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2025 FINAL COLLEGE STANDINGS

	ACC		BIG 12		MAC				SU		ATS		O/U	
	Ttl Off	Scr Off	Ttl Def	Scr Def	Net YPG	Avg Scr			Conf	All	Conf	All	Conf	All
48	31	11	5	120	62	32-13			6-2	13-3	4-4	11-5	3-5	7-9
19	28	20	22	108.4		31-20		Miami, FI	7-3	11-3	6-4	9-5	3-6	4-1
23	27	94	70	62.1		32-25		Georgia Tech	6-2	9-4	4-4	7-6	5-2	7-5
71	46	16	37	81.5		30-21		Louisville	4-4	9-4	3-5	4-9	3-5	6-7
63	65	25	44	65.3		28-22		Wake Forest	4-4	9-4	5-3	9-4	5-3	8-5
30	26	89	33	21.8		32-21		SMU	6-2	9-4	5-3	6-7	3-5	5-8
25	17	120	99	-0.4		35-29		Duke	7-2	9-5	6-2-1	6-6-2	5-4	10-4
67	16	39	68	54.6		35-25		Pittsburgh	6-2	8-5	6-2	8-5	5-2	7-2
65	44	112	82	-22.0		30-27		NC State	5-4	8-5	5-4	7-6	6-3	7-6
89	85	62	82	-3.6		25-27		California	4-4	7-6	3-5	5-8	4-3-1	5-6-2
60	52	31	51.9	29-20				Clemson	4-4	7-6	4-4	5-8	4-4	4-8-1
4	23	27	43	143.3		33-22		Florida St	2-6	5-7	2-6	5-7	2-6	5-7
131	120	37	66	-47.8		19-25		North Carolina	2-6	4-8	3-4-1	5-6-1	4-4	5-6-1
120	122	105	96	-88.2		19-29		Stanford	3-5	4-8	4-4	5-7	4-4	6-6
106	118	125	130	-87.6		20-35		Syracuse	1-7	3-9	3-5	4-7-1	3-5	6-6
96	113	72	106	-29.3		21-30		Virginia Tech	2-6	3-9	3-5	3-9	3-4-1	5-6-1
72	84	128	123	-49.2		25-33		Boston College	1-7	2-10	3-5	6-6	4-3-1	7-4-1
12	7	4	3	203.1		39-12		Texas Tech	9-1	12-2	9-1	11-3	2-8	4-10
56	34	33	19	65.9		31-19		BYU	8-2	12-2	6-4	10-4	5-5	6-8
4	4	59	17	123.9		41-19		Utah	7-2	11-2	5-4	9-4	6-3	9-4
62	55	48	47	46.6		29-23		Houston	6-3	10-3	6-3	9-4	5-4	8-5
43	32	19	21	99.1		32-19		Arizona	7-3	9-4	6-4	8-5	4-6	4-9
27	40	73	73	43.2		31-25		TCU	5-4	9-4	4-4-1	7-5-1	4-5	7-6
61	71	55	25	39.0		27-20		Iowa St	5-4	8-4	4-5	5-7	3-6	4-8
31	80	57	63	59.4		26-24		Arizona St	6-3	8-5	4-4-1	5-6-2	3-6	5-8
44	43	95	75	8.1		30-26		Cincinnati	5-4	7-6	4-5	6-7	5-4	7-6
83	52	83	79	-16.5		29-27		Kansas St	5-5	6-6	5-5	5-7	6-4	7-5
68	64	86	80	3.3		28-27		Kansas	3-6	5-7	4-5	5-7	3-6	4-8
19	35	88	122	59.4		31-33		Baylor	3-6	5-7	1-8	2-10	4-5	6-6
75	90	36	56	43.0		24-24		UCF	2-7	5-7	2-7	4-8	5-4	6-6
95	110	106	113	-59.3		22-31		West Virginia	2-7	4-8	5-4	7-5	5-4	5-6-1
114	116	123	112	-97.2		21-31		Colorado	1-8	3-9	3-6	4-7-1	4-5	5-7
130	134	116	126	-125.8		14-33		Oklahoma St	0-9	1-11	5-4	6-6	4-5	5-7
102	87	17	10	37.2		25-17		Western Michigan	8-1	10-4	7-2	11-3	4-5	6-8
37	68	50	42	59.5		28-22		Ohio	6-2	9-4	3-5	7-6	4-4	6-7
35	37	3	6	160.9		31-13		Toledo	6-2	8-5	6-2	10-3	4-4	7-6
113	105	53	55	-24.5		23-24		Central Michigan	5-3	7-6	6-2	8-5	4-4	7-6
108	95	35	41	2.9		24-22		Miami, OH	6-3	7-7	6-3	8-6	5-4	7-7
85	93	47	54	14.4		24-24		Buffalo	4-4	5-7	2-6	5-7	6-2	7-5
128	115	126	128	-133.9		21-34		Kent St	4-4	5-7	5-3	7-5	4-4	6-6
93	108	81	86	-30.6		22-27		Akron	4-4	5-7	4-4	6-6	4-4	7-5
134	132	104	103	-134.0		16-30		Ball St	3-5	4-8	3-5	6-6	3-5	5-7
76	92	113	101	-37.2		24-30		Eastern Michigan	3-5	4-8	5-3	6-6	3-5	6-6
125	117	43	64	-36.8		21-24		Bowling Green	2-6	4-8	2-6	6-6	3-5	5-7
133	129	56	65	-73.2		17-24		Northern Illinois	2-6	3-9	2-6	3-9	6-2	6-6
136	136	129	136	-78.6		11-39		UMass	0-8	0-12	2-6	3-9	6-2	9-9

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BIG TEN	7	3	2	2	215.5	42-10	Indiana	11-0	16-0	7-4	10-6	7-4	10-6	
	15	9	7	7	190.1	38-15	Oregon	8-2	13-2	5-5	9-6	5-5	8-7	
	26	22	1	1	203.5	33-9	Ohio St	9-1	12-2	8-2	10-4	3-7	4-10	
	60	70	23	30	73.6	28-20	Michigan	7-2	9-4	3-6	4-9	4-5	7-6	
	9	13	54	51	110.1	36-23	USC	7-2	9-4	2-7	4-8-1	4-5	7-6	
	40	18	21	15	98.5	34-19	Washington	5-4	9-4	4-5	7-6	3-6	6-7	
	80	53	46	57	28.8	29-24	Illinois	5-4	9-4	4-4-1	8-4-1	4-5	5-8	
	119	54	10	9	39.7	29-16	Iowa	6-3	9-4	7-2	10-3	4-4-1	6-6-1	
	129	101	31	50	-38.5	23-23	Minnesota	5-4	8-5	3-6	5-8	5-4	6-6	
	82	59	29	67	41.1	19-25	Nebraska	4-5	7-6	3-6	5-8	7-2	10-3	
SEC	97	98	32	23	12.8	23-20	Northwestern	4-5	7-6	5-3-1	8-4-1	4-5	5-8	
	88	30	34	38	24.8	32-21	Penn St	3-6	7-6	4-5	5-8	7-2	8-4-1	
	45	60	127	117	-25.8	29-32	Rutgers	2-7	5-7	4-5	6-6	4-5	7-5	
	86	95	99	77	-40.9	24-27	Maryland	1-8	4-8	3-5-1	4-7-1	4-5	7-5	
	98	89	74	104	-33.2	25-30	Michigan St	1-8	4-8	6-3	6-6	5-4	7-5	
	135	135	24	39	-70.4	13-22	Wisconsin	2-7	4-8	5-4	6-6	0-8-1	2-9-1	
	121	125	85	127	-67.2	18-33	UCLA	3-6	3-9	4-4-1	4-7-1	5-4	6-6	
	101	123	119	117	-79.9	19-32	Purdue	0-9	2-10	4-5	5-7	3-6	4-8	
	AAC	2	10	41	29	156.1	38-20	Mississippi	7-1	13-2	4-4	8-7	5-3	8-7
		53	28	14	11	104.4	32-18	Georgia	7-1	12-2	5-3	6-8	4-4	5-9
23		20	18	36	137.2	34-21	Texas A&M	7-1	11-2	4-4	5-8	5-3	8-5	
11		8	58	47	105.5	38-23	Vanderbilt	6-2	10-3	6-1-1	9-3-1	5-3	9-4	
91		78	8	8	81.8	26-15	Oklahoma	6-3	10-3	5-4	7-6	3-6	3-10	
70		41	40	27	49.6	30-20	Texas	6-2	10-3	3-4-1	5-7-1	4-4	6-7	
84		50	13	20	70.9	30-19	Alabama	7-1	11-4	5-2-1	9-5-1	2-6	5-10	
33		44	9	17	139.0	30-19	Missouri	4-4	8-5	3-4-1	6-6-1	3-5	6-7	
8		6	92	92	69.2	40-29	Tennessee	4-4	8-5	3-4-1	5-7-1	5-3	8-5	
111		103	26	23	4.8	23-20	LSU	3-5	7-6	3-5	4-9	2-6	4-9	
AAC	105	101	68	76	-33.1	23-26	Kentucky	2-6	5-7	4-4	6-6	6-2	8-4	
	79	74	28	34	-44.8	27-21	Auburn	1-7	5-7	2-6	4-8	3-5	5-7	
	57	42	107	107	-10.2	30-30	Miss St	1-7	5-8	3-4-1	7-5-1	5-3	7-6	
	104	111	71	60	-35.5	22-24	Florida	2-6	4-8	3-5	5-7	4-4	5-7	
	109	104	51	45	-19.7	23-22	South Carolina	1-7	4-8	4-4	6-6	4-4	5-7	
	16	24	122	129	-29.7	33-34	Arkansas	0-8	2-10	4-4	5-7	5-3	8-4	
	1	1	64	69	133.9	45-25	North Texas	7-2	12-2	7-2	10-4	7-2	10-4	
	34	33	65	70	44.3	31-25	Navy	8-1	11-2	3-6	5-8	5-4	8-5	
	38	69	80	58	27.2	28-24	Tulane	8-1	11-3	5-4	7-7	2-7	4-10	
	3	5	84	53	102.2	40-23	USF	6-2	9-4	5-2-1	8-4-1	5-3	7-6	
AAC	10	21	49	28	115.8	34-20	East Carolina	6-2	9-4	4-4	8-5	4-3-1	5-7-1	
	39	25	60	52	52.0	32-23	Memphis	4-4	8-5	4-4	8-5	4-3-1	5-7-1	
	110	94	44	40	-7.8	24-22	Army West Point	4-5	7-6	4-5	7-6	2-6-1	4-8-1	
	28	14	66	92	46.5	36-29	UTSA	4-4	7-6	4-4	7-6	5-2-1	9-3-1	
	100	67	90	100	-52.0	28-30	Temple	3-5	5-7	4-4	7-5	5-3	8-4	
	127	121	101	124	-101.5	19-33	Rice	2-6	5-8	3-5	5-8	4-4	7-6	
	21	51	130	131	10.4	30-36	Florida Atlantic	3-5	4-8	5-3	7-5	3-5	6-6	
	51	77	121	135	-19.9	26-38	UAB	2-6	4-8	3-5	4-8	3-5	6-6	
	58	100	91	94	1.1	23-29	Tulsa	1-7	4-8	3-5	6-6	4-4	7-5	
	132	133	135	131	-186.2	14-36	Charlotte	0-8	1-11	3-4-1	5-6-1	5-3	6-6	

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This chart shows the 3 meetings between the two teams. If they have not played in the last 3 years they are not listed.

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Northcoast Sports was started in 1982 and is now in our 45th year of operation. We have been around so long because we are honest, printing our records win or lose but most importantly very accurate making lots of profit for our newsletter and Late Phone users. Power Sweep's first issue was 1984 and Power Sweep is now in year number 43 and has dominated the industry. Each week Power Sweep has 4 KEY Selections in the Colleges with 3 Keys and the Underdog Play of the week all counted as KEYS. We opened the year with a 3★ loss so are 0-1. We keep adding value to Power Sweep and last year the **Featured Plays (added in 2010) went 22-12 65% the last 12 weeks** and the **Private Plays Hotline Corner is now 106-65 62% the last 24 weeks!** Our Power Plays newsletter is Technical newsletter where the computer forecasts the yards rushing/Passing and points for each game. **Power Plays generally gives out 6 to 11 College Keys per week** in College Football and gives you our computers forecasted box score including yards rushing, yards passing and points. Last week Power Plays had its first 4.5★ play of the year and Eastern Michigan delivered the win. This week, we are giving you both newsletters in one for a special bonus for you. **While the price of each newsletter is \$149 if you subscribe to one newsletter you can purchase the other for just \$50 and save \$99!**

Last week we offered a special \$25 weekend for our Executive Club service for the week. Granted there were only 8 FBS games but there was a full slate of NFL preseason and a full weekend of FCS games. We put out a total of 7 Late Phone ★rated plays and went a super 5-2 71% on them. We had just one College Selection which was a winner on Eastern Michigan and the NFL went a perfect 3-0!!!! The College Totals went 0-1 and the FCS plays went 1-1 so overall a 5-2 week. This week there are 43 FBS vs FBS games from Thursday thru Monday with games all 5 days plus there are 48 FBS vs FCS games. Our regular price for a full weekend of Executive Club service is \$399 but we are offering another super low POWER SWEEP APPRECIATION price of just \$74 for all of our Star rated Sides, Totals, Small Colleges for all 5 days plus all of our Marquees and Top Opinions! Check out the back page for further details but do not miss out on a greatly discounted weekend of Executive Club Service!

We KNOW we have the best complimentary tapes in the country and put a lot of effort into providing FREE Winners on a daily basis. Every Monday we release the Early Bird Play of the Week from the Private Play Hotline, which has gone **254-154 (62%) the past 28 years!** The **Northcoast Sportsline Underdog Play of the week** is up every Tuesday (16-9 L3Y). The Northcoast Sportsline NFL Totals Play goes up on Thursday and is our best NFL Totals Play as of Thursday, and many times it has ended up being a Late Phone Play!!! The **Northcoast Sportsline College Play** is up on Saturday! Out of 40 to 50 games to choose from, it is our 6th or 7th best play and is very successful and worthy of being a Late Phone Play. The Pro Play of the Week on Sunday is also the one that just missed out on being a Late Phone Play and is our 4th or 5th best pro play of the day (Top 3 or 4 are all Late Phone Plays). Each week, there are 9 FREE selections. **Make sure you call 1-347-677-1700 every day to pick up on your FREE WINNERS!**

When you subscribe to Power Sweep you get over \$200 in bonuses FREE. You get our September 5★ FREE, which has hit 34-10 77% in our 44 year history. You also receive TWO weekends of your choice where you can take 50% Off our already discounted back page specials. You can use these any week you choose except for our Thanksgiving Weekend Exec. Just call the office at 1-800-654-3448 and tell us you want to use

Back when we had 900 Numbers, and the Northcoast Debit Card, the Private Play Hotline was very successful on its \$9 plays. We still feature the Marquees each week (\$15 each) but this year we are giving out EIGHT of the Hotline plays (which used to sell for \$9 each) right here in the Private Play Hotline Corner each week! Now that the newsletter comes out on Wednesday, that is the day we used to release most of these plays and we will give you 8 of the 9 Conference plays as part of your Power Sweep subscription.

