



SAN DIEGO STATE AZTECS

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Schedule/Results

Overall: 0-3 | **Home:** 0-1; **Away:** 0-2; **Neutral:** 0-0

August

19 UCLA (Mountain West Network) L, 0-5
 29 at Long Beach State L, 0-3

September

2 at San Diego (TheW.tv) L, 0-2
 9 at No. 16/12 Penn State 5:30 p.m. ET
 11 at Cornell (Ivy League Digital Network) Noon ET
 15 Weber State (Mountain West Network) 7 p.m. PT
 18 Texas Tech 6 p.m. PT
 23 Air Force* (Mountain West Network) 7 p.m. PT
 25 Colorado College* (Mountain West Network) Noon PT
 30 at Fresno State* (Mountain West Network) 7 p.m. PT

October

2 at San José State* (Mountain West Network) Noon PT
 7 at UNLV* (Mountain West Network) 7 p.m. PT
 9 at Nevada* (Mountain West Network) 1 p.m. PT
 14 Boise State* (Mountain West Network) 7 p.m. PT
 16 Utah State* (Mountain West Network) Noon PT
 21 at Colorado State* (Mountain West Network) 3 p.m. MT
 23 at Wyoming* (Mountain West Network) 1 p.m. MT
 28 New Mexico* (Mountain West Network) 7 p.m. PT

November

1 MW Quarterfinals # (Mountain West Network) 4/7 p.m. PT
 3 MW Semifinals # (Mountain West Network) 4/7 p.m. PT
 5 MW Finals # (Mountain West Network) 7 p.m. PT

National ranking reflects NSCAA/Soccer America

* - Mountain West game

- Mountain West Championship at SDSU Sports Deck

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Game Week Preview

San Diego State (0-3; 0-0 MW) at No. 16/12 Penn State (2-2-1; 0-0 Big Ten)
 Friday, Sept. 9 | 5:30 p.m. ET | Jeffrey Field | University Park, Pennsylvania

San Diego State (0-3; 0-0 MW) at Cornell (2-1; 0-0 Ivy)
 Sunday, Sept. 11 | Noon ET | Ivy League Digital Network | Berman Field | Ithaca, New York

Storylines

- San Diego State will put the finishing touches on a four-game road swing this week when it travels to defending national champion and No. 16/12 Penn State on Friday before heading to Cornell for a Sunday afternoon clash. Of the two games, only the Cornell game will be streamed live via the Ivy League Digital Network.

- The Aztecs played their best game of the season despite dropping their third game in as many tries, this time at San Diego last Friday. Even in a 2-0 defeat, SDSU was nearly equal in shots, trailing the Toreros, 12-11, and owned a 6-4 advantage in shots on goal. Corner kicks, meanwhile, were even at five apiece.

- San Diego State was forced to play with 10 players for the final 50 minutes, 16 seconds in the game at USD. Angela Mitchell won a 50-50 ball at midfield with a tackle, but was given a red card. Even down a player, the Aztecs enjoyed a handful of quality chances in the second half, including a pair from Aliyah Utush late, and outshot the Toreros, 7-5.

- The short-handed Aztecs were stellar on defense in the second half, which has become commonplace in the early going. San Diego State has not allowed a second-half goal since the 76th minute against UCLA, which covers the last 104 minutes, 40 seconds. Specifically at USD, San Diego State did not allow a shot until the 63rd minute after the Toreros outshot the Aztecs, 7-4, in the first 45.

- On the flip side, SDSU has given up first-half goals in bunches. Against UCLA, it allowed three goals in less than eight minutes and then bled a pair of goals at Long Beach State that were six minutes apart. Last Friday, the Toreros scored their only two goals in nearly a six-minute span.

- The Aztecs get their first chance of the season to knock off a nationally ranked team in No. 16/12 Penn State. San Diego State has won its last two regular-season games vs. teams with a number in front of their name. Last season, SDSU traveled to No. 16/17 Kentucky and earned a 2-0 victory. In 2014, the Scarlet and Black defeated No. 10/24 Michigan, 3-0, at home.

