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2010 SCHEDULES & SCOREBOARDS

MICHIGAN STATE (2-0)

Sept. 4	WESTERN MICHIGAN (ESPN2)	W, 38-14
Sept. 11	vs. Florida Atlantic* (ESPNU)	W, 30-17
Sept. 18	NOTRE DAME (ABC)	8 p.m.
Sept. 25	NORTHERN COLORADO (BTN)	12 p.m.
Oct. 2	WISCONSIN (TBA)	TBA
Oct. 9	at Michigan (TBA)	TBA
Oct. 16	ILLINOIS – HC (TBA)	12 p.m.
Oct. 23	at Northwestern (TBA)	12 p.m.
Oct. 30	at Iowa (TBA)	TBA
Nov. 6	MINNESOTA (TBA)	TBA
Nov. 20	PURDUE (TBA)	TBA
Nov. 27	at Penn State (TBA)	TBA

* Ford Field, Detroit, Mich.

HC – Homecoming

NOTRE DAME (1-1)

Sept. 4	PURDUE	W, 23-12
Sept. 11	MICHIGAN	L, 24-28
Sept. 18	at Michigan State	8 p.m.
Sept. 25	STANFORD	3:30 p.m.
Oct. 2	at Boston College	TBA
Oct. 9	PITTSBURGH	3:30 p.m.
Oct. 16	WESTERN MICHIGAN	2:30 p.m.
Oct. 23	vs. Navy (New Meadowlands)	12 p.m.
Oct. 30	TULSA	2:30 p.m.
Nov. 13	UTAH	2:30 p.m.
Nov. 20	vs. Army (Yankee Stadium)	7 p.m.
Nov. 27	at USC	8 p.m.

BROADCAST COVERAGE

TELEVISION: ABC will televise the Michigan State-Notre Dame game live to a regional audience (ESPN2 mirror in outer markets), with Brad Nessler handling the play-by-play, Todd Blackledge providing color commentary and Holly Rowe serving as the sideline reporter. The MSU-Notre Dame game also will be available live online via ESPN3.com.

RADIO: The Spartan Sports Network, featuring veteran play-by-play announcer George Blaha, color analyst Jim Miller, sideline reporter Jason Strayhorn and broadcast host Will Tieman, will broadcast the game to 32 affiliates throughout the state. Michigan State football broadcasts can be heard on flagship stations WJIM (AM 1240)/WMMQ (FM 94.9) in Lansing and WJR Radio (AM 760) in Detroit. The MSU-Notre Dame game also can be heard live on satellite radio: SIRIUS (Channel 121) and XM (Channel 141).



GAME

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MICHIGAN STATE (2-0) vs. NOTRE DAME (1-1)

Saturday, Sept. 18 • 8 p.m. EDT • ABC

Spartan Stadium (75,005/natural grass) • East Lansing, Mich.

FIRST-AND-10 (what you need to know about the MSU-Notre Dame matchup) –

- Saturday's game marks the 74th meeting between Michigan State and Notre Dame. The Irish lead the all-time series 45-27-1, including an 18-14-1 record in games playing in East Lansing, Mich., and a 16-12-1 mark in games played in Spartan Stadium. The Spartans have won nine of the last 13 meetings in the series; however, the visiting team has won seven of the last nine games.
- Nine of the last 11 games in the series have been decided by 10 points or less, including Notre Dame's 33-30 victory over the Spartans last September.
- Michigan State ranks second among opponents in all-time victories (27) over Notre Dame. Only Southern Cal (34) has posted more wins over the Irish than the Spartans.
- Since 1949, the winner of the Michigan State-Notre Dame game has been presented the Megaphone Trophy, sponsored jointly by the Detroit alumni clubs of both schools.
- The Michigan State-Notre Dame series began 112 years ago in 1897, making it one of the 27 oldest rivalries in college football. It also ranks as one of only three rivalries – joining Army-Navy and Auburn-Georgia Tech – that does not involve either intrastate or current conference rivals.
- Michigan State has compiled a 34-14 record (.708) in games played against non-conference opponents since 1999. **Mark Dantonio** is 11-6 (.647) against non-conference opponents, including a 9-1 record in Spartan Stadium. Overall, the Spartans have won 17 of their last 24 non-league games.
- Saturday's Michigan State-Notre Dame game marks just the ninth night game in the 87-year history of Spartan Stadium. The Spartans are 4-4 in their eight previous prime-time TV appearances in Spartan Stadium, including two wins over ranked opponents (No. 19 Southern Cal in 1987 and No. 10 Notre Dame in 1998). MSU is 1-2 against Notre Dame in night games at Spartan Stadium.
- Former Michigan State All-Americans and College Football Hall of Famers **Brad Van Pelt** and **John Pingel** will have their names added to Spartan Stadium's "Ring of Fame" prior to Saturday's home game against Notre Dame. Van Pelt and Pingel join Spartan legends **Don Coleman**, **George Webster**, former MSU President **John Hannah** and Charles "Bubba" Smith on the "Ring of Fame."
- Sophomore **Dan Conroy**, who scored a career-high 12 points against Florida Atlantic by hitting all three field-goal attempts and all three extra-point tries, has been named National Placekicker of the Week by the College Football Performance Awards. Conroy converted field goals from 44, 41 and a career-long 50 yards against the Owls. In addition, he has been selected one of the Lou Groza Award's Top Three Stars of the Week and Big Ten Co-Special Teams Player of the Week.
- Sophomore **Edwin Baker**, who gained a career-best 183 yards on just 15 carries in MSU's 30-17 victory over Florida Atlantic, has been selected CFPA National Running Back of the Week. His career-long 80-yard touchdown run early in the third quarter gave MSU a 27-7 lead. The 5-foot-9, 208-pound Baker has opened the 2010 season with back-to-back 100-yard games, as he picked up 117 yards on 17 attempts in the season opener against Western Michigan. He currently ranks second in the Big Ten and fifth in the NCAA Football Bowl Subdivision in rushing, averaging 150.0 yards per game.



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MSU's official athletics Web site, msuspartans.com, is the best source for information on the 2010 Michigan State football team. The site includes bios, notes, updated statistics and features. Live stats via Gametracker and game audio will also be available for all 12 games this season.

Multimedia features include videos of press conferences and exclusive interviews through [MSU All-Access](#). All-Access features games streamed live, including football, hockey, men's/women's basketball and women's volleyball.

Audio interviews are also available to download at the Michigan State Athletics podcast page, [Spartan Sports Podcasts](#). The podcast channel at iTunes, free of charge, will feature weekly interviews with Spartan coaches and student-athletes, coaches' weekly radio shows, and radio highlights from Spartan football, men's and women's basketball and hockey games.

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UPON FURTHER REVIEW –

• Returning consensus All-American **Greg Jones** has been named to 2010 preseason watch lists for six national awards: Walter Camp Player of the Year Award, Butkus Award (top collegiate linebacker), Lombardi Award (college lineman of the year), Bronko Nagurski Trophy (nation's best defensive player), Bednarik Award (defensive player of the year) and Lott Trophy (defensive impact player of the year). Jones ranks among MSU's all-time leaders in tackles (sixth at 379), tackles for loss (fifth at 37.5) and sacks (tied for sixth at 15.5). He has led the team in tackles in 25 of the last 28 games.

• For the second-straight year, MSU linebacker **Greg Jones** and Ohio State quarterback Terrelle Pryor have been selected as the Big Ten's Preseason Defensive and Offensive Players of the Year, respectively, by media members attending the conference's football media days. It marks the first time since 1998 (Ohio State linebacker Andy Katzenmoyer and Wisconsin running back Ron Dayne) that the Big Ten's Preseason Defensive and Offensive Players of the Year have been repeat selections from the previous season. Jones also becomes the first back-to-back Big Ten Preseason Defensive Player of the Year since Ohio State's James Laurinaitis in 2007-08.

• Michigan State's starting linebackers – **Greg Jones** (20), **Eric Gordon** (19) and **Chris Norman** (18) – combined to account for 57 tackles in back-to-back wins over Western Michigan and Florida Atlantic. Jones, Gordon and Norman rank 1-2-3 on the team in tackles.

• Junior quarterback **Kirk Cousins** ranks among MSU's all-time leaders in passing efficiency (first at 142.9), completion percentage (fourth at .616), touchdown passes (eighth at 23), pass completions (12th at 252), pass attempts (12th at 409) and passing yards (12th at 3,318). Cousins also is listed among NCAA FBS active leaders in both passing efficiency (seventh) and completion percentage (eighth). He has compiled a 7-7 record in 14 career starts.

• Michigan State's receiving corps features two career 1,000-yard receivers: senior **Mark Dell** (89 for 1,448) and junior **B.J. Cunningham** (92 for 1,215). That duo has combined for 181 receptions, 2,663 yards and 11 career touchdowns.

• Senior **Aaron Bates** currently ranks third in the Big Ten and No. 11 in the NCAA in punting with his 46.1-yard average. Bates is listed among MSU's all-time leaders in punts (sixth at 211), punting yards (sixth at 8,711) and punting average (seventh at 41.3). He has placed 68 of his 211 career punts (32 percent) inside the opponent's 20-yard line.

• In seven seasons as a head coach, **Mark Dantonio's** teams have compiled a 16-11 record (.593) during the month of September, including an 11-4 mark (.733) at Michigan State.

• Former Spartan quarterback **Eddie Smith**, who directed the Spartans to the 1978 Big Ten Championship, has been named an honorary captain for Saturday's game against Notre Dame. Smith led the Big Ten in conference play in passing (188.9 ypg.) and total offense (226.0 ypg.) during MSU's title run. Overall, the 1978 Spartans featured the top passing offense in the league while compiling an 8-3 overall record (7-1 Big Ten).

TEAM COMPARISONS –

	Michigan State	Notre Dame
Basic Offense	Multiple	Spread
Basic Defense	Multiple	3-4
Offensive Starters Returning	7	6
Defensive Starters Returning	6	8
Specialists Returning	2	3

AVERAGE HEIGHTS & WEIGHTS (STARTERS) –

	Michigan State	Notre Dame
Offensive Line & Tight End	6-5, 293	6-5, 300
Offensive Backs & Wide Receivers	6-1, 214	6-1, 210
Defensive Line	6-4, 277	6-3, 291
Linebackers	6-1, 231	6-2, 244
Defensive Backs	6-0, 191	6-0, 197

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CLASS BREAKDOWN (STARTERS) –

Michigan State Offense: 6 seniors, 3 juniors, 2 sophomores
 Michigan State Defense: 5 seniors, 2 juniors, 4 sophomores
 Notre Dame Offense: 3 seniors, 5 juniors, 2 sophomores, 1 freshman
 Notre Dame Defense: 5 seniors, 4 juniors, 2 sophomores

STAT LEADERS –

Michigan State (after two games):

Rushing – Edwin Baker (32 carries for 300 yards, 9.4 avg., 3 TDs)
 Passing – Kirk Cousins (22 of 38 for 328 yards, 2 TDs, 1 INT)
 Receiving – Mark Dell (7 catches for 100 yards, 14.3 avg., 0 TDs)
 Tackles – Greg Jones (20 tackles, 7 solos, 13 assists, 2 FF)

Notre Dame (after two games):

Rushing – Armando Allen Jr. (33 carries for 182 yards, 5.5 avg., 1 TD)
 Passing – Dayne Crist (32 of 51 for 482 yards, 3 TDs, 1 INT)
 Receiving – Kyle Rudolph (13 catches for 207 yards, 15.9 avg., 1 TD)
 Tackles – Manti Te'o (22 tackles, 12 solos, 10 assists, 1 TFL)

STAT COMPARISON –

	Michigan State	Notre Dame
Scoring	34.0	23.5
First Downs	18.0	21.5
Total Offense	425.0	446.5
Rushing Yards	261.0	153.5
Passing Yards	164.0	293.0
Time of Possession	24:16	25:23
Third Down Conversions	.222	.385
Points Allowed	15.5	20.0
Total Offense Allowed	312.0	427.0
Rushing Yards Allowed	65.0	195.0
Passing Yards Allowed	247.0	232.0

MSU/NOTRE DAME SERIES NOTES –

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SPARTANS RANK SECOND IN ALL-TIME VICTORIES vs. NOTRE DAME –

Michigan State ranks second among opponents in all-time victories (27) over Notre Dame. Only Southern Cal (34) has posted more wins over the Irish than the Spartans.

All-Time Wins vs. Notre Dame

Opponent	Games Played	Wins vs. ND
Southern Cal	81	34
Michigan State	73	27
Purdue	82	26
Michigan	38	22
Pittsburgh	65	20

AROUND THE BIG TEN

2010 BIG TEN STANDINGS

	Conf.	Games	All Games
Iowa	0-0	.000	2-0 1.000
Michigan	0-0	.000	2-0 1.000
Michigan State	0-0	.000	2-0 1.000
Northwestern	0-0	.000	2-0 1.000
Ohio State	0-0	.000	2-0 1.000
Wisconsin	0-0	.000	2-0 1.000
Indiana	0-0	.000	1-0 1.000
Illinois	0-0	.000	1-1 .500
Minnesota	0-0	.000	1-1 .500
Penn State	0-0	.000	1-1 .500
Purdue	0-0	.000	1-1 .500

THIS WEEK'S SCHEDULE

Saturday, Sept. 18

Northern Illinois at Illinois, 12 p.m. (BTN)
 Massachusetts at Michigan, 12 p.m. (BTN)
 Ohio at Ohio State, 12 p.m. (BTN)
 Kent State at Penn State, 12 p.m. (ESPN2)
 Ball State at Purdue, 12 p.m. (BTN)
 USC at Minnesota, 3:30 p.m. (ESPN)
 Arizona State at Wisconsin, 3:30 p.m. (ABC)
 Indiana at Western Kentucky, 5 p.m. (BTN)
 Northwestern at Rice, 7 p.m.
 Notre Dame at Michigan State, 8 p.m. (ABC)
 Iowa at Arizona, 10:30 p.m. (ESPN)

• All times listed - Eastern.

PRONUNCIATION GUIDE

Denicos Allen: duh-KNEE-kos
 Le'Veon Bell: LAY-vee-ON
 Garrett Celek: SELL-ick
 J'Michael Deane: JAY-MY-kull
 John Deyo: DAY-oh
 Danny Folino: Fuh-LEAN-oh
 William Gholston: GOAL-stun
 Mylan Hicks: MY-lin
 Jairus Jones: JARE-us (Rhymes with hair)
 Brian Linthicum: LYNN-thi-come
 Jared McGaha: muh-GAH-ha
 Kevin Muma: MOO-mah
 Keith Nichol: NICKEL
 Blake Pacheco: pa-CHECK-oh
 Micajah Reynolds: muh-KY-juh
 Josh Rouse: Rhymes with HOUSE
 Skyler Schofner: SHOF-ner
 John Stipek: STEE-peck
 Jerel Worthly: JUH-rell



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SPARTAN FOOTBALL QUICK FACTS

GENERAL INFORMATION

Location: East Lansing, Mich.
 Enrollment: 47,100
 President: Dr. Lou Anna K. Simon
 Conference: Big Ten
 Nickname: Spartans
 Colors: Green and White
 Stadium (Capacity): Spartan Stadium (75,005)
 Surface: Natural Grass
 Press Box Number: 517-353-0630
 Athletics Director: Mark Hollis

FOOTBALL STAFF

Head Coach: Mark Dantonio (South Carolina, 1979)
 Record at MSU: 24-17 (fourth year)
 Career Record: 42-34 (seventh year)
 Offensive Coordinator: Don Treadwell (Miami-Ohio, 1982)
 Defensive Coordinator: Pat Narduzzi (Rhode Island, 1990)
 Secondary: Harlon Barnett (Michigan State, 1990)
 Defensive Line: Ted Gill (Idaho State, 1973)
 Offensive Line: Dan Roushar (Northern Illinois, 1984)
 Running Backs: Brad Salem (Augustana College, 1992)
 Tight Ends/Recruiting Coordinator: Mark Staten (Miami-Ohio, 2001)
 Special Teams/Linebackers: Mike Tressel (Cornell [Iowa] College, 1996)
 Quarterbacks: Dave Warner (Syracuse, 1982)
 Director of Football Operations: Tim Allen (Bethel [Kansas] College, 1986)

FOOTBALL HISTORY

All-Time Record: 618-425-44 (.589)
 2009 Record: 6-7 (4-4 Big Ten/t-6th)
 First Season of Football: 1896
 Bowl Games: 20 (7-13)
 National Championships: 6 (1951, 1952, 1955, 1957, 1965, 1966)
 Big Ten Championships: 6 (1953, 1965, 1966, 1978, 1987, 1990)

2010 SPARTAN OUTLOOK

Offense: Multiple
 Defense: Multiple
 Lettermen Lost: 28 (12 offense, 15 defense, 1 specialist)
 Lettermen Returning: 40 (21 offense, 17 defense, 2 specialists)
 Starters Lost: 10 (4 offense, 5 defense, 1 specialist)
 Starters Returning: 15 (7 offense, 6 defense, 2 specialists)
 Offensive Starters Lost (4): WR Blair White, LT Rocco Cironi, C Joel Nitchman, RG Brendon Moss.
 Offensive Starters Returning (7): WR B.J. Cunningham, LG Joel Foreman, RT D.J. Young, TE Charlie Gantt, TE Brian Linthicum, QB Kirk Cousins, RB Larry Caper.
 Defensive Starters Lost (5): DE Trevor Anderson, NT Oren Wilson, LB Brandon Denson, CB Jeremy Ware, SS Danny Fortener.
 Defensive Starters Returning (6): DT Jerel Worthy, DE Colin Neely, LB Eric Gordon, LB Greg Jones, FS Trenton Robinson, CB Chris L. Rucker.
 Starting Specialists Returning (2): P Aaron Bates, SN Alex Shackleton.

