



2012-13 ILLINOIS BASKETBALL

2013 NCAA Tournament // Third Round // East Region

Game 36 // #7 Seed Illinois (23-12, 8-10 Big Ten) vs. #2 Seed Miami (28-6, 15-3 ACC)

March 24, 2013 // 7:40 p.m. CDT // Austin, Texas // Erwin Center (16,292)

TV: TNT – Tim Brando (Play-By-Play), Mike Gminski (Analyst), Otis Livingston (Reports)

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ILLINOIS 2012-13 SCHEDULE & RESULTS

DATE	OPPONENT	TIME/RESULT	TV/STREAK
NOVEMBER (8-0)			
9	COLGATE [1]	W, 75-55	W-1
12	ST. FRANCIS (N.Y.)	W, 89-64	W-2
16	at Hawaii	W, 78-77 (OT)	W-3
19	vs. USC [2]	W, 94-64	W-4
20	vs. Chaminade [2]	W, 84-61	W-5
21	vs. Butler [2]	W, 78-61	W-6
25	GARDNER-WEBB	W, 63-62	W-7
28	GEORGIA TECH [3]	W, 75-62	W-8
DECEMBER (5-1)			
4	WESTERN CAROLINA	W, 72-64	W-9
8	at #10/10 Gonzaga	W, 85-74	W-10
11	NORFOLK STATE	W, 64-54	W-11
16	EASTERN KENTUCKY	W, 66-53	W-12
22	vs. #12/12 Missouri [4]	L, 73-82	L-1
29	vs. Auburn [5]	W, 81-79	W-1
JANUARY (2-6)			
2	at Purdue	L, 61-68	L-1
5	#8/8 OHIO STATE	W, 74-55	W-1
9	#8/10 MINNESOTA	L, 67-84	L-1
12	at Wisconsin	L, 51-74	L-2
17	NORTHWESTERN	L, 54-68	L-3
22	at Nebraska	W, 71-51	W-1
27	#2/3 MICHIGAN	L, 60-74	L-1
31	at #13/9 Michigan State	L, 75-80	L-2
FEBRUARY (5-2)			
3	WISCONSIN	L, 68-74	L-3
7	#1/1 INDIANA	W, 74-72	W-1
10	at #18/18 Minnesota	W, 57-53	W-2
13	PURDUE	W, 79-59	W-3
17	at Northwestern	W, 62-41	W-4
21	PENN STATE	W, 64-59	W-5
24	at #7/7 Michigan	L, 58-71	L-1
MARCH (3-3)			
2	NEBRASKA	W, 72-65	W-1
5	at Iowa	L, 55-63	L-1
10	at #14/13 Ohio State	L, 55-68	L-2
14	vs. Minnesota [6]	W, 51-49	W-1
15	vs. #3/3 Indiana [6]	L, 64-80	L-1
22	vs. Colorado [7]	W, 57-49	W-1
24	vs. #5/4 Miami [7]	7:40 p.m.	TNT

Home Games in **BOLD** // All Times Listed are Central

[1] - EA SPORTS Maui Invitational

[2] - EA SPORTS Maui Invitational - Lahaina (Hawaii) Civic Center

[3] - ACC/Big Ten Challenge

[4] - Bud Light Braggin' Rights - Scottrade Center; St. Louis

[5] - United Center; Chicago

[6] - Big Ten Tournament - United Center; Chicago

[7] - NCAA Tournament - Erwin Center; Austin, Texas

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PROBABLE STARTERS (FROM THE PREVIOUS GAME)

Pos.	No.	Name	Ht.	Wt.	Yr.	PPG	RPG	APG	Other
G	13	Tracy Abrams	6-1	185	So.	10.7	3.5	3.4	1.4 spg
G	1	D.J. Richardson	6-3	195	Sr.	12.5	3.9	1.6	2.3 3FG/G
G	3	Brandon Paul	6-4	200	Sr.	16.6	4.4	2.7	5.9 FTA/G
F	0	Sam McLaurin	6-8	220	Gr.	3.9	3.4	0.5	2.2 OREB/G
F/C	32	Nnanna Ekwu	6-11	235	So.	6.4	4.7	0.5	1.4 bpg

OFF THE BENCH

Pos.	No.	Name	Ht.	Wt.	Yr.	PPG	RPG	APG	Other
G	2	Joseph Bertrand	6-6	195	r-Jr.	7.4	4.1	0.6	50% FG
G	10	Mike LaTulip	6-0	165	Fr.	1.2	0.1	0.0	3-9 3FG
F	15	Mike Shaw	6-8	215	So.	0.9	0.8	0.1	4-9 FG
G/F	20	Myke Henry	6-6	230	So.	3.3	2.2	0.1	19 3FG
G/F	21	Devin Langford	6-7	200	r-Fr.	0.5	0.8	0.2	4 FG
F/C	23	Ibby Djimde	6-8	245	So.	0.2	0.3	0.0	1 FG
G	24	Rayvonte Rice %	6-4	240	Jr.				
G	31	Kevin Berardini	6-0	165	r-Jr.	0.5	0.2	0.2	5-6 FT
% Rice is sitting out this season per NCAA transfer rules									
F	42	Tyler Griffey	6-9	220	Sr.	7.1	3.4	0.5	33% 3FG

COACHING STAFF

Head Coach:	John Groce
Career Record:	108-68/.614 (5th year)
At Illinois:	23-12/.657 (1st year)
Big Ten:	8-10/.444
NCAA Tournament:	4-2/.667 (3rd appearance)
Assistant Coaches:	Dustin Ford (1st year), Paris Parham (1st year), Jamall Walker (1st year)
Special Assistant to the Head Coach:	Brandon Miller (1st year)
Director of Basketball Operations:	Mark Morris (1st year)
Video Coordinator:	Andy Etheridge (1st year)

SERIES NOTES VS. MIAMI

Series Record:	Illinois leads 1-0
Last Meeting:	Illinois 86, Miami 76 (Dec. 28, 1968 at Miami, Fla.)
Series Streak:	Illinois W-1
Series NCAA Tournament Record:	First meeting
Groce vs. Miami:	First meeting

Notes from Friday's NCAA Tournament Victory Over Colorado

- Illinois advances to the NCAA Tournament Third Round to face No. 2 seed Miami on Sunday.
- Brandon Paul** led the Illini in scoring with 17 points, including 9-of-10 shooting at the free throw line. It was the 22nd time this season Paul had led Illinois in scoring – including each of the last five games – and the 40th time in his career.
- The Illini took a 37-21 lead into halftime after outscoring Colorado 26-6 over the final 12:27 of the half, including a 13-0 run over the final 7:06, which was capped by a **Tracy Abrams** 3-pointer just before the half-time buzzer.
- Colorado began the second half on a 23-2 run to take a 44-39 lead with 9:28 left, but the Illini countered with a 16-2 run of their own over the next nine minutes to pull away.
- The Fighting Illini defense held the Buffaloes to just five points on 2-of-13 shooting and forced five turnovers over the last 9:20 of the game, turning the five-point deficit into an eight-point victory.

2012-13 ILLINOIS NUMERICAL ROSTER

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Yr.	Hometown	Notable
0	Sam McLaurin	F	6-8	220	Gr.	Havana, Fla.	Coastal Carolina's school-record holder for career blocked shots (155)
1	D.J. Richardson ***	G	6-3	195	Sr.	Peoria, Ill.	Ranks third at Illinois in career 3-point field goals
2	Joseph Bertrand **	G	6-6	195	r-Jr.	Sterling, Ill.	Scored career-high 25 points last year vs. Nebraska
3	Brandon Paul ***	G	6-4	200	Sr.	Gurnee, Ill.	Third-Team All-Big Ten; USBWA All-District V; Naimisth Trophy Candidate
10	Mike LaTulip	G	6-0	165	Fr.	Arlington Heights, Ill.	Prospect High School's all-time leading scorer
13	Tracy Abrams *	G	6-1	185	So.	Chicago, Ill.	2012 team MVP the first true-freshman in school history to win award
15	Mike Shaw *	F	6-8	215	So.	Chicago, Ill.	De La Salle Institute's all-time leading scorer
20	Myke Henry *	G/F	6-6	230	So.	Chicago, Ill.	Season-high 12 points and career-high 9 boards vs. Nebraska (March 2)
21	Devin Langford	G/F	6-7	200	r-Fr.	Huntsville, Ala.	Led Lee to Alabama state title as a junior and runner-up as a senior
23	Ibby Djimde *	F/C	6-8	245	So.	Bamako, Mali	Mali native speaks five different languages
24	Rayvonte Rice	G	6-4	240	Jr.	Champaign, Ill.	Second-team All-Missouri Valley last year at Drake
31	Kevin Berardini *	G	6-0	165	r-Fr.	Lake Forest, Ill.	Walk-on in third year with Illini will graduate in May
32	Nnanna Ekwu *	F/C	6-11	235	So.	Chicago, Ill.	Career-high 16 points vs. Ohio State (Jan. 5)
42	Tyler Griffey ***	F	6-9	220	Sr.	Wildwood, Mo.	Hit game-winning layup at buzzer to defeat No. 1 Indiana (Feb. 7)

