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NORTHWESTERN WILDCATS (5-1, 1-1) VS IOWA HAWKEYES (6-0, 2-0)

Game 7 • October 17, 2015 • Ryan Field (47,330) • 11 A.M. • ABC/ESPN2

2015 SCHEDULE & RESULTS

Overall: 5-1 | Home: 4-0 | Away: 1-1 | Big Ten: 1-1

#21	W, 16-6	RYAN FIELD
	W, 41-0	RYAN FIELD
	W, 19-10	DURHAM, N.C.
	W, 24-19	RYAN FIELD
	W, 27-0	RYAN FIELD
#18	L, 0-38	ANN ARBOR, MICH.
#17	Sat., Oct. 17 • 11 AM	RYAN FIELD
	Sat., Oct. 24 • TBA	LINCOLN, NEB.
	Sat., Nov. 7 • TBA	RYAN FIELD
	Sat., Nov. 14 • TBA	RYAN FIELD
	Sat., Nov. 21 • TBA	MADISON, WIS.
	Sat., Nov. 28 • TBA	SOLDIER FIELD

ABC/ESPN2
Dave Pasch, Play-by-Play
Brian Griese, Analyst
Tim Luginbill, Sideline

WGN (720 AM)
Dave Eanet, Play-by-Play
Ted Albrecht, Analyst
Adam Hoge, Sideline

WILD WEST SHOWDOWN

The Wildcats enter Saturday's matchup against No. 17 Iowa a game back of the Big Ten West Division leader as the Hawkeyes enter with a perfect 6-0 mark and 2-0 record in conference play. The 'Cats trail the all-time series against the Hawkeyes, 24-49-3, but have won five of nine meetings under head coach Pat Fitzgerald. Two of Northwestern's wins against Iowa during Fitzgerald's tenure have come with the Hawkeyes ranked higher (2009 and 2010).

HEAD-TO-HEAD

7	2006	21 N
28	2007	17
17	2008	22 N
10 (#8)	2009	17 N
17 (#13)	2010	21 N
41	2011	31
17	2012	28 N
17	2013 (OT)	10
48	2014	7

IN THE RANKINGS

After suffering their first loss of the season last Saturday at Michigan, Chicago's Big Ten Team fell seven spots in both the Associated Press Poll and USA TODAY/Amway Coaches Poll to check in at No. 20 (AP) and No. 21 (Coaches). The Wildcats are ranked in the Top 25 for the fifth consecutive week, marking the second longest streak under head coach **Pat Fitzgerald** (six-straight weeks to start the 2013 season). Iowa jumped five spots in the AP and six spots in the Coaches Poll to rank No. 17 in both polls this week. The last time the Wildcats and Hawkeyes met when both teams were ranked in the AP Top 25 was on Nov. 19, 1996 when the No. 18 'Cats defeated the 23rd-ranked Hawkeyes, 40-13.

CLIMBING THE CHARTS



The cornerback tandem of junior **Matthew Harris** and senior **Nick VanHoose** has been one of the best in the country and the two are climbing up the Northwestern charts with their ability to break up passes. Harris leads the team with seven pass breakups this season and is now just two shy of cracking the top ten, while VanHoose's break up against Michigan Saturday moved him into sole possession of third place all time at NU with 31 career PBU's.

SACKED LUNCH



Senior defensive end **Deonte Gibson** set a new career-high with 2.5 sacks at Michigan and now leads the Wildcats with five this season, which is tied for the 16th most among Division I players. Gibson jumped into the Top-10 all time with the performance and is now tied with four players - including teammate **Ifeadi Odenigbo** - for eighth place with 11.0 career sacks.

TALE OF THE TAPE

	Rushing Yards/GM	Passing Yards/GM	Total Offense	Scoring Offense	Rushing Defense	Passing Defense	Total Defense	Turnover Margin	Penalty Yards/GM
NU	213.7	140.2	353.8	21.2	131.3	138.2	269.5	+0.5	34.8
IOWA	201.2	208.2	409.3	31.7	78.0	232.3	310.3	+0.8	51.5

LAST MEETING

NU 7 — IOWA 48

NOVEMBER 1, 2014 • IOWA CITY, IOWA

PAT FITZGERALD



>>> 10th Season
>>> 65-54 Overall Record
>>> Winningest Coach in NU History
>>> 5 Bowl Games

FITZGERALD COACHING CAREER

Year	Overall	.PCT	Big Ten	.PCT	Postseason
2006	4-8	.333	2-6	.250	-
2007	6-6	.500	3-5	.375	-
2008	9-4	.692	5-3	.625	Valero Alamo Bowl
2009	8-5	.615	5-3	.625	Outback Bowl
2010	7-6	.538	3-5	.375	TicketCity Bowl
2011	6-7	.667	3-5	.375	Meineke Car Care Bowl
2012	10-3	.769	5-3	.625	TaxSlayer.Com Gator Bowl
2013	5-7	.416	1-7	.125	-
2014	5-7	.416	3-5	.375	-
2015	5-1	.833	1-1	.500	-
Total	65-54	.546	31-43	.419	5 Bowl Games

Year	School	Position
2006-	Northwestern	Head Coach
2004-05	Northwestern	Linebackers/Recruiting Coordinator
2002-03	Northwestern	Linebackers
2001	Northwestern	Defensive Backs
2000	Idaho	Linebackers/Special Teams
1999	Colorado	Defensive Graduate Assistant
1998	Maryland	Defensive Graduate Assistant



- 2008 College Football Hall of Fame Class
- 1995 & 1996 Bendarik Award Winner
- 1995 & 1996 Nagurski Award Winner
- First two-time winner of both the Bednarik and Nargurski Awards
- 1995 & 1996 Big Ten Champion
- 1995 Big Ten Defensive Player of the Year
- 1995 Sports Illustrated Defensive Player of the Year
- Two-Time All-American
- 23 career starts
- 299 career tackles
- 20 career tackles for loss
- 5 forced fumbles
- 3 interceptions

DAN AND SUSAN JONES FAMILY HEAD FOOTBALL COACH

Already the second-longest tenured Big Ten head coach at the age of 40, Pat Fitzgerald's nine seasons at the helm of Northwestern have been spent building upon the tradition he helped establish as a Hall-of-Fame linebacker for the Wildcats in the mid-1990's. Characterized by his motivational skills, enthusiasm and passion for all things Northwestern, Fitzgerald has shaped Chicago's Big Ten Team into one that consistently achieves excellence in all three phases of the student-athlete experience: academics, athletics and community outreach.

Taking over as head coach in 2006 after the sudden passing of his friend and mentor, Randy Walker, Fitzgerald provided leadership and stability in a trying time and has continued Walker's legacy of producing winning football teams while preparing young men for long-term success in life.

From 2008-12, Fitzgerald guided the Wildcats to five consecutive bowl berths, most recently in the 2012 campaign when NU capped a tremendous 10-win season with a landmark victory over Mississippi State in the TaxSlayer.com Gator Bowl. The 2012 'Cats, who played in a New Year's Day bowl game for the third time in five years, earned a No. 17 year-end ranking in the USA Today/Coaches Poll, the best positioning for any Big Ten team.

Consequently, four consecutive senior classes to graduate from the Northwestern football program during that timeframe set or tied the school record for most career wins by a five-year senior class, with the 2012 group going out as the winningest NU senior class in history with 40 victories to its credit. Likewise, Fitzgerald's Gator Bowl victory on Jan. 1, 2013, marked the 50th of his career, officially making him the winningest head coach in Northwestern Football history.

Away from the gridiron, Fitzgerald's players have achieved at the highest levels in the classroom, last fall placing a record 38 players on the Academic All-Big Ten team en route to posting a remarkable 3.05 team GPA for the 2013-14 academic year. In 2012, Northwestern collected top national honors in the AFCA Academic Achievement Award for the seventh time since 1998. Additionally, Fitzgerald's program ranked second among all FBS programs in the recently released multi-year Academic Progress Rating (APR), posting a score of 992 out of a possible 1,000 in the measure of player retention and eligibility.

NU also goes to great lengths to make a difference in the community. Fitzgerald, his family and his players partake in countless charitable events, impacting the NU and Evanston communities through their participation in Northwestern Dance Marathon, Special Olympics, Misericordia, the NU chapter of Uplifting Athletes, weekly school and children's hospital visits, and dozens of other organizations. Additionally, a Wildcat also has been selected to the prestigious Allstate AFCA Good Works Team® in seven of the last year years (only 11 players from FBS football claim the honor each season), most recently place-kicker Jeff Budzien in 2013.

MEDIA AVAILABILITY

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
No Availability	***Weekly News Conference 11 a.m., CDT*** UA Brand Store Chicago, Ill. Pat Fitzgerald	***Post Practice 10:30 AM CDT*** Welsh-Ryan Arena Lobby Coaches & Players by request **B1G Teleconference** Pat Fitzgerald 11 AM, CDT	***Post Practice 10:30 AM CDT*** Welsh-Ryan Arena Lobby Coaches & Players by request	***No Availability***	***No Availability***	***Postgame Presser*** Nicolet Football Center

WEEKLY MONDAY PRESS CONFERENCE

Coach Fitzgerald will hold weekly media briefings at Noon CDT each Monday during the regular season in the Nicolet Football Center. Fitzgerald will make comments and answer questions until approximately 12:25 p.m. Selected players will be on hand to meet with the press at approximately 12:30 p.m., class schedules permitting. The entire news conference is available on NUsports.com (All-Access video site for a fee).

BIG TEN WEEKLY TELECONFERENCE

Coach Fitzgerald takes part in the Big Ten Conference's Coaches Teleconference each Tuesday throughout the regular season. All 14 head coaches are available to answer questions for eight minutes. Through Sept. 15, Fitzgerald's segment begins at 12:52 p.m. CT. Media members wishing to participate should call or email the Big Ten office (847-696-1010) for the call-in phone number. Playback of the teleconference is available for 24 hours following the completion of the original format.

COACH/PLAYER AVAILABILITY

Coach Fitzgerald and student-athletes who did not participate in the Monday press conference are available after morning practices on Tuesdays and Wednesdays each week. Depending on class schedules, players may also be available in the afternoon on those two days. No player interviews will be granted on Sunday, Thursday or Friday. Depending on his schedule, Coach Fitzgerald may also be available during the late-afternoon hours on Tuesday and Wednesday. Please call in advance to set up an interview.

WILDCATS ONLINE

The official web site of Northwestern Athletics is NUsports.com. Updated daily, the site includes releases and game notes as well as other football-related items: up-to-date roster, schedule, game times, etc. You may also Northwestern football on Twitter at these accounts: @NU_Sports, @NUFBNews, @NU_SportsLIVE, @NUFBFamily or @coachfitz51.

GAME CREDENTIALS

For any media wishing to obtain a credential for any home game, please apply at www.sportssystems.com/northwestern.

POSTGAME PROCEDURE

Following a cooling off period, head coach Pat Fitzgerald and select players will meet with the media in Nicolet Football Center, which is located adjacent to Ryan Field on the north side. Requests for student-athletes should be made to a Northwestern Athletic Communications contact at least five minutes prior to the end of the contest.

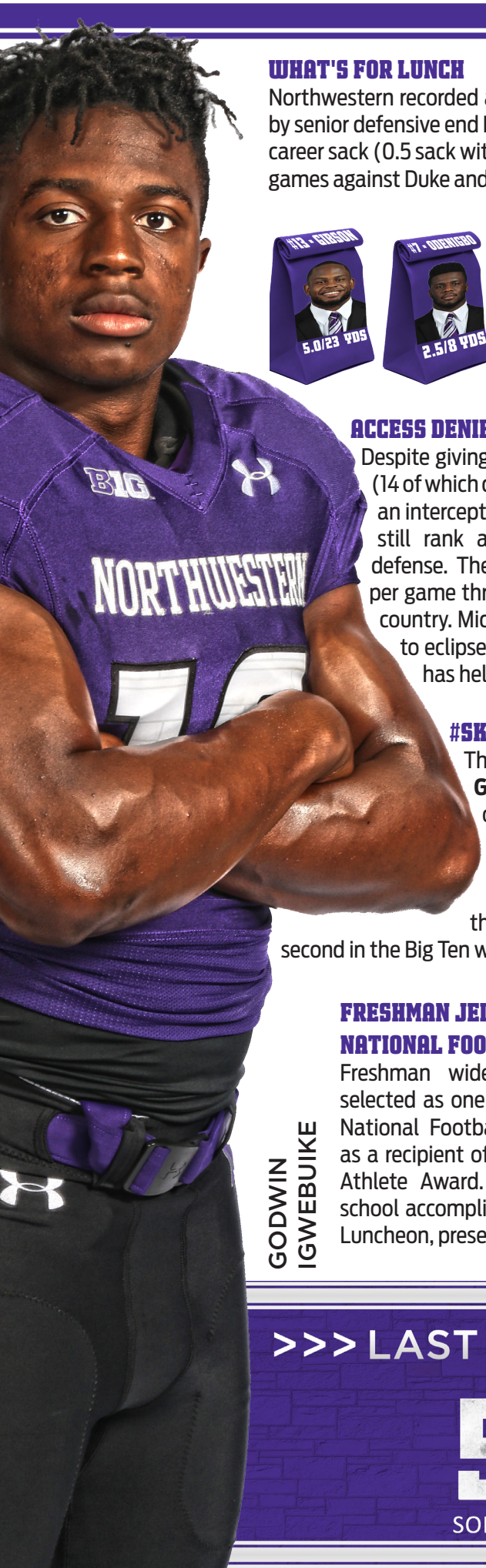
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GODWIN IGWEBUIKE

WHAT'S FOR LUNCH

Northwestern recorded a season-high three sacks for the second-straight game Saturday, including 2.5 by senior defensive end **Deonte Gibson**. Sophomore linebacker **Anthony Walker Jr.** recorded his second career sack (0.5 sack with Gibson) in the contest as well. After being held without a sack for two-straight games against Duke and Ball State, the 'Cats have racked up six in the first two games of conference play.



ACCESS DENIED

Despite giving up a season-high 38 points at Michigan (14 of which came on a kick return for a touchdown and an interception return for a touchdown) the Wildcats still rank among the nation's leaders in scoring defense. The 'Cats are surrendering just 12.2 points per game through six contests, good for eighth in the country. Michigan became the first team this season to eclipse their average in scoring as Northwestern has held each of its five other opponents significantly under their averages.

OPPONENT	vs. NU	vs. Others
#21 Stanford	6	42.3/gm
Eastern Illinois	0	27.3/gm
Duke	10	35.8/gm
Ball State	19	30.0/gm
Minnesota	0	23.6/gm

#SKYTEAM

They rule the sky. The 'Sky Team,' made up of **Traveon Henry, Nick VanHoose, Godwin Igwebuike, Matthew Harris, Kyle Queiro** and **Keith Watkins II** has been one of the best defensive backfields in the country. The Wildcats have allowed just two passing touchdowns through the first six games and rank seventh in the country in passing yards allowed (138.2) and passing defense efficiency (90.35) while the defense has come away with five interceptions. Harris leads the defensive backs with three interceptions and seven pass break ups - tied for second in the Big Ten with 10 passes defended - while VanHoose has six pass break ups.

FRESHMAN JELANI ROBERTS HONORED BY NATIONAL FOOTBALL FOUNDATION

Freshman wide receiver **Jelani Roberts** has been selected as one of five student-athletes honored by the National Football Foundation & College Hall of Fame as a recipient of the 2015 National High School Scholar-Athlete Award. Roberts will be honored for his high school accomplishments during the NFF Chapter Awards Luncheon, presented by Under Armour, on Dec. 8 at the Waldorf Astoria in New York City.

NATIONAL FOOTBALL FOUNDATION

>>> LAST WEEK at MICHIGAN

5	3	8
SOLOS	ASSISTS	TOTAL TACKLES

THIRD AND YOU'RE NOT GONNA MAKE IT

Northwestern struggled to stop an opponent on third down for the first time Saturday at Michigan as the Wolverines converted 50 percent (7-of-14) of their attempts. Despite the setback, the Wildcats still rank seventh in the country in 3rd Down Percentage Defense at a clip of 24.7 percent. Below is a breakdown of the last four opponents third down attempts against the Wildcats.

DUKE 3rd Down Attempts (3-for-17)

~~3rd & 3~~	3rd & 3	~~3rd & 4~~	~~3rd & 16~~	~~3rd & 7~~
~~3rd & 11~~	~~3rd & 15~~	3rd & 5	~~3rd & 6~~	~~3rd & 6~~
~~3rd & 4~~	~~3rd & 7~~	~~3rd & 16~~	~~3rd & 7~~	~~3rd & 7~~
3rd & 10	~~3rd & 15~~			

Average Distance to Gain on 3rd Down: 8.4 yards (Converted · ~~Failed~~)

BALL STATE 3rd Down Attempts (5-for-16)

3rd & 1	~~3rd & 10~~	~~3rd & 9~~	3rd & 14	~~3rd & 6~~
3rd & 4	~~3rd & 12~~	~~3rd & 6~~	~~3rd & 3~~	~~3rd & 4~~
~~3rd & 6~~	3rd & 6	3rd & 9	~~3rd & 5~~	~~3rd & 9~~
~~3rd & 10~~				

Average Distance to Gain on 3rd Down: 7.2 yards (Converted · ~~Failed~~)

MINNESOTA 3rd Down Attempts (4-for-16)

~~3rd & 3~~	3rd & 1	~~3rd & 10~~	~~3rd & 8~~	3rd & 2
~~3rd & 15~~	~~3rd & 11~~	~~3rd & 4~~	~~3rd & 5~~	~~3rd & 13~~
~~3rd & 10~~	3rd & 10	~~3rd & 8~~	3rd & 3	~~3rd & 7~~
~~3rd & 8~~				

Average Distance to Gain on 3rd Down: 7.4 yards (Converted · ~~Failed~~)

MICHIGAN 3rd Down Attempts (7-for-14)

3rd & Goal (1 yard)	3rd & 1	~~3rd & 7~~	3rd & 3	~~3rd & 9~~
~~3rd & 8~~	~~3rd & 10~~	~~3rd & 5~~	3rd & 6	3rd & 1
~~3rd & 4~~	3rd & 6	~~3rd & 16~~	3rd & 1	

Average Distance to Gain on 3rd Down: 5.6 yards (Converted · ~~Failed~~)

BROTHERLY LOVE

Senior wide receiver **Garrett Kidd** will see a familiar face on the opposing sideline Saturday as his brother Dillon Kidd is the Hawkeyes' starting punter. Garrett and Dillon's father John Kidd was a four-year letterwinner for the Wildcats from 1980-83 before going on to punt in the NFL for 16 seasons with the Buffalo Bills, San Diego Chargers, Miami Dolphins and New York Jets.

SPREAD THE WEALTH

Redshirt freshman quarterback **Clayton Thorson** continues to spread the ball around as he has completed a pass to eight different receivers in each of the first two Big Ten Games. In his first season as the starting quarterback, Thorson has completed 55.0 percent (77-of-140) of his passes for 817 yards and four touchdowns. He also leads the Wildcats with four rushing touchdowns and has 160 yards on the ground. Thirteen players - including Thorson - have caught at least one pass this season.