- This week's games will feature a pair of firsts as San Diego State has never faced either Penn State or Cornell. Against Big Ten schools, however, the Aztecs are 6-4-2. In games vs. Ivy League schools, SDSU is 3-2-1.

- The Aztecs will look to add a tally to the win column where they have generally experienced success, which is in road games. True road outings have been fairly kind to the Scarlet and Black as it has posted a 12-7 record (63.2 percent) since the start of the 2014 campaign. Reach back to the beginning of 2011 and the Aztecs are 27-14-2 on the road (65.2 percent).

- San Diego State has dealt with injuries to key players that have played a significant role in its defense over the last two seasons. Senior Meggie Gulczynski, who suffered an ACL injury in the first game of the 2015 season, has yet to see the field after playing in all 22 games in 2014 and contributing 10 points (3 goals, 4 assists). Junior Hailey Balma, meanwhile, also has not made her 2016 debut following a sophomore campaign in which she started the final 13 games

General Information

Location San Diego, Calif.
 Founded 1897
 Enrollment 32,396
 Nickname Aztecs
 Colors Scarlet and Black
 Conference Mountain West
 Affiliation Division I
 President Dr. Elliot Hirshman
 Interim Director of Athletics Jenny Bramer
 Faculty Representative Patrick Papin

Team Information

Head Coach Mike Friesen (Sonoma St., 1996)
 Record at SDSU (Seasons) 112-60-23 (10)
 Career Record Same
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 Associate Head Coach Juan Pablo Favero (5th Season)
 Assistant Coach Sergio Duck (2nd Season)
 Assistant Coach Chassion Griggs (2nd Season)
 Director of Soccer Operations Marisa Abegg (1st Season)
 Home Facility SDSU Sports Deck (1,250)
 2015 Overall Record 15-4-1
 2015 Home Record 9-0-1
 2015 Road Record 5-0
 2015 Neutral Record 4-0-1
 2015 MW Record/Finish 10-1/1st
 First Year of Competition 1989
 All-Time Record 291-193-51 (.592)
 NCAA Appearances 6 ('98, '99, '09, '12, '13, '14)
 Letterwinners Returning/Lost 15/5
 Starters Returning/Lost 8/3
 Key Returners (Alphabetical) Victoria Barba (MF, Sr.)
 2015 All-Mountain West Second Team
 2013 NSCAA All-Pacific Region Third Team
 2013 Mountain West All-Tournament Team, First Team
 Stacie Moran (D, Jr.)
 2015 All-Mountain West First Team
 2014 All-Mountain West Second Team
 Milan Moses (MF, So.)
 2015 All-Mountain West First Team
 Angela Mitchell (F, Jr.)
 2015 All-Mountain West Second Team
 Jen Rupey (D, Sr.)
 2015 Honorable Mention All-Mountain West
 Aliyah Utush (F, Jr.)
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 Key Losses Ashley Hauke (Sr., D)
 Leah Pruitt (Fr., F)
 Melanie Vaughn (Sr., GK)

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en route to the Mountain West regular-season title, SDSU's fourth straight. The injury bug also hit freshman defender Bailey Cook, who started the first two games of the year. The Colorado native suffered an injury in the first half at Long Beach State and did not see action at USD.

- Regardless of injuries, San Diego State has started three freshmen in each of the first three games. Redshirt freshman goalkeeper Gabby English and true freshman forward Meghan Scudero have been panned into the Starting XI every game. Cook, meanwhile, a true freshman defender, started the first two games with classmate Eden Kawabe replacing her in the lineup at USD. At one point in the game at San Diego, six of SDSU's 10 players on the field were freshmen.

Opponent Notebook

Penn State

The Nittany Lions are 2-2-1 and are coming off a trip to Southern California, which saw them go 1-1... During the trip, Penn State fell at No. 11 UCLA, 1-0, before earning a 2-1 victory at 18th-ranked Long Beach State... PSU is 1-1-1 at home, tying No. 6 West Virginia, 1-1, in its opener, defeating Hofstra, 3-1, and losing to 14th-ranked Brigham Young, 3-2... Charlotte Williams leads the team with eight points on the strength of a team-best three goals and two assists... Frannie Crouse has also scored three times... Amanda Dennis has played every minute in net and carries a 1.32 goals-against average into the game.

