



# PURDUE BOILERMAKERS

## October 23, 2021 | Wisconsin 30, No. 25 Purdue 13

### THE INFORMATION

**Kickoff Time:** 3:01 p.m. ET  
**Total Time:** 3:10  
**Location:** Ross-Ade Stadium, West Lafayette, Ind.  
**Weather at Kickoff:** 58, Mostly Sunny  
**Weather at End:** 54, Partly Sunny

### RECORDS

<b>Purdue</b>	4-3 Overall	2-2 Big Ten
<b>Wisconsin</b>	4-3 Overall	2-2 Big Ten

SCORE BY QUARTERS	1	2	3	4	F
Wisconsin	7	6	7	10	- 30
Purdue	0	13	0	0	- 13

### HEAD COACH JEFF BROHM

- Is now 53-38 in his eighth year as a head coach overall
- Is now 23-28 in his fifth year as Purdue's head coach
- Is now 16-21 in Big Ten Conference play
- Is now 13-15 in games played at Ross-Ade Stadium
- Is now 9-12 in Big Ten home games
- Is now 0-1 as a top-25 team at Purdue
- Is now 0-4 against Wisconsin as Purdue's head coach

### PURDUE RECORDS

- Is now 624-582-48 in its 134th season
- Is now 385-242-25 in home games all-time
- Is now 292-198-13 all-time at Ross-Ade Stadium
- Is now 3-1 as a No. 25-ranked team in the AP poll
- Is now 29-51-8 all-time against Wisconsin

### SERIES HISTORY VS. WISCONSIN

- Wisconsin leads the all-time series 51-29-8
- Purdue is 16-23-3 in home contests
- Purdue is 6-7-2 as a ranked team against Wisconsin
- Wisconsin has won 15 in a row, since 2004

### PURDUE TEAM NOTES

- Purdue forced four fumbles and recovered two
- The Boilermakers' 13 points all came off two takeaways
- George Karlaftis' fumble return for a touchdown in the second half was the first by a Boilermaker since Jalen Graham on October 31, 2020, at Illinois
- Jamari Brown had two forced fumbles to tie the Purdue record, and it is the most since Ja'Whaun Bentley also had a pair on September 2, 2017, vs. Louisville
- The game was a sellout, with a capacity crowd of 61,320, the largest at Ross-Ade Stadium since October 1, 2011, when 61,555 saw Purdue take on Notre Dame
- The Boilermakers came into the game ranked No. 25 in the AP poll and were ranked for the first time since 2007

### A LOOK AHEAD

- Purdue is back on the road at Nebraska on Saturday, October 30, with kickoff in Lincoln set for 3:30 p.m. ET
- The game will be broadcast on ESPN2
- Purdue is 4-5-0 against Nebraska and 3-5-0 as Big Ten foes
- The Boilermakers were victorious in their last trip to Memorial Stadium, 42-28 in 2018

### INDIVIDUAL NOTES

#### OFFENSE

##### Aidan O'Connell

- Was 24-for-32 for 200 yards with one passing touchdown and three interceptions
- Has 311 career completions, 12th-most in school history, and 120 this season
  - ... Moves up five spots from 17th, and is between Bob Griese's 358 from 1964-66 and Billy Dicken's 308 from 1994-97
- Has 22 career touchdown passes and seven this season
  - ... Moves into the top-20 and is tied for 20th with Robert Marve, who also had 22 from 2010-12
- Has 3,335 career passing yards, No. 15 in team history, and 1,318 this season
  - ... Moves up three spots from 18th, and is between Elijah Sindelar's 3,525 from 2016-19 and Joey Elliott's 3,326 from 2006-09
- Has 472 career passing attempts and 172 this season
  - ... Moves into the top-20 and is No. 19, between Caleb TerBush's 476 from 2009-12 and Robert Marve's 461 from 2010-12

##### Payne Durham

- Led the team with nine catches for 112 yards with a touchdown and a long reception of 24 yards
  - ... Nine receptions is a career-best
- Eclipsed the 100-yard receiving mark for the second time in his career, joining the Oregon State game to open the season

#### DEFENSE

##### Jaylan Alexander

- Led the team with a career-best 15 tackles, 11 solo, with one tackle for loss and a forced fumble
  - ... Second career forced fumble

##### Cam Allen

- Was second on the team with seven tackles, four solo

##### Jamari Brown

- Forced a career-best two fumbles and added four tackles, all solo, with a sack
  - ... Forced fumbles are the first two of his career
  - ... Four tackles ties a career high
  - ... Sack is the first of his career
- Ties a Purdue record with two forced fumbles, last achieved by Ja'Whaun Bentley on September 2, 2017, vs. Louisville

##### Lawrence Johnson

- Had six tackles, four solo, with a career-best two tackles for loss

##### George Karlaftis

- Recovered a fumble and returned it 56 yards for a touchdown
  - ... Third career fumble recovery and first since 2019
  - ... First career fumble recovery returned for a touchdown
- Had five tackles, three solo, with one tackle for loss

##### Dedrick Mackey

- Forced a fumble and had two tackles, both solo
  - ... Second career forced fumble

#### SPECIAL TEAMS

##### Jack Ansell

- Punted five times, with two inside the 20 and a long of 53
  - ... Totaled 205 yards with an average of 41