

TOP STORIES

- Big Ten earns at least three bowl wins for second straight season and seven bowl wins over two-year span.
- Big Ten one of only two conferences to win three BCS games in last two seasons.
- Big Ten leads all conferences with six bowl wins over BCS top-15 teams in last two seasons.
- Big Ten matches conference record with eight bowl teams, including two in BCS for sixth straight year.
- Fourteen Big Ten players earn All-America honors.
- Big Ten sets records for conference attendance.

2010 CONFERENCE & OVERALL STANDINGS

	Conference Games						All Games						
	W-L	PCT	H	A	N	Strk	W-L	PCT	H	A	N	Top 25*	Strk
1. Ohio State#	7-1	.875	4-0	3-1	0-0	W5	12-1	.923	8-0	3-1	1-0	3-1	W6
Michigan State#	7-1	.875	4-0	3-1	0-0	W3	11-2	.846	7-0	3-1	1-1	2-2	L1
Wisconsin#	7-1	.875	4-0	3-1	0-0	W7	11-2	.846	7-0	4-1	0-1	2-2	L1
4. Iowa	4-4	.500	2-2	2-2	0-0	L3	8-5	.615	5-2	2-3	1-0	4-3	W1
Penn State	4-4	.500	2-2	1-2	1-0	L1	7-6	.538	5-2	1-3	1-1	1-4	L2
Illinois	4-4	.500	2-2	1-2	1-0	W1	7-6	.538	4-2	1-3	2-1	1-2	W1
7. Michigan	3-5	.375	1-3	2-2	0-0	L2	7-6	.538	4-3	3-2	0-1	0-5	L3
Northwestern	3-5	.375	1-2	2-2	0-1	L2	7-6	.538	3-2	4-2	0-2	1-2	L3
9. Purdue	2-6	.250	1-3	1-3	0-0	L6	4-8	.333	3-4	1-4	0-0	1-3	L6
Minnesota	2-6	.250	1-3	1-3	0-0	W2	3-9	.250	1-6	2-3	0-0	1-4	W2
11. Indiana	1-7	.125	0-3	1-3	0-1	W1	5-7	.417	3-3	2-3	0-1	0-4	W1

Big Ten Co-Champions

Bowl Teams in Bold

* AP, USA Today, Harris or BCS

BIG TEN. BIG BOWLS.

Big Ten Teams Win Three Bowl Games: For the second straight season and the seventh time in the last nine years, the Big Ten earned at least three bowl triumphs with victories by Illinois in the Texas Bowl, Iowa in the Insight Bowl and Ohio State in the Allstate Sugar Bowl. Big Ten squads produced five bowl wins following the 2002 campaign, four bowl triumphs after the 2009 season and three bowl victories to wrap up the 2003, 2004, 2005, 2007 and 2010 seasons.

Seven Bowl Wins in Two Seasons: The Big Ten has won seven bowl games over the last two seasons. The last time the conference produced seven or more postseason victories over a two-year span was when Big Ten squads claimed eight bowl victories after the 2002 and 2003 seasons.

A Trio of BCS Wins: The Big Ten split a pair of BCS games this season to improve to 3-1 in BCS games over the last two seasons, the conference's most BCS victories over a two-year span since going 4-0 in BCS games after the 1998 and 1999 campaigns. The Big Ten's 1-1 BCS record this season included Ohio State's victory over Arkansas in the Sugar Bowl and a narrow loss by Wisconsin to undefeated TCU in the Rose Bowl Game. The Big Ten was 2-0 in BCS play after the 2009 campaign, including an Iowa triumph in the Orange Bowl and a Buckeye victory in the Rose Bowl Game.

BCS Success: The Big Ten has won at least one BCS game in back-to-back years for the first time since winning one BCS contest following both the 2002 and 2003 seasons. The Big Ten and SEC lead all conferences with three BCS victories over the last two seasons. The only other conferences to win BCS games over that time span are the Big 12, Mountain West, Pac-10 and WAC with one each. The Big Ten now has 11 BCS victories since the system's inception in 1998, ranking second to the SEC (15 wins) and ahead of the Pac-10 (10), Big 12 (8) and Big East (6).

Beating the Best: The Big Ten registered two wins over teams ranked among the top 15 in the final Bowl Championship Series (BCS) standings and now has six wins over BCS top-15 teams in the last two seasons, more than any other conference. This season, Iowa knocked off No. 12 Missouri in the Insight Bowl while No. 6 Ohio State defeated No. 8 Arkansas in the Sugar Bowl. Following the 2009 campaign, the Big Ten became the first conference to notch four wins over BCS top-15 teams since the 1998-99 postseason, with No. 10 Iowa defeating No. 9 Georgia Tech, No. 8 Ohio State beating No. 7 Oregon, No. 13 Penn State edging No. 12 LSU and No. 25 Wisconsin earning a victory over No. 15 Miami (Fla.). Since the institution of the BCS system prior to the 1998 season, Big Ten teams have compiled 21 victories over BCS top-15 squads, including three triumphs after the 1999 season and two wins following both the 2002 and 2005 campaigns. The Big Ten is second among all conferences with 21 top-15 wins since 1998, trailing only the SEC (25) and followed by the Pac-10 (15), Big 12 (10), Big East (7) and ACC (6).

Six Top-15 Wins: The Big Ten leads all conferences with six bowl wins over BCS top-15 teams in the last two seasons, followed by the SEC (4), Mountain West (1), Pac-10 (1) and WAC (1). The Big Ten is 6-1 against BCS top-15 teams over that time span, while all other conferences are a combined 7-16, a group that includes the SEC (4-3), WAC (1-0), Mountain West (1-2), Pac-10 (1-4), Big East (0-2), Big 12 (0-2) and ACC (0-3).

Upset Specials: The Big Ten is the only conference in the last eight seasons to produce a victory over a top-12 BCS team by an unranked team. Iowa defeated No. 12 Missouri in this season's Insight Bowl, while Michigan defeated No. 12 Florida in the 2008 Capital One Bowl. Since the BCS was formed in 1998, there are only eight unranked teams to beat top-12 BCS teams in bowls – three each from the Big Ten and ACC and two from the SEC.

BIG TEN BOWL RESULTS

Dec. 28, 2010

INSIGHT BOWL

IOWA def. No. 12 MISSOURI, 27-24

Dec. 29, 2010

TEXAS BOWL

ILLINOIS def. Baylor, 38-14

Jan. 1, 2011

TICKETCITY BOWL

Texas Tech def. NORTHWESTERN, 45-38

OUTBACK BOWL

Florida def. PENN STATE, 37-24

CAPITAL ONE BOWL

No. 16 Alabama def.
No. 9 MICHIGAN STATE, 49-7

PROGRESSIVE GATOR BOWL

No. 21 Mississippi State def. MICHIGAN, 52-14

ROSE BOWL GAME

PRESENTED BY VIZIO

No. 3 TCU def. No. 5 WISCONSIN, 21-19

Jan. 4, 2011

ALLSTATE SUGAR BOWL

No. 6 OHIO STATE def. No. 8 Arkansas, 31-26

Ranking: BCS

2011 BIG TEN KICKOFF LUNCHEON AND FOOTBALL MEDIA DAYS

The 2011 Big Ten Kickoff Luncheon and football media days will be held on Thursday and Friday, July 28 and 29, at the Hyatt Regency McCormick Place and McCormick Place Convention Center.

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Breaking Down the Bowl Wins: Below is a quick summary of each of the Big Ten's bowl triumphs:

INSIGHT BOWL: Iowa jumped out to an early 17-3 lead over No. 12 Missouri on two first-half touchdowns from freshman running back **Marcus Coker**. The Hawkeyes led 20-10 early in the second half before the Tigers rallied to take a 24-20 lead entering the final stanza. With Missouri driving late in the game, defensive back **Micah Hyde** picked off a pass and sprinted 72 yards for the game-winning score with 5:32 left, and the Iowa defense held on for the 27-24 triumph.

TEXAS BOWL: Illinois held Baylor scoreless through the first half and took a 16-0 lead at the break on three **Derek Dimke** field goals and a touchdown run by **Mikel Leshoure**. Leshoure added two more scores in the second half and quarterback **Nathan Scheelhaase**, who completed his first 13 passes, broke loose for a late touchdown run as the Illini posted a 38-14 victory.

SUGAR BOWL: Ohio State quarterback **Terrelle Pryor** threw for 203 yards and two touchdowns to stake his team to a 28-10 halftime lead over No. 8 Arkansas. The Buckeye defense harassed the high-scoring Razorback offense all game, as **Cameron Heyward** produced 3.5 tackles for loss and a sack while **Dexter Larrimore** collected two sacks. Arkansas pulled within 31-26 in the final quarter and blocked an OSU punt with just over a minute left to get the ball back just 18 yards from the winning score. But once again, the Buckeye defense responded, forcing an incompleteness and then picking off a pass to secure the victory.

Bowl Honorees: Four Big Ten standouts were honored for outstanding efforts in their bowl games. Ohio State junior quarterback **Terrelle Pryor** was named the Sugar Bowl MVP, just one season after being named the Rose Bowl Game MVP. In New Orleans, Pryor rushed for a season-high 115 yards and added 221 passing yards and two touchdowns to lead the Buckeyes past No. 8 Arkansas. Iowa produced a pair of honorees in its Insight Bowl triumph over No. 12 Missouri as freshman running back **Marcus Coker** was named the Offensive Player of the Game while sophomore defensive back **Micah Hyde** was tabbed as the Defensive Player of the Game. Coker set a career high and school bowl record with 219 rushing yards and a pair of touchdowns, while Hyde collected six tackles and returned an interception 72 yards for the game-winning score in the fourth quarter. Illinois junior running back **Mikel Leshoure** was chosen as the Texas Bowl MVP after scoring three touchdowns and accumulating 184 rushing yards in the victory over Baylor.

The Quarterback Clubs: The three Big Ten quarterbacks that led teams to bowl triumphs each joined prestigious company. Illinois' **Nathan Scheelhaase** became the first freshman signal caller to lead a Big Ten team to a bowl victory since Wisconsin's Brooks Bollinger won the 2000 Rose Bowl Game. Iowa's **Ricky Stanzi** guided the Hawkeyes to three bowl wins in his career, including the 2009 Outback Bowl, 2010 Orange Bowl and 2010 Insight Bowl. Stanzi is just the third signal caller in Big Ten history to start three bowl victories, joining previous three-time winners Mark Herrmann of Purdue (1978 Peach, 1979 Bluebonnet, 1980 Liberty) and Bollinger of Wisconsin (2000 Rose, 2000 Sun, 2002 Alamo). With wins in the 2010 Rose Bowl Game and 2011 Sugar Bowl, Ohio State's **Terrelle Pryor** became the eighth quarterback and second from the Big Ten to lead the same school to two BCS triumphs. Other quarterback to accomplish that feat are fellow-Buckeye Craig Krenzel (2003 and 2004 Fiesta), Florida's Tim Tebow, Miami's Ken Dorsey, Texas' Vince Young, USC's John David Booty and Matt Leinart and West Virginia's Pat White.

Bowl Winning Streaks: With a victory in the Insight Bowl, Iowa has won three consecutive bowl games for the first time in school history. The Hawkeyes were also victorious in the 2010 Orange Bowl and 2009 Outback Bowl. The last Big Ten team to win three straight postseason games was Penn State, which earned triumphs after the 2005, 2006 and 2007 seasons. The only other teams in the country to win bowls after each of the last three seasons are Florida, Florida State and South Florida.

Paterno, Ferentz and Tressel Among Big Ten's Best Bowl Mentors: Iowa's **Kirk Ferentz** and Ohio State's **Jim Tressel** both earned their sixth bowl triumph to move into a tie for third place in Big Ten history for total postseason wins. Penn State's **Joe Paterno**, who holds the NCAA record with 24 bowl triumphs, has collected 10 bowl wins since joining the Big Ten to set the conference record. Former Wisconsin head coach and current Director of Athletics Barry Alvarez ranks second with eight bowl wins. Ferentz and Tressel are now tied for third with Iowa's Hayden Fry and Michigan's Lloyd Carr, who each produced six bowl victories.

BIG TEN BOWL WINS	
Wins	Coach, School
10	Paterno, PSU
8	Alvarez, WIS
6	Fry, IOWA
6	Carr, MICH
6	Ferentz, IOWA
6	Tressel, OSU
Current coaches in bold	

2010-11 BIG TEN BOWL TOP PERFORMERS

OFFENSE

ILL RB Mikel Leshoure: Named MVP of Texas Bowl after posting 29 rushes for 184 yards (6.3 avg.) with three TDs, setting school single-season records for rushing yards and total TDs.

ILL QB Nathan Scheelhaase: Wrapped up freshman year by completing first 13 passes against Baylor, connecting on 18 of 23 throws (78.3 pct.) in game for career-high 242 yards while recording nine rushes for 53 yards (5.9 avg.) and a TD.

IOWA RB Marcus Coker: Named Insight Bowl Offensive Player of the Game after setting career high and Iowa bowl record with 219 rushing yards against Missouri; Averaged 6.6 yards and set career bests with 33 carries, two TDs and a 62-yard run.

MICH QB Denard Robinson: Set a Big Ten single-season record for total offensive yards with 313 yards in Gator Bowl; Completed 27 of 41 passes (65.9 pct.) for 254 yards and two TDs and added a team-high 59 rushing yards on 11 carries (5.4 avg.).

NU QB Kain Colter: In just his third game this season, the freshman quarterback set career highs with 18 carries, 105 rushing yards and two TDs while adding 38 passing yards against Texas Tech.

