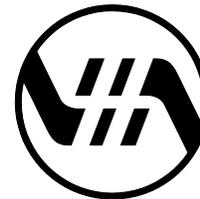




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2016 BIG TEN MEN'S ICE HOCKEY TOURNAMENT

Game 3 • March 18, 2016
Xcel Energy Center • Saint Paul, Minn.
#2 Michigan 7 (23-7-5), #3 Penn State 2 (20-13-4)
#2 Michigan advances to the Championship Game to play
Minnesota/Ohio State at 7 p.m. CT March 19, 2016



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GAME NOTES

Michigan

- Kyle Connor scored four goals, breaking the record for most goals in a single Big Ten Tournament game, bringing his season goal total to 34 and point total to a nation-leading 65. This was the 12th game this season in which Connor has scored multiple goals.
- Connor also extended his scoring streak, recording a point in 24 games. He has 50 points (26 goals, 24 assists in that span).
- JT Compher recorded five assists, breaking the Big Ten Tournament record for most assists in a single game and tying the record for most points. He is the first Wolverine this season to have five assists in a game.
- Max Shuart's first period goal was his sixth of the season and increased an already career-high season point total to 15.
- With a goal in the first period, Alex Kile has now recorded a point in five straight games. That is the longest scoring streak of the season for Kile, having had three previous four-game streaks. He has one goal and five assists over that span.
- With an assist on the Kile goal, Tyler Motte tied a career high with his 22nd assist of the season. The assist was also Motte's 100th career point. He became the 85th Michigan player to reach the century mark.
- All three members of the top Wolverines line had multiple points in the game.

Penn State

- Kevin Kerr's goal and assist gave him points in back-to-back tournament games after he picked up an assist in Penn State's 5-2 victory over Wisconsin.
- Luke Juha's third period goal was his eighth goal of the season and 15th of his career. He leads Penn State defenders in scoring (24 points) and is tied for the most goals (8) in that group.
- After coming up empty yesterday, Penn State's power play unit scored two goals in six attempts against Michigan. The Nittany Lions have now scored 33 power play goals this year.
- Penn State had 21 shots in the second period, more than they had in any period in their first round game against Wisconsin. They had 13 more total shots than they did in yesterday's game and have outshot Michigan in three of their five meetings this season.
- Both members of Penn State's top defensive pairing (Juha and Kerr) scored goals during the game.
- David Goodwin's two assists were his team leading 37th and 38th points of the season. He has notched two assists in both games and has four points in Penn State's two games at the 2016 Big Ten Tournament.
- Coming on in relief of Eamon McAdam, Matthew Skoff made 18 saves for the Nittany Lions.