



LSU TIGERS FOOTBALL NEWS

LSU Tigers (4-3) vs. Mississippi State (4-1)

TIGERS FACE BULLDOGS IN CRITICAL SEC WESTERN DIVISION SHOWDOWN

The LSU Tigers, fresh off an impressive 34-0 win over Kentucky, remain at home this Saturday, as 13th-ranked Mississippi State comes to Death Valley for an 8 p.m. showdown on ESPN2. The Tigers moved to 4-3 on the season with their victory over the Wildcats, registering their first shutout in SEC action since 1997, while Mississippi State was idle last weekend. Saturday's game will pit one of the league's best offenses in LSU (382.1 yards per game) against one of the stingiest defenses in the SEC in Mississippi State (288.2 yards per game). Mississippi State also ranks first in the nation in rushing yards as they are allowing just 24 yards per game. LSU has won seven of the last eight meetings in the series between the two schools. Last year, however, Mississippi State came up with a 17-16 win in Starkville. Saturday's game marks the sixth straight year that the game has been televised.

TIGERS GROUND KENTUCKY AIR ATTACK IN 34-0 SHUTOUT OF WILDCATS

Behind three touchdown passes from quarterback **Josh Booty** and an outstanding overall defensive performance, LSU evened its Southeastern Conference record at 2-2 and moved to 4-3 overall with a convincing 34-0 win over Kentucky at Death Valley last weekend. Booty connected for TD passes with three different receivers, hitting **Josh Reed**, **Reggie Robinson** and **Eric Edwards** with scoring strikes, while Devery Henderson added a touchdown and **John Corbello** kicked two field goals. Defensively, the Tigers were led by its standout linebacker tandem of **Bradie James** and **Trev Faulk**, who recorded 17 and 13 tackles respectively. The Tigers handed Kentucky coach Hal Mumme the first shutout of his tenure as Wildcat's coach. LSU finished its swing against SEC Eastern Division teams with a 2-1 mark.

LSU VS. MISSISSIPPI STATE

Opponents: LSU (4-3, 2-2) vs. Mississippi State (4-1, 2-1)
Rankings: MSU is #13 in AP and #14 in Coaches Poll
Date/Time: October 21, 2000 at 8 p.m. CT
Site: Baton Rouge, La. (Tiger Stadium - 91,600)
Television: ESPN2 (Live)
The Series: LSU leads 57-33-3

THE LSU-MISSISSIPPI STATE SERIES

LSU holds a 57-33-3 advantage in its series with MSU. The Tigers had a seven-game winning streak against the Bulldogs snapped in Starkville last year with a 17-16 setback. LSU took seven of 10 meetings between the two schools in the 1990s and owns a 41-18-1 all-time record in the series in Baton Rouge. LSU hasn't lost to MSU at home since a 28-19 loss in 1991 and has won seven of the last eight against the Bulldogs at Death Valley, including a 41-6 victory in 1998 in State's last trip to Baton Rouge. Currently, the Tigers have won four straight over MSU in Baton Rouge.

THE COACHES

Nick Saban is in his first year as LSU coach.
Previous position: head coach, Michigan State (1995-99)
Career record: 47-29-1 (7th year)
LSU record: 4-3 (1st year)
vs. Mississippi State: First Meeting

Jackie Sherrill is in his 10th season as Mississippi State coach.
Previous position: head coach, Texas A&M (1982-88)
Record at Miss. State: 63-45-2
Career Record: 168-90-4
vs. LSU: 2-10

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www.LSUsports.net

LSU 34, KENTUCKY 0

Notes On The Game:

* LSU extended its streak of not allowing a score on the opening possession of the game to 12 when Seth Hanson missed a 45-yard field goal. The Tigers last allowed an opening drive score to Kentucky in a 31-5 loss on Oct. 16, 1999.

* **Josh Reed** hauled in his seventh touchdown of the season on a seven-yard strike from **Josh Booty** in the first quarter. The seven TD's is already the most in a year since **Tony Moss** and **Eddie Fuller** each had nine in the 1989 season.

* It is the first time since 1997 that the LSU defense registered two shutouts in a season (58-0 vs. Western Carolina and 34-0 vs. Kentucky). In 1997, LSU beat Akron, 56-0, and Alabama, 27-0.

* **Josh Booty** threw for two TD passes, the fourth time this season in five starts this season with the lone exception being the Tigers' loss to UAB.

* With the win, the Tigers finished 2-1 vs. the SEC East.

Statistical Leaders

Rushing

LaBrandon Toefield 18 att., 52 yards
Domanick Davis 13 att., 45 yards

Passing

Josh Booty 15 comp., 33 att., 225 yards, 3 TDs

Receiving

Josh Reed 7 rec., 67 yards, 1 TD
Eric Edwards 2 rec., 59 yards, 1 TD
Jerel Myers 2 rec., 52 yards

Score By Quarters

Kentucky	0	0	0	0	-0
LSU	10	0	14	10	-34



2000 LSU Football Media Services

LSU head coach **Nick Saban** will meet the media immediately after practice on Wednesday's during the regular-season at the Lawton Room. Contact **Michael Bonnette** in LSU Sports Information for other interviews with Coach Saban. LSU players are available after practice Monday through Wednesday by appointment. Contact **Fred Demarest** in LSU Sports Information for player interviews.

MONDAY

HEAD COACH PRESS LUNCHEON AND PLAYER INTERVIEWS

Each Monday at 11:30 a.m. in the Press Conference Room of the LSU Athletic Administration Building. Luncheons are weekly beginning Monday, August 28 through Monday, November 20 (except open date weeks Monday, Oct. 23 and Nov. 13). Transcript of quotes can be found at: www.LSUports.net

Player interviews are held immediately after the head coach answers questions from the media. The player interviews will begin at approximately 12:45 p.m. in the Media Room (old weight room) of Tiger Stadium.

LSU SATELLITE NEWSFEED

Video highlights of LSU football are available via satellite each Monday during the regular-season. The feed is available each Monday beginning August 28.

Time: 4:30-4:45 p.m. CT

Coordinates: Galaxy 3R, Transponder 2

Trouble Numbers: (225) 336-2268 or (225) 336-2269

WEDNESDAY

SEC TELECONFERENCE

The 12 SEC coaches are featured on a weekly teleconference each Wednesday at 10 a.m. during the regular season, beginning August 30. Coach Saban speaks for seven minutes starting at 10:07 a.m.. To access the teleconference dial the number listed below.

Time: 10:00-11:24 a.m (Central) - Wednesdays

Phone: (706) 645-9713

SEC SATELLITE FEED

The 12 SEC schools are featured on a weekly satellite feed each Wednesday at 1:30 p.m. during the regular season, beginning August 30.

Time: 1:30-2:00 p.m. (Central), Wednesdays

Coordinates: Teletstart 6, Transponder C9

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Including: LSU Football Media Guide, Current Statistics, Weekly Notes, Schedule, Roster, Saban quotes

SEC FOOTBALL INFORMATION is available via the Internet at:
www.secsports.com

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LSU VS. MISSISSIPPI STATE WHERE TO ...

HEAR IT

RADIO

The game will be carried on the LSU Sports Network, including The Eagle 98.1-FM in Baton Rouge and WWL 870-AM in New Orleans.

Jim Hawthorne

play-by-play

Doug Moreau

analyst

Jordy Hultberg

sideline

SEE IT

TELEVISION

The game will be televised to a national audience on ESPN2.

Dave Barnett

play-by-play

Bill Curry

analyst

Michelle Tafoya

sideline

LSU Notebook

LSU vs. Mississippi State

October 21, 2000

2000 LSU HONORS

OFFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE GAME

Western Carolina	J.Booty/R.Davey
Houston	Robert Royal
Auburn	Josh Reed
UAB	L. Toefield
Tennessee	R.Davey/J. Reed
Florida	Tommy Banks
Kentucky	J.Booty/L. Williams
Mississippi State	
Alabama	
Ole Miss	
Arkansas	

DEFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE GAME

Western Carolina	Trev Faulk
Houston	Damien James
Auburn	Kenderick Allen
UAB	Ryan Clark
Tennessee	R. Clark/T. Faulk
Florida	Muskingum Barnes
Kentucky	Trev Faulk
Mississippi State	
Alabama	
Ole Miss	
Arkansas	

SPECIAL TEAMS PLAYER OF THE GAME

Western Carolina	Elice Parker
Houston	Donnie Jones
Auburn	Tommy Banks
UAB	D. Davis/L. Johnson
Tennessee	Ryan O'Neal
Florida	Michael Lillie
Kentucky	A. Mayes/D. Jones
Mississippi State	
Alabama	
Ole Miss	
Arkansas	

LOUISIANA HONORS

OFFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE WEEK

Rohan Davey - Sept. 30 vs. Tennessee

DEFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE WEEK

Damien James - Sept. 9 vs. Houston

Ryan Clark - Sept. 30 vs. Tennessee

SEC HONORS

OFFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE WEEK

Rohan Davey - Sept. 30 vs. Tennessee

NATIONAL HONORS

PLAYER OF THE WEEK

Rohan Davey - Sept. 30 vs. Tennessee
by CNSI.com, Rivals.com

LSU VS. MISSISSIPPI STATE

The LSU Tigers will look to move a step closer to securing a bowl berth on Saturday when they play host to 13th-ranked Mississippi State at 8 p.m. in Tiger Stadium. LSU enters the contest coming off perhaps its best overall game - offense, defense, and special team - of the season in a 34-0 win over Kentucky last Saturday. Mississippi State, who was idle this week, defeated Auburn, 17-10, in its last action. LSU enters Saturday's contest with a 4-3 overall mark and a 2-2 record in league play. LSU is 4-1 at home this season, which includes a perfect 2-0 mark vs. league teams.

ABOUT MISSISSIPPI STATE

Mississippi State comes to Tiger Stadium armed with the nation's top rated rushing defense as the Bulldogs are allowing just 24.4 yards rushing a contest. MSU's rushing offense is ranked second in the SEC as they are averaging 166.6 rushing yards a contest, to go along with 169.4 yards passing a game. Running back **Dicenzo Miller**, the SEC Player of the Week two weeks ago, ranks fifth in the SEC with 83.2 rushing yards a game. Quarterback **Wayne Madkin** has completed 69 of 128 passes for 819 yards, 3 TDs and 5 interceptions. MSU enters the contest with a 4-1 mark, including a 2-1 record in league play. Defensively, MSU has recorded 21 sacks, second-best in the SEC, and the individual leader for the Bulldogs is **Pig Prather**, who has five sacks and 10 tackles for losses.

THE SABAN RECORD

LSU coach **Nick Saban** enters Saturday's contest against Mississippi State with a 47-29-1 overall mark. Saban, who is in his seventh season as a collegiate head coach, guided Michigan State to four bowl games in five years. Saban opened his head coaching career at Toledo in 1990, where he guided the Rockets to a 9-2 mark and a share of the Mid-American Conference title.

Saban's string of serving six seasons as a head coach without suffering a losing record ranks as the nation's fourth-longest current streak.

The following is a look at Saban's year-by-year coaching record:

Year	School	Overall Record	Conference Record
1990	Toledo	9-2	7-1
1995	Michigan State	6-5-1	4-3-1
1996	Michigan State	6-6	5-3
1997	Michigan State	7-5	4-4
1998	Michigan State	6-6	4-4
1999	Michigan State	9-2	6-2
2000	LSU	4-3	2-2
TOTALS	7th Season	47-29-1	32-19-1

LSU PLAYS COMPLETE GAME VS. KENTUCKY

LSU put together perhaps its most complete game of the season on Saturday vs. Kentucky as the Tiger offense tallied 34 points, the defense pitched a shutout and the special teams came up with two critical turnovers. The result was a 34-0 victory over Kentucky.

Offensively, the Tigers scored on six of their 12 possessions, with three of the scoring drives going at least 10 plays. In addition, LSU was successful on 11 of its 19 third down conversions and they were 2-of-2 on fourth down attempts. Meanwhile, the LSU defense was limiting the Wildcats to just 6-of-14 on third down attempts and 1-of-6 on fourth down tries. LSU's special teams came up with two fumble recoveries on Kentucky punt returns and those turnovers resulted in 10 LSU points. Overall, LSU turned three Kentucky turnovers into 17 points.

The shutout was the second of the season for the Tigers and the first for LSU in an SEC contest since a 27-0 win over Alabama in 1997. LSU has two shutouts in the same season since 1997 when the Tigers blanked Akron, 56-0, and Alabama.

TURNOVERS (OR LACK OF) HAVE BEEN THE DIFFERENCE

The secret to LSU's success this season may be pretty simple - turnovers. LSU is +7 in the turnover column in games in which they have won compared to -7 in losses. The Tigers didn't have a turnover in Saturday's win over Kentucky, compared to four turnovers for the Wildcats. The Kentucky contest marked the second time this season in which LSU didn't have a turnover (the other game was the season-opener vs. Western Carolina).

LSU VS. TOP 25 TEAMS

LSU will face its fourth top 25 opponent on Saturday when 13th-ranked Mississippi State comes to Baton Rouge. LSU is 1-2 this year vs. top 25 teams with the victory coming against 11th-ranked Tennessee in Baton Rouge on Sept. 30 by a 38-31 count in overtime. Dating back to last year's 35-10 win over 17th-ranked Arkansas in the season-finale, LSU has won two straight games over top 25 teams in Baton Rouge. Two years ago, Mississippi State came to Tiger Stadium ranked No. 24 in the nation and unranked LSU posted a 41-6 win over the Bulldogs.

