

Auburn Post-Game Notes

Auburn vs. Florida

Ben Hill Griffin Stadium at Florida Field September 29, 2007

- * Auburn team captains were DT Pat Sims and H Matthew Motley.
- * Florida won the coin toss and elected to receive. Auburn chose to defend the south end zone.
- * Kickoff was at 8:10 p.m. ET.
- * The official attendance was 90,685.

TEAM NOTES

- * Auburn is now 42-38-2 all-time against Florida.
- * Auburn is now 9-23 all-time in Gainesville, and won for the first time since 1994.
- * Auburn has now won nine of its last 10 games against top 10 opponents in the AP poll.
- * Auburn has now won seven straight SEC road games and 13 of its last 14 games against SEC teams outside of Jordan-Hare Stadium.
- * Auburn has now won six games against teams ranked fourth in the AP Top 25 poll. The last time Auburn beat a team ranked No. 4 was in 1993, when the Tigers beat Florida 38-35 in Jordan-Hare Stadium.
- * Auburn has now won 13 consecutive games when wearing all white uniforms.
- * Auburn is now 31-7 in games played in September during the Tommy Tuberville era.
- * Auburn has now scored in 55 consecutive games since last being shut out in the 2003 season opener, which is the third-longest streak in team history.
- * Auburn's opening drive of 14 plays for 86 yards covering 7:32 was Auburn's longest drive of the year in terms of plays, yardage and time.
- * This marks the second straight game that Auburn scored first, after its opponents had scored first in the first three games.
- * Auburn held Florida scoreless and without a first down in the first quarter. It marked the first time in nine games that Florida had been shut out in the first quarter.
- * Auburn led 14-0 at the half. The Tigers have led at the half in all five games this season, but it marked the first time Auburn shut out its opponent in the first half.
- * Auburn outscored Florida 7-0 in the second quarter, and has now outscored its opponents 48-16 in the second quarter this season.
- * Auburn became the first team to shut out Florida in the first half since the Gators trailed South Carolina 3-0 at the break on Nov. 14, 1992, before winning 14-9.
- * Auburn led 17-3 after three quarters. The Tigers are now 2-2 when leading after three quarters this season.

INDIVIDUAL NOTES

- * Auburn true freshmen RT Lee Ziemba, RG Chaz Ramsey and LT Ryan Pugh all started on the offensive line for the second game in a row.
- * True freshman quarterback Kodi Burns's 6-yard touchdown run on Auburn's opening drive was his second rushing touchdown of the season.
- * Brandon Cox completed all five of his passes on the opening drive, including three to Rodgeriquis Smith, for 72 yards. He completed 7-of-8 passes in the first quarter, and his only incomplection was a dropped pass by Kodi Burns.
- * Sen'Derrick Marks had his second blocked field of the season in the second quarter.
- * Carl Stewart's 22-yard reception in the second quarter was his second catch of more than 20 yards this season. He had a 30-yarder against South Florida.
- * Montez Billings had three catches in the first half. He had four catches for his career entering the game.

- * Ben Tate's 3-yard touchdown run in the second quarter was his third rushing touchdown of the season and sixth of his career.
- * Patrick Lee had his second career interception in the second quarter.
- * Wes Byrum's 30-yard field goal in the third quarter was his seventh field goal in nine attempts this season.
- * Rodgeriquis Smith had a career high in catches and receiving yards with nine receptions for 102 yards. It marked the second straight week he set a career high in receiving yards after collecting 86 yards last Saturday vs. New Mexico State.
- * Brandon Cox now has 429 completions in his career to move into third on Auburn's career pass completions list, surpassing Dameyune Craig with 427.