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AZTECS

Game 7
at New Mexico (3-4/1-2)

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San Diego State (2-4/0-2)

9/4	Idaho State	W, 38-21
9/18	at (17) Michigan (ESPN)	L, 21-24
9/25	Nevada	W, 27-10
10/2	at UCLA (Fox West 2)	L, 10-33
10/9	at Wyoming* (ESPN+)	L, 10-20
10/16	Colorado State* (ABC)	L, 17-21
10/23	at New Mexico* (Ch. 4 SD)	3:35 PT
10/30	Utah* (KJZZ)	6:00 PT
11/6	at Brigham Young*	TBA
11/13	at Air Force*	TBA
11/20	UNLV*	TBA

*Mountain West Conference

New Mexico (3-4/1-2)

9/3	Washington State	L, 17-21
9/11	Texas Tech	W, 27-24
9/18	at Oregon State	L, 7-17
9/25	at New Mexico State	W, 38-3
10/1	(14) Utah*	L, 7-28
10/9	at Air Force*	L, 23-28
10/16	at UNLV*	W, 24-20
10/23	San Diego State*	
10/30	at Colorado State*	
11/6	Open	
11/13	at Brigham Young*	
11/20	Wyoming*	

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STORYLINES

The San Diego State Aztecs hit the road for the third time in four weeks when they travel to Albuquerque to meet the New Mexico Lobos in a game that starts Saturday at 3:35 p.m. Pacific, 4:35 p.m. Mountain

The Aztecs will be looking to end a three-game losing streak and snap their 0-2 conference start. The Lobos are 3-4 and coming off their first conference win, 24-20 at UNLV.

San Diego State's four losses this season have come in a variety of fashion, including Saturday's loss to Colorado State in which SDSU had the lead and the ball with two minutes remaining, before falling by a 21-17 count.

New Mexico won last year's game, 30-7, for its largest margin of victory in the series since 1956. The Lobos will be celebrating Homecoming this week.

NOTELINES

▶ The Aztecs' won-loss record shows a three-game losing streak but the stat sheet tells a different tale.

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▶ The SDSU-New Mexico game features two of the league's best defenses. Turnovers are likely to decide the game.

▶ **GROUND BALLS, AIR RAIDS**, Page 3

▶ San Diego State's defense continues to be one of the dominant units the league.

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▶ A look at the national numbers shows SDSU has two productive units.

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The Series

San Diego State leads, 20-10

For the Aztecs, the Lobos represent a good series gone bad. SDSU's 20-10 series lead is SDSU's largest over a Mountain West opponent. However, the Lobos have won the last three meetings between the teams and four of the five games since the schools helped form the Mountain West in time for the 1999 season. San Diego State is 10-5 all-time in Albuquerque. The first meeting was in 1953.

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Media Information

► **Goaztecs.com:** San Diego State releases, results, statistics, box scores, schedules, rosters and bio information are available on the Internet at www.goaztecs.com. Recaps and statistics are updated after each game.

► **Weekly Release:** The media relations office will e-mail releases every Sunday. Faxed versions available by request only. The release will also be available on www.goaztecs.com Sunday afternoons.

► **Practices:** Unless noted, all practices are open to the media and will be staffed by a member of the Aztec Media Relations office. Electronic media wishing to shoot video during practice are asked to tape during the first 30 minutes of workouts only.

Week At-A-Glance

Sunday: Players are off Sundays.

Monday: Conditioning (7-8 a.m.).

Tuesday: Practice (7-9 a.m.) MWC Conference call with Tom Craft (10:42 a.m. (Pacific)). Tom Craft Media Luncheon: Food available at 11 a.m., Tom Craft available at 11:30 a.m. Players available at noon.

Wednesday: Practice 7-9 a.m.

Thursday: SDSU will practice from 7-8:45 a.m.

Friday: The Aztecs will hold a brief walkthrough at University Stadium. The team flight departs San Diego at 10:40 a.m. and is scheduled to land in Albuquerque at 1:20 p.m.

Saturday: Postgame only.

TEAM NOTES

The Game

The San Diego State Aztecs, now 2-4 overall and 0-2 in the Mountain West, hit the road for the third time in four weeks as they head to New Mexico to face the Lobos. Kickoff is set for 4:35 p.m. Mountain, 3:35 Pacific.

Conference Call

San Diego State is 0-2 in conference play, the only league school without a Mountain West victory. San Diego State is 0-2 in conference play for the second straight season and for the third time in five years. Last year, the Aztecs rallied from an 0-3 start to finish 3-4 in Mountain West play and tie for fourth place. The Aztecs are now 7-9 in their last 16 Mountain West games.

Snake Bite Kit

Statistical victories and scoreboard losses are getting less fun by the week for the Aztecs. Saturday's loss to Colorado State marked the seventh straight Mountain West game in which the Aztecs held a total offense advantage over the opposition. In the loss to Colorado State, the Aztecs limited the Rams to 196 yards and owned a 170-yard advantage in total offense. At Wyoming, SDSU had the punting yips with three straight boots covering a total of 25 yards. Against CSU, it was a fumble in the last two minutes that gave the Rams possession of the ball at the Aztec 10 with SDSU nursing a 17-14 lead. CSU's offense total was the lowest by an Aztec opponent since UNLV was limited to 175 yards last season. It was the lowest offensive total by the Rams since the 2002 Liberty Bowl loss to TCU.

CSU Rewind

In this case of the Aztecs and Colorado State, the numbers do lie. The Aztecs won the total offense battle, 366-196, set a season low with just three penalties for 30 yards, set a new season high with six quarterback sacks, had 15 tackles behind the line of scrimmage, and lost the game 21-17 when CSU scored with 1:10 remaining in the fourth quarter after taking possession at the SDSU 10. The loss wiped out an Aztec rally that saw SDSU climb from a 14-6 fourth-quarter deficit to a 17-14 lead and possession of the ball with two minutes left in the game. Kevin O'Connell came off the bench to pass for 157 yards and Jeff Webb recorded the fifth 100-yard receiving game of his career.

By The Numbers

SDSU would seem to be one of the least likely candidates to be off to an 0-2 Mountain West start when comparing the numbers. In two league games, SDSU has a glaring statistical advantage over Wyoming and Colorado State and 24 of the MWC opposition's 41 points have come on a TOTAL of 47 yards of offense.

SDSU vs. THE MOUNTAIN WEST		
Team	SDSU Record	Current Streak
Air Force	7-15	Won 2
Brigham Young	6-21-1	Lost 3
Colorado State	12-12	Lost 3
New Mexico	20-10	Lost 3
UNLV	7-6	Won 1
Utah	11-11-1	Lost 1
Wyoming	12-14	Lost 1

ADVANTAGE SDSU (2004 MWC)		
Team	SDSU	MWC Opponents
First Downs	36	27
Rushing Yards	196	135
Passing Yards	533	325
Total Offense Avg.	364.5	230.0

Last Year At The Q

The last meeting between the Aztecs and Lobos was, quite simply, decided by turnovers. The Aztecs committed six in their 30-7 loss to New Mexico. The Lobos parlayed the turnovers and a blocked punt into 20 of their 30 points. SDSU rolled up 274 yards of total offense in the first half, but trailed 17-7. Matt Diugolecki was 6-of-10 through the air in relief of Adam Hall. Robert Ortiz had 10 catches for 89 yards and Jeff Webb had 94 receiving yards on six catches. The win was the largest by New Mexico over San Diego State since 1956 (34-6). SDSU lost last year's game, despite outgaining New Mexico, 393-326.

Last Time In Albuquerque

The Aztecs were "blown away" in a constant 40-miles-per-hour wind in a 15-8 loss. SDSU managed just 183 yards of total offense, its lowest total under Tom Craft. The longest Aztec drive of the day was 46 yards on the last possession. It ended on the Lobos' six yard line with seven seconds left on the clock. No current offensive Aztec recorded a statistic in SDSU's last visit to New Mexico.

MWC Standings

Team	Overall		MWC	
	W	L	W	L
Utah	6	0	2	0
Air Force	3	3	2	1
Brigham Young	3	4	2	1
Wyoming	4	2	1	1
Colorado State	2	4	1	1
New Mexico	3	4	1	2
UNLV	2	5	1	2
► San Diego State	2	4	0	2

Friday, October 22

Wyoming at Colorado State

Saturday, October 23

► San Diego State at New Mexico
 Brigham Young at Air Force
 UNLV at Utah

MWC Teleconference

Mountain West Conference head football coaches will participate in a weekly media teleconference each Tuesday during the season. This season's teleconferences begin Aug. 31. Contact SDSU media relations or the Mountain West for phone and replay numbers. Below is the coaches' schedule with all times Pacific.

9:32Urban Meyer, Utah
 9:42Gary Crowton, BYU
 9:52Rocky Long, New Mexico
 10:02Sonny Lubick, Colorado St.
 10:12Fisher DeBerry, Air Force
 10:22Joe Glenn, Wyoming
 10:32John Robinson, UNLV
 10:42Tom Craft, SDSU
 10:52Comm. Craig Thompson

The Lobos Shield

The aggressive New Mexico defense should provide a stiff test for SDSU's green offensive front. The Aztecs have averaged just 10 points per game in the last three meetings against New Mexico. SDSU has scored just one touchdown in the last 11 quarters against the Lobos.

Scouting The Lobos

New Mexico enters the San Diego State game 3-4 overall and 1-2 in league play. UNM picked up its first league win of the season on Saturday with a 24-20 victory at UNLV. New Mexico's non-league schedule has featured narrow losses to Washington State and at Oregon State. Running back DonTrell Moore has battled injuries this season but still averages 101.2 yards per game and five yards per carry. He joined Lynell Hamilton to compose the all-Mountain West backfield last season. The Lobos are 37th nationally in rushing, averaging 174.6 yards per game. It will provide a test for SDSU, which ranks No. 17 nationally in rushing defense, allowing 103 yards per game.

Ground Balls, Air Raids

It might be too easy of a deduction to say that Saturday's game at New Mexico will come down to turnovers because most games do. However, there are some numbers to seriously back up the theory. New Mexico leads the Mountain West with 11 fumble recoveries. That number, by the way, is tied for best in the country. Meanwhile, the SDSU defense ranks tops in the league and No. 11 nationally in interceptions with 11. New Mexico is No. 17 in America in turnover margin (+1.00 per game).

Fred's Place

San Diego State secondary and special teams coach Fred Bleil was the defensive coordinator at New Mexico from 1992 to 1995. He also served as head coach at New Mexico Highlands from 1979 to 1982 and earned Rocky Mountain Athletic Conference coach of the year honors. The Iowa native holds a masters degree from Eastern New Mexico.

The Dark Side Vs. The Mountain West

Despite the 0-2 conference start, the Mountain West Conference is once again have its hands full with The Dark Side defense. Colorado State became the third straight Mountain West offense limited to less than 300 yards of total offense by SDSU. Colorado State managed two offensive touchdowns, although one came on a 10-yard drive. Against Wyoming, the Aztecs allowed 264 total yards (98 yards fewer than the Cowboys generated last season vs. SDSU) and two touchdowns. One of the TDs came on a 29-yard drive. Over the last six conference games, San Diego State's defense has limited Mountain West opponents to an average of just 256 yards of total offense. To put that number in perspective, consider SDSU allowed 289 yards of total offense per game to rank eighth in the nation in that category in 2004. San Diego State has allowed just six offensive touchdowns in its last 20 quarters of league play (including two scoring drives that combined to cover 39 yards). Three of SDSU's last six MWC foes have been held below 250 yards.

Opponent	Tot. Offense	1st Downs	Off. TDs
Wyoming	292	18	2
UNLV	175	11	0
Colorado State	324	15	2
Air Force	286	19	0
Wyoming ('04)	264	14	2
Colorado State ('04)	196	13	2*
Average	256.2	15.0	1.3
<i>*Includes 10-yard drive</i>			

MWC Counting

In conference play, SDSU's defense is allowing 230 yards of offense per game in '04. That number is easily the best in the league. Utah is second (in league games), allowing 314 yards per game. SDSU's defense sports the league's leading tackler (Kirk Morrison), the leader in fumbles caused (Heath Farwell) and sacks (Heath Farwell and Blake Lobel are tied), and Josh Dean is tied for second in the conference in interceptions (and 13th in the country)

TWT:
Tuesdays With Tom

San Diego State head football coach Tom Craft and requested players will be available each Tuesday during the season at a media luncheon. Food, provided by Quiznos, will be served at 11 a.m. with Tom Craft addressing the media at 11:30 with players to follow. To request players for luncheon interviews, contact the media relations office no later than noon on Monday.



Mountain West
Preseason Poll

PI	School	Pts
1.	Utah (15)	127
2.	Colorado State (1)	98
3.	San Diego State	87
4.	New Mexico	86
5.	Brigham Young	54
	UNLV	54
7.	Air Force	42
8.	Wyoming	23

First-place votes in parenthesis

These Are Losses?

San Diego State enters the Colorado State game with a 2-4 record. No asterisks allowed. But if there were...In the four losses suffered by the Aztecs, SDSU has outgained the opposition by a total of 245 yards and has six more first downs than Michigan, UCLA, Wyoming and CSU combined. However, SDSU did lose the turnover battle (-4 total).

Total Tallies

San Diego State has outgained the opposition in nine of its last 11 games and in 13 of 18 games since the start of the 2003 season. SDSU has lost five straight games in which it has been outgained in total yards, dating back to a 38-34 win at Air Force on Nov. 23, 2002. SDSU is 8-6 when outgaining the opposition during that same time frame.

Red-Faced Zone

The numbers just keep coming for The Dark Side. Through the Colorado State game, Aztec opponents had started a drive in San Diego State territory 13 times. But those golden opportunities have resulted in just four scores and only two touchdowns. One of those TDs came on a 10-yard drive and another from just 29 yards out. Those 13 drives on the Aztec end of the field have resulted in a total of just 20 points for the opposition.

Butkus Please

San Diego State senior linebacker Kirk Morrison was named as one of 12 Butkus Award semifinalists on Oct. 14th when the watch list was trimmed from 68 names. The Butkus Award is presented annually to the nation's top linebacker. With his 14 tackles against Colorado State, including two for loss, Morrison reached double figures in tackles for the fourth straight game. Against the Rams, he also caused a fumble and recovered a fumble. For his efforts, Morrison was named Mountain West Conference defensive player of the week.

Semi-Good

Kirk Morrison's selection as a Butkus semifinalist marks the third time since 2001 that the Aztecs have had a semifinalist for a national honor. In 2001, Larry Ned's 1,549 rushing yards landed him on the Doak Walker Award semifinalist list. And in 2002, J.R. Tolver was a semifinalist for the Biletnikoff Award, presented to the nation's top receiver. Tolver's year included 128 catches and 1,785 yards.

Kirk's Climb

Kirk Morrison continues to climb SDSU's career tackle charts. Thanks to his fourth straight game in which he reached double figures in tackles, Morrison now has 343 for his career, to rank third all-time at San Diego State, behind Whip Walton (407) and Rico Curtis (355). Morrison entered the season as America's No. 11 active tackler. Morrison leads the Mountain West Conference with an average of 10.3 tackles per game. Fellow Aztec Matt McCoy led the league last year with 10.6 tackles per game.

Behind The Line, Too

Kirk Morrison now has 39 tackles for loss in his career. He is seventh all-time at San Diego State in that category.

Musical Linemen

The Aztecs are an improved offensive bunch and that is an accomplishment since they have not started the same group of offensive linemen in consecutive games this season. In fact, center Taylor Schmidt is the only offensive lineman who has opened all six games at the same position. There have been five different starting groups in the six games. Chris Pino, a starting guard, did not play against Colorado State after suffering a concussion at Wyoming. Brandyn Dombrowski, a starter coming out of camp, has missed virtually all season with two ankle sprains.

Webb Gems

The proud tradition of Aztec receivers is poised to add a new member. Junior Jeff Webb enters the Colorado State game with 44 catches for 563 yards. He ranks eighth nationally (and tops in the MWC) with an average of 7.3 catches per game. He is sixth nationally (and third in the MWC) with an average of 94 receiving yards per game. He has four of SDSU's nine touchdown catches this season. Over the last two games, Webb has touchdown receptions of 58 and 47 yards.

Mountain West Satellite Highlights

Each week during the football season, highlights of all eight Mountain West teams are available each Wednesday at 2 p.m. (Pacific). The show is 30 minutes in length and can be found at

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► All San Diego State football and basketball games not carried by ESPN/ESPN2 or ABC are televised locally on Channel 4 San Diego. Channel 4 San Diego is the local affiliate for all SportsWest and ESPN Regional productions. Channel 4 San Diego also produces selected Aztec football, basketball and baseball games.

► Channel 4 San Diego is also the home of Aztecs Sports Weekly. The 30-minute magazine show covers all areas of Aztec Athletics. It airs weekly from August to April and includes highlights, features and coach and player interviews. The show is televised several times each week, and debuts Wednesday evenings at 6 p.m. The producer is Jason Bott and the host is former Charger Billy Ray Smith. For more information on Aztecs Sports Weekly, visit www.4sd.com.



Countdown To 1,000

Jeff Webb needs to average 87.4 receiving yards over the final five games of the season to reach 1,000 yards for the season. J.R. Tolver and Kassim Osgood were the last Aztecs to accomplish the feat when both players broke the 1,000-yard mark in 2002. Webb had a career-best 706 receiving yards last season. His year was cut short by a shoulder injury at UNLV, the same game in which the Aztecs lost Lynell Hamilton for the season (and for 2004 as it turned out).

Webb's Place

As Jeff Webb continues to evolve into one of the top receivers in the west, he is beginning to carve his niche in Aztec history. The junior is closing in on the Aztec all-time top 10 in catches. Webb has 115 for his career while the No. 10 all-time spot is occupied by Darius Durham with 125.

Ortiz, Please

San Diego State's second-leading receiver is Robert Ortiz with 28 catches for 392 yards. His yardage total this season is already the best in his Aztec career and he is just five catches shy of reaching last year's total of 33. Ortiz entered the season with 470 yards. He needs just 138 receiving yards to reach 1,000 for his career. Ortiz originally joined the program as a walk-on.

