a large ST advantage (#22 vs #111). The AGG has UTSA at 100.3 and LTech at 92.4 (UTSA by 4.3). UTSA has won at Illinois, Memphis and WKU already this year. LT is 23-10 as an underdog with 12 outright upsets since 2014. UTSA is only 9-3 ATS as an AD and 3-7 ATS their last 10 as an AF. UTSA is also ranked for first time in school history and that is always a play against situation this week as well. The dog is 6-0 ATS in LT games and they were 1 play away from beating SMU, Miss St and NCSt this year.

Louisiana Tech 30 UTSA 27

WKU Hilltoppers

Hilltoppers Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	TEAM ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	FOE OFF	FOE DEF	FOE ST
0-0		0-0		112				9/4	UT Martin	59-21	W	112	75	20						
1-0	1-0	0-0	0-0	116	125			9/11	at Army West Point	35-38	L	103	68	32	104	79	14			
1-1		0-0		117				9/18	Bye			101	78	51						
1-1	1-2	0-0	0-1	117	133			9/25	Indiana	31-33	L	71	96	50	83	24	33			
1-2	4-0	0-0	2-0	119	133		17	10/2	at Michigan St	31-48	L	65	95	41	27	58	87			
1-3	5-0	0-0	1-0	119	128			10/9	UTSA	46-52	L	66	99	59	67	51	17			
1-4	1-5	0-1	0-2	119	105			10/16	at Old Dominion	43-20	W	50	108	58	116	90	40			
2-4	1-5	1-1	0-2	121	103			10/23	at FIU			44	109	38	84	121	49			
	4-2		2-0		122			10/30	Charlotte						65	119	63			
	2-4		1-2		116			11/6	Middle Tennessee						122	103	110			
	2-4		1-1		102			11/13	at Rice						116	118	127			
	3-3		1-1		118			11/20	Florida Atlantic						73	80	50			
	4-3		2-1		119			11/27	at Marshall						48	67	74			

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
UT Martin	59-21	191	3	1	25	25-109	4.4	29-36	478	0	22	34-201	5.9	20-43	195	1
at Army West Point	35-38	61	-1	0	22	19-42	2.2	28-40	435	3	23	67-339	5.1	5-6	77	1
Bye																
Indiana	31-33	-49	-11	0	24	20-93	4.7	31-44	365	1	35	39-134	3.4	35-53	373	3
at Michigan St	31-48	41	5	-1	31	26-72	2.8	46-65	488	3	26	43-192	4.5	20-30	327	0
UTSA	46-52	106	3	0	35	29-147	5.1	38-60	523	1	32	37-192	5.2	29-39	372	0
at Old Dominion	43-20	72	6	2	29	27-121	4.5	37-54	397	0	23	37-119	3.2	26-41	327	5
at FIU																
Charlotte																
Middle Tennessee																
at Rice																
Florida Atlantic																
at Marshall																
Average	41-35	70.3	0.8	0.3	28	24-97	4.0	69.9%	448	2.7%	27	43-196	4.6	63.7%	279	4.7%
Conference	45-36	89.0	4.5	1.0	32	28-134	4.8	65.8%	460	0.9%	28	37-156	4.2	68.8%	350	6.3%
Away	36-35	58.0	3.3	0.3	27	24-78	3.3	69.8%	440	3.8%	24	49-217	4.4	66.2%	244	7.8%

OVERALL:	OVERALL:
2-4	1-5
vs. CUSA	vs. CUSA
1-1	0-2

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

WKU		FIU
#117	Rush Off	#106
#1	Pass Off	#12
#4	**Total Off**	**#46**
#9	Score Off	#72
#21	Sks Allowed	#78
#105	Rush Def	#98
#118	Pass Def	#122
#121	**Total Def**	**#124**
#119	Score Def	#121
#101	Sks By	#101
#38	Ypg Diff	#104
+2	**Total TO's**	**-6**

WKU Hilltoppers | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **FIU Golden Panthers**

Position by Position Edges

WKU		FIU
3.06	WKU QB/WR vs. FIU DB's	
	WKU RB's vs. FIU LB's	0.64
0.43	WKU OL vs. FIU DL	
0.06	WKU DL vs. FIU OL	
0.74	WKU LB'S vs. FIU RB's	
	WKU DB's vs. FIU QB/WR	1.50
0.39	WKU ST's vs. FIU ST's	
	WKU K vs. FIU K	1.20
	WKU Coaches vs. FIU Coaches	1.25
4.68	WKU Pts vs. FIU Pts	4.59

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

WKU

By 0.09 Points

FIU Golden Panthers

Golden Panthers Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	TEAM ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	FOE OFF	FOE DEF	FOE ST
0-0		0-0		108				9/4	Long Island	48-10	W	120	99	21						
1-0	0-1	0-0	0-0	108	113			9/11	Texas St	17-23	L	108	98	11	107	119	99			
1-1	2-0	0-0	0-0	108	124			9/18	at Texas Tech	21-54	L	96	89	18	36	36	63			
1-2	1-2	0-0	0-0	106	117			9/25	at Central Michigan	27-31	L	81	93	18	70	106	54			
1-3	2-2	0-0	0-0	108	116			10/2	at Florida Atlantic	21-58	L	84	99	26	88	87	38			
1-4	3-2	0-1	1-0	104	111			10/9	Charlotte	33-45	L	87	118	36	69	120	102			
1-5		0-2		103				10/16	Bye			83	120	42						
1-5	2-4	0-2	1-1	103	121			10/23	WKU			84	121	49	44	109	38			
	4-3		2-1		119			10/30	at Marshall						48	67	74			
	1-6		0-3		103			11/6	Old Dominion						115	93	42			
	2-4		1-2		116			11/13	at Middle Tennessee						122	103	110			
	1-5		0-3		100			11/20	North Texas						77	116	86			
	1-6		0-3		100			11/27	at Southern Miss						127	106	65			