SEC Play: Ole Miss
Big Ten Play: Washington
Big 12 Play: Call 1-347-677-1700 Friday
ACC Play: Clemson
American Play: Florida Atlantic
P12/MWC Play: Boise St
MAC Play: Akron 15-6-1 last 2 years!!!!
Sun Belt Play: No Play
CUSA Play: Liberty

2023 5★'s:

2024 5★'s:

2025 5★'s:

September	5★ North Carolina	+7'	Central Florida	Loss	9-34
October	5★ Tulane	-10	Army	Loss	24-17
College GOY	5★ OKLAHOMA	-5'	Missouri	<u>WIN</u>	17-6
Totals GOY	4.5★ JMU/COASTAL CAROLINA (OVER 53')			<u>WIN</u>	59-10
NFL GOY	4★ Denver	-3'	Jacksonville	Loss	20-34

4★ Excellent
3★ Very Good
2★ Good

COLLEGE SELECTIONS

HOME TEAM IN
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KEY SELECTIONS

4★ WEST VIRGINIA over Coastal Carolina - Teams meeting for just the second time with WVU winning in '10, 31-0, when Coastal Carolina was still in FCS. Neers are 22-8 ATS as a home favorite since '17 including 2-0 last year. This is Rich Rod's second team in his return to Morgantown and they'll be vastly improved after going 4-8 in '25. Last season their team didn't form until after spring practice and the QB's couldn't stay healthy, but this year they added Oklahoma's Michael Hawkins who can run and make all the throws and AARB Cam Cook (1659, 5.6, 16 td's LY at JaxSt). The D is a work in progress but it won't matter as much as the Chants. Coastal has a new HC in Ryan Beard who guided Missouri St into the FBS and went 7-5 last year. The program hasn't been the same since Jamey Chadwell left and they've either declined or tread water for 4 straight years. Beard's first roster here has 56 new players, no returning Oline starters and no QB with FBS experience. This is a mismatch against a team with something to prove and a potentially explosive backfield.

FORECAST: WEST VIRGINIA by 32

3★ EASTERN MICHIGAN over San Jose St (FRIDAY) - This is the 2nd game for both. We cashed our 3H LPS on EMich (-9) over SacSt, 28-17 last week. The Eagles had 260-34 yd & 14-2 FD edges yet EM only led 21-10 thanks to a fumble return td and missed fg. The Spartans (+38) lost to USC 42-26 in a misleading final. They were down 35-33 scored 2 td's in final 5:11 to make the game appear closer. This is the first regular season meeting between these schools. HC Chris Creighton is in his 13th year at EMU. This is his most experienced team in years, so even after going 4-8 last season the Eagles are bowl contenders. They have veteran QB Noah Kim (2817, 61%, 18-11 last year), a deep receiving corps and a solid Oline so they're built to exceed last year's 24 ppg. The D which struggled in '25 has 6 starters and last year's top 3 tacklers back. San Jose St has lost 7 of its last 8 games dating back to last year, and unlike EMU only return 1 offensive starter and 1 of last year's top 13 tacklers. This is a long trip and his Spartans will face a talent gap and a possible rebuild after going 3-9 in '25. Both teams are coming off misleading finals so there's value on the Eagles and EM gets to 2-0 for the first time since 2018.

FORECAST: EASTERN MICHIGAN by 14

3★ TULSA (+) over Oklahoma St - Tulsa trails series 44-29-5 but snapped 10-game series losing skid last year on the road as a 9pt dog. They outplayed OSU long before the wheels came off the Cowboy bus in a 1-11 season. The Hurricane will be better in '26 after going 4-8 in HC Tre Lamb's debut and playing their best ball in November including an upset at Army. Not only is there staff continuity at Tulsa but 15 starters return and QB Baylor Hayes (2158, 59%, 12-6) will operate behind a veteran O-line. Oklahoma St is a completely different team in '26. The new HC is Eric Morris an up and comer who went 22-16 at North Texas. From Denton, he brought star QB Drew Mestemaker (4379, 69%, 34-9), Frosh AA RB Caleb Hawkins (1434, 6.2, 25 td's) and top WR Wyatt Young (1264, 18.1, 10 td's). The Cowboys will score plenty this year but they remain vulnerable at the line of scrimmage and on defense. Morris will wind up being a great hire but his first OSU team is getting too much credit for the Big 3 on offense alone. Tulsa is 20-11-1 ATS as a DD dog since '18 and Lamb's 2nd team can hang with the Cowboys while covering as a 2 td HD.

FORECAST: Oklahoma St by 4

OTHER SELECTIONS

2★ PITTSBURGH over Miami, OH - Pitt won the only prior meetings back in 1931 & 1949. Two old vet HC's meet for the first time in Pat Narduzzi's and Chuck Martin. Panthers have 13 starters back. QB Mason Heintschel had a 16-8 ratio as a true frosh. They also return their top RB, have 127 career starts on the Oline and 6 starters back on D. Miami has 12 starters back. QB Thomas Gotskowski won the job then got hurt and is OFY. Kansas transfer David McComb will take the first snaps of his career. Chuck Martin is 15-23 ATS vs non-conf foes since 2017. Narduzzi is 7-2 ATS as a HF the last two years. Panthers have UCF on deck, but they take non-conf games more seriously and Narduzzi's defense will be tough on a QB making taking his first snaps.

FORECAST: PITTSBURGH by 24

2★ HOUSTON over Oregon St - Back half of home & home. Houston (-13) won last year in Corvallis, 27-24, after falling behind in 4Q. Third year HC Willie Fritz is building something special at Houston. In '25, the Cougars went from 4 wins to 10 wins and a Top 25 finish! Now, with 19 starters back, including QB Conner Weigman (2705, 65%, 25-9, 700 rush), Houston is a Big 12 contender. Fritz is also reuniting with RB Makhi Hughes who rushed for 2,779 for him at Tulane in '23 & '24. Oregon St has slid the last 3 years and after going 2-10 rebooted and hired 1st time HC Jamaricus Shepard. He made a great hire in DC Mike MacIntyre, who inherits a good base of talent, but the offense averaged just 18 ppg in '25 and has a longer way to go. Over the past 5 seasons, the Beavers are 7-19 ATS on the road including 0-5 last year. There's a big talent gap here, both in players and coaching. Plus, once Houston builds a cushion and empties the bench, they'll want to showcase the elite arm of blue-chip frosh QB Keisean Henderson who'll keep the scoring going in the blowout win.

FORECAST: HOUSTON by 28

OTHER GAMES

THURSDAY SEPTEMBER 4th

RUTGERS by 35 over UMass - This is the 6th matchup between the two schools. UMass is 2-3 vs. Rutgers (3 straight losses in '76, '78 & '19). The last time here ('19), the Minutemen (+16) led 21-7, but allowed 41 unanswered points to lose their 3rd straight to Rutgers. UMass is 0-9 vs. B10 opponents by an average score of 50-11 (1-7-1 ATS). The Minutemen are 2-8 SU (3-7 ATS) in openers. The Scarlet Knights have won 3 straight including a 48-21 comeback in '19 as a 16-pt favorite - the previously mentioned 41 unanswered points game. In their last 9 openers, the Knights are 7-2 SU & ATS (beat Ohio last year, 34-31, as 15-pt favorite). UMass was 0-12 last year, but should be a much stronger team for 2nd-year HC Joe Harasymiak. They are now led by QB Pop Watson. Rutgers has a new QB in Dylan Lonergan - a Boston College transfer that will be looking forward to next week's road game at BC! Schiano is 46-25-1 ATS in non-conference games. He is 13-6 ATS as a heavy favorite the last 5 years.

WAKE FOREST by 17 over Akron - First meeting and this is WF's first game vs a MAC foe since 2022. WF has won 10 of their L11 openers but 5-6 ATS in those. Dickert's squad was one of the biggest surprises in the FBS last year, going 9-4 both SU & ATS. They have 12 starters back and bring in UNC's starting QB Gio Lopez. They have a veteran D that brought back 7 starters from last year's unit with DE Langston Hardy (7 sk) leading the way. Akron was 5-7 last year. They are 0-14 SU/4-10 ATS when they open the season vs an FBS team. WF is 14-6 ATS as a DD fav but only 9-11 ATS L20 when favored by over 3 td's. Akron is 14-10 ATS as a DD dog under Moorhead. Zips return a 1000 yd rusher, their top WR and boosted their OLine with 8 transfers. Akron will score enough to make this interesting and stay within 3 td's.

GEORGIA TECH by 10 over Colorado - Rematch of last year's game in Boulder won by GT 27-20, as a 3pt favorite. GT was +158 yds but -3 TO's and scored the GW td with 1:07 left. They're 9-1 SU & 7-3 ATS last 10 openers. This is Colorado's 1st trip to Atlanta and a homecoming for HC Sanders who played for the Falcons and Braves. Buffs 0-6 SU & 1-5 ATS last 6 vs ACC. GT went 9-4 in '25, Brent Key's 4th as HC. They're physical and always good up front under Key. They lose veteran QB Haynes King but could have a better pass game with Indiana transfer Alberto Mendoza (Fernando's brother). They'll have no issue running it with Malachi Hosley (697, 7.1 LY) and Justice Haynes

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(857, 7.1 LY at Michigan). Key feels this is his best D and he raves about his D-line. Colorado is looking to rebound after going 3-9 last year. The offense will be much better now that QB Julian Lewis is a year older and the team stockpiled skill position talent. But the D is replacing last year's top 19 tacklers and has a new DC. With a more physical team, GT will pound the ball, play keep-away and win by more than the manageable number that's below a td.

ILLINOIS by 34 over Uab - This is the first-ever meeting between the two schools - UAB was reportedly paid \$1.125 million to make this trip to Champaign. Illinois is 1-3 ATS in their last 4 games vs. AAC opponents. In their last 10 home openers, Illinois is 9-1 SU & 7-3 ATS (lost to Purdue in '20). The Fighting Illini are 4-0 ATS as double-digit favorite last year. This is UAB's first game vs. a B10 opponent since '12 - a 29-15 loss to Ohio St (-35). The Blazers have lost 6 straight road openers (1-5 ATS). Since '17, UAB is 0-9 SU & 3-6 ATS vs. P4 schools (3 straight ATS covers). Illinois is breaking in a new QB and needs to get the offense up to speed with Duke on deck. UAB also has a young QB, but he is making his first road start against an aggressive defense. Illini HC Bret Bielema is a strong favorite in these type of games and they should get the offense humming.

FRIDAY SEPTEMBER 5th

MICHIGAN ST by 14 over Toledo - Despite their proximity to each other, this is first meeting between the two schools in 101 years! They had just 1 prior meeting, which the Spartans won, 58-0, in 1925! Since '17, MSU is 8-0 SU & 6-2 ATS vs the MAC. The Spartans have won 5 straight season openers (3-2 ATS). Toledo is 3-1 ATS in its last 4 B10 games (its last outright win was over Purdue in '10). Both teams have new looks this year. Pat Fitzgerald returns as a HC and this is his Spartan home debut. He inherits QB Alessio Miliivojevic and has a veteran D. New Toledo HC Mike Jacobs brings an FCS heavy transfer roster after taking over for long-time head coach Jason Candle. Fitzgerald is 23-38 ATS as a heavy favorite.

USC by 17 over Fresno St - The newest Pac-12 member meets the league's former signature school. Last time here in '22, Fresno St. (+11) fell, 45-17. The Bulldogs have covered 5 of last 6 vs. P4. In its last 4 openers, Fresno St. is 3-2 SU & ATS. Since losing to Fresno St in the '92 Freedom Bowl, USC has won 5 straight in the series (3-2 ATS). Trojans have won 16 straight vs. MWC schools (Bulldogs' conference until LY) and are 4-1 ATS since '21. Matt Entz did a great job with Fresno St., getting them to 9-4 and, now in Year 2, has a much more stable team. The defense allowed just 18.8 ppg last year and has 9 starters back. USC is a playoff contender led by QB Jayden Maiava. Last week USC (-37) failed to cover when it defeated San Jose St in its season opener, 42-26. The Trojans have beaten G6 teams by an average of 44 ppg during HC Lincoln Riley's tenure, but this is the toughest one they will have faced. USC does have Louisiana on deck.

Miami, FI by 24 over STANFORD - Miami off their runner up finish travels across country to play their ACC opener. Last year was the first meeting. Miami was -29. It was only 7-7 at half when Miami scored td's on 6 of last 7 possessions and didn't go ahead of the spread until :26 left. 'Canes made a splash in the portal when they added Darian Mensah from Duke who threw for nearly 4,000 yds and had a 34-6 ratio last year. The 'Canes also return RB Mark Fletcher, WR Malachi Toney, added the #1 true frosh OL and their top tackler. Stanford has 14 starters back for 1st year HC Tavita Pritchard but they were missing 2 starting OL and lost another during LW's game. Stanford got a fumble return td with under a minute left to beat Hawaii 37-27 (-4) last week. Stanford is just 6-21 ATS vs ranked foes since '19. They have no home field edge and the students aren't even on campus yet. Miami has covered 4 of their last 5 when favored by 3 td's or more vs ACC foes Miami only has FAMU on deck so no hold back from the 'Canes here but we can't go higher than 24.

OKLAHOMA by 38 over Utep - Sooners are 5-0 SU/4-1 ATS vs UTEP, all 5 mtgs are since 2000. They last met in '22, OK was -31, Sooners led 42-13, added late fg for cover. Last year they were 0-2 ATS as -30+ favorites. UTEP only has 6 starters back but Scotty Walden is in his 3rd year. QB EJ Colson started his career at UCF and had a 16-4 ratio at Incarnate Word last year. The Miners covered at Texas as 40 point dogs last year, only losing 27-10. Oklahoma is 14-0 SU/10-4 ATS vs CUSA teams, winning by an average score of 45-14 but they are laying 42 points here and with Michigan on deck the starters won't play much in the 2nd half so our lean is with the underdog.

