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110 COASTAL CAROLINA

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112 ★ EAST CAROLINA

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115 UNLV
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117 IOWA
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118 WISCONSIN

119 BOWLING GREEN
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120 BUFFALO

121 DUKE
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123 MICHIGAN
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127 BOSTON COLLEGE
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130 GEORGIA SOUTHERN

131 IOWA ST
12:00 p.m.
132 WEST VIRGINIA

133 INDIANA
12:00 p.m.
134 MARYLAND

135 UTEP
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136 FAU

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145 VIRGINIA TECH
12:00 p.m.
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150 LIBERTY

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158 ★ UTAH

159 WASHINGTON ST
3:00 p.m.
160 ARIZONA ST

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164 USC

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3:00 p.m.
166 SAN JOSE ST

167 COLORADO
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168 OREGON

169 FIU
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170 MARSHALL

171 KANSAS
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173 LOUISIANA TECH
3:30 p.m.
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175 TEXAS ST
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176 LOUISIANA

177 SOUTHERN MISS
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178 MIDDLE TENNESSEE

179 ★ PURDUE
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182 VANDERBILT

183 TCU
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184 KANSAS ST

185 KENTUCKY
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186 ★ MISSISSIPPI ST

187 ★ TEXAS TECH
3:30 p.m.
188 ★ OKLAHOMA

HIGH SCORING POW

189 PENN ST
3:30 p.m.
190 OHIO ST

191 SMU
3:30 p.m.
192 HOUSTON

193 TEXAS
3:30 p.m.
194 BAYLOR

195 MISSISSIPPI
3:30 p.m.
196 AUBURN

197 GEORGIA
3:30 p.m.
198 FLORIDA

199 CINCINNATI
3:30 p.m.
200 TULANE

201 ULM
3:30 p.m.
202 APPALACHIAN ST

203 ARKANSAS ST
3:30 p.m.
204 SOUTH ALABAMA

205 CHARLOTTE
4:00 p.m.
206 WKU

207 BOISE ST
7:00 p.m.
208 COLORADO ST

209 NORTH CAROLINA
7:30 p.m.
210 NOTRE DAME

211 WASHINGTON
10:00 p.m.
212 STANFORD

213 FRESNO ST
10:30 p.m.
214 SAN DIEGO ST

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

★ (Over 66.5) Oklahoma/ Texas Tech

Troy 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	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	FOE DEF	FOE ST
0-0		0-0		122	87			9/4	Southern	55-3	W	80	81	94			
1-0	1-0	0-0	0-0	124	131			9/11	Liberty	13-21	L	86	82	76	32	52	79
1-1	1-1	0-0	0-0	124	112			9/18	at Southern Miss	21-9	W	84	81	102	114	76	17
2-1	1-1	0-0	0-0	124	94			9/25	at ULM	16-29	L	104	59	105	130	124	115
2-2	2-2	0-1	0-2	119	118			10/2	at South Carolina	14-23	L	105	67	94	78	40	47
2-3	2-3	0-1	1-1	118	115			10/9	GA Southern	27-24	W	110	62	104	99	113	73
3-3	2-3	1-1	1-0	118	105			10/16	at Texas St	31-28	W	110	53	112	114	110	99
4-3		2-1		117				10/23	Bye			101	54	121			
4-3	6-1	2-1	2-1	117	131			10/28	at Coastal Carolina			100	56	121	3	71	4
	4-3		1-3		107			11/6	South Alabama						86	83	110
	6-1		4-0		129			11/13	Louisiana						47	80	40
	5-2		2-1		125			11/20	Appalachian St						30	55	27
	3-4		2-1		116			11/27	at Georgia St						71	110	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
Southern	55-3	275	17	3	28	39-164	4.2	22-33	300	0	11	28-81	2.9	12-21	108	2
Liberty	13-21	-107	-9	-1	13	24-21	0.9	18-25	211	5	22	47-185	3.9	13-18	154	5
at Southern Miss	21-9	148	3	0	17	32-49	1.5	27-40	255	4	14	39--1	0.0	16-27	157	9
at ULM	16-29	88	3	0	18	23-67	2.9	35-49	311	3	15	41-122	3.0	11-19	168	2
at South Carolina	14-23	-54	2	-1	21	32-155	4.8	21-37	148	2	19	27-102	3.8	20-34	255	3
GA Southern	27-24	108	1	2	18	28-139	5.0	24-36	270	4	17	38-82	2.2	16-27	219	5
at Texas St	31-28	17	2	4	23	40-205	5.1	22-29	182	1	21	39-91	2.3	22-32	279	4
Bye																
at Coastal Carolina																
South Alabama																
Louisiana																
Appalachian St																
at Georgia St																
Average	25-20	67.9	2.7	1.0	20	31-114	3.7	67.9%	240	7.6%	17	37-95	2.6	61.8%	191	16.9%
Conference	25-27	71.0	2.0	2.0	20	30-137	4.5	71.1%	254	7.0%	18	39-98	2.5	62.8%	222	14.1%
Away	21-22	49.8	2.5	0.8	20	32-119	3.7	67.7%	224		17	37-79	2.2	61.6%	215	16.1%

OVERALL: 4-3 vs. SUN 2-1

OVERALL: 6-1 vs. SUN 2-1

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

Troy		Coastal Carolina
#106	Rush Off	#12
#58	Pass Off	#19
#97	**Total Off**	**#6**
#88	Score Off	#3
#89	Sks Allowed	#15
#13	Rush Def	#54
#23	Pass Def	#16
#7	**Total Def**	**#23**
#25	Score Def	#13
#1	Sks By	#61
#36	Ypg Diff	#4
+7	**Total TO's**	**+2**

Troy Trojans | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **Coastal Carolina Chanticleers**

Position by Position Edges

Troy		Coastal Carolina
	Troy QB/WR vs. Coastal Carolina DB's	0.37
	Troy RB's vs. Coastal Carolina LB's	1.61
	Troy OL vs. Coastal Carolina DL	0.70
0.32	Troy DL vs. Coastal Carolina OL	
	Troy LB'S vs. Coastal Carolina RB's	0.48
	Troy DB's vs. Coastal Carolina QB/WR	2.10
	Troy ST's vs. Coastal Carolina ST's	5.91
	Troy K vs. Coastal Carolina K	0.55
	Troy Coaches vs. Coastal Carolina Coaches	1.50
0.32	Troy Pts vs. Coastal Carolina Pts	13.21

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

Coastal Carolina

By 12.89 Points

Coastal Carolina Chanticleers

Chanticleers 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		127	103	22		9/4	The Citadel	52-14	W	35	40	87			
1-0	1-0	0-0	0-0	129	108	17		9/11	Kansas	49-22	W	17	50	97	124	116	41
2-0	1-1	0-0	0-0	129	116	16		9/18	at Buffalo	28-25	W	9	70	61	108	103	36
3-0	0-3	0-0	0-0	128	96	17		9/25	UMass	53-3	W	12	97	87	117	130	119
4-0	2-1	0-0	1-0	130	99	16		10/2	ULM	59-6	W	11	89	44	130	117	106
5-0	1-4	1-0	0-1	133	106	15		10/9	at Arkansas St	52-20	W	5	84	14	90	124	46
6-0		2-0		134		15		10/16	Bye			3	60	23			
6-0	4-2	2-0	1-1	134	122	14		10/23	at Appalachian St	27-30	L	2	61	14	38	59	24
6-1	4-3	2-1	2-1	131	117	24		10/30	Troy			3	71	4	100	56	121
	2-5		1-3		110			11/6	at GA Southern						108	115	45
	3-4		2-1		116			11/13	Georgia St						71	110	120
	2-5		1-2		106			11/20	Texas St						114	116	61
	4-3		1-3		107			11/27	at South Alabama						86	83	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
The Citadel	52-14	373	12	0	28	32-262	8.2	20-24	348	1	16	55-223	4.1	3-6	14	1
Kansas	49-22	50	11	0	27	40-215	5.4	17-21	245	1	16	38-172	4.5	15-30	238	6
at Buffalo	28-25	36	1	-1	21	42-212	5.0	13-19	232	3	20	47-262	5.6	13-21	146	0
UMass	53-3	400	17	0	30	45-312	6.9	15-25	246	0	13	24-28	1.2	18-30	130	3
ULM	59-6	354	16	0	26	42-275	6.5	21-24	282	0	10	31-72	2.3	13-24	131	2
at Arkansas St	52-20	412	7	1	23	36-294	8.2	22-27	391	0	16	17-18	1.1	20-41	255	4
Bye																
at Appalachian St	27-30	-229	-5	2	17	29-55	1.9	15-23	291	3	22	41-228	5.6	18-28	347	0
Troy																
at GA Southern																
Georgia St																
Texas St																
at South Alabama																
Average	46-17	199.4	8.4	0.3	25	38-232	6.1	75.5%	291	4.9%	16	36-143	4.0	55.6%	180	8.9%
Conference	46-19	179.0	6.0	1.0	22	36-208	5.8	78.4%	321	4.1%	16	30-106	3.6	54.8%	244	6.5%
Home	53-11	294.3	14.0	0.0	28	40-266	6.7	77.7%	280	2.1%	14	37-124	3.3	54.4%	128	13.3%

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

2020	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
Troy	-	52	38	29	26-89	34-55-354	
Coastal Carolina	11	-13.5	42	29	43-176	24-29-338	2
2019	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Troy	-	-1	35	27	32-115	28-35-385	
Coastal Carolina	-	60	36	27	39-191	32-45-285	0
2018	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Troy	-	-14.5	45	18	31-282	14-19-185	
Coastal Carolina	-	56.5	21	21	54-145	18-22-172	0
2017	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Troy	-	-17	42	24	36-122	21-33-259	
Coastal Carolina	-	52.5	17	16	37-94	14-28-164	-1

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Projected Box Score

Troy		Coastal Carolina
	Projected Rushing	
82 yards	Troy	Coastal Carolina 137 yards
	Projected Passing	
204 yards	Troy	Coastal Carolina 298 yards
	Projected Yardage Total	
286 yards	Troy	Coastal Carolina 436 yards
	Projected Final Score	
13 points	Troy	Coastal Carolina 37 points
	Experience Rankings	
22	Troy	Coastal Carolina 17
	Team Schedule Strength	
127	Troy	Coastal Carolina 127

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Coastal Carolina By 17
Las Vegas Total	51.5 Points
+/- Ratings	Coastal Carolina By 16.3
Game Grade	Coastal Carolina By 20.7
Computer Yards	Coastal Carolina 436-286
Computer Points	Coastal Carolina 37-13
Phil Steele	Coastal Carolina by 18

Phil's Forecast:

Coastal and Troy have split their 4 meetings as SBC foes and Troy is 3-1 ATS. This meeting has also gone 'Over' the total in all 4 previous games. Last year Coastal was off a huge national TV win over BYU and getting a ton of national attention and had the Sun Belt title game on deck so they were in a huge sandwich. Coastal led 14-3 at the end of 1Q and then led 21-16 at half (Troy 277-265 yd edge). Coastal went 83/18 to lead 28-16 late 3Q and then after an INT Coastal went 4/4 with 5:03 left to lead 35-23. Troy went 75/11 for TD then got an INT and went 40/7 for TD to led 38-35 with 1:20 left. Coastal went 75/5 in 45 seconds and got a 23 yd TD pass with 35 seconds left to pull out the win. Coastal is 4-1 ATS the L2Y in SBC home games while Troy is just 1-6 ATS under HC Lindsey as an away underdog. The previous 2 meetings have been decided by a total of 5 pts. Coastal opened a perfect 6-0 SU and 5-1 ATS winning by 34 ppg and +271 ypg. Last week they traveled to App St for a Wednesday showdown & jumped out to a 14-0 lead but were outgained 575-376 and lost on a FG at :00 30-27. Troy lost to Liberty at home 21-13 and was stunned by ULM then battled South Carolina but lost by 9 to open 2-3. They got narrow escapes vs Georgia Southern and Texas St both by 3 points and had a bye last week. Troy is holding foes to 286 ypg which is 38 ypg below their season avg, but Coastal does have a massive ST edge #14 vs #121. I think Coastal rebounds with a win against a tough Troy squad, but they are laying over 2 td's & every game Troy has played in has been decided by 13 pts or less. I'll put this one at the line.

Coastal Carolina 31 Troy 13

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	FOE 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	81			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	34-14	W	112	124	85	97	100	111
2-5	3-4	1-2	1-2	114	125			10/30	at East Carolina			104	119	50	64	79	81
	6-1		4-0		129			11/6	Houston						85	21	16
	7-0		3-0		144			11/13	Cincinnati						33	8	11
	1-6		0-3		114			11/20	at Tulane						73	117	96
	4-3		2-2		125			11/26	at UCF						34	78	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 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	34-14	295	26	1	34	73-421	5.8	15-21	105	0	8	14-48	3.4	12-21	183	1
at East Carolina																
Houston																
Cincinnati																
at Tulane																
at UCF																
Average	24-32	-112.6	-3.0	0.3	20	44-181	4.1	54.9%	170	4.9%	23	34-201	5.8	62.6%	263	1.8%
Conference	27-29	-33.0	-1.0	1.0	22	47-216	4.6	58.0%	161	7.2%	23	34-160	4.7	61.8%	250	1.0%
Away	15-40	-152.3	-7.0	-0.7	19	39-133	3.4	57.0%	192	3.8%	26	35-198	5.6	71.0%	279	1.1%

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

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

USF		East Carolina
#50	Rush Off	#77
#112	Pass Off	#33
#101	**Total Off**	**#53**
#97	Score Off	#67
#20	Sks Allowed	#118
#113	Rush Def	#66
#107	Pass Def	#117
#120	**Total Def**	**#103**
#107	Score Def	#84
#129	Sks By	#31
#119	Ypg Diff	#85
+2	**Total TO's**	**+1**

USF Bulls | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **East Carolina Pirates**

Position by Position Edges

USF		East Carolina
	USF QB/WR vs. East Carolina DB's	1.04
	USF RB's vs. East Carolina LB's	0.76
0.14	USF OL vs. East Carolina DL	
	USF DL vs. East Carolina OL	1.87
	USF LB'S vs. East Carolina RB's	0.61
	USF DB's vs. East Carolina QB/WR	0.36
0.17	USF ST's vs. East Carolina ST's	
	USF K vs. East Carolina K	0.50
	USF Coaches vs. East Carolina Coaches	0.95
0.32	USF Pts vs. East Carolina Pts	6.10

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

East Carolina

By 5.78 Points

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	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	90			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	24-31	L	55	84	47	72	25	13
3-4	2-5	1-2	1-2	125	114			10/30	USF			64	79	81	104	119	50
	3-4		1-2		107			11/6	Temple						103	107	104
	4-4		1-3		119			11/13	at Memphis						35	91	35
	1-6		1-4		119			11/20	at Navy						128	96	122
	7-0		3-0		144			11/27	Cincinnati						33	8	11

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	24-31	104	4	-2	20	35-82	2.3	23-37	278	4	16	36-87	2.4	19-29	169	5
USF																
Temple																
at Memphis																
at Navy																
Cincinnati																
Average	29-28	-7.1	-1.4	0.1	20	36-152	4.2	60.0%	269	10.2%	21	35-149	4.2	63.0%	279	7.5%
Conference	31-27	104.3	5.0	0.0	22	39-178	4.5	63.1%	266	9.7%	17	33-125	3.8	63.7%	214	8.8%
Home	30-28	-17.3	-5.5	0.8	18	35-169	4.9	57.9%	248	9.5%	23	36-145	4.0	62.7%	290	7.3%

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

2020	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
South Florida	-	-6	24	22	34-92	28-38-306	
East Carolina	-	57	44	21	47-210	17-26-222	2
2019	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
South Florida	-	-2	45	27	40-347	16-25-178	
East Carolina	-	51	20	22	38-102	19-29-222	-2
2018	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
South Florida	-	-21.5	20	9	32-115	12-20-181	
East Carolina	-	68.5	13	24	46-156	22-50-256	0
2017	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
South Florida	18	-21.5	61	25	50-390	13-21-185	
East Carolina	-	74	31	23	36-108	21-46-306	-1
2016	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
South Florida	-	-16	38	23	42-306	21-29-250	
East Carolina	-	66	22	24	35-168	33-56-308	0

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Projected Box Score

Projected Rushing

USF	East Carolina
158 yards	208 yards

Projected Passing

USF	East Carolina
179 yards	294 yards

Projected Yardage Total

USF	East Carolina
337 yards	503 yards

Projected Final Score

USF	East Carolina
23 points	35 points

Experience Rankings

USF	East Carolina
78	25

Team Schedule Strength

USF	East Carolina
73	62

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	E Carolina By 10
Las Vegas Total	56.5 Points
+/- Ratings	E Carolina By 14.3
Game Grade	E Carolina By 12.5
Computer Yards	E Carolina 503-337
Computer Points	E Carolina 35-23
Phil Steele	E Carolina by 20

Phil's Forecast:

The Pirates snapped their five-game losing skid to USF last year. ECU had lost their first two games of the year by 23 & 20 pts & were in search of first win. ECU flipped the script and beat the Bulls by 20, EC led 31-17 at half but USF had 14-11 FD edge but EC 75 yd TD pass and 42 yd TD run (after fum), 10/1 TD after P ran OOB while USF was also SOD at the 8. EC led 44-17 USF drive TD :31 left 44-24. Last time here ('19) USF was off a 35-3 (+15) blowout loss at Navy. USF scored 5 unanswered TD's in the 1H & took 35-10 lead into HT & cruised to a 45-20 win. East Carolina opened 3-3 with a road upset of Marshall and a near upset of UCF also on the road along with a 3-point loss to South Carolina. Last week I used East Carolina as a Best Bet and they had a 360-256 yard edge as a two TD dog in a game delayed 5 hours due to weather. EC led 10-3 but UH got a 99 yd KR TD, went 32/5 and 13/2 for TD's after fumbles and led 24-10 at half with EC having 205-139 yd edge. EC was SOD at the 30 & 38 but went 71/6 for TD then 16/2 for TD after a UH fumble to tie it 5:43 left. UH miss 49 yd FG but won in OT 31-24. The Pirates are playing to an AGG of 95.2 while USF is at 86.2 (ECar by 9.0). South Florida opened 1-5 SU but off a bye they did lead Tulsa 31-26 until Tulsa got a TD with :27 left to win 32-31 (Tulsa 535-268 yds). Last week USF topped 400 yds rush for 2nd time in schl history (421) and had 20-2 FD edge at half but only led 17-7 with Temple getting a 70 yd TD pass 4:29 left. Temple open 3Q with 75/8 TD 17-14 but USF 34-8 FD edge 526-231 yd edge pulled away and won 34-14 and were even SOD at Temple 10 & 11 yd lines. True frosh QB Timmy McClain (PS#71) has started the last 5 and is hitting 57% with just a 2-2 ratio. USF is a combined -76 ypg vs opp avg's and East Carolina is a combined +52 ypg vs opp avg. This is Mike Houston's 3rd year at EC but first time he is a home favorite vs an FBS team (1-2 ATS vs FCS as HF). EC RB Keaton Mitchell (677, 7.8) should find plenty of room vs a weak USF defensive front 7 that is allowing 201 (5.8) rush. South Florida is 3-4-1 ATS on the road under Scott with the covers coming in road losses of 2, 1, and 8 (BYU this year) points but the other 5 losses were by 35.4 ppg. A bowl is within grasp and the crowd should be excited for this Thursday night game and EC's defense is allowing just 340 ypg in AAC play. East Carolina has delivered me three straight Best Bet winners and I will ride with the underrated Pirates once again.

Best Bet: ★ East Carolina 37 USF 17

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	TEAM OFF	FOE 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	20-27	L	128	101	126	24	3	23
1-6	3-4	1-4	2-1	119	119			10/30	at Tulsa			128	96	122	45	66	129
	6-1		0-0		137			11/6	at Notre Dame						80	10	47
								11/13	Bye								
	3-4		1-2		125			11/20	East Carolina						64	79	81
	3-4		1-2		107			11/27	at Temple						103	107	104
								12/4	Bye								

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

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

Navy		Tulsa
#23	Rush Off	#47
#129	Pass Off	#28
#126	**Total Off**	**#22**
#121	Score Off	#87
#118	Sks Allowed	#60
#41	Rush Def	#53
#61	Pass Def	#109
#49	**Total Def**	**#91**
#106	Score Def	#108
#125	Sks By	#50
#112	Ypg Diff	#54
+2	**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
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	20-27	37	8	0	22	67-192	2.9	11-17	116	1	14	21-95	4.5	18-30	176	1
at Tulsa																
at Notre Dame																
Bye																
East Carolina																
at Temple																
Bye																
Average	18-32	-76.0	-0.4	0.3	17	60-211	3.5	48.5%	67	36.8%	18	34-131	3.9	64.5%	223	3.3%
Conference	23-30	-61.8	0.8	0.4	18	63-221	3.5	59.5%	76	26.2%	18	29-129	4.4	67.1%	230	2.9%
Away	19-32	-131.5	-1.5	0.0	16	59-194	3.3	57.1%	71	42.9%	18	34-160	4.7	69.8%	236	4.7%

Navy Midshipmen | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **Tulsa Golden Hurricane**

Position by Position Edges

Navy		Tulsa
	Navy QB/WR vs. Tulsa DB's	1.60
	Navy RB's vs. Tulsa LB's	1.45
	Navy OL vs. Tulsa DL	2.41
	Navy DL vs. Tulsa OL	1.01
	Navy LB'S vs. Tulsa RB's	0.37
	Navy DB's vs. Tulsa QB/WR	0.54
2.19	Navy ST's vs. Tulsa ST's	
1.55	Navy K vs. Tulsa K	
1.20	Navy Coaches vs. Tulsa Coaches	
4.94	Navy Pts vs. Tulsa Pts	7.37

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

Tulsa

By 2.43 Points

Tulsa Golden Hurricane

Golden Hurricane 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	UC Davis	17-19	L	51	39	129			
0-1	1-0	0-0	0-0	124	128			9/11	at Oklahoma St	23-28	L	44	51	74	53	41	68
0-2	1-1	0-0	1-0	124	141		9	9/18	at Ohio St	20-41	L	57	52	124	1	25	54
0-3	1-2	0-0	0-0	124	108			9/25	Arkansas St	41-34	W	63	72	117	78	113	83
1-3	3-1	0-0	1-0	122	122			10/2	Houston	10-45	L	35	59	124	89	56	18
1-4	3-2	0-1	0-1	117	121			10/9	Memphis	35-29	W	50	66	130	20	88	8
2-4	1-4	1-1	0-1	119	112			10/16	at USF	32-31	W	47	71	126	112	123	115
3-4		2-1		119				10/23	Bye			39	68	128			
3-4	1-6	2-1	1-4	119	119			10/30	Navy			45	66	129	128	96	122
	7-0		3-0		144			11/6	at Cincinnati						33	8	11
	1-6		0-3		114			11/13	at Tulane						73	117	96
	3-4		1-2		107			11/20	Temple						103	107	104
	7-0		3-0		131			11/27	at SMU						10	98	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
UC Davis	17-19	49	-6	-3	19	34-247	7.3	15-28	201	3	25	46-88	1.9	28-36	311	1
at Oklahoma St	23-28	34	-1	1	18	39-123	3.2	19-27	224	2	19	43-140	3.3	15-26	173	2
at Ohio St	20-41	-7	1	-1	25	28-73	2.6	31-54	428	2	24	41-323	7.9	15-25	185	2
Arkansas St	41-34	304	6	1	26	49-308	6.3	17-25	355	3	20	26-38	1.5	23-37	321	6
Houston	10-45	-116	-8	-2	14	28-31	1.1	20-39	258	4	22	33-144	4.4	19-29	261	0
Memphis	35-29	-197	-14	3	19	46-235	5.1	11-21	182	0	33	42-151	3.6	34-57	463	3
at USF	32-31	267	18	-2	31	49-269	5.5	22-39	266	0	13	31-113	3.6	11-26	155	3
Bye																
Navy																
at Cincinnati																
at Tulane																
Temple																
at SMU																
Average	25-32	47.7	-0.6	-0.4	22	39-184	4.7	57.9%	273	6.0%	22	37-142	3.8	61.4%	267	7.2%
Conference	26-35	-15.3	-1.3	-0.3	21	41-178	4.3	53.5%	235	4.0%	23	35-136	3.8	57.1%	293	5.4%
Home	26-32	10.0	-5.5	-0.3	20	39-205	5.2	55.8%	249	8.8%	25	37-105	2.9	65.4%	339	6.3%

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

2020	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
Navy	-	45.5	6	13	53-126	4-11-27	
Tulsa	22	-12	19	15	43-128	10-25-168	0
2019	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Navy	-	53	45	19	58-388	3-5-35	
Tulsa	-	E	17	16	29-69	23-48-254	1
2018	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Navy	-	-6	37	21	63-389	1-2-15	
Tulsa	-	51.5	29	22	44-164	19-28-206	-1
2017	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Navy	-	-8.5	31	24	68-421	3-4-90	
Tulsa	-	70.5	21	12	39-229	12-18-115	1
2016	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Navy	-	70.5	42	24	64-390	6-8-111	
Tulsa	-	-1	40	23	38-207	16-27-369	-1

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Projected Box Score

Projected Rushing

Navy		Tulsa
202 yards		150 yards

Projected Passing

Navy		Tulsa
56 yards		238 yards

Projected Yardage Total

Navy		Tulsa
257 yards		388 yards

Projected Final Score

Navy		Tulsa
21 points		26 points

Experience Rankings

Navy		Tulsa
102		69

Team Schedule Strength

Navy		Tulsa
8		56

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Tulsa By 11
Las Vegas Total	47 Points
+/- Ratings	Tulsa By 3.3
Game Grade	Tulsa By 8.8
Computer Yards	Tulsa 388-257
Computer Points	Tulsa 26-21
Phil Steele	Tulsa by 8

Phil's Forecast:

Last year Navy's home loss snapped a 17-game winning streak on Senior Day. Tulsa was tied 6-6 3Q when QB Smith lofted a long pass between 4 Navy defenders into the arms of WR Johnson who ran 40 yds for a 66 yd TD pass. Smith was just 10-25 but hit a 3&8 37 yd pass to set up a late FG in a 19-6 road win (-12) with the Tulsa D holding the Navy option to 153 total yards (Navy -4 yds in 1Q). Last time here ('19) Navy was a PK coming off a home upset 34-25 (+3) victory against rival Air Force. Midshipmen wasted no time, racing out to a 28-3 HT lead before closing out the 45-17 victory. Tulsa has the large edge of being off a bye giving them an extra week to prep for the option. Tulsa was in the AAC title game last year but opened 0-3. They did outgain Okla St (top ten LW) and only trailed Ohio St by 7 with 5:00 left in that game. Since then they are 3-1 with a disappointing home loss to Houston and 7, 6 and 1 point wins. Tulsa is +48 ypg but Navy has taken on the tougher schedule (#8 vs #56). Tulsa QB Davis Brin has thrown for 1914 (58%) but with just a 10-10 ratio. He did throw for 428 yards vs Ohio St. RB Shamari Brooks had just 46 ypg rush the first 3 but topped 100 in 3 of the last 4. Navy also opened 0-3 but were blown out twice. They did play that same Houston team within 28-20. Navy upset UCF and covered vs SMU both at home. They lost at Memphis by 17 and last week at home Navy was hosting a top 5 team for the first time s/1984. Navy led 7-0 and 10-7 and Cincy threw int deep in Navy territory but scored on next 4 poss. UC blkd a FG and had a big return for a 52 yd FG at :00 to lead 13-10 at half. Navy was SOD to open 3Q and Cincy 54/4 and 45/11 for TD's 27-10. Navy got FG 7:34 left then 90/16 for TD :50 then recover onside but int at 44 :25 left and Cincy escaped 27-20 with Navy having a 308-271 yd edge. While Navy is just 1-6 they are holding foes to 102 ypg below their season avg (Tulsa is 16 ypg below) vs a tougher schedule. Tulsa is playing to an AGG of 94.4 the last 4 weeks and Navy is at 97.3 (Navy by 2.9). Nine of Tulsa's last 14 wins (dating back to 2019) have been by single digits and Navy is 4-1 ATS since their bye all as DD dogs. Tulsa has an extra week to prepare for the option so I will call for the Hurricanes to win by 8.

Tulsa 28 Navy 20

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	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	20-27	L	123	123	120	111	62	56
0-7	5-2	0-3	2-1	108	128			10/30	at Nevada			122	120	119	62	73	21
	3-5		1-3		108			11/6	at New Mexico						124	75	84
	4-4		1-2		116			11/13	Hawaii						67	54	86
	7-0		3-0		129			11/20	San Diego St						90	17	2
	6-2		3-2		126			11/27	at Air Force						89	68	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
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	20-27	-94	-2	1	18	40-95	2.4	20-29	240	5	20	33-216	6.5	17-28	213	1
at Nevada																
at New Mexico																
Hawaii																
San Diego St																
at Air Force																
Average	20-34	-152.1	-9.6	-0.1	15	35-118	3.4	56.7%	178	15.6%	24	37-159	4.3	71.3%	289	3.0%
Conference	25-31	-77.3	-7.0	0.0	16	36-155	4.4	58.0%	211	12.3%	23	34-147	4.3	66.7%	296	2.9%
Away	19-33	-122.0	-8.7	-0.7	16	32-92	2.8	56.5%	221	17.6%	25	37-158	4.3	73.3%	277	2.0%

OVERALL: 0-7 **vs. MTW** 0-3

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

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

UNLV		Nevada
#101	Rush Off	#126
#109	Pass Off	#3
#122	**Total Off**	**#21**
#117	Score Off	#21
#125	Sks Allowed	#102
#79	Rush Def	#55
#123	Pass Def	#95
#114	**Total Def**	**#73**
#113	Score Def	#63
#123	Sks By	#3
#126	Ypg Diff	#35
-1	**Total TO's**	**+8**

UNLV Rebels | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **Nevada Wolf Pack**

Position by Position Edges

UNLV		Nevada
	UNLV QB/WR vs. Nevada DB's	0.79
	UNLV RB's vs. Nevada LB's	1.55
	UNLV OL vs. Nevada DL	1.60
	UNLV DL vs. Nevada OL	0.00
1.48	UNLV LB'S vs. Nevada RB's	
	UNLV DB's vs. Nevada QB/WR	3.39
	UNLV ST's vs. Nevada ST's	5.46
	UNLV K vs. Nevada K	1.85
	UNLV Coaches vs. Nevada Coaches	1.60
1.48	UNLV Pts vs. Nevada Pts	16.24

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

Nevada

By 14.75 Points

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	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			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	32-34	L	67	70	27	23	47	77
5-2	0-7	2-1	0-3	128	108			10/30	UNLV			62	73	21	122	120	119
	4-4		2-2		114			11/6	San Jose St						111	62	56
	7-0		3-0		129			11/13	at San Diego St						90	17	2
	6-2		3-2		126			11/20	Air Force						89	68	126
	3-4		2-1		123			11/27	at Colorado St						96	27	80

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	32-34	62	6	-1	30	21-47	2.2	49-61	476	5	24	30-205	6.8	26-38	256	1
UNLV																
San Jose St																
at San Diego St																
Air Force																
at Colorado St																
Average	36-25	69.7	1.7	1.1	23	26-80	3.1	70.2%	379	6.4%	21	28-144	5.1	64.0%	246	10.6%
Conference	36-27	43.0	2.7	2.3	24	30-86	2.9	70.1%	378	7.8%	22	31-138	4.5	65.6%	283	9.6%
Home	46-18	155.7	6.0	2.3	26	27-99	3.7	71.4%	433	4.8%	20	33-119	3.6	59.1%	257	15.0%

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

2020	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
UNLV	-	60	19	22	32-126	28-41-222	
Nevada	-	-13.5	37	22	27-147	21-27-350	0
2019	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
UNLV	-	52	33	15	34-183	16-22-229	
Nevada	-	-7	30	28	37-108	33-54-351	0
2018	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
UNLV	-	60.5	34	22	50-226	15-23-183	
Nevada	-	-14	29	19	27-169	27-45-295	-2
2017	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
UNLV	-	69	16	22	50-164	12-23-160	
Nevada	-	-3	23	18	29-117	25-34-294	-1
2016	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
UNLV	-	-10	10	14	34-182	9-22-121	
Nevada	-	62	45	27	49-318	15-23-193	1

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Projected Box Score

Projected Rushing

UNLV	Nevada
112 yards	96 yards

Projected Passing

UNLV	Nevada
165 yards	403 yards

Projected Yardage Total

UNLV	Nevada
276 yards	498 yards

Projected Final Score

UNLV	Nevada
18 points	39 points

Experience Rankings

UNLV	Nevada
77	7

Team Schedule Strength

UNLV	Nevada
24	87

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Nevada By 20.5
Las Vegas Total	58 Points
+/- Ratings	Nevada By 23.5
Game Grade	Nevada By 19.9
Computer Yards	Nevada 498-276
Computer Points	Nevada 39-18
Phil Steele	Nevada by 24

Phil's Forecast:

In-state rivalry started in 1969 & began playing for the Fremont Cannon a year later. These foes split the last 8 meetings. After getting upset the previous two year's the 'Pack rolled to a 37-19 (-13') win last season. UNLV dressed like Raiders in the Raiders stadium and Nev WR Doubs had 211 yds receiving. Nevada led 27-12 at half and had a 497-348 yard-edge. Last time here ('19) the Rebels (+7) led 27-13 in 4Q but allowed Nevada to tie game. In OT UNLV scored GW td to pull off the 33-30 upset. Nevada is 10-6 ATS as a HF. Nevada opened the year a strong 5-1 with outright road upsets of California and Boise State. Last week they had a MW West showdown at Fresno St and the first 4 poss were punts then Nev went 48/10 and 39/7 but settle for FG and were int at the 9. FSU went 75/3 and 91/10 for TD's to lead 14-3. Nev went 12/2 for TD (after fum) But then 52/10 and were SOD and trail 14-10 H. Each team score TD on first two 2H poss and FSU 46/8 FG and 39/9 FG 34-23. Nevada 58/7 38 yd FG 4:21 but fumble FSU 42 2:53 Nev 10 :53 goes 90/8 TD but missed the 2 point try and lost 34-32. QB Carson Strong has lost one of his top WR in Cooks to injury but has hit 70% with a 20-4 ratio. Nevada is +70 ypg while UNLV is -152 ypg but UNLV has taken on the tougher schedule (#22 vs #89). UNLV opened the year 0-6 SU but were 4-2 ATS only losing at Fresno by 8 and at UTSA by 7. Last week UNLV never trailed until 7:06 was left in game. UNLV led 17-3 in 2Q converting a pair of fumbles into 20 & 18 yd TD drives. SJSt was also SOD at 9 but went 56/14 for FG and 33/2 (after fum) for TD :02 left in half to pull to 17-13 but had 226-145 yd edge. UNLV open 3Q 57/11 FG 20-13. SJST SOD 38 then 88/11 TD to tie 14:21. UNLV 53/10 but 40 yd FG blkd. SJST 78/5 TD 7:06 left first lead 27-20. UNLV 72/19 but 3&2 at 11 :14 sack and clock ran out. UNLV switched to true frosh Cameron Friel (PS#130) and he threw for 102.5 ypg his first 2 but 218 ypg the last 3 in his starts with a 2-4 ratio overall. UNLV's OL has all'd 28 sks (15.6%) this ssn & Nev has 28 sks on the ssn. Nevada is in a Fresno/San Jose sandwich while UNLV does not have to travel far for this is a rivalry game that has had 5 upsets the last 8 meetings with the visitor 6-2 SU and ATS in that span. The Wolfpack are still the much more talented team and my computer has them by 21 and they are playing at an AGG of 103.4 but UNLV is at 87.7 which would be a 19.2 edge. In the end I think Nev's offense is too strong & the 'Pack win by 24 pts.

Nevada 42 UNLV 18

Iowa Hawkeyes

Hawkeyes 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	143	141	18	17	9/4	Indiana	34-6	W	64	22	4	30	8	58
1-0	1-0	1-0	0-0	147	142	10	9	9/11	at Iowa St	27-17	W	72	16	3	4	23	69
2-0	1-1	1-0	0-0	148	124	5		9/18	Kent St	30-7	W	103	7	10	64	123	111
3-0	1-2	1-0	0-0	148	118	5		9/25	Colorado St	24-14	W	101	3	5	93	117	86
4-0	4-0	1-0	1-0	144	127	5		10/2	at Maryland	51-14	W	104	2	5	13	16	35
5-0	5-0	2-0	2-0	148	145	3	4	10/9	Penn St	23-20	W	102	2	3	26	3	16
6-0	3-2	3-0	1-1	148	126	2		10/16	Purdue	7-24	L	105	2	5	68	34	78
6-1		3-1		143		11		10/23	Bye			104	2	7			
6-1	4-3	3-1	2-2	143	137	9		10/30	at Wisconsin			107	2	9	60	6	111
	3-4		1-3		123			11/6	at Northwestern						70	92	117
	5-2		3-1		133			11/13	Minnesota						65	18	75
	3-5		2-3		123			11/20	Illinois						97	63	76
	3-5		1-4		133			11/26	at Nebraska						16	32	127

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
Indiana	34-6	70	7	1	18	36-158	4.4	13-28	145	2	11	31-77	2.5	14-33	156	1
at Iowa St	27-17	-166	-10	4	11	39-67	1.7	11-21	106	4	21	27-87	3.2	24-43	252	2
Kent St	30-7	154	4	0	21	38-206	5.4	26-37	212	0	17	41-79	1.9	16-23	185	7
Colorado St	24-14	28	0	0	12	32-54	1.7	15-23	224	3	12	48-95	2.0	16-30	155	3
at Maryland	51-14	157	10	7	24	42-145	3.5	23-38	283	2	14	17-97	5.7	21-37	174	0
Penn St	23-20	18	0	3	18	45-110	2.4	17-31	195	3	18	33-107	3.2	22-46	180	1
Purdue	7-24	-193	-7	-3	17	30-76	2.5	17-32	195	4	24	33-86	2.6	31-43	378	1
Bye																
at Wisconsin																
at Northwestern																
Minnesota																
Illinois																
at Nebraska																
Average	28-15	9.7	0.6	1.7	17	37-117	3.1	58.1%	194	8.6%	17	33-90	2.7	56.5%	211	5.9%
Conference	29-16	13.0	2.5	2.0	19	38-122	3.2	54.3%	205	8.5%	17	29-92	3.2	55.3%	222	1.9%
Away	39-16	-4.5	0.0	5.5	18	41-106	2.6	57.6%	195	10.2%	18	22-92	4.2	56.3%	213	2.5%

OVERALL:	OVERALL:
6-1	4-3
vs. BIG 10	vs. BIG 10
3-1	2-2

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

Iowa		Wisconsin
#102	Rush Off	#20
#99	Pass Off	#122
#119	**Total Off**	**#89**
#73	Score Off	#109
#82	Sks Allowed	#50
#7	Rush Def	#1
#48	Pass Def	#10
#12	**Total Def**	**#2**
#3	Score Def	#16
#71	Sks By	#43
#78	Ypg Diff	#10
+12	**Total TO's**	**-8**

Iowa Hawkeyes | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **Wisconsin Badgers**

Position by Position Edges

Iowa		Wisconsin
	Iowa QB/WR vs. Wisconsin DB's	1.97
	Iowa RB's vs. Wisconsin LB's	3.57
	Iowa OL vs. Wisconsin DL	1.08
0.41	Iowa DL vs. Wisconsin OL	
0.66	Iowa LB'S vs. Wisconsin RB's	
3.75	Iowa DB's vs. Wisconsin QB/WR	
4.04	Iowa ST's vs. Wisconsin ST's	
	Iowa K vs. Wisconsin K	
0.20	Iowa Coaches vs. Wisconsin Coaches	
9.07	Iowa Pts vs. Wisconsin Pts	6.63

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

Iowa

By 2.44 Points

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	--PS RANK-- OFF	FOE 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	30-13	W	64	9	100	62	21	106
4-3	6-1	2-2	3-1	137	143		9	10/30	Iowa			60	6	111	107	2	9
	3-4		0-4		122			11/6	at Rutgers						101	60	3
	3-4		1-3		123			11/13	Northwestern						70	92	117
	3-5		1-4		133			11/20	Nebraska						16	32	127
	5-2		3-1		133			11/27	at Minnesota						65	18	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
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	30-13	136	-3	3	14	51-290	5.7	5-8	52	2	17	24--13	-0.5	27-38	219	6
Iowa																
at Rutgers																
Northwestern																
Nebraska																
at Minnesota																
Average	21-18	140.4	8.6	-1.1	21	47-217	4.6	55.2%	146	8.0%	12	28-53	1.9	55.6%	170	9.1%
Conference	20-17	110.3	8.3	-1.0	21	51-225	4.4	55.2%	126	11.5%	13	25-44	1.8	54.8%	197	6.7%
Home	20-19	94.3	10.8	-1.3	21	47-192	4.1	60.0%	158	10.5%	11	33-89	2.7	57.3%	166	5.6%

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

2020	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
Iowa	19	41.5	28	13	32-127	14-25-211	
Wisconsin	25	-2	7	11	33-56	20-38-169	-1
2019	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Iowa	18	38	22	15	23-87	17-28-208	
Wisconsin	16	-8.5	24	24	46-300	16-25-173	-1
2018	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Iowa	-	42.5	17	19	31-148	14-23-256	
Wisconsin	18	-3	28	19	44-210	17-22-205	3
2017	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Iowa	25	44	14	5	26-25	8-24-41	
Wisconsin	6	-11.5	38	18	49-247	11-18-135	-1
2016	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Iowa	-	42.5	9	14	27-83	17-33-153	
Wisconsin	10	-4	17	20	48-167	15-25-256	-1

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Projected Box Score

Projected Rushing		
8 yards	Iowa	Wisconsin 194 yards
Projected Passing		
137 yards	Iowa	Wisconsin 133 yards
Projected Yardage Total		
145 yards	Iowa	Wisconsin 326 yards
Projected Final Score		
18 points	Iowa	Wisconsin 18 points
Experience Rankings		
112	Iowa	Wisconsin 60
Team Schedule Strength		
11	Iowa	Wisconsin 6

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Wisconsin By 3.5
Las Vegas Total	36.5 Points
+/- Ratings	Iowa By 0.8
Game Grade	Wisconsin By 10.1
Computer Yards	Wisconsin 326-145
Computer Points	Tie 18-18
Phil Steele	Wisconsin by 4

Phil's Forecast:

The Hawkeyes are 4-3 SU (6-1 ATS) in Madison S/'03! Last time here ('19), Iowa came in allowing just 10.1 ppg (lowest under HC Ferentz) but gave up a ssn-high 24 and were outgained 473-295 in a 2-pt loss (+8'). UW has won 7 of the last 9 meetings but last year but had a 4-gm win streak in the series end in Iowa City. The Badgers scored just 7 points, marking the 3rd consecutive gm (all losses) that the UW offense scored in single digits (7, 6, 7). The first half had 13 combined punts and Iowa got 30 & 45 yd FG's to lead 6-0. The snow picked up in 2H and so did the offense. Iowa led 14-0 but fumbled a punt and UW went 25/3 for TD. Iowa got a 53 yd TD pass but their P dropped a snap setting up UW at Iowa 5 with 6:02 left. UW was 4&G int in EZ and next play Iowa got 80 yd TD run by Goodson 28-7. The visitor is 9-5 SU and 10-4 ATS in the series. This game features two of the nation's best defenses. Despite their 3-3 start the Badgers were +141 ypg overall as the defense was holding foes to 176 ypg below their season avg and allowing just 226 ypg. Last week Wisconsin won their 15th straight vs Purdue and had a 342-206 yard edge. Down 10-7 Purdue got a 56 yd FR TD 6:13. UW's Torchio got a 37 yd IR to the 1 but UW settled for FG 13-13 H. Wisconsin had a 290-(-13) yd edge and got a 17-0 2H shutout for a 30-13 road win with Purdue ranked for first time since '07. Iowa's defense was holding foes to 164 ypg below their season avg in the Hawkeyes climb to #2 AP but Purdue went into Iowa City and had a 464-271 yd edge in a 24-7 home loss. Iowa had last week off to lick its wounds and Kirk Ferentz is 55-35-3 ATS off a SU Loss. QB Spencer Petras has thrown for 1333 (59.5%, 9-6) and Tyler Goodson is the team's best offensive weapon with 586 (4.3) rush and 178 (9.9) rec. Much was expected of QB Graham Mertz but he has thrown for just 55.9% with a 2-7 ratio. Iowa has taken on the #10 schedule and Wisconsin is #4 but the key here is Wisconsin is +140 ypg and Iowa is just +10 ypg with Wisky -8 in TO's and Iowa was +15 in TO's until they were -3 vs Purdue. Iowa does have a large ST edge (#7 vs #100). My computer has the game 18-18 but the Badgers having a 326-146 yard edge. Naturally this will be a low scoring game but Badgers are stronger at line of scrimmage as long as Mertz does not implode with turnovers they should be able to grab the home win.

Wisconsin 20 Iowa 16

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	FOE 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	24-55	L	126	90	12	108	107	1
2-6	4-4	0-4	2-2	97	117			10/30	at Buffalo			125	101	49	88	72	89
								11/6	Bye								
	4-4		2-2		123			11/13	Toledo						93	37	36
	4-4		3-1		120			11/20	at Miami, OH						92	97	91
	1-7		1-3		108			11/27	Ohio						95	122	71

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	24-55	-81	-5	-1	19	27-130	4.8	21-39	244	1	24	39-130	3.3	25-32	325	1
at Buffalo																
Bye																
Toledo																
at Miami, OH																
Ohio																
Average	20-29	-45.3	-5.9	-0.4	16	28-79	2.8	59.5%	236	7.4%	22	47-191	4.1	60.3%	170	8.3%
Conference	23-38	-35.3	-4.5	-1.5	18	29-113	3.9	54.0%	250	6.8%	23	48-207	4.3	68.8%	191	5.4%
Away	17-27	-86.0	-8.3	0.3	15	26-68	2.6	55.3%	214	7.5%	23	56-274	4.9	49.3%	94	9.6%

OVERALL:	OVERALL:
2-6	4-4
vs. MAC	vs. MAC
0-4	2-2

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

Bowling Green		Buffalo
#127	Rush Off	#33
#64	Pass Off	#80
#117	**Total Off**	**#57**
#118	Score Off	#35
#109	Sks Allowed	#4
#104	Rush Def	#109
#9	Pass Def	#40
#52	**Total Def**	**#85**
#92	Score Def	#68
#50	Sks By	#3
#99	Ypg Diff	#75
-3	**Total TO's**	**+2**

Bowling Green Falcons | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **Buffalo Bulls**

Position by Position Edges

Bowling Green		Buffalo
	Bowling Green QB/WR vs. Buffalo DB's	1.61
	Bowling Green RB's vs. Buffalo LB's	2.31
	Bowling Green OL vs. Buffalo DL	0.65
	Bowling Green DL vs. Buffalo OL	1.21
	Bowling Green LB'S vs. Buffalo RB's	0.36
0.98	Bowling Green DB's vs. Buffalo QB/WR	
	Bowling Green ST's vs. Buffalo ST's	1.05
	Bowling Green K vs. Buffalo K	2.25
0.75	Bowling Green Coaches vs. Buffalo Coaches	
1.73	Bowling Green Pts vs. Buffalo Pts	9.46

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

Buffalo

By 7.72 Points

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	45-10	W	93	78	98	120	125	130
4-4	2-6	2-2	0-4	117	97			10/30	Bowling Green			88	72	89	125	101	49
	4-4		3-1		120			11/9	at Miami, OH						92	97	91
								11/13	Bye								
	6-2		4-0		118			11/17	Northern Illinois						78	113	72
	4-4		2-2		121			11/23	at Ball St						115	94	25

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	45-10	180	6	3	25	49-231	4.7	17-22	253	0	19	45-229	5.1	7-19	75	11
Bowling Green																
at Miami, OH																
Bye																
Northern Illinois																
at Ball St																
Average	32-26	11.4	2.0	0.3	23	43-200	4.6	62.2%	215	1.7%	21	43-195	4.5	40.1%	208	9.9%
Conference	32-27	-13.0	1.0	0.0	25	43-197	4.6	63.0%	226	3.4%	24	46-226	5.0	29.6%	209	8.5%
Home	35-21	72.0	4.3	-0.3	23	43-204	4.8	66.3%	204	2.1%	18	42-170	4.0	28.0%	166	7.1%

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

2020	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
Bowling Green	-	58	17	22	44-180	17-27-219	
Buffalo	-	-30.5	42	23	48-396	7-12-74	1
2019	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Bowling Green	-	53.5	7	9	35-106	7-18-81	
Buffalo	-	-28.5	49	23	51-455	10-15-131	0
2018	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Bowling Green	-	61	14	6	19-58	9-18-147	
Buffalo	-	-14.5	44	30	62-332	12-22-151	1
2017	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Bowling Green	-	60	28	21	30-100	28-43-294	
Buffalo	-	-8	38	26	40-176	23-37-406	1
2016	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Bowling Green	-	-13.5	27	27	67-346	12-21-146	
Buffalo	-	59.5	19	20	32-67	20-36-334	0

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Projected Box Score

Projected Rushing

103 yards	Bowling Green	Buffalo	226 yards

Projected Passing

186 yards	Bowling Green	Buffalo	177 yards

Projected Yardage Total

289 yards	Bowling Green	Buffalo	403 yards

Projected Final Score

17 points	Bowling Green	Buffalo	34 points

Experience Rankings

126	Bowling Green	Buffalo	114

Team Schedule Strength

107	Bowling Green	Buffalo	123

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Buffalo By 13.5
Las Vegas Total	51.5 Points
+/- Ratings	Buffalo By 23.8
Game Grade	Buffalo By 12.2
Computer Yards	Buffalo 403-289
Computer Points	Buffalo 34-17
Phil Steele	Buffalo by 8

Phil's Forecast:

First met in 2000, when BG lost 20-17 as a 20 pt AF. The Falcons won 11 of the next 13 (6-7 ATS) but has dropped last 4 (1-3 ATS). Last time here BG was a 28' pt AD & "only" trailing 35-7 at HT but lost 49-7. Buffalo has won 4 straight (3-1 ATS) by an avg 43-17. Last year Jaret Patterson who rushed for a school record 298 yds and a MAC record 6 TD's vs BG in 2019 and reset the school record with 31-301 in 2020. Buffalo led 21-3 at half and 35-3 after 3Q but BG went 76/13 and 55/10 for 4Q TD's. Patterson got a 57 yds for TD 2:08 left but has moved on to the NFL (Wash). Buffalo is 13-4-1 ATS as a HF the last 5 years but while BG started 0-9 ATS as an AD under Loeffler, in 2021 they are a perfect 4-0 ATS as an AD. With little was expected from them BG opened up just 2-6, but upset Minnesota and were actually started 6-0 ATS as an underdog (lost outright to Akron as a HF). Buffalo opened 3-4 but needed Old Dominion to miss an xp (won by 1) and trailed Ohio 21-0 and 26-10 before getting a FG at :00 for only lead of game in 27-26 win. Last week vs Akron, Buffalo had tm record 11 sacks and QB Kyle Vantrease threw for 241 yds. Buffalo led 17-10 then went 75/11 for TD :51 left 24-10 H. UB open 3Q with 73/10, 8/4 (after fum) and 47/4 (after int) for TD's on first 3 drives 45-10 after 3Q. Akron fumbled at UB 5 & was SOD at UB 18 in 4Q. Buffalo had a 484-304 yd edge. For the season, Vantrease has thrown for 1672 (63%, 8-4). Last year BG's QB Matt McDonald was banged up & was the FBS's worst QB. Now healthy, he has thrown for 1672 (61%, 6-7). Last week BG led 3-0 after 1Q and 10-7 but EM scored 3 TD's in both the 2Q and 3Q to pull away 45-17. EM led 14-10 when they blocked at punt for a TD and in 3Q BG fumble a KR setting up a 16/1 TD. Down 55-17 BG 81/9 for TD :58 left. The biggest difference in the teams this year (last year Buffalo best team in MAC and BG was worst) is the defense as Buffalo has gone from holding foes to 48 ypg below their season avg to allowing 31 ypg above. BG allowed 476 ypg last year and is allowing just 360 ypg this year. Buffalo has a MAC East showdown with Miami in deck. I look for BG to do what they have done all year cover as a 9+ pt dog (5-0) ATS.