Head Coach: John Groce (1st year at Illinois, 5th year overall)

Assistant Coaches: Dustin Ford (1st year), Paris Parham (1st year), Jamall Walker (1st year)

Special Assistant to the Head Coach: Brandon Miller (1st year)

Director of Basketball Operations: Mark Morris (1st year)

Video Coordinator: Andy Etheridge (1st year)

Strength and Conditioning Coach: Mike Basgier (1st year)

Athletic Trainer: Paul Schmidt (1st year with men's basketball, 7th year at Illinois)

Players Pronunciation

Kevin BERARDINI	bear-er-DEE-nee	John GROCE	GROSS
Joseph BERTRAND	BER-trand	Paris PARHAM	PAR-ham
Ibby DJIMDE	JIM-day		
NNANNA EGWU	NAH-nuh (like banana)	EG-woo	
Sam MCLAURIN	Mc-LOR-en		
RAYVONTE Rice	Ray-VAHN-tay		

Coaches Pronunciation

- The Illini won despite making just three baskets in the second half (3-22 FG), with all three buckets coming in a span of 2:27. Illinois missed its first 14 shots after intermission before getting a layup from **Tracy Abrams** at the 8:33 mark, and then back-to-back 3-pointers from **D.J. Richardson** and **Brandon Paul** at 6:30 and 6:06, respectively, to take a 48-44 lead with 6:06 left. The Illini scored their final nine points of the game from the free throw line, hitting 9-of-14 over the final 5:18.

- The Illini defense limited Colorado leading scorer and first-team All-Pac 12 selection Spencer Dinwiddie (15.6 ppg) to just six points on 1-of-8 shooting (0-5 3FG), his lowest scoring output since he had five points on 1-of-7 FG against USC on Jan. 10.

- The Illini were +13 in points off turnovers, scoring 21 points off 15 Colorado miscues, while allowing just eight points on 12 turnovers of their own. The UI defense also kept the Buffaloes from scoring a single second-chance point despite allowing CU eight offensive rebounds.

- Illinois got to the line more often than Colorado, attempting 24 free throws to CU's 13. The Illini are now 15-1 on the season when shooting more free throws than their opponent.

- Illinois outrebounded Colorado (37-36), outrebounding its opponent for the first time in the last five games and improving to 14-2 on the season when outrebounding the opponent.

- D.J. Richardson** (14 points) and **Tracy Abrams** (13 points) also scored in double figures for the Orange and Blue, while **Nnanna Ekwu** led the team in rebounding with eight boards.

- This marked the fifth time in the last six games, and the 17th time this season, that guards **Brandon Paul**, **D.J. Richardson** and **Tracy Abrams** were Illinois' top three scorers.

- Tracy Abrams** dished out a game-high six assists, as Illinois improved to 9-2 this season in games where Abrams records at least five assists.

- With 23 wins, Illinois has secured its most victories since the 2008-09 season (24) and has exceeded last season's win total (17) by six games.

- The six-win improvement is Illinois' best since winning eight more games in 2008-09 compared to 2007-08.

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Media Schedule (all times Central)

Thursday, March 21

12:05 p.m. Selected Colorado players press conference
12:20 p.m. Colorado Coach Tad Boyle press conference
12:45 p.m. Colorado open practice
1:35 p.m. Selected Illinois players press conference
Other Illinois players available to media in Illini locker room
1:50 p.m. Illinois Coach John Groce press conference
2:15 p.m. Illinois open practice

Friday, March 22

Game #1 1:10 p.m.
#15 Pacific vs. #2 Miami
Game #2 30 min. following Game #1 (approx. 3:40 p.m.)
#10 Colorado vs. #7 Illinois
Game #3 6:27 p.m.
#14 Northwestern State vs. #3 Florida
Game #4 30 min. following Game #3 (approx. 8:57 p.m.)
#11 Minnesota vs. #6 UCLA

Saturday, March 23

12 p.m. Miami practice (Closed)
1:35 p.m. Selected Miami players press conference
1:55 p.m. Miami Coach Jim Larranaga press conference
2:20 p.m. Selected Illinois players press conference
Other Illinois players available to media in Illini locker room
2:40 p.m. Illinois Coach John Groce press conference
3:10 p.m. Illinois practice (Closed)

Sunday, March 24

Minnesota vs. Florida 5:10 p.m.
Illinois vs. Miami approx. 7:40 p.m.

ILLINI RECORD UNDER JOHN GROCE

Plays at home	12-4	Wears white uniforms	15-3
Plays on the road	5-6	Wears blue uniforms	5-5
Plays at neutral site	6-2	Wears orange uniforms	3-4
Plays at United Center	2-1	Regular-season tournaments	4-0
Big Ten record	8-10	NCAA Tournament	1-0
Big Ten at home	5-4	Big Ten Tournament	1-1
Big Ten on the road	3-6	In November	8-0
When Ranked (AP)	7-5	In December	5-1
Plays a ranked (AP) opponent	4-7	In January	2-6
Plays a Top-10 (AP) opponent	3-5	In February	5-2
Wins the game before	15-7	In March	3-3
Loses the game before	7-5	Plays during the day	6-5
Leading at the half	20-3	Plays at night (5 pm or after start)	17-7
Tied or trailing at the half	3-9	Margin is 5 points or less	7-1
Shoots 45% or better	10-1	Margin is 6-10 points	4-4
Shoots less than 45%	13-11	Margin is 11-20 points	7-6
Opp. shoots less than 45%	17-4	Margin is more than 20	4-1
Opp. shoots 45% or better	6-8	Has a 20+ point scorer	9-4
Shoots same or better than opp.	14-1	Scores 59 points or less	3-5
Shoots worse than opp.	9-11	Scores 60-69 points	5-5
Shoots same or more FT than opp.	15-1	Scores 70-79 points	10-2
Shoots fewer FT than opp.	8-11	Scores 80-89 points	4-0
Makes same or more FT than opp.	14-2	Scores 90-99 points	1-0
Makes fewer FT than opp.	9-10	Scores 100+ points	0-0
Scores 70 or more points	15-2	Overtime	1-0
Tied or leads in rebounding	14-2	On BTN	10-7
Trails in rebounding	9-10	On ESPN	2-4
Scores same or more bench points	15-3	On ESPN2	4-1
Scores fewer bench points	8-9	On ESPNU	1-0
Has equal or fewer TOs than opp.	19-9	On TNT	1-0
Has more TOs than opp.	4-3	On CBS	0-0
Has 15+ assists	4-0		

- Illinois has now won eight of its last 12 games.
- The Illini have now held their opponent to less than 60 points in eight of their last 10 wins.
- **Brandon Paul** and **D.J. Richardson** both played their 137th game as Illini today, moving into a tie for fourth on the Illinois career games played list with Dee Brown (2003-06) and James Augustine (2003-06). They're just two shy of the school record of 139, which is shared by Demetri McCamey (2008-11) and Mike Tisdale (2008-11).

Illini NCAA Tournament Notes

- Illinois is making its 30th all-time appearance in the NCAA Tournament, which is the second-highest number of Tournament appearances among Big Ten schools, trailing only Indiana (37). Illinois ranks 13th (tied) among NCAA schools for most all-time Tournament appearances.
- This is Illinois' 11th NCAA Tournament appearance in the last 14 years, and 25th in the last 33 years.
- Following the win over Colorado, Illinois now has a 40-30 (.571) all-time record in the NCAA Tournament.
- Illinois' victory over Colorado was its second straight in the Round of 64 (UNLV in 2011). Illinois is now 16-6 in the opening round since the Tournament field expanded to 64 teams in 1985, and has won in the Round of 64 eleven times in its last 13 appearances.
- Illinois faces Miami on Sunday looking to advance to the Sweet 16 for the first time since 2005, when the Illini went on to finish as the national runner-up.
- **John Groce** has led Illinois to the NCAA Tournament in his first year at the helm of the Fighting Illini program. Groce is making his third career NCAA Tournament appearance as a head coach. He led Ohio to the Sweet 16 last season and the Round of 32 in 2010.
- Following Illinois' victory over Colorado, Groce's career NCAA Tournament record is now 4-2. Groce is now 3-0 in opening round games as a head coach.
- When combining his tenure as an assistant and head coach, **Groce's** teams own a record of 16-8 (.667) in the NCAA Tournament.