OSU QB Terrelle Pryor: Named Sugar Bowl MVP after rushing for a season-high 115 yards on 15 carries (7.7 avg.) and completing 14 of 25 passes (56.0 pct.) for 221 yards and two TDs against Arkansas.

PSU RB Evan Royster: Posted 20 carries for 98 yards (4.9 avg.) in Outback Bowl to become first Nittany Lion to accumulate three 1,000-yard seasons; Added four catches for 51 yards (12.8 avg.) against Florida.

WIS RB Montee Ball: Carried the ball 22 times for 132 yards (6.0 avg.) with a TD in the Rose Bowl, fifth straight effort of 100 yards or more to end season.

SPECIAL TEAMS

ILL K Derek Dimke: Connected on all three field goal attempts (38, 28, 43 yards) and three PATs.

ILL P Anthony Santella: Recorded five punts for 201 yards (40.2 avg.) with four inside 20-yard line.

IOWA P Ryan Donahue: Booted three punts for 134 yards (44.7 avg.) with one inside 20-yard line.

IOWA K Mike Meyer: Connected on both field goal attempts (34, 21 yards) and three PATs to tally nine points in a 27-24 Insight Bowl win.

MICH KR Martavius Odoms: Returned seven kickoffs for 163 yards (23.3 avg.) with long of 41 yards.

MSU P Aaron Bates: Recorded seven punts for 304 yards (43.4 avg.) with two inside the 20-yard line.

NU KR Venric Mark: Returned five kickoffs for 108 yards (21.6 avg.) with a long of 36 yards.

OSU KR Jordan Hall: Returned five kickoffs for 113 yards (22.6 avg.) with a long of 33 yards.

WIS P Brad Nortman: Booted three punts for 126 yards (42.0 avg.) with one inside the 20-yard line; Ran 11 yards on a fake punt for a first down.

DEFENSE

ILL DT Corey Liuget: Posted five tackles (two solo), 2.5 TFLs (-6 yards) and a four-yard sack to help hold Baylor to 14 points or less for second time for season.

IOWA DB Micah Hyde: Named Insight Bowl Defensive Player of the Game after returning interception 72 yards for game-winning TD in fourth quarter; also posted six tackles (four solo) against Missouri.

MICH LB Kenny Demens: Collected a game-high 13 tackles (nine solo) in Gator Bowl.

MSU LB Greg Jones: Concluded career by equaling a team high with eight tackles (six solo) and two TFLs (-2 yards) against Alabama in Capital One Bowl.

NU LB Quentin Davie: Posted a game-high 15 tackles (three solo) and two TFLs (-2 yards) in TicketCity Bowl.

OSU DE Cameron Heyward: Racked up six tackles (three solo), including 3.5 TFLs (-11 yards) and a seven-yard sack, and a pass breakup.

OSU DL Dexter Larrimore: Posted six tackles (three solo), two sacks (-17 yards) and forced a fumble.

PSU LB Chris Colasanti: Registered a game-high 10 tackles (five solo) and 0.5 TFLs to help hold the Florida offense to only two touchdowns in Outback Bowl.

PSU DT Devon Still: Racked up seven tackles (six solo) and 3.5 TFLs (-4 yards) in Outback Bowl.

WIS LB Mike Taylor: Recorded a team-high seven tackles (four solo) to help hold unbeaten TCU to a season-low 21 points in Rose Bowl Game

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Bowl Attendance: The Big Ten's eight bowl games attracted 520,200 fans for an average of 65,025 per contest, including full houses for both BCS contests. The Rose Bowl Game boasted a sellout crowd for the 66th straight season, packing 94,118 fans into the 92,000-seat stadium, while the Sugar Bowl attracted 73,879 patrons to the 72,000-seat Louisiana Superdome. Four other Big Ten bowl games boasted more than 60,000 fans in attendance. The Big Ten's first appearance in the Gator Bowl since 1991 led to a crowd of 68,325 fans, while the conference's first Texas Bowl produced an attendance of 68,211, the second-highest attendance in Texas Bowl history. Two long-time bowl partners also broke the 60,000-fan barrier, with 61,519 fans attending the Capital One Bowl and 60,574 patrons at the Outback Bowl. The Insight Bowl attracted a record crowd of 53,453, while the first TicketCity Bowl produced an attendance of 40,121.

Bowl Ratings: Big Ten bowls also produced impressive television numbers, with three of the four highest-rated bowls featuring conference teams. Wisconsin's trip to the Rose Bowl earned an 11.26 rating on ESPN, second only to the BCS National Championship Game. Ohio State's Sugar Bowl appearance ranked third with an 8.20 rating on ESPN, while Penn State's Outback Bowl trip rated fourth with a 7.05 rating on ABC.

Facing the SEC: The Big Ten has the longest active streak of any conference with at least one bowl win over the SEC in each of the last nine seasons and leads all conferences with 12 bowl wins over the SEC in that time span. The Big Ten's current nine-year streak of bowl wins against the SEC is followed by the ACC and Big East, both of which have active streaks of two seasons. The Big Ten is 12-13 against the SEC over the last nine seasons, followed by the ACC (7-9), Big 12 (4-14), Big East (3-1) and Pac-10 (0-1).

A Tough Bowl Schedule: Five of the Big Ten's eight bowl opponents this season were ranked among the top 21 in the final BCS poll, more than any other conference. The Pac-10 and SEC ranked second with four games against top-21 teams, followed by the ACC (3) and Mountain West (2).

Big Ten Sends Eight Teams to Bowl Games: The Big Ten matched a conference record by sending eight teams to bowl games. The conference also made eight bowl appearances following the 2003 and 2007 campaigns. The 2010-11 bowl season marked the sixth straight year that seven or more Big Ten programs earned postseason berths, the longest streak in conference history. The conference also qualified seven schools for postseason play after the 1993, 1996, 1997, 1999, 2002, 2005, 2006, 2008 and 2009 seasons. The Big Ten sent six or more teams to bowl games for the 12th straight year and 19th time overall. Conference programs have made 71 bowl appearances over the last 10 seasons and 256 appearances all-time.

Badgers Earn Big Ten BCS AQ: With Michigan State, Ohio State and Wisconsin ending the regular season in a tie for first place, the Big Ten's automatic representative to the BCS was determined by the conference tiebreaker. Since the Spartans and Buckeyes did not play and all three teams ended the regular season with identical 11-1 overall records, the Badgers were the Big Ten's BCS automatic qualifier based on being the highest-ranked team in the final BCS standings. Six different Big Ten schools have earned the conference's BCS automatic berth in the 13 years of the system - Illinois (2001), Michigan (2003, 2004), Ohio State (2002, 2006, 2007, 2009), Penn State (2005, 2008), Purdue (2000) and Wisconsin (1998, 1999, 2010). The Big Ten also sent a second team to the BCS in 1998 (Ohio State), 1999 (Michigan), 2002 (Iowa), 2003 (Ohio State), 2005 (Ohio State), 2006 (Michigan), 2007 (Illinois), 2008 (Ohio State), 2009 (Iowa) and 2010 (Ohio State).

Big Ten BCS Duos: Two Big Ten schools were selected for BCS games for the 10th time in the 13-year history of the system and the eighth time in the last nine seasons. Since the inception of the BCS in 1998, the Big Ten has qualified 23 teams for BCS bowls, more than any other conference. The SEC ranks second with 21 BCS bids followed by the Big 12 (18), Pac-10 (16), ACC (13) and Big East (13).

Six Straight Years of BCS Doubleheaders: The Big Ten sent a pair of teams to BCS games for the sixth straight season, the longest streak of any conference since the system's creation. Ohio State earned BCS berths in each of the last six years and has been joined by Penn State (2005 and 2008), Michigan (2006), Illinois (2007), Iowa (2009) and Wisconsin (2010). The SEC ranks second to the Big Ten after earning two BCS spots for the fifth straight year this season.

BCS Depth: Seven different Big Ten schools have qualified to play in a BCS game, including both Ohio State and Wisconsin this season. The conference's previous BCS bowl participants include Illinois, Iowa, Michigan, Penn State and Purdue. The only other conferences with seven active members to play in a BCS game are the Big 12, Pac-10 and SEC, while the ACC and Big East have each sent six current members to BCS contests.

BCS Victors: Only 13 schools have produced multiple BCS wins and the Big Ten boasts two of those programs in Ohio State and Wisconsin. The Buckeyes are tied with Southern California for the lead among all schools with six BCS victories, including three triumphs in the Fiesta Bowl (2003, 2004, 2006), two Sugar Bowl wins (1999, 2011) and a Rose Bowl Game victory (2010). The Badgers are 2-1 in BCS matchups with back-to-back Rose Bowl Game wins in 1999 and 2000 and a narrow loss to undefeated TCU this season. The other teams to win at least two BCS games are Auburn, Boise State, Florida, Georgia, LSU, Miami (Fla.), Oklahoma, Texas, Utah and West Virginia.

BCS Regulars: Ohio State took part in a BCS game for the sixth straight season and the ninth time since the system's creation in 1998. Ohio State is the nation's only program to qualify for nine BCS games in the 13-year history of the system, with Oklahoma ranking second with eight BCS trips. In addition, only one other team has appeared in six or more consecutive BCS games, as USC appeared in a BCS contest seven straight seasons from 2002 to 2008.

BCS Triple Play: Wisconsin appeared in its third BCS contest, the third-highest total among conference schools behind only Ohio State (nine BCS games) and Michigan (four). Wisconsin is one of 15 schools to earn three or more bids to BCS games, a group that consists of Ohio State (9), Oklahoma (8), USC (7), Florida (6), Florida State (6), Virginia Tech (5), LSU (4), Miami (Fla.) (4), Michigan (4), Texas (4), Alabama (3), Georgia (3), Notre Dame (3) and Oregon (3).

Bowl Veterans: The Big Ten boasts three of the 11 programs with 40 or more bowl appearances in Penn State (8th - 43), Ohio State (T9th - 42) and Michigan (11th - 40). The Nittany Lions rank third all-time with 27 bowl triumphs, Ohio State is 14th with 20 bowl victories and Michigan is tied for 15th with 19 bowl wins.

FOLLOW THE BIG TEN

Now there are more ways than ever to follow Big Ten football. The Big Ten football blog can be accessed directly at www.bigten.org/blog/football and will feature daily notes, links to articles, previews, recaps and more. You can also become a fan of the Big Ten Conference on Facebook and receive exclusive updates. Media can also keep track of Big Ten football in real-time by following the conference or individual schools on Twitter. Below is a complete list of conference and institutional Twitter accounts:

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@BoilerFootball

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@Coach_Hope

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@Brutus_Buckeye

@BadgerFootball

@BretBielema

BIG TEN. BIG NEWS.

Big Ten Polling Place: With bowl season now complete, the Big Ten was one of only three conferences to place two teams among the top eight in the final Associated Press (AP) and *USA Today* coaches polls. The Big Ten, Pac-10 and SEC each placed two programs among the top eight in the final national rankings, with Ohio State ending the year rated fifth in both polls while Wisconsin was tabbed seventh by the AP and tied for eighth in the coaches poll. The Big Ten placed at least one team among the final top 10 for the ninth consecutive year and produced at least two top-10 programs for the seventh time in the last nine seasons. The Big Ten also ended the year with at least two top-10 schools in 2009 (AP/*USA Today* - #5/5 Ohio State, #7/7 Iowa, #9/8 Penn State), 2008 (#8/8 Penn State, #9/11 Ohio State), 2006 (#2/2 Ohio State, #7/5 Wisconsin, #8/9 Michigan), 2005 (#3/3 Penn State, #4/4 Ohio State), 2003 (#4/4 Ohio State, #6/7 Michigan, #8/8 Iowa) and 2002 (#1/1 Ohio State, #8/8 Iowa, #9/9 Michigan). The Buckeyes earned their fifth top-five finish in the last six years (#5/5 in 2009, #5/4 in 2007, #2/2 in 2006, #4/4 in 2005) while the Badgers ended the year among the top 10 for the first time since wrapping up the 2006 campaign rated seventh by the media and fifth by the coaches. Overall, four Big Ten teams received votes in the final polls with three among the top 25. Michigan State was slotted No. 14 by both the AP and coaches, the Spartans' second top-25 finish in the last three seasons and highest end-of-year ranking since being voted seventh by both groups after the 1999 campaign. Iowa received votes in both final polls.

Trio of Badgers Earns National Awards: Wisconsin teammates **Gabe Carimi**, **Scott Tolzien** and **J.J. Watt** all claimed individual national honors. Carimi became the 13th Big Ten player to be awarded the Outland Trophy, given annually to the nation's best interior lineman. The senior offensive tackle is the second Badger to claim the Outland Trophy after offensive tackle Joe Thomas became the most recent Big Ten player to be so honored in 2006. Tolzien won the Johnny Unitas Golden Arm Award, given to the country's top senior quarterback. He becomes the first Big Ten signal caller to earn the award. Watt takes home the Lott Trophy, given to college football's Defensive IMPACT Player of the Year. The Lott Trophy is given to players who stand out in the following areas: Integrity, Maturity, Performance, Academics, Community and Tenacity (IMPACT). Watt becomes the second Big Ten player to earn the Lott Trophy since it was created in 2004, as Ohio State linebacker James Laurinaitis claimed the trophy in 2008.

Everybody's All-American: Fourteen Big Ten student-athletes were named to the All-America first, second or third teams as chosen by the American Football Coaches Association, Associated Press, Football Writers Association of America, *Sporting News* and Walter Camp Football Foundation, including three unanimous picks and five consensus selections. The three Big Ten standouts named to all five first teams were Michigan State linebacker **Greg Jones**, Purdue defensive end **Ryan Kerrigan** and Wisconsin offensive tackle **Gabe Carimi**, while Iowa defensive end **Adrian Clayborn** and Badger tight end **Lance Kendricks** were also tabbed consensus All-Americans.