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
Long Island	48-10	303	7	-1	22	30-318	10.6	15-19	276	0	15	36-96	2.7	16-31	195	1
Texas St	17-23	64	0	-3	21	38-141	3.7	17-34	259	1	21	44-171	3.9	18-31	165	4
at Texas Tech	21-54	-338	-21	0	10	29-55	1.9	13-29	191	2	31	37-177	4.8	27-37	407	0
at Central Michigan	27-31	-162	-11	0	18	32-42	1.3	20-38	395	5	29	40-202	5.1	30-49	397	2
at Florida Atlantic	21-58	-316	-14	-1	16	27-69	2.6	19-41	319	2	30	47-296	6.3	24-28	408	0
Charlotte	33-45	160	-5	-1	18	30-72	2.4	19-30	466	5	23	38-179	4.7	22-28	199	3
Bye																
WKU																
at Marshall																
Old Dominion																
at Middle Tennessee																
North Texas																
at Southern Miss																
Average	28-37	-48.2	-7.3	-1.0	18	31-116	3.7	53.9%	318	7.9%	25	40-187	4.6	67.2%	295	4.9%
Conference	27-52	-78.0	-9.5	-1.0	17	29-71	2.5	53.5%	393	9.9%	27	43-238	5.6	82.1%	304	5.4%
Home	33-26	175.7	0.7	-1.7	20	33-177	5.4	61.4%	334	7.2%	20	39-149	3.8	62.2%	186	8.9%

Last Five Years Meetings (Last 22 years at PhilSteele.com)

2020	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
WKU	-	-7.5	38	13	34-157	14-25-121	
FIU	-	42.5	21	17	44-121	14-37-147	-2
2019	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
WKU	-	57	20	17	35-98	19-33-241	
FIU	-	-7.5	14	14	46-151	5-18-66	2
2018	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
WKU	-	54	17	23	38-168	18-34-144	
FIU	-	-3.5	38	17	38-197	19-28-171	1
2017	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
WKU	-	-3	17	23	28-46	30-49-355	
FIU	-	56.5	41	18	34-122	18-27-251	3
2016	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
WKU	-	-33	49	24	37-225	18-32-284	
FIU	-	64.5	21	17	30-101	22-34-210	-1

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Projected Box Score

Projected Rushing		
151 yards	WKU	FIU 115 yards
Projected Passing		
455 yards	WKU	FIU 371 yards
Projected Yardage Total		
605 yards	WKU	FIU 486 yards
Projected Final Score		
48 points	WKU	FIU 35 points
Experience Rankings		
122	WKU	FIU 58
Team Schedule Strength		
66	WKU	FIU 113

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Wku By 15
Las Vegas Total	77 Points
+/- Ratings	Wku By 14.8
Game Grade	Wku By 19.0
Computer Yards	Wku 605-486
Computer Points	Wku 48-35
Phil Steele	Wku by 24

Phil's Forecast:

FIU has lost the last two vs WKU but also won B2B mtgs in '17-'18. Last year FIU got a 100 yd KR TD to go up 13-3 1Q. WKU got a 19 yd FUM RET td then a 22 yd INT ret td and led 24-13. 'Toppers added 2 more 4Q td's, won 38-21. FIU is fresh off a bye while WKU is playing their 2nd of B2B road games. FIU is on an 1-7 ATS run at home while WKU is 9-5 ATS on the road under Helton. WKU has a brand-new offense and basically team this year as they brought in Houston Baptist's OC, QB and top WR's and are putting up 545 ypg and 41 ppg but the fast-paced offense has them allowing foes 115 ypg above their season avg's. They opened 1-4 SU and last week Jerreth Sterns had 13-221 rec for WKU. WKU miss FG but then 68/8 and 81/12 TD's the 2nd on a pass off WR, in and out DB hands and caught Thomas TD. WKU led 27-3 H with 376-207 yd edge. Down 33-6 ODU 79/8 TD 78/8 TD 33-20 10:17. WKU 42/13 41 yd FG ODU SOD own 23 WKU TD 2 plays later 43-20 final. They have a manageable schedule down the stretch. FIU opened 1-5 (only win vs FCS). They did outgain Texas St 400-336 and led CMich on the road 27-10 in the 4Q. Max Bortenschlager is hitting 54% but with a 14-5 ratio and D'Vonte Price has rushed for 500 (5.3). FIU is allowing foes 120 above their season average so points should be plentiful and WKU is 5-1 to the Over this year. WKU has faced the much tougher schedule (#64 vs #113) and are +70 ypg so they are playing to an AGG of 102.0 and FIU is at just 80.0 (WKU by 19.1). The best matchup here is the nation's #1 pass offense vs FIU's #125 pass D that has allowed a 17-1 ratio so far.

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San Diego St Aztecs

Aztecs Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	FOE OFF	FOE DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-1	0-0	0-0	121	91			9/4	New Mexico St	28-10	W	85	41	17	123	129	91			
1-0	0-1	0-0	0-0	118	118			9/11	at Arizona	38-14	W	85	42	31	98	106	124			
2-0	1-1	0-0	0-0	123	134			9/18	Utah	33-31	W	88	34	32	24	47	106			
3-0		0-0		126				9/25	Towson	48-21	W	80	23	30						
4-0		0-0		126				10/2	Bye			73	24	16						
4-0	2-3	0-0	0-1	126	105	25		10/9	New Mexico	31-7	W	71	18	11	115	80	81			
5-0	3-3	1-0	1-1	126	113	24		10/16	at San Jose St	19-13	W	72	14	12	114	64	67			
6-0	6-1	2-0	3-1	126	129	22		10/23	at Air Force			88	12	4	71	65	125			
	5-2		2-1		127			10/30	Fresno St						27	44	80			
	3-4		1-2		117			11/6	at Hawaii						81	55	94			
	5-1		2-0		128			11/13	Nevada						67	70	27			
	0-6		0-2		109			11/20	at UNLV						123	123	120			
	3-4		1-2		127			11/27	Boise St						99	69	9			

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
New Mexico St	28-10	-11	-4	0	17	42-248	5.9	7-20	115	2	21	26-48	1.8	34-56	326	5
at Arizona	38-14	226	12	1	21	55-271	4.9	10-16	183	2	9	19-49	2.6	18-36	179	4
Utah	33-31	-79	-9	0	12	45-204	4.5	10-19	44	1	21	31-70	2.3	33-58	257	3
Towson	48-21	222	12	1	24	47-281	6.0	17-26	169	1	12	20-15	0.8	19-36	213	2
Bye																
New Mexico	31-7	143	7	1	19	43-203	4.7	12-25	133	0	12	34-66	1.9	13-27	127	4
at San Jose St	19-13	-105	-2	0	17	36-70	1.9	15-30	170	3	19	42-117	2.8	16-35	228	2
at Air Force																
Fresno St																
at Hawaii																
Nevada																
at UNLV																
Boise St																
Average	33-16	66.0	2.7	0.5	18	45-213	4.8	52.2%	136	6.6%	16	29-61	2.1	53.6%	222	8.1%
Conference	25-10	19.0	2.5	0.5	18	40-137	3.5	49.1%	152	5.5%	16	38-92	2.4	46.8%	178	9.7%
Away	29-14	60.5	5.0	0.5	19	46-171	3.7	54.3%	177	10.9%	14	31-83	2.7	47.9%	204	8.5%

