



# AUBURN TIGERS

## 2006 FOOTBALL

### COACH:

Tommy Tuberville (Southern Arkansas, 1976)  
 Auburn Record.....71-29 (8th year)  
 Overall Record .....96-49 (12th year)

### FINAL RANKINGS:

USA Today .....8  
 Associated Press .....9

### 2006 RESULTS (11-2, 6-2 SEC)

Date	Opponent	Score/Time
Sept. 2	WASHINGTON ST. [ESPN2]	W, 40-14
Sept. 9	at Mississippi State [LFS]	W, 34-0
Sept. 16	#6/7 LSU [CBS]	W, 7-3
Sept. 23	BUFFALO	W, 38-7
Sept. 28	at South Carolina [ESPN]	W, 24-17
Oct. 7	ARKANSAS [CBS]	L, 10-27
Oct. 14	#2/3 FLORIDA [ESPN]	W, 27-17
Oct. 21	TULANE (HC)	W, 38-13
Oct. 28	at Ole Miss [LFS]	W, 23-17
Nov. 4	ARKANSAS STATE	W, 27-0
Nov. 11	GEORGIA [LFS]	L, 15-37
Nov. 19	at Alabama [CBS]	W, 22-15
Jan. 1	vs. #22/22 Nebraska [FOX]	W, 17-14

### STATISTICAL LEADERS

Statistic	Leader
Rushing Att.	198, Kenny Irons
Rushing Yards	893, Kenny Irons,
Rushing TD	9, Brad Lester
Passing Yards	2,198, Brandon Cox
Completions	163, Brandon Cox
Passing Att.	271, Brandon Cox
Passing TD	14, Brandon Cox
Receptions	54, Courtney Taylor
Receiving Yards	704, Courtney Taylor
Receiving TD	4, Rodgeriqus Smith
Kickoff Return Avg.	27.0, Tristan Davis
Punt Return Avg.	5.5, Robert Dunn
Points Scoring	94, John Vaughn
Punting Avg.	45.7, Kody Bliss
Tackles	72, Will Herring
Tackles for Loss	12.0, Quentin Groves
Sacks	9.5, Quentin Groves
Pass Defended	14, David Irons
Interceptions	2, W. Herring, E. Brock, D. Irons,

### 2006 HEADLINES

- ▶ Auburn's 11 victories tied for second-most in a season in school history. The Tigers won 13 games in 2004 and 11 in both 1983 and 1993.
- ▶ Auburn posted its seventh consecutive winning season and its seventh straight trip to a bowl game.
- ▶ Auburn ranked seventh nationally in scoring defense this season, allowing just 13.9 points per game, and ranked 19th in total defense (292.3).
- ▶ Auburn outscored its opponents 162-57 in the second half this season, including a 102-33 advantage in the third quarter. Auburn held Florida, LSU and Nebraska scoreless in the second half this season.
- ▶ Auburn went a perfect 5-0 in games away from home, winning SEC games at Mississippi State, South Carolina, Ole Miss and Alabama and the AT&T Cotton Bowl Classic in Dallas against Nebraska.
- ▶ Auburn was the only team in the country to defeat national champion Florida, earning a 27-17 victory over the then-No. 2 Gators on Oct. 14.
- ▶ Auburn was also the only team in the country to beat two teams that finished the season ranked in the top five, beating No. 3 LSU 7-3 on Sept. 16.
- ▶ Auburn allowed the fewest kickoff return yards in the nation (237), ahead of second-place Arizona, which allowed 276 yards despite kicking off 17 fewer times than Auburn.
- ▶ Auburn won its 18th bowl game in 33 career bowl appearances with a 17-14 victory over No. 23 Nebraska in the AT&T Cotton Bowl Classic on New Year's Day. Auburn's 18 career bowl victories is tied with Ohio State, Michigan and Miami (Fla.) for 13th most in NCAA history.
- ▶ The Tigers won six games in come-from-behind fashion, the most in a single-season since the 1993 Tigers, who also posted six comebacks.
- ▶ Auburn's senior class established a new school record with 41 victories over the past four seasons, while the 33 victories in the last three years is also a new school mark.
- ▶ Auburn has posted a record of 33-5 over the past three seasons, which is tied for third best in the NCAA Bowl Subdivision during that span.
- ▶ Auburn has the best record among SEC teams in regular season conference games since 2000 with a record of 42-14 (.750) over the past seven seasons.
- ▶ Auburn's victories over Florida and then-No. 6 LSU pushed the Tigers' win streak against top-10 teams to four in a row and eight of their last nine.
- ▶ Auburn recorded its first five-game winning streak against Alabama since 1954-58 with a 22-15 victory in Tuscaloosa Nov. 19.
- ▶ Auburn's blocked punt against Florida netted the Tigers the Pontiac Game Changing Performance Play of the Year Award on Jan. 8.
- ▶ Courtney Taylor became Auburn's all-time leading receiver, finishing his career with a school-record 153 catches.
- ▶ John Vaughn became Auburn's all-time leading scorer, finishing his career with 312 points, which is tied for 12th in SEC history.
- ▶ Vaughn tied for seventh nationally with 20 field goals made this season, becoming just the second Auburn player to make at least 20 field goals in a single season, and was a finalist for the Lou Groza Award.
- ▶ Tristan Davis led the SEC in kickoff return average (27.0) and set a new school single-season record with 756 kickoff return yards.
- ▶ Will Herring set a new school record by pushing his consecutive games started streak to 49, breaking the old record of 47 set by Jeno James (1996-99).
- ▶ Kody Bliss finished the season ranked third nationally in punting, averaging 45.7 yards per punt.
- ▶ Senior kicker Matt Clark led the nation with 51 touchbacks (out of 66 attempts, 77 percent) on kickoffs this season.
- ▶ For the first time in school history, Auburn had both a career 2,000-yard rusher (Kenny Irons) and a career 2,000-yard receiver (Courtney Taylor) on the same team.
- ▶ Guard Ben Grubbs was named a first-team All-American by ESPN.com and *Pro Football Weekly*.

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## AUBURN IN 2006 BY THE NUMBERS

CATEGORY	2006
Record .....	11-2
SEC .....	6-2
West .....	4-1
East.....	2-1
Non-Conference .....	5-0
Home .....	6-2
Away .....	4-0
Neutral .....	1-0
Day .....	8-2
Night (5 p.m. or later) .....	3-0
TV Games .....	4-0
CBS.....	2-1
FOX .....	1-0
ESPN .....	2-0
ESPN2 .....	1-0
Lincoln Financial .....	2-1
Scoring First.....	7-0
Opponent Scoring First .....	4-2
Leading at Half .....	7-0
Trailing at Half .....	2-2
Tied at Half .....	2-0
Leading after Third.....	11-0
Trailing after Third.....	0-2
Tied after Third.....	0-0
Overtime Games .....	0-0
Scoring less than 20 pts.....	2-2
Scoring 20+ points .....	9-0
Scoring 30+ points .....	4-0
Allowing less than 20 pts. ....	11-0
Allowing 20+ points .....	0-2
Allowing 30+ points .....	0-1
Rushing for less than 100 yds.....	2-1
Rushing for over 100 yds. ....	9-1
Rushing for 200+ yds.....	3-0
Passing for 200+ yds. ....	4-0
Passing for 300+ yds. ....	0-0
Totaling less than 300 yds.....	3-2
300+ yds. of total offense .....	8-0
400+ yds. of total offense .....	4-0
Allowing less than 100 yds. rushing.....	5-0
Allowing less than 300 yds. total off. ....	7-0
Allowing 300+ yds. total offense .....	4-2
Having 100-yd. rusher .....	5-0
Opp. have 100-yd. rusher.....	1-2
No turnovers .....	1-1
Less than 3 turnovers .....	10-1
3 or more turnovers .....	1-1
No takeaways .....	2-1
3 or more takeaways .....	4-1
More than 30:00 of possession .....	7-0
Less than 30:00 of possession .....	4-2

### THE WRAPUP

Auburn finished the season with an 11-2 overall record and a 6-2 mark in the Southeastern Conference. The Tigers earned a trip to their seventh straight bowl game, defeating Nebraska, 17-14, in the AT&T Cotton Bowl Classic.

### THREE-YEAR DOMINATION

Auburn has posted a record of 33-5 (.868) since the start of the 2004 season, tying the Tigers for the third-best record in the NCAA over the past three seasons. Only USC (36-3, .923) and Texas (34-4, .895) have better winning percentages than Auburn during that span, while Boise State has an identical 33-5 mark.

### ANOTHER WINNING SEASON

With 11 victories this year, Auburn finished with another winning season. It marked the seventh consecutive winning season for Auburn, and the 76th in school history. Auburn, which has had just three losing seasons in the last 25 years, has now won at least 10 games 11 times in its history. The Tigers' 11 victories this year was tied for second best in school history, trailing on the 13-0 2004 squad and tying the number of wins by the 1983 and 1993 teams.

### 100TH GAME AT AUBURN

Auburn's appearance in the Cotton Bowl marked Tommy Tuberville's 100th game as Auburn head coach. Tuberville, who owns a 71-29 record in his 100 games heading the Tigers, became just the fourth coach in Auburn history to coach 100 games. Ralph "Shug" Jordan has coached the most games at Auburn, leading the Tigers for 265 games over 25 seasons from 1951-75 while compiling a 176-83-6 record. Pat Dye (1981-92) was the head coach for 142 games, posting a mark of 99-39-4, while Mike Donahue (1904-06, 1908-22) headed the squad for 139 games, recording a ledger of 99-35-5.

### DID YOU KNOW?

Auburn was the only team in the country to defeat two teams ranked in the top five of the final regular season Associated Press top 25 poll, as well as the only team to win two regular season games against teams that played in BCS bowl games. Auburn beat national champion Florida (27-17) on Oct. 14, and beat No. 3 LSU (7-3) on Sept. 16.

### WINNING THE CLOSE ONES

Auburn has had a knack for winning close ball games since Tommy Tuberville arrived as the Tigers' head coach. In his seven seasons at the helm, Auburn is 24-10 in games decided by seven points or less and has won 12 of its last 14, including all five games this season. Counting his four seasons at Ole Miss, Tuberville has a 24-15 record as a head coach in games decided by seven points or less.

### ROAD WARRIORS

Auburn posted a perfect 5-0 mark in games away from Jordan-Hare Stadium, including a 4-0 mark in SEC road games and a victory in the AT&T Cotton Bowl Classic in Dallas. It marked the second time in three seasons that Auburn went 4-0 in SEC road games, and the Tigers are now 11-1 in SEC road games over the past three seasons, with the only loss coming in overtime at LSU in 2005.

### SENIORS BREAK FOUR-YEAR MARK

Auburn broke the mark for most victories over a four-year period in Auburn history with 41, and also broke the three-year mark with 33 wins. The 2005 senior class had previously set the four-year mark with 39 victories, the three-year mark (30) and the two-year record (22).

### IRON MEN

Of Auburn's 21 seniors, 11 saw time in more than 40 games during their careers, including three who played in more than 50. Tre Smith and Will Herring, who both had red-shirted during seasons in which they saw limited action, played in 54 and 53 games, respectively, to lead the group. Kody Bliss joined Smith and Herring as players who played in all 51 games over the past four seasons. Karibi Dede, Courtney Taylor and Ben Grubbs played in 50 games, followed by John Vaughn (48), Marquies Gunn (47), Jonathan Palmer (46), Tim Duckworth (43) and Kevin Sears (41).

### STARTS STREAK

Will Herring set a new school record for consecutive starts at Alabama Nov. 18, marking his 48th consecutive start, and finished his career with 49 straight starts. He broke the record of 47 set by OL Jeno James (1996-99). Herring passed former QB Stan White (45 games from 1990-93) for the second-longest starting streak in Auburn history Nov. 4 vs. Arkansas State.

Senior offensive guard Ben Grubbs had the second-longest active streak, having started 38 straight games.

### SECOND-HALF STALWARTS

Auburn has shown ability to make necessary adjustments at the half, as evidenced by the Tigers rallying from halftime deficits to beat both LSU (trailed 3-0, won 7-3) and Florida (trailed 17-11, won 27-17) this season, and breaking a 7-7 halftime tie to beat Ole Miss and a 14-14 halftime tie to beat Nebraska in the AT&T Cotton Bowl Classic. Auburn outscored its opponents 102-33 in the third quarter this year, and 60-24 in the fourth period, for a total advantage of 162-57 in the second half. Auburn also held its opponents to 11-of-36 third-down conversions in the third quarter (30.6 percent), while converting 55.8 percent (24-of-43) of its own third down chances in the third period.

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## KEEPING IT UNDER 20

Auburn, which ranked seventh in the NCAA in scoring defense at 13.9 points per game, allowed 20 or more points in a game just twice this season, and has held its opponents to less than 20 points 29 times in its last 38 games (76.3 percent). Only Georgia (37 points) and Arkansas (27) reached the 20-point mark against Auburn this season.

The chart below illustrates the number of times Auburn's opponents scored 20+ points since Tommy Tuberville's arrival in 1999.

### Year 20+ Games

2006	2
2005	5
2004	2
2003	6
2002	6
2001	8
2000	7
1999	6

## TIGERS TOUGH ON TOP TEN

Auburn has won eight of its last nine games against teams ranked in the Associated Press top 10, including a 7-3 victory over then-No. 6 LSU on Sept. 16 and a 27-17 win against then-No. 2 Florida Oct. 14. The Tigers have won six straight home games against Top-10 squads.

In 2005, Auburn posted victories at No. 9 Georgia (31-30) and against No. 8 Alabama (28-18). In 2004, the Tigers defeated No. 5 LSU (10-9), No. 10 Tennessee (34-10), No. 8 Georgia (24-6) and No. 9 Virginia Tech (16-13) in the NOKIA Sugar Bowl.

During the Tommy Tuberville era, Auburn is 14-10 in games played against top 10 teams, and has won 14 of its last 19 games dating back to a 23-20 upset of No. 1-ranked Florida Oct. 13, 2001.

Dating back to the 2002 season, Auburn has played 18 games against top 10 teams.

## NO RETURN POLICY

Auburn allowed the fewest kickoff return yards in the nation this season, and with very few teams even close to the Tigers' number. Auburn surrendered just 237 kickoff return yards, while the next lowest total was 276 by Arizona, despite the fact that the Wildcats kicked off 17 fewer times than Auburn this season. And the team that surrendered the third-fewest return yards, Colorado, has allowed almost twice as many yards as Auburn (392). The second-lowest total in the SEC belonged to Ole Miss with 583 yards, and the Rebels kicked off 22 fewer times than Auburn.

Most of the credit goes to senior kicker Matt Clark, who led the SEC with 49 touchbacks on 66 kickoffs this season (77.3 percent), and had streaks of 16 in a row and 13 in a row this year. Clark, who also successfully converted an onside kick in the third quarter at South Carolina, was named SEC Special teams Player of the Week Sept. 25.

## TWO THOUSAND TIMES TWO

For the first time in school history, Auburn had both a career 2,000-yard rusher and career 2,000-yard receiver on the same team. Courtney Taylor surpassed the 2,000-yard mark in receiving during Auburn's victory over Arkansas State Nov. 4, and the following Saturday against Georgia, Kenny Irons went over the 2,000-yard mark in rushing. Irons, who finished his career with 2,186 career rushing yards, became the 12th Auburn player to pass the 2,000-yard mark in rushing, but Taylor, who posted 2,098 career receiving yards, is one of just four Tigers to reach 2,000 yards receiving.

## TAYLOR SETS NEW RECEIVING MARK

Courtney Taylor grabbed six passes for 70 yards during the AT&T Cotton Bowl Classic, and in the process, broke the Auburn record for career receptions on his fourth catch of the game, a 9-yarder deep in Auburn territory. Taylor pushed his career total to 153 catches, surpassing the previous record of 150 set by Karsten Bailey (1995-98). Of his 153 catches, 103 resulted in first downs (67.3 percent). Taylor also finished fourth in Auburn history in career receiving yards with 2,098.

Taylor stepped up his production during his senior season, posting a career-best 54 catches, which is the fifth-best single-season total in school history. Taylor grabbed at least three passes in 10 games this year.

## JUST FOR KICKS

John Vaughn had a stellar senior season, and was one of three finalists for the Lou Groza Award. Vaughn, who broke Auburn's career scoring record with 312 career points, led the SEC and finished tied for seventh nationally with 20 field goals made (in 24 attempts) and ranked second in the SEC in scoring (7.2). Vaughn, whose field goal percentage of .833 was sixth in the nation among kickers with at least 20 attempts, twice made four field goals in a game this season (Sept. 2 vs. Washington State and Oct. 14 vs. Florida). He had two field goals this year of over 50 yards.

Vaughn's 20 field goals this season was the second-highest single-season total in school history.

## NO SHUTOUTS ALLOWED

Auburn has scored in 50 consecutive games, which is the third-longest streak in school history. The Tigers have not been shut out since a 23-0 loss to USC to open the 2003 season. The second-longest streak without being shut out is 58 games, but it would be quite a while before Auburn could challenge the school record. The Tigers scored in 149 straight games from Oct. 4, 1980 through Nov. 14, 1992.

# SEC SUCCESS

Auburn has won 22 of its last 25 Southeastern Conference games and 23 of its last 26 games against SEC schools, including the 2004 SEC Championship game victory over Tennessee. Auburn's success against conference schools dates back to more than just the past three seasons, as since the start of the 2000 season, the Tigers have the best record among the 12 league schools in regular season conference games. The following are the combined conference records of the 12 SEC schools from 2000-06.

	W-L	Pct.
<b>Auburn</b>	<b>42-14</b>	<b>.750</b>
Florida	41-15	.732
LSU	41-15	.732
Georgia	39-17	.696
Tennessee	38-18	.679
Arkansas	28-28	.500
South Carolina	27-29	.482
Alabama	26-30	.464
Ole Miss	24-32	.429
Kentucky	12-44	.214
Mississippi State	11-45	.196
Vanderbilt	7-49	.125

# TIGERS TERRIFIC SINCE 2000

Since the start of the 2000 season, Auburn has one of the best records in all of Division I-A football. The Tigers' record of 66-23 (.742) ranks 13th among all 119 programs. The list of the top 20 programs since 2000 in terms of winning percentage follows:

	W-L	Pct.
1. Boise State	76-13	.854
2. Oklahoma	79-14	.849
3. Texas	75-14	.843
4. Miami (Fla.)	71-16	.816
5. Ohio State	69-18	.793
6. USC	70-19	.787
7. LSU	70-20	.778
8. Louisville	68-20	.773
9. Georgia	69-21	.767
10. Virginia Tech	68-22	.756
11. TCU	64-21	.753
12. Michigan	64-22	.744
<b>13. Auburn</b>	<b>66-23</b>	<b>.742</b>
14. Florida	65-23	.739
15. Toledo	60-26	.698
16. Tennessee	61-27	.693
17. Boston College	60-27	.690
18. Florida State	62-28	.689
19. Oregon	58-28	.674
20. Nebraska	60-29	.674

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## AUBURN IN THE SEC/NCAA STATS

TEAM	SEC	NCAA
Kickoff Returns (25.9) .....	1st	4th
Net Punting (38.55) .....	1st	4th
Kickoff Coverage (45.2).....	1st	
Field Goals (.833) .....	1st	
Red Zone Offense (86.7) .....	2nd	
Red Zone Defense (64.7).....	2nd	
Scoring Defense (13.9) .....	3rd	7th
Pass Defense (168.2) .....	3rd	14th
Turnover Margin (0.38) .....	3rd	34th
Time Of Possession (30:08) .....	3rd	
Total Defense (292.3) .....	4th	19th
Pass Def. Efficiency (115.52) .....	5th	33rd
Tackles For Loss (6.3) .....	5th	40th
Rushing Offense (148.2) .....	5th	47th
Penalties (45.8) .....	5th	
Pass Efficiency (136.76) .....	6th	37th
Rushing Defense (124.2) .....	6th	45th
Sacks By (2.2) .....	6th	50th
Opponent First Downs (219) .....	T6th	
Third-Down Conversions (40.4).....	7th	
Scoring Offense (24.8) .....	8th	56th
First Downs (219) .....	8th	
Opponent 3rd-Down Conv. (38.6) .....	8th	
Total Offense (320.9).....	9th	76th
Pass Offense (172.7) .....	10th	88th
Sacks Allowed (2.6).....	11th	99th
Punt Returns (5.5).....	11th	106th
Opponent Penalties (36.3) .....	12th	

### INDIVIDUAL

	SEC	NCAA
K. Bliss, Punting (45.7) .....	1st	3rd
J. Vaughn, Field Goals (1.54) .....	1st	9th
T. Davis, Kickoff Returns (27.0).....	1st	T15th
J. Vaughn, Scoring (7.2).....	2nd	32nd
Q. Groves, Sacks (0.73) .....	T3rd	T26th
K. Irons, Rushing (81.2) .....	4th	40th
B. Lester, Scoring (TDs) (5.0) .....	T5th	
B. Cox, Pass Efficiency (138.68) .....	6th	35th
D. Irons, Passes Defended (1.08) .....	T6th	
B. Cox, Total Offense (155.5).....	7th	83rd
B. Cox, Passing Average (169.1) .....	7th	
R. Dunn, Punt Returns (5.5) .....	8th	74th
C. Taylor, Receptions (4.2) .....	10th	85th
K. Irons, All-Purpose (88.3) .....	10th	99th

### IRONS IN THE FIRE

Kenny Irons, who ranked No. 4 in the SEC averaging 81.2 yards rushing per game, eclipsed the 100-yard rushing mark 11 times in his two seasons playing for Auburn. During his final 21 games, Irons totaled 2,153 yards rushing (102.5 yards per game). Although he played only two seasons at Auburn, Irons finished his career ranked 10th in Auburn history with 2,186 career yards rushing.

### LETHAL WEAPONS

True freshman Ben Tate had a pair of 100-yard rushing games (156 vs. Tulane, 114 vs. Buffalo), becoming the latest Tiger to post a big rushing total. In fact, Auburn had six different players on the roster who have rushed for at least 90 yards in a single game, including four that have topped the century mark.

Kenny Irons leads the list with 11 career 100-yard games including a high of 218 in 2005 at LSU. Sophomore Tristan Davis, now playing safety, rushed for 162 yards in 2005 at Kentucky, while Tate's 156-yard effort is third best among current Tigers. Senior Tre Smith had a career-best 126-yard effort as a freshman in 2002 at Alabama. Sophomore Brad Lester had a career-high 94-yard performance Oct. 14 vs. Florida, while junior Carl Stewart had 91 yards rushing in 2004 vs. the Citadel.

### RUNNING BACK U.

Auburn has more running backs on NFL rosters than any other college, according to data distributed by the NFL. There are six former Tigers who played running back in the NFL in 2006, including: Ronnie Brown (Dolphins), Stephen Davis (Rams), Heath Evans (Patriots), Rudi Johnson (Bengals), Tony Richardson (Vikings) and Carnell Williams (Buccaneers).

### FRESH MEAT

A number of true and redshirt freshmen contributed greatly for Auburn this season. Redshirt freshmen DL Sen'Derrick Marks, S Aairon Savage, LB Tray Blackmon and TEs Tommy Trott and Gabe McKenzie all started games this season. Savage ranked third on the team with 53 tackles, Marks had 38 tackles and ranks second on the team with 11 tackles for loss, McKenzie tied for fourth on the team with 13 catches for 137 yards and a touchdown and Trott tied for fifth with 10 catches for 94 yards including two scores.

In addition, true freshman RB Ben Tate rushed for 156 yards and a touchdown Oct. 21 vs. Tulane and 114 yards and two scores Sept. 23 vs. Buffalo. Redshirt freshman DB Jerraud Powers had 26 tackles, redshirt freshman DE Antonio Coleman had 18 stops and redshirt freshman LB Patrick Trahan had 14 tackles.

### OL HAS EXPERIENCE

Although they hadn't started a game as a group prior to the season opener vs. Washington State, Auburn had five offensive linemen who have a wealth of experience, combining for 188 games played and 110 starts. Senior guard Ben Grubbs played in 50 games, starting the last 38, while his counterpart at guard, senior Tim Duckworth, played in 32 games on the offensive side, making 22 starts. Senior center Joe Cope started 20 of his 23 career games played, while senior tackle Jonathan Palmer (46 games, 16 starts) and junior tackle King Dunlap (37 games played, 14 starts) were new to the starting lineup this year but have seen extensive action.

### GROVES IN A GROOVE

Junior defensive end Quentin Groves, who tied for third in the SEC with 9.5 sacks this season, twice earned SEC weekly honors this year. Groves had three sacks in the second half of Auburn's 27-17 victory over Florida Oct. 14, which earned him SEC Defensive Player of the week honors. He had two sacks that both resulted in fumbles recovered by Auburn and eventually to Auburn touchdowns in the Tigers' 22-15 win at Alabama Nov. 18, earning him SEC Defensive Lineman of the Week accolades. Groves is tied for second in Auburn history with 23 career sacks, and shares the school record for sacks in a game, with four in a 2004 game vs. Kentucky.

### SMOOTH TRANSITION

One of the more notable changes to the Auburn defense was the move of Will Herring, a three-year starter at free safety, to linebacker. The results were good, as Herring led the team with 72 tackles this season, including 9.5 for losses, and shared the team lead with two interceptions plus two forced fumbles. He was named Defensive MVP of the AT&T Cotton Bowl Classic after collecting a game-high seven tackles including two tackles for losses. He also took a direct snap on a fake punt in the season opener against Washington State and rushed 42 yards in the third quarter vs. Washington State.

### MORE THAN ONE IRONS EXCELLING

Senior cornerback David Irons was granted a sixth-year of eligibility prior to this season, and the extra year paid dividends. Irons was sixth on the team with 42 tackles (23 solo, 19 assists) this season, including a team-high 10 stops during Auburn's 24-17 victory at South Carolina Sept. 28. Irons tied for sixth in the SEC with 14 passes defended this season (two interceptions, 12 pass break-ups).

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## SENIOR STEPS UP

Karibi Dede, the only returning starting linebacker for Auburn this season, stepped up during his senior season, ranking second on the team with 59 tackles, including 30 solo stops. He also recovered two fumbles, giving him seven for his career. Dede started 31 games for Auburn during his career, although he had a streak of 15 straight starts snapped when he sat out the Buffalo game Sept. 23.

## D-LINE IS DELIGHTFUL

Auburn replaced three starters on the defensive line this season, but the results were favorable. This season, ends Quentin Groves, Marquies Gunn and Christopher Browder and interior linemen Pat Sims, Sen'Derrick Marks and Josh Thompson combined for 193 tackles, 47 tackles for loss and 23 sacks. Groves had team highs of 12.0 tackles for loss and 9.5 sacks, while Thompson led all defensive linemen with 44 tackles.

## HEAVENLY BLISS

Senior Kody Bliss averaged 45.7 yards per kick, which ranked third nationally. Nineteen of Bliss' 47 punts traveled more than 50 yards, including four over 60, and he placed 13 punts inside the opponents' 20. Bliss was named SEC Special Teams Player of the Week Sept. 18 following Auburn's 7-3 victory over LSU after averaging 48.2 yards on six punts. He had kicks of 62, 61, 51 and 50 yards, as well as punts of 34 and 31 yards that both pinned LSU inside its own 20-yard-line. He had a 69-yard punt at South Carolina Sept. 28 and a career-long 71-yard boot Oct. 21 vs. Tulane.

## EXTRA POINTS

John Vaughn made his final 107 consecutive PATs dating back to the 2004 season, and was 162-of-163 for his career. Prior to his only miss, Auburn had made an SEC record 209 consecutive PATs from 1999-2004. Auburn has made 316 of its last 317 PATs.

## DAVIS DOING DAMAGE

Tristan Davis led the SEC and ranked 15th in the nation in kickoff returns, averaging 27.0 yards per return while setting a new Auburn record for kickoff return yardage in a single season. Davis, who had at least one return of 30 yards or more in 10 of his 12 games played, accumulated 756 kickoff return yards, and his 27.0-yard average ranked fourth best in school history.

## WHEN SCORING 20+ POINTS

Under Tommy Tuberville, Auburn is 62-4 when scoring 20 or more points in a game, including a 60-3 mark in the regular season. Dating back to 1995, Auburn is 83-11 when scoring 20 or more points in a game.

## 30+ POINTS EQUALS VICTORY

Under Tommy Tuberville, Auburn is 41-0 when scoring 30 or more points in a game. Auburn has won 46 consecutive games when scoring 30 or more points.

The last time the Tigers lost when registering at least 30 points was a 56-49, four overtime loss to Georgia in 1996.

In the last 22 years, Auburn is 115-2 when scoring 30 points.

## JORDAN-HARE STADIUM

Now in its 67th year as home to the Auburn football team, Jordan-Hare Stadium is the nation's ninth-largest on-campus stadium, with a capacity of 87,451 fans. The Tigers are 255-62-7 (.798) at Jordan-Hare Stadium, including a 41-8 (.837) mark in the last seven years. AU went 7-0 at home in both 2000 and 2004, and posted a 6-1 mark in 2005.

Auburn has won 12 of its last 14 games at home and 20 of its last 23 games at Jordan-Hare Stadium.

## TIGERS UNDER TUBERVILLE

Below is a statistical comparison of Auburn's Tommy Tuberville coached teams.

	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006
Record	5-6	9-4	7-5	9-4	8-5	13-0*	9-3	11-2
Points Scored	21.2	24.3	21.2	29.8	26.3	32.1	32.2*	24.8
First Downs	16.5	18.4	17.6	19.1	18.9	20.8	21.4*	16.8
Total Offense	294.6	366.6	343.6	387.5	376.2	420.7*	409.8	321.0
Rushing Yards	68.0	157.8	141.3	203.7*	184.0	183.3	194.1	148.2
Passing Yards	226.6	208.8	202.2	183.8	192.2	237.4*	215.8	172.7
Time of Possession	29:46	32:19*	30:36	30:17	30:59	31:51	30:48	30:09
3rd Down Conversion Pct.	.357	.395	.314	.446	.365	.459	.462*	.404
Points Allowed	21.5	20.5	23.4	17.8	16.3	11.3*	15.5	13.9
Yards Allowed	363.5	314.8	343.6	328.2	281.6	277.6*	315.2	292.3
Rushing Yards Allowed	103.0	103.0	136.7	141.7	92.6*	104.2	116.2	124.2
Passing Yards Allowed	260.5	211.8	206.9	186.5	189.0	173.5	199.0	168.2*

\* Indicates best statistically under Tuberville

## AP Poll

Rk	School (1st)	Record	Pts.	Prv.
1.	Florida (64)	13-1	1624	2
2.	Ohio State	12-1	1492	1
3.	LSU	11-2	1452	4
4.	USC	11-2	1389	8
5.	Boise State (1)	13-0	1383	9
6.	Louisville	12-1	1338	5
7.	Wisconsin	12-1	1288	6
8.	Michigan	11-2	1145	3
9.	<b>Auburn</b>	<b>11-2</b>	<b>1112</b>	<b>10</b>
10.	West Virginia	11-2	1035	13
11.	Oklahoma	11-3	933	7
12.	Rutgers	11-2	884	16
13.	Texas	10-3	772	18
14.	California	10-3	697	20
15.	Arkansas	10-4	677	12
16.	BYU	11-2	673	19
17.	Notre Dame	10-3	553	11
18.	Wake Forest	11-3	551	15
19.	Virginia Tech	10-3	407	14
20.	Boston College	10-3	353	23
21.	Oregon State	10-4	291	24
22.	TCU	11-2	279	25
23.	Georgia	9-4	204	NR
24.	Penn State	9-4	183	NR
25.	Tennessee	9-4	181	17

## OTHERS RECEIVING VOTES

Hawaii 110, Nebraska 58, Maryland 24, South Florida 17, Texas A&M 10, Georgia Tech 8, Kentucky 1, San Jose State 1.

## USA Today Poll

Rk	School (1st)	Record	Pts.	Prv.
1.	Florida (63)	13-1	1575	2
2.	Ohio State	12-1	1435	1
3.	LSU	11-2	1418	4
4.	USC	11-2	1345	7
5.	Wisconsin	12-1	1328	5
6.	Boise State	13-0	1275	9
7.	Louisville	12-1	1270	6
8.	<b>Auburn</b>	<b>11-2</b>	<b>1119</b>	<b>10</b>
9.	Michigan	11-2	1092	3
10.	West Virginia	11-2	1012	12
11.	Oklahoma	11-3	849	8
12.	Rutgers	11-2	841	17
13.	Texas	10-3	791	16
14.	California	10-3	716	19
15.	BYU	11-2	615	20
16.	Arkansas	10-4	592	13
17.	Wake Forest	11-3	535	15
18.	Virginia Tech	10-3	494	14
19.	Notre Dame	10-3	485	11
20.	Boston College	10-3	388	23
21.	TCU	11-2	339	24
22.	Oregon State	10-4	206	25
23.	Tennessee	9-4	202	18
24.	Hawaii	11-3	152	NR
25.	Penn State	9-4	142	NR

## OTHERS RECEIVING VOTES

Georgia 133, Nebraska 43, Texas A&M 29, Georgia Tech 19, South Carolina 17, Houston 8, Maryland 7, Texas Tech 2, Kentucky 1.

# 2006 Auburn Football

## IN THE RED ZONE

Opponent	Times		Rush TD	Pass TD	Made FG	FGs						
	In RZ	Scored				Missed	Downs	Int.	Fum.	Half		
Washington State	5	4	2	2	0	2	1	0	0	0	0	0
Mississippi State	5	5	4	2	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
LSU	2	1	1	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Buffalo	3	3	3	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
South Carolina	4	4	3	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Arkansas	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Florida	4	3	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	1	0	0
Tulane	4	3	3	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Ole Miss	6	5	2	1	1	3	0	0	1	0	0	0
Arkansas State	6	5	3	1	2	2	0	0	1	0	0	0
Georgia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Alabama	2	2	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Nebraska	3	3	2	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	

Auburn Scoring Pct.: 86.7 (39-45)  
Opponents Scoring Pct.: 64.7 (22-34)

Auburn Points Scored: 217  
Opponents Points Scored: 120

### TIGER PROS

Auburn has demonstrated a proficiency for placing players in the National Football League. Auburn had 27 players listed on opening day NFL rosters, which was 11th most of any college in the nation. The Washington Redskins have the most former Tigers, with five former Auburn players on the roster.

### TUBERVILLE IN EIGHTH SEASON

Tommy Tuberville completed his eighth season at Auburn in 2006 and his 12th as a head coach in the Southeastern Conference. Tuberville has the third-longest tenure in the SEC (second-longest active streak) behind Phillip Fulmer of Tennessee and Steve Spurrier of South Carolina, who each coached his 14th season in the league this year.

Tuberville has amassed a record of 71-29 in eight seasons at Auburn and an overall mark of 96-49. He has led the Tigers to seven straight bowl appearances.

Tuberville is fourth all-time at Auburn in wins, and is the fifth-longest tenured coach in school history.

### 12 AND COUNTING

In his 12th year as a head coach, Tommy Tuberville has five assistant coaches who have been with him all 12 years. The group includes: defensive tackles/ noseguard coach Don Dunn, running backs/special teams coach Eddie Gran, wide receivers coach Greg Knox, offensive line coach Hugh Nall and defensive ends coach Terry Price.

### THE TIME HAS COME

Prior to this season, new timing rules were put into effect to reduce the length of college football games. For Auburn, there were indeed fewer plays this season. In the previous five seasons, Auburn averaged between 66.2 and 68.3 plays per game, but this year the Tigers ran just

57.8 plays per game. Auburn games averaged between 126.2 and 134.9 total plays per game over the previous five seasons, but this year, Tiger games averaged 117.3 plays per contest.

The following chart shows the average plays run in games this season compared to the averages from the previous five seasons.

Year	Auburn	Opponent	Total
2006	57.8	59.5	117.3
2005	68.3	63.0	131.3
2004	66.2	60.0	126.2
2003	66.5	61.7	128.2
2002	66.3	68.6	134.9
2001	66.7	65.7	132.3

### TIGER GRADS

Auburn began the season with 11 graduates on the roster, which was the most of any Division I-A football team. At the conclusion of the 2006 regular season, five more Tigers had earned their diploma.

The Tiger graduates include: TE Cole Bennett (business administration), P Kody Bliss (business marketing), DB Eric Brock (public administration), RB C Joe Cope (economics), LB Karibi Dede (rehab special education), DE Quentin Groves (criminology), OG Ben Grubbs (public administration), WR Lee Guess (business marketing), DB Brant Haynie (building sciences), LB Will Herring (exercise science), CB David Irons (Sociology), Kenny Irons (economics), CB Patrick Lee (criminology), P Patrick Martyn (business), RB Tre Smith (business) and RB Carl Stewart (political science).

Listed are the top 10 programs in terms of number of players who completed their bachelor's degrees prior to the start of the 2006 season.

1. Auburn.....11
2. Notre Dame.....9
- Miami (Fl.) .....9
4. Texas Tech .....8
5. Boston College .....7
- Louisiana Tech .....7

- Penn State .....7
8. Baylor .....6
- West Virginia.....6
10. Kentucky .....5
- Memphis .....5
- Nebraska .....5
- Virginia .....5

### FATHERS AND SONS

Auburn tight ends coach Steve Ensminger is the father of Auburn freshman quarterback Steven Ensminger, while junior fullback Danny Perry is the son of Director of Football Operations Jimmy Perry. The younger Ensminger is the first Tiger to have his father on the coaching staff since Joe Whitt, Jr., played wide receiver from 1998-99 while Joe Whitt, Sr., who coached at Auburn from 1981-2005, was a linebackers coach.

Previously, Gene Lorendo, an assistant coach from 1951-75, saw his son Mac letter at offensive tackle from 1970-72, earning All-SEC honors as a senior, and Paul Davis, an assistant coach from 1967-80 and 1987-90, watched his son Rhett letter at split end from 1972-73.

### TIGERS SWITCH TO UNDER ARMOUR

The Auburn football uniforms may have looked the same in 2006 to the casual observer, but the Tigers made one key change to the uniforms. The uniforms are now made by Under Armour Performance Apparel as part of a five-year contract signed in December of 2005 that makes Under Armour the official outfitter of all of Auburn's athletic teams. The contract, worth \$10.6 million in sponsorship, product and additional benefits, will see Auburn's athletic teams wearing Under Armour uniforms, cleats, apparel and accessories beginning in the 2006-07 academic year.

# 2006 Auburn Football

## COLE BENNETT

- ▶ AP All-SEC Honorable Mention
- ▶ Preseason Third-Team All-SEC
- ▶ Preseason Coaches First-Team All-SEC

## TRAY BLACKMON

- ▶ *The Sporting News* Freshman All-American Second Team
- ▶ *The Sporting News* SEC All-Freshman Team

## KODY BLISS

- ▶ Coaches All-SEC Second Team
- ▶ AP All-SEC Second Team
- ▶ *ESPN The Magazine* Academic All-America Second Team
- ▶ *ESPN The Magazine* Academic All-District IV First Team
- ▶ SEC Special Teams Player of the Week (Sept. 18)
- ▶ Ray Guy Award Watch List
- ▶ Rivals.com Preseason Second-Team All-American
- ▶ *Lindy's* Preseason Second-Team All-American
- ▶ *Lindy's* Preseason First-Team All-SEC
- ▶ *Athlon Sports* Preseason Second-Team All-American
- ▶ *Athlon Sports* Preseason First-Team All-SEC
- ▶ *Blue Ribbon College Football Yearbook* Preseason All-SEC
- ▶ Scout.com Preseason All-SEC Team
- ▶ Preseason First-Team All-SEC
- ▶ Preseason Coaches First-Team All-SEC

## MATT CLARK

- ▶ SEC Special Teams Player of the Week (Sept. 25)

## JOE COPE

- ▶ Preseason Third-Team All-SEC
- ▶ Preseason Coaches Second-Team All-SEC

## BRANDON COX

- ▶ Maxwell Award Preseason Watch List
- ▶ Davey O'Brien Award Preseason Watch List
- ▶ Manning Award Preseason Watch List
- ▶ *Athlon Sports* Preseason Third-Team All-SEC
- ▶ Preseason Second-Team All-SEC
- ▶ Preseason Coaches Second-Team All-SEC

## KARIBI DEDE

- ▶ *ESPN The Magazine* Academic All-District IV Second Team
- ▶ *Athlon Sports* Preseason Third-Team All-SEC
- ▶ Preseason Coaches Third-Team All-SEC

## TIM DUCKWORTH

- ▶ Rivals.com Second-Team All-American
- ▶ Coaches All-SEC First Team
- ▶ AP All-SEC Second Team
- ▶ Scout.com All-SEC First Team
- ▶ SEC Offensive Lineman of the Week (Oct. 2)
- ▶ Lombardi Award Preseason Watch List
- ▶ Outland Trophy Preseason Watch List
- ▶ Rivals.com Preseason Second-Team All-American
- ▶ *Blue Ribbon College Football Yearbook* Preseason All-SEC
- ▶ *Lindy's* Preseason First-Team All-SEC
- ▶ *Athlon Sports* Preseason Third-Team All-American
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## KING DUNLAP

- ▶ SEC Offensive Lineman of the Week (Oct. 23)

## QUENTIN GROVES

- ▶ Rivals.com Third-Team All-American
- ▶ SI.com Honorable Mention All-American
- ▶ Coaches All-SEC First Team
- ▶ AP All-SEC First Team
- ▶ Scout.com All-SEC First Team
- ▶ FWAA/Bronko Nagurski National Defensive Player of the Week (Oct. 17)
- ▶ SEC Defensive Player of the Week (Nov. 20)
- ▶ SEC Defensive Player of the Week (Oct. 16)
- ▶ Hendricks Award Preseason Watch List
- ▶ Bednarik Award Preseason Watch List
- ▶ Lombardi Award Preseason Watch List
- ▶ *Lindy's* Preseason First-Team All-SEC
- ▶ *Athlon Sports* Preseason Second-Team All-SEC
- ▶ Preseason Second-Team All-SEC
- ▶ Preseason Coaches First-Team All-SEC

## BEN GRUBBS

- ▶ ESPN.com First-Team All-American
- ▶ *Pro Football Weekly* First-Team All-American
- ▶ Rivals.com First-Team All-American
- ▶ *Associated Press* Second-Team All-American
- ▶ AP All-SEC First Team
- ▶ Coaches All-SEC Second Team
- ▶ Scout.com All-SEC First Team
- ▶ SEC Offensive Lineman of the Week (Nov. 6)
- ▶ SEC Offensive Lineman of the Week (Sept. 11)
- ▶ Rivals.com Preseason First-Team All-American
- ▶ *Lindy's* Preseason Second-Team All-SEC
- ▶ *Athlon Sports* Preseason Second-Team All-SEC
- ▶ Preseason Second-Team All-SEC
- ▶ Preseason Coaches Second-Team All-SEC

## MARQUIES GUNN

- ▶ AP All-SEC Honorable Mention
- ▶ *Athlon Sports* Preseason Third-Team All-American
- ▶ *Athlon Sports* Preseason First-Team All-SEC
- ▶ Scout.com Preseason All-SEC Team
- ▶ Preseason Second-Team All-SEC
- ▶ Preseason Coaches Third-Team All-SEC

## WILL HERRING

- ▶ Wuerffel Trophy Finalist
- ▶ Coaches All-SEC Second Team
- ▶ *ESPN The Magazine* Academic All-District IV Second Team
- ▶ Bednarik Award Preseason Watch List
- ▶ Bronko Nagurski Trophy Preseason Watch List
- ▶ Lott Trophy Preseason Watch List
- ▶ *Athlon Sports* Preseason Third-Team All-SEC
- ▶ Preseason First-Team All-SEC
- ▶ Preseason Coaches First-Team All-SEC

## DAVID IRONS

- ▶ AP All-SEC Honorable Mention
- ▶ Scout.com All-SEC Second Team
- ▶ Rivals.com Second-Team All-American
- ▶ Jim Thorpe Award Preseason Watch List
- ▶ Rivals.com Preseason Second-Team All-American
- ▶ *Blue Ribbon College Football Yearbook* Preseason All-SEC
- ▶ *Lindy's* Preseason Second-Team All-American
- ▶ *Lindy's* Preseason First-Team All-SEC
- ▶ *Athlon Sports* Preseason First-Team All-SEC
- ▶ Scout.com Preseason All-SEC Team
- ▶ Preseason Coaches First-Team All-SEC
- ▶ Preseason First-Team All-SEC

## KENNY IRONS

- ▶ Coaches All-SEC First Team
- ▶ AP All-SEC Second Team

- ▶ Scout.com All-SEC Second Team
- ▶ SEC Offensive Player of the Week (Sept. 4)
- ▶ Walter Camp Player of the Year Award Watch List
- ▶ Maxwell Award Preseason Watch List
- ▶ Doak Walker Award Candidate
- ▶ Rivals.com Preseason Second-Team All-American
- ▶ *Blue Ribbon College Football Yearbook's* SEC Preseason Offensive Player of the Year
- ▶ *Blue Ribbon College Football Yearbook* Preseason All-SEC
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- ▶ Preseason First-Team All-SEC

## SEN'DERRICK MARKS

- ▶ Rivals.com Freshman All-American First Team
- ▶ *The Sporting News* Freshman All-American Third Team
- ▶ Coaches All-SEC Freshman Team
- ▶ *The Sporting News* SEC All-Freshman Team

## GABE MCKENZIE

- ▶ *The Sporting News* Freshman All-American Honorable Mention

## JONATHAN PALMER

- ▶ Preseason Coaches Second-Team All-SEC

## JERRAUD POWERS

- ▶ Coaches All-SEC Freshman Team

## AAIRON SAVAGE

- ▶ Rivals.com Freshman All-American Second Team
- ▶ *The Sporting News* Freshman All-American Third Team
- ▶ Coaches All-SEC Freshman Team
- ▶ *The Sporting News* SEC All-Freshman Team
- ▶ SEC Freshman of the Week (Oct. 30)

## CARL STEWART

- ▶ *ESPN The Magazine* Academic All-District IV Football First Team

## COURTNEY TAYLOR

- ▶ *Athlon Sports* Preseason Second-Team All-SEC
- ▶ Scout.com Preseason All-SEC Team
- ▶ Preseason Second-Team All-SEC

## BEN TATE

- ▶ *The Sporting News* Freshman All-American Honorable Mention

## TOMMY TROTT

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# 2006 Auburn Football Game Recaps

**GAME  
1**

**WASHINGTON STATE 14**  
**#4 AUBURN 40**

September 2, 2006 • ESPN2  
Jordan-Hare Stadium (87,451) • Auburn, Ala.

Kenny Irons rushed for 183 yards and a touchdown and Brad Lester scored twice as fourth-ranked Auburn opened its season with a 40-14 victory over Washington State.

Irons rushed for his ninth career 100-yard game -- and seventh straight in regular season games -- averaging 9.1 yards on 20 carries. He opened up the third quarter with a 58-yard touchdown run that gave Auburn a 26-7 lead a minute in.

Irons also caught three passes for 40 yards, giving him 223 multi-purpose yards, marking his career high.

Lester posted his third career multiple touchdown game, but the first in which he caught a pass and rushed for a score. The sophomore ended Auburn's first-half scoring with a 34-yard pass from Brandon Cox, then rushed for a 12-yard touchdown early in the fourth quarter. He ended the game with 37 yards on six carries.

