

Nebraska Bowl Records

Team Records

Total Offense

Most Plays	90; 1973 Orange Bowl vs. Notre Dame
Most Yards.....	636; 2000 Alamo Bowl vs. Northwestern
Fewest Yards.....	110; 1955 Orange Bowl vs. Duke
Best Per-Play Average	7.7; 2000 Alamo Bowl vs. Northwestern
Most First Downs	30; 1973 Orange Bowl vs. Notre Dame, 30; 1998 Orange Bowl vs. Tennessee
Fewest First Downs	6; 1955 Orange Bowl vs. Duke

Rushing

Most Attempts	69; 2000 Alamo Bowl vs. Northwestern
Most Yards.....	524; 1996 Fiesta Bowl vs. Florida
Best Per-Rush Average	7.7; 1996 Fiesta Bowl vs. Florida
Fewest Rushing Attempts	24; 1966 Orange Bowl vs. Alabama
Fewest Rushing Yards	58; 1941 Rose Bowl vs. Stanford
Most Touchdowns	6; 1996 Fiesta Bowl vs. Florida, 6; 1998 Orange Bowl vs. Tennessee, 6; 2000 Alamo Bowl vs. Northwestern

Passing

Most Attempts	38; 1967 Sugar Bowl vs. Alabama
Fewest Attempts	9; 1955 Orange Bowl vs. Duke, 9; 1964 Orange Bowl vs. Auburn
Most Completions	22; 1967 Sugar Bowl vs. Alabama
Fewest Completions	1; 1955 Orange Bowl vs. Duke
Most Interceptions Thrown	5; 1967 Sugar Bowl vs. Alabama
Most Yards.....	260; 1973 Orange Bowl vs. Notre Dame
Fewest Yards.....	16; 1974 Sugar Bowl vs. Florida
Most Touchdowns	3; 1966 Orange Bowl vs. Alabama, 3; 1985 Sugar Bowl vs. Louisiana State, 3; 2000 Alamo Bowl vs. Northwestern
Highest Completion Percentage824 (14-17); 1977 Liberty Bowl vs. North Carolina
Lowest Completion Percentage111(1-9); 1955 Orange Bowl vs. Duke

Punting

Most Punts	10; 1980 Cotton Bowl vs. Houston
Best Average	44.8; 1993 Orange Bowl vs. Florida State

Scoring

Most Points	66; 2000 Alamo Bowl vs. Northwestern
Most Touchdowns	9; 2000 Alamo Bowl vs. Northwestern
Largest Margin of Victory	49; 2000 Alamo Bowl vs. Northwestern
Largest Margin of Defeat	27; 1955 Orange Bowl vs. Duke, 27; 1967 Sugar Bowl vs. Alabama
Most Points in a Loss	30; 1984 Orange Bowl vs. Miami, Fla.
Fewest Points in a Win	13; 1964 Orange Bowl vs. Auburn, 13; 1974 Sugar Bowl vs. Florida
Most Points in a Quarter	31 (second); 2000 Alamo Bowl vs. Northwestern
Fewest Points Scored	0; 1992 Orange Bowl vs. Miami, Fla.

Turnovers

Most Fumbles	6; 1986 Fiesta Bowl vs. Michigan, 6; 1984 Orange Bowl vs. Miami, Fla.
Most Fumbles Lost	4; 1983 Orange Bowl vs. Louisiana State, 4; 1966 Orange Bowl vs. Alabama
Most Turnovers (fumbles & interceptions)	7; 1967 Sugar Bowl vs. Alabama
Fewest Fumbles	0; Seven games

Interceptions

Most Passes Intercepted	6; 1969 Sun Bowl vs. Georgia
Most Return Yards	68; 1969 Sun Bowl vs. Georgia

Penalties

Most Penalties	11; 1995 Orange Bowl vs. Miami, Fla.
Most Yards Penalized	92; 1995 Orange Bowl vs. Miami, Fla.
Fewest Penalties	1; 1976 Astro-Bluebonnet Bowl vs. Texas Tech
Fewest Yards Penalized	5; 1976 Astro-Bluebonnet Bowl vs. Texas Tech

Individual Records

Total Offense

Most Yards Gained	304; Tommie Frazier, 1996 Fiesta Bowl vs. Florida
Best Per-Play Average	16.4; Johnny Rodgers, 1973 Orange Bowl vs. Notre Dame
Most TDs Responsible	4; Bob Churchich, 1966 Orange Bowl vs. Alabama, 4; Craig Sundberg, 1985 Sugar Bowl vs. Louisiana State, 4; Johnny Rodgers, 1973 Orange Bowl vs. Notre Dame, 4; Eric Crouch, 2000 Alamo Bowl vs. Northwestern

