



Clemson Stats

8-5 Overall, 5-3 ACC, 5-2 Home, 2-2 Away, 1-1 Neutral, 0-1 Overtime, 4-4 Day, 4-1 Night

Team Stats

	CU	Opp.
TOTAL OFFENSE	5342	3650
Total Plays	822	848
Touchdowns	49	22
Yards Per Play	6.5	4.3
Yards Per Game	410.9	280.8
RUSHING YARDS	2832	1340
Attempts	495	463
Touchdowns	31	13
Yards Per Rush	5.7	2.9
Yards Per Game	217.8	103.1
PASSING YARDS	2510	2310
Attempts	327	385
Completions	198	214
Had Intercepted	11	14
Touchdowns	18	9
Completion Percentage	60.6	55.6
Yards Per Attempt	7.68	6.00
Yards Per Completion	12.7	10.8
Efficiency	136.5	106.4
Yards Per Game	193.1	177.7
PUNTING YARDS	2106	2979
Number of Punts	51	74
Average Punt	41.3	40.3
Had Blocked	0	1
Touchbacks	5	4
Net Punting	38.6	37.5
PUNT RETURN YARDS	204	136
Number of Returns	27	18
Touchdowns	1	0
Average Return	7.6	7.6
INTERCEPTION RETURN YARDS	276	113
Number of Interceptions	14	11
Touchdowns	2	1
Return Yards Per Interception	19.7	10.3
FUMBLE RETURN YARDS	125	4
Number of Returns	6	1
Touchdowns	2	0
Average Return	20.8	4.0
TOTAL RETURN YARDS	605	253
MISCELLANEOUS YARDS	0	85
KICKOFF RETURN YARDS	660	1363
Number of Returns	26	57
Touchdowns	1	1
Average Return	25.4	23.9
FIRST DOWNS	248	210
By Rushing	132	86
By Passing	101	115
By Penalty	15	9
Per Game	19.1	16.2
PENALTIES (#-Yards)	55-471	77-604
Penalties Per Game	4.2	5.9
Penalty Yards Per Game	36.2	46.5
FUMBLES (#-Lost)	31-17	29-16
TURNOVERS	28	30
Points Off Turnovers	113	51
AVERAGE STARTING FIELD POSITION	C31	O32
SACKS BY (#-Yards)	35-234	15-98
THIRD-DOWN CONVERSIONS	68-162	69-190
Percentage	42.0	36.3
FOURTH-DOWN CONVERSIONS	6-10	9-23
Percentage	60.0	39.1
TIME OF POSSESSION	370:52	409:08
Per Game	28:32	31:28

Team Scoring

	CU	Opp.
TOTAL POINTS	425	210
Points Per Game	32.7	16.2
TOUCHDOWNS	55	25
By Rushing	31	13
By Passing	18	9
By Return/Recovery	6	3
FIELD GOALS	15-22	11-14
PAT (Kicks)	46-51	23-23
PAT (Runs)	0-1	0-1
PAT (Passes)	2-3	1-1
PAT (Returns)	0	1
SAFETIES	0	0

Scoring By Quarters

	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	OT	Tot
CLEMSON	105	122	95	94	9	425
Opponents	33	48	71	48	10	210

Offensive Stats

# RUSHING	GP-S	Car	Gain	Loss	Net	Y/C	C/G	Y/G	TD	10+	20+	LG
1 James Davis, RB	13-13	203	1219	32	1187	5.8	15.6	91.3	17	32	12	64
28 C.J. Spiller, RB	13-1	129	960	22	938	7.3	9.9	72.2	10	26	7	80
39 Demerick Chancellor, RB	7-0	45	283	7	276	6.1	6.4	39.4	1	7	3	27
37 Reggie Merriweather, RB	9-0	30	173	2	171	5.7	3.3	19.0	2	4	2	26
6 Jacoby Ford, WR	13-0	8	104	0	104	13.0	0.6	8.0	0	5	1	38
14 Will Proctor, QB	13-13	61	217	132	85	1.4	4.7	6.5	1	9	1	20
2 Chansi Stuckey, WR	10-10	8	42	8	34	4.3	0.8	3.4	0	1	0	19
10 Cullen Harper, QB	4-0	5	28	8	20	4.0	1.3	5.0	0	1	0	14
35 Paul Macko, RB	7-0	4	19	0	19	4.8	0.6	2.7	0	1	0	12
26 La'Donte Harris, WR	12-0	1	0	0	0	0.0	0.1	0.0	0	0	0	0
TEAM	13-13	1	0	2	-2	-2.0	0.1	-0.2	0	0	0	-2
CLEMSON	13-13	495	3045	213	2832	5.7	38.1	217.8	31	86	26	80
Opponents	13-13	463	1744	404	1340	2.9	35.6	103.1	13	40	8	40

# PASSING	GP-S	Cm-Att-I	Yards	TD	LG	20+	Cm%	Y/A	Y/C	Y/G	Eff
14 Will Proctor, QB	13-13	183-304-11	2353	16	82	36	60.2	7.74	12.9	181.0	135.3
10 Cullen Harper, QB	4-0	14-20-0	155	2	39	1	70.0	7.75	11.1	38.8	168.1
11 Tribble Reese, QB	2-0	1-3-0	2	0	2	0	33.3	0.67	2.0	1.0	38.9
CLEMSON	13-13	198-327-11	2510	18	82	37	60.6	7.68	12.7	193.1	136.5
Opponents	13-13	214-385-14	2310	9	70	19	55.6	6.00	10.8	177.7	106.4

# RECEIVING	GP-S	Rec	Yards	Y/Rec	Rec/G	Y/G	TD	20+	LG
2 Chansi Stuckey, WR	10-10	50	700	14.0	5.0	70.0	3	12	60
80 Aaron Kelly, WR	13-5	30	355	11.8	2.3	27.3	3	4	41
13 Tyler Grisham, WR	13-6	25	264	10.6	1.9	20.3	3	4	22
28 C.J. Spiller, RB	13-1	19	210	11.1	1.5	16.2	2	2	82
89 Thomas Hunter, TE	11-11	16	305	19.1	1.5	27.7	0	6	71
6 Jacoby Ford, WR	13-0	15	187	12.5	1.2	14.4	2	2	76
5 Rendrick Taylor, WR	7-4	12	152	12.7	1.7	21.7	1	3	32
1 James Davis, RB	13-13	6	115	19.2	0.5	8.8	0	2	54
86 Michael Palmer, TE	13-3	5	30	6.0	0.4	2.3	0	0	11
41 Alex Pearson, FB	13-2	4	27	6.8	0.3	2.1	2	0	12
85 Andrew Diomande, WR	4-0	3	55	18.3	0.8	13.8	0	1	39
39 Demerick Chancellor, RB	7-0	3	30	10.0	0.4	4.3	0	0	11
26 La'Donte Harris, WR	12-0	3	14	4.7	0.3	1.2	0	0	6
35 Paul Macko, RB	7-0	2	6	3.0	0.3	0.9	0	0	4
82 Durrell Barry, TE	9-1	2	41	20.5	0.2	4.6	1	1	32
37 Reggie Merriweather, RB	9-0	2	4	2.0	0.2	0.4	0	0	4
83 Nelson Faerber, WR	11-0	1	15	15.0	0.1	1.4	1	0	15
CLEMSON	13-13	198	2510	12.7	15.2	193.1	18	37	82
Opponents	13-13	214	2310	10.8	16.5	177.7	9	19	70

# TOTAL OFFENSE	GP-S	PL	Rush	Pass	Tot	Y/PL	TDR	Y/G
14 Will Proctor, QB	13-13	365	85	2353	2438	6.7	17	187.5
1 James Davis, RB	13-13	203	1187	---	1187	5.8	17	91.3
28 C.J. Spiller, RB	13-1	129	938	---	938	7.3	10	72.2
39 Demerick Chancellor, RB	7-0	45	276	---	276	6.1	1	39.4
10 Cullen Harper, QB	4-0	25	20	155	175	7.0	2	43.8
37 Reggie Merriweather, RB	9-0	30	171	---	171	5.7	2	19.0
6 Jacoby Ford, WR	13-0	8	104	---	104	13.0	0	8.0
2 Chansi Stuckey, WR	10-10	8	34	---	34	4.3	0	3.4
35 Paul Macko, RB	7-0	4	19	---	19	4.8	0	2.7
11 Tribble Reese, QB	2-0	3	---	2	2	0.7	0	1.0
26 La'Donte Harris, WR	12-0	1	0	---	0	0.0	0	0.0
TEAM	13-13	1	-2	---	-2	-2.0	0	-0.2
CLEMSON	13-13	822	2832	2510	5342	6.5	49	410.9
Opponents	13-13	848	1340	2310	3650	4.3	22	280.8

# ALL-PURPOSE	GP-S	PL	Rush	Rec	PR	KOR	Tot	TD	Y/G
28 C.J. Spiller, RB	13-1	172	938	210	33	234	1415	12	108.8
1 James Davis, RB	13-13	209	1187	115	---	---	1302	17	100.2
6 Jacoby Ford, WR	13-0	51	104	187	166	426	883	4	67.9
2 Chansi Stuckey, WR	10-10	58	34	700	---	---	734	3	73.4
80 Aaron Kelly, WR	13-5	30	---	355	---	---	355	3	27.3
39 Demerick Chancellor, RB	7-0	48	276	30	---	---	306	1	43.7
89 Thomas Hunter, TE	11-11	16	---	305	---	---	305	0	27.7
13 Tyler Grisham, WR	13-6	26	---	264	5	---	269	3	20.7
37 Reggie Merriweather, RB	9-0	32	171	4	---	---	175	2	19.4
5 Rendrick Taylor, WR	7-4	12	---	152	---	---	152	1	21.7
14 Will Proctor, QB	13-13	61	85	---	---	---	85	1	6.5
85 Andrew Diomande, WR	4-0	3	---	55	---	---	55	0	13.8
82 Durrell Barry, TE	9-1	2	---	41	---	---	41	1	4.6
86 Michael Palmer, TE	13-3	5	---	30	---	---	30	0	2.3
41 Alex Pearson, FB	13-2	4	---	27	---	---	27	2	2.1
35 Paul Macko, RB	7-0	6	19	6	---	---	25	0	3.6
10 Cullen Harper, QB	4-0	5	20	---	---	---	20	0	5.0
83 Nelson Faerber, WR	11-0	1	---	15	---	---	15	1	1.4
26 La'Donte Harris, WR	12-0	4	0	14	---	---	14	0	1.2
TEAM	13-13	1	-2	---	---	---	-2	0	-0.2
CLEMSON	13-13	746	2832	2510	204	660	6206	51	477.4
Opponents	13-13	752	1340	2310	136	1363	5149	23	396.1



Defensive Stats

# Player	GP-S	*PL	Hit	Ast	Tot	TFL	Sacks	PBU	QP	^ST
32 Nick Watkins, LB	13-13	657	78	38	116	7-12	1-1	1	2	11
22 Chris Clemons, S	13-13	725	61	41	102	1-1		8		6
43 Antonio Clay, LB	13-11	565	66	29	95	9.5-28	1.5-6	4	2	1
3 Duane Coleman, CB	12-12	561	59	22	81	2-2	1-1	2		11
42 Maurice Nelson, LB	13-11	540	27	44	71	5-24	2-15	2	1	3
25 Michael Hamlin, S	10-10	576	47	17	64	5-12		3		6
93 Gaines Adams, DE	13-13	582	42	20	62	17.5-106	12.5-87	6	25	
97 Dorell Scott, DT	13-13	430	32	22	54	4-24	3-21		8	
94 Phillip Merling, DE	13-13	515	31	15	46	10-56	3-19	4	20	
38 Chris Chancellor, CB	13-4	288	27	11	38	1-8		5		9
18 Crezdon Butler, CB	13-0	248	23	11	34	1-2		3		6
12 C.J. Gaddis, DB	12-11	590	25	8	33	8.5-41	1.5-21	3		2
33 Kavell Conner, LB	13-0	138	17	14	31				1	4
91 Rashaad Jackson, DT	13-1	315	14	12	26	1-2		2	10	
45 Cortney Vincent, LB	13-2	173	17	7	24	1-5		1	1	3
17 Roy Walker, S	9-2	226	13	9	22			1		
7 Ricky Sapp, DE	13-0	197	12	8	20	6-38	4-36	2	9	
44 Donnell Clark, DT	13-0	260	10	8	18				2	
50 Jock McKissic, DT	13-12	418	9	9	18	2.5-4	0.5-2		10	
24 Kevin Alexander, LB	13-0	40	10	6	16	1-3	1-3			7
48 Jeremy Campbell, LB	10-0	106	9	6	15	1-1		1		
95 Brandon Cannon, DE	13-0	243	8	7	15	4-20	3-17		3	
23 Chris Russell, S	13-0	170	11	2	13	1-2		3		1
47 Josh Miller, LB	13-0	121	5	7	12			2		2
98 Kwam Williams, DE	8-0	86	8	2	10	1-1			4	
27 Sadat Chambers, LB/S	11-0	117	8	2	10				1	3
6 Jacoby Ford, WR	13-0	--	8	2	10					10
57 Antwon Murchison, DT	8-0	101	7	1	8	1-1		1		
8 Jamie Cumbie, DE	9-0	104	5	3	8	2-8	1-5	1	1	
9 Ray Ray McElrathbey, RB	13-0	1	5	1	6					6
13 Tyler Grisham, WR	13-6	--	4	2	6					5
15 Sergio Gilliam, CB	13-0	111	3	3	6	1-3		1		
29 Haydrian Lewis, CB	8-1	92	4	1	5			1		
99 Etta Etta-Tawo, DT	5-0	54	4	0	4					
40 Anthony Waters, LB	1-1	38	2	1	3				2	
54 Colin Leonard, LS	13-0	--	1	2	3					3
84 Akeem Robinson, TE	13-9	--	1	2	3					3
56 Elsmore Gabriel, DT	4-0	31	2	0	2				1	
41 Alex Pearson, FB	13-2	--	1	1	2					2
7 Jad Dean, PK	13-13	--	0	2	2					2
52 Bryan Baker, DT	2-0	16	1	0	1					
46 Britton Whetsell, LB	2-0	4	1	0	1					
5 Rendrick Taylor, WR	7-4	--	1	0	1					
89 Thomas Hunter, TE	11-11	--	1	0	1					
30 Cole Chason, P	13-11	--	1	0	1					1
1 James Davis, RB	13-13	--	1	0	1					
79 Barry Richardson, OT	13-13	--	0	1	1					
Totals	13-13		722	399	1121	94-404	35-234	57	103	107

# INTERCEPTIONS	GP-S	Int	Yards	Avg	TD	LG
18 Crezdon Butler, CB	13-0	3	35	11.7	0	37
32 Nick Watkins, LB	13-13	3	26	8.7	1	26
25 Michael Hamlin, S	10-10	2	90	45.0	0	74
12 C.J. Gaddis, DB	12-11	2	27	13.5	0	21
3 Duane Coleman, CB	12-12	1	6	6.0	0	6
50 Jock McKissic, DT	13-12	1	82	82.0	1	82
22 Chris Clemons, S	13-13	1	10	10.0	0	10
45 Cortney Vincent, LB	13-2	1	0	0.0	0	0
CLEMSON	13-13	14	276	19.7	2	82
Opponents	13-13	11	113	10.3	1	34

Caused Fumbles (17): Watkins 3, G. Adams 2, Cannon 2, Coleman 2, Gaddis 2, Chambers 1, Clemons 1, Davis 1, Hamlin 1, Merling 1, Sapp 1

Recovered Fumbles (16): G. Adams 3, Coleman 3, Hamlin 2, Butler 1, Clark 1, Gilliam 1, Hunter 1, Nelson 1, TEAM 1, Williams 1

Takeaways (30): Butler 4, Coleman 4, Hamlin 4, Watkins 4, G. Adams 3, Gaddis 2, Clark 1, Clemons 1, Gilliam 1, Hunter 1, McKissic 1, Nelson 1, TEAM 1, Vincent 1, Williams 1

Blocked Kicks (1): Grisham 1

* - defensive plays only (does not necessarily denote official plays, but rather snaps); ^ - special teams tackles; Note: Special teams tackles and tackles after turnovers are included in tackle totals.

