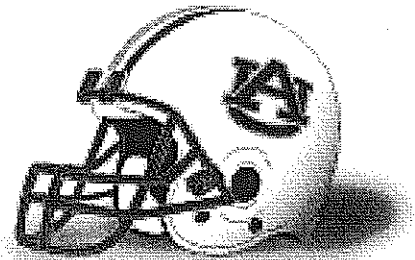


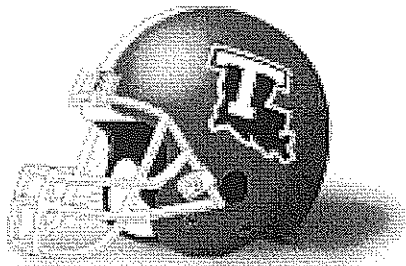
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AUBURN TIGERS



VS.



LOUISIANA TECH
BULLDOGS

PAT DYE FIELD
AT JORDAN-HARE STADIUM
AUBURN, ALA.
SEPTEMBER 5, 2009



Scoring Summary (Final)
2009 Auburn Football
Louisiana Tech vs Auburn (Sept 5, 2009 at Auburn, AL)

Louisiana Tech (0-1) vs. Auburn (1-0)

Date: Sept 5, 2009 • Site: Auburn, AL • Stadium: Jordan-Hare

Attendance: 81143

Score by Quarters	1	2	3	4	Total
Louisiana Tech	7	3	3	0	13
Auburn	10	3	10	14	37

Qtr	Time	Scoring Play	V-H
1st	09:24	AU - Wes Byrum 25 yd field goal, 13-69 5:36	0 - 3
	05:00	TECH - Morris,Dennis 19 yd pass from Jenkins,Ross (Nelson,Matt kick), 8-72 4:24	7 - 3
	01:33	AU - Kodi Burns 1 yd run (Wes Byrum kick), 10-66 3:27	7 - 10
2nd	00:23	TECH - Nelson,Matt 20 yd field goal, 18-90 6:44	10 - 10
	00:00	AU - Wes Byrum 49 yd field goal, 3-29 0:23	10 - 13
3rd	10:59	AU - Terrell Zachery 93 yd pass from Chris Todd (Wes Byrum kick), 3-98 0:48	10 - 20
	04:28	AU - Wes Byrum 47 yd field goal, 7-22 1:36	10 - 23
	00:52	TECH - Nelson,Matt 46 yd field goal, 7-40 3:36	13 - 23
4th	12:45	AU - Darvin Adams 17 yd pass from Chris Todd (Wes Byrum kick), 9-72 3:07	13 - 30
	05:27	AU - O. McCalebb 3 yd run (Wes Byrum kick), 13-65 5:02	13 - 37

Kickoff time: 6:06 pm • End of Game: 9:25 pm • Total elapsed time: 3:19

Officials: Referee: Steve Shaw; Umpire: Brent Sowell; Linesman: Tim Sistrunk;

Line judge: Jim Kelley; Back judge: Rich Martinez; Field judge: M. Washington;

Side judge: Chip Shields;

Temperature: 84 • Wind: E 7 mph • Weather: Partly Cloudy

Team Statistics (Final)
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	TECH	AU
FIRST DOWNS	19	27
Rushing	6	17
Passing	8	9
Penalty	5	1
NET YARDS RUSHING	96	301
Rushing Attempts	37	52
Average Per Rush	2.6	5.8
Rushing Touchdowns	0	2
Yards Gained Rushing	131	303
Yards Lost Rushing	35	2
NET YARDS PASSING	149	255
Completions-Attempts-Int	18-33-1	17-27-0
Average Per Attempt	4.5	9.4
Average Per Completion	8.3	15.0
Passing Touchdowns	1	2
TOTAL OFFENSE YARDS	245	556
Total offense plays	70	79
Average Gain Per Play	3.5	7.0
Fumbles: Number-Lost	3-1	3-2
Penalties: Number-Yards	3-30	8-87
PUNTS-YARDS	6-230	2-82
Average Yards Per Punt	38.3	41.0
Net Yards Per Punt	39.3	41.0
Inside 20	1	1
50+ Yards	0	0
Touchbacks	0	0
Fair catch	0	1
KICKOFFS-YARDS	4-228	7-459
Average Yards Per Kickoff	57.0	65.6
Net Yards Per Kickoff	39.0	45.4
Touchbacks	0	0
Punt returns: Number-Yards-TD	0-0-0	2--6-0
Average Per Return	0.0	-3.0
Kickoff returns: Number-Yds-TD	7-141-0	4-72-0
Average Per Return	20.1	18.0
Interceptions: Number-Yds-TD	0-0-0	1-0-0
Fumble Returns: Number-Yds-TD	0-0-0	0-0-0
Miscellaneous Yards	0	0
Possession Time	31:23	28:37
1st Quarter	5:57	9:03
2nd Quarter	10:46	4:14
3rd Quarter	8:28	6:32
4th Quarter	6:12	8:48
Third-Down Conversions	5 of 14	8 of 13
Fourth-Down Conversions	1 of 1	0 of 0
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	2-2	4-5
Sacks By: Number-Yards	0-0	3-14
PAT Kicks	1-1	4-4
Field Goals	2-2	3-3

Individual Statistics (Final)
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Louisiana Tech

Rushing	No.	Gain	Loss	Net	TD	Lg	Avg
Porter, Daniel	17	60	4	56	0	10	3.3
Jenkins, Ross	10	55	19	36	0	33	3.6
Morrow, D.J.	1	6	0	6	0	6	6.0
Duplessis, T.	5	7	1	6	0	4	1.2
Compton, Myke	1	2	0	2	0	2	2.0
Livas, Phillip	1	1	0	1	0	1	1.0
Fitte, Lyle	1	0	2	-2	0	0	-2.0
TEAM	1	0	9	-9	0	0	-9.0
Totals	37	131	35	96	0	33	2.6

Passing	C-A-I	Yds	TD	Long	Sack
Jenkins, Ross	18-33-1	149	1	19	3
Totals	18-33-1	149	1	19	3

Receiving	No.	Yards	TD	Long
Livas, Phillip	5	43	0	14
Tuminello, H.	3	26	0	12
Morris, Dennis	2	30	1	19
Fitte, Lyle	2	17	0	12
Porter, Daniel	2	13	0	11
Mitchell, Dustin	1	8	0	8
Stuart, R.P.	1	7	0	7
Linwood, Adrian	1	5	0	5
Morrow, D.J.	1	0	0	0
Totals	18	149	1	19

Punting	No.	Yds	Avg	Long	In20	TB
Glasgow, Cade	6	230	38.3	49	1	0
Totals	6	230	38.3	49	1	0

Returns	Punt			Kickoff			Intercept		
	No	Yds	Lg	No	Yds	Lg	No	Yds	Lg
Duplessis, T.	0	0	0	1	20	20	0	0	0
Livas, Phillip	0	0	0	6	121	27	0	0	0
Totals	0	0	0	7	141	27	0	0	0

Field goals	Qtr	Time	Dist	Result
Nelson, Matt	2nd	00:23	20 yards	Good
Nelson, Matt	3rd	00:52	46 yards	Good

Kickoffs	No.	Yards	Avg	TB	OB
Nelson, Matt	4	228	57.0	0	0

All-purpose	Run	Rcv	KR	PR	IR	Total
Livas, Phillip	1	43	121	0	0	165
Porter, Daniel	56	13	0	0	0	69
Jenkins, Ross	36	0	0	0	0	36
Morris, Dennis	0	30	0	0	0	30

Auburn

Rushing	No.	Gain	Loss	Net	TD	Lg	Avg
O. McCalebb	22	148	0	148	1	14	6.7
Ben Tate	20	118	1	117	0	16	5.8
Kodi Burns	8	24	1	23	1	11	2.9
Terrell Zachery	1	10	0	10	0	10	10.0
Chris Todd	1	3	0	3	0	3	3.0
Totals	52	303	2	301	2	16	5.8

Passing	C-A-I	Yds	TD	Long	Sack
Chris Todd	17-26-0	255	2	93	0
Kodi Burns	0-1-0	0	0	0	0
Totals	17-27-0	255	2	93	0

Receiving	No.	Yards	TD	Long
Mario Fannin	8	82	0	26
Darvin Adams	4	65	1	28
Terrell Zachery	3	98	1	93
Ben Tate	2	10	0	6
Totals	17	255	2	93

Punting	No.	Yds	Avg	Long	In20	TB
Clinton Durst	2	82	41.0	47	1	0
Totals	2	82	41.0	47	1	0

Returns	Punt			Kickoff			Intercept		
	No	Yds	Lg	No	Yds	Lg	No	Yds	Lg
Anthony Gulley	1	-1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mario Fannin	1	-5	0	1	16	16	0	0	0
Tommy Trott	0	0	0	1	7	7	0	0	0
Daren Bates	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
O. McCalebb	0	0	0	2	49	26	0	0	0
Totals	2	-6	0	4	72	26	1	0	0

Field goals	Qtr	Time	Dist	Result
Wes Byrum	1st	09:24	25 yards	Good
Wes Byrum	2nd	00:00	49 yards	Good
Wes Byrum	3rd	04:28	47 yards	Good

Kickoffs	No.	Yards	Avg	TB	OB
Wes Byrum	4	259	64.8	0	0
Morgan Hull	3	200	66.7	0	0

All-purpose	Run	Rcv	KR	PR	IR	Total
O. McCalebb	148	0	49	0	0	197
Ben Tate	117	10	0	0	0	127
Terrell Zachery	10	98	0	0	0	108
Mario Fannin	0	82	16	-5	0	93

FUMBLES: Louisiana Tech-Jenkins, Ross 2-1; TEAM 1-0. Auburn-Darvin Adams 1-1; Ben Tate 1-1; Mario Fannin 1-0.