Rushing

Most Attempts	29; Ahman Green, 1998 Orange Bowl vs. Tennessee
Most Yards.....	240; Dan Alexander, 2000 Alamo Bowl vs. Northwestern
Best Per-Rush Average	12.4; Tommie Frazier, 1996 Fiesta Bowl vs. Florida
Longest Rush	75; Tommie Frazier, 1996 Fiesta Bowl vs. Florida
Most Rushing TDs	3; Scott Frost, 1998 Orange Bowl vs. Tennessee 3; Johnny Rodgers, 1973 Orange Bowl vs. Notre Dame

Passing

Most Attempts	34; Bob Churchich, 1967 Sugar Bowl vs. Alabama
Most Completions	21; Bob Churchich, 1967 Sugar Bowl vs. Alabama
Most Interceptions Thrown.....	4; David Humm, 1974 Sugar Bowl vs. Florida
Most Yards	230; Bob Churchich, 1966 Orange Bowl vs. Alabama
Most Touchdowns	3; Bob Churchich, 1966 Orange Bowl vs. Alabama, 3; Craig Sundberg, 1985 Sugar Bowl vs. Louisiana State

Best Percentage846 (11-13); Tom Sorley, 1977 Liberty Bowl vs. North Carolina
Longest TD Pass	69; Bobby Newcombe (WB) to Matt Davison (SE), 2000 Alamo Bowl vs. Northwestern

Receiving

Most Receptions	6; Tom Penny, 1967 Sugar Bowl vs. Alabama, 6; Bobby Thomas, 1975 Fiesta Bowl vs. Arizona State, 6; Dennis Richnafsky, 1967 Sugar Bowl vs. Alabama
Most Yards	138; Johnny Mitchell, 1991 Citrus Bowl vs. Georgia Tech
Most TDs	2; Tony Jeter, 1966 Orange Bowl vs. Alabama, 2; Todd Frain, 1985 Sugar Bowl vs. Louisiana State, 2; Matt Davison, 2000 Alamo Bowl vs. Northwestern
Longest Reception	69; Matt Davison from Bobby Newcombe, 2000 Alamo Bowl vs. Northwestern

Interceptions

Most Interceptions	2; Chad Daffer, 1985 Sugar Bowl vs. Louisiana State, 2; Charles Fryar, 1989 Orange Bowl vs. Miami, Fla., 2; Tyrone Legette, 1992 Orange Bowl vs. Miami, Fla.
Most Return Yards	65; Steve Manstedt, 1974 Cotton Bowl vs. Texas
Longest Return	65; Steve Manstedt, 1974 Cotton Bowl vs. Texas
Passes Broken Up	3; Barron Miles, 1995 Orange Bowl vs. Miami, Fla., 3; Tyrone Williams, 1994 Orange Bowl vs. Florida State, 3; Michael Booker, 1996 Fiesta Bowl vs. Florida, 3; Ralph Brown, 1998 Holiday Bowl vs. Arizona, 3; Keyuo Craver, 2000 Alamo Bowl vs. Northwestern

Punting

Most Punts	10; Tim Smith, 1980 Cotton Bowl vs. Houston
Best Average	44.8; Mike Stigge, 1993 Orange Bowl vs. Florida State
Longest Punt	62; Grant Campbell, 1982 Orange Bowl vs. Clemson

Punt Returns

Most Returns	6; Johnny Rodgers, 1973 Orange Bowl vs. Notre Dame
Most Return Yards	136; Johnny Rodgers, 1973 Orange Bowl vs. Notre Dame

Kickoff Returns

Most Returns	5; Josh Davis, 2002 Rose Bowl vs. Miami, Fla., 5; Damon Benning, 1995 Orange Bowl vs. Miami, Fla., 5; Richard Bell, 1989 Orange Bowl vs. Miami, Fla.
Most Return Yards	130; Frank Solich, 1966 Orange Bowl vs. Alabama

Longest Return	92; Willie Ross, 1962 Gotham Bowl vs. Miami, Fla.
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Scoring

Most Points	24; Johnny Rodgers, 1973 Orange Bowl vs. Notre Dame
Most Touchdowns	4; Johnny Rodgers, 1973 Orange Bowl vs. Notre Dame
Longest TD Play	92; Willie Ross (kickoff), 1962 Gotham Bowl vs. Miami, Fla.
Most Field Goals	4; Paul Rogers, 1969 Sun Bowl vs. Georgia
Longest Field Goal	51; Josh Brown, 2000 Alamo Bowl vs. Northwestern
Most PATs	9 (of 9 att.); Josh Brown, 2000 Alamo Bowl vs. Northwestern

Nebraska Bowl Records -- Opponents

Team

Total Offense

Most Plays	86; Alabama, 1966 Orange Bowl
Most Yards	518; Alabama, 1966 Orange Bowl
Fewest Yards	176; Arkansas, 1965 Cotton Bowl
Best Per-Play Average	7.7; Miami, Fla., 2002 Rose Bowl
Most First Downs	34; Miami, Fla., 1962 Gotham Bowl
Fewest First Downs	10; Louisiana State, 1987 Sugar Bowl