SOMETHING HAS TO GIVE

Iowa will enter Saturday with the second-best rush defense in the Big Ten as it is allowing just 78 yards rushing per game, while the Wildcats have the second-best rushing attack in the league at 213.7 yards per contest. Chicago's Big Ten Team is averaging 260.8 yards on the ground per game at Ryan Field this season, but the Hawkeyes have yet to allow an opponent to rush over 100 yards in a game this season.



LAST WEEK at MICHIGAN <<<

2	5	2.5*
SOLO	TOTAL TACKLES	SACKS (Career-High)

ALPHABETICAL ROSTER

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Cl./Elig.	Hometown/High School/Last College
36	Corey Acker	WR	5-9	170	Jr./So.	Ballston Lake, N.Y./Shenendehowa Central
7	Matt Alviti	QB	6-0	200	Jr./So.	Park Ridge, Ill./Maine South
12	Auston Anderson	RB	5-9	180	So./R-Fr.	Plano, Texas/Plano West
16	Quinn Baker	WR	5-9	190	So./R-Fr.	Trout Valley, Ill./Cary-Grove
47	Joe Bergin	DB	5-11	190	Fr./Fr.	Bloomfield Hills, Mich./Detroit Country Day
44	Malcolm Bowman	RB	5-11	195	So./R-Fr.	Dallas, Texas/St. Mark's School
26	Terrance Brown	S	6-1	210	Sr./Jr.	Los Alamitos, Calif./Los Alamitos
8	Stephen Buckley	WR	6-0	185	Sr./Jr.	Forney, Texas/North Forney
74	Graham Bullmore	OL	6-7	290	Jr./So.	Kenosha, Wis./Bradford
59	J.B. Butler	OL	6-3	305	So./R-Fr.	Plainfield, Ill./Joliet Catholic
80	Austin Carr	WR	6-1	195	Sr./Jr.	Benicia, Calif./Benicia
1	Max Chapman	DL	6-3	270	Sr. [5]/Sr.	Ponte Vedra, Fla./Nease
85	Chris Cliff	WR	6-2	205	Fr./Fr.	West Bloomfield, Mich./Walled Lake Northern
91	Sam Coverdale	OL	6-6	305	Jr./So.	Chagrin Falls, Ohio/Kenston
25	Luke Dauch	WR	6-3	220	Sr. [5]/Sr.	Bloomfield Hills, Mich./Lahser
73	Adam DePietro	OL	6-5	295	Sr./Jr.	Lancaster, Pa./Lancaster Catholic
19	Cameron Dickerson	WR	6-3	225	Sr. [5]/Sr.	Englewood, N.J./Bergen Catholic
9	Garrett Dickerson	SB	6-3	245	So./So.	Englewood, N.J./Bergen Catholic
71	Tommy Doles	OL	6-6	280	So./R-Fr.	Grand Rapids, Mich./Grand Rapids Christian
89	Charlie Fessler	WR	6-4	205	Fr./Fr.	Erie, Pa./Cathedral Prep
52	Chris Fitzpatrick	LS	6-1	235	Sr./Jr.	Lawrenceburg, Ky./Anderson County
45	Nathan Fox	LB	6-2	245	Fr./Fr.	Houston, Texas/Clear Lake
57	Matt Frazier	OL	6-4	295	Sr. [5]/Sr.	Bourbonnais, Ill./Bishop McNamara
97	Joe Gaziano	DL	6-4	255	Fr./Fr.	Scituate, Mass./Xaverian Brothers
13	Deonte Gibson	DL	6-3	265	Sr. [5]/Sr.	Lakewood, Ohio/St. Edward
54	Trent Goens	DL	6-3	250	Fr./Fr.	Chino Hills, Calif./Chino Hills
24	Mark Gorogianis	WR	6-0	190	Jr./So.	Lombard, Ill./Montini Catholic
84	Cameron Green	WR	6-3	210	Fr./Fr.	Buffalo Grove, Ill./Stevenson
11	TJ Green	QB	6-1	190	Fr./Fr.	Leawood, Kan./Rockhurst
32	Nate Hall	LB	6-2	230	So./R-Fr.	Toledo, Ohio/Southview
83	Chad Hanaoka	RB	5-10	170	So./So.	Honolulu, Hawaii/'Iolani School
72	Blake Hance	OL	6-6	300	So./R-Fr.	Jacksonville, Ill./Jacksonville
27	Matthew Harris	CB	5-11	180	Jr./Jr.	La Grange Highlands, Ill./Lyons
24	Montre Hartage	DB	6-0	180	Fr./Fr.	Cordele, Ga./Crisp County
2	Traveon Henry	S	6-1	215	Sr./Sr.	Lauderdale Lakes, Fla./Pine Crest
35	Tom Hruby	LB	6-3	240	Jr./Jr.	Crown Point, Ind./Andrean
16	Godwin Igwebuike	S	6-0	200	Jr./So.	Pickerington, Ohio/Pickerington North
21	Justin Jackson	RB	5-11	190	So./So.	Carol Stream, Ill./Glenbard North
43	Cole Johnson	WR	6-1	200	Jr./So.	Avon, Ind./Avon
14	Christian Jones	WR	6-3	235	Sr. [5]/Sr.	Houston, Texas/Westfield
42	Joseph Jones	LB	6-1	225	Sr./Jr.	Plano, Ill./Plano
87	Garrett Kidd	WR	6-2	195	Sr. [5]/Sr.	Midland, Mich./Dow/Miami (Fla.)
17	Daniel Kubiuk	QB	6-1	200	So./R-Fr.	Barrington, Ill./Barrington
93	Greg Kuhar	DL	6-3	305	Sr./Jr.	Concord Township, Ohio/St. Edward
67	Tyler Lancaster	DL	6-3	300	Jr./So.	Romeoville, Ill./Plainfield East
78	Adam Lemke-Bell	OL	6-5	270	Fr./Fr.	Oak Park, Ill./Oak Park-River Forest
13	Warren Long	RB	6-0	210	Jr./Jr.	Union City, Calif./James Logan
94	Dean Lowry	DL	6-6	290	Sr./Sr.	Rockford, Ill./Boylan
46	Eric Lutzen	SB	6-6	235	So./R-Fr.	Pewaukee, Wis./Pewaukee
68	Connor Mahoney	OL	6-4	290	Sr./Jr.	Malvern, Pa./Malvern
28	Alonzo Mayo	DB	5-11	170	Fr./Fr.	Baltimore, Md./The Gilman School
41	Jared McGee	S	6-1	215	So./R-Fr.	Mansfield, Texas/Mansfield Legacy
6	Mike McHugh	WR	6-3	195	Sr./Jr.	Kirkwood, Mo./Kirkwood
17	Marcus McShepard	CB	5-11	200	Jr./So.	University Heights, Ohio/Cleveland Heights
70	Shane Mertz	OL	6-8	310	Sr. [5]/Sr.	Hazlet, N.J./Raritan
33	Matt Micucci	PK	5-11	185	Jr./So.	Lake Zurich, Ill./Stevenson
8	Jack Mitchell	PK	6-3	210	Sr./Jr.	San Diego, Calif./Torrey Pines
53	Geoff Mogus	OL	6-5	305	Sr. [5]/Sr.	Lorain, Ohio/St. Edward
20	John Moten IV	RB	6-0	190	Fr./Fr.	St. Louis, Mo./John Burroughs School
10	Jake Murray	DB	6-3	200	Fr./Fr.	Coppell, Texas/Coppell
86	Flynn Nagel	WR	5-11	190	Fr./Fr.	Lemont, Ill./Lemont
96	Hunter Niswander	P	6-5	235	Jr./So.	Peninsula, Ohio/Woodridge
69	Brad North	OL	6-2	290	Jr./So.	Allen, Texas/Allen
48	Tommy Odell	S	5-11	200	Jr./So.	River Forest, Ill./Oak Park-River Forest
7	Ifeadi Odenigbo	DL	6-3	250	Sr./Jr.	Centerville, Ohio/Centerville
10	Zack Oliver	QB	6-4	230	Sr. [5]/Sr.	Baton Rouge, La./Catholic
76	Eric Olson	OL	6-6	295	Sr./Jr.	Sudbury, Mass./Buckingham, Browne & Nichols
38	Arthur Omilian	PK	5-11	180	Sr. [5]/Sr.	Atlanta, Ga./Pace Academy
64	Andrew Otterman	OL	6-5	295	Fr./Fr.	Morristown, N.J./Delbarton
99	Ben Oxley	DL	6-6	285	So./R-Fr.	Avon Lake, Ohio/Avon Lake
63	Ian Park	OL	6-4	305	Sr./Jr.	Pittsburgh, Pa./Upper St. Clair
46	Anthony Pierce-Adams	LB	6-0	215	So./R-Fr.	Chicago, Ill/De La Salle Institute
77	Kenton Playko	OL	6-5	300	Sr./Jr.	Lewis Center, Ohio/Olentangy
51	Jaylen Prater	SB	6-0	230	Sr./Jr.	Hamden, Ohio/Wellston
44	James Prather	DL	6-4	270	So./R-Fr.	Memphis, Tenn./Memphis University School
53	Cameron Queiro	LB	6-1	225	So./R-Fr.	Verona, N.J./Bergen Catholic
21	Kyle Queiro	S	6-3	200	Jr./So.	Verona, N.J./Bergen Catholic
33	Steven Reese	DB	6-2	190	Fr./Fr.	Buford, Ga./Buford
58	Heath Reineke	DL	6-3	245	So./R-Fr.	Ashland, Ohio/Ashland
90	C.J. Robbins	DL	6-5	300	Sr. [5]/Sr.	Peru, Ill./LaSalle-Peru
81	Jelani Roberts	WR	5-8	160	Fr./Fr.	Owings Mills, Md./The Gilman School
49	Josh Roberts	LB	6-1	215	Jr./So.	Wamego, Kan./Rock Creek
2	Christian Salem	WR	6-3	195	Sr./Jr.	Santa Monica, Calif./Santa Monica
82	Andrew Scanlan	WR	6-2	215	Sr./Jr.	Royersford, Pa./Spring Ford
34	Simba Short	LB	6-2	210	Fr./Fr.	Brentwood, Calif./De La Salle
5	Miles Shuler	WR	5-10	180	Sr. [5]/Sr.	Long Branch, N.J./Long Branch/Rutgers
55	Drew Smith	LB	6-1	230	Sr. [5]/Sr.	Cincinnati, Ohio/Colerain
85	Mark Szott	SB	6-4	255	Sr. [5]/Sr.	Naperville, Ill./Waubonsie Valley
88	Jayme Taylor	SB	6-4	230	Jr./So.	The Woodlands, Texas/The Woodlands
65	Jared Thomas	OL	6-4	275	Fr./Fr.	Indianapolis, Ind./Cathedral
95	Jordan Thompson	DL	6-3	275	Fr./Fr.	Cincinnati, Ohio/LaSalle
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23	Nick VanHoose	CB	6-0	190	Sr. [5]/Sr.	Urbana, Ohio/Graham
4	Solomon Vault	RB	5-10	190	So./So.	Gaithersburg, Md./Gaithersburg
40	Dan Vitale	SB	6-2	235	Sr./Sr.	Wheaton, Ill./Wheaton-Warrenville South
31	Tommy Vitale	LB	6-3	220	Fr./Fr.	Wheaton, Ill./Wheaton-Warrenville South
18	Anthony Walker	LB	6-1	235	Jr./So.	Miami, Fla./Monsignor Edward Pace
56	Brett Walsh	LB	6-1	225	Jr./So.	Monrovia, Calif./Monrovia
98	Xavier Washington	DL	6-1	240	So./So.	Cedar Hill, Texas/Cedar Hill
3	Keith Watkins II	CB	5-11	180	Jr./So.	Cincinnati, Ohio/Archbishop Moeller
39	Mason Weissenhofer	PK/P	6-2	185	Fr./Fr.	Plainfield, Ill./Montini Catholic
22	Parrker Westphal	CB	6-1	190	So./R-Fr.	Bolingbrook, Ill./Bolingbrook
29	Trae Williams	DB	5-11	200	Fr./Fr.	The Plains, Ohio/Athens
15	Macan Wilson	WR	6-0	180	Jr./So.	Houston, Texas/Kinkaid
92	Fred Wyatt	DL	6-4	270	So./R-Fr.	Lawrence, Kan./Free State
14	Lloyd Yates	QB	6-2	195	Fr./Fr.	Oak Park, Ill./Oak Park-River Forest
11	Pierre Youngblood-Ary	WR	6-3	190	Sr. [5]/Sr.	Orlando, Fla./Lake Brantley

NUMERICAL

1	Max Chapman	DL
2	Traveon Henry	S
2	Christian Salem	WR/H
3	Keith Watkins II	CB
4	Solomon Vault	RB
5	Miles Shuler	WR
6	Mike McHugh	WR
7	Matt Alviti	QB
7	Ifeadi Odenigbo	DL
8	Stephen Buckley	WR
8	Jack Mitchell	PK
9	Garrett Dickerson	SB
10	Jake Murray	S
10	Zack Oliver	QB
11	TJ Green	QB
11	Pierre Youngblood-Ary	WR
12	Auston Anderson	RB
13	Deonte Gibson	DL
13	Warren Long	RB
14	Christian Jones	WR
14	Lloyd Yates	QB
15	Macan Wilson	WR
16	Quinn Baker	WR
16	Godwin Igwebuike	S
17	Daniel Kubiuk	QB
17	Marcus McShepard	CB
18	Clayton Thorson	QB
18	Anthony Walker	LB
19	Cameron Dickerson	WR
20	John Moten IV	RB
21	Justin Jackson	RB
21	Kyle Queiro	S
22	Parrker Westphal	CB
23	Nick VanHoose	CB
24	Montre Hartage	CB
24	Mark Gorogianis	WR
25	Luke Dauch	WR
26	Terrance Brown	S
27	Matthew Harris	CB
28	Alonzo Mayo	CB
29	Trae Williams	CB
31	Tommy Vitale	LB
32	Nate Hall	LB
33	Matt Micucci	PK
33	Steven Reese	S
34	Simba Short	LB
35	Tom Hruby	LB
36	Corey Acker	RB
38	Arthur Omilian	PK
39	Mason Weissenhofer	PK/P
40	Dan Vitale	SB
41	Jared McGee	S
42	Joseph Jones	LB
43	Cole Johnson	WR
44	Malcolm Bowman	RB
44	James Prather	SB
45	Nathan Fox	LB
46	Eric Lutzen	SB
46	Anthony Pierce-Adams	LB
47	Joe Bergin	S
48	Tommy Odell	S
49	Josh Roberts	LB
51	Jaylen Prater	LB
52	Chris Fitzpatrick	LS
53	Geoff Mogus	OL
53	Cameron Queiro	LB
54	Trent Goens	DL
55	Drew Smith	LB
56	Brett Walsh	LB
57	Matt Frazier	OL
58	Heath Reineke	DL
59	J.B. Butler	OL
63	Ian Park	OL
64	Andrew Otterman	OL
65	Jared Thomas	OL
67	Tyler Lancaster	DL
68	Connor Mahoney	OL
69	Brad North	OL
70	Shane Mertz	OL
71	Tommy Doles	OL
72	Blake Hance	OL
73	Adam DePietro	OL
74	Graham Bullmore	OL
76	Eric Olson	OL
77	Kenton Playko	OL
78	Adam Lemke-Bell	OL
80	Austin Carr	WR
81	Jelani Roberts	WR
82	Andrew Scanlan	WR
83	Chad Hanaoka	RB
84	Cameron Green	WR
85	Chris Cliff	WR
85	Mark Szott	SB
86	Flynn Nagel	WR
87	Garrett Kidd	WR
88	Jayme Taylor	SB
89	Charlie Fessler	WR
90	C.J. Robbins	DL
91	Sam Coverdale	OL
92	Fred Wyatt	DL
93	Greg Kuhar	DL
94	Dean Lowry	DL
95	Jordan Thompson	DL
96	Hunter Niswander	P
97	Joe Gaziano	DL
98	Xavier Washington	DL
99	Ben Oxley	DL

NORTHWESTERN PLAYER OF THE GAME (CHOSEN BY NU COACHING STAFF)

Game	Offensive	Off. Big Playmaker	Off. Practice
Stanford	Justin Jackson	Christian Jones	Corey Acker
Eastern Illinois	Warren Long	Dan Vitale	James Prather
Duke	Dan Vitale	Warren Long	Jared Thomas
Ball State	Dan Vitale	Justin Jackson	TJ Green
Minnesota	Eric Olson	Clayton Thorson	Corey Acker
Michigan	n/a	Austin Carr	Charlie Fessler
Iowa			
Nebraska			
Penn State			
Purdue			
Wisconsin			
Illinois			

Game	Defensive	Def. Big Playmaker	Def. Practice
Stanford	Anthony Walker Jr.	Dean Lowry	Tom Hruby
Eastern Illinois	Deonte Gibson	Matt Harris Dean Lowry	Parrker Westphal
Duke	Dean Lowry	Anthony Walker Godwin Igwebuike	Heath Reineke
Ball State	Deonte Gibson	Jaylen Prater	Nathan Fox
Minnesota	Nick VanHoose Dean Lowry	Tyler Lancaster	Tom Hruby
Michigan	Deonte Gibson	Anthony Walker Jr.	Joe Gaziano
Iowa			
Nebraska			
Penn State			
Purdue			
Wisconsin			
Illinois			

Game	Special Teams	ST Practice Player of the Week
Stanford	Keith Watkins II	Trae Williams
Eastern Illinois	Chris Fitzpatrick	Josh Roberts
Duke	Warren Long	Cole Johnson
Ball State	Joseph Jones	Alonzo Mayo
Minnesota	Miles Shuler	Macan Wilson
Michigan	n/a	John Moten IV
Iowa		
Nebraska		
Penn State		
Purdue		
Wisconsin		
Illinois		



DEFENSIVE PRATICE PLAYER OF THE WEEK<<<

#97 - DL - JOE GAZIANO

FRESHMAN- SCITUATE, MASS./XAVERIAN BROTHERS

NORTHWESTERN DEPTH CHART vs. IOWA

FIRST TEAM

Pos.	#	Name	Height	Weight	Year
LT	53	Geoff Mogus	6-5	305	Sr.
LG	57	Matt Frazier	6-4	295	Sr.
C	63	Ian Park	6-4	305	Jr.
RG	70	Shane Mertz	6-8	310	Sr.
RT	76	Eric Olson	6-6	295	Jr.
WR	19	Cam Dickerson	6-3	225	Sr.
WR	14	Christian Jones	6-3	235	Sr.
WR	5	Miles Shuler	5-10	180	Sr.
QB	18	Clayton Thorson	6-4	220	R-Fr.
RB	21	Justin Jackson	5-11	190	So.
SB	40	Dan Vitale	6-2	235	Sr.
LE	94	Dean Lowry	6-6	290	Sr.
DT	90	C.J. Robbins	6-5	300	Sr.
DT	67	Tyler Lancaster	6-3	300	So.
RE	13	Deonte Gibson	6-3	265	Sr.
Will	51	Jaylen Prater	6-0	230	Jr.
Mike	18	Anthony Walker	6-1	235	So.
Sam	55	Drew Smith	6-1	230	Sr.
CB	23	Nick VanHoose	6-0	190	Sr.
CB	3	Keith Watkins II	5-11	180	So.
S	16	Godwin Igwebuike	6-0	200	So.
S	2	Traveon Henry	6-1	215	Sr.