Cornell

The Big Red are 2-1 and are fresh off a 1-1 performance last week split between Baltimore, Maryland and Ithaca, New York... Cornell beat Loyola on the road, 1-0, and dropped a tough 2-1 overtime home decision to Syracuse... Cornell is at Rutgers on Friday before playing host to the Aztecs... Paige DeLoach leads the Big Red in goals (2) and points (4)... Five different players have one assist... Kelsey Tierney has played all but 90 minutes in net and has a GAA of 0.98... Meghan Kennedy has played the other 90 minutes and has yet to allow a goal... Each have one shutout apiece.

Roster

No.	Player	Ht.	Pos.	Yr.	Hometown (Last School)
0	Kate Hart	5-6	GK	So.	Huntington Beach, Calif. (Huntington Beach HS)
00	Caroline Galdorisi	5-6	GK	Fr.	Northport, N.Y. (Kings Park HS)
1	Gabby English	5-10	GK	RS-Fr.	Winter Park, Fla. (Winter Park HS)
2	Meggie Gulczynski	5-6	D	Sr.	San Diego, Calif. (San Diego)
3	Milan Moses	5-4	MF	So.	San Leandro, Calif. (Dublin HS)
4	Bailey Cook	5-9	D	Fr.	Aurora, Colo. (Grandview HS)
5	Victoria Barba	5-4	MF	Sr.	Albuquerque, N.M. (Sandia HS)
6	Xochi Hunter	5-5	MF	Jr.	Milpitas, Calif. (St. Francis HS)
7	Katie Saavedra	5-4	MF	Jr.	Apple Valley, Calif. (Aliso Niguel HS)
8	Hedda Regefalk	5-9	F	Sr.	Stockholm, Sweden (CSU Bakersfield)
9	Angela Mitchell	5-1	F	Jr.	Corona, Calif. (Roosevelt HS)
10	Gemma Craine	5-4	MF	Sr.	Derby, England (Monroe College (N.Y.))
11	Nicole Robertson	5-5	MF	Jr.	Temecula, Calif. (Purdue)
12	Taylor Russell	5-5	D	So.	Riverside, Calif. (Riverside Poly HS)
13	Stacie Moran	5-9	D	Jr.	Alta Loma, Calif. (Alta Loma HS)
14	Zsuria Phare	5-2	D/F	Sr.	Denver, Colo. (Metro State)
15	Morgan Simpson	5-5	F	Sr.	Trabuco Canyon, Calif. (Mission Viejo HS)
16	Jen Rupey	5-9	D	Sr.	Mission Viejo, Calif. (Santa Margarita HS)
17	Aliyah Utush	5-3	F	Jr.	Rocklin, Calif. (Whitney HS)
18	Rachel Speros	5-4	MF	Fr.	Danville, Calif. (San Ramon Valley HS)
19	Eden Kawabe	5-3	D	Fr.	Mililani, Hawaii (Mililani HS)
20	Ariana Robles	5-1	D	Fr.	San Diego, Calif. (Eastlake HS)
21	Yasmin Ahoaja	5-5	MF	Fr.	Carlsbad, Calif. (Carlsbad HS)
22	Darcy Weiser	5-5	F	Fr.	Huntington Beach, Calif. (Huntington Beach HS)
23	Hailey Balma	5-7	D	Jr.	Danville, Calif. (Monte Vista HS)
24	Camryn Wendlandt	6-0	F	Fr.	Coeur d'Alene, Idaho (Lake City HS)
25	Dani DeRosa	5-5	F	Jr.	Rocklin, Calif. (Louisiana)
26	Meghan Scudero	5-4	F/D	Fr.	San Jose, Calif. (Leland HS)
28	Isabelle Cartagena	5-5	D	Fr.	Tempe, Ariz. (Corona Del Sol HS)

Head Coach: Mike Friesen (Sonoma State, 1996), 10th season

Associate Head Coach: Juan Pablo Favero (Palm Beach Atlantic, 1994), Fifth season

