

Scoring Summary (Final)
2012 Discover Orange Bowl
West Virginia vs Clemson (Jan 04, 2012 at Miami Gardens, FL)

West Virginia (10-3,5-2) vs. Clemson (10-4,6-2)

Date: Jan 04, 2012 • Site: Miami Gardens, FL • Stadium: Sun Life Stadium

Attendance: 67563

Score by Quarters	1	2	3	4	Total
West Virginia	14	35	14	7	70
Clemson	17	3	6	7	33

Qtr	Time	Scoring Play	V-H
1st	09:33	CU - Andre Ellington 68 yd run (Chandler Catanzaro kick), 6-96 1:39	0 - 7
	06:54	WVU - ALSTON, Shawne 4 yd run (BITANCURT, Tyle kick), 8-72 2:39	7 - 7
	04:38	CU - Sammy Watkins 27 yd pass from Tajh Boyd (Chandler Catanzaro kick), 9-62 2:16	7 - 14
	02:49	WVU - AUSTIN, Tavon 8 yd pass from SMITH, Geno (BITANCURT, Tyle kick), 6-57 1:49	14 - 14
	00:45	CU - Chandler Catanzaro 42 yd field goal, 6-40 2:04	14 - 17
2nd	13:25	WVU - AUSTIN, Tavon 27 yd pass from SMITH, Geno (BITANCURT, Tyle kick), 9-80 2:20	21 - 17
	10:28	WVU - COOK, Darwin 99 yd fumble recovery (BITANCURT, Tyle kick)	28 - 17
	04:49	CU - Chandler Catanzaro 43 yd field goal, 8-56 1:36	28 - 20
	02:29	WVU - SMITH, Geno 7 yd run (BITANCURT, Tyle kick), 6-64 2:20	35 - 20
	01:13	WVU - AUSTIN, Tavon 3 yd pass from SMITH, Geno (BITANCURT, Tyle kick), 3-32 0:52	42 - 20
	00:04	WVU - ALSTON, Shawne 1 yd run (BITANCURT, Tyle kick), 5-22 0:58	49 - 20
3rd	12:35	WVU - BAILEY, Stedman 6 yd pass from SMITH, Geno (BITANCURT, Tyle kick), 7-73 2:25	56 - 20
	09:18	WVU - AUSTIN, Tavon 37 yd pass from SMITH, Geno (BITANCURT, Tyle kick), 5-74 2:25	63 - 20
	01:37	CU - DeAndre Hopkins 28 yd pass from Tajh Boyd (Tajh Boyd pass failed), 5-41 1:39	63 - 26
4th	06:21	WVU - MILHOUSE, Willie 7 yd pass from SMITH, Geno (BITANCURT, Tyle kick), 12-66 6:14	70 - 26
	01:01	CU - Roderick McDowell 4 yd run (Chandler Catanzaro kick), 6-39 1:55	70 - 33

Kickoff time: 8:30 • End of Game: 12:18 • Total elapsed time: 3:48

Officials: Referee: D.Witvoet; Umpire: J.Krogstad; Linesman: M.Dolce;

Line judge: D.Chesney; Back judge: K.Schwartzel; Field judge: M.Cannon;

Side judge: S.Hassel; Scorer: K.C.Colebrooke;

Temperature: 57 • Wind: NW 9 Mph • Weather: Ptly Cloudy 56 %rh

Orange Bowl MVP- Geno Smith, QB, West Virginia

Team Statistics (Final)
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	WVU	CU
FIRST DOWNS	31	24
Rushing	13	8
Passing	16	14
Penalty	2	2
NET YARDS RUSHING	188	193
Rushing Attempts	44	27
Average Per Rush	4.3	7.1
Rushing Touchdowns	3	2
Yards Gained Rushing	202	210
Yards Lost Rushing	14	17
NET YARDS PASSING	401	250
Completions-Attempts-Int	31-45-1	24-47-2
Average Per Attempt	8.9	5.3
Average Per Completion	12.9	10.4
Passing Touchdowns	6	2
TOTAL OFFENSE YARDS	589	443
Total offense plays	89	74
Average Gain Per Play	6.6	6.0
Fumbles: Number-Lost	0-0	2-2
Penalties: Number-Yards	4-40	6-65
PUNTS-YARDS	5-175	6-238
Average Yards Per Punt	35.0	39.7
Net Yards Per Punt	35.0	40.0
Inside 20	2	2
50+ Yards	0	0
Touchbacks	0	0
Fair catch	1	2
KICKOFFS-YARDS	11-597	7-407
Average Yards Per Kickoff	54.3	58.1
Net Yards Per Kickoff	37.0	38.6
Touchbacks	0	1
Punt returns: Number-Yards-TD	1--2-0	1-0-0
Average Per Return	-2.0	0.0
Kickoff returns: Number-Yds-TD	5-117-0	10-190-0
Average Per Return	23.4	19.0
Interceptions: Number-Yds-TD	2-24-0	1-24-0
Fumble Returns: Number-Yds-TD	2-103-1	0-0-0
Miscellaneous Yards	0	0
Possession Time	36:55	23:05
1st Quarter	7:51	7:09
2nd Quarter	8:34	6:26
3rd Quarter	9:44	5:16
4th Quarter	10:46	4:14
Third-Down Conversions	10 of 16	3 of 13
Fourth-Down Conversions	0 of 0	2 of 2
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	7-7	1-2
Touchdowns	7-7	1-2
Field goals	0-7	0-2
Sacks By: Number-Yards	3-14	0-0
PAT Kicks	10-10	3-3
Field Goals	0-0	2-2

Individual Statistics (Final)
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West Virginia

Rushing	No.	Gain	Loss	Net	TD	Lg	Avg
ALSTON, Shawne	20	78	1	77	2	11	3.8
AUSTIN, Tavon	4	46	0	46	0	23	11.5
BUIE, Andrew	13	52	7	45	0	11	3.5
SMITH, Geno	5	26	0	26	1	8	5.2
TEAM	2	0	6	-6	0	0	-3.0
Totals	44	202	14	188	3	23	4.3

Passing	C-A-I	Yds	TD	Long	Sack
SMITH, Geno	31-42-0	401	6	37	0
MILLARD, Paul	0-3-1	0	0	0	0
Totals	31-45-1	401	6	37	0

Receiving	No.	Yards	TD	Long
AUSTIN, Tavon	11	117	4	37
BAILEY, Stedman	5	82	1	30
BROWN, Devon	5	71	0	33
BUIE, Andrew	4	32	0	17
MILHOUSE, Willie	3	71	1	34
MCCARTNEY, Ivan	2	13	0	9
WOODS, J.D.	1	15	0	15
Totals	31	401	6	37

Punting	No.	Yds	Avg	Long	In20	TB
SMITH, Corey	5	175	35.0	48	2	0
Totals	5	175	35.0	48	2	0

Returns	Punt			Kickoff			Intercept		
	No	Yds	Lg	No	Yds	Lg	No	Yds	Lg
BROWN, Devon	1	-2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
MILLER, Pat	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	6	6
TANDY, Keith	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	18	18
AUSTIN, Tavon	0	0	0	5	117	36	0	0	0
Totals	1	-2	0	5	117	36	2	24	18

Field goals	Qtr	Time	Dist	Result

Kickoffs	No.	Yards	Avg	TB	OB
BITANCURT, Tyle	5	224	44.8	0	1
SMITH, Corey	6	373	62.2	0	0

All-purpose	Run	Rcv	KR	PR	IR	Total
AUSTIN, Tavon	46	117	117	0	0	280
BAILEY, Stedman	0	82	0	0	0	82
ALSTON, Shawne	77	0	0	0	0	77
BUIE, Andrew	45	32	0	0	0	77

Clemson

Rushing	No.	Gain	Loss	Net	TD	Lg	Avg
Andre Ellington	10	119	3	116	1	68	11.6
Roderick McDowell	4	34	0	34	1	14	8.5
Tajh Boyd	10	46	14	32	0	24	3.2
Cole Stoudt	1	5	0	5	0	5	5.0
D.J. Howard	1	4	0	4	0	4	4.0
Sammy Watkins	1	2	0	2	0	2	2.0
Totals	27	210	17	193	2	68	7.1

Passing	C-A-I	Yds	TD	Long	Sack
Tajh Boyd	24-46-2	250	2	28	3
Cole Stoudt	0-1-0	0	0	0	0
Totals	24-47-2	250	2	28	3

Receiving	No.	Yards	TD	Long
DeAndre Hopkins	10	107	1	28
Sammy Watkins	5	66	1	27
Jaron Brown	2	24	0	15
Dwayne Allen	2	21	0	15
Martavis Bryant	2	20	0	14
Adam Humphries	2	12	0	9
Brandon Ford	1	0	0	0
Totals	24	250	2	28

Punting	No.	Yds	Avg	Long	In20	TB
Dawson Zimmerman	6	238	39.7	48	2	0
Totals	6	238	39.7	48	2	0

Returns	Punt			Kickoff			Intercept		
	No	Yds	Lg	No	Yds	Lg	No	Yds	Lg
DeAndre Hopkins	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sammy Watkins	0	0	0	7	143	38	0	0	0
Jaron Brown	0	0	0	2	36	21	0	0	0
Chad Diehl	0	0	0	1	11	11	0	0	0
Rashard Hall	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	24	24
Totals	1	0	0	10	190	38	1	24	24

Field goals	Qtr	Time	Dist	Result
Chandler Catanzaro	1st	00:45	42 yards	Good
Chandler Catanzaro	2nd	04:49	43 yards	Good

Kickoffs	No.	Yards	Avg	TB	OB
Spencer Benton	5	326	65.2	1	0
Chandler Catanzaro	2	81	40.5	0	1

All-purpose	Run	Rcv	KR	PR	IR	Total
Sammy Watkins	2	66	143	0	0	211
Andre Ellington	116	0	0	0	0	116
DeAndre Hopkins	0	107	0	0	0	107
Jaron Brown	0	24	36	0	0	60

FUMBLES: West Virginia-None. Clemson-Andre Ellington 1-1; Tajh Boyd 1-1.