Special Teams & Miscellaneous Stats

# PUNTING	P	Yards	Y/P	LG	-20	50+	TB	HB	Net
30 Cole Chason, P	50	2064	41.3	55	12	8	4	0	38.6
49 Jimmy Maners, P	1	42	42.0	42	0	0	1	0	42.0
CLEMSON	51	2106	41.3	55	12	8	5	0	38.6
Opponents	74	2979	40.3	60	23	13	4	1	37.5

# FIELD GOALS	FG-FGA	Pct	11-29	30-39	40-49	50+	LG	HB
7 Jad Dean, PK	15-22	68.2	9-10	3-7	3-3	0-2	45	1
CLEMSON	15-22	68.2	9-10	3-7	3-3	0-2	45	1
Opponents	11-14	78.6	4-4	7-10	0-0	0-0	37	0

# KICKOFFS	KO	TB	GL	OB	Ret	Y/R	Avg Start	-21
7 Jad Dean, PK	53	14	8	0	37-896	24.2	29 Y. Line	26
30 Cole Chason, P	27	4	1	1	20-467	23.4	33 Y. Line	6
92 John Early, PK	^0	0	0	0	0-0	-----	-----	0
CLEMSON	80	18	9	1	57-1363	23.9	30 Y. Line	32
Opponents	46	17	7	1	26-660	25.4	26 Y. Line	26

# PUNT RETURNS	PR	Yards	Avg	TD	LG
6 Jacoby Ford, WR	15	166	11.1	1	92
28 C.J. Spiller, RB	11	33	3.0	0	16
13 Tyler Grisham, WR	1	5	5.0	0	5
CLEMSON	27	204	7.6	1	92
Opponents	18	136	7.6	0	46

# KICKOFF RETURNS	KOR	Yards	Avg	TD	LG
6 Jacoby Ford, WR	13	426	32.8	1	94
28 C.J. Spiller, RB	13	234	18.0	0	25
CLEMSON	26	660	25.4	1	94
Opponents	57	1363	23.9	1	96

# FUMBLE RETURNS	FR	Yards	Avg	TD	LG
93 Gaines Adams, DE	3	85	28.3	1	66
15 Sergio Gilliam, CB	1	31	31.0	1	31
3 Duane Coleman, CB	2	9	4.5	0	5
CLEMSON	6	125	20.8	2	66
Opponents	1	4	4.0	0	4

# SCORING	GP-S	TD	R-P-*Re	#2Pt	\$PAT	FG-A	Pts	Pts/G
1 James Davis, RB	13-13	17	17-0-0				102	7.8
7 Jad Dean, PK	13-13	0	0-0-0		46-50	15-22	91	7.0
28 C.J. Spiller, RB	13-1	12	10-2-0				72	5.5
6 Jacoby Ford, WR	13-0	4	0-2-2				24	1.8
2 Chansi Stuckey, WR	10-10	3	0-3-0	1			20	2.0
13 Tyler Grisham, WR	13-6	3	0-3-0				18	1.4
80 Aaron Kelly, WR	13-5	3	0-3-0				18	1.4
37 Reggie Merriweather, RB	9-0	2	2-0-0				12	1.3
41 Alex Pearson, FB	13-2	2	0-2-0				12	0.9
39 Demerrick Chancellor, RB	7-0	1	1-0-0				6	0.9
5 Rendrick Taylor, WR	7-4	1	0-1-0				6	0.9
82 Durrell Barry, TE	9-1	1	0-1-0				6	0.7
83 Nelson Faerber, WR	11-0	1	0-1-0				6	0.5
93 Gaines Adams, DE	13-13	1	0-0-1				6	0.5
15 Sergio Gilliam, CB	13-0	1	0-0-1				6	0.5
50 Jock McKissic, DT	13-12	1	0-0-1				6	0.5
14 Will Proctor, QB	13-13	1	1-0-0				6	0.5
32 Nick Watkins, LB	13-13	1	0-0-1				6	0.5
86 Michael Palmer, TE	13-3	0	0-0-0	1			2	0.2
92 John Early, PK	1-0	0	0-0-0		0-1		0	0.0
CLEMSON	13-13	55	31-18-6	2	46-51	15-22	425	32.7
Opponents	13-13	25	13-9-3	2	23-23	11-14	210	16.2

RED ZONE	Pos.	TD	FG	TO	MFG	Downs	Half
CLEMSON	48	30	12	3	3	0	0
Opponents	36	17	8	5	2	2	2

FIRST & GOAL	Pos.	TD	FG	TO	MFG	Downs	Half
CLEMSON	27	22	4	1	0	0	0
Opponents	21	13	1	4	0	2	1

\$ - kicking only; * - returns and recoveries; # - PATs and safeties; ^ - attempted one on-side kick, which does not count as a kickoff

Scoreboard

Date	Site	W-L	Score	Opponent (AP,USA)	Attendance	CU AP,USA	Leading Rusher(s)	Leading Passer(s)	Leading Receiver(s)	Leading Tackler(s)
9-2	H	W	54-6	Florida Atlantic	78,693	18,18	Davis (14-94)	Proctor (13-20-166)	Stuckey (5-66)	Coleman, Hamlin (7)
9-9	A	L ^(2 OT)	33-34	*Boston College	44,500	18,18	Davis (24-93)	Proctor (25-40-343)	Stuckey (11-124)	Clay (12)
9-16	A	W	27-20	*Florida State (9,10)	83,510		Davis (19-87)	Proctor (16-30-194)	Kelly (5-51)	Watkins (11)
9-23	H	W	52-7	*North Carolina	81,886	19,23	Davis (15-95)	Proctor (9-14-134)	D. Chancellor (3-30)	Watkins (6)
9-30	H	W	51-0	Louisiana Tech	81,564	18,19	Davis (11-143)	Proctor (5-8-100)	Stuckey (4-100)	Conner (7)
10-7	A	W	27-17	*Wake Forest	35,920	15,15	Spiller (9-104)	Proctor (20-30-214)	Kelly (5-91)	Coleman (13)
10-12	N1	W	63-9	Temple	30,246	12,12	Davis (9-138)	Proctor (8-9-151)	Ford (3-67)	Butler, C. Chancellor (7)
10-21	H	W	31-7	*Georgia Tech (13,13)	82,630	12,12	Davis (21-216)	Proctor (7-16-105)	Grisham (2-25)	Clay (13)
10-26	A	L	7-24	*Virginia Tech	66,233	10,11	Spiller (10-41)	Proctor (11-28-86)	Grisham (3-34)	Clay (15)
11-4	H	L	12-13	*Maryland	80,556	19,19	Davis (20-90)	Proctor (18-27-251)	Stuckey (8-129)	Clemons (12)
11-11	H	W	20-14	*N.C. State	81,785		Spiller (18-154)	Proctor (15-24-146)	Stuckey (5-72)	Clemons, Watkins (17)
11-25	H	L	28-31	South Carolina	83,428	24,24	Spiller (10-155)	Proctor (13-19-191)	Stuckey (4-47)	Clemons (12)
12-29	N2	L	20-28	\$Kentucky	68,024		Davis (8-53)	Proctor (23-39-272)	Kelly (6-66)	Hamlin (15)

* - ACC game; \$ - Music City Bowl; N1 - Charlotte, NC; N2 - Nashville, TN; Note: **Bold** denotes a Clemson home game; rankings are prior to the particular game; official home attendance - 570,542 (81,506 per game), official total (home, away, and neutral) attendance - 898,975 (69,152 per game).



Team Game-By-Game Stats

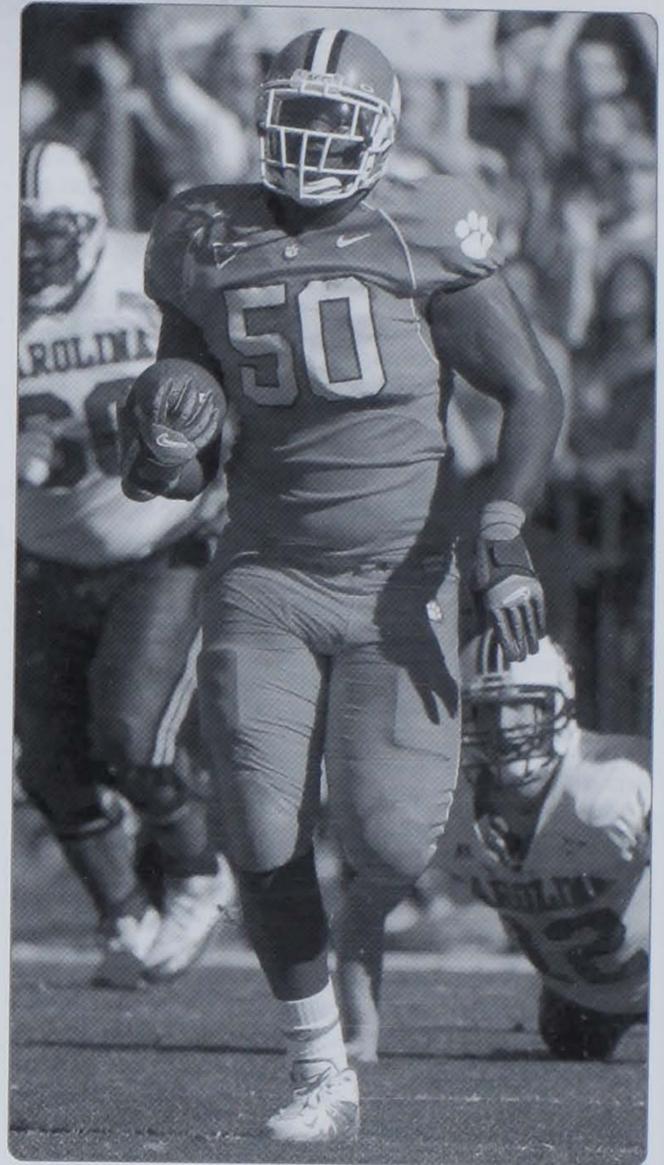
Category	FAU	^BOC	FSU	UNC	LAT	WFU	TEM	GAT	VAT	UMD	NCS	USC	KEN	Totals
Total Offense	372	479	345	504	526	428	559	426	166	394	369	372	402	5342
	263	322	204	150	259	219	221	205	332	301	273	492	409	3650
Plays	62	81	58	79	58	69	58	54	56	68	63	52	64	822
	77	75	58	45	75	55	54	62	73	63	70	72	69	848
Yards Per Play	6.0	5.9	5.9	6.4	9.1	6.2	9.6	7.9	3.0	5.8	5.9	7.2	6.3	6.5
	3.4	4.3	3.5	3.3	3.5	4.0	4.1	3.3	4.5	4.8	3.9	6.8	5.9	4.3
Rushing Yards	199	136	151	324	393	214	337	321	80	143	223	181	130	2832
	47	110	102	54	33	31	111	88	224	54	178	208	100	1340
Rush Attempts	39	41	28	58	41	39	45	38	28	41	39	33	25	495
	34	37	38	22	29	31	29	37	58	28	45	35	40	463
Passing Yards	173	343	194	180	133	214	222	105	86	251	146	191	272	2510
	216	212	102	96	226	188	110	117	108	247	95	284	309	2310
Pass Completions	14	25	16	14	10	20	12	7	11	18	15	13	23	198
	20	22	11	7	23	19	13	12	9	23	10	24	21	214
Pass Attempts	23	40	30	21	17	30	13	16	28	27	24	19	39	327
	43	38	20	23	46	24	25	25	15	35	25	37	29	385
Had Intercepted	1	0	0	1	0	3	0	1	1	0	2	1	1	11
	1	0	0	1	4	1	0	1	0	1	2	3	0	14
Completion %	60.9	62.5	53.3	66.7	58.8	66.7	92.3	43.8	39.3	66.7	62.5	68.4	59.0	60.6
	46.5	57.9	55.0	30.4	50.0	79.2	52.0	48.0	60.0	65.7	40.0	64.9	72.4	55.6
Passing Efficiency	158.4	151.0	118.7	129.1	163.4	117.6	311.9	107.0	57.9	144.8	110.7	159.7	137.8	136.5
	84.1	113.4	97.8	56.8	73.9	164.1	102.2	92.5	120.5	128.7	55.9	113.1	196.1	106.4
First Downs	21	23	15	30	21	23	25	14	8	16	18	15	19	248
	18	22	11	8	16	14	11	12	15	18	16	28	21	210
Total Touchdowns	7	4	4	7	7	3	9	4	1	0	2	4	3	55
	0	4	2	1	0	2	1	1	3	1	2	4	4	25
Rushing Touchdowns	2	2	3	7	3	1	6	3	1	0	1	2	0	31
	0	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	3	0	1	4	1	13
Passing Touchdowns	3	2	1	0	2	1	3	1	0	0	1	1	3	18
	0	1	0	0	0	2	1	1	0	1	0	0	3	9
Field Goals	2-3	2-3	0-1	1-1	1-1	2-3	0-0	1-1	0-0	4-4	2-2	0-1	0-2	15-22
	2-2	2-3	1-1	0-0	0-0	1-1	1-1	0-1	1-1	2-2	0-0	1-1	0-1	11-14
Punting	0	6-40.2	7-39.4	0	2-51.0	2-34.0	1-42.0	5-48.0	10-39.4	5-41.8	5-36.2	5-44.4	3-43.7	51-41.3
	6-40.2	5-39.2	6-39.7	6-45.0	8-37.1	5-43.8	6-38.2	7-45.9	8-40.5	6-43.3	6-41.0	1-38.0	4-25.0	74-40.3
Time of Possession	25:46	31:01	26:40	38:17	25:18	31:37	26:13	27:41	24:10	31:08	29:42	27:03	26:16	28:32
	34:14	28:59	33:20	21:43	34:42	28:23	33:37	32:19	35:50	28:52	30:18	32:57	33:44	31:28
Third-Down Conversions	8-13	9-18	6-14	6-12	3-8	4-12	4-5	5-13	4-16	6-18	4-11	5-11	4-11	68-162
	8-18	8-16	7-17	1-10	6-18	2-11	2-12	4-15	6-18	5-14	7-17	6-10	7-14	69-190
Average Starting Field Position*	49	25	27	43	30	21	38	30	25	24	29	24	39	31
	28	31	29	19	32	50	38	29	35	28	34	27	32	32
Turnovers	4	1	0	1	3	4	2	2	2	0	3	2	4	28
	4	1	2	2	5	4	1	1	1	1	2	4	2	30
Points Off Turnovers	21	7	6	14	21	20	7	0	0	0	3	14	0	113
	6	0	0	0	0	10	0	0	7	0	7	7	14	51
Penalties	6-50	6-55	3-25	5-40	7-70	6-47	1-5	6-48	1-5	1-5	5-41	3-30	5-50	55-471
	4-35	7-54	5-38	9-65	7-55	4-45	10-65	7-65	3-22	6-31	2-10	5-35	8-84	77-604
Punt Returns	4-117	0-0	2-7	4-6	4-16	0-0	3-23	3-4	3-5	1-18	2-7	0-0	1-1	27-204
	0-0	2-15	4-9	0-0	1-2	1-0	0-0	3-29	2-16	0-0	2-6	0-0	3-59	18-136
Kickoff Returns	3-61	4-74	1-25	1-11	1-94	0-0	3-99	0-0	3-65	3-52	2-85	1-17	4-77	26-660
	6-110	5-213	2-28	5-75	5-148	6-138	9-240	5-101	1-14	3-62	4-100	4-93	2-41	57-1363
Interceptions	1-74	0-0	0-0	1-10	4-61	1-21	0-0	1-0	0-0	1-22	2-6	3-82	0-0	14-276
	1-0	0-0	0-0	1-2	0-0	3-39	0-0	1-0	1-5	0-0	2-34	1-33	1-0	11-113
Sacks	3-13	2-2	4-11	2-12	4-29	4-34	5-40	2-11	2-21	2-11	1-11	0-0	4-39	35-234
	1-8	2-20	0-0	1-4	0-0	0-0	0-0	1-11	0-0	1-1	2-10	3-25	4-19	15-98

* - in teams' own territory; ^ - double overtime game; Note: Clemson totals on top, opponent totals on bottom; **bold** denotes a Clemson home game.

Superlatives



Category	Clemson Team High	Opponent Team High
Total Offense	559 vs. Temple, 10/12	492 by South Carolina, 11/25
Plays	81 vs. Boston College [^] , 9/9	77 by Florida Atlantic, 9/2
Yards Per Play	9.6 vs. Temple, 10/12	6.8 by South Carolina, 11/25
Rushing Yards	393 vs. Louisiana Tech, 9/30	224 by Virginia Tech, 10/26
Rush Attempts	58 vs. North Carolina, 9/23	58 by Virginia Tech, 10/26
Yards Per Rush	9.6 vs. Louisiana Tech, 9/30	5.9 by South Carolina, 11/25
Rushing Touchdowns	7 vs. North Carolina, 9/23	4 by South Carolina, 11/25
Longest Rush	80 vs. South Carolina, 11/25	40 by Virginia Tech, 10/26
Passing Yards	343 vs. Boston College [^] , 9/9	309 by Kentucky, 12/29
Pass Completions	25 vs. Boston College [^] , 9/9	24 by South Carolina, 11/25
Pass Attempts	40 vs. Boston College [^] , 9/9	46 by Louisiana Tech, 9/30
Completion % (min. 10 comp.)	92.3 vs. Temple, 10/12	79.2 by Wake Forest, 10/7
Pass Efficiency (min. 10 comp.)	311.9 vs. Temple, 10/12	196.1 by Kentucky, 12/29
Passing Touchdowns	3 vs. Florida Atlantic, 9/2	3 by Kentucky, 12/29
	3 vs. Temple, 10/12	
	3 vs. Kentucky, 12/29	
Longest Pass	82 vs. Boston College [^] , 9/9	70 by Kentucky, 12/29
First Downs	30 vs. North Carolina, 9/23	28 by South Carolina, 11/25
Total Touchdowns	9 vs. Temple, 10/12	4 by Boston College [^] , 9/9
		4 by South Carolina, 11/25
		4 by Kentucky, 12/29
Points	63 vs. Temple, 10/12	34 by Boston College [^] , 9/9
Field Goals	4 vs. Maryland, 11/4	2 by Florida Atlantic, 9/2
		2 by Boston College [^] , 9/9
		2 by Maryland, 11/4
Punting Average (min. 3 punts)	48.0 vs. Georgia Tech, 10/21	45.9 by Georgia Tech, 10/21
Time of Possession	38:17 vs. North Carolina, 9/23	35:50 by Virginia Tech, 10/26
Penalties	7 vs. Louisiana Tech, 9/30	10 by Temple, 10/12
Penalty Yards	70 vs. Louisiana Tech, 9/30	84 by Kentucky, 12/29
Turnovers	4 vs. Florida Atlantic, 9/2	5 by Louisiana Tech, 9/30
	4 vs. Wake Forest, 10/7	
	4 vs. Kentucky, 12/29	
Third-Down Conversions	9 vs. Boston College [^] , 9/9	8 by Florida Atlantic, 9/2
		8 by Boston College [^] , 9/9
Third-Down Conversion %	80.0 vs. Temple, 10/12	60.0 by South Carolina, 11/25
Average Starting Field Position*	49 vs. Florida Atlantic, 9/2	50 by Wake Forest, 10/7
Punt Return Yards	117 vs. Florida Atlantic, 9/2	59 by Kentucky, 12/29
Kickoff Return Yards	99 vs. Temple, 10/12	240 by Temple, 10/12
Interception Return Yards	82 vs. South Carolina, 11/25	39 by Wake Forest, 10/7
Interceptions By Defense	4 vs. Louisiana Tech, 9/30	3 by Wake Forest, 10/7
Fumble Return Yards	66 vs. Wake Forest, 10/7	4 by Georgia Tech, 10/21
Sacks By Defense	5 vs. Temple, 10/12	4 by Kentucky, 12/29



Jock McKissic intercepted a pass and raced 82 yards for a touchdown just before halftime against South Carolina on November 25, 2006.