SECOND TEAM

Pos.	#	Name	Height	Weight	Year
LT	72	Blake Hance	6-5	300	R-Fr.
LG	69	Brad North	6-2	290	So.
C	59	J.B. Butler	6-3	305	R-Fr.
RG	73	Adam DePietro	6-5	295	Jr.
RT	71	Tommy Doles	6-6	280	R-Fr.
WR	87	Garrett Kidd	6-2	195	Sr.
WR	81	Jelani Roberts	5-8	160	Fr.
WR	6	Mike McHugh	6-3	195	Jr.
QB	10	Zack Oliver	6-4	230	Sr.
OR	7	Matt Alviti	6-0	200	So.
RB	13	Warren Long	6-0	210	Jr.
SB	9	Garrett Dickerson	6-3	245	So.
LE	98	Xavier Washington	6-1	240	So.
DT	1	Max Chapman	6-3	270	Sr.
DT	95	Jordan Thompson	6-3	275	Fr.
RE	7	Ifeadi Odenigbo	6-3	250	Jr.
Will	32	Nate Hall	6-2	230	R-Fr.
Mike	53	Cameron Queiro	6-1	225	R-Fr.
Sam	42	Joseph Jones	6-1	225	Jr.
CB	24	Montre Hartage	6-0	180	Fr.
CB	17	Marcus McShepard	5-11	220	So.
S	26	Terrance Brown	6-1	210	Jr.
S	41	Jared McGee	6-1	215	R-Fr.

SPECIALISTS

Pos.	#	Name	Height	Weight	Year
PK	8	Jack Mitchell	6-3	210	Jr.
	38	Arthur Omilian	5-11	180	Sr.
P	96	Hunter Niswander	6-5	230	So.
	33	Matt Micucci	5-11	185	Jr.
LS	52	Chris Fitzpatrick	6-2	230	Jr.
H	2	Christian Salem	6-3	195	Jr.
KR	4	Solomon Vault	5-10	190	So.
	81	Jelani Roberts	5-8	160	Fr.
PR	5	Miles Shuler	5-10	180	Sr.
	86	Flynn Nagel	5-11	190	Fr.
KO	33	Matt Micucci	5-11	185	Jr.

PRONUNCIATION GUIDE

Luke Dauch ..... (DOWK)
Adam DePietro ..... (da-PEE-tro)
Joe Gaziano ..... (gah-ZEE-ah-no)
Deonte Gibson ..... (Dee-ON-tay)
Trent Goens ..... (GO-ins)
Montre Hartage ..... (mon-TRAY)
Traveon Henry ..... (TRAH-vee-on)
Tom Hruby ..... (ROO-bee)
Godwin Igwebuike ..... (ig-weh-BYU-kay)
Greg Kuhar ..... (KOO-har)
Matt Micucci ..... (mi-KOO-chee)
Hunter Niswander ..... (NICE-wander)
Ifeadi Odenigbo ..... (if-ah-dee o-DEN-uh-bo)
Cameron/Kyle Queiro ..... (KAY-ro)
Jelani Roberts ..... (juh-lah-NEE)
Mark Szott ..... (ZOTT)
Dan/Tommy Vitale ..... (vy-TAL-ee)
Pierre Youngblood-Ary ..... (Youngblood-AIR-ee)

BIG TEN STANDINGS

WEST DIVISION	BIG	.PCT	OVERALL	.PCT	STREAK
Iowa	2-0	1.000	6-0	1.000	W6
Northwestern	1-1	.500	5-1	.833	L1
Illinois	1-1	.500	4-2	.667	L1
Wisconsin	1-1	.500	4-2	.667	W1
Minnesota	1-1	.500	4-2	.667	W1
Nebraska	0-2	.000	2-4	.333	L2
Purdue	0-2	.000	1-5	.167	L4
EAST DIVISION	**BIG**	**.PCT**	**OVERALL**	**.PCT**	**STREAK**
Ohio State	2-0	1.000	6-0	1.000	W6
Michigan State	2-0	1.000	6-0	1.000	W6
Michigan	2-0	1.000	5-1	.833	W5
Penn State	2-0	1.000	5-1	.833	W5
Indiana	0-2	.000	4-2	.667	L2
Rutgers	0-2	.000	2-3	.400	L1
Maryland	0-2	.000	2-4	.333	L3

THIS WEEK'S SCHEDULE

Saturday, October 17

#17 Iowa at #20 Northwestern	ABC/ESPN2	11 a.m.
Purdue at Wisconsin	BTN	11 a.m.
Rutgers at Indiana	BTN	2:30 p.m.
#7 Michigan State at #12 Michigan	ESPN	2:30 p.m.
Nebraska at Minnesota	ESPN2	2:30 p.m.
Penn State at #1 Ohio State	ABC	7 p.m.

NATIONAL RANKINGS

ASSOCIATED PRESS (WEEK 7)

1.	Ohio State (27)	6-0	1,411
2.	Baylor (13)	5-0	1,390
3.	TCU (3)	6-0	1,354
4.	Utah (16)	5-0	1,350
5.	Clemson (1)	5-0	1,260
6.	LSU	5-0	1,231
7.	Michigan State	6-0	1,139
8.	Florida	6-0	1,075
9.	Texas A&M (1)	5-0	1,046
10.	Alabama	5-1	1,034
11.	Florida State	5-0	937
12.	**Michigan**	**5-1**	**894**
13.	Mississippi	5-1	803
14.	Notre Dame	5-1	766
15.	**Stanford**	**4-1**	**662**
16.	Oklahoma State	6-0	614
17.	**Iowa**	**6-0**	**520**
18.	UCLA	4-1	487
19.	Oklahoma	4-1	342
20.	**NORTHWESTERN**	**5-1**	**317**
21.	Boise State	5-1	260
22.	Toledo	5-0	237
23.	California	5-1	204
24.	Houston	5-0	121
25.	**Duke**	**5-1**	**114**

Others Receiving Votes: Temple 96, Memphis 59, Arizona State 27, Mississippi State 19, Georgia 16, Texas Tech 10, BYU 8, Western Kentucky 5, USC 5, Kentucky 4, Penn State 4, Navy 3, North Carolina 1.

COACHES POLL (WEEK 7)

1.	Ohio State (47)	6-0	1,547
2.	Baylor (8)	5-0	1,463
3.	TCU (5)	6-0	1,441
4.	Michigan State (1)	6-0	1,358
5.	LSU (1)	5-0	1,288
6.	Clemson	5-0	1,254
7.	Utah (1)	5-0	1,239
8.	Florida State	5-0	1,080
9.	Alabama	5-0	1,052
10.	Texas A&M	5-0	1,028
11.	Florida	6-0	1,001
12.	Mississippi	5-1	837
13.	Notre Dame	5-1	786
14.	**Michigan**	**5-1**	**760**
15.	Oklahoma State	6-0	689
16.	**Stanford**	**4-1**	**677**
17.	**Iowa**	**6-0**	**525**
18.	UCLA	4-1	466
19.	Oklahoma	4-1	432
20.	Boise State	5-1	321
21.	**NORTHWESTERN**	**5-1**	**242**
22.	Memphis	5-0	185
23.	California	5-1	174
24.	**Duke**	**5-1**	**154**
25.	Toledo	5-0	149

Others Receiving Votes: Houston 75, Temple 71, Georgia 61, Arizona State 33, Mississippi State 21, **Wisconsin 20**, Kentucky 13, Kansas State 11, **Penn State 6**, USC 4, Texas 4, Texas Tech 4, West Virginia 3, North Carolina 3, Washington 2, Tennessee 1, **Illinois 1**, Arizona 1

BY THE NUMBERS

NORTHWESTERN

	Rank	B1G	Value
Total Offense	98	11	353.8
Rushing Offense	26	2	213.7
Passing Offense	117	14	140.2
Team Passing Efficiency	117	13	105.34
Scoring Offense	110	13	21.2
Total Defense	9	2	269.5
Rushing Defense	36	8	131.3
Passing Yards Allowed	7	2	138.2
Team Passing Efficiency Defense	7	3	90.35
Scoring Defense	8	3	12.2
Turnover Margin	40	5	0.50
3rd Down Conversion Percentage	24	2	45.0
4th Down Conversion Percentage	80	9	42.9
3rd Down Conversion Percentage Defense	7	3	24.7
4th Down Conversion Percentage Defense	41	5	38.5
Red Zone Offense	78	10	82.4
Red Zone Defense	7	2	69.2
Net Punting	67	4	37.72
Punt Returns	38	7	12.00
Kickoff Returns	13	2	26.91
First Downs Offense	71	11	112
First Downs Defense	20	2	91
Fewest Penalties Per Game	7	1	4.33
Fewest Penalty Yards Per Game	5	1	34.83
Time of Possession	29	6	31:54

IOWA

	Rank	B1G	Value
Total Offense	62	5	409.3
Rushing Offense	35	4	201.2
Passing Offense	85	9	208.2
Team Passing Efficiency	43	3	141.23
Scoring Offense	49	2	31.7
Total Defense	23	7	310.3
Rushing Defense	5	2	78.0
Passing Yards Allowed	76	9	232.3
Team Passing Efficiency Defense	39	8	113.59
Scoring Defense	18	5	16.2
Turnover Margin	20	4	0.83
3rd Down Conversion Percentage	39	5	43.2
4th Down Conversion Percentage	39	4	62.5
3rd Down Conversion Percentage Defense	46	8	34.4
4th Down Conversion Percentage Defense	66	11	50.0
Red Zone Offense	69	7	83.3
Red Zone Defense	7	2	69.2
Net Punting	69	5	37.50
Punt Returns	21	2	15.70
Kickoff Returns	47	7	22.50
First Downs Offense	42	7	126
First Downs Defense	69	9	110
Fewest Penalties Per Game	34	5	5.33
Fewest Penalty Yards Per Game	48	6	51.50
Time of Possession	21	2	32:33

PLAYER SPOTLIGHT



TRAVEON HENRY • CAREER HIGHS

Tackles: 14, at Iowa, 11/1/14
Solo Tackles: 8 (3x), last vs. Nebraska, 10/18/14
Assisted Tackles: 8 (2x), last at Notre Dame, 11/15/14
TFL: 2.0 (2X), last vs. Ball State, 9/26/15
Interceptions: 1, vs. Syracuse, 9/7/13
Pass Breakups: 1 (2x), last vs. Maine, 9/21/13

Tackles	Solo	TFL-Yds	Sacks
33	27	3.0-11	1



SOLOMON VAULT • CAREER HIGHS

Rushing Yards: 36, vs. Ball State, 9/26/15
Attempts: 9, vs. Eastern Illinois, 9/12/15
Rushing TDs: 2 (3x), last vs. Illinois, 11/29/14
Long Run: 21, vs. Western Illinois, 9/20/14
Receptions: 1 (5x), last vs. Minnesota, 10/3/15
Rec. Yards: 10, vs. Nebraska, 10/18/14
Long Reception: 10, vs. Nebraska, 10/18/14
Kick Return: 98, at Duke, 9/19/15

Carries	Yards	YPC	Long
35	140	4.0	15



MILES SHULER • CAREER HIGHS

Receptions: 6, at Minnesota, 10/11/14
Yards: 60, at Minnesota, 10/11/14
Long Reception: 22, vs. Cal, 8/30/14
Kickoff Returns: 3 (3x), last vs. Wisconsin, 10/4/14
Kickoff Return Yards: 67, vs. NIU, 9/6/14
Long Kickoff Return: 26, vs. NIU, 9/6/14
Punt Return Yards: 55, vs. Minnesota, 10/3/15
Long Punt Return: 55, vs. Minnesota, 10/3/15
Rushing Yards: 16, vs. Wisconsin, 10/4/14

Rec.	Yards	TD	Long
6	63	0	25



IFEADI ODENIGBO • CAREER HIGHS

Tackles: 4, at Michigan, 10/10/15
Solo Tackles: 3, vs. Western Illinois, 9/20/14
Assisted Tackles: 2 (3X), last at Michigan, 10/10/15
TFL: 2.0, vs. Western Illinois, 9/20/14
Sacks: 2.0, vs. Western Illinois, 9/20/14
QB Hurries: 1 (5X), last at Michigan, 10/10/15
Forced Fumbles: 3, vs. Western Illinois, 9/20/14
Fumble Recoveries: 1 (2X), vs. Western Illinois, 9/20/14
Pass Breakups: 1, at Illinois, 11/30/13

Tackles	Solo	TFL-Yds	Sacks
14	8	2.5-8	2.5



DEONTE GIBSON • CAREER HIGHS

Tackles: 6, vs. Ohio State, 10/5/13
Solo Tackles: 3 (2X), last vs. Northern Illinois, 9/6/14
Assisted Tackles: 3 (3X), last vs. Eastern Illinois, 9/12/15
TFL: 2.5, at Michigan, 10/10/15
Sacks: 2.5, at Michigan, 10/10/15
QB Hurries: 2, at Notre Dame, 11/15/14
Pass Breakups: 1, at Illinois, 11/30/13
Forced Fumbles: 1, vs. Northern Illinois, 9/6/14
Fumble Recoveries: 1 (2X), at Purdue, 11/22/14

Tackles	Solo	Sacks	TFL-Yds
18	7	5.5	5.0-23



WARREN LONG • CAREER HIGHS

Rushing Yards: 72, vs. Eastern Illinois, 9/12/15
Rushing Attempts: 12, vs. Eastern Illinois, 9/12/15
Long Run: 55, at Duke, 9/19/15
Receptions: 2, at Notre Dame, 11/15/14
Receiving Yards: 18, at Notre Dame, 11/15/14
Long Reception: 17, at Notre Dame, 11/15/14

Carries	Yards	YPC	TD
36	190	5.3	2



CHRISTIAN JONES • CAREER HIGHS

Receptions: 13, vs. Illinois, 11/30/13
Receiving Yards: 182, vs. Illinois, 11/30/13
Receiving TDs: 2, vs. Illinois, 11/30/13

Rec.	Yards	YPC	Long
16	179	11.2	20



GODWIN IGWEBUIKE • CAREER HIGHS

Tackles: 9 (2x), last vs. Minnesota, 10/3/15
Solo Tackles: 8, vs. Minnesota, 10/3/15
Assisted Tackles: 5, vs. Nebraska, 10/18/14
TFL: 2.0, at Michigan, 10/10/15
Interceptions: 3, vs. Wisconsin, 10/4/14
Pass Breakups: 1 (5X), last vs. Ball State, 9/26/15

Tackles	Solo	PBU	FF
35	24	3	1



CLAYTON THORSON • CAREER HIGHS

Pass Attempts: 31, vs. Ball State, 9/26/15
Completions: 18, vs. Ball State, 9/26/15
Passing Yards: 256, vs. Ball State, 9/26/15
Passing TDs: 3, vs. Ball State, 9/26/15
Long Pass: 66, vs. Ball State, 9/26/15
Rushing Attempts: 11 (2x), last vs. Minnesota, 10/3/15
Rushing Yards: 68, vs. Stanford, 9/5/15
Rushing TDs: 2, vs. Minnesota, 10/3/15
Long Rush: 42, vs. Stanford, 9/5/15

C-A-I	Yards	TD	Rushing TD
77-140-4	817	4	4



ANTHONY WALKER • CAREER HIGHS

Tackles: 19, at Duke, 9/19/15
Solo Tackles: 7 (2x), last at Duke, 9/19/15
Assisted Tackles: 12, at Duke, 9/19/15
TFL: 3, vs. Stanford, 9/5/15
Sacks: 1.5, at Purdue, 11/22/14
QB Hurries: 2, at Notre Dame, 11/15/14
Interceptions: 1 (2X), last at Notre Dame, 11/15/14
Pass Breakups: 2, vs. Stanford, 9/5/15
Fumble Recoveries: 1 (3X), last vs. Minnesota, 10/3/15
Forced Fumbles: 1, at Purdue, 11/22/14

Tackles	Solo	TFL	FR
50	21	9.5	2



JUSTIN JACKSON • CAREER HIGHS

Rushing Yards: 184, vs. Ball State, 9/26/15
Rushing Attempts: 35, at Duke, 9/19/15
Rushing TDs: 2 (2X), last vs. Illinois, 11/29/14
Long Run: 68, at Purdue, 11/22/14
Receptions: 4, at Minnesota, 10/11/14
Receiving Yards: 50, at Minnesota, 10/11/14
Long Reception: 35, vs. Illinois, 11/29/14
Receiving TDs: 1, at Minnesota, 10/11/14

Carries	Yards	YPG	TD
150	661	110.2	1



NICK VANHOOSE • CAREER HIGHS

Tackles: 14 (2X), last vs. Illinois, 11/30/13
Solo Tackles: 9, at Iowa, 10/26/13
Assisted Tackles: 8, vs. Illinois, 11/30/13
TFLs: 2.0, at Iowa, 10/26/13
Interceptions: 1 (8X), last at Minnesota, 11/11/14
Pass Breakups: 3 (4X), last vs. Minnesota, 10/3/15
Fumble Recoveries: 2, vs. Nebraska, 10/20/12
Forced Fumbles: 1, vs. Minnesota, 10/19/13

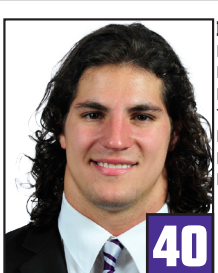
Tackles	Solo	Assisted	PBU
12	10	2	6



MATTHEW HARRIS • CAREER HIGHS

Tackles: 10, vs. Western Illinois, 9/20/14
Solo Tackles: 7, vs. Western Illinois, 9/20/14
Assisted Tackles: 3 (3X), last vs. Western Illinois, 11/23/13
TFL: 1.0 (2X), last vs. Illinois, 11/29/14
Interceptions: 2, vs. Eastern Illinois, 9/12/15
Pass Breakups: 3 (2x), last vs. Minnesota, 10/3/15
Forced Fumbles: 1, at Notre Dame, 11/15/14
Kickoff Returns: 3 (4X), last vs. Michigan State, 11/23/13
Long Kickoff Return: 47, vs. Western Michigan, 9/14/13

Tackles	Solo	INT	PBU
25	14	3	7



DAN VITALE • CAREER HIGHS

Receptions: 9, at Michigan State, 11/17/12
Receiving Yards: 113, at Penn State, 9/27/14
Long Reception: 53, at Cal, 8/31/13
TD Receptions: 2, vs. Ball State, 9/26/15
Rushing Attempts: 2, at Iowa, 10/26/13
Rushing Yards: 17, at Iowa, 10/26/13
Long Run: 18, at Iowa, 10/26/13