ILLINOIS CAREER TOTALS

	2012-13	Career
Double-Digit Scoring Games		
D.J. Richardson	25	83
Brandon Paul	32	80
Tracy Abrams	22	25
Joseph Bertrand	10	21
Tyler Griffey	11	18
Nnanna Egwu	5	6
Myke Henry	2	3
20+ Point Games		
Brandon Paul	11	24
D.J. Richardson	2	5
Tracy Abrams	2	3
Joseph Bertrand	0	1
10+ Rebound Games		
Nnanna Egwu	2	2
Joseph Bertrand	1	1
Tyler Griffey	0	1
Brandon Paul	0	1
Double-Doubles		
Tyler Griffey	0	1
Brandon Paul	0	1
5+ 3-Point FG Games		
D.J. Richardson	1	7
Brandon Paul	3	6
3+ Block Games		
Nnanna Egwu	5	8
Brandon Paul	0	2
Joseph Bertrand	1	1
Sam McLaurin	1	1
3+ Steal Games		
Brandon Paul	4	16
D.J. Richardson	6	11
Tracy Abrams	7	8
Joseph Bertrand	3	3
Tyler Griffey	1	3
Nnanna Egwu	1	2
Starts		
D.J. Richardson	35	131
Brandon Paul	34	88
Tracy Abrams	31	50
Tyler Griffey	22	46
Nnanna Egwu	34	37
Joseph Bertrand	5	19
Sam McLaurin	14	14
Leads Team in Scoring		
Brandon Paul	22	40
D.J. Richardson	8	21
Tracy Abrams	5	6
Joseph Bertrand	4	6
Tyler Griffey	3	3
Myke Henry	0	1
Leads Team in Rebounding		
Brandon Paul	7	13
Nnanna Egwu	11	12
D.J. Richardson	5	12
Joseph Bertrand	5	9
Tyler Griffey	4	8
Tracy Abrams	5	6
Myke Henry	3	3
Sam McLaurin	3	3
Mike Shaw	0	1

ILLINI CAREER RECORDS TO WATCH

Career Points, Total

1.	2,129	Deon Thomas, 1991-94
2.	1,948	Kiwane Garriis, 1994-97
3.	1,812	Dee Brown, 2003-06
4.	1,748	Brian Cook, 2000-03
5.	1,735	Cory Bradford, 1999-2002
6.	1,718	Demetri McCamey, 2008-11
7.	1,692	Eddie Johnson, 1978-81
8.	1,653	Mark Smith, 1978-81
9.	1,636	Brandon Paul, 2010-
10.	1,533	Andy Kaufmann, 1989-93
11.	1,487	Efrem Winters, 1983-86
12.	1,481	Nick Weatherspoon, 1971-73
13.	1,472	D.J. Richardson, 2010-
14.	1,459	Dave Scholz, 1967-69
15.	1,449	Don Freeman, 1964-66

Career Three-Point FG, Made

1.	327	Cory Bradford, 1999-2002
2.	299	Dee Brown, 2003-06
3.	277	D.J. Richardson, 2010-
4.	237	Richard Keene, 1993-96
5.	236	Demetri McCamey, 2008-11
6.	216	Rich McBride, 2004-07
7.	209	Brandon Paul, 2010-
	209	Luther Head, 2002-05

Career Three-Point FG, Attempted

1.	843	Cory Bradford, 1999-2002
2.	831	Dee Brown, 2003-06
3.	772	D.J. Richardson, 2010-
4.	654	Demetri McCamey, 2008-11
5.	641	Brandon Paul, 2010-

Career Free Throws, Made

1.	615	Kiwane Garriis, 1994-97
2.	522	Deon Thomas, 1991-94
3.	437	Mark Smith, 1978-81
4.	398	Andy Kaufmann, 1989-93
5.	392	Brandon Paul, 2010-

Career Free Throws, Attempted

1.	790	Deon Thomas, 1991-94
2.	741	Kiwan Garriis, 1994-97
3.	559	Mark Smith, 1978-81
4.	554	Brandon Paul, 2010-

Career Games Played

1.	139	Demetri McCamey, 2008-11
	139	Mike Tisdale, 2008-11
3.	138	Mike Davis, 2008-11
4.	137	Brandon Paul, 2010-13
	137	D.J. Richardson, 2010-13
	137	James Augustine, 2003-06
	137	Dee Brown, 2003-06

Career Starts

1.	136	Dee Brown, 2003-06
2.	134	James Augustine, 2003-06
	134	Cory Bradford, 1999-2002
4.	131	D.J. Richardson, 2010-

Career Minutes

1.	4,698	Dee Brown, 2003-06
2.	4,374	Demetri McCamey, 2008-11
3.	4,373	Bruce Douglas, 1983-86
4.	4,351	Cory Bradford, 1999-2002
5.	4,314	D.J. Richardson, 2010-

- **Groce** is coaching in the NCAA Tournament for the ninth time, after also advancing to six Tournaments as an assistant coach. Groce's teams are now a perfect 9-0 in the opening round of the NCAA Tournament, winning in the Round of 64 this season, along with twice at Ohio (2012, 2010), twice at Ohio State (2007, 2006), three times at Xavier (2004, 2003, 2002) and once at Butler (2001).

- **Groce** is the fourth-consecutive Illinois head coach to lead the program to the NCAA Tournament in his first season. He also is the fourth straight Illini head coach to win an NCAA Tournament game in his first season, and looks to become the third straight coach to lead the Illini to the Sweet 16 in his first season.

- Illinois is making its second NCAA Tournament appearance in Austin. The Illini are now 1-1 in Austin following the win over Colorado. In 1990, the No. 5 Illini lost to No. 12 Dayton, 88-86.

- Illinois is a No. 7 seed for just the second time, and improves to 1-1 as a #7 with the win over Colorado. In 1983, the No. 7 Illini lost to No. 10 Utah, 52-49.

- Illinois improved to 29-14 as a higher seed in the NCAA Tournament. Next up the Illini face No. 2 Miami. The Illini are 2-9 in the Tournament when seeded lower than their opponent.

- Illinois is 1-7 all-time versus Top-2 seeds in the NCAA Tournament, going 0-5 against No. 1 seeds and 1-2 against No. 2 seeds. Illinois' lone Tournament win over a Top-2 seed came in 1989, when the No. 1 Illini defeated No. 2 Syracuse in the Midwest Regional Final, 89-86.

- Illinois' all-time scores vs. Miami:

#2 Miami (1-0)			
12-28-1968	86-76	W	Miami

- Illinois and Miami played three common opponents this season: Hawaii, Michigan State and Georgia Tech. Here are how the Illini and Hurricanes fared against those teams:

ILLINOIS

at Hawaii	Nov. 16	W, 78-77 (OT)
Georgia Tech	Nov. 28	W, 75-62
at Michigan State	Jan. 31	L, 75-80

MIAMI

Michigan State	Nov. 28	W, 67-59
at Hawaii	Dec. 22	W, 73-58
at Georgia Tech	Jan. 5	W, 62-49
Georgia Tech	March 6	L, 69-71

- With victories over Gonzaga and Indiana, Illinois is one of just two teams in the country to beat two different No. 1 NCAA Tournament seeds, along with Butler.

- Illinois also defeated Ohio State, giving the Illini a total of three wins combined over No. 1 and No. 2 seeds. Illinois is one of just three schools nationally to defeat three Top-2 seeds, along with Duke and Wisconsin.

- The Big Ten went 6-1 in the opening round of the NCAA Tournament, advancing six teams (all but Wisconsin) to the Round of 32. This is the second time in Tournament history that the Big Ten has had six teams reach the Round of 32 (1994).

- The Big Ten had seven teams participating in the 2013 NCAA Tournament: Illinois, Indiana, Michigan, Michigan State, Minnesota Ohio State and Wisconsin. That ties the most bids the conference has ever received, equaling the seven Big Ten teams that participated in the 1990, 2009 and 2011 Tournaments. Illinois has been a participant all four times the Big Ten has sent seven teams to the Tournament.

Taking on the Top 10 Again

Miami is ranked No. 5 in the current AP Poll, marking the eighth top-10 opponent the Illini will face this season. Illinois is 3-4 against top-10 teams, owning victories over then No. 1 Gonzaga (Dec. 8), No. 8 Ohio State (Jan. 5) and No. 1 Indiana (Feb. 7). This year's group is just the seventh UI squad in school history – and first since 2005 – to defeat at least three top-10 opponents.

Only two Illini teams have ever won at least four games over top 10-ranked foes, the 1989 squad (5) and the 2001 squad (4).