OVERALL:	OVERALL:
6-0	6-1
vs. MTW	vs. MTW
2-0	3-1

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

San Diego St		Air Force
#20	Rush Off	#1
#124	Pass Off	#127
#102	**Total Off**	**#54**
#35	Score Off	#45
#27	Sks Allowed	#13
#1	Rush Def	#8
#62	Pass Def	#28
#7	**Total Def**	**#10**
#10	Score Def	#12
#15	Sks By	#15
#43	Ypg Diff	#16
+3	**Total TO's**	**+7**

San Diego St Aztecs | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **Air Force Falcons**

Air Force Falcons

Falcons Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	FOE OFF	FOE DEF	FOE ST
0-0		0-0		125				9/4	Lafayette	35-14	W	82	97	124						
1-0	0-1	0-0	0-0	121	116			9/11	at Navy	23-3	W	74	103	101	117	88	130			
2-0	2-0	0-0	0-0	124	117			9/18	Utah St	45-49	L	91	99	126	73	87	47			
2-1	2-1	0-1	0-0	121	120			9/25	Florida Atlantic	31-7	W	85	91	129	74	65	37			
3-1	2-2	0-1	0-0	124	107			10/2	at New Mexico	38-10	W	56	82	128	107	57	86			
4-1	4-0	1-1	0-0	126	120			10/9	Wyoming	24-14	W	51	67	128	89	63	78			
5-1	3-3	2-1	1-1	126	130			10/16	at Boise St	24-17	W	70	63	125	106	58	7			
6-1	6-0	3-1	2-0	129	126		22	10/23	San Diego St			71	65	125	88	12	4			
								10/30	Bye											
	4-2		1-0		121			11/6	† Army West Point						86	48	70			
	3-3		2-0		125			11/13	at Colorado St						102	45	81			
	5-1		2-0		128			11/20	at Nevada						67	70	27			
	0-6		0-2		109			11/27	UNLV						123	123	120			

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
Lafayette	35-14	133	12	1	24	67-370	5.9	3-5	50	1	12	24-43	1.8	17-28	244	3
at Navy	23-3	157	8	1	14	59-176	3.0	3-10	49	1	6	34-36	1.1	3-10	32	5
Utah St	45-49	-9	-3	-1	23	63-437	6.9	6-12	182	1	26	39-180	4.6	31-50	448	2
Florida Atlantic	31-7	297	14	1	24	73-446	6.1	2-5	70	0	10	20-141	7.1	11-33	78	1
at New Mexico	38-10	215	10	3	23	73-408	5.6	1-2	33	1	13	20-47	2.4	14-22	179	4
Wyoming	24-14	64	5	1	20	64-211	3.3	7-10	110	1	15	27-114	4.2	11-28	143	3
at Boise St	24-17	29	1	1	19	63-307	4.9	1-5	59	2	18	25-78	3.1	23-36	259	2
San Diego St																
Bye																
† Army West Point																
at Colorado St																
at Nevada																
UNLV																
Average	31-16	126.6	6.7	1.0	21	66-336	5.1	46.9%	79	14.3%	14	27-91	3.4	53.1%	198	9.7%
Conference	33-23	74.8	3.3	1.0	21	66-341	5.2	51.7%	96	17.2%	18	28-105	3.8	58.1%	257	8.1%
Home	34-21	121.3	7.0	0.5	23	67-366	5.5	56.3%	103	9.4%	16	28-120	4.3	50.4%	228	6.5%

Position by Position Edges

San Diego St		Air Force
	San Diego St QB/WR vs. Air Force DB's	1.26
0.21	San Diego St RB's vs. Air Force LB's	
0.09	San Diego St OL vs. Air Force DL	
1.46	San Diego St DL vs. Air Force OL	
0.38	San Diego St LB'S vs. Air Force RB's	
1.70	San Diego St DB's vs. Air Force QB/WR	
5.15	San Diego St ST's vs. Air Force ST's	
	San Diego St K vs. Air Force K	0.05
	San Diego St Coaches vs. Air Force Coaches	1.10
8.98	San Diego St Pts vs. Air Force Pts	2.41

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

San Diego St

By 6.58 Points

Last Five Years Meetings (Last 22 years at PhilSteele.com)

2018	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
San Diego St	-	-11.5	21	13	34-84	9-25-213	
Air Force	-	43.5	17	14	51-214	8-17-62	0

2017	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
San Diego St	22	-3	28	19	41-187	10-16-180	
Air Force	-	47	24	14	60-220	2-6-33	0

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Projected Box Score

Projected Rushing			
134 yards	San Diego St	Air Force	273 yards
Projected Passing			
114 yards	San Diego St	Air Force	88 yards
Projected Yardage Total			
248 yards	San Diego St	Air Force	361 yards
Projected Final Score			
18 points	San Diego St	Air Force	25 points
Experience Rankings			
45	San Diego St	Air Force	105
Team Schedule Strength			
117	San Diego St	Air Force	110

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Air Force By 3.5
Las Vegas Total	39.5 Points
+/- Ratings	Air Force By 7.3
Game Grade	Air Force By 7.8
Computer Yards	Air Force 361-248
Computer Points	Air Force 25-18
Phil Steele	San Diego St by 3

Phil's Forecast:

Air Force has lost 8 straight games to SDSt (2-6 ATS). Four of the last 5 meetings have been decided by 7 pts or less. Last met in 2018 when SDSt went up 4 pts mid 4Q on a 29-yard TD pass and Air Force threw a late INT to fall 21-17. SDSt is known for their strong run defense (allowing 61 ypg, 2.1 ypc!). SDSt is rushing for 213 ypg (4.8) but they face an AF defense that is experienced and allowing just 91 (3.4). Air Force opened a solid 5-1 SU and 4-2 ATS with only a blown lead vs Utah St keeping them from being unbeaten. Last week Boise lost their 3rd home game of the season for the first time s/1998. Boise was without RB's Habibi-Likio and Holani and rushed for just 78 yds. Boise opened strong with 75/11 and 80/10 drives for TD's and AF 75/14 & 80/10 14-14 after 3 poss. AF 75/8 TD led 21-14 H. Boise was SOD at 2 5:00 left 3Q. AF Miss FG then after Boise fmbl punt 28 yd FG 2:49 left. Boise 53/11 37 yd FG :49 and recover onside but int's next play. San Diego St opened 5-0 SU and 4-1 ATS including an upset of Utah. Last week at San Jose neither team scored a TD in regulation and SDST P Ariza had an 86 & 53 yd punts. SDSt led 6-3 at half with an Ariza 53 yd FG. He missed a 55 yd 3Q FG and SJSt 66/11 48 yd FG 6-6 but missed a 52 yd FG :15 left. Lucas Johnson off the bench hit 14 and 24 yd TD passes in OT as Aztecs won in 2 OT 19-13. AF is playing to an AGG of 103.2 and San Diego St is at 98.6 (AF by 8.4). With 2 strong run games going up against 2 strong defenses I see this being a close, low-scoring game. With the Aztecs winning 8 in a row in the series, I side with them to win by a FG.

