



BIG TEN FOOTBALL

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2011 CONFERENCE & OVERALL STANDINGS

LEGENDS DIVISION

	Conference Games						All Games						
	W-L	PCT	H	A	Div.	Strk	W-L	PCT	H	A	N	Top 25 [^]	Strk
1. Michigan State	3-0	1.000	2-0	1-0	1-0	W3	6-1	.857	5-0	1-1	0-0	2-0	W4
2. Nebraska	2-1	.667	1-0	1-1	1-0	W2	6-1	.857	4-0	2-1	0-0	0-1	W2
Michigan	2-1	.667	1-0	1-1	2-1	L1	6-1	.857	5-0	1-1	0-0	0-1	L1
Iowa	2-1	.667	2-0	0-1	1-0	W2	5-2	.714	5-0	0-2	0-0	0-0	W2
5. Minnesota	0-3	.000	0-1	0-2	0-2	L3	1-6	.143	1-3	0-3	0-0	0-3	L4
Northwestern	0-4	.000	0-2	0-2	0-2	L4	2-5	.286	1-2	1-3	0-0	0-3	L5

LEADERS DIVISION

	Conference Games						All Games						
	W-L	PCT	H	A	Div.	Strk	W-L	PCT	H	A	N	Top 25 [^]	Strk
1. Penn State	4-0	1.000	2-0	2-0	2-0	W4	7-1	.875	4-1	3-0	0-0	0-1	W6
2. Wisconsin	2-1	.667	2-0	0-1	1-0	L1	6-1	.857	5-0	0-1	1-0	1-1	L1
Purdue	2-1	.667	2-0	0-1	1-1	W1	4-3	.571	4-1	0-2	0-0	1-1	W1
4. Illinois	2-2	.500	1-1	1-1	1-2	L2	6-2	.750	5-1	1-1	0-0	1-0	L2
5. Ohio State	1-2	.333	0-1	1-1	1-0	W1	4-3	.571	3-1	1-2	0-0	1-1	W1
6. Indiana	0-4	.000	0-2	0-2	0-3	L4	1-7	.125	1-3	0-3	0-1	0-2	L5

[^] - AP, USA Today or Harris

BIG TEN. BIG NEWS.

Big Ten One of Two Conferences with Five Teams in BCS Top 20: The Big Ten is one of two conferences with five teams among the top 20 in the second Bowl Championship Series (BCS) standings. Michigan State, after defeating previously unbeaten Wisconsin on Saturday, climbed five spots to No. 11 in the polls this week. Nebraska and Wisconsin gave the conference three teams among the top 15 with the Huskers checking in at No. 14 and the Badgers appearing at No. 15. Michigan, which enjoyed a bye last week, remained steady at No. 18, while Penn State climbed two spots to No. 19 this week following its win over Northwestern, making the Nittany Lions a Big Ten-best 7-1 this season. The Big Ten, Big 12 and SEC are the only conferences with more than three top-25 teams in the BCS standings.

Big Ten Unbeatens: Through four weeks of the 2011 Big Ten schedule, a pair of squads remain unbeaten in conference play, one in each division. Legends Division member Michigan State boasts a 3-0 conference record after knocking off Ohio State and Michigan in its first two weeks, then defeating Wisconsin on Saturday by way of a Hail Mary heave as time expired. Penn State sits atop the Leaders Division after earning wins in its first four games of the conference season. The Nittany Lions are 2-0 in division play with wins over Indiana and Purdue, and triumphs against Legends Division teams Northwestern and Iowa. Michigan State starts the conference season 3-0 for the second straight season, while Penn State races to a 4-0 start in Big Ten play for the first time since 2008, when it opened with five straight wins.

Going Deep: Five conference teams have recorded just one loss this season, making the Big Ten the only conference in the nation with five teams with one loss or less. Penn State leads the conference with a 7-1 overall mark, while Michigan, Michigan State, Nebraska and Wisconsin each enjoy 6-1 records this season. In addition, nine conference squads have won more than half of their overall games, while eight teams – and four in each division – are at or above the .500 mark in conference play.

Another Top-15 Showcase: This week will mark the third straight Saturday a pair of ranked Big Ten squads will face off, with Michigan State taking part in each of the showdowns. On Saturday, the Spartans travel to Nebraska to face their third straight ranked opponent. The Huskers, who have faced one top-25 team previously this season, boast a 4-0 mark at home and look to climb even with Michigan State in the Legends Division standings. Last week, Michigan State handed Wisconsin its first loss of the season, the second season in a row the Spartans have knocked off an undefeated Badger squad.

TOP STORIES

- Big Ten one of two conferences with five teams in BCS top 20
- Michigan State and Penn State unbeaten in Big Ten play to stand atop divisional standings
- Big Ten only conference in the nation with five teams with one loss or less
- Michigan State and Nebraska give Big Ten national-best six bowl-eligible teams
- Paterno ties NCAA Division I career wins record
- Big Ten standouts climb single-season record charts

WEEK 8 RESULTS

SATURDAY, OCT. 22

Iowa 45, Indiana 24

Purdue 21, #23 Illinois 14*

#13 Nebraska 41, Minnesota 14 *

#21 Penn State 34, Northwestern 24

#16 Michigan State 37, #6 Wisconsin 31

Bye Week: #18 Michigan, Ohio State

Rankings: Bowl Championship Series

* Indicates Divisional Game

WEEK 9 SCHEDULE

SATURDAY, OCT. 29

Northwestern at Indiana
Noon ET - BTN

Purdue at #18 Michigan
Noon ET - ESPN2

#11 Michigan State at #14 Nebraska*
Noon ET - ESPN

Iowa at Minnesota*
3:30 p.m. ET - BTN

Illinois at #19 Penn State*
3:30 p.m. ET - ABC (regional), ESPN2 (outer market)

#15 Wisconsin at Ohio State*
8 p.m. ET - ESPN

Rankings: Bowl Championship Series
* Indicates Divisional Game

BIG TEN MOBILE TOUR

The Big Ten's Honoring Legends. Building Leaders. Mobile Tour will make a stop at each campus this football season. This weekend, it will be in Minneapolis for the Minnesota vs. Iowa game. Visit www.bigten.org/blog/mobile-tour and follow along on Twitter @BIGMobileTour for more information.

LEGENDS DIVISION



LEADERS DIVISION



HONORING LEGENDS. BUILDING LEADERS.

BIG TEN. BIG NEWS.

Staying in the Division: In a full week of Big Ten contests, four games feature divisional matchups. In the Legends Division, Michigan State and Nebraska, with matching 1-0 records in division play, face off in the second divisional game for each team, while Iowa heads to Minnesota in a battle for the Floyd of Rosedale. It will be Iowa's second division game of the season, while Minnesota will be competing in its third of the year. In the Leaders Division, Illinois, 1-2 in division play, faces a Penn State team that boasts a 2-0 mark in division games, while Ohio State heads to Wisconsin as each team looks to maintain their unbeaten marks in divisional play. With the beginning of divisional play, the Big Ten has instituted a new tiebreaker (see page 11) to determine the Big Ten Football Championship Game participants, if necessary. After head-to-head matchups, the next tiebreaker is records within the division, which makes winning divisional games an important part of the Big Ten title chase.

Breaking Down Divisional Races: Eight conference squads – four in each division – are at or above the .500 mark as teams near the halfway point of the Big Ten season. Michigan State is the Legends Division Leader through the first four weeks of the season with a 3-0 record and 1-0 ledger in its division. The Spartans are ahead of three 2-1 squads, Iowa, Michigan and Nebraska, with the Hawkeyes and Huskers each with 1-0 marks in the division. Michigan has played three games in the division, with its only loss coming to the undefeated Spartans. In the Leaders Division, Penn State boasts a 4-0 record, including a 2-0 mark in the division. Wisconsin and Purdue are tied for second in the division standings with 2-1 conference records, while Illinois is fourth with a 2-2 Big Ten record. At the end of the regular season, the team with the best conference record in each division will advance to the inaugural Big Ten Championship Game on Dec. 3.

One for the Lead: Penn State head coach Joe Paterno, the longest serving head coach in major college football history with 46 years at the helm of the Nittany Lions, tied the NCAA Division I record for career wins with his 408th triumph against Northwestern on Saturday. He ties former Grambling head coach Eddie Robinson, who spent 55 years as the school's coach, for the all-time mark. Paterno, who last year joined Robinson as the only two coaches in Division I history to win 400 or more games, looks to assume sole possession of the all-time wins lead when Penn State faces Illinois on Saturday.

Looking to Crack the Record Books: As teams close in on the halfway point of the 2011 conference season, select conference standouts are looking to make their marks on the single-season records books. Wisconsin quarterback Russell Wilson is on pace to become the single-season record holder in pass efficiency with a 204.9 rating, nearly 30 points higher than the current record of 175.3, and would rank second with a completion percentage of 73.2 percent. Michigan quarterback Denard Robinson, who already holds the single-season record for most rush yards by a quarterback, is 10th on the chart this year with 762 yards rushing with at least five games to play. A few standouts are closing in on the top 10, including Wisconsin running back Montee Ball on at least three charts. His total touchdown count of 19 is four behind 10th, while his 17 rushing scores are also four outside the top 10. In addition, his 114 points is just 24 points out of 10th. Illinois wide receiver A.J. Jenkins is less than 300 yards from 10th on the single-season receiving yards charts.

Big Ten Leads All Conferences with Six Bowl Eligible Squads: Two more conference squads earned their sixth wins of the season on Saturday, increasing the conference's bowl-eligible squads to six. The six bowl-eligible teams are the most of any conference in the nation, while the SEC has the second most with four postseason-eligible squads. Michigan State and Nebraska became the latest conference squads to secure their postseason eligibility as the Spartans knocked off Wisconsin and the Huskers went on the road to defeat Minnesota. Michigan State has 21 bowl appearances in its history, while Nebraska leads all conference squads with 47 bowl berths previously. Illinois, Michigan, Penn State and Wisconsin are the other Big Ten teams to have secured their postseason eligibility. With a 5-2 record, Iowa is one win away from giving the conference its seventh bowl-eligible squad.