Category	Clemson Individual Best	Opponent Individual Best
Total Offense	340 by Will Proctor vs. Boston College [^] , 9/9	301 by Blake Mitchell (South Carolina), 11/25
Rushing Yards	216 by James Davis vs. Georgia Tech, 10/21	203 by Branden Ore (Virginia Tech), 10/26
Rush Attempts	26 by James Davis vs. Wake Forest, 10/7	37 by Branden Ore (Virginia Tech), 10/26
Rushing Touchdowns	4 by James Davis vs. North Carolina, 9/23	2 by Branden Ore (Virginia Tech), 10/26
		2 by Mike Davis (South Carolina), 11/25
Longest Rush	80 by C.J. Spiller vs. South Carolina, 11/25	40 by Branden Ore (Virginia Tech), 10/26
Passing Yards	343 by Will Proctor vs. Boston College [^] , 9/9	299 by Andre' Woodson (Kentucky), 12/29
Pass Completions	25 by Will Proctor vs. Boston College [^] , 9/9	23 by Sam Hollenbach (Maryland), 11/4
		23 by Blake Mitchell (South Carolina), 11/25
Pass Attempts	40 by Will Proctor vs. Boston College [^] , 9/9	38 by Matt Ryan (Boston College [^]), 9/9
Completion % (min. 10 comp.)	68.4 by Will Proctor vs. South Carolina, 11/25	78.3 by Riley Skinner (Wake Forest), 10/7
Pass Efficiency (min. 10 comp.)	174.2 by Will Proctor vs. Florida Atlantic, 9/2	196.5 by Andre' Woodson (Kentucky), 12/29
Passing Touchdowns	3 by Will Proctor vs. Florida Atlantic, 9/2	3 by Andre' Woodson (Kentucky), 12/29
	3 by Will Proctor vs. Kentucky, 12/29	
Receptions	11 by Chansi Stuckey vs. Boston College [^] , 9/9	9 by Eric Newman (Louisiana Tech), 9/30
Receiving Yards	129 by Chansi Stuckey vs. Maryland, 11/4	103 by Sidney Rice (South Carolina), 11/25
Receiving Touchdowns	1 by many (9) vs. many (10), many times (18)	1 by many (9), many teams (6)
All-Purpose Yards	216 by James Davis vs. Georgia Tech, 10/21	248 by Travis Shelton (Temple), 10/12
Total Touchdowns	4 by James Davis vs. North Carolina, 9/23	2 by Branden Ore (Virginia Tech), 10/26
		2 by Mike Davis (South Carolina), 11/25
Points	24 by James Davis vs. North Carolina, 9/23	12 by Branden Ore (Virginia Tech), 10/26
		12 by Mike Davis (South Carolina), 11/25
Field Goals	4 by Jad Dean vs. Maryland, 11/4	2 by Warley Leroy (Florida Atlantic), 9/2
		2 by Ryan Ohliger (Boston College [^]), 9/9
		2 by Dan Ennis (Maryland), 11/4
Punting Average (min. 3 punts)	48.0 by Cole Chason vs. Georgia Tech, 10/21	45.9 by Durant Brooks (Georgia Tech), 10/21
Punt Return Yards	94 by Jacoby Ford vs. Florida Atlantic, 9/2	59 by Rafael Little (Kentucky), 12/29
Kickoff Return Yards	99 by Jacoby Ford vs. Temple, 10/12	213 by Jeff Smith (Boston College [^]), 9/9
Interception Return Yards	82 by Jock McKissic vs. South Carolina, 11/25	34 by Willie Young (N.C. State), 11/11
Interceptions	2 by Crezdon Butler vs. Louisiana Tech, 9/30	1 by many (11), many teams (8)
Fumble Return Yards	66 by Gaines Adams vs. Wake Forest, 10/7	4 by Philip Wheeler (Georgia Tech), 10/21
Tackles	17 by Chris Clemons vs. N.C. State, 11/11	
	17 by Nick Watkins vs. N.C. State, 11/11	
Sacks	2.5 by Gaines Adams vs. Florida State, 9/16	
Tackles For Loss	4 by C.J. Gaddis vs. Wake Forest, 10/7	

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Individual Offensive & Special Teams Game-By-Game Stats

RUSHING	#39 Chancellor	#1 Davis	#6 Ford	#10 Harper	#37 Merriweather	#14 Proctor	#28 Spiller	#2 Stuckey
Opponent	Car-Yds-TD	Car-Yds-TD	Car-Yds-TD	Car-Yds-TD	Car-Yds-TD	Car-Yds-TD	Car-Yds-TD	Car-Yds-TD
Florida Atlantic	1-4-0	14-94-1	1-10-0	2-(-5)-0	9-75-1	6-3-0	6-18-0	0-0-0
Boston College [^]	-----	24-93-2	0-0-0	-----	5-15-0	7-(-3)-0	5-31-0	0-0-0
Florida State	0-0-0	19-87-2	1-38-0	-----	3-11-0	2-15-1	2-(-4)-0	1-4-0
North Carolina	12-45-0	15-95-4	1-9-0	3-25-0	8-43-1	5-30-0	12-58-2	1-19-0
Louisiana Tech	11-113-0	11-143-2	0-0-0	0-0-0	-----	1-(-3)-0	15-127-1	0-0-0
Wake Forest	0-0-0	26-95-0	1-13-0	-----	-----	3-2-0	9-104-1	-----
Temple	21-114-1	9-138-3	0-0-0	0-0-0	-----	1-8-0	12-73-2	-----
Georgia Tech	0-0-0	21-216-2	0-0-0	-----	0-0-0	1-(-11)-0	16-116-1	-----
Virginia Tech	-----	12-30-1	1-2-0	-----	-----	5-7-0	10-41-0	0-0-0
Maryland	-----	20-90-0	0-0-0	-----	1-3-0	9-9-0	9-41-0	2-0-0
N.C. State	-----	13-34-0	1-5-0	-----	0-0-0	6-21-0	18-154-1	1-9-0
South Carolina	-----	11-19-0	1-12-0	-----	3-23-0	6-(-25)-0	10-155-2	2-(-3)-0
Kentucky	-----	8-53-0	1-15-0	-----	1-1-0	9-32-0	5-24-0	1-5-0
Totals	45-276-1	203-1187-17	8-104-0	5-20-0	30-171-2	61-85-1	129-938-10	8-34-0

PASSING	#10 Harper	#14 Proctor	#11 Reese
Opponent	Cm-Att-Yds-Int-TD	Cm-Att-Yds-Int-TD	Cm-Att-Yds-Int-TD
Florida Atlantic	1-3-7-0-0	13-20-166-1-3	-----
Boston College [^]	-----	25-40-343-0-2	-----
Florida State	-----	16-30-194-0-1	-----
North Carolina	5-7-46-0-0	9-14-134-1-0	-----
Louisiana Tech	4-6-31-0-1	5-8-100-0-1	1-3-2-0-0
Wake Forest	-----	20-30-214-3-1	-----
Temple	4-4-71-0-1	8-9-151-0-2	0-0-0-0-0
Georgia Tech	-----	7-16-105-1-1	-----
Virginia Tech	-----	11-28-86-1-0	-----
Maryland	-----	18-27-251-0-0	-----
N.C. State	-----	15-24-146-2-1	-----
South Carolina	-----	13-19-191-1-1	-----
Kentucky	-----	23-39-272-1-3	-----
Totals	14-20-155-0-2	183-304-2353-11-16	1-3-2-0-0

RECEIVING	#1 Davis	#6 Ford	#13 Grisham	#89 Hunter	#80 Kelly	#28 Spiller	#2 Stuckey	#5 Taylor
Opponent	Rec-Yds-TD	Rec-Yds-TD	Rec-Yds-TD	Rec-Yds-TD	Rec-Yds-TD	Rec-Yds-TD	Rec-Yds-TD	Rec-Yds-TD
Florida Atlantic	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	1-28-0	2-21-1	2-17-0	5-66-1	3-34-1
Boston College [^]	0-0-0	0-0-0	4-51-1	1-4-0	2-43-0	3-82-1	11-124-0	2-33-0
Florida State	1-54-0	1-(-7)-0	2-19-0	0-0-0	5-51-0	0-0-0	3-34-1	3-34-0
North Carolina	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	2-71-0	3-17-0	0-0-0	2-7-0	2-39-0
Louisiana Tech	0-0-0	0-0-0	1-12-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	2-13-0	4-100-1	0-0-0
Wake Forest	3-48-0	4-28-0	1-4-0	1-10-0	5-91-1	3-18-0	-----	2-12-0
Temple	0-0-0	3-67-1	1-6-0	2-57-0	1-17-0	1-4-0	-----	-----
Georgia Tech	0-0-0	2-7-0	2-25-0	1-6-0	1-17-0	1-50-1	-----	-----
Virginia Tech	0-0-0	0-0-0	3-34-0	-----	1-5-0	2-7-0	3-28-0	-----
Maryland	0-0-0	2-6-0	3-28-0	2-79-0	1-7-0	2-2-0	8-129-0	-----
N.C. State	0-0-0	1-2-0	2-29-1	2-15-0	2-11-0	1-0-0	5-72-0	-----
South Carolina	0-0-0	1-76-1	1-7-0	4-35-0	1-9-0	2-17-0	4-47-0	-----
Kentucky	2-13-0	1-8-0	5-49-1	-----	6-66-1	0-0-0	5-93-0	0-0-0
Totals	6-115-0	15-187-2	25-264-3	16-305-0	30-355-3	19-210-2	50-700-3	12-152-1

KICKING	#7 Dean FG				#30 Chason PUNTING					#49 Maners PUNTING				
	Made	Missed	#	Yds	Avg	-20	50+	#	Yds	Avg	-20	50+		
Florida Atlantic	25,45	32	0	0	-----	0	0	--	---	-----	--	--		
Boston College [^]	26,30	52	6	241	40.2	2	1	--	---	-----	--	--		
Florida State	---	32	7	276	39.4	1	0	--	---	-----	--	--		
North Carolina	42	---	0	0	-----	0	0	--	---	-----	--	--		
Louisiana Tech	40	---	2	102	51.0	1	1	--	---	-----	--	--		
Wake Forest	20,23	53	2	68	34.0	0	0	--	---	-----	--	--		
Temple	---	---	0	0	-----	0	0	1	42	42.0	0	0		
Georgia Tech	25	---	5	240	48.0	2	2	--	---	-----	--	--		
Virginia Tech	---	---	10	394	39.4	0	0	--	---	-----	--	--		
Maryland	27,32,25,22	---	5	209	41.8	1	2	--	---	-----	--	--		
N.C. State	26,31	---	5	181	36.2	2	0	--	---	-----	--	--		
South Carolina	---	39	5	222	44.4	2	2	--	---	-----	--	--		
Kentucky	---	38,28	3	131	43.7	1	0	--	---	-----	--	--		
Totals	15	7	50	2064	41.3	12	8	1	42	42.0	0	0		

RETURNS	#6 Ford PR			#13 Grisham PR			#28 Spiller PR			#6 Ford KOR			#28 Spiller KOR		
	#	Yds	Avg	#	Yds	Avg	#	Yds	Avg	#	Yds	Avg	#	Yds	Avg
Florida Atlantic	2	94	47.0	0	0	---	2	23	11.5	2	44	22.0	1	17	17.0
Boston College [^]	0	0	---	0	0	---	0	0	---	1	16	16.0	3	58	19.3
Florida State	1	12	12.0	0	0	---	1	-5	-5.0	0	0	---	1	25	25.0
North Carolina	3	14	4.7	0	0	---	1	-8	-8.0	0	0	---	1	11	11.0
Louisiana Tech	2	14	7.0	0	0	---	2	2	1.0	1	94	94.0	0	0	---
Wake Forest	0	0	---	0	0	---	0	0	---	0	0	---	0	0	---
Temple	1	4	4.0	1	5	5.0	1	14	14.0	3	99	33.0	0	0	---
Georgia Tech	2	0	0.0	0	0	---	1	4	4.0	0	0	---	0	0	---
Virginia Tech	1	-1	-1.0	0	0	---	2	6	3.0	1	24	24.0	2	41	20.5
Maryland	1	18	18.0	0	0	---	0	0	---	1	18	18.0	2	34	17.0
N.C. State	1	10	10.0	0	0	---	1	-3	-3.0	2	85	42.5	0	0	---
South Carolina	0	0	---	0	0	---	0	0	---	1	17	17.0	0	0	---
Kentucky	1	1	1.0	0	0	---	0	0	---	1	29	29.0	3	48	16.0
Totals	15	166	11.1	1	5	5.0	11	33	3.0	13	426	32.8	13	234	18.0

[^] - double overtime game; Note: **Bold** denotes a Clemson home game.

Individual Defensive Game-By-Game Stats



Opponent	#93 Adams PL-Tac-TFL-Sk	#24 Alexander PL-Tac-TFL-Sk	#52 Baker PL-Tac-TFL-Sk	#18 Butler PL-Tac-PBU-Int	#48 Campbell PL-Tac-TFL-Sk	#95 Cannon PL-Tac-TFL-Sk	#27 Chambers PL-Tac-TFL-Sk
Florida Atlantic	*27-4-1-0	16-4-0-0	13-1-0-0	22-3-0-0	27-6-1-0	18-0-0-0	9-0-0-0
Boston College^	*54-2-0-0	0-0-0-0	-----	8-2-0-0	8-3-0-0	17-0-0-0	0-0-0-0
Florida State	*46-7-2.5-2.5	0-1-0-0	-----	28-3-0-0	-----	16-0-0-0	0-1-0-0
North Carolina	*19-1-1-1	1-0-0-0	-----	9-2-0-0	8-0-0-0	21-0-0-0	4-1-0-0
Louisiana Tech	*32-4-1-1	10-3-0-0	3-0-0-0	28-5-1-2	22-3-0-0	24-2-0-0	26-3-0-0
Wake Forest	*51-8-3-2	0-2-0-0	-----	0-2-0-0	5-0-0-0	13-3-1-1	8-0-0-0
Temple	*12-1-1-1	13-4-1-1	-----	30-7-1-0	21-2-0-0	29-3-2-2	33-0-0-0
Georgia Tech	*49-3-2-1	0-0-0-0	-----	21-4-0-1	3-0-0-0	20-2-0-0	17-2-0-0
Virginia Tech	*58-7-2-1	0-0-0-0	-----	24-1-0-0	-----	26-1-0-0	16-3-0-0
Maryland	*56-4-1-1	0-1-0-0	-----	12-2-1-0	2-0-0-0	17-2-1-0	1-0-0-0
N.C. State	*67-10-0-0	0-1-0-0	-----	25-0-0-0	2-1-0-0	6-0-0-0	-----
South Carolina	*61-5-1-0	0-0-0-0	-----	19-3-0-0	-----	18-0-0-0	-----
Kentucky	*50-6-2-2	0-0-0-0	-----	22-0-0-0	8-0-0-0	18-2-0-0	3-0-0-0
Totals	582-62-17.5-12.5	40-16-1-1	16-1-0-0	248-34-3-3	106-15-1-0	243-15-4-3	117-10-0-0

Opponent	#38 Chancellor PL-Tac-PBU-Int	#44 Clark PL-Tac-TFL-Sk	#43 Clay PL-Tac-TFL-Sk	#22 Clemons PL-Tac-PBU-Int	#3 Coleman PL-Tac-PBU-Int	#33 Conner PL-Tac-TFL-Sk	#8 Cumbie PL-Tac-TFL-Sk
Florida Atlantic	22-3-0-0	18-2-0-0	*29-1-0-0	*43-3-1-0	*38-7-0-0	17-3-0-0	28-2-0-0
Boston College^	27-4-0-0	19-3-0-0	*60-12-1-0	*70-10-0-0	*66-9-1-0	14-2-0-0	-----
Florida State	*26-2-0-0	17-1-0-0	*44-8-1.5-0.5	*58-5-1-0	*50-10-0-0	12-4-0-0	4-0-0-0
North Carolina	16-2-0-0	17-3-0-0	*15-4-1-0	*26-5-2-1	*23-4-0-0	15-1-0-0	8-2-0-0
Louisiana Tech	*40-5-1-0	26-0-0-0	*32-6-1-0	*56-3-3-0	*41-3-0-0	16-7-0-0	24-3-2-1
Wake Forest	11-2-0-0	19-1-0-0	*50-6-0-0	*57-12-0-0	*57-13-1-0	0-1-0-0	-----
Temple	21-7-0-0	20-2-0-0	*24-2-0-0	*19-4-0-0	*16-3-0-0	19-2-0-0	24-1-0-0
Georgia Tech	2-1-0-0	23-1-0-0	*52-13-3-1	*66-9-0-0	*46-6-0-0	11-4-0-0	4-0-0-0
Virginia Tech	7-2-0-0	27-1-0-0	*59-15-1-0	*69-6-0-0	*52-6-0-0	8-2-0-0	-----
Maryland	0-1-0-0	18-1-0-0	*54-11-1-0	*63-12-1-0	*59-6-0-0	4-0-0-0	-----
N.C. State	5-2-0-0	22-2-0-0	62-10-0-0	*70-17-0-0	*51-3-0-1	4-3-0-0	6-0-0-0
South Carolina	*53-4-2-0	24-1-0-0	*64-5-0-0	*69-12-0-0	*62-11-0-0	5-0-0-0	3-0-0-0
Kentucky	*58-3-2-0	10-0-0-0	20-2-0-0	*59-4-0-0	-----	13-2-0-0	3-0-0-0
Totals	288-38-5-0	260-18-0-0	565-95-9.5-1.5	725-102-8-1	561-81-2-1	138-31-0-0	104-8-2-1

Opponent	#99 Etta-Tawo PL-Tac-TFL-Sk	#56 Gabriel PL-Tac-TFL-Sk	#12 Gaddis PL-Tac-PBU-Int	#15 Gilliam PL-Tac-PBU-Int	#25 Hamlin PL-Tac-PBU-Int	#91 Jackson PL-Tac-TFL-Sk	#29 Lewis PL-Tac-PBU-Int
Florida Atlantic	18-1-0-0	13-1-0-0	-----	23-0-0-0	*41-7-0-1	4-0-0-0	*49-3-0-0
Boston College^	2-0-0-0	-----	*35-2-0-0	6-0-0-0	*59-5-0-0	23-3-0-0	11-0-0-0
Florida State	8-1-0-0	-----	17-3-0-0	12-0-0-0	-----	25-3-0-0	-----
North Carolina	11-0-0-0	-----	*28-2-0-0	13-1-1-0	-----	21-1-0-0	9-1-1-0
Louisiana Tech	15-2-0-0	3-1-0-0	*48-2-1-0	28-2-0-0	-----	30-1-0-0	10-1-0-0
Wake Forest	-----	-----	*46-6-0-1	0-0-0-0	*57-3-0-0	28-1-0-0	0-0-0-0
Temple	-----	12-0-0-0	*18-0-0-0	11-2-0-0	*11-0-0-0	20-2-0-0	13-0-0-0
Georgia Tech	-----	3-0-0-0	*64-6-0-0	0-0-0-0	*64-4-0-0	21-5-0-0	-----
Virginia Tech	-----	-----	*69-1-0-0	0-0-0-0	*69-7-0-0	15-2-0-0	-----
Maryland	-----	-----	*63-1-0-0	2-0-0-0	*63-9-0-1	30-1-0-0	-----
N.C. State	-----	-----	*66-1-1-0	1-0-0-0	*71-4-1-0	38-4-0-0	0-0-0-0
South Carolina	-----	-----	*72-3-1-1	10-1-0-0	*72-10-2-0	24-0-0-0	0-0-0-0
Kentucky	-----	-----	*64-6-0-0	5-0-0-0	*69-15-0-0	*36-3-1-0	-----
Totals	54-4-0-0	31-2-0-0	590-33-3-2	111-6-1-0	576-64-3-2	315-26-1-0	92-5-1-0

