### **GAME #12**

909 WINS (7th in Nation)

50 BOWL GAMES (T-9th in Nation)

30 BOWL WINS (T-4th in Nation)

101 FIRST-TEAM ALL-AMERICANS

### 11/27/21 - NOON



University Park, Pa. Beaver Stadium (106,572)

**Series: Tied 17-17-1** 

Last Meeting: Penn State, 39-24 December 12, 2020 - Beaver Stadium



#### **RV/RV PENN STATE NITTANY LIONS**

7-4, 4-4 Big Ten H: 5-2, A: 2-2, N: 0-0

Head Coach:	James Franklin (East Stroudsburg '95)
Record at Penn State (8th season):	67-32 (.677)
Career Record (11th season):	91-47 (.659)
vs. Rutgers	3-4

SCHEDULE/RESULTS				
700	41	vs	⟨□⟩(E.T.)/ ▼	Ŏ
9.4	19/20	at 12/15 Wisconsin*	W, 16-10	FOX
9.11	11/13	RV/RV Ball State	W, 44-13	FS1
9.18	10/12	22/20 Auburn	W, 28-20	ABC
9.25	6/8	Villanova	W, 38-17	BTN
10.2	4/6	Indiana* (-/RV)	W, 24-0	ABC
10.9	4/4	at 3/3 lowa*	L, 20-23	F0X
10.23	7/8	Illinois*	L, 18-20 (9 OT)	ABC
10.30	20/17	at 5/5 Ohio State*	L, 24-33	ABC
11.6	22/23/-	at Maryland*	W, 31-14	FS1
11.13	23/23/-	9/8/6 Michigan*	L, 17-21	ABC
11.20	RV/RV/-	Rutgers*	W, 28-0	BTN
11.27	RV/RV/-	at 12/13/12 Michigan S	tate* 3:30 p.m.	ABC

\* - B1G game Rankings: AP/Coaches/CFP



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#### **BY** THE NUMBERS

106,799
Penn State averaged 106,799 fans in Beaver Stadium this season, its highest average attendance since 2009.

### 1,000+10

Against Rutgers, Jahan Dotson became the third Nittany Lion to have 1,000 receiving yards and 10 receiving touchdowns in a season.

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Jordan Stout landed five punts inside the 10 against Rutgers and six punts inside the 20.

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The Nittany Lions recorded their second shutout of the season against Rutgers. PSU also shutout Indiana on October 2.

# #12/13/12 MICHIGAN STATE SPARTANS

9-2, 6-2 Big Ten H: 5-0, A: 4-2, N: 0-0

Head Coach:	Mel Tucker (Wisconsin '94)
Record at Michigan State (2nd season):	11-7 (.611)
Career Record (3rd season):	16-14 (.533)
vs. Penn State:	0-1

SCHEDULE/RESULTS				
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9.3		at RV/RV Northwestern*	W, 38-21	ESPN
9.11	RV/RV	Youngstown State	W, 42-14	BTN
9.18	RV/RV	at 24/RV Miami	W, 38-17	ABC
9.25	20/21	Nebraska*	W, 23-20 (OT)	FS1
10.2	17/16	Western Kentucky	W, 48-31	BTN
10.9	11/11	at Rutgers*	W, 31-13	BTN
10.16	10/9	at Indiana*	W, 20-15	FS1
10.30	8/7	6/6 Michigan*	W, 37-33	FOX
11.6	5/6/3	at Purdue*	L, 29-40	ABC
11.13	8/9/7	Maryland*	W, 40-21	FOX
11.20	7/8/7	at 5/4/4 Ohio State*	L, 7-56	ABC
11.27	12/13/12	RV/RV/- Penn State*	3:30 p.m.	ABC

\* - B1G game Rankings: AP/Coaches/CFP

#### **INSIDE** THE GAME

#### PENN STATE CONCLUDES REGULAR SEASON AT MICHIGAN STATE

- **OPENING KICK:** Penn State travels to No. 12/13/7 Michigan State for its final regular season game of the 2021 campaign. Kickoff is scheduled for 3:30 p.m. on ABC. The 2021 season is presented by PSECU.
- **SERIES HISTORY:** The Nittany Lions will meet Michigan State for the 36th time in the series. The series is even at 17-17-1, but Penn State has won the last two matchups. In 2020, the Nittany Lions earned a 39-24 win in Beaver Stadium. Sean Clifford threw for two touchdowns, both to Parker Washington, and rushed for another. Jahan Dotson caught eight passes for 108 yards and scored on an 81-yard punt return. The Nittany Lion defense registered 10 tackles for loss and four sacks, while Jaquan Brisker collected nine tackles and an interception.
- **SECOND SHUTOUT:** Penn State notched its second shutout of the season last Saturday, holding Rutgers scoreless. The Scarlet Knights punted on 10 of its first 11 drives with the other drive ending the first half and its final three drives ending in a turnover on downs, an interception and the end of the game. Rutgers crossed the 50-yard line on only one drive. The Nittany Lions also shutout Indiana this season, marking the first time Penn State has shutout two conference opponents since joining the Big Ten in 1993.
- LIVING IN THE BACKFIELD: Arnold Ebiketie continued his incredible season with five tackles, 1.5 tackles for loss and a strip-sack against Rutgers. Ebiketie has at least one tackle for loss in seven-straight games this season. Ebiketie leads the Big Ten with 16.0 tackles for loss and ranks second among Power Five defensive linemen. He's also third in the Big Ten in sacks (9.5) and third among Power Five defensive linemen in total tackles (58). Among Ebiketie's 16.0 tackles for loss, 13.5 have come against Big Ten opponents (eight games) and 8.5 of 9.5 sacks have come against conference foes.
- THE OPPOSITION: Michigan State is 9-2 this season, including a 6-2 mark in Big Ten play. Last Saturday, the Spartans fell 56-7 at Ohio State. On the season, Michigan State is third in the Big Ten in scoring offense (32.1 ppg) and fourth in total offense (463.4). RB Kenneth Walker III paces the Big Ten in rushing yards (1,498), rushing yards per game (136.2) and rushing touchdowns (17). On defense, the Spartans are allowing 25.6 points (11th in the Big Ten) and 463.4 total yards (14th). S Xavier Henderson leads the team with 89 tackles and 10.0 tackles for loss.

#### **BREAK**DOWN

**RANKINGS** COMPARISON

RUSHING	Penn State:	Keyvone Lee	89 for 416 yds (37.8), 2 TD
	Michigan State:	Kenneth Walker III	233 for 1,498 yds (136.2), 17 TD
PASSING	Penn State:	Sean Clifford	224-of-362 (62%), 2,599 yds (236.3), 17 TD/6 INT
FASSING	Michigan State:	Payton Thorne	187-of-309 (61%), 2,618 yds (238.0), 22 TD/8 INT
RECEIVING	Penn State:	Jahan Dotson	83 for 1,045 yds (95.0), 10 TD
	Michigan State:	Jayden Reed	47 for 857 yds (77.9), 7 TD
DEFENSE	Penn State:	Arnold Ebiketie	58 tkls, 16.0 TFL, 9.5 SK, 2 FF, 2 Blk FG, 7 QBH
	Michigan State:	Xavier Henderson	89 tkls, 10.0 TFL, 3.0 SK, 1 INT, 1 FF, 2 PBU

#### **FBS** Conf Stat Conf **FBS** MSU 38.7 42.0 60.9 38.4 35.6 3rd Down Offense Pct 3rd Down Defense Pct. 60. Completion Pct. Passing Defense 339.9 130 202.9 270.9 243.3 Passing Offense Kick Return Avg. 20.9 15.3 82 Punt Return Avg. 19.3 83.3 85.0 123.5 Red Zone Defense Red Zone Offense 62.7 86. 62 Rushing Defense Rushing Offense 185.8 110.5 116 25.6 32.1 3.0 Scoring Defense 26.2 80 Scoring Offense 2.0 28:44 Team Sacks 26:58 90 Time of Possession Total Defense 120 334.6 120 463.4 381.5 84 Total Offense 429.1 Turnover Margin 16.06 Explosive Play Offense Pct Explosive Play Defense Pct. 10.99

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#### **PROGRAM** NOTES

#### **RECENT SUCCESS**

Since 2016, Penn State holds a .726 winning percentage, with a record of 53-20, the ninth-best winning percentage among Power Five programs. Penn State has won at least nine games in four of the last five seasons, one of eight FBS programs to accomplish the feat.

#### **ACADEMIC EXCELLENCE**

A total of 509 of Penn State football student-athletes, including 29 in 2020, have earned Academic All-Big Ten honors since 1993 for owning at least a 3.0 grade point average and being a letterwinner.

#### ONE OF NATION'S TOUGHEST HOME VENUES

Penn State owns a superlative 304-79 (.794) record inside Beaver Stadium, the nation's second-largest facility, which opened in 1960 and has a capacity of 106,572. The Nittany Lions are 33-7 in Beaver Stadium since 2016, an .825 winning percentage, the 10th-best home record among Power Five teams.

#### **QUICK FACTS**

#### **UNIVERSITY**

NAME	The Pennsylvania State University
LOCATION	University Park, Pa.
	1855
	Nittany Lions
	Blue & White
CONFERENCE	Big Ten
DIVISION	NCAA Division I
STADIUM	Beaver Stadium (106,572)
STADIUM SURFACE	Natural Grass
PRESIDENT	Dr. Eric Barron
V.P. FOR INTERCOLLEGIATE A	THLETICSSandy Barbour
HEAD COACH	James Franklin (8th Season)
FOOTBALL OFFICE	814-865-0412
TICKET OFFICE	1-800-NITTANY

#### **FOOTBALL HISTORY**

FIRST YEAR	1887
ALL-TIME RECORD (135th Season)	909-402-42 (.687)
	7th in victories
ALL-TIME BIG TEN RECORD (29th Season)	147-90 (.620)
ALL-TIME BOWL RECORD	30-18-2 (.612)
	. T-4th in bowl victories
YEARS IN POSTSEASON PLAY	50
Т-9	th in bowl appearances
BEAVER STADIUM RECORD	304-79 (.794)

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ALL-TIME BOWL RECORD30-18-2 (.612)
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<b>BEAVER STADIUM RECORD</b> 304-79 (.794)
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ASSISTANT COACHES
MIKE YURCICHCalifornia (Pa.); 1999
Offensive Coordinator/Quarterbacks (1st Season)
BRENT PRYBuffalo; 1993
Defensive Coordinator/Linebackers (8th Season)
JOE LORIGWestern Oregon; 1995
Special Teams Coordinator/Outside Linebackers/Nickels (3rd Season)
TY HOWLEPenn State; 2013
Tight Ends (1st Season)
ANTHONY POINDEXTERVirginia; 2009
Co-Defensive Coordinator/Safeties (1st Season)
JOHN SCOTT JR Western Carolina; 2000
Defensive Line (2nd Season)
JA'JUAN SEIDERWest Virginia; 2000
Run Game Coordinator/Running Backs (4th Season)
TERRY M. SMITH Penn State; 1991
Associate Head Coach/
Defensive Recruiting Coordinator/Cornerbacks (8th Season)
TAYLOR STUBBLEFIELDPurdue; 2004
Offensive Recruiting Coordinator/Wide Receivers (2nd Season)
PHIL TRAUTWEIN
DWIGHT GALTMaryland; 1981

#### **NATIONAL POLLS**

PENN STATE	IN THE	POLLS	
Date	CFP	AP	COACHES
Preseason	-	19	20
Week 2 (9/7)	-	11	13
Week 3 (9/12)	-	10	12
Week 4 (9/19)	-	6	8
Week 5 (9/26)	-	4	6
Week 6 (10/3)	-	4	4
Week 7 (10/10)	-	7	8
Week 8 (10/17)	-	7	8
Week 9 (10/24)	-	20	17
Week 10 (10/31, 11/2)	-	22	23
Week 11 (11/7, 9)	-	23	23
Week 12 (11/14, 16)	-	RV	RV
Week 13 (11/21, 23)	-	RV	RV
Week 14 (11/28, 30)	-	-	-
Week 15 (12/5)	-	-	-
Week 16 (12/12)	-	-	-

#### **COLLEGE FOOTBALL PLAYOFF**

Rankings will be issued six times in 2021, including Selection Day, Sunday, December 5. The dates will be as follows:

- Tuesday, November 2 (7 p.m.)
- Tuesday, November 9 (9 p.m.)
- Tuesday, November 16 (7 p.m.)
- Tuesday, November 23 (7 p.m.)
- Tuesday, November 30 (7 p.m.)
- Sunday, December 5 Selection Day (Noon)

For more information on rankings, the selection committee protocol and voting process, visit collegefootballplayoff.com.

#### **COLLEGE FOOTBALL PLAYOFF (11/23)**

CO	LLEGE FOOTB	ALL PLAT
1.	Georgia	11-0
2.	Ohio State	10-1
3.	Alabama	10-1
4.	Cincinnati	11-0
5.	Michigan	10-1
6.	Notre Dame	10-1
7.	Oklahoma State	10-1
8.	Baylor	9-2
9.	Ole Miss	9-2
10.	Oklahoma	10-1
11.	Oregon	9-2
12.	Michigan State	9-2
13.	BYU	9-2
14.	Wisconsin	8-3
15.	Texas A&M	8-3
16.	lowa	9-2
17.	Pittsburgh	9-2
18.	Wake Forest	9-2
19.	Utah	8-3
20.	NC State	8-3
21.	San Diego State	10-1
22.	UTSA	11-0
23.	Clemson	8-3
24.	Houston	10-1
25.	Arkansas	7-4

#### **ASSOCIATED PRESS (11/21)**

<b>A</b> 3	SOCIALED P	KE33 (11/21)		
1.	Georgia(62)	11-0	1550	
2.	Ohio State	10-1	1434	
3.	Alabama	10-1	1423	
4.	Cincinnati	11-0	1416	
5.	Notre Dame	10-1	1262	
6.	Michigan	10-1	1246	
7.	Oklahoma State	10-1	1209	
8.	Ole Miss	9-2	1060	
9.	Baylor	9-2	1046	
10.	Oklahoma	10-1	1001	
11.	Oregon	9-2	849	
12.	Michigan State	9-2	778	
13.	BYU	9-2	771	
14.	Texas A&M	8-3	628	
15.	UTSA	11-0	583	
16.	Utah	8-3	561	
17.	lowa	9-2	538	
18.	Wisconsin	8-3	517	
19.	Houston	10-1	516	
20.	Pittsburgh	9-2	445	
21.	Wake Forest	9-2	344	
22.	San Diego State	10-1	273	
23.	Louisiana	10-1	246	
24.	NC State	8-3	141	
25.	Arkansas	7-4	105	
Others receiving votes: Clemson 101, Mississippi State 44, <b>PENN STA</b> 1				
<b>26</b> , A	ppalachian State 24, K	entucky 10, Purdue 3.		

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#### **USA TODAY/AFCA COACHES (11/21)**

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1.	Georgia(62)	11-0	1550
2.	Alabama	10-1	1450
3.	Ohio State	10-1	1428
4.	Cincinnati	11-0	1388
5.	Notre Dame	10-1	1258
6.	Michigan	10-1	1250
7.	Oklahoma State	10-1	1210
8.	Ole Miss	9-2	1049
9.	Oklahoma	10-1	1010
10.	Baylor	9-2	977
11.	Oregon	9-2	864
12.	lowa	9-2	722
13.	Michigan State	9-2	698
14.	Texas A&M	8-3	683
15.	BYU	9-2	675
16.	Houston	10-1	572
17.	Pittsburgh	9-2	507
18.	Wisconsin	8-3	485
19.	Utah	8-3	478
20.	UTSA	11-0	475
21.	Wake Forest	9-2	404
22.	San Diego State	10-1	257
23.	Louisiana	10-1	236
24.	NC State	8-3	196
25.	Kentucky	8-3	91
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Others receiving votes: Arkansas 67, Clemson 56, Mississippi State 42, PENN STATE 22, Appalachian State 20, Purdue 10, Air Force 9, Coastal Carolina 9, Oregon State 2

2021 Opponents in bold

### **THIS DAY** IN HISTORY

STREAK: L, 1	UV.	N
Result	Site	<u>Year</u>
Steelton YMCA 6, Penn State 5	Α	1902
Pittsburgh 7, Penn State 6	Α	1913
Penn State 20, Pittsburgh 0	A	1919
Pittsburgh 24, Penn State 3	Α	1924
No. 18 Penn State 7, Washington State 0	Α	1948
Penn State 25, No. 19 Pittsburgh 21	Α	1958

Site Res	Site	<u>Year</u>
A No. 14 Penn State 38, No. 25 Michigan State	Α	1993
H No. 11 Michigan State 28, Penn State	Н	2010

#### **OPPONENT TRACKER**

Wisconsin (SEPT. 4) Overall: 8-3 Big Ten: 6-2 This Week: at Minnesota Last Week: W, 35-28, vs. Nebraska UWBadgers.com	BALL STATE (SEPT. 11) Overall: 5-6 MAC: 3-4 This Week: host Buffalo (11/23) Last Week: L, 17-37, vs. Central Michigan BallStateSports.com	AUBURN (SEPT. 18) Overall: 6-5 SEC: 3-4 This Week: host Alabama Last Week: L, 17-21, at South Carolina AuburnTigers.com	
VILLANOVA (SEPT. 25) Overall: 9-2 CAA: 7-1 This Week: Idle (FCS Playoffs) Last Week: W, 21-13, at Delaware Villanova.com	INDIANA (OCT. 2) Overall: 2-9 Big Ten: 0-8 This Week: at Purdue Last Week: L, 14-35, vs. Minnesota IUHoosiers.com	lowa (OCT. 9) Overall: 9-2 Big Ten: 6-2 This Week: at Nebraska (11/26) Last Week: W, 33-23, vs. Illinois HawkeyeSports.com	
Overall: 4-7 Big Ten: 3-5 This Week: host Northwestern Last Week: L, 23-33, at lowa FightingIllini.com	Ohio State (OCT. 30) Overall: 10-1 Big Ten: 8-0 This Week: at Michigan Last Week: W, 56-7, vs. Michigan State OhioStateBuckeyes.com	Maryland (NOV. 6) Overall: 5-6 Big Ten: 2-6 This Week: at Rutgers Last Week: L, 18-59, vs. Michigan UMTerps.com	
MICHIGAN (NOV. 13) Overall: 10-1 Big Ten: 7-1 This Week: host Ohio State Last Week: W, 59-18, at Maryland MGoBlue.com	RUTGERS (NOV. 20) Overall: 5-6 Big Ten: 2-6 This Week: host Maryland Last Week: L, 0-28, at Penn State ScarletKnights.com	Michigan State (NOV. 27) Overall: 9-2 Big Ten: 6-2 This Week: host Penn State Last Week: L, 7-56, at Ohio State MSUSpartans.com	

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#### SUNDAY:

9 a.m. - Updated stats available at GoPSUsports.com.

#### MONDAY:

 $8\ p.m.\ -\ Game\ Notes\ available\ at\ GoPSUs ports.com.$ 

#### TUESDAY:

12:30 p.m. - Penn State Weekly Press Conference James Franklin available for questions via Zoom.

To ask a question please contact the Strategic Communications Office at 814-865-1757 prior to 9 a.m. ET. Video/audio from the press conference will be available via Penn State Football Media Central.

6:05 p.m. - "The Penn State Coaches Show Featuring James Franklin Presented by Pepsi" at The Field and broadcast live on the Penn State Sports Network and LionVision on GoPSUsports.com.

#### TUESDAY-WEDNESDAY:

9 a.m. - 2 p.m. - Player Interviews

Selected players available interviews via Zoom. For information, please contact Greg Kincaid in PSU Strategic Communications.

#### WEDNESDAY:

Times TBA - Practice Availability

Media can watch first 20 minutes of practice. James Franklin and one player will be available post-practice.

#### SATURDAY:

Postgame: James Franklin and selected players will be available immediately following the game.

Video/audio of Franklin's press conference will be available via Penn State Football Media Central.

### **B1G** STANDINGS

	BIG	TEN	1	OVE	RALL	
EAST	W-L	%	W-L	%	AP	USA
Ohio State	8-0	1.000	10-1	.909	2-1	2-1
Michigan	7-1	.875	10-1	.909	1-1	1-1
Michigan State	6-2	.750	9-2	.818	2-1	2-1
PENN STATE	4-4	.500	7-4	.636	2-3	2-3
Maryland	2-6	.250	5-6	.454	0-5	0-5
Rutgers	2-6	.250	5-6	.454	0-3	0-3
Indiana	0-8	.000	2-9	.182	0-6	0-6
WEST	W-L	%	W-L	%	AP	USA
Iowa	6-2	.750	9-2	.818	3-0	3-0
Wisconsin	6-2	.750	8-3	.727	2-3	1-3
Minnesota	5-3	.625	7-4	.636	0-1	0-1
Purdue	5-3	.625	7-4	.636	2-2	2-2
Illinois	3-5	.375	4-7	.364	2-1	2-1
Nebraska	1-7	.125	3-8	.273	0-5	0-5
Northwestern	1-7	.125	3-8	.273	0-3	0-3

#### BIG TEN SCHEDULE (All Times Eastern)

Big Ten Conference Gal

Friday, Nov. 26

Iowa at Nebraska, 1:30 p.m. (BTN)

Saturday, Nov. 27

Penn State at Michigan State, 3:30 p.m. (ABC)

Ohio State at Michigan, noon (FOX) Maryland at Rutgers, noon (BTN) Indiana at Purdue, 3:30 p.m. (FS1) Northwestern at Illinois, 3:30 p.m. (BTN) Wisconsin at Minnesota, 4 p.m. (FOX)

Big Ten Players of the Week (November 22)

**Co-Offensive:** CJ Stroud, QB, Ohio State, R-Fr.

Defensive: Isaiah Gay, LB, Illinois, Sr.

Special Teams: *Jordan Stout, P, Penn State, R-Sr.*Freshman: CJ Stroud, QB, Ohio State, R-Fr.

#### **BIG TEN MEDIA SERVICES**

**BIG TEN CONFERENCE RELEASE/STATISTICS:** The Big Ten Conference football release, with standings and statistics, is available at www.bigten.org.

**BIG TEN PLAYERS OF THE WEEK:** The Big Ten Conference will be announcing Players of the Week every Monday during the season.

#### PENN STATE MEDIA CENTRAL

Notes, Flipcards, Press Conference Video/Audio, etc. can be found by going to **gopsusports.com/fbmedia**.

Please contact Strategic Communications for login info.

MONDAY	TUESDAY		WEDNESDAY	THUR./FRI.	SATURDAY	SUNDAY
Game Notes Available by 8 p.m. on GoPSUsports. com	James Franklin Press Conference 12:30 p.m. (ET) Player Zoom Conferences	The Penn State Coaches Show Presented by Pepsi 6:05 p.m. GoPSUsports.com Penn State Sports Network	Practice Availability & James Franklin Post Practice  Player Zoom Conferences	No Coach/Player Availability	Michigan State 3:30 p.m.  ABC/ Penn State Sports Network  Spartan Stadium	Updated Statistics Available 9 a.m. GoPSUsports.com

#### **4** 2021 PENN STATE FOOTBALL



Born: February 2, 1972 Hometown: Langhorne, Pa. Wife: Fumi Daughters: Shola & Addison

#### **Education:**

Neshaminy High School, 1990 East Stroudsburg, 1995; B.S. in Psychology Washington State, 1999; M.A. in Educational Leadership

#### **Playing Career:**

East Stroudsburg; Quarterback, 1991-94

#### **Coaching Experience**

2014-pres.	Head Coach	Penn State
2011-13	Head Coach	Vanderbilt
2008-10	Asst HC/Off. Coord./QBs	Maryland
2006-07	Off. Coord./QBs	Kansas State
2005	Wide Receivers	Green Bay Packers
2000-04	Recruiting Coord./WRs	Maryland
1999	Wide Receivers	Idaho State
1998	Grad. Asst./Tight Ends	Washington State
1997	Wide Receivers	James Madison
1996	Grad. Asst./Secondary	East Stroudsburg
1995	Wide Receivers	Kutztown

#### **CAREER RECORD**

VAND	DERBILT
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Year	Overall	Conf.	Final AP; Notes
2011	6-7	2-6	Liberty Bowl (L)
2012	9-4	4-4	No. 23; Music City Bowl (W)
2013	9-4	5-3	No. 20; BBVA Compass Bowl (W)
3 yrs	24-15	11-13	

#### **PENN STATE**

Year	Overall	Conf.	Final AP; Notes
2014	7-6	2-6	Pinstripe Bowl (W, OT)
2015	7-6	4-4	TaxSlayer Bowl (L)
2016	11-3	8-1	No. 7; Big Ten Champs, Rose Bowl (L)
2017	11-2	7-2	No. 8; Fiesta Bowl (W)
2018	9-4	6-3	No. 17; Citrus Bowl (L)
2019	11-2	7-2	No. 9; Cotton Bowl (W)
2020	4-5	4-5	
2021	7-4	4-4	
Q vrc	67-32	12-27	

#### CAREER

	Overall	Conf.	Bowls
11 yrs	91-47	53-40	Won 5, Lost 4

#### **HEAD COACH JAMES FRANKLIN**

#### CAREER AT A GLANCE

- Franklin was named the 16th head football coach in the storied history of the Nittany Lion program on January 11, 2014.
- Franklin is one of six current FBS head coaches to lead his teams to a bowl game in each of his first nine seasons as a head coach.
- Franklin is one of three current Big Ten coaches (Ryan Day, Kirk Ferentz) to have won a Big Ten Championship.
- He owns a 91-47 career record with a winning record in eight of his nine seasons at the helm.
- Franklin has led his teams to three Top 10 finishes (3 at Penn State) and six Top 25 finishes (2 at Vanderbilt; 4 at Penn State).
- In the last five seasons, Penn State is one of six teams to rank in the top 12 of the CFP final rankings at least four times.
- From 2016-19, Franklin led the Nittany Lions to three New Year's Six bowls 2016 (Rose), 2017 (Fiesta) and 2019 (Cotton), making Penn State one of eight teams to accomplish the feat during the four-year span. Penn State last went to three New Year's Six bowls in four years in 1980-83 (1980 Fiesta, 1982 Fiesta, 1983 Sugar).
- Franklin guided Penn State to back-to-back New Year's Six bowls in 2016 (Rose) and 2017 (Fiesta) for the first time since 1985 (Orange) and 1986 (Fiesta).
- From in 2016-19, Franklin led Penn State to 42 wins, the most in program history for the Big Ten era, and 28 league wins, a program record.
- Franklin has 26 years of coaching experience at the collegiate and NFL level.
- In his first 10 years as a head coach, Franklin mentored 82 players who have gone on to the NFL ranks.
- Since 2016, the Nittany Lions have had 29 players selected in the NFL Draft. With six selections in 2021, Penn State is one of five programs to produce at least five draft picks in each of the last four NFL Drafts.
- Franklin has secured top-25 recruiting classes each of his last nine seasons, including a top-5 class at Penn State in 2018.
- Franklin is second all-time in winning percentage by an FBS African American head coach (minimum 80 wins) and is third in total wins.