Rushing

Most Attempts	64; Duke, 1955 Orange Bowl
Most Yards	292; Oklahoma, 1979 Orange Bowl
Best Per-Rush Average	6.1; Northwestern, 2000 Alamo Bowl
Fewest Rushing Attempts	21; Tennessee, 1998 Orange Bowl
Fewest Rushing Yards	-28; Florida, 1996 Fiesta Bowl

Passing

Most Attempts	51; Florida State, 1988 Fiesta Bowl
Most Completions	28; Florida State, 1988 Fiesta Bowl
Most Interceptions Thrown	6; Georgia, 1969 Sun Bowl
Most Yards	422; Florida State, 1990 Fiesta Bowl
Fewest Yards	47; Alabama, 1972 Orange Bowl, Oklahoma, 1979 Orange Bowl
Most Touchdowns	5; Florida State, 1990 Fiesta Bowl
Highest Completion Percentage	.714 (25-35); Tennessee, 1998 Orange Bowl
Lowest Completion Percentage	.231 (2-13); Alabama, 1972 Orange Bowl
Fewest Attempts	3; Oklahoma, 1979 Orange Bowl
Fewest Completions	2; Oklahoma, 1979 Orange Bowl

Interceptions

Most Interceptions	5; Alabama, 1967 Sugar Bowl
Most Return Yards	84; Florida, 1974 Sugar Bowl

Punting

Most Punts	10; Georgia, 1969 Sugar Bowl, 10; Northwestern, 2000 Alamo Bowl
Best Average	.52.3; Tennessee, 1998 Orange Bowl

Scoring

Most Points	45; Georgia Tech, 1991 Citrus Bowl
Most Touchdowns	6; Florida State, 1990 Fiesta Bowl, Georgia Tech, 1991 Citrus Bowl
Largest Margin of Victory	27; Duke, 1955 Orange Bowl, Alabama, 1967 Sugar Bowl
Fewest Points in a Win	10; Arkansas, 1965 Cotton Bowl
Most Points in a Quarter	27 (second); Miami, Fla., 2002 Rose Bowl
Fewest Points Scored	3; Texas, 1974 Cotton Bowl

Turnovers

Most Fumbles	7; Houston, 1980 Cotton Bowl
Most Fumbles Lost	4; Mississippi State, 1980 Sun Bowl
Fewest Fumbles	0; Six times
Most Turnovers (fumbles & interceptions)	9; Georgia, 1969 Sun Bowl

Penalties

Most Penalties	13; Florida State, 1990 Fiesta Bowl
Most Yards Penalized	143; Miami, Fla., 1992 Orange Bowl
Fewest Penalties	1; Alabama, 1967 Sugar Bowl
Fewest Yards Penalized	15; Alabama, 1967 Sugar Bowl

Individual

Total Offense

Most Yards Gained	414; Peter Tom Willis, Florida St., 1990 Fiesta Bowl
Best Per-Play Average	15.9; Peter Tom Willis, Florida St., 1990 Fiesta Bowl
Most TDs Responsible	5; Peter Tom Willis, Florida St., 1990 Fiesta Bowl

Rushing

Most Attempts	30; Larry Jones, Miami, Fla., 1992 Orange Bowl
Most Yards	156; Jamie Morris, Michigan, 1986 Fiesta Bowl
Best Per-Rush Average	8.3; Damien Anderson, Northwestern, 2000 Alamo Bowl
Longest Rush	69; Damien Anderson, Northwestern, 2000 Alamo Bowl
Longest Rushing TD	69; Damien Anderson, Northwestern, 2000 Alamo Bowl
Most Rushing TDs	2; William Bell, Georgia Tech, 1991 Citrus Bowl
	2; Nick Ryder, Miami, 1962 Gotham Bowl

Passing

Most Attempts	51; Danny McManus, Florida St., 1988 Fiesta Bowl
Most Completions	28; Danny McManus, Florida St., 1988 Fiesta Bowl
Most Interceptions Thrown	5; Paul Gilbert, Georgia, 1969 Sun Bowl
Most Yards	422; Peter Tom Willis, Florida St., 1990 Fiesta Bowl
Most Touchdowns	5; Peter Tom Willis, Florida St., 1990 Fiesta Bowl
Best Percentage	.696 (16-23) Shawn Jones, Georgia Tech, 1991 Citrus Bowl
Longest TD Pass	49; Ken Dorsey to Andre Johnson, Miami, Fla., 2002 Rose Bowl