Trophy Time: In a conference with 16 traditional trophy games, one intraconference keepsake will be on the line Saturday when Minnesota hosts Iowa in the battle for the Floyd of Rosedale. It will be the 77th time since 1935 the teams will square off for the trophy, with Minnesota holding 40-34-2 advantage in the series with the trophy on the line. Last season, Minnesota snapped a three-game Iowa winning streak in the series with a win in the final regular season game for each team.

CLASS Acts: Michigan State's Kirk Cousins and Northwestern's Dan Persa were named two of 10 finalists for the Lowe's Senior CLASS Award, given annually to a senior with notable achievements in four areas of excellence - community, classroom, character and competition. The Big Ten is tied for the lead among all conferences with two finalists after boasting eight nominees for the award, twice as many nominees as any other conference. The Lowe's Senior CLASS Award was first presented in the sport of football in 2008 with Ohio State's James Laurinaitis earning the honor. Penn State's Stefen Wisniewski was a finalist for the Lowe's Senior CLASS Award last season.

Game Tracker: Times and television designations have been set for games scheduled for Nov. 5.
Michigan at Iowa, Noon ET, ESPN
Minnesota at Michigan State, Noon ET, BTN
Indiana at Ohio State, Noon ET, BTN
Northwestern at Nebraska, 3:30 p.m. ET, BTN
Purdue at Wisconsin, 3:30 p.m. ET, ABC (regional), ESPN2 (outer market)

BIG TEN PLAYERS OF THE WEEK

Co-Offensive Players of the Week

Marvin McNutt, Iowa Sr., WR, St. Louis, Mo./Hazelwood Central

- Set the Iowa career record for touchdown receptions as part of a three-touchdown performance against Indiana on Saturday
- Scored on touchdown receptions of 80, 28 and 24 yards, bringing his career total to 24, passing the school record of 21 set by former Hawkeyes Tim Dwight (1994-97) and Danan Hughes (1989-92)
- Finished the game with six receptions for a career-high 184 yards
- Claims his first career Big Ten weekly honor
- Last Iowa Offensive Player of the Week: James Vandenberg (Sept. 19, 2011)

Kirk Cousins, Michigan State

Sr., QB, Holland, Mich./Holland Christian

- Threw three touchdown passes, highlighted by the game-winning touchdown toss to Keith Nichol as time expired, in Michigan State's win over Wisconsin
- Completed 22 of 31 passes for 290 yards, his 20th career 200-yard passing game, as the Spartans rallied from a 14-0 first-quarter deficit
- Won his 22nd game as Michigan State's quarterback, becoming the program's all-time wins leader
- Claims his second career Big Ten weekly honor
- Last Michigan State Offensive Player of the Week: Kirk Cousins (Oct. 25, 2010)

Co-Defensive Players of the Week

Gerald Hodges, Penn State

Jr., LB, Paoli, Pa./Paoli

- Recorded a career-high 14 tackles in Penn State's win over Northwestern on Saturday
- Posted 1.5 sacks as a part of the seven-sack effort by the Nittany Lion defense
- Had a 63-yard interception return, which set up a Penn State touchdown to complete the scoring at 34-24
- Claims the first conference honor of his career
- Last Penn State Defensive Player of the Week: Michael Mauti (Nov. 8, 2010)

Kawann Short, Purdue

Jr., DT, East Chicago, Ind./East Chicago Central

- Recorded career-bests with 3.5 tackles for loss and two sacks in Purdue's 21-14 victory over Illinois on Saturday
- Finished with six total tackles as the Purdue defense held Illinois to nearly 17 points and 90 rushing yards below its season average
- Earns his first Big Ten Defensive Player of the Week honor, having previously earned Special Teams Player of the Week on Oct. 11, 2010
- Last Purdue Defensive Player of the Week: Ryan Kerrigan (Nov. 15, 2010)

Special Teams Player of the Week

Kyler Elsworth, Michigan State

So., LB, Goodrich, Mich./Goodrich

- Blocked a punt in the final minute of the first half, which Michigan State recovered in the end zone to give the Spartans a 23-14 halftime edge
- Marked Michigan State's first blocked punt that resulted in a touchdown since 2006
- Claims his first career Big Ten weekly honor
- Last Michigan State Special Teams Player of the Week: Denicos Allen (Nov. 22, 2010)

Freshman of the Week

Tre Roberson, Indiana

QB, Indianapolis, Ind./Lawrence Central

- Became the first true freshman in Hoosier history to start at quarterback
- Accounted for nearly 300 yards of total offense, completing 16 of 24 passes for 197 yards and a touchdown, while rushing for 84 yards on 16 carries
- Claims his first career weekly honor
- Last Indiana Freshman of the Week: Shane Wynn (Oct. 10, 2011)

NON-CONFERENCE SCHEDULE

(Number in parenthesis indicates total times a Big Ten team will face an opponent from this conference.)

ACC (3)	1-2
Boston College	1-0
Miami (Fla.)	0-1
Virginia	0-1
Big East (1)	1-0
Pittsburgh	1-0
Big 12 (1)	0-1
Iowa State	0-1
C-USA (2)	0-1
Rice (2)	0-1
Great West (1)	1-0
South Dakota	1-0
MAC (11)	10-1
Akron	1-0
Ball State	0-1
Central Michigan	1-0
Eastern Michigan (2)	2-0
Miami (Ohio)	1-0
Northern Illinois	1-0
Temple	1-0
Toledo	1-0
Western Michigan (2)	2-0
MEAC (1)	1-0
South Carolina State	1-0
Missouri Valley (4)	3-1
Indiana State	1-0
North Dakota State	0-1
South Dakota State	1-0
Youngstown State	1-0
MWC (3)	3-0
San Diego State	1-0
UNLV	1-0
Wyoming	1-0
OVC (3)	3-0
Eastern Illinois	1-0
Southeast Missouri	1-0
Tennessee Tech	1-0
Pac-12 (5)	4-1
Arizona State	1-0
Colorado	1-0
Oregon State	1-0
USC	0-1
Washington	1-0
SEC (1)	0-1
Alabama	0-1
Southern (1)	1-0
Chattanooga	1-0
Sun Belt (5)	4-1
Arkansas State	1-0
Florida Atlantic	1-0
Louisiana-Monroe	1-0
Middle Tennessee	1-0
North Texas	0-1
WAC (2)	1-1
Fresno State	1-0
New Mexico State	0-1
Independent (4)	1-3
Army	0-1
Notre Dame (3)	1-2
Total (48)	34-13

A WINNING TRADITION

The Big Ten boasts four of the six winningest college football programs in history, including Michigan with its national-best 890 triumphs. Additionally, only eight teams have won 800 or more games in history, giving the Big Ten half of the nation's programs to have reached the milestone. Among the top eight, Nebraska ranks fourth all-time with 843 wins, Penn State is fifth with 825 triumphs, and Ohio State is sixth with 823 victories.

BIG TEN IN THE NCAA TOP 25

according to NCAA national database as of Oct. 23

INDIVIDUAL LEADERS

<u>Rk</u>	<u>Player</u>	<u>School</u>	<u>Statistic</u>	<u>Rk</u>	<u>Player</u>	<u>School</u>	<u>Statistic</u>
TOTAL OFFENSE				FIELD GOALS PER GAME			
12.	Denard Robinson,	MICH	311.83	4.	Brett Maher,	NEB	1.86
23.	Russell Wilson,	WIS	284.57	8.	Michael Meyer,	IOWA	1.71
				18.	Anthony Fera,	PSU	1.57
RUSHING YARDS PER GAME				TACKLES PER GAME			
9.	Denard Robinson,	MICH	119.33	12.	James Morris,	IOWA	10.50
15.	Montee Ball,	WIS	109.71	16.	Chris Borland,	WIS	10.14
16.	Silas Redd,	PSU	108.63	19.	Christian Kirksey,	IOWA	10.00
17.	Rex Burkhead,	NEB	107.43				
21.	Marcus Coker,	IOWA	102.43	SACKS PER GAME			
PASS EFFICIENCY				1.	Whitney Mercilus,	ILL	1.25
2.	Russell Wilson,	WIS	204.91	12.	Denicos Allen,	MSU	0.86
13.	James Vandenberg,	IOWA	156.74	TACKLES FOR LOSS PER GAME			
23.	Nathan Scheelhaase,	ILL	150.64	3.	Whitney Mercilus,	ILL	1.88
RECEPTIONS PER GAME				8.	Denicos Allen,	MSU	1.57
11.	A.J. Jenkins,	ILL	7.75	11.	Devon Still,	PSU	1.50
17.	B.J. Cunningham,	MSU	6.86	17.	Chris Borland,	WIS	1.43
RECEIVING YARDS PER GAME				PUNT RETURN AVERAGE			
7.	A.J. Jenkins,	ILL	123.38	1.	Jared Abbrederis,	WIS	22.30
12.	Marvin McNutt,	IOWA	108.14	19.	Ameer Abdullah,	NEB	10.20
15.	B.J. Cunningham,	MSU	103.29	KICK RETURN AVERAGE			
SCORING PER GAME				4.	Ameer Abdullah,	NEB	31.90
1.	Montee Ball,	WIS	16.29	7.	Chaz Powell,	PSU	31.57
12.	Brett Maher,	NEB	10.00	21.	Marcus Jones,	MINN	28.46
18.	Rex Burkhead,	NEB	9.43	22.	Raheem Mostert,	PUR	28.44
23.	Michael Meyer,	IOWA	9.17	INTERCEPTIONS PER GAME			
INTERCEPTIONS PER GAME				6.	Isaiah Lewis,	MSU	0.57
6.	Isaiah Lewis,	MSU	0.57	19.	Micah Hyde,	IOWA	0.43
19.	Micah Hyde,	IOWA	0.43	19.	Bradley Roby,	OSU	0.43
19.	Bradley Roby,	OSU	0.43	19.	Ricardo Allen,	PUR	0.43
19.	Ricardo Allen,	PUR	0.43	PUNTING AVERAGE			
PUNTING AVERAGE				5.	Cody Webster,	PUR	46.63
5.	Cody Webster,	PUR	46.63	21.	Anthony Fera,	PSU	43.65
21.	Anthony Fera,	PSU	43.65				