THE LAST MEETING IN SPARTAN STADIUM –

Sept. 20, 2008, in East Lansing, Mich.: Javon Ringer rushed for 201 yards and two touchdowns on 39 attempts, carrying Michigan State to a 23-7 win over Notre Dame. Ringer became the first player to run for 200 yards in consecutive games in Michigan State history. The Spartans took a 13-0 lead into the fourth quarter, then sealed the victory by handing off to Ringer on all seven plays of a 77-yard drive he capped with a TD with 2:16 left. The Irish turned the ball over three times and missed two field goals, hurting their chances of starting 3-0 for the first time since 2002 and the second time in 12 years. Jimmy Clausen was 24-of-41 for 242 yards with a TD and two interceptions in the first half, one of which was in the end zone on a play that was overturned by a video review. Clausen was sacked three times - after not being sacked in the first two games - and was hurried and hit numerous times. Michigan State shut down the Irish's running game and the sacks led to them finishing with 16 yards rushing and seven points. Michael Floyd caught a 26-yard TD pass early in the fourth quarter, getting Notre Dame within six points, after fumbling at the Michigan State 20 early in the third. The Spartans got off to a good start, limiting Notre Dame to minus-5 yards on its first two drives and kicking a field goal on their opening possession. Clausen's up-for-grabs pass in the end zone to a double-covered Duval Kamara was ripped away by safety Otis Wiley on Notre Dame's third drive. It was originally ruled incomplete but overturned by replay. Clausen threw another poor pass in the second quarter and it was picked off by Wiley at the Notre Dame 22, setting up Ringer's first TD. His highlight of the day was a 63-yard run that set up his second TD.

MEGAPHONE TROPHY –

Since 1949, the winner of the Michigan State-Notre Dame game has been presented the Megaphone Trophy, sponsored jointly by the Detroit alumni clubs of both schools. The megaphone is printed half blue, with a gold ND monogram, and half white, with a green MSC. All previous game scores are listed on the trophy.

Michigan State and Notre Dame played 36 consecutive seasons from 1959-94 until the two-year interruption of the series in 1995-96. After the current contract with Notre Dame expires following the 2011 game, the Spartans and Irish will meet 10 times over the next 14 seasons, with two-year breaks in 2014-15 and 2020-21.

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SPARTANS TOUGH IN NON-CONFERENCE GAMES –

Michigan State has compiled a 34-14 record (.708) in games played against non-conference opponents since 1999. **Mark Dantonio** is 11-6 (.647) against non-conference opponents, including a 9-1 record in Spartan Stadium. Overall, the Spartans have won 17 of their last 24 non-league games.

Here's a look at Michigan State's non-conference results since 1999:

Date	Opponent	MSU Result	Site
Sept. 11, 2010	Florida Atlantic	W, 30-17	Detroit, Mich.
Sept. 4, 2010	Western Michigan	W, 38-14	Spartan Stadium
Jan. 2, 2010	Texas Tech	L, 31-41	San Antonio, Texas
Nov. 7, 2009	Western Michigan	W, 49-14	Spartan Stadium
Sept. 19, 2009	Notre Dame	L, 30-33	South Bend, Ind.
Sept. 12, 2009	Central Michigan	L, 27-29	Spartan Stadium
Sept. 5, 2009	Montana State	W, 44-3	Spartan Stadium
Jan. 1, 2009	Georgia	L, 12-24	Orlando, Fla.
Sept. 20, 2008	Notre Dame	W, 23-7	Spartan Stadium
Sept. 13, 2008	Florida Atlantic	W, 17-0	Spartan Stadium
Sept. 6, 2008	Eastern Michigan	W, 42-10	Spartan Stadium
Aug. 30, 2008	California	L, 31-38	Berkeley, Calif.
Dec. 28, 2007	Boston College	L, 21-24	Orlando, Fla.
Sept. 22, 2007	Notre Dame	W, 31-14	South Bend, Ind.
Sept. 15, 2007	Pittsburgh	W, 17-13	Spartan Stadium
Sept. 8, 2007	Bowling Green	W, 28-17	Spartan Stadium
Sept. 1, 2007	UAB	W, 55-18	Spartan Stadium
Sept. 23, 2006	Notre Dame	L, 37-40	Spartan Stadium
Sept. 16, 2006	Pittsburgh	W, 38-23	Pittsburgh, Pa.
Sept. 9, 2006	Eastern Michigan	W, 52-20	Spartan Stadium
Sept. 2, 2006	Idaho	W, 27-17	Spartan Stadium
Sept. 17, 2005	Notre Dame	W, 44-41 (OT)	South Bend, Ind.
Sept. 10, 2005	Hawaii	W, 42-14	Spartan Stadium
Sept. 3, 2005	Kent State	W, 49-14	Spartan Stadium
Dec. 4, 2004	Hawaii	L, 38-41	Honolulu, Hawaii
Sept. 18, 2004	Notre Dame	L, 24-31	Spartan Stadium
Sept. 11, 2004	Central Michigan	W, 24-7	Spartan Stadium
Sept. 4, 2004	Rutgers	L, 14-19	Piscataway, N.J.
Dec. 29, 2003	Nebraska	L, 3-17	San Antonio, Texas
Sept. 20, 2003	Notre Dame	W, 22-16	South Bend, Ind.
Sept. 13, 2003	Louisiana Tech	L, 19-20	Spartan Stadium
Sept. 6, 2003	Rutgers	W, 44-28	Spartan Stadium
Aug. 30, 2003	Western Michigan	W, 26-21	Spartan Stadium
Sept. 21, 2002	Notre Dame	L, 17-21	Spartan Stadium
Sept. 14, 2002	California	L, 22-46	Spartan Stadium
Sept. 7, 2002	Rice	W, 27-10	Spartan Stadium
Aug. 31, 2002	Eastern Michigan	W, 56-7	Spartan Stadium
Dec. 31, 2001	Fresno State	W, 44-35	San Jose, Calif.
Dec. 1, 2001	Missouri	W, 55-7	Spartan Stadium
Sept. 22, 2001	Notre Dame	W, 17-10	South Bend, Ind.
Sept. 8, 2001	Central Michigan	W, 35-21	Spartan Stadium
Sept. 23, 2000	Notre Dame	W, 27-21	Spartan Stadium
Sept. 16, 2000	Missouri	W, 13-10	Columbia, Mo.
Sept. 9, 2000	Marshall	W, 34-24	Spartan Stadium
Jan. 1, 2000	Florida	W, 37-34	Orlando, Fla.
Sept. 18, 1999	Notre Dame	W, 23-13	South Bend, Ind.
Sept. 11, 1999	Eastern Michigan	W, 51-7	Spartan Stadium
Sept. 2, 1999	Oregon	W, 27-20	Spartan Stadium

THIS WEEK'S POLLS (SEPT. 12)

ASSOCIATED PRESS

Rk.	School	Record
1.	Alabama (52)	2-0
2.	Ohio State (5)	2-0
3.	Boise State (1)	1-0
4.	TCU	2-0
5.	Oregon	2-0
6.	Texas (1)	2-0
7.	Oklahoma	2-0
8.	Nebraska	2-0
9.	Iowa	2-0
10.	Florida	2-0
11.	Wisconsin	2-0
12.	Arkansas	2-0
13.	South Carolina	2-0
14.	Utah	2-0
15.	LSU	2-0
16.	Auburn	2-0
17.	Miami-Fla.	1-1
18.	USC	2-0
19.	Stanford	2-0
20.	Michigan	2-0
21.	West Virginia	2-0
22.	Penn State	1-1
23.	Houston	2-0
24.	Arizona	2-0
25.	Oregon State	0-1

USA TODAY/COACHES

Rk.	School	Record
1.	Alabama (55)	2-0
2.	Ohio State (4)	2-0
3.	Boise State	1-0
4.	Texas	2-0
5.	TCU	2-0
6.	Oregon	2-0
7.	Florida	2-0
8.	Nebraska	2-0
9.	Oklahoma	2-0
10.	Iowa	2-0
11.	Wisconsin	2-0
12.	LSU	2-0
13.	Arkansas	2-0
14.	Utah	2-0
15.	Auburn	2-0
16.	South Carolina	2-0
17.	Miami-Fla.	1-1
18.	Arizona	2-0
19.	Stanford	2-0
20.	Penn State	1-1
21.	West Virginia	2-0
22.	Michigan	2-0
23.	Houston	2-0
24.	California	2-0
25.	Missouri	2-0

(First-place votes)

Bold indicates MSU opponent



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2010 HONOR ROLL

AARON BATES (Sr., Punter)

- Ranked among the nation's Top 10 punters by CollegeFootballNews.com (No. 7) and Phil Steele's College Football Preview (No. 10).
- Preseason All-Big Ten selection by SI.com (first team), CFN.com (first team) and Phil Steele's College Football Preview (second team).

LE'VEON BELL (Fr., Running Back)

- Big Ten Freshman of the Week (Sept. 4 vs. Western Michigan).

LARRY CAPER (So., Running Back)

- Preseason All-Big Ten selection by Athlon Sports (second team) and Phil Steele's College Football Preview (third team).

KIRK COUSINS (Jr., Quarterback)

- Ranked among the nation's top 20 quarterbacks by Phil Steele's College Football Preview (No. 20).
- Named to the 2010 Manning Award Watch List (top collegiate quarterback).
- Listed among the preseason favorites to contend for the 2010 Quarterback Trophy, presented by the College Football Performance Awards.
- Rated the Big Ten's "most accurate passer," according to Lindy's Preseason Honor Roll.
- Preseason All-Big Ten selection by Phil Steele's College Football Preview (third team).
- Ranked No. 21 in the Big Ten preseason player rankings, according to ESPN.com's Adam Rittenberg.
- Nominated for Allstate AFCA Good Works Team (community service award).

JOEL FOREMAN (Jr., Offensive Guard)

- Preseason All-Big Ten selection by Sporting News (first team), CollegeFootballNews.com (second team), Lindy's (second team), Athlon Sports (second team) and Phil Steele's College Football Preview (third team).

CHARLIE GANTT (Sr.-5, Tight End)

- Named honorable mention preseason All-American by NationalChamps.net and Consensus Draft Services.
- Named to the Mackey Award Watch List (nation's top tight end).
- Listed among the top five contenders for the Mackey Award by Sporting News Magazine.
- Ranked among the nation's top tight ends by Phil Steele's College Football Preview (No. 8), Rivals.com (No. 10) and CollegeFootballNews.com (No. 17).
- Rated the Big Ten's fourth-best tight end by CFN.com.
- Preseason All-Big Ten selection by Sporting News (first team), Lindy's (second team) and Phil Steele's College Football Preview (third team).
- Listed among Big Ten workout warriors by ESPN.com's Adam Rittenberg.

WILLIAM GHOLSTON (Fr., Defensive End)

- Listed among the "Top 10 Impact True Freshmen for 2010" by Heisman Pundit.
- Selected as the Big Ten's top impact freshman by SI.com.
- Preseason favorite to be selected Big Ten Freshman of the Year, according to Rivals.com.
- Rated among the nation's top incoming freshmen linebackers, according to Phil Steele (No. 3).

VAN PELT, PINGEL ADDED TO SPARTAN STADIUM'S RING OF FAME –

Former Michigan State All-Americans and College Football Hall of Famers **Brad Van Pelt** and **John Pingel** will have their names added to Spartan Stadium's "Ring of Fame" prior to Saturday's home game against Notre Dame. Van Pelt and Pingel join Spartan legends **Don Coleman**, **George Webster**, former MSU President **John Hannah** and **Charles "Bubba" Smith** on the "Ring of Fame."

Born April 5, 1951, in Owosso, Mich., Van Pelt became a three-year starter for Coach Duffy Daugherty and earned first-team All-America honors as both a junior and senior. As a sophomore in 1970, he had 80 tackles (42 solos, 38 assists) and a career-high six interceptions. As a junior, Van Pelt recorded 92 stops (51-41) and picked off four passes. He returned two interceptions for touchdowns against Oregon State in 1971, with returns covering 40 and 47 yards. As a senior, the 6-foot-5, 221-pound safety produced 84 tackles (42-42) and four interceptions. In 1972, he became the first defensive back ever to receive the Maxwell Award as the nation's top collegiate player.

Van Pelt finished his collegiate career with 256 tackles and 14 interceptions.

A second-round draft pick by the New York Giants in 1973, he spent 14 years in the National Football League and earned All-Pro honors five times (1976-80). His pro career totals include 20 interceptions, 14 fumble recoveries and 10 sacks.

Van Pelt earned seven varsity letters at Michigan State while participating in football (1970-72), baseball (1971-72) and basketball (1971-72).

He was named to the Lansing State Journal's MSU Centennial Super Squad in 1996 and inducted into the MSU Athletics Hall of Fame in 2000, College Football Hall of Fame in 2001 and Michigan Sports Hall of Fame in 2002. Van Pelt died on Feb. 17, 2009, in Harrison, Mich. He was 57.

Born Nov. 6, 1916, in Mount Clemens, Mich., Pingel appeared in 28 consecutive games from 1936-38 for Coach Charlie Bachman and helped the Spartans to a combined record of 20-6-2 (.750), including the school's first-ever postseason bowl appearance. His likeness is preserved in one of the sandstone panels above the main entrance to Jenison Field House.

As a junior, Pingel accounted for 1,146 total yards and 12 TDs while leading the Spartans to an 8-1 regular-season record and a trip to the 1938 Orange Bowl against Auburn. The 6-foot, 178-pound halfback led the team in rushing in 1937, with 117 carries for 665 yards (5.7 avg.) and five TDs. Pingel completed 30-of-68 passes (.441) for 481 yards and seven scores, and he also led the nation in punting with his 42.6-yard average. He was named second-team All-American by The Associated Press and selected third-team All-American by the International News Service. In a 19-14 come-from-behind victory in Week 2 at Michigan, Pingel hooked up with Ole Nelson for scoring plays of 30 and 42 yards. His 42-yard strike to Nelson with less than 10 minutes to play in the fourth quarter proved to be the game-winning score. In Week 3, he averaged 52 yards per punt in a 3-0 loss at Manhattan. Pingel scored three rushing TDs in a 21-7 win over Marquette in Week 5, including an 8-yard gallop. He threw TD passes of 12 yards to Eddie Pearce and 29 yards to Nelson in a 13-6 Homecoming victory over Carnegie Tech in Week 8. In the regular-season finale at San Francisco, Pingel scored on TD runs of 75 and 36 yards and averaged 50.8 yards per punt as Michigan State recorded its sixth-straight win, 14-0.

As a senior in 1938, he played 451 out of a possible 540 minutes while accounting for 1,127 yards and 12 TDs. Pingel rushed 110 times for 556 yards (5.1 avg.) and five scores and connected on 54-of-101 throws (.535) for 571 yards and seven TDs. He also averaged 41.8 yards on 99 punts, and his 4,138 punting yards still rank as the NCAA single-season record. Pingel earned first-team All-America honors from the AP, INS, Central Press, Newspapers Enterprise Association and Liberty Magazine. In Week 5, Pingel carried 19 times for 115 yards, including TD runs of 23 and 28 yards, and threw a 3-yard TD pass to Nelson as Michigan State knocked off previously unbeaten Syracuse, 19-12. In Week 8, he had three TD passes in a 20-14 victory at Marquette, including a 10-yard scoring toss to Jack Amon with less than two minutes remaining.

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Pingel became the seventh pick in the first round of the 1939 NFL Draft (held on Dec. 9, 1938) by the Detroit Lions. In his only season in the NFL, he started eight of nine games and produced 644 total yards and four TDs. Pingel completed 27-of-48 passes (.563) for 343 yards, three TDs and four interceptions. He gained 301 yards on 74 rushes and scored one rushing TD. Pingel ranked third in the NFL in punting with his 42.8-yard average (32 punts for 1,368 yards).