SATURDAY SEPTEMBER 6th

CINCINNATI by 10 over Boston College - First regular season matchup since '97. Cincy won last meeting, 38-6, in '20 Birmingham Bowl. Bearcats are 6-1 ATS last 7 openers vs an FBS opponent. This is Year 4 for Cincy HC Scott Satterfield. The Bearcats started last year 7-1 but lost the final 5 games so a fast start is especially important to the coach and his players. They have 10 returning starters. And while star QB Brendan Sorsby is gone, Satterfield really likes the way Georgia Southern transfer JC French spins it. They can run it too with a deep backfield and one of the Big 12's top O-lines. That ground attack opens the season against a BC team that went 2-10 last year and allowed 33 ppg, 433 ypg and 5 ypc. Bill O'Brien's 3rd Eagle team will be better in the front 7 in '26 but it won't be as noticeable against the veteran Cincy O-line. On offense, O'Brien will hand the ball to D2 dual-threat Mason McKenzie who threw for 2086 and ran for 942 last year at Saginaw Valley St. The Eagles will be improved but not enough to pull the road upset here.

JAMES MADISON by 3 over Liberty - Just 100 miles separate these Virginia schools. JMU leads the Battle of the Blue Ridge 13-6 but only last year's 31-13 road win as a 9pt favorite came when both were in the FBS. Dukes trailed 13-10 but scored final 2 pts and wound up +207 yds. That Liberty loss was part of a very disappointing 4-8 season, HC Jamey Chadwell's worst since '17. That won't be repeated this year. The Flames' final 4 losses were by single digits and they were +67 ypg in CUSA play. This year, the O-line and QB room are better so they'll top last season's 26 ppg. Chadwell is 10-5-1 ATS in his career as an AD and is 2-1 vs Billy Napier. Napier returns to the Sun Belt to take over a JMU program that went 12-2 last season and made the CFP! The Dukes lost a ton of veterans and return just 5 starters but this remains one of the better G6 programs and a favorite to repeat as SBC champs. However, this is not the same team as '25 and Napier is much better as a HD (10-4 ATS) than a HF (13-20-1 ATS). Liberty is a live and hungry dog here with a chance to catch JMU in transition early in the season.

PENN ST by 21 over Marshall - This is the 3rd overall meeting and first meeting between the schools since 1930. Marshall is 1-6 SU & 4-3 ATS all-time vs. the Big Ten! The Thundering Herd had won 12 straight openers before last year's 45-7 loss at Georgia (10-3 ATS over that stretch). Penn St has won both meetings in 1929 & '30. The Nittany Lions are 3-0 SU and 2-1 ATS vs. the SBC. In their last 12 season openers, Penn St is 10-2 SU and 7-5 ATS (4-1 ATS in their last 5). New Penn St. HC Matt Campbell is 1-5 ATS as a favorite in openers, but each time, he had Iowa on deck while at Iowa St. Here in Happy Valley, he only has Temple on deck. He is excited to be at Penn St. and this is his Happy Valley debut. A rebuilt Marshall last year with QB Carlos Del Rio-Wilson was much better than preseason expectations. and now HC Tony Gibson enters his second year with a much more stable roster. Marshall is 18-7 ATS as an away dog the last 10 years.

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MICHIGAN by 21 over Western Michigan - Michigan leads this in-state series 8-0 (6-0 ATS over the last 6). In their last meeting in '21, the Wolverines (-17) amassed 550 yards en route to a 47-14 win. UM 28-1 all-time vs MAC (lost to Toledo, 13-10, in '08) & 4-1 ATS last 5 meetings. Broncos have lost 11 straight to Big Ten (2-9 ATS). Since '17, WMU is 1-8 SU (beat Akron in '20) & 4-5 ATS in road openers. Western is the defending MAC champ and return QB Broc Lowrey and RB Jalen Buckley. They have an offense geared to run the ball and a top-notch defense that allowed just 17.4 ppg last year. Michigan returns So. QB Bryce Underwood and wants to run the ball. The Wolverines also have a solid defense that allowed just 323 ypg last year. This is HC Kyle Whittingham's first year at Michigan after a long, successful career at Utah. They have Oklahoma on deck.

DUKE by 10 over Tulane - Last year Duke had taken Tulane's QB, Darian Mensah, in the Portal yet it was Tulane who was -1' and the Green Wave led 24-3 and won 34-27. A lot has changed since. Duke ended up 9-5 and won the ACC Title Game. Tulane went 11-3 and lost in the 1st round of the Playoffs but HC Jon Sumrall left for Florida. Tulane hired Will Hall who was the OC under Willie Fritz from '19-'20 and was only 14-30 as HC at Southern Miss. Both teams brought in transfer QB's. The clear edge goes to Duke's Walker Eggett who threw for 3,051 yards with a 17-9 ratio last year at San Jose St. Tulane's Zeon Chriss-Gremillion had a 5-9 ratio in 2 years at Houston. Blue Devils get revenge for last year's loss and the line has dropped to just over a td.

SOUTH CAROLINA by 45 over Kent St - SC won the only prior meeting 77-14 in 1995. Gamecocks have covered their last 3 vs the MAC by an average score of 40-5 including a 50-7 win over Akron in '24. Kent St is 0-6 ATS in season openers. The Golden Flashes played 3 ranked P4 teams last year, going 2-1 ATS in those. The Flashes have 10 starters back for 2nd year HC Mark Carney. They have a much more winnable game vs Wofford on deck then play at Ohio St. SC has no reason to take it easy on Kent with FCS Towson on deck. Kent QB Dru Deshields is one of the fastest QB's in the MAC and won't have to deal with SC's star DE Dylan Stewart but Gamecocks have plenty of talent and no sense in getting Deshields hurt trying to run against a much more athletic defense.

OHIO ST by 45 over Ball St - This is the first meeting between the two schools. The Cardinals are 3-31-1 all-time vs. B10 schools (wins over Indiana '08, '11, '12) & 13-5 ATS since '06. In its last 6 road openers, Ball St. is 0-6 SU & ATS. The Buckeyes are 32-0 all-time vs. MAC opponents and 5-2 ATS. Under HC Ryan Day, OSU is 8-0 SU and 3-4-1 ATS in openers. Ohio St is loaded on offense led by QB Julian Sayin, WR Jeremiah Smith and a much improved O-Line. The defense did lose a lot to the NFL draft. Ball St is in Year 2 for HC Mike Uremovich and he is breaking in a new QB, but is solid at both OT's and at C. Last year, he lost to a pair of P4 teams by 31-0 (Purdue) and 42-3 (Auburn) and they neither made a bowl. Last year, OSU only beat Ohio 37-9 and Day's game plan was to slow the game down, so his team had less plays prior to an anticipated long playoff run. They did beat a pair of MAC teams 52-6 and 56-0, respectively, in 2024.

FLORIDA by 21 over Fau - The Jon Sumrall era begins at FAU. Florida has won all 4 meetings but FAU covered the last two. They last met in '21 when Florida was -23' and won 35-14. The Gators have 13 starters back. GA Tech transfer QB Aaron Philo was named the starter and he benefits from having one of the SEC's top RB's in Jadan Baugh and a loaded WR unit. The Oline is the biggest & the defense has 6 starters back. FAU's HC Zach Kittley is in his 2nd year. The Owls return QB Caden Veltkamp who threw for 3600 yards and 24 td's but also had 17 int's. FAU is 0-12 all-time vs the SEC but they've covered 6 of the last 7 in those. Sumrall is 20-12-1 ATS at home and now gets to play in The Swamp but this first one might be closer than expected with FAU #14 on our experience chart and if they cut down on Turnovers (-21 LY) will make their games much more competitive.

INDIANA by 45 over North Texas - Teams have split 2 meetings (the home team won and covered in '11 & '14). Indiana has covered 6 of last 7 home openers (last 4 to the under). Under HC Cignetti since '24, the Hoosiers are 6-2 ATS vs non-conference opponents. Last time here in '14, the Mean Green (+12) lost, 49-24. Since then, N. Texas is 0-3 SU & 1-2 ATS vs. B10 ('14, '15, '17). Over the last 3 yrs, the Mean Green are 0-2 SU/ATS vs. P4 schools. NT is 8-1 in its last 9 openers (7-2 ATS). HC Curt Cignetti is breaking in a new QB and will want him to have confidence and he wants his team to play a full 60 minutes. North Texas has a brand new team with no starters back and a new HC. Neal Brown is 19-13 as an away dog, but this is not a good situation. Indiana will be fired up for a team that was 12-2 last year with only Howard on deck.

ALABAMA by 28 over East Carolina - Bama is 23-1 SU/18-6 ATS L/24 openers but the loss was last year to Florida St 31-17 as a 13' point road favorite. Only prior meeting was in 1998, Bama (-9') won 23-22. ECU is 5-0 ATS in their road opener. Kalen DeBoer has 10 starters back this year. They named rFr Keelon Russell the starting QB and he has an improved OLine and talented RB's and WR's around him. The defense has 7 returning starters and only allowed 297 ypg LY. ECU only has 7 starters back. They replaced their QB, 1 RB, top two WR's, all 5 starting OL and 6 of their top 8 tacklers. The Tide are 28-0-1 ATS as a home favorite since '20 and 10-4 ATS vs non-P4 schools. Bama does have their SEC opener vs Kentucky on deck and we can't go higher than 4 td's which is exactly where the line currently sits.

MISSISSIPPI ST by 35 over Ulm - Two in-state schools meet for first time since 1997. Miss St is 9-0 SU/7-2 ATS in season openers. Jeff Lebby is in his 3rd year. The Bulldogs have 11 starters returning (10 from LY). QB KeMario Taylor is 6'4" 230 and has some serious talent. ULM HC Bryant Vincent is also in his 3rd season. The Warhawks went 3-9 last year and were -61 ypg. They lost 73-0 at Bama and 42-7 at Northwestern. Under Vincent, ULM is 0-4 ATS vs P4 teams, losing by 48 ppg. ULM is 1-6 ATS in road openers and 6-12 ATS vs the SEC. Miss St has a trip to Minnesota on deck but Lebby likes to run his offense even in blowouts. All the angles point to Miss St and they are only laying 28'.

NEBRASKA by 2 over Ohio - Surprisingly, this is the first meeting of the schools linked by Frank Solich, who coached both. Since falling to NIU in '17, Nebraska is 4-0 SU/ATS vs. MAC teams. In their last 10 openers, the Huskers are 5-5 SU/3-7 ATS (2-1 ATS for HC Matt Rhule). In its last 5 vs. the Big Ten, Ohio is 0-5 SU and 2-3 ATS (lost to Rutgers and Ohio St LY but covered both games). Bobcats have lost 9 straight road openers (2-6-1 ATS). Ohio has been pretty much the same team since Solich took over, no matter who is running the team. They usually start out slow and build confidence for MAC games. Nebraska has a tough schedule this year and an offense that will utilize the QB run more with UNLV transfer QB Anthony Colandrea. Rhule is 9-6-1 ATS as a heavy favorite here.

TEXAS by 31 over Texas St - Only prior meeting was in 1930. This is Texas St's first game vs the SEC since 2019. The Bobcats are an exciting team that just joined the PAC 12 but obviously can't match the talent that Texas has. Longhorns are poised for a big season with Arch Manning and DE Collins Simmons back. Texas St has an explosive offense that averages 36 ppg and 473 ypg with QB Brad Jackson (3224, 21-7, 744 rush) returning along with their top two receivers who both had over 1000 yards last year. Texas has a massive edge on defense though with 6 returning starters. Texas' big game against Ohio State looms large so the look ahead spot is obvious but two years ago they opened with Colorado St and had Michigan on deck, the Longhorns won that game 52-0. We will cut out line off at 31 points which is right where the actually line is.

TEXAS A&M by 38 over Missouri St - First meeting. A&M is 14-0 SU/9-5 ATS all time vs CUSA teams. The Aggies are coming off a playoff season where they won 11 games and they bring back 9 starters from that team, plus another 9 starters from other teams. QB Marcel Reed has their top

RB, two of their top 3 WR's and 4 transfer starters on the OL around him. The defense returns 3 of their top 4 tacklers. MSU is led by new HC Casey Woods who was the OC at SMU last year. Skyler Locklear is the starting QB and followed their new OC, Mark Cala from UTEP. MSU just moved up from the FCS last year and went 7-6, reacing a bowl game in a surprising first season. They went 1-1 against P4 teams, losing to USC by 60 in the opener but also hung with SMU a few weeks later, losing 28-10. A&M has Arizona St on deck and Elko isn't known for running the score up as the Aggies are on an 0-5 ATS run when favored by 30+.

IOWA by 39 over Northern Illinois - This is their first meeting since '18. The Hawkeyes lead the series 9-1 (lost '13 opener to an NIU team that went 12-2). Since that loss, Iowa is 7-0 vs the MAC (4-3 ATS). They are 11-1 in their last 12 openers (6-6 ATS). In its last time here '18, NIU (+10') fell, 33-7. Since '18, it is 0-5 SU & 1-4 ATS vs. B10 teams (avg score 39-9). NIU has covered 7 straight road openers, including upsets of Notre Dame, Boston College & Georgia Tech. NIU is 24-12 ATS as an away dog, but there is a lot of in this year's team with a new HC, no starters back on defense and they move to a new conference - the MWC. Iowa does have a revenge game vs. rival Iowa St. on deck and is 21-14-1 ATS vs non-conference teams. However, they rarely put up a lot of points. The last two years under OC Lester, they have put up 40 ppg in non-conference regular season games not involving Iowa St.

NEW MEXICO by 13 over Central Michigan - First meeting and first half of home & home with New Mexico visiting Central Michigan in '29. The Lobos were a big surprise last year in HC Jason Eck's debut, going 9-4 with upsets of UCLA, UNLV and San Diego St. They'll be even better this season and are built to capture their first conference title since 1964. The QB room is experienced, the OL and WR's are improved, and RB Scottie Humphrey has a chip on his shoulder after getting jumped on the DC in '25. The UNM D is very good, with 6 of the top 10 tacklers back from a unit that allowed 22 ppg and 3.4 ypc in '25. It's Year 2 for CMU HC Matt Drinkall who did a solid job getting to 7-6 in his debut. He'll have one of the MAC's better O-lines but this is a tough opponent to be breaking in a new starting QB. Plus, the defense lost 9 of last year's top 10 tacklers so CMU is liable to start slowly. Under Drinkall, CMU went 1-4 ATS as a DD dog including 4 straight losses. Eck was unbeaten in Albuquerque last year and will open the new season with a DD win.