TEAM LEADERS

<u>Rk</u>	<u>School</u>	<u>Statistic</u>
SCORING OFFENSE		
5.	Wisconsin	47.43
20.	Nebraska	37.57
TOTAL OFFENSE		
8.	Wisconsin	511.71
RUSHING OFFENSE		
7.	Nebraska	261.00
8.	Wisconsin	252.14
12.	Michigan	239.00
23.	Illinois	199.25
TOTAL DEFENSE		
2.	Michigan State	222.85
9.	Penn State	281.88
9.	Wisconsin	286.71
10.	Illinois	289.00
16.	Ohio State	304.86
PASS DEFENSE		
2.	Michigan State	134.00
4.	Wisconsin	165.57
14.	Penn State	180.00
21.	Illinois	187.13
22.	Ohio State	188.29
RUSH DEFENSE		
8.	Michigan State	88.86
19.	Illinois	101.88
19.	Penn State	101.88
SCORING DEFENSE		
5.	Penn State	13.13
6.	Wisconsin	13.57
7.	Michigan State	13.71
8.	Michigan	15.50
12.	Ohio State	16.29
15.	Illinois	18.13
24.	Purdue	20.00

BIG TEN COACHING RECORDS

<u>Coach</u>	<u>School</u>	<u>Career (Yrs)</u>	<u>At School (Yrs)</u>	<u>Big Ten Only</u>
LEGENDS DIVISION				
Kirk Ferentz,	IOWA	106-83 (16th)	94-62 (13th)	55-44
Brady Hoke,	MICH	53-51 (9th)	6-1 (1st)	2-1
Mark Dantonio,	MSU	57-37 (8th)	39-20 (5th)	23-12
Jerry Kill,	MINN	128-79 (18th)	1-6 (1st)	0-3
Bo Pelini,	NEB	36-13 (4th)	36-13 (4th)	2-1
Pat Fitzgerald,	NU	36-34 (6th)	36-34 (6th)	18-26
LEADERS DIVISION				
Ron Zook,	ILL	57-61 (10th)	34-47 (7th)	18-34
Kevin Wilson,	IND	1-7 (1st)	1-7 (1st)	0-4
Luke Fickell,	OSU	4-3 (1st)	4-3 (1st)	1-2
Joe Paterno,	PSU	408-136-3 (46th)	408-136-3 (46th)	94-54
Danny Hope,	PUR	48-40 (8th)	13-18 (3rd)	8-11
Bret Bielema,	WIS	55-17 (6th)	55-17 (6th)	29-14

WEEKLY COACHES TELECONFERENCE

The Big Ten Conference football coaches weekly media teleconferences continue through Tuesday, Nov. 22. The calls are held on Tuesdays from 11 a.m. - 1 p.m. CT. The calls are available for playback roughly two hours following the conclusion of each call through Thursday of each week. They will also be archived online at www.bigten.org. Contact the Big Ten Communications office for the phone number and weekly passcode.

The coaches order on each call is as follows. All times are CT.

LEGENDS DIVISION COACHES

- 11:00 a.m. - Pat Fitzgerald, Northwestern
- 11:10 a.m. - Brady Hoke, Michigan
- 11:20 a.m. - Bo Pelini, Nebraska
- 11:30 a.m. - Mark Dantonio, Michigan State
- 11:40 a.m. - Kirk Ferentz, Iowa
- 11:50 a.m. - Jerry Kill, Minnesota

LEADERS DIVISION COACHES

- 12:00 p.m. - Ron Zook, Illinois
- 12:10 p.m. - Danny Hope, Purdue
- 12:20 p.m. - Joe Paterno, Penn State
- 12:30 p.m. - Bret Bielema, Wisconsin
- 12:40 p.m. - Luke Fickell, Ohio State
- 12:50 p.m. - Kevin Wilson, Indiana

2011 WEEK BY WEEK ATTENDANCE

	ALL GAMES				CONFERENCE GAMES			
	Games	Total	Average	Sellouts	Games	Total	Average	Sellouts
Sept. 1-3	9	707,695#	78,633	5	--	--	--	--
Sept. 10	10	723,963	72,396	5	--	--	--	--
Sept. 17	7	453,976	64,854	3	--	--	--	--
Sept. 24	8	625,509	78,188	3	--	--	--	--
Oct. 1	6	454,855	75,809	3	5	393,033	78,607	3
Oct. 8	5	316,125	63,225	2	5	316,125	63,225	2
Oct. 15	5	384,881	76,976	3	5	384,881	76,976	3
Oct. 22	5	282,327	56,465	2	5	282,327	56,465	2
Oct. 29								
Nov. 5								
Nov. 12								
Nov. 19								
Nov. 25-26								
TOTAL	55	3,949,331	71,806	26	20	1,376,366	68,818	10

- New single-day nine-game record

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BIG TEN CAREER RECORDS

Passing Yards by a Quarterback

11,792	Brees, PUR	1997-00
11,163	Painter, PUR	2005-08
10,917	Weber, MINN	2007-10
10,580	Basanez, NU	2002-05
10,461	Long, IOWA	1981-85
9,946	Herrmann, PUR	1977-80
9,715	Henne, MICH	2004-07
9,337	Orton, PUR	2004-07
9,254	Navarre, MICH	200-03
<u>8,932</u>	<u>Smoker, MSU</u>	<u>200-03</u>
7,422	Cousins, MSU	2008-

Completion Percentage (min. 300)

.726	Persa, NU	2009-
.681	Tolzien, WIS	2008-10
.650	Long, IOWA	1981-85
.648	Cousins, MSU	2008-
.643	Collins, PSU	1991-94
.642	Stanton, MSU	2003-06
.641	Kafka, NU	2006-09
.640	Trudeau, ILL	1981-85
.638	Hartlieb, IOWA	1986-88
.629	Miller, MSU	1990-93

Rushing Yards by a Quarterback

3,895	Randle El, IND	1998-01
2,815	Robinson, MICH	2009-

Receptions

325	Stubblefield, PUR	2001-04
292	Bryant, PUR	2004-07
266	Standeford, PUR	2000-03
262	Williams, ILL	1983-85
252	Edwards, MICH	2001-04
227	Decker, MINN	2006-09
210	Bates, NU	1995-98
204	Stratton, PUR	1998-01
203	Orton, PUR	2005-08
<u>202</u>	<u>Williams, WIS</u>	<u>2002-05</u>
189	Belcher, IND	2008-

Receiving Touchdowns

39	Edwards, MICH	2001-04
37	Carter, MICH	1979-82
36	Hardy, IND	2005-07
34	Boston, OSU	1996-98
32	Howard, MICH	1989-91
31	Engram, PSU	1991-95
	Alford, PUR	1994-97
	Johnson, MINN	1998-91
30	Butcher, IND	1967-69
27	Six, most recently by	
	Manningham, MICH	2005-07
24	McNutt, IOWA	2008-

Kickoff Returns

135	Gilreath, WIS	2007-10
122	Stoudermire, MINN	2008-

Kickoff Return Yards

3,102	Stoudermire, MINN	2008-
3,025	Gilreath, WIS	2007-10

Kickoff Return Average

28.8	Brown, PUR	1968-70
26.9	Howard, MICH	1989-91
26.3	Carter, MICH	1979-82
26.2	Duncan, NU	1983-86
26.0	Hill, IOWA	1998-01
25.5	Cobb, MSU	2003-04
25.4	Stoudermire, MINN	2008-
25.3	Thomas, ILL	2003-06
25.1	Powell, PSU	2008-
24.8	Thigpen, IND	2005-08

Scoring

426	Dayne, WIS	1996-99
425	Kelly, PSU	2005-08
412	Thompson, IND	1986-89
377	Swenson, MSU	2006-09
373	Kaeding, IOWA	2000-03
367	Nystrom, MINN	1999-92
356	Nugent, OSU	2001-04
355	Dorsch, PUR	1998-01
354	Rivas, MICH	2003-06
<u>348</u>	<u>Johnson, OSU</u>	<u>1973-76</u>
339	Welch, WIS	2008-

Kicking Points

417	Kelly, PSU	2005-08
377	Swenson, MSU	2006-09
367	Nystrom, MINN	1999-02
	Kaeding, IOWA	2000-03
356	Nugent, OSU	2001-04
355	Dorsch, PUR	1998-01
354	Rivas, MICH	2003-06
342	Stultz, OSU	1997-00
339	Welch, WIS	2008-

Field Goals Made

78	Kelly, PSU	2005-08
72	Nugent, OSU	2001-04
71	Nystrom, MINN	1999-92
	Swenson, MSU	2006-09
68	Dorsch, PUR	1998-01
67	Kaeding, IOWA	2000-03
65	Gregoire, WIS	1984-87
64	Rivas, MICH	2003-06
63	Hamilton, MICH	1993-96
<u>62</u>	<u>Rayner, MSU</u>	<u>2001-04</u>
54	Welch, WIS	2008-

Extra Points

183	Kelly, PSU	2005-08
177	Spangler, OSU	1982-85
172	Janakievski, OSU	1977-80
166	Kaeding, IOWA	2000-03
165	Stultz, OSU	1997-00
162	Welch, WIS	2008-