LSU RECORD BOOK

TIGER STADIUM ATTENDANCE

#	Attend.	Opponent	Result	Date
1.	91,682	Tennessee	W, 38-31	9/30/00
2.	87,188	W. Carolina	W, 58-0	9/2/00
3.	85,664	Kentucky	W, 34-0	10/14/00
4.	85,339	UAB	L, 13-10	9/23/00
5.	82,469	Houston	W, 28-13	9/9/00
6.	82,390	Washington	W, 40-14	9/24/83
7.	80,792	Georgia	L, 28-27	10/3/98
8.	80,677	Florida	W, 28-21	10/11/97
9.	80,583	Florida	L, 28-10	10/7/95

LOUISIANA COLLEGIATE FOOTBALL

No.	Attend.	results
1.	91,682	LSU 38, Tennessee 31 (ot) <i>September 30, 2000 at Tiger Stadium</i>
2.	87,188	LSU 58, Western Carolina 0 <i>September 2, 2000 at Tiger Stadium</i>
3.	86,598	Tulane 14, LSU 0 <i>December 1, 1973 at Tulane Stadium</i>
4.	85,664	LSU 34, Kentucky 0 <i>October 14, 2000 at Tiger Stadium</i>
5.	85,372	LSU 9, Tulane 3 <i>December 2, 1972 at Tulane Stadium</i>

LSU CAREER RECEPTIONS

No.	Name	Years	Rec.
1.	Wendell Davis	1984-87	183
2.	Eric Martin	1981-84	152
3.	Tony Moss	1986-89	132
4.	Larry Foster	1996-99	125
5.	Garry James	1982-85	122
6.	Sheddrick Wilson	1992-95	121
7.	Abram Booty	Active	117
8.	Todd Kinchen	1988-91	112
9.	Andy Hamilton	1969-71	100
10.	Eddie Kennison	1993-95	98
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	Jerel Myers	Active	85

LSU CAREER RECEIVING YARDS

No.	Name	Years	Yds.
1.	Wendell Davis	1984-87	2,708
2.	Eric Martin	1981-84	2,625
3.	Tony Moss	1986-89	2,196
4.	Andy Hamilton	1969-71	1,995
5.	Todd Kinchen	1988-91	1,911
6.	Abram Booty	Active	1,768
7.	Larry Foster	1996-99	1,747
8.	Carlos Carson	1977-79	1,728
9.	Eddie Kennison	1993-95	1,554
10.	Sheddrick Wilson	1992-95	1,536
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	Jerel Myers	Active	1,147

LSU CAREER SACK LEADERS

No.	Name	Years	Scks
1.	Rydell Malancon	1980-83	25
2.	Ron Sancho	1985-88	23
3.	Gabe Northern	1992-95	21
4.	Chuck Wiley	1994-97	19
5.	James Gillyard	1992-95	18
6.	Anthony McFarland	1995-98	17
t7.	Jarvis Green	Active	15
t7.	Ramsey Dardar	1980-82	15

LSU ON ESPN2

The Tigers will be making their fifth appearance on ESPN2, and the first this year, on Saturday vs. Mississippi State. LSU is 2-2 all-time in games on ESPN2 and the Tigers are 56-75-7 all-time in televised games. Saturday's game will mark the third time in which LSU has faced Mississippi State on ESPN2. Last year, Mississippi State beat LSU, 17-16, on the Deuce, while a year earlier, the Tigers posted a 41-6 victory over the Bulldogs on ESPN2 in Baton Rouge. Saturday's 8 p.m. start time in Tiger Stadium is the latest starting time for a game since LSU and Kentucky kicked off at 8 p.m. in 1998.

TIGERS DEFENSE CONTINUES TO BE TOUGH ON OPENING DRIVES

LSU extended its streak of holding the opposition without points on their opening drive against Kentucky on Saturday. The streak now stands at 12 straight games without allowing an opponent to score on their opening possession. The streak dates back to last year when Kentucky scored on its first possession on its way to a 31-5 victory over the Tigers in the sixth week of the season.

LSU DEFENSE HOLDS ANOTHER OPPONENT WITHOUT A FIRST QUARTER TD

Last week, the LSU defense yielded its first first quarter TD of the season when Florida scored in the opening stanza. The Tiger defense was back at it against Kentucky as LSU held the Wildcats scoreless for the first quarter (and the entire game). The touchdownless first quarter for Kentucky marked the sixth time this season and the seventh time in the last eight games in which the LSU defense has not allowed a TD. Through seven games this season, the Tigers have allowed just 13 (3 by UAB, 3 by Tennessee, 7 by Florida) first quarter points, compared to the 43 points in which LSU has put on the board in the first period.

LSU DEFENSE STILL TOPS IN SEC BY ALLOWING JUST 3 RUSHING TDS

Mississippi State may have the best rushing defense in the nation, but LSU is tops in the SEC when it comes to allowing rushing touchdowns. Through seven games, the Tigers have allowed just three rushing TDs, not bad for a team that allowed 18 last year. Florida (two) and Auburn are the only teams to have a rushing TD against the Tigers this season.

REED CONTINUES SOLID PLAY AT RECEIVER

When **Josh Reed** lined up at receiver for the first time against Alabama last season, the Tigers couldn't have possibly imagined what they discovered. Ten games later, Reed has developed into not only LSU's top receiving threat, but one of the most dangerous receivers in the SEC. Over the last 10 games, Reed has surpassed the 100-yard barrier four times, including three times this season. Reed led LSU with seven receptions for 67 yards and one TD vs. Kentucky.

In seven games this season, Reed has caught seven TD passes, four of which have been 45 yards or longer, which includes a 75-yard TD reception vs. Auburn.

In LSU's four SEC games this season, Reed has caught 26 passes for 430 yards and 6 TDs.

Reed's 7 TDs this season are the most for an LSU player since 1989 when Tony Moss and Eddie Fuller each caught nine TD passes.

Over the last 10 games dating back to 1999, Reed is averaging four catches and nearly 83 yards per game.

The following is a game-by-game look at Reed's numbers since being converted to receiver from tailback last season:

Game	Receptions	Yards	TDs	Long
1999				
at Alabama	2	33	0	22
Houston	5	100	0	33
Arkansas	1	1	0	1
2000				
Western Carolina	5	137	1	47
Houston	3	76	0	30
at Auburn	8	167	2	75
UAB	4	53	0	17
Tennessee	7	146	3	53
Florida	4	50	0	26
Kentucky	7	67	1	16
TOTALS	46	830	7	75

BOOTY SURPASSES 3,000-YARD MARK

With 225 yards passing vs. Kentucky, LSU junior quarterback **Josh Booty** became just the eighth quarterback in school history to throw for 3,000 or more yards in a career. Booty's career passing yardage stands at 3,075 yards. Booty currently stands 93 yards shy of passing **Chad Loup** (3,167 yards) for seventh place in school history.

REED REMAINS ATOP THE SEC IN RECEIVING YARDS PER GAME

With seven catches for 67 yards vs. Kentucky, sophomore wide out **Josh Reed** maintained his position as the top ranking receiver in the league with 99.4 receiving yards a contest. Reed also ranks ninth nationally in that category. Reed's seven receiving TDs ranks second in the league, while his 38 total catches are second. In seven games this season, Reed has caught 38 passes for 696 yards for an average of 18.3 yards per reception. Reed's current total of 696 receiving yards put the sophomore 150 yards from moving into LSU's top 10 list for season receiving yardage. **Wendell Davis** holds the school mark with 1,244 yards in 1986, while **Sheddrick Wilson** is No. 10 with 845 yards in 1995.

ROBINSON AND MYERS EXTEND RECEPTION STREAKS

With receptions against Kentucky, LSU's **Reggie Robinson** and **Jerel Myers** kept their streak of games with at least one catch alive. Robinson has caught at least one pass in his last 24 games, while Myers has caught a pass in 18 straight games, which also represents every game of his career. Robinson's streak of 23 straight games with a reception is the longest active streak on the team. **Josh Reed** has also caught at least one pass in 10 straight games.

BIG PLAY RETURNS TO LSU PASSING ATTACK

LSU has feasted on big plays in its passing game this season as the Tigers have had seven passing plays of 45 yards or longer this year. The latest was a 54-yard catch-and-run by **Domanick Davis** vs. Florida.

Through seven games this season, the Tigers have recorded nine scoring plays of 30 yards or longer, which includes an 80-yard pass from Josh Booty to Reggie Robinson vs. Western Carolina and a 75-yard Booty to Josh Reed pass vs. Auburn. Those two scoring plays mark the first time since 1994 (Jamie Howard to Brett Bech, 76 and 81 yard passes). that the Tigers have had two scoring passing plays cover at least 75 yards in the same season.

So far this season, nine of LSU's 17 scoring plays through the air have been 30 yards or longer. Last year, the Tigers had just four TD passes of 30 yards or longer, three of which came in the season-finale vs. Arkansas.

The following is a look at LSU's scoring plays through the air this season:

Length	Play	Opponent
80 yards	Josh Booty to Reggie Robinson	Western Carolina (1Q)
75 yards	Josh Booty to Josh Reed	Auburn (1Q)
53 yards	Rohan Davey to Josh Reed	Tennessee (4Q)
47 yards	Rohan Davey to Josh Reed	Western Carolina (2Q)
45 yards	Josh Booty to Jerel Myers	Western Carolina (1Q)
45 yards	Josh Booty to Josh Reed	Auburn (3Q)
36 yards	Rohan Davey to Jerel Myers	Western Carolina (3Q)
31 yards	Rohan Davey to Josh Reed	Tennessee (2Q)
30 yards	Josh Booty to Robert Royal	Houston (2Q)
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25 yards	Josh Booty to Eric Edwards	Kentucky (4Q)
25 yards	Rohan Davey to Robert Royal	Tennessee (OT)
16 yards	Rohan Davey to Josh Reed	Tennessee (2Q)
13 yards	Josh Booty to Reggie Robinson	Kentucky (3Q)
11 yards	Josh Booty to Joe Domingeaux	Houston (2Q)
9 yards	Rohan Davey to Elice Parker	Western Carolina (3Q)
7 yards	Josh Booty to Josh Reed	Kentucky (1Q)
5 yards	Josh Booty to Robert Royal	Florida (4Q)

LSU USES FOURTH DIFFERENT O-LINE COMBINATION VS. KENTUCKY

For the fourth time this season, LSU started a different combination on the offensive line as sophomore **Rob Sale** started at left guard on Saturday vs. Kentucky. The start was the first of Sale's career. With Sale at left guard, **Rodney Reed** moved from his usual position of left guard to left tackle and **Brandon Winey** shifted from left tackle to start in place of **Brad Smalling** at right tackle.

So far this year, the Tigers have had three season-opening starters on the offensive line miss significant time. For the last three games, the Tigers have been without three players on the offensive line that were starters when the season opened. Senior tackle **Trey Langely** (torn ACL) is out for the season after suffering his injury vs. Houston. Sophomore guard **Bob Wynne** (neck) hasn't played since the Houston game, while senior center **John Compton** (concussion) has missed the last three games.

ROB SALE ADDS NAME TO FIRST-TIME STARTERS LIST FOR LSU THIS SEASON

Offensive lineman **Rob Sale** added his name to the list of players getting their first career start this season as the Monroe, La., native started for the first time against Kentucky on Saturday.

Through seven games, LSU has now used 11 first-time starters, including four on the offensive line.

In addition to those 11 first time starters, **Kyle Kipps** started at defensive end vs. Western Carolina, making him both an offensive and defensive starter during his LSU career. Prior to this season, Kipps had started 13 games at tight end, but he had never seen any time on the defensive side of the ball.

The following is a list of first-time starters for LSU this season:

Western Carolina:

Bob Wynne (OG), Brad Smalling (OT), LaBrandon Toefield (TB), Howard Green (DT), Bradie James (LB), Demetrius Hookfin (CB)

Houston:

Damien James (DB), Travis Moses (DB)

Auburn:

Jack Hunt (WR)

Tennessee:

Rodney Reed (OG)

Kentucky:

Rob Sale (OG)

2000 SEC STANDINGS

Eastern Division

TEAM	SEC	PCT.	OVERALL
Florida	4-1	.800	6-1
South Carolina	4-1	.800	6-1
Georgia	3-1	.750	5-1
Tennessee	0-3	.000	2-3
Kentucky	0-4	.000	2-5
Vanderbilt	0-4	.000	2-5

Western Division

TEAM	SEC	PCT.	OVERALL
Alabama	3-1	.750	3-3
Mississippi State	2-1	.667	4-1
Auburn	3-2	.600	5-2
LSU	2-2	.500	4-3
Ole Miss	2-2	.500	4-2
Arkansas	1-2	.333	4-2

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS POLL

NO.	TEAM	RECORD	POINTS
1.	Nebraska (66)	6-0	1,770
2.	Virginia Tech (1)	6-0	1,656
3.	Oklahoma (4)	6-0	1,603
4.	Miami (Fla.)	4-1	1,546
5.	Clemson	7-0	1,523
6.	Florida State	6-1	1,439
7.	Oregon	5-1	1,290
8.	Florida	6-1	1,242
9.	Washington	5-1	1,147
10.	Kansas State	6-1	1,118
11.	TCU	5-0	1,042
12.	Georgia	5-1	898
13.	Miss. State	4-1	865
14.	Ohio State	5-1	854
15.	Southern Miss	5-1	845
16.	Michigan	5-2	737
17.	Purdue	5-2	586
18.	South Carolina	6-1	517
19.	Oregon State	5-1	493
20.	Notre Dame	4-2	458
21.	Arizona	5-1	378
22.	Minnesota	5-2	227
23.	UCLA	4-2	210
24.	N.C. State	5-1	183
25.	Northwestern	5-2	146

ESPN/USA Today Coaches' Poll

NO.	TEAM	RECORD	POINTS
1.	Nebraska (57)	6-0	1,473
2.	Virginia Tech (1)	6-0	1,412
3.	Clemson	7-0	1,308
4.	Oklahoma (1)	6-0	1,276
5.	Miami (Fla.)	4-1	1,262
6.	Florida State	6-1	1,166
7.	Florida	6-1	1,116
8.	Kansas State	6-1	943
9.	Washington	5-1	934
10.	TCU	5-0	897
11.	Oregon	5-1	894
12.	Georgia	5-1	794
13.	Ohio State	5-1	790
14.	Miss. State	4-1	731
15.	Southern Miss	5-1	713
16.	Michigan	5-2	621
17.	Purdue	5-2	434
18.	Oregon State	5-1	433
19.	South Carolina	6-1	362
20.	Arizona	5-1	346
21.	Texas	4-2	193
22.	Notre Dame	4-2	162
23.	Minnesota	5-2	158
24.	UCLA	4-2	145
25.	N.C. State	5-1	130

LSU RECORD BOOK

LSU CAREER PASSING YARDS

No.	Name	Years	Yds
1.	Tommy Hodson	1986-89	9,115
2.	Jeff Wickersham	1982-85	6,921
3.	Jamie Howard	1992-95	6,158
4.	Herb Tyler	1995-98	5,876
5.	Alan Risher	1980-82	4,585
6.	Bert Jones	1970-72	3,225
7.	Chad Loup	1990-93	3,167
8.	Josh Booty	Active	3,075
9.	Steve Ensminger	1976-79	2,770
10.	Y.A. Tittle	1944-47	2,525