Buffalo 31 Bowling Green 23

Duke Blue Devils

Blue Devils 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	114	108			9/4	at Charlotte	28-31	L	105	102	11	121	113	103
0-1		0-0		112				9/11	North Carolina A&T	48-17	W	80	104	45			
1-1	1-1	0-0	0-1	114	124			9/18	Northwestern	30-23	W	55	100	21	92	72	48
2-1	1-2	0-0	0-1	117	105			9/25	Kansas	52-33	W	25	86	17	127	122	85
3-1	2-2	0-0	1-2	117	134			10/2	at North Carolina	7-38	L	15	97	22	17	63	99
3-2	2-3	0-1	1-2	115	124			10/9	Georgia Tech	27-31	L	18	90	35	62	71	109
3-3	4-2	0-2	2-2	115	131			10/16	at Virginia	0-48	L	20	89	49	53	98	103
3-4		0-3		111				10/23	Bye			26	86	56			
3-4	7-0	0-3	4-0	111	131		13	10/30	at Wake Forest			28	85	62	29	95	5
	6-1		3-0		134			11/6	Pittsburgh						15	20	93
	3-4		1-2		122			11/13	at Virginia Tech						102	34	6
	4-3		2-2		129			11/20	Louisville						38	65	33
	3-4		1-2		130			11/27	Miami, Fl						46	28	60

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 Charlotte	28-31	102	3	-2	23	44-352	8.0	20-29	228	3	20	40-154	3.9	19-30	324	1
North Carolina A&T	45-17	169	5	0	24	38-150	3.9	22-33	283	1	19	48-208	4.3	12-21	56	0
Northwestern	30-23	151	4	2	26	53-208	3.9	32-45	350	1	22	32-147	4.6	19-39	260	2
Kansas	52-33	77	6	0	27	52-279	5.4	22-29	328	0	21	40-207	5.2	19-32	323	1
at North Carolina	7-38	-142	-6	-2	15	39-130	3.3	17-24	184	5	21	38-135	3.6	18-32	321	5
Georgia Tech	27-31	49	10	1	27	62-197	3.2	22-29	292	1	17	39-143	3.7	12-25	297	1
at Virginia	0-48	-203	-11	-3	18	35-110	3.1	28-46	215	1	29	33-164	5.0	25-46	364	3
Bye																
at Wake Forest																
Pittsburgh																
at Virginia Tech																
Louisville																
Miami, Fl																
Average	27-32	29.0	1.6	-0.6	23	46-204	4.4	69.4%	269	5.1%	21	39-165	4.3	55.1%	278	5.8%
Conference	11-39	-98.7	-2.3	-1.3	20	45-146	3.2	67.7%	230	7.1%	22	37-147	4.0	53.4%	327	8.7%
Away	12-39	-81.0	-4.7	-2.3	19	39-197	5.0	65.7%	209	9.1%	23	37-151	4.1	57.4%	336	8.3%

OVERALL: 3-4
vs. ACC 0-3

OVERALL: 7-0
vs. ACC 4-0

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

Duke		Wake Forest
#29	Rush Off	#54
#34	Pass Off	#16
#13	**Total Off**	**#16**
#76	Score Off	#5
#42	Sks Allowed	#20
#85	Rush Def	#118
#116	Pass Def	#67
#109	**Total Def**	**#106**
#103	Score Def	#71
#85	Sks By	#31
#65	Ypg Diff	#63
-4	**Total TO's**	**+10**

Duke Blue Devils | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **Wake Forest Demon Deacons**

Position by Position Edges

Duke		Wake Forest
0.86	Duke QB/WR vs. Wake Forest DB's	
0.54	Duke RB's vs. Wake Forest LB's	
0.91	Duke OL vs. Wake Forest DL	
	Duke DL vs. Wake Forest OL	0.60
0.36	Duke LB'S vs. Wake Forest RB's	
	Duke DB's vs. Wake Forest QB/WR	0.97
	Duke ST's vs. Wake Forest ST's	1.67
0.85	Duke K vs. Wake Forest K	
0.85	Duke Coaches vs. Wake Forest Coaches	
4.36	Duke Pts vs. Wake Forest Pts	3.24

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

Duke

By 1.12 Points

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	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	70-56	W	42	74	6	86	48	70
7-0	3-4	4-0	0-3	131	111	13		10/30	Duke			29	95	5	28	85	62
	4-3		3-3		131			11/6	at North Carolina						20	53	68
	5-2		2-1		134			11/13	NC State						41	14	79
	4-3		3-2		132			11/20	at Clemson						68	4	67
	4-3		0-3		123			11/27	at Boston College						77	86	22

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	70-56	43	-9	2	22	23-180	7.8	23-39	458	0	31	70-416	5.9	10-13	179	1
Duke																
at North Carolina																
NC State																
at Clemson																
at Boston College																
Average	43-26	32.1	-1.4	1.4	23	40-172	4.3	61.1%	297	3.9%	25	44-208	4.8	59.9%	229	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%
Home	39-19	75.8	4.5	1.5	24	44-182	4.2	62.8%	256	5.4%	19	38-148	3.9	61.0%	214	8.5%

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

2019	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
Duke	-	50	27	13	31-127	14-23-163	
Wake Forest	-	-6.5	39	26	66-334	14-25-284	3
2018	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Duke	-	-10.5	7	16	34-106	17-36-145	
Wake Forest	-	60.5	59	29	57-340	18-23-177	4
2017	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Duke	-	59	31	22	45-97	25-44-346	
Wake Forest	-	-11	23	14	35-145	16-34-191	0
2016	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Duke	-	-6.5	14	21	30-37	31-48-332	
Wake Forest	-	44	24	13	49-239	9-16-150	1

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Projected Box Score

	Projected Rushing	
187 yards	Duke	Wake Forest 190 yards
	Projected Passing	
267 yards	Duke	Wake Forest 351 yards
	Projected Yardage Total	
454 yards	Duke	Wake Forest 541 yards
	Projected Final Score	
22 points	Duke	Wake Forest 48 points
	Experience Rankings	
116	Duke	Wake Forest 27
	Team Schedule Strength	
98	Duke	Wake Forest 82

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Wake Forest By 17
Las Vegas Total	70 Points
+/- Ratings	Wake Forest By 23.3
Game Grade	Wake Forest By 15.6
Computer Yards	Wake Forest 541-454
Computer Points	Wake Forest 48-22
Phil Steele	Wake Forest by 28

Phil's Forecast:

Since 2000, WF holds a 15-5 record in series and have won 3 of the last 4. Last time here in '19's road finale, Duke needed win to keep bowl hopes alive, were on a 4-game losing streak. They were held to 1 FD in first 29 minutes but led 27-26 4Q thanks to 2 KR TD's. WF scored final 13 pts. Last year was first time they didn't play since 1943. The home team is 2-7 SU (3-5-1 ATS). WF has won 3 straight home games vs ACC Coastal foes. WF is 11-7 ATS as a HF the last 5 years. Duke is fresh off a bye while Wake just faced the chop blocking of Army. Wake opened a perfect 6-0 SU and was ranked #16. Last week they traveled to Army and Sam Hartman threw for a Michie stadium record 458 yds. Both teams scored at will with WF leading by 7 or 14. WF led 28-21 at half and leading 63-49 Army fumbled and WF broke the trading of TD's with 62/4 drive 70-49 then Army went 65/3 for TD :39 left, 70-56. QB Sam Hartman has thrown for 2,067 yards (65%, 19-3). Duke opened 3-1 but then lost 3 in a row by 30.6 ppg and are 0-3 SU/ATS on the road. RB Durant has 870 rush (5.2) but was held to just 82 yds by Virginia LW. While the teams have faced similar schedules (#98 vs #83) Duke is actually +29 ypg and Wake is +30 ypg but Duke is -81 ypg on the road while WF is +76 ypg at home. Wake has a good sized edge on ST's (#6 vs #56). Interestingly WF despite those aforementioned stats is playing to an AGG of 106.8 the L4W and Duke is at 89.7 the L4W (WF by 17.1).

Wake Forest 48 Duke 20

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	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	33-7	W	8	14	3	58	94	102
7-0	7-0	4-0	4-0	143	136	6	8	10/30	at Michigan St			8	11	12	21	25	32
	2-5		0-4		126			11/6	Indiana						105	44	54
	5-2		2-2		140			11/13	at Penn St						58	7	19
	4-3		1-3		119			11/20	at Maryland						39	51	74
	6-1		4-0		153			11/27	Ohio St						1	5	26

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	33-7	224	18	0	28	54-294	5.4	23-32	163	1	10	23-100	4.3	16-32	133	1
at Michigan St																
Indiana																
at Penn St																
at Maryland																
Ohio St																
Average	38-14	144.7	6.4	0.9	22	46-253	5.5	62.7%	190	1.8%	16	33-116	3.5	54.6%	182	6.8%
Conference	31-17	82.5	5.5	1.0	21	45-181	4.1	61.5%	209	1.7%	16	32-120	3.7	55.3%	187	7.9%
Away	35-23	91.5	5.0	1.5	21	43-158	3.7	58.0%	254	1.4%	16	32-92	2.9	56.9%	229	13.7%

OVERALL:	OVERALL:
7-0	7-0
vs. BIG 10	vs. BIG 10
4-0	4-0

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

Michigan		Michigan St
#5	Rush Off	#32
#103	Pass Off	#49
#35	**Total Off**	**#26**
#15	Score Off	#27
#2	Sks Allowed	#28
#23	Rush Def	#30
#19	Pass Def	#121
#11	**Total Def**	**#87**
#2	Score Def	#18
#77	Sks By	#8
#8	Ypg Diff	#57
+6	**Total TO's**	**+5**

Michigan Wolverines | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **Michigan St Spartans**

Position by Position Edges

Michigan		Michigan St
	Michigan QB/WR vs. Michigan St DB's	0.44
0.84	Michigan RB's vs. Michigan St LB's	
1.20	Michigan OL vs. Michigan St DL	
	Michigan DL vs. Michigan St OL	0.06
0.79	Michigan LB'S vs. Michigan St RB's	
1.09	Michigan DB's vs. Michigan St QB/WR	
	Michigan ST's vs. Michigan St ST's	0.47
	Michigan K vs. Michigan St K	0.20
1.90	Michigan Coaches vs. Michigan St Coaches	
5.81	Michigan Pts vs. Michigan St Pts	1.17

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

Michigan

By 4.65 Points

Michigan 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	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	124	132			9/4	at Northwestern	38-21	W	78	90	116	89	53	74
1-0		1-0		129				9/11	Youngstown St	42-14	W	70	84	119			
2-0	1-1	1-0	0-0	128	131		24	9/18	at Miami, Fl	38-17	W	35	84	113	13	31	49
3-0	2-2	1-0	0-1	133	131	20		9/25	Nebraska	23-20	W	16	58	123	33	26	130
4-0	1-2	2-0	0-0	133	119	17		10/2	WKU	48-31	W	27	58	87	65	95	41
5-0	3-2	2-0	0-2	133	130	11		10/9	at Rutgers	31-13	W	24	53	68	98	38	7
6-0	2-3	3-0	0-2	136	130	10		10/16	at Indiana	20-15	W	17	49	77	92	36	38
7-0		4-0		136		9		10/23	Bye			22	34	51			
7-0	7-0	4-0	4-0	136	143	8	6	10/30	Michigan			21	25	32	8	11	12
	4-3		2-2		127			11/6	at Purdue						82	33	105
	4-3		1-3		119			11/13	Maryland						39	51	74
	6-1		4-0		153			11/20	at Ohio St						1	5	26
	5-2		2-2		140			11/27	Penn St						58	7	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
at Northwestern	38-21	111	3	-1	23	37-326	8.8	15-26	185	2	20	38-117	3.1	30-43	283	3
Youngstown St	42-14	291	5	0	25	38-272	7.2	20-28	323	0	20	45-167	3.7	16-32	137	2
at Miami, Fl	38-17	14	-6	4	23	41-193	4.7	18-31	261	3	29	24-52	2.2	38-60	388	3
Nebraska	23-20	-186	-14	1	12	30-71	2.4	14-23	183	3	26	48-188	3.9	25-36	252	7
WKU	48-31	-41	-5	1	26	43-192	4.5	20-30	327	0	31	26-72	2.8	46-65	488	3
at Rutgers	31-13	214	2	-1	20	38-251	6.6	16-27	340	0	18	36-110	3.1	21-40	267	4
at Indiana	20-15	-81	-10	1	13	35-100	2.9	15-27	141	2	23	36-134	3.7	28-52	188	3
Bye																
Michigan																
at Purdue																
Maryland																
at Ohio St																
Penn St																
Average	34-19	46.0	-3.6	0.7	20	37-201	5.4	61.5%	251	5.2%	24	36-120	3.3	62.2%	286	7.6%
Conference	28-17	14.5	-4.8	0.0	17	35-187	5.3	58.3%	212	6.8%	22	40-137	3.5	60.8%	248	9.9%
Home	38-22	21.3	-4.7	0.7	21	37-178	4.8	66.7%	278	3.7%	26	40-142	3.6	65.4%	292	9.0%

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

2020	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
Michigan	13	-22	24	28	34-152	32-52-300	
Michigan St	-	52	27	20	38-126	17-32-323	0
2019	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Michigan	14	-13.5	44	25	34-83	24-33-384	
Michigan St	-	44.5	10	16	30-54	17-30-166	-1
2018	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Michigan	6	-7	21	19	53-183	14-25-212	
Michigan St	24	40	7	11	23-15	7-28-79	1
2017	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Michigan	7	-10.5	10	17	39-102	16-35-198	
Michigan St	-	40.5	14	13	40-158	11-22-94	5
2016	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Michigan	2	-25	32	24	42-192	16-25-244	
Michigan St	-	52.5	23	23	42-217	13-28-184	0

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Projected Box Score

Michigan		Michigan St
	Projected Rushing	
198 yards	Michigan	144 yards
	Projected Passing	
240 yards	Michigan	243 yards
	Projected Yardage Total	
438 yards	Michigan	387 yards
	Projected Final Score	
28 points	Michigan	25 points
	Experience Rankings	
120	Michigan	90
	Team Schedule Strength	
19	Michigan	48

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Michigan By 4
Las Vegas Total	50.5 Points
+/- Ratings	Michigan By 3.0
Game Grade	Michigan By 8.5
Computer Yards	Michigan 438-387
Computer Points	Michigan 28-25
Phil Steele	Michigan by 7

Phil's Forecast:

Mich St has won 9 of the last 13 in the series since the Little Brother comment. Last year the Spartans won for the 5th time in their last 7 trips to Ann Arbor and gave Mel Tucker his 1st win as MSU's HC with a 27-24 road win as a 22-pt away dog! Michigan has won 3 of the last 5. Last time here ('18), UM held MSU to just 15 rush yds (outgained them 395-94) and a comb 0-13 on 3rd & 4th down in a steady rain (75-min delay) in a 21-7 win (7 pts fewest for MSU in series S/'02). Last year Mel Tucker became just the 2nd Spartan coach to beat Michigan in his first attempt (Saban – 1997) as Rocky Lombardi threw for 323 yards. Michigan had a 28-20 FD edge but Mich St (+22) never trailed and led 27-17 before a Michigan TD with :38 left, 27-24. Mich St is fresh off a bye but is just 4-16 ATS at home the last 4 years. Mich St had low expectations into the year but have opened up 7-0 with road upsets of Northwestern and Miami and climbed all the way to #8 in the polls! They were out FD by Nebraska 26-12 and out FD 12-2 at half vs Indiana but escaped with 3 & 5 point wins. New QB Payton Thorne has thrown for 1702 (61%, 15-4) with the star of the team being the nations #2 rusher Kenneth Walker (997, 6.6). They do have a couple of top notch WR's in Jayden Reed (562, 20.8) and Jalen Nailor (512, 19.0). Michigan was pegged for middle of the pack in the Big Ten East but opened 6-0 SU. Last week they had a 17-3 FD edge 1H but NW got a 75 yd TD run and only trailed 10-7 at half. UM 74/7 TD NW 59/12 but miss FG UM blk punt 24/3 TD then FG 27-7 after 3Q. UM 15/4 TD after an int 13:20 left in 33-7 home win. While Mich St has had close calls and is just +46 ypg vs the #45 schedule, Michigan is +145 ypg vs the #17 sked and they are a combined +211 ypg vs opp avg's while Mich St is just a combined +29 ypg. Michigan is playing to an AGG of 118.3 and Mich St is at 106.1 (Mich by 8.2). The visitor is 5-1 SU and 4-2 ATS in the series and Michigan has already handled road tests vs Wisconsin and Nebraska and the numbers clearly show Michigan has been the stronger team this year. I think Michigan leaves East Lansing with the win by a TD.

Michigan 27 Michigan St 20

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	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	28-14	W	49	75	35	61	83	33
4-3	5-2	2-2	2-1	129	134			10/30	at NC State			38	65	33	41	14	79
	4-3		3-2		132			11/6	Clemson						68	4	67
	4-4		1-3		126			11/13	Syracuse						52	76	98
	3-4		0-3		111			11/20	at Duke						28	85	62
	6-1		4-1		136			11/27	Kentucky						40	29	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
† 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	28-14	172	5	-1	22	47-331	7.0	9-17	107	0	17	36-125	3.5	17-32	141	3
at NC State																
Clemson																
Syracuse																
at Duke																
Kentucky																
Average	32-27	27.0	-1.0	0.0	22	40-202	5.1	61.9%	249	3.3%	23	34-147	4.3	64.2%	277	7.8%
Conference	32-27	29.0	-1.0	0.0	22	41-227	5.5	62.5%	238	2.7%	23	35-136	3.8	60.5%	300	9.3%
Away	30-34	-83.7	-4.0	-0.7	23	41-166	4.1	63.8%	258	4.8%	27	40-190	4.7	62.2%	318	9.0%

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

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

Louisville		NC State
#31	Rush Off	#74
#52	Pass Off	#35
#27	**Total Off**	**#48**
#42	Score Off	#39
#9	Sks Allowed	#34
#62	Rush Def	#10
#115	Pass Def	#55
#101	**Total Def**	**#17**
#75	Score Def	#10
#19	Sks By	#77
#67	Ypg Diff	#21
0	**Total TO's**	**+3**

Louisville Cardinals | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **NC State Wolfpack**

Position by Position Edges

Louisville		NC State
	Louisville QB/WR vs. NC State DB's	0.70
	Louisville RB's vs. NC State LB's	1.35
	Louisville OL vs. NC State DL	0.39
	Louisville DL vs. NC State OL	0.20
0.12	Louisville LB'S vs. NC State RB's	
	Louisville DB's vs. NC State QB/WR	0.05
1.80	Louisville ST's vs. NC State ST's	
	Louisville K vs. NC State K	0.25
	Louisville Coaches vs. NC State Coaches	0.40
1.92	Louisville Pts vs. NC State Pts	3.35

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

NC State

By 1.42 Points

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	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	30-31	L	32	13	77	40	27	62
5-2	4-3	2-1	2-2	134	129			10/30	Louisville			41	14	79	38	65	33
	3-4		2-2		131			11/6	at Florida St						25	39	82
	7-0		4-0		131			11/13	at Wake Forest						29	95	5
	4-4		1-3		126			11/20	Syracuse						52	76	98
	4-3		3-3		131			11/27	North Carolina						20	53	68

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	30-31	1	0	0	18	22-111	5.0	24-42	310	1	18	38-95	2.5	25-33	325	4
Louisville																
at Florida St																
at Wake Forest																
Syracuse																
North Carolina																
Average	32-17	111.9	6.6	0.4	22	33-157	4.7	64.8%	267	4.2%	16	29-93	3.2	57.6%	219	5.7%
Conference	30-20	87.7	6.7	0.7	22	36-130	3.6	64.9%	266	4.5%	15	30-98	3.2	59.2%	210	9.2%
Home	38-14	168.3	11.5	1.0	27	38-207	5.4	68.8%	252	3.5%	15	31-110	3.6	50.0%	181	4.8%

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

2019	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
Louisville	-	-3.5	34	17	39-77	14-21-249	
NC State	-	52	20	25	35-134	24-46-243	-3
2018	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Louisville	-	65	10	19	38-254	13-25-157	
NC State	-	-16	52	29	36-164	31-42-354	2
2017	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Louisville	17	-3.5	25	25	29-116	26-48-354	
NC State	24	65	39	23	39-153	20-32-367	0
2016	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Louisville	7	-19.5	54	24	44-163	21-36-390	
NC State	-	65	13	9	25-14	16-36-236	-1

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Projected Box Score

Louisville		NC State
	Projected Rushing	
142 yards	Louisville	NC State 146 yards
	Projected Passing	
199 yards	Louisville	NC State 294 yards
	Projected Yardage Total	
341 yards	Louisville	NC State 440 yards
	Projected Final Score	
21 points	Louisville	NC State 29 points
	Experience Rankings	
100	Louisville	NC State 44
	Team Schedule Strength	
38	Louisville	NC State 71

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	N Car St By 6.5
Las Vegas Total	56.5 Points
+/- Ratings	N Car St By 9.0
Game Grade	N Car St By 8.7
Computer Yards	N Car St 440-341
Computer Points	N Car St 29-21
Phil Steele	N Car St by 13

Phil's Forecast:

Last time here was '19, UL needed win to get bowl eligible while NCSt was off 3 straight losses. Cards trailed 10-7 at half, scored first 20 points of 2H & won 34-20. L'ville is actually 3-1 when playing in Raleigh. NCSt trails series 7-3, Wolfpack have won 2 of the last 3 but lost last meeting in '19 34-20. These 2 divisional foes didn't meet last year. Wolfpack are 9-4 vs ACC Atlantic foes the last 3 years. The Wolfpack opened a strong 5-1 with a road loss at Miss St but upset Clemson at home and were +130 ypg overall. Last week Miami QB Van Dyke gave NCSt bulletin board material but still threw for 325 yds and 4 tds. Miami looked in control up 14-3 but down 14-10 NCST took over at own 23 with :47 left and 3 plays later got a 27 yd TD pass :15 left for 17-14 lead. The lead changed hands 3 times in 2H and NCST gained 40 yds on fake punt to set up TD to lead 27-24 early 4Q. Down 31-30 NCSt was SOD at 48 with 2:48 left. NCSt did take big losses with #2 tkl'r LB Isaiah Moore and LG Zevala OFY and already lost LY's #1 tkl'r LB Peyton Wilson earlier TY. Louisville had an ugly 1H of the first game on national TV on a Monday (Ole Miss led 26-0 w/327-107 yd edge) but have quietly played a lot better since with only a 3 pt loss to Wake and 1 pt loss to Virginia. They were just +3 ypg but have taken on the tougher schedule (#39 vs #73). Last week on a rainy day L'ville had a season low 38,202 on hand for Homecoming. BC took 2nd poss 63/8 for TD to lead 7-0 but UL despite 3 TO's had 258-105 yd edge and led 21-7 H. BC was SOD at 31 and went 71/13 and was int in EZ but after a fumble on next play went 30/7 for TD 21-14 6:10 left. UL went 75/8 for TD 2:53 left to clinch it 28-14 with 438-266 yd edge. NCSt is playing to an AGG of 107.3 and UL is at 102.4 (NCSt by 8.9) and the Wolfpack are +168 ypg at home while Lville is -84 ypg away from home.

NC State 30 Louisville 17

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	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	14-28	L	61	83	33	49	75	35
4-3	4-4	0-3	1-3	123	126			10/30	at Syracuse			77	86	22	52	76	98
	3-4		1-2		122			11/6	Virginia Tech						102	34	6
	3-4		2-3		125			11/13	at Georgia Tech						55	90	102
	3-4		2-2		131			11/20	Florida St						25	39	82
	7-0		4-0		131			11/27	Wake Forest						29	95	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
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	14-28	-172	-5	1	17	36-125	3.5	17-32	141	3	22	47-331	7.0	9-17	107	0
at Syracuse																
Virginia Tech																
at Georgia Tech																
Florida St																
Wake Forest																
Average	28-21	24.3	2.1	-0.1	20	37-165	4.4	59.2%	203	5.5%	18	35-155	4.4	59.6%	190	4.4%
Conference	11-27	-114.3	-1.0	-1.3	18	33-89	2.7	55.0%	215	9.0%	19	40-231	5.7	55.1%	188	2.9%
Away	25-20	-33.8	0.0	-0.5	18	37-152	4.1	57.3%	177	6.8%	18	38-190	5.0	54.1%	172	5.1%

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

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

Boston College		Syracuse
#63	Rush Off	#8
#94	Pass Off	#107
#88	**Total Off**	**#51**
#70	Score Off	#50
#34	Sks Allowed	#50
#75	Rush Def	#42
#21	Pass Def	#24
#40	**Total Def**	**#26**
#34	Score Def	#59
#120	Sks By	#6
#70	Ypg Diff	#26
-1	**Total TO's**	**-2**

Boston College Eagles | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **Syracuse Orangemen**

Position by Position Edges

Boston College		Syracuse
0.06	Boston College QB/WR vs. Syracuse DB's	
	Boston College RB's vs. Syracuse LB's	0.85
0.27	Boston College OL vs. Syracuse DL	
	Boston College DL vs. Syracuse OL	1.38
	Boston College LB'S vs. Syracuse RB's	1.23
1.20	Boston College DB's vs. Syracuse QB/WR	
2.30	Boston College ST's vs. Syracuse ST's	
	Boston College K vs. Syracuse K	1.85
	Boston College Coaches vs. Syracuse Coaches	0.95
3.83	Boston College Pts vs. Syracuse Pts	6.26

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

Syracuse

By 2.43 Points

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	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
1-0	1-0	0-0	0-0	126	132			9/11	Rutgers	7-17	L	81	75	12	106	46	10
1-1		0-0		125				9/18	Albany	62-24	W	95	73	110			
2-1	3-0	0-0	0-0	127	131			9/25	Liberty	24-21	W	60	78	45	69	49	109
3-1	0-4	0-0	0-2	128	120			10/2	at Florida St	30-33	L	60	83	55	50	49	82
3-2	5-0	0-1	3-0	126	134		19	10/9	Wake Forest	37-40	L	59	81	52	36	64	21
3-3	3-2	0-2	2-1	126	135			10/16	Clemson	14-17	L	52	78	66	58	6	97
3-4	3-3	0-3	1-1	126	122			10/23	at Virginia Tech	41-36	W	63	73	82	110	20	10
4-4	4-3	1-3	0-3	126	123			10/30	Boston College			52	76	98	77	86	22
								11/6	Bye								
	4-3		2-2		129			11/13	at Louisville						38	65	33
	5-2		2-1		134			11/20	at NC State						41	14	79
	6-1		3-0		134			11/27	Pittsburgh						15	20	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
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	41-36	113	4	0	25	45-314	7.0	16-34	236	1	21	44-260	5.9	10-20	177	3
Boston College																
Bye																
at Louisville																
at NC State																
Pittsburgh																
Average	31-25	97.3	3.0	-0.3	22	43-242	5.7	54.8%	180	6.2%	19	38-133	3.5	66.7%	193	12.2%
Conference	31-32	63.5	2.5	0.0	24	43-268	6.2	50.4%	184	5.0%	21	39-180	4.6	60.8%	209	7.5%
Home	29-24	123.4	4.6	-0.8	22	43-220	5.2	54.8%	191	7.4%	18	38-84	2.2	66.9%	204	15.8%

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

2020	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
Boston College	-	-14.5	16	21	47-191	20-29-208	
Syracuse	-	53.5	13	14	21-52	19-30-188	-2
2019	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Boston College	-	59	58	29	65-496	8-10-195	
Syracuse	-	-3	27	20	42-159	25-36-289	1
2018	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Boston College	-	-6.5	21	18	32-105	17-37-251	
Syracuse	19	58	42	28	58-197	21-35-362	3
2017	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Boston College	-	-3	42	24	56-333	16-20-248	
Syracuse	-	56	14	19	28-137	24-34-280	-2
2016	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Boston College	-	-4	20	16	40-223	7-20-64	
Syracuse	-	50.5	28	23	35-98	32-38-434	-1

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Projected Box Score

Boston College		Syracuse
	Projected Rushing	
107 yards	Boston College	262 yards
	Projected Passing	
188 yards	Boston College	182 yards
	Projected Yardage Total	
296 yards	Boston College	444 yards
	Projected Final Score	
21 points	Boston College	28 points
	Experience Rankings	
52	Boston College	36
	Team Schedule Strength	
117	Boston College	75

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Syracuse By 6.5
Las Vegas Total	50.5 Points
+/- Ratings	Syracuse By 6.5
Game Grade	Syracuse By 13.9
Computer Yards	Syracuse 444-296
Computer Points	Syracuse 28-21
Phil Steele	Boston College by 4

Phil's Forecast:

In '18 BC was off a blowout loss at Clemson. The last time Cuse was an ACC favorite the Eagles were 3 pt dogs while Cuse was coming off 3 straight losses. Syracuse led 20-17 2Q then BC scored next 31 pts & won 58-27. Eagles rushed for 496 (7.6). The home team has lost 5 straight series meetings (1-4 ATS). Last year BC had a 399-240 yd edge at Syracuse which started frosh QB Morgan (19-30-188). BC got a 3 yd TD pass with :24 left 1H to lead 10-3 but QB Jurkovec was ply'g w/a shoulder injury. BC missed two FG's so Syracuse only trailed 13-6 when they fumbled at own 18 and BC got 22 yd FG 2:05 left 16-6. Syracuse went 75/8 for TD :21 left 16-13. The underdog is 9-2 ATS and there has been EIGHT outright upsets in the last 11 meetings. Syracuse is playing a 9th straight week and BC had a bye 3 weeks ago but is on 2nd road game in 3 weeks. BC opened 4-0 vs a soft schedule then took on Clemson after a loss and nearly won on the road. They were even with NCSt at half but had a misleading 33-7 loss. Last week on a rainy day BC took 2nd poss 63/8 for TD to lead 7-0 but UL despite 3 TO's had 258-105 yd edge and led 21-7 H. BC was SOD at 31 and went 71/13 and was int in EZ but after a fumble on next play went 30/7 for TD 21-14 6:10 left. UL went 75/8 for TD 2:53 left to clinch it 28-14 with 438-266 yd edge. Syracuse had low expectations but opened 3-1 with an upset of Liberty then opened ACC play with a trio of 3-point losses including Clemson and Wake Forest. Last week they allowed VT to return a blk'd xp for 2 to lead 16-13 and the Hokies were up 19-13 at half. The lead changed hands 5 times in the 2H. Up 26-20 VT was SOD and Syr went 66/13 for TD but VT 59/6 FG and 69/5 for TD for a 2 score lead 36-27 5:36 left. Syr 45/7 TD then 70/6 45 yd TD pass with :19 left for comeback 41-36 road win. Miss St transfer QB Garrett Shrader is hitting 54% with a 5-3 ratio but give the Orange a potent 1-2 rush combo with Sean Tucker (948, 6.1) and Shrader has gone for 137, 178 and 174 rush in 3 of his L/4. Cuse allowed 260 rush vs VT and BC has talented duo of Garwo (606, 6.2) and Sinkfield (240, 4.4). My AGG has Syracuse as the favorite but I think BC is the stronger team and they are on a 17-7-1 run as an away dog so the Eagles grab the close road win.

Boston College 28 Syracuse 24

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	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- 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	28-16	W	90	117	116	111	111	75
3-4	2-5	2-1	1-3	116	110			10/30	at GA Southern			71	110	120	108	115	45
	6-1		4-0		129			11/6	at Louisiana						47	80	40
	6-1		2-1		131			11/13	at Coastal Carolina						3	71	4
	1-6		0-3		109			11/20	Arkansas St						106	129	29
	4-3		2-1		117			11/27	Troy						100	56	121

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	28-16	120	0	1	26	48-298	6.2	16-25	200	0	26	38-123	3.2	27-47	255	3
at GA Southern																
at Louisiana																
at Coastal Carolina																
Arkansas St																
Troy																
Average	24-32	-25.4	0.0	-0.3	22	45-222	4.9	56.5%	167	6.8%	22	42-164	3.9	60.4%	249	6.0%
Conference	33-27	70.3	5.3	0.3	29	49-253	5.2	61.5%	231	4.4%	23	38-136	3.5	63.1%	277	6.3%
Away	32-38	-52.7	1.7	0.7	25	50-258	5.2	55.4%	151	4.8%	23	37-163	4.4	61.3%	299	6.6%

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

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

Georgia St		Ga Southern
#16	Rush Off	#10
#116	Pass Off	#125
#75	**Total Off**	**#96**
#95	Score Off	#101
#42	Sks Allowed	#34
#84	Rush Def	#64
#101	Pass Def	#129
#93	**Total Def**	**#128**
#108	Score Def	#113
#85	Sks By	#19
#92	Ypg Diff	#121
-2	**Total TO's**	**-2**

Georgia St Panthers | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **Ga Southern Eagles**

Position by Position Edges

Georgia St		Ga Southern
1.31	Georgia St QB/WR vs. Ga Southern DB's	
1.03	Georgia St RB's vs. Ga Southern LB's	
0.68	Georgia St OL vs. Ga Southern DL	
	Georgia St DL vs. Ga Southern OL	1.02
	Georgia St LB'S vs. Ga Southern RB's	0.91
0.43	Georgia St DB's vs. Ga Southern QB/WR	
	Georgia St ST's vs. Ga Southern ST's	2.68
0.25	Georgia St K vs. Ga Southern K	
3.20	Georgia St Coaches vs. Ga Southern Coaches	
6.90	Georgia St Pts vs. Ga Southern Pts	4.61

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

Georgia St

By 2.29 Points

Ga Southern 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		119				9/4	Gardner-Webb	30-25	W	104	86	90			
1-0	0-1	0-0	0-0	115	116			9/11	at Florida Atlantic	6-38	L	99	87	35	101	44	113
1-1	2-0	0-0	0-0	111	133		20	9/18	at Arkansas	10-45	L	106	92	57	45	26	46
1-2	2-1	0-0	0-0	109	129			9/25	Louisiana	20-28	L	115	115	42	64	81	4
1-3	1-3	0-1	0-0	111	110			10/2	Arkansas St	59-33	W	113	121	63	90	120	53
2-3	2-3	1-1	0-1	115	118			10/9	at Troy	24-27	L	99	113	73	110	62	104
2-4	3-2	1-2	0-2	115	107			10/16	at South Alabama	14-41	L	101	111	54	99	69	98
2-5		1-3		110				10/23	Bye			107	115	41			
2-5	3-4	1-3	2-1	110	116			10/30	Georgia St			108	115	45	71	110	120
	6-1		2-1		131			11/6	Coastal Carolina						3	71	4
	2-5		1-2		106			11/13	at Texas St						114	116	61
	6-2		0-0		128			11/20	BYU						53	82	57
	5-2		2-1		125			11/27	at Appalachian St						30	55	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
Gardner-Webb	30-25	73	5	0	25	65-365	5.6	12-20	135	0	20	19-62	3.3	28-46	365	3
at Florida Atlantic	6-38	-284	-10	-2	17	38-139	3.7	14-24	118	1	27	44-209	4.8	19-29	332	5
at Arkansas	10-45	-400	-16	0	11	35-152	4.3	13-28	81	2	27	48-269	5.6	14-25	364	0
Louisiana	20-28	75	5	-1	23	57-278	4.9	11-24	175	3	18	32-129	4.0	17-28	249	1
Arkansas St	59-33	6	-13	4	20	50-503	10.1	3-13	37	0	33	25-91	3.6	36-61	443	6
at Troy	24-27	-108	-1	-2	17	38-82	2.2	16-27	219	5	18	28-139	5.0	24-36	270	4
at South Alabama	14-41	-312	-10	-1	10	44-121	2.8	7-25	112	0	20	32-140	4.4	25-33	405	2
Bye																
Georgia St																
Coastal Carolina																
at Texas St																
BYU																
at Appalachian St																
Average	23-34	-135.7	-5.7	-0.3	18	47-234	5.0	47.2%	125	6.8%	23	33-148	4.6	63.2%	347	8.1%
Conference	29-32	-84.8	-4.8	0.0	18	47-246	5.2	41.6%	136	9.0%	22	29-125	4.3	64.6%	342	8.2%
Home	36-29	51.3	-1.0	1.0	23	57-382	6.7	45.6%	116	5.3%	24	25-94	3.7	60.0%	352	7.4%

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

	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
2020							
Georgia St	-	52.5	30	22	36-55	28-39-372	
Georgia Southern	-	E	24	13	47-296	6-10-74	0
2019							
Georgia St	-	57.5	10	18	37-108	18-27-182	
Georgia Southern	-	-7	38	22	47-279	7-10-73	0
2018							
Georgia St	-	58.5	14	17	32-94	20-33-170	
Georgia Southern	-	-10.5	35	16	41-276	8-11-105	1
2017							
Georgia St	-	-4	21	15	24-49	22-37-319	
Georgia Southern	-	51	17	19	50-189	22-28-147	-2
2016							
Georgia St	-	47.5	30	20	27-73	21-39-318	
Georgia Southern	-	-3	24	19	46-241	14-26-122	-2

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Projected Box Score

Projected Rushing

Georgia St		Ga Southern
214 yards		225 yards

Projected Passing

Georgia St		Ga Southern
234 yards		159 yards

Projected Yardage Total

Georgia St		Ga Southern
449 yards		384 yards

Projected Final Score

Georgia St		Ga Southern
32 points		26 points

Experience Rankings

Georgia St		Ga Southern
16		107

Team Schedule Strength

Georgia St		Ga Southern
63		113

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Georgia St By 6
Las Vegas Total	56 Points
+/- Ratings	Georgia St By 2.3
Game Grade	Georgia St By 10.4
Computer Yards	Georgia St 449-384
Computer Points	Georgia St 32-26
Phil Steele	Georgia St by 3

Phil's Forecast:

Rivarly known as "Moden Day Hate." Georgia St leads the series 4-3 & the home team has won the last 2 games after going just 1-4 to start the series. Last year the only 1Q scoring was a FG by GSt. GSthrn would score TD's on B2B drives to lead 14-3. GSt would cut the lead to 14-6 with a FG then after a missed FG by GSthrn the Panthers went 65/7 for a TD and trailed just 14-13 at HT and led 24-13. GSt answered with a 75/8 TD drive (2-pt try no good) then after a GSthrn missed FG the Eagles went 69/10 to lead 27-24. GSthrn fumbled & GSt added a FG, then GSthrn threw an INT to end their shot at a comeback. Last year's game broke a streak of 3 straight Unders' in this series. The Panthers are off a game vs Texas St while the Eagles are off a bye, but GSthrn is just 2-4 ATS off a bye in the last 4 seasons. Georgia St opened just 2-4 with losses to NCarolina, Army and App St and a tough loss to Auburn where they led 24-19 but gave up a 4&7 TD pass with :45 left then an IR TD. Last week against Texas St the Bobcats settled for 2 early FG's and led 6-0 but trailed 14-13 at half despite a 15-11 FD edge. Georgia St got 2 TD's and Texas St another FG 28-16 14:54 Texas St 46/12 but int at the 3 9:35 then 65/7 3&5 at 11 fumble and did not score last two drives in red zone so it was a tough spread loss 28-16. Furman transfer Darren Grainger has thrown for 783 yds (60%, 11-3). GSthrn opened 2-5 and in their last game were destroyed by South Alabama 41-14 (233-545 yds). The Eagles fired their HC after a close loss to Louisiana and got the coaching bounce in a 59-33 win over Ark St. Georgia St is -25 ypg vs the #64 schedule and Georgia Southern is -136 ypg vs just the #114 schedule so the AGG has Georgia St by 10.5. But it is tough to go against Georgia Southern who is off a bye and is a home dog in a rivalry game.

Georgia St 30 Georgia Southern 27

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	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	24-21	W	18	24	115	79	17	79
5-2	3-4	3-1	1-3	141	130	22		10/30	at West Virginia			19	24	115	83	52	37
	4-3		2-2		136			11/6	Texas						6	84	20
	5-3		2-3		125			11/13	at Texas Tech						44	87	64
	8-0		5-0		141			11/20	at Oklahoma						5	50	63
	3-4		1-3		129			11/27	TCU						9	89	18

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 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	24-21	42	2	0	18	33-67	2.0	27-33	307	2	16	32-107	3.3	15-24	225	3
at West Virginia																
Texas																
at Texas Tech																
at Oklahoma																
TCU																
Average	32-17	166.6	7.6	0.3	22	34-170	5.0	72.8%	259	3.7%	14	34-98	2.9	59.9%	165	10.5%
Conference	36-20	144.3	4.8	0.8	22	35-196	5.6	76.3%	263	4.2%	18	36-134	3.8	62.5%	181	9.1%
Away	37-18	212.0	10.0	0.3	24	37-203	5.4	76.1%	260	2.3%	14	32-97	3.0	63.9%	155	13.1%

OVERALL:	OVERALL:
5-2	3-4
vs. BIG 12	vs. BIG 12
3-1	1-3

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

Iowa St		West Virginia
#59	Rush Off	#96
#42	Pass Off	#37
#44	**Total Off**	**#74**
#36	Score Off	#70
#15	Sks Allowed	#76
#15	Rush Def	#19
#7	Pass Def	#96
#3	**Total Def**	**#50**
#12	Score Def	#40
#50	Sks By	#31
#6	Ypg Diff	#62
+2	**Total TO's**	**-3**

Iowa St Cyclones | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **West Virginia Mountainers**

Position by Position Edges

Iowa St		West Virginia
1.13	Iowa St QB/WR vs. West Virginia DB's	
	Iowa St RB's vs. West Virginia LB's	0.50
	Iowa St OL vs. West Virginia DL	0.48
1.55	Iowa St DL vs. West Virginia OL	
2.65	Iowa St LB'S vs. West Virginia RB's	
	Iowa St DB's vs. West Virginia QB/WR	0.19
	Iowa St ST's vs. West Virginia ST's	3.90
1.40	Iowa St K vs. West Virginia K	
1.15	Iowa St Coaches vs. West Virginia Coaches	
7.87	Iowa St Pts vs. West Virginia Pts	5.06

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

Iowa St

By 2.81 Points

West Virginia Mountainers

Mountainers 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	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	29-17	W	94	52	15	6	85	66
3-4	5-2	1-3	3-1	130	141		22	10/30	Iowa St			83	52	37	19	24	115
	6-1		3-1		138			11/6	Oklahoma St						81	19	90
	3-4		1-3		131			11/13	at Kansas St						75	64	10
	4-3		2-2		136			11/20	Texas						6	84	20
	1-6		0-4		105			11/27	at Kansas						117	126	97

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	29-17	94	5	3	24	41-229	5.6	22-29	258	1	19	34-149	4.4	16-26	244	2
Iowa St																
Oklahoma St																
at Kansas St																
Texas																
at Kansas																
Average	28-22	34.0	3.4	-0.4	22	35-126	3.6	66.1%	265	7.3%	18	34-109	3.2	65.3%	248	8.8%
Conference	21-25	-19.5	2.3	0.5	22	34-115	3.4	70.4%	260	7.4%	20	31-114	3.7	66.4%	280	7.0%
Home	38-15	188.3	7.0	-0.3	23	38-156	4.1	65.6%	289	6.5%	16	34-74	2.2	60.9%	183	12.6%

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

2020	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
Iowa St	12	-6.5	42	26	44-236	20-23-247	
West Virginia	-	48	6	16	25-54	21-41-209	0
2019	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Iowa St	-	-10	38	26	43-143	19-30-229	
West Virginia	-	54	14	12	28-41	19-25-149	-2
2018	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Iowa St	-	56.5	30	25	47-244	18-25-254	
West Virginia	6	-6.5	14	9	27-52	11-15-100	0
2017	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Iowa St	14	59	16	23	29-101	27-40-249	
West Virginia	-	-3.5	20	23	47-208	20-25-316	0
2016	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Iowa St	-	58	19	21	34-190	23-44-371	
West Virginia	19	-7	49	25	51-272	13-23-341	4

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Projected Box Score

	Projected Rushing	
118 yards	Iowa St	West Virginia	79 yards
	Projected Passing	
254 yards	Iowa St	West Virginia	251 yards
	Projected Yardage Total	
372 yards	Iowa St	West Virginia	330 yards
	Projected Final Score	
27 points	Iowa St	West Virginia	20 points
	Experience Rankings	
29	Iowa St	West Virginia	103
	Team Schedule Strength	
60	Iowa St	West Virginia	36

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Iowa St By 7
Las Vegas Total	48 Points
+/- Ratings	Iowa St By 6.8
Game Grade	Iowa St By 8.7
Computer Yards	Iowa St 372-330
Computer Points	Iowa St 27-20
Phil Steele	Iowa St by 11

Phil's Forecast:

Iowa St dropped 5 of the first 6 meetings vs WVU. But since '18 ISU has won & covered 3 straight meetings. The last time here ('19) the game was tied 14-14 at half but ISU held WVU to 44 yds & they scored 24 pts in 2H to win 38-14. Last year Iowa St found out before the game that wrapped up a Big 12 title game appearance with OSU's loss but it did not matter. WV went 43/8 but punted ISU 38 and went 49/16 but missed 41 yd FG and IST went 80/15, 44/11 and 76/12 for TD's on all 3 1H, 21-0. WV was SOD at 37 &27 first two 2H poss and ISU after 2 punts scored TD's on last 3 drives 42-6 (-6'). Iowa St is 9-5-1 ATS as an AF and WV is 2-6-1 ATS as a HD the last 7 years. WV has had mostly a disappointing season as they were favored vs Maryland and Texas Tech but lost both and opened the ssn 2-3. WV did lead a ranked Virginia Tech squad 24-7 at half at home in week 3. Last week against TCU the Horned Frogs got a 100 yd KR TD by Davis to start 7-0. WV was off a bye and responded and led 20-17 at half with 304-213 yd edge and TCU settling for a FG from the 2 with :14 left. TCU was INT'd twice on first 3 drives of 2H then was SOD at 35, fumble and then SOD at 45 on last 3 drives in 29 17 home loss with WV having 487-393 yd edge. Iowa State got off to their usual slow start at 2-2 but they won their next two in convincing fashion. Last week an unranked Iowa St was a TD favorite over Top Ten Okla St and Okla St led 14-7 at half with a 193-112 yd edge but Brock Purdy threw for 307 yds. This was the 7th straight meeting decided by 7 or less. Iowa St had a 262-139 yd edge in 2H and led 17-14 after 3Q but were SOD and OSU went 58/4 for TD with 8:36 left 21-17 ISU 85/6 TD to lead 24-21 5:29 and forced a punt then OSU took over 3:18 own 24 but 4&2 ISU 42 SOD 1:09 left. Iowa St has won the last 3 meetings by 25.4 ppg and does well as an AF. ISU is +144 ypg/17 ppg vs B12 foes while WVU is -20 ypg/-5 ppg vs B12 foes. ISU's defense is holding foes to 114 ypg under their ssn avg (#5 FBS). WVU does hold a massive edge on special teams (#15 vs #115). West Virginia has also played the tougher schedule (#42 vs #61) and the AGG has Iowa St by 8.4, but I think the Cyclones win by DD's in Morgantown.