Consecutive PATs Made

126	Carlson, MICH	1989-92
119	Conway, PSU	1994-96
111	Summers, PUR	2006-08
107	Stoyanovich, IND	1986-88
86	Williams, OSU	1991-92
83	Nystrom, MINN	2000-02
	Nugent, OSU	2002-04
	Wagner, PSU	2007-10
81	Dimke, ILL	2008-

BIG TEN SINGLE-SEASON LEADERS

Rushing Yards (Quarterbacks Only)

1,702	Robinson, MICH	2010
1,270	Randle El, IND	2000
964	Randle El, IND	2001
873	Randle El, IND	1998
868	Scheelhaase, ILL	2010
842	Greene, OSU	1974
806	Robinson, PSU	2005
788	Randle El, IND	1999
779	Pryor, OSU	2009
762	Robinson, MICH	2011

Passing Efficiency

204.9	Wilson, WIS	2011
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Kick Return Average

37.4	Fisher, IND	2009
34.3	Barrington, OSU	1965
33.6	Brown, PUR	1970
31.9	Abdullah, NEB	2011
31.6	Powell, PSU	2011

Approaching Top 10 (listing 10th place on Big Ten single-season list)

Rushing Touchdowns

21	Dayne, WIS	1996
	Caulcrick, MSU	2007
17	Ball, WIS	2011

Receiving Yards

1,260	Thomas, IND	2007
987	Jenkins, ILL	2011

Scoring - Total Points

138	Howard, MICH	1991
	Anderson, NU	2000
114	Ball, WIS	2011

Scoring - Touchdowns

23	Howard, MICH	1991
	Anderson, NU	2000
	Johnson, PSU	2002
19	Ball, WIS	2011

WEEKLY NATIONAL RANKINGS - OCT. 24

ASSOCIATED PRESS

Team (1st Place Votes)	Record	PTS	Prev.
1 LSU (49)	8-0	1489	1
2 Alabama (10)	8-0	1448	2
3 Oklahoma State	7-0	1326	6
4 Stanford	7-0	1318	7
5 Boise State (1)	7-0	1269	5
6 Clemson	8-0	1225	8
7 Oregon	6-1	1136	9
8 Arkansas	6-1	1003	10
9 MICHIGAN STATE	6-1	964	15
10 Kansas State	7-0	945	12
11 Oklahoma	6-1	912	3
12 WISCONSIN	6-1	912	3
13 NEBRASKA	6-1	756	13
14 South Carolina	6-1	675	14
15 Virginia Tech	7-1	673	16
16 Texas A&M	5-2	614	17
17 MICHIGAN	6-1	508	18
18 Houston	7-0	500	21
19 Texas Tech	5-2	350	NR
20 USC	6-1	340	NR
21 PENN STATE	7-1	312	NR
22 Georgia	5-2	290	24
23 Arizona State	5-2	239	24
24 Cincinnati	6-1	71	NR
25 West Virginia	5-2	64	11

Others Receiving Votes: Auburn 62, Southern Miss 48, Baylor 47, Washington 32, Georgia Tech 30, Texas 26, Syracuse 24, Miami (Fla.) 6, TCU 4, Rutgers 3, **ILLINOIS 2**, Brigham Young 2.

USA TODAY

Team (1st Place Votes)	Record	PTS	Prev.
1 LSU (41)	8-0	1457	2
2 Alabama (18)	8-0	1434	3
3 Stanford	7-0	1327	5
4 Oklahoma State	7-0	1301	6
5 Boise State	7-0	1213	7
6 Clemson	8-0	1174	8
7 Oregon	6-1	1121	8
8 Arkansas	6-1	974	10
9 Oklahoma	6-1	964	1
10 MICHIGAN STATE	6-1	932	13
11 WISCONSIN	6-1	867	4
12 Kansas State	7-0	827	16
13 NEBRASKA	6-1	798	11
14 South Carolina	6-1	730	12
15 Virginia Tech	7-1	729	14
16 Texas A&M	5-2	520	18
17 MICHIGAN	6-1	519	17
18 Houston	7-0	507	20
19 PENN STATE	7-1	448	22
20 Arizona State	5-2	253	25
21 Georgia	5-2	208	NR
22 Texas Tech	5-2	180	NR
23 Cincinnati	6-1	159	NR
24 West Virginia	5-2	155	14
25 Southern Miss	6-1	128	NR

Others Receiving Votes: Texas 49, Georgia Tech 39, TCU 33, Baylor 29, **ILLINOIS 22**, Washington 20, **IOWA 14**, Syracuse 10, Brigham Young 9, Southern Methodist 7, Wake Forest 6, Notre Dame 5, Auburn 3, Rutgers 2, Florida 1, Miami (Fla.) 1.

HARRIS POLL

Team (1st Place Votes)	Record	PTS	Prev.
1 LSU (94)	8-0	2854	1
2 Alabama (20)	8-0	2777	2
3 Oklahoma State	7-0	2559	6
4 Stanford (1)	7-0	2523	7
5 Boise State	7-0	2410	5
6 Clemson	8-0	2346	8
7 Oregon	6-1	2136	9
8 Oklahoma	6-1	1866	3
9 Arkansas	6-1	1851	10
10 Kansas State	7-0	1764	12
11 MICHIGAN STATE	6-1	1760	15
12 WISCONSIN	6-1	1731	4
13 NEBRASKA	6-1	1508	11
14 South Carolina	6-1	1378	13
15 Virginia Tech	7-1	1343	16
16 MICHIGAN	6-1	1072	17
17 Texas A&M	5-2	1040	19
18 Houston	7-0	975	22
19 PENN STATE	7-1	769	24
20 Arizona State	5-2	542	23
21 Texas Tech	5-2	407	NR
22 Georgia	5-2	337	NR
23 West Virginia	5-2	330	14
24 Cincinnati	6-1	239	NR
25 Texas	4-2	152	NR

Others Receiving Votes: Georgia Tech 137, Southern Miss 135, TCU 83, Baylor 83, Auburn 60, Syracuse 57, **ILLINOIS 51**, Washington 32, Brigham Young 21, Southern Methodist 14, **IOWA 13**, Miami (Fla.) 10, **OHIO STATE 6**, Rutgers 4.

BOWL CHAMPIONSHIP SERIES

Team	Record	AVG	Prev.
1 LSU	8-0	.9702	1
2 Alabama	8-0	.9627	2
3 Oklahoma State	7-0	.9240	4
4 Boise State	7-0	.8302	5
5 Clemson	8-0	.8240	7
6 Stanford	7-0	.8124	8
7 Oregon	6-1	.6877	10
8 Kansas State	7-0	.6681	11
9 Oklahoma	6-1	.6642	3
10 Arkansas	6-1	.6581	9
11 MICHIGAN STATE	6-1	.5380	16
12 Virginia Tech	7-1	.5338	12
13 South Carolina	6-1	.5014	14
14 NEBRASKA	6-1	.4385	13
15 WISCONSIN	6-1	.4333	6
16 Texas A&M	5-2	.4281	17
17 Houston	7-0	.3416	18
18 MICHIGAN	6-1	.3416	18
19 PENN STATE	7-1	.3071	21
20 Texas Tech	5-2	.2012	NR
21 Arizona State	5-2	.1633	NR
22 Georgia	5-2	.1594	NR
23 Auburn	5-3	.1310	20
24 Texas	4-2	.1187	24
25 West Virginia	5-2	.0733	15

BIG TEN IN THE POLLS

	ILL	IND	IOWA	MICH	MSU	MINN	NEB	NU	OSU	PSU	PUR	WIS
PRE	-/-	-/-	rv/rv	rv/rv	17/17	-/-	10/11	rv/rv	18/16	rv/25	-/-	11/10
9/6	-/-	-/-	rv/rv	rv/rv	17/16	-/-	10/10	rv/rv	15/15	23/20	-/-	8/9
9/12	-/-	-/-	-/-	rv/rv	15/15	-/-	11/10	rv/rv	17/16	rv/rv	-/-	7/8
9/19	24/rv	-/-	-/-	22/21	rv/23	-/-	9/9	-rv	rv/rv	-rv	-/-	6/7
9/26	24/22	-/-	-/-	19/19	rv/25	-/-	8/8	-rv	rv/rv	rv/rv	-/-	7/7
10/3	19/16	-/-	-rv	12/11	rv/20	-/-	14/15	-/-	-rv	rv/rv	-/-	4/5
10/10	16/15/14	-/-	-/-	11/10/10	23/19/22	-/-	14/14/13	-/-	-/-	rv/25/rv	-/-	4/4/4
10/17	23/21/20	-/-	-/-	18/17/17	15/13/15	-/-	13/11/11	-/-	-rv	rv/22/24	-/-	4/4/4
10/24	rv/rv/rv	-/-	-rv/rv	17/17/16	9/10/11	-/-	13/13/13	-/-	-rv	21/19/19	-/-	12/11/12
10/31												
11/7												
11/14												
11/21												
11/28												
12/5												
FINAL												

rv - Receiving Votes Associated Press/USA Today/Harris (NOTE: Harris poll first released on Oct. 9)