Opponent	#9 McElrathbey PL-Tac-PBU-Int	#50 McKissic PL-Tac-TFL-Sk	#94 Merling PL-Tac-TFL-Sk	#47 Miller PL-Tac-TFL-Sk	#57 Murchison PL-Tac-TFL-Sk	#42 Nelson PL-Tac-TFL-Sk	#23 Russell PL-Tac-PBU-Int
Florida Atlantic	1-3-0-0	*30-3-1-0	*33-2-1-1	29-3-0-0	24-1-0-0	17-1-1-1	34-3-1-0
Boston College^	0-1-0-0	*48-2-0-0	*60-4-2-0	6-0-0-0	6-0-0-0	*66-8-0-0	7-1-0-0
Florida State	0-0-0-0	*25-2-0.5-0.5	*40-3-0.5-0.5	8-0-0-0	8-1-0-0	*48-7-0-0	16-1-1-0
North Carolina	0-0-0-0	*17-0-0-0	*19-1-0-0	17-3-0-0	10-0-0-0	*23-4-0-0	33-2-1-0
Louisiana Tech	0-0-0-0	*25-2-1-0	*30-2-1-1	39-4-0-0	15-1-0-0	*42-5-1-0	22-0-0-0
Wake Forest	0-0-0-0	*31-1-0-0	*47-4-1-0	0-1-0-0	-----	*50-9-1-1	1-0-0-0
Temple	0-0-0-0	*18-1-0-0	*4-0-0-0	18-1-0-0	17-2-1-0	*20-0-0-0	38-2-0-0
Georgia Tech	0-0-0-0	*40-0-0-0	*42-4-1-0	4-0-0-0	4-0-0-0	*43-5-1-0	0-0-0-0
Virginia Tech	0-0-0-0	*43-0-0-0	*45-5-1.5-0.5	0-0-0-0	17-3-0-0	*46-11-0-0	5-2-0-0
Maryland	0-1-0-0	*32-1-0-0	*44-6-1-0	0-0-0-0	-----	*59-5-0-0	0-0-0-0
N.C. State	0-0-0-0	*31-1-0-0	*55-5-0-0	0-0-0-0	-----	*59-7-1-0	1-0-0-0
South Carolina	0-1-0-0	*44-1-0-0	*48-5-0-0	0-0-0-0	-----	6-3-0-0	3-0-0-0
Kentucky	0-0-0-0	34-4-0-0	*48-5-1-0	0-0-0-0	-----	*61-6-0-0	10-2-0-0
Totals	1-6-0-0	418-18-2.5-0.5	515-46-10-3	121-12-0-0	101-8-1-0	540-71-5-2	170-13-3-0

Opponent	#7 Sapp PL-Tac-TFL-Sk	#97 Scott PL-Tac-TFL-Sk	#45 Vincent PL-Tac-TFL-Sk	#17 Walker PL-Tac-PBU-Int	#40 Waters PL-Tac-TFL-Sk	#32 Watkins PL-Tac-TFL-Sk	#98 Williams PL-Tac-TFL-Sk
Florida Atlantic	27-4-1-1	*28-5-1-0	27-3-0-0	37-3-0-0	*38-3-0-0	*32-5-0-0	23-3-0-0
Boston College^	17-0-0-0	*41-4-0-0	0-0-0-0	17-4-0-0	-----	*73-9-2-1	5-0-0-0
Florida State	8-1-0-0	*29-3-0-0	4-0-0-0	*47-1-0-0	-----	*52-11-0-0	4-1-0-0
North Carolina	17-3-0-0	*18-2-1-1	14-3-0-0	*38-3-0-0	-----	*28-6-2-0	8-0-0-0
Louisiana Tech	27-2-1-1	*25-3-0-0	15-1-0-0	34-6-1-0	-----	*37-6-2-0	18-1-0-0
Wake Forest	7-0-0-0	*37-4-0-0	0-0-0-0	-----	-----	*57-10-0-0	-----
Temple	24-4-3-1	*14-4-0-0	23-4-1-0	46-4-0-0	-----	*15-5-0-0	15-3-1-0
Georgia Tech	10-1-0-0	*40-3-0-0	13-4-0-0	2-0-0-0	-----	*51-9-0-0	6-1-0-0
Virginia Tech	17-1-0-0	*46-7-0-0	8-2-0-0	5-1-0-0	-----	*66-9-0-0	-----
Maryland	6-0-0-0	*31-2-1-1	2-0-0-0	0-0-0-0	-----	*58-11-0-0	-----
N.C. State	11-1-1-1	*31-4-0-0	*10-2-0-0	-----	-----	*65-17-0-0	-----
South Carolina	14-2-0-0	*46-4-0-0	8-1-0-0	-----	-----	*67-10-0-0	-----
Kentucky	12-1-0-0	*44-9-1-1	*49-4-0-0	-----	-----	*56-8-1-0	7-1-0-0
Totals	197-20-6-4	430-54-4-3	173-24-1-0	226-22-1-0	38-3-0-0	657-116-7-1	86-10-1-0

* - start; ^ - double overtime game; Note: "PL" does not include special team plays or offensive plays; special team tackles are included; bold denotes a Clemson home game.

Game Reviews

Game 1

 **Florida Atlantic** 6
 **Clemson** 54

September 2, 2006
 Memorial Stadium • Clemson, SC

Clemson scored its most points in a season-opening game since the 1995 season in a 54-6 victory over Florida Atlantic at Memorial Stadium on September 2. It was the first meeting between the two schools.

The #18 Tigers scored seven touchdowns on the afternoon, including two rushing, three passing, and two on returns, while the Clemson defense held the Owls out of the endzone, allowing just two field goals. Both field goals came off Tiger turnovers in Clemson territory.

The win was marred by a season-ending injury by senior linebacker Anthony Waters, who was the ACC's leading returning tackler. He was lost for his collegiate career when he tore an ACL in the third quarter.

Senior Will Proctor, who made his second career start, was 13-20 for 166 yards and three touchdowns. He hit Chansi Stuckey, Rendrick Taylor, and Aaron Kelly for scores, as Stuckey had five catches for 66 yards, both game-highs.

James Davis rushed for 94 yards and a score on 14 carries, while Reggie Merriweather rushed for 75 yards and a touchdown on only nine carries. The duo combined for 169 yards on 23 carries, good for 7.3 yards per carry.

Jad Dean got the Tigers on the board with a 25-yard field goal after a 12-play, 63-yard drive in the first quarter. Clemson then took a 10-0 lead late in the first quarter on a 30-yard pass from Proctor to Stuckey.

After a second-quarter fumble by the Owls, the Tigers took over at the Florida Atlantic 26. Merriweather's one-yard plunge on fourth down gave the Tigers a 17-0 lead.

Florida Atlantic sustained its first drive of more than three plays later in the second quarter, keyed by Sean Clayton's

13-yard pass to Jamari Grant on third-and-11. But on the next play, Michael Hamlin stepped in front of Clayton's pass at the six and returned it for a touchdown. However, Clemson was flagged for a block in the back and took over at the Owl 30. The 74-yard return was the longest by a Tiger since 1978.

The Tigers converted two third downs on the ensuing drive to go ahead 24-0. The latter was a 14-yard pass from Proctor to Kelly for six points.

Proctor's first career interception on the first drive of the second half set up a Warley Leroy 24-yard field goal. On the following kickoff return, a Tiger fumble allowed Leroy to kick his second field goal of the quarter on the ensuing drive.

The Tigers responded with a nine-play, 83-yard drive. Davis had four carries of at least 10 yards on the drive, capped by his 22-yard run around left end for a touchdown.

Clemson upped its lead to 38-6 late in the third quarter. Punter Mike O'Neill's knee touched the ground as he attempted to catch a low snap at the Owl 18. On the next play, Proctor hit Taylor for a score, his first as a Tiger.

After Dean made a 45-yard field goal early in the fourth quarter, Florida Atlantic moved the ball near midfield before being forced to punt. O'Neill's punt backed Jacoby Ford inside of the Tiger 10, and the ball went through his hands and rolled in the direction of the Tiger sideline. But Ford scooped the ball and raced 92 yards down the sideline for a touchdown. It was the longest punt return in Clemson history.

Another freshman, defensive end Ricky Sapp, was key in Clemson scoring again on a return. Sapp hit Rusty Smith just before attempting a pass. Sergio Gilliam picked up the fumble and sprinted 31 yards for a touchdown.

The Tiger third-string defense kept the Owls out of the endzone after Florida Atlantic drove 79 yards in the last 5:19 of the game. Clemson's defense held from the one-yard line on the last two plays of the game.

Clemson played 73 players in the contest, including 34 on offense and 34 on defense. The Tigers also played 20 freshmen, eight of which were true-freshmen.

gave the Eagles a first-and-goal, then Matt Ryan found Kevin Challenger in the endzone for a nine-yard touchdown pass.

The Eagles put together a long drive and had first-and-goal at the Tiger two. But Michael Hamlin forced a fumble, and Gaines Adams scooped up the ball and returned it 14 yards. Two plays later, Spiller took a swing pass, avoided several Eagles, and raced 82 yards for a touchdown. It was his first career touchdown, as it gave the Tigers a 17-7 lead.

A 35-yard field goal by Ohliger late in the first half cut the Tiger lead to seven. Then Smith took the opening kickoff of the second half 96 yards to tie the score. It was the first kickoff return for a score against the Tigers since 2002.

In the fourth quarter, Ohliger missed a field goal, then Clemson drove 80 yards to take the lead. The drive was highlighted by a 24-yard pass to Rendrick Taylor on third-and-12. Davis carried over from one yard with 8:20 left.

Boston College took the ball down the field on its ensuing drive to tie the score. The drive was not without controversy, however. Ryan's pass to the Tiger 14 was caught simultaneously by Challenger and Hamlin, but Hamlin wrestled the ball away and came up with the ball. The play was ruled an interception, but the replay booth overturned the call. Four plays later, Ryan scored on a one-yard quarterback sneak with 4:59 remaining in the game.

Boston College took over first in the first overtime. But the Tiger defense came up big on a third-down play and forced Ohliger to make a 35-yard field goal.

On Clemson's first play, Proctor hit Stuckey down the sideline for 22 yards to the Eagle three. But on the next play, Spiller was dropped for a loss of four yards on a run around the end, and the Tigers settled for a Dean field goal.

Clemson took over first in the second overtime and was quickly backed up to the Eagle 41 for a second-and-26. But Proctor completed back-to-back passes to Stuckey for 20 yards, and Davis carried over from one yard two plays later. However, Jolonn Dunbar blocked the extra point.

It took Boston College five plays to go 25 yards to tie the score, capped by Whitworth's six-yard scoring run. Ohliger's extra point sent the Tigers home in defeat.

Game Stats

Florida Atlantic	0	0	6	0	6
Clemson	10	14	14	16	54

CU Dean 25 FG, 1st, 4:17, 12-63
 CU Stuckey 30 pass from Proctor (Dean kick), 1st, 0:11, 8-73
 CU Merriweather 1 run, 2nd, 7:26, 7-26
 CU Kelly 14 pass from Proctor (Dean kick), 2nd, 0:43, 6-30
 FAU Leroy 24 FG, 3rd, 10:48, 7-31
 FAU Leroy 32 FG, 3rd, 9:08, 4-1
 CU Davis 22 run (Dean kick), 3rd, 6:09, 9-83
 CU Taylor 18 pass from Proctor (Dean kick), 3rd, 2:08, 1-18
 CU Dean 45 FG, 4th, 14:00, 5-20
 CU Ford 92 punt return (Dean kick failed), 4th, 9:40
 CU Gilliam 31 fumble return (Dean kick), 4th, 5:19
 Attendance - 78,693

Team Statistics	FAU	CU
Rushing	34-47	39-199
Total Offense	77-263	62-372

Rushing (Rush-Yards-TD)

FAU Pierre 8-31, Sanchez 4-20, Floyd 8-19, Clayton 4-4, Rose 1-3, Bostic 1-1, Manley 3-(-4), R. Smith 4-(-13), O'Neill 1-(-14)
 CU Davis 14-94-1, Merriweather 9-75-1, Spiller 6-18, Ford 1-10, D. Chancellor 1-4, Proctor 6-3, Harper 2-(-5)

Passing (Cm-Att-Yards-I-TD)

FAU Clayton 11-22-112-1-0, R. Smith 9-21-104-0-0
 CU Proctor 13-20-166-1-3, Harper 1-3-7-0-0

Receiving (Rec-Yards-TD)

FAU Simeon 3-28, Harmon 3-8, Johnson 2-37, Gent 2-32, Grant 2-26, Wilkes 2-23, Holley 2-16, Bonner 1-18, Floyd 1-13, Manley 1-13, Bostic 1-2
 CU Stuckey 5-66-1, Taylor 3-34-1, Kelly 2-21-1, Spiller 2-17, Hunter 1-28, Pearson 1-7

Game 2

 **Clemson** 33
 **Boston College** 34
(2 OT)

September 9, 2006
 Alumni Stadium • Chestnut Hill, MA

Ryan Ohliger kicked a walkoff extra point after the Tigers had their extra point blocked in the second overtime to lift Boston College to a 34-33 win over #18 Clemson at Alumni Stadium on September 9. The overtime game was the second in a row between the two ACC division foes, as the 2005 contest also ended in overtime with an Eagle victory.

The Tigers had leads of 10-0 and 17-7 in the first half and never trailed in regulation, but Boston College fought its way back thanks in part to the 213 kickoff return yards by freshman Jeff Smith, including a 96-yard return for a touchdown on the opening kickoff of the second half.

Clemson outgained the Eagles 479-322 in the game, but the Tigers were kept in bad starting field position during the last three quarters, while Boston College had good starting field position thanks to Smith. Both teams converted 50 percent of their third-down conversion attempts as well.

Will Proctor was 25-40 for 343 yards and two scores. His favorite target was Chansi Stuckey, who had 11 catches for 124 yards. C.J. Spiller added three catches for 82 yards, and had 171 all-purpose yards. Clemson had eight plays of 20 yards or more, while the Eagles had none.

James Davis rushed for 93 yards and two scores on 24 carries. L.V. Whitworth led Boston College with 78 yards on the ground on 19 carries.

On their second drive, the Tigers drove 48 yards in eight plays, capped by Proctor's 22-yard strike to Tyler Grisham down the sideline for a touchdown. It was his first career touchdown, and put the Tigers ahead 10-0.

Boston College responded with a 53-yard drive to cut the Tiger lead to three points. A pass interference penalty

Game Stats

Clemson	10	7	0	7	9	33
Boston College	0	10	7	7	10	34

CU Dean 26 FG, 1st, 5:39, 8-31
 CU Grisham 22 pass from Proctor (Dean kick), 1st, 1:30, 8-48
 BOC Challenger 9 pass from Ryan (Ohliger kick), 2nd, 13:55, 7-53
 CU Spiller 82 pass from Proctor (Dean kick), 2nd, 6:28, 2-82
 BOC Ohliger 35 FG, 2nd, 2:54, 8-31
 BOC J. Smith 96 kickoff return (Ohliger kick), 3rd, 14:44
 CU Davis 1 run (Dean kick), 4th, 8:20, 10-80
 BOC Ryan 1 run (Ohliger kick), 4th, 4:59, 9-58
 BOC Ohliger 35 FG, OT¹, 4-8
 CU Dean 30 FG, OT¹, 5-12
 CU Davis 1 run (Dean kick failed), OT², 5-25
 BOC Whitworth 6 run (Ohliger kick), OT², 5-25
 Attendance - 44,500

Team Statistics	CU	BOC
Rushing	41-136	37-110
Passing	25-40-343	22-38-212
Total Offense	81-479	75-322

Rushing (Rush-Yards-TD)

CU Davis 24-93-2, Spiller 5-31, Merriweather 5-15, Proctor 7-(-3)
 BOC Whitworth 19-78-1, Callender 13-52, Ryan 4-(-1)-1, TEAM 1-(-19)

Passing (Cm-Att-Yards-I-TD)

CU Proctor 25-40-343-0-2
 BOC Ryan 22-38-212-0-1

Receiving (Rec-Yards-TD)

CU Stuckey 11-124, Grisham 4-51-1, Spiller 3-82-1, Kelly 2-43, Taylor 2-33, Harris 1-6, Hunter 1-4, Merriweather 1-0
 BOC Challenger 6-73-1, Gonzalez 4-29, Whitworth 4-17, Sele 3-30, Robinson 1-16, Callender 1-15, Purvis 1-15, Loyte 1-10, J. Smith 1-7



Game 3

	Clemson	27
	Florida State	20

September 16, 2006
Doak S. Campbell Stadium • Tallahassee, FL

James Davis' one-yard touchdown run with eight seconds left propelled Clemson to a 27-20 victory at #9 Florida State in Bowden Bowl VIII on September 16. It was the Tigers' first win in Tallahassee since 1989, ending Clemson's seven-game losing streak at Doak S. Campbell Stadium.

The Tiger senior class became the first in ACC history to defeat the Seminoles three times. The loss also was only Florida State's third loss in its first 57 ACC home games.

Clemson had three touchdown-scoring drives of 80 yards or more, totaling 345 yards (5.9 yards per play), while the Seminoles amassed only 204 yards.

Davis, who only had 20 yards rushing on 13 carries until Clemson's final drive, ran six times for 67 yards on the last drive. He rushed for 87 yards in all. Aaron Kelly was the leading receiver with five catches for 51 yards.

Will Proctor stood tall against a stingy Seminole defense. The Winter Park, FL native was 16-30 for 194 yards and a touchdown. He was a big reason the Tigers did not commit a turnover. His offensive line did not allow a sack as well.

In the first quarter, Jacoby Ford took a reverse 38 yards to the eight, and Davis rushed into the endzone on the next play to give the Tigers a 6-0 lead. However, Lawrence Timmons blocked the extra-point attempt, and Tony Carter picked up the ball and went the distance for two points.

After a 55-yard punt (60-yard net), the Tigers took over at their own 20 in the second quarter. Rendrick Taylor pulled down a 32-yard catch to move the ball into Seminole territory. Clemson moved the ball to the 15, but the drive stalled.

Dean came on the field to attempt a 32-yard field goal. But Patrick Robinson blocked another field-goal attempt, and

Carter once again was in the right place. He scooped the ball up and sprinted 69 yards for the touchdown.