Cox completed 11-of-18 passes for 191 yards and a touchdown. The junior improved to 9-3 all-time as Auburn's starting quarterback and has now thrown a touchdown in 11 of his 12 career starts.

The Tigers scored their first 12 points on four field goals from senior kicker John Vaughn, who connected on attempts of 31, 44, 52 (career long) and 30 yards, marking his career best. It was also the most by an Auburn kicker since Jaret Holmes posted four field goals against Alabama in 1997.

Washington State held the lead briefly in the first quarter after Jason Hill caught a 2-yard pass from Alex Brink, giving the Cougars a 7-6 advantage. The Tigers, however, scored the next 20 points, capped off by Irons' 58-yard run to open the second half.

Cody Boyd ended Washington State's scoring with a 50-yard pass from Gary Rogers midway through the third quarter, bringing the Cougars to within 12. However, Auburn finished off Washington State with Lester's 12-yard run and a 1-yard touchdown run by Carl Stewart late in the fourth quarter. The final score completed Auburn's 40-point night, which marked the most by Auburn against a Pacific-10 Conference opponent.

Karibi Dede paced the Tigers with eight tackles, followed by Merrill Johnson and Aairon Savage, who both had four. Auburn finished with five sacks, led by Sen'Derrick Marks' 1.5.

Will Herring accounted for the game's lone turnover, picking off Brink at the 8:41 mark of the fourth quarter.

The senior linebacker also accounted for Auburn's second-longest run of the game when he took advantage of the Cougars on a fake punt on 4th-and-14. Midway through the third, he took the snap from deep snapper Pete Compton and ran up the middle for a 42-yard gain.

Nine Tigers played in their first game at Auburn, highlighted by Aairon Savage, who also made his first start. Overall, five Auburn players started their first game in the win.

**SCORING SUMMARY**

Washington State	7	0	7	0	—	14
Auburn	6	13	7	14	—	40

AU—Vaughn 31 field goal, 11:16, 1st  
 AU—Vaughn 44 field goal, 5:21, 1st  
 WSU—Hill 2 pass from Brink (Langley kick), 2:09, 1st  
 AU—Vaughn 52 field goal, 14:09, 2nd  
 AU—Vaughn 30 field goal, 7:37, 2nd  
 AU—Lester 34 pass from Cox (Vaughn kick), 4:59, 2nd  
 AU—K. Irons 58 run (Vaughn kick), 14:20, 3rd  
 WSU—Boyd 50 pass from Rogers (Langley kick), 7:14, 3rd  
 AU—Lester 12 run (Vaughn kick), 11:02, 4th  
 AU—Stewart 1 run (Vaughn kick), 2:54, 4th

**TEAM STATISTICS**

	WSU	AU
First Downs	17	21
Rushes-Yards	28-124	44-293
Passing Yards	150	191
Comp-Att-Int	17-33-1	11-19-0
Total Yards	61-274	63-484
Punts-Avg.	7-42.1	2-49.0
Fumbles/Lost	2-0	0-0
Penalties-Yards	2-20	3-40
3rd Down Conv.	4-of-14	3-of-12
Time of Possession	25:58	34:02

**INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS**

**RUSHING: (WSU)** Woolridge 9-86, Hutsona 6-30, Blunt 1-24, Tardy 4-10, Rogers 1(-2), Brink 7(-24); **(AU)** K. Irons 20-183 (TD), Herring 1-42, Lester 6-37 (TD), T. Smith 7-19, Stewart 4-10 (TD), Cox 5-3, Taylor 1(-1)  
**PASSING: (WSU)** Brink 24-11-1, 67 (TD), Rogers 9-6-0, 83 (TD); **(AU)** Cox 18-11-0, 191 (TD), Stewart 1-0-0.  
**RECEIVING: (WSU)** Bumpus 6-37, Hill 4-18 (TD), Jordan 3-22, Boyd 2-57 (TD), Gibson 1-9, Hutsona 1-7; **(AU)** Taylor 3-51, K. Irons 3-40, R. Smith 2-47, Lester 1-34 (TD), Rodriguez 1-10, Guess 1-9.

**GAME  
2**

**#4 AUBURN 34**  
**MISSISSIPPI STATE 0**

September 9, 2006 • Lincoln Financial Sports  
Davis Wade Stadium at Scott Field (43,460) • Starkville, Miss.

Brad Lester ran for two touchdowns and Courtney Taylor led all receivers with nine catches for 103 yards as fourth-ranked Auburn defeated Mississippi State, 34-0, at Davis Wade Stadium.

Auburn improved to 17-1 in its last 18 Southeastern Conference games and has won 18 of its last 19 games against conference opponents.

The win marked the sixth straight for the Tigers over the Bulldogs and the second straight by shutout. Over the past two games against Mississippi State, the Tigers have outscored the Bulldogs, 62-0.

The Tigers have also held Mississippi State to 18 or less points in the last eight straight games.

Lester's two touchdowns gave him two multiple-score efforts this year and four in two seasons. The sophomore rushed five times for 40 yards, including the two scores. He rushed for a two-yard touchdown less than four minutes in the second quarter. Lester then started off the third quarter with a 20-yard run to put Auburn up, 24-0.

Taylor, meanwhile, surpassed the 100-yard receiving mark for the second time in his career. The senior has now caught at least one pass in 35 of his 39 career games.

Junior quarterback Brandon Cox was 18-of-27 for 249 yards and two touchdowns -- the 12th time in his career he has thrown at least one TD -- in the win. He connected with Gabe McKenzie for a 6-yard touchdown to end the first half, then found Rogeriquis Smith for a 20-yard score with less than two minutes left in the third quarter. The touchdowns for McKenzie and Smith represented the first of their careers.

Ten different Tigers caught at least one pass in the win.

Senior kicker John Vaughn set a career-high for the third time in two games this season when he booted a 55-yard field goal with seven seconds left in the second quarter. The field goal was his second of 50 yards or better this season and tied the fourth-longest distance in Auburn (2-0 overall, 1-0 SEC) history. He finished the game 2-for-2, also making a 22-yarder in the fourth quarter.

Auburn dominated defensively, limiting Mississippi State to 161 yards of total offense. The Bulldogs were able to rush for just 79 yards and pass for 82.

For the second straight game, senior Karibi Dede led the Tigers in tackles, this time coming up with six. True freshman Craig Stevens and sophomore Merrill Johnson tied for second on the team with five, followed by two others with four.

Sophomore Pat Sims paced the Tigers with 1.5 sacks as Auburn finished with four overall. Sims forced a fumble in the fourth quarter that was recovered by freshman

Jermarcus Ricks, who returned it 31 yards to the Mississippi State 4-yard-line.

Senior David Irons, meanwhile, intercepted his first career pass while finishing with two tackles.

Mississippi State (0-2, 0-2) had a chance to get on the board for the first time this season in the fourth quarter on a 37-yard field goal, but Adam Carlson's kick was blocked by senior defensive end Marquies Gunn.

The win improved Auburn to 41-27-5 all-time in SEC openers.

Auburn has held 20 of its last 27 opponents to fewer than 20 points dating back to the 2004 season.

**SCORING SUMMARY**

Auburn	7	10	14	3	—	34
Mississippi State	0	0	0	0	—	0

AU—McKenzie 6 pass from Cox (Vaughn kick), 1:07, 1st  
 AU—Lester 2 run (Vaughn kick), 11:35, 2nd  
 AU—Vaughn 55 field goal, 0:07, 2nd  
 AU—Lester 20 run (Vaughn kick), 13:12, 3rd  
 AU—R. Smith 20 pass from Cox (Vaughn kick), 1:45, 3rd  
 AU—Vaughn 22 field goal, 3:49, 4th

**TEAM STATISTICS**

	MSU	AU
First Downs	11	20
Rushes-Yards	33-79	36-111
Passing Yards	82	277
Comp-Att-Int	12-25-1	22-32-0
Total Yards	58-161	68-388
Punts-Avg.	8-38.9	4-47.5
Fumbles/Lost	3/2	3/2
Penalties-Yards	4-48	4-30
3rd Down Conv.	5-of-15	6-of-13
Time of Possession	29:34	30:26

**INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS**

**RUSHING: (MSU)** Dixon 15-69, Thornton 6-19, Stallworth 2-16, Davis 1-4, Williams 1-1, Long 1(-1), Ambrose 1(-6), Rutland 6(-23); **(AU)** K. Irons 21-69, Lester 5-40 (2TD), Stewart 3-7, Tate 4-1, T. Smith 1(-2), Cox 2(-4).  
**PASSING: (MSU)** Rutland 25-12-1, 82; **(AU)** Cox 27-18-0, 249 (2TD), Field 4-4-0, 28, Team 1-0-0, 0.  
**RECEIVING: (MSU)** Conner 6-49, Burks 2-19, Husband 1-9, Thornton 1-3, Ambrose 1-2, Stallworth 1-0; **(AU)** Taylor 9-103, McKenzie 4-42 (TD), R. Smith 2-85 (TD), Bennett 1-18, Lester 1-12, Rodriguez 1-9, Guess 1-8, T. Smith 1-5, Stewart 1(-1), K. Irons 1(-4).



# 2006 Auburn Football Game Recaps

**GAME**  
**3**

**#6 LSU**  
**#3 AUBURN**

**3**  
**7**

September 16, 2006 • CBS

Jordan-Hare Stadium (87,451) • Auburn, Ala.

A battle between two top-10 teams proved defensive as a Brandon Cox's 1-yard quarterback sneak in the third quarter proved to be the difference in No. 3 Auburn's 7-3 victory over No. 6 LSU at Jordan-Hare Stadium.

Cox rushed through the middle of Auburn's line with 4:53 left in the third quarter for Auburn's only score of the game. It capped off a 12-play, 75-yard drive that effectively gave the Tigers the win in the lowest scoring game at Jordan-Hare Stadium since Auburn's 7-0 win over Houston in 1973.

Auburn, however, needed defensive strength to stop LSU twice late in the game.

LSU got to within striking distance on the last drive of the game. Starting at their own 20, the Bayou Bengals moved all the way to Auburn's 19, highlighted by JaMarcus Russell connecting on a 21-yard pass to Dwayne Bowe. Two plays later, Russell found Craig Davis on the left side, but Auburn's Eric Brock brought him down at the 4-yard-line as the clock expired.

The defensive stop came in similar fashion for the Tigers, who held LSU on its second-to-last possession. The Bayou Bengals started on their own 19 and drove to Auburn's 33. Three straight plays on the ground netted LSU 2 yards before Brock came up big, tipping a Russell pass near the goal line that was intended for Early Doucet.

Auburn limited LSU to 311 yards of total offense, with 155 of those coming in the fourth quarter. The Bayou Bengals managed just 42 yards rushing on 23 attempts as the hard-hitting Auburn defense stood its ground.

LSU's defense, however, proved to be just as stingy, holding the Tigers to 182 yards of offense, including 110 through the air. Cox was 11-of-20 for the day.

Kenny Irons, meanwhile, carried the ball 25 times for 70 yards. Courtney Taylor led all Auburn players with three catches for 22 yards.

LSU opened the game's scoring in the second quarter, coming at the end of the half. Russell rushed for 2 yards after fumbling the snap, setting up a Colt David 42-yard field goal on the last play of the half.

Four minutes prior to the field goal, Auburn had its first chance of the game to score but a John Vaughn 26-yard field goal attempt hit the left upright. Auburn had run 16 plays during the preceeding drive against the physical LSU defense.

The first half saw both offenses struggle, as they did for most of the game. Auburn ran 27 plays and gained just 60 yards, while LSU was a little better, gaining 93 yards on 29 plays.

Will Herring paced all Auburn players with six tackles, including three solo and 1.5 for loss. Karibi Dede had Auburn's only sack of the game, a 1 yarder of Russell on the last drive of the game.

Five Tigers were credited with one pass deflection apiece, while the team was credited with six quarterback hurries, led by Antonio Coleman's two.

The game featured a matchup between LSU offensive coordinator and Auburn defensive coordinator Will Muschamp, who coached together at LSU from 2001-04.

The game pitted the two highest ranked teams at Jordan-Hare Stadium since 1990.

It marked the second consecutive season the game was decided on the final play and the third straight in the closing seconds.

The win gave Auburn four straight victories over LSU at Jordan-Hare Stadium and improved the Tigers' record to 7-1 win over *Associated Press* top 10 teams since 2004.

## SCORING SUMMARY

LSU	0	3	0	0	—	3
Auburn	0	0	7	0	—	7

LSU—David 42 field goal, 0:00, 2nd  
AU—Cox 1 run (Vaughn kick), 4:53, 3rd

## TEAM STATISTICS

	LSU	AU
First Downs	16	13
Rushes-Yards	23-42	38-72
Passing Yards	269	110
Comp-Att-Int	20-37-0	11-20-1
Total Yards	60-311	58-182
Punts-Avg.	6-42.0	6-48.2
Fumbles/Lost	2-0	0-0
Penalties-Yards	7-50	4-35
3rd Down Conv.	4-of-13	6-of-15
Time of Possession	26:26	33:34

## INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

**RUSHING:** (LSU) Vincent 6-16, Broussard 10-16, Russell 4-14, Hester 3(-4); (AU) K. Irons 25-70, Taylor 1-11, Stewart 2-8, Lester 2-0, Cox 8(-17).

**PASSING:** (LSU) Russell 35-20-0, 269, Team 2-0-0, 0; (AU) Cox 20-11-1, 110.

**RECEIVING:** (LSU) Davis 7-96, Doucet 4-83, Bowe 4-56, Hester 4-27, Vincent 1-7; (AU) Taylor 3-22, Rodriguez 2-16, Stewart 1-19, R. Smith 1-17, Dunn 1-14, McKenzie 1-13, Bennett 1-7, Trott 1-2.

**GAME**  
**4**

**BUFFALO**  
**#2 AUBURN**

**7**  
**38**

September 23, 2006

Jordan-Hare Stadium (84,921) • Auburn, Ala.

Brad Lester and Ben Tate rushed for two touchdowns apiece as No. 2 Auburn overcame a sluggish start for a 38-7 victory over Buffalo at Pat Dye Field at Jordan-Hare Stadium.

All told, the Tigers finished with 261 yards rushing, led by Tate, who entered the game with just four career carries. He finished with a team-leading 114 yards on seven carries against the Bulls.

Lester ran the ball 18 times for 83 yards in his first start of the season.

He rushed for the game's first touchdown from two yards out with 2:46 left in the first quarter but saw the Tigers go into halftime with a 10-0 lead after a John Vaughn field goal at the end of the half.

Lester scored Auburn's second touchdown of the game, a 4-yarder at 12:28 of the third quarter, to put Auburn up 17-0. Buffalo, however, stayed with the Tigers, posting a 5-yard touchdown on an Evan Wallace pass at 5:33 of the third quarter to pull within 10, 17-7.

That turned out to be the Bulls' last gasp as Tate and Tre Smith combined to score the Tigers' last 21 points in the final two quarters to widen the gap for good.

Smith made it 24-7 with a 2-yard TD with 40 seconds left in the third quarter. The score capped off an eight carry, 57-yard day for the senior.

Tate finished Auburn's scoring, rushing for a 42-yard touchdown at 11:17 of the fourth quarter and a 28-yarder with 3:44 to play.

Auburn passed the ball just 14 times, with starter Brandon Cox finishing 6-for-10 for 134 yards and one interception. Blake Field relieved Cox in the fourth quarter and was a perfect 4-for-4 for 19 yards.

Courtney Taylor led all Tigers with three receptions for 48 yards, while Carl Stewart had the game's longest play with a 54-yard pass from Cox at the start of the third quarter.

Defensively, the Tigers shined for the third straight game, limiting Buffalo to 198 yards of total offense, including 111 through the air.

Auburn was credited with 11 tackles for loss and three sacks, with Aairon Savage, Marquies Gunn and Sen'Derrick Marks each claiming one.

Merrill Johnson tied for the team lead with seven total tackles and was credited with three quarterback hurries. Will Herring also finished with seven tackles in the victory.

## SCORING SUMMARY

Buffalo	0	0	7	0	—	7
Auburn	7	3	14	14	—	38

AU—Lester 2 run (Vaughn kick), 2:46, 1st  
AU—Vaughn 46 field goal, 0:00, 2nd  
AU—Lester 4 run (Vaughn kick), 12:38, 3rd  
UB—Wallace 5 pass from Willy (Packwood kick), 5:33, 3rd  
AU—T. Smith 2 run (Vaughn kick), 0:40, 3rd  
AU—Tate 42 run (Vaughn kick), 11:17, 4th  
AU—Tate 28 run (Vaughn kick), 3:44, 4th

## TEAM STATISTICS

	UB	AU
First Downs	14	19
Rushes-Yards	39-87	36-261
Passing Yards	111	153
Comp-Att-Int	12-24-0	10-14-1
Total Yards	63-198	50-414
Punts-Avg.	7-42.6	3-50.3
Fumbles/Lost	1-0	0-0
Penalties-Yards	3-15	7-52
3rd Down Conv.	2-of-14	4-of-7
Time of Possession	33:24	26:36

## INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

**RUSHING:** (UB) Starks 20-66, King 3-22, Mccune 3-11, Paoli 2-6, Patterson 1-2, Nduka 1(-4), Willy 9(-16); (AU) Tate 7-114 (2TD), Lester 18-83 (2TD), T. Smith 8-57 (TD), Stewart 2-11, Cox 1(-4).

**PASSING:** (UB) Willy 21-12-0, 111, TD, Paoli 3-0-0, 0; (AU) Cox 10-6-1, 134, Field 4-4-0, 19.

**RECEIVING:** (UB) Upshaw 4-63, Starks 3-10, Yealu 1-23, Breaux 1-9, Wallace 1-5 (TD), Roosevelt 1-4, Patterson 1(-3); (AU) Taylor 3-48, Billings 2-26, Stewart 1-54, R. Smith 1-14, Swinton 1-12, McKenzie 1-4, Tate 1(-5).

With the win, Auburn improved to 20-2 under head coach Tommy Tuberville in non-conference games. The Tigers are 2-0 this season after the win over Buffalo and a 40-14 victory over Washington State to open the season.

The Tigers have also held 22 of their last 29 opponents to fewer than 20 points dating back to the 2004 season.

# 2006 Auburn Football

**GAME**  
**5**

**#2 AUBURN**  
**SOUTH CAROLINA**

**24**  
**17**

September 28, 2006 • ESPN  
Williams-Brice Stadium (74,374) • Columbia, S.C.

Kenny Irons rushed for 117 yards and two 1-yard touchdown runs as No. 2 Auburn held off a late South Carolina rally for a 24-17 victory in front of a national ESPN audience on a rare Thursday night appearance.

The Gamecocks, already having scored one fourth-quarter touchdown, threatened late in the game, driving to Auburn's 5 with less than 30 seconds left. A fourth-down pass to Sidney Rice was batted down in the end zone by Auburn's Patrick Lee, preserving the win and sending the Tigers to a 5-0 overall record.

The defense, however, wasn't needed in the third quarter as Auburn's offense ran all 28 plays and held on to the ball for all 15 minutes. Vaughn's field goal at 6:22 ended Auburn's first drive of the quarter, one that lasted for 17 plays and 8:38.

Auburn head coach Tommy Tuberville lived up to his "Riverboat Gambler" moniker after Vaughn's field goal. Matt Clark masked his onside kick perfectly, with the Tigers recovering his 13-yard kick at their own 48. That set up Auburn's 13-play, 52-yard drive that culminated eight seconds into the fourth quarter on Irons' second touchdown of the game.

Irons, who transferred from South Carolina to Auburn prior to the 2004 season, opened the game's scoring with a 1-yard run six minutes in, then scored his second of the game with 14:52 left in the fourth quarter. He topped the 100-yard mark for the second time this season and the 10th time in his career.

Brandon Cox was 13-of-19 passing for 180 yards in the win. He connected on his only touchdown pass of the game in the second quarter, hitting Tommy Trott from 9 yards out with 4:37 left on the clock.

John Vaughn accounted for Auburn's other scoring play, hitting a 24-yard field goal -- his eighth field goal of the season -- with 6:22 to play in the third quarter.

South Carolina got on the scoreboard at 9:09 of the second quarter on a Ryan Succop 49-yard field goal. The Gamecocks then scored late in the first half when Kenny McKinley caught a 13-yard pass from Syvelle Newton to pull South Carolina within four, 14-10.

The Gamecocks scored for the last time in the fourth quarter when Newton completed a 25-yard touchdown pass to Jared Cook with 8:25 left.

The Tiger defense remained stout for much of the game, limiting South Carolina to 109 yards rushing on 34 carries, an average of 3.2 yards per rush.

David Irons led all Auburn players with 10 tackles, including six solo. The Tigers were credited with four sacks, highlighted by Marquies Gunn's two.

The Gamecocks' McKinley led all players with eight catches for 110 yards.

The win gave Auburn 19 victories in their last 20 Southeastern Conference games. The Tigers, overall, have gone 27-3 dating back to the 2004 season.

Auburn also improved to 6-1-1 all-time against South Carolina. The game marked the Tigers' first in Columbia, S.C., since the 1997 season.

#### SCORING SUMMARY

Auburn	7	3	7	—	24	
South Carolina	0	10	0	7	—	17

AU—K. Irons 1 run (Vaughn kick), 8:07, 1st  
SC—Succop 49 field goal, 9:09, 2nd  
AU—Trott 9 pass from Cox (Vaughn kick), 4:37, 2nd  
SC—McKinley 13 pass from Newton (Succop kick), 0:46, 2nd  
AU—Vaughn 24 field goal, 6:22, 3rd  
AU—K. Irons 1 run (Vaughn kick), 14:52, 4th  
SC—Cook 25 pass from Newton (Succop kick), 8:25, 4th

#### TEAM STATISTICS

	AU	SC
First Downs	16	24
Rushes-Yards	35-127	34-109
Passing Yards	180	240
Comp-Att-Int	13-19-0	21-35-1
Total Yards	54-307	69-349
Punts-Avg.	2-57.0	1-49.0
Fumbles/Lost	3-1	1-1
Penalties-Yards	8-50	5-31
3rd Down Conv.	4-of-10	6-of-13
Time of Possession	29:40	30:20

#### INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

**RUSHING:** (AU) K. Irons 27-117 (2TD), Stewart 3-22, Taylor 1-1, Cox 4-(-13); (SC) Newton 20-44, Davis 9-37, Boyd 5-28.

**PASSING:** (AU) Cox 19-13-0, 180 (TD); (SC) Newton 35-21-1, 240 (2TD).

**RECEIVING:** (AU) Trott 3-31 (TD), Taylor 2-43, R. Smith 2-37, McKenzie 1-25, Rodriguez 1-15, Guess 1-12, Dunn 1-8, T. Smith 1-7, K. Irons 1-2; (SC) McKinley 8-110 (TD), Rice 4-48, Body 3-26, Hall 3-16, Cook 1-25 (TD), Brown 1-9, Whiteside 1-6.

**GAME**  
**6**

**ARKANSAS**  
**#2 AUBURN**

**27**  
**10**

October 7, 2006 • CBS  
Jordan-Hare Stadium (87,451) • Auburn, Ala.

Darren McFadden and Felix Jones both topped the 100-yard rushing mark as Arkansas upset No. 2 Auburn, 27-10, at Jordan-Hare Stadium.

The loss snapped Auburn's five-game winning streak to start the season and dropped the Tigers to 3-1 in Southeastern Conference play. The Razorbacks, meanwhile, improved to 4-1 overall and 3-0 in the SEC.

McFadden led all rushers with 145 yards on 28 carries and a 63-yard touchdown in the second quarter. Jones was not far behind with 13 carries and 104 yards, scoring on a 1-yard scamper in the third quarter.

Quarterback Mitch Mustain and Arkansas attempted just 10 passes in the win, compared to 45 rushes. In the second half alone, the Razorbacks ran the ball 30 times and passed it just twice.

Arkansas opened the game's scoring eight minutes in with a 34-yard field goal by Jeremy Davis. A little more than four minutes later, the Razorbacks upped the score to 10-0 when Mustain tossed a 50-yard touchdown to Marcus Monk.

Auburn pulled to within three with Rodgericus Smith's 24-yard touchdown reception to open the second quarter, but the Razorbacks stretched their lead to 10 again midway through the second quarter.

McFadden found a seam and broke away for a 63-yard touchdown run with five minutes remaining in the quarter. It was the first rushing touchdown allowed by the Tigers this season.

John Vaughn connected on his ninth field goal in 11 tries this season at 1:50 of the second quarter, nailing a 36-yarder that made it 17-10. Brad Lester helped set up the field goal with a 68-yard kickoff return that put Auburn on Arkansas' 32-yard-line to start the drive.

The field goal, however, turned out to be Auburn's last points of the game.

Jones scored on a 1-yard rush with 4:54 left in the third quarter, putting the game further out of reach. Davis iced it with 3:53 in the fourth with his second field goal of the game, a 22-yarder.

The Auburn offense could not get on track, managing just 60 yards rushing and 153 passing. Kenny Irons led the team with 75 yards rushing on 15 carries, but the Arkansas defense managed 11 tackles for loss for a total of 60 yards.

Brandon Cox sprayed the ball around to seven different receivers, finishing the game 17-of-29 passing. However, a 24-yard touchdown strike to Rodgericus Smith with 14:53 left in the second quarter was the only time Auburn managed to find the end zone.

Courtney Taylor led all receivers with five receptions and was second on the Tigers with 33 yards. Smith caught a career-high four passes for 64 yards while three others -- Irons, Gabe McKenzie and Tommy Trott -- had two receptions apiece.

Eric Brock and Aairon Savage tied for the Auburn team lead with 11 tackles in the loss, marking a personal-best for both. The Tigers did not manage a sack and were credited with two tackles for loss, one each by Karibi Dede and Marquies Gunn.

The loss snapped Auburn's three-game winning streak over the Razorbacks dating back to the 2003 season.

#### SCORING SUMMARY

Arkansas	10	7	7	3	—	27
Auburn	0	10	0	0	—	10

AR—Davis 34 field goal, 7:56, 1st  
AR—Monk 50 pass from Mustain (Davis kick), 3:43, 1st  
AU—R. Smith 24 pass from Cox (Vaughn kick), 14:53, 2nd  
AR—McFadden 63 run (Davis kick), 5:00, 2nd  
AU—Vaughn 36 field goal, 1:50, 2nd  
AR—Jones 1 run (Davis kick), 4:54, 3rd  
AR—Davis 22 field goal, 3:53, 4th

#### TEAM STATISTICS

	AR	AU
First Downs	17	16
Rushes-Yards	45-279	31-60
Passing Yards	87	153
Comp-Att-Int	7-10-0	17-29-0
Total Yards	55-366	60-213
Punts-Avg.	3-45.3	5-38.2
Fumbles/Lost	0-0	3-0
Penalties-Yards	4-30	5-45
3rd Down Conv.	7-of-12	7-of-15
Time of Possession	31:50	28:10

#### INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

**RUSHING:** (AR) McFadden 28-145 (TD), Jones 13-104 (TD), Fish 1-28, Mustain 1-4, Team 1-(-2); (AU) K. Irons 15-75, Lester 4-28, Stewart 1-4, Taylor 1-(-2), T. Smith 1-(-11), Cox 9-(-34).

**PASSING:** (AR) Mustain 10-7-0, 87 (TD); (AU) Cox 29-17-0, 153 (TD).

**RECEIVING:** (AR) Jones 3-8, Hillis 2-21, Monk 1-50 (TD), Washington 1-8; (AU) Taylor 5-33, R. Smith 4-64 (TD), McKenzie 2-21, K. Irons 2-21, Trott 2-(-1), Stewart 1-13, Lester 1-2.

# 2006 Auburn Football

**GAME**  
**7**

**#2 FLORIDA**  
**#11 AUBURN**

**17**  
**27**

October 14, 2006 • ESPN

Jordan-Hare Stadium (87,451) • Auburn, Ala.

Tre Smith returned a third quarter blocked punt for a touchdown and Auburn's defense forced three turnovers and did not allow a point in the second half as the 11th-ranked Tigers scored the game's last 19 points to upset No. 2 Florida, 27-17, at Jordan-Hare Stadium.

On Florida's first drive of the second half with the Gators ahead, 17-11, Auburn's special teams unit came up big. The Gators' Eric Wilbur could not handle the snap on 4th-and-18 and had his punt blocked by Jerraud Powers at Florida's 15-yard-line. Smith recovered the block and returned it 15 yards for the touchdown to give Auburn the lead for good.

The Auburn defense picked up where the team's special teams left off. The Tigers did not allow a point in the second half after giving up 17 points through two quarters on just 18 plays. Florida managed just 85 offensive yards in the second half, including 31 on the ground.

Quentin Groves paced Auburn's stout defense, finishing with three sacks, all in the second half. He also forced a fumble on Auburn's 6-yard-line in the fourth quarter, enabling Tray Blackmon to recover it and return it to the Tigers' 38.

Groves was also instrumental with less than three minutes in the game, pressuring Florida quarterback Chris Leak. Eric Brock stepped in front of Leak's pass for his first interception of the season which effectively killed the Gators' attempt to overcome the 18-17 deficit.

The Tigers began the game's scoring on a 22-yard field goal with nine minutes remaining in the first quarter. Florida, however, matched that five minutes later when Chris Hetland connected from 22 yards out.

Dallas Baker made it 10-3 in favor of Florida a minute into the second quarter, catching a 15-yard touchdown pass from Leak.

With Florida pinned inside its five four minutes later, the Tiger defense used a little luck to make it 10-5. The Gators were guilty of a holding penalty in end zone, giving Auburn a team safety.

Six minutes later, Vaughn kicked his second field goal of the game, a 31-yarder, to bring it to within two, 10-8.

The Gators scored their final points of the game at the 4:10 mark of the second quarter on a Tim Tebow quarterback run from 16 yards out.

With 30 seconds remaining in the first half, Vaughn connected on his third field goal from 34 yards out.

SCORING SUMMARY				
Florida	.....3	14	0	0 — 17
Auburn	.....3	8	7	9 — 27

AU—Vaughn 22 field goal, 9:00, 1st  
 UF—Hetland 22 field goal, 4:21, 1st  
 UF—Baker 15 pass from Leak (Hetland kick), 14:17, 2nd  
 AU—Team Safety, 10:14, 2nd  
 AU—Vaughn 31 field goal, 4:58, 2nd  
 UF—Tebow 16 run (Hetland kick), 4:10, 2nd  
 AU—Vaughn 34 field goal, 0:30, 2nd  
 AU—T. Smith 15 punt block return (Vaughn kick), 10:51, 3rd  
 AU—Vaughn 39 field goal, 0:32, 4th  
 AU—Lee 20 fumble return, 0:00, 4th

TEAM STATISTICS	UF	AU
First Downs	18	19
Rushes-Yards	28-171	40-133
Passing Yards	108	182
Comp-Att-Int	9-17-1	18-27-0
Total Yards	279	315
Punts-Avg.	3-30.7	3-37.3
Fumbles/Lost	3-2	2-1
Penalties-Yards	5-33	4-40
3rd Down Conv.	1-of-7	6-of-16
Time of Possession	23:17	36:43

**INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS**

**RUSHING:** (UF) Harvin 5-66, Caldwell 3-47, Wynn 11-46, Tebow 3-18 (TD), Moore 2-15, Leak 4-(-21); (AU) Lester 17-94, K. Irons 13-67, Stewart 3-7, Cox 7-(-35).

**PASSING:** (UF) Leak 17-9-1, 108 (TD); (AU) Cox 27-18-0, 182.

**RECEIVING:** (UF) Baker 4-62 (TD), Caldwell 2-25, Casey 2-17, Moore 1-12, Fayson 0-(-8); (AU) Taylor 5-37, R. Smith 3-33, Rodriguez 3-26, K. Irons 2-17, Stewart 1-24, Dunn 1-14, Trott 1-14, Lester 1-9, T. Smith 1-8.

The Tigers were not able to manage another score in the third quarter after Smith's punt block return, but put nine points on the board in the fourth quarter. Vaughn hit his fourth field goal of the game from 39 yards with 32 seconds left and Patrick Lee returned a fumble 20 yards with no time left on the clock.

Brandon Cox finished 18-of-27 passing for 182 yards and Brad Lester led the rushing attack with a career-high 94 yards on 17 carries.

Despite not scoring an offensive touchdown, the Tigers had the ball for 36:43 compared to Florida's 23:17.

Auburn improved to 8-1 in its last nine games against teams ranked in the *Associated Press* top 10.

Head coach Tommy Tuberville has won three games over AP top five in home games at Auburn.

**GAME**  
**8**

**TULANE**  
**#8 AUBURN**

**13**  
**38**

October 21, 2006

Jordan-Hare Stadium (79,837) • Auburn, Ala.

True freshman Ben Tate rushed for 156 yards and a touchdown and Brandon Cox threw for three scores as No. 8 Auburn defeated Tulane, 38-13, on the Tigers' 80th Homecoming game.

Tate carried the ball 26 times and scored on a 1-yard run at the 9:52 mark of the fourth quarter. The 156-yard game, 144 of those coming in the second half, was his second above the century mark this season after rushing for 114 yards against Buffalo. It also marked the seventh-best rushing performance in Auburn history.

Cox, meanwhile, completed 16-of-19 passes attempted and found three different receivers for touchdowns. Cox threw a 27-yard strike to Tommy Trott less than 10 seconds into the second half, then less than three minutes later, found Tre Smith on a 6-yard score. Cox ended his day with a 23-yard touchdown pass to Courtney Taylor with 2:20 to play in the third quarter.

The strike marked the first this season for Taylor, who led all Auburn players with five receptions for 63 yards against the Green Wave.

Auburn jumped out to a 24-10 lead at halftime, highlighted by Cox's two touchdown passes. After Tulane scored on a 21-yard field goal with 16 seconds left in the second quarter to get within 11, the Tigers received the ball at the 50 on a Green Wave squib kick. Two plays later, John Vaughn extended Auburn's lead to 14 points with a 45-yard field goal.

It took the Tigers nearly 13 minutes to score in the second half, with Cox finding Taylor down the middle. Taylor broke a couple tackles before finding the end zone, which gave the Tigers a 31-10 lead.

Ross Thevenot hit his second field goal of the game, a 31-yarder with 12 seconds left to play in the third, which turned out to be Tulane's last score of the game. Tate then iced Auburn's offensive effort with his 1-yard run in the fourth.

Tulane boasted two 100-yard receivers -- Preston Brown (139 yards) and Demarcus Davis (126) -- in addition to a 100-yard rusher in Matt Forte (117 yards). Quarterback Lester Ricard threw for 283 yards on 20-of-39 passing.

Defensively, Auburn was led by Will Herring and Karibi Dede, who both finished with five tackles. Marquies Gunn was credited with two tackles for loss while Quentin Groves posted his team-leading seventh sack of the season. Zach Gilbert intercepted a pass and returned it 57 yards in the fourth quarter.

John Vaughn scored eight points in the win, giving him 284 for his career, setting a new Auburn record.

SCORING SUMMARY				
Tulane	.....7	3	3	0 — 13
Auburn	.....7	17	7	7 — 38

AU—Lester 2 run (Vaughn kick), 9:02, 1st  
 TU—Davis 23 pass from Ricard (Thevenot kick), 6:05, 1st  
 AU—Trott 27 pass from Cox (Vaughn kick), 14:51, 2nd  
 AU—T. Smith 6 pass from Cox (Vaughn kick), 12:07, 2nd  
 TU—Thevenot 21 field goal, 0:16, 2nd  
 AU—Vaughn 45 field goal, 0:00, 2nd  
 AU—Taylor 23 pass from Cox (Vaughn kick), 2:20, 3rd  
 TU—Thevenot 31 field goal, 0:12, 3rd  
 AU—Tate 1 run (Vaughn kick), 9:52, 4th

TEAM STATISTICS	TU	AU
First Downs	18	19
Rushes-Yards	27-106	41-220
Passing Yards	283	212
Comp-Att-Int	20-39-1	16-19-0
Total Yards	66-389	60-432
Punts-Avg.	4-38.0	2-55.0
Fumbles/Lost	3-2	1-1
Penalties-Yards	6-45	4-35
3rd Down Conv.	10-of-18	11-of-15
Time of Possession	29:41	30:19

**INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS**

**RUSHING:** (TU) Forte 21-117, Anderson 1-2, Ricard 5-(-13); (AU) Tate 26-156 (TD), T. Smith 5-44, Lester 6-23, Turman 1-1, Cox 2-(-1), Team 1-(-3).

**PASSING:** (TU) Ricard 39-20-1, 283 (TD); (AU) Cox 19-16-0, 212 (3TD).

**RECEIVING:** (TU) Brown 9-139, Davis 8-126 (TD), Ratcliff 2-9, King 1-9; (AU) Taylor 5-63 (TD), Rodriguez 2-27, T. Smith 2-22 (TD), McKenzie 2-11, R. Smith 2-4, Lester 1-36, Trott 1-27 (TD), Guess 1-22.

Vaughn's first quarter point after touchdown set the record.

Kody Bliss set a career-high with a 71-yard punt in the first quarter.

The Tigers were without the services of four of their starters -- running back Kenny Irons, fullback Carl Stewart, offensive guard Tim Duckworth and safety Aairon Savage -- who were held out of the game to rest.

The Tigers honored their senior class prior to the game. The class has 21 seniors and is the biggest under head coach Tommuy Tuberville at Auburn.

Auburn improved to 67-8-5 in homecoming games and has won its last 15 straight.

# 2006 Auburn Football

**GAME**  
**9**

**#7 AUBURN**  
**OLE MISS**

**23**  
**17**

October 28, 2006 • Lincoln Financial Sports  
Vaught-Hemingway Stadium (55,211) • Oxford, Miss.

Quarterback Brandon Cox completed 21-of-34 passes for a season-high 253 yards and a touchdown as No. 7 Auburn won its seventh-straight game in Oxford, 23-17, over Ole Miss.

Cox found Rodgeriquis Smith on a 13-yard touchdown in the first quarter and completed eight passes to Courtney Taylor, who finished with a season-high 108 yards. Taylor was just three yards off tying his career high of 111 set in the 2004 SEC Championship Game against Tennessee.

John Vaughn connected on three field goals, including a 20-yarder with 7:35 to play in the game, which broke a 17-17 deadlock and proved to be the game winner. Tristan Davis has returned an Ole Miss kickoff 45 yards to the Tigers' 45 to help set up Vaughn's field goal.

The field goal also marked the 46th of Vaughn's career, which set a new Auburn career record. The Brentwood, Tenn., native iced the game with 35 seconds to play, connecting on a 29-yard field goal, giving Auburn its final 23-17 lead.

The Auburn defense shut down the Ole Miss offense in the second half, allowing the Rebels just 117 total yards on their last seven possessions of the game after giving up 158 yards in the first three possessions. Aairon Savage teamed with Eric Brock to intercept passes on consecutive Ole Miss series in the third quarter. Brock picked off Brent Schaeffer first, getting the ball at Ole Miss' 29 and setting up a Brad Lester 6-yard touchdown.

Savage was next, intercepting the ball off at the Rebels' 33, setting up Vaughn's first field goal of the game.

Kenny Irons rushed for his third 100-yard game this season, averaging 4.6 yards per carry. He finished with 65 yards in the second half, where Auburn outscored Ole Miss, 16-10, after the teams went into halftime tied at 7.

Ole Miss opened the game's scoring less than three minutes in when Mico McSwain ran for a 27-yard touchdown. Cox and Smith, however, evened it up less than eight minutes later, capping a 15-play drive that lasted 7:46 and accumulated 69 yards. The touchdown tied the game at 7, where it stood until the third quarter.

Ole Miss briefly took the lead again on a Joshua Shene 29-yard field goal the 10:26 mark of the third quarter. That was the last time Auburn trailed, with Lester punching one into the end zone on a 6-yard run at the 5:50 mark, giving the Tigers a 14-10 lead.

Vaughn extended that lead with less than a minute left in the third quarter, splitting the uprights for a 31-yard field goal, his first of the game.

**SCORING SUMMARY**

Auburn	7	0	10	6	23
Ole Miss	7	0	3	7	17

UM—McSwain 27 run (Shene kick), 12:17, 1st  
 AU—R. Smith 13 pass from Cox (Vaughn kick), 4:31, 1st  
 UM—Shene 29 field goal, 10:26, 3rd  
 AU—Lester 6 run (Vaughn kick), 5:50, 3rd  
 AU—Vaughn 31 field goal, 0:55, 3rd  
 UM—Lilly 3 pass from Schaeffer (Shene kick), 12:06, 4th  
 AU—Vaughn 20 field goal, 7:35, 4th  
 AU—Vaughn 29 field goal, 0:35, 4th

**TEAM STATISTICS**

	UM	AU
First Downs	15	25
Rushes-Yards	28-86	41-175
Passing Yards	170	253
Comp-Att-Int	9-17-2	21-34-1
Total Yards	256	428
Punts-Avg.	3-41.0	2-46.0
Fumbles/Lost	0-0	1-1
Penalties-Yards	2-30	9-84
3rd Down Conv.	2-of-7	4-of-14
Time of Possession	22:08	37:52

**INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS**

**RUSHING: (UM)** Green-Ellis 13-44, Hall 7-34, McSwain 1-27 (TD), Schaeffer 7-(-19); **(AU)** K. Irons 23-106, Lester 14-49 (TD), Stewart 3-13, Taylor 1-7.  
**PASSING: (UM)** Schaeffer 16-8-2, 161 (TD), Hall 1-1-0, 9; **(AU)** Cox 34-21-1, 253 (TD).  
**RECEIVING: (UM)** Lane 2-78, Wallace 1-38, Hall 1-17, Hodge 1-12, Schaeffer 1-9, Cook 1-8, Green 1-5, Lilly 1-3 (TD); **(AU)** Taylor 8-108, R. Smith 4-46 (TD), Trott 2-21, Dunn 2-16, Guess 1-25, Stewart 1-23, McKenzie 1-9, Rodriguez 1-8, T. Smith 1-(-3).

Lawrence Lilly evened the score at 17 on a 3-yard touchdown reception from Schaeffer three minutes into the fourth quarter. Vaughn, though, was solid from that point on, scoring the game's final six points.

Auburn's offense held a big advantage over Ole Miss, holding the ball 37:52 to the Rebels' 22:08. The Tigers also ran 75 plays to Ole Miss' 45.

Josh Thompson and Savage both had six tackles to pace the Tiger defense, which limited the Rebels to just 86 yards rushing and 170 yards passing. Quentin Groves posted 1.5 sacks in the win, while Sen'Derrick Marks was credited with 1.5 tackles for loss.

Auburn extended its lead in the all-time series against Ole Miss to 23-8, and is 8-1 in games played in Oxford. Overall, the Tigers have won six of their last seven meetings against the Rebels.

**GAME**  
**10**

**ARKANSAS STATE**  
**#6 AUBURN**

**0**  
**27**

November 4, 2006  
Jordan-Hare Stadium (78,493) • Auburn, Ala.

The Auburn defense limited Arkansas State to just 177 yards of total offense as the Tigers defeated the Indians, 27-0, in their final regular season non-conference game of the season.

The shutout marked the second of the season for Auburn after defeating Mississippi State 34-0 in the second game of the season. It was the first time since 2000 the Tigers posted two shutouts in the same season.

The Tiger defense limited Arkansas State to 89 yards passing and 88 rushing. The 177 yards allowed by the Tigers was the second-least this season, trailing only the 161 accumulated by Mississippi State on Sept. 9.

Courtney Taylor set a career-high with 116 yards receiving and Carl Stewart scored through the air and the ground to pace the Auburn offense, which finished with 399 yards overall.

Taylor caught four passes -- all coming in the first half -- and surpassed his previous career-high in receiving by five yards. His 116 yards marked his second straight 100-yard effort, third of the season and fourth of his career. He is the first Auburn player to post back-to-back 100 yard receiving games since 1999.

Taylor also set a career-high with a 57-yard reception from Brandon Cox in the second quarter that placed Auburn on the Arkansas State 15 and eventually led to a John Vaughn field goal.

Arkansas State managed to complete just two passes in the first half for no yards. The Indians were able to get into Auburn's territory just once, and it came in Arkansas State's 10th series of the game. The Indians were close to scoring on the drive, but a fumbled snap on a 19-yard attempted field goal kept them off the scoreboard.

Auburn finished with six tackles for loss, including sacks by Merrill Johnson and Aairon Savage. Patrick Lee intercepted his first career pass in the fourth quarter, returning it 18 yards.

Taylor began the game's scoring in the first quarter, catching a 13-yard touchdown pass from Cox. It was the first of two touchdown passes for Cox, who completed 12-of-21 passes for 251. He connected with Carl Stewart at the 4:01 mark of the third quarter for the team's final touchdown of the game.

Stewart, who finished the game with 41 yards receiving on three receptions, also scored on a 1-yard run at the 9:31 mark of the third quarter. The score was his second on the ground this season and put Auburn up, 20-0.

The Tigers saw themselves up 10-0 after the first quarter when Vaughn connected on a 21-yard field goal at the 1:15 mark of the first quarter. He made it 13-0 with a little more than four minutes to play in the second quarter, when, buoyed by Taylor's 57-yard reception, Vaughn connected on a 22-yard field goal.

Vaughn finished the game with nine points to give him 304 for his career. He is just the 15th player in SEC history to surpass 300 points (is now ranked 12th).

Taylor's 116 yards gave him 2,018 for his career, making him the sixth Tiger to surpass 2,000.

The win marked the 31st for Auburn over the past three seasons, setting a new program record for most victories over a three-year span. Additionally, dating back to the 2003 season, the Tigers have won 39 games, which ties the program record for most over a four-year span.

**SCORING SUMMARY**

Arkansas State	0	0	0	0	0
Auburn	10	3	14	0	27

AU—Taylor 13 pass from Cox (Vaughn kick), 12:08, 1st  
 AU—Vaughn 21 field goal, 1:15, 1st  
 AU—Vaughn 22 field goal, 4:15, 2nd  
 AU—Stewart 1 run (Vaughn kick), 9:31, 3rd  
 AU—Stewart 19 pass from Cox (Vaughn kick), 4:01, 3rd

**TEAM STATISTICS**

	ASU	AU
First Downs	14	16
Rushes-Yards	35-88	28-148
Passing Yards	89	251
Comp-Att-Int	12-22-1	12-22-3
Total Yards	177	399
Punts-Avg.	6-38.8	2-45.5
Fumbles/Lost	3-1	2-1
Penalties-Yards	4-36	7-57
3rd Down Conv.	3-of-11	4-of-9
Time of Possession	34:35	25:25

**INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS**

**RUSHING: (ASU)** James 7-37, Arnold 11-37, Wilkerson 9-24, Leonard 5-7, Hewitt 2-(-5), Team 1-(-12); **(AU)** Tate 11-93, Lester 12-62, Stewart 2-3 (TD), K. Irons 1-0, Cox 2-(-10).  
**PASSING: (ASU)** Leonard 17-9-0, 61, Hewitt 4-3-1, 28, Shrable 1-0-0, 0; **(AU)** Cox 21-12-2, 251 (2TD), Field 1-0-1, 0.  
**RECEIVING: (ASU)** Jones 4-34, Jordan 2-22, Miller 2-15, Johnson 1-12, James 1-6, Dejohnette 1-5, Wilkerson 1-(-5); **(AU)** Taylor 4-116 (TD), Stewart 4-31 (TD), Guess 1-38, Billings 1-21, Rodriguez 1-17, R. Smith 1-16, Tate 1-2.

