

LSU FOOTBALL POSTGAME NOTES

#1 LSU vs. Arkansas

November 23, 2019 – Tiger Stadium (Baton Rouge, Louisiana)

1. The LSU Captains were OG **Adrian Magee**, OT **Badara Traore**, TE **Thaddeus Moss** and CB **Kristian Fulton**
2. LSU won the coin toss and elected to receive. The Tigers defended the south end zone in the first quarter
3. With the win, LSU clinched the SEC West Championship and a spot in the SEC Championship game on December 7 against Georgia
 - a. This is the sixth time LSU has earned a trip to the SEC Championship: 2001, 2003, 2005, 2007, 2011 and 2019
4. LSU is 27-4 in games played as the No. 1 AP team
5. LSU improved to 41-22-2 against Arkansas
 - a. 56 points is the most LSU has scored against the Razorbacks.
 - i. The previous high was 55 in 2003
6. The Tiger are 11-0 for the first time since 2011
 - a. The only other 11-0 starts in LSU history were 1958 and 2011
 - b. 11 wins is tied for the fourth-most wins in school history with the 2010, 2006, 2005 and 1958 teams
7. LSU improved to 7-0 in the SEC for the first time since 2011
 - a. This is the fourth time LSU has won seven SEC games in a season
 - i. The Tigers were 7-1 in the SEC in 2003 and 2005, and 8-0 in 2011
8. LSU has won 12 consecutive games dating back to the Fiesta Bowl last season
 - a. LSU's longest win streaks: 19 (1957-59), 15 (1907-09), 14 (2010-11), 13 (2006-07), 12 (2018-19), 11 (1971-72, 1961-62)
9. Coach Ed Orgeron improved to 36-9 as the head coach at LSU
 - a. With Coach Orgeron at the helm, LSU is 34-2 when scoring at least 20 points
 - b. The Tigers are 22-1 under Orgeron when having a 100-yard rusher
10. S **Maurice Hampton Jr.** became the fourth true freshman to start this season, joining CB **Derek Stingley Jr.**, DT **Joseph Evans** and CB **Cordale Flott**

Offense

1. On Saturday, the 2019 LSU Tigers became the first SEC team to have a **4,000-yard** passer (Joe Burrow), a **1,000-yard** rusher (Clyde Edwards-Helaire) and two **1,000-yard** receivers (Ja'Marr Chase and Justin Jefferson) in the same season.
 - a. The 2013 LSU Tigers are the only other SEC team with a **3,000-yard** passer (Zach Mettenberger, 3,082), a **1,000-yard** rusher (Jeremy Hill, 1,401) and two **1,000-yard** receivers (Jarvis Landry, 1,193 and Odell Beckham Jr., 1,152)
2. With 612 total offensive yards against Arkansas, LSU broke the program's single-season total offensive record. LSU has 6,172 yards of total offense this season, breaking 2001's record of 6,152 yards.
3. With eight touchdowns on Saturday, LSU broke its single-season record for touchdowns in a season; currently with 70 on the year. The previous record was 66 set in 2007.
 - a. LSU also broke its record for rushing and passing touchdowns in a single season with 68 combined on the year (27 rush, 41 pass). The previous record was set in 2007 with 60 (35 rush, 29 pass).
4. QB **Joe Burrow** extended multiple records with his 23-28, 327-yard, three-touchdown performance on Saturday.
 - a. LSU improved to 21-3 with Joe Burrow as the starting QB

- b. On a 50-yard touchdown completion to Ja'Marr Chase in the 3rd quarter, Burrow became the first LSU quarterback all-time to pass for 4,000 yards in a season. He currently sits at 4,014 this season.
 - i. He is the fourth SEC quarterback to record 4,000 yards in a season and the first since Chad Kelly had 4,402 in 2015.
 - c. His 41 touchdowns on the season is the 3rd most in the history of the SEC. Drew Lock from Missouri holds the record with 44 touchdown passes in 2017
 - i. Burrow passed Danny Wuerffel (Florida, 1996, 39 touchdowns) and Andre Woodson (Kentucky, 2007, 40 touchdowns) on Saturday
 - ii. He is the first QB in LSU history to have 40 touchdown passes in a season
 - d. With the 37-yard TD pass to Chase, Joe Burrow passed JaMarcus Russell (6,625 yards from 2004-06) into third place on LSU's career passing-yards list. Burrow currently has 6,647.
 - e. Burrow extended his passing yards in a season record on Saturday with 321 yards, giving him 4,014 yards in 2019
 - f. Burrow passed for 300 yards in his fifth-straight game, breaking his own record of four set earlier in the season
 - i. He had 327 at Mississippi State, 321 vs #9 Auburn, 393 at #2 Alabama, 489 at Ole Miss and 327 against Arkansas
 - g. Going 23-28 Saturday, Burrow continues to hold the lead for the best completion percentage in a season in the history of the NCAA. He is 291-369 this season for a completion percentage of 78.9%
5. WR **Ja'Marr Chase** had six catches for 144 yards and two touchdowns
- a. With two touchdown catches Saturday, Chase has 15 on the season which is an LSU record
 - i. His 15 touchdown catches this year is the tied for 4th most in the history of the SEC with Ike Hilliard (Florida, 1995) and Jack Jackson (Florida in 1994)
6. TE **Thaddeus Moss** finished the day with 4 receptions to give him a total of 36 on the season, breaking Mitch Andrews (1985) and Malcolm Scott (1985) record of 34 receptions in a season by a tight end
- a. On a 30-yard reception in the 2nd quarter, Thaddeus Moss broke the school record for most receptions by a tight end in a season with his 35th, breaking Mitch Andrews (1985) and Malcolm Scott (1985) record of 34 receptions
 - b. With 68 yards on Saturday, Moss now has 423 receiving yards this season, closing in on the yards receiving by a tight end in a season record
 - i. David LaFleur holds that record with 439 yards receiving in 1996
 - c. His 68 yards on Saturday is a new career high
 - i. His previous career high was 61 yards earlier in the season against Georgia Southern
7. RB **Clyde Edwards-Helaire** rushed the ball six times for 188 yards and 3 touchdowns, eclipsing the 1,000-yard mark on the season. He also recorded the most receptions for LSU with 7 for 65 yards, all in the first half.
- a. On a 35 yard run in the 3rd quarter, Edwards-Helaire recorded the 21st 1,000-yard rushing season in LSU history.
 - i. LSU has had a 1,000-yard rusher in each of the past seven seasons
 - 1. Clyde Edwards-Helaire (1,146 in 2019), Nick Brossette (1,039 in 2018), Derrius Guice (1,251 in 2017), Derrius Guice (1,387 in 2016), Leonard Fournette (1,953 in 2015), Leonard Fournette (1,034 in 2014), Jeremy Hill (1,401 in 2013)
 - b. His 89-yard touchdown run in the third quarter is tied for the fifth longest run in LSU history with Leonard Fournette who had an 89-yard run against Notre Dame in the 2014 Music City Bowl

1. LB Jacob Phillips led LSU with 12 tackles and also recorded 1.5 TFL
2. S Jacoby Stevens recorded new career-highs with 3 sacks and 4 TFLs
 - a. His previous high marks were 1.5 TFLs at Alabama earlier in November and 1 sack on three occasions, most recently at Mississippi State this season
3. LB Patrick Queen had seven tackles and 1 pass breakup
4. True-freshman S Maurice Hampton recorded his first career start Saturday and recorded 6 tackles.

Special Teams

1. With eight extra points Saturday **K Cade York** has 112 points this season which is 4th all-time at LSU
 - a. He was 8-8 in PATs Saturday