Receiving

Most Receptions	9; Ray Perkins, Alabama, 1966 Orange Bowl, 9; Andy Hamilton, LSU, 1971 Orange Bowl
Most Yards	199; Andre Johnson, Miami, Fla., 2002 Rose Bowl
Most Touchdowns	2; seven players (most recent Andre Johnson, Miami, Fla., 2002 Rose Bowl)
Longest Reception	63; Brad Brennan, Arizona, 1998 Holiday Bowl
Longest TD Reception	49; Andre Johnson, Miami, Fla., 2002 Rose Bowl

Interceptions

Most Interceptions	3; Bobby Johns, Alabama, 1967 Sugar Bowl
Most Return Yards	47; James Lewis, Miami, Fla., 2002 Rose Bowl
Longest Return	47; James Lewis, Miami, Fla., 2002 Rose Bowl

Punting

Most Punts	10; Spike Jones, Georgia, 1969 Sun Bowl, 10; J.J. Standring, Northwestern, 2000 Alamo Bowl
Best Average	.52.3; Chris Hogue, Tennessee, 1998 Orange Bowl
Longest Punt	78; Chris Hogue, Tennessee, 1998 Orange Bowl

Punt Returns

Most Returns	6; Kevin Williams, Miami, Fla., 1992 Orange Bowl
Most Yards Returned	58; Billy Davis, Clemson, 1982 Orange Bowl
Longest Return	48; Eddie Brown, Miami, Fla., 1984 Orange Bowl

Kickoff Returns

Most Returns	6; Reidel Anthony, Florida, 1996 Fiesta Bowl
Most Yards Return	195; Reidel Anthony, Florida, 1996 Fiesta Bowl
Longest Return	93; Reidel Anthony; Florida, 1996 Fiesta Bowl

Scoring

Most Points	18; William Bell, Ga.Tech, 1991 Citrus Bowl, 18; Billy Taylor, Texas Tech, 1976 Astro-Bluebonnet Bowl
Most Touchdowns	3; William Bell, Georgia Tech, 1991 Citrus Bowl, 3; Billy Taylor, Texas Tech, 1976 Astro-Bluebonnet Bowl
Longest TD	93; Reidel Anthony (kickoff), Florida, 1996 Fiesta Bowl
Most Field Goals	4; Scott Bentley, Florida State; 1994 Orange Bowl
Longest Field Goal	49; Juan Bentanzos, LSU, 1983 Orange Bowl
Most PATs	6; Scott Sisson, Georgia Tech, 1991 Citrus Bowl

Nebraska Bowl Records

Combined Records

Most Points	86; 1996 Fiesta Bowl (NU 62, Florida 24)
Fewest Points	17; 1965 Cotton Bowl (NU 7, Arkansas 10)
Most Touchdowns	11; 1996 Fiesta Bowl (NU 8, Florida 3), 11; 2000 Alamo Bowl (NU 9, Northwestern 2)
Fewest Touchdowns	2; five times, most recently 1992 Orange Bowl vs. Miami, Fla.
Most Points in Quarter	45 (second); 2000 Alamo Bowl (NU 31, Northwestern 14)
Most Plays	163; 1969 Sun Bowl (NU 88, Georgia 75)
Most First Downs	47; 1984 Orange Bowl (NU 25, Miami, Fla. 22)
	1996 Orange Bowl vs. Virginia Tech (NU 25, Virginia Tech 22)
Fewest First Downs	22; 1965 Cotton Bowl (NU 11, Arkansas 11)
Most Total Offensive Yards	1,019; 2000 Alamo Bowl (NU 636, Northwestern 383)
Fewest Total Offensive Yards	344; 1965 Cotton Bowl (NU 168, Arkansas 176)
Most Rushing Yards	708; 2000 Alamo Bowl (NU 476, Northwestern 232)
Fewest Rushing Yards	145; 1965 Cotton Bowl (NU 100, Arkansas 45)
Most Ruses Attempted	115; 1974 Sugar Bowl (NU 60, Florida 55)
Fewest Ruses Attempted...	66; 1989 Orange Bowl (NU 38, Miami, Fla. 28)
Most Passing Yards	629; 1990 Fiesta Bowl (NU 207, Florida State 422)
Fewest Passing Yards	108; 1955 Orange Bowl (NU 26, Duke 82)
Most Passes Attempted	70; 1969 Sun Bowl (NU 35, Georgia 35), 70; 1989 Orange Bowl (NU 22, Miami, Fla. 48)
Fewest Passes Attempted	22; 1955 Orange Bowl (NU 9, Duke 13)
Most Passes Completed	40; 1990 Fiesta Bowl (NU 15, Florida State 25)
Fewest Passes Completed	7; 1974 Sugar Bowl (NU 2, Florida 5)
Most Touchdown Passes	6; 1990 Fiesta Bowl (NU 1, Florida State 5)
Most Touchdown Ruses	7; 1996 Fiesta Bowl (NU 6, Florida 1), 7; 2000 Alamo Bowl (NU 6, Northwestern 1)
Most Interceptions	8; 1969 Sun Bowl (NU 2, Georgia 6)
Most Fumbles	11; 1987 Sugar Bowl (NU 5, Louisiana State 6)
Fewest Fumbles	0; 1985 Sugar Bowl vs. Louisiana State
Most Fumbles Lost	6; 1971 Orange Bowl (NU 3, Louisiana State 3)
Most Turnovers	9; 1967 Orange Bowl (NU 7, Alabama 2), 9; 1971 Orange Bowl (NU 4, Louisiana State 5)
Most Penalties	21; 1994 Orange Bowl (NU 11, Florida State 10)
Fewest Penalties ...	3; 1976 Astro-Bluebonnet Bowl (NU 1, Texas Tech 2), 3; 1967 Sugar Bowl (NU 2, Alabama 1)
Most Yards Penalized	208; 1987 Sugar Bowl (NU 78, Louisiana State 130)
Fewest Yards Penalized	26; 1976 Astro-Bluebonnet Bowl (NU 5, Texas Tech 21)

