

1979 Auburn Final Football Statistics

(8-3 Overall, 4-2 SEC)

RUSHING

	Att	Gain	Loss	Net	Avg.	TD
Brooks, rb	163	1238	30	1208	7.4	10
Cribbs, rb	200	1132	12	1120	5.6	14
Thomas, qb	56	377	51	326	5.8	3
Trotman, qb	77	356	116	240	3.1	2
Peoples, rb	37	195	0	195	5.3	0
Willis, rb	26	157	2	155	6.0	1
Dubose, rb	13	38	1	37	2.9	0
Franklin, fl	2	9	0	9	4.5	0
Huntley, rb	3	10	0	10	3.3	1
Blanchard, qb	1	0	4	-4	-4.0	0
Center pass	1	0	17	-17	-17.0	0
AUBURN	579	3512	233	3279	5.7	31
Opponents	558	2524	418	2106	3.8	20

PASSING

	Att	Com	Yds.	HI	TD	Pct.
Trotman, qb	131	58	875	6	8	.442
Thomas, qb	12	6	81	1	1	.500
Christy, te	1	1	4	0	0	1.000
Cribbs, rb	1	1	-3	0	0	1.000
Berry, qb	2	0	0	0	0	.000
Blanchard, qb	1	0	0	0	0	.000
AUBURN	148	66	957	7	9	.446
Opponents	275	153	2174	15	10	.556

SCORING

	TD	PAT-K	PAT-2	FGA-M	TP
Cribbs, rb	15		3-2		94
Brooks, rb	12				72
Portela, sp	0	32-31		19-13	70
Franklin, fl	3				18
Thomas, qb	3				18
Robbins, fl	2		2-2		16
Trotman, qb	2		3-0		12
Beasley, cb	1				6
Willis, rb	1				6
Huntley, rb	1		1-0		6
Locklear, te	1				6
Team	2	safeties			4
Mathews, ot	0		1-1		2
AUBURN	41	32-31	9-5	19-13	330
Opponents	31	28-24	3-2	19- 8	238

SCORING BY QUARTERS

	1st	2nd	3rd	4th
AUBURN	78	97	75	80
Opponents	49	58	62	59

TEAM TOTALS

AUBURN		OPP
197	TOTAL FIRST DOWNS	231
140	Rushing	127
46	Passing	89
11	Penalty	15
74	PENALTIES	58
742	Yards Penalized	404
33	FUMBLES	32
16	Lost	19
370	RETURN YARDAGE	49
727	RUSH-PASS PLAYS	833
298.1	RUSHING OFFENSE PER GAME	191.4
87.0	PASSING OFFENSE PER GAME	197.6
385.1	TOTAL OFFENSE PER GAME	389.0
30.0	SCORING PER GAME	21.6

RECEIVING

	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD
Franklin, fl	19	373	19.6	3
Robbins, fl	16	247	15.4	2
Byrd, se	11	155	14.1	0
Cribbs, rb	10	128	12.8	1
Locklear, te	3	23	7.7	1
Brooks, rb	3	15	5.0	2
Atkins, se	1	14	14.0	0
Chessher, te	1	6	6.0	0
Huntley, rb	1	4	4.0	0
Thomas, qb	1	-3	-3.0	0
AUBURN	66	957	14.5	9
Opponents	153	2174	14.2	10

INTERCEPTIONS

	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD
McKinney, fs	4	67	16.8	0
Harris, cb	3	10	3.3	0
Luke, fs	2	36	18.0	0
Beasley, cb	1	38	38.0	1
Green, cb	1	33	33.0	0
Cheeks, cb	1	21	21.0	0
Toney, ss	1	10	10.0	0
Rabren, 1b	1	10	10.0	0
Smith, 1b	1	9	9.0	0
Wilks, cb	1	0	0.0	0
Williams, ng	1	0	0.0	0
AUBURN	17	234	13.8	1
Opponents	7	20	2.9	0

KICKOFF RETURNS

	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD
Brooks, rb	21	577	27.5	0
Cribbs, rb	2	39	19.5	0
Poitevint, se	1	19	19.0	0
Peoples, rb	1	15	15.0	0
Edwards, se	1	5	5.0	0
Uecker, ot	1	0	0.0	0
AUBURN	27	655	24.3	0
Opponents	51	1015	19.9	1

PUNT RETURNS

	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD
Cribbs, rb	20	145	7.3	0
McKinney, fs	1	10	10.0	0
Wilks, cb	1	10	10.0	0
AUBURN	22	165	7.5	0
Opponents	14	29	2.1	0

PUNTING

	No.	Yds.	Avg.	HB
Johnston, sp	50	2120	42.4	0
AUBURN	50	2120	42.4	0
Opponents	48	1850	38.5	0

RESULTS

26	Kansas State	18	50,132	AU
31	Southern Miss.	9	45,226	AU
17	Tennessee	35	85,936	UT
44	N.C. State	31	51,146	AU
52	Vanderbilt	35	47,900	AU
38	Georgia Tech	14	54,236	GT
38	Wake Forest	42	34,060	WF
19	Florida	13	58,384	AU
14	Mississippi St.	3	59,186	AU
33	Georgia	13	63,000	GA
18	Alabama	25	77,918	BH