Defensive Statistics (Final)
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##	Louisiana Tech	Solo	Ast	Total	Sacks-Yds	TFL-Yds	FF	FR-Yds	Int-Yds	BrUp	Blks	QBH
44	Cole,Adrien	3	7	10	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	1
28	Carter,Terry	6	2	8	-	1.0-1	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Calais,Tank	3	5	8	-	1.0-1	-	-	-	-	-	-
34	Baker,Antonio	4	3	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
24	Paige,Olawon	4	2	6	-	-	-	1-0	-	1	-	-
45	Dudley,Jay	4	1	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
56	Randle,Solomon	2	2	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
21	Faust,Dominique	2	2	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
25	Young,Deon	1	3	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
93	Lacey,Christian	1	3	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	Smith,D'Anthony	2	1	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
83	Logan,Adrian	1	2	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
40	Washington,K.	2	0	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
94	Randle,Ramone	2	0	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
91	Broha,Matt	1	1	2	-	-	-	1-0	-	-	-	-
26	Compton,Myke	1	1	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
15	Victorian,Josh	1	0	1	-	1.0-6	-	-	-	1	-	-
8	Simmons,Shawn	1	0	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
39	Falls,Roosevelt	1	0	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
85	Grigsby,Randy	1	0	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
43	Mitchell,Dustin	1	0	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
90	Hitt,Mason	1	0	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
49	Morris,Dennis	0	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Totals		45	36	81	0.0-0	3.0-8	2	2-0	0-0	2	0	2

##	Auburn	Solo	Ast	Total	Sacks-Yds	TFL-Yds	FF	FR-Yds	Int-Yds	BrUp	Blks	QBH
46	Craig Stevens	6	2	8	1.0-2	1.5-3	-	-	-	1	-	2
4	Zac Etheridge	6	2	8	-	0.5-2	-	-	-	-	-	1
17	Josh Bynes	5	3	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
52	Antonio Coleman	4	3	7	1.0-7	2.5-10	-	-	-	-	-	1
91	Jake Ricks	3	3	6	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	1
90	Nick Fairley	2	3	5	-	0.5-0	-	1-0	-	-	-	2
15	Neiko Thorpe	3	0	3	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-
25	Daren Bates	1	2	3	-	-	-	-	1-0	-	-	-
11	Mike Slade	1	2	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
31	Adam Herring	2	0	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
20	Drew Cole	1	1	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
32	D. Washington	1	1	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
6	Walter McFadden	1	1	2	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-
93	Mike Blanc	1	1	2	1.0-5	1.0-5	-	-	-	-	-	-
49	Michael Goggans	1	1	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
2D	Gabe Barrett	1	0	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9A	Chris Humphries	1	0	1	-	1.0-1	-	-	-	-	-	-
58	Harris Gaston	1	0	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
22	T'Sharvan Bell	1	0	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
95	Dee Ford	0	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
36	W. Christopher	0	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
35	Jonathan Evans	0	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Totals		42	28	70	3.0-14	7.0-21	1	1-0	1-0	3	0	11

Participation Report (Final)
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Louisiana Tech

Pos	##	OFFENSE
U	43	Mitchell,Dustin
LT	74	McGill,Rob
LG	62	Harris,Ben
C	60	Roberts,Lon
RG	67	Miles,Jared
RT	76	Harmon,Cudahy
TE	49	Morris,Dennis
QB	11	Jenkins,Ross
RB	20	Porter,Daniel
Z	19	Stuart,R.P.
Z	18	Linwood,Adrian

Pos	##	DEFENSE
LE	91	Broha,Matt
LT	90	Hitt,Mason
RE	97	Jordan,Kwame
RT	5	Smith,D'Anthony
WILL	21	Faust,Dominique
MIKE	44	Cole,Adrien
SAM	45	Dudley,Jay
RC	28	Carter,Terry
SS	25	Young,Deon
FS	34	Baker,Antonio
LC	25	Young,Deon

Auburn

Pos	##	OFFENSE
TE	5	Tommy Trott
QB	12	Chris Todd
RB	27	Mario Fannin
RB	44	Ben Tate
C	50	Ryan Pugh
OG	57	Byron Isom
OG	66	Mike Berry
OT	73	Lee Ziemba
OT	75	Andrew McCain
WR	81	Terrell Zachery
WR	89	Darvin Adams

Pos	##	DEFENSE
S	4	Zac Etheridge
CB	6	Walter McFadden
CB	15	Neiko Thorpe
S	25	Daren Bates
LB	31	Adam Herring
LB	46	Craig Stevens
DE	49	Michael Goggans
DE	52	Antonio Coleman
DT	90	Nick Fairley
DT	91	Jake Ricks
LB	17	Josh Bynes

Louisiana Tech: 2-Fitte,Lyle, 4-Calais,Tank, 6-Livas,Phillip, 8-Simmons,Shawn, 9-Williams,Cruz, 14-Glasgow,Cade, 15-Victorian,Josh, 22-Duplessis,T., 23-Morrow,D.J., 24-Paige,Olawajon, 26-Compton,Myke, 27-Giles,Quinn, 33-Nelson,Matt, 36-White,Brian, 39-Falls,Roosevelt, 40-Washington,K., 48-Rust,Dusty, 52-Graham,Thomas, 56-Randle,Solomon, 63-Warner,Stephen, 80-Tuminello,H., 83-Logan,Adrian, 85-Grigsby,Randy, 89-Spence,Chandler, 93-Lacey,Christian, 94-Randle,Ramone, 98-Harper,Eric.

Auburn: 1A-Wes Byrum, 2D-Gabe Barrett, 2C-Anthony Gulley, 3-DeAngelo Benton, 8-Harry Adams, 9-Quindarius Carr, 9B-Derrick Lykes, 9A-Chris Humphries, 11-Mike Slade, 18-Kodi Burns, 19-Neil Caudle, 20-Drew Cole, 22-T'Sharvan Bell, 23-O. McCaleb, 30-John Douglas, 32-D. Washington, 35-Jonathan Evans, 36-W. Christopher, 37-Morgan Hull, 43-Lutzenkirchen, 53-Bart Eddins, 55-Vance Smith, 56-A. Richardson, 58-Harris Gaston, 61-Josh Harris, 71-John Sullen, 76-Jorell Bostrom, 78-Darrell Roseman, 79-Jared Cooper, 80-Emory Blake, 82-Jay Wisner, 83-Gabe McKenzie, 85-T. Stallworth, 87-Derek Winter, 93-Mike Blanc, 95-Dee Ford, 96-Clayton Crofoot, 97-Clinton Durst.

Drive Chart (By Quarter) (Final)
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Team	Qtr	Drive Started			Drive Ended			Consumed	
		Spot	Time	Obtained	Spot	Time	How lost	PI - Yds	TOP
AU	1st	A23	15:00	Kickoff	T08	09:24	*FIELD GOAL	13 - 69	5:36
TECH		T28	09:24	Kickoff	A00	05:00	*TOUCHDOWN	8 - 72	4:24
AU		A34	05:00	Kickoff	T00	01:33	*TOUCHDOWN	10 - 66	3:27
TECH		T25	01:33	Kickoff	A48	11:32	Punt	9 - 27	5:01
AU	2nd	A11	11:32	Punt	A30	09:17	Punt	5 - 19	2:15
TECH		T23	09:17	Punt	T32	08:43	Fumble	2 - 9	0:34
AU		T32	08:43	Fumble	T06	07:07	Fumble	5 - 26	1:36
TECH		T07	07:07	Fumble	A03	00:23	*FIELD GOAL	18 - 90	6:44
AU		A39	00:23	Kickoff	T32	15:00	*FIELD GOAL	3 - 29	0:23
TECH	3rd	T25	15:00	Kickoff	T26	13:50	Punt	3 - 1	1:10
AU		A25	13:50	Punt	T47	12:53	Fumble	4 - 28	0:57
TECH		T47	12:53	Fumble	A35	11:47	Interception	4 - 18	1:06
AU		A02	11:47	Interception	T00	10:59	*TOUCHDOWN	3 - 98	0:48
TECH		T18	10:59	Kickoff	T21	09:59	Punt	3 - 3	1:00
AU		A31	09:59	Punt	T49	07:40	Punt	7 - 20	2:19
TECH		T14	07:40	Punt	T19	06:04	Punt	3 - 5	1:36
AU		A48	06:04	Punt	T30	04:28	*FIELD GOAL	7 - 22	1:36
TECH		T31	04:28	Kickoff	A29	00:52	*FIELD GOAL	7 - 40	3:36
AU		A28	00:52	Kickoff	T00	12:45	*TOUCHDOWN	9 - 72	3:07
TECH	4th	T15	12:45	Kickoff	T36	10:29	Punt	7 - 21	2:16
AU		A35	10:29	Punt	T00	05:27	*TOUCHDOWN	13 - 65	5:02
TECH		T20	05:27	Kickoff	T36	01:31	Punt	8 - 16	3:56
AU		A24	01:31	Punt	T45	00:00	End of half	3 - 31	1:31

Play-by-Play Summary (1st quarter)

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Auburn wins the toss & will receive. Tech will defend the north goal.

1-10	Tech 30	TECH ball on TECH30.	
		Nelson,Matt kickoff 63 yards to the AU7, Mario Fannin return 16 yards to the AU23 (Morris,Dennis;Compton,Myke).	
1-10	AU 23	Ben Tate rush over right end for 8 yards to the AU31 (Faust,Dominique;Broha,Matt).	
2-2	AU 31	Terrell Zachery rush over left end for 10 yards to the AU41, 1ST DOWN AU (Smith,D'Anthony).	R1
1-10	AU 41	O. McCalebb rush over right end for 9 yards to the 50 yardline (Young,Deon;Baker,Antonio).	
2-1	AU 50	O. McCalebb rush over right end for 2 yards to the TECH48, 1ST DOWN AU (Smith,D'Anthony).	R2
1-10	Tech 48	Ben Tate rush up middle for 4 yards to the TECH44 (Cole,Adrien;Lacey,Christian).	
2-6	Tech 44	Chris Todd rush over right guard for 3 yards to the TECH41 (Washington,K.).	
3-3	Tech 41	Chris Todd RSL pass incomplete, QB hurry by Logan,Adrian, QB hurry by Grigsby,Randy, PENALTY TECH personal foul (Logan,Adrian) 15 yards to the TECH26, 1ST DOWN AU, NO PLAY.	X3
1-10	Tech 26	Ben Tate rush over right end for loss of 1 yard to the TECH27 (Carter,Terry).	
2-11	Tech 27	Chris Todd RSL pass complete to Darvin Adams for 10 yards to the TECH17, out-of-bounds (Carter,Terry).	
3-1	Tech 17	Ben Tate rush over right end for 5 yards to the TECH12, 1ST DOWN AU (Carter,Terry).	R4
1-10	Tech 12	Ben Tate rush over right guard for 4 yards to the TECH8 (Randle,Ramone).	
2-6	Tech 08	PENALTY AU false start (Lee Ziemba) 5 yards to the TECH13.	
2-11	Tech 13	O. McCalebb rush over right guard for 5 yards to the TECH8 (Randle,Ramone).	
3-6	Tech 08	Chris Todd RSL pass incomplete to Darvin Adams.	
4-6	Tech 08	Wes Byrum field goal attempt from 25 GOOD, clock 09:24.	

Auburn 3, Louisiana Tech 0

13 plays, 69 yards, 5:36

Wes Byrum kickoff 69 yards to the TECH1, Livas,Phillip return 27 yards to the TECH28 (Craig Stevens).

LOUISIANA TECH drive start at 09:24.