Huskers vs. Heisman Winners in Bowl Games

The Huskers have played two bowl games against players who were chosen as the Heisman Trophy winner in December before the bowl game. Unfortunately, Nebraska lost both of those contests, a 31-24 defeat to Oklahoma's Billy Sims and an 18-16 loss to Charlie Ward's Florida State Seminoles in 1994. Both of those players played key roles in Nebraska's defeats.

1979 Orange Bowl

Oklahoma 31, Nebraska 24
Billy Sims, HB
 25 attempts
 134 rushing yards
 2 touchdowns

1994 Orange Bowl

Florida St. 18, Nebraska 16
Charlie Ward, QB
 8 attempts
 -3 rushing yards
 24-for-43 passing
 286 passing yards
 0 touchdowns

Longest Scoring Plays

- 92 Willie Ross kickoff return; 1962 Gotham Bowl vs. Miami, Fla.
- 77 Johnny Rodgers punt return; 1972 Orange Bowl vs. Alabama
- 75 Tommie Frazier run; 1996 Fiesta Bowl vs. Florida
- 71 DeJuan Groce punt return; 2002 Rose Bowl vs. Miami, Fla.
- 69 Matt Davison pass from Bobby Newcombe; 2000 Alamo Bowl vs. Northwestern
- 68 Dennis Claridge run; 1964 Orange Bowl vs. Auburn
- 60 Bobby Newcombe punt return; 2000 Fiesta Bowl vs. Tennessee
- 58 Bobby Newcombe pass from Eric Crouch; 2000 Alamo Bowl vs. Northwestern
- 52 Frosty Anderson pass from Johnny Rodgers; 1973 Orange Bowl vs. Notre Dame
- 52 Tim McCrary pass from Jeff Quinn; 1980 Sun Bowl vs. Miss. State
- 52 Dana Brinson punt return; 1988 Fiesta Bowl vs. Florida State
- 50 Johnny Rodgers pass from David Humm; 1973 Orange Bowl vs. Notre Dame
- 50 Derek Brown run; 1991 Citrus Bowl vs. Georgia Tech
- 50 Eric Crouch run; 2000 Alamo Bowl vs. Northwestern
- 49 Ben Gregory pass from Bob Churchich; 1966 Orange Bowl vs. Alabama

Longest Passes * - Scoring play

- *69 Matt Davison from Bobby Newcombe; 2000 Alamo Bowl vs. Northwestern
- *58 Bobby Newcombe from Matt Davison; 2000 Alamo Bowl vs. Northwestern
- 56 Johnny Rodgers from Jerry Tagge; 1972 Orange Bowl vs. Alabama
- 55 Tim McCrary from Jeff Quinn; 1980 Sun Bowl vs. Miss. State
- *52 Frosty Anderson from Johnny Rodgers; 1973 Orange Bowl vs. Notre Dame
- *52 Tim McCrary from Jeff Quinn; 1980 Sun Bowl vs. Miss. State
- *50 Johnny Rodgers from David Humm; 1973 Orange Bowl vs. Notre Dame
- *49 Ben Gregory from Bob Churchich; 1966 Orange Bowl vs. Alabama
- 49 Chuck Malito from Curtis Craig; 1976 Astro-Bluebonnet Bowl vs. Texas Tech
- 48 Tom Banderas from Steve Taylor; 1988 Fiesta Bowl vs. Florida State