Star Search

The changes in the Aztec offense are not limited to the offensive line. Preseason prognostications for the Aztecs might not have been as lofty if the prophets had known SDSU would play the entire season without freshman All-America running back Lynell Hamilton, or a Rimington Award candidate in center Jasper Harvey. SDSU has also been missing returning starter Wesley Williams at wideout, who has missed the last five games with a hip injury. Outland Trophy Watch List member Mike Kracalik did not play at UCLA due to a knee sprain and freshman offensive lineman Brandyn Dombrowki, who won a starting job during fall camp, has been sidelined virtually all season with two ankle sprains. Returning starter Devin Pitts returned from injury to catch six passes in Laramie.

Thirty-Somethings

San Diego State will head to New Mexico with the nation's 35th-ranked offense and the nation's 38th-ranked defense. SDSU is generating 405.17 yards of offense per game and allowing 325 yards. The highest rated categories for the Aztecs are pass efficiency defense and in passing offense (273 yards per game) with the Aztecs ranked 16th nationally in both categories.

Still Better

Despite the bevy of injury obstacles and influx of youth, San Diego State's offense is clearly improved from last year and enters the New Mexico game No. 35 nationally in total offense at 405.2 yards per game. SDSU needs just one touchdown pass to reach last year's 12-game total of 10. Last season, the Aztecs finished the year 88th in total offense and 60th in passing offense.

SDSU Offensive Improvement		
Category	2003*	2004
Total Offense	339.9	405.2
Passing	217.4	273.0
Rushing	122.5	132.2
Scoring	18.7	20.5
TOP	30:13	30:02
*Final 2003 per game numbers		

One Less Weapon

The Aztecs will make the drive for their first bowl game since 1998 with one less weapon. Lynell Hamilton, the 2003 Freshman All-America (*The Sporting News*, *Rivals*), Mountain West freshman of the year and first-team all-league running back, will sit out this season as he continues to recover from the broken ankle that prematurely ended his 2003 season in game 10 at UNLV. Hamilton, who ran for 1,087 yards in less than 10 full games, would have been the nation's 10th leading returning rusher in 2004. He will return to the squad as a sophomore next season.

Double Figures

San Diego State's decorated linebacking corps continues to stockpile statistics. Kirk Morrison's 14-tackle effort against Colorado State marked the 11th time in the last 13 games (dating back to last season) that an Aztec linebacker reached double figures in tackles. Morrison has accomplished the feat 16 times in his career and Matt McCoy has reached double figures seven times. Morrison has reached double figures in tackles in four straight games.

Tom Craft/SDSU Situational Record

CATEGORY	CRAFT		
	2004	ERA	STRK
Overall	2-4	12-19	L3
MWC	0-2	7-9	L2
LOCATION			
Home	2-1	8-6	L1
Away	0-3	4-13	L4
MONTH			
August	0-0	1-1	W1
September	2-1	4-7	L1
October	0-3	4-6	L3
November	0-0	3-4	W1
December	0-0	0-1	L1
COMPARISON			
More 1st Downs	2-3	7-10	L3
More Time of Poss.	2-1	7-6	L1
Fewer Penalties	1-0	2-9	W2
Fewer TOs	1-1	7-6	L1
Equal TOs	0-0	0-2	L3
More TOs	1-3	5-11	L3
OFFENSE			
500+yds Total Off.	1-0	2-2	W2
200+yds Rushing	1-0	3-0	W3
300-yd Passer	0-0	2-5	L2
100-yd Rusher	2-0	8-2	W3
100-yd Receiver	1-2	4-9	L1
No Turnovers	0-0	1-1	W1
No Interceptions	0-0	1-4	W1
No Fumb. Lost	0-1	7-4	L1
DEFENSE			
<300-yd Total Off.	0-2	7-5	L2
<200-yd Passing	0-2	8-10	L2
<100-yd Rushing	2-1	5-3	L1
4 or more TOs	1-1	3-4	L1
2 or more Ints.	1-1	6-3	W1
2 or more FR	0-0	2-4	W2
3 or more Sacks	1-2	4-7	L1
Scores (TD/Safety)	0-0	3-2	L1
SPECIAL TEAMS			
100+yds Returns	0-0	5-6	W1
Scores TD	0-0	2-0	W2
AZTECS			
Scoring First	2-2	11-9	L2
Lead After 1Q	2-0	9-2	W4
Tied After 1Q	0-2	3-7	L4
Trail After 1Q	0-2	0-10	L10
Lead at Half	2-2	8-6	L1
Tied at Half	0-0	1-1	W1
Trail at Half	0-2	3-12	L7
Lead After 3Q	2-0	11-2	W7
Tied After 3Q	0-0	0-1	L1
Trail After 3Q	0-4	1-16	L10

Linebacker You, You, You and You

Forgive opponents if they feel the SDSU linebacking corps has been together forever. The foursome of Kirk Morrison, Matt McCoy, Heath Farwell and Stephen Larsen have combined to start 89 games during their Aztec careers and they have also combined for a total of 836 career tackles, 95.5 tackles behind the line of scrimmage, 34 quarterback sacks, 21 forced fumbles, 17 recovered fumbles, 29 pass break-ups and six interceptions.

The Other Linebacker (s)

Linebacker Heath Farwell is half of the two-headed monster (joining Stephen Larsen) that mans "the other" linebacking spot. Farwell is faring very well. He heads to Albuquerque leading the Mountain West Conference in quarterback sacks (5) and fumbles forced (6).

They Know Nagurski

Kirk Morrison and Matt McCoy, perhaps the most productive linebacking duo in the America, have been named to the Bronko Nagurski Watch List, presented to the nation's top defensive player. McCoy was the Nagurski national defensive player of the week after his 18 tackles in the 24-21 loss at No. 17 Michigan.

Beginning To The End Zone

San Diego State has scored 14 touchdowns entering the New Mexico game with six players doing the damage. Those six players, Michael Franklin, Jeff, Webb, Wesley Williams, Brandon Bornes, Ramal Porter and Robert Ortiz had scored a combined 10 career touchdowns entering the season.

INT-eresting

The Aztecs now have 10 interceptions through five games this season after corraling just 12 all of last year. Seven players have combined for the picks with Reggie Grigsby becoming the latest to join the club. Grigsby's first career interception set up SDSU's go-ahead field goal in the fourth quarter against Colorado State. San Diego State ranks 11th nationally with its 10 interceptions, tops in the Mountain West.

PBU, Too

San Diego State enters the New Mexico game with an eye-popping 42 passes broken up. That number is just nine shy of last year's 12-game total of 51.

First Things First

San Diego State has already scored 61 points in the first quarter this season. Last year, the Aztecs managed just 60 points in the first period for the entire 12-game season.

Younger By The Day

San Diego State's 2004 season is being led by a dramatic youth movement. In the first six games of the season consider the contributions by the underclassmen:

► The 2004 season has included the first career starts by offensive linemen Patrick Justman (sophomore), Taylor Schmidt (junior), Chris Pino (junior), Will Robinson (redshirt freshman) and redshirt freshman Mike Kravetz. Another redshirt freshman, Brandyn Dombrowski, won a starting job in the fall but has been slowed by an ankle sprain and saw his first action at Michigan off the bench. And sophomore receiver Ramal Porter has moved into the starting lineup.

► Redshirt freshman Antwan Applewhite had his first career interception against Michigan and his 75-yard interception return set up San Diego State's first score of the game. He also had his first career sack at Michigan.

► Redshirt freshman Brandon Bornes is a key in San Diego State's kickoff return game and has picked up the first carries from scrimmage of his career and has scored two TDs, including a 35-yard TD run vs. Nevada. His 40-yard kickoff return vs. Colorado State was the longest by an Aztec since 2001.

► New defensive end Martin Miller has quickly become a factor up front and is now a solid member of the defensive line rotation. The same can be said for redshirt freshman defensive lineman Nick Osborn, who was slowed early by an elbow injury.

► Redshirt freshman Garrett Palmer is SDSU's placekicker and freshmen Michael Hughes and Sean Henschel are battling for punting chores. True freshman Tyler Schmitt is the team's deep snapper. Palmer connected on field goals of 50 and 43 yards vs. Nevada and twice from 48 vs. Colorado State.

Honors Candidates

Several San Diego State Aztecs have been named to preseason watch lists for national awards at their position. The following are the Aztec national-award candidates.

▶ **Jeremy Justice, Tight End**

John Mackey Award (nation's top tight end)

▶ **Mike Krcalick, Off. Lineman**

Outland Trophy (nation's outstanding interior lineman)

▶ **Kirk Morrison, Linebacker**

Bronko Nagurski Trophy (nation's outstanding defensive player)

Rotary Lombardi Award (nation's outstanding lineman)

Bednarik Award (nation's outstanding defensive player)

Butkus Award Semifinalist (nation's best linebacker)

The Lott Trophy (def. impact player)

▶ **Matt McCoy, Linebacker**

Butkus Award, (nation's best linebacker)

Bronko Nagurski Trophy (nation's outstanding defensive player)

2004 Honors

▶ **Matt McCoy, Linebacker**

Sept. 20 Mountain West Conf.
Defensive Player of the Week

Sept. 20 Bronko Nagurski Award
National Defensive Player of the Week

▶ **Kirk Morrison, Linebacker**

Oct. 18 Mountain West Conf.
Defensive Player of the Week

Also...

Consider this fact, San Diego State has completed 149 passes entering the Colorado State game. The senior class has accounted for just 25 of those catches and only one of San Diego State's eight touchdown receptions. The senior class has also accounted for just 77 rushing yards (of 665) and six points of SDSU's 106. On The Dark Side, however, seniors represent four of SDSU's top five tacklers.

Pass Is Back

The 2004 Aztecs look to be regaining the air prowess so cherished by the Aztec faithful and so evident in SDSU history. San Diego State is averaging 273 yards through the air and is completing 56.7 percent of its passes. SDSU already has nine touchdown passes this season after recording just 10 in 12 games last season.

Good Morning, Aztecs

San Diego State is likely the only program in the country that will practice in the mornings throughout the football season. Due to class conflicts in the afternoon, SDSU will have morning practices, beginning at 7 a.m., throughout the season. Players will return to the football offices for late afternoon film and meetings. Only the Friday walkthrough is scheduled for a traditional mid-afternoon time.



SDSU FOOTBALL GAME NOTES vs. New Mexico/Oct. 23, 2004/University Stadium

By The Numbers

- 7 Number of consecutive conference games in which SDSU has outgained its opponent
- 17 NCAA Division I-A head football coaches employed by their alma mater, including Tom Craft.
- 19 The number of all-time conference titles won or shared by the Aztecs.
- 20.5 Aztecs point per game production in the 2004 campaign.
- 28 Number of SDSU offensive plays that have resulted in gains of 20 or more yards in 2004.
- 123 San Diego State's point total through the first five games of the 2004 season.
- 65.3 The increased production in yards per game by the 2004 offensive squad.
- 3003 Amount of yards San Diego State would pass for in 2004 if the Aztecs maintain their current average of 273.0 passing yards per game (11-game schedule).

Yards (NCAA Rank (107 teams in 2003 and 108 in 2004))

2004	PPG: 20.5 (86)	YPG: 405.2 (35)	RYG: 132.2 (77)	PYG: 273.0 (16)
2003	PPG: 18.7 (102)	YPG: 339.9 (88)	RYG: 122.5 (88)	PYG: 217.4 (60)

OFFENSIVE NOTES

The Aztecs offense is off to an impressive start in the 2004 season showing improvement in all four major statistical categories over a year ago (total, passing and rushing yardage and scoring)... San Diego State has scored 147 points in its last seven games (21.0 ppg)... To date, the Aztecs are averaging 1.8 points and 65.3 yards more than last year... Of the Aztecs 14 touchdowns this season, five have come following a turnover... SDSU is impressive in 2004, going 11-for-17 in the Red Zone (inside the opponent 20), including seven touchdowns... Through just six games, the Aztecs have 28 plays of 20 or more yards... San Diego State has seven scoring drives of 71 or more yards and four touchdown drives of 80 or more yards... The Aztecs have shown impressive consistency in the passing game, throwing for 291 yards against Idaho State, 289 yards at Michigan, 262 yards vs. Nevada, 263 at UCLA, 295 against Wyoming and 238 vs. Colorado State ... SDSU has 61 first-quarter points this season, last year the Aztecs had 60 first-quarter points in 12 games ... San Diego State has gone 68 games without being shutout (last time SDSU did not score was Oct. 29, 1998, a 0-13 loss at Brigham Young)... The Aztecs have had a 100-yard rusher in five of their last 10 games ... Seven different Aztec backs have a rush of at least 21 yards in 2004... Michael Franklin has 1,117 career yards rushing on just 240 career carries (4.65 yards per rush)... Four different players have attempted and completed a pass for the Aztecs this season... 13 different SDSU players have caught a pass in a game this season... SDSU has outgained its opponent in each of the last seven conference games ... It would be hard to imagine a better season opener for the San Diego State offense... Against Idaho State, SDSU scored 38 points and had 581 yards of total offense with an incredibly balanced attack of 291 yards passing and 290 yards rushing... The Aztecs scored touchdowns on their first three offensive possessions of the season and SDSU's first five offensive possessions resulted in 24 points... San Diego State's 24 first-quarter points against Idaho State were the most in any stanza since Oct. 25, 1995 (at UTEP, 24 points in the second quarter) and five more points than SDSU averaged per game during the 2003 campaign... The 38 points were the most for the Aztecs since the 2002 season finale at Hawai'i (Dec. 7, 2002)... Michael Franklin scored on a 67-yard touchdown run on the first play from scrimmage and San Diego State had 14 points and 101 yards of total offense after four offensive plays... The Aztecs had 234 yards of total offense in the first quarter against Idaho State.



SDSU FOOTBALL GAME NOTES vs. New Mexico/Oct. 23, 2004/University Stadium

The Dark Side In 2003

NCAA 2003 Fewest TDs Allowed

Rk.	Team	TDA
1.	▶ San Diego State	17
	LSU	17
3.	Florida State	19
4.	Miami, Fla.	20
	Georgia	20
6.	Iowa	21
	Purdue	21
	Southern Miss	21

NCAA 2003 Total Defense Leaders

Rk.	Team	YPG
1.	LSU	252.00
2.	Miami, Fla.	257.54
3.	Oklahoma	259.64
4.	Georgia	276.86
5.	Auburn	281.62
6.	Kansas State	283.07
7.	Oregon State	288.69
8.	▶ San Diego State	289.75
9.	Memphis	295.77
10.	Ohio State	296.85

SDSU Career Total Tackles (since '74)

Rk.	Team	YPG
1.	Whip Walton, 1974-77	407
2.	Rico Curtis, 1996-99	355
3.	▶ Kirk Morrison, 2001-04	343
4.	Jason Moore, 1994-97	328
5.	John Wesselman, 1987-89	296
6.	Mike Fox, 1979-82	293
7.	Craigus Thompson, 1993-96	292
8.	Chris Johnson, 1990-93	284
9.	Darrell Lewis, 1991-93	279
10.	Damon Pieri, 1990-92	276

SDSU Career Tackles For Loss

Rk.	Team	YPG
1.	K. Gbaja-Biamila, 1996-99	67.0
2.	Kevin Richey, 1979-82	55.5
3.	La'Roi Glover, 1992-95	44.5
4.	Adrian Ioja, 1993-96	43.5
5.	Levi Esene, 1984-86	41.5
6.	Mike Stevens, 1982-85	39.5
7.	▶ Kirk Morrison, 2001-04	39.0
8.	Mike Hooper, 1984-87	37.5
9.	Brett Faryniarz, 1984-87	35.5
10.	James Johnson, 1983-84	33.0

Yards (NCAA Rank (107 teams in 2003 and 108 in 2004))

2004	PPG: 21.5 (48)	YPG: 325.0 (38)	RYG: 103.0 (17)	PYG: 222.0 (73)
2003	PPG: 17.2 (13)	YPG: 289.8 (8)	RYG: 129.5 (32)	PYG: 160.2 (10)

DEFENSIVE NOTES

After earning the distinction of being one of the nation's top defensive units a year ago, The Dark Side defense is off to another impressive start this season... San Diego State has held four of its six 2004 opponents well below their average scoring output: Idaho State (scored 21 points, averages 25.2 against non-SDSU opponents), Michigan (24, 31.0), Nevada (10, 31.4) and Wyoming (20, 30.3) (exceptions was UCLA which averages 32.3 ppg and scored 33 and Colorado State which average 20.0 ppg and scored 21) ... The six opponents to date combine to average 170.2 points per game (not-including SDSU contest), but against the Aztecs the six high-scoring teams scored just 129 points... SDSU has allowed 129 points this season but that is a bit misleading, Idaho State tallied 21 second-half points after the Aztecs had built a 38-0 lead, Michigan scored seven points on a fumble return, UCLA scored on an interception return and started a drive inside the Aztec 20 that resulted in a field goal, Wyoming started five drives in Aztec territory and kicked field goal following an eight-yard drive and Colorado State also had an interception return and started the game-winning drive at the SDSU 10-yard line ... The defense has been sensational when put under pressure... Aztec opponents have started 13 drives on SDSU's side of the field and have scored a total of 20 points off the strong field position ... Since the beginning of the 2003 season, opponents have started in SDSU territory 34 times but were able to come away with points on just 15 occasions and touchdowns just six times... During that time, opponents have just a 17.7 percent touchdown percentage when starting inside Aztec territory... Through six games, The Dark Side has 55 tackles for loss, 18 sacks, 10 interceptions and has forced 13 turnovers... The Aztecs have allowed just 153 points in their last nine games (17.0 ppg)...In addition, opponents have been able to cross the goal line in just 18 of their last 55 opportunities when at or inside the Aztec 20 (TD conversion percentage of just 32.7 percent) ... The Aztecs have allowed just four rushing touchdowns this season to rank 14th nationally... SDSU is 11th in the country in interceptions with 10... The Dark Side is limiting opponents to a stingy 3.0 yards per rush this season... In six of the last 10 games, SDSU opponents have failed to rush for more than 85 yards... Last year San Diego State allowed 17 offensive touchdowns, tied with co-national champion Louisiana State for the best figure in the country... In 2003, SDSU held four opponents to nine points or less marking the first time an Aztec squad had done that since 1977... Last season the Aztecs allowed 207 points, the fewest SDSU has allowed since 1977... In the 25 seasons between 1977 and 2003, the Aztecs allowed more than 300 points 14 times and more than 400 points twice... The Dark Side defense scored four touchdowns last season off turnover returns and helped the Aztec offense to five scores on drives of four yards or less setup by turnovers deep in opposition territory.

