



SAN DIEGO STATE AZTECS

2021 Men's Soccer Weekly Notes

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2021 Schedule/Results

Overall: 1-0-1 | **Pac-12:** 0-0-0
Home: 1-0-0 | **Away:** 0-0-1

Date	Opponent	Time/Result
Aug. 20	Point Loma (Friendly)	W, 4-0
Aug. 26	CSUN	W, 2-0
Aug. 30	at No. 17 LMU	T, 0-0 (2 OT)
Sept. 3	at Cal Poly	7 p.m.
Sept. 10	UC Davis	7 p.m.
Sept. 12	Cal State Bakersfield	3 p.m.
Sept. 16	California*	7 p.m.
Sept. 19	Stanford*	3 p.m.
Sept. 24	Gonzaga	7 p.m.
Sept. 30	at Washington*	7 p.m.
Oct. 3	at Oregon State*	2 p.m.
Oct. 8	at UCLA*	7 p.m.
Oct. 15	at San Diego	7 p.m.
Oct. 21	at Stanford*	8 p.m.
Oct. 24	at California*	3 p.m.
Nov. 4	Oregon State*	7 p.m.
Nov. 7	Washington*	3 p.m.
Nov. 12	UCLA*	7 p.m.

* - Pac-12 match

Team Information

Head Coach	Ryan Hopkins (2nd Season)
E-mail	aztecsoccer@sdsu.edu
Men's Soccer Office Phone	(619) 594-0136
Assistant Coach	Carlos Aguilar (2nd Season)
Assistant Coach	Bryce Cregan (1st Season)
Volunteer Assistant Coach	Miguel Guterrez (2nd Season)
Home Facility	SDSU Sports Deck (1,250)
2020 Overall Record	1-7-2
2020 Pac-12 Record/Finish	1-7-2 (6th)
2020 Home Record	1-3-1
2020 Road Record	0-4-1
First Year of Competition	1968
All-Time Record	485-368-115 (.560)
NCAA Appearances	9 ('69, '81, '82, '87, '88, '89, '05, '06, '16)
Letterwinners Returning/Lost	12/5
Starters Returning/Lost	8/3
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Up Next

(RV) San Diego State (1-0-1) at Cal Poly (1-1-0)

Friday, September 3 | 7 p.m. PT | Alex G. Spanos Stadium | San Luis Obispo, Calif.

Media Coverage: Cal Poly Live Stream | Live Stats

Aztec Storylines

- The Aztecs tied No. 17 LMU on the road 0-0 Monday evening.
- This was SDSU's first time earning a result against a ranked team on the road since Nov. 6, 2016, when they won at No. 10 Washington 1-0.
- SDSU picked up more votes in the United Soccer Coaches poll, moving from three to 28 points, which ranks them No. 31 in the country and No. 3 in the Far West Region.
- The Aztecs have shutout their first two opponents, the first time they've posted clean sheets in their first two matches of a season since 2005.
- SDSU is one of three Pac-12 teams, joining Washington and Oregon State, to be undefeated through the first two matches.
- The SDSU back line has been anchored by defenders Kyle Colonna, Elias Katsaros and freshmen Tadej Pirtovšek, who have played all 200 minutes for the Aztecs.
- Goalkeeper Jacob Castro, a transfer from Pac-12 foe Washington, has recorded shutouts in his first two matches as an Aztec.
- Through two matches, freshman Alex Hjalmoef (Rungstead, Denmark) leads the team with three points after scoring the game-winning goal and dishing out an assist in SDSU's win vs. CSUN.
- The Aztecs have seven shots on goal, and they have all come from different players.
- The Aztecs have only trailed at halftime in three of their 12 matches under second year head coach Ryan Hopkins.
- In Coach Hopkins' 12 matches as head coach, seven have come against ranked opponents.
- The Aztecs return eight starters from a season ago, including all three of their all-Pac-12 honorees (Andre Ochoa, Blake Bowen and Inigo Villaldea).
- SDSU brings back 82 percent of their scoring and 87 percent of their points from last year.
- SDSU has nine newcomers (seven freshmen and two transfers). The Aztecs added three defenders, three midfielders, two forwards and one goalkeeper. Four of the incoming Aztecs are international recruits, hailing from Australia, Denmark, Netherlands and Slovenia. Rik Regeling (Netherlands) was listed by Top Drawer Soccer as one of their ten "International Players to Watch."
- The Aztecs have 16 underclassmen and just four seniors.
- After playing a Pac-12 exclusive schedule last year, SDSU will play seven non-conference matches this season, all against schools from the Big West or WCC.
- SDSU only has two matches outside of California (at Washington and Oregon State).