Clemson came right back and regained the lead just before halftime. The Tigers drove 80 yards in 10 plays, capped by Chansi Stuckey's 19-yard touchdown catch with only 23 seconds left in the first half. Proctor found Stuckey again in the back of the endzone for two points.

The Tigers received the opening kickoff of the second half and marched 80 yards in five plays to up their lead to 20-9. Proctor lofted a touch pass to Davis out of the backfield, and the sophomore ran 54 yards before being tackled at the Seminole 26. Three plays later, Proctor faked a handoff, rolled left, and ran 20 yards into the endzone untouched for six points. The two-point conversion attempt was unsuccessful, leaving the Tigers ahead by 11 points.

Momentum shifted Florida State's way. The Seminoles cut the Tiger lead to one possession with 3:19 left in the third quarter when Cismesia made a 25-yard field goal.

On their next drive, the Seminoles drove 53 yards in 12 plays to tie the score. A 26-yard pass from Drew Weatherford to Chris Davis on third-and-nine helped set up Joe Surratt's one-yard touchdown plunge. Weatherford connected with Davis again for a successful two-point conversion.

Proctor was unable to handle a snap deep in Tiger territory, and the officials ruled that the Seminoles came up with the fumble. But after a replay review, Clemson was awarded possession due to dual-possession. The Tigers were forced to punt, but Florida State never penetrated inside the Tiger 40 again.

After four straight three-and-outs by the Tiger offense, Clemson began its final drive at its own 15 with 2:22 left. Davis' 14-yard rush gave Clemson breathing room, then Proctor hit Kelly on a slant pass for 18 yards. After the play, the Seminole defense was still in the process of lining up, and Proctor caught Florida State off-guard with a quick snap. Davis found a hole and raced 47 yards to the four.

Two rushes netted three yards to the one yard line, and the Tigers called timeout with 11 seconds left. Davis found paydirt off left guard with eight seconds remaining.

next play to give Clemson a 14-point lead. It was his first career touchdown on the ground.

Sadat Chambers stripped Brandon Tate on the ensuing kickoff, and Crezdon Butler recovered the fumble at the Tar Heel nine. After three plays moved the ball to the one, Davis scored on fourth down late in the first quarter.

Two drives later, Spiller toted the football. He carried six times for 37 yards on the drive, and Merriweather later scored on a one-yard plunge to give Clemson a 28-0 lead.

Another three-and-out forced North Carolina to punt, and Clemson took over at its own 28. On second down, Proctor found Hunter wide open over the middle, and the senior scampered 47 yards to the Tar Heel 24. Davis then rushed for 14 yards to the 10, and scored on the next play with 1:40 remaining in the second quarter.

The Tigers opened the second half with more points, as they marched 82 yards in seven plays. Merriweather moved the ball near midfield with runs of 17 and eight yards. After an illegal participation penalty on the Tar Heels, Proctor connected with Hunter for 24 yards to the eight. Two plays later, Davis scored on a two-yard run.

Chris Clemons' first career interception on the ensuing drive gave the ball back to the Tigers at the North Carolina 25. Five plays later, Spiller scored on a one-yard run with 7:14 remaining in the third quarter.

On Clemson's next drive, Cullen Harper was inserted at quarterback, and he led the Tigers on a scoring drive. Harper carried on back-to-back plays for 22 combined yards to move the ball into Tar Heel territory. After the drive stalled, Jad Dean made a 42-yard field goal.

North Carolina finally put points on the board with a 12-play, 80-yard drive that culminated in a four-yard touchdown run by Cam Sexton. After going 0-for-9 on third down, the Tar Heels finally converted a third down to set up his score.

Harper then led Clemson on one of the longest drives (in terms of time) in school history. After a touchback on the kickoff, the Tigers went 62 yards on 16 plays, taking 9:45 off the clock. However, Chancellor was stopped on a fourth-and-one with 45 seconds remaining in the game.

Game Stats

Clemson	6	8	6	7	27
Florida State	2	7	3	8	20

CU Davis 8 run (Dean kick failed), 1st, 3:42, 2-46
 FSU Carter PAT return, 1st, 3:42
 FSU Carter 69 blocked FG return (Cismesia kick), 2nd, 3:24
 CU Stuckey 19 pass from Proctor (Proctor to Stuckey), 2nd, 0:23, 10-80
 CU Proctor 20 run (Proctor pass failed), 3rd, 12:14, 5-80
 FSU Cismesia 25 FG, 3rd, 3:19, 14-54
 FSU Surratt 1 run (Weatherford to C. Davis), 4th, 10:27, 12-53
 CU Davis 1 run (Dean kick), 4th, 0:08, 7-85
 Attendance - 83,510

Team Statistics	CU	FSU
Rushing	28-151	38-102
Passing	16-30-194	11-20-102
Total Offense	58-345	58-204

Rushing (Rush-Yards-TD)

CU Davis 19-87-2, Ford 1-38, Proctor 2-15-1, Merriweather 3-11, Stuckey 1-4, Spiller 2-(-4)
 FSU Booker 10-45, Smith 11-36, Surratt 7-25-1, Weatherford 10-(-4)

Passing (Cm-Att-Yards-I-TD)

CU Proctor 16-30-194-0-1
 FSU Weatherford 11-19-102-0-0, Lee 0-1-0-0-0

Receiving (Rec-Yards-TD)

CU Kelly 5-51, Stuckey 3-34-1, Taylor 3-34, Grisham 2-19, Davis 1-54, Barry 1-9, Ford 1-(-7)
 FSU Fagg 4-34, Warren 3-25, C. Davis 1-26, Booker 1-7, Goodman 1-6, Shaw 1-4

Game 4

	North Carolina	7
	Clemson	52

September 23, 2006
Memorial Stadium • Clemson, SC

Clemson scored seven touchdowns, all on the ground, and amassed 504 yards of total offense on its way to a 52-7 triumph over North Carolina at Memorial Stadium on September 23. The seven rushing touchdowns were the most by a Clemson team since 1982. It was the Tigers' largest victory margin in the 53-game series that dates back to 1897.

The #19 Tigers scored touchdowns on their first three possessions and never looked back. Clemson built a 35-0 halftime lead and 52-0 lead at the end of three quarters before the Tar Heels finally got on the board late in the game.

Clemson rushed for 324 yards despite not having a 100-yard rusher. The Tigers also passed for 180 yards, giving the team 504 yards of total offense on 79 plays, and had 30 first downs. Clemson did not punt in the game as well.

James Davis rushed for a game-high 95 yards on 15 carries and scored four touchdowns. C.J. Spiller carried 12 times for 58 yards and totaled two scores, while Demerick Chancellor (45) and Reggie Merriweather (43) posted solid rushing numbers as well. Seven different Tigers combined for 11 rushes of 10 yards or more, including four by Davis.

Will Proctor was 9-14 for 134 yards, including two to Thomas Hunter, who had catches of 47 yards and 24 yards.

Davis got the Tigers going early on their first drive by carrying six times for 49 yards, capped by a one-yard touchdown run, to give Clemson a 7-0 lead just over seven minutes into the game.

After a three-and-out by the Tar Heels, the Tigers took over possession near midfield. Proctor's 28-yard pass to Rendrick Taylor set up Chansi Stuckey's 19-yard run on a reverse to the seven. Spiller rushed for a touchdown on the

Game Stats

North Carolina	0	0	0	7	7
Clemson	21	14	17	0	52

CU Davis 1 run (Dean kick), 1st, 7:55, 12-90
 CU Spiller 7 run (Dean kick), 1st, 4:19, 5-53
 CU Davis 1 run (Dean kick), 1st, 2:10, 4-9
 CU Merriweather 1 run (Dean kick), 2nd, 5:14, 12-63
 CU Davis 10 run (Dean kick), 2nd, 1:40, 4-72
 CU Davis 2 run (Dean kick), 3rd, 10:46, 7-82
 CU Spiller 1 run (Dean kick), 3rd, 7:14, 5-25
 CU Dean 42 FG, 3rd, 1:06, 8-44
 UNC Sexton 4 run (Barth kick), 4th, 10:30, 12-80
 Attendance - 81,886

Team Statistics	UNC	CU
Rushing	22-54	58-324
Passing	7-23-96	14-21-180
Total Offense	45-150	79-504

Rushing (Rush-Yards-TD)

UNC McGill 11-52, B. Edwards 4-6, Warren 1-2, Sexton 4-(-2)-1, Dailey 2-(-4)
 CU Davis 15-95-4, Spiller 12-58-2, D. Chancellor 12-45, Merriweather 8-43-1, Proctor 5-30, Harper 3-25, Stuckey 1-19, Ford 1-9, Macko 1-0

Passing (Cm-Att-Yards-I-TD)

UNC Sexton 7-22-96-1-0, Dailey 0-1-0-0-0
 CU Proctor 9-14-134-1-0, Harper 5-7-46-0-0

Receiving (Rec-Yards-TD)

UNC Holley 3-43, Nicks 1-17, Rome 1-16, Foster 1-14, B. Edwards 1-6
 CU D. Chancellor 3-30, Kelly 3-17, Hunter 2-71, Taylor 2-39, Diomande 2-16, Stuckey 2-7

Game Reviews

Game 5

 Louisiana Tech	0
 Clemson	51

September 30, 2006
Memorial Stadium • Clemson, SC

Behind three 100-yard rushers and five forced turnovers, #18 Clemson blanked Louisiana Tech 51-0 at Memorial Stadium on September 30. It was the Tigers' first shutout of a Division I-A school since 1998. It was also Clemson's largest margin of victory in a shutout since 1990.

James Davis, C.J. Spiller, and Demerick Chancellor all went over the 100-yard mark to become the first Tiger trio since 1982 to accomplish that feat. Clemson had 393 rushing yards on only 41 carries, good for 9.6 yards per carry.

Davis rushed for 143 yards on 11 carries (13.0 yards per carry) with two scores. Spiller rushed 15 times for 127 yards and a score, and Chancellor rushed for 113 yards. Therefore, the trio combined for 383 yards on 37 carries.

Will Proctor was 5-8 for 100 yards and a score, with four receptions, all 100 yards, and the touchdown going to Chansi Stuckey. Neither played in the second half as well.

Clemson amassed 526 yards of total offense on only 58 plays, good for 9.1 yards per play. It was the Tigers' highest per-play figure in 59 years.

On third-and-one, Clemson called on its patented "hurry-up" play, and Davis broke free for a 64-yard touchdown run. Jad Dean then put the Tigers ahead 10-0 on their next drive with a 40-yard field goal.

Another Bulldog punt gave Clemson the ball at its own 17 in the second quarter. Stuckey's acrobatic 31-yard catch moved the ball into Bulldog territory. Two plays later, Davis ran 18 yards into the red zone. He also carried on the next three plays, with the last being a four-yard touchdown run.

Ricky Sapp sacked Zac Champion at the five on the first play of the ensuing drive, and the Bulldogs were forced

to punt after another three-and-out. Clemson took over at the Louisiana Tech 34, and Proctor wasted no time hooking up with Stuckey on a post pattern. Stuckey's diving catch in the endzone was good for a 34-yard score.

The first of five forced turnovers by the Tigers set up another score. Patrick Jackson fumbled the handoff from Champion, and Duane Coleman picked up the ball and returned it five yards to the Tiger 45.

Proctor connected with Stuckey for 24 yards on a screen pass, then Spiller carried on the next three plays. The last went for 20 yards and a score.

Louisiana Tech mounted its longest drive, but was unable to come away with points. The Bulldogs converted two third downs of 10 yards or more and had first-and-goal at the six. But after three plays netted only two yards, Maurice Nelson and the Tiger defense stopped Johnathan Holland short of the endzone on a fourth-down desperation pass from Champion, leaving the score 31-0 at halftime.

The Tigers opened the second half with 13 points before they even ran an offensive play. Jacoby Ford opened the second half with a 94-yard kickoff return. Spiller provided a key block of Holland on the return. Ford became the first Tiger in history with a punt return and kickoff return for a touchdown of 90 yards or more.

Two plays later, Nick Watkins stepped in front of Champion's short pass and raced 26 yards for a touchdown, giving Clemson a 44-0 lead.

With Harper in at quarterback, the Tigers had one of the longest drives in school history. Spiller carried four times for 41 yards to help move the ball into Bulldog territory, then Chancellor rushed 27 yards to set up first-and-goal.

Three rushes by Chancellor set up fourth down at the two. Harper rolled right and found Alex Pearson in the corner of the endzone for a touchdown, giving Clemson a 51-0 lead with 13 seconds left in the third quarter. The drive covered 97 yards.

Despite muffing two punts inside their own territory in the fourth quarter, the Tigers did not allow any points to preserve the shutout.

Game Stats

Louisiana Tech	0	0	0	0	0
Clemson	10	21	20	0	51

CU Davis 64 run (Dean kick), 1st, 6:59, 3-73
CU Dean 40 FG, 1st, 0:56, 9-39
CU Davis 4 run (Dean kick), 2nd, 10:45, 8-83
CU Stuckey 34 pass from Proctor (Dean kick), 2nd, 8:15, 1-34
CU Spiller 20 run (Dean kick), 2nd, 4:30, 5-55
CU Ford 94 kickoff return (Dean kick failed), 3rd, 14:45
CU Watkins 26 interception return (Dean kick), 3rd, 13:32
CU Pearson 2 pass from Harper (Dean kick), 3rd, 0:13, 11-97
Attendance - 81,564

Team Statistics	LAT	CU
Rushing	29-33	41-393
Passing	23-46-226	10-17-133
Total Offense	75-259	58-526

Rushing (Rush-Yards-TD)

LAT Porter 10-58, P. Jackson 10-6, Franklin 3-(-3), Mosley 2-(-8), Champion 4-(-20)
CU Davis 11-143-2, Spiller 15-127-1, D. Chancellor 11-113, Macko 2-15, TEAM 1-(-2), Proctor 1-(-3)

Passing (Cm-Att-Yards-I-TD)

LAT Champion 20-35-194-3-0, Mosley 3-11-32-1-0
CU Proctor 5-8-100-0-1, Harper 4-6-31-0-1, Reese 1-3-2-0-0

Receiving (Rec-Yards-TD)

LAT Newman 9-101, Morris 4-45, James 3-26, Holland 2-6, Franklin 2-5, Wheeler 1-21, Carroll 1-17, Bri. Jackson 1-5
CU Stuckey 4-100-1, Spiller 2-13, Macko 2-6, Grisham 1-12, Pearson 1-2-1

Game 6

 Clemson	27
 Wake Forest	17

October 7, 2006
Groves Stadium • Winston-Salem, NC

With #15 Clemson trailing 17-3 entering the fourth quarter, the Tigers scored the final 24 points to defeat unbeaten Wake Forest 27-17 at Groves Stadium on October 7. It was the third time in school history that the Tigers overcame a 14-point deficit in the fourth quarter to gain victory.

The turning point came on the first play of the fourth quarter. Wake Forest lined up for a field goal that would have given it a 17-point lead. But Jon Temple was unable to cleanly receive the snap. He got up and tried to make a play, but Gaines Adams caused a fumble, grabbed the ball out of midair with one hand, and raced 66 yards for a score.

Clemson scored two more touchdowns and a field goal thanks in part to two more turnovers caused by its defense.

The Tigers started four drives inside their own five, including twice on the one. But, Clemson had a pair of 96-yard drives, the first time in Tiger history that it had two drives of 95 yards or more in a game.

C.J. Spiller rushed for 104 yards on nine carries, while James Davis carried 26 times for 95 yards. Davis was kept out of the endzone, snapping his nine-game streak of scoring at least one rushing touchdown.

Will Proctor was 20-30 for 214 yards and three interceptions, but came through with the game-tying score to Aaron Kelly. Kelly had five catches for 91 yards, both game-highs. Rendrick Taylor was lost for the year with a broken arm suffered in the third quarter.

Riley Skinner showed pinpoint accuracy, as he was 18-23 for 169 yards to lead the Demon Deacon passing attack.

Kevin Marion took the opening kickoff 93 yards to the Tiger seven. But C.J. Gaddis stripped De'Angelo Bryant on

first-and-goal from the two, and Duane Coleman recovered at the one.

Clemson marched 96 yards in 14 plays on the ensuing drive, but settled for a Jad Dean 20-yard field goal after the drive stalled at the three.

Late in the first quarter, the Demon Deacons drove 67 yards in nine plays to take the lead. Skinner hit Morton down the sideline for 36 yards to move into Tiger territory. Then on third-and-goal, Skinner connected with Willie Idlette in the back of the endzone for a six-yard touchdown pass.

Proctor fumbled on Clemson's next drive to give Wake Forest the ball at the Tiger 32. Three plays later, Morton lofted a perfectly-thrown 19-yard strike to Skinner on an end-around pass to put Wake Forest up 14-3.

After the Tigers drove 44 yards and Dean just missed a 53-yard field-goal attempt in the third quarter, Proctor was picked off again, this time by Patrick Ghee, who returned it to the Tiger 12. But Clemson's defense stiffened, and Sam Swank kicked a field goal to put Wake Forest up 17-3.

Proctor's third interception on Clemson's next drive gave the Demon Deacons possession again in Tiger territory. Five plays netted 15 yards to the Tiger 24. That is when Adams came through with the play-of-the-game on the botched field-goal attempt. Adams' 66-yard fumble return on the first play of the fourth quarter was his only touchdown as a Tiger.

Brandon Cannon stripped Skinner on Wake Forest's ensuing drive, and Donnell Clark recovered at the Demon Deacon 43. Five plays later, Proctor zipped a 20-yard touchdown pass to Kelly to tie the score.

Clemson's defense forced a three-and-out, but Swank pinned the Tigers inside their own five again. After Thomas Hunter's 10-yard catch on third down, Spiller sprinted 72 yards for the go-ahead touchdown with 7:22 left. It was the longest run by a Tiger running back since 1993.

Wake Forest drove into Tiger territory on the ensuing drive, but was called for a penalty. Gaddis later intercepted Skinner's pass and returned the ball near midfield.

The Tigers drove inside the 10 before settling for Dean's field goal that gave Clemson a 10-point lead with 1:12 left.