San Diego St 16 Air Force 13

USC Trojans

Trojans Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	TEAM ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	FOE OFF	FOE DEF	FOE ST
0-0	1-0	0-0	0-0	134	124	15		9/4	San Jose St	30-7	W	12	19	12	88	57	90			
1-0	0-1	0-0	0-0	135	126	14		9/11	Stanford	28-42	L	11	18	39	54	67	117			
1-1	1-1	0-1	0-0	130	125			9/18	at Washington St	45-14	W	14	19	45	58	91	30			
2-1	2-1	1-1	0-0	134	128			9/25	Oregon St	27-45	L	29	19	39	46	53	64			
2-2	1-3	1-2	0-1	129	117			10/2	at Colorado	37-14	W	37	41	33	117	60	101			
3-2	2-2	2-2	1-0	131	131			10/9	Utah	26-42	L	27	45	32	47	19	116			
3-3		2-3		127				10/16	Bye			27	62	35						
3-3	5-1	2-3	0-0	127	137		13	10/23	at Notre Dame			23	66	36	85	10	37			
	0-6		0-3		107			10/30	Arizona						109	99	129			
	5-2		3-1		135			11/6	at Arizona St						20	31	39			
	1-5		0-3		124			11/13	at California						47	60	95			
	5-2		3-1		134			11/20	UCLA						30	26	29			
	5-2		0-0		126			11/27	BYU						53	87	54			

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
San Jose St	30-7	40	5	1	23	34-160	4.7	24-36	256	2	18	19-68	3.6	24-46	308	0
Stanford	28-42	33	6	-1	24	33-185	5.6	27-42	223	0	18	30-141	4.7	16-23	234	0
at Washington St	45-14	168	9	1	24	25-48	1.9	31-48	399	1	15	30-99	3.3	20-34	180	3
Oregon St	27-45	-104	1	-2	32	22-76	3.5	31-49	355	2	31	51-322	6.3	15-19	213	0
at Colorado	37-14	252	9	1	20	35-218	6.2	19-29	276	0	11	39-80	2.1	10-17	162	5
Utah	26-42	7	4	-1	27	25-92	3.7	33-53	401	2	23	35-180	5.1	22-28	306	2
Bye																
at Notre Dame																
Arizona																
at Arizona St																
at California																
UCLA																
BYU																
Average	32-27	66.0	5.7	-0.2	25	29-130	4.5	64.2%	318	2.7%	19	34-148	4.4	64.1%	234	6.0%
Conference	33-31	71.2	5.8	-0.4	25	28-124	4.4	63.8%	331	2.3%	20	37-164	4.4	68.6%	219	8.3%
Away	41-14	210.0	9.0	1.0	22	30-133	4.4	64.9%	338	1.3%	13	35-90	2.6	58.8%	171	15.7%

OVERALL:	OVERALL:
3-3	5-1
vs. PAC 12	vs. IND
2-3	0-0

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

USC		Notre Dame
#93	Rush Off	#117
#11	Pass Off	#31
#29	**Total Off**	**#87**
#41	Score Off	#46
#13	Sks Allowed	#121
#65	Rush Def	#39
#78	Pass Def	#84
#69	**Total Def**	**#54**
#78	Score Def	#62
#101	Sks By	#42
#44	Ypg Diff	#78
-1	**Total TO's**	**+5**

USC Trojans | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **Notre Dame Fighting Irish**

Position by Position Edges

USC		Notre Dame
	USC QB/WR vs. Notre Dame DB's	0.52
	USC RB's vs. Notre Dame LB's	1.60
	USC OL vs. Notre Dame DL	0.67
0.73	USC DL vs. Notre Dame OL	
2.05	USC LB'S vs. Notre Dame RB's	
	USC DB's vs. Notre Dame QB/WR	0.22
	USC ST's vs. Notre Dame ST's	0.01
	USC K vs. Notre Dame K	1.00
	USC Coaches vs. Notre Dame Coaches	2.80
2.79	USC Pts vs. Notre Dame Pts	6.82

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

Notre Dame

By 4.03 Points

Notre Dame Fighting Irish

Fighting Irish Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	TEAM ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	FOE OFF	FOE DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	137	127	9		9/4	at Florida St	41-38	W	20	7	13	26	37	72			
1-0	1-0	0-0	0-0	137	119	8		9/11	Toledo	32-29	W	14	8	18	71	55	28			
2-0	2-0	0-0	0-0	134	130	12		9/18	Purdue	27-13	W	19	10	44	42	53	58			
3-0	1-1	0-0	0-1	135	140	12	18	9/25	† Wisconsin	41-13	W	34	12	29	22	8	79			
4-0	3-0	0-0	0-0	140	142	9	7	10/2	Cincinnati	13-24	L	68	5	23	52	7	80			
4-1	3-1	0-0	1-0	137	127	14		10/9	at Virginia Tech	32-29	W	73	7	30	104	22	22			
5-1		0-0		137		14		10/16	Bye			74	9	33						
5-1	3-3	0-0	2-3	137	127	13		10/23	USC			85	10	37	23	66	36			
	4-3		3-3		131			10/30	North Carolina						21	57	72			
	1-5		1-3		115			11/6	Navy						128	101	126			
	5-2		3-2		135			11/13	at Virginia						41	91	99			
	3-3		2-2		124			11/20	Georgia Tech						70	81	103			
	3-4		2-3		131			11/27	at Stanford						51	50	59			