San Diego State at New Mexico

SCHEDULES/RESULTS

SAN DIEGO STATE (2-4, 0-2 MWC)

Date	Opponent	Result/Time
9/4	Idaho State	W, 38-21
9/18	at (17) Michigan	L, 21-24
9/25	Nevada	W, 27-10
10/2	UCLA	L, 10-33
10/9	at Wyoming*	L, 10-20
10/16	Colorado State*	L, 17-21
10/23	at New Mexico*	3:35 PT
10/30	Utah*	6:00 PT
11/6	at Brigham Young*	TBA
11/13	at Air Force*	TBA
11/20	UNLV*	TBA

*Mountain West Conference
Times local to site

NEW MEXICO (3-4, 1-2 MWC)

9/3	Washington State	L, 17-21
9/11	Texas Tech	W, 27-24
9/18	at Oregon State	L, 7-17
9/25	at New Mexico State	W, 38-3
10/1	(14) Utah*	L, 7-28
10/9	at Air Force*	L, 23-28
10/16	at UNLV*	W, 24-20
10/23	San Diego State*	
10/30	at Colorado State*	
11/6	Open	
11/13	at Brigham Young*	
11/20	Wyoming*	

*Mountain West Conference

COACHES

SDSU - Tom Craft (San Diego State '77)

Record at SDSU	12-19 (3rd year)
Career (Years)	Same
vs. New Mexico	0-2
vs. Mountain West	7-9
vs. Rocky Long	0-2

CSU - Rocky Long (New Mexico '74)

Career (Years)	36-44 (7th year)
Record at UNM (Years)	Same
vs. SDSU	7-3
vs. Mountain West	22-23
vs. Tom Craft	2-0

INDIVIDUAL LEADERS

RUSHING

	Att	Net	Avg	TD	YPG
Franklin (SD)	92	400	4.3	2	66.7
Moore (NM)	122	607	5.0	2	101.2

PASSING

	A-C-I	Pct	TD	YPG
Dlugolecki (SD)	203-123-8	60.6	6	224.8
O'Connell (SD)	57-24-2	42.1	2	68.8
McKamey (NM)	125-59-2	47.2	2	111.0

RECEIVING

	Rec	Yds	Avg	TD	YPG
Webb (SD)	44	563	12.8	4	93.8
Ortiz (SD)	28	392	14.0	3	65.3
Baskett (NM)	35	508	14.5	1	72.6

DEFENSE

	U-A-TT	TFL	Int.	FF-FR
Morrison (SD)	41-21-62	8	0	1-1
McCoy (SD)	42-10-52	5	0	0-0
Speegle (NM)	26-30-56	10	0	1-0

SERIES HISTORY

1953	UNM 41	SDSU 12
1954	UNM 28	SDSU 7
1956	UNM 34	SDSU 6
1976	SDSU 17	UNM 14
1978	SDSU 27	UNM 24
1979	SDSU 37	UNM 7
1980	SDSU 24	UNM 22
1981	SDSU 17	UNM 15
1982	UNM 22	SDSU 17
1983	UNM 34	SDSU 14
1984	SDSU 37	UNM 31
1985	SDSU 55	UNM 20
1986	SDSU 38	UNM 34
1987	SDSU 53	UNM 30
1988	SDSU 18	UNM 10
1989	SDSU 45	UNM 28
1990	SDSU 40	UNM 34
1991	SDSU 38	UNM 24
1992	SDSU 49	UNM 21
1993	SDSU 20	UNM 17
1994	SDSU 20	UNM 13
1995	SDSU 38	UNM 29
1996	SDSU 48	UNM 42
1997	UNM 36	SDSU 21
1998	SDSU 33	UNM 33 (ot)
1999	UNM 24	SDSU 21
2000	SDSU 17	UNM 16
2001	UNM 20	SDSU 15
2002	UNM 15	SDSU 8
2003	UNM 30	SDSU 7

Home team in bold

TEAM COMPARISONS

	SDSU	UNM
Records	2-4	3-4
Conference	0-2	1-2
Turnover Margin	-4	+7
Penalties	46-423	55-416
Average ToP	30:02	28:54
First Downs	121	109
Rushing Yards	132.2	174.6
Passing Yards	273.0	117.6
Total Yards	405.2	292.1
PPG	20.5	20.4
First Downs Allowed	106	142
Rushing Yards Allowed	103.0	132.0
Passing Yards Allowed	222.0	216.0
Total Yards Allowed	325.0	348.0
PPG Allowed	21.5	20.1

NCAA Team Rankings

	SDSU	UNM
Rushing Offense	77	37
Passing Offense	16	115
Total Offense	35	107
Scoring Offense	86	88
Rushing Defense	17	50
Pass Eff. Defense	38	38
Total Defense	38	52
Scoring Defense	48	41
Net Punting	97	56
Punt Returns	52	91
Kickoff Returns	75	115
Turnover Margin	86	17

Conference Team Rankings

	SDSU	UNM
Rushing Offense	6	3
Passing Offense	2	8
Total Offense	2	8
Scoring Offense	4	5
Rushing Defense	1	4
Pass Eff. Defense	1	4
Total Defense	2	3
Scoring Defense	4	3
Net Punting	7	5
Punt Returns	2	6
Kickoff Returns	6	8
Turnover Margin	5	1



2004 Award Nominations

Bronko Nagurski Trophy Watch List	Nation's Outstanding Defensive Player
Rotary Lombardi Award Nominee	Nation's Outstanding Lineman
Bednarik Award Nominee	Nation's Outstanding Defensive Player
Butkus Award Semifinalist	Nation's Best Linebacker
Lott Trophy Award Nominee	Nation's Defensive IMPACT Player of the Year

2004 Honors

Preseason All-American (Athlon's, cbssportsline) ♦ 21st Best Player in America (espn.com)
 Mountain West Defensive Player of the Week (Oct. 18th)

2003 Honors

First-Team All-American (College Football News) ♦ Named one of the top 40 players in the nation (College Football News) ♦ Mountain West Conference Defensive Player of the Year (MWC Coaches and Media, CollegeFootballNews.com) ♦ All-Mountain West Conference First-Team Member (Second Straight Season)

Enters his senior season as one of the most decorated Aztec players since Marshall Faulk ... A first-team All-America selection by *College Football News* ... *CFN* also listed him as one of the top 40 players in the country regardless of position and *espn.com* lists him as the nation's No. 22 player, regardless of position, entering the season ... The 2003 Mountain West Conference defensive player of the year by conference coaches and media ... A two-time first-team all-league player who will try to become SDSU's first three-time first-teamer since defensive end Kabeer Gbaja Biamila, now of the Green Bay Packers ... Enters his senior season with 32 consecutive starts ... Considered the third best player in the league by *Collegefootballnews.com* at the conclusion of the 2003 season and the No. 71 player in the country by *ESPN.com* ... One service lists him as the nation's second best prospect at linebacker ... SDSU's MVP ... The 11th leading returning tackler in the country.

2004: One of 12 semifinalists for the Butkus Award ... leads the Mountain West Conference in tackles per game (10.3) ... set a career high with 15 tackles against Nevada...Reached double figures in tackles in each of the last four games with a total of 62 ... Now third all-time at SDSU in tackles (343) and seventh in tackles for loss (39)...Mountain West defensive player of the week after recording 14 tackles vs. Colorado State.

2003: Entered the season on the preseason watch lists for the Nagurski Award (outstanding defensive player), Lombardi Award (outstanding lineman or linebacker) and Butkus Award (linebacker) ... *The Sporting News* listed him as the nation's 13th best linebacker ... Voted a preseason All-America selection (second team) by *Athlon's* ... Finished fourth in the Mountain West with an average of 9.6 tackles per game and a total of 115 for the season ... Led the Mountain West with 1.33 tackles for loss per game and was second with 17 TFLs on the season ... Tied for the conference lead with four fumbles forced ... Seventh in the conference with two fumble recoveries ... Led SDSU in tackles for loss (17), fumbles forced and recovered ... Was second in tackles and third in sacks (3.5) ... Reached double figures in tackles six times ... Had 15 tackles against Brigham Young, 14 vs. Wyoming and 13 vs. Eastern Washington ... Had an interception against Wyoming that set up a touchdown ... Had tackles behind the line of scrimmage in 10 of the 12 games.

2002: Led the Mountain West with five recovered fumbles and finished seventh with three interceptions ... Was the only player in the league listed among the leaders in both turnover categories ... SDSU's team leader in tackles, solo tackles, interceptions and recovered fumbles ... State's first all-conference linebacker since Todd Richards in 1985 ... Voted as SDSU's defensive player of the year ... One of four sophomores in the country named first-team all-conference at linebacker and one of six named first-team all-Mountain West ... Started every game in the middle ... Had his best statistical game at BYU, recording 13 tackles, an interception and a quarterback sack ... Returned the INT 35 yards ... Also reached double figures with 10 tackles at Hawaii'i ... Had six tackles at Wyoming and returned an interception 34 yards for a key score in 24-20 win ... Recovered two fumbles at New Mexico and forced a fumble and recovered a fumble versus Air Force ... Finished 15th in the MWC and sixth among the league linebackers with 97 tackles.

2001: One of the top stories of the 2001 season ... Became a starter when Beau Trickey was lost to injury and responded with an effort that earned him Freshman All-America accolades from *The Sporting News* ... Honorable mention all-Mountain West choice ... Played in all 11 games, starting the last seven at middle linebacker ... Second on the team with 69 tackles ... Concluded the year with five tackles for losses, three quarterback sacks, three pass break-ups and one interception ... Reached double figures in tackles in three games, including 12 at UNLV, 10 at Ohio State and a career-best 15 at Utah ... Pass interception came in the season finale versus Wyoming ... Had two quarterback sacks at Ohio State ... Forced a fumble against New Mexico ... Shared the award of most improved defensive player with senior safety Garret Pavelko.

Morrison's Career Defensive Stats

Year	UT	TT	TFL	Sack	FF	FR	PBU	Int
2001	39	69	5	3	1	0	3	1
2002	60	97	9	3	2	5	3	3
2003	70	115	17	3.5	4	2	3	1
2004	41	62	8	0	1	1	1	0
Totals	210	343	39	9.5	8	8	10	5



2004 Award Nominations

Bronko Nagurski Trophy Nominee Nation's Most Outstanding Defensive Player
 Butkus Award Nominee Nation's Best Linebacker

2004 Honors

Bronko Nagurski National Defensive Player of the Week (Sept. 21) ♦ Mountain West Conference
 Defensive Player of the Week (Sept. 20)

2004 Rankings

NCAA Statistics through games of Oct. 9 ♦ Tied for ninth nationally in solo tackles per game (6.80)

Named second-team all-Mountain West Conference as a sophomore despite leading the Mountain West Conference in tackles per game (10.4) ... Is a fast, high-energy player that is a candidate for conference and national honors ... Also led the Mountain West with 75 solo tackles ... Rated by Collegefootballnews.com as the 22nd best player in the Mountain West, regardless of position, following his sophomore season.

2003: Had a breakout sophomore season in which he led the Aztecs in total tackles (125) and tackles per game (10.4) ... His 13 tackles for loss ranked second on the SDSU campus and seventh in the Mountain West Conference ... Was 10th in the conference in fumbles forced and second on the team ... Reached double figures in tackles in six games last season ... Had a career-best 16 tackles against league foes Colorado State and Air Force ... In seven games he had tackles behind the line of scrimmage ... Had quarterback sacks in five games (including half sacks) and his four sacks on the season were second on the squad and tops among returning players ... Forced three fumbles on the season, including two in the 7-0 defensive victory at UNLV ... Recovered a fumble at Utah and returned it 25 yards ... Had at least seven tackles in every game ... Had 15 stops against conference champ Utah, 12 vs. Air Force and 10 against Brigham Young ... Had pass break-ups against UCLA and Air Force.

2002: Got his first career start against UCLA and remained in the lineup for most of the season (eight games) as a redshirt freshman ... Had a season-best nine tackles against Colorado and another eight in the road win at Wyoming ... Recovered fumbles against Idaho and Colorado State ... Finished eighth on the team with 55 tackles ... Was credited with four tackles for losses and a quarterback sack ... Topped all freshman linebackers in the Mountain West with his tackle total and was one of five Aztec linebackers ranked among the top 20 tacklers in the league at that position.

2001: Redshirted as a true freshman.

High School: Attended Tustin High School in Orange County ... Helped lead Tustin to an 11-2 mark and a berth in the CIF semifinals as a senior ... Set a school record as both a junior and a senior in quarterback sacks with 18.5 and 23, respectively ... Also played running back and averaged over seven yards per carry ... Finished his senior season with 71 tackles ... Blocked six kicks during the course of his career ... Scored three defensive touchdowns as a senior ... Was one of four players from Tustin to sign with a Division I-A program ... Two-time Golden West defensive player of the year and a two-time all-CIF selection ... Voted county defensive player of the year by the Orange County Register.

Personal: Born Oct. 14, 1982, in Orange ... Son of Mark and Tammy McCoy ... Major is criminal justice.

McCoy's Career Defensive Stats

Year	UT	TT	TFL	Sack	FF	FR	PBU	Int
2002	29	55	4	1	0	2	0	0
2003	75	125	13	4	3	1	2	0
2004	42	52	5	1	0	0	2	0
Total	146	232	22	6	3	3	4	0

INDIVIDUAL NOTES

42 Josh Dean

► Safety ► Oakland, Calif.

Did not have an interception in the first 26 games of his career but now has intercepted a pass in five of the last 10 games, including at Michigan and at UCLA...Also caused an INT against the Wolverines with a hit on UM quarterback Chad Henne that led to an interception by Antwan Applewhite and an eventual Aztec touchdown...Set a career-high with three pass break-ups against Nevada... Currently ranks fifth in the country in interceptions with three.

2001	UT	AT	TT	TFL	PBU
Arizona	0	0	0	0	0
at Arizona State	0	0	0	0	0
at Colorado State	DNP				
Air Force	0	0	0	0	0
Eastern Illinois	0	0	0	0	0
at UNLV	0	0	0	0	0
at Ohio State	0	0	0	0	0
Brigham Young	1	0	1	1	0
New Mexico	0	0	0	0	0
at Utah	0	1	1	0	0
Wyoming	2	0	2	0	0
SEASON TOTALS	3	1	4	1	0

2002	UT	AT	TT	TFL	PBU
at Fresno State	2	3	5	1	1
at Colorado	4	0	4	0	0
Arizona State	1	0	1	0	1
at Idaho	4	3	7	1	0
UCLA	3	1	4	0	0
Utah	3	1	4	1	0
at Wyoming	5	1	6	0	► 2
UNLV	5	1	6	0	0
at Brigham Young	► 7	1	► 8	0	0
at New Mexico	0	1	1	0	0
Colorado State	DNP				
at Air Force	5	3	► 8	► 2	0
at Hawai'i	2	0	2	0	0
SEASON TOTALS	41	15	56	5	4

2003	UT	AT	TT	TFL	PBU
Eastern Washington	DNP				
at Ohio State	DNP				
at Texas-El Paso	DNP				
Samford	0	0	0	0	0
at UCLA	1	0	1	0	0
Brigham Young	2	1	3	0	0
at Utah	2	3	5	0	0
New Mexico	3	2	5	1	0
Wyoming	3	1	4	0	2
at UNLV	2	0	2	1	0
at Colorado State	1	3	4	0	0
Air Force	1	0	1	1	0
SEASON TOTALS	15	10	25	3	2

Also had two interceptions (against New Mexico and UNLV), and one quarterback sack and forced fumble.

2004	UT	AT	TT	TFL	PBU
Idaho State	2	1	3	0	1
Michigan	5	0	5	0	0
Nevada	3	3	6	0	► 3
at UCLA	4	1	5	1	0
at Wyoming	0	► 4	4	1	2
Colorado State	1	3	4	0	0

Picked off a fourth-quarter pass vs. Michigan.

15 Matt Dlugolecki

► Quarterback ► Cota De Caza, Calif.

Set career high with 281 passing yards at Wyoming...Tossed just four touchdowns all of last season on 230 attempts...In 2004 has six TD passes...Has a TD pass in four of the team's six games this season...Set a new career high in completions with 27 in Laramie.

2003	Att	Comp.	Int.	Yds	TD
Eastern Washington	19	11	1	97	0
at Ohio State	39	23	2	189	1
at Texas-El Paso	28	18	0	180	0
Samford	39	20	1	234	► 3
at UCLA	37	19	2	110	0
New Mexico	10	6	1	46	0
Wyoming	DNP				
at UNLV	3	3	0	69	0
at Colorado State	22	10	1	97	0
at Air Force	31	23	0	226	0
SEASON TOTALS	230	133	8	1,248	4

2004	Att	Comp.	Int.	Yds	TD
Idaho State	27	16	1	233	2
at Michigan	► 42	26	1	277	1
Nevada	40	23	2	271	2
at UCLA	► 42	23	2	215	0
at Wyoming	37	► 27	1	► 281	1
Colorado State	15	8	1	81	0

15 Heath Farwell

► Linebacker ► Corona, Calif.

Defensive player of the game vs. Idaho State with a quarterback sack, fumble caused and an interception...Has forced eight fumbles in his career...Forced two fumbles vs. Nevada and added three sacks...Has four sacks over the last three games...Leads MWC in fumbles forced and sacks.

2002	UT	AT	TT	TFL	FF
at Fresno State	1	0	1	0	1
at Colorado	3	3	6	0	0
Arizona State	3	3	6	1	0
at Idaho	2	3	5	1	0
UCLA	► 4	4	► 8	2	0
Utah	2	0	2	1	1
at Wyoming	2	4	6	1	0
UNLV	3	0	3	1	1
at Brigham Young	2	2	4	0	1
at New Mexico	3	2	5	1	0
Colorado State	3	2	5	0	0
at Air Force	3	1	4	1	0
at Hawai'i	► 4	0	4	1	0
SEASON TOTALS	35	24	59	10	4

Also had three sacks and one fumble recovery in 2002.

2003	UT	AT	TT	TFL	FF
Eastern Washington	► 4	2	6	1	0
at Ohio State	► 4	2	6	1	0
at Texas-El Paso	2	1	3	0	0
Samford	2	1	3	0	0
at UCLA	3	1	4	1	1
Brigham Young	2	3	5	1	0
at Utah	2	► 6	► 8	0	0
New Mexico	2	0	2	1	0
Wyoming	3	1	4	1	0
at UNLV	2	1	3	0	0
at Colorado State	1	2	3	1	0
Air Force	3	2	5	0	0

INDIVIDUAL NOTES (cont.)