LSU CAREER KICKOFF RETURN YARDS

No.	Name	Returns	Yards
1.	Robert Dow	70	1,780
2.	Eddie Kennison	51	1,178
3.	Sammy Martin	43	1,066
4.	Domanick Davis	38	917
5.	Sammy Grezaffi	40	899
6.	Hokie Gajan	38	890
7.	David Butler	35	863
8.	Eric Martin	32	851
9.	Kevin Faulk	34	844
10.	Gary Pegues	40	685

ACTIVE COACHES WITHOUT A LOSING SEASON

COACH	TEAM	YEARS
R.C. Slocum	Texas A&M	11
Paul Pasquoloni	Syracuse	9
Phillip Fulmer	Tennessee	8
Nick Saban	Toledo/Mich. St./LSU	6
Mike Bellotti	Oregon	5
Lloyd Carr	Michigan	5
Tommy Bowden	Tulane/Clemson	5
Dana Dimel	Wyoming/Houston	3
Bob Pruett	Marshall	3
Dirk Koetter	Boise State	2
Frank Solich	Nebraska	2

TIGERS IN THE NFL

Harold Bishop	Pittsburgh Steelers
Ben Bordelon	San Diego Chargers
Marc Boutte	Washington Redskins
Cedric Donaldson	Chicago Bears
Alan Faneca	Pittsburgh Steelers
Kevin Faulk	New England Patriots
Eric Hill	San Diego Chargers
Raion Hills	Buffalo Bills
Al Jackson	Dallas Cowboys
Tory James	Oakland Raiders
Reggie Jones	San Diego Chargers
Eddie Kennison	Chicago Bears
Brian Kinchen	Carolina Panthers
David LaFleur	Dallas Cowboys
Anthony Marshall	Minnesota Vikings
Anth. McFarland	Tampa Bay
Kevin Mawae	New York Jets
Todd McClure	Atlanta Falcons
Rondell Mealey	Green Bay Packers
Arnold Miller	Cleveland Browns
Kenny Mixon	Miami Dolphins
Gabe Northern	Minnesota Vikings
Mark Roman	Cincinnati Bengals
Henry Thomas	New England Patriots
Denard Walker	Tennessee Titans
Joe Wesley	San Francisco 49ers
Chuck Wiley	Atlanta Falcons

TOEFIELD MOVES UP SEC FRESHMAN RUSHING CHARTS

With 469 yards rushing this season, freshman running back **LaBrandon Toefield** has moved to No. 20 on the SEC's all-time list of rushing yards for freshmen. While breaking Herschel Walker's freshman record of 1,616 yards in 1980 is out of reach, Toefield can still manage to get in the top 10. Florida's **Errict Rhett** holds the No. 10 spot with 845 yards. LSU players on the list include **Dalton Hilliard** at No. 6 with 901 yards and **Kevin Faulk** at No. 9 with 852 yards.

LSU MAKES THE MOST OF FAULK'S FUMBLE RECOVERIES

LSU needs sophomore linebacker **Trev Faulk** to recover more fumbles. This year, Faulk has recovered three fumbles and those turnovers have resulted in 17 points for the Tigers - 3 vs. Auburn, 7 vs. UAB and 7 vs. Kentucky. The latest Faulk fumble recovery came on Saturday vs. Kentucky as he pounced on a loose ball in Kentucky's first possession of the second half. Six plays later the Tigers scored a touchdown to push their lead to 17-0.

RUN DOMANICK, RUN

LSU's sophomore tailback/return specialist **Domanick Davis** has developed into one of the top all-purpose threats in the SEC. Despite picking up only 45 all-purpose yards vs. Kentucky, Davis still ranks fifth in the SEC with 126.3 all-purpose yards a contest.

The following is a game-by-game look at Davis' all-purpose yards through six games this season:

Game	Rushing	Receiving	Kickoff Ret.	Punt Ret.	Totals Yards
W. Carolina	21	0	55	18	94
Houston	35	0	57	48	140
Auburn	30	0	34	0	64
UAB	32	41	55	98	226
Tennessee	16	22	50	34	122
Florida	6	57	94	36	193
Kentucky	45	0	0	0	45
TOTALS	185	120	299	280	884

GREEN ON PACE TO BREAK SACK RECORD

With 15 sacks in his first two years with the Tigers, junior defensive end **Jarvis Green** is on pace to break the school record for sacks. **Rydell Malancon** holds the school record with 25 sacks from 1980-83 with **Ron Sancho** next with 23.

LOUIS WILLIAMS IS MR. VERSATILE ON LSU'S O-LINE

When **Louis Williams** lined up as LSU's starting center vs. Tennessee three weeks ago, it marked the fourth different starting position that the senior has played during his career. Williams, who has started 29 straight games for the Tigers, has started at the following positions during his career: center (3 starts), left tackle (22 starts), left guard (2 starts) and right guard (2 starts).

DOMANICK DAVIS MOVES UP KICKOFF RETURN CHARTS

With 94 yards in kickoff returns vs. Florida, sophomore **Domanick Davis** jumped all the way from ninth place to fourth place on LSU's all-time list for kickoff return yardage. In two years with the Tigers, Davis has returned 38 kicks for 917 yards (24.1 average). Davis did not have any kickoff return yardage vs. Kentucky.

Davis needs just 83 yards to become only the fourth player in school history to have 1,000 kickoff return yards in a career and he needs 150 yards to move past **Sammy Martin** (1,066 yards) into third place. **Robert Dow** holds the school-record with 1,780 yards on 70 returns. Last year, Davis set the school's single-season kickoff return record with 618 yards on 25 returns.

WILLIAMS EXTENDS STARTING STREAK

LSU senior offensive guard **Louis Williams** made his 28th straight start on Saturday. Williams, who has been in the Tiger starting lineup since the 1998 season-opener against Arkansas State, has the longest current starting string of any LSU player. Other starting streaks of significance are senior cornerback **Fred Booker** (23 straight), and sophomore split end **Jerel Myers** and junior free safety **Ryan Clark** each with 17 consecutive starts. Sophomore linebacker **Trev Faulk** has started 14 straight games.

RELATIVELY SPEAKING

Defensive end **Jarvis Green** and linebacker **Jason Green** are brothers and defensive tackle **Howard Green** is Jarvis and Jason's cousin ... Offensive guard **Trey Langley** is the son of former LSU tackle **Willis Langley**, who lettered at LSU in 1962 and 1963 ... Linebacker **Trev Faulk** is the first cousin of all-time LSU leading rusher **Kevin Faulk** ... Center **John Compton** is the son of former LSU assistant volleyball coach **Francis Compton** ... Placekicker **Kris Kessler** is the brother of former LSU punter **Chad Kessler**, who holds the NCAA record by averaging 50.3 a punt for LSU in 1997 ... Split end **Blain Bech** is the brother of former Tiger split end **Brett Bech** and

STATISTICAL COMPARISON

CATEGORY	LSU	MSU
Record:	4-3	4-1
Conference:	2-2	2-1
Scoring Offense:	27.7	28.8
Total Offense:	382.1	336.0
Rushing Offense:	121.9	166.6
Passing Offense:	260.3	169.4
Scoring Defense:	18.9	19.8
Total Defense:	354.3	288.2
Rushing Defense:	124.0	284.4
Passing Defense:	230.3	263.8
Kickoff Returns:	21.3	25.1
Punt Returns:	20.9	23.8
Time of Poss.:	30:26	30:31
3rd Down Conv.:	45/105	27/77
4th Down Conv.:	7/8	3/5
Turnover Margin:	Even	+1

STATISTICAL LEADERS

RUSHING YARDS

LSU	MSU
L. Toefield469	D. Miller416
D. Davis185	D. Walker . . .274

PASSING YARDS

LSU	MSU
J. Booty1245	W. Madkin . . .819
R. Davey577	

RECEIVING YARDS

LSU	MSU
J. Reed696	T. Grindle . . .157
J. Myers283	D. Miller . . .152

DEFENSE (TACKLES)

LSU	MSU
T. Faulk80	M. Haggan . . .53
B. James75	J. Morgan . . .46

LSU SCHEDULE/RESULTS (4-3, 2-2)

Sept. 2	Western Carolina	W, 58-0
Sept. 9	Houston	W, 28-13
Sept. 16	* at Auburn (ESPN)	L, 34-17
Sept. 23	UAB	L, 13-10
Sept. 30	* Tennessee (ESPN)	W, 38-31
Oct. 7	* at Florida (JP)	L, 41-9
Oct. 14	* Kentucky	W, 34-0
Oct. 21	* Miss. State (ESPN2)	7 p.m.
Nov. 4	Alabama	7 p.m.
Nov. 11	* at Ole Miss	1 p.m.
Nov. 24	* at Arkansas (CBS)	1:30 p.m.

MISS. STATE RESULTS (4-1, 2-1)

Sept. 2	at Memphis	W, 17-3
Sept. 9	at BYU	W, 44-28
Sept. 23	at South Carolina	L, 23-19
Sept. 30	Florida	W, 47-35
Oct. 7	Auburn	W, 17-10
Oct. 21	at LSU	8 p.m.
Oct. 28	Middle Tennessee	1:30 p.m.
Nov. 4	at Kentucky	12:30 p.m.
Nov. 11	Alabama	TBA
Nov. 18	Arkansas	TBA
Nov. 23	at Ole Miss	7 p.m.

THE LAST MEETING

NO. 11 MISSISSIPPI STATE 17, LSU 16 * OCTOBER 23, 1999
SCOTT FIELD * STARKVILLE, MISS.

Rod Gibson's 1-yard run with 1:39 left in the contest lifted 11th-ranked Mississippi State to a 17-16 win over LSU in Starkville. The victory kept State undefeated at 7-0, while snapping LSU's seven-game winning streak over the Bulldogs. LSU fell to 2-5 with the loss.

LSU controlled the contest early as the Tigers scored on their first possession when Rondell Mealey hit paydirt on a 3-yard run to cap a 16-play drive at the 4:00 mark in the first half. John Corbello tacked on a 36-yard field goal at the 11:45 mark in the second quarter for a 10-0 LSU lead. A safety and a field goal pulled State to within 10-5 at halftime.

Mississippi State took its first lead of the contest on a 1-yard run by Justin Griffith in the third quarter. That lead stood until LSU's Ryan Clark recovered a blocked MSU punt in the endzone, giving the Tigers a 16-11 lead with 11:24 to play. Mealey led LSU with 51 yards rushing on 26 carries, while Josh Booty connected on 14 of 27 passes for 165 yards.

Miss. State	0	5	6	6	-17
LSU4:00	1Q	Rondell Mealey	3	run	(John Corbello kick)
LSU11:45	2Q	Corbello	36	field goal	
MSU 6:06	2Q	Safety	-	Blocked punt in endzone	
MSU 3:28	2Q	Scott Westerfield	31	field goal	
MSU 3:12	3Q	Justin Griffith	1	run (pass failed)	
LSU11:24	4Q	Ryan Clark	1	blocked punt return (pass failed)	
MSU 1:39	4Q	Rod Gibson	1	run (pass failed)	

STATISTICAL LEADERS

Rushing:

Rondell Mealey (LSU)	26-56 yards, 1 TD
Chris Rainey (MSU)	10-22 yards

Passing:

Josh Booty (LSU)	14-27-1, 165 yards
W. Madkin (MSU)	14-31-2, 174 yards

Receiving:

Jerel Myers (LSU)	6-69 yards
Kelvin Love (MSU)	4-71 yards

Scoring Summary

LSU	7	3	0	6	-16
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LSU-MISS. STATE: THE SERIES

LSU LEADS 57-33-3

YEAR	SCORE	DATE/SITE
1896:	LSU, 52-0	Nov. 20 at Baton Rouge
1902:	LSU, 6-0	Nov. 27 at Starkville
1903:	MSU, 11-0	Nov. 7 at Starkville
1905:	LSU, 15-0	Dec. 1 at Baton Rouge
1906:	Tie, 0-0	Oct. 27 at Starkville
1907:	LSU, 23-11	Nov. 9 at Baton Rouge
1908:	LSU, 50-0	Nov. 7 at Baton Rouge
1909:	LSU, 15-0	Oct. 16 at Baton Rouge
1910:	MSU, 3-0	Oct. 21 at Columbus
1911:	MSU, 6-0	Nov. 12 at Gulfport
1912:	MSU, 7-0	Nov. 2 at Baton Rouge
1913:	Tie, 0-0	Nov. 15 at Starkville
1915:	LSU, 10-0	Oct. 29 at Baton Rouge
1916:	LSU, 13-3	Nov. 12 at Starkville
1917:	MSU, 9-0	Nov. 29 at Baton Rouge
1919:	MSU, 6-0	Nov. 1 at Starkville
1920:	MSU, 12-7	Oct. 23 at Baton Rouge
1921:	LSU, 17-14	Dec. 3 at Starkville
1922:	MSU, 7-0	Nov. 18 at Baton Rouge
1923:	MSU, 14-7	Dec. 1 at Starkville
1926:	MSU, 7-6	Oct. 23 at Jackson
1927:	LSU, 9-7	Oct. 22 at Jackson
1928:	LSU, 31-0	Oct. 20 at Jackson
1929:	LSU, 31-6	Oct. 19 at Jackson
1930:	MSU, 8-6	Oct. 18 at Jackson
1931:	LSU, 31-0	Oct. 17 at Baton Rouge
1932:	LSU, 24-0	Oct. 15 at Monroe
1933:	LSU, 21-6	Nov. 25 at Monroe
1934:	LSU, 25-3	Nov. 3 at Baton Rouge
1935:	LSU, 28-13	Nov. 9 at Baton Rouge
1936:	LSU, 12-0	Nov. 7 at Baton Rouge
1937:	LSU, 41-0	Nov. 6 at Baton Rouge
1938:	LSU, 32-7	Nov. 5 at Baton Rouge
1939:	MSU, 15-12	Nov. 11 at Baton Rouge
1940:	MSU, 22-7	Nov. 9 at Baton Rouge
1941:	Tie, 0-0	Oct. 11 at Baton Rouge
1942:	LSU, 16-6	Oct. 10 at Baton Rouge
1944:	MSU, 13-6	Oct. 21 at Baton Rouge
1945:	MSU, 27-20	Nov. 10 at Baton Rouge
1946:	LSU, 13-6	Oct. 5 at Baton Rouge
1947:	LSU, 21-6	Nov. 15 at Baton Rouge
1948:	MSU, 7-0	Nov. 13 at Baton Rouge
1949:	LSU, 34-7	Nov. 12 at Baton Rouge
1950:	MSU, 13-7	Nov. 18 at Baton Rouge
1951:	LSU, 3-0	Nov. 17 at Baton Rouge
1952:	MSU, 33-14	Nov. 15 at Baton Rouge
1953:	MSU, 26-13	Nov. 14 at Baton Rouge