He was inducted into the College Football Hall of Fame in 1968 and the Michigan Sports Hall of Fame in 1973. Pingel died on Aug. 14, 1999, in Palm Beach Gardens, Fla. He was 82.

SPARTANS RETURN TO PRIME TIME –

Saturday's Michigan State-Notre Dame game marks just the ninth night game in the 87-year history of Spartan Stadium. The Spartans are 4-4 in their eight previous prime-time TV appearances in Spartan Stadium, including two wins over ranked opponents (No. 19 Southern Cal in 1987 and No. 10 Notre Dame in 1998). MSU is 1-2 against Notre Dame in night games at Spartan Stadium.

Here are brief recaps of the previous eight night games played in Spartan Stadium:

Sept. 7, 1987 (Michigan State 27, No. 19 Southern Cal 13)

In its first prime-time appearance, the Spartans upset No. 19 Southern Cal, 27-13, in the 1987 season opener, played on Labor Day. Lorenzo White rushed for 111 yards and two touchdowns while Bobby McAllister accounted for 163 total yards, including a 9-yard TD run, to pace the Spartan attack. Michigan State produced 13 points off five Southern Cal turnovers.

Sept. 9, 1998 (Michigan State 45, No. 10 Notre Dame 23)

Bill Burke completed 12-of-19 passes for 209 yards and three scores as Michigan State stunned No. 10 Notre Dame, 45-23. The Spartans got out of the gate early as Notre Dame's first possession ended in a blocked punt that Richard Newsome returned 25 yards for a touchdown. Michigan State scored TDs on its first four possessions. Julian Peterson's 23-yard interception return for a touchdown gave the Spartans a 42-3 halftime lead.

Sept. 2, 1999 (Michigan State 27, Oregon 20)

Michigan State battled back from a 17-7 third-quarter deficit to post a 27-20 victory over Oregon in the 1999 season opener. The Ducks built a 17-7 lead on A.J. Feeley's 18-yard touchdown strike to Tony Hartley with 9:30 left in the third quarter. The Spartans pulled even at 17 on Bill Burke's 12-yard TD toss to Gari Scott with 3:03 remaining in the third quarter. Michigan State took the lead for good at 24-17 on Amp Campbell's 85-yard fumble return for a touchdown early in the fourth quarter. Burke threw for 205 yards and two TDs while Lloyd Clemons gained 121 yards on 18 rushes.

Oct. 26, 2002 (Wisconsin 42, Michigan State 24)

Brooks Bollinger accounted for 193 total yards and five touchdowns to lead Wisconsin to a 42-24 victory over Michigan State. Wisconsin jumped out to a 21-0 lead, scoring on three-straight possessions in the first quarter. Bollinger scored on a 1-yard sneak, a 7-yard bootleg around right end and flipped a 3-yard TD pass to Mark Bell in the first quarter. Bollinger completed 10-of-18 throws for 135 yards and three scores. Wisconsin's ground game amassed 313 yards, with Anthony Davis (29 for 170) and Smith (14 for 110) each posting 100-yard rushing games. In his second career start for the Spartans, Damon Dowdell hit 14-of-24 passes for 162 yards, including TD tosses of 7 yards to BJ Lovett and 26 yards to Charles Rogers.

Sept. 18, 2004 (Notre Dame 31, Michigan State 24)

Brady Quinn threw for one touchdown and ran for another score to lead Notre Dame to a 31-24 victory over Michigan State. The Fighting Irish parlayed six takeaways into 17 points. Notre Dame took the lead for good at 14-7 with :07 remaining in the first quarter as Tom Zbikowski stripped the ball from Jason Teague and returned the fumble 75 yards for a score. The Irish built a 21-7 halftime lead on Quinn's 35-yard TD strike to Matt Shelton with 8:52 to play in the first half. Notre Dame extended its lead to 28-7 on Ryan Grant's 6-yard TD run late in the third quarter. Drew

2010 HONOR ROLL

ERIC GORDON (Sr., Linebacker)

- Ranked among the nation's top outside linebackers by Phil Steele's College Football Preview (No. 24).
- Preseason All-Big Ten selection by Phil Steele's College Football Preview (second team) and Lindy's (second team).
- Listed among Big Ten workout warriors by ESPN.com's Adam Rittenberg.

GREG JONES (Sr., Linebacker)

- Rated among the nation's Top 25 players by CollegeFootballNews.com (No. 1), Rivals.com (No. 4) and Sporting News (No. 14).
- Identified as one of the Top 10 college players to watch by FoxSports.com's Pete Fiutak.
- Listed among the nation's "Most Instinctive Players" and "Top Linebackers" by ESPN's Kirk Herbstreit.
- Named to preseason watch list for five national awards: Walter Camp Player of the Year, Butkus Award (top collegiate linebacker), Lombardi Award (college lineman of the year), Nagurski Award (top defensive player), Bednarick Award (top defensive player) and the Lott Trophy (defensive player of the year).
- Rated fourth among the preseason favorites to win the College Football Performance Awards' National Defensive Player of the Year.
- Projected 2010 Butkus Award winner by Sporting News and SI.com's Stewart Mandel.
- Billed as the preseason favorite to win his second-straight CFPA Linebacker Trophy (National Linebacker of the Year).
- Listed among eight defensive players to watch in the Heisman Trophy race by CBSSports.com's J. Darin Darst.
- Preseason First-Team All-America selection by Sporting News, CBSSports.com, NBCSports.com, Rivals.com, CFN.com, Playboy Magazine, Phil Steele's College Football Preview, Lindy's, Athlon Sports, NationalChamps.net, College Football Insiders, Heisman Pundit and The Kickoff College Football Preview Magazine.
- Ranked as college football's No. 1 linebacker by CFN.com.
- Rated among the nation's top inside linebackers by Heisman Pundit (No. 1), Lindy's (No. 1) and Phil Steele (No. 2).
- Ranked No. 2 in the Big Ten preseason player rankings, according to ESPN.com's Adam Rittenberg.
- Selected Big Ten Preseason Defensive Player of the Year for the second year in a row by the league's media panel.
- Preseason favorite to repeat as Big Ten Defensive Player of the Year, according to Rittenberg, Blue Ribbon Yearbook and Lindy's.
- Preseason First-Team All-Big Ten selection by SI.com, Sporting News, CBSSports.com, Rivals.com, Phil Steele, Blue Ribbon Yearbook, Lindy's and Athlon Sports.
- Rated as the Big Ten's "hardest hitter" for the second year in a row by Sporting News.

BRIAN LINTHICUM (Jr., Tight End)

- Named to the Mackey Award Watch List (nation's top tight end).



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2010 HONOR ROLL

KESHAWN MARTIN (Jr., Wide Receiver/Kick Returner)

- Preseason All-America selection by The Kickoff College Football Preview Magazine (first-team kick returner), NationalChamps.net (honorable mention kick returner) and College Football Insiders (honorable mention kick returner).
- Named to the watch list for the inaugural Paul Hornung Award, presented to the nation's most versatile player.
- Ranked among the nation's top kick returners (No. 10) and punt returners (No. 11) by Phil Steele's College Football Preview.
- Listed as one of the country's preseason favorites to compete for the 2010 Kickoff Returner Trophy, presented by the College Football Performance Awards.
- Preseason First-Team All-Big Ten selection by SI.com (punt returner), CBSSports.com (kick returner), CollegeFootballNews.com (kick/punt returner), Rivals.com (kick returner), Phil Steele (kick and punt returner), Lindy's (all-purpose player), Blue Ribbon Yearbook (punt returner) and Athlon Sports (kick returner).
- Identified as a Big Ten player to watch for a breakout season in 2010 by ESPN.com's Adam Rittenberg.
- Rated the Big Ten's "special teams demon," according to Lindy's Preseason Honor Roll.

KEITH NICHOL (Jr., Wide Receiver)

- Preseason All-Big Ten selection by Phil Steele's College Football Preview (third team).

CHRIS L. RUCKER (Sr., Cornerback)

- Ranked among nation's top cornerbacks (No. 39) by Phil Steele's College Football Preview.
- Preseason All-Big Ten selection by Athlon Sports (first team), Lindy's (second team) and Phil Steele (fourth team).

JOHN STIPEK (Sr.-5, Center)

- Named to the Sporting News' All-Spring Team.

JEREL WORTHY (So., Defensive Tackle)

- Preseason All-America selection by College Football Insiders (honorable mention).
- Ranked among the nation's top 20 defensive tackles by Phil Steele's College Football Preview (No. 20).
- Preseason All-Big Ten selection by Sporting News (first team), Rivals.com (first team), Blue Ribbon Yearbook (first team) and Phil Steele (second team).

SPARTAN STREAKS

Consecutive Games Started

Eric Gordon, LB	29
Greg Jones, LB	29
Charlie Gantt, TE	28
D.J. Young, OT	13
Joel Foreman, OG	11
Kirk Cousisn, QB	9

Stanton came off the Spartan bench to account for 159 total yards (110 passing, 49 rushing) in the second half, including a 4-yard TD run in the closing seconds. Quinn completed 11-of-24 throws for 215 yards, while Shelton caught three passes for 123 yards.

Sept. 23, 2006 (Notre Dame 40, Michigan State 37)

Notre Dame cornerback Terrail Lambert capped a furious rally by returning an interception 19 yards for a touchdown with 2:53 remaining to give the 12th-ranked Fighting Irish a 40-37 victory over the Spartans. Lambert followed up his score by ending the Spartans' comeback hopes moments later with a juggling interception of Drew Stanton's pass in the closing seconds of the game. Michigan State scored on three of its first four possessions to build a 17-0 first-quarter lead. Stanton capped an eight-play, 59-yard drive with a 15-yard scoring strike to Kerry Reed late in the first half as the Spartans took a 31-14 halftime lead. Jehuu Caulcrick's 30-yard TD run with 5:50 left in the third quarter gave MSU a 37-21 advantage. The Irish offense clicked late, led by quarterback Brady Quinn, who finished 20-of-36 for 319 yards with five TDs against one interception. In the fourth quarter, the Irish pulled to within three at 37-33, as Quinn threw TD passes to Jeff Samardzija (43 yards) and Rhema McKnight (14 yards). Caulcrick finished with 111 yards and a TD on eight carries. Stanton ran for 53 yards and completed 10 of 22 passes for 114 yards, two TDs and two interceptions.

Oct. 13, 2007 (Michigan State 52, Indiana 27)

Javon Ringer rushed for 203 yards and two touchdowns on 29 carries to help Michigan State to a 52-27 Homecoming victory over Indiana. Brian Hoyer was 20-for-23 for 190 yards and a TD for the Spartans, who led by as many as 32 points in the third quarter. Jehuu Caulcrick rushed for three TDs and Devin Thomas caught 13 passes for 148 yards and a TD. Indiana's high-powered offense was kept off the field much of the game by Michigan State, which dominated time of possession. The Spartans had the ball for just over 41 minutes. Kellen Lewis ran for a TD and passed for another for the Hoosiers, while James Hardy caught six passes for 121 yards and a TD.

Oct. 24, 2009 (No. 7 Iowa 15, Michigan State 13)

Ricky Stanzi hooked up with Marvin McNutt for a 7-yard touchdown pass as time expired to give No. 7 Iowa a 15-13 victory over Michigan State. The Spartans had grabbed a 13-9 lead with 1:37 remaining when Kirk Cousins hit Blair White with a 30-yard TD strike. But the Hawkeyes stormed back with a 10-play, 70-yard game-winning drive. Adam Robinson paced the Iowa ground attack with 27 carries for 109 yards. Cousins completed 16-of-32 passes for 225 yards for MSU.

BIG TEN/NCAA STAT LEADERS –

Here's a glance at how Michigan State ranks among the Big Ten and NCAA stat leaders in 2010:

Category	Stat Avg.	Big Ten	NCAA
Rushing Offense	261.0	2nd	11th
Passing Offense	164.0	10th	97th
Total Offense	425.0	6th	45th
Scoring Offense	34.0	t-4th	t-39th
Rushing Defense	65.0	1st	9th
Passing Defense	247.0	9th	90th
Total Defense	312.0	5th	47th
Scoring Defense	15.5	t-4th	t-33rd
Passing Efficiency	138.9	7th	50th
Pass Efficiency Defense	114.9	6th	55th
Turnover Margin	0.0	7th	62nd
Net Punting	41.6	4th	19th
Punt Returns	12.5	2nd	29th
Kickoff Returns	21.8	5th	56th

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NCAA STAT LEADERS –

Here's a glance at how Michigan State ranks among the NCAA individual stat leaders in 2010:

Individual Statistics (Top 50)

Rushing: Edwin Baker (5th at 150.0 rushing yards per game); Le'Veon Bell (39th at 95.0 ypg.)

Passing Efficiency: Kirk Cousins (42nd with 142.5 rating)

Interceptions: Marcus Hyde (t-26th at 0.5 interceptions per game)

Punting: Aaron Bates (11th with 46.1-yard average)

Punt Returns: Keshawn Martin (22nd at 13.4 yards per return)

Field Goals: Dan Conroy (t-10th at 2.0 field goals made per game)

Scoring: Dan Conroy (t-42nd at 10.0 points per game)

All-Purpose Yards: Edwin Baker (32nd at 150.0 yards per game)

Tackles: Greg Jones (t-35th at 10.0 tackles per game); Eric Gordon (t-50th at 9.5 tpg.)

Tackles For Loss: Colin Neely (t-14th at 2.0 tackles for loss per game)

2010 CAPTAINS ELECTED –

Senior punter **Aaron Bates**, senior linebacker **Greg Jones** and junior quarterback **Kirk Cousins** have been elected by their teammates to serve as Michigan State's captains for the 2010 season. Bates becomes the first punter in the 114-year history of Spartan football to be named captain, while Jones and Cousins are repeat selections for the second-straight year. In addition, Jones and Cousins become MSU's first multi-year captains since quarterback **Drew Stanton** and defensive tackle **Clifton Ryan** were appointed by the coaching staff in 2005-06.

An additional captain will be selected each week during the 2010 season (fifth-year senior fullback **Josh Rouse** vs. Notre Dame. Rouse suffered a season-ending neck injury while covering a punt in the season opener vs. Western Michigan).

In 2009, Cousins became only the second sophomore in school history to be named captain, joining center **Robert McCurry** who was selected in 1949. In addition, McCurry is MSU's only three-time captain (1946-47-48).

2010 OPPONENTS UPDATE –

Date vs.

MSU	Opponent	Last Game Result	Next Game
Sept. 4	Western Michigan (1-1)	vs. Nicholls State (W 49-14)	vs. Toledo
Sept. 11	vs. Florida Atlantic (1-1)	vs. Michigan State (L 17-30)	vs. North Texas (Sept. 25)
Sept. 18	Notre Dame (1-1)	vs. Michigan (L 24-28)	@ Michigan State
Sept. 25	Northern Colorado (1-1)	@ Weber State (4OT: L 47-50)	vs. Idaho State
Oct. 2	Wisconsin (2-0)	vs. San Jose State (W 27-14)	vs. Arizona State
Oct. 9	@ Michigan (2-0)	@ Notre Dame (W 28-24)	vs. Massachusetts
Oct. 16	Illinois (1-1)	vs. Southern Illinois (W 35-3)	vs. Northern Illinois
Oct. 23	@ Northwestern (2-0)	vs. Illinois State (W 37-3)	@ Rice
Oct. 30	@ Iowa (2-0)	vs. Iowa State (W 35-7)	@ Arizona
Nov. 6	Minnesota (1-1)	vs. South Dakota (L 38-41)	vs. USC
Nov. 20	Purdue (1-1)	vs. Western Illinois (W 31-21)	vs. Ball State
Nov. 27	@ Penn State (1-1)	@ Alabama (L 3-24)	vs. Kent State

Michigan State's 2010 opponents have a combined record of 16-5 (.762). Note: Record doesn't include games played against MSU.

MAGIC NUMBER 24 –

Since 1990, Michigan State is 105-32-1 (.764) when it scores at least 24 points and 18-83-1 (.181) when it scores fewer than 24 points. During that 21-year period, the Spartans have compiled an overall record of 123-115-2 (.517).