#### NITTANY LIONS ON THE FIELD

- In 2020, with Franklin's emphasis on safety, along with the precautions set by him, the coaching staff, medical staff and support staff, Penn State was one of only two Big Ten teams to play all nine of its scheduled games during a shortened season due to the COVID-19 pandemic. With the emergence of young skill players on offense, true freshmen accounted for 1,486 of Penn State's 3,873 total yards (38 percent), marking a school record for most combined scrimmage yards by true freshmen in a single season.
- Penn State earned its third 11-win season in four years with an 11-2 record in 2019, including a win over No. 17 Memphis in the Goodyear
  Cotton Bowl Classic. The Nittany Lions posted their fourth-straight top 12 finish in the final CFP rankings, coming in 10th, and were ranked
  ninth in the final Associated Press and Amway Coaches polls to earn their 25th AP Top 10 finish. Franklin was a finalist for the Paul "Bear"
  Bryant National Coach of the Year award for the second time at Penn State (2016) and third time in his head coaching career.
- In 2018, the Nittany Lions posted their third-straight season with at least nine wins with a 9-4 overall record, earning a berth in the VRBO
  Citrus Bowl. Penn State finished No. 12 in the final CFP rankings and No. 17 in the Associated Press and Amway Coaches polls.
- Penn State climbed as high as No. 2 in the rankings in 2017 and appeared in a second-straight New Year's Six bowl, earning a 35-28 win
  over No. 11 Washington in the PlayStation Fiesta Bowl. At 11-2, the Nittany Lions earned back-to-back 11-win seasons for the fifth time in
  program history and first time since 2008 and 2009. Penn State finished the season No. 8 in the Associated Press and Amway Coaches polls
  and No. 9 in the final CFP rankings.
- Penn State surged in 2016, winning nine consecutive games en route to the Big Ten Championship, a Rose Bowl berth and an 11-3 overall record. Penn State finished the season ranked No. 5 in the College Football Playoff rankings and No. 7 in the Associated Press and Amway Coaches polls. It was Penn State's highest finish in the polls since 2005. The Lions claimed their fourth overall Big Ten Championship and first outright title since 1994 with a thrilling, 38-31 comeback win over Wisconsin in the Big Ten Championship Game. Franklin was honored as Sporting News National Coach of the Year and the Woody Hayes National Coach of the Year, as well as the Dave McLain Big Ten Coach of the Year and Associated Press Big Ten Coach of the Year.
- Franklin guided the Nittany Lions to a 7-6 record in 2015 and a berth in the TaxSlayer Bowl.
- Franklin's first season in **2014** was bookended with a pair of thrilling victories for the Nittany Lions. It began with a final-play 26-24 victory over UCF in Dublin, Ireland, in Penn State's first-ever international game and ended with a comeback, a 31-30 overtime win over Boston College in the New Era Pinstripe Bowl in Yankee Stadium. Franklin became just the third Penn State coach to lead the team to at least seven wins in his first season, joining Dick Harlow (1915) and Bill O'Brien (2012), and he guided the Nittany Lions to a 4-0 start, joining Harlow as the only first-year Penn State coaches to win their initial four games.

#### **NITTANY LIONS IN THE CLASSROOM**

- A program-record nine Nittany Lions were named 2019-20 Big Ten Distinguished Scholars.
- The Nittany Lions posted their first 1,000 single-year APR in program history in 2018-19, topping the previous high of 993 in 2014-15.
- Punter Blake Gillikin took home CoSIDA Academic All-America® first-team honors in 2019 for the second-straight year to become the 12th
  two-time first-team selection in Penn State history. He graduated with a perfect 4.0 grade-point average in May. Gillikin's two first-team
  CoSIDA Academic All-America honors increase Penn State football's total to 67 honorees, which ranks second in Division I football history.
- Trace McSorley was selected as a 2018 National Football Foundation (NFF) Scholar-Athlete and a finalist for the Campbell Trophy, known as
  the "Academic Heisman." He was the 18th Nittany Lion to be selected as an NFF Scholar-Athlete.
- The Nittany Lions had a program-record 35 student-athletes claim Academic All-Big Ten honors in the fall of 2017.
- Tyler Yazujian collected a berth on the CoSIDA Academic All-America® first team in 2016 after an appearance on the second team in 2015.

#### **NITTANY LIONS IN THE COMMUNITY**

- The Nittany Lions are active in the community, participating in activities such as Uplifting Athletes, THON, Pennsylvania Special Olympics Summer Games, State College Area Food Bank and Penn State Hershey Children's Hospital visits.
- On June 15, 2020, Franklin was named to the Big Ten Anti-Hate and Anti-Racism Coalition.
- As part of the Cotton Bowl festivities in 2019, Franklin and his family made a \$10,000 financial commitment to the Dallas Children's Hospital.
- In August 2019, Franklin was named a Penn State University Renaissance Fund honoree, which awards outstanding community members for helping students in need.

#### **BOWL GAMES AS A COACH**

As a Head Coach:  2019 Cotton Bowl PSU W53-39 2019 Citrus Bowl PSU L27-24 2017 Fiesta Bowl PSU W35-28 2017 Rose Bowl PSU L52-49 2016 TaxSlayer Bowl PSU L24-17 2014 Pinstripe Bowl PSU W31-30 (0T) 2014 BBVA Compass Bowl VU W41-24 2012 Music City Bowl VU W38-24	As an Assistant Coach:  2010 Military Bowl UMD W 51-20 2008 Humanitarian Bowl UMD W 42-35 2006 Texas Bowl KSU L 37-10 2002 Orange Bowl UMD L 56-23 2004 Gator Bowl UMD 41-7 2002 Peach Bowl UMD 30-3
2012 Music City Bowl VU W 38-24 2011 Liberty Bowl VU L 31-24	

#### **COACHING HONORS**

2019 2016	Paul "Bear" Bryant Coach of the Year Finalist Sporting News National Coach of the Year
	Woody Hayes National Coach of the Year
	Maxwell Club Tri-State Coach of the Year
	College Sports Madness National Coach of the Year
	Eddie Robinson Coach of the Year Finalist
	Paul "Bear" Bryant Coach of the Year Finalist
	Associated Press Coach of the Year Finalist
	George Munger College Coach of the Year Semifinalist
	Big Ten Dave McClain Coach of the Year (media vote)
	Associated Press Big Ten Coach of the Year
	Athlon Sports Big Ten Coach of the Year
	ECAC Division I FBS Coach of the Year
	The Dodd Trophy Coach of the Week. (Oct. 24)
2012	Paul "Bear" Bryant Coach of the Year Finalist

#### **ALL-AMERICANS AS A HEAD COACH**

2019	Micah Parsons . 1st Team (Consensus)	2015	Carl Nassib 1st Team (Consensus)
	Pat Freiermuth 2nd Team	2014	Mike Hull2nd Team
2017	Saquon Barkley1st Team (Consensus)	2013	Jordan Matthews1st Team
	Mike Gesicki 2nd Team	2012	Jordan Matthews3rd Team
2016	Saquon Barkley3rd Team	2011	Casey Hayward 2nd Team

#### **AWARD WINNERS AS A HEAD COACH**

2020 2019 2017	Micah Parsons Saquon Barkley	
2016		Graham-George Big Ten Offensive Player of the Year Ameche-Dayne Big Ten Running Back of the Year Chicago Tribune Silver Football Award Vlade Award
2015		Rotary Lombardi Award Ted Hendricks Award Lott IMPACT Award CBS Sports National Defensive Player of the Year Nagurski-Woodson Big Ten Defensive Player of the Year Allstate AFCA Good Works Teams
2014	Mike Hull	$\ldots$ . Butkus-Fitzgerald Big Ten Linebacker of the Year

#### NFL DRAFT PICKS

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As a I	lead Coach:	
2021	Micah Parsons 1	12Cowboys
	Odafe "Jayson" Oweh 1	31 Ravens
	Pat Freiermuth 2	55 Steelers
	Shaka Toney7	246 WFT
	Michal Menet 7	247 . Cardinals
	Will Fries	248 Colts
2020	Yetur Gross-Matos 2	38Panthers
	KJ Hamler 2	46 Broncos
	John Reid 4	141 Texans
	Cam Brown 6	183 Giants
	Robert Windsor 6	193 Colts
2019	Miles Sanders 2	53Eagles
	Connor McGovern3	90Cowboys
	Shareef Miller 4	138 Eagles
	Amani Oruwariye 5	146 Lions
	Trace McSorley 6	197 Ravens
	Nick Scott	243 Rams
2018	Saquon Barkley1	2 Giants
	Mike Gesicki	42Dolphins
	Oren Burks (V)3	88 Packers
	Troy Apke 4	109 Redskins
	DaeSean Hamilton4	113 Broncos
	Marcus Allen5	148 Steelers
	Christian Campbell6	182 . Cardinals
2017	Zach Cunningham (V)2	57Texans
	Chris Godwin3	84 Buccaneers
	Will Holden (V)5	157 . Cardinals
2016	Austin Johnson2	43 Titans
	Christian Hackenberg 2	51Jets
	Carl Nassib2	65Browns

	Anthony Zettel 6	202 Lions
	Jordan Lucas 6	204Dolphins
	Stephen Weatherly (V) . 7	227 Vikings
2015	Donovan Smith2	34 Buccaneers
	Adrian Amos5	142 Bears
	Jesse James5	160 Steelers
2014	Jordan Matthews 2	42Eagles
	Wesley Johnson 5	173 Steelers
	Andre Hal 7	216 Texans
2013	Zac Stacy 5	160 Rams
	Ryan Seymour7	220 Seahawks
2012	Casey Hayward2	62Packers
	Tim Fugger 7	214 Colts
(V) - I	ndicates Franklin coached NFL	Draft pick while
at Var	derbilt.	

#### As an Assistant Coach:

2011	Torrey Smith 2	58 Raven
	Da'Rel Scott7	211 Giant
2010	Bruce Campbell 4	106 Raider
2009	Darrius Heyward-Bey 1	7 Raider
	Josh Freeman 1	17 Buccaneer
	Jaimie Thomas 7	236 Colt
	Dan Gronkowski 7	255 Lion:
2008	Jordy Nelson 2	36Packer
2007	Yamon Figurs 3	74 Raven:
	Thomas Clayton 6	186 49er

#### **ALL-CONFERENCE SELECTIONS AS A HEAD COACH**

Cam Brown.....3rd

2020	Pat Freiermuth 1st	
	Jayson Oweh 1st	
	Shaka Toney 1st	
	Will Fries2nd	
	Mike Miranda2nd	
	Jaquan Brisker3rd	
	Jahan Dotson 3rd (WR)	
	HM (RS)	
	Michal Menet3rd	
	Joey Porter Jr3rd	
	Rasheed Walker3rd	
	Lamont Wade3rd	
	Tariq Castro-FieldsHM	
	PJ MustipherHM	
	Antonio SheltonHM	2018
	Brandon SmithHM	2010
2019	Yetur Gross-Matos 1st	
	Micah Parsons 1st	
	Pat Freiermuth 2nd	
	Steven Gonzalez 2nd	
	KJ Hamler2nd (WR)	
	HM (RS)	
	Shaka Toney2nd	

	Tariq Castro-Fields3rd	
	Robert Windsor3rd	
	Journey BrownHM	
	Sean CliffordHM	
	Will FriesHM	
	Blake GillikinHM	
	Michal MenetHM	
	Jan JohnsonHM	
	Jake PinegarHM	
	John ReidHM	
	Garrett TaylorHM	
	Lamont WadeHM	
3	Amani Oruwariye 1st	
	Yetur Gross-Matos 1st	
	Trace McSorley2nd	
	Miles Sanders2nd	
	Ryan Bates3rd	
	Connor McGovern3rd	
	Shareef Miller3rd	
	Pat FreiermuthHM	
	Steven Gonzalez HM	

KJ Han	nlerHM
	(WR & RS)
	Micah ParsonsHM
	John ReidHM
	Nick ScottHM
	Garrett TaylorHM
	Robert WindsorHM
2017	Marcus Allen 1st
2017	Saguon Barkley 1st
	(RB & RS)
	Mike Gesicki 1st
	Jason Cabinda2nd
	Blake Gillikin2nd
	DaeSean Hamilton 2nd
	Trace McSorley2nd
	Amani Oruwariye 2nd
	DeAndre Thompkins2nd
	Ryan Bates3rd
	Shareef Miller3rd
	Troy ApkeHM
	Christian CampbellHM
	Curtis CothranHM
	Parker CothrenHM

	Grant HaleyHM Juwan JohnsonHM
2016	Saquon Barkley 1st Tyler Davis 1st Trace McSorley 2nd Garrett Sickels 2nd Mike Gesicki 2nd Evan Schwan 3rd Jason Cabinda 3rd Marcus Allen 3rd Brandon Bell HM Parker Cothren HM Brian Gaia HM John Reid HM
2015	Carl Nassib

	Grant HaleyHM DaeSean HamiltonHM Trevor WilliamsHM
2014	Mike Hull
2013	Kenny Ladler 1st Jordan Matthews 1st Andre Hal 2nd Wesley Johnson 2nd
2012	Jordan Matthews 1st Richard Kent2nd Zac Stacy2nd

### **STATISTICAL HIGHS & LOWS** UNDER JAMES FRANKLIN

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673	ldaho, 2019
643	Kent State, 2018
619	at Maryland, 2019
609	Nebraska, 2017
599	lowa, 2016
591	at Illinois, 2018
580	Illinois, 2020
579	at lowa, 2017
569	Akron, 2017
565	Maryland, 2018

### Total Offense Lows

180	at Temple, 2015
186	at Michigan, 2018
191	at Michigan, 2016
207	Michigan, 2015
214	at Michigan, 2014
219	Maryland, 2014
227	at Ohio State, 2019
227	Illinois, 2021
233	Michigan State, 2014
240	Ohio State, 2014

#### **First Down Highs**

35	ldaho, 2019
32	Nebraska, 2017
32	Ball State, 2021
31	at Illinois, 2018
30	at Maryland, 2019
30	Maryland, 2020
30	at Nebraska, 2020
29	at lowa, 2017
28	Maryland, 2016
28	at Maryland, 2017
28	Maryland, 2018
28	Illinois, 2020

#### **First Down Lows**

9	at Temple, 2015
11	at Michigan, 2018
11	. at Wisconsin, 2021
12	Army, 2015
12	at Michigan, 2016
13	Ohio State, 2016
14	Northwestern, 2014
14	at Ohio State, 2015
14	Michigan, 2015
14	Pittsburgh, 2017
14	Michigan State, 2018
14	Buffalo, 2019
14	Michigan, 2019
	Illinois, 2021
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#### **Rushing Yardage Highs**

396	vs. Memphis, 2019
387	at Illinois, 2018
372	Maryland, 2016
359	lowa, 2016
340	at Rutgers, 2016
331	Idaho, 2019
330	Rutgers, 2015
	Maryland, 2018
	Kent State, 2018
295	at lowa, 2017

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Kusning	j rardage Lows
16	Ohio State, 2014
33	at Ohio State, 2021
38	Michigan State, 2014
39	Indiana, 2017
42	Maryland, 2014
44	Ohio State, 2020
48	at Maryland, 2015
50	Northwestern, 2014
50	at Wisconsin, 2021
51	vs. Wisconsin, 2016

#### **PENN STATE**

Rushing Attempts Highs	
62	Maryland, 2016
	at Rutgers, 2020
53	lowa, 2019
53	vs. Memphis, 2019
53	Illinois, 2020
52	lowa, 2016
52	at Indiana, 2020
52	at Nebraska,2020
51	at lowa, 2017
51	at Illinois, 2018

#### **Rushing Attempts Lows**

18	at Wisconsin, 2021
22	Michigan State, 2014
22	
	Pittsburgh, 2017
24	Georgia State, 2017
	Buffalo, 2019
25	Northwestern, 2014
27	at Temple, 2015
27	Ohio State, 2020
28	vs. UCF, 2014
28	at Michigan, 2016
	Minnesota, 2016

#### **Passing Yardage Highs**

454	vs. UCF, 2014
429	Villanova, 2021
421	at Maryland, 2019
401	at Michigan State, 2017
394	at Ohio State, 2021
386	Michigan State, 2016
384	vs. Wisconsin, 2016
371	vs. Boston College, 2014
363	at Maryland, 2021
	Georgia State, 2017
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#### Passing Yardage Lows

81	vs. Kutgers, 2019
93	at Illinois, 2014
103	at Temple, 2015
112	Temple, 2014
118	at Michigan, 2018
120	at Ohio State, 2015
121	at Michigan, 2016
128	Buffalo, 2015
128	at Ohio State, 2019
133	at Rutgers, 2020
133	vs. Memphis, 2019

	g Attempt Higns
57	Maryland, 2020
	at Ohio State, 2021
50	Ohio State, 2014
50	vs. Boston College, 2014
48	at lowa, 2017
48	at Michigan State, 2017
47	vs. UCF, 2014
47	at Michigan State, 2015
47	at Maryland, 2021
46	Northwestern, 2014
46	at lowa, 2021

Passing Attempt Lows	
13	at Ohio State, 2015
15	vs. Rutgers, 2019
16	at Illinois, 2014
17	at Michigan, 2018
18	lowa, 2016
19	Rutgers, 2015
19	Army, 2015
19	Maryland, 2016
20	at Illinois, 2018
20	vs. Memphis, 2019

## Passing Completion Highs 35 .....at Ohio State, 2021

JJ	at viiiv State, 202 i
34	vs. Boston College, 2014
32	vs. UCF, 2014
32	vs. Washington, 2014
31	Ohio Štate, 2014
31	at lowa, 2017
29	at Northwestern, 2017
29	at Maryland, 2019
29	Auburn, 2021
27	at Michigan State, 2015
27	at Michigan State, 2017
27	Maryland, 2020
27	at Maryland 2021

Passing	g Completion Lows
7	at Ohio State, 2015
8	at Illinois, 2014
8	Ohio State, 2016
8	at Michigan, 2018
8	vs. Rutgers, 2019
10	Rutgers, 2015
10	Army, 2015
	Maryland, 2016
11	at Temple, 2015
11	lowa, 2016
11	Indiana, 2019
11	vs. Memphis, 2019

#### **Scoring Highs**

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Idaho, 2019
at Maryland, 2017
Kent State, 2018
at Illinois, 2018
Purdue, 2016
at Maryland, 2019
. Georgia State, 2017
Nebraska, 2017
Illinois, 2020
vs. Memphis, 2019

#### **Scoring Lows**

6	Northwestern, 2014
7	at Michigan, 2018
10	Michigan State, 2014
	at Temple, 2015
10	at Ohio State, 2015
10	at Michigan, 2016
13	at Rutgers, 2014
13	at Michigan, 2014
13	at Indiana, 2014
14	at Illinois, 2014

## Total Offense Highs

5/5	vs. USC, 2016
554	at Indiana, 2018
542	vs. Memphis, 2019
529	at Ohio State, 2017
526	Ohio State, 2020
515	at Michigan, 2016
474	at Michigan State, 2017
469	Minnesota, 2016
466	at Ohio State, 2021
466	vs. Maryland, 2015
466	Nebraska, 2017

#### Total Offense Lows

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87	at Rutgers, 2016
104	Purdue, 2019
128	at Maryland, 2019
145	Ídaho, 2019
159	Akron, 2017
160	Rutgers, 2021
167	Rutgers, 2021 Illinois, 2015 Maryland, 2014
167 194	Illinois, 2015
167 194 200	Illinois, 2015 Maryland, 2014

#### **First Down Highs**

33	vs. USC, 201
32	at Indiana, 201
31	Minnesota, 201
29	at Wisconsin, 202
29	at Maryland, 202
	at Ohio State, 201
27	at Ohio State, 201
27	vs. Memphis, 201
26	Michigan State, 201
	at Illinois, 201
	Michigan, 201
26	Illinois, 202

#### First Down Lows

5	at Rutgers, 2016
5	ldaho, 2019
8	Temple, 2014
8	Purdue, 2019
10	Rutgers, 2017
10	at Maryland, 2019
10	at ivial ylallu, 2017
	Rutgers, 2021
10	
<b>10</b> 11	Rutgers, 2021 vs. UCF, 2014
<b>10</b> 11	Rutgers, 2021
<b>10</b> 11 11 11	Rutgers, 2021 vs. UCF, 2014 Maryland, 2016

#### **Rushing Yardage Highs**

357	Illinois, 2021
341	at Pitt, 2016
	at Michigan, 2016
315	at Ohio State, 2015
285	vs. Boston College, 2014
261	Army, 2015
259	at Michigan, 2018
245	at Pittsburgh, 2018
245	at Illinois, 2018
241	vs. Maryland, 2015
241	vs. Wisconsin, 2016

#### Ruching Vardage Lows

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-19	Purdue, 2019
3	UMass, 2014
4	ldaho, 2019
24	vs. UCF, 2014
24	Pittsburgh, 2019
30	lowa, 2016
33	Maryland, 2014
37	Illinois, 2015
38	vs. Temple, 2016
39	at Rutgers, 2016

#### **OPPONENTS**

	Attempts Highs Illinois, 2021
61	at Ohio State, 2019
58	Buffalo, 2019
58	. at Wisconsin, 2021
57	Ohio State, 2014
56	at Pitt, 2016
55	Army, 2015
55	at Rutgers, 2018
52	at Pittsburgh, 2018
52	at Michigan, 2018

#### Rushing Attempts L

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20	Temple, 201
23	at lowa, 201
24	Indiana, 202
25	Akron, 201
25	at Maryland, 201
25	Pittsburgh, 201
26	Purdue, 201
26	lowa, 201
26	Nebraska, 201
26	vs. Washington, 201
26	at Indiana, 202
26	Ball State, 202
26	Villanova, 202

	g Yardage Highs
479	vs. Memphis, 201
	vs. USC, 201
400	at Michigan State, 201
399	Ñebraska, 201
372	Pittsburgh, 201
371	Indiana, 201
371	at Maryland, 202
344	at Indiana, 201
339	at Minnesota, 201
330	at Indiana, 201

#### **Passing Yardage Lows**

32	Army, 2015
38	Illinois, 2021
43	Rutgers, 2017
46	at Rutgers, 2018
48	at Rutgers, 2016
55	at Pittsburgh, 2018
60	Wisconsin, 2018
68	at Indiana, 2014
68	at Maryland, 2019
74	Ohio State, 2014

#### **Passing Attempt Highs**

58	at Maryland, 2021
	it Michigan State, 2017
55	Purdue, 2016
	at Indiana, 2018
54	vs. USC, 2016
53	Michigan State, 2018
	vs. Memphis, 2019
51	Pittsburgh, 2019
	lowa, 2018
46	Akron, 2014
46	Michigan State, 2016

#### **Passing Attempt Lows**

1	Army, 2015
15	at Pitt, 2016
15	vs. Kentucky, 2018
16	Maryland, 2016
	at Rutgers, 2018
17	at Rutgers, 2016
17	at Michigan, 2018
18	at Pittsburgh, 2018
19	Ohio State, 2014
19	at Ohio State, 2015

Highs	Passing Completion Highs
ois, 2021	41at Maryland, 2021
tate, 2019	36Purdue, 2016
falo, 2019	35at Indiana, 2018
sin, 2021	35Pittsburgh, 2019
tate, 2014	33vs. USC, 2016
Pitt, 2016	33 at Ohio State, 2017
rmy, 2015	33at Michigan State, 2017
gers, 2018	33vs. Memphis, 2019
irgh, 2018	31 Indiana, 2019
gan, 2018	28 Ohio State, 2016
	28 Ohio State, 2020
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#### **Passing Completion Lows**

1	Army, 2015
5	at Rutgers, 2018
7	at Rutgers, 2016
7	Rutgers, 2017
8	Illinois, 2020
8	Illinois, 2021
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9	at Pittsburgh, 2018
	at Pittsburgn, 2018 Wisconsin, 2018
9	
9 9	Wisconsin, 2018
9 9 10	Wisconsin, 2018 vs. Kentucky, 2018

#### **Scoring Highs**

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55	at Michigan State, 201!
52	vs. USC, 2016
49	at Michigan, 2016
44	Nebraska, 2017
42	at Pitt, 2016
42	at Michigan, 2018
41	lowa, 2020
39	at Ohio State, 2017
39	vs. Memphis, 2019
38	at Ohio State, 2015
38	Appalachian State, 2018
	Ohio State, 2020
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#### Scoring Lows

#### **SERIES NOTES**

#### **HEAD COACH MEL TUCKER**

- · This is Mel Tucker's second season as head coach at Michigan State after being hired in February 2020. He is 11-7 in his time with the
- Tucker's coaching career began as a graduate assistant at Michigan State under Nick Saban in 1997.
- · In 2019, Tucker was the head coach at Colorado, his first year as a head coach.
- From 2016-18, Tucker was the defensive coordinator and secondary coach at Georgia. He helped the Bulldogs to a 32-9 record and three consecutive seasons among the FBS Top 20 in total defense.
- Tucker's previous Big Ten coaching experience came as the defensive backs coach at Ohio State from 2001-04. He held the title of co-defensive coordinator in 2004.
- Tucker played cornerback and safety at Wisconsin, graduating in 1995. He helped the Badgers to a Big Ten Championship and a Rose Bowl win in 1993.

#### **SCOUTING THE SPARTANS**

- Michigan State is 9-2 this season, including a 6-2 mark in Big Ten play.
- The Spartans own two wins over AP Top 25 teams this season, No. 24 Miami (38-17) and No. 6 Michigan (37-33).
- Michigan State's offense ranks third in the Big Ten in scoring (32.1 ppg), fourth in total yards (429.1), sixth in passing offense (243.3) and sixth in rushing offense (185.8).
- RB Kenneth Walker III paces the Big Ten in rushing yards (1,498), rushing yards per game (136.2), good for second nationally in both categories, and rushing touchdowns (17). He's also eighth in the nation in yards per carry (6.43).
- WR Jayden Reed sits fifth in the Big Ten in receiving yards (857) and fourth in receiving touchdowns (7).
- MIchigan State's defense sits 11th in the Big Ten in scoring defense (25.5), 14th in total defense (463.4), 14th in passing defense (339.9) and fifth in rushing defense (123.5).
- S Xavier Henderson ranks eighth in the Big Ten in tackles per game (8.1). Henderson also leads MSU with 10 tackles for loss.
- DE Jacub Panasiuk paces the Spartans' defensive line with 8.5 tackles for loss and 5.5 sacks.
- DE Jeff Pietrowski has 7.0 tackles for loss, 5.5 sacks and a teamhigh three forced fumbles.

#### **TOP PERFORMANCES - PENN STATE**

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Miles Sanders	17-for-162 yds, 1 TD ('18)
Larry Johnson	19 for 279 yds, 4 TD ('02)
Ki-Jana Carter	27 for 227 yds ('94)
Passing	
Trace McSorley	26-of-47 for 381 yds, 3 TD ('17)
Trace McSorley	17-of-23 for 376 yds, 4 TD ('16)
Matt McGloin	23-of-41 for 312 yds, 2 TD ('10)
Daryll Clark	16-of-26 for 341 yds, 4 TD ('08)
Kerry Collins	23-of-42 for 352 yds ('93)
Receiving	
Jahan Dotson	8 for 108 yds ('20)
Parker Washington	4 for 95 yds, 2 TD ('20)
Chris Godwin	5 for 135 yds, 2 TD ('16)
Jordan Norwood	5 for 127 yds ('08)
Deon Butler	3 for 133, 3 TD ('08)
Bobby Engram	8 for 169 yds ('94)

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TOP PERFORMANCES - MICHIGAN STATE			
Rushing			
Jeremy Langford	30 for 118 yds, 2 TD ('14)		
Sedrick Irvin	28 for 238 yds ('97)		
Marc Renaud	21 for 203 yds ('97)		
Passing			
Payton Thorne	22-of-39 for 325 yds, 3 TD ('20)		
Brian Lewerke	33-of-56 for 400 yds, 2 TD ('17)		
Connor Cook	19-of-26 for 248 yds, 3 TD ('15)		
Jeff Smoker	29-of-50 for 357 yds, 4 TD ('03)		
Jeff Smoker	24-of-36 for 356 yds, 3 TD ('01)		
Receiving			
Jalen Nailor	6 for 100 yds, 2 TD ('20)		
Felton Davis	8 for 100 yds, 2 TD ('18)		
Felton Davis	12 for 181 yds, 1 TD ('17)		
Kyle Brown	3 for 126 yds, 1 TD ('03)		
Charles Rogers	8 for 191 yds, 2 TD ('01)		
Gari Scott	9 for 157 yds ('98)		

#### **SERIES RECORD**

The all-time series, dating back to 1914, is tied 17-17-1. Penn State owns the advantage since joining the Big Ten in 1993, 16-9. The Nittany Lions won 28-7 in East Lansing in 2019 and 39-24 in Happy Valley in 2020. The previous two contests were heartbreakers for Penn State, with the Spartans winning each in the final seconds. Penn State defeated Michigan State in 2016, clinching the Big Ten East Division Championship with the win. The teams did not meet from 2011-13.