Game Stats

Clemson	3	0	0	24	27
Wake Forest	7	7	3	0	17

CU Dean 20 FG, 1st, 7:47, 14-96
WFU Idlette 6 pass from Skinner (Swank kick), 1st, 0:18, 9-67
WFU Skinner 19 pass from Morton (Swank kick), 2nd, 12:51, 3-32
WFU Swank 22 FG, 3rd, 5:13, 4-7
CU G. Adams 66 fumble return (Dean kick), 4th, 14:47
CU Kelly 20 pass from Proctor (Dean kick), 4th, 11:09, 5-43
CU Spiller 72 run (Dean kick), 4th, 7:22, 5-96
CU Dean 23 FG, 4th, 1:12, 9-41
Attendance - 35,920

Team Statistics	CU	WFU
Rushing	39-214	31-31
Passing	20-30-214	19-24-188
Total Offense	69-428	55-219

Rushing (Rush-Yards-TD)

CU Spiller 9-104-1, Davis 26-95, Ford 1-13, Proctor 3-2
WFU Harris 12-50, Bryant 5-6, Marion 2-4, Belton 1-3, McWhite 2-3, Woods 2-0, Temple 1-(-10), Skinner 6-(-25)

Passing (Cm-Att-Yards-I-TD)

CU Proctor 20-30-214-3-1
WFU Skinner 18-23-169-1-1, Morton 1-1-19-0-1

Receiving (Rec-Yards-TD)

CU Kelly 5-91-1, Ford 4-28, Davis 3-48, Spiller 3-18, Taylor 2-12, Hunter 1-10, Grisham 1-4, Harris 1-3
WFU Morton 4-64, Idlette 3-38-1, Tereshinski 3-29, Moore 2-18, Skinner 1-19-1, Belton 1-11, Bryant 1-7, Selmon 1-5, Rinfrette 1-4, Harris 1-(-3), Marion 1-(-4)



Game 7

	Clemson	63
	Temple	9

October 12, 2006
Bank of America Stadium • Charlotte, NC

Clemson scored touchdowns on its first eight possessions and cruised to a 63-9 victory over Temple at Bank of America Stadium in Charlotte, NC on October 12. It was Clemson's first game in the "Queen City" since 1954.

The #12 Tigers scored 49 points in the first half, their most in a half since 1981. All of the Tigers' starters were rested after halftime, allowing second and third-string players to get valuable playing time in the second half.

Clemson outgained the Owls 559-221 thanks to 337 yards rushing and 222 yards passing. The Tigers, who averaged 9.6 yards per play, completed 12-13 passes.

James Davis rushed for a game-high 138 yards and three scores on only nine carries. Demerick Chancellor rushed 21 times for 114 yards and a touchdown, and C.J. Spiller rushed 12 times for 73 yards and two scores.

Will Proctor completed 8-9 passes for 151 yards and two touchdowns. Cullen Harper was a perfect 4-4 for 71 yards and a touchdown as well. Jacoby Ford led the receiving corps with three catches for 67 yards.

Travis Shelton took the opening kickoff 53 yards into Tiger territory, then took a reverse 30 yards on the first play from scrimmage to the 12. But Clemson's defense held, forcing a 27-yard field goal by Jake Brownell.

Ford returned the ensuing kickoff 49 yards to the Temple 39, then Davis carried on each of the next four plays. The last was an eight-yard jaunt into the endzone.

Duane Coleman caused a fumble on the first play of the ensuing drive, and Michael Hamlin recovered at the Owl 34. Spiller carried on each of the five plays of the drive, with the last being a one-yard plunge for a touchdown.

Proctor connected with Thomas Hunter for 53 yards on the next drive to move the ball to the Owl eight. Two plays later, Davis carried in from three yards out to give Clemson a 21-3 lead with 4:29 left in the first quarter.

Spiller carried the load again on the Tigers' next drive. He had back-to-back 15-yard runs, with the latter for a touchdown early in the second quarter.

After a 16-yard punt, Clemson took over on its next drive at the Temple 42. On third-and-one, Davis carried 23 yards to the Owl 10. Two plays later, Proctor hit Alex Pearson out of the backfield for a six-yard touchdown pass, giving Clemson a 35-3 lead with 8:48 left in the second quarter.

After another three-and-out by the Tiger defense, Davis came through with another long run on third-and-one. This time he sprinted 64 yards for a touchdown.

With 2:10 left before halftime, Clemson took over at its own 33. Proctor found Kelly for 17 yards to move the ball to midfield. After Clemson's only penalty of the game, Ford caught a "bubble screen" outran the Owl secondary for a 55-yard touchdown reception, his first as a Tiger.

The Tigers scored 28 points and amassed 223 yards in the second quarter, giving the team 370 yards on only 31 total plays at the half.

On third-and-four on the first drive of the second half, Harper lofted a pass to Andrew Diomande along the right sideline. Diomande fumbled the ball near the five, but an alert Nelson Faerber fell on the loose ball at the goal line for his first career touchdown.

Chancellor later carried 10 times for 56 yards, including a one-yard touchdown run with 1:00 left in the third quarter.

The Owls finally reached the endzone early in the fourth quarter. Vaughn Charlton found a wide-open Steve Maneri over the middle on a 30-yard touchdown pass. The two-point attempt was unsuccessful, leaving the score 63-9. Temple had 132 of its 221 yards in the fourth quarter.

The Tiger defense limited Temple to only nine points despite the Owls starting a drive in Clemson territory on four different occasions thanks in part to nine kickoff returns for 240 yards by four Owl players.

After the Tigers went through warmups in orange jerseys and purple pants, they changed jerseys in the locker room and ran down the Hill in all purple. It was the first time in the modern era that Clemson wore all purple uniforms.

The Yellow Jackets put together a long drive of their own, but came away empty. After driving 55 yards, Travis Bell hooked a 36-yard field goal wide-left. Both teams traded punts on the next two drives.

Davis ran 53 yards on the first play of the second quarter to the Georgia Tech 18. After four more rushes by the sophomore, he scored from two yards out when he dodged a defender on third-and-goal.

Neither team threatened again, leaving the Tigers ahead 7-0 at halftime. It marked the first time since 1987 that Clemson held Georgia Tech scoreless in the first half.

After back-to-back, negative-yardage plays by Ball early in the third quarter, Georgia Tech punted. A kick-catch interference penalty gave the Tigers the ball at the Yellow Jacket 42. Davis rushed 30 yards on the next play, but the drive stalled. Jad Dean made a 25-yard field goal to put Clemson up 10-0.

After both teams traded punts, Davis carried 22 yards to midfield on the first play of the ensuing drive. Spiller then dashed 50 yards up the middle for a touchdown to put Clemson ahead 17-0 with 0:58 left in the third quarter.

Georgia Tech responded with an eight-play, 73-yard drive to cut the Tiger lead to 10 points. After converting two third downs, James Johnson caught a 35-yard touchdown pass from Ball after the ball deflected off Crezdon Butler.

But Clemson answered and upped its lead back to 17 points thanks to a highlight-reel play. On third-and-four, Spiller took a swing pass on the right side, eluded two Yellow Jackets, and sprinted 50 yards for a touchdown. He became the first Tiger in history to have a 50-yard touchdown run and 50-yard touchdown catch in the same game.

Gaines Adams and company made sure Georgia Tech got no closer, as he sacked Ball on third-and-five on the next drive to force a punt. It was Adams' sixth-straight game with a sack, establishing a Tiger record.

Game Stats

Clemson	21	28	14	0	63
Temple	3	0	0	6	9

TEM Ja. Brownell 27 FG, 1st, 13:03, 5-32
 CU Davis 8 run (Dean kick), 1st, 11:06, 4-39
 CU Spiller 1 run (Dean kick), 1st, 7:53, 5-34
 CU Davis 3 run (Dean kick), 1st, 4:29, 4-73
 CU Spiller 15 run (Dean kick), 2nd, 13:59, 7-52
 CU Pearson 6 pass from Proctor (Dean kick), 2nd, 8:48, 5-42
 CU Davis 64 run (Dean kick), 2nd, 3:57, 3-73
 CU Ford 55 pass from Proctor (Dean kick), 2nd, 1:01, 3-67
 CU Faerber 0 pass from Harper (Dean kick), 3rd, 12:25, 5-62
 CU D. Chancellor 1 run (Dean kick), 3rd, 1:00, 12-82
 TEM Maneri 30 pass from Charlton (Charlton run failed), 4th, 12:20, 7-65
 Attendance - 30,246

Team Statistics	CU	TEM
Rushing	45-337	29-111
Passing	12-13-222	13-25-110
Total Offense	58-559	54-221

Rushing (Rush-Yards-TD)

CU Davis 9-138-3, D. Chancellor 21-114-1, Spiller 12-73-2, Proctor 1-8, Macko 1-4, Harris 1-0
 TEM T. Brown 23-121, Shelton 1-30, Charlton 5-(-40)

Passing (Cm-Att-Yards-I-TD)

CU Proctor 8-9-151-0-2, Harper 4-4-71-0-1
 TEM Charlton 13-25-110-0-1

Receiving (Rec-Yards-TD)

CU Ford 3-67-1, Hunter 2-57, Diomande 1-39, Kelly 1-17, Faerber 1-15-1, Palmer 1-11, Grisham 1-6, Pearson 1-6-1, Spiller 1-4
 TEM Holley 3-37, T. Brown 3-3, Shelton 2-13, Maneri 1-30-1, Francis 1-12, Armstrong 1-9, Dunston 1-5, M. Brown 1-1

Game 8

	Georgia Tech	7
	Clemson	31

October 21, 2006
Memorial Stadium • Clemson, SC

In front of a nationally-televised audience on ESPN, #12 Clemson ran away from #13 Georgia Tech 31-7 in front of an overflow Homecoming crowd at Memorial Stadium on October 21. It was the first matchup of top-15 teams in Death Valley since 1992.

Clemson's running attack proved why it was one of the best in the nation, as it totaled 321 yards against a team that entered the game seventh in the nation against the run. It took only 38 carries to amass the 321 rushing yards.

Atlanta native James Davis rushed for 216 yards on 21 carries and two touchdowns against his hometown team, while C.J. Spiller added 116 yards on 16 carries and a score. It was the first time in history that Clemson had a 200-yard rusher and 100-yard rusher in the same game.

Playing through a "banged-up" shoulder, Davis had four rushes of 20 yards or more, including two rushes of over 50 yards. Spiller also had a 50-yard touchdown run and a 50-yard touchdown catch, giving Clemson four offensive plays of 50 yards or more.

Will Proctor was 7-16 passing for 105 yards and a touchdown, giving Clemson 426 yards of total offense on only 54 plays (7.9 yards per play).

Meanwhile, Clemson's defense swarmed Georgia Tech all night, allowing just 205 yards of total offense. For the first time in his career, junior Calvin Johnson was held without a catch. Reggie Ball was limited to 12-25 for 117 yards.

Clemson's defense also allowed only one carry of 10 yards or more (14-yard scramble by Ball), and one pass play over 12 yards, which was a 35-yard touchdown catch that bounced off a Tiger defender.

Game Stats

Georgia Tech	0	0	0	7	7
Clemson	0	7	10	14	31

CU Davis 2 run (Dean kick), 2nd, 11:49, 7-71
 CU Dean 25 FG, 3rd, 11:06, 5-34
 CU Spiller 50 run (Dean kick), 3rd, 0:58, 2-72
 GAT J. Johnson 35 pass from Ball (Bell kick), 4th, 13:31, 8-73
 CU Spiller 50 pass from Proctor (Dean kick), 4th, 11:37, 3-56
 CU Davis 5 run (Dean kick), 4th, 7:29, 4-62
 Attendance - 82,630

Team Statistics	GAT	CU
Rushing	37-88	38-321
Passing	12-25-117	7-16-105
Total Offense	62-205	54-426

Rushing (Rush-Yards-TD)

GAT Choice 15-48, J. Evans 6-29, Ball 12-8, Grant 3-7, C. Johnson 1-(-4)
 CU Davis 21-216-2, Spiller 16-116-1, Proctor 1-(-11)

Passing (Cm-Att-Yards-I-TD)

GAT Ball 12-25-117-1-1
 CU Proctor 7-16-105-1-1

Receiving (Rec-Yards-TD)

GAT J. Johnson 7-75-1, Dunlap 2-21, Matthews 2-18, Choice 1-3
 CU Grisham 2-25, Ford 2-7, Spiller 1-50-1, Kelly 1-17, Hunter 1-6

Davis carried on all four plays of the ensuing drive. The second carry was a 54-yard jaunt to the Georgia Tech five. Two plays later, he ran five yards for a touchdown, giving the Tigers a 31-7 lead with 7:29 remaining in the fourth quarter.



Game Reviews

Game 9

	Clemson	7
	Virginia Tech	24

October 26, 2006
Lane Stadium • Blacksburg, VA

Branden Ore rushed for 203 yards to lead Virginia Tech to a 24-7 victory over #10 Clemson at Lane Stadium in Blacksburg, VA on October 26. The game was played in front of 66,233 fans on a Thursday night on **ESPN**. It was the first meeting between the two teams as ACC members.

The defeat ended Clemson's 26-game streak of not losing by more than six points dating back to 2004, when the Tigers lost in the same state by 20 points at Virginia.

Virginia Tech doubled the Tigers 332-166 in total yards, including a 224-80 advantage in rushing yards. Meanwhile, the Hokie offense totaled 58 rushing attempts and wore down the Tiger defense by game's end.

Ore's 203 rushing yards came on 37 carries, while he added two touchdowns. It was the first time in the Tommy Bowden era at Clemson that an opposing player rushed for 200 yards in a game. Sean Glennon completed 9-15 passes for 108 yards.

On the other side of the ball, the Virginia Tech defense stuffed the Tiger run game all night. The Tigers did not have a run of 10 yards or more until the final drive of the game.

James Davis was held to 30 rushing yards on 12 carries, and scored the team's lone touchdown. C.J. Spiller had a team-high 41 rushing yards on 10 carries.

Will Proctor struggled the entire game, completing only 11 of 28 passes for 86 yards. Tyler Grisham and Chansi Stuckey both had three catches to pace the Tigers. It was Stuckey's first game back after missing the previous three contests due to a broken foot.

Clemson played well in certain areas, such as pass protection and lack of penalties. The Tigers did not allow a

sack and committed just one penalty for five yards. But the Tigers had no answer for Bud Foster's stingy Hokie defense. Clemson totaled just 75 yards of total offense in 42 plays after its touchdown-scoring drive in the first quarter.

After three-and-outs by both teams to start the game, Clemson drove 77 yards in 11 plays to post the first points of the game. A 20-yard pass from Proctor to Grisham on third-and-nine moved the ball to the Hokie 27. After Clemson's only penalty of the game, Proctor hit Grisham for 12 yards and Stuckey for seven yards on third down. Two plays later, Davis rushed six yards for a touchdown. It was his 17th rushing score of the year, tying Lester Brown's 28-year-old school record.

But the lead was short-lived, as the Hokies drove 84 yards in 12 plays on the ensuing drive to tie the score. At their own 36, the Hokies elected to go for it on fourth-and-one, and Glennon's sneak was enough to keep the drive alive. Ore rushed for 13, eight, and 40 yards on the next three plays to move the ball to the Tiger one. Two plays later, Glennon scored on a one-yard quarterback sneak.

On the Hokies' next possession, they drove 29 yards in 10 plays to take the lead early in the second quarter. A 14-yard pass from Glennon to Eddie Royal on third-and-nine kept the drive alive. But the drive stalled when Glennon threw back-to-back incompletions in Tiger territory. Brandon Pace came on to make a 37-yard field goal to put Virginia Tech up by a score of 10-7.

With 3:32 left in the second quarter, C.J. Gaddis stripped a scrambling Glennon, and Gaines Adams scooped up the fumble and returned it five yards to the Hokie 26. But three plays later, Proctor fumbled the snap from Dustin Fry, and Barry Booker recovered to end the scoring threat.

The game got away from the Tigers in the third quarter. Xavier Adibi picked off Proctor and returned the ball to the Tiger 35. Ore carried on all five plays of the ensuing drive, including an 11-yard jaunt for a touchdown.

After three-straight three-and-outs combined by both teams, Virginia Tech added insurance points after a lengthy drive of 79 yards. Glennon connected with tight end Sam

and-seven. Facing third-and-21, Hollenbach connected with Isaiah Williams for 15 yards to the Tiger 34. On third-and-six from the Tiger seven, Hollenbach found Oquendo near the sideline, and the sophomore backed his way into the endzone for a score on the first play of the second quarter.

The two teams exchanged punts, then the Tigers went on an 11-play, 79-yard scoring drive. Davis ran 42 yards off right tackle to move the ball to the Terrapin 32. But the drive stalled, and Dean came on to make a 32-yard field goal.

Maryland drove into Tiger territory late in the second quarter, but Hollenbach's errant pass sailed high, allowing Michael Hamlin to pull down the interception. The Terrapins led 7-6 at halftime.

After the Tigers were unsuccessful on a fourth-and-one in Terrapin territory, Hollenbach side-stepped the rush and hurled the ball 57 yards to Jason Goode on the first play of the ensuing drive to move the ball to the four. But the Tiger defense stiffened behind a 10-yard sack by Gaines Adams, and Ennis kicked a 31-yard field goal.

With 7:56 left and trailing 10-9, Clemson took over at its own 10. Proctor scrambled on the first play to the 17, but Erin Henderson stripped the ball, and it rolled towards the endzone. An alert C.J. Spiller hustled back to fall on the ball near the goal line. The officials ruled that he gained possession in the endzone for a safety, but the replay officials overturned the call and gave Clemson the ball on the one.

Two plays later, facing third-and-19 from the one, Proctor found Hunter wide-open over the middle. He raced 71 yards to the Maryland 28. Davis later carried four yards on third-and-three, giving Clemson first-and-goal at the four. Two plays later, Davis carried what looked like the go-ahead touchdown, but the Tigers only had 10 players on the field and six on the line of scrimmage. Dean still gave Clemson a 12-10 lead on his 22-yard field goal with 2:25 left.

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Game Stats

Clemson	7	0	0	0	7
Virginia Tech	7	3	14	0	24

CU Davis 6 run (Dean kick), 1st, 6:09, 11-77
 VAT Glennon 1 run (Pace kick), 1st, 1:03, 12-84
 VAT Pace 37 FG, 2nd, 11:36, 10-29
 VAT Ore 11 run (Pace kick), 3rd, 9:26, 5-35
 VAT Ore 3 run (Pace kick), 3rd, 2:07, 6-79
 Attendance - 66,233

Team Statistics	CU	VAT
Rushing	28-80	58-224
Passing	11-28-86	9-15-108
Total Offense	56-166	73-332

Rushing (Rush-Yards-TD)

CU Spiller 10-41, Davis 12-30-1, Proctor 5-7, Ford 1-2
 VAT Ore 37-203-2, K. Lewis 5-23, E. Lewis 8-7, Royal 1-3, Allen 1-0, Glennon 6-(-12)-1

Passing (Cm-Att-Yards-I-TD)

CU Proctor 11-28-86-1-0
 VAT Glennon 9-15-108-0-0

Receiving (Rec-Yards-TD)

CU Grisham 3-34, Stuckey 3-28, Palmer 2-12, Spiller 2-7, Kelly 1-5
 VAT Morgan 4-23, Wheeler 1-41, Clowney 1-19, Royal 1-14, Ore 1-7, Harper 1-4

Wheeler for 41 yards to move the ball into Tiger territory. On the next play, Ore carried 21 yards to the Tiger four. Two plays later, he scored on a three-yard touchdown run to give Virginia Tech a 24-7 lead with 2:07 remaining in the third quarter.