TOP SINGLE-GAME PERFORMANCES

Edwin Baker Rushing

Yds.	Opponent (Carries)	Date
183	Florida Atlantic (15)	9/11/10
117	Western Michigan (17)	9/4/10

Le'Veon Bell Rushing

Yds.	Opponent (Carries)	Date
141	Western Michigan (10)	9/4/10

Kirk Cousins Passing

Yds.	Opponent (Comp.-Att.)	Date
353	Western Michigan (22-25)	11/7/09
302	Notre Dame (23-35)	9/19/09
281	Northwestern (21-31)	10/17/09
236	Minnesota (21-35)	10/31/09
225	Iowa (16-32)	10/24/09
220	Texas Tech (13-27)	1/2/10
208	Purdue (11-25)	11/14/09
201	Wisconsin (17-34)	9/26/09

Mark Dell Receiving

Yds.	Opponent (Rec.)	Date
202	California (9)	8/30/08
121	Notre Dame (6)	9/19/09

Eric Gordon Tackles

TM	Opponent (S-A)	Date
14	Northwestern (5-9)	10/17/09
11	Florida Atlantic (4-7)	9/11/10
11	Northwestern (8-3)	10/11/08
10	Purdue (2-8)	11/8/08
10	Iowa (4-6)	10/27/07

Greg Jones Tackles

TM	Opponent (S-A)	Date
15	Penn State (5-10)	11/21/09
15	Central Michigan (5-10)	9/12/09
15	Penn State (12-3)	11/22/08
14	Northwestern (9-5)	10/17/09
14	Wisconsin (9-5)	9/26/09
14	Montana State (5-9)	9/5/09
14	Ohio State (7-7)	10/20/07
13	Texas Tech (5-8)	1/2/10
13	Wisconsin (7-6)	11/1/08
13	Ohio State (6-7)	10/18/08
12	Minnesota (7-5)	10/31/09
12	Iowa (6-6)	10/24/09
12	Georgia (8-4)	1/1/09
12	Purdue (7-5)	11/8/08
11	Florida Atlantic (5-6)	9/11/10
11	Illinois (5-6)	10/10/09
11	Northwestern (6-5)	10/11/08
11	Iowa (5-6)	10/27/07
10	Michigan (8-2)	10/25/08

Keshawn Martin All-Purpose Yards

Yds.	Opponent	Date
284	Minnesota	10/31/09
238	Texas Tech	1/2/10
236	Purdue	11/14/09
204	Florida Atlantic	9/11/10

Keshawn Martin Receiving

Yds.	Opponent (Rec.)	Date
139	Wisconsin (4)	9/26/09

Chris Norman Tackles

TM	Opponent (S-A)	Date
10	Florida Atlantic (4-6)	9/11/10

Trenton Robinson Tackles

TM	Opponent (S-A)	Date
14	Purdue (12-2)	11/14/09
13	Texas Tech (4-9)	1/2/10
11	Wisconsin (6-5)	9/26/09



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CAREER RECORDS

PASS ATTEMPTS

1. Jeff Smoker (2000-03)	1,150
2. Brian Hoyer (2005-08)	896
3. Drew Stanton (2003-06)	846
4. Ed Smith (1976-78)	789
5. Dave Yarema (1982-86)	767
6. Bill Burke (1996-99)	766
7. Jim Miller (1990-93)	746
8. John Leister (1979-82)	686
9. Todd Schultz (1994-97)	593
10. Tony Banks (1994-95)	496
11. Dan Enos (1987-90)	478
12. <i>Kirk Cousins (2008-10)</i>	<i>409</i>
Bryan Clark (1978-81)	409

PASS COMPLETIONS

1. Jeff Smoker (2000-03)	685
2. Drew Stanton (2003-06)	543
3. Brian Hoyer (2005-08)	500
4. Jim Miller (1990-93)	467
5. Dave Yarema (1982-86)	464
6. Ed Smith (1976-78)	418
7. Bill Burke (1996-99)	416
8. Todd Schultz (1994-97)	360
9. John Leister (1979-82)	313
10. Tony Banks (1994-95)	301
11. Dan Enos (1987-90)	297
12. <i>Kirk Cousins (2008-10)</i>	<i>252</i>

PASS COMPLETION PERCENTAGE

1. Drew Stanton (543-846; 2003-06)	.642
2. Jim Miller (467-746; 1990-93)	.626
3. Dan Enos (297-478; 1987-90)	.621
4. <i>Kirk Cousins (252-409; 2008-10)</i>	<i>.616</i>
5. Todd Schultz (360-593; 1994-97)	.607
6. Tony Banks (301-496; 1994-95)	.607

PASSING YARDS

1. Jeff Smoker (2000-03)	8,932
2. Drew Stanton (2003-06)	6,524
3. Brian Hoyer (2005-08)	6,159
4. Dave Yarema (1982-86)	5,809
5. Ed Smith (1976-78)	5,706
6. Bill Burke (1996-99)	5,463
7. Jim Miller (1990-93)	5,037
8. Todd Schultz (1994-97)	4,273
9. Tony Banks (1994-95)	4,129
10. John Leister (1979-82)	3,999
11. Dan Enos (1987-90)	3,837
12. <i>Kirk Cousins (2008-10)</i>	<i>3,318</i>

TOUCHDOWN PASSES

1. Jeff Smoker (2000-03)	61
2. Bill Burke (1996-99)	46
3. Dave Yarema (1982-86)	44
4. Ed Smith (1976-78)	43
5. Drew Stanton (2003-06)	42
6. Brian Hoyer (2005-08)	35
7. Todd Schultz (1994-97)	27
8. <i>Kirk Cousins (2008-10)</i>	<i>23</i>

THE CLOSE CALLS –

Over the last three seasons (2007-09), Michigan State has lost 10 games by a combined total of 45 points, including two in overtime (Northwestern and Iowa in 2007). Those 10 games have been decided by seven points or less.

SPARTANS TOUGH ON HOME TURF –

Spartan Stadium is in its 87th season as home to Michigan State football. Michigan State has compiled a 321-142-13 record (.688) since taking up residency in Spartan Stadium in 1923. With its 49-14 victory over No. 4 Wisconsin in the 2004 home finale, Michigan State recorded its 300th win in Spartan Stadium. The Spartans have gone undefeated at home 16 times since the stadium opened, including a perfect 6-0 mark in 1999. It marked Michigan State's first undefeated home record since 1966 (5-0-1) and its first unbeaten and untied home slate since 1965 (5-0-0).

ALWAYS A CROWD FAVORITE –

Michigan State has ranked among the NCAA's top 25 in attendance each of the last 54 seasons, including No. 18 in 2009, averaging 74,741 fans per game. The Spartans ranked No. 16 in the NCAA in total attendance as 523,186 fans went through the turnstiles for seven home games.

SPARTAN SINGLE-GAME BESTS UNDER DANTONIO –

Here's a look at the top single-game totals produced by Michigan State during head coach Mark Dantonio's tenure (2007-10; 41 games):

Rushing Yards: 368 vs. Indiana, 2007

Passing Yards: 396 vs. Wisconsin, 2009

Total Yards: 602 vs. Western Michigan, 2009

First Downs: 30 vs. Western Michigan, 2009

Fewest Rushing Yards Allowed: 12 by UAB, 2007

Fewest Passing Yards Allowed: 53 by Iowa, 2007

Fewest Total Yards Allowed: 160 by Montana State, 2009

Fewest First Downs Allowed: 9 by Florida Atlantic, 2008; by Notre Dame and Indiana, 2007

Sacks By: 7 vs. Bowling Green, 2007

Turnovers Forced: 4 vs. Michigan, 2008

Points (Game): 55 vs. UAB, 2007

Points (Half): 45 (1st) vs. UAB, 2007

Points (Quarter): 24 (2nd) vs. UAB and Purdue, 2007

Victory Margin: 41 vs. Montana State, 2009

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SPARTAN TRENDS UNDER DANTONIO –

Here's how Michigan State has fared during head coach Mark Dantonio's tenure (2007-10: 41 games):

	2010	Overall
Games played in Spartan Stadium:	1-0	16-6
Games played on the road/neutral site:	1-0	8-11
When leading at halftime:	2-0	18-4
When trailing at halftime:	0-0	4-11
When tied at halftime:	0-0	2-2
When scoring first:	2-0	20-6
When opponent scores first:	0-0	4-11
When leading after first quarter:	1-0	16-4
When trailing after first quarter:	0-0	2-9
When tied after first quarter:	1-0	6-4
When leading after three quarters:	2-0	20-4
When trailing after three quarters:	0-0	3-11
When tied after three quarters:	0-0	1-2
Overtime games:	0-0	1-2
When gaining more first downs than opponent:	1-0	16-6
When gaining fewer first downs than opponent:	1-0	7-10
When gaining same number of first downs as opponent:	0-0	1-1
When gaining 200+ yards rushing:	2-0	10-2
When opponent gains 200+ yards rushing:	0-0	2-5
When outrushing opponent:	2-0	18-7
When being outrushed by opponent:	0-0	6-10
When gaining 200+ yards passing:	0-0	12-12
When opponent gains 200+ yards passing:	2-0	12-13
When gaining more total yards than opponent:	2-0	19-7
When gaining fewer total yards than opponent:	0-0	5-10
When leading in time of possession:	0-0	15-3
When trailing in time of possession:	2-0	9-13
When splitting in time of possession:	0-0	0-1

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CAREER RECORDS

PASSING EFFICIENCY RATING

1. Kirk Cousins (2008-10)	142.9
2. Gene Glick (1946-49)	142.3
3. Earl Morrall (1953-55)	140.5
4. Drew Stanton (2003-06)	138.7
5. Jim Ninowski (1955-57)	136.0

TACKLES

1. Dan Bass (1976-79)	541
2. Percy Snow (1986-89)	473
3. Ike Reese (1994-97)	420
4. Josh Thornhill (1998-2001)	395
5. Chuck Bullough (1988-91)	391
6. Greg Jones (2007-10)	379

TACKLES FOR LOSS

1. Julian Peterson (1998-99)	48
2. Larry Bethea (1975-77)	43
3. Travis Davis (1986-89)	39
4. Robaire Smith (1997-99)	38
5. Greg Jones (2007-10)	37.5

QUARTERBACK SACKS

1. Larry Bethea (1975-77)	33
2. Julian Peterson (1998-99)	25
3. Travis Davis (1986-89)	24
Kelly Quinn (1982-85)	24
5. Robaire Smith (1997-99)	22
6. Greg Jones (2007-10)	15.5
Clifford Dukes (2001-04)	15.5

PUNTING AVERAGE

1. Greg Montgomery (1985-87)	45.2
2. Brandon Fields (2003-06)	45.0
3. Ralf Mojsiejenko (1981-84)	43.8
4. Ray Stachowicz (1977-80)	43.3
5. Craig Jarrett (1998-2001)	42.9
6. John Pingel (1937-38)	42.1
7. Aaron Bates (2007-10)	41.3
8. Josh Butland (1988-91)	40.7
9. Jason Daily (2002)	40.4
10. Paul Edinger (1996-99)	40.0

PUNTING YARDS

1. Ralf Mojsiejenko (1981-84)	12,220
2. Craig Jarrett (1998-2001)	10,255
3. Ray Stachowicz (1977-80)	9,960
4. Brandon Fields (2003-06)	9,405
5. Josh Butland (1988-91)	9,029
6. Aaron Bates (2007-10)	8,711

KICKOFF RETURN YARDS

1. Derrick Mason (1993-96)	2,575
2. Herb Haygood (1998-2001)	1,770
3. DeAndra Cobb (2003-04)	1,632
4. Courtney Hawkins (1988-91)	1,571
5. Eric Allen (1969-71)	1,340
6. Devin Thomas (2006-07)	1,135
7. Demond Williams (2005-06)	1,121
8. Larry Jackson (1983-84)	1,022
9. Derek Hughes (1978-81)	898
10. Glenn Winston (2008-09)	867
11. Bruce Reeves (1977-80)	863
12. Keshawn Martin (2008-10)	804



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2010 SPARTAN NETWORK RADIO AFFILIATES

City.....	Call Letters
Alma	WQBX (FM 104.9)
Ann Arbor.....	WLBY (AM 1290)
Bad Axe	WLEW (AM 1340)
Battle Creek.....	WBCK (FM 95.3)
Benton Harbor	WCSY (FM 103.7)
Detroit	WJR (AM 760)
Escanaba.....	WUPF (FM 107.3)
Flint.....	WWCK (AM 1570)
Gaylord.....	WMJZ (FM 101.5)
Grand Haven	WGHN (FM 92.1)
Grand Rapids	WBBL (FM 107.3)
Greenville.....	WGLM (FM 106.3)
Hastings.....	WBCH (AM 1220/FM 100.1)
Holland	WPNW (AM 1260)
Iron Mountain.....	WMIQ (AM 1450)
Ishpeming.....	WUPG (FM 96.7)
Jackson	WIBM (AM 1450)
Kalamazoo.....	WKZO (AM 590)
Lansing.....	WJIM (AM 1240)
.....	WMMQ (FM 94.9)
Ludington.....	WKLA (AM 1450)
Manistee.....	WMTE (AM 1340)
Midland.....	WLUN (FM 100.9)
Newberry.....	WMJT (FM 96.7)
Ontonagon.....	WUPY (FM 101.1)
Petoskey.....	WJML (AM 1110)
Port Huron.....	WPHM (AM 1380)
Saginaw.....	WNEM (AM 1250)
Sturgis	WMSH (AM 1230)
Tawas City.....	WKJC (FM 104.7)
Traverse City	WLDR (FM 101.9)

SPARTANS IN THE NFL –

Michigan State has 21 former players listed on opening-day rosters for National Football League teams in 2010. Here's a complete list of Spartans currently playing in the NFL (opening-day rosters as of Thursday, Sept. 9):

Baltimore Ravens: WR Derrick Mason, DT Brandon McKinney

Chicago Bears: TE Kellen Davis

Cincinnati Bengals: C Kyle Cook, DT Domata Peko

Cleveland Browns: DL Robaire Smith

Denver Broncos: S Renaldo Hill, DT Kevin Vickerson

Detroit Lions: LB Julian Peterson, QB Drew Stanton

Miami Dolphins: P Brandon Fields

New England Patriots: QB Brian Hoyer

New York Jets: S Eric Smith

Oakland Raiders: CB Jeremy Ware

Pittsburgh Steelers: OT Flozell Adams

St. Louis Rams: DT Clifton Ryan

San Diego Chargers: DL Ogemdi Nwagbuo

Seattle Seahawks: TE Chris Baker

Tennessee Titans: RB Javon Ringer

Washington Redskins: WR Devin Thomas

Three former Michigan State players also are listed on NFL practice squads (as of Thursday, Sept. 9):

Indianapolis Colts: WR Blair White

San Francisco 49ers: FB Jehuu Caulcrick

Seattle Seahawks: DB Ross Weaver

One former Michigan State player also is listed on NFL injured reserve (as of Thursday, Sept. 9):

Indianapolis Colts: K Brett Swenson

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MICHIGAN STATE DEPTH CHART (AS OF SEPT. 14, 2010)

SPARTAN OFFENSE			SPARTAN DEFENSE		
X	2	MARK DELL (6-2, 199, Sr.) OR	RUSH	91	TYLER HOOVER (6-7, 260, So.)
	7	KEITH NICHOL (6-2, 222, Jr.)		2	William Gholston (6-7, 250, Fr.)
	15	Donald Spencer (6-2, 200, R-Fr.)		52	Denzel Drone (6-2, 250, R-Fr.)
LT	59	D.J. YOUNG (6-5, 298, Sr.-5)	DT	99	JEREL WORTHY (6-3, 305, So.)
	79	David Barrent (6-8, 308, R-Fr.)		98	Anthony Rashad White (6-2, 320, So.) OR
LG	67	JOEL FOREMAN (6-4, 310, Jr.)		97	Dan France (6-6, 296, R-Fr.)
	68	Ethan Ruhland (6-5, 288, So.)	NT	96	KEVIN PICKELMAN (6-4, 285, Jr.) OR
C	66	JOHN STIPEK (6-5, 285, Sr.-5)		93	BLAKE TREADWELL (6-3, 277, So.)
		72	Nate Klatt (6-4, 292, R-Fr.)	DE	89	COLIN NEELY (6-1, 258, Sr.-5)
RG	62	CHRIS MCDONALD (6-5, 295, So.)	57		Johnathan Strayhorn (6-0, 275, Jr.) OR
		60	Micajah Reynolds (6-5, 295, R-Fr.)	87	Todd Anderson (6-2, 242, Jr.)
RT	77	J'MICHAEL DEANE (6-5, 312, Sr.-5)	55	Corey Freeman (6-2, 240, So.)	
	75	Jared McGaha (6-6, 300, Jr.)	SAM	43	ERIC GORDON (6-0, 232, Sr.-5)
TE	83	CHARLIE GANTT (6-5, 260, Sr.-5)		36	Jon Misch (6-3, 207, Sr.-5)
		88	Brian Linthicum (6-5, 238, Jr.) OR	MIKE	53	GREG JONES (6-1, 240, Sr.)
	80	Dion Sims (6-5, 285, So.)	50		Steve Gardiner (6-1, 222, So.) OR
Z	3	B.J. CUNNINGHAM (6-2, 220, Jr.) OR	40	Max Bullough (6-3, 235, Fr.)	
	82	KESHAWN MARTIN (5-11, 185, Jr.)	STAR	10	CHRIS NORMAN (6-1, 220, So.)
	13	Bennie Fowler (6-1, 206, R-Fr.)		28	Denicos Allen (5-10, 212, R-Fr.)
QB	8	KIRK COUSINS (6-3, 202, Jr.)	FC	5	JOHNNY ADAMS (5-11, 170, R-So.)
	10	Andrew Maxwell (6-3, 200, R-Fr.)		31	Darqueze Dennard (5-11, 175, Fr.)
FB	42	NICK BENDZUCK (6-2, 240, Sr.-5)		12	Dana Dixon (6-2, 173, R-Fr.)
	49	TyQuan Hammock (6-0, 255, R-Fr.)	FS	39	TRENTON ROBINSON (5-10, 195, Jr.)
48	Drew Stevens (6-4, 230, So.)	9		Isaiah Lewis (5-11, 191, Fr.)	
TB	4	EDWIN BAKER (5-9, 208, So.) OR	26	Jesse Johnson (5-10, 186, Sr.-5)	
	24	LE'VEON BELL (6-2, 230, Fr.) OR	SS	11	MARCUS HYDE (6-0, 200, Sr.-5)
	22	LARRY CAPER (5-11, 220, So.)		23	Jairus Jones (6-1, 208, R-Fr.)
			BC	29	CHRIS L. RUCKER (6-2, 200, Sr.)
				32	Mitchell White (6-1, 170, So.)
				16	Chris D. Rucker (5-10, 175, Jr.)