Defensive Statistics (Final)
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##	West Virginia	Solo	Ast	Total	Sacks-Yds	TFL-Yds	FF	FR-Yds	Int-Yds	BrUp	Blks	QBH
24	SMITH, Eain	11	1	12	-	0.5-1	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	TANDY, Keith	6	0	6	-	-	-	-	1-18	-	-	-
33	BARBER, Jared	5	1	6	-	1.0-2	-	-	-	2	-	-
23	JENKINS, Brodrick	5	0	5	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-
25	COOK, Darwin	2	2	4	-	-	-	1-99	-	-	-	-
52	GOODE, Najee	2	1	3	1.0-5	1.5-5	-	1-4	-	1	-	-
49	GLOSTER, Troy	2	0	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
34	BANKS, Ishmael	2	0	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
85	MILHOUSE, Willie	2	0	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
6	MILLER, Pat	2	0	2	-	-	-	-	1-6	-	-	-
11	IRVIN, Bruce	2	0	2	1.0-7	1.0-7	1	-	-	-	-	-
97	MILLER, Julian	2	0	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
98	CLARKE, Will	1	0	1	1.0-2	1.0-2	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	BAILEY, Stedman	1	0	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
99	WRIGHT, Jorge	1	0	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
46	MORO, Matt	1	0	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
29	GARRISON, Dustin	1	0	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
90	ROWELL, Shaq	1	0	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
47	RIGG, Doug	0	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Totals		49	6	55	3.0-14	5.0-17	1	2-103	2-24	4	0	0

##	Clemson	Solo	Ast	Total	Sacks-Yds	TFL-Yds	FF	FR-Yds	Int-Yds	BrUp	Blks	QBH
31	Rashard Hall	6	2	8	-	-	-	-	1-24	-	-	-
17	Bashaud Breeland	6	1	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
42	Corico Hawkins	5	1	6	-	1.0-4	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	Jonathan Meeks	4	1	5	-	1.0-1	-	-	-	-	-	-
29	Xavier Brewer	4	1	5	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-
40	Andre Branch	4	0	4	-	1.0-2	-	-	-	-	-	-
90	Kourtnei Brown	4	0	4	-	1.0-2	-	-	-	-	-	-
46	Jonathan Willard	3	0	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
15	Coty Sensabaugh	3	0	3	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-
93	Corey Crawford	2	1	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
97	Malliciah Goodman	2	0	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
94	Rennie Moore	2	0	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2	Sammy Watkins	2	0	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
33	Spencer Shuey	1	0	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
6B	Tavaris Barnes	1	0	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
83	Dwayne Allen	1	0	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
14	Martin Jenkins	1	0	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
21	Darius Robinson	1	0	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
13	Spencer Benton	1	0	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
41	Daniel Andrews	1	0	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
43	Tyler Shatley	1	0	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
98	Brandon Thompson	1	0	1	-	1.0-5	-	-	-	-	-	-
34	Quandon Christian	0	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Totals		56	8	64	0.0-0	5.0-14	0	0-0	1-24	3	0	0

Play-by-Play Summary (1st quarter)

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WVU Captains 8 K.Tandy, 12 G.Smith, 52 N.Goode, 74 J.Madsen
 CU Captain's 15 C.Sensabaugh, 26 M.Jones, 30 C.Diehl, 40 A.Branch
 WVU wins toss; defers; Clemson will receive and defend East goal

BITANCURT, Tyle kickoff 49 yards to the CU21, out-of-bounds, CU ball on CU40.
 1-10 CU 40 ELLINGTON rush for no gain to the CU40.
 2-10 CU 40 WATKINS rush for 2 yards to the CU42 (SMITH, Eain).
 3-8 CU 42 BOYD pass incomplete to JA. BROWN, dropped pass.
 4-8 CU 42 ZIMMERMAN punt 35 yards to the WVU23, fair catch by BROWN, Devon.
3 plays, 2 yards, 1:10

WEST VIRGINIA drive start at 13:50.

1-10 WVU 23 AUSTIN, Tavon rush for 11 yards to the WVU34, 1ST DOWN WVU (MEEKS;HALL). R1
 1-10 WVU 34 SMITH, Geno pass complete to AUSTIN, Tavon for 7 yards to the WVU41 (HAWKINS).
 2-3 WVU 41 ALSTON, Shawne rush for 4 yards to the WVU45, 1ST DOWN WVU (BRANCH). R2
 1-10 WVU 45 ALSTON, Shawne rush for 3 yards to the WVU48 (BREWER).
 2-7 WVU 48 SMITH, Geno pass incomplete to BAILEY, Stedman.
 3-7 WVU 48 SMITH, Geno pass incomplete to BROWN, Devon.
 4-7 WVU 48 SMITH, Corey punt 48 yards to the CU4, downed.
6 plays, 25 yards, 2:38

CLEMSON drive start at 11:12.

1-10 CU 04 ELLINGTON rush for loss of 1 yard to the CU3 (SMITH, Eain;GOODE, Najee).
 2-11 CU 03 BOYD pass complete to HOPKINS for 13 yards to the CU16, 1ST DOWN CU (BARBER, Jared). P1
 1-10 CU 16 ELLINGTON rush for 1 yard to the CU17 (SMITH, Eain).
 2-9 CU 17 BOYD pass complete to ALLEN for 15 yards to the CU32, 1ST DOWN CU (BARBER, Jared;COOK, Darwin). P2
 1-10 CU 32 BOYD pass incomplete to JA. BROWN.
 2-10 CU 32 ELLINGTON rush for 68 yards to the WVU0, 1ST DOWN CU, TOUCHDOWN, clock 09:33. R3
 1-G WVU 03 CATANZARO kick attempt good.

Clemson 7, West Virginia 0

6 plays, 96 yards, 1:39

CATANZARO kickoff 55 yards to the WVU15, AUSTIN, Tavon return 13 yards to the WVU28 (SHUEY).

WEST VIRGINIA drive start at 09:33.

1-10 WVU 28 ALSTON, Shawne rush for 7 yards to the WVU35 (BRANCH).
 2-3 WVU 35 SMITH, Geno rush for 3 yards to the WVU38, 1ST DOWN WVU. R3
 1-10 WVU 38 SMITH, Geno pass incomplete to AUSTIN, Tavon.
 2-10 WVU 38 SMITH, Geno pass complete to BROWN, Devon for 33 yards to the CU29, 1ST DOWN WVU (SENSABAUGH). P4
 1-10 CU 29 BUIE, Andrew rush for 3 yards to the CU26 (BRANCH).
 2-7 CU 26 SMITH, Geno pass complete to BUIE, Andrew for 16 yards to the CU10, 1ST DOWN WVU (BREELAND). P5
 1-G CU 10 AUSTIN, Tavon rush for 6 yards to the CU4.
 2-G CU 04 ALSTON, Shawne rush for 4 yards to the CU0, TOUCHDOWN, clock 06:54.
 1-G CU 03 BITANCURT, Tyle kick attempt good.

Clemson 7, West Virginia 7

8 plays, 72 yards, 2:39

SMITH, Corey kickoff 54 yards to the CU16, WATKINS return 22 yards to the CU38 (SMITH, Eain).

CLEMSON drive start at 06:54.

1-10 CU 38 BOYD pass complete to WATKINS for 12 yards to the 50 yardline, 1ST DOWN CU (SMITH, Eain). P4
 1-10 CU 50 ELLINGTON rush for 4 yards to the WVU46 (MILLER, Julian).
 2-6 WVU 46 BOYD pass incomplete to WATKINS.
 3-6 WVU 46 BOYD pass complete to HOPKINS for 8 yards to the WVU38, 1ST DOWN CU (TANDY, Keith). P5
 1-10 WVU 38 BOYD pass incomplete to ALLEN.
 2-10 WVU 38 BOYD pass incomplete to WATKINS.
 3-10 WVU 38 BOYD pass complete to HOPKINS for 9 yards to the WVU29 (TANDY, Keith).
 4-1 WVU 29 BOYD rush for 2 yards to the WVU27, 1ST DOWN CU (BARBER, Jared). R6
 1-10 WVU 27 BOYD pass complete to WATKINS for 27 yards to the WVU0, 1ST DOWN CU, TOUCHDOWN, clock 04:38. P7
 1-G WVU 03 CATANZARO kick attempt good.

Clemson 14, West Virginia 7

9 plays, 62 yards, 2:16

BENTON kickoff 63 yards to the WVU7, AUSTIN, Tavon return 36 yards to the WVU43 (MEEKS).

WEST VIRGINIA drive start at 04:38.

1-10 WVU 43 SMITH, Geno pass complete to MILHOUSE, Willi for 34 yards to the CU23, 1ST DOWN WVU (SENSABAUGH). P6
 1-10 CU 23 SMITH, Geno pass incomplete to BROWN, Devon.
 2-10 CU 23 ALSTON, Shawne rush for 3 yards to the CU20 (SHATLEY).
 3-7 CU 20 SMITH, Geno rush for 8 yards to the CU12, 1ST DOWN WVU, out-of-bounds. R7
 1-10 CU 12 Timeout Clemson, clock 03:17.

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1-10 CU 12 SMITH, Geno pass complete to MCCARTNEY, Ivan for 4 yards to the CU8 (BREELAND). P8
 2-6 CU 08 SMITH, Geno pass complete to AUSTIN, Tavon for 8 yards to the CU0, 1ST DOWN WVU,
 TOUCHDOWN, clock 02:49.
 1-G CU 03 BITANCURT, Tyle kick attempt good.