Rec.	Yards	YPC	TD
16	207	12.9	2



DEAN LOWRY • CAREER HIGHS

Tackles: 6 (4X), last at Duke, 9/19/15
Solo Tackles: 5 (2X), last vs. Illinois, 11/29/14
Assisted Tackles: 4, at Duke, 9/19/15
TFL: 2, vs. Minnesota, 10/3/15
Sacks: 1.5, at Illinois, 11/30/13
Forced Fumbles: 1 (3X), last at Notre Dame, 11/15/14
Fumble Recoveries: 1 (2X), last vs. Ohio State, 10/5/13
Interceptions: 1 (3X), last at Duke, 9/19/15
Pass Breakups: 2, vs. Western Illinois, 9/20/14
QB Hurries: 2 (3X), last vs. Ball State, 9/26/15

Tackles	Solo	TFL-Yds	QBH
25	14	4.5-11	4

CAREER HIGHS

#36 • COREY ACKER • WR
Rushing Yards: 57, vs. Eastern Illinois, 9/12/15
Rushing Attempts: 5, vs. Eastern Illinois, 9/12/15
Long Run: 31, vs. Eastern Illinois, 9/12/15

#12 • AUSTON ANDERSON • RB
Rushing Yards: 56, vs. Eastern Illinois, 9/12/15
Rushing Attempts: 8, vs. Eastern Illinois, 9/12/15
Long Run: 22, vs. Eastern Illinois, 9/12/15

#8 • STEPHEN BUCKLEY • RB
Rushing Yards: 99, at Iowa, 10/26/13
Rushing Attempts: 17, at Iowa, 10/26/13
Rushing TDs: 1, vs. Minnesota, 10/19/13
Long Run: 33, vs. Minnesota, 10/19/13
Reeptions: 1 (2X), last vs. Nebraska, 10/18/14
Receiving Yards: 19, vs. Nebraska, 10/18/14

#80 • AUSTIN CARR • WR
Receiving Yards: 61, vs. Eastern Illinois, 9/12/15
Receptions: 2 (2x), last at Michigan, 10/10/15
Long Reception: 44, vs. Eastern Illinois, 9/12/15
Touchdowns: 1 (2X), last vs. Ball State, 9/26/15

#1 • MAX CHAPMAN • DL
Tackles: 4, vs. Western Illinois, 9/20/14
Solo Tackles: 3, vs. Western Illinois, 9/20/14
Assisted Tackles: 2 (2x), last at Notre Dame, 11/15/14
TFL: 2.0 (2x), last vs. Western Illinois, 9/20/14
Sacks: 1.0 (2x), last vs. Western Illinois, 9/20/14
QB Hurries: 1, vs. Wisconsin, 10/4/14
Pass Breakups: 1, at Penn State, 9/27/14
Fumble Recoveries: 1, at Iowa, 11/1/14
Blocked Kicks: 1, vs. Western Illinois, 9/20/1

#19 • CAMERON DICKERSON • WR
Receptions: 6, at Notre Dame, 11/15/14
Yards: 97, at Notre Dame, 11/15/14
Long Reception: 60, at Notre Dame, 11/15/14
Receiving TDs: 1 (3X), last vs. Cal, 8/30/14

#9 • GARRETT DICKERSON • SB
Receptions: 2(2X), last at Michigan, 10/10/15
Yards: 14, at Notre Dame, 11/15/14
Long Reception: 7 (2X), last at Michigan, 10/10/15

#32 • NATE HALL • LB
Tackles: 3 (3X), last at Michigan, 10/10/15
Solo Tackles: 2 (3x), last vs. Minnesota, 10/3/15
Assisted Tackles: 1 (3x), last vs. Minnesota, 10/3/15
QB Hurries: 2, vs. Minnesota, 10/3/15
TFL: 1.0, at Michigan, 10/10/15

#35 • TOM HRUBY • LB
Rushing Yards: 25, vs. Eastern Illinois, 9/12/15
Rushing Attempts: 8, vs. Eastern Illinois, 9/12/15
Long Run: 9, vs. Eastern Illinois, 9/12/15
Tackles: 2, at Michigan, 10/10/15
Assisted Tackles: 2, at Michigan, 10/10/15

#42 • JOSEPH JONES • LB
Tackles: 3, vs. Minneosta, 10/3/15
Solo Tackles: 3, vs. Minnesota, 10/3/15
Assisted Tackles: 2, at Duke, 9/19/15
TFL: 2.0, vs. Minnesota, 10/3/15
Sacks: 1.0, vs. Minnesota, 10/3/15

#93 • GREG KUHAR • DT
Tackles: 8, at Minnesota, 10/11/14
Solo Tackles: 3 (2X), last at Minnesota, 10/11/14
Assisted Tackles: 5, at Minnesota, 10/11/14
TFL: 1.0 (2X), at Minnesota, 10/11/14
QB Hurries: 1, vs. Cal, 8/30/14
Fumble Recoveries: 1, vs. Western Illinois, 9/20/14

#67 • TYLER LANCASTER • DL
Tackles: 5, vs. Ball State, 9/26/15
Solo Tackles: 3, vs. Ball State, 9/26/15
Assisted Tackles: 3, vs. Minnesota, 10/3/15
TFL: 2.0, vs. Minnesota, 10/3/15
QB Hurry: 1, vs. Eastern Illinois, 9/12/15
Sack: 0.5, vs. Minnesota, 10/3/15
Forced Fumbles: 1, vs. Minnesota, 10/3/15
Pass Breakup: 1, at Duke, 9/19/15

#41 • JARED McGEE • S
Tackles: 4, at Michigan, 10/10/15
Assisted Tackles: 4, at Michigan, 10/10/15

#6 • MIKE MCHUGH • WR
Receptions: 3, vs. Eastern Illinois, 9/12/15
Receiving Yards: 21, vs. Ball State, 9/26/15
Long Reception: 21, vs. Ball State, 9/26/15

#8 • JACK MITCHELL • K
FGM: 4, vs. Notre Dame, 11/15/14
FGA: 5, vs. Notre Dame, 11/15/14
Longest FG: 49, vs. Stanford, 9/5/15

#86 • FLYNN NAGEL • WR
Receving Yards: 24, vs. Eastern Illinois, 9/12/15
Receptions: 2, vs. Minnesota, 10/3/15
Long Reception: 24, vs. Eastern Illinois, 9/12/15
Punt Returns: 2, vs. Eastern Illinois, 9/12/15

#96 • HUNTER NISWANDER • P
Punts: 10, at Duke, 9/19/15
Longest Punt: 49, at Duke, 9/19/15
Punt Average: 41.3, at Duke, 9/19/15

#10 • ZACK OLIVER • QB
Pass Attempts: 38, vs. Illinois, 11/29/14
Completions: 23, vs. Illinois, 11/29/14
Passing Yards: 221, vs. Illinois, 11/29/14
Touchdown Passes: 1 (2X), last vs. Illinois, 11/29/14
Long Pass: 54, vs. Northern Illinois, 9/6/14
Rushing Yards: 23, at Purdue, 11/22/14
Rushing Attempts: 6 (2X), last vs. Illinois, 11/29/14
Rushing Touchdowns: 1, at Purdue, 11/22/14
Long Rush: 8, at Purdue, 11/29/14
Total Offense: 219, at Illinois, 11/29/14

#99 • BEN OXLEY • DL
Tackles: 1 (2X), last at Michigan, 10/10/15
Assisted Tackles: 1 (2X), last at Michigan, 10/10/15

#51 • JAYLEN PRATER • LB
Tackles: 7, at Duke, 9/19/15
Solo Tackles: 5, vs. Ball State, 9/26/15
Assisted Tackles: 5, at Duke, 9/19/15

#53 • CAMERON QUEIRO • LB
Tackles: 1 (3X), last vs. Ball State, 9/26/15
Solo Tackles: 1 (3X), last vs. Ball State, 9/26/15
TFL: 1, vs. Eastern Illinois, 9/12/15

#21 • KYLE QUEIRO • DB
Tackles: 5, vs. NIU, 9/6/14
Solo Tackles: 4, vs. NIU, 9/6/14
Assisted Tackles: 2 (2X), last vs. Eastern Illinois, 9/12/15
Interceptions: 1, vs. Stanford, 9/5/15

#90 • C.J. ROBBINS • DT
Tackles: 3 (2X), last vs. Nebraska, 10/18/14
Solo Tackles: 1 (5X), last vs. Ball State, 9/26/15
Assisted Tackles: 3, at Minnesota, 10/11/14
TFL: 1.0, at Penn State, 9/27/14
Pass Breakups: 1 (2X), last vs. Michigan, 11/8/14
Blocked Kicks: 1, at Penn State, 9/27/14

#81 • JELANI ROBERTS • WR
Rushing Yards: 9, vs. Eastern Illinois, 9/12/15
Rushing Attempts: 5, vs. Eastern Illinois, 9/12/15
Long Run: 8, vs. Eastern Illinois, 9/12/15
Receptions: 1 (2X), at Michigan, 10/10/15
Yards: 12, at MIchigan, 10/10/15
Long Reception: 12, at Michigan, 10/10/15

#55 • DREW SMITH • LB
Tackles: 9, at Duke, 9/19/15
Solo Tackles: 5, vs. Western Michigan, 9/14/13
Assisted Tackles: 5, at Duke, 9/19/15
Sacks: 1 (3X), last at Penn State, 9/27/14
TFL: 1.5 (2X), last at Michigan, 10/10/15
QB Hurries: 2 (2X), last vs. Maine, 9/21/13
Forced Fumbles: 1, vs. Stanford, 9/5/15
Fumble Recoveries: 1, vs. Michigan, 11/8/14

#95 • JORDAN THOMPSON • DT
Tackles: 4, at Michigan, 10/10/15
Solo Tackles: 2, at Michigan, 10/10/15
Assisted Tackles: 2, at Michigan, 10/10/15

#31 • TOMMY VITALE • LB
Tackles: 1, vs. Eastern Illinois, 9/12/15
Assisted Tackles: 1, vs. Eastern Illinois, 9/12/15

#98 • XAVIER WASHINGTON • DE
Tackles: 3, vs. Wisconsin, 10/4/14
Solo Tackles: 2 (4X), last vs. Minnesota, 10/3/15
Assisted Tackles: 2, vs. Wisconsin, 10/4/14
TFL: 1.0 (3X), last vs. Minnesota, 10/3/15
Sacks: 1.0, at Penn State, 9/27/14
OB Hurries: 1 (2X), last vs. Ball State, 9/26/15
Forced Fumbles: 1, at Penn State, 9/27/14

#3 • KEITH WATKINS II • CB
Tackles: 4 (3X), last at Duke, 9/19/15
Solo Tackles: 4, at Duke, 9/19/15
Asissted Tackles, 2, vs. Eastern Illinois, 9/12/15
Blocked Kicks: 1, vs. Western Illinois, 9/20/14
Forced Fumbles: 1, at Duke, 9/19/15
Pass Breakup: 1, at Duke, 9/19/15

NORTHWESTERN RECORD WHEN...

	2015	Fitz Career
When playing at home	4-0	37-27
When playing on road	1-1	26-23
When playing at a neutral site	-	2-4
When playing on grass	5-0	48-35
When playing on artificial surface	0-1	17-19
When scoring first	2-0	44-16
When opponent scores first	3-1	21-38
When leading after first quarter	2-0	40-14
When trailing after first quarter	2-1	15-30
When tied after first quarter	1-0	10-10
When leading at halftime	3-0	48-15
When trailing at halftime	2-1	12-31
When tied at halftime	-	5-8
When leading after three quarters	5-0	53-15
When trailing after three quarters	0-1	10-36
When tied after three quarters	-	2-3
When NU has more/equal rushing yards	5-0	48-16
When opponent has more rushing yards	0-1	18-37
When NU has more/equal passing yards	3-0	35-24
When opponent has more passing yards	2-1	31-29
When NU has more/equal total yards	4-0	46-19
When opponent has more total yards	1-1	19-37
When NU has more first downs	3-0	43-22
When opponent has more first downs	1-1	16-29
When first downs are equal	1-0	6-3
When NU forces more turnovers	4-0	38-14
When opponent forces more turnovers	1-1	13-30
When turnovers are equal	-	14-10
In games decided by three points or less	-	13-9
In games decided by seven points or less	1-0	26-18
In overtime games	-	3-5

2015 HONORARY CAPTAINS

Each home game, Pat Fitzgerald and the Wildcats are fortunate to be joined in the pursuit of a victory by an honorary captain. The honorary captain traditionally delivers a message to the team following the squad's Friday afternoon walk-through, joins the team for dinner and on Saturday walks with NU's season-long captains to midfield for the pregame coin toss. Below is a look at those individuals who have served in this role so far in 2014:

2015 Northwestern Honorary Captains
Stanford: Nick Roach, Northwestern LB (2003-06), Eight-year NFL veteran
Eastern Illinois: Blackhawks president and CEO John McDonough, Blackhawks executive vice president Jay Blunk and Blackhawks chairman Rocky Wirtz (Northwestern Alumni, 1975)
Duke: Steve Schnur, Northwestern QB (1993-96)
Minnesota: Tonjua Jones, Northwestern WR (2003-07)
Iowa: Gary Barnett, Northwestern Head Coach (1992-98)



STARTING LINEUPS

OFFENSE

Opponent	WR	WR	LT	LG	C	RG	RT	WR	QB	SB	RB
STANFORD	Shuler	Jones, C.	Mogus	Park	North	Mertz	Olson	Scanlan	Thorson	Vitale, D.	Jackson
E. ILLINOIS	McHugh	Jones, C.	Mogus	Mahoney	Park	Mertz	DePietro	Carr	Thorson	Vitale, D.	Jackson
at Duke	Shuler	Jones, C.	Mogus	Mahoney	Park	Mertz	Olson	Carr	Thorson	Vitale, D.	Jackson
BALL STATE	Shuler	Jones, C.	Mogus	Mahoney	Park	Mertz	Olson	Carr	Thorson	Vitale, D.	Jackson
MINNESOTA	Shuler	Jones, C.	Hance	Frazier	Park	Mertz	Olson	Carr	Thorson	Vitale, D.	Jackson
at Michigan	Shuler	Jones, C.	Mogus	Frazier	Park	Mertz	Olson	McHugh	Thorson	Vitale, D.	Jackson
IOWA											
at Nebraska											
PENN STATE											
PURDUE											
at Wisconsin											
at Illinois											

DEFENSE

Opponent	DE	DT	DT	DE	OLB	MLB	OLB	CB	S	S	CB
STANFORD	Gibson	Lancaster	Robbins	Lowry	Prater	Walker	Smith	VanHoose	Igwebuike	Henry	Harris
E. ILLINOIS	Gibson	Lancaster	Robbins	Lowry	Prater	Walker	Smith	VanHoose	Igwebuike	Henry	Harris
at Duke	Gibson	Lancaster	Robbins	Lowry	Prater	Walker	Smith	VanHoose	Igwebuike	Henry	Harris
BALL STATE	Gibson	Lancaster	Robbins	Lowry	Prater	Walker	Smith	VanHoose	Igwebuike	Henry	Harris
MINNESOTA	Gibson	Lancaster	Robbins	Lowry	Prater	Walker	Smith	VanHoose	Igwebuike	Henry	Harris
at Michigan	Gibson	Lancaster	Robbins	Lowry	Prater	Walker	Smith	VanHoose	Igwebuike	Henry	Harris
IOWA											
at Nebraska											
PENN STATE											
PURDUE											
at Wisconsin											
at Illinois											

EYE ON THE RECORD BOOKS

CAREER RUSHING

1. Damien Anderson (1998-2001) 4,485
2. Tyrell Sutton (2005-08) 3,886
3. Darnell Autry (1994-96) 3,793
4. Bob Christian (1987-90) 2,643
5. Jason Wright (2000-03) 2,625
6. Noah Herron (2001-04) 2,524
7. Greg Boykin (1972-76) 2,465
8. Kain Colter (2010-13) 2,180
9. Mike Adamle (1968-70) 2,015
10. Stanley Davenport (1984-87) 1,946

ACTIVE LEADER

Justin Jackson (2014-) 1,848

CAREER RUSHING TOUCHDOWNS

1. Damien Anderson (1998-2001) 38
2. Darnell Autry (1994-96) 35
3. Jason Wright (2000-03) 32
4. Tyrell Sutton (2005-08) 31
5. Kain Colter (2010-13) 28
6. Noah Herron (2001-04) 26
7. Zak Kustok (1999-2001) 22
8. Ron Burton (1957-59) 21
9. Bob Christian (1987-90) 20
10. Brett Basanez (2002-05) 18
    Greg Boykin (1973-76) 18

ACTIVE LEADER

Justin Jackson (2014-) 11

CAREER RECEVING TOUCHDOWNS

1. D'Wayne Bates (1995-98) 26
2. Richard Buchanan (1987-90) 22
3. Jeremy Ebert (2008-11) 21
4. Sam Simmons (1998-2001) 14
   Drake Dunsmore (2007-11) 14
6. Lee Gissendaner (1990-93) 13
   Joe Collier (1951-53) 13
   Ross Lane (2005-06) 13
9. Eric Peterman (2005-08) 12
10. Brian Musso (1994-97) 11
    Steve Craig (1971-73) 11
    Teddy Johnson (1997-2000) 11

ACTIVE LEADER

Dan Vitale (2012-) 9

CAREER RECEPTION LEADERS

1. D'Wayne Bates (1995-98) 210
2. Richard Buchanan (1987-90) 197
3. Jeremy Ebert (2008-11) 173
4. Kunle Patrick (2000-03) 171
5. Shaun Herbert (2003-06) 168
6. Ross Lane (2005-08) 163
   Mark Philmore (2002-05) 163
8. Eric Peterman (2005-08) 160
9. Lee Gissendaner (1990-93) 156
10. Tyrell Sutton (2005-08) 149

ACTIVE LEADERS

Christian Jones (2011-) 121
Dan Vitale (2012-) 118

CAREER SACKS

		Total
1.	Casey Dailey (1994-97)	28.0
2.	Steve Shine (1990-93)	21.0
3.	Corey Wootton (2006-09)	19.5
4.	Vince Browne (2008-11)	19.0
5.	Dwayne Missouri (1997-2000)	17.0
6.	Tyler Scott (2010-12)	16.0
7.	Matt Rice (1993-96)	12.0
8.	Loren Howard (2002-04)	11.0
	J. Cunningham (1989-92)	11.0
	Ifeadi Odenigbo (2011-)	**11.0**
	Deonte Gibson (2012-)	**11.0**
11.	**Dean Lowry (2012-)**	**10.0**
	2 players	10.0

CAREER PASS BREAKUPS

1. Harold Blackmon (1997-2000) 48
2. Marvin Ward (2001-04) 40
3. **Nick VanHoose (2011-) 31**
4. Sherrick McManis (2006-09) 30
5. Raheem Covington (1998-2002) 24
   Jordan Mabin (2008-11) 24
   Ibraheim Campbell (2011-14) 24
8. Rodney Ray (1991-95) 23
9. Brett Whitley (1984-87) 22
10. Pete Shaw (1972-76) 21

... **Matthew Harris (2013-) 19**
Dean Lowry (2012-) 15

CAREER STARTS

	2015	Career
Dan Vitale, Superback	6	40
Nick VanHoose, Cornerback	6	38
Christian Jones, Wide Receiver	6	35
Geoff Mogus, Offensive Lineman	5	28
Dean Lowry, Defensive End	6	27
Traveon Henry, Safety	6	26
Matthew Harris, Cornerback	6	23
Matt Frazier, Offensive Lineman	2	18
Deonte Gibson, Defensive End	6	17
Ian Park, Offensive Lineman	6	14
C.J. Robbins, Defensive Tackle	6	14
Eric Olson, Offensive Lineman	5	14
Drew Smith, Linebacker	6	13
Anthony Walker, Linebacker	6	13
Miles Shuler, Wide Receiver	5	12
Godwin Igwebuike, Safety	6	11
Justin Jackson, Running Back	6	11
Max Chapman, Defensive Tackle	0	9
Greg Kuhar, Defensive Tackle	0	8
Cameron Dickerson, Wide Receiver	0	7
Shane Mertz, Offensive Lineman	6	6
Clayton Thorson, Quarterback	6	6
Jaylen Prater, Linebacker	6	6
Tyler Lancaster, Defensive Tackle	6	6
Austin Carr, Wide Receiver	4	4
Adam DePietro, Offensive Lineman	1	3
Connor Mahoney, Offensive Lineman	3	3
Mike McHugh, Wide Receiver	2	3
Blake Hance, Offensive Lineman	1	1
Garrett Dickerson, Superback	0	1
Marcus McShepard, Cornerback	0	1
Zack Oliver, Quarterback	0	1
Kyle Queiro, Defensive Back	0	1

THE LAST TIME...