SPARTAN SPECIAL TEAMS

KO	17	KEVIN MUMA (6-0, 186, R-Fr.)	KR	82	KESHAWN MARTIN (5-11, 185, Jr.)
	4	Dan Conroy (5-10, 185, So.)		24	LE'VEON BELL (6-2, 230, Fr.)
PK	4	DAN CONROY (5-10, 185, So.)		39	Trenton Robinson (5-10, 195, Jr.)
	17	Kevin Muma (6-0, 186, R-Fr.)	20	Nick Hill (5-6, 182, Fr.)	
P	18	AARON BATES (6-0, 198, Sr.)	PR	82	KESHAWN MARTIN (5-11, 185, Jr.)
	20	Kyle Selden (6-5, 200, Jr.) OR		2	Mark Dell (6-2, 199, Sr.)
	3	Mike Sadler (6-1, 185, Fr.)			
SN	56	ALEX SHACKLETON (6-2, 240, Sr.-5)			
	66	John Stipek (6-5, 285, Sr.-5)			
HLD	18	AARON BATES (6-0, 198, Sr.)			
	8	Kirk Cousins (6-3, 202, Jr.)			



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STARTING LINEUPS/CAREER STARTS

Career Starts by Position

												FB													TB																			
																									22-Caper (5) 4-Baker (3)																			
												QB																																
												8-Cousins (14)																																
Z			TE			RT			RG			C			LG			LT			X																							
3-Cunningham (23) 82-Martin (3)			83-Gantt (28) 88-Linthicum (7/12#) 85-Celek (6)			77-Deane (3) 75-McGaha (1)			62-McDonald (2)			66-Stipek (5)			67-Foreman (25)			59-Young (13/17*)			2-Dell (21) 7-Nichol (3*)																							
FC															RUSH			DT			NT			DE			BC																	
5-Adams (4)															52-Drone (2)			99-Worthy (13)			96-Pickelman (4) 93-Treadwell (1)			89-Neely (17)			29-C.L. Rucker (26)																	
												SAM															MIKE															STAR		
												43-Gordon (38) 36-Misch (4)															53-Jones (35)															10-Norman (3)		
												FS															SS																	
												39-Robinson (8) 9-Lewis (1)															11-Hyde (10)																	

Includes games started at Clemson, 2007.
 ^ Includes games started at Bowling Green, 2006-07.
 * Includes one start at quarterback in 2009.
 + Double tight end set.
 \$ Three receiver set.

2010 OFFENSIVE GAME-BY-GAME STARTERS

Game	X	LT	LG	C	RG	RT	TE	Z	QB	FB	TB
Western Michigan	Dell	Young	Foreman	Stipek	McDonald	Deane	Gantt	Martin	Cousins	Nichol\$	Baker
vs. Florida Atlantic	Dell	Young	Foreman	Stipek	McDonald	Deane	Gantt	Cunningham	Cousins	Celek+	Baker
Notre Dame											
Northern Colorado											
Wisconsin											
at Michigan											
Illinois											
at Northwestern											
at Iowa											
Minnesota											
Purdue											
at Penn State											

2010 DEFENSIVE GAME-BY-GAME STARTERS

Game	RUSH	DT	NT	DE	SAM	MIKE	STAR	FC	FS	SS	BC
Western Michigan	Drone	Worthy	Pickelman	Neely	Gordon	Jones	Norman	Adams	Lewis	Hyde	C.L. Rucker
vs. Florida Atlantic	Drone	Worthy	Pickelman	Neely	Gordon	Jones	Norman	Adams	Robinson	Hyde	C.L. Rucker
Notre Dame											
Northern Colorado											
Wisconsin											
at Michigan											
Illinois											
at Northwestern											
at Iowa											
Minnesota											
Purdue											
at Penn State											



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**Johnny
ADAMS** **5**

CB | 5-11 | 170 | SO. | 1L
AKRON, OHIO | BUCHTEL

- Talented third-year player is the starter at field corner.
- Has nine tackles this season and 30 for his career.
- Tallied five stops against Florida Atlantic at Ford Field.
- Recorded five tackles in season opener against Western Michigan, including a pass break-up.
- Granted a medical redshirt in 2009 after missing 10 games with a shoulder injury.
- Saw action in 12 games as a true freshman in 2008, recording 21 tackles, four pass break-ups and two interceptions.

CAREER HIGHS

Tackles..... 6, vs. Iowa (10/4/08)
 Tackles for loss..... 1, twice (last vs. Iowa, 10/4/08)
 Pass Break-up..... 1, five times (last vs. Western Michigan, 9/4/10)
 Interceptions..... 1, twice (last vs. Purdue, 11/8/08)

Adams' Career Statistics

Year	G/GS	UT	AT	TM	TFL	SACKS	INT	PBU	FR	FF
2008	12/2	15	6	21	2-2	0-0	2-40	4	0	0
2009	3/0	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
2010	2/2	5	4	9	0-0	0-0	0-0	1	0	0
Totals	17/4	20	10	30	2-2	0-0	0-0	5	0	0

Adams' 2010 Game-by-Game Statistics

Opponent	UT	AT	TM	TFL	SACKS	INT	PBU	FR	FF
Western Michigan	3	2	5	-	-	-	1	-	-
Florida Atlantic	2	2	4	-	-	-	-	-	-
Totals	5	4	9	-	-	-	1	-	-



**Denicos
ALLEN** **28**

LB | 5-10 | 212 | R-FR.
HAMILTON, OHIO | HAMILTON

- Red-shirt freshman listed as the backup at star linebacker; has six tackles on the season.
- Compiled five stops vs. Florida Atlantic at Ford Field.
- In his collegiate debut vs. Western Michigan, recovered a fumble that led to a Spartan touchdown; also recorded a tackle.

CAREER HIGHS

Tackles..... 5, vs. Florida Atlantic (9/11/10)

Allen's Career Statistics

Year	G/GS	UT	AT	TM	TFL	SACKS	INT	PBU	FR	FF
2010	2/0	2	4	6	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	1	0

Allen's 2010 Game-by-Game Statistics

Opponent	UT	AT	TM	TFL	SACKS	INT	PBU	FR	FF
Western Michigan	0	1	1	-	-	-	-	1-0	-
Florida Atlantic	2	3	5	-	-	-	-	-	-
Totals	2	5	6	-	-	-	-	1-0	-



**Todd
ANDERSON** **87**

DE | 6-2 | 242 | JR. | SQ
JACKSON, MICH. | NAPOLEON

- Fourth-year player has earned a scholarship, beginning with the fall 2010 semester.
- In his first year of game action, has five tackles as a back-up defensive end.
- Tallied two stops vs. Florida Atlantic at Ford Field.
- Recorded a career-high three tackles in his collegiate debut against Western Michigan; also had a pass break-up and a quarterback hurry.
- Sideline the entire 2009 season with a knee injury; did not see game action in 2008; redshirted in 2007.

CAREER HIGHS

Tackles..... 3, vs. Western Michigan (9/4/10)
 Pass Break-up..... 1, vs. Western Michigan (9/4/10)

Anderson's Career Statistics

Year	G/GS	UT	AT	TM	TFL	SACKS	INT	PBU	FR	FF
2010	2/0	1	4	5	0-0	0-0	0-0	1	0	0

Anderson's 2010 Game-by-Game Statistics

Opponent	UT	AT	TM	TFL	SACKS	INT	PBU	FR	FF
Western Michigan	1	2	3	-	-	-	1	-	-
Florida Atlantic	0	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
Totals	1	4	5	-	-	-	1	-	-

2010 SPARTAN FOOTBALL GAME NOTES



**Edwin
BAKER** **4**

RB | 5-9 | 208 | SO. | 1L
HIGHLAND PARK, MICH. | OAK PARK

- Sophomore is listed as one of MSU's starting running backs on the depth chart.
- Ranked second in the Big Ten and fifth in the nation with his 150.0-yard rushing average through two games (300 total yards rushing).
- Averaging 9.4 yards per rush.
- Tied for fourth in the Big Ten with three rushing touchdowns.
- Produced a career-high 183 yards on just 15 carries (12.2 avg.), including an 80-yard TD run, vs. Florida Atlantic at Ford Field; garnered Spartan Offensive Player of the Week honors and was also named the Running Back Performer of the Week by the College Football Performance Awards.
- Rushed for 117 yards on 17 carries (6.9 avg.) and two touchdowns vs. Western Michigan in the season opener; named Spartan Offensive Co-Player of the Week for his game against the Broncos.
- Ranked second on the team in rushing with 427 yards on 85 carries (5.0 avg.) and led team with 53.4 yards rushing per game in 2009 as a true freshman.
- Recorded a season-high 97 rushing yards on 12 carries (8.1 avg.), including a 46-yard touchdown run in the first quarter, vs. Texas Tech in the Valero Alamo Bowl.

CAREER HIGHS

Carries 17, vs. Western Michigan (9/4/10)
Rushing Yards 183, vs. Florida Atlantic (9/11/10)
Rushing TDs 2, vs. Western Michigan (9/4/10)

Baker's Career Statistics - Rushing

Year	G/GS	ATT	YDS.	AVG.	TD	LG	YPG
2009	8/1	85	427	5.0	1	46	53.4
2010	2/2	32	300	9.4	3	80	150.0
Career	10/3	117	727	6.2	4	80	72.7

Baker's Career Statistics - Receiving

Year	REC.	YDS.	AVG.	TD	LG	YPG
2009	7	43	6.1	0	23	5.4
2010	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0
Career	7	43	6.1	0	23	5.4

Baker's 2010 Game-by-Game Statistics - Rushing

Opponent	ATT	YDS	TD	LG
Western Michigan	17	117	2	28
Florida Atlantic	15	183	1	80
Totals	32	300	3	80



**Aaron
BATES** **18**

P | 6-0 | 198 | SR. | 3L
NEW CONCORD, OHIO | JOHN GLENN

- Ray Guy Award candidate is in his fourth year as the starting punter; also serves as the team's holder.
- Elected a captain by his teammates, becoming the first punter in Michigan State's 114-year history to be named captain.
- Ranks among MSU's all-time leaders in punting yards (sixth with 8,711 yards), punts (sixth with 211) and punting average (seventh at 41.3).
- Has proved to be a valuable weapon in terms of changing field position with his ball placement; has placed 68 of his 211 punts (32 percent) inside the opponent's 20.
- Ranks second in the Big Ten and 11th in the nation with his 46.1-yard punting average through two games.
- Booted a 57-yarder in his only punt against Florida Atlantic at Ford Field.
- Averaged 44.6 yards on seven punts against Western Michigan, including a 57-yarder.
- Ranked among the nation's top punters (No. 10) by Phil Steele's College Football Preview.

CAREER HIGHS

Punts 10, vs. Florida Atlantic (9/13/08)
Punting Yards 408, vs. Florida Atlantic (9/13/08)
Punting Avg. (Min. 4) 45.7, vs. Ohio State (10/18/08)
Punts Inside 20 4, three times (last vs. Central Michigan, 9/12/09)
Longest Punt 67 yards, vs. Michigan (11/3/07)

Bates' Career Statistics

Year	G	No.	YDS.	AVG.	LG	I20	+50
2007	13	69	2742	39.7	67	23	7
2008	13	71	2979	42.0	59	22	15
2009	13	63	2621	41.6	59	23	15
2010	2	8	369	46.1	57	0	2
Totals	41	211	8711	41.3	67	68	39

Bates' 2010 Game-by-Game Statistics

Opponent	No.	YDS	AVG	LG	I20
Western Michigan	7	312	44.6	57	0
Florida Atlantic	1	57	57.0	57	0
Totals	8	369	46.1	57	0



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Le'Veon BELL 24

RB | 6-2 | 230 | FR. | HS
REYNOLDSBURG, OHIO
GROVEPORT MADISON

- True freshman will receive a significant amount of playing time and carries.
- Ranks eighth in the Big Ten and 39th in the nation in rushing (95.0 ypg.).
- Averaging 9.5 yards per rush.
- Collected 49 yards on 10 carries, including a 9-yard touchdown, vs. Florida Atlantic at Ford Field.
- Ran for 141 yards on 10 carries (14.1 avg.) in his Spartan debut against Western Michigan, setting a school record for rushing yards by a true freshman in his first collegiate game; also had a 75-yard run and a 18-yard TD run.
- Named Big Ten Co-Freshman of the Week and Spartan Offensive Co-Player of the Week for his effort against the Broncos; also earned honorable mention Running Back Performer of the Week accolades by the College Football Performance Awards.

CAREER HIGHS

Carries 10, twice (last vs. Florida Atlantic, 9/11/10)
 Rushing Yards 141, vs. Western Michigan (9/4/10)
 Rushing TDs 1, twice (last vs. Florida Atlantic, 9/11/10)

Bell's Career Statistics - Rushing

Year	G/GS	ATT	YDS.	AVG.	TD	LG	YPG
2010	2/0	20	190	9.5	2	75	95.0

Bell's 2010 Game-by-Game Statistics - Rushing

Opponent	ATT	YDS	TD	LG
Western Michigan	10	141	1	75
Florida Atlantic	10	49	1	17
Totals	20	190	2	75



Larry CAPER 22

RB | 5-11 | 220 | SO. | 1L
BATTLE CREEK, MICH.
BATTLE CREEK CENTRAL

- Sophomore listed as one of the starting running backs on the depth chart.
- Has not played in the first two games (hand injury).
- True freshman led the team in rushing (468 yards), carries (120) and rushing touchdowns (6) in 2009.

CAREER HIGHS

Carries 16, twice (last vs. Northwestern, 10/17/09)
 Rushing Yards 95, vs. Illinois (10/10/09)
 Rushing TDs 2, twice (last vs. Michigan, 10/3/09)

Caper's Career Statistics - Rushing

Year	G/GS	ATT	YDS.	AVG.	TD	LG	YPG
2009	12/5	120	468	3.9	6	23	39.0

Caper's Career Statistics - Receiving

Year	G/GS	ATT	YDS.	AVG.	TD	LG	YPG
2009	12/5	3	47	15.7	0	30	5.9

Caper's 2010 Game-by-Game Statistics - Rushing

Opponent	ATT	YDS	TD	LG
Western Michigan	-	-	-	-
Florida Atlantic	-	-	-	-
Totals	0	0	0	0

2010 SPARTAN FOOTBALL GAME NOTES



**Dan
CONROY** 4

K | 5-10 | 185 | SO. | SQ
WHEATON, ILL.
WHEATON WARRENVILLE SOUTH

- Third-year player has earned a scholarship, beginning with the fall 2010 semester.
- Is in his first year as the starting placekicker.
- Is a perfect 4-for-4 in field goals this season and 5-for-5 in his career.
- Named Big Ten Special Teams Co-Player of the Week after making all three field-goal attempts vs. Florida Atlantic at Ford Field; connected from 44, 41 and 50 yards out and made all three PATs in scoring a career-high 12 points against the Owls.
- Also named Placekicker Performer of the Week by the College Football Performance Awards and one of three stars of the week by the Lou Groza Award for his showing vs. FAU.
- Connected on a 33-yard field goal in the season opener vs. Western Michigan

CAREER HIGHS

Extra Points Made 5, vs. Western Michigan (9/4/10)
 Extra Points Att. 5, vs. Western Michigan (9/4/10)
 Field Goals Made 3, vs. Florida Atlantic (9/11/10)
 Field Goals Att 3, vs. Florida Atlantic (9/11/10)
 Points..... 12, vs. Florida Atlantic (9/11/10)
 Field Goal 50, vs. Florida Atlantic (9/11/10)

Conroy's Career Stats

Scoring	PAT (Pct.)	FG (Pct.)	PTS	LG
2009	0-0 (.000)	1-1 (1.000)	3	43
2010	8-8 (1.000)	4-4 (1.000)	20	50
Career	8-8 (1.000)	5-5 (1.000)	23	50

FG Accuracy	-20	20-29	30-39	40-49	50+	Total
2009	0-0	0-0	0-0	1-1	0-0	1-1
2010	0-0	0-0	1-1	2-2	1-1	4-4
Career	0-0	0-0	1-1	3-3	1-1	5-5

Conroy's 2010 Game-by-Game Statistics

Opponent	PATs	FGs	LG	PTS
Western Michigan	5-5	1-1	33	8
Florida Atlantic	3-3	3-3	50	12
Totals	8-8	4-4	50	20



**Kirk
COUSINS** 8

QB | 6-3 | 202 | JR. | 2L
HOLLAND, MICH.
HOLLAND CHRISTIAN

- Fourth-year player was elected captain for the second straight season; last year, became only the second sophomore captain in Michigan State history.
- Is in his second season as the starting quarterback after starting 12 games in 2009.
- Has completed 62 percent of his passes (252-for-409) for 3,318 yards in 20 career games.
- Ranks among NCAA FBS active leaders in passing efficiency (seventh with 142.94 rating).
- Ranks eighth in MSU history in touchdown passes (23) and 12th in passing yards (3,318).
- Was 9-for-17 passing for 142 yards, including a 30-yard TD pass to B.J. Cunningham, in win over Florida Atlantic at Ford Field.
- Completed 13-of-21 passes for 186 yards and one touchdown in the season opener against Western Michigan.