Clemson 14, West Virginia 14

6 plays, 57 yards, 1:49

SMITH, Corey kickoff 55 yards to the CU15, WATKINS return 20 yards to the CU35 (MORO, Matt).

CLEMSON drive start at 02:49.

1-10 CU 35 BOYD pass complete to JA. BROWN for 15 yards to the 50 yardline, 1ST DOWN CU. P8
 1-10 CU 50 BOYD pass complete to HOPKINS for 4 yards to the WVU46 (JENKINS, B).
 2-6 WVU 46 BOYD pass incomplete to HOPKINS, PENALTY WVU pass interference (SMITH, Eain) 15 yards to X9
 the WVU31, 1ST DOWN CU, NO PLAY.
 1-10 WVU 31 BOYD rush for 3 yards to the WVU28 (COOK, Darwin;RIGG, Doug).
 2-7 WVU 28 ELLINGTON rush for 3 yards to the WVU25 (GOODE, Najee).
 3-4 WVU 25 BOYD pass incomplete to ALLEN (BARBER, Jared).
 4-4 WVU 25 CATANZARO field goal attempt from 42 GOOD, clock 00:45.

Clemson 17, West Virginia 14

6 plays, 40 yards, 2:04

BENTON kickoff 70 yards to the WVU0, touchback.

WEST VIRGINIA drive start at 00:45.

1-10 WVU 20 SMITH, Geno pass incomplete to BUIE, Andrew.
 2-10 WVU 20 SMITH, Geno pass incomplete to BAILEY, Stedman (BREWER).
 3-10 WVU 20 SMITH, Geno pass complete to BAILEY, Stedman for 13 yards to the WVU33, 1ST DOWN WVU P9
 (HALL).
 1-10 WVU 33 ALSTON, Shawne rush for 8 yards to the WVU41 (MEEKS).

END OF 1st QUARTER: Clemson 17, West Virginia 14

Quarter Summary	Score	Time Poss	1st Downs				Conversions		Rushing	Passing	Penalties
			R	P	X	T	3rd	4th			
West Virginia	14	07:51	4	5	0	9	1-2	0-0	11-60	7-13-0-115	1-15
Clemson	17	07:09	2	6	1	9	1-4	1-1	9-82	8-14-0-103	0-0

Quickie Statistics (1st quarter)
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	WVU	CU
Score	14	17
FIRST DOWNS	9	9
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	11-60	9-82
PASSING YDS (NET)	115	103
Passes Att-Comp-Int	13-7-0	14-8-0
TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS	24-175	23-185
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punt Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Kickoff Returns-Yards	2-49	2-42
Interception Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punts (Number-Avg)	1-48.0	1-35.0
Fumbles-Lost	0-0	0-0
Penalties-Yards	1-15	0-0
Possession Time	07:51	07:09
Third-Down Conversions	2 of 3	1 of 4
Fourth-Down Conversions	0 of 0	1 of 1
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	2-2	0-0

West Virginia

Rushing	No.	Gain	Loss	Net	TD	Lg	Avg
ALSTON, Shawne	6	29	0	29	1	8	4.8
AUSTIN, Tavon	2	17	0	17	0	11	8.5
SMITH, Geno	2	11	0	11	0	8	5.5
BUIE, Andrew	1	3	0	3	0	3	3.0

Passing	C-A-I	Yds	TD	Long	Sack
SMITH, Geno	7-13-0	115	1	34	0

Receiving	No.	Yards	TD	Long
AUSTIN, Tavon	2	15	1	8
MILHOUSE, Willie	1	34	0	34
BROWN, Devon	1	33	0	33
BUIE, Andrew	1	16	0	16

Punting	No.	Yds	Avg	Long	In20	TB
SMITH, Corey	1	48	48.0	48	1	0

Punt Returns	No.	Yards	TD	Long

Kick Returns	No.	Yards	TD	Long
AUSTIN, Tavon	2	49	0	36

Tackles	UA-A	Total	Sacks	TFL
SMITH, Eain	4-1	5	0.0	0.5
BARBER, Jared	2-1	3	0.0	0.0
TANDY, Keith	2-0	2	0.0	0.0
GOODE, Najee	1-1	2	0.0	0.5

Clemson

Rushing	No.	Gain	Loss	Net	TD	Lg	Avg
Andre Ellington	6	76	1	75	1	68	12.5
Tajh Boyd	2	5	0	5	0	3	2.5
Sammy Watkins	1	2	0	2	0	2	2.0

Passing	C-A-I	Yds	TD	Long	Sack
Tajh Boyd	8-14-0	103	1	27	0

Receiving	No.	Yards	TD	Long
DeAndre Hopkins	4	34	0	13
Sammy Watkins	2	39	1	27
Dwayne Allen	1	15	0	15
Jaron Brown	1	15	0	15

Punting	No.	Yds	Avg	Long	In20	TB
Dawson Zimmerman	1	35	35.0	35	0	0

Punt Returns	No.	Yards	TD	Long

Kick Returns	No.	Yards	TD	Long
Sammy Watkins	2	42	0	22

Tackles	UA-A	Total	Sacks	TFL
Andre Branch	3-0	3	0.0	0.0
Jonathan Meeks	2-1	3	0.0	0.0
Coty Sensabaugh	2-0	2	0.0	0.0
Bashaud Breeland	2-0	2	0.0	0.0

Qtr	Time	Scoring Play	V-H
1st	09:33	CU - Andre Ellington 68 yd run (Chandler Catanzaro kick), 6-96 1:39	0 - 7
	06:54	WVU - ALSTON, Shawne 4 yd run (BITANCURT, Tyle kick), 8-72 2:39	7 - 7
	04:38	CU - Sammy Watkins 27 yd pass from Tajh Boyd (Chandler Catanzaro kick), 9-62 2:16	7 - 14
	02:49	WVU - AUSTIN, Tavon 8 yd pass from SMITH, Geno (BITANCURT, Tyle kick), 6-57 1:49	14 - 14
	00:45	CU - Chandler Catanzaro 42 yd field goal, 6-40 2:04	14 - 17

Play-by-Play Summary (2nd quarter)
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2-2	WVU 41	Start of 2nd quarter, clock 15:00.	
2-2	WVU 41	ALSTON, Shawne rush for 3 yards to the WVU44, 1ST DOWN WVU (HALL).	R10
1-10	WVU 44	BUIE, Andrew rush for 2 yards to the WVU46 (HALL).	
2-8	WVU 46	SMITH, Geno pass complete to WOODS, J.D. for 15 yards to the CU39, 1ST DOWN WVU, out-of-bounds.	P11
1-10	CU 39	SMITH, Geno pass complete to BROWN, Devon for 7 yards to the CU32 (JENKINS).	
2-3	CU 32	ALSTON, Shawne rush for 3 yards to the CU29 (SHATLEY), PENALTY CU substitution infraction (THOMPSON) 5 yards to the CU27, 1ST DOWN WVU, NO PLAY.	X12
1-10	CU 27	SMITH, Geno pass complete to AUSTIN, Tavon for 27 yards to the CU0, 1ST DOWN WVU, TOUCHDOWN, clock 13:25.	P13
1-G	CU 03	BITANCURT, Tyle kick attempt good.	

West Virginia 21, Clemson 17

9 plays, 80 yards, 2:20

SMITH, Corey kickoff 69 yards to the CU1, WATKINS return 23 yards to the CU24 (SMITH, Eain).

CLEMSON drive start at 13:25.

1-10	CU 24	BOYD pass complete to BRYANT for 6 yards to the CU30 (SMITH, Eain).	
2-4	CU 30	ELLINGTON rush for loss of 2 yards to the CU28 (BARBER, Jared).	
3-6	CU 28	BOYD pass complete to JA. BROWN for 9 yards to the CU37, 1ST DOWN CU (JENKINS, B), PENALTY WVU offside declined.	P10
1-10	CU 37	BOYD pass complete to HOPKINS for 10 yards to the CU47, 1ST DOWN CU (SMITH, Eain).	P11
1-10	CU 47	ELLINGTON rush for 39 yards to the WVU14, 1ST DOWN CU (SMITH, Eain).	R12
1-10	WVU 14	BOYD pass complete to HOPKINS for 7 yards to the WVU7 (COOK, Darwin).	
2-3	WVU 07	HOWARD rush for 4 yards to the WVU3, 1ST DOWN CU (BARBER, Jared).	R13
1-G	WVU 03	ELLINGTON rush for 2 yards to the WVU1, fumble by ELLINGTON recovered by WVU COOK, Darwin at WVU1, COOK, Darwin for 99 yards to the CU0, TOUCHDOWN, clock 10:28.	

8 plays, 75 yards, 2:57

1-G CU 03 BITANCURT, Tyle kick attempt good.

West Virginia 28, Clemson 17

SMITH, Corey kickoff 68 yards to the CU2, WATKINS return 23 yards to the CU25 (MILHOUSE, Willi), PENALTY CU holding (R. SMITH) 10 yards to the CU15, 1st and 10, CU ball on CU15.

CLEMSON drive start at 10:28.

1-10	CU 15	ELLINGTON rush for 2 yards to the CU17 (BARBER, Jared).	
2-8	CU 17	BOYD pass complete to WATKINS for 5 yards to the CU22.	
3-3	CU 22	BOYD pass incomplete to ELLINGTON.	
4-3	CU 22	ZIMMERMAN punt 43 yards to the WVU35, downed.	

3 plays, 7 yards, 1:14

WEST VIRGINIA drive start at 09:14.