BIG TEN CHAMPIONSHIPS

No.	Team	Years
42	Michigan	1898-01c-02-03c-04c-06c-18c-22c-23c-25-26c-30c-31c-32c-33c-43c-47-48-49c-50-64-69c-71-72c-73c-74c-76c-77c-78c-80-82-86c-88-89-90c-91-92-97-98c-00c-03-04c
34*	Ohio State	1916-17-20-35c-39-42-44-49c-54-55-57-61-68-69c-70-72c-73c-74c-75-76c-77c-79-81c-84-86c-93c-96c-98c-02c-05c-06-07-08c-09
18	Minnesota	1900c-03c-04c-06c-09-10c-11-15c-27c-33c-34-35c-37-38-40-41-60c-67c
15	Illinois	1910c-14-15c-18c-19-23c-27c-28-46-51-53c-63-83-90c-01
12	Wisconsin	1896-97-01c-06c-12-52c-59-62-93c-98c-99-10c
11	Iowa	1900c-21-22c-56-58-60c-81c-85-90c-02c-04c
8	Northwestern	1903c-26c-30c-31c-36-95-96c-00c
8	Purdue	1918c-29-31c-32c-43c-52c-67c-00c
7	Chicago	1899-05-07-08-13-22c-24
7	Michigan State	1953c-65-66-78c-87-90c-10c
3	Penn State	1994-05c-08c
2	Indiana	1945-67c

c—co-championship

* Ohio State has vacated the 2010 season

2011 BIG TEN PLAYERS OF THE WEEK

Date	Offensive	Defensive	Special Teams	Freshman
9-5	Russell Wilson, WIS	Brandon Herron, MICH	Brett Maher, NEB Chaz Powell, PSU	Houston Bates, ILL
9-12	Denard Robinson, MICH	Mike Taylor, WIS	Ameer Abdullah, NEB	Ameer Abdullah, NEB
9-19	James Vandenberg, IOWA	Jonathan Brown, ILL	Duane Bennett, MINN	D'Angelo Roberts, IND
9-26	Denard Robinson, MICH Matt McGloin, PSU	Tom Nardo, IOWA	Derek Dimke, ILL	Donovonn Young, ILL
10-3	A.J. Jenkins, ILL Russell Wilson, WIS	Mike Taylor, WIS	Anthony Fera, PSU	Marcus Rush, MSU
10-10	Taylor Martinez, NEB	Tavon Wilson, ILL	Brett Maher, NEB	Shane Wynn, IND
10-17	Montee Ball, WIS	John Simon, OSU	Anthony Fera, PSU	Mike Sadler, MSU
10-24	Marvin McNutt, IOWA Kirk Cousins, MSU	Gerald Hodges, PSU Kawann Short, PUR	Kyler Elsworth, MSU	Tre Roberson, IND

BIG TEN ON PRESEASON WATCH LISTS

**BIG TEN NATIONAL
AWARD WINNERS****AFCA Good Works Team
(Dedication to community service
and off-field accomplishments)**

Al Netter, NU
Jared Crick, NEB

**BIG TEN NATIONAL
AWARD FINALISTS****Lowe's Senior CLASS Award**

Kirk Cousins, MSU
Dan Persa, NU

Preseason Watch List:

Jeff Allen, ILL
Jared Crick, NEB
Mike Brewster, OSU
Joe Holland, PUR
Nate Stupar, PSU
Aaron Henry, WIS

**BIG TEN NATIONAL
AWARD SEMIFINALISTS****Campbell Trophy
(Most Outstanding Student-Athlete)**

Leon Beckum, IND
Tyler Nielsen, IOWA
Kirk Cousins, MSU
Austin Cassidy, NEB
Dan Persa, NU
Joe Holland, PUR
Bradie Ewing, WIS

**BIG TEN MIDSEASON
AWARD WATCH LIST****Mackey Award:
(Nation's Top Tight End)**

Kyler Reed, NEB
Drake Dunsmore, NU
Jake Stoneburner, OSU
Jacob Pedersen, WIS

Preseason Watch List:

Ted Bolser, IND
Kevin Koger, MICH
Brian Linthicum, MSU
Eric Lair, MINN

**Maxwell Award
(Nation's Top Player)**

Nathan Scheelhaase, ILL
Marcus Coker, IOWA
Denard Robinson, MICH
Edwin Baker, MSU
Kirk Cousins, MSU
Taylor Martinez, NEB
Dan Persa, NU
Montee Ball, WIS
James White, WIS
Russell Wilson, WIS

**Walter Camp Award
(Nation's Top Player)**

Denard Robinson, MICH
Kirk Cousins, MSU
Jared Crick, NEB
Dan Persa, NU
James White, WIS

**Bednarik Award:
(Nation's Top Defensive Player)**

Whitney Mercilus, ILL
Shaun Prater, IOWA
Mike Martin, MICH
Jerel Worthy, MSU
Jared Crick, NEB
Lavonte David, NEB
Alfonzo Dennard, NEB
Vince Browne, NU
Devon Still, PSU

**Nagurski Award:
(Nation's Top Defensive Player)**

Akeem Spence, ILL
Shaun Prater, IOWA
Mike Martin, MICH
Jerel Worthy, MSU
Jared Crick, NEB
Lavonte David, NEB
Vince Browne, NU
Nathan Williams, OSU
Michael Mauti, PSU
Kawaan Short, PUR

**Davey O'Brien Award
(Nation's Top Quarterback)**

Nathan Scheelhaase, ILL
Denard Robinson, MICH
Kirk Cousins, MSU
Taylor Martinez, NEB
Dan Persa, NU
Russell Wilson, WIS

**Manning Award
(Best Quarterback)**

Nathan Scheelhaase, ILL
Denard Robinson, MICH
Kirk Cousins, MSU
Taylor Martinez, NEB
Dan Persa, NU
Russell Wilson, WIS

**Doak Walker Award
(Nation's Top Running Back)**

Jason Ford, ILL
Marcus Coker, IOWA
Edwin Baker, MSU
Duane Bennett, MINN
Montee Ball, WIS
James White, WIS

**Biletnikoff Award:
(Nation's Top Wide Receiver)**

A.J. Jenkins, ILL
Damarlo Belcher, IND
Keenan Davis, IOWA
Marvin McNutt, IOWA
Roy Roundtree, MICH
B.J. Cunningham, MSU
Da'Jon McKnight, MINN
Jeremy Ebert, NU
DeVier Posey, OSU
Derek Moye, PSU

**Rimington Trophy
(Nation's Top Center)**

James Ferentz, IOWA
David Molk, MICH
Mike Caputo, NEB
Ben Burkett, NU
Mike Brewster, OSU
Peter Konz, WIS

**Lombardi Award:
(College Lineman of the Year)**

Jeff Allen, ILL
Riley Reiff, IOWA
Mike Martin, MICH
David Molk, MICH
Joel Foreman, MSU
Jerel Worthy, MSU
Jared Crick, NEB
Lavonte David, NEB
Cameron Meredith, NEB
Vince Browne, NU
Ben Burkett, NU
Mike Adams, OSU
Mike Brewster, OSU
Andrew Sweat, OSU
Peter Konz, WIS
Kevin Zeitler, WIS

**Outland Trophy
(Nation's Best Interior Lineman)**

Jeff Allen, ILL
Akeem Spence, ILL
Riley Reiff, IOWA
Mike Martin, MICH
David Molk, MICH
Joel Foreman, MSU
Jerel Worthy, MSU
Jared Crick, NEB
Al Netter, NU
Mike Brewster, OSU
Ken Plue, PUR
Kawaan Short, PUR
Kevin Zeitler, WIS

**Ted Hendricks Award
(Best Defensive End)**

Broderick Binns, IOWA
Ryan Van Bergen, MICH
Cameron Meredith, NEB
Vince Browne, NU
Nathan Williams, OSU
Jack Crawford, PSU

**Butkus Award
(Nation's Top Linebacker)**

Tyler Nielsen, IOWA
Lavonte David, NEB
Michael Mauti, PSU
Chris Borland, WIS
Mike Taylor, WIS

**Thorpe Award
(Nation's Top Defensive Back)**

Trenton Robinson, MSU
Alfonzo Dennard, NEB
Brian Peters, NU
Antonio Fenelus, WIS

**Groza Award
(Nation's Top Placekicker)**

Derek Dimke, ILL
Mitch Ewald, IND
Dan Conroy, MSU
Philip Welch, WIS

**Paul Hornung Award
(Nation's Most Versatile Player)**

Denard Robinson, MICH
Keshawn Martin, MSU
Troy Stoudermire, MINN

**Pony Express Award
(Nation's Top Two- or Three-Player
Tandems)**

Broderick Binns/Mike Daniels, IOWA
Edwin Baker/Kirk Cousins/
Keshawn Martin, MSU
Lavonte David/Alfonzo Dennard, NEB
Drake Dunsmore/Jeremy Ebert/
Dan Persa, NU
Mike Adams/Mike Brewster/
J.B. Shugarts, OSU
Nick Toon/Russell Wilson, WIS
Montee Ball/James White, WIS

2011 Big Ten Football Championship Game



The inaugural Big Ten Football Championship Game will begin at 8:17 p.m. ET on December 3, 2011, and will be held at Lucas Oil Stadium in Indianapolis.

The champion of the Legends Division will meet the champion of the Leaders Division, with the winner earning the Big Ten Championship and a chance to play in either the Rose Bowl Game or Bowl Championship Series National Championship Game.

FOX will serve as the official broadcast partner of the Big Ten Football Championship Games from 2011-16 and Lucas Oil Stadium will host the title games from 2011-15.

Public tickets for the 2011 Big Ten Football Championship Game went on sale at 10 a.m. ET on Saturday, July 30 and were completely sold out in less than two hours. An additional 15,000 tickets will be distributed to each participating institution in the championship game.

CHAMPIONSHIP GAME QUICK FACTS

Date: Saturday, Dec. 3, 2011
Time: 8:17 p.m. ET
Television: FOX
Site: Indianapolis, Ind.
Facility: Lucas Oil Stadium
Surface: FieldTurf
Capacity: 66,268

Big Ten Football Awards

The Big Ten will debut an enhanced football awards program at the conclusion of this season to honor teams, coaches and student-athletes at conference institutions. The Big Ten will hand out 19 individual awards, including 13 newly created awards, five pre-existing trophies featuring new names and one honor that has been bestowed since 1972. The distinguished names on these football awards honor just a small sampling of the countless student-athletes and coaches who have contributed to the conference's rich and storied history.