# 2006 Auburn Football

**GAME**  
**11**

**GEORGIA**  
**#5 AUBURN**

**37**  
**15**

November 11, 2006 • Lincoln Financial Sports  
Jordan-Hare Stadium (87,451) • Auburn, Ala.

Georgia scored the game's first 24 points and freshman quarterback Matthew Stafford passes for 219 yards and rushed for 83 more as the Bulldogs defeated No. 5 Auburn, 37-15.

The Tigers entered the locker room at halftime with a 30-7 deficit after Brad Lester scored on a 21-yard run at the 4-minute mark of the second quarter. Auburn was able to get within 15, 30-15, late in the third quarter after Rodgeriqu Smith scored on a 34-yard catch. But a Stafford 9-yard run early in the fourth quarter pulled Georgia away from good.

Kregg Lumpkin ran for a score and 105 yards on 21 carries in the win.

The Georgia defense, meanwhile, limited Auburn to 171 yards of total offense, including 35 through the air. Brandon Cox was able to complete just four passes in 12 attempts, and was picked off four times, including three times by Georgia's Tra Battle.

Georgia controlled the clock, putting its possession time to 38:12 while Auburn's was 21:48. That led to a clear advantage in the number of plays, 66 to 37, which helped lead to 446 yards of total offense for the Bulldogs.

Lumpkin opened the game's scoring on Georgia's first drive. He rushed for an 8-yard touchdown at the 9:18 mark of the first quarter.

Gordon Ely-Kelso made it 10-0 three minutes into the second quarter with a 34-yard field goal that capped off a six play drive.

Brennan Southerland continued Georgia's scoring streak with a 1-yard run at the 5:42 mark of the second quarter that made it 17-0. And less than a minute later, Tra Battle intercepted his second pass of the game and returned it 30 yards for a touchdown, giving the Bulldogs a 24-point advantage.

Auburn battled back with a two-play drive. Starting off at the Georgia 41 after Tristan Davis returned the ensuing kickoff 40 yards, the Tigers handed the ball to Courtney Taylor for a 20-yard rush. Lester then took the handoff from Cox for the 21-yard rushing touchdown.

Georgia, however, pushed the lead to 23 points with Lumpkin's 14-yard touchdown pass from Stafford with 29 seconds to play. The ensuing extra point was blocked, giving the Bulldogs the 30-7 lead at halftime.

Smith's 34-yard touchdown reception from Cox came at the 4:27 mark of the third quarter, pulling the Tigers to within 15 after Lee Guess caught a two-point conversion. Auburn ended the third quarter having gained 95 total yards in the frame, but was not able to make a bigger dent in the score after Georgia gained 121 of its own.

Stafford ended the game's scoring with a 9-yard rush at the 12:28 mark of the fourth quarter.

Will Herring, who played in his 51st career game and tied the Auburn career record with his 47th straight start, finished with a team-leading nine tackles. Aairon Savage added eight tackles and forced a fumble in the first quarter that was recovered by Tray Blackmon.

The Tigers were able to recover three Georgia fumbles, including one apiece by Sen'Derrick Marks and Jerraud Powers.

The Bulldogs' win marked the seventh time in the last 10 games in the Auburn-Georgia series that the road team has won.

**SCORING SUMMARY**

Georgia	7	23	0	7	—	37
Auburn	0	7	8	0	—	15

UGA—Lumpkin 8 run (Ely-Kelso kick), 9:18, 1st  
UGA—Ely-Kelso 34 field goal, 12:07, 2nd  
UGA—Southerland 1 run (Ely-Kelso kick), 5:42, 2nd  
UGA—Battle 30 interception return (Ely-Kelso kick), 4:56, 2nd  
AU—Lester 21 run (Vaughn kick), 4:00, 2nd  
UGA—Lumpkin 14 pass from Stafford (Ely-Kelso kick), 0:29, 2nd  
AU—R. Smith 34 pass from Cox (Guess pass from Cox), 4:27, 3rd  
UGA—Stafford 9 run (Ely-Kelso kick), 12:28, 4th

**TEAM STATISTICS**

	UGA	AU
First Downs	20	9
Rushes-Yards	46-227	25-136
Passing Yards	219	35
Comp-Att-Int	14-20-0	4-12-4
Total Yards	66-446	37-171
Punts-Avg.	1-55.0	4-38.0
Fumbles/Lost	3-3	0-0
Penalties-Yards	8-49	4-35
3rd Down Conv.	8-of-14	0-of-7
Time of Possession	38:12	21:48

**INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS**

**RUSHING:** (UGA) Lumpkin 21-105 (TD), Stafford 7-83, Southerland 7-26, Ware 8-20, Team 3(-7); (AU) Taylor 2-51, K. Irons 10-49, Lester 5-40 (TD), Stewart 2-10, Tate 2-5, Cox 4(-19).

**PASSING:** (UGA) Stafford 20-14-0, 219 (TD); (AU) Cox 12-4-4, 35.

**RECEIVING:** (UGA) Milner 3-41, Massaquoi 3-20, Bryant 2-59, Harris 2-52, Lumpkin 2-26 (TD), Moore 1-17, Durham 1-4; (AU) R. Smith 1-34 (TD), Taylor 1-10, Stewart 1(-3), Lester 1(-6).

**GAME**  
**12**

**#15 AUBURN**  
**ALABAMA**

**22**  
**15**

November 18, 2006 • CBS  
Bryant-Denny Stadium (92,138) • Tuscaloosa, Ala.

Quentin Groves forced two second-quarter fumbles that led to touchdown runs by Brad Lester and Kenny Irons as Auburn won its fifth straight game over Alabama, 22-15, at Bryant-Denny Stadium.

The Tiger defense held off a late Crimson Tide rally in the fourth quarter, stopping Alabama deep in Auburn territory. The Tigers stopped four consecutive Crimson Tide plays on their second-to-last drive of the game, with each play from within the Auburn 20. A 5-yard tackle for loss by Will Herring began the four-play set, then two straight incomplete passes led to a 4th-and-15 from the AU 18 where a John Parker Wilson pass to Nikita Stover fell to the ground.

Auburn went into halftime with a 14-9 lead, courtesy of a 12-yard rushing touchdown by Lester and an 8-yarder by Irons. Groves set up both touchdown drives by forcing fumbles by Wilson -- first on a 7-yard sack to begin the second quarter, then on a 5-yard sack on the next drive.

Groves finished the game with seven tackles, including six solo, to finish third on the team, behind both Herring and Karibi Dede, who had eight tackles apiece. Herring finished with eight solo and forced a fumble in the fourth quarter that was recovered by Sen'Derrick Marks.

The Tigers fell behind early in the third quarter, 15-14, after Travis McCall caught a 13-yard pass from Wilson. The Crimson Tide, however, failed on the ensuing two-point conversion on an incomplete pass.

Auburn answered back seven minutes later when Prechae Rodriguez stretched over an Alabama defender for a 22-yard touchdown reception from Brandon Cox. Lee Guess then caught a two-point conversion pass from Carl Stewart, giving Auburn its final 22-15 lead.

Alabama opened the game with a 24-yard field goal by Jamie Christensen in the first quarter, then saw the Tigers jump to a 14-3 lead after the touchdowns by Lester and Irons.

The Crimson Tide, however, scored the next 12 points. Stover caught a 52-yard touchdown pass from Wilson at the 1:23 mark of the second quarter. The ensuing two-point conversion, however, was intercepted by the Tigers, giving Auburn a 14-9 lead at the half.

McCall scored Alabama's last points of the game at the 8:56 mark of the third quarter on the 13-yard pass from Wilson.

Irons led all players with 19 rushes for 85 yards and was followed by Lester, who gained 54 yards on 15 carries.

Cox finished the game 6-of-14 passing for 137 yards, completing three passes to Rodgeriqu Smith for 55 yards. Stewart totaled two receptions for 60 yards.

The win marked the fifth in a row for Auburn over Alabama, the Tigers' longest streak in the series since 1954-58. Auburn head coach Tommy Tuberville also became the first coach ever to win four straight games against the Crimson Tide in Tuscaloosa.

With the win, Auburn improved to 6-0 all-time in games played in Tuscaloosa.

The win gave Auburn its 10th of the season, marking the 11th time in school history the Tigers reached double-digit victories.

**SCORING SUMMARY**

Auburn	0	14	8	0	—	22
Alabama	3	6	6	0	—	15

UA—Christensen 24 field goal, 6:53, 1st  
AU—Lester 12 run (Vaughn kick), 11:12, 2nd  
AU—K. Irons 8 run (Vaughn kick), 9:39, 2nd  
UA—Stover 52 pass from Wilson (Wilson incomplete), 1:23, 2nd  
UA—McCall 13 pass from Wilson (Wilson incomplete), 8:56, 3rd  
AU—Rodriguez 22 pass from Cox (Guess from Cox), 1:28, 3rd

**TEAM STATISTICS**

	AU	UA
First Downs	14	18
Rushes-Yards	40-124	30-112
Passing Yards	137	252
Comp-Att-Int	6-14-0	18-33-1
Total Yards	54-261	63-364
Punts-Avg.	6-50.2	4-43.0
Fumbles/Lost	1-1	3-3
Penalties-Yards	7-47	5-40
3rd Down Conv.	4-of-11	7-of-14
Time of Possession	30:17	29:43

**INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS**

**RUSHING:** (AU) K. Irons 19-85 (TD), Lester 15-54 (TD), Stewart 1-2, Billings 1-0, Team 2(-6), Cox 2(-11); (UA) Darby 16-48, Hall 2-28, Wilson 4-16, Johns 5-11, Castille 3-9.

**PASSING:** (AU) Cox 14-6-0, 137 (TD); (UA) Wilson 33-18-1, 252 (2TD).

**RECEIVING:** (AU) R. Smith 3-55, Stewart 2-60, Rodriguez 1-22 (TD); (UA) Stover 5-101 (TD), Brown 3-39, McClain 3-24, Darby 2-6, Oakley 1-35, Hall 1-15, McCall 1-13, Castille 1-10, Caddell 1-9.

# 2006 Auburn Football

**GAME  
13**

**#10 AUBURN 17**  
**#22 NEBRASKA 14**

January 1, 2007 • FOX • AT&T Cotton Bowl Classic  
Cotton Bowl (66,777) • Dallas, Texas

John Vaughn's 42-yard field goal in the third quarter proved to be the game winner as Auburn took the 71st AT&T Cotton Bowl Classic with a 17-14 victory over Nebraska in Dallas.

Vaughn connected on his 20th field goal of the season at the 6:20 mark of the third quarter, the game's only points of the second half, to give Auburn its 11th win of the season for the fourth time in school history. The field goal ended a 10-play, 55-yard drive that began on the Tigers' 20-yard-line.

In the meantime, the Auburn defense remained stout against Nebraska, limiting the Cornhuskers to just 230 yards of total offense, including 73 in the second half. Senior Karibi Dede, playing in his final Auburn game, began the defense's dominance in the first half, intercepting a Zac Taylor pass and returning it 52 yards to the Nebraska 9-yard-line.

Just two plays later, the Auburn offense punched it in the end zone when Brandon Cox found Carl Stewart for a 9-yard score with 56 seconds remaining in the first half, evening the score at 7.

Early in the second quarter and aided by Nebraska, the Tigers recovered a fumble at the Cornhuskers' 14 on a failed fake punt attempt. That enabled the Auburn offense to start on a short field again, with Stewart capping off a four play drive with a 1-yard touchdown run.

After Vaughn's third quarter field goal, the Cornhuskers managed to get in Auburn territory just twice. They punted from Auburn's 34 in the third quarter, and Taylor threw a fourth-down incomplection from Auburn's 30 late in the fourth quarter.

The Tiger defense finished with two sacks and 11 tackles for loss, highlighted by Sen'Derrick Marks' 2.5. Senior Will Herring, also playing in his last game for the Tigers, finished with seven solo tackles, including two for loss, and was named the game's outstanding defensive player.

Cox finished the game 10-of-21 passing for 111 yards and one score. Of those 10 completions, six were to Courtney Taylor, who, on his fourth catch of the game, broke the Auburn school record for most receptions in a career. He finished with 153, which surpassed Karsten Bailey's 153 from 1995-98.

Kenny Irons paced the Tiger rushing game with 72 yards on 24 carries, while freshmen Ben Tate carried the ball four times for 23 yards.

Nebraska started the game's scoring on a Nate Swift 13-yard touchdown reception from Taylor at the 7:37 mark of the first quarter.

With Auburn up 14-7 after Stewart's second quarter touchdown run, the Cornhuskers drove to a 20-yard touchdown run at the 9:00 mark of the second quarter. Brandon Jackson crossed the end zone to cap a 7-play, 72-yard drive that sent the teams into halftime tied at 14.

The win improved Auburn to 18-13-2 all-time in bowl games and 4-3 under head coach Tommy Tuberville.

The 11 wins marked the fourth time in school history the Tigers posted at least 11 in a season. Auburn won 13 in 2004 and 11 in 1983 and 1993.

#### SCORING SUMMARY

Auburn	.....7	7	3	0	— 17
Nebraska	.....7	7	0	0	— 14

NU—Swift 13 pass from Taylor (Congdon kick), 7:37, 1st  
AU—Stewart 9 pass from Cox (Vaughn kick), 0:56, 1st  
AU—Stewart 1 run (Vaughn kick), 12:22, 2nd  
NU—Jackson 20 run (Congdon kick), 9:00, 2nd  
AU—Vaughn 42 field goal, 6:20, 3rd

#### TEAM STATISTICS

	AU	NU
First Downs	12	17
Rushes-Yards	35-67	38-104
Passing Yards	111	126
Comp-Att-Int	10-21-0	14-27-1
Total Yards	56-178	65-230
Punts-Avg.	6-43.0	6-40.2
Fumbles/Lost	2-2	1-1
Penalties-Yards	6-45	4-45
3rd Down Conv.	4-of-12	5-of-14
Time of Possession	27:00	33:00

#### INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

**RUSHING:** (AU) K. Irons 24-72, Tate 4-23, Taylor 1-3, Stewart 1-1 (TD), Cox 5(-)-32; (NU) Lucky 25-88, Jackson 7-38 (TD), Nunn 1(-)-2, Taylor 4(-)-5, Todd 1(-)-15.

**PASSING:** (AU) Cox 21-10-0, 111 (TD); (NU) Taylor 26-14-1, 126 (TD), Team 1-0-0, 0.

**RECEIVING:** (AU) Taylor 6-70, Rodriguez 1-18, McKenzie 1-12, Stewart 1-9 (TD), K. Irons 1-2; (NU) Lucky 6-67, Swift 3-44 (TD), Jackson 2(-)-6, Purify 1-9, Nunn 1-8, Todd 1-4.

# Noting Head Coach Tommy Tuberville

## Tuberville Era Records

Jordan-Hare Stadium .....	44-12
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TV Games .....	45-27
ABC .....	2-5
CBS .....	11-8
ESPN .....	14-10
ESPN2 .....	6-0
Lincoln Financial Sports (JP) .....	11-6
Fox.....	1-0
AU scores first.....	54-4
Opponent scores first.....	17-25
Leading at Half .....	57-3
Trailing at Half .....	10-25
Tied at Half .....	4-1
Leading after Third .....	63-5
Trailing after Third.....	5-24
Tied after Third.....	3-0
Overtime Games.....	3-3
Scoring less than 20 pts. ....	9-25
Scoring 20+ points .....	62-4
Scoring 30+ points .....	41-0
Allowing less than 20 pts. ....	53-4
Allowing 20+ points.....	18-25
Allowing 30+ points.....	3-11
Rushing for less than 100 yds. ....	9-17
Rushing for over 100 yds. ....	61-12
Rushing for 200+ yds. ....	30-2
Passing for 200+ yds. ....	36-10
Passing for 300+ yds. ....	6-2
Totalling less than 300 yds. ....	14-17
300+ yds. of total offense.....	57-12
400+ yds. of total offense.....	34-3
500+ yds. of total offense.....	12-0
Allowing less than 100 yds. rushing .....	37-4
Allowing less than 300 yds. total off. ....	40-4
Allowing 300+ yds. total offense .....	30-25
Having 100-yd. rusher .....	43-6
Opp. have 100-yd. rusher .....	12-17
AU outrushes opponent.....	62-8
AU is outrushed .....	9-21
AU outpasses opponent .....	41-12
AU is outpassed .....	29-17
Equal passing.....	1-0
vs. AP Top 5.....	3-0
vs. AP Top 10 .....	14-10
vs. AP Top 25 .....	18-17

- ▶ Has directed Auburn to 71 overall wins, good for fourth in school history. Auburn has won 71 percent of its games under Tuberville, ranking him eighth in school history.
- ▶ Directed Auburn to an SEC-best 42-13 mark in the league since 2000.
- ▶ Has won 22 of last 25 SEC games and 23 of last 26 against SEC opponents.
- ▶ Guided his last six teams to bowl games, including New Year's Day bowls in three of the last four years.
- ▶ Led Auburn to its best season ever in 2004 as the Tigers won a school-record 13 games and captured the Southeastern Conference and NOKIA Sugar Bowl titles.
- ▶ Named the 2004 AFCA, Associated Press, Paul "Bear" Bryant, Walter Camp and SEC Coach of the Year. Was also named the 1997 Associated Press SEC Coach of the Year.
- ▶ Guided Auburn to the 2004 Southeastern Conference Championship. Tuberville has led Auburn to at least a share of the Western Division title in five of his seven seasons.
- ▶ Directed Auburn to 14 wins over AP Top 10 teams since the start of the 2002 season.
- ▶ Led Auburn to 40 wins in last 49 games (82 percent) and 35 of the last 40 (88 percent), which included 15 straight from 2003-04.
- ▶ Auburn's 15-game win streak from 2003-04 marked Tuberville's longest winning streak as a head coach.
- ▶ Directed the Tigers to seven SEC road wins of 20-plus points in the last four years, including three in 2004.
- ▶ In 21 years coaching at the Division I level, has been part of 19 winning seasons, including three national championships.
- ▶ Coached 52 players that have been drafted in the National Football League, including 23 at Auburn.
- ▶ Coached 13 first-round NFL Draft picks, including the 1991 first overall pick, Russell Maryland, and four 2004 first-round draft picks (Ronnie Brown, Carnell Williams, Carlos Rogers and Jason Campbell).
- ▶ Seven former players have played in the NFL Pro Bowl, including Jessie Armstead, Jerome Brown, Rudi Johnson, Ray Lewis, Russell Maryland, Warren Sapp and Marcus Washington.
- ▶ Is 15-4 in his career in games decided by three points or less and 3<sup>-</sup>14 in games decided by seven points or less.
- ▶ Has won 67 of last 70 regular-season games when scoring 20 points or more.
- ▶ Finished in AP top 10 in two of the last three years and only team in country to defeat 2007 national champion Florida and only coach to defeated two teams in final top five in country (No. 1 Florida, No. 3 LSU).
- ▶ Is 31-2 as a head coach in non-conference home games.
- ▶ First Auburn coach to win five consecutive games over Alabama since Ralph "Shug" Jordan from 1954-58.
- ▶ Only coach ever to win four consecutive games at Bryant-Denny Stadium in Tuscaloosa.
- ▶ Was part owner of a catfish restaurant, "Tubby's", in Tullahoma, Tenn. The restaurant featured his special fried catfish and hushpuppy recipe. One of the top dishes was the "Tubby's Pond Platter" which included fried catfish filets, chicken strips, frog legs and a glass of pond water (punch).

### Longest Tenure As SEC Head Coach

Coach	Yrs.
Phillip Fulmer, Tennessee	14
Steve Spurrier, South Carolina/Florida	14
<b>Tommy Tuberville, Auburn/Ole Miss</b>	<b>12</b>
Houston Nutt, Arkansas	9
Mark Richt, Georgia	6
Bobby Johnson, Vanderbilt	5
Rich Brooks, Kentucky	4
Mike Shula, Alabama	4
Sylvester Croom, Mississippi State	3
Urban Meyer, Florida	2
Les Miles, LSU	2
Ed Orgeron, Ole Miss	2

### Tuberville's Head Coaching Record

Year	School	W-L	SEC	Notes
1995	Ole Miss	6-5	3-5 (5th W)	
1996	Ole Miss	5-6	2-6 (5th W)	
1997	Ole Miss	8-4	4-4 (3rd W)	Music City Bowl
1998	Ole Miss	6-5	3-5 (4th W)	Independence Bowl
1999	Auburn	5-6	2-6 (5th W)	
2000	Auburn	9-4	6-2 (1st W)	SEC West Champs; Citrus Bowl
2001	Auburn	7-5	5-3 (1st W)	SEC West Co-Champs; Peach Bowl
2002	Auburn	9-4	5-3 (1st W)	SEC West Co-Champs; Capital One Bowl Champs
2003	Auburn	8-5	5-3 (3rd W)	Music City Bowl Champs
2004	Auburn	13-0	8-0 (1st W)	SEC Champions; NOKIA Sugar Bowl Champs
2005	Auburn	9-3	7-1 (1st W)	SEC West-Co-Champs; Capital One Bowl
2006	Auburn	11-2	6-2 (2nd W)	AT&T Cotton Bowl Champs
<b>Totals</b>	<b>12 Years</b>	<b>96-49</b>	<b>56-40</b>	
<b>Auburn</b>		<b>71-29</b>	<b>44-20</b>	
<b>Ole Miss</b>		<b>25-20</b>	<b>12-20</b>	

# Auburn Superlatives Under Tommy Tuberville

## MOST POINTS

- 73 vs. Louisiana-Monroe .....11-1-03
- 63 vs. Ball State .....9-17-05
- 56 vs. Western Carolina .....9-7-02
- 52 vs. Louisiana Tech .....10-9-04
- 52 vs. Louisiana-Monroe .....11-9-02

## FEWEST POINTS ALLOWED

- 0 vs. Arkansas State .....11-4-06
- 0 at Mississippi State .....9-9-06
- 0 vs. Mississippi State .....9-10-05
- 0 vs. Louisiana-Monroe .....9-4-04
- 0 vs. Western Carolina .....9-7-02
- 0 vs. Ball State .....9-1-01
- 0 vs. Vanderbilt .....9-30-00
- 0 at Alabama .....11-18-00

## MOST FIRST DOWNS

- 37 vs. Western Carolina .....9-7-02
- 33 vs. The Citadel .....9-25-04
- 31 vs. Tennessee .....12-4-04
- 29 vs. Louisiana Tech .....10-20-01
- 29 vs. Western Kentucky .....9-27-03

## FEWEST FIRST DOWNS ALLOWED

- 5 vs. Ball State .....9-1-01
- 7 vs. Western Kentucky .....9-27-03
- 7 vs. South Carolina .....10-1-05
- 8 at Alabama .....11-18-00
- 8 vs. The Citadel .....9-25-04

## MOST RUSHING ATTEMPTS

- 62 at Georgia .....11-10-01
- 57 vs. Tennessee .....10-4-03
- 56 vs. Mississippi State .....10-18-03
- 54 vs. Syracuse .....9-28-02
- 52 vs. Ole Miss .....9-8-01

## FEWEST RUSHING ATT., OPPONENT

- 16 by Tennessee .....10-4-03
- 17 by La Tech .....10-21-00
- 18 by Florida .....10-13-01
- 21 by LSU .....9-18-99
- 22 by Alabama .....11-18-00
- 22 by Virginia Tech .....1-3-05

## MOST RUSHING YARDS

- 405 vs. Mississippi State .....10-18-03
- 390 vs. Ball State .....9-17-05
- 388 at Kentucky .....11-5-05
- 345 vs. Western Carolina .....9-7-02
- 301 vs. Louisiana Tech .....10-21-00

## FEWEST RUSHING YARDS ALLOWED

- 36 vs. Florida .....10-13-01
- 27 vs. Central Florida .....11-6-99
- 4 vs. Tennessee .....10-4-03
- 23 at Alabama .....11-18-00
- 23 vs. Louisiana-Monroe .....11-1-03
- 23 vs. Ole Miss .....10-29-05

## MOST PASSES ATTEMPTED

- 48 vs. Louisiana Tech .....10-20-01
- 44 vs. Georgia Tech .....9-3-05
- 43 at Florida .....12-2-00
- 41 at LSU .....10-22-05
- 40 at Arkansas .....10-27-01
- 40 vs. Alabama .....11-20-99

## MOST PASSES COMPLETED

- 28 vs. Louisiana Tech .....10-20-01
- 28 vs. Michigan .....1-1-01
- 27 vs. Tennessee .....12-4-04
- 26 vs. Alabama .....11-20-99
- 24 vs. Georgia .....11-11-00
- 24 at Georgia .....11-13-99
- 24 vs. Ole Miss .....9-25-99

## FEWEST PASSES ATT., OPPONENT

- 10 by Arkansas .....10-7-06
- 15 by The Citadel .....9-25-04
- 15 by Arkansas .....10-12-02
- 15 by Syracuse .....9-22-01
- 16 by Arkansas .....10-27-01

## FEWEST PASSES COMP., OPPONENT

- 5 by Ball State .....9-1-01
- 6 by The Citadel .....9-25-04
- 6 by Syracuse .....9-22-01
- 7 by Arkansas .....10-7-06
- 8 by Tennessee .....12-4-04

## MOST PASSING YARDS

- 416 vs. Georgia .....11-13-99
- 394 vs. Michigan .....1-1-00
- 381 vs. Louisiana Tech .....10-20-01
- 374 vs. Tennessee .....12-4-04
- 359 vs. The Citadel .....9-25-04

## FEWEST PASSING YARDS ALLOWED

- 32 by Ball State .....9-1-01
- 66 by Arkansas .....10-12-02
- 69 by Tennessee .....12-4-04
- 71 by The Citadel .....9-25-04
- 73 by Kentucky .....10-23-04

## MOST TOTAL OFFENSE

- 621 vs. Western Carolina .....9-7-02
- 593 vs. The Citadel .....9-25-04
- 589 at Kentucky .....11-5-05
- 572 vs. Ball State .....9-17-05
- 567 vs. Western Kentucky .....9-27-03
- 559 vs. Tennessee .....12-4-04

## FEWEST TOTAL YARDS ALLOWED

- 92 vs. Ball State .....9-1-01
- 110 vs. Kentucky .....10-23-04
- 135 at Alabama .....11-18-00
- 151 vs. Louisiana-Monroe .....11-1-03
- 152 vs. Vanderbilt .....9-30-00

## PUNTING AVERAGE (MIN. OF 4)

- 50.8 at So. California .....9-2-02
- 50.5 at Vanderbilt .....9-30-00
- 50.2 at Alabama .....11-18-06
- 50.0 vs. Louisiana Tech .....10-20-01
- 49.3 vs. North Carolina .....12-31-01

## MOST TIME OF POSSESSION

- 39:31 vs. Tennessee .....12-4-04
- 38:58 at Georgia .....11-10-01
- 37:52 at Ole Miss .....10-28-06
- 37:45 at Alabama .....11-18-00
- 36:43 vs. Florida .....10-14-06



# Auburn Superlatives Under Tommy Tuberville

## Auburn Team Superlatives

Points Scored	73	vs. Louisiana-Monroe (11/1/03)
Low	.0	vs. Tennessee (10/2/99)
	.0	vs. USC (8/30/03)
First Downs	37	vs. Western Carolina (11/9/02)
Low	7	at Mississippi State (10/7/00)
Rushing Plays	62	at Georgia (11/10/01)
Low	19	at Mississippi State (10/7/00)
Net Rushing Yards	405	vs. Mississippi State (10/18/03)
Low	1	vs. Florida (10/16/99)
Passes Attempted	48	vs. Louisiana Tech (10/20/01)
Low	13	vs. Mississippi State (10/6/01)
Passes Completed	28	vs. Louisiana Tech (10/20/01)
Low	4	vs. Georgia (11/11/06)
Had Intercepted	4	vs. Georgia (11/11/06)
	4	at Tennessee (10/2/99)
	4	vs. Louisiana Tech (10/20/01)
	4	vs. Georgia Tech (9/3/05)
Low	.0	30 times
Net Passing Yards	416	vs. Georgia (11/13/99)
Low	35	vs. Georgia (11/11/06)
Total Offensive Plays	88	vs. Louisiana Tech (10/20/01)
Low	37	vs. Georgia (11/11/06)
Total Net Offense	621	vs. Western Carolina (11/9/02)
Low	164	three times
Fumbles	5	vs. Florida (10/14/01)
Low	.0	15 times
Fumbles Lost	4	at Syracuse (9/22/01)
Low	.0	24 times
Penalties	13	at Florida (10/19/02)
Low	1	vs. Mississippi State (9/10/05)
Penalty Yards	112	at Ole Miss (9/9/00)
Low	10	vs. Mississippi State (9/10/05)

## Auburn Individual Superlatives

Rushing Attempts	41	Carnell Williams at Georgia (11/10/01)
Net Rushing Yards	249	Rudi Johnson vs. La. Tech (10/21/00)
Rushing TDs	6	Carnell Williams vs. Miss. State (10/18/03)
Pass Attempts	48	Daniel Cobb vs. La. Tech (10/20/01)
Pass Completions	28	Daniel Cobb vs. La. Tech (10/20/01)
Had Intercepted	4	Brandon Cox vs. Georgia (11/11/06)
	4	Brandon Cox vs. Georgia Tech (9/3/05)
	4	Daniel Cobb vs. La. Tech (10/20/01)
	4	Jeff Klein at Tennessee (10/2/99)
Net Passing Yards	416	Ben Leard at Georgia (11/13/99)
Passing TDs	5	Daniel Cobb vs. La. Tech (10/20/01)
Receptions	10	Ronney Daniels vs. UCF (11/6/99)
Receiving Yards	249	Ronney Daniels vs. UCF (11/6/99)
TD Receptions	2	10 times, last by
		B. Obomanu vs. La. Tech (10/9/04)
Punts	10	Damon Duval vs. Miss. State (10/7/00)
Punt Average	54.7	Kody Bliss vs. La.-Monroe (11/1/03)
Punts Inside 20	4	Kody Bliss vs. LSU (9/16/06)
	4	Kody Bliss at Georgia (11/15/03)
	4	Kody Bliss vs. USC (8/30/03)
Punt Returns	7	Tre Smith vs. South Carolina (10/1)
	7	Roderick Hood vs. W. Carolina (9/7/02)
Punt Return Yards	109	Joe Walkins vs. Ball State (9/1/01)
Kickoff Returns	6	Carnell Williams vs. La. Tech (10/20/01)
Kickoff Return Yards	150	Carnell Williams vs. La. Tech (10/20/01)
FG Attempts	6	John Vaughn at LSU (10/22/05)
FG Made	4	John Vaughn vs. Florida (10/14/06)
		John Vaughn vs. Washington St. (9/2/06)
Interceptions	4	Junior Rosegreen at Tennessee (10/2/04)
Interception Yards	65	Larry Casher vs. Florida (10/16/99)

## Auburn Individual Long Plays

Rushing	80	C. Williams vs. Alabama (11/22/03) [TD]
Passing	87	J. Campbell/S. Daniels vs. La. Tech (10/9/04)
Receiving	87	Silas Daniels vs. La. Tech (10/9/04)
Field Goal	57	Phillip Yost vs. W. Kentucky (9/27/03)
Punt	71	Damon Duval vs. N. Illinois (9/23/00)
Punt Return	50	C. Williams vs. La. Tech (10/9/04)
Kickoff Return	100	Tim Carter vs. LSU (9/16/00) [TD]
Interception Return	62	Larry Casher vs. Florida (10/16/99)

## Opponent Team Superlatives

Points Scored	42	Arkansas (10/27/01)
Low	.0	seven times
First Downs	29	Louisiana Tech (10/21/00)
Low	.5	Ball State (9/1/01)
Rushing Plays	52	Syracuse (9/22/01)
Low	17	Louisiana Tech (10/21/00)
Net Rushing Yards	328	Alabama (11/17/01)
Low	36	Florida (10/14/01)
Passes Attempted	69	LSU (9/18/99)
Low	10	Arkansas (10/7/06)
Passes Completed	47	Louisiana Tech (10/21/00)
Low	5	Ball State (9/1/01)
Had Intercepted	5	two times, last at Tenn. (10/2/04)
Low	.0	25 times
Net Passing Yards	433	Louisiana Tech (10/21/00)
Low	32	Ball State (9/1/01)
Total Offensive Plays	90	LSU (9/18/99)
Low	44	Tennessee (12/4/04)
Total Net Offense	549	Alabama (11/17/01)
Low	92	Ball State (9/1/01)
Fumbles	5	South Carolina (10/1/05)
Low	.0	19 times
Fumbles Lost	4	Mississippi State (9/13/02)
Low	.0	40 times
Penalties	13	Florida (10/19/02)
Low	2	Ole Miss (10/28/06)
	2	Washington State (9/2/06)
	2	Ball State (9/17/05)
	2	Alabama (11/18/00)
Penalty Yards	104	Ole Miss (10/30/04)
Low	7	Alabama (11/18/00)

## Opponent Individual Superlatives

Rushing Attempts	33	Shaun Alexander (Alabama), 11/20/99
Net Rushing Yards	241	Fred Talley (Arkansas), 10/12/02
Rushing TDs	3	James Mungro (Syracuse), 9/22/01
	3	Shaun Alexander (Alabama), 11/20/99
Pass Attempts	65	Luke McCown (La. Tech), 10/21/00
Pass Completions	47	Luke McCown (La. Tech.), 10/21/00
Had Intercepted	5	Luke McCown (La. Tech.), 10/21/00
Net Passing Yards	433	Luke McCown (La. Tech.), 10/21/00
Passing TDs	5	Rex Grossman (Florida), 10/14/00
Receptions	15	James Jordan (La. Tech.), 10/21/00
Receiving Yards	203	Charles Lee (UCF), 11/6/99
TD Receptions	3	Chris Collins (Ole Miss), 11/2/02
	3	Jabar Gaffney (Florida), 10/14/00
Punts	10	five players
Punt Average	50.3	Jonathan Kilger (Georgia), 11/11/00
Punts Inside 20	4	Javier Beorlegui (UCF), 11/6/99
Punt Returns	7	Ronald Hatcher (Vanderbilt), 9/30/00
Punt Return Yards	96	Deuce McAllister (Ole Miss), 9/9/00
Kickoff Returns	5	Carlos Thomas (S. Carolina), 10/1/05
	5	Felix Jones (Arkansas), 10/15/05
Kickoff Return Yards	162	Brandon Brooks (Alabama), 11/22/03
FG Attempts	4	three times
FG Made	4	Billy Bennett (Georgia), 11/11/00
	4	Jeff Chandler (Florida), 10/16/99
Interceptions	3	Deon Grant (Tennessee), 10/2/99
Interception Yards	99	Odell Thurman (Georgia), 11/15/03

## Opponent Individual Long Plays

Rushing	80	Fred Talley (Arkansas), 10/12/02 [TD]
	80	Fred Talley (Arkansas), 10/28/00 [TD]
	80	Gerald Riggs (Tennessee), 12/4/04 [TD]
Passing	83	V. Penn/C. Lee (UCF), 11/6/99
Field Goal	49	Brandon Coutu (Georgia), 11/12/05
Punt	67	Jonathan Kilger (Georgia), 11/11/00
Punt Return	87	Deuce McAllister (Ole Miss), 9/9/00
Kickoff Return	96	Brandon Brooks (Alabama), 11/22/03 [TD]
Interception Return	99	Odell Thurman (Georgia), 11/15/03 [TD]

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## #87 COLE BENNETT

TE • 6-5 • 261 • Sr. • Dalton, Ga. (Dalton)

**2006** — *Preseason Third-Team All-SEC ... Preseason Coaches First-Team All-SEC ... Missed the last 10 games due to an ankle injury ... Finished with two catches for 25 yards ... Caught one pass for 7 yards before leaving the game in the second quarter with an injury against LSU ... Caught his first pass of the season, an 18 yarder, against Mississippi State.*

### BENNETT'S CAREER RECEIVING STATS

YEAR	G/GS	NO	YDS	AVG	TD	LP/OPPONENT
2003	11/1	6	66	11.0	1	20/Western Kentucky
2004	13/0	1	6	6.0	0	6/Kentucky
2005	12/4	9	107	11.9	2	33/Mississippi State
2006	3/2	2	25	12.5	0	18/Mississippi State
<b>Totals</b>	<b>39/7</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>204</b>	<b>11.3</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>33/Mississippi State</b>

### BENNETT'S GAME-BY-GAME STATS

DATE	OPPONENT	REC	YDS	AVG	TD
9/2/06	WASHINGTON STATE	0	0	0.0	0
9/9/06	* at Mississippi State	1	18	18.0	0
9/16/06	* LSU	1	7	7.0	0
9/23/06	BUFFALO	DID NOT PLAY			
9/28/06	at South Carolina	DID NOT PLAY			
10/7/06	ARKANSAS	DID NOT PLAY			
10/14/06	FLORIDA	DID NOT PLAY			
10/21/06	TULANE	DID NOT PLAY			
10/28/06	at Ole Miss	DID NOT PLAY			
11/4/06	ARKANSAS STATE	DID NOT PLAY			
11/11/06	GEORGIA	DID NOT PLAY			
11/18/06	at Alabama	DID NOT PLAY			
11/1/07	vs. Nebraska (Cotton)	DID NOT PLAY			

## #10 TRAY BLACKMON

LB • 6-0 • 205 • RFr. • LaGrange, Ga. (LaGrange)

**2006** — *The Sporting News SEC All-Freshman Team ... The Sporting News Freshman All-America Second Team ... Finished the season with 18 tackles, including 2.5 for loss, in six games ... Tied for team lead with three fumble recoveries ... Started third straight game, making six tackles, including four solo, against Alabama ... Started and finished with four tackles, including three solo, with a first-quarter fumble recovery against Georgia ... Posted two tackles, including one for loss (-2) and recovered a fumble against Arkansas State ... Tied for third on the team with five tackles, including four solo, against Ole Miss ... Posted 1.5 tackles for loss (-5) and half a sack against the Rebels ... Posted his first career tackle against Tulane ... Played in his first career game against Florida, recovering a fumble at the Auburn 16-yard-line and returning it 22 yards to the Auburn 38.*

### BLACKMON'S CAREER DEFENSIVE STATS

YEAR	G/GS	TT	UT	AT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS	FF/FR	PD	I/YDS
2006	6/4	18	14	4	2.5-7	0.5-3	0/3	0	0/0

### BLACKMON'S GAME-BY-GAME STATS

DATE	OPPONENT	TT	UT	AT	TFL-YDS	INT-YDS
9/2/06	WASHINGTON STATE					
9/9/06	at Mississippi State					
9/16/06	LSU					
9/23/06	BUFFALO					
9/28/06	at South Carolina					
10/7/06	ARKANSAS					
10/14/06	FLORIDA	0	0	0	0.0-0	0-0
10/21/06	* TULANE	1	1	0	0.0-0	0-0
10/28/06	at Ole Miss	5	4	1	1.5-5	0-0
11/4/06	* ARKANSAS STATE	2	2	0	1.0-2	0-0
11/11/06	* GEORGIA	4	3	1	0.0-0	0-0
11/18/06	* at Alabama	6	4	2	0.0-0	0-0
11/1/07	vs. Nebraska (Cotton)					

## #30 KODY BLISS

P • 5-11 • 173 • Sr. • Brentwood, Tenn. (Brentwood Academy)

**CAREER** — Finished with 202 punts, averaging 43.9 yards per ... Trapped opponents inside their 20 65 times and had a career-high 71-yard punt against Tulane in 2006 ... In 51 games, averaged better than 40 yards per punt in 37 (did not punt against Ball State in 2005) ... Finished with nine career punts of 60 yards or better and one of more than 70.

**2006** — *Coaches All-SEC Second Team ... AP All-SEC Second Team ... ESPN The Magazine Academic All-America Second Team ... ESPN The Magazine Academic All-District IV First Team ... Ray Guy Award Watch List ... Named SEC Special Teams Player of the Week (Sept. 18) after averaging 48.2 yards per punt and kicking four of 50 yards or more against LSU ... Rivals.com Preseason Second-Team All-American ... Lindy's Preseason Second-Team All-American and First-Team All-SEC ... Athlon Sports Preseason Second-Team All-American and First-Team All-SEC ... Blue Ribbon College Football Yearbook Preseason All-SEC ... Preseason First-Team All-SEC, Coaches First-Team All-SEC ... Punted 47 times for an average of 45.7 yards per ... Trapped opponents inside their 20 13 times ... 19 of his 47 punts traveled longer than 50 yards ... Ranked first in the SEC and third nationally with a 45.7 punt average ... Finished with six punts against Nebraska in the Cotton Bowl for an average of 43 yards per ... Booted a 57-yarder and 55-yarder against the Cornhuskers and trapped them inside their 20 once ... Punted six times against Alabama, averaging 50.2 yards per ... Trapped the Crimson Tide inside its 20 three times and posted two touchbacks ... Named the Coaches' Special Teams Player of the Week for his efforts against the Crimson Tide ... Averaged 38 yards per punt on four attempts against Georgia, including a 54-yarder on his first attempt ... Punted twice against Arkansas State, finishing with a 46-yarder and 45-yarder ... Pinned the Indians inside their 20 both times ... Finished with two punts against Ole Miss, averaging 46 yards per ... Had a 53-yarder against the Rebels ... Punted twice against Tulane, posting a career-high 71-yarder in the first quarter ... The 71-yarder is tied for third-longest in school history ... His second punt went 39 yards but trapped Tulane at its own 3 ... Finished with three punts against Florida, averaging 37.3 yards per while keeping the Gators inside their 20 once ... Averaged 38.2 yards on five punts against Arkansas, including a game-high 58-yarder ... Posted two punts against South Carolina, averaging 57 yards per, including a career-high 69-yarder in the fourth quarter ... Averaged 50.3 yards on three punts against Buffalo, including a game-high 55-yarder ... Punted six times against LSU, averaging 48.2 yards per and trapping the Tigers inside their 20 twice ... Booted a season-high 62-yarder in the second quarter and a 61-yarder in the first quarter against LSU ... Also had two punts of 50 and 51 yards with all four coming within Auburn's 30-yard-line ... Named the Coaches' Special Teams Player of the Week for his game against LSU ... Averaged 47.5 yards on four punts against Mississippi State, trapping the Bulldogs inside their 20 twice ... Punted twice against Washington State, averaging 49 yards per ... Trapped the Cougars inside their 20 once and booted a 56-yarder in the second quarter.*

### BLISS IN THE AUBURN RECORD BOOKS

Season	Bliss' Numbers	Rank
Punting Average	45.7 (2006)	3rd
Punting Average	44.9 (2005)	4th
Punting Average	42.9 (2003)	10th
Punts	64 (2003)	10th
Punting Yards	2,748 (2003)	10th

Career	Bliss' Numbers	Rank
Punting Average	43.9	2nd
Punts	202	3rd
Punting Yards	8,861	3rd

### BLISS' CAREER PUNTING STATS

YEAR	G	NO	YDS	AVG	IN20	LP/OPPONENT
2003	13	64	2748	42.9	21	62/Louisiana-Monroe
2004	13	47	1989	42.3	17	61/Ole Miss
2005	12	44	1975	44.9	14	63/LSU
2006	13	47	2149	45.7	13	71/Tulane
<b>Totals</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>202</b>	<b>8861</b>	<b>43.9</b>	<b>65</b>	<b>71/Tulane</b>

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## BLISS' GAME-BY-GAME STATS

DATE	OPPONENT	NO	YDS	AVG	IN20	Long
9/2/06	WASHINGTON STATE	2	98	49.0	1	56
9/9/06	at Mississippi State	4	190	47.5	2	54
9/16/06	LSU	6	289	48.2	2	62
9/23/06	BUFFALO	3	151	50.3	0	55
9/28/06	at South Carolina	2	114	57.0	0	69
10/7/06	ARKANSAS	5	191	38.2	0	58
10/14/06	FLORIDA	3	112	37.3	1	43
10/21/06	TULANE	2	110	55.0	1	71
10/28/06	at Ole Miss	2	92	46.0	0	53
11/4/06	ARKANSAS STATE	2	91	45.5	2	46
11/11/06	GEORGIA	4	152	38.0	0	54
11/18/06	at Alabama	6	301	50.2	3	59
1/7/07	vs. Nebraska (Cotton)	6	258	43.0	1	57

### #68 JASON BOSLEY

C • 6-2 • 280 • So. • Huntsville, Ala. (Grissom)

**CAREER** — Has played in 10 games, starting four.

**2006** — Did not play against Nebraska in the Cotton Bowl due to injury ... Participated in 14 plays as a reserve against Arkansas State ... Finished with one cockroach block and one rodeo block against the Indians ... Auburn's backup center through the first five games and has started against Arkansas, Florida, Tulane and Ole Miss ... Saw time as a reserve against Arkansas State ... Participated in 78 plays against Ole Miss, earning an 88 percent overall grade ... Credited with four rodeo blocks, two cockroach blocks and one pancake against the Rebels ... Earned three rodeo blocks, 1.5 pancakes and one cockroach block in 49 plays against Tulane ... Participated in 70 plays against Florida, earning an 87 percent overall grade ... Posted six pancakes, two cockroach blocks and a rodeo block against the Gators ... Graded 89 percent against Arkansas, finishing with 4.5 pancakes, two cockroach blocks and two rodeo blocks in his first career start.

### #33 ERIC BROCK

SS • 6-1 • 204 • Jr. • Alexander City, Ala. (Benjamin Russell)

**2006** — Finished fourth on the team with 50 tackles ... Tied for third on the team with five tackles, including four solo, against Nebraska in the Cotton Bowl ... Did not play against Alabama and Georgia due to injury ... Finished with an assisted tackle before leaving the game in the first quarter due to injury against Arkansas State ... Tied for third on the team with six tackles and had an interception in the third quarter against Ole Miss ... Finished with four tackles, including three solo, against Tulane and was credited with a pass breakup ... Led Auburn with five tackles, all solo, against Florida, and intercepted the Gators at Auburn's 46-yard-line on Florida's second-to-last possession of the game ... The pick set up an Auburn field goal ... Tied for the team lead with a career-high 11 tackles against Arkansas ... Posted seven solo tackles and a pass breakup against the Razorbacks ... Finished with four tackles, including two solo, against South Carolina and was credited with a pass breakup ... Posted five tackles and a team-high two pass deflections against Buffalo ... Finished second on the team with five tackles, including the final one of the game at Auburn's 4-yard-line, against LSU ... A drive earlier, had deflected a pass at the goal line on fourth down against the Tigers ... Finished with two tackles, both solo, against Mississippi State ... Started his eighth career game against Washington State and posted three tackles.

