



## GAME 2 CLEMSON (1-0) VS. AUBURN (1-0)

### SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 9, 2017

Memorial Stadium, Clemson, SC  
Kickoff: 7 p.m.

#### TV: ESPN

(Steve Levy, Brian Griese, Todd McShay)

#### CLEMSON RADIO NETWORK

(Don Munson, Rodney Williams,  
Sideline: Reggie Merriweather

#### Westwood One Radio

(Ryan Radtke, Derek Rackley)

#### Satellite Radio

Sirius Ch., XM Ch. TBA

#### SERIES HISTORY

Auburn leads 34-14-2

at Clemson: Auburn leads 10-6-1

at Auburn: Auburn leads 20-5

at Neutral: Auburn leads 4-3-1

Last Meeting: Clemson 19-13 at Auburn, 2016

Streak: Clemson won 3 in row

Last Auburn Win: 27-24 (OT), 2010

### 2017 SCHEDULE & RESULTS

Date	Opponent	TV	W-L	Score/Time
Sept. 2	KENT STATE	ESPN	W	56-3
Sept. 9	AUBURN	ESPN		7:00 p.m.
Sept. 16	at Louisville	ABC		3:30 p.m.
Sept. 23	BOSTON COLLEGE			
Sept. 30	at Virginia Tech			
Oct. 7	WAKE FOREST			
Oct. 13	at Syracuse	ESPN		7p.m.
Oct. 28	GEORGIA TECH			
Nov. 4	at NC State			
Nov. 11	FLORIDA STATE			
Nov. 18	THE CITADEL			
Nov. 25	at South Carolina			

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#### CLEMSON TIGERS

2017 Record	1-0, 0-0 ACC
Location	Clemson, S.C.
Colors	Clemson Orange & Regalia
Enrollment	23,406
Director of Athletics	Dan Radakovich (Indiana (Pa.) '80)
Head Coach	Dabo Swinney (Alabama '93)
Clemson Record (9th full season)	90-28 (.763)
Away & Neutral Record	37-21 (.638)
Home	53-7 (.883)
vs. ACC Teams	57-16 (.781)
vs. Auburn	3-1
Clemson Rankings	#5 AP, #5 Coaches( preseason)
Co-Offensive Coordinators	Tony Elliott, Jeff Scott
Defensive Coordinator	Brent Venables
Twitter /Instagram	@ClemsonFB
Web	ClemsonTigers.com

#### AUBURN TIGERS

2017 Record:	1-0 overall, 0-0 SEC
Location:	Auburn, Ala.
Colors:	Burnt Orange & Navy Blue
Enrollment:	28,290
Athletic Director:	Jay Jacobs
Head Coach:	Gus Malzahn (Henderson St. '90)
Auburn Record:	36-18 (5th year)
Overall:	46-21 (6th year)
vs Clemson:	0-1
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### MEDIA INFORMATION

#### DABO SWINNEY PRESS CONFERENCE

Head Coach Dabo Swinney will hold his weekly press conference at the Team Room on the second floor of the Reeves Football Operations Building each Tuesday at 11 a.m. Clemson players will be available after Swinney's press conference in the Poe Indoor Football Facility. Coach Swinney's press conference will be available over clemsontigers.com. An abbreviated transcript of his press conference also will be available.

#### SWINNEY SUNDAY TELECONFERENCE

Head Coach Dabo Swinney will hold a teleconference each Sunday at 6 p.m. Contact Tim Bourret to access for call. The first call will be September 3.

#### CLEMSON PLAYER INTERVIEWS

Clemson student-athlete interviews are held each Monday and Tuesday on in the Poe Indoor Football Facility. Contact Tim Bourret each Sunday by 4 p.m. with your requests for the week. The first players on Monday usually start at 11:00 a.m. Players are also available after Coach Swinney's Tuesday press conference at the West Endzone.

#### CLEMSON COORDINATORS

A Clemson offensive coordinator, either Tony Elliott or Jeff Scott, will be available on Mondays at 11:45 a.m. at the Poe Indoor Facility. Defensive Coordinator Brent Venables will be available at the Poe Indoor Facility on Tuesdays some time after Dabo Swinney's press conference.

#### CLEMSON PERSONNEL UPDATE

- Richard Yeargin (DE) out for season due to neck injury suffered over the summer.
- Tucker Israel (QB) out indefinitely with an illness.
- Garrett Williams (FB) Out indefinitely with a torn ACL suffered last spring.
- Van Smith (DB), Knee vs. Kent State, Questionable

#### ACC TELECONFERENCE

The ACC holds a teleconference for the media every Wednesday from 10:30 a.m. to 12:50 p.m. throughout the season. Each coach has a 10 minute period on the conference. Each teleconference available at theacc.com. Contact the ACC for the teleconference phone number.

#### Head Coach, School

Brian Kelly, Notre Dame #10:20 a.n.

Bronco Mendenhall, Virginia 10:30 a.m.

Dabo Swinney, Clemson 10:40 a.m.

Jimbo Fisher, Florida State 10:50 a.m.

Bobby Petrino, Louisville 11:00 a.m.

Dino Babers, Syracuse 11:10 a.m.

Paul Johnson, Georgia Tech 11:30 a.m.

Larry Fedora, North Carolina 11:40 a.m.

Justin Fuente, Virginia Tech 11:50 a.m.

Dave Clawson, Wake Forest Noon

Pat Narduzzi, Pittsburgh 12:10 p.m.

Steve Addazio, Boston College 12:20 a.m.

David Cutcliffe, Duke 12:30 p.m.

Dave Doeren, NC State 12:40 p.m.

Mark Richt, Miami (FL) 12.50 p.m

#only when Notre Dame plays an ACC Opponent

#### Inside Clemson Football with Dabo Swinney

Station (Network)	City	Day (time)
WACH (Fox)	Columbia	Sunday (10:30 am)
WBTW (CBS)	Myrtle Beach	Sunday (11:30 am)
WCBD (NBC)	Charleston	Sunday (12:30 pm)
WJBF (ABC)	Augusta	Sunday (2:30 pm)
WSPA (CBS)	Spartanburg	Monday (7:30 pm)
WSAV (NBC)	Savannah	Tuesday (6:30 pm)
Fox Sports South		Tuesday (5:30 pm)



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## 2017 STANDINGS

Atlantic Division	ACC	Home	Away	Overall
Clemson	0-0	1-0	0-0	1-0
Louisville	0-0	0-0	0-0	1-0
Wake Forest	0-0	1-0	0-0	1-0
Boston College	0-0	1-0	0-0	1-0
Syracuse	0-0	1-0	0-0	1-0
NC State	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-1
Florida State	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-1

Coastal Division	ACC	Home	Away	Overall
Miami	0-0	1-0	0-0	1-0
Pittsburgh	0-0	1-0	0-0	1-0
Duke	0-0	1-0	0-0	1-0
Virginia	0-0	1-0	0-0	1-0
Georgia Tech	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0
Virginia Tech	0-0	0-0	0-0	1-0
North Carolina	0-0	0-1	0-0	0-1

## THIS WEEK'S GAMES

### September 9, 2017

Wake Forest at Boston College	ACC	1 P.m.
Georgia Tech vs. Jacksonville St.	RSN	12:30 pm
Clemson vs. Auburn	ESPN	7 P.m.
Louisville at North Carolina	ABC	Noon
Duke vs. Northwestern	ESPNU	Noon
Miami at Arkansas State	ESPNU	3:30 pm
Florida State vs. Louisiana Monroe	ACC	7 pm
NC State vs. Marshall	ACC	6 pm
Virginia vs. Indiana	ACC	3:30 pm
Pittsburgh at Penn State	ABC	3:30 pm
Virginia Tech vs. Delaware	ACCN	3:30 pm
Syracuse vs. Middle Tenn.	ACCN	3:30 pm

## CLEMSON PRONUNCIATIONS

Dabo Swinney	DA-boh SWEE-nee
Justin Falcinelli	fal-sih-NEHL-ee
Clelin Ferrell	CLEE-lihn
Greg Huegel	HYOO-guhl
Travis Etienne	E T N
Trevion Thompson	TRAY-vee-ahn
K'Von Wallace	KAY-Vahn

### Clemson vs. Auburn Series

•Auburn has a 34-14-2 lead in the series with Clemson, but Clemson has won three in a row, including a 19-13 win at Auburn last year. Clemson's win at Auburn was its first win there since 1951 and it was Clemson's first season opening win at a school currently in the SEC since 1903.

•Auburn had won 14 straight in the series prior to Clemson's 38-24 win in 2011 at Clemson. Prior to that game Clemson had not beaten Auburn since 1951.

•Clemson's modest three-game winning streak in the series has taken place at three different venues. The Tigers won 38-24 at Clemson in 2011, by a 26-19 margin in 2012 in Atlanta, and last year at Auburn.

•If Clemson defeats Auburn on Saturday it would give Clemson its first four-game winning streak against an SEC team since the Tigers defeated South Carolina four in a row from 2002-05. Clemson has not had a four-game winning streak against a current SEC school other than South Carolina since the Tigers had a seven game winning streak against Georgia from 1900-06.

\*Auburn's last win took place at Auburn in 2010, a 27-24 overtime thriller. Auburn won the National Championship that year with a perfect record and Clemson was the only team to send them to overtime that year.

•Two of the last five meetings between the two teams have gone to overtime, and Auburn has won both, 23-20 in the 2007 season Chick-fil-A Bowl and 27-24 at Auburn in 2010.

•Clemson beat Auburn five times in six meetings under Head Coach Frank Howard from 1946-51. Included in that stretch was a 34-18 Clemson win in 1947 as Bobby Gage threw four touchdown passes and gained 374 yards of total offense, both single game records at the time.

•Auburn and Clemson first met in 1899 and Auburn came away with a 34-0 win at Auburn. That was just the 14<sup>th</sup> game in Clemson history. John Heisman coached Auburn in that game. Clemson won three of the next four, including a 16-0 win at Auburn in 1902. Clemson's coach in that game was John Heisman. So Heisman gained wins for both teams in this series and both games were played at Auburn.

•The two schools have met just six times since 1971 with both teams winning three times. Three of those meetings took place in Atlanta at the Georgia Dome, with two of them being Chick-fil-A Bowl games. Auburn won both of those bowl games, 21-17 at the 1998 Chick-fil-A bowl (1997 season), and Auburn won on New Year's Eve of 2007 by a 23-20 score in overtime. That is Clemson's only overtime game in a bowl contest. Clemson then won at the Georgia Dome in 2012 in a season opening game.

•In that 21-17 Auburn victory in the 1998 Chick-fil-A Bowl, Clemson gained just 146 yards of total offense, 60 rushing and 86 passing. Despite the offensive problems, Clemson had a 17-6 lead entering the fourth period. But, Auburn scored 15 points in the fourth period to gain the victory. Clemson had just four first downs in the game, fewest in history for the Tigers in a bowl game. Two blocked punts by Clemson kept the Tigers in the game.

Terry Bowden was the head coach for Auburn in that game. Two years later his brother Tommy came to Clemson as the head coach and coached against Auburn for Clemson in the 2007 Chick-fil-A Bowl, a game won by Auburn in overtime 23-20

•When Auburn played at Clemson in 2011, it was their first appearance at Clemson since 1970. That year Auburn beat Clemson 44-0 on Clemson's Homecoming. After the game first-year head coach Hootie Ingram started his postgame press conference by asking, "Who is on the Homecoming Committee."

### Meetings Between Clemson and Auburn since Dabo Swinney Became Head Coach

#### 2010 at Auburn

#### September 18, 2010 at Auburn, AL Auburn 27, Clemson 24 (OT)

Wes Byrum kicked a 39-yard field goal in overtime and No. 16 Auburn beat Clemson, 27-24, in a thrilling game at Auburn. The game appeared headed to another OT when Chandler Catanzaro made a 27-yard field goal on Clemson's possession, but a penalty was called on the Clemson snapper for flinching on his snap. After a 5-yard illegal procedure penalty on the kick, the ensuing attempt by Catanzaro was missed and Auburn had the victory, its only overtime victory in its 2010 National Championship season.

Clemson, which had opened with lopsided wins over North Texas and Presbyterian, had a fast start in front of the biggest crowd the program had played in front of (87,451). The Tigers jumped to a 17-0 lead behind the passing of Kyle Parker who threw a pair of scoring passes to running back Jamie Harper.

Auburn's normally prolific offense didn't get a first down, or a completion until the 6:54 mark of the second quarter. Auburn's only points of the first half came on Wes Byrum's 35-yard field goal as time expired.

Parker was 20-34 for 220 yards and the two scores for the game. He was not as effective in the second half after he suffered a rib injury on a hit by an Auburn defensive player. Running back Andre Ellington had 22-140 rushing and 4-48 receiving, giving the sophomore 188 yards from scrimmage. Harper had three catches for 48 and added 44 rushing, while tight end Dwayne Allen had five catches for 66 yards.

Auburn scored 21 points in the third quarter thanks to 258 yards of total offense to take a 21-17 lead. The big play was the 78-yard scoring pass from Newton to Terrell Zachery. Clemson tied the game at 24-24 on a two-yard run by Ellington with 12:36 left, but neither team could get a scoring drive going the remainder of regulation.

Clemson threatened to score go-ahead points after pushing the ball near mid-field on its final drive of regulation, but Auburn stuffed a reverse.

Cam Newton completed just 7-14 passes, but they went for 203 yards and a pair of touchdowns, including the 78-yarder to Zachery in the third quarter to give Auburn its first lead at 24-17. Newton also ran for 68 yards but was intercepted twice.



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## NATIONAL RANKINGS

### ASSOCIATED PRESS (PRESEASON)

Rk	School (1st place)	Rec	Pts
1.	Alabama (52)	14-1	1513
2.	Ohio State (3)	11-2	1414
3.	Florida State	10-3	1396
4.	Southern Cal	10-3	1325
5.	Clemson	14-1	1201
6.	Penn State	11-3	1195
7.	Oklahoma	11-2	1170
8.	Washington	12-2	1150
9.	Wisconsin	11-3	926
10.	Okahoma State	10-3	889
11.	Michigan	10-3	881
12.	Auburn	8-5	880
13.	LSU	8-4	784
14.	Stanford	10-3	695
15.	Georgia	8-5	690
16.	Louisville	9-4	629
17.	Florida	9-4	624
18.	Miami (FL)	9-4	492
19.	South Florida	11-2	327
20.	Kansas State	9-4	317
21.	Virginia Tech	10-4	240
22.	West Virginia	10-4	207
23.	Texas	5-7	173
24.	Washington State	8-5	133
25.	Tennessee	9-4	114

#### Others Receiving Votes:

TCU 98, Utah 85, Notre Dame 65, Boise State 37, NC State 26, Northwestern 25, Pittsburgh 23, Oregon 21, Houston 19, Colorado 18, San Diego State 9, UCLA 9, BYU 5, Appalachian State 4, Nebraska 4, Tulsa 4, Kentucky 3, Texas A&M 3, Michigan State 1.

### AMWAY USA TODAY COACHES (PRESEASON)

Rk	School (1st place)	Rec	Pts
1.	Alabama (49)	14-1	1603
2.	Ohio State (5)	11-2	1512
3.	Florida State (4)	10-3	1434
4.	Southern California	10-3	1415
5.	Clemson (7)	14-1	1367
6.	Penn State	11-3	1257
7.	Washington	12-2	1245
8.	Oklahoma	11-2	1237
9.	Michigan	10-3	959
10.	Wisconsin	11-3	936
11.	Oklahoma State	10-3	912
12.	LSU	8-4	834
13.	Auburn	8-5	819
14.	Stanford	10-3	732
15.	Georgia	8-5	701
16.	Florida	9-4	681
17.	Louisville	9-4	676
18.	Miami (FL)	9-4	472
19.	Kansas State	9-4	339
20.	West Virginia	10-3	319
21.	South Florida	11-2	247
22.	Virginia Tech	10-4	235
23.	Texas	5-7	193
24.	Tennessee	9-4	155
25.	Utah	9-4	109

#### Others Receiving Votes:

Washington State 99, Colorado 72, TCU 58, Boise State 49, Notre Dame 49, Texas A&M 46, Pittsburgh 45, NC State 39, Oregon 37, Northwestern 25, Nebraska 23, Arkansas 22, Memphis 22, Mississippi State 19, San Diego State 18, Appalachian State 11, BYU 10, Georgia Tech 10, Tulsa 10, Wyoming 9, Western Michigan 8, Temple 8, North Carolina 8, Houston 7, Minnesota 6, Troy 6, Iowa 5, Louisiana Tech 4, Syracuse 3, UCLA 1, Colorado State 1, Maryland 1, Michigan State 1, Toledo 1, Army 1.

Fulltime Coaches in Press Box: Tony Elliott, Danny Pearman.

### 2011 at Clemson Clemson 38, Auburn 24

#### September 17, 2011 at Clemson

The nation's longest winning streak ended thanks to a 386-yard, four-touchdown afternoon from Clemson quarterback Tajh Boyd and 155 receiving yards from freshman-sensation Sammy Watkins, who was named ACC Receiver-of-the-Week and ACC Rookie-of-the-Week for his efforts. In all, the Tigers amassed 624 yards while outscoring Auburn 31-3 from the middle of the second quarter on. It was the most yards gained by a Clemson team against an SEC team.

Trailing by 14 points on two different occasions, including 21-7 following Michael Dyer's second touchdown of the game in the second quarter, Boyd got Clemson rolling with a four-yard touchdown pass to DeAndre Hopkins, a six-yard score to tight end Dwayne Allen, who tight-roped the back of the endzone, and then 65 and 19-yard touchdown passes to Watkins in the third quarter.

Auburn had no answer for Boyd, as he completed 30-42 passes on his way to earning ACC Offensive Back-of-the-Week honors.

Once Boyd found his rhythm, Clemson did not miss a step, as it scored on six of seven possessions. The Tigers' 624 yards of total offense were third-most in history and just the eighth time a Clemson team topped the 600-yard mark in a contest.

Auburn had won 14 straight games over Clemson and 17 in a row overall entering the game.. Some thanks also goes to a defense that did not allow a touchdown in the second half for the third straight week. Auburn amassed just 150 yards and three points in the second half after totaling 285 yards and three touchdowns in the first half.

### 2012 at Atlanta, Ga

#### 2012 Game vs. Auburn

#### Clemson 26, Auburn 19

#### September 1, 2012 at Georgia Dome

Clemson snapped a six-game losing streak in the city of Atlanta with a 26-19 win over Auburn in the season opener of the 2012 season. DeAndre Hopkins caught a four-yard scoring pass from Tajh Boyd to put Clemson ahead 23-19 in the fourth period and Chandler Catanzaro booted an 18-yard field goal with 1:24 left to give the Tigers a seven point win. The score was tied 16-16 entering the fourth period.

