

SOUTH CAROLINA (2-2, 0-2) vs. KENTUCKY (4-0, 2-0)

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 25, 2021 • WILLIAMS-BRICE STADIUM | COLUMBIA, S.C.

>>> SOUTH CAROLINA NOTES

- South Carolina won the toss and deferred. Kentucky received the opening kick.
- Attendance at Williams-Brice Stadium was 77,559
- South Carolina's captains for the game were: Jaylan Foster, Parker White, Damani Staley, and Jovaughn Gwyn.
- Carolina now leads the all-time series 18-14-1 and are 9-6-1 all-time against the Wildcats in Columbia.
- Quarterback Luke Doty made his first start of the season.
- Wide receiver Chad Terrell made his first appearance of the season.

>>> SOUTH CAROLINA OFFENSE NOTES

- Doty completing 17-of-25 for 158 yards and a touchdown.
- Jalen Brooks caught a career-high four passes for a career-high 63 yards and his first career touchdown.
- Kevin Harris tied a career-high with four catches, including a season-long reception of 19 yards.
 - >Harris carried the ball 12 times for a season-high 38 yards.
- Juju McDowell had a season-high two catches for 16 yards, including a season-long reception of 12 yards.
- Rico Powers recorded his first catch of the season, finishing with 12 yards on two receptions.
- Nick Muse recorded one catch on the night for a season-long of 25 yards.
- E.J. Jenkins recorded his first catch as a Gamecock, going for 13 yards.

>>> SOUTH CAROLINA DEFENSE NOTES

- Jaylan Foster recorded his fourth interception of the season.
 - >That's the most interceptions by a Gamecocks player through the fourth game of the season since at least 1973 (individual game records not available in prior years.)
 - >Carolina now has seven interceptions on the season. That's the most interceptions through four games to start a season since 2000 (8)
- The Gamecocks forced four fumbles in the game.
 - >It's the first time they've forced multiple fumbles in a game since Ole Miss (11/14/20).
 - >It's the most forced fumbles in a game since also forcing four against Akron (12/1/18).
- Carlins Platel forced two fumbles while R.J. Roderick and David Spaulding each forced one.
 - >It was Platel's and Spaulding's first career forced fumble.
 - >It was Roderick's fourth career forced fumble.
- Foster finished with a game-, season-, and career-high 12 tackles.
- Brad Johnson had a career-high 11 tackles.
- Roderick finished with a season-high nine tackles.
- Damani Staley had a season-high nine tackles.
- Kingsley Enagbare had a season-high six tackles.

>>> SOUTH CAROLINA SPECIAL TEAMS NOTES

- Parker White now has 62 career made field goals and 315 career total points after a field goal and an extra point.
- White's 54-yard field goal in the fourth quarter was a career long. His previous best was 50 yards (11/9/19 vs Appalachian State).
 - >54 yards is tied for the fourth longest field goal in program history.
 - >It's the longest field goal since Elliott Fry mad a 55-yarder against Vanderbilt on Sept. 1, 2016.
- Kai Kroeger finished the night with five punts for 214 yards, earning a season-best average of 42.8 yards.
 - >Kroeger boomed a career-long 56-yard punt during the first quarter.