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
at Florida St	41-38	-11	-2	2	17	35-65	1.9	26-35	366	4	19	48-264	5.5	14-26	178	5
Toledo	32-29	96	11	-2	27	39-132	3.4	24-36	317	6	16	31-132	4.3	19-32	221	5
Purdue	27-13	-5	-3	2	16	34-120	3.5	15-32	223	4	19	25-57	2.3	38-54	291	3
† Wisconsin	41-13	-72	1	4	17	32-3	0.1	21-37	239	6	16	28-74	2.6	18-41	240	1
Cincinnati	13-24	-49	3	-1	19	28-84	3.0	23-46	257	2	16	30-93	3.1	19-32	297	1
at Virginia Tech	32-29	80	0	0	21	43-180	4.2	15-26	221	2	21	37-134	3.6	17-34	187	1
Bye																
USC																
North Carolina																
Navy																
at Virginia																
Georgia Tech																
at Stanford																
Average	31-24	6.5	1.7	0.8	20	35-97	2.8	58.5%	271	11.3%	18	33-126	3.8	57.1%	236	7.3%
Conference	35-23	-2.0	-1.0	2.0	18	36-92	2.6	59.2%	262	12.3%	19	35-132	3.8	56.1%	224	6.5%
Home	24-22	14.0	3.7	-0.3	21	34-112	3.3	54.4%	266	10.5%	17	29-94	3.3	64.4%	270	7.6%

Last Five Years Meetings (Last 22 years at PhilSteele.com)

2019	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
USC	-	59	27	25	35-171	24-35-255	
Notre Dame	9	-10.5	30	25	48-308	17-32-165	0
2018	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
USC	-	54	17	24	24-94	37-51-349	
Notre Dame	3	-11	24	23	31-121	22-39-352	1
2017	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
USC	11	64.5	14	18	31-76	25-36-260	
Notre Dame	13	-3.5	49	23	47-377	9-22-120	3
2016	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
USC	12	-17.5	45	23	38-207	19-30-205	
Notre Dame	-	58	27	23	37-154	21-39-254	-1

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Projected Box Score

	Projected Rushing		
65 yards	USC	Notre Dame	135 yards
	Projected Passing		
301 yards	USC	Notre Dame	295 yards
	Projected Yardage Total		
366 yards	USC	Notre Dame	430 yards
	Projected Final Score		
26 points	USC	Notre Dame	37 points
	Experience Rankings		
89	USC	Notre Dame	128
	Team Schedule Strength		
21	USC	Notre Dame	3

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Notre Dame By 7
Las Vegas Total	57.5 Points
+/- Ratings	Notre Dame By 14.8
Game Grade	Notre Dame By 8.3
Computer Yards	Notre Dame 430-366
Computer Points	Notre Dame 37-26
Phil Steele	Notre Dame by 6

Phil's Forecast:

Teams played every year from 1946-2019. Notre Dame leads all-time series 47-36-5 winning 6 of the last 8 (4-4 ATS) including 3 straight (1-2 ATS). Home team is on a 6-1 SU & ATS streak. After winning 7 straight in the series from '02-'09, USC is 3-7 the last 10 vs the Irish. Last time here ('19), the Trojans battled back from 17 down to get within 3 pts twice before falling 30-27 (+10'). Both teams are fresh off a bye. Notre Dame is 5-1 SU (3-3 ATS) and still have a lot to play for this year. They benched QB Coan for Buchner vs VT but Buchner was injured and Coan led them back from down 8 in the 4Q and ND won 32-29 at Vtech. All of ND's games have been relatively close. USC has a distinct pattern of looking great one week and then poor the next. They opened 3-3 with solid wins over San Jose, Wash St and Colorado followed up by poor losses to Stanford (cost Helton his job), Oregon St and Utah. USC has still played to an AGG of 103.2 and ND which plays down to it's opp level is at 107.3 (ND by 8.8). ND has taken on the #2 toughest schedule and USC is at #20. Notre Dame has just 332 ypg on offense the L4 weeks! USC has not been a dog all year and should be motivated for this rivalry game and this is their week to be "up".

Notre Dame 30 USC 24

Nevada Wolf Pack

Wolf Pack Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	FOE OFF	FOE DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	126	129			9/4	at California	22-17	W	25	62	14	81	56	107			
1-0		0-0		129				9/11	Idaho St	49-10	W	36	72	26						
2-0	1-1	0-0	0-0	128	129			9/18	at Kansas St	17-38	L	28	62	55	61	83	35			
2-1		0-0		125				9/25	Bye			55	84	48						
2-1	2-2	0-0	1-0	125	131			10/2	at Boise St	41-31	W	67	90	50	91	61	4			
3-1	1-5	1-0	0-0	129	98			10/9	New Mexico St	55-28	W	70	85	39	115	125	88			
4-1	3-3	1-0	1-1	128	117		#REF!	10/16	Hawaii	34-17	W	67	74	31	81	55	94			
5-1	5-2	2-0	2-1	128	127			10/23	at Fresno St			67	70	27	27	44	80			
	0-6		0-2		109			10/30	UNLV						123	123	120			
	3-4		1-2		113			11/6	San Jose St						114	64	67			
	6-0		2-0		126			11/13	at San Diego St						88	12	4			
	6-1		3-1		129			11/20	Air Force						71	65	125			
	3-3		2-0		125			11/27	at Colorado St						102	45	81			

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
at California	22-17	43	2	0	19	26-61	2.3	22-39	312	2	17	27-153	5.7	25-38	177	2
Idaho St	49-10	303	8	2	26	19-145	7.6	37-46	441	0	18	42-141	3.4	15-26	142	8
at Kansas St	17-38	-67	-8	-1	14	23-25	1.1	28-41	306	3	22	8-269	33.6	9-13	129	0
Bye																
at Boise St	41-31	-17	-6	3	18	30-130	4.3	25-38	263	4	24	34-22	0.6	34-48	388	6
New Mexico St	55-28	80	2	0	27	23-69	3.0	34-46	463	4	25	29-27	0.9	38-62	425	6
Hawaii	34-17	84	8	5	25	38-82	2.2	34-55	395	3	17	29-188	6.5	22-39	205	5
at Fresno St																
UNLV																
San Jose St																
at San Diego St																
Air Force																
at Colorado St																
Average	36-24	71.0	1.0	1.5	22	27-85	3.2	67.9%	363	6.0%	21	28-133	4.7	63.3%	244	11.9%
Conference	38-24	33.5	1.0	4.0	22	34-106	3.1	63.4%	329	7.5%	21	32-105	3.3	64.4%	297	12.6%
Away	27-29	-13.7	-4.0	0.7	17	26-72	2.7	63.6%	294	7.6%	21	23-148	6.4	68.7%	231	8.1%