Hopkins, now a Pro Bowl receiver with the Houston Texans, had a career high and Clemson record at the time 13 catches for 119 yards to lead the Clemson offense. Boyd completed 24-38 passes for 208 yards and a touchdown. Andre Ellington had a career high 228 yards rushing in 25 attempts as the Tigers gained 320 yards rushing and 208 passing for 528 total. It was the fifth most rushing yards in a game in Clemson history and still most rushing yards by a Clemson back under Dabo Swinney. Clemson ran 87 plays to just 64 for Auburn.

Vic Beasley recorded the first sack of his career on Auburn's final drive to ice the victory. Beasley now plays for the Atlanta Falcons so his first career sack came in the stadium he now plays in.

### 2016 at Auburn

#### Clemson 19, Auburn 13

#### At Auburn, Ala.

Jadar Johnson batted down two Auburn last second long pass attempts and Clemson defeated Auburn 19-13 in the 2016 season opener at Auburn. It was Clemson's first win at Auburn since 1951 and first season opening win over a team in the SEC since 1903.

Deshaun Watson passed for 248 yards and a touchdown, while Mike Williams had nine catches for 174 yards. The Clemson defense had three takeaways and allowed just 262 yards total offense.

The game was scoreless after the first period, then Clemson took a 10-3 lead at halftime. After a 53-yard field goal by Auburn, Watson completed three passes to Williams and Wayne Gallman scored from one yard out.

It was still a one-touchdown game entering the fourth period. Hunter Renfrow made the catch of the night on a 16-yard reception from Watson to give the Tigers a 19-6 lead. Auburn scored its only touchdown with 3:22 left and got the ball back with a chance to win. But the Clemson defense stiffened and Johnson batted down passes on consecutive plays to preserve the win.

Auburn held Clemson to 19 points and 399 yards of total offense, the low totals for the 2016 season for the Clemson team.

### Comeback Victories for Clemson and Auburn Recently

Getting off to a good start was not the key to victory in games between Auburn and Clemson in 2010 and 2011.

In the 2010 game at Auburn, Clemson jumped out to a 17-0 lead in the second period. Auburn did not get on the scoreboard until the final play of the first half on a field goal. Auburn then won in overtime, 27-24.

In 2011, Auburn got off to a 21-7 lead in the second period before Clemson scored two touchdowns in the final five minutes of the first half to tie the score at halftime. Clemson actually scored 38 of the last 41 points of the game to win 38-24.

### Clemson and Auburn Historical Ties

- The first three coaches in Clemson football history were Auburn graduates. Walter Riggs, Clemson's first head coach and later University President, was Clemson's head coach in 1896 and 1899. He was an 1893 Auburn graduate. William Williams, Clemson's head coach in 1897, was an 1896 Auburn graduate, while John Penton, Clemson's head coach in 1898, had graduated from Auburn in the spring of 1898.

- John Heisman was not an Auburn graduate, but he came to Clemson from Auburn. He coached at Auburn from 1895-1899 and came to Clemson to coach the 1900-03 era. Heisman was 12-4-2 at Auburn before coming to Clemson. He was 19-3-2 as head coach of the Tigers for those four years. He then left Clemson to become the head coach at Georgia Tech. His .833 winning percentage is the best in Clemson history.

Heisman coached for each school within the first two games of this series. He defeated Clemson for Auburn in 1899 by a 34-0 score, then defeated Auburn as Clemson's head coach by a 16-0 score in 1902.



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•Both schools have a main administration building on campus that is virtually the same architecture. Clemson's Tillman Hall was modeled after Auburn's Langdon Hall. In fact, noted **Atlanta Constitution** columnist and humorist Lewis Grizzard used to refer to Clemson as "Auburn with a Lake."

•Both Clemson and Auburn were among the top programs in college football in the 1980s. Clemson won 87 games in the 1980s and Auburn won 86. Clemson had the fifth best winning percentage in college football in that decade with an 87-25-4 record for a .767 mark. Auburn had the 10<sup>th</sup> best winning percentage with an 86-31-1 record, a .733 winning percentage.

•Bill Oliver was a defensive coordinator at both schools. He served on Clemson's staff under Danny Ford from 1986-89. He then served as Auburn's defensive coordinator against Clemson in the 1998 Chick-fil-A Bowl.

•Cliff Ellis was the head basketball coach at Clemson from 1984-94. He announced his retirement in January of 1994 during his final season at Clemson, then was hired as head coach at Auburn for the 1994-95 season. He led both programs to the Sweet 16 of the NCAA Tournament. He is now the head coach at Coastal Carolina.

•Both schools had a Bowden serve as head coach of their program. Terry Bowden served as head coach at Auburn from 1993-98 and Tommy Bowden coached Clemson from 1999-08. Tommy also served as an assistant coach at Auburn from 1991-96. Terry coached against Clemson for Auburn in the 1997 season Chick-fil-a Bowl and Tommy Bowden coached for Clemson against Auburn in the 2007 season Chick-fil-A Bowl.

•The last coach to lead Auburn to the National Championship was Gene Chizik in 2010. Chizik also coached at Clemson as a graduate assistant in 1988 and 1989. The Tigers finished both seasons with a 10-2 record, and the 1988 team won the ACC Championship.

•Auburn has two assistant coaches who coached at Clemson. Defensive coordinator Kevin Steele was Clemson defensive coordinator from 2009 to 2011. He was Clemson's defensive coordinator against Auburn in 2010 and 2011. He was the defensive coordinator for the Tigers when Clemson won the ACC title in 2011, its first ACC title in 20 years. Herb Hand is an assistant with Auburn now and was a graduate assistant at Clemson in 1999 and 2000.

## Top 15 Battle of Tigers in Death Valley Saturday

Two teams off to an impressive start thanks to a stingy defense and productive running game will do battle in Memorial Stadium on Saturday. Clemson opened its season with a 56-3 win over Kent State last Saturday behind 353 yards rushing, while Auburn opened with a 41-7 win over Georgia Southern thanks to 351 yards rushing.

Both teams put up eye-opening defensive numbers as well. Clemson allowed just 120 yards of total offense, including just one yard passing, and five first downs. Auburn topped that in some categories, allowing just 78 yards of offense, including just 70 yards rushing against a Georgia Southern team that is known for its rushing attack. Georgia Southern had eight first downs, but was 0-15 on third-down conversions.

Auburn had a pair of players rush for exactly 136 yards, as Kerryon Johnson reached that number on 16 carries and scored a touchdown, while Kam Martin had his 136 on 14 rushes and scored a touchdown. Auburn quarterback Jarrett Stidham, a transfer from Baylor, added a rushing touchdown and completed 14-24 passes for 185 yards and two scores.

Clemson's rushing attack was more balanced. Despite rushing for 353 yards, scoring six rushing touchdowns and averaging 8.2 yards a rush, no Tiger had a 100-yard day. Freshman Travis Etienne led the way with eight rushes for 81 yards and a score, while quarterback Kelly Bryant added 7-77 and a score. Tavien Feaster had 6-69 and a score and C.J. Fuller had 7-51 and two touchdowns.

Fifteen different receivers caught passes, including Deon Cain, who had a 61-yard touchdown reception and tight end Milan Richard, who also had 70 yards on two catches. Cornell Powell also had his first career touchdown catch.

## Bryant Has Historic First Game

Clemson has had some pretty good quarterbacks in recent years, but none had as good an opening day performance as Kelly Bryant did against Kent State in terms of total offense. And he did it playing just the first 48 offensive snaps of the game.

Bryant completed 16 of 22 passes for 236 yards and a touchdown, and added 77 yards rushing in just seven attempts and scored

another touchdown. He finished with 313 yards of total offense, one of yard more than Tajh Boyd's previous opening day mark of 312 yards in the opening game of the 2013 season against Georgia.

Bryant had a 61-yard touchdown pass to Deon Cain in the first period and Clemson's second possession that was right on the mark. Clemson had just four pass plays of 60 yards or more all of last season, but it took Bryant just six plays to accomplish a 60-yard completion. He also had a 47-yard run in the second period to set up another score and finished with an 11-yard average.

## Clemson Offense Efficient in Opener

All the talk during the preseason was about the players Clemson had lost on offense from the 2016 National Championship team. Dabo Swinney commented at the annual ACC Football Kickoff in Charlotte that all his questions were about players who weren't at Clemson anymore (Deshaun Watson, Mike Williams, etc.)

But when the media was asked to whom they wanted to speak after last Saturday's win over Kent State, 11 of the 12 different players requested were offensive players.

Clemson had 665 yards of total offense against Kent State, most ever in a season opener and fifth most in any game in Clemson history. It was the 19<sup>th</sup> game in school history in which Clemson had at least 600 yards, but just the fourth in which Clemson had at least 300 yards passing and 300 rushing in the same game.

The Tigers finished with 312 passing and 353 rushing for the 665 total. The only other games in school history Clemson has had at least 300 of each were against NC State in 2012 (328 rush, 426 pass), Duke in 2012 (334 rush, 384 pass), and Central Michigan in 2007 (341 rush, 315 pass). So, Dabo Swinney has been the head coach in three of the four games Clemson has had at least 300 yards rushing and 300 yards passing.

Clemson jumped off to quite a start with two touchdowns in the first five minutes and 21 points in the first period. It was the first time on record Clemson scored two touchdowns in the first five minutes of the season and the first time since 2000 Clemson had at least 21 points in the **first period of the season**.

In terms of game totals, the 56 points were the most in a season opener since 1990 (59-0 win over Long Beach State), and the 665 yards were the most in a season opener in history. The previous record for a season opener total offense was 567 against The Citadel in 1978.

## Games Clemson Had 300 Yards Rushing and 300 Yards Passing

Clemson had 665 yards of total offense in the season opening win over Kent State. That broke down to 353 rushing and 312 passing. The total offense figure was the fifth best in school history and it marked just the fourth time that Clemson had at least 300 yards rushing and passing in the same game.

Clemson's Top Total Offense Games in History

Year	Opponent	W-L	Site	PI	Rush-Pass	Tot
1981	Wake Forest	W	H	87	536-220	756
<b>2012</b>	<b>NC State</b>	<b>W</b>	<b>H</b>	<b>102</b>	<b>328-426</b>	<b>754</b>
2014	SC State	W	H	93	268-467	735
<b>2012</b>	<b>Duke</b>	<b>W</b>	<b>A</b>	<b>81</b>	<b>334-384</b>	<b>718</b>
<b>2017</b>	<b>Kent State</b>	<b>W</b>	<b>H</b>	<b>78</b>	<b>353-312</b>	<b>665</b>
<b>2007</b>	<b>C. Michigan</b>	<b>W</b>	<b>H</b>	<b>88</b>	<b>341-315</b>	<b>656</b>
2016	Pittsburgh	L	H	95	50-580	630
2011	Auburn	W	H	92	238-386	624
2013	Syracuse	W	A	77	156-468	624
2000	Wake Forest	W	H	87	436-187	623
2015	NC State	W	A	80	240-383	623
2016	South Carolina	W	H	89	250-372	622

Games with 300 passing and rushing in bold.

## Clemson Played 91 Players against Kent State

Clemson played 91 players against Kent State in the season opener. The only game the Tigers have played more in history (on record) took place last year when Clemson played 93 against South Carolina State.

The list included eight true freshmen and 30 players who played in their first game for the Tigers.



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## Most Players in a Game under Dabo Swinney

Year	Opponent	W-L	CU-Opp	Players
2016	S.C State	W	73-7	93
<b>2017</b>	<b>Kent State</b>	<b>W</b>	<b>56-3</b>	<b>91</b>
2016	Syracuse	W	54-0	86
2013	S.C State	W	52-13	83
2016	South Carolina	W	56-7	81
2012	Ball State	W	52-27	81

## Dabo vs. Auburn

Clemson Head Coach Dabo Swinney is a 1993 graduate of the University of Alabama, so playing against Auburn is special to the Tigers mentor. He played in three games against Auburn as a student at Alabama, the games of 1990, 1991 and 1992. Alabama won all three of those games, including by a 17-0 score in 1992, the year Alabama won the National Championship.

As a graduate assistant coach and a full-time assistant at Alabama, the Crimson Tide had a 4-4 record with Swinney on the sidelines against the Auburn Tigers. That includes a 28-17 victory in 1999.

Swinney has coached against Auburn five times since he has been at Clemson, an overtime loss to Auburn in the Chick-Fil-A Bowl that ended the 2007 season **as an assistant**, then the four games as head coach since 2010. Clemson has won three of those four. The 2011 Clemson win at Clemson ended Auburn's 17-game winning streak and came against the defending National Championship team. Now Auburn will try to return the favor playing against a Clemson team that won the National Championship last year.

Swinney has been successful on offense against Auburn as a head coach. The Tigers have averaged 27 points per game in the four games Swinney has been head coach against Auburn. More impressively, the Tigers have averaged 85 plays for 490 yards in the four games. It breaks down to 48 rushes for 224 yards and 23-36 passing for 266 yards per game. Clemson has averaged 27 first downs the last four games against Auburn.

So, overall, Swinney is 10-6 as a player and coach against Auburn. This does not count a 1989 loss to Auburn when Swinney was on the Alabama roster as a freshman walk-on, but he did not play in the game.

### Swinney vs. Auburn (10-6)

Year	Role	Site	W	L	AL-AU
1990	Player	Birmingham	W		16-7
1991	Player	Birmingham	W		13-6
1992	Player	Birmingham	W		17-0
1993	Grad Ast	Auburn		L	14-22
1994	Grad Ast	Birmingham	W		21-14
1995	Grad Ast	Auburn		L	27-31
1996	Ast Coach	Birmingham	W		24-23
1997	Ast Coach	Auburn		L	17-18
1998	Ast Coach	Birmingham	W		31-17
1999	Ast Coach	Auburn	W		28-17
2000	Ast Coach	Tuscaloosa		L	0-9
2007	Ast Coach	Atlanta		L	#20-23
2010	Head Coach	Auburn		L	#24-27
2011	Head Coach	Clemson	W		38-24
2012	Head Coach	Atlanta	W		26-19
2016	Head Coach	Auburn	W		19-13

#Overtime

### Swinney Offense vs. Auburn

Year	FD	Rush-Yds	Passing	Total Offense
2010	27	47-187	20-34-339	81-407
2011	32	50-238	30-42-386	92-624
2012	28	52-320	24-35-208	87-528
2016	19	44-151	19-34-248	78-399
Totals	106	193-896	93-145-1062	338-1958
Ave.	26.5	48-224	23-36-266	85-490

## Clemson Offensive Players Have History of Big Games vs. Auburn

While Clemson and Auburn have not played that often, especially in recent years, the Tigers have had some big individual performances against the Tigers from Alabama. Two of the first three times Clemson had games in which it had a 100-yard rusher and a 100-yard receiver were against Auburn (1947 and 1950).

Clemson has had a 100-yard rusher or 100-yard receiver in each of the last four games against Auburn.

Here are some of Clemson's greatest individual performances against Auburn over the years:

\*In 1947, Bobby Gage had 374 yards of total offense, a record that lasted until 1999 when Woody Dantzler broke it in a game at Maryland. Gage threw for 233 yards and rushed for 141 in a 34-18 Clemson 1947 win. In that same game Henry Walker had 10 catches for 148 yards, a receiving yardage record that lasted until 1974.

\*Fred Cone had a career high 163 yards rushing in 33 carries in Clemson's 41-0 win over Auburn in 1950.

\*In 1951, Larry Gressette had 26-177 rushing at Auburn in a 34-0 Clemson victory. Receiver Glenn Smith had six catches for 114 yards for the Tigers.

\*Andre Ellington, now with the Arizona Cardinals, had a pair of big games against Auburn. First he had 140 yards rushing against an Auburn team that would win the 2010 National Championship team in an overtime loss at Auburn. In 2012 in Atlanta, Ellington had 25 carries for 228 yards in a 26-19 Clemson. It is still the fifth most rushing yards by a Clemson player in history and the most by a Tiger back in this decade.

\*Tajh Boyd completed 30-42 passes for 386 yards and four touchdowns in Clemson's 38-24 victory over defending National Champion Auburn in 2011.

\*In that same game freshman receiver Sammy Watkins had 10 catches for 155 yards.

•DeAndre Hopkins had a then record 13 receptions for 119 yards in Clemson's win over Auburn at the Georgia Dome in 2012.

\*Mike Williams had nine catches for 174 yards in Clemson's win at Auburn last year.

## Swinney Has 11 Wins over SEC Teams Best Among Non-SEC Coaches

Dabo Swinney has 11 wins over SEC teams in his coaching career dating to his final game as an interim coach when he defeated South Carolina and Steve Spurrier, 31-14 at Clemson. That victory led to his hiring as the full time Clemson coach the Monday after that victory.

Swinney's 11 wins over SEC teams are the most by any non-SEC coach since 2008. Jimbo Fisher of Florida State is second with nine and Paul Johnson of Georgia Tech is third with eight. No other coach has more than four.

Swinney's list of wins over SEC teams includes five over top 25 teams. That includes a win over No. 19 (USA Today) Auburn in 2011, a No. 25 Auburn team in 2012 and the 19-13 win over an Auburn team that would finish last season in the top 25. Auburn is ranked entering this game.

Swinney's list of wins over SEC teams includes four over South Carolina, three over Auburn, and one over Kentucky, LSU, Georgia and Alabama. So he has already beaten six different SEC programs in his nine previous years as Clemson head coach. He has won five of his last six vs. the SEC, including three in 2016, the most wins over SEC teams in Clemson history for a single season.

### Dabo Swinney Wins vs. the SEC (11)

Year	Opponent (Rk)	W-L	CU-Opp
2008	South Carolina	W	31-14
2009	Kentucky (N)	W	21-13
2011	Auburn (21,19)	W	38-24
2012	Auburn (N) (NR, 25)	W	26-19*
	LSU (N) (9,7)	W	25-24
2013	Georgia (5,5)	W	38-35
2014	South Carolina	W	35-17
2015	at South Carolina	W	37-32
2016	at Auburn	W	19-13
	South Carolina	W	56-7
	Alabama (1,1)	W	35-31

## Most Non-conference coaching wins vs. SEC since 2008

Coach, School	Wins
Dabo Swinney, Clemson	11
Jimbo Fisher, Florida State	9
Paul Johnson, Georgia Tech	8
Bobby Petrino, Louisville	4
Bob Stoops, Oklahoma	4
Charlie Strong, Louisville	4
Pat Fitzgerald, Northwestern	3

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## Celebrating 75 Years in Memorial Stadium

Clemson is celebrating 75 years in Memorial Stadium this year. The program opened play in this facility on September 19, 1942 with a victory over Presbyterian. Since then Clemson has posted a record of 289-102-7 for 75 seasons plus one game.

The Kent State game to open the 2016 season was the 398<sup>th</sup> game in the facility. The Auburn contest will be number 399 and the Boston College contest on September 26 will mark the 400<sup>th</sup> college game played in this facility (the Carolina Panthers played eight regular season and two exhibition games here in 1995).