Notes from the LMU Match (T, 0-0, Aug. 30)

- This was SDSU's first time earning a result on the road against a ranked team since Nov. 6, 2016, when they beat No. 10 Washington 1-0.
- This is the first time the Aztecs have earned consecutive shutouts since Nov. 3 (Cal, 1-0) and Nov. 8 (Omaha, 0-0) of 2019.
- Newcomers So Nishikawa and Henry Smith-Hastie made their first career starts as an Aztec. Smith-Hastie played 103 minutes.
- Rik Regeling made his first appearance for SDSU, subbing into the match in extra time.
- SDSU started seven underclassmen (four freshmen and three sophomores).
- The Aztecs limited LMU to two corner kicks.

Coach Hopkins' Take on Cal Poly

Cal Poly is brimming with confidence after a huge road win over St Mary's. They have some components of their game model that you don't see every day so it should make for an interesting contest. I always tell our guys, 'It's about us vs. us,' and how good we can be on the day. This is

SDSU's Record When...

Category	Record	Streak
Overall	1-0-1	T1
Last Five	1-0-1	T1
Home	1-0-0	W1
Away	0-0-1	T1
Day	---	---
Night (5 p.m. or later)	1-0-1	T1
August	1-0-1	T1
September	1-3-1	W1
Monday	0-0-1	T1
Thursday	1-0-0	W1
Friday	0-0-0	---
Following a Victory	0-0-1	T1
Following a Loss	---	---
Following a Tie	---	---
Scoring First	1-0-0	W1
Opponent Scores First	---	---
Leading at Halftime	---	---
Trailing at Halftime	---	---
Tied at Halftime	1-0-1	T1
When Leading in Game	1-0-0	W1
When Trailing in Game	---	---
In Overtime	0-0-1	T1
SDSU Outshoots Opponent	---	---
Opponent Outshoots SDSU	1-0-1	T1
SDSU-Opponent Tie in Shots	---	---
SDSU Has More Shots on Goal	1-0-0	W1
Opponent Has More Shots on Goal	0-0-1	T1
SDSU-Opponent Tie in Shots on Goal	--	--
SDSU Has More Fouls	0-0-1	T1
Opponent Has More Fouls	1-0-0	W1
SDSU-Opponent Tie in Fouls	--	--
SDSU Has More Corners	0-0-1	T1
Opponent Has More Corners	---	---
SDSU-Opponent Tie in Corners	1-0-0	W1
In One-Goal Games	---	---
SDSU Scores One Goal	---	---
Opponent Scores One Goal	---	---
SDSU Scores Two Goals	1-0-0	W1
Opponent Scores Two Goals	---	---
SDSU Scores 3+ Goals	---	---
Opponent Scores 3+ Goals	---	---

another big match in our maturation process."

Opponent Notebook (Cal Poly)

Cal Poly is 1-0-1 and is coming off a 2-1 road win at Saint Mary's, who is receiving votes... They lost at Santa Clara 1-0 in their season opener... Friday is their home opener... They played two preseason friendlies, losing at UCLA 1-0 and then beating Fresno Pacific 4-1... The Mustangs were picked to finish eighth in the Big West preseason coaches poll, and picked up a first place vote... CP's two goals came from Jacob Glass and Conner Leber... Goalkeeper Carlos Arce-Hurtado has played every minute and collected nine saves... Cal Poly, along with all Big West schools, did not participate in the 2020 season due to concerns surrounding COVID-19... Head coach Steve Sampson is in his seventh year as the Cal Poly head coach... He has previously coached the LA Galaxy and US Men's National Team... The Aztecs are 6-5-3 all-time against Cal Poly... They last met in 2017, a 1-0 loss at home... SDSU hasn't beaten Cal Poly since 1995.