SEASON TOTALS 30 22 52 7 1

Also had 3.5 sacks, two fumble recoveries and one PBU in 2003.

2004	UT	AT	TT	TFL	FF
Idaho State	3	1	4	1	1
Michigan	2	0	2	0	0
Nevada	3	3	6	▶ 3	▶ 2
at UCLA	▶ 4	0	4	1	0
at Wyoming	2	▶ 4	6	1	0
Colorado State	2	1	3	1	0

Had sack at UCLA for a 14-yard loss.

20 Michael Franklin

▶ Running Back ▶ New Orleans, La.

In the six games in which he has replaced the injured Lynell Hamilton, Franklin has rushed for 637 yards and ran for 100 yards in two of the six games this season...Threw and ran for a touchdown at Michigan...Entered the season with three career rushing TDs...Has passed the 1,000-yard rushing mark for his career...Set a career-best with 10 catches at UCLA this season.

2002	Rushing Attempts	Rushing Yards	Rushing TD	Rec.	Rec. Yards
at Fresno State	0	0	0	0	0
at Colorado	10	41	▶ 1	2	-2
Arizona State	2	9	0	0	0
at Idaho	9	57	0	1	11
UCLA	12	69	0	1	-1
Utah	12	67	0	0	0
at Wyoming	5	14	0	8	▶ 75
UNLV	DNP				
at Brigham Young	DNP				
at New Mexico	DNP				
Colorado State	0	0	0	0	0
at Air Force	3	1	0	0	0
at Hawai'i	9	88	0	0	0
SEASON TOTALS	62	346	1	12	83

2003	Rushing Attempts	Rushing Yards	Rushing TD	Rec.	Rec. Yards
Eastern Washington	7	23	0	1	6
at Ohio State	3	9	0	0	0
at Texas-El Paso	0	0	0	0	0
Samford	0	0	0	0	0
at UCLA	6	55	▶ 1	1	6
Brigham Young	2	7	0	0	0
at Utah	4	17	0	0	0
New Mexico	1	-4	0	0	0
Wyoming	2	-2	0	0	0
at UNLV	14	39	0	0	0
at Colorado State	18	105	0	1	18
Air Force	▶ 29	▶ 122	▶ 1	2	14
SEASON TOTALS	86	371	2	5	44

2004	Rushing Attempts	Rushing Yards	Rushing TD	Rec.	Rec. Yards
Idaho State	12	101	▶ 1	6	84
Michigan	16	39	▶ 1	0	0
Nevada	23	100	0	3	32
at UCLA	11	45	0	▶ 10	53
at Wyoming	15	49	0	3	11
Colorado State	15	66	0	1	4

45 Stephen Larsen

▶ Linebacker ▶ Chandler, Ariz.

Had a tackle for a loss and a fumble recovery vs. Idaho State...Was involved in a sack against Michigan...Had a tackle for a 5-yard loss vs. Colorado State.

2001	UT	AT	TT	TFL	PBU
Arizona	1	1	2	0	0
at Arizona State	0	0	0	0	0
at Colorado State	DNP				
Air Force	2	2	4	0	0
Eastern Illinois	0	1	1	0	0
at UNLV	2	3	5	0	0
at Ohio State	0	0	0	0	0
Brigham Young	4	1	5	0	0
New Mexico	1	1	2	0	0
at Utah	0	0	0	0	0
Wyoming	2	0	2	0	0
SEASON TOTALS	12	9	21	0	0

2002	UT	AT	TT	TFL	PBU
at Fresno State	4	0	4	0	1
at Colorado	5	1	6	1	0
Arizona State	4	0	4	0	0
at Idaho	2	1	3	0	▶ 2
UCLA	3	▶ 4	7	1	0
Utah	2	1	3	1	1
at Wyoming	1	1	2	0	0
UNLV	3	1	4	1	0
at Brigham Young	1	1	2	0	1
at New Mexico	3	0	3	0	0
Colorado State	2	1	3	0	0
at Air Force	3	2	5	0	0
at Hawai'i	5	0	5	0	1
SEASON TOTALS	38	13	51	4	6

2003	UT	AT	TT	TFL	PBU
Eastern Washington	▶ 7	1	▶ 8	1	1
at Ohio State	1	2	3	0	0
at Texas-El Paso	4	1	5	1	1
Samford	0	0	0	0	0
at UCLA	4	1	5	0	0
Brigham Young	1	3	4	0	1
at Utah	1	0	1	0	0
New Mexico	1	2	3	0	0
Wyoming	4	1	5	▶ 2	0
at UNLV	0	1	1	0	1
at Colorado State	1	1	2	0	▶ 2
Air Force	1	0	1	0	0
SEASON TOTALS	25	13	38	4	6

2004	UT	AT	TT	TFL	PBU
Idaho State	4	0	4	1	1
at Michigan	2	0	2	0	0
Nevada	1	1	2	0	0
at UCLA	1	1	2	0	0
at Wyoming	2	0	2	1	0
Colorado State	2	1	3	1	0

43 Matt McCoy

▶ Linebacker ▶ Tustin, Calif.

INDIVIDUAL NOTES (cont.)

2002	UT	AT	TT	TFL	FR
at Fresno State	2	2	4	0	0
at Colorado	6	4	10	0	0
Arizona State	0	0	0	0	0
at Idaho	1	3	4	0	▶ 1
UCLA	4	2	6	0	0
Utah	3	1	4	2	0
at Wyoming	5	3	8	1	0
UNLV	0	0	0	0	0
at Brigham Young	1	2	3	0	0
at New Mexico	3	2	5	1	0
Colorado State	3	2	5	0	▶ 1
at Air Force	0	2	2	0	0
at Hawai'i	1	3	4	0	0
SEASON TOTALS	29	26	55	4	2

2003	UT	AT	TT	TFL	FR
E. Washington	6	1	7	2	0
Ohio State	5	3	8	0	0
UTEP	5	3	8	0	0
Samford	6	2	8	1	0
UCLA	7	2	9	0	0
Brigham Young	5	5	10	2	0
Utah	7	▶ 8	15	1	▶ 1
New Mexico	8	▶ 8	16	1	0
Wyoming	4	4	8	▶ 3	0
UNLV	6	2	8	0	0
Colorado State	8	▶ 8	16	▶ 3	0
Air Force	8	4	12	0	0
SEASON TOTALS	75	50	125	13	1

2004	UT	AT	TT	TFL	FR
Idaho State	6	1	7	1	0
at Michigan	▶ 17	1	▶ 18	1	0
Nevada	1	1	2	0	0
at UCLA	6	4	10	1	0
at Wyoming	4	2	6	0	0
Colorado State	8	1	9	▶ 3	0

40 Adam Miller

▶ Tight End ▶ Yakima, Wash.

Joined the program as a walk-on this fall and has the speed and hands to make a contribution this season.

Shasta College: Had 15 receptions covering 310 yards last season and was an honor student...Spent two seasons at the school.

High School: Attended West Valley High School in Yakima...Earned two varsity letters.

Personal: Born Feb. 17, 1984, in Yakima...Father played football at Oregon State...Majoring in communications.

34 Kirk Morrison

▶ Linebacker ▶ Oakland, Calif.

2001	UT	AT	TT	TFL	FF
Arizona	0	1	1	0	0
at Arizona State	1	0	1	0	0
at Colorado State	1	0	1	0	0
Air Force	1	1	2	0	0
Eastern Illinois	4	2	6	0	0
at UNLV	7	5	12	0	0
at Ohio State	5	5	10	2	0
Brigham Young	5	0	5	2	0
New Mexico	5	2	7	1	▶ 1
at Utah	4	▶ 11	▶ 15	0	0

Wyoming	6	3	9	0	0
SEASON TOTALS	39	30	69	5	1
2002	UT	AT	TT	TFL	FF
at Fresno State	4	2	6	2	0
at Colorado	5	2	7	0	0
Arizona State	5	2	7	2	0
at Idaho	3	7	10	0	0
UCLA	6	3	9	0	0
Utah	3	2	5	1	0
at Wyoming	3	3	6	1	0
UNLV	1	1	2	0	0
at Brigham Young	8	5	12	1	0
at New Mexico	4	2	6	0	▶ 1
Colorado State	5	2	7	1	0
at Air Force	4	5	9	1	▶ 1
at Hawai'i	9	1	10	0	0
SEASON TOTALS	60	37	97	9	2

2003	UT	AT	TT	TFL	FF
Eastern Washington	7	6	13	▶ 4	0
at Ohio State	4	3	7	1	0
at Texas-El Paso	6	3	9	1	0
Samford	6	1	7	1	0
at UCLA	6	1	7	2	▶ 1
Brigham Young	8	7	▶ 15	3	0
at Utah	5	7	12	1	▶ 1
New Mexico	6	4	10	0	0
Wyoming	7	7	14	1	0
at UNLV	2	2	4	1	0
at Colorado State	5	2	7	0	▶ 1
Air Force	8	2	10	1	▶ 1
SEASON TOTALS	70	45	115	17	4

2004	UT	AT	TT	TFL	FF
Idaho State	3	1	4	1	0
at Michigan	6	2	8	0	0
Nevada	▶ 10	5	▶ 15	2	0
at UCLA	8	3	11	2	0
at Wyoming	6	4	10	1	0
Colorado State	8	6	14	2	▶ 1

PBU vs. Michigan.

80 Robert Ortiz

▶ Wide Receiver ▶ San Diego, Calif.

Has three TD catches this season after recording two in his first two years at State...Set a career-long with a 61-yard catch vs Michigan and made ESPN's Top 10 Plays of the day with a one-handed grab...Also set a career best with 125 receiving yards versus Michigan...Had a 23-yard reception at UCLA... Has a catch in 11 straight games.

2002	No.	Yds.	TD
at Colorado	3	19	0
Arizona State	0	0	0
at Idaho	2	36	1
UCLA	1	4	0
Utah	0	0	0
at Wyoming	1	15	0
UNLV	1	13	0
at Brigham Young	3	19	0
Colorado State	1	33	0
at Air Force	1	2	0
at Hawai'i	0	0	0
SEASON TOTALS	13	141	1

INDIVIDUAL NOTES (cont.)

2003	No.	Yds.	TD
Eastern Washington	0	0	0
at Ohio State	1	20	0
at Texas-El Paso	1	6	0
Samford	2	13	0
at UCLA	2	16	0
Brigham Young	1	24	0
at Utah	0	0	0
New Mexico	▶ 10	89	0
Wyoming	1	25	0
at UNLV	1	18	1
at Colorado State	▶ 10	88	0
Air Force	4	30	0
SEASON TOTALS	33	329	1

2004	No.	Yds.	TD
Idaho State	4	58	▶ 2
at Michigan	7	▶ 125	1
Nevada	3	39	0
at UCLA	4	53	0
at Wyoming	5	61	0
Colorado State	5	56	0

11 Devin Pitts▶ **Wide Receiver** ▶ **Carson, Calif.**

2003	No.	Yds.	TD
Eastern Washington	2	38	0
at Ohio State	3	31	0
at Texas-El Paso	5	36	0
Samford	4	▶ 81	▶ 1
at UCLA	3	9	0
Brigham Young	1	1	0
at Utah	4	53	0
New Mexico	5	76	0
Wyoming	0	0	0
at UNLV	2	27	0
at Colorado State	5	59	0
Air Force	5	67	▶ 1
SEASON TOTALS	39	478	2

2004	No.	Yds.	TD
Idaho State	2	24	0
Michigan	4	21	0
Nevada	DNP	Injury	
at UCLA	0	0	0
at Wyoming	▶ 6	60	0
Colorado State	1	11	0

5 Marviel Underwood▶ **Safety** ▶ **San Leandro, Calif.**

One of the best safeties in the West, he opened the season with three pass break-ups and a tackle for a loss... Caused a fumble at Michigan...Had two INTs vs. Nevada.

2001	UT	AT	TT	Int	PBU
Arizona	DNP				
at Arizona State	2	1	3	0	0
at Colorado State	4	0	4	0	0
Air Force	0	0	0	0	0
Eastern Illinois	0	0	0	0	0

at UNLV	0	1	1	0	0
at Ohio State	1	0	1	0	0
Brigham Young	2	0	2	0	0
New Mexico	0	0	0	0	0
at Utah	0	0	0	0	1
Wyoming	1	1	2	0	0
SEASON TOTALS	10	3	13	0	1

2002	UT	AT	TT	Int	PBU
at Fresno State	2	4	6	0	1
at Colorado	2	5	7	1	1
Arizona State	2	1	3	0	0
Idaho	1	2	3	0	0
UCLA	4	0	4	0	0
Utah	5	2	7	0	0
at Wyoming	1	3	4	0	1
UNLV	3	0	3	0	1
at Brigham Young	3	4	7	1	0
at New Mexico	4	2	6	0	0
Colorado State	3	4	7	0	0
at Air Force	▶ 10	▶ 8	▶ 18	0	1
Hawai'i	6	2	8	1	0
SEASON TOTALS	46	37	83	3	5

2003	UT	AT	TT	Int	PBU
Eastern Washington	5	1	6	0	1
at Ohio State	5	2	7	0	0
at Texas-El Paso	4	0	4	0	1
Samford	1	0	1	0	0
at UCLA	2	3	5	0	0
Brigham Young	4	0	4	0	0
at Utah	6	5	11	0	0
New Mexico	3	3	6	0	0
Wyoming	0	1	1	0	0
at UNLV	2	4	6	1	2
at Colorado State	1	4	5	0	0
Air Force	▶ 10	2	12	1	0
SEASON TOTALS	43	25	68	2	4

2004	UT	AT	TT	Int	PBU
Idaho State	4	4	4	0	▶ 3
at Michigan	5	2	7	0	1
Nevada	3	1	4	▶ 2	0
at UCLA	3	1	4	0	0
at Wyoming	2	1	3	0	1
Colorado State	1	2	3	0	1

Force a fumble vs. Michigan.

19 Jeff Webb▶ **Wide Receiver** ▶ **Pontiac, Mich.**

Has caught a pass in 16 straight games (in which he's played). Set a career best with 11 grabs vs. Michigan and made ESPN's Top 10 Plays of the day for a circus catch on the Michigan sideline... Has five career 100-yard receiving games (vs. Nevada, Michigan and CSU this season) and topped 200 last season vs. BYU...Has 41 receptions over last five games.

2001	No.	Yds.	TD
Arizona	2	12	0
at Arizona State	3	40	0
at Colorado State	2	29	0
Air Force	0	0	0
Eastern Illinois	1	9	0
at UNLV	3	41	0
at Ohio State	2	51	0

INDIVIDUAL NOTES (cont.)

Brigham Young	1	7	0
New Mexico	0	0	0
at Utah	2	23	0
Wyoming	0	0	0
SEASON TOTALS	16	212	0

2003	No.	Yds.	TD
Eastern Wash.	10	71	0
at Ohio State	6	27	0
at UTEP	2	10	0
Samford	1	15	0
at UCLA	2	32	0
BYU	10	▶ 253	▶ 3
Utah	5	61	0
New Mexico	6	94	0
Wyoming	10	139	1
UNLV	3	4	0
Colorado State	DNP	INJ	
Air Force	DNP	INJ	
SEASON TOTALS	55	706	4

2004	No.	Yds.	TD
Idaho State	3	68	0
Michigan	▶ 11	107	1
Nevada	9	101	1
at UCLA	7	71	0
at Wyoming	7	87	1
Colorado State	7	129	1

How To Say It

Eder Arosemena	Etter Uh-rose-uh-meena
Jonathan Bailes	BALES
Brandon Bornes	Bornz
Hubert Caliste	kuh-LEEST
Matt Dlugolecki	DO-guh-leck-ee
Kurt Kahui	kuh-WHO-ee
Freddie Keiaho	kee-AH-ho
Mike Kracalik	CRACH-a-lik
Aloalii Lealofi	uh-low-UH-lee-EE lee-UH-low-fee
Blake Lobel	LOW-bell
Va'ati Maka	MOCK-uh
Eric Miclot	Mick-low
Robert Ortiz	or-TEEZ
Nephi Penerosa	NEE-fy pen-uh-RO-sah
Fale Poumele	FOLLY pooh-mel-EE
Marviel Underwood	mar-VEE-el

DEPTH CHART VS. NEW MEXICO**Offense**

LT	74 Mike Kracalik (6-9, 325, Sr) 74 Matt Callahan (6-6, 270, Fr.)
LG	75 Patrick Justman (6-5, 300, So.) 62 Brandyn Dombrowski (6-5, 310, Fr.)
C	63 Taylor Schmidt (6-4, 325, Jr) 73 Eder Arosomena (6-2, 290, Jr)
RG	71 Mike Kravetz (6-5, 290, Fr-RS) 73 Eder Arosomena (6-2, 290, Jr)
RT	76 Will Robinson (6-6, 275, Fr-RS) 74 Matt Callahan (6-6, 270, Fr-RS)
TE	81 Jeremy Justice (6-2, 240, Sr) 89 Lance Louis (6-3, 250, Fr)
FL	11 Devin Pitts (6-3, 200, Sr) 2 Ramal Porter (5-9, 165, So)
SL	80 Robert Ortiz (6-1, 195, Jr) 16 Brett Swain (6-1, 195, Fr-RS)
SE	19 Jeff Webb (6-2, 210, Jr) 83 Marcus Edwards (6-1, 200, Jr)
QB	7 Kevin O'Connell (6-6, 225, Fr-RS) or 15 Matt Dlugolecki (6-4, 235, Jr) or
RB	20 Michael Franklin (5-7, 180, Jr) 37 Brandon Bornes (6-1, 235, Fr.)