Iowa St 31 West Virginia 20

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	7-54	L	95	23	48	1	11	31
2-5	4-3	0-4	1-3	126	119			10/30	at Maryland			105	44	54	39	51	74
	7-0		4-0		143			11/6	at Michigan						8	11	12
	3-4		0-4		122			11/13	Rutgers						101	60	3
	5-2		3-1		133			11/20	Minnesota						65	18	75
	4-3		2-2		127			11/27	at Purdue						82	33	105

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	7-54	-411	-21	0	10	37-48	1.3	8-17	80	5	31	32-187	5.8	28-37	352	1
at Maryland																
at Michigan																
Rutgers																
Minnesota																
at Purdue																
Average	20-31	-52.9	-1.1	-0.6	19	36-113	3.1	52.6%	196	6.8%	20	32-133	4.2	60.4%	230	3.7%
Conference	7-33	-136.0	-6.5	-0.8	14	32-82	2.6	48.5%	155	8.1%	21	36-164	4.5	58.7%	209	4.0%
Away	13-30	-55.0	-1.3	-0.7	19	31-93	3.0	54.2%	241	5.0%	21	33-153	4.7	58.5%	236	2.8%

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

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

Indiana		Maryland
#107	Rush Off	#94
#98	Pass Off	#18
#120	**Total Off**	**#52**
#113	Score Off	#73
#76	Sks Allowed	#60
#44	Rush Def	#69
#68	Pass Def	#87
#54	**Total Def**	**#76**
#99	Score Def	#95
#117	Sks By	#31
#103	Ypg Diff	#64
-4	**Total TO's**	**-7**

Indiana Hoosiers | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **Maryland Terrapins**

Position by Position Edges

Indiana		Maryland
	Indiana QB/WR vs. Maryland DB's	1.22
	Indiana RB's vs. Maryland LB's	1.65
	Indiana OL vs. Maryland DL	0.60
	Indiana DL vs. Maryland OL	0.44
1.40	Indiana LB'S vs. Maryland RB's	
0.38	Indiana DB's vs. Maryland QB/WR	
0.20	Indiana ST's vs. Maryland ST's	
1.00	Indiana K vs. Maryland K	
1.65	Indiana Coaches vs. Maryland Coaches	
4.64	Indiana Pts vs. Maryland Pts	3.91

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

Indiana

By 0.72 Points

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	FOE 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	16-34	L	31	36	71	76	18	68
4-3	2-5	1-3	0-4	119	126			10/30	Indiana			39	51	74	105	44	54
	5-2		2-2		140			11/6	Penn St						58	7	19
	7-0		4-0		136			11/13	at Michigan St						21	25	32
	7-0		4-0		143			11/20	Michigan						8	11	12
	3-4		0-4		122			11/27	at Rutgers						101	60	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
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	16-34	-183	-12	-1	14	23-79	3.4	17-27	189	2	26	56-326	5.8	8-13	125	0
Indiana																
Penn St																
at Michigan St																
Michigan																
at Rutgers																
Average	28-30	30.0	0.0	-1.0	22	32-128	4.0	71.4%	294	5.5%	22	38-150	4.0	55.7%	241	8.7%
Conference	17-42	-114.3	-6.0	-2.8	19	26-91	3.5	67.1%	248	6.8%	25	44-197	4.5	58.3%	256	7.8%
Home	36-23	127.5	3.5	-0.8	23	35-158	4.6	71.9%	309	2.7%	19	33-102	3.1	54.9%	237	8.5%

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

2020	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
Indiana	12	-1.5	27	17	48-234	11-24-115	
Maryland	-	64.5	11	16	25-59	17-36-241	-2
2019	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Indiana	-	-6.5	34	28	32-186	29-41-334	
Maryland	-	58.5	28	21	37-173	17-27-210	-1
2018	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Indiana	-	-1.5	34	18	30-131	16-28-243	
Maryland	-	56	32	27	59-353	14-25-189	-3
2017	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Indiana	-	-5.5	39	35	35-73	43-62-410	
Maryland	-	53.5	42	18	40-174	10-16-171	0
2016	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Indiana	-	-3.5	42	34	57-414	17-26-236	
Maryland	-	54	36	29	50-269	22-34-248	-2

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Projected Box Score

Indiana		Maryland
	Projected Rushing	
109 yards	Indiana	118 yards
	Projected Passing	
190 yards	Indiana	259 yards
	Projected Yardage Total	
299 yards	Indiana	377 yards
	Projected Final Score	
25 points	Indiana	24 points
	Experience Rankings	
40	Indiana	67
	Team Schedule Strength	
4	Indiana	49

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Maryland By 5.5
Las Vegas Total	49.5 Points
+/- Ratings	Indiana By 4.0
Game Grade	Maryland By 6.5
Computer Yards	Maryland 377-299
Computer Points	Indiana 25-24
Phil Steele	Indiana by 4

Phil's Forecast:

Indiana leads the series 7-2 and has won the last 3. Last time here ('19), the Hoosiers lost starting QB Penix early 2Q but scored 17 of the final 24 points en route to 520 total yards in a 34-28 road victory (-6'). Last year Indiana rushed for 234 yards but only led MD 7-3 at half. MD missed a 29 yd FG on first possession and were int'd at Ind 2 twice in 1H. LB Bonhomme tkld QB Tagovailoa for a safety early 3Q then Indy went 53/8 for TD after the free kick but QB Penix was injured on drive. Backup QB Tuttle hit 5-5 passes. Indiana went 61/7 for 33 yd FG and 39/7 (after int) for TD and led 27-3. MD went 73/7 for TD 1:32 left (+11'). Tom Allen is 4-7 ATS as an AF. MD is just 28-35 SU at home the last 11 years. Naturally both teams have struggled vs teams that have been ranked in the top ten this year. Maryland lost to Iowa and Ohio St by 43 ppg and -210 ypg! Indiana has faced an AMAZING FIVE teams that have appeared in the top ten and lost those by 23.6 ppg and only been outgained by 99.2 ypg! Last week I used Ohio St as a Best Bet and they dominated with a 54-7 win leading 44-7 at half with a 334-40 yd edge. Indiana scored a TD on their first poss to tie it at 7 but lost QB Tuttle and bkps McCulley and Gremel combined to hit 4-10-39. Maryland had opened 4-0 prior to their step up in level of competition and were demoralized following the loss of 2 of their top 3 WRs in B2B gms. Last week Minnesota frosh RB's became the 4th and 5th 100 yd rushers for Minny this year. MD took an early 3-0 lead but Minny got FG, TD TD on next 3 drives to lead 17-3. MD went 75/8 for TD 17-10. MD blocked a FG and Tarheed Still could have returned it for TD but kicked ball as he was trying to pick it up. Minny scored on 1st 3 poss 2H and led 34-10 with MD going 91/12 for TD 1:31 left and Minny had 451-268 yd edge. Despite Indy having the much weaker record my computer has them winning on the road! Indy has faced the #5 schedule and MD is #48 and MD is -201 ypg in Big Ten play. QB McCulley was supposed to RS but now has time to prepare and have a gameplan built around his strengths if Penix and Tuttle remain out. Indiana is holding foes to 74 ypg below their season avg and MD's D is allowing foes 39 ypg above. Indy gets back to their own weight class and gets the win.

Indiana 24 Maryland 20

UTEP Miners

Miners 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	105	94			8/28	at New Mexico St	30-3	W	97	115	41	115	130	56
1-0		0-0		108				9/4	Bethune-Cookman	38-28	W	92	112	60			
2-0	0-1	0-0	0-0	104	126			9/11	at Boise St	13-54	L	81	105	94	51	56	5
2-1		0-0		101				9/18	Bye			66	90	76			
2-1	2-1	0-0	0-0	101	110			9/25	New Mexico	20-13	W	75	72	88	99	67	101
3-1	1-3	0-0	0-0	104	104			10/2	Old Dominion	28-21	W	78	65	107	114	102	62
4-1	1-4	1-0	0-1	104	108			10/9	at Southern Miss	26-13	W	71	52	118	123	93	58
5-1	2-3	2-0	1-0	109	115			10/16	Louisiana Tech	19-3	W	75	41	117	96	97	111
6-1		3-0		113				10/23	Bye			76	41	123			
6-1	4-3	3-0	2-1	113	122			10/30	at Florida Atlantic			0	0	0	69	74	51
	8-0		4-0		134			11/6	UTSA						49	40	30
	1-6		0-3		103			11/13	at North Texas						72	112	108
	3-4		2-1		107			11/20	Rice						118	118	124
	5-3		3-1		122			11/27	at UAB						66	36	66

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 New Mexico St	30-3	262	-1	-1	19	42-203	4.8	11-20	249	0	20	34-101	3.0	9-33	89	3
Bethune-Cookman	38-28	139	12	1	24	51-289	5.7	14-23	183	2	12	25-118	4.7	15-22	215	2
at Boise St	13-54	-125	-1	-5	20	40-104	2.6	16-26	232	1	21	37-121	3.3	17-25	340	1
Bye																
New Mexico	20-13	56	-5	1	12	33-51	1.5	15-29	293	2	17	35-123	3.5	17-39	165	1
Old Dominion	28-21	51	-2	2	17	46-142	3.1	10-20	191	1	19	33-88	2.7	20-34	194	3
at Southern Miss	26-13	138	-1	1	16	39-265	6.8	7-17	127	0	17	32-15	0.5	20-31	239	5
Louisiana Tech	19-3	107	4	-1	18	44-102	2.3	19-29	283	1	14	28-92	3.3	15-29	186	4
Bye																
at Florida Atlantic																
UTSA																
at North Texas																
Rice																
at UAB																
Average	25-19	89.7	0.9	-0.3	18	42-165	3.9	56.1%	223	4.3%	17	32-94	2.9	53.1%	204	8.9%
Conference	24-12	98.7	0.3	0.7	17	43-170	3.9	54.5%	200	3.0%	17	31-65	2.1	58.5%	206	12.8%
Away	23-23	91.7	-1.0	-1.7	18	40-191	4.7	54.0%	203	1.6%	19	34-79	2.3	51.7%	223	10.1%

OVERALL: 6-1 vs. CUSA 3-0

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

UTEP		FAU
#64	Rush Off	#52
#76	Pass Off	#38
#77	**Total Off**	**#37**
#91	Score Off	#49
#9	Sks Allowed	#102
#12	Rush Def	#100
#38	Pass Def	#20
#10	**Total Def**	**#60**
#22	Score Def	#37
#31	Sks By	#120
#31	Ypg Diff	#37
-2	**Total TO's**	**0**

UTEP Miners | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **FAU Owls**

Position by Position Edges

UTEP		FAU
	UTEP QB/WR vs. FAU DB's	0.89
	UTEP RB's vs. FAU LB's	0.67
0.63	UTEP OL vs. FAU DL	
0.94	UTEP DL vs. FAU OL	
1.39	UTEP LB'S vs. FAU RB's	
0.23	UTEP DB's vs. FAU QB/WR	
	UTEP ST's vs. FAU ST's	4.55
1.00	UTEP K vs. FAU K	
0.25	UTEP Coaches vs. FAU Coaches	
4.44	UTEP Pts vs. FAU Pts	6.11

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

FAU

By 1.67 Points

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	38-9	W	73	80	50	65	119	63
4-3	6-1	2-1	3-0	122	113			10/30	UTEP			69	74	51	76	41	123
	4-3		2-1		119			11/6	Marshall						48	59	78
	1-6		0-3		103			11/13	at Old Dominion						116	93	39
	3-4		2-1		121			11/20	at WKU						37	100	44
	3-4		1-2		118			11/27	Middle Tennessee						119	99	87

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	38-9	76	-5	2	16	40-202	5.1	9-11	225	1	21	32-77	2.4	27-42	274	3
UTEP																
Marshall																
at Old Dominion																
at WKU																
Middle Tennessee																
Average	31-21	67.7	4.0	0.0	22	39-177	4.5	61.6%	263	9.7%	18	38-185	4.8	52.6%	188	3.8%
Conference	37-20	125.7	4.0	0.0	22	42-183	4.4	72.0%	291	12.0%	18	31-93	3.0	55.1%	255	5.6%
Home	47-14	303.3	15.7	0.7	30	47-250	5.4	70.9%	347	4.9%	14	28-79	2.9	46.7%	215	3.8%

OVERALL: 4-3 vs. CUSA 2-1

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

2016	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
UTEP	-	55.5	31	21	40-237	13-19-118	
Florida Atlantic	-	-4	35	26	36-243	20-27-233	-2

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Projected Box Score

UTEP		FAU
	Projected Rushing	
123 yards	UTEP FAU	146 yards
	Projected Passing	
187 yards	UTEP FAU	238 yards
	Projected Yardage Total	
310 yards	UTEP FAU	384 yards
	Projected Final Score	
13 points	UTEP FAU	27 points
	Experience Rankings	
30	UTEP FAU	11
	Team Schedule Strength	
129	UTEP FAU	106

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Fau By 11
Las Vegas Total	47.5 Points
+/- Ratings	Fau By 12.3
Game Grade	Fau By 11.2
Computer Yards	Fau 384-310
Computer Points	Fau 27-13
Phil Steele	Fau by 21

Phil's Forecast:

Despite these teams playing in the same conference, this will be just their second matchup in program history. The Owls defeated the Miners 35-31 (-4) in 2016. UTEP is 0-25-1 in the Eastern time zone, a blight broken only by a tie in 1949 at West Virginia. Owls are 5-1 SU/ATS at home against CUSA West foes since 2016. FAU was 4-0 SU at home last year but only 1-3 ATS and they've won 12 of L/13 at home. UTEP is fresh off a bye but FAU just had a bye two weeks ago and played last Thursday so had extra time to prep. Coach Dimel has done a fantastic rebuilding job as UTEP took their lumps his first few years but is ALREADY bowl eligible at 6-1. They have a QB with a powerful arm in Gavin Hardison, dangerous WR's in Jacob Cowing and Justin Garrett, a solid RB in Ronald Awatt and a talented D-line but their offense is being held 26 ypg under what their foes allow on avg. About the only road game vs a team in FAU's class was a 54-13 loss to Boise. FAU opened the year at 3-3 with 3 expected losses to Florida, Air Force and UAB. They won their other 3 games by 21 ppg. Last week they led 7-3 but Charlotte converted on 4th down twice on a 17 play drive for TD on last play of 1H to lead 9-7 (miss xp) with 16-6 FD edge. FAU score 4 TD and FG on first 6 drives of 2H and Charlotte 2H was 3 punts, 3 SOD and two ints with FAU having 294-98 yd edge in 2H in 38-9 road win. Miami transfer Nkosi Perry has thrown for 1696 (62% 14-4) and they've got veteran CB Zyon Gilbert (5 pbu, 2 int) who will give Cowing his toughest test. FAU has taken on the tougher schedule (#104 vs #129). While FAU has the weaker record, they are at home, where they avg 47 ppg and 597 ypg and my AGG has them favored by 12.0. Marshall may be on deck but how do you overlook a 6-1 team? I like FAU in this one.

FAU 34 UTEP 13

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	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	31-30	W	40	27	62	32	13	77
3-4	6-1	1-2	3-0	130	134		17	10/30	at Pittsburgh			46	28	60	15	20	93
	3-4		2-3		125			11/6	Georgia Tech						55	90	102
	3-4		2-2		131			11/13	at Florida St						25	39	82
	3-4		1-2		122			11/20	Virginia Tech						102	34	6
	3-4		0-3		111			11/27	at Duke						28	85	62

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	31-30	-1	0	0	18	38-95	2.5	25-33	325	4	18	22-111	5.0	24-42	310	1
at Pittsburgh																
Georgia Tech																
at Florida St																
Virginia Tech																
at Duke																
Average	32-30	43.1	3.4	-0.7	24	36-151	4.1	63.3%	282	9.0%	21	36-145	4.1	60.1%	245	6.3%
Conference	34-35	-13.0	0.7	-0.3	22	37-140	3.8	56.1%	264	10.3%	21	35-173	5.0	58.9%	244	7.1%
Away	28-45	-98.0	-1.5	-2.0	24	33-122	3.8	56.6%	222	9.2%	26	43-188	4.4	69.2%	254	7.7%

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

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

Miami, Fl		Pittsburgh
#78	Rush Off	#56
#22	Pass Off	#7
#40	**Total Off**	**#7**
#38	Score Off	#4
#114	Sks Allowed	#34
#57	Rush Def	#21
#93	Pass Def	#45
#74	**Total Def**	**#19**
#96	Score Def	#25
#61	Sks By	#17
#59	Ypg Diff	#3
-5	**Total TO's**	**+7**

Miami, Fl Hurricanes | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **Pittsburgh Panthers**

Position by Position Edges

Miami, Fl		Pittsburgh
	Miami, Fl QB/WR vs. Pittsburgh DB's	0.02
	Miami, Fl RB's vs. Pittsburgh LB's	1.36
	Miami, Fl OL vs. Pittsburgh DL	1.04
0.20	Miami, Fl DL vs. Pittsburgh OL	
0.99	Miami, Fl LB'S vs. Pittsburgh RB's	
	Miami, Fl DB's vs. Pittsburgh QB/WR	0.51
1.53	Miami, Fl ST's vs. Pittsburgh ST's	
	Miami, Fl K vs. Pittsburgh K	1.15
	Miami, Fl Coaches vs. Pittsburgh Coaches	0.65
2.73	Miami, Fl Pts vs. Pittsburgh Pts	4.73

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

Pittsburgh

By 2.00 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	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	27-17	W	14	28	78	66	6	90
6-1	3-4	3-0	1-2	134	130	17		10/30	Miami, Fl			15	20	93	46	28	60
	3-4		0-3		111			11/6	at Duke						28	85	62
	4-3		3-3		131			11/13	North Carolina						20	53	68
	6-2		4-2		134			11/20	Virginia						26	103	88
	4-4		1-3		126			11/27	at Syracuse						52	76	98

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	27-17	149	7	1	26	43-162	3.8	25-39	302	2	19	30-164	5.5	15-32	151	1
Miami, Fl																
at Duke																
North Carolina																
Virginia																
at Syracuse																
Average	45-20	202.3	10.6	1.0	28	41-171	4.2	70.2%	350	4.2%	17	32-109	3.4	54.7%	209	9.9%
Conference	36-15	161.3	7.3	1.3	25	43-184	4.3	62.8%	301	3.5%	18	30-109	3.7	51.5%	215	6.2%
Home	49-19	264.5	13.8	0.3	30	39-178	4.5	74.8%	387	4.6%	17	34-117	3.5	52.0%	184	9.6%

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

2020	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
Miami, Fl	13	-13	31	21	42-109	16-31-222	
Pittsburgh	-	47.5	19	19	26-22	23-47-278	1
2019	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Miami, Fl	-	42.5	16	12	27-54	14-32-154	
Pittsburgh	-	-4.5	12	17	42-176	18-32-146	-2
2018	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Miami, Fl	-	-5	24	12	32-293	6-24-52	
Pittsburgh	24	47	3	11	38-69	15-24-131	1
2017	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Miami, Fl	2	-11.5	14	14	23-45	15-36-187	
Pittsburgh	-	53.5	24	20	45-152	18-29-193	-1
2016	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Miami, Fl	-	-3	51	22	36-178	32-47-356	
Pittsburgh	-	58.5	28	22	34-130	17-36-287	-2

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Projected Box Score

Miami, Fl		Pittsburgh
	Projected Rushing	
98 yards	Miami, Fl / Pittsburgh	163 yards
	Projected Passing	
258 yards	Miami, Fl / Pittsburgh	336 yards
	Projected Yardage Total	
357 yards	Miami, Fl / Pittsburgh	498 yards
	Projected Final Score	
28 points	Miami, Fl / Pittsburgh	45 points
	Experience Rankings	
8	Miami, Fl / Pittsburgh	65
	Team Schedule Strength	
31	Miami, Fl / Pittsburgh	92

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Pittsburgh By 9.5
Las Vegas Total	62 Points
+/- Ratings	Pittsburgh By 8.0
Game Grade	Pittsburgh By 16.0
Computer Yards	Pittsburgh 498-357
Computer Points	Pittsburgh 44-28
Phil Steele	Pittsburgh by 3

Phil's Forecast:

Miami has won 7 of last 8 trips to Pitt. Last time here '19, 'Canes were off shocking loss to GT, led 10-6 at half despite getting outgained 214-100. They held Pitt to 4 FG's, UM switched QB's in 4Q & threw 32 yd GW TD pass w/:58 left, 16-12 (+4'). Pitt is just 3-21 SU/9-15 ATS against Miami since 1984 including 2-11 SU/4-9 ATS at home. Panthers last home win against Miami came in '17 when the 'Canes were undefeated #2. Last year, Pitt was without QB Pickett. Miami led 7-0 after 1Q then after a foiled Pitt Fake punt went 45/11 for a TD to lead 14-0 and after two Pitt FG's 14-6 at half. Mia led 21-6 but Pitt got a FG and a 1 yd TD drive (after int) 21-16. Up 28-19 Miami went 65/14 in 7:11 for a FG with 4:13 left in 31-19 win (-13). Miami was considered a contender in the ACC and was ranked into the year but opened up a poor 2-4 with outright upset losses to Mich St and Virginia. They did have a big 2H in a 3 point loss at NCarolina and last week vs NCSt QB Van Dyke made some bulletin board comments prior and delivered on his promise, throwing for 325 yds and 4 tds. Miami looked in control up 14-3 but down 14-10 NCST took over at own 23 with :47 left and 3 plays later got a 27 yd TD pass :15 left for 17-14 lead and fans booed. The lead changed hands 3 times in 2H and NCST gained 40 yds on fake punt to set up TD to lead 27-24 early 4Q. Down 31-30 NCSt was SOD at 48 with 2:48 left. Pitt entered unranked but had a great 5-1 start to the year beating GTech and Vtech by 26 ppg with a +168 ypg. Last week Clemson was a dog for the first time s/2015. Clemson was int at Pitt 5 but went 80/8 for TD 7-0 after 1Q. Pitt went 90/13 and 76/9 for TD's last 2 drives of half (4&5 39 yd TD pass to Mack :40) to lead 14-7. A shovel pass into line was int and return 50 yds for TD by Dennis 21-7. CU went 45/11 for FG 21-10 but Pitt 49/11 FG then 64/11 FG 27-10 9:30. CU 72/5 TD but Pitt 49/15/7:56 to 17 run out clock. Kenny Pickett is having a remarkable year throwing for 2236 (68.9%) with a super 23-1 ratio but he may be missing his top target Addison (650, 17.2, 10 td's) and #1 rusher Abanikanda (403, 5.2) who both left w/concussions vs Clemson. Miami has taken on the tougher schedule (#29 vs #92). My AGG has Pitt at 114.7 and Miami at 103.3 (Pitt by 15.4) but Miami could have easily won their L/3 games and are 5-1 as an AD including an upset win here in '19.

Best BetL ★ Miami, FL (+) 27 Pittsburgh 30

Rutgers Scarlet Knights

Scarlet 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	TEAM ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	128	112			9/4	Temple	61-14	W	99	49	5	106	111	118
1-0	1-0	0-0	0-0	132	126			9/11	at Syracuse	17-7	W	106	46	10	81	75	12
2-0		0-0		133				9/18	Delaware	45-13	W	109	40	8			
3-0	3-0	0-0	0-0	134	140		19	9/25	at Michigan	13-20	L	102	25	9	5	16	6
3-1	3-1	0-1	1-0	134	141		11	10/2	Ohio St	13-52	L	98	23	6	1	20	37
3-2	5-0	0-2	2-0	130	133		11	10/9	Michigan St	13-31	L	98	38	7	24	53	68
3-3	2-3	0-3	0-2	126	119			10/16	at Northwestern	7-21	L	97	50	3	56	104	92
3-4		0-4		122				10/23	Bye			100	56	5			
3-4	3-5	0-4	2-3	122	123			10/30	at Illinois			101	60	3	97	63	76
	4-3		2-2		137			11/6	Wisconsin						60	6	111
	2-5		0-4		126			11/13	at Indiana						105	44	54
	5-2		2-2		140			11/20	at Penn St						58	7	19
	4-3		1-3		119			11/27	Maryland						39	51	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
Temple	61-14	104	9	5	21	51-220	4.3	16-29	145	0	12	36-113	3.1	8-27	148	3
at Syracuse	17-7	-63	2	3	16	43-50	1.2	22-28	145	4	14	30-67	2.2	19-32	191	5
Delaware	45-13	233	10	0	24	38-159	4.2	23-29	334	0	14	34-162	4.8	13-26	98	5
at Michigan	13-20	77	6	-1	21	42-196	4.7	18-31	156	1	15	38-112	2.9	9-16	163	0
Ohio St	13-52	-194	-7	-3	18	31-112	3.6	28-40	235	2	25	37-208	5.6	18-27	333	1
Michigan St	13-31	-214	-2	1	18	36-110	3.1	21-40	267	4	20	38-251	6.6	16-27	340	0
at Northwestern	7-21	-180	-8	-1	13	34-63	1.9	19-32	159	4	21	48-135	2.8	18-33	267	0
Bye																
at Illinois																
Wisconsin																
at Indiana																
at Penn St																
Maryland																
Average	24-23	-33.9	1.4	0.6	19	39-130	3.3	64.2%	206	6.6%	17	37-150	4.0	53.7%	220	7.4%
Conference	12-31	-127.8	-2.8	-1.0	18	36-120	3.4	60.1%	204	7.7%	20	40-177	4.4	59.2%	276	1.0%
Away	12-16	-55.3	0.0	0.3	17	40-103	2.6	64.8%	153	9.9%	17	39-105	2.7	56.8%	207	6.2%

OVERALL: 3-4 **vs. BIG 10** 0-4

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

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

Rutgers		Illinois
#90	Rush Off	#45
#93	Pass Off	#123
#107	**Total Off**	**#114**
#96	Score Off	#119
#66	Sks Allowed	#89
#67	Rush Def	#70
#58	Pass Def	#103
#57	**Total Def**	**#84**
#47	Score Def	#55
#77	Sks By	#31
#96	Ypg Diff	#113
+4	**Total TO's**	**+3**

Rutgers Scarlet Knights | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **Illinois Fighting Illini**

Position by Position Edges

Rutgers		Illinois
	Rutgers QB/WR vs. Illinois DB's	0.38
	Rutgers RB's vs. Illinois LB's	1.64
	Rutgers OL vs. Illinois DL	1.15
	Rutgers DL vs. Illinois OL	0.96
1.11	Rutgers LB'S vs. Illinois RB's	
1.86	Rutgers DB's vs. Illinois QB/WR	
4.66	Rutgers ST's vs. Illinois ST's	
	Rutgers K vs. Illinois K	0.95
0.75	Rutgers Coaches vs. Illinois Coaches	
8.39	Rutgers Pts vs. Illinois Pts	5.07

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

Rutgers

By 3.32 Points

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	TEAM ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- 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	20-18	W	97	63	76	45	4	18
3-5	3-4	2-3	0-4	123	122			10/30	Rutgers			0	0	0	101	60	3
	5-2		3-1		133			11/6	at Minnesota						65	18	75
								11/13	Bye								
	6-1		3-1		143			11/20	at Iowa						107	2	9
	3-4		1-3		123			11/27	Northwestern						70	92	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
† 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	20-18	168	12	-3	26	67-357	5.3	8-21	38	4	14	29-62	2.1	19-34	165	4
Rutgers																
at Minnesota																
Bye																
at Iowa																
Northwestern																
Average	18-24	-79.4	-2.9	0.4	19	41-184	4.5	48.7%	139	8.1%	22	37-151	4.1	63.1%	252	7.2%
Conference	15-19	-96.4	-3.0	0.4	18	43-175	4.1	45.7%	110	12.6%	21	36-156	4.3	60.1%	225	8.9%
Home	18-24	-119.5	-5.8	1.0	19	36-165	4.6	43.4%	149	5.7%	24	41-203	4.9	67.5%	230	6.0%

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

2020	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
Rutgers	-	-6	20	19	33-166	21-34-256	
Illinois	-	51	23	23	59-338	7-18-104	2
2019	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Rutgers	-	49	10	13	51-185	5-10-86	
Illinois	-	-19.5	38	14	44-204	6-11-120	3
2018	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Rutgers	-	56	17	25	30-119	29-46-267	
Illinois	-	-4.5	38	17	43-330	10-19-89	3
2017	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Rutgers	-	48.5	35	17	47-274	6-12-102	
Illinois	-	-2.5	24	18	29-86	20-38-308	0
2016	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Rutgers	-	52.5	7	23	50-203	17-30-182	
Illinois	-	-4	24	10	43-228	6-14-92	4

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Projected Box Score

Projected Rushing		
106 yards	Rutgers	Illinois	202 yards
Projected Passing		
184 yards	Rutgers	Illinois	146 yards
Projected Yardage Total		
291 yards	Rutgers	Illinois	347 yards
Projected Final Score		
17 points	Rutgers	Illinois	17 points
Experience Rankings		
19	Rutgers	Illinois	15
Team Schedule Strength		
33	Rutgers	Illinois	7

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Rutgers By 1.5
Las Vegas Total	42 Points
+/- Ratings	Illinois By 4.0
Game Grade	Illinois By 1.1
Computer Yards	Illinois 347-291
Computer Points	Tie 17-17
Phil Steele	Rutgers by 4

Phil's Forecast:

Illinois leads the series 5-2 and has won the last 3 SU & ATS. Last year Rutgers was favored for the 1st time in 5 years in a Big 10 game. Illinois started Isaiah Williams at QB and went from 12 players out vs Minny to just 2 out vs Rutgers. Greg Schiano said Illinois ran option football with an elusive QB. Rutgers led 13-7 at half with 248-125 yd edge and 20-10 after a 66 yd TD pass 3Q. Illinois tied it on a 23 yd FG early 4Q. Illinois K McCourt missed two 4Q FG's but hit a 47 yd FG with :03 left for the 20-17 comeback win (+6). Last time here ('19) the Knights turned it over 3 times in a 38-10 loss (+19'). Schiano is 27-16-1 ATS as an AD and 8-10 ATS as an AF. Rutgers season was off to a great start at 3-0 but they faced three straight teams that have been ranked in the top ten. They outgained Michigan 352-275 but they were whipped by Ohio St and Mich St and with little left in the tank lost at Northwestern where they were outgained 402-222 which was their lowest rated AGG game of the year. Illinois opened with a solid win over Nebraska at home but were just 1-5 since then. Last week coach Bielema said of all the OL he inherited none were contributing which was a little slam on the players. They took that heart. Last week Illinois RB's Chase Brown and Josh McCray combined for 365 yds rushing as Illinois had a 395-227 yard edge but needed 9 OT's to upset Penn St in Happy Valley, 20-18. Penn St led 10-0 2Q when Illinois went 75/15/8:20 for TD 2:59 left 10-7 H. Each team missed a 3Q FG and Ill went 70/16 for FG 11:49 left to tie 10-10 and they headed to OT. Rutgers is playing to just a 99.1 AGG and Illinois is at 97.0. Illinois has taken on the tougher schedule (#7 vs #31). Rutgers really needed that bye and need a win here to keep alive their bowl chances and they are catching Illinois off an upset win. The Rutgers defense is holding foes to 43 ypg below their season average and they have back their 2 DB's that were suspended from the paint ball incident and should get back WR Cruickshank from injury. Illinois lost QB Sitkowski to a broken arm LW and I think Rutgers' replenished secondary will play well enough to help get the win.

Rutgers 17 Illinois 13

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	OFF	DEF	FOE 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	34-16	W	76	18	68	31	36	71
5-2	3-4	3-1	1-3	133	123			10/30	at Northwestern			65	18	75	70	92	117
	3-5		2-3		123			11/6	Illinois						97	63	76
	6-1		3-1		143			11/13	at Iowa						107	2	9
	2-5		0-4		126			11/20	at Indiana						105	44	54
	4-3		2-2		137			11/27	Wisconsin						60	6	111

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	34-16	183	12	1	26	56-326	5.8	8-13	125	0	14	23-79	3.4	17-27	189	2
at Northwestern																
Illinois																
at Iowa																
at Indiana																
Wisconsin																
Average	27-20	47.7	3.0	0.4	20	47-210	4.5	59.4%	150	7.0%	17	27-86	3.2	57.3%	226	7.1%
Conference	29-24	-9.8	1.5	0.0	21	46-209	4.5	64.2%	178	3.7%	20	29-123	4.3	61.2%	274	6.0%
Away	25-7	112.0	0.0	2.0	17	44-201	4.6	57.1%	167	2.9%	17	28-29	1.1	60.5%	227	10.5%

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

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

Minnesota		Northwestern
#24	Rush Off	#73
#120	Pass Off	#101
#95	**Total Off**	**#99**
#80	Score Off	#116
#20	Sks Allowed	#42
#5	Rush Def	#121
#64	Pass Def	#29
#16	**Total Def**	**#95**
#25	Score Def	#65
#61	Sks By	#71
#54	Ypg Diff	#108
+3	**Total TO's**	**0**

Minnesota Golden Gophers | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **Northwestern Wildcats**

Position by Position Edges

Minnesota		Northwestern
	Minnesota QB/WR vs. Northwestern DB's	0.62
0.40	Minnesota RB's vs. Northwestern LB's	
1.29	Minnesota OL vs. Northwestern DL	
0.56	Minnesota DL vs. Northwestern OL	
1.31	Minnesota LB'S vs. Northwestern RB's	
1.47	Minnesota DB's vs. Northwestern QB/WR	
1.06	Minnesota ST's vs. Northwestern ST's	
	Minnesota K vs. Northwestern K	0.55
	Minnesota Coaches vs. Northwestern Coaches	0.90
6.08	Minnesota Pts vs. Northwestern Pts	2.07

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

Minnesota

By 4.01 Points

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	OFF	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	7-33	L	58	94	102	8	14	3
3-4	5-2	1-3	3-1	123	133			10/30	Minnesota			70	92	117	65	18	75
	6-1		3-1		143			11/6	Iowa						107	2	9
	4-3		2-2		137			11/13	at Wisconsin						60	6	111
	4-3		2-2		127			11/20	Purdue						82	33	105
	3-5		2-3		123			11/27	at Illinois						97	63	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
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	7-33	-224	-18	0	10	23-100	4.3	16-32	133	1	28	54-294	5.4	23-32	163	1
Minnesota																
Iowa																
at Wisconsin																
Purdue																
at Illinois																
Average	20-25	-64.4	-2.4	0.0	19	38-160	4.2	57.8%	193	5.4%	21	41-218	5.4	65.9%	199	6.7%
Conference	14-34	-129.8	-6.0	0.3	17	34-97	2.9	60.1%	235	5.4%	23	45-278	6.2	64.9%	184	6.3%
Home	25-14	72.0	4.0	0.8	20	46-209	4.6	61.6%	176	4.5%	16	31-150	4.8	61.6%	163	10.4%

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

2019	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
Minnesota	11	-15.5	38	23	39-212	15-23-211	
Northwestern	-	39.5	22	14	49-128	8-12-95	1
2018	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Minnesota	-	-2.5	14	18	35-109	19-32-197	
Northwestern	24	47.5	24	16	39-95	15-21-230	3
2017	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Minnesota	-	40	0	7	38-139	2-11-43	
Northwestern	-	-7	39	22	55-277	9-13-86	5
2016	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Minnesota	-	45	29	15	40-131	14-25-197	
Northwestern	-	-1.5	12	21	33-63	28-45-276	0

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Projected Box Score

Projected Rushing			
243 yards	Minnesota	Northwestern	114 yards
Projected Passing			
136 yards	Minnesota	Northwestern	174 yards
Projected Yardage Total			
379 yards	Minnesota	Northwestern	288 yards
Projected Final Score			
27 points	Minnesota	Northwestern	20 points
Experience Rankings			
1	Minnesota	Northwestern	130
Team Schedule Strength			
20	Minnesota	Northwestern	64

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Minnesota By 7.5
Las Vegas Total	43.5 Points
+/- Ratings	Minnesota By 6.5
Game Grade	Minnesota By 13.3
Computer Yards	Minnesota 379-288
Computer Points	Minnesota 27-20
Phil Steele	Minnesota by 3

Phil's Forecast:

Minnesota leads the series 54-36-5. Last time here ('19), the Gophers outgained the Wildcats by 200 yds (423-223) in a 38-22 road win (-15'). Northwestern is 8-4 SU the last 12 in series. NWestrn is just #130 on my Exp Chart and Minnesota is #11 Minnesota opened with a solid game vs Ohio St in a home loss but were shocked by Bowling Green as a 31-point favorite. They were out FD'd by Purdue 28-12 and outgained 448-294 but somehow grabbed the road win in the rain. They edged past Nebraska with the Huskers struggling in the red zone. Last week they had their best game of the season as frosh RB's Ky Thomas and Mar'Keise Irving became the 4th and 5th 100 yd rushers for Minny this year. MD took an early 3-0 lead but Minny got FG, TD TD on next 3 drives to lead 17-3. MD went 75/8 for TD 17-10. MD blocked a FG and could have returned it for TD but kicked the ball as they were trying to pick it up. Minny scored on 1st 3 poss 2H and led 34-10 with MD going 91/12 for TD 1:31 left and Minny had 451-268 yd edge. QB Tanner Morgan is hitting just 59.5% with a 6-4 ratio. The Gophers' D is holding foes to 101 ypg below their season average which is surprising as last year they allowed foes 51 ypg above their ssn avg. Northwestern has had some poor games losing outright to Mich St and Duke as favorites and getting blown out by Nebraska. They did open 3-3 and had a 402-222 yd edge vs Rutgers. Last week Michigan had a 17-3 FD edge 1H but NW got a 75 yd TD run by Hull and only trailed 10-7 at half. UM 74/7 TD NW 59/12 but miss FG UM blk punt 24/3 TD then FG 27-7 after 3Q. UM 15/4 TD after an int 13:20 left in 33-7 home win. Ryan HIlinski took over as starter and has thrown for 759 yds with a 3-1 ratio. Minnesota has taken on the tougher schedule (#19 vs #65), but Northwestern is holding opponents to 246 ypg so far off SU losses and is 3-0 SU off SU losses. If the Cats are going to make a bowl, they must have this home win.

Minnesota 26 Northwestern 23

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	24-7	W	29	95	114	15	97	20
4-3	3-4	2-2	1-2	125	107			10/30	at Temple			34	78	112	103	107	104
	1-6		0-3		114			11/6	Tulane						73	117	96
	7-0		3-0		131			11/13	at SMU						10	98	43
	1-8		0-2		93			11/20	Connecticut						130	123	107
	2-5		1-2		114			11/26	USF						104	119	50

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	24-7	3	-7	3	17	41-215	5.2	13-21	80	1	24	31-77	2.5	31-48	215	6
at Temple																
Tulane																
at SMU																
Connecticut																
USF																
Average	33-29	49.0	-0.3	0.4	22	37-206	5.5	65.2%	214	4.5%	22	38-162	4.3	61.0%	209	5.5%
Conference	24-28	-64.5	-7.5	0.8	16	35-171	4.9	61.8%	148	3.6%	24	47-226	4.8	61.7%	158	11.2%
Away	29-44	-113.7	-6.7	-0.7	18	33-172	5.2	65.5%	176	3.6%	24	52-292	5.6	59.1%	169	4.5%

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

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

UCF		Temple
#26	Rush Off	#111
#82	Pass Off	#81
#55	**Total Off**	**#113**
#34	Score Off	#107
#28	Sks Allowed	#69
#83	Rush Def	#124
#42	Pass Def	#4
#59	**Total Def**	**#61**
#86	Score Def	#113
#85	Sks By	#117
#52	Ypg Diff	#101
+3	**Total TO's**	**-4**

UCF Knights | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **Temple Owls**

Position by Position Edges

UCF		Temple
	UCF QB/WR vs. Temple DB's	0.35
2.21	UCF RB's vs. Temple LB's	
1.70	UCF OL vs. Temple DL	
0.70	UCF DL vs. Temple OL	
1.32	UCF LB'S vs. Temple RB's	
0.57	UCF DB's vs. Temple QB/WR	
	UCF ST's vs. Temple ST's	0.13
0.50	UCF K vs. Temple K	
	UCF Coaches vs. Temple Coaches	0.30
7.00	UCF Pts vs. Temple Pts	0.78

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

UCF

By 6.22 Points

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	FOE 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	14-34	L	97	100	111	112	124	85
3-4	4-3	1-2	2-2	107	125			10/30	UCF			103	107	104	34	78	112
	3-4		1-2		125			11/6	at East Carolina						64	79	81
	6-1		4-0		129			11/13	Houston						85	21	16
	3-4		2-1		119			11/20	at Tulsa						45	66	129
	1-6		1-4		119			11/27	Navy						128	96	122

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	14-34	-295	-26	-1	8	14-48	3.4	12-21	183	1	34	73-421	5.8	15-21	105	0
UCF																
at East Carolina																
Houston																
at Tulsa																
Navy																
Average	22-34	-51.7	-5.6	-0.6	16	30-110	3.7	62.9%	214	7.6%	21	46-222	4.8	59.9%	154	5.1%
Conference	17-39	-194.7	-12.3	-0.7	15	25-96	3.8	64.1%	218	6.8%	27	48-285	5.9	67.4%	224	4.3%
Home	26-22	95.0	4.0	1.0	19	33-117	3.6	70.1%	258	5.6%	15	40-155	3.8	53.2%	125	8.1%

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

2020	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
UCF	-	-25.5	38	19	39-147	13-24-272	
Temple	-	76.5	13	19	50-183	10-25-107	-2
2019	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
UCF	-	-12	63	24	48-385	12-23-229	
Temple	-	61.5	21	12	40-45	16-31-221	-1
2018	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
UCF	9	-11	52	35	43-318	17-33-312	
Temple	-	61	40	35	46-226	31-52-444	-1
2017	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
UCF	14	-13	45	17	40-130	18-28-254	
Temple	-	56.5	19	19	35-196	17-42-201	-5
2016	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
UCF	-	-3.5	25	14	36-86	13-22-210	
Temple	-	53	26	24	51-197	12-24-167	-1

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Projected Box Score

UCF		Temple
	Projected Rushing	
272 yards	UCF	Temple	105 yards
	Projected Passing	
157 yards	UCF	Temple	212 yards
	Projected Yardage Total	
430 yards	UCF	Temple	316 yards
	Projected Final Score	
39 points	UCF	Temple	21 points
	Experience Rankings	
80	UCF	Temple	108
	Team Schedule Strength	
80	UCF	Temple	112

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Ucf By 10.5
Las Vegas Total	52 Points
+/- Ratings	Ucf By 14.3
Game Grade	Ucf By 15.6
Computer Yards	Ucf 430-316
Computer Points	Ucf 39-21
Phil Steele	UCF by 18

Phil's Forecast:

Temple won B2B mtgs against UCF in '15 & '16 but have now lost four straight meetings, all by double digits. Owls were on 3-game losing skid last year. Temple had 2 TO's on first two drives and UCF went 22/4 & 27/3 for TD's to lead 14-0 and led 21-3 at half with only a 169-148 yd edge. UCF opened 3Q with 45/5 TD, 72/9 FG and after an int 91/2 TD to lead 38-3. Temple got 10 4Q points for 38-13 (+25') final with 19-19 FD. The Knights have avg 49.5 ppg during their current 4-gm win streak against the Owls ('17-'20). Last time here ('19) UCF held a 28-21 lead at HT but the Knights defense posted a 2H shutout, 63-21 win (-12). UCF beat Boise in Gus Malzahn's debut with a 573-283 yd edge. Their season went south on the last play of the Louisville game giving up an int return for a TD with :13 left and losing QB Dillon Gabriel. They were upset by Navy, got past East Carolina then were walloped by Cincy. Last week Memphis' backup QB was 31-48-215 but had 3 int's in place of their starter who was a late scratch. Memphis had a 24-17 FD edge and the yds were 295-292. UCF got a 27/3 TD after a fum PR and later missed a FG and led 14-7 at half. Mem was SOD at 36 and UCF went 64/6 for TD and 54/9 for FG to lead 24-7 14:09 left. Mem int next 3 drives including twice in EZ and last drive QB Parrish SOD at 5 on run 2:23, 24-7 UCF final. Temple has three expected losses to Rutgers, BC and Cincy by 40.3 ppg and two expected wins over Wagner and Akron. They trailed Memphis 17-0 but pulled the upset 34-31 in their 3-3 start. Last week they all'd USF to top 400 yds rush for 2nd time in schl history (421) and USF had 20-2 FD edge at half but only led 17-7 with Temple getting a 70 yd TD pass 4:29 left. Temple opened 3Q with 75/8 TD 17-14 but USF 34-8 FD edge 526-231 yd edge pulled away and won 34-14 and were even SOD at Temple 10 & 11 yd lines. Georgia transfer QB Dwan Mathis has thrown for 1065 (60.8%, 6-4). UCF QB Miley Keene has thrown for 490 (62%, 4-3). UCF is playing to an AGG of 99.6 and Temple at 80.2 (UCF by 19.4). Temple is allowing 509 ypg in AAC play and UCF is starting to get healthier as they got back RB Isaiah Bowser and others and at 4-3 and they need wins. My computer has it 39-21 and UCF rolls on the road.

UCF 38 Temple 20

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	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
1-0	1-0	1-0	0-0	128	121	19		9/11	Middle Tennessee	35-14	W	79	21	48	94	109	51
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
2-1		1-0		130				9/25	Richmond	21-10	W	95	17	41			
3-1		1-0		127				10/2	Bye			99	21	32			
3-1	4-1	1-0	0-0	127	137		14	10/9	Notre Dame	29-32	L	104	22	22	73	7	30
3-2	4-1	1-0	1-0	127	127			10/16	Pittsburgh	7-28	L	104	23	10	15	43	61
3-3	3-4	1-1	0-3	122	126			10/23	Syracuse	36-41	L	110	20	10	63	73	82
3-4	3-4	1-2	2-3	122	125			10/30	at Georgia Tech			102	34	6	55	90	102
	4-3		0-3		123			11/6	at Boston College						77	86	22
	3-4		0-3		111			11/13	Duke						28	85	62
	3-4		1-2		130			11/20	at Miami, Fl						46	28	60
	6-2		4-2		134			11/27	at Virginia						26	103	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
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	36-41	-113	-4	0	21	44-260	5.9	10-20	177	3	25	45-314	7.0	16-34	236	1
at Georgia Tech																
at Boston College																
Duke																
at Miami, Fl																
at Virginia																
Average	24-23	-51.9	-0.7	0.1	19	38-150	4.0	53.4%	180	8.8%	20	38-179	4.7	57.5%	203	7.8%
Conference	20-26	-119.3	-4.7	0.0	17	38-159	4.1	46.5%	160	9.9%	22	40-223	5.6	52.9%	216	7.7%
Away	21-27	-40.0	1.0	1.0	19	41-106	2.6	61.3%	223	19.4%	18	33-176	5.3	57.7%	193	7.7%

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

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

Virginia Tech		Georgia Tech
#81	Rush Off	#48
#108	Pass Off	#56
#112	**Total Off**	**#46**
#99	Score Off	#53
#76	Sks Allowed	#69
#96	Rush Def	#88
#36	Pass Def	#104
#66	**Total Def**	**#96**
#51	Score Def	#90
#50	Sks By	#85
#102	Ypg Diff	#79
+1	**Total TO's**	**+2**

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

Position by Position Edges

Virginia Tech		Georgia Tech
0.39	Virginia Tech QB/WR vs. Georgia Tech DB's	
	Virginia Tech RB's vs. Georgia Tech LB's	1.33
	Virginia Tech OL vs. Georgia Tech DL	0.53
	Virginia Tech DL vs. Georgia Tech OL	0.15
0.42	Virginia Tech LB'S vs. Georgia Tech RB's	
1.44	Virginia Tech DB's vs. Georgia Tech QB/WR	
3.79	Virginia Tech ST's vs. Georgia Tech ST's	
0.95	Virginia Tech K vs. Georgia Tech K	
0.45	Virginia Tech Coaches vs. Georgia Tech Coaches	
7.45	Virginia Tech Pts vs. Georgia Tech Pts	2.02

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

Virginia Tech

By 5.44 Points

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	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- 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	40-48	L	70	81	103	41	91	99
3-4	3-4	2-3	1-2	125	122			10/30	Virginia Tech			55	90	102	102	34	6
	3-4		1-2		130			11/6	at Miami, Fl						46	28	60
	4-3		0-3		123			11/13	Boston College						77	86	22
	6-1		0-0		137			11/20	at Notre Dame						80	10	47
	7-0		5-0		156			11/27	Georgia						12	1	41

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 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	40-48	-66	-4	-1	28	34-270	7.9	27-44	300	1	32	30-240	8.0	29-43	396	1
Virginia Tech																
at Miami, Fl																
Boston College																
at Notre Dame																
Georgia																
Average	30-29	7.9	0.0	0.3	22	39-183	4.7	63.1%	243	7.9%	22	42-166	4.0	65.2%	252	6.2%
Conference	29-33	-42.6	-3.4	0.0	21	37-171	4.6	62.3%	258	5.8%	25	42-168	4.0	68.2%	304	6.4%
Home	33-28	36.3	3.0	0.8	21	41-191	4.7	68.3%	226	9.9%	18	40-143	3.5	60.2%	238	9.7%

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

2019	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
Virginia Tech	-	-6	45	18	45-238	11-16-223	
Georgia Tech	-	51	0	8	31-53	11-25-81	-2
2018	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Virginia Tech	-	-3	28	16	25-122	15-22-201	
Georgia Tech	-	58.5	49	35	78-465	0-1-0	1
2017	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Virginia Tech	17	-3	22	14	36-105	14-26-153	
Georgia Tech	-	50	28	19	57-261	2-8-140	-1
2016	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Virginia Tech	18	-14	20	25	33-121	32-47-316	
Georgia Tech	-	55	30	15	58-309	2-7-34	3

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Projected Box Score

Virginia Tech		Georgia Tech
	Projected Rushing	
161 yards	Virginia Tech	223 yards
	Projected Passing	
171 yards	Virginia Tech	211 yards
	Projected Yardage Total	
332 yards	Virginia Tech	434 yards
	Projected Final Score	
25 points	Virginia Tech	27 points
	Experience Rankings	
98	Virginia Tech	37
	Team Schedule Strength	
44	Virginia Tech	51

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Georgia Tech By 4
Las Vegas Total	55.5 Points
+/- Ratings	Georgia Tech By 7.0
Game Grade	Georgia Tech By 6.6
Computer Yards	Georgia Tech 434-332
Computer Points	Georgia Tech 26-24
Phil Steele	Georgia Tech by 3

Phil's Forecast:

Division rivals didn't meet last year for 1st time since VT joined ACC. Jackets won 3 straight meetings until '19. It is surprising that the home team is only 1-6 SU and on a 2-12 ATS run. There were 6 straight outright upsets in this series from '13-'18. VT has won 4 of last 5 trips to Atlanta including LTH in '19. Hokies were -6, led 31-0 at half with 299-48 yd edge, handed Jackets first shutout loss since 1997. HC Fuente is 5-12 ATS as an AF with VT but Collins is 4-7 ATS as a HD here. Virginia Tech is actually playing just their 2nd road game (lost at WVirg back on 9/18). Despite the great home schedule VT opened just 3-3 but has taken on the #46 schedule. Last week VT ret'd a blk'd xp for 2 to lead 16-13 and was up 19-13 at half. The lead changed hands 5 times in the 2H. Up 26-20 VT was SOD and Syr went 66/13 for TD but VT 59/6 FG and 69/5 for TD for a 2 score lead 36-27 5:36 left. Syr 45/7 TD then 70/6 45 yd TD pass with :19 left, handing VT surprising 41-36 home loss. Georgia Tech was upset by NIllnois in the opener but almost upset Clemson on the road. They pounded North Carolina in a 45-22 upset win but then were pounded by Pitt the next week. Last week at 3-3 GT went 75/5 and 79/12 for TD's on first 2 drives to lead 13-0 then after a VA TD GT took 3rd poss 66/13 but settle for 26 yd FG 16-7. Virg went 83/7 and 82/3 for TD's then 47/7 for FG and led 24-16 H. GT pull to 27-18 then Virg 75/8 and 77/8 for TD's 41-24 and led 48-27 with 3:50 left. GT 75/8 TD 1:16 then recover onside and TD :22 left 48-40 final with Virginia having 636-435 yd edge til those last 2 drives. GT is playing to an AGG of 98.8 the L4W and Vtech is at 90.7 but VT has a huge ST edge (#10 vs #103) so I am only taking the Jackets to win by a FG.