Game 10

	Maryland	13
	Clemson	12

November 4, 2006
Memorial Stadium • Clemson, SC

Dan Ennis booted a 31-yard field goal with no time left on the game clock to lift Maryland to a 13-12 upset win over #19 Clemson at Memorial Stadium on November 4.

Clemson took a 12-10 lead on Jad Dean's fourth field goal of the game, a 22-yarder with 2:25 left in the game. But Maryland drove 52 yards to set up the game-winner.

Clemson lost despite outgaining the Terrapins by 93 yards. The Tigers also outrushed Maryland 143-54, but Clemson had to settle for four field goals.

Four of the Tigers' 68 offensive plays resulted in 201 yards. Thomas Hunter hauled in a 71-yard catch, while Chansi Stuckey caught a 60-yard pass.

Stuckey had eight catches for 129 yards, both game-highs, and Proctor was 18-27 for 251 yards. James Davis had a game-high 90 yards rushing. The Tiger offensive line only allowed one sack, and the team did not turn the ball over and committed only one penalty, but it proved costly.

All four starting kickers (punters, placekickers) performed well. Dean was 4-4 on field goals, while Ennis was 2-2. Cole Chason averaged 41.8 yards a punt for the Tigers, while Adam Podlesh had a 43.3-yard average.

Sam Hollenbach, who led the Terrapins on the game-winning drive, was 23-34 for 247 yards and a touchdown.

Clemson took its first possession 70 yards, highlighted by Proctor's 60-yard pass to Stuckey. After the drive stalled and the Tigers set up for a field goal, Maryland was flagged for offsides, giving Clemson a first down. But the next three plays netted no yards, and Dean kicked a 27-yard field goal.

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and-seven. Facing third-and-21, Hollenbach connected with Isaiah Williams for 15 yards to the Tiger 34. On third-and-six from the Tiger seven, Hollenbach found Oquendo near the sideline, and the sophomore backed his way into the endzone for a score on the first play of the second quarter.

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Maryland	0	7	3	3	13
Clemson	3	3	0	6	12

CU Dean 27 FG, 1st, 6:52, 8-70
 UMD Oquendo 7 pass from Hollenbach (Ennis kick), 2nd, 14:54, 14-66
 CU Dean 32 FG, 2nd, 4:39, 11-79
 UMD Ennis 31 FG, 3rd, 7:18, 5-48
 CU Dean 25 FG, 4th, 14:51, 9-34
 CU Dean 22 FG, 4th, 2:25, 12-85
 UMD Ennis 31 FG, 4th, 0:00, 11-52
 Attendance - 80,556

Team Statistics	UMD	CU
Rushing	28-54	41-143
Passing	23-35-247	18-27-251
Total Offense	63-301	68-394

Rushing (Rush-Yards-TD)

UMD Lattimore 10-38, Hollenbach 8-11, Ball 10-5
 CU Davis 20-90, Spiller 9-41, Proctor 9-9, Merriweather 1-3, Stuckey 2-0

Passing (Cm-Att-Yards-I-TD)

UMD Hollenbach 23-34-247-1-1, TEAM 0-1-0-0-0
 CU Proctor 18-27-251-0-0

Receiving (Rec-Yards-TD)

UMD Haynos 6-52, I. Williams 5-66, Oquendo 5-36-1, Heyward-Bey 4-18, Goode 3-75
 CU Stuckey 8-129, Grisham 3-28, Hunter 2-79, Ford 2-6, Spiller 2-2, Kelly 1-7

was 5-5 for 47 yards on the drive, connected with Williams (13 yards) and Joey Haynos (12 yards), moved the ball to the middle of the field, then spiked the ball with three seconds left. Ennis came on and drilled the 31-yard field goal.



Game 11

N.C. State	14
Clemson	20

November 11, 2006
Memorial Stadium • Clemson, SC

Jad Dean kicked two fourth-quarter field goals to provide the difference in Clemson's 20-14 victory over N.C. State at Memorial Stadium on November 11. Clemson held a 14-0 lead early in the third quarter, but the Wolfpack tied the score before Dean's two field goals gave the Tigers the win.

Clemson outgained N.C. State 369-273 despite totaling seven less plays. The Tigers rushed for 223 yards. Clemson also totaled 146 yards passing, while holding N.C. State to just 95 yards through the air.

C.J. Spiller rushed for 154 yards on 18 carries and added a 52-yard touchdown run. Spiller's rushing total was the most by a Tiger freshman in 16 years. Will Proctor was 15-24 for 146 yards with a score and two interceptions. Chansi Stuckey added five catches for 72 yards.

Toney Baker rushed for 174 yards on 34 carries and a touchdown. However, Clemson stymied Daniel Evans, who was just 10-24 for 95 yards and two interceptions.

The Tigers scored the game's first points midway through the second quarter. After starting the drive at its own seven, Clemson marched 93 yards on seven plays. Spiller carried four times for 30 yards to move the ball near midfield. Then on third-and-one, he took a toss-sweep and outran the Wolfpack secondary for a 52-yard touchdown run.

N.C. State came right back and threatened. Baker's 20-yard run moved the ball to the Clemson 16, then he ran five yards on third down to give N.C. State first-and-goal at the Tiger three. A run by Baker and two carries by Andre Brown moved the ball to the one. On Brown's third-down carry, he appeared to have the corner, but Chris Clemons pushed Brown out-of-bounds just shy of the goal line.

N.C. State went for it on fourth down, and Clemson appeared to have stopped the Wolfpack short of the goal line, but an offside penalty gave N.C. State another chance. This time, Evans tried to sneak up the middle, but Clemson's surge kept him out of the endzone again.

Jacoby Ford atoned for his previous fumble on the opening kickoff of the second half. He bounced off his teammate and sprinted 77 yards to the Wolfpack 14. Two plays later, Proctor connected with Tyler Grisham for a nine-yard touchdown pass over the middle, giving Clemson a 14-0 lead.

But N.C. State answered right back on its next drive. The Wolfpack drove 78 yards in 14 plays to cut Clemson's lead in half. Evans found Baker for a 21-yard gain on a screen pass, giving the Wolfpack first-and-goal at the eight. Three plays moved the ball to the one, and once again, N.C. State elected to go for it on fourth down. This time, Baker plowed his way to paydirt off right tackle.

Two plays later, disaster struck for the Tigers. Proctor tried to complete a pass to Stuckey behind the line of scrimmage. But Willie Young anticipated the throw, intercepted the pass, and raced 34 yards for the game-tying score.

But after a 16-play, 78-yard drive that took 7:28 off the clock, Clemson regained the lead. Proctor came through with two clutch third-down completions. But a costly holding penalty helped stall the drive, and Dean came on to make a 26-yard field goal on the first play of the fourth quarter.

On its next two drives, N.C. State had good field position, but both times Clemson's defense forced a punt. Then, Nick Watkins came up with an interception on a tipped pass to give Clemson possession at the Wolfpack 16.

Four plays netted only two yards, as the Tigers again were hurt by a penalty. Dean made a 31-yard field goal to extend the lead to six points with 1:10 remaining in the game.

John Kane returned the kickoff to the N.C. State 43. Two plays later, Evans hit Dunlap for an 18-yard gain to move the ball to the Tiger 38. After spiking the ball, Evans scrambled right and lofted a pass to Lamart Barrett, who came down with the ball. But his foot landed inches out-of-bounds in the endzone with Clemons defending on the play.

The speed of another Tiger put Clemson back on top on the next play. Spiller rushed 80 yards up the middle and outran the Gamecocks for a score to put Clemson up 14-7.

Early in the second quarter, the Gamecocks tied the score again with another long possession. This time it was a 13-play, 96-yard drive. Boyd capped the drive with a one-yard touchdown run.

The Gamecocks drove from their own 13 to have first-and-goal at the eight after a 15-yard scramble by Mitchell. But on the next play, Gaines Adams deflected Mitchell's pass right into the arms of Jock McKissic. He raced 82 yards for a touchdown with eight seconds left in the second quarter.

On the Gamecocks' first possession of the third quarter, they were stopped on fourth down on their own 39 when Ricky Sapp deflected a pass. Three plays later, Spiller bounced outside and sprinted 31 yards for a touchdown that put Clemson up 28-14.

But South Carolina responded with touchdowns on its next two drives. The first was highlighted by back-to-back 18-yard completions and capped by Davis' one-yard run.

After a fumble gave the Gamecocks the ball on the Tiger 34, Davis ran nine yards up the middle for a touchdown to tie the score 28-28.

The Tigers' Davis saved Clemson from losing its lead. Proctor was intercepted by Nathan Pepper, who appeared to be on his way to a 33-yard touchdown return. But Davis caught Pepper and was able to strip the ball near the goal line. The ball went out of the endzone for a touchback.

The Gamecocks made their only possession of the fourth quarter count. They drove 52 yards to the Tiger 18 and took a 31-28 lead on Succop's 35-yard field goal.

Clemson drove 58 yards on 16 plays on its last drive, but came away with no points. Spiller's 23-yard run moved the ball into Gamecock territory. The Tigers then had first down at the 13, but back-to-back runs netted only one yard. Then, Proctor was sacked for a 10-yard loss, setting up a 39-yard field goal on the left hashmark. Dean's kick hooked just wide-left with 13 seconds left in the game. Dean had made his last eight field-goal attempts.

Game Stats

N.C. State	0	0	14	0	14
Clemson	0	7	7	6	20

CU Spiller 52 run (Dean kick), 2nd, 8:45, 7-93
 CU Grisham 9 pass from Proctor (Dean kick), 3rd, 13:45, 2-14
 NCS Baker 1 run (Deraney kick), 3rd, 8:19, 14-78
 NCS Young 34 interception return (Deraney kick), 3rd, 7:25
 CU Dean 26 FG, 4th, 14:57, 16-78
 CU Dean 31 FG, 4th, 1:10, 5-2
 Attendance - 81,785

Team Statistics	NCS	CU
Rushing	45-178	39-223
Passing	10-25-95	15-24-146
Total Offense	70-273	63-369

Rushing (Rush-Yards-TD)

NCS Baker 34-174-1, A. Brown 6-16, Eugene 1-1, Blackman 2-(-2), D. Evans 2-(-11)
 CU Spiller 18-154-1, Davis 13-34, Proctor 6-21, Stuckey 1-9, Ford 1-5

Passing (Cm-Att-Yards-I-TD)

NCS D. Evans 10-24-95-2-0, TEAM 0-1-0-0-0
 CU Proctor 15-24-146-2-1

Receiving (Rec-Yards-TD)

NCS Dunlap 3-42, Hill 3-14, Baker 2-25, Barrett 1-11, Eugene 1-3
 CU Stuckey 5-72, Grisham 2-29-1, Hunter 2-15, Kelly 2-11, Pearson 1-12, Palmer 1-5, Ford 1-2, Spiller 1-0

Then, facing a fourth-and-two from the Clemson 30, Ricky Sapp sacked Evans to secure Clemson's six-point victory.

Game 12

South Carolina	31
Clemson	28

November 25, 2006
Memorial Stadium • Clemson, SC

South Carolina overcame a 14-point second-half deficit to defeat #24 Clemson 31-28 at Memorial Stadium on November 25. The win snapped the Tigers' four-game winning streak in the series and was just the Gamecocks' second victory in the last 10 meetings.

The Tigers led 28-14 after C.J. Spiller's 31-yard touchdown run in the third quarter, but South Carolina scored the final 17 points, including the game-winning 35-yard field goal by Ryan Succop. Jad Dean missed a field goal with 13 seconds left that would have sent the game into overtime.

The Gamecocks racked up 492 yards of total offense against a Tiger defense that entered the game leading the nation in yards per play allowed. South Carolina totaled 284 yards passing and 211 rushing along with 28 first downs.

Blake Mitchell was 23-36 for 268 yards. His favorite target was Sidney Rice, who had eight catches for 103 yards. Cory Boyd rushed for 106 yards and a score, while Mike Davis added 69 rushing yards and two touchdowns.

All four Tiger scores came on long plays, including an 82-yard catch by Jacoby Ford, runs of 80 and 31 yards by Spiller, and an 82-yard interception return by Jock McKissic.

Spiller rushed for 155 yards and two scores on 10 carries. Will Proctor was 13-19 for 191 yards and a score.

After quickly moving the ball into Tiger territory on the opening drive, Mitchell was picked off by C.J. Gaddis at the 13. Three plays later, Proctor found Ford along the sideline for a 76-yard catch and run for a touchdown.

South Carolina responded with a 64-yard drive to tie the score. Boyd's 18-yard run moved the ball to the Tiger one. Mitchell then scored on a quarterback sneak.

Game Stats

South Carolina	7	7	14	3	31
Clemson	14	7	7	0	28

CU Ford 76 pass from Proctor (Dean kick), 1st, 11:08, 6-87
 USC Mitchell 1 run (Succop kick), 1st, 5:57, 12-64
 CU Spiller 80 run (Dean kick), 1st, 5:19, 1-80
 USC C. Boyd 1 run (Succop kick), 2nd, 10:21, 13-96
 CU McKissic 82 interception return (Dean kick), 2nd, 0:08
 CU Spiller 31 run (Dean kick), 3rd, 9:48, 3-39
 USC Mi. Davis 1 run (Succop kick), 3rd, 6:14, 9-68
 USC Mi. Davis 9 run (Succop kick), 3rd, 4:19, 3-34
 USC Succop 35 FG, 4th, 7:51, 10-52
 Attendance - 83,428

Team Statistics	USC	CU
Rushing	35-208	33-181
Passing	24-37-284	13-19-191
Total Offense	72-492	52-372

Rushing (Rush-Yards-TD)

USC C. Boyd 16-106-1, Mi. Davis 12-69-2, Mitchell 7-33-1
 CU Spiller 10-155-2, Merriweather 3-23, Davis 11-19, Ford 1-12, Stuckey 2-(-3), Proctor 6-(-25)

Passing (Cm-Att-Yards-I-TD)

USC Mitchell 23-36-268-3-0, Beecher 1-1-16-0-0
 CU Proctor 13-19-191-1-1

Receiving (Rec-Yards-TD)

USC S. Rice 8-103, McKinley 5-66, F. Brown 4-30, Whiteside 3-42, Mi. Davis 1-18, C. Boyd 1-9, Stafford 1-9, Edwards 1-7
 CU Stuckey 4-47, Hunter 4-35, Spiller 2-17, Ford 1-76-1, Kelly 1-9, Grisham 1-7

Game Reviews

Game 13

Clemson 20

Kentucky 28

December 29, 2006
LP Field • Nashville, TN

Andre' Woodson passed for 299 yards and three touchdowns to lead Kentucky to a 28-20 victory over Clemson in the Gaylord Hotels Music City Bowl at LP Field in Nashville, TN on December 29.

Kentucky held a 7-6 lead late in the second quarter until it scored on a 70-yard pass after a fake punt in its own territory. Then Kentucky took a 28-6 lead in the fourth quarter and held on for the win in front of a partisan Wildcat crowd.

The Wildcats totaled 409 yards of offense, including 309 passing yards. Woodson was 20-28 and did not throw an interception. Rafael Little, a native of Anderson, SC, rushed for a game-high 54 yards on 17 carries.

Clemson had 402 yards of total offense, but committed four costly turnovers that resulted in 14 Wildcat points. James Davis rushed for 53 yards on eight carries, as Clemson totaled 130 yards on the ground on 25 rushes.

Will Proctor was 23-39 for 272 yards and three touchdowns. Aaron Kelly had a game-high six receptions for 66 yards and a touchdown, Chansi Stuckey caught five balls for 93 yards, and Tyler Grisham added five catches for 49 yards and a touchdown.

Kentucky took the opening drive 62 yards in 12 plays to take a 7-0 lead. Woodson connected with Jacob Tamme for 21 yards on third-and-17 to move the ball into Tiger territory. Little later carried for nine yards to the Tiger one. Two plays later, Micah Johnson scored on a one-yard plunge.

Clemson responded with a long drive, but came away with no points. Proctor found Stuckey over the middle for 36 yards, as Roger Williams made a touchdown-saving tackle. Davis later rushed for 21 yards, but Clemson netted just two yards on the next three plays. Then, Jad Dean missed a 38-yard field-goal attempt wide-right.

After a short punt, Clemson took over on its next drive in Wildcat territory. Proctor hit Kelly for 20 yards, then Spiller rushed for 19 yards combined on the next two plays. But the drive stalled again. For the first and only time in his 29

career field-goal attempts under 30 yards, Dean missed from 28 yards, leaving the Wildcats ahead 7-0.

Clemson got the ball back after Gaines Adams tied the school record with his 28th career sack. But on the first play of the drive, Davis fumbled in Wildcat territory.

Grisham gave the ball back to the Tigers in Wildcat territory when he blocked a punt, the first and only blocked kick or punt by Clemson in 2006. Two plays after a 15-yard reverse by Jacoby Ford, Proctor found Durrell Barry open over the middle for a 32-yard touchdown reception, the first of Barry's career. Head Coach Tommy Bowden elected to send out walk-on John Early for the extra point, who was making his first-ever appearance as a Tiger. His kicked was wide-left, keeping Kentucky ahead 7-6.

The two teams traded turnovers in Kentucky territory during the game's next four possessions, as Clemson wasted opportunities to take the lead.

As Clemson was in the process of holding Kentucky's offense under 10 yards for the sixth straight drive, the Wildcats gambled with a fake punt. Punter Tim Masthay completed a 10-yard pass on fourth-and-four from the Kentucky 20. On the next play, the Tiger defense bit on the run and Woodson lofted a 70-yard touchdown pass to DeMoreo Ford.

On Kentucky's next drive, Woodson completed a 51-yard pass to Steve Johnson. But Clemson escaped further damage when Lones Seiber just missed wide-right on a 36-yard field-goal attempt right before halftime.

Clemson started the third quarter with a promising drive into Kentucky territory, but Wesley Woodyard forced a fumble of Proctor, and Paul Warford recovered.

Kentucky took a 21-6 lead on a 24-yard throwback pass from Woodson to Dicky Lyons, culminating the 67-yard drive.