Jones earns consensus All-America honors for the second straight season, making him the first Big Ten player to accomplish the feat since Ohio State linebacker James Laurinaitis in 2006, 2007 and 2008. Jones is just the fourth Spartan to earn consensus All-America laurels in two seasons, a group that includes running back Lorenzo White (1985 and 1987), defensive end Charles "Bubba" Smith (1965 and 1966) and linebacker George Webster (1965 and 1966). Jones is also MSU's first unanimous All-American since wideout Charles Rogers was honored 2002. Kerrigan is the first consensus All-American for the Boilermakers since wide receiver Taylor Stubblefield in 2004 and the first Purdue defender to be so honored since defensive back Rod Woodson in 1986. The Boilermakers' last unanimous All-Americans were quarterback Mark Herrmann and tight end Dave Young in 1980. Carimi is the Badgers' first unanimous All-America pick since fellow offensive lineman Joe Thomas was honored in 2006. Kendricks is the first Big Ten tight end to earn consensus All-America laurels since Iowa's Dallas Clark in 2002 and gives Wisconsin two consensus All-Americans in the same season for the first time since 1999 when running back Ron Dayne and offensive tackle Chris McIntosh were honored. Clayborn is the Hawkeyes' second consensus All-American in the last three years (running back Shonn Greene in 2008) and the first Iowa defender to be honored since defensive lineman Jared DeVries in 1998.

Other Big Ten players to earn first-team All-America accolades were Michigan quarterback **Denard Robinson**, Ohio State's duo of center **Mike Brewster** and defensive back **Chimdi Chekwa**, Penn State offensive guard **Stefen Wisniewski** and Wisconsin offensive guard **John Moffitt**. Conference players collecting second- or third-team honors were Illinois running back **Mikel Leshoure**, Buckeye offensive guard **Justin Boren** and the Badger duo of running back **John Clay** and defensive end **J.J. Watt**. The complete breakdown of Big Ten All-Americans appears above to the right.

BIG TEN NATIONAL AWARD WINNERS

Gabe Carimi, OT, WIS
Outland Trophy (Best Interior Lineman)

Scott Tolzien, QB, WIS
Johnny Unitas Golden Arm Award (Best Senior Quarterback)

J.J. Watt, DE, WIS
Lott Trophy (Defensive IMPACT Player of the Year)

BIG TEN ALL-AMERICANS

Mikel Leshoure, RB, ILL	AP2
Adrian Clayborn, DL, IOWA%	AFCA, AP3, WC1
Denard Robinson, QB, MICH	AP3, FWAA
Greg Jones, LB, MSU%#	AFCA, AP1, FWAA, SN, WC1
Justin Boren, OL, OSU	AP2
Mike Brewster, C, OSU	FWAA
Chimdi Chekwa, DB, OSU	FWAA, WC2
Stefen Wisniewski, OL, PSU	AFCA, AP2, WC2
Ryan Kerrigan, DL, PUR%#	AFCA, AP1, FWAA, SN, WC1
Gabe Carimi, OL, WIS%#	AFCA, AP1, FWAA, SN, WC1
John Clay, RB, WIS	AP3
John Moffitt, OL, WIS	AP1
Lance Kendricks, TE, WIS%	AFCA, AP2, SN, WC2
J.J. Watt, DL, WIS	AP2, WC2

AFCA = American Football Coaches Association; AP 1/2/3 = Associated Press 1st/2nd/3rd; FWAA = Football Writers Association of America; SN = Sporting News; WC 1/2 = Walter Camp 1st/2nd

FIRST TEAM HONOREES IN BOLD

% Consensus All-American # Unanimous All-American

2010 BIG TEN FOOTBALL MVPS

As selected by each institution

Illinois	Mikel Leshoure, RB
Indiana	Ben Chappell, QB
Iowa	Ricky Stanzi, QB; Karl Klug, DT
Michigan	Denard Robinson, QB*
Michigan State	Greg Jones, LB
Minnesota	Adam Weber, QB
Northwestern	Dan Persa, QB
Ohio State	Dane Sanzenbacher, WR
Penn State	Brett Brackett, WR
Purdue	Dennis Kelly, OT; Ryan Kerrigan, DE; Chris Carlino, special teams
Wisconsin	Scott Tolzien, QB; J.J. Watt, DE

* Chicago Tribune Silver Football winner

BIG TEN. BIG NEWS.

Students of the Game: The Big Ten tied for the lead among all Football Bowl Subdivision (FBS) conferences with five student-athletes named to the ESPN Academic All-America first or second teams in football. The Big Ten has now led all FBS conferences in Academic All-Americans for six straight seasons, with 48 football honorees over that time span. The Big Ten also tied for the lead among all conferences with four first-team selections. The Big Ten's total of five Academic All-Americans was tied with the Big 12 for the lead among all FBS conferences and ranked second only to the nine selections from the Missouri Valley Conference of the Football Championship Subdivision. The Big Ten and Missouri Valley both produced a conference-best four first-team honorees, followed by three first-team selections from the Big 12. Penn State led the country with three first-team Academic All-Americans. The Academic All-America first-team honorees from the Big Ten are the Penn State trio of **Chris Colasanti**, **Pete Massaro** and **Stefen Wisniewski** and Purdue's **Kyle Adams**, while fellow Boilermaker **Joe Holland** was named to the second team. Wisniewski was one of four student-athletes to earn first-team accolades for the second straight season. To be eligible for the award, a player must be in at least his second year of athletic eligibility, be a first-team or key performer and carry a cumulative 3.30 grade point average (GPA).

An OSU Dozen: Ohio State knocked off Arkansas in the Sugar Bowl to end the season 12-1 overall, making this year's OSU squad just the ninth team to compile 12 or more wins in Big Ten history and the sixth since 1905. The Buckeyes have produced at least 12 wins in three of the last nine seasons, including a 12-1 mark in 2006 and a 14-0 campaign in 2002. Other Big Ten squads to accomplish the feat since 1905 are Wisconsin (12-1 in 2006), Michigan (12-0 in 1997) and Penn State (12-0 in 1994). The Wolverines also reached the 12-win barrier in 1905 with a 12-1 record, after Minnesota (13-0 in 1904) and Chicago (12-0 in 1899) first cracked the 12-win plateau.

Spartans, Buckeyes and Badgers Hit 11-Win Plateau: Michigan State, Ohio State and Wisconsin each posted 11 or more victories this season, giving the conference at least three teams with double-digit wins for the second straight year and the eighth time in the last 13 campaigns. The Buckeyes are the first team in Big Ten history to record six straight years of 10 or more triumphs, breaking a record that had stood for more than a century after Michigan posted five consecutive seasons with 10-plus wins from 1901-05. OSU has produced 11 or more victories in six of the last nine seasons and 11 times overall, including a 12-win campaign in 2006 and a 14-victory season in 2002. The Spartans set a new school record with their 11th win, surpassing the previous program-best of 10 triumphs in 1999 and 1965. The Badgers reached the 11-win plateau for the third time in school history, including 11 victories in 1998 and a program-record 12 wins in 2006.

The Rarity of 11-Win Trios: After becoming the first conference among the ACC, Big East, Big Ten, Big 12, Pac-10 and SEC to produce three teams with 11 or more wins in 2006, the Big Ten duplicated that accomplishment in 2009 and 2010. Ohio State ended the season at 12-1, while Michigan State and Wisconsin posted 11-2 marks. The Buckeyes were joined by Iowa and Penn State with identical 11-2 records last season and in 2006. OSU and the Badgers ended the year at 12-1 while Michigan posted an 11-2 mark. The Big Ten has produced two teams with 11 or more wins on four other occasions - 2002, 1998, 1996 and 1903. The only other conference to boast three schools with 11 or more wins in a single season is the Big 12, which accomplished the feat in 2007 and 2008.

Michigan State, Ohio State and Wisconsin Share Big Ten Championship: For the first time since the 2000 campaign, three teams ended the season atop the Big Ten standings as Michigan State, Ohio State and Wisconsin each finished 7-1 in conference play to earn a share of the 2010 Big Ten Championship. The Buckeyes have won at least a share of the last six Big Ten titles to match the conference record, equaling the feat first accomplished by OSU from 1972-77. Ohio State has now claimed 35 Big Ten Championships, which ranks second among all conference teams behind only the 42 titles for Michigan. The Badgers collected their first Big Ten crown since 1999 and 12th overall, the fifth-most titles in conference annals. The Spartans earned their first Big Ten Championship since 1990 and seventh overall.

A History of Sharing: The Big Ten has featured multiple champions in five of the last 10 seasons, including Ohio State and Penn State sharing first place in 2008 and 2005 with identical 7-1 marks. Iowa and Michigan split the title in 2004 with 7-1 records, while the Hawkeyes and Buckeyes shared the championship in 2002 after producing unblemished 8-0 conference slates. The last three-way tie for the Big Ten Championship occurred in 2000, when Michigan, Northwestern and Purdue each finished 6-2 atop the standings.

BIG TEN ACADEMIC AND SPORTSMANSHIP HONOREES

Academic All-America FIRST TEAM

Chris Colasanti, PSU
Pete Massaro, PSU
Stefen Wisniewski, PSU

SECOND TEAM

Joe Holland, PUR

Allstate AFCA Good Works Team (Off-the-field achievements and contributions to communities)

Ben Chappell, IND
Kirk Cousins, MSU
Corbin Bryant, NU
Stefen Wisniewski, PSU

NFF National Scholar-Athlete Award (Awards scholarships for athletic, academic and leadership abilities)

Ben Chappell, IND
Stefen Wisniewski, PSU
Scott Tolzien, WIS

Lowe's Senior CLASS Award (Senior with notable achievements in classroom, character, community and competition)

FINALIST
Stefen Wisniewski, PSU

Wuerffel Trophy (Community service, academic and athletic achievement)

FINALISTS
Ben Chappell, IND
Kirk Cousins, MSU
Stefen Wisniewski, PSU
Kyle Adams, PUR

Campbell Trophy (Nation's top student-athlete)

FINALISTS
Ben Chappell, IND
Stefen Wisniewski, PSU
Scott Tolzien, WIS

ARA Sportsmanship Award (Football player who best personifies the spirit of sportsmanship)

FINALISTS
Tyler Replogle, IND
Corbin Bryant, NU

Ohio State Claims Seventh Big Ten Title in Last Decade: Ohio State tops all Big Ten schools with seven titles over the last decade, finishing first in 2002, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009 and 2010. Three teams have won two championships over that time span - Iowa (2002, 2004), Michigan (2003, 2004) and Penn State (2005, 2008). Three teams have claimed one title over the last decade - Illinois (2001), Michigan State (2010) and Wisconsin (2010).

More on the Buckeyes' Run of Titles: Ohio State has won at least a share of the last six Big Ten titles, splitting the crown with Michigan State and Wisconsin this season, sharing the title with Penn State in 2005 and 2008 and ending the 2006, 2007 and 2009 seasons alone atop the standings. The Buckeyes have compiled a Big Ten mark of 43-5 over the last six years. Michigan and Ohio State are the only two teams in Big Ten annals to post four or more consecutive first-place finishes on multiple occasions, accomplishing the feat a combined seven different times.

CONSECUTIVE BIG TEN TITLES	
Titles	School (Years)
6	OSU (1972-77)
6	OSU (2005-10)
5	MICH (1988-92)
4	MICH (1901-04)
4	MICH (1930-33)
4	MICH (1947-50)
4	MICH (1971-74)

Seven Titles in 10 Years: The Buckeyes are one of only three Big Ten programs to claim seven or more titles over a 10-year span and the first since Michigan and Ohio State both finished in first place seven times between 1973-82. OSU holds the conference record with nine Big Ten Championships over a 10-year span, accomplishing the feat from 1968-77. The Buckeyes have also won eight titles over 10 years on three occasions (1972-81, 1970-79 and 1969-78), a streak of success matched only by Michigan (eight from 1971-80 and 1969-78). Minnesota is the only other Big Ten team to finish first seven or more times in a 10-year span with seven titles from 1933-41.

Big Ten Championship Coaches: Five active Big Ten coaches have now won at least one Big Ten Championship. Ohio State's **Jim Tressel** has claimed seven titles in his first 10 seasons on the sideline, while Michigan State's **Mark Dantonio** and Wisconsin's **Bret Bielema** earned their first titles this season. Penn State's **Joe Paterno** has claimed three Big Ten titles (1994, 2005, 2008), while Iowa's **Kirk Ferentz** has earned two Big Ten crowns (2002, 2004).

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A Rare Coaching Fraternity: Ohio State's **Jim Tressel** is one of only three head coaches to win seven or more titles in his first decade with a Big Ten institution. Michigan's Bo Schembechler holds the Big Ten record by finishing first in eight of his first 10 campaigns from 1969-78, while Minnesota's Bernie Bierman won seven titles from 1932-41. Tressel is also just the second coach to win at least a share of six straight Big Ten Championships, as the Buckeyes' Woody Hayes earned six straight crowns from 1972-77. Only eight Big Ten coaches have claimed seven or more conference titles, a group that is comprised of Schembechler (13 titles), Hayes (13), Michigan's Fielding Yost (10), Minnesota's Henry Williams (8) and Bierman (7), Chicago's Amos Alonzo Stagg (7), Illinois' Bob Zuppke (7) and Tressel.