1954:	MSU, 25-0	Nov. 13 at Baton Rouge
1955:	LSU, 34-7	Nov. 12 at Baton Rouge
1956:	MSU, 32-13	Nov. 17 at Baton Rouge
1957:	MSU, 14-6	Nov. 16 at Baton Rouge
1958:	LSU, 7-6	Nov. 15 at Jackson
1959:	LSU, 27-0	Nov. 14 at Baton Rouge
1960:	LSU, 7-3	Nov. 12 at Baton Rouge
1961:	LSU, 14-6	Nov. 18 at Baton Rouge
1962:	LSU, 28-0	Nov. 17 at Jackson
1963:	MSU, 7-6	Nov. 16 at Jackson
1964:	LSU, 14-10	Nov. 14 at Baton Rouge
1965:	LSU, 37-20	Nov. 13 at Baton Rouge
1966:	LSU, 17-7	Nov. 12 at Baton Rouge
1967:	LSU, 55-0	Nov. 18 at Baton Rouge
1968:	LSU, 20-16	Nov. 16 at Baton Rouge
1969:	LSU, 61-6	Nov. 15 at Baton Rouge
1970:	LSU, 38-7	Nov. 14 at Baton Rouge
1971:	LSU, 28-3	Nov. 13 at Jackson
1972:	LSU, 28-14	Nov. 18 at Baton Rouge
1973:	LSU, 26-7	Nov. 17 at Baton Rouge
1974:	MSU, 7-6	Nov. 16 at Jackson
*1975:	MSU, 16-6	Nov. 15 at Baton Rouge
*1976:	MSU, 21-13	Nov. 13 at Jackson
1977:	LSU, 27-24	Nov. 12 at Baton Rouge
1978:	MSU, 16-14	Nov. 18 at Jackson
1979:	LSU, 21-3	Nov. 17 at Baton Rouge
1980:	MSU, 55-31	Nov. 15 at Jackson
1981:	MSU, 17-9	Nov. 14 at Baton Rouge
1982:	MSU, 27-24	Nov. 13 at Starkville
1983:	MSU, 45-26	Nov. 12 at Baton Rouge
1984:	MSU, 16-14	Nov. 17 at Starkville
1985:	LSU, 17-15	Nov. 16 at Baton Rouge
1986:	LSU, 47-0	Nov. 15 at Jackson
1987:	LSU, 34-14	Nov. 14 at Baton Rouge
1988:	LSU, 20-3	Nov. 12 at Starkville
1989:	LSU, 44-20	Nov. 18 at Baton Rouge
1990:	MSU, 34-22	Nov. 17 at Jackson
1991:	MSU, 28-19	Nov. 16 at Baton Rouge
1992:	LSU, 24-3	Sept. 12 at Baton Rouge
1993:	LSU, 18-16	Sept. 11 at Starkville
1994:	LSU, 44-24	Sept. 10 at Baton Rouge
1995:	LSU, 34-16	Sept. 9 at Starkville
1996:	LSU, 28-20	Oct. 26 at Baton Rouge
1997:	LSU, 24-9	Sept. 13 at Starkville
1998:	LSU, 41-6	Oct. 24 at Baton Rouge
1999:	MSU, 17-16	Oct. 23 at Starkville

At Baton Rouge:	LSU leads, 41-18-1
At Starkville:	Series tied, 6-6-2
At Jackson:	LSU leads, 8-7
Other Sites:	Series tied, 2-2

2000 REDZONE STATISTICS

LSU IN THE RED ZONE

OPPONENT	INSIDE		RUN/		TD	SCORE	
	20	TD	PASS	TD PCT.		FG	PCT.
Western Carolina	4	3	2/1	75%	1	100%	
Houston	5	2	1/1	40%	0	40%	
Auburn	1	0	0/0	0%	1	100%	
UAB	3	1	1/0	33.3%	1	67%	
Tennessee	1	1	0/1	100.0%	0	100.0%	
Florida	2	1	0/1	50.0%	1	100.0%	
Kentucky	5	3	1/2	60.0%	2	100.0%	
Miss. St.							
Alabama							
Ole Miss							
Arkansas							
TOTALS	21	11	5/6	52.4%	6	81%	

OPPONENTS IN THE RED ZONE

OPPONENT	INSIDE		RUN/		TD	SCORE	
	20	TD	PASS	TD PCT.		FG	PCT.
Western Carolina	0	0	0/0	0%	0	0%	
Houston	4	2	0/2	50%	0	50%	
Auburn	6	3	1/2	50%	1	66.6%	
UAB	2	0	0/0	0.0	2	100.0%	
Tennessee	6	3	0/3	50.0%	1	67%	
Florida	4	3	2/1	75.0%	1	100.0%	
Kentucky	0	0	0/0	0.0%	0	0.0%	
Miss. St.							
Alabama							
Ole Miss							
Arkansas							
TOTALS	22	11	3/8	50%	5	72.7%	

LSU INDIVIDUAL SUPERLATIVES

Rushing Yards120 by LaBrandon Toefield vs. Tennessee
 Rushing Carries23 by LaBrandon Toefield vs. Houston
 Rushing Touchdowns . . . Three tied with one
 Longest Rush74 by LaBrandon Toefield vs. Tennessee
 Passing Yards318 by Rohan Davey vs. Tennessee
 Passing Completions .23 by Rohan Davey vs. Tennessee
 Passing Attempts38 by Josh Booty vs. UAB
 Passes Intercepted4 by Josh Booty vs. UAB
 Passing Touchdowns . .4 by Rohan Davey vs. Tennessee
 Longest Pass80 by Josh Booty vs. W. Carolina
 Receiving Yards167 by Josh Reed vs. Auburn
 Receptions8 by Josh Reed vs. Auburn
 Receiving Touchdowns .3 by Josh Reed vs. Tennessee
 Longest Reception . . .80 by Reggie Robinson vs. W. Carolina
 FG's Made2 by John Corbello vs. Kentucky
 FG's Attempted3 by John Corbello vs. Kentucky
 Longest FG Made47 by John Corbello vs. Tennessee
 PAT's7 by John Corbello vs. W. Carolina
 Punts7 by Donnie Jones vs. Houston, UAB
 Punt Average47 by Donnie Jones vs. UAB
 Longest Punt69 by Donnie Jones vs. UAB
 Punt Return Yards . .98 by Domanick Davis vs. UAB
 Longest Punt Return .30 by Domanick Davis vs. Florida
 Punt Returns6 by Domanick Davis vs. UAB
 Kickoff Return Yards .94 by Domanick Davis vs. Florida
 Longest Kickoff Return 48 by Domanick Davis vs. Houston
 Kickoff Returns3 by Domanick Davis vs. Tennessee
 Total Tackles18 by Trev Faulk vs. Houston
 Sacks2 by Bradie James vs. Tennessee
 Interceptions2 by Damien James vs. Houston
 Int. Return Yards56 by Damien James vs. Houston

OPPONENT INDIVIDUAL SUPERLATIVES

Rushing Yards139 by Rudi Johnson of Auburn
 Rushing Carries36 by Rudi Johnson of Auburn
 Rushing Touchdowns . .2 by Earnest Graham of Florida
 Longest Rush37 by Robert Gillespie of Florida
 Passing Yards354 by Jason McKinley of Houston
 Passing Completions .37 by A.J. Suggs of Tennessee
 Passing Attempts59 by A.J. Suggs of Tennessee
 Passes Intercepted2 by Jason McKinley of Houston
 Passing Touchdowns . .3 by Suggs of UT, Grossman of Florida
 Longest Pass59 by Rex Grossman of Florida
 Receiving Yards175 by Brandon Middleton of Houston
 Receptions12 by David Martin of Tennessee
 Receiving Touchdowns .3 by Jabar Gaffney of Florida
 Longest Reception . . .59 by Jabar Gaffney of Florida
 FG's Made3 by Alex Walls of Tennessee
 FG's Attempted3 by Alex Walls of Tennessee
 Longest FG Made47 by Alex Walls of Tennessee
 PAT's5 by Jeff Chandler of Florida
 Punts10 by Ross Stewart of UAB
 Punt Average44.8 by Alan Rhine of Florida
 Longest Punt61 by Mike Clark of Houston
 Punt Return Yards . .26 by Eric Parker of Tennessee
 Longest Punt Return .17 by two players
 Punt Returns5 by Eric Parker of Tennessee
 Kickoff Return Yards .140 by Jawan Clark of W. Carolina
 Longest Kickoff Return 100 by Tim Carter of Auburn
 Kickoff Returns7 by Jawan Clark of W. Carolina
 Total Tackles12 by two players
 Sacks1 by several players
 Interceptions2 by Adrian Singleton of UAB
 Int. Return Yards56 by B. Alexander of Florida

LSU SUPERLATIVES

CATEGORY	HIGH	LOW
Points Scored	58 vs. W. Carolina	9 vs. Florida
Total Yards	680 vs. W. Carolina	263 vs. UAB
Rushing Yards	195 vs. W. Carolina	83 vs. Auburn
Rushing Attempts	46 vs. Kentucky	26 vs. Auburn
Rushing TD's	3 vs. W. Carolina	0 vs. Auburn, Florida
Passing Yards	485 vs. W. Carolina	156 vs. UAB
Passes Completed	23 vs. W. Carolina, UT	
12 vs. UH		
Passes Attempted	38 vs. UAB, Florida	26 vs. UH
Passing TD's	5 vs. W. Carolina	0 vs. UAB
Passes Intercepted	4 vs. UAB, Florida	0 vs. W. Carolina, UT
First Downs	25 vs. W. Carolina	12 vs. Auburn
Penalties	13 vs. UAB	3 vs. Kentucky
Penalty Yards	113 vs. UAB	34 vs. Auburn
Sacks	2 vs. Tennessee	0 vs. three teams

OPPONENT SUPERLATIVES

CATEGORY	HIGH	LOW
Points Scored	41 by Florida	0 by WCU, UK
Total Yards	473 by Florida	168 by W. Carolina
Rushing Yards	196 by Auburn	84 by UH
Rushing Attempts	48 by Auburn	22 by Kentucky
Rushing TD's	2 by Florida	0 by four teams
Passing Yards	354 by UH	65 by UAB
Passes Completed	37 by UT	8 by UAB
Passes Attempted	62 by UT	22 by WCU, UAB
Passing TD's	3 by UT, Florida	0 by WCU, UK
Passes Intercepted	2 by Houston	0 by Auburn, Florida
First Downs	25 by UT	10 by UAB
Penalties	8 by Kentucky	1 by W. Carolina
Penalty Yards	63 by UH	5 by W. Carolina
Sacks	2 by UT	0

LSU MISCELLANEOUS STATS**LSU'S RECORD IN**

September.....	3-2
October.....	1-1
November.....	0-0
December.....	0-0

LSU'S CONFERENCE RECORD

at home	2-0
on the road.....	0-2

LSU'S NON-CONFERENCE RECORD

at home	2-1
on the road.....	0-0

LSU VS. RANKED OPPONENTS

at home	1-0
on the road.....	0-2

LSU'S RECORD IN

Games decided by 7 pts or less	1-1
Games decided by 3 pts or less	0-0
Away games played during the day.....	0-1
Away games played at night.....	0-1
Home games played during the day.....	0-0
Home games played at night.....	4-1

LSU'S RECORD WHEN

Leading after the 1st quarter.....	4-1
Leading after the 2nd quarter.....	4-0
Leading after the 3rd quarter	4-0
Tied after the 4th quarter.....	1-0
Overtime Games.....	1-0
Trailing after the 1st quarter.....	0-2
Trailing after the 2nd quarter.....	0-3
Trailing after the 3rd quarter.....	0-3

LSU'S RECORD WITH

less than 300 yards total offense.....	1-2
300+ yards total offense.....	3-1
400+ yards total offense.....	2-0
500+ yards total offense.....	1-0
600+ yards total offense.....	1-0
less than 100 yards rushing.....	0-2
100+ yards rushing.....	4-1
150+ yards rushing.....	1-0
200+ yards rushing.....	0-0
250+ yards rushing.....	0-0
less than 100 yards passing	0-0
100+ yards passing.....	4-3
150+ yards passing.....	4-3
200+ yards passing.....	3-2
250+ yards passing.....	2-1
300+ yards passing.....	2-0
350+ yards passing.....	1-0
400+ yards passing.....	1-0
450+ yards passing.....	1-0

LSU'S RECORD WHEN ALLOWING

less than 200 yards total offense.....	1-1
less than 300 yards total offense.....	1-1
less than 400 yards total offense.....	2-1
less than 500 yards total offense.....	3-3
500+ yards total offense.....	0-0
less than 100 yards rushing.....	3-0
less than 150 yards rushing.....	3-1
less than 200 yards rushing.....	3-3
less than 250 yards rushing.....	3-3
250+ yards rushing.....	0-0
less than 100 yards passing	1-1
less than 150 yards passing	1-1
less than 200 yards passing	1-2
less than 250 yards passing	1-2
less than 300 yards passing	2-3
less than 350 yards passing	3-3
less than 400 yards passing	4-3

THE LAST TIME LSU ...**Returned a Kickoff for a Touchdown:**

Kevin Faulk, 88 yards, at Notre Dame
November 21, 1998

Returned a Punt for a Touchdown:

Larry Foster, 50 yards, vs. Idaho
September 26, 1998

Returned an Interception for a Touchdown:

Damien James, 56 yards, vs. Houston,
September 9, 2000

Recovered a Fumble in the endzone for a Touchdown:

Chuck Wiley at Alabama
November 8, 1997
Fumble by Lance Tucker of Alabama

Returned a Fumble for a Touchdown:

Gabe Northern, 37 yards
vs. Michigan State (Independence
Bowl)
December 29, 1995

Blocked a Punt for a Touchdown:

Clarence LeBlanc vs. Mississippi State
October 23, 1999
Ryan Clark recovered it in the endzone

Blocked a Punt for a Safety:

Jarvis Green at Kentucky
October 16, 1999

Defense Recorded a Safety:

Team at Notre Dame
November 21, 1998
Sacked Jarius Jackson

Blocked a Field Goal:

Arnold Miller at Notre Dame
November 21, 1998

Blocked an Extra Point Attempt:

Mark Roman vs. Kentucky
October 17, 1998
Returned for Defensive PAT

Intercepted Two Passes in One Game:

Damien James vs. Houston,
September. 9, 2000

LSU Beat A Ranked Team:

Sept. 30, 2000 at Baton Rouge
LSU 38, #11 Tennessee 31 (OT)

LSU Beat A Ranked Team On The Road:

Sept. 21, 1996 at Auburn
#21 LSU 19, #13 Auburn 15

THE LAST TIME AN OPPONENT...**Returned a Kickoff for a Touchdown:**

Tim Carter of Auburn, 100 yards
September 16, 2000

Returned a Punt for a Touchdown:

Kendrick Shanklin of Kentucky
56 yards, October 16, 1999

Returned an Interception for a Touchdown:

Ronnie Heard of Ole Miss 28 yards
October 30, 1999

Recovered a Fumble in the Endzone for a Touchdown:

Chris Shelling of Auburn
September 17, 1994
Fumble by Jamie Howard

Returned a Fumble for a Touchdown:

Bryant Lamont of Notre Dame, 13
yards
November 21, 1998

Blocked a Punt and for a Touchdown:

Roman Colburn of Alabama, 33 yards
November 5, 1994

Recorded a Safety:

Keith Mitchell of Texas A&M
September 2, 1995
Sacked Jamie Howard

Blocked a Field Goal:

Tennessee, Sept. 30, 2000
blocked an attempt by John Corbello

Blocked an Extra Point Attempt:

Notre Dame
November 21, 1998
blocked Christian Chauvin's attempt

Scored a Defensive Extra Point:

Eric Kelly of Kentucky
October 17, 1998
Returned for Defensive PAT

Intercepted Two Passes in One Game:

Adrian Singleton of UAB

LSU vs. Mississippi State LSU Depth Chart

Date: October 21, 2000

Site: Baton Rouge, La.