Scored 60+ Points	NU 61, Illinois 23 (11-18-00)
Scored 50-59 Points	NU 50, Illinois 14 (11-24-12)
Scored 40-49 Points	NU 43, Notre Dame 40 (OT) (11-15-14)
Rushed for 200-299 yards	290 vs. Ball State (9-26-15)
Rushed for 300-399 yards	344 vs. Eastern Illinois (9-12-15)
Rushed for 400+ yards	444 at Illinois (11-22-03)
Passed for 400+ yards	532 vs. Auburn (1-1-10)
Had 500-599 yards of total offense	546 vs. Ball State (9-26-15)
Had 600+ yards of total offense	704 vs. Indiana (9-29-12)
Won a game on final play (regulation)	vs. Michigan State, 47-yd FG (9-29-01)
Record a safety	vs. Illinois (11-24-12)
Record a shutout	NU 27, Minnesota 0 (10-3-15)
Played No. 1-ranked team	#1 Ohio State 54, NU 10 (11-11-06)
Beat No. 1-ranked team	NU 12, #1 Miami (Fla.) (9-23-67)
Beat a Top-10 team	NU 28, #9 Nebraska 25 (11-5-11)
Beat a ranked team	NU 16, #21 Stanford 6 (9-5-15)
Beat two ranked teams in a row	NU 47, #7 Wisconsin 44 (9-23-00)
	NU 37, #18 Michigan State 17 (9-30-00)
Ranked by AP (media)	No. 20 (10-11-15
Ranked by USA Today (coaches)	No. 21 (10-11-15)
Ranked in BCS Standings	No. 20 (12-2-12)
Ranked No. 1 by AP	1962
Sellout at home	47,330, vs. Nebraska (10-18-14)
Had consecutive sellouts	2 games
	vs. Iowa (11-13-10)
	vs. Illinois (11-20-10) *at Wrigley Field

INDIVIDUALS

Returned kickoff for a TD	Solomon Vault (98) at Duke (9-19-15)
Returned punt for a TD	Tony Jones (64) at Purdue (11-22-14)
Returned INT for a TD	Matthew Harris (71) vs. Eastern Illinois (9-12-15)
Returned fumble for TD	Anthony Walker (13) vs. Minnesota (10-3-15)
Blocked an extra point	Dean Lowry vs. Ball State (9-26-15)
Blocked a FG attempt	Nick VanHoose vs. Michigan (11-8-14)
Blocked a punt	Keith Watkins II vs. Western Illinois (9-20-14)
Rushed for 3 or more TDs	Trevor Siemian (3) at Penn State (9-27-14)
Rushed for 100 yards	Justin Jackson (120) vs. Minnesota (10-3-15)
Two players rushed for 100 yards	Treyvon Green (149) vs. Western Michigan (9-14-13)
	Kain Colter (106) vs. Western Michigan (9-14-13)
Rushed for 200 yards	Mike Kafka (217) at Minnesota (11-1-08)
Completed 20-29 passes	Zack Oliver (23) vs. Illinois (11-29-14)
Completed 30+ passes	Trevor Siemian (30) at Notre Dame (11-15-14)
Passed for 3+ TDs	Clayton Thorson (3) vs. Ball State (9-26-15)
Passed for 300-399 yards	Trevor Siemian (308) vs. Indiana (9-29-12)
Passed for 400-499 yards	Trevor Siemian (414) at Illinois (11-30-13)
Passed for 500+ yards	Mike Kafka (532) vs. Auburn (1-1-10)
Scored 3 TDs in a game	Trevor Siemian (3 rushing) at Penn State (9-27-14)
Scored 4+ Tds in a game	Kain Colter (4 rushing) vs. Indiana (9-29-12)
2-point conversion	Tony Jones pass from Zack Oliver vs. Illinois (11-29-14)
	Cameron Dickerson pass from Zack Oliver vs. Illinois (11-29-14)
Caught 10+ passes	Kyle Prater (10) at Notre Dame (11-15-14)
100-199 yards receiving	Dan Vitale (108) vs. Ball State (9-26-15)
200+ yards receiving	Jeremy Ebert (208) vs. Rice (11-12-11)
Two players 100 receiving yards	Christian Jones (182) at Illinois (11-30-13)
	Rashad Lawrence (112) at Illinois (11-30-13)
Scored 3+ TDs receiving	Drake Dunsmore (4) at Indiana (10-29-11)
Kicked 3 FGs in one game	Jack Mitchell (3) vs. #21 Stanford (9-5-15)
Kicked 4 FGs in one game	Jack Mitchell (4) at Notre Dame (11-15-14)
Kicked 5 FGs in one game	Jeff Budzien (5) vs. Boston College (9-5-12)
Kicked a 50-yard FG	David Wasielewski (51) at Air Force (8-31-02)
Kicked a 70-79 yard punt	Brandon Williams (77) vs. Minnesota (11-19-11)
Kicked an 80-89-yard punt	Merlin Norenberg (80) vs. Minnesota (10-12-63)
Intercepted 2 passes	Matthew Harris (2) vs. Eastern Illinois (9-12-15)
Intercepted 3 passes	Godwin Igwebuike (3) vs. Wisconsin (10-14-14)
Recovered two fumbles	Jimmy Hall (2) at Notre Dame (11-15-14)
Recorded 100+ kickoff return yards	Venric Mark (141) vs. Texas A&M (12-31-11)
Recorded 20+ tackles	Tim McGarigle (21, 11-10) vs. Michigan (10-29-05)

	Wisconsin 70, NU 23 (11-27-10)
	Ohio State 58, NU 7 (9-22-07)
	Illinois 47, NU 33 (11-29-14)
	Michigan - 201 (10-10-15)
	Indiana - 319 (10-29-11)
	Illinois - 519 (11-20-10)
	California - 455 (8-31-13)
	Wisconsin - 527 (10-12-13)
	Arizona State - 773 (9-17-05)
	Nebraska, 49-yard pass (11-2-13)
	Michigan State (11-17-12)
	#18 Michigan 38, #13 NU 0 (10-10-15)
	Wisconsin 37, #1 NU 6 (11-10-62)
	Wisconsin 37, #1 NU 6 (11-10-62)

OPPONENTS

Jehu Chesson (96), Michigan (10-10-15)
Ben Niemann (1), Iowa (11-1-14)
Jourdan Lewis (37), Michigan (10-10-15)
Austin Collinsworth (32), Notre Dame (11-15-14)
J.J. Watt, Wisconsin (11-27-10)
Mike McGlinchey, Notre Dame (11-15-14)
Ben Niemann, Iowa (11-1-14)
Ameer Abdullah (4), Nebraska (10-18-14)
Reilly O'Toole (147), Illinois (11-29-14)
Melvin Gordon (172), Wisconsin (10-12-13)
James White (101), Wisconsin (10-12-13)
Melvin Gordon (259), Wisconsin (10-4-14)
Austin Appleby (26), Purdue (11-22-14)
Nathan Scheelhaase (31), Illinois (11-30-13)
Reilly O'Toole (3), Illinois (11-29-14)
Nathan Scheelhaase (307), Illinois (11-30-13)
Jared Goff (445), California (8-31-13)
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William Fuller (3c), Notre Dame (11-15-14)
Ameer Abdullah (4r), Nebraska (10-18-14)
Devin Gardner rush (3OT), Michigan (11-16-13)

Lance Lenoir (11), Western Illinois (9-20-14)
Jordan Williams (133), Ball State (9-26-15)
A.J. Jenkins (268), Illinois (10-1-11)
Jeff Fuller (119), Texas A&M (12-31-11)
Ryan Swope (105), Texas A&M (12-31-11)
William Fuller (3), Notre Dame (11-15-14)
Ryan Lichtenstein (3), Syracuse (9-19-09)
Brendan Gibbons (4), Michigan (11-16-13)

Taylor Zalewski (51), Illinois (11-30-13)
Ryan Donahue (73), Iowa (11-13-10)

Darvin Adams (2), Auburn (1-1-10)
T'Sharvan Bell (2), Auburn (1-1-10)
Mike Rose (3), Purdue (9-27-97)
Marc Jackson (2), Illinois (11-23-02)
Amir Carlisle (122), Notre Dame (11-15-14)
J Leman (22, 11-11), Illinois (11-18-06)

GAME ONE: STANFORD



Sep. 5, 2015
Ryan Field
Attendance: 36,024

#21 STANFORD	**6**
NORTHWESTERN	**16**

Northwestern won its season-opener for the ninth time in the last 10 years with the defense leading the way as the Wildcats defeated No. 21 Stanford 16-6 Saturday afternoon at Ryan Field.

Sophomore linebacker Anthony Walker's career-high 10 tackles -- three of which went for a loss -- helped Northwestern limit Stanford to 240 total yards, and safety Kyle Queiro's fourth quarter interception in the end zone sealed the win.

On the offensive side, redshirt freshman quarterback Clayton Thorson scored the game's only touchdown on a 42-yard run, while sophomore back Justin Jackson broke the 100-yard mark for the seventh time in his career. The Wildcats converted on 12 third downs, and kicker Jack Mitchell hit on three of his four field goal attempts -- including a career-long 49-yarder.

Jackson, picking up where he left off after recording the second 1,000-yard rushing season by a Northwestern freshman, broke off runs of 16 and 19 yards -- both on third down. Thorson showed impressive poise in the pocket, connecting with senior receiver Christian Jones on a key 11-yard third down gain. Northwestern eventually leveled the score behind Mitchell's 31-yard field goal.

Thorson gave the 'Cats the lead in the second quarter when he found a huge hole to his left and burst through, outrunning the Stanford defense for a 42-yard touchdown to put the 'Cats up 10-3. NU would take the seven-point advantage into the halftime intermission.

Neither team threatened to score until Northwestern's fourth drive of the half. The Wildcats started on their own 37-yard line and steadily picked away at Stanford's D as they made their way down the field. Thorson once again completed a third-down pass, this time to Jackson on 3rd-and-4, for the Wildcats' 10th conversion on 18 third-down tries. Then, from the Stanford 26-yard line, Jackson found an opening and broke free for a 21-yard pickup. Mitchell converted a chip-shot 19-yard field goal, extending Northwestern's lead to 13-3.

Stanford responded by marching 55 yards to Northwestern's 20-yard line, but the 'Cats again held their ground and forced the Cardinal's second field goal of the day as Ukropina hit on a 37-yard with 7:26 remaining to make it a seven-point game.

Northwestern got the ball back with 7:16 remaining and Thorson continued his third-down success with a 25-yard completion to Miles Shuler just inside the Northwestern sideline.Northwestern was forced to bring Mitchell out for a 49-yard field goal attempt. From three yards farther out than his previous career-long at Notre Dame, Mitchell converted to put Northwestern back up by 10 with 3:38 to go.

Stanford began its final drive at its own 28-yard line and brought the ball all the way to Northwestern's five-yard line, but Hogan tried to force a pass into the end zone, and Queiro jumped in front of the Stanford receiver for the game-clinching interception.

SCORING SUMMARY

#21 STANFORD	**3**	**0**	**0**	**3**	**—**	**6**
NORTHWESTERN	**3**	**7**	**0**	**6**	**—**	**16**

First Quarter: 8:33 STAN — Ukropina 29 FG; 00:52 NU — Mitchell 31 FG
Second Quarter: 6:18 NU — Thorson 42 run (Mitchell kick)
Third Quarter: n/a
Fourth Quarter: 12:21 NU — Mitchell 19 FG; 7:26 STAN — Ukropina 37 FG; 3:38 NU — Mitchell 49 FG

GAME STATISTICS

STANFORD		NU
17	First Downs	17
27	Rushing Attempts	54
104	Yards Gained Rushing	255
19	Yards Lost Rushing	30
85	Net Yards Rushing	225
155	Net Yards Passing	105
35	Passes Attempted	25
20	Passes Completed	12
1	Had Intercepted	0
62	Total Offensive Plays	79
240	Total Net Yards	330
2-1	Fumbles-Lost	2-0
5-25	Penalties-Yards	5-57
0-0-0	Interceptions-Yards-TD	1-17-0
7-322	Punts-Yards	5-194
46.0	Avg. Yard/Punt	38.8
1-8-0	Punt Return-Yards-TD	1-7-0
4-90-0	Kickoff Return-Yards-TD	1-19-0
28:08	Possession Time	31:52
3/15	Third-Down Conversions	12/22
0-0	Sacks By-Yards	3-11

INDIVIDUAL LEADERS

RUSHING:
STAN—McCaffrey 12-66-0
NU—Jackson 28-134-0

PASSING:
STAN—Hogan 20-35-155-1
NU—Thorson 12-24-105-0

RECEIVING:
STAN—Hooper 5-45-0
NU—Jones 5-52-0

GAMEDAY PHOTOS







GAME TWO: EASTERN ILLINOIS



SEP. 12, 2015
RYAN FIELD
ATTENDANCE: 29,131

EASTERN ILLINOIS	**0**
NORTHWESTERN	**41**

EVANSTON, Ill. – Northwestern rushed for 344 yards and the defense kept the opposition from reaching the end zone for the second straight game as the Wildcats rolled to a 41-0 win over Eastern Illinois Saturday afternoon at Ryan Field.

Justin Jackson ran for 78 yards and Warren Long added a career-high 72 to lead a balanced Northwestern attack. Jackson and Long each scored touchdowns with Long crossing the goal line for the first time in his collegiate career.

Clayton Thorson accounted for 152 yards through the air on 11-of-16 passing and threw his first career touchdown pass in the third quarter – a 44-yard connection with Austin Carr, a former walk-on who was rewarded with a scholarship earlier this week. The touchdown was also Carr's first career TD catch. Thorson, making his second career start, also rushed for an eight-yard touchdown as time wound down in the first half.

On Heroes Day, 33-year-old former Navy SEAL Tom Hruby got some action in the backfield on the final drive of the game. The linebacker-turned-running back rushed eight times for 25 yards on the drive, picking up a first down in the process and bringing the Ryan Field crowd to its feet.

The Wildcats got the scoring started in the first quarter with a 22-yard field goal by Jack Mitchell. With time winding down in the first quarter, Jackson finished off an 11-yard touchdown run to push the advantage to 10-0 after the opening stanza.

Another field goal by Mitchell – this time from 33 yards – made it 13-0 prior to Long taking an eight-yard run to the house as he spun his way to the end zone. An interception by Matthew Harris gave NU one more opportunity to put points on the board in the first half and Thorson weaved his way through the EIU defense with only 13 seconds remaining to make it 27-0 at the break.

The Wildcats would tack on two final touchdowns in the third quarter. Thorson connected with Carr with 9:18 remaining in the period before Harris picked off his second pass of the day and returned it 71 yards for the score.

The Northwestern defense was again a force to be reckoned with, posting a shutout for the first time since Sept. 1, 2007 when the Wildcats beat Northeastern 27-0. After allowing only 240 yards of total offense to Stanford, the stingy Wildcats gave up just 138 yards to Eastern Illinois.

Anthony Walker, the reigning Big Ten Defensive Player of the Week, led the way with seven tackles, including two solo tackles for loss. It was an all-around effort for the Wildcat defense with 22 players registering tackles.

The 41-point victory was the largest by a Northwestern squad since Oct. 10, 1970. Chicago's Big Ten Team beat Illinois that day by a score of 48-0.

SCORING SUMMARY

EASTERN ILLINOIS	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**—**	**0**
NORTHWESTERN	**10**	**17**	**14**	**0**	**—**	**41**

First Quarter: 9:41 NU — Mitchell 22 FG; 1:40 NU — Jackson 11 run (Mitchell kick)
Second Quarter: 12:09 NU — Mitchell 33 FG; 6:12 — Long 8 run (Mitchell kick); 00:13 NU — Thorson 8 run (Mitchell kick)
Third Quarter: 9:18 — Carr 44 reception (Mitchell kick); 1:08 NU — Harris 71 INT return (Mitchell kick)
Fourth Quarter: n/a

GAME STATISTICS

EIU		NU
8	First Downs	28
29	Rushing Attempts	69
104	Yards Gained Rushing	355
34	Yards Lost Rushing	11
68	Net Yards Rushing	344
68	Net Yards Passing	155
20	Passes Attempted	16
10	Passes Completed	11
2	Had Intercepted	0
49	Total Offensive Plays	85
138	Total Net Yards	496
0-0	Fumbles-Lost	2-1
3-17	Penalties-Yards	3-26
0-0-0	Interceptions-Yards-TD	2-94-1
7-264	Punts-Yards	2-73
37.7	Avg. Yard/Punt	36.5
0-0-0	Punt Return-Yards-TD	2--2-0
7-128-0	Kickoff Return-Yards-TD	1-24-0
22:55	Possession Time	37:05
0/11	Third-Down Conversions	10/17
1-1	Sacks By-Yards	3-23

INDIVIDUAL LEADERS

RUSHING:
EIU—Church 11-63-0
NU—Jackson 22-78-1

PASSING:
EIU—Hogan 10-19-1/68/0
NU—Thorson 11-16-0/152/1

RECEIVING:
EIU—Nelson 3-36-0
NU—Vitale 4-40-0

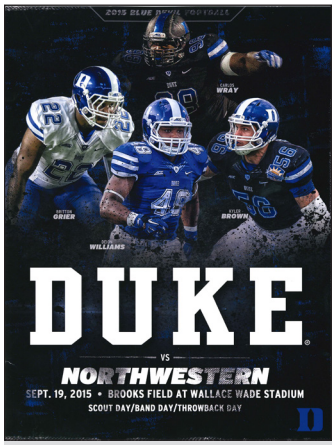
GAMEDAY PHOTOS







GAME THREE: DUKE



Sep. 19, 2015
Wallace Wade Stadium
Attendance: 24,127

#23 NORTHWESTERN	**19**
DUKE	**10**

DURHAM, N.C. — Sophomore Solomon Vault provided the spark No. 23 Northwestern needed with a second half kickoff return for a touchdown and classmate Anthony Walker finished with a career-high 19 tackles in a Wildcats defensive showcase at Duke en route to a 19-10 win at Wallace Wade Stadium Saturday afternoon.