## BROCK'S CAREER DEFENSIVE STATS

YEAR	G/GS	TT	UT	AT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS	FF/FR	PD	I/YDS
2004	13/0	6	3	3	0.0-0	0.0-0	0/0	1	1-0
2005	12/7	35	23	12	0.0-0	0.0-0	0/0	3	1-11
2006	11/11	50	31	19	0.0-0	0.0-0	0/0	6	2-26
<b>Totals</b>	<b>36/18</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>0.0-0</b>	<b>0.0-0</b>	<b>0/0</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>4-37</b>

## BROCK'S GAME-BY-GAME STATS

DATE	OPPONENT	TT	UT	AT	PD	INT-YDS
9/2/06	* WASHINGTON STATE	3	2	1	0	0-0
9/9/06	* at Mississippi State	2	1	1	0	0-0
9/16/06	* LSU	5	3	2	1	0-0
9/23/06	* BUFFALO	5	1	4	2	0-0
9/28/06	* at South Carolina	4	2	2	1	0-0
10/7/06	* ARKANSAS	11	7	4	1	0-0
10/14/06	* FLORIDA	5	5	0	0	1-26
10/21/06	* TULANE	4	3	1	1	0-0
10/28/06	* at Ole Miss	5	3	2	0	1-0
11/4/06	* ARKANSAS STATE	1	0	1	0	0-0
11/11/06	GEORGIA					DID NOT PLAY
11/18/06	ALABAMA					DID NOT PLAY
1/1/07	* vs. Nebraska (Cotton)	5	4	1	0	0-0

### #92 CHRISTOPHER BROWDER

DE • 6-4 • 270 • Sr. • Camden, Ala. (Wilcox Central/SW Mississippi CC)

**2006** — Totaled 23 tackles, six tackles for loss and two sacks ... Posted four tackles, including three solo, with a tackle for loss (-2) against Nebraska in the Cotton Bowl ... Started and posted two tackles, including 1.5 for loss (-6), against Arkansas State ... Posted two tackles, including half for loss (-1), against Ole Miss ... Finished with two tackles against Arkansas ... Posted five tackles and a sack (-9) against South Carolina ... Finished with two tackles against LSU ... Posted two tackles, including one for loss, against Mississippi State ... Started against Washington State and posted a sack (-6) and a quarterback hurry.

## BROWDER'S CAREER DEFENSIVE STATS

YEAR	G/GS	TT	UT	AT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS	FF/FR	PD	I/YDS
2004	11/0	10	5	5	2-9	2.0-9	1/0	0	0-0
2005	11/3	12	7	5	3.5-25	3.5-25	1/0	0	0-0
2006	13/3	23	12	11	6.0-25	2.0-15	0/0	0	0-0
<b>Totals</b>	<b>35/6</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>11.5-59</b>	<b>7.5-49</b>	<b>2/0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0-0</b>

## BROWDER'S GAME-BY-GAME STATS

DATE	OPPONENT	TT	UT	AT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS
9/2/06	* WASHINGTON STATE	1	1	0	1.0-6	1.0-6
9/9/06	* at Mississippi State	2	2	0	1.0-1	0.0-0
9/16/06	LSU	2	1	1	0.0-0	0.0-0
9/23/06	BUFFALO	0	0	0	0.0-0	0.0-0
9/28/06	at South Carolina	5	2	3	1.0-9	1.0-9
10/7/06	ARKANSAS	2	1	1	0.0-0	0.0-0
10/14/06	FLORIDA	1	1	0	0.0-0	0.0-0
10/21/06	TULANE	0	0	0	0.0-0	0.0-0
10/28/06	at Ole Miss	2	0	2	0.5-1	0.0-0
11/4/06	* ARKANSAS STATE	2	1	1	1.5-6	0.0-0
11/11/06	GEORGIA	1	0	1	0.0-0	0.0-0
11/18/06	ALABAMA	1	0	1	0.0-0	0.0-0
1/1/07	vs. Nebraska (Cotton)	4	3	1	1.0-2	0.0-0

### #84 MATT CLARK

K • 6-1 • 194 • Sr. • Grayson, Ga. (South Gwinnett)

**2006** — Named SEC Special Teams Player of the Week on Sept. 25 after posting six touchbacks against Buffalo ... Served as Auburn's kicker on kickoffs ... 51 of his 66 kickoffs (77 percent) went for touchbacks ... Averaged 64.3 yards (out of a possible 65) per kickoff ... Led the nation with 51 touchbacks ... Kicked off four times against Nebraska in the Cotton Bowl, averaging 61.2 yards per with two touchbacks ... Kicked off four times against Alabama, finishing with three touchbacks ... All three of his kickoffs went for touchbacks against Georgia ... Posted five touchbacks in six kickoffs against Arkansas State ... Indians managed just 12 yards on the kick they returned ... Kicked off six times against Ole Miss, posting two touchbacks ... For the second straight week, posted six touchbacks in six opportunities against Tulane ... Finished with six touchbacks on six kickoffs against Florida ... Named the Coaches' Co-Special Teams Player

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of the Week for his efforts against the Gators ... Kicked off three times against Arkansas, posting one touchback ... Finished with two touchbacks on four kickoffs against South Carolina ... Masked an onside kick in the third quarter that Auburn recovered at its own 48 setting up a scoring drive ... Had a streak of 16 straight touchbacks broken against South Carolina ... Posted six touchbacks in six kickoffs against Buffalo ... Named the Coaches' Special Teams Player of the Week for his efforts against Buffalo ... Had two touchbacks in two attempts against LSU ... Finished with six touchbacks on seven kickoffs against Mississippi State ... Placed seven of nine kickoffs as touchbacks against Washington State ... Named the Coaches' Special Teams Player of the Week for his performance against Washington State.

## CLARK'S CAREER KICKING STATS

YEAR	G/GS	NO	YDS	AVG	TB
2005	9/0	63	3900	61.9	35
2006	13/0	66	4242	64.3	51
<b>Totals</b>	<b>22/0</b>	<b>129</b>	<b>8142</b>	<b>63.1</b>	<b>86</b>

## CLARK'S GAME-BY-GAME STATS

DATE	OPPONENT	NO	YDS	AVG	TB
9/2/06	WASHINGTON STATE	9	585	65.0	7
9/9/06	at Mississippi State	7	449	64.1	6
9/16/06	LSU	2	130	65.0	2
9/23/06	BUFFALO	6	390	65.0	6
9/28/06	at South Carolina	4	253	63.2	2
10/7/06	ARKANSAS	3	190	63.3	1
10/14/06	FLORIDA	6	390	65.0	6
10/21/06	TULANE	6	390	65.0	6
10/28/06	at Ole Miss	6	385	64.2	2
11/4/06	ARKANSAS STATE	6	390	65.0	5
11/11/06	GEORGIA	3	195	65.0	3
11/18/06	ALABAMA	4	250	62.5	3
11/1/07	vs. Nebraska (Cotton)	4	245	61.2	2

## #52 ANTONIO COLEMAN

DE • 6-2 • 250 • RFr. • Mobile, Ala. (Williamson)

2006 — Finished with 18 tackles and six quarterback hurries ... Totaled three solo tackles against Nebraska in the Cotton Bowl ... Finished with two tackles against Alabama, including one for loss (-3) ... Posted two solo tackles against Georgia ... Finished with two tackles and two quarterback hurries against Arkansas State ... Posted two tackles, including one solo, against Florida ... Credited with a team-leading two quarterback hurries against LSU ... Played in his first career game against Washington State and made three solo tackles.

## COLEMAN'S CAREER DEFENSIVE STATS

YEAR	G/GS	TT	UT	AT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS	FF/FR	PD	I/YDS
2006	13/0	18	14	4	1.0-3	0.0-0	0/0	0	0/0

## COLEMAN'S GAME-BY-GAME STATS

DATE	OPPONENT	TT	UT	AT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS
9/2/06	WASHINGTON STATE	3	3	0	0.0-0	0.0-0
9/9/06	at Mississippi State	1	1	0	0.0-0	0.0-0
9/16/06	LSU	0	0	0	0.0-0	0.0-0
9/23/06	BUFFALO	1	0	1	0.0-0	0.0-0
9/28/06	at South Carolina	1	0	1	0.0-0	0.0-0
10/7/06	ARKANSAS	0	0	0	0.0-0	0.0-0
10/14/06	FLORIDA	2	1	1	0.0-0	0.0-0
10/21/06	TULANE	0	0	0	0.0-0	0.0-0
10/28/06	at Ole Miss	1	0	1	0.0-0	0.0-0
11/4/06	ARKANSAS STATE	2	2	0	0.0-0	0.0-0
11/11/06	GEORGIA	2	2	0	0.0-0	0.0-0
11/18/06	at Alabama	2	2	0	1.0-3	0.0-0
11/1/07	vs. Nebraska (Cotton)	3	3	0	0.0-0	0.0-0

## #50 JOE COPE

C • 6-1 • 272 • Sr. • Andalusia, Ala. (Andalusia)

**CAREER** — Played in 23 games, starting 20.

2006 — *Preseason Third-Team All-SEC, Coaches Second-Team All-SEC* ... Started at center against Nebraska in the Cotton Bowl ... Returned and started against Arkansas State, participating in 38 plays and earning a 91 percent overall grade ... Finished with one rodeo block and half a pancake against the Indians ... Did not play against Arkansas, Florida, Tulane and Ole Miss due to injury ... Participated in 55 plays against South Carolina, earning an 87 percent overall grade and two pancakes ... Named the Coaches' Offensive Player of the Week for his efforts against the Gamecocks ... Part of an offensive line that helped Auburn rush for 261 yards and five touchdowns against Buffalo ... Graded on 39 plays against the Bulls, earning three cockroach blocks and two rodeo blocks ... Participated in 60 plays against LSU, earning two pancakes and a cockroach block ... Graded on 56 plays against Mississippi State, accumulating two cockroach blocks and one pancake ... Started and was part of an offensive line that helped Auburn running backs rush for 293 yards against Washington State ... Graded on 64 plays against the Cougars, posting four cockroach blocks, one pancake block and one rodeo block.

## #12 BRANDON COX

QB • 6-2 • 209 • Jr. • Trussville, Ala. (Hewitt Trussville)

**CAREER** — Is 19-5 as a starter and has thrown at least one touchdown pass in 20 of his 24 career starts ... Has thrown for 200 yards or more in a game 12 times ... Second in AU history in passing efficiency (137.90), third in yards per attempt (3.0), fourth in completion percentage (.592), fifth with 33 touchdown passes and sixth in lowest completion percentage (.0310), passing yardage (4,879) and pass completions (362). Ninth with 13.5 yards per completion.

2006 — *Maxwell Award Preseason Watch List ... Athlon Sports Preseason Third-Team All-SEC ... Preseason Second-Team All-SEC, Coaches Second-Team All-SEC ... Manning Award Preseason Watch List* ... Completed 163 of 271 passes for 2,198 yards and 14 touchdowns ... Fifth in the SEC and 35th nationally with a 138.7 passing efficiency ... Seventh in the SEC with 169.1 passing yards and 155.5 yards of total offense per game ... Fourth in AU single-season history with 8.348 yards per attempt and sixth with a .612 completion percentage ... Fifth with a 141.28 passing efficiency rating ... Was 10-of-21 passing for 111 yards and a touchdown strike to Carl Stewart against Nebraska in the Cotton Bowl ... Completed six passes in 14 attempts against Alabama, finishing with 137 yards and a 22-yard touchdown strike to Prechae Rodriguez ... Was 4 of 12 passing for 35 yards and four interceptions against Georgia ... Threw a 34-yard touchdown pass to Rodgeriquis Smith in the third quarter against the Bulldogs ... Threw for 251 yards on 12-of-21 passing against Arkansas State ... Threw touchdown passes to Courtney Taylor (13 yards) and Carl Stewart (19 yards) against the Indians ... Completed 21-of-34 passes and threw for a season-high 253 yards against Ole Miss ... Connected on a 13-yard touchdown pass with Rodgeriquis Smith against the Rebels ... Named the Coaches' Offensive Player of the Game for his efforts against Ole Miss ... Posted a season-high three touchdowns and finished 16-of-19 for 212 yards against Tulane ... Connected on touchdowns with Tommy Trott (27 yards), Tre Smith (6) and Courtney Taylor (23) against the Green Wave ... Finished with 182 passing yards on 18-of-27 passing against Florida ... Completed 17-of-29 passes attempted for 153 yards and a 24-yard touchdown pass to Rodgeriquis Smith against Arkansas ... Finished 13-of-19 for 180 yards against South Carolina, connecting on a 9-yard touchdown pass with Tommy Trott in the second quarter ... Attempted just 10 passes against Buffalo, completing six for 134 yards and an interception ... Scored Auburn's only touchdown on a 1-yard sneak in the third quarter against LSU ... Completed 11-of-20 passes for 110 yards and an interception against the Tigers ... Completed 18-of-27 passes for 249 yards and two touchdowns against Mississippi State ... Connected on a 6-yarder with Gabe McKenzie and a 20-yarder with Rodgeriquis Smith against the Bulldogs ... Started his 13th career game against Washington State and was 11-of-18 passing for 191 yards and a 34-yard touchdown pass to Brad Lester ... The TD marked the 20th of Cox's career.

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## COX IN THE AUBURN RECORD BOOKS

Season	Cox's Numbers	Rank
Yards Per Attempt	8.1 (2006)	5th
Passing Efficiency	138.68 (2006)	7th
Passing Efficiency	132.59 (2005)	10th

Career	Cox's Numbers	Rank
Passing Efficiency	137.90	2nd
Yards Per Attempt	8.0	3rd
Completion Percentage	.592	4th
Touchdown Passes	33	5th
Lowest Interception Percentage	.0310	6th
Passing Yardage	4,879	6th
Pass Completions	362	6th
Yards Per Completion	13.5	9th

## COX'S CAREER PASSING STATS

YEAR	G/GS	CMP	ATT	PCT	YDS	INT	TD	LP/OPPONENT
2004	7/0	22	34	.647	357	2	4	39/Louisiana-Monroe
2005	11/11	177	306	.578	2324	8	15	62/Georgia
2006	13/13	163	271	.601	2198	9	14	62/Mississippi State
<b>Totals</b>	<b>31/24</b>	<b>362</b>	<b>611</b>	<b>.592</b>	<b>4879</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>62/MSU/Georgia</b>

## COX'S GAME-BY-GAME STATS

DATE	OPPONENT	CMP	ATT	YDS	INT	TD
9/2/06	* WASHINGTON STATE	11	18	191	0	1
9/9/06	* at Mississippi State	18	27	249	0	2
9/16/06	* LSU	11	20	110	1	0
9/23/06	* BUFFALO	6	10	134	1	0
9/28/06	* at South Carolina	13	19	180	0	1
10/7/06	* ARKANSAS	17	29	153	0	1
10/24/06	* FLORIDA	18	27	182	0	0
10/21/06	* TULANE	16	19	212	0	3
10/28/06	* at Ole Miss	21	34	253	1	1
11/4/06	* ARKANSAS STATE	12	21	251	2	2
11/11/06	* GEORGIA	4	12	35	4	1
11/18/06	* at Alabama	6	14	137	0	1
11/1/07	* vs. Nebraska (Cotton)	10	21	111	0	1

### #9 TRISTAN DAVIS

FS • 5-10 • 201 • So. • East Point, Ga. (Tri-Cities)

**2006** — Auburn's single-season leader with 756 kickoff return yards and 28 returns ... Fourth in AU single-season history with a 27-yard kickoff return average ... Led the SEC and was 15th nationally with 27.0 kickoff return yards on average ... Had at least one kick return of 30 yards or more in each of his last six games played ... Returned one kickoff for 43 yards against Nebraska in the Cotton Bowl ... Recovered a Nebraska fumble on a fake punt in the second quarter that led to an AU touchdown ... Returned four kicks for 87 yards against Alabama and finished with four tackles ... Returned five kickoffs against Georgia, finishing with 129 yards, including a game-high 40-yarder ... Did not play against Arkansas State ... Returned three kickoffs for 80 yards, including a 45-yarder in the fourth quarter that led to a field goal, against Ole Miss ... Started defensively and made three tackles against Tulane ... Also finished with two kick returns for 77 yards against the Green Wave, including a 53-yard return in the third quarter ... Finished with five kickoff returns against Florida, including a career-best 58-yarder in the second quarter that put Auburn at Florida's 38 ... Named the Coaches' Co-Special Teams Player of the Week for his efforts against the Gators ... Returned two kickoffs against Arkansas, including a 36-yarder ... Had one kickoff return against South Carolina, running it back for 20 yards ... Returned two kickoffs for 55 yards against Buffalo ... Tied for third on the team with four tackles, all solo, against Mississippi State ... Also had a tackle for loss against the Bulldogs ... Finished with two tackles against Washington State ... Returned two kicks for 67 yards against the Cougars.

## DAVIS IN THE AUBURN RECORD BOOKS

Season	Davis' Numbers	Rank
Kickoff Return Yardage	713 (2006)	1st
Kickoff Returns	27 (2006)	T-1st
Kickoff Return Average	26.4 (2006)	4th

## DAVIS' CAREER RUSHING STATS

YEAR	G/GS	NO	YDS	AVG	TD	LP/OPPONENT
2005	3/0	11	209	19.0	2	75/Kentucky

## DAVIS' CAREER DEFENSIVE STATS

YEAR	G/GS	TT	UT	AT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS	FF/FR	PD	I/YDS
2005	12/0	4	3	1	0.0-0	0.0-0	0/0	0	0/0
2006	12/2	13	8	5	1.0-1	0.0-0	0/1	0	0/0
<b>Totals</b>	<b>24/2</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>1.0-1</b>	<b>0.0-0</b>	<b>0/1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0/0</b>

## DAVIS' CAREER KICK RETURN STATS

YEAR	G	NO	YDS	AVG	TD	LP/OPPONENT
2005	12	0	0	0.0	0	--
2006	12	28	756	27.0	0	58/Florida
<b>Totals</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>756</b>	<b>27.0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>58/Florida</b>

## DAVIS' GAME-BY-GAME STATS

DATE	OPPONENT	TT	UT	AT	PD	INT-YDS
9/2/06	WASHINGTON STATE	2	1	1	0	0-0
9/9/06	at Mississippi State	4	4	0	0	0-0
9/16/06	LSU	0	0	0	0	0-0
9/23/06	BUFFALO	0	0	0	0	0-0
9/28/06	at South Carolina	0	0	0	0	0-0
10/7/06	ARKANSAS	0	0	0	0	0-0
10/14/06	FLORIDA	0	0	0	0	0-0
10/21/06	* TULANE	3	3	0	0	0-0
10/28/06	at Ole Miss	0	0	0	0	0-0
11/4/06	ARKANSAS STATE					DID NOT PLAY
11/11/06	GEORGIA	0	0	0	0	0-0
11/18/06	* at Alabama	4	0	4	0	0-0
1/1/07	vs. Nebraska (Cotton)	0	0	0	0	0-0

### #21 KARIBI DEDE

LB • 6-0 • 217 • Sr. • Woodbridge, Va. (C.D. Hylton)

**2006** — *ESPN The Magazine Academic All-District IV Second Team ... Athlon Sports Preseason Third-Team All-SEC ... Preseason Coaches Third-Team All-SEC ...* Second on the team with 59 tackles ... Finished with two tackles for loss, an interception and two fumble recoveries ... Posted three tackles and intercepted a pass and returned it 52 yards, leading to an AU touchdown, against Nebraska in the Cotton Bowl ... Tied for the team lead with eight tackles against Alabama ... Started and finished with five tackles, including three solo, with a quarterback hurry against Georgia ... Posted two tackles against Arkansas State ... Finished with four tackles against Ole Miss ... Tied for the team lead with five tackles against Tulane and had a 5-yard fumble recovery in the second quarter ... Posted three tackles, including one solo, against Florida ... Third on the team with nine tackles against Arkansas and finished with one tackle for loss (-2) ... Credited with two tackles against South Carolina ... Finished with four tackles, including two solo, against LSU ... Recorded Auburn's only sack, a 1 yarder, against LSU in the fourth quarter ... Also had a pass deflection and a quarterback hurry against the Tigers ... For the second straight game, led the Tigers in tackles against Mississippi State, posting six, including four solo ... Also recovered a fumble against the Bulldogs ... Named the Coaches' Co-Defensive Player of the Week against Mississippi State ... Led Auburn with a career-high eight tackles against Washington State ... Six tackles against the Cougars were solo, which also set a personal best.

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## DEDE'S CAREER DEFENSIVE STATS

YEAR	G/GS	TT	UT	AT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS	FF/FR	PD	I/YDS
2002	1/0	0	0	0	0.0-0	0.0-0	0/0	0	0-0
2003	13/6	27	19	8	0.0-0	0.0-0	1/1	3	0-0
2004	13/1	29	17	12	1.0-1	0.0-0	0/1	0	0-0
2005	12/12	42	23	19	4.5-18	1.5-6	0/3	4	1-0
2006	12/12	59	30	29	2.0-3	1.0-1	0/2	1	1-52
<b>Totals</b>	<b>51/31</b>	<b>157</b>	<b>89</b>	<b>67</b>	<b>7.5-22</b>	<b>2.5-7</b>	<b>1/7</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>1-52</b>

## DEDE'S GAME-BY-GAME STATS

DATE	OPPONENT	TT	UT	AT	TFL-YDS	INT-YDS
9/2/06	* WASHINGTON STATE	8	6	2	0.0-0	0-0
9/9/06	* at Mississippi State	6	4	2	0.0-0	0-0
9/16/06	* LSU	4	2	2	1.0-1	0-0
9/23/06	BUFFALO	DID NOT PLAY				
9/28/06	* at South Carolina	2	2	0	0.0-0	0-0
10/7/06	* ARKANSAS	9	5	4	1.0-2	0-0
10/14/06	* FLORIDA	3	1	2	0.0-0	0-0
10/21/06	* TULANE	5	2	3	0.0-0	0-0
10/28/06	* at Ole Miss	4	3	1	0.0-0	0-0
11/4/06	* ARKANSAS STATE	2	1	1	0.0-0	0-0
11/11/06	* GEORGIA	5	3	2	0.0-0	0-0
11/18/06	* at Alabama	8	4	4	0.0-0	0-0
11/1/07	* vs. Nebraska (Cotton)	3	1	2	0.0-0	1-52

### #99 TEZ DOOLITTLE

NG • 6-3 • 292 • Jr. • Opelika, Ala. (Opelika)

**2006** — Finished with nine tackles, including 1.5 for loss ... Posted two tackles, including one for loss (-1), against Arkansas State ... Posted one tackle against Arkansas ... Finished with half a tackle for loss (-1) against Buffalo ... Posted three tackles, including one solo, against Mississippi State.

## DOOLITTLE'S CAREER DEFENSIVE STATS

YEAR	G/GS	TT	UT	AT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS	FF/FR	PD	I/YDS
2004	3/0	3	3	0	0.0-0	0.0-0	0/0	0	0-0
2005	8/0	7	4	3	1.5-5	1.5-5	0/0	0	0-0
2006	11/0	9	6	3	1.5-2	0.0-0	0/0	0	0-0
<b>Totals</b>	<b>22/0</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>3.0-7</b>	<b>1.5-5</b>	<b>0/0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0-0</b>

## DOOLITTLE'S GAME-BY-GAME STATS

DATE	OPPONENT	TT	UT	AT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS
9/2/06	WASHINGTON STATE	0	0	0	0.0-0	0.0-0
9/9/06	at Mississippi State	3	1	2	0.0-0	0.0-0
9/16/06	LSU	DID NOT PLAY				
9/23/06	BUFFALO	1	0	1	0.5-1	0.0-0
9/28/06	at South Carolina	DID NOT PLAY				
10/7/06	ARKANSAS	1	1	0	0.0-0	0.0-0
10/14/06	FLORIDA	0	0	0	0.0-0	0.0-0
10/21/06	TULANE	1	1	0	0.0-0	0.0-0
10/28/06	at Ole Miss	0	0	0	0.0-0	0.0-0
11/4/06	ARKANSAS STATE	2	2	0	1.0-1	0.0-0
11/11/06	GEORGIA	1	1	0	0.0-0	0.0-0
11/18/06	at Alabama	0	0	0	0.0-0	0.0-0
11/1/07	vs. Nebraska (Cotton)	0	0	0	0.0-0	0.0-0

### #76 TIM DUCKWORTH

OG • 6-4 • 310 • Sr. • Taylorsville, Miss. (Taylorsville)

**CAREER** — Played in 44 games, starting 22.

**2006** — *Coaches All-SEC First Team ... AP All-SEC Second Team ... Rivals.com Second-Team All-American ... Scout.com All-SEC First Team ... Named SEC Offensive Lineman of the Week Oct. 2 for his performance against South Carolina ... Lombardi Award Preseason Watch List ... Outland Trophy Preseason Watch List ... Rivals.com Preseason Second-Team All-American ... Blue Ribbon College Football Yearbook Preseason All-SEC ... Lindy's Preseason First-Team All-SEC ... Athlon Sports Preseason Third-Team All-American and First-Team All-SEC ... Preseason First-Team All-SEC, Coaches First-Team All-SEC ... Started at right guard against Nebraska in the Cotton Bowl ... Participated in 51 plays*

against Arkansas State, earning an 88 percent overall grade ... Posted five rodeo blocks, three pancakes and two cockroach blocks against the Indians ... Saw time on 78 plays against Ole Miss, earning a 92 percent overall grade ... Posted six cockroach blocks, five pancakes and four rodeo blocks against the Rebels ... Did not play against Tulane ... Participated in 70 plays against Florida, earning an 86 percent overall grade ... Finished with five cockroach blocks, three pancakes and three rodeo blocks against the Gators ... Posted three rodeo blocks, 2.5 pancakes and one cockroach block while earning an 89 percent overall grade against Arkansas ... Graded on 55 plays against South Carolina, earning a 98 percent overall grade ... Posted a season-high six pancakes and two cockroach blocks against the Gamecocks ... Part of an offensive line that helped Auburn rush for 261 yards and five touchdowns against Buffalo ... Graded on 45 plays against Buffalo, earning a 96 percent overall grade, three pancakes, a rodeo block and a cockroach block ... Played in 60 plays against LSU and was credited with three pancakes against the Tigers ... Earned a 91 percent overall grade on 54 plays against Mississippi State ... Earned one pancake against the Bulldogs ... Started and was part of an offensive line that helped Auburn running backs rush for 293 yards against Washington State ... Graded on 55 plays against the Cougars ... Finished with five rodeo blocks, 3.5 pancake blocks and three cockroach blocks.

### #77 KING DUNLAP

OT • 6-9 • 321 • Jr. • Brentwood, Tenn. (Brentwood Academy)

**CAREER** — Has played in 37 games, starting 14.

**2006** — *Named SEC Offensive Lineman of the Week (Oct. 23) after the Tulane game ... Started all 13 games at left tackle ... Saw time on 51 plays against Arkansas State, earning a 94 percent overall grade ... Finished with three rodeo blocks, two cockroach blocks and a pancake against the Indians ... Finished with an 87 percent overall grade against Ole Miss on 78 plays ... Finished with seven rodeo blocks against the Rebels ... Participated in 52 plays against Tulane, earning a 99 percent overall grade ... Collected four pancakes, four cockroach blocks and four rodeo blocks against the Green Wave ... Named the Coaches' Offensive Player of the Week for the Tulane game ... Posted five rodeo blocks, 3.5 pancakes and one cockroach block in 70 plays against Florida ... Graded 86 percent overall against Florida ... Finished with two rodeo blocks and a pancake against Arkansas ... Graded 89 percent against the Razorbacks ... Participated in 54 plays against South Carolina, earning a 86 percent overall grade ... Finished with two pancakes, two cockroach blocks and one rodeo block against the Gamecocks ... Part of an offensive line that helped Auburn rush for 261 yards and five touchdowns against Buffalo ... Saw action in 42 plays against the Bulls, earning a 91 percent overall grade ... Finished with five cockroach blocks, 3.5 pancakes and one rodeo block ... Posted three cockroach blocks and a rodeo block in 60 plays against LSU ... Finished with one cockroach block on 66 plays in Auburn's win over Mississippi State ... Started and was part of an offensive line that helped Auburn running backs rush for 293 yards against Washington State ... Saw action in 64 plays against the Cougars, posting six rodeo blocks, three cockroach blocks and a pancake.*

### #3 ROBERT DUNN

WR • 6-0 • 177 • So. • Augusta, Ga. (Laney)

**2006** — Served as Auburn's punt returner ... Finished with 22 punt returns for 120 yards ... Totaled 16 yards on two receptions against Ole Miss ... Caught one pass for 14 yards against Florida ... Had 11 yards on one punt return against Arkansas ... Returned six punts for 63 yards, including a season and career-high 35-yarder in the second quarter, against Buffalo ... Caught a 14-yard pass against LSU ... Returned seven punts for 39 yards, including a then-season-high 12-yarder, against Mississippi State.

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## DUNN'S CAREER RECEIVING STATS

YEAR	G/GS	NO	YDS	AVG	TD	LP/OPPONENT
2005	8/0	2	29	14.5	0	23/Mississippi State
2006	13/0	5	52	10.4	0	14/LSU
<b>Totals</b>	<b>21/0</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>81</b>	<b>11.6</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>23/Mississippi State</b>

## DUNN'S CAREER PUNT RETURN STATS

YEAR	G	NO	YDS	AVG	TD	LP/OPPONENT
2005	8	5	36	7.2	0	12/Mississippi State
2006	13	22	120	5.5	0	35/Buffalo
<b>Totals</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>156</b>	<b>5.8</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>35/Buffalo</b>

## DUNN'S GAME-BY-GAME RECEIVING STATS

DATE	OPPONENT	REC	YDS	AVG	TD
9/2/06	WASHINGTON STATE	0	0	0.0	0
9/9/06	at Mississippi State	0	0	0.0	0
9/16/06	LSU	1	14	14.0	0
9/23/06	BUFFALO	0	0	0.0	0
9/28/06	at South Carolina	1	8	8.0	0
10/7/06	ARKANSAS	0	0	0.0	0
10/14/06	FLORIDA	1	14	14.0	0
10/21/06	TULANE	0	0	0.0	0
10/28/06	at Ole Miss	2	16	8.0	0
11/4/06	ARKANSAS STATE	0	0	0.0	0
11/11/06	GEORGIA	0	0	0.0	0
11/18/06	at Alabama	0	0	0.0	0
1/1/07	vs. Nebraska (Cotton)	0	0	0.0	0

## #14 LORENZO FERGUSON

DB • 6-2 • 203 • So. • Miami, Fla. (Southridge)

2006 — Played in 12 games, starting two, and finished with 11 tackles ... Started his first career game and tied for second on the team with five tackles with two pass breakups against Arkansas State ... Finished with a season-high three tackles, including two solo, against Tulane ... Posted two tackles, both solo, against Mississippi State ... Also credited with a pass breakup against the Bulldogs.

## FERGUSON'S CAREER DEFENSIVE STATS

YEAR	G/GS	TT	UT	AT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS	FF/FR	PD	INT-YDS
2005	12/0	3	2	1	0.0-0	0.0-0	0/0	0	0-0
2006	12/2	11	6	5	0.0-0	0.0-0	0/0	3	0-0
<b>Totals</b>	<b>24/2</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>0.0-0</b>	<b>0.0-0</b>	<b>0/0</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>0-0</b>

## FERGUSON'S GAME-BY-GAME STATS

DATE	OPPONENT	TT	UT	AT	TFL-YDS	INT-YDS
9/2/06	WASHINGTON STATE	0	0	0	0.0-0	0-0
9/9/06	at Mississipi State	2	2	0	0.0-0	0-0
9/16/06	LSU	0	0	0	0.0-0	0-0
9/23/06	BUFFALO	0	0	0	0.0-0	0-0
9/28/06	at South Carolina	0	0	0	0.0-0	0-0
10/7/06	ARKANSAS	0	0	0	0.0-0	0-0
10/14/06	FLORIDA	0	0	0	0.0-0	0-0
10/21/06	TULANE	3	2	1	0.0-0	0-0
10/28/06	at Ole Miss	0	0	0	0.0-0	0-0
11/4/06	* ARKANSAS STATE	5	2	3	0.0-0	0-0
11/11/06	* GEORGIA	1	0	1	0.0-0	0-0
11/18/06	at Alabama	0	0	0	0.0-0	0-0
1/1/07	vs. Nebraska (Cotton)				DID NOT PLAY	

## #16 BLAKE FIELD

QB • 6-2 • 203 • So. • Thomasville, Ga.  
(North Florida Christian)

2006 — Saw action in five games this season (Mississippi State, Buffalo, Tulane, Arkansas State and Georgia) ... Was 4-of-4 for 19 yards against Buffalo ... Played in his first game of the season against Mississippi State and completed all four of his passes for 28 yards.

## FIELD'S CAREER PASSING STATS

YEAR	G/GS	CMP	ATT	PCT	YDS	INT	TD	LP/OPPONENT
2005	5/1	17	31	.548	237	0	3	39/Western Kentucky
2006	5/0	8	9	.889	47	1	0	15/Mississippi State
<b>Totals</b>	<b>10/1</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>.625</b>	<b>284</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>39/Western Kentucky</b>

## FIELD'S GAME-BY-GAME STATS

DATE	OPPONENT	CMP	ATT	YDS	INT	TD
9/2/06	WASHINGTON STATE					
9/9/06	at Mississippi State	4	4	28	0	0
9/16/06	LSU					
9/23/06	BUFFALO	4	4	19	0	0
9/28/06	at South Carolina					
10/7/06	ARKANSAS					
10/14/06	FLORIDA					
10/21/06	TULANE	0	0	0	0	0
10/28/06	at Ole Miss					
11/4/06	ARKANSAS STATE	0	1	0	1	0
11/11/06	GEORGIA	0	0	0	0	0
11/18/06	at Alabama					
1/1/07	vs. Nebraska (Cotton)					

## #26 STEVE GANDY

LB • 6-2 • 201 • So. • Waynesboro, Miss. (Wayne County)

2006 — Played in 10 games and finished with 12 tackles ... Fourth on the team with four tackles against Arkansas State ... Finished with two assisted tackles against Arkansas ... Started his first game of the season against Buffalo, finishing with five tackles, including half for loss ... Did not play the first three games due to injury.

## GANDY'S CAREER DEFENSIVE STATS

YEAR	G/GS	TT	UT	AT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS	FF/FR	PD	I/YDS
2004	3/0	3	3	0	0.0-0	0.0-0	0/0	0	0/0
2005	12/5	31	15	16	1.0-7	0.0-0	2/0	1	1/29
2006	10/1	12	2	10	0.5-1	0.0-0	0/0	0	0/0
<b>Totals</b>	<b>25/6</b>	<b>46</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>1.5-8</b>	<b>0.0-0</b>	<b>2/0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1/29</b>

## GANDY'S GAME-BY-GAME STATS

DATE	OPPONENT	TT	UT	AT	TFL-YDS	INT-YDS
9/2/06	WASHINGTON STATE					
9/9/06	at Mississippi State					
9/16/06	LSU					
9/23/06	* BUFFALO	5	1	4	0.5-1	0-0
9/28/06	at South Carolina	0	0	0	0.0-0	0-0
10/7/06	ARKANSAS	2	0	2	0.0-0	0-0
10/14/06	FLORIDA	0	0	0	0.0-0	0-0
10/21/06	TULANE	0	0	0	0.0-0	0-0
10/28/06	at Ole Miss	0	0	0	0.0-0	0-0
11/4/06	ARKANSAS STATE	4	1	3	0.0-0	0-0
11/11/06	GEORGIA	0	0	0	0.0-0	0-0
11/18/06	at Alabama	0	0	0	0.0-0	0-0
1/1/07	vs. Nebraska (Cotton)	1	0	1	0.0-0	0-0

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## #54 QUENTIN GROVES

DE • 6-3 • 254 • Jr. • Greenville, Miss. (Weston)

**2006** — *Coaches All-SEC First Team ... AP All-SEC First Team ... Rivals.com Third-Team All-American ... SI.com All-American Honorable Mention ... Scout.com All-SEC First Team ... Named the SEC Defensive Lineman of the Week Nov. 20 after finishing with two sacks and two forced fumbles against Alabama ... Named the Football Writers Association of America/Bronko Nagurski National Defensive Player of the Week on Oct. 17 ... Named SEC Defensive Player of the Week (Oct. 16) after three sacks against Florida ... Hendricks Award Preseason Watch List ... Bednarik Award Preseason Watch List ... Lombardi Award Preseason Watch List ... Lindy's Preseason First-Team All-SEC ... Athlon Sports Preseason Second-Team All-SEC ... Preseason Second-Team All-SEC, Coaches First-Team All-SEC ... Finished with 37 tackles, including 26 solo ... Posted 12 tackles for loss and was tied for third in the SEC and 26th nationally with 9.5 sacks ... Posted seven tackles, including four solo, with two sacks, two forced fumbles and a quarterback hurry against Alabama ... Both fumbles came on sacks on consecutive drives in the second quarter and led to 14 Auburn points ... Named the Coaches' Defensive Player of the Week for his efforts against the Crimson Tide ... Finished with two tackles, including one for loss (-1), and a quarterback hurry against Georgia ... Totaled five tackles, including three solo, with 1.5 sacks (-7) against Ole Miss ... Finished with three tackles, all solo, and a sack (-5) against Tulane ... Was credited with two quarterback hurries against the Green Wave ... Posted three sacks against Florida, finishing with four tackles overall ... Forced a Florida fumble in the fourth quarter that was recovered by Tray Blackmon ... Also had two quarterback hurries against the Gators ... Named the Coaches' Defensive Player of the Week for his efforts against the Gators ... Started and finished with three tackles and a quarterback hurry against Arkansas ... Tied for third on the team with six tackles against South Carolina, including five solo, and was credited with one sack (-8) ... Posted a half tackle for loss against Buffalo ... Started and finished with two tackles against LSU ... Finished with two tackles and a sack (-4) against Mississippi State ... Posted a sack (-6) against Washington State in his fourth career start.*

### GROVES IN THE AUBURN RECORD BOOKS

Season	Groves' Numbers	Rank
Sacks	9.5 (2006)	T-6th

Career	Groves' Numbers	Rank
Sacks	22.0	2nd

### GROVES' CAREER DEFENSIVE STATS

YEAR	G/GS	TT	UT	AT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS	FF/FR	PD	I/YDS
2003	2/0	3	1	2	0.0-0	0.0-0	0/0	0	0-0
2004	13/0	23	19	4	10.0-41	7.5-37	2/0	0	0-0
2005	12/3	21	8	13	8.0-52	6.0-45	1/0	1	0-0
2006	13/13	37	26	11	12.0-68	9.5-62	3/0	0	0-0
<b>Totals</b>	<b>40/16</b>	<b>84</b>	<b>54</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>30.0-161</b>	<b>23.0-144</b>	<b>6/0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0-0</b>

### GROVES' GAME-BY-GAME STATS

DATE	OPPONENT	TT	UT	AT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS
9/2/06	* WASHINGTON STATE	1	1	0	1.0-6	1.0-6
9/9/06	* at Mississippi State	2	1	1	1.0-4	1.0-4
9/16/06	* LSU	2	1	1	0.0-0	0.0-0
9/23/06	* BUFFALO	1	0	1	0.5-0	0.0-0
9/28/06	* at South Carolina	6	5	1	1.0-8	1.0-8
10/7/06	* ARKANSAS	3	1	2	0.0-0	0.0-0
10/14/06	* FLORIDA	4	4	0	3.0-25	3.0-25
10/21/06	* TULANE	3	3	0	1.0-5	0.0-0
10/28/06	* at Ole Miss	5	3	2	1.5-7	1.5-7
11/4/06	* ARKANSAS STATE	1	1	0	0.0-0	0.0-0
11/11/06	* GEORGIA	2	2	0	1.0-1	0.0-0
11/18/06	* at Alabama	7	4	3	2.0-12	2.0-12
1/1/07	* vs. Nebraska (Cotton)	0	0	0	0.0-0	0.0-0

## #69 BEN GRUBBS

OG • 6-3 • 314 • Sr. • Eclectic, Ala. (Elmore County)

**CAREER** — Played in 50 games, starting the last 38 consecutive.

**2006** — *AP All-America Second Team ... AP All-SEC First Team ... Coaches All-SEC Second Team ... Rivals.com First-Team All-American ... Scout.com All-SEC First Team ... Announced as the SEC Offensive Lineman of the Week Nov. 6 after Auburn's win over Arkansas State ... Named SEC Offensive Lineman of the Week Sept. 11 after his performance against Mississippi State ... Rivals.com Preseason First-Team All-American ... Lindy's Preseason Second-Team All-SEC ... Athlon Sports Preseason Second-Team All-SEC ... Preseason Second-Team All-SEC, Coaches Second-Team All-SEC ... Started at left guard against Nebraska in the Cotton Bowl ... Participated in 51 plays against Arkansas State, earning a 99 percent overall grade and was named the Coaches' Offensive Player of the Week ... Finished with five pancake blocks, five cockroach blocks and four rodeo blocks against the Indians ... Accumulated five rodeo blocks, three cockroach blocks and 2.5 pancakes against Ole Miss ... Graded 94 percent overall on 79 plays against the Rebels ... Saw time on 52 plays against Tulane, earning a 95 percent overall grade ... Posted six rodeo blocks, three pancake blocks and two cockroach blocks against the Green Wave ... Participated in 70 plays against Florida, earning an 87 percent overall grade ... Finished with six rodeo blocks, a cockroach block and a pancake against the Gators ... Finished with a 94 percent overall grade against Arkansas ... Posted two pancake blocks and three cockroach blocks against the Razborbacks ... Participated in 55 plays against South Carolina, earning a 91 percent overall grade ... Credited with four pancake blocks and a cockroach block against the Gamecocks ... Part of an offensive line that helped Auburn rush for 261 yards and five touchdowns against Buffalo ... Saw action in 44 plays against the Bulls, earning a 94 percent overall grade ... Credited with four cockroach blocks, 3.5 pancake blocks and two rodeo blocks against the Bulls ... Named the Coaches' Offensive Player of the Week for his efforts against Buffalo ... Participated in 60 plays against LSU, finishing with three pancake blocks, two rodeo blocks and one cockroach block ... Played 56 plays against Mississippi State, earning a 91 percent overall grade ... Finished with two rodeo blocks, one cockroach block and a pancake against the Bulldogs ... Started and was part of an offensive line that helped Auburn running backs rush for 293 yards against Washington State ... Graded on 55 plays against Washington State, earning a 93 percent overall mark ... Posted four rodeo blocks, two cockroach blocks and 1.5 pancakes.*

## #25 LEE GUESS

WR • 5-10 • 179 • Sr. • Trussville, Ala. (Hewitt Trussville)

**2006** — Finished with six catches for 114 yards ... Caught two-point conversions against Alabama and Georgia ... Caught a career-high 38-yard pass from Brandon Cox in the Tigers' first series against Arkansas State ... The catch landed AU on the Indians' 13, leading to a Tiger touchdown ... Caught a 25-yard pass in the fourth quarter that netted Auburn a first down against Ole Miss ... Finished with a 22-yard reception against Tulane that set up a John Vaughn 45-yard field goal at the close of the second quarter ... Caught a 12-yard pass from Brandon Cox in the third quarter on third down, giving AU a first down, against South Carolina ... Caught an 8-yard pass against Mississippi State ... Started his first career game and caught a 9-yard pass against Washington State.

### GUESS' CAREER RECEIVING STATS

YEAR	G/GS	NO	YDS	AVG	TD	LP/OPPONENT
2002	1/0	0	0	0.0	0	--
2003	3/0	0	0	0.0	0	--
2004	7/0	4	77	19.3	0	37/The Citadel
2005	9/0	3	52	17.3	1	24/Western Kentucky
2006	13/2	6	114	19.0	0	38/Arkansas State
<b>Totals</b>	<b>33/2</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>243</b>	<b>18.7</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>38/Arkansas State</b>



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## GUESS' GAME-BY-GAME STATS

DATE	OPPONENT	REC	YDS	AVG	TD
9/2/06	* WASHINGTON STATE	1	9	9.0	0
9/9/06	at Mississippi State	1	8	8.0	0
9/16/06	* LSU	0	0	0.0	0
9/23/06	BUFFALO	0	0	0.0	0
9/28/06	at South Carolina	1	12	12.0	0
10/7/06	ARKANSAS	0	0	0.0	0
10/14/06	FLORIDA	0	0	0.0	0
10/21/06	TULANE	1	22	22.0	0
10/28/06	at Ole Miss	1	25	25.0	0
11/4/06	ARKANSAS STATE	1	38	38.0	0
11/11/06	GEORGIA	0	0	0.0	0
11/18/06	at Alabama	0	0	0.0	0
11/1/07	vs. Nebraska (Cotton)	0	0	0.0	0

## #48 MARQUIES GUNN

DE • 6-4 • 268 • Sr. • Alexander City, Ala. (Benjamin Russell)

**2006** — AP All-SEC Honorable Mention ... Athlon Sports Preseason Third-Team All-American and First-Team All-SEC ... Preseason Second-Team All-SEC, Coaches Third-Team All-SEC ... Finished with 35 tackles, including nine for loss, good for fourth on the team ... Posted four sacks ... Finished with two tackles and 1.5 for loss (-2) against Nebraska in the Cotton Bowl ... Posted five tackles, including three solo, against Georgia ... Finished with two tackles and two quarterback hurries against Arkansas State ... Totaled three tackles against Ole Miss ... Named the Coaches' Defensive Player of the Game for his efforts against Ole Miss ... Posted three solo tackles, including two for loss (-4), against Tulane ... Finished with three solo tackles, including one for loss (-3), against Arkansas ... Led Auburn with two sacks (-24) against South Carolina and finished with four total tackles against the Gamecocks ... Named the Coaches' Defensive Player of the Week for his efforts against the Gamecocks ... Forced and recovered a fumble in the second quarter against USC ... Posted five tackles, including three solo and 1.5 for loss (-5), against Buffalo ... Credited with a sack (-5) and a quarterback hurry against the Bulls ... Started his first game of the season and finished with four tackles, including half for a loss, against LSU ... Named the Coaches' Co-Defensive Player of the Week for his game against LSU ... Blocked a fourth-quarter 37-yard field goal attempt at Mississippi State and finished with an assisted tackle ... Posted an assisted tackle against Washington State.

## GUNN'S CAREER DEFENSIVE STATS

YEAR	G/GS	TT	UT	AT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS	FF/FR	PD	I/YDS
2003	9/0	7	4	3	2.5-16	0.5-6	1/0	1	0-0
2004	12/1	14	9	5	5.0-22	3.0-18	1/0	0	0-0
2005	12/12	40	19	21	12.5-54	4.5-28	1/0	4	0-0
2006	13/10	35	22	13	8.5-39	4.0-30	1/1	1	0-0
<b>Totals</b>	<b>46/23</b>	<b>96</b>	<b>54</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>28.5-131</b>	<b>12.0-82</b>	<b>4/1</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>0-0</b>

## GUNN'S GAME-BY-GAME STATS

DATE	OPPONENT	TT	UT	AT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS
9/2/06	WASHINGTON STATE	1	0	1	0.0-0	0.0-0
9/9/06	at Mississippi State	1	0	1	0.0-0	0.0-0
9/16/06	* LSU	4	3	1	0.5-1	0.0-0
9/23/06	* BUFFALO	5	3	2	1.5-5	1.0-5
9/28/06	* at South Carolina	4	3	1	2.0-24	2.0-24
10/7/06	* ARKANSAS	3	3	0	1.0-3	0.0-0
10/14/06	* FLORIDA	1	0	1	0.0-0	0.0-0
10/21/06	* TULANE	3	3	0	2.0-4	0.0-0
10/28/06	* at Ole Miss	3	1	2	0.0-0	0.0-0
11/4/06	ARKANSAS STATE	2	2	0	0.0-0	0.0-0
11/11/06	* GEORGIA	5	3	2	0.0-0	0.0-0
11/18/06	* at Alabama	1	0	1	0.0-0	0.0-0
11/1/07	* vs. Nebraska (Cotton)	2	1	1	1.5-2	1.0-1

## #72 LEON HART

OL • 6-4 • 297 • Jr. • Columbia, S.C. (Spring Valley)

**CAREER** — Has played in 36 games, starting two.

**2006** — Played in all 13 games ... Started for the first time and participated in 53 plays against Tulane, earning three rodeo blocks, a cockroach block and a pancake.