Time: 8 p.m. Central

OFFENSE

SE	3	Jerel Myers	5-11	175	So.
	25	Josh Reed	5-11	200	So.
	10	LaVar Johnson	6-1	181	Jr.
LT	68	Brandon Winey	6-7	288	Sr.
	72	Kade Comeaux	6-5	326	Fr.
LG	60	Rodney Reed	6-4	284	Fr.
	73	Rob Sale	6-2	319	So.
C	70	Louis Williams	6-5	279	Sr.
	64	John Compton	6-3	280	Sr.
	79	Jason Underwood	6-4	257	Sr.
RG	78	Dwayne Pierce	6-3	316	Jr.
	69	Jason Baggett	6-6	289	Jr.
RT	74	Brad Smalling	6-7	305	So.
	69	Jason Baggett	6-6	289	Jr.
TE	86	Robert Royal	6-5	231	Sr.
	87	Joe Domingeaux	6-5	256	Jr.
	47	Eric Edwards	6-5	244	Fr.
FL	4	Reggie Robinson	6-2	196	Jr.
	83	Jack Hunt	6-0	188	Fr.
	89	Ed Dangerfield	6-5	212	Jr.
QB (1)	6	Rohan Davey	6-3	239	Jr.
(1a)	14	Josh Booty	6-3	218	Jr.
	16	Craig Nall	6-4	229	Jr.
FB	43	Tommy Banks	6-0	275	Sr.
TB	22	LaBrandon Toefield	6-0	224	Fr.
	31	Domanick Davis	5-10	206	So.
	26	Devery Henderson	6-0	187	Fr.

DEFENSE

LE	85	Kyle Kipps	6-4	256	Jr.
	54	Kenderick Allen	6-6	300	So.
-or-	97	Kareem Mitchell	6-4	251	Sr.
LT	91	Muskingum Barnes	6-2	265	Jr.
	96	Byron Dawson	6-2	304	So.
RT	95	Howard Green	6-2	319	Jr.
	93	Chad Lavalais	6-3	291	Fr.
	94	Melvin Richey	6-4	317	Fr.
-or-	98	Shaun Wynn	6-2	290	So.
RE	59	Jarvis Green	6-3	265	Jr.
	54	Kenderick Allen	6-6	300	So.
SLB	56	Jeremy Lawrence	6-3	222	So.
	58	Lionel Turner	6-2	235	Fr.
MLB	7	Treverance Faulk	6-3	225	So.
	15	Walter Moreham	6-0	220	Jr.
	50	Marcus Yanez	6-0	239	Fr.
WLB	11	Bradie James	6-3	228	So.
	42	Chris Cooper	5-11	226	So.
	29	Terrence O'Bryant	6-3	210	Jr.
LCB	1	Fred Booker	5-10	192	Sr.
	36	Norman LeJeune	6-0	188	So.
	32	Erin Damond	5-10	176	Fr.
RCB	33	Demetrius Hookfin	5-11	172	So.
	9	Robert Davis	5-10	180	Jr.
	21	Randall Gay	6-0	184	Fr.
SS	28	Lionel Thomas	6-0	195	Jr.
	37	Travis Moses	6-2	196	Fr.
	27	Eric Alexander	6-2	206	Fr.
FS	2	Ryan Clark	5-11	185	Jr.
	5	Damien James	5-11	183	So.
	23	Adrian Mayes	6-1	209	Fr.

RETURN SPECIALISTS

PR	31	Domanick Davis	5-10	206	So.
	2	Ryan Clark	5-11	185	Jr.
	25	Josh Reed	5-11	200	So.
	33	Demetrius Hookfin	5-11	172	So.
KOR	31	Domanick Davis	5-10	206	So.
	3	Jerel Myers	5-11	175	So.
	26	Devery Henderson	6-0	187	Fr.
	25	Josh Reed	5-11	200	So.

KICKING SPECIALIST

PK	40	John Corbello	5-11	222	So.
	12	Kris Kessler	6-1	188	Jr.
P	80	Donnie Jones	6-3	211	Fr.
	22	Ryan Miles	5-8	174	Jr.
SNP	53	Brian Pare	6-1	228	Fr.
	38	Michael Lillie	6-3	238	Sr.
	57	Wendell York	5-11	192	So.
HOLD	14	Josh Booty	6-3	218	Jr.
	6	Rohan Davey	6-3	239	Jr.

LSU vs. Mississippi State Mississippi State Depth Chart

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OFFENSE

SE	15	Terrell Grindle	5-10	187	So.
	1	Clarence Parker	6-2	197	Jr.
	85	Harold Lindsey	6-1	211	Jr.
	80	Antonio Hargro	6-3	185	Fr.
TE	84	Donald Lee	6-4	237	So.
	87	Aaron Lumpkin	6-4	253	Fr.
	89	Tommy Ferrill	6-4	248	Fr.
LT	76	Pork Chop Womack	6-3	346	Sr.
	72	Carl Hutchins	6-5	306	So.
LG	74	Courtney Lee	6-4	346	Jr.
	75	Kyle Wallace	6-5	326	So.
C	52	Michael Fair	6-3	304	Sr.
	63	Blake Jones	6-4	296	Fr.
RG	66	Tommy Watson	6-4	303	Jr.
	73	Donald Tucker	6-4	321	Fr.
RT	77	Kenric Fairchild	6-4	318	Jr.
	62	Derrick Thompson	6-6	304	Fr.
FL	22	Larry Huntington	5-10	183	Sr.
	8	Justin Jenkins	6-1	208	Fr.
	18	Brandon Butler	6-0	201	So.
	82	Darius Tubbs	6-2	194	So.
	83	McKinley Scott	6-0	185	Fr.
QB	9	Wayne Madkin	6-4	227	Jr.
	16	Kevin Fant	6-2	204	Fr.
	18	Brandon Butler	6-0	201	So.
TB	12	Dicenzo Miller	5-10	200	Jr.
	3	Dontae Walker	5-10	225	So.
	31	Justin Griffith	5-11	221	So.
FB	32	Kenny Williamson	6-2	244	Sr.
	31	Justin Griffith	5-11	221	So.
	44	Jamaal Dinkins	6-0	230	Sr.

RETURN SPECIALISTS

KR	3	Dontae Walker	5-10	225	So.
	29	Pig Prather	6-3	195	Jr.
PR	12	Dicenzo Miller	5-10	200	Jr.
	22	Larry Huntington	5-10	183	Sr.

DEFENSE

LE	99	Dorsett Davis	6-6	314	Jr.
	45	Dwayne Robertson	6-0	219	Jr.
	57	Nathan Jackson	6-4	217	Fr.
LT	94	Toby Golliday	6-2	315	Sr.
	46	Lennie Day	6-3	248	Fr.
	95	Demotto Youngblood	6-4	265	Fr.
RT	54	Willie Blade	6-2	318	Sr.
	93	Boone Brown	6-0	261	Sr.
	71	Ifem Ezekwe	6-3	265	So.
RE	92	Ellis Wyms	6-3	284	Sr.
	81	Ivan Billie	6-2	233	So.
	96	Jake Hambrick	6-7	276	So.
LB	90	Conner Stephens	6-4	250	Jr.
	20	Rob Knight	6-1	227	Sr.
	45	Dwayne Robertson	6-0	219	Jr.
LB	98	Mario haggan	6-3	253	So.
	40	Jason Clark	6-1	236	Fr.
	55	Edward Yeates	6-0	238	Sr.
LDS	29	Pig Prather	6-3	195	Jr.
	25	George White	6-2	208	Sr.
	27	Gabe Wallace	5-11	202	Fr.
RDS	14	Eugene Clinton	6-0	191	Sr.
	41	Anthony Bryant	5-10	191	Jr.
	19	David Mooneyham	6-0	185	Fr.
LC	24	Kendall Roberson	6-0	210	Sr.
	6	Shawn Byrdsong	5-9	188	Jr.
	28	Jonathan Bell	5-10	180	Fr.
FS	47	Josh Morgan	6-1	194	So.
	5	Eugene Liger	6-0	206	Sr.
	23	Marco Minor	6-4	205	Jr.
RC	2	Fred Smoot	6-1	179	Sr.
	13	Julius Griffith	5-11	170	Jr.
	39	Slovakia Griffith	5-11	180	Fr.

KICKING SPECIALISTS

P	48	Prentiss Cole	6-4	199	Sr.
	43	Jared Cook	5-10	185	Fr.
PK	11	Scott Westerfield	5-10	187	Sr.
	42	John Michael Marlin	5-8	155	Fr.
DS	30	Michael Bender	6-3	223	Sr.
	38	Jeremiah Dumas	5-11	220	Fr.
H	12	Dicenzo Miller	5-10	200	Jr.
	34	Davey Crawley	5-9	182	So.

2000 Starting Lineups

WESTERN CAROLINA (SEPT. 2)

SE 3 Jerel Myers
TE 87 Joe Domingeaux
LT 75 Trey Langley
LG 76 Bob Wynne
C 64 John Compton
RG 70 Louis Williams
RT 74 Brad Smalling
TE 86 Robert Royal
FL 4 Reggie Robinson
TB 22 LaBrandon Toefield
QB 14 Josh Booty

LE 85 Kyle Kipps
DT 91 Muskingum Barnes
DT 95 Howard Green
RE 59 Jarvis Green
SLB 56 Jeremy Lawrence
MLB 7 Trev Faulk
WLB 11 Bradie James
LCB 1 Fred Booker
FS 2 Ryan Clark
SS 28 Lionel Thomas
RCB 33 Demetrius Hookfin

TENNESSEE (SEPT. 30)

SE 3 Jerel Myers
TE 87 Joe Domingeaux
LT 68 Brandon Winey
LG 60 Rodney Reed
C 70 Louis Williams
RG 78 Dwayne Pierce
RT 74 Brad Smalling
TE 86 Robert Royal
FL 4 Reggie Robinson
TB 22 LaBrandon Toefield
QB 6 Rohan Davey

LE 85 Kyle Kipps
DT 91 Muskingum Barnes
DT 95 Howard Green
RE 59 Jarvis Green
SLB 56 Jeremy Lawrence
MLB 7 Trev Faulk
WLB 11 Bradie James
LCB 1 Fred Booker
FS 2 Ryan Clark
SS 28 Lionel Thomas
RCB 33 Demetrius Hookfin

ALABAMA (NOV. 4)

HOUSTON (SEPT. 9)

SE 3 Jerel Myers
TE 86 Robert Royal
LT 75 Trey Langley
LG 76 Bob Wynne
C 64 John Compton
RG 70 Louis Williams
RT 74 Brad Smalling
FL 4 Reggie Robinson
TB 22 LaBrandon Toefield
FB 43 Tommy Banks
QB 14 Josh Booty

LE 85 Kyle Kipps
DT 91 Muskingum Barnes
DT 95 Howard Green
RE 59 Jarvis Green
MLB 7 Trev Faulk
LCB 1 Fred Booker
FS 2 Ryan Clark
SS 28 Lionel Thomas
RCB 33 Demetrius Hookfin
NICKEL 5 Damien James
DIME 37 Travis Moses

AT FLORIDA (OCT. 7)

SE 3 Jerel Myers
LT 68 Brandon Winey
LG 60 Rodney Reed
C 70 Louis Williams
RG 78 Dwayne Pierce
RT 74 Brad Smalling
TE 86 Robert Royal
FL 4 Reggie Robinson
TB 22 LaBrandon Toefield
FB 43 Tommy Banks
QB 6 Rohan Davey

LE 85 Kyle Kipps
DT 91 Muskingum Barnes
DT 95 Howard Green
RE 59 Jarvis Green
SLB 56 Jeremy Lawrence
MLB 7 Trev Faulk
WLB 11 Bradie James
LCB 1 Fred Booker
FS 2 Ryan Clark
SS 28 Lionel Thomas
RCB 33 Demetrius Hookfin

OLE MISS (NOV. 11)

AT AUBURN (SEPT. 16)

SE 3 Jerel Myers
WR 83 Jack Hunt
LT 68 Brandon Winey
LG 70 Louis Williams
C 64 John Compton
RG 78 Dwayne Pierce
RT 74 Brad Smalling
FL 4 Reggie Robinson
TB 22 LaBrandon Toefield
WR 25 Josh Reed
QB 14 Josh Booty

LE 85 Kyle Kipps
DT 91 Muskingum Barnes
DT 95 Howard Green
RE 59 Jarvis Green
SLB 56 Jeremy Lawrence
MLB 7 Trev Faulk
WLB 11 Bradie James
LCB 1 Fred Booker
FS 2 Ryan Clark
SS 28 Lionel Thomas
RCB 33 Demetrius Hookfin

KENTUCKY (OCT. 14)

SE 3 Jerel Myers
LT 60 Rodney Reed
LG 73 Rob Sale
C 70 Louis Williams
RG 78 Dwayne Pierce
RT 68 Brandon Winey
TE 86 Robert Royal
FL 4 Reggie Robinson
TB 22 LaBrandon Toefield
FB 43 Tommy Banks
QB 14 Josh Booty

LE 54 Kenderick Allen
DT 91 Muskingum Barnes
DT 95 Howard Green
RE 85 Kyle Kipps
MLB 7 Trev Faulk
WLB 11 Bradie James
LCB 1 Fred Booker
FS 2 Ryan Clark
SS 28 Lionel Thomas
RCB 33 Demetrius Hookfin
NICKEL 5 Damien James

ARKANSAS (NOV. 24)

UAB (SEPT. 23)

SE 3 Jerel Myers
TE 86 Robert Royal
LT 68 Brandon Winey
LG 70 Louis Williams
C 64 John Compton
RG 78 Dwayne Pierce
RT 74 Brad Smalling
FL 4 Reggie Robinson
TB 22 LaBrandon Toefield
WR 25 Josh Reed
QB 14 Josh Booty

LE 85 Kyle Kipps
DT 96 Byron Dawson
DT 95 Howard Green
RE 59 Jarvis Green
SLB 56 Jeremy Lawrence
MLB 7 Trev Faulk
WLB 11 Bradie James
LCB 1 Fred Booker
FS 2 Ryan Clark
SS 28 Lionel Thomas
RCB 33 Demetrius Hookfin

MISSISSIPPI STATE (OCT. 21)

GAME 1: LSU 58, WESTERN CAROLINA 0

September 2, 2000 - Tiger Stadium - Baton Rouge, La.