Year	Site	Result
1914	Home	Michigan State, 6-3
1925	Home	Penn State, 16-6
1945	Away	Michigan State, 33-0
1946	Home	Michigan State, 19-16
1948	Away	Tie, 14-14
1949	Away	Michigan State, 24-0
1951	Home	Michigan State, 32-21
1952	Away	Michigan State, 34-7
1965	Home	Michigan State, 23-0
1966	Away	Michigan State, 42-8
1993	Away	Penn State, 38-37
1994	Home	Penn State, 59-31
1995	Away	Penn State, 24-20
1996	Home	Penn State, 32-29
1997	Away	Michigan State, 49-14
1998	Home	Penn State, 51-28
1999	Away	Michigan State, 35-28
2000	Home	Penn State, 42-23
2001	Away	Penn State, 42-37
2002	Home	Penn State, 61-7
2003	Away	Michigan State, 41-10
2004	Home	Penn State, 37-13
2005	Away	Penn State, 31-22
2006	Home	Penn State, 17-13
2007	Away	Michigan State, 35-31
2008	Home	Penn State, 49-18
2009	Away	Penn State, 42-14
2010	Home	Michigan State, 28-22
2014	Home	Michigan State, 34-10
2015	Away	Michigan State, 55-16
2016	Home	Penn State, 45-12
2017	Away	Michigan State, 27-24
2018	Home	Michigan State, 21-17
2019	Away	Penn State, 28-7
2020	Home	Penn State, 39-24

#### **LAST MEETING** NITTANY LIONS EARN SENIOR DAY WIN, 39-24, OVER MICHIGAN STATE

Penn State outscored Michigan State, 29-3, in the second half on its way to a 39-24 win. A pair of touchdown connections from Sean Clifford to Parker Washington and a punt return touchdown by Jahan Dotson highlighted a big second half.

Sean Clifford completed 17-of-27 passes for 232 yards and two touchdowns. He added 48 rushing yards, including a 31-yard score. Will Levis completed all three of his pass attempts for 54 yards and scored on a 1-yard run. Jahan Dotson caught eight passes for 108 yards, his fourth 100-yard receiving game of the season. Dotson also had an 81-yard punt return for a touchdown. Parker Washington hauled in four catches for 95 yards and two touchdowns.

Shane Simmons led the Penn State defense with a career-high seven tackles, including two for loss and 1.5 sacks. Jaquan Brisker tallied nine tackles, 1.5 tackles for loss and an interception.

Dotson became the third Big Ten player since 2000 to record 100 receiving yards and a punt return touchdown in a game, joining Michigan's Steve Breaston (2006 vs. Indiana) and Wisconsin's Brandon Williams (2005 vs. Indiana).

The Nittany Lions got on the board on their opening drive on a 24-yard field goal by Jake Pinegar

Michigan State responded with a touchdown early in the second quarter. Thorne hit Nailor in the end zone for a 45-yard score.

A 37-yard kick return by Lamont Wade jumpstarted Penn State's ensuing drive. On third-and-4 at the Michigan State 31-yard line, Clifford found a hole up the middle on a draw and went untouched into the end zone.

Michigan State answered with a 26-yard strike from Thorne to Tre'Von Morgan. The Spartans added to their lead with a 7-yard touchdown grab by Nailor in the corner of the end zone. Michigan State led 21-10 at halftime.

Penn State opened the second half with a 75-yard scoring drive. The drive ended as Clifford found Washington in the back of the end zone for an 8-yard touchdown. The Nittany Lions converted a two-point conversion as Clifford hit Dotson over the middle.

The Nittany Lions took a 25-24 lead in the closing seconds of the third guarter as Levis scored on a 1-yard run.

After forcing a three-and-out, Penn State extended its lead early in the fourth guarter on a 49-yard strike from Clifford to Washington.

Penn State forced another three-and-out before an 81-yard punt return for a



touchdown by Dotson.

#### **TEAM STATISTICS**

	MSU	PSU
First Downs	21	21
Rushing Yards	69	119
Passing Yards	325	286
Passing (C-A-Int)	22-39-1	20-30-0
Total Offense	394	405
Plays	70	70
Fumbles (#-Lost)	0-0	1-1
Penalties (#-Yards)	8-62	5-45
Possession Time	26:36	33:24
3rd-Down Conv.	2-12	4-12
Red Zone	2-3	3-3
Touchdowns	3	5
Field goals	1	1

### CAME LEADERS

TOP PETITION EACH SCHOOL DUSSED ON YARRANGE.			
PENN STATE		MICHIGAN STATE	_
Passing		Passing	
Sean Clifford	17-of-27 for 232 yds,	Payton Thorne	22-of-39 for 325 yds
	2 TD/0 INT		3 TD/1 İNT
Rushing		Rushing	
Sean Clifford	9 for 48 yds, 1 TD	Jordon Simmons	14 for 72 yds
Will Levis	15 for 36 yds, 1 TD	Jayden Reed	2 for 12 yds
Receiving		Receiving	
Jahan Dotson	8 for 108 yds	Jalen Nailor	6 for 100 yds, 2 TD
Parker Washington	4 for 95 yds, 2 TD	Jayden Reed	6 for 76 yds
Tackles (U-A-Total)		Tackles (U-A-Total)	
Jaquan Brisker	6-3-9	Antjuan Simmons	2-8-10
Shane Simmons	2-5-7	Noah Harvey	6-3-9

#### **OTHER**

Date	December 12, 2020
Location	University Park, Pa.
Stadium	Beaver Stadium
Attendance	-
Time of Game	3:25
Penn State	3-5, 3-5 Big Ten
Michigan State	2-5, 2-5 Big Ten

#### **PENN STATE VS. BIG TEN**

#### PENN STATE VS. BIG TEN

- Penn State is 36-17 in the Big Ten since 2016.
- PSU won 13 consecutive games against Big Ten opponents from 2016-17, breaking its record of 12 from 1993-94.
- Penn State owns a 230-114-3 mark against Big Ten Conference teams since the Nittany Lions first opposed Ohio State in 1912.
- The Nittany Lions began play as a member of the Big Ten Conference in 1993 and have a 147-90 mark.
- Penn State played 109 games vs. the current Big Ten alignment when either or both Penn State itself (prior to 1993) or the opponent (Nebraska prior to 2011; Maryland and Rutgers prior to 2014) was not yet a member of the Big Ten. The Nittany Lions went 80-26-3 in those games.

Record	1st	Last
	Meeting	Meeting
20-6	1954	2021
23-2	1993	2021
17-14	1930	2021
41-3-1	1917	2021
10-15	1993	2021
17-17-1	1914	2020
9-6	1993	2019
8-10	1920	2020
14-5	1993	2017
14-23	1912	2021
15-3-1	1951	2019
30-2	1918	2020
11-9	1953	2021
	20-6 23-2 17-14 41-3-1 10-15 17-17-1 9-6 8-10 14-5 14-23 15-3-1 30-2	Meeting   20-6   1954   23-2   1993   17-14   1930   41-3-1   1917   10-15   1993   17-17-1   1914   9-6   1993   8-10   1920   14-5   1993   14-23   1912   15-3-1   1951   30-2   1918

#### **Bold indicates 2021 opponent**

#### WINNING THE WEST

- Penn State is 15-8 against the Big Ten West Division since it was formed in 2014.
- Penn State had a 12-game winning streak against the Big Ten West snapped at Minnesota in 2019.

#### Penn State vs. the Big Ten West Division (Est. 2014)

Date	Opponent	Result
Sept. 27, 2014	Northwestern	L, 6-29
Nov. 22, 2014	at Illinois	L, 14-16
Oct. 31, 2015	Illinois	W, 39-0
Nov. 7, 2015	at Northwestern	L, 21-23
Oct. 1, 2016	Minnesota V	V, 29-26 (OT)
Oct. 29, 2016	at Purdue	W, 62-24
Nov. 5, 2016	lowa	W, 41-14
Dec. 3, 2016	vs. No. 6 Wisconsin (B1G Championshi	p) W, 38-31
Sept. 23, 2017	at lowa	W, 21-19
Oct. 7, 2017	at Northwestern	W, 31-7
Nov. 18, 2017	Nebraska	W, 56-44
Sept. 21, 2018	at Illinois	W, 63-24
Oct. 27, 2018	No. 18 Iowa	W, 30-24
Nov. 10, 2018	Wisconsin	W, 22-10
Oct. 5, 2019	Purdue	W, 35-7
Oct. 12, 2019	at No. 17 Iowa	W, 17-12
Nov. 9, 2019	at No. 13 Minnesota	L, 26-31
Nov. 14, 2020	at Nebraska	L, 23-30
Nov. 21, 2020	lowa	L, 21-41
Dec. 19, 2020	Illinois	W, 56-21
Sept. 4, 2021	at No. 12 Wisconsin	W, 16-10
Oct. 9, 2021	at No. 3 Iowa	L, 20-23
Oct. 23, 2021	Illinois L,	18-20 (9 OT)

#### ON TV

- Penn State has had 331 of its last 333 games televised, including 207 consecutive games.
- Over the last 15 seasons, every Penn State game has aired on either ABC, BTN, NBC or an ESPN or FOX channel.
- Penn State has made 312 regular season TV appearances since 1995, which is tied for the national lead.

#### **TEAM NOTES**

#### WINNER CLAIMS LAND GRANT TROPHY

- When the Penn State-Michigan State series was renewed with the Nittany Lions' entrance into the Big Ten in 1993, the Land Grant Trophy was established to go to the winner in what was each school's annual season finale from 1993-2010 and 2014-16.
- The Land Grant Trophy honors Penn State's and Michigan State's unique places in history as the two pioneer Land Grant institutions in the United States.
- Each school was founded in 1855, Michigan State on Feb. 12 and Penn State on Feb. 22. The schools were the prototypes after which the Land Grant system was patterned.
- Each institution brought to American education the new dimensions of service and outreach in addition to education and research.
- The Land Grant Trophy joins the Governor's Victory Bell, presented to the Penn State-Minnesota victor, as the other trophy the Nittany Lions play for in Big Ten competition.
- Penn State holds a 16-9 advantage in Land Grant Trophy games.

#### **FINALISTS AND SEMIFINALISTS**

- Multiple Nittany Lions have been recognized as finalists or semifinalists for national awards.
- K/P Jordan Stout is a finalist for the Ray Guy Award.
- WR Jahan Dotson is a semifinalist for the Biletnikoff Award.
- Dotson is also a semifinalist for the Walter Camp Player of the Year Award as the only receiver among the semifinalists.
- S Jaquan Brisker is a semifinalist for the Bednarik Award and Jim Thorpe Award.
- QB Sean Clifford is a finalist for the William V. Campbell Trophy and Senior CLASS Award. He's also a semifinalist for the Wuerffel Trophy.
- DT PJ Mustipher is a Lombardi Award Semifinalist.
- LB Brandon Smith is a Butkus Award Semifinalist.
- Head Coach James Franklin is a semifinalist for the Dodd Trophy.

#### **NITTANY LIONS FROM MICHIGAN**

- LB Jamari Buddin Ypsilanti/Belleville
- S Enzo Jennings Detroit/Oak Park
- CB Kalen King Detroit/Cass Tech
- LB Kobe King Detroit/Cass Tech
- DE Bryce Mostella Kentwood/East Kentwood
- S Jaylen Reed Detroit/Martin Luther King

#### MICHIGAN STATE PLAYER CONNECTIONS

- Penn State freshmen CB Kalen King and LB Kobe King and Michigan State redshirt freshman WR Sebastian Brown all played at Cass Technical High School in Michigan.
- Penn State redshirt senior S Enzo Jennings and Michigan State freshman RB Davion Primm and redshirt freshman Davion Primm all played at Oak Park High School in Michigan.
- Penn Sate redshirt freshman WR Jaden Dottin and Michigan State freshman S Khalil Majeed both played at Suffield Academy in Connecticut.
- Penn State junior RB Noah Cain and Michigan State redshirt senior DE Jack Camper both played at IMG Academy in Florida.
- Penn State redshirt freshman DE Bryce Mostella and Michigan State redshirt freshman OL Dallas Fincher both played at East Kentwood High School in Michigan.
- Penn State freshman LB Jamari Buddin and Michigan State redshirt sophomore WR Jahz Watts and DT Jalen Hunt all played at Belleville High School in Michigan.
- Penn State redshirt junior LB Cody Romano and Michigan State redshirt freshman S Kobe Myers both played at Blair Academy in New Jersey.
- Penn State redshirt senior DT Fred Hansard and redshirt sophomore OL Caedan Wallace and Michigan State freshman OL Kevin Wigenton all played at The Hun School in New Jersey.

- Penn State redshirt freshman DT Amin Vanover and redshirt sophomore DE Smith Vilbert and Michigan State freshman OL Geno VanDeMark all played at St. Joseph's Regional High School in New Jersey.
- Penn State redshirt freshmen OL Golden Israel-Achumba and DT Coziah Izzard and Michigan State freshman CB Antoine Booth all played at DeMatha Catholic High School in Maryland.
- Michigan State tight ends coach Ted Gilmore was Penn State wide receivers coach Taylor Stubblefield's wide receiver coach when Stubblefield played at Purdue.

#### **RUTGERS NOTES**

- Penn State has won each of the last 15 matchups against the Scarlet Knights, including an 8-0 mark since Rutgers joined the Big Ten.
- The Nittany Lions recorded their second shutout of the season, having previous held Indiana scoreless.
- The result marked the first time Penn State has shut out two conference opponents in a single season since joining the Big Ten for football in 1993.
- Penn State only allowed Rutgers' offense to cross the 50-yard line on one drive, which ended in a turnover on downs in the red zone in the fourth quarter.
- Penn State has held Rutgers to less than 10 points in all eight meetings since the Scarlet Knights joined the Big Ten Conference in 2014, including two shutouts (2016, 2021).

#### **MICHIGAN NOTES**

- Each of the last three matchups in the series have been decided by 10 or less points.
- On a 24-yard catch in the first quarter, WR Parker Washington became the 36th Penn State player to reach the 1,000 career receiving yards mark.
- LB Ellis Brooks' 16 tackles were the most by a Penn State player since Brandon Bell recorded 18 against Michigan State on Nov. 26, 2016.
- K/P Jordan Stout hit a 52-yard field goal in the second quarter, his fifth career field goal of 50+ yards.
- Stout completed an 18-yard pass to LB Curtis Jacobs on a fake punt in the first quarter. It was his first career completion and attempt. Stout's completion was the first by a Penn State punter since Chris Clauss completed a 6-yard pass vs. Maryland (played in Baltimore) on Nov. 7, 1987.

#### **MARYLAND NOTES**

- Penn State has won each of the last 14 road matchups against the Terrapins and seven of the last eight matchups between the teams.
- QB Sean Clifford and WR Jahan Dotson connected for an 86-yard touchdown in the fourth quarter, Penn State's fourthlongest pass play in program history.
- Dotson caught 11 passes for a career-high and program-record 242 yards and three touchdowns.
- Dotson is the only Power Five receiver with 240+ receiving yards and three touchdowns in a game this season.
- The Nittany Lions held Maryland to 48 rushing yards, the 38th time Penn State held its opponent under 100 rushing yards since 2014.
- Penn State forced three red-zone stops, holding Maryland to two-of-five.
- The Nittany Lions forced two turnovers, including an 87-yard pick-six by S Ji'Ayir Brown, the fifth-longest interception return in program history.

#### **OHIO STATE NOTES**

- Penn State threw for 361 yards, the eighth-most in a game in the James Franklin era.
- The Nittany Lions completed 35 passes, the most in a game under Franklin, and attempted 52 passes, the second-most in a game under Franklin.
- Penn State stopped Ohio State on 4th-and-3 at the PSU 13 to hold their opponent without a score the ninth time this season.

#### **TEAM NOTES**

#### **ILLINOIS NOTES**

- The nine overtime-game set an NCAA record for most overtimes across all divisions. The previous NCAA football mark was an eight-overtime game between Bethune-Cookman and Virginia State in 1998. In FBS, there have been six, seven-overtime games.
- The nine-overtime game came under the NCAA's overtime format, adopted before the 2021 season, which includes teams trading 2-point conversion attempts beginning in the third overtime
- Penn State's previous longest overtime game was a fourovertime win over Michigan (43-40) in 2013.
- The Nittany Lions held Illinois to 38 yards passing, on 21 attempts, the second-lowest mark under James Franklin.
- Penn State held an opponent to 24 or less points for an 11thstraight game, dating back to the Michigan game in 2020.

#### **IOWA NOTES**

- Four of the last five Penn State-lowa meetings have been decided by one score.
- The Nittany Lions are 4-7 all-time in matchups where both teams are ranked in the top five of the AP Poll.
- Penn State has an all-time record of 101-23-1 when ranked among the Top Five.
- Dating back to the second half at Wisconsin, Penn State had scored in 21-straight quarters until the fourth quarter against lowa
- The Nittany Lions allowed just 195 passing yards. It marks the 55th time Penn State has held an opponent under 200 passing vards since 2014.
- Penn State had a season-high 11 tackles for loss.

#### **INDIANA NOTES**

- The Nittany Lions improved to 19-10 in Big Ten home openers.
- Penn State recorded its first shutout both overall and in a Big Ten game since a 59-0 win over Maryland in 2019.
- Penn State handed Indiana its first shutout since a 2000 loss to Michigan (58-0), a span of 246 games.
- With two touchdowns in the game, QB Sean Clifford and WR Jahan Dotson connected for the 18th time on TD scores, passing Todd Blackledge and Kenny Jackson (1980-82) for the most by a Penn State QB-WR duo in program history.
- With a stop on fourth-and-goal in the first quarter and a blocked field goal in the third quarter, the Nittany Lions earned their seventh red zone stop of the year.
- The Nittany Lions blocked a 30-yard field goal attempt in the third quarter. It was Penn State's second blocked field goal of the season. It marks the first time Penn State has blocked two or more field goals in a season since 2004 (five blocked field goals).

#### **VILLANOVA NOTES**

- Penn State improved to 6-3-1 all-time against Villanova.
- The Nittany Lions are 171-96-12 all-time against current FBS and FCS Pennsylvania schools, including 19-straight home wins against Pennsylvania programs dating back to a 42-3 win over Temple in 1989.
- Penn State is now 116-79-12 all-time against current FCS programs.

- The Nittany Lions' 429 passing yards marked the second-highest total in school history, behind only a 454-yard passing effort vs. UCF in the Croke Park Classic in Dublin in 2014.
- QB Sean Clifford was 12-of-12 for 265 yards on the day when targeting WR Jahan Dotson (seven catches for 117 yards) and WR Parker Washington (five catches for 148 yards).
- Penn State had four pass plays of 50 or more yards. It was Penn State's first game with four plays of 50+ yards since Wisconsin in 2013.

#### **AUBURN NOTES**

- With wins over No. 12/15 Wisconsin and No. 22/20 Auburn, Penn State talied two wins over ranked teams within the first three games of the season for the first time in program history.
- Penn State earned its first regular season win over an SEC team since a road victory at Alabama in 1990 (9-0) and first home win over an SEC team since a 19-17 win against Alabama in 1985.
- The Nittany Lions moved to 24-23 against current members of the SFC.
- Penn State improved to 5-5 when ESPN's College GameDay is on campus.
- The Nittany Lions are now 7-6 in Penn State White Out games.
- Penn State welcomed 109,958 fans. It was the 10th-largest crowd in Beaver Stadium history.
- LB **Brandon Smith** was selected Big Ten Defensive Player of the Week after recording a career-high 10 tackles and a pass breaking.

#### **BALL STATE NOTES**

- Penn State earned its 300th win in Beaver Stadium as it began non-conference play with a 44-13 win over Ball State.
- The Nittany Lions became one of nine FBS teams with 300 wins in their current home venue.
- Penn State welcomed 105,323 fans, its most for a home opener since 2008 vs. Coastal Carolina (106.577).
- The Nittany Lions moved to 30-2 all-time against MAC teams and 28-3 against current members of the MAC.
- ATH Marquis Wilson played snaps on offense and defense, making him the first Penn State player to earn snaps on both sides of the ball in the same game since Dae'Lun Darien in 2017 against Maryland.
- The Nittany Lions had nine different players record at least one catch in the first half, the most since 10 players caught a pass in the first half at Maryland in 2019.

#### **WISCONSIN NOTES**

- The Nittany Lions opened the 2021 season with a thrilling 16-10 win over Wisconsin.
- · Penn State won its fifth straight contest against the Badgers.
- The Nittany Lions improved to 3-1 when opening the season against a Big Ten opponent and earned their first road win over a ranked Big Ten opponent since October 12, 2019 at lowa (17-12).
- Penn State snapped Wisconsin's 25-game home opener win streak.
- Both teams were scoreless at halftime. It marked the first time a Penn State game was scoreless at the half since October 29, 2011 against Illinois.

#### **RECORD BREAKDOWN**

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Overall Record	.7-4
Day Games	
TV Games	. /-4
BTN	
FOX	
FS1	. 2-0
Scoring First	
Opponent Scoring First	
Leading at the Half	
Trailing at the Half	. 0-2
Tied at the Half	
Leading after Third Qtr	
Trailing after Third Qtr.  Tied after Third Qtr.	
Overtime Games	
Scoring less than 20 pts	
Scoring less than 20 pts	3-7
Scoring 30-39 Points.	.2-0
Scoring 40+ Points	
Allowing 10 points or less	.3-0
Allowing 11-20 points	. 4-1
Allowing 21-30 points	. 0-2
Allowing 31+ points	
Rushing for less than 100 yds	.4-2
Rushing for 100-199 yds	
Rushing for 300+ yds.	
Passing for less than 200 yds	
Passing for 200-299 yds	.3-1
Passing for 300-399 yds	. 2-1
Passing for 400+ yds	
Totaling less than 300 yds total offense	
300-399 yds of total offense	. 1-2
400-499 yds of total offense	
500+ yds of total offense.	
Allowing less than 100 yds rushing	
Allowing less than 300 yds total offense	
Allowing 300+ yds total offense	
Having a 100-yd rusher	
Having two 100-yd rushers	
Not having a 100-yd rusher	
Opp. having a 100-yd rusher	
No turnovers	
1-3 turnovers	
No takeaways	
1 or 2 takeaways.	
3 or more takeaways.	
More than 30:00 of possession	
Less than 30:00 of possession	
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#### **AT THE START**

Opponent	Coin Toss	Choice	PSU 1st Drive	Opponent 1st Drive	Game Captains
at Wisconsin*	Wisconsin	Defer	Punt	Punt	Jaquan Brisker, PJ Mustipher, Jonathan Sutherland, Rasheed Walker
BALL STATE	Penn State	Defer	TD	Punt	Jaquan Brisker, PJ Mustipher, Jonathan Sutherland, Rasheed Walker
AUBURN	Auburn	Defer	Turnover on Downs	Field Goal	Jaquan Brisker, PJ Mustipher, Jonathan Sutherland, Rasheed Walker
VILLANOVA	Villanova	Receive	TD	Punt	Jaquan Brisker, PJ Mustipher, Jonathan Sutherland, Rasheed Walker
INDIANA*	Penn State	Defer	Punt	Punt	Jaquan Brisker, PJ Mustipher, Jonathan Sutherland, Rasheed Walker
at lowa*	Penn State	Defer	Interception	Punt	Jaquan Brisker, PJ Mustipher, Jonathan Sutherland, Rasheed Walker
ILLINOIS*	Penn State	Defer	Punt	Interception	Jaquan Brisker, Jesse Luketa, Jonathan Sutherland, Rasheed Walker
at Ohio State*	Penn State	Defer	Fumble	Fumble	Jaquan Brisker, Jesse Luketa, Jonathan Sutherland, Rasheed Walker
at Maryland*	Maryland	Defer	Punt	Punt	Jaquan Brisker, Tariq Castro-Fields, Jonathan Sutherland, Rasheed Walker
MICHIGAN*	Michigan	Defer	Field Goal	Punt	Jaquan Brisker, Ellis Brooks, Jonathan Sutherland, Rasheed Walker
RUTGERS*	Rutgers	Defer	Punt	Punt	Jaquan Brisker, Jahan Dotson, Arnold Ebiketie, Jonathan Sutherland

at Michigan State\*

\* Big Ten Conference Game

#### **NATIONAL NITS**

Below is a list of Penn State players that rank among the top-100 individuals and top-50 teams in the most recent season statistical

Rankings listed NCAA/Big Ten; Statistics current as of Nov. 21, 2021

- LB Ellis Brooks
  - Total Tackles Per Game 8.3 (41/6)
- S Jaquan Brisker
  - Interceptions 2 (97/15)
- · S Ji'Ayir Brown
  - Interceptions 4 (10/3)
  - Interceptions Per Game 0.4 (10/3)
  - Fumbles Recovered 2 (18/2)
- QB Sean Clifford
  - Completions Per Game 20.36 (28/4)
  - Passing Yards 2,599 (35/6)
  - Passing Yards Per Game 236.3 (45/6)
  - Passing Touchdowns 17 (45/5)
  - Total Offense 249.2 (46/6)
  - Points Responsible For 116 (55/6)
  - Points Responsible For Per Game 10.5 (63/6)
  - Completion Percentage 61.9 (64/5)
  - Passing Efficiency 134.4 (78/7)
  - Yards Per Completion 11.6 (78/8)
  - Yards Per Pass Attempt 7.18 (82/8)

#### **WR Jahan Dotson**

- Receptions Per Game 7.5 (9/2)
- Receiving TDs 10 (8/3)
- Receiving Yards 1,045 (17/3)
- Receiving Yards Per Game 95.0 (18/3)
- Punt Return Average 7.4 (30/4)
- Total Touchdowns 11 (43/8)
- All-Purpose 106.1 (70/10)

#### DE Arnold Ebiketie

- Blocked Kicks 2 (2/1)
- Tackles for Loss 16.0 (5/1)
- Tackles For Loss Per Game 1.5 (7/2)
- Sacks 9.5 (13/3)
- Sacks Per Game 0.86 (14/3)

#### K/P Jordan Stout

- Punting Average 46.5 (10/2)
- Field Goals Per Game 1.5 (23/4)
- Total Points 80 (68/7)
- Field Goal Percentage 72.7 (71/9)
- Scoring 7.3 (74/8)

#### DT Derrick Tangelo

- Fumbles Recovered 2 (18/2)
- **WR Parker Washington** 
  - Receptions Per Game 4.8 (72/7)
  - Receiving Yards 662 (99/9)

#### TEAM

- Kick Return Defense 11.0 (1/1)
- Net Punting 44.93 (2/2)
- Red Zone Defense .622 (3/1)
- Scoring Defense 15.5 (4/1)
- Punt Return Defense 2.38 (6/1)
- Team Passing Efficiency Defense 108.77 (7/3)
- Fumbles Lost 3 (10/2)
- Defensive TDs 2 (19/3)
- Turnover Margin Plus-7 (20/3)
- Passing Offense 270.9 (25/5)
- Blocked Kicks 2 (26/3) Total Defense 334.6 (27/5)
- Passing Yards Allowed 202.9 (29/5)
- Interceptions 11 (30/4)
- 3rd Down Defense 35.0 (31/4)
- Takeaways 18 (32/3)
- Rushing Defense 131.7 (34/7)
- Fumbles Recovered 7 (44/7)
- Tackles For Loss Per Game 6.1 (48/3)

#### **TEAM NOTES**

#### **HOME SWEET HOME**

- · With a 304-79 all-time record in Beaver Stadium, Penn State owns the sixth-best winning percentage (.794) in its current home venue amongst current FBS schools and leads the Big Ten.
- Penn State averaged 106,799 fans in seven home games this season, the seventh-highest average in program history and best season average since 2009.
- Only Alabama (.837) and Oklahoma (.817) have higher winning percentages in facilities older than Beaver Stadium.

School	Stadium Name (Opened)	Rec	Win %
1. Alabama	Bryant-Denny Stadium (1929)	284-54-3	.837
<ol><li>Boise State</li></ol>	Albertsons Stadium (1970)	277-59	.824
<ol><li>Oklahoma</li></ol>	Gaylord Family-Oklahoma Memorial Stad. (1923) 413-87-15		.817
4. Marshall	Joan C. Edwards Stadium (1991)	173-39	.816
5. Ga. Southern	Paulson Stadium (1984)	205-47	.814
6. Penn State	Beaver Stadium (1960)	304-79	.794
7. Ohio State	Ohio Stadium (1922)	459-113-20	.792
8. Auburn	Jordan-Hare Stadium (1939)	338-87-7	.790
9. Georgia	Sanford Stadium (1929)	367-107-9	.769
10. Tennessee	Neyland Stadium (1921)	477-141-17	.765

#### **HISTORIC SERIES**

- · The Nittany Lions have played 21 teams 20 or more times in the 135-year history of the program.
- Penn State owns a winning record against 16 of the 21 teams that it has met 20 or more times.
- · Nine of the 21 teams are on the 2021 schedule, including Wisconsin (20), Indiana (25), Iowa (31), Illinois (26), Ohio State (37), Maryland (45), Michigan (25), Rutgers (32) and Michigan State (35).
- Sixteen of the 21 programs are currently members of NCAA Division I FBS. Bucknell, Lehigh and Penn are in NCAA Division I FCS, while Gettysburg and Lebanon Valley are in Division III.