Assistant Coaches: Sergio Duck, Second season; Chassion Griggs, Second season

Director of Operations: Marisa Abegg, First season

2016 San Diego State Women's Soccer
San Diego State Combined Team Statistics (as of Sep 02, 2016)
All games

RECORD:	OVERALL	HOME	AWAY	NEUTRAL
ALL GAMES	0-3	0-1	0-2	0-0
CONFERENCE	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0
NON-CONFERENCE	0-3	0-1	0-2	0-0

Date	Opponent	Score	Att.
Aug 19	UCLA	L 0-5	2079
Aug 29	at Long Beach State	L 0-3	784
Sep 02	at San Diego	L 0-2	1002

TEAM STATISTICS	SDSU	OPP
SHOT STATISTICS		
Goals-Shot attempts	0-25	10-42
Goals scored per game	0.00	3.33
Shot pct.	.000	.238
Shots on goal-Attempts	11-25	22-42
SOG pct.	.440	.524
Shots/Game	8.3	14.0
CORNER KICKS	9	15
PENALTY KICKS	0-0	0-0
PENALTIES		
Yellow cards	4	2
Red cards	1	0
ATTENDANCE		
Total	2079	1786
Dates/Avg Per Date	1/2079	2/893
Neutral Site #/Avg	0/0	

##	Player	gp	g	a	pts	sh	sh%	sog	sog%	gw	pk-att
5	BARBA, Victoria	3	0	0	0	8	.000	1	.125	0	0-0
3	MOSES, Milan	3	0	0	0	6	.000	3	.500	0	0-0
17	UTUSH, Aliyah	3	0	0	0	4	.000	3	.750	0	0-0
9	MITCHELL, Angela	3	0	0	0	2	.000	2	1.000	0	0-0
25	DEROSA, Dani	3	0	0	0	1	.000	1	1.000	0	0-0
14	PHARE, Zsuria	3	0	0	0	1	.000	1	1.000	0	0-0
8	REGEFALK, Hedda	3	0	0	0	1	.000	0	.000	0	0-0
6	HUNTER, Xochi	3	0	0	0	1	.000	0	.000	0	0-0
19	KAWABE, Eden	3	0	0	0	1	.000	0	.000	0	0-0
13	MORAN, Stacie	3	0	0	0	0	.000	0	.000	0	0-0
16	RUPEY, Jen	3	0	0	0	0	.000	0	.000	0	0-0
21	AHOOJA, Yasmin	3	0	0	0	0	.000	0	.000	0	0-0
22	WEISER, Darcy	2	0	0	0	0	.000	0	.000	0	0-0
26	SCUDERO, Meghan	3	0	0	0	0	.000	0	.000	0	0-0
20	ROBLES, Ariana	2	0	0	0	0	.000	0	.000	0	0-0
10	CRAINE, Gemma	1	0	0	0	0	.000	0	.000	0	0-0
11	ROBERTSON, Nicole	3	0	0	0	0	.000	0	.000	0	0-0
4	COOK, Bailey	2	0	0	0	0	.000	0	.000	0	0-0
18	SPEROS, Rachel	3	0	0	0	0	.000	0	.000	0	0-0
	Total	3	0	0	0	25	.000	11	.440	0	0-0
	Opponents	3	10	10	30	42	.238	22	.524	3	0-0

##	Goalie	GP	Min.	GA	GAAvg	Saves	Pct	W-L-T	Sho
1	ENGLISH, Gabby	3	270:00	10	3.33	11	.524	0-3-0	0/0
	Total	3	270:00	10	3.33	12	.545	0-3-0	0
	Opponents	3	270:00	0	0.00	11	1.000	3-0-0	3

Goals by Period	1st	2nd	Total
San Diego State	0	0	0
Opponents	8	2	10

Shots by Period	1st	2nd	Total
San Diego State	11	14	25
Opponents	30	12	42

Saves by Period	1st	2nd	Total
San Diego State	7	5	12
Opponents	6	5	11

Corners by Period	1st	2nd	Total
San Diego State	4	5	9
Opponents	8	7	15

Fouls by Period	1st	2nd	Total
San Diego State	19	23	42
Opponents	7	16	23