Two Active Coaches in Big Ten Century Club: Penn State's **Joe Paterno** and Ohio State's **Jim Tressel** are two of only 13 mentors to collect 100 or more wins while at a Big Ten school. Paterno entered the season as part of the century club and currently ranks fourth with a record of 154-68 in the Nittany Lions' 18 years in the Big Ten. Tressel earned his 100th victory with the Buckeyes on Oct. 9 and ended the season with a record of 106-22, just three wins shy of Michigan State's Duffy Daugherty (109-69-5) for 12th place on the list. Tressel has won 82.8 percent of his games at OSU, which ranks second in conference history among coaches with 10 or more years on the sidelines behind only Michigan's Fielding Yost (88.8 percent; 113-13-3 from 1901-26).

BIG TEN CENTURY CLUB		
Coach, Team	Seasons	Record
Woody Hayes, OSU	28	205-61-10
Amos Alonzo Stagg, CHI*	37	199-94-22
Bo Schembechler, MICH	21	194-48-5
Joe Paterno, PSU*	18	154-68-0
Hayden Fry, IOWA	20	143-89-6
Henry Williams, MINN	22	136-33-11
Robert Zuppke, ILL	29	131-81-13
Lloyd Carr, MICH	13	122-40-0
Barry Alvarez, WIS	16	118-73-4
Fielding Yost, MICH*	15	113-13-3
John Cooper, OSU	13	111-43-4
Duffy Daugherty, MSU	19	109-69-5
Jim Tressel, OSU	10	106-22-0

* Record while member of Big Ten only

Paterno Still the One: Penn State's **Joe Paterno** ended the season with 401 victories, the all-time record among Football Bowl Subdivision coaches. Paterno stands at 401-135-3 in his 45 seasons leading the Nittany Lions, joining John Gagliardi (478-active) and Eddie Robinson (408) as the only coaches in NCAA history with more than 400 victories. He has served as head coach at PSU in 539 games, which ranks second in college football history behind only the 578 games for Chicago's Amos Alonzo Stagg. Paterno is the longest serving head coach at one school in major college football history, as Stagg served as head coach at Chicago for 41 years (1892-1932) during his 57-year tenure as a head coach.

Big Ten Individual Leaders . . . : The Big Ten crowned new statistical champions for conference games only in all categories appearing in the records book. Michigan featured stat leaders in three different categories with quarterback **Denard Robinson** topping the Big Ten with 317.5 yards of total offense per game, wide receiver **Roy Roundtree** leading the way with 83.9 receiving yards per contest and punter **Will Hagerup** averaging a conference-best 46.0 yards per punt. The last Wolverines to lead the Big Ten in those categories were quarterback Jim Harbaugh (247.4 yards of total offense per game in 1986), wideout Mario Manningham (109.8 receiving yards per game in 2007) and punter Zoltan Mesko (45.2 average in 2009). Wisconsin produced a pair of stat leaders with quarterback **Scott Tolzien** posting a conference-best pass efficiency rating of 166.5 and running back **Montee Ball** leading the way with 12.0 points per game. The last Badgers to rank first in those categories were quarterback Jim Sorgi (162.8 pass efficiency rating in 2003) and kicker **Philip Welch** (7.8 points per game in 2009). Illinois running back **Mikel Leshoure** averaged a conference-high 121.6 rushing yards per game, becoming the first Illini to top the Big Ten in ground yardage since Jim Grabowski led the conference with 996 yards in 1965. Indiana wideout **Tandon Doss** led the Big Ten with 6.38 receptions per outing, making him the first Hoosier to rank first in receptions since Eddie Baety averaged 5.0 catches per contest in 1994.

. . . and Team Leaders: In team statistics, Big Ten Co-Champion Ohio State led the way in conference games only in all four major defensive categories for the third time in the last six years. The Buckeyes limited opponents to a conference-low 12.8 points, 255.8 total yards, 149.8 passing yards and 106.0 rushing yards per contest. OSU also topped the Big Ten in those four categories in 2007 and 2005. Ohio State has now led the Big Ten in scoring defense in each of the last six seasons, the only school since 1936 to accomplish that feat. On the offensive side of the ball, Big Ten Co-Champion Wisconsin led the conference with 45.2 points and 242.2 rushing yards per game. The Badgers become just the second team since at least 1936 to average more than 45 points in conference play, trailing only

the Penn State unit that averaged 48.1 points per contest in 1994. Wisconsin led the Big Ten in points for the second straight year after averaging 29.5 points per outing last season. The last time the Badgers topped the Big Ten in rushing was when the unit averaged 272.8 yards per game on the ground in 1999, the last year Wisconsin won the Big Ten title. Michigan led all Big Ten schools with 470.0 yards per contest, topping the conference in that category for the first time since 1992. Indiana paced the Big Ten with 268.9 passing yards per outing, leading the conference for the first time since 1991.

Record Breakers: Seven Big Ten standouts ended the season with conference career or single-season records. The full list of players among career or single-season records appears on page 11 of this release:

SINGLE-SEASON: Michigan's **Denard Robinson** ended his first full year as a starter as the first quarterback in NCAA history to rush and pass for more than 1,500 yards in a season. Robinson ended the year with 4,272 total offensive yards and 1,702 rushing yards, both of which stand as Big Ten single-season records. Robinson's 4,272 yards broke the previous record of 4,189 yards set by Purdue quarterback Drew Brees in 2000, while his 1,702 yards on the ground shattered the previous best effort by a Big Ten signal caller when Indiana's Antwaan Randle El posted 1,270 rushing yards in 2000. A pair of Big Ten quarterbacks ended the season ranked first and second for single-season completion percentage, as Northwestern's **Dan Persa** completed a record 73.5 percent of his throws while Wisconsin's **Scott Tolzien** connected on 72.9 percent of his passes. Fellow-Badger Darrell Bevell held the previous record by completing 67.8 percent of his throws in 1993. Wisconsin kicker **Philip Welch** also set a Big Ten record with 67 extra points, surpassing the previous mark of 66 extra points for Penn State's Brett Conway in 1994. Ohio State kicker **Devin Barclay** established a Big Ten record with 122 kicking points, breaking the previous best of 120 points set by Iowa's Nate Kaeding and OSU's Mike Nugent in 2002 and matched by Penn State's Kevin Kelly in 2008.

CAREER: Wisconsin's **David Gilreath** entered the season as the conference's career leader in kickoff returns and ranked second in kickoff return yards. After returning 27 kickoffs for 659 yards this season, Gilreath ends his career as the Big Ten's all-time leader with 135 returns for 3,025 yards. Minnesota junior **Troy Stoudermire** returned 29 kicks for 789 yards this season to rank just behind Gilreath in both career categories with 115 returns for 2,929 yards. Gopher quarterback **Adam Weber** ended his career with 1,992 total offensive plays to break the Big Ten record of 1,975 plays set by Northwestern signal caller Brett Basanez from 2002-05. Weber ends his time in Minnesota ranked among the top four in Big Ten annals with 11,790 total offensive yards (second), 10,917 passing yards (third), 1,594 passing attempts (third), 909 completions (fourth) and 72 touchdown passes (tied for fourth). Purdue defensive end **Ryan Kerrigan** forced five fumbles this season to boost his career total to 14, a new Big Ten record which is also tied for the NCAA mark. Kerrigan's 14 forced fumbles breaks the previous Big Ten mark of 13 set by Illinois defensive end Simeon Rice from 1992-95 and matched by Iowa defensive back Bob Sanders from 2000-03. Kerrigan ends his career tied for the NCAA record with Arizona State's Terrell Suggs (2000-02), Cincinnati's Antwan Peek (2000-02) and USC's Kenechi Udezue (2001-03).

Big Ten Attendance Records: Just one season after setting a record for overall attendance in all games, the Big Ten established two more records in 2010 for overall and average attendance for conference games only. In 44 games this season, conference schools welcomed 3,176,509 patrons for an average of 72,193 fans per contest. The Big Ten's total and average attendance in conference games breaks the previous records of 3,175,427 fans for an average of 72,169 per contest during the 2005 campaign. The Big Ten also averaged more than 72,000 fans in all games for just the second time in conference history, averaging a crowd of 72,106 in 76 games to trail only the 72,566 average in 2005. The Big Ten welcomed more than 5.4 million fans in all games for just the fourth time in conference annals, including the conference record of 5,526,237 in 2009.

Nation's Best Fans: Three Big Ten teams stand atop the NCAA rankings for average attendance while six conference programs rate among the top 21 in the country overall, which ranks second to the SEC (7 of top 21) for the national lead. Michigan, Ohio State and Penn State rank first, second and third, respectively, in average attendance. The Wolverines averaged 111,825 fans in seven games for a total attendance of 782,776. The Buckeyes ranked second with an average of 105,278 fans in eight home contests (842,221 total), while the Nittany Lions rated third by welcoming an average of 104,234 patrons for seven matchups (729,636). Other Big Ten schools to appear among the top 21 in average attendance are Wisconsin (16th at 79,862), Michigan State (19th at 73,556) and Iowa (21st at 70,585). Only 21 schools broke the 70,000 barrier in average attendance this season.

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LEGENDS

-  Iowa
-  Michigan
-  Michigan State
-  Minnesota
-  Nebraska
-  Northwestern



LEADERS

-  Illinois
-  Indiana
-  Ohio State
-  Penn State
-  Purdue
-  Wisconsin

Big Ten Reveals New Logo and Honors Football History with Division Names and Trophies: On Dec. 13, the Big Ten made several announcements that completed a series of decisions prompted by the upcoming addition of Nebraska as the conference's 12th member school. The conference revealed a new logo to be used for all sports beginning with the 2011-12 academic year and also unveiled names for its two football divisions and a list of names for 18 trophies to honor coaches, teams and student-athletes starting with the 2011 football season.

"When we announced football division alignments in September, other associated decisions had not yet been made. We wanted to take some time to listen, carefully consider, and make choices that would best honor our history and traditions, reflect our core values and characteristics, and tell our story," said Big Ten Commissioner James E. Delany. "We involved many thoughtful, dedicated professionals and we listened to many ideas from our member schools, alumni and fans."

The new Big Ten logo was developed by Michael Bierut and Michael Gericke of the international design firm Pentagram.

"The new Big Ten logo was developed to symbolize the conference's future, as well as its rich heritage, strong tradition of competition, academic leadership, and passionate alumni," said Gericke. "Its contemporary collegiate lettering includes an embedded numeral '10' in the word 'BIG,' which allows fans to see 'BIG' and '10' in a single word. Memorable and distinctive, the new logo evolved from the previous logo's use of negative space and is built on the conference's iconic name, without reference to the number of member institutions."

The new logo also provides the flexibility of multiple versions which can be used horizontally, vertically and within new media.

"The new Big Ten logo provides a contemporary identifying mark unifying 12 outstanding institutions," said Delany. "It conveys some elements from the past while simultaneously introducing new features. We think the new logo is fun and has something for everyone."

The conference announced that its football divisions, starting with the 2011 season, will be "Legends" and "Leaders." A breakdown of divisions is listed below:

LEGENDS: Iowa, Michigan, Michigan State, Minnesota, Nebraska, Northwestern

LEADERS: Illinois, Indiana, Ohio State, Penn State, Purdue, Wisconsin

"'Legends' is a nod to our history and to the people associated with our schools who are widely recognized as legends - student-athletes, coaches, alumni and faculty. 'Leaders' looks to the future as we remain committed to fostering leaders, the student-athletes who are encouraged to lead in their own way for the rest of their lives, in their families, in their communities and in their chosen professions," said Delany. "We're proud of our many legends and even prouder of our member institutions that develop future leaders every day."

Finally, the Big Ten announced the creation of 18 trophies to honor just a small sampling of the countless student-athletes and coaches who have contributed to the conference's rich and storied history. Starting with the 2011 season, the Big Ten will honor its top football student-athletes with these newly named trophies.

"These trophies will honor our legends and leaders for generations to come," said Delany. "The names on these trophies are fitting tributes to the hundreds of thousands of student-athletes and coaches whose hard work and dedication have contributed to the legacy of the Big Ten Conference over the past 115 years."

The new Big Ten logo and division graphics, along with the list of trophy names and short bios on each of the student-athletes and coaches appearing on each trophy, can be found at www.bigten.org/newlogo.

Big Ten Announces Media Agreement with FOX Sports to Televis 2011-16 Big Ten Football Championship Games: On Nov. 17, the Big Ten announced a media agreement with FOX Sports to serve as the official broadcast partner of the 2011-16 Big Ten Football Championship Games. The inaugural Big Ten Football Championship Game will be played in prime time on December 3, 2011, at Lucas Oil Stadium in Indianapolis, with the winner earning the Big Ten Championship and a chance to play in the Rose Bowl Game or Bowl Championship Series National Championship Game.

FOX Sports, the nation's top-rated network for sports for 13 consecutive years, is well-known for its coverage of some of the biggest sporting events in the country, including the Super Bowl, World Series and Daytona 500. The network also served as the official television home of the Bowl Championship Series for the 2006-09 seasons and has broadcast the AT&T Cotton Bowl Classic since 1999. The network will promote the Big Ten Football Championship Game as one of the premier sporting events in the country on all of its platforms, including FOXSports.com, FOX Sports Radio and during its coverage of major fall sports events, including the National Football League and Major League Baseball postseason.

The Big Ten Network, a joint venture between the Big Ten Conference and Fox Networks, is the first internationally distributed network dedicated to covering one of the premier collegiate conferences in the country. The network is available to more than 75 million homes across the United States and Canada, and currently has agreements with more than 300 affiliates. FOX Sports' coverage of the Big Ten Football Championship Game will allow the Big Ten Network to play a prominent role at the site of the game, including the possibility of shared talent.