OVERALL:	OVERALL:
5-1	5-2
vs. MTW	vs. MTW
2-0	2-1

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

Nevada		Fresno St
#125	Rush Off	#94
#28	**Total Off**	#12
#21	Score Off	#23
#87	Sks Allowed	#63
#49	Rush Def	#40
#92	Pass Def	#19
#63	**Total Def**	#22
#59	Score Def	#22
#2	Sks By	#25
#37	Ypg Diff	#7
+9	**Total TO's**	-2

Nevada Wolf Pack | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **Fresno St Bulldogs**

Fresno St Bulldogs

Bulldogs Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	FOE OFF	FOE DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	121	101			8/28	Connecticut	45-0	W	33	85	126	129	127	109			
1-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	125	135		11	9/4	at Oregon	24-31	L	34	69	125	11	14	78			
1-1		0-0		126			13	9/11	Cal Poly	63-10	W	25	55	108						
2-1	2-0	0-0	0-0	127	139			9/18	at UCLA	40-37	W	21	56	104	23	9	24			
3-1	0-3	0-0	0-0	131	104	22		9/25	UNLV	38-30	W	22	64	95	126	126	98			
4-1	2-3	1-0	0-1	127	114	18		10/2	at Hawaii	24-27	L	25	56	88	81	61	67			
4-2		1-1		124				10/9	Bye			26	56	84						
4-2	4-1	1-1	0-1	124	120			10/16	at Wyoming	17-0	W	27	44	80	98	64	79			
5-2	5-1	2-1	2-0	127	128			10/23	Nevada			0	0	0	67	70	27			
	6-0		2-0		126			10/30	at San Diego St						88	12	4			
	3-4		1-2		127			11/6	Boise St						99	69	9			
	2-5		0-3		103			11/13	New Mexico						125	82	76			
								11/20	Bye											
	3-4		1-2		113			11/27	at San Jose St						114	64	67			

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
Connecticut	45-0	431	16	0	25	38-156	4.1	27-39	382	0	9	31-35	1.1	14-30	72	4
at Oregon	24-31	15	3	-2	23	30-75	2.5	30-43	298	4	20	49-186	3.8	15-24	172	3
Cal Poly	63-10	397	12	1	25	38-196	5.2	22-29	475	1	13	35-53	1.5	19-37	221	3
at UCLA	40-37	174	15	-1	32	37-114	3.1	39-54	455	3	17	29-117	4.0	14-24	278	0
UNLV	38-30	28	5	0	23	23-83	3.6	30-42	378	1	18	36-152	4.2	15-28	281	4
at Hawaii	24-27	157	10	-5	31	31-117	3.8	28-51	388	3	21	44-232	5.3	11-27	116	1
Bye																
at Wyoming	17-0	-12	-1	5	15	43-163	3.8	15-28	96	1	16	33-128	3.9	9-30	143	3
Nevada																
at San Diego St																
Boise St																
New Mexico																
Bye																
at San Jose St																
Average	36-19	170.0	8.6	-0.3	25	34-129	3.8	66.8%	353	4.5%	16	37-129	3.5	48.5%	183	9.0%
Conference	26-19	57.7	4.7	0.0	23	32-121	3.7	60.3%	287	4.1%	18	38-171	4.5	41.2%	180	9.4%
Home	49-13	285.3	11.0	0.3	24	33-145	4.4	71.8%	412	1.8%	13	34-80	2.4	50.5%	191	11.6%

Position by Position Edges

Nevada		Fresno St
0.51	Nevada QB/WR vs. Fresno St DB's	
	Nevada RB's vs. Fresno St LB's	2.61
	Nevada OL vs. Fresno St DL	1.28
0.63	Nevada DL vs. Fresno St OL	
0.53	Nevada LB'S vs. Fresno St RB's	
	Nevada DB's vs. Fresno St QB/WR	1.32
1.92	Nevada ST's vs. Fresno St ST's	
1.85	Nevada K vs. Fresno St K	
1.35	Nevada Coaches vs. Fresno St Coaches	
6.79	Nevada Pts vs. Fresno St Pts	5.21

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

Nevada

By 1.58 Points

Last Five Years Meetings (Last 22 years at PhilSteele.com)

2020	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
Nevada	-	-6.5	37	14	22-62	23-39-354	
Fresno St	-	59	26	30	40-114	41-65-485	1
2019	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Nevada	-	51	35	18	34-254	20-31-154	
Fresno St	-	-14	28	18	25-53	28-38-278	1
2018	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Nevada	-	58	3	21	43-132	22-43-195	
Fresno St	-	-14.5	21	12	24-30	20-28-241	2
2017	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Nevada	-	59.5	21	16	23-61	31-49-253	
Fresno St	-	-9.5	41	22	38-192	25-33-312	0
2016	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Nevada	-	-7.5	27	23	49-226	14-23-163	
Fresno St	-	55	22	25	48-255	16-28-197	-1

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Projected Box Score

Projected Rushing		
45 yards	Nevada	Fresno St 126 yards
Projected Passing		
324 yards	Nevada	Fresno St 364 yards
Projected Yardage Total		
369 yards	Nevada	Fresno St 490 yards
Projected Final Score		
28 points	Nevada	Fresno St 31 points
Experience Rankings		
7	Nevada	Fresno St 26
Team Schedule Strength		
96	Nevada	Fresno St 102

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Fresno St By 3
Las Vegas Total	63.5 Points
+/- Ratings	Fresno St By 2.8
Game Grade	Fresno St By 7.8
Computer Yards	Fresno St 490-369
Computer Points	Fresno St 31-28
Phil Steele	Nevada by 1

Phil's Forecast:

Fresno leads the all-time series over Nevada 29-22-1 but over the past 6 meetings the Bulldogs have lost 4 of them. The road team is on an 8-2 ATS run in this series. Last year Fresno was without key ST players including their starting LS, P and K and in the fourth quarter lost RB Ronnie Rivers. Nevada jumped out to a 17-7 lead 1Q and Fresno cut the deficit to 24-20 at half. Nevada (-6') scored 2 TD's in 4Q to lead 37-20 before Fresno got a late TD, 37-26. Fresno QB Haener threw a program high 65 passes and had 485 yds and 2 TD's while Nevada QB Strong became the first Nevada QB since Kaepernick to throw for 5 TD passes in a game. Fresno did have a punt blocked & they missed 2 PAT's with bkp WR Dalena doing the kicking. Fresno was very impressive early leading Oregon in the 4Q and upsetting UCLA on the road. They struggled their next 2 games just getting past UNLV and being upset at Hawaii. Last week Fresno's last shutout win on the road was in 1974. Wyoming had 271-259 yd edge but 5 TO's and Fresno's 3 scoring drives were all off TO's and covered a combined 50 yards! Wyoming was int'd at 29, missed a 53 yd FG and int at FSU 11 in 17-0 home loss. Nevada opened up 4-1 SU with upsets of California and Boise St both on the road but did lose to Kansas St as an AF. Last week Nevada led 20-17 at half with Hawaii's Dae Dae Hunter having 75 & 81 yd runs for TD's (led 14-10). UH started Schager at QB and he hit 22-39-205 with Corderio still injured. He was int'd 1st two drives 2H and Nevada went 48/8 and 91/12 for TD's 34-17 2:25 3Q. Nev miss 47 yd FG and SOD 36 and UH last two drives SOD at Nev 32 and own 33. Nevada has the ST edge (#31 vs #84). Nevada is a perfect 7-0 ATS their last 7 as a regular season dog and grabs 3rd outright upset of year.