Team	Meetings	Record
Pittsburgh	100	53-43-4
Syracuse	71	43-23-5
West Virginia	59	48-9-2
Penn ^	47	18-25-4
Maryland *	45	41-3-1
Temple	45	40-4-1
Bucknell ^	38	28-10
Navy	38	19-17-2
Ohio State *	37	14-23
Michigan State *	35	17-17-1
Rutgers *	32	30-2
lowa *	31	17-14
Gettysburg ^	28	27-0-1
Army	26	14-10-2
Illinois *	26	20-6
Indiana *	25	23-2
Michigan *	25	10-15
Boston College	24	20-4
Lehigh ^	23	16-6-1
Wisconsin*	20	11-9
Lebanon Valley ^	20	20-0
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\* - Current Big Ten team  $| \land$  - Current Non-FBS university

#### **Bold indicates 2021 opponent**

#### WELCOME TO THE GAME

- · OL Bryce Effner made his first career start against Rutgers.
- · DT Cole Brevard, OL Jimmy Christ, WR Henry Fessler, OL Golden Israel-Achumba, OL Will Knutsson, OL Kaleb Konigus, LB Cody Romano, S Jaden Seider, OL Landon Tengwall, DE Dan Vasey, QB Christian Veilleux, DE Jake Wilson and OL Blake Zalar all made their collegiate debuts
- Against Maryland, RB John Lovett made his first start at Penn
- DT Coziah Izzard made his first career start against Illinois
- · WR Malick Meiga made his collegiate debut against Illinois.
- · Redshirt sophomore CB Daequan Hardy made his first career start against Indiana.
- · Freshman CB Zakee Wheatley and WR Jaden Dottin made their collegiate debuts against Villanova.
- Transfer RB John Lovett made his Penn State debut against
- OL Eric Wilson made his first start at Penn State against Ball

- Five Nittany Lions made their first career collegiate start against Wisconsin: S Ji'Ayir Brown, LB Curtis Jacobs, OL Juice Scruggs, DE Nick Tarburton and OL Anthony Whigan.
- DE Arnold Ebiketie and DT Derrick Tangelo made their first start at Penn State against Wisconsin.
- LB Jamari Buddin, LB Dominic DeLuca, OL Olumuyiwa Fashanu, LB Kobe King, DT Fatorma Mulbah, S Jaylen Reed, OB Mason Stahl, DT Jordan van den Berg and WR Harrison Wallace III made their collegiate debuts against Ball
- Freshman CB Kaleb Brown, freshman CB Kalen King and redshirt freshman OL Nick Dawkins made their collegiate debuts against Wisconsin.
- Ten true freshmen have made their PSU debuts this season: Brown, Buddin, DeLuca, Kalen King, Kobe King, Reed, Tengwall, Veilleux, Wallace III and Wheatley.
- Transfers CB Johnny Dixon, Ebiketie, WR Winston Eubanks, CB A.J. Lytton, Tangelo and Wilson made their Penn State debuts against the Badgers.

#### OVERTIME OVER TIME

- · College football introduced overtime during the bowl season in 1995 and adopted it for regular season games in 1996. Since then, Penn State has played 15 overtime games, including six over the 2012-14 seasons.
- Ten of the 15 overtime tilts have come at home, three in true road games, one in the 2006 Orange Bowl and one in the 2014 Pinstripe Bowl.
- Penn State is 8-7 all-time in overtime games, with a 5-5 record at Beaver Stadium, 1-2 mark in true road games and 2-0 in contests at a neutral site.
- Penn State's first two overtime contests came vs. lowa in 2000 and 2002 at home. The Nittany Lions dropped their first three contests that went to the extra period, but won five straight overtime contests before falling to Nebraska on Nov. 23, 2013.
- Penn State's 20-18 nine-overtime setback against Illinois on October 23, 2021 is the longest overtime game in NCAA history, across all divisions.
- The nine overtimes against Illinois came under the current overtime format, adopted in 2021, which includes teams trading 2-point conversion attempts beginning in the third overtime.
- Penn State's longest game under the previous overtime format was a four-overtime win over Michigan (43-40) in 2013.
- Penn State's all-time overtime games:

Date	Opponent	Score
11/4/00	IOWA (20T)	L, 23-26
9/28/02	IOWA	L, 35-42
10/12/02	at Michigan	L, 24-27
1/3/06	vs. Florida State (30T) 1	W, 26-23
10/7/06	at Minnesota	W, 28-27
11/24/12	WISCONSIN	W, 24-21
10/12/13	MICHIGAN (40T)	W, 43-40
11/2/13	ILLINOIS	W, 24-17
11/23/13	NEBRASKA	L, 20-23
10/25/14	OHIO STATE (20T)	L, 24-31
12/27/14	vs. Boston College <sup>2</sup>	W, 31-30
10/2/16	MINNESOTA	W, 29-26
9/1/18	APPALACHIAN STATE	W, 45-38
10/24/20	at Indiana	L, 35-36
10/23/21	Illinois (90T)	L, 18-20
1 - Orange Bo	owl, 2 - Pinstripe Bowl	

#### **TEAM NOTES**

#### LIONS UNDER THE LIGHTS

- The 2021 season marks the 21st-straight with at least one regular-season night game on the schedule.
- Penn State is 57-32 at night all-time. The figure breaks down to 18-11 at home, 27-14 on the road and 12-7 in neutral site games. Penn State is 1-1 at regular season neutral sites, 11-6 in bowl games and 1-0 in conference championship games.
- In 2019, Penn State played its most regular season night games in program history with four primetime tilts.
- On Oct. 12, 2013, the Lions claimed the longest game in Big Ten history when they edged Michigan under the lights, 43-40, in four overtimes in front of a sellout Beaver Stadium crowd of 107,844 on Homecoming.

#### **STREAKING**

- Penn State has won 14 consecutive games against teams that are not members of a Power Five conference.
- Penn State has won 13 consecutive games over non-conference opponents during the regular season, dating back to a win over Temple in 2016.
- Penn State has won 19-straight non-conference home games, dating back to a win over Kent State in 2013.

#### **NATIONAL AUDIENCE**

- Penn State is annually one of the most watched teams in college football.
- Penn State's game at Ohio State, on ABC, drew 7.051 million viewers, the second-most watched game on October 30.
- The Nittany Lions' game against Illinois, on ABC, had 3.765 million viewers, ranking third among October 23 games.
- The Nittany Lions' game at lowa, on FOX, drew 6.904 million viewers, the second-most watched game on October 9.
- Penn State's shutout win over Indiana, on ABC, drew 3.996 million viewers to rank third among October 2 games.
- Penn State's win over Auburn, on ABC, drew an audience of 7.606 million viewers. It was the second-highest viewed game on September 18.
- The Nittany Lions' opening week win over Wisconsin, on FOX, drew an audience of 5.409 million viewers. It was the thirdhighest viewed game on September 4.

#### A GLOBAL GAME

- The Nittany Lions' roster includes 10 players with hometowns outside of the U.S.
- Redshirt senior P Barney Amor is from Gilly, Switzerland.
- Redshirt sophomore DT Joseph Appiah Darkwa (North Rhine-Westphalia) and freshman WR Jan Mahlert (Fürstenfeldbruck) are both from Germany.

- Sophomore TE Theo Johnson (Windsor, Ont.), freshman S Frederik Lesieur (Montreal), senior DE/LB Jesse Luketa (Ottawa), redshirt freshman WR Malick Meiga (Saint Jerome, QC), redshirt senior S Jonathan Sutherland (Ottawa) and freshman QB Christian Veilleux (Ottawa) are all Canada natives
- Sophomore DT Jordan van den Berg is from Johannesburg, South Africa

#### **FAMILY AFFAIR**

- Penn Staters know that it is very common for generations of families to all attend Penn State. For a fortunate few, immediate family members are also able to follow in a brother, father or grandfather's footsteps on the Penn State football team.
- Two sons of Penn State lettermen are on the 2021 team.
   Father (Letters) Son (Class)
   Brian Chizmar (1986-89) Max Chizmar (R-Sr.)
   Bruce Ellis (1973-76) Keaton Ellis (Jr.)
- Three pairs of brothers are currently represented.

Older (Years/Class)	Younger (Class)
Max Chizmar (2017-pres.; R-Sr.)	Ben Chizmar (Fr.)
Sean Clifford (2018-pres.; R-Sr.)	Liam Clifford (Fr.)
Kalen King (2021-pres; Fr.) (Twins)	Kobe King (Fr.)

### URSCHEL ON CFP SELECTION COMMITTEE

- John Urschel, a former All-American lineman at Penn State, is in the second year of a three-year term on the CFP Selection Committee.
- Urschel was also a two-time All-Big Ten performer and a 4.0 GPA student at Penn State University. The Baltimore Ravens drafted him in the fifth round of the 2014 NFL draft. He retired after three seasons with the Ravens and enrolled at MIT to pursue a Ph.D. in applied mathematics, which he completed in 2021, which he began work on in January 2016 while he was still playing for the Ravens.
- Urschel earned a bachelor's degree in mathematics in 2012 (in less than three years) and a master's in mathematics a year later (again with a 4.0). During the spring 2013 semester, Urschel taught a section of trigonometry and analytic geometry to Penn State undergraduate students three days a week in addition to his own academic and football responsibilities. He won the Sullivan Award, given to the most outstanding amateur athlete in the country, in 2013. A two-time Academic All-American, he also won the 2013 Campbell Trophy, which recognizes college football's top scholar-athlete.

#### **ACADEMIC SUCCESS**

- The Nittany Lions had 29 players selected as Academic All-Big Ten in Fall 2020.
- A program-record nine Nitany Lions were named 2019-20 Big Ten Distinguished Scholars.
- Penn State posted its first 1,000 single-year APR in program history in 2018-19, topping the previous high of 993 in 2014-15.
- In 2019, punter Blake Gillikin took home CoSIDA Academic All-America® first-team honors for the second-straight year to become the 12th two-time first-team selection in Penn State history. He graduated with a perfect 4.0 grade-point average in May 2020.
- Gillikin's two first-team CoSIDA Academic All-America honors increase Penn State football's total to 67 honorees, which ranks second in Division I football history (FBS and FCS).
- Trace McSorley was selected as a 2018 National Football Foundation (NFF) Scholar-Athlete and a finalist for the Campbell Trophy, known as the "Academic Heisman." He was the 18th Nittany Lion to be selected as an NFF Scholar-Athlete.

#### **DEGREES ON THE WALL**

- The Nittany Lions have 13 Penn State graduates on the roster:
   Ellis Brooks (psychology), Tariq Castro-Fields (sociology),
   Max Chizmar (corporate innovation & entrepreneurship),
   Sean Clifford (advertising/public relations), Fred Hansard
   (journalism), Drew Harlaub (Telecommunications), Des
   Holmes (broadcast journalism), Jesse Luketa (criminology),
   Mike Miranda (media studies), Chris Stoll (kinesiology),
   Jordan Stout (telecommunications), Cam Sullivan-Brown
   (journalism), Jonathan Sutherland (labor and employment
   relations), Justin Weller (finance, masters in real estate analysis
   and development) and Anthony Whigan (Recreation, Parks and
   Tourism Management).
- Brooks and Clifford are working on a second degree in journalism.
   Hansard and Holmes are working on a second degree in media studies. Luketa is working on a second degree in sociology.
   Stoll is working on a second degree in health policy and administration. Sullivan-Brown is working on a second degree in telecommunications.
- Sutherland is pursuing a master's degree in international affairs.
   Barney Amor, Arnold Ebiketie, Winston Eubanks and Derrick
   Tangelo joined the Nittany Lions after graduating from their previous schools.

#### **2021** CAPTAINS

- Penn State football head coach James Franklin announced redshirt seniors QB Sean Clifford, S Jonathan Sutherland and K/P Jordan Stout, seniors S Jaquan Brisker and DT PJ Mustipher and redshirt junior OL Rasheed Walker have been named team captains for the 2021 season.
- Clifford and Sutherland are captains for the third-straight season, the only three-time captains in program history.

#### **MILESTONE** WATCH

- Sean Clifford is 669 yards shy of 8,000 career passing yards.
   ... is 793 yards shy of 9,000 career total offense yards.
   ... is 124 yards shy of 1,000 career rushing yards.
- **Jahan Dotson** is 382 yards shy of 3,000 career receiving yards.
- **Keyvone Lee** is 146 yards shy of 1,000 career rushing yards.
- John Lovett is 20 yards shy of 2,000 career rushing yards.
- **Jonathan Sutherland** is six tackles shy of 100 career tackles.

See Records Watch on Pages 27-30



2021 Captains (L-R): Rasheed Walker, Jordan Stout, Jonathan Sutherland, Jaquan Brisker, PJ Mustipher, Sean Clifford

#### **WINNINGEST PROGRAMS**

In its 135th season of varsity football, Penn State has posted 909 victories to rank No. 7 in the nation. The Lions' success is not solely due to longevity though, as Penn State also ranks in the top 10 in all-time winning percentage.

As of November 21, 2021

#### **TOTAL VICTORIES**

1.	Michigan (142)	Dig Top	974
1.	Michigan (142)	Big Ten	9/4
2.	Ohio State (132)	Big Ten	941
3.	Alabama (128)	SEC	939
4.	Notre Dame (133)	Independent	928
	Oklahoma (125)	Big 12	928
6.	Texas (129)	Big 12	927
7.	PENN STATE (135)	Big Ten	909
8.	Nebraska (132)	Big Ten	908
9.	USC (132)	Pac-12	856
10.	Tennessee (123)	SEC	855

#### WINNING PERCENTAGE (YEARS - MIN. 25 IN D1)

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1.	Ohio State (132)	Big Ten	.732
2.	Alabama (128)	SEC	.731
3.	Notre Dame (133)	Independent	.730
4.	Michigan (142)	Big Ten	.729
5.	Boise State (54)	Mountain West	.729
6.	Oklahoma (125)	Big 12	.728
7.	Texas (129)	Big 12	.702
8.	USC (132)	Pac-12	.696
9.	PENN STATE (135)	Big Ten	.687
10.	Nebraska (132)	Big Ten	.684

#### ALL-TIME AD POLL BANKINGS (Weeks Ranked)

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1.	Ohio State	Big Ten	947
2.	Michigan	Big Ten	884
3.	Oklahoma	Big 12	874
4.	Notre Dame	Independent	846
5.	Alabama	SEC	838
6.	USC	Pac-12	787
7.	Texas	Big 12	749
8.	Nebraska	Big Ten	730
9.	PENN STATE	Big Ten	665
10.	LSU	SEC	640

#### WINNING WAYS

- Penn State is 53-20 over the past six seasons (2016-21), which is the 11th-best record in FBS and the third-best in the Big Ten (Ohio State, 66-8; Wisconsin 54-19).
- Dating back to 2015, Penn State has won 39 of its last 47 home games.
- Penn State's 138-63 record over the last 16 years (2006-21) ranks 16th in FBS and third in the Big Ten (Ohio State, 178-28; Wisconsin, 152-54).
- Head coach James Franklin guided his teams to a winning record each of his first eight seasons (2 at Vanderbilt, 6 at Penn State).
- Since 2016, Franklin's 72.6 percent (53-20) winning percentage ranks fifth among current FBS coaches.

#### **PRONUNCIATIONS**

#### **OFFENSIVE NOTES**

- Since the start of the 2016 season, Penn State's offense is second in the Big Ten in touchdown percentage (31.6; 18th nationally), scoring offense (34.0; 18th), points per possession (2.16; 21st), yards per pass attempt (7.94; 27th), yards per play (6.0; 32nd) and total offense (423.3; 39th) and is third in scoring percentage (40.49; 23rd).
- Penn State's offense has been explosive since the 2016 campaign, as it leads the Big Ten in 80-plus play percentage (0.21; 2nd nationally) and 70-plus (0.41; 9th), ranks second in 20-plus (7.83; 15th) and 40-plus (2.06; 16th), and holds third in 30-plus (3.60; 21st), 50-plus (1.01; 29th) and 60-plus (0.56; 26th).
- Additionally, the Nittany Lions are third in the Big Ten and 14th nationally in 15-plus yard passing play percentage since 2016 (19.56 percent).
- Penn State has gained 200 or more rushing yards 33 times in the **James Franklin** era. Penn State is 28-5 in those games.
- Sean Clifford has connected with Jahan Dotson for 21 passing touchdowns in their careers.
- Clifford and Dotson own the most passing touchdowns of any current FBS duo.
- With two Clifford-to-Dotson touchdowns against Indiana, the duo passed Todd Blackledge and Kenny Jackson (17; 1980-82) for the most by a Penn State QB-WR duo.
- In 2021, Dotson (83 rec, 1,045 yards, 10 TD) and WR Parker Washington (53, 662, 3) are one of eight receiver duos, and one of three in the Big Ten, with at least 50 receptions and 660 receiving yards among Power Five teams through their first 11 games of the season.
- QB Christian Veilleux connected with WR Malick Meiga on a 67-yard touchdown against Rutgers. It was Penn State's seventh scoring play of 40-plus yards this season.
- Clifford and Dotson connected for an 86-yard touchdown pass against Maryland. It's tied for the fourth-longest pass play in program history and it's Penn State's longest pass play this season.
- Dotson tallied a career-high and program-record 242 receiving yards, bettering Deon Butler's 216 against Northwestern in 2006 and became the first Penn State receiver to record 200 receiving yards in a game since Butler.
- Dotson is the only power five receiver with at least 240 yards and three touchdowns in a game this season and one of two in the FBS, joining Northern Illinois' Trayvon Rudolph (14 rec, 309 yds, 3 TD vs. Kent State).
- At Ohio State, Penn State threw for 361 yards, the eighth-most in a game in the James Franklin era.
- Dotson (11 receptions, 127 yards) and Washington (9 rec, 108 yards) both went over 100 yards against the Buckeyes, marking the second time this season both receivers have eclipsed the 100-yard mark.
- Against Indiana, Penn State scored on a 9-play, 96-yard drive in the second quarter. It is Penn State's longest drive, by yards, this season. The 96-yard drive is Penn State's longest drive, by yards, since a 98-yard drive against Maryland in 2020.

- In the Villanova win, Penn State had three receivers with 80 or more receiving yards (Parker Washington, 148; Jahan Dotson, 117; KeAndre Lambert-Smith, 83) for the first time since 2017 at Michigan State (DaeSean Hamilton 112; DeAndre Thompkins, 102; Mike Gesicki, 89).
- The Nittany Lions' 429 passing yards against Villanova mark the second-highest total in school history, behind only a 454-yard passing effort vs. UCF in the Croke Park Classic in Dublin in 2014.
- Penn State had four pass plays of 50 or more yards against the Wildcats, marking its first game with four plays of 50+ yards since Wisconsin in 2013.
- The Nittany Lions scored on their first offensive play of the game against Villanova, a 52-yard strike from Clifford to Dotson. Penn State scored on its first offensive play for the first time since Illinois in 2020, also a Clifford to Dotson touchdown pass.
- Clifford connected with KeAndre Lambert-Smith on an 83yard touchdown pass in the third quarter against Villanova. It was Penn State's seventh-longest pass play in program history.
- Penn State completed 29 passes against Auburn, tied for the sixth-most in a game in the James Franklin era.
- The Nittany Lions scored on a 14-play, 91-yard drive covering 6:49 in the second quarter. It was Penn State's longest drive for plays since a 16-play, 98-yard drive against Maryland in 2020.
- Penn State hit the 200-yard rushing plateau against Ball State, finishing with 240 rushing yards on the ground.
- PSU tallied 32 first downs against the Cardinals, tied for second in the James Franklin era with 32 against Nebraska in 2017.
- The Nittany Lions finished with 10 players recording a reception against Ball State, the most since 13 Nittany Lions had receptions at Maryland in 2019.
- Penn State used a 254-yard offensive effort in the second half at No. 12/15 Wisconsin to secure the win.
- Penn State has scored 40 points 21 times since 2016. By comparison, from 2008 until 2015, the Nittany Lions had 18 40-point outings.

#### Scoring Benchmarks Since 2016 (71 games)

Pts.	#	Last
50+	12	Dec. 19, 2020; Illinois (W, 56-21)
40+	21	Sept. 11, 2021; Ball State (W, 44-13)
30+	41	Nov. 6, 2021; at Maryland (W, 31-14)
20+	63	Nov. 20, 2021; Rutgers (W, 28-0)

- Mike Yurcich is in his first season as Penn State's offensive coordinator/quarterbacks coach after spending the 2020 campaign at Texas.
- Yurcich (California University (Pa.)) and Head Coach James Franklin (East Stroudsburg) both played in the Pennsylvania State Athletic Conference (PSAC).
- In 15 years as an offensive coordinator, offenses under Yurcich have averaged 6.37 yards per play, ranking first among OCs since 2013.
- Offenses have also averaged 13.80 yards per completion, also first among Power Five OCs since 2013.
- Since 2013, offenses under Yurcich have scored 50 or more points 26 times and 40 or more points 52 times (46 percent of games coached) with both numbers leading FBS Offensive Coordinators.



Jahan Dotson

#### **QUARTERBACK NOTES**

- Redshirt senior Sean Clifford is in his third season as Penn State's starting signal caller, having played in 35 career games, making 30 starts.
- The quarterback is a finalist for the NFF's William V. Campbell Trophy, awarded to the nation's top football scholar athlete and is a member of the National Football Foundation Scholar-Athlete Class.
- Clifford, who was named to the Allstate Good Works Team, is currently a finalist for the Senior CLASS Award and a semifinalist for the Wuerffel Trophy, owns a 3.45 cumulative GPA, graduated with a degree in public relations in December 2020 and is pursuing a second degree in journalism.
- The Cincinnati native was one of 25 quarterbacks considered for the Johnny Unitas Golden Arm Award and was one of 40 candidates for the Davey O'Brien Award.
- He also began the 2021 season on the watch lists for the Manning Award and Reese's Senior Bowl.
- Clifford is just one of three Penn State players all-time to reach 8,000-plus yards of total offense and one of three quarterbacks to reach 7,000 career passing yards.
- The redshirt junior is one of 15 current FBS quarterbacks with 7,000 passing yards and over 870 rushing yards in his career.
- Clifford owns 25 career games with multi-TD passes, including 11 with three or more TDs, most by a PSU quarterback since 2000, and three with four or more.
- Clifford has tossed multiple touchdowns in a half on 15 occasions and nine different times has thrown multiple touchdowns in a quarter.
- He owns seven career games with at least 250 passing yards and three passing touchdowns.
- The quarterback has tossed six career touchdowns of 70-plus yards and has completed 97 career passes of 20 or more yards.
- Since 2000, Clifford's 61.9 completion percentage is the secondhighest through 11 games (minimum 200 attempts) by a Penn State quarterback, trailing only Trace McSorley (65.2% in 2017).
- Clifford has 2,599 passing yards and 17 passing touchdowns through the first 11 games, joining Matt McGloin (2012) and McSorley (2016, 2017) as Penn State quarterbacks to accomplish the feat.
- Since 2000, Clifford's 2,599 passing yards are the fifth-most through the first 11 games of a season by a Penn State quarterback.
- Clifford ranks fourth in the Big Ten in completions per game (20.4, 28th nationally) and fifth in completion percentage (61.0)
- Clifford became the third Penn State quarterback to reach 7,000 passing yards, against Maryland. He currently has 7,331 passing yards.

- Clifford threw for 363 yards against Maryland, his sixth career 300-yard game and 17th career 200-yard game.
- In three seasons, Clifford has thrown for 1,101 yards against the Terrapins (398 in 2019, 340 in 2020, 363 in 2021).
- At Ohio State, Clifford completed a career-high 35 passes, for 361 yards and a touchdown, tying Matt McGloin's school record for completions set against Northwestern in 2012.
- The redshirt senior, who found TE Brenton Strange for a 5-yard touchdown in the first quarter, attempted 52 passes against the Buckeyes, the fourth-most in a game at Penn State.
- Clifford connected with WR KeAndre Lambert-Smith on a 42-yard touchdown against Illinois, bringing his career TD pass total of 40-plus yards to 13.
- Against Villanova, Clifford became the first Penn State quarterback to throw for at least 400 passing yards and four passing touchdowns in a game.
- He set a career-high with 401 passing yards and tied a career high with four passing touchdowns to earn Big Ten Offensive Player of the Week honors.
- Clifford was 12-of-12 for 265 yards against the Wildcats when targeting Dotson (seven catches for 117 yards) and Parker Washington (five catches for 148 yards).
- Against Auburn, Clifford completed a career-high 28 passes, on 32 attempts.
- Per ESPN, Clifford's 87.5 completion percentage, against Auburn, is the highest by a Penn State quarterback in the last 25 years.
- Freshman QB Christian Veilleux made his collegiate debut against Rutgers, throwing for 235 yards and three touchdowns.
- Veilleux connected with WR Malick Meiga for a 67-yard score in the third quarter.
- In the Rutgers game, Veilleux became the first Penn State true freshman QB to throw a TD since Christian Hackenberg at Wisconsin in 2013
- Redshirt sophomore Ta'Quan Roberson completed his first pass as a Nittany Lion against Ball State, a 23-yard touchdown strike to TE Theo Johnson.
- Offensive coordinator Mike Yurcich also heads the Penn State quarterback room.
- Three quarterbacks Yurcich coached in college are currently on NFL rosters (Sam Ehlinger – Texas, Justin Fields – Ohio State, Mason Rudolph – Oklahoma State).
- Yurcich served as the passing game coordinator and quarterbacks coach at Ohio State in 2019, where quarterback Justin Fields was a finalist for the Heisman Trophy, Walter Camp Player of the Year Award and Davey O'Brien Award.

#### **SEASON HONORS**

#### **JAQUAN BRISKER, SAFETY**

Accepted Reese's Senior Bowl Invite
Bednarik Award Semifinalist
Jim Thorpe Award Semifinalist
Associated Press Midseason All-America
The Athletic Midseason All-America First Team
ESPN Midseason All-America Team
Jim Thorpe Award HM Player of the Week (9/24)
Preseason Associated Press All-America Second Team
Bednarik Award Watch List
Bronko Nagurski Trophy Watch List
Jim Thorpe Award Watch List
NFLPA Collegiate Bowl Preseason Big Board
Reese's Senior Bowl Watch List

#### **ELLIS BROOKS, LINEBACKER**

Reese's Senior Bowl Watch List

#### JI'AYIR BROWN, SAFETY

Big Ten Defensive Player of the Week (11/8)

#### NOAH CAIN, RUNNING BACK

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#### TARIQ CASTRO-FIELDS, CORNERBACK

NFLPA Collegiate Bowl Preseason Big Board Reese's Senior Bowl Watch List

#### SEAN CLIFFORD, QUARTERBACK

William V. Campbell Trophy Finalist
NFF Scholar-Athlete Class
Allstate AFCA Good Works Team
Senior CLASS Award Finalist
Wuerffel Trophy Semifinalist
Davey O'Brien Award 2021 Quarterback Class
Johnny Unitas Golden Arm Award Top 25
Big Ten Offensive Player of the Week (9/27)
Manning Award Star of the Week List (9/20)
Davey O'Brien Great 8 List (9/20)
William V. Campbell Trophy Semifinalist
Allstate AFCA Good Works Team nominee
Manning Award Watch List
NFLPA Collegiate Bowl Preseason Big Board
Reese's Senior Bowl Watch List
Wuerffel Trophy Watch List

#### JAHAN DOTSON, WIDE RECEIVER

Biletnikoff Award Semifinalist (11/15)
Walter Camp Award Semifinalist (11/11)
Big Ten Co-Offensive Player of the Week (11/8)
PFF National Team of the Week (11/7)
Reese's Senior Bowl Offensive Player of the Week (9/8)
The Athletic Midseason All-America Second Team
Paul Hornung Award Honor Roll (10/3)
Paul Hornung Award Honor Roll (9/20)
Biletnikoff Award Watch List
Maxwell Award Watch List
Maxwell Award Watch List
NFLPA Collegiate Bowl Preseason Big Board
Paul Hornung Award Watch List
Reese's Senior Bowl Watch List
Reese's Senior Bowl Watch List

#### **ARNOLD EBIKETIE, DEFENSIVE END**

Accepted Reese's Senior Bowl Invite The Athletic Midseason All-America First Team Ted Hendricks Award Watch List NFLPA Collegiate Bowl Preseason Big Board Reese's Senior Bowl Watch List

#### JAMES FRANKLIN, HEAD COACH

Dodd Trophy Semifinalist Bear Bryant Award Coach of the Year Watch List Dodd Trophy Midseason Watch List

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Sean Clifford

# **SEAN CLIFFORD**



#### PENN STATE RECORDS/STATS

CAREER PASSING YARDS

7,331

Clifford currently ranks third all-time at Penn State with 7,331 career passing yards. Clifford sits 1,126 yards behind Christian Hackenberg (2013-15) for second place.