COLORADO ST by 3 over Wyoming - It's the 118th Border War and first since 1967 as non-conf foes. Wyoming trails 60-52-5 but has won 8 of the last 10 (7-3 ATS). Colorado St is 0-5 ATS last 5 home openers. Under 3rd year HC Jay Sawvel, Cowboys 4-7 ATS as an AD and 3-9 SU away from home. This is a crucial year for Sawvel who has his best team in Laramie. Cowboys improved to 4-8 last year and have addressed offensive woes (16 ppg & 315 ypg LY) by changing OC and adding William & Mary QB Tyler Hughes to star RB Samuel Harris (558, 5.6 LY as frosh). The D loses 9 of the top 13 tacklers but has an emerging star in LB Ethan Stuhlsatz. After going 2-10 (7th losing season in L/8 years), CSU went out and made a great hire in Jim Mora. Mora was a miracle worker at UConn and he brought many former Huskies to Fort Collins including his top 4 RB's. His first Ram QB will be Oklahoma St transfer Hauss Hejny whose game resembles and much faster Baker Mayfield. These teams are evenly matched so we're giving a slight edge to the team that's at home and has the better coach.

Ucla by 6 over CALIFORNIA - Former PAC-12 members meet in non-conference play. Cal trails the series 57-36-1. They last met in '23, Cal beat UCLA 33-7 (+9) in what turned out to be their last PAC-12 game ever. UCLA went 3-9 last year but made a big time coaching upgrade in Bob Chesney who took James Madison to the playoffs. He gets Nico lamaleava back with 18 total starters returning (7 from LY's roster). Cal has a first year head coach in Tosh Lupoi. The Bears have one of the ACC's most exciting QB's in Jaron-Keawe Sagapulete and they have 11 returning starters overall. The Bears are 15-7 as home dogs but we like UCLA who has a more experienced staff and Nico was considered one of the best QB's in the FBS prior to him leaving Tennessee. Bruins have the better coaching staff and better roster so they get the call.

NEVADA by 3 over Wku - Second meeting and WKU's first trip to Reno (4,505-ft elevation). The Hilltoppers (-9) won at home last year, 31-16, getting the FD cover on a KR td with :23 left. Since '17, Nevada is 5-4 SU in openers but 8-1 ATS! For the Pack's Jeff Choate this is Year 3 when coaches often make a big leap. He's won 3 games in each of his first 2 seasons but has more depth and talent in '26, especially under center where the QB's will run a newly installed Air Raid. UCLA transfer Luke Duncan was added and Carter Jones is back after starting 6 as a true frosh. The D had a lot of turnover but DE Dylan LaBarbera (17 tfl LY) is a game-changer off the edge. Tyson Helton is in his 8th year at WKU and he's won at least 8 in 6 of his 7 seasons! The offense is in good shape with Rodney Tisdale at QB but only 2 of the top 21 tacklers return from a D that allowed 401 ypg and 4.9 ypc in '25. Nevada is 11-8-1 ATS as a dog the last 2 years and Choate has consistently fielded a scrappy bunch. With the new passing game going against a rebuilt WKU defense unaccustomed to this elevation, the Pack is a live HD in Week 1.

OREGON by 17 over Boise St - This is the sixth straight year Boise St. begins season on road (4 straight ATS losses). Th over Broncos are 3-1 SU & 4-0 ATS all-time vs Oregon. In '24, Boise (+19) led in the 4th quarter and was +17 yards but lost, 37-34, on a walk-off FG. The Ducks have never covered vs Boise (0-4 ATS from '08-'24). Oregon (-19) rallied for its first series win in '24, 37-34. Ducks 3-5 ATS last 8 openers and 5-9 ATS vs MWC (Boise's conference from '11-'25). Oregon is loaded this year and buoyed by the return of QB Dante Moore, who would have been a 1st round draft choice last April had he declared. HC Dan Lanning is 11-5 ATS vs non-conference opponents and has new coordinators on both sides of the ball and may want to get the offense going. They will be prepped for this after the scare Boise threw into them in 2024. Boise does have QB Maddux Madsen back and both top RB's. Broncos HC Spencer Danielson is 1-2 ATS as an away dog.

† AUBURN by 4 over Baylor - This game is being played at Mercedes Benz Stadium in Atlanta. Auburn beat Baylor 38-24 (-2) last year on the road as the Tigers had a 307-64 rush yard edge. Dave Aranda enters '26 on the hot seat so this is a huge game for Baylor. The Bears have 13 starters back but improved play on the OLine and DLine is their key. DJ Lagway transferred in from Florida and is healthy after battling injuries last year. Auburn's 1st year HC Alex Golesh led USF to 9 wins last year and brought QB Byrum Brown and their top 3 WR's with him. Golesh was 10-4 ATS in non-conference games at USF. Baylor is more built to compete in the trenches this year and they are getting a full td so we call for the underdog Bears to cover the spread.

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Fiu (+14) over USF

Fiu (+) over SOUTH FLORIDA - Only 2 prior meetings, both won by USF but FIU went 2-0 ATS, losing by 8 & 1. USF lost HC Alex Golesh who took 13 players with him to Auburn. They hired former Ohio St OC Brian Hartline but he has yet to coach a game outside of Ohio State. FIU's Willie Simmons led FIU to a 7 win season last year. They have 7 starters back and brought in 6'7" QB JJ Kohl who had a 12-2 ratio at App State last year. The Panthers beat AAC member FAU by 10 last year. USF has 7 starters back but only 3 from last year's team. QB Michael Van Buren started games at both Miss St and LSU the last two years. USF had a veteran team last year with 33 Seniors but are less experienced with a new coaching staff. Simmons is a veteran coach that won everywhere he's been and his team is loaded with guys from Florida so they will take this game personally and keep it close.

FORECAST: USF by 3

TROY by 18 over Sam Houston - Former Southland Conf rivals meet for first time since '00. Troy is 7-0-1 all-time vs Sam Houston St. In HC Phil Longo's 1st season last year, the Bearcats went from 10-3 in '24 under KC Keeler to 2-10 and 1-5 ATS as a road dog. They were -20 ppg and -168 ypg, so this was one of the worst FBS teams of '26. The offense will be better Year 2 running the Air Raid and the team finally returns to its rebuilt home stadium, but Longo still has a long way to go to turn things around. Gerard Parker, on the other hand, has done a nice job in 2 years at Troy. He won 8 games and made the Sun Belt title game last year despite having myriad injury problems at QB. They used smoke & mirrors at times but found ways to win, the sign of a well coached team. They begin '26 much healthier at QB with Goose Crowder, a warrior with a 16-5 ratio in 11 starts over the last 2 years. On D, freaky DE Donnie Smith had 11 sacks last year and makes everyone behind him better. As long as Crowder is healthy, Troy will be in the SBC title hunt. They'll get just beyond the number against a Bearcat team still digging out of last year's hole.

MEMPHIS by 8 over Arkansas St - After a 2-year hiatus, the Paint Bucket Bowl is back. This is the 63rd meeting between rivals separated by 70 miles. Memphis leads the series 33-24-5 and has won the last 5 (2-3 ATS). They've also won 13 in a row vs the Sun Belt and have covered the last 4. This is the Tigers' second game which is a big advantage since they have a new staff and overhauled roster that includes 17 imports from Southern Miss, HC Charles Huff last team. They got off to a great start in Week 0, upsetting UNLV in Vegas, 27-21, behind new QB Marcus Stokes and 6 sacks from the D. Butch Jones has quietly done a nice job under tough circumstances in 5 years at Arkansas St. The last 3 seasons, he's won 21 games and been to 3 straight bowls. His roster got overhauled again and he too has a former blue-chip QB, Texas transfer Trey Owens. The D does return 4 of the top 8 tacklers and the back 7 will be sound. Memphis will be even tougher at home and with a game in the bank. After making a statement, they'll move to 2-0 with a win but the situation greatly favors Arkansas St.

HAWAII by 1 over Unlv - The home team is 5-0 ATS in this series. UNLV has won 2 of the last 3 but failed to cover LTH in 29-27 as a 12 pt fav in '24. Rebels were +239 yds and won at home last year, 38-10, to hand the Warriors their worst series loss. Both teams suffered tough Week 0 losses. Hawaii (+4) blew a 4Q lead and lost at Stanford, 37-27, in a game they were -161 yds. UNLV lost at home to Memphis as a 4 pt favorite. UNLV won 10 games last year in HC Dan Mullen's first season and will contend in the league. The Rebels will be potent again on offense (34 ppg/6.8 ypp LY), though Mullen expects to be less explosive (4.1 ypc last wk). Hawaii uses more homegrown talent than most FBS programs, which leads to stability, and enjoys a huge homefield edge. Under 5th year HC Timmy Chang, the Warriors are 19-7-2 ATS in Honolulu including 7-0 last season vs FBS foes! With QB Micah Alejado (3106, 66%, 24-9 LY) running point, Hawaii can keep pace if scoring picks up. The Rebels are a bit more talented but the Warriors will play with revenge and the home crowd behind them. Both teams are off a loss so this game has a lot of importance and we like the home team in a hard fought game.

LSU by 6 over Clemson - At this point the only people rooting for LSU are Tigers fans and people who bet on LSU. Lane Kiffin left Ole Miss for greener pastures in the midst of a playoff run and now is recruiting players off NFL rosters and fighting for them to retain eligibility. Clemson HC Dabo Swinney couldn't be more of a polar opposite, trying to build a homegrown team, but even he added 10 transfers on D. First year starting QB in Christopher Vizzina has a loaded WR unit and talented RB's surrounding him. The defense should be better in their 2nd year under DC Tom Allen. LSU is a double-digit favorite here but we question how well an overloaded team that is still trying to add players will gel. Dabo has only been a DD Dog 4 times (2-2 ATS). Everyone outside of Baton Rouge is rooting for Clemson to win. We think LSU pulled out a close game.

SUNDAY SEPTEMBER 7th

WASHINGTON by 31 over Washington St - This is the 118th version of the Apple Cup. Last season, Wazzu lost 59-24 LY at home (most points allowed in Apple Cup history). Washington scored

COMPUTER

CORNER

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Computer Forecast

	Diff/Vegas
RUTGERS by 44.0 over UMass	15.0
IOWA by 43.8 over Northern Illinois	12.3
INDIANA by 52.1 over North Texas	11.6
NEW MEXICO by 21.5 over Central Michigan	11.5
Ucla by 10.7 over CALIFORNIA	9.2

FEATURED PLAYS:

In 2010 we added a new category to Power Sweep. Although the Underdog Play of the Week is considered a Key Selection, this "featured plays category" is not. We review these plays each week while considering the Key Selections, and once again are sharing them with you. We look forward to many winners for this section in 2026!

SERIES PLAY OF THE WEEK..... HAWAII

REVENGE PLAY OF THE WEEK..... DUKE

SITUATIONAL PLAY OF THE WEEK..... ARKANSAS ST

on every possession, extending their season opening scoring streak to 21 straight drives! It was just 31-24 after 3Q. The Cougars are 1-6 last 7 road games vs UW (3-4 ATS). Last time here in '23, Wazzu (+16) lost, 24-21 on a walk-off FG. Huskies lead 77-34-6. Since '09, UW 13-3 SU & 11-5 ATS. Washington has Demond Williams back at QB and looks like a playoff-caliber team this year. Washington St has its 3rd HC in 3 years in Kirby Moore, which is very tough in the transfer portal era. Washington lost this rivalry game two years ago, so it will not look past the Cougars. They have Utah St and Eastern Washington on deck. HC Jedd Fisch is 8-3 ATS as a heavy favorite here.

NOTRE DAME by 16 over Wisconsin - The Shamrock Series goes to Green Bay for 3rd CFB game ever at Lambeau Field. The two teams have played once since 1965. The Badgers (+6) lost at Soldier Field, 41-13, in '21. Wisconsin led in the 4Q & was +72 yards. Notre Dame is loaded this year, especially on defense, and QB CJ Carr is now a veteran. Wisconsin has a super tough opener, but their schedule this year compared to last year is night and day easier, especially in Big Ten play. Notre Dame's motto this year is "leave no doubt," and we will see if that turns them into a spread covering machine this year. The Irish are a 3-TD favorite and the Badgers are a quality team.

† OLE MISS by 14 over Louisville - This game is being played at Nissan Stadium in Nashville. The Rebels won 13 games and made the FBS Semifinals despite losing their HC and having a staff that was splitting time between two jobs. Pete Golding did a great job keeping things together. He retained QB Trinidad Chambliss and RB Kewan Lacy and he brought in a few big time transfers like WR Johntay Cook and LB Luke Farrelli. L'ville has 14 starters back including RB Isaac Brown who battled injuries last year. QB Lincoln Kienholz is a transfer from Ohio St but making his first career start. Ole Miss has the edge in all three phases so no reason to go against them. UL is just 4-8 ATS vs the SEC. Ole Miss is 12-4 ATS vs non-conf teams.

MONDAY SEPTEMBER 8th

Smu at FLORIDA ST - FSU looks to knock off a ranked team in their opener for the 2nd straight season. Last year FSU announced their presence by knocking off Bama but after a 3-0 start they fell apart and finished just 5-7. Norvell is a short leash this year and they didn't look impressive last week vs New Mexico St. They only won 34-17 (-31) with the biggest issue being their pass D that allowed 272 yds and now they face SMU's 3Y starting QB Kevin Jennings. FSU has a trip to Tuscaloosa coming up so a loss here would seal Norvell's fate. SMU went 9-4 last year. They added NCS's top RB and bring back 3 Oline starters. The WR's are less experienced but talented. The defense has 3 starters back from LY's team. They have 11 returning starters (7 from LY). **Jump in on our first Monday Night Magic of the season, Call 1-800-654-3448 or goto ncsports.com and get our 2★ Monday Night Play for \$30 with a \$40 Guarantee.**