All of the Big Ten's biggest individual honors will now bear the names of one or two former standouts each. Seventeen of the honors will be awarded immediately following the regular season, including awards for the best quarterback, running back, receiver, tight end, offensive lineman, defensive lineman, linebacker, defensive back, kicker and punter. Each of these individual position awards features the names of two former student-athletes.

The Big Ten will also continue to honor the conference's top coaches, offensive and defensive players and linemen and freshmen with end-of-year trophies. Big Ten coaches will now have the opportunity to claim two awards. Media voters will continue to select the Dave McClain Coach of the Year, which has been awarded since 1972, while coaches will now vote for the newly-created Hayes-Schembechler Coach of the Year award. The top offensive player will receive the Graham-George Offensive Player of the Year award, the best defensive player will be awarded the Nagurski-Woodson Defensive Player of the Year award and the best first-year standout will receive the Thompson-Randle El Freshman of the Year award.

The winner of the inaugural Big Ten Football Championship Game will receive the Stagg-Paterno Championship Trophy, while the most valuable player in the game will be awarded the Grange-Griffin Championship Game MVP award. The conference also created two postgraduate awards - the Ford-Kinnick Leadership Award and the Dungy-Thompson Humanitarian Award.

The full list of awards, along with a breakdown of the former standouts appearing in each award's name, appears to the right.

NAME OF AWARD	NAMED FOR
Championship Game Awards	
Stagg-Paterno Championship Trophy	Amos Alonzo Stagg, Chicago Joe Paterno, Penn State
Grange-Griffin Championship Game MVP <i>(media vote only)</i>	Harold Edward "Red" Grange, Illinois Archie Griffin, Ohio State
Postgraduate Awards <i>(vote by school administrators)</i>	
Ford-Kinnick Leadership Award	Gerald R. Ford, Michigan Nile Kinnick, Iowa
Dungy-Thompson Humanitarian Award	Tony Dungy, Minnesota Anthony Thompson, Indiana
Annual Awards <i>(combined vote by coaches and media, unless otherwise noted)</i>	
Graham-George Offensive Player of the Year	Otto Graham, Northwestern Eddie George, Ohio State
Nagurski-Woodson Defensive Player of the Year	Bronislaw "Bronko" Nagurski, Minnesota Charles Woodson, Michigan
Hayes-Schembechler Coach of the Year <i>(coaches vote only)</i>	Wayne Woodrow "Woody" Hayes, Ohio State Glenn Edward "Bo" Schembechler, Michigan
Dave McClain Coach of the Year <i>(media vote only)</i>	Dave McClain, Wisconsin
Thompson-Randle El Freshman of the Year	Darrell Thompson, Minnesota Antwaan Randle El, Indiana
Rimington-Pace Offensive Lineman of the Year	Dave Rimington, Nebraska Orlando Pace, Ohio State
Smith-Brown Defensive Lineman of the Year	Charles Aaron "Bubba" Smith, Michigan State Courtney Brown, Penn State
Griese-Brees Quarterback of the Year	Bob Griese, Purdue Drew Brees, Purdue
Ameche-Dayne Running Back of the Year	Alan Ameche, Wisconsin Ron Dayne, Wisconsin
Tatum-Woodson Defensive Back of the Year	Jack Tatum, Ohio State Rod Woodson, Purdue
Butkus-Fitzgerald Linebacker of the Year	Dick Butkus, Illinois Pat Fitzgerald, Northwestern
Richter-Howard Receiver of the Year	Pat Richter, Wisconsin Desmond Howard, Michigan
Kwalick-Clark Tight End of the Year	Ted Kwalick, Penn State Dallas Clark, Iowa
Bakken-Andersen Kicker of the Year	Jim Bakken, Wisconsin Morten Andersen, Michigan State
Eddleman-Fields Punter of the Year	Thomas Dwight "Dike" Eddleman, Illinois Brandon Fields, Michigan State

HONORING LEGENDS. BUILDING LEADERS.

NORTHWESTERN AT INDIANA

Saturday, Oct. 29, 2011 • Noon ET • Bloomington, Ind. • Memorial Stadium (52,929)
 BTN • Announcers: Tom Hart, Derek Rackley, Lisa Byington
 Series: Northwestern leads 44-34-1 • Last Meeting: Oct. 30, 2010: Northwestern 20, Indiana 17

NORTHWESTERN (2-5 overall, 0-4 Big Ten)

Coach: Pat Fitzgerald

Career: 36-34 (6th year) At Northwestern: 36-34 (6th year)

Offense: Spread

Rush: Kain Colter (77-421 yards, 6 TDs)

Pass: Dan Persa (98-131, 990 yards, 6 TDs)

Rec.: Jeremy Ebert (44-540 yards, 6 TDs)

Defense: Multiple 4-3

Tackles: David Nwabuisi (54 tackles)

Sacks: Vince Browne (2.0-9 yards) and Jack DiNardo (2.0-13 yards)

Int.: Ibraheim Campbell (2-43 yards) and Brian Peters (2-24 yards)

Football Contact: Mike Wolf - 847-467-2028, mwolf@northwestern.edu

INDIANA (1-7 overall, 0-4 Big Ten)

Coach: Kevin Wilson

Career: 1-7 (1st year) At Indiana: 1-7 (1st year)

Offense: Multiple

Rush: Stephen Houston (92-426 yards, 4 TDs)

Pass: Tre Roberson (29-46, 355 yards, 1 TD)

Rec.: Damarlo Belcher (25-286 yards, 1 TD) and

Kofi Hughes (19-286 yards, 2 TDs)

Defense: 4-3

Tackles: Jeff Thomas (58 tackles)

Sacks: Adam Replogle (4.0-25 yards)

Int: Greg Heban (2-0 yards)

Football Contact: Jeff Keag - 812-855-6209, jkeag@indiana.edu

PURDUE AT #18 MICHIGAN

Saturday, Oct. 29, 2011 • Noon ET • Ann Arbor, Mich. • Michigan Stadium (109,901)
 ESPN2 • Announcers: Beth Mowins, Mike Bellotti
 Series: Michigan leads, 42-14 • Last Meeting: Oct. 13, 2010: Michigan 27, Purdue 16

PURDUE (4-3 overall, 2-1 Big Ten)

Coach: Danny Hope

Career: 48-40 (8th year) At Purdue: 13-18 (3rd year)

Offense: Spread

Rush: Ralph Bolden (82-398 yards, 3 TDs)

Pass: Caleb TerBush (103-167, 1,127 yards, 8 TDs)

Rec.: Justin Siller (28-284 yards, 1 TD) and

Antavion Edison (23-359 yards, 2 TDs)

Defense: 4-3

Tackles: Joe Holland (54 tackles)

Sacks: Kawann Short (3.5-22 yards)

Int.: Ricardo Allen (3-37 yards, 1 TD)

Football Contact: Matt Rector - 765-494-3196, rector@purdue.edu

MICHIGAN (6-1 overall, 2-1 Big Ten)

Coach: Brady Hoke

Career: 53-51 (9th year) At Michigan: 6-1 (1st year)

Offense: Pro Style

Rush: Denard Robinson (120-762 yards, 9 TDs)

Pass: Denard Robinson (76-141, 1,253 yards, 11 TDs)

Rec.: Junior Hemingway (18-434 yards, 1 TD) and

Jeremy Gallon (20-305 yards, 2 TDs)

Defense: 4-3

Tackles: Kenny Demens (50 tackles)

Sacks: Jordan Kovacs (3.0-26 yards)

Int.: Five tied with 1

Football Contact: Justin Dickens - 734-763-4423, dickensj@umich.edu

#11 MICHIGAN STATE AT #14 NEBRASKA

Saturday, Oct. 29, 2011 • 11 a.m. CT • Lincoln, Neb. • Memorial Stadium (81,067)
 ESPN • Announcers: Dave Pasch, Urban Meyer, Chris Spielman, Quint Kessenich
 Series: Nebraska leads, 5-0 • Last Meeting: Dec. 29, 2003: Nebraska 17, Michigan State 3 (Alamo Bowl)

**Legends Division
Game**

MICHIGAN STATE (6-1 overall, 3-0 Big Ten)

Coach: Mark Dantonio

Career: 57-37 (8th year) At Michigan State: 39-20 (5th year)

Offense: Multiple

Rush: Edwin Baker (99-434 yards, 2 TDs)

Pass: Kirk Cousins (136-204, 1,607 yards, 11 TDs)

Rec.: B.J. Cunningham (48-723 yards, 3 TDs)

Defense: Multiple 4-3

Tackles: Max Bullough (45 tackles)

Sacks: Denicos Allen (6.0-42 yards)

Int.: Isaiah Lewis (4-89 yards, 2 TDs)

Football Contact: John Lewandowski - 517-355-2271, lewski@ath.msu.edu

NEBRASKA (6-1 overall, 2-1 Big Ten)

Coach: Bo Pelini

Career: 36-13 (4th year) At Nebraska: 36-13 (4th year)

Offense: Multiple

Rush: Rex Burkhead (130-752 yards, 10 TDs)

Pass: Taylor Martinez (83-151, 1,176 yards, 7 TDs)

Rec.: Jamal Turner (15-243 yards)

Defense: Multiple

Tackles: Lavonte David (64 tackles)

Sacks: Cameron Meredith (3.0-24 yards)

Int.: Five tied with 1

Football Contact: Keith Mann - 402-472-2263, kmann@huskers.com

IOWA AT MINNESOTA

Saturday, Oct. 29, 2011 • 2:30 p.m. CT • Minneapolis, Minn. • TCF Bank Stadium (50,805)
 BTN • Announcers: Eric Collins, Chris Martin, Dionne Miller
 Series: Minnesota leads 60-42-2 • Last Meeting: Nov. 27, 2010: Minnesota 27, Iowa 24