CAREER HIGHS

Pass Attempts..... 35, twice (last vs. Minnesota, 10/31/09)
 Pass Completions..... 23, vs. Notre Dame (9/19/09)
 Passing Yards..... 353, vs. Western Michigan (11/7/09)
 Passing TDs 3, twice (last vs. Purdue, 11/14/09)
 Rushing Yards 75, vs. Michigan (10/3/09)

Cousins' Career Stats

Year	G/GS	COMP	ATT	INT	PCT	YDS	YPG	TD	LG
2008	5/0	32	43	1	.744	310	62.0	2	32
2009	13/12	198	328	9	.604	2680	206.2	19	73
2010	2/2	22	38	1	.579	328	164.0	2	42
Totals	20/14	252	409	11	.616	3318	165.9	23	73

Cousins' 2010 Game-by-Game Statistics

Opponent	COMP	ATT	INT	PCT	YDS	TD	LG
Western Michigan	13	21	0	.619	186	1	37
Florida Atlantic	9	17	1	.529	142	1	42
Totals	22	38	1	.579	328	2	42

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Joel FOREMAN 67

OG | 6-4 | 310 | JR. | 2L
HIGHLAND, MICH. | MILFORD

- Fourth-year player is in his third year as the starting left guard.
- Two-year letterman has played in 27 career games, including 25 starts at left guard.
- Preseason first-team All-Big Ten selection by the Sporting News.
- Named to the All-Sophomore Team by CollegeFootballNews.com in 2009.



William GHOLSTON 2

DE | 6-7 | 250 | FR. | HS
DETROIT, MICH.
SOUTHEASTERN

- True freshman listed as a back-up at rush end; has four tackles for the season.
- Compiled three stops vs. Florida Atlantic at Ford Field.
- In his collegiate debut against Western Michigan, recorded one tackle and one quarterback hurry.

CAREER HIGHS

Tackles..... 3, vs. Florida Atlantic (9/11/10)

Gholston's Career Statistics

Year	G/GS	UT	AT	TM	TFL	SACKS	INT	PBU	FR	FF
2010	2/0	1	3	4	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
Totals	2/0	1	3	4	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0

Gholston's 2010 Game-by-Game Statistics

Opponent	UT	AT	TM	TFL	SACKS	INT	PBU	FR	FF
Western Michigan	0	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Florida Atlantic	1	2	3	-	-	-	-	-	-
Totals	1	3	4	-	-	-	-	-	-



Charlie GANTT 83

TE | 6-5 | 260 | SR.-5 | 3L
FARMINGTON HILLS, MICH.
BROTHER RICE

- Fifth-year senior is in his third season as the starting tight end.
- Solid run-blocker who has displayed the ability to go down field and make plays in the passing game.
- Three-year letterman has played in 32 career games, including 28 consecutive starts at tight end.
- Has 43 career catches for 699 yards and six touchdowns.
- Listed on the John Mackey Award Watch List (nation's top tight end)
- Had two catches for 49 yards in the season opener against Western Michigan.

CAREER HIGHS

Catches 3, three times (last vs. Michigan, 10/3/09)

Receiving Yards..... 92, vs. Indiana (9/27/08)

TD Catches..... 1, five times (last vs. Central Michigan, 9/12/09)

Gantt's Career Statistics

Year	G/GS	NO.	YDS.	AVG.	TD	LG	YPG
2007	4/0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0
2008	13/13	19	302	15.9	4	82	25.2
2009	13/13	22	348	15.8	2	55	26.8
2010	2/2	2	49	24.5	0	35	24.5
Totals	32/28	43	699	16.3	6	82	21.8

Gantt's 2010 Game-by-Game Statistics

Opponent	NO.	YDS	TD	LG
Western Michigan	2	49	0	35
Florida Atlantic	0	0	0	0
Totals	2	49	0	35



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Eric GORDON 43

**LB | 6-0 | 232 | SR-5 | 3L
TRAVERSE CITY, MICH.
TRAVERSE CITY WEST**

- Fifth-year senior has started 38 of 40 career games at linebacker, including 29 consecutive starting assignments (tied for the team high along with Greg Jones).
- Ranks 19th among active players in the FBS and second in the Big Ten with 258 career tackles; also has 24.0 career tackles for loss, tied for 20th in school history, and 8.5 career sacks.
- Tied for fifth in the Big Ten with 19 tackles this season (9.5 avg.).
- Tied for team high with 11 tackles, including 1.5 for losses (5 yards) and a 4-yard sack, against Florida Atlantic at Ford Field.
- Recorded eight tackles in the season opener against Western Michigan.
- Ranked among the nation's top outside linebackers (No. 24) by Phil Steele's College Football Preview.

CAREER HIGHS

Tackles..... 14, vs. Northwestern (10/17/09)
 Tackles for loss..... 3.0, vs. Ohio State (10/18/08)
 Sacks..... 1, five times (last vs. Florida Atlantic, 9/11/10)
 Pass Break-ups 2, vs. Notre Dame (9/20/08)

Gordon's Career Statistics

Year	G/GS	UT	AT	TM	TFL	SACKS	INT	PBU	FR	FF
2007	12/10	32	30	62	7.5-22	1-8	1-16	2	0	0
2008	13/13	41	44	85	7.5-27	3-15	0-0	3	1	1
2009	13/13	35	57	92	7.5-39	3.5-32	0-0	2	0	0
2010	2/2	7	12	19	1.5-5	1-4	0-0	0	0	0
Totals	40/38	115	143	258	24-93	8.5-59	1-16	7	1	0

Gordon's 2010 Game-by-Game Statistics

Opponent	UT	AT	TM	TFL	SACKS	INT	PBU	FR	FF
Western Michigan	3	5	8	-	-	-	-	-	-
Florida Atlantic	4	7	11	1.5-5	1-4	-	-	-	-
Totals	7	12	19	1.5-5	1-4	-	-	-	-



Tyler HOOVER 91

**DE | 6-7 | 260 | SO. | 1L
NOVI, MICH. | NOVI**

- Third-year player will see significant playing time at rush end.
- Has two tackles this season.
- Recovered a fumble and recorded a tackle in the season opener against Western Michigan.
- Saw action in all 13 games as a defensive end in 2009, collecting 13 tackles.

CAREER HIGHS

Tackles..... 3, twice (last vs. Texas Tech, 1/2/10)

Hoover's Career Statistics

Year	G/GS	UT	AT	TM	TFL	SACKS	INT	PBU	FR	FF
2008	2/0	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
2009	13/0	3	10	13	0.5-1	0-0	0	1	0	0
2010	2/0	0	2	2	0-0	0-0	0	0	1	0
Totals	17/0	3	12	15	0.5-1	0-0	0	1	1	0

Hoover's 2010 Game-by-Game Statistics

Opponent	UT	AT	TM	TFL	SACKS	INT	PBU	FR	FF
Western Michigan	0	1	1	-	-	-	-	1	-
Florida Atlantic	0	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Totals	0	2	2	-	-	-	-	1	-



Marcus HYDE 11

**S | 6-0 | 200 | SR-5 | 3L
FOSTORIA, OHIO | FOSTORIA**

- Fifth-year senior is the starter at strong safety.
- Has 87 career tackles in 38 games, including 10 starts.
- Had a career-high two pass break-ups and also tallied three tackles vs. Florida Atlantic at Ford Field.
- Recorded his second career interception and returned it 10 yards in the season opener against Western Michigan; also produced five tackles against the Broncos.

CAREER HIGHS

Tackles..... 9, vs. Central Michigan (9/12/09)
 Interception..... 1, twice (last vs. Western Michigan, 9/4/10)
 Pass Break-up..... 2, vs. Florida Atlantic (9/11/10)

Hyde's Career Statistics

Year	G/GS	UT	AT	TM	TFL	SACKS	INT	PBU	FR	FF
2007	10/0	2	0	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
2008	13/1	18	13	31	0-0	0-0	1-0	0	1	0
2009	13/7	21	25	46	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
2010	2/2	6	2	8	0-0	0-0	1-10	2	0	0
Totals	38/10	47	40	87	0-0	0-0	2-10	2	1	0

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Hyde's 2010 Game-by-Game Statistics

Opponent	UT	AT	TM	TFL	SACKS	INT	PBU	FR	FF
Western Michigan	4	1	5	-	-	1-10	-	-	-
Florida Atlantic	2	1	3	-	-	-	2	-	-
Totals	6	2	8	0-0	0-0	1-10	2	0	0



Greg JONES **53**

LB | 6-1 | 240 | SR. | 3L
CINCINNATI, OHIO
ARCHBISHOP MOELLER

- PRESEASON BIG TEN DEFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE YEAR
- RANKED TOP PLAYER IN THE NATION (COLLEGEFOOTBALLNEWS.COM)
- CONSENSUS 2009 FIRST-TEAM ALL-AMERICAN
- 2009 BIG TEN DEFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE YEAR (MEDIA)
- RANKS SECOND AMONG ACTIVE FBS PLAYERS WITH 379 CAREER TACKLES

- Ranks among MSU's all-time leaders in tackles for loss (fifth with 37.5), sacks (tied for sixth with 15.5) and tackles (sixth with 379).
- Has posted double-digit tackles in 17 of his last 22 games.
- Has led team or tied for team lead in tackles in 25 of the last 27 games.
- Has started 35 of 41 career games, including 29 consecutive starts (tied for team high along with Eric Gordon).
- Has produced double-figure tackle games 19 times in his career.
- Tied for second in Big Ten in tackles with 20 (10.0 avg.)
- Tied for first in Big Ten with two forced fumbles.
- Tied for team lead with 11 tackles vs. Florida Atlantic at Ford Field; in addition, forced a fumble and collected a 2-yard tackle for loss.
- Led team with nine tackles in season opener against Western Michigan; also forced a fumble and recorded a pass break-up.
- Named to preseason watch lists for six national awards: Bednarik, Butkus, Lombardi, Nagurski, Lott Trophy and Walter Camp Player of the Year.
- Named Big Ten's "Harder Hitter" for the second year in a year by Sporting News.

CAREER HIGHS

Tackles..... 15, three times (last vs. Penn State, 11/21/09)
Tackles for loss..... 3.5, vs. Penn State (10/18/08)
Sacks..... 2, vs. Northwestern (10/17/09)

Jones' Career Statistics

Year	G/GS	UT	AT	TM	TFL	SACKS	INT	PBU	FR	FF
2007	13/7	40	38	78	8.5-33	4.5-25	0-0	2	0	1
2008	13/13	80	47	127	14-38	2-9	0-0	1	0	0
2009	13/13	67	87	154	14-69	9-53	0-0	1	1-15	1
2010	2/2	7	13	20	1-2	0-0	0-0	1	0-0	2
Totals	41/35	194	185	379	37.5-142	15.5-87	0-0	5	1-15	4

Jones' 2010 Game-by-Game Statistics

Opponent	UT	AT	TM	TFL	SACKS	INT	PBU	FR	FF
Western Michigan	2	7	9	-	-	-	1	-	1
Florida Atlantic	5	6	11	1-2	-	-	-	-	1
Totals	7	13	20	1-2	-	-	1	-	2



Isaiah LEWIS **9**

S | 5-11 | 191 | FR. | HS
INDIANAPOLIS, IND. | BEN DAVIS

- First-year player listed as the backup at free safety; will also see time in MSU's nickel package.
- Recorded his first career tackle vs. Florida Atlantic at Ford Field.
- Started his first collegiate game in the season opener against Western Michigan.

Lewis' Career Statistics

Year	G/GS	UT	AT	TM	TFL	SACKS	INT	PBU	FR	FF
2010	2/1	0	1	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
Totals	2/1	0	1	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0

Lewis' 2010 Game-by-Game Statistics

Opponent	UT	AT	TM	TFL	SACKS	INT	PBU	FR	FF
Western Michigan	0	0	0	-	-	-	-	-	-
Florida Atlantic	0	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Totals	0	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-



Brian LINTCHICUM **88**

TE | 6-5 | 238 | JR. | 1L
CHARLOTTEVILLE, VA.
CLEMSON

- Third-year player figures to see his share of playing time at tight end.
- Very athletic player who has the ability to make plays down field.
- Caught two passes for 13 yards in season opener against Western Michigan.
- Sat out spring practice with a knee injury.
- Appeared in 12 games in 2009, catching 20 passes for 266 yards and two TDs.

CAREER HIGHS

Catches 4, vs. Western Michigan (11/7/09)
Receiving Yards..... 61, vs. Western Michigan (11/7/09)
TD Catches..... 1, four times (last vs. Montana State, 9/5/09)

Lintchicum's Career Statistics

Year	G/GS	REC	YDS.	AVG.	TD	LG	YPG
2007*	13/5	11	76	6.9	3	15	5.8
2008			-DNP-				
2009	12/7	20	266	13.3	2	27	22.2
2010	2/0	2	13	6.5	0	12	6.5
Totals	27/12	33	279	8.5	5	27	10.3

* at Clemson

Lintchicum's 2010 Game-by-Game Statistics

Opponent	NO.	YDS	TD	LG
Western Michigan	2	13	0	12
Florida Atlantic	0	0	0	0
Totals	2	13	0	12



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Keshawn MARTIN 82

WR | 5-11 | 185 | JR. | 2L
INKSTER, MICH. | JOHN GLENN

- Explosive playmaker is listed as one of the starters at Z receiver; also is the starting kick and punt returner.
- Named to the watch list for the Paul Hornung Award, which is awarded to the nation's most versatile player.
- Ranks first in the Big Ten in punt returns (13.4 avg.).
- Collected more than 200 all-purpose yards (89 kick return, 62 punt return, 53 receiving) vs. Florida Atlantic at Ford Field; his career-long 47-yard punt return set up MSU's first TD of the game.
- Rushed for 43 yards on two carries (21.5 avg.) in the season opener against Western Michigan.
- Was the only player in the FBS in 2009 who scored touchdowns of 80 or more yards three different ways (93-yard kick return vs. Minnesota; 91-yard reception vs. Wisconsin; 84-yard run vs. Minnesota).

