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San Diego State vs. Troy Postgame Notes Steve Fisher Court at Viejas Arena | San Diego, Calif. December 5, 2022

Final Score: San Diego State 60, Troy 55

Next Game: Sat., Dec. 10 | vs. Saint Mary's, 1 p.m. MT | Footprint Center | Phoenix, Ariz. | TV: ESPN+ | Radio: San Diego Sports 760

Records: San Diego State: 7-2 overall; Troy: 6-4 overall

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Big Notes

- San Diego State improves to 28-1 in its last 29 home games and is 72-9 at home in the Brian Dutcher era.
- SDSU improves to 126-42 (.750) under Brian Dutcher.
- SDSU wins its 25th game in its last 27 tries when outshooting its opponent (25-2), 79th in its last 83 (79-4) and 109th in its last 117 (109-8). San Diego State improves to 107-8 in the Brian Dutcher era when shooting better than its opponent.
- The Aztecs improve to 42-1 in in their last 43 games when outrebounding their opponent, 59-2 in their last 61 and 90-10 in the Brian Dutcher era with 13 consecutive wins.
- SDSU shoots a season-high 92.3 percent from the free-throw line (12-for-13), its highest percentage since posting the same line vs. Wyoming on March 11, 2021 in the MW Tournament.
- San Diego State held Troy to just six field goals in the second half, shooting 6 of 29 (20.7 pct.) from the field.

Series Notes

- San Diego State levels the all-time series at 1-1.
- The Aztecs are also 7-4 against current members of the Sun Belt.

Team Notes

- SDSU wins its fifth straight December contest dating back to the 2021-22 season and is 64-16 in its last 80 December games.
- San Diego State trailed at the half for just the third time this season, improving to 2-1 in those games.
- The Aztecs improve to 5-1 this season when leading with five minutes left and 115-9 in the Brian Dutcher era. SDSU has won 368 of its last 382 games when leading with five minutes remaining.
- San Diego State 78-7 over its last 85 games when holding its opponent to under 60 points.

- The Aztecs improve to 82-9 under Brian Dutcher when holding their opponent to under 40 percent shooting and 38-2 when the opponent shoots under 35 percent.
- A game after making a program-record 19 three-pointers and shooting 51.4 percent from three-point range (19-for-37), San Diego State was just 4-for-22 (.182) tonight from behind the arc.
- SDSU committed a season-high 17 turnovers.
- Although each team had 17 turnovers apiece, San Diego State outscored Troy, 14-7, off turnovers.
- SDSU outscored Troy, 30-16, in the paint and 15-5 in second-chance opportunities.

Game Flow

- Lamont Butler scored the first bucket, a jumper in the lane, at the 18:42 mark.
- Troy missed its first seven field goal attempts and did not score until 15:15 to play in the first half.
- SDSU went 14 minutes, 54 seconds (14:54) of game time without leading until Nathan Mensah's dunk with 15:11 left in the second half gave San Diego State at 35-33 lead... Troy followed with a 12-2 run to take its largest lead at 45-37 with 10:41 remaining... SDSU answered with a 13-2 run to take a 50-47 lead on an Adam Seiko 3-pointer with 6:37 remaining... In all, San Diego State ended the game on a 21-8 run over the final 10:41.
- SDSU held Troy without a field goal for almost nine minutes (8:58) down the stretch (10:41-to-1:43)

Player Notes

Matt Bradley – 19 points, 7-for-10 FG, 4-for-4 FT, 4 rebounds, 2 assists

Reached double figures in scoring for the fourth time this season and 101st time of his collegiate career... Led the team in scoring for the third time this season and 65th time of his collegiate career.

Darrion Trammell – 14 points, 4 rebounds, 4 assists, 2 steals, +15 plus/minus ratio

Scored in double figures for the fifth time this season and 54th time of his collegiate career... Led the team in assists for the seventh time this season in nine games and 55th time of his collegiate career... His +15 plus/minus rating was the highest in the game.

Aguek Arop – 8 points, 4-for-5 FG, 5 rebounds, 1 assist, 1 steal

Posted season highs in points (8), field goals (4) and rebounds (5).

Nathan Mensah – 7 points, 3-for-5 FG, 9 rebounds, 1 blocked shot, 2 assists, 1 steal

Led the team in rebounds for the seventh time this season in nine games (SDSU is 6-1) and 48th time of his career (37-11).

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