Georgia Tech 27 Virginia 24

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	59-3	W	43	53	64	124	129	123
3-4	4-3	2-2	3-2	131	132			10/30	at Clemson			25	39	82	68	4	67
	5-2		2-1		134			11/6	NC State						41	14	79
	3-4		1-2		130			11/13	Miami, Fl						46	28	60
	4-3		0-3		123			11/20	at Boston College						77	86	22
	4-3		2-3		133			11/27	at Florida						7	9	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
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	59-3	345	11	2	25	45-365	8.1	10-15	221	1	14	28-112	4.0	15-33	129	4
at Clemson																
NC State																
Miami, Fl																
at Boston College																
at Florida																
Average	31-26	24.6	0.6	-0.7	21	39-230	5.9	63.5%	183	9.4%	21	40-158	4.0	58.2%	230	8.6%
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%
Away	25-30	-108.0	-8.0	-1.5	19	35-165	4.7	77.1%	186	8.6%	27	47-227	4.8	61.9%	231	6.3%

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

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

Florida St		Clemson
#13	Rush Off	#85
#105	Pass Off	#110
#59	**Total Off**	**#116**
#44	Score Off	#114
#76	Sks Allowed	#50
#78	Rush Def	#31
#71	Pass Def	#51
#72	**Total Def**	**#37**
#73	Score Def	#3
#26	Sks By	#50
#69	Ypg Diff	#87
-5	**Total TO's**	**+1**

Florida St Seminoles | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **Clemson Tigers**

Position by Position Edges

Florida St		Clemson
	Florida St QB/WR vs. Clemson DB's	1.75
	Florida St RB's vs. Clemson LB's	0.58
	Florida St OL vs. Clemson DL	0.41
	Florida St DL vs. Clemson OL	0.00
0.97	Florida St LB'S vs. Clemson RB's	
1.11	Florida St DB's vs. Clemson QB/WR	
	Florida St ST's vs. Clemson ST's	0.30
	Florida St K vs. Clemson K	2.75
	Florida St Coaches vs. Clemson Coaches	2.25
2.08	Florida St Pts vs. Clemson Pts	8.04

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

Clemson

By 5.96 Points

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	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		23	10/23	at Pittsburgh	17-27	L	66	6	90	14	28	78
4-3	3-4	3-2	2-2	132	131			10/30	Florida St			68	4	67	25	39	82
	4-3		2-2		129			11/6	Louisville						38	65	33
	1-8		0-2		93			11/13	Connecticut						130	123	107
	7-0		4-0		131			11/20	Wake Forest						29	95	5
	4-4		1-4		113			11/27	at South Carolina						91	43	17

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	17-27	-149	-7	-1	19	30-164	5.5	15-32	151	1	26	43-162	3.8	25-39	302	2
Florida St																
Louisville																
Connecticut																
Wake Forest																
at South Carolina																
Average	20-15	-16.3	-1.9	0.1	18	33-145	4.4	54.7%	176	5.8%	20	37-122	3.2	59.4%	216	6.8%
Conference	18-18	-61.4	-5.8	0.4	17	34-154	4.5	54.4%	159	4.1%	23	39-125	3.2	60.3%	249	7.7%
Home	27-8	108.3	4.7	0.0	21	39-210	5.4	58.7%	198	1.1%	16	36-85	2.4	53.0%	215	9.0%

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

2019	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
Clemson	2	-27.5	45	31	53-320	24-38-232	
Florida St	-	60.5	14	10	23-103	17-35-150	-2
2018	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Clemson	2	-17.5	59	25	33-120	24-44-404	
Florida St	-	48.5	10	15	35--21	20-40-268	-1
2017	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Clemson	-	-16.5	31	24	52-227	20-30-151	
Florida St	-	44	14	12	24-21	13-32-208	0
2016	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Clemson	3	-4.5	37	25	38-133	27-43-378	
Florida St	12	60	34	23	28-163	17-35-286	1

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Projected Box Score

Florida St		Clemson
	Projected Rushing	
152 yards	Florida St	182 yards
	Projected Passing	
140 yards	Florida St	216 yards
	Projected Yardage Total	
292 yards	Florida St	399 yards
	Projected Final Score	
14 points	Florida St	25 points
	Experience Rankings	
79	Florida St	115
	Team Schedule Strength	
67	Florida St	27

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Clemson By 9.5
Las Vegas Total	47 Points
+/- Ratings	Clemson By 6.5
Game Grade	Clemson By 10.7
Computer Yards	Clemson 399-292
Computer Points	Clemson 24-13
Phil Steele	Clemson by 3

Phil's Forecast:

Clemson has won 5 straight meetings with the last two 2 coming in blowout fashion, by 31 & 49. These 2 were scheduled to play last year but the game was cancelled on gameday and Dabo said FSU used Covid as an excuse to not play the game. The home team is 14-4 SU/11-7 ATS. Last time here FSU caught Clemson off a bye after a near upset loss against North Carolina. The 'Noles trailed 28-0 at half and were outgained 367-63. FSU last won in Death Valley in '03. Clemson has been a shell of its playoff teams on offense. They opened 4-2 SU but 0-6 ATS with an offense putting up just 322 ypg and their FBS wins by 6, 6 and 3 and their losses by 7 and 6. Last week they were a dog for the first time since 16 in ACC reg ssn play and was int at Pitt 5 but went 80/8 for TD 7-0 after 1Q. Pitt went 90/13 and 76/9 for TD's last 2 drives of half (4&5 39 yd TD pass to Mack :40) to lead 14-7. Uiagalelei's shovel pass into line was int and return 50 yds for TD 21-7. CU with Phommachanh in at QB went 45/11 for FG 21-10 but Pitt 49/11 FG then 64/11 FG 27-10 9:30. CU 72/5 TD but Pitt 49/15/7:56 to 17 run out clock. Clemson lost LG Bockhorst for the season and #1 rusher Pace is out w/Covid but they did get their most talented RB Shipley back LW. Florida St opened up a poor 0-4 including a loss to Jacksonville St but then got past Syracuse and stunned North Carolina on the road 35-25. Last week hosting UMass they trailed led 3-0 after FSU fumbled the opening KR but took it from there with 365 yds rush and scored on 8 of 10 drives leading 38-3 at half and winning 59-3 (-35'). Clemson has a large D edge but FSU has the edge on offense with RB's Corbin (683, 7.9) and Ward (419, 7.4). QB Travis has a better comp % and is a better runner than Uiagalelei. The last 4 weeks Clemson is playing at an AGG of 102.9 and FSU is at 106.2! Clemson is 0-7 ATS and has a bad offense laying 10 points so I like FSU to keep it closer.

Clemson 20 Florida St 17

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	OFF	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	3-59	L	124	129	123	43	53	64
1-6	6-2	1-0	0-0	91	125			10/30	at Liberty			126	130	100	87	45	92
								11/6	Rhode Island								
								11/13	Maine								
	4-3		1-0		120			11/20	at Army West Point						63	81	85
	1-7		0-0		100			11/27	at New Mexico St						112	128	103

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	3-59	-345	-11	-2	14	28-112	4.0	15-33	129	4	25	45-365	8.1	10-15	221	1
at Liberty																
Rhode Island																
Maine																
at Army West Point																
at New Mexico St																
Average	15-44	-209.0	-8.4	-0.6	17	32-111	3.5	50.5%	175	6.7%	25	41-246	5.9	67.4%	249	3.3%
Conference	14-43	-215.0	-9.2	-0.6	15	33-109	3.3	46.1%	156	7.1%	24	41-245	6.0	68.9%	235	3.8%
Away	4-54	-378.0	-17.3	-0.3	13	26-61	2.3	50.0%	142	12.8%	30	44-300	6.9	69.4%	281	2.4%

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

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

UMass		Liberty
#110	Rush Off	#49
#111	Pass Off	#58
#124	**Total Off**	**#48**
#125	Score Off	#27
#60	Sks Allowed	#128
#126	Rush Def	#32
#101	Pass Def	#15
#127	**Total Def**	**#14**
#128	Score Def	#15
#125	Sks By	#7
#129	Ypg Diff	#16
-4	**Total TO's**	**-1**

UMass Minutemen | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **Liberty Flames**

Position by Position Edges

UMass		Liberty
	UMass QB/WR vs. Liberty DB's	1.75
	UMass RB's vs. Liberty LB's	2.18
	UMass OL vs. Liberty DL	1.42
	UMass DL vs. Liberty OL	1.31
0.05	UMass LB'S vs. Liberty RB's	
	UMass DB's vs. Liberty QB/WR	2.58
	UMass ST's vs. Liberty ST's	1.13
	UMass K vs. Liberty K	1.25
	UMass Coaches vs. Liberty Coaches	1.80
0.05	UMass Pts vs. Liberty Pts	13.44

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

Liberty

By 13.39 Points

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	--PS RANK-- ST	OFF	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	35-26	W	78	39	105	77	116	86
6-2	1-6	0-0	1-0	128	91			10/30	UMass			87	45	92	126	130	100
	6-1		3-1		141			11/6	at Mississippi						4	61	58
								11/13	Bye								
	6-1		4-0		129			11/20	Louisiana						47	80	40
	4-3		1-0		120			11/27	Army West Point						63	81	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
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	35-26	-103	-9	2	21	28-41	1.5	19-36	310	6	30	60-242	4.0	22-35	212	1
UMass																
at Mississippi																
Bye																
Louisiana																
Army West Point																
Average	34-18	122.9	4.4	-0.1	23	41-183	4.5	64.2%	242	13.7%	18	38-124	3.3	55.5%	178	11.5%
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%
Home	45-12	225.0	9.0	-0.3	24	41-209	5.1	64.8%	261	6.8%	15	28-63	2.2	51.5%	182	7.9%

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

2020	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
UMass	-	57	0	12	31-55	9-23-172	
Liberty	-	-35	45	31	44-378	17-31-251	2
2019	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
UMass	-	69	21	10	37-106	16-27-134	
Liberty	-	-23.5	63	31	45-242	23-32-488	-3
2018	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
UMass	-	-1.5	62	34	54-237	29-44-540	
Liberty	-	69	59	31	51-216	16-35-272	-1

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Projected Box Score

	Projected Rushing		
80 yards	UMass	Liberty	262 yards
	Projected Passing		
130 yards	UMass	Liberty	258 yards
	Projected Yardage Total		
211 yards	UMass	Liberty	520 yards
	Projected Final Score		
10 points	UMass	Liberty	46 points
	Experience Rankings		
106	UMass	Liberty	10
	Team Schedule Strength		
47	UMass	Liberty	120

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Liberty By 36
Las Vegas Total	57.5 Points
+/- Ratings	Liberty By 39.8
Game Grade	Liberty By 31.7
Computer Yards	Liberty 520-211
Computer Points	Liberty 46-9
Phil Steele	Liberty by 36

Phil's Forecast:

Liberty & the home team are both 2-1 SU & ATS all-time in the series even though this is just the Flames 2nd time hosting. Liberty is 4-1 SU & ATS against fellow FBS Independents the last 2Y. After winning their first mtg in '18 in 3 OT's, Minutemen have dropped 2 straight. That includes UMass' only previous trip here LY, a 45-0 loss. UMass was in LU territory 5x but never got to RZ. Liberty dominated leading 31-0 at half and had a 629-227 yd edge vs Mass in 45-0 win. Liberty opened the season a dominating 3-0 but lost to Syracuse on the road as a 6' pt AF on a Friday. They took out their frustrations on UAB after the upset loss. Game that was just 3-3 at half QB Malik Willis was unstoppable and they won 36-12 in UAB's first game in a new stadium. After clubbing Middle Tennessee, they were upset again, but this time by epic proportions (-33) by ULM. Last week Liberty was outgained 454-350 yd. North Texas was int at the 1 and SOD at the 6 but led 20-7 but on 3&15 with 1:13 left in the half Liberty bkp QB Jonathan Bennett got a 39 yd TD pass 20-14. NT open 3Q with 89/14 TD 26-14. Liberty starting QB Willis, injured his foot with 7:03 left 2Q & left the game, after a trip to a medical facility, he returned to the game with 7:27 left in the 3Q. He led Liberty on a 75/9 TD drive. The Flames then had a 72 yd PR TD for first lead 28-26 and next drive went 97/10 TD. NT 13 play drive but SOD at 36 and 71/9 but settle for and missed 26 yd FG 2:44 left in 35-26 loss. They do have a marquee game on deck and last year sat a banged up QB Willis vs North Alabama and only won 28-7 as a 31 pt HF. UMass delivered for me a couple of times on the Phil Steele Plus tour covering vs Boston College and Eastern Michigan at home. They have been miserable on the road at 0-3 SU & ATS despite being a 35+ pt dog in all 3, being outscored by an avg 54-4 and outgained by 378 ypg! Last week UMass led 3-0 after FSU fumbled the opening KO, but FSU took it from there. FSU had 365 yds rush and scored on 8 of 10 drives leading 38-3 at half and winning 59-3 (-35). UMass HC Walt Bell was the OC at FSU in '18 and his old offense outgained his new one 586-241. QB Brady Olsen has thrown for just 958 & is hitting just 50% with a 6-6 ratio. Liberty is known for the offense led by QB Willis but the defense is holding foes to 72 ypg below their season avg. UMass has played the tougher schedule (#41 vs #120). UMass has a pair of possible wins on deck vs FCS teams, so will want to remain healthy but do you want to lay 36 points with the possibility that QB Willis may be a late scratch like last year.

Liberty 42 Umass 6

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	--PS RANK-- ST	OFF	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	26-35	L	77	116	86	78	39	105
1-6	3-4	0-3	2-1	103	107			10/30	at Rice			72	112	108	118	118	124
	1-6		0-3		100			11/6	at Southern Miss						127	105	73
	6-1		3-0		113			11/13	UTEP						76	41	123
	1-6		0-3		103			11/20	at FIU						94	121	55
	8-0		4-0		134			11/27	UTSA						49	40	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
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	26-35	103	9	-2	30	60-242	4.0	22-35	212	1	21	28-41	1.5	19-36	310	6
at Rice																
at Southern Miss																
UTEP																
at FIU																
UTSA																
Average	23-35	-0.9	2.6	-0.3	23	48-219	4.5	53.1%	201	5.3%	21	40-178	4.5	62.9%	243	8.4%
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%
Away	21-36	11.7	2.0	-0.3	23	46-184	4.0	55.1%	260	5.9%	21	37-206	5.6	64.9%	226	4.3%

OVERALL: 1-6 vs. CUSA 0-3

OVERALL: 3-4 vs. CUSA 2-1

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

North Texas		Rice
#18	Rush Off	#83
#95	Pass Off	#118
#54	**Total Off**	**#118**
#104	Score Off	#119
#50	Sks Allowed	#89
#95	Rush Def	#108
#90	Pass Def	#91
#98	**Total Def**	**#108**
#118	Score Def	#123
#50	Sks By	#61
#82	Ypg Diff	#120
-2	**Total TO's**	**-5**

North Texas Mean Green | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **Rice Owls**

Position by Position Edges

North Texas		Rice
0.08	North Texas QB/WR vs. Rice DB's	
1.32	North Texas RB's vs. Rice LB's	
1.82	North Texas OL vs. Rice DL	
0.09	North Texas DL vs. Rice OL	
0.11	North Texas LB'S vs. Rice RB's	
0.06	North Texas DB's vs. Rice QB/WR	
	North Texas ST's vs. Rice ST's	0.28
0.90	North Texas K vs. Rice K	
0.60	North Texas Coaches vs. Rice Coaches	
4.99	North Texas Pts vs. Rice Pts	0.28

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

North Texas

By 4.72 Points

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	30-24	W	116	118	127	69	29	61
3-4	1-6	2-1	0-3	107	103			10/30	North Texas			118	118	124	72	112	108
	4-3		2-1		108			11/6	at Charlotte						79	124	69
	3-4		2-1		121			11/13	WKU						37	100	44
	6-1		3-0		113			11/20	at UTEP						76	41	123
	2-5		1-2		109			11/27	Louisiana Tech						109	104	101

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	30-24	-99	4	0	19	48-141	2.9	17-22	205	5	15	22-127	5.8	19-32	318	3
North Texas																
at Charlotte																
WKU																
at UTEP																
Louisiana Tech																
Average	18-37	-125.1	-3.7	-0.7	17	39-148	3.8	64.8%	166	11.7%	21	35-195	5.6	62.8%	244	7.7%
Conference	18-29	-151.0	-5.3	0.7	14	39-108	2.8	68.9%	149	14.8%	19	29-148	5.1	60.4%	260	9.4%
Home	26-32	-25.0	-1.7	-0.3	20	40-198	4.9	67.7%	188	9.2%	22	32-102	3.1	62.4%	309	9.2%

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

	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
2020							
North Texas	-	-2.5	27	17	42-269	9-20-120	
Rice	-	64.5	17	23	36-49	23-34-327	-2
2019							
North Texas	-	-6.5	14	10	25-75	17-32-163	
Rice	-	55.5	20	19	43-122	18-28-206	0
2018							
North Texas	-	-29.5	41	27	24-164	18-35-333	
Rice	-	57.5	17	18	37-95	21-37-204	1
2017							
North Texas	-	-12.5	30	25	44-188	18-25-195	
Rice	-	63.5	14	13	42-175	6-16-107	0
2016							
North Texas	-	54	42	19	42-215	17-29-224	
Rice	-	-7	35	28	60-255	24-40-236	-2

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Projected Box Score

North Texas		Rice
206 yards	**Projected Rushing**	180 yards
215 yards	**Projected Passing**	173 yards
421 yards	**Projected Yardage Total**	353 yards
29 points	**Projected Final Score**	29 points
59	**Experience Rankings**	81
93	**Team Schedule Strength**	68

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Rice By 2.5
Las Vegas Total	56.5 Points
+/- Ratings	Rice By 6.5
Game Grade	N Texas By 5.3
Computer Yards	N Texas 421-353
Computer Points	Rice 29-28
Phil Steele	Rice by 3

Phil's Forecast:

Last time here ('19) NT was coming off blowout loss at LT while Rice was 1-9 but coming off first win of season. Mean Green were outg'd 228-51 and down 20-0 at half, got within 20-14 but SOD at Rice15 late 4Q. Rice trails series 6-5 and they've lost 4 of the 5 meetings. The Owls did hold the yards edge in 5 of the last 8 meetings. Owls are only 5-12 SU at home under Bloomgren. Last year Rice (-2') opened with 48/8 and 97/7 drives for 10-0 lead after two poss. Rice fmbl at NT 28 and was SOD at NT 11 then NT got 66 yd TD run 6:56 left 2Q and after fmbl PR 38/6 for TD 1:09 to lead 14-10 half (Rice 12-6 FD). NT went 55/13 & 66/9 for FG's then 39/6 for TD and led 27-10 with Rice taking over with 1:26 left and going 80/6 for 17 yd TD pass with :08 left, 27-17. Last week Wiley Green was not on the two deep at QB but started and threw for 3 TD's. Rice a 3 TD plus dog open got a 50 yd KR by Otoviano and 50/12 TD drive then after a fumble went 51/6 for TD and stunning 13-0 lead. UAB went 75/4 and 33/3 (after fum) for TD's 14-13 but 64/9 settle and miss 33 yd FG. Rice 80/13 TD led 20-14 H. Rice open 3Q 65/10 TD 27-14. UAB 72 yd TD pass 6:53 3Q then int'd and SOD at Rice 20 next 2 drives. UAB down 30-24 got GW 40 yd TD pass but 2 penalties made it 3&35 and their 4&23 pass was inc at :00. NT was only -31 yds vs SMU in road opener but TO's and settling for fg's led to 35-12 loss. They were blownout by UAB at home. NT had B2B solid performances after falling behind early, only losing by 7 at LT & 13 at Mizzou. At home on ESPN2 on a Fri Night they trailed 42-7 at half vs Marshall. Last week NT had a 454-350 yd edge vs Liberty. NT was int at the 1 and SOD at the 6 but led 20-7 and on 3&15 with 1:13 left in the half Liberty bkp QB got a 39 yd TD pass 20-14. NT open 3Q with 89/14 TD 26-14 but Liberty 75/9 TD then 72 yd PR TD for first lead 28-26 and next drive 97/10 TD. NT 13 play drive but SOD at 36 and 71/9 but settle for and miss 26 yd FG 2:44 left in 35-26 loss. Battle of opposite paces with NT avg 88 plays per gm (#1) vs Rice who avg just 64 plays per gm. Rice avg 79 ypg below what their foes allow on avg and allows 42 ypg more than their foes allow on avg while NT avg 12 ypg more than foes allow and 27 ypg less than foes avg. NT is playing to an AGG of 86.7 with Rice just 78.6 (NT by 5.1) but Mean Green is on a 10-25 ATS run Rice's 4 losses have come against Ark, Hou, TX & UTSA.

Rice 30 North Texas 27

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	OFF	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	95			10/23	New Mexico St	48-34	W	67	54	86	126	126	52
4-4	5-2	1-2	3-1	116	118			10/30	at Utah St			0	0	0	61	102	28
	7-0		3-0		129			11/6	San Diego St						90	17	2
	0-7		0-3		108			11/13	at UNLV						122	120	119
	3-4		2-1		123			11/20	Colorado St						96	27	80
	4-3		0-3		112			11/27	at Wyoming						113	67	109

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	41-21	91	-1	1	21	33-215	6.5	16-25	277	3	22	41-121	3.0	28-47	280	4
at Utah St																
San Diego St																
at UNLV																
Colorado St																
at Wyoming																
Average	29-32	-25.8	-3.3	-0.1	21	35-176	5.1	56.6%	247	7.0%	24	35-151	4.3	54.2%	297	4.8%
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%
Away	24-36	-55.0	-3.8	-1.8	20	28-129	4.6	54.2%	273	8.4%	24	41-176	4.3	62.1%	281	6.5%

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

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

Hawaii		Utah St
#53	Rush Off	#69
#53	Pass Off	#15
#50	**Total Off**	**#19**
#63	Score Off	#68
#98	Sks Allowed	#82
#71	Rush Def	#117
#125	Pass Def	#88
#113	**Total Def**	**#111**
#105	Score Def	#87
#50	Sks By	#113
#94	Ypg Diff	#72
-1	**Total TO's**	**-1**

Hawaii Rainbow Warriors | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **Utah St Aggies**

Position by Position Edges

Hawaii		Utah St
0.01	Hawaii QB/WR vs. Utah St DB's	
0.77	Hawaii RB's vs. Utah St LB's	
0.82	Hawaii OL vs. Utah St DL	
0.21	Hawaii DL vs. Utah St OL	
0.96	Hawaii LB'S vs. Utah St RB's	
0.82	Hawaii DB's vs. Utah St QB/WR	
	Hawaii ST's vs. Utah St ST's	2.81
0.40	Hawaii K vs. Utah St K	
0.75	Hawaii Coaches vs. Utah St Coaches	
4.73	Hawaii Pts vs. Utah St Pts	2.81

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

Hawaii

By 1.92 Points

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	OFF	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	26-24	W	52	104	30	102	45	81
5-2	4-4	3-1	1-2	118	116			10/30	Hawaii			61	102	28	67	54	86
	1-7		0-0		100			11/6	at New Mexico St						112	128	103
	4-4		2-2		114			11/13	at San Jose St						111	62	56
	4-3		0-3		112			11/20	Wyoming						113	67	109
	3-5		1-3		108			11/27	at New Mexico						124	75	84

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	26-24	-128	0	1	26	48-111	2.3	17-31	233	8	26	43-190	4.4	18-30	282	1
Hawaii																
at New Mexico St																
at San Jose St																
Wyoming																
at New Mexico																
Average	29-29	18.9	2.1	-0.1	24	42-161	3.8	58.1%	303	6.8%	22	38-204	5.4	61.1%	242	4.6%
Conference	27-30	-0.3	2.5	0.3	24	44-167	3.8	56.9%	297	9.7%	22	45-249	5.6	55.2%	216	4.8%
Home	24-27	-17.0	-1.8	-0.5	23	41-146	3.6	53.7%	290	10.2%	24	36-156	4.3	64.8%	297	4.1%

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

2018	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
Hawaii	-	71.5	17	18	20-43	19-48-347	
Utah St	18	-18.5	56	29	54-426	19-24-175	1
2017	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Hawaii	-	56.5	0	20	47-172	19-35-146	
Utah St	-	-10.5	38	20	39-311	12-20-164	0

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Projected Box Score

Hawaii		Utah St
194 yards	**Projected Rushing**	175 yards
225 yards	**Projected Passing**	324 yards
418 yards	**Projected Yardage Total**	498 yards
26 points	**Projected Final Score**	33 points
9	**Experience Rankings**	39
84	**Team Schedule Strength**	65

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Utah St By 5.5
Las Vegas Total	65 Points
+/- Ratings	Utah St By 6.3
Game Grade	Utah St By 9.1
Computer Yards	Utah St 498-418
Computer Points	Utah St 33-26
Phil Steele	Utah St by 7

Phil's Forecast:

Since 2011 Hawaii is on a 0-5 SU/ATS slide in this series. The past 4 meetings have not been close as UH has lost by nearly 34 ppg. Last time here ('17) Hawaii had 4 SOD's and were shut out 38-0. USU is just 4-6 ATS at home vs MW foes the last 3 years. Utah St has a solid altitude edge. Utah St trailed Wash St by 14 in the 4Q, trailed North Dakota at half and trailed Air Force 45-34 in 4Q but rallied to win all 3 and opened the ssn 3-0. After losses to BYU and Boise the Aggies got another late TD to get past UNLV and move to 4-2. Last week USU was tied 14-14 vs CSU and Utah St got a 54 yd KR to set up a 13/7 45 yd FG 1:30 then CSU fumble the KR and Utah St 30 yd FG :33 20-14. USU opened 2H 55/12 42 yd FG 23-14 9:23 CSU two punts then SOD at 35 and 69/7 40 yd FG 23-17. USU 48/9 34 yd FG 5:03 26-17. CSU 73/5 TD then 61/7 3&10 15 yd pass to 24 FD :11 but FG team runs out (should have spiked it) and a rushed 42 yd FG that just sailed left. Hawaii has played better than the finals early but opened 1-3 but after a win vs NMST they upset Fresno before losing to Nevada on the road 34-17. Last week UH bkp RB Parson ran for 161 yds and UH had TD's on 3 plays of 75 yds or longer. UH QB Schager had his 3rd start and hit 25-29 for 219 yds. UH led 24-3 mid 2Q 24-13 at half but NMST got 46 yd TD run to tie it at 27 but on next play Turner got a 75 yd TD run. NMSt went 62/10 but were int'd and return 75 yds for TD. UH went on to win 48-34. Utah St is avg'g 303 pass ypg as new HC Anderson brought his QB from Ark St over in Logan Bonner and Utah St WR Thompkins has 923 (16.5, 6 td) this ssn. Utah St's run D does allow 249 ypg (5.6) and Hawaii has ran for 225 ypg (6.4) the last 4 gms. Hawaii is playing to a 92.8 AGG and Utah St is at 97.4 so when you factor in home field the AGG has Utah St by 8.9. Utah St's strong pass attack will be enough to get them the win by a TD.

Utah St 33 Hawaii 26

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	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- 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	48-40	W	41	91	99	70	81	103
6-2	6-2	4-2	0-0	134	128		25	10/30	at BYU			26	103	88	53	82	57
								11/6	Bye								
	6-1		0-0		137			11/13	Notre Dame						80	10	47
	6-1		3-0		134			11/20	at Pittsburgh						15	20	93
	3-4		1-2		122			11/27	Virginia Tech						102	34	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
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	48-40	66	4	1	32	30-240	8.0	29-43	396	1	28	34-270	7.9	27-44	300	1
at BYU																
Bye																
Notre Dame																
at Pittsburgh																
Virginia Tech																
Average	38-26	106.8	5.9	-0.1	28	30-135	4.6	63.1%	405	6.0%	22	37-198	5.3	58.9%	234	4.3%
Conference	36-33	45.5	4.2	-0.2	28	29-123	4.3	61.9%	413	7.1%	24	39-230	5.9	59.9%	261	3.6%
Away	34-40	-9.7	1.0	-1.0	25	27-79	2.9	64.8%	436	7.4%	24	40-265	6.6	59.0%	260	6.4%

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

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

Virginia		BYU
#88	Rush Off	#67
#2	Pass Off	#60
#4	**Total Off**	**#65**
#16	Score Off	#84
#114	Sks Allowed	#50
#112	Rush Def	#61
#79	Pass Def	#84
#104	**Total Def**	**#71**
#72	Score Def	#46
#107	Sks By	#77
#24	Ypg Diff	#74
-1	**Total TO's**	**+4**

Virginia Cavaliers | **LEADERS & TEAM AVERAGES** | **BYU Cougars**

Position by Position Edges

Virginia		BYU
1.44	Virginia QB/WR vs. BYU DB's	
	Virginia RB's vs. BYU LB's	1.42
0.26	Virginia OL vs. BYU DL	
	Virginia DL vs. BYU OL	0.94
0.78	Virginia LB'S vs. BYU RB's	
	Virginia DB's vs. BYU QB/WR	1.02
	Virginia ST's vs. BYU ST's	1.11
0.80	Virginia K vs. BYU K	
0.35	Virginia Coaches vs. BYU Coaches	
3.63	Virginia Pts vs. BYU Pts	4.48

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

BYU

By 0.85 Points

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	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	21-19	W	53	87	54	83	49	83
6-2	6-2	0-0	4-2	128	134	25		10/30	Virginia			53	82	57	26	103	88
								11/6	Idaho St								
								11/13	Bye								
	2-5		1-3		110			11/20	at GA Southern						108	115	45
	3-4		2-3		127			11/27	USC						22	58	53

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
† 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	21-19	35	3	1	23	48-238	5.0	16-21	147	2	20	23-93	4.0	26-37	257	1
Virginia																
Idaho St																
Bye																
at GA Southern																
USC																
Average	26-23	15.3	-0.8	0.5	21	35-162	4.7	67.1%	239	5.6%	22	31-147	4.7	65.8%	240	5.2%
Conference	24-21	-37.0	-0.6	1.2	20	38-166	4.3	65.5%	212	7.2%	21	33-166	5.1	69.0%	249	5.4%
Home	26-22	35.0	2.0	0.0	22	34-153	4.5	63.3%	243	2.5%	20	28-169	6.1	65.7%	193	5.6%

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

None

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Projected Box Score

Virginia		BYU
Projected Rushing		
119 yards	Virginia	185 yards
BYU		
Projected Passing		
340 yards	Virginia	279 yards
BYU		
Projected Yardage Total		
459 yards	Virginia	464 yards
BYU		
Projected Final Score		
30 points	Virginia	29 points
BYU		
Experience Rankings		
84	Virginia	119
BYU		
Team Schedule Strength		
46	Virginia	30
BYU		

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Byu By 2.5
Las Vegas Total	63.5 Points
+/- Ratings	Virginia By 2.0
Game Grade	Virginia By 0.8
Computer Yards	Byu 464-459
Computer Points	Virginia 30-29
Phil Steele	BYU by 6

Phil's Forecast:

Mendenhall maintained for years he didn't want to play BYU during his UVA coaching tenure. The game against BYU was moved back to the 2021 season five years ago. It's sure to be an emotional week for Mendenhall, who was tearful in 2015 when he said goodbye to BYU. The last two times the programs met, in 2013 and 2014, Mendenhall was on the BYU sideline. This will be the first time Mendenhall and Sitake coach against each other. BYU is 2-3 vs Virginia but has won 2 of the last 3 including a 41-33 as a 14' pt HF in their last meeting in '14. UVA was off B2B wins, held 519-332 yd edge, - 2 TO's, lost to #21 BYU 41-33. Virginia is playing a 9th straight week and traveling to the altitude of BYU. BYU is also playing a 9th straight week. Virginia is 8-21 SU on the road. BYU opened the year a strong 5-0 with wins over Utah and Arizona St but lost at home to Boise and on the road to Baylor. Virginia opened 2-2 and nearly went to 2-4 but BOTH Miami and Louisville missed Game Winning FG's at the end and they were 4-2 then blasted Duke. Last week they faced a Wash St team debuting an interim HC and BYU RB Tyler Allgeier ran for 191 yds. Wash St was undone by a couple of holding calls that wiped out big gains and two failed 2 pt conv's. It was 7-7 at half with Wash St 9-7 FD but they were int in EZ and BYU miss a FG and was SOD at 26. BYU open 3Q with 75/11 TD WST 69/10 TD but miss 2 pt trail 14-13. BYU 2nd 3Q poss 81/11 for TD 1st play 4Q. WST punt then 76/11 TD but had to go for 2 and miss it in 21-19 loss. QB Brennan Armstrong has thrown for 3220 (64%, 23-6). The Cavs D is allowing foes 39 ypg above their season average but they have faced the tougher sked (#28 vs #51). BYU QB Jaren Hall has thrown for 1348 (64%, 9-3) with Tyler Allgeier rushing for 856 (5.1). BYU is holding foes to 16 ypg below their season average. The Cavs have been playing better than BYU the last 4 weeks but the situation, run game, defense and special teams all favor the home team.

BYU 35 Virginia 29

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	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	31-34	L	42	26	34	28	19	44
5-3	4-3	3-2	3-1	132	134			10/30	at Utah			0	0	0	36	22	118
								11/6	Bye								
	2-5		1-3		116			11/13	Colorado						123	70	23
	3-4		2-3		127			11/20	at USC						22	58	53
	2-5		1-3		126			11/27	California						43	30	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
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	31-34	-65	6	0	28	45-110	2.4	24-46	242	4	22	24-121	5.0	29-39	296	4
at Utah																
Bye																
Colorado																
at USC																
California																
Average	33-26	29.0	0.8	0.6	22	44-205	4.6	59.1%	210	8.8%	21	29-95	3.2	61.1%	291	5.8%
Conference	29-27	38.4	4.4	0.4	24	47-214	4.6	60.1%	199	8.5%	19	30-114	3.8	67.7%	260	7.0%
Away	31-19	99.0	3.7	0.7	23	46-257	5.6	62.7%	172	6.7%	19	32-91	2.9	65.0%	239	7.0%

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

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

UCLA		Utah
#27	Rush Off	#51
#88	Pass Off	#69
#58	**Total Off**	**#62**
#31	Score Off	#40
#89	Sks Allowed	#20
#14	Rush Def	#68
#124	Pass Def	#49
#70	**Total Def**	**#55**
#70	Score Def	#66
#43	Sks By	#26
#66	Ypg Diff	#58
+5	**Total TO's**	**-1**

UCLA Bruins | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **Utah Utes**

Position by Position Edges

UCLA		Utah
	UCLA QB/WR vs. Utah DB's	0.44
	UCLA RB's vs. Utah LB's	0.94
	UCLA OL vs. Utah DL	0.46
	UCLA DL vs. Utah OL	0.16
0.98	UCLA LB'S vs. Utah RB's	
0.14	UCLA DB's vs. Utah QB/WR	
3.47	UCLA ST's vs. Utah ST's	
	UCLA K vs. Utah K	0.55
	UCLA Coaches vs. Utah Coaches	1.10
4.59	UCLA Pts vs. Utah Pts	3.65

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

UCLA

By 0.94 Points

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	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- 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	34-42	L	34	15	108	37	46	43
4-3	5-3	3-1	3-2	134	132			10/30	UCLA			36	22	118	42	26	34
	3-4		2-3		131			11/6	at Stanford						54	46	48
	0-7		0-4		109			11/13	at Arizona						110	88	113
	6-1		3-1		135			11/20	Oregon						27	13	59
	2-5		1-3		116			11/27	Colorado						123	70	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
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	34-42	-13	6	1	28	41-188	4.6	22-36	267	0	22	41-260	6.3	14-19	208	2
UCLA																
at Stanford																
at Arizona																
Oregon																
Colorado																
Average	32-25	44.6	3.3	-0.1	23	33-177	5.3	63.1%	232	3.9%	20	37-150	4.1	63.2%	214	9.0%
Conference	34-26	20.3	1.5	0.3	25	36-197	5.4	65.0%	239	2.5%	23	35-143	4.1	65.2%	274	11.3%
Home	33-17	93.7	6.0	-0.3	25	33-203	6.1	64.7%	215	2.4%	19	34-92	2.7	64.7%	233	14.7%

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

2019	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
UCLA	-	52	3	18	37-50	20-36-219	
Utah	8	-21	49	19	38-201	14-19-335	4
2018	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
UCLA	-	54.5	10	17	26-127	20-40-164	
Utah	23	-10.5	41	26	50-325	14-22-145	2
2017	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
UCLA	-	56.5	17	12	32-134	11-16-115	
Utah	-	-7	48	24	50-272	15-22-234	1
2016	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
UCLA	-	-6.5	45	29	16-46	40-71-464	
Utah	19	46.5	52	20	49-360	12-24-179	3

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Projected Box Score

	Projected Rushing		
164 yards	UCLA	Utah	152 yards
	Projected Passing		
192 yards	UCLA	Utah	281 yards
	Projected Yardage Total		
356 yards	UCLA	Utah	433 yards
	Projected Final Score		
28 points	UCLA	Utah	34 points
	Experience Rankings		
23	UCLA	Utah	72
	Team Schedule Strength		
16	UCLA	Utah	17

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Utah By 6.5
Las Vegas Total	60.5 Points
+/- Ratings	Utah By 6.8
Game Grade	Utah By 6.8
Computer Yards	Utah 433-356
Computer Points	Utah 34-28
Phil Steele	Utah by 11

Phil's Forecast:

The Bruins lead the series 11-7 but have dropped the last 4 SU & ATS (avg loss by 29.5 ppg). The Bruins' last victory in Salt Lake City was a 17-9 win in '15. The Utes are 7-3 the last 10 meetings. LTH ('19), Utah trailed 3-0 before scoring 49 unanswered (536-269 yds edge) for their largest MOV in Pac-12 play, 49-3 (-21). Utah is 15-7 ATS as a HF the last 5 years and UCLA is on 3rd road game in 4 weeks. This is a crucial game in the Pac 12 South standings. Utah opened a disappointing 1-2 with upset road losses to BYU and San Diego St and did not look good when trailing Wash St 13-7 in the 3Q. They had a 17-1 FD edge the rest of game vs Wash St, then dominated USC on the road and dominated the 2H in crucial 35-21 home win over Ariz St. Last week they were in a tough spot off two big wins and traveling to Oregon St which was off a bye. Utah scored TD's on first 2 poss to lead 14-0 and despite a 74/9 drive being SOD at the 1 the Utes got a TD :46 left to lead 24-14 at half. OSU open 3Q 75/10 TD then blocked a punt for TD for lead 28-24. Down 35-31 Utah miss 52 yd FG 13:26 left and OSU 66/7 TD. Utah 73/10 SOD at 2 6:22 then 50/5 33 yd FG 2:39 left in 42-34 loss. UCLA opened with an impressive win over LSU but was upset by Fresno. They got a key road win at Stanford but then lost at home to that same Ariz St team. After solid road wins vs Arizona and Washington they were 5-2 and last week they jumped out to a 14-0. UCLA led 17-14 at half but trailed 27-17 after 3Q and 34-17. UCLA got a pair of TD's and got int with 3:00 left. DTR was injured but bkp Garbers got 2 FD to Ore 39 but was int'd with :48 left and Oregon held on 34-31. Zach Charbonnet and Brittain Brown have combined for 1235 (5.9) rush and DTR has a solid 14-3 ratio but he's questionable this week. The weather will likely be chilly for the California boys and Utah has a great home field edge with altitude in their favor.

Best Bet: ★ Utah 35 UCLA 24

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	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	19-21	L	83	49	83	53	87	54
4-4	5-2	3-2	3-1	127	135			10/30	at Arizona St			84	49	94	18	23	46
								11/6	Bye								
	6-1		3-1		135			11/13	at Oregon						27	13	59
	0-7		0-4		109			11/20	Arizona						110	88	113
	3-4		2-2		126			11/27	at Washington						74	15	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
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	19-21	-35	-3	-1	20	23-93	4.0	26-37	257	1	23	48-238	5.0	16-21	147	2
at Arizona St																
Bye																
at Oregon																
Arizona																
at Washington																
Average	25-25	-18.8	-0.9	0.3	21	29-109	3.7	63.3%	263	6.5%	22	37-166	4.5	56.0%	225	5.6%
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%
Away	17-15	14.0	5.0	-0.5	22	36-92	2.6	62.5%	234	11.3%	17	34-167	5.0	50.9%	145	9.4%

OVERALL: 4-4 | **vs. PAC 12** 3-2

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

Wash St		Arizona St
#112	Rush Off	#30
#39	Pass Off	#72
#85	**Total Off**	**#41**
#90	Score Off	#43
#89	Sks Allowed	#34
#86	Rush Def	#37
#63	Pass Def	#22
#75	**Total Def**	**#20**
#64	Score Def	#21
#71	Sks By	#19
#88	Ypg Diff	#20
+2	**Total TO's**	**+2**

Wash St Cougars | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **Arizona St Sun Devils**

Position by Position Edges

Wash St		Arizona St
	Wash St QB/WR vs. Arizona St DB's	1.14
	Wash St RB's vs. Arizona St LB's	2.48
	Wash St OL vs. Arizona St DL	0.33
	Wash St DL vs. Arizona St OL	1.10
	Wash St LB'S vs. Arizona St RB's	0.10
0.94	Wash St DB's vs. Arizona St QB/WR	
	Wash St ST's vs. Arizona St ST's	1.27
0.10	Wash St K vs. Arizona St K	
	Wash St Coaches vs. Arizona St Coaches	1.00
1.04	Wash St Pts vs. Arizona St Pts	7.43

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

Arizona St

By 6.39 Points

Arizona St Sun Devils

Sun Devils 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		134		25		9/4	Southern Utah	41-14	W	13	24	23			
1-0	0-1	0-0	0-0	131	106	23		9/11	UNLV	37-10	W	15	26	13	120	122	57
2-0	2-0	0-0	0-0	132	133	19	23	9/18	at BYU	17-27	L	17	27	9	54	75	40
2-1	1-2	0-0	0-0	131	118			9/25	Colorado	35-13	W	24	29	10	113	43	113
3-1	3-1	1-0	1-0	132	137		20	10/2	at UCLA	42-23	W	23	27	12	34	35	31
4-1	3-2	2-0	2-1	137	132	22		10/9	Stanford	28-10	W	19	31	20	43	49	82
5-1	3-2	3-0	2-0	138	135	18		10/16	at Utah	21-35	L	23	26	28	35	15	107
5-2		3-1		135				10/23	Bye			20	31	39			
5-2	4-4	3-1	3-2	135	127			10/30	Washington St			18	23	46	84	49	94
	3-4		2-3		127			11/6	USC						22	58	53
	3-4		2-2		126			11/13	at Washington						74	15	114
	5-2		3-1		133			11/20	at Oregon St						32	57	24
	0-7		0-4		109			11/27	Arizona						110	88	113

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 Utah	41-14	197	7	2	22	40-222	5.6	14-18	199	2	15	26-78	3.0	19-31	146	2
UNLV	37-10	307	18	-1	29	47-287	6.1	20-29	175	1	11	32-88	2.8	7-19	67	5
at BYU	17-27	65	-4	-2	19	33-161	4.9	21-29	265	2	23	39-144	3.7	16-28	217	2
Colorado	35-13	189	7	0	25	32-167	5.2	20-27	272	0	18	44-183	4.2	7-17	67	3
at UCLA	42-23	40	-5	0	17	33-178	5.4	13-19	287	0	22	52-190	3.7	21-32	235	4
Stanford	28-10	61	1	2	21	44-255	5.8	14-23	175	2	20	20-13	0.7	27-45	356	5
at Utah	21-35	-70	-7	1	22	35-148	4.2	20-31	237	4	29	36-208	5.8	21-33	247	0
Bye																
Washington St																
USC																
at Washington																
at Oregon St																
Arizona																
Average	32-19	112.7	2.4	0.3	22	38-203	5.4	69.3%	230	6.3%	20	36-129	3.6	57.6%	191	10.2%
Conference	32-20	55.0	-1.0	0.8	21	36-187	5.2	67.0%	243	6.0%	22	38-149	3.9	59.8%	226	9.4%
Home	35-12	188.5	8.3	0.8	24	41-233	5.7	70.1%	205	5.2%	16	31-91	3.0	53.6%	159	13.4%

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

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

2019	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
Washington St	-	60.5	34	29	10-32	44-66-466	
Arizona St	18	-1.5	38	25	32-169	26-36-363	0
2018	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Washington St	-	-7.5	37	24	19--52	42-53-398	
Arizona St	-	64	32	12	35-113	14-24-167	-1

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Projected Box Score

Wash St		Arizona St
68 yards	**Projected Rushing**	234 yards
228 yards	**Projected Passing**	230 yards
295 yards	**Projected Yardage Total**	465 yards
17 points	**Projected Final Score**	33 points
20	**Experience Rankings**	12
37	**Team Schedule Strength**	70

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Arizona St By 15.5
Las Vegas Total	53 Points
+/- Ratings	Arizona St By 12.5
Game Grade	Arizona St By 13.0
Computer Yards	Arizona St 465-295
Computer Points	Arizona St 33-17
Phil Steele	Arizona St by 4

Phil's Forecast:

Arizona St has won 11 of the last 14 but has dropped 2 of the last 3. Last time here ('19) these two combined for 1,030 yds & 72 pts. After WSU took a 3-pt lead w/2:30 to go, they allowed a TD w/:34 left in a 38-34 loss (+1'). Last year's game in Pullman was cancelled (Covid). Arizona St is fresh off a bye and playing in the Arizona heat vs a Wash St team playing a ninth straight week. Arizona St was upset at BYU but beat UCLA on the road and beat Stanford 28-10 at home and led Utah 21-7 at half. They lost at Utah 35-21 to lose control of the South but are fresh off a bye. Wash St opened 1-3 but led in all 3 losses and got back QB De Laura and then won 3 in a row with outright upsets of Cal, Oregon St and Stanford. They fired coach Rolovich and 4 asst's and last week were undone by a couple of holding calls that wiped out big gains and two failed 2 pt conv's. It was 7-7 at half with Wash St 9-7 FD but they were int in EZ and BYU miss a FG and was SOD at 26. BYU open 3Q with 75/11 TD Wash St 69/10 TD but PAT snap was dropped, trail 14-13. BYU 2nd 3Q poss 81/11 for TD 1st play 4Q. Wash St punt then 76/11 TD but had to go for 2 and miss it in 21-19 loss. The last 4 weeks ASU is playing to an AGG of 111.6 and Wash St is at 107.1 (ASU by 7.5). The situation favors Ariz St but the angles favor the Cougars as Wash St is 20-10 ATS as an AD the last 9 years and on a 5-0 ATS run while ASU is 3-7 ATS as a HF the last 3 years. Wash St has taken on the tougher schedule (#37 vs #69) and I'll call for the Cougars to stay within a score.

Arizona St 31 Washington St 27

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	OFF	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	42-34	W	37	46	43	34	15	108
5-2	2-5	3-1	1-3	133	126			10/30	at California			32	57	24	43	30	83
	2-5		1-3		116			11/6	at Colorado						123	70	23
	3-4		2-3		131			11/13	Stanford						54	46	48
	5-2		3-1		135			11/20	Arizona St						18	23	46
	6-1		3-1		135			11/27	at Oregon						27	13	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 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	42-34	13	-6	-1	22	41-260	6.3	14-19	208	2	28	41-188	4.6	22-36	267	0
at California																
at Colorado																
Stanford																
Arizona St																
at Oregon																
Average	35-25	53.9	0.1	0.3	23	42-245	5.9	62.0%	201	4.7%	23	31-117	3.7	61.5%	275	4.8%
Conference	35-29	16.3	-0.3	0.0	24	47-283	6.1	59.5%	157	6.3%	25	31-133	4.4	65.0%	291	3.8%
Away	30-29	14.0	-2.3	0.3	24	40-236	5.9	56.6%	219	2.4%	26	26-85	3.2	67.2%	356	2.9%

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

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

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

Oregon St		California
#7	Rush Off	#62
#96	Pass Off	#55
#33	**Total Off**	**#61**
#24	Score Off	#100
#15	Sks Allowed	#60
#25	Rush Def	#27
#113	Pass Def	#94
#77	**Total Def**	**#56**
#61	Score Def	#54
#85	Sks By	#77
#45	Ypg Diff	#56
+2	**Total TO's**	**+3**

Oregon St Beavers | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **California Golden Bears**

Position by Position Edges

Oregon St		California
	Oregon St QB/WR vs. California DB's	1.06
	Oregon St RB's vs. California LB's	0.44
1.10	Oregon St OL vs. California DL	
	Oregon St DL vs. California OL	1.08
1.40	Oregon St LB'S vs. California RB's	
0.16	Oregon St DB's vs. California QB/WR	
2.35	Oregon St ST's vs. California ST's	
	Oregon St K vs. California K	0.90
	Oregon St Coaches vs. California Coaches	0.40
5.01	Oregon St Pts vs. California Pts	3.88

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

Oregon St

By 1.13 Points

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	--PS RANK-- ST	OFF	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	26-3	W	47	60	95	117	63	40
2-5	5-2	1-3	3-1	126	133			10/30	Oregon St			43	30	83	32	57	24
	0-7		0-4		109			11/6	at Arizona						110	88	113
	3-4		2-3		127			11/13	USC						22	58	53
	3-4		2-3		131			11/20	at Stanford						54	46	48
	5-3		3-2		132			11/27	at UCLA						42	26	34

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	26-3	334	16	1	23	40-213	5.3	22-30	225	1	7	28-35	1.3	9-18	69	6
Oregon St																
at Arizona																
USC																
at Stanford																
at UCLA																
Average	23-24	46.0	0.0	0.4	21	32-166	5.2	62.6%	245	5.7%	21	32-119	3.7	57.6%	246	5.7%
Conference	18-20	88.5	3.0	0.5	21	34-157	4.6	61.9%	236	6.8%	18	32-113	3.5	60.8%	192	7.5%
Home	23-19	74.8	3.0	0.5	21	31-183	5.9	62.9%	211	5.3%	18	28-67	2.4	55.2%	252	5.8%

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

2020	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
Oregon St	-	46.5	31	16	30-205	13-21-155	
California	-	-3	27	24	38-124	28-43-315	0
2019	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Oregon St	-	51	21	18	40-107	18-34-174	
California	-	-11	17	20	43-107	14-33-175	-1
2018	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Oregon St	-	58	7	18	41-95	17-33-146	
California	-	-7.5	49	27	43-305	17-26-234	1
2017	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Oregon St	-	55	23	18	31-104	14-26-195	
California	-	-7.5	37	34	45-216	24-31-259	-1
2016	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Oregon St	-	70.5	47	27	50-474	13-24-85	
California	-	-13.5	44	27	44-317	24-45-124	1

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Projected Box Score

Projected Rushing		
202 yards	Oregon St	California 153 yards
Projected Passing		
177 yards	Oregon St	California 280 yards
Projected Yardage Total		
379 yards	Oregon St	California 433 yards
Projected Final Score		
29 points	Oregon St	California 25 points
Experience Rankings		
43	Oregon St	California 35
Team Schedule Strength		
55	Oregon St	California 40

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Oregon St By 1.5
Las Vegas Total	55.5 Points
+/- Ratings	Oregon St By 3.5
Game Grade	California By 1.0
Computer Yards	California 433-379
Computer Points	Oregon St 29-25
Phil Steele	Oregon St by 7

Phil's Forecast:

The Beavers have lost both games in back-to-back road situations five consecutive times. These two have split the last 10 but Cal has dropped the last 2. Last year OSU QB Gebbia had a TD passing, rushing and receiving (1st P12 QB s/1996). OSU got 75 yd TD run Jefferson (196 rush) first play but trailed 20-14 H (Cal 317-164 yd). OSU FG, TD open 3Q led 24-20. Cal 32/6 TD drive (after int), 27-24. OSU block punt 14/3 TD 31-27 4:30 left. Cal drive to 10 but int'd at 8. Last time here ('19) OSU scored a TD w/4:41 left in a 21-17 win (+11). OSU's last 3 wins in the series ('16, '19, '20) have all been by 4 pts or less (3-0 ATS). Oregon St lost the opener to a solid Purdue giving up a TD with 2:09 left in 9 point loss but then switched to Chance Nolan at QB and won 4 in a row including a dominating upset of USC on the road and win at home over Washington and were atop the Pac 12 North. They lost at Wash St and last week off a bye were in a great situation vs a Utah team off two huge B2B Pac 12 South wins and Utah scored TD's on first 2 poss to lead 14-0 and despite a 74/9 drive being SOD at the 1 the Utes got a TD :46 left to lead 24-14 at half. OSU open 3Q 75/10 TD then blocked a punt for TD for lead 28-24. Down 35-31 Utah miss 52 yd FG 13:26 left and OSU 66/7 TD. Utah 73/10 SOD at 2 6:22 then 50/5 33 yd FG 2:39 left in OSU 42-34 win. Cal opened 0-5 vs FBS teams but did losses by 5, 2, 7 and 7 and last week Chase Garbers moved past Joe Kapp for all time leader QB Rusher at Cal with 10-96. Cal scored on first 5 poss to lead 23-3 H and dominated with 438-104 yd edge in 26-3 home vs Colorado. OSU avg 245 (5.9) rush led by RB BJ Baylor (830, 7.0) and Deshaun Fenwick (332, 5.8). Cal has the edge on D but Oregon St puts up 89 ypg more than their foes allow while Cal's offensive avg is equal to what their foes allow and the Beavers have the ST edge (#43 vs #95). OSU is 9-3 ATS on the road while Cal is 4-13-1 ATS at home the L4Y.