CAREER COMPLETION PCT.

60.7

Clifford has completed 570-of-939 pass attempts in his career for a 60.7 completion percentage. He holds the all-time lead at Penn State.

CAREER PASSING EFFICIENCY

142.0

Clifford has a 142.0 passing efficiency rating in his Nittany Lion career, sitting third all-time at Penn State.

CAREER RUSHING YARDS (QB)

876

Clifford ranks third all-time among quarterbacks at Penn State with 876 career rushing yards. He sits behind Trace McSorley (1,697 yards; 2015–18) and Michael Robinson (1,637 yards; 2002–05). CAREER PASSING TDS

58

Clifford sits second all-time at Penn State with 58 career passing touchdowns. He is 12 touchdowns away from the record held by Trace McSorley (2015-18).

CAREER YARDS PER PASS ATTEMPT

7.8

Clifford is tied eighth all-time at Penn State averaging 7.8 yards per attempt (7,308 yards on 931 attempts).

CAREER 200-YARD PASSING GAMES

18

Clifford sits fourth all-time at Penn State with 18 career 200yard passing games. He is tied with Matt McGloin (2009-12) for third all-time.

CAREER RUSHING TDS (QB)

10

Clifford has rushed for 10 career touchdowns. Among Penn State quarterbacks, he ranks tied sixth all-time with Todd Blackledge (1980-82) and Rashard Casey (1997-00). He is one touchdown behind Zack Mills (2001-04) for fifth place.

CAREER PASSING COMPLETIONS

570

Clifford has completed 570 passes in his Nittany Lion career, sitting fourth all-time at Penn State. He is 36 completions behind Zack Mills (2001-04) for fourth place.

CAREER YARDS PER PASS COMPLETION

12.9

Clifford averages 12.9 yards per completion, ranking 20th all-time at Penn State.

CAREER 300-YARD PASSING GAMES

R

Clifford is tied third in program history with six 300-yard passing games. He is three away from tying Christian Hackenberg (2013-15) for second all-time.

CAREER TOTAL OFFENSE

8,207

Clifford has accumulated 8,207 total yards (7,331 passing, 876 rushing) in his Nittany Lion career. He ranks third alltime at Penn State. CAREER PASSING ATTEMPTS

939

Clifford has attempted 939 passes in his Penn State career, good for fourth in program history. Clifford is 143 attempts behind 7ack Mills (2001-04) in third

CAREER
TOUCHDOWN PCT.

6.18

Clifford holds a 6.18 touchdown percentage in his career (58 touchdowns on 939 attempts), ranking 10th in Penn State history.

CAREER 20+ YARD COMPLETIONS

97

Clifford has completed 97 passes of 20 or more yards in his Penn State career, including 35 in 2021.

CAREER TDS RESPONSIBLE FOR

68

Clifford is responsible for 68 touchdowns at Penn State (57 passing, 10 rushing). He sits second all-time.

# JAHAN DOTSON



#### **PENN STATE RECORDS/STATS**

CAREER RECEIVING YARDS

2,620

Dotson sits fouth all-time at Penn State with 2,620 career receiving yards. He is 153 yards behind Deon Butler (2,771; 2005-08) for third all-time.

CAREER RECEIVING TDS

23

Dotson owns 23 career receiving touchdowns, holding third all-time at Penn State. Dotson is two behind Kenny Jackson (25; 1980-83).

CAREER RECEPTIONS

175

Dotson has 175 career receptions, sitting fourth all-time at Penn State. He is two receptions behind Allen Robinson (2011-13) for third all-time.

CAREER 20+ YARD RECEPTIONS

36

Dotson has 36 career catches of 20 or more yards, including 12 in 2021.

# CAREER 100-YARD RECEIVING GAMES

10

Dotson has earned 10 career 100-yard receiving games. He is tied with Allen Robinson (2011-13) for second all-time at Penn State.

# SEASON 100-YARD RECEIVING GAMES

4

Dotson has four 100-yard receiving games this season with 102 yards against Wisconsin, 117 yards against Villanova, 127 yards at Ohio State and 242 yards at Maryland.

#### **QB-WR TD DUOS**

21

Dotson has connected with Sean Clifford for 21 career touchdowns. The duo ranks first all-time at Penn State and among current FBS pairs.

# SEASON RECEPTIONS

83

Dotson's 83 receptions in 2021 rank second in a season at Penn State.

#### SEASON RECEIVING YARDS

1.045

Dotson sits third in the Big Ten and 17th in the nation with 1,045 receiving yards. His 1,045 yards rank fourth in a season at Penn State.

# SEASON RECEIVING YARDS PER GAME

95.0

Dotson ranks third in the Big Ten and 18th in the nation with 95.0 receiving yards per game.

# SEASON RECEIVING TOUCHDOWNS

10

Dotson ranks eighth in the country and third in the Big Ten with 10 receiving touchdowns in 2021. His 10 touchdown receptions are tied for fifth in a season at Penn State.

# SEASON RECEPTIONS PER GAME

7.5

Dotson ranks second in the Big Ten and ranks ninth in the nation with 7.5 receptions per game.

## CONSECUTIVE GAMES WITH A RECEPTION

ДΓ

Dotson has a reception in 40-straight games, dating back to October 20, 2018 against Indiana. That ranks fifth among current FBS players.

# CONSECUTIVE GAMES WITH 5+ RECEPTIONS

12

Dotson has hauled in at least five receptions in 12-straight games, dating back to the Michigan State game in 2020. Dotson is the only PSU receiver with 12 consecutive five-reception games.

# CAREER GAMES WITH A 20-YD RECEPTION

27

Dotson has at least one 20-yard reception in 27 career games.

# CAREER PUNT RETURN AVERAGE

14.N

Dotson has a career punt return average of 14.0 yards. He sits sixth all-time at Penn State.

#### **SEASON HONORS**

#### **KEYVONE LEE, RUNNING BACK**

Doak Walker Award Watch List

#### JOHN LOVETT, RUNNING BACK

NFLPA Collegiate Bowl Preseason Big Board Doak Walker Award Watch List

#### JESSE LUKETA, DEFENSIVE END/ LINEBACKER

Accepted Reese's Senior Bowl Invite
PFF National Defensive Player of the Week (9/13)
PFF National Defensive Team of the Week (9/13)
Butkus Award Watch List
NFLPA Collegiate Bowl Preseason Big Board
Reese's Senior Bowl Watch List

#### MIKE MIRANDA, OFFENSIVE LINE

Outland Trophy Watch List Reese's Senior Bowl Watch List

#### PJ MUSTIPHER, DEFENSIVE TACKLE

Lombardi Award Semifinalist Lott IMPACT Trophy Quarterfinalist NFLPA Collegiate Bowl Preseason Big Board Senior Bowl Watch List Lott IMPACT Trophy Watch List

#### BRENT PRY, DEFENSIVE COORDINATOR/ LINEBACKERS COACH

Broyles Award Nominee (11/15)

#### **BRANDON SMITH, LINEBACKER**

Butkus Award Semifinalist Big Ten Defensive Player of the Week (9/20) Butkus Award Watch List

#### **CHRIS STOLL, LONG SNAPPER**

Burlsworth Trophy Nominee Patrick Mannelly Award Watch List

#### **JORDAN STOUT, KICKER/PUNTER**

Ray Guy Award Finalist
Ray Guy Award Semifinalist
Big Ten Special Teams Player of the Week (11/22)
Big Ten Special Teams Player of the Week (11/15)
Ray Guy Award National Punter of the Week (10/26)
Ray Guy Award National Punter of the Week (10/5)
Big Ten Co-Special Teams Player of the Week (10/4)
Big Ten Special Teams Player of the Week (9/6)
Ray Guy Award Watch List
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#### **BRENTON STRANGE, TIGHT END**

Mackey Award Watch List

#### **DERRICK TANGELO, DEFENSIVE TACKLE**

NFLPA Collegiate Bowl Preseason Big Board

#### **RASHEED WALKER, OFFENSIVE LINE**

Lombardi Award Watch List Outland Trophy Watch List NFLPA Collegiate Bowl Preseason Big Board

#### PARKER WASHINGTON, WIDE RECEIVER

Earl Campbell Tyler Rose Award Watch List

#### **ERIC WILSON, OFFENSIVE LINE**

CoSIDA Academic All-District

#### **WIDE RECEIVER NOTES**

- Senior Jahan Dotson is a semifinalist for the Biletnikoff and Walter Camp Player of the Year awards.
- Dotson began the 2021 campaign on the Maxwell and Paul Hornung Award watch lists.
- He is third all-time at Penn State in career receiving touchdowns (23) and is fourth in receptions (175) and yardage (2,620).
- Dotson is the only Power Five receiver and one of two FBS receivers with at least 83 receptions, 1,045 yards and 10 touchdowns in their first 11 games of the season, joining Western Kentucky's Jerreth Sterns (123, 1,511, 12).
- Dotson ranks second in the Big Ten in 2021 in receptions (83, 8th nationally), is third in receiving scores (10, t-8th), and is third in receiving yards (1,045, 17th).
- The 83 grabs are currently the second-most in a season at Penn State, while his 1,045 yards are third and 10 touchdown receptions are tied for fifth.
- A native of Nazareth, Pa., Dotson had five or more receptions in 12-straight games, dating back to the Michigan State game in 2020 and is the only Nittany Lion in program history to catch at least five passes in 12 consecutive games.
- The wideout has a reception in 40-straight games, dating back to October 20, 2018 against Indiana, which ranks fifth among current FBS players.
- Dotson has at least one 20-yard reception in 27 career games, including each of the first five games and nine of 11 games overall this year.
- According to PFF, since 2020, Dotson leads all FBS receivers in 20+ yard touchdowns with 12.
- He had a touchdown reception in each of the first five games this season and since 2000, is the only Penn State receiver with at least six touchdown receptions in the first five games of the season. He's done so in both 2020 and 2021.
- Dotson had a touchdown reception in six-straight games dating back to the Illinois game in 2020, the longest streak in program history. He reached the end zone in seven consecutive games, including an 81-yard punt return against Michigan State in 2020
- The senior owns six career receiving touchdowns of 60 or more yards (86 at Maryland, 2021; 75 and 70 vs. Illinois 2020; 68 vs. lowa 2020; 60 at Indiana 2020; 72 vs. Purdue, 2019) and 10 receiving touchdown of 40+ yards.
- Dotson's 14.97 yards per reception in his career is first among current Power Five receivers (minimum 170 catches) and third among FBS receivers.
- His 10 career 100-yard receiving games ties him with Allen Robinson (2011-13) for second all-time at Penn State.
- Only two current FBS Power Five receivers have more career 100yard receiving games than Dotson's 10, Purdue's David Bell (17), Texas Tech's Kaylon Geiger (11) and Ohio State's Chris Olave (11).
- Dotson recorded a career-high and program-record 242 receiving yards at Maryland, bettering Deon Butler's 216 yards vs. Northwestern in 2006.
- He is the only Power Five receiver and one of two FBS receivers with 240 yards and three touchdowns in a game this season, joining Northern Illinois' Trayvon Rudolph (14, 309, 3 vs. Kent State).
- The wideout tied career highs with 11 receptions and three touchdowns against the Terrapins, his fifth career multitouchdown game.
- It marked his fourth career game with at least 100 receiving yards and two touchdowns and second career game with at least 100 yards and three touchdowns.
- Dotson set a career-high with 11 receptions at Ohio State to go along with 127 yards, while also adding a 2-yard rushing touchdown against the Buckeyes.
- He had 10 receptions against Auburn, becoming the first Penn State player with double-digit receptions in a game since Saquon Barkley's 12 against lowa in 2017 and the first receiver with double-digit receptions since DaeSean Hamilton's 14 against Ohio State in 2014.

- Dotson caught a 4-yard touchdown against the Tigers and completed a 22-yard pass to redshirt freshman TE Tyler Warren in the second quarter.
- It was Dotson's first career pass attempt and completion.
   He followed it up two weeks later with another completion, connecting on a 21-yard pass to Parker Washington against Indiana.
- Dotson had five receptions for 102 yards, and a 49-yard touchdown, in the season-opening win at Wisconsin.
- The senior turned a screen pass into a 25-yard touchdown against Ball State and caught eight passes for 84 yards and two touchdowns against Indiana.
- Dotson made seven grabs for 117 yards and a touchdown against Villanova, including a 52-yard touchdown reception on Penn State's first offensive play.
- In 2021, Dotson (83 rec, 1,045 yards, 10 TD) and Washington (53, 662, 3) are one of eight receiver duos, and one of three in the Big Ten, with at least 50 receptions and 660 receiving yards among Power Five teams through their first 11 games of the season.
- Dotson and Washington (108) both recorded over 100 receiving yards at Ohio State, marking the second time this season the duo each went over 100 yards, joining their performance against Villanova (Dotson 117, Washington 148).
- The tandem are the first Penn State receivers to post multiple 100-yard receiving games in a season since 2014 (DaeSean Hamilton and Geno Lewis).
- Washington, who has a catch in all 20 games of his career, tallied a career-high 148 receiving yards and two touchdowns on five catches against Villanova. He had touchdown receptions of 52 and 23 yards and added a career-long 67-yard catch.
- Washington, who made eight grabs against Auburn, matched his career-high with nine grabs at Ohio State to go along with the 108 yards.
- Following his four-catch, 92-yard performance against Michigan, Washington became the 36th Penn State player to reach the 1,000 career receiving yards mark.
- Washington sits seventh in the Big Ten averaging 4.8 catches per game and is ninth with 662 receiving yards.
- Sophomore KeAndre Lambert-Smith had five receptions for 71 yards against Wisconsin, including a 54-yard catch.
- Lambert-Smith had a career-long 83-yard touchdown reception against Villanova. It's the sixth-longest pass play in program history. Lambert-Smith finished the Villanova game with a career-high 88 receiving yards.
- He hauled in a 42-yard touchdown reception vs. Illinois.
- Six of Lambert-Smith's 29 catches this season are 20 or more vards
- WR Malick Meiga reached the end zone for the first time in his career, on a 67-yard strike from Christian Veilleux, in the third quarter against Rutgers.
- Junior ATH Marquis Wilson made his first career reception in the first quarter against Ball State, making him the first Penn State player to earn snaps on both sides of the ball in the same game since Dae'Lun Darien in 2017 against Maryland.
- Offensive recruiting coordinator/wide receivers coach Taylor Stubblefield is in his second season on the Penn State staff.
- As a player, Stubblefield caught 325 passes, which was an NCAA record at the completion of his career at Purdue.
- He still owns the Big Ten record for career receptions and ranks second in conference history with 3,629 yards.
- Stubblefield was a consensus All-American and a finalist for the Biletnikoff Award in 2004.

#### **RUNNING BACKS NOTES**

- Penn State boasts a deep running back corps. The room has combined to play in 118 games, including 41 starts. Five members have started at least one game.
- Junior Noah Cain returned after missing all but the first drive at Indiana in 2020.
- Cain had a rushing touchdown in each of the first three games of a season for the second time in his career (2019, 2021).
- · Cain scored on a 3-yard run against Auburn.
- Cain rushed for 69 yards and a 5-yard touchdown against Ball State. He also set a career high with 30 receiving yards on three catches.
- · Cain found the end zone on a 2-yard run at lowa.
- Cain averaged 6.0 yards per carry against Wisconsin. The sophomore had a career-long 34-yard carry in the fourth quarter against the Badgers.
- Cain reached the 500-yard mark for his career with a 48-yard day against Wisconsin.
- Sophomore RB Keyvone Lee had a career-long 44-yard run against Indiana. He added a 21-yard run to lead Penn State with 74 yards on eight carries.
- Lee averaged 6.2 yards per carry against Maryland, rushing for 50 yards on eight carries. He added two catches for 17 yards.
- · Lee scored on a 1-yard run at Ohio State.
- Lee rushed for a season-high 88 yards on 20 carries vs. Michigan.
- The trio of Lee, junior Devyn Ford and sophomore Caziah Holmes combined for 207 carries, 939 yards and nine touchdowns in 2020.
- Ford has rushed for 618 career yards and six touchdowns.
- Senior RB John Lovett made his Penn State debut against Auburn and had an 18-yard reception.
- Lovett tallied 1,803 rushing yards and 5.07 yards per carry at Baylor from 2017-20.
- Lovett rushed for 655 yards in 2019 and 573 yards in 2018.
- Run game coordinator/running backs coach Ja'Juan Seider has 13 yards of college coaching experience, including 10 at the Power Five level.
- Seider helped a young running backs group to rank fifth in the Big Ten in rushing in 2020.
- In 2019, Seider mentored Journey Brown, who had 11 rushes of 20 or more yards and posted a Cotton Bowl and Penn State bowl-record 202 rushing yards.
- In 2018, Penn State posted its highest rushing average (204.9) since 2008 (205.8), led by second-team All-Big Ten selection Miles Sanders.
- As a player at Florida A&M, he won the Doug Williams Award for National Offensive Player of the Year, Jake Gaither Award (considered the Heisman Trophy of Historically Black Colleges) and earned All-America honors after throwing for 2,622 yards and 27 touchdowns and rushing for 740 yards and 14 touchdowns in 1999.
- Seider, who was the 1999 MEAC Offensive Player of the Year, was selected in the sixth round of the 2000 NFL Draft by the San Diego Chargers.

#### **TIGHT ENDS NOTES**

- Since James Franklin took over the program in 2014, three PSU tight ends have been taken in the NFL Draft, tied for fifth in the nation during that span (Pat Freiermuth – 2021, 2nd round; Mike Gesicki – 2018, 2nd round; Jesse James – 2015, 5th round)
- Penn State had four tight ends on opening week NFL rosters (Nick Bowers, Freiermuth, Gesicki and James), trailing only Stanford (5) among FBS programs.
- Redshirt sophomore Brenton Strange leads a young, but talented, tight end room that looks to continue a strong tight end tradition at Penn State.
- Strange caught a 5-yard touchdown pass in the first quarter at Ohio State.
- Strange hauled in a 10-yard touchdown reception against Indiana. It was his fifth career touchdown catch.
- Strange set career highs with four catches for 71 yards against Auburn, including a career-long 40-yard reception.
- Sophomore Theo Johnson caught a 23-yard touchdown pass in the fourth quarter against Ball State, his first career touchdown reception.
- Johnson had a career-best 37-yard reception against Auburn and a 20-yard reception against Indiana.
- Redshirt freshman **Tyler Warren** scored a 3-yard run against Villanova and a 2-yard rushing touchdown against Auburn.
- Warren added a 22-yard reception vs. Auburn.
- Warren caught a 2-yard touchdown pass against Michigan, his first career touchdown reception.
- · Warren had a career-best 29-yard reception against Rutgers.
- Johnson (4), Strange (2) and Warren (2) have combined for seven 20-plus yard receptions this season.
- Tight ends coach Ty Howle was named to the position on February 5, 2021 after serving as an offensive analyst in 2020, working closely with the offensive line and tight ends.
- Prior to returning to Happy Valley, Howle spent four seasons on the coaching staff at Western Illinois, serving as assistant head coach/co-offensive coordinator/offensive line coach in 2018-19.
- Howle was a four-year letterwinner on the Penn State offensive line from 2009-13. He started at center and left guard and was a four-time Academic All-Big Ten selection. He was a team captain in 2013.
- Howle played in 47 career games for the NIttany Lions, making 13 starts. He graduated in 2013 with a bachelor's degree in kinesiology.

## • Penn State lettermen LaVar Arrington, Paul Posluszi

- Penn State lettermen LaVar Arrington, Paul Posluszny and Steve Wisniewski have been selected as a part of the national ballot for the National Football Foundation's College Hall of Fame's Class of 2022. A total of 78 players and seven coaches from FBS are on the 2022 hallot
- The trio of standouts have an opportunity to join 19 former Nittany Lion players and five Penn State coaches who have been inducted into the Hall.
- Also on the Hall of Fame ballot is former Nittany Lion studentathlete Glenn Killinger, who is among the candidates for the divisional coach Class of 2022. Killinger was inducted into the Hall of Fame as a player in 1966.
- Arrington, an outside linebacker for the Nittany Lions, was a first-team All-American in 1998 and 1999. In 1999, he was selected winner of the Butkus Award as the nation's top linebacker and Chuck Bednarik Award as the country's top defensive player, while also being a finalist for the Bronko Nagurski Trophy and Rotary Lombardi Award. The 12th Nittany Lion selected a two-time first-team All-American, Arrington finished ninth in balloting for the 1999 Heisman Trophy. Was the first sophomore selected Big Tep Defensive Player of the Year in 1998. In 1999, he made 72 tackles, with 20 TFL, nine sacks, one interception, one forced fumble, two fumble recoveries (one TD) and two blocked kicks. His leaping tackle over the offensive line of an Illinois runner was selected the 1998 Compaq Defensive Play of the Year.
- Posluszny, an outside linebacker for the Nittany Lions, was a first-team All-American in 2005 and 2006. Posluszny became just the second two-time winner of the Chuck Bednarik Award, presented to the nation's top defensive player, in 2006. In 2005, he also won the Butkus Award, presented to the nation's top linebacker and was a finalist for the 2006 honor. The 13th Nittany Lion to be named a two-time first-team All-American, Posluszny also was a two-time finalist for the Rotary Lombardi Award. The Nittany Lions' first two-time team captain since 1968-69, he became Penn State's career tackle leader with 372. A starter in the last 37 games of his career, Posluszny became the first Nittany Lion to lead the team in tackles three times and to post three 100-tackle seasons, recording 116 in 2006. Posluszny also was a two-time first-team ESPN the Magazine Academic All-American and was selected the 2006 Academic All-American of the Year among Division I football players.
- Wisniewski was a three-year starter at guard for the Nittany Lions who would go on to become an All-Pro lineman in the NFL. He was one of two sophomores to start on the 1986 National Championship team and he opened holes for two first-team All-America running backs, Blair Thomas (1987) and D.J. Dozier (1986). One of just four Penn State offensive linemen to earn a pair of first-team All-America honors, he was recognized in 1988 by the American Football Coaches (AFCA) and repeated All-America accolades from Sporting News. A 1988 team captain, Wisniewski is one of just two offensive linemen to earn Penn State's team MVP honor since its creation in 1978.
- From Harrisburg, Killinger was a Walter Camp All-American at quarterback for the Nittany Lions in 1921. He coached at Dickinson (1922), Rensselaer (1927-32), Moravian (1933) and West Chester (1934-41, 45-59). Killinger is the winningest coach in West Chester history and is a member of the Pennsylvania Sports Hall of Fame. He died in 1988.
- Penn State has 24 players and coaches who are members of the College Football Hall of Fame. Five coaches and 19 players have earned their way into the hall of fame.
- The 2021 College Football Hall of Fame Class Presented by ETT will be officially inducted during the 65th NFF Annual Awards Dinner on Dec. 7, 2021, at the ARIA Resort & Casino Las Vegas. They will also be honored at their respective schools with an NFF Hall of Fame On-Campus Salute, presented by Fidelity Investments, during the 2022 season.



Keyvone Lee



Tyler Warren

#### **COACHING STAFF NOTES**

#### LETTERMEN MAKING THEIR RETURN

- Several members of the Penn State coaching and support staffs played at Penn State.
- Cornerbacks Coach Terry M. Smith was a three-year starter at wide receiver from 1989-91. He ranks tied for 10th in career receiving touchdowns (15), 13th in career receiving yardage (1,825) and 14th in career receptions (108).
- Tight Ends Coach Ty Howle was a four-year letterwinner on the Penn State offensive line from 2009-13. He played in 47 career games, making 13 starts. The 2013 team captain made starts at center and left quard and was a four-time Academic All-Big Ten selection.
- Defensive Graduate Assistant Deion Barnes made 31 starts as a Nittany Lion from 2012-14. In 2014, Barnes tallied 12.5 tackles for loss and six sacks. He led PSU with 10 tackles for loss and six sacks in 2012 to earn consensus freshman All-American honors.
- Offensive Graduate Assistant Wendy Laurent played in 34 games and made eight starts as a Nittany Lion from 2013-16. Laurent was a key member of the line that helped Penn State to a Big Ten Championship in 2016.
- Assistant Recruiting Coordinator Alan Zemaitis was a four-year letterman and three-time All-Big Ten selection for the blue and white from 2002-05. Zemaitis sits tied fifth all-time at Penn State with 12 career interceptions. He also holds fifth all-time at Penn State with 46 passes defended. Zemaitis helped the Nittany Lions to a Big Ten Championship in 2005.
- Director of Football Academic Services Todd Kulka lettered as a linebacker and graduated in 1995. He helped Penn State to a 9-3 record and an Outback Bowl victory in 1995.
- Director of the Football Letterman's Club Wally Richardson was a four-year letterman as a quarterback in 1992 and 1994-96. Richardson ranks 12th all-time at Penn State with 4,419 career passing yards. He also sits eighth all-time with 378 completions and 12th all-time with 27 touchdown passes.

#### **PENNSYLVANIA TIES**

 The Penn State coaching staff is deeply rooted in Pennsylvania, with three members originally hailing from the Keystone State. Additionally, seven members of the staff attended college in the Commonwealth.

#### Central PA

- Defensive Coordinator Brent Pry Altoona
- · Tight Ends Coach Ty Howle Penn State
- Offensive Graduate Assistant Wendy Laurent Penn State

#### Eastern PA

- · Head Coach James Franklin Langhorne; East Stroudsburg University
- Defensive Graduate Assistant Deion Barnes- Philadelphia; Penn State Western PA
- Cornerbacks Coach Terry M. Smith Aliquippa; Penn State
- Offensive Coordinator Mike Yurcich California (Pa.) University

### FRANKLIN NAMED TO DODD TROPHY PRESEASON WATCH LIST

- Head coach James Franklin was named to the 2021 Dodd Trophy Watch List, the Bobby Dodd Coach of the Year Foundation and the Chick-fil-A Peach Bowl announced. The list includes 17 of the nation's top college football coaches.
- The Dodd Trophy celebrates the head coach of a team who has success on the gridiron, while also stressing the importance of scholarship, leadership and integrity – the three pillars of legendary coach Bobby Dodd's coaching philosophy. The watch list was created through a selection process by the Bobby Dodd Coach of the Year Foundation and Chick-fil-A Peach Bowl, taking into consideration each program's graduation rate, commitment to service and charity in the community, projected success for the 2020 season and Academic Progress Rate (APR).

#### **OFFENSIVE LINE NOTES**

- The returning members of the Penn State offensive line have combined to play in 233 games in Happy Valley, including 96 starts
- Penn State did not allow a sack against Auburn on 33 pass attempts.
- The Nittany Lions also didn't allow a sack against Indiana on 34 pass attempts.
- The Penn State offensive line helped the Nittany Lions to rush for 240 yards and two touchdowns against Ball State.
- Redshirt junior Rasheed Walker, who was on the preseason Outland Trophy and Rotary Lombardi Watch Lists, leads the returnees with 32 starts, all at left tackle.
- Redshirt senior Mike Miranda has been a valuable member of the line with his versatility. He's appeared in 45 games with 28 starts, including nine at left guard, nine at right guard and 11 at center.
- Miranda was also on the Outland Trophy and Reese's Senior Bowl watch lists.
- Redshirt sophomore Caedan Wallace has 18 starts at right tackle, including the final six games of 2020, and owns 24 career appearances.
- Senior Eric Wilson made his first start as a Nittany Lion against Ball State after making his first appearance against Wisconsin. Wilson brought 20 college starts to Penn State after transferring from Harvard after earning his degree in Psychology.