## #35 WILL HERRING

LB • 6-3 • 221 • Sr. • Opelika, Ala. (Opelika)

**CAREER** — Holds the Auburn all-time consecutive starts record with 49 ... Set the record against Alabama and surpassed Jenó James' 47 straight ... Had three double-digit tackle efforts ... Left Auburn with 250 tackles.

**2006** — Wuerffel Trophy finalist ... Coaches All-SEC Second Team ... ESPN The Magazine Academic All-District IV Second Team ... Bednarik Award Preseason Watch List ... Bronko Nagurski Trophy Preseason Watch List ... Lott Trophy Preseason Watch List ... Athlon Sports Preseason Third-Team All-SEC ... Preseason First-Team All-SEC, Coaches First-Team All-SEC ... Led Auburn with 72 tackles and had 9.5 tackles for loss ... Finished with two interceptions ... Posted a team-leading seven solo tackles against Nebraska in the Cotton Bowl and was named the Defensive MVP ... Also had two tackles for loss (-4) against the Cornhuskers ... Tied for the team lead with eight tackles against Alabama ... Posted a forced fumble in the fourth quarter and had one tackle for loss (-5) ... Led Auburn with nine tackles, including five solo and half for loss (-1), against Georgia ... Also forced a fumble and broke up a pass against the Bulldogs ... Played in his 50th career game and posted three tackles, including half for loss (-2), against Arkansas State ... Recorded three tackles against Ole Miss, including a sack (-7) ... Tied for the team lead with five tackles, including four solo, against Tulane ... Credited with a tackle for loss (-1) and recovered a fumble in the third quarter ... Finished with four tackles, including two solo, against Florida ... Posted six tackles, including three solo, against Arkansas ... Second on the team with seven tackles against South Carolina ... Intercepted a Gamecock pass in the end zone in the first quarter ... Tied for the team lead with seven tackles against Buffalo, finishing with 1.5 for loss (-2) and a quarterback hurry ... Led Auburn with six tackles, including 1.5 for loss, against LSU ... Was also credited with a QB hurry against the Tigers ... Tied for third on the team with four tackles, including two solo, against Mississippi State ... Posted half a tackle for loss (-5) against the Bulldogs ... Started his first career game at linebacker against Washington State and made three tackles and picked off a pass in the fourth quarter that he returned for 16 yards ... Also, in the third quarter, ran 42 yards on a fake punt against the Cougars and broke up a pass ... Named the Coaches' Defensive Player of the Week for his performance against Washington State.

## HERRING'S CAREER DEFENSIVE STATS

YEAR	G/GS	TT	UT	AT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS	FF/FR	PD	INT-YDS
2002	2/0	2	0	2	0.0-0	0.0-0	0/0	0	0-0
2003	13/11	46	24	22	1.5-3	0.0-0	0/1	5	3-0
2004	13/13	61	44	17	2.0-4	0.0-0	0/1	6	3-(-2)
2005	12/12	69	34	35	2.0-3	0.5-0	0/1	1	0-0
2006	13/13	72	45	27	9.5-32	1.5-12	1/1	3	2-16
<b>Totals</b>	<b>53/49</b>	<b>250</b>	<b>147</b>	<b>103</b>	<b>15.0-42</b>	<b>2.0-12</b>	<b>2/4</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>8-14</b>

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## HERRING'S GAME-BY-GAME STATS

DATE	OPPONENT	TT	UT	AT	TFL-YDS	INT-YDS
9/2/06	* WASHINGTON STATE	3	3	0	0.0-0	1-16
9/9/06	* at Mississippi State	4	2	2	0.5-5	0-0
9/16/06	* LSU	6	3	3	1.5-5	0-0
9/23/06	* BUFFALO	7	3	4	1.5-2	0-0
9/28/06	* at South Carolina	7	5	2	0.0-0	1-0
10/7/06	* ARKANSAS	6	3	3	0.0-0	0-0
10/14/06	* FLORIDA	4	2	2	0.0-0	0-0
10/21/06	* TULANE	5	4	1	1.0-1	0-0
10/28/06	* at Ole Miss	3	2	1	1.0-7	0-0
11/4/06	* ARKANSAS STATE	3	1	2	0.5-2	0-0
11/11/06	* GEORGIA	9	5	4	0.5-1	0-0
11/18/06	* at Alabama	8	5	3	1.0-5	0-0
11/1/07	* vs. Nebraska (Cotton)	7	7	0	2.0-4	0-0

## #4 DAVID IRONS

DB • 5-11 • 190 • Sr. • Dacula, Ga.  
(Dacula/Butler County CC)

2006 — Coaches All-SEC Second Team ... AP All-SEC Honorable Mention ... Rivals.com Second-Team All-American ... Scout.com All-SEC Second Team ... Jim Thorpe Award Preseason Watch List ... Rivals.com Preseason Second-Team All-American ... Blue Ribbon College Football Yearbook Preseason All-SEC ... Lindy's Preseason Second-Team All-American and First-Team All-SEC ... Athlon Sports Preseason First-Team All-SEC ... Preseason First-Team All-SEC, Coaches First-Team All-SEC ... Sixth on the team with 42 tackles ... Led Auburn and was tied for sixth in the SEC with 14 passes defended ... Posted three tackles, including one for loss (-4) against Nebraska in the Cotton Bowl ... Finished with two tackles against Alabama and intercepted a pass on the Crimson Tide's last drive of the game ... Also had two pass breakups against Alabama ... Third on the team with six tackles against Georgia ... Named the Coaches' Special Teams Player of the Week after posting one tackle against Arkansas State ... Totaled one solo tackle against Ole Miss ... Posted two tackles and three pass deflections against Tulane ... Named the Coaches' Defensive Player of the Week for the Tulane game ... Broke up two passes and finished with one tackle against Florida ... Finished with three tackles and a pass breakup against Arkansas ... Led Auburn with a season-high 10 tackles, including six solo, against South Carolina ... Third on the team with six tackles, including three solo, against Buffalo ... Had a tackle for loss (-3) against the Bulls ... Named the Coaches' Defensive Player of the Week for his efforts against Buffalo ... Finished with three solo tackles, a forced fumble and a pass breakup against LSU ... Intercepted his first career pass in the second quarter against Mississippi State ... Finished with two tackles against the Bulldogs ... Posted a tackle for loss (-6) and two pass deflections against Washington State.

## D. IRONS' CAREER DEFENSIVE STATS

YEAR	G/GS	TT	UT	AT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS	FF/FR	PD	INT-YDS
2005	11/11	48	36	12	2.5-7	0.0-0	0/0	11	0-0
2006	13/13	42	23	19	3.0-13	0.0-0	1/0	12	2-0
<b>Totals</b>	<b>24/24</b>	<b>90</b>	<b>59</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>5.5-20</b>	<b>0.0-0</b>	<b>1/0</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>2-0</b>

## D. IRONS' GAME-BY-GAME STATS

DATE	OPPONENT	TT	UT	AT	PD	INT-YDS
9/2/06	* WASHINGTON STATE	2	1	1	2	0-0
9/9/06	* at Mississippi State	2	2	0	0	1-0
9/16/06	* LSU	3	3	0	1	0-0
9/23/06	* BUFFALO	6	3	3	0	0-0
9/28/06	* at South Carolina	10	6	4	0	0-0
10/7/06	* ARKANSAS	3	1	2	1	0-0
10/14/06	* FLORIDA	1	1	0	2	0-0
10/21/06	* TULANE	2	2	0	3	0-0
10/28/06	* at Ole Miss	1	1	0	0	0-0
11/4/06	* ARKANSAS STATE	1	0	1	0	0-0
11/11/06	* GEORGIA	6	2	4	0	0-0
11/18/06	* at Alabama	2	0	2	2	1-0
11/1/07	* vs. Nebraska (Cotton)	3	1	2	1	0-0

## #23 KENNY IRONS

RB • 5-11 • 203 • Sr. • (Dacula/South Carolina)

**CAREER** — 11 100-yard games ... Finished with four career games with 175 yards rushing or more: 182 vs. Arkansas (10/15/05), 218 vs. LSU (10/22/05), 179 vs. Georgia (11/12/05) and 183 vs. Washington State (9/2/06) ... Named SEC Offensive Player of the Week three times: 9/4/06, 11/12/05 and 10/15/05.

2006 — Coaches All-SEC First Team ... AP All-SEC Second Team ... Scout.com All-SEC Second Team ... Named SEC Offensive Player of the Week Sept. 4 after rushing for 183 yards and one touchdown against Washington State ... Maxwell Award Preseason Watch List ... Rivals.com Preseason Second-Team All-American ... Walter Camp Player of the Year Watch List ... Doak Walker Award Watch List ... Blue Ribbon College Football Yearbook SEC Preseason Offensive Player of the Year and All-SEC ... Lindy's Preseason Second-Team All-American and First-Team All-SEC ... Athlon Sports Preseason Second-Team All-American and First-Team All-SEC ... Preseason First-Team All-SEC, Coaches First-Team All-SEC ... Led Auburn with 198 carries for 893 yards ... Second on the team with four rushing touchdowns ... Fourth in the SEC and is 40th nationally with 81.2 rushing yards per game ... Rushed for 72 yards on 24 carries against Nebraska in the Cotton Bowl ... Carried the ball 19 times against Alabama, finishing with 85 yards ... Rushed for an 8-yard touchdown in the second quarter against the Crimson Tide ... Rushed the ball 10 times against Georgia, finishing with 49 yards ... Saw limited action against Arkansas State, rushing the ball once for no yards ... Finished with 106 yards on 23 carries against Ole Miss, finishing with his third game this season with 100 yards or more ... Did not play against Tulane ... Rushed 13 times against Florida, finishing with 67 yards ... Finished with 75 yards on 15 carries against Arkansas ... Rushed 27 times for 117 yards against South Carolina ... Scored on 1-yard runs in the first and fourth quarters against the Gamecocks ... Did not play against Buffalo ... Gained 70 yards on 25 carries against LSU ... Rushed for 69 yards on 21 carries against Mississippi State ... Rushed for 183 yards on 20 carries against Washington State ... The 183 yards in his second-best total at Auburn, trailing only his 218 at LSU in 2005 ... Ran for a 58-yard touchdown in the third quarter against the Cougars ... Ended the game with 40 yards receiving, giving him 223 all-purpose yards against Washington State marking a career-high ... Named the Coaches' Offensive Player of the Week for his performance against Washington State.

## K. IRONS IN THE AUBURN RECORD BOOKS

Season	Irons' Numbers	Rank
Rushing Attempts	256 (2005)	4th
Rushing Yardage	1,293 (2005)	6th
Rushing Touchdowns	13 (2005)	T-6th
Rushing Yards Per Game	107.8 (2005)	10th

Career	Irons' Numbers	Rank
Rushing Yardage	2,186	10th

## K. IRONS' CAREER RUSHING STATS

YEAR	G/GS	NO	YDS	AVG	TD	LP/OPPONENT
2005	12/9	256	1293	5.1	13	74/LSU
2006	11/10	198	893	4.5	4	58/Washington State
<b>Totals</b>	<b>23/19</b>	<b>454</b>	<b>2186</b>	<b>4.8</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>74/LSU</b>

## K. IRONS' CAREER RECEIVING STATS

YEAR	G/GS	NO	YDS	AVG	TD	LP/OPPONENT
2005	12/9	14	164	11.7	0	23/Mississippi State
2006	11/10	10	78	7.8	0	15/Washington State/Arkansas
<b>Totals</b>	<b>23/19</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>242</b>	<b>10.1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>23/Mississippi State</b>

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## K. IRONS' GAME-BY-GAME RUSHING STATS

DATE	OPPONENT	ATT	YDS	Avg.	TD	TD Runs
9/2/06	* WASHINGTON STATE	20	183	9.1	1	58
9/9/06	* at Mississippi State	21	69	3.3	0	--
9/16/06	* LSU	25	70	2.8	0	--
9/23/06	BUFFALO	DID NOT PLAY				
9/28/06	* at South Carolina	27	117	4.3	2	1, 1
10/7/06	* ARKANSAS	15	75	5.0	0	--
10/14/06	* FLORIDA	13	67	5.2	0	--
10/21/06	TULANE	DID NOT PLAY				
10/28/06	* at Ole Miss	23	106	4.6	0	--
11/4/06	* ARKANSAS STATE	1	0	0.0	0	--
11/11/06	GEORGIA	10	49	4.9	0	--
11/18/06	* at Alabama	19	85	4.5	1	8
1/1/07	* vs. Nebraska (Cotton)	24	72	3.0	0	--

## #55 MERRILL JOHNSON

LB • 6-0 • 208 • So. • Butler, Ala. (Choctaw County)

**2006** — Finished with 33 tackles, including three for loss ... Posted three solo tackles against Nebraska in a start at the Cotton Bowl ... Led Auburn with six tackles and finished with a sack (-10) against Arkansas State ... Credited with two assisted tackles against Tulane ... Finished with two tackles against South Carolina ... Tied for Auburn's team lead with seven tackles against Buffalo, posting one for a loss (-3) ... Also credited with three quarterback hurries against the Bulls ... Finished with five tackles, good for second on the team, against LSU ... Posted a tackle for loss (-4) against the Tigers ... Tied for second on the team with five tackles, including four solo, against Mississippi State ... Tied for second on the team with four tackles, three solo, against Washington State.

## JOHNSON'S CAREER DEFENSIVE STATS

YEAR	G/GS	TT	UT	AT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS	FF/FR	PD	I/YDS
2005	11/0	21	11	10	1.0-1	0.0-0	0/0	0	0/0
2006	13/6	35	20	15	3.0-17	1.0-10	0/0	0	0/0
<b>Totals</b>	<b>24/6</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>4.0-18</b>	<b>1.0-10</b>	<b>0/0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0/0</b>

## JOHNSON'S GAME-BY-GAME STATS

DATE	OPPONENT	TT	UT	AT	TFL-YDS	INT-YDS
9/2/06	WASHINGTON STATE	4	3	1	0.0-0	0-0
9/9/06	at Mississippi State	5	4	1	0.0-0	0-0
9/16/06	* LSU	5	3	2	1.0-4	0-0
9/23/06	* BUFFALO	7	4	3	1.0-3	0-0
9/28/06	* at South Carolina	2	1	1	0.0-0	0-0
10/7/06	* ARKANSAS	0	0	0	0.0-0	0-0
10/14/06	FLORIDA	0	0	0	0.0-0	0-0
10/21/06	TULANE	2	0	2	0.0-0	0-0
10/28/06	* at Ole Miss	1	0	1	0.0-0	0-0
11/4/06	ARKANSAS STATE	6	2	4	1.0-10	0-0
11/11/06	GEORGIA	0	0	0	0.0-0	0-0
11/18/06	at Alabama	0	0	0	0.0-0	0-0
1/1/07	* vs. Nebraska (Cotton)	3	3	0	0.0-0	0-0

## #20 PATRICK LEE

DB • 6-0 • 195 • Jr. • Miami, Fla. (Christopher Columbus)

**2006** — Ended season with 25 tackles while playing in 13 games, starting four ... Had six pass deflections ... Started and finished with two tackles and a pass deflection against Nebraska in the Cotton Bowl ... Also returned one kickoff for 15 yards against the Cornhuskers ... Broke up a pass and posted one tackle against Georgia ... Intercepted his first career pass in the fourth quarter and returned it 18 yards against Arkansas State ... Credited with two solo tackles and a forced fumble in the second quarter against Tulane ... Posted three tackles against Florida and returned a fumble 20 yards for a touchdown on the final play of the game ... Started his second straight game and batted down a pass in the end zone on South Carolina's fourth down (and the Gamecocks' last offensive play of the game) in the fourth quarter to seal Auburn's win ... Started his first game of the season and sixth of his career against Buffalo and posted five tackles, a pass deflection and a quarterback hurry ... Posted three tackles and a pass deflection against Mississippi State ... Made three tackles against Washington State in his 25th career game.

## LEE'S CAREER DEFENSIVE STATS

YEAR	G/GS	TT	UT	AT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS	FF/FR	PD	I/YDS
2004	12/0	14	12	2	0.0-0	0.0-0	0/0	1	0/0
2005	12/5	9	7	2	0.0-0	0.0-0	0/0	3	0/0
2006	13/4	25	15	10	1.0-6	0.0-0	1/1	6	1/18
<b>Totals</b>	<b>37/9</b>	<b>48</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>1.0-6</b>	<b>0.0-0</b>	<b>1/1</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>1/18</b>

## LEE'S GAME-BY-GAME STATS

DATE	OPPONENT	TT	UT	AT	PD	INT-YDS
9/2/06	WASHINGTON STATE	3	2	1	0	0-0
9/9/06	at Mississippi State	3	2	1	1	0-0
9/16/06	LSU	0	0	0	0	0-0
9/23/06	* BUFFALO	5	2	3	1	0-0
9/28/06	* at South Carolina	3	1	2	1	0-0
10/7/06	ARKANSAS	0	0	0	0	0-0
10/14/06	* FLORIDA	3	3	0	0	0-0
10/21/06	TULANE	2	2	0	0	0-0
10/28/06	at Ole Miss	1	0	1	0	0-0
11/4/06	ARKANSAS STATE	1	0	1	1	1-18
11/11/06	GEORGIA	1	1	0	1	0-0
11/18/06	at Alabama	1	1	0	0	0-0
1/1/07	* vs. Nebraska (Cotton)	2	1	1	1	0-0

## #1 BRAD LESTER

RB • 5-11 • 191 • So. • Lilburn, Ga. (Parkview)

**CAREER** — Has five multiple touchdown efforts.

**2006** — Second on the team with 104 carries for 510 yards ... Led Auburn with nine rushing touchdowns ... Tied for fifth in the SEC with 5.0 points scored per game (non-kickers) ... Led Auburn with 10 total touchdowns, including nine on the ground ... Did not play against Nebraska in the Cotton Bowl ... Posted 15 carries against Alabama, rushing for 54 yards and a 12-yard touchdown in the second quarter ... Rushed the ball five times for 40 yards against Georgia ... Ran for a 21-yard touchdown in the second quarter against the Bulldogs ... Ran the ball 12 times and finished with 62 yards against Arkansas State ... Also returned one kickoff for 34 yards against the Indians ... Received 14 carries against Ole Miss, finishing with 49 yards and a 6-yard touchdown in the third quarter ... Started and rushed for 23 yards and a 2-yard touchdown on six carries against Tulane ... Also caught a 36-yard pass against the Green Wave ... Carried the ball 17 times against Florida, rushing for a career-high 94 yards (5.5 yards per carry) ... Named the Coaches' Co-Offensive Player of the Week for his efforts against the Gators ... Rushed four times for 28 yards against Arkansas ... Carried the ball three times for 24 yards on Auburn's scoring drive (touchdown) against the Razorbacks ... Returned three kicks for 100 yards against Arkansas, including a season-high 68-yarder ... Started his first game of the season and rushed for his third-multiple touchdown game of the season against Buffalo ... Rushed for touchdowns of 2 and 4 yards and finished with 83 on the ground overall ... Had his second straight multiple-touchdown effort, rushing for scores from 2 and 20

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yards against Mississippi State ... Rushed for 40 yards on five carries against the Bulldogs ... Rushed for a 12-yard touchdown and caught a 34-yard touchdown pass from Brandon Cox on a swing pass against Washington State ... Marked his third career multiple-TD game and his first by rushing and receiving ... Rushed for 37 yards against the Cougars.

## LESTER'S CAREER RUSHING STATS

YEAR	G/GS	NO	YDS	AVG	TD	LP/OPPONENT
2004	3/0	10	21	2.1	0	11/The Citadel
2005	8/1	52	339	6.5	5	70/Ball State
2006	12/2	104	510	4.9	9	33/Florida
<b>Totals</b>	<b>23/3</b>	<b>166</b>	<b>870</b>	<b>5.2</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>70/Ball State</b>

## LESTER'S CAREER KOR STATS

YEAR	G	NO	YDS	AVG	TD	LP/OPPONENT
2004	3	3	75	25.0	0	32/Mississippi State
2005	8	4	196	49.0	1	93/Ball State
2006	12	6	158	26.3	0	68/Arkansas
<b>Totals</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>429</b>	<b>33.0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>93/Ball State</b>

## LESTER'S CAREER RECEIVING STATS

YEAR	G/GS	NO	YDS	AVG	TD	LP/OPPONENT
2004	3/0	0	0	0.0	0	--
2005	8/1	3	52	17.3	1	38/Western Kentucky
2006	12/2	6	87	14.5	1	36/Tulane
<b>Totals</b>	<b>23/3</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>139</b>	<b>15.4</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>38/Western Kentucky</b>

## LESTER'S GAME-BY-GAME RUSHING STATS

DATE	OPPONENT	ATT	YDS	Avg.	TD	TD Runs
9/2/06	WASHINGTON STATE	6	37	6.2	1	12
9/9/06	at Mississippi State	5	40	8.0	2	2, 20
9/16/06	LSU	2	0	0.0	0	--
9/23/06	* BUFFALO	18	83	4.6	2	2, 4
9/28/06	at South Carolina	0	0	0.0	0	--
10/7/06	ARKANSAS	4	28	7.0	0	--
10/14/06	FLORIDA	17	94	5.5	0	--
10/21/06	* TULANE	6	23	3.8	1	2
10/28/06	at Ole Miss	14	49	3.5	1	6
11/4/06	ARKANSAS STATE	12	62	5.2	0	--
11/11/06	GEORGIA	5	40	8.0	1	21
11/18/06	at Alabama	15	54	3.6	1	12
11/1/07	vs. Nebraska (Cotton)	DID NOT PLAY				

## #94 SEN'DERRICK MARKS

DT • 6-2 • 287 • RFr. • Mobile, Ala. (Vigor)

**2006** — *Coaches Freshman All-SEC ... The Sporting News Freshman All-America Third Team ... Rivals.com First-Team Freshman All-American ... The Sporting News SEC All-Freshman Team ...* Finished with 38 tackles and 3.5 sacks ... Tied for third on the team with five tackles, including 2.5 for loss (-3), against Nebraska in the Cotton Bowl ... Recorded five tackles, two fumble recoveries and posted a tackle for loss (-6) against Alabama ... Finished with four tackles, including one for loss (-3), and recovered a fumble against Georgia ... Posted two tackles, including 1.5 for loss (-3), against Ole Miss ... Finished with two tackles and a quarterback hurry against Tulane ... Finished with three tackles, including two solo, against Florida ... Posted three tackles, including two solo, against Arkansas ... Finished with three tackles including one for loss (-3) against South Carolina ... Posted a sack (-6) and three tackles overall against Buffalo ... Finished with two tackles, including half for a loss, against LSU ... Posted three tackles for the second straight game and had a sack against Mississippi State ... Forced a Tray Rutland fumble in the second quarter that was recovered by Karibi Dede ... Started his first career game and posted 1.5 sacks (-2), a pass breakup and three tackles, two solo, against Washington State.

## MARKS' CAREER DEFENSIVE STATS

YEAR	G/GS	TT	UT	AT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS	FF/FR	PD	I/YDS
2005	3/0	1	1	0	0.0-0	0.0-0	0/0	0	0/0
2006	13/13	38	26	12	10.5-32	3.5-13	1/3	2	0/0
<b>Totals</b>	<b>16/13</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>10.5-32</b>	<b>3.5-13</b>	<b>1/3</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>0/0</b>

## MARKS' GAME-BY-GAME STATS

DATE	OPPONENT	TT	UT	AT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS
9/2/06	* WASHINGTON STATE	3	2	1	1.5-2	1.5-2
9/9/06	* at Mississippi State	3	3	0	1.0-5	1.0-5
9/16/06	* LSU	2	1	1	0.5-1	0.0-0
9/23/06	* BUFFALO	3	2	1	1.0-6	1.0-6
9/28/06	* at South Carolina	3	3	0	1.0-3	0.0-0
10/7/06	* ARKANSAS	3	2	1	0.0-0	0.0-0
10/14/06	* FLORIDA	3	2	1	0.0-0	0.0-0
10/21/06	* TULANE	2	2	0	0.0-0	0.0-0
10/28/06	* at Ole Miss	2	1	1	1.5-3	0.0-0
11/4/06	* ARKANSAS STATE	0	0	0	0.0-0	0.0-0
11/11/06	* GEORGIA	4	2	2	1.0-3	0.0-0
11/18/06	* at Alabama	5	3	2	1.0-6	0.0-0
1/1/07	* vs. Nebraska (Cotton)	5	3	2	2.5-3	0.0-0

## #83 GABE MCKENZIE

TE • 6-4 • 253 • RFr. • Mobile, Ala. (Davidson)

**2006** — *The Sporting News Freshman All-America Honorable Mention ...* Finished with 13 receptions for 137 yards and a touchdown ... Caught one pass for 12 yards in the Cotton Bowl against Nebraska ... Posted one reception for 9 yards against Ole Miss ... Totaled two receptions for 11 yards against Tulane ... Finished with two receptions for 21 yards against Arkansas ... Against South Carolina, caught a 25-yard pass from Brandon Cox on Auburn's first drive and tightroped the left sideline before being brought down at the Gamecocks' 30 ... Caught a 13-yard pass in the third quarter giving Auburn a first down against LSU ... Caught four passes for 42 yards, including a 6-yard touchdown reception from Brandon Cox in the first quarter, against Mississippi State ... TD reception and catches were the first of his career.

## MCKENZIE'S CAREER RECEIVING STATS

YEAR	G/GS	NO	YDS	AVG	TD	LP/OPPONENT
2006	13/0	13	137	10.5	1	25/South Carolina

## MCKENZIE'S GAME-BY-GAME STATS

DATE	OPPONENT	REC	YDS	AVG	TD
9/2/06	WASHINGTON STATE	0	0	0.0	0
9/9/06	at Mississippi State	4	42	10.5	1
9/16/06	LSU	1	13	13.0	0
9/23/06	BUFFALO	1	4	4.0	0
9/28/06	at South Carolina	1	25	25.0	0
10/7/06	ARKANSAS	2	21	10.5	0
10/14/06	FLORIDA	0	0	0.0	0
10/21/06	TULANE	2	11	5.5	0
10/28/06	at Ole Miss	1	9	9.0	0
11/4/06	ARKANSAS STATE	0	0	0.0	0
11/11/06	GEORGIA	0	0	0.0	0
11/18/06	at Alabama	0	0	0.0	0
1/1/07	vs. Nebraska (Cotton)	1	12	12.0	0

## #79 JONATHAN PALMER

OT • 6-5 • 318 • Sr. • Decatur, Ga. (Cedar Grove)

**CAREER** — Played in 46 games, starting 16.

**2006** — *Preseason Coaches Second-Team All-SEC ...* Started all 13 games at right tackle ... Earned a 92 percent overall grade against Arkansas State on 51 plays ... Posted four rodeo blocks, one cockroach block and half a pancake against the Indians ... Participated in 78 plays against Ole Miss, earning a 93 percent overall grade ... Credited with five rodeo blocks, 4.5 pancakes and two cockroach blocks against the Rebels ... Earned a 92 percent overall grade on 60 plays against Tulane, accumulating five rodeo blocks, two pancakes and one cockroach block ... Participated in 70 plays against Florida, earning three rodeo blocks, two cockroach blocks and 1.5 pancakes ... Posted two pancakes and a cockroach blocks against Arkansas ... Graded on 53 plays against South Carolina, earning two pancakes and one cockroach block ... Part of an offensive line that helped Auburn rush for 261 yards and five touchdowns against Buffalo ... Participated in 45 plays against

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the Bulls, earning one pancake, one rodeo block and a cockroach block ... Played in 61 plays against LSU ... Participated in 58 plays against Mississippi State, accumulating three cockroach blocks ... Started and was part of an offensive line that helped Auburn running backs rush for 293 yards against Washington State ... Graded on 64 plays against the Cougars, finishing with four rodeo blocks and four cockroach blocks.

## #8 JERRAUD POWERS

DB • 5-9 • 177 • RFr. • Decatur, Ala. (Decatur)

**2006** — *Coaches Freshman All-SEC* ... Finished with 26 tackles and four pass deflections ... Posted a pass deflection and a tackle against Nebraska in the Cotton Bowl ... Finished with three tackles against Alabama ... Made three tackles and recovered a fumble eight yards against Georgia ... Finished with two tackles and a pass breakup against Arkansas State ... Named the Coaches' Defensive Player of the Week against the Indians ... Tied for second on the team with four tackles and was credited with a pass deflection against Tulane ... Credited with one tackle against Florida and blocked a Gator punt in the third quarter that was returned for a touchdown ... Finished with four tackles for the second time this season, including three solo, against South Carolina ... Posted four solo tackles against LSU ... Played in his first career game against Washington State and finished with a tackle.

### POWERS' CAREER DEFENSIVE STATS

YEAR	G/GS	TT	UT	AT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS	FF/FR	PD	I/YDS
2006	13/0	26	20	6	1.0-2	0.0-0	0/1	4	0/0

### POWERS' GAME-BY-GAME STATS

DATE	OPPONENT	TT	UT	AT	PD	INT-YDS
9/2/06	WASHINGTON STATE	1	1	0	0	0-0
9/9/06	at Mississippi State	1	1	0	0	0-0
9/16/06	LSU	4	4	0	0	0-0
9/23/06	BUFFALO	1	0	1	0	0-0
9/28/06	at South Carolina	4	3	1	1	0-0
10/7/06	ARKANSAS	0	0	0	0	0-0
10/14/06	FLORIDA	1	1	0	0	0-0
10/21/06	TULANE	4	3	1	1	0-0
10/28/06	at Ole Miss	1	1	0	0	0-0
11/4/06	ARKANSAS STATE	2	2	0	1	0-0
11/11/06	GEORGIA	3	1	2	0	0-0
11/18/06	at Alabama	3	3	0	0	0-0
11/1/07	vs. Nebraska (Cotton)	1	0	1	1	0-0

## #15 PRECHAE RODRIGUEZ

WR • 6-4 • 204 • Jr. • Tampa, Fla. (Jefferson/Coffeyville JC)

**2006** — Caught 14 passes for 168 yards and a touchdown ... Posted an 18-yard reception against Nebraska in the Cotton Bowl ... Caught one pass, a 22-yard touchdown, from Brandon Cox in the third quarter, that served as the game-winner against Alabama ... Had one catch for 17 yards in the second quarter against Arkansas State ... Finished with one reception for 8 yards against Ole Miss ... Posted two receptions for 27 yards against Tulane ... Finished with three receptions for 26 yards against Florida ... Posted a 15-yard reception at South Carolina ... Had two catches for 16 yards against LSU ... Posted a 9-yard reception against Mississippi State ... Caught a 10-yard pass against Washington State.

### RODRIGUEZ'S CAREER RECEIVING STATS

YEAR	G/GS	NO	YDS	AVG	TD	LP/OPPONENT
2005	11/0	13	240	18.5	1	41/Kentucky
2006	12/0	14	168	12.0	1	22/Alabama
<b>Totals</b>	<b>23/0</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>408</b>	<b>15.1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>41/Kentucky</b>

## RODRIGUEZ'S CAREER RUSHING STATS

YEAR	G/GS	NO	YDS	AVG	TD	LP/OPPONENT
2005	11/0	2	17	8.5	0	12/Kentucky
2006	12/0	0	0	0.0	0	--
<b>Totals</b>	<b>23/0</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>8.5</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>12/Kentucky</b>

## RODRIGUEZ'S GAME-BY-GAME STATS

DATE	OPPONENT	REC	YDS	AVG	TD
9/2/06	WASHINGTON STATE	1	10	10.0	0
9/9/06	at Mississippi State	1	9	9.0	0
9/16/06	LSU	2	16	8.0	0
9/23/06	BUFFALO	DID NOT PLAY			
9/28/06	at South Carolina	1	15	15.0	0
10/7/06	ARKANSAS	0	0	0.0	0
10/14/06	FLORIDA	3	26	8.7	0
10/21/06	TULANE	2	27	13.5	0
10/28/06	at Ole Miss	1	8	8.0	0
11/4/06	ARKANSAS STATE	1	17	17.0	0
11/11/06	GEORGIA	0	0	0.0	0
11/18/06	at Alabama	1	22	22.0	0
1/1/07	vs. Nebraska (Cotton)	1	18	18.0	0

## #2 AAIRON SAVAGE

DB • 5-11 • 191 • RFr. • Albany, Ga. (Westover)

**2006** — *Coaches Freshman All-SEC* ... *The Sporting News Freshman All-America Third Team* ... *Rivals.com Second-Team Freshman All-American* ... *The Sporting News SEC All-Freshman Team* ... Named SEC Freshman of the Week (Oct. 30) after the Ole Miss game ... Third on the team with 53 tackles and finished with four for loss (-15) ... Posted two sacks ... Tied for third on the team with five tackles against Nebraska in the Cotton Bowl ... Had a tackle for loss (-1) against the Cornhuskers ... Second on the team with eight tackles against Georgia, finishing with one for loss (-1) and forcing a first-quarter fumble ... Finished with his second sack of the season against Arkansas State ... Returned against Ole Miss and tied for the team lead with six tackles ... Also intercepted his first career pass in the third quarter ... Did not play against Tulane ... Tied for second on the team with four tackles against Florida ... Tied for the team lead with a career-high 11 tackles, including six solo, against Arkansas ... Had a quarterback hurry against the Razorbacks ... Finished with four tackles, including two solo, and a pass breakup against South Carolina ... Totaled five tackles against Buffalo and posted a 10-yard sack in the second quarter ... Finished with three tackles and his first career pass deflection against LSU ... Named the Coaches' Co-Defensive Player of the Week for his game against LSU ... Started in and played his first career game against Washington State, tying for second on the team with four tackles, three of which were solo.

### SAVAGE'S CAREER DEFENSIVE STATS

YEAR	G/GS	TT	UT	AT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS	FF/FR	PD	I/YDS
2006	12/11	53	34	19	4.0-15	2.0-13	1/0	3	1/0

### SAVAGE'S GAME-BY-GAME STATS

DATE	OPPONENT	TT	UT	AT	PD	INT-YDS
9/2/06	* WASHINGTON STATE	4	3	1	0	0-0
9/9/06	* at Mississippi State	0	0	0	0	0-0
9/16/06	* LSU	3	2	1	1	0-0
9/23/06	* BUFFALO	5	3	2	0	0-0
9/28/06	* at South Carolina	4	2	2	1	0-0
10/7/06	* ARKANSAS	11	6	5	1	0-0
10/14/06	* FLORIDA	4	2	2	0	0-0
10/21/06	TULANE	DID NOT PLAY				
10/28/06	* at Ole Miss	6	3	3	0	1-0
11/4/06	ARKANSAS STATE	1	1	0	0	0-0
11/11/06	* GEORGIA	8	7	1	0	0-0
11/18/06	* at Alabama	2	1	1	0	0-0
1/1/07	* vs. Nebraska (Cotton)	5	4	1	0	0-0

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## #40 KEVIN SEARS

LB • 6-5 • 237 • Sr. • Russellville, Ala. (Russellville)

**2006** — Saw action in seven games ... Finished with 13 tackles ... Did not play against Nebraska in the Cotton Bowl ... Recorded five tackles against Alabama and recovered a fumble ... Made two tackles against Georgia, including half for loss ... Did not play against Arkansas State and Ole Miss ... Posted two tackles against Tulane, including one solo ... Had one solo tackle against Florida ... Finished with two tackles against Arkansas ... Posted his first tackle of the season against Buffalo.

### SEARS' CAREER DEFENSIVE STATS

YEAR	G/GS	TT	UT	AT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS	FF/FR	PD	I/YDS
2003	12/0	14	6	8	0.0-0	0.0-0	0/0	0	0/0
2004	12/12	29	20	9	4.5-12	0.0-0	0/0	0	1/2
2005	10/3	27	14	13	3.0-9	0.0-0	0/0	0	0/0
2006	7/0	13	4	9	0.5-0	0.0-0	0/1	0	0/0
<b>Totals</b>	<b>41/15</b>	<b>83</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>8.0-21</b>	<b>0.0-0</b>	<b>0/1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1/2</b>

### SEARS' GAME-BY-GAME STATS

DATE	OPPONENT	TT	UT	AT	TFL-YDS	INT-YDS
9/2/06	WASHINGTON STATE				DID NOT PLAY	
9/9/06	at Mississippi State				DID NOT PLAY	
9/16/06	LSU				DID NOT PLAY	
9/23/06	BUFFALO	1	0	1	0.0-0	0-0
9/28/06	at South Carolina	0	0	0	0.0-0	0-0
10/7/06	ARKANSAS	2	1	1	0.0-0	0-0
10/14/06	FLORIDA	1	0	1	0.0-0	0-0
10/21/06	TULANE	2	1	1	0.0-0	0-0
10/28/06	at Ole Miss				DID NOT PLAY	
11/4/06	ARKANSAS STATE				DID NOT PLAY	
11/11/06	GEORGIA	2	1	1	0.5-0	0-0
11/18/06	at Alabama	5	1	4	0.0-0	0-0
1/1/07	vs. Nebraska (Cotton)				DID NOT PLAY	

## #95 PAT SIMS

DT • 6-4 • 304 • So. • Ft. Lauderdale, Fla. (Dillard)

**2006** — Finished with 16 tackles, including five for loss, and three sacks ... Posted three tackles and a sack (-8) against Nebraska in the Cotton Bowl ... Finished with three tackles against Arkansas State ... Credited with one tackle for loss (-3) against Florida ... Credited with half a tackle for loss (-1) against LSU ... Posted two tackles and half a sack (-4) in Auburn's win over Mississippi State ... Forced a Tray Rutland fumble in the fourth quarter that was recovered by Jermarcus Ricks ... Named the Coaches' Co-Defensive Player of the Week against Mississippi State ... Played in his first game since 2004 and posted three tackles, half a sack (-1) and a forced fumble against Washington State.

### SIMS' CAREER DEFENSIVE STATS

YEAR	G/GS	TT	UT	AT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS	FF/FR	PD	I/YDS
2004	1/0	3	3	0	1.0-2	0.0-0	1/0	0	0/0
2006	13/0	16	9	7	5.0-29	3.0-24	1/0	1	0/0
<b>Totals</b>	<b>14/0</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>6.0-31</b>	<b>3.0-24</b>	<b>2/0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0/0</b>

## SIMS' GAME-BY-GAME STATS

DATE	OPPONENT	TT	UT	AT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS
9/2/06	WASHINGTON STATE	3	1	2	1.0-2	0.5-1
9/9/06	at Mississippi State	3	1	2	1.5-15	1.5-15
9/16/06	LSU	1	0	1	0.5-1	0.0-0
9/23/06	BUFFALO	1	1	0	0.0-0	0.0-0
9/28/06	at South Carolina	1	1	0	0.0-0	0.0-0
10/7/06	ARKANSAS	0	0	0	0.0-0	0.0-0
10/14/06	FLORIDA	1	1	0	1.0-3	0.0-0
10/21/06	TULANE	0	0	0	0.0-0	0.0-0
10/28/06	at Ole Miss	0	0	0	0.0-0	0.0-0
11/4/06	ARKANSAS STATE	3	1	2	0.0-0	0.0-0
11/11/06	GEORGIA	0	0	0	0.0-0	0.0-0
11/18/06	at Alabama	0	0	0	0.0-0	0.0-0
1/1/07	vs. Nebraska (Cotton)	3	3	0	1.0-8	1.0-8

## #80 RODGERIQUUS SMITH

WR • 6-2 • 184 • So. • Snellville, Ga. (Tyner/NE Mississippi)

**2006** — Second on the team with 26 receptions for 452 yards and led the team with four touchdown receptions ... Led the team with three receptions against Alabama, finishing with 55 yards ... Finished with one reception against Georgia, a 34-yard touchdown strike from Brandon Cox in the third quarter ... Posted one reception for 16 yards against Arkansas State ... Finished with 46 yards receiving on four catches against Ole Miss ... Connected with QB Brandon Cox on a 13-yard touchdown in the first quarter against the Rebels ... Caught two passes for 4 yards against Tulane ... Posted three receptions for 33 yards against Florida ... Named the Coaches' Co-Offensive Player of the Week for his efforts against the Gators ... Auburn's leading receiver with 64 yards against Arkansas and was second with a career-high four catches ... Had the Tigers' only touchdown reception, a 24-yarder in the second quarter, against the Razorbacks ... Finished with two receptions for 37 yards, including a game-high 31-yarder in the third quarter, against South Carolina ... Posted a 14-yard reception in the second quarter against Buffalo ... Finished with one reception for 17 yards against LSU ... Caught two passes for 85 yards, including a 62-yarder (career-high) in the second quarter, against Mississippi State ... Caught a 20-yard touchdown reception, the first of his career, in the third quarter against the Bulldogs ... Started his first career game and posted two catches for 47 yards against Washington State ... Caught a career-best 41-yarder against the Cougars in the second quarter.

### R. SMITH'S CAREER RECEIVING STATS

YEAR	G/GS	NO	YDS	AVG	TD	LP/OPPONENT
2005	7/0	6	109	18.2	0	38/Mississippi State
2006	13/13	26	452	17.4	4	62/Mississippi State
<b>Totals</b>	<b>20/13</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>561</b>	<b>17.5</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>62/Mississippi State</b>

### R. SMITH'S CAREER RUSHING STATS

YEAR	G/GS	NO	YDS	AVG	TD	LP/OPPONENT
2005	7/0	1	8	8.0	0	8/Kentucky
2006	13/13	0	0	0.0	0	--
<b>Totals</b>	<b>20/13</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>8.0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>8/Kentucky</b>

### R. SMITH'S GAME-BY-GAME STATS

DATE	OPPONENT	REC	YDS	AVG	TD
9/2/06	* WASHINGTON STATE	2	47	23.5	0
9/9/06	* at Mississippi State	2	85	42.5	1
9/16/06	* LSU	1	17	17.0	0
9/23/06	* BUFFALO	1	14	14.0	0
9/28/06	* at South Carolina	2	37	18.5	0
10/7/06	* ARKANSAS	4	64	16.0	1
10/14/06	* FLORIDA	3	33	11.0	0
10/21/06	* TULANE	2	4	2.0	0
10/28/06	* at Ole Miss	4	46	11.5	1
11/4/06	* ARKANSAS STATE	1	16	16.0	0
11/11/06	* GEORGIA	1	34	34.0	1
11/18/06	* at Alabama	3	55	18.3	0
1/1/07	* vs. Nebraska (Cotton)	0	0	0.0	0

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## #22 TRE SMITH

RB • 5-11 • 195 • Sr. • Venice, Fla. (Venice)

2006 — Rushed five times for 44 yards and caught two passes for 22 yards, including a 6-yard touchdown reception in the second quarter, against Tulane ... Picked up a blocked punt at Florida's 15-yard-line and returned it for a touchdown in the third quarter ... The play proved to be the game winner ... Finished with 57 yards rushing on eight carries against Buffalo ... Posted a 2-yard rushing touchdown with 40 seconds left in the third quarter against the Bulls ... Rushed seven times for 19 yards against Washington State.

### T. SMITH'S CAREER RUSHING STATS

YEAR	G/GS	NO	YDS	AVG	TD	LP/OPPONENT
2002	13/3	79	454	5.7	3	51/Alabama
2003	13/0	37	141	3.8	6	15/Louisiana-Monroe
2004	3/0	2	36	18.0	0	39/Mississippi State
2005	12/2	56	285	5.1	3	46/Kentucky
2006	13/3	22	107	4.9	1	29/Tulane
<b>Totals</b>	<b>54/8</b>	<b>196</b>	<b>1026</b>	<b>5.2</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>51/Alabama</b>

### T. SMITH'S GAME-BY-GAME STATS

DATE	OPPONENT	ATT	YDS	Avg.	TD	TD Runs
9/2/06	WASHINGTON STATE	7	19	2.7	0	--
9/9/06	at Mississippi State	1	-2	-2.0	0	--
9/16/06	LSU	0	0	0.0	0	--
9/23/06	BUFFALO	8	57	7.1	1	2
9/28/06	* at South Carolina	0	0	0.0	0	--
10/7/06	ARKANSAS	1	-11	-11.0	0	--
10/14/06	FLORIDA	0	0	0.0	0	--
10/21/06	TULANE	5	44	8.8	0	--
10/28/06	* at Ole Miss	0	0	0.0	0	--
11/4/06	ARKANSAS STATE	0	0	0.0	0	--
11/11/06	* GEORGIA	0	0	0.0	0	--
11/18/06	at Alabama	0	0	0.0	0	--
1/1/07	vs. Nebraska (Cotton)	0	0	0.0	0	--

### T. SMITH'S CAREER RECEIVING STATS

YEAR	G/GS	NO	YDS	AVG	TD	LP/OPPONENT
2002	13/3	7	101	14.4	1	40/Louisiana-Monroe
2003	13/0	5	22	4.4	0	10/Western Kentucky
2004	3/0	0	0	0.0	0	--
2005	12/2	9	105	11.6	1	38/Mississippi State
2006	13/3	6	39	6.5	1	16/Tulane
<b>Totals</b>	<b>54/8</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>266</b>	<b>9.9</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>40/Louisiana-Monroe</b>

### T. SMITH'S CAREER KICK RETURN STATS

YEAR	G	NO	YDS	AVG	TD	LP/OPPONENT
2002	13	11	163	14.8	0	25/Ole Miss
2003	13	8	138	17.2	0	23/USC
2004	3	0	0	0.0	0	--
2005	12	0	0	0.0	0	--
2006	13	0	0	0.0	0	--
<b>Totals</b>	<b>54</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>301</b>	<b>15.8</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>25/Ole Miss</b>

### T. SMITH'S CAREER PUNT RETURN STATS

YEAR	G	NO	YDS	AVG	TD	LP/OPPONENT
2002	13	6	61	10.2	0	15/Louisiana-Monroe
2003	13	36	327	9.1	0	37/Mississippi State
2004	3	4	30	7.5	0	12/Mississippi State/LSU
2005	12	26	203	7.8	0	25/Ole Miss
2006	13	5	23	4.6	1	15/Florida
<b>Totals</b>	<b>54</b>	<b>77</b>	<b>644</b>	<b>8.4</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>37/Mississippi State</b>

## #46 CRAIG STEVENS

LB • 6-3 • 210 • Fr. • Tallahassee, Fla. (Lincoln)

2006 — Saw time in three games ... Placed second on the Tigers with five tackles, including three solo, at Mississippi State ... Posted a tackle for loss (-1) against the Bulldogs ... Played in his first career game against Washington State.