1-10	Tech 28	Porter,Daniel rush over left end for no gain to the TECH28 (Jake Ricks).	
2-10	Tech 28	Jenkins,Ross RF pass complete to Livas,Phillip for 14 yards to the TECH42, 1ST DOWN TECH (Adam Herring).	P1
1-10	Tech 42	TEAM rush for loss of 9 yards to the TECH33, fumble by TEAM recovered by TECH Jenkins,Ross at TECH33.	
2-19	Tech 33	Porter,Daniel rush over left end for 3 yards to the TECH36 (Josh Bynes).	
3-16	Tech 36	Jenkins,Ross RSL pass incomplete to Tuminello,H., PENALTY AU pass interference (Walter McFadden) 15 yards to the AU49, 1ST DOWN TECH, NO PLAY.	X2
1-10	AU 49	Compton,Myke rush over left tackle for 2 yards to the AU47 (Nick Fairley).	
2-8	AU 47	Livas,Phillip rush over right end for 1 yard to the AU46 (Zac Etheridge), PENALTY AU personal foul (Zac Etheridge) 15 yards to the AU31, 1ST DOWN TECH.	X3
1-10	AU 31	1st and 10.	
1-10	AU 31	Livas,Phillip rush over right end for 2 yards to the AU29 (Jake Ricks), PENALTY AU face mask (Michael Goggans) 15 yards to the AU16, 1ST DOWN TECH, NO PLAY.	X4
1-10	AU 16	Porter,Daniel rush over left end for loss of 3 yards to the AU19 (Zac Etheridge;Craig Stevens).	
2-13	AU 19	Jenkins,Ross middle pass complete to Morris,Dennis for 19 yards to the AU0, 1ST DOWN TECH, TOUCHDOWN, clock 05:00.	P5
1-G	AU 03	Nelson,Matt kick attempt good.	

Louisiana Tech 7, Auburn 3

8 plays, 72 yards, 4:24

Nelson,Matt kickoff 62 yards to the AU8, O. McCalebb return 26 yards to the AU34 (Falls,Roosevelt).

AUBURN drive start at 05:00.

1-10	AU 34	Chris Todd RF pass complete to Mario Fannin for 4 yards to the AU38 (Carter,Terry;Calais,Tank).	
2-6	AU 38	Ben Tate rush over right guard for 5 yards to the AU43 (Lacey,Christian;Logan,Adrian).	
3-1	AU 43	Ben Tate rush up middle for 4 yards to the AU47, 1ST DOWN AU (Faust,Dominique).	R5
1-10	AU 47	Chris Todd middle pass complete to Mario Fannin for 26 yards to the TECH27, 1ST DOWN AU (Baker,Antonio).	P6
1-10	Tech 27	Kodi Burns rush over right guard for 6 yards to the TECH21 (Dudley,Jay).	
2-4	Tech 21	Ben Tate rush up middle for 9 yards to the TECH12, 1ST DOWN AU, out-of-bounds (Baker,Antonio).	R7
1-10	Tech 12	Kodi Burns rush up middle for no gain to the TECH12 (Lacey,Christian;Cole,Adrien).	
2-10	Tech 12	Kodi Burns rush up middle for 3 yards to the TECH9 (Calais,Tank;Randle,Solomon).	
3-7	Tech 09	Timeout Auburn, clock 01:55.	
3-7	Tech 09	Chris Todd RSL pass complete to Mario Fannin for 8 yards to the TECH1, 1ST DOWN AU (Carter,Terry).	P8
1-G	Tech 01	Kodi Burns rush up middle for 1 yard to the TECH0, TOUCHDOWN, clock 01:33.	
1-G	Tech 03	Wes Byrum kick attempt good.	

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10 plays, 66 yards, 3:27

Play-by-Play Summary (1st quarter)
Louisiana Tech vs Auburn (Sept 5, 2009 at Auburn, AL)

Wes Byrum kickoff 67 yards to the TECH3, Livas,Phillip return 22 yards to the TECH25
(Daren Bates;Mike Slade).

LOUISIANA TECH drive start at 01:33.

- 1-10 Tech 25 Jenkins,Ross RF pass complete to Livas,Phillip for 7 yards to the TECH32, out-of-bounds.
- 2-3 Tech 32 Porter,Daniel rush up middle for 5 yards to the TECH37, 1ST DOWN TECH (Jake Ricks).
- 1-10 Tech 37 Jenkins,Ross LF pass complete to Livas,Phillip for 8 yards to the TECH45 (Walter McFadden).
- 2-2 Tech 45 Porter,Daniel rush up middle for 1 yard to the TECH46 (Antonio Coleman).

R6

END OF 1st QUARTER: Auburn 10, Louisiana Tech 7

Quarter Summary	Score	Time Poss	1st Downs				Conversions		Rushing	Passing	Penalties
			R	P	X	T	3rd	4th			
Louisiana Tech	7	05:57	1	2	3	6	0-0	0-0	8-0	4-4-0-48	1-15
Auburn	10	09:03	5	2	1	8	3-4	0-0	17-77	4-5-0-48	4-50

Quickie Statistics (1st quarter)
Louisiana Tech vs Auburn (Sept 5, 2009 at Auburn, AL)

	TECH	AU
Score	7	10
FIRST DOWNS	6	8
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	8-0	17-77
PASSING YDS (NET)	48	48
Passes Att-Comp-Int	4-4-0	5-4-0
TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS	12-48	22-125
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punt Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Kickoff Returns-Yards	2-49	2-42
Interception Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punts (Number-Avg)	0-0.0	0-0.0
Fumbles-Lost	1-0	0-0
Penalties-Yards	1-15	4-50
Possession Time	05:57	09:03
Third-Down Conversions	0 of 0	3 of 4
Fourth-Down Conversions	0 of 0	0 of 0

Louisiana Tech

Rushing	No.	Gain	Loss	Net	TD	Lg	Avg
Porter, Daniel	5	9	3	6	0	5	1.2
Compton, Myke	1	2	0	2	0	2	2.0
Livas, Phillip	1	1	0	1	0	1	1.0
TEAM	1	0	9	-9	0	0	-9.0

Passing	C-A-I	Yds	TD	Long	Sack
Jenkins, Ross	4-4-0	48	1	19	0

Receiving	No.	Yards	TD	Long
Livas, Phillip	3	29	0	14
Morris, Dennis	1	19	1	19

Punting	No.	Yds	Avg	Long	In20	TB
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Punt Returns	No.	Yards	TD	Long
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Kick Returns	No.	Yards	TD	Long
Livas, Phillip	2	49	0	27

Tackles	UA-A	Total	Sacks	TFL
Carter, Terry	4-1	5	0.0	1.0
Baker, Antonio	2-1	3	0.0	0.0
Lacey, Christian	0-3	3	0.0	0.0
Smith, D'Anthony	2-0	2	0.0	0.0

Auburn

Rushing	No.	Gain	Loss	Net	TD	Lg	Avg
Ben Tate	8	39	1	38	0	9	4.8
O. McCalebb	3	16	0	16	0	9	5.3
Terrell Zachery	1	10	0	10	0	10	10.0
Kodi Burns	4	10	0	10	1	6	2.5

Passing	C-A-I	Yds	TD	Long	Sack
Chris Todd	4-5-0	48	0	26	0

Receiving	No.	Yards	TD	Long
Mario Fannin	3	38	0	26
Darvin Adams	1	10	0	10

Punting	No.	Yds	Avg	Long	In20	TB
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Punt Returns	No.	Yards	TD	Long
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Kick Returns	No.	Yards	TD	Long
Mario Fannin	1	16	0	16
O. McCalebb	1	26	0	26

Tackles	UA-A	Total	Sacks	TFL
Jake Ricks	2-0	2	0.0	0.0
Craig Stevens	1-1	2	0.0	1.0
Zac Etheridge	1-1	2	0.0	1.0
Josh Bynes	1-0	1	0.0	0.0

Qtr	Time	Scoring Play	V-H
1st	09:24	AU - Wes Byrum 25 yd field goal, 13-69 5:36	0 - 3
	05:00	TECH - Morris, Dennis 19 yd pass from Jenkins, Ross (Nelson, Matt kick), 8-72 4:24	7 - 3
	01:33	AU - Kodi Burns 1 yd run (Wes Byrum kick), 10-66 3:27	7 - 10

Play-by-Play Summary (2nd quarter)

Louisiana Tech vs Auburn (Sept 5, 2009 at Auburn, AL)

