

# IOWA BASKETBALL

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## GAME 31 | BIG TEN TOURNAMENT GAME NOTES | MARCH 2, 2018



**#5 Iowa vs. #4 Minnesota**  
**March 2, 2018 • 1:30 p.m. (CT)**  
**Bankers Life Fieldhouse**  
**Indianapolis**

Watch: BTN2GO | **BTN Talent:** Mike Monaco, Vera Jones, Christy Winters Scott | **Live Stats/Audio:** hawkeyesports.com  
**Radio:** Hawkeye Radio Network | **Radio Talent:** Rob Brooks, Jamie Cavey Lang | **Twitter Updates:** @IowaWBB

### SURVIVE AND ADVANCE

The University of Iowa women's basketball team continues Big Ten Tournament play on Friday, March 2, taking on fourth-seeded Minnesota. Tipoff is set for 1:30 p.m. (CT) inside Bankers Life Field House in Indianapolis.

### WATCH/LISTEN/FOLLOW ALONG

- Friday's contest will be broadcast live on BTN2GO (available to authenticated BTN subscribers) as well as through several Regional Sports Networks around the country (check local listings for availability).
- Rob Brooks and Jamie Cavey Lang will call the action on the Hawkeye Radio Network.
- Live stats are also available on the women's basketball schedule page on [hawkeyesports.com](http://hawkeyesports.com).

### BIG TEN TOURNAMENT HISTORY

- Iowa is 23-21 in the Big Ten Tournament since its inception in 1994-95.
- The Hawkeyes have claimed two tournament titles (1997, 2001) and made four championship game appearances.

### FAST START SENDS IOWA PAST NORTHWESTERN

- Iowa raced to a 22-1 lead after the first quarter Thursday and eliminated Northwestern (12-20) from the Big Ten Tournament, 55-45.
- Sophomore Makenzie Meyer was 3-for-4 from 3-point range in the first quarter.
- Iowa held Northwestern without a field goal for the opening 11 minutes and 10 seconds of the game.
- Meyer led the team with 13 points, while junior Megan Gustafson scored 12 points.
- Redshirt freshman Alexis Sevillian scored all nine of her points in the fourth quarter. She was 2-of-4 from the field (2-for-2 from distance) and 3-for-4 from the line.
- Iowa assisted on 21 made field goals. Sophomore Kathleen Doyle led the team with seven assists.

### SCOUTING THE OPPOSITION

- Iowa and Minnesota split a pair of meetings during the regular season.
- The Gophers defeated the Hawkeyes, 77-72, in Minneapolis on Jan. 21. Iowa evened the series with a 92-84 victory in Iowa City on Feb. 4.
- In two games against Minnesota this season, junior Megan Gustafson is averaging 22.5 points and 12.5 rebounds.
- Sophomore Kathleen Doyle averaged 15.5 points, 6.0 assists, and 3.5 rebounds in a pair of contests against the Gophers.
- Minneapolis native Chase Coley averaged 12.5 points and 6.5 rebounds against her home state. Sophomore Makenzie Meyer also averaged double figures in scoring with 10.0 points per game.

### THROWING THE FIRST PUNCH

- Iowa has outscored its opponents 169-88 in the first quarter over its last eight games.
- The Hawkeyes are averaging 21.1 points in the first quarter over that span and holding their opponents to 11.0 points per game in the opening 10 minutes.
- Iowa has led after the first quarter in each of its last eight games. The Hawkeyes are a perfect 8-0 during that span.

### 8 STRAIGHT

- Iowa has won its last eight contests, dating back to Jan. 28 against Northwestern.
- The Hawkeyes have registered wins over Michigan State, Minnesota, Penn State, Northwestern (2x), Wisconsin, Rutgers, and Indiana.
- Two of Iowa's eight straight wins were overtime victories on the road.
- Junior Megan Gustafson is averaging 27.4 points, 13.5 rebounds, and shooting 67.2 percent from the field in Iowa's last eight games.
- Senior Chase Coley is averaging 11.6 points and 6.3 rebounds in the last eight games.
- Sophomore Makenzie Meyer (10.4) is also averaging double figures, while sophomore Kathleen Doyle is averaging 9.8.

### INSIDE THE NUMBERS

	IOWA	MINN
Scoring Average	78.6	84.9
Scoring Defense	67.9	72.8
Scoring Margin	+10.7	+12.1
FG%	.488	.433
FG% Defense	.371	.414
FT%	.766	.747
3-PT FG%	.353	.371
3-PT FG% Defense	.309	.338
Rebound Margin	+6.4	+5.3
Assists Per Game	21.4	16.5
Turnovers Per Game	16.1	13.0
Turnover Margin	-3.7	+2.8
Steals Per Game	6.0	8.8
Blocks Per Game	5.3	3.1

### HOW MANY TIMES A HAWKEYE PLAYER...

<b>Scored 20 or More Points</b>	
Megan Gustafson.....	22
Kathleen Doyle.....	3
Chase Coley.....	3
Makenzie Meyer.....	2
Alexis Sevillian.....	2
<b>Scored 15 or More Points</b>	
Megan Gustafson.....	29
Kathleen Doyle.....	8
Makenzie Meyer.....	6
Alexis Sevillian.....	5
Chase Coley.....	5
Tania Davis.....	2
Hannah Stewart.....	1
<b>Grabbed 10 or More Rebounds</b>	
Megan Gustafson.....	26
Chase Coley.....	2
Tania Davis.....	1
Hannah Stewart.....	1
<b>Grabbed 7 or More Rebounds</b>	
Megan Gustafson.....	29
Chase Coley.....	10
Hannah Stewart.....	5
Kathleen Doyle.....	3
Amanda Dillinger.....	4
Tania Davis.....	1
Alexis Sevillian.....	1
Carly Mohns.....	2
<b>Dished Out 5 or More Assists</b>	
Kathleen Doyle.....	22
Makenzie Meyer.....	9
Tania Davis.....	8
Chase Coley.....	4
Alexis Sevillian.....	2
Hannah Stewart.....	1
Amanda Dillinger.....	1
Megan Gustafson.....	1
<b>Posted a Double-Double</b>	
Megan Gustafson.....	26
Kathleen Doyle.....	4
Tania Davis.....	1
Chase Coley.....	1
<b>Recorded 3 or More Steals</b>	
Kathleen Doyle.....	7
Hannah Stewart.....	6
Makenzie Meyer.....	2
Alexis Sevillian.....	1
<b>Blocked 2 or More Blocked Shots</b>	
Megan Gustafson.....	17
Hannah Stewart.....	6
Chase Coley.....	5
Amanda Dillinger.....	2
Kathleen Doyle.....	1