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Wednesday, September 9	Times PM ET	Open/TTL	Arizona Cardinals	4.5	Las Vegas Raiders	5.5	Baltimore	-115	Arizona	+9000	LA Rams	+800	Minnesota	+5000
SEATTLE-New England	8:20	-3'/43'	(over +125, under -150)		(over -145, under +120)		Buffalo	-130	Atlanta	+450	Baltimore	+1000	Pittsburgh	+5000
Thursday, September 10			Atlanta Falcons	6.5	Los Angeles Chargers	9.5	Cincinnati	+210	Carolina	+310	Buffalo	+1000	San Francisco	+5000
LA RAMS=San Francisco	8:35	-3'/48'	(over -115, under -105)		(over -130, under +110)		Cleveland	+1600	Chicago	+320	Kansas City	+1500	Indianapolis	+6500
Sunday, September 13			Baltimore Ravens	11.5	Los Angeles Rams	10.5	Denver	+225	Dallas	+235	Philadelphia	+1500	Washington	+6500
JACKSONVILLE-Cleveland	1:00	-7'/40'	(over +115, under -140)		(over -140, under +115)		Houston	+115	Detroit	+185	Green Bay	+1600	NY Giants	+7000
CINCINNATI-Tampa Bay	1:00	-3'/51'	Buffalo Bills	10.5	Miami Dolphins	4.5	Indianapolis	+300	Green Bay	+205	LA Chargers	+1600	Carolina	+8000
Baltimore-INDIANAPOLIS	1:00	-3'/48'	(over -125, under +105)		(over -110, under -110)		Jacksonville	+230	LA Rams	+145	New England	+1600	New Orleans	+8000
PITTSBURGH-Atlanta	1:00	-3/41'	Carolina Panthers	7.5	Minnesota Vikings	8.5	Kansas City	+160	Minnesota	+500	Houston	+1700	Atlanta	+12000
Buffalo-HOUSTON	1:00	-1'/44'	(over +110, under -130)		(over -110, under -110)		Las Vegas	+2000	New Orleans	+265	Seattle	+1700	Tennessee	+12000
Chicago-CAROLINA	1:00	-2'/45'	Chicago Bears	9.5	New England Patriots	7.5	LA Chargers	+190	NY Giants	+600	Detroit	+1800	Cleveland	+15000
TENNESSEE-NY Jets	1:00	-2'/38'	(over +100, under -120)		(over -115, under -105)		Miami	+3500	Philadelphia	+110	Denver	+2000	Las Vegas	+15000
DETROIT-New Orleans	1:00	-7/49'	Cincinnati Bengals	9.5	New Orleans Saints	7.5	New England	+130	San Francisco	+500	Cincinnati	+2200	NY Jets	+20000
LA CHARGERS-Arizona	4:25	-10'/46'	(over -145, under +120)		(over -110, under -110)		NY Jets	+1800	Seattle	+260	Chicago	+2500	Miami	+30000
LAS VEGAS-Miami	4:25	-3'/40'	Cleveland Browns	6.5	New York Giants	7.5	Pittsburgh	+500	Tampa Bay	+160	Dallas	+2500	Arizona	+40000
PHILADELPHIA-Washington	4:25	-4'/47'	(over +105, under -125)		(over -125, under -110)		Tennessee	+800	Washington	+500	Jacksonville	+3000		
MINNESOTA-Green Bay	4:25	-1'/45'	Dallas Cowboys	9.5	New York Jets	5.5					Tampa Bay	+4500		
Dallas-NY GIANTS	8:20	-2'/48'	(over +115, under -140)		(over -120, under +100)									
Monday, September 8			Denver Broncos	9.5	Philadelphia Eagles	10.5								
KANSAS CITY-Denver	8:15	-3/42'	(over -115, under -105)		(over +105, under -125)									
			Detroit Lions	10.5	Pittsburgh Steelers	10.5								
			(over -110, under -110)		(over +100, under -120)									
			Green Bay Packers	10.5	San Francisco 49ers	8.5								
			(over +115, under -140)		(over +100, under -120)									
			Houston Texans	9.5	Seattle Seahawks	10.5								
			(over -125, under +105)		(over -130, under +110)									
			Indianapolis Colts	7.5	Tampa Bay Bucs	8.5								
			(over -130, under -110)		(over +100, under -120)									
			Jacksonville Jaguars	8.5	Tennessee Titans	6.5								
			(over -125, under +105)		(over -110, under -100)									
			Kansas City Chiefs	10.5	Washington Commanders	7.5								
			(over +115, under -140)		(over -120, under +100)									

AIR FORCE				
(SU: 0-0 ATS: 0-0)	DATE	OPP	WIL LINE	SCORE OIU
9/5		Duquesne		
9/12		North Dakota St		
9/19				
9/26	at	Nevada		
10/3		Navy		
10/10	at	Northern Illinois		
10/17		UNLV		
10/24	at	Wyoming		
10/31		Connecticut		
11/7	at	Army		
11/14		San Jose St		
11/21		UTEP		
11/28	at	New Mexico		

ARKANSAS STATE				
(SU: 0-0 ATS: 0-0)	DATE	OPP	WIL LINE	SCORE OIU
9/5	at	Memphis		
9/12		West Georgia		
9/19	at	TCU		
9/26		Kennesaw St		
10/3	at	Louisiana		
10/8		South Alabama (Thur)		
10/17	at	Southern Miss		
10/24		Georgia St		
10/31				
11/7		ULM		
11/14	at	Coastal Carolina		
11/19	at	Louisiana Tech (Thur)		
11/28		Troy		

BOWLING GREEN				
(SU: 0-0 ATS: 0-0)	DATE	OPP	WIL LINE	SCORE OIU
9/5		Tarleton St		
9/12	at	Nebraska		
9/19	at	Iowa St		
9/26		USF		
10/3	at	Miami, Oh		
10/10		Sacramento St		
10/17		Ball St		
10/24	at	Buffalo		
10/31	at	Western Michigan		
11/7				
11/10		Kent St (Tue)		
11/18	at	Toledo (Wed)		
11/28		UMass		

CLEMSON				
(SU: 0-0 ATS: 0-0)	DATE	OPP	WIL LINE	SCORE OIU
9/5	at	LSU		
9/12		Georgia Southern		
9/19		North Carolina		
9/25	at	California (Fri)		
10/3		Miami, FL		
10/10				
10/17		Charleston Southern		
10/24		Virginia Tech		
10/31	at	Florida St		
11/7	at	Syracuse		
11/14		Georgia Tech		
11/21	at	Duke		
11/28		South Carolina		

EAST CAROLINA				
(SU: 0-0 ATS: 0-0)	DATE	OPP	WIL LINE	SCORE OIU
9/5	at	Alabama		
9/12		Appalachian St		
9/19	at	Old Dominion		
9/26		NC Central		
10/3				
10/10		Rice		
10/15	at	UAB (Thur)		
10/22	at	Memphis (Thur)		
10/31		Temple		
11/6		USF (Fri)		
11/14	at	Charlotte		
11/21	at	Army		
11/28		FAU		

GEORGIA				
(SU: 0-0 ATS: 0-0)	DATE	OPP	WIL LINE	SCORE OIU
9/5		Tennessee St		
9/12		WKU		
9/19	at	Arkansas		
9/26		Oklahoma		
10/3		Vanderbilt		
10/10	at	Alabama		
10/17		Auburn		
10/24				
10/31	†	Florida		
11/7	at	Mississippi		
11/14		Missouri		
11/21	at	South Carolina		
11/28		Georgia Tech		

AKRON				
(SU: 0-0 ATS: 0-0)	DATE	OPP	WIL LINE	SCORE OIU
9/3	at	Wake Forest (Thur)		
9/12		Robert Morris		
9/19	at	Minnesota		
9/26		UNLV		
10/3	at	Central Michigan		
10/10		Eastern Michigan		
10/17	at	Miami, Oh		
10/24	at	Kent St		
10/31				
11/3		Ohio (Tue)		
11/10		Western Michigan (Tue)		
11/18	at	UMass (Wed)		
11/27		Buffalo (Fri)		

ARMY				
(SU: 0-0 ATS: 0-0)	DATE	OPP	WIL LINE	SCORE OIU
9/5		Bryant		
9/12		USF		
9/19				
9/26	at	Temple		
10/3	at	Louisiana Tech		
10/10		Tulane		
10/17		FAU		
10/23	at	Tulsa (Fri)		
10/31	at	Memphis		
11/7		Air Force		
11/14				
11/21		East Carolina		
11/28	at	Rice		
12/5				
12/12	†	Navy (NJ)		

BUFFALO				
(SU: 0-0 ATS: 0-0)	DATE	OPP	WIL LINE	SCORE OIU
9/5		Albany (Thur)		
9/12	at	FIU		
9/19	at	Penn St		
9/26		Robert Morris		
10/3		Western Michigan		
10/10	at	Toledo		
10/17		UMass		
10/24		Bowling Green		
10/31				
11/3	at	Miami, Oh (Tue)		
11/11	at	Ball St (Wed)		
11/21		Central Michigan		
11/27	at	Akron (Fri)		

COASTAL CAROLINA				
(SU: 0-0 ATS: 0-0)	DATE	OPP	WIL LINE	SCORE OIU
9/5	at	West Virginia		
9/12		Fordham		
9/19	at	Delaware		
9/24		Liberty (Thur)		
10/3		Georgia Southern		
10/10	at	Marshall		
10/16		Appalachian St (fri)		
10/24				
10/31	at	Georgia St		
11/7		Old Dominion		
11/14		Arkansas St		
11/21	at	Louisiana		
11/28	at	James Madison		

EASTERN MICHIGAN				
(SU: 1-0 ATS: 1-0)	DATE	OPP	WIL LINE	SCORE OIU
8/29		Sac St	W -8'	28-17 54
9/4		San Jose St (Fri)		
9/12	at	Michigan St		
9/19	at	Wisconsin		
9/26		Lindenwood		
10/3	at	UMass		
10/10	at	Akron		
10/17		Toledo		
10/24	at	Ohio		
10/31				
11/4	†	Central Michigan (Wed)		
11/14				
11/17	at	Western Michigan (Tue)		
11/24		Kent St (Tue)		

GEORGIA SOUTHERN				
(SU: 0-0 ATS: 0-0)	DATE	OPP	WIL LINE	SCORE OIU
9/5		Charleston Southern		
9/12	at	Clemson		
9/19	at	Jax State		
9/26		Houston		
10/3	at	Coastal Carolina		
10/10		James Madison		
10/15	at	Old Dominion (Thur)		
10/24				
10/31		Appalachian St		
11/7		Marshall		
11/14	at	Georgia St		
11/21	at	Troy		
11/28		Louisiana Tech		

ALABAMA				
(SU: 0-0 ATS: 0-0)	DATE	OPP	WIL LINE	SCORE OIU
9/5		East Carolina		
9/12	at	Kentucky		
9/19		Florida St		
9/26		South Carolina		
10/3	at	Mississippi St		
10/10		Georgia		
10/17	at	Tennessee		
10/24		Texas A&M		
10/31				
11/7	at	LSU		
11/14		Vanderbilt		
11/21		Chattanooga		
11/28		Auburn		

AUBURN				
(SU: 0-0 ATS: 0-0)	DATE	OPP	WIL LINE	SCORE OIU
9/5	†	Baylor		
9/12		Southern Miss		
9/19		Florida		
9/26		Vanderbilt		
10/3	at	Tennessee		
10/10				
10/17	at	Georgia		
10/24		LSU		
10/31	at	Mississippi		
11/7		Arkansas		
11/14	at	Mississippi St		
11/21		Samford		
11/28	at	Alabama		

BYU				
(SU: 0-0 ATS: 0-0)	DATE	OPP	WIL LINE	SCORE OIU
9/5		Utah Tech		
9/12		Arizona		
9/19	at	Colorado St		
9/26				
10/3	at	TCU		
10/9		Iowa St (Fri)		
10/17		Notre Dame		
10/24	at	UCF		
10/31		Arizona St		
11/7	at	Utah		
11/14		Baylor		
11/21	at	Kansas		
11/28		Cincinnati		

COLORADO				
(SU: 0-0 ATS: 0-0)	DATE	OPP	WIL LINE	SCORE OIU
9/5	at	Georgia Tech		
9/12		Weber St		
9/19	at	Northwestern		
9/26	at	Baylor		
10/3		Texas Tech		
10/10				
10/17		Utah		
10/24	at	Oklahoma St		
10/31		Kansas St		
11/7	at	Arizona St		
11/14		Houston		
11/21	at	Cincinnati		
11/28		UCF		

FLORIDA				
(SU: 0-0 ATS: 0-0)	DATE	OPP	WIL LINE	SCORE OIU
9/5		FAU		
9/12		Campbell		
9/19	at	Auburn		
9/26		Mississippi		
10/3	at	Missouri		
10/10		South Carolina		
10/17	at	Texas		
10/24				
10/31	†	Georgia		
11/7		Oklahoma		
11/14	at	Kentucky		
11/21		Vanderbilt		
11/28	at	Florida St		

GEORGIA STATE				
(SU: 0-0 ATS: 0-0)	DATE	OPP	WIL LINE	SCORE OIU
9/4		North Carolina A&T (Fri)		
9/12	at	Kennesaw St		
9/19	at	UCF		
9/26		Northern Illinois		
10/3		Old Dominion		
10/10				
10/17	at	James Madison		
10/24	at	Arkansas St		
10/31		Coastal Carolina		
11/7		Appalachian St		
11/14		Georgia Southern		
11/21	at	Marshall		
11/28		Louisiana		

APPALACHIAN STATE				
(SU: 0-0 ATS: 0-0)	DATE	OPP	WIL LINE	SCORE OIU
9/5		Maine		
9/12	at	East Carolina		
9/19		Charlotte		
9/26	at	NC State		
10/3				
10/10		Old Dominion		
10/16	at	Coastal Carolina (Fri)		
10/22		James Madison (Thur)		
10/31	at	Georgia Southern		
11/7		Georgia St		
11/14	at	Marshall		
11/21		ULM		
11/27	at	South Alabama (Fri)		

BALL STATE				
(SU: 0-0 ATS: 0-0)	DATE	OPP	WIL LINE	SCORE OIU
9/5	at	Ohio St		
9/12		Stony Brook		
9/19	at	Liberty		
9/26	at	Kent St		
10/3		Toledo		
10/10	at	Northwestern		
10/17	at	Bowling Green		
10/24		LSU		
10/31				
11/4	at	UMass (Wed)		
11/11		Buffalo (Wed)		
11/17	at	Ohio (Tue)		
11/28		Central Michigan		

CALIFORNIA				
(SU: 0-0	ATS: 0-0)			
DATE	OPP	WIL LINE	SCORE	OIU
9/5	UCLA			
9/12	at Syracuse			
9/19	Wagner			
9/25	Clemson (Fri)			
10/3	at UNLV			
10/10	Virginia Tech			
10/17	Wake Forest			
10/24	SMU			
10/31	at NC State			
11/7				
11/14	at Virginia			
11/21	Stanford			
11/28	Pittsburgh			

INDIANA				
(SU: 0-0 ATS: 0-0)	DATE	OPP	WIL LINE	SCORE OIU
9/5		North Texas		
9/12		Howard		
9/19		WKU		
9/26		Northwestern		
10/3	at	Rutgers		
10/10	at	Nebraska		
10/17		Ohio St		
10/24	at	Michigan		
10/31		Minnesota		
11/7				
11/14		USC		
11/21	at	Washington		
11/28		Purdue		

KENNESAW STATE				
(SU: 0-0 ATS: 0-0)	DATE	OPP	WIL LINE	SCORE OIU
9/3		West Georgia (Thur)		
9/12		Georgia St		
9/19	at	Tennessee		
9/26	at	Arkansas St		
10/3				
10/7		Jax State (Wed)		
10/14	at	Missouri St (Wed)		
10/21		Liberty (Wed)		
10/28	at	Middle Tennessee (Wed)		
11/7		Delaware		
11/14	at	Sam Houston		
11/21		FIU		
11/28	at	WKU		