CAREER HIGHS

Catches 4, vs. Wisconsin (9/26/09)
 Receiving Yards..... 139, vs. Wisconsin (9/26/09)
 Carries 4, vs. Western Michigan (11/7/09)
 Rushing Yards 84, vs. Minnesota (10/31/09)
 Kickoff Return Yards. 176, vs. Minnesota (10/31/09)
 Kickoff Return 93, vs. Minnesota (10/31/09)
 Punt Return Yards 62, vs. Florida Atlantic (9/11/10)
 Punt Return 47, vs. Florida Atlantic (9/11/10)
 All-Purpose Yards 284, vs. Minnesota (10/31/09)

Martin's Career Statistics - Receiving

Year	G/GS	REC.	YDS.	AVG.	TD	LG	YPG
2008	10/0	11	132	12.0	0	42	13.2
2009	13/2	18	411	22.8	5	91	31.6
2010	2/1	2	53	26.5	0	42	26.5
Totals	25/3	31	596	19.2	5	91	23.8

Martin's Career Statistics - Rushing

Year	ATT	YDS.	AVG.	TD	LG	YPG
2008	9	51	5.7	0	25	5.1
2009	18	219	12.2	1	84	16.8
2010	2	43	21.5	0	31	43.0
Totals	29	313	10.8	1	84	13.0

Martin's Career Statistics - Kick Returns

Year	ATT	YDS.	AVG.	TD	LG
2008	2	50	25.0	0	27
2009	23	665	28.9	0	93
2010	4	89	22.2	0	47
Totals	29	804	27.7	0	93

Martin's Career Statistics - Punt Returns

Year	ATT	YDS.	AVG.	TD	LG
2008	3	1	0.3	0	7
2009	21	156	7.4	0	26
2010	5	67	13.4	0	47
Totals	29	224	7.7	0	57

Martin's 2010 Game-by-Game Statistics - Receiving

Opponent	NO.	YDS	TD	LG
Western Michigan	0	0	0	0
Florida Atlantic	2	53	0	42
Totals	2	53	0	42

Martin's 2010 Game-by-Game Statistics - Punt Returns

Opponent	NO.	YDS	AVG.	LG
Western Michigan	2	5	2.5	8
Florida Atlantic	3	62	20.7	47
Totals	5	67	13.4	47

Martin's 2010 Game-by-Game Statistics - Kick Returns

Opponent	NO.	YDS	AVG.	LG
Western Michigan	0	0	0.0	0
Florida Atlantic	4	89	22.3	46
Totals	4	89	22.3	46

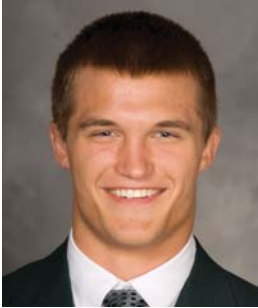


Chris McDONALD 62

RG | 6-5 | 295 | SO. | 1L
STERLING HEIGHTS, MICH.
HENRY FORD II

- Third-year player is in his first year as the starting right guard.
- Has appeared in six career games overall with two starts.
- Made his first career start at right guard in the season opener vs. Western Michigan; recorded three pancake blocks against the Broncos.
- Appeared in four games in 2009, primarily on special teams, to earn his first letter.

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**Jon
MISCH** **36**

LB | 6-3 | 207 | SR-5 | 3L
WATERFORD, MICH.
ORCHARD LAKE ST. MARY'S

- Fifth-year senior is the backup at sam linebacker, behind Eric Gordon.
- Has appeared in 34 career games with 56 tackles.
- Tallied three stops and recovered a fumble in the fourth quarter to preserve MSU's win over Florida Atlantic at Ford Field.
- Recorded three tackles in the season opener against Western Michigan.

CAREER HIGHS

Tackles..... 9, vs. UAB (9/1/07)
Tackles for loss..... 0.5, three times (last vs. Florida Atlantic, 9/11/10)
Sacks..... 0.5, vs. Bowling Green (9/8/07)

Misch's Career Statistics

Year	G/GS	UT	AT	TM	TFL	SACKS	INT	PBU	FR	FF
2007	12/2	9	13	22	0.5-1	0.5-1	0-0	0	0	0
2008	7/0	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
2009	13/2	13	15	28	1.5-4	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
2010	2/0	2	4	6	0.5-1	0-0	0-0	0	1-0	0
Totals	34/4	24	32	56	2.5-6	0.5-1	0-0	0	1-0	0

Misch's 2010 Game-by-Game Statistics

Opponent	UT	AT	TM	TFL	SACKS	INT	PBU	FR	FF
Western Michigan	1	2	3	-	-	-	-	-	-
Florida Atlantic	1	2	3	0.5-1	-	-	-	1-0	0
Totals	2	4	6	0.5-1	0-0	0	0	1-0	0



**Kevin
MUMA** **17**

K | 6-0 | 186 | R-FR. | RS
TROY, MICH. | TROY

- Second-year player is in his first-year handling the kickoff duties.

Muma's 2010 Game-by-Game Statistics - Kickoffs

Opponent	NO.	YDS	AVG.	TB	OB
Western Michigan	7	418	59.7	1	1
Florida Atlantic	7	450	64.3	1	0
Totals	14	868	62.0	2	1



**Colin
NEELY** **89**

DE | 6-1 | 258 | SR-5 | 3L
BETHLEHEM, PA. | FREEDOM

- Fifth-year senior is in his second season as a starting defensive end.
- Has appeared in 29 career games, including 17 starts, with 49 tackles.
- Leads team and ranks second in the Big Ten with four tackles for loss (21 yards); also leads team with 1.5 sacks (11 yards).
- Leads all Spartan defensive lineman with eight tackles.
- Collected a career-high three tackles for loss (16 yards) and had five tackles overall against Florida Atlantic at Ford Field.
- Recorded three tackles, including a 5-yard sack, in the season opener against Western Michigan.
- Did not participate in contact drills in spring practice (shoulder).

CAREER HIGHS

Tackles..... 6, vs. California (8/30/08)
Tackles for loss..... 3.0, vs. Florida Atlantic (9/11/10)
Sacks..... 1, three times (last vs. Western Michigan, 9/4/10)

Neely's Career Statistics

Year	G/GS	UT	AT	TM	TFL	SACKS	INT	PBU	FR	FF
2007	1/0	0	3	3	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
2008	13/3	7	7	14	2-5	0.5-2	0-0	0	0	0
2009	13/12	14	10	24	7-36	3-22	0-0	1	0	0
2010	2/2	3	5	8	4-21	1.5-11	0-0	0	0	0
Totals	29/17	24	25	49	13.5-62	5-35	0-0	0	0	0

Neely's 2010 Game-by-Game Statistics

Opponent	UT	AT	TM	TFL	SACKS	INT	PBU	FR	FF
Western Michigan	1	2	3	1-5	1-5	-	-	-	-
Florida Atlantic	2	3	5	3-16	0.5-6	-	-	-	-
Totals	3	5	8	4-21	1.5-11	0	0	0	0



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Keith NICHOL 7

WR | 6-2 | 222 | JR. | 1L
LOWELL, MICH. | LOWELL

- Third-year player is listed as one of the starting wide receivers.
- Made the transition from quarterback to wide receiver during Alamo Bowl practice and continued to take reps with the first team throughout the spring.
- Caught two passes for 32 yards, including his first career TD reception, a 20-yard grab, in the season opener against Western Michigan.
- Completed 49-of-91 passes (.538) for 764 yards, seven TDs and three interceptions as a quarterback in 2009.

CAREER HIGHS

Catches..... 2, twice (last vs. Western Michigan, 9/4/10)
 Receiving Yards..... 32, vs. Western Michigan (9/4/10)
 TD Catches..... 1, twice (last vs. Western Michigan, 9/4/10)

Nichol's Career Statistics - Receiving (MSU only)

Year	G/GS	REC.	YDS.	AVG.	TD	LG
2009	10/1	2	11	5.5	0	10
2010	2/1	2	32	16.0	0	20
Totals	12/2	4	43	10.8	0	20

Nichol's 2010 Game-by-Game Statistics - Receiving

Opponent	NO.	YDS	TD	LG
Western Michigan	2	32	1	20
Florida Atlantic	0	0	0	0
Totals	2	32	1	20



Chris NORMAN 10

LB | 6-1 | 220 | SO. | 1L
DETROIT, MICH. | RENAISSANCE

- Second-year player is the starter at star linebacker.
- Third on the team and eighth in the Big Ten with 18 tackles (9.0 avg.).
- Recorded a career-high 10 tackles playing in his hometown at Ford Field against Florida Atlantic.
- Had eight tackles in season opener against Western Michigan.
- Appeared in 13 games and compiled 11 tackles as a true freshman in 2009; only start came at Notre Dame.

CAREER HIGHS

Tackles..... 10, vs. Florida Atlantic (9/11/10)

Norman's Career Statistics

Year	G/GS	UT	AT	TM	TFL	SACKS	INT	PBU	FR	FF
2009	13/1	6	5	11	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
2010	2/2	5	13	18	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
Totals	15/3	11	18	29	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0

Norman's 2010 Game-by-Game Statistics

Opponent	UT	AT	TM	TFL	SACKS	INT	PBU	FR	FF
Western Michigan	1	7	8	-	-	-	-	-	-
Florida Atlantic	4	6	10	-	-	-	-	-	-
Totals	5	13	18	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0



Kevin PICKELMAN 96

NT | 6-4 | 285 | JR. | 2L
MARSHALL, MICH. | MARSHALL

- Fourth-year player listed as the starter at nose tackle.
- Has collected 30 career tackles in 27 career games.
- In two starts this season, has collected five tackles, including 1.5 for losses.
- Picked up two tackles, including a half sack for 5 yards, vs. Florida Atlantic at Ford Field.
- Recorded three tackles, including one for a 1-yard loss, in the season opener against Western Michigan.

CAREER HIGHS

Tackles..... 6, vs. Notre Dame (9/19/09)
 Tackles for loss..... 1.0, twice (last vs. Western Michigan, 9/4/10)
 Sacks..... 0.5, twice (last vs. Florida Atlantic, 9/11/10)

Pickelman's Career Statistics

Year	G/GS	UT	AT	TM	TFL	SACKS	INT	PBU	FR	FF
2008	13/0	2	3	5	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
2009	12/1	9	11	20	2-11	1.5-10	0-0	0	0	0
2010	2/2	2	3	5	1.5-6	0.5-5	0-0	0	0	0
Totals	27/3	13	17	30	3.5-17	2-15	0-0	0	0	0

Pickelman's 2010 Game-by-Game Statistics

Opponent	UT	AT	TM	TFL	SACKS	INT	PBU	FR	FF
Western Michigan	2	1	3	1.0-1	-	-	-	-	-
Florida Atlantic	0	2	2	0.5-5	0.5-5	-	-	-	-
Totals	2	3	5	0.5-5	0.5-5	0	0	0	0

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Trenton ROBINSON 39

S | 5-10 | 195 | JR. | 2L
BAY CITY, MICH.
BAY CITY CENTRAL

- Third-year player is the starter at free safety.
- Has appeared in 21 career games, including eight starts, with 86 career tackles.
- Fourth on the team with 13 tackles and tied for team lead with two pass break-ups.
- Tied career high with two pass break-ups and also had five tackles vs. Florida Atlantic at Ford Field.
- Recorded eight tackles against Western Michigan in the season opener.

CAREER HIGHS

Tackles..... 14, vs. Purdue (11/14/09)
Pass Break-Ups..... 2, twice (last vs. Florida Atlantic, 9/11/10)
Interception..... 1, vs. Notre Dame (9/19/09)

Robinson's Career Statistics

Year	G/GS	UT	AT	TM	TFL	SACKS	INT	PBU	FR	FF
2008	8/0	2	4	6	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
2009	11/7	37	30	67	0-0	0-0	1-0	2	0	0
2010	2/1	5	8	13	0-0	0-0	0-0	2	0	0
Totals	21/8	44	42	86	0-0	0-0	1-0	4	0	0

Robinson's 2010 Game-by-Game Statistics

Opponent	UT	AT	TM	TFL	SACKS	INT	PBU	FR	FF
Western Michigan	4	4	8	-	-	-	-	-	-
Florida Atlantic	1	4	5	-	-	-	2	-	-
Totals	5	8	13	0-0	0-0	0	2	0	0



Chris L. RUCKER 29

CB | 6-2 | 200 | SR. | 3L
WARREN, OHIO
WARREN G. HARDING

- Fourth-year player has played in 33 games, including 25 starts at cornerback.
- Career numbers include 139 tackles and 13 pass break-ups.
- Fifth on the team with 12 tackles, including two for losses (19 yards).
- Recorded five tackles, including one for an 11-yard loss, in the win over Florida Atlantic at Ford Field.
- Compiled seven tackles, including one for an 8-yard loss, and a pass break-up in the season opener against Western Michigan.

CAREER HIGHS

Tackles..... 9, vs. Notre Dame (9/20/08)
Tackles for Loss..... 1.5 (twice, last vs. Iowa, 10/4/08)
Interceptions..... 1 (four times, last vs. Michigan, 10/3/09)
Pass Break-ups..... 2, twice (last vs. Illinois, 10/10/09)

Rucker's Career Statistics

Year	G/GS	UT	AT	TM	TFL	SACKS	INT	PBU	FR	FF
2007	8/4	15	9	24	0-0	0-0	1-10	1	0	0
2008	11/9	31	14	45	4-18	1-11	2-4	4	0	1
2009	12/10	37	21	58	3-17	1-12	1-0	7	1-11	1
2010	2/2	7	5	12	2-19	0-0	0-0	1	0	0
Totals	33/25	90	49	139	9-54	2-23	4-14	13	1-11	2

Rucker's 2010 Game-by-Game Statistics

Opponent	UT	AT	TM	TFL	SACKS	INT	PBU	FR	FF
Western Michigan	4	3	7	1-8	0-0	0-0	1	0	0
Florida Atlantic	3	2	5	1-11	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
Totals	7	5	12	2-19	0-0	0-0	1	0	0



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John STIPEK 66

C | 6-5 | 285 | SR.-5 | 2L
MACOMB TOWNSHIP, MICH.
DAKOTA

- Fifth-year senior is in his first year as the starting center.
- Has seen action in 15 career games, including five starts at center.
- Started three games at center last year in place of injured starter Joel Nitchman and saw action in eight games overall.
- Converted defensive lineman made the transition to offense during the 2007 season.



Johnathan STRAYHORN 57

DE | 6-0 | 275 | JR. | 2L
DETROIT, MICH. | OAK PARK

- Fourth-year player will see time on the defensive front.
- Has appeared in 21 career games with 19 tackles.

CAREER HIGHS

Tackles.....4, twice (last vs. Minnesota, 10/31/09)
 Tackles for loss.....1, vs. Notre Dame (9/19/09)
 Sacks.....0.5, twice (last vs. Illinois, 10/10/09)

Strayhorn's Career Statistics

Year	G/GS	UT	AT	TM	TFL	SACKS	INT	PBU	FR	FF
2008	6/0	1	3	4	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
2009	13/0	6	7	13	2-8	1-7	0-0	0	1	0
2010	2/0	0	2	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
Totals	21/0	7	12	19	2-8	1-7	0-0	0	1	0

Strayhorn's 2010 Game-by-Game Statistics

Opponent	UT	AT	TM	TFL	SACKS	INT	PBU	FR	FF
Western Michigan	0	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
Florida Atlantic	0	0	0	-	-	-	-	-	-
Totals	0	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-



Anthony Rashad WHITE 98

DT | 6-2 | 320 | SO. | JC
BATTLE CREEK, MICH.
FORT SCOTT (KAN.) CC

- First-year player will see time on the defense front.
- Signed a letter of intent in February and has three years of eligibility remaining (three-for-three).
- Has five tackles this season.
- Tallied two stops, including a half tackle for loss, vs. Florida Atlantic at Ford Field.
- Recorded three tackles and a pass break-up in his Spartan debut in the season opener against Western Michigan.

CAREER HIGHS

Tackles.....3, vs. Western Michigan (9/4/10)

White's Career Statistics

Year	G/GS	UT	AT	TM	TFL	SACKS	INT	PBU	FR	FF
2010	2/0	1	4	5	0.5-0	0-0	0	1	0	0

White's 2010 Game-by-Game Statistics

Opponent	UT	AT	TM	TFL	SACKS	INT	PBU	FR	FF
Western Michigan	1	2	3	-	-	-	-	-	-
Florida Atlantic	0	2	2	0.5-0	-	-	-	-	-
Totals	1	4	5	0.5-0	0-0	0	1	0	0

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**Jerel
WORTHY 99**

DT | 6-3 | 305 | SO. | 1L
HUBER HEIGHTS, OHIO | WAYNE

- Powerful third-year player is in his second year as the starting defensive tackle.
- Has five tackles overall this season, including one for a loss.
- Tallied two stops vs. Florida Atlantic at Ford Field.
- Recorded three tackles in the season opener against Western Michigan, including one for a 4-yard loss; also had a pass break-up.
- Earned Freshman All-America honors in 2009 after recording 37 tackles, including nine for loss and 4.5 sacks.