Nevada 31 Fresno St 30

New Mexico St Aggies

Aggies Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	FOE OFF	FOE DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	94	105			8/28	UTEP	3-30	L	115	130	56	97	115	41			
0-1	0-0	0-0	0-0	91	121			9/4	at San Diego St	10-28	L	123	129	91	85	41	17			
0-2	1-0	0-0	0-0	93	112			9/11	at New Mexico	25-34	L	126	129	68	97	121	100			
0-3		0-0		95				9/18	South Carolina St	43-35	W	125	127	40						
1-3	1-3	0-0	0-1	95	114			9/25	Hawaii	21-41	L	126	126	52	76	69	70			
1-4	2-2	0-0	1-0	95	117			10/2	at San Jose St	31-37	L	118	126	61	111	57	60			
1-5	3-1	0-0	1-0	98	129			10/9	at Nevada	28-55	L	115	125	88	70	85	39			
1-6		0-0		99				10/16	Bye			119	127	96						
1-6	1-3	0-0	0-1	99	117			10/23	at Hawaii			0	0	0	76	69	70			
								10/30	Bye											
	4-2		2-1		116			11/6	Utah St						52	104	30			
	6-1		3-1		154			11/13	at Alabama						3	8	2			
	6-1		4-1		136			11/20	at Kentucky						35	35	92			
	1-5		1-0		95			11/27	UMass						124	129	123			

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
UTEP	3-30	-262	1	1	20	34-101	3.0	9-33	89	3	19	42-203	4.8	11-20	249	0
at San Diego St	10-28	11	4	0	21	26-48	1.8	34-56	326	5	17	42-248	5.9	7-20	115	2
at New Mexico	25-34	-214	-10	-2	19	23-109	4.7	18-45	236	0	29	46-178	3.9	26-36	381	2
South Carolina St	43-35	-1	0	3	24	34-106	3.1	24-33	321	1	24	27-76	2.8	30-47	352	2
Hawaii	21-41	-91	1	-1	22	41-121	3.0	28-47	280	4	21	33-215	6.5	16-25	277	3
at San Jose St	31-37	-16	5	0	23	24-86	3.6	30-44	300	1	18	36-209	5.8	15-18	193	0
at Nevada	28-55	-80	-2	0	25	29-27	0.9	38-62	425	6	27	23-69	3.0	34-46	463	4
Bye																
at Hawaii																
Bye																
Utah St																
at Alabama																
at Kentucky																
UMass																
Average	23-37	-93.3	-0.1	0.1	22	30-85	2.8	56.6%	282	6.3%	22	36-171	4.8	65.6%	290	6.1%
Conference	0-0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0	0-0	0.0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0-0	0.0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Away	24-39	-74.8	-0.8	-0.5	22	26-68	2.6	58.0%	322	5.8%	23	37-176	4.8	68.3%	288	6.7%

OVERALL:	OVERALL:
1-6	3-4
vs. IND	vs. MTW
0-0	1-2

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

New Mexico St		Hawaii
#124	Rush Off	#68
#23	Pass Off	#52
#86	**Total Off**	**#56**
#103	Score Off	#84
#109	Sks Allowed	#105
#89	Rush Def	#53
#120	Pass Def	#126
#119	**Total Def**	**#108**
#122	Score Def	#100
#71	Sks By	#36
#113	Ypg Diff	#94
+1	**Total TO's**	**-1**

New Mexico St Aggies | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **Hawaii Rainbow Warriors**

Hawaii Rainbow Warriors

Rainbow Warriors Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	FOE OFF	FOE DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	122	131			8/28	at UCLA	10-44	L	90	57	86	28	32	82			
0-1		0-0		118				9/4	Portland St	49-35	W	100	54	71						
1-1	0-1	0-0	0-0	115	124			9/11	at Oregon St	27-45	L	99	74	69	82	83	94			
1-2	1-1	0-0	0-0	114	122			9/18	San Jose St	13-17	L	87	73	67	97	54	90			
1-3	1-3	0-1	0-0	114	95			9/25	at New Mexico St	41-21	W	76	69	70	126	126	52			
2-3	4-1	0-1	1-0	114	127		18	10/2	Fresno St	27-24	W	81	61	67	25	56	88			
3-3		1-1		117				10/9	Bye			77	59	71						
3-3	4-1	1-1	1-0	117	128			10/16	at Nevada	17-34	L	81	55	94	67	74	31			
3-4	1-3	1-2	0-0	117	99			10/23	New Mexico St			0	0	0	126	126	52			
	4-2		2-1		116			10/30	at Utah St						52	104	30			
	6-0		2-0		126			11/6	San Diego St						88	12	4			
	0-6		0-2		109			11/13	at UNLV						123	123	120			
	3-3		2-0		125			11/20	Colorado St						102	45	81			
	4-2		0-2		117			11/27	at Wyoming						105	58	104			

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
at UCLA	10-44	-123	-4	-2	16	21-26	1.2	28-53	243	2	20	43-244	5.7	12-22	148	2
Portland St	49-35	96	1	0	25	48-268	5.6	18-25	305	4	24	27-77	2.9	23-47	400	2
at Oregon St	27-45	-104	-2	-1	26	29-88	3.0	24-49	366	4	28	42-256	6.1	21-29	302	1
San Jose St	13-17	78	1	1	16	37-127	3.4	18-39	242	0	15	26-56	2.2	23-51	235	2
at New Mexico St	41-21	91	-1	1	21	33-215	6.5	16-25	277	3	22	41-121	3.0	28-47	280	4
Fresno St	27-24	-157	-10	5	21	44-232	5.3	11-27	116	1	31	31-117	3.8	28-51	388	3
Bye																
at Nevada	17-34	-84	-8	-5	17	29-188	6.5	22-39	205	5	25	38-82	2.2	34-55	395	3
New Mexico St																
at Utah St																
San Diego St																
at UNLV																
Colorado St																
at Wyoming																
Average	26-31	-29.0	-3.3	-0.1	20	34-163	4.7	53.3%	251	7.4%	24	35-136	3.8	56.0%	307	5.6%
Conference	19-25	-54.3	-5.7	0.3	18	37-182	5.0	48.6%	188	5.7%	24	32-85	2.7	54.1%	339	5.1%
Home	30-25	5.7	-2.7	2.0	21	43-209	4.9	51.6%	221	5.5%	23	28-83	3.0	49.7%	341	4.7%