2021 Aztec Men's Soccer Roster

No.	Player	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Yr.	Hometown (Last School)
0	Jacob Castro	GK	6-4	190	So.*	Spanaway, Wash. (Washington)
00	Aiden Hanes	GK	6-0	185	So.	Riverside, Calif. (Capistrano Connections Academy)
01	Elliot Pavis	GK	6-2	180	Fr.*	Mill Valley, Calif. (Tamalpais HS)
1	Tetsuya Kadono	GK	6-2	190	Jr.	Irvine, Calif. (Woodbridge HS)
2	Esteban Zepeda	D	6-0	150	Jr.*	Lincoln, Calif. (Lincoln HS)
3	Kevin Peraza	D	6-0	155	So.	Montebello, Calif. (IMG Academy (Fla.))
4	Kyle Colonna	D	6-3	175	Jr.*	Danville, Calif. (Monte Vista HS)
5	Tadej Pirtovšek	D	5-11	160	Fr.	Maribor, Slovenia (Srednja šola za trženje in dixajn Maribor)
6	Jordan Korbus	MF	5-10	150	Fr.*	San Jose, Calif. (Pioneer HS)
7	Laukoa Santos	MF	5-10	160	Sr.*	Waikoloa, Hawaii (Kealahou HS)
8	Arturo Chavez	MF	5-10	165	Sr.	Lake Forest, Calif. (El Toro HS)
9	Tevonn Roux	F	6-0	180	Sr.	Davidson, N.C. (William Amos Hough HS)
11	Alex Hjelmfot	F	5-9	150	Fr.	Rungsted, Denmark (Øregård Gymnasium)
12	Austin Wehner	F	5-11	185	Jr.	Roseville, Calif. (Roseville HS)
13	So Nishikawa	D	5-10	160	Fr.	Melbourne Australia (Wesley College)
14	Henry Smith-Hastie	MF	6-0	170	Jr.	Los Angeles, Calif. (SMU)
15	Elias Katsaros	D	6-0	170	So.	Seattle, Wash. (Decatur HS)
16	Rik Regeling	D	6-2	175	Fr.	Badhoevedorp, Netherlands (Caland Lyceum)
17	Reagan Sherlock	D	6-0	175	Sr.*	San Diego, Calif. (Torrey Pines HS)
18	Andre Ochoa	MF	5-8	150	So.	Anaheim, Calif. (Connexus Academy)
19	Romme Jaridly	F	6-0	160	Fr.	Chino Hills, Calif. (Chino Hills HS)
20	Xavier Monge	MF	5-9	145	Fr.	San Diego, Calif. (Southwest HS)
23	Iñigo Villaldea	MF	6-0	165	So.	Gijón, Spain (Dominican School)
25	Beto Apolinar	MF	5-10	155	Fr.	Los Angeles, Calif. (El Camino Charter HS)
26	Blake Bowen	MF	5-9	140	Jr.	San Clemente, Calif. (San Clemente HS)
27	Donovan Roux	MF	5-10	165	Fr.*	Davidson, N.C. (William Amos Hough HS)

*Redshirt season utilized

Head Coach: Ryan Hopkins (Second Season)

Assistant Head Coach: Carlos Aguilar (Second Season)

Assistant Head Coach: Bryce Cregan (First Season)

Volunteer Assistant Coach (Goalkeepers): Miguel Gutierrez (Second Season)

Pronunciations:

#1 Tetsuya Kadono – tet-SUE-ya ka-DOE-no	#15 Elias Katsaros – el-EE-iss CAT-sar-os
#01 Elliot Pavis – PAY-viss	#16 Rik Regeling – RAG-el-ING
#4 Kyle Colonna – kuh-LOW-nuh	#17 Reagan Sherlock – RAY-ginn (like Ronald Reagan)
#5 Tadej Pirtovšek – tah-DAY PEER-toe-sheck	#19 Rommee Jaridly – RAW-me jah-rid-LEE
#7 Laukoa Santos – la-KO-uh	#20 Xavier Monge – mon-GEE
#9 Tevonn Roux – ROO	#23 Iñigo Villaldea – in-EE-go vee-ALL-uh-dee-uh
#11 Alex Hjelmfot – YELM-hoff	#25 Beto Apolinar – BAY-toe app-o-LEE-naar
#12 Austin Wehner – WEN-er	#27 Donovan Roux – ROO
#13 So Nishikawa – NEE-sha-KA-wa	AC Bryce Cregan – CREE-gan
#14 Henry Smith-Hastie – HAY-stee	