Oregon St 30 California 23

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	18-21	L	109	99	129	68	16	107
0-7	3-4	0-4	2-3	109	127			10/30	at USC			110	88	113	22	58	53
	2-5		1-3		126			11/6	California						43	30	83
	4-3		3-1		134			11/13	Utah						36	22	118
	4-4		3-2		127			11/19	at Washington St						84	49	94
	5-2		3-1		135			11/27	at Arizona St						18	23	46

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	16-21	-25	-1	-2	15	40-218	5.5	13-21	62	2	16	38-88	2.3	13-22	217	4
at USC																
California																
Utah																
at Washington St																
at Arizona St																
Average	14-30	-23.1	2.9	-1.6	21	35-129	3.7	61.6%	210	7.0%	18	41-186	4.5	56.4%	176	8.1%
Conference	13-33	-29.3	4.8	-2.3	23	42-167	4.0	60.2%	172	6.0%	18	39-180	4.7	51.2%	188	9.5%
Away	12-33	5.0	8.0	-2.7	26	40-137	3.4	63.1%	244	5.7%	18	35-155	4.5	56.9%	220	5.6%

OVERALL: 0-7 | **OVERALL:** 3-4
vs. PAC 12 0-4 | **vs. PAC 12** 2-3

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

Arizona		USC
#91	Rush Off	#92
#89	Pass Off	#13
#106	**Total Off**	**#34**
#126	Score Off	#55
#82	Sks Allowed	#28
#103	Rush Def	#72
#53	**Total Def**	**#67**
#14	Pass Def	#73
#97	Score Def	#79
#101	Sks By	#107
#90	Ypg Diff	#42
-11	**Total TO's**	**-2**

Arizona Wildcats | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **USC Trojans**

Position by Position Edges

Arizona		USC
	Arizona QB/WR vs. USC DB's	0.93
	Arizona RB's vs. USC LB's	2.26
	Arizona OL vs. USC DL	0.29
	Arizona DL vs. USC OL	1.21
0.48	Arizona LB'S vs. USC RB's	
	Arizona DB's vs. USC QB/WR	0.94
	Arizona ST's vs. USC ST's	1.74
	Arizona K vs. USC K	0.05
	Arizona Coaches vs. USC Coaches	
0.48	Arizona Pts vs. USC Pts	7.42

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

USC

By 6.94 Points

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	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- 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	16-31	L	23	66	36	85	10	37
3-4	0-7	2-3	0-4	127	109			10/30	Arizona			22	58	53	110	88	113
	5-2		3-1		135			11/6	at Arizona St						18	23	46
	2-5		1-3		126			11/13	at California						43	30	83
	5-3		3-2		132			11/20	UCLA						42	26	34
	6-2		0-0		128			11/27	BYU						53	82	57

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	16-31	41	-1	-1	25	32-125	3.9	27-37	299	3	26	41-170	4.1	22-30	213	1
Arizona																
at Arizona St																
at California																
UCLA																
BYU																
Average	30-28	62.4	4.7	-0.3	25	29-129	4.4	65.3%	316	3.4%	20	35-151	4.3	65.5%	231	5.6%
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%
Home	28-34	-6.0	4.0	-0.8	27	29-128	4.5	63.9%	309	3.3%	23	34-178	5.3	66.4%	265	1.7%

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

2020	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
Arizona	-	67.5	30	26	40-158	24-36-286	
USC	20	-14.5	34	26	32-173	30-43-325	1
2019	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Arizona	-	67	14	22	38-142	22-37-243	
USC	-	-9.5	41	16	36-201	21-30-247	2
2018	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Arizona	-	60.5	20	20	37-98	16-33-232	
USC	-	-3	24	18	47-253	16-24-197	-2
2017	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Arizona	23	76	35	25	43-234	14-31-146	
USC	17	-7	49	30	52-331	20-26-311	2
2016	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Arizona	-	64.5	14	20	44-201	11-26-142	
USC	-	-10	48	25	43-320	22-35-254	4

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Projected Box Score

Arizona		USC
	Projected Rushing	
114 yards	Arizona	180 yards
	Projected Passing	
170 yards	Arizona	309 yards
	Projected Yardage Total	
283 yards	Arizona	488 yards
	Projected Final Score	
12 points	Arizona	37 points
	Experience Rankings	
91	Arizona	89
	Team Schedule Strength	
39	Arizona	15

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Usc By 21
Las Vegas Total	56.5 Points
+/- Ratings	Usc By 22.8
Game Grade	Usc By 19.1
Computer Yards	Usc 488-283
Computer Points	Usc 37-12
Phil Steele	Usc by 24

Phil's Forecast:

UA is just 8-35 in the series having dropped the last 8, but 5 of those losses were only by 1 score. The Wildcats' last win over the Trojans in LA came during a 21-17 (+7) victory back in 2009. USC has won 17 of the L/19 (9-10 ATS) including the last 8 (1 win short of longest streak in series). Last year USC had a GUB edge and did not trail until 4Q. USC led 17-13 at half with Arizona having a 231-145 yd edge. Down 20-13 AZ got a 75 yd pass to Cunningham to tie then got a 51 yd FG with 7:49 left for first lead. USC went 75/11 for TD 3:30 but AZ 65/8 for TD to lead 30-27 with 1:35 left. USC 75/6 for TD :25 left pull out win 34-30 (-15') and had 498-444 yd edge. Last time here ('19), USC posted 5 sacks in a 41-14 win ('9'). USC had a clear pattern this season with very solid games followed by very poor games alternating wins and losses as they fired coach Helton after a week two loss to Stanford. Last week was broke that pattern as ND open 74/13 but miss 36 yd FG. ND 70/11 TD, 1 yd drive for FG (after int) and led 17-3 at half. USC 56/10 miss 42 yd FG. ND 80/13 TD 24-3 but USC 77/9 TD then after an int 86/8 TD 24-16 8:51 left. ND 75/8 TD 4:52 left in 31-16 win with only 428-383 yd edge. Arizona opened the year 0-6 SU but did have their moments as they outgained BYU (+58 yd), and Oregon (+43 yd). They led UCLA 17-16 late 3Q then last week 1Q was all defense as AZ blkd a punt to set up 7 yd drive for FG 3-0. DB Cook was carted off field late 1Q with neck injury and Wash was flat in 2Q and and AZ 64/10 TD, 66/6 FG led 13-0 H. UW open 3Q 81/8 TD AZ 58/15 FG 16-7. AZ screen pass int 12:58 left. UW 71/4 TD then 82/7 TD 6:44 left lead in 21-16 road win with 305-280 yd edge & 24-17 FD edge. UA has lost 19 straight and the 'Cats have been held to 19 pts or fewer in 10 straight games. They are just 6-18 as an AD. USC is in a ND/Ariz St sandwich. USC is playing to an AGG of 103.9 and Arizona is at 90.4 (USC by 17.5) but I'll call for USC to have an "on" week and win by over 3 td's.

USC 37 Arizona 13

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	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	3-14	L	105	58	104	125	82	76
4-3	4-4	0-3	2-2	112	114			10/30	at San Jose St			113	67	109	111	62	56
	3-4		2-1		123			11/6	Colorado St						96	27	80
	3-4		1-2		127			11/13	at Boise St						98	69	15
	5-2		3-1		118			11/20	at Utah St						61	102	28
	4-4		1-2		116			11/27	Hawaii						67	54	86

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	3-14	-4	4	-2	16	36-108	3.0	14-30	147	2	12	44-147	3.3	10-11	112	0
at San Jose St																
Colorado St																
at Boise St																
at Utah St																
Hawaii																
Average	22-21	11.0	0.7	-0.6	18	38-153	4.0	48.9%	169	6.5%	18	41-159	3.9	58.8%	152	8.0%
Conference	6-18	-18.7	0.0	-2.7	16	32-117	3.6	38.6%	144	9.1%	16	50-174	3.5	65.3%	106	4.1%
Away	29-30	-25.0	0.0	0.0	20	39-169	4.3	50.6%	165	5.2%	20	43-188	4.3	52.9%	171	7.1%

OVERALL: 4-3 **vs. MTW** 0-3

OVERALL: 4-4 **vs. MTW** 2-2

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

Wyoming		San Jose St
#76	Rush Off	#97
#113	Pass Off	#75
#115	**Total Off**	**#104**
#105	Score Off	#112
#42	Sks Allowed	#69
#80	Rush Def	#35
#3	Pass Def	#59
#15	**Total Def**	**#44**
#38	Score Def	#50
#71	Sks By	#31
#76	Ypg Diff	#84
-4	**Total TO's**	**-11**

Wyoming Cowboys | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **San Jose St Spartans**

Position by Position Edges

Wyoming		San Jose St
	Wyoming QB/WR vs. San Jose St DB's	1.09
	Wyoming RB's vs. San Jose St LB's	1.30
	Wyoming OL vs. San Jose St DL	0.55
0.61	Wyoming DL vs. San Jose St OL	
1.72	Wyoming LB'S vs. San Jose St RB's	
0.89	Wyoming DB's vs. San Jose St QB/WR	
	Wyoming ST's vs. San Jose St ST's	1.67
1.65	Wyoming K vs. San Jose St K	
0.50	Wyoming Coaches vs. San Jose St Coaches	
5.37	Wyoming Pts vs. San Jose St Pts	4.61

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

Wyoming

By 0.76 Points

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	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	27-20	W	111	62	56	123	123	120
4-4	4-3	2-2	0-3	114	112			10/30	Wyoming			0	0	0	113	67	109
	5-2		2-1		128			11/6	at Nevada						62	73	21
	5-2		3-1		118			11/13	Utah St						61	102	28
								11/20	Bye								
	6-2		3-1		127			11/27	Fresno St						23	47	77

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 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	27-20	94	2	-1	20	33-216	6.5	17-28	213	1	18	40-95	2.4	20-29	240	5
Wyoming																
at Nevada																
Utah St																
Bye																
Fresno St																
Average	20-23	-2.5	-2.4	-1.4	17	30-122	4.1	52.0%	225	6.3%	19	37-127	3.4	61.5%	222	7.3%
Conference	18-21	-15.3	-1.3	-1.3	17	33-126	3.8	49.3%	208	5.9%	18	42-127	3.1	59.5%	221	9.1%
Home	32-21	138.0	0.3	-0.7	19	34-153	4.5	59.0%	277	2.4%	19	30-89	2.9	59.0%	203	4.8%

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

2018	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
Wyoming	-	-14.5	24	22	64-424	4-8-51	
San Jose St	-	38	9	15	24-71	19-32-173	2
2017	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Wyoming	-	-18.5	17	17	43-187	18-38-170	
San Jose St	-	48.5	20	14	43-146	15-29-174	0

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Projected Box Score

Projected Rushing			
123 yards	Wyoming	San Jose St	117 yards
Projected Passing			
127 yards	Wyoming	San Jose St	189 yards
Projected Yardage Total			
249 yards	Wyoming	San Jose St	305 yards
Projected Final Score			
13 points	Wyoming	San Jose St	16 points
Experience Rankings			
3	Wyoming	San Jose St	13
Team Schedule Strength			
108	Wyoming	San Jose St	94

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	San Jose St By 3
Las Vegas Total	41 Points
+/- Ratings	San Jose St By 4.8
Game Grade	San Jose St By 3.9
Computer Yards	San Jose St 305-249
Computer Points	San Jose St 16-13
Phil Steele	San Jose St by 7

Phil's Forecast:

SJSt is just 4-7 all-time vs Wyoming, but are 3-1 since SJSt joined the MW. The last meeting came in '18 where SJSt was outgained 475-244 and didn't score a TD until 4Q in a 24-9 loss (+14'). Last in '17 the Cowboys (-18) had the yds, FD, and TOP edge but never led in a 20-17 loss. San Jose is 7-4 SU at home the last 3 years and Wyoming is 4-9 SU on the road. San Jose captured lightning in a bottle last year as they had their first winning season since 2012 and were 7-0, MW champions and #22 prior to the bowl. They went 3-5 their next 8 games with blowout losses to Ball St, USC , WMich, and Colorado St and their only wins vs an FCS team and Hawaii and NMexSt. They finally played well in a loss to San Diego St as they had a 345-240 yard edge but came up 6 points short. Last week SJSt never led until 7:06 was left in game. UNLV led 17-3 in 2Q converting a pair of fumbles into 20 & 18 yd TD drives. SJSt was also SOD at 9 but went 56/14 for FG and 33/2 (after fum) for TD :02 left in half to pull to 17-13 but had 226-145 yd edge. UNLV open 3Q 57/11 FG 20-13. SJST SOD 38 then 88/11 TD to tie 14:21. UNLV 53/10 but 40 yd FG blkd. SJST 78/5 TD 7:06 left first lead 27-20. UNLV 72/19 but 3&2 at 11 :14 sack and clock ran out. QB Nick Starkel missed the last 4 games but bkp QB Nash ran for 121 yds (7.1) vs UNLV. Wyoming opened 4-0 then lost at Air Force and hosting Fresno they allowed 17 points off turnovers with those 3 scores coming on drives of a combined 50 yds offense. Last week Wyoming opened with 11 play drive but int'd and NM 77/9 43 yd TD pass. Wyoming 62/9 settle 27 yd FG 4:30 NM 75/8 TD :29 left half 14-3. Wyoming punt 1st 3 2H poss then fumble and SOD at 40 and 38 and final drive to NM 42. Wyoming is avg'g just 261 ypg/6 ppg the last 3 games & they are -8 TO's in their L/3 gms while SJSt is all'g 348 ypg vs MW foes. Wyoming is playing to an AGG of 87.7 the L4W and San Jose is at 94.4 which means SJSt by 9.4. SJSt's offense does enough to get the 7-pt home win.

San Jose St 17 Wyoming 10

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	--PS RANK-- ST	OFF	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	3-26	L	117	63	40	47	60	95
2-5	6-1	1-3	3-1	116	135			10/30	at Oregon			123	70	23	27	13	59
	5-2		3-1		133			11/6	Oregon St						32	57	24
	5-3		3-2		132			11/13	at UCLA						42	26	34
	3-4		2-2		126			11/20	Washington						74	15	114
	4-3		3-1		134			11/27	at Utah						36	22	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
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	3-26	-334	-16	-1	7	28-35	1.3	9-18	69	6	23	40-213	5.3	22-30	225	1
at Oregon																
Oregon St																
at UCLA																
Washington																
at Utah																
Average	15-21	-138.4	-6.1	-0.1	14	37-121	3.3	54.1%	117	16.3%	20	34-160	4.7	60.3%	217	3.6%
Conference	16-25	-172.5	-8.3	0.0	14	38-104	2.8	53.5%	137	21.1%	22	35-181	5.3	64.8%	232	2.4%
Away	8-24	-183.7	-7.7	-0.3	13	37-130	3.5	48.3%	75	16.7%	21	34-159	4.7	62.9%	229	2.1%

OVERALL:	OVERALL:
2-5	6-1
vs. PAC 12	vs. PAC 12
1-3	3-1

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

Colorado		Oregon
#98	Rush Off	#35
#126	Pass Off	#73
#129	**Total Off**	**#47**
#124	Score Off	#30
#109	Sks Allowed	#42
#82	Rush Def	#45
#52	Pass Def	#108
#62	**Total Def**	**#83**
#34	Score Def	#45
#120	Sks By	#61
#123	Ypg Diff	#68
-1	**Total TO's**	**+9**

Colorado Buffalos | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **Oregon Ducks**

Position by Position Edges

Colorado		Oregon
	Colorado QB/WR vs. Oregon DB's	2.80
	Colorado RB's vs. Oregon LB's	2.37
	Colorado OL vs. Oregon DL	1.58
	Colorado DL vs. Oregon OL	1.77
0.97	Colorado LB'S vs. Oregon RB's	
	Colorado DB's vs. Oregon QB/WR	0.14
3.52	Colorado ST's vs. Oregon ST's	
	Colorado K vs. Oregon K	1.70
	Colorado Coaches vs. Oregon Coaches	1.00
4.49	Colorado Pts vs. Oregon Pts	11.37

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

Oregon

By 6.89 Points

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	OFF	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	34-31	W	28	19	44	42	26	34
6-1	2-5	3-1	1-3	135	116			10/30	Colorado			27	13	59	123	70	23
	3-4		2-2		126			11/6	at Washington						74	15	114
	4-4		3-2		127			11/13	Washington St						84	49	94
	4-3		3-1		134			11/20	at Utah						36	22	118
	5-2		3-1		133			11/27	Oregon St						32	57	24

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	34-31	65	-6	0	22	24-121	5.0	29-39	296	1	28	45-110	2.4	24-46	242	4
Colorado																
at Washington																
Washington St																
at Utah																
Oregon St																
Average	34-22	25.4	-2.6	1.3	22	39-196	5.1	61.7%	229	5.8%	25	38-133	3.5	58.5%	266	5.7%
Conference	31-25	33.8	-5.5	0.5	21	36-187	5.2	62.4%	233	5.1%	27	42-148	3.5	55.6%	238	5.6%
Home	36-17	40.0	-1.3	2.3	22	39-189	4.9	63.2%	221	8.5%	23	40-143	3.6	58.9%	227	5.5%

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

2019	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
Colorado	-	59.5	3	22	40-168	19-34-131	
Oregon	13	-21	45	25	36-252	19-35-275	4
2018	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Colorado	-	69	41	32	52-260	23-32-333	
Oregon	-	-10.5	38	24	45-215	22-33-293	1

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Projected Box Score

Projected Rushing		
84 yards	Colorado	Oregon 209 yards
Projected Passing		
133 yards	Colorado	Oregon 255 yards
Projected Yardage Total		
218 yards	Colorado	Oregon 464 yards
Projected Final Score		
11 points	Colorado	Oregon 34 points
Experience Rankings		
94	Colorado	Oregon 101
Team Schedule Strength		
50	Colorado	Oregon 32

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Oregon By 24
Las Vegas Total	49 Points
+/- Ratings	Oregon By 23.5
Game Grade	Oregon By 23.3
Computer Yards	Oregon 464-218
Computer Points	Oregon 34-11
Phil Steele	Oregon by 28

Phil's Forecast:

Colorado has dropped 7 of its last 8 games vs Oregon with its lone win during that stretch coming in '16 (41-38). Last time here ('19), Colorado threw 4 int's and mustered only a FG in a 45-3 blowout loss (+21). Oregon has won 7 of the last 8 in the series with the only blemish coming here in '16 (41-38). They did not play last year. Cristobal is 6-11-1 ATS as a HF. Colorado is 5-10-1 ATS as an AD the last 5 years and on a 2nd straight road game. The Ducks opened 5-1 with an impressive road win at Ohio State but that was their only impressive game as they were outgained by Arizona, trailed Fresno in 4Q, lost to Stanford and needed a goal line stop to hold on vs California. Last week they let UCLA jump out to a 14-0 lead but Travis Dye became the first player in FBS history to score TD's on 4 consecutive carries despite having just 14-35 rush. UCLA led 17-14 at half but trailed 27-17 after 3Q and 34-17. UCLA got a pair of TD's and got int with 3:00 left. DTR was injured but the bkp got 2 FD to Ore 39 but was int'd with :48 left and Oregon held on 34-31. Colorado opened 0-4 vs FBS teams with just 8.5 ppg and 204 ypg offense! They beat Arizona at home 34-0 and last week they let Cal score on first 5 poss to trail 23-3 H and was outgained 438-104 in 26-3 loss. Brendon Lewis threw for 248 yds vs Arizona and is hitting 55% (4-3). The Buffs D is allowing just 377 ypg and Oregon is allowing 425 ypg. Oregon is +34 ypg in P12 play while Colorado is -173 and avg just 240 ypg. The Ducks are in a UCLA/Washington sandwich but Colorado is just 2-8 as an AD and the Ducks had their first good performance since Ohio St last week.

Oregon 38 Colorado 10

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	--PS RANK-- ST	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	19-34	L	84	121	49	44	109	38
1-6	4-3	0-3	2-1	103	119			10/30	at Marshall			94	121	55	48	59	78
	1-6		0-3		103			11/6	Old Dominion						116	93	39
	3-4		1-2		118			11/13	at Middle Tennessee						119	99	87
	1-6		0-3		103			11/20	North Texas						72	112	108
	1-6		0-3		100			11/27	at Southern Miss						127	105	73

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	19-34	-240	-13	1	18	29-28	1.0	22-40	262	7	31	30-162	5.4	39-49	368	2
at Marshall																
Old Dominion																
at Middle Tennessee																
North Texas																
at Southern Miss																
Average	27-36	-75.6	-8.1	-0.7	18	31-104	3.4	54.1%	310	9.5%	26	39-183	4.7	69.6%	306	4.7%
Conference	24-46	-132.0	-10.7	-0.3	17	29-56	2.0	54.1%	349	12.6%	28	38-212	5.5	81.0%	325	4.8%
Away	23-48	-272.0	-15.3	-0.3	15	29-55	1.9	48.1%	302	8.3%	30	41-225	5.4	71.1%	404	1.8%

OVERALL: 1-6 vs. CUSA 0-3

OVERALL: 4-3 vs. CUSA 2-1

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

FIU		Marshall
#119	Rush Off	#75
#14	Pass Off	#5
#60	**Total Off**	**#8**
#80	Score Off	#18
#109	Sks Allowed	#20
#98	Rush Def	#125
#128	Pass Def	#11
#125	**Total Def**	**#78**
#121	Score Def	#47
#101	Sks By	#7
#111	Ypg Diff	#16
-5	**Total TO's**	**-6**

FIU Golden Panthers | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **Marshall Thundering Herd**

Position by Position Edges

FIU		Marshall
	FIU QB/WR vs. Marshall DB's	0.89
	FIU RB's vs. Marshall LB's	1.58
	FIU OL vs. Marshall DL	0.80
	FIU DL vs. Marshall OL	1.22
0.32	FIU LB'S vs. Marshall RB's	
	FIU DB's vs. Marshall QB/WR	2.56
0.30	FIU ST's vs. Marshall ST's	
0.30	FIU K vs. Marshall K	
3.25	FIU Coaches vs. Marshall Coaches	
4.17	FIU Pts vs. Marshall Pts	7.04

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

Marshall

By 2.87 Points

Marshall Thundering Herd

Thundering Herd 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	FOE DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	114	121			9/4	at Navy	49-7	W	93	61	39	117	92	120
1-0		0-0		119				9/11	NC Central	44-10	W	93	70	34			
2-0	0-2	0-0	0-0	116	125			9/18	East Carolina	38-42	L	44	68	66	85	97	67
2-1	2-1	0-0	0-0	116	130			9/23	at Appalachian St	30-31	L	32	74	59	40	41	8
2-2	1-3	0-0	0-2	119	116			10/2	at Middle Tennessee	28-34	L	41	79	48	116	104	116
2-3	1-4	0-1	0-1	117	104			10/9	Old Dominion	20-13	W	37	79	56	117	98	54
3-3	1-4	1-1	0-2	116	103			10/16	at North Texas	49-21	W	48	68	59	81	113	85
4-3		2-1		119				10/23	Bye			48	67	74			
4-3	1-6	2-1	0-3	119	103			10/30	FIU			48	59	78	94	121	55
	4-3		2-1		122			11/6	at Florida Atlantic						69	74	51
	5-3		3-1		122			11/13	UAB						66	36	66
	4-3		2-1		108			11/20	at Charlotte						79	124	69
	3-4		2-1		121			11/27	WKU						37	100	44

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 Navy	49-7	66	-1	-1	23	30-101	3.4	21-33	363	0	24	76-337	4.4	5-16	61	9
NC Central	44-10	523	29	-1	38	42-237	5.6	42-58	463	0	9	28-71	2.5	14-32	106	3
East Carolina	38-42	76	-3	-2	24	36-214	5.9	24-40	433	1	27	39-176	4.5	31-50	395	5
at Appalachian St	30-31	-169	-19	2	20	28-127	4.5	18-33	270	2	39	54-283	5.2	24-39	283	1
at Middle Tennessee	28-34	179	12	-4	28	35-172	4.9	31-47	321	2	16	49-209	4.3	12-21	105	2
Old Dominion	20-13	76	5	0	24	32-91	2.8	30-46	299	3	19	50-208	4.2	10-23	106	4
at North Texas	49-21	66	6	0	24	40-154	3.9	24-32	323	1	18	46-277	6.0	17-32	134	2
Bye																
FIU																
at Florida Atlantic																
UAB																
at Charlotte																
WKU																
Average	37-23	116.7	4.1	-0.9	26	35-157	4.5	65.7%	353	3.1%	22	49-223	4.6	53.1%	170	12.2%
Conference	32-23	107.0	7.7	-1.3	25	36-139	3.9	68.0%	314	4.8%	18	48-231	4.8	51.3%	115	10.5%
Home	34-22	225.0	10.3	-1.0	29	37-181	4.9	66.7%	398	2.8%	18	39-152	3.9	52.4%	202	11.4%

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

2019	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
FIU	-	49	27	17	30-82	22-38-240	
Marshall	-	-9.5	30	23	57-200	9-20-90	0
2018	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
FIU	-	52.5	25	25	36-206	25-38-201	
Marshall	-	-3.5	28	21	32-154	18-27-176	0
2017	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
FIU	-	47.5	41	21	48-224	14-18-177	
Marshall	-	-16.5	30	29	29-142	33-52-363	-3
2016	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
FIU	-	55.5	31	26	41-259	18-25-257	
Marshall	-	-2.5	14	24	26-78	29-42-301	0

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Projected Box Score

	Projected Rushing	
115 yards	FIU	200 yards
	Marshall	
	Projected Passing	
218 yards	FIU	386 yards
	Marshall	
	Projected Yardage Total	
332 yards	FIU	586 yards
	Marshall	
	Projected Final Score	
18 points	FIU	39 points
	Marshall	
	Experience Rankings	
58	FIU	41
	Marshall	
	Team Schedule Strength	
110	FIU	122
	Marshall	

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Marshall By 21.5
Las Vegas Total	64.5 Points
+/- Ratings	Marshall By 19.8
Game Grade	Marshall By 25.3
Computer Yards	Marshall 586-332
Computer Points	Marshall 39-18
Phil Steele	Marshall by 17

Phil's Forecast:

FIU has covered 4 straight over Marshall including last time here when they were 9' point dogs in season finale. Panthers finished with 322-290 yd edge, tied gm with :21 left but lost 30-27 in OT. Marshall is 6-2 all-time against FIU and have won last 2 meetings but LY's game was cancelled. Marshall has won 8 straight home games vs CUSA East foes and is fresh off a bye. Marshall opened just 2-3 with outright upset losses to MTSt and East Carolina. They trailed ODU (-21) but got a 52 yd TD pass with :33 left to force OT and won it there. They played their best game of the year in a 49-21 win over North Texas. FIU opened 0-5 vs FBS teams but did outgain Texas St 400-336 and led CMich 27-10 in the 4Q. Last week FIU hosted WKU. FIU led 6-0 with a 7-1 FD edge in 1Q but WKU had a 16-2 FD edge in 2Q and scored on last 3 poss of 1H including a 32 yd TD pass with :17 left to lead 17-12 at half with FIU getting a 75 yd TD pass. WKU got a TD on first poss of 3Q and 1st poss of 4Q to lead 31-12 and 82/13 for 26 yd FG 4:08 left 34-12. FIU went 75/9 for TD 1:39 left 34-19 and WKU 530-290 yd edge. Maryland transfer Max Borgenschlager has thrown for 1834 (54%, 14-5). They are at their best when D'Vonte Price can run it and he has 500 (5.3) and is facing a Marshall D that is allowing 223 (4.6) on the ground. Marshall has a big game vs FAU on deck. Marshall is just 7-21 ATS as a HF the last 8 years. FIU has the #126 pass D but Wells has a 12-15 ratio the last 10 games.

Marshall 37 FIU 20

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	FOE DEF	FOE 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	23-35	L	121	128	101	5	37	55
1-6	6-1	0-4	3-1	105	138		15	10/30	at Oklahoma St			117	126	97	81	19	90
	3-4		1-3		131			11/6	Kansas St						75	64	10
	4-3		2-2		136			11/13	at Texas						6	84	20
	3-4		1-3		129			11/20	at TCU						9	89	18
	3-4		1-3		130			11/27	West Virginia						83	52	37

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	23-35	14	5	0	23	42-166	4.0	17-23	246	1	18	34-220	6.5	15-20	178	3
at Oklahoma St																
Kansas St																
at Texas																
at TCU																
West Virginia																
Average	18-42	-138.3	-6.9	0.1	16	39-151	3.9	57.0%	183	5.0%	23	41-246	6.0	71.4%	227	3.6%
Conference	13-45	-205.8	-7.3	0.0	17	38-149	3.9	56.0%	140	1.1%	24	39-265	6.9	74.0%	229	4.2%
Away	21-53	-129.7	-8.0	-0.3	18	41-185	4.5	53.6%	229	8.3%	26	42-261	6.3	75.3%	282	2.6%

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

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

Kansas		Oklahoma St
#79	Rush Off	#72
#105	Pass Off	#83
#109	**Total Off**	**#83**
#122	Score Off	#86
#20	Sks Allowed	#34
#126	Rush Def	#11
#65	Pass Def	#60
#122	**Total Def**	**#18**
#126	Score Def	#30
#125	Sks By	#19
#122	Ypg Diff	#43
+1	**Total TO's**	**-1**

Kansas Jayhawks | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **Oklahoma St Cowboys**

Position by Position Edges

Kansas		Oklahoma St
	Kansas QB/WR vs. Oklahoma St DB's	1.47
	Kansas RB's vs. Oklahoma St LB's	2.54
	Kansas OL vs. Oklahoma St DL	1.93
	Kansas DL vs. Oklahoma St OL	1.58
	Kansas LB'S vs. Oklahoma St RB's	0.75
	Kansas DB's vs. Oklahoma St QB/WR	1.38
	Kansas ST's vs. Oklahoma St ST's	0.65
	Kansas K vs. Oklahoma St K	1.20
	Kansas Coaches vs. Oklahoma St Coaches	2.70
0.00	Kansas Pts vs. Oklahoma St Pts	14.20

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

Oklahoma St

By 14.20 Points

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	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	21-24	L	79	17	79	18	24	115
6-1	1-6	3-1	0-4	138	105	15		10/30	Kansas			81	19	90	117	126	97
	3-4		1-3		130			11/6	at West Virginia						83	52	37
	3-4		1-3		129			11/13	TCU						9	89	18
	5-3		2-3		125			11/20	at Texas Tech						44	87	64
	8-0		5-0		141			11/27	Oklahoma						5	50	63

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
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	21-24	-42	-2	0	16	32-107	3.3	15-24	225	3	18	33-67	2.0	27-33	307	2
Kansas																
at West Virginia																
TCU																
at Texas Tech																
Oklahoma																
Average	26-20	58.6	3.3	-0.1	20	44-160	3.6	58.0%	214	5.7%	17	33-93	2.8	59.3%	222	9.3%
Conference	27-21	96.5	8.3	0.0	23	46-171	3.7	60.5%	232	5.3%	14	30-92	3.1	58.5%	214	8.5%
Home	27-18	86.5	5.0	-0.8	21	43-137	3.2	58.5%	254	4.1%	16	33-97	3.0	53.4%	207	9.2%

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

2020	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
Kansas	-	54	7	12	40-101	14-24-92	
Oklahoma St	17	-23	47	31	60-295	20-30-298	1
2019	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Kansas	-	68.5	13	18	24-39	26-46-251	
Oklahoma St	25	-17.5	31	24	45-209	15-25-238	3
2018	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Kansas	-	60.5	28	18	32-121	24-32-247	
Oklahoma St	-	-17.5	48	25	46-256	15-20-312	0
2017	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Kansas	-	69.5	17	11	30-69	17-32-172	
Oklahoma St	18	-41	58	29	42-167	32-44-494	1
2016	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Kansas	-	61	20	20	33-204	24-40-250	
Oklahoma St	-	-24	44	23	46-230	18-27-252	2

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Projected Box Score

Kansas		Oklahoma St
	Projected Rushing	
73 yards	Kansas	Oklahoma St 257 yards
	Projected Passing	
127 yards	Kansas	Oklahoma St 217 yards
	Projected Yardage Total	
200 yards	Kansas	Oklahoma St 474 yards
	Projected Final Score	
5 points	Kansas	Oklahoma St 42 points
	Experience Rankings	
97	Kansas	Oklahoma St 66
	Team Schedule Strength	
97	Kansas	Oklahoma St 18

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Oklahoma St By 30.5
Las Vegas Total	54.5 Points
+/- Ratings	Oklahoma St By 37.5
Game Grade	Oklahoma St By 29.6
Computer Yards	Oklahoma St 474-200
Computer Points	Oklahoma St 42-5
Phil Steele	Oklahoma St by 37

Phil's Forecast:

Last time here ('19) Kansas was off a bye. Jayhawks struggled from the beginning of the game to run the ball and would be held to only 1.6 ypc. KU had a 480-291 yd deficit and lost by 18, 31-13 (+17'). Pokes have rattled off 11 straight victories against the struggling Jayhawks since the loss in '07. Last year the defense showed out big for OKSt, holding KU to only 60 yds at half & 193 for the game Illingworth started for OSU and threw for 265 yds and OSU led 44-0 pulling their starters with 20 minutes left in 47-7 road win (-23). OSU HC Mike Gundy is 45-28-3 ATS as a HF. Kansas opened the year a perfect 0-6 ATS record with a 3-point win over South Dakota and losses by 32.2 to FBS foes. Last week Kansas did not punt until the 4Q and led Oklahoma 10-0 at half with a 12-4 FD edge and 195-78 yd edge! The Sooners would score TD's on all 5 2H poss but still trailed 17-14 4Q and only led 28-23 before a 75/12 TD with :42 left, 35-23. Oklahoma St got off to an unimpressive start but they beat 3 ranked teams in a row in Kansas St, Baylor and Texas to move to 6-0 and were #8 in the AP poll. Last week they Okla St led Iowa St 14-7 at half with a 193-112 yd edge. Iowa St had a 262-139 yd edge in 2H and led 17-14 after 3Q but were SOD and OSU went 58/4 for TD with 8:36 left 21-17 ISU 85/6 TD to lead 24-21 5:29 and forced a punt then OSU took over 3:18 own 24 but 4&2 ISU 42 SOD 1:09 left. OSU won their first 6 by just 7 ppg with their biggest win by just 11. However KU's rush defense is allowing 265 ypg (6.9) vs B12 foes and OSU RB Warren (781, 4.7) is one of the B12's top rushers. OSU QB Sanders was 15-24 for 225 and 3 td last week & now faces a KU pass D ranked #129 & they are allowing 71% completions. After KU jumped ahead of OU last wk they will not get overlooked here & OSU should have no issues against the Jayhawks.

Oklahoma St 43 Kansas 6

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	--PS RANK-- OFF	FOE 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	16-46	L	103	96	112	50	43	26
2-5	1-6	1-2	0-3	109	103			10/30	at Old Dominion			109	104	101	116	93	39
	5-3		3-1		122			11/6	at UAB						66	36	66
	4-3		2-1		108			11/13	Charlotte						79	124	69
	1-6		0-3		100			11/20	Southern Miss						127	105	73
	3-4		2-1		107			11/27	at Rice						118	118	124

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
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 16-45	-5	1	-3	22	33-62	1.9	26-38	339	6	21	41-213	5.2	12-20	193	0
at Old Dominion															
at UAB															
Charlotte															
Southern Miss															
at Rice															
Average 27-33	-57.7	-3.6	-0.1	21	33-115	3.4	61.6%	277	7.8%	24	36-153	4.3	67.3%	297	3.6%
Conference 14-27	-53.0	-2.0	-0.7	19	34-78	2.3	63.2%	244	13.7%	21	45-185	4.1	53.5%	189	3.5%
Away 21-29	-37.0	-3.0	0.3	18	29-111	3.8	56.4%	265	7.3%	21	31-111	3.6	71.4%	301	4.5%

OVERALL: 2-5 **vs. CUSA** 1-2

OVERALL: 1-6 **vs. CUSA** 0-3

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

LA Tech		Old Dominion
#105	Rush Off	#58
#25	Pass Off	#104
#71	**Total Off**	**#94**
#80	Score Off	#102
#89	Sks Allowed	#114
#74	Rush Def	#39
#125	Pass Def	#66
#117	**Total Def**	**#51**
#110	Score Def	#101
#113	Sks By	#101
#105	Ypg Diff	#80
-1	**Total TO's**	**-7**

LA Tech Bulldogs | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **Old Dominion Monarchs**

Position by Position Edges

LA Tech		Old Dominion
0.71	LA Tech QB/WR vs. Old Dominion DB's	
	LA Tech RB's vs. Old Dominion LB's	1.47
	LA Tech OL vs. Old Dominion DL	1.43
	LA Tech DL vs. Old Dominion OL	0.07
0.58	LA Tech LB'S vs. Old Dominion RB's	
0.76	LA Tech DB's vs. Old Dominion QB/WR	
	LA Tech ST's vs. Old Dominion ST's	1.52
2.85	LA Tech K vs. Old Dominion K	
2.70	LA Tech Coaches vs. Old Dominion Coaches	
7.60	LA Tech Pts vs. Old Dominion Pts	4.49

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

LA Tech

By 3.11 Points

Old Dominion Monarchs

Monarchs 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	132			9/4	at Wake Forest	10-42	L	125	124	93	39	63	65
0-1		0-0		101				9/11	Hampton	47-7	W	126	123	116			
1-1	2-0	0-0	0-0	102	131			9/18	at Liberty	17-45	L	124	121	71	48	51	84
1-2	1-2	0-0	0-0	102	117			9/25	Buffalo	34-35	L	120	105	68	90	112	78
1-3	3-1	0-0	0-0	104	104			10/2	at UTEP	21-28	L	114	102	62	78	65	107
1-4	2-3	0-1	0-1	104	117			10/9	at Marshall	13-20	L	117	98	54	37	79	56
1-5	1-4	0-2	0-1	105	119			10/16	WKU	20-43	L	116	90	40	50	108	58
1-6		0-3		103				10/23	Bye			115	93	42			
1-6	2-5	0-3	1-2	103	109			10/30	Louisiana Tech			116	93	39	109	104	101
	1-6		0-3		103			11/6	at FIU						94	121	55
	4-3		2-1		122			11/13	Florida Atlantic						69	74	51
	3-4		1-2		118			11/20	at Middle Tennessee						119	99	87
	4-3		2-1		108			11/27	Charlotte						79	124	69

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
at Wake Forest 10-42	-80	-3	-1	17	39-145	3.7	18-38	127	2	20	41-164	4.0	18-29	188	2
Hampton 47-7	385	19	0	32	54-358	6.6	15-29	214	0	13	40-104	2.6	7-16	83	3
at Liberty 17-45	-223	-8	0	15	35-67	1.9	15-27	134	5	23	41-182	4.4	21-29	242	3
Buffalo 34-35	136	10	-2	27	45-209	4.6	24-41	224	4	17	38-106	2.8	17-26	191	0
at UTEP 21-28	-51	2	-2	19	33-88	2.7	20-34	194	3	17	46-142	3.1	10-20	191	1
at Marshall 13-20	-76	-5	0	19	50-208	4.2	10-23	106	4	24	32-91	2.8	30-46	299	3
WKU 20-43	-72	-6	-2	23	37-119	3.2	26-41	327	5	29	27-121	4.5	37-54	397	0
Bye															
Louisiana Tech															
at FIU															
Florida Atlantic															
at Middle Tennessee															
Charlotte															
Average 23-31	2.7	1.3	-1.0	22	42-171	4.1	54.9%	189	9.9%	20	38-130	3.4	63.6%	227	5.5%
Conference 18-30	-66.3	-3.0	-1.3	20	40-138	3.5	57.1%	209	12.2%	23	35-118	3.4	64.2%	296	3.3%
Home 34-28	149.7	7.7	-1.3	27	45-229	5.0	58.6%	255	8.1%	20	35-110	3.2	63.5%	224	3.1%

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

None

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Projected Box Score

	LA Tech	Old Dominion
Projected Rushing		
97 yards	LA Tech	Old Dominion 157 yards
Projected Passing		
224 yards	LA Tech	Old Dominion 198 yards
Projected Yardage Total		
321 yards	LA Tech	Old Dominion 355 yards
Projected Final Score		
29 points	LA Tech	Old Dominion 24 points
Experience Rankings		
49	LA Tech	Old Dominion 127
Team Schedule Strength		
57	LA Tech	Old Dominion 104

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	La Tech By 4.5
Las Vegas Total	52.5 Points
+/- Ratings	La Tech By 2.8
Game Grade	La Tech By 0.3
Computer Yards	Old Dominion 355-321
Computer Points	La Tech 28-23
Phil Steele	LA Tech by 6

Phil's Forecast:

Only prior mtg between these CUSA foes was last time in 2014, ODU's first year in CUSA. LT was off 5 straight wins & DD chalk, led 21-7 2Q but Monarchs won first ever OT game in school history 30-27. The Monarchs are 6-1 when hosting current CUSA West foes, only loss was '19 vs UTSA by 1 pt. Monarchs are 6-12 ATS as a home underdog. ODU is in a great situation as they are fresh off a bye and LT is in a UTSA/UAB sandwich and traveling. ODU did not play last year but have been better than expected as their defense is holding foes to 84 ypg below their season average (#15 FBS!) but the offense is putting up just 360 ypg. Despite their 1-6 SU start they are +3 ypg and were a missed xp away from OT vs Buffalo and led Marshall by 7 until a 56 yd TD pass with :33 left forced OT where they lost. They lost 43-20 to WKU with WKU getting 2 TD's in last 5:41. ODU gave Hayden Wolff his first start of the ssn and he threw for 327 but 0 td's, 2 int's. ODU QB's have comb'd for just a 6-9 ratio. The underdog was 6-0 ATS in LT games to open as they almost and maybe should have upset Miss St (led by 20 in 4Q), SMU (tip hail mary TD pass) and NCST (int in EZ down 7). They played down to the level of their opponent when favored with 3 & 7 point wins and an upset loss to UTEP. Last week they took on undefeated UTSA and LT open with 82/7 TD UTSA 75 yd TD pass 7-7. After each team punt twice both teams on long drives but UTSA two TD and LT settle for 2 FG and miss one trail 21-10 with 229-222 yd edge. UTSA gets IR TD, went 87/5 for TD then LT fumble KR and UTSA 22/3 TD to lead 40-10 in 45-16 road win. ODU is playing to an AGG of 88.9 and LT is at 92.7 but LT is desperate off 3 straight losses and they will likely be favored in their L/3 so a win here gives them a solid shot at a bowl.

Louisiana Tech 27 Old Dominion 21

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	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- 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	16-28	L	111	111	75	90	117	116
2-5	6-1	1-2	4-0	106	129			10/30	at Louisiana			114	116	61	47	80	40
	4-3		2-2		102			11/6	ULM						129	125	116
	2-5		1-3		110			11/13	GA Southern						108	115	45
	6-1		2-1		131			11/20	at Coastal Carolina						3	71	4
	1-6		0-3		109			11/27	at Arkansas St						106	129	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
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	16-28	-120	0	-1	26	38-123	3.2	27-47	255	3	26	48-298	6.2	16-25	200	0
at Louisiana																
ULM																
GA Southern																
at Coastal Carolina																
at Arkansas St																
Average	25-34	-68.1	-2.4	-0.6	22	40-139	3.5	59.8%	215	8.6%	25	40-192	4.8	64.5%	230	2.7%
Conference	26-30	-22.3	0.3	-1.7	23	42-142	3.4	62.6%	240	9.3%	23	44-214	4.9	71.3%	190	2.5%
Away	20-35	-128.0	-5.0	0.3	22	40-135	3.4	59.2%	202	10.7%	27	43-227	5.2	58.5%	239	3.2%

OVERALL:	OVERALL:
2-5	6-1
vs. SUN	vs. SUN
1-2	4-0

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

Texas St		Louisiana
#87	Rush Off	#19
#79	Pass Off	#86
#97	**Total Off**	**#45**
#89	Score Off	#53
#102	Sks Allowed	#28
#105	Rush Def	#65
#69	Pass Def	#72
#99	**Total Def**	**#65**
#113	Score Def	#41
#125	Sks By	#61
#110	Ypg Diff	#53
-4	**Total TO's**	**0**

Texas St Bobcats | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **Louisiana Ragin Cajuns**

Position by Position Edges

Texas St		Louisiana
	Texas St QB/WR vs. Louisiana DB's	0.55
	Texas St RB's vs. Louisiana LB's	0.99
	Texas St OL vs. Louisiana DL	0.78
	Texas St DL vs. Louisiana OL	2.35
	Texas St LB'S vs. Louisiana RB's	1.62
	Texas St DB's vs. Louisiana QB/WR	0.09
	Texas St ST's vs. Louisiana ST's	1.29
	Texas St K vs. Louisiana K	1.75
	Texas St Coaches vs. Louisiana Coaches	1.75
0.00	Texas St Pts vs. Louisiana Pts	11.18

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

Louisiana

By 11.18 Points

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	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	28-27	W	57	89	25	106	130	32
6-1	2-5	4-0	1-2	129	106			10/30	Texas St			47	80	40	114	116	61
	3-4		2-1		116			11/6	Georgia St						71	110	120
	4-3		2-1		117			11/13	at Troy						100	56	121
	6-2		0-0		128			11/20	at Liberty						87	45	92
	4-3		2-2		102			11/27	ULM						129	125	116

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	28-27	133	4	-2	26	53-424	8.0	11-20	122	1	22	35-113	3.2	16-31	300	2
Texas St																
Georgia St																
at Troy																
at Liberty																
ULM																
Average	30-22	48.4	3.0	0.0	23	39-218	5.5	62.2%	211	5.0%	20	39-149	3.9	59.2%	231	8.0%
Conference	29-20	49.5	1.8	0.3	21	42-256	6.1	56.4%	160	4.3%	19	41-153	3.7	55.0%	213	8.1%
Home	39-17	154.0	6.3	1.0	25	41-223	5.4	64.1%	255	3.3%	19	31-113	3.6	60.4%	211	6.6%

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

2020	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
Texas St	-	56	34	26	40-204	15-33-178	
Louisiana	-	-16.5	44	31	50-282	22-34-332	-1
2019	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Texas St	-	55.5	3	17	22-58	24-36-206	
Louisiana	-	-22.5	31	24	49-296	13-21-183	1
2018	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Texas St	-	58.5	27	22	28-124	29-41-301	
Louisiana	-	-3	42	23	49-327	14-23-230	-1
2017	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Texas St	-	55	7	19	44-106	14-25-219	
Louisiana	-	-13.5	24	19	38-135	17-27-232	3
2016	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Texas St	-	66	3	13	36-79	20-28-142	
Louisiana	-	-5.5	27	22	48-236	18-22-165	1

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Projected Box Score

	Texas St		Louisiana
Projected Rushing			
88 yards	Texas St	Louisiana	287 yards
Projected Passing			
178 yards	Texas St	Louisiana	184 yards
Projected Yardage Total			
266 yards	Texas St	Louisiana	471 yards
Projected Final Score			
19 points	Texas St	Louisiana	35 points
Experience Rankings			
34	Texas St	Louisiana	6
Team Schedule Strength			
118	Texas St	Louisiana	102

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Louisiana By 21
Las Vegas Total	58.5 Points
+/- Ratings	Louisiana By 26.3
Game Grade	Louisiana By 18.6
Computer Yards	Louisiana 471-266
Computer Points	Louisiana 35-19
Phil Steele	Louisiana by 13

Phil's Forecast:

Louisiana is 8-0 SU/7-1 ATS vs TXSt winning by an avg of 21 ppg and covering by 12 ppg. In those 8 mtgs LA is outgaining TXSt by an avg of 506-304 yds & outscoring them by an avg of 37-17. In last year's meeting LA went up 14-0 early 1Q (both TD's were off INT's) but TXSt would come back to tie it by the end of the 1Q thanks to a LA muffed punt 35/5 TD. LA then fumbled & TXSt went 74/5 to lead 21-14 but then the Cajuns would score 20 straight pts incl going 62/7 to end the half after an INT. LA got a FG, two TO's and punted on their first 4 2H possessions. Texas St was down just 37-27 and was SOD at 43 and the Cajuns went 56/10 for TD to go up 44-27. LA was SOD with 4:25 left and TXSt 60/7 for late TD (1:50) 44-34 (+16'). LA is just 2-4 ATS the L2Y as a home favorite and are just 2-7 ATS as a DD favorite against SBC foes. TXSt comes in with a 5-3-1 ATS record as a DD underdog the L2Y. Louisiana is 2-0 SU and ATS on weeknight HOME games this year. They are a perfect 0-5 ATS in their other 5 games and have failed to cover in those by 14 ppg with their 4 wins by 3, 8, 2 and 1! Last week ULL was off a big win against App St & took on Ark St. ULL was SOD at the 1 in scoreless 1Q. Ark St 94/13 for TD 5:38 2Q but ULL 99 yd run Johnson next play tie. Ark St 66/10 32 yd FG 2:21 ULL 80/9 TD :28 left 14-10 H. ULL 75/5 TD 21-17. Ark St 51/3 TD then after int 35 yd FG 27-21 3:23 3Q. ULL 74 yd TD run Smith 28-27 after 3Q. Chris Smith ran for 238 yds for ULL. Texas St is just the opposite as they lost to Incarnate Word and Eastern Michigan when they were down 20+ players due Covid and injuries. In their other 4 games to start they were 4-0 ATS and playing to an AGG of 87.7 with a 9 point loss to Baylor, upsets of FIU and South Alabama and a near upset of Troy. Last week they took on GSt and the Bobcats settled for 2 early FG's and led 6-0 but trailed 14-13 at half despite a 15-11 FD edge. Georgia St got 2 TD's and Texas St another FG 28-16 14:54 Texas St 46/12 but int at the 3 9:35 then 65/7 3&5 at 11 fumble and did not score last two drives in red zone. Louisiana has another weeknight home game on deck so I like the Bobcats as the dog here.