Longest Rushes * - Scoring play

- *75 Tommie Frazier; 1996 Fiesta Bowl vs. Florida
- *68 Dennis Claridge; 1964 Orange Bowl vs. Auburn
- *50 Derek Brown; 1991 Citrus Bowl vs. Georgia Tech
- *50 Eric Crouch; 2000 Alamo Bowl vs. Northwestern
- 47 Ahman Green; 1998 Orange Bowl vs. Tennessee
- 47 Willie Miller; 2000 Fiesta Bowl vs. Tennessee
- 45 Harry Wilson; 1965 Cotton Bowl vs. Arkansas
- 43 Ahman Green; 1996 Fiesta Bowl vs. Florida
- *42 Lawrence Phillips; 1996 Fiesta Bowl vs. Florida
- 40 Tony Davis; 1974 Sugar Bowl vs. Florida
- 37 Eric Crouch; 2002 Rose Bowl vs. Miami, Fla.
- 37 Dick Davis; 1967 Sugar Bowl vs. Alabama
- 36 Gary Dixon; 1973 Orange Bowl vs. Notre Dame
- 35 Corey Dixon; 1993 Orange Bowl vs. Florida State
- 34 Tyreese Knox; 1987 Sugar Bowl vs. Louisiana State
- 34 Ken Clark; 1990 Fiesta Bowl vs. Florida State

Interception Returns For TD

- 42 Michael Booker; 1996 Fiesta Bowl vs. Florida

Punt Returns For TD

- 77 Johnny Rodgers; 1972 Orange Bowl vs. Alabama
- 71 DeJuan Groce; 2002 Rose Bowl vs. Miami, Fla.
- 60 Bobby Newcombe; 2000 Fiesta Bowl vs. Tennessee
- 52 Dana Brinson; 1988 Fiesta Bowl vs. Florida State

Kickoff Returns For TD

- 92 Willie Ross; 1962 Gotham Bowl vs. Miami, Fla.

Fumble Returns For TD

- 31 Jason Peter; 1996 Orange Bowl vs. Virginia Tech

Nebraska Bowl Records

Single-Game Top Performances

Rushing Yards

1. 240 Dan Alexander; 2000 Alamo Bowl vs. Northwestern
2. 206 Ahman Green; 1998 Orange Bowl vs. Tennessee
3. 199 Tommie Frazier; 1996 Fiesta Bowl vs. Florida
4. 165 Lawrence Phillips; 1996 Fiesta Bowl vs. Florida
5. 147 Mike Rozier; 1984 Orange Bowl vs. Miami, Fla.
6. 126 Tony Davis; 1974 Sugar Bowl vs. Florida
7. 118 Mike Rozier; 1983 Orange Bowl vs. Louisiana State
118 Rick Berns; 1976 Astro-Bluebonnet Bowl vs. Texas Tech
9. 114 Eric Crouch; 2002 Rose Bowl vs. Miami, Fla.
10. 108 Dan Alexander; 2000 Fiesta Bowl vs. Tennessee
108 Dennis Claridge; 1964 Orange Bowl vs. Auburn

Passing Yards

1. 232 Bob Churchich; 1966 Orange Bowl vs. Alabama
2. 220 Tom Sorley; 1979 Orange Bowl vs. Oklahoma
3. 209 Tom Haase; 1991 Citrus Bowl vs. Georgia Tech
4. 206 Tommie Frazier; 1994 Orange Bowl vs. Florida State
5. 201 Bob Churchich; 1967 Sugar Bowl vs. Alabama
6. 193 Eric Crouch; 1998 Holiday Bowl vs. Arizona
7. 186 David Humm; 1973 Orange Bowl vs. Notre Dame
8. 184 Turner Gill; 1983 Orange Bowl vs. Louisiana State
9. 183 Vince Ferragamo; 1976 Astro-Bluebonnet Bowl vs. Texas Tech
10. 172 Turner Gill; 1984 Orange Bowl vs. Miami, Fla.

Receiving Yards

1. 138 Johnny Mitchell; 1991 Citrus Bowl vs. Georgia Tech (5 receptions)
2. 123 Corey Dixon; 1993 Orange Bowl vs. Louisiana State (5 receptions)
3. 107 Chuck Malito; 1976 Astro-Bluebonnet Bowl vs. Texas Tech (3 receptions)
107 Tim McCrady; 1980 Sun Bowl vs. Mississippi State (2 receptions)
5. 85 Matt Davison; 2000 Alamo Bowl vs. Northwestern (3 receptions)
6. 84 Johnny Rodgers; 1972 Orange Bowl vs. Alabama (4 receptions)
84 Irving Fryar; 1983 Orange Bowl vs. Louisiana State (5 receptions)
8. 78 Tim Smith; 1977 Liberty Bowl vs. North Carolina (4 receptions)
9. 75 Trumane Bell; 1994 Orange Bowl vs. Florida State (4 receptions)
10. 73 Tony Jeter; 1966 Orange Bowl vs. Alabama (3 receptions)