2021 San Diego State University Men's Soccer
Overall Statistics (as of Aug 30, 2021)

Record:	Overall	Home	Away	Neutral
All Games	1-0-1	1-0	0-0-1	0-0
Conference	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0
Non-Conference	1-0-1	1-0	0-0-1	0-0

Date	Opponent	W/L	Score	Att.
08/26/2021	CSUN	W	2-0	412
08/30/2021	at LMU (CA)	T	0-0	110
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Team Statistics	SDSU	OPP
SHOT STATISTICS		
Goals-Shot Att.	2-23	0-29
Goals Per Game	1.00	0.00
Shot Pct.	0.087	0.000
Shots on Goal-Att.	7-23	7-29
SOG Pct.	0.304	0.241
Shots/Game	11.5	14.5
CORNER KICKS	11	7
PENALTY KICKS	1-1	0-0
PENALTIES		
Yellow Cards	5	6
Red Cards	0	1
ATTENDANCE		
Total	412	1,101
Dates-Avg Per Date	1/412	1/1101
Neutral Site #-Avg	0/	

#	Player	GP	G	A	PTS	SH	SH%	SOG	SOG%	GW	PK-ATT
11	Hjælmof, Alex	2	1	1	3	1	1.000	1	1.000	1	1-1
18	Ochoa, Andre	2	1	0	2	3	0.333	1	0.333	0	0-0
26	Bowen, Blake	2	0	0	0	3	0.000	1	0.333	0	0-0
0	Castro, Jacob	2	0	0	0	0	0.000	0	0.000	0	0-0
8	Chavez, Arturo	2	0	0	0	1	0.000	0	0.000	0	0-0
4	Colonna, Kyle	2	0	0	0	0	0.000	0	0.000	0	0-0
15	Katsaros, Elias	2	0	0	0	0	0.000	0	0.000	0	0-0
13	Nishikawa, So	2	0	0	0	2	0.000	1	0.500	0	0-0
5	Pirtovšek, Tadej	2	0	0	0	0	0.000	0	0.000	0	0-0
16	Regeling, Rik	1	0	0	0	0	0.000	0	0.000	0	0-0
27	Roux, Donovan	2	0	0	0	4	0.000	1	0.250	0	0-0
9	Roux, Tevenn	1	0	0	0	1	0.000	0	0.000	0	0-0
7	Santos, Laukoa	2	0	0	0	4	0.000	0	0.000	0	0-0
14	Smith-Hastie, Henry	2	0	0	0	2	0.000	1	0.500	0	0-0
23	Villaldea, Iñigo	2	0	0	0	1	0.000	0	0.000	0	0-0
12	Wehner, Austin	2	0	0	0	1	0.000	1	1.000	0	0-0
	Total	2	2	1	5	23	0.087	7	0.304	1	1-1
	Opponent	2	0	0	0	29	0.000	7	0.241	0	0-0

#	Goalie	GP	MIN	GA	GAA	SAVE	PCT	W-L-T	SHO
0	Castro, Jacob	2	200:00	0	0.00	7	1.000	1-0-1	2/0
	Total	2	200:00	0	0.00	7	1.000	1-0-1	2
	Opponents	2	200:00	2	0.90	5	0.714	--	1

Goals by Period	1st	2nd	OT	OT2	Total
San Diego State	0	2	0	0	2
Opponents	0	0	0	0	0

Shots by Period	1st	2nd	OT	OT2	Total
San Diego State	8	15	0	0	23
Opponents	10	15	2	2	29

Saves by Period	1st	2nd	OT	OT2	Total
San Diego State	1	5	0	1	7
Opponents	1	4	0	0	5

Corners by Period	1st	2nd	OT	OT2	Total
San Diego State	6	3	1	1	11
Opponents	3	4	0	0	7

Fouls by Period	1st	2nd	OT	OT2	Total
San Diego State	19	10	1	3	33
Opponents	13	15	1	2	31