Louisiana 34 Texas St 21

Southern Miss Golden Eagles

Golden 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	FOE OFF	FOE DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	116	106			9/4	at South Alabama	7-31	L	102	80	46	122	107	105
0-1		0-0		111				9/11	Grambling St	37-0	W	113	81	88			
1-1	1-1	0-0	0-0	112	124			9/18	Troy	9-21	L	114	76	17	84	81	102
1-2	3-0	0-0	1-0	112	153		1	9/25	at Alabama	14-63	L	119	64	23	15	7	1
1-3	1-3	0-0	0-0	111	103			10/2	at Rice	19-24	L	125	88	65	109	119	123
1-4	4-1	0-1	1-0	108	104			10/9	UTEP	13-26	L	123	93	58	71	52	118
1-5	4-2	0-2	2-0	103	125			10/16	UAB	0-34	L	126	99	36	80	38	96
1-6		0-3		100				10/23	Bye			127	106	65			
1-6	3-4	0-3	1-2	100	118			10/30	at Middle Tennessee			127	105	73	119	99	87
	1-6		0-3		103			11/6	North Texas						72	112	108
	8-0		4-0		134			11/13	at UTSA						49	40	30
	2-5		1-2		109			11/20	at Louisiana Tech						109	104	101
	1-6		0-3		103			11/27	FIU						94	121	55

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 South Alabama	7-31	-42	6	-3	19	45-125	2.8	13-29	133	4	13	34-31	0.9	17-22	269	3
Grambling St	37-0	298	13	0	22	49-290	5.9	14-24	149	3	9	27-51	1.9	16-32	90	2
Troy	9-21	-148	-3	0	14	39--1	0.0	16-27	157	9	17	32-49	1.5	27-40	255	4
at Alabama	14-63	-393	-11	0	11	33-82	2.5	11-24	131	2	22	33-211	6.4	23-26	395	2
at Rice	19-24	53	6	-4	21	27-57	2.1	25-40	321	5	15	33-118	3.6	17-23	207	1
UTEP	13-26	-138	1	-1	17	32-15	0.5	20-31	239	5	16	39-265	6.8	7-17	127	0
UAB	0-34	-281	-11	0	9	35-75	2.1	6-16	32	3	20	42-223	5.3	11-20	165	1
Bye																
at Middle Tennessee																
North Texas																
at UTSA																
at Louisiana Tech																
FIU																
Average	14-28	-93.0	0.1	-1.1	16	37-92	2.5	55.0%	166	16.2%	16	34-135	4.0	65.6%	215	7.2%
Conference	11-28	-122.0	-1.3	-1.7	16	31-49	1.6	58.6%	197	14.9%	17	38-202	5.3	58.3%	166	3.3%
Away	13-39	-127.3	0.3	-2.3	17	35-88	2.5	52.7%	195	11.8%	17	33-120	3.6	80.3%	290	8.5%

OVERALL: 1-6 vs. CUSA 0-3

OVERALL: 3-4 vs. CUSA 1-2

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

Southern Miss		Middle Tenn
#123	Rush Off	#121
#117	Pass Off	#50
#127	**Total Off**	**#103**
#127	Score Off	#58
#128	Sks Allowed	#76
#47	Rush Def	#91
#50	Pass Def	#97
#48	**Total Def**	**#94**
#84	Score Def	#87
#85	Sks By	#85
#116	Ypg Diff	#109
-8	**Total TO's**	**+13**

Southern Miss Golden Eagles | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **Middle Tenn Blue Raiders**

Position by Position Edges

Southern Miss		Middle Tenn
	Southern Miss QB/WR vs. Middle Tenn DB's	0.86
	Southern Miss RB's vs. Middle Tenn LB's	1.71
	Southern Miss OL vs. Middle Tenn DL	0.92
1.34	Southern Miss DL vs. Middle Tenn OL	
1.35	Southern Miss LB'S vs. Middle Tenn RB's	
	Southern Miss DB's vs. Middle Tenn QB/WR	0.86
0.03	Southern Miss ST's vs. Middle Tenn ST's	
	Southern Miss K vs. Middle Tenn K	0.20
	Southern Miss Coaches vs. Middle Tenn Coaches	1.70
2.71	Southern Miss Pts vs. Middle Tenn Pts	6.24

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

Middle Tenn

By 3.53 Points

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	FOE 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	44-13	W	122	103	110	130	123	107
3-4	1-6	1-2	0-3	118	100			10/30	Southern Miss			119	99	87	127	105	73
	3-4		2-1		121			11/6	at WKU						37	100	44
	1-6		0-3		103			11/13	FIU						94	121	55
	1-6		0-3		103			11/20	Old Dominion						116	93	39
	4-3		2-1		122			11/27	at Florida Atlantic						69	74	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
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	44-13	169	14	3	30	44-155	3.5	28-40	318	1	16	28-67	2.4	21-37	237	2
Southern Miss																
at WKU																
FIU																
Old Dominion																
at Florida Atlantic																
Average	30-29	-67.9	-3.7	1.9	19	33-98	3.0	62.8%	251	7.1%	23	38-168	4.4	61.7%	249	4.9%
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%
Home	42-22	-58.0	-5.0	4.0	18	42-149	3.6	68.1%	177	8.5%	23	37-130	3.6	65.2%	254	5.6%

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

None

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Projected Box Score

Southern Miss		Middle Tenn
	Projected Rushing	
112 yards	Southern Miss Middle Tenn	111 yards
	Projected Passing	
166 yards	Southern Miss Middle Tenn	257 yards
	Projected Yardage Total	
278 yards	Southern Miss Middle Tenn	368 yards
	Projected Final Score	
16 points	Southern Miss Middle Tenn	35 points
	Experience Rankings	
50	Southern Miss Middle Tenn	83
	Team Schedule Strength	
111	Southern Miss Middle Tenn	96

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Middle Tenn By 13.5
Las Vegas Total	48 Points
+/- Ratings	Middle Tenn By 22.8
Game Grade	Middle Tenn By 11.1
Computer Yards	Middle Tenn 368-278
Computer Points	Middle Tenn 35-16
Phil Steele	Middle Tenn by 21

Phil's Forecast:

Only 4th mtg between conference foes and MT has won all 3 prior. Last meeting was in '14, MT led 37-18, SM scored 2 TD's including last one w/:27 left. The yards were nearly even at half but SMiss trailed 20-10. MT has lost 3 straight hosting CUSA West foes. Golden Eagles are 1-4 SU/ATS with 3 straight losses when traveling to play CUSA East foes. SMiss is fresh off a bye but MTenn had a bye and only Connecticut on Friday the last two weeks. Southern Miss HC Will Hall had high expectations coming in but lost his QB then his VHT bkp QB and has been down to walk on Jake Lange and even he got hurt in their last game and is a ? here. SMiss avg just 258 ypg, 120 ypg less than their foes allow on avg (#129 in FBS). The Eagles is 0-6 SU/ATS vs FBS foes losing by 22.8 ppg. MT is 3-4 with their 4 losses all on the road. They beat Marshall in their only CUSA home game so far this year. Chase Cunningham has thrown for 973 (63%, 16-2). SM does have the defensive edge allowing 351 ypg vs MT's 416. MT has taken on the tougher schedule (#95 vs #111) and a win gives the Blue Raiders a great shot at a bowl.

Middle Tennessee 34 Southern Miss 13

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	FOE 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	13-30	L	62	21	106	64	9	100
4-3	3-5	2-2	1-4	127	133			10/30	at Nebraska			82	33	105	16	32	127
	7-0		4-0		136			11/6	Michigan St						21	25	32
	6-1		4-0		153			11/13	at Ohio St						1	5	26
	3-4		1-3		123			11/20	† Northwestern						70	92	117
	2-5		0-4		126			11/27	Indiana						105	44	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
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	13-30	-136	3	-3	17	24--13	-0.5	27-38	219	6	14	51-290	5.7	5-8	52	2
at Nebraska																
Michigan St																
at Ohio St																
† Northwestern																
Indiana																
Average	22-16	90.4	8.0	-0.7	23	31-74	2.4	69.2%	318	6.9%	15	36-141	3.9	52.8%	160	7.2%
Conference	16-17	62.8	6.5	-1.0	22	29-47	1.6	67.1%	311	8.1%	15	40-167	4.2	52.9%	129	9.4%
Away	29-11	179.0	9.3	0.7	24	33-110	3.3	72.9%	348	5.3%	15	33-107	3.3	51.7%	172	9.0%

OVERALL: 4-3 | **vs. BIG 10** 2-2

OVERALL: 3-5 | **vs. BIG 10** 1-4

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

Purdue		Nebraska
#128	Rush Off	#22
#12	Pass Off	#36
#73	**Total Off**	**#12**
#105	Score Off	#48
#102	Sks Allowed	#102
#52	Rush Def	#51
#5	Pass Def	#41
#13	**Total Def**	**#42**
#9	Score Def	#24
#85	Sks By	#85
#30	Ypg Diff	#13
-5	**Total TO's**	**+1**

Purdue Boilermakers | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **Nebraska Cornhuskers**

Position by Position Edges

Purdue		Nebraska
0.33	Purdue QB/WR vs. Nebraska DB's	
	Purdue RB's vs. Nebraska LB's	2.94
	Purdue OL vs. Nebraska DL	1.68
0.18	Purdue DL vs. Nebraska OL	
0.14	Purdue LB'S vs. Nebraska RB's	
0.16	Purdue DB's vs. Nebraska QB/WR	
0.30	Purdue ST's vs. Nebraska ST's	
0.70	Purdue K vs. Nebraska K	
0.60	Purdue Coaches vs. Nebraska Coaches	
2.41	Purdue Pts vs. Nebraska Pts	4.62

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

Nebraska

By 2.21 Points

Nebraska Cornhuskers

Cornhuskers 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	FOE DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	130	124			8/28	† Illinois	22-30	L	65	54	99	66	94	49
0-1		0-1		127				9/4	Fordham	52-7	W	61	48	86			
1-1	1-0	0-1	0-0	127	118			9/11	Buffalo	28-3	W	38	42	122	111	101	4
2-1	2-0	0-1	0-0	129	147		3	9/18	at Oklahoma	16-23	L	31	42	124	2	4	25
2-2	3-0	0-1	1-0	131	133		20	9/25	at Michigan St	20-23	L	33	26	130	16	58	123
2-3	2-2	0-2	0-1	131	123			10/2	Northwestern	56-7	W	17	25	127	53	86	76
3-3	5-0	1-2	2-0	135	143		9	10/9	Michigan	29-32	L	19	24	129	10	8	2
3-4	3-2	1-3	1-1	135	132			10/16	at Minnesota	23-30	L	19	32	124	82	20	62
3-5		1-4		133				10/23	Bye			16	32	127			
3-5	4-3	1-4	2-2	133	127			10/30	Purdue			0	0	0	82	33	105
	6-1		4-0		153			11/6	Ohio St						1	5	26
								11/13	Bye								
	4-3		2-2		137			11/20	at Wisconsin						60	6	111
	6-1		3-1		143			11/26	Iowa						107	2	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
† Illinois	22-30	66	1	0	19	39-160	4.1	16-32	232	5	18	48-167	3.5	15-19	159	3
Fordham	52-7	341	22	1	34	65-329	5.1	21-30	304	1	12	28-129	4.6	18-30	163	1
Buffalo	28-3	157	0	0	19	41-220	5.4	14-20	296	0	19	33-135	4.1	27-50	224	0
at Oklahoma	16-23	-24	-3	-1	18	38-95	2.5	19-25	289	5	21	35-194	5.5	24-34	214	0
at Michigan St	20-23	186	14	-1	26	48-188	3.9	25-36	252	7	12	30-71	2.4	14-23	183	3
Northwestern	56-7	366	11	1	28	53-427	8.1	15-21	230	0	17	26-35	1.3	25-40	256	4
Michigan	29-32	-28	-7	-1	19	32-140	4.4	18-28	291	1	26	42-204	4.9	22-39	255	1
at Minnesota	23-30	-19	-3	2	19	31-136	4.4	18-33	241	2	22	43-182	4.2	21-25	214	1
Bye																
Purdue																
Ohio St																
Bye																
at Wisconsin																
Iowa																
Average	31-19	130.6	4.4	0.1	23	43-212	4.9	64.9%	267	9.3%	18	36-140	3.9	63.8%	209	5.0%
Conference	30-24	114.2	3.2	0.2	22	41-210	5.2	61.3%	249	10.0%	19	38-132	3.5	66.4%	213	8.2%
Home	41-12	209.0	6.5	0.3	25	48-279	5.8	68.7%	280	2.0%	19	32-126	3.9	57.9%	225	3.8%

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

2020	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
Purdue	-	-2	27	19	17--2	33-47-334	
Nebraska	-	64	37	20	40-111	24-31-253	0
2019	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Purdue	-	58	31	24	36-145	31-41-304	
Nebraska	-	-3.5	27	21	35-128	22-39-247	1
2018	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Purdue	-	-3.5	42	27	37-188	25-42-328	
Nebraska	-	58.5	28	31	39-259	25-42-323	-1
2017	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Purdue	-	-5	24	20	38-199	16-28-164	
Nebraska	-	51	25	25	27-40	32-50-431	0
2016	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Purdue	-	61.5	14	13	22-24	25-45-309	
Nebraska	8	-24	27	22	37-157	17-31-252	1

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Projected Box Score

Purdue		Nebraska
	Projected Rushing	
48 yards	Purdue	194 yards
	Nebraska	
	Projected Passing	
302 yards	Purdue	231 yards
	Nebraska	
	Projected Yardage Total	
351 yards	Purdue	425 yards
	Nebraska	
	Projected Final Score	
21 points	Purdue	26 points
	Nebraska	
	Experience Rankings	
51	Purdue	75
	Nebraska	
	Team Schedule Strength	
21	Purdue	45
	Nebraska	

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Nebraska By 7.5
Las Vegas Total	52.5 Points
+/- Ratings	Nebraska By 10.0
Game Grade	Nebraska By 5.5
Computer Yards	Nebraska 425-351
Computer Points	Nebraska 26-21
Phil Steele	Nebraska by 3

Phil's Forecast:

Nebraska leads the series 5-4. Last year Nebraska blocked a punt and after a long PR and penalty got a TD on 1 & 17 yd "drives" to lead 14-0 4:56 into game. PU was SOD at 31 and trailed 27-13 H despite 12-9 FD edge. Up 34-27 Nebraska went 79/8 with 3 15 yd pen's on PU for 32 yd FG and a 37-27 road win (+2). Last time here ('18), the Boilermakers handed the Cornhuskers their program record 7th straight home loss despite giving up 582 yds off total offense to Nebraska as Purdue recorded its first ever win in Lincoln 42-28 (-3'). Nebraska is fresh off a bye. The Huskers are 3-5 and will be a dog in their final 3 games. Their losses have been by 8, 7, 3, 3 and 7 and they are actually +131 ypg despite their record including +114 ypg in Big Ten play. Purdue is +63 ypg in Big Ten play as they had a 28-12 FD edge vs Minnesota but lost that game. In their last road game they dominated #2 Iowa in a 24-7 win with a 464-273 yd edge. Last week Wisconsin won their 15th straight vs Purdue and had a 342-206 yard edge. Down 10-7 Purdue got a 56 yd FR TD by Karlafis 6:13. UW got a 37 yd IR to the 1 but UW settled for FG 13-13 H. Wisconsin had a 290-(-13) yd edge despite the Boilermakers holding them to 1-11 on 3rd down 2H and got a 17-0 2H shutout for a 30-13 road win with Purdue ranked for first time since '07. Purdue is playing to an AGG of 109.2 and Nebraska is at 111.6 which are both top 15. Purdue is holding foes to 57 ypg below their season avg and has taken on the tougher schedule (#21 vs #38). Jeff Brohm is 8-2 ATS as an AD (Purdue is 19-5 ATS as AD last 8 yrs) and Frost is 6-8 ATS as an HF. This game is a toss-up but Cornhusker DB and INT leader Deontai Williams (4, no other player has 1) is doubtful and I am surprised that Nebraska is laying over a TD vs a team that was #25 in the AP poll last week and I think the Boilermakers keep it close.

Best Bet: ★ Purdue 20 (+) Nebraska 23

Missouri 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	0-0	0-0	124	116			9/4	Central Michigan	34-24	W	75	74	30	77	89	42
1-0	1-0	0-0	0-0	124	125			9/11	at Kentucky	28-35	L	59	63	16	41	39	23
1-1		0-1		124				9/18	SE Missouri St	59-28	W	47	63	29			
2-1	3-0	0-1	0-0	124	127			9/25	at Boston College	34-41	L	20	80	16	36	75	13
2-2	2-2	0-1	0-1	124	121			10/2	Tennessee	24-62	L	20	81	15	39	48	10
2-3	1-3	0-2	0-2	119	102			10/9	North Texas	48-35	W	28	102	9	88	112	64
3-3	4-2	0-2	1-2	118	139		21	10/16	Texas A&M	14-35	L	25	106	4	42	7	17
3-4		0-3		118				10/23	Bye			25	108	8			
3-4	2-6	0-3	0-4	118	102			10/30	at Vanderbilt			24	108	7	121	111	99
	7-0		5-0		156			11/6	at Georgia						12	1	41
	4-4		1-4		113			11/13	South Carolina						91	43	17
	4-3		2-3		133			11/20	Florida						7	9	42
	5-3		1-3		129			11/27	at Arkansas						14	42	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
Central Michigan	34-24	-7	-1	2	26	36-211	5.9	21-32	257	2	27	39-174	4.5	24-47	301	9
at Kentucky	28-35	-113	-1	1	25	24-104	4.3	34-52	294	1	26	52-332	6.4	10-18	179	2
SE Missouri St	59-28	302	7	1	26	34-235	6.9	28-38	440	0	19	36-294	8.2	8-15	79	1
at Boston College	34-41	-59	-1	-1	22	23-88	3.8	30-42	303	0	23	49-275	5.6	18-29	175	1
Tennessee	24-62	-287	-14	-2	21	30-74	2.5	27-44	322	1	35	59-458	7.8	15-19	225	1
North Texas	48-35	-19	0	3	21	39-314	8.1	21-33	160	1	21	49-188	3.8	16-26	305	3
Texas A&M	14-35	-103	-10	-1	19	30-98	3.3	29-43	230	2	29	42-283	6.7	13-25	148	1
Bye																
at Vanderbilt																
at Georgia																
South Carolina																
Florida																
at Arkansas																
Average	34-37	-40.9	-2.9	0.4	23	31-161	5.2	66.9%	287	2.5%	26	47-286	6.1	58.1%	202	10.1%
Conference	22-44	-167.7	-8.3	-0.7	22	28-92	3.3	64.7%	282	2.9%	30	51-358	7.0	61.3%	184	6.5%
Away	31-38	-86.0	-1.0	0.0	24	24-96	4.1	68.1%	299	1.1%	25	51-304	6.0	59.6%	177	6.4%

OVERALL:	OVERALL:
3-4	2-6
vs. SEC	vs. SEC
0-3	0-4

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

Missouri		Vanderbilt
#71	Rush Off	#120
#20	Pass Off	#102
#32	**Total Off**	**#123**
#25	Score Off	#129
#9	Sks Allowed	#69
#128	Rush Def	#94
#33	Pass Def	#120
#124	**Total Def**	**#119**
#122	Score Def	#119
#43	Sks By	#123
#97	Ypg Diff	#128
+3	**Total TO's**	**-3**

Missouri Tigers | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **Vanderbilt Commodores**

Position by Position Edges

Missouri		Vanderbilt
1.65	Missouri QB/WR vs. Vanderbilt DB's	
1.03	Missouri RB's vs. Vanderbilt LB's	
1.36	Missouri OL vs. Vanderbilt DL	
	Missouri DL vs. Vanderbilt OL	0.69
1.41	Missouri LB'S vs. Vanderbilt RB's	
0.84	Missouri DB's vs. Vanderbilt QB/WR	
2.79	Missouri ST's vs. Vanderbilt ST's	
	Missouri K vs. Vanderbilt K	1.50
1.10	Missouri Coaches vs. Vanderbilt Coaches	
10.18	Missouri Pts vs. Vanderbilt Pts	2.19

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

Missouri

By 7.98 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	6-45	L	118	113	109	59	22	113
2-6	3-4	0-4	0-3	102	118			10/30	Missouri			121	111	99	24	108	7
								11/6	Bye								
	6-1		4-1		136			11/13	Kentucky						40	29	95
	6-1		3-1		141			11/20	at Mississippi						4	61	58
	4-4		2-3		129			11/27	at Tennessee						17	31	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
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	6-45	-367	-24	1	5	17-9	0.5	17-25	146	3	29	22-61	2.8	46-64	461	3
Missouri																
Bye																
Kentucky																
at Mississippi																
at Tennessee																
Average	13-35	-167.5	-4.8	-0.4	17	33-100	3.0	55.6%	192	5.8%	21	34-173	5.1	63.8%	286	2.4%
Conference	7-43	-284.0	-12.5	0.3	11	30-64	2.2	52.3%	144	8.3%	23	34-150	4.4	69.0%	342	2.6%
Home	12-40	-184.6	-7.4	-1.0	16	31-100	3.3	54.5%	178	4.8%	23	34-175	5.1	66.1%	287	3.2%

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

2020	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
Missouri	-	-14	41	31	38-223	34-41-380	
Vanderbilt	-	51	0	13	35-93	15-25-103	-1
2019	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Missouri	22	-21	14	18	40-153	13-26-140	
Vanderbilt	-	56.5	21	17	42-150	10-19-165	0
2018	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Missouri	-	-15	33	30	49-253	22-33-253	
Vanderbilt	-	63.5	28	19	29-216	24-36-249	2
2017	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Missouri	-	-7.5	45	17	39-191	10-25-235	
Vanderbilt	-	64.5	17	25	30-51	28-52-348	-3
2016	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Missouri	-	-3.5	26	20	37-187	22-37-294	
Vanderbilt	-	54	17	18	43-159	17-30-252	-1

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Projected Box Score

Projected Rushing		
164 yards	Missouri	Vanderbilt 213 yards
Projected Passing		
310 yards	Missouri	Vanderbilt 211 yards
Projected Yardage Total		
474 yards	Missouri	Vanderbilt 424 yards
Projected Final Score		
34 points	Missouri	Vanderbilt 16 points
Experience Rankings		
92	Missouri	Vanderbilt 73
Team Schedule Strength		
78	Missouri	Vanderbilt 35

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Missouri By 16.5
Las Vegas Total	63.5 Points
+/- Ratings	Missouri By 13.0
Game Grade	Missouri By 8.1
Computer Yards	Missouri 474-424
Computer Points	Missouri 34-16
Phil Steele	Missouri by 10

Phil's Forecast:

Last time here the Tigers were red hot off a 5-game winning streak and had just moved into the top 25. The Tigers had their 11-gm streak of scoring 31+ broken, finishing with just 14 pts and 293 yds in 7 pt loss (-21). The 'Dores are 4-8-1 all-time vs Mizzou and they've lost 6 of the last 8. The home team has won 5 of the last 6 meetings (4-2 ATS). Vandy is 3-15 as a home underdog the last 5 years. Last year the story coming in was Vandy K Sarah Fuller, the first girl to play in Power 5 game, but Mizzou dominated so much she never got a chance at a FG or xp with Mizzou rolling 41-0 (-14) with 603-185 yard edge. Missouri is fresh off a bye and Vandy is playing a 9th straight week but Mizzou is 2-7 ATS as an AF. Vandy is 2-5 but is being outscored by 20 ppg. They did lead South Carolina 20-14 until allowing a late TD in a one point home loss. Last week they were at home but Miss St had the crowd edge and dominated, leading 24-3 at half with 15-2 FD edge. Miss St went 80/8 for TD :44 left and won 45-6 with a 522-155 yd edge. For 2nd straight week Wright started at QB for Vandy in place of injured Seals. Missouri is a decent 3-4 and just -3 ppg but has actually lost 10 straight games ATS! Missouri is allowing 286 (6.1) rush this year but Vandy had just 9 rush yds last wk and their most explosive RB, Temple transfer Re'Mahn Davis was OFY after 3 games. They did rush for 247 vs Stanford earlier this year and Rocko Griffin picked up 107 that day. Mizzou fans won't travel well so Vandy should have the crowd edge. Missouri is playing to an AGG of 92.2 while KY is 81.1 (Mizzou by 8.1) so I've got the Commdores keeping it closer.

Missouri 34 Vanderbilt 24

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	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	17-29	L	6	85	66	94	52	15
3-4	3-4	1-3	1-3	129	131			10/30	at Kansas St			9	89	18	75	64	10
	6-1		3-1		135			11/6	Baylor						11	38	14
	6-1		3-1		138			11/13	at Oklahoma St						81	19	90
	1-6		0-4		105			11/20	Kansas						117	126	97
	5-2		3-1		141			11/27	at Iowa St						19	24	115

	OVERALL:	OVERALL:
	3-4	3-4
	vs. BIG 12	vs. BIG 12
	1-3	1-3
NCAA RANKINGS	2021 TEAM RANKINGS	
	TCU	Kansas St
#21	Rush Off	#79
#67	Pass Off	#90
#30	**Total Off**	**#92**
#27	Score Off	#76
#15	Sks Allowed	#42
#119	Rush Def	#24
#82	Pass Def	#77
#118	**Total Def**	**#45**
#103	Score Def	#58
#117	Sks By	#31
#83	Ypg Diff	#77
-2	**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
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	17-29	-94	-5	-3	19	34-149	4.4	16-26	244	2	24	41-229	5.6	22-29	258	1
at Kansas St																
Baylor																
at Oklahoma St																
Kansas																
at Iowa St																
Average	34-32	-1.7	1.1	-0.3	23	40-215	5.4	65.0%	234	4.5%	22	39-213	5.4	61.0%	238	4.9%
Conference	32-36	-53.3	-4.5	-1.0	21	40-224	5.6	68.1%	219	3.2%	25	42-236	5.7	65.2%	260	5.2%
Away	42-42	-28.0	-6.0	0.5	20	42-289	6.9	70.0%	225	0.0%	26	36-222	6.2	64.1%	320	4.7%

TCU Horned Frogs | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **Kansas St Wildcats**

Position by Position Edges	TCU	Kansas St
TCU QB/WR vs. Kansas St DB's	0.76	
TCU RB's vs. Kansas St LB's	0.87	
TCU OL vs. Kansas St DL	0.75	
TCU DL vs. Kansas St OL		0.92
TCU LB'S vs. Kansas St RB's	0.27	
TCU DB's vs. Kansas St QB/WR	0.56	
TCU ST's vs. Kansas St ST's		0.42
TCU K vs. Kansas St K	1.40	
TCU Coaches vs. Kansas St Coaches	1.05	
TCU Pts vs. Kansas St Pts	5.66	1.34

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

TCU

By 4.32 Points

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	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	25-24	W	74	72	34	44	87	64
3-4	3-4	1-3	1-3	131	129			10/30	TCU			75	64	10	9	89	18
	1-6		0-4		105			11/6	at Kansas						117	126	97
	3-4		1-3		130			11/13	West Virginia						83	52	37
	6-1		3-1		135			11/20	Baylor						11	38	14
	4-3		2-2		136			11/27	at Texas						6	84	20

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	25-24	59	3	-1	17	29-81	2.8	24-30	296	2	14	37-170	4.6	10-19	148	3
TCU																
at Kansas																
West Virginia																
Baylor																
at Texas																
Average	27-25	10.3	1.3	-0.4	19	35-151	4.4	64.2%	209	6.9%	18	33-116	3.5	70.2%	234	9.3%
Conference	24-31	-52.5	-1.8	-1.0	18	29-95	3.3	65.6%	255	6.4%	20	37-162	4.4	72.6%	240	5.7%
Home	30-28	30.8	4.3	-0.3	22	39-178	4.5	65.3%	207	5.1%	18	33-117	3.6	73.0%	238	9.0%

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

2020	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
TCU	-	-9	14	20	37-189	22-38-153	
Kansas St	-	49.5	21	12	38-172	8-19-117	0
2019	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
TCU	-	-3.5	17	22	40-228	18-31-138	
Kansas St	-	44.5	24	14	33-94	11-23-172	0
2018	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
TCU	-	-9.5	14	13	26-57	17-33-218	
Kansas St	-	46	13	21	47-139	16-28-162	-2
2017	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
TCU	6	-6.5	26	17	36-98	27-37-297	
Kansas St	-	50	6	10	29-70	11-30-146	0
2016	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
TCU	-	-3.5	6	15	37-142	17-36-138	
Kansas St	-	51.5	30	21	51-336	9-21-159	0

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Projected Box Score

TCU		Kansas St
	Projected Rushing	
192 yards		225 yards
	Projected Passing	
166 yards		208 yards
	Projected Yardage Total	
358 yards		433 yards
	Projected Final Score	
28 points		33 points
	Experience Rankings	
47		88
	Team Schedule Strength	
53		13

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Kansas St By 3.5
Las Vegas Total	58.5 Points
+/- Ratings	Kansas St By 6.5
Game Grade	Kansas St By 9.8
Computer Yards	Kansas St 433-358
Computer Points	Kansas St 32-28
Phil Steele	Kansas st by 3

Phil's Forecast:

The Wildcats have won B2B meetings against the Horned Frogs for the first time since '12-'13. Last time here ('19) TCU was off a bye. Horned Frogs never led all game but entered the 4Q tied 17-17. TCU defense would surrender a TD with 2:45 left and could not respond, being upset 24-17 (-3'). Last year KSt started bkp QB Howard (8-19-117, 86 rush). Down 14-7 TCU brought backup QB Downing in and he was int'd and ret'd 24 yd for a TD. TCU had a 20-12 FD edge (342-289 yd) but lost at home 21-14. Kansas St is 50-21 SU at home the last 11 years while TCU is 13-18 ATS as an AF in that span but delivered an Inside the Pressbox Best Bet winner in their 52-31 win at Texas Tech in that role. Kansas St opened an impressive 3-0 with a dominating win over Stanford and an upset of Nevada. They then lost to the top 3 Big 12 teams (Okla St, Okla, Iowa St) but just by 10 ppg. Last week Kan St snapped an 8 game Big 12 losing streak but trailed 21-7 and 24-10 at half against TT. KSt got a safety then a 69/6 TD after the free kick to pull to 24-19. TT was SOD at KSt 34 11:43. KSt 3&34 own 22 when huge play at facemask penalty and FD KST continued for TD and 1st lead with 6:07 left & KSt won 25-24. QB Skylar Thompson is back after missing two games and is hitting 71% with a 6-3 ratio. TCU opened 3-3 with a home upset loss to SMU. Last week TCU got a 100 yd KR TD by Davis to start 7-0 but WVU trailed 20-17 at half and were outgained 304-213 and TCU settled for a FG from the 2 with :14 left in 1H. TCU was INT'd twice on first 3 drives of 2H then was SOD at 35, fumble and then SOD at 45 on last 3 drives in 29-17 home loss. TCU is allowing 236 rush ypg (5.7) but they struggle against power rush attacks while KSt's RB Vaughn is more of a speed back. KSt QB Thompson has been banged up with a knee inj but has thrown for 320+ yds twice in the L/3 games & TCU has the #89 pass D. TCU also has a spectacular offensive trio of QB Duggan, RB Evans and WR Q. Johnston & KSt's pass D is allowing nearly 73% against B12 foes. TCU keeps this close but I like KSt to get the close win at home.

Kansas St 30 TCU 27

Kentucky 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	FOE DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	125	96			9/4	ULM	45-10	W	67	42	52	130	126	130
1-0	1-0	0-0	0-0	125	124			9/11	Missouri	35-28	W	41	39	23	59	63	16
2-0		1-0		125			7	9/18	Chattanooga	28-23	W	33	32	75			
3-0	2-1	1-0	0-1	123	121			9/25	at South Carolina	16-10	W	27	37	80	61	36	56
4-0	3-1	2-0	1-1	125	138		10	10/2	Florida	20-13	W	31	29	77	3	17	74
5-0	3-2	3-0	1-1	129	135	16		10/9	LSU	42-21	W	38	33	76	60	20	24
6-0	6-0	4-0	4-0	134	158	11	1	10/16	at Georgia	13-30	L	28	29	75	10	1	45
6-1		4-1		136		15		10/23	Bye			35	35	92			
6-1	4-3	4-1	2-2	136	132	12		10/30	at Miss St			40	29	95	56	16	106
	4-4		2-3		129			11/6	Tennessee						17	31	31
	2-6		0-4		102			11/13	at Vanderbilt						121	111	99
	1-7		0-0		100			11/20	New Mexico St						112	128	103
	4-3		2-2		129			11/27	at Louisville						38	65	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
ULM	45-10	467	12	-3	24	34-135	4.0	22-33	419	4	12	43-17	0.4	11-20	70	6
Missouri	35-28	113	1	-1	26	52-332	6.4	10-18	179	2	25	24-104	4.3	34-52	294	1
Chattanooga	28-23	17	4	-2	20	27-102	3.8	23-35	254	1	16	28-171	6.1	21-35	168	0
at South Carolina	16-10	116	10	-3	22	44-230	5.2	15-22	102	0	12	26-58	2.2	17-25	158	2
Florida	20-13	-158	-8	0	13	30-137	4.6	7-17	87	2	21	39-171	4.4	24-32	211	0
LSU	42-21	67	2	1	24	45-330	7.3	14-17	145	1	22	35-147	4.2	22-38	261	4
at Georgia	13-30	-173	-4	0	16	27-51	1.9	32-42	192	3	20	27-166	6.1	14-20	250	1
Bye																
at Miss St																
Tennessee																
at Vanderbilt																
New Mexico St																
at Louisville																
Average	28-19	64.1	2.4	-1.1	21	37-188	5.1	66.8%	197	7.1%	18	32-119	3.8	64.4%	202	6.3%
Conference	25-20	-7.0	0.2	-0.6	20	40-216	5.5	67.2%	141	6.9%	20	30-129	4.3	66.5%	235	4.8%
Away	15-20	-28.5	3.0	-1.5	19	36-141	4.0	73.4%	147	4.7%	16	27-112	4.2	68.9%	204	6.7%

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

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

Kentucky		Miss St
#41	Rush Off	#129
#97	Pass Off	#4
#78	**Total Off**	**#49**
#70	Score Off	#75
#50	Sks Allowed	#98
#27	Rush Def	#9
#33	Pass Def	#78
#22	**Total Def**	**#28**
#22	Score Def	#69
#77	Sks By	#61
#40	Ypg Diff	#27
-8	**Total TO's**	**-3**

Kentucky Wildcats | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **Miss St Bulldogs**

Position by Position Edges

Kentucky		Miss St
	Kentucky QB/WR vs. Miss St DB's	0.82
	Kentucky RB's vs. Miss St LB's	0.73
	Kentucky OL vs. Miss St DL	0.33
1.71	Kentucky DL vs. Miss St OL	
3.05	Kentucky LB'S vs. Miss St RB's	
	Kentucky DB's vs. Miss St QB/WR	1.18
0.29	Kentucky ST's vs. Miss St ST's	
1.25	Kentucky K vs. Miss St K	
0.75	Kentucky Coaches vs. Miss St Coaches	
7.05	Kentucky Pts vs. Miss St Pts	3.06

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

Kentucky

By 3.99 Points

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	FOE 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	45-6	W	59	22	113	118	113	109
4-3	6-1	2-2	4-1	132	136		12	10/30	Kentucky			56	16	106	40	29	95
	5-3		1-3		129			11/6	at Arkansas						14	42	65
	5-2		2-1		140			11/13	at Auburn						13	35	13
	6-1		3-1		141			11/20	Tennessee St						4	61	58
								11/27	Mississippi								

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
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	45-6	367	24	-1	29	22-61	2.8	46-64	461	3	5	17-9	0.5	17-25	146	3
Kentucky																
at Arkansas																
at Auburn																
Tennessee St																
Mississippi																
Average	28-26	96.7	10.6	-0.4	25	19-49	2.6	73.2%	375	5.0%	14	27-93	3.4	61.6%	234	7.4%
Conference	26-26	102.0	13.3	-1.0	28	21-52	2.5	72.1%	385	5.8%	14	29-107	3.7	66.0%	227	10.0%
Home	23-30	-13.3	5.8	-0.8	23	20-51	2.6	72.3%	334	5.6%	17	30-98	3.3	61.5%	300	6.3%

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

2020	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
Kentucky	-	-2.5	24	10	32-84	8-21-73	
Mississippi St	-	57.5	2	18	14-20	45-70-275	-5
2019	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Kentucky	-	48	13	21	28-154	15-42-232	
Mississippi St	-	-6	28	22	40-241	17-22-180	-1
2018	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Kentucky	-	55.5	28	18	47-229	8-14-71	
Mississippi St	14	-9.5	7	11	28-56	16-32-145	0
2017	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Kentucky	-	54.5	7	14	29-115	14-30-145	
Mississippi St	-	-12	45	25	48-282	19-27-159	2
2016	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Kentucky	-	53.5	40	26	44-262	17-33-292	
Mississippi St	-	-4	38	16	39-281	13-21-81	1

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Projected Box Score

Projected Rushing		
126 yards	Kentucky	Miss St 51 yards
Projected Passing		
144 yards	Kentucky	Miss St 367 yards
Projected Yardage Total		
270 yards	Kentucky	Miss St 418 yards
Projected Final Score		
20 points	Kentucky	Miss St 24 points
Experience Rankings		
123	Kentucky	Miss St 93
Team Schedule Strength		
28	Kentucky	Miss St 2

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Kentucky By 1.5
Las Vegas Total	47 Points
+/- Ratings	Miss St By 0.5
Game Grade	Miss St By 7.3
Computer Yards	Miss St 418-270
Computer Points	Miss St 24-20
Phil Steele	Miss St by 7

Phil's Forecast:

Kentucky hasn't beaten MSU in Starkville since 2008 (1-4 ATS). The visitor is 0-6 SU/ATS. Last time here Kentucky was off near upset of Florida. The 'Cats led 14-7 to start 4Q, allowed TD drives of 40 & 36 and lost by 7. These 2 have split 48 meetings. The Bulldogs are 9-1 SU/7-3 ATS when hosting SEC East foes. Last year Kentucky was -2' at home. Kentucky snagged 6 ints and led 14-0 mid 2Q with just 5 FD's. Up 7-0 Paschal got a 76 yd IR to the 2 setting up a TD. It was first game in Mike Leach's coaching career his offense did not score as MSt only scored on safety in 24-2 Cat win. Kentucky got off to a perfect 6-0 start and rose to #11 in the AP poll but they had close wins against 3 week teams (Mizzou, UT Chatt, SCar) and were outgained by 158 yds against Florida but won thanks to a blk'd fg that was ret'd for td. They were crushed by Georgia but did get a TD on the last play to cover. They are just +64 ypg but do have a defense that is holding foes to 93 ypg below their season average. Will Levis threw 42 passes vs Georgia. Miss St has a solid D holding foes to 91 ypg below their season avg and just 93 (3.4) rush. They did beat NCSt at home and Texas A&M on the road. They were 200-200 yds in the 1H vs Alabama but trailed 21-6 (IR TD) and lost by 40. Miss St also had +222 and +144 yd edges in road losses to Memphis & LSU. Last week they traveled to Vandy off a loss and Miss St had the crowd edge and dominated, leading 24-3 at half with 15-2 FD edge. Miss St went 80/8 for TD :44 left and won 45-6 with a 522-155 yd edge. The Bulldogs have played the tougher schedule (#2 vs #30). Miss St is playing to an AGG of 109.3 and UK is at 105.7 (Miss St by 7.6) and I've got the Bulldogs winning by a touchdown.

Best Bet: ★ Mississippi St 27 (+) Kentucky 20

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	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
5-2	2-4	2-2	0-3	125	131			10/30	Kansas St	24-25	L	44	87	64	74	72	34
	8-0		5-0		141		4	11/6	at Oklahoma						5	50	63
	5-2		3-1		141			11/13	Iowa St						19	24	115
	6-1		3-1		138			11/20	Oklahoma St						81	19	90
	6-1		3-1		135			11/27	at Baylor						11	38	14

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	24-25	-59	-3	1	14	37-170	4.6	10-19	148	3	17	29-81	2.8	24-30	296	2
at Oklahoma																
Iowa St																
Oklahoma St																
at Baylor																
Average	34-31	52.6	1.4	-0.4	20	34-169	5.0	65.8%	270	5.1%	19	35-152	4.3	67.1%	234	5.2%
Conference	31-36	-6.2	0.4	-0.4	21	36-167	4.7	64.9%	269	5.8%	20	38-210	5.6	72.2%	232	4.0%
Away	34-31	23.3	-1.0	0.3	20	33-149	4.5	71.2%	271	6.8%	21	37-163	4.4	69.4%	234	5.6%

OVERALL:	OVERALL:
5-3	8-0
vs. BIG 12	vs. BIG 12
2-3	5-0

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

Texas Tech		Oklahoma
#60	Rush Off	#37
#32	Pass Off	#27
#38	**Total Off**	**#17**
#29	Score Off	#8
#42	Sks Allowed	#69
#73	Rush Def	#20
#76	Pass Def	#112
#69	**Total Def**	**#68**
#98	Score Def	#59
#85	Sks By	#31
#47	Ypg Diff	#32
-3	**Total TO's**	**+4**

Texas Tech Red Raiders | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **Oklahoma Sooners**

Position by Position Edges

Texas Tech		Oklahoma
1.24	Texas Tech QB/WR vs. Oklahoma DB's	
	Texas Tech RB's vs. Oklahoma LB's	1.47
	Texas Tech OL vs. Oklahoma DL	0.81
	Texas Tech DL vs. Oklahoma OL	1.31
	Texas Tech LB'S vs. Oklahoma RB's	0.55
	Texas Tech DB's vs. Oklahoma QB/WR	1.89
0.68	Texas Tech ST's vs. Oklahoma ST's	
	Texas Tech K vs. Oklahoma K	1.40
	Texas Tech Coaches vs. Oklahoma Coaches	1.30
1.92	Texas Tech Pts vs. Oklahoma Pts	8.74

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

Oklahoma

By 6.81 Points

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	FOE OFF	FOE DEF	FOE 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	35-23	W	5	37	55	121	128	101
8-0	5-3	5-0	2-3	141	125	4		10/30	Texas Tech			5	50	63	44	87	64
								11/6	Bye								
	6-1		3-1		135			11/13	at Baylor						11	38	14
	5-2		3-1		141			11/20	Iowa St						19	24	115
	6-1		3-1		138			11/27	at Oklahoma St						81	19	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
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	35-23	-14	-5	0	18	34-220	6.5	15-20	178	3	23	42-166	4.0	17-23	246	1
Texas Tech																
Bye																
at Baylor																
Iowa St																
at Oklahoma St																
Average	42-25	86.4	3.8	0.5	23	35-196	5.6	72.6%	274	6.2%	20	30-109	3.7	65.7%	273	7.1%
Conference	39-29	37.4	1.4	-0.2	22	34-195	5.7	72.1%	263	8.8%	21	28-125	4.4	67.3%	296	3.7%
Home	41-19	117.4	5.6	1.0	24	34-175	5.1	73.7%	285	5.3%	18	33-96	2.9	64.7%	247	8.2%

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

2020	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
Texas Tech	-	67	28	18	29-134	19-32-266	
Oklahoma	24	-15.5	62	29	39-213	27-38-346	3
2019	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Texas Tech	-	69.5	16	16	37-192	12-26-122	
Oklahoma	6	-27	55	24	30-201	23-34-443	0
2018	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Texas Tech	-	78	46	23	27-107	30-44-366	
Oklahoma	7	-13.5	51	32	44-323	20-35-360	-2
2017	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Texas Tech	-	75	27	24	34-115	22-36-322	
Oklahoma	10	-20.5	49	31	47-336	22-34-281	0
2016	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Texas Tech	-	85	59	42	21-120	52-88-734	
Oklahoma	16	-14	66	33	40-309	27-36-545	2

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Projected Box Score

Texas Tech		Oklahoma
	Projected Rushing	
67 yards	Texas Tech Oklahoma	200 yards
	Projected Passing	
302 yards	Texas Tech Oklahoma	316 yards
	Projected Yardage Total	
369 yards	Texas Tech Oklahoma	515 yards
	Projected Final Score	
25 points	Texas Tech Oklahoma	45 points
	Experience Rankings	
71	Texas Tech Oklahoma	74
	Team Schedule Strength	
77	Texas Tech Oklahoma	76

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Oklahoma By 19.5
Las Vegas Total	66.5 Points
+/- Ratings	Oklahoma By 21.5
Game Grade	Oklahoma By 13.1
Computer Yards	Oklahoma 515-369
Computer Points	Oklahoma 45-25
Phil Steele	Oklahoma by 23

Phil's Forecast:

If you are looking for a high scoring matchup, this is one of them, as the Over has hit 10 straight years! Over the last 5 meetings in this high scoring series the Sooners have avg an incredible 671 ypg! Red Raiders have lost four straight in Norman since their historic 41-38 (+28') upset in 2011. Last time here ('19) TT was bludgeoned on the ground & in the air, giving up 642 yds in the 55-16 blowout. Last year TT went 75/7 for a TD on their opening drive and forced an OU punt. OU then went 56/7, 9/1 (after int), 50/3, 25/3 (after int), 62/3 and 80/7 for TD's on next 6 poss to lead 42-7 and led 48-14 at half pulling Rattler after 75/9 drive TD to open 3Q in 62-28 win (-15'). Both are playing a 9th straight week. Lincoln Riley is 16-13 ATS as a HF and Matt Wells was 12-19 ATS as an AD but shockingly was let go this week despite Tech being 5-3 and him having far less than 3 real years as coach with last year a Covid year. Tech opened a solid 5-2 SU but did lose to Texas by 35 and TCU by 21. Last week TT faced Kan St & they led 21-7 and 24-10 at half. KSt got a safety then a 69/6 TD after the free kick to pull to 24-19. TT did not covert a 3rd down in 2H but still led when SOD at KSt 34 11:43. KSt 3&34 own 22 when huge play at facemask penalty and FD KST continued for TD and 1st lead with 6:07 left. TT at KSt 42 but two sacks ended last drive. The Sooners opened slow at 1-4 ATS and trailed Texas by 17 when they put Caleb Williams in at QB & he led the comeback win and cover and a rout of TCU by 21. Last week the Sooners trailed Kansas 10-0 at half and were out FD'd 12-4 and were outgained 195-78! The Sooners would score TD's on all 5 2H poss but still trailed 17-14 4Q and only led 28-23 before a 75/12 TD with :42 left, 35-23. Oklahoma has now scored 30+ in 35 straight road games first time s/1980. OU is getting their rush attack going the last 3 gms (263, 7.1) and TT's rush D has all'd 336 (6.5) to Texas & 394 (8.4) to TCU. As for TT's offense I think they get back to their pass attack roots. I remember reading how TT's AD said he wants more passing & now interim HC Cumbie (former TT QB under Mike Leach) takes over. With OU's pass D having some players banged up I expect TT to put up points & I expect the same from OU's offense, but the Sooners have the stronger all-around team & will eventually pull away & win big.