Below are some facts about Clemson in Memorial Stadium:

## Facts on Clemson in Memorial Stadium

- Including last week's win over Kent State, Clemson is now 289-102-7 for a .734 winning percentage in Death Valley.
- Clemson had a school record 21-game winning home streak broken last year by Pittsburgh in the Panthers 43-42 win over the Tigers on November 12.
- The record crowd for the stadium is 86,092 established on October 23, 1999 when Florida State beat Clemson 17-14 in the first Bowden Bowl.
- Clemson has ranked in the top 20 in the nation in average home attendance 35 consecutive seasons.
- Dabo Swinney is 53-7 at home since he became head coach in the middle of the 2008 season.
- Clemson won the first game played in the facility on September 19, 1942, a 32-13 win over Presbyterian.
- Over the last seven seasons (including 2017), Clemson is 40-3 at Memorial Stadium.

## Parker and Billy Davis Honorary Captains

Former Clemson quarterback Kyle Parker and former defensive back and punt returner Billy Davis will serve as honorary captains for the Clemson vs. Auburn game.

Parker is among the greatest two-sport athletes in Clemson history. During 2009-10 he became the first athlete in Division I history to throw at least 20 touchdown passes on the gridiron and hit 20 home runs on the baseball diamond in the same academic year. Parker quarterbacked the 2009 Clemson football team to its first ACC Championship game appearance, then led the baseball team to its most recent College World Series appearance. After playing in the Major Leagues in 2014 and 2015, Parker is back at Clemson to finish his degree requirements.

Davis also played football and baseball for the Tigers from the 1980-83 era. He was a starting safety on the 1983 team that finished with 9-1-1 record. He was the top punt returner on the 1981 National Championship team and had 47-yard return against Nebraska in the Orange Bowl. Davis played one year in the NFL and then had a 27-year career in the Secret Service.

## Nine Clemson Players Ranked among top 125 for 2017

While Clemson lost some outstanding players off its 2016 National Championship team, the Tigers do return some talented athletes according to four nationally recognized media agencies. Nine current Clemson players are ranked among the top 125 for 2017 by at least one national service that covers college football.

Six of the nine are on the defensive side of the ball, including three defensive linemen. Six of the nine are either offensive or defensive linemen, indicating the Tigers could be strong in the trenches in 2017. ESPN and XM Radio analyst Tom Luginbill ranked his top offensive and defensive lines nationally in August and had Clemson ranked first at both positions.

Sophomore defensive tackle Dexter Lawrence is ranked in the top 20 nationally according to all four services. The 2016 unanimous Freshman All-American is ranked as the eighth best overall player in the nation by Sporting News, 12<sup>th</sup> by Sports Illustrated, 17<sup>th</sup> by ESPN and 18<sup>th</sup> by NFL.com. Lawrence set a Clemson true freshman record for sacks last year with seven and ranked second among Clemson defensive linemen in total tackles with 78.

Lawrence's runningmate at defensive tackle is Christian Wilkins. The junior earned first-team All-America honors last year as a defensive end when he had 56 tackles, including 13 tackles for loss and a Clemson defensive lineman record 10 passes broken up. Wilkins is ranked eighth nationally by ESPN, 30<sup>th</sup> by Sports Illustrated and Sporting News and 36<sup>th</sup> by NFL.com.

Mitch Hyatt, Deon Cain and Kendall Joseph are all on multiple

lists, while Clelin Ferrell, Tyrone Crowder, Van Smith and Mark Fields are on one apiece.

## Summary of Top 125 Rankings by Clemson Player for 2017

**Dexter Lawrence**, So, DT, #8 by Sporting News; No. 12 by Sports Illustrated; No. 17 by ESPN; No. 18 by NFL.com.

**Christian Wilkins**, Jr, DT, #8 by ESPN; #30 by Sporting News; #30 by Sports Illustrated; #36 by NFL.com.

**Mitch Hyatt**, Jr, OT, #27 by NFL.com; #35 by Sporting News; #58 by Sports Illustrated.

**Deon Cain**, Jr, WR, #55 by NFL.com; #67 by Sports Illustrated

**Kendall Joseph**, Jr., LB, #73 by NFL.com; #73 by Sports Illustrated.

**Clelin Ferrell**, Soph, DE, #33 by Sports Illustrated.

**Van Smith**, Jr., FS, #116 by NFL.com

**Mark Fields**, Soph, CB, #124 by NFL.com

**Tyrone Crowder**, Gr., OG, #125 by NFL.com

## Clemson Fifth in Preseason Polls

Clemson was fifth in the preseason college football poll released by the Associated Press on August 21. The Tigers were also fifth in the preseason Amway Coaches Poll released earlier in August. Clemson did not receive a first-place vote in the AP poll, but did have seven first place votes from the coaches.

Alabama was ranked No. 1 by the Associated Press voters and received 52 of the 61 first place votes. Ohio State was ranked second and Florida State was third. Clemson defeated all three of those teams last year and in fact handed all three their last loss of the season. Southern California was fourth, followed by the Tigers in fifth, Penn State was sixth, Oklahoma was seventh, Washington was eighth, Wisconsin was ninth and Oklahoma State was 10<sup>th</sup>.

Clemson faces four of the AP preseason top 25, including Auburn (#12), Louisville (#16) and Virginia Tech (#21) in the first month of the season. The Tigers play Louisville and Virginia Tech on the road. Florida State comes to Clemson on November 11. The ACC has five teams in the top 25.

This marks the sixth consecutive year Clemson has been ranked in the preseason top 25. This No. 5 ranking is the fourth highest preseason AP ranking in school history. The program was ranked second in the preseason by AP and the Amway Coaches last year. Clemson was No. 4 in the AP preseason poll for 1984 and 1988. Clemson was 11<sup>th</sup> by AP and ninth by the coaches in the preseason 1982 poll, the last time the Tigers were coming off a National Championship.

## 2017 Associated Press Preseason Top 25

1. Alabama, 2. Ohio State, 3. Florida State, 4. Southern California, 5. Clemson, 6. Penn State, 7. Oklahoma, 8. Washington, 9. Wisconsin, 10. Oklahoma State, 11. Michigan, 12. Auburn, 13. LSU, 14. Stanford, 15. Georgia, 16. Louisville, 17. Florida, 18. Miami, 19. USF, 20. Kansas State, 21. Virginia Tech, 22. West Virginia, 23. Texas, 24. Washington State, 25. Tennessee.

## Exceeding Expectations Six Years in a Row

Clemson has equaled or exceeded its postseason AP and USA Today rankings in comparison to its preseason rankings each of the last six years. That was quite an accomplishment in 2016 as Clemson was No. 2 in the preseason of both polls and had to finish No. 1 to exceed the preseason rankings. Well, the Tigers accomplished that by winning the national championship.

Clemson has exceeded its preseason ranking each of the last six years in the USA Today Coaches poll and has exceeded its preseason ranking in the AP poll five of the six. Clemson was picked eighth in the AP preseason poll in 2013 and finished eighth. Dabo Swinney is the first coach in history with a six-year streak in that area. John Cooper of Ohio State and Bill Snyder of Kansas State had five-year streaks.

## Clemson Preseason vs. Postseason polls 2011-16

Year	AP Pre-Post	USA Pre-Post
2011	NR-22	NR-22
2012	14-11	14-9
2013	8-8	8-7
2014	16-15	16-15
2015	12-2	12-2
2016	2-1	2-1



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## Clemson's Impressive Winningest Era

Clemson has had an incredible run over the last six years. The Tigers have won 32 of their last 34 games dating to 2014 thanks to winning its last three games of 2014, then a pair of 14-1 seasons in 2015 and 2016. That streak includes winning 17 of the last 18 games against ACC teams with the only loss coming to Pittsburgh last year, 43-42 on the last play of the game.

Clemson also has a streak of 10 straight wins on the road and 10 straight away from home against ACC teams. That streak will be tested September 16 when the Tigers travel to Louisville.

## Clemson Football Stretches of Excellence Entering 2017

- Won 32 of last 34 overall dating to 2014
- Won 17 of last 18 against ACC Teams
- Won 10 straight away from home vs. ACC Teams
- Won 10 straight true road games overall
- Won 16 of last 17 games away from home overall
- Won 23 of last 24 and 40 of last 43 at home
- Won 17 straight vs. ACC Atlantic
- Won 9 in a row in September
- Won 14 in a row in October
- Won 7 in a row in December
- Won 47 of last 48 vs. unranked teams
- Won 10 of last 11 vs. Top 25 teams (ranked in at least one poll)
- Won 19 of last 20 vs. teams that would end their season in a bowl game
- Won 22 of last 24 vs. bowl teams dating to 2014 season
- Won 46 straight games when holding teams under 23 points (dates to 2010)
- Won 32 in a row when holding teams to less than 40 points.

## Poll Streaks

(Will Updated on Tuesday)

Clemson has been ranked in the top 25 in each of the last 37 AP polls, the fourth longest active streak in the nation entering the 2017 season. But, 25 of those rankings have been in the top five, the longest active streak of top fives in the nation. Alabama is second with a 23-poll streak in the top five.

Clemson's 27-poll streak of top 10 rankings is tied for second with Alabama. Ohio State has the longest streak of top 10s with 38.

Clemson has been ranked in 92 of the 99 polls since the 2011 season, fourth best in the nation. Only Alabama has been ranked in every poll over the last six years, 99-99. Oklahoma is second with 95 poll appearances and Florida State is third with 93 of the 99.

In terms of appearances in the College Football Playoff polls, Clemson has been in the top 25 of all 19 held so far in the three years of the system. Clemson, Alabama, Ohio State, Florida State and Utah are the five schools that have been in all 19 polls over the last three years. Clemson was ranked No. 1 in all six polls in 2015. Ironically, Clemson was never No. 1 in any College Football Playoff poll in 2016, but then won the National Championship.

### Longest Active top 25 AP Poll Streaks

Rk	School	Polls	Years
1.	Alabama	148	2008-17
2.	Florida State	86	2011-17
3.	Ohio State	83	2012-17
4.	<b>Clemson</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>2014-17</b>
5.	Michigan	29	2015-17
6.	Louisville	17	2016-17
	Washington	17	2016-17
8.	Wisconsin	16	2016-17
9.	Florida	15	2016-17
10.	Oklahoma	12	2016-17
	West Virginia	12	2016-17
12.	Auburn	11	2016-17
13.	LSU	10	2016-17

### Longest Active Top 10 AP Poll Streaks

Rk	School	Polls	Years
1.	Ohio State	39	2014-17
2.	<b>Clemson</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>2015-17</b>
	Alabama	28	2015-17
4.	Washington	16	2016-17
5.	Wisconsin	8	2016-17
6.	Oklahoma	7	2016-17

7.	Penn State	6	2016-17
8.	Southern California	4	2016-17
9.	Florida State	3	2016-17
10.	Oklahoma State	1	2017

### Longest Active Top 5 AP Poll Streaks

Rk	School	Polls	Years
1.	<b>Clemson</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>2015-17</b>
2.	Alabama	23	2015-17
3.	Southern California	2	2016-17
4.	Florida State	1	2017
	Ohio State	1	2017

### Most Appearances in the College Football Playoff Poll top 25

(Poll began in 2014)

Rk	School	App-Polls	High
1.	<b>Clemson</b>	<b>19-19</b>	<b>1</b>
	Alabama	19-19	1
	Ohio State	19-19	2
	Florida State	19-19	2
	Utah	19-19	10
6.	Oklahoma	17-19	3
7.	LSU	15-19	2
8.	Baylor	14-19	5
	Wisconsin	14-19	6
10.	Michigan State	13-19	3
	TCU	13-19	3
	Auburn	13-19	3

### Dabo Swinney Accomplishments

- With the win over Alabama Dabo Swinney moved into third place in ACC history in terms of winning percentage. Now 90-28 for a .763 percentage at Clemson, he moved ahead of Danny Ford with the National Championship win over Alabama.
- Swinney moved into second place on the ACC coaching list for bowl victories. He now has seven (7-4) and trails only the 11 bowl wins Bobby Bowden won as an ACC coach (1992-2009).
- Swinney joined Bud Wilkinson as the only people to play on and serve as head coach of a team that won the **Associated Press** National Championship. Wilkinson played on the 1936 Minnesota team that was the first AP National Champion, and was head coach of Oklahoma teams of 1951, 1955 and 1956 that won titles. Swinney played on the 1992 Alabama team that won the AP national title.
- Dabo Swinney is the first coach to beat his alma mater in a postseason game to win the National Championship. At 47 he is the youngest coach to win the National championship since Urban Meyer was 44 when he won the title with Florida in 2008.
- Swinney now has 20 wins over top 25 teams as Clemson head coach, tied for the most in Clemson history with Danny Ford, who had 20 between 1978-89.
- Swinney is the first Clemson coach to beat the nation's #1 and #2 teams. He did it in consecutive games to win the National Championship in the College Football Playoff.
- With the victory over Alabama, Dabo Swinney has won six bowl games over coaches who already had a national championship on their resume over the last five years. He is the only coach in college football history to do it in bowl games.
- Clemson has won 49 games in the last four years, the most in a four-year period in Clemson history and tied for the most in ACC history.

### Swinney Signs New Contract

Clemson University and Head Football Coach Dabo Swinney have agreed to a new eight-year contract through 2024, the athletic department announced August 25, 2017. The terms of the contract were approved by the Clemson University Board of Trustees Compensation Committee.

"Dabo's impact on our football program, our university and our community is immeasurable and goes well beyond the on-field successes and national championship," said Director of Athletics Dan Radakovich. "This new agreement demonstrates our strong commitment to Dabo and our confidence in his leadership now—and in the future—and his long-term commitment to Clemson. We are thrilled that he and his family will be a part of the Clemson Family for years to come."

Swinney has compiled an 89-28 record over his first nine seasons (eight full seasons) in Clemson, earning the Bear Bryant National



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Coach of the Year Award in 2015 and 2016 and the Atlantic Coast Conference Coach of the Year honors in 2009 and 2015. The Tigers have posted a 54-15 record in Atlantic Coast Conference games since Swinney took over, and advanced to postseason bowls every year. The Tigers captured the 2016 College Football Playoff National Championship after playing in the title game in 2015, and have recorded an impressive 70-13 record over the past six seasons.

During Swinney's nine seasons, 157 of 162 senior lettermen have earned their degrees, including eight current members of the football team. His teams have finished among the nation's Top 10 in the NCAA's Academic Progress Report five of the past six years, and a school-record 58 football student-athletes posted a grade point average of 3.0 or above during the 2017 spring semester.

"I want to thank President Clements, Dan Radakovich and his team, the Board of Trustees, and the entire Clemson family," Swinney said. "My family and I have been extremely blessed to be part of such an incredible university and community for the past 14 years. This contract makes a strong statement. It is a mutual commitment reflective of the program we have built and continue to build at Clemson. The Clemson family does so much to support our program and I couldn't be more proud to be your head coach."

## Swinney Has Beaten National Championship Coach Five Years in Row

When Dabo Swinney and the Tigers defeated Urban Meyer and the Ohio State Buckeyes on New Year's Eve, it gave Swinney a bowl win in five consecutive seasons. But these are not run of the mill bowl wins. Swinney became the first coach in college football history to defeat a coach in a bowl game who already had a national championship on his resume. He then added to the accomplishment by beating Nick Saban and Alabama in the National Championship game in Tampa.

Clemson has five wins in bowl games over teams ranked in the top 10 in the nation over the last five years, more than any other school. Alabama is second with four wins over top 10 teams in bowl games since 2012. Clemson has more top 10 wins in bowl games over the last five years than all the other ACC teams combined. Florida State has two, Georgia Tech has one and Louisville has one since 2012.

### Swinney Bowl Wins last Five Years

Year	Opponent	Cu-Opp	Opposing Coach
2012	LSU	25-24	Les Miles
2013	Ohio State	40-35	Urban Meyer
2014	Oklahoma	40-6	Bob Stoops
2015	Oklahoma	37-17	Bob Stoops
2016	Ohio State	31-0	Urban Meyer
	Alabama	35-31	Nick Saban

## Swinney Sixth Among Winningest Active Coaches

Clemson Head Coach Dabo Swinney is sixth among active coaches in terms of winning percentage (min. 5 years). Swinney has a 89-28 overall record as a head coach, a .761 percentage. He is just behind Nick Saban's .770 figure. Urban Meyer is first at .851 and Jimbo Fisher is second at .821. It is interesting to note that Swinney defeated three of the five coaches ahead of him in the rankings last season, Meyer, Fisher and Saban. Those three coaches are ranked in the top three of the preseason poll for 2017 and Swinney and the Tigers handed each their final loss of 2016.

Swinney has defeated six of the other nine coaches on the list since 2013.

With 11 wins this year, Swinney can become just the fourth coach to win 100 games in his first 10 years. He has 89 entering the season. Only Bob Stoops, Chris Petersen and Urban Meyer have had 100 wins in their first 10 years.

## Winningest Active FBS Coaches

Rk	Coach, School	Years	W-L	Pct.
1.	Urban Meyer, Ohio State	15	166-29-0	.851
2.	Chris Petersen, Washington	11	120-26	.822
3.	Jimbo Fisher, Florida State	7	78-18	.813
4.	David Shaw, Stanford	6	66-17	.795
5.	Nick Saban, Alabama	21	206-61-1	.771
6.	<b>Dabo Swinney, Clemson</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>90-28</b>	<b>.763</b>
7.	Mark Richt, Miami	16	155-55	.738
8.	Gary Patterson, TCU	17	150-54	.735
9.	Brian Kelley, Notre Dame	27	231-88-2	.723
10.	Bobby Petrino, Louisville	12	110-43	.719

## Most Wins by FBS Coach first 10 Years

Rk	Coach, School	Year	W-L	Pct
1.	Bob Stoops, Oklahoma	1999-08	109-24	.820
2.	Chris Petersen, Boise St, Washington	2006-15	107-24	.817
3.	Urban Meyer, Bowling Gr, Utah, Fla.	2001-10	104-23	.819
4.	Paul Johnson, Ga. Southern, Navy	1997-06	99-35	.739
5.	Barry Switzer, Oklahoma	1973-82	98-17-3	.843
6.	Tom Osborne, Nebraska	1973-82	96-24-2	.795
	Mark Richt, Georgia	2001-10	96-34	.738
8.	Phillip Fulmer, Tennessee	1992-01	95-20	.826
9.	Lloyd Carr, Michigan	1995-04	95-28	.772

Dabo Swinney, Clemson, 2008-17  
(Through 9 years) 90-28 .763

## Swinney Has Seven Bowl Wins in Nine Years

Clemson Head Coach Dabo Swinney has coached in four bowl games the last two years and has won three of them, all over top four ranked teams. Swinney now has seven bowl wins in his relatively short Clemson career, the most in Clemson history and the second most in ACC history.

With the wins over Ohio State and Alabama in the College Football Playoff, Swinney became Clemson's career leader in bowl wins, breaking the previous mark of six held by Danny Ford. Ford and Frank Beamer of Virginia Tech were tied for second behind the 11 of Bobby Bowden entering this year. But Swinney now has seven, including five over top 10 teams over the last five years, most in the nation.

## Dabo Swinney's 20 Ranked Wins over Top 25 Teams

Dabo Swinney has 20 wins over top 25 teams in his Clemson career. He is tied with former Clemson coach Danny Ford, who had a 20-12-2 record against top 25 teams from 1978-89. He will get a chance to break that mark when Clemson faces Auburn on Sept. 9.