**Legends Division
Game**

IOWA (5-2 overall, 2-1 Big Ten)

Coach: Kirk Ferentz

Career: 106-83 (16th year) At Iowa: 94-62 (13th year)

Offense: Multiple

Rush: Marcus Coker (150-717 yards, 8 TDs)

Pass: James Vandenberg (124-201, 1,741 yards, 16 TDs)

Rec.: Marvin McNutt, Jr. (41-757 yards, 8 TDs)

Defense: 4-3

Tackles: Christian Kirksey (70 tackles)

Sacks: Mike Daniels (3.5-21 yards)

Int.: Micah Hyde (3-0 yards)

Football Contacts: Phil Haddy or Steve Roe, 319-335-9411,
 phillip-haddy@uiowa.edu, steven-roe@uiowa.edu

MINNESOTA (1-6 overall, 0-3 Big Ten)

Coach: Jerry Kill

Career: 128-79 (18th year) At Minnesota: 1-6 (1st year)

Offense: Multiple

Rush: MarQueis Gray (94-438 yards, 2 TDs)

Pass: MarQueis Gray (56-115, 747 yards, 3 TDs)

Rec.: Da'Jon McKnight (27-393 yards, 1 TD)

Defense: 4-3

Tackles: Kim Royston (61 tackles)

Sacks: Five tied with 1.0

Int.: Troy Stoudermire (2-19 yards)

Football Contact: Andy Seeley - 612-626-0299, aseeley@umn.edu

ILLINOIS AT #19 PENN STATE

Saturday, Oct. 29, 2011 • 3:30 p.m. ET • University Park, Pa. • Beaver Stadium (106,572)
 ABC (regional), ESPN2 (outer market) • Announcers: Brock Huard, Carter Blackburn, Lisa Salters
 Series: Penn State leads 14-4 • Last Meeting: Oct. 9, 2010: Illinois 33, Penn State 13

**Leaders Division
Game**

ILLINOIS (6-2 overall, 2-2 Big Ten)

Coach: Ron Zook

Career: 57-61 (10th year) At Illinois: 34-47 (7th year)

Offense: Pro Style

Rush: Nathan Scheelhaase (123-412 yards, 5 TDs)

Pass: Nathan Scheelhaase (122-189, 1,624 yards, 11 TDs)

Rec.: A.J. Jenkins (62-987 yards, 7 TDs)

Defense: Multiple

Tackles: Jonathan Brown (58 tackles)

Sacks: Whitney Mercilus (10.0-64 yards)

Int.: Trulon Henry (2-27 yards, 1 TD)

Football Contact: Kent Brown - 217-333-1391, kwbrown3@illinois.edu

PENN STATE (7-1 overall, 4-0 Big Ten)

Coach: Joe Paterno

Career: 408-136-3 (46th year) At Penn State: 408-136-3 (46th year)

Offense: Multiple

Rush: Silas Redd (165-869 yards, 6 TDs)

Pass: Rob Bolden (44-98, 526 yards, 1 TD) and

Matt McGloin (81-138, 1,095 yards, 7 TDs)

Rec.: Derek Moyer (28-485 yards, 3 TDs)

Defense: Multiple

Tackles: Gerald Hodges (58 tackles)

Sacks: Sean Stanley (4.0-26 yards)

Int.: Nick Sukay (3-18 yards)

Football Contact: Jeff Nelson - 814-865-1757, jtn4@psu.edu

#15 WISCONSIN AT OHIO STATE

Saturday, Oct. 29, 2011 • 8 p.m. ET • Columbus, Ohio • Ohio Stadium (102,329)
 ESPN • Announcers: Brad Nessler, Todd Blackledge, Holly Rowe
 Series: Ohio State leads 53-17-5 • Last Meeting: Oct. 16, 2010: Wisconsin 31, Ohio State 18

**Leaders Division
Game**

WISCONSIN (6-1 overall, 2-1 Big Ten)

Coach: Bret Bielema

Career: 55-17 (6th year) At Wisconsin: 55-17 (6th year)

Offense: Multiple

Rush: Montee Ball (125-768 yards, 17 TDs)

Pass: Russell Wilson (109-149, 1,780 yards, 16 TDs)

Rec.: Nick Toon (27-505 yards, 6 TDs) and

Jared Abbrederis (30-482 yards, 2 TDs)

Defense: 4-3

Tackles: Chris Borland (71 tackles)

Sacks: Louis Nzegwu (3.5-18 yards)

Int.: Antonio Fenelus (2-10 yards) and Aaron Henry (2-29 yards)

Football Contact: Brian Lucas - 608-262-1811, bml@athletics.wisc.edu

OHIO STATE (4-3 overall, 1-2 Big Ten)

Coach: Luke Fickell

Career: 4-3 (1st year) At Ohio State: 4-3 (1st year)

Offense: Multiple

Rush: Dan Herron (23-114 yards, 1 TD)

Pass: Braxton Miller (26-51, 403 yards, 5 TDs)

Rec.: Devin Smith (9-187 yards, 3 TDs) and

Jake Stoneburner (12-150 yards, 6 TDs)

Defense: Multiple

Tackles: Andrew Sweat (49 tackles)

Sacks: John Simon (3.0-15 yards)

Int.: Bradley Roby (3-57 yards)

Football Contact: Jerry Emig - 614-688-0343, emig.2@osu.edu

BIG TEN FOOTBALL DIVISIONAL TIEBREAKER

The Big Ten football championship will be decided by a game played between the two division champions. A team or teams that are not eligible to participate in a postseason football bowl game as a result of NCAA and/or Big Ten sanctions shall not be eligible to participate in the Big Ten football championship game. The winner of the Big Ten football championship game will represent the Conference in the Bowl Championship Series (BCS) unless a conference team other than the champion is ranked No. 1 or No. 2 in the final BCS poll.

The following procedure will determine the representative from each division in the event of a tie:

- (a) If two teams are tied, the winner of the game between the two tied teams shall be the representative
- (b) If three or more teams are tied, steps 1 through 7 will be followed until a determination is made. If only two teams remain tied after any step, the winner of the game between the two tied teams shall be the representative.
 1. The records of the three tied teams will be compared against each other
 2. The records of the three tied teams will be compared within their division
 3. The records of the three teams will be compared against the next highest placed teams in their division in order of finish (4, 5, and 6)
 4. The records of the three teams will be compared against all common conference opponents;
 5. The highest ranked team in the first Bowl Championship Series Poll following the completion of Big Ten regular season conference play shall be the representative in the Big Ten Championship Game, unless the two highest ranked tied teams are ranked within one spot of each other in the BCS poll. In this case, the head-to-head results of the top two ranked tied teams shall determine the representative in the Big Ten Championship
 6. The team with the best overall winning percentage [excluding exempted games] shall be the representative
 7. The representative will be chosen by random draw.

If one or both of the Big Ten division champions is ineligible to play in the Big Ten championship game, then the participant(s) in the Big Ten championship game shall be determined by the following procedure:

- a) If the ineligible team is tied for the division championship, then the team it tied with shall be the Big Ten championship game representative.
- b) If two or more teams are tied with an ineligible team for the division championship, then the ineligible team is removed and the remaining teams revert to the tie-break procedure.
- c) The division runner-up shall be the Big Ten championship game representative.
- d) If there is a division runner-up tie, then the tied teams shall revert to the tie-break procedure.

If the championship game cannot be played (due to any reason beyond the control of the Big Ten Conference), the two division champions (using divisional tie-breakers as set forth above) shall be declared co-champions and the following procedure will be used to determine the Big Ten Conference representative to the Bowl Championship Series:

- a) Teams ranked either No. 1 or No. 2 in the final BCS poll will automatically be placed in the BCS championship game.
- b) If the two divisional representatives met previously in the season and neither is ranked No. 1 or No. 2 in the final BCS standings, the team ranked highest in the final BCS standings shall be the representative to the BCS, unless the other team is ranked within five or fewer places of the higher ranked team. In this case, the head-to-head results of the two teams shall determine the Conference's BCS representative.
- c) If the two divisional representatives did not meet previously during the season, the team ranked highest in the BCS standings shall be the BCS representative.
- d) If the two teams are tied in the BCS standings, the team with the best overall Big Ten record shall be the BCS representative.
- e) If the two teams remain tied after d), the team with the best combined record of the tied teams against all common Big Ten opponents each team played that season shall be the BCS representative.
- f) If the two teams remain tied after e), the representative will be the team with the best overall winning percentage.
- g) If the two teams remain tied after f), the representative will be the team furthest removed from BCS participation.
- h) If the two teams remain tied after g), the representative shall be determined by a random draw.