High Score POW: ★ (Over 66.5) Oklahoma 55 Texas Tech 28

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	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	18-20	L	45	4	18	97	63	76
5-2	6-1	2-2	4-0	140	153	20	5	10/30	at Ohio St			58	7	19	1	5	26
	4-3		1-3		119			11/6	at Maryland						39	51	74
	7-0		4-0		143			11/13	Michigan						8	11	12
	3-4		0-4		122			11/20	Rutgers						101	60	3
	7-0		4-0		136			11/27	at Michigan St						21	25	32

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	18-20	-168	-12	3	14	29-62	2.1	19-34	165	4	26	67-357	5.3	8-21	38	4
at Ohio St																
at Maryland																
Michigan																
Rutgers																
at Michigan St																
Average	27-15	50.3	-1.0	0.9	20	34-120	3.6	62.0%	254	5.4%	21	41-146	3.6	55.6%	178	6.2%
Conference	20-13	-26.0	-5.5	1.0	16	31-107	3.5	52.4%	198	4.8%	21	49-178	3.7	51.2%	153	8.9%
Away	18-17	-40.0	-9.0	0.0	15	26-79	3.1	50.6%	214	3.8%	24	52-142	2.8	57.4%	190	7.4%

	OVERALL:	OVERALL:
	5-2	6-1
	vs. BIG 10	vs. BIG 10
	2-2	4-0

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

Penn St		Ohio St
#100	Rush Off	#25
#47	Pass Off	#6
#84	**Total Off**	**#1**
#78	Score Off	#1
#50	Sks Allowed	#20
#58	Rush Def	#29
#15	Pass Def	#73
#24	**Total Def**	**#47**
#6	Score Def	#17
#71	Sks By	#8
#50	Ypg Diff	#2
+6	**Total TO's**	**+6**

Penn St Nittany Lions | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **Ohio St Buckeyes**

Position by Position Edges

Penn St		Ohio St
	Penn St QB/WR vs. Ohio St DB's	0.31
	Penn St RB's vs. Ohio St LB's	2.43
	Penn St OL vs. Ohio St DL	2.38
	Penn St DL vs. Ohio St OL	1.82
	Penn St LB'S vs. Ohio St RB's	0.45
0.23	Penn St DB's vs. Ohio St QB/WR	
0.66	Penn St ST's vs. Ohio St ST's	
0.45	Penn St K vs. Ohio St K	
	Penn St Coaches vs. Ohio St Coaches	0.05
1.33	Penn St Pts vs. Ohio St Pts	7.43

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

Ohio St

By 6.10 Points

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	FOE 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	54-7	W	1	11	31	95	23	48
6-1	5-2	4-0	2-2	153	140	5	20	10/30	Penn St			1	5	26	58	7	19
	3-5		1-4		133			11/6	at Nebraska						16	32	127
	4-3		2-2		127			11/13	Purdue						82	33	105
	7-0		4-0		136			11/20	Michigan St						21	25	32
	7-0		4-0		143			11/27	at Michigan						8	11	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
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	54-7	411	21	0	31	32-187	5.8	28-37	352	1	10	37-48	1.3	8-17	80	5
Penn St																
at Nebraska																
Purdue																
Michigan St																
at Michigan																
Average	49-19	208.9	5.9	0.9	26	34-207	6.2	66.8%	352	3.9%	20	37-120	3.2	59.0%	231	10.2%
Conference	54-17	238.8	7.0	1.5	26	32-191	6.0	68.5%	353	2.4%	19	39-105	2.7	64.5%	200	11.6%
Home	49-20	192.5	5.0	0.5	28	35-214	6.1	65.7%	372	4.9%	23	36-119	3.3	58.0%	274	9.9%

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

2020	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
Penn St	18	64	25	20	27-44	18-30-281	
Ohio St	3	-10.5	38	24	45-208	28-34-318	1
2019	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Penn St	9	58	17	15	36-99	16-28-128	
Ohio St	2	-19	28	27	61-229	16-22-188	-2
2018	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Penn St	9	68	26	22	44-206	16-32-286	
Ohio St	4	-3.5	27	21	37-119	22-39-270	0
2017	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Penn St	2	57	38	17	35-91	17-29-192	
Ohio St	6	-6.5	39	27	39-201	33-39-328	-2
2016	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Penn St	-	56	24	13	37-122	8-23-154	
Ohio St	2	-19	21	19	40-168	28-43-245	1

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Projected Box Score

	Projected Rushing	
80 yards	Penn St	Ohio St 215 yards
	Projected Passing	
226 yards	Penn St	Ohio St 341 yards
	Projected Yardage Total	
306 yards	Penn St	Ohio St 556 yards
	Projected Final Score	
18 points	Penn St	Ohio St 38 points
	Experience Rankings	
99	Penn St	Ohio St 129
	Team Schedule Strength	
26	Penn St	Ohio St 42

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Ohio St By 18.5
Las Vegas Total	60 Points
+/- Ratings	Ohio St By 18.5
Game Grade	Ohio St By 17.1
Computer Yards	Ohio St 556-306
Computer Points	Ohio St 38-18
Phil Steele	Ohio St by 21

Phil's Forecast:

Ohio St has won 8 of the last 9 including the last 4 in the series and the last 4 in Columbus. Last year in Happy Valley with no crowd the Buckeyes took a 21-3 lead and outgained PSU 526-325 (208-44 rush) in a 38-25 road win (-10'). Penn St has just 1 win the in series in the last decade ('16). Last time here ('19), #2 Ohio St led 21-0 early 3Q before #8 Penn St scored 17 pts in less than 4 minutes behind backup QB Levis but were outgained 417-227 (229-99 rush) in a 28-17 loss (+19). Penn St is 4-1 ATS the last 5 meetings. Penn St opened the year a solid 5-0 with marquee wins over Wisconsin and Auburn and they led Iowa 17-3 when QB Clifford was injured and lost the game 23-20. Last week they all'd 365 yds rushing as Illinois had a 395-227 yard edge but needed 9 OT's to upset Penn St in Happy Valley, 20-18. Penn St led 10-0 2Q when Illinois went 75/15/8:20 for TD 2:59 left 10-7 H. Each team missed a 3Q FG and Ill went 70/16 for FG 11:49 left to tie 10-10 and they headed to OT. Ohio State opened poorly with a home loss to Oregon and only led Tulsa by 7 with 5:00 to go. They rebounded with 3 impressive wins and last week I used Ohio St as a Best Bet and they dominated with a 54-7 win leading 44-7 at half with a 334-40 yd edge. Indiana scored a TD on their first poss to tie it at 7 but lost another QB and bkps combined to hit 4-10-39. Penn St has taken on the tougher schedule (#27 vs #44). Ohio St is playing to a 129.2 AGG the last 4 weeks and Penn St is at 103.5 (Ohio St 25.7). The Buckeyes delivered to me last week and so long as this stays under 3 TD's I lean with the HF even vs a very scrappy Penn St team.

Ohio St 38 Penn St 17

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	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- DEF	FOE ST
0-0		0-0		123				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	55-26	W	12	98	60	80	114	91
7-0	6-1	3-0	4-0	131	129	19		10/30	at Houston			10	98	43	85	21	16
	4-4		1-3		119			11/6	at Memphis						35	91	35
	4-3		2-2		125			11/13	UCF						34	78	112
	7-0		3-0		144			11/20	at Cincinnati						33	8	11
	3-4		2-1		119			11/27	Tulsa						45	66	129

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	55-26	184	13	1	31	38-174	4.6	31-44	438	1	18	39-194	5.0	11-25	234	1
at Houston																
at Memphis																
UCF																
at Cincinnati																
Tulsa																
Average	43-23	129.6	8.0	0.0	27	38-192	5.1	69.9%	333	0.7%	19	37-147	4.0	56.1%	249	6.1%
Conference	42-22	158.0	11.3	-0.3	28	36-139	3.9	71.4%	354	1.6%	16	43-161	3.8	53.7%	174	11.1%
Away	37-32	135.7	8.0	-1.0	27	40-204	5.2	70.3%	321	0.8%	19	38-160	4.2	60.5%	230	7.9%

OVERALL:	OVERALL:
7-0	6-1
vs. AAC	vs. AAC
3-0	4-0

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

SMU		Houston
#40	Rush Off	#95
#10	Pass Off	#62
#5	**Total Off**	**#91**
#6	Score Off	#20
#1	Sks Allowed	#89
#60	Rush Def	#18
#99	Pass Def	#12
#82	**Total Def**	**#4**
#49	Score Def	#14
#85	Sks By	#3
#14	Ypg Diff	#33
0	**Total TO's**	**+6**

SMU Mustangs | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **Houston Cougars**

Position by Position Edges

SMU		Houston
1.37	SMU QB/WR vs. Houston DB's	
	SMU RB's vs. Houston LB's	0.74
	SMU OL vs. Houston DL	0.94
	SMU DL vs. Houston OL	0.01
1.24	SMU LB'S vs. Houston RB's	
	SMU DB's vs. Houston QB/WR	0.95
	SMU ST's vs. Houston ST's	1.12
0.50	SMU K vs. Houston K	
0.45	SMU Coaches vs. Houston Coaches	
3.56	SMU Pts vs. Houston Pts	3.77

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

Houston

By 0.21 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	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	31-24	W	72	25	13	55	84	47
6-1	7-0	4-0	3-0	129	131		19	10/30	SMU			85	21	16	10	98	43
	2-5		1-2		114			11/6	at USF						104	119	50
	3-4		1-2		107			11/13	at Temple						103	107	104
	4-4		1-3		119			11/19	Memphis						35	91	35
	1-8		0-2		93			11/27	at Connecticut						130	123	107

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	31-24	-104	-4	2	16	36-87	2.4	19-29	169	5	20	35-82	2.3	23-37	278	4
SMU																
at USF																
at Temple																
Memphis																
at Connecticut																
Average	36-17	86.3	5.7	0.9	20	36-126	3.5	67.1%	237	8.4%	14	36-103	2.9	57.6%	173	16.5%
Conference	36-19	57.0	2.5	1.5	19	35-125	3.6	66.4%	244	7.2%	17	38-99	2.6	58.3%	212	15.7%
Home	31-21	45.0	5.8	0.0	19	38-112	3.0	67.7%	215	11.0%	13	37-118	3.2	60.5%	164	14.8%

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

2019	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
SMU	16	-14	34	22	34-182	20-38-203	
Houston	-	65.5	31	22	40-103	18-35-407	-2
2018	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
SMU	-	70.5	45	25	40-196	28-44-318	
Houston	17	-14	31	15	47-190	11-22-175	-1
2017	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
SMU	-	61.5	22	30	26-147	41-59-397	
Houston	-	-6.5	35	27	40-265	20-28-198	0
2016	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
SMU	-	62.5	38	19	40-178	16-31-228	
Houston	11	-22	16	13	35-62	21-33-241	-1

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Projected Box Score

SMU		Houston
	Projected Rushing	
99 yards	SMU	Houston	111 yards
	Projected Passing	
289 yards	SMU	Houston	290 yards
	Projected Yardage Total	
388 yards	SMU	Houston	401 yards
	Projected Final Score	
30 points	SMU	Houston	30 points
	Experience Rankings	
46	SMU	Houston	31
	Team Schedule Strength	
119	SMU	Houston	116

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Even
Las Vegas Total	62.5 Points
+/- Ratings	Houston By 2.0
Game Grade	Houston By 0.4
Computer Yards	Houston 401-388
Computer Points	Tie 30-30
Phil Steele	SMU by 1

Phil's Forecast:

Cougars won first two meetings vs their in-state rival but have dropped 3 of the last 4 including '19 despite 510 yds of offense. Last time here ('19) SMU had big matchup at Memphis on deck & were still undefeated (7-0) & were -14. Houston scored a late TD to bring score to 34-31 but Ponies defense would hold to get the win. Dykes is 8-14 ATS on the road with SMU but Holgorsen is 4-8 ATS at home with Houston. Houston led TTech 21-7 at the half but lost 38-21. The Cougars then won their next 5 and by 28.6 ppg. Last week I used East Carolina as a Best Bet and they had a 360-256 yard edge as a two TD dog in a game delayed 5 hours due to weather. EC led 10-3 but UH got a 99 yd KR TD by Jones, went 32/5 and 13/2 for TD's after fumbles and led 24-10 at half with EC having 205-139 yd edge. EC was SOD at the 30 & 38 but went 71/6 for TD then 16/2 for TD after a UH fumble to tie it 5:43 left. UH miss 49 yd FG but won in OT 31-24. The UH D is holding foes to 93 ypg below their season average. The offense is actually at 76 ypg below what opp's allow. SMU opened the season a perfect 7-0 SU and 5-2 ATS. They needed a Hail Mary tipped pass to get past LTech and only beat Navy by 7 on the road. Last week SMU put up 400 yds in 1H with 300 pass and 100 rush and led 31-7 with a 22-4 FD edge. Tulane opened 3Q with TD then SMU SOD own 39. Tulane fake FG SOD. After a TD to pull to 38-19 Tulane recovered onside but SOD next 2 drives. Tulane TD 6:50 left 41-26 but SMU 44/2 and 37/6 (after int) for late TD's 55-26. While their D is allowing foes 28 ypg above their season avg they are gaining 108 ypg above what opp's allow. SMU is playing to an AGG of 104.3 and Houston is at 100.7. Both teams have taken on weak schedules (#117 vs #119). RB Bentley has just 2-2 missing almost all of the last 3 games but should return for this. Houston was outgained by East Carolina 360-256 last week. This one is most likely the battle for the spot in the AAC title game and tough to go vs either team here. I rate it a toss-up but so does Vegas.

SMU 31 Houston 30

Texas Longhorns

Longhorns 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	139	128	21	23	9/4	Louisiana	38-18	W	15	34	6	47	33	7
1-0	1-0	0-0	0-0	140	128	15		9/11	at Arkansas	21-40	L	19	33	54	52	25	84
1-1	0-2	0-0	0-0	135	111			9/18	Rice	58-0	W	30	45	97	121	106	123
2-1	3-0	0-0	0-0	139	126			9/25	Texas Tech	70-35	W	17	70	65	30	32	60
3-1	2-1	1-0	0-0	142	132			10/2	at TCU	32-27	W	5	77	59	16	71	43
4-1		2-0		142				10/9	Bye			6	76	44			
4-1	5-0	2-0	2-0	140	142	21	6	10/16	† Oklahoma	48-55	L	4	85	27	11	16	27
4-2	5-0	2-1	2-0	136	134	25	12	10/23	Oklahoma St	24-32	L	7	79	19	84	18	89
4-3	6-1	2-2	3-1	136	135		16	10/30	at Baylor			6	84	20	11	38	14
	5-2		3-1		141			11/6	at Iowa St						19	24	115
	1-6		0-4		105			11/13	Kansas						117	126	97
	3-4		1-3		130			11/20	at West Virginia						83	52	37
	3-4		1-3		131			11/27	Kansas St						75	64	10

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
Louisiana	38-18	77	-1	1	21	42-170	4.0	18-26	265	3	22	29-76	2.6	28-40	282	4
at Arkansas	21-40	-215	-6	-1	15	41-138	3.4	13-23	118	3	21	47-333	7.1	14-19	138	0
Rice	58-0	336	12	0	26	41-427	10.4	17-21	193	0	14	32-156	4.9	19-24	128	3
Texas Tech	70-35	119	7	1	27	52-336	6.5	18-23	303	1	20	33-128	3.9	26-34	392	2
at TCU	32-27	63	1	2	25	53-272	5.1	12-22	142	2	24	41-169	4.1	20-28	182	1
Bye																
† Oklahoma	48-55	-146	-7	1	19	27-128	4.7	20-34	388	3	26	41-339	8.3	24-40	323	2
Oklahoma St	24-32	-81	-9	-1	16	33-138	4.2	15-27	179	3	25	49-220	4.5	19-33	178	1
at Baylor																
at Iowa St																
Kansas																
at West Virginia																
Kansas St																
Average	42-30	21.9	-0.4	0.4	21	41-230	5.6	64.2%	227	8.5%	22	39-203	5.2	68.8%	232	6.0%
Conference	44-37	-11.3	-2.0	0.8	22	41-219	5.3	61.3%	253	8.5%	24	41-214	5.2	65.9%	269	4.4%
Away	34-41	-99.3	-4.0	0.7	20	40-179	4.4	57.0%	216	10.1%	24	43-280	6.5	66.7%	214	3.4%

OVERALL: 4-3 | **vs. BIG 12** 2-2

OVERALL: 6-1 | **vs. BIG 12** 3-1

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

Texas		Baylor
#14	Rush Off	#9
#74	Pass Off	#68
#24	**Total Off**	**#14**
#9	Score Off	#14
#66	Sks Allowed	#8
#115	Rush Def	#46
#75	Pass Def	#28
#105	**Total Def**	**#32**
#93	Score Def	#18
#85	Sks By	#50
#71	Ypg Diff	#11
+3	**Total TO's**	**+6**

Texas Longhorns | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **Baylor Bears**

Position by Position Edges

Texas		Baylor
	Texas QB/WR vs. Baylor DB's	0.42
1.29	Texas RB's vs. Baylor LB's	
0.79	Texas OL vs. Baylor DL	
	Texas DL vs. Baylor OL	2.02
	Texas LB'S vs. Baylor RB's	1.20
	Texas DB's vs. Baylor QB/WR	0.42
	Texas ST's vs. Baylor ST's	0.50
2.95	Texas K vs. Baylor K	
0.25	Texas Coaches vs. Baylor Coaches	
5.28	Texas Pts vs. Baylor Pts	4.55

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

Texas

By 0.73 Points

Baylor Bears

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	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	FOE DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	129	112			9/4	at Texas St	29-20	W	94	38	70	100	114	79
1-0		0-0		128				9/11	Texas Southern	66-7	W	96	32	81			
2-0	1-1	0-0	0-0	128	108			9/18	at Kansas	45-7	W	70	28	60	125	114	76
3-0	2-1	1-0	0-0	132	143		14	9/25	Iowa St	31-29	W	9	31	77	38	20	93
4-0	4-0	2-0	1-0	135	132	21	19	10/2	at Oklahoma St	14-24	L	12	35	30	80	34	83
4-1	2-3	2-1	0-2	132	128			10/9	West Virginia	45-20	W	21	42	25	84	24	15
5-1	5-1	3-1	0-0	135	126		19	10/16	BYU	38-24	W	14	33	26	54	72	41
6-1		3-1		135		20		10/23	Bye			10	38	16			
6-1	4-3	3-1	2-2	135	136	16		10/30	Texas			11	38	14	6	84	20
	3-4		1-3		129			11/6	at TCU						9	89	18
	8-0		5-0		141			11/13	Oklahoma						5	50	63
	3-4		1-3		131			11/20	at Kansas St						75	64	10
	5-3		2-3		125			11/27	Texas Tech						44	87	64

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 St	29-20	151	2	2	22	45-238	5.3	15-24	148	0	20	27-79	2.9	20-40	156	1
Texas Southern	66-7	433	17	1	33	43-419	9.7	19-26	295	1	16	40-161	4.0	12-22	120	2
at Kansas	45-7	410	21	-1	29	45-307	6.8	19-24	269	0	8	33-109	3.3	8-18	57	0
Iowa St	31-29	-192	-12	0	15	33-123	3.7	14-19	164	2	27	40-216	5.4	22-33	263	2
at Oklahoma St	14-24	-120	-14	3	10	29-107	3.7	13-27	173	3	24	59-218	3.7	13-23	182	1
West Virginia	45-20	163	-3	1	21	32-171	5.3	20-31	354	0	24	38-90	2.4	24-37	272	6
BYU	38-24	125	7	0	22	47-303	6.4	18-28	231	0	15	24-67	2.8	22-31	342	5
Bye																
Texas																
at TCU																
Oklahoma																
at Kansas St																
Texas Tech																
Average	38-19	138.6	2.6	0.9	22	39-238	6.1	65.9%	233	3.4%	19	37-134	3.6	59.3%	199	8.3%
Conference	34-20	65.3	-2.0	0.8	19	35-177	5.1	65.3%	240	5.0%	21	43-158	3.7	60.4%	194	8.1%
Home	45-20	132.3	2.3	0.5	23	39-254	6.6	68.3%	261	2.9%	21	36-134	3.8	65.0%	249	12.2%

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

2020	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
Texas	-	-10.5	27	19	47-159	15-23-270	
Baylor	-	61.5	16	22	21-64	31-44-252	1
2019	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Texas	-	58	10	21	31-191	22-37-200	
Baylor	13	-5.5	24	22	37-163	17-27-228	0
2018	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Texas	9	-14	23	25	41-170	24-39-219	
Baylor	-	59.5	17	19	34-88	20-40-240	0
2017	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Texas	-	-9.5	38	19	35-171	27-36-256	
Baylor	-	56	7	12	37-31	21-38-218	-2
2016	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Texas	-	74	35	19	51-257	12-21-291	
Baylor	8	-4	34	31	68-398	14-28-226	0

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Projected Box Score

Texas		Baylor
	Projected Rushing	
211 yards	Texas	Baylor	244 yards
	Projected Passing	
198 yards	Texas	Baylor	255 yards
	Projected Yardage Total	
409 yards	Texas	Baylor	498 yards
	Projected Final Score	
36 points	Texas	Baylor	36 points
	Experience Rankings	
109	Texas	Baylor	62
	Team Schedule Strength	
14	Texas	Baylor	89

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Baylor By 3
Las Vegas Total	61.5 Points
+/- Ratings	Baylor By 2.8
Game Grade	Baylor By 4.6
Computer Yards	Baylor 498-409
Computer Points	Tie 36-36
Phil Steele	Texas by 7

Phil's Forecast:

Baylor is the only current Big 12 school that Sarkisian had faced as a head coach. The 2011 Bears, led by Heisman Trophy winner Robert Griffin III, scored a 67-56 win over Sarkisian's Washington Huskies in that year's Alamo Bowl. These Lone Star State foes have met 110 times (1st mtg 1901!). Baylor trails series 27-79-4. BU has won just 1 of the last 5 meetings after winning 4 of 5 from '10-'14. Last time here ('19) UT was unranked and looking to get back on track after the upset loss in Ames to Iowa St. QB Ehlinger struggled, only completing 22-37 passes for 200 yds & an INT during the 24-10 loss (+5'). Last year Texas led 13-3 at half then drove 75/12 on first 3Q drive and led 27-3 after 3Q. Baylor went 75/9 for TD then 25/5 (after int) for late TD's and Texas had 391-200 yd edge prior in 27-16 win (-10'). Both teams are fresh off a bye. Since '15 BU is just 2-6 ATS off a scheduled bye. Texas has looked good for most of the year, but they were dominated by Arkansas. However Texas was 4-1 and led Oklahoma 38-20 at half and then were in control vs Oklahoma St up 17-3 when they gave up an 85 yd IR TD and OSU pulled out 32-24 win. Baylor was unimpressive in a 3-0 start then was outgained by Iowa State 479-287 but won at home. After a 10 point loss at Okla St they have played their two most impressive games with a 45-20 win over West Virginia and 14 point win over BYU. Baylor is holding foes to 45 ypg below their season avg and Texas is allowing 17 ypg above but Texas has taken on the #16 toughest schedule and Baylor is way down at #91. Casey Thompson was not 100% was the last two games but should be closer to full health with a week off to heal up. Baylor is still alive for the Big 12 title game at 6-1 but my eye test has the Horns as the stronger team and they grab the road win and they are much more battle tested.

Texas 37 Baylor 30

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	31-17	W	4	71	57	46	47	45
6-1	5-2	3-1	2-1	141	140	10	18	10/30	at Auburn			4	61	58	13	35	13
	6-2		0-0		128			11/6	Liberty						87	45	92
	6-2		3-2		139			11/13	Texas A&M						31	3	8
	2-6		0-4		102			11/20	Vanderbilt						121	111	99
	4-3		2-2		132			11/27	at Miss St						56	16	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
† 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	31-17	144	5	2	25	50-266	5.3	19-24	204	3	20	35-77	2.2	20-33	249	5
at Auburn																
Liberty																
Texas A&M																
Vanderbilt																
at Miss St																
Average	42-28	114.9	2.6	1.0	28	49-263	5.4	57.1%	278	7.4%	25	44-185	4.2	62.9%	241	10.3%
Conference	34-34	-9.5	-5.3	1.0	24	49-237	4.9	48.7%	234	8.8%	29	48-215	4.5	67.7%	265	11.3%
Away	32-31	32.3	0.0	0.7	26	46-182	4.0	44.0%	275	9.0%	26	46-196	4.2	66.0%	229	10.6%

	OVERALL:	OVERALL:
	6-1	5-2
	vs. SEC	vs. SEC
	3-1	2-1

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

Mississippi		Auburn
#3	Rush Off	#36
#24	Pass Off	#48
#3	**Total Off**	**#31**
#7	Score Off	#23
#69	Sks Allowed	#9
#101	Rush Def	#32
#86	Pass Def	#54
#102	**Total Def**	**#39**
#82	Score Def	#28
#14	Sks By	#43
#17	Ypg Diff	#25
+7	**Total TO's**	**+1**

Mississippi Rebels | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **Auburn Tigers**

Position by Position Edges

Mississippi		Auburn
1.24	Mississippi QB/WR vs. Auburn DB's	
	Mississippi RB's vs. Auburn LB's	0.11
0.16	Mississippi OL vs. Auburn DL	
	Mississippi DL vs. Auburn OL	0.98
	Mississippi LB'S vs. Auburn RB's	0.29
	Mississippi DB's vs. Auburn QB/WR	0.73
	Mississippi ST's vs. Auburn ST's	2.12
	Mississippi K vs. Auburn K	2.20
1.25	Mississippi Coaches vs. Auburn Coaches	
2.65	Mississippi Pts vs. Auburn Pts	6.42

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

Auburn

By 3.77 Points

Auburn 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	0-0	0-0	0-0	132	99			9/4	Akron	60-10	W	22	18	25	124	125	123
1-0		0-0		134		25		9/11	Alabama St	62-0	W	12	19	87			
2-0	2-0	0-0	1-0	135	146	22	10	9/18	at Penn St	20-28	L	6	21	27	34	8	24
2-1	1-2	0-0	0-0	136	113	23		9/25	Georgia St	34-24	W	3	34	21	111	121	112
3-1	3-1	0-0	1-0	133	138	22		10/2	at LSU	24-19	W	4	43	8	55	18	25
4-1	5-0	1-0	3-0	136	157	18	2	10/9	Georgia	10-34	L	3	28	13	9	1	28
4-2	4-2	1-1	1-2	135	137		17	10/16	at Arkansas	38-23	W	12	32	13	16	25	73
5-2		2-1		140		19		10/23	Bye			13	33	11			
5-2	6-1	2-1	3-1	140	141	18	10	10/30	Mississippi			13	35	13	4	61	58
	6-2		3-2		139			11/6	at Texas A&M						31	3	8
	4-3		2-2		132			11/13	Miss St						56	16	106
	4-4		1-4		113			11/20	at South Carolina						91	43	17
	7-1		4-1		154			11/27	Alabama						2	12	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
Akron	60-10	425	16	0	28	32-316	9.9	22-27	297	0	12	36--3	-0.1	22-27	191	6
Alabama St	62-0	362	10	1	21	39-364	9.3	11-19	174	1	11	29-46	1.6	19-29	130	2
at Penn St	20-28	-29	2	0	24	40-182	4.6	21-39	185	0	22	33-94	2.8	29-33	302	0
Georgia St	34-24	35	1	0	21	35-166	4.7	22-43	253	2	20	47-267	5.7	12-24	117	3
at LSU	24-19	95	4	1	23	29-163	5.6	24-48	290	0	19	25-33	1.3	26-46	325	3
Georgia	10-34	-114	-5	-1	17	29-46	1.6	24-43	272	4	22	49-201	4.1	14-21	231	1
at Arkansas	38-23	-33	-9	0	20	35-135	3.9	21-26	292	0	29	54-232	4.3	21-35	228	3
Bye																
Mississippi																
at Texas A&M																
Miss St																
at South Carolina																
Alabama																
Average	35-20	105.9	2.7	0.1	22	34-196	5.7	59.2%	252	2.9%	19	39-124	3.2	66.5%	218	8.4%
Conference	24-25	-17.3	-3.3	0.0	20	31-115	3.7	59.0%	285	3.4%	23	43-155	3.6	59.8%	261	6.9%
Home	42-17	177.0	5.5	0.0	22	34-223	6.6	59.8%	249	5.3%	16	40-128	3.2	66.3%	167	11.9%

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

2020	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
Mississippi	-	72.5	28	25	51-283	17-28-161	
Auburn	-	-3.5	35	26	47-224	23-30-238	2
2019	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Mississippi	-	53.5	14	16	42-167	14-27-99	
Auburn	11	-19.5	20	26	46-167	30-44-340	0
2018	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Mississippi	-	63.5	16	27	39-123	27-47-324	
Auburn	-	-4.5	31	20	46-269	13-22-215	0
2017	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Mississippi	-	56	23	23	30-83	34-51-346	
Auburn	12	-21.5	44	25	51-326	14-21-235	0
2016	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Mississippi	-	64	29	32	31-105	36-59-465	
Auburn	15	-4.5	40	26	52-307	15-22-247	1

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Projected Box Score

	Projected Rushing		
217 yards	Mississippi	Auburn	212 yards
	Projected Passing		
254 yards	Mississippi	Auburn	295 yards
	Projected Yardage Total		
470 yards	Mississippi	Auburn	507 yards
	Projected Final Score		
30 points	Mississippi	Auburn	34 points
	Experience Rankings		
38	Mississippi	Auburn	96
	Team Schedule Strength		
10	Mississippi	Auburn	59

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Auburn By 2.5
Las Vegas Total	66 Points
+/- Ratings	Auburn By 4.3
Game Grade	Mississippi By 1.2
Computer Yards	Auburn 507-470
Computer Points	Auburn 34-30
Phil Steele	Auburn by 4

Phil's Forecast:

The Tigers own this series with a 34-10 all-time record and have won last 5 meetings. The home team is surprisingly 2-5 SU and 0-7 ATS in this series. Auburn last lost to Ole Miss at home in '15. Ole Miss is 1-7 SU at Jordan Hare Stadium since 2004 but they've covered 3 straight road meetings. Last time here was '19, Ole Miss was outgained 507-266 but only lost 20-14 (+19'). Last year Ole Miss was +3' at home and had a fake FG stopped but got a TD with 5:43 left to lead 28-27 and Auburn fumbled the KR with Ole Miss recovering in EZ for TD. They ruled on field touchback no fumble and no review! AUB 80/6 for TD and 2 pt 35-28 and Ole Miss int at GL from 29 ended game. Ole Miss was very impressive to open playing up to my #2 AGG level in the country when they were flattened by Alabama. They got past Arkansas with a shaky defense by 1 point then with a banged up offense got past Tennessee by 5. Last week QB Corral was ? coming in but threw for a TD and ran for one. LSU jumped out to 7-0 lead and went 70/14 but went for it on 4&G at 3 and was int'd. They missed a FG on next drive. UM went on 4 straight scoring drives to lead 17-7 at half and 31-7 after 3Q. For the first time since 1999 Ole Miss had 5 sacks in consec games. Down 31-7 LSU went 51/14 for FG then 80/6 for TD with 3:55 left in 31-17 loss. Auburn is 5-2 with losses to a top ten Penn St in a White out and vs #1 Georgia. They did upset LSU and Arkansas. Auburn is +106 ypg and Ole Miss is +115. The Tigers rate the edge on defense allowing 342 ypg vs 426 but Ole Miss has the offensive edge. Auburn also has the ST's edge (#11 vs #57). There has been a lot more "Good" Bo Nix than "Bad" Bo Nix this year and he is hitting 61% with a 8-2 ratio. Tank Bigsby (526, 5.2) and Jarquez Hunter (492, 8.6) are a formidable RB duo. Auburn is fresh off a bye and Ole Miss is on 3rd road trip in 5 weeks and playing 5th straight game. Auburn is playing to an AGG of 107.4 and Ole Miss is at 113.1. I'm going with my computer's projection here which has Auburn by 4.

Auburn 34 Mississippi 30

Georgia 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	145	146	5	3	9/4	† Clemson	10-3	W	3	4	2	6	2	67
1-0	1-0	0-0	0-0	147	126	2		9/11	UAB	56-7	W	3	3	42	67	31	17
2-0	2-0	0-0	0-0	151	120	2		9/18	South Carolina	40-13	W	5	1	53	43	58	26
3-0	1-2	1-0	0-0	150	111	2		9/25	at Vanderbilt	62-0	W	11	1	51	107	109	91
4-0	4-0	2-0	1-0	154	138	2	8	10/2	Arkansas	37-0	W	10	1	49	18	12	54
5-0	4-1	3-0	1-0	157	136	2	18	10/9	at Auburn	34-10	W	9	1	28	3	28	13
6-0	6-0	4-0	4-0	158	134	1	11	10/16	Kentucky	30-13	W	10	1	45	28	29	75
7-0		5-0		156		1		10/23	Bye			11	1	46			
7-0	4-3	5-0	2-3	156	133	1		10/30	† Florida			12	1	41	7	9	42
	3-4		0-3		118			11/6	Missouri						24	108	7
	4-4		2-3		129			11/13	at Tennessee						17	31	31
								11/20	Charleston Southern								
	3-4		2-3		125			11/27	at Georgia Tech						55	90	102

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
† Clemson	10-3	76	1	-1	15	31-121	3.9	22-30	135	1	14	23-2	0.1	19-37	178	7
UAB	56-7	365	12	2	23	38-163	4.3	14-22	376	0	11	36-127	3.5	8-17	47	3
South Carolina	40-13	181	13	-1	26	31-184	5.9	24-35	307	1	13	34-96	2.8	14-29	214	3
at Vanderbilt	62-0	455	24	2	28	48-241	5.0	21-28	291	0	4	28-53	1.9	5-18	24	1
Arkansas	37-0	183	13	0	22	56-273	4.9	7-11	72	0	9	29-75	2.6	10-16	87	4
at Auburn	34-10	114	5	1	22	49-201	4.1	14-21	231	1	17	29-46	1.6	24-43	272	4
Kentucky	30-13	173	4	0	20	27-166	6.1	14-20	250	1	16	27-51	1.9	32-42	192	3
Bye																
† Florida																
Missouri																
at Tennessee																
Charleston Southern																
at Georgia Tech																
Average	38-7	221.0	10.3	0.4	22	40-193	4.8	69.5%	237	2.4%	12	29-64	2.2	55.4%	145	12.4%
Conference	41-7	221.2	11.8	0.4	24	42-213	5.0	69.6%	230	2.6%	12	29-64	2.2	57.4%	158	10.1%
Away	35-4	215.0	10.0	0.7	22	43-188	4.4	72.2%	219	2.5%	12	27-34	1.3	49.0%	158	12.2%

OVERALL: 7-0 vs. SEC 5-0

OVERALL: 4-3 vs. SEC 2-3

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

Georgia		Florida
#39	Rush Off	#4
#61	Pass Off	#54
#43	**Total Off**	**#9**
#13	Score Off	#25
#4	Sks Allowed	#6
#2	Rush Def	#48
#2	Pass Def	#27
#1	**Total Def**	**#36**
#1	Score Def	#38
#8	Sks By	#43
#1	Ypg Diff	#7
+3	**Total TO's**	**-7**

Georgia Bulldogs | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **Florida Gators**

Position by Position Edges

Georgia		Florida
	Georgia QB/WR vs. Florida DB's	0.85
	Georgia RB's vs. Florida LB's	0.60
0.23	Georgia OL vs. Florida DL	
1.71	Georgia DL vs. Florida OL	
2.87	Georgia LB'S vs. Florida RB's	
1.03	Georgia DB's vs. Florida QB/WR	
0.40	Georgia ST's vs. Florida ST's	
0.55	Georgia K vs. Florida K	
0.30	Georgia Coaches vs. Florida Coaches	
7.09	Georgia Pts vs. Florida Pts	1.45

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

Georgia

By 5.64 Points

Florida Gators

Gators 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	135	116	13		9/4	Florida Atlantic	35-14	W	32	26	59	91	44	108
1-0	0-1	0-0	0-0	135	112	13		9/11	at USF	42-20	W	33	24	61	109	110	128
2-0	2-0	0-0	0-0	136	155	11	1	9/18	Alabama	29-31	L	20	17	82	4	3	1
2-1	2-1	0-1	0-0	138	121	11		9/25	Tennessee	38-14	W	8	14	88	44	35	7
3-1	4-0	1-1	2-0	138	125	10		10/2	at Kentucky	13-20	L	3	17	74	31	29	77
3-2	2-3	1-2	0-1	134	105	20		10/9	Vanderbilt	42-0	W	8	10	74	114	116	95
4-2	3-3	2-2	1-2	136	130	20		10/16	at LSU	42-49	L	7	8	52	66	42	30
4-3		2-3		133				10/23	Bye			9	7	52			
4-3	7-0	2-3	5-0	133	156		1	10/30	† Georgia			7	9	42	12	1	41
	4-4		1-4		113			11/6	at South Carolina						91	43	17
								11/13	Samford								
	3-4		0-3		118			11/20	at Missouri						24	108	7
	3-4		2-2		131			11/27	Florida St						25	39	82

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
Florida Atlantic	35-14	200	3	0	26	46-400	8.7	20-35	153	0	23	37-92	2.5	19-33	261	6
at USF	42-20	383	6	-1	26	44-363	8.3	17-25	303	1	20	41-95	2.3	17-30	188	1
Alabama	29-31	115	7	-1	26	43-258	6.0	17-27	181	1	19	27-91	3.4	22-35	233	2
Tennessee	38-14	82	5	-1	25	40-283	7.1	22-28	222	1	20	37-148	4.0	15-31	275	3
at Kentucky	13-20	158	8	0	21	39-171	4.4	24-32	211	0	13	30-137	4.6	7-17	87	2
Vanderbilt	42-0	192	0	0	18	34-181	5.3	18-28	298	0	18	34-88	2.6	24-45	199	3
at LSU	42-49	34	5	-4	27	35-138	3.9	23-40	350	2	22	45-321	7.1	14-24	133	1
Bye																
† Georgia																
at South Carolina																
Samford																
at Missouri																
Florida St																
Average	34-21	166.3	4.9	-1.0	24	40-256	6.4	65.6%	245	2.3%	19	36-139	3.9	54.9%	197	8.4%
Conference	33-23	116.2	5.0	-1.2	23	38-206	5.4	67.1%	252	2.6%	18	35-157	4.5	53.9%	185	7.2%
Home	36-15	147.3	3.8	-0.5	24	41-281	6.9	65.3%	214	1.7%	20	34-105	3.1	55.6%	242	9.7%

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

	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
2020							
Georgia	5	-3	28	12	29-165	9-29-112	
Florida	8	54	44	29	37-97	30-43-474	2
2019							
Georgia	8	-6.5	24	20	37-119	20-30-279	
Florida	6	46.5	17	18	19-21	21-33-257	0
2018							
Georgia	7	-7	36	20	41-189	17-24-240	
Florida	9	53	17	16	37-170	13-21-105	-3
2017							
Georgia	3	-13.5	42	14	35-292	4-7-101	
Florida	-	44	7	15	41-183	10-25-66	-1
2016							
Georgia	-	43	10	8	19-21	15-33-143	
Florida	14	-7.5	24	20	48-100	15-25-131	-1

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Projected Box Score

Georgia		Florida
	Projected Rushing	
193 yards	Georgia Florida	131 yards
	Projected Passing	
217 yards	Georgia Florida	191 yards
	Projected Yardage Total	
410 yards	Georgia Florida	322 yards
	Projected Final Score	
36 points	Georgia Florida	15 points
	Experience Rankings	
110	Georgia Florida	121
	Team Schedule Strength	
5	Georgia Florida	22

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Georgia By 14
Las Vegas Total	51 Points
+/- Ratings	Georgia By 23.0
Game Grade	Georgia By 9.6
Computer Yards	Georgia 410-322
Computer Points	Georgia 36-15
Phil Steele	Georgia by 22

Phil's Forecast:

Florida was on a 3-game series losing streak until last year when they were 3 pt dogs and won 44-28. The underdog was 0-6 SU/ATS until last year's meeting. There has only been one outright upset in L/10 mtgs. Both teams enter fresh off their bye. Last year the Bulldogs hadn't yet turned to JT Daniels. Stetson Bennett started but battled a shoulder injury and was replaced. The Dawgs led 21-14 2Q then UF scored the final 17 pts of the 1H including a TD with :11 left then added a 51 yd FG in the 3Q. UF won 44-28 (+3). UF lost most of their big weapons from last year. Florida took Alabama to the wire and beat Tennessee and moved to 3-1 and in the top ten. They were upset on the road by both Kentucky and LSU and come in just 4-3 and basically out of the race in the East. The D is much improved over last year allowing 335 ypg vs 428 ypg last year. The offense is much more ground oriented with QB's the #1 and #2 rusher. Anthony Richardson figures to get a lot of action if not start here. Georgia is the #1 team in the country with the #1 defense which is holding foes to 209 ypg and 197 ypg below their season average. Stetson Bennett has done a great job again filling in for JT Daniels and both should be available here. The Bulldogs play to an AGG of 128.5 and Florida at just 115.6 (Georgia by 12.6). My computer has the Bulldogs by 20 and they are playing with legitimate revenge. While this is a rivalry, only 1 of the last 7 have been decided by 14 or less.

Georgia 35 Florida 13

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	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	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	27-20	W	24	3	23	128	101	126			
7-0	1-6	3-0	0-3	144	114	2		10/30	at Tulane			33	8	11	73	117	96			
	3-4		2-1		119			11/6	Tulsa						45	66	129			
	2-5		1-2		114			11/13	at USF						104	119	50			
	7-0		3-0		131			11/20	SMU						10	98	43			
	3-4		1-2		125			11/27	at East Carolina						64	79	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
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	27-20	-37	-8	0	14	21-95	4.5	18-30	176	1	22	67-192	2.9	11-17	116	1
at Tulane																
Tulsa																
at USF																
SMU																
at East Carolina																
Average	41-15	123.6	2.7	1.3	20	32-185	5.8	63.1%	235	4.4%	17	40-133	3.3	50.7%	164	6.4%
Conference	45-15	150.3	3.3	1.7	20	32-237	7.4	64.3%	193	3.6%	17	44-144	3.2	59.2%	136	10.5%
Away	30-19	-12.0	-3.7	1.0	17	29-102	3.5	58.2%	228	3.1%	20	44-143	3.2	49.5%	199	3.9%

OVERALL: 7-0 vs. AAC 3-0

OVERALL: 1-6 vs. AAC 0-3

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

Cincinnati		Tulane
#43	Rush Off	#84
#66	Pass Off	#46
#55	**Total Off**	**#64**
#10	Score Off	#40
#20	Sks Allowed	#76
#43	Rush Def	#107
#6	Pass Def	#127
#9	**Total Def**	**#126**
#3	Score Def	#127
#77	Sks By	#61
#15	Ypg Diff	#115
+9	**Total TO's**	**-8**

Cincinnati Bearcats | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **Tulane Green Wave**

Position by Position Edges

Cincinnati		Tulane
2.07	Cincinnati QB/WR vs. Tulane DB's	
0.80	Cincinnati RB's vs. Tulane LB's	
1.26	Cincinnati OL vs. Tulane DL	
0.85	Cincinnati DL vs. Tulane OL	
1.80	Cincinnati LB'S vs. Tulane RB's	
2.23	Cincinnati DB's vs. Tulane QB/WR	
3.92	Cincinnati ST's vs. Tulane ST's	
0.25	Cincinnati K vs. Tulane K	
0.90	Cincinnati Coaches vs. Tulane Coaches	
14.08	Cincinnati Pts vs. Tulane Pts	0.00

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

Cincinnati

By 14.08 Points

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				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	26-55	L	80	114	91	12	98	60			
1-6	7-0	0-3	3-0	114	144		2	10/30	Cincinnati			73	117	96	33	8	11			
	4-3		2-2		125			11/6	at UCF						34	78	112			
	3-4		2-1		119			11/13	Tulsa						45	66	129			
	2-5		1-2		114			11/20	USF						104	119	50			
	4-4		1-3		119			11/27	at Memphis						35	91	35			

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	26-55	-184	-13	-1	18	39-194	5.0	11-25	234	1	31	38-174	4.6	31-44	438	1
Cincinnati																
at UCF																
Tulsa																
USF																
at Memphis																
Average	32-42	-91.0	-4.3	-1.1	21	36-148	4.1	58.1%	255	7.1%	25	42-194	4.6	68.3%	300	6.6%
Conference	26-49	-173.0	-6.7	-2.0	18	36-137	3.8	57.4%	243	11.7%	25	39-210	5.3	66.7%	343	4.4%
Home	37-29	63.7	5.3	-0.7	24	38-159	4.2	60.0%	270	7.0%	19	39-128	3.3	64.1%	237	10.9%

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

2018	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
Cincinnati	-	-7	37	22	48-272	15-25-174	
Tulane	-	48.5	21	14	38-134	12-31-132	2
2017	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Cincinnati	-	54	17	19	35-208	18-27-248	
Tulane	-	-6.5	16	16	35-132	17-24-196	0

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Projected Box Score

Cincinnati		Tulane
	Projected Rushing	
220 yards	Cincinnati	146 yards
	Projected Passing	
278 yards	Cincinnati	199 yards
	Projected Yardage Total	
498 yards	Cincinnati	345 yards
	Projected Final Score	
49 points	Cincinnati	22 points
	Experience Rankings	
95	Cincinnati	63
	Team Schedule Strength	
91	Cincinnati	74

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Cincinnati By 24.5
Las Vegas Total	62.5 Points
+/- Ratings	Cincinnati By 26.5
Game Grade	Cincinnati By 18.2
Computer Yards	Cincinnati 498-345
Computer Points	Cincinnati 49-22
Phil Steele	Cincinnati by 32

Phil's Forecast:

Last time here ('17) the Bearcats were coming off five straight losses. Cincy went into the half trailing by a FG, 13-10. The Cincy defense would lock down in the 2H, holding Tulane to a FG to win 17-16. The Green Wave are 11-6 all-time against the Bearcats but are still searching vs their first AAC victory vs Cincy. They last met in '18 and Tulane on the road was outgained 441-263, surrendering 272 rush yds in the 37-21 loss (+7). Tulane got their season off to a great start as they may have trailed Oklahoma 37-14 at half but rallied to 40-35 and had the ball at the end and they whipped Morgan St. The next 5 games were not good as the Green Wave has gone a perfect 0-5 SU and ATS losing by 23.4 ppg. Last week SMU put up 400 yds in 1H with 300 pass and 100 rush and led 31-7 with a 22-4 FD edge. Tulane opened 3Q with TD then SMU SOD own 39. Tulane fake FG SOD. After a TD to pull to 38-19 Tulane recovered onside but SOD next 2 drives. Tulane TD 6:50 left 41-26 but SMU 44/2 and 37/6 (after int) for late TD's 55-26. Tulane QB Pratt was injured mid 4Q. The last 4 weeks they are -139 ypg. I said at the start of the year that Cincy had a great shot at the playoffs if they beat Indy and ND on the road and they did. Now, due to the unexpected weakness of the American they need blowout wins like they had last year. They won their first 2 conference games by an avg of 54-12. Last week they were facing the Navy option for the 3rd time and needed big wins. Navy was hosting a top 5 team for the first time s/1984. Navy led 7-0 and 10-7 and Ridder was int deep in Navy territory, but Cincy scored on next 4 poss. UC blkd a FG and had a big return for a 52 yd FG at :00 to lead 13-10 at half. Navy was SOD to open 3Q and Cincy 54/4 and 45/11 for TD's 27-10. Navy got FG 7:34 left then 90/16 for TD :50 then recovered onside but int at 44 :25 left and Cincy escaped 27-20 with Navy having a 308-271 yd edge. Cincy is playing to an AGG of 115.1 the last 4 weeks and Tulane is at 88.8 (Cincy 26.3). QB Ridder is hitting 63.6% with a 15.-3 ratio and Jerome Ford has rushed for 795 (6.8). QB Michael Pratt took a big hit at the end vs SMU and his status is questionable. The Bearcat D is holding foes to 50 ypg below their season avg while Tulane is allowing 104 ypg above (#125) and Cincy needs big wins.