LSU RIPS W. CAROLINA, 58-0, IN SABAN ERA OPENER

The Tiger offense sizzled, amassing 507 yards of offense in the opening 30 minutes while building a 37-0 lead before ultimately defeating Western Carolina 58-0 before an LSU record 87,188 fans last Saturday. Josh Booty threw for a career high 291 yards and a pair of touchdowns passed, while Rohan Davey was a perfect 11-for-11 for 194 yards and three TD strikes as LSU wracked up a school record 485 yards passing. The Tigers wound up with 680 yards of total offense, the second highest total in LSU history and the most since 1977. Booty hit Reggie Robinson over the middle for an 80-yard strike on the third play of the game and the Tigers never looked back. Jerel Myers caught six balls for 117 yards and a pair of touchdowns, while Josh Reed hauled in five balls for 137 yards.

WCU	0	0	0	0	- 0
LSU	20	17	14	7	- 58

LSU	14:02	1Q	Reggie Robinson 80 pass from Josh Booty (John Corbello kick)
LSU	4:24	1Q	L. Toefield 8 run (Corbello kick failed)
LSU	2:43	1Q	Jerel Myers 45 pass from Booty (Corbello kick)
LSU	11:03	2Q	J. Reed 47 pass from R. Davey (Corbello kick)
LSU	7:12	2Q	Devery Henderson 32 run (Corbello kick)
LSU	0:00	2Q	Corbello 36 field goal
LSU	12:50	3Q	Myers 36 pass from Davey (Corbello kick)
LSU	4:24	3Q	E. Parker 9 pass from Davey (Corbello kick)
LSU	4:48	4Q	Derron Parquet 3 run (Kris Kessler kick)

	LSU	WCU
FIRST DOWNS	25	11
RUSHING	11	5
PASSING	14	3
PENALTY	0	3
RUSHING ATTEMPTS	43	32
YARDS GAINED RUSHING	212	110
YARDS LOST RUSHING	17	14
NET YARDS RUSHING	195	96
NET YARDS PASSING	485	71
PASSES ATTEMPTED	28	22
PASSES COMPLETED	23	11
HAD INTERCEPTED	0	1
TOTAL OFFENSIVE PLAYS	71	54
TOTAL NET YARDS	680	167
AVERAGE GAIN PER PLAY	9.6	3.1
FUMBLES/LOST	0-0	1-1
PENALTIES/YARDS	12-107	1-5
INTERCEPTIONS/YARDS	1-0	0-0
PUNTS/YARDS	1-44	9-344
AVERAGE PER PUNT	44.0	38.2
PUNT RETURNS/YARDS	3-55	1-0
KICKOFF RETURNS/YARDS	1-18	8-156
POSSESSION TIME	30:40	29:20
THIRD-DOWN CONVERSIONS	9 of 12	3 of 13
SACKS BY	0-0	1-2

Notes on the game:

* The 485 yards passing LSU had set a new school record, breaking the old one of 456 set in the Tigers 52-7 win over Rice on Sept. 23, 1995. It is also tied for the 10th most passing yards ever by a Southeastern Conference team.

* LSU's 680 total yards is the second highest total in school history behind the 746 put up by LSU in a 77-0 win over Rice on Sept. 24, 1977. It is also the 11th highest total in Southeastern Conference history.

* LSU set a school record by completing 82.1% of its passes on 23-for-28 passing. That percentage ties LSU for 4th in SEC history.

LSU

RUSHING	ATT.	GAIN	LOST	NET	TD	LONG
L. Toefield	11	51	0	51	1	9
Derron Parquet	11	49	0	49	1	13
D. Henderson	5	42	3	39	1	32
Elice Parker	3	24	0	24	0	17
Domanick Davis	5	26	5	21	0	11
Tommy Banks	4	17	5	12	0	8
Josh Booty	2	3	2	1	0	3
R. Angelette	1	0	0	0	0	0
Josh Reed	1	0	-2	-2	0	0

PASSING	ATT.	COMP	INT.	YDS.	TD	LONG	SACKS
Josh Booty	15	12	0	291	2	80	1
Rohan Davey	11	11	0	194	3	47	0
Craig Nall	2	0	0	0	0	0	0

RECEIVING	NO.	YDS.	TD	LONG
Jerel Myers	6	117	2	45
Josh Reed	5	137	1	47
Reggie Robinson	2	85	1	80
Abram Booty	2	65	0	45
Robert Royal	2	32	0	21
Jack Hunt	2	20	0	10
Eric Edwards	1	19	0	19
Elice Parker	1	9	1	9
D. Henderson	1	4	0	4
L. Toefield	1	-3	0	0

PUNTING	NO.	YDS.	AVG.	LONG
Donnie Jones	1	44	44.0	44

FIELD GOALS	ATT.	MADE	LONG	KICKS
John Corbello	2	1	36	36 G, 47 NG

PUNTS			KICKOFFS			INTERCEPTED			
ALL RETURNS	NO.	YDS	LP	NO.	YDS	LP	NO.	YDS	LP
Marcus Yanez	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
Domanick Davis	3	55	28	1	18	18	0	0	0

WESTERN CAROLINA

RUSHING	ATT.	GAIN	LOST	NET	TD	LONG
Donnie Bryant	3	28	1	27	0	24
Fred Boating	8	25	0	25	0	7
Tracy Biggs	6	23	2	21	0	8
David Rivers	5	16	0	16	0	5
Lee Williams	5	12	0	12	0	6

PASSING	ATT.	COMP	INT.	YDS.	TD	LONG	SACKS
David Rivers	21	10	1	75	0	22	0

RECEIVING	NO.	YDS.	TD	LONG
Michael Banks	4	49	0	22
Tracy Biggs	3	16	0	9
Caesar Campana	2	8	0	5
Walter Gary	1	2	0	2
Donnie Bryant	1	-4	0	0

PUNTING	NO.	YDS.	AVG.	LONG
Tim Morgan	9	344	38.2	52

FIELD GOALS	ATT.	MADE	LONG
None			

PUNTS			KICKOFFS			INTERCEPTED			
ALL RETURNS	NO.	YDS	LP	NO.	YDS	LP	NO.	YDS	LP
Michael Banks	1	0	0	1	16	16	0	0	0
Jawan Clark	0	0	0	7	140	30	0	0	0

GAME 2: LSU 28, HOUSTON 13

September 9, 2000 - Tiger Stadium - Baton Rouge, La.

JAMES' INTERCEPTIONS HELP TIGERS GET PAST HOUSTON

Damien James came up with a pair of interceptions late in the fourth quarter to help the Tigers to a 28-13 victory over Houston last Saturday at Tiger Stadium. James intercepted a pass in the endzone with just over three minutes left in the contest and he picked off another pass and returned it 56 yards for a touchdown with just under a minute left to seal the LSU win. After a scoreless first quarter the Tigers struck for 21 points in the second quarter as Josh Booty fired TD passes to Joe Domingeaux and Robert Royal, followed by a short TD run by LaBrandon Toefield. The Tigers appeared to have the game under control before a late charge by the Cougars. LSU won for the first time since 1997 when being out-gained by the opposition. Houston had 438 yards of total offense compared to 297 for the Tigers.

UH	0	0	0	13	-0
LSU	0	21	0	7	-28

LSU	11:28	2Q	Joe Domingeaux 11 pass from Josh Booty (John Corbello kick)
LSU	7:47	2Q	Robert Royal 30 pass from J. Booty (Corbello kick)
LSU	5:47	2Q	L. Toefield 3 run (Corbello kick)
UH	12:52	4Q	Middleton 17 pass from Jason McKinley (Clark kick)
UH	9:55	4Q	Middleton 18 pass from McKinley (kick failed)
LSU	0:25	4Q	Damien James 56 interception return (Corbello kick)

	LSU	UH
FIRST DOWNS	15	22
RUSHING	5	2
PASSING	8	18
PENALTY	2	2
RUSHING ATTEMPTS	39	27
YARDS GAINED RUSHING	143	95
YARDS LOST RUSHING	23	11
NET YARDS RUSHING	120	84
NET YARDS PASSING	177	354
PASSES ATTEMPTED	26	54
PASSES COMPLETED	12	29
HAD INTERCEPTED	2	2
TOTAL OFFENSIVE PLAYS	65	81
TOTAL NET YARDS	297	438
AVERAGE GAIN PER PLAY	4.6	5.4
FUMBLES/LOST	3-2	1-1
PENALTIES/YARDS	6-53	7-63
INTERCEPTIONS/YARDS	2-56	2-19
PUNTS/YARDS	7-280	7-287
AVERAGE PER PUNT	40.0	41.0
PUNT RETURNS/YARDS	4-57	2-6
KICKOFF RETURNS/YARDS	3-87	5-93
POSSESSION TIME	30:56	29:04
THIRD-DOWN CONVERSIONS	5 of 14	6 of 19
SACKS BY	1-7	1-4

Notes on the game:

* The Houston touchdown reception in the fourth quarter snapped an LSU streak of eight consecutive quarters without a point that began with last year vs. Arkansas. That matches a streak of eight consecutive quarters dating back to 1985 with back-to-back shutouts of Kentucky and Ole Miss.
 * This is the first time since the Vanderbilt game in 1997 that LSU totaled less yards than their opponent and still won the game. In '97, the Commodores gathered 248 total net yards, while the

Tigers gained 230 total net yards.

LSU

RUSHING	ATT.	GAIN	LOST	NET	TD	LONG
L. Toefield	23	91	11	80	1	22
Domanick Davis	10	40	5	35	0	10
Tommy Banks	2	12	0	12	0	9
Josh Booty	2	0	4	-4	0	0
Team	2	0	3	-3	0	0

PASSING	ATT.	COMP	INT.	YDS.	TD	LONG	SACKS
Josh Booty	26	12	2	177	2	30	1

RECEIVING	NO.	YDS.	TD	LONG
Robert Royal	4	44	1	30
Josh Reed	3	76	0	30
Jerel Myers	2	31	0	19
Joe Domingeaux	1	11	1	11
L. Toefield	1	9	0	9
Reggie Robinson	1	6	0	6

PUNTING	NO.	YDS.	AVG.	LONG	I20
Donnie Jones	7	280	40.0	59	5

FIELD GOALS	ATT.	MADE	LONG	KICKS
John Corbello	1	0	0	22 blocked

ALL RETURNS	PUNTS			KICKOFFS			INTERCEPTED		
	NO.	YDS	LP	NO.	YDS	LP	NO.	YDS	LP
Domanick Davis	4	57	25	3	87	48	0	0	0
Jerel Myers	0	0	0	2	39	30	0	0	0
Damien James	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	56	56

HOUSTON

RUSHING	ATT.	GAIN	LOST	NET	TD	LONG
Joffrey Reynolds	18	70	2	68	0	10
Leif Penn	6	20	0	20	0	7
Jason McKinley	3	5	-9	-4	0	5

PASSING	ATT.	COMP	INT.	YDS.	TD	LONG	SACKS
Jason McKinley	53	29	2	354	2	44	1
Team	1	0	0	0	0	0	0

RECEIVING	NO.	YDS.	TD	LONG
Brian Robinson	10	98	0	24
B. Middleton	8	175	2	44
KeyKowa Bell	4	50	0	24
Joffrey Reynolds	3	7	0	7
Thompson	1	12	0	12
Mark Hopkins	1	7	0	7
J. McCardell	1	5	0	5
Stephen Cucci	1	5	0	5

PUNTING	NO.	YDS.	AVG.	LONG	I20
Mike Clark	7	287	41.0	61	1

FIELD GOALS	ATT.	MADE	LONG
None			

ALL RETURNS	PUNTS			KICKOFFS			INTERCEPTED		
	NO.	YDS	LP	NO.	YDS	LP	NO.	YDS	LP
B. Middleton	0	0	0	2	48	30	0	0	0
Tommie Baldwin	0	0	0	1	11	11	0	0	0
Leif Penn	0	0	0	2	34	24	0	0	0
H. Robinson	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	19	19
McGruder	2	6	5	0	0	1	1	0	0

GAME 3: #24 AUBURN 34, LSU 17

September 16, 2000 - Jordan-Hare Stadium - Auburn, Ala.

LSU DROPS BATTLE OF TIGERS, 34-17

LSU gave 24th-ranked Auburn all it could handle for three quarters before eventually wearing down and falling, 34-17. LSU jumped out to a 10-0 first quarter lead after Josh Booty hit Josh Reed with a 75-yard scoring strike, followed by a 22-yard field goal from John Corbello. Auburn rallied behind the physical running of Rudi Johnson, who carried the ball 36 times for 139 yards, and the pin-point passing of Ben Leard who finished 21-for-30 for 225 yards and a pair of TD passes. With a 13-point second quarter, Auburn carried a 13-10 lead at the half. After Auburn increased the lead to 20-10, LSU rallied with a 45-yard strike from Booty to Reed to cut the lead to three, but a 100-yard kick off return from Tim Carter on the ensuing kick was the back-breaker for LSU. Johnson closed out the scoring with a two-yard run with three seconds remaining.