Swinney has recorded nine wins over top 25 teams over the last two years, four in 2015 and five in 2016. That includes six top 10 wins, four of whom are top five.

For his nine seasons as Clemson coach, Swinney has six top five wins, 12 top 10, 15 top 15, and 17 top 20. Only seven of the 20 have been at home, three on the opponent's home field and 10 at neutral site.

Swinney is 9-1 over the last two years against top 25 teams with the only loss coming to Alabama by five points in the National Championship game at the end of the 2015 season.

### Dabo Swinney 20 Wins over Top 25 Teams

Year	Opponent	AP-C	Cu-Opp
2009	at Miami	8-9	#40-37
2010	NC State	23-25	14-13
2011	Auburn	21-19	38-24
	Florida State	11-14	35-30
	At Virginia Tech	11-10	23-3
	N-Virginia Tech	5-3	38-10
2012	N-Auburn	NR-25	26-19
	N-LSU	9-7	25-24
2013	Georgia	5-5	38-35
	N-Ohio State	7-6	40-35
2014	N-Oklahoma	NR-24	40-6
2015	Notre Dame	6-7	24-22
	Florida State	17-15	23-13
	N-North Carolina	8-8	45-37
	N-Oklahoma	4-3	37-17
2016	Louisville	3-4	42-36
	at Florida State	12-14	37-34
	N-Virginia Tech	19-18	42-35
	N-Ohio State	2-2	31-0
	N-Alabama	1-1	35-31

#overtime

## Swinney Joins Wilkinson with Rare Distinction

When Clemson Head Coach Dabo Swinney won the National Championship as head coach over Alabama, he joined Bud Wilkinson as the only coaches to have played on an AP National Championship team and served as head coach of an AP National Championship team.

Swinney played on Alabama's 1992 season National Championship team as a wide receiver. That team defeated Miami (FL) for the ti-





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tle in the 1993 Sugar Bowl. Now Swinney has a chance to lead Clemson to the national title as head coach.

Wilkinson played as a quarterback on the University of Minnesota's 1936 team that was proclaimed national champion by the Associated Press in 1936. That was the first year of the AP poll. As a head coach at Oklahoma, Wilkinson led the Sooners to AP national titles in 1950, 1955 and 1956.

Two other coaches have national championships as players and as coaches on their resume's, but the titles are not recognized by the Associated Press.

Frank Leahy played at Notre Dame under Knute Rockne from 1928-30 and the Irish won the national championship in 1929 and 1930 according to the Helms Foundation, the top poll in that area. The AP poll had not started yet. He later coached Notre Dame to AP national titles in 1943, 46, 47, 49.

Bear Bryant played on an Alabama team in 1934 that was recognized as a national champion by some organizations, but again the AP poll hadn't started yet. He coached Alabama to AP titles in 1961, 64, 65, 78, 79.

## National Champions as Player and Head Coach

Person	As Player	As Head Coach
Bear Bryant	Alabama (1934)	#Alabama (1961, 64, 65, 78, 79)
Bud Wilkinson	#Minnesota (1936)	#Oklahoma (1950, 55, 56)
Frank Leahy	Notre Dame (1929,30)	#Notre Dame (1943, 46, 48, 49)
Jimmy Johnson	Arkansas (1964)	#Miami (1987)

#Recognized by Associated Press

## Clemson New Coaches on Defense

Mickey Conn and Todd Bates have joined the Clemson on-field defensive football staff for the 2017 football season. The openings on the staff developed when defensive tackles coach Dan Brooks retired after the season, and defensive line coach Marion Hobby accepted a position as the defensive line coach of the Jacksonville Jaguars.

Conn, a teammate with Swinney on Alabama's 1992 National Championship team, was on Clemson's staff this past season as senior defensive analyst and is set to coach the safeties and work closely with Mike Reed, who will coach the cornerbacks.

Bates will coach the defensive line and comes to Clemson after three years coaching the same unit at Jacksonville State, a top 10 program in recent years at the FCS level.

Conn came to Clemson from Grayson High School in Georgia where he started the program in 2000 and coached for 16 years. He had a record of 137-48 and took the program to seven region championships. He won at least 10 games in eight of his last nine seasons, including a 13-1 record in 2015.

Conn led the Rams to the State Championship in 2011 when one of his running backs was Wayne Gallman, who just finished his career fifth in rushing in Clemson history. Current Tiger Ryan Carter and former Clemson quarterback Nick Schuessler were also developed under Conn at Grayson.

A 2005 Alabama graduate, Bates completed his third season at Jacksonville State as defensive line coach in 2016. In his three seasons the Gamecocks were 33-6 overall, 23-0 in the Ohio Valley with three conference championships. It marked the first time an Ohio Valley team had three perfect conference seasons in succession.

Jacksonville State finished the 2016 season with a 10-2 record and a No. 6 final ranking in the FCS Coaches Poll. They advanced to the FCS Playoffs where they lost to finalist Youngstown State. Their only regular season loss was at LSU.

Bates was part of a defensive staff that helped Jacksonville State to a No. 4 national ranking at the FCS level in total defense, allowing 275 yards per game. The Gamecocks were also second in pass efficiency defense, fifth in rush defense, seventh in sacks, seventh in total interceptions, seventh in scoring defense and eighth in tackles for loss.

Bates played at the University of Alabama from 2001-2004. He was the only true freshman to play for the Tide in 2001. Over his career he was selected SEC Defensive Player of the Week twice, and named permanent team captain for the 2004 season. After college, Bates played for the Tennessee Titans as a defensive end from 2005 through the 2006 season.

## Clemson Team Academic Notes of 2016-17

•Thirteen Clemson football student-athletes, including five All-Americans, earned their undergraduate degrees during graduation

ceremonies at Littlejohn Coliseum in December, 2016. The All-Americans who earned degrees were Deshaun Watson, Mike Williams, Jordan Leggett, Ben Boulware and Carlos Watkins. It marked the first time in Clemson football history five on the field All-Americans graduated in the same day.

•An additional three players had received their undergraduate degrees prior to the 2016 season, so 16 Clemson players already had their undergraduate degree when Clemson won the National Championship on January 9.

•Clemson had four team members named to the Academic All-ACC team in 2016. That list included Deshaun Watson, Ben Boulware, Christian Wilkins and Dexter Lawrence. The first three student-athletes were All-Americans on the field and Lawrence was named a unanimous freshman All-American.

•In Coach Dabo Swinney's time as Clemson head coach he has had 162 seniors and 157 of them have earned their college degrees.

•Clemson is the only school in the nation to rank in the top 15 of APR scores and in the top 15 of both college football polls each of the last six years.

•Clemson ranked second to Stanford nationally in academic success in a ranking of the top 25 college football teams for 2016. The academic ranking is based on the graduation success rate.

•Forty-eight members of the Clemson football team made the academic honor roll during the fall of 2016 when the Tigers were making their run to the National Championship, tied for the most in any semester in Clemson history. Then, in the spring 58 made the list, the most in any semester in Clemson history.

•A total of 103 underclassmen filed for the 2017 NFL draft. Eight of the 103 had their college degrees when they filed. Four of the eight played for Clemson in 2016 (Wayne Gallman, Deshaun Watson, Artavis Scott and Mike Williams).

•Twenty-nine former Clemson football players who played their senior year at Clemson were on NFL rosters in 2016. Twenty-five of them have their degree from Clemson a .862 graduation rate.

•Clemson quarterback Deshaun Watson was the recipient of the 2016 Bobby Bowden Award. It is presented each year to the top student-athlete in college football.

•Watson also won a Weaver-James-Corrigan honorary scholarship from the Atlantic Coast Conference in 2017. He was the only male student-athlete at Clemson so honored and one of just six football players in the ACC to win the award.

•Eight current Tigers already have undergraduate degrees. Those players are Ryan Carters (starting CB), Marcus Edmond (starting CB), Justin Falcinelli (starting center), Tyrone Crowder (starting OG), Dorian O'Daniel (starting LB), Pat Godfrey (reserve center), D.J. Greenlee (reserve TE), and Marverick Morris (reserve OL).

## Lawrence and Wilkins Named Preseason AP All-Americans

Clemson starting defensive tackles Dexter Lawrence and Christian Wilkins were both named to the Associated Press Preseason All-America team in August. Lawrence was named first-team and Wilkins second-team according to the panel of media from around the nation who vote in the Associated Press poll.

Lawrence was the ACC Freshman Defensive Player of the Year in 2016 when he had 78 tackles, fifth on the team. He had seven sacks, a Clemson true freshman record, and 9.5 total tackles for loss. He added 23 quarterback pressures, second on the team, in playing all 15 games for Clemson's National Championship team. He was a unanimous Freshman All-American as well.

Wilkins was first-team All-American according to the Football Writers of America and the American Football Coaches Association, a second-team selection by USA Today, Sporting News and Walter Camp, and a third team choice by Associated Press. He was a finalist for the Bronko Nagurski Award. This year he is a Watch List selection for nine different awards, more than any other ACC player.

Wilkins had 56 tackles from his defensive end position in 2016 and had 13 tackles for loss, 3.5 of which were sacks. The junior from Springfield, Mass. had 10 pass deflections, a school record for a defensive lineman. Clemson is 28-2 for the two seasons he has been a starter.

## Clemson Receivers among Active ACC Leaders

While Clemson returns players who accounted for just 22 percent of the total offense from 2016, the Tigers do return three of the top 10 players in the ACC in terms of career receptions. Those players are

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Ray-Ray McCloud (78), Hunter Renfrow (77) and Deon Cain (72). They rank eighth, ninth and 10<sup>th</sup> respectively.

In terms of career receiving yards, Cain ranks fifth among active ACC players with 1306, and Renfrow is ninth with 987. In terms of receiving touchdowns, Cain is second with 14 and Renfrow is tied for fourth with 11.

## Active ACC Players in Career Receptions (Entering 2017 Season)

Rk	Player, School	Rec
1.	Cam Phillips, Virginia Tech	165
2.	Ervin Phillips, Syracuse	134
3.	Cam Serigne, Wake Forest	130
4.	Jaylen Samuels, NC State	126
5.	Steve Ishmael, Syracuse	114
6.	T.J. Rahming, Duke	113
7.	Cortez Lewis, Wake Forest	79
8.	<b>Ray-Ray McCloud, Clemson</b>	<b>78</b>
9.	<b>Hunter Renfrow, Clemson</b>	<b>77</b>
10.	<b>Deon Cain, Clemson</b>	<b>72</b>
	Olamide Zaccheaus, Virginia	72

## Cain Fourth in Yards/Reception in Clemson History

Despite starting just one game in the last two years, junior receiver Deon Cain has 74 career receptions for 1376 yards and 15 touchdowns. His 18.6 yards per catch average is fourth on a career basis in Clemson history. He had a 61-yard touchdown reception from Kelly Bryant in the opener against Kent State.

Last year as backup to first-round draft pick Mike Williams, Cain had 38 receptions for 724 yards and nine touchdowns. That computes to a 19.1 yards per catch figure, best on the 2016 National Championship team. The native of Tampa, Fla. is 21<sup>st</sup> in ACC history in yards per catch entering the 2017 season, best among active ACC players.

First on the list is Martavis Bryant, currently of the Pittsburgh Steelers with a 22.2 average for his Clemson career from 2011-13. The players who rank 8-10 (Dwight Clark, Bill Mathis and Charlie Waters) all won Super Bowl Championship rings.

## Clemson Career Leaders in Yards/Receptions

Rk	Player	Years	Rec	Yds	Avg
1.	Martavis Bryant	2011-13	61	1354	22.2
2.	Joe Blalock	1939-41	38	773	20.3
3.	Gary Cooper	1985-89	79	1592	20.2
4.	<b>Deon Cain</b>	<b>2015-17</b>	<b>74</b>	<b>1376</b>	<b>18.6</b>
5.	Frank Magwood	1979-82	51	920	18.0
6.	Glenn Smith	1949-51	88	1576	17.9
7.	Eddis Freeman	1943-46	37	655	17.7
8.	Dwight Clark	1975-78	33	571	17.3
9.	Bill Mathis	1957-59	35	602	17.2
10.	Charlie Waters	1967-69	68	1166	17.1

## Huegel Already 9<sup>th</sup> in Scoring

Clemson junior kicker Greg Huegel has scored 258 points in his career on 41 field goals (in 51 attempts) and 135 extra points. He is already ninth in Clemson history in scoring, sixth among kickers. His 258 points rank third best among active ACC players and he is second in career points per game with 8.3.

## Clemson Career Scoring Leaders

Rk	School	Years	Pts
1.	Chandler Catanzaro, K	2010-13	404
2.	Aaron Hunt, K	2000-03	329
3.	C.J. Spiller, RB	2006-09	308
4.	Nelson Welch, K	1991-94	301
5.	Travis Zachery, RB	1998-01	300
6.	James Davis, RB	2005-08	294
7.	Obed Ariri, K	1977-80	288
8.	Chris Gardocki, K	1988-90	261
9.	<b>Greg Huegel, K</b>	<b>2015-17</b>	<b>258</b>
10.	Jad Deank, K	2003-06	250

## Winningest Classes in College Football History

Clemson's senior class of 2016 finished with a record of 49-7. The 49 wins are tied for fifth in FBS history and tied for first in ACC

history with the Florida State seniors of 2015. Clemson has had records of 11-2, 10-3, 14-1 and 14-1 the last four years.

The seniors of 2017 have a record of 39-5 entering this week's game. Thus, this Clemson senior class needs 11 wins to reach the 50-mark and set the ACC record. A 13-win season would tie Alabama's national record of 51 wins.

## Most Wins by Senior Classes, FBS History

Rk	School	Years	W-L
1.	Alabama	2013-16	51-6
2.	Alabama	2012-15	50-6
	Ohio State	2012-15	50-4
	Boise State	2008-11	50-3
5.	<b>Clemson</b>	<b>2013-16</b>	<b>49-7</b>
	Nebraska	1994-97	49-2
	Boise State	2006-09	49-4
	Boise State	2009-12	49-4
	Alabama	2009-12	49-5
	Florida State	2012-15	49-6
11.	Ohio State	2013-16	48-6
	Florida State	2011-14	48-7
	Alabama	2008-11	48-6
	Boise State	2007-10	48-5
	Florida	2006-09	48-7
	Clemson	2014-17	39-5

## Wilkins Named to Watch List for ACC High 9 Awards

Clemson defensive tackle Christian Wilkins is on watch lists for an ACC high nine national postseason awards. Second is Derwin James of Florida State with six, while Harold Landry of Boston College, Jordan Whitehead of Pittsburgh and Quin Blanding of Virginia have five apiece.

Wilkins is listed as a preseason candidate for the Bednarick, Lott and Nagurski Awards that go to the top defensive player in the nation. He was a finalist for the Nagurski last year. He is also on the watch list for the Wuerffel Award and for the AFCA Goodworks team that combine excellence on the field, in the classroom and community service.

The junior who expects to graduate in December is also a candidate for the Maxwell and Walter Camp Awards that go to the national player of the year, and the Outland Trophy, which goes to the top interior lineman in the nation. Finally, he is a candidate for the Paul Horning Award, which goes to the nation's top all-purpose player.

Six other Clemson players are on at least one watch list. Sophomore defensive tackle Dexter Lawrence is a candidate for the Bednarick, Nagurski, Walter Camp and Outland Trophy. Deon Cain is on the list for the Biletnikoff (top receiver) and Greg Huegel is on the list for the Groza Award, which goes to the nation's top kicker.

Tyrone Crowder and Mitch Hyatt are on the watch list for the Outland Trophy and Kendell Joseph is on the list for the Butkus Award, which goes to the nation's top linebacker.

## Two-time Defending ACC Champion

Clemson has won the ACC Championship each of the last two seasons, the first time the program has done that since the 1986-88 era when Clemson won three in a row.

Clemson is one of five programs to win its conference championship each of the last two years. The others are Alabama, Oklahoma, San Diego State and Arkansas State. Alabama is the only school in the nation to win three conference championships in succession.

Dabo Swinney's Tigers have captured three league titles in the last six years. Arkansas State leads the nation in conference titles since 2011 with five, while Alabama is second with four. Clemson, Stanford, San Diego State, Northern Illinois, Oklahoma and Florida State all have three over the last six years.

## Relatively Speaking

Clemson's 2017 roster has many connections to college football. Nine members of the roster alone are offspring of former Clemson players and nine more have fathers or brothers who play or played college football. Only Michigan also has nine current players who are offspring of players who were on the school's football team. Below is a list of the connections:

•**Kelly Bryant, QB**—Cousin, Martavis Bryant is former Clemson receiver who is with the Pittsburgh Steelers.



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•**Mark Fields, CB**—Father, Mark Fields, played for the Carolina Panthers of the NFL.

•**Brian Dawkins, Jr., CB**—Son of former Clemson All-American and nine-time NFL Pro Bowl safety Brian Dawkins.

•**Hunter Renfrow, WR**—Father played football and baseball at Wofford College and once had an interception of a Homer Jordan pass against Clemson in 1981.

•**Jack Swinney, WR**—Nephew of Clemson head coach Dabo Swinney.

•**Will Swinney, WR**—Son of Clemson Head Coach Dabo Swinney. Played in the opening game against Kent State, 13 plays at wide receiver and handled all eight holds on extra points. First son of Clemson head coach to play for the Tigers since Jimmy Howard in 1963 played as a running back.

•**Nolan Turner, SS**—Son of former Alabama player Kevin Turner, who also played eight years in the NFL with New England Patriots.

•**J.C. Chalk, TE**—Grandson of former Alabama coach Gene Stallings, who was Dabo Swinney's head coach at Alabama when Swinney was a player.

•**Adam Choice, RB**—Cousin of former Georgia Tech running back Tashard Choice.

•**J.D. Davis, LB**—Twin brother of Clemson linebacker Judah Davis and son of former Clemson All-American linebacker Jeff Davis.

•**Judah Davis, LB**—Twin brother of Clemson linebacker J.D. Davis and son of former Clemson All-American linebacker Jeff Davis.

•**Amir Trapp, CB**—Son of former Clemson starting defensive back James Trapp, who played 10 years in the NFL and won a Super Bowl title with the Baltimore Ravens.

•**Jarvis Magwood, LB**—Son of former Clemson receiver Frank Magwood, a letterman on Clemson's 1981 National Championship team who is fifth in school history in yards per reception.

•**Garrett Williams, FB/TE**—Son of former Florida State running back Dayne Williams, who played against Clemson in 1988 Florida State game in Death Valley.

•**Mitch Hyatt, OT**—Nephew of former Clemson All-ACC defensive tackle Dan Benish. Benish started on Clemson's 1981 National Championship team and Hyatt started on Clemson's 2016 National title team.

•**Milan Richard, TE**—Nephew of 1982 Heisman Trophy winner and former Georgia All-American Herschel Walker.

•**Cannon Smith, TE**—Son of former Clemson starting defensive end Bill Smith. Smith was starter on 1981 National Championship team.