Cincinnati 49 Tulane 17

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	OFF	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	41-31	W	130	126	118	87	62	97
4-3	5-2	2-2	2-1	102	125			10/30	at Appalachian St			129	125	116	30	55	27
	2-5		1-2		106			11/6	at Texas St						114	116	61
	1-6		0-3		109			11/13	Arkansas St						106	129	29
	4-4		2-3		133			11/20	at LSU						51	48	52
	6-1		4-0		129			11/27	at Louisiana						47	80	40

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	41-31	146	3	2	25	38-186	4.9	25-35	369	0	22	32-89	2.8	30-41	320	4
at Appalachian St																
at Texas St																
Arkansas St																
at LSU																
at Louisiana																
Average	21-34	-147.4	-6.4	1.1	17	40-108	2.7	59.5%	194	11.6%	24	36-167	4.6	69.9%	282	7.3%
Conference	24-40	-127.3	-8.5	0.0	18	37-126	3.4	62.7%	226	6.4%	26	39-189	4.9	74.1%	290	4.9%
Away	8-52	-410.5	-14.0	1.5	11	37-45	1.2	54.5%	101	18.2%	25	38-205	5.4	75.4%	351	7.0%

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

2020	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
ULM	-	56.5	13	16	21-68	22-41-154	
Appalachian St	-	-31	31	26	52-328	13-18-152	2
2019	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
ULM	-	66	7	9	29-111	11-27-102	
Appalachian St	24	-15.5	52	27	52-302	19-32-270	1
2018	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
ULM	-	62.5	52	28	38-213	24-32-356	
Appalachian St	-	-8.5	45	25	36-169	20-29-339	0
2017	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
ULM	-	52.5	17	22	44-225	13-32-136	
Appalachian St	-	-25.5	42	27	47-429	14-22-208	1

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Projected Box Score

Projected Rushing

ULM	Appalachian St
67 yards	238 yards

Projected Passing

ULM	Appalachian St
154 yards	325 yards

Projected Yardage Total

ULM	Appalachian St
221 yards	563 yards

Projected Final Score

ULM	Appalachian St
17 points	42 points

Experience Rankings

ULM	Appalachian St
86	48

Team Schedule Strength

ULM	Appalachian St
99	52

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

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

ULM		Appalachian St
#115	Rush Off	#44
#100	Pass Off	#30
#121	**Total Off**	**#25**
#108	Score Off	#44
#109	Sks Allowed	#9
#90	Rush Def	#36
#119	Pass Def	#97
#116	**Total Def**	**#63**
#117	Score Def	#56
#43	Sks By	#31
#125	Ypg Diff	#34
+8	**Total TO's**	**-5**

ULM Warhawks | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **Appalachian St Mountaineers**

Position by Position Edges

ULM		Appalachian St
	ULM QB/WR vs. Appalachian St DB's	1.31
	ULM RB's vs. Appalachian St LB's	3.14
	ULM OL vs. Appalachian St DL	2.52
	ULM DL vs. Appalachian St OL	1.58
	ULM LB'S vs. Appalachian St RB's	1.32
	ULM DB's vs. Appalachian St QB/WR	2.78
	ULM ST's vs. Appalachian St ST's	2.96
1.00	ULM K vs. Appalachian St K	
0.25	ULM Coaches vs. Appalachian St Coaches	
1.25	ULM Pts vs. Appalachian St Pts	15.61

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

Appalachian St

By 14.36 Points

Appalachian St Mountaineers

Mountaineers 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	126	128			9/4	† East Carolina	33-19	W	37	25	28	56	95	44
1-0	0-1	0-0	0-0	128	131		22	9/11	at Miami, Fl	23-25	L	26	22	29	8	27	27
1-1		0-0		128				9/18	Elon	44-10	W	40	20	23			
2-1	2-1	0-0	0-0	130	116			9/25	Marshall	31-30	W	40	41	8	32	74	59
3-1	1-3	0-0	0-0	127	116			10/2	at Georgia St	45-16	W	32	47	9	108	112	121
4-1	4-1	1-0	2-0	131	124			10/9	at Louisiana	13-41	L	30	44	23	64	96	5
4-2		1-1		126				10/16	Bye			40	55	32			
4-2	6-0	1-1	2-0	122	134		14	10/23	Coastal Carolina	30-27	W	38	59	24	2	61	14
5-2	4-3	2-1	2-2	125	102			10/30	ULM			30	55	27	129	125	116
	1-6		0-3		109			11/6	at Arkansas St						106	129	29
	4-3		1-3		107			11/13	South Alabama						86	83	110
	4-3		2-1		117			11/20	at Troy						100	56	121
	2-5		1-3		110			11/27	GA Southern						108	115	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
† East Carolina	33-19	89	5	1	25	36-226	6.3	20-27	259	1	20	24-96	4.0	22-41	300	4
at Miami, Fl	23-25	-49	-6	-1	19	39-127	3.3	21-34	199	1	25	43-175	4.1	20-33	200	2
Elon	44-10	237	10	0	24	38-187	4.9	22-29	341	1	14	27-66	2.4	22-26	225	3
Marshall	31-30	169	19	-2	39	54-283	5.2	24-39	283	1	20	28-127	4.5	18-33	270	2
at Georgia St	45-16	122	2	2	23	40-163	4.1	22-32	339	1	21	40-134	3.4	20-37	246	4
at Louisiana	13-41	-244	-6	-3	16	29-76	2.6	15-27	135	2	22	44-246	5.6	15-25	209	1
Bye																
Coastal Carolina	30-27	229	5	-2	22	41-228	5.6	18-28	347	0	17	29-55	1.9	15-23	291	3
ULM																
at Arkansas St																
South Alabama																
at Troy																
GA Southern																
Average	31-24	79.0	4.1	-0.7	24	40-184	4.7	65.7%	272	3.2%	20	34-128	3.8	60.6%	249	8.7%
Conference	29-28	35.7	0.3	-1.0	20	37-156	4.2	63.2%	274	3.4%	20	38-145	3.8	58.8%	249	9.4%
Home	35-22	211.7	11.3	-1.3	28	44-233	5.2	66.7%	324	2.1%	17	28-83	3.0	67.1%	262	9.8%

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Appalachian St By 27
Las Vegas Total	57 Points
+/- Ratings	Appalachian St By 27.0
Game Grade	Appalachian St By 33.3
Computer Yards	Appalachian St 563-221
Computer Points	Appalachian St 42-17
Phil Steele	Appalachian St by 21

Phil's Forecast:

As SBC foes App St is 5-1 SU against ULM winning by an avg of 27 points but are only 2-4 ATS (App St has been a DD favorite in 4 of the L/5 meetings). In last year's meeting App St threw an INT on their 1st drive but then scored TD's on their next 3 possessions and led 21-7 at half (286-128). App St went 65/5 for a TD to open the 2H and then int'd ULM on their next 2 possessions but came away with zero points. App went 29/10 for a FG in the 4Q then INT'd ULM for a 3rd time but missed a FG. ULM would go 74/10 and scored a TD on the final play to make it a 31-13 (+31) final (480-222). App St last played 10 days ago against Coastal and App St fell behind 14-0. App was SOD twice and fumbled and CC got FG at :00 to lead 20-14 at half. App got a TD but bobble xp so 27-27 instead of lead 1:43 left 3Q. Chase Brice threw for 347 yds and App got a 24 yd FG at :00 to knock off #14 CCar in front of a capacity crowd of 31,061. WR Malik Williams had 10-206 receiving and App had a 575-376 yd edge. Since '19 App St is 1-6-1 ATS as a 20+ point favorite while ULM has pulled amazing upsets of Troy (+23') and Liberty (+33). ULM did lose to that same Coastal team 59-6 and Georgia St 55-21. Last week against South Alabama and Chandler Rogers threw for 25-35-369 as ULM bagged their THIRD big upset of the year to shockingly move to 4-3! ULM went 75/11 and got a 9 yd TD pass with :04 left in the half to lead 24-17 with 295-224 yd edge. USA went 75/10 and 66/4 on open 2 poss 3Q for first lead 31-24 but ULM 75/6 and 82/2 (81 yd TD pass Derrick) for a 38-31 lead. ULM 51/10 FG 6:28 left and USA miss 39 yd FG and SOD own 37 last 2 drives in 41-31 ULM win with 555-409 yd edge. App beat that same Georgia St team 45-16 and control their destiny in the Sun Belt. For the season App St is playing to an AGG of 106.2 and ULM is at just 76.9 (App by 33.2). I am very impressed with what Terry Bowden has done in his first year at ULM and I believe his team will keep this game closer than expected.

Appalachian St 41 ULM 20

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	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	27-28	L	106	130	32	57	89	25
1-6	4-3	0-3	1-3	109	107			10/30	at South Alabama			106	129	29	86	83	110
	5-2		2-1		125			11/6	Appalachian St						30	55	27
	4-3		2-2		102			11/13	at ULM						129	125	116
	3-4		2-1		116			11/20	at Georgia St						71	110	120
	2-5		1-2		106			11/27	Texas St						114	116	61

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	27-28	-133	-4	2	22	35-113	3.2	16-31	300	2	26	53-424	8.0	11-20	122	1
at South Alabama																
Appalachian St																
at ULM																
at Georgia St																
Texas St																
Average	30-44	-144.3	0.3	-0.1	24	28-86	3.0	57.9%	349	8.0%	23	41-291	7.2	60.3%	288	4.9%
Conference	27-46	-183.7	0.7	-1.0	24	26-74	2.9	54.1%	333	9.0%	23	46-407	8.8	60.0%	183	1.7%
Away	23-51	-213.3	-2.7	-1.7	23	25-59	2.4	55.1%	328	10.2%	25	46-337	7.3	54.9%	263	4.9%

OVERALL: 1-6 vs. SUN 0-3

OVERALL: 4-3 vs. SUN 1-3

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

Arkansas St		South Alabama
#124	Rush Off	#92
#8	Pass Off	#40
#39	**Total Off**	**#72**
#58	Score Off	#66
#123	Sks Allowed	#60
#129	Rush Def	#39
#122	Pass Def	#39
#129	**Total Def**	**#35**
#128	Score Def	#42
#113	Sks By	#31
#124	Ypg Diff	#44
-1	**Total TO's**	**+1**

Arkansas St Red Wolves | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **South Alabama Jaguars**

Position by Position Edges

Arkansas St		South Alabama
1.03	Arkansas St QB/WR vs. South Alabama DB's	
	Arkansas St RB's vs. South Alabama LB's	2.43
	Arkansas St OL vs. South Alabama DL	1.80
	Arkansas St DL vs. South Alabama OL	1.77
	Arkansas St LB'S vs. South Alabama RB's	0.12
	Arkansas St DB's vs. South Alabama QB/WR	2.20
2.67	Arkansas St ST's vs. South Alabama ST's	
1.15	Arkansas St K vs. South Alabama K	
1.00	Arkansas St Coaches vs. South Alabama Coaches	
5.85	Arkansas St Pts vs. South Alabama Pts	8.32

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

South Alabama

By 2.47 Points

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	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- 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	31-41	L	87	62	97	130	126	118
4-3	1-6	1-3	0-3	107	109			10/30	Arkansas St			86	83	110	106	129	29
	4-3		2-1		117			11/6	at Troy						100	56	121
	5-2		2-1		125			11/13	at Appalachian St						30	55	27
	4-4		2-3		129			11/20	at Tennessee						17	31	31
	6-1		2-1		131			11/27	Coastal Carolina						3	71	4

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	31-41	-146	-3	-2	22	32-89	2.8	30-41	320	4	25	38-186	4.9	25-35	369	0
Arkansas St																
at Troy																
at Appalachian St																
at Tennessee																
Coastal Carolina																
Average	29-22	57.6	2.3	0.1	19	38-129	3.4	69.2%	263	6.3%	17	37-130	3.5	56.6%	205	9.3%
Conference	30-27	50.0	0.5	0.0	19	38-128	3.4	72.1%	289	7.0%	19	41-186	4.6	55.0%	182	7.3%
Home	30-16	141.3	2.8	0.5	18	38-140	3.7	69.4%	269	6.5%	15	38-126	3.3	45.9%	142	11.9%

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

2020	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
Arkansas St	-	-7	31	25	43-170	19-30-324	
South Alabama	-	62	38	25	46-99	22-30-387	-1
2019	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Arkansas St	-	-11	30	21	39-95	23-38-342	
South Alabama	-	54.5	34	26	48-216	20-31-279	-1
2018	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Arkansas St	-	-14.5	38	26	37-155	27-40-354	
South Alabama	-	62.5	14	16	46-156	12-22-93	0
2017	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Arkansas St	-	-10.5	19	23	33-66	28-45-299	
South Alabama	-	54.5	24	18	32--3	25-46-343	5
2016	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Arkansas St	-	-5	17	20	54-204	9-13-93	
South Alabama	-	56	7	13	31-61	12-27-194	-1

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Projected Box Score

Arkansas St		South Alabama
	Projected Rushing	
63 yards		205 yards
	Projected Passing	
363 yards		295 yards
	Projected Yardage Total	
426 yards		500 yards
	Projected Final Score	
30 points		37 points
	Experience Rankings	
64		56
	Team Schedule Strength	
58		130

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	S Alabama By 9
Las Vegas Total	66.5 Points
+/- Ratings	S Alabama By 0.8
Game Grade	S Alabama By 9.4
Computer Yards	S Alabama 500-426
Computer Points	S Alabama 37-30
Phil Steele	S Alabama by 9

Phil's Forecast:

From '12-'16 Ark St was 5-0 SU/4-1 ATS vs S.Alabama (3 wins by 10 pts or less). Since 2017 S.Alabama has won 3 of the last 4 meetings all as an underdog of at least 7 points. The home team is also on a 5-2 ATS run. In last year's meeting there were three lead changes in the 1H as Ark St kicked a FG on the last play of the 2Q to head to the locker room up 17-14 (272-196 yd edge Ark St). Ark St & S.Alabama traded TD's to start the 2H but then the Jags missed a FG after recovering the onside kick. USA would briefly lead 28-24 before Ark St answered with a 71/8 TD drive. Ark St couldn't take advantage of a USA fumble & the Jags went 61/5 for a TD to lead 35-31. After Ark St TO on downs the Jags added a FG and then stopped Ark St on down again to end the game & Jags WR Jalen Tolbert had 252 yds and 3 TD's. South Alabama opened 4-2 with a 2 point loss to Louisiana and 2 pt loss to Texas St. The wins were vs weak teams with the best one vs Georgia Southern. Last week the Jaguars took on ULM and the Warhawks went 75/11 and got a 9 yd TD pass with :04 left in the half to lead 24-17 with 295-224 yd edge. USA went 75/10 and 66/4 on open 2 poss 3Q for first lead 31-24 but ULM 75/6 and 82/2 for 38-31 lead. ULM 51/10 FG 6:28 left and USA missed 39 yd FG and SOD own 37 last 2 drives in 41-31 ULM win and USA was outgained 555-409. Ark St is 0-6 vs FBS teams and did have 5 point losses to Memphis, a 7 pt loss to Tulsa. Last week Ark St took on Louisiana and ULL was SOD at the 1 in scoreless 1Q. Ark St 94/13 for TD 5:38 2Q but ULL 99 yd run Johnson next play tie. Ark St 66/10 32 yd FG 2:21 ULL 80/9 TD :28 left 14-10 H. Ark St short pass Hunt bounce off defenders 76 yd TD. ULL 75/5 TD 21-17. Ark St 51/3 TD then after int 35 yd FG 27-21 3:23 3Q. ULL 74 yd TD run 28-27 after 3Q. Ark St punt with 10:26 left and ULL 90/20/10:26 drive to 2 yd line run out clock & Ark St all'd 424 rush yds (8.0) vs USA. Ark St QB Layne Hatcher threw for 300 yds last week. USA has a huge edge on defense holding foes to 335 ypg but did give up 555 yds last wk while Ark St is allowing 579 ypg and are allowing foes to gain 219 ypg above their season avg. South Alabama is 0-3 ATS as a DD favorite but the line is USA -9 as of presstime. Ark St has taken on the much tougher schedule (#53 vs #130).

South Alabama 39 Arkansas St 30

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	OFF	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	9-38	L	65	119	63	73	80	50
4-3	3-4	2-1	2-1	108	121			10/30	at WKU			79	124	69	37	100	44
	3-4		2-1		107			11/6	Rice						118	118	124
	2-5		1-2		109			11/13	at Louisiana Tech						109	104	101
	4-3		2-1		119			11/20	Marshall						48	59	78
	1-6		0-3		103			11/27	at Old Dominion						116	93	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
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	9-38	-76	5	-2	21	32-77	2.4	27-42	274	3	16	40-202	5.1	9-11	225	1
at WKU																
Rice																
at Louisiana Tech																
Marshall																
at Old Dominion																
Average	27-27	-47.6	2.0	-0.1	22	37-161	4.3	69.8%	236	6.1%	20	39-221	5.6	60.1%	224	8.0%
Conference	32-37	-59.7	5.0	-0.7	25	37-159	4.3	79.2%	271	5.7%	20	31-132	4.3	69.1%	357	8.6%
Away	23-26	-157.3	-1.0	0.3	19	35-123	3.5	65.8%	183	10.1%	20	43-235	5.5	57.4%	228	9.8%

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

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

Charlotte		WKU
#70	Rush Off	#117
#63	Pass Off	#1
#67	**Total Off**	**#2**
#78	Score Off	#11
#50	Sks Allowed	#28
#123	Rush Def	#93
#62	Pass Def	#114
#110	**Total Def**	**#115**
#77	Score Def	#110
#85	Sks By	#50
#100	Ypg Diff	#28
-1	**Total TO's**	**+1**

Charlotte 49ers | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **WKU Hilltoppers**

Position by Position Edges

Charlotte		WKU
0.93	Charlotte QB/WR vs. WKU DB's	
	Charlotte RB's vs. WKU LB's	0.76
0.03	Charlotte OL vs. WKU DL	
	Charlotte DL vs. WKU OL	1.24
0.54	Charlotte LB'S vs. WKU RB's	
	Charlotte DB's vs. WKU QB/WR	3.11
0.56	Charlotte ST's vs. WKU ST's	
	Charlotte K vs. WKU K	1.00
	Charlotte Coaches vs. WKU Coaches	
2.05	Charlotte Pts vs. WKU Pts	6.11

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

WKU

By 4.06 Points

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	--PS RANK-- ST	OFF	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	34-19	W	44	109	38	84	121	49
3-4	4-3	2-1	2-1	121	108			10/30	Charlotte			37	100	44	79	124	69
	3-4		1-2		118			11/6	Middle Tennessee						119	99	87
	3-4		2-1		107			11/13	at Rice						118	118	124
	4-3		2-1		122			11/20	Florida Atlantic						69	74	51
	4-3		2-1		119			11/27	at Marshall						48	59	78

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	34-19	240	13	-1	31	30-162	5.4	39-49	368	2	18	29-28	1.0	22-40	262	7
Charlotte																
Middle Tennessee																
at Rice																
Florida Atlantic																
at Marshall																
Average	40-33	94.6	2.6	0.1	28	25-107	4.2	71.3%	436	2.9%	26	41-172	4.2	62.3%	276	6.7%
Conference	41-30	139.3	7.3	0.3	32	29-143	5.0	69.9%	429	1.8%	24	34-113	3.3	64.2%	320	10.0%
Home	45-35	82.7	-1.7	0.3	28	25-116	4.7	70.0%	455	1.4%	30	37-176	4.8	62.2%	313	3.0%

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

2020	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
Charlotte	-	-2	19	18	33-89	15-35-219	
WKU	-	46	37	21	37-218	18-27-218	1
2019	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Charlotte	-	48	14	14	30-86	15-29-200	
WKU	-	-9.5	30	19	35-60	22-31-291	1
2018	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Charlotte	-	43.5	40	28	50-211	17-26-237	
WKU	-	-9.5	14	17	17-42	27-39-214	-2
2017	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Charlotte	-	48	14	9	34-248	9-19-61	
WKU	-	-17	45	34	34-121	43-58-506	0

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Projected Box Score

Charlotte		WKU
	Projected Rushing	
129 yards	Charlotte	WKU	184 yards
	Projected Passing	
253 yards	Charlotte	WKU	429 yards
	Projected Yardage Total	
382 yards	Charlotte	WKU	613 yards
	Projected Final Score	
27 points	Charlotte	WKU	43 points
	Experience Rankings	
113	Charlotte	WKU	122
	Team Schedule Strength	
126	Charlotte	WKU	86

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Wku By 18
Las Vegas Total	72.5 Points
+/- Ratings	Wku By 16.8
Game Grade	Wku By 21.1
Computer Yards	Wku 613-382
Computer Points	Wku 43-27
Phil Steele	WKU by 21

Phil's Forecast:

Last time here in '19 the 49ers were +9' but only trailed 17-14 at half. Charlotte was held to 79 yds and shutout in 2H, lost 30-14. WKU is 3-1 SU & ATS vs Charlotte. Home team had won 3 straight until last year's Toppers road win. On a Sunday, WKU dominated the 1H with a 243-34 yd edge. They were SOD at 1 after 74/10 open drive, went 64/8 for FD then recovered a dropped punt snap in EZ for TD and drove 65/10 for TD with :19 left 17-0. WKU led 30-7 with 12:34 left with a 376-109 yd edge and Charlotte gained 200 yds with 2 TD's after that in 37-19 final (+2). Held 49ers to 288 & 308 in L/2 mtgs. WKU is 3-7 as a HF under HC Helton. Charlotte opened 4-2 including 2-0 in CUSA and led FAU 9-7 at the half but lost 38-9. WKU opened just 2-4 but lost to Army, Indiana, Mich St and UTSA! Last week FIU 6-0 with a 7-1 FD edge in 1Q but WKU had a 16-2 FD edge in 2Q and scored on last 3 poss of 1H including a 32 yd TD pass with :17 left to lead 17-12 at half with FIU getting a 75 yd TD pass. WKU got a TD on first poss of 3Q ad 1st poss of 4Q to lead 31-12 and 82/13 for 26 yd FG 4:08 left 34-12. FIU went 75/9 for TD 1:39 left 34-19 and WKU 530-290 yd edge. Charlotte defense is allowing foes 99 ypg above their season average and their pass D is ranked #121 (all'd 16-2 ratio). WKU's D is allowing foes 71 ypg above so points should be plentiful. WKU has three distinct advantages here. They have taken on the far tougher schedule (#85 vs #125), they are at home and Charlottes offense avg's 45 ypg below what opp's allow and WKU's offense is at 180 ypg above led by Bailey Zappe who has a 29-4 ratio! WKU is playing to an AGG of 101.6 and Charlotte at just 84.0 (WKU by 21.4).

WKU 48 Charlotte 27

Boise St Broncos

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	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	126	130			9/4	at UCF	31-36	L	44	52	10	10	69	76
0-1	2-0	0-0	0-0	126	104			9/11	UTEP	54-13	W	51	56	5	81	105	94
1-1	2-0	0-0	0-0	129	128			9/18	Oklahoma St	20-21	L	62	66	3	67	48	31
1-2	3-0	0-0	1-0	127	120			9/25	at Utah St	27-3	W	94	76	2	41	103	31
2-2	2-1	1-0	0-0	131	125			10/2	Nevada	31-41	L	91	61	4	67	90	50
2-3	5-0	1-1	0-0	127	130		10	10/9	at BYU	26-17	W	95	60	4	49	82	34
3-3	5-1	1-1	2-1	130	126			10/16	Air Force	17-24	L	106	58	7	70	63	125
3-4		1-2		127				10/23	Bye			99	69	9			
3-4	3-4	1-2	2-1	127	123			10/30	at Colorado St			98	69	15	96	27	80
	6-2		3-1		127			11/6	at Fresno St						23	47	77
	4-3		0-3		112			11/13	Wyoming						113	67	109
	3-5		1-3		108			11/20	New Mexico						124	75	84
	7-0		3-0		129			11/27	at San Diego St						90	17	2

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 UCF	31-36	-290	-12	1	17	26-20	0.8	25-39	263	0	29	48-255	5.3	25-37	318	3
UTEP	54-13	125	1	5	21	37-121	3.3	17-25	340	1	20	40-104	2.6	16-26	232	1
Oklahoma St	20-21	-25	4	-1	19	35-61	1.7	22-35	242	4	15	57-246	4.3	6-13	82	2
at Utah St	27-3	-8	7	2	25	42-148	3.5	22-39	287	2	18	42-235	5.6	13-31	208	3
Nevada	31-41	17	6	-3	24	34-22	0.6	34-48	388	6	18	30-130	4.3	25-38	263	4
at BYU	26-17	-101	0	4	24	45-140	3.1	18-29	172	1	24	27-111	4.1	22-37	302	1
Air Force	17-24	-29	-1	-1	18	25-78	3.1	23-36	259	2	19	63-307	4.9	1-5	59	2
Bye																
at Colorado St																
at Fresno St																
Wyoming																
New Mexico																
at San Diego St																
Average	29-22	-44.4	0.7	1.0	21	35-84	2.4	64.1%	279	6.4%	20	44-198	4.5	57.8%	209	8.6%
Conference	25-23	-6.7	4.0	-0.7	22	34-83	2.5	64.2%	311	8.1%	18	45-224	5.0	52.7%	177	12.2%
Away	28-19	-133.0	-1.7	2.3	22	38-103	2.7	60.7%	241	2.8%	24	39-200	5.1	57.1%	276	6.7%

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	--PS RANK-- 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	24-26	L	102	45	81	52	104	30
3-4	3-4	2-1	1-2	123	127			10/30	Boise St			96	27	80	98	69	15
	4-3		0-3		112			11/6	at Wyoming						113	67	109
	6-2		3-2		126			11/13	Air Force						89	68	126
	4-4		1-2		116			11/20	at Hawaii						67	54	86
	5-2		2-1		128			11/27	Nevada						62	73	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
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	24-26	128	0	-1	26	43-190	4.4	18-30	282	1	26	48-111	2.3	17-31	233	8
Boise St																
at Wyoming																
Air Force																
at Hawaii																
Nevada																
Average	25-20	112.9	4.3	0.4	21	46-172	3.8	59.4%	235	5.4%	17	35-100	2.8	56.0%	194	13.9%
Conference	31-16	227.7	6.0	1.7	23	50-190	3.8	67.1%	268	7.6%	17	39-96	2.5	43.8%	134	23.3%
Home	25-27	93.7	4.3	0.3	23	42-183	4.3	65.5%	269	3.6%	19	34-153	4.5	60.9%	205	6.5%

	OVERALL: 3-4	OVERALL: 3-4
	vs. MTW 1-2	vs. MTW 2-1
	NCAA RANKINGS	
	2021 TEAM RANKINGS	
	Boise St	Colorado St
#125	Rush Off	#55
#23	Pass Off	#65
#90	**Total Off**	**#63**
#60	Score Off	#92
#69	Sks Allowed	#42
#110	Rush Def	#17
#44	Pass Def	#25
#89	**Total Def**	**#8**
#42	Score Def	#32
#61	Sks By	#2
#98	Ypg Diff	#19
+7	**Total TO's**	**+3**

Boise St Broncos | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **Colorado St Rams**

Position by Position Edges

Boise St		Colorado St
0.31	Boise St QB/WR vs. Colorado St DB's	
	Boise St RB's vs. Colorado St LB's	2.46
	Boise St OL vs. Colorado St DL	2.98
	Boise St DL vs. Colorado St OL	0.07
1.76	Boise St LB'S vs. Colorado St RB's	
0.79	Boise St DB's vs. Colorado St QB/WR	
2.42	Boise St ST's vs. Colorado St ST's	
1.90	Boise St K vs. Colorado St K	
	Boise St Coaches vs. Colorado St Coaches	1.25
7.18	Boise St Pts vs. Colorado St Pts	6.75

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

Boise St

By 0.43 Points

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

2020	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
Boise St	-	-14	52	15	37-89	16-30-202	
Colorado St	-	61	21	15	41-139	11-29-176	1
2019	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Boise St	20	-14	31	20	37-91	26-36-253	
Colorado St	-	57.5	24	20	20-90	26-40-289	-2
2018	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Boise St	-	63	56	26	37-150	23-27-322	
Colorado St	-	-24.5	28	27	25-116	31-44-373	-3
2017	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Boise St	-	-6	59	33	39-310	23-45-331	
Colorado St	-	57.5	52	33	52-261	29-43-309	0
2016	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Boise St	15	-28	28	21	48-226	17-25-218	
Colorado St	-	58	23	19	36-184	17-31-189	0

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Projected Box Score

	Projected Rushing		
52 yards	Boise St	Colorado St	203 yards
	Projected Passing		
229 yards	Boise St	Colorado St	211 yards
	Projected Yardage Total		
282 yards	Boise St	Colorado St	414 yards
	Projected Final Score		
26 points	Boise St	Colorado St	22 points
	Experience Rankings		
28	Boise St	Colorado St	24
	Team Schedule Strength		
23	Boise St	Colorado St	79

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Boise St By 2.5
Las Vegas Total	51.5 Points
+/- Ratings	Boise St By 0.5
Game Grade	Colorado St By 4.2
Computer Yards	Colorado St 414-282
Computer Points	Boise St 26-22
Phil Steele	Boise St by 3

Phil's Forecast:

Boise has never lost to CSU in their 10 meetings (8-2 ATS). Last time here ('19) Boise was outgained by CSU (344-379) but were +2 TO's and won 31-24 (-14). Boise is 4-1 ATS the L5Y off a scheduled bye. Colo St has lost by DD to Boise 7 times in 10 gms, Last year CSU outgained Boise 315-291 for a second straight year but lost 31 pts due to 3 blk'd kicks ret'd for TD's. Boise was off a 51-17 loss to BYU and Colo St had 18 yds and 0 FD after 4 poss. Colo St had a 201-177 yd edge but Boise led 42-7 at half with an amazing THREE blocked kicks (2P, 1 FG) returned for TD's. Centeio led a pair of 3Q scoring drives (2nd 17 yds after fum KR), 42-21 but had 1 FD last 6 drives and Boise won 52-21. Colorado St lost their first two games despite being a HF in both but then the next 4 games their defense allowed just 227 ypg as they went 4-0 ATS with their only SU loss was to top ten Iowa. Last week the Rams were an AF at Utah St and the gm was tied 14-14 and Utah St got a 54 yd KR to set up a 13/7 45 yd FG 1:30 then CSU fumble the KR and Utah St 30 yd FG :33 20-14. USU open 2H 55/12 42 yd FG 23-14 9:23 CSU two punts then SOD at 35 and 69/7 40 yd FG 23-17. USU 48/9 34 yd FG 5:03 26-17. CSU 73/5 TD then 61/7 3&10 15 yd pass to 24 FD :11 but FG team runs out (should have spiked it) and a rushed a 42 yd FG that just sailed left. Colo St had 472-344 yd edge and had 8 sacks and 5 more tfl for 113 yds in losses. Boise opened a very poor 3-4 SU losing to a healthy UCF with Gabriel at QB, Okla St, Nevada and Air Force. They did upset BYU and had last week off to prepare for the final stretch. Boise is rushing for just 84 ypg (2.4) so the offense is basically QB Hank Bachemeier who is hitting 68% with a 12-4 ratio. While Boise is -44 ypg and Colo St is +113 ypg keep in mind Boise has taken on the much tougher schedule (#24 vs #77). Boise has played better on the road at 3-0 ATS and off a bye and I think this is where the Broncos get their season turned around vs a team they are 10-0 against.

Boise St 23 Colorado St 20

North Carolina Tar Heels

Tar Heels 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	136	125	10		9/4	at Virginia Tech	10-17	L	9	35	43	76	23	77
0-1	0-1	0-1	0-0	132	117	24		9/11	Georgia St	59-17	W	13	38	98	78	105	114
1-1	2-0	0-1	0-0	136	136	21		9/18	Virginia	59-39	W	8	38	88	71	77	85
2-1	1-2	1-1	0-1	139	123	21		9/25	at Georgia Tech	22-45	L	6	47	89	68	83	111
2-2	3-1	1-2	0-0	134	117			10/2	Duke	38-7	W	17	63	99	15	97	22
3-2	1-4	2-2	1-2	136	122			10/9	Florida St	25-35	L	12	55	99	44	54	75
3-3	2-3	2-3	0-1	131	128			10/16	Miami, Fl	45-42	W	18	65	100	31	28	55
4-3		3-3		131				10/23	Bye			21	57	72			
4-3	6-1	3-3	0-0	131	137		11	10/30	at Notre Dame			20	53	68	80	10	47
	7-0		4-0		131			11/6	Wake Forest						29	95	5
	6-1		3-0		134			11/13	at Pittsburgh						15	20	93
								11/20	Wofford								
	5-2		2-1		134			11/27	at NC State						41	14	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
at Virginia Tech	10-17	58	1	-1	18	30-146	4.9	17-33	208	6	17	43-127	3.0	12-19	169	1
Georgia St	59-17	336	12	0	28	40-201	5.0	23-31	406	2	16	45-181	4.0	14-30	90	1
Virginia	59-39	125	8	1	35	47-392	8.3	14-21	307	1	27	22-21	1.0	40-57	553	0
at Georgia Tech	22-45	-25	-1	-3	18	35-63	1.8	25-39	306	8	19	43-261	6.1	13-19	133	1
Duke	38-7	142	6	2	21	38-135	3.6	18-32	321	6	15	39-130	3.3	17-24	184	5
Florida St	25-35	49	5	-1	27	36-229	6.4	17-32	203	1	22	41-238	5.8	11-13	145	0
Miami, Fl	45-42	-39	-7	2	23	48-228	4.8	17-26	154	4	30	34-157	4.6	20-45	264	3
Bye																
at Notre Dame																
Wake Forest																
at Pittsburgh																
Wofford																
at NC State																
Average	37-29	92.3	3.4	0.0	24	39-199	5.1	61.2%	272	13.1%	21	38-159	4.2	61.4%	220	5.3%
Conference	33-31	51.7	2.0	0.0	24	39-199	5.1	59.0%	250	14.2%	22	37-156	4.2	63.8%	241	5.6%
Away	16-31	16.5	0.0	-2.0	18	33-105	3.2	58.3%	257	19.4%	18	43-194	4.5	65.8%	151	5.3%

OVERALL: 4-3 vs. ACC 3-3

OVERALL: 6-1 vs. IND 0-0

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

North Carolina		Notre Dame
#34	Rush Off	#113
#29	Pass Off	#41
#15	**Total Off**	**#87**
#18	Score Off	#46
#125	Sks Allowed	#118
#81	Rush Def	#33
#56	Pass Def	#92
#64	**Total Def**	**#58**
#90	Score Def	#51
#107	Sks By	#31
#29	Ypg Diff	#81
0	**Total TO's**	**+6**

North Carolina Tar Heels | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **Notre Dame Fighting Irish**

Position by Position Edges

North Carolina		Notre Dame
	North Carolina QB/WR vs. Notre Dame DB's	0.41
	North Carolina RB's vs. Notre Dame LB's	1.10
	North Carolina OL vs. Notre Dame DL	1.07
1.06	North Carolina DL vs. Notre Dame OL	
1.47	North Carolina LB'S vs. Notre Dame RB's	
0.24	North Carolina DB's vs. Notre Dame QB/WR	
	North Carolina ST's vs. Notre Dame ST's	0.08
	North Carolina K vs. Notre Dame K	0.55
	North Carolina Coaches vs. Notre Dame Coaches	0.30
2.77	North Carolina Pts vs. Notre Dame Pts	3.52

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

Notre Dame

By 0.74 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	--PS RANK-- ST	OFF	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	31-16	W	85	10	37	23	66	36
6-1	4-3	0-0	3-3	137	131	11		10/30	North Carolina			80	10	47	20	53	68
	1-6		1-4		119			11/6	Navy						128	96	122
	6-2		4-2		134			11/13	at Virginia						26	103	88
	3-4		2-3		125			11/20	Georgia Tech						55	90	102
	3-4		2-3		131			11/27	at Stanford						54	46	48

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	31-16	-41	1	1	26	41-170	4.1	22-30	213	1	25	32-125	3.9	27-37	299	3
North Carolina																
Navy																
at Virginia																
Georgia Tech																
at Stanford																
Average	31-23	-0.3	1.6	0.9	20	36-108	3.0	60.3%	262	10.3%	19	33-126	3.8	59.4%	245	7.4%
Conference	34-22	-9.8	-0.6	1.8	19	37-108	2.9	61.9%	252	10.6%	20	34-131	3.8	59.4%	239	6.8%
Home	26-21	0.3	3.0	0.0	22	36-127	3.6	58.3%	253	9.0%	19	30-102	3.4	66.5%	277	7.7%

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

2020	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
North Carolina	25	69	17	14	30-87	17-27-211	
Notre Dame	2	-5.5	31	25	36-199	23-33-279	0
2019	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
North Carolina	-	63	10	13	28-86	19-42-179	
Notre Dame	21	-14.5	33	27	57-341	17-31-146	1

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Projected Box Score

Projected Rushing		
121 yards	North Carolina	Notre Dame 126 yards
Projected Passing		
234 yards	North Carolina	Notre Dame 277 yards
Projected Yardage Total		
355 yards	North Carolina	Notre Dame 402 yards
Projected Final Score		
27 points	North Carolina	Notre Dame 34 points
Experience Rankings		
70	North Carolina	Notre Dame 128
Team Schedule Strength		
34	North Carolina	Notre Dame 1

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Notre Dame By 3.5
Las Vegas Total	62.5 Points
+/- Ratings	Notre Dame By 10.8
Game Grade	Notre Dame By 4.2
Computer Yards	Notre Dame 402-355
Computer Points	Notre Dame 34-27
Phil Steele	Notre Dame by 3

Phil's Forecast:

Last time here in '14 NC was off 3 straight losses where they allowed 154 combined points while #6 ND entered 5-0. NC led 14-0 after 1Q pick 6 but ND led 28-20 2Q. Irish took 50-36 lead & NC got a td w/:47 left in a 50-43 loss (+16'). Notre Dame is 19-2 all-time vs North Carolina including 3 straight wins (2-1 ATS) since 2008. Last year each team scored two 1Q TD's then just 1 2Q FG each and it was 17-17 at half. NC had just 78 yds in 2H and ND finished with 478-298 yd edge despite missing 2OL starters with injuries in 31-17 road win (-5'). It was first time NC lost by two possession margin since Brown returned. North Carolina is fresh off a bye. The Tar Heels are 4-3 with 3 upset losses as a favorite including both road games vs Vtech and Georgia Tech. ND has played down to the level of their foe. They opened 5-1 with a home loss to Cincinnati and were 3-3 ATS with 3 wins by 3 points. Last week Brian Kelly moved to 8-3 vs USC. ND open 74/13 but miss 36 yd FG. ND 70/11 TD, 1 yd drive for FG (after int) and led 17-3 at half. USC 56/10 miss 42 yd FG. ND 80/13 TD 24-3 but USC 77/9 TD then after an int 86/8 TD 24-16 8:51 left. ND 75/8 TD 4:52 left in 31-16 win with only 428-383 yd edge. Biggest difference this year for the Irish is their Oline. They avg 100 ypg less than they put up last year and they've already matched last year's sacks allowed total. ND has taken on the #1 toughest sked and North Carolina is at #34. ND is playing to an AGG of 107.8 and North Carolina at 108.4 (ND by 4.2) but I'm only calling for the Irish to win by a FG.

Notre Dame 30 North Carolina 27

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	OFF	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	21-18	W	68	16	107	109	99	129
3-4	3-4	2-2	2-3	126	131			10/30	at Stanford			74	15	114	54	46	48
	6-1		3-1		135			11/6	Oregon						27	13	59
	5-2		3-1		135			11/13	Arizona St						18	23	46
	2-5		1-3		116			11/19	at Colorado						123	70	23
	4-4		3-2		127			11/26	Washington St						84	49	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	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	21-16	25	1	2	16	38-88	2.3	13-22	217	4	15	40-218	5.5	13-21	62	2
at Stanford																
Oregon																
Arizona St																
at Colorado																
Washington St																
Average	23-20	16.3	2.4	-0.3	20	33-108	3.3	59.5%	242	7.6%	17	40-193	4.8	58.3%	140	5.7%
Conference	23-23	-57.8	-2.0	0.5	17	34-110	3.3	62.7%	194	9.1%	19	42-209	5.0	67.6%	153	6.7%
Away	18-25	3.0	-1.0	0.3	17	35-105	3.0	58.8%	217	12.9%	18	49-268	5.5	52.9%	51	7.8%

OVERALL:	OVERALL:
3-4	3-4
vs. PAC 12	vs. PAC 12
2-2	2-3

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

Washington		Stanford
#113	Rush Off	#122
#57	Pass Off	#44
#102	**Total Off**	**#100**
#102	Score Off	#80
#82	Sks Allowed	#82
#106	Rush Def	#114
#1	Pass Def	#35
#33	**Total Def**	**#86**
#28	Score Def	#81
#107	Sks By	#101
#73	Ypg Diff	#104
-2	**Total TO's**	**-2**

Washington Huskies | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **Stanford Cardinal**

Position by Position Edges

Washington		Stanford
	Washington QB/WR vs. Stanford DB's	1.38
	Washington RB's vs. Stanford LB's	1.51
0.27	Washington OL vs. Stanford DL	
	Washington DL vs. Stanford OL	0.52
2.01	Washington LB'S vs. Stanford RB's	
2.07	Washington DB's vs. Stanford QB/WR	
	Washington ST's vs. Stanford ST's	2.50
	Washington K vs. Stanford K	1.90
	Washington Coaches vs. Stanford Coaches	1.45
4.35	Washington Pts vs. Stanford Pts	9.26

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

Stanford

By 4.92 Points

Stanford Cardinal

Cardinal 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	131	125			9/4	† Kansas St	7-24	L	58	67	37	53	96	19
0-1	1-0	0-0	0-0	126	135		14	9/11	at USC	42-28	W	54	67	117	11	18	39
1-1	1-1	1-0	0-0	131	111			9/18	at Vanderbilt	41-23	W	56	67	115	115	115	78
2-1	2-1	1-0	0-0	131	135		24	9/25	UCLA	24-35	L	43	57	95	30	13	36
2-2	4-0	1-1	1-0	129	137		3	10/2	Oregon	31-24	W	45	55	90	26	28	39
3-2	4-1	2-1	2-0	132	137		22	10/9	at Arizona St	10-28	L	43	49	82	19	31	20
3-3	3-3	2-2	2-2	131	129			10/16	at Washington St	31-34	L	55	45	80	86	47	60
3-4		2-3		131				10/23	Bye			51	50	59			
3-4	3-4	2-3	2-2	131	126			10/30	Washington			54	46	48	74	15	114
	4-3		3-1		134			11/6	Utah						36	22	118
	5-2		3-1		133			11/13	at Oregon St						32	57	24
	2-5		1-3		126			11/20	California						43	30	83
	6-1		0-0		137			11/27	Notre Dame						80	10	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
† Kansas St	7-24	-111	-1	-1	14	22-39	1.8	23-30	194	4	15	31-200	6.5	9-14	144	3
at USC	42-28	-33	-6	1	18	30-141	4.7	16-23	234	0	24	33-185	5.6	27-42	223	0
at Vanderbilt	41-23	24	-3	1	20	27-204	7.6	19-29	218	1	23	44-247	5.6	18-40	151	1
UCLA	24-35	-95	-13	0	11	22-67	3.0	19-32	293	2	24	51-204	4.0	18-29	251	3
Oregon	31-24	-60	2	1	23	35-124	3.5	20-36	230	2	21	54-228	4.2	14-26	186	2
at Arizona St	10-28	-61	-1	-2	20	20-13	0.7	27-45	356	5	21	44-255	5.8	14-23	175	2
at Washington St	31-34	-40	0	-2	20	35-76	2.2	23-32	273	4	20	27-100	3.7	17-30	289	1
Bye																
Washington																
Utah																
at Oregon St																
California																
Notre Dame																
Average	27-28	-53.7	-3.1	-0.3	18	27-95	3.5	64.8%	257	7.9%	21	41-203	5.0	57.4%	203	5.9%
Conference	28-30	-57.8	-3.6	-0.4	18	28-84	3.0	62.5%	277	7.7%	22	42-194	4.7	60.0%	225	5.3%
Home	28-30	-77.5	-5.5	0.5	17	29-96	3.4	57.4%	262	5.9%	23	53-216	4.1	58.2%	219	9.1%

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

2020	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
Washington	23	-11.5	26	19	34-117	15-23-254	
Stanford	-	49	31	23	40-191	20-31-252	-1
2019	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Washington	15	-15	13	15	22-88	16-36-206	
Stanford	-	52	23	24	43-189	21-31-293	1
2018	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Washington	-	-10	27	19	45-177	16-27-194	
Stanford	-	45.5	23	22	23-77	29-44-347	-3
2017	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Washington	9	-6	22	20	33-135	17-23-190	
Stanford	-	47	30	21	44-195	16-27-211	1
2016	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Washington	10	-3	44	22	41-214	15-21-210	
Stanford	7	45	6	14	30-29	18-27-184	-2

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Projected Box Score

Projected Rushing		
127 yards	Washington	Stanford 149 yards
Projected Passing		
159 yards	Washington	Stanford 189 yards
Projected Yardage Total		
286 yards	Washington	Stanford 337 yards
Projected Final Score		
19 points	Washington	Stanford 23 points
Experience Rankings		
33	Washington	Stanford 118
Team Schedule Strength		
54	Washington	Stanford 3

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Stanford By 2.5
Las Vegas Total	48 Points
+/- Ratings	Stanford By 9.5
Game Grade	Stanford By 5.6
Computer Yards	Stanford 337-286
Computer Points	Stanford 23-19
Phil Steele	Stanford by 3

Phil's Forecast:

Stanford holds a razor-thin edge in the series (44-43-4) but has won 12 of the last 16 (11-5 ATS). Last year Stanford had to relocate to Seattle during week and had pre-game walk thru public park but dominated the 1H 24-3 with a 270-126 yd edge over UW. UW went 75/7, 75/12, 92/9 on first 3 2H drives for TD's to pull to 31-23 and got a 45 yd FG 7:54 left 31-26. Stanford then went 79/14 incl 3&10 and 3&11 conv to run out clock at 9 yd line their first win there since '14. The Huskies have dropped last 6 here in Palo Alto (last win there in '07). Stanford is fresh off a bye and UW is on a 2nd straight road trip. David Shaw is 49-14 SU at home and 7-3 ATS as a HD. Both teams are off to disappointing starts. Stanford is 3-4 with impressive wins over USC and Oregon but they already have 3 Pac 12 losses. Washington opened up 2-4 with 6, 3 and 7 point losses. Last week the 1Q was all defense with Wash having a 24-17 yd edge but AZ blkd a punt to set up 7 yd drive for FG 3-0. DB Cook was carted off field late 1Q with neck injury and Wash was flat in 2Q and AZ 64/10 TD, 66/6 FG led 13-0 H. UW open 3Q 81/8 TD AZ 58/15 FG 16-7. AZ screen pass int by DL Letuligasenoa 12:58 left. UW 71/4 TD then 82/7 TD 6:44 left lead in 21-16 road win with 305-280 yd edge. Stanford has taken on the tougher schedule (#3 vs #55) but is -54 ypg and Washington is +16 ypg. The last 4 weeks UW is playing to an AGG of 98.6 and Stanford is at 99.2 (Stanford by 5.1). As bad as UW has looked so far this year they can still win the Pac 12 North and have a large edge on defense holding foes to 75 ypg below their season average and Stanford is allowing foes 15 ypg above. I am still waiting for the week that Washington lives up to their potential and maybe it's this week.

Stanford 23 Washington 20

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	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	34-32	W	23	47	77	67	70	27
6-2	7-0	3-1	3-0	127	129		21	10/30	at San Diego St			0	0	0	90	17	2
	3-4		1-2		127			11/6	Boise St						98	69	15
	3-5		1-3		108			11/13	New Mexico						124	75	84
								11/20	Bye								
	4-4		2-2		114			11/27	at San Jose St						111	62	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
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	34-32	-62	-6	1	24	30-205	6.8	26-38	256	1	30	21-47	2.2	49-61	476	5
at San Diego St																
Boise St																
New Mexico																
Bye																
at San Jose St																
Average	36-21	141.0	6.8	-0.1	25	34-139	4.1	67.0%	341	4.3%	18	35-119	3.4	55.9%	220	8.8%
Conference	28-22	27.8	2.0	0.3	23	32-142	4.5	62.3%	280	3.8%	21	34-140	4.2	57.5%	254	8.9%
Away	26-24	83.5	6.8	-0.8	25	35-117	3.3	63.6%	309	6.3%	19	39-166	4.3	46.7%	177	6.7%

OVERALL:	OVERALL:
6-2	7-0
vs. MTW	vs. MTW
3-1	3-0

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

Fresno St		San Diego St
#86	Rush Off	#28
#9	Pass Off	#124
#11	**Total Off**	**#110**
#22	Score Off	#46
#60	Sks Allowed	#28
#26	Rush Def	#4
#57	Pass Def	#30
#38	**Total Def**	**#5**
#36	Score Def	#7
#14	Sks By	#19
#9	Ypg Diff	#48
-1	**Total TO's**	**+5**

Fresno St Bulldogs | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **San Diego St Aztecs**

Position by Position Edges

Fresno St		San Diego St
0.32	Fresno St QB/WR vs. San Diego St DB's	
	Fresno St RB's vs. San Diego St LB's	0.84
	Fresno St OL vs. San Diego St DL	1.54
0.17	Fresno St DL vs. San Diego St OL	
0.14	Fresno St LB'S vs. San Diego St RB's	
1.52	Fresno St DB's vs. San Diego St QB/WR	
	Fresno St ST's vs. San Diego St ST's	4.22
	Fresno St K vs. San Diego St K	2.95
	Fresno St Coaches vs. San Diego St Coaches	1.20
2.15	Fresno St Pts vs. San Diego St Pts	10.75

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

San Diego St

By 8.60 Points

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	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	20-14	W	88	12	4	71	65	125
7-0	6-2	3-0	3-1	129	127	21		10/30	Fresno St			90	17	2	23	47	77
	4-4		1-2		116			11/6	at Hawaii						67	54	86
	5-2		2-1		128			11/13	Nevada						62	73	21
	0-7		0-3		108			11/20	at UNLV						122	120	119
	3-4		1-2		127			11/27	Boise St						98	69	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
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	20-14	-30	-5	2	10	39-157	4.0	11-13	72	1	15	48-192	4.0	5-15	67	1
Fresno St																
at Hawaii																
Nevada																
at UNLV																
Boise St																
Average	31-16	52.3	1.6	0.7	17	44-205	4.7	55.0%	127	6.7%	16	31-80	2.5	52.5%	200	8.0%
Conference	23-11	2.7	0.0	1.0	15	39-143	3.6	55.9%	125	5.9%	15	41-125	3.0	44.2%	141	9.1%
Home	35-17	68.8	1.5	0.5	18	44-234	5.3	51.1%	115	4.4%	17	28-50	1.8	55.9%	231	7.9%

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

2019	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
Fresno St	-	44	7	13	27-70	14-26-136	
San Diego St	-	E	17	24	37-102	33-47-323	1
2018	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Fresno St	-	-13	23	17	43-123	17-24-267	
San Diego St	-	42.5	14	8	27-64	8-21-218	0
2017	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Fresno St	-	51.5	27	15	38-199	10-16-176	
San Diego St	-	-7.5	3	14	39-165	11-23-90	-1
2016	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Fresno St	-	52	3	10	24-78	16-27-139	
San Diego St	-	-17	17	25	61-292	7-12-72	3

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Projected Box Score

Projected Rushing

48 yards	Fresno St	San Diego St 188 yards

Projected Passing

298 yards	Fresno St	San Diego St 139 yards

Projected Yardage Total

345 yards	Fresno St	San Diego St 327 yards

Projected Final Score

22 points	Fresno St	San Diego St 25 points

Experience Rankings

26	Fresno St	San Diego St 45

Team Schedule Strength

101	Fresno St	San Diego St 105

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	San Diego St By 1
Las Vegas Total	44.5 Points
+/- Ratings	San Diego St By 5.5
Game Grade	Fresno St By 1.4
Computer Yards	Fresno St 345-327
Computer Points	San Diego St 25-22
Phil Steele	San Diego St by 3

Phil's Forecast:

60th meeting. Teams first met in 1923 and Fresno trails 30-25-4 all-time, but have won 5 of 8 as MW foes. Last meeting was last time here ('19) where Fresno was outgained 425-207 and held to a TD in a 17-7 loss. San Diego St is 48-15 SU at home the last 10 years. The Aztecs opened the year a perfect 6-0 SU (4-2 ATS) including wins over a pair of Pac 12 teams (Arizona & Utah). Last week the Aztecs faced Air Force & for the second straight gm SDSt's Matt Ariza had an 80+ yd punt and 50+ yd FG in the same game. The Aztecs got a 4 & 12 yd "drives" for FG's after TO's and after AF was SOD at own 42 a 42/12 drive for TD and led 13-0 H with AF having a 5-4 FD edge. SDSt open 3Q 75/7 TD and led 20-0 when AF 57/11 TD and 89/15 TD with 3:59 left. AF punt 1:35 and SDSt rad out clock in 20-14 win to remain unbeaten. The Aztecs hold foes to 66 ypg below their season average but the offense avg's 49 ypg below what their opponents allow. Fresno opened up 5-2 leading Oregon in the 4Q in a loss and knocking off a then undefeated and ranked UCLA. Last week Fresno took on Nevada & the first 4 poss were punts then Nev went 48/10 and 39/7 but settle for FG and were int at the 9. FSU went 75/3 and 91/10 for TD's to lead 14-3. Nev went 12/2 for TD (after fum But then 52/10 and were SOD and trail 14-10 H. Each team score TD on first two 2H poss and FSU 46/8 FG and 39/9 FG 34-23. Nevada 58/7 38 yd FG 4:21 but fumble FSU 42 2:53 Nev 10 :53 gotes 90/8 TD but miss the 2 point and lose 34-32. QB Jake Haener has thrown for 2326 yds (68%, 20-6) and the offense is avg'g 56 ypg above what their opponents allow. Fresno is +141 ypg while the Aztecs are just +52 ypg and Fresno is playing to an AGG of 104.5 and SDSt is at just 100.5 but the last 4 weeks SDSt is at a 98.4 AGG and Fresno is at 98.5 (SDSt by 3.4). The Aztecs do what they need to do to win games with their defense and the Aztecs already beat Utah here at home and get this big MW West Div win.

San Diego St 23 Fresno St 20