In addition to the media agreement with FOX Sports to broadcast the Big Ten Football Championship Game, the conference currently has media agreements with ABC, ESPN, CBS Sports, CBS College Sports Network and the Big Ten Network to provide the conference with its greatest television exposure ever. The Big Ten's current media agreements have resulted in the production and distribution of more than 850 events nationally on an annual basis, compared to 300 events prior to the launch of the Big Ten Network.

Indianapolis' Lucas Oil Stadium Selected as Site for 2011 Big Ten Football Championship Game: On August 5, the Big Ten announced that Lucas Oil Stadium in Indianapolis was chosen as the site for the inaugural Big Ten Football Championship Game to be played on December 3, 2011. The conference office is in the midst of a thorough process to determine the location of the Big Ten Football Championship Game in 2012 and beyond.

"We are excited to work with Indiana Sports Corp and Lucas Oil Stadium to finalize an agreement to hold the inaugural Big Ten Football Championship Game in the city of Indianapolis," said Big Ten Commissioner James E. Delany. "We felt at this time it was important to identify a site for the first championship game and then spend more time with other cities and venues with respect to both our basketball tournaments and the football championship games in the future. The city of Indianapolis has been an outstanding host for our basketball tournaments, and we look forward to holding our first Big Ten Football Championship Game in Lucas Oil Stadium."

ALL-TIME BIG TEN COACHES TOP WINNING RECORDS

(Record in all games played while a member of the Big Ten; 10-year minimum)

Coach, Team	Yrs	Seasons	Record	PCT
Fielding Yost, MICH*	15	1901-06, 1917-23, 1925-26	113-13-3	.888
Jim Tressel, OSU	10	2001-	106-22	.828
Bo Schembechler, MICH	21	1969-89	194-48-5	.796
Henry William s, MINN	22	1900-21	136-33-11	.786
Fritz Crisler, MINN-MICH	12	1930-31, 1938-47	81-23-4	.769
Woody Hayes, OSU	28	1951-78	205-61-10	.761
Lloyd Carr, MICH	13	1995-2007	122-40-0	.753
Bernie Bierman, MINN	16	1932-41, 1945-50	93-35-6	.716
John Cooper, OSU	13	1988-2000	111-43-4	.715
Joe Paterno, PSU*	18	1993-	154-68-0	.694
John Wilce, OSU	16	1913-28	78-33-9	.688
Jack Mollenkopf, PUR	14	1956-69	84-39-9	.670
Amos Alonzo Stagg, CHI*	37	1896-32	199-94-22	.667
Bennie Oosterbaan, MICH	11	1948-58	63-33-4	.650
Barry Alvarez, WIS	16	1990-2005	118-73-4	.615
Hayden Fry, IOWA	20	1979-98	143-89-6	.613
Robert Zuppke, ILL	29	1913-41	131-81-13	.611
Duffy Daugherty, MSU	19	1954-72	109-69-5	.609
Kirk Ferentz, IOWA	12	1999-	89-60	.597
Joe Tiller, PUR	12	1997-2008	87-62-0	.584
Glenn Thistlewaite, NU-WIS	10	1922-26, 1927-31	47-33-4	.583
Bo McMillan, IND	14	1934-47	63-48-11	.561
Bump Elliott, MICH	10	1959-68	51-42-2	.547
George Perles, MSU	12	1983-94	73-61-4	.544
Milt Bruhn, WIS	11	1956-66	52-45-6	.534
Ray Eliot, ILL	18	1942-59	83-73-11	.530
Glen Mason, MINN	10	1997-2006	64-57-0	.529
Murray Warmath, MINN	18	1954-71	86-78-7	.528
Pappy Waldorf, NU	12	1935-46	49-45-7	.520

* Record while member of Big Ten only

BIG TEN COACHING RECORDS

Coach, School	Career (Yrs)	At School (Yrs)	Big Ten Only
Ron Zook, ILL	51-59 (9)	28-45 (6)	16-32
Kevin Wilson, IND	0-0	0-0	0-0
Kirk Ferentz, IOWA	101-81 (15)	89-60 (12)	53-43
Brady Hoke, MICH	47-50 (8)	0-0	0-0
Mark Dantonio, MSU	51-36 (7)	33-19 (4)	20-12
Jerry Kill, MINN	127-73 (17)	0-0	0-0
Pat Fitzgerald, NU	34-29 (5)	34-29 (5)	18-22
Jim Tressel, OSU	241-79-2 (25)	106-22 (10)	66-14
Joe Paterno, PSU	401-135-3 (45)	401-135-3 (45)	90-54
Danny Hope, PUR	44-37 (7)	9-15 (2)	6-10
Bret Bielema, WIS	49-16 (5)	49-16 (5)	27-13

BIG TEN IN THE POLLS (AP/USA TODAY/HARRIS)

	ILL	IND	IOWA	MICH	MSU	MINN	NU	OSU	PSU	PUR	WIS
PRE	-/-	-/-	9/10	-/-	-/rv	-/-	-/rv	2/2	19/14	-/-	12/12
9/7	-/-	-/-	9/9	rv/rv	rv/rv	-/-	-/rv	2/2	18/14	-/-	11/11
9/12	-/-	-/-	9/10	20/22	rv/rv	-/-	rv/rv	2/2	22/20	-/-	11/11
9/19	-/-	-/-	18/18	21/22	25/23	-/-	rv/rv	2/2	23/20	-/-	11/10
9/26	-/-	-/-	17/18	19/19	24/21	-/-	rv/rv	2/2	22/20	-/-	11/9
10/3	-/-	-/-	15/15	18/17	17/16	-/-	rv/25	2/2	rv/rv	-/-	20/19
10/10	-/-/rv	-/-/	15/14/15	rv/24/24	13/11/12	-/-/	rv/rv/rv	1/1/1	-/-/	-/-/	18/16/16
10/17	-/-/	-/-/	13/12/12	rv/rv/rv	8/8/8	-/-/	rv/rv/rv	11/10/10	-/-/	-/-/rv	10/11/11
10/24	-/rv/-	-/-/	18/19/17	rv/25/rv	5/5/5	-/-/	rv/rv/rv	10/10/10	-/-/	-/-/	9/9/9
10/31	rv/rv/-	-/-/	15/16/14	-/rv/rv	16/15/16	-/-/	rv/rv/rv	8/8/8	-/-/	-/-/	7/7/7
11/7	-/-/	-/-/	13/13/12	-/rv/rv	10/10/10	-/-/	-/rv	8/7/7	rv/rv/rv	-/-/	6/5/5
11/14	-/-/	-/-/	21/20/19	rv/rv/rv	11/11/10	-/-/	rv/25/rv	8/7/7	-/rv/rv	-/-/	6/5/5
11/21	-/-/	-/-/	24/24/24	-/rv/-	11/10/10	-/-/	-/rv/rv	8/7/8	rv/rv/rv	-/-/	5/5/5
11/28	-/-/	-/-/	-/-/	-/-/	7/7/7	-/-/	-/-/	6/6/6	-/-/	-/-/	4/4/4
12/5	-/-/	-/-/	rv/-/rv	-/-/	7/7/7	-/-/	-/-/	6/6/6	-/-/	-/-/	4/4/4
FINAL	-/-	-/-	rv/rv	-/-	14/14	-/-	-/-	5/5	-/-	-/-	7/7/8

rv - Receiving Votes

NOTE: Harris Poll first released on Oct. 10; ; Dec. 5 was final Harris Poll

NON-CONFERENCE OPPONENTS

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

ACC (1)	1-0
Miami (Fla.)	1-0
Big East (1)	1-0
Connecticut	1-0
Big Sky (1)	1-0
Northern Colorado	1-0
Big 12 (5)	3-2
*Baylor	1-0
Iowa State	1-0
*Missouri (2)	1-1
*Texas Tech	0-1
CAA (2)	2-0
Massachusetts	1-0
Towson	1-0
C-USA (2)	2-0
Marshall	1-0
Rice	1-0
Great West (1)	0-1
South Dakota	0-1
MAC (13)	11-2
Akron	1-0
Ball State (2)	2-0
Bowling Green	1-0
Central Michigan	1-0
Eastern Michigan	1-0
Kent State	1-0
Northern Illinois (2)	1-1
Ohio	1-0
Temple	1-0
Toledo	0-1
Western Michigan	1-0
Missouri Valley (4)	4-0
Illinois State	1-0
Southern Illinois	1-0
Western Illinois	1-0
Youngstown State	1-0
MWC (2)	1-1
UNLV	1-0
*TCU	0-1
OVC (2)	2-0
Austin Peay	1-0
Eastern Illinois	1-0
Pac 10 (3)	1-2
Arizona	0-1
Arizona State	1-0
Southern California	0-1
SEC (6)	2-4
*Alabama (2)	0-2
*Arkansas	1-0
*Florida	0-1
*Mississippi State	0-1
Vanderbilt	1-0
Sun Belt (4)	4-0
Arkansas State	1-0
Florida Atlantic	1-0
Middle Tennessee	1-0
Western Kentucky	1-0
WAC (2)	1-1
Fresno State	0-1
San Jose State	1-0
Independent (3)	2-1
Notre Dame (3)	2-1
Total (52)	38-14 (.731)
Bowl Games (8)	3-5 (.375)

* indicates bowl opponent

ASSOCIATED PRESS - FINAL

Team (1st Place Votes)	Record	PTS	Prev.
1 Auburn (56)	14-0	1472	1
2 TCU (3)	13-0	1392	3
3 Oregon	12-1	1379	2
4 Stanford	12-1	1300	5
5 Ohio State	12-1	1220	6
6 Oklahoma	12-2	1108	9
7 Wisconsin	11-2	1055	4
8 LSU	11-2	1051	11
9 Boise State	12-1	1031	10
10 Alabama	10-3	961	15
11 Nevada	13-1	866	13
12 Arkansas	10-3	863	8
13 Oklahoma State	11-2	833	16
14 Michigan State	11-2	696	7
15 Mississippi State	9-4	578	21
16 Virginia Tech	11-3	577	12
17 Florida State	10-4	502	23
18 Missouri	10-3	477	14
19 Texas A&M	9-4	359	18
20 Nebraska	10-4	334	17
21 UCF	11-3	225	NR
22 South Carolina	9-5	169	19
23 Maryland	9-4	144	NR
24 Tulsa	10-3	128	NR
25 North Carolina State	9-4	119	NR

Others Receiving Votes: Utah 98, **Iowa 54**, San Diego State 52, Northern Illinois 47, Miami (OH) 21, Florida 19, West Virginia 16, Notre Dame 9, Connecticut 8, Air Force 5, Navy 3, Hawaii 2, Brigham Young 1, Eastern Washington 1

USA TODAY - FINAL

Team (1st Place Votes)	Record	PTS	Prev.
1 Auburn (56)	14-0	1424	2
2 TCU (1)	13-0	1336	3
3 Oregon	12-1	1333	1
4 Stanford	12-1	1254	5
5 Ohio State	12-1	1197	6
6 Oklahoma	12-2	1096	8
7 Boise State	12-1	1012	10
8 LSU	11-2	1007	12
8 Wisconsin	11-2	1007	4
10 Oklahoma State	11-2	883	13
11 Alabama	10-3	860	18
12 Arkansas	10-3	818	8
13 Nevada	13-1	734	15
14 Michigan State	11-2	676	7
15 Virginia Tech	11-3	636	11
16 Florida State	10-4	506	23
17 Mississippi State	9-4	505	22
18 Missouri	10-3	473	14
19 Nebraska	10-4	354	16
20 UCF	11-3	328	24
21 Texas A&M	9-4	277	17
22 South Carolina	9-5	181	20
23 Utah	10-3	156	19
24 Maryland	9-4	111	NR
25 North Carolina State	9-4	94	NR

Others Receiving Votes: Northern Illinois 82, Tulsa 41, San Diego State 36, West Virginia 35, **Iowa 31**, Miami (OH) 13, Florida 10, Connecticut 7, Air Force 4, Hawaii 4, Notre Dame 3, Washington 1

HARRIS INTERACTIVE - FINAL (DEC. 5)

Team (1st Place Votes)	Record	PTS	Prev.
1 Auburn (75)	13-0	2,809	2
2 Oregon (38)	12-0	2,773	1
3 TCU (1)	12-0	2,613	3
4 Wisconsin	11-1	2,443	4
5 Stanford	11-1	2,421	5
6 Ohio State	11-1	2,293	6
7 Michigan State	11-1	2,104	7
8 Arkansas	10-2	1,992	8
9 Oklahoma	11-2	1,926	9
10 Boise State	11-1	1,800	10
11 LSU	10-2	1,625	11
12 Virginia Tech	11-2	1,623	12
13 Missouri	10-2	1,368	14
14 Nevada	12-1	1,302	15
15 Oklahoma State	10-2	1,232	16
16 Alabama	9-3	1,155	18
17 Nebraska	10-3	1,136	13
18 Texas A&M	9-3	1,077	19
19 Utah	10-2	685	21
20 South Carolina	9-4	631	17
21 West Virginia	9-3	519	23
22 Mississippi State	8-4	500	22
23 Florida State	9-4	274	20
24 Hawaii	10-3	191	NR
25 Central Florida	10-3	190	NR

Others Receiving Votes: Connecticut 128; Maryland 70; Navy 50; Tulsa 26; Northern Illinois 24; Arizona 16; **Iowa 16**; Notre Dame 11; North Carolina State 8; San Diego State 7; Miami (OH) 6; Air Force 4; South Florida 2.