•**D.J. Greenlee, TE**—Son of former Clemson track letterman and current strength coach Larry Greenlee.

•**Amari Rodgers, WR**—Son of former Tennessee quarterback Tee Martin, now quarterback coach at Southern California.

•**Baylon Spector, LB**—Son of former Clemson receiver Robbie Spector

•**Logan Rudolph, DE**—Brother of current Oklahoma State quarterback Mason Rudolph.

•**Ryan Mac Lain, WR**—Cousin of former Clemson All-ACC offensive guard Eric Mac Lain.

•**Will Spiers, P**—Son of former Clemson punter and baseball All-American Bill Spiers.

•**Kanyon Tuttle, WR**—Son of former Clemson All-American receiver Perry Tuttle.

•**Michael Batson, P**—Son of Clemson strength and conditioning coach Joey Batson.

## Offspring of Former Clemson Football Players

Current Player, Pos	Hometown	Dad (Clemson Years)
J.D. Davis, LB	Clemson, S.C	#Jeff Davis, LB, 1978-81
Judah Davis, LB	Clemson, S.C.	#Jeff Davis, LB, 1978-81
Brian Dawkins, Jr., DB	Parker, Colo.	Brian Dawkins, SAF, 1992-95
Jarvis Magwood, LB	Greenville, S.C.	#Frank Magwood, WR, 79-82
Cannon Smith, TE	Columbia, S.C.	#Bill Smith, DE, 1977-81
Baylon Spector, LB	Calhoun, Ga.	Robbie Spector, WR, 1988-90
Will Spiers, P	Camerson, S.C.	Bill Spiers, P, 1986
Amir Trapp, DB	Clemson, S.C.	James Trapp, DB, 1989-92
Kanyon Tuttle, WR	Charlotte, N.C.	#Perry Tuttle, WR, 1978-81

#Denotes played on 1981 National Championship team

## 2016, A season to Remember

•National Champions for the second time in school history, first time

since 1981.

•Tigers finished with a 14-1 record after defeating previously undefeated and #1 ranked Alabama, 35-31, in the College Football Playoff Championship game. Clemson's 14 wins tied the FBS record for victories in a season.

•Alabama was defending National Champion and had won 26 games in a row.

•Clemson achieved the National Championship while playing the nation's most difficult schedule according to the NCAA, just the sixth school to do it in 40 years. Clemson beat six teams that finished in the AP Top 25.

•Clemson defeated 11 FBS schools who finished the season with a winning record, including five who won at least 10 games and six who finished in the top 25 of the AP poll.

•Clemson defeated the No 3 (Louisville), No. 2 Ohio State and No. 1 Alabama (rankings at time of the game) for the first in school history in the same year.

•Clemson finished 3-0 vs. the SEC, the first time Clemson has beaten three SEC teams in the same year.

•The No. 1 final ranking was the 24<sup>th</sup> consecutive AP poll Clemson has been ranked in the top five, the longest active streak in the nation. Alabama is second with 22 in a row.

•Clemson defeated Auburn, Florida State, Ohio State and Alabama this year, the programs that had won each of the last seven national championships prior to this year.

•Team won the ACC Championship for the second consecutive year, the first time in 28 years the Tigers have won back-to-back league titles.

\*Clemson joined Alabama as the only schools to advance to the College Football Playoff in consecutive years.

•Seven different players were named first, second or third team All-American, most in school history.

•The Tigers were 7-1 in games decided by seven points or less, and were 8-0 in games away from home. Team won at Auburn for first time since 1950, at Georgia Tech for first time since 2003 and at Florida State for second time since 1989.

## Danny Ford Named to College Football Foundation Hall of Fame

Former Clemson Head Coach Danny Ford was named to the 2017 National Football Foundation Hall of Fame Class on the day Clemson defeated his alma mater to win the National Championship (Jan. 9, 2017)

Ford is one of three coaches in the 2017 Hall of Fame class. He will be joined by former Duke, Florida and South Carolina coach Steve Spurrier and former Mount Union Coach Larry Kehres.

Ford is the fourth former Clemson head coach to be named to the National Football Foundation College Football Hall of Fame. The others are John Heisman, Jess Neely, and Frank Howard. Former Clemson players in the Hall of Fame are Banks McFadden, Terry Kinard and Jeff Davis.

Ford coached Clemson from 1978-89 and posted a record of 96-29-4. The highlight of his Clemson tenure took place in 1981 when the Tigers posted a 12-0 record and defeated Nebraska, 22-15, in the 1982 Orange Bowl to win the school's first National Championship.

Ford was just 33 years, seven months and 30 days at the time of the win over Nebraska and he is still the youngest coach to win the National Championship

Ford was just 30 years old when he took over as Clemson Head Coach in December of 1978. In his first game he defeated Hall of Fame Coach Woody Hayes and Ohio State, 17-15, in the 1978 Gator Bowl. In 1979 he coached Clemson to a 16-10 victory at Notre Dame, and he is still the second youngest coach to win at Notre Dame Stadium over the Fighting Irish.

Clemson had an 86-25-4 record in the 1980s and the .765 winning percentage was the fifth best in college football. The other nine coaches in the top 10 in winning percentage in that decade are all in the Hall of Fame.

Ford was especially effective in bowl games as he posted a 6-2 record. Five of the six wins were over coaches already in the Hall of Fame, including Hayes, Tom Osborne of Nebraska, Joe Paterno of Penn State and Barry Switzer of Oklahoma, all coaches who won the National Championship. Ford was 23-8-1 head-to-head as Clemson head coach against coaches who are already in the Hall of Fame. That includes a 2-1 record against Hall of Fame classmate Steve Spurrier.

In his 11 full years as Clemson head coach, Ford won five ACC Championships and had seven top 25 teams. He coached 21 different



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players who earned All-American honors. Many of his players went on to fame in the NFL, including 10 who combined to win 13 Super Bowl Championships.

The 1969 Alabama graduate is third in ACC history in career winning percentage with a .760 mark. Ford is a member of the Clemson Hall of Fame and was inducted into the school's Ring of Honor in 2013.

## Former Clemson Players in the NFL (As of September 4, 2017)

No	Name	Team	Pos	Exp	Clemson
20	Mackenzie Alexander	Vikings	CB	1	2014-15
83	Dwayne Allen	Patriots	TE	5	2009-11
50	Stephone Anthony	Saints	LB	2	2011-14
95	Tavaris Barnes	Bucs	DE	2	2011-14
77	Isaiah Battle	Seahawks	OT	2	2012-14
44	Vic Beasley	Falcons	OLB	2	2011-14
50	Andre Branch	Dolphins	DE	5	2008-11
26	Bashaud Breeland	Redskins	CB	3	2011-13
13	Jaron Brown	Cardinals	WR	4	2009-12
10	Martavis Bryant	Steelers	WR	2	2011-13
7	Chandler Catanzaro	Jets	PK	3	2010-13
93	Kevin Dodd	Titans	OLB	1	2013-15
38	Andre Ellington	Cardinals	RB	4	2009-12
30	Wayne Gallman	Giants	RB	R	2014-16
40	Marcus Gilchrist	Texans	CB	6	2007-10
93	B.J. Goodson	Giants	LB	1	2012-15
32	T.J. Green	Colts	S	1	2013-15
75	Chris Hairston	Chargers	OT	5	2007-10
10	DeAndre Hopkins	Texans	WR	4	2010-12
11	Adam Humphries	Bucs	WR	2	2011-14
97	Grady Jarrett	Falcons	DT	2	2011-14
98	Jarvis Jenkins	Chiefs	DT	6	2007-10
27	Jayron Kearse	Vikings	S	1	2013-15
90	Shaq Lawson	Bills	DE	1	2013-15
49	Jordan Leggett	Jets	TE	R	2013-16
41	Byron Maxwell	Dolphins	CB	6	2007-10
17	Charone Peake	Jets	WR	1	2011-15
5	Bradley Pinion	49ers	P	2	2012-14
98	D.J. Reader	Texans	DT	1	2012-15
82	#Artavis Scott	Chargers	WR	R	2014-16
21	Coty Sensabaugh	Steelers	CB	5	2008-11
69	Tyler Shatley	Jaguars	OG	3	2010-13
21	CJ Spiller	Chiefs	RB	7	2006-09
30	Cordrea Tankersley	Dolphins	DB	R	2013-16
60	Brandon Thomas	Lions	OG	2	2010-13
91	Carlos Watkins	Texans	DT	R	2012-16
14	Sammy Watkins	Rams	WR	3	2011-13
4	Deshaun Watson	Texans	QB	R	2014-16
69	#Deshaun Williams	Bengals	DT	3	2011-14
	Mike Williams	Chargers	WR	R	2013-16

# Practice Squad

## Canadian Football League Players

92	Da'Quan Bowers	Edmonton	DE	2008-10
17	Crezdon Butler	Saskatchewan	CB	2008-10
42	Kavell Conner	Hamilton	LB	2006-09
66	Antoine McClain	Calgary	OT	2008-11



# DEPTH CHARTS

## CLEMSON OFFENSE

Pos.	#	Player	Hgt	Wgt	Cl.
LT	75	MITCH HYATT	6-5	305	Jr.
	73	Tremayne Anchrum	6-2	290	So.
	76	Sean Pollard	6-5	315	So.
LG	51	TAYLOR HEARN	6-5	330	*Jr.
	74	John Simpson	6-4	320	So.
C	50	JUSTIN FALCINELLI	6-4	305	*A.Gr.
	59	Gage Cervenka	6-3	320	*So.
RG	55	TYRONE CROWDER	6-2	340	*Gr.
	69	Maverick Morris	6-4	300	*Gr.
	62	Cade Stewart	6-2	300	*Fr.
RT	73	TREMAYNE ANCHRUM	6-2	290	So.
	76	Sean Pollard	6-5	315	So.
TE	80	MILAN RICHARD	6-2	255	*Jr.
	87	D.J. Greenlee	6-1	245	*Gr.
	84	Cannon Smith	6-4	270	*Jr.
WR	8	DEON CAIN	6-1	190	Jr.
	14	Diondre Overton	6-5	205	So.
	5	Tee Higgins	6-4	200	Fr.
QB	2	KELLY BRYANT	6-4	220	Jr.
	6	Zerrick Cooper	6-2	220	*Fr.
	15	Hunter Johnson	6-2	210	Fr.
RB	27	C.J. FULLER	5-10	205	*Jr.
	26	Adam Choice	5-8	210	*Jr.
	28	Tavien Feaster	5-11	220	So.
WR	9	Travis Etienne	5-10	200	Fr.
	13	HUNTER RENFROW	5-10	180	*Jr.
	1	Trevion Thompson	6-2	200	*Jr.
WR	18	T.J. Chase	6-1	185	*Fr.
	34	RAY-RAY McCLOUD	5-10	180	Jr.
	17	Cornell Powell	6-0	205	So.
	3	Amari Rodgers	5-9	210	Fr.

## CLEMSON DEFENSE

Pos.	#	Player	Hgt	Wgt	Cl.
DE	99	CLELIN FERRELL	6-5	260	*So.
	45	Chris Register	6-3	255	*Jr.
	22	Xavier Kelly	6-4	265	*Fr.
DT	90	DEXTER LAWRENCE	6-4	340	So.
	50	Jabril Robinson	6-2	270	*Jr.
	44	Nyles Pinckney	6-1	300	*Fr.
DT	42	CHRISTIAN WILKINS	6-4	300	Jr.
	67	Albert Huggins	6-3	305	Jr.
DE	7	AUSTIN BRYANT	6-5	265	Jr.
	54	Logan Rudolph	6-2	230	Fr.
	35	Justin Foster	6-4	255	Fr.
SLB	6	DORIAN O'DANIEL	6-1	220	*Gr.
	30	Jalen Williams	5-10	210	Jr.
MLB	57	TRE LAMAR	6-4	250	So.
	43	Chad Smith	6-4	235	*So.
	36	Judah Davis	6-2	235	Jr.
WLB	34	KENDALL JOSEPH	6-0	225	*Jr.
	33	J.D. Davis	6-2	225	Jr.
	47	James Skalski	6-0	240	So.
CB	5	Shaq Smith	6-2	245	*Fr.
	31	RYAN CARTER	5-9	180	*Gr.
	2	Mark Fields	5-11	180	Jr.
SS	8	A.J. Terrell	6-1	190	Fr.
	19	TANNER MUSE	6-2	225	*So.
	11	Isaiah Simmons	6-3	225	*Fr.
FS	24	Nolan Turner	6-1	200	*Fr.
	23	VAN SMITH	5-11	185	Jr.
	12	K'Von Wallace	6-0	195	So.
NB	14	Denzel Johnson	6-1	200	*So.
	31	RYAN CARTER	5-9	180	*Gr.
	11	Isaiah Simmons	6-3	225	*Fr.
CB	12	K'Von Wallace	6-0	195	So.
	1	TRAYVON MULLEN	6-2	190	So.
	29	Marcus Edmond	6-0	180	*Gr.
	38	Amir Trapp	5-8	170	*So.

## CLEMSON SPECIALISTS

Pos.	#	Player	Hgt	Wgt	Cl.
PK	92	GREG HUEGEL	5-11	195	*Jr.
	47	Alex Spence	6-2	200	*Jr.
P	48	WILL SPIERS	6-4	225	*Fr.
	97	Carson King	6-0	225	*So.
KO	92	Greg Huegel	5-11	195	*Jr.
	47	Alex Spence	6-2	200	*Jr.
LS (PK)	58	Patrick Phibbs	6-2	215	*So.
	52	Austin Spence	6-0	200	*So.
LS (P)	52	Austin Spence	6-0	200	*So.
	58	Patrick Phibbs	6-2	215	*So.
H	16	Will Swinney	5-9	185	Fr.
	34	Ray-Ray McCloud	5-10	180	Jr.
PR	3	Amari Rodgers	5-9	210	Fr.
	17	Cornell Powell	6-0	205	So.
	27	C.J. Fuller	5-10	205	*Jr.
	28	Tavien Feaster	5-11	220	So.

## AUBURN OFFENSE

Pos.	#	Player	Hgt	Wgt	Cl.
LT	76	PRINCE TEGA WANOGHO	6-7	301	So.
	66	Bailey Sharp	6-5	300	So.
LG	64	MIKE HORTON	6-4	318	So.
	77	Marquel Harrell	6-3	308	So.
C	73	AUSTIN GOLSON	6-5	312	Sr.
	50	Casey Dunn	6-4	292	Sr.
RG	71	BRADEN SMITH	6-6	303	Sr.
	74	Wilson Bell	6-5	355	Sr.
RT	78	DARIUS JAMES	6-4	324	Sr.
	70	Calvin Ashley	6-6	350	Fr.
TE	85	JALEN HARRIS	6-4	252	Jr.
	86	Tucker Brown	6-3	288	Jr.
WR	81	DARIUS SLAYTON	6-2	190	So.
	11	KYLE DAVIS	6-2	213	So.
WR	3	NATE CRAIG-MYERS	6-2	213	So.
	17	Marquis McClain	6-2	226	Fr.
QB	8	JARRETT STIDHAM	6-3	214	So.
	13	Sean White	6-0	211	Jr.
RB	36	KAMRYN PETTWAY	6-0	235	Jr.
	21	KERRYON JOHNSON	6-0	212	Jr.
HB	27	CHANDLER COX	6-1	239	Jr.
	99	Spencer Nigh	6-0	270	So.
	42	Keenan Sweeney	6-0	237	Jr.
WR	12	ELI STOVE	6-0	183	So.
	4	Noah Igbinoghene	5-11	186	Fr.
WR	23	RYAN DAVIS	5-9	175	Jr.
	33	WILL HASTINGS	5-10	167	Jr.

## AUBURN DEFENSE

Pos.	#	Player	Hgt	Wgt	Cl.
BUCK	4	JEFF HOLLAND	6-2	249	Jr.
	10	Paul James III	6-3	260	Jr.
DT	95	DONTAVIUS RUSSELL	6-3	310	Jr.
	9	Byron Cowart	6-3	283	Jr.
DT	94	Tyrone Truesdell	6-2	338	Fr.
	5	DERRICK BROWN	6-5	316	So.
DE	79	Andrew Williams	6-4	286	Jr.
	3	MARLON DAVIDSON	6-3	282	So.
DE	91	Nick Coe	6-5	270	Fr.
	1	Big Kat Bryant	6-5	224	Fr.
SLB	49	DARRELL WILLIAMS	6-2	244	Jr.
	51	Richard McBryde	6-1	237	So.
MLB	57	DESHAUN DAVIS	5-11	246	Jr.
	33	K.J. Britt	6-0	239	Fr.
WLB	31	CHANDLER WOOTEN	6-2	237	Fr.
	30	TRE WILLIAMS	6-2	225	Sr.
CB	48	Montavious Atkinson	6-1	218	Jr.
	13	JAVARIS DAVIS	5-10	186	So.
CB	12	JAMEL DEAN	6-2	215	So.
	22	John Broussard Jr.	5-11	172	So.
SS	14	STEPHEN ROBERTS	5-11	189	Sr.
	24	Daniel Thomas	5-11	203	So.
FS	25	Jason Smith	6-1	186	Sr.
	28	TRAY MATTHEWS	6-1	209	Sr.
NB	19	Nick Ruffin	6-0	202	Sr.
	20	Jeremiah Dinson	6-0	186	So.
CB	24	DANIEL THOMAS	5-11	203	So.
	20	JEREMIAH DINSON	6-0	186	So.
CB	15	Jordyn Peters	6-1	185	Fr.
	6	CARLTON DAVIS	6-1	203	Jr.
	21	Traivon Leonard	6-0	191	Fr.

## AUBURN SPECIALISTS

Pos.	#	Player	Hgt	Wgt	Cl.
PK	38	DANIEL CARLSON	6-4	223	Sr.
	26	Anders Carlson	6-5	200	Fr.
P	43	IAN SHANNON	6-3	222	So.
	41	Aidan Marshall	5-11	163	Fr.
KO	29	Tyler Stovall	6-0	213	Sr.
	38	Daniel Carlson	6-4	223	Sr.
LS	69	Ike Powell	6-3	267	Sr.
	60	Bill Taylor	6-3	227	Fr.
H	29	Tyler Stovall	6-0	213	Sr.
	14	Stephen Roberts	5-11	189	Sr.
PR	23	Ryan Davis	5-9	175	Jr.
	21	Kerryon Johnson	6-0	212	Jr.
&	13	Javaris Davis	5-10	186	So.
	5	Devan Barrett	6-0	185	Fr.
&	4	Noah Igbinoghene	5-11	186	Fr.

Note: As of Aug. 29.