1-10	WVU 35	SMITH, Geno pass complete to AUSTIN, Tavon for 1 yard to the WVU36 (BREWER).	
2-9	WVU 36	BUIE, Andrew rush for 8 yards to the WVU44 (HALL).	
3-1	WVU 44	SMITH, Geno rush for 1 yard to the WVU45, 1ST DOWN WVU, out-of-bounds.	R14
1-10	WVU 45	SMITH, Geno pass incomplete to MCCARTNEY, Ivan (SENSABAUGH).	
2-10	WVU 45	SMITH, Geno pass complete to BUIE, Andrew for loss of 4 yards to the WVU41 (HAWKINS).	
3-14	WVU 41	SMITH, Geno pass complete to MCCARTNEY, Ivan for 9 yards to the 50 yardline (SENSABAUGH).	
4-5	WVU 50	SMITH, Corey punt 31 yards to the CU19, fair catch by HOPKINS.	

6 plays, 15 yards, 2:49

CLEMSON drive start at 06:25.

1-10	CU 19	BOYD pass incomplete to ALLEN (GOODE, Najee).	
2-10	CU 19	BOYD pass complete to HOPKINS for 10 yards to the CU29, 1ST DOWN CU (TANDY, Keith).	P14
1-10	CU 29	BOYD rush for 24 yards to the WVU47, 1ST DOWN CU (TANDY, Keith).	R15
1-10	WVU 47	BOYD pass complete to WATKINS for 16 yards to the WVU31, 1ST DOWN CU.	P16
1-10	WVU 31	BOYD pass complete to HOPKINS for 6 yards to the WVU25 (JENKINS, B).	
2-4	WVU 25	BOYD pass incomplete to ALLEN (BARBER, Jared).	
3-4	WVU 25	BOYD pass incomplete to HOPKINS (JENKINS, B).	
4-4	WVU 25	CATANZARO field goal attempt from 43 GOOD, clock 04:49.	

West Virginia 28, Clemson 20

8 plays, 56 yards, 1:36

BENTON kickoff 65 yards to the WVU5, AUSTIN, Tavon return 31 yards to the WVU36 (BENTON).

WEST VIRGINIA drive start at 04:49.

1-10	WVU 36	SMITH, Geno pass complete to BUIE, Andrew for 17 yards to the CU47, 1ST DOWN WVU (WILLARD).	P15
1-10	CU 47	BUIE, Andrew rush for loss of 5 yards to the WVU48 (THOMPSON).	
2-15	WVU 48	SMITH, Geno pass complete to BROWN, Devon for 12 yards to the CU40 (HAWKINS;HALL).	
3-3	CU 40	SMITH, Geno pass complete to AUSTIN, Tavon for 11 yards to the CU29, 1ST DOWN WVU (BREWER), PENALTY CU face mask (BREWER) 15 yards to the CU14, 1ST DOWN WVU, 1st and 10.	X17
1-10	CU 14	SMITH, Geno rush for 7 yards to the CU7 (BREWER).	
2-3	CU 07	SMITH, Geno rush for 7 yards to the CU0, 1ST DOWN WVU, TOUCHDOWN, clock 02:29.	R18
1-G	CU 03	BITANCURT, Tyle kick attempt good.	

Play-by-Play Summary (2nd quarter)

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West Virginia 35, Clemson 20

6 plays, 64 yards, 2:20

SMITH, Corey kickoff 64 yards to the CU6, WATKINS return 19 yards to the CU25.

CLEMSON drive start at 02:29.

1-10 CU 25 BOYD pass complete to FORD for no gain to the CU25 (COOK, Darwin).
 2-10 CU 25 BOYD pass intercepted by MILLER, Pat at the CU38, MILLER, Pat return 6 yards to the CU32 (WATKINS).

2 plays, 0 yards, 0:24

WEST VIRGINIA drive start at 02:05.

1-10 CU 32 SMITH, Geno pass complete to MILHOUSE, Willi for 30 yards to the CU2, 1ST DOWN WVU P19
 (BREELAND).
 1-G CU 02 ALSTON, Shawne rush for loss of 1 yard to the CU3 (MEEKS).
 2-G CU 03 SMITH, Geno pass complete to AUSTIN, Tavon for 3 yards to the CU0, TOUCHDOWN, clock 01:13.
 1-G CU 03 BITANCURT, Tyle kick attempt good.

West Virginia 42, Clemson 20

3 plays, 32 yards, 0:52

BITANCURT, Tyle kickoff 54 yards to the CU16, WATKINS return -2 yards to the CU14 (GARRISON, D.).

CLEMSON drive start at 01:13.

1-10 CU 14 BOYD rush for 8 yards to the CU22, fumble forced by IRVIN, Bruce, fumble by BOYD recovered by WVU GOODE, Najee at CU22, GOODE, Najee for 4 yards to the CU18.

1 play, 8 yards, 0:11

WEST VIRGINIA drive start at 01:02.

1-10 CU 18 SMITH, Geno pass complete to BROWN, Devon for 9 yards to the CU9 (MEEKS).
 2-1 CU 09 BUIE, Andrew rush for 6 yards to the CU3, 1ST DOWN WVU. R20
 1-G CU 03 BUIE, Andrew rush for loss of 2 yards to the CU5 (BRANCH).
 2-G CU 05 SMITH, Geno pass complete to AUSTIN, Tavon for 4 yards to the CU1.
 3-G CU 01 ALSTON, Shawne rush for 1 yard to the CU0, TOUCHDOWN, clock 00:04.
 1-G CU 03 BITANCURT, Tyle kick attempt good.

West Virginia 49, Clemson 20

5 plays, 18 yards, 0:58

BITANCURT, Tyle kickoff 41 yards to the CU29, DIEHL return 11 yards to the CU40 (GLOSTER, Troy).

CLEMSON drive start at 00:04.

End of half, clock 00:00.

0 plays, 0 yards, 0:04

END OF 2nd QUARTER: West Virginia 49, Clemson 20

Quarter Summary	Score	Time Poss	1st Downs				Conversions		Rushing	Passing	Penalties
			R	P	X	T	3rd	4th			
West Virginia	35	08:34	4	5	2	11	3-4	0-0	11-27	13-14-0-141	0-0
Clemson	3	06:26	3	4	0	7	1-3	0-0	7-77	9-14-1-69	3-30

Quickie Statistics (Halftime)
West Virginia vs Clemson (Jan 04, 2012 at Miami Gardens, FL)

	WVU	CU
Score	49	20
FIRST DOWNS	20	16
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	22-87	16-159
PASSING YDS (NET)	256	172
Passes Att-Comp-Int	27-20-0	28-17-1
TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS	49-343	44-331
Fumble Returns-Yards	2-103	0-0
Punt Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Kickoff Returns-Yards	3-80	7-116
Interception Returns-Yards	1-6	0-0
Punts (Number-Avg)	2-39.5	2-39.0
Fumbles-Lost	0-0	2-2
Penalties-Yards	1-15	3-30
Possession Time	16:25	13:35
Third-Down Conversions	5 of 7	2 of 7
Fourth-Down Conversions	0 of 0	1 of 1

West Virginia

Rushing	No.	Gain	Loss	Net	TD	Lg	Avg
ALSTON, Shawne	9	33	1	32	2	8	3.6
SMITH, Geno	5	26	0	26	1	8	5.2
AUSTIN, Tavon	2	17	0	17	0	11	8.5
BUIE, Andrew	6	19	7	12	0	8	2.0

Passing	C-A-I	Yds	TD	Long	Sack
SMITH, Geno	20-27-0	256	3	34	0

Receiving	No.	Yards	TD	Long
AUSTIN, Tavon	7	61	3	27
BROWN, Devon	4	61	0	33
BUIE, Andrew	3	29	0	17
MILHOUSE, Willie	2	64	0	34

Punting	No.	Yds	Avg	Long	In20	TB
SMITH, Corey	2	79	39.5	48	2	0

Punt Returns	No.	Yards	TD	Long

Kick Returns	No.	Yards	TD	Long
AUSTIN, Tavon	3	80	0	36

Tackles	UA-A	Total	Sacks	TFL
SMITH, Eain	8-1	9	0.0	0.5
BARBER, Jared	5-1	6	0.0	1.0
TANDY, Keith	4-0	4	0.0	0.0

Clemson

Rushing	No.	Gain	Loss	Net	TD	Lg	Avg
Andre Ellington	10	119	3	116	1	68	11.6
Tajh Boyd	4	37	0	37	0	24	9.2
D.J. Howard	1	4	0	4	0	4	4.0
Sammy Watkins	1	2	0	2	0	2	2.0

Passing	C-A-I	Yds	TD	Long	Sack
Tajh Boyd	17-28-1	172	1	27	0

Receiving	No.	Yards	TD	Long
DeAndre Hopkins	8	67	0	13
Sammy Watkins	4	60	1	27
Jaron Brown	2	24	0	15
Dwayne Allen	1	15	0	15

Punting	No.	Yds	Avg	Long	In20	TB
Dawson Zimmerman	2	78	39.0	43	0	0

Punt Returns	No.	Yards	TD	Long

Kick Returns	No.	Yards	TD	Long
Sammy Watkins	6	105	0	23
Chad Diehl	1	11	0	11

Tackles	UA-A	Total	Sacks	TFL
Rashard Hall	4-2	6	0.0	0.0
Jonathan Meeks	4-1	5	0.0	1.0
Andre Branch	4-0	4	0.0	1.0

Qtr	Time	Scoring Play	V-H
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	06:54	WVU - ALSTON, Shawne 4 yd run (BITANCURT, Tyle kick), 8-72 2:39	7 - 7
	04:38	CU - Sammy Watkins 27 yd pass from Tajh Boyd (Chandler Catanzaro kick), 9-62 2:16	7 - 14
	02:49	WVU - AUSTIN, Tavon 8 yd pass from SMITH, Geno (BITANCURT, Tyle kick), 6-57 1:49	14 - 14
	00:45	CU - Chandler Catanzaro 42 yd field goal, 6-40 2:04	14 - 17
2nd	13:25	WVU - AUSTIN, Tavon 27 yd pass from SMITH, Geno (BITANCURT, Tyle kick), 9-80 2:20	21 - 17
	10:28	WVU - COOK, Darwin 99 yd fumble recovery (BITANCURT, Tyle kick)	28 - 17
	04:49	CU - Chandler Catanzaro 43 yd field goal, 8-56 1:36	28 - 20
	02:29	WVU - SMITH, Geno 7 yd run (BITANCURT, Tyle kick), 6-64 2:20	35 - 20
	01:13	WVU - AUSTIN, Tavon 3 yd pass from SMITH, Geno (BITANCURT, Tyle kick), 3-32 0:52	42 - 20
	00:04	WVU - ALSTON, Shawne 1 yd run (BITANCURT, Tyle kick), 5-22 0:58	49 - 20

Play-by-Play Summary (3rd quarter)

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Start of 3rd quarter, clock 15:00, CU ball on CU30.
 BENTON kickoff 67 yards to the WVU3, AUSTIN, Tavon return 24 yards to the WVU27 (BREELAND).