After a first half in which the Wildcats garnered 57 yards of offense and scored just three points, Vault took the opening kick of the second 98 yards to give the Wildcats a lead it would never relinquish.

The Wildcats' defense gave up just 72 yards of offense in the first quarter, but redshirt freshman Clayton Thorson's first interception of the season set up Duke with friendly field position early in the quarter.

Thomas Sirk scored five plays later on a five-yard scramble to put the Blue Devils in front, 7-0.

Northwestern struggled to get anything going offensively in the first half, mustering just 57 yards of total offense. The defense was able to limit the Blue Devils to the lone touchdown however thanks in large part to two huge second-quarter turnovers.

The Blue Devils drove down to the Wildcats' 10-yard line midway through the second when senior defensive end Dean Lowry tipped a pass and came away with an interception. After a three-and-out and punt by the Wildcats, sophomore Godwin Igwebuike stripped Shaun Wilson to give Chicago's Big Ten Team the ball at the Duke 40-yard line.

Thorson found sophomore Justin Jackson out of the backfield on first down for a gain of 21 yards into the red zone, leading to the Wildcats getting a 37-yard field goal from junior Jack Mitchell to make the halftime deficit just 7-3.

Walker finished that first half with an incredible total of 14 tackles.

Lightning struck immediately out of the locker room when Vault sprinted 98 yards for a #B1GCats touchdown on the opening kick of the second half, his second-career return for a TD after having an 89-yarder against Illinois last year. The extra point was blocked, however, making NU's lead 9-7.

Mitchell added a 44-yard field goal with 9:46 left in the third to extend the lead to 12-7, but Duke answered shortly into fourth to cut the NU edge to three, 12-10.

On the ensuing drive, Northwestern drove to its own 45, then Warren Long burst through on third-and-short for a 55 yard sprint to the endzone, putting the #B1GCats up 19-10.

From there, the defense stood tall time and again with one more special teams contribution. Late in the fourth quarter, Hunter Niswander booted a punt to near midfield, where it was fumbled and pounced on by Long. After the recovery, Northwestern was able to milk the clock in one final drive in which Jackson went over the 100 yard mark on the ground. He finished with 120 yards on 35 carries.

SCORING SUMMARY

#23 NORTHWESTERN	**0**	**3**	**9**	**7**	**—**	**19**
DUKE	**7**	**0**	**0**	**3**	**—**	**10**

First Quarter: 9:17 Duke—Sirk 5 run (Martin kick)
Second Quarter: 1:27 NU—Mitchell 37 FG
Third Quarter: 14:46 NU—Vault 98 Kick Return (Mitchell blocked); 9:46 NU—Mitchell 44 FG
Fourth Quarter: 14:25 Duke—Martin 38 FG; 12:31 NU—Long 55 run (Mitchell kick)

GAME STATISTICS

NU		DUKE
15	First Downs	16
54	Rushing Attempts	35
243	Yards Gained Rushing	179
42	Yards Lost Rushing	2
201	Net Yards Rushing	177
70	Net Yards Passing	150
23	Passes Attempted	39
9	Passes Completed	24
2	Had Intercepted	1
77	Total Offensive Plays	74
271	Total Net Yards	327
1-0	Fumbles-Lost	3-2
2-10	Penalties-Yards	4-39
1-18-0	Interceptions-Yards-TD	2-24-0
10-413	Punts-Yards	11-605
41.3	Avg. Yard/Punt	55.0
2-12-0	Punt Return-Yards-TD	4-0-0
2-118-1	Kickoff Return-Yards-TD	5-79-0
32:10	Possession Time	27:50
6-20	Third-Down Conversions	3-17
0-0	Sacks By-Yards	1-13

INDIVIDUAL LEADERS

RUSHING:
NU—Jackson 35-120-0
DUKE—Powell 9-71-0

PASSING:
NU—Thorson 9-23-2/70/0
DUKE—Sirk 24-39-1/150/0

RECEIVING:
NU—Vitale, D. 2-26-0
DUKE—Powell 7-39-0

GAMEDAY PHOTOS







GAME FOUR: BALL STATE



Sep. 26, 2015
Ryan Field
Attendance: 30,107

BALL STATE	**19**
#17 NORTHWESTERN	**24**

EVANSTON, Ill. — Redshirt freshman quarterback Clayton Thorson had the best game of his young career, throwing for a career-high 256 yards and three touchdowns as No. 17/19 Northwestern outlasted Ball State 24-19 Saturday evening at Ryan Field.

The victory allowed the Wildcats to conclude nonconference play with a perfect 4-0 record heading into next weekend's Big Ten opener against Minnesota.

Thorson became the first Northwestern player to throw for three touchdowns in a game since Trevor Siemian tossed four touchdowns against Illinois in 2013. The win takes Northwestern's September record to 20-2 since 2010.

In a first half where both defenses shone, Northwestern's defense showed a bend-but-not-break resiliency. Despite conceding 221 yards, Northwestern kept Ball State out of the end zone for the majority of the first half. Three Cardinal red zone attempts culminated in just a solitary field goal, including a 67 yard Ball State drive to end the first quarter being thwarted by a fumble recovery by senior safety Traevon Henry on the 4-yard line to open the second quarter.

The Wildcat offense looked most likely to strike through the air in the first half, and did when Thorson found senior superback Dan Vitale for a 66-yard strike and a 7-3 lead with 6:20 left in the half. It was a career long completion and reception for Thorson and Vitale, respectively.

While Ball State reclaimed the lead just before the end of the second quarter thanks to a Northwestern turnover, for the second consecutive game the Wildcats took the lead on their first possession of the second half. The Wildcats tore down the field for 80 yards in eight plays, capped off by a 21-yard pass from Thorson to Vitale for the second time on the evening.

The Northwestern floodgates were busted open, as they racked up 10 points and 151 yards with their next two drives. Junior Austin Carr caught his second career touchdown reception on a 25-yard pass to make it 21-10, and sophomore running back Justin Jackson broke off a 62-yard run to start the ensuing drive, setting up a 21-yard field goal from junior Jack Mitchell.

Ball State got back into the game when Riley Neal hooked up with Jordan Williams for a 29-yard touchdown pass with 2:06 remaining. However, Dean Lowry blocked the ensuing extra point as the Cardinals could only close to within eight.

The NU offense took charge of the third quarter, piling up 259 yards, when Jackson ran for 90 of his career-high 184 yards. The effort marked Jackson's second consecutive and ninth career 100-yard performance, and the Wildcats' 546 yards on the night set a new season high.

The visitors got back into the red zone midway through the fourth quarter, but were forced to settle for a 36-yard field goal by Morgan Hagee that make it a five-point game with 4:34 remaining.

The Wildcats were able to virtually run out the clock down the stretch, though, as Jackson rushed for two first downs and Solomon Vault ran for another as NU held on for the victory.

Northwestern's defense reclaimed center stage with another stalwart performance to close the game out. Junior cornerback Matthew Harris recorded a career high three pass breakups and Henry's team-leading seven tackles was one tackle shy of tying his career high.

SCORING SUMMARY

BALL STATE	**3**	**7**	**6**	**3**	**—**	**19**
#17 NORTHWESTERN	**0**	**7**	**17**	**0**	**—**	**24**

First Quarter: 9:06 BSU — Hagee 30 FG
Second Quarter: 6:20 NU — Vitale, D. 66 Reception (Mitchell Kick); 0:56 BSU — Williams 22 Reception (Hagee Kick)
Third Quarter: 12:05 NU — Vitale, D. 21 Reception (Mitchell Kick); 8:01 NU — Carr 25 Reception (Mitchell Kick); 4:51 NU - Mitchell 21 FG; 2:06 BSU — Williams 29 Reception
Fourth Quarter: 4:34 BSU — Hagee 36 FG

GAME STATISTICS

BSU		NU
18	First Downs	23
34	Rushing Attempts	57
188	Yards Gained Rushing	308
7	Yards Lost Rushing	18
181	Net Yards Rushing	290
178	Net Yards Passing	256
35	Passes Attempted	31
14	Passes Completed	18
0	Had Intercepted	1
69	Total Offensive Plays	88
359	Total Net Yards	546
3-1	Fumbles-Lost	3-2
2-10	Penalties-Yards	8-57
1-0-0	Interceptions-Yards-TD	0-0-0
7-300	Punts-Yards	5-175
42.9	Avg. Yard/Punt	35.0
0-0-0	Punt Return-Yards-TD	0-0-0
2-46-0	Kickoff Return-Yards-TD	3-60-0
26:35	Possession Time	33:25
5/16	Third-Down Conversions	13/22
1-7	Sacks By-Yards	0-0

INDIVIDUAL LEADERS

RUSHING:
BSU—Neal 16-74-0
NU—Jackson 33-184-0

PASSING:
BSU—Neal 14-35-0/178/2
NU—Thorson 18-31-1/256/3

RECEIVING:
BSU—Williams 8-133-2
NU—Vitale 5-108-2

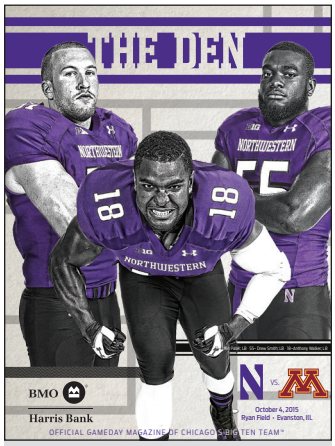
GAMEDAY PHOTOS







GAME FIVE: MINNESOTA



OCT. 3, 2015
RYAN FIELD
ATTENDANCE: 30,044

MINNESOTA	**0**
#16 NORTHWESTERN	**27**

EVANSTON, Ill. — Justin Jackson racked up 121 rushing yards, freshman quarterback Clayton Thorson scored a pair of touchdowns on the ground and No. 16 Northwestern opened Big Ten play by holding visiting Minnesota to 173 yards of offense on the way to a 27-0 win on Saturday afternoon at Ryan Field.

Sophomore safety Godwin Igwebuike matched a career high with nine tackles, cornerback Matthew Harris recorded his third interception of the year and linebacker Anthony Walker scored his second career touchdown on a 13-yard fumble return.

Northwestern improved to 5-0 on the season and recorded its second shutout of the year.

Northwestern forced a pair of Minnesota three-and-outs after the field goal attempt, the second of which led to a Gopher punt that Miles Shuler returned 55 yards before being forced out of bounds at the 5-yard line. On the following play, Thorson ran the ball into the end zone himself for the touchdown. The score put the Wildcats up 10-0, an advantage they would carry into halftime.

Northwestern started the second half with the ball and drove to Minnesota's 32-yard line, at which point Thorson lofted a pass to Solomon Vault in the end zone. The sophomore receiver appeared to haul in the pass with an incredible one-handed catch, but the initial ruling of a touchdown was overturned after a replay review.

Three plays later, Thorson connected with Mike McHugh on fourth-and-7 for an 11-yard gain, and the 'Cats continued their momentum down to the 4-yard line. Mitchell converted on his second field goal of the game, this one a 23-yarder, to finish a drive that shaved 8:47 off the clock.

After Northwestern once again kept Minnesota off the board, the 'Cats found the end zone for the second time courtesy of a 68-yard drive. Jackson highlighted the drive with an impressive 31-yard run during which the sophomore back showed off his elusiveness, juking a couple Minnesota defenders to find space in the middle of the field for a big pickup.

The 'Cats took the ball down to the 1-yard line, and Thorson snuck the ball into the end zone behind an offensive line that protected him well all day.

Minutes later on a Minnesota possession that started at the 4-yard line thanks to a beautiful punt by Hunter Niswander, junior tackle Tyler Lancaster knocked the ball out of Minnesota quarterback Mitch Leidner's hand. Anthony Walker scooped up the fumble and ran it into the end zone on a 13-yard return, stretching the Wildcat lead to 27-0. The score would hold until the end of the game, marking the first time Minnesota has been shut out since Oct. 1, 2011.

SCORING SUMMARY

MINNESOTA	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**—**	**0**
#16 NORTHWESTERN	**3**	**7**	**10**	**7**	**—**	**27**

First Quarter: 7:27 NU — Mitchell 25 FG
Second Quarter: 1:36 NU — Thorson 5 run (Mitchell kick)
Third Quarter: 6:13 NU — Mitchell 23 FG; 1:25 NU—Thorson 1 run (Mitchell kick)
Fourth Quarter: 11:41 NU — Walker 13 Fumble Recovery (Mitchell kick)

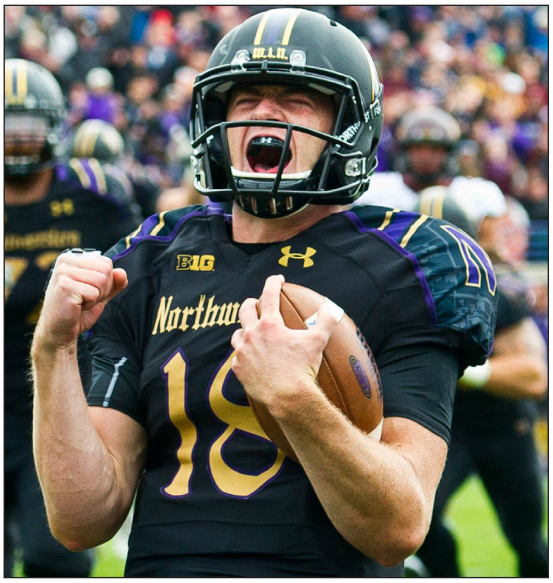
GAME STATISTICS

MINN		NU
11	First Downs	16
33	Rushing Attempts	51
105	Yards Gained Rushing	201
31	Yards Lost Rushing	17
74	Net Yards Rushing	184
99	Net Yards Passing	128
32	Passes Attempted	19
15	Passes Completed	14
1	Had Intercepted	0
65	Total Offensive Plays	70
173	Total Net Yards	312
1-1	Fumbles-Lost	3-0
2-10	Penalties-Yards	3-20
0-0-0	Interceptions-Yards-TD	1-0-0
7-299	Punts-Yards	6-235
42.7	Avg. Yard/Punt	39.2
0-0-0	Punt Return-Yards-TD	1-55-0
4-68-0	Kickoff Return-Yards-TD	0-0-0
25:58	Possession Time	34:02
4/16	Third-Down Conversions	7/17
1-3	Sacks By-Yards	3-17

INDIVIDUAL LEADERS

RUSHING:	PASSING:	RECEIVING:
MINN—Brooks 10-33-0	MINN—Leidner 10-21-1/72/0	BSU—Maye 4-39-0
NU—Jackson 20-120-0	NU—Thorson 14-19-0/128/0	NU—Jones 3-38-0

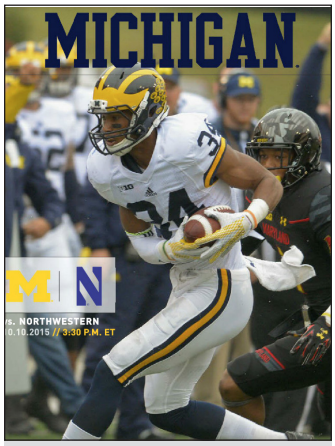
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GAME SIX: MICHIGAN



OCT. 10, 2015
MICHIGAN STADIUM
ATTENDANCE: 110,452

#13 NORTHWESTERN	**0**
#18 MICHIGAN	**38**

ANN ARBOR, Mich. -- No. 18 Michigan took the opening kickoff of the game 96 yards for a touchdown and No. 13 Northwestern never recovered, dropping its first game of the season, 38-0.

The 5-1 (1-1) Wildcats return home Saturday, Oct. 17, for a huge West Division showdown against the undefeated Hawkeyes of Iowa for Homecoming 2015 in a game that has huge implications in the Big Ten race.

The game will feature a 20th anniversary reunion of the 1995 Big Ten championship and Rose Bowl team. All-America running back Darnell Autry will serve as grand marshal of the Homecoming parade Friday during an entire weekend of festivities.

On Saturday in Ann Arbor, the Wildcats fell behind 21-0 in the first quarter on a 1-yard touchdown run by the Wolverines' Drake Johnson and 2-yard quarterback keeper by Jake Rudock after the opening kick return.

The 'Cats' defense was able to slow the Wolverines down in the second quarter, but an interception by Jourdan Lewis was returned 36 yards for a touchdown to extend Michigan's lead to 28-0 at the half.

The Wolverines added a field goal on their first drive of the second half, then both teams kept each other off the scoreboard until a late Michigan score with mostly reserves on the field accounted for the final 38-0 score.

With 14 of U-M's points coming on a kickoff return and an interception return, the #B1GCats defense surrendered just 17 points in the contest until a late touchdown. Senior Deonte Gibson had a strong day on the D-line, earning a career-high 2.5 sacks to move into the top-10 all-time at Northwestern with 11 in his career. Godwin Igwebuike also made several TFLs among his eight tackles in the game.

The game marked third-consecutive shutout for Michigan, the first time an NCAA FBS Division school has accomplished that feat since 1980.