- Wilson was named a 2021 CoSIDA Academic All-District honoree. It marks his second season earning the honor, after he earned it at Harvard the previous season.
- Redshirt senior Anthony Whigan and redshirt junior Juice Scruggs made their first career starts against the Badgers. Whigan has played in 20 career games and Scruggs has played in 19 with 11 starts.
- Offensive line coach Phil Trautwein is in his second season at Penn State.
- He was named to the American Football Coaches Association (AFCA) Class of 2021 "35 Under 35" list, recognizing the top-35 football coaches under the age of 35. He was the only Big Ten coach and the only offensive line coach on the 2021 list.
- In his first season at Penn State, Trautwein helped four Penn State offensive linemen to earn All-Big Ten honors.
- He's coached 13 All-Conference selections over the last three seasons.
- Trautwein was a two-time All-SEC selection and two-time team captain as a left tackle at Florida, earning first-team honors in 2008 and second-team accolades in 2006.
- He was part of the Gators winning the BCS National Championship and SEC titles in the 2006 and 2008 seasons.
- · Trautwein played four years in the NFL.



Juice Scruggs

#### **ASSISTANT** COACHES



Mike Yurcich Offensive Coord./ Quarterbacks Field

Mike YUR-sitch



Brent Pry Defensive Coord./ Linebackers Field



Joe Lorig Special Teams Coord./Outside LBs Field



**Ty Howle** *Tight Ends*Booth

Ty Howl



Anthony Poindexter
Co-Defensive
Coordinator/Safeties



John Scott Jr. Defensive Line



Ja'Juan Seider Run Game Coord./ Running Backs Field

JAY-juan cider



Terry M. Smith Assoc. Head Coach/ Cornerbacks Field



Taylor Stubblefield Wide Receivers



**Phil Trautwein** Offensive Line

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#### **DEFENSIVE NOTES**

- The Nittany Lions are allowing just 15.5 points per game in 2021, leading the Big Ten and ranking fourth in the country.
- · Penn State is allowing opponents only a 62.2 conversion rate in the red zone this season, ranking third in the country and leading the Big Ten.
- · In 37 opponent red zone trips, Penn State has held opposing teams without a score on 14 possessions.
- Penn State has held its opponents to a 29.73 touchdown conversion percentage in the red zone, marking the secondbest in the country (37 attempts, 11 touchdowns).
- The Nittany Lions' 14 red zone stops are the most among Power Five teams and tied for most in the FBS with Florida Atlantic's
- · Penn State has allowed just nine passing touchdowns this season, ranking seventh in the country.
- Over the last seven seasons, PSU sits second nationally in sacks per game (3.02; trailing only Clemson), third in QB hurries (903), fourth in total pressures generated (1345), eighth in fewest passing TDs allowed per game (1.10), eighth in tackles for loss percentage (10.66), eighth in fewest passing yards per attempt (6.28) and 11th in fewest rushing yards per attempt (3.56).
- Penn State's 260 sacks over the last seven years (2015-21) are fifth behind Clemson (329), Alabama (289), Pitt (272) and Ohio
- Over the last seven years, Penn State has accumulated a 8.54 percent sack percentage (260 sacks on 3,247 plays), which ranks fifth in the FBS.
- Since 2014, Penn State has held opponents to seven or less points 23 times, tied sixth-most among FBS teams. Seventeen of those 23 games have been against Big Ten opponents.
- In the James Franklin era, Penn State has recorded seven shutouts, tied for fourth-most among FBS teams.
- · Since 2014, Penn State has kept opponents under 300 total yards 45 times, the seventh-most games among FBS teams.
- Penn State held Rutgers to 160 total yards, including 93 passing and 67 rushing. The Scarlet Knights earned just 10 first downs.
- · The Scarlet Knights punted on 10 of its first 11 drives with the other drive ending the first half and its final three drives ended in a turnover on downs, an interception and the end of
- The Nittany Lions recorded their second shutout of the season, against Rutgers, notching two shutouts in a season for the first time since 2017.
- Penn State shutout two conference opponents in a season for the first time since joining the Big Ten in 1993.
- Penn State allowed Rutgers to cross the 50-yard line on only one drive, which ended in a turnover on downs in the red zone.
- · The Nittany Lions have held Rutgers under 10 points in all eight meetings since the Scarlet Knights joined the Big Ten. In those 10 meetings, Rutgers has averaged 4.9 points.
- S Ji'Ayir Brown returned an interception 87 yards for a touchdown at Maryland. It is the fifth-longest interception return in program history.

- The pick-six is Penn State's second this season, including **Jesse** Luketa's 16-vard return vs. Ball State.
- Penn State has two pick-six's in a season for the first time since 2019 (John Reid vs. Buffalo, Garrett Taylor vs. Memphis).
- Ohio State entered the game leading the nation averaging 49.3 points per game and was limited on offense to two touchdowns and three field goals.
- Against Illinois, S Ji'Ayir Brown (13), LB Ellis Brooks (11) and DE Arnold Ebiketie (10) all had double-digit tackles. It was the first time Penn State had three players with 10+ tackles in a game since 2019 at Ohio State (Micah Parsons, 11; Garrett Taylor, 11; Lamont Wade 11).
- · Penn State limited Illinois to 38 passing yards, the secondlowest by an opponent since 2014.
- · Penn State has held opponents under 100 passing yards in 15 games since 2014, tied ninth-most among Power Five teams.
- Penn State held lowa to 195 passing yards and 2.4 yards per
- The Nittany Lions had 11 tackles for loss against lowa.
- · Penn State has registered 10 or more tackles for loss 25 times since 2014
- · The Nittany Lions, who held Indiana to 69 rushing yards, Maryland to 48 rushing yards and Rutgers to 67 rushing yards, have limited opponents to under 100 yards rushing 39 times since 2014. Penn State is 33-6 in those games.
- · Penn State did not allow a passing touchdown through the first 147 passing attempts faced this season, the most in the FBS.
- Since 2000, 147 is the most passing attempts Penn State has faced without allowing a passing touchdown to start a season.
- · Dating back to the Nebraska game in 2020, Penn State has forced a turnover in 17-straight games, tied for the secondlongest streak among FBS teams (Baylor, 19; Oklahoma, 17).
- · In those 17 games, Penn State has forced 25 total turnovers (16 interceptions, nine fumbles).
- Penn State has forced 18 takeaways this season, including 11 interceptions which are good for 30th in the country.
- Defensive coordinator/linebackers coach Brent Pry is in his 30th year of coaching and his 15th at a Power Five program.
- · Pry is a 2021 Broyles Award Nominee. The award is given to the top assistant coach in college football.
- · Pry coached the East Stroudsburg outside linebackers and defensive backs in 1993-94, James Franklin's final two seasons as their quarterback. Pry's father, Jim, was Franklin's offensive coordinator at East Stroudsburg.
- Pry has helped the programs he's coached to Top-25 finishes in total defense in eight of his last 11 seasons, including four at Penn State.

Ellis Brooks

#### **COACHING STAFF POTW**

The Penn State coaching staff chooses players of the week in all three phases. Here are their selections:

#### SEPT. 4 - WISCONSIN

	UTZ Offensive:	Jahan Dotsor
	UTZ Defensive:	Jaquan Brisker/Arnold Ebiketie
•	UTZ Special Teams:	Drew Hartlauk
•	D-Squad Offensive:	Mason Stahl/Jimmy Christ
٠	D-Squad Defensive:	Jordan van den Berg/Jaden Seider
•	D-Squad Special Teams:	Henry Fessler

SΕ	PI. 11 - BALL STATE	
•	UTZ Offensive:	Sean Clifford
•	UTZ Defensive:	Daequan Hardy/Jesse Luketa
•	UTZ Special Teams:	Daniel George
	D-Squad Offensive:	John Lovett/Blake Zalar
	D-Squad Defensive:	Max Chizmar/Dominic DeLuca
	D-Squad Special Teams:	Cody Romano

#### SEPT. 18 - AUBURN

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#### SEPT 25 - VILLANOVA

UTZ Offensive:	. Sean Clifford/Parker Washington
UTZ Defensive:	Ji'Ayir Brown
UTZ Special Teams:	John Lovett
D-Squad Offensive:	Kaleb Konigus/Justin Weller
D-Squad Defensive:	Dominic DeLuca/Cole Brevard
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	UTZ Offensive: UTZ Defensive: UTZ Special Teams: D-Squad Offensive:

#### OCT. 2 - INDIANA

	UTZ Offensive:	Jahan Dotson
•	UTZ Defensive:	Ji'Ayir Brown/Daequan Hardy
•	UTZ Special Teams:	Arnold Ebiketie/Brandon Smith
•	D-Squad Offensive:	Will Knutsson/Mason Stahl
	D-Squad Defensive:	Jordan van den Berg/Jeffrey Davis Jr.
•	D-Squad Special Teams:	Caziah Holmes

#### OCT. 9 - IOWA

D-Squad Offensive:	Jimmy Christ/Norval Black
D-Squad Defensive:Dyla	n Farronato/Joseph Appiah-Darkwa
D-Squad Special Teams:	Zakee Wheatley

#### OCT. 23 - ILLINOIS

	D-Squad Offensive:	Golden Israel-Achumba/Khalil Dinkins
٠	D-Squad Defensive:	Robbie Dwyer/Zakee Wheatley
•	D-Squad Special Team	s: Kaleb Brown

#### OCT. 30 - OHIO STATE

D-Squad Offensive:	Tank Smith/Dan Vase
D-Squad Defensive:	Jaden Seider/Davon Townle
D-Squad Special Teams:	Zakee Wheatle

#### **NOV. 6 - MARYLAND**

UTZ Offensive:	Jahan Dotson
UTZ Defensive:	Ji'Ayir Brown
UTZ Special Teams:	Tyler Warren
	Jimmy Christ/Khalil Dinkins
•	Dominic DeLuca/Cody Romano
•	Cody Romano

#### NOV. 13 - MICHIGAN

•	D-Squad Offensive:	Ibrahim Traore/Justin Weller
•	D-Squad Defensive:	Rodney McGraw/Jake Wilson
•	D-Squad Special Teams:	Kaleb Brown

#### NOV. 20 - RUTGERS

	UTZ Offensive:	Christian Veilleux
•	UTZ Defensive:	Derrick Tangelo
•	UTZ Special Teams:	Jordan Stout
•	D-Squad Offensive:	Jason Estrella
•	D-Squad Defensive: Dan Vasey/Aeneas Ha	wkins/Dylan Farronato
•	D-Squad Special Teams:	Jaden Seider



Coziah Izzard

#### **NITTANY LIONS** IN THE NFL

- A total of 40 Penn State football alumni are populating the rosters of 23 National Football League teams.
- The Nittany Lions annually are among the top 20 programs nationally in producing players in the NFL. In addition, six former Nittany Lions are members of NFL coaching staffs and two former PSU student-athletes from sports other than football are on rosters.
- Six players from PSU's 2020 squad are on NFL teams.

#### **NITTANY LIONS ON NFL ROSTERS**

**Arizona Cardinals (2):** Jack Crawford<sup>IR</sup> (10), *Ross Travis (6, former MBB player)* 

Baltimore Ravens (2): Trace McSorley (3), Odafe Oweh (R)

Buffalo Bills (1): Ryan Bates (3)

Carolina Panthers (2): Yetur Gross-Matos (2), DaQuan Jones (9)

Chicago Bears (2): Jesse James (7), Allen Robinson II (8)

Dallas Cowboys (2): Connor McGovern (3), Micah Parsons (R)

**Denver Broncos (2):** DaeSean Hamilton<sup>IR</sup> (4), KJ Hamler<sup>IR</sup> (2)

Detroit Lions (2): Jason Cabinda (4), Amani Oruwariye (3)

Green Bay Packers (1): Adrian Amos (7)

Indianapolis Colts (3): Will Fries (R), Robert Windsor  $^{\rm IR}$  (2), Jordan

Lucas (6)

Las Vegas Raiders (2): Nick Bowers (2), Carl Nassib (6)

Los Angeles Rams (2): Nick Scott (3), Grant Haley (4)

Miami Dolphins (1): Mike Gesicki (4)

Minnesota Vikings (1): Dan Chisena (2)

New Orleans Saints (1): Blake Gillikin (2)

New York Giants (3): Saquon Barkley (4)<sup>c</sup>, Cam Brown<sup>IR</sup> (2), Austin

Johnson (6)

Philadelphia Eagles (1): Miles Sanders (3)

Pittsburgh Steelers (2): Marcus Allen (4), Pat Freiermuth (R)

San Francisco 49ers (2): Kevin Givens<sup>®</sup> (3), Robbie Gould<sup>®</sup> (17)

Seattle Seahawks (1): John Reid (2)

Tampa Bay Buccaneers (2): Chris Godwin (5), Donovan Smith (7)

Tennessee Titans (2): Sam Ficken<sup>IR</sup> (5)

Washington Football Team (2): Troy Apke (4), Shaka Toney (R)

Italics indicates practice squad  $\mid$  C Team Captain  $\mid$  IR Injured Reserve \*As of November 15, 2021

#### SIX FORMER LIONS ON NFL COACHING STAFFS

Six former Nittany Lions are patrolling the sidelines as part of NFL coaching staffs in 2021.

#### Matt Rhule (Carolina, head coach)

Bobby Engram (Baltimore, tight ends)

Al Golden (Cincinnati, linebackers)

D'Anton Lynn (Baltimore, defensive backs)

Mike Munchak (Denver, offensive line)

Jeff Nixon (Carolina, senior offensive assistant/RBs)

#### **DEFENSIVE LINE NOTES**

- The Nittany Lions defensive line unit has combined to play in 278 career games.
- Senior DT PJ Mustipher anchors the Nittany Lion defensive line room, having appeared in 40 career games and making 16 starts. In his Penn State career, Mustipher owns 107 tackles, 10 tackles for loss and three sacks.
- A 2020 All-Big Ten honorable mention selection, Mustipher is a 2021 semifinalist for the Rotary Lombardi Award, a quarterfinalist for the Lott IMPACT Trophy and is on the Reese's Senior Bowl watch list.
- · Mustipher suffered a season-ending injury at lowa.
- The senior had a defensive line-high seven tackles at Wisconsin, recorded a sack against Villanova and tallied six tackles and a tackle for loss against Indiana.
- DE Arnold Ebiketie joined the Nittany Lions after a four-year stint at Temple (2017-20).
- 13.5 of Ebiketie's Big Ten-leading 16.0 tackles for loss and 8.5 of his 9.5 sacks have come against Big Ten opponents (eight games).
- The Silver Spring, Md. native ranks second in the Big Ten in tackles for loss per game (1.5; 7th nationally) and third in sacks per game (0.86; 14th).
- He is second among Power Five defensive linemen in tackles for loss and third in total tackles.
- The defensive end was named a Midseason All-America First Team honoree by The Athletic and was on the Ted Hendricks Award Watch List.
- He had an impressive Penn State debut with seven solo tackles, two tackles for loss and a sack, while also adding a blocked field goal against Wisconsin.
- Ebiketie's sack came at a crucial moment of the game, with the Badgers facing 2nd-and-10 at the PSU 25. Ebiketie recorded a 7-yard sack and forced an intentional grounding penalty.
- The redshirt senior recorded a solo sack against Indiana and blocked his second field goal of the season, a 30-yard attempt.
- Ebiketie is the first Penn State player with two blocked field goals in a season since Scott Paxson in 2004.
- Born in Yaounde, Cameroon, Ebiketie tied a career best with 3.5 tackles for loss at lowa and had nine tackles.
- In the Illinois contest, Ebiketie recorded a season-high 10 tackles, matching his career best and the most by a Penn State defensive end since Yetur Gross-Matos recorded 10 at Indiana in 2018, while also adding 1.5 sacks.
- Ebiketie had 1.5 tackles for loss and a strip-sack vs. Rutgers.
- Ebiketie forced a fumble on a strip-sack in the fourth quarter against Michigan. It was his fourth career forced fumble and first at Penn State.
- Ebiketie also recorded a solo sack against the Wolverines in the second quarter, extending his streak of games with a tackle for loss to six.
- He was one of two veterans Penn State added to its defensive line during the offseason with senior DT **Derrick Tangelo** joining as well. Tangelo came to Penn State from Duke, where he played in 45 career games (27 starts).
- Tangelo recovered fumbles against Auburn and Michigan this season
- He forced a fumble on a sack in the third quarter against Illinois, his first forced fumble at Penn State and the sixth of his career.
- Tangelo recorded a solo sack at Maryland. His two sacks this season matches his career high at Duke (2020) and his 5.0 tackles for loss are a new career best.
- Redshirt junior DE Nick Tarburton has appeared in 20 career games, making six starts.
- He recovered a fumble in the red zone, the first of his career, in the second quarter against Wisconsin.
- Tarburton made an assist on a sack against Illinois that resulted in a forced fumble and recovery for Penn State.
- Redshirt freshman DT **Coziah Izzard** made his first career start against Illinois and has appeared in 11 career games.
- Izzard recorded a sack and forced fumble vs. Rutgers.

- Redshirt sophomore DT **Dvon Ellies** recovered a fumble in the second quarter against Illinois, his first career recovery.
- John Scott Jr. is in his second season heading the Nittany Lion defensive line corps. Scott brings 17 years of collegiate coaching experience to the Penn State defensive line room with two additional years of coaching experience in the NFL.

### ARNOLD EBIKETIE



#### **EBIKETIE STATS**

#### **TACKLES**

58

Ebiketie leads Big Ten defensive linemen with 58 tackles and ranks second among Power Five defensive linemen with 32 solo tackles.

## TACKLES FOR LOSS

16.0

Ebiketie has collected 16.0 tackles for loss this season, leading the Big Ten.

He ranks second among Power Five defensive linemen.

### **SACKS**

9.5

Ebiketie ranks third in the Big Ten and 14th in the nation with 9.5 sacks.

#### **BLOCKED FIELD GOALS**

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The senior has blocked two field goals this season, blocking one each against Indiana and Wisconsin.

## GAMES WITH 1.0+ TFL

Ebiketie has at least 1.0 tackles for loss in 10 games this season, including each of the last eight contests.

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#### **LINEBACKERS** NOTES

- Penn State's linebacking corps has combined for 217 career games.
- Redshirt senior Ellis Brooks, a veteran in the group, has appeared in 39 career games, making 19 starts.
- He sits sixth in the Big Ten averaging 8.3 tackles per game.
- Brooks' 91 tackles are the most by a Penn State player through the first 11 games of a season since Mike Hull in 2014 (119).
- He paced the Nittany Lions with 11 tackles, eight solo, against Wisconsin, while adding a solo sack in the first quarter.
- Brooks recorded 14 tackles (eight solo) against lowa and added 11 tackles against Illinois.
- Brooks made a career-high 16 stops vs. Michigan, his fifth career double-digit tackle game and fourth this season.
- Brooks is the first PSU player with 16+ tackles in a game since Brandon Bell's 18 against Michigan State in 2016.
- Brooks recorded his 200th career tackle against the Wolverines.
- Senior DE/LB Jesse Luketa and junior Brandon Smith each earned a spot on the 2021 Butkus Award Watch List.
- Smith was named a semifinalist for the Butkus Award.
- Smith was named Big Ten Defensive Player of the Week after a career-high 10 tackles, a tackle for loss and a pass breakup against Auburn.
- Smith had a team-high nine tackles and a season-high 2.5 tackles for loss at Maryland.
- The junior forced a fumble on a sack in the second quarter against Illinois, marking his first career forced fumble and fourth career sack.
- Smith matched a career high with 10 tackles vs. Michigan.
- Luketa, a Butkus Award Watch Lister, has appeared in 45 career games, making 17 starts. He is third on the team with six tackles for loss and has five quarterback hurries.
- The senior, who has split time at defensive end and linebacker, was named the Pro Football Focus National Defensive Player of the Week following his performance vs. Ball State. He recorded his first career interception against the Cardinals, returning it 16 yards for a touchdown.
- Luketa tallied a career-high 2.5 tackles for loss at lowa.
- Sophomore Curtis Jacobs, making his first career start, notched a career-best five tackles in the season opener at Wisconsin.
- Jacobs, who has played in 18 career games and making nine starts, posted his first career sack against Ball State.
- Jacobs registered a career-high 2.0 tackles for loss and a solo sack at lowa.
- He followed that up by making a diving catch for his first career interception in the first quarter against Illinois, while matching his career high in tackles with five.
- · Jacobs had a career-high seven tackles and a career-hightying two tackles for loss at Ohio State.
- In addition to leading the Nittany Lion defense, **Brent Pry** is in his eighth season coaching linebackers at Penn State.
- In his previous seven seasons, Pry has coached seven Penn State linebackers that have moved on to the NFL.
- Linebacker Micah Parsons was selected 12th overall by the Dallas Cowboys in the 2021 NFL Draft.
- Parsons was the highest drafted Penn State defensive player since Aaron Maybin went 11th overall to the Buffalo Bills in
- He was the first Nittany Lion defensive player drafted in the first round since Jared Odrick (2010; 28th overall to the Miami Dolphins) and the first PSU linebacker selected in the first round since LaVar Arrington (2000; second overall to the Washington Redskins).
- Parsons became the fifth Penn State linebacker to be selected in the first round, joining Arrington, Shane Conlan (1987; eighth overall to the Buffalo Bills), Ed O'Neil (1974; eighth overall to the Detroit Lions) and Dave Robinson (1963; 14th overall to the Green Bay Packers).
- Penn State has 69 linebackers drafted all-time, the most for

#### **CORNERBACKS** NOTES

- The Nittany Lion defense includes a deep and talented secondary. The group has combined to play in 376 games and start 96 contests at the Power Five level.
- Penn State has forced 11 interceptions in 2021, ranking 30th in the FBS and fourth in the Big Ten.
- The Nittany Lions are holding opposing offenses to a 108.77 passing efficiency, ranking third in the Big Ten and sitting seventh in the nation.
- An All-Big Ten selection in 2019 and 2020, senior CB Tarig Castro-Fields returns to lead the cornerbacks. He has 134 tackles, three interceptions and 25 pass breakups in his Penn State career.
- · Castro-Fields had a season-high two pass breakups against
- Castro-Fields also had a key pass breakup that resulted in an interception by S Ji'Ayir Brown against Villanova.
- Redshirt sophomore CB Joey Porter Jr. matched a career high with six tackles against Wisconsin and made a key pass breakup on third down before an interception by S Jaquan
- Porter tied his career best with six stops and had a pass breakup against Auburn.
- Porter added his first career forced fumble in the fourth quarter against the Tigers.
- Porter grabbed his first career interception against Indiana.
- Porter recorded a career-high nine tackles, eight solo, against Illinois and broke up a pass.
- Redshirt sophomore CB Daequan Hardy recorded his first career interception against Ball State.
- Hardy broke up two passes in each game against Villanova and Indiana.
- Hardy had a career-best 2.0 tackles for loss and a solo sack at
- Freshman CB Kalen King posted three tackles and his first career forced fumble against Ball State.
- King broke up two passes against Rutgers.
- Since 2014, the Nittany Lions have allowed less than 200 passing yards in 57 games, tied for the sixth-most among FBS teams.
- Penn State held Indiana (47.1), Illinois (38.1) and Rutgers (46.4) under a 50.0 completion percentage.
- Penn State held Illinois to 38 yards passing, the second-lowest by an opponent in the James Franklin era.
- Terry M. Smith is in his eighth season as Penn State's cornerbacks coach. He is also the program's associate head coach and defensive recruiting coordinator.
- Over the last six seasons. Smith has tutored a secondary which has seen six defensive backs taken in the NFL Draft, tied for the ninth-most nationally.
- Smith was a four-year letterwinner (1988-91) and three-year starter at wide receiver at Penn State. He ranks tied for 10th in career receiving touchdowns (15), 13th in career receiving yardage (1,825) and 14th in career receptions (108).



Joey Porter Jr.

#### **FUTURE SCHEDULES**

Sept. 3 at Purdue*
Sept. 10OHIO
Sept. 17at Auburn
Sept. 24CENTRAL MICHIGAN
Oct. 1
Oct. 8
Oct. 15 ILLINOIS*
Oct. 22
Oct. 29 MICHIGAN STATE*
Nov. 5 at Indiana*
Nov. 12
Nov. 19
Nov. 26 at Rutgers*
Dec. 3 B1G Championship
2023 Schedule

2022 Schedule

ı	Sept. 2
ı	Sept. 9 DELAWARE
ı	Sept. 16 at Illinois*
ı	Sept. 23 at Northwestern*
	Sept. 30
ı	Oct. 7INDIANA*
ı	Oct. 14 at Michigan State*
ı	Oct. 21at Ohio State*
ı	Oct. 28
ı	Nov. 4
ı	Nov. 11
ı	Nov. 18
ı	Nov. 25 at Maryland*
ı	Dec. 2 B1G Championship
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#### 2024 Schedule

Aug. 31 at west virginia
Sept. 7 BOWLING GREEN
Sept. 14 at Rutgers*
Sept. 21 KENT STATE
Sept. 28 Open
Oct. 5
Oct. 12ILLINOIS*
Oct. 19 at Wisconsin*
Oct. 26 NEBRASKA*
Nov. 2
Nov. 9
Nov. 16 at Michigan*
Nov. 23 at Indiana*
Nov. 30 MICHIGAN STATE*
Dec. 7 B1G Championship
One non-conference game to be scheduled

#### 2025 Schedule

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Sept. 6 Open
Sept. 13VILLANOVA
Sept. 20
Sept. 27 at Illinois*
Oct. 4 PURDUE*
Oct. 11 Open
Oct. 18 at Maryland*
Oct. 25at Minnesota*
Nov. 1
Nov. 8
Nov. 15
Nov. 22MICHIGAN*
Nov. 29 at Michigan State*
Dec. 6
One non-conference game to be scheduled

#### Future Non-Conference Games

Sept. 5, 2026 MARSHALL
Sept. 12, 2026 at Temple
Sept. 19, 2026SAN JOSE STATE
Sept. 11, 2027 DELAWARE
Sept. 18, 2027 TEMPLE
* Big Ten Game
Schedule subject to change

#### **SAFETIES NOTES**

- · Senior Jaquan Brisker leads the safeties room.
- Brisker was tabbed a semifinalist for the Jim Thorpe Award and the Bednarik Award.
- Brisker was named Midseason All-America by the Associated Press, ESPN and The Athletic (first team).
- Brisker was also on watch lists for the Bronko Nagurski Trophy and Reese's Senior Bowl. He additionally was named a secondteam Preseason All-American by the Associated Press.
- Brisker has at least a half tackle for loss in eight of 11 games this season.
- Brisker's 5.5 tackles for loss this season are tied third among Big Ten defensive backs.
- Against Wisconsin, two Lackawanna College alums played a big role. Brisker and senior S Ji'Ayir Brown each recorded interceptions in the closing minutes to seal the victory.
- Brisker's interception stopped a Wisconsin drive inside the Penn State 10. He returned the interception 41 yards.
- Brisker added a tackle for loss and a pass breakup against the Badgers.
- Brisker recorded an interception in the first quarter against lowa. He added a career-high-tying nine tackles (seven solo).
- Brisker tallied eight tackles and a fumble recovery against Illinois.
- · Brisker had five tackles and a tackle for loss vs. Michigan.
- Brisker had a team-high seven tackles and a pass breakup against Rutgers.
- Brown had an 87-yard pick-six at Maryland to help seal the victory. It is the fifth-longest interception return in school history.
- Brown's four interceptions this season are the most by a PSU player since Amani Oruwariye had four in 2017.
- Brown has a hand in six takeaways this season (four interceptions, two fumble recoveries).
- He is the first Nittany Lion with four interceptions and two fumble recoveries in a season since current assistant recruiting coordinator Alan Zemaitis in 2005 (six interceptions, two fumble recoveries).