### STEVENS' CAREER DEFENSIVE STATS

YEAR	G/GS	TT	UT	AT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS	FF/FR	PD	I/YDS
2006	3/0	5	3	2	1.0-1	0.0-0	0/0	0	0/0

## #32 CARL STEWART

RB • 6-2 • 224 • Jr. • Alcoa, Tenn. (Maryville)

2006 — ESPN The Magazine Academic All-District IV First Team ... Finished with 13 receptions for 239 yards and 27 carries for 98 yards ... Provided both of Auburn's touchdowns in the Cotton Bowl, catching a 9-yard TD and rushing for a 1-yarder against Nebraska ... Caught two passes for 60 yards, including a 37-yarder, against Alabama ... Named the Coaches' Offensive Player of the Week for his efforts against the Crimson Tide ... Ran the ball twice against Georgia, finishing with 10 yards ... Caught three passes for 41 yards, including a 19-yard touchdown reception from Brandon Cox in the third quarter, against Arkansas State ... Also rushed twice for 3 yards against the Indians, scoring on a 1-yard run earlier in the third quarter ... Rushed three times for 13 yards against Ole Miss and caught one pass for 23 yards ... Did not play against Tulane ... Caught one pass for 24 yards against Florida ... Caught one pass for 13 yards and rushed once for 4 yards against Arkansas ... Rushed three times for 22 yards against South Carolina ... Posted two carries and a 54-yard reception in the third quarter against Buffalo that set up a Tre Smith touchdown ... Caught a 19-yard pass down the left side from Brandon Cox in the third quarter against LSU that got Auburn to the Tigers' 2 ... The play set up Cox's 1-yard QB sneak ... Named the Coaches' Offensive Player of the Week for his effort against LSU ... Rushed four times for 10 yards, including a 1-yard touchdown rush with three minutes left in the fourth quarter, against Washington State.

### STEWART'S CAREER RUSHING STATS

YEAR	G/GS	NO	YDS	AVG	TD	LP/OPPONENT
2004	13/0	39	184	4.7	2	43/The Citadel
2005	9/0	42	151	3.6	2	19/Mississippi State
2006	12/6	27	98	3.6	3	8/Bufalo
<b>Totals</b>	<b>34/6</b>	<b>108</b>	<b>433</b>	<b>4.0</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>43/The Citadel</b>

### STEWART'S CAREER RECEIVING STATS

YEAR	G/GS	NO	YDS	AVG	TD	LP/OPPONENT
2004	13/0	6	99	16.5	0	35/Louisiana Tech
2005	9/0	6	60	10.0	0	25/Ole Miss
2006	12/6	13	239	18.4	2	54/Bufalo
<b>Totals</b>	<b>34/6</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>396</b>	<b>15.8</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>54/Bufalo</b>

### STEWART'S GAME-BY-GAME RUSHING STATS

DATE	OPPONENT	ATT	YDS	Avg.	TD	TD Runs
9/2/06	WASHINGTON STATE	4	10	2.5	1	1
9/9/06	at Mississippi State	3	7	2.3	0	--
9/16/06	LSU	2	8	4.0	0	--
9/23/06	BUFFALO	2	11	5.5	0	--
9/28/06	at South Carolina	3	22	7.3	0	--
10/7/06	* ARKANSAS	1	4	4.0	0	--
10/14/06	* FLORIDA	3	7	2.3	0	--
10/21/06	TULANE					DID NOT PLAY
10/28/06	at Ole Miss	3	13	4.3	0	--
11/4/06	* ARKANSAS STATE	2	3	1.5	1	1
11/11/06	* GEORGIA	2	10	5.0	0	--
11/18/06	* at Alabama	1	2	2.0	0	--
1/1/07	* vs. Nebraska	1	1	1.0	1	1

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## #44 BEN TATE

RB • 5-11 • 215 • Fr. • Newark, Md. (Snow Hill)

**2006** — *The Sporting News Freshman All-America Honorable Mention* ... Finished with 54 carries for 392 yards and three touchdowns in nine games ... Led Auburn with 93 rushing yards on 11 carries against Arkansas State, narrowly missing his third 100-yard game of the season ... Posted 156 yards rushing against Tulane and scored on a 1-yard run in the fourth quarter ... Gained 144 yards on 22 carries in the second half alone against the Green Wave ... The 156 yards was the seventh-best rushing performance by a freshman in Auburn history ... Rushed seven times against Buffalo, finishing with 114 yards and two touchdowns ... Scored both touchdowns in the fourth quarter against the Bulls, starting with a 42-yarder and finishing with a 28-yarder.

### TATE'S CAREER RUSHING STATS

YEAR	G/GS	NO	YDS	AVG	TD	LP/OPPONENT
2006	9/0	54	392	7.3	3	42/Bufalo

### TATE'S GAME-BY-GAME RUSHING STATS

DATE	OPPONENT	ATT	YDS	Avg.	TD	TD Runs
9/2/06	WASHINGTON STATE	0	0	0.0	0	--
9/9/06	at Mississippi State	4	1	0.3	0	--
9/16/06	LSU			DID NOT PLAY		
9/23/06	BUFFALO	7	114	16.3	2	42, 28
9/28/06	at South Carolina			DID NOT PLAY		
10/7/06	ARKANSAS			DID NOT PLAY		
10/14/06	FLORIDA			DID NOT PLAY		
10/21/06	TULANE	26	156	6.0	1	1
10/28/06	at Ole Miss	0	0	0.0	0	--
11/4/06	ARKANSAS STATE	11	93	8.5	0	--
11/11/06	GEORGIA	2	5	2.5	0	--
11/18/06	at Alabama	0	0	0.0	0	--
11/1/07	vs. Nebraska (Cotton)	4	23	5.8	0	--

## #86 COURTNEY TAYLOR

WR • 6-2 • 206 • Sr. • Carrollton, Ala. (Carrollton)

**CAREER** — Auburn's all-time leader with 153 receptions ... Ranks fourth in school history with 2,098 receiving yards.

**2006** — *Athlon Sports Preseason Second-Team All-SEC ... Preseason Second-Team All-SEC ... Scout.com Preseason All-SEC Team* ... 54 catches was a career-best and is fifth in AU single-season history ... Totaled 704 yards receiving and 73 yards rushing on eight carries ... Caught six passes for 70 yards against Nebraska and was named the Offensive MVP of the Cotton Bowl ... Fourth catch against Nebraska gave him 151 for his career, setting an AU record ... Posted one reception for 10 yards and led Auburn with 51 yards rushing on two carries against Georgia ... Set a career-high with 116 yards receiving on four catches against Arkansas State ... Caught a career-high 57-yarder in the second quarter and scored on a 13-yard touchdown in the first quarter against the Indians ... Caught eight passes for a season-high 108 yards against Ole Miss ... The 108 yards were just three off tying his career high of 111 against Tennessee on December 4, 2004 ... Posted a team-leading five receptions and scored his first touchdown of the season, a 23-yarder, in the third quarter against Tulane ... Led the Tigers with five receptions for 37 yards against Florida ... Auburn's team leader with five receptions against Arkansas, finishing second on the team with 33 yards ... Posted two receptions for 43 yards against South Carolina, including a season-high tying 25-yarder ... Auburn's team leader with three receptions for 48 yards against Buffalo ... Led Auburn with 22 yards on three receptions against LSU ... Posted his second career 100-yard game against Mississippi State, finishing with a career-high nine receptions (tied for ninth-most in AU history) for 103 yards ... Nine catches against Bulldogs is most by an Auburn player in a game since Ronney Daniels had 10 against UCF in 1999 ... Named the Coaches' Offensive Player of the Week against Mississippi State ... Led Auburn with 51 yards on three receptions against Washington State ... Caught a 25-yard pass from Brandon Cox in the third quarter against the Cougars.

## TAYLOR IN THE AUBURN RECORD BOOKS

Career	Taylor's Numbers	Rank
Receptions	153	1st
Receiving Yardage	2,098	4th

### TAYLOR'S CAREER RECEIVING STATS

YEAR	G/GS	NO	YDS	AVG	TD	LP/OPPONENT
2003	13/5	34	379	11.1	0	39/Alabama
2004	13/13	43	737	17.1	6	56/Tennessee
2005	11/2	22	278	12.6	1	36/LSU
2006	13/13	54	704	13.0	2	57/Arkansas State
<b>Totals</b>	<b>50/32</b>	<b>153</b>	<b>2098</b>	<b>13.7</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>57/Arkansas State</b>

### TAYLOR'S CAREER RUSHING STATS

YEAR	G/GS	NO	YDS	AVG	TD	LP/OPPONENT
2003	13/5	0	0	0.0	0	--
2004	13/13	3	56	18.7	0	23/The Citadel
2005	11/2	2	11	5.5	0	9/LSU
2006	13/13	7	67	9.6	0	31/Georgia
<b>Totals</b>	<b>50/32</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>134</b>	<b>11.2</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>31/Georgia</b>

### TAYLOR'S GAME-BY-GAME STATS

DATE	OPPONENT	REC	YDS	AVG	TD
9/2/06	* WASHINGTON STATE	3	51	17.0	0
9/9/06	* at Mississippi State	9	103	11.4	0
9/16/06	* LSU	3	22	7.3	0
9/23/06	* BUFFALO	3	48	16.0	0
9/28/06	* at South Carolina	2	43	21.5	0
10/7/06	* ARKANSAS	5	33	6.6	0
10/14/06	* FLORIDA	5	37	7.4	0
10/21/06	* TULANE	5	63	12.6	1
10/28/06	* at Ole Miss	8	108	13.5	0
11/4/06	* ARKANSAS STATE	4	116	29.0	1
11/11/06	* GEORGIA	1	10	10.0	0
11/18/06	* at Alabama	0	0	0.0	0
1/1/07	* vs. Nebraska (Cotton)	6	70	11.7	0

## #97 JOSH THOMPSON

NG • 6-0 • 295 • Jr. • Statesboro, Ga. (Statesboro)

**2006** — Posted 44 tackles, including 4.5 for loss, and one sack ... Totaled six tackles, placing him second on the team, against Nebraska in the Cotton Bowl ... Also had a tackle for loss (-1) against the Cornhuskers ... Finished with four solo tackles against Georgia ... Posted two tackles against Arkansas State ... Tied for the team lead with six tackles against Ole Miss ... Posted one tackle for loss (-3) against the Rebels ... Posted three tackles against Florida ... Finished with four assisted tackles against Arkansas ... Tied for third on the Tigers with six tackles, including two solo, against South Carolina ... Tied for second on the team with five tackles, including three solo, and was credited with a tackle for loss (-1) against LSU ... Finished with two tackles against Mississippi State ... Posted two tackles against Washington State, including 1.5 for loss ... Posted one sack (-7) against the Cougars, coming on the first play from scrimmage, which marked the first of Thompson's career.

### THOMPSON'S CAREER DEFENSIVE STATS

YEAR	G/GS	TT	UT	AT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS	FF/FR	PD	I/YDS
2004	13/0	23	11	12	2.0-5	0.0-0	0/1	0	0-0
2005	10/0	4	2	2	0.0-0	0.0-0	0/0	1	0-0
2006	13/13	44	25	19	4.5-13	1.0-7	0/0	0	0-0
<b>Totals</b>	<b>36/13</b>	<b>71</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>6.5-18</b>	<b>1.0-7</b>	<b>0/1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0-0</b>



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## THOMPSON'S GAME-BY-GAME STATS

DATE	OPPONENT	TT	UT	AT	TFL	YDS	QBS	YDS
9/2/06	* WASHINGTON STATE	2	1	1	1.5-8	1.0-7		
9/9/06	* at Mississippi State	2	2	0	0.0-0	0.0-0		
9/16/06	* LSU	5	3	2	1.0-1	0.0-0		
9/23/06	* BUFFALO	2	0	2	0.0-0	0.0-0		
9/28/06	* at South Carolina	6	2	4	0.0-0	0.0-0		
10/7/06	* ARKANSAS	4	0	4	0.0-0	0.0-0		
10/14/06	* FLORIDA	3	2	1	0.0-0	0.0-0		
10/21/06	* TULANE	1	1	0	0.0-0	0.0-0		
10/28/06	* at Ole Miss	6	3	3	1.0-3	0.0-0		
11/4/06	* ARKANSAS STATE	2	2	0	0.0-0	0.0-0		
11/11/06	* GEORGIA	4	4	0	0.0-0	0.0-0		
11/18/06	* at Alabama	1	0	1	0.0-0	0.0-0		
1/1/07	* vs. Nebraska (Cotton)	6	5	1	1.0-1	0.0-0		

### #5 TOMMY TROTT

TE • 6-5 • 254 • RFr. • Montgomery, Ala. (Trinity Presbyterian)

**2006** — *The Sporting News SEC All-Freshman Team ... The Sporting News Freshman All-America Honorable Mention ...* Caught 10 passes for 94 yards and two touchdowns ... Finished with two receptions for 21 yards against Ole Miss ... Caught a 27-yard touchdown pass at the 14:51 mark of the second quarter against Tulane ... Started and caught three passes for 31 yards and a touchdown against South Carolina ... Connected with Brandon Cox for his first career touchdown reception, a 9-yarder, in the second quarter against the Gamecocks ... Caught his first career pass against LSU, a 2-yarder.

## TROTT'S CAREER RECEIVING STATS

YEAR	G/GS	NO	YDS	AVG	TD	LP/OPPONENT
2006	13/9	10	94	9.4	2	27/Tulane

## TROTT'S GAME-BY-GAME STATS

DATE	OPPONENT	REC	YDS	AVG	TD
9/2/06	WASHINGTON STATE	0	0	0.0	0
9/9/06	at Mississippi State	0	0	0.0	0
9/16/06	LSU	1	2	2.0	0
9/23/06	* BUFFALO	0	0	0.0	0
9/28/06	* at South Carolina	3	31	10.3	1
10/7/06	* ARKANSAS	2	-1	-2.0	0
10/14/06	* FLORIDA	1	14	14.0	0
10/21/06	* TULANE	1	27	27.0	1
10/28/06	* at Ole Miss	2	21	10.5	0
11/4/06	* ARKANSAS STATE	0	0	0.0	0
11/11/06	* GEORGIA	0	0	0.0	0
11/18/06	* at Alabama	0	0	0.0	0
1/1/07	* vs. Nebraska (Cotton)	0	0	0.0	0

### #37 JOHN VAUGHN

K • 6-1 • 197 • Sr. • Brentwood, Tenn. (Brentwood)

**CAREER** — Ranks first in AU history in scoring (312 points), field goals made (50), PATs made (162), PATs attempted (163) ... Tied for second with 69 field goals attempted and third with a .994 PAT percentage ... Is fifth with a .725 field goal percentage.

**2006** — *Coaches SEC Special Teams Player of the Year ... Coaches All-SEC First Team ... AP All-SEC First Team ... Lou Groza Award Finalist ... SI.com All-American Honorable Mention ... Preseason Coaches Third-Team All-SEC ...* Ninth nationally with 1.54 field goals made per game (20-of-24) ... Field goal percentage of .833 ranked first in the SEC and tied for third in AU single-season history ... 20 field goals made is second-most in AU single-season history, while 24 field goals attempted is good for fifth ... 94 points kicking is most in AU single-season history, surpassing the 87 he had in 2004 (is sixth among all players) ... Second in the SEC with 7.4 points per game ... Connected on a game-winning 42-yard field goal in the third quarter against Nebraska in the Cotton Bowl ... Attempted two field goals against Arkansas State, connecting from 21 and 22 yards out ... Made three field goals in three attempts against

Ole Miss, including a 20-yarder that gave him 46 for his career, setting the AU record ... Added a 29-yarder in the fourth quarter against the Rebels to give him 47 career field goals made ... Named the Coaches' Special Teams Player of the Game for his efforts against Ole Miss ... Connected on a 45-yard field goal and five extra points against Tulane to give him 284 career points, setting an Auburn record ... Named the Coaches' Special Teams Player of the Week for the Tulane game ... Finished with four field goals for the second time this season, connecting on distances of 22, 31, 34 and 39 yards against Florida ... Connected on a 36-yard field goal against Arkansas ... Connected on a 24-yard field goal in the second quarter against South Carolina and was successful on three extra points ... Nailed a 46-yard field goal as time expired in the first half against Buffalo ... Also connected on five PATs against the Bulls ... Set a career-high for the third time in two games with a 55-yard field goal with seven seconds left in the second quarter against Mississippi State ... Also connected on a 22-yarder and finished with four PATs against the Bulldogs ... Named the Coaches' Special Teams Player of the Week against Mississippi State ... Set a career-best with four field goals against Washington State, connecting from 31, 44, 52 and 30 yards ... The 52-yard field goal marked his career high and first from 50 yards or longer ... Finished with 16 total points against the Cougars after four PATs ... Four field goals against Washington State is most by an AU kicker since Jaret Holmes had four against Alabama in 1997.

## VAUGHN IN THE AUBURN RECORD BOOKS

Season	Vaughn's Numbers	Rank
Most Points Kicking	94 (2006)	1st
Most Points Kicking	87 (2004)	2nd
Field Goals Made	20 (2006)	2nd
Most Points Kicking	86 (2005)	T-3rd
Field Goal Percentage	.833 (2006)	T-3rd
Field Goals Attempted	24 (2006)	5th
Scoring	94 (2006)	T-5th
Scoring	87 (2004)	7th
Scoring	86 (2005)	T-8th

Career	Vaughn's Numbers	Rank
Scoring	312	1st
Most Points Kicking	312	1st
Field Goals Made	50	1st
PATs Made	162	1st
PATs Attempted	163	1st
Field Goals Attempted	69	T-2nd
PAT Percentage	.994	3rd
Field Goal Percentage	.725	5th

## VAUGHN'S CAREER KICKING STATS

YEAR	FG-A	0-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50+	PAT	Pts
2003	6-10	0-0	4-5	2-4	0-1	0-0	27-27	45
2004	12-15	1-1	7-8	2-4	2-2	0-0	51-52	87
2005	12-20	1-1	5-5	6-8	0-5	0-1	50-50	86
2006	20-24	0-0	7-8	7-8	4-5	2-3	34-34	94
<b>Totals</b>	<b>50-69</b>	<b>2-2</b>	<b>23-26</b>	<b>17-24</b>	<b>6-13</b>	<b>2-4</b>	<b>162-163</b>	<b>312</b>

### 2006 Field Goal Sequence (Made/Missed):

Washington State: 31, 44, 52, 30, 36  
 at Mississippi State: 55, 22  
 LSU: 26  
 at South Carolina: 24  
 Florida: 22, 31, 34, 45, 39  
 at Ole Miss: 31, 20, 29  
 Georgia: --  
 vs. Nebraska (Cotton): 42  
 at Buffalo: 46  
 Arkansas: 36  
 Tulane: 45  
 Arkansas State: 21, 22  
 at Alabama: 53

### #24 JONATHAN WILHITE

DB • 5-11 • 182 • Jr. • Monroe, La.  
 (Ouachita/Butler County JC)

**2006** — Finished with 24 tackles, five pass deflections and a forced fumble ... Did not play against Nebraska in the Cotton Bowl ... Finished with six tackles against Alabama, including five solo ... Made three tackles against Georgia ... Posted two tackles against Arkansas State ... Earned two pass breakups and was credited with three solo tackles against Ole Miss ... Credited with two tackles, a pass breakup and forced

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a fumble in the third quarter against Tulane ... Finished with three tackles, including two solo, against Florida ... Returned to the starting lineup against Arkansas after missing the previous three games ... Credited with one tackle and a pass deflection against LSU prior to leaving before halftime with an injury ... Finished with two tackles against Mississippi State ... Started and posted a pass breakup in addition to a tackle against Washington State.

### WILHITE'S CAREER DEFENSIVE STATS

YEAR	G/GS	TT	UT	AT	TFL-YDS	QBS-YDS	FF/FR	PD	I/YDS
2005	12/6	47	35	12	0.0-0	0.0-0	0/0	8	1/0
2006	10/10	24	20	4	0.0-0	0.0-0	1/0	5	0/0
<b>Totals</b>	<b>22/16</b>	<b>71</b>	<b>55</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>0.0-0</b>	<b>0.0-0</b>	<b>1/0</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>1/0</b>

### WILHITE'S GAME-BY-GAME STATS

DATE	OPPONENT	TT	UT	AT	PD	INT-YDS
9/2/06	* WASHINGTON STATE	1	1	0	1	0-0
9/9/06	* at Mississippi State	2	2	0	0	0-0
9/16/06	* LSU	1	1	0	1	0-0
9/23/06	BUFFALO					DID NOT PLAY
9/28/06	at South Carolina					DID NOT PLAY
10/7/06	* ARKANSAS	1	1	0	0	0-0
10/14/06	* FLORIDA	3	2	1	0	0-0
10/21/06	* TULANE	2	1	1	1	0-0
10/28/06	* at Ole Miss	3	3	0	2	0-0
11/4/06	* ARKANSAS STATE	2	2	0	0	0-0
11/11/06	* GEORGIA	3	2	1	0	0-0
11/18/06	* at Alabama	6	5	1	0	0-0
1/1/07	vs. Nebraska (Cotton)					DID NOT PLAY

# Auburn Career Records Update

## Punt Returns

Player	Seasons	Avg	Yards	Ret
1. Thomas Bailey	1991-94	9.4	1170	125
2. Trey Gainous	1983-86	9.1	951	105
3. Shane Wasden	1988-90	8.7	717	82
4. <b>Tre Smith</b>	<b>2002-06</b>	<b>8.4</b>	<b>644</b>	<b>77</b>
5. Roderick Hood	2000-02	11.2	571	51
6. Mike Fuller	1973-74	17.7	883	50
7. Robert Baker	1995-96	9.7	463	48
8. Joe Cribbs	1976-79	7.6	328	43
Clifton Robinson	1997-00	7.1	307	43
10. Markeith Cooper	1996-99	8.7	364	42

## Punt Return Yardage

Player	Seasons	Ret	Avg	Yards
1. Thomas Bailey	1991-94	125	9.4	1170
2. Trey Gainous	1983-86	105	9.1	951
3. Mike Fuller	1973-74	50	17.7	883
4. Shane Wasden	1988-90	82	8.7	717
5. <b>Tre Smith</b>	<b>2002-06</b>	<b>77</b>	<b>8.4</b>	<b>644</b>
6. Roderick Hood	2000-02	51	11.2	571
7. Jimmy Carter	1965-67	38	12.4	473
8. Robert Baker	1995-96	48	9.7	463
9. Lionel James	1981-83	25	15.8	394
10. Larry Willingham	1968-70	30	12.4	372

## Kickoff Returns

Player	Seasons	Avg	Yards	Ret
1. Thomas Bailey	1991-94	20.5	1520	74
2. James Brooks	1977-80	25.4	1726	68
3. Robert Baker	1995-96	21.3	979	46
4. Markeith Cooper	1996-99	23.9	1077	45
5. Roderick Hood	2000-02	19.9	874	44
6. Tim Carter	1998-01	23.9	956	40
7. Devin Aromashodu	2002-05	22.6	860	38
8. Brent Fullwood	1983-86	22.1	706	32
9. Carnell Williams	2001-04	21.0	609	29
10. <b>Tristan Davis</b>	<b>2005-pres.</b>	<b>27.0</b>	<b>756</b>	<b>28</b>

## Kickoff Return Yardage

Player	Seasons	Ret	Avg	Yards
1. James Brooks	1977-80	68	25.4	1726
2. Thomas Bailey	1991-94	74	20.5	1520
3. Markeith Cooper	1996-99	45	23.9	1077
4. Robert Baker	1995-96	46	21.3	979
5. Tim Carter	1998-01	40	23.9	956
6. Roderick Hood	2000-02	44	19.9	874
7. Devin Aromashodu	2002-05	38	22.6	860
8. <b>Tristan Davis</b>	<b>2005-pres.</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>27.0</b>	<b>756</b>
9. Brent Fullwood	1983-86	32	22.1	706
10. Rick Neel	1973-75	26	25.9	673

## Kickoff Return Average (Min. 20 returns)

Player	Seasons	Ret	Yards	Avg
1. <b>Tristan Davis</b>	<b>2005-pres.</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>756</b>	<b>27.00</b>
2. Rick Neel	1973-75	26	673	25.88
3. James Brooks	1977-80	68	1726	25.38
4. Markeith Cooper	1996-99	45	1077	23.93
5. Tim Carter	1998-01	40	956	23.90
6. Joe Cribbs	1976-79	22	507	23.05
7. Devin Aromashodu	2002-05	38	860	22.63
8. Herbert Casey	1989-91	21	473	22.52
9. Mike Fuller	1973-74	21	472	22.48
10. Brent Fullwood	1983-86	32	706	22.06

## Passing Yardage

Player	Seasons	Att	Comp	Pct	Yards
1. Stan White	1990-93	1231	659	.535	8016
2. Jason Campbell	2001-04	854	552	.646	7299
3. Pat Sullivan	1969-71	819	452	.552	6284
4. Dameyune Craig	1994-97	782	427	.546	6026
5. Patrick Nix	1992-95	656	386	.588	4957
6. <b>Brandon Cox</b>	<b>2004-pres.</b>	<b>611</b>	<b>362</b>	<b>.592</b>	<b>4879</b>
7. Reggie Slack	1986-89	585	346	.591	4697
8. Ben Leard	1997-00	592	359	.606	4289
9. Jeff Burger	1984-87	538	331	.615	4082
10. Loran Carter	1966-68	476	221	.464	3129

## Passing Yardage Per Game (min. 20 games)

Player	Seasons	Yards	Games	Yds/Gm
1. Pat Sullivan	1969-71	6284	30	209.47
2. Stan White	1990-93	8016	45	178.13
3. <b>Brandon Cox</b>	<b>2004-pres.</b>	<b>4879</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>157.39</b>
4. Patrick Nix	1992-95	4957	32	154.91
5. Reggie Slack	1986-89	4697	31	151.52
6. Jason Campbell	2001-04	7299	49	148.95
7. Ben Leard	1997-00	4289	29	147.90
8. Dameyune Craig	1994-97	6026	41	146.98
9. Jeff Burger	1984-87	4082	29	140.76
10. Loran Carter	1966-68	3129	23	136.04

## Passing Attempts

Player	Seasons	Comp	Yards	Att
1. Stan White	1990-93	659	8016	1231
2. Jason Campbell	2001-04	552	7299	854
3. Pat Sullivan	1969-71	452	6284	819
4. Dameyune Craig	1994-97	427	6026	782
5. Patrick Nix	1992-95	386	4957	656
6. <b>Brandon Cox</b>	<b>2004-pres.</b>	<b>362</b>	<b>4879</b>	<b>611</b>
7. Ben Leard	1997-00	359	4289	592
8. Reggie Slack	1986-89	346	4697	585
9. Jeff Burger	1984-87	331	4082	538
10. Loran Carter	1966-68	221	3129	476

## Pass Attempts Per Game (min. 20 games)

Player	Seasons	Att	Games	Att/Gm
1. Stan White	1990-93	1231	45	27.355
2. Pat Sullivan	1969-71	819	30	27.300
3. Loran Carter	1966-68	476	23	20.696
4. Patrick Nix	1992-95	656	32	20.500
5. Ben Leard	1997-00	592	29	20.414
6. <b>Brandon Cox</b>	<b>2004-pres.</b>	<b>611</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>19.710</b>
7. Dameyune Craig	1994-97	782	41	19.073
8. Reggie Slack	1986-89	585	31	18.871
9. Jeff Burger	1984-87	538	29	18.552
10. Jason Campbell	2001-04	854	49	17.429

## Yards Per Attempt (min. 200 attempts)

Player	Seasons	Att	Yards	Yds/Att
1. Jason Campbell	2001-04	854	7299	8.546
2. Reggie Slack	1986-89	585	4697	8.029
3. <b>Brandon Cox</b>	<b>2004-pres.</b>	<b>611</b>	<b>4879</b>	<b>7.985</b>
4. Dameyune Craig	1994-97	782	6026	7.706
5. Pat Sullivan	1969-71	819	6284	7.673
6. Jeff Burger	1984-87	538	4082	7.587
7. Patrick Nix	1992-95	656	4957	7.556
8. Daniel Cobb	2000-02	314	2350	7.484
9. Ben Leard	1997-00	592	4289	7.245
10. Charlie Trotman	1976-79	289	2024	7.003

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## Pass Completions

Player	Seasons	Att	Yards	Comp
1. Stan White	1990-93	1231	8016	659
2. Jason Campbell	2001-04	854	7299	552
3. Pat Sullivan	1969-71	819	6284	452
4. Dameyune Craig	1994-97	782	6026	427
5. Patrick Nix	1992-95	656	4957	386
<b>6. Brandon Cox</b>	<b>2004-pres.</b>	<b>611</b>	<b>4879</b>	<b>362</b>
7. Ben Leard	1997-00	592	4289	359
8. Reggie Slack	1986-89	585	4697	346
9. Jeff Burger	1984-87	538	4082	331
10. Loran Carter	1966-68	476	3129	221

## Pass Completions Per Game (min. 20 games)

Player	Seasons	Comp	Games	Comp/Gm
1. Pat Sullivan	1969-70	452	30	15.067
2. Stan White	1990-93	659	45	14.644
3. Ben Leard	1997-00	359	29	12.379
4. Patrick Nix	1992-95	386	32	12.063
<b>5. Brandon Cox</b>	<b>2004-pres.</b>	<b>362</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>11.677</b>
6. Jeff Burger	1984-87	331	29	11.414
7. Jason Campbell	2001-04	552	49	11.265
8. Reggie Slack	1986-89	346	31	11.161
9. Dameyune Craig	1994-97	427	41	10.415
10. Loran Carter	1966-68	221	23	9.609

## Completion Percentage (Min. 150 Attempts)

Player	Seasons	Att	Comp	Pct
1. Jason Campbell	2001-04	854	552	.646
2. Jeff Burger	1984-87	538	331	.615
3. Ben Leard	1997-00	592	359	.606
<b>4. Brandon Cox</b>	<b>2004-pres.</b>	<b>611</b>	<b>362</b>	<b>.592</b>
5. Reggie Slack	1986-89	585	346	.591
6. Patrick Nix	1992-95	656	386	.588
7. Pat Sullivan	1969-71	819	452	.552
8. Dameyune Craig	1994-97	782	427	.546
9. Daniel Cobb	2000-02	314	170	.541
10. Stan White	1990-93	1231	659	.535

## Yards Per Completion (Min. 100 Completions)

Player	Seasons	Comp	Yards	Yds/Comp
1. Charlie Trotman	1976-79	134	2024	15.104
2. Pat Washington	1982-85	145	2092	14.428
3. Travis Tidwell	1946-49	198	2824	14.263
4. Loran Carter	1966-68	221	3129	14.158
5. Dameyune Craig	1994-97	427	6026	14.112
6. Pat Sullivan	1969-71	452	6284	13.841
7. Daniel Cobb	2000-02	170	2350	13.824
8. Reggie Slack	1986-89	346	4697	13.575
<b>9. Brandon Cox</b>	<b>2004-pres.</b>	<b>362</b>	<b>4879</b>	<b>13.478</b>
10. Phil Gargis	1973-76	152	2036	13.395

## Touchdown Passes

Player	Seasons	Yards	Int	TD
1. Pat Sullivan	1969-71	6284	39	53
2. Jason Campbell	2001-04	7299	24	45
3. Stan White	1990-93	8016	52	40
4. Dameyune Craig	1994-97	6026	24	39
<b>5. Brandon Cox</b>	<b>2004-pres.</b>	<b>4879</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>33</b>
6. Patrick Nix	1992-95	4957	16	31
7. Ben Leard	1997-00	4289	18	28
8. Loran Carter	1966-68	3129	47	25
9. Jeff Burger	1984-87	4082	21	24
10. Reggie Slack	1986-89	4697	23	23

## Touchdown Passes Per Game (min. 20 games)

Player	Seasons	TD	Games	TD/Gm
1. Pat Sullivan	1969-71	53	30	1.767
2. Loran Carter	1966-68	25	23	1.087
<b>3. Brandon Cox</b>	<b>2004-pres.</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>1.065</b>
4. Patrick Nix	1992-95	31	32	0.969
5. Ben Leard	1997-00	28	29	0.966
6. Dameyune Craig	1994-97	39	41	0.951
7. Jason Campbell	2001-04	45	49	0.918
8. Stan White	1990-93	40	45	0.889
9. Jeff Burger	1984-87	24	29	0.828

## Lowest Interception Percentage (Min. 300 Att.)

Player	Seasons	Int	Att	Pct
1. Randy Campbell	1981-83	5	300	.0167
2. Patrick Nix	1992-95	16	656	.0244
3. Jason Campbell	2001-04	24	854	.0281
4. Ben Leard	1997-00	18	592	.0304
5. Dameyune Craig	1994-97	24	782	.0307
<b>6. Brandon Cox</b>	<b>2004-pres.</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>611</b>	<b>.0311</b>
7. Jeff Burger	1984-87	21	538	.0390
8. Reggie Slack	1986-89	23	585	.0393
9. Stan White	1990-93	52	1231	.0422

## Passing Efficiency (Min. 300 Attempts)

Player	Seasons	Comp	Att	Pct	Yards	TD	Int	Rating
1. Jason Campbell	2001-04	552	854	.646	7299	45	24	148.20
<b>2. Brandon Cox</b>	<b>2004-pres.</b>	<b>362</b>	<b>611</b>	<b>.592</b>	<b>4879</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>137.90</b>
3. Patrick Nix	1992-95	386	656	.588	4957	31	16	133.02
4. Jeff Burger	1984-87	331	538	.615	4082	24	21	132.17
5. Pat Sullivan	1969-71	452	819	.552	6284	53	39	132.04
6. Reggie Slack	1986-89	346	585	.591	4697	23	23	131.70
7. Ben Leard	1997-00	359	592	.606	4289	28	18	131.03
8. Dameyune Craig	1994-97	427	782	.546	6026	39	24	129.65
9. Daniel Cobb	2000-02	314	170	.541	2350	14	12	124.10
10. Randy Campbell	1981-83	159	300	.530	1934	12	5	117.02

## Punts

Player	Seasons	Yards	Avg	No
1. Lewis Colbert	1982-85	10179	41.7	244
2. Damon Duval	1999-02	9842	43.4	227
<b>3. Kody Bliss</b>	<b>2003-06</b>	<b>8861</b>	<b>43.9</b>	<b>202</b>
Skip Johnston	1977-79	7220	42.0	172
5. Tommy Lunceford	1965-67	7017	41.0	171
6. Terry Daniel	1992-94	7522	44.5	169
7. Jon Kilgore	1962-64	6631	40.1	163
8. David Beverly	1970-72	6290	39.8	158
9. Brian Shulman	1986-88	6580	41.9	157
10. Clyde Baumgartner	1974-76	6086	39.8	153

## Punting Yards

Player	Seasons	No	Avg	Yards
1. Lewis Colbert	1982-85	244	41.7	10179
2. Damon Duval	1999-02	227	43.4	9842
<b>3. Kody Bliss</b>	<b>2003-06</b>	<b>202</b>	<b>43.9</b>	<b>8861</b>
4. Terry Daniel	1992-94	169	44.5	7522
5. Skip Johnston	1977-79	172	42.0	7220
6. Tommy Lunceford	1965-67	171	41.0	7017
7. Jon Kilgore	1962-64	163	40.1	6631
8. Brian Shulman	1986-88	157	41.9	6580
9. David Beverly	1970-72	158	39.8	6290
10. Clyde Baumgartner	1974-76	153	39.8	6086

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## Punting Average (Min. 50 punts)

Player	Seasons	No	Yards	Avg
1. Terry Daniel	1992-94	169	7522	44.51
<b>2. Kody Bliss</b>	<b>2003-06</b>	<b>202</b>	<b>8861</b>	<b>43.87</b>
3. Damon Duval	1999-02	227	9842	43.36
4. Jaret Holmes	1996-97	110	4676	42.51
5. Skip Johnston	1977-79	172	7220	41.98
6. Brian Shulman	1986-88	157	6580	41.91
7. Lewis Colbert	1982-85	244	10179	41.72
8. Tommy Lunceford	1965-67	171	7017	41.04
9. Alan Bollinger	1980-81	121	4937	40.80
10. Jon Kilgore	1962-64	163	6631	40.68

## Receptions

Player	Seasons	Yards	Avg	Rec
<b>1. Courtney Taylor</b>	<b>2003-06</b>	<b>2098</b>	<b>13.71</b>	<b>153</b>
2. Karsten Bailey	1995-98	2174	14.49	150
3. Terry Beasley	1969-71	2507	17.78	141
4. Tyrone Goodson	1993-97	2283	16.79	136
5. Frank Sanders	1991-94	1998	16.51	121
6. Greg Taylor	1987-90	1217	11.93	102
7. Freddy Weygand	1984-88	1946	19.66	99
8. Ben Obomanu	2002-05	1313	13.54	97
9. Thomas Bailey	1991-94	1243	13.37	93
Lawyer Tillman	1985-88	1808	19.44	93
11. Clifton Robinson	1997-00	1167	12.82	91
12. Ronney Daniels	1999-00	1446	16.07	90
13. Freddie Hyatt	1965-67	1396	15.86	88
14. Willie Gosha	1993-96	1048	12.33	85
15. Marcel Willis	1999-02	1022	12.62	81

## Receiving Yardage

Player	Seasons	Rec	Yards
1. Terry Beasley	1969-71	141	2507
2. Tyrone Goodson	1993-97	136	2283
3. Karsten Bailey	1995-98	150	2174
<b>4. Courtney Taylor</b>	<b>2003-06</b>	<b>153</b>	<b>2098</b>
5. Frank Sanders	1991-94	121	1998
6. Freddy Weygand	1984-88	99	1946
7. Lawyer Tillman	1985-88	93	1808
8. Byron Franklin	1977-80	74	1573
9. Ronney Daniels	1999-00	90	1446
10. Freddie Hyatt	1965-67	88	1396
11. Devin Aromashodu	2002-05	71	1333
12. Alexander Wright	1986-89	56	1320
13. Ben Obomanu	2002-05	97	1313
14. Thomas Bailey	1991-94	93	1243
15. Greg Taylor	1987-90	102	1217
16. Clifton Robinson	1997-00	91	1167
17. Tim Christian	1966-68	78	1126
18. Willie Gosha	1993-96	85	1048
19. Marcel Willis	1999-02	81	1022
20. Jimmy Phillips	1955-57	52	1012

## Rushing Attempts

Player	Seasons	Yards	Avg	Att
1. Carnell Williams	2001-04	3831	5.31	741
2. Joe Cribbs	1976-79	3368	5.13	657
3. Bo Jackson	1982-85	4303	6.62	650
4. James Brooks	1977-80	3523	5.67	621
5. Stacy Danley	1987-90	2427	4.61	526
6. Stephen Davis	1993-95	2811	5.76	488
7. Secdrick McIntyre	1973-76	1992	4.31	462
8. Phil Gargis	1974-76	1884	4.13	456
<b>9. Kenny Irons</b>	<b>2005-06</b>	<b>2186</b>	<b>4.81</b>	<b>454</b>
10. James Joseph	1986-90	2264	5.17	452

## Rushing Yardage

Player	Seasons	Att	Avg	Yards
1. Bo Jackson	1982-85	650	6.62	4303
2. Carnell Williams	2001-04	741	5.17	3831
3. James Brooks	1977-80	621	5.67	3523
4. Joe Cribbs	1976-79	657	5.13	3368
5. Stephen Davis	1993-95	488	5.76	2811
6. Brent Fullwood	1983-86	390	7.15	2789
7. Ronnie Brown	2000-04	513	5.28	2707
8. Stacy Danley	1987-90	526	4.61	2427
9. James Joseph	1986-90	452	5.17	2264
<b>10. Kenny Irons</b>	<b>2005-06</b>	<b>454</b>	<b>4.81</b>	<b>2186</b>
11. James Bostic	1991-93	396	5.26	2084
12. Lionel James	1980-83	348	6.14	2068
13. Secdrick McIntyre	1973-76	462	4.31	1992
14. Fob James	1952-55	317	6.03	1913
15. Phil Gargis	1973-76	456	4.13	1884
16. Tommie Agee	1983-86	356	4.87	1735
17. Jimmy Sidle	1962-64	326	5.22	1703
18. Joe Childress	1953-55	321	5.19	1667
19. Curtis Kuykendall	1944-45	217	7.46	1619
20. Rudi Johnson	2000	324	4.84	1567
21. Terry Henley	1970-72	343	4.47	1534
22. Tommy Lorino	1956-58	227	6.55	1486
23. Monk Gafford	1940-42	221	6.40	1414
24. Mitzi Jackson	1973-75	243	5.65	1373
25. William Andrews	1976-78	267	5.04	1347
26. Ed Dyas	1958-60	261	4.97	1298
27. Tom Bryan	1964-66	265	4.32	1144
28. George Peoples	1978-81	239	4.54	1085
29. Tucker Frederickson	1962-64	260	4.15	1079
30. Bobby Hoppe	1955-57	194	5.56	1078

## Yards Per Game (Min. 18 games)

Player	Seasons	Yards	Games	Yds/Gm
1. Bo Jackson	1982-85	4303	38	113.2
<b>2. Kenny Irons</b>	<b>2005-06</b>	<b>2186</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>95.0</b>
3. James Brooks	1977-80	3523	38	92.7
4. Carnell Williams	2001-04	3831	42	91.2
5. Stephen Davis	1993-95	2811	31	90.7
6. Joe Cribbs	1976-79	3368	38	88.6
7. Curtis Kuykendall	1944-45	1619	18	89.9
8. Brent Fullwood	1983-86	2789	39	71.5
9. Secdrick McIntyre	1973-76	1992	29	68.7
10. Stacy Danley	1987-90	2427	37	65.6

## Scoring

Player	Seasons	TD	FG	PAT	Pts
<b>1. John Vaughn</b>	<b>2003-06</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>162</b>	<b>312</b>
2. Carnell Williams	2001-04	46	0	0	276
3. Bo Jackson	1982-85	45	0	*2	274
4. Damon Duval	1999-02	1	45	125	266
5. Al Del Greco	1980-83	0	42	110	236
6. Win Lyle	1987-89	0	45	95	230
7. Joe Cribbs	1976-79	35	0	*3	216
8. Stephen Davis	1993-95	34	0	0	210
9. Jorge Portela	1977-79	0	38	74	188
10. Ronnie Brown	2000-04	30	0	0	180
James Brooks	1977-80	30	0	0	180
Terry Beasley	1969-71	30	0	0	180

\* - two-point conversions

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## Most Points Kicking

Player	Seasons	FG	PAT	Pts
1. John Vaughn	2003-06	50	162	312
2. Damon Duval	1999-02	45	125	260
3. Al Del Greco	1980-83	42	110	236
4. Win Lyle	1987-89	45	95	230
5. Jorge Portela	1977-79	38	74	188
6. John Riley	1967-69	31	80	173
7. Scott Etheridge	1992-93	34	65	167
Gardner Jett	1970-72	23	98	167
9. Jaret Holmes	1996-97	27	79	160
Matt Hawkins	1994-95	26	82	160

## Field Goals Made

Player	Seasons	Pct	FGA	FGM
1. John Vaughn	2003-06	.725	69	50
2. Damon Duval	1999-02	.608	74	45
Win Lyle	1987-89	.763	59	45
4. Al Del Greco	1980-83	.609	69	42
Jorge Portela	1977-79	.613	62	38
6. Scott Etheridge	1992-93	.791	43	34
7. Jim Von Wyl	1990-91	.667	48	32
8. John Riley	1967-69	.492	63	31
9. Jaret Holmes	1996-97	.730	37	27
10. Matt Hawkins	1994-95	.788	33	26

## Field Goals Attempted

Player	Seasons	FGM	FGA
1. Damon Duval	1999-02	45	74
2. John Vaughn	2003-06	50	69
Al Del Greco	1980-83	42	69
4. John Riley	1967-69	31	63
5. Jorge Portela	1977-79	38	62
6. Win Lyle	1987-89	45	59
7. Jim Von Wyl	1990-91	32	48
8. Scott Etheridge	1992-93	34	43
Neil O'Donoghue	1975-76	23	43
Woody Woodall	1961-63	19	43

## Field Goal Percentage (Min. 10 Made)

Player	Seasons	FGM	FGA	Pct
1. Scott Etheridge	1992-93	34	43	.791
2. Matt Hawkins	1994-95	26	33	.788
3. Win Lyle	1987-89	45	59	.763
4. Jaret Holmes	1996-97	27	37	.730
5. John Vaughn	2003-06	50	69	.725
6. Ed Dyas	1958-60	17	24	.708
7. Gardner Jett	1970-72	23	34	.676
8. Jim Von Wyl	1990-91	32	48	.667
Robert McGinty	1984	12	18	.667
10. Rob Bironas	1998-99	13	20	.650

## PATs Made

Player	Seasons	Pct	Att	Made
1. John Vaughn	2003-06	.994	163	162
2. Damon Duval	1999-02	1.000	125	125
3. Al Del Greco	1980-83	.991	111	110
4. Gardner Jett	1970-72	.942	104	98
5. Win Lyle	1987-89	.990	96	95
6. Matt Hawkins	1994-95	.932	88	82
7. John Riley	1967-69	.860	93	80
8. Jaret Holmes	1996-97	.963	82	79
Jorge Portela	1977-79	.949	78	74
10. Scott Etheridge	1992-93	1.000	65	65

## PATs Attempted

Player	Seasons	Made	Pct	Att
1. John Vaughn	2003-06	162	.994	163
2. Damon Duval	1999-02	125	1.000	125
3. Al Del Greco	1980-83	110	.991	111
4. Gardner Jett	1970-72	98	.942	104
5. Win Lyle	1987-89	95	.990	96
6. John Riley	1967-69	80	.860	93
7. Matt Hawkins	1994-95	82	.932	88
8. Jaret Holmes	1996-97	79	.963	82
9. Jorge Portela	1977-79	74	.949	78
10. Joe Davis	1951-53	54	.794	68

## PAT Percentage (Min. 30 made)

Player	Seasons	Made	Att	Pct
1. Damon Duval	1999-02	125	125	1.000
Scott Etheridge	1992-93	65	65	1.000
3. John Vaughn	2003-06	162	163	.994
4. Al Del Greco	1980-83	110	111	.991
5. Win Lyle	1987-89	95	96	.990
6. Chris Knapp	1985-86	62	63	.984
7. Neil O'Donoghue	1975-76	32	33	.970
8. Robert McGinty	1984	31	32	.969
9. Jaret Holmes	1996-97	79	82	.9634
10. Chris Wilson	1974-75	26	27	.9630

## Total Offense

Player	Seasons	Plays	Rush	Pass	Total
1. Stan White	1990-93	1481	-96	8016	7920
2. Jason Campbell	2001-04	1103	307	7299	7606
3. Pat Sullivan	1969-71	974	569	6284	6843
4. Dameyune Craig	1994-97	1052	435	6026	6461
5. Patrick Nix	1992-95	752	124	4957	5081
6. Reggie Slack	1986-89	692	-45	4697	4652
7. Brandon Cox	2004-pres.	715	-320	4879	4559
8. Bo Jackson	1982-85	651	4303	0	4303
9. Ben Leard	1997-00	670	-200	4289	4089
10. Phil Gargis	1973-76	797	1884	2036	3920

## Touchdowns Responsible For (Rush & Pass)

Player	Seasons	Rush	Pass	TD
1. Pat Sullivan	1969-71	18	53	71
2. Dameyune Craig	1994-97	19	39	58
3. Jason Campbell	2001-04	9	45	54
4. Stan White	1990-93	11	40	51
5. Carnell Williams	2001-04	45	1	46
6. Bo Jackson	1982-85	43	0	43
7. Patrick Nix	1992-95	9	31	40
8. Brandon Cox	2004-pres.	2	33	35
9. Joe Cribbs	1976-79	34	0	34
10. Loran Carter	1966-68	6	25	31
Phil Gargis	1973-76	17	14	31