3-1	Tech 46	Start of 2nd quarter, clock 15:00.	
3-1	Tech 46	Jenkins,Ross rush quarterback sneak for no gain to the TECH46 (Josh Bynes).	
4-1	Tech 46	Porter,Daniel rush over left guard for 10 yards to the AU44, 1ST DOWN TECH (Zac Etheridge).	R7
1-10	AU 44	PENALTY TECH false start (Miles,Jared) 5 yards to the AU49.	
1-15	AU 49	Jenkins,Ross sacked for loss of 2 yards to the TECH49 (Craig Stevens).	
2-17	Tech 49	Porter,Daniel rush over right guard for 3 yards to the AU48 (Antonio Coleman).	
3-14	AU 48	Jenkins,Ross middle pass complete to Morrow,D.J. for no gain to the AU48 (D. Washington;Craig Stevens), QB hurry by Michael Goggans, QB hurry by Jake Ricks.	
4-14	AU 48	Glasgow,Cade punt 32 yards to the AU16, Mario Fannin return -5 yards to the AU11, Mario Fannin for no gain to the AU11, fumble by Mario Fannin recovered by AU Chris Humphries at AU11.	
<i>9 plays, 27 yards, 5:01</i>			
AUBURN drive start at 11:32, AU ball on AU11.			
1-10	AU 11	O. McCalebb rush over left guard for 4 yards to the AU15 (Hitt,Mason).	
2-6	AU 15	O. McCalebb rush up middle for 11 yards to the AU26, 1ST DOWN AU (Young,Deon;Cole,Adrien).	R9
1-10	AU 26	Chris Todd RDSL pass incomplete to DeAngelo Benton.	
2-10	AU 26	Timeout Louisiana Tech, clock 10:23.	
2-10	AU 26	Chris Todd RSL pass incomplete to Darvin Adams.	
3-10	AU 26	Chris Todd middle pass complete to Ben Tate for 4 yards to the AU30 (Randle,Solomon).	
4-6	AU 30	Clinton Durst punt 47 yards to the TECH23, downed.	
<i>5 plays, 19 yards, 2:15</i>			
LOUISIANA TECH drive start at 09:17.			
1-10	Tech 23	Jenkins,Ross middle pass complete to Tuminello,H. for 9 yards to the TECH32 (Josh Bynes).	
2-1	Tech 32	Jenkins,Ross rush up middle for no gain to the TECH32, fumble forced by Jake Ricks, fumble by Jenkins,Ross recovered by AU Nick Fairley at TECH32.	
<i>2 plays, 9 yards, 0:34</i>			
AUBURN drive start at 08:43.			
1-10	Tech 32	Chris Todd RSL pass incomplete to Mario Fannin.	
2-10	Tech 32	Ben Tate rush over right end for 9 yards to the TECH23 (Dudley,Jay).	
<i>Ben Tate's 9-yd rush gives him 2006 career rushing yards.</i>			
3-1	Tech 23	Kodi Burns rush over right guard for 11 yards to the TECH12, 1ST DOWN AU (Baker,Antonio).	R10
1-10	Tech 12	Kodi Burns rush over right end for 1 yard to the TECH11 (Dudley,Jay;Logan,Adrian).	
2-9	Tech 11	Ben Tate rush over right guard for 5 yards to the TECH6, fumble forced by Cole,Adrien, fumble by Ben Tate recovered by TECH Broha,Matt at TECH6.	
<i>5 plays, 26 yards, 1:36</i>			
LOUISIANA TECH drive start at 07:07.			
1-10	Tech 06	TECH ball on TECH7.	
1-10	Tech 07	Porter,Daniel rush up middle for loss of 1 yard to the TECH6 (Antonio Coleman;Nick Fairley).	
2-11	Tech 06	Jenkins,Ross middle pass complete to Tuminello,H. for 12 yards to the TECH18, 1ST DOWN TECH (Craig Stevens).	P8
1-10	Tech 18	Porter,Daniel rush up middle for 2 yards to the TECH20 (Michael Goggans;Josh Bynes).	
2-8	Tech 20	Porter,Daniel rush up middle for 7 yards to the TECH27 (D. Washington).	
3-1	Tech 27	Jenkins,Ross middle pass complete to Tuminello,H. for 5 yards to the TECH32, 1ST DOWN TECH (Zac Etheridge).	P9
1-10	Tech 32	Jenkins,Ross LF pass complete to Morris,Dennis for 11 yards to the TECH43, 1ST DOWN TECH (Zac Etheridge).	P10
1-10	Tech 43	Duplessis,T. rush up middle for no gain to the TECH43 (Adam Herring).	
2-10	Tech 43	Jenkins,Ross middle pass complete to Mitchell,Dustin for 8 yards to the AU49 (Craig Stevens).	
3-2	AU 49	Jenkins,Ross LSL pass incomplete to Livas,Phillip, QB hurry by Zac Etheridge, PENALTY AU face mask (Michael Goggans) 15 yards to the AU34, 1ST DOWN TECH, NO PLAY.	X11
1-10	AU 34	Jenkins,Ross LSL pass incomplete to Linwood,Adrian (Neiko Thorpe).	
2-10	AU 34	Jenkins,Ross RF pass complete to Linwood,Adrian for 5 yards to the AU29.	
<i>Previous play under review and over turned.</i>			
3-5	AU 29	Jenkins,Ross RF pass complete to Porter,Daniel for 11 yards to the AU18, 1ST DOWN TECH (Nick Fairley).	P12
1-10	AU 18	Jenkins,Ross LSL pass incomplete to Tuminello,H. (Walter McFadden).	
2-10	AU 18	Timeout Louisiana Tech, clock 01:27.	
2-10	AU 18	Jenkins,Ross RF pass incomplete to Livas,Phillip.	
3-10	AU 18	Jenkins,Ross rush up middle for 12 yards to the AU6, 1ST DOWN TECH (Daren Bates).	R13
1-G	AU 06	Jenkins,Ross rush over right tackle for 3 yards to the AU3 (Josh Bynes).	
2-G	AU 03	Jenkins,Ross middle pass incomplete to Tuminello,H., QB hurry by Antonio Coleman.	
3-G	AU 03	Timeout Louisiana Tech, clock 00:31.	
3-G	AU 03	Jenkins,Ross LSL pass incomplete to Linwood,Adrian.	
4-G	AU 03	Nelson,Matt field goal attempt from 20 GOOD, clock 00:23.	

Auburn 10, Louisiana Tech 10

18 plays, 90 yards, 6:44

Play-by-Play Summary (2nd quarter)
Louisiana Tech vs Auburn (Sept 5, 2009 at Auburn, AL)

Nelson, Matt kickoff 38 yards to the AU32, Tommy Trott return 7 yards to the AU39 (Calais, Tank).

AUBURN drive start at 00:23.

1-10 AU 39 O. McCaleb rush over left end for 9 yards to the AU48, out-of-bounds.
 2-1 AU 48 Chris Todd middle pass complete to Mario Fannin for 20 yards to the TECH32, 1ST DOWN AU P11
 (Baker, Antonio; Cole, Adrien).
 1-10 Tech 32 Wes Byrum field goal attempt from 49 GOOD, clock 00:00.

Auburn 13, Louisiana Tech 10

End of half, clock 00:00.

3 plays, 29 yards, 0:23

END OF 2nd QUARTER: Auburn 13, Louisiana Tech 10

Quarter Summary	Score	Time Poss	1st Downs				Conversions		Rushing	Passing	Penalties
			R	P	X	T	3rd	4th			
Louisiana Tech	3	10:46	2	4	1	7	3-6	1-1	11-34	8-13-0-61	1-5
Auburn	3	04:14	2	1	0	3	1-2	0-0	7-50	2-5-0-24	1-15

Quickie Statistics (Halftime)
Louisiana Tech vs Auburn (Sept 5, 2009 at Auburn, AL)

	TECH	AU
Score	10	13
FIRST DOWNS	13	11
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	19-34	24-127
PASSING YDS (NET)	109	72
Passes Att-Comp-Int	17-12-0	10-6-0
TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS	36-143	34-199
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punt Returns-Yards	0-0	1--5
Kickoff Returns-Yards	2-49	3-49
Interception Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punts (Number-Avg)	1-32.0	1-47.0
Fumbles-Lost	2-1	2-1
Penalties-Yards	2-20	5-65
Possession Time	16:43	13:17
Third-Down Conversions	3 of 6	4 of 6
Fourth-Down Conversions	1 of 1	0 of 0

Louisiana Tech

Rushing	No.	Gain	Loss	Net	TD	Lg	Avg
Porter, Daniel	10	31	4	27	0	10	2.7
Jenkins, Ross	5	15	2	13	0	12	2.6
Compton, Myke	1	2	0	2	0	2	2.0
Livas, Phillip	1	1	0	1	0	1	1.0

Passing	C-A-I	Yds	TD	Long	Sack
Jenkins, Ross	12-17-0	109	1	19	1

Receiving	No.	Yards	TD	Long
Livas, Phillip	3	29	0	14
Tuminello, H.	3	26	0	12
Morris, Dennis	2	30	1	19
Porter, Daniel	1	11	0	11

Punting	No.	Yds	Avg	Long	In20	TB
Glasgow, Cade	1	32	32.0	32	1	0

Punt Returns	No.	Yards	TD	Long

Kick Returns	No.	Yards	TD	Long
Livas, Phillip	2	49	0	27

Tackles	UA-A	Total	Sacks	TFL
Carter, Terry	4-1	5	0.0	1.0
Baker, Antonio	3-2	5	0.0	0.0
Cole, Adrien	1-4	5	0.0	0.0
Dudley, Jay	2-1	3	0.0	0.0

Auburn

Rushing	No.	Gain	Loss	Net	TD	Lg	Avg
Ben Tate	10	53	1	52	0	9	5.2
O. McCalebb	6	40	0	40	0	11	6.7
Kodi Burns	6	22	0	22	1	11	3.7
Terrell Zachery	1	10	0	10	0	10	10.0

Passing	C-A-I	Yds	TD	Long	Sack
Chris Todd	6-10-0	72	0	26	0

Receiving	No.	Yards	TD	Long
Mario Fannin	4	58	0	26
Darvin Adams	1	10	0	10
Ben Tate	1	4	0	4

Punting	No.	Yds	Avg	Long	In20	TB
Clinton Durst	1	47	47.0	47	0	0

Punt Returns	No.	Yards	TD	Long
Mario Fannin	1	-5	0	0

Kick Returns	No.	Yards	TD	Long
Tommy Trott	1	7	0	7
O. McCalebb	1	26	0	26

Tackles	UA-A	Total	Sacks	TFL
Craig Stevens	4-2	6	1.0	2.0
Zac Etheridge	4-1	5	0.0	1.0
Josh Bynes	4-1	5	0.0	0.0
Jake Ricks	3-0	3	0.0	0.0

Qtr	Time	Scoring Play	V-H
1st	09:24	AU - Wes Byrum 25 yd field goal, 13-69 5:36	0 - 3
	05:00	TECH - Morris, Dennis 19 yd pass from Jenkins, Ross (Nelson, Matt kick), 8-72 4:24	7 - 3
	01:33	AU - Kodi Burns 1 yd run (Wes Byrum kick), 10-66 3:27	7 - 10
2nd	00:23	TECH - Nelson, Matt 20 yd field goal, 18-90 6:44	10 - 10
	00:00	AU - Wes Byrum 49 yd field goal, 3-29 0:23	10 - 13

Play-by-Play Summary (3rd quarter)

Louisiana Tech vs Auburn (Sept 5, 2009 at Auburn, AL)

Start of 3rd quarter, clock 15:00, AU ball on AU30.

Wes Byrum kickoff 67 yards to the TECH3, Livas,Phillip return 22 yards to the TECH25 (Dee Ford;W. Christopher).

LOUISIANA TECH drive start at 15:00.

1-10 Tech 25 Jenkins,Ross middle pass incomplete to Morris,Dennis.
 2-10 Tech 25 Porter,Daniel rush over left guard for 1 yard to the TECH26 (Antonio Coleman;Jake Ricks).
 3-9 Tech 26 Jenkins,Ross RSL pass incomplete to Stuart,R.P., QB hurry by Nick Fairley.
 4-9 Tech 26 Glasgow,Cade punt 49 yards to the AU25, downed.

3 plays, 1 yard, 1:10

AUBURN drive start at 13:50.

1-10 AU 25 Chris Todd LSL pass complete to Terrell Zachery for 11 yards to the AU36, 1ST DOWN AU (Paige,Olajawon). P12
 1-10 AU 36 O. McCalebb rush over left tackle for 9 yards to the AU45.
 2-1 AU 45 Chris Todd middle pass incomplete to Mario Fannin (Victorian,Josh), PENALTY AU holding (Byron Isom) 10 yards to the AU35, NO PLAY.
 2-11 AU 35 O. McCalebb rush over left end for 8 yards to the AU43, out-of-bounds (Washington,K.).
 3-3 AU 43 Chris Todd middle pass complete to Darvin Adams for 10 yards to the TECH47, fumble forced by Cole,Adrien, fumble by Darvin Adams recovered by TECH Paige,Olajawon at TECH47.

4 plays, 28 yards, 0:57

LOUISIANA TECH drive start at 12:53.

1-10 Tech 47 Jenkins,Ross RSL pass complete to Livas,Phillip for 7 yards to the AU46.
 2-3 AU 46 Porter,Daniel rush up middle for 10 yards to the AU36, 1ST DOWN TECH (Michael Goggans). R14
 1-10 AU 36 Porter,Daniel rush over right tackle for 1 yard to the AU35 (Jake Ricks;Antonio Coleman).
 2-9 AU 35 Jenkins,Ross middle pass intercepted by Daren Bates at the AU2, Daren Bates return 0 yards to the AU2, QB hurry by Craig Stevens, QB hurry by Zac Etheridge.