WEST VIRGINIA drive start at 15:00.

1-10	WVU 27	AUSTIN, Tavon rush for 23 yards to the 50 yardline, 1ST DOWN WVU, out-of-bounds.	R21
1-10	WVU 50	ALSTON, Shawne rush for 3 yards to the CU47 (HAWKINS).	
2-7	CU 47	SMITH, Geno pass complete to BROWN, Devon for 10 yards to the CU37, 1ST DOWN WVU.	P22
1-10	CU 37	SMITH, Geno pass complete to BAILEY, Stedman for 30 yards to the CU7, 1ST DOWN WVU (BREELAND).	P23
1-G	CU 07	ALSTON, Shawne rush for 1 yard to the CU6 (GOODMAN).	
2-G	CU 06	SMITH, Geno pass incomplete to BAILEY, Stedman.	
3-G	CU 06	SMITH, Geno pass complete to BAILEY, Stedman for 6 yards to the CU0, TOUCHDOWN, clock 12:35.	
1-G	CU 03	BITANCURT, Tyle kick attempt good.	

West Virginia 56, Clemson 20

7 plays, 73 yards, 2:25

SMITH, Corey kickoff 63 yards to the CU7, WATKINS return 38 yards to the CU45 (SMITH, Eain).

CLEMSON drive start at 12:35.

1-10	CU 45	BOYD pass incomplete to ELLINGTON, dropped pass.	
2-10	CU 45	BOYD sacked for loss of 7 yards to the CU38 (IRVIN, Bruce).	
3-17	CU 38	BOYD pass incomplete to JA. BROWN.	
4-17	CU 38	ZIMMERMAN punt 36 yards to the WVU26, fair catch by BROWN, Devon.	

3 plays, minus 7 yards, 0:52

WEST VIRGINIA drive start at 11:43.

1-10	WVU 26	BUIE, Andrew rush for 5 yards to the WVU31 (MOORE).	
2-5	WVU 31	BUIE, Andrew rush for no gain to the WVU31 (WILLARD).	
3-5	WVU 31	SMITH, Geno pass complete to BAILEY, Stedman for 24 yards to the CU45, 1ST DOWN WVU.	P24
1-10	CU 45	ALSTON, Shawne rush for 8 yards to the CU37.	
2-2	CU 37	SMITH, Geno pass complete to AUSTIN, Tavon for 37 yards to the CU0, 1ST DOWN WVU, TOUCHDOWN, clock 09:18.	P25
1-G	CU 03	BITANCURT, Tyle kick attempt good.	

West Virginia 63, Clemson 20

5 plays, 74 yards, 2:25

BITANCURT, Tyle kickoff 40 yards to the CU30, JA. BROWN return 21 yards to the WVU49 (GLOSTER, Troy).

CLEMSON drive start at 09:18.

1-10	WVU 49	BOYD pass complete to HUMPHRIES for 3 yards to the WVU46 (TANDY, Keith).	
2-7	WVU 46	BOYD rush for 2 yards to the WVU44 (WRIGHT, Jorge).	
3-5	WVU 44	BOYD pass incomplete to PEAKE.	
4-5	WVU 44	ZIMMERMAN punt 39 yards to the WVU5, downed.	

3 plays, 5 yards, 1:07

WEST VIRGINIA drive start at 08:11.

1-10	WVU 05	SMITH, Geno pass complete to AUSTIN, Tavon for loss of 2 yards to the WVU3 (KO. BROWN).	
2-12	WVU 03	ALSTON, Shawne rush for 2 yards to the WVU5 (CHRISTIAN;CRAWFORD).	
3-10	WVU 05	SMITH, Geno pass incomplete to BROWN, Devon.	
4-10	WVU 05	SMITH, Corey punt 40 yards to the WVU45, HOPKINS return 0 yards to the WVU45 (JENKINS, B), PENALTY CU personal foul (TRAYLOR) 15 yards to the CU40, 1st and 10, CU ball on CU40.	

3 plays, 0 yards, 1:40

CLEMSON drive start at 06:31.

1-10	CU 40	BOYD pass incomplete to WATKINS.	
2-10	CU 40	BOYD pass complete to BRYANT for 14 yards to the WVU46, 1ST DOWN CU (SMITH, Eain).	P17
1-10	WVU 46	BOYD rush for 1 yard to the WVU45 (MILLER, Julian).	
2-9	WVU 45	BOYD pass incomplete to ELLINGTON.	
3-9	WVU 45	PENALTY CU personal foul (ALLEN) 15 yards to the CU40.	
3-24	CU 40	BOYD sacked for loss of 2 yards to the CU38 (CLARKE, Will).	
4-26	CU 38	ZIMMERMAN punt 37 yards to the WVU25, BROWN, Devon return -2 yards to the WVU23 (ALLEN).	

5 plays, minus 2 yards, 1:38

WEST VIRGINIA drive start at 04:53.

1-10	WVU 23	BUIE, Andrew rush for 11 yards to the WVU34, 1ST DOWN WVU (KO. BROWN).	R26
1-10	WVU 34	MILLARD, Paul pass incomplete to MCCARTNEY, Ivan (SENSABAUGH).	
2-10	WVU 34	BUIE, Andrew rush for 2 yards to the WVU36 (BARNES).	
3-8	WVU 36	MILLARD, Paul pass intercepted by HALL at the CU35, HALL return 24 yards to the WVU41 (BAILEY, Stedman).	

4 plays, 13 yards, 1:37

CLEMSON drive start at 03:16.

1-10	WVU 41	BOYD sacked for loss of 5 yards to the WVU46 (GOODE, Najee).	
2-15	WVU 46	BOYD pass incomplete to BRYANT, dropped pass.	
3-15	WVU 46	BOYD pass complete to ALLEN for 6 yards to the WVU40 (MILLER, Pat).	

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4-9 WVU 40 BOYD pass complete to HOPKINS for 12 yards to the WVU28, 1ST DOWN CU (MILLER, Pat). P18
 1-10 WVU 28 BOYD pass complete to HOPKINS for 28 yards to the WVU0, 1ST DOWN CU, TOUCHDOWN, clock P19
 01:37.
 1-G WVU 03 BOYD pass attempt failed.

West Virginia 63, Clemson 26

5 plays, 41 yards, 1:39

BENTON kickoff 61 yards to the WVU9, AUSTIN, Tavon return 13 yards to the WVU22 (ANDREWS).

WEST VIRGINIA drive start at 01:37.

1-10 WVU 22 PENALTY WVU delay of game (SMITH, Geno) 5 yards to the WVU17.
 1-15 WVU 17 ALSTON, Shawne rush for 2 yards to the WVU19 (HAWKINS).
 2-13 WVU 19 SMITH, Geno pass complete to AUSTIN, Tavon for 1 yard to the WVU20 (WILLARD).
 3-12 WVU 20 PENALTY CU offside (MOORE) 5 yards to the WVU25.

END OF 3rd QUARTER: West Virginia 63, Clemson 26

Quarter Summary	Score	Time Poss	1st Downs				Conversions		Rushing	Passing	Penalties
			R	P	X	T	3rd	4th			
West Virginia	14	09:44	2	4	0	6	2-4	0-0	10-57	7-11-1-106	1-5
Clemson	6	05:16	0	3	0	3	0-4	1-1	5-(-11)	5-11-0-63	3-35

Quickie Statistics (3rd quarter)
West Virginia vs Clemson (Jan 04, 2012 at Miami Gardens, FL)

	WVU	CU
Score	63	26
FIRST DOWNS	26	19
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	32-144	21-148
PASSING YDS (NET)	362	235
Passes Att-Comp-Int	38-27-1	39-22-1
TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS	70-506	60-383
Fumble Returns-Yards	2-103	0-0
Punt Returns-Yards	1--2	1-0
Kickoff Returns-Yards	5-117	9-175
Interception Returns-Yards	1-6	1-24
Punts (Number-Avg)	3-39.7	5-38.0
Fumbles-Lost	0-0	2-2
Penalties-Yards	2-20	6-65
Possession Time	26:09	18:51
Third-Down Conversions	7 of 11	2 of 11
Fourth-Down Conversions	0 of 0	2 of 2

West Virginia

Rushing	No.	Gain	Loss	Net	TD	Lg	Avg
ALSTON, Shawne	14	49	1	48	2	8	3.4
AUSTIN, Tavon	3	40	0	40	0	23	13.3
BUIE, Andrew	10	37	7	30	0	11	3.0
SMITH, Geno	5	26	0	26	1	8	5.2

Passing	C-A-I	Yds	TD	Long	Sack
SMITH, Geno	27-36-0	362	5	37	0
MILLARD, Paul	0-2-1	0	0	0	0

Receiving	No.	Yards	TD	Long
AUSTIN, Tavon	10	97	4	37
BROWN, Devon	5	71	0	33
BAILEY, Stedman	4	73	1	30
BUIE, Andrew	3	29	0	17