Defense

DE	97 Kurt Kahui (6-1, 245, Jr) 94 Nick Osborn (6-4, 260, Fr-RS)
NT	99 Jonathan Bailes (6-1, 300, So) 69 Derrick Durbin (6-3, 280, Sr)
DT	46 Blake Lobel (6-3, 260, Sr) 91 Va'ati Maka (6-3, 275, Sr)
DE	41 Aloalii Lealofi (6-1, 240, Sr.) 93 Antwan Applewhite (6-3, 235, Fr.)
WLB	43 Matt McCoy (6-0, 220, Jr) 51 Joe Martin (6-1, 225, So)
MLB	34 Kirk Morrison (6-2, 240, Sr) 33 Freddie Keiaho (6-0, 225, Jr)
SLB	44 Heath Farwell (6-0, 235, Sr) or 45 Stephen Larsen (6-1, 235, Sr)
CB	10 Hubert Caliste (6-2, 190, Sr) 3 Donny Baker (5-9, 170, So)
CB	21 Marcus Demps (6-1, 205, Jr) 9 Terrell Maze (5-11, 175, So.)
SS	42 Josh Dean (6-1, 215, Sr) 13 Brett Sturm (6-1, 200, So)
FS	5 Marviel Underwood (5-11, 200, Sr) 31 Reggie Grigsby (5-11, 205, Jr)

Specialists

PK	14 Garrett Palmer (6-2, 160, Fr) 1 Sean Henschel (5-10, 180 Fr)	KOR	37 Brandon Bornes (6-1, 235, Fr) 6 Kyle Conerly (5-11, 190, Jr)
H	3 Tanner Engstrand (6-0, 210, Sr) 18 Shane Russell (5-10, 190, Jr)	KO	14 Garrett Palmer (6-2, 160, Fr) 1 Sean Henschel (5-10, 180 Fr)
P	1 Sean Henschel (5-10, 180 Fr) or 17 Michael Hughes (5-10, 170, Fr-RS)		
LS	52 Tyler Schmitt (6-2, 210, Fr) 59 Robbie Ryan (6-4, 225, Sr)		
PR	6 Kyle Conerly (5-11, 190, Jr) 3 Donny Baker (5-9, 170, So)		

game 1 - San Diego State 35, Idaho State 21



Game Notes

With the Aztec win: SDSU has claimed victories in two straight season-openers for the first time since claiming five straight from 1993-97 ... Aztecs have won 15 straight non-conference home games against teams from outside the BCS Conferences ... SDSU is 1-0 all-time against Idaho State and improves to a perfect 9-0 versus schools in the Big Sky Conference ... The Aztecs moved to 44-33-5 all-time (9-4-1 in last 14 years) in season openers and 2-1 under Tom Craft ... In home openers, SDSU is 27-7-1 in its last 35 home openers ... SDSU has won four of its last five games dating back to 2003 ... The Aztecs have won three straight home games for the first time since the 1998 squad won its final four contests at Qualcomm... **The announced attendance** of 57,216, is an SDSU record for a home game... **On the opening play** of the game, Aztec Michael Franklin ran 67 yards for a touchdown ...the 67-yard run was the longest by an SDSU player since Larry Ned ran for 77 yards at Utah on Oct. 23, 1999 ... the 67-yard run is the longest of Franklin's career, topping his previous high of 55 yards in 2002, at Hawaii'... **The Aztec defense** kept Idaho State off the scoreboard in the first quarter, marking the fifth straight game in which an SDSU opponent has failed to score in the first quarter. Aztec opponents have also gone scoreless in the first 15-minute period in six of the last seven and nine of the last 11 outings dating back to the 2003 campaign... **SDSU's Robert Miller** blocked Idaho State kicker Jaret Johnson's field-goal attempt to close out the first half. The block was the Aztecs' first since Jeff Shoate blocked kicker Scott Parker's 32-yard attempt at Wyoming on Oct.19, 2002. The block is Miller's first of his career.

SAN DIEGO - In front of a record crowd of 57,216, the 2004 Aztecs made a stirring debut as they systematically disposed of Idaho State, 38-21, at Qualcomm Stadium.

Aztec running back Michael Franklin scampered 67 yards for a touchdown on the first play of the season and San Diego State was on its way to a near-perfect first half. The Aztecs jumped to a 24-0 first quarter lead and extended the advantage to 31-0 at the break and eventually 38-0 before ISU dented the scoreboard. SDSU completed the first half without a turnover and without a penalty.

The first quarter was the prolific for SDSU since it scored 24 points in the second quarter of a 1995 romp over UTEP.

The game would last just over four hours, thanks in part to an Idaho State offense that attempted 69 passes while rushing for just 46 yards.

Junior Matt Dlugolecki won the fall camp quarterback derby and he was strong in his debut, completing 16 of his 27 attempts for 233 yards and two touchdowns, one each to Robert Ortiz and Wesley Williams.

The star of the game, however, was Franklin. He rushed for 101 yards, marking his third straight game over the 100-yard mark. He also led the Aztecs with 84 receiving yards. Franklin ended the game with 233 all-purpose yards despite seeing limited action in the second half.

The Dark Side was its dominating self in the first half when the game was being decided. The first 14 Idaho State possessions resulted in just one drive that lasted more than six plays. The Aztec defense forced four turnovers, including interceptions by Heath Farwell, Josh Dean and Donny Baker. Farwell was also credited with a quarterback sack and caused a fumble.

Redshirt freshman quarterback Kevin O'Connell saw his first collegiate action and found Robert Ortiz for a 32-yard touchown pass. Ortiz, who entered the game with two career TD grabs, had two more against the Bengals.

The home crowd was the largest in San Diego State history and the 20th largest crowd in college football on the first full Saturday of the weekend.

	1	2	3	4	Total
Idaho State	0	0	7	14	- 21
SDSU	24	7	7	0	- 38

S - Franklin 67 run (Palmer kick), 14:46-1st, 1-67, 0:14
 S - Ortiz 10 pass from Dlugolecki (Palmer kick), 12:26-1st, 3-34, 1:00
 S - Bornes 2 run (Palmer kick), 9:05-1st, 7-60, 2:29
 S - Palmer 24 FG, 00:12-1st, 11-73, 3:45
 S - Ortiz 32 pass from O'Connell (Palmer kick), 1:35-2nd, 5-52, 2:16
 S - Williams 33 pass from Dlugolecki (Palmer kick), 11:52-3rd, 7-80, 1:57
 I - Key 9 pass from Hetherington (Johnson kick), 5:42-3rd, 7-62, 1:45
 I - Simmons 15 pass from Hetherington (Johnson kick), 14:53-4th, 6-59, 2:06
 I - Hagler 2 run (Johnson kick), 1:34-4th, 10-77, 2:17

	ISU	SDSU
First Downs	22	27
Rushes-Yards	17-46	51-290
Passing Yards	352	291
C-A-I	37-69-3	21-41-2
Total Offense	398	581
Fumbles-Lost	2-1	2-1
Penalties-Yards	6-50	10-118
TOP	24:28	35:32

Rushing (SDSU): Franklin 12-101-1, Thompson 14-74, O'Connell 7-54, Bornes 8-46-1, Porter 1-25, Van 3-16, Dlugolecki 6-(-26). (ISU): Seals 6-32, Beverly 6-20, Caviglia 2-7, Halger 1-2-1, Okoebor 1-(-1), Hetherington 1-(-14)

Passing (SDSU): Dlugolecki 16-27-1, 233, 2; O'Connell 5-14-1, 58, 1. (ISU) Hetherington 34-62-3, 300, 2; Hagler 3-7-0, 52.

Receiving (SDSU): Franklin 6-84, Ortiz 4-58-2, Webb 3-68, Pitts 2-24, Williams 1-33-1; Porter 1-13, Thompson 1-7, Miller 1-4, Justice 1-2, Swain 1-(-2). (ISU): Key 9-90-1, Okoebor 6-52, Beverly 6-23, Lacey 5-79, Simmons 4-35-1, Mennear 2-28, Seals 2-10, Winn 1-28, Blue 1-6, Caviglia 1-1.

game 2 - No. 17 Michigan 24, San Diego State 21



Game Notes

For the second consecutive season

San Diego State played a nationally-ranked Big Ten team to the final moments before losing... Last season, the Aztecs lost at second-ranked Ohio State, 16-13, on Sept. 9... This season, the Aztecs fall to 17th-ranked Michigan, 24-21... Two weeks after setting a school-record for home attendance with 57,216 vs. Idaho State at Qualcomm Stadium, San Diego State played in front of the largest crowd in school history.

Today's attendance at Michigan Stadium of 109,432, eclipses the crowd of 104,433 that witnessed the Ohio State-SDSU game last season in Columbus... The Aztecs' last **two losses to nationally-ranked teams** (last season Ohio State and Michigan today) have been by a total of six points... San Diego State's **1-1 record** matches its best mark after two games in the last 10 seasons. The Aztecs have not opened 2-0 since victories over Navy and California to open the 1994 campaign... Despite the loss, SDSU has still **won four of its last six games** dating back to last season... Although not outgained by much 327-311, the Aztecs total yardage disadvantage of 16 yards, snaps a streak of six consecutive games in which SDSU has outgained its opponent... Prior to today, the last time an Aztec opponent had more total yardage was at Utah on Oct. 11, 2003... San Diego State's **Dark Side Defense** put on another impressive showing... Despite allowing 24 points, the defense yielded just one scoring drive of more than 51 yards on the afternoon... The defense also forced four turnovers, two of which set up short scoring drives for the Aztec offense (17 and 39 yard touchdown drives). The Aztecs had seven tackles for loss.

ANN ARBOR, Mich. - Another reigning Big Ten champion as an opponent resulted in another near miss for the San Diego State Aztecs Saturday afternoon.

With a national television audience watching (ESPN), SDSU and No. 17 Michigan went toe-to-toe for more than three hours before the Wolverines escaped The Big House with a 24-21 win over up and coming San Diego State.

In the process, SDSU appeared to show dramatic gains on offense and special teams and The Dark Side defense showed a new taste for creating turnovers.

Michigan shocked the Aztecs early, scoring on a 54-yard touchdown pass on its first play from scrimmage. Following an interception, the Wolverines looked to be in total control with possession deep in SDSU territory. However, safety Josh Dean flattened UM quarterback Chad Henne on a pass attempt and Antwan Applewhite picked the ball out of the air and returned it 75 yards, setting up a Michael Franklin TD.

Following a Michigan field goal, the Aztecs turned the ball over again when Lawrence Reid picked up a fumble and returned it five yards for a touchdown.

With SDSU trailing 17-7 and on the ropes, Robert Ortiz turned the game. His 61-yard reception set up a Jeff Webb touchdown and the 109,000 plus in Ann Arbor settled in for nailbiter.

By halftime, SDSU had taken the lead when Matt Dlugolecki found Ortiz for a 14-yard score. That drive was set up by a Kurt Kahui fumble recovery. In all, SDSU forced four turnovers after Michigan entered the game second nationally in turnover margin.

The final lead change of the day took place on the first drive of the second half as the Wolverines drove the field and registered the last lead change of the day.

It was SDSU's second three-point loss in two years to the reigning Big Ten champion. In 2003, SDSU was a 16-13 loser to No. 2 Ohio State.

	1	2	3	4	Total
SDSU	14	7	0	0	- 21
Michigan	17	0	7	0	- 24

M Edwards 54 pass from Henne (Rivas) 1st-13:20
1-54, :10

S Franklin 4 run (Palmer) 1st-10:37
3-17, 1:02

M Rivas 39 FG 1st-3:45
9-51, 3:43

M Reid 5 fumble return (Rivas) 1st-2:51

S Webb 12 pass from Franklin (Palmer) 1-1:30
3-81, 1:21

S Ortiz 14 pass from Dlugolecki (Palmer) 2-7:57
4-39, :59

M Edwards 7 pass from Henne (Rivas) 3-10:35
10-79, 4:25

	SDSU	UM
First Downs	15	20
Rushes-Yards	23-22	48-148
Passing Yards	289	179
C-A-I	27-43-1	14-28-3
Total Offense	311	327
Fumbles-Lost	4-2	1-1
Penalties-Yards	11-94	4-50
TOP	26:59	33:01

Rushing (SDSU): Franklin 16-39-1; Bornes 2-2-0, Dlugolecki 5-(-19) (UM): Hart 25-121; Jackson 8-28-0; Bracken 3-13-0; Rembert 2-11; Team 3-(-12); Henne 7-(-13)

Passing (SDSU): Dlugolecki 42-26-1, 277, 1; Franklin 1-1-0, 12, 1 (UM): Henne 24-11-3, 162, 2; Richard 4-3-0, 17

Receiving (SDSU): Webb 11-107-1, Ortiz 7-125-1; Pitts 4-21, Porter 2-22; Swain 2-12; Justice 1-2 (UM): Edwards 8-130-2; Breaston 3-19; Abant 1-16; Gonzalez 1-10; Ecker 1-4

game 3 - San Diego State 27, Nevada 10



Game Notes

With the SDSU victory: San Diego State has won five of its last seven games dating back to last season. That is the best seven-game mark for SDSU since posting a similar seven-game mark from Oct. 24, 1998 through Sept. 4, 1999 ... San Diego State is 2-0 at home this season and has won four straight games at Qualcomm Stadium. The four-game home field winning streak is the longest since claiming five straight in 1998-99 (last four home games of '98 and first game of '99). From the end of the five-game winning streak in 1999, until the current four-game winning streak, the Aztecs were 7-17 at Qualcomm ... San Diego State is 2-1 after the first three games of the season for the second consecutive season. The last time SDSU had a winning record after the first three games of consecutive seasons was 1993 and 1994... **With tonight's attendance** of 33,429, SDSU has surpassed the 30,000 mark in back-to-back home contests for the first time since the 1999 season. SDSU drew 30,508 versus New Mexico (Oct. 9, 1999) and 40,836 fans against Brigham Young (Nov. 6, 1999).... SDSU **linebacker Kirk Morrison** became just the fourth player in SDSU history to record more than 300 career tackles. Morrison, who tallied his 13th career game in double-figure tackles, now has 308 tackles in his career to rank fourth in the Aztec record books. Morrison's 15 tackles tonight matches his career high (15 vs. BYU in 2003, vs. Utah in 2001), while he had a career best for most solo tackles in a game with 10 (prev. nine at Hawai'i)... With nine catches for 101 yards tonight, SDSU's **Jeff Webb** has at least one reception in each of his last 13 outings and at least two catches in his last nine games. Webb also recorded his fourth career game with 100 or more yards .

SAN DIEGO - On a dangerous night against a dangerous opponent, San Diego State went to work in business-like fashion to dismiss Nevada, 27-10, Saturday night at Qualcomm Stadium in front of 33,429 fans.

A week before the UCLA game and a week after a near-miss at Michigan, the more than capable Wolf Pack were in a position to derail SDSU's early-season momentum. However, Michael Franklin rushed for 100 yards for the second time this season and The Dark Side kept the visitors out of the end zone until their final possession of the night to cruise to the win.

As they have all season, the Aztecs were effective in the first half. The Aztecs led 17-3 at intermission thanks to a 23-yard TD reception by Jeff Webb and a 35-yard touchdown run by Brandon Bornes.

Both of those scoring drives were of the cross-country variety, covering 79 and 81 yards with both taking 12 places to execute.

The youth movement continued for SDSU with sophomore Ramal Porter scoring his first career touchdown and redshirt freshman Brandon Bornes scoring on a career-best 35-yard touchdown run.

The Aztec special teams had a good night as well with Garrett Palmer connecting on field goals of 50 and 43 yards, and punt returns by Franklin and Kyle Conerly that covered 29 and 23 yards, respectively.

Senior linebacker Kirk Morrison reached a new milestone with his 15 tackles, pushing him over 300 for his career. In all, it was a strong night for The Dark Side with three quarterback sacks, two interceptions, 12 pass break-ups, and two forced fumbles. Senior playmaker Heath Farwell continued to show up in the stat column. He had all three Aztec sacks and forced both fumbles.

	1	2	3	4	Total
Nevada	0	3	0	7	- 10
SDSU	14	3	0	10	- 27
S - Webb 23 pass from Dlugolecki (Palmer kick) 6:53-1st, 12-79, 4:50					
S - Bornes 35 run (Palmer kick), 0:00-1st 12-81, 3:37					
N - Fine 28 FG, 6:06-2nd 7-62, 1:23					
S - Palmer 50 FG, 3:33-2nd 8-48, 2:33					
S - Porter 19 pass from Dlugolecki (Palmer kick), 9:30-4th 2-25, 0:48					
S - Palmer 43 FG, 3:38-4th 5-24, 2:34					
N - Kretschmer 3 run (Fine kick), 0:53-4th 9-77, 2:45					

	Nevada	SDSU
First Downs	18	22
Rushes-Yards	28-84	39-146
Passing Yards	271	262
C-A-I	26-53-2	23-40-2
Total Offense	355	408
Fumbles-Lost	3-0	1-1
Penalties-Yards	7-80	5-44
TOP	28:56	31:04

Rushing (SDSU): Franklin 23-100, Bornes 9-59-1, Thompson 1-3, Dlugolecki 6-(-16). (NEV): Kretschmer 19-86-1, Moore 1-15, Mitchell 3-7, Robinson 2-0, Rowe 3-(-24).

Passing (SDSU): Dlugolecki 23-40-2, 262, 2; (NEV) Rowe 19-40-2, 204, 0; Moore 7-12-0, 67, 0; Heiser 1-0-0, 0, 0.

Receiving (SDSU): Webb 9-101-1, Porter 4-54-1, Ortiz 3-39, Franklin 3-32, Justice 2-26, Edwards 2-10. (NEV): Spencer 10-103, Flowers 5-77, McGee 5-29, Brackett 3-56, Kretschmer 2-3, Pudewell 1-3.

game 4 - UCLA 33, San Diego State 10



Game Notes

With his 45 yards on 11 carries, Aztec junior **Michael Franklin** reached the 1,000-yard plateau in career rushing with 1,002 yards. Franklin had 346 yards as a red-shirt freshman in 2002, 371 yards as a sophomore in 2003, and has 285 yards as a junior in 2004. Franklin also tallied a career game high in receptions with 10 (45 yards), besting his previous high of eight at Wyoming in 2002... Linebackers **Kirk Morrison** and **Matt McCoy** both reached double-figures in tackles tonight. Morrison had 11 tackles and reached double-figures for the second straight game and the 13th time in his career. Morrison's 11 tackles included eight solos and two tackles for loss. McCoy, meanwhile, had 10 tackles (6 solo) and reached double-figures for the second time this season, the fourth time in the last six games and the eighth time in his career.... With the 402 yards tonight, SDSU has reached the **400-yard mark** in total offense three times in four games in 2004... The **Aztecs were outgained** in total offense (410-402) for the second time this season and the second time on the road. But in those two games, SDSU has been outgained by just a total of 24 yards (vs. Michigan - outgained by 16 (327-311)) ... In the four games this season, SDSU has combined to outgain its opponents by 212 yards... **SDSU rushed** for 139 yards tonight, despite being tagged for -23 yards on the muffed punt in the first half... Seven players combined for the 139 yards and four accumulated at least 12 yards... The Aztecs ran for 137 of those yards in the second half after recording 2 net yards in the first half... With his 23 completions on 42 attempts for 215 yards, SDSU quarterback **Matt Dlugolecki** logged his third straight game with at least 23 completions and at least 40 attempts.