4 plays, 18 yards, 1:06

AUBURN drive start at 11:47.

1-10 AU 02 Ben Tate rush up middle for 5 yards to the AU7 (Lacey,Christian).
 2-5 AU 07 Chris Todd RSL pass incomplete to Terrell Zachery.
 3-5 AU 07 Chris Todd RSL pass complete to Terrell Zachery for 93 yards to the TECH0, 1ST DOWN AU, TOUCHDOWN, clock 10:59. P13
 1-G Tech 03 Wes Byrum kick attempt good.

Auburn 20, Louisiana Tech 10

3 plays, 98 yards, 0:48

Wes Byrum kickoff 56 yards to the TECH14, Livas,Phillip return 4 yards to the TECH18 (Mike Slade;Drew Cole).

LOUISIANA TECH drive start at 10:59.

1-10 Tech 18 Porter,Daniel rush up middle for 3 yards to the TECH21 (Josh Bynes;Zac Etheridge).
 2-7 Tech 21 Jenkins,Ross deep in pass incomplete to Williams,Cruz.
 3-7 Tech 21 Jenkins,Ross middle pass incomplete to Livas,Phillip.
 4-7 Tech 21 Glasgow,Cade punt 47 yards to the AU32, Anthony Guley return -1 yards to the AU31 (Mitchell,Dustin).

3 plays, 3 yards, 1:00

AUBURN drive start at 09:59.

1-10 AU 31 Chris Todd LSL pass complete to Mario Fannin for 4 yards to the AU35 (Broha,Matt).
 2-6 AU 35 O. McCalebb rush over right end for 4 yards to the AU39 (Young,Deon;Faust,Dominique).
 3-2 AU 39 Ben Tate rush up middle for 2 yards to the AU41, 1ST DOWN AU (Dudley,Jay). R14
 1-10 AU 41 O. McCalebb rush over right end for 10 yards to the TECH49, 1ST DOWN AU (Baker,Antonio;Paige,Olajawon). R15
 1-10 Tech 49 Chris Todd deep pass incomplete to Terrell Zachery (Paige,Olajawon), QB hurry by Smith,D'Anthony.
 2-10 Tech 49 Chris Todd RSL pass incomplete to DeAngelo Benton.
 3-10 Tech 49 Chris Todd RSL pass incomplete to DeAngelo Benton.
 4-10 Tech 49 Clinton Durst punt 35 yards to the TECH14, fair catch by Livas,Phillip.

7 plays, 20 yards, 2:19

LOUISIANA TECH drive start at 07:40.

1-10 Tech 14 Jenkins,Ross rush over left end for 7 yards to the TECH21 (Craig Stevens).
 2-3 Tech 21 Fitte,Lyle rush up middle for loss of 2 yards to the TECH19 (Antonio Coleman).
 3-5 Tech 19 Jenkins,Ross middle pass incomplete to Linwood,Adrian.
 4-5 Tech 19 Glasgow,Cade punt 33 yards to the AU48, downed.

3 plays, 5 yards, 1:36

AUBURN drive start at 06:04.

1-10 AU 48 O. McCalebb rush over left end for 8 yards to the TECH44 (Carter,Terry).
 2-2 Tech 44 O. McCalebb rush over left end for 14 yards to the TECH30, 1ST DOWN AU, out-of-bounds. R16
 1-10 Tech 30 O. McCalebb rush over right guard for 4 yards to the TECH26 (Cole,Adrien;Calais,Tank).
 2-6 Tech 26 O. McCalebb rush over right end for 4 yards to the TECH22, out-of-bounds (Paige,Olajawon).
 3-2 Tech 22 O. McCalebb rush up middle for 2 yards to the TECH20 (Randle,Solomon), PENALTY AU holding (Mike Berry) 10 yards to the TECH30.
 3-10 Tech 30 3rd and 10.

Play-by-Play Summary (3rd quarter)

Louisiana Tech vs Auburn (Sept 5, 2009 at Auburn, AL)

3-10 Tech 30 Kodi Burns RSL pass incomplete to Tommy Trott.
 4-10 Tech 30 Wes Byrum field goal attempt from 47 GOOD, clock 04:28.

Auburn 23, Louisiana Tech 10

7 plays, 22 yards, 1:36

Morgan Hull kickoff 63 yards to the TECH7, Livas, Phillip return 24 yards to the TECH31 (Gabe Barrett).

LOUISIANA TECH drive start at 04:28.

1-10 Tech 31 Duplessis, T. rush up middle for 2 yards to the TECH33 (Walter McFadden; Nick Fairley).
 2-8 Tech 33 Porter, Daniel rush over left guard for 3 yards to the TECH36 (Jake Ricks; Daren Bates).
 3-5 Tech 36 Jenkins, Ross rush up middle for 33 yards to the AU31, 1ST DOWN TECH, out-of-bounds (Zac Etheridge). R15
 1-10 AU 31 Jenkins, Ross sacked for loss of 7 yards to the AU38 (Antonio Coleman).
 2-17 AU 38 Jenkins, Ross LF pass complete to Porter, Daniel for 2 yards to the AU36 (Josh Bynes), QB hurry by Nick Fairley.
 3-15 AU 36 Jenkins, Ross LSL pass complete to Stuart, R.P. for 7 yards to the AU29, out-of-bounds (Neiko Thorpe), QB hurry by D. Washington.
 4-8 AU 29 Nelson, Matt field goal attempt from 46 GOOD, clock 00:52.

Auburn 23, Louisiana Tech 13

7 plays, 40 yards, 3:36

Nelson, Matt kickoff 65 yards to the AU5, O. McCalebb return 23 yards to the AU28 (Compton, Myke).

AUBURN drive start at 00:52.

1-10 AU 28 Kodi Burns rush over right tackle for 2 yards to the AU30 (Calais, Tank).
 2-8 AU 30 O. McCalebb rush over left end for 13 yards to the AU43, 1ST DOWN AU. R17

END OF 3rd QUARTER: Auburn 23, Louisiana Tech 13

Quarter Summary	Score	Time Poss	1st Downs				Conversions		Rushing	Passing	Penalties
			R	P	X	T	3rd	4th			
Louisiana Tech	3	08:28	2	0	0	2	1-5	0-0	10-51	3-9-1-16	0-0
Auburn	10	06:32	4	2	0	6	2-5	0-0	13-85	4-9-0-118	2-20

Quickie Statistics (3rd quarter)
Louisiana Tech vs Auburn (Sept 5, 2009 at Auburn, AL)

	TECH	AU
Score	13	23
FIRST DOWNS	15	17
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	29-85	37-212
PASSING YDS (NET)	125	190
Passes Att-Comp-Int	26-15-1	19-10-0
TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS	55-210	56-402
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punt Returns-Yards	0-0	2--6
Kickoff Returns-Yards	5-99	4-72
Interception Returns-Yards	0-0	1-0
Punts (Number-Avg)	4-40.2	2-41.0
Fumbles-Lost	2-1	3-2
Penalties-Yards	2-20	7-85
Possession Time	25:11	19:49
Third-Down Conversions	4 of 11	6 of 11
Fourth-Down Conversions	1 of 1	0 of 0

Louisiana Tech

Rushing	No.	Gain	Loss	Net	TD	Lg	Avg
Jenkins,Ross	8	55	9	46	0	33	5.8
Porter,Daniel	15	49	4	45	0	10	3.0
Compton,Myke	1	2	0	2	0	2	2.0
Duplessis,T.	2	2	0	2	0	2	1.0

Passing	C-A-I	Yds	TD	Long	Sack
Jenkins,Ross	15-26-1	125	1	19	2

Receiving	No.	Yards	TD	Long
Livas,Phillip	4	36	0	14
Tuminello,H.	3	26	0	12
Morris,Dennis	2	30	1	19
Porter,Daniel	2	13	0	11

Punting	No.	Yds	Avg	Long	In20	TB
Glasgow,Cade	4	161	40.2	49	1	0

Punt Returns	No.	Yards	TD	Long

Kick Returns	No.	Yards	TD	Long
Livas,Phillip	5	99	0	27

Tackles	UA-A	Total	Sacks	TFL
Cole,Adrien	2-5	7	0.0	0.0
Carter,Terry	5-1	6	0.0	1.0
Baker,Antonio	3-3	6	0.0	0.0
Calais,Tank	2-3	5	0.0	0.0

Auburn

Rushing	No.	Gain	Loss	Net	TD	Lg	Avg
O. McCalebb	16	116	0	116	0	14	7.2
Ben Tate	12	60	1	59	0	9	4.9
Kodi Burns	7	24	0	24	1	11	3.4
Terrell Zachery	1	10	0	10	0	10	10.0

Passing	C-A-I	Yds	TD	Long	Sack
Chris Todd	10-18-0	190	1	93	0
Kodi Burns	0-1-0	0	0	0	0

Receiving	No.	Yards	TD	Long
Mario Fannin	5	62	0	26
Terrell Zachery	2	104	1	93
Darvin Adams	2	20	0	10
Ben Tate	1	4	0	4

Punting	No.	Yds	Avg	Long	In20	TB
Clinton Durst	2	82	41.0	47	1	0

Punt Returns	No.	Yards	TD	Long
Anthony Gulley	1	-1	0	0
Mario Fannin	1	-5	0	0

Kick Returns	No.	Yards	TD	Long
O. McCalebb	2	49	0	26
Tommy Trott	1	7	0	7

Tackles	UA-A	Total	Sacks	TFL
Craig Stevens	5-2	7	1.0	2.0
Zac Etheridge	5-2	7	0.0	1.0
Josh Bynes	5-2	7	0.0	0.0
Antonio Coleman	4-3	7	1.0	3.0

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2nd	00:23	TECH - Nelson,Matt 20 yd field goal, 18-90 6:44	10 - 10
	00:00	AU - Wes Byrum 49 yd field goal, 3-29 0:23	10 - 13
3rd	10:59	AU - Terrell Zachery 93 yd pass from Chris Todd (Wes Byrum kick), 3-98 0:48	10 - 20
	04:28	AU - Wes Byrum 47 yd field goal, 7-22 1:36	10 - 23
	00:52	TECH - Nelson,Matt 46 yd field goal, 7-40 3:36	13 - 23

Play-by-Play Summary (4th quarter)

Louisiana Tech vs Auburn (Sept 5, 2009 at Auburn, AL)

1-10	AU 43	Start of 4th quarter, clock 15:00.	
1-10	AU 43	O. McCalebb rush over right end for 1 yard to the AU44, out-of-bounds (Faust,Dominique).	
2-9	AU 44	Chris Todd middle pass complete to Darvin Adams for 28 yards to the TECH28, 1ST DOWN AU (Paige,Olajawon).	P18
1-10	Tech 28	O. McCalebb rush over right guard for 4 yards to the TECH24.	
2-6	Tech 24	O. McCalebb rush over left end for 14 yards to the TECH10, 1ST DOWN AU.	R19
1-G	Tech 10	AU ball on TECH11.	
1-10	Tech 11	Chris Todd RF pass complete to Terrell Zachery for loss of 6 yards to the TECH17 (Victorian,Josh).	
2-16	Tech 17	Chris Todd middle pass incomplete to Emory Blake (Victorian,Josh).	
3-16	Tech 17	Chris Todd RSL pass complete to Darvin Adams for 17 yards to the TECH0, 1ST DOWN AU, TOUCHDOWN, clock 12:45, QB hurry by Cole,Adrien.	P20
1-G	Tech 03	Wes Byrum kick attempt good.	