NCAA TOURNAMENT RESULTS

1942: Eastern Playoffs
(at New Orleans)
Kentucky 46, Illinois 44
Penn State 41, Illinois 34

1949: Eastern Playoffs (at New York)
Illinois 71, Yale 67
Kentucky 56, Illinois 47
Final Playoffs (at Seattle)
Illinois 57, Oregon State 53
(3rd place)

1951: Warm-up Game
(at Manhattan, Kan.)
Kansas State 91, Illinois 72
Eastern Playoffs (at New York)
Illinois 79, Columbia 71
Illinois 84, No. Carolina St. 70
Kentucky 76, Illinois 74
Final Playoffs (at Minneapolis)
Illinois 61, Oklahoma A&M 46
(3rd place)

1952: Mideast Regional (at Chicago)
Illinois 80, Dayton 61
Illinois 74, Duquesne 68
Final Playoffs (at Seattle)
St. John's 61, Illinois 59
Illinois 67, Santa Clara 64
(3rd place)

1963: Mideast Regional
(at East Lansing, Mich.)
Illinois 70, Bowling Green 67
Loyola (Ill.) 79, Illinois 64

1981: Western Region (#4 seed)
(at Los Angeles)
#4 Illinois 67, #5 Wyoming 65
Western Regional
(at Salt Lake City)
#8 Kansas State 57, #4 Illinois 52

1983: Western Region (#7 seed)
(at Boise)
#10 Utah 52, #7 Illinois 49

1984: Mideast Region (#2 seed)
(at Milwaukee)
#2 Illinois 64, #7 Villanova 56
Mideast Regional
(at Lexington, Ky.)
#2 Illinois 72, #3 Maryland 70
#1 Kentucky 54, #2 Illinois 51

1985: East Region (#3 seed)
(at Atlanta)
#3 Illinois 76, #14 Northeastern 57
#3 Illinois 74, #6 Georgia 58
East Regional
(at Providence, R.I.)
#2 Georgia Tech 61, #3 Illinois 53

1986: Southeast Region (#4 seed)
(at Charlotte)
#4 Illinois 75, #13 Fairfield 51
#5 Alabama 58, #4 Illinois 56

1987: Southeast Region (#3 seed)
(at Birmingham)
#14 Austin Peay 68, #3 Illinois 67

1988: Southeast Region (#3 seed)
(at Cincinnati)
#3 Illinois 81, #14 Texas-San Antonio 72
#6 Villanova 66, #3 Illinois 61

1989: Midwest Region (#1 seed)
(at Indianapolis)
#1 Illinois 77, #16 McNeese State 71
#1 Illinois 72, #9 Ball State 60

Midwest Regional
(at Minneapolis)
#1 Illinois 83, #4 Louisville 69
#1 Illinois 89, #2 Syracuse 86
Final Four (at Seattle)
#3 Michigan 83, #1 Illinois 81

1990: Midwest Region (#5 seed)
(at Austin, Texas)
#12 Dayton 88, #5 Illinois 86

1993: West Region (#6 seed)
(at Salt Lake City)
#6 Illinois 75, #11 Long Beach State 72
#3 Vanderbilt 85, #6 Illinois 68

1994: Midwest Region (#8 seed)
(at Oklahoma City)
#9 Georgetown 84, #8 Illinois 77

1995: East Region (#11 seed)
(at Albany, N.Y.)
#6 Tulsa 68, #11 Illinois 62

1997: Southeast Region (#6 seed)
(at Charlotte)
#6 Illinois 90, #11 Southern Cal 77
#14 Tennessee-Chattanooga 75, #6 Illinois 63

1998: West Region (#5 seed)
(at Sacramento)
#5 Illinois 64, #12 South Alabama 51
#4 Maryland 67, #5 Illinois 61

2000: East Region (#4 seed)
(at Winston-Salem, N.C.)
#4 Illinois 68, #13 Penn 58
#5 Florida 93, #4 Illinois 76

2001: Midwest Region (#1 seed)
(at Dayton, Ohio)
#1 Illinois 96, #16 Northwestern St. 54
#1 Illinois 79, #9 Charlotte 61
Midwest Regional
(at San Antonio)
#1 Illinois 80, #4 Kansas 64
#2 Arizona 87, #1 Illinois 81

2002: Midwest Region (#4 seed)
(at Chicago)
#4 Illinois 93, #13 San Diego St. 64
#4 Illinois 72, #12 Creighton 60
Midwest Regional
(at Madison, Wis)
#1 Kansas 73, #4 Illinois 69

2003: West Region (#4 seed)
(at Indianapolis)
#4 Illinois 65, #13 Western Kentucky 60
#5 Notre Dame 68, #4 Illinois 60

2004: Atlanta Region (#5 seed)
(at Columbus, Ohio)
#5 Illinois 72, #12 Murray State 53
#5 Illinois 92, #4 Cincinnati 68
Atlanta Regional (at Atlanta)
#1 Duke 72, #5 Illinois 62

2005: Chicago Region (#1 seed)
(at Indianapolis)
#1 Illinois 67, #16 Fairleigh Dickinson 55
#1 Illinois 71, #9 Nevada 59
Chicago Regional (at Rosemont, Ill.)
#1 Illinois 77, #12 Wisconsin-Milwaukee 63
#1 Illinois 90, #3 Arizona 89 (OT)
Final Four (at St. Louis)
#1 Illinois 72, #4 Louisville 57
#1 North Carolina 75, #1 Illinois 70

2006: Washington D.C. Region (#4 seed)
(at San Diego)
#4 Illinois 78, #13 Air Force 69
#5 Washington 67, #4 Illinois 64

2007: West Region (#12 seed)
(at Columbus, Ohio)
#5 Virginia Tech 54, #12 Illinois 52

2009: West Region (#5 seed)
(at Portland, Ore.)
#12 Western Kentucky 76, #5 Illinois 72

2011: Southwest Region (#9 seed)
(at Tulsa, Okla.)
#9 Illinois 73, #8 UNLV 62
#1 Kansas 73, #9 Illinois 59

2013: East Region (#7 seed)
(at Austin, Texas)
#7 Illinois 57, #10 Colorado 49
#7 Illinois vs. #2 Miami

Overall NCAA Record: 40-30 (.571)

Illinois Record at NCAA Sites

	Record	Last Appearance
Albany	0-1	1995
Atlanta	2-1	2004
Austin	1-1	2013
Birmingham	0-1	1987
Boise	0-1	1983
Charlotte	2-2	1997
Chicago	6-0	2005
Cincinnati	1-1	1988
Columbus	2-1	2007
Dayton	2-0	2001
East Lansing	1-1	1963
Indianapolis	5-1	2005
Lexington	1-1	1984
Los Angeles	1-0	1981
Madison	0-1	2002
Milwaukee	1-0	1984
Minneapolis	3-0	1989
New Orleans	0-2	1942
New York	3-2	1951
Oklahoma City	0-1	1994
Portland	0-1	2009
Providence	0-1	1985
Sacramento	1-1	1998
St. Louis	1-1	2005
Salt Lake City	1-2	1993
San Antonio	1-1	2001
San Diego	1-1	2006
Seattle	2-2	1989
Tulsa	1-1	2011
Winston-Salem	1-1	2000

Illinois Record By Seed

	Record	Last Time
#1	12-3	2005
#2	2-1	1984
#3	3-3	1988
#4	7-6	2006
#5	3-4	2009
#6	2-2	1997
#7	1-1	2013
#8	0-1	1994
#9	1-1	2011
#11	0-1	1995
#12	0-1	2007

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Field Goals

39 vs. Louisville, 3/24/89
38 vs. North Carolina State, 3/22/51
37 vs. Syracuse, 3/26/89
35 vs. Cincinnati, 3/21/04
35 vs. Northwestern State, 3/18/01
35 vs. Fairfield, 3/14/86

Field Goal Attempts

103 vs. Yale, 3/21/49
81 vs. Louisville, 3/24/89
80 vs. Loyola-Chicago, 3/16/63
77 vs. Dayton, 3/21/52
75 vs. Oregon State, 3/26/49

Field Goal Percentage

.615 (35-55) vs. Cincinnati, 3/21/04
.607 (37-61) vs. Syracuse, 3/26/89
.596 (28-47) vs. UNLV, 3/18/11
.596 (31-52) vs. USC, 3/14/97
.587 (27-46) vs. Maryland, 3/22/84
.586 (34-58) vs. San Diego St., 3/15/02

3-Point Field Goals

16 vs. Arizona, 3/26/05
13 vs. San Diego State, 3/15/02
12 vs. North Carolina, 4/4/05
12 vs. Louisville, 4/2/05
11 vs. Cincinnati, 3/21/04
11 vs. Arizona, 3/25/01

3-Point Field Goal Attempts

40 vs. North Carolina, 4/4/05
35 vs. Arizona, 3/26/05
31 vs. Colorado, 3/22/13
30 vs. Louisville, 4/2/05
28 vs. Florida, 3/19/00

3-Point Field Goal Percentage (min. 10 att.)