Longest Field Goals

1. 51 Josh Brown; 2000 Alamo Bowl vs. Northwestern
2. 50 Paul Rogers; 1969 Sun Bowl vs. Georgia
50 Greg Barrios; 1989 Orange Bowl vs. Miami, Fla.
4. 43 Rich Sanger; 1974 Cotton Bowl vs. Texas
5. 42 Paul Rogers; 1969 Sun Bowl vs. Georgia
42 Dale Klein; 1987 Sugar Bowl vs. Louisiana State
7. 39 Mike Coyle; 1974 Sugar Bowl vs. Florida
39 Chris Drennan; 1990 Fiesta Bowl vs. Florida State
9. 37 Paul Rogers; 1969 Sun Bowl vs. Georgia
37 Mike Coyle; 1974 Sugar Bowl vs. Florida
37 Kris Brown; 1996 Orange Bowl vs. Virginia Tech

Leading Scorers

1. 24 Johnny Rodgers; 1973 Orange Bowl vs. Notre Dame
2. 18 Scott Frost; 1998 Orange Bowl vs. Tennessee
18 Lawrence Phillips; 1996 Fiesta Bowl vs. Florida
4. 16 Paul Rogers; 1969 Sun Bowl vs. Georgia
5. 14 Bill Thorton; 1962 Gotham Bowl vs. Miami, Fla.

NU Owns 34-Year Bowl Streak

When Alabama did not receive a bowl bid at the end of the 1984 season, Nebraska took over the NCAA record for the longest current streak of consecutive bowl appearances from the Crimson Tide. Alabama had appeared in 25 straight bowl games dating back to the inaugural Liberty Bowl at Philadelphia in 1959, but did not receive a bid in 1984. The Huskers, first under Bob Devaney, then Tom Osborne, and now under Frank Solich, have appeared in a bowl game in 34 consecutive seasons, starting with a 45-6 win over Georgia in the 1969 Sun Bowl. The streak of 34 consecutive bowls, counting NU's first appearance in the MainStay Independence Bowl this season is an NCAA record.

All-Time Bowl Career Leaders

Rushing Yards

1. 349 Dan Alexander, 1998-2000 (three games)
2. 340 Mike Rozier, 1982-84 (three games)
3. 326 Ahman Green, 1996-98 (three games)
4. 325 Lawrence Phillips, 1994-96 (three games)
5. 316 Tommie Frazier, 1993-96 (four games)

Most Attempts: 66; Mike Rozier, 1982-84

Passing Yards

1. 501 Bob Churchich, 1965-67 (three games)
2. 494 Eric Crouch, 1998-2002 (four games)
3. 447 Tommie Frazier, 1993-96 (four games)
4. 365 Jerry Tagge, 1969-71 (three games)
5. 356 Turner Gill, 1983-84 (two games)

Most Attempts: 66, Bob Churchich, 1965-67 (three games)

Most Completions: 41, Bob Churchich, 1965-67 (three games)

Receiving Yards

1. 233 Matt Davison, 1998-2000, (four games)
2. 200 Johnny Rodgers, 1971-73 (three games)
3. 195 Johnny Mitchell, 1991-92 (two games)
4. 173 Corey Dixon, 1993-94, (two games)
5. 150 Tim Smith, 1977-80, (three games)

Most Receptions: 11, Johnny Rodgers, 1971-73 (three games)

Scoring

1. 36 Kris Brown 1996-1998 (four games)
2. 30 Scott Frost, 1996-98 (two games)
30 Johnny Rodgers, 1971-73 (three games)
4. 24 Lawrence Phillips, 1994-96 (three games)
5. 21 Josh Brown, 1999-present (three games)
21 Paul Rogers, 1969-70 (two games)

Touchdowns: 5, Frost and Rodgers

NCAA Bowl Records Held by Nebraska

Individual

- Most Individual Net Rushing Yards by a Quarterback--**199 (16 att.), Tommie Frazier, 1996 Fiesta Bowl vs. Florida
- Most Extra-Point Kick Attempts--**9, Josh Brown, 2000 Alamo Bowl vs. Northwestern (tied with four others)
- Most Extra-Point Kicks Made--**9, Josh Brown, 2000 Alamo Bowl vs. Northwestern (tied with four others)
- Most Individual Punt Return Yards--**136 (6 returns), Johnny Rodgers, 1972 Orange Bowl vs. Alabama

Team

- Most Points--**66, 2000 Alamo Bowl vs. Northwestern
- Most Points Scored in One Quarter--**Second quarter, 31 points, 2000 Alamo Bowl vs. Northwestern
- Most Touchdowns--**9, 2000 Alamo Bowl vs. Northwestern (tied with four other teams)
- Most Net Rushing Yards--**524 (68 att.), 1996 Fiesta Bowl vs. Florida
- Most Punt Returns--**9, 2000 Alamo Bowl vs. Northwestern (tied with one other team)
- Most Punt Return Yards--**136 (6 returns, by Johnny Rodgers), 1972 Orange Bowl vs. Alabama



Nebraska's trip to the 2002 MainStay Independence Bowl marks the Huskers' 34th consecutive bowl appearance, a continuing NCAA record. Nebraska has appeared in 41 bowls all-time and is 20-20 in postseason games.