- Brown's four interceptions are third in the Big Ten and rank 10th in the FBS
- Brown had a career-high, and team-best, 13 tackles (11 solo) against Illinois.
- Brown forced and recovered a fumble at Ohio State, his first career forced fumble and recovery.
- Brown made his first start against Wisconsin and tallied his first interception, as time expired, as a Nittany Lion.
- · He also intercepted a pass against Indiana.
- Brown picked off a pass in the third quarter against Villanova and added a tackle for loss.
- Redshirt senior S Jonathan Sutherland led the PSU secondary with seven tackles, six solo, against the Badgers.
- Sutherland grabbed his first career interception against Rutgers.
- Sutherland added a tackle for loss against the Scarlet Knights.
- Co-Defensive coordinator/safeties coach Anthony Poindexter is in his first season on the Nittany Lion coaching staff.
- Poindexter has 18 years of collegiate coaching experience, including seven as a defensive or co-defensive coordinator.
- As a player, Poindexter was a two-time consensus All-American at Virginia and was chosen as the 1998 ACC Defensive Player of the Year
- Poindexter was inducted into the College Football Hall of Fame in 2020.



Jonathan Sutherland

### **JAQUAN BRISKER**



#### BRISKER STATS

# CAREER TACKLES

Brisker has recorded 144 career tackles as a Nittany Lion, including 55 this season.

#### **CAREER TACKLES FOR LOSS**

9.5

Brisker has 9.5 career tackles for loss. His 5.5 tackles for loss this season are fourth among Big Ten defensive backs.

#### **CAREER INTERCEPTIONS**

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Brisker has five career interceptions, including two this season.

His interception against Wisconsin helped to seal the victory in the closing minutes.

# CAREER PASS BREAKUPS

The senior has 14 career pass breakups, including five this season.

# GAMES WITH 0.5+ TFL

Brisker has at least a half-tackle for loss in eight of 11 games in 2021.

#### **SPECIAL TEAMS NOTES**

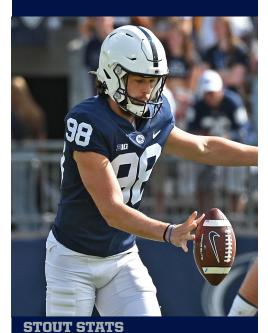
- The Nittany Lions lead the country in kick return defense (11) and are sixth in punt return defense (2.63, 1st in the Big Ten).
- Penn State brought back starters at kicker, punter, long snapper, holder and punt returner in 2021.
- Redshirt senior Jordan Stout has served as Penn State's kicker, for both field goals and extra points, punter and kickoff specialist in all 11 games this season.
- Stout is a Ray Guy Award finalist, and has been named the Ray Guy Award National Punter of the Week twice this season and Big Ten Special Teams Player of the Week four times.
- He owns Penn State's best career punt average (44.71), leading by 1.58 yards per punt.
- The redshirt senior also holds Penn State's highest season punt average (46.47).
- Stout, San Diego State's Matt Araiza, Texas' Cameron Dicker and UConn's Joe McFadden are the only FBS players handling kickoff, field goal and punt duties for their team this season.
- Among the four, Stout leads the group in net punting average (44.93), touchbacks (48) and kickoffs returned (1).
- Stout is second among the four in opponent drive start average (27.80 yard-line), 50+ yard punts (24) and punts inside the 20 (31).
- Led by Stout, Penn State ranks second in the country in net punting (44.93).
- He is ninth in the country, and second in the Big Ten, with a 46.47 punt average.
- Stout has averaged at least 50.0 yards per punt in five games this season and 24 of his 59 punts this season have been 50 or more yards.
- Stout has 27 career punts of 50+ yards.
- Stout has landed 31 punts inside the 20, including a careerhigh six against Illinois and Rutgers, 15 inside the 10 and five inside the 5.
- Stout knocked five punts inside the 10 against Rutgers and six
  of his eight punts inside the 20. He hit two punts of 50+ yards.
- With Stout handling kickoff and punting duties, Rutgers average drive start for the entire game was it's own 18-yard line. The Scarlet Knights best drive start was their own 33.
- Stout landed all four punts against Michigan inside the 20 and hit two 50+ yard punts to earn Big Ten Special Teams Player of the Week.
- Stout also completed an 18-yard pass to Curtis Jacobs on a fake punt
- Stout converted three field goals against the Wolverines, including a 52-yard kick in the second quarter, to tie his career high for field goals made in a game.
- At Ohio State, Stout hit a pair of 55-yard punts, landing one inside the 20, while also hitting a 47-yard field goal at Ohio State to close out the first half.
- He was named the Ray Guy Award National Punter of the Week after his performance against Illinois, where he hit four punts of 50+ yards and dropped six inside the 20.
- Stout also converted a career-high-tying three field goal attempts against the Illini.
- Against Indiana, Stout averaged 46.3 yards on six punts. He hit 51 and 50 yard punts and landed four inside the 20, including one inside the 10.
- Stout also hit a 50-yard field goal against the Hoosiers, as he earned Big Ten Co-Special Teams Player of the Week.
- Against Auburn, Stout averaged 50.0 yards per punt with two over 50 yards and one downed inside the 20.
- In the Ball State win, Stout hit three field goals against the Cardinals, inducing a 45-yarder.
- Stout earned Big Ten Special Teams Player of the Week honors for the first time in his career after averaging 53.9 yards on seven punt attempts against Wisconsin. Stout hit five punts of 50-plus yards, including a 76-yarder.
- His 53.9 punt average ranks second-best in a game at Penn State behind only Ralph Giacomarro (54.75; 1981 at Syracuse).

- The 76-yard punt is the longest of Stout's career and tied for third-longest in program history.
- Stout's 91.4 touchback percentage (53 of 58) on kickoffs this season is the highest in the FBS among kickers with 40 or more kickoffs.
- Since 1997, Stout ranks third at Penn State in career kickoff average (62.1; 11,670 yards on 183 kickoffs) behind only Anthony Fera (66.4; 2010-11) and Robbie Gould (64.0; 2002-04).
- Since the kickoff yard-line was moved back to the 35 in 2011, Stout has the highest average among Penn State kickers.
- Stout sits second all-time at Penn State in 50-yard field goals (5), behind only Chris Bahr (6; 1973-75).
- Eleven of Stout's 20 career field goals are longer than 40 yards.
- Senior PR Jahan Dotson averaged 24.6 yards per punt return in 2020, ranking first all-time at Penn State. He was named honorable mention All-Big Ten as a punt returner.
- Dotson's 14.0 career punt return average is sixth all-time at Penn State.
- Dotson's 13.5 career punt return average (25 returns) is the sixth-best among current FBS players with at least 20 returns.
- Dotson returned a punt 81 yards for a touchdown against Michigan State in 2020.
- DE Arnold Ebiketie blocked an Indiana 30-yard field goal attempt in the third quarter. It was his second blocked field goal of the season.
- Ebiketie is the first Penn State player with two blocked field goals in a season since Scott Paxson in 2004.
- The Nittany Lions blocked a 30-yard field goal attempt in the third quarter. It was Penn State's second blocked field goal of the season. It marks the first time Penn State has blocked two or more field goals in a season since 2004 (five blocked field goals).
- Ebiketie blocked a Wisconsin 25-yard field goal attempt in the second quarter
- Senior SN Chris Stoll is in his third season as Penn State's primary long snapper. He's appeared in 32 career games.
- Stoll is a member of the Patrick Mannelly Award Watch List and is a Burlsworth Trophy nominee.
- S Jonathan Sutherland is wearing No. 0 for the second straight season as the team's special teams leader as part of a new tradition that began in 2020.
- Special teams coordinator Joe Lorig is in his third season at Penn State
- Lorig has 24 years of coaching experience, including eight as a special teams coordinator.
- In 2019, the Penn State special teams unit was ranked first among Power Five schools, and tied for second in the FBS, in special teams efficiency according to ESPN.com.



Chris Stoll

## **JORDAN STOUT**



### CAREER PUNT AVERAGE

44.71

Stout is averaging 44.71 yards per punt in his Penn State career. He ranks first all-time at Penn State. His 46.47 punt average in 2021 is the best season punt average in program history.

# 50+ YARD PUNTS 27/24

Stout has crushed 27 punts for 50 or more yards in his Nittany Lion career, including 24 in 2021.

#### **50+ YARD FIELD GOALS**

5

Stout has converted five 50+ yard field goals in his Penn State career. He ranks second all-time at Penn State, trailing only Chris Bahr (6; 1973-75).

# SEASON TOUCHBACK PERCENTAGE

91.4

Stout has landed touchbacks on 91.4 percent (53-of-58) of his kickoffs for touchbacks this season. Stout has touchbacks on 84.6 percent of his kickoffs (159-of-188) as a Nittany Lion.

#### **VERSATILITY**

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Stout is one of four FBS players handling kickoff, field goal and punt duties this season, joining San Diego State's Matt Araiza, Texas' Cameron Dicker and UConn's Joe McFadden.

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NU	<b>MERICAL</b> ROSTER	(0-49)					
NO.	NAME	POS.	EL.	HT.	WT.	HIGH SCHOOL/COACH	HOMETOWN
0	Sutherland, Jonathan ***	S	R-Sr.	5-11	201	Episcopal (Va.)/Panos Voulgaris	Ottawa, Ont.
1	Brisker, Jaquan **	S	Sr.+	6-1	200	Gateway/Don Holl/Lackawanna College	Pittsburgh, Pa.
2	Ellis, Keaton **	S	Jr.	5-11	190	State College Area/Matt Lintal	State College, Pa.
2	Roberson, Ta'Quan	QB	R-So.	5-11	197	DePaul Catholic/John McKenna	Orange, N.J.
3	Dixon, Johnny	СВ	Jr.	6-0	186	Chamberlain/Jason Lane/South Carolina	Tampa, Fla.
3	Washington, Parker *	WR	So.	5-10	207	William B. Travis/Trey Sissom	Sugar Land, Texas
4	King, Kalen	СВ	Fr.	5-11	183	Cass Tech/Thomas Wilcher	Detroit, Mich.
5	Castro-Fields, Tariq ****	СВ	Sr.+	6-0	194	Riverdale Baptist School/Caesar Nettles	Upper Marlboro, Md.
5	Dotson, Jahan ***	WR	Sr.	5-11	184	Nazareth Area/Tom Falzone	Nazareth, Pa.
6	Sullivan-Brown, Cam *	WR	R-Sr.	6-0	193	Saint Vincent Pallotti/Ian Thomas	Bowie, Md.
6	Wheatley, Zakee	CB	Fr.	6-2	192	Archbishop Spalding/Kyle Schmitt	Crofton, Md.
7	Reed, Jaylen	S	Fr.	6-0	209	Martin Luther King Jr./Tyrone Spencer	Detroit, Mich.
8	Wilson, Marquis **	ATH	Jr.	5-11	180	Windsor/Rob Fleeting	Windsor, Conn.
9	Porter Jr., Joey *	СВ	R-So.	6-2	192	North Allegheny (Pa.)/Art Walker	Bakersfield, Calif.
9	Veilleux, Christian	QB	Fr.	6-4	202	Bullis School (Md.)/Patrick Cilento	Ottawa, Ont.
10	Lovett, John	RB	Sr.+	6-0	209	Cherokee/P.J. Mhigan/Baylor	Burlington City, N.J.
11	George, Daniel **	WR	R-Jr.	6-2	206	Oxon Hill/Craig Jefferies	Fort Washington, Md.
12	Smith, Brandon ** Brooks, Ellis ***	LB	Jr.	6-3	241	Louisa County/Will Patrick	Louisa, Va.  Mechanicsville, Va.
13		LB WR	R-Sr. So.	6-1 6-1	241 184	Benedictine College Prep/Greg Lilly	Norfolk, Va.
13	Lambert-Smith, KeAndre * Clifford, Sean **	QB	R-Sr.	6-2	219	Maury/Dyrri McCain	Cincinnati, Ohio
<u>14</u> 14	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	СВ	Jr.	5-11	180	St. Xavier/Steve Specht Wice/Dal awa Parrich/Florida State	Upper Marlboro, Md.
15	Lytton, A.J.  Jennings, Enzo	S	R-Fr.	6-1	194	Wise/DaLawn Parrish/Florida State Oak Park/Greq Carter	Detroit, Mich.
16	Brown, Ji'Ayir *	<u> </u>	Sr.	5-11	205	Trenton Central/Greg Hyslop/Lackawanna College	Trenton, N.J.
16	Dinkins, Khalil	TE	Fr.	6-4	226	North Allegheny/Art Walker	Wexford, Pa.
17	Ebiketie, Arnold	DE	R-Sr.	6-3	256	Albert Einstein/Mike Bonavia/Temple	Silver Spring, Md.
18	Townley Jr., Davon	DE	Fr.	6-6	252	North Community/Charles Adams	Minneapolis, Minn.
19	Dottin, Jaden	WR	R-Fr.	6-2	186	Suffield Academy (Conn.)/Drew Gamere	Cambridge, Mass.
20	Isaac, Adisa **	DE	Jr.	6-4	244	Canarsie/Brian Ellis	Brooklyn, N.Y.
20	Stahl, Mason	QB	R-Fr.	6-0	202	Baldwin/Loran Cooley	Pittsburgh, Pa.
21	Cain, Noah *	RB	Jr.	5-10	220	IMG Academy (Fla.)/Kevin Wright	Baton Rouge, La.
21	Rudolph, Tyler	S	R-So.	6-0	198	St. Thomas More School/Jeff Moore	Waterbury, Conn.
23	Jacobs, Curtis *	LB	So.	6-1	230	McDonogh School/Hakeem Sule	Glen Burnie, Md.
24	Davis Jr., Jeffrey	СВ	Fr.	6-0	174	Kingswood Oxford School/Jason Martinez	Bristol, Conn.
24	Lee, Keyvone *	RB	So.	6-0	239	American Collegiate Academy/Ken Johnson	St. Petersburg, Fla.
25	Hardy, Daequan *	СВ	R-So.	5-9	180	Penn Hills/Jon LeDonne	Pittsburgh, Pa.
26	Holmes, Caziah *	RB	So.	5-11	211	Cocoa/Ryan Schneider	Titusville, Fla.
26	Seider, Jaden	S	R-So.	5-10	178	State College Area/Matt Lintal	Morgantown, W.Va.
27	Hawkins, Aeneas	DT	R-Jr.	6-2	287	Moeller/John Rodenberg	Cincinnati, Ohio
27	Susen, Ethan	СВ	Fr.	5-10	170	Wilmington Area/Brandon Phillian	Pulaski, Pennsylvania
27	Walchak, Bobby	S	Fr.	5-11	172	Potsville Area/Tom McGeoy	Pottsville, Pa.
28	Ford, Devyn **	RB	Jr.	5-11	200	North Stafford/Joe Mangano	Stafford, Va.
29	Costantini, Sebastian	S	R-So.	5-11	191	Malvern Prep/Dave Gueriera	Collegeville, Pa.
30	Brown, Kaleb	CB	Fr.	6-0	188	Wilson West Lawn/Doug Dahms	Reading, Pa.
32	Farronato, Dylan	S	R-So.	5-11	201	Lewisburg Area/Marc Persing	Lewisburg, Pa.
33	Mostella, Bryce	DE	R-Fr.	6-6	229	East Kentwood/Tony Kimbrough	Kentwood, Mich.
34	DeLuca, Dominic	LB	Fr.	6-1	212	Wyoming Area/Randy Spencer	West Pittston, Pa.
35	Tutty, Jace	CB	Fr.	5-11	185	Stroudsburg/Jim Miller	Stroudsburg, Pa.
36	Fisher, Zuriah	DE	R-Fr.	6-3	260	Aliquippa/ Mike Warfield	Aliquippa, Pa.
37	Hartlaub, Drew ***	S	R-Sr.	5-11	180	South Western/Chris Heilman	Hanover, Pa.
38	Lesieur, Fredrik	S	Fr.	6-2	213	Collège André-Grasset/-	Montreal, QC
38	Smith, Tank	RB	R-So.	5-7	225	Penn Hills/Jon LeDonne/Saint Francis (Pa.)	Pittsburgh, Pa.
39	Dwyer, Robbie Luketa, Jesse ***	LB DE/LB	R-So.	6-1	258	Wyoming Valley West/Pat Keating	Pringle, Pa.
40		DE/LB	Sr.	6-3	247	Mercyhurst Prep (Pa.)/Jeff Root	Ottawa, Ont.
41	King, Kobe	LB LB	Fr. Fr.	6-1	245 221	Cass Tech/Thomas Wilcher Belleville/Jermain Crowell	Detroit, Mich.
42	Buddin, Jamari	LB	R-Fr.	6-2 6-2	221		Ypsilanti, Mich. Frackville, Pa.
43	Elsdon, Tyler	DT	R-Fr.		229	North Schuylkill/Wally Hall Don Bosco Gymnasium/	
44	Appiah Darkwa, Joseph	TE/H	R-50.	6-5	252	•	North Rhine-Westphalia, Germany Mechanicsville, Va
45	Warren, Tyler Katshir, Charlie *	LB	R-Jr.	6-6 6-3	231	Atlee/Matt Gray  Cumberland Valley/Michael Whitehead	Mechanicsville, Va Camp Hill, Pa.
46	Tarburton, Nick *	DE	R-Jr.	6-3	255	Pennridge/Jeff Hollenbach	Green Lane, Pa.
47	Furmanek, Alex	DT	R-So.	6-2	278	North East/Shawn Humes	North East, Pa.
48	Duzansky, Tyler	SN	Fr.	6-4	201	St. Francis Prep/Bob McMillen	Wheaton, III.
48	Romano, Cody	LB	R-Jr.	6-2	222	Blair Academy/Jim Saylor	Newton, N.J.
49	Chizmar, Ben	LB	Fr.	6-0	220	Mars Area/Scott Heinauer	Mars, Pa.
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0.	NAME	POS.	EL.	HT.	WT.	HIGH SCHOOL/COACH	HOMETOW
49	Wright, Michael	SN	R-Fr.	6-1	211	Blessed Trinity Catholic/Tim McFarlin	Roswell, G
50	Chizmar, Max	LB	R-Sr.	6-2	231	Mars Area/Scott Heinauer	Mars, P
50	Knutsson, Will	0L	R-Jr.	6-2	320	McDonogh School/Dom Damico	Fredericksburg, V
51	Beamon, Hakeem *	DT	R-So.	6-3	276	Manchester/Tom Hall	Midlothian, V
51	Christ, Jimmy	0L	R-Fr.	6-7	302	Dominion/Drake Woodard	Sterling, V
52	van den Berg, Jordan	DT	Fr.	6-3	292	Providence Christian Academy/Parker Conley/Iowa Western	Johannesburg, South Afri
52	Zalar, Blake	OL	R-So.	6-1	296	Shamokin Area/Henry Hynoski	Coal Township, F
53	Hansard, Fred ***	DT	R-Sr.	6-3	309	The Hun School/Todd Smith	Burlington, N
53	Walker, Rasheed **	OL	R-Jr.	6-6	325	North Point/Tom Petre	Waldorf, M
54	Tangelo, Derrick	DT	Sr.+	6-2	308	The Bullis School/Pat Celinto/Duke	Gaithersburg, N
55	Mulbah, Fatorma	DT	R-Fr.	6-3	296	Susquehanna Township/Joe Headen	Harrisburg, F
55	Whigan, Anthony *	OL	R-Sr.	6-4	316	Great Mills/Tyrone Hill/Lackawanna College	Lexington Park, M
56	Vanover, Amin	DT	R-Fr.	6-4	283	St. Joseph's/Augie Hoffman	Newark, N
57	Traore, Ibrahim	0L	R-Fr.	6-5	318	Frederick Douglas Academy 1/Andrew Kell	Bronx, N
58	Tengwall, Landon	0L	Fr.	6-6	326	Good Counsel/Andy Stefanelli	Annapolis, M
59	Konigus, Kaleb	0L	R-Jr.	6-2	306	Lake-Lehman/Jerry Gilsky	Lehman, F
60	Nevills, Seth	0L	Jr.	6-4	301	Clovis/George Petrissans	Clovis, Cal
61	Wills, Ryan	0L	Fr.	6-4	287	LaSalle College/John Steinmetz	Glenside, F
66	Dawkins, Nick	0L	R-Fr.	6-4	312	Parkland/Tim Moncman	Allentown, F
58	Wilson, Eric	0L	Sr. +	6-4	307	Benilde-St. Margaret's/Patrick Krieger	Minnetrista, Mir
70	Scruggs, Juice *	0L	R-Jr.	6-3	307	Cathedral Prep (Pa.)/Michael Mischler	Ashtabula, Oh
72	Effner, Bryce *	0L	R-Jr.	6-5	305	Metea Valley/Ben Kleinhans	Aurora,
73	Miranda, Mike ***	0L	R-Sr.	6-3	305	Stow-Munroe Falls/Mark Nori	Stow, Oh
74	Fashanu, Olumuyiwa	OL	R-Fr.	6-6	313	Gonzaga College/Randy Trivers	Waldorf, N
75	Holmes, Des **	OL	R-Sr.	6-5	321	Cardinal O'Hara/BJ Hogan	Norristown, F
77	Wormley, Sal	OL	R-So.	6-3	310	Smyrna (Del.)/Mike Judy	Newark, N
78	Israel-Achumba, Golden	OL OL	R-Fr.	6-4	334	DeMatha Catholic/Bill McGregor	Bowie, N
79	Wallace, Caedan *	OL OL	R-So.	6-5	323	The Hun School/Todd Smith	Robbinsville, N
80	Meiga, Malick	WR	R-Fr.	6-4	200	Cegep du Vieux/Renaldo Sagesse	Saint Jerome, (
81	Clark, Evan	TE	Fr.	6-3	208	Manheim Township/Mark Evans	Lititz, F
81	Fessler, Henry	WR	R-Jr.	5-10	181	Cathedral Prep/Mike Mischler	Erie, F
82	Clifford, Liam	WR	Fr.	6-1	200	St. Xavier/Steve Specht	Maineville, Oh
83	Weller, Justin	WR	R-Sr.	6-0	198	Wilson/Doug Dahms	Sinking Spring, F
84	Johnson, Theo *	TE/H	So.	6-6	256	Holy Names Catholic/Rob McIntyre	Windsor, 0
84	Mahlert, Jan	WR	Fr.	5-11	180	Fursty/-	Fürstenfeldbruck, Germa
85	Wallace III, Harrison	WR	Fr.	6-1	190	Pike Road/Patrick Browning	Montgomery, A
86	Estrella, Jason	WR	Fr.	6-2	180	Liberty (Pa.)/ John Truby	Tallahassee, F
86	Strange, Brenton *	TE/H	R-So.	6-3	250	Parkersburg/Mike Byus	Parkersburg, W.V
87	Knapp, Ben	TE	Fr.	6-5	245	Canton/Tyler Sechrist	Canton, F
87	Wilson, Benjamin *	WR	R-Sr.+	6-2	212	Uniontown/John Fortugna	Uniontown, F
88	Black, Norval	WR	Sr.	6-1	174	Northwest/Mike Neubeiser/Lackawanna College	Germantown, M
89	Eubanks, Winston	WR	R-Sr.	6-0	196	LaSalle College/John Steinmetz/Shippensburg	Philadelphia, F
89	Kline, Grayson	TE/H	R-Jr.	6-5	257	Warwick/Bob Locker	Sinking Spring, F
90	Checa, Rafael *	K	R-Jr.	6-2	211	St. John's College H.S./Joe Casamento	Chevy Chase, N
90	McGraw, Rodney	DE	Fr.	6-5	253	Elkhart (Ind.)/Josh Shattuck	Chicago,
	Ellies, Dvon	DT	R-So.	6-1	303	McDonogh School/Hakeem Sule	Burtonsville, N
91 91	Stoll, Chris **	SN	R-Sr.	6-2	249	·	Westerville, Oh
	<u>'</u>					St. Francis DeSales/Ryan Wiggins	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
92 92	Pinegar, Jake ***	K	Sr.	6-2	196	Ankeny Centennial/Jerry Pezzetti	Ankeny, lov
	Vilbert, Smith	DE P	R-So. R-Sr.	6-6 6-2	263 214	St Joseph's Regional (N.J.)/Augie Hoffman Geneva/ Robert Wicinski/Lackawanna College	Monsey, N
93	King, Bradley					<u> </u>	Geneva,
93	Perry, Spencer	DE	Fr.	6-4	225	Neshannock/Fred Mozzocio	New Castle, I
94	Sahaydak, Sander	K	Fr.	6-0	162	Liberty/John Truby	Bethlehem, I
94	Wilson, Jake	DE	R-Fr.	6-3	247	Nazareth Area/Tom Falzone	Nazareth, I
95	Brevard, Cole	DT	R-Fr.	6-3	317	Carmel/John Hebert	Carmel, Ir
95	Hilling, Vlad	K	R-Jr.	5-10	226	Hollidaysburg/Homer Delatre	Hollidaysburg, I
96	Amor, Barney	P	R-Sr.	6-1	186	Central Bucks/Chas Cathers/Colgate	Gilly, Switzerla
96	Groh, Mitchell	K	Fr.	6-1	195	Dallastown Area/Ron Miller	Dallastown, I
97	Mustipher, PJ ***	DT	Sr.	6-4	326	McDonogh School/Dom Damico	Owings Mills, N
98	Stout, Jordan **	K/P	R-Sr.	6-3	209	Honaker/Douglas Hubbard/Virginia Tech	Cedar Bluff,
98	Vasey, Dan	DE	R-Sr.	6-4	240	Wallenpaupack/Mark Watson	Lackawaxen, F
99	Izzard, Coziah	DT	R-Fr.	6-3	295	DeMatha Catholic/Bill McGregor	Columbia, N
99	Nwosu, Gabe	Р	Fr.	6-6	302	The Bullis School/Patrick Cilento	Derwood, N

Note: Penn State Athletics chose to advance classes as though 2020-21 was a normal year of eligibility. Student-athletes listed as redshirt freshmen in 2021-22 did not officially redshirt in 2020-21, but would have in any other normal year. Extra years of eligibility will be marked on the back end of student-athletes' career (a "+" symbol will be added on the end of "Sr." to indicate the extra year of eligibility being used).