.579 (11-19) vs. Cincinnati, 3/21/04
.538 (7-13) vs. UNLV, 3/18/11
.526 (10-19) vs. Northwestern St., 3/18/01
.520 (13-25) vs. San Diego State, 3/15/02
.500 (5-10) vs. South Alabama, 3/12/98
.500 (5-10) vs. Long Beach St., 3/18/93

Free Throws

29 vs. Oklahoma A&M, 3/22/51
23 vs. USC, 3/14/97
23 vs. Santa Clara, 3/26/52
22 vs. Kentucky, 3/24/51
21 vs. South Alabama, 3/12/98

Free Throw Attempts

37 vs. Oklahoma A&M, 3/22/51
35 vs. Kentucky, 3/24/51
32 vs. Santa Clara, 3/26/52
32 vs. Dayton, 3/21/52
30 vs. Maryland, 3/22/84

Free Throw Percentage

.917 (11-12) vs. Oregon State, 3/26/49
.889 (16-18) vs. NW State, 3/18/01
.882 (15-17) vs. Wyoming, 3/14/81
.857 (12-14) vs. Air Force, 3/16/06
.857 (12-14) vs. West. Kentucky, 3/20/03
.826 (19-23) vs. Michigan, 4/1/89

Rebounds

50 vs. Dayton, 3/15/90
50 vs. Bowling Green State, 3/15/63
49 vs. Loyola-Chicago, 3/16/63
45 vs. Kansas, 3/23/01
45 vs. Louisville, 3/24/89

Assists

27 vs. Northwestern State, 3/18/01
26 vs. Cincinnati, 3/21/04
24 vs. San Diego State, 3/15/02
22 vs. Louisville, 3/24/89
21 vs. UNLV, 3/18/11
21 vs. Louisville, 4/2/05
21 vs. Arizona, 3/26/05
21 vs. USC, 3/14/97
21 vs. Ball State, 3/18/89
21 vs. Northeastern, 3/15/85

Fewest Turnovers

4 vs. Cincinnati, 3/21/04
4 vs. Fairfield, 3/14/86
5 vs. Alabama, 3/16/86
6 vs. South Alabama, 3/12/98
6 vs. Maryland, 3/22/84
7 vs. Louisville, 4/2/05
7 vs. Kentucky, 3/24/84
7 vs. Kansas State, 3/19/81

Blocked Shots

6 vs. Creighton, 3/17/02
6 vs. San Diego State, 3/15/02
5 vs. Murray State, 3/19/04
5 vs. Austin Peay, 3/12/87
4 vs. Colorado, 3/22/13
4 vs. Western Kentucky, 3/20/03
4 vs. Ball State, 3/18/89

Steals

13 vs. South Alabama, 3/12/98
12 vs. Arizona, 3/26/05
11 vs. Western Kentucky, 3/20/03
11 vs. San Diego State, 3/15/02
11 vs. Kansas, 3/23/01
11 vs. Louisville, 3/24/89
11 vs. McNeese State, 3/16/89

Points

96 vs. Northwestern State, 3/18/01
93 vs. San Diego State, 3/15/02
92 vs. Cincinnati, 3/21/04
90 vs. Arizona, 3/26/05
90 vs. USC, 3/14/97
89 vs. Syracuse, 3/26/89
86 vs. Dayton, 3/15/90

50-Point Halves

53 vs. San Diego State (2nd), 3/15/02
52 vs. NW State (2nd), 3/18/01
51 vs. Arizona (2nd), 3/25/01
51 vs. McNeese State (2nd), 3/16/89
50 vs. Dayton (2nd), 3/15/90
50 vs. Syracuse (2nd), 3/26/89

Fewest Points

34 vs. Penn State, 3/21/42
44 vs. Kentucky, 3/20/42
47 vs. Kentucky, 3/22/49
49 vs. Utah, 3/17/83
51 vs. Kentucky, 3/24/84

Fewest Field Goals

12 vs. Penn State, 3/21/42
16 vs. Colorado, 3/22/13
16 vs. Oklahoma A&M, 3/22/51
18 vs. Kentucky, 3/20/42
19 vs. Virginia Tech, 3/16/07
19 vs. South Alabama, 3/12/98

Fewest Field Goal Attempts

41 vs. South Alabama, 3/12/98
45 vs. Virginia Tech, 3/16/07
45 vs. Creighton, 3/17/02
46 vs. Maryland, 3/22/84
47 vs. UNLV, 3/18/11
47 vs. Georgia Tech, 3/21/85
49 vs. Nevada, 3/19/05
49 vs. Penn, 3/17/00

Lowest FG Percentage

.226 (12-53) vs. Penn State, 3/21/42
.275 (19-69) vs. Kentucky, 3/22/49
.282 (29-103) vs. Yale, 3/21/45
.307 (23-75) vs. Oregon State, 3/26/49
.308 (16-52) vs. Colorado, 3/22/13

Fewest Points / Half

13 (2nd) vs. Penn State, 3/21/42
20 (2nd) vs. Colorado, 3/22/13
21 (1st) vs. Penn State, 3/21/42
22, four times, last vs. Kentucky (1st), 3/24/84

Fewest Free Throws

0 vs. Alabama, 3/16/86
1 vs. Penn State, 3/21/42
2 vs. Kansas State, 3/19/81

Fewest Free Throw Attempts

0 vs. Alabama, 3/16/86
3 vs. Kansas State, 3/19/81
6 vs. North Carolina, 4/4/05
6 vs. Maryland, 3/14/98
7 vs. Western Kentucky, 3/19/09

Low Free Throw Percentage

.000 (0-0) vs. Alabama, 3/16/86
.100 (1-10) vs. Penn State, 3/21/42
.363 (4-11) vs. Louisville, 3/24/89

Fewest 3-Point Field Goals

0 vs. Texas-San Antonio, 3/18/88
0 vs. Austin Peay, 3/12/87
1, three times, last vs. Louisville, 3/24/89

Fewest 3-Point Field Goal Attempts

1 vs. Texas-San Antonio, 3/18/88
2 vs. Villanova, 3/20/88
4 vs. Syracuse, 3/26/89

Low 3-Point Field Goal Percentage

.000 (0-1) vs. Texas-S.A., 3/18/88
.000 (0-7) vs. Austin Peay, 3/12/87
.125 (1-8) vs. McNeese State, 3/18/89

Fewest Rebounds

16 vs. South Alabama, 3/12/98
21 vs. Cincinnati, 3/21/04
21 vs. UT-Chattanooga, 3/16/97
21 vs. Kentucky, 3/24/84

Fewest Assists

7 vs. Tulsa, 3/17/95
8 vs. Villanova, 3/20/88
10 vs. Colorado, 3/22/13
10 vs. Kansas, 3/23/01
10 vs. Penn, 3/17/00

Fewest Blocked Shots

0, five times, last vs. Washington, 3/18/06

Fewest Steals

1 vs. Kansas State, 3/19/81
2 vs. Maryland, 3/14/98
2 vs. USC, 3/14/97

Largest Winning Margin

41 vs. Northwestern State, 3/18/01
29 vs. San Diego State, 3/15/02
24 vs. Cincinnati, 3/21/04
24 vs. Fairfield, 3/14/86
19 vs. Murray State, 3/19/04
19 vs. Northeastern, 3/15/85
19 vs. Dayton, 3/21/52

Largest Losing Margin

17 vs. Florida, 3/19/00
17 vs. Vanderbilt, 3/20/93
15 vs. Loyola-Chicago, 3/16/63
14 vs. Kansas, 3/20/11
12 vs. UT-Chattanooga, 3/16/97

Most Points in a Loss

86 vs. Dayton (88), 3/15/90
81 vs. Arizona (87), 3/25/01
81 vs. Michigan (83), 4/1/89

Most Points Allowed

93, Florida, 3/19/00
89, Arizona, 3/26/05
88, Dayton, 3/15/90
87, Arizona, 3/25/01
83, Michigan, 4/1/89