Punting	No.	Yds	Avg	Long	In20	TB
SMITH, Corey	3	119	39.7	48	2	0

Punt Returns	No.	Yards	TD	Long
BROWN, Devon	1	-2	0	0

Kick Returns	No.	Yards	TD	Long
AUSTIN, Tavon	5	117	0	36

Tackles	UA-A	Total	Sacks	TFL
SMITH, Eain	10-1	11	0.0	0.5
BARBER, Jared	5-1	6	0.0	1.0

Clemson

Rushing	No.	Gain	Loss	Net	TD	Lg	Avg
Andre Ellington	10	119	3	116	1	68	11.6
Tajh Boyd	9	40	14	26	0	24	2.9
D.J. Howard	1	4	0	4	0	4	4.0
Sammy Watkins	1	2	0	2	0	2	2.0

Passing	C-A-I	Yds	TD	Long	Sack
Tajh Boyd	22-39-1	235	2	28	3

Receiving	No.	Yards	TD	Long
DeAndre Hopkins	10	107	1	28
Sammy Watkins	4	60	1	27
Jaron Brown	2	24	0	15
Dwayne Allen	2	21	0	15

Punting	No.	Yds	Avg	Long	In20	TB
Dawson Zimmerman	5	190	38.0	43	1	0

Punt Returns	No.	Yards	TD	Long
DeAndre Hopkins	1	0	0	0

Kick Returns	No.	Yards	TD	Long
Sammy Watkins	7	143	0	38
Chad Diehl	1	11	0	11

Tackles	UA-A	Total	Sacks	TFL
Rashard Hall	4-2	6	0.0	0.0
Bashaud Breeland	5-0	5	0.0	0.0

Qtr	Time	Scoring Play	V-H
1st	09:33	CU - Andre Ellington 68 yd run (Chandler Catanzaro kick), 6-96 1:39	0 - 7
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	04:49	CU - Chandler Catanzaro 43 yd field goal, 8-56 1:36	28 - 20
	02:29	WVU - SMITH, Geno 7 yd run (BITANCURT, Tyle kick), 6-64 2:20	35 - 20
	01:13	WVU - AUSTIN, Tavon 3 yd pass from SMITH, Geno (BITANCURT, Tyle kick), 3-32 0:52	42 - 20
	00:04	WVU - ALSTON, Shawne 1 yd run (BITANCURT, Tyle kick), 5-22 0:58	49 - 20
3rd	12:35	WVU - BAILEY, Stedman 6 yd pass from SMITH, Geno (BITANCURT, Tyle kick), 7-73 2:25	56 - 20
	09:18	WVU - AUSTIN, Tavon 37 yd pass from SMITH, Geno (BITANCURT, Tyle kick), 5-74 2:25	63 - 20
	01:37	CU - DeAndre Hopkins 28 yd pass from Tajh Boyd (Tajh Boyd pass failed), 5-41 1:39	63 - 26

Play-by-Play Summary (4th quarter)

West Virginia vs Clemson (Jan 04, 2012 at Miami Gardens, FL)

3-7 WVU 25 Start of 4th quarter, clock 15:00.
 3-7 WVU 25 SMITH, Geno pass complete to BUIE, Andrew for 3 yards to the WVU28 (MOORE).
 4-4 WVU 28 SMITH, Corey punt 39 yards to the CU33, downed.
3 plays, 6 yards, 2:27

CLEMSON drive start at 14:10.

1-10 CU 33 BOYD rush for 6 yards to the CU39 (BANKS, Ishmael).
 2-4 CU 39 BOYD pass complete to WATKINS for 6 yards to the CU45, 1ST DOWN CU (SMITH, Eain). P20
 1-10 CU 45 BOYD pass complete to HUMPHRIES for 9 yards to the WVU46 (BANKS, Ishmael).
 2-1 WVU 46 BOYD pass incomplete to ALLEN, PENALTY WVU pass interference (SMITH, Eain) 15 yards to the WVU31, 1ST DOWN CU, NO PLAY. X21
 1-10 WVU 31 BOYD pass incomplete to FORD.
 2-10 WVU 31 BOYD pass intercepted by TANDY, Keith at the WVU16, TANDY, Keith return 18 yards to the WVU34 (WATKINS).
5 plays, 36 yards, 1:35

WEST VIRGINIA drive start at 12:35.

1-10 WVU 34 PENALTY WVU delay of game (SMITH, Geno) 5 yards to the WVU29.
 1-15 WVU 29 SMITH, Geno pass complete to AUSTIN, Tavon for 20 yards to the WVU49, 1ST DOWN WVU (KO. BROWN). P27
 1-10 WVU 49 ALSTON, Shawne rush for 5 yards to the CU46 (HALL).
 2-5 CU 46 ALSTON, Shawne rush for 11 yards to the CU35, 1ST DOWN WVU (BREELAND; BREWER). R28
 1-10 CU 35 ALSTON, Shawne rush for 4 yards to the CU31 (KO. BROWN).
 2-6 CU 31 SMITH, Geno pass incomplete to AUSTIN, Tavon.
 3-6 CU 31 SMITH, Geno pass complete to BAILEY, Stedman for 9 yards to the CU22, 1ST DOWN WVU (CRAWFORD). P29
 1-10 CU 22 AUSTIN, Tavon rush for 6 yards to the CU16, out-of-bounds.
 2-4 CU 16 ALSTON, Shawne rush for 3 yards to the CU13 (ROBINSON).
 3-1 CU 13 ALSTON, Shawne rush for 5 yards to the CU8, 1ST DOWN WVU (CRAWFORD). R30
 1-G CU 08 ALSTON, Shawne rush for 1 yard to the CU7 (HALL).
 2-G CU 07 SMITH, Geno pass incomplete to BAILEY, Stedman.
 3-G CU 07 SMITH, Geno pass complete to MILHOUSE, Willi for 7 yards to the CU0, TOUCHDOWN, clock 06:21.
 1-G CU 03 BITANCURT, Tyle kick attempt good.

West Virginia 70, Clemson 26

12 plays, 66 yards, 6:14

BITANCURT, Tyle kickoff 40 yards to the CU30, JA. BROWN return 15 yards to the CU45 (MILHOUSE, Willi).

CLEMSON drive start at 06:21.

1-10 CU 45 BOYD pass incomplete to HOWARD.
 2-10 CU 45 BOYD pass incomplete to HOPKINS.
 3-10 CU 45 BOYD pass incomplete to PEAKE.
 4-10 CU 45 ZIMMERMAN punt 48 yards to the WVU7, downed.
3 plays, 0 yards, 0:44

WEST VIRGINIA drive start at 05:37.

1-10 WVU 07 BUIE, Andrew rush for 11 yards to the WVU18, 1ST DOWN WVU (BREELAND). R31
 1-10 WVU 18 BUIE, Andrew rush for no gain to the WVU18 (GOODMAN).
 2-10 WVU 18 BUIE, Andrew rush for 4 yards to the WVU22 (HAWKINS).
 3-6 WVU 22 MILLARD, Paul pass incomplete to WHITE, Coley, dropped pass.
 4-6 WVU 22 SMITH, Corey punt 17 yards to the WVU39, downed.
4 plays, 15 yards, 2:41

CLEMSON drive start at 02:56.

1-10 WVU 39 McDOWELL rush for 11 yards to the WVU28, 1ST DOWN CU (TANDY, Keith). R22
 1-10 WVU 28 McDOWELL rush for 14 yards to the WVU14, 1ST DOWN CU, out-of-bounds. R23
 1-10 WVU 14 McDOWELL rush for 5 yards to the WVU9 (ROWELL, Shaq).
 2-5 WVU 09 STOUTD pass incomplete to CRAIG.
 3-5 WVU 09 STOUTD rush for 5 yards to the WVU4, 1ST DOWN CU (JENKINS, B). R24
 1-G WVU 04 McDOWELL rush for 4 yards to the WVU0, TOUCHDOWN, clock 01:01.
 1-G WVU 03 CATANZARO kick attempt good.

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6 plays, 39 yards, 1:55

CATANZARO kickoff 26 yards to the WVU44, out-of-bounds, WVU ball on WVU44.

WEST VIRGINIA drive start at 01:01.

1-10 WVU 44 TEAM rush for loss of 1 yard to the WVU43.
 2-11 WVU 43 TEAM rush for loss of 5 yards to the WVU38.
 End of game, clock 00:00.

2 plays, minus 6 yards, 1:01

FINAL SCORE: West Virginia 70, Clemson 33

Play-by-Play Summary (4th quarter)
West Virginia vs Clemson (Jan 04, 2012 at Miami Gardens, FL)

Quarter Summary	Score	Time Poss	1st Downs				Conversions		Rushing	Passing	Penalties
			R	P	X	T	3rd	4th			
West Virginia	7	10:46	3	2	0	5	3-5	0-0	12-44	4-7-0-39	2-20
Clemson	7	04:14	3	1	1	5	1-2	0-0	6-45	2-8-1-15	0-0

Quickie Statistics (Final)

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	WVU	CU
Score	70	33
FIRST DOWNS	31	24
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	44-188	27-193
PASSING YDS (NET)	401	250
Passes Att-Comp-Int	45-31-1	47-24-2
TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS	89-589	74-443
Fumble Returns-Yards	2-103	0-0
Punt Returns-Yards	1--2	1-0
Kickoff Returns-Yards	5-117	10-190
Interception Returns-Yards	2-24	1-24
Punts (Number-Avg)	5-35.0	6-39.7
Fumbles-Lost	0-0	2-2
Penalties-Yards	4-40	6-65
Possession Time	36:55	23:05
Third-Down Conversions	10 of 16	3 of 13
Fourth-Down Conversions	0 of 0	2 of 2
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	7-7	1-2