SCORING SUMMARY

#13 NORTHWESTERN	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**—**	**0**
#18 MICHIGAN	**21**	**7**	**3**	**7**	**—**	**38**

First Quarter: 14:47 MICH — Chesson 96 kick return (Allen kick); 10:20 MICH — Johnson 1 run (Allen kick); 2:35 MICH — Rudock 2 run (Allen kick)
Second Quarter: 3:20 MICH —Lewis 37 INT return (Allen kick)
Third Quarter: 10:14 MICH — Allen 47 FG
Fourth Quarter: 2:14 MICH — Green 4 run (Allen kick)

GAME STATISTICS

NU		MICH
13	First Downs	21
25	Rushing Attempts	46
72	Yards Gained Rushing	220
34	Yards Lost Rushing	19
38	Net Yards Rushing	201
130	Net Yards Passing	179
33	Passes Attempted	23
15	Passes Completed	17
1	Had Intercepted	0
58	Total Offensive Plays	69
168	Total Net Yards	380
0-0	Fumbles-Lost	0-0
5-39	Penalties-Yards	3-28
0-0-0	Interceptions-Yards-TD	1-37-1
8-280	Punts-Yards	5-190
35.0	Avg. Yard/Punt	38.0
0-0-0	Punt Return-Yards-TD	0-0-0
4-75-0	Kickoff Return-Yards-TD	1-96-1
22:55	Possession Time	37:05
2/13	Third-Down Conversions	7/14
3-4	Sacks By-Yards	4-23

INDIVIDUAL LEADERS

RUSHING:	PASSING:	RECEIVING:
NU—Jackson 12-25-0	NU—Thorson 13-27-1/106/0	NU—Carr 2-39-0
MICH—Smith 8-59-0	MICH—Rudock 17-23-0/179/0	MICH—Williams 4-48-0

GAMEDAY PHOTOS







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	Date	Opponent		Score	Overall Record	Conference Record	Time	Attend
	Sep 05, 2015	#21 STANFORD	W	16-6	1- 0- 0	0- 0- 0	3:00	36024
	Sep 12, 2015	EASTERN ILLINOIS	W	41-0	2- 0- 0	0- 0- 0	2:49	29131
	Sep 19, 2015	at Duke	W	19-10	3- 0- 0	0- 0- 0	3:13	24127
	Sep 26, 2015	BALL STATE	W	24-19	4- 0- 0	0- 0- 0	3:32	30107
*	Oct 03, 2015	MINNESOTA	W	27-0	5- 0- 0	1- 0- 0	2:52	30044
*	Oct 10, 2015	at #18 Michigan		0-38 L	5- 1- 0	1- 1- 0	3:07	110452
*	Oct 17, 2015	IOWA		11:00 am				
*	Oct 24, 2015	at Nebraska		TBA				
*	Nov 7, 2015	PENN STATE		TBA				
*	Nov 14, 2015	PURDUE		TBA				
*	Nov 21, 2015	at Wisconsin		TBA				
*	Nov 28, 2015	vs Illinois		TBA				

* indicates conference game

		--------FIRST DOWNS---------				----RUSHING----	----------PASSING----------		--TOTAL OFFENSE--	Return	Turn-
Opponent	Score	Total	Rush	Pass	Pen	Number-Yards	Comp-Att-Int	Yards	Plays-Yards	Yards	Overs
		--/--	--/--	--/--	--/--	-------/-------	--------/--------	--/--	------- / -------	--/--	--/--
STANFORD.....	16-6	17/17	9/6	8/8	0/3	54-225 / 27-85	12-25- 0 / 20-35- 1	105/155	79-330 / 62-240	47/82	0/2
EASTERN ILLINOIS....	41-0	28/8	18/6	9/2	1/0	69-344 / 29-70	11-16- 0 / 10-20- 2	152/68	85-496 / 49-138	116/128	1/2
Duke.....	19-10	15/16	11/9	4/6	0/1	54-201 / 35-177	9-23- 2 / 24-39- 1	70/150	77-271 / 74-327	148/103	2/3
BALL STATE.....	24-19	23/18	12/8	11/8	0/2	57-290 / 34-181	18-31- 1 / 14-35- 0	256/178	88-546 / 69-359	60/46	3/1
MINNESOTA.....	27-0	16/11	7/6	9/5	0/0	51-184 / 33-74	14-19- 0 / 15-32- 1	128/99	70-312 / 65-173	68/68	0/2
Michigan.....	0-38	13/21	3/11	9/10	1/0	25-38 / 46-201	15-33- 1 / 17-23- 0	130/179	58-168 / 69-380	75/133	1/0
Totals.....	127-73	112/91	60/46	50/39	2/6	310-1282/204-788	79-147- 4/100-184- 5	841/829	457-2123/ 388-1617	514/560	7/10

Note: Game totals are displayed in the format TEAM/OPPONENT for each category

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Northwestern Overall Team Statistics (as of Oct 10, 2015)
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Team Statistics	NU	OPP
SCORING	127	73
Points Per Game	21.2	12.2
Points Off Turnovers	24	14
FIRST DOWNS	112	91
Rushing	60	46
Passing	50	39
Penalty	2	6
RUSHING YARDAGE	1282	788
Yards gained rushing	1434	900
Yards lost rushing	152	112
Rushing Attempts	310	204
Average Per Rush	4.1	3.9
Average Per Game	213.7	131.3
TDs Rushing	7	4
PASSING YARDAGE	841	829
Comp-Att-Int	79-147-4	100-184-5
Average Per Pass	5.7	4.5
Average Per Catch	10.6	8.3
Average Per Game	140.2	138.2
TDs Passing	4	2
TOTAL OFFENSE	2123	1617
Total Plays	457	388
Average Per Play	4.6	4.2
Average Per Game	353.8	269.5
KICK RETURNS: #-Yards	11-296	23-507
PUNT RETURNS: #-Yards	6-72	5--8
INT RETURNS: #-Yards	5-129	4-61
KICK RETURN AVERAGE	26.9	22.0
PUNT RETURN AVERAGE	12.0	-1.6
INT RETURN AVERAGE	25.8	15.2
FUMBLES-LOST	11-3	9-5
PENALTIES-Yards	26-209	19-129
Average Per Game	34.8	21.5
PUNTS-Yards	36-1370	44-1980
Average Per Punt	38.1	45.0
Net punt average	37.7	38.8
KICKOFFS-Yards	30-1720	20-1251
Average Per Kick	57.3	62.5
Net kick average	35.4	36.5
TIME OF POSSESSION/Game	31:55	28:05
3RD-DOWN Conversions	50/111	22/89
3rd-Down Pct	45%	25%
4TH-DOWN Conversions	3/7	5/13
4th-Down Pct	43%	38%
SACKS BY-Yards	12-55	8-47
MISC YARDS	0	0
TOUCHDOWNS SCORED	14	8
FIELD GOALS-ATTEMPTS	10-14	6-8
ON-SIDE KICKS	0-0	0-0
RED-ZONE SCORES	(14-17) 82%	(9-13) 69%
RED-ZONE TOUCHDOWNS	(5-17) 29%	(4-13) 31%
PAT-ATTEMPTS	(13-14) 93%	(7-8) 88%
ATTENDANCE	125306	134579
Games/Avg Per Game	4/31326	2/67290
Neutral Site Games		0/0

Score by Quarters	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	OT	Total
Northwestern	16	41	50	20	0	127
Opponents	34	14	9	16	0	73

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Rushing	gp	att	gain	loss	net	avg	td	lg	avg/g
Jackson, Justin	6	150	693	32	661	4.4	1	62	110.2
Long, Warren	6	36	197	7	190	5.3	2	55	31.7
Thorson, Clayton	6	44	203	42	161	3.7	4	42	26.8
Vault, Solomon	6	35	152	12	140	4.0	0	15	23.3
Acker, Corey	5	5	57	0	57	11.4	0	31	11.4
Anderson, Auston	3	11	61	5	56	5.1	0	22	18.7
Roberts, Jelani	6	8	41	13	28	3.5	0	11	4.7
Hruby, Tom	3	8	25	0	25	3.1	0	9	8.3
Alviti, Matt	2	3	5	7	-2	-0.7	0	5	-1.0
Oliver, Zack	2	1	0	9	-9	-9.0	0	0	-4.5
TEAM	4	9	0	25	-25	-2.8	0	0	-6.2
Total	6	310	1434	152	1282	4.1	7	62	213.7
Opponents	6	204	900	112	788	3.9	4	34	131.3

Passing	gp	effic	comp-att-int	pct	yds	td	lg	avg/g
Thorson, Clayton	6	107.73	77-140-4	55.0	817	4	66	136.2
Oliver, Zack	2	66.93	1-3-0	33.3	12	0	12	6.0
Alviti, Matt	2	66.93	1-3-0	33.3	12	0	12	6.0
Scanlan, Andrew	3	0.00	0-1-0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Total	6	105.34	79-147-4	53.7	841	4	66	140.2
Opponents	6	90.35	100-184-5	54.3	829	2	33	138.2

Receiving	gp	no.	yds	avg	td	lg	avg/g
Vitale, Dan	6	16	207	12.9	2	66	34.5
Jones, Christian	6	16	179	11.2	0	20	29.8
Jackson, Justin	6	10	65	6.5	0	21	10.8
McHugh, Mike	6	8	54	6.8	0	21	9.0
Carr, Austin	6	6	139	23.2	2	44	23.2
Shuler, Miles	5	6	63	10.5	0	25	12.6
Nagel, Flynn	5	4	47	11.8	0	24	9.4
Dickerson, Garrett	5	4	20	5.0	0	7	4.0
Long, Warren	6	2	23	11.5	0	14	3.8
Dickerson, Cameron	3	2	22	11.0	0	12	7.3
Roberts, Jelani	6	2	16	8.0	0	12	2.7
Vault, Solomon	6	2	6	3.0	0	4	1.0
Thorson, Clayton	6	1	0	0.0	0	0	0.0
Total	6	79	841	10.6	4	66	140.2
Opponents	6	100	829	8.3	2	33	138.2

Punt Returns	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
Shuler, Miles	4	74	18.5	0	55
Nagel, Flynn	2	-2	-1.0	0	1
Total	6	72	12.0	0	55
Opponents	5	-8	-1.6	0	3

Interceptions	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
Harris, Matthew	3	94	31.3	1	71
Queiro, Kyle	1	17	17.0	0	17
Lowry, Dean	1	18	18.0	0	18
Total	5	129	25.8	1	71
Opponents	4	61	15.2	1	37

Kick Returns	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
Vault, Solomon	9	260	28.9	1	98
Roberts, Jelani	1	19	19.0	0	19
McShepard, Marcus	1	17	17.0	0	17
Total	11	296	26.9	1	98
Opponents	23	507	22.0	1	96

Fumble Returns	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
Walker, Anthony	2	17	8.5	1	13
Total	2	17	8.5	1	13
Opponents	0	0	0.0	0	0

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Scoring	td	fg	PAT kick	PAT rush	PAT rcv	PAT pass	dxp	saf	pts
Mitchell, Jack	-	10-14	12-13	-	-	-	-	-	42
Thorson, Clayton	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	24
Carr, Austin	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12
Vitale, Dan	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12
Long, Warren	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12
Vault, Solomon	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Jackson, Justin	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Harris, Matthew	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Walker, Anthony	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Omilian, Arthur	-	-	1-1	-	-	-	-	-	1
Total	14	10-14	13-14	-	-	-	-	-	127
Opponents	8	6-8	7-8	-	-	-	-	-	73

Total Offense	g	plays	rush	pass	total	avg/g
Thorson, Clayton	6	184	161	817	978	163.0
Jackson, Justin	6	150	661	0	661	110.2
Long, Warren	6	36	190	0	190	31.7
Vault, Solomon	6	35	140	0	140	23.3
Acker, Corey	5	5	57	0	57	11.4
Anderson, Auston	3	11	56	0	56	18.7
Roberts, Jelani	6	8	28	0	28	4.7
Hruby, Tom	3	8	25	0	25	8.3
Alviti, Matt	2	6	-2	12	10	5.0
Oliver, Zack	2	4	-9	12	3	1.5
TEAM	4	9	-25	0	-25	-6.2
Total	6	457	1282	841	2123	353.8
Opponents	6	388	788	829	1617	269.5

Field Goals	fg	pct.	01-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50-99	lg	blk
Mitchell, Jack	10-14	71.4	1-1	4-5	3-3	2-5	0-0	49	0

FG Sequence	Northwestern	Opponents
Stanford	(31),48,(19),(49)	(29),(37)
Eastern Illinois	(22),(33)	-
Duke	(37),(44)	(38)
Ball State	(21),26	(30),43,40,(36)
Minnesota	(25),41,(23)	-
Michigan	42	(47)
Iowa	-	-
Nebraska	-	-
Penn State	-	-
Purdue	-	-
Wisconsin	-	-
Illinois	-	-

Numbers in (parentheses) indicate field goal was made.

Punting	no.	yds	avg	lg	tb	fc	i20	50+	blk
Niswander, Hunter	36	1370	38.1	49	1	17	6	0	0
Total	36	1370	38.1	49	1	17	6	0	0
Opponents	44	1980	45.0	71	10	6	19	16	0

Kickoffs	no.	yds	avg	tb	ob	retn	net	ydln
Micucci, Matt	29	1675	57.8	6	0			
Omilian, Arthur	1	45	45.0	0	0			
Total	30	1720	57.3	6	0	22.0	35.4	29
Opponents	20	1251	62.5	9	0	26.9	36.5	28

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All Purpose	g	rush	rcv	pr	kr	ir	total	avg/g
Jackson, Justin	6	661	65	0	0	0	726	121.0
Vault, Solomon	6	140	6	0	260	0	406	67.7
Long, Warren	6	190	23	0	0	0	213	35.5
Vitale, Dan	6	0	207	0	0	0	207	34.5
Jones, Christian	6	0	179	0	0	0	179	29.8
Thorson, Clayto	6	161	0	0	0	0	161	26.8
Carr, Austin	6	0	139	0	0	0	139	23.2
Shuler, Miles	5	0	63	74	0	0	137	27.4
Harris, Matthew	6	0	0	0	0	94	94	15.7
Roberts, Jelani	6	28	16	0	19	0	63	10.5
Acker, Corey	5	57	0	0	0	0	57	11.4
Anderson, Austo	3	56	0	0	0	0	56	18.7
McHugh, Mike	6	0	54	0	0	0	54	9.0
Nagel, Flynn	5	0	47	-2	0	0	45	9.0
Hruby, Tom	3	25	0	0	0	0	25	8.3
Dickerson, Cam	3	0	22	0	0	0	22	7.3
Dickerson, Garr	5	0	20	0	0	0	20	4.0
Lowry, Dean	6	0	0	0	0	18	18	3.0
Queiro, Kyle	4	0	0	0	0	17	17	4.2
McShepard, Mar	6	0	0	0	17	0	17	2.8
Alviti, Matt	2	-2	0	0	0	0	-2	-1.0
Oliver, Zack	2	-9	0	0	0	0	-9	-4.5
TEAM	4	-25	0	0	0	0	-25	-6.2
Total	6	1282	841	72	296	129	2620	436.7
Opponents	6	788	829	-8	507	61	2177	362.8

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Northwestern Overall Defensive Statistics (as of Oct 10, 2015)
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			Tackles				Sacks	Pass defense			Fumbles		blkd	
##	Defensive Leaders	gp	ua	a	tot	tfl/yds	no-yds	int-yds	brup	qbh	rcv-yds	ff	kick	saf
1B	Walker, Anthony	6	21	29	50	9.5-22	1.0-3	.	3	1	2-17	.	.	.
16	Igwebuike, Godwin	6	24	11	35	2.5-8	.	.	3	1	1-0	1	.	.
2	Henry, Traveon	6	27	6	33	3.0-11	1.0-6	.	.	.	1-0	.	.	.
55	Smith, Drew	6	16	12	28	1.5-4	.	.	.	2	.	1	.	.
51	Prater, Jaylen	6	15	12	27	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
94	Lowry, Dean	6	14	11	25	4.5-11	0.5-4	1-18	3	4	.	.	1	.
27	Harris, Matthew	6	14	11	25	.	.	3-94	7	.	.	.	.	.
67	Lancaster, Tyler	6	10	8	18	3.5-4	0.5-1	.	1	1	.	1	.	.
1A	Gibson, Deonte	6	7	11	18	5.5-24	5.0-23	.	.	4	.	.	.	.
3	Watkins II, Keith	6	11	5	16	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.
7	Odenigbo, Ifeadi	6	8	6	14	2.5-8	2.5-8	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
23	VanHoose, Nick	6	10	2	12	.	.	.	6	1	.	.	.	.
3A	Hall, Nate	6	7	5	12	1.0-1	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.
90	Robbins, C.J.	6	3	8	11	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.
42	Jones, Joseph	6	8	2	10	2.0-8	1.0-5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
95	Thompson, Jordan	6	5	3	8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
2A	Queiro, Kyle	4	3	3	6	.	.	1-17	.	.	.	.	.	.
98	Washington, Xavier	6	5	.	5	2.0-7	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.
17	McShepard, Marcus	6	4	1	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
53	Queiro, Cameron	6	4	.	4	1.0-1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
41	McGee, Jared	3	.	4	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
13	Long, Warren	6	2	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	1-0	.	.	.
21	Jackson, Justin	6	3	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
3B	Micucci, Matt	6	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
35	Hruby, Tom	3	.	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
36	Acker, Corey	5	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
99	Oxley, Ben	4	.	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
26	Brown, Terrance	5	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
24	Hartage, Montre	6	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
8A	Buckley, Stephen	5	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
93	Kuhar, Greg	4	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
1	Chapman, Max	6	.	1	1	0.5-5	0.5-5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
31	Vitale, Tommy	5	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
80	Carr, Austin	6	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
18	Thorson, Clayton	6	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Total	6	228	162	390	39-114	12-55	5-129	25	19	5-17	3	1	.
	Opponents	6	265	228	493	42-135	8-47	4-61	16	12	3-0	7	1	.