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20+ Point Games

25 Don Sunderlage
vs. Columbia, 3/20/51
22 Ted Beach
vs. Columbia, 3/20/51
21 Don Sunderlage
vs. North Carolina State, 3/22/51
20 Don Sunderlage
vs. Kentucky, 3/24/51
21 Rod Fletcher
vs. Kentucky, 3/24/51
25 John Kerr
vs. Santa Clara, 3/26/52
20 Dave Downey
vs. Bowling Green State, 3/15/63
21 Bill Burwell
vs. Bowling Green State, 3/15/63
20 Dave Downey
vs. Loyola-Chicago, 3/16/63
23 Ken Norman
vs. Northeastern, 3/15/85
24 Doug Altenberger
vs. Georgia Tech, 3/21/85
22 Anthony Welch
vs. Fairfield, 3/14/86
21 Lowell Hamilton
vs. Texas-San Antonio, 3/18/88
24 Nick Anderson
vs. Ball State, 3/18/89
24 Nick Anderson
vs. Louisville, 3/24/89
24 Nick Anderson
vs. Syracuse, 3/26/89
28 Kenny Battle
vs. Syracuse, 3/26/89
29 Kenny Battle
vs. Michigan, 4/1/89
28 Kendall Gill
vs. Dayton, 3/15/90
20 Deon Thomas
vs. Long Beach State, 3/18/93
24 Kiwane Garriss
vs. Tulsa, 3/17/95
27 Kiwane Garriss
vs. USC, 3/14/97
20 Chris Gandy
vs. USC, 3/14/97
21 Frank Williams
vs. Penn, 3/17/00
27 Cory Bradford
vs. Florida, 3/19/00
30 Frank Williams
vs. Kansas, 3/23/01
25 Robert Archibald
vs. Arizona, 3/25/01
22 Cory Bradford
vs. Arizona, 3/25/01
25 Frank Williams
vs. San Diego St., 3/15/02
20 Frank Williams
vs. Creighton, 3/17/02
21 Dee Brown
vs. Murray State, 3/19/04
31 Deron Williams
vs. Cincinnati, 3/21/04

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22	Roger Powell
	vs. Cincinnati, 3/21/04
23	James Augustine
	vs. Nevada, 3/19/05
21	Dee Brown
	vs. Wisconsin-Milwaukee, 3/24/05
21	Deron Williams
	vs. Wisconsin-Milwaukee, 3/24/05
22	Deron Williams
	vs. Arizona, 3/26/05
20	Luther Head
	vs. Arizona, 3/26/05
20	Roger Powell
	vs. Louisville, 4/2/05
20	Luther Head
	vs. Louisville, 4/2/05
21	Luther Head
	vs. North Carolina, 4/4/05
20	Jamar Smith
	vs. Air Force, 3/16/06
24	Trent Meacham
	vs. Western Kentucky, 3/19/09
22	Mike Davis vs. UNLV, 3/18/11

Chronological Single-Game Scoring Record

15	Ken Menke
	vs. Kentucky, 3/20/42
15	Don Sunderlage
	vs. Penn State, 3/21/49
15	Walter Osterkorn
	vs. Penn State, 3/21/49
17	Walter Osterkorn
	vs. Oregon State, 3/26/49
18	Don Sunderlage
	vs. Kansas State, 3/14/51
25	Don Sunderlage
	vs. Columbia, 3/20/51
26	John Kerr
	vs. Santa Clara, 3/26/52
28	Kenny Battle
	vs. Syracuse, 3/26/89
29	Kenny Battle
	vs. Michigan, 4/1/89
30	Frank Williams
	vs. Kansas, 3/23/01
31	Deron Williams
	vs. Cincinnati, 3/21/04

Double-Figure Rebounds

12	Dave Downey
	vs. Bowling Green State, 3/15/63
11	Bill Burwell
	vs. Bowling Green State, 3/15/63
12	Skip Thoren
	vs. Bowling Green State, 3/15/63
14	Efrem Winters
	vs. Villanova, 3/18/84
12	Ken Norman
	vs. Austin Peay, 3/12/87
12	Jens Kujawa
	vs. Villanova, 3/20/88
12	Nick Anderson
	vs. McNeese State, 3/16/89
16	Nick Anderson
	vs. Syracuse, 3/26/89
10	Deon Thomas
	vs. Georgetown, 3/18/94
12	Shelly Clark
	vs. Tulsa, 3/17/95
13	Jarrod Gee
	vs. Maryland, 3/14/98
10	Marcus Griffin
	vs. Penn, 3/17/00
10	Frank Williams
	vs. Charlotte, 3/18/01
10	Sergio McClain
	vs. Kansas, 3/23/01
10	Robert Archibald
	vs. Kansas, 3/22/02
10	Brian Cook
	vs. Western Kentucky, 3/20/03

16	Brian Cook
	vs. Notre Dame, 3/22/03
15	James Augustine
	vs. Fairleigh Dickinson, 3/17/05
10	James Augustine
	vs. Nevada, 3/19/05
10	James Augustine
	vs. Wisconsin-Milwaukee, 3/24/05
11	James Augustine
	vs. Louisville, 4/2/05
14	Roger Powell
	vs. North Carolina, 4/4/05
12	Brian Randle
	vs. Virginia Tech, 3/16/07
10	Calvin Brock
	vs. Western Kentucky, 3/19/09
11	Mike Tisdale
	vs. Kansas, 3/20/11

Double-Figure Assists

11	Bruce Douglas
	vs. Kentucky, 3/24/84
11	Bruce Douglas
	vs. Georgia, 3/17/85
12	Kiwanne Garis
	vs. USC, 3/14/97
10	Deron Williams
	vs. Nevada, 3/19/05
10	Deron Williams
	vs. Arizona, 3/26/05
10	Dee Brown
	vs. Air Force, 3/16/06

Free Throws

16	Kiwanne Garis
	vs. USC, 3/14/97
12	Robert Archibald
	vs. Arizona, 3/25/01
9	Brandon Paul
	vs. Colorado, 3/22/13
9	Don Sunderlage
	vs. Oklahoma A&M, 3/22/51
9	James Bredar
	vs. Dayton, 3/21/52

Free Throw Attempts

17	Kiwanne Garis
	vs. USC, 3/14/97
13	Robert Archibald
	vs. Arizona, 3/25/01
12	Kevin Turner
	vs. South Alabama, 3/12/98

3-Point Field Goals

6	Jamar Smith
	vs. Air Force, 3/16/06
6	Luther Head
	vs. Louisville, 4/2/05
6	Deron Williams
	vs. Cincinnati, 3/21/04
6	Cory Bradford
	vs. Arizona, 3/25/01
5	Luther Head
	vs. North Carolina, 4/4/05
5	Deron Williams
	vs. Arizona, 3/26/05
5	Luther Head
	vs. Arizona, 3/26/05
5	Dee Brown
	vs. Wisconsin-Milwaukee, 3/24/05
5	Frank Williams
	vs. San Diego State, 3/15/02
5	Cory Bradford
	vs. Florida, 3/19/00
5	Kendall Gill
	vs. Dayton, 3/15/90

3-Point Field Goal Attempts

16	Luther Head
	vs. North Carolina, 4/4/05
12	Luther Head
	vs. Arizona, 3/26/05

11	D.J. Richardson
	vs. Colorado, 3/22/13
11	Luther Head
	vs. Louisville, 4/2/05
11	Cory Bradford
	vs. Arizona, 3/25/01
11	Richard Keene
	vs. Vanderbilt, 3/26/93
10	Deron Williams
	vs. North Carolina, 4/4/05
10	Cory Bradford
	vs. Florida, 3/19/00

Field Goals

12	Kenny Battle
	vs. Syracuse, 3/26/89
12	Nick Anderson
	vs. Louisville, 3/24/89
11	Frank Williams
	vs. Kansas, 3/23/01
11	Anthony Welch
	vs. Fairfield, 3/14/86

Field Goal Attempts

24	Frank Williams
	vs. Kansas, 3/23/01
23	Brian Cook
	vs. Notre Dame, 3/22/03
22	Nick Anderson
	vs. Louisville, 3/24/89
22	Dave Downey
	vs. Loyola-Chicago, 3/16/63
21	Luther Head
	vs. North Carolina, 4/4/05
21	Rod Fletcher
	vs. Duquesne, 3/22/52

Illinois Double-Doubles (Pts-Reb unless noted)

	Dave Downey, 20-12
	vs. Bowling Green State, 3/15/63
	Bill Burwell, 21-11
	vs. Bowling Green State, 3/15/63
	Skip Thoren, 10-12
	vs. Bowling Green State, 3/15/63
	Efrem Winters, 12-14
	vs. Villanova, 3/18/84
	Ken Norman, 17-12
	vs. Austin Peay, 3/12/87
	Nick Anderson, 13-12
	vs. McNeese State, 3/16/89
	Nick Anderson, 24-16
	vs. Syracuse, 3/26/89
	Deon Thomas, 19-10
	vs. Georgetown, 3/18/94
	Shelly Clark, 13-12
	vs. Tulsa, 3/17/95
	Kiwanne Garis, 27-12 assists
	vs. USC, 3/14/97
	Jerry Gee, 14-13
	vs. Maryland, 3/14/98
	Marcus Griffin, 17-10
	vs. Penn, 3/17/00
	Frank Williams, 11-10
	vs. Charlotte, 3/18/01
	Sergio McClain, 10-10
	vs. Kansas, 3/23/01
	Robert Archibald, 15-10
	vs. Kansas, 3/22/02
	Brian Cook, 17-10
	vs. Western Kentucky, 3/20/03
	Brian Cook, 19-16
	vs. Notre Dame, 3/22/03
	James Augustine, 11-15
	vs. Fairleigh Dickinson, 3/17/05
	James Augustine, 23-10
	vs. Nevada, 3/19/05
	Deron Williams, 15-10 assists
	vs. Nevada, 3/19/05
	James Augustine, 11-10
	vs. Wisconsin-Milwaukee, 3/24/05
	Deron Williams, 22-10 assists
	vs. Arizona, 3/26/05