Early in the fourth quarter, Little returned a punt 46 yards to the Tiger 28. Four plays later, Woodson scrambled and found Tamme open for a 13-yard touchdown pass.

Clemson responded with a 78-yard drive to cut into the Wildcat lead. Pass plays of 19 yards to Grisham and 19 yards to Stuckey helped set up a first-and-goal. Facing fourth down from the 17, Grisham hauled in a touchdown pass from Proctor in the back of the endzone. The two-point try failed, leaving Kentucky up 28-12 with 7:25 remaining.

Clemson took over on downs with 3:17 left and drove 74 yards on eight plays. Stuckey's 28-yard catch moved the ball into Wildcat territory. Proctor then lofted a pass to Kelly, as the 6'5" wideout came down with the touchdown

Game Stats

Clemson	0	6	0	14	20
Kentucky	7	7	7	7	28

KEN M. Johnson 1 run (Seiber kick), 1st, 11:04, 12-62
 CU Barry 32 pass from Proctor (Early kick failed), 2nd, 8:14, 3-47
 KEN Ford 70 pass from Woodson (Seiber kick), 2nd, 2:14, 5-86
 KEN Lyons 24 pass from Woodson (Seiber kick), 3rd, 8:09, 6-67
 KEN Tamme 13 pass from Woodson (Seiber kick), 4th, 11:29, 4-28
 CU Grisham 17 pass from Proctor (Proctor run failed), 4th, 7:25, 11-78
 CU Kelly 17 pass from Proctor (Proctor to Palmer), 4th, 0:44, 8-74
 Attendance - 68,024

Team Statistics	CU	KEN
Rushing	25-130	40-100
Passing	23-39-72	21-29-309
Total Offense	64-402	69-409

Rushing (Rush-Yards-TD)
 CU Davis 8-53, Proctor 9-32, Spiller 5-24, Ford 1-15, Stuckey 1-5, Merriweather 1-1
 KEN Little 17-54, Bankhead 3-37, Dixon 8-29, Conner 1-1, M. Johnson 2-1-1, TEAM 1-0, Woodson 8-(-22)

Passing (Cm-Att-Yards-I-TD)
 CU Proctor 23-39-272-1-3
 KEN Woodson 20-28-299-0-3, Masthay 1-1-10-0-0

Receiving (Rec-Yards-TD)
 CU Kelly 6-66-1, Stuckey 5-93, Grisham 5-49-1, Davis 2-13, Barry 1-32-1, Ford 1-8, Harris 1-5, Merriweather 1-4, Palmer 1-2
 KEN Burton 5-30, Tamme 4-59-1, S. Johnson 3-67, Lyons 2-50-1, Little 2-15, Dixon 2-2, Ford 1-70-1, McClinton 1-10, Pulley 1-6

catch. Proctor connected with Michael Palmer on the two-point play, cutting Kentucky's lead to 28-20 with 44 seconds left.

Early's on-side kick rolled free in Wildcat territory, but Kentucky recovered the ball and ran out the clock for the victory.

Game-By-Game Starters

Position	FAU	^BOC	FSU	UNC	LAT	WFU	TEM	GAT	VAT	UMD	NCS	USC	KEN
LT	Richardson	Richardson	Richardson	Richardson	Richardson	Richardson	Richardson	Richardson	Richardson	Richardson	Richardson	Richardson	Richardson
LG	R. Fry	R. Fry	R. Fry	R. Fry	R. Fry	R. Fry	R. Fry	R. Fry	McDuffie	McDuffie	McDuffie	McDuffie	McDuffie
C	D. Fry	D. Fry	D. Fry	D. Fry	D. Fry	D. Fry	D. Fry	D. Fry	D. Fry	D. Fry	D. Fry	D. Fry	D. Fry
RG	Bennett	Bennett	Bennett	Bennett	Bennett	Bennett	Bennett	Bennett	Bennett	Bennett	Bennett	Bennett	Bennett
RT	Dukes	Dukes	Dukes	Dukes	Dukes	Dukes	Dukes	Dukes	Dukes	Dukes	Dukes	Dukes	Dukes
TE	Hunter	Hunter	Hunter	Hunter	Hunter	Hunter	Hunter	Hunter	Palmer	Hunter	Hunter	Hunter	Palmer
TE/WR	Robinson	Robinson	Robinson	Kelly	Robinson	Robinson	Robinson	Robinson	Robinson	Kelly	Palmer	Robinson	Barry
WR	Stuckey	Stuckey	Stuckey	Stuckey	Stuckey	Grisham	Grisham	Kelly	Stuckey	Stuckey	Stuckey	Stuckey	Stuckey
QB	Proctor	Proctor	Proctor	Proctor	Proctor	Proctor	Proctor	Proctor	Proctor	Proctor	Proctor	Proctor	Proctor
RB	Davis	Davis	Davis	Davis	Davis	Davis	Davis	Davis	Davis	Davis	Davis	Davis	Davis
WR/RB/FB	Spiller	Kelly	Taylor	Taylor	Taylor	Taylor	Kelly	Pearson	Grisham	Grisham	Grisham	Pearson	Grisham
DE	Merling	Merling	Merling	Merling	Merling	Merling	Merling	Merling	Merling	Merling	Merling	Merling	Merling
NG	Scott	Scott	Scott	Scott	Scott	Scott	Scott	Scott	Scott	Scott	Scott	Scott	Scott
DT	McKissic	McKissic	McKissic	McKissic	McKissic	McKissic	McKissic	McKissic	McKissic	McKissic	McKissic	McKissic	Ra. Jackson
BE	G. Adams	G. Adams	G. Adams	G. Adams	G. Adams	G. Adams	G. Adams	G. Adams	G. Adams	G. Adams	G. Adams	G. Adams	G. Adams
SLB	Clay	Nelson	Nelson	Nelson	Nelson	Nelson	Nelson	Nelson	Nelson	Nelson	Nelson	Gaddis	Nelson
MLB	Waters	Clay	Clay	Clay	Clay	Clay	Clay	Clay	Clay	Clay	Vincent	Clay	Vincent
WLB	Watkins	Watkins	Watkins	Watkins	Watkins	Watkins	Watkins	Watkins	Watkins	Watkins	Watkins	Watkins	Watkins
CB	Lewis	Gaddis	C. Chancellor	Gaddis	C. Chancellor	Gaddis	Gaddis	Gaddis	Gaddis	Gaddis	Gaddis	C. Chancellor	Gaddis
CAT	Hamlin	Hamlin	Walker	Walker	Gaddis	Hamlin	Hamlin						
FS	Clemons	Clemons	Clemons	Clemons	Clemons	Clemons	Clemons	Clemons	Clemons	Clemons	Clemons	Clemons	Clemons
CB	Coleman	Coleman	Coleman	Coleman	Coleman	Coleman	Coleman	Coleman	Coleman	Coleman	Coleman	Coleman	C. Chancellor
PK	Dean	Dean	Dean	Dean	Dean	Dean	Dean	Dean	Dean	Dean	Dean	Dean	Dean
P	-----	Chason	Chason	Chason	Chason	Chason	Maners	Chason	Chason	Chason	Chason	Chason	Chason

^ - double overtime game; Note: **Bold** denotes a Clemson home game.

Game-By-Game Participation



#	Player	FAU	^BOC	FSU	UNC	LAT	WFU	TEM	GAT	VAT	UMD	NCS	USC	KEN	Total	2006 G-S	Career G-S
93	Gaines Adams, DE	*27	*54	*46	*19	*32	*51	*12	*49	*58	*56	*67	*61	*50	582	13-13	48-26
24	Kevin Alexander, LB	16	ST	ST	1	10	ST	13	ST	ST	ST	ST	ST	ST	40	13-0	13-0
65	Thomas Austin, OG	22	---	---	27	12	---	33	3	4	3	3	---	10	117	9-0	9-0
52	Bryan Baker, DT	13	---	---	---	3	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	16	2-0	3-0
82	Durrell Barry, TE	5	---	5	26	17	ST	18	17	7	---	---	---	*30	125	9-1	9-1
63	Nathan Bennett, OG	*23	*77	*57	*42	*28	*63	*20	*52	*53	*66	*62	*52	*54	649	13-13	47-38
20	Tramaine Billie, LB	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	0-0	32-18
18	Crezdon Butler, CB	22	8	28	9	28	ST	30	21	24	12	25	19	22	248	13-0	13-0
48	Jeremy Campbell, LB	27	8	---	8	22	5	21	3	---	2	2	---	8	106	10-0	10-0
95	Brandon Cannon, DE	18	17	16	21	24	13	29	20	26	17	6	18	18	243	13-0	27-0
67	Christian Capote, OT	20	10	3	24	20	9	31	16	13	5	5	2	5	163	13-0	23-0
53	Chris Carey, OG	---	---	---	4	3	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	7	2-0	3-0
27	Sadat Chambers, LB/S	9	ST	ST	4	26	8	33	17	16	1	---	---	---	117	11-0	11-0
38	Chris Chancellor, CB	22	27	*26	16	*40	11	21	2	7	ST	5	*53	*58	288	13-4	13-4
39	Demerick Chancellor, RB	5	---	ST	24	20	ST	27	ST	---	---	---	---	---	76	7-0	7-0
30	Cole Chason, P	ST	*ST	*ST	*ST	*ST	*ST	ST	*ST	*ST	*ST	*ST	*ST	*ST	0	13-11	49-46
44	Donnell Clark, DT	18	19	17	17	26	19	20	23	27	18	22	24	10	260	13-0	34-6
43	Antonio Clay, LB	*29	*60	*44	*15	*32	*50	*24	*52	*59	*54	62	*64	20	565	13-11	25-12
22	Chris Clemons, S	*43	*70	*58	*26	*56	*57	*19	*66	*69	*63	*70	*69	*59	725	13-13	25-13
3	Duane Coleman, CB	*38	*66	*50	*23	*41	*57	*16	*46	*52	*59	*51	*62	---	561	12-12	45-24
33	Kavell Conner, LB	17	14	12	15	16	ST	19	11	8	4	4	5	13	138	13-0	13-0
88	Ryan Cook, TE	---	---	---	---	2	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	2	1-0	1-0
21	Brandon Croley, S	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	ST	---	---	---	---	---	0	1-0	3-0
8	Jamie Cumbie, DE	28	---	4	8	24	---	24	4	---	---	6	3	3	104	9-0	9-0
1	James Davis, RB	*31	*58	*44	*24	*19	*50	*17	*27	*29	*42	*30	*20	*32	423	13-13	24-19
16	Kyle Davison, WR	---	---	---	---	1	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	1	1-0	1-0
7	Jad Dean, PK	*ST	*ST	*ST	*ST	*ST	*ST	*ST	*ST	*ST	*ST	*ST	*ST	*ST	0	13-13	49-33
73	Tim DeBeer, OT	17	---	---	16	11	---	16	3	7	---	---	2	---	72	7-0	30-0
85	Andrew Diomande, WR	8	---	---	21	6	---	27	---	---	---	---	---	---	62	4-0	8-0
75	Marion Dukes, OT	*41	*74	*57	*41	*26	*61	*20	*39	*44	*64	*60	*50	*59	636	13-13	46-36
92	John Early, PK	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	ST	0	1-0	1-0
99	Etta Etta-Tawo, DT	18	2	8	11	15	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	54	5-0	5-0
83	Nelson Faerber, WR	8	ST	---	19	4	3	19	2	---	3	5	1	3	67	11-0	15-0
22	Bradley Flowers, WR	---	---	---	2	1	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	3	2-0	2-0
6	Jacoby Ford, WR	10	1	5	17	7	18	9	16	17	9	17	7	23	156	13-0	13-0
62	Dustin Fry, C	*53	*84	*60	*40	*34	*70	*27	*55	*57	*69	*65	*52	*64	730	13-13	47-26
72	Roman Fry, OL	*23	*77	*53	*40	*28	*65	*24	*3	---	---	---	---	---	313	8-8	43-18
56	Elsmore Gabriel, DT	13	---	---	---	3	---	12	3	---	---	---	---	---	31	4-0	4-0
12	C.J. Gaddis, DB	---	*35	17	*28	*48	*46	*18	*64	*69	*63	*66	*72	*64	590	12-11	35-16
15	Sergio Gilliam, CB	23	6	12	13	28	ST	11	ST	ST	2	1	10	5	111	13-0	42-9
70	Jamarcus Grant, OG	---	---	---	13	3	---	22	---	---	---	---	---	---	38	3-0	3-0
90	Zach Green, TE	---	ST	ST	4	7	---	4	ST	ST	ST	ST	ST	ST	15	11-0	20-0
13	Tyler Grisham, WR	17	37	30	19	13	*39	*19	27	*47	*41	*46	33	*47	415	13-6	24-6
25	Michael Hamlin, S	*41	*59	---	---	---	*57	*11	*64	*69	*63	*71	*72	*69	576	10-10	22-17
10	Cullen Harper, QB	9	---	---	25	19	---	22	---	---	---	---	---	---	75	4-0	5-0
26	La'Donte Harris, WR	17	34	20	20	13	15	27	7	---	6	4	1	3	167	12-0	35-1
71	Barry Humphries, C	10	---	---	26	27	---	21	---	---	---	---	---	---	84	4-0	4-0
89	Thomas Hunter, TE	*41	*59	*34	*37	*32	*55	*21	*23	---	*55	*46	*44	---	447	11-11	44-17
55	Bobby Hutchinson, OL	5	---	---	11	12	---	9	---	---	---	---	---	---	37	4-0	7-0
91	Rashaad Jackson, DT	4	23	25	21	30	28	20	21	15	30	38	24	*36	315	13-1	25-2
80	Aaron Kelly, WR	32	*42	29	*27	23	48	*32	*46	32	*42	46	29	40	468	13-5	25-9
76	Cory Lambert, OT	10	ST	ST	25	27	ST	26	ST	4	ST	ST	ST	ST	92	13-0	13-0
54	Colin Leonard, LS	ST	ST	ST	ST	ST	ST	ST	ST	ST	ST	ST	ST	ST	0	13-0	24-0
29	Haydrian Lewis, CB	*49	11	---	9	10	ST	13	---	---	---	ST	ST	---	92	8-1	20-1
35	Paul Macko, RB	1	ST	ST	3	4	---	1	---	---	---	---	---	ST	9	7-0	8-0
49	Jimmy Maners, P	---	---	---	---	---	---	*ST	---	---	---	---	---	---	0	1-1	1-1
96	Jermaine Martin, TE	---	---	---	---	4	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	4	1-0	1-0
68	Chris McDuffie, OG	22	7	7	25	18	5	8	39	*41	*48	*52	*28	*40	340	13-5	34-5
9	Ray Ray McElrathbey, WR	1	ST	ST	ST	ST	ST	ST	ST	ST	ST	ST	ST	ST	1	13-0	13-0
50	Jock McKissic, DT	*30	*48	*25	*17	*25	*31	*18	*40	*43	*32	*31	*44	34	418	13-12	25-13
94	Phillip Merling, DE	*33	*60	*40	*19	*30	*47	*4	*42	*45	*44	*55	*48	*48	515	13-13	25-13
37	Reggie Merriweather, RB	16	22	10	16	---	---	---	2	---	7	2	5	4	84	9-0	45-12
47	Josh Miller, LB	29	6	8	17	39	ST	18	4	ST	ST	ST	ST	ST	121	13-0	25-0
57	Antwon Murchison, DT	24	6	8	10	15	---	17	4	17	---	---	---	---	101	8-0	8-0
42	Maurice Nelson, LB	17	*66	*48	*23	*42	*50	*20	*43	*46	*59	*59	6	*61	540	13-11	35-11
86	Michael Palmer, TE	6	2	5	25	22	5	31	11	*41	26	*28	23	*44	269	13-3	13-3
41	Alex Pearson, FB	10	14	13	19	16	17	11	*24	2	15	5	*8	8	162	13-2	13-2
74	Brandon Pilgrim, OG	25	7	3	15	18	5	20	13	16	21	13	24	24	204	13-0	35-4
14	Will Proctor, QB	*52	*84	*60	*56	*34	*70	*31	*55	*57	*69	*65	*52	*64	749	13-13	25-14
11	Tribble Reese, QB	---	---	---	---	11	---	5	---	---	---	---	---	---	16	2-0	2-0
79	Barry Richardson, OT	*35	*84	*60	*41	*28	*70	*20	*52	*46	*69	*65	*50	*64	684	13-13	36-32
59	Nic Riddle, LS	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	0-0	9-0
84	Akeem Robinson, TE	*32	*31	*23	27	*28	*42	*15	*43	*26	16	5	*15	ST	303	13-9	25-9
23	Chris Russell, S	34	7	16	33	22	1	38	ST	5	ST	1	3	10	170	13-0	13-0
7	Ricky Sapp, DE	27	17	8	17	27	7	24	10	17	6	11	14	12	197	13-0	13-0
97	Dorell Scott, DT	*28	*41	*29	*18	*25	*37	*14	*40	*46	*31	*31	*46	*44	430	13-13	22-13
87	Brent Smith, FB	ST	---	---	---	4	---	ST	---	---	---	---	ST	---	4	4-0	13-0
86	Brian Sorrells, WR	---	---	---	4	1	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	5	2-0	4-0
28	C.J. Spiller, RB	*19	16	12	21	25	32	19	30	23	29	39	27	30	322	13-1	13-1
2	Chansi Stuckey, WR	*32	*73	*53	*28	*22	---	---	---	*50	*53	*52	*47	*54	464	10-10	38-31
5	Rendrick Taylor, WR	23	34	*24	*29	*21	*21	---	---	---	---	---	---	2	154	7-4	18-4
58	Taylor Tremel, OL	4	---	---	17	10	---	9	---	---	---	---	---	---	40	4-0	6-0
45	Cortney Vincent, LB	27	ST	4	14	15	ST	23	13	8	2	*10	8	*49	173	13-2	24-2
19	Chris Wade, WR	ST	---	---	5	ST	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	5	3-0	5-0
17	Roy Walker, S	37	17	*47	*38	34	---	46	2	5	ST	---	---	---	226	9-2	21-2
40	Anthony Waters, LB	*38	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	38	1-1	36-23
32	Nick Watkins, LB	*32	*73	*52	*28	*37	*57	*15	*51	*66	*58	*65	*67	*56	657	13-13	36-25
46	Britton Whetsell, LB	---	---	---	1	3	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	4	2-0	2-0
98	Kwam Williams, DE	23	5	4	8	18	---	15	6	---	---	---	---	7	86	8-0	20-0

* - start; ^ - double overtime game; ST - special teams only; Note: Numbers do not necessarily denote official plays, but rather snaps; bold denotes a Clemson home game.