LSU				
(SU: 0-0 ATS: 0-0)	DATE	OPP	WIL LINE	SCORE OIU
9/5		Clemson		
9/12		Louisiana Tech		
9/19	at	Mississippi		
9/26		Texas A&M		
10/3		MoNeesee		
10/10	at	Kentucky		
10/17		Mississippi St		
10/24	at	Aubum		
10/31				
11/7		Alabama		
11/14		Texas		
11/21	at	Tennessee		
11/28	at	Arkansas		

MICHIGAN				
(SU: 0-0 ATS: 0-0)	DATE	OPP	WIL LINE	SCORE OIU
9/5		Hampton		
9/12	at	Connecticut		
9/19		Virginia Tech		
9/26		UCLA		
10/3	at	Nebraska		
10/10	at	Ohio St		
10/17		Rutgers		
10/24				
10/31		Illinois		
11/7	at	Purdue		
11/14		Wisconsin		
11/21	at	USC		
11/28		Penn St		

MISSOURI STATE				
(SU: 0-0 ATS: 0-0)	DATE	OPP	WIL LINE	SCORE OIU
9/5		Texas A&M		
9/12		Lindenwood		
9/19		Marshall		
9/26	at	SMU		
10/2				
10/8	at	WKU (Thur)		
10/14		Kennesaw St (Wed)		
10/20	at	Delaware (Tue)		
10/27		Sam Houston (Tue)		
11/7	at	FIU		
11/14		New Mexico St		
11/21	at	Jax State		
11/28		Liberty		

NORTH CAROLINA STATE				
(SU: 0-1 ATS: 0-1)	DATE	OPP	WIL LINE	SCORE OIU
8/29	at	Virginia	L +4	8-34 51
9/5				
9/12		Richmond		
9/19	at	Vanderbilt		
9/26		Appalachian St		
10/3		Louisville		
10/10		Wake Forest		
10/17				
10/24	at	Stanford		
10/31		California		
11/7		Duke		
11/14		Syracuse		
11/21	at	Florida St		
11/28	at	North Carolina		
† neutral site				

IOWA				
(SU: 0-0 ATS: 0-0)	DATE	OPP	WIL LINE	SCORE OIU
9/5		Northern Illinois		
9/12		Iowa St		
9/19		Northern Iowa		
9/26	at	Michigan		
10/3		Ohio St		
10/10	at	Washington		
10/17				
10/24	at	Minnesota		
10/31		Wisconsin		
11/7	at	Northwestern		
11/14		Purdue		
11/21	at	Illinois		
11/27		Nebraska		

KENT STATE				
(SU: 0-0 ATS: 0-0)	DATE	OPP	WIL LINE	SCORE OIU
9/5	at	South Carolina		
9/12		Wofford		
9/19	at	Ohio St		
9/26		Ball St		
10/3		Ohio (HC)		
10/10	at	Western Michigan		
10/17	at	USF		
10/24		Akron		
10/30	at	Sacramento St (Fri)		
11/7				
11/10	at	Bowling Green (Tue)		
11/17		Miami, Oh (Tue)		
11/24	at	Eastern Michigan (Tue)		

MARSHALL				
(SU: 0-0 ATS: 0-0)	DATE	OPP	WIL LINE	SCORE OIU
9/5	at	Penn St		
9/12		Middle Tennessee		
9/19	at	Missouri St		
9/26		Gardner-Webb		
10/3	at	James Madison		
10/10		Coastal Carolina		
10/17				
10/20		South Alabama (Tue)		
10/31	at	Old Dominion		
11/7	at	Georgia Southern		
11/14		Appalachian St		
11/21		Georgia St		
11/28	at	ULM		

MICHIGAN STATE				
(SU: 0-0 ATS: 0-0)	DATE	OPP	WIL LINE	SCORE OIU
9/5		Toledo		
9/12		Eastern Michigan		
9/19	at	Notre Dame		
9/26		UCLA		
10/3	at	Wisconsin		
10/10		Illinois		
10/17		Northwestern		
10/24	at	UCLA		
10/31				
11/7	at	Michigan		
11/14		Washington		
11/21		Oregon		
11/28		Rutgers		

NAVY				
(SU: 0-0 ATS: 0-0)	DATE	OPP	WIL LINE	SCORE OIU
9/5		Towson		
9/12	at	FAU		
9/19				
9/25	at	UAB (Fri)		
10/3	at	Air Force		
10/10		Tulsa		
10/17	at	UTSA		
10/24		North Texas		
10/31	†	Notre Dame (MA)		
11/7		Temple		
11/14				
11/21		Memphis		
11/28	at	Charlotte		
12/5				
12/12	†	Army		

NORTH DAKOTA ST				
(SU: 1-0 ATS: 1-0)	DATE	OPP	WIL LINE	SCORE OIU
8/29		Jax St	W -7	33-7 46
9/5		Fordham		
9/12	at	Air Force		
9/19	at	Sacramento St		
9/26				
10/3		Wyoming		
10/10	at	UNLV		
10/17		Nevada		
10/24	at	New Mexico		
10/31		UTEP		
11/7				
11/14	at	Hawaii		
11/21		Northern Illinois		
11/28	at	San Jose St		

IOWA STATE				
(SU: 0-0 ATS: 0-0)	DATE	OPP	WIL LINE	SCORE OIU
9/5		SE Missouri		
9/12	at	Iowa		
9/19		Bowling Green		
9/26		Utah		
10/3		West Virginia		
10/9	at	BYU (Fri)		
10/17				
10/24	at	Arizona		
10/31		Oklahoma St		
11/7	at	Baylor		
11/14		Cincinnati		
11/20	at	UFC (Fri)		
11/28		Kansas St		

KENTUCKY				
(SU: 0-0 ATS: 0-0)	DATE	OPP	WIL LINE	SCORE OIU
9/5		Youngstown St		
9/12		Alabama		
9/19	at	Texas A&M		
9/26		South Alabama		
10/3	at	South Carolina		
10/10		LSU		
10/17	at	Oklahoma		
10/24		Vanderbilt		
10/31				
11/7	at	Tennessee		
11/14		Florida		
11/21	at	Missouri		
11/28		Louisville		

MARYLAND				
(SU: 0-0 ATS: 0-0)	DATE	OPP	WIL LINE	SCORE OIU
9/5		Hampton		
9/12		Connecticut		
9/19		Virginia Tech		
9/26		UCLA		
10/3	at	Nebraska		
10/10	at	Ohio St		
10/17		Rutgers		
10/24				
10/31		Illinois		
11/7	at	Purdue		
11/14		Wisconsin		
11/21	at	USC		
11/28		Penn St		

MIDDLE TENNESSEE				
(SU: 0-0 ATS: 0-0)	DATE	OPP	WIL LINE	SCORE OIU
9/5		Murray St		
9/12	at	Marshall		
9/19		Nevada		
9/26	at	Jax State		
10/3	at	Kansas		
10/10				
10/13		Delaware (Tue)		
10/20	at	FIU (Tue)		
10/28		Kennesaw St (Wed)		
11/7		WKU		
11/14	at	Liberty		
11/21	at	Sam Houston		
11/28		New Mexico St		

NEBRASKA				
(SU: 0-0 ATS: 0-0)	DATE	OPP	WIL LINE	SCORE OIU
9/5		Ohio		
9/12		Bowling Green		
9/19		North Dakota		
9/26	at	Michigan St		
10/3		Maryland		
10/10		Indiana		
10/17	at	Oregon		
10/24				
10/31		Washington		
11/7	at	Illinois		
11/14	at	Rutgers		
11/21		Ohio St		
11/27	at	Iowa (Fri)		

NORTH TEXAS				
(SU: 0-0 ATS: 0-0)	DATE	OPP	WIL LINE	SCORE OIU
9/5	at	Indiana		
9/12		UNLV		
9/19	at	Texas St		
9/26		Houston Christian		
10/1	at	Tulsa (Thur)		
10/10		Charlotte		
10/17				
10/24	at	Navy		
10/29		FAU (Thur)		
11/7		Rice		
11/14	at	UTSA		
11/21	at	Tulane		
11/28		UAB		

JACKSONVILLE ST				
(SU: 0-1 ATS: 0-1)	DATE	OPP	WIL LINE	SCORE OIU
8/29	at	N Dakota St	L +7	7-33 46
9/5		Eastern Kentucky		
9/12	at	Ohio		
9/19		Georgia Southern		
9/26		Middle Tennessee		
10/1				
10/7	at	Kennesaw St (Tue)		
10/13		FIU (Tue)		
10/21				
10/28	at	New Mexico St (Wed)		
11/7		Sam Houston		
11/14	at	WKU		
11/21		Missouri St		
11/28	at	Delaware		

LIBERTY				
(SU: 0-0 ATS: 0-0)	DATE	OPP	WIL LINE	SCORE OIU
9/5	at	James Madison		
9/12		Gardner-Webb		
9/19		Ball St		
9/24	at	Coastal Carolina (Thur)		
10/2	at	Delaware (Fri)		
10/8		Sam Houston (Thur)		
10/14				
10/21	at	Kennesaw St (Wed)		
10/31		FIU		
11/7	at	New Mexico St		
11/14		Middle Tennessee		
11/21		WKU		
11/28	at	Missouri St		

MASSACHUSETTS				
(SU: 0-0 ATS: 0-0)	DATE	OPP	WIL LINE	SCORE OIU
9/5	at	Michigan St		
9/12		Central Conn St		
9/19		Temple		
9/26		San Diego St		
10/3	at	Ball St		
10/10		Buffalo		
10/17	at	Eastern Michigan		
10/24		Western Michigan		
10/31				
11/4	at	Sacramento St (Wed)		
11/11		UMass (Wed)		
11/18		Bowling Green (Wed)		
11/27	at	Ohio (Fri)		

MINNESOTA				
(SU: 0-0 ATS: 0-0)	DATE	OPP	WIL LINE	SCORE OIU
9/3		Eastern Illinois (Thur)		
9/12		Mississippi St		

OHIO STATE				
(SU: 0-0 ATS: 0-0)				
DATE	OPP	WIL LINE	SCORE	OUI
9/5	Ball St			
9/12	at Texas			
9/19	Kent St			
9/26	Illinois			
10/3	at Iowa			
10/10	Maryland			
10/17	at Indiana			
10/24				
10/31	at USC			
11/7	Oregon			
11/14	Northwestern			
11/21	at Nebraska			
11/28	Michigan			

PITTSBURGH				
(SU: 0-0 ATS: 0-0)				
DATE	OPP	WIL LINE	SCORE	OUI
9/5	Miami, Oh			
9/12	UCF			
9/19	Syracuse			
9/26	Bucknell			
10/2	at Virginia Tech (Fri)			
10/10	North Carolina			
10/17	at Boston College			
10/24	at Miami, FL			
10/31	Georgia Tech			
11/7				
11/13	Florida St (Fri)			
11/21	at Louisville			
11/28	at California			

SAN JOSE STATE				
(SU: 0-1 ATS: 1-0)				
DATE	OPP	WIL LINE	SCORE	OUI
8/29	at USC	W +38	26-42	61
9/4	at Eastern Michigan (Fri)			
9/12	Cal Poly			
9/19	Fresno St			
9/26				
10/3	at Hawaii			
10/10	Wyoming			
10/17	at UTEP			
10/24	at Nevada			
10/31	New Mexico			
11/7	Northern Illinois			
11/14	at Air Force			
11/21	UNLV			
11/28	North Dakota St			

TCU				
(SU: 0-1 ATS: 0-1)				
DATE	OPP	WIL LINE	SCORE	OUI
8/29	† N Carolina	L -8	10-15	46
9/5				
9/12	Grambling St			
9/19	Arkansas St			
9/26	at UCF			
10/3	BYU			
10/10				
10/17	at Baylor			
10/24	West Virginia			
10/31	Kansas			
11/7	at Arizona			
11/14	Kansas St			
11/21	Utah			
11/28	Texas Tech			

TOLEDO				
(SU: 0-0 ATS: 0-0)				
DATE	OPP	WIL LINE	SCORE	OUI
9/5	at Michigan St			
9/12	Central Conn St			
9/19	Temple			
9/26	San Diego St			
10/3	at Ball St			
10/10	Buffalo			
10/17	at Eastern Michigan			
10/24	Western Michigan			
10/31				
11/4	at Sacramento St (Wed)			
11/11	UMass (Wed)			
11/18	Bowling Green (Wed)			
11/27	at Ohio (Fri)			

ULM				
(SU: 0-0 ATS: 0-0)				
DATE	OPP	WIL LINE	SCORE	OUI
9/5	at Mississippi St			
9/12	at UAB			
9/19	SE Louisiana			
9/26	FAU			
10/3	at South Alabama			
10/10				
10/17	Louisiana Tech			
10/24	at Troy			
10/31	Southern Miss			
11/7	at Arkansas St			
11/12	Louisiana (Thur)			
11/21	at Appalachian St			
11/28	Marshall			

OKLAHOMA				
(SU: 0-0 ATS: 0-0)				
DATE	OPP	WIL LINE	SCORE	OUI
9/5	UTEP			
9/12	at Michigan			
9/19	New Mexico			
9/26	at Georgia			
10/3				
10/10	↑ Texas			
10/17	Kentucky			
10/24	at Mississippi St			
10/31	South Carolina			
11/7	at Florida			
11/14	Mississippi			
11/21	Texas A&M			
11/28	at Missouri			

PURDUE				
(SU: 0-0 ATS: 0-0)				
DATE	OPP	WIL LINE	SCORE	OUI
9/5	Indiana St			
9/12	Wake Forest			
9/19	at UCLA			
9/26	Notre Dame			
10/2	at Virginia Tech (Fri)			
10/10	Minnesota			
10/17	Washington			
10/24				
10/31	at Penn St			
11/7	Maryland			
11/14	at Iowa			
11/21	Wisconsin			
11/28	at Indiana			

SMU				
(SU: 0-0 ATS: 0-0)				
DATE	OPP	WIL LINE	SCORE	OUI
9/7	at Florida St (Mon)			
9/12	UC Davis			
9/19	at Louisville			
9/26	Missouri St			
10/3	Boston College			
10/10				
10/17	Virginia			
10/24	California			
10/31	Syracuse			
11/7	Virginia Tech			
11/14	Wake Forest			
11/21	at Notre Dame			
11/28	Stanford			

TEMPLE				
(SU: 0-0 ATS: 0-0)				
DATE	OPP	WIL LINE	SCORE	OUI
9/5	Rhode Island			
9/12	Penn St			
9/19	at Toledo			
9/26	Army			
10/3	at USF			
10/10	Connecticut			
10/17	Charlotte			
10/24				
10/31	at East Carolina			
11/7	at Navy			
11/14	UAB			
11/19	Rice (Thur)			
11/28	at Memphis			