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SEASON

Rushing	gp	att	gain	loss	net	avg	td	lg	avg/g
Jackson, Justin	6	150	693	32	661	4.4	1	62	110.2
Long, Warren	6	36	197	7	190	5.3	2	55	31.7
Thorson, Clayton	6	44	203	42	161	3.7	4	42	26.8
Vault, Solomon	6	35	152	12	140	4.0	0	15	23.3
Acker, Corey	5	5	57	0	57	11.4	0	31	11.4
Anderson, Auston	3	11	61	5	56	5.1	0	22	18.7
Roberts, Jelani	6	8	41	13	28	3.5	0	11	4.7
Hruby, Tom	3	8	25	0	25	3.1	0	9	8.3
Alviti, Matt	2	3	5	7	-2	-0.7	0	5	-1.0
Oliver, Zack	2	1	0	9	-9	-9.0	0	0	-4.5
TEAM	4	9	0	25	-25	-2.8	0	0	-6.2
Total	6	310	1434	152	1282	4.1	7	62	213.7
Opponents	6	204	900	112	788	3.9	4	34	131.3

CAREER

Rushing	gp	att	gain	loss	net	avg	td	lg	avg/g
Jackson, Justin	18	395	1909	61	1848	4.7	11	68	102.7
Long, Warren	24	80	383	14	369	4.6	2	55	15.4
Thorson, Clayton	6	44	203	42	161	3.7	4	42	26.8
Vault, Solomon	14	55	235	14	221	4.0	2	16	15.8
Acker, Corey	13	5	57	0	57	11.4	0	31	4.4
Anderson, Auston	3	11	61	5	56	5.1	0	22	18.7
Roberts, Jelani	6	8	41	13	28	3.5	0	11	4.7
Hruby, Tom	6	9	26	0	26	2.9	0	9	4.3
Alviti, Matt	6	12	18	19	-1	-0.1	1	5	-0.2
Oliver, Zack	14	15	39	20	19	1.3	1	8	1.4

Passing	gp	effic	comp-att-int	pct	yds	td	lg	avg/g
Thorson, Clayton	6	107.73	77-140-4	55.0	817	4	66	136.2
Oliver, Zack	2	66.93	1-3-0	33.3	12	0	12	6.0
Alviti, Matt	2	66.93	1-3-0	33.3	12	0	12	6.0
Scanlan, Andrew	3	0.00	0-1-0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Total	6	105.34	79-147-4	53.7	841	4	66	140.2
Opponents	6	90.35	100-184-5	54.3	829	2	33	138.2

Passing	gp	effic	comp-att-int	pct	yds	td	lg	avg/g
Thorson, Clayton	6	107.73	77-140-4	55.0	817	4	66	136.2
Oliver, Zack	14	100.96	33-64-4	51.6	393	2	54	28.1
Alviti, Matt	6	57.26	3-7-0	42.9	12	0	12	2.0
Scanlan, Andrew	23	0.00	0-2-0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0

Receiving	gp	no.	yds	avg	td	lg	avg/g
Vitale, Dan	6	16	207	12.9	2	66	34.5
Jones, Christian	6	16	179	11.2	0	20	29.8
Jackson, Justin	6	10	65	6.5	0	21	10.8
McHugh, Mike	6	8	54	6.8	0	21	9.0
Carr, Austin	6	6	139	23.2	2	44	23.2
Shuler, Miles	5	6	63	10.5	0	25	12.6
Nagel, Flynn	5	4	47	11.8	0	24	9.4
Dickerson, Garrett	5	4	20	5.0	0	7	4.0
Long, Warren	6	2	23	11.5	0	14	3.8
Dickerson, Cameron	3	2	22	11.0	0	12	7.3
Roberts, Jelani	6	2	16	8.0	0	12	2.7
Vault, Solomon	6	2	6	3.0	0	4	1.0
Thorson, Clayton	6	1	0	0.0	0	0	0.0
Total	6	79	841	10.6	4	66	140.2
Opponents	6	100	829	8.3	2	33	138.2

Receiving	gp	no.	yds	avg	td	lg	avg/g
Vitale, Dan	43	118	1279	10.8	9	66	29.7
Jones, Christian	44	121	1454	12.0	6	47	33.0
Jackson, Justin	18	32	266	8.3	1	35	14.8
McHugh, Mike	23	17	169	9.9	0	28	7.3
Carr, Austin	18	13	239	18.4	2	44	13.3
Shuler, Miles	13	29	253	8.7	0	25	19.5
Nagel, Flynn	5	4	47	11.8	0	24	9.4
Dickerson, Garrett	17	8	64	8.0	0	21	3.8
Long, Warren	24	8	52	6.5	0	14	2.2
Dickerson, Cameron	40	46	519	11.3	3	60	13.0
Roberts, Jelani	6	2	16	8.0	0	12	2.7
Vault, Solomon	14	8	37	4.6	0	11	2.6
Thorson, Clayton	6	1	0	0.0	0	0	0.0

Total Offense	g	plays	rush	pass	total	avg/g
Thorson, Clayton	6	184	161	817	978	163.0
Jackson, Justin	6	150	661	0	661	110.2
Long, Warren	6	36	190	0	190	31.7
Vault, Solomon	6	35	140	0	140	23.3
Acker, Corey	5	5	57	0	57	11.4
Anderson, Auston	3	11	56	0	56	18.7
Roberts, Jelani	6	8	28	0	28	4.7
Hruby, Tom	3	8	25	0	25	8.3
Alviti, Matt	2	6	-2	12	10	5.0
Oliver, Zack	2	4	-9	12	3	1.5
TEAM	4	9	-25	0	-25	-6.2
Total	6	457	1282	841	2123	353.8
Opponents	6	388	788	829	1617	269.5

Total Offense	g	plays	rush	pass	total	avg/g
Thorson, Clayton	6	184	161	817	978	163.0
Jackson, Justin	18	395	1848	0	1848	102.7
Long, Warren	24	80	369	0	369	15.4
Vault, Solomon	14	55	221	0	221	15.8
Acker, Corey	13	5	57	0	57	4.4
Anderson, Auston	3	11	56	0	56	18.7
Roberts, Jelani	6	8	28	0	28	4.7
Hruby, Tom	6	9	26	0	26	4.3
Alviti, Matt	6	19	-1	12	11	1.8
Oliver, Zack	14	79	19	393	412	29.4

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Scoring	td	fg	PAT kick	PAT rush	PAT rcv	PAT pass	dxp	saf	pts
Mitchell, Jack	-	10-14	12-13	-	-	-	-	-	42
Thorson, Clayton	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	24
Carr, Austin	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12
Long, Warren	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12
Vitale, Dan	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12
Jackson, Justin	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Harris, Matthew	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Walker, Anthony	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Vault, Solomon	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Omilian, Arthur	-	-	1-1	-	-	-	-	-	1
Total	14	10-14	13-14	-	-	-	-	-	127
Opponents	8	6-8	7-8	-	-	-	-	-	73

CAREER

Scoring	td	fg	PAT kick	PAT rush	PAT rcv	PAT pass	dxp	saf	pts
Mitchell, Jack	-	24-32	38-41	-	-	-	-	-	110
Thorson, Clayton	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	24
Carr, Austin	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12
Long, Warren	2	-	-	1-1	-	-	-	-	14
Vitale, Dan	9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	54
Jackson, Justin	12	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	72
Harris, Matthew	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Walker, Anthony	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12
Vault, Solomon	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	24
Omilian, Arthur	-	-	1-1	-	-	-	-	-	1

Punt Returns	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
Shuler, Miles	4	74	18.5	0	55
Nagel, Flynn	2	-2	-1.0	0	1
Total	6	72	12.0	0	55
Opponents	5	-8	-1.6	0	3

Punt Returns	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
Shuler, Miles	7	116	16.6	0	55
Nagel, Flynn	2	-2	-1.0	0	1

Kick Returns	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
Vault, Solomon	9	260	28.9	1	98
McShepard, Marcus	1	17	17.0	0	17
Roberts, Jelani	1	19	19.0	0	19
Total	11	296	26.9	1	98
Opponents	23	507	22.0	1	96

Kick Returns	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
Vault, Solomon	20	548	27.4	2	98
McShepard, Marcus	1	17	17.0	0	17
Roberts, Jelani	1	19	19.0	0	19

Interceptions	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
Harris, Matthew	3	94	31.3	1	71
Lowry, Dean	1	18	18.0	0	18
Queiro, Kyle	1	17	17.0	0	17
Total	5	129	25.8	1	71
Opponents	4	61	15.2	1	37

Interceptions	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
Harris, Matthew	5	97	19.4	1	71
Lowry, Dean	3	53	17.7	1	19
Queiro, Kyle	1	17	17.0	0	17

Fumble Returns	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
Walker, Anthony	2	17	8.5	1	13
Total	2	17	8.5	1	13
Opponents	0	0	0.0	0	0

Fumble Returns	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
Walker, Anthony	2	17	8.5	1	13

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All Purpose	g	rush	rcv	pr	kr	ir	total	avg/g
Jackson, Justin	6	661	65	0	0	0	726	121.0
Vault, Solomon	6	140	6	0	260	0	406	67.7
Long, Warren	6	190	23	0	0	0	213	35.5
Vitale, Dan	6	0	207	0	0	0	207	34.5
Jones, Christian	6	0	179	0	0	0	179	29.8
Thorson, Clayton	6	161	0	0	0	0	161	26.8
Carr, Austin	6	0	139	0	0	0	139	23.2
Shuler, Miles	5	0	63	74	0	0	137	27.4
Harris, Matthew	6	0	0	0	0	94	94	15.7
Roberts, Jelani	6	28	16	0	19	0	63	10.5
Acker, Corey	5	57	0	0	0	0	57	11.4
Anderson, Austo	3	56	0	0	0	0	56	18.7
McHugh, Mike	6	0	54	0	0	0	54	9.0
Nagel, Flynn	5	0	47	-2	0	0	45	9.0
Hruby, Tom	3	25	0	0	0	0	25	8.3
Dickerson, Came	3	0	22	0	0	0	22	7.3
Dickerson, Garret	5	0	20	0	0	0	20	4.0
Lowry, Dean	6	0	0	0	0	18	18	3.0
Queiro, Kyle	4	0	0	0	0	17	17	4.2
McShepard, Mar	6	0	0	0	17	0	17	2.8
Alviti, Matt	2	-2	0	0	0	0	-2	-1.0
Oliver, Zack	2	-9	0	0	0	0	-9	-4.5
TEAM	4	-25	0	0	0	0	-25	-6.2
Total	6	1282	841	72	296	129	2620	436.7
Opponents	6	788	829	-8	507	61	2177	362.8

CAREER

All Purpose	g	rush	rcv	pr	kr	ir	total	avg/g
Jackson, Justin	18	1848	266	0	0	0	2114	117.4
Vault, Solomon	14	221	37	0	548	0	806	57.6
Long, Warren	24	369	52	0	0	0	421	17.5
Vitale, Dan	43	29	1279	0	0	0	1308	30.4
Jones, Christian	44	0	1454	0	0	0	1454	33.0
Thorson, Clayton	6	161	0	0	0	0	161	26.8
Carr, Austin	18	0	239	0	0	0	239	13.3
Shuler, Miles	13	24	253	116	198	0	591	45.5
Harris, Matthew	30	0	0	0	484	97	581	19.4
Roberts, Jelani	6	28	16	0	19	0	63	10.5
Acker, Corey	13	57	0	0	0	0	57	4.4
Anderson, Austo	3	56	0	0	0	0	56	18.7
McHugh, Mike	23	0	169	-3	3	0	169	7.3
Nagel, Flynn	5	0	47	-2	0	0	45	9.0
Hruby, Tom	6	26	0	0	0	0	26	4.3
Dickerson, Came	40	0	519	0	0	0	519	13.0
Dickerson, Garret	17	0	64	0	8	0	72	4.2
Lowry, Dean	42	0	0	0	0	53	53	1.3
Queiro, Kyle	16	0	0	0	0	17	17	1.1
McShepard, Mar	13	0	0	0	17	0	17	1.3
Alviti, Matt	6	-1	0	0	0	0	-1	-0.2
Oliver, Zack	14	19	0	0	0	0	19	1.4

Field Goals	att	good	long	blkd
Mitchell, Jack	14	10	49	0
Total	14	10	49	0
Opponents	8	6	47	0

Field Goals	att	good	long	blkd
Mitchell, Jack	32	24	49	1

Punting	no.	yds	avg	lg	blk
Niswander, Hunter	36	1370	38.1	49	0
Total	36	1370	38.1	49	0
Opponents	44	1980	45.0	71	0

Punting	no.	yds	avg	lg	blk
Niswander, Hunter	36	1370	38.1	49	0

Kickoffs	no.	yds	avg	tb	ob
Micucci, Matt	29	1675	57.8	6	0
Omilian, Arthur	1	45	45.0	0	0
Total	30	1720	57.3	6	0
Opponents	20	1251	62.5	9	0

Kickoffs	no.	yds	avg	tb	ob
Micucci, Matt	29	1675	57.8	6	0
Omilian, Arthur	1	45	45.0	0	0

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		SEASON											CAREER										
##	Defensive Leaders	gp	ua	a	total	tfl	sack	int	pbu	fr	ff	blk	gp	ua	a	total	tfl	sack	int	pbu	fr	ff	blk
1B	Walker, Anthony	6	21	29	50	9.5	1.0	.	3	2	.	.	18	50	51	101	18.5	2.5	2	6	3	1	.
16	Igwebuike, Godwin	6	24	11	35	2.5	.	.	3	1	1	.	17	58	28	86	3.5	.	3	6	1	1	.
2	Henry, Traveon	6	27	6	33	3.0	1.0	.	.	1	.	.	38	132	74	206	9.5	1.0	1	2	1	.	.
55	Smith, Drew	6	16	12	28	1.5	.	.	.	.	1	.	43	71	42	113	13.5	3.0	.	2	1	1	.
51	Prater, Jaylen	6	15	12	27	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	18	18	18	36	0.0	.	.	1	.	.	.
94	Lowry, Dean	6	14	11	25	4.5	0.5	1	3	.	.	1	42	70	43	113	22.5	10.0	3	15	2	3	1
27	Harris, Matthew	6	14	11	25	0.0	.	3	7	.	.	.	30	94	37	131	3.5	.	5	19	.	2	.
67	Lancaster, Tyler	6	10	8	18	3.5	0.5	.	1	.	1	.	7	10	8	18	3.5	0.5	.	1	.	1	.
1A	Gibson, Deonte	6	7	11	18	5.5	5.0	.	.	.	.	.	41	36	27	63	18.0	11.0	.	2	2	1	.
3	Watkins II, Keith	6	11	5	16	0.0	.	.	1	.	.	.	6	11	5	16	0.0	.	.	1	.	.	.
7	Odenigbo, Ifeadi	6	8	6	14	2.5	2.5	.	.	.	.	.	31	21	13	34	12.0	11.0	.	1	2	3	.
23	VanHoose, Nick	6	10	2	12	0.0	.	.	6	.	.	.	38	124	41	165	8.5	.	5	31	3	1	3
3A	Hall, Nate	6	7	5	12	1.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	6	7	5	12	1.0	.	.	.	.	.	.
90	Robbins, C.J.	6	3	8	11	0.0	.	.	1	.	.	.	29	8	19	27	1.5	0.5	.	4	.	.	1
42	Jones, Joseph	6	8	2	10	2.0	1.0	.	.	.	.	.	17	12	4	16	2.0	1.0	.	.	.	.	.
95	Thompson, Jordan	6	5	3	8	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	6	5	3	8	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.
2A	Queiro, Kyle	4	3	3	6	0.0	.	1	.	.	.	.	16	11	6	17	0.0	.	1	.	.	.	.
98	Washington, Xavier	6	5	.	5	2.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	17	14	4	18	4.5	1.5	.	.	.	1	.
17	McShepard, Marcus	6	4	1	5	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	13	9	1	10	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.
41	McGee, Jared	3	.	4	4	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	4	4	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.
53	Queiro, Cameron	6	4	.	4	1.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	6	4	.	4	1.0	.	.	.	.	.	.
13	Long, Warren	6	2	1	3	0.0	.	.	.	1	.	.	24	6	1	7	0.0	.	.	.	1	.	.
21	Jackson, Justin	6	3	.	3	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	18	3	.	3	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.
26	Brown, Terrance	5	1	1	2	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	10	3	1	4	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.
24	Hartage, Montre	6	2	.	2	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	6	2	.	2	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.
99	Oxley, Ben	4	.	2	2	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	5	.	2	2	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.
3B	Micucci, Matt	6	1	1	2	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	6	1	1	2	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.
36	Acker, Corey	5	1	1	2	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	13	3	2	5	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.
35	Hruby, Tom	3	.	2	2	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	6	.	2	2	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.
93	Kuhar, Greg	4	.	1	1	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	20	19	19	38	2.0	.	.	.	1	.	.
31	Vitale, Tommy	5	.	1	1	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	5	.	1	1	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.
1	Chapman, Max	6	.	1	1	0.5	0.5	.	.	.	.	.	40	17	8	25	6.0	2.5	.	1	1	.	1
8A	Buckley, Stephen	5	.	1	1	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	20	1	1	2	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.
80	Carr, Austin	6	1	.	1	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	18	1	1	2	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.
18	Thorson, Clayton	6	1	.	1	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	6	1	.	1	0.0	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Total	6	228	162	390	39	12	5	25	5	3	1											
	Opponents	6	265	228	493	42	8	4	16	3	7	1											

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		Rushing				Receiving				Passing				Kick Returns				Punt Returns				tot
Date	Opponent	no.	yds	td	lg	no.	yds	td	lg	cmp-att-int	yds	td	lg	no.	yds	td	lg	no.	yds	td	lg	off
Sep 05	STANFORD	54	225	1	42	12	105	0	25	12-25-0	105	0	25	1	19	0	19	1	7	0	7	330
Sep 12	EASTERN ILLINOIS	69	344	3	31	11	152	1	44	11-16-0	152	1	44	1	24	0	24	2	-2	0	1	496
Sep 19	at Duke	54	201	1	55	9	70	0	21	9-23-2	70	0	21	2	118	1	98	2	12	0	7	271
Sep 26	BALL STATE	57	290	0	62	18	256	3	66	18-31-1	256	3	66	3	60	0	21	0	0	0	0	546
Oct 03	MINNESOTA	51	184	2	31	14	128	0	19	14-19-0	128	0	19	0	0	0	0	1	55	0	55	312
Oct 10	at Michigan	25	38	0	15	15	130	0	20	15-33-1	130	0	20	4	75	0	22	0	0	0	0	168
Northwestern		310	1282	7	62	79	841	4	66	79-147-4	841	4	66	11	296	1	98	6	72	0	55	2123
		204	788	4	34	100	829	2	33	100-184-5	829	2	33	23	507	1	96	5	-8	0	3	1617

Games: 6 • Avg/rush: 4.1 • Avg/catch: 10.6 • Pass effic: 105.34 • KR avg: 26.9 • PR avg: 12.0 • All purpose avg/game: 436.7 • Total offense avg/gm: 353.8

		Tackles				Sacks	Fumble		Pass Defense			blkd	PAT Attempts			off		
Date	Opponent	ua	a	total	tfl-yds	no-yds	ff	fr-yds	int-yds	qbh	brup	kick	kick	rush	rcv	saf	t/o	pts
Sep 05	STANFORD	40	20	60	8.0-21	3.0-11	1	1-4	1-17	5	4	0	1-1	0	0	0	0	16
Sep 12	EASTERN ILLINOIS	31	26	57	8.0-34	3.0-23	0	0-0	2-94	2	2	0	5-5	0	0	0	14	41
Sep 19	at Duke	42	46	88	2.0-2	0.0-0	1	2-0	1-18	1	4	0	1-2	0	0	0	3	19
Sep 26	BALL STATE	40	10	50	3.0-7	0.0-0	0	1-0	0-0	6	6	1	3-3	0	0	0	0	24
Oct 03	MINNESOTA	40	18	58	10.0-32	3.0-17	1	1-13	1-0	4	6	0	3-3	0	0	0	7	27
Oct 10	at Michigan	35	42	77	8.0-18	3.0-4	0	0-0	0-0	1	3	0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0
Northwestern		228	162	390	39.0-114	12.0-55	3	5-17	5-129	19	25	1	13-14	0	0	0	24	127
		265	228	493	42.0-135	8.0-47	7	3-0	4-61	12	16	1	7-8	0	0	0	14	73

		Punting									Field Goals			Kickoffs				
Date	Opponent	no.	yds	avg	long	blkd	tb	fc	50+	i20	md-att	long	blkd	no.	yds	avg	tb	ob
Sep 05	STANFORD	5	194	38.8	45	0	0	1	0	0	3-4	49	0	5	301	60.2	1	0
Sep 12	EASTERN ILLINOIS	2	73	36.5	37	0	0	1	0	0	2-2	33	0	8	466	58.2	1	0
Sep 19	at Duke	10	413	41.3	49	0	0	3	0	1	2-2	44	0	5	268	53.6	0	0
Sep 26	BALL STATE	5	175	35.0	41	0	0	3	0	1	1-2	21	0	5	323	64.6	3	0
Oct 03	MINNESOTA	6	235	39.2	47	0	1	3	0	2	2-3	25	0	6	301	50.2	1	0
Oct 10	at Michigan	8	280	35.0	47	0	0	6	0	2	0-1	0	0	1	61	61.0	0	0
Northwestern		36	1370	38.1	49	0	1	17	0	6	10-14	49	0	30	1720	57.3	6	0
		44	1980	45.0	71	0	10	6	16	19	6-8	47	0	20	1251	62.5	9	0