	Calvin Brock, 14-10
	vs. Western Kentucky, 3/19/09
	Mike Tisdale, 13-11
	vs. Kansas, 3/20/11

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Opponent Points

33	Jerry Harkness, Loyola-Chicago,
	3/16/63
32	Joah Tucker, Wisconsin-
	Milwaukee, 3/24/05
29	Billy McCaffrey, Vanderbilt, 3/20/93
29	Jim Tucker, Duquesne, 3/22/52
29	Jack Stone, Kansas State, 3/14/51
28	Glen Rice, Michigan, 4/1/89
28	Bill Spivey, Kentucky, 3/24/51

Opponent Rebounds

19	Vic Rouse, Loyola-Chicago, 3/16/63
16	Loy Vaught, Michigan, 4/1/89
15	Leslie Hunter, Loyola-Chicago,
	3/16/63
14	Josh Scott, Colorado, 3/22/13
14	Torin Francis, Notre Dame, 3/22/03
14	Sam Bowie, Kentucky, 3/24/84
14	Ed Pickney, Villanova, 3/18/84
14	Ed Neely, Kansas State, 3/19/81

Opponent Field Goals

13	Jerry Harkness, Loyola-Chicago,
	3/16/63
13	Jack Stone, Kansas State, 3/14/51
12	Joah Tucker, Wisconsin-
	Milwaukee, 3/24/05
11	Channing Frye, Arizona, 3/26/05
11	Gordon Klaiber, Fairleigh
	Dickinson, 3/17/05
11	Reggie Lewis, Northeastern, 3/15/85
11	Jim Tucker, Duquesne, 3/22/52
11	Bill Spivey, Kentucky, 3/24/51

Opponent Field Goal Attempts

31	Jim Tucker, Duquesne, 3/22/52
28	Reggie Lewis, Northeastern, 3/15/85
28	Tony Lavelli, Yale, 3/21/49

Opponent 3-Point Field Goals

6	Al Faux, San Diego St., 3/15/02
5	Dan Miller, Notre Dame, 3/22/03
5	Shea Seals, Tulsa, 3/17/95
5	Tab Harris, McNeese State, 3/16/89
5	Darryl Bedford, Austin Peay, 3/12/87

Opponent 3-Point Field Goal Attempts

14	Ed McCants, Wisconsin-
	Milwaukee, 3/24/05
13	Darryl Bedford, Austin-Peay, 3/12/87
11	Matt Langel, Penn, 3/17/00
10	Askia Booker, Colorado, 3/22/13
10	Pat Sparks, Western Kentucky,
	3/20/03
10	Billy McCaffrey, Vanderbilt, 3/20/93

Opponent Assists

12	Rumeal Robinson, Michigan, 4/1/89
10	Terry Coner, Alabama, 3/16/85
10	Keith Gatlin, Maryland, 3/22/84

Opponent Points

93	Florida, 3/19/00
89	Arizona, 3/26/05
88	Dayton, 3/15/90
87	Arizona, 3/25/01
83	Michigan, 4/1/89

NCAA TOURNAMENT RECORDS

ILLINI CAREER LEADERS IN THE NCAA TOURNAMENT

Games Played

1.	Luther Head	14
2.	James Augustine	13
	Dee Brown	13
	Roger Powell	13
5.	Rich McBride	12
	Nick Smith	12
7.	Warren Carter	11
	Brian Cook	11
	Sean Harrington	11
	Deron Williams	11
11.	Lowell Hamilton	10
12.	Robert Archibald	9
	Steve Bardo	9
	Cory Bradford	9
	Bruce Douglas	9
	Kendall Gill	9
	Jack Ingram	9
	Lucas Johnson	9
	Frank Williams	9
	Efrem Winters	9
	Tony Wysinger	9

Points

1.	Dee Brown	179
2.	Luther Head	162
3.	Deron Williams	150
4.	Frank Williams	148
5.	James Augustine	135
6.	Rod Fletcher	130
7.	Roger Powell	123
8.	Nick Anderson	120
	Brian Cook	120
10.	Kendall Gill	117
11.	Doug Altenberger	109
12.	Kenny Battle	107
13.	Cory Bradford	105
14.	Don Sunderlage	100

Field Goals

1.	Dee Brown	64
2.	Luther Head	59
3.	Frank Williams	57
4.	Deron Williams	54
5.	Roger Powell	51
6.	Nick Anderson	50
7.	Brian Cook	49
8.	James Augustine	46
	Kendall Gill	46
10.	Rod Fletcher	44
11.	Doug Altenberger	42
12.	Don Sunderlage	41
13.	Kenny Battle	40
14.	Cory Bradford	38
	Anthony Welch	38

Rebounds (since 1963)

1.	James Augustine	102
2.	Brian Cook	74
3.	Roger Powell	58
	Efrem Winters	58
5.	Nick Anderson	56
6.	Dee Brown	48
	Luther Head	48
8.	Ken Norman	46
9.	Damir Krupalija	42
10.	Robert Archibald	41
	Lowell Hamilton	41
12.	Kenny Battle	40
13.	Bruce Douglas	38
14.	Sergio McClain	37

Assists (since 1981)

1.	Deron Williams	78
2.	Dee Brown	67
3.	Luther Head	58
4.	Bruce Douglas	55
5.	Frank Williams	42
6.	Steve Bardo	37
7.	Kendall Gill	30
8.	Kiwane Garriss	24
9.	Tony Wysinger	20
10.	Cory Bradford	18
	Demetri McCarney	18
	Sergio McClain	18

Three-Point Field Goals

1.	Luther Head	32
2.	Cory Bradford	28
3.	Dee Brown	25
4.	Deron Williams	24
5.	Frank Williams	21
6.	Sean Harrington	12
	Rich McBride	12
8.	Kendall Gill	10
9.	Matt Heldman	9
	D.J. Richardson	9
10.	Kevin Turner	7

Free Throws

1.	James Augustine	43
2.	Don Sunderlage	35
3.	Kiwane Garriss	33
4.	Clive Follmer	32
5.	Robert Archibald	31
6.	Rod Fletcher	28
7.	Dee Brown	27
8.	Kenny Battle	26
9.	Lucas Johnson	23
	Frank Williams	23
11.	Nick Anderson	20
	Bruce Douglas	20

MISCELLANEOUS RECORDS

Record by Seed

No. 1	12-3
No. 2	2-1
No. 3	3-3
No. 4	7-6
No. 5	3-4
No. 6	2-2
No. 7	1-1
No. 8	0-1
No. 9	1-1
No. 11	0-1
No. 12	0-1

Record by Region

Midwest	9-5
East	9-7
West	4-7
Southeast	3-4
Southwest	1-1
Mideast	6-3
Atlanta	2-1
Chicago	5-1
Washington D.C.	1-1

Final Four Record: 4-5

1949:	1-1 (3rd)
1951:	1-1 (3rd)
1952:	1-1 (3rd)
1989:	0-1 (T-3rd)
2005:	1-1 (2nd)

Illinois vs. Eventual NCAA National Champions (7-24)

2005	North Carolina, L 70-75
2002	Maryland, L 63-76
2001	Duke, L 77-78
2000	Michigan State, L 66-91, L 61-76
1989	Michigan, W 96-84, W 87-73, L 81-83
1988	Kansas, W 81-75
1987	Indiana, L 66-69, W 69-67
1981	Indiana, L 61-78, L 66-69
1980	Louisville, W 77-64
1979	Michigan State, W 57-55, L 62-76
1976	Indiana, L 55-83, L 48-58
1973	UCLA, L 64-71
1967	UCLA, L 82-120
1965	UCLA, W 110-83
1964	UCLA, L 79-83
1963	Loyola-Chicago, L 64-79
1960	Ohio State, L 73-97, L 81-109
1953	Indiana, L 70-74, L 79-91
1951	Kentucky, L 74-76
1949	Kentucky, L 47-76
1941	Wisconsin, L 30-46
1940	Indiana, L 36-38