TROY				
(SU: 0-0 ATS: 0-0)				
DATE	OPP	WIL LINE	SCORE	OUI
9/5	Sam Houston			
9/12	Alabama St			
9/19	at Missouri			
9/26	at Utah St			
10/3				
10/6	Southern Miss (Tue)			
10/17	at Louisiana			
10/24	ULM			
10/29	at James Madison (Thur)			
11/7	Louisiana Tech (HC)			
11/14	at South Alabama			
11/21	Georgia Southern			
11/28	at Arkansas St			

UNLV				
(SU: 0-1 ATS: 0-1)				
DATE	OPP	WIL LINE	SCORE	OUI
8/29	Memphis	L -4	21-27	56
9/5	at Hawaii			
9/12	at North Texas			
9/19				
9/26	at Akron			
10/3	California			
10/10	North Dakota St			
10/17	at Air Force			
10/24				
10/31	Northern Illinois			
11/7	Wyoming			
11/14	at New Mexico			
11/21	at San Jose St			
11/28	Nevada			

OKLAHOMA STATE				
(SU: 0-0 ATS: 0-0)				
DATE	OPP	WIL LINE	SCORE	OUI
9/5	at Tulsa			
9/12	Oregon			
9/19	Murray St			
9/26	at West Virginia			
10/3				
10/10	UCF			
10/17	at Houston			
10/24	Colorado			
10/31	at Iowa St			
11/7	at Kansas St			
11/14	Texas Tech			
11/21	at Arizona St			
11/28	Kansas			

RICE				
(SU: 0-0 ATS: 0-0)				
DATE	OPP	WIL LINE	SCORE	OUI
9/5	Houston Christian			
9/12	at Notre Dame			
9/19	Western Michigan			
9/26	at Fresno St			
10/3	UTSA			
10/10	at East Carolina			
10/17	Tulsa			
10/24	at FAU			
10/31				
11/7	at North Texas			
11/14	Tulane (HC)			
11/19	at Temple (Thur)			
11/28	Army			

SOUTH ALABAMA				
(SU: 0-0 ATS: 0-0)				
DATE	OPP	WIL LINE	SCORE	OUI
9/5	SE Louisiana			
9/12	at Tulane			
9/19	Ohio			
9/26	at Kentucky			
10/3	ULM			
10/8	at Arkansas St (Thur)			
10/17				
10/20	at Marshall (Tue)			
10/31	Louisiana Tech			
11/7	at Louisiana			
11/14	Troy			
11/21	at Southern Miss			
11/27	Appalachian St (Fri)			

TENNESSEE				
(SU: 0-0 ATS: 0-0)				
DATE	OPP	WIL LINE	SCORE	OUI
9/5	Furman			
9/12	at Georgia Tech			
9/19	Kennesaw			
9/26	Texas			
10/3	Auburn			
10/10	at Arkansas			
10/17	Alabama			
10/24	at South Carolina			
10/31				
11/7	Kentucky			
11/14	at Texas a&M			
11/21	LSU			
11/28	at Vanderbilt			

TULANE				
(SU: 0-0 ATS: 0-0)				
DATE	OPP	WIL LINE	SCORE	OUI
9/5	at Duke			
9/12	South Alabama			
9/19	at Kansas St			
9/26	Southern Miss			
10/3				
10/10	at Army			
10/16	Memphis (Fri)			
10/24	UTSA			
10/30	at Charlotte (Fri)			
11/7	Tulsa (HC)			
11/14	at Rice			
11/21	North Texas			
11/28	at USF			

USC				
(SU: 1-0 ATS: 0-1)				
DATE	OPP	WIL LINE	SCORE	OUI
8/29	San Jose St	L -38	42-26	61
9/5	Fresno St			
9/12	Louisiana			
9/19	at Rutgers			
9/26	Oregon			
10/3	Washington			
10/10	at Penn St			
10/17				
10/24	Wisconsin			
10/31	Ohio St			
11/7				
11/14	at Indiana			
11/21	Maryland			
11/28	at UCLA			

OLD DOMINION				
(SU: 0-0 ATS: 0-0)				
DATE	OPP	WIL LINE	SCORE	OUI
9/5	Norfolk St			
9/12	at Virginia Tech			
9/19	East Carolina			
9/26	James Madison			
10/3	at Georgia St			
10/10	at Appalachian St			
10/15	Georgia Southern (Thur)			
10/24	at Louisiana Tech			
10/31	Marshall			
11/7	at Coastal Carolina			
11/14				

UTSA						VANDERBILT						VIRGINIA						VIRGINIA TECH						WAKE FOREST						WASHINGTON						WASHINGTON STATE					
(SU: 0-0 ATS: 0-0)						(SU: 0-0 ATS: 0-0)						(SU: 1-0 ATS: 1-0)						(SU: 0-0 ATS: 0-0)						(SU: 0-0 ATS: 0-0)						(SU: 0-0 ATS: 0-0)						(SU: 0-0 ATS: 0-0)					
DATE	OPP		W/L	LINE	SCORE O/U	DATE	OPP		W/L	LINE	SCORE O/U	DATE	OPP		W/L	LINE	SCORE O/U	DATE	OPP		W/L	LINE	SCORE O/U	DATE	OPP		W/L	LINE	SCORE O/U	DATE	OPP		W/L	LINE	SCORE O/U						
9/5	Rio Grande					9/5	Austin Peay					8/29	NC State	W	-4	34-8	51	9/5	VMI					9/3	Akron (Thur)				9/5	Washington St	9/5	at	Washington								
9/12	at Texas St					9/12	Delaware					9/5						9/12	Old Dominion					9/12	at Purdue				9/12	Utah St	9/11	at	Kansas St								
9/19	at Texas					9/19	NC State					9/12	Norfolk St					9/19	at Maryland					9/18	Miami, FL (Fri)				9/19	Eastern Washington	9/19		Duquesne								
9/26	Colorado St					9/26	at Auburn					9/19	† West Virginia					9/26	at Boston College					9/26	at Louisville				9/26	Minnesota	9/26		Arizona								
10/3	at Rice					10/3	at Georgia					9/26	Delaware					10/2	Pittsburgh (Fri)					10/3	Stanford				10/3	at USC	10/3		Fresno St								
10/8	USF (Thur)					10/10	Mississippi					10/3	at Florida St					10/10	at California					10/10	at NC State				10/10	Iowa	10/10	at	Utah St								
10/17	Navy					10/17	Arkansas					10/10	Syracuse					10/17	Georgia Tech					10/17	at California				10/17	at Purdue	10/17	at	Oregon St								
10/24	at Tulane					10/24	at Kentucky					10/17	at SMU					10/24	at Clemson					10/24				10/24	Boise St	10/24		Boise St									
10/31						10/31						10/31	at Wake Forest					10/31					10/31	Virginia				10/31	at Nebraska	10/31	at	San Diego St									
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THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 3rd

	Ttl Yds	Rush	Pass	Points	TO's	ST's
UMASS	284	118	166	15	-7	-
RUTGERS	538	247	291	44	0	✓✓✓✓✓

PP has Rutgers by 29. Vegas has Rutgers by 29' and we see Rutgers winning by 35. No Play.

NO PLAY: RUTGERS 44 UMASS 15

	Ttl Yds	Rush	Pass	Points	TO's	ST's
AKRON	263	88	175	14	+3	✓✓✓
WAKE FOREST	477	186	291	37	-6	-

WF won 9 games LY, Deacons have 12 starters back. Akron was 5-7 and has 11 starters back. PP has WF by 23 which is close to the line. We like Akron to cover but their QB may be ineligible.

NO PLAY: WAKE FOREST 37 AKRON 14

	Ttl Yds	Rush	Pass	Points	TO's	ST's
COLORADO	370	143	228	24	-2	✓✓✓✓✓
GEORGIA TECH	451	241	211	33	-6	-

PP has GT winning by more than a td and we agree. GT covered in Boulder LY and the Buffs are 1-5 ATS last 6 vs the ACC. GT has the superior line play and PP has them +98 yds in rushing.

2★ GEORGIA TECH 33 COLORADO 24

	Ttl Yds	Rush	Pass	Points	TO's	ST's
UAB	293	119	174	15	-12	✓✓
ILLINOIS	514	198	316	46	+5	-

PP has the Illini by 31. Vegas has Illinois by 28' and we see Illinois winning by 34. We agree with that Illinois will cover. The Fighting Illini were 4-0 ATS as double-digit favorite last year.

3★ ILLINOIS 46 UAB 15

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 4th

	Ttl Yds	Rush	Pass	Points	TO's	ST's
SAN JOSE ST	362	135	227	24	-13	-
EASTERN MICHIGAN	451	143	308	32	-5	-

PP sees EMU topping 300 pass yds and winning by 8, easily covering as 3 pt chalk. EMU is more experienced and this is SJS's 2nd straight road trip. Both tms are off misleading finals.

4★ EASTERN MICHIGAN 32 SAN JOSE ST 24

	Ttl Yds	Rush	Pass	Points	TO's	ST's
TOLEDO	292	113	180	17	+6	-
MICHIGAN ST	409	185	225	30	-3	✓✓

PP has the Spartans winning by 13. Vegas favors MSU by 9', and we see them winning by 14. Since '17, MSU is 8-0 SU & 6-2 ATS vs the MAC and this isn't Jason Candle's Toledo squad.

2★ MICHIGAN ST 30 TOLEDO 17

	Ttl Yds	Rush	Pass	Points	TO's	ST's
FRESNO ST	280	145	135	19	+6	-
USC	478	182	296	39	+2	-

Fresno is over a 3 td dog here. USC is off a misleading final but Fresno is a contender in the P12 and will put up a fight. The Bulldogs have covered 5 of last 6 vs. P4 teams.

1★ FRESNO ST 19 (+) USC 39

	Ttl Yds	Rush	Pass	Points	TO's	ST's
MIAMI, FL	432	146	286	33	+10	✓
STANFORD	280	87	193	14	-4	-

Stanford won LW but is in bad shape as they could be without 3 starting OL and they are 6-21 ATS when playing ranked teams. PP has a lean with Stanford +24' but we'd rather sit this one out.

NO PLAY: MIAMI (FL) 33 STANFORD 14

	Ttl Yds	Rush	Pass	Points	TO's	ST's
UTEP	125	5	120	3	-12	-
OKLAHOMA	568	236	332	49	-3	✓✓✓✓✓

PP calls for CMich to win 49-3 with a 568-125 yd edge, plus a huge ST's edge but the schedule greatly favors UTEP as the Sooners play Michigan next week and won't show much here.

NO PLAY: OKLAHOMA 49 UTEP 3

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 5th

	Ttl Yds	Rush	Pass	Points	TO's	ST's
MIAMI, OH	258	104	154	17	+5	-
PITTSBURGH	458	161	297	37	-2	✓

Not only does PP have Pitt covering -16', but a convincing 458-258 yd edge. MU is starting a new QB taking his first career snaps against a Narduzzi D that gets sacks and turnovers.

3★ PITTSBURGH 37 MIAMI (OH) 17

	Ttl Yds	Rush	Pass	Points	TO's	ST's
BOSTON COLLEGE	329	145	184	20	-9	-
CINCINNATI	454	211	243	31	-4	-

Vegas favors Cincy by 7'. PP has the Bearcats winning by DD and we agree. Cincy has one of the Big 12's top O-lines and will pound it against a BC D that allowed 433 ypg and 5 ypc last year.

3★ CINCINNATI 31 BOSTON COLLEGE 20

	Ttl Yds	Rush	Pass	Points	TO's	ST's
COASTAL CAROLINA	299	104	195	21	+6	-
WEST VIRGINIA	516	283	233	40	+2	✓✓

PP has WV winning by 19 and +179 rush yds. WV is 22-8 ATS as a HF since '17 and we think they'll be more dominant here as Rich Rod begins Yr 2 with more stability. This is a no play.

NO PLAY: WEST VIRGINIA 40 COASTAL CAROLINA 21

	Ttl Yds	Rush	Pass	Points	TO's	ST's
LIBERTY	333	170	163	25	+6	-
JAMES MADISON	442	242	200	31	+1	✓✓

PP has JMU winning by 6 which is right at the line. We see a closer matchup. Liberty HC Chadwell is 10-5-1 ATS as an AD while new JMU HC Napier is 13-20-1 ATS as a HF. This is a no play.

NO PLAY: JAMES MADISON 31 LIBERTY 25

	Ttl Yds	Rush	Pass	Points	TO's	ST's
MARSHALL	289	178	111	16	+6	-
PENN ST	487	198	289	39	+3	✓✓✓✓✓

The computer sees the Nittany Lions winning by 23 which is near the number. Penn St has a completely new team after hiring Matt Campbell. Marshall keeps it closer than expected.

NO PLAY: PENN ST 39 MARSHALL 16

	Ttl Yds	Rush	Pass	Points	TO's	ST's
WESTERN MICHIGAN	257	185	72	14	+9	-
MICHIGAN	505	282	223	38	+2	-

Michigan proj'd to win by 24 w/a 505-257 yd edge. Wolverines have covered all 6 previous meetings but huge game vs Oklahoma on deck has us leaning with the dog and PP agrees.

2★ WESTERN MICHIGAN 14 (+) MICHIGAN 38

	Ttl Yds	Rush	Pass	Points	TO's	ST's
TULANE	355	145	211	25	+8	-
DUKE	410	129	282	30	+10	✓✓

Revenge spot for Duke who lost to Tulane last year and missed the playoffs when Tulane was selected ahead of the ACC champs. PP has Duke winning a one score game and we agree.

NO PLAY: DUKE 30 TULANE 25

	Ttl Yds	Rush	Pass	Points	TO's	ST's
KENT ST	210	46	164	10	-3	-
SOUTH CAROLINA	575	246	329	46	+4	✓✓✓✓✓

Hard to imagine how Kent St can match up with SCar athletically. The Gamecocks have a #25 vs #121 ST's edge but the projected MOV is right at the Vegas line.

NO PLAY: SOUTH CAROLINA 46 KENT ST 10

	Ttl Yds	Rush	Pass	Points	TO's	ST's
FIU	341	138	203	21	0	-
USF	476	200	276	36	+5	✓✓✓✓

We very much disagree with this forecast! USF is a brand new team with a new coaching staff. FIU is more experienced and HC Simmons will have his team up for this game. We like the dog, so pass!

NO PLAY: USF 36 FIU 21

	Ttl Yds	Rush	Pass	Points	TO's	ST's
BALL ST	103	72	32	0	-3	-
OHIO ST	670	278	393	56	+4	✓✓✓✓✓✓

PP sees the Buckeyes winning by 56. Vegas has OSU by 50' and we see it winning by 45. With Texas on deck, we don't see Ohio St laying that many points in this one.