## Quarterback Sacks (Since 1981)

Player	Seasons	Total Yds.	Sacks
1. Gerald Robinson	1982-85	150	26.0
2. Quentin Groves	2004-pres.	144	23.0
3. Tracy Rocker	1985-88	146	21.0
Craig Olgetree	1986-89	117	21.0
5. Reggie Torbor	2000-03	128	18.5
6. Leonardo Carson	1996-99	123	17.0
Willie Whitehead	1991-94	108	17.0
8. Marcus Washington	1994-96	108	16.0
Gary Walker	1993-94	95	16.0
10. Stanley McClover	2004-05	99	15.5

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## SEC Record Books

### Scoring

Player	Seasons	TD	FG	PAT	Pts
1. Billy Bennett, UGA	2000-03	0	87	148	409
2. Jeff Hall, UT	1995-98	0	61	188	371
3. Jeff Chandler, UF	1997-2001	0	67	167	368
4. Kevin Bulter, UGA	1981-84	0	77	122	353
5. Philip Doyle, ALA	1987-90	1	78	105	345
6. Michael Proctor, ALA	1992-95	0	65	131	326
7. James Wilhoit, UT	2003-06	0	59	148	325
8. Kevin Faulk, LSU	1995-98	53	0	0	318
9. John Becksvoort, UT	1991-94	0	52	161	317
10. Herschel Walker, UGA	1980-82	52	0	*1	314
Fuad Reveiz, UT	1981-84	0	71	101	314
<b>12. John Vaughn, AU</b>	<b>2003-06</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>162</b>	<b>312</b>
Van Tiffin, ALA	1983-86	0	59	135	312
14. Dalton Hilliard, LSU	1982-85	50	0	*1	302
15. Shaun Alexander, ALA	1996-99	50	0	0	300

\* - two-point conversions

### PATs Made

Player	Seasons	Pct	Att	Made
1. Jeff Hall, UT	1995-98	.969	194	188
2. Jeff Chandler, UF	1997-2001	.928	180	167
<b>3. John Vaughn, AU</b>	<b>2003-06</b>	<b>.994</b>	<b>163</b>	<b>162</b>
4. John Becksvoort, UT	1991-94	1.000	161	161
5. Bart Edmiston, UF	1992-96	.976	164	160

### PATs Attempted

Player	Seasons	Pct	Made	Att
1. Jeff Hall, UT	1995-98	.969	188	194
2. Jeff Chandler, UF	1997-2001	.928	167	180
3. Bart Edmiston, UF	1992-96	.976	160	164
<b>4. John Vaughn, AU</b>	<b>2003-06</b>	<b>.994</b>	<b>162</b>	<b>163</b>
5. John Becksvoort, UT	1991-94	1.000	161	161

### PAT Percentage (Min. 100 att.)

Player	Seasons	Made	Att	Pct
1. John Becksvoort, UT	1991-94	161	161	1.000
Van Tiffin, ALA	1983-86	135	135	1.000
Damon Duval, AU	1999-2002	125	125	1.000
David Browndyke, LSU	1986-89	109	109	1.000
<b>5. John Vaughn, AU</b>	<b>2003-06</b>	<b>162</b>	<b>163</b>	<b>.994</b>

# Auburn Single-Season Records Update

## Kickoff Returns

Player	Year	Avg	Yards	Ret
1. <b>Tristan Davis</b>	<b>2006</b>	<b>27.0</b>	<b>756</b>	<b>28</b>
2. James Brooks	1977	24.2	654	27
3. Thomas Bailey	1993	19.4	504	26
4. Robert Baker	1995	21.0	525	25
5. Thomas Bailey	1991	24.6	591	24
6. Brent Fullwood	1984	23.1	509	22
7. Roderick Hood	2002	19.8	416	21
Robert Baker	1996	21.6	454	21
James Brooks	1979	27.5	577	21
Joe Cribbs	1976	23.3	490	21

## Kickoff Return Yardage

Player	Year	Ret	Avg	Yards
1. <b>Tristan Davis</b>	<b>2006</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>27.0</b>	<b>756</b>
2. James Brooks	1977	27	24.2	654
3. Thomas Bailey	1991	24	24.6	591
4. James Brooks	1979	21	27.5	577
5. Robert Baker	1995	25	21.0	525
6. Brent Fullwood	1984	22	23.1	509
7. Thomas Bailey	1993	26	19.4	504
8. Joe Cribbs	1976	21	23.3	490
9. Devin Aromashodu	2005	20	24.2	485
10. Rick Neel	1975	17	28.1	478

## Kickoff Return Average (Min. 10 Returns)

Player	Year	Ret	Yards	Avg
1. David Langner	1972	13	369	28.28
2. Rick Neel	1975	17	478	28.12
3. James Brooks	1979	21	577	27.48
4. <b>Tristan Davis</b>	<b>2006</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>756</b>	<b>27.00</b>
5. Mike Fuller	1973	16	420	26.25
6. Markeith Cooper	1998	18	447	24.83
7. Thomas Bailey	1991	24	591	24.63
8. Tim Carter	2000	19	461	24.26
9. Devin Aromashodu	2005	20	485	24.25
10. James Brooks	1977	27	654	24.22

## Yards Per Attempt (min. 150 Attempts)

Player	Year	Att	Yards	Yds/Att
1. Jason Campbell	2004	270	2700	10.000
2. Pat Sullivan	1970	281	2586	9.203
3. Ben Leard	1999	157	1423	9.064
4. Dameyune Craig	1997	403	3277	8.132
5. <b>Brandon Cox</b>	<b>2006</b>	<b>271</b>	<b>2198</b>	<b>8.111</b>
6. Reggie Slack	1988	279	2230	7.993
7. Reggie Slack	1989	252	1996	7.921
8. Daniel Cobb	2002	150	1175	7.833
9. Patrick Nix	1995	331	2574	7.776
10. Jeff Burger	1987	267	2066	7.738

## Touchdown Passes

Player	Year	Att	Comp	Yards	TD
1. Jason Campbell	2004	270	188	2700	20
Pat Sullivan	1971	281	162	2012	20
3. Dameyune Craig	1997	403	216	3277	18
4. Pat Sullivan	1970	281	167	2586	17
5. Dameyune Craig	1996	310	169	2296	16
Pat Sullivan	1969	257	123	1686	16
7. Brandon Cox	2005	306	177	2324	15
Patrick Nix	1995	331	201	2574	15
9. <b>Brandon Cox</b>	<b>2006</b>	<b>271</b>	<b>163</b>	<b>2198</b>	<b>14</b>
Stan White	1990	338	180	2242	14
Loran Carter	1968	248	112	1487	14

## Highest TD/Interception Ratio (Min. 150 Att.)

Player	Year	TD	Int	Ratio
1. Ben Leard	1999	12	1	12.00
2. Randy Campbell	1982	7	2	3.500
3. Jason Campbell	2004	20	7	2.857
4. Brandon Cox	2005	15	8	1.875
5. Patrick Nix	1994	13	7	1.857
6. Pat Sullivan	1971	20	11	1.818
7. Patrick Nix	1995	15	9	1.667
8. Stan White	1993	13	8	1.625
9. Dameyune Craig	1996	16	10	1.600
10. <b>Brandon Cox</b>	<b>2006</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>1.556</b>

## Passing Efficiency (Min. 100 Attempts)

Player	Year	Comp	Att	Pct	Yards	TD	Int	Rating
1. Jason Campbell	2004	188	270	.696	2700	20	7	172.89
2. Ben Leard	1999	111	157	.707	1423	12	1	170.78
3. Jason Campbell	2002	94	149	.631	1215	11	5	149.23
4. Pat Sullivan	1970	167	281	.594	2586	17	12	148.16
5. Jeff Burger	1987	178	267	.667	2066	13	9	140.99
6. <b>Brandon Cox</b>	<b>2006</b>	<b>163</b>	<b>271</b>	<b>.601</b>	<b>2198</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>138.68</b>
7. Patrick Nix	1995	201	331	.607	2574	15	9	135.60
8. Stan White	1993	164	271	.605	2057	13	8	134.20
9. Pat Sullivan	1971	162	281	.576	2012	20	11	133.46
10. Brandon Cox	2005	177	306	.578	2324	15	8	132.59

## Punting Average (min. 35 punts)

Player	Year	No	Yards	Avg
1. Terry Daniel	1993	51	2393	46.92
2. Lewis Colbert	1985	57	2610	45.79
3. <b>Kody Bliss</b>	<b>2006</b>	<b>47</b>	<b>2149</b>	<b>45.72</b>
4. Kody Bliss	2005	44	1975	44.89
5. Terry Daniel	1994	53	2358	44.49
6. Brian Shulman	1986	49	2161	44.10
7. Damon Duval	2001	51	2244	44.00
8. Damon Duval	2002	54	2344	43.41
9. Damon Duval	2000	65	2811	43.25
10. Kody Bliss	2003	64	2748	42.94

## Pass Receptions

Player	Year	Yards	Avg	Rec
1. Willie Gosh	1995	811	13.98	58
Frank Sanders	1994	910	15.69	58
3. Ronney Daniels	1999	1068	19.07	56
4. Terry Beasley	1971	846	15.38	55
5. <b>Courtney Taylor</b>	<b>2006</b>	<b>704</b>	<b>13.04</b>	<b>54</b>
6. Karsten Bailey	1997	840	15.85	53
7. Terry Beasley	1970	1051	20.21	52
8. Tyrone Goodson	1997	906	18.88	48
Frank Sanders	1993	842	17.54	48
10. Tim Christian	1968	623	13.26	47

## Scoring

Player	Year	TD	FG	PAT	Pts
1. Carnell Williams	2003	17	0	0	102
Stephen Davis	1995	17	0	0	102
Bo Jackson	1985	17	0	0	102
4. Joe Cribbs	1978	16	0	*1	98
5. <b>John Vaughn</b>	<b>2006</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>94</b>
Joe Cribbs	1979	15	0	*2	94
7. John Vaughn	2004	0	12	51	87
8. John Vaughn	2005	0	12	50	86
Scott Etheridge	1992	0	22	20	86
10. Bo Jackson	1983	14	0	0	84
Ronnie Brown	2002	14	0	0	84

\* - two-point conversions



# Auburn Single-Season Records Update

## Most Points Kicking

Player	Year	FG	PAT	Pts
1. John Vaughn	2006	20	34	94
2. John Vaughn	2004	12	51	87
3. John Vaughn	2005	12	50	86
Scott Etheridge	1992	22	20	86
5. Jaret Holmes	1996	13	43	82
6. Matt Hawkins	1995	13	42	81
Scott Etheridge	1993	12	45	81
8. Matt Hawkins	1994	13	40	79
Chris Knapp	1986	10	49	79
10. Jaret Holmes	1997	14	36	78
Jim Von Wyl	1990	17	27	78
Win Lyle	1988	14	36	78

## Field Goals Made

Player	Year	Pct	FGA	FGM
1. Scott Etheridge	1992	.786	28	22
2. John Vaughn	2006	.833	24	20
Jim Von Wyl	1990	.773	22	17
4. Damon Duval	2001	.615	26	16
Win Lyle	1989	.842	19	16
6. Jim Von Wyl	1991	.577	26	15
Win Lyle	1987	.789	19	15
Jorge Portela	1977	.682	22	15
9. Jaret Holmes	1997	.824	17	14
Damon Duval	2000	.778	18	14

## Field Goals Attempted

Player	Year	FGM	Pct	FGA
1. Scott Etheridge	1992	22	.786	28
2. Jim Von Wyl	1991	15	.577	26
Damon Duval	2001	16	.615	26
4. John Riley	1968	12	.480	25
5. John Vaughn	2006	20	.833	24
6. Neil O'Donoghue	1975	12	.522	23
7. Jim Von Wyl	1990	17	.773	22
Jorge Portela	1977	15	.682	22
9. Win Lyle	1988	14	.667	21
Al Del Greco	1982	13	.619	21
Jorge Portela	1978	10	.476	21
Woody Woodall	1962	8	.381	21

## Field Goal Percentage (Min. 10 made)

Player	Year	FGM	FGA	Pct
1. Matt Hawkins	1995	13	15	.867
2. Win Lyle	1989	16	19	.842
3. John Vaughn	2006	20	24	.833
Gardner Jett	1970	10	12	.833
5. Jaret Holmes	1997	14	17	.824
6. John Vaughn	2004	12	15	.800
Scott Etheridge	1993	12	15	.800
8. Win Lyle	1987	15	19	.789
9. Scott Etheridge	1992	22	28	.786
10. Damon Duval	2000	14	18	.778

## Sacks (from 1981)

Player	Year	Sacks	Total Yds.
1. Gary Walker	1994	11.0	69
Kevin Greene	1984	11.0	64
Craig Olgetree	1989	11.0	62
4. Gerald Robinson	1985	10.0	71
Mike Pelton	1994	10.0	61
6. Quentin Groves	2006	9.5	62
Reggie Torbor	2003	9.5	64
8. Donnie Humphrey	1981	9.0	60
9. Leonardo Carson	1998	8.5	52
10. Stanley McClover	2005	8.0	52
Aundray Bruce	1987	8.0	48
Gerald Williams	1985	8.0	26
Gerald Robinson	1984	8.0	26

# 2006 Auburn Football Statistics

RECORD.....	OVERALL	HOME	AWAY	NEUTRAL
ALL GAMES .....	11-2	6-2	4-0	1-0
CONFERENCE .....	6-2	2-2	4-0	0-0
NON-CONFERENCE .....	5-0	4-0	0-0	1-0

DATE .....	OPPONENT	W/L	SCORE	ATTEND
09/02/2006 .....	WASHINGTON STATE	W	40-14	87,451
09/09/2006 .....	at Mississippi State*	W	34-0	43,640
09/16/2006 .....	#6 LSU*	W	7-3	87,451
09/23/2006 .....	BUFFALO	W	38-7	84,921
09/28/2006 .....	at South Carolina*	W	24-17	74,374
10/07/2006 .....	ARKANSAS*	L	10-27	87,451
10/14/2006 .....	#2 FLORIDA*	W	27-17	87,451
10/21/2006 .....	TULANE	W	38-13	79,837
10/28/2006 .....	at Ole Miss*	W	23-17	55,211
11/04/2006 .....	ARKANSAS STATE	W	27-0	78,493
11/11/2006 .....	GEORGIA*	L	15-37	87,451
11/18/2006 .....	at Alabama	W	22-15	92,138
01/01/2007 .....	vs. #22 Nebraska	W	17-14	66,777

TEAM STATISTICS .....	AU	OPP
SCORING .....	322	181
Points Per Game .....	24.8	13.9
FIRST DOWNS .....	219	219
Rushing .....	111	94
Passing .....	100	106
Penalty .....	8	19
RUSHING YARDAGE .....	1927	1614
Yards gained rushing .....	2246	1983
Yards lost rushing .....	319	369
Rushing Attempts .....	470	434
Average Per Rush .....	4.1	3.7
Average Per Game .....	148.2	124.2
TDs Rushing .....	21	8
PASSING YARDAGE .....	2245	2186
Att-Comp-Int .....	282-171-10	339-185-10
Average Per Pass .....	8.0	6.4
Average Per Catch .....	13.1	11.8
Average Per Game .....	172.7	168.2
TDs Passing .....	14	13
TOTAL OFFENSE .....	4172	3800
Total Plays .....	752	773
Average Per Play .....	5.5	4.9
Average Per Game .....	320.9	292.3
KICK RETURNS: #-YARDS .....	36-934	13-237
PUNT RETURNS: #-YARDS .....	28-153	18-177
INT RETURNS: #-YARDS .....	10-169	10-134
KICK RETURN AVERAGE .....	25.9	18.2
PUNT RETURN AVERAGE .....	5.5	9.8
INT RETURN AVERAGE .....	16.9	13.4
FUMBLES-LOST .....	18-10	25-15
PENALTIES-YARDS .....	72-595	59-472
Average Per Game .....	45.8	36.3
PUNTS-YARDS .....	47-2149	59-2409
Average Per Punt .....	45.7	40.8
Net punt average .....	38.6	36.5
TIME OF POSSESSION/GAME .....	30:09	29:51
3RD-DOWN CONVERSIONS .....	63/156	64/166
3rd-Down Pct .....	40%	39%
4TH-DOWN CONVERSIONS .....	11/14	8/19
4th-Down Pct .....	79%	42%
SACKS BY-YARDS .....	29-190	35-205
MISC YARDS .....	0	0
TOUCHDOWNS SCORED .....	37	22
FIELD GOALS-ATTEMPTS .....	20-24	10-12
ON-SIDE KICKS .....	1-1	0-0
RED-ZONE SCORES .....	39-45 87%	22-34 65%
RED-ZONE TOUCHDOWNS .....	25-45 56%	14-34 41%
PAT-ATTEMPTS .....	34-34 100%	19-20 95%
ATTENDANCE .....	680506	265363
Games/Avg Per Game .....	8/85063	4/66341
Neutral Site Games .....		1/66777

SCORE BY QUARTERS .....	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	Total
Auburn .....	61	99	102	60	322
Opponents .....	51	73	33	24	181

RUSHING .....	GP	Att	Gain	Loss	Net	Avg	TD	Long	Avg/G
Kenny Irons .....	11	198	941	48	893	4.5	4	58	81.2
Brad Lester .....	12	104	523	13	510	4.9	9	33	42.5
Ben Tate .....	9	54	400	8	392	7.3	3	42	43.6
Tre Smith .....	13	22	128	21	107	4.9	1	29	8.2
Carl Stewart .....	12	27	98	0	98	3.6	3	20	8.2
Courtney Taylor .....	13	8	73	3	70	8.8	0	31	5.4
Will Herring .....	13	1	42	0	42	42.0	0	42	3.2
Andrew Turman .....	3	1	1	0	1	1.0	0	1	0.3
Montez Billings .....	11	1	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0
TEAM .....	7	3	0	9	-9	-3.0	0	0	-1.3
Brandon Cox .....	13	51	40	217	-177	-3.5	1	14	-13.6
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>470</b>	<b>2246</b>	<b>319</b>	<b>1927</b>	<b>4.1</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>58</b>	<b>148.2</b>
<b>Opponents .....</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>434</b>	<b>1983</b>	<b>369</b>	<b>1614</b>	<b>3.7</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>63</b>	<b>124.2</b>

PASSING .....	G	Effic	Att-Cmp-Int	Pct	Yds	TD	Lng	Avg/G
Brandon Cox .....	13	138.68	163-271-9	60.1	2198	14	62	169.1
Blake Field .....	5	110.53	8-9-1	88.9	47	0	15	9.4
TEAM .....	7	0.00	0-1-0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Carl Stewart .....	12	0.00	0-1-0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Tre Smith .....	13	0.00	0-0-0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>136.80</b>	<b>171-282-10</b>	<b>60.6</b>	<b>2245</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>62</b>	<b>172.7</b>
<b>Opponents .....</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>115.49</b>	<b>185-339-10</b>	<b>54.6</b>	<b>2186</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>53</b>	<b>168.2</b>

RECEIVING .....	G	No.	Yds	Avg	TD	Long	Avg/G
Courtney Taylor .....	13	54	704	13.0	2	57	54.2
R. Smith .....	13	26	452	17.4	4	62	34.8
P. Rodriguez .....	12	14	168	12.0	1	22	14.0
Carl Stewart .....	12	13	239	18.4	2	54	19.9
Gabe McKenzie .....	13	13	137	10.5	1	25	10.5
Tommy Trott .....	13	10	94	9.4	2	27	7.2
Kenny Irons .....	11	10	78	7.8	0	15	7.1
Lee Guess .....	13	6	114	19.0	0	38	8.8
Brad Lester .....	12	6	87	14.5	1	36	7.2
Tre Smith .....	13	6	39	6.5	1	16	3.0
Robert Dunn .....	13	5	52	10.4	0	14	4.0
Montez Billings .....	11	3	47	15.7	0	21	4.3
Cole Bennett .....	3	2	25	12.5	0	18	8.3
Ben Tate .....	9	2	-3	-1.5	0	2	-0.3
James Swinton .....	7	1	12	12.0	0	12	1.7
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>171</b>	<b>2245</b>	<b>13.1</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>62</b>	<b>172.7</b>
<b>Opponents .....</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>185</b>	<b>2186</b>	<b>11.8</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>53</b>	<b>168.2</b>

PUNT RETURNS .....	No.	Yds	Avg	TD	Long
Robert Dunn .....	22	120	5.5	0	35
Tre Smith .....	5	23	4.6	1	15
Jerraud Powers .....	1	10	10.0	0	0
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>153</b>	<b>5.5</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>35</b>
<b>Opponents .....</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>177</b>	<b>9.8</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>23</b>

INTERCEPTIONS .....	No.	Yds	Avg	TD	Long
David Irons .....	2	0	0.0	0	0
Will Herring .....	2	16	8.0	0	16
Eric Brock .....	2	26	13.0	0	26
Zach Gilbert .....	1	57	57.0	0	57
Karibi Dede .....	1	52	52.0	0	52
Patrick Lee .....	1	18	18.0	0	18
Aairon Savage .....	1	0	0.0	0	0
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>169</b>	<b>16.9</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>57</b>
<b>Opponents .....</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>134</b>	<b>13.4</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>33</b>

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KICK RETURNS	No.	Yds	Avg	TD	Long
Tristan Davis	28	756	27.0	0	58
Brad Lester	6	158	26.3	0	68
Patrick Lee	1	15	15.0	0	15
Tommy Trott	1	5	5.0	0	5
<b>Total</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>934</b>	<b>25.9</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>68</b>
<b>Opponents</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>237</b>	<b>18.2</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>24</b>

FUMBLE RETURNS	No.	Yds	Avg	TD	Long
Karibi Dede	1	5	5.0	0	5
Will Herring	1	8	8.0	0	8
Marques Gunn	1	30	30.0	0	30
Tray Blackmon	1	22	22.0	0	22
Patrick Lee	1	20	20.0	1	20
Jermarcus Ricks	1	31	31.0	0	31
Jerraud Powers	1	8	8.0	0	8
<b>Total</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>124</b>	<b>17.7</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>31</b>
<b>Opponents</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>5.0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>5</b>

SCORING	TD	FGs	PATs					Saf	Points
			Kick	Rush	Rcv	Pass	DXP		
John Vaughn	0	20-24	34-34	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	94
Brad Lester	10	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	60
Carl Stewart	5	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	1-1	0	0	30
R. Smith	4	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	24
Kenny Irons	4	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	24
Tre Smith	3	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	18
Ben Tate	3	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	18
Courtney Taylor	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	12
Tommy Trott	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	12
Gabe McKenzie	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
Patrick Lee	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
Brandon Cox	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	1-1	0	0	6
P. Rodriguez	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
Lee Guess	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	2	0-0	0	0	4
TEAM	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	1	2
<b>Total</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>20-24</b>	<b>34-34</b>	<b>0-0</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>2-2</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>322</b>
<b>Opponents</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>10-12</b>	<b>19-20</b>	<b>0-0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0-2</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>181</b>

TOTAL OFFENSE	G	Plays	Rush	Pass	Total	Avg/G
Brandon Cox	13	322	-177	2198	2021	155.5
Kenny Irons	11	198	893	0	893	81.2
Brad Lester	12	104	510	0	510	42.5
Ben Tate	9	54	392	0	392	43.6
Tre Smith	13	22	107	0	107	8.2
Carl Stewart	12	28	98	0	98	8.2
Courtney Taylor	13	8	70	0	70	5.4
Blake Field	5	9	0	47	47	9.4
Will Herring	13	1	42	0	42	3.2
Andrew Turman	3	1	1	0	1	0.3
TEAM	7	4	-9	0	-9	-1.3
<b>Total</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>752</b>	<b>1927</b>	<b>2245</b>	<b>4172</b>	<b>320.9</b>
<b>Opponents</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>773</b>	<b>1614</b>	<b>2186</b>	<b>3800</b>	<b>292.3</b>

FIELD GOALS	FGM-FGA	Pct	01-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50-99	Lg	Blk
John Vaughn	20-24	83.3	0-0	7-8	7-8	4-5	2-3	55	0

FG SEQUENCE	Auburn	OPPONENTS
Washington State	(31), (44), (52), (30), 36	-
Mississippi State	(55), (22)	37
LSU	26	(42)
Buffalo	(46)	30
South Carolina	(24)	(49)
Arkansas	36	34, 22
Florida	(22), (31), (34), 45, (39)	(22)
Tulane	(45)	(21), (31)
Ole Miss	(31), (20), (29)	(29)
Arkansas State	(21), (22)	-
Georgia	-	(34)
Alabama	53	(24)
Nebraska	(42)	-

Numbers in (parentheses) indicate field goal was made.

PUNTING	No.	Yds	Avg	Long	TB	FC	I20	Blkd
Kody Bliss	47	2149	45.7	71	8	4	13	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>47</b>	<b>2149</b>	<b>45.7</b>	<b>71</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>Opponents</b>	<b>59</b>	<b>2409</b>	<b>40.8</b>	<b>55</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>1</b>

KICKOFFS	No.	Yds	Avg	TB	OB	Retn	Net	YdLn
Matt Clark	66	4242	64.3	51	2			
<b>Total</b>	<b>66</b>	<b>4242</b>	<b>64.3</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>237</b>	<b>45.2</b>	<b>19</b>
<b>Opponents</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>2721</b>	<b>60.5</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>934</b>	<b>36.2</b>	<b>28</b>

ALL PURPOSE	G	Rush	Rec	PR	KOR	IR	Tot	Avg/G
Kenny Irons	11	893	78	0	0	0	971	88.3
Courtney Taylor	13	70	704	0	0	0	774	59.5
Tristan Davis	12	0	0	0	756	0	756	63.0
Brad Lester	12	510	87	0	158	0	755	62.9
R. Smith	13	0	452	0	0	0	452	34.8
Ben Tate	9	392	-3	0	0	0	389	43.2
Carl Stewart	12	98	239	0	0	0	337	28.1
Robert Dunn	13	0	52	120	0	0	172	13.2
Tre Smith	13	107	39	23	0	0	169	13.0
P. Rodriguez	12	0	168	0	0	0	168	14.0
Gabe McKenzie	13	0	137	0	0	0	137	10.5
Lee Guess	13	0	114	0	0	0	114	8.8
Tommy Trott	13	0	94	0	5	0	99	7.6
Will Herring	13	42	0	0	0	16	58	4.5
Zach Gilbert	13	0	0	0	0	57	57	4.4
Karibi Dede	12	0	0	0	0	52	52	4.3
Montez Billings	11	0	47	0	0	0	47	4.3
Patrick Lee	12	0	0	0	15	18	33	2.8
Eric Brock	11	0	0	0	0	26	26	2.4
Cole Bennett	3	0	25	0	0	0	25	8.3
James Swinton	7	0	12	0	0	0	12	1.7
Jerraud Powers	13	0	0	10	0	0	10	0.8
Andrew Turman	3	1	0	0	0	0	1	0.3
TEAM	7	-9	0	0	0	0	-9	-1.3
Brandon Cox	13	-177	0	0	0	0	-177	-13.6
<b>Total</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>1927</b>	<b>2245</b>	<b>153</b>	<b>934</b>	<b>169</b>	<b>5428</b>	<b>417.5</b>
<b>Opponents</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>1614</b>	<b>2186</b>	<b>177</b>	<b>237</b>	<b>134</b>	<b>4348</b>	<b>334.5</b>

# 2006 Auburn Football Statistics

## Defensive Statistics

DEFENSIVE LEADERS	GP	-----Tackles-----			TFL/Yds	-Sacks-	-----Pass Def-----			----Fumbles----		Blkd Kick	Saf
		Solo	Ast	Total			No-Yards	Int-Yds	BrUp	QBH	Rcv-Yds		
35 Will Herring	.13	45	27	72	9.5-32	1.5-12	2-16	2	3	1-8	2	.	.
21 Karibi Dede	.12	30	29	59	2.0-3	1.0-1	1-52	1	2	2-5	.	.	.
2 Airon Savage	.12	34	19	53	4.0-15	2.0-13	1-0	2	1	.	1	.	.
33 Eric Brock	.11	31	19	50	.	.	2-26	6	.	.	.	.	.
97 Josh Thompson	.13	25	19	44	4.5-13	1.0-7	.	.	2	.	.	.	.
4 David Irons	.13	23	19	42	3.0-13	.	2-0	12	.	.	1	.	.
94 S. Marks	.13	26	12	38	11.0-32	3.5-13	.	2	1	3-0	1	1	.
54 Quentin Groves	.13	26	11	37	12.0-68	9.5-62	.	.	7	.	3	.	.
48 Marquies Gunn	.13	22	13	35	8.5-39	4.0-30	.	1	2	1-30	1	1	.
55 Merrill Johnson	.13	20	15	35	3.0-17	1.0-10	.	.	3	.	.	.	.
8 Jerraud Powers	.13	20	6	26	1.0-2	.	.	4	.	1-8	.	1	.
20 Patrick Lee	.12	15	10	25	1.0-6	.	1-18	6	1	1-20	1	.	.
24 J. Wilhite	.10	20	4	24	.	.	.	5	.	.	1	.	.
92 C. Browder	.13	12	11	23	6.0-25	2.0-15	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
10 Tray Blackmon	.6	14	4	18	2.5-7	0.5-3	.	.	1	3-22	.	.	.
52 Antonio Coleman	.13	14	4	18	1.0-3	.	.	.	6	.	.	.	.
95 Pat Sims	.13	9	7	16	5.0-29	3.0-24	.	1	.	.	2	.	.
42 Patrick Trahan	.13	11	3	14	1.0-3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
40 Kevin Sears	.7	4	9	13	0.5-0	.	.	.	.	1-0	.	.	.
9 Tristan Davis	.12	8	5	13	1.0-1	.	.	.	.	1-0	.	.	.
26 Steve Gandy	.10	2	10	12	0.5-1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
38 Zach Gilbert	.13	9	3	12	1.0-3	.	1-57	.	.	.	.	.	.
14 L. Ferguson	.12	6	5	11	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	.
99 Tez Doolittle	.11	6	3	9	1.5-2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
46 Craig Stevens	.3	3	3	6	1.0-1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
56 Courtney Harden	.13	1	4	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
90 O. Balkcom	.3	1	3	4	0.5-2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
79 Jonathan Palmer	.13	2	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
36 Brant Haynie	.13	2	1	3	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	.
85 Alonzo Horton	.11	1	2	3	0.5-2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
5 Tommy Trott	.13	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
6 Walter McFadden	.11	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
62 Pete Compton	.13	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
59 Chris Evans	.8	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
3 Robert Dunn	.13	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
32 Carl Stewart	.12	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
69 Ben Grubbs	.13	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
25 Lee Guess	.13	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
15 P. Rodriguez	.12	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
39 Josh Hebert	.13	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
91 Jermarcus Ricks	.6	.	1	1	0.5-2	.	.	.	.	1-31	.	.	.
80 R. Smith	.13	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
TM TEAM	.7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1
<b>Total</b>	<b>.13</b>	<b>453</b>	<b>286</b>	<b>739</b>	<b>82-321</b>	<b>29-190</b>	<b>10-169</b>	<b>46</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>15-124</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>1</b>
<b>Opponents</b>	<b>.13</b>	<b>469</b>	<b>332</b>	<b>801</b>	<b>75.0-314</b>	<b>35-205</b>	<b>10-134</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>10-5</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>.</b>	<b>.</b>

## Special Teams Tackles

SPECIAL TEAMS	-----Tackles-----		
	Solo	Ast	Total
55 Merrill Johnson	5	1	6
42 Patrick Trahan	4	1	5
21 Karibi Dede	3	0	3
4 David Irons	1	2	3
56 Courtney Harden	0	3	3
54 Quentin Groves	1	1	2
36 Brant Haynie	1	1	2
26 Steve Gandy	1	1	2
5 Tommy Trott	1	1	2
9 Tristan Davis	1	0	1
39 Josh Hebert	1	0	1
8 Jerraud Powers	1	0	1
62 Pete Compton	0	1	1
20 Patrick Lee	0	1	1
35 Will Herring	0	1	1

## 2006 Scoring Summaries

Plays	Yards	TOP	Qtr	Scoring Play	Plays	Yards	TOP	Qtr	Scoring Play
<b>WASHINGTON STATE</b>					<b>FLORIDA</b>				
5	43	1:26	1	J. Vaughn 31-yard field goal	13	85	6:00	1	J. Vaughn 22-yard field goal
10	47	4:00	1	J. Vaughn 44-yard field goal	-	-	-	2	Team safety
7	30	3:00	2	J. Vaughn 52-yard field goal	11	50	5:16	2	J. Vaughn 31-yard field goal
8	57	4:06	2	J. Vaughn 30-yard field goal	9	55	3:40	2	J. Vaughn 34-yard field goal
3	46	1:25	2	B. Lester 34-yard pass from Cox	-	-	-	3	T. Smith 15-yard blocked punt return
1	58	0:40	3	K. Irons 58-yard run	4	6	2:26	4	J. Vaughn 39-yard field goal
8	78	4:44	4	B. Lester 12-yard run	<b>TULANE</b>				
9	43	5:47	4	C. Stewart 1-yard run	9	74	3:22	1	B. Lester 2-yard run
<b>MISSISSIPPI STATE</b>					5	68	2:02	2	T. Trott 27-yard pass from Cox
6	34	2:57	1	G. McKenzie 6-yard pass from Cox	2	15	1:02	2	T. Smith 6-yard pass from Cox
2	1	0:49	2	B. Lester 2-yard run	2	22	0:16	2	J. Vaughn 45-yard field goal
9	35	1:24	2	J. Vaughn 55-yard field goal	10	87	4:49	3	C. Taylor 23-yard pass from Cox
5	48	1:36	3	B. Lester 20-yard run	11	84	5:20	4	B. Tate 1-yard run
13	79	5:12	3	R. Smith 20-yard pass from Cox	<b>OLE MISS</b>				
4	-1	2:06	4	J. Vaughn 22-yard field goal	15	69	7:46	1	R. Smith 13-yard pass from Cox
<b>LSU</b>					4	41	2:14	3	B. Lester 6-yard run
12	75	6:43	3	B. Cox 1-yard run	7	38	3:05	3	J. Vaughn 31-yard field goal
<b>BUFFALO</b>					10	51	4:31	4	J. Vaughn 20-yard field goal
11	60	5:45	1	B. Lester 2-yard run	11	49	4:35	4	J. Vaughn 29-yard field goal
3	11	0:16	2	J. Vaughn 46-yard field goal	<b>ARKANSAS STATE</b>				
5	54	2:32	3	B. Lester 4-yard run	5	57	2:52	1	C. Taylor 13-yard pass from Cox
9	71	4:53	3	T. Smith 2-yard run	6	67	3:45	1	J. Vaughn 21-yard field goal
5	63	2:09	4	B. Tate 42-yard run	7	66	3:21	2	J. Vaughn 22-yard field goal
3	49	1:04	4	B. Tate 28-yard run	5	42	2:34	3	C. Stewart 1-yard run
<b>SOUTH CAROLINA</b>					5	45	1:49	3	C. Stewart 19-yard pass from Cox
9	69	4:08	1	K. Irons 1-yard run	<b>GEORGIA</b>				
9	80	4:32	2	T. Trott 9-yard pass from Cox	2	41	0:56	2	B. Lester 21-yard run
17	85	8:38	3	J. Vaughn 24-yard field goal	5	86	2:30	3	R. Smith 34-yard pass from Cox
13	52	6:30	4	K. Irons 1-yard run	<b>ALABAMA</b>				
<b>ARKANSAS</b>					4	27	2:17	2	B. Lester 12-yard run
10	90	3:50	2	R. Smith 24-yard pass from Cox	1	8	0:11	2	K. Irons 8-yard run
7	13	3:10	2	J. Vaughn 36-yard field goal	4	54	1:22	3	P. Rodriguez 22-yard pass from Cox
Average Scoring Drive: Plays: 7.0 Yards: 49.7 Time: 3:11									
<b>NEBRASKA</b>									
					2	9	0:59	1	C. Stewart 9-yard pass from Cox
					4	14	1:48	2	C. Stewart 1-yard run
					10	55	2:53	3	J. Vaughn 42-yard field goal

## 2006 Starting Lineups

### Offense

	WR	TE	LT	LG	C	RG	RT	WR	QB	TB	FB
WASHINGTON ST.	R. Smith	Guess (WR)	Dunlap	Grubbs	Cope	Duckworth	Palmer	Taylor	Cox	K. Irons	Rodriguez (WR)
at Mississippi St.	R. Smith	Bennett	Dunlap	Grubbs	Cope	Duckworth	Palmer	Taylor	Cox	K. Irons	Smith
LSU	R. Smith	Bennett	Dunlap	Grubbs	Cope	Duckworth	Palmer	Taylor	Cox	K. Irons	Guess (WR)
BUFFALO	R. Smith	Trott	Dunlap	Grubbs	Cope	Duckworth	Palmer	Taylor	Cox	Lester	T. Smith
at South Carolina	R. Smith	Trott	Dunlap	Grubbs	Cope	Duckworth	Palmer	Taylor	Cox	K. Irons	T. Smith
ARKANSAS	R. Smith	Trott	Dunlap	Grubbs	Bosley	Duckworth	Palmer	McKenzie (TE)	Cox	K. Irons	Stewart
FLORIDA	R. Smith	Trott	Dunlap	Grubbs	Bosley	Duckworth	Palmer	Taylor	Cox	K. Irons	Stewart
TULANE	R. Smith	Trott	Dunlap	Grubbs	Bosley	Hart	Palmer	Taylor	Cox	Lester	McKenzie (TE)
at Ole Miss	R. Smith	Trott	Dunlap	Grubbs	Bosley	Duckworth	Palmer	Taylor	Cox	K. Irons	T. Smith
ARKANSAS STATE	R. Smith	Trott	Dunlap	Grubbs	Cope	Duckworth	Palmer	Taylor	Cox	K. Irons	Stewart
GEORGIA	R. Smith	Trott	Dunlap	Grubbs	Cope	Duckworth	Palmer	Taylor	Cox	T. Smith	Stewart
at Alabama	R. Smith	Trott	Dunlap	Grubbs	Cope	Duckworth	Palmer	Taylor	Cox	K. Irons	Stewart
vs. Nebraska	R. Smith	Trott	Dunlap	Grubbs	Cope	Duckworth	Palmer	Taylor	Cox	K. Irons	Stewart

### Defense

	LE	NG	DT	RE	LB	LB	LB	CB	SS	FS	CB
WASHINGTON ST.	Browder	Thompson	Marks	Groves	Dede	Herring	Gilbert (DB)	D. Irons	Brock	Savage	Wilhite
at Mississippi St.	Browder	Thompson	Marks	Groves	Dede	Herring	Gilbert (DB)	D. Irons	Brock	Savage	Wilhite
LSU	Gunn	Thompson	Marks	Groves	Dede	Herring	Johnson	D. Irons	Brock	Savage	Wilhite
BUFFALO	Gunn	Thompson	Marks	Groves	Gandy	Herring	Johnson	D. Irons	Brock	Savage	Lee
at South Carolina	Gunn	Thompson	Marks	Groves	Dede	Herring	Johnson	D. Irons	Brock	Savage	Lee
ARKANSAS	Gunn	Thompson	Marks	Groves	Dede	Herring	Johnson	D. Irons	Brock	Savage	Wilhite
FLORIDA	Gunn	Thompson	Marks	Groves	Dede	Herring	Lee (DB)	D. Irons	Brock	Savage	Wilhite
TULANE	Gunn	Thompson	Marks	Groves	Dede	Herring	Blackmon	D. Irons	Brock	Davis	Wilhite
at Ole Miss	Gunn	Thompson	Marks	Groves	Dede	Herring	Johnson	D. Irons	Brock	Savage	Wilhite
ARKANSAS STATE	Browder	Thompson	Marks	Groves	Dede	Herring	Blackmon	D. Irons	Brock	Ferguson	Wilhite
GEORGIA	Gunn	Thompson	Marks	Groves	Dede	Herring	Blackmon	D. Irons	Ferguson	Savage	Wilhite
at Alabama	Gunn	Thompson	Marks	Groves	Dede	Herring	Blackmon	D. Irons	Davis	Savage	Wilhite
vs. Nebraska	Gunn	Thompson	Marks	Groves	Dede	Herring	Johnson	D. Irons	Brock	Savage	Lee

## 2006 Game-By-Game Team Statistics

Game	Score	First Downs		Rushing No-Yds-TD	Passing		Total Off. Pl-Yds	Punts No-Avg	Fum. F/L	Penalties No-Yds	3rd Dns	Time of Poss	
		Tot	Ru-Pa-Pe		C-A-I	Yds TD							
Washington State	14	17	5-10-2	28-124-0	17-33-1	150	2	61-274	7-42.1	2/0	2-20	4-14	25:58
at Auburn	40	21	12-8-1	44-293-3	11-19-0	191	1	63-484	2-49.0	0/0	3-40	3-12	34:02
at Mississippi State	0	11	7-4-0	33-79-0	12-25-1	82	0	58-161	8-38.9	3/2	4-48	5-15	29:34
Auburn	34	20	7-13-0	36-111-2	22-32-0	277	2	68-388	4-47.5	3/2	4-30	6-13	30:26
LSU	3	16	3-12-1	23-42-0	20-37-0	269	0	60-311	6-42.0	2/0	7-50	4-13	26:26
at Auburn	7	13	7-5-1	38-72-1	11-20-1	110	0	58-182	6-48.2	0/0	4-35	6-15	33:34
Buffalo	7	14	8-6-0	39-87-0	12-24-0	111	1	63-198	7-42.6	1/0	3-15	2-14	33:24
at Auburn	38	19	14-5-0	36-261-5	10-14-1	153	0	50-414	3-50.3	0/0	7-52	4-7	26:36
at South Carolina	17	24	11-12-1	34-109-0	21-35-1	240	2	69-349	1-49.0	1/1	5-31	6-13	30:20
Auburn	24	16	7-9-0	34-127-2	13-19-0	180	1	54-307	2-57.0	3/1	8-50	4-10	29:40
Arkansas	27	17	12-4-1	45-279-2	7-10-0	87	1	55-366	3-45.3	0/0	4-30	7-12	31:50
at Auburn	10	16	8-8-0	31-60-0	17-29-0	153	1	60-213	5-38.2	3/0	5-45	7-15	28:10
Florida	17	18	9-6-3	28-171-1	9-17-1	108	1	45-279	3-30.7	3/2	5-33	1-7	23:17
at Auburn	27	19	9-9-1	40-133-0	18-27-0	182	0	67-315	3-37.3	2/1	4-40	6-16	36:43
Tulane	13	18	6-11-1	27-106-0	20-39-1	283	1	66-389	4-38.0	3/2	6-45	10-18	29:41
at Auburn	38	19	10-8-1	41-220-2	16-19-0	212	3	60-432	2-55.0	1/1	4-35	11-15	30:19
at Ole Miss	17	15	5-6-4	28-86-1	9-17-2	170	1	45-256	3-41.0	0/0	2-30	2-7	22:08
Auburn	23	25	11-14-0	41-175-1	21-34-1	253	1	75-428	2-46.0	1/1	9-84	4-14	37:52
Arkansas State	0	14	5-7-2	35-88-0	12-22-1	89	0	57-155	6-38.8	3/1	4-36	3-11	34:35
at Auburn	27	16	7-8-1	28-148-1	12-22-3	251	2	50-399	2-45.5	2/1	7-57	4-9	25:25
Georgia	37	20	10-9-1	46-227-3	14-20-0	219	1	66-446	1-55.0	3/3	8-49	8-14	38:12
at Auburn	15	9	6-2-1	25-136-1	4-12-4	35	1	37-171	4-38.0	0/0	4-35	0-7	21:48
at Alabama	15	18	7-11-0	30-112-0	18-33-1	252	2	63-364	4-43.0	3/3	5-40	7-14	29:43
Auburn	22	14	8-5-1	40-124-2	6-14-0	137	1	54-261	6-50.2	1/1	7-47	4-11	30:17
vs. Nebraska	14	17	6-8-3	38-104-1	14-27-1	126	1	65-230	6-40.2	1/1	4-45	5-14	33:00
Auburn	17	12	5-6-1	35-67-1	10-21-0	111	1	56-178	6-43.0	2/2	6-45	4-12	27:00

### Miscellaneous Statistics

#### Average Time of Possession (by Quarter)

	1	2	3	4	Total
AUBURN	7:11	7:53	8:13	6:50	30:08
Opponent	7:48	7:06	6:46	8:09	29:51

#### Third Down Conversions (by Quarter)

	1	2	3	4	Total
AUBURN	12 of 35	17 of 41	24 of 43	10 of 37	63 of 156
<b>Pct.</b>	<b>34.3</b>	<b>41.5</b>	<b>55.8</b>	<b>27.0</b>	<b>40.4</b>
Opponents	21 of 41	15 of 44	11 of 36	17 of 45	64 of 166
<b>Pct.</b>	<b>51.2</b>	<b>34.1</b>	<b>30.6</b>	<b>37.8</b>	<b>38.6</b>

#### Third Down Conversions (by Yardage)

	1-3	4-6	7-10	11+	Total
AUBURN	27 of 46	13 of 38	13 of 40	10 of 32	63 of 156
<b>Pct.</b>	<b>58.7</b>	<b>34.2</b>	<b>32.5</b>	<b>31.3</b>	<b>40.4</b>
Opponents	25 of 43	22 of 40	15 of 51	2 of 32	64 of 166
<b>Pct.</b>	<b>58.1</b>	<b>55.0</b>	<b>29.4</b>	<b>6.3</b>	<b>38.6</b>

#### Turnovers

Takeaways — 25, Giveaways — 20  
 Difference — Plus-5; Ratio — 1.3:1  
 Points Off TOs — AU 79, Opp. 20  
 Points Off TOs/Game — AU 6.1, Opp. 1.5

#### Kickoffs

Kickoffs — 66  
 Clark — 66 KO, 51 TB, 2 OB  
 Touchbacks — 51  
 Out of Bounds — 2  
 Opp. Returns — 13 for 237 yards (18.2)  
 On-side kicks — 1-for-1

#### Red Zone

AU Scores/Times in Red Zone: 39/45 (.867)  
 AU TDs/Times in Red Zone: 25/45 (.556)  
 Scores (39): 25 TD, 14 FG  
 Non-Scores (5): 2 Missed FG, 1 Fumble, 2 INT, 1 Half  
 Opp. Scores/Times in Red Zone: 22/34 (.647)  
 Opp. TDs/Times in Red Zone: 14/34 (.412)  
 Scores (22): 14 TD, 8 FG  
 Non-Scores (12): 3 Fumbles, 2 Missed FG, 2 Interception, 4 Downs, 1 Half

# 2006 Game-By-Game Individual Statistics

## Rushing

<u>No.-Yds. TD</u>	<u>#12 Cox</u>	<u>#23 Irons</u>	<u>#1 Lester</u>	<u>#22 Smith</u>	<u>#32 Stewart</u>	<u>#44 Tate</u>
WASHINGTON STATE	5-3, 0	20-183, 1	6-37, 1	7-19, 0	4-10, 1	0-0, 0
at Mississippi State	2-(-4), 0	21-69, 0	5-40, 2	1-(-2), 0	3-7, 0	4-1, 0
LSU	8-(-17), 1	25-70, 0	2-0, 0	0-0, 0	2-8, 0	DNP
BUFFALO	1-(-4), 0	DNP	18-83, 2	8-57, 1	2-11, 0	7-114, 2
at South Carolina	4-(-13), 0	24-117, 2	0-0, 0	0-0, 0	3-22, 0	DNP
ARKANSAS	9-(-34), 0	15-75, 0	4-28, 0	1-(-11), 0	1-4, 0	DNP
FLORIDA	7-(-35), 0	13-67, 0	17-94, 0	0-0, 0	3-7, 0	DNP
TULANE	2-(-1), 0	DNP	6-23, 1	5-44, 0	DNP	26-156, 1
at Ole Miss	0-0, 0	23-106, 0	14-49, 1	0-0, 0	3-13, 0	0-0, 0
ARKANSAS STATE	2-(-10), 0	1-0, 0	12-62, 0	0-0, 0	2-3, 1	11-93, 0
GEORGIA	4-(-19), 0	10-49, 0	5-40, 1	0-0, 0	2-10, 0	2-5, 0
at Alabama	2-(-11), 0	19-85, 1	15-54, 1	0-0, 0	1-2, 0	0-0, 0
vs. Nebraska	5-(-32), 0	24-72, 0	DNP	0-0, 0	1-1, 1	4-23, 0