West Virginia

Rushing	No.	Gain	Loss	Net	TD	Lg	Avg
ALSTON, Shawne	20	78	1	77	2	11	3.8
AUSTIN, Tavon	4	46	0	46	0	23	11.5
BUIE, Andrew	13	52	7	45	0	11	3.5
SMITH, Geno	5	26	0	26	1	8	5.2

Passing	C-A-I	Yds	TD	Long	Sack
SMITH, Geno	31-42-0	401	6	37	0
MILLARD, Paul	0-3-1	0	0	0	0

Receiving	No.	Yards	TD	Long
AUSTIN, Tavon	11	117	4	37
BAILEY, Stedman	5	82	1	30
BROWN, Devon	5	71	0	33
BUIE, Andrew	4	32	0	17

Punting	No.	Yds	Avg	Long	In20	TB
SMITH, Corey	5	175	35.0	48	2	0

Punt Returns	No.	Yards	TD	Long
BROWN, Devon	1	-2	0	0

Kick Returns	No.	Yards	TD	Long
AUSTIN, Tavon	5	117	0	36

Tackles	UA-A	Total	Sacks	TFL
SMITH, Eain	11-1	12	0.0	0.5
TANDY, Keith	6-0	6	0.0	0.0

Clemson

Rushing	No.	Gain	Loss	Net	TD	Lg	Avg
Andre Ellington	10	119	3	116	1	68	11.6
Roderick McDowell	4	34	0	34	1	14	8.5
Tajh Boyd	10	46	14	32	0	24	3.2
Cole Stoudt	1	5	0	5	0	5	5.0

Passing	C-A-I	Yds	TD	Long	Sack
Tajh Boyd	24-46-2	250	2	28	3
Cole Stoudt	0-1-0	0	0	0	0

Receiving	No.	Yards	TD	Long
DeAndre Hopkins	10	107	1	28
Sammy Watkins	5	66	1	27
Jaron Brown	2	24	0	15
Dwayne Allen	2	21	0	15

Punting	No.	Yds	Avg	Long	In20	TB
Dawson Zimmerman	6	238	39.7	48	2	0

Punt Returns	No.	Yards	TD	Long
DeAndre Hopkins	1	0	0	0

Kick Returns	No.	Yards	TD	Long
Sammy Watkins	7	143	0	38
Jaron Brown	2	36	0	21

Tackles	UA-A	Total	Sacks	TFL
Rashard Hall	6-2	8	0.0	0.0
Bashaud Breeland	6-1	7	0.0	0.0

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	01:01	CU - Roderick McDowell 4 yd run (Chandler Catanzaro kick), 6-39 1:55	70 - 33

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CU		C04	11:12	Punt	W00	09:33	*TOUCHDOWN	6 - 96	1:39
WVU		W28	09:33	Kickoff	C00	06:54	*TOUCHDOWN	8 - 72	2:39
CU		C38	06:54	Kickoff	W00	04:38	*TOUCHDOWN	9 - 62	2:16
WVU		W43	04:38	Kickoff	C00	02:49	*TOUCHDOWN	6 - 57	1:49
CU		C35	02:49	Kickoff	W25	00:45	*FIELD GOAL	6 - 40	2:04
WVU		W20	00:45	Kickoff	C00	13:25	*TOUCHDOWN	9 - 80	2:20
CU	2nd	C24	13:25	Kickoff	W01	10:28	Fumble	8 - 75	2:57
WVU		W01	10:28	Fumble	W01	10:28	*TOUCHDOWN	0 - 0	0:00
CU		C15	10:28	Kickoff	C22	09:14	Punt	3 - 7	1:14
WVU		W35	09:14	Punt	W50	06:25	Punt	6 - 15	2:49
CU		C19	06:25	Punt	W25	04:49	*FIELD GOAL	8 - 56	1:36
WVU		W36	04:49	Kickoff	C00	02:29	*TOUCHDOWN	6 - 64	2:20
CU		C25	02:29	Kickoff	C25	02:05	Interception	2 - 0	0:24
WVU		C32	02:05	Interception	C00	01:13	*TOUCHDOWN	3 - 32	0:52
CU		C14	01:13	Kickoff	C22	01:02	Fumble	1 - 8	0:11
WVU		C22	01:02	Fumble	C00	00:04	*TOUCHDOWN	5 - 22	0:58
CU		C40	00:04	Kickoff	C40	00:00	End of half	0 - 0	0:04
WVU	3rd	W27	15:00	Kickoff	C00	12:35	*TOUCHDOWN	7 - 73	2:25
CU		C45	12:35	Kickoff	C38	11:43	Punt	3 - (7)	0:52
WVU		W26	11:43	Punt	C00	09:18	*TOUCHDOWN	5 - 74	2:25
CU		W49	09:18	Kickoff	W44	08:11	Punt	3 - 5	1:07
WVU		W05	08:11	Punt	W05	06:31	Punt	3 - 0	1:40
CU		C40	06:31	Punt	C38	04:53	Punt	5 - (2)	1:38
WVU		W23	04:53	Punt	W36	03:16	Interception	4 - 13	1:37
CU		W41	03:16	Interception	W00	01:37	*TOUCHDOWN	5 - 41	1:39
WVU		W22	01:37	Kickoff	W28	14:10	Punt	3 - 6	2:27
CU	4th	C33	14:10	Punt	W31	12:35	Interception	5 - 36	1:35
WVU		W34	12:35	Interception	C00	06:21	*TOUCHDOWN	12 - 66	6:14
CU		C45	06:21	Kickoff	C45	05:37	Punt	3 - 0	0:44
WVU		W07	05:37	Punt	W22	02:56	Punt	4 - 15	2:41
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WVU		W20	00:45	Kickoff	C00	13:25	*TOUCHDOWN	9 - 80	2:20
WVU	2nd	W01	10:28	Fumble	W01	10:28	*TOUCHDOWN	0 - 0	0:00
WVU		W35	09:14	Punt	W50	06:25	Punt	6 - 15	2:49
WVU		W36	04:49	Kickoff	C00	02:29	*TOUCHDOWN	6 - 64	2:20
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WVU		W26	11:43	Punt	C00	09:18	*TOUCHDOWN	5 - 74	2:25
WVU		W05	08:11	Punt	W05	06:31	Punt	3 - 0	1:40
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	1st Qtr	2nd Qtr	3rd Qtr	4th Qtr	1st Half	2nd Half	Total
West Virginia							
Time of possession	07:51	08:34	09:44	10:46	16:25	20:30	36:55
3rd down conversions	2-3	3-4	2-4	3-5	5-7	5-9	10-16
Average field position	W28	C46	W20	W28	W41	W23	W32
4th down conversions	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0

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CU	2nd	C24	13:25	Kickoff	W01	10:28	Fumble	8 - 75	2:57
CU		C15	10:28	Kickoff	C22	09:14	Punt	3 - 7	1:14
CU		C19	06:25	Punt	W25	04:49	*FIELD GOAL	8 - 56	1:36
CU		C25	02:29	Kickoff	C25	02:05	Interception	2 - 0	0:24
CU		C14	01:13	Kickoff	C22	01:02	Fumble	1 - 8	0:11
CU		C40	00:04	Kickoff	C40	00:00	End of half	0 - 0	0:04
CU	3rd	C45	12:35	Kickoff	C38	11:43	Punt	3 - (7)	0:52
CU		W49	09:18	Kickoff	W44	08:11	Punt	3 - 5	1:07
CU		C40	06:31	Punt	C38	04:53	Punt	5 - (2)	1:38
CU		W41	03:16	Interception	W00	01:37	*TOUCHDOWN	5 - 41	1:39
CU	4th	C33	14:10	Punt	W31	12:35	Interception	5 - 36	1:35
CU		C45	06:21	Kickoff	C45	05:37	Punt	3 - 0	0:44
CU		W39	02:56	Punt	W00	01:01	*TOUCHDOWN	6 - 39	1:55

	1st Qtr	2nd Qtr	3rd Qtr	4th Qtr	1st Half	2nd Half	Total
Clemson							
Time of possession	07:09	06:26	05:16	04:14	13:35	09:30	23:05
3rd down conversions	1-4	1-3	0-4	1-2	2-7	1-6	3-13
Average field position	C29	C22	C48	C46	C25	C47	C34
4th down conversions	1-1	0-0	1-1	0-0	1-1	1-1	2-2

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FIRST HALF GAME NOTES

Tonight's Discover Orange Bowl first half has set multiple BCS records. The 49 points scored by West Virginia surpasses the old mark of 38 scored by USC in the 2005 Discover Orange Bowl. The 69 combined points surpasses the previous mark of 56, set two days ago, Monday, in the Rose Bowl, between Wisconsin and Oregon (28-28 in the first half).

The Tigers and Mountaineers set a Discover Orange Bowl record for most points in any half with 69 points in the first half tonight. The original mark of 48 points was originally set in the first half of the 2005 contest between USC (38) and Oklahoma (10).

West Virginia's 49 points in the first half tonight is the most points in any half in any bowl game in history. The previous overall bowl mark was 45 points by Colorado vs. Boston College in the first half of the 1999 Insight.com Bowl. In terms of Discover Orange Bowl history, the previous best was 40 points, set by Alabama in the second half in 1953 vs. Syracuse.

West Virginia's Tavon Austin tied a Discover Orange Bowl record and a BCS record with three touchdown receptions tonight. Austin ties the bowl record, also held by Stanford's Coby Fleener (vs. Virginia Tech in 2011), USC's Steve Smith (vs. Oklahoma in 2005), Michigan's David Terrell (vs. Alabama in 2000) and Florida State's Andre Cooper (vs. Notre Dame in 1996). In terms of the BCS, the feat has been accomplished five previous times, most recently by Oklahoma State's Justin Blackmon in Monday night's Tostitos Fiesta Bowl vs. Stanford.