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# VETERAN ROSTER (NUMERICAL)

#	Player	Pos.	Hgt.	Wgt.	Cl.	Exp.	Hometown	High School or Junior College	Pronunciation
1	Trayvon Mullen	CB	6-2	190	So.	1VL	Fort Lauderdale, Fla.	Coconut Creek HS	
1	Trevion Thompson	WR	6-2	200	*Jr.	2VL	Durham, N.C.	Hillside HS	Trevion (TRAY-vee-ahn)
2	Kelly Bryant	QB	6-4	220	Jr.	2VL	Calhoun Falls, S.C.	Wren HS	
2	Mark Fields	CB	5-11	180	Jr.	2VL	Charlotte, N.C.	William Amos Hough HS	
3	Amari Rodgers	WR	5-9	210	Fr.	HS	Knoxville, Tenn.	Knoxville Catholic HS	
5	Shaq Smith	LB	6-2	245	*Fr.	RS	Baltimore, Md.	IMG (Fla.) Academy	
5	Tee Higgins	WR	6-4	200	Fr.	HS	Oak Ridge, Tenn.	Oak Ridge HS	
6	Dorian O'Daniel	LB	6-1	220	*Gr.	3VL	Olney, Md.	Our Lady of Good Counsel HS	
6	Zerrick Cooper	QB	6-2	220	*Fr.	RS	Jonesboro, Ga.	Jonesboro HS	
7	Austin Bryant	DE	6-5	265	Jr.	2VL	Pavo, Ga.	Thomas County Central HS	Pavo (PAY-voh)
7	Chase Brice	QB	6-2	210	Fr.	HS	Grayson, Ga.	Grayson HS	
8	Deon Cain	WR	6-1	190	Jr.	2VL	Tampa, Fla.	Tampa Bay Technical HS	
8	A.J. Terrell	CB	6-1	190	Fr.	HS	Atlanta, Ga.	Westlake HS	Terrell (teh-REHL)
9	Travis Etienne	RB	5-10	200	Fr.	HS	Jennings, La.	Jennings HS	Etienne (EE-tee-ehn)
9	Brian Dawkins Jr.	CB	5-7	165	*Fr.	RS	Parker, Colo.	Valor Christian HS	
10	Tucker Israel	QB	5-11	165	*So.	SQ	Orlando, Fla.	Lake Nona HS	
10	Baylon Spector	LB	6-2	220	Fr.	HS	Calhoun, Ga.	Calhoun HS	Baylon (BAY-lehn)
11	Isaiah Simmons	S	6-3	225	*Fr.	RS	Olathe, Kan.	Olathe North HS	Olathe (oh-LAY-thuh)
11	Shadell Bell	TE	6-1	225	*So.	SQ	Decatur, Ga.	Columbia HS	
12	K'Von Wallace	DB	6-0	195	So.	1VL	Richmond, Va.	Highland Springs HS	K'Von (KAY-vahn)
13	Hunter Renfrow	WR	5-10	180	*Jr.	2VL	Myrtle Beach, S.C.	Socastee HS	Socastee (SAHK-uh-see)
14	Diondre Overton	WR	6-5	205	So.	1VL	Greensboro, N.C.	Walter Hines Page HS	
14	Denzel Johnson	S	6-1	200	*So.	1VL	Columbia, S.C.	A.C. Flora HS	
15	Hunter Johnson	QB	6-2	210	Fr.	HS	Brownsburg, Ind.	Brownsburg HS	
16	Will Swinney	WR	5-9	185	Fr.	HS	Clemson, S.C.	Daniel HS	
17	Cornell Powell	WR	6-0	205	So.	1VL	Greenville, N.C.	J.H. Rose HS	
18	T.J. Chase	WR	6-1	185	*Fr.	RS	Plant City, Fla.	Plant City HS	
19	Tanner Muse	S	6-2	225	*So.	1VL	Belmont, N.C.	South Point HS	
20	Jack Swinney	WR	5-9	160	*Sr.	SQ	Lawrenceville, Ga.	Brookwood HS	
20	LeAnthony Williams	CB	6-0	175	Fr.	HS	Atlanta, Ga.	Westlake HS	
22	Xavier Kelly	DE	6-4	265	*Fr.	RS	Wichita, Kan.	East HS	Xavier (ehx-ZAYV-yuhr)
23	Van Smith	S	5-11	185	Jr.	2VL	Charlotte, N.C.	William Amos Hough HS	
24	Nolan Turner	S	6-1	200	*Fr.	RS	Vestavia Hills, Ala.	Vestavia Hills HS	
25	J.C. Chalk	TE	6-3	250	*Fr.	RS	Argyle, Texas	Argyle HS	
26	Adam Choice	RB	5-8	210	*Jr.	2VL	Thomasville, Ga.	Thomas County Central HS	
27	C.J. Fuller	RB	5-10	205	*Jr.	2VL	Easley, S.C.	Easley HS	
28	Tavien Feaster	RB	5-11	220	So.	1VL	Spartanburg, S.C.	Spartanburg HS	
29	Marcus Edmond	CB	6-0	180	*Gr.	2VL	Hopkins, S.C.	Lower Richland HS	
30	Jalen Williams	LB	5-10	210	Jr.	2VL	Columbia, S.C.	Blythewood HS	
31	Ryan Carter	CB	5-9	180	*Gr.	3VL	Grayson, Ga.	Grayson HS	
32	Kyle Cote	S	5-10	185	*So.	1VL	Six Mile, S.C.	Daniel HS	Cote (COHT-ee)
33	J.D. Davis	LB	6-2	225	Jr.	2VL	Clemson, S.C.	Daniel HS	
34	Kendall Joseph	LB	6-0	225	*Jr.	2VL	Belton, S.C.	Belton-Honea Path HS	Honea (HUHN-ee-uh)
34	Ray-Ray McCloud	WR	5-10	180	Jr.	2VL	Tampa, Fla.	Sickles HS	
35	Justin Foster	DE	6-4	255	Fr.	HS	Shelby, N.C.	Crest HS	
35	Ty Thomason	RB	5-10	225	*So.	SQ	Greenville, S.C.	Eastside HS	
36	Judah Davis	LB	6-2	235	Jr.	2VL	Clemson, S.C.	Daniel HS	
38	Amir Trapp	CB	5-8	170	*So.	1VL	Clemson, S.C.	Daniel HS	
39	Christian Groomes	PK	5-11	200	Sr.	SQ	Central, S.C.	Daniel HS	
41	Connor Sekas	LB	6-1	225	Sr.	SQ	Vienna, Va.	James Madison HS	Sekas (SEE-kuhs)
42	Christian Wilkins	DL	6-4	300	Jr.	2VL	Springfield, Mass.	Suffield (Conn.) Academy	
43	Chad Smith	LB	6-4	235	*So.	1VL	Sterling, Va.	Dominion HS	
44	Nyles Pinckney	DT	6-1	300	*Fr.	RS	Beaufort, S.C.	Whale Branch Early College HS	
44	Garrett Williams	TE	6-4	245	Jr.	2VL	Orlando, Fla.	The First Academy	
45	Chris Register	DE	6-3	255	*Jr.	1VL	Greensboro, N.C.	Dudley HS	
47	James Skalski	LB	6-0	240	So.	1VL	Sharpsburg, Ga.	Northgate HS	Skalski (SKAL-skee)
47	Alex Spence	PK	6-2	200	*Jr.	SQ	Florence, S.C.	West Florence HS	
48	Will Spiers	P	6-4	225	*Fr.	RS	Cameron, S.C.	Calhoun Academy	
49	Richard Yeargin	DE	6-4	260	*Jr.	2VL	Lauderdale Lakes, Fla.	University School of Nova Southeastern University	
50	Jabril Robinson	DT	6-2	270	*Jr.	2VL	Leland, N.C.	North Brunswick HS	Leland (LEE-lehnd)
50	Justin Falcinelli	C	6-4	305	*Gr.	2VL	Middletown, Md.	Middletown HS	Falcinelli (fal-sih-NEHL-ee)
51	Taylor Hearn	OG	6-5	330	*Jr.	2VL	Williston, S.C.	Williston-Elko HS	
52	Austin Spence	LS	6-1	200	*So.	SQ	Florence, S.C.	West Florence HS	
54	Logan Rudolph	DE	6-2	230	Fr.	HS	Rock Hill, S.C.	Northwestern HS	
55	Tyrone Crowder	OG	6-2	340	*Gr.	3VL	Marston, N.C.	Richmond Senior HS	
57	Tre Lamar	LB	6-4	250	So.	1VL	Roswell, Ga.	Roswell HS	
58	Patrick Phibbs	LS	6-2	215	*So.	SQ	Pittsburgh, Pa.	Central Catholic HS	
59	Gage Cervenka	C	6-3	320	*So.	1VL	Greenwood, S.C.	Emerald HS	
59	Jordan Williams	DT	6-4	280	Fr.	HS	Virginia Beach, Va.	Frank W. Cox HS	
60	Kelby Bevelle	OT	6-2	270	*Sr.	SQ	Apopka, Fla.	Apopka HS	Bevelle (BEHV-uhl)
61	Kaleb Bevelle	DE	6-4	265	*Sr.	SQ	Apopka, Fla.	Apopka HS	Bevelle (BEHV-uhl)
62	Cade Stewart	OL	6-2	300	*Fr.	RS	Six Mile, S.C.	Daniel HS	
64	Pat Godfrey	C	6-2	275	*Gr.	SQ	Greenlawn, N.Y.	Harborfields HS	
65	Matt Bockhorst	OG	6-3	305	Fr.	HS	Cincinnati, Ohio	St. Xavier HS	
67	Albert Huggins	DT	6-3	305	Jr.	2VL	Orangeburg, S.C.	Orangeburg-Wilkinson HS	
68	Noah DeHond	OT	6-6	310	Fr.	HS	Rochester, N.Y.	Peddie (N.J.) School	
69	Maverick Morris	OL	6-4	300	*Gr.	3VL	Broxton, Ga.	Coffee HS	
70	Seth Penner	OG	6-2	300	*So.	1VL	Naples, Fla.	First Baptist Academy	
72	Blake Vinson	OT	6-4	290	Fr.	HS	Ocala, Fla.	North Marion HS	
73	Tremayne Anchrum	OT	6-2	290	So.	1VL	Powder Springs, Ga.	McEachern HS	
74	John Simpson	OG	6-4	320	So.	1VL	North Charleston, S.C.	Fort Dorchester HS	
75	Mitch Hyatt	OT	6-5	305	Jr.	2VL	Suwanee, Ga.	North Gwinnett HS	
76	Sean Pollard	OL	6-5	315	So.	1VL	Jackson Springs, N.C.	Pinecrest HS	
77	Zach Giella	OL	6-4	295	*So.	1VL	Lincolnton, Ga.	Augusta Christian Schools	Giella (jee-EH-luh)



# VETERAN ROSTER (NUMERICAL) (CONT'D)

#	Player	Pos.	Hgt.	Wgt.	Cl.	Exp.	Hometown	High School or Junior College	Pronunciation
78	Chandler Reeves	OT	6-7	285	*Fr.	RS	McDonough, Ga.	Eagle's Landing Christian Academy	
80	Milan Richard	TE	6-2	255	*Jr.	2VL	Savannah, Ga.	Calvary Day School	
84	Cannon Smith	TE	6-4	270	*Jr.	2VL	Columbia, S.C.	Hammond School	
87	D.J. Greenlee	TE	6-1	245	*Gr.	2VL	Clemson, S.C.	Daniel HS	
90	Dexter Lawrence	DT	6-4	340	So.	1VL	Wake Forest, N.C.	Wake Forest HS	
92	Greg Huegel	PK	5-11	195	*Jr.	2VL	Blythewood, S.C.	Blythewood HS	Huegel (HYOO-guhl)
93	Sterling Johnson	DT	6-4	300	*So.	1VL	Clayton, N.C.	Cleveland HS	
99	Clelin Ferrell	DE	6-5	260	*So.	1VL	Richmond, Va.	Benedictine College Preparatory	Clelin (CLEE-lihn)

\* - spent one season as a redshirt player; ^ - has two years of eligibility remaining in 2017 and 2018; ° - has three years of eligibility remaining in 2017, 2018 and 2019

# RESERVE ROSTER (NUMERICAL)

#	Player	Pos.	Hgt.	Wgt.	Cl.	Exp.	Hometown	High School or Junior College	Pronunciation
21	Darien Rencher	RB	5-8	195	*Fr.	RS	Anderson, S.C.	T.L. Hanna HS	
27	Alex Dalton	S	5-8	200	*Fr.	HS	Anderson, S.C.	T.L. Hanna HS	
37	Austin Jackson	S	6-2	200	*So.	RS	Cary, N.C.	Green Hope HS	
37	Ryan Mac Lain	RB	5-9	175	*So.	SQ	Plymouth, Ind.	Plymouth HS	Mac Lain (mak-LAYN)
39	Cameron Scott	CB	5-11	205	*Jr.	SQ	Florence, S.C.	Wilson HS	
40	Hall Morton	S	5-8	180	*Fr.	RS	Birmingham, Ala.	Oak Mountain HS	
45	Josh Jackson	DB	6-1	190	*Fr.	HS	Greenville, S.C.	Christ Church Episcopal School	
46	Jarvis Magwood	LB	5-11	215	*Jr.	SQ	Greenville, S.C.	James F. Byrnes HS	
48	Landon Holden	LB	6-1	225	*Fr.	HS	Inman, S.C.	Chapman HS	
52	Matthew King	LB	6-0	230	*So.	HS	Inman, S.C.	Boiling Springs HS	
53	Regan Upshaw	LB	5-10	225	*Fr.	RS	Bradenton, Fla.		
56	Luke Price	LB	6-2	225	Fr.	HS	Dillon, S.C.	Dillon Christian School	
71	Jack Maddox	LS	6-2	210	Fr.	HS	Acton, Mass.	Acton-Boxborough Regional HS	
81	Kanyon Tuttle	WR	5-11	170	*So.	SQ	Charlotte, N.C.	Charlotte Latin School	
82	Will Brown	WR	5-8	190	Fr.	HS	Boiling Springs, S.C.	Boiling Springs HS	
83	Carter Groomes	WR	5-9	185	*Fr.	RS	Central, S.C.	Daniel HS	
88	Jayson Hopper	WR	6-0	215	*Fr.	HS	Lexington, S.C.	Lexington HS	
92	Daniel Funderburk	DT	6-3	245	*Fr.	HS	North Myrtle Beach, S.C.	North Myrtle Beach HS	
94	Jacob Edwards	DE	6-2	265	Fr.	HS	Vestavia Hills, Ala.	Vestavia Hills HS	
95	Isaac Moorhouse	DT	6-3	270	*So.	HS	Anderson, S.C.	Anderson Christian School	
95	James Edwards	DE	6-2	260	Fr.	HS	Vestavia Hills, Ala.	Vestavia Hills HS	
96	Michael Batson	P	5-9	205	*So.	SQ	Central, S.C.	Christ Church Episcopal School	
97	Carson King	P	6-0	225	*So.	SQ	Nashville, Tenn.	Brentwood Academy	
97	Nick Rowell	DE	6-3	250	*So.	HS	Spartanburg, S.C.	James F. Byrnes HS	

\* - spent one season as a redshirt player

# COACHES

Coach	Title(s)	Position(s)	CU Years	Alma Mater	Pronunciation
Dabo Swinney	Head Coach		*15th	Alabama '93	Dabo Swinney (DA-boh SWEE-nee)
Danny Pearman	Assistant Head Coach, Special Teams Coordinator	Tight Ends	10th	Clemson '87	
Tony Elliott	Assistant Coach, Co-Offensive Coordinator	Running Backs	7th	Clemson '02	
Jeff Scott	Assistant Coach, Co-Offensive Coordinator	Wide Receivers	10th	Clemson '03	
Brent Venables	Assistant Coach, Defensive Coordinator	Linebackers	6th	Kansas State '92	
Todd Bates	Assistant Coach	Defensive Linemen	1st	Alabama '05	
Robbie Caldwell	Assistant Coach	Offensive Linemen	7th	Furman '77	
Mickey Conn	Assistant Coach	Safeties	1st	Alabama '93	
Mike Reed	Assistant Coach	Cornerbacks	5th	Boston College '94	
Brandon Streeter	Assistant Coach, Recruiting Coordinator	Quarterbacks	4th	Clemson '99	

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# VETERAN ROSTER (ALPHABETICAL)