PASADENA - In 2002, UCLA generated 23 points off of Aztec miscues to blow out SDSU, 43-7. Last year it was a 3-3 game at the half when two interceptions helped the Bruins to a 20-10 victory.

Saturday night, Spencer Havner's 52-yard interception return for a touchdown gave the homestanding Bruins a 14-3 lead. And for good measure, SDSU dropped a snap on a punt inside its own 15 to provide the Bruins with three more points and an insurmountable 20-3 halftime lead. The Bruins would eventually win by a 33-10 count.

After UCLA scored on its first possession (64-yard drive), the Aztecs limited the Bruins to 62 yards of total offense on five possessions, before the two critical second-quarter mis-takes.

Any hopes of an Aztec comeback ended on the first series of the third quarter when UCLA marched 65 yards for a touchdown that staked UCLA to a 27-3 lead.

Two more field goals would close the scoring for UCLA. SDSU grabbed some momentum with its own touchdown drive, covering 80 yards on seven plays and capped by Brandon Bornes' third rushing TD of the season. However, after holding UCLA on its next possession, SDSU gave up the ball on an interception and UCLA cruised through the final quarter to defeat SDSU for the 19th time in 20 all-time meetings.

Michael Franklin ran for 45 yards in the game and crossed the 1,000-yard rushing mark for his career.

	1	2	3	4	Total
SDSU	3	0	7	0	- 10
UCLA	7	13	7	6	- 33

- S - Palmer 36 FG, 10:20-1st
12-61, 4:40
- U - Drew 57 run (Medlock kick) 9:28-1st
3-64, :52
- U - Havner 52 INT return (Medlock kick) 8:59-2nd
- U - Medlock 22 FG, 5:58-2nd
4-8, 1:55
- U - Medlock 40 FG, :23-2nd
7-42, :50
- U - Perry 23 pass from Olson (Medlock kick), 11:00-3rd
9-65, 4:00
- S - Bornes 1 run (Palmer kick), 1:00-3rd
7-80, 2:46
- U - Medlock 43 FG, 10:32-4th
11-43, 3:37
- U - Medlock 44 FG , 1:48-4th
8-64, 4:49

	SDSU	UCLA
First Downs	21	19
Rushes-Yards	28-139	42-205
Passing Yards	263	205
C-A-I	31-53-2	15-31-1
Total Offense	402	410
Fumbles-Lost	1-0	0-0
Penalties-Yards	9-71	5-65
TOP	28:57	31:03

Rushing (SDSU): Bornes 9-62-1; Franklin 11-56; Swain 1-23; Dlugolecki 3-17; Porter 2-14; O'Connell 1-6; Hughes 1-(-23). (UCLA): Drew 21-161-1, White 13-35, Markey 1-12, Pitre 1-0, Olson 4-(-1), Williams 2-(-2).

Passing (SDSU): Dlugolecki 23-42-2, 215, 0; O'Connell 7-10-0, 46, 0; Justice 1-1-0, 2, 0; (UCLA) Olson 14-29-1, 158, 1; Team 0-1-0, 0, 0; Drew 1-1-0, 47, 0..

Receiving (SDSU): Franklin 10-53, Webb 7-71, Porter 4-55, Ortiz 4-53, Justice 2-17, Swain 1-7, Miller 1-5, Dlugolecki 1-2, Edwards 1-0. (UCLA): Perry 3-34-1, Taylor 3-16, Everett 2-49, White 2-8, Pitre 1-47, Cowan 1-25, Lewis 1-9, Drew 1-9, Hair 1-8.

game 5 - Wyoming 20, San Diego State 10



Game Notes

With his seven receptions today, junior wide receiver **Jeff Webb** has now caught at least one pass in 15 straight games... The **Matt Dlugolecki** to Jeff Webb 47-yard TD play was the longest scoring pass of the season. The longest play through the air was the 61-yarder from Dlugolecki to **Robert Ortiz** at Michigan... The game featured the fifth different offensive line combination to start a game this season... Wide receiver **Devin Pitts'** six receptions for 60 yards were both season highs... With the loss, San Diego State had its five game winning streak snapped, including two consecutive in Laramie. SDSU has never won three in a row at War Memorial Stadium... The Aztecs are now 4-9 all-time in Laramie... San Diego State falls to 3-3 in Mountain West openers and 1-2 in conference openers under head coach Tom Craft.

LARAMIE, Wyo. - San Diego State's five-year domination of Wyoming came to a screeching halt Saturday afternoon in Laramie.

The Aztecs found a way to lose a game in which their quarterback set a career high in completions and passing yards, the opposition was limited to just 264 yards of total offense, a full 99 shy of SDSU's total, and the opposition was just 3-of-16 on third-down conversions.

Here is how it happened. The Aztecs suffered four meltdowns in the kicking game, some red-zone misfires and eventually wilted in the fourth quarter to fall to the Cowboys by a 20-10 count in the Mountain West opener for both schools.

SDSU held a 10-3 lead at halftime, thanks to a 47-yard touchdown pass from Matt Dlugolecki to Jeff Webb. The TD pass was the only exclamation point in a game that saw SDSU hold a tiny advantage in total offense, 161-126 at the break. At intermission, the two teams had combined for 45 rushing yards.

In the third quarter, the Aztec wheels came off in a most unconventional fashion. On the first possession of the third period, SDSU's three-and-out offensive possession was followed by a 10-yard Sean Henschel punt. One play later, Wyoming had a 29-yard touchdown pass to draw even in the game and wipe out SDSU's halftime advantage.

SDSU's second possession lasted just one play as SDSU suffered its first turnover on a fumble. This time, The Dark Side limited the Cowboys to a missed field goal.

But the quarter wasn't over. Another three-and-out by SDSU was followed by a seven-yard punt to set up the Cowboys at the SDSU 33.

Wyoming managed just eight yards but was close enough to result in a field goal and suddenly SDSU was down 13-10 despite virtually no offense by the opposition.

SDSU turned the ball over again on an interception on its next possession but the Cowboys again found the going tough and was forced to punt.

SDSU's next possession resulted in just an eight-yard punt by stand-in Adam Gray-Hayward, who punted for the first time.

SDSU was trailing 20-10 midway through the fourth quarter when the offense found its rhythm for the first time. A 37-yard field goal attempt by Garrett Palmer, however, missed to the right. It ended SDSU's 74-yard drive and effectively killed the Aztecs' chances to win the game.

SDSU would penetrate the red zone again late in the game but was held on downs.

	1	2	3	4	Total
SDSU	3	7	0	0	- 10
Wyoming	3	0	10	7	- 20

W - Yaussi 38 FG, 1-5:41
11-53, 5:40

S - Palmer 27 FG, 1-:32
13-71, 5:09

S - Webb 47 pass from Dlugolecki (Palmer), 2-4:57
7-69, 2:57

W - Bouknight 29 pass from Bramlett (Yaussi), 3-12:39
1-29, :08

W - Yaussi 42 FG, 3-6:57
4-8, 1:35

W - Pleasant 12 pass from Harrison, (Yaussi), 4-10:34
11-61, 4:26

	SDSU	Wyoming
First Downs	20	14
Rushes-Yards	32-68	34-72
Passing Yards	295	192
C-A-I	28-45-1	16-29-0
Total Offense	363	264
Fumbles-Lost	4-2	0-0
Penalties-Yards	8-66	6-50
TOP	30:59	29:01

Rushing (SDSU): Franklin 15-49, O'Connell 4-15, Bornes 4-9, Dlugolecki 9-(-5); (WYO): Harrison 17-70, Harris 4-1, Bramlett 13-1

Passing (SDSU): Dlugolecki 27-37-1, 1; 281; O'Connell 1-7-0, 0, 14; (WYO): Bramlett 15-28-0, 1, 180; Harrison 1-1-0, 12, 1

Receiving (SDSU): Webb 7-87-1, Pitts 6-60, Ortiz 5-61, Franklin 3-11, Porter 2-25, Swain 1-31, Edward 1-9, Gray-Hayward 1-8, Justice 1-3, Miller 1-0; (WYO): Bouknight 6-87-1, Pleasant 4-61-1, Harrison 2-15; Wadkowski 2-15, Holden 1-7, Betschart 1-7

game 6 - Colorado State 21, San Diego State 17



Game Notes

Colorado State defeated SDSU for the fifth straight time in San Diego ... the Aztecs suffered their first loss at home this season and their first in their last five opportunities in San Diego ... SDSU's three home games in 2004 have each exceeded the 30,000-mark in attendance ... The last time the Aztecs had three straight home games with 30,000 or more fans was in 1999 ... SDSU limited Colorado State to a season-low 196 yards of total offense, the second straight game in which the Aztecs have kept their opponent to under 300 yards ... The 196 yards by CSU is the fewest allowed by SDSU since the 2003 UNLV game, when the Rebels had just 175 yards ... With a 366-196 advantage in total offense, SDSU has outgained its opponent by more than 90 yards three times this year ... This was the seventh straight MWC game in which the Aztecs have owned an advantage in total offense ... The Aztecs converted their first two-point conversion opportunity of the year (first conversion since 2002) ... SDSU linebacker Kirk Morrison recorded double-figure tackles (14) for the fourth straight game and the 15th time in his career ... Aztec Jeff Webb has caught at least one pass in each of his last 16 games and has at least three catches in each of his last 11 outings. Webb went over 100 yards receiving (7 catches, 129 yards) for the third time this season and the fifth time in his career ... the 58-yard TD is the Aztecs' longest scoring pass of the season ... SDSU's Garrett Palmer connected on a pair of 48-yard field goals in the first half, marking the second straight season in which an Aztec kicker has converted on two, 45+-yard field goals in one game ... Brandon Bornes' 40-yard kick-off return is the Aztecs' longest since 2001 ... SDSU had a season high 15 tackles for loss and six sacks.

SAN DIEGO - For two teams in dire need of a victory, Saturday's San Diego State-Colorado State match-up seemed like a good place to start for the Aztecs.

After all, SDSU had claimed both of its wins in 2004 by easy margins in the safe confines of Qualcomm Stadium and had come out victorious in each of its last four home conference match-ups. Plus, traditional MWC power Colorado State also found itself in a similar place in its season, dropping four of its first five games.

Saturday, however, would not be the start of a new chapter for SDSU in 2004, as the Aztecs rallied from an eight-point, fourth-quarter deficit to surge ahead, 17-14, only to have the win fall out of their grasp in the final minutes.

Following Garrett Palmer's third field goal of the night which gave SDSU the lead, the Aztec defense held firm, forcing a Colorado State punt from its own 44-yard line with only 2:13 left in the game. The SDSU offense then took over with the mission of keeping the ball safe, gaining a first down and running out the clock. On its second play of the drive, however, CSU recovered a fumble at the Aztec 10-yard line.

Two plays later, the Rams took advantage of the fumble as Jimmy Green scored from one-yard out and just 1:10 remaining in the game. A stunned SDSU offense was forced to try to go 79 yards to get the win back, but was only able to get as far as the Colorado State 45-yard line as quarterback Kevin O'Connell's final desperation heave into the end zone fell to the ground.

SDSU opened the game with a 3-0 lead on one of two 48-yard Palmer field goals on the day. The lead would last only a tad over four minutes, as CSU's Luke Adkins intercepted SDSU quarterback Matt Dlugolecki's pass and ran it back for a touchdown. The interception return marked the second straight season in which the Rams had returned one for a score against the Aztecs.

Palmer had his second field-goal chance of the day blocked, but made up for it with another 48-yarder on the team's next drive to draw the Aztecs to within one point, 7-6, at the 7:52 mark of the second quarter.

Colorado State back-up quarterback Caleb Hanie, playing for injured starter Justin Holland, then engineered a 12-play, 80-yard drive capped by a four-yard pass to Joel Dreessen to increase the Ram lead to 14-6 entering the half.

After a scoreless third, O'Connell hit Jeff Webb on a 58-yard touchdown pass on the first play of the fourth quarter and then tacked on the two-point conversion on another O'Connell pass, this time to Robert Ortiz, to knot the score at 14-14.

An interception by Reggie Grigsby set up the go-ahead Palmer field goal from 27 yards out and 5:36 left on the clock.

	1	2	3	4	Total
Colorado State	7	7	0	7	- 21
SDSU	3	3	0	11	- 17

S - Palmer 48 FG, 5:06 - 1st - 5-18, 1:19
 C - Adkins 71 INT Return (Babcock kick), :51 - 1st
 S - Palmer 48 FG, 7:52 - 2nd - 6-17, 1:58
 C - Dreessen 4 pass from Hanie (Babcock kick), 2:51 - 1st
 12-80, 5:01
 S - Webb 58 pass from O'Connell (Ortiz pass), 14:50 - 4th
 3-62, :59
 S - Palmer 27 FG, 5:36 - 4th - 6-30, 1:42
 C - Green 1 run (Babcock kick), 1:10 - 4th - 2-10, :41

	CSU	SDSU
First Downs	16	13
Rushes-Yards	32-128	38-63
Passing Yards	133	238
C-A-I	19-41-2	17-28-1
Total Offense	366	196
Fumbles-Lost	1-1	2-1
Penalties-Yards	3-30	1-5
TOP	26:43	33:17

Rushing (SDSU): Franklin 15-66; O'Connell 6-42; Bornes 5-27; Poumele 1-1; Ortiz 1-(-3); Dlugolecki 4-(-5). (CSU): Green 21-51-1; Jaunarajs 6-14; Hanie 10-7; Holland 1-(-9).

Passing (SDSU): O'Connell 11-26-1, 157, 1; Dlugolecki 8-15-1, 81, 0. (CSU): Hanie 12-19-1, 115, 1; Holland 5-9-0, 18, 0.

Receiving (SDSU): Webb 7-129-1; Ortiz 5-56; Justice 2-16; Swain 2-6; Porter 1-16; Pitts 1-11; Franklin 1-4. (CSU): Dreessen 5-44-1; Sperry 3-36; Anderson 3-32; Jaunarajs 3-4; Walker 2-9; Green 1-8.

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RUSHING

	GMS. SINCE	
Had 400 or more yards	.430, vs. Pacific, W - 55-34, Sept. 14, 1991	156
Had 300 or more yards	.356, vs. Eastern Illinois, W - 40-7, Oct. 6, 2001	37
Had 70 or more attempts	.71, vs. Texas-El Paso, W - 42-20, Nov. 17, 1979	288
Had 60 or more attempts	.67, at Texas-El Paso, W - 28-7, Nov. 15, 1980	277
Had 50 or more attempts	.51, vs. Idaho State, W - 38-21, Sept. 4, 2004	5
Had seven or more rushing TDs	.7, vs. Pacific, W - 55-34, Sept. 14, 1991	156
Had six or more rushing TDs	.6, at Hawai'i, W - 47-21, Oct. 5, 1991	153
Had five or more rushing TDs	.5, at New Mexico, W - 48-42, Oct. 19, 1996	94
Had four or more rushing TDs	.4, vs. Wyoming, W - 38-16, Nov. 17, 2001	31

PASSING

	GMS. SINCE	
Had 500 or more yards	.507, at Hawai'i, L - 40-41, Dec. 7, 2002	18
Had 400 or more yards	.507, at Hawai'i, L - 40-41, Dec. 7, 2002	18
Had 300 or more yards	.354, vs. New Mexico, L - 7-30, Oct. 18, 2003	10
Had 50 or more pass attempts	.53, at UCLA, L 10-33, Oct. 2, 2004	2
Had 40 or more pass attempts	.41, vs. Colorado State, L - 17-21, Oct. 16, 2004	0
Had 30 or more pass attempts	.41, vs. Colorado State, L - 17-21, Oct. 16, 2004	0
Had 30 or more completions	.31, at UCLA, L 10-33, Oct. 2, 2004	2
Had 25 or more completions	.28, at Wyoming, L - 10-20, Oct. 9, 2004	1
Had 20 or more completions	.28, at Wyoming, L - 10-20, Oct. 9, 2004	1
Had five touchdowns passing	.5, at Idaho, L - 38-48, Sept. 21, 2002	26
Had four touchdowns passing	.5, at Idaho, L - 38-48, Sept. 21, 2002	26
Had three touchdowns passing	.3, vs. Idaho State, W-38-21, Sept. 4, 2004	5

TOTAL OFFENSE

	GMS. SINCE	
Had 600 or more yards of total offense	.632, at Hawai'i, L - 40-41, Dec. 7, 2002	18
Had 500 or more yards of total offense	.581, vs. Idaho State, W-38-21, Sept. 4, 2004	5
Had 400 or more yards of total offense	.402, at UCLA, L-10-33, Oct. 2, 2004	2
Had 85 or more offensive plays	.81, at UCLA, L-10-33, Oct. 2, 2004	2
Had 75 or more offensive plays	.77, at Wyoming, L - 10-20, Oct. 9, 2004	1

SCORING

	GMS. SINCE	
Scored 60 or more points	.66, vs. Utah, W - 66-14, Nov. 3, 1990	162
Scored 50 or more points	.56, vs. Hawai'i, W - 56-8, Oct. 11, 1996	95
Scored 40 or more points	.40, at Hawai'i, L - 40-41, Dec. 7, 2002	18
Scored 30 or more points	.38, vs. Idaho State, W-38-21, Sept. 4, 2004	5

VARIOUS

	GMS. SINCE	
Was not penalized	.0, at San Jose State, T - 27-27, Nov. 3, 1973	357
Did not commit a turnover	.0, vs. Air Force, W - 24-3, Nov. 22, 2003	6
Had 30 or more first downs	.30, vs. Eastern Illinois, W - 40-7, Oct. 6, 2001	37
Had 25 or more first downs	.27, vs. Idaho State, W-38-21, Sept. 4, 2004	5
Had 20 or more first downs	.20, at Wyoming, L - 10-20, Oct. 9, 2004	1
Had 35 minutes of possession time	.35:32, vs. Idaho State, W - 38-21, Sept. 4, 2004	4