CAREER HIGHS

Tackles..... 4, three times (last vs. Penn State, 11/21/09)
Tackles for loss..... 2, vs. Iowa (10/24/09)
Sacks..... 1.5, vs. Central Michigan (9/5/09)
Pass break-ups..... 2, vs. Wisconsin (9/26/09)

Worthy's Career Statistics

Year	G/GS	UT	AT	TM	TFL	SACKS	INT	PBU	FR	FF
2009	13/11	19	18	37	9-34	4.5-23	0	2	1-0	0
2010	2/2	3	2	5	1-4	0-0	0	1	0	0
Totals	15/13	22	20	42	10-35	4.5-23	0	3	1-0	0

Worthy's 2010 Game-by-Game Statistics

Opponent	UT	AT	TM	TFL	SACKS	INT	PBU	FR	FF
Western Michigan	1	2	3	1-4	0-0	-	1	-	-
Florida Atlantic	2	0	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
Totals	3	2	5	1-4	0-0	0	1	0	0



**D.J.
YOUNG 59**

LT | 6-5 | 298 | SR.-5 | 1L
LANSING, MICH.
BOWLING GREEN

- Fifth-year senior heads into his second year as a starter on the offensive line; made the switch from right tackle to left tackle during spring practice.
- Has started 13 consecutive games on the offensive line, including the last 11 games at right tackle in 2009.
- Converted defensive lineman is a transfer from Bowling Green and first started practicing with the Spartans in the spring of 2009.

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Team Statistics	MSU	OPP
SCORING	68	31
Points Per Game	34.0	15.5
FIRST DOWNS	36	36
Rushing	20	12
Passing	15	20
Penalty	1	4
RUSHING YARDAGE	522	130
Yards gained rushing	572	195
Yards lost rushing	50	65
Rushing Attempts	67	66
Average Per Rush	7.8	2.0
Average Per Game	261.0	65.0
TDs Rushing	6	1
PASSING YARDAGE	328	494
Comp-Att-Int	22-39-1	54-90-1
Average Per Pass	8.4	5.5
Average Per Catch	14.9	9.1
Average Per Game	164.0	247.0
TDs Passing	2	3
TOTAL OFFENSE	850	624
Total Plays	106	156
Average Per Play	8.0	4.0
Average Per Game	425.0	312.0
KICK RETURNS: #-Yards	6-131	10-184
PUNT RETURNS: #-Yards	6-75	6-36
INT RETURNS: #-Yards	1-10	1-0
KICK RETURN AVERAGE	21.8	18.4
PUNT RETURN AVERAGE	12.5	6.0
INT RETURN AVERAGE	10.0	0.0
FUMBLES-LOST	3-3	5-3
PENALTIES-Yards	15-112	16-110
Average Per Game	56.0	55.0
PUNTS-Yards	8-369	14-601
Average Per Punt	46.1	42.9
Net punt average	41.6	34.7
TIME OF POSSESSION/Game	24:16	35:44
3RD-DOWN Conversions	4/18	15/39
3rd-Down Pct	22%	38%
4TH-DOWN Conversions	0/0	4/6
4th-Down Pct	0%	67%
SACKS BY-Yards	3-20	3-26
MISC YARDS	0	0
TOUCHDOWNS SCORED	8	4
FIELD GOALS-ATTEMPTS	4-4	1-1
ON-SIDE KICKS	0-0	0-0
RED-ZONE SCORES	(5-6) 83%	(5-7) 71%
RED-ZONE TOUCHDOWNS	(4-6) 67%	(4-7) 57%
PAT-ATTEMPTS	(8-8) 100%	(4-4) 100%
ATTENDANCE	75769	0
Games/Avg Per Game	1/75769	0/0
Neutral Site Games		1/36124

Score by Quarters	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	OT	Total
Michigan State	17	31	14	6	0	68
Opponents	14	0	14	3	0	31

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<u>Rushing</u>	<u>gp</u>	<u>att</u>	<u>gain</u>	<u>loss</u>	<u>net</u>	<u>avg</u>	<u>td</u>	<u>lg</u>	<u>avg/g</u>
Baker, Edwin	2	32	302	2	300	9.4	3	80	150.0
Bell, Le'Veon	2	20	204	14	190	9.5	3	75	95.0
Martin, Keshawn	2	2	43	0	43	21.5	0	31	21.5
Fowler, Bennie	2	1	3	0	3	3.0	0	3	1.5
Hill, Nick	1	1	2	0	2	2.0	0	2	2.0
TEAM	2	3	0	8	-8	-2.7	0	0	-4.0
Cousins, Kirk	2	8	18	26	-8	-1.0	0	7	-4.0
Total	2	67	572	50	522	7.8	6	80	261.0
Opponents	2	66	195	65	130	2.0	1	18	65.0

<u>Passing</u>	<u>gp</u>	<u>effic</u>	<u>comp-att-int</u>	<u>pct</u>	<u>yds</u>	<u>td</u>	<u>lg</u>	<u>avg/g</u>
Cousins, Kirk	2	142.51	22-38-1	57.9	328	2	42	164.0
Maxwell, Andrew	1	0.00	0-1-0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Total	2	138.85	22-39-1	56.4	328	2	42	164.0
Opponents	2	114.88	54-90-1	60.0	494	3	41	247.0

<u>Receiving</u>	<u>gp</u>	<u>no.</u>	<u>yds</u>	<u>avg</u>	<u>td</u>	<u>lg</u>	<u>avg/g</u>
Dell, Mark	2	7	100	14.3	0	37	50.0
Cunningham, B.J.	2	3	46	15.3	1	30	23.0
Martin, Keshawn	2	2	53	26.5	0	42	26.5
Gantt, Charlie	2	2	49	24.5	0	35	24.5
Nichol, Keith	2	2	32	16.0	1	20	16.0
Celek, Garrett	1	2	17	8.5	0	15	17.0
Linthicum, Brian	2	2	13	6.5	0	12	6.5
Bell, Le'Veon	2	1	10	10.0	0	10	5.0
Fowler, Bennie	2	1	8	8.0	0	8	4.0
Total	2	22	328	14.9	2	42	164.0
Opponents	2	54	494	9.1	3	41	247.0

<u>Punt Returns</u>	<u>no.</u>	<u>yds</u>	<u>avg</u>	<u>td</u>	<u>lg</u>
Martin, Keshawn	5	67	13.4	0	47
Dell, Mark	1	8	8.0	0	8
Total	6	75	12.5	0	47
Opponents	6	36	6.0	0	12

<u>Interceptions</u>	<u>no.</u>	<u>yds</u>	<u>avg</u>	<u>td</u>	<u>lg</u>
Hyde, Marcus	1	10	10.0	0	10
Total	1	10	10.0	0	10
Opponents	1	0	0.0	0	0

<u>Kick Returns</u>	<u>no.</u>	<u>yds</u>	<u>avg</u>	<u>td</u>	<u>lg</u>
Martin, Keshawn	4	89	22.2	0	46
Robinson, Trenton	2	42	21.0	0	27
Total	6	131	21.8	0	46
Opponents	10	184	18.4	0	25

<u>Fumble Returns</u>	<u>no.</u>	<u>yds</u>	<u>avg</u>	<u>td</u>	<u>lg</u>
Total	0	0	0.0	0	0
Opponents	0	0	0.0	0	0

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Scoring	td	fg	PAT				dpx	saf	pts
			kick	rush	rcv	pass			
Conroy, Dan	-	4-4	8-8	-	-	-	-	-	20
Baker, Edwin	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	18
Bell, Le'Veon	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	18
Nichol, Keith	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Cunningham, B.J.	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Total	8	4-4	8-8	-	-	-	-	-	68
Opponents	4	1-1	4-4	-	-	-	-	-	31

Total Offense	g	plays	rush	pass	total	avg/g
Cousins, Kirk	2	46	-8	328	320	160.0
Baker, Edwin	2	32	300	0	300	150.0
Bell, Le'Veon	2	20	190	0	190	95.0
Martin, Keshawn	2	2	43	0	43	21.5
Fowler, Bennie	2	1	3	0	3	1.5
Hill, Nick	1	1	2	0	2	2.0
TEAM	2	3	-8	0	-8	-4.0
Total	2	106	522	328	850	425.0
Opponents	2	156	130	494	624	312.0

Field Goals	fg	pct.	01-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50-99	lg	blk
Conroy, Dan	4-4	100.0	0-0	0-0	1-1	2-2	1-1	50	0

Punting	no.	yds	avg	lg	tb	fc	i20	50+	blk
Bates, Aaron	8	369	46.1	57	0	1	0	2	0
Total	8	369	46.1	57	0	1	0	2	0
Opponents	14	601	42.9	62	2	1	4	2	0

FG Sequence	Michigan State	Opponents
Western Michigan	(33)	-
Florida Atlantic	(44),(41),(50)	(24)

Kickoffs	no.	yds	avg	tb	ob	retn	net	ydln
Muma, Kevin	14	868	62.0	2	1			
Total	14	868	62.0	2	1	18.4	46.0	24
Opponents	7	426	60.9	1	0	21.8	39.3	30

Numbers in (parentheses) indicate field goal was made.

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<u>All Purpose</u>	<u>g</u>	<u>rush</u>	<u>rcv</u>	<u>pr</u>	<u>kr</u>	<u>ir</u>	<u>total</u>	<u>avg/g</u>
Baker, Edwin	2	300	0	0	0	0	300	150.0
Martin, Keshawn	2	43	53	67	89	0	252	126.0
Bell, Le'Veon	2	190	10	0	0	0	200	100.0
Dell, Mark	2	0	100	8	0	0	108	54.0
Gantt, Charlie	2	0	49	0	0	0	49	24.5
Cunningham, B.	2	0	46	0	0	0	46	23.0
Robinson, Trent	2	0	0	0	42	0	42	21.0
Nichol, Keith	2	0	32	0	0	0	32	16.0
Celek, Garrett	1	0	17	0	0	0	17	17.0
Linthicum, Brian	2	0	13	0	0	0	13	6.5
Fowler, Bennie	2	3	8	0	0	0	11	5.5
Hyde, Marcus	2	0	0	0	0	10	10	5.0
Hill, Nick	1	2	0	0	0	0	2	2.0
Cousins, Kirk	2	-8	0	0	0	0	-8	-4.0
TEAM	2	-8	0	0	0	0	-8	-4.0
Total	2	522	328	75	131	10	1066	533.0
Opponents	2	130	494	36	184	0	844	422.0

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Michigan State Overall Defensive Statistics (as of Sep 11, 2010)
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##	Defensive Leaders	gp	Tackles			tfl/yds	Sacks no-yds	Pass defense			Fumbles		blkd	
			ua	a	tot			int-yds	brup	qbh	rcv-yds	ff	kick	saf
53	Jones, Greg	2	7	13	20	1.0-2	.	.	1	.	.	2	.	.
43	Gordon, Eric	2	7	12	19	1.5-5	1.0-4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
10	Norman, Chris	2	5	13	18	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
39	Robinson, Trenton	2	5	8	13	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.
29	Rucker, Chris L	2	7	5	12	2.0-19	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.
5	Adams, Johnny	2	5	4	9	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.
89	Neely, Colin	2	3	5	8	4.0-21	1.5-11	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
11	Hyde, Marcus	2	6	2	8	.	.	1-10	2	.	.	.	.	.
36	Misch, Jon	2	2	4	6	0.5-1	.	.	.	1	1-0	.	.	.
28	Allen, Denicos	2	2	4	6	.	.	.	.	.	1-0	.	.	.
99	Worthy, Jerel	2	3	2	5	1.0-4	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.
87	Anderson, Todd	2	1	4	5	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.
98	White,Anthony Rashad	2	1	4	5	0.5-0	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.
49	Hammock, TyQuan	2	3	2	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
96	Pickelman, Kevin	2	2	3	5	1.5-6	0.5-5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
2G	Gholston, William	2	1	3	4	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
40	Bullough, Max	2	.	4	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
32	White, Mitchell	2	2	2	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
52	Drone, Denzel	2	1	2	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
50	Gardiner, Steve	2	.	3	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
57	Strayhorn, Jonathan	2	.	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
13	Fowler, Bennie	2	.	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
91	Hoover, Tyler	2	.	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	1-0	.	.	.
97	France, Dan	1	1	1	2	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.
55	Freeman, Corey	1	2	.	2	1.0-2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
41	Elsworth, Kyler	2	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
23	Jones, Jairus	2	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
56	Shackleton, Alex	2	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
9	Lewis, Isaiah	1	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
12	Dixon, Dana	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Total		2	71	108	179	13-60	3-20	1-10	11	6	3-0	2	.	.
Opponents		2	48	74	122	5-40	3-26	1-0	4	1	3-0	2	.	.

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Michigan State Combined Team Statistics (as of Sep 11, 2010)
All games

Date	Opponent	Score	Att.	Record:	Overall	Home	Away	Neutral
Sep 04, 2010	WESTERN MICHIGAN	W 38-14	75769	All games	2-0	1-0	0-0	1-0
Sep 11, 2010	vs Florida Atlantic	W 30-17	36124	Conference	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0
				Non-Conference	2-0	1-0	0-0	1-0

Rushing	gp	att	gain	loss	net	avg	td	lg	avg/g
Baker, Edwin	2	32	302	2	300	9.4	3	80	150.0
Bell, Le'Veon	2	20	204	14	190	9.5	3	75	95.0
Martin, Keshawn	2	2	43	0	43	21.5	0	31	21.5
Fowler, Bennie	2	1	3	0	3	3.0	0	3	1.5
Hill, Nick	1	1	2	0	2	2.0	0	2	2.0
TEAM	2	3	0	8	-8	-2.7	0	0	-4.0
Cousins, Kirk	2	8	18	26	-8	-1.0	0	7	-4.0
Total	2	67	572	50	522	7.8	6	80	261.0
Opponents	2	66	195	65	130	2.0	1	18	65.0

Passing	gp	effic	comp-att-int	pct	yds	td	lg	avg/g
Cousins, Kirk	2	142.51	22-38-1	57.9	328	2	42	164.0
Maxwell, Andrew	1	0.00	0-1-0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Total	2	138.85	22-39-1	56.4	328	2	42	164.0
Opponents	2	114.88	54-90-1	60.0	494	3	41	247.0

Receiving	gp	no.	yds	avg	td	lg	avg/g
Dell, Mark	2	7	100	14.3	0	37	50.0
Cunningham, B.J.	2	3	46	15.3	1	30	23.0
Martin, Keshawn	2	2	53	26.5	0	42	26.5
Gantt, Charlie	2	2	49	24.5	0	35	24.5
Nichol, Keith	2	2	32	16.0	1	20	16.0
Celek, Garrett	1	2	17	8.5	0	15	17.0
Linthicum, Brian	2	2	13	6.5	0	12	6.5
Bell, Le'Veon	2	1	10	10.0	0	10	5.0
Fowler, Bennie	2	1	8	8.0	0	8	4.0
Total	2	22	328	14.9	2	42	164.0
Opponents	2	54	494	9.1	3	41	247.0

Field Goals	fg	pct.	01-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50-99	lg	blk
Conroy, Dan	4-4	100.0	0-0	0-0	1-1	2-2	1-1	50	0

Scoring	td	fg	PAT					pts
			kick	rush	rcv	pass	dxp		saf
Conroy, Dan	-	4-4	8-8	-	-	-	-	20
Bell, Le'Veon	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	18
Baker, Edwin	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	18
Nichol, Keith	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Cunningham, B.J.	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Total	8	4-4	8-8	-	-	-	-	68
Opponents	4	1-1	4-4	-	-	-	-	31

Score by Quarters	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	OT	Total
Michigan State	17	31	14	6	0	68
Opponents	14	0	14	3	0	31

Team Statistics	MSU	OPP
FIRST DOWNS	36	36
Rushing	20	12
Passing	15	20
Penalty	1	4
RUSHING YARDAGE	522	130
Rushing Attempts	67	66
Average Per Rush	7.8	2.0
Average Per Game	261.0	65.0
TDs Rushing	6	1
PASSING YARDAGE	328	494
Comp-Att-Int	22-39-1	54-90-1
Average Per Pass	8.4	5.5
Average Per Catch	14.9	9.1
Average Per Game	164.0	247.0
TDs Passing	2	3
TOTAL OFFENSE	850	624
Average Per Play	8.0	4.0
Average Per Game	425.0	312.0
KICK RETURNS: #-Yards	6-131	10-184
PUNT RETURNS: #-Yards	6-75	6-36
INT RETURNS: #-Yards	1-10	1-0
FUMBLES-LOST	3-3	5-3
PENALTIES-Yards	15-112	16-110
PUNTS-AVG	8-46.1	14-42.9
TIME OF POSSESSION/Game	24:16	35:44
3RD-DOWN Conversions	4/18	15/39
4TH-DOWN Conversions	0/0	4/6

Interceptions	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
Hyde, Marcus	1	10	10.0	0	10

Punting	no.	yds	avg	lg	tb	fc	i20	50+	blk
Bates, Aaron	8	369	46.1	57	0	1	0	2	0

Punt Returns	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
Martin, Keshawn	5	67	13.4	0	47
Dell, Mark	1	8	8.0	0	8
Total	6	75	12.5	0	47
Opponents	6	36	6.0	0	12

Kick Returns	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
Martin, Keshawn	4	89	22.2	0	46
Robinson, Trenton	2	42	21.0	0	27
Total	6	131	21.8	0	46
Opponents	10	184	18.4	0	25