LSU	10	0	7	0	-17
AUBURN	0	13	14	7	-34

LSU	5:35	1Q	Josh Reed 75 pass from J. Booty (John Corbello kick)
LSU	1:15	1Q	John Corbello 22 field goal
AU	13:09	2Q	Damon Duval 42 field goal
AU	3:18	2Q	Robert Johnson 20 pass from Ben Leard (Duval kick)
AU	0:32	2Q	Duval 32 field goal
AU	10:03	3Q	C. Robinson 19 pass from Leard (Duval kick)
LSU	6:45	3Q	Reed 45 pass from J. Booty (Corbello kick)
AU	6:23	3Q	Tim Carter 100 kickoff return (Duval kick)
AU	0:03	4Q	Rudi Johnson 2 run (Duval kick)

	LSU	AU
FIRST DOWNS	12	22
RUSHING	5	12
PASSING	5	9
PENALTY	2	1
RUSHING ATTEMPTS	26	48
YARDS GAINED RUSHING	95	214
YARDS LOST RUSHING	12	18
NET YARDS RUSHING	83	196
NET YARDS PASSING	214	225
PASSES ATTEMPTED	30	30
PASSES COMPLETED	13	21
HAD INTERCEPTED	1	0
TOTAL OFFENSIVE PLAYS	56	78
TOTAL NET YARDS	297	421
AVERAGE GAIN PER PLAY	5.3	5.4
FUMBLES/LOST	1-0	2-1
PENALTIES/YARDS	4-34	5-45
INTERCEPTIONS/YARDS	0-0	1-0
PUNTS/YARDS	6-220	4-156
AVERAGE PER PUNT	36.7	39.0
PUNT RETURNS/YARDS	0-0	3-17
KICKOFF RETURNS/YARDS	2-34	3-139
POSSESSION TIME	26:09	33:51
THIRD-DOWN CONVERSIONS	4 of 14	6 of 16
SACKS BY	0-0	1-6

Notes on the game:

* **Josh Reed** hauled in a career-best eight balls for a career-high 167, the most yards by a Tiger receiver since Sheddrick Wilson's 201-yards receiving vs. Rice on Sept. 23, 1995.

* **Reggie Robinson's** nine-yard reception in the first quarter extended his streak of consecutive games with a catch to 20, the longest current streak of any LSU player. **Jerel Myers** extended his streak to 14 games, covering every game of his young career

in an LSU uniform.

LSU							
RUSHING	ATT.	GAIN	LOST	NET	TD	LONG	
L. Toefield	15	52	3	49	0	16	
Domanick Davis	7	33	3	30	0	14	
Rohan Davey	1	3	0	3	0	3	
Josh Booty	3	7	6	1	0	7	
PASSING	ATT.	COMP	INT.	YDS.	TD	LONG	SACKS
Josh Booty	29	13	1	214	2	75	1
Rohan Davey	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
RECEIVING	NO.	YDS.	TD	LONG			
Josh Reed	8	167	2	75			
Reggie Robinson	2	21	0	12			
Robert Royal	1	10	0	10			
D. Henderson	1	8	0	8			
Jerel Myers	1	8	0	8			
PUNTING	NO.	YDS.	AVG.	LONG	I20		
Donnie Jones	6	220	36.7	48	0		
FIELD GOALS	ATT.	MADE	LONG	KICKS			
John Corbello	2	1	22	made 22, missed 51			

ALL RETURNS	PUNTS			KICKOFFS			INTERCEPTED		
	NO.	YDS	LP	NO.	YDS	LP	NO.	YDS	LP
Domanick Davis	0	0	0	2	34	19	0	0	0

AUBURN

RUSHING	ATT.	GAIN	LOST	NET	TD	LONG			
Rudi Johnson	36	150	11	139	1	23			
Tim Carter	3	37	0	37	0	25			
Casinious Moore	3	10	1	9	0	5			
C. Robinson	1	8	0	8	0	8			
Heath Evans	2	7	0	7	0	6			
Ben Leard	3	2	6	-4	0	2			
PASSING	ATT.	COMP	INT.	YDS.	TD	LONG	SACKS		
Ben Leard	30	21	0	225	2	26	0		
RECEIVING	NO.	YDS.	TD	LONG					
Ronney Daniels	6	62	0	24					
C. Robinson	3	46	1	26					
Reggie Worthy	3	39	0	20					
Marcel Willis	3	26	0	14					
Tim Carter	2	5	0	9					
Robert Johnson	1	20	1	20					
Deandre Green	1	20	0	20					
Heath Evans	1	4	0	4					
Jeris McIntrye	1	3	0	3					
PUNTING	NO.	YDS.	AVG.	LONG	I20				
Damon Duval	4	156	39.0	48	1				
FIELD GOALS	ATT.	MADE	LONG						
Damon Duval	2	2	42						
ALL RETURNS	PUNTS			KICKOFFS			INTERCEPTED		
	NO.	YDS	LP	NO.	YDS	LP	NO.	YDS	LP
C. Robinson	3	17	11	0	0	0	0	0	0
Tim Carter	0	0	0	3	139	100	0	0	0
Rodney Crayton	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0

GAME 4: UAB 13, LSU 10

September 23, 2000 - Tiger Stadium - Baton Rouge, La.

TIGERS FALL TO UAB ON LAST-SECOND FIELD GOAL, 13-10

UAB's Rhett Gallego kicked a 32-yard field goal as time expired to lift the Blazers to an unlikely 13-10 win over LSU in Tiger Stadium on Saturday night. Gallego's field goal came just seconds after UAB's Chris Brown intercepted a Josh Booty pass and returned it 25 yards to the LSU 17-yard line. with 25 seconds left in the contest. UAB defeated the Tigers despite picking up just 178 yards of total offense, which included only 57 yards of offense in the second half. UAB led 10-0 at halftime before the Tigers managed to tie the game at 10-10 on a 35-yard field goal by John Corbello with 10:33 left in the contest. The two teams traded possessions before UAB kicked the game winner as time expired. Domanick Davis led the Tigers with 226 all-purpose yards and their only touchdown of the evening, a one-yard run at the 3:04 mark in the third quarter. Linebacker Trev Faulk led the LSU defense with 13 tackles.

UAB	3	7	0	3	-13
LSU	0	0	7	3	-10

UAB	5:00	1Q	Rhett Gallego 29 field goal
UAB	7:14	2Q	Leron Little 24 pass from Daniel Dixon (Gallego kick)
LSU	3:04	3Q	Domanick Davis 1 run (John Corbello kick)
LSU	10:33	4Q	Corbello 35 field goal
UAB	0:00	4Q	Gallego 32 field goal

	UAB	LSU
FIRST DOWNS	10	14
RUSHING	6	7
PASSING	2	5
PENALTY	2	2
RUSHING ATTEMPTS	38	36
YARDS GAINED RUSHING	123	129
YARDS LOST RUSHING	10	22
NET YARDS RUSHING	113	107
NET YARDS PASSING	65	156
PASSES ATTEMPTED	22	38
PASSES COMPLETED	8	15
HAD INTERCEPTED	1	4
TOTAL OFFENSIVE PLAYS	60	74
TOTAL NET YARDS	178	263
AVERAGE GAIN PER PLAY	3.0	3.6
FUMBLES/LOST	4-2	5-2
PENALTIES/YARDS	3-35	13-113
INTERCEPTIONS/YARDS	4-36	1-0
PUNTS/YARDS	10-409	7-329
AVERAGE PER PUNT	40.9	47.0
PUNT RETURNS/YARDS	3-31	6-98
KICKOFF RETURNS/YARDS	1-15	3-76
POSSESSION TIME	28:20	31:40
THIRD-DOWN CONVERSIONS	2 of 14	4 of 18
SACKS BY	1-8	0-0

Notes on the game:

* **Josh Booty** moved past **Y.A. Tittle** into ninth place on the all-time LSU passing list during the second quarter on a three-yard pass to **LaBrandon Toefield**.

* **Domanick Davis'** 226 all-purpose yard were the most by a Tiger since **Kevin Faulk** amassed 249 against Alabama in 1998.

* **Domanick Davis'** 153 return yards (98 on punts, 53 on kick-offs) was a career high and the most since **Kevin Faulk** had 195 yards against Alabama in 1996.

* After stopping UAB on the opening drive of the game, the Tigers have not allowed an opening possession score in nine games, dating back to their loss at Kentucky a year ago.

LSU

RUSHING	ATT.	GAIN	LOST	NET	TD	LONG
L. Toefield	19	89	13	76	0	17
Domanick Davis	10	32	0	32	1	12
Josh Booty	5	8	8	0	0	4
Tommy Banks	2	0	1	-1	0	0

PASSING	ATT.	COMP	INT.	YDS.	TD	LONG	SACKS
Josh Booty	38	15	4	156	0	23	1

RECEIVING	NO.	YDS.	TD	LONG
Josh Reed	4	53	0	17
Jerel Myers	4	25	0	8
Domanick Davis	3	41	0	23
Tommy Banks	1	16	0	16
Reggie Robinson	1	9	0	9
Robert Royal	1	9	0	9
L. Toefield	1	3	0	3

PUNTING	NO.	YDS.	AVG.	LONG	I20
Donnie Jones	7	329	47.0	69	1

FIELD GOALS	ATT.	MADE	LONG	KICKS
John Corbello	2	1	35	made 35, missed 44

ALL RETURNS	PUNTS			KICKOFFS			INTERCEPTED		
	NO.	YDS	LP	NO.	YDS	LP	NO.	YDS	LP
Domanick Davis	6	98	28	2	55	29	0	0	0
Jerel Myers	0	0	0	1	21	21	0	0	0
Ryan Clark	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0

UAB

RUSHING	ATT.	GAIN	LOST	NET	TD	LONG
Jegil Dugger	21	78	6	72	0	10
Thomas Cox	4	12	0	12	0	5
Percy Coleman	2	9	0	9	0	5
Daniel Dixon	5	9	3	6	0	5
Cory Conley	2	5	0	5	0	3
Cedric Thatch	2	6	1	5	0	6
Carl Fair	2	4	0	4	0	3

PASSING	ATT.	COMP	INT.	YDS.	TD	LONG	SACKS
Daniel Dixon	17	8	1	65	1	24	0
Thomas Cox	5	0	0	0	0	0	0

RECEIVING	NO.	YDS.	TD	LONG
Leron Little	2	31	1	24
Percy Coleman	2	15	0	8
Jegil Dugger	2	7	0	5
Royd Williams	1	6	0	6
Undrae Crosby	1	6	0	6

PUNTING	NO.	YDS.	AVG.	LONG	I20
Ross Stewart	10	409	40.9	55	4

FIELD GOALS	ATT.	MADE	LONG
Rhett Gallego	2	2	32

ALL RETURNS	PUNTS			KICKOFFS			INTERCEPTED		
	NO.	YDS	LP	NO.	YDS	LP	NO.	YDS	LP
Percy Coleman	3	31	15	0	0	0	0	0	0
Chris Brown	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	25	25
Adr. Singleton	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	11	11
Avery Warner	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
Mario Stanley	0	0	0	1	15	15	0	0	0

GAME 5: LSU 38, #11 TENNESSEE 31 (OT)

September 30, 2000 - Tiger Stadium - Baton Rouge, La.

DAVEY'S FOUR TD PASSES LEAD TIGERS PAST VOLS IN OT

Rohan Davey delivered one of the more memorable performances in recent Tiger history, capping a 318-yard, 4 TD performance with a 25-yard strike to **Robert Royal** on the first play of overtime to lead LSU past Tennessee 38-31. **Damien James** broke up a fourth down pass in the Tigers' end zone by **A.J. Suggs** to secure the victory for the Tigers. Davey threw a pair of first half TD passes to **Josh Reed**, while **LaBrandon Toefield** came up with a career-best 74-yard run to help the Tigers grab a commanding 24-6 lead at the half. Tennessee mounted a furious comeback, rallying for 16 fourth quarter points to knot the game at 31 with 1:30 to go. After LSU had a 46-yard attempt blocked as regulation expired, Davey calmly led the Tigers to the deciding touchdown. Reed finished with 146 yards and three touchdowns, while Toefield had his first career 100-yard rushing game, piling up 120 yards.

UT	3	3	9	16	0	-31
LSU	3	21	0	7	7	-38

LSU	12:37	1Q	John Corbello	47 field goal
UT	4:32	1Q	Alex Walls	47 field goal
LSU	13:02	2Q	Josh Reed	16 pass from Rohan Davey (Corbello kick)
LSU	11:34	2Q	LaBrandon Toefield	74 run (Corbello kick)
UT	7:15	2Q	Walls	36 field goal
LSU	5:48	2Q	Reed	31 pass from Davey (Corbello kick)
UT	10:02	3Q	John Finlayson	7 pass from A.J. Suggs (Walls kick)
UT	5:01	3Q	Walls	46 field goal
LSU	13:43	4Q	Reed	53 pass from Davey (Corbello kick)
UT	9:08	4Q	W. Bartholomew	16 pass from Suggs (Don. Stallworth pass from Suggs)
UT	1:30	4Q	Cedrick Wilson	16 pass from Suggs (Eric Parker pass from Suggs)
LSU		OT	Robert Royal	25 pass from Davey (Corbello kick)

	UT	LSU
FIRST DOWNS	25	19
RUSHING	7	5
PASSING	16	14
PENALTY	2	0
RUSHING ATTEMPTS	27	29
YARDS GAINED RUSHING	105	173
YARDS LOST RUSHING	19	31
NET YARDS RUSHING	86	142
NET YARDS PASSING	319	318
PASSES ATTEMPTED	62	35
PASSES COMPLETED	37	23
HAD INTERCEPTED	1	0
TOTAL OFFENSIVE PLAYS	89	64
TOTAL NET YARDS	405	460
AVERAGE GAIN PER PLAY	4.6	7.2
FUMBLES/LOST	1-0	3-1
PENALTIES/YARDS	3-21	9-86
INTERCEPTIONS/YARDS	0-0	1-0
PUNTS/YARDS	5-221	6-237
AVERAGE PER PUNT	44.2	39.5
PUNT RETURNS/YARDS	5-26	4-34
KICKOFF RETURNS/YARDS	6-93	5-81
POSSESSION TIME	33:04	26:56
THIRD-DOWN CONVERSIONS	11 of 22	6 of 14
SACKS BY	2-15	3-19