DEFENSE

	GMS. SINCE	
Held opponent to 50 or fewer rushing yards	.46, vs. Idaho State, W - 38-21, Sept. 4, 2004	5
Held opponent to 100 or fewer passing yards	.31, at UNLV, W - 7-0, Nov. 8, 2003	8
Held opponent to 300 or fewer total yards	.196, vs. Colorado State, L - 17-21, Oct. 16, 2004	0
Held opponent to 200 or fewer total yards	.196, vs. Colorado State,, L - 17-21, Oct. 16, 2004	0
Recorded six or more takeaways	.6, at Texas-El Paso, W - 34-0, Sept. 13, 2003	15
Recorded five or more takeaways	.6, at Texas-El Paso, W - 34-0, Sept. 13, 2003	15
Intercepted five or more passes	.6, vs. Wyoming, W - 38-16, Nov. 17, 2001	31
Intercepted four or more passes	.4, vs. Colorado State, L - 21-49, Nov. 16, 2002	20
Intercepted three or more passes	.3, at Michigan, L - 21-24, Sept. 18, 2004	4
Recovered four fumbles	.4, at UCLA, L - 10-20, Sept. 27, 2003	13
Recovered three fumbles	.3, vs. Brigham Young, L - 36-44, Oct. 4, 2003	12
Scored a safety	.at New Mexico, L - 8-15, Nov. 9, 2002	21
Scored a touchdown	.vs. Air Force, W - 24-3, Nov. 22, 2003	6
Recorded 10 tackles for loss	.15, vs. Colorado State, L - 17-21, Oct. 16, 2004	0
Recorded five sacks	.6, vs. Colorado State, L - 17-21, Oct. 16, 2004	0

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► Individual

RUSHING

		GMS. SINCE
Had 300 or more yards	.300 by Marshall Faulk vs. Hawai'i, W - 52-28, Nov. 14, 1992	136
Had 200 or more yards	.218 by Lynell Hamilton vs. Wyoming, W - 25-20, Oct. 25, 2003	9
Had 175 or more yards	.218 by Lynell Hamilton vs. Wyoming, W - 25-20, Oct. 25, 2003	9
Had 150 or more yards	.218 by Lynell Hamilton vs. Wyoming, W - 25-20, Oct. 25, 2003	9
Had 125 or more yards	.218 by Lynell Hamilton vs. Wyoming, W - 25-20, Oct. 25, 2003	9
Had 100 or more yards	.100 by Michael Franklin vs. Nevada, W - 27-10, Sept. 25, 2004	3
Carried 40 or more times	.40 by Lynell Hamilton vs. Wyoming, W - 25-20, Oct. 25, 2003	9
Carried 35 or more times	.40 by Lynell Hamilton vs. Wyoming, W - 25-20, Oct. 25, 2003	9
Carried 30 or more times	.40 by Lynell Hamilton vs. Wyoming, W - 25-20, Oct. 25, 2003	9
Carried 25 or more times	.29 by Michael Franklin vs. Air Force, W - 24-3, Nov. 22, 2003	6
Rushed for four or more touchdowns	.4, Larry Ned vs. Wyoming, W - 38-16, Nov. 17, 2001	31
Rushed for three or more touchdowns	.4, Larry Ned vs. Wyoming, W - 38-16, Nov. 17, 2001	31
Rushed for two or more touchdowns	.2, DeAngelo Nedd at Texas-El Paso, W - 34-0, Sept. 13, 2003	15
Had a run of 80 yards or more	.92, Chris Hardy vs. Texas-El Paso, W 34-6, Nov. 16, 1985	218
Had a run of 70 yards or more	.77, Larry Ned at Utah, L- 16-38, Oct. 23, 1999	58
Had a run of 60 yards or more	.67 by Michael Franklin vs. Idaho State, W - 38-21, Sept. 4, 2004	5
Had a run of 50 yards or more	.67 by Michael Franklin vs. Idaho State, W - 38-21, Sept. 4, 2004	5

PASSING

		GMS. SINCE
Had 500 or more yards	.506, Adam Hall at Idaho, L, 38-48 - Sept. 21, 2002	27
Had 400 or more yards	.420, Lon Sheriff at Hawai'i, L - 40-41, Dec. 7, 2002	18
Had 300 or more yards	.420, Lon Sheriff at Hawai'i, L - 40-41, Dec. 7, 2002	18
Attempted 50 or more passes	.60, Adam Hall vs. Arizona State, L -28-39, Sept. 14, 2002	28
Attempted 40 or more passes	.42, Matt Dlugolecki at UCLA, L - 10-33, Oct. 2, 2004	2
Attempted 30 or more passes	.42, Matt Dlugolecki at UCLA, L - 10-33, Oct. 2, 2004	2
Completed 40 or more passes	.40, Todd Santos vs. Stanford, L 40-44, Oct. 17, 1987	197
Completed 35 or more passes	.39, Adam Hall at Colorado, L - 14-34, Sept. 7, 2002	29
Completed 30 or more passes	.31, Lon Sheriff at Hawai'i, L - 40-41, Dec. 7, 2002	18
Threw five touchdown passes	.5, Adam Hall at Idaho, L, 38-48 - Sept. 21, 2002	27
Threw four touchdown passes	.5, Adam Hall at Idaho, L, 38-48 - Sept. 21, 2002	27
Threw three touchdown passes	.3, Adam Hall vs. Brigham Young, L - 36-44, Oct. 4, 2003	12
Completed a pass of 80 yards or more	.87, Kassim Osgood from J.R. Tolver at Hawai'i, L - 40-41, Dec. 7, 2002	18
Completed a pass of 70 yards or more	.70, Jeff Webb from Adam Hall vs. Brigham Young, L - 36-44, Oct. 4, 2003	12
Completed a pass of 60 yards or more	.61, Robert Ortiz from Matt Dlugolecki at Michigan, Sept. 18, 2004	4
Completed a pass of 50 yards or more	.58, Jeff Webb from Kevin O'Connell vs. Colorado State, Oct. 16, 2004	0

RECEIVING

		GMS. SINCE
Caught 15 or more passes	.18, J.R. Tolver, at Hawaii, Dec. 7, 2002	18
Caught 10 or more passes	.10, Michael Franklin at UCLA, L - 10-33, Oct. 2, 2004	2
Had 200 or more yards receiving	.253, Jeff Webb vs. Brigham Young, Oct. 4, 2003	11
Had 175 or more yards receiving	.253, Jeff Webb vs. Brigham Young, Oct. 4, 2003	11
Had 150 or more yards receiving	.253, Jeff Webb vs. Brigham Young, Oct. 4, 2003	11
Had 100 or more yards receiving	.129, Jeff Webb vs. Colorado State, Oct. 16, 2004	0
Had two 100-yard receivers	.125, Robert Ortiz and 107 Jeff Webb at Michigan, Sept. 18, 2004	4
Caught three or more TDs	.3, Jeff Webb vs. Brigham Young, Oct. 4, 2003	12
Caught two or more TDs	.2, Robert Ortiz vs. Idaho State, Sept. 4, 2004	5

TOTAL OFFENSE

		GMS. SINCE
Had 500 or more yards total offense	.506, Adam Hall, at Idaho, Sept. 21, 2002	27
Had 400 or more yards total offense	.420, Lon Sheriff, at Hawaii, Dec. 7, 2002	18
Had 100 yards both passing and rushing	. Never	

SCORING

		GMS. SINCE
Accounted for four or more TDs	.5, Adam Hall, at Idaho, Sept. 21, 2002	27
Accounted for three or more TDs	.3, Adam Hall vs. Brigham Young, Oct. 4, 2003	12
	.3, Jeff Webb vs. Brigham Young, Oct. 4, 2003	12

DEFENSE

		GMS. SINCE
Intercepted two or more passes	.2, Marv Underwood vs. Nevada, Sept. 25, 2003	15
Recovered three or more fumbles	. Never	
Recovered two or more fumbles	.2, Kirk Morrison, at New Mexico, Nov. 9, 2002	21
Recorded 15 or more tackles	.15, Kirk Morrison vs. Nevada, Sept. 25, 2004	3
Recorded 10 or more tackles	.14, Kirk Morrison vs. Colorado State, Oct. 16, 2004	0

SPECIAL TEAMS

GMS. SINCE

Scored 15 or more points kicking .....	.16, Tommy Kirovski, at Hawaii, Dec. 7, 2003	18
Scored 10 or more points kicking .....	.13, J.C. Mejia vs. Wyoming, Oct. 25, 2003	9
Kicked five or more field goals	Never	
Kicked four or more field goals .....	.4, J.C. Mejia vs. Wyoming, Oct. 25, 2003	9
Kicked two field goals of 50 or more yards .....	.51 and 50, Chris O'Brien vs. New Mexico, Nov. 17, 1984	229
Kicked one field goal of more than 50 yards .....	.51, J.C. Mejia, at Colorado St., Nov. 15, 2003	7
Kicked a 50-yard field goal .....	.50, Garrett Palmer vs. Nevada, Sept. 25, 2004	3
Kicked a punt 70 or more yards .....	.82, Noel Prefontaine, at New Mexico, Oct. 19, 1996	94
Kicked a punt 60 or more yards .....	.64, Seth Santoro vs. Samford, Sept. 20, 2003	14
Punted nine or more times .....	.9, Brian Simnjanovski vs. New Mexico, Oct. 18, 2003	10
Totaled 100 or more kick return yards .....	.112, Freddie Keiaho vs. Colorado St., Nov. 16, 2002	20
Totaled 100 or more punt return yards107, Kyle Conerly vs. UNLV, Oct. 26, 2002	23

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► Results

Date	Opponent	Result	Attendance	SD Rk	Opp. Rk	TV
S.4	Idaho State	W 38-21	57,216	--/rv	--/--	none
S.18	at Michigan	L 21-24	109,432	--/rv	17/17	ESPN
S.25	Nevada	W 27-10	33,429	--/--	--/--	GamePlan
O.2	at UCLA	L 10-33	52,038	--/--	rv/rv	FoxSportsWest2
O.9	at Wyoming*	L 10-20	19,540	--/--	--/--	ESPN+Plus
O.16	Colorado State*	L 17-21	31,129	--/--	--/--	ABC-R
O.23	at New Mexico*					
O.30	Utah* (HC)					
N.6	at Brigham Young*					
N.13	at Alr Force*					
N.20	UNLV*					

All times Pacific. * - Mountain West Conference Game. HC - Homecoming. Ranking refers to AP/Coaches Poll at game time.

► Score-By-Quarters

	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	OT	Total
San Diego State	61	27	14	21	-	123
Opponents	34	23	31	41	-	129

► Team Statistics

TEAM STATISTICS	San Diego State	Opponents
SCORING	123	129
Points Per Game	20.5	21.5
FIRST DOWNS	121	106
Rushing	49	40
Passing	66	51
Penalty	6	15
RUSHING YARDAGE	793	618
Yards gained rushing	1019	820
Yards lost rushing	226	202
Rushing Attempts	205	207
Average Per Rush	3.9	3.0
Average Per Game	132.2	103.0
TDs Rushing	5	4
PASSING YARDAGE	1638	1332
Att-Comp-Int	263-149-10	238-125-10
Average Per Pass	6.2	5.6
Average Per Catch	11.0	10.7
Average Per Game	273.0	222.0
TDs Passing	9	8
TOTAL OFFENSE	2431	1950
Total Plays	468	445
Average Per Play	5.2	4.4
Average Per Game	405.2	325.0
KICK RETURNS: #-YARDS	18-347	23-458
PUNT RETURNS: #-YARDS	22-212	16-71
INT RETURNS: #-YARDS	10-133	10-170
KICK RETURN AVERAGE	19.3	19.9
PUNT RETURN AVERAGE	9.6	4.4
INT RETURN AVERAGE	13.3	17.0
FUMBLES-LOST	13-7	8-3
PENALTIES-YARDS	46-423	29-300
Average Per Game	70.5	50.0
PUNTS-YARDS	37-1275	44-1787
Average Per Punt	34.5	40.6
Net punt average	32.5	35.8
TIME OF POSSESSION/GAME	30:02	29:58
3RD-DOWN CONVERSIONS	28/100	32/104
3rd-Down Pct	28%	31%
4TH-DOWN CONVERSIONS	8/15	3/9
4th-Down Pct	53%	33%
SACKS BY-YARDS	18-122	13-89
MISC YARDS	0	5
TOUCHDOWNS SCORED	14	15
FIELD GOALS-ATTEMPTS	8-12	8-14
PAT-ATTEMPTS	13-13	15-15
ATTENDANCE	121,774	181,496
Games/Avg Per Game	3/40,591	3/60,499

► Rushing

Player	GP	Att.	Gain	Loss	Net	Avg.	TD	Long	YPG
FRANKLIN, Michae	6	92	451	51	400	4.3	2	67	66.7
BORNES, Brandon	6	37	215	10	205	5.5	3	35	34.2
O'CONNELL, Kevin	4	18	130	13	117	6.5	0	30	29.2
THOMPSON, Alex	2	15	81	4	77	5.1	0	21	38.5
PORTER, Ramal	6	3	39	2	37	12.3	0	25	6.2
SWAIN, Brett	6	1	23	0	23	23.0	0	23	3.8
VAN, Jason	6	3	16	0	16	5.3	0	10	2.7
POUMELE, Fale	6	1	1	0	1	1.0	0	1	0.2
ORTIZ, Robert	6	1	0	3	-3	-3.0	0	0	-0.5
HUGHES, Michael	5	1	0	23	-23	-23.0	0	0	-4.6
DLUGOLECKI, Matt	6	33	63	120	-57	-1.7	0	12	-9.5
SDSU TOTALS	6	205	1019	226	793	3.9	5	67	132.2
OPPONENTS	6	207	820	202	618	3.0	4	57	103.0

► Passing

Player	G	Effic	Att	Cmp	Int	Pct	Yds	TD	Lng	Avg/G
DLUGOLECKI, Matt	6	118.28	203	123	8	60.6	1349	6	61	224.8
O'CONNELL, Kevin	4	87.19	57	24	2	42.1	275	2	58	68.8
JUSTICE, Jeremy	6	116.80	1	1	0	100.0	2	0	2	0.3
TEAM	2	0.00	1	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
FRANKLIN, Michae	6	530.80	1	1	0	100.0	12	1	12	2.0
SDSU TOTALS	6	112.66	263	149	10	56.7	1638	9	61	273.0
OPPONENTS	6	102.22	238	125	10	52.5	1332	8	54	222.0

► Receiving

Player	GP	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	Long	YPG
WEBB, Jeff	6	44	563	12.8	4	58	93.8
ORTIZ, Robert	6	28	392	14.0	3	61	65.3
FRANKLIN, Michae	6	23	184	8.0	0	32	30.7
PORTER, Ramal	6	14	185	13.2	1	22	30.8
PITTS, Devin	5	13	116	8.9	0	20	23.2
JUSTICE, Jeremy	6	9	66	7.3	0	21	11.0
SWAIN, Brett	6	7	54	7.7	0	31	9.0
EDWARDS, MARCUS	6	4	19	4.8	0	9	3.2
MILLER, Adam	6	3	9	3.0	0	5	1.5
WILLIAMS, Wesley	1	1	33	33.0	1	33	33.0
GRAY-HAYWARD, Ad	2	1	8	8.0	0	8	4.0
THOMPSON, Alex	2	1	7	7.0	0	7	3.5
DLUGOLECKI, Matt	6	1	2	2.0	0	2	0.3
SDSU TOTALS	6	149	1638	11.0	9	61	273.0
OPPONENTS	6	125	1332	10.7	8	54	222.0

► Total Offense

Player	GP	Plays	Rush	Pass	Total	Avg./G
DLUGOLECKI, Matt	6	236	-57	1349	1292	215.3
FRANKLIN, Michae	6	93	400	12	412	68.7
O'CONNELL, Kevin	4	75	117	275	392	98.0
BORNES, Brandon	6	37	205	0	205	34.2
THOMPSON, Alex	2	15	77	0	77	38.5
PORTER, Ramal	6	3	37	0	37	6.2
SWAIN, Brett	6	1	23	0	23	3.8
VAN, Jason	6	3	16	0	16	2.7
JUSTICE, Jeremy	6	1	0	2	2	0.3
POUMELE, Fale	6	1	1	0	1	0.2
ORTIZ, Robert	6	1	-3	0	-3	-0.5
HUGHES, Michael	5	1	-23	0	-23	-4.6
SDSU TOTALS	6	468	793	1638	2431	405.2
OPPONENTS	6	445	618	1332	1950	325.0

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► All-Purpose Yardage

Player	G	Rush	Rec	PR	KOR	IR	Tot	Avg/G
FRANKLIN, Michae	6	400	184	74	50	0	708	118.0
WEBB, Jeff	6	0	563	0	17	0	580	96.7
BORNES, Brandon	6	205	0	0	207	0	412	68.7
ORTIZ, Robert	6	-3	392	0	0	0	389	64.8
PORTER, Ramal	6	37	185	0	0	0	222	37.0
CONERLY, Kyle	6	0	0	138	73	0	211	35.2
O'CONNELL, Kevin	4	117	0	0	0	0	117	29.2
PITTS, Devin	5	0	116	0	0	0	116	23.2
THOMPSON, Alex	2	77	7	0	0	0	84	42.0
SWAIN, Brett	6	23	54	0	0	0	77	12.8
APPLEWHITE, Antw	6	0	0	0	0	75	75	12.5
JUSTICE, Jeremy	6	0	66	0	0	0	66	11.0
WILLIAMS, Wesley	1	0	33	0	0	0	33	33.0
GRISBY, Reggie	6	0	0	0	0	22	22	3.7
UNDERWOOD, Marv	6	0	0	0	0	21	21	3.5
EDWARDS, MARCUS	6	0	19	0	0	0	19	3.2
VAN, Jason	6	16	0	0	0	0	16	2.7
BAKER, Donnie	5	0	0	0	0	15	15	3.0
MILLER, Adam	6	0	9	0	0	0	9	1.5
GRAY-HAYWARD, Ad	2	0	8	0	0	0	8	4.0
POUMELE, Fale	6	1	0	0	0	0	1	0.2
HUGHES, Michael	5	-23	0	0	0	0	-23	-4.6
DLUGOLECKI, Matt	6	-57	2	0	0	0	-55	-9.2
SDSU TOTALS	6	793	1638	212	347	133	3123	520.5
OPPONENTS	6	618	1332	71	458	170	2649	441.5

► Scoring

Player	TD	FGs	|----- PATS -----|						Saf	Points
			Kick	Rush	Rcv	Pass	DXP			
PALMER, Garrett	0	8-12	13-13	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	37	
WEBB, Jeff	4	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	24	
ORTIZ, Robert	3	0-0	0-0	0-0	1	0-0	0	0	20	
BORNES, Brandon	3	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	18	
FRANKLIN, Michae	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	12	
PORTER, Ramal	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6	
WILLIAMS, Wesley	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6	
O'CONNELL, Kevin	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	1-1	0	0	0	
SDSU TOTALS	14	8-12	13-13	0-0	1	1-1	0	0	123	
OPPONENTS	15	8-14	15-15	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	129	

► Field Goals

Player	FGM-A	Pct	01-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50-99	Lg	Blk
PALMER, GARRETT	8-12	66.7	0-0	3-4	1-2	3-5	1-1	50	1

(25g) (46ng, 49ng) (50g, 43g) (36g) (27g, 37ng) (48g, 23ng, 48g, 27g). g - good. ng - no good.