## Receiving

<u>No.-Yds. TD</u>	<u>#87 Bennett</u>	<u>#3 Dunn</u>	<u>#25 Guess</u>	<u>#83 McKenzie</u>	<u>#15 Rodriguez</u>	<u>#80 Smith</u>	<u>#86 Taylor</u>
WASHINGTON STATE	0-0, 0	0-0, 0	1-9, 0	0-0, 0	1-10, 0	2-47, 0	3-51, 0
at Mississippi State	1-18, 0	0-0, 0	1-8, 0	4-42, 1	1-9, 0	2-85, 1	9-103, 0
LSU	1-7, 0	1-14, 0	0-0, 0	1-13, 0	2-16, 0	1-17, 0	3-22, 0
BUFFALO	DNP	0-0, 0	0-0, 0	1-4, 0	DNP	1-14, 0	3-48, 0
at South Carolina	DNP	1-8, 0	1-12, 0	1-25, 0	1-15, 0	2-37, 0	2-43, 0
ARKANSAS	DNP	0-0, 0	0-0, 0	2-21, 0	0-0, 0	4-64, 1	5-33, 0
FLORIDA	DNP	1-14, 0	0-0, 0	0-0, 0	3-26, 0	3-33, 0	5-37, 0
TULANE	DNP	0-0, 0	1-22, 0	2-11, 0	2-27, 0	2-4, 0	5-63, 1
at Ole Miss	DNP	2-16, 0	1-25, 0	1-9, 0	1-8, 0	4-46, 1	8-108, 0
ARKANSAS STATE	DNP	0-0, 0	1-38, 0	0-0, 0	1-17, 0	1-16, 0	4-116, 1
GEORGIA	DNP	0-0, 0	0-0, 0	0-0, 0	0-0, 0	1-34, 1	1-10, 0
at Alabama	DNP	0-0, 0	0-0, 0	0-0, 0	1-22, 1	3-55, 0	0-0, 0
vs. Nebraska	DNP	0-0, 0	0-0, 0	1-12, 0	1-18, 0	0-0, 0	6-70, 0

<u>No.-Yds. TD</u>	<u>#5 Trott</u>	<u>#23 Irons</u>	<u>#1 Lester</u>	<u>#32 Stewart</u>
WASHINGTON STATE	0-0, 0	3-40, 0	1-34, 1	0-0, 0
at Mississippi State	0-0, 0	1-(-4), 0	1-12, 0	0-0, 0
LSU	1-2, 0	0-0, 0	0-0, 0	1-19, 0
BUFFALO	0-0, 0	DNP	0-0, 0	1-54, 0
at South Carolina	3-31, 1	1-2, 0	0-0, 0	0-0, 0
ARKANSAS	2-(-1), 0	2-21, 0	1-2, 0	1-13, 0
FLORIDA	1-14, 0	2-17, 0	1-9, 0	1-24, 0
TULANE	1-27, 1	DNP	1-36, 0	DNP
at Ole Miss	2-21, 0	0-0, 0	0-0, 0	1-23, 0
ARKANSAS STATE	0-0, 0	0-0, 0	0-0, 0	3-41, 1
GEORGIA	0-0, 0	0-0, 0	1-(-6), 0	1-(-3), 0
at Alabama	0-0, 0	0-0, 0	0-0, 0	2-60, 0
vs. Nebraska	0-0, 0	1-2, 0	DNP	1-9, 1

## Passing

<u>C-A-Yds-Int. TD</u>	<u>#12 Cox</u>	<u>#16 Field</u>
WASHINGTON ST.	11-18-191-0, 1	DNP
at Mississippi State	18-27-249-0, 2	4-4-28-0, 0
LSU	11-20-110-1, 0	DNP
BUFFALO	6-10-134-1, 0	4-4-19-0, 0
at South Carolina	13-19-180-0, 1	DNP
ARKANSAS	17-29-153-0, 1	DNP
FLORIDA	18-27-182-0, 0	DNP
TULANE	16-19-212-0, 3	0-0-0-0, 0
at Ole Miss	21-34-253-1, 1	DNP
ARKANSAS ST.	12-21-251-2, 2	0-0-0-1, 0
GEORGIA	4-12-35-4, 1	0-0-0-0, 0
at Alabama	6-14-137-0, 1	DNP
vs. Nebraska	10-21, 111-0, 1	DNP

## Field Goals

<u>Made. (Missed)</u>	<u>#37 Vaughn</u>
WASHINGTON ST.	31, 44, 52, 30, (36)
at Mississippi State	55, 22
LSU	(26)
BUFFALO	46
at South Carolina	24
ARKANSAS	36
FLORIDA	22, 31, 34, (45), 39
TULANE	45
at Ole Miss	31, 20, 29
ARKANSAS ST.	21, 22
GEORGIA	-
at Alabama	(53)
vs. Nebraska	42

## Punting

<u>No.-Avg. In 20</u>	<u>#30 Bliss</u>
WASHINGTON ST.	2-49.0, 1
at Mississippi State	4-47.5, 2
LSU	6-48.2, 2
BUFFALO	3-50.3, 0
at SOUTH CAROLINA	2-57.0, 0
ARKANSAS	5-38.2, 0
FLORIDA	3-37.3, 1
TULANE	2-55.0, 1
at Ole Miss	2-46.0, 0
ARKANSAS ST.	2-45.5, 2
GEORGIA	4-38.0, 0
at Alabama	6-50.2, 3
vs. Nebraska	6-43.0, 1

# 2006 Game-By-Game Individual Statistics

## Defensive Linemen

<u>Solo+Ast=Total</u>	<u>#92 Browder</u>	<u>#52 Coleman</u>	<u>#54 Groves</u>	<u>#48 Gunn</u>	<u>#94 Marks</u>	<u>#95 Sims</u>	<u>#97 Thompson</u>
WASHINGTON STATE	1+0=1	3+0=3	1+0=1	0+1=1	2+1=3	1+2=3	1+1=2
at Mississippi State	2+0=2	1+0=1	1+1=2	0+1=1	3+0=3	1+2=3	2+0=2
LSU	1+1=2	0+0=0	1+1=2	3+1=4	1+1=2	0+1=1	3+2=5
BUFFALO	0+0=0	0+1=1	0+1=1	3+2=5	2+1=3	1+0=1	0+2=2
at South Carolina	2+3=5	0+1=1	5+1=6	3+1=4	3+0=3	1+0=1	2+4=6
ARKANSAS	1+1=2	0+0=0	1+2=3	3+0=3	2+1=3	0+0=0	0+4=4
FLORIDA	1+0=0	1+1=2	4+0=4	0+1=1	2+1=3	1+0=1	2+1=3
TULANE	0+0=0	0+0=0	3+0=3	3+0=3	2+0=2	0+0=0	1+0=1
at Ole Miss	0+2=2	0+1=1	3+2=5	1+2=3	1+1=2	0+0=0	3+3=6
ARKANSAS STATE	1+1=2	2+0=2	1+0=1	2+0=2	0+0=0	1+2=3	2+0=2
GEORGIA	0+1=1	2+0=2	2+0=2	3+2=5	2+2=4	0+0=0	4+0=4
at Alabama	0+1=1	2+0=2	4+3=7	0+1=1	3+2=5	0+0=0	0+1=1
vs. Nebraska	3+1=4	3+0=3	0+0=0	1+1=2	3+2=5	3+0=3	5+1=6

## Linebackers

<u>Solo+Ast=Total</u>	<u>#10 Blackmon</u>	<u>#21 Dede</u>	<u>#26 Gandy</u>	<u>#35 Herring</u>	<u>#55 Johnson</u>	<u>#40 Sears</u>	<u>#46 Stevens</u>
WASHINGTON STATE	DNP	6+2=8	DNP	3+0=3	3+1=4	DNP	0+0=0
at Mississippi State	DNP	4+2=6	DNP	2+2=4	4+1=5	DNP	3+2=5
LSU	DNP	2+2=4	DNP	3+3=6	3+2=5	DNP	0+1=1
BUFFALO	DNP	DNP	1+4=5	4+3=7	4+3=7	0+1=1	DNP
at South Carolina	DNP	2+0=2	0+0=0	5+2=7	1+1=2	0+0=0	DNP
ARKANSAS	DNP	5+4=9	0+2=2	3+3=6	0+0=0	1+1=2	DNP
FLORIDA	0+0=0	1+2=3	0+0=0	2+2=4	0+0=0	0+1=1	DNP
TULANE	1+0=1	2+3=5	0+0=0	4+1=5	0+2=2	1=1=2	DNP
at Ole Miss	4+1=5	3+1=4	0+0=0	2+1=3	0+1=1	DNP	DNP
ARKANSAS STATE	2+0=2	1+1=2	1+3=4	1+2=3	2+4=6	DNP	DNP
GEORGIA	3+1=4	3+2=5	0+0=0	5+4=9	0+0=0	1+1=2	DNP
at Alabama	4+2=6	0+8=8	0+0=0	5+3=8	0+0=0	1+4=5	DNP
vs. Nebraska	DNP	1+2=3	0+1=1	7+0=7	3+0=3	DNP	DNP

## Defensive Backs

<u>Solo+Ast=Total</u>	<u>#33 Brock</u>	<u>#9 Davis</u>	<u>#38 Gilbert</u>	<u>#4 Irons</u>	<u>#20 Lee</u>	<u>#2 Savage</u>	<u>#24 Wilhite</u>
WASHINGTON STATE	2+1=3	1+1=2	2+1=3	1+1=2	2+1=3	3+1=4	1+0=1
at Mississippi State	1+1=2	4+0=4	1+0=1	2+0=2	2+1=3	0+0=0	2+0=2
LSU	3+2=5	0+0=0	1+1=2	3+0=3	DNP	2+1=3	1+0=1
BUFFALO	1+4=5	0+0=0	1+0=1	3+3=6	2+3=5	3+2=5	DNP
at South Carolina	2+2=4	0+0=0	2+0=2	6+4=10	1+2=3	2+2=4	DNP
ARKANSAS	7+4=11	0+0=0	0+0=0	1+2=3	0+0=0	6+5=11	1+0=1
FLORIDA	5+0=5	0+0=0	0+0=0	1+0=1	3+0=3	2+2=4	2+1=3
TULANE	3+1=4	3+0=3	2+1=3	2+0=2	2+0=2	DNP	1+1=2
at Ole Miss	3+2=5	0+0=0	0+0=0	1+0=1	0+1=1	3+3=6	3+0=3
ARKANSAS STATE	0+1=1	DNP	0+0=0	0+1=1	0+1=1	1+0=1	2+0=2
GEORGIA	DNP	0+0=0	0+0=0	2+4=6	1+0=1	7+1=8	2+1=3
at Alabama	DNP	0+4=4	0+0=0	0+2=2	1+0=1	1+1=2	5+1=6
vs. Nebraska	4+1=5	0+0=0	0+0=0	1+2=3	1+1=2	4+1=5	DNP

## Others

<u>Solo+Ast=Total</u>	<u>#99 Doolittle</u>	<u>#14 Ferguson</u>	<u>#56 Harden</u>	<u>#36 Haynie</u>	<u>#6 McFadden</u>	<u>#8 Powers</u>	<u>#42 Trahan</u>
WASHINGTON STATE	0+0=0	0+0=0	0+0=0	1+0=1	0+0=0	1+0=1	1+0=1
at Mississippi State	1+2=3	2+0=2	0+0=0	0+0=0	1+0=1	1+0=1	0+0=0
LSU	DNP	0+0=0	0+2=2	0+0=0	0+0=0	4+0=4	0+0=0
BUFFALO	0+1=1	0+0=0	1+1=2	0+0=0	1+0=1	0+1=1	1+0=1
at South Carolina	DNP	0+0=0	0+0=0	0+0=0	0+0=0	3+1=4	1+0=1
ARKANSAS	1+0=1	0+0=0	0+0=0	0+0=0	0+0=0	0+0=0	0+1=1
FLORIDA	0+0=0	0+0=0	0+1=1	0+0=0	DNP	1+0=1	0+0=0
TULANE	1+0=1	2+1=3	0+0=0	0+0=0	0+0=0	3+1=4	0+0=0
at Ole Miss	0+0=0	0+0=0	0+0=0	0+1=1	0+0=0	1+0=1	0+0=0
ARKANSAS STATE	2+0=2	2+3=5	0+0=0	1+0=1	0+0=0	2+0=2	4+1=5
GEORGIA	1+0=1	0+1=1	0+0=0	0+0=0	0+0=0	1+2=3	0+0=0
at Alabama	0+0=0	0+0=0	0+0=0	0+0=0	0+0=0	3+0=3	1+1=2
vs. Nebraska	0+0=0	DNP	0+0=0	0+0=0	0+0=0	0+1=1	3+0=3



# 2006 Superlatives

## Auburn Team Superlatives

Points Scored	40	vs. Washington State (9/2)
Low	7	vs. LSU (9/16)
First Downs	25	at Ole Miss (10/28)
Low	9	vs. Georgia (11/11)
Rushing Plays	44	vs. Washington State (9/2)
Low	25	vs. Georgia (11/11)
Net Rushing Yards	293	vs. Washington State (9/2)
Low	60	vs. Arkansas (10/7)
Passes Attempted	34	at Ole Miss (10/28)
Low	12	vs. Georgia (11/11)
Passes Completed	22	at Mississippi State (9/9)
Low	4	vs. Georgia (11/11)
Had Intercepted	4	vs. Georgia (11/11)
Low	0	eight times
		last vs. Nebraska (1/1)
Net Passing Yards	277	at Mississippi State (9/9)
Low	35	vs. Georgia (11/11)
Total Offensive Plays	75	at Ole Miss (10/28)
Low	37	vs. Georgia (11/11)
Total Net Offense	484	vs. Washington State (9/2)
Low	171	vs. Georgia (11/11)
Fumbles	3	three times
Low	0	last vs. Arkansas (10/7)
		four times
		last vs. Georgia (11/11)
Fumbles Lost	2	at Mississippi State (9/9)
Low	2	vs. Nebraska (1/1)
		five times
		last vs. Georgia (11/11)
Penalties	9	at Ole Miss (10/28)
Low	3	vs. Washington State (9/2)
Penalty Yards	84	at Ole Miss (10/28)
Low	30	at Mississippi State (9/9)

## Auburn Individual Superlatives

Rushing Attempts	27	by Kenny Irons at South Carolina (9/28)
Net Rushing Yards	183	by Kenny Irons vs. Washington St. (9/2)
Rushing TDs	2	four times
		last by Kenny Irons at S. Carolina (9/28)
Pass Attempts	34	by Brandon Cox at Ole Miss (10/28)
Pass Completions	21	by Brandon Cox at Ole Miss (10/28)
Had Intercepted	4	by Brandon Cox vs. Georgia (11/11)
Net Passing Yards	253	by Brandon Cox at Ole Miss (10/28)
Passing TDs	3	by Brandon Cox vs. Tulane (10/21)
Receptions	9	by Courtney Taylor at Miss. State (9/9)
Receiving Yards	116	by Courtney Taylor vs. Arkansas St. (11/4)
TD Receptions	1	14 times
Punts	6	three times
		last by Kody Bliss vs. Nebraska (1/1)
Punt Average	57.0	by Kody Bliss at South Carolina (9/28)
Punts Inside 20	3	by Kody Bliss at Alabama (11/18)
Punt Returns	7	by Robert Dunn at Mississippi St. (9/9)
Punt Return Yards	62	by Robert Dunn vs. Buffalo (9/23)
Kickoff Returns	5	by Tristan Davis vs. Florida (10/14)
		by Tristan Davis vs. Georgia (11/11)
Kickoff Return Yards	129	by Tristan Davis vs. Georgia (11/11)
FG Attempts	5	by John Vaughn vs. Washington St. (9/2)
		by John Vaughn vs. Florida (10/14)
FG Made	4	by John Vaughn vs. Washington St. (9/2)
		by John Vaughn vs. Florida (10/14)
Interceptions	1	10 times
		last by Karibi Dede vs. Nebraska (1/1)
Interception Yards	57	by Zach Gilbert vs. Tulane (10/21)

## Auburn Individual Long Plays

Rushing	58	by Kenny Irons vs. Washington St. (9/2)
Passing	62	by Brandon Cox vs. Mississippi St. (9/9)
Receiving	62	by Rod Smith vs. Mississippi State (9/9)
Field Goal	55	by John Vaughn vs. Mississippi St. (9/9)
Punt	71	by Kody Bliss vs. Tulane (10/21)
Punt Return	35	by Robert Dunn vs. Buffalo (9/23)
Kickoff Return	68	by Brad Lester vs. Arkansas (10/7)
Interception Return	57	by Zach Gilbert vs. Tulane (10/21)

## Opponent Team Superlatives

Points Scored	37	by Georgia (11/11)
Low	0	by Mississippi State (9/9)
		by Arkansas State (11/4)
First Downs	24	by South Carolina (9/28)
Low	11	by Mississippi State (9/9)
Rushing Plays	46	by Georgia (11/11)
Low	23	by LSU (9/16)
Net Rushing Yards	279	by Arkansas (10/7)
Low	42	by LSU (9/16)
Passes Attempted	39	by Tulane (10/21)
Low	10	by Arkansas (10/7)
Passes Completed	21	by South Carolina (9/28)
Low	7	by Arkansas (10/7)
Had Intercepted	2	by Ole Miss (10/28)
Low	0	four times
		last by Georgia (11/11)
Net Passing Yards	283	by Tulane (10/21)
Low	82	by Mississippi State (9/9)
Total Offensive Plays	69	by South Carolina (9/28)
Low	45	by Florida (10/14)
Total Net Offense	446	by Georgia (11/11)
Low	161	by Mississippi State (9/9)
Fumbles	3	six times
		last by Alabama (11/18)
Low	0	by Arkansas (10/7)
		by Ole Miss (10/28)
Fumbles Lost	3	by Georgia (11/11)
Low	3	by Alabama (11/18)
		four times
		last by Ole Miss (10/28)
Penalties	8	by Georgia (11/11)
Low	2	by Washington State (9/2)
		by Ole Miss (10/28)
Penalty Yards	50	by LSU (9/16)
Low	15	by Buffalo (9/23)

## Opponent Individual Superlatives

Rushing Attempts	28	by Darren McFadden of Arkansas (10/7)
Net Rushing Yards	145	by Darren McFadden of Arkansas (10/7)
Rushing TDs	1	eight times
Pass Attempts	39	by Lester Ricard of Tulane (10/21)
Pass Completions	21	by Syvelle Newton of South Carolina (9/28)
Had Intercepted	2	by Brent Schaeffer of Ole Miss (10/28)
Net Passing Yards	283	by Lester Ricard of Tulane (10/21)
Passing TDs	2	by Syvelle Newton of South Carolina (9/28)
		by John Parker Wilson of Alabama (11/18)
Receptions	9	by Preston Brown of Tulane (10/21)
Receiving Yards	139	by Preston Brown of Tulane (10/21)
TD Receptions	1	13 times
Punts	8	by Blake McAdams of Mississippi St. (9/9)
Punt Average	55.0	by Gordon Ely-Kelso of Georgia (11/11)
Punts Inside 20	2	four times
		last by Dan Titchener of Nebraska (1/1)
Punt Returns	3	by Derek Pegues of Mississippi State (9/9)
		by Javier Arenas of Alabama (11/18)
Punt Return Yards	30	by Derek Pegues of Mississippi State (9/9)
Kickoff Returns	2	three times
		last by Brandon Lucky of Nebraska (1/1)
Kickoff Return Yards	46	by Derrell Hutsona of Washington St. (9/2)
FG Attempts	2	by Jeremy Davis of Arkansas (10/7)
		by Ross Thevenot of Tulane (10/21)
FG Made	2	by Jeremy Davis of Arkansas (10/7)
		by Ross Thevenot of Tulane (10/21)
Interceptions	3	by Tra Battle of Georgia (11/11)
Interception Yards	69	by Tra Battle of Georgia (11/11)

## Opponent Individual Long Plays

Rushing	63	by Darren McFadden of Arkansas (10/7)
Passing	53	by Matthew Stafford of Georgia (11/11)
Receiving	53	by A.J. Bryant of Georgia (11/11)
Field Goal	49	by Ryan Succop of S. Carolina (9/28)
Punt	55	by Gordon Ely-Kelso of Georgia (11/11)
Punt Return	22	by Javier Arenas of Alabama (11/18)
Kickoff Return	24	by Derrell Hutsona of Washington St. (9/2)
Interception Return	33	by Kendrick Hawkins of Buffalo (9/23)

## 2006 Plays Of 20+ Yards

Yards	Type	Player(s)	Opponent	Qtr.
62	pass	Rodgeriquis Smith from Brandon Cox	Mississippi State	2nd
58 (TD)	run	Kenny Irons	Washington State	3rd
57	pass	Courtney Taylor from Brandon Cox	Arkansas State	2nd
54	pass	Carl Stewart from Brandon Cox	Buffalo	3rd
42 (TD)	run	Kenny Irons	Washington State	1st
42	run	Will Herring	Washington State	3rd
42 (TD)	run	Ben Tate	Buffalo	4th
41	pass	Rodgeriquis Smith from Brandon Cox	Washington State	2nd
41	pass	Courtney Taylor from Brandon Cox	Arkansas State	1st
38	pass	Lee Guess from Brandon Cox	Arkansas State	1st
38	run	Ben Tate	Arkansas State	3rd
37	pass	Carl Stewart from Brandon Cox	Alabama	3rd
36	pass	Brad Lester from Brandon Cox	Tulane	1st
34 (TD)	pass	Brad Lester from Brandon Cox	Washington State	2nd
34	run	Ben Tate	Tulane	4th
34 (TD)	pass	Rodgeriquis Smith from Brandon Cox	Georgia	3rd
33	run	Brad Lester	Florida	2nd
31	pass	Rodgeriquis Smith from Brandon Cox	South Carolina	3rd
31	run	Courtney Taylor	Georgia	3rd
31	pass	Rodgeriquis Smith from Brandon Cox	Alabama	2nd
29	run	Tre Smith	Tulane	1st
28 (TD)	run	Ben Tate	Buffalo	4th
27 (TD)	pass	Tommy Trott from Brandon Cox	Tulane	2nd
25	pass	Courtney Taylor from Brandon Cox	Washington State	3rd
25	pass	Gabe McKenzie from Brandon Cox	South Carolina	1st
25	pass	Courtney Taylor from Brandon Cox	South Carolina	3rd
25	pass	Courtney Taylor from Brandon Cox	Tulane	2nd
25	pass	Courtney Taylor from Brandon Cox	Ole Miss	3rd
25	pass	Lee Guess from Brandon Cox	Ole Miss	4th
24	run	Kenny Irons	South Carolina	2nd
24 (TD)	pass	Rodgeriquis Smith from Brandon Cox	Arkansas	2nd
24	pass	Carl Stewart from Brandon Cox	Florida	1st
23	run	Tre Smith	Buffalo	3rd
23	run	Kenny Irons	Arkansas	2nd
23 (TD)	pass	Courtney Taylor from Brandon Cox	Tulane	3rd
23	pass	Carl Stewart from Brandon Cox	Ole Miss	1st
23	pass	Carl Stewart from Brandon Cox	Alabama	3rd
22	pass	Courtney Taylor from Brandon Cox	Buffalo	1st
22	pass	Lee Guess from Brandon Cox	Tulane	2nd
22 (TD)	pass	Prechae Rodriguez from Brandon Cox	Alabama	3rd
21	run	Ben Tate	Buffalo	4th
21	pass	Rodgeriquis Smith from Brandon Cox	Arkansas	1st
21	pass	Courtney Taylor from Brandon Cox	Ole Miss	1st
21	pass	Montez Billings from Brandon Cox	Arkansas State	3rd
21 (TD)	run	Brad Lester	Georgia	2nd
21	pass	Courtney Taylor from Brandon Cox	Nebraska	3rd
21	run	Ben Tate	Nebraska	4th
20 (TD)	run	Brad Lester	Mississippi State	3rd
20 (TD)	pass	Rodgeriquis Smith from Brandon Cox	Mississippi State	3rd
20	run	Carl Stewart	South Carolina	2nd
20	run	Courtney Taylor	Georgia	2nd

### Play Breakdown

#### BY PLAY

Pass.....	32
Run .....	19

#### BY GAME

Washington State .....	6
Mississippi State .....	3
LSU .....	0
Buffalo .....	6
South Carolina.....	5
Arkansas .....	3
Florida .....	2
Tulane .....	7
Ole Miss .....	4
Arkansas State .....	5
Georgia .....	4
Alabama .....	4
Nebraska .....	2

#### BY QUARTER

1st .....	11
2nd.....	15
3rd .....	19
4th .....	6

#### RUSHING

Ben Tate .....	6
Kenny Irons .....	4
Brad Lester .....	3
Tre Smith.....	2
Courtney Taylor .....	2
Will Herring .....	1
Carl Stewart.....	1

#### PASSING

Brandon Cox .....	32
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#### RECEIVING

Courtney Taylor .....	10
Rodgeriquis Smith .....	8
Carl Stewart.....	5
Lee Guess.....	3
Brad Lester .....	2
Montez Billings .....	1
Gabe McKenzie.....	1
Prechae Rodriguez .....	1
Tommy Trott.....	1

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## An Auburn Team

**Had 35 First Downs...** vs. Western Carolina, 2002 (37)  
**Had 30 First Downs...** vs. Tennessee, 2004 (31)  
**Had 400 yards rushing...** vs. Mississippi State, 2003 (405)  
**Had 300 yards rushing...** at Kentucky, 2005 (388)  
**Had 50 or more rushing attempts...** vs. Arkansas, 2005 (52)  
**Had six or more rushing TDs...** at Kentucky, 2005 (6)  
**Had five or more rushing TDs...** vs. Buffalo, 2006 (5)  
**Had four or more rushing TDs...** vs. Buffalo, 2006 (5)  
**Had 350 or more yards passing...** vs. Tennessee, 2004 (374)  
**Had 300 or more yards passing...** vs. Georgia Tech, 2005 (342)  
**Had 50 or more pass attempts...** vs. Mississippi State, 1997 (54)  
**Had 30 or more pass completions...** vs. Arkansas, 1995 (34)  
**Had five TDs passing...** vs. Louisiana Tech, 2001 (5)  
**Had four TDs passing...** vs. Louisiana Tech, 2004 (4)  
**Had three TDs passing...** vs. Tulane, 2006 (3)  
**Had 500 or more yards total offense...** at Georgia, 2005 (506)  
**Had 80 or more total plays...** vs. Tennessee, 2004 (85)  
**Scored 70 or more points...** vs. Louisiana-Monroe, 2003 (73)  
**Scored 60 or more points...** vs. Ball State, 2005 (63)  
**Scored 50 or more points...** vs. Ball State, 2005 (63)  
**Scored 40 or more points...** vs. Washington State, 2006 (40)  
**Had five or more fumbles...** vs. Florida, 2001 (5)  
**Did not commit a turnover...** vs. Arkansas, 2006  
**Had 200-yard rusher and 100-yard receiver in a game...** vs. Syracuse, 2002 (Carnell Williams [202 rush] and Marcel Willis [113 receiving])  
**Had 150-yard rusher and 150-yard receiver in a game...** at Arkansas, 2001 (Carnell Williams [177 rush] and Tim Carter [156 receiving])  
**Had 100-yard receiver and 100-yard rusher in a game...** at Ole Miss, 2006 (Kenny Irons [106 rush], Courtney Taylor [108 rec])  
**Had two 100-yard rushers in a game...** at Kentucky, 2005 (Tristan Davis [162] and Kenny Irons [103])  
**Had two 150-yard rushers in a game...** vs. Mississippi State, 2003 (Brandon Jacobs [182] and Carnell Williams [164])  
**Had three 100-yard rushers in a game ...** vs. Maryland, 1983 (Tommie Agee [219], Lionel James [115] and Bo Jackson [105])  
**Had two 100-yard receivers in a game...** vs. LSU, 1999 (Ronney Daniels [120] and Markeith Cooper [105])  
**Had a 60-yard run and a 60-yard pass in a game ...** vs. Alabama, 2003 (Carnell Williams 80 rush, Jason Campbell to Ben Obomanu 64 pass)  
**Had three players with 2 rushing TDs...** vs. Louisiana-Monroe, 2003 (Carnell Williams [2], Brandon Jacobs [2], Tre Smith [2])  
**Had two players with seven or more catches in a game ...** Courtney Taylor vs. Alabama, 2003 (7), Silas Daniels vs. Alabama, 2003 (7)  
**Scored a touchdown on offense, defense and special teams...** vs. Louisiana-Monroe, 2003 (8 offense [6 pass, 2 rush], 1 defense [int return], 1 special team [blocked punt return])  
**Scored on the first offensive play ...** vs. Alabama, 2003 (Carnell Williams, 80 yard run)  
**Returned a punt for a TD...** vs. South Carolina, 1996 (Robert Baker) [79 yards]  
**Returned a kickoff for a TD...** vs. Ball State, 2005 (Brad Lester) [93 yards]  
**Returned three Interceptions for TDs...** vs. LSU, 1994 (Ken Alvis, Fred Smith, Brian Robinson)  
**Returned two Interceptions for TDs...** vs. LSU, 1994 (Ken Alvis, Fred Smith, Brian Robinson)  
**Returned an Interception for a TD...** vs. Louisiana Tech, 2004 (Carlos Rogers) [53]  
**Returned two fumbles for TDs...** vs. Vanderbilt, 2002 (Spencer Johnson, Karlos Dansby)  
**Returned a fumble for a TD...** vs. Florida, 2006 (Patrick Lee) [20]  
**Blocked a punt ...** vs. Florida, 2006 (Jerraud Powers)  
**Blocked two punts...** vs. La-Monroe, 2003 (3 - Justin Fetsko [2], Donnay Young)  
**Blocked three punts ...** vs. La-Monroe, 2003 (3 - Justin Fetsko [2], Donnay Young)  
**Returned a blocked punt for a TD...** vs. Florida, 2006 (Tre Smith)  
**Blocked a field goal ...** at Mississippi State, 2006 (Marquis Gunn)  
**Blocked two field goals in a game...** at Georgia, 2001 (Alton Moore, 2)  
**Blocked a PAT attempt ...** vs. Georgia, 2006 (Jonathan Palmer)  
**Blocked two PAT attempt ...** vs. LSU, 1998 (Charles Dorsey, 2)  
**Missed a kicking PAT...** vs. Arkansas, 2004 (John Vaughn)  
**Had a punt blocked...** vs. Georgia, 2004 (Kody Bliss)  
**Had a field goal blocked...** vs. Penn State [Capital One], 2003 (Damon Duval)  
**Had a successful on-side kick...** at South Carolina, 2006 (Matt Clark/Jerraud Powers)

**Was held scoreless...** vs. Southern California, 2003 (0-23)  
**Was held scoreless at Jordan-Hare Stadium...** vs. Southern California, 2003 (0-23)  
**Held an opponent scoreless...** vs. Arkansas State, 2006 (27-0)  
**Held an opponent scoreless at Jordan-Hare Stadium...** vs. Arkansas State, 2006 (27-0)  
**Held an opponent to five or less first downs...** vs. Ball State, 2001 (5)  
**Held an opponent to 10 or less first downs...** vs. South Carolina, 2005 (7)  
**Intercepted five or more passes...** at Tennessee, 2004 (5)  
**Intercepted four or more passes...** at Tennessee, 2004 (5)  
**Held an opponent to 300 or less yards total offense...** vs. Nebraska, 2007 (230)  
**Held an opponent to 200 or less yards total offense...** vs. Arkansas State [AT&T Cotton], 2006 (177)  
**Held an opponent to 150 or less yards total offense...** vs. Kentucky, 2004 (110)  
**Held an opponent to 100 or less yards total offense...** vs. Ball State, 2001 (92)  
**Held an opponent to 100 or less yards rushing...** vs. Arkansas State, 2006 (88)  
**Held an opponent to 50 or less yards rushing...** vs. LSU, 2006 (42)  
**Held an opponent to negative yards rushing...** vs. Florida, 2001 (-36)  
**Held an opponent to 100 or less yards passing...** vs. Arkansas State, 2006 (89)  
**Held an opponent without a touchdown...** vs. Arkansas State, 2006  
**Scored a safety...** vs. Florida, 2006 (Team)  
**Scored on a fake field goal...** vs. Vanderbilt, 2000 (Duval pass to Diamond)  
**Scored an offensive two-point conversion ...** at Alabama, 2006 (Lee Guess pass from Carl Stewart)  
**Scored two or more offensive two-point conversions...** vs. Florida, 2002 [2]  
**Scored a defensive two-point conversion...** vs. LSU, 1998 (Brad Ware)  
**Had 10 or more penalties...** vs. Georgia Tech, 2005 (11)  
**Had 100 or more penalty yards...** at Ole Miss, 2000 (112)  
**Had 35 minutes time of possession...** at Ole Miss, 2006 (37:52)  
**Was involved in a game that ended in a tie...** vs. Georgia, 1994 (23-23)  
**Was involved in an overtime game...** at LSU, 2005 (17-20 loss)  
**Won a game without scoring an offensive touchdown ...** vs. Florida, 2006 (27-17)

## An Auburn Player

**Rushed 40 times in a game...** Carnell Williams vs. Syracuse, 2002 (40)  
**Rushed 35 times in a game...** Kenny Irons at Georgia, 2005 (37)  
**Rushed 30 times in a game...** Kenny Irons at Arkansas, 2005 (33)  
**Rushed for 200 yards in a game...** Kenny Irons at LSU, 2005 (218)  
**Rushed for 150 yards in a game...** Ben Tate, vs. Tulane, 2006 (156)  
**Rushed for 100 yards in a game...** Kenny Irons at Ole Miss, 2006 (106)  
**Rushed for 100 yards in five consecutive games...** Kenny Irons vs. Alabama (103), at Georgia (179), at Kentucky (103), vs. Ole Miss (101), at LSU (218), 2005  
**Rushed for 100 yards in four consecutive games...** Kenny Irons vs. Alabama (103), at Georgia (179), at Kentucky (103), vs. Ole Miss (101)  
**Rushed for 100 yards in three consecutive games...** Kenny Irons vs. Alabama (103), at Georgia (179), at Kentucky (103), 2005  
**Rushed for 100 yards in consecutive games...** Kenny Irons vs. Alabama (103), at Georgia (179), 2005  
**Rushed for 150 yards in three consecutive games...** Carnell Williams vs. Tennessee (185), at Arkansas (150), vs. Mississippi State (164), 2003  
**Rushed for 150 yards in consecutive games...** Kenny Irons at Arkansas (182), at LSU (218), 2005  
**Rushed for 4 or more TDs in a game...** Carnell Williams vs. Mississippi State, 2003 (6)  
**Rushed for 3 or more TDs in a game...** Kenny Irons at Kentucky, 2005 (3)  
**Rushed for 2 or more TDs in four consecutive games...** Carnell Williams vs. Western Carolina (2), vs. Vanderbilt (2), at Miss. State (2), vs. Syracuse (2), 2002  
**Rushed for 2 or more TDs in three consecutive games...** Ronnie Brown at Florida (2), vs. LSU (2), at Ole Miss (3), 2002  
**Passed for 400 yards in a game...** Ben Leard at Georgia, 1999 (416)  
**Passed for 300 yards in a game...** Brandon Cox, 2005 (342)  
**Attempted 50 passes in a game...** Dameyune Craig vs. Mississippi State, 1997 (54)  
**Attempted 40 passes in a game...** Brandon Cox at LSU, 2005 (40)  
**Threw five TDs in a game...** Daniel Cobb vs. Louisiana Tech, 2001 (5)  
**Threw four TDs in a game...** Daniel Cobb vs. Louisiana Tech, 2001 (5)  
**Threw three TDs in a game...** Brandon Cox vs. Tulane, 2006 (3)  
**Had 400 yards total offense in a game...** Jason Campbell vs. Tennessee, 2004 (431)  
**Had 300 yards total offense in a game...** Brandon Cox, vs. Georgia Tech 2005 (311)  
**Accounted for four or more TDs in a game...** Carnell Williams vs. Mississippi State, 2003 (6)  
**Accounted for three or more TDs in a game...** Kenny Irons at Kentucky, 2005 (3)  
**Caught 15 passes in a game...** Willie Gosha vs. Arkansas, 1995 (17)

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**Caught 10 or more passes in a game...** Ronney Daniels vs. Central Florida, 1999 (10)  
**Caught seven or more passes in a game...** Courtney Taylor at Ole Miss, 2006 (8)  
**Had 200 or more yards receiving in a game...** Ronney Daniels at Georgia, 1999 (249)  
**Had 150 or more yards receiving in a game...** Ben Obomanu vs. Ole Miss, 2003 (150)  
**Had 100 or more yards receiving in a game...** Courtney Taylor vs. Arkansas State (116)  
**Had 100 yards receiving in consecutive games...** Courtney Taylor at Ole Miss (108); vs. Arkansas State (116), 2006  
**Caught four or more TD passes in a game...** Alexander Wright vs. Pacific, 1987 (4)  
**Caught three or more TD passes in a game...** Alexander Wright vs. Pacific 1987, (4)  
**Caught two or more TD passes in a game...** Ben Obomanu vs. Louisiana Tech, 2004 (2)  
**Scored 15 or more points kicking...** John Vaughn vs. Washington State, 2006 (16)  
**Scored 10 or more points kicking...** John Vaughn at Ole Miss, 2006 (11)  
**Kicked five or more field goals in a game...** Jaret Holmes vs. UAB, 1996 (5)  
**Kicked four or more field goals in a game...** John Vaughn vs. Florida, 2006 (4)  
**Scored four or more TDs...** Carnell Williams vs. Mississippi State, 2003 (6 rush)  
**Scored three or more TDs...** Kenny Irons at Kentucky, 2005 (3 rush)  
**Scored a rushing and receiving TD in a game...** Carl Stewart vs. Nebraska [AT&T Cotton], 2007  
**Had an 80-yard run...** Carnell Williams vs. Alabama, 2003 (80)  
**Had a 70-yard run...** Tristan Davis at Kentucky, 2005 (75)  
**Had a 60-yard run...** Tristan Davis at Kentucky, 2005 (75)  
**Completed an 80-yard pass...** Jason Campbell to Silas Daniels vs. Louisiana Tech, 2004 (87)  
**Completed a 70-yard pass...** Daniel Cobb to Marcel Willis vs. Syracuse, 2002 (75)  
**Completed a 60-yard pass...** Brandon Cox to Devin Aromashodu at Georgia, 2005 (62)  
**Kicked a field goal of 50 or more yards...** John Vaughn at Mississippi State, 2006 (55)  
**Kicked a field goal of 50 or more yards in consecutive games...** John Vaughn, 2006; at Mississippi State (55), vs. Washington State (52)  
**Kicked two field goals of 50 or more yards in a game...** Win Lyle vs. Tennessee, 1987 [55, 52]  
**Had a 70-yard punt...** Kody Bliss vs. Tulane, 2006 (71)  
**Had a 60-yard punt...** Kody Bliss vs. Tulane, 2006 (71)  
**Blocked a field goal in a game...** Marquis Gunn at Mississippi State, 2006  
**Blocked two field goals in a game...** Alton Moore at Georgia, 2001  
**Blocked a PAT attempt ...** Charles Dorsey vs. LSU, 1998 (2)  
**Blocked two PAT attempts ...** Charles Dorsey vs. LSU, 1998 (2)  
**Blocked a punt in a game...** Jerraud Powers vs. Florida, 2006  
**Blocked two punts in a game...** Justin Fetsko vs. Louisiana-Monroe, 2003 (2)  
**Intercepted three or more passes in a game...** Junior Rosegreen at Tennessee, 2004 (4)  
**Intercepted two or more passes in a game...** Junior Rosegreen at Tennessee, 2004 (4)  
**Recovered two fumbles in a game...** Sen'Derrick Marks at Alabama, 2006 (2)  
**Forced two fumbles in a game...** Quentin Groves at Alabama, 2006 (2)

### **An Auburn Opponent**

**Scored 50 or more points...** Georgia, 1996 (56) [4 OT]  
**Scored 40 or more points...** Arkansas, 2001 (42)  
**Had 350 or more yards rushing...** Arkansas, 2002 (426)  
**Had 300 or more yards rushing...** Arkansas, 2002 (426)  
**Had 250 or more yards rushing...** Arkansas, 2006 (279)  
**Had 50 or more rushing attempts...** at Syracuse, 2001 (52)  
**Had 400 yards passing...** Louisiana Tech, 2000 (433)  
**Had 350 yards passing...** Tennessee, 2003 (355)  
**Had 300 yards passing...** Wisconsin, 2006 (301)  
**Had 50 or more pass attempts...** Louisiana Tech, 2001 (52)  
**Had 40 or more pass attempts...** Kentucky, 2005 (43)  
**Had 30 or more pass completions...** Tennessee, 2003 (30)  
**Had 25 or more pass completions...** Kentucky, 2005 (26)  
**Had four or more TDs passing...** Florida, 2000 [SEC Championship] (4)  
**Had three or more TDs passing...** Ole Miss, 2002 (3)  
**Had five passes intercepted...** Tennessee, 2004 (5)  
**Had four passes intercepted...** LSU, 2002 (4)  
**Had 600 yards total offense...** Florida, 1996 (625)  
**Had 500 yards total offense...** Wisconsin, 2006 (548)  
**Had 400 yards total offense...** Georgia, 2006 (446)  
**Had five or more fumbles...** South Carolina, 2005 (5)  
**Lost four or more fumbles...** at Mississippi State, 2002 (4)  
**Returned a punt for a TD...** LSU, 2005 (Skyler Green, 66 yards)

**Returned a kickoff for a TD...** Alabama, 2003 (Brandon Brooks, 96 yards)  
**Returned an interception for a TD...** Georgia, 2003 (Odell Thurman) (99 yards)  
**Returned a fumble for a TD...** Arkansas, 1997 (C.J. McLain) (52 yards)  
**Blocked an Auburn punt...** Georgia, 2004  
**Blocked an Auburn field goal...** Penn State [Capital One], 2003 (Derek Wake)  
**Held Auburn to 300 yards total offense...** Nebraska [AT&T Cotton], 2007 (178)  
**Held Auburn to 200 yards total offense...** Nebraska [AT&T Cotton], 2007 (178)  
**Held Auburn below 100 yards rushing...** Nebraska [AT&T Cotton], 2007 (67)  
**Held Auburn below 50 yards rushing...** Georgia Tech, 2003 (40)  
**Held Auburn to negative yards rushing...** Tennessee, 1997 (-15)  
**Held Auburn below 100 yards passing...** Georgia, 2006 (35)  
**Held Auburn to 10 or less first downs...** Georgia, 2006 (9)  
**Had 10 or more penalties...** Alabama, 2005 (12)  
**Had 100 or more yards in penalties...** Ole Miss, 2004 (104)  
**Had two 100-yard rushers in a game...** Arkansas, 2006 [Darren McFadden, 145; Felix Jones, 104]  
**Had two 100-yard receivers in a game...** Tulane, 2006 [Preston Brown, 139; Damarcus Davis, 126]  
**Had a 100-yard rusher and a 100-yard receiver...** Tulane, 2006 [Matt Forte, 117; Preston Brown, 139 rec.; Damarcus Davis, 126 rec.]  
**Had a 100-yard rusher and two 100-yard receivers...** Tulane, 2006 [Matt Forte, 117; Preston Brown, 139 rec.; Damarcus Davis, 126 rec.]  
**Did Not Have a Turnover ...** vs. Buffalo, 2006  
**Scored a safety...** Alabama, 2003 (Anthony Bryant tackles Carnell Williams)  
**Scored a two-point conversion...** Alabama, 2005  
**Had 35 minutes time of possession...** Georgia, 2006 (38:12)

### **An Opposing Player**

**Rushed for 200 yards in a game...** Brian Calhoun, Wisconsin, 2006 (213)  
**Rushed for 150 yards in a game...** Brian Calhoun, Wisconsin, 2006 (213)  
**Rushed for 100 yards in a game...** Kregg Lumpkin, Georgia, 2006 (105)  
**Passed for 400 yards in a game...** Luke McCown, La. Tech, 2000 (433)  
**Passed for 350 yards in a game...** Casen Clausen, Tennessee, 2003 (355)  
**Passed for 300 yards in a game...** John Stocco, Wisconsin, 2006 (301)  
**Attempted 50 passes in a game...** Luke McCown, La. Tech, 2001 (52)  
**Attempted 40 passes in a game...** Andre' Woodson, Kentucky, 2005 (43)  
**Completed 25 passes in a game...** Andre' Woodson, Kentucky, 2005 (26)  
**Threw three or more TD passes in a game...** Matt Mauck, LSU, 2003 (3)  
**Had 400 yards total offense...** Luke McCown, La. Tech, 2000 (436)  
**Had 350 yards total offense...** Luke McCown, La. Tech, 2001 (381)  
**Accounted for 3 or more TDs...** Matt Mauck, LSU, 2003 (3)  
**Caught 10 or more passes...** Michael Johnson, Georgia, 2002 (13)  
**Caught seven or more passes...** Preston Brown, Tulane, 2006 (9); Damarcus Davis, Tulane, 2006 (8)  
**Had 100 yards receiving...** Nikita Stover, Alabama, 2006 (101)  
**Had 200 yards receiving...** Charles Lee, Central Florida, 1999 (203)  
**Caught three or more TD passes...** Chris Collins, Ole Miss, 2002 (3)  
**Scored three TDs...** Chris Collins, Ole Miss, 2002 (3 receiving)  
**Had a 90-yard run...** Guy Minor, LSU, 1936 (90)  
**Had an 80-yard run...** Fred Talley, Arkansas, 2002 (80) [TD]  
**Had a 70-yard run...** Nick Turner, Mississippi State, 2003 (77) [TD]  
**Had a 60-yard run...** Darren McFadden, Arkansas, 2006 (63)  
**Completed an 80-yard pass...** Bryan Randall to Josh Morgan, Virginia Tech, 2004 (80) [TD]  
**Completed a 70-yard pass...** Bryan Randall to Josh Morgan, Virginia Tech, 2004 (80) [TD]  
**Completed a 60-yard pass...** Andre' Woodson to Rafael Little, Kentucky, 2005 (65)  
**Kicked a 50-yard field goal...** Steve Lindsey, Ole Miss, 1997 (52)  
**Had a 70-yard punt...** Tom Malone, Southern California, 2003 (70)  
**Had a 60-yard punt...** Donnie Jones, LSU, 2003 (67)  
**Made three or more FGs ...** Brandon Coutu, Georgia, 2005 (3)