#	Player	Pos.	Hgt.	Wgt.	Cl.	Exp.	Hometown	High School or Junior College	Pronunciation
73	Tremayne Anchrum	OT	6-2	290	So.	1VL	Powder Springs, Ga.	McEachern HS	
11	Shadell Bell	TE	6-1	225	*So.	SQ	Decatur, Ga.	Columbia HS	
61	Kaleb Bevelle	DE	6-4	265	*Sr.	SQ	Apopka, Fla.	Apopka HS	Bevelle (BEHV-uhl)
60	Kelby Bevelle	OT	6-2	270	*Sr.	SQ	Apopka, Fla.	Apopka HS	Bevelle (BEHV-uhl)
65	Matt Bockhorst	OG	6-3	305	Fr.	HS	Cincinnati, Ohio	St. Xavier HS	
7	Chase Brice	QB	6-2	210	Fr.	HS	Grayson, Ga.	Grayson HS	
7	Austin Bryant	DE	6-5	265	Jr.	2VL	Pavo, Ga.	Thomas County Central HS	Pavo (PAY-voh)
2	Kelly Bryant	QB	6-4	220	Jr.	2VL	Calhoun Falls, S.C.	Wren HS	
8	Deon Cain	WR	6-1	190	Jr.	2VL	Tampa, Fla.	Tampa Bay Technical HS	
31	Ryan Carter	CB	5-9	180	*Gr.	3VL	Grayson, Ga.	Grayson HS	
59	Gage Cervenka	C	6-3	320	*So.	1VL	Greenwood, S.C.	Emerald HS	
25	J.C. Chalk	TE	6-3	250	*Fr.	RS	Argyle, Texas	Argyle HS	
18	T.J. Chase	WR	6-1	185	*Fr.	RS	Plant City, Fla.	Plant City HS	
26	Adam Choice	RB	5-8	210	*Jr.	2VL	Thomasville, Ga.	Thomas County Central HS	
6	Zerrick Cooper	QB	6-2	220	*Fr.	RS	Jonesboro, Ga.	Jonesboro HS	
32	Kyle Cote	S	5-10	185	*So.	1VL	Six Mile, S.C.	Daniel HS	Cote (COHT-ee)
55	Tyrone Crowder	OG	6-2	340	*Gr.	3VL	Marston, N.C.	Richmond Senior HS	
33	J.D. Davis	LB	6-2	225	Jr.	2VL	Clemson, S.C.	Daniel HS	
36	Judah Davis	LB	6-2	235	Jr.	2VL	Clemson, S.C.	Daniel HS	
9	Brian Dawkins Jr.	CB	5-7	165	*Fr.	RS	Parker, Colo.	Valor Christian HS	
68	Noah DeHond	OT	6-6	310	Fr.	HS	Rochester, N.Y.	Peddie (N.J.) School	
29	Marcus Edmond	CB	6-0	180	*Gr.	2VL	Hopkins, S.C.	Lower Richland HS	
9	Travis Etienne	RB	5-10	200	Fr.	HS	Jennings, La.	Jennings HS	Etienne (EE-tee-ehn)
50	Justin Falcinelli	C	6-4	305	*Gr.	2VL	Middletown, Md.	Middletown HS	Falcinelli (fal-sih-NEHL-ee)
28	Tavien Feaster	RB	5-11	220	So.	1VL	Spartanburg, S.C.	Spartanburg HS	
99	Clelin Ferrell	DE	6-5	260	*So.	1VL	Richmond, Va.	Benedictine College Preparatory	Clelin (CLEE-lihn)
2	Mark Fields	CB	5-11	180	Jr.	2VL	Charlotte, N.C.	William Amos Hough HS	
35	Justin Foster	DE	6-4	255	Fr.	HS	Shelby, N.C.	Crest HS	
27	C.J. Fuller	RB	5-10	205	*Jr.	2VL	Easley, S.C.	Easley HS	
77	Zach Giella	OL	6-4	295	*So.	1VL	Lincolnton, Ga.	Augusta Christian Schools	Giella (jee-EH-luh)
64	Pat Godfrey	C	6-2	275	*Gr.	SQ	Greenlawn, N.Y.	Harborfields HS	
87	D.J. Greenlee	TE	6-1	245	*Gr.	2VL	Clemson, S.C.	Daniel HS	
39	Christian Groomes	PK	5-11	200	Sr.	SQ	Central, S.C.	Daniel HS	
51	Taylor Hearn	OG	6-5	330	*Jr.	2VL	Williston, S.C.	Williston-Elko HS	
5	Tee Higgins	WR	6-4	200	Fr.	HS	Oak Ridge, Tenn.	Oak Ridge HS	
92	Greg Huegel	PK	5-11	195	*Jr.	2VL	Blythewood, S.C.	Blythewood HS	Huegel (HYOO-guhl)
67	Albert Huggins	DT	6-3	305	Jr.	2VL	Orangeburg, S.C.	Orangeburg-Wilkinson HS	
75	Mitch Hyatt	OT	6-5	305	Jr.	2VL	Suwanee, Ga.	North Gwinnett HS	
10	Tucker Israel	QB	5-11	165	*So.	SQ	Orlando, Fla.	Lake Nona HS	
14	Denzel Johnson	S	6-1	200	*So.	1VL	Columbia, S.C.	A.C. Flora HS	
15	Hunter Johnson	QB	6-2	210	Fr.	HS	Brownsburg, Ind.	Brownsburg HS	
93	Sterling Johnson	DT	6-4	300	*So.	1VL	Clayton, N.C.	Cleveland HS	
34	Kendall Joseph	LB	6-0	225	*Jr.	2VL	Belton, S.C.	Belton-Honea Path HS	Honea (HUHN-ee-uh)
22	Xavier Kelly	DE	6-4	265	*Fr.	RS	Wichita, Kan.	East HS	Xavier (ehx-ZAYV-yuhr)
57	Tre Lamar	LB	6-4	250	So.	1VL	Roswell, Ga.	Roswell HS	
90	Dexter Lawrence	DT	6-4	340	So.	1VL	Wake Forest, N.C.	Wake Forest HS	
34	Ray-Ray McCloud	WR	5-10	180	Jr.	2VL	Tampa, Fla.	Sickles HS	
69	Maverick Morris	OL	6-4	300	*Gr.	3VL	Broxton, Ga.	Coffee HS	
1	Trayvon Mullen	CB	6-2	190	So.	1VL	Fort Lauderdale, Fla.	Coconut Creek HS	
19	Tanner Muse	S	6-2	225	*So.	1VL	Belmont, N.C.	South Point HS	
6	Dorian O'Daniel	LB	6-1	220	*Gr.	3VL	Olney, Md.	Our Lady of Good Counsel HS	
14	Diondre Overton	WR	6-5	205	So.	1VL	Greensboro, N.C.	Walter Hines Page HS	
70	Seth Penner	OG	6-2	300	*So.	1VL	Naples, Fla.	First Baptist Academy	
58	Patrick Phibbs	LS	6-2	215	*So.	SQ	Pittsburgh, Pa.	Central Catholic HS	
44	Nyles Pinckney	DT	6-1	300	*Fr.	RS	Beaufort, S.C.	Whale Branch Early College HS	
76	Sean Pollard	OL	6-5	315	So.	1VL	Jackson Springs, N.C.	Pinecrest HS	
17	Cornell Powell	WR	6-0	205	So.	1VL	Greenville, N.C.	J.H. Rose HS	
78	Chandler Reeves	OT	6-7	285	*Fr.	RS	McDonough, Ga.	Eagle's Landing Christian Academy	
45	Chris Register	DE	6-3	255	*Jr.	1VL	Greensboro, N.C.	Dudley HS	
13	Hunter Renfrow	WR	5-10	180	*Jr.	2VL	Myrtle Beach, S.C.	Socastee HS	Socastee (SAHK-uh-see)
80	Milan Richard	TE	6-2	255	*Jr.	2VL	Savannah, Ga.	Calvary Day School	
50	Jabril Robinson	DT	6-2	270	*Jr.	2VL	Leland, N.C.	North Brunswick HS	Leland (LEE-lehnd)
3	Amari Rodgers	WR	5-9	210	Fr.	HS	Knoxville, Tenn.	Knoxville Catholic HS	
54	Logan Rudolph	DE	6-2	230	Fr.	HS	Rock Hill, S.C.	Northwestern HS	
41	Connor Sekas	LB	6-1	225	Sr.	SQ	Vienna, Va.	James Madison HS	Sekas (SEE-kuhs)
11	Isaiah Simmons	S	6-3	225	*Fr.	RS	Olathe, Kan.	Olathe North HS	Olathe (oh-LAY-thuh)
74	John Simpson	OG	6-4	320	So.	1VL	North Charleston, S.C.	Fort Dorchester HS	
47	James Skalski	LB	6-0	240	So.	1VL	Sharpsburg, Ga.	Northgate HS	Skalski (SKAL-skee)
84	Cannon Smith	TE	6-4	270	*Jr.	2VL	Columbia, S.C.	Hammond School	
43	Chad Smith	LB	6-4	235	*So.	1VL	Sterling, Va.	Dominion HS	
5	Shaq Smith	LB	6-2	245	*Fr.	RS	Baltimore, Md.	IMG (Fla.) Academy	
23	Van Smith	S	5-11	185	Jr.	2VL	Charlotte, N.C.	William Amos Hough HS	
10	Baylon Spector	LB	6-2	220	Fr.	HS	Calhoun, Ga.	Calhoun HS	Baylon (BAY-lehn)
47	Alex Spence	PK	6-2	200	*Jr.	SQ	Florence, S.C.	West Florence HS	
52	Austin Spence	LS	6-1	200	*So.	SQ	Florence, S.C.	West Florence HS	
48	Will Spiers	P	6-4	225	*Fr.	RS	Cameron, S.C.	Calhoun Academy	
62	Cade Stewart	OL	6-2	300	*Fr.	RS	Six Mile, S.C.	Daniel HS	
20	Jack Swinney	WR	5-9	160	*Sr.	SQ	Lawrenceville, Ga.	Brookwood HS	
16	Will Swinney	WR	5-9	185	Fr.	HS	Clemson, S.C.	Daniel HS	
8	A.J. Terrell	CB	6-1	190	Fr.	HS	Atlanta, Ga.	Westlake HS	Terrell (teh-REHL)
35	Ty Thomason	RB	5-10	225	*So.	SQ	Greenville, S.C.	Eastside HS	
1	Trevion Thompson	WR	6-2	200	*Jr.	2VL	Durham, N.C.	Hillside HS	Trevion (TRAY-vee-ahn)
28	Amir Trapp	CB	5-8	170	*So.	1VL	Clemson, S.C.	Daniel HS	
24	Nolan Turner	S	6-1	200	*Fr.	RS	Vestavia Hills, Ala.	Vestavia Hills HS	

# VETERAN ROSTER (ALPHABETICAL) (CONT'D)

#	Player	Pos.	Hgt.	Wgt.	Cl.	Exp.	Hometown	High School or Junior College	Pronunciation
72	Blake Vinson	OT	6-4	290	Fr.	HS	Ocala, Fla.	North Marion HS	
12	K'Von Wallace	DB	6-0	195	So.	1VL	Richmond, Va.	Highland Springs HS	K'Von (KAY-vahn)
42	Christian Wilkins	DL	6-4	300	Jr.	2VL	Springfield, Mass.	Suffield (Conn.) Academy	
44	Garrett Williams	TE	6-4	245	Jr.	2VL	Orlando, Fla.	The First Academy	
30	Jalen Williams	LB	5-10	210	Jr.	2VL	Columbia, S.C.	Blythewood HS	
59	Jordan Williams	DT	6-4	280	Fr.	HS	Virginia Beach, Va.	Frank W. Cox HS	
20	LeAnthony Williams	CB	6-0	175	Fr.	HS	Atlanta, Ga.	Westlake HS	
49	Richard Yeargin	DE	6-4	260	*Jr.	2VL	Lauderdale Lakes, Fla.	University School of Nova Southeastern University	

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# RESERVE ROSTER (ALPHABETICAL)

#	Player	Pos.	Hgt.	Wgt.	Cl.	Exp.	Hometown	High School or Junior College	Pronunciation
96	Michael Batson	P	5-9	205	*So.	SQ	Central, S.C.	Christ Church Episcopal School	
82	Will Brown	WR	5-8	190	Fr.	HS	Boiling Springs, S.C.	Boiling Springs HS	
27	Alex Dalton	S	5-8	200	*Fr.	HS	Anderson, S.C.	T.L. Hanna HS	
94	Jacob Edwards	DE	6-2	265	Fr.	HS	Vestavia Hills, Ala.	Vestavia Hills HS	
95	James Edwards	DE	6-2	260	Fr.	HS	Vestavia Hills, Ala.	Vestavia Hills HS	
92	Daniel Funderburk	DT	6-3	245	*Fr.	HS	North Myrtle Beach, S.C.	North Myrtle Beach HS	
83	Carter Groomes	WR	5-9	185	*Fr.	RS	Central, S.C.	Daniel HS	
48	Landon Holden	LB	6-1	225	*Fr.	HS	Inman, S.C.	Chapman HS	
88	Jayson Hopper	WR	6-0	215	*Fr.	HS	Lexington, S.C.	Lexington HS	
37	Austin Jackson	S	6-2	200	*So.	RS	Cary, N.C.	Green Hope HS	
45	Josh Jackson	DB	6-1	190	*Fr.	HS	Greenville, S.C.	Christ Church Episcopal School	
97	Carson King	P	6-0	225	*So.	SQ	Nashville, Tenn.	Brentwood Academy	
52	Matthew King	LB	6-0	230	*So.	HS	Inman, S.C.	Boiling Springs HS	
37	Ryan Mac Lain	RB	5-9	175	*So.	SQ	Plymouth, Ind.	Plymouth HS	Mac Lain (mak-LAYN)
71	Jack Maddox	LS	6-2	210	Fr.	HS	Acton, Mass.	Acton-Boxborough Regional HS	
46	Jarvis Magwood	LB	5-11	215	*Jr.	SQ	Greenville, S.C.	James F. Byrnes HS	
95	Isaac Moorhouse	DT	6-3	270	*So.	HS	Anderson, S.C.	Anderson Christian School	
40	Hall Morton	S	5-8	180	*Fr.	RS	Birmingham, Ala.	Oak Mountain HS	
56	Luke Price	LB	6-2	225	Fr.	HS	Dillon, S.C.	Dillon Christian School	
21	Darien Rencher	RB	5-8	195	*Fr.	RS	Anderson, S.C.	T.L. Hanna HS	
97	Nick Rowell	DE	6-3	250	*So.	HS	Spartanburg, S.C.	James F. Byrnes HS	
39	Cameron Scott	DB	5-11	205	*Jr.	SQ	Florence, S.C.	Wilson HS	
81	Kanyon Tuttle	WR	5-11	170	*So.	SQ	Charlotte, N.C.	Charlotte Latin School	
53	Regan Upshaw	LB	5-10	225	*Fr.	RS	Bradenton, Fla.		

\* - spent one season as a redshirt player

# COACHES

Coach	Title(s)	Position(s)	CU Years	Alma Mater	Pronunciation
Dabo Swinney	Head Coach		*15th	Alabama '93	Dabo Swinney (DA-boh SWEE-nee)
Danny Pearman	Assistant Head Coach, Special Teams Coordinator	Tight Ends	10th	Clemson '87	
Tony Elliott	Assistant Coach, Co-Offensive Coordinator	Running Backs	7th	Clemson '02	
Jeff Scott	Assistant Coach, Co-Offensive Coordinator	Wide Receivers	10th	Clemson '03	
Brent Venables	Assistant Coach, Defensive Coordinator	Linebackers	6th	Kansas State '92	
Todd Bates	Assistant Coach	Defensive Linemen	1st	Alabama '05	
Robbie Caldwell	Assistant Coach	Offensive Linemen	7th	Furman '77	
Mickey Conn	Assistant Coach	Safeties	1st	Alabama '93	
Mike Reed	Assistant Coach	Cornerbacks	5th	Boston College '94	
Brandon Streeter	Assistant Coach, Recruiting Coordinator	Quarterbacks	4th	Clemson '99	

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# STATS

1-0 OVERALL, 0-0 ACC, 1-0 HOME, 0-0 AWAY, 0-0 NEUTRAL, 1-0 DAY, 0-0 NIGHT, 0-0 OVERTIME

## TEAM STATS

	CU	Opp.
SCORING	56	3
Points Per Game	56.0	3.0
Points Off Turnovers	0	0
FIRST DOWNS	34	5
Rushing	15	4
Passing	14	0
Penalty	5	1
RUSHING YARDAGE	353	119
Yards gained rushing	373	129
Yards lost rushing	20	10
Rushing Attempts	43	44
Average Per Rush	8.2	2.7
Average Per Game	353.0	119.0
TDs Rushing	6	0
PASSING YARDAGE	312	1
Comp-Att-Int	25-35-1	1-5-0
Average Per Pass	8.9	0.2
Average Per Catch	12.5	1.0
Average Per Game	312.0	1.0
TDs Passing	2	0
TOTAL OFFENSE	665	120
Total Plays	78	49
Average Per Play	8.5	2.4
Average Per Game	665.0	120.0
KICK RETURNS: #-Yards	1-22	4-72
PUNT RETURNS: #-Yards	4-26	0-0
INT RETURNS: #-Yards	0-0	1-10
KICK RETURN AVERAGE	22.0	18.0
PUNT RETURN AVERAGE	6.5	0.0
INT RETURN AVERAGE	0.0	10.0
FUMBLES-LOST	1-0	0-0
PENALTIES-Yards	4-45	11-79
Average Per Game	45.0	79.0
PUNTS-Yards	2-98	11-511
Average Per Punt	49.0	46.5
Net punt average	49.0	42.3
KICKOFFS-Yards	9-573	2-121
Average Per Kick	63.7	60.5
Net kick average	41.8	49.5
TIME OF POSSESSION/Game	26:55	33:05
3RD-DOWN Conversions	5/10	4/16
3rd-Down Pct	50%	25%
4TH-DOWN Conversions	1/1	0/0
4th-Down Pct	100%	0%
SACKS BY-Yards	0-0	0-0
MISC YARDS	0	0
TOUCHDOWNS SCORED	8	0
FIELD GOALS-ATTEMPTS	0-0	1-1
ON-SIDE KICKS	0-0	0-0
RED-ZONE SCORES	(5-6) 83%	(1-1) 100%
RED-ZONE TOUCHDOWNS	(5-6) 83%	(0-1) 0%
PAT-ATTEMPTS	(8-8) 100%	(0-0) 0%
ATTENDANCE	80121	0
Games/Avg Per Game	1/80121	0/0
Neutral Site Games		0/0

## TEAM SCORING

	CU	Opp.
POINTS	56	3
Points Per Game	56.0	3.0
TOUCHDOWNS	8	0
By Rushing	6	0
By Passing	2	0
By Return	0	0
By Recovery	0	0
FIELD GOALS	0-0	1-1
PAT (Kicks)	8-8	0-0
PAT (Runs)	0-0	0-0
PAT (Passes)	0-0	0-0
PAT (Returns)	0	0
SAFETIES	0	0

## SCORING BY QUARTERS

	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	OT	Tot
CLEMSON	21	7	21	7	-	56
Opponents	0	3	0	3	-	3

## OFFENSIVE STATS

#	RUSHING	G-S	Car	Gain	Loss	Net	Y/C	TD	LG	Y/G
9	Travis Etienne	1	8	81	0	81	10.1	1	54	81.0
2	Kelly Bryant	1	7	80	3	77	11.0	1	47	77.0
28	Tavien Feaster	1	6	71	2	69	11.5	1	47	69.0
27	C.J. Fuller	1	7	51	0	51	7.3	2	26	51.0
35	Ty Thomason	1	4	32	0	32	8.0	0	11	32.0
21	Darien Rencher	1	4	27	0	27	6.8	0	21	27.0
26	Adam Choice	1	4	20	0	20	5.0	1	10	20.0
6	Zerrick Cooper	1	1	11	0	11	11.0	0	11	11.0
37	Ryan Mac Lain	1	1	0	2	-2	-2.0	0	0	-2.0
TEAM		1	1	0	13	-13	-13.0	0	0	-13.0
CLEMSON		1	43	373	20	353	8.2	6	54	353.0
Opponents		1	44	129	10	119	2.7	0	19	119.0

#	PASSING	G-S	Eff.	Cm-Att-I	Cm%	Yds	TD	LG	Y/G
2	Kelly Bryant	1	168.75	16-22-1	72.7	236	1	61	236.0
15	Hunter Johnson	1	137.93	5-6-0	83.3	39	0	18	39.0
6	Zerrick Cooper	1	173.47	4-6-0	66.7	37	1	14	37.0
TEAM		1	0.00	0-1-0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
CLEMSON		1	159.45	25-35-1	71.4	312	2	61	312.0
Opponents		1	21.68	1-5-0	20.0	1	0	1	1.0

#	RECEIVING	G-S	Rec	Yards	Y/Rec	TD	LG	Y/G
34	Ray-Ray McCloud	1	3	24	8.0	0	9	24.0
3	Amari Rodgers	1	3	19	6.3	0	9	19.0
8	Deon Cain	1	2	70	35.0	1	61	70.0
80	Milan Richard	1	2	70	35.0	0	44	70.0
25	J.C. Chalk	1	2	19	9.5	0	18	19.0
5	Tee Higgins	1	2	18	9.0	0	12	18.0
13	Hunter Renfrow	1	2	16	8.0	0	8	16.0
27	C.J. Fuller	1	2	13	6.5	0	8	13.0
17	Cornell Powell	1	1	14	14.0	1	14	14.0
1	Trevion Thompson	1	1	14	14.0	0	14	14.0
26	Adam Choice	1	1	8	8.0	0	8	8.0
11	Shadell Bell	1	1	8	8.0	0	8	8.0
14	Diondre Overton	1	1	8	8.0	0	8	8.0
83	Carter Groomes	1	1	7	7.0	0	7	7.0
88	Jayson Hopper	1	1	4	4.0	0	4	4.0
CLEMSON		1	25	312	12.5	2	61	312.0
Opponents		1	1	1	1.0	0	1	1.0