► Punting

Player	No.	Yds	Avg	Long	TB	FC	I20	Blkd
HUGHES, Michael	26	953	36.7	58	0	0	8	0
HENSCHEL, SEAN	10	314	31.4	49	0	2	0	0
GRAY-HAYWARD, Ad	1	8	8.0	8	0	0	0	0
SDSU TOTALS	37	1275	34.5	58	0	2	8	0
OPPONENTS	44	1787	40.6	57	4	7	10	0

► Punt Returns

Player	No.	Yds	Avg	TD	Long
CONERLY, Kyle	15	138	9.2	0	29
FRANKLIN, Michae	7	74	10.6	0	29
SDSU TOTALS	22	212	9.6	0	29
OPPONENTS	16	71	4.4	0	37

► Kickoff Returns

Player	No.	Yds	Avg	TD	Long
BORNES, Brandon	10	207	20.7	0	40
CONERLY, Kyle	4	73	18.2	0	22
FRANKLIN, Michae	3	50	16.7	0	19
WEBB, Jeff	1	17	17.0	0	17
SDSU TOTALS	18	347	19.3	0	40
OPPONENTS	23	458	19.9	0	30

► Interception Returns

Player	No.	Yds	Avg	TD	Long
DEAN, Josh	3	0	0.0	0	0
UNDERWOOD, Marv	2	21	10.5	0	21
GRISBY, Reggie	1	22	22.0	0	22
DEMPS, Marcus	1	0	0.0	0	0
FARWELL, Heath	1	0	0.0	0	0
BAKER, Donnie	1	15	15.0	0	15
APPLEWHITE, Antw	1	75	75.0	0	75
SDSU TOTALS	10	133	13.3	0	75
OPPONENTS	10	170	17.0	2	71

► Fumble Returns

Player	No.	Yds	Avg	TD	Long
SDSU TOTALS	0	0	0	0	0
OPPONENTS	1	5	5.0	1	5

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► SDSU Scoring Drives

Opponent	Drive		Time	Type of Score	Qtr/Time	Drive Start	Scoring Play
	Plays	Yards					
Idaho State	1	67	0:14	TD	1st/14:46	SD 33	Franklin 67-yd run
Idaho State	3	34	1:00	TD	1st/12:26	IS 34	Ortiz 10-yd pass Dlugolecki
Idaho State	7	60	2:29	TD	1st/9:05	SD 40	Bornes 2-yd run
Idaho State	11	73	3:45	FG	1st/0:12	SD 19	Palmer 25-yd FG
Idaho State	5	52	2:16	TD	2nd/1:35	SD 48	Ortiz 32-yd pass O'Connell
Idaho State	7	80	1:57	TD	3rd/11:52	SD 20	Williams 33-yd pass Dlugolecki
Michigan	3	17	1:02	TD	1st/10:37	MI 17	Franklin 4-yd run
Michigan	3	81	1:21	TD	1st/1:30	SD 19	Webb 12-yd pass Franklin
Michigan	4	39	0:59	TD	2nd/7:57	MI 39	Ortiz 14-yd pass Dlugolecki
Nevada	12	79	4:50	TD	1st/6:53	SD 21	Webb 23-yd pass Dlugolecki
Nevada	12	81	3:37	TD	1st/0:00	SD 19	Bornes 35-yd run
Nevada	8	48	2:33	FG	2nd/3:33	SD 20	Palmer 50-yd FG
Nevada	2	25	0:48	TD	3rd/9:30	NE 25	Porter 19-yd pass Dlugolecki
Nevada	5	24	2:34	FG	4th/3:38	50	Palmer 43-yd FG
UCLA	12	61	4:40	FG	1st/10:20	SD 20	Palmer 36-yd FG
UCLA	7	80	2:46	TD	3rd/1:00	SD 20	Bornes 1-yd run
Wyoming	13	71	5:09	FG	1st/0:32	SD 20	Palmer 27-yd FG
Wyoming	7	69	2:57	TD	2nd/4:57	SD 31	Webb 47-yd pass Dlugolecki
Colorado State	5	18	1:19	FG	1st/5:06	CS 49	Palmer 48-yd FG
Colorado State	6	17	1:58	FG	2nd/7:52	CS 47	Palmer 48-yd FG
Colorado State	3	62	0:59	TD	4th/14:50	SD 38	Webb 58-yd pass O'Connell
Colorado State	6	30	1:42	FG	4th/5:36	CS 40	Palmer 27-yd FG

► Opponent Scoring Drives

Opponent	Drive		Time	Type of Score	Qtr/Time	Drive Start	Scoring Play
	Plays	Yards					
Idaho State	7	62	1:45	TD	3rd/5:42	IS 38	Key 9-yd. pass Hetherington
Idaho State	6	59	2:06	TD	4th/14:53	IS 41	Simmons 15-yd pass from Hetherington
Idaho State	10	77	2:17	TD	4th/1:34	IS 23	Hagler 2-yd run
Michigan	1	54	0:10	TD	1st/13:20	MI 46	Edwards 54-yd from Henne
Michigan	9	51	3:43	FG	1st/3:45	MI 27	Rivas 39-yd FG
Michigan				TD	1st/2:51		Reid 5-yd fumble return
Michigan	10	79	4:25	TD	3rd/10:35	MI 21	Edwards 7-yd from Henne
Nevada	7	62	1:23	FG	2nd/6:06	NE 27	Fine 28-yd FG
Nevada	9	77	2:45	TD	4th/0:53	NE 23	Kretschmer 3-yd run
UCLA	3	64	0:52	TD	1st/9:28	UC 36	Drew 57-yd run
UCLA				TD	2nd/8:59		Havner 52-yd int. return
UCLA	4	8	1:55	FG	2nd/5:58	SD 13	Medlock 22-yd FG
UCLA	9	65	4:00	TD	3rd/11:00	UC 35	Perry 23-yd pass from Olson
UCLA	11	43	3:37	FG	4th/10:32	UC 31	Medlock 43-yd FG
UCLA	8	64	4:49	FG	4th/1:48	UC 9	Medlock 44-yd FG
Wyoming	11	53	5:40	FG	1st/5:41	UW 25	Yaussi 38-yd FG
Wyoming	1	29	0:08	TD	3rd/12:39	SD 29	Bouknight 29-yd from Bramlet
Wyoming	4	8	1:35	FG	3rd/6:57	SD 33	Yaussi 42-yd FG
Wyoming	11	61	4:26	TD	4th/10:34	UW 39	Pleasant 12-yd from Harrison
Colorado State				TD	1st/0:51		Adkins 71-yd int. return
Colorado State	12	80	5:01	TD	2nd/2:51	CS 20	Dressen 4-yd from Haine
Colorado State	2	10	0:41	TD	4th/1:10	SD 10	Green 1-yd run

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▶ SDSU Longest Plays - 20 or more yards

Yards	Opponent	Play (Situation)
67	Idaho State	Michael Franklin run (1st and 10 on SD 33) - TD
61	Michigan	Robert Ortiz pass from Matt Dlugolecki (2nd and 2 on SD 27)
58	Colorado State	Jeff Webb pass from Kevin O'Connell (3rd and 6 on SD 42) - TD
47	Wyoming	Jeff Webb pass from Matt Dlugolecki (1st and 10 on WY 47) - TD
33	Idaho State	Wesley Williams pass from Matt Dlugolecki (3rd and 21 on IS 33) - TD
32	UCLA	Jeff Webb pass from Matt Dlugolecki (2nd and 3 on SD 27)
32	Idaho State	Michael Franklin pass from Matt Dlugolecki (1st and 10 on SD 31)
32	Idaho State	Robert Ortiz pass from Kevin O'Connell (2nd and 14 on IS 32) - TD
32	Idaho State	Jeff Webb pass from Matt Dlugolecki (1st and 10 on SD 35)
31	Wyoming	Brett Swain pass from Matt Dlugolecki (1st and 10 on SD 28)
30	Colorado State	Robert Ortiz pass from Kevin O'Connell (2nd and 6 at SD 25)
30	Colorado State	Kevin O'Connell rush (1st and 10 on SD 20)
29	Nevada	Jeff Webb pass from Matt Dlugolecki (2nd and 5 on SD 32)
26	Idaho State	Jeff Webb pass from Matt Dlugolecki (4th and 8 on IS 31)
25	Idaho State	Ramal Porter run (1st and 10 on IS 34)
23	UCLA	Brett Swain run (1st and 10 on UC 40)
23	UCLA	Robert Ortiz from Matt Dlugolecki (3rd and 1 on SD 37)
23	Nevada	Jeff Webb pass from Matt Dlugolecki (3rd and 3 on NE 23) - TD
22	Colorado State	Brandon Bornes run (2nd and 1 on CS 31)
22	Wyoming	Michael Franklin run (1st and 10 on WY 41)
22	UCLA	Porter pass from Kevin O'Connell (2nd and 5 on UC 39)
22	UCLA	Brandon Bornes run (3rd and 1 on SD 44)
21	Nevada	Jeremy Justice pass from Matt Dlugolecki (1st and 10 on SD 22)
21	Idaho State	Alex Thompson run (2nd and 10 on IS 44)
21	Idaho State	Brandon Bornes run (1st and 10 on SD 42)
21	Idaho State	Kevin O'Connell run (3rd and 7 on IS 49)
20	Michigan	Robert Ortiz from Matt Dlugolecki (1st and 10 MI 29)
20	Idaho State	Devin Pitts pass from Matt Dlugolecki (2nd and 8 on IS 26)
Number of plays, from scrimmage, 20-plus yards: 28 (19 pass, 9 rush)		
Number of plays, from scrimmage, 40-plus yards: 4 (3 pass, 1 run)		

▶ Opponent Longest Plays - 20 or more yards

Yards	Opponent	Play (Situation)
57	UCLA	Maurice Drew run (3rd and 3 on UC 43) - TD
54	Michigan	Edwards pass from Chad Henne (1st and 10 on MI 46) - TD
47	UCLA	Michael Pitch pass from Maurice Drew (3rd and 4 on UC 15)
45	Michigan	Edwards pass from Chad Henne (1st and 10 on MI 35)
43	Nevada	Flowers pass from Jeff Rowe (1st and 10 on NE 27)
39	Nevada	Spencer pass from Jeff Rowe (3rd and 8 NE 40)
38	Nevada	Trevor Brackett pass from Travis Moore (3rd and 10 on NE 23)
33	Wyoming	Jovon Bouknight pass from Corey Bramlet (1st and 10 WY 31)
33	UCLA	Marcus Everett pass from Drew Olson (3rd and 1 on UC 44)
32	Wyoming	Dustin Pleasant pass from Corey Bramlet (2nd and 5 on WY 46)
31	Wyoming	Ivan Harrison run (4th and 1 on WY 44)
28	Idaho State	Jon Winn pass from Matt Hagler (2nd and 6 on SD 45)
26	Idaho State	Akilah Lacey pass from Hetherington (1st and 10 on SD 26)
25	UCLA	Joe Cowan pass from Drew Olson (1st and 10 on UC 47)
23	Colorado State	Joel Dreessen pass from Caleb Haine (1st and 10 on CS 37)
23	Idaho State	Akilah Lacey pass from Hetherington (2nd and 9 on SD 32)
21	Idaho State	Branon Mennear pass from Hetherington (2nd and 3 on SD 43)
20	Colorado State	Kory Sperry pass from Caleb Haine (2nd and 8 on CS 26)
20	UCLA	Maurice Drew run (2nd and 4 on UC 37)
20	Nevada	Kretschmer run (2nd and 20 on NE 34)
20	Idaho State	Sale Key pass from Hetherington (2nd and 1 on IS 47)
Number of plays, from scrimmage, 20-plus yards: 21 (17 pass, 4 rush)		
Number of plays, from scrimmage, 40-plus yards: 5 (4 pass, 1 rush)		

▶ Scoring Drive Analysis

Distance	SDSU		Opponent	
	TD	FG	TD	FG
No Drive	0		3	
Minus	0	0	0	0
0-9	0	0	0	2
10-19	1	1	1	0
20-29	1	1	1	0
30-39	2	1	0	0
40-49	0	1	0	2
50-59	1	0	2	2
60-69	4	1	4	2
70-79	1	2	3	0
80-89	4	0	1	0
90-99	0	0	0	0

▶ Game Opening Drives

Game	SDSU			Opponent		
	Pts.	FD	Yds.	Pts.	FD	Yds.
Idaho State	7	1	67	0	0	8
Michigan	0	1	22	7	1	54
Nevada	0	1	16	0	0	2
UCLA	3	4	61	7	1	64
Wyoming	0	1	-1	0	0	-14
Colorado St.	0	0	3	0	0	3
New Mexico						
Utah						
BYU						
Air Force						
UNLV						

▶ Second-Half Opening Drives

Game	SDSU			Opponent		
	Pts.	FD	Yds.	Pts.	FD	Yds.
Idaho State	7	4	80	0	1	27
Michigan	0	0	-7	7	3	79
Nevada	0	0	2	0	1	20
UCLA	0	2	62	7	4	65
Wyoming	0	0	-1	7	1	29
Colorado St.	0	3	43	0	1	16
New Mexico						
Utah						
BYU						
Air Force						
UNLV						

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► Offensive Starters

t	FL	RB	QB	SE/TE	LT	LG	C	RG	RT	TE/RB	SL/TE
Idaho State	Pitts	Franklin	Dlugolecki	Webb	Kracalik	Robinson	Schmidt	Justman	Kravetz	Justice	Ortiz
at Michigan	Pitts	Franklin	Dlugolecki	Webb	Kracalik	Justman	Schmidt	Pino	Robinson	Justice	Ortiz
Nevada	Porter	Franklin	Dlugolecki	Webb	Kracalik	Justman	Schmidt	Pino	Dombrowski	Justice	Ortiz
at UCLA	Porter	Franklin	Dlugolecki	Webb	Robinson	Justman	Schmidt	Kravetz	Pino	Bornes	Ortiz
at Wyoming	Porter	Franklin	Dlugolecki	Webb	Kracalik	Justman	Schmidt	Kravetz	Pino	Miclot	Louis
Colorado State	Pitts	Franklin	Dlugolecki	Justice	Kracalik	Justman	Schmidt	Kravetz	Robinson	Miclot	Louis
at New Mexico											
Utah											
at Brigham Young											
at Air Force											
UNLV											

► Defensive Starters

Opponent	DE	NT	DT	DE	WLB	MLB	SLB	CB	CB	SS	FS
Idaho State	Lealofi	Bailes	Lobel	R. Miller	McCoy	Morrison	Farwell	Caliste	Demps	Dean	Underwood
at Michigan	Lealofi	Bailes	Lobel	R. Miller	McCoy	Morrison	Larsen	Caliste	Demps	Dean	Underwood
Nevada	Lealofi	Bailes	Lobel	R. Miller	McCoy	Morrison	Farwell	Caliste	Demps	Dean	Underwood
at UCLA	Lealofi	Bailes	Lobel	R. Miller	McCoy	Morrison	Larsen	Caliste	Demps	Dean	Underwood
at Wyoming	Applewhite	Durbin	Lobel	Farwell	McCoy	Morrison	Larsen	Caliste	Demps	Dean	Underwood
Colorado State	Lealofi	Bailes	Lobel	Kahui	McCoy	Morrison	Farwell	Caliste	Demps	Dean	Underwood
at New Mexico											
Utah											
at Brigham Young											
at Air Force											
UNLV											

► Drive Engineering

Quarterback	Drives Started	Drives Ended By								Points Yielded	Pts./ Drive	QB Efficiency
		TD	FG	MFG	Punts	Downs	TO	SF	Clock			
Dlugolecki	73	12	7	4	30	4	13	0	3	105	1.44	32.9
O'Connell	22	2	1	0	7	4	4	0	4	18	0.82	16.7
Engstrand	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0.00	0.0
SAN DIEGO STATE	96	14	8	4	37	8	17	0	8	123	1.28	29.5
OPPONENTS	91	12	8	6	44	6	13	0	2	108	1.19	29.2

QB Efficiency is drives that resulted in scores or missed field goals divided by number of drives minus drives ended by the clock.

► Red Zone

	Times Inside Opp. 20	Drives Ended By								Total Points	TD Pct.	Scoring Pct.
		TD	FG	MFG	Punts	Downs	TO	SF	Clock			
SAN DIEGO STATE	17	7	4	2	0	2	1	0	1	61	41.2	64.7
OPPONENTS	22	9	5	5	0	2	1	0	0	78	40.9	63.6

► Average Starting Field Position

	Times Started	Total Yard Line	Average Field Pos	Started in Opp.	Scores								Total Points
					Scores	TD	FG	MFG	Punts	Downs	TO	Clock	
SAN DIEGO STATE	96	3,018	SD 31.44	15	7	4	3	1	1	0	3	3	37
OPPONENTS	91	2,905	Opp. 31.92	13	4	2	2	3	4	1	1	0	20

► Turnovers

San Diego State's 17 turnovers have led to 45 Opponent points: 6 TD, 1 FG: 34.9% of Opponents' total points (129).

Opponent's 13 turnovers have led to 41 San Diego State points: 5 TD, 2 FG: 33.3% of San Diego State's total points (123).

Line of Scrimmage	Own Territory					Opponent Territory					Returned for TD	-----TO By Quarter-----				
	EZ/G-10	11-20	21-30	31-40	41-50	49-40	39-30	29-20	19-10	9-G/EZ		Total	1	2	3	4
SAN DIEGO STATE TOs	3	1	2	2	0	3	5	1	0	0	17	3	3	5	4	5
OPPONENTS TOs	0	1	2	2	5	0	1	1	1	0	13	0	3	5	1	4