LSU

RUSHING	ATT.	GAIN	LOST	NET	TD	LONG
L. Toefield	15	122	2	120	1	74
Rohan Davey	3	32	15	17	0	32
Domanick Davis	10	19	3	16	0	8

PASSING	ATT.	COMP	INT.	YDS.	TD	LONG	SACKS
Rohan Davey	35	23	0	318	4	53	2

RECEIVING	NO.	YDS.	TD	LONG
Josh Reed	7	146	3	53
Reggie Robinson	5	42	0	16
Domanick Davis	4	22	0	7
Robert Royal	3	54	1	25
Jerel Myers	3	37	0	19
Eric Edwards	1	17	0	17

PUNTING	NO.	YDS.	AVG.	LONG	I20
Donnie Jones	6	237	39.5	50	0

FIELD GOALS	ATT.	MADE	LONG	KICKS
John Corbello	2	1	47	47 good, 46 blocked

ALL RETURNS	PUNTS			KICKOFFS			INTERCEPTED		
	NO.	YDS	LP	NO.	YDS	LP	NO.	YDS	LP
Domanick Davis	4	34	10	3	50	20	0	0	0
Jerel Myers	0	0	0	1	27	27	0	0	0
Ryan Clark	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
Joe Domingeaux	0	0	0	1	4	4	4	0	0

TENNESSEE

RUSHING	ATT.	GAIN	LOST	NET	TD	LONG
Travis Henry	20	89	0	89	0	13
A.J. Suggs	7	16	19	-3	0	9

PASSING	ATT.	COMP	INT.	YDS.	TD	LONG	SACKS
A.J. Suggs	59	37	0	319	3	49	3
Casey Clausen	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
Cedrick Wilson	1	0	1	0	0	0	0

RECEIVING	NO.	YDS.	TD	LONG
David Martin	12	73	0	16
Cedrick Wilson	8	66	1	16
Don. Stallworth	4	81	0	49
Eric Parker	4	40	0	16
Leonard Scott	3	7	0	5
Travis Henry	1	16	0	16
W. Bartholomew	1	16	1	16
Travis Stephens	1	8	0	8
John Finlayson	1	7	1	7
Bobby Graham	1	5	0	5

PUNTING	NO.	YDS.	AVG.	LONG	I20
David Leaverton	5	221	44.5	51	1

FIELD GOALS	ATT.	MADE	LONG
Alex Walls	3	3	47

ALL RETURNS	PUNTS			KICKOFFS			INTERCEPTED		
	NO.	YDS	LP	NO.	YDS	LP	NO.	YDS	LP
Eric Parker	5	26	17	0	0	0	0	0	0
Leonard Scott	0	0	0	5	73	25	0	0	0
Erick Locke	0	0	0	1	20	20	0	0	0

GAME 6: #9 FLORIDA 41, LSU 9

October 7, 2000 * Gainesville, Fla. - Florida Field

TIGER MISCUES LEAD TO 41-9 LOSS AT FLORIDA

There has been one common theme in LSU's roller-coaster start this season - when the Tigers turn the ball over they don't win. The Tigers turned the ball over four times and got none in return last weekend en route to a 41-9 loss at Florida. Gator quarterback Rex Grossman completed 18-of-28 passes for 276 yards and 3 TD passes, all to Jabar Gaffney, while Robert Gillespie came up with 120 yards rushing on 19 carries to pace Florida. Grossman hit Gaffney with a pair of first half TDs to help the Gators to a 17-3 lead. The two hooked up for the third time less than five minutes into the third quarter on a 59-yard strike to move the lead to 24-3. The Tigers cut the lead to 27-9 on a 5-yard TD pass from **Josh Booty** to **Robert Royal** before Florida added two late touchdowns for the final margin of victory.

LSU	0	3	0	6	-9
FLORIDA	7	10	10	14	-41

UF	0:54	1Q	Jabar Gaffney 26 pass from Rex Grossman (Jeff Chandler kick)
LSU	10:19	2Q	John Corbello 40 field goal
UF	4:03	2Q	Chandler 28 field goal
UF	0:29	2Q	Gaffney 9 pass from Grossman (Chandler kick)
UF	10:32	3Q	Gaffney 59 pass from Grossman (Chandler kick)
UF	3:20	3Q	Chandler 44 field goal
LSU	14:43	4Q	Robert Royal 5 pass from Josh Booty (pass failed)
UF	11:17	4Q	Earnest Graham 2 run (Chandler kick)
UF	3:54	4Q	Earnest Graham 5 run (Chandler kick)

	LSU	UF
FIRST DOWNS	17	22
RUSHING	7	10
PASSING	10	12
PENALTY	0	0
RUSHING ATTEMPTS	29	34
YARDS GAINED RUSHING	102	186
YARDS LOST RUSHING	10	11
NET YARDS RUSHING	92	175
NET YARDS PASSING	249	298
PASSES ATTEMPTED	38	32
PASSES COMPLETED	19	21
HAD INTERCEPTED	4	0
TOTAL OFFENSIVE PLAYS	67	66
TOTAL NET YARDS	341	473
AVERAGE GAIN PER PLAY	5.1	7.2
FUMBLES/LOST	0-0	1-0
PENALTIES/YARDS	5-54	5-40
INTERCEPTIONS/YARDS	0-0	4-94
PUNTS/YARDS	5-203	4-179
AVERAGE PER PUNT	40.6	44.8
PUNT RETURNS/YARDS	2-36	2-22
KICKOFF RETURNS/YARDS	4-94	2-37
POSSESSION TIME	32:24	27:36
THIRD-DOWN CONVERSIONS	6 of 14	7 of 13
SACKS BY	2-11	1-1

LSU

RUSHING	ATT.	GAIN	LOST	NET	TD	LONG
L. Toefield	13	42	1	41	0	15
Rohan Davey	4	30	1	29	0	14
D. Henderson	3	15	0	15	0	8
Domanick Davis	7	14	8	6	0	10
Josh Booty	1	1	0	1	0	1

PASSING	ATT.	COMP	INT.	YDS.	TD	LONG	SACKS
Rohan Davey	12	4	1	65	0	26	1
Josh Booty	24	15	3	184	1	54	0
Team	2	0	0	0	0	0	0

RECEIVING	NO.	YDS.	TD	LONG
Josh Reed	4	50	0	26
Reggie Robinson	4	49	0	19
Robert Royal	3	33	1	16
Jerel Myers	3	23	0	9
Domanick Davis	2	57	0	54
Tommy Banks	2	31	0	17
L. Toefield	1	6	0	6

PUNTING	NO.	YDS.	AVG.	LONG	I20
Donnie Jones	5	203	40.6	47	1

FIELD GOALS	ATT.	MADE	LONG	KICKS
John Corbello	1	1	40	made 40

ALL RETURNS	PUNTS			KICKOFFS			INTERCEPTED		
	NO.	YDS	LP	NO.	YDS	LP	NO.	YDS	LP
Domanick Davis	2	36	30	4	94	27	0	0	0

FLORIDA

RUSHING	ATT.	GAIN	LOST	NET	TD	LONG
R. Gillespie	19	120	0	120	3	37
Earnest Graham	6	46	0	46	2	17
Ran Carthon	4	12	0	12	0	6
Rex Grossman	5	8	11	-3	0	3

PASSING	ATT.	COMP	INT.	YDS.	TD	LONG	SACKS
Rex Grossman	28	18	0	276	3	59	1
Jesse Palmer	3	3	0	22	0	15	0
Earnest Graham	1	0	0	0	0	0	0

RECEIVING	NO.	YDS.	TD	LONG
Jabar Gaffney	8	128	3	59
R. Gillespie	3	32	0	22
Taylor Jacobs	2	42	0	33
Reche Caldwell	2	26	0	16
B. Haugabrook	2	24	0	13
Earnest Graham	2	7	0	6
Kelvin Kight	1	24	0	24
Matt Jackson	1	15	0	15

PUNTING	NO.	YDS.	AVG.	LONG	I20
Alan Rhine	4	179	44.8	50	1

FIELD GOALS	ATT.	MADE	LONG
Jeff Chandler	2	2	44

ALL RETURNS	PUNTS			KICKOFFS			INTERCEPTED		
	NO.	YDS	LP	NO.	YDS	LP	NO.	YDS	LP
R. Gillespie	0	0	0	2	37	20	0	0	0
Mike Nattiel	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	28	28
B. Alexander	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	56	56
Keiwan Ratliff	2	22	17	0	0	0	0	0	0
R. Cromartie	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	10	10

GAME 7: LSU 34, KENTUCKY 0

October 14, 2000 * Baton Rouge, La. - Tiger Stadium

TIGERS GROUND KENTUCKY AIR ATTACK WITH 34-0 WIN

Behind three touchdown passes from quarterback **Josh Booty** and an outstanding overall defensive performance, LSU evened its Southeastern Conference record at 2-2 and moved to 4-3 overall with a convincing 34-0 win over Kentucky at Death Valley last weekend. Booty connected for TD passes with three different receivers, hitting **Josh Reed**, **Reggie Robinson** and **Eric Edwards** with TD passes, while Devery Henderson added a touchdown and **John Corbello** kicked two field goals. Defensively, the Tigers were led by its standout linebacker tandem of **Bradie James** and **Trev Faulk**, who recorded 17 and 13 tackles respectively. The Tigers handed Kentucky coach Hal Mumme the first shutout of his tenure as Wildcat's coach. LSU finished its swing against SEC Eastern Division teams with a 2-1 mark.

KENTUCKY	0	0	0	0	-0
LSU	10	0	10	14	-34

LSU	10:27	1Q	Josh Reed 7 pass from Josh Booty (John Corbello kick)
LSU	0:48	1Q	Corbello 38 field goal
LSU	11:06	3Q	Devery Henderson 8 run (Corbello kick)
LSU	4:02	3Q	Reggie Robinson 13 pass from Booty (Corbello kick)
LSU	14:00	4Q	Corbello 31 field goal
LSU	4:55	4Q	Eric Edwards 25 pass from Booty (Corbello kick)

	UK	LSU
FIRST DOWNS	23	23
RUSHING	7	7
PASSING	15	13
PENALTY	1	3
RUSHING ATTEMPTS	22	46
YARDS GAINED RUSHING	123	146
YARDS LOST RUSHING	6	32
NET YARDS RUSHING	117	114
NET YARDS PASSING	280	225
PASSES ATTEMPTED	55	33
PASSES COMPLETED	31	15
HAD INTERCEPTED	1	0
TOTAL OFFENSIVE PLAYS	77	79
TOTAL NET YARDS	397	339
AVERAGE GAIN PER PLAY	5.2	4.3
FUMBLES/LOST	4-3	0-0
PENALTIES/YARDS	8-60	3-39
INTERCEPTIONS/YARDS	0-0	1-0
PUNTS/YARDS	1-38	4-172
AVERAGE PER PUNT	38.0	43.0
PUNT RETURNS/YARDS	3-(-4)	0-0
KICKOFF RETURNS/YARDS	5-93	1-14
POSSESSION TIME	25:46	34:14
THIRD-DOWN CONVERSIONS	6 of 14	11 of 19
SACKS BY	1-11	1-2

Notes On The Game:

* LSU turned three Kentucky turnovers into 17 points.

* LSU shutout Kentucky for the first time in the Hal Mumme era and it marked the first shutout for the Tigers since a 27-0 win over Alabama in 1997.

* TE Eric Edwards scored the first TD of his career with a 25-yard reception from Josh Booty in the fourth quarter.

* LSU was called for a season-low three penalties and the Tigers

did not have a turnover in the contest.

LSU									
RUSHING	ATT.	GAIN	LOST	NET	TD	LONG			
L. Toefield	18	64	12	52	0	14			
Domanick Davis	13	48	3	45	0	11			
D. Henderson	7	24	6	18	1	8			
Tommy Banks	4	5	0	5	0	2			
Josh Booty	4	5	11	-6	0	2			
PASSING	ATT.	COMP	INT.	YDS.	TD	LONG	SACKS		
Josh Booty	33	15	0	225	3	36	1		
RECEIVING	NO.	YDS.	TD	LONG					
Josh Reed	7	67	1	16					
Eric Edwards	2	59	1	34					
Jerel Myers	2	52	0	36					
L. Toefield	2	20	0	11					
Robert Royal	1	14	0	14					
Reggie Robinson	1	13	1	13					
PUNTING	NO.	YDS.	AVG.	LONG	I20				
Donnie Jones	4	172	43.0	51	2				
FIELD GOALS	ATT.	MADE	LONG	KICKS					
John Corbello	3	2	38	Made 38, 31, Missed 43					
PUNTS	KICKOFFS			INTERCEPTED					
ALL RETURNS	NO.	YDS	LP	NO.	YDS	LP	NO.	YDS	LP
Jerel Myers	0	0	0	1	14	14	0	0	0
Erin Damond	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0

KENTUCKY

RUSHING	ATT.	GAIN	LOST	NET	TD	LONG			
Martez Johnson	11	57	4	53	0	19			
Jared Lorenzen	6	29	2	27	0	14			
Ernest Simms	1	16	0	16	0	16			
Derek Homer	2	12	0	12	0	11			
Artose Pinner	1	5	0	5	0	5			
Joel Bryan	1	4	0	4	0	4			
PASSING	ATT.	COMP	INT.	YDS.	TD	LONG	SACKS		
Jared Lorenzen	55	31	1	280	0	22	1		
RECEIVING	NO.	YDS.	TD	LONG					
Quentin McCord	4	51	0	22					
Derek Smith	3	41	0	18					
Dougie Allen	3	26	0	11					
Derek Abney	3	24	0	8					
Martez Johnson	3	20	0	17					
Derek Homer	3	19	0	8					
Chase Harp	3	17	0	8					
Bobby Blizzard	3	16	0	10					
Kend. Shanklin	2	24	0	17					
Artose Pinner	2	6	0	8					
Mike Beirne	1	21	0	21					
Anthony Kelly	1	15	0	15					
PUNTING	NO.	YDS.	AVG.	LONG	I20				
Seth Hanson	1	38	38.0	38	0				
FIELD GOALS	ATT.	MADE	LONG						
Seth Hanson	1	0							
ALL RETURNS	PUNTS			KICKOFFS			INTERCEPTED		
NO.	YDS	LP	NO.	YDS	LP	NO.	YDS	LP	
Derek Abney	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Martez Johnson	0	0	0	2	21	13	0	0	
Kendr. Shanklin	2	-5	2	1	6	6	0	0	
Ernest Simms	0	0	0	2	66	28	0	0	