Auburn 30, Louisiana Tech 13

9 plays, 73 yards, 3:07

Morgan Hull kickoff 67 yards to the TECH3, Livas,Phillip return 22 yards to the TECH25 (Neiko Thorpe), PENALTY TECH holding (Lacey,Christian) 10 yards to the TECH15, 1st and 10, TECH ball on TECH15.

LOUISIANA TECH drive start at 12:45.

1-10	Tech 15	Porter,Daniel rush over right guard for 9 yards to the TECH24 (Neiko Thorpe).	
2-1	Tech 24	Porter,Daniel rush over right end for 2 yards to the TECH26, 1ST DOWN TECH (Craig Stevens).	R16
1-10	Tech 26	Jenkins,Ross LF pass complete to Livas,Phillip for 7 yards to the TECH33 (Zac Etheridge).	
2-3	Tech 33	Duplessis,T. rush over right guard for 1 yard to the TECH34 (Nick Fairley,Josh Bynes).	
3-2	Tech 34	Jenkins,Ross RF pass incomplete to Linwood,Adrian (Walter McFadden), PENALTY AU pass interference (Walter McFadden) 2 yards to the TECH36, 1ST DOWN TECH, NO PLAY.	X17
1-10	Tech 36	Jenkins,Ross middle pass incomplete to Mitchell,Dustin.	
2-10	Tech 36	Jenkins,Ross RSL pass incomplete to Linwood,Adrian (Craig Stevens).	
3-10	Tech 36	Jenkins,Ross middle pass incomplete to Porter,Daniel, QB hurry by Dee Ford, QB hurry by Craig Stevens.	
4-10	Tech 36	Glasgow,Cade punt 29 yards to the AU35, downed.	

7 plays, 21 yards, 2:16

AUBURN drive start at 10:29.

1-10	AU 35	Ben Tate rush up middle for 6 yards to the AU41 (Cole,Adrien;Smith,D'Anthony).	
2-4	AU 41	Chris Todd LF pass complete to Mario Fannin for 7 yards to the AU48, 1ST DOWN AU (Carter,Terry;Calais,Tank).	P21
1-10	AU 48	Ben Tate rush up middle for 2 yards to the 50 yardline (Cole,Adrien).	
2-8	AU 50	Ben Tate rush over right end for 8 yards to the TECH42, 1ST DOWN AU (Cole,Adrien;Paige,Olajawon).	R22
1-10	Tech 42	Ben Tate rush up middle for 7 yards to the TECH35 (Logan,Adrian).	
2-3	Tech 35	O. McCalebb rush over right guard for 6 yards to the TECH29, 1ST DOWN AU.	R23
1-10	Tech 29	O. McCalebb rush up middle for 4 yards to the TECH25 (Baker,Antonio).	
2-6	Tech 25	Chris Todd LF pass complete to Mario Fannin for 8 yards to the TECH17, 1ST DOWN AU, out-of-bounds (Young,Deon).	P24
1-10	Tech 17	Chris Todd LF pass complete to Ben Tate for 6 yards to the TECH11 (Grigsby,Randy).	
2-4	Tech 11	Ben Tate rush up middle for 4 yards to the TECH7, 1ST DOWN AU (Calais,Tank;Randle,Solomon).	R25
1-G	Tech 07	Kodi Burns rush over right end for loss of 1 yard to the TECH8 (Calais,Tank).	
2-G	Tech 08	Chris Todd RF pass complete to Mario Fannin for 5 yards to the TECH3 (Paige,Olajawon).	
3-G	Tech 03	O. McCalebb rush over right end for 3 yards to the TECH0, TOUCHDOWN, clock 05:27.	
1-G	Tech 03	Wes Byrum kick attempt good.	

Auburn 37, Louisiana Tech 13

13 plays, 65 yards, 5:02

Morgan Hull kickoff 70 yards to the TECH0, Duplessis,T. return 20 yards to the TECH20 (T'Sharvan Bell).

LOUISIANA TECH drive start at 05:27.

1-10	Tech 20	Morrow,D.J. rush up middle for 6 yards to the TECH26 (Mike Slade).	
2-4	Tech 26	Jenkins,Ross LF pass incomplete to Morris,Dennis, QB hurry by Dee Ford.	
3-4	Tech 26	Jenkins,Ross middle pass complete to Fitte,Lyle for 5 yards to the TECH31, 1ST DOWN TECH (Harris Gaston).	P18
1-10	Tech 31	Duplessis,T. rush over right end for loss of 1 yard to the TECH30 (Chris Humphries).	
2-11	Tech 30	Jenkins,Ross LF pass complete to Fitte,Lyle for 12 yards to the TECH42, 1ST DOWN TECH (Drew Cole).	P19
1-10	Tech 42	Duplessis,T. rush up middle for 4 yards to the TECH46 (Jonathan Evans;Mike Blanc).	
2-6	Tech 46	Jenkins,Ross rush for loss of 5 yards to the TECH41, fumble by Jenkins,Ross recovered by TECH Jenkins,Ross at TECH41.	
3-11	Tech 41	Jenkins,Ross sacked for loss of 5 yards to the TECH36 (Mike Blanc).	
4-16	Tech 36	Glasgow,Cade punt 40 yards to the AU24, downed.	

8 plays, 16 yards, 3:56

Play-by-Play Summary (4th quarter)
Louisiana Tech vs Auburn (Sept 5, 2009 at Auburn, AL)

AUBURN drive start at 01:31.

1-10	AU 24	Ben Tate rush over left tackle for 8 yards to the AU32 (Carter,Terry).	
2-2	AU 32	Ben Tate rush over left end for 7 yards to the AU39, 1ST DOWN AU (Dudley,Jay).	R26
1-10	AU 39	Ben Tate rush over left end for 16 yards to the TECH45, 1ST DOWN AU (Simmons,Shawn).	R27
End of game, clock 00:00.			

3 plays, 31 yards, 1:31

FINAL SCORE: Auburn 37, Louisiana Tech 13
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Quarter Summary	Score	Time Poss	1st Downs				Conversions		Rushing	Passing	Penalties
			R	P	X	T	3rd	4th			
Louisiana Tech	0	06:12	1	2	1	4	1-3	0-0	8-11	3-7-0-24	1-10
Auburn	14	08:48	6	4	0	10	2-2	0-0	15-89	7-8-0-65	1-2

Quickie Statistics (4th quarter)
Louisiana Tech vs Auburn (Sept 5, 2009 at Auburn, AL)

	TECH	AU
Score	13	37
FIRST DOWNS	19	27
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	37-96	52-301
PASSING YDS (NET)	149	255
Passes Att-Comp-Int	33-18-1	27-17-0
TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS	70-245	79-556
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punt Returns-Yards	0-0	2--6
Kickoff Returns-Yards	7-141	4-72
Interception Returns-Yards	0-0	1-0
Punts (Number-Avg)	6-38.3	2-41.0
Fumbles-Lost	3-1	3-2
Penalties-Yards	3-30	8-87
Possession Time	31:23	28:37
Third-Down Conversions	5 of 14	8 of 13
Fourth-Down Conversions	1 of 1	0 of 0

Louisiana Tech

Rushing	No.	Gain	Loss	Net	TD	Lg	Avg
Porter, Daniel	17	60	4	56	0	10	3.3
Jenkins, Ross	10	55	19	36	0	33	3.6
Morrow, D.J.	1	6	0	6	0	6	6.0
Duplessis, T.	5	7	1	6	0	4	1.2

Passing	C-A-I	Yds	TD	Long	Sack
Jenkins, Ross	18-33-1	149	1	19	3

Receiving	No.	Yards	TD	Long
Livas, Phillip	5	43	0	14
Tuminello, H.	3	26	0	12
Morris, Dennis	2	30	1	19
Fitte, Lyle	2	17	0	12

Punting	No.	Yds	Avg	Long	In20	TB
Glasgow, Cade	6	230	38.3	49	1	0

Punt Returns	No.	Yards	TD	Long

Kick Returns	No.	Yards	TD	Long
Livas, Phillip	6	121	0	27
Duplessis, T.	1	20	0	20

Tackles	UA-A	Total	Sacks	TFL
Cole, Adrien	3-7	10	0.0	0.0
Carter, Terry	6-2	8	0.0	1.0
Calais, Tank	3-5	8	0.0	1.0
Baker, Antonio	4-3	7	0.0	0.0

Auburn

Rushing	No.	Gain	Loss	Net	TD	Lg	Avg
O. McCalebb	22	148	0	148	1	14	6.7
Ben Tate	20	118	1	117	0	16	5.8
Kodi Burns	8	24	1	23	1	11	2.9
Terrell Zachery	1	10	0	10	0	10	10.0

Passing	C-A-I	Yds	TD	Long	Sack
Chris Todd	17-26-0	255	2	93	0
Kodi Burns	0-1-0	0	0	0	0

Receiving	No.	Yards	TD	Long
Mario Fannin	8	82	0	26
Darvin Adams	4	65	1	28
Terrell Zachery	3	98	1	93
Ben Tate	2	10	0	6

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	05:27	AU - O. McCalebb 3 yd run (Wes Byrum kick), 13-65 5:02	13 - 37

Auburn Post-Game Notes

Auburn vs. Louisiana Tech
Pat Dye Field at Jordan-Hare Stadium
September 5, 2009

- The pre-game flight was made by Spirit front section 110/111.
- Auburn team captains were QB Chris Todd, DE Antonio Coleman and P Clinton Durst.
- Auburn won the toss and elected to receive. Louisiana Tech chose to defend the north goal.
- Kickoff was at 6:06 p.m. CT.
- Game attendance was announced as 81,143.