2011 NO PLAYS

LEGENDS DIVISION

School	Does Not Play:
Iowa	Illinois, Ohio State, Wisconsin
Michigan	Indiana, Penn State, Wisconsin
Michigan State	Illinois, Penn State, Purdue
Minnesota	Indiana, Ohio State, Penn State
Nebraska	Illinois, Indiana, Purdue
Northwestern	Ohio State, Purdue, Wisconsin

LEADERS DIVISION

School	Does Not Play:
Illinois	Iowa, Michigan State, Nebraska
Indiana	Michigan, Minnesota, Nebraska
Ohio State	Iowa, Minnesota, Northwestern
Penn State	Michigan, Michigan State, Minnesota
Purdue	Michigan State, Nebraska, Northwestern
Wisconsin	Iowa, Michigan, Northwestern

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BIG TEN BOWL LINEUP

LITTLE CAESARS PIZZA BOWL

Dec. 27, 2011
4:30 p.m. ET, ESPN
Detroit, Mich.
Big Ten vs. MAC



INSIGHT BOWL

Dec. 30, 2011
10 p.m. ET, ESPN
Tempe, Ariz.
Big Ten vs. Big 12



MEINEKE CAR CARE BOWL OF TEXAS

Dec. 31, 2011
12 p.m. ET, ESPN
Houston, Texas
Big Ten vs. Big 12



TICKETCITY BOWL

Jan. 2, 2012
Noon ET, ESPN
Dallas, Texas
Big Ten vs. C-USA



TAXSLAYER.COM GATOR BOWL

Jan. 2, 2012
1:00 p.m. ET, ESPN2
Jacksonville, Fla.
Big Ten vs. SEC



OUTBACK BOWL

Jan. 2, 2012
1 p.m. ET, ABC
Tampa, Fla.
Big Ten vs. SEC



CAPITAL ONE BOWL

Jan. 2, 2012
1 p.m. ET, ESPN
Orlando, Fla.
Big Ten vs. SEC



ROSE BOWL GAME

Jan. 2, 2012
4:30 p.m. ET, ESPN
Pasadena, Calif.
Big Ten vs. Pac-12/BCS



2011-12 Big Ten Bowl Selection Order

First Selection: Rose Bowl Game/BCS; Second Selection: Capital One Bowl; Third Selection: Outback Bowl
Fourth Selection: Insight Bowl; Fifth Selection: Gator Bowl;
Sixth Selection: Meineke Car Care Bowl of Texas; Seventh Selection: TicketCity Bowl
Eighth Selection: Little Caesars Pizza Bowl

TEAM SCHEDULES: LEGENDS DIVISION

Legends Division Games in Bold

IOWA (5-2, 2-1 Big Ten)			
DATE	SCORE	OPPONENT	ATTENDANCE
9/3	W, 34-7	Tennessee Tech	70,585
9/10	L, 41-44 (3OT)	at Iowa State	56,085
9/17	W, 31-27	Pittsburgh	70,585
9/24	W, 45-17	Louisiana-Monroe	70,585
10/8	L, 3-13	at Penn State	103,497
10/15	W, 41-31	Northwestern	70,585
10/22	W, 45-24	Indiana	70,585
10/29		at Minnesota	
11/5		Michigan	
11/12		Michigan State	
11/19		at Purdue	
11/25		at Nebraska	

#17/17/16 MICHIGAN (6-1, 2-1 Big Ten)			
DATE	SCORE	OPPONENT	ATTENDANCE
9/3	W, 34-10	Western Michigan	110,506
9/10	W, 35-31	Notre Dame	114,804
9/17	W, 31-3	Eastern Michigan	110,343
9/24	W, 28-7	San Diego State	110,707
10/1	W, 58-0	Minnesota	111,106
10/8	W, 42-24	at Northwestern	47,330
10/15	L, 14-28	at #23/19/22 Michigan State	77,515
10/29		Purdue	
11/5		at Iowa	
11/12		at Illinois	
11/19		Nebraska	
11/26		Ohio State	

#9/10/11 MICHIGAN STATE (6-1, 3-0 Big Ten)			
DATE	SCORE	OPPONENT	ATTENDANCE
9/2	W, 28-6	Youngstown State	75,910
9/10	W, 44-0	Florida Atlantic	70,249
9/17	L, 13-31	at Notre Dame	80,795
9/24	W, 45-7	Central Michigan	72,119
10/1	W, 10-7	at Ohio State	105,306
10/15	W, 28-14	#11/10/10 Michigan	77,515
10/22	W, 37-31	#4/4/4 Wisconsin	76,405
10/29		at #13/13/13 Nebraska	
11/5		Minnesota	
11/12		at Iowa	
11/19		Indiana	
11/26		at Northwestern	

MINNESOTA (1-6, 0-3 Big Ten)			
DATE	SCORE	OPPONENT	ATTENDANCE
9/3	L, 17-19	at #25/- USC	68,273
9/10	L, 21-28	New Mexico State	48,807
9/17	W, 29-23	Miami (OH)	49,950
9/24	L, 24-37	North Dakota State	48,802
10/1	L, 0-58	at #19/19 Michigan	111,106
10/8	L, 17-45	at Purdue	38,207
10/22	L, 14-41	#13/11/11 Nebraska	49,187
10/29		Iowa	
11/5		at Michigan State	
11/12		Wisconsin	
11/19		at Northwestern	
11/26		Illinois	

#13/13/13 NEBRASKA (6-1, 2-1 Big Ten)			
DATE	SCORE	OPPONENT	ATTENDANCE
9/3	W, 40-7	Chattanooga	84,883
9/10	W, 42-29	Fresno State	85,101
9/17	W, 51-38	Washington	85,110
9/24	W, 38-14	at Wyoming	32,617
10/1	L, 17-48	at #7/7 Wisconsin	81,384
10/8	W, 34-27	Ohio State	85,426
10/22	W, 41-14	at Minnesota	49,187
10/29		#9/10/11 Michigan State	
11/5		Northwestern	
11/12		at Penn State	
11/19		at Michigan	
11/25		Iowa	

NORTHWESTERN (2-5, 0-4 Big Ten)			
DATE	SCORE	OPPONENT	ATTENDANCE
9/3	W, 24-17	at Boston College	37,561
9/10	W, 42-21	Eastern Illinois	28,042
9/17	L, 14-21	at Army	35,784
10/1	L, 35-38	at #24/22 Illinois	53,243
10/8	L, 24-42	#12/11 Michigan	47,330
10/15	L, 31-41	at Iowa	70,585
10/22	L, 24-34	#rv/22/24 Penn State	40,004
10/29		at Indiana	
11/5		at Nebraska	
11/12		Rice	
11/19		Minnesota	
11/26		Michigan State	

TEAM SCHEDULES: LEADERS DIVISION

Leaders Division Games in Bold

ILLINOIS (6-2, 2-2 Big Ten)			
DATE	SCORE	OPPONENT	ATTENDANCE
9/3	W, 33-15	Arkansas State	45,154
9/10	W, 56-3	South Dakota State	42,212
9/17	W, 17-14	#22/18 Arizona State	50,669
9/24	W, 23-20	Western Michigan	43,684
10/1	W, 38-35	Northwestern	53,243
10/8	W, 41-20	at Indiana	41,665
10/15	L, 7-17	Ohio State	55,229
10/22	L, 14-21	at Purdue	45,146
10/29		at #21/19/19 Penn State	
11/12		Michigan	
11/19		Wisconsin	
11/26		at Minnesota	

INDIANA (1-7, 0-4 Big Ten)			
DATE	SCORE	OPPONENT	ATTENDANCE
9/3	L, 20-27	vs. Ball State [1]	40,224
9/10	L, 31-34	Virginia	41,549
9/17	W, 38-21	South Carolina State	41,203
9/24	L, 21-24	at North Texas	21,181
10/1	L, 10-16	Penn State	42,261
10/8	L, 20-41	#19/16 Illinois	41,665
10/15	L, 7-59	at #4/4/4 Wisconsin	80,732
10/22	L, 24-45	at Iowa	70,585
10/29		Northwestern	
11/5		at Ohio State	
11/19		at Michigan State	
11/26		Purdue	

OHIO STATE (4-3, 1-2 Big Ten)			
DATE	SCORE	OPPONENT	ATTENDANCE
9/3	W, 42-0	Akron	105,001
9/10	W, 27-22	Toledo	105,016
9/17	L, 6-24	at Miami (Fla.)	66,279
9/24	W, 37-17	Colorado	105,096
10/1	L, 7-10	#rv/25 Michigan State	105,306
10/8	L, 27-34	at #14/15 Nebraska	85,426
10/15	W, 17-7	at #16/15/14 Illinois	55,229
10/29		#12/11/12 Wisconsin	
11/5		Indiana	
11/12		at Purdue	
11/19		Penn State	
11/26		at Michigan	

[1] - at Indianapolis, Ind.

#21/19/19 PENN STATE (7-1, 4-0 Big Ten)			
DATE	SCORE	OPPONENT	ATTENDANCE
9/3	W, 41-7	Indiana State	96,461
9/10	L, 11-27	#3/2 Alabama	107,846
9/17	W, 14-10	at Temple	57,323
9/24	W, 34-6	Eastern Michigan	95,636
10/1	W, 16-10	at Indiana	42,261
10/8	W, 13-3	Iowa	103,497
10/15	W, 23-18	Purdue	100,820
10/22	W, 34-24	at Northwestern	40,004
10/29		Illinois	
11/12		Nebraska	
11/19		at Ohio State	
11/26		at Wisconsin	

PURDUE (4-3, 2-1 Big Ten)			
DATE	SCORE	OPPONENT	ATTENDANCE
9/3	W, 27-24	Middle Tennessee St.	42,110
9/10	L, 22-24	at Rice	25,317
9/17	W, 59-0	Southeast Missouri	46,116
10/1	L, 10-38	Notre Dame	61,555
10/8	W, 45-17	Minnesota	38,207
10/15	L, 18-23	at #rv/25/rv Penn State	100,820
10/22	W, 21-14	#23/21/20 Illinois	45,146
10/29		at #17/17/16 Michigan	
11/5		at Wisconsin	
11/12		Ohio State	
11/19		Iowa	
11/26		at Indiana	

#12/11/12 WISCONSIN (6-1, 2-1 Big Ten)			
DATE	SCORE	OPPONENT	ATTENDANCE
9/1	W, 51-17	UNLV	77,085
9/10	W, 35-0	Oregon State	80,337
9/17	W, 49-7	vs. Northern Illinois [1]	41,068
9/24	W, 59-10	South Dakota	78,880
10/1	W, 48-17	#8/8 Nebraska	81,384
10/15	W, 59-7	Indiana	80,732
10/22	L, 31-37	at #15/13/15 Michigan State	76,405
10/29		at Ohio State	
11/5		Purdue	
11/12		at Minnesota	
11/19		at Illinois	
11/26		Penn State	

[1] - at Chicago Ill.

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