Clemson's Andre Ellington's 68-yard touchdown run in the first quarter was the longest offensive scoring play in Discover Orange Bowl history since Oklahoma's Spencer Tillman went 77 yards in the 1987 game against Arkansas. Ellington's run is tied for the third-longest TD run in Discover Orange Bowl history, tied with Nebraska's Dennis Claridge, who also went 68 yards in 1964. The two runs longer than Ellington's were Florida's Larry Smith (94 yards in 1967) and Oklahoma's Spencer Tillman (77 yards in 1987).

Ellington collected 116 rushing yards in the first half tonight, the 46th 100-yard rushing game in Discover Orange Bowl history.

The 99-yard yard fumble recovery for a TD by West Virginia's Darwin Cook is the second-longest scoring play and longest defensive score in Discover Orange Bowl history. The only score longer than Cook's fumble return was a 100-yard opening kickoff return by Iowa's C.J. Jones in 2003 vs. USC. The fumble return for a score is the second in BCS bowl history (joining Georgia's Marcus Howard vs. Hawaii in 2008 Sugar Bowl). It is the second-longest play overall in a BCS bowl game, trailing only the kick return by C.J. Jones.

Tonight's 31-point first quarter is the highest-scoring first quarter in Discover Orange Bowl history. The previous mark was 26, set in 1942 by Georgia (19) and TCU (7). The 31 points in the first quarter is also the third-highest scoring quarter overall in Discover Orange Bowl history, behind the 35-point third quarter in 2000 (Michigan and Alabama) and the 34-point fourth quarter in 1958 (Oklahoma and Duke).

West Virginia quarterback and Miramar native Geno Smith surpassed 4,000 passing yards on the season in tonight's first quarter. He is the first Mountaineers' first 4,000-yard passer. He also moved ahead of Louisville's Brian Brohm in the Big East record book and now holds the conference's all-time single-season passing mark.

West Virginia's Dana Holgorsen is the seventh coach to take his team to a BCS bowl in his first season as head coach. Holgorsen is the second first-year coach to take his team to the Discover Orange Bowl since the inception of the BCS. Holgorsen joins Maryland's Ralph Friedgen, whose Terrapins came to Miami Gardens and lost to the Florida Gators in the 2002 game (2001 season), 56-23.

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Atlantic Coast Conference teams have a 16-21 all-time record in Discover Orange Bowl competition. The only two ACC teams with winning records in the Discover Orange Bowl are the Tigers (2-1) and Miami Hurricanes (6-3). The ACC has lost in each of the last two Discover Orange Bowl games (Virginia Tech to Stanford in 2011 and Georgia Tech to Iowa in 2010). Dating back to 2006, ACC teams are 1-5 in the Discover Orange Bowl. The Big East, making its sixth Discover Orange Bowl appearance, enters play tonight with a 1-4 record in the game. The lone Big East win in Discover Orange Bowl history came in 2007, when Louisville defeated Wake Forest, 24-13.

Prior to tonight's Discover Orange Bowl, the Air Force Academy's Wings of Blue parachute demonstration team arrived at Sun Life Stadium. The team was led by pilots Captain Thomas Kline and Captain Dylan Bell. The jumpers were Technical Sergeant Brad Shimkus and Cadets Dane Lannon, Richie Brennan, Michael O'Donnel, Ryan French and Willis Brown.

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About the Orange Bowl

The Orange Bowl is a 341-member, primarily-volunteer non-profit sports organization that promotes and serves the South Florida community. The Orange Bowl Festival features a year-round schedule of events culminating with the Discover Orange Bowl on January 4, 2012. Other OBC core events include the MetroPCS Orange Bowl Basketball Classic, Orange Bowl Youth Football Alliance presented by Sports Authority, Orange Bowl International Tennis Championships, Orange Bowl Sailing Regatta Series and Orange Bowl Paddle Championships. For more information on the 2011-12 Orange Bowl Festival and its events, including promotional and volunteer opportunities through the Ambassador Program, log on to www.orangebowl.org.

No. 23 West Virginia vs. No. 15 Clemson
2012 Discover Orange Bowl
January 4, 2012
Miami Gardens, Fla.

West Virginia game captains Geno Smith, Najee Goode, Keith Tandy and Joe Madsen. Coach Dana Holgorsen selects game captains each week. Team captains will be elected at the end of the season.

West Tonkery earned his first career start this evening. Don Barclay and Keith Tandy made their team-leading 40th starts. A total of 43 Mountaineers have at least one game of starting experience.

**WVU's 49-point first half performance is a NCAA bowl record for the most points scored in one half by one team; the previous record was held 45 points (Colorado vs. Boston College, 1999 Insight.com Bowl).

**WVU's 35-point second quarter is the third time the Mountaineers have scored 20 or more points in one quarter this season; WVU has scored 20 or more points in a quarter 36 times since 2001. **

WVU's 35-point second quarter is the most since 2001 (31 points vs. Rutgers, second quarter)

Geno Smith's seven-yard touchdown rush was his second of the season/career.

Shawne Alston finished the game with two rushing touchdowns – a three-yard rush (first quarter) and a one-yard rush (second quarter). He has scored two rushing touchdowns in four games this season.

Tavon Austin finished the game with three touchdown receptions – an eight-yard catch (first quarter), a 27-yard catch (second quarter) and a three-yard catch (second quarter). Tonight was the first time Austin has caught at least two TDs in game this season.

Austin's three receiving touchdowns sets a WVU bowl record and ties an individual bowl game point record (Steve Slaton, 18 points vs. Georgia, 2006 Nokia Sugar Bowl).

Tonight is the second time this season Austin has scored at least twice in one game this season; he scored on a TD run and reception at Rutgers.

Darwin Cook's 99-yard fumble recovery/ return for a touchdown was WVU's first fumble recovery returned for a touchdown since 2007 (Eric Wicks, 44-yard TD against Louisville on Nov. 8, 2007). His 99 yards breaks the record of 97 yards, by Mike Collins vs. Missouri (1993).

Cook TD is the longest defensive scoring play in WVU bowl history, and ties the Mountaineers' longest scoring play in bowl history (99 TD by Shawn Terry vs. Ole Miss, 2000 Music City Bowl).

Cook's score was WVU's fourth defensive score of the season; it is the most defensive scores in one season since WVU had three in 2007.

Devon Brown's first quarter, 33-yard reception was his second longest of the season; he previously had a 55-yard catch against Norfolk State.

Willie Milhouse's first quarter, 34-yard catch was his longest reception since pulling in a 43-yard catch at Syracuse.

Pat Miller's second quarter interception was his second INT of the season/career.

Najee Goode's second quarter fumble recovery was the first of his career.

Clemson vs. West Virginia Postgame Notes

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Individual Notes

*When Sammy Watkins caught a 27-yard touchdown pass from Tajh Boyd in the first quarter tonight, Watkins broke two school records. It was his 12th touchdown catch of the year, breaking the record of 11 previously held by himself and Aaron Kelly in 2007. It was also his 13th overall touchdown of the year, breaking the previous Clemson record for a freshman. C.J. Spiller had 12 as a freshman in 2006. Spiller was in the stadium tonight watching from the Clemson sidelines.

*Watkins had 205 all-purpose yards this evening, giving him 2,282 for the season, second most in ACC history for a season. The only figure better is C.J. Spiller's 2,680 in 2009.

*DeAndre Hopkins broke his own bowl game receiving record tonight. He had 10 receptions for 107 yards and a touchdown. The previous Clemson record for receptions in a bowl game was nine by Hopkins last year against South Florida in the Meineke Car Care Bowl.

*Tajh Boyd set an ACC record for touchdown responsibility tonight. His two touchdown passes gave him 38 touchdowns passing and running for the season. The previous ACC mark was 37 by Philip Rivers of NC State in 2003 and Russell Wilson of NC State in 2010. Boyd has 33 touchdown passes, already a Clemson record, and five rushing scores this year.

*Landon Walker played more than 33 plays tonight and established a Clemson career record for plays in a career. He needed 33 to break Kyle Young's record of 3,097 set between 1998-01. It was his 49th start, more than any other player in Clemson history at any position.

*Andre Ellington had 116 yards rushing this evening, his second straight 100-yard rushing game. He had a 68-yard rushing touchdown that was the second longest in a bowl game in Clemson history. The only one longer is an 83-yarder by C.J. Spiller against Auburn in the 2007 Chick-fil-A Bowl. Ellington finishes the season with five 100-yard rushing games and 1,178 rushing yards for the year. The rushing total is the eighth most in Clemson history.

*Chandler Catanzaro was 2-2 on field goals this evening and both were from 40 yards or more. He finishes the year with 22 field goals overall, nine of which were from 40 yards or more. This is the second most field goals of 40 yards or more. Chris Gardocki had 10 for the Tigers in 1989.

*Rashard Hall had his 10th career interception and 13th career takeaway in tonight's game. He moved into ninth place in Clemson history in career takeaways.

Team Notes

*Clemson established a school record for touchdowns in a season tonight. The record setter came on Watkins' 27 yard touchdown catch from Tajh Boyd. That was Clemson's 56th touchdown of the season. The previous record was 55 touchdowns in 2000 and 2006. Clemson added another score in the third quarter for its 57th touchdown of the season.

*Clemson scored 26 points tonight, giving the Tigers a school record 463 points for the season.

*Clemson scored 17 points in the first quarter tonight, the most points Clemson has scored in the first quarter of a bowl game. The previous high was 14 by the Tigers against Missouri in the 1949 Gator Bowl.

*Clemson finishes the season with a 10-4 record, its most wins in a season since 1990 when the Tigers were 10-2. Clemson finishes the season with four wins over top 25 teams, most in school history. The Tigers played six games against top 25 teams, also the most in one season in school history.

*West Virginia's 49 points against Clemson in the first half were the most allowed by the Tigers in one half in school history. The Mountaineers' 70 points were the second most scored against Clemson in history. The only total higher is the 74 scored by Alabama in 1931 in a 74-7 Crimson Tide victory.