#	TOTAL OFFENSE	G-S	PL	Rush	Pass	Total	Y/G
2	Kelly Bryant	1	29	77	236	313	313.0
9	Travis Etienne	1	8	81	0	81	81.0
28	Tavien Feaster	1	6	69	0	69	69.0
27	C.J. Fuller	1	7	51	0	51	51.0
6	Zerrick Cooper	1	7	11	37	48	48.0
15	Hunter Johnson	1	6	0	39	39	39.0
35	Ty Thomason	1	4	32	0	32	32.0
21	Darien Rencher	1	4	27	0	27	27.0
26	Adam Choice	1	4	20	0	20	20.0
37	Ryan Mac Lain	1	1	-2	0	-2	-2.0
TEAM		1	2	-13	0	-13	-13.0
CLEMSON		1	78	353	312	665	665.0
Opponents		1	49	119	1	120	120.0

#	ALL-PURPOSE	G-S	Rush	Rec	PR	KOR	IR	Total	Y/G
9	Travis Etienne	1	81	0	0	0	0	81	81.0
2	Kelly Bryant	1	77	0	0	0	0	77	77.0
80	Milan Richard	1	0	70	0	0	0	70	70.0
8	Deon Cain	1	0	70	0	0	0	70	70.0
28	Tavien Feaster	1	69	0	0	0	0	69	69.0
27	C.J. Fuller	1	51	13	0	0	0	64	64.0
34	Ray-Ray McCloud	1	0	24	14	0	0	38	38.0
17	Cornell Powell	1	0	14	0	22	0	36	36.0
35	Ty Thomason	1	32	0	0	0	0	32	32.0
26	Adam Choice	1	20	8	0	0	0	28	28.0
21	Darien Rencher	1	27	0	0	0	0	27	27.0
3	Amari Rodgers	1	0	19	7	0	0	26	26.0
25	J.C. Chalk	1	0	19	0	0	0	19	19.0
5	Tee Higgins	1	0	18	0	0	0	18	18.0
13	Hunter Renfrow	1	0	16	0	0	0	16	16.0
1	Trevion Thompson	1	0	14	0	0	0	14	14.0
6	Zerrick Cooper	1	11	0	0	0	0	11	11.0
11	Shadell Bell	1	0	8	0	0	0	8	8.0
14	Diondre Overton	1	0	8	0	0	0	8	8.0
83	Carter Groomes	1	0	7	0	0	0	7	7.0
38	Amir Trapp	1	0	0	5	0	0	5	5.0
88	Jayson Hopper	1	0	4	0	0	0	4	4.0
37	Ryan Mac Lain	1	-2	0	0	0	0	-2	-2.0
TEAM		1	-13	0	0	0	0	-13	-13.0
CLEMSON		1	353	312	26	22	0	713	713.0
Opponents		1	119	1	0	72	10	202	202.0

# STATS

## DEFENSIVE STATS

#	TACKLES	G-S	*Snaps	Hit	Ast	Total	TFL	Sacks	PBU	QP	^ST
34	Joseph	1-1	*25	4	4	8	1.0-3	--	--	--	--
7	A. Bryant	1-1	*27	6	0	6	--	--	--	--	--
30	Ja. Williams	1-0	24	4	2	6	1.0-1	--	--	1	1
57	Lamar	1-1	*22	1	4	5	--	--	--	--	--
11	Simmons	1-0	21	4	1	5	--	--	--	--	1
43	Ch. Smith	1-0	13	5	0	5	--	--	--	--	2
33	J.D. Davis	1-0	12	3	1	4	--	--	--	--	--
99	Ferrell	1-1	*26	3	1	4	--	--	--	--	--
93	S. Johnson	1-0	18	3	1	4	1.0-3	--	--	--	--
90	Lawrence	1-1	*23	1	3	4	--	--	--	--	--
19	Muse	1-1	*28	2	2	4	--	--	--	--	--
6	O'Daniel	1-1	*22	1	3	4	--	--	--	--	--
36	Ju. Davis	1-0	5	2	1	3	--	--	--	--	--
67	Huggins	1-0	13	1	1	2	0.5-2	--	--	1	--
54	Rudolph	1-0	12	2	0	2	1.0-1	--	--	--	--
47	Skalski	1-0	13	0	2	2	--	--	--	--	--
5	S. Smith	1-0	8	1	1	2	--	--	--	--	--
12	Wallace	1-0	31	1	1	2	--	--	--	--	--
35	Foster	1-0	9	0	1	1	--	--	--	--	--
1	Mullen	1-1	*22	1	0	1	--	--	--	--	--
44	Pinckney	1-0	13	0	1	1	--	--	--	--	--
23	V. Smith	1-1	*9	0	1	1	--	--	--	--	--
24	Turner	1-0	9	0	1	1	--	--	--	--	1
42	Wilkins	1-1	*21	1	0	1	--	--	--	--	--
61	Ka. Bevelle	1-0	3	0	0	0	--	--	--	--	--
31	Carter	1-1	*15	0	0	0	--	--	1	--	--
29	Edmond	1-0	13	0	0	0	--	--	--	--	--
2	Fields	1-0	10	0	0	0	--	--	--	--	--
22	Kelly	1-0	10	0	0	0	--	--	--	--	--
46	Magwood	1-0	3	0	0	0	--	--	--	--	--
45	Register	1-0	14	0	0	0	--	--	--	--	--
8	Terrell	1-0	21	0	0	0	--	--	--	--	--
38	Trapp	1-0	17	0	0	0	--	--	--	--	--
Totals				46	32	78	5.0-10	--	1	2	5
#	INTERCEPTIONS	G-S	Int	Yards	Avg	TD	LG				
CLEMSON		1-1	0	--	--	--	--				
Opponents		1-1	1	10	10.0	0	10				

\* - defensive; ^ - special teams tackles; Note: Special teams tackles and tackles after turnovers are included in tackle totals; tackle totals are from coaches film grade.

## SPECIAL TEAMS & MISCELLANEOUS STATS

#	PUNTING	P	Yards	Y/P	LG	TB	FC	-20	50+	*Net	
97	Carson King	1	49	49.0	49	0	0	0	0	0	
48	Will Spiers	1	49	49.0	49	0	1	1	0	0	
CLEMSON		2	98	49.0	49	0	1	1	0	0	
Opponents		11	511	46.5	66	1	1	2	4	0	
#	FIELD GOALS	FG-FGA	Pct	11-29	30-39	40-49	50+	LG	HB		
CLEMSON		0-0	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Opponents		1-1	100.0	--	1-1	--	--	37	--	--	--
#	KICKOFFS	KO	Yds	Avg	TB	OB					
92	Greg Huegel	5	324	64.8	4	0					
47	Alex Spence	2	121	60.5	0	0					
39	Christian Groomes	2	128	64.0	1	0					
CLEMSON		9	573	63.7	5	0					
Opponents		2	121	60.5	0	1					
#	PUNT RETURNS	PR	Yards	Avg	TD	LG					
34	Ray-Ray McCloud	2	14	7.0	0	9					
38	Amir Trapp	1	5	5.0	0	5					
3	Amari Rodgers	1	7	7.0	0	7					
CLEMSON		4	26	6.5	0	9					
Opponents		0	0	0.0	0	0					
#	KICKOFF RETURNS	KOR	Yards	Avg	TD	LG					
17	Cornell Powell	1	22	22.0	0	22					
CLEMSON		1	22	22.0	0	22					
Opponents		4	72	18.0	0	20					
#	FUMBLE RETURNS	FR	Yards	Avg	TD	LG					
--	--	--	--	--	--	--					
CLEMSON		0	0	0.0	0	0					
Opponents		0	0	0.0	0	0					

## SCOREBOARD

Date	Site	W-L	Score	Opponent (AP,USA)	Attendance	CU AP,USA	Leading Rusher(s)	Leading Passer(s)	Leading Receiver(s)	Leading Tackler(s)
9-2	H	W	56-3	<b>Kent State</b>	80,121	5,5	<b>Etienne (8-81)</b>	<b>Bryant (16-22-236)</b>	<b>Cain, Richard (2-70)</b>	<b>Joseph (8)</b>
9-9	^H			<b>Auburn</b>						
9-16	A			* Louisville						
9-23	H			* <b>Boston College</b>						
9-30	A			* Virginia Tech						
10-7	H			* <b>Wake Forest</b>						
10-13	^A			* Syracuse						
10-28	H			* <b>Georgia Tech</b>						
11-4	A			* NC State						
11-11	H			* <b>Florida State</b>						
11-18	H			<b>The Citadel</b>						
11-25	A			South Carolina						

\* - ACC game; ^ - night game; Note: Bold denotes a Clemson home game; home attendance - 80,121 (80,121 per game); total (home, away, neutral) attendance - 80,121 (80,121 per game).

# TEAM GAME-BY-GAME STATS

Category	KS	AUB	LOU	BC	VT	WF	SYR	GT	NCS	FSU	CIT	SC	Totals
Points	56												56
	3												3
Total Offense	665												665
	120												120
Plays	78												78
	49												49
Yards Per Play	8.5												8.5
	2.4												2.4
Rushing Yards	353												353
	119												119
Carries	43												43
	44												44
Passing Yards	312												312
	1												1
Completions	25												25
	1												1
Passing Attempts	35												35
	5												5
Had Intercepted	1												1
	0												0
Completion Percentage	71.4												71.4
	20.0												20.0
Passing Efficiency	159.5												159.5
	21.7												21.7
First Downs	34												34
	5												5
Total Touchdowns	8												8
	0												0
Rushing Touchdowns	6												6
	0												0
Passing Touchdowns	2												2
	0												0
Field Goals	0-0												0-0
	1-1												1-1
Punting	2-98												2-98
	11-511												11-511
Punting Average	49.0												49.0
	46.5												46.5
Net Punting Average*	49.0												49.0
	42.3												42.3
Time of Possession	26:55												26:55
	33:05												33:05
Third-Down Conversions	5-10												5-10
	4-16												4-16
Fourth-Down Conversions	1-1												1-1
	0-0												0-0
Red-Zone Scoring	5-6												5-6
	1-1												1-1
Red-Zone Touchdowns	5												5
	0												0
Red-Zone Points	35												35
	3												3
Turnovers	1												1
	0												0
Points Off Turnovers	0												0
	0												0
Penalties	4-45												4-45
	11-79												11-79
Punt Returns	4-26												4-26
	0-0												0-0
Kickoff Returns	1-22												1-22
	4-72												4-72
Interception Returns	0-0												0-0
	1-10												1-10
Fumble Returns	0-0												0-0
	0-0												0-0
Sacks	0-0												0-0
	0-0												0-0

Note: Clemson totals on top, opponent totals on bottom; bold denotes a Clemson home game.

# INDIVIDUAL OFFENSIVE & SPECIAL TEAMS STATS

RUSHING Opponent	#2 Bryant			#26 Choice			#6 Cooper			#9 Etienne			#28 Feaster			#27 Fuller			#21 Rencher			#35 Thomason		
	Car	Yds	TD	Car	Yds	TD	Car	Yds	TD	Car	Yds	TD	Car	Yds	TD	Car	Yds	TD	Car	Yds	TD	Car	Yds	TD
<b>Kent State</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>77</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>81</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>69</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>0</b>
Auburn																								
Louisville																								
Boston College																								
Virginia Tech																								
Wake Forest																								
Syracuse																								
Georgia Tech																								
NC State																								
Florida State																								
The Citadel																								
South Carolina																								
Totals	7	77	1	4	20	1	1	11	0	8	81	1	6	69	1	7	51	2	4	27	0	4	32	0

PASSING Opponent	#2 Bryant						#6 Cooper						#15 Johnson					
	Cm	Att	Yds	Int	TD	Eff	Cm	Att	Yds	Int	TD	Eff	Cm	Att	Yds	Int	TD	Eff
<b>Kent State</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>236</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>168.8</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>173.5</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>137.9</b>
Auburn																		
Louisville																		
Boston College																		
Virginia Tech																		
Wake Forest																		
Syracuse																		
Georgia Tech																		
NC State																		
Florida State																		
The Citadel																		
South Carolina																		
Totals	16	22	236	1	1	168.8	4	6	37	0	1	173.5	5	6	39	0	0	137.9

RECEIVING Opponent	#8 Cain			#25 Chalk			#27 Fuller			#5 Higgins			#34 McCloud			#13 Renfrow			#80 Richard			#3 Rodgers		
	Rec	Yds	TD	Rec	Yds	TD	Rec	Yds	TD	Rec	Yds	TD	Rec	Yds	TD	Rec	Yds	TD	Rec	Yds	TD	Rec	Yds	TD
<b>Auburn</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>70</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>70</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>0</b>
Troy																								
SC State																								
Georgia Tech																								
Louisville																								
Boston College																								
NC State																								
Florida State																								
Syracuse																								
Pittsburgh																								
Wake Forest																								
South Carolina																								
Virginia Tech																								
Ohio State																								
Alabama																								
Totals	2	70	1	2	19	0	2	13	0	2	18	0	3	24	0	2	16	0	2	70	0	3	19	0

KICKING Opponent	#92 Huegel		#48 Spiers	
	Made	Missed	#	Yds
<b>Kent State</b>	<b>--</b>	<b>--</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>49</b>
Auburn				
Louisville				
Boston College				
Virginia Tech				
Wake Forest				
Syracuse				
Georgia Tech				
NC State				
Florida State				
The Citadel				
South Carolina				
Totals	--	--	1	49

RETURNS Opponent	#34 McCloud PR			#3 Rodgers PR			#38 Trapp PR			#17 Powell KOR		
	PR	Yds	Avg	PR	Yds	Avg	PR	Yds	Avg	KOR	Yds	Avg
<b>Kent State</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>7.0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>7.0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>5.0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>22.0</b>
Auburn												
Louisville												
Boston College												
Virginia Tech												
Wake Forest												
Syracuse												
Georgia Tech												
NC State												
Florida State												
The Citadel												
South Carolina												
Totals	2	14	7.0	1	7	7.0	1	5	5.0	1	22	22.0

Note: Bold denotes a Clemson home game.



# INDIVIDUAL DEFENSIVE STATS

Opponent	#61 Ka. Bevelle				#7 A. Bryant				#31 Carter				#33 J.D. Davis				#36 Ju. Davis				#29 Edmond				#99 Ferrell			
	Snaps	Tac	TFL	Sk	Snaps	Tac	TFL	Sk	Snaps	Tac	PBU	Int	Snaps	Tac	TFL	Sk	Snaps	Tac	TFL	Sk	Snaps	Tac	PBU	Int	Snaps	Tac	TFL	Sk
<b>Kent State</b>	<b>3</b>	--	--	--	<b>*27</b>	<b>6</b>	--	--	<b>*15</b>	--	<b>1</b>	--	<b>12</b>	<b>4</b>	--	--	<b>5</b>	<b>3</b>	--	--	<b>13</b>	--	--	--	<b>*26</b>	<b>4</b>	--	--
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NC State																												
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The Citadel																												
South Carolina																												
Totals	3	--	--	--	*27	6	--	--	*15	--	1	--	12	4	--	--	5	3	--	--	13	--	--	--	*26	4	--	--

Opponent	#2 Fields				#35 Foster				#67 Huggins				#93 Johnson				#34 Joseph				#22 Kelly				#57 Lamar			
	Snaps	Tac	PBU	Int	Snaps	Tac	TFL	Sk	Snaps	Tac	TFL	Sk	Snaps	Tac	TFL	Sk	Snaps	Tac	TFL	Sk	Snaps	Tac	TFL	Sk	Snaps	Tac	TFL	Sk
<b>Kent State</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>0</b>	--	--	<b>9</b>	<b>1</b>	--	--	<b>13</b>	<b>20.5-2</b>	--	--	<b>18</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>1-3</b>	--	<b>*25</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>1-3</b>	--	<b>10</b>	<b>0</b>	--	--	<b>*22</b>	<b>5</b>	--	--
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NC State																												
Florida State																												
The Citadel																												
South Carolina																												
Totals	10	0	--	--	9	1	--	--	13	20.5-2	--	--	18	4	1-3	--	*25	8	1-3	--	10	0	--	--	*22	5	--	--

Opponent	#90 Lawrence				#46 Magwood				#1 Mullen				#19 Muse				#6 O'Daniel				#44 Pinckney				#45 Register			
	Snaps	Tac	TFL	Sk	Snaps	Tac	TFL	Sk	Snaps	Tac	PBU	Int	Snaps	Tac	PBU	Int	Snaps	Tac	TFL	Sk	Snaps	Tac	TFL	Sk	Snaps	Tac	TFL	Sk
<b>Kent State</b>	<b>*23</b>	<b>4</b>	--	--	<b>3</b>	<b>0</b>	--	--	<b>*22</b>	<b>1</b>	--	--	<b>*28</b>	<b>4</b>	--	--	<b>*22</b>	<b>4</b>	--	--	<b>13</b>	<b>1</b>	--	--	<b>14</b>	<b>0</b>	--	--
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Totals	*23	4	--	--	3	0	--	--	*22	1	--	--	*28	4	--	--	*22	4	--	--	13	1	--	--	14	0	--	--

Opponent	#54 Rudolph				#11 Simmons				#47 Skalski				#43 Ch. Smith				#5 S. Smith				#23 V. Smith				#8 Terrell			
	Snaps	Tac	TFL	Sk	Snaps	Tac	TFL	Sk	Snaps	Tac	TFL	Sk	Snaps	Tac	TFL	Sk	Snaps	Tac	TFL	Sk	Snaps	Tac	PBU	Int	Snaps	Tac	PBU	Int
<b>Kent State</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1.0</b>	--	<b>21</b>	<b>5</b>	--	--	<b>13</b>	<b>2</b>	--	--	<b>13</b>	<b>5</b>	--	--	<b>8</b>	<b>2</b>	--	--	<b>*9</b>	<b>1</b>	--	--	<b>21</b>	<b>0</b>	--	--
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Totals	12	2	1.0	--	21	5	--	--	13	2	--	--	13	5	--	--	8	2	--	--	*9	1	--	--	21	0	--	--

Opponent	#38 Trapp				#24 Turner				#12 Wallace				#42 Wilkins				#30 Ja. Williams			
	Snaps	Tac	PBU	Int	Snaps	Tac	PBU	Int	Snaps	Tac	PBU	Int	Snaps	Tac	TFL	Sk	Snaps	Tac	TFL	Sk
<b>Kent State</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>0</b>	--	--	<b>9</b>	<b>1</b>	--	--	<b>31</b>	<b>2</b>	--	--	<b>*21</b>	<b>1</b>	--	--	<b>24</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>1.0</b>	--
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The Citadel																				
South Carolina																				
Totals	17	0	--	--	9	1	--	--	31	2	--	--	*21	1	--	--	24	6	1.0	--

\* - start; Note: "Snaps" does not include special team plays or offensive plays; special team tackles are included; bold denotes a Clemson home game.