TEAM NOTES

- Auburn head coaches are now 17-8-1 in their first games as head coach of the Tigers.
- Auburn has now won his last 16 games in which Gene Chizik was part of the coaching staff.
- Auburn is now 90-25-2 all-time in season opening games.
- Since 1977, Auburn is now 23-5 in season openers against non-conference opponents. All-time, the Tigers are now 53-15 when opening the season versus a non-conference foe.
- Auburn is now 11-0-1 all-time against Louisiana Tech.
- Auburn is now 15-0-1 all-time in games against current members of the Western Athletic Conference.
- Auburn is now 16-3 in night games at Jordan-Hare Stadium since the 2000 season.
- Auburn has now won 21 of its last 25 games played in September.
- Auburn has now won 50 consecutive games when scoring 30 or more points. The Tigers have not lost when scoring at least 30 points since a 56-49, four-overtime loss to Georgia in 1996.
- Auburn's opening drive was a 13-play, 69-yard drive that took 5:36. Last year, Auburn had just two scoring drives of 13 plays or more all season, and only four scoring drives of at least five minutes.
- Auburn finished with the game with 556 total yards, 301 yards rushing and 255 yards passing, easily surpassing the Tigers season averages of 302.9 total yards, 137.5 yards rushing and 165.4 yards passing.
- Auburn's 556 yards of total offense were the most since November 5, 2005 vs. Kentucky (589 yards of total offense)
- Chris Todd's 93-yard touchdown pass to Terrell Zachery in the third quarter was the longest play from scrimmage in school history. The previous long was a 92-yard rush by Ralph O'Gwynne vs. Loyola on Nov. 21, 1936, and the longest pass play was an 87-yard pass from Jason Campbell to Silas Daniels on Oct. 9, 2004, also against Louisiana Tech.
- Auburn's 98-yard scoring drive was tied for the fourth longest scoring drive since records began being kept in 1970.

INDIVIDUAL NOTES

- The following players made their first career starts at Auburn: Darvin Adams, Daren Bates, Nick Fairley, Adam Herring, Andrew McCain and Terrell Zachery.
- With 117 yards rushing, Ben Tate became the 13th player in Auburn history to amass 2,000 career yards rushing. Tate, who moved past Secdrick McIntyre (1973-76) AND Lionel James (1980-83) on Auburn's career rushing list for 11th place, now has (2,076) yards rushing for his career.
- Onterio McCalebb, in his first collegiate game, finished with 148 yards rushing and scored his first career touchdown. McCalebb became the first Auburn freshman to rush for 100 yards in a season opener since Bo Jackson had 123 yards rushing against Wake Forest in the 1982 season opener.
- McCalebb's total of 148 yards rushing ranks seventh in school history for freshmen.
- Mario Fannin set a new career high in receiving yards with 82 and receptions with 8. Fannin's previous high was 56 yards last season at Vanderbilt.
- Auburn had a pair of 100-yard rusher in McCalebb (148) and Tate (117) for the first time since 2007 against New Mexico State when Tate (111) and Mario Fannin (103) did it.
- Chris Todd had a career high 255 yards passing. His previous career high was 250 yards against LSU last season.
- Wes Byrum opened the scoring with a 25-yard field goal, added a 49-yarder on the last play of the first half and a 47-yarder in the third quarter. Byrum now has 31 career field goals, which ranks tied for eighth in school history.
- Byrum's three field goals tied his career high for field goals in a game. It marked the fifth time in his career he has made three field goals in a game.

- Kodi Burns' 1-yard touchdown rush in the first quarter was the ninth rushing touchdown of his career.
- Nick Fairley recovered a fumble in the second quarter in his first career game as a Tiger.
- Daren Bates intercepted a pass in the third quarter in his first career game as a Tiger.
- Terrell Zachery's 93-yard touchdown reception was the first touchdown of his career. Prior to tonight's game, Zachery had just 24 yards receiving in his career.
- Antonio Coleman's sack in the third quarter gave him 15.5 for his career, tying him for 10th in school history for career sacks with Stanley McClover.
- Darvin Adams had his first career touchdown reception early in the fourth quarter. He finished with four catches for 65 yards, easily surpassing his previous career totals of three catches for 18 yards.

LOUISIANA TECH

Notes: Louisiana Tech at Auburn

- * Game Captains for Tech: #5 D'Anthony Smith, #20 Daniel Porter and #34 Antonio Baker
- * Louisiana Tech's all-time record against Auburn now sits at 0-11-1 with AU winning the last seven meetings.
- * Auburn's Onterio McCalebb (22-148) and Ben Tate (20-118) both eclipsed the century mark on the ground, the first time an individual has ran for over 100 yards against Louisiana Tech since Nevada's Luke Lippincott recorded 112 yards rushing against LA Tech on Dec. 1, 2007.
- * Louisiana Tech recorded 96 yards rushing, the second consecutive game LA Tech has rushed for under 100 yards as a team. Prior to rushing for only 92 yards in the Independence Bowl last year, the last time LA Tech rushed for under 100 yards was on Oct. 25 at Army (68 yards rushing).
- * Houston Tuminello recorded career-high in receptions with three, all coming in the first half
Dennis Morris' 18-yard touchdown reception in the first quarter was his fifth career touchdown catch.
- * Tonight's attendance was announced at 81,143, the largest crowd Louisiana Tech has played in front of since Nov. 10, 2007 when LA Tech played before a crowd of 92,512 at No. 2 LSU.
- * Leading all LA Tech players, #34 Antonio Baker and #60 Lon Roberts made their 26th consecutive start
- * Matt Broha's fumble recovery in the second quarter was the first fumble recovery of his career
- * The interception thrown by Ross Jenkins in the third quarter was the first interception suffered by Jenkins in four consecutive starts. Jenkins started the game by completing a career-high 10 straight passes. He finished the night completing 18 of 33 passes for 149 yards, one touchdown and one interception.
- * Auburn's 93-yard touchdown pass from Chris Todd to Terrell Zachery was the longest play allowed by the Louisiana Tech defense since Boise State's Ryan Dinwiddie connected to Lou Fanucchi on a 97-yard touchdown pass in 2002.
- * Ross Jenkins' 33-yard run in the third quarter is the longest rush of his career.
- * Five true freshmen saw action for the Bulldogs in the game, including running back Tyrone Duplessis, running back D.J. Morrow, wide receiver Lyle Fitte, kicker Matt Nelson, and defensive back Quinn Giles.
- * Both Duplessis and Morrow rushed for six yards in their first career collegiate game while Fitte registered two receptions for 17 yards.
- * Also seeing their first career action for the Bulldogs were tight end Chandler Spence (RS-FR), defensive back Olajuwon Paige (JC transfer), punter Cade Glasgow (RS-FR), and linebacker Solomon Randle (RS-FR).
- * Linebacker Adrien Cole recorded a career-high with 10 tackles in the game, including three solo stops.



Auburn Post-Game Quotes

Auburn vs. Louisiana Tech
Pat Dye Field at Jordan-Hare Stadium, September 5, 2009

Auburn Head Coach Gene Chizik

"I will start off and talk about how proud I am of our football team. It wasn't a perfect game by any sorts. They really played hard. That was a good football team that we played tonight. They are a very good football team. I am really proud of our guys. I am really proud of the way we played in the second half. We figured it would be a tight game. In the second half, I think we kind of felt a little more comfortable probably in everything that we were doing. I am just really proud of our guys. They deserved to win. They prepared very, very hard for this win. Again, I am just very proud of them."

On Terrell Zachery's 93-yard TD reception from Chris Todd

"Yes. That was huge. I think Gus (Malzahn) did a great job. We felt like the corners were getting a little bit aggressive. We just felt like a double move ... that's what it was ... the double move would have a chance to hit. Chris made a great throw and 'T' ran under it and the rest is history. That was a huge turning point in the game. That was something that we definitely needed. It sparked us at that time."

On getting the weight off your shoulders after getting your first Auburn win

"It's great to win your opening game. It was certainly one of our goals to win the opening game. I have weight on my shoulders for every game. We have a lot put into this. The kids have a lot put into this. So, every game is important, but again it was great to win the first game."

On Auburn's mistakes in the first half with penalties and turnovers

"We talked about it before the game. There are always imposters in a game. There are things that happen that you have to overcome. They aren't necessarily going to happen the rest of the game and they are not going to dictate how you play the rest of the game. We got down in the red zone. I believe we had four or five red zone scores, but one of the ones we went in there, we turned the ball over. Those are the mishaps that happen in the first game. We talked to our guys that if those happen, those are the things that we have to overcome. So, we tried to see it and be proactive knowing that some of those things may happen in your first game. What I was proud to see was not necessarily that but what I was proud to see was how they responded to that and that's our deal."

On Chris Todd's performance

"I think it is a little premature for me to say anything about him until I see the film and know exactly what he did. I am really proud of him because I think he really maintained his composure when at times we were not very good. There were some routes that we had that were timing routes that necessarily weren't broken off at the right time. We had some completions there that we would have had that he didn't get frustrated about when you have young receivers out there which happened more than once. We looked for our quarterback to manage the team and not turn the ball over. I felt like in his first game with this offense that he did a nice job with that."

On all the new players on defense

"It is really hard for me to say because I have to see the film to really know. I made the comment before the game that you are going to see a lot of new faces and get used to a lot of new names. I thought Coach (Ted) Roof did a phenomenal job with our defense tonight playing first year people, first year players, true freshmen. I mean he did a great job. I tell you what, we got some penalties on defense tonight. I call them try hard penalties. They are trying. I mean you get a kind of incidental face mask in there two or three times. You take away some of those penalties on some of those drives right now, I don't know if you can really draw up a first game with that many new players any better. I thought Ted's plan was great. I thought the players executed it even when we weren't playing well all the time, but for the first time out of the box with that many new players, we are very proud of our football team and our defensive coaching."

On Kodi Burn's scoring the first TD of the year

"We told Kodi he was going to help us win football games. Whatever his role is, that is who he is. He is here for the team. He is a team guy. He is an Auburn man. I said it before, and I will say it again, it was really awesome to see that young man score. He came off and I said I told you that you were going to help us win games. It is great to see a guy who is that selfless. Good things happen to good people."

On Auburn's running and passing offense

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"We are more into taking what the defense give us. We are not into did we throw it 40 times? Did we run it 40 times? There are some means behind the madness of what we are trying to accomplish on offense. If we feel like running the football 50 times gives us a better chance to win and there are a lot of issues out there. It could be that you are wearing down the defense. It could be the fast pace ... whatever the issues are. If we feel like that gives us the best chance to win, that is what we are going to do. We are not so much geared into how many times did we throw it or how many times did we run it? We are geared into what is working so if they give us the pass, we may pass it 50 times or run it 30 ... I don't know."

On Onterio McCalebb

"I am really proud of him. Let me tell you something. Y'all saw him run the ball. Make sure you saw him cover punts and kickoffs.

"Onterio is a very good football player. He needs to stay very humble which he will. I think Gus and our offensive staff do a great job of moving him around and finding different ways of getting him the ball so there are some means to the madness there. He has a chance to be a very good football player here at Auburn."

Did you ever feel nervous before the game?

"I had a little bit of the pregame jitters. I just thought that we were really well prepared to be honest with you. I felt very blessed, and I just felt prepared. I felt good going into the game. My biggest thing going in was really trying to figure out who our football team is against a good football team."