BOWL CHAMPIONSHIP SERIES - FINAL (DEC. 5)

Rank	Team	BCS Avg.	Prev. Rank	Harris Rank	% of Votes	USA Today Rank	% of Votes	Computer Rank	% of Points
1.	Auburn (13-0)	.9866	1	1	.9856	2	.9742	1	1.000
2.	Oregon (12-0)	.9720	2	2	.9730	1	.9831	2	.9600
3.	TCU (12-0)	.9102	3	3	.9168	3	.9139	3	.9000
4.	Stanford (11-1)	.8365	4	5	.8495	5	.8400	5	.8200
5.	Wisconsin (11-1)	.8041	5	4	.8572	4	.8651	8	.6900
6.	Ohio State (11-1)	.7660	6	6	.8046	6	.8136	9	.6800
7.	Oklahoma (11-2)	.7297	9	9	.6758	8	.6834	4	.8300
8.	Arkansas (10-2)	.7274	7	8	.6989	8	.6834	6	.8000
9.	Michigan State (11-1)	.6922	8	7	.7382	7	.7485	11	.5900
10	Boise State	.6137	11	10	.6316	10	.6197	12	.5900
11	LSU	.6134	10	11	.5702	12	.5600	7	.7200
12.	Missouri (10-2)	.5276	12	13	.4800	14	.4827	10	.6200
13.	Virginia Tech (11-2)	.5032	15	12	.5695	11	.6102	18	.3300
14.	Oklahoma State (10-2)	.4897	14	15	.4323	13	.4868	13	.5500
15.	Nevada (12-1)	.4336	17	14	.4568	15	.4339	16	.4100
16.	Alabama (9-3)	.4328	16	16	.4053	18	.3532	14	.5400
17.	Texas A&M (9-3)	.4151	18	18	.3779	17	.3675	15	.5000
18.	Nebraska (10-3)	.3934	13	17	.3986	16	.4115	17	.3700
19.	Utah (10-2)	.2549	20	19	.2404	19	.2542	19	.2700
20.	South Carolina (9-4)	.2418	19	20	.2214	20	.2339	19	.2700
21.	Mississippi State (8-4)	.1828	22	22	.1754	22	.1729	21	.2000
22.	West Virginia (9-3)	.1330	24	21	.1821	21	.1769	24	.0400
23.	Florida State (9-4)	.1140	21	23	.0961	23	.1058	22	.1400
24.	Hawaii (10-3)	.0778	NR	24	.0670	25	.0664	23	.1000
25.	Central Florida (10-3)	.0545	NR	25	.0667	24	.0969	28	.0000

2010 PLAYERS OF THE WEEK

9/7 O QB Denard Robinson, MICH D S Tyler Moeller, OSU S RB Paki O'Meara, IOWA FR RB Le'Veon Bell, MSU QB Rob Bolden, PSU	10/11 O QB Terrelle Pryor, OSU RB John Clay, WIS D S Trenton Robinson, MSU S K Derek Dimke, ILL DT Kawann Short, PUR FR QB Nathan Scheelhaase, ILL	11/15 O QB Dan Persa, NU D DE Ryan Kerrigan, PUR S KR/PR Troy Stoudermire, MINN FR RB James White, WIS
9/13 O QB Denard Robinson, MICH D CB Chimdi Chekwa, OSU S K Dan Conroy, MSU K Devin Barclay, OSU FR QB Nathan Scheelhaase, ILL	10/18 O QB Ricky Stanzi, IOWA D LB Greg Jones, MSU S KR/PR David Gilreath, WIS FR QB Rob Henry, PUR	11/22 O RB Mikel Leshoure, ILL D LB Brian Rolle, OSU S LB Denicos Allen, MSU-FR S Andrew Dailey, PSU FR RB James White, WIS
9/20 O QB Ben Chappell, IND D LB Quentin Davie, NU S P Aaron Bates, MSU FR RB Le'Veon Bell, MSU	10/25 O QB Kirk Cousins, MSU D DE Tyler Hoover, MSU DE J.J. Watt, WIS S P Aaron Bates, MSU P Brad Nortman, WIS FR QB Nathan Scheelhaase, ILL	11/29 O QB Scott Tolzien, WIS D DE J.J. Watt, WIS S K Mitch Ewald, IND-FR KR Venric Mark, NU-FR FR K Mitch Ewald, IND KR Venric Mark, NU
9/27 O QB Terrelle Pryor, OSU D DT Mike Daniels, IOWA LB Greg Jones, MSU S K Collin Wagner, PSU FR RB James White, WIS	11/1 O QB Nathan Scheelhaase, ILL-FR D CB Shaun Prater, IOWA S K Collin Wagner, PSU FR QB Nathan Scheelhaase, ILL	12/6 O RB Mikel Leshoure, ILL D DE Corey Liuget, ILL S None FR QB Nathan Scheelhaase, ILL
10/4 O QB Denard Robinson, MICH D DE Adrian Clayborn, IOWA S KR/PR Keshawn Martin, MSU FR RB James White, WIS	11/8 O RB Mikel Leshoure, ILL WR Roy Roundtree, MICH D LB Michael Mauti, PSU CB Antonio Fenelus, WIS S K Mike Meyer, IOWA - FR FR QB Nathan Scheelhaase, ILL	O - Offense; D - Defense; S - Special Teams; FR - Freshman

2010 WEEK-BY-WEEK ATTENDANCE

Date	ALL GAMES				CONFERENCE GAMES			
	Games	Total	Average	SO	Games	Total	Average	SO
Sept. 2-4	6	500,939	83,490	4	--	--	--	--
Sept. 11	7	429,051	61,293	2	--	--	--	--
Sept. 18	8	630,750	78,844#	4	--	--	--	--
Sept. 25	10	702,294	70,229	3	--	--	--	--
Oct. 2	5	308,720	61,744	3	5	308,720	61,744	3
Oct. 9	5	440,169	88,034%	4	5	440,169	88,034	4
Oct. 16	5	356,218	71,244	2	4	315,738	78,935	2
Oct. 23	5	319,116	63,823	2	5	319,116	63,823	2
Oct. 30	5	316,030	63,206	2	5	316,030	63,206	2
Nov. 6	5	374,934	74,987	1	5	374,934	74,987	1
Nov. 13	5	338,890	67,778	3	5	338,890	67,778	3
Nov. 20 ^	5	373,820	74,764	3	5	373,820	74,764	3
Nov. 27	5	389,092	77,818	2	5	389,092	77,818	2
TOTAL	76	5,480,023	72,106	35	44	3,176,509	72,193	22

New single-day eight-game record

% New single-day five-game record

^ includes neutral site games in Chicago, Ill., and Landover, Md.

ALL-TIME 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
35	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-09-10c
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

BIG TEN CAREER RECORDS

Total Offensive Plays

1,992	Weber, MINN	2007-10
1,975	Basanez, NU	2002-05

Total Offensive Yards

12,692	Brees, PUR	1997-00
11,790	Weber, MINN	2007-10

Passing Yards

11,792	Brees, PUR	1997-00
11,163	Painter, PUR	2005-08
10,917	Weber, MINN	2007-10

Passing Attempts

1,678	Brees, PUR	1997-00
1,648	Painter, PUR	2005-08
1,594	Weber, MINN	2007-10

Passing Completions

1,026	Brees, PUR	1997-00
987	Painter, PUR	2005-08
913	Basanez, NU	2002-05
909	Weber, MINN	2007-10

Passing Touchdowns

90	Brees, PUR	1997-00
87	Henne, MICH	2004-07
74	Long, IOWA	1981-85
72	Navarre, MICH	2000-03
	Weber, MINN	2007-10

Rushing Yards by a Quarterback

3,895	Randle El, IND	1998-01
2,557	Williams, ILL	2006-09
2,176	Leach, MICH	1975-78
2,164	Pryor, OSU	2008-
2,150	Foggie, MINN	1984-87
2,080	Greene, OSU	1972-75
2,053	Robinson, MICH	2009-

Interception Return Yards

459	Fletcher, WIS	1998-00
431	Curtis, MICH	1967-69
413	Porter, IND	2004-07
392	Sash, IOWA	2008-

Forced Fumbles

14	Kerrigan, PUR	2007-10
13	Rice, ILL	1992-95
	Sanders, IOWA	2000-03

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
334	Rayner, MSU	2001-04
315	Welch, WIS	2008-

Consecutive Field Goals Made

24	Nugent, OSU	2001-02
22	Kaeding, IOWA	2001-02
16	Nystrom, MINN	2002
15	Janakievski, OSU	1979-80
	Swenson, MSU	2008
14	Hamilton, MICH	1996
	Nystrom, MINN	1999-00
	Conroy, MSU	2009-10

Consecutive PATs Made

126	Carlson, MICH	1989-91
119	Conway, PSU	1994-96
111	Summers, PUR	2006-08
107	Stoyanovich, IND	1986-88
86	Williams, OSU	1991-93
85	Wagner, PSU	2008-

Punts

305	Standring, NU	1998-01
279	Mojsiejenko, MSU	1981-84
273	McCarthy, PUR	1986-89
272	Baker, IOWA	1997-00
	Beattie, IND	2002-05
261	Kidd, NU	1980-83
260	Bates, MSU	2007-10

Punting Yards

12,639	Standring, NU	1998-01
12,220	Mojsiejenko, MSU	1981-84
11,304	Baker, IOWA	1997-00
11,246	McCarthy, PUR	1986-89
11,173	Beattie, IND	2002-05
10,916	Kidd, NU	1980-83
10,907	Bates, MSU	2007-10

Kickoff Returns

135	Gilreath, WIS	2007-10
115	Stoudermire, MINN	2008-
106	Mason, MSU	1993-96
	Williams, WIS	2002-05
93	Anderson, MINN	1983-86
	Graham, IND	1998-00
88	Bryant, PUR	2004-07
84	Simmons, NU	2007-10

Kickoff Return Yards

3,025	Gilreath, WIS	2007-10
2,929	Stoudermire, MINN	2008-
2,575	Mason, MSU	1993-96
2,349	Williams, WIS	2002-05
2,125	Bryant, PUR	2004-07
2,088	Graham, IND	1998-00
2,009	Thigpen, IND	2005-08
1,996	Anderson, MINN	1983-86
1,995	Simmons, NU	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
	Stoudermire, MINN	2008-

BIG TEN SINGLE-SEASON RECORDS

Rushing Yards by a Quarterback

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

Total Offensive Yards

4,272	Robinson, MICH	2010
4,189	Brees, PUR	2000
4,176	Brees, PUR	1998
4,092	Painter, PUR	2006
4,086	Brees, PUR	1999

Completion Percentage (min. 100 completions)

.735	Persa, NU	2010
.729	Tolzien, WIS	2010
.678	Bevell, WIS	1993
.673	Yarema, MSU	1986
.671	Long, IOWA	1984
.670	Long, IOWA	1985
.669	Cousins, MSU	2010

Passing Efficiency

175.3	Chappuis, MICH	1947
172.8	Collins, PSU	1994
166.4	Smoker, MSU	2001
165.9	Tolzien, WIS	2010
163.7	Harbaugh, MICH	1985

Touchdown Passes

39	Brees, PUR	1998
31	Orton, PUR	2004
30	Smith, OSU	2006
29	Hoying, OSU	1995
	Painter, PUR	2007
28	Lewis, IND	2007
27	Long, IOWA	1985
	Kittner, ILL	2001
	Pryor, OSU	2010

Interception Return Touchdowns

3	Fletcher, WIS	1998
2	Radcliffe, WIS	1949
	Darden, MICH	1971
	Colzie, OSU	1973
	Gow, ILL	1974
	Edwards, ILL	1983
	Rosga, MINN	1993
	Atkins, IOWA	1995
	Knight, IOWA	1995
	Allen, IND	1996
	Rose, PUR	1997
	Fletcher, WIS	1999
	Morton, ILL	2001
	Gardner, PSU	2002
	Smith, NU	2008
	Allen, PUR	2010

Forced Fumbles

8	Saint-Dic, MSU	2007
7	Looney, PUR	1979
	Haynes, PSU	2002
	Kerrigan, PUR	2009
5	Arneson, ILL	1992
	Hardy, ILL	1995
	Williams, MINN	1997
	Missouri, NU	2000
	White, MINN	2001
	West, MINN	2002
	Kirlew, IND	2009
	Phillips, NU	2009
	Borland, WIS	2009
	Kerrigan, PUR	2010

Tackles for Loss

31	Burke, WIS	1998
30	Peterson, MSU	1999
29	Brown, PSU	1999
28.5	Crable, MICH	2007
28	Zgonina, PUR	1992
26.5	Spencer, PUR	2006
26	Kerrigan, PUR	2010

Scoring - Kicking Points

122	Barclay, OSU	2010
120	Kaeding, IOWA	2002
	Nugent, OSU	2002
	Kelly, PSU	2008
118	Welch, WIS	2010
115	Dimke, ILL	2010

Extra Points

67	Welch, WIS	2010
66	Conway, PSU	1994
62	Barclay, OSU	2010
60	Kelly, PSU	2008
59	Lloyd, MINN	2003

Field Goals

25	Hamilton, MICH	1994
	Nystrom, MINN	2000
	Nugent, OSU	2002
	Jones, PUR	2003
24	Bass, ILL	1982
	White, ILL	1984
	Nugent, OSU	2004
	Dimke, ILL	2010

Kickoff Returns

43	Douthitt, IOWA	1973
	Stoudermire, MINN	2009
42	Gilreath, WIS	2007
	Stoudermire, MINN	2008
41	Doss, IND	2010

Kickoff Return Yards

1,135	Thomas, MSU	2007
1,083	Stoudermire, MINN	2008
1,057	Stoudermire, MINN	2009
1,016	Doss, IND	2010

BIG TEN ANNOUNCES 2010 FOOTBALL ALL-CONFERENCE TEAMS AND INDIVIDUAL HONORS

The Big Ten announced the 2010 All-Conference football teams and individual award winners as selected by the coaches and a media panel, with four different schools sharing the individual accolades. Michigan quarterback **Denard Robinson** was named the Big Ten Offensive Player of the Year by coaches and media while Purdue defensive end **Ryan Kerrigan** was selected as the Big Ten Defensive Player of the Year by coaches and media and the Big Ten Defensive Lineman of the Year by coaches. Wisconsin collected two individual accolades as offensive tackle **Gabe Carimi** was tabbed the Big Ten Offensive Lineman of the Year by coaches and running back **James White** was honored as the Big Ten Freshman of the Year by coaches and media. Michigan State's **Mark Dantonio** was named the Dave McClain Coach of the Year by the media.