CURRENT ILLINI CAREER NCAA TOURNAMENT STATISTICS

#13 TRACY ABRAMS

Date	Opponent	G-GS	MIN	FG-A	3P-A	FT-A	REB	PF-DQ	A	TO	BLK	ST	PTS
2013													
3-22	vs. Colorado	1-1	34	4-10	1-4	4-4	1-3-4	1-0	6	3	1	2	13

#31 KEVIN BERARDINI

Date	Opponent	G-GS	MIN	FG-A	3P-A	FT-A	REB	PF-DQ	A	TO	BLK	ST	PTS
2011													
3-18	vs. UNLV	1-0	0+	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0
3-20	vs. Kansas	DNP											
2013													
3-22	vs. Colorado	DNP											
Totals		1-0	0+/0.0	0-0/0.00	0-0/0.00	0-0/0.00	0-0-0/0.0	0-0	0/0.0	0	0/0.0	0/0.0	0/0.0

#2 JOSEPH BERTRAND

Date	Opponent	G-GS	MIN	FG-A	3P-A	FT-A	REB	PF-DQ	A	TO	BLK	ST	PTS
2011													
3-18	vs. UNLV	1-0	0+	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0
3-20	vs. Kansas	1-0	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0-0	0-0	1	0	0	0	0
2013													
3-22	vs. Colorado	1-0	17	0-2	0-2	1-2	0-3-3	2-0	0	0	0	1	1
Totals		3-0	18/6.0	0-2/0.00	0-2/0.00	1-2/5.00	0-3-3/1.0	2-0	1/0.3	0	0/0.0	1/0.3	1/0.3

#32 NNANNA EGWU

Date	Opponent	G-GS	MIN	FG-A	3P-A	FT-A	REB	PF-DQ	A	TO	BLK	ST	PTS
2013													
3-22	vs. Colorado	1-1	33	3-6	0-0	1-2	4-4-8	1-0	0	1	1	0	7

#42 TYLER GRIFFEY

Date	Opponent	G-GS	MIN	FG-A	3P-A	FT-A	REB	PF-DQ	A	TO	BLK	ST	PTS
2011													
3-18	vs. UNLV	1-0	0+	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0
3-20	vs. Kansas	1-0	3	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-1-1	1-0	0	0	0	0	0
2013													
3-22	vs. Colorado	1-0	25	1-6	1-5	2-4	3-3-6	2-0	1	0	0	1	5
Totals		3-0	28/9.3	1-6/1.67	1-5/2.00	2-4/5.00	3-4-7/2.3	3-0	1/0.3	0	0/0.0	1/0.3	5/1.7

#20 MYKE HENRY

Date	Opponent	G-GS	MIN	FG-A	3P-A	FT-A	REB	PF-DQ	A	TO	BLK	ST	PTS
2013													
3-22	vs. Colorado	1-0	1	0-1	0-1	0-0	0-0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0

#0 SAM MCLAURIN

Date	Opponent	G-GS	MIN	FG-A	3P-A	FT-A	REB	PF-DQ	A	TO	BLK	ST	PTS
2013													
3-22	vs. Colorado	1-0	22	0-1	0-0	0-0	0-1-1	3-0	0	1	2	0	0

#3 BRANDON PAUL

Date	Opponent	G-GS	MIN	FG-A	3P-A	FT-A	REB	PF-DQ	A	TO	BLK	ST	PTS
2011													
3-18	vs. UNLV	1-1	31	3-6	2-3	0-2	2-6-8	3-0	4	3	1	1	8
3-20	vs. Kansas	1-1	27	2-6	1-3	0-0	1-2-3	3-0	3	1	0	1	5
2013													
3-22	vs. Colorado	1-1	31	3-12	2-8	9-10	0-4-4	3-0	2	3	0	3	17
Totals		3-3	89/29.7	8-24/3.33	5-14/3.57	9-12/6.67	3-12-15/5.0	9-0	9/3.0	7	1/0.3	5/1.7	30/10.0

#1 D.J. RICHARDSON

Date	Opponent	G-GS	MIN	FG-A	3P-A	FT-A	REB	PF-DQ	A	TO	BLK	ST	PTS
2011													
3-18	vs. UNLV	1-0	16	4-4	2-2	0-0	0-1-1	2-0	1	1	0	0	10
3-20	vs. Kansas	1-0	31	6-14	3-8	0-0	0-2-2	0-0	1	1	1	3	15
2013													
3-22	vs. Colorado	1-1	37	5-14	4-11	0-2	0-5-5	0-0	1	4	0	1	14
Totals		3-1	84/28.0	15-32/4.69	9-21/4.29	0-2/0.00	0-8-8/2.7	2-0	3/1.0	6	1/0.3	4/1.3	39/13.0

ILLINOIS-COLORADO BOX SCORE



Official Basketball Box Score -- Game Totals -- Final Statistics
Colorado vs Illinois
03/22/13 3:44 pm at Austin, Texas (Erwin Center)

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#	Player		Total	3-Ptr	Rebounds			PF	TP	A	TO	Blk	Stl	Min
			FG-FGA	FG-FGA	FT-FTA	Off	Def	Tot						
02	Johnson, Xavier	f	2-6	1-1	2-2	0	4	4	5	7	0	0	1	27
21	Roberson, Andre	f	4-10	0-1	1-2	0	8	8	5	9	2	2	1	34
40	Scott, Josh	f	4-9	0-0	0-0	6	8	14	0	8	0	1	3	33
00	Booker, Askia	g	5-14	4-10	0-0	1	2	3	3	14	0	2	0	34
25	Dinwiddie, Spencer	g	1-8	0-5	4-5	0	2	2	4	6	4	4	0	25
03	Talton, Xavier		0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	3
15	Harris-Tunks, Shane		1-1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	2	0	2	0	9
23	Chen, Sabatino		0-0	0-0	2-2	1	1	2	2	2	0	3	0	16
31	Adams, Jeremy		0-3	0-2	1-2	0	1	1	0	1	1	1	0	19
Team						0	2	2						
Totals			17-51	5-19	10-13	8	28	36	20	49	7	15	5	200

FG % 1st Half: 8-23 34.8% 2nd half: 9-28 32.1% Game: 17-51 33.3%
 3FG % 1st Half: 1-5 20.0% 2nd half: 4-14 28.6% Game: 5-19 26.3%
 FT % 1st Half: 4-5 80.0% 2nd half: 6-8 75.0% Game: 10-13 76.9%

Deadbal
 Rebound
 2,1

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#	Player		Total	3-Ptr	Rebounds			PF	TP	A	TO	Blk	Stl	Min
			FG-FGA	FG-FGA	FT-FTA	Off	Def	Tot						
00	McLaurin, Sam	f	0-1	0-0	0-0	0	1	1	3	0	0	1	2	22
32	Egwu, Nnanna	c	3-6	0-0	1-2	4	4	8	1	7	0	1	1	33
01	Richardson, D.J.	g	5-14	4-11	0-2	0	5	5	0	14	1	4	0	37
03	Paul, Brandon	g	3-12	2-8	9-10	0	4	4	3	17	2	3	0	31
13	Abrams, Tracy	g	4-10	1-4	4-4	1	3	4	1	13	6	3	1	34
02	Bertrand, Joseph		0-2	0-2	1-2	0	3	3	2	1	0	0	0	17
20	Henry, Myke		0-1	0-1	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
42	Griffey, Tyler		1-6	1-5	2-4	3	3	6	2	5	1	0	0	25
Team						3	3	6						
Totals			16-52	8-31	17-24	11	26	37	12	57	10	12	4	200

FG % 1st Half: 13-30 43.3% 2nd half: 3-22 13.6% Game: 16-52 30.8%
 3FG % 1st Half: 6-16 37.5% 2nd half: 2-15 13.3% Game: 8-31 25.8%
 FT % 1st Half: 5-6 83.3% 2nd half: 12-18 66.7% Game: 17-24 70.8%

Deadbal
 Rebound
 3,1

Officials: Doug Shows, Gary Maxwell, Joe Lindsay

Technical fouls: Colorado-None. Illinois-None.

Attendance: 13784

Second Round Game #2 (Session 1 - East Regional)

Illinois advances to face Miami in 3rd round of NCAA Tournament on 3/24/13

Illinois is No. 7 seed, Colorado No. 10 seed

Score by periods	1st	2nd	Total
Colorado	21	28	49
Illinois	37	20	57

	In	Off	2nd	Fast	
Points	Paint	T/O	Chance	Break	Bench
COLO	18	8	0	3	5
ILL	10	21	5	3	6

Last FG - COLO 2nd-00:17, ILL 2nd-06:06.
 Largest lead - COLO by 5 1st-15:24, ILL by 16 1st-00:03.

Score tied - 0 times.
 Lead changed - 6 times.