On going through Tiger Walk in your first game and does it feel like coming back home?

"I said this before. Our fans are the greatest fans in the country. I know every head coach probably says that, but I am going to tell you something ... that Tiger Walk, as I said before, when you get through that if you are not fired up, you are in a coma. That's how great the fans were. They were there tonight and they were fired up and they fired our football team up. They fired our football team up and it started from the time we got off the bus to the time we went out for pregame warm-ups and they never let up. So, I am going to tell you something about our fans tonight, they did their job just like they always do."

Auburn Offense

Chris Todd, QB

Overall thoughts on the game...

"It was a nice way to start out the season, to get that first win. We're happy with the way we started out, but there is still a lot that we have to fix."

On 93-yard touchdown pass...

"It was a nice play call that worked out great. Terrell Zachery did all the work and I just laid it out there for him."

Thoughts on Auburn's offensive line...

"They did a great job. They kept LA Tech off me the entire night. I got popped on time, but that was my fault. It was protection call. They did awesome all night and I am extremely happy with the way that they played."

On second half changes...

"We made some adjustments at the half and stuck to them. We were really able to fire out of the half."

Andrew McCain, OL

Overall thoughts on the game...

"It was one of those games where we came out and had some first-half kinks, as far as committing personal fouls and turnovers. We had a good game plan coming in and we knew that we had to stick to it. When we did, it prevailed over the course of the game and we ended up coming away with a good victory."

On his first collegiate start...

"It was nerve-racking to a certain extent, but it was redemption for me to get out there. We've just started and we've got a lot more to play. We have conference coming up and we need to start preparing for that."

On second half changes...

"We knew that we had a great game plan coming in, but we had to settle down and eliminate those mistakes. We didn't change much because we knew that we were solid, but we came out firing in the second half."

Terrell Zachery, WR

Overall thoughts on game...

"I think we did pretty well. We came in with a good game plan and everything started moving well for us. As a whole, we all performed well."

On school-record setting touchdown reception...

"It was a three route and we ran the same play right before that. That really set it up well for us. Right off the snap, I made a move on the defender and it opened right up. Chris (Todd) made the right pass and that was it."

On second-half adjustments...

"It was the first game and it took a while for everyone to get back and moving together on game day. I thought in the second half we came together really well and that helped us to put the game away."

Darvin Adams, WR

Overall thoughts on team performance...

"I thought we came out and did pretty well but we still have some things we have to work on. We need to go back and watch film and find the things that need improvement. Overall though, I think we did real well.

"Chris Todd came out and did a great job throwing the ball and putting it where we needed it. The running backs did a great job getting the ball down the field. We put up 556 total yards of offense. I'd say we did pretty good."

On his first touchdown of the season...

"We had already set them up for it since we were running that route all night. Coach (Gus) Malzahn told us that we were going to get it. He was right. Chris (Todd) did a great job of throwing the ball and I just went out and got it."

Onterio McCalebb, RB

Overall thoughts on team performance...

"I think it all went well. We came out and started running the ball and did what we needed to do."

On getting his first Auburn touchdown...

"It was awesome. I had my people in the stands. My stepmom and my little brother were able to be here. It was great to have them here for that and to have them see me take it in the endzone."

On Auburn offensive line's performance...

"I was really able to rely on them. Everybody on the offense was able to come out as a team and really execute. We came out doing what we needed to do to get things off on the right track. Our line did a great job of opening up the running game."

Auburn Defense

Craig Stevens, LB

On keeping LA Tech's offense off the field in the second half..

"We were focused in the first half. Our penalties really killed us. We allowed them to keep driving. We focused on minimizing penalties in the second half. Once we were able to do that, we started getting the stops we needed."

On LA Tech's quarterback, Ross Jenkins...

"He's got some nice wheels on him. He got a nice run in there one time, but most of the time we were back there. He slipped past us a few times but we pressured him, but we were able to put enough pressure on him in the second half to take them out of the game."

On LA Tech receiver Phillip Livas...

"He's a good player, he could probably play anywhere in the nation. He could play in our league. They have a nice running back, too. We were able to keep them contained."

On starting the season with a win...

"It feels good to get back out there after practicing all spring and all fall camp. It feels good to get that win, especially after coming off of a season like last year. To start off with a good win like this for our team going forward."

Zac Etheridge, S

On second half defensive stand...

"We all got together at half time and said that we would have to settle down. The first half, we just tried to get to that ball, that's what we pride ourselves on – getting to the ball. We were doing that, but we had too many penalties. We had to adjust at the half, settle down and play good defense."

On LA Tech receiving corps...

"They had great receivers. (Phillip) Livas was obviously their biggest threat. We kind of took the game away from him by playing a lot of different schemes. We knew their quarterback was going to run, but we didn't know he would run that much. We've got to go back and fix our lanes and how we get to the quarterback."

On starting the season with a win...

"It feels great. It wipes out all of last year. It's a new year – a new journey. We're going to continue to keep going forward."

Antonio Coleman, DE

On opening season win...

"It's big. We started off kind of slow with a lot of penalties. We always kept our head up, though. Coach Chizik always tells us that we've got plays and that we're always going to have problems and that they will make big plays. At the end, we came. We saw. We conquered. We just kept fighting and no one put their head down. We just kept rolling with the punches."

On LA Tech quarterback, Ross Jenkins...

"I didn't know that he was going to be that mobile. We all watched tape on him, but we didn't know that he was going to be that good. He played a good game."

On first half penalties...

"In the first half with all the penalties, some of our guys got a little winded. They were sustaining drives. We came out in the second half and started forcing LA Tech into three-and-outs and we kept our guys fresh. When you go three-and-out, you're off the field. If they sustain drives, then you start getting tired. That's the biggest difference between the first and second halves."

Josh Bynes, LB

Overall thoughts on the game...

"It's the first game of the season so there are a lot of jitter bugs. Everybody was anxious to get out there and there was a lot of drilling going on. The defense flew around, all eleven of us really attacked the ball all night, especially in the second half."

On second half performance...

"We didn't make any adjustments, we just kept our same game plan and played with our same confidence. We knew the offense would do what they do, so on defense we had to take care of our side of the ball. We'd go out there and try to get three-and-outs. When we had that goal, nine times out of ten, we made it happen."

On starting the season strong...

"It's great to get off to a fast start, especially coming off of the season that we had. A win is great to have on our belt, but our eyes are set on Mississippi State. We're going to take advantage of this weekend and then get into our notes and get ready for our next game."

Louisiana Tech Post-Game Quotes

Auburn vs. Louisiana Tech
Pat Dye Field at Jordan-Hare Stadium
September 5, 2009

Louisiana Tech Head Coach Derek Dooley

Thoughts on today's game...

"I have to start by giving Auburn credit. They did a great job. They are a physical football team. They controlled the line of scrimmage on both sides. Anytime you give up 300-yards rushing, you are not going to have a good chance of winning. I thought we fought them hard early. I was disappointed we gave up two big plays, one in the third quarter and one in the fourth when we didn't have to. We were not playing smart and we had a couple of mental errors and we couldn't respond offensively. Auburn's a good football team. On the road you have to execute the simple things."

On Auburn's fast-paced offense...

"We prepared for it but the hard part was the big offensive linemen and the two big running backs. Every time you try to hit them there is no way you can simulate it. It seemed like we were behind the chains every time they handed it off to number 44 (Ben Tate). We might be in position but then they would scurry for six or seven yards. Then they get us around the edge, so they have a good combination of speed."

On his family ties to Auburn...

"It doesn't have anything to do with me. I was always hoping we would play better in the second half. The season is a long journey and we can't put our head in the sand because we have another tough game next week (at Navy)."

On Auburn's second-half adjustments...

"I think it was a combination of things. Once we got behind them a little bit, it changes a little bit of your mentality, and then they switched to man-to-man in the second half. They were playing zone early on and we were able to pick at it early on. Once they covered us up, their guys were playing better than our guys and we just couldn't win."

Louisiana Tech Post-Game Quotes

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Louisiana Tech DT D'Anthony Smith

Thoughts on today's game...

"Auburn's a pretty good team and they gave us a great effort and that's why they won."

On the different looks Auburn was using...

"We played to the best of our abilities. Seeing as this is the opener, we weren't really expecting that many looks. They came at us full-throttle."

On trying to keep up with the speed of Auburn's offense...

"In the first couple of series we were getting tired and it was hard to keep up with them but then we got used to it."

On Auburn's offensive line...

"I have to give them credit. It is one of the best offensive lines I have played against in my career."

Louisiana Tech QB Ross Jenkins

On the difference in speed between the SEC and the WAC...

"They are real fast and they came out tough. We knew we had to match their speed and intensity and I thought we did a pretty good job of doing that in the first half. The speed was a factor but a lot of the mistakes were our fault. They are a great team and they deserved to win. We just didn't capitalize on our opportunities."

On Louisiana Tech's offensive performance...

"In particular, there were two passes that I should have made this game. Those two were drive killers. In the first half we did a good job of managing our third downs but in the second half we didn't do the same thing."

On Auburn's second half adjustments...

"On second and third down, they started bringing a lot more pressure and playing press man and we couldn't adjust to that. I have to make a lot better throws."

On adjustments for next week...

"We need to get our heads together because we had a couple of bone-headed mistakes. If we are going to play like we did in the first half, we should be alright. We didn't play our best game in the first half. We have to look into next week because we can't change what happened tonight. We look forward to the challenge next week."

On throwing his first interception in four starts...

"Their safety rolled over real late. My back was turned most of that play and when I turned around I saw that our receiver had the corner beat and I didn't see the safety. I thought I had a one-on-one but the safety was right there to pick it off."

Louisiana Tech WR Houston Tuminello

On the team's performance...

"I think we came out ready to play. In the first half we looked good. We threw it some. Auburn is a great team. We knew we had to come in here and make plays on offense. Our defense looked good in the first half and we looked good as a team. We fell apart in the second half and we have some adjustments to make."

On the adjustments they need to make...

"We need to go out there and play our game. In the first half we came out and moved the ball and converted some big third downs and made some big plays."

On Auburn's secondary...

"In the second half they brought some pressure but that's what we wanted. We knew they were going to do that and we wanted them to do that. We just didn't get a chance to make any plays."

On playing an SEC team...

"This atmosphere is crazy. It was a lot of fun and a great experience. I just wish we could have played a little better but we can't go back and change things. We just have to learn from our mistakes and go out next week and get better."

Louisiana Tech Safety Antonio Baker

On playing at Jordan-Hare Stadium against an SEC team...

"Playing here tonight was a great experience. Auburn is a great team, and it's truly great to have college football back in season."

On running backs Ben Tate and Onterio McCalebb...

"Those two really work well together. Tate runs really hard, while McCalebb is more of the speed guy in their attack. Both are great players."