Robinson is the eighth Wolverines' standout to be named Big Ten Offensive Player of the Year and just the second Michigan quarterback to be selected along with Jim Harbaugh, who was honored in 1986. Other Wolverines to earn Big Ten Offensive Player of the Year accolades are wideouts Braylon Edwards (2004), Desmond Howard (1991) and Anthony Carter (1982) and running backs Chris Perry (2003), Tyrone Wheatley (1992) and Jon Vaughn (1990). Robinson is the seventh sophomore to be honored, joining a group of former second-year winners that includes Wisconsin running back John Clay (2009), Purdue quarterback Drew Brees (1998), Michigan running backs Wheatley (1992) and Vaughn (1990) and Michigan State running backs Tico Duckett (1990) and Lorenzo White (1985). Robinson is the first quarterback in NCAA history to rush and pass for more than 1,500 yards in a season. He leads the Big Ten and ranks fourth nationally with 136.9 rushing yards per contest and his 1,643 yards on the ground are a new conference record for signal callers, shattering the previous mark of 1,270 yards set by Indiana's Antwaan Randle El in 2000. Robinson also ranks among the top 20 nationally with a pass efficiency rating of 152.9, completing 155 of 250 passes for 2,316 yards. He has tallied 14 rushing touchdowns and 16 passing scores.

Kerrigan is the second Boilermaker to earn Big Ten Defensive Player of the Year laurels and the first since defensive tackle Jeff Zgonina was honored by the media in 1992. The Boilermaker senior is also the first Purdue standout to collect Big Ten Defensive Lineman of the Year honors. He ranks among the top two nationally in sacks, tackles for loss and forced fumbles per game. Kerrigan leads the Big Ten and ranks second nationally with 1.04 sacks per game to total 12.5 sacks on the season. He tops the country with 2.17 tackles for loss per contest, good for 26.0 tackles for loss on the season, the seventh-best single-season total in Big Ten history. He is also tied for second in the nation with 0.42 fumbles forced per outing. His five forced fumbles this season boosted his career total to 14, matching the NCAA record and breaking the Big Ten record of 13 set by Illinois' Simeon Rice (1992-95) and Iowa's Bob Sanders (2000-03). Kerrigan ranked fifth on the team with 70 tackles, including 50 solo stops.

Carimi was named the Big Ten Offensive Lineman of the Year by the coaches to become the third Badger to be so honored, a group that includes tackle

Chris McIntosh (1999) and guard Jeff Dellenbach (1984). Carimi was part of an offensive unit that led the Big Ten with 45.2 points and 242.2 rushing yards in conference games only. The Badgers are just the second team since at least 1936 to average more than 45 points in conference play after Penn State averaged 48.1 points per contest in 1994. In all games, Wisconsin leads the Big Ten and is tied for fourth nationally with 43.3 points per outing while also ranking among the top 20 nationally in rushing offense (12th) and total offense (17th).

White becomes the second straight Badger to garner Big Ten Freshman of the Year laurels after linebacker Chris Borland was honored last season. White is the seventh Wisconsin freshman to be honored by the conference, joining Borland, running backs P.J. Hill (2006), Anthony Davis (2001) and Ron Dayne (1996) and quarterbacks Brooks Bollinger (1999) and Tony Lowery (1987). White ranked fourth in conference play with 108.6 rushing yards per game. For all games, he led the Badgers with 1,029 rushing yards (93.5 yards per game) and averaged 7.0 yards per carry with 14 rushing touchdowns.

Dantonio earns his first Big Ten Coach of the Year honor after guiding Michigan State to a school-record 11 victories and a share of its first Big Ten Championship since 1990. The Spartans won their first eight games of the year to rise to No. 5 in the Bowl Championship Series standings, the highest ranking in program history. MSU concluded the year with an 11-1 overall record and a 7-1 mark in conference play to collect the seventh Big Ten title in school annals. Dantonio is the fifth Spartans mentor to be named Big Ten Coach of the Year, a group that includes John L. Smith (2003), George Perles (1987), Darryl Rogers (1977) and Denny Stolz (1974).

Among this year's All-Big Ten first-team selections, 12 were members of the first or second team from a year ago, including nine first-team selections from 2009 who are on this year's first team – Indiana wide receiver **Tandon Doss**, Iowa defensive lineman **Adrian Clayborn** and defensive back **Tyler Sash**, Michigan State linebacker **Greg Jones**, Ohio State offensive guard **Justin Boren**, Penn State offensive guard **Stefen Wisniewski**, Purdue defensive lineman Kerrigan and Wisconsin offensive tackle Carimi and offensive guard **John Moffitt**. Jones is a three-time first-team All-Big Ten selection.

The Big Ten also recognized Sportsmanship Award honorees from each team. The student-athletes chosen are individuals who have distinguished themselves through sportsmanship and ethical behavior. These student-athletes must also be in good academic standing and have demonstrated good citizenship outside of the sports-competition setting. These 11 student-athletes are now candidates for the Big Ten Outstanding Sportsmanship Award, as the conference office will honor one male and one female student-athlete from each institution at the end of the school year.

A complete listing of the 2010 All-Big Ten Teams and individual honors appears on pages 13 and 14 of this release.

FOOTBALL ACADEMIC ALL-BIG TEN SELECTIONS

As the fall term of the 2010-11 school year concluded, the Big Ten recognized a total of 190 football student-athletes who were named to the Academic All-Conference Team, just three shy of the conference record of 193 Academic All-Big Ten honorees established following the 2009 season. To be eligible for Academic All-Big Ten selection, student-athletes must be letterwinners who are in at least their second academic year at their institution and carry a cumulative grade point average (GPA) of 3.0 or higher. The list of the 2010 football honorees, **with Academic All-America selections in bold**, appears below:

Jeff Allen, Derek Dimke, Justin Green, Aaron Gress, AJ Jenkins, Anthony Santella, Nathan Scheelhaase, ILL; Chris Ahlfeld, Leon Beckum, David Blackwell, Trea Burgess, Ben Chappell, Connor Creevey, Griffen Dahlstrom, Zach Davis-Walker, Max Dedmond, Mitchell Evans, Mitch Ewald, Greg Heban, Dusty Kiel, Michael Lanning, Jamie Lukaszewski, Jordan Marquette, Aaron Price, Adam Replogle, Tyler Replogle, Chad Roggeman, Jeff Sanders, Teddy Schell, IND; Steve Bigach, Justin Greiner, Josh Koepel, Nick Kuchel, Nolan MacMillan, Brett Morse, Daniel Murray, Tyler Nielsen, Ross Petersen, Colin Sandeman, Jack Swanson, Jeff Tarpinian, Brett Van Sloten, James Vandenberg, Julian Vanderveelde, Jason White, IOWA; Zac Ciullo, John Ferrara, J.B. Fitzgerald, Cameron Gordon, Will Heining, John McColgan, Patrick O'mameh, Joe Reynolds, MICH; David Barrent, Aaron Bates, Nick Bendzuck, Larry Caper, Kirk Cousins, John Deyo, Joel Foreman, Dan France, Nate Klatt, Andrew Maxwell, Kevin Muma, Keith Nichol, Ethan Ruhland, MSU; DJ Burris, Ryan Coleman, Ed Cotton, Austin Hahn, Aaron Hill, Bryan Klitzke, Adam Lueck, Collin McGarry, Ryan Orton, Mike Rallis, Shady Salamon, David Scherman, Pat Sveum, Adam Weber, Ryan Wynn, MINN; Colin Armstrong, Brian Arnfelt, Brendan Barber, Doug Bartels, Corbin Bryant, Jeff Budzian, Scott Concannon, Stefan Demos, Drake Dunsmore, Jake Gregus, Pat Hickey, James Kurzawski, Bryce McNaull, Aaron Nagel, Al Netter, John Henry Pace, Dan Persa, Brian Peters, Stone Pinckney, John Plascencia, Jaleel Reed, Tim Riley, Josh Rooks, Jacob Schmidt, Andrew Struckmeyer, Timmy Vernon, Patrick Ward, Kevin Watt, Ricky Weina, Brandon Williams, Nate Williams, Quentin Williams, NU; Devin Barclay, Bryant Browning, Ben Buchanan, Chimdi Chekwa, Dominic Clarke, Zach Domicone, Nate Ebner, Donnie Evege, James Georgiades, Garrett Goebel, Adam Homan, Ross Homan, Garrett Hummel, Dexter Larimore, Chris Malone, Jake McQuaide, Andrew Miller, Tyler Moeller, Terrelle Pryor, Scott Sika, Spencer Smith, Andrew Sweat, OSU; Brett Brackett, **Christopher Colasanti**, Andrew Dailey, Emery Etter, Garry Gilliam, Tyler Howle, Kyle Johnson, Kevion Latham, **Peter Massaro**, Leonard McCullough, Stephen Obeng-Agyapong, Jonathan Rohrbaugh, David Soldner, Matthew Stankiewitch, Stephen Stupar, Joseph Suhey, James Van Fleet, Michael Wallace, **Stefen Wisniewski**, PSU; **Kyle Adams**, Chris Carlino, Trevor Foy, Antwon Higgs, **Joe Holland**, Josh Johnson, Ryan Kerrigan, Kurt Litchenberg, Robert Maci, Robert Marve, Keith Smith, Kris Staats, Jason Werner, Crosby Wright, PUR; Ethan Armstrong, Gabe Carimi, Bradie Ewing, Antonio Fenelus, Ethan Hemer, Aaron Henry, Shelton Johnson, Jordan Kohout, Peter Konz, Rob Korslin, Andrew Lukasko, Zach Matthias, Pat Muldoon, Brad Nortman, Conor O'Neill, Devin Smith, Blake Sorensen, Culmer St. Jean, Scott Tolzien, J.J. Watt, Ryan Wickesberg, Kevin Zeitler, WIS.

2010 All-Big Ten Conference Football Team As selected by CONFERENCE COACHES

FIRST TEAM	OFFENSE	SECOND TEAM
Dan Persa, Northwestern	Quarterback	Scott Tolzien, Wisconsin
Mikel Leshoure, Illinois	Running Back	Evan Royster, Penn State
Dan Herron, Ohio State	Running Back	John Clay, Wisconsin
Tandon Doss, Indiana*	Receiver	Marvin McNutt, Iowa#
Derrell Johnson-Koulianos, Iowa*	Receiver	
Dane Sanzenbacher, Ohio State*		
David Molk, Michigan	Center	Mike Brewster, Ohio State
Stefen Wisniewski, Penn State	Guard	Julian Vandervelde, Iowa
John Moffitt, Wisconsin	Guard	Justin Boren, Ohio State
Mike Adams, Ohio State	Tackle	Riley Reiff, Iowa
Gabe Carimi, Wisconsin	Tackle	D.J. Young, Michigan State
Lance Kendricks, Wisconsin	Tight End	Allen Reisner, Iowa
Dan Conroy, Michigan State	Kicker	Derek Dimke, Illinois

FIRST TEAM	DEFENSE	SECOND TEAM
Adrian Clayborn, Iowa	Line	Corey Liuget, Illinois
Cameron Heyward, Ohio State	Line	Karl Klug, Iowa
Ryan Kerrigan, Purdue	Line	Mike Martin, Michigan
J.J. Watt, Wisconsin	Line	Ollie Ogbu, Penn State
Greg Jones, Michigan State	Linebacker	Martez Wilson, Illinois
Ross Homan, Ohio State	Linebacker	Jeremiha Hunter, Iowa
Brian Rolle, Ohio State	Linebacker	Eric Gordon, Michigan State
Shaun Prater, Iowa	Defensive Back	Brett Greenwood, Iowa*
Tyler Sash, Iowa	Defensive Back	Johnny Adams, Michigan State*
Chimdi Chekwa, Ohio State	Defensive Back	Trenton Robinson, Michigan State*
Jermale Hines, Ohio State	Defensive Back	Chris L. Rucker, Michigan State*
		Aaron Henry, Wisconsin*
Anthony Santella, Illinois	Punter	Aaron Bates, Michigan State

HONORABLE MENTION: ILLINOIS: Jeff Allen, Nate Bussey, Trulon Henry, Graham Poci, Tavon Wilson; INDIANA: Damarlo Belcher, James Brewer, Mitch Ewald; IOWA: Christian Ballard, Mike Daniels, Adam Robinson, Ryan Donahue; MICHIGAN: Denard Robinson, Stephen Schilling; MICHIGAN STATE: Edwin Baker, Kirk Cousins, Mark Dell, Joel Foreman, Charlie Gantt, Marcus Hyde, Jerel Worthy; MINNESOTA: D.J. Burris; NORTHWESTERN: Drake Dunsmore, Jeremy Ebert, Brian Peters; OHIO STATE: Devin Barclay, DeVier Posey, Terrelle Pryor, John Simon; PENN STATE: Quinn Barham, Chris Colasanti, D'Anton Lynn, Derek Moyer; PURDUE: Ricardo Allen, Dwayne Beckford, Carson Wiggs; WISCONSIN: Montee Ball, Niles Brinkley, Antonio Fenelus, Peter Konz, Bill Nagy, Blake Sorensen, Mike Taylor, Ricky Wagner, Philip Welch, James White, Kevin Zeitler.

OFFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE YEAR:	Denard Robinson, Michigan
OFFENSIVE LINEMAN OF THE YEAR:	Gabe Carimi, Wisconsin
DEFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE YEAR:	Ryan Kerrigan, Purdue
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FRESHMAN OF THE YEAR:	James White, Wisconsin

BIG TEN SPORTSMANSHIP AWARD HONOREES: Tavon Wilson, ILL; Tyler Replogle, IND; Ricky Stanzi, IOWA; Mark Moundros, MICH; Kirk Cousins, MSU; Jon Hoese, MINN; Corbin Bryant, NU; Bryant Browning, OSU; Brett Brackett, PSU; Ryan Kerrigan, PUR; Scott Tolzien, WIS.

* Additional honorees due to ties

Second team reduced by one due to additional first-team honoree

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Mikel Leshoure, Illinois	Running Back	John Clay, Wisconsin
Edwin Baker, Michigan State	Running Back	James White, Wisconsin
Jeremy Ebert, Northwestern	Receiver	Tandon Doss, Indiana
Dane Sanzenbacher, Ohio State	Receiver	Roy Roundtree, Michigan
Mike Brewster, Ohio State	Center	David Molk, Michigan
Justin Boren, Ohio State	Guard	Julian Vandervelde, Iowa
John Moffitt, Wisconsin	Guard	Stefen Wisniewski, Penn State
Mike Adams, Ohio State	Tackle	Jeff Allen, Illinois
Gabe Carimi, Wisconsin	Tackle	Riley Reiff, Iowa
Lance Kendricks, Wisconsin	Tight End	Charlie Gantt, Michigan State
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Cameron Heyward, Ohio State	Line	Karl Klug, Iowa
Ryan Kerrigan, Purdue	Line	Vince Browne, Northwestern
J.J. Watt, Wisconsin	Line	Kawann Short, Purdue
Martez Wilson, Illinois	Linebacker	Jonas Mouton, Michigan
Greg Jones, Michigan State	Linebacker	Eric Gordon, Michigan State
Brian Rolle, Ohio State	Linebacker	Ross Homan, Ohio State
Shaun Prater, Iowa	Defensive Back	Marcus Hyde, Michigan State
Tyler Sash, Iowa	Defensive Back	Brian Peters, Northwestern
Chimdi Chekwa, Ohio State	Defensive Back	Jermale Hines, Ohio State
Antonio Fenelus, Wisconsin	Defensive Back	Ricardo Allen, Purdue
Aaron Bates, Michigan State	Punter	Anthony Santella, Illinois

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OFFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE YEAR:	Denard Robinson, Michigan
DEFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE YEAR:	Ryan Kerrigan, Purdue
FRESHMAN OF THE YEAR:	James White, Wisconsin
DAVE McCLAIN COACH OF THE YEAR:	Mark Dantonio, Michigan State

ILLINOIS

7-6 Overall, 4-4 Big Ten

Date	Score	Opponent	Attendance
Sept. 4	L, 13-23	vs. Missouri [1]	58,060
Sept. 11	W, 35-3	Southern Illinois	52,217
Sept. 18	W, 28-22	Northern Illinois	50,569
Oct. 2	L, 13-24	#2/2 Ohio State	62,870
Oct. 9	W, 33-13	at Penn State	107,638
Oct. 16	L, 6-26	at #13/11/12 Michigan St.	74,441
Oct. 23	W, 43-13	Indiana	53,550
Oct. 30	W, 44-10	Purdue	50,371
Nov. 6	L, 65-67	at Michigan (3OT)	111,441
Nov. 13	L, 34-38	Minnesota	55,549
Nov. 20	W, 48-27	at #-/25 Northwestern [2]	41,058
Dec. 3	L, 23-25	at Fresno State	30,625
Dec. 29	W, 38-14	vs. Baylor Texas Bowl	68,211

[1] at St. Louis, Mo.

[2] at Chicago, Ill.

INDIANA

5-7 Overall, 1-7 Big Ten

Date	Score	Opponent	Attendance
Sept. 2	W, 51-17	Towson	35,242
Sept. 18	W, 38-21	at Western Kentucky	20,772
Sept. 25	W, 35-20	Akron	42,258
Oct. 2	L, 35-42	#19/19 Michigan	52,929
Oct. 9	L, 10-38	at #2/2 Ohio State	105,291
Oct. 16	W, 36-34	Arkansas State	40,480
Oct. 23	L, 13-43	at Illinois	53,550
Oct. 30	L, 17-20	Northwestern	37,818
Nov. 6	L, 13-18	#15/16 Iowa	42,991
Nov. 13	L, 20-83	at #6/5 Wisconsin	80,477
Nov. 20	L, 24-41	vs. Penn State [1]	78,790
Nov. 27	W, 34-31	at Purdue (OT)	50,136

[1] at Landover, Md.

IOWA

8-5 Overall, 4-4 Big Ten

Date	Score	Opponent	Attendance
Sept. 4	W, 37-7	Eastern Illinois	70,585
Sept. 11	W, 35-7	Iowa State	70,585
Sept. 18	L, 27-34	at #24/18 Arizona	57,864
Sept. 25	W, 45-0	Ball State	70,585
Oct. 2	W, 24-3	#22/20 Penn State	70,585
Oct. 16	W, 38-28	at #-/24 Michigan	112,784
Oct. 23	L, 30-31	#10/11 Wisconsin	70,585
Oct. 30	W, 37-6	#5/5 Michigan St.	70,585
Nov. 6	W, 18-13	at Indiana	42,991
Nov. 13	L, 17-21	at Northwestern	47,130
Nov. 20	L, 17-20	#8/7 Ohio State	70,585
Nov. 27	L, 24-27	at Minnesota	50,805
Dec. 28	W, 27-24	vs. #14/14 Missouri Insight Bowl	53,453

MICHIGAN

7-6 Overall, 3-5 Big Ten

Date	Score	Opponent	Attendance
Sept. 4	W, 30-10	Connecticut	113,090
Sept. 11	W, 28-24	at Notre Dame	80,795
Sept. 18	W, 42-37	Massachusetts	110,187
Sept. 25	W, 65-21	Bowling Green	109,933
Oct. 2	W, 42-35	at Indiana	52,929
Oct. 9	L, 17-34	#17/16 Michigan St.	113,065
Oct. 16	L, 28-38	#15/14 Iowa	112,784
Oct. 30	L, 31-41	at Penn State	108,539
Nov. 6	W, 67-65	Illinois (3OT)	111,441
Nov. 13	W, 27-16	at Purdue	50,268
Nov. 20	L, 28-48	#6/5 Wisconsin	112,276
Nov. 27	L, 7-37	at #8/7 Ohio State	105,491
Jan. 1	L, 14-52	vs. #21/22 Mississippi St. Gator Bowl	68,325

MICHIGAN STATE

11-2 Overall, 7-1 Big Ten
BIG TEN CO-CHAMPION

Date	Score	Opponent	Attendance
Sept. 4	W, 38-14	Western Michigan	75,769
Sept. 11	W, 30-17	vs. Florida Atlantic [1]	36,124
Sept. 18	W, 34-31	Notre Dame (OT)	78,411
Sept. 25	W, 45-7	Northern Colorado	70,926
Oct. 2	W, 34-24	#11/9 Wisconsin	73,108
Oct. 9	W, 34-17	at #18/17 Michigan	113,065
Oct. 16	W, 26-6	Illinois	74,441
Oct. 23	W, 35-27	at Northwestern	41,115
Oct. 30	L, 6-37	at #18/19 Iowa	70,585
Nov. 6	W, 31-8	Minnesota	71,128
Nov. 20	W, 35-31	Purdue	71,111
Nov. 27	W, 28-22	at Penn State	102,649
Jan. 1	L, 7-49	vs. #15/18 Alabama Capital One Bowl	61,519

[1] at Detroit, Mich.

MINNESOTA

3-9 Overall, 2-6 Big Ten

Date	Score	Opponent	Attendance
Sept. 2	W, 24-17	at Middle Tenn. St.	25,908
Sept. 11	L, 38-41	South Dakota	49,554
Sept. 18	L, 21-32	#18/- USC	50,442
Sept. 25	L, 23-34	Northern Illinois	49,368
Oct. 2	L, 28-29	Northwestern	49,228
Oct. 9	L, 23-41	at #20/19 Wisconsin	80,328
Oct. 16	L, 17-28	at Purdue	47,319
Oct. 23	L, 21-33	Penn State	48,479
Oct. 30	L, 10-52	#10/10 Ohio State	48,717
Nov. 6	L, 8-31	at #16/15 Michigan St.	71,128
Nov. 13	W, 38-34	at Illinois	55,549
Nov. 27	W, 27-24	#24/24 Iowa	50,805

NORTHWESTERN

7-6 Overall, 3-5 Big Ten

Date	Score	Opponent	Attendance
Sept. 4	W, 23-21	at Vanderbilt	37,210
Sept. 11	W, 37-3	Illinois State	25,471
Sept. 18	W, 30-13	at Rice	15,562
Sept. 25	W, 30-25	Central Michigan	30,075
Oct. 2	W, 29-28	at Minnesota	49,228
Oct. 9	L, 17-20	Purdue	33,847
Oct. 23	L, 27-35	#8/8 Michigan St.	41,115
Oct. 30	W, 20-17	at Indiana	37,818
Nov. 6	L, 21-35	at Penn State	104,147
Nov. 13	W, 21-17	#13/13 Iowa	47,130
Nov. 20	L, 27-48	Illinois [1]	41,058
Nov. 27	L, 23-70	at #5/5 Wisconsin	80,011
Jan. 1	L, 38-45	vs. Texas Tech TicketCity Bowl	40,121

[1] at Chicago, Ill.

Rankings: AP/USA Today

OHIO STATE

12-1 Overall, 7-1 Big Ten
BIG TEN CO-CHAMPION

Date	Score	Opponent	Attendance
Sept. 2	W, 45-7	Marshall	105,040
Sept. 11	W, 36-24	#12/12 Miami (Fla.)	105,454
Sept. 18	W, 43-7	Ohio	105,075
Sept. 25	W, 73-20	Eastern Michigan	105,017
Oct. 2	W, 24-13	at Illinois	62,870
Oct. 9	W, 38-10	Indiana	105,291
Oct. 16	L, 18-31	at #18/16 Wisconsin	81,194
Oct. 23	W, 49-0	Purdue	105,387
Oct. 30	W, 52-10	at Minnesota	48,717
Nov. 13	W, 38-14	Penn State	105,466
Nov. 20	W, 20-17	at #21/20 Iowa	70,585
Nov. 27	W, 37-7	Michigan	105,491
Jan. 4	W, 31-26	vs. #8/8 Arkansas Sugar Bowl	73,879

PENN STATE

7-6 Overall, 4-4 Big Ten

Date	Score	Opponent	Attendance
Sept. 4	W, 44-14	Youngstown State	101,213
Sept. 11	L, 3-24	at #1/1 Alabama	101,821
Sept. 18	W, 24-0	Kent State	100,610
Sept. 25	W, 22-13	Temple	104,840
Oct. 2	L, 3-24	at #17/18 Iowa	70,585
Oct. 9	L, 13-33	at Illinois	107,638
Oct. 23	W, 33-21	at Minnesota	48,479
Oct. 30	W, 41-31	#-/25 Michigan	108,539
Nov. 6	W, 35-21	Northwestern	104,147
Nov. 13	L, 14-38	at #8/7 Ohio St.	105,466
Nov. 20	W, 41-24	vs. Indiana [1]	78,790
Nov. 27	L, 22-28	#11/10 Michigan St.	102,649
Jan. 1	L, 24-37	vs. Florida Outback Bowl	60,574

[1] at Landover, Md.

PURDUE

4-8 Overall, 2-6 Big Ten

Date	Score	Opponent	Attendance
Sept. 4	L, 12-23	at Notre Dame	80,795
Sept. 11	W, 31-21	Western Illinois	47,301
Sept. 18	W, 24-13	Ball State	54,124
Sept. 25	L, 20-31	Toledo	42,068
Oct. 9	W, 20-17	at #-/25 Northwestern	33,847
Oct. 16	W, 28-17	Minnesota	47,319
Oct. 23	L, 0-49	at #11/10 Ohio St.	105,387
Oct. 30	L, 10-44	at Illinois	50,371
Nov. 6	L, 13-34	#7/7 Wisconsin	45,227
Nov. 13	L, 16-27	Michigan	50,268
Nov. 20	L, 31-35	at #11/11 Michigan St.	71,111
Nov. 27	L, 31-34	Indiana (OT)	50,136

WISCONSIN

11-2 Overall, 7-1 Big Ten
BIG TEN CO-CHAMPION

Date	Score	Opponent	Attendance
Sept. 4	W, 41-21	at UNLV	31,107
Sept. 11	W, 27-14	San Jose State	78,469
Sept. 18	W, 20-19	Arizona State	81,332
Sept. 25	W, 70-3	Austin Peay	77,224
Oct. 2	L, 24-34	at #24/21 Michigan St.	73,108
Oct. 9	W, 41-23	Minnesota	80,328
Oct. 16	W, 31-18	#1/1/1 Ohio State	81,194
Oct. 23	W, 31-30	at #13/12 Iowa	70,585
Nov. 6	W, 34-13	at Purdue	45,227
Nov. 13	W, 83-20	Indiana	80,477
Nov. 20	W, 48-28	at Michigan	112,276
Nov. 27	W, 70-23	Northwestern	80,011
Jan. 1	L, 19-21	vs. #3/3 TCU Rose Bowl Game	94,118