NO PLAY: OHIO ST 56 BALL ST 0

	Ttl Yds	Rush	Pass	Points	TO's	ST's
FAU	320	53	268	20	-21	-
FLORIDA	482	207	276	37	-1	✓✓

Jon Sumrall's debut in the Swamp. HC Kittle is in his 2nd year at FAU. Owls are a sleeper in the AAC and they've covered 6 of their last 7 vs the SEC. FAU is getting almost 4 td's so strong play for the underdog, take the points!

4.5★ FAU 20 (+) FLORIDA 37

	Ttl Yds	Rush	Pass	Points	TO's	ST's
NORTH TEXAS	266	80	186	17	+9	-
INDIANA	580	272	308	48	+22	✓

The computer likes Indiana here by 31. Vegas favors the defending national champs by 40'. We like the Hoosiers by 45. We do not advise a play on this one.

NO PLAY: INDIANA 48 NORTH TEXAS 17

	Ttl Yds	Rush	Pass	Points	TO's	ST's
OKLAHOMA ST	413	177	237	31	-5	-
TULSA	423	188	236	29	-9	✓

Vegas favors OSU by 13' but PP sees a much closer game and Tulsa +10 yds! We agree with PP. Tulsa is home and already beat OSU LY in Stillwater. Hurricane are 20-11-1 ATS since '18 as a DD dog.

4.5★ TULSA 29 (+) OKLAHOMA ST 31

	Ttl Yds	Rush	Pass	Points	TO's	ST's
EAST CAROLINA	227	105	123	11	+10	-
ALABAMA	491	171	321	37	+7	✓✓✓✓✓✓

Huge ST's edge to go with 491-227 yd edge for Bama but the forecast actually calls for EC to cover as 28' point dogs. Tide are 18-6 ATS in openers so we can't go against the home team here.

NO PLAY: ALABAMA 37 EAST CAROLINA 11

	Ttl Yds	Rush	Pass	Points	TO's	ST's
ULM	274	142	132	15	-10	-
MISSISSIPPI ST	501	234	267	39	+3	✓✓✓✓✓✓

PP calls for ULM to cover as 28' point dogs but ST's alone could contribute a few td's for the Bulldogs. ULM doesn't have the NIL to compete with the SEC. No play.

NO PLAY: MISSISSIPPI ST 39 ULM 15

	Ttl Yds	Rush	Pass	Points	TO's	ST's
OHIO	206	152	54	9	-2	-
NEBRASKA	460	191	269	34	+2	✓✓✓✓

PP likes the Cornhuskers by 25, while we like them by 28. Vegas has Nebraska favored by 23'. We both see the hosts covering, but not by much. OU has lost 9 straight road openers (2-6-1 ATS).

NO PLAY: NEBRASKA 34 OHIO 9

	Ttl Yds	Rush	Pass	Points	TO's	ST's
TEXAS ST	307	94	213	22	-4	-
TEXAS	581	220	361	47	+14	✓✓✓✓✓✓

Texas proj'd to win by 25 but has Ohio St on deck and TexSt has the offense to score a few. No play.

NO PLAY: TEXAS 47 TEXAS ST 22

	Ttl Yds	Rush	Pass	Points	TO's	ST's
MISSOURI ST	151	41	110	2	+6	-
TEXAS A&M	556	241	315	45	-9	✓✓✓✓✓✓

Texas A&M is off a playoff season and projected to start strong with a 45-2 win over Missouri St who has a 1st time HC. Elko is 0-5 ATS as a favorite of 30 pts or more so we'll pass.

NO PLAY: TEXAS A&M 45 MISSOURI ST 2

	Ttl Yds	Rush	Pass	Points	TO's	ST's
N ILLINOIS	156	123	34	4	+2	-
IOWA	507	305	203	44	+1	✓✓✓✓✓✓

Iowa isn't normally a team you would lay over 30 pts with but they've won 5 gms by 30+ the last two years and NIU is in bad shape after losing their HC late. Hawkeyes ST's edge is massive!

4★ IOWA 44 N ILLINOIS 4

	Ttl Yds	Rush	Pass	Points	TO's	ST's
CENTRAL MICHIGAN	304	172	132	19	+5	-
NEW MEXICO	470	201	269	38	-6	✓✓✓✓✓✓

PP has UNM doubling up CMU in score and pass yds. We agree Lobos win by DD and line has dropped. In '25, CMU was 1-4 ATS as a DD dog and UNM was unbeaten at home.

4★ NEW MEXICO 38 CENTRAL MICHIGAN 19

	Ttl Yds	Rush	Pass	Points	TO's	ST's
WYOMING	327	154	173	19	-3	-
COLORADO ST	395	167	228	24	-4	✓✓✓✓

The computer likes CSU to open the Jim Mora with a 5pt win with a 55yd edge in the passing game. We like the Rams by a fg which is right at the line so this is a no play.

NO PLAY: COLORADO ST 24 WYOMING 19

	Ttl Yds	Rush	Pass	Points	TO's	ST's
UCLA	440	233	207	35	-3	-
CALIFORNIA	385	109	276	27	-3	✓

PP calls for UCLA to start '26 off with a road win. This will be a sell out crowd. We think the Bruins coaching edge will be the difference so we agree with the forecast.

3★ UCLA 35 CALIFORNIA 27

	Ttl Yds	Rush	Pass	Points	TO's	ST's
WKU	383	123	260	28	-7	-
NEVADA	404	205	199	26	-12	✓

PP calling for WKU to win by 2 despite being outgained by 21 yds. Nevada 11-8-1 ATS as a dog under L2Y and they're unveiling a new offense vs a rebuilt WKU D. We favor the Pack in a mild upset.

NO PLAY: WKU 28 NEVADA 26

	Ttl Yds	Rush	Pass	Points	TO's	ST's
BOISE ST	253	108	145	14	+2	-
OREGON	548	213	335	45	+6	✓✓✓✓

The computer sees Oregon by 31. Vegas favors the Ducks by 24'. We think the Ducks win by 17. We don't advise a play here. The Ducks are 3-5 ATS in their last 8 openers.

NO PLAY: OREGON 45 BOISE ST 14

	Ttl Yds	Rush	Pass	Points	TO's	ST's
BAYLOR	371	124	247	27	-13	-
AUBURN	401	198	203	30	+9	-

PP has Auburn pulling out a 30-27 game at home. Dave Aranda could really use a win here to build momentum and get him off the hot seat. Tigers are laying a td here so play the dog.

3★ BAYLOR 27 (+) AUBURN 30

	Ttl Yds	Rush	Pass	Points	TO's	ST's
OREGON ST	277	87	190	12	-11	-
HOUSTON	475	208	267	37	+4	✓

PP likes Houston to win by more than the 20' pt number. We agree with the computer. OSU is rebuilding and 7-19 ATS on the road L5Y. Meanwhile, UH HC Fritz begins Yr 3 as a Big 12 contender.

4★ HOUSTON 37 OREGON ST 12

	Ttl Yds	Rush	Pass	Points	TO's	ST's
SAM HOUSTON ST	318	157	162	19	+6	-
TROY	437	179	259	33	0	✓✓✓✓

The computer favors Troy by 2 td's here. Sam Houston was one of the worst FBS teams LY. We like the Trojans by 18 which is right near the Vegas number so this is a no play.

NO PLAY: TROY 33 SAM HOUSTON ST 19

	Ttl Yds	Rush	Pass	Points	TO's	ST's
ARKANSAS ST	307	127	180	19	-7	✓✓✓✓✓✓
MEMPHIS	467	207	260	32	+7	-

PP has Memphis starting 2-0 with a 13pt win and +160 yds. This is a rivalry gm and the Tigers are 2-3 ATS last 5 mtgs. We have Memphis winning just below the 11'pt number so this is a no play.

NO PLAY: MEMPHIS 32 ARKANSAS ST 19

	Ttl Yds	Rush	Pass	Points	TO's	ST's
UNLV	430	177	253	29	+7	✓✓✓✓✓✓
HAWAII	443	119	324	34	-3	-

Vegas has Hawaii as a HD here getting 3 pts. PP sees UH winning outright and we agree. Hawaii is out for revenge for LY's loss and is 19-7-2 ATS at home under HC Chang incl 7-0 LY vs FBS foes.

4★ HAWAII 34 UNLV 29

	Ttl Yds	Rush	Pass	Points	TO's	ST's
CLEMSON	292	89	203	19	+2	✓
LSU	416	139	277	27	+7	-

LSU is projected to win the battle between Tigers. Clemson is a rare double-digit dog under Dabo Swinney. LSU may be adding NFL players to their roster but they won't help here so Clemson covers.

2★ CLEMSON 19 (+) LSU 27

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 6th

	Ttl Yds	Rush	Pass	Points	TO's	ST's
WASHINGTON ST	222	78	144	14	-9	-
WASHINGTON	489	200	289	37	+5	-

PP sees the Huskies taking the Apple Cup by 23. We see Washington winning by 31. Vegas favors the hosts by 23'. We don't advise a play here. WSU is 1-6 in its last 7 road games vs UW (3-4 ATS)..

NO PLAY: WASHINGTON 37 WASHINGTON ST 14

	Ttl Yds	Rush	Pass	Points	TO's	ST's
NOTRE DAME	422	174	248	29	+13	✓✓✓✓
WISCONSIN	252	127	125	15	-11	-

This game is being played in Lambeau Stadium, home of the Packers. Wisky will be improved and PP calls for the Badgers to cover. We agree but going against ND is scary so only a small taste.

1★ WISCONSIN 15 (+) NOTRE DAME 29

	Ttl Yds	Rush	Pass	Points	TO's	ST's
LOUISVILLE	336	164	172	24	+3	-
MISSISSIPPI	458	171	287	36	+1	✓

This game is being played at Nissan Stadium in Nashville. Rebels get Trinidad Chambliss back. Ole Miss laying under a td and proj'd to win by 12. Take the more talented SEC team here.

3★ MISSISSIPPI 36 LOUISVILLE 24

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 7th

	Ttl Yds	Rush	Pass	Points	TO's	ST's
SMU	387	122	265	25	+9	-
FLORIDA ST	454	193	261	30	-5	-

PP obviously didn't hold much weight in FSU's poor performance against NMSt LW. It has FSU beating SMU by 5 at home. Call 1-800-654-3448 to get our Monday Night Magic (\$30 with guarantee).

NO PLAY: FLORIDA ST 30 SMU 25



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	Ttl	Scr	Ttl	Scr	Net	Avg		SU	ATS	O/U	
IND P12	107	105	15	26	39.2	23-20	Washington St	1-1	7-6	1-1	9-4
	94	125	76	98	-30.1	18-29	Oregon St	1-1	2-10	1-1	3-9
	14	2	22	12	145.0	42-18	Notre Dame	0-0	10-2	0-0	7-4-1
	22	15	115	81	27.2	35-27	Connecticut	0-0	9-4	0-0	6-6-1
MW	20	19	117	80	27.2	34-28	UNLV	6-3	10-4	4-5	7-7
	103	88	6	4	75.1	25-13	San Diego St	6-2	9-4	6-2	10-3
	90	73	42	46	14.9	27-22	New Mexico	6-2	9-4	4-3-1	7-5-1
	64	56	61	62	32.2	29-24	Hawaii	5-3	9-4	6-2	9-4
SBC	92	80	12	16	68.2	26-19	Fresno St	5-3	9-4	3-5	7-6
	24	47	38	61	86.9	30-24	Boise St	7-2	9-5	4-4-1	6-7-1
	41	36	131	90	-30.6	31-29	Utah St	4-4	6-7	6-2	10-3
	123	131	45	32	-29.6	16-21	Wyoming	2-6	4-8	3-5	5-7
	47	48	118	109	-16.6	30-30	Air Force	3-5	4-8	3-5	5-7
	32	113	100	121	13.3	21-33	San Jose St	2-6	3-9	2-6	4-8
	126	128	63	87	-67.3	18-28	Nevada	2-6	3-9	5-3	6-6
	117	124	124	113	-101.8	19-31	Colorado St	1-7	2-10	2-6	4-8
	18	11	5	13	186.0	37-18	James Madison	9-0	12-2	5-4	9-5
	17	29	30	14	123.2	32-19	Old Dominion	6-2	10-3	4-4	8-5
	55	66	134	120	-57.0	28-32	GA Southern	5-4	7-6	6-3	8-5
	116	109	132	125	-118.5	22-33	Coastal Carolina	5-3	6-7	5-3	6-7
	50	39	108	108	-5.6	31-30	Marshall	3-5	5-7	4-4	7-5
	73	91	114	102	-31.3	24-30	Appalachian St	2-7	5-8	3-6	5-8
	77	119	133	133	-72.7	20-38	Georgia St	0-8	1-11	2-6	2-10
	124	95	67	58	-65.4	24-24	Troy	6-3	8-6	7-2	9-5
	54	58	102	84	-2.5	29-27	Southern Miss	5-3	7-6	3-5	5-8
	74	86	111	84	-30.6	25-27	Arkansas St	5-3	7-6	6-2	9-4
	5	12	79	95	89.7	36-29	Texas St	3-5	7-6	2-6	5-8
	99	79	109	97	-65.5	26-29	Louisiana	5-3	6-7	5-3	6-7
	78	76	77	110	-6.2	27-30	South Alabama	3-5	4-8	3-5	5-7
	118	130	82	119	-63.7	17-32	ULM	1-7	3-9	3-5	5-7

	Ttl	Scr	Ttl	Scr	Net	Avg		SU	ATS	O/U	
CUSA	52	75	103	74	-2.1	27-26	Kennesaw St	8-1	10-4	8-1	10-4
	46	49	97	47	6.1	30-23	WKU	6-2	9-4	6-2	10-3
	42	63	75	72	29.9	28-25	Jax State	7-2	9-5	5-4	7-7
	87	72	69	35	-15.5	27-21	Louisiana Tech	5-3	8-5	5-3	8-5
	66	82	78	91	9.4	26-29	Missouri St	5-3	7-6	4-4	7-6
	59	62	110	105	-14.5	29-30	FIU	5-3	7-6	5-3	8-5
	36	56	93	116	14.0	29-31	Delaware	4-4	7-6	3-5	5-7-1
	69	83	70	77	13.7	26-27	Liberty	3-5	4-8	2-6	3-9
	115	111	98	88	-74.2	22-28	New Mexico St	2-6	4-8	4-4	6-6
	81	107	96	115	-27.8	22-31	Middle Tennessee	2-6	3-9	5-3	6-6
	112	99	87	110	-59.5	23-30	UTEP	1-7	2-10	1-7	3-9
	122	127	136	133	-167.4	18-38	Sam Houston St	1-7	2-10	2-6	3-9

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