Position by Position Edges

New Mexico St		Hawaii
	New Mexico St QB/WR vs. Hawaii DB's	1.09
	New Mexico St RB's vs. Hawaii LB's	2.28
	New Mexico St OL vs. Hawaii DL	1.42
	New Mexico St DL vs. Hawaii OL	1.15
	New Mexico St LB'S vs. Hawaii RB's	2.05
	New Mexico St DB's vs. Hawaii QB/WR	1.25
0.17	New Mexico St ST's vs. Hawaii ST's	
	New Mexico St K vs. Hawaii K	0.65
0.10	New Mexico St Coaches vs. Hawaii Coaches	
0.27	New Mexico St Pts vs. Hawaii Pts	9.88

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

Hawaii

By 9.60 Points

Last Five Years Meetings (Last 22 years at PhilSteele.com)

None

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Projected Box Score

Projected Rushing			
82 yards	New Mexico St	Hawaii	224 yards
Projected Passing			
279 yards	New Mexico St	Hawaii	302 yards
Projected Yardage Total			
361 yards	New Mexico St	Hawaii	526 yards
Projected Final Score			
23 points	New Mexico St	Hawaii	41 points
Experience Rankings			
85	New Mexico St	Hawaii	9
Team Schedule Strength			
101	New Mexico St	Hawaii	64

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Hawaii By 18
Las Vegas Total	60 Points
+/- Ratings	Hawaii By 21.3
Game Grade	Hawaii By 18.0
Computer Yards	Hawaii 526-361
Computer Points	Hawaii 41-23
Phil Steele	Hawaii by 11

Phil's Forecast:

This is the second meeting of their in-season home & home matchup. The first game took back on Sept 13 in Las Cruces and Hawaii won 41-21. NMSt 60/12 33 yd FG UH 74/1 TD pass Mardner. UH 5 yd FR TD lead 17-3 then NMSt 71/5 TD, make 20 yd FG miss 29 yd FG trail 17-13 H with 11-10 FD edge. UH 38/7 for TD (after fmbl). Up 31-21 UH 51/8 41 FG. NMSt 4&32 SOD 2:54 left and UH 35/4 TD to cover 41-21 (-17). NMST int at UH 34 :29 left as UH 492-401 yd edge. These teams are former WAC foes and since 2005 Hawaii is 8-0 SU (5-3 ATS) and have won every game by double digits. Hawaii gets this game at home in the middle of two road MW games. NMSt is in a rare spot where they get this game off a bye and then have a bye upcoming next week so the travel should be no problem. They last faced MW foe Nevada on the road and lost 55-28. Hawaii opened 3-3 and upset Fresno in their last home game which are played in a transitional stadium with no fans. Last week Nevada led 20-17 at half with Hawaii's Dae Dae Hunter having 75 & 81 yd runs for TD's (led 14-10). UH started Schager at QB and he hit 22-39-205 with Corderio still injured. He was int'd 1st two drives 2H and Nevada went 48/8 and 91/12 for TD's 34-17 2:25 3Q. Nev miss 47 yd FG and SOD 36 and UH last two drives SOD at Nev 32 and own 33. Hawaii has taken on the tougher schedule (#63 vs #100) NMSt is playing to an AGG of 79.4 and Hawaii is at 92.9 (UH by 17.8). Dating back to '16 Hawaii is 2-8 ATS as a DD home favorite while NMSt is a perfect 4-0 ATS this year as a road underdog all games involving MW teams. They are 0-4 SU in those games losing by 15 ppg and -75 ypg. Generally teams that lose the first matchup have an edge in the rate 2nd meeting of seasons (last year MTSt upset Troy after losing first meeting by 33).

Hawaii 38 New Mexico St 27

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Arkansas By 51.5
Las Vegas Total	61.5 Points
+/- Ratings	Arkansas By 65.5
Game Grade	Arkansas By 75.4
Computer Yards	Arkansas 723-55
Computer Points	Arkansas 60-0
Phil Steele	Arkansas by 59

Phil's Forecast:

1st time in 77 years that Arkansas plays an in-state opponent. The last game was in 1944 against Arkansas-Monticello (then Arkansas A&M). The Golden Lions went 4-1 and lost the SWAC Championship game in spring. They were still picked 2nd last in the West this year and after beating Lane College 34-16 in the opener they went 0-4 SU and ATS the next 4 games. They did only lose to Alcorn St by 1 but lost their other 3 by 14 ppg. Arkansas is 4-8 ATS vs FCS teams but does have a bye on deck. APB QB Skyler Perry is hitting just 47% with a 2-2 ratio and they are allowing teams 88 ypg above their season average. Last week they lost to Southern 34-7 being outgained 381-137 until APB went 70/10 for TD with 1:54 left. Arkansas opened a powerful 4-0 SU and ATS with dominating upsets of Texas A&M and Texas but they were whipped by Georiga and came up a two point conversion short of beating Ole Miss on the road. Last week Auburn won its 6th straight in the series. Bo Nix hit 21-26 vs an Ark D missing 3 starters and Jalen Catalon was OFY during game. Auburn led 14-10 H but Ark had a 16-10 FD edge as they settled for FG, missed a FG and was SOD at 18. Ark opened 3Q with 75/6 TD to lead 17-14 but 3:00 changed game as Ark QB Jefferson was sacked in EZ, fumbled and Auburn fell on it for TD. Ark was SOD at Aub 29 and Aub got 71 yd TD pass next play to lead 28-17. Up 28-23 Auburn went 63/9 for FG and 75/12 for TD for 38-23 road win. Arkansas is playing to an AGG of 114.6 and APB is at just 48.9 which is an amazing 73.35 difference. APBU has covered 4 in a row vs FBS teams as they have been a dog by an average of 53.8 and lost by an average of 42 ppg. Arkansas can name the score here but figure to rest banged up players and let backups play most of 2H. My computer has it at 60-0.

Arkansas 59 Arkansas Pine Bluff 0