2002 Bowl Schedule

Game	Location	Date	Time	Teams	Network
New Orleans Bowl	New Orleans, La.	Dec. 17	6 p.m.	North Texas (7-5) vs. Cincinnati (7-6)	ESPN2
GMAC Bowl	Mobile, Ala.	Dec. 18	7 p.m.	Louisville (7-5) vs. Marshall (10-2)	ESPN2
Mazda Tangerine Bowl	Orlando, Fla.	Dec. 23	4:30 p.m.	Clemson (7-5) vs. Texas Tech (8-5)	ESPN
Sega Sports Las Vegas Bowl	Las Vegas, Nev.	Dec. 25	3:30 p.m.	New Mexico (7-6) vs. UCLA (7-5)	ESPN
ConAgra Foods Hawaii Bowl	Honolulu, Hawaii	Dec. 25	7 p.m.	Tulane (7-5) vs. Hawaii (10-3)	ESPN
Motor City Bowl	Detroit, Mich.	Dec. 26	4 p.m.	Toledo (9-4) vs. Boston College (8-4)	ESPN
Insight Bowl	Phoenix, Ariz.	Dec. 26	7:30 p.m.	Pittsburgh (8-4) vs. Oregon State (8-4)	ESPN
Houston Bowl	Houston, Texas	Dec. 27	Noon	Southern Mississippi (7-5) vs. Oklahoma St. (7-5)	ESPN
MainStay Independence Bowl	Shreveport, La.	Dec. 27	3:30 p.m.	Nebraska (7-6) vs. Mississippi (6-6)	ESPN
Pacific Life Holiday Bowl	San Diego, Calif.	Dec. 27	7 p.m.	Kansas State (10-2) vs. Arizona State (8-5)	ESPN
Continental Tire Bowl	Charlotte, N.C.	Dec. 28	10 a.m.	Virginia (8-5) vs. West Virginia (9-3)	ESPN
Alamo Bowl	San Antonio, Texas	Dec. 28	7 p.m.	Wisconsin (7-6) vs. Colorado (9-4)	ESPN
Gaylord Hotels Music City Bowl	Nashville, Tenn.	Dec. 30	1 p.m.	Minnesota (7-5) vs. Arkansas (9-4)	ESPN
Seattle Bowl	Seattle, Wash.	Dec. 30	4:30 p.m.	Oregon (7-5) vs. Wake Forest (6-6)	ESPN
Crucial.com Humanitarian Bowl	Boise, Idaho	Dec. 31	11 a.m.	Boise State (11-1) vs. Iowa State (7-6)	ESPN
Wells Fargo Sun Bowl	El Paso, Texas	Dec. 31	1 p.m.	Purdue (6-6) vs. Washington (7-5)	CBS
Silicon Valley Football Classic	San Jose, Calif.	Dec. 31	2:30 p.m.	Fresno State (8-5) vs. Georgia Tech (7-5)	ESPN2
AXA Liberty Bowl	Memphis, Tenn.	Dec. 31	2:30 p.m.	Colorado State (10-3) vs. TCU (9-2)	ESPN
Chick-fil-A Peach Bowl	Atlanta, Ga.	Dec. 31	6:30 p.m.	Maryland (10-3) vs. Tennessee (8-4)	ESPN
Diamond Walnut San Francisco Bowl	San Francisco, Calif.	Dec. 31	9:30 p.m.	Air Force (8-4) vs. Virginia Tech (9-4)	ESPN2
SBC Cotton Bowl	Dallas, Texas	Jan. 1	10 a.m.	Texas (10-2) vs. LSU (8-4)	FOX
Outback Bowl	Tampa, Fla.	Jan. 1	10 a.m.	Michigan (9-3) vs. Florida (8-4)	ESPN
Toyota Gator Bowl	Jacksonville, Fla.	Jan. 1	11:30 a.m.	North Carolina St. (10-3) vs. Notre Dame (10-2)	NBC
Capital One Bowl	Orlando, Fla.	Jan. 1	Noon	Penn State (9-3) vs. Auburn (8-4)	ABC
Rose Bowl	Pasadena, Calif.	Jan. 1	4 p.m.	Washington State (10-2) vs. Oklahoma (11-2)	ABC
Nokia Sugar Bowl	New Orleans, La.	Jan. 1	7:30 p.m.	Georgia (12-1) vs. Florida State (9-4)	ABC
FedEx Orange Bowl	Miami, Fla.	Jan. 2	7 p.m.	Iowa (11-1) vs. USC (10-2)	ABC
Tostitos Fiesta Bowl	Tempe, Ariz.	Jan. 3	7 p.m.	Ohio State (13-0) vs. Miami (12-0)	ABC

All times listed are central