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ALI	<b>PHABETICAL</b> ROS	STER (A-K)					
NO.	NAME	POS.	EL.	HT.	WT.	HIGH SCHOOL/COACH	HOMETOWN
96	Amor, Barney	Р	R-Sr.	6-1	186	Central Bucks/Chas Cathers/Colgate	Gilly, Switzerland
44	Appiah Darkwa, Joseph	DT	R-So.	6-5	295	Don Bosco Gymnasium/	North Rhine-Westphalia, Germany
51	Beamon, Hakeem *	DT	R-So.	6-3	276	Manchester/Tom Hall	Midlothian, Va.
88	Black, Norval	WR	Sr.	6-1	174	Northwest/Mike Neubeiser/Lackawanna College	Germantown, Md.
95	Brevard, Cole	DT	R-Fr.	6-3	317	Carmel/John Hebert	Carmel, Ind.
13	Brisker, Jaquan ** Brooks, Ellis ***	S LB	Sr.+ R-Sr.	6-1 6-1	200 241	Gateway/Don Holl/Lackawanna College	Pittsburgh, Pa.  Mechanicsville, Va.
16	Brown, Ji'Ayir *	S	Sr.	5-11	205	Benedictine College Prep/Greg Lilly Trenton Central/Greg Hyslop/Lackawanna College	Trenton, N.J.
30	Brown, Kaleb	СВ	Fr.	5-11	188	Wilson/Doug Dahms	Reading, Pa.
42	Buddin, Jamari	LB	Fr.	6-2	221	Belleville/Jermain Crowell	Ypsilanti, Mich.
21	Cain, Noah *	RB	Jr.	5-10	220	IMG Academy (Fla.)/Kevin Wright	Baton Rouge, La.
5	Castro-Fields, Tariq ****	СВ	Sr.+	6-0	194	Riverdale Baptist School/Caesar Nettles	Upper Marlboro, Md.
90	Checa, Rafael *	K	R-Jr.	6-2	211	St. John's College H.S./Joe Casamento	Chevy Chase, Md.
49	Chizmar, Ben	LB	Fr.	6-0	220	Mars Area/Scott Heinauer	Mars, Pa.
50	Chizmar, Max	LB	R-Sr.	6-2	231	Mars Area/Scott Heinauer	Mars, Pa.
51	Christ, Jimmy	0L	R-Fr.	6-7	302	Dominion/Drake Woodard	Sterling, Va.
81	Clark, Evan	TE	Fr.	6-3	208	Manheim Township/Mark Evans	Lancaster, Pa.
82	Clifford, Liam	WR	Fr.	6-1	200	St. Xavier/Steve Specht	Maineville, Ohio
14	Clifford, Sean **	QB	R-Sr.	6-2	219	St. Xavier/Steve Specht	Cincinnati, Ohio
29	Costantini, Sebastian	S CB	R-So.	5-11	191 174	Malvern Prep/Dave Gueriera	Collegeville, Pa.
<u>24</u> 66	Davis Jr., Jeffrey  Dawkins, Nick	OL CB	Fr. R-Fr.	6-0 6-4	312	Kingswood Oxford School/Jason Martinez Parkland/Tim Moncman	Bristol, Conn.  Allentown, Pa.
34	DeLuca, Dominic	LB	Fr.	6-1	212	Wyoming Area/Randy Spencer	West Pittston, Pa.
16	Dinkins, Khalil	TE	Fr.	6-4	226	North Allegheny/Art Walker	Wexford, Pa.
3	Dixon, Johnny	СВ	Jr.	6-0	186	Chamberlain/Jason Lane/South Carolina	Tampa, Fla.
5	Dotson, Jahan ***	WR	Sr.	5-11	184	Nazareth Area/Tom Falzone	Nazareth, Pa.
19	Dottin, Jaden	WR	R-Fr.	6-2	186	Suffield Academy (Conn.)/Drew Gamere	Cambridge, Mass.
48	Duzansky, Tyler	SN	Fr.	6-4	201	St. Francis Prep/Bob McMillen	Wheaton, III.
39	Dwyer, Robbie	LB	R-So.	6-1	258	Wyoming Valley West/Pat Keating	Pringle, Pa.
17	Ebiketie, Arnold	DE	R-Sr.	6-3	256	Albert Einstein/Mike Bonavia/Temple	Silver Spring, Md.
72	Effner, Bryce *	0L	R-Jr.	6-5	305	Metea Valley/Ben Kleinhans	Aurora, III.
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2	Ellis, Keaton **	S	Jr.	5-11	190	State College Area/Matt Lintal	State College, Pa.
43	Elsdon, Tyler	LB	R-Fr.	6-2	229	North Schuylkill/Wally Hall	Frackville, Pa.
<u>86</u> 	Estrella, Jason Eubanks, Winston	WR WR	Fr. R-Sr.	6-2 6-0	180 196	Liberty (Pa.)/ John Truby  LaSalle College/John Steinmetz/Shippensburg	Tallahassee, Fla. Philadelphia, Pa.
32	Farronato, Dylan	S	R-So.	5-11	201	Lewisburg Area/Marc Persing	Lewisburg, Pa.
74	Fashanu, Olumuyiwa	OL	R-Fr.	6-6	313	Gonzaga College/Randy Trivers	Waldorf, Md.
81	Fessler, Henry	WR	R-Jr.	5-10	181	Cathedral Prep/Mike Mischler	Erie, Pa.
36	Fisher, Zuriah	DE	R-Fr.	6-3	260	Aliquippa/ Mike Warfield	Aliquippa, Pa.
28	Ford, Devyn **	RB	Jr.	5-11	200	North Stafford/Joe Mangano	Stafford, Va.
47	Furmanek, Alex	DT	R-So.	6-2	278	North East/Shawn Humes	North East, Pa.
11	George, Daniel **	WR	R-Jr.	6-2	206	Oxon Hill/Craig Jefferies	Fort Washington, Md.
96	Groh, Mitchell	K	Fr.	6-0	195	Dallastown Area/Ron Miller	Dallastown, Pa.
53	Hansard, Fred ***	DT	R-Sr.	6-3	309	The Hun School/Todd Smith	Burlington, N.J.
25	Hardy, Daequan *	СВ	R-So.	5-9	180	Penn Hills/Jon LeDonne	Pittsburgh, Pa.
37	Hartlaub, Drew ***	S	R-Sr.	5-11	180	South Western/Chris Heilman	Hanover, Pa.
27	Hawkins, Aeneas	DT	R-Jr.	6-2	287	Moeller/John Rodenberg	Cincinnati, Ohio
95	Hilling, Vlad Holmes, Caziah *	K RB	R-Jr.	5-10	226	Hollidaysburg/Homer Delatre	Hollidaysburg, Pa.
26	Holmes, Cazian * Holmes, Des ***	OL KB	So. R-Sr.	5-11	211 321	Cocoa/Ryan Schneider	Titusville, Fla.
	Isaac, Adisa **	DE	Jr.	6-5 6-4	244	Cardinal OʻHara/BJ Hogan Canarsie/Brian Ellis	Norristown, Pa. Brooklyn, N.Y.
78	Israel-Achumba, Golden	OL OL	R-Fr.	6-4	334	DeMatha Catholic/Bill McGregor	Bowie, Md.
99	Izzard, Coziah	DT	R-Fr.	6-3	295	DeMatha Catholic/Bill McGregor	Columbia, Md.
23	Jacobs, Curtis *	LB	So.	6-1	230	McDonogh School/Hakeem Sule	Glen Burnie, Md.
15	Jennings, Enzo	S	R-Fr.	6-1	194	Oak Park/Greg Carter	Detroit, Mich.
84	Johnson, Theo *	TE/H	So.	6-6	256	Holy Names Catholic/Rob McIntyre	Windsor, Ont.
45	Katshir, Charlie *	LB	R-Jr.	6-3	231	Cumberland Valley/Michael Whitehead	Camp Hill, Pa.
93	King, Bradley	Р	R-Sr.	6-2	214	Geneva/ Robert Wicinski/Lackawanna College	Geneva, III.
4	King, Kalen	СВ	Fr.	5-11	183	Cass Tech/Thomas Wilcher	Detroit, Mich.
41	King, Kobe	LB	Fr.	6-1	245	Cass Tech/Thomas Wilcher	Detroit, Mich.
89	Kline, Grayson	TE/H	R-Jr.	6-5	257	Warwick/Bob Locker	Sinking Spring, Pa.
87	Knapp, Ben	TE	Fr.	6-5	245	Canton/Tyler Sechrist	Canton, Pa.
50	Knutsson, Will	OL OI	R-Jr.	6-2	320	McDonogh School/Dom Damico	Fredericksburg, Va.
59	Konigus, Kaleb	0L	R-Jr.	6-2	306	Lake-Lehman/Jerry Gilsky	Lehman, Pa.

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•	NAME	DOC				HIGH COHOOL (COACH	HOMETON
0.	NAME	POS.	EL.	HT.	WT.	HIGH SCHOOL/COACH	HOMETOW
3	Lambert-Smith, KeAndre *	WR	So.	6-1	184	Maury/Dyrri McCain	Norfolk, V
24	Lee, Keyvone *	RB	So.	6-0	239	American Collegiate Academy/Ken Johnson	St. Petersburg, Fl
88	Lesieur, Frederik	S	Fr.	6-2	213	College Andre-Grasset	Montreal, (
0	Lovett, John	RB	Sr.+	6-0	209	Cherokee/P.J. Mhigan/Baylor	Burlington City, N
10	Luketa, Jesse ***	DE/LB	Sr.	6-3	247	Mercyhurst Prep (Pa.)/Jeff Root	Ottawa, Or
4	Lytton, A.J.	CB	Jr.	5-11	180	Wise/DaLawn Parrish/Florida State	Upper Marlboro, M
34	Mahlert, Jan	WR	Fr.	5-11	180	Fursty/	Furstenfeldbruck, Germa
90	McGraw, Rodney	DE	Fr.	6-5	253	Elkhart (Ind.)/Josh Shattuck	Chicago,
30	Meiga, Malick	WR	R-Fr.	6-4	200	Cegep du Vieux/Renaldo Sagesse	Saint Jerome, (
73	Miranda, Mike ***	0L	R-Sr.	6-3	305	Stow-Munroe Falls/Mark Nori	Stow, Oh
3	Mostella, Bryce	DE	R-Fr.	6-6	229	East Kentwood/Tony Kimbrough	Kentwood, Mic
55	Mulbah, Fatorma	DT	R-Fr.	6-3	296	Susquehanna Township/Joe Headen	Harrisburg, F
97	Mustipher, PJ ***	DT	Sr.	6-4	326	McDonogh School/Dom Damico	Owings Mills, N
50	Nevills, Seth	0L	Jr.	6-4	301	Clovis/George Petrissans	Clovis, Cal
9	Nwosu, Gabe	Р	Fr.	6-6	302	The Bullis School/Patrick Cilento	Derwood, M
93	Perry, Spencer	DE	Fr.	6-4	225	Neshannock/Fred Mozzocio	New Castle, F
92	Pinegar, Jake ***	K	Sr.	6-2	196	Ankeny Centennial/Jerry Pezzetti	Ankeny, lov
9	Porter Jr., Joey *	СВ	R-So.	6-2	192	North Allegheny (Pa.)/Art Walker	Bakersfield, Ca
7	Reed, Jaylen	S	Fr.	6-0	209	Martin Luther King Jr./Tyrone Spencer	Detroit, Mic
2	Roberson, Ta'Quan	QB	R-So.	5-11	197	DePaul Catholic/John McKenna	Orange, N
18	Romano, Cody	LB	R-Jr.	6-2	222	Blair Academy/Jim Saylor	Newton, N
21	Rudolph, Tyler	<u> </u>	R-So.	6-0	198	St. Thomas More School/Jeff Moore	Waterbury, Cor
94	Sahaydak, Sander	K	Fr.	6-0	162	Liberty/John Truby	Bethlehem, I
70	Scruggs, Juice *	OL	R-Jr.	6-3	307	Cathedral Prep (Pa.)/Michael Mischler	Ashtabula, Ol
	Seider, Jaden	S	R-So.	5-10	178	State College Area/Matt Lintal	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
16		LB				Louisa County/Will Patrick	Morgantown, W.
2	Smith, Brandon **		Jr.	6-3	241		Louisa, V
8	Smith, Tank	RB	R-So.	5-7	225	Penn Hills/Jon LeDonne/Saint Francis (Pa.)	Pittsburgh, I
20	Stahl, Mason	QB	R-Fr.	6-0	202	Baldwin/Loran Cooley	Pittsburgh,
91	Stoll, Chris **	SN	R-Sr.	6-2	249	St. Francis DeSales/Ryan Wiggins	Westerville, Or
98	Stout, Jordan **	K/P	R-Sr.	6-3	209	Honaker/Douglas Hubbard/Virginia Tech	Cedar Bluff, \
36	Strange, Brenton *	TE/H	R-So.	6-3	250	Parkersburg/Mike Byus	Parkersburg, W.\
6	Sullivan-Brown, Cam *	WR	R-Sr.	6-0	193	Saint Vincent Pallotti/Ian Thomas	Bowie, M
27	Susen, Ethan	CB	Fr.	5-10	170	Wilmington/Brandon Phillian	New Wilmington, I
0	Sutherland, Jonathan ***	S	R-Sr.	5-11	201	Episcopal (Va.)/Panos Voulgaris	Ottawa, O
54	Tangelo, Derrick	DT	Sr.+	6-2	308	The Bullis School/Pat Celinto/Duke	Gaithersburg, N
16	Tarburton, Nick *	DE	R-Jr.	6-3	255	Pennridge/Jeff Hollenbach	Green Lane, I
8	Tengwall, Landon	0L	Fr.	6-6	326	Good Counsel/Andy Stefanelli	Annapolis, N
8	Townley Jr., Davon	DE	Fr.	6-6	252	North Community/Charles Adams	Minneapolis, Mir
7	Traore, Ibrahim	0L	R-Fr.	6-5	318	Frederick Douglas Academy 1/Andrew Kell	Bronx, N
35	Tutty, Jace	СВ	Fr.	5-11	185	Stroudsburg/Jim Miller	Stroudsburg, I
52	van den Berg, Jordan	DT	Fr.	6-3	292	Providence Christian Academy/Parker Conley/Iowa Western	Johannesburg, South Afr
6	Vanover, Amin	DT	R-Fr.	6-4	283	St. Joseph's/Augie Hoffman	Newark, N
98	Vasey, Dan	DE	R-Sr.	6-4	240	Wallenpaupack/Mark Watson	Lackawaxen, I
9	Veilleux, Christian	QB	Fr.	6-4	202	Bullis School (Md.)/Patrick Cilento	Ottawa, 0
92	Vilbert, Smith	DE	R-So.	6-6	263	St Joseph's Regional (N.J.)/Augie Hoffman	Monsey, N
	,	S	Fr.	5-11	172	Potsville Area/Tom McGeoy	Pottsville,
27	Walchak, Bobby					,	
3	Walker, Rasheed **	0L	R-Jr.	6-6	325	North Point/Tom Petre	Waldorf, N
79	Wallace, Caedan *	0L	R-So.	6-5	323	The Hun School/Todd Smith	Robbinsville, N
35	Wallace III, Harrison	WR	Fr.	6-1	190	Pike Road/Patrick Browning	Montgomery, A
14	Warren, Tyler	TE/H	R-Fr.	6-6	252	Atlee/Matt Gray	Mechanicsville,
3	Washington, Parker *	WR	So.	5-10	207	William B. Travis/Trey Sissom	Sugar Land, Tex
13	Weller, Justin	WR	R-Sr.	6-0	198	Wilson/Doug Dahms	Sinking Spring,
6	Wheatley, Zakee	CB	Fr.	6-2	192	Archbishop Spalding/Kyle Schmitt	Crofton, N
55	Whigan, Anthony *	0L	R-Sr.	6-4	316	Great Mills/Tyrone Hill/Lackawanna College	Lexington Park, N
1	Wills, Ryan	0L	Fr.	6-4	287	LaSalle College/John Steinmetz	Glenside,
37	Wilson, Benjamin *	WR	R-Sr.+	6-2	212	Uniontown/John Fortugna	Uniontown,
58	Wilson, Eric	0L	Sr. +	6-4	307	Benilde-St. Margaret's/Patrick Krieger	Minnetrista, Mir
94	Wilson, Jake	DE	R-Fr.	6-3	247	Nazareth Area/Tom Falzone	Nazareth,
8	Wilson, Marquis **	ATH	Jr.	5-11	180	Windsor/Rob Fleeting	Windsor, Cor
77	Wormley, Sal	OL OL	R-So.	6-3	310	Smyrna (Del.)/Mike Judy	Newark, N
	Wright, Michael	SN	R-Fr.	6-1	211	Blessed Trinity Catholic/Tim McFarlin	Roswell, (
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#### RUSHING

LONGEST RUNS				
1.	*92	Blair Thomas vs. Syracuse 19	986	
	92	Bill Belton at Indiana 20	14	
	92	Saguon Barkley vs. Washington 20	)17	
4.	90	Bill Suter at Navy 18	94	
5.	87	Bob Campbell vs. Syracuse 19	68	
6.	86	Bob Riggle at West Virginia 19	64	
	85	Journey Brown vs. Pitt 20	119	
8.	84	Chafie Fields vs. Texas 19	96	
	84	Larry Johnson vs. Illinois 20	002	
10.	83	Ki-Jána Carter vs. Oregon 19	94	
11.	81		116	
	81	Devyn Ford vs. Idaho 20	19	
	*non-	scoring play		

#### GAME RUSHING YARDS BY A OUARTERBACK

		21 11 Q 01 11 (1 LL	DIIOII
1.	250	Eugene "Shorty" Miller	Carnegie Tech, 1913
2.	175	Trace McSorley	Ohio State, 2018
3.	156	Chuck Peters	Syracuse, 1938
4.	138	Zack Mills	Ohio State, 2001
5.	125	Michael Robinson	Wisconsin, 2005
6.	122	Steve Rollins	Syracuse, 1938
7.	119	Sean Clifford	Indiana, 2020
8.		Tony Sacca	Pittsburgh, 1990
	113	Tommy Stevens	Maryland, 2017
10.	112	Michael Robinson	Minnesota, 2005

#### SEASON RUSHING YARDS BY A QUARTERBACK

1.	806	Michael Robinson	2005
2.	798	Trace McSorley	2018
3.	491	Trace McSorley	2017
4.	402	Sean Clifford	2019
5.	396	Michael Robinson	2003
6.	365	Trace McSorley	2016
7.	346	John Hufnagel	1971
8.	335	Sean Clifford	2020
9.	325	Richie Lucas	1959
10.	315	Rashard Casey	2000
11.	290	Rashard Casey	1999
12.	284	Dick Hoak	1960
13.	282	Daryll Clark	2008
14.	263	Michael Robinson	2002
15.	260	Will Levis	2020
16.	255	Pete Liske	1962
17.	234	Richie Lucas	1958
18.	213	Will Levis	2019
19.	211	Daryll Clark	2009
20.	201	Zack Mills	2002
	142	Sean Clifford	2021

#### CAREER RUSHING YARDS BY A QUARTERBACK

1. 2.	1697 1637	Trace McSorley Michael Robinson	2015-18 2002-05
3.	876	Sean Clifford	2018-pres.
4.	670	Rashard Casey	1997-2000
5.	667	John Hufnagel	1970-72
6.	625	Richie Lucas	1957-59
7.	619	Daryll Clark	2006-09
8.	584	Zack Mills	2001-04
9.	506	Tommy Stevens	2016-18
10.	473	Will Levis	2019-20

#### SEASON RUSHING TOUCHDOWNS BY A OUARTERBACK

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12	Trace McSorley	2018
11	Michael Robinson	2005
11	Trace McSorley	2017
10	Daryll Clark	2008
7	Daryll Clark	2009
7	Trace McSorley	2016
6	Richie Lucas	1958
6	Richie Lucas	1959
6	John Hufnagel	1972
6	Michael Robinson	2002
5	Tom Sherman	1966
	Todd Blackledge	1981
	Doug Strang	1983
	Rashard Casey	1999
5	Rashard Casey	2000
5	Matt McGloin	2012
5	Sean Clifford	2019
	12 11 11 10 7 7 6 6 6 6 5 5 5 5	11 Michael Robinson 11 Trace McSorley 10 Daryll Clark 7 Daryll Clark 7 Trace McSorley 6 Richie Lucas 6 Richie Lucas 6 John Hufnagel 6 Michael Robinson 5 Tom Sherman 5 Todd Blackledge 5 Doug Strang 5 Rashard Casey 5 Rashard Casey 5 Matt McGloin

#### CAREER RUSHING TOUCHDOWNS BY A QUARTERBACK

1.	30	Trace McSorley	2015-18
2.	22	Daryll Clark	2007-09
3.	20	Michael Robinson	2002-05
4.	13	John Hufnagel	1970-72
5.	11	Zack Mills	2001-04
6.	10	Todd Blackledge	1980-82
	10	Rashard Casey	1997-2000
	10	Sean Clifford	2018-pres.
9.	8	Doug Strang	1981-84
	8	Tommy Stevens	2016-18

#### **PASSING**

C	AREEI	R PASSING YARI	AGE
1.	9899	Trace McSorley	2015-18
2.	8457	Christian Hackenberg	2013-15
3.	7331	Sean Clifford 2	018-pres.
4.	7212	Zack Mills	2001-04
5.	6390	Matt McGloin	2009-12
6.	5869	Tony Sacca	1988-91
7.	5742	Daryll Clark	2006-09
8.	5382	Chuck Fusina	1975-78
9.	5304	Kerry Collins	1991-94
10.	5275	Anthony Morelli	2004-07

#### SEASON PASSING YARDAG

S	SEASON PASSING YARDAGE					
1.	3614	Trace McSorley	2016			
2.	3570	Trace McSorley	2017			
3.	3271	Matt McGloin	2012			
4.	3003	Daryll Clark	2009			
5.	2977	Christian Hackenberg	2014			
6.	2955	Christian Hackenberg	2013			
7.	2679	Kerry Collins	1994			
8.	2654	Sean Clifford	2019			
9.	2651	Anthony Morelli	2007			
10.	2599	Sean Clifford	2021			

#### GAME PASSING YARDAGE

	GAI	ME PASSING YARDAGE	
1.	454	Christian Hackenberg vs. UCF	2014
2.	401	Sean Clifford vs. Villanova	2021
3.	399	Zack Mills vs. Iowa	2002
4.	398	Sean Clifford at Maryland	2019
5.	395	Matt McGloin vs. Indiana	2012
6.	384	Trace McSorley vs. Wisconsin	2016
7.	381	Trace McSorley at Michigan St.	2017
8.	379	Michael Robinson vs. Wisconsin	2003
9.	376	Trace McSorley vs. Michigan St.	2016
10.	371	C. Hackenberg vs. Boston Coll.	2014
11.	366	Mike McQueary vs. Pittsburgh	1997
12.	363	Sean Clifford at Maryland	2021
13.	361	Sean Clifford at Ohio State	2021
14.	358	Todd Blackledge at Miami (Fla.)	1981
15.	353	Daryll Clark vs. Akron	2009
16.	352	Kerry Collins at Michigan State	1993
17.	342	Trace McSorley vs. Washington	2017
18.	341	Daryll Clark vs. Michigan State	2008
19.	340	Christian Hackenberg at Indiana	2013
	340	Sean Clifford at Minnesota	2019
			2019 2020

#### LONGEST PASS PLAYS

1.	95	Sean Clifford to Daniel George vs. Kent St., 2018
2.	93	Trace McSorley to KJ Hamler vs. Ohio State, 2018
3.	92	Bill Hess to Bob Higgins at Pittsburgh, 1919
4.	86	Steve Joachim to Jim Scott at Navy, 1971
	86	Sean Clifford to Jahan Dotson at Maryland, 2021
6.	85	Trace McSorley to S. Barkley vs. Georgia State, 2017
7.	83	Sean Clifford to KeAndre Lambert-Smith vs. Villanova, 2021
8.	82	Matt Knizner at Eric Hamilton vs. Pittsburgh, 1986
9.	82	Kerry Collins to Freddie Scott vs. Rutgers, 1994
10.	80	Tom Sherman to Paul Johnson at Maryland, 1967
	80	Doug Strang to Dean DiMidio vs. Alabama, 1983
	80	Pat Devlin to Stephfon Green vs. Michigan, 2008
	80	Rob Bolden to Derek Moye vs. Illinois, 2010
	80	Trace McSorley to Irvin Charles vs. Minnesota, 2016
15.	79	Lance Longeran to John Greene vs. Maryland, 1988
	79	Kevin Thompson to Chafie Fields at Miami (Fla.), 1999
	79	Daryll Clark to Chaz Powell vs. Iowa, 2009
	79	Christian Hackenberg to Geno Lewis vs. UCF, 2014
19.	78	Kevin Thompson to Chafie Fields at Purdue, 1999
20.	76	Chuck Burkhart to Tom Cherry at UCLA, 1968
	76	John Hufnagel to Jimmy Scott at Boston Coll., 1972
		Tom Shuman to Chuck Herd vs. West Virginia, 1973
23.		John Andress to Dick Barvinchak at Iowa, 1975
		Tom Bill to David Daniels vs. Temple, 1989
	75	Sean Clifford to Jahan Dotson vs. Illinois, 2020

26. 74 Matt McGloin to Derek Moye at Indiana, 2011 \*74 Will Levis to Pat Freiermuth at Nebraska, 2020 28. 73 M. Robinson to Matt Kranchick vs. Wisconsin, 2003

29. 72 Six times, Last:
Sean Clifford to Jahan Dotson vs. Purdue, 2019
\*non-scoring play

#### GAME TO PASSES

GAME TD PASSES	
Tony Sacca vs. Georgia Tech	1991
Rashard Casey vs. La. Tech	2000
Tom Sherman vs. Pittsburgh	1967
Chuck Fusina vs. Syracuse	1978
Todd Blackledge vs. Temple	1982
Todd Blackledge vs. Maryland	1982
Todd Blackledge vs. Rutgers	1982
John Sacca vs. Minnesota	1993
Kerry Collins vs. Rutgers	1993
	1995
Zack Mills vs. Iowa	2002
Michael Robinson at Illinois	2005
Anthony Morelli vs. Buffalo	2007
	2008
	2010
Matt McGloin vs. Navy	2012
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C. Hackenberg vs. Boston Coll.	2014
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	2016
Trace McSorley vs. USC	2016
	2017
	2019
	2019
Sean Clifford vs. Villanova	2021
	Tony Sacca vs. Georgia Tech Rashard Casey vs. La. Tech Tom Sherman vs. Pittsburgh Chuck Fusina vs. Syracuse Todd Blackledge vs. Temple Todd Blackledge vs. Rutgers John Sacca vs. Minnesota Kerry Collins vs. Rutgers Wally Richardson vs. Auburn Zack Mills vs. Iowa Michael Robinson at Illinois Anthony Morelli vs. Buffalo Daryll Clark vs. Michigan State Matt McGloin vs. Northwestern Matt McGloin vs. Northwestern Matt McGloin vs. Indiana C. Hackenberg at Wisconsin C. Hackenberg vs. Boston Coll. Trace McSorley vs. Wisconsin Trace McSorley vs. Wisconsin Trace McSorley vs. Wisconsin Trace McSorley vs. USC Trace McSorley vs. Georgia St. Sean Clifford vs. Buffalo Sean Clifford vs. Buffalo

#### SEASON TOUCHDOWN PASSES

1.	29	Trace McSorley	2016
2.	28	Trace McSorley	2017
3.	24	Daryll Clark	2009
	24	Matt McGloin	2012
5.	23	Sean Clifford	2019
6.	22	Todd Blackledge	1982
7.	21	Tony Sacca	199
	21	Kerry Collins	1994
9.	20	Christian Hackenberg	2013
10.	19	Doug Strang	1983
	19	Anthony Morelli	2007
	19	Daryll Clark	2008
13.	18	Wally Richardson	1995
	18	Trace McSorley	2018
15.	17	Michael Robinson	200
	17	Mike McQueary	1997
	17	Zack Mills	2002
	17	Sean Clifford	2021
19.	16	Christian Hackenberg	201
	16	Sean Clifford	2020

#### CAREER TOUCHDOWN PASSES

1.	70	Trace McSorley	2015-18
2.	58	Sean Clifford 2	018-pres
3.	48	Christian Hackenberg	2013-15
4.	46	Matt McGloin	2009-12
5.	43	Daryll Clark	2006-09
6.	41	Todd Blackledge	1980-82
	41	Tony Sacca	1988-91
	41	Zack Mills	2001-04
9.	39	Kerry Collins	1991-94
10.	37	Chuck Fusina	1975-78

#### SEASON COMPLETIONS

1.	284	Trace McSorley	2017
2.	270	Matt McGloin´	2012
	270	Christian Hackenberg	2014
4.	234	Anthony Morelli	2007
5.	232	Daryll Ćlark	2009
6.	231	Christian Hackenberg	2013
7.	224	Trace McSorley	2016
	224	Sean Clifford	2021
9.	208	Anthony Morelli	2006
10.	193	Wally Richardson	1995
11.	192	Daryll Clark	2008
	192	Christian Hackenberg	2015
	192	Trace McSorley	2018
14.	189	Sean Clifford	2019
15.	188	Zack Mills	2002

#### CAREER COMPLETIONS

1.	720	Trace McSorley	2015-18
2.	693	Christian Hackenber	g 2013-15
3.	606	Zack Mills	2001-04
4.	570	Sean Clifford	2018-pres.
5.	513	Matt McGloin	2009-12
6.	460	Anthony Morelli	2004-07
7.	444	Daryll Clark	2006-09
8.	401	Tony Sacca	1988-91
9.	378	Wally Richardson	1992, 94-96
10.	371	Chuck Fusina	1975-78

#### SEASON PASSING ATTEMPTS

1.	484	Christian Haskonhorg	2014
		Christian Hackenberg	
2.	446	Matt McGloin	2012
3.	427	Trace McSorley	2017
4.	402	Anthony Morelli	2007
5.	392	Christian Hackenberg	2013
6.	387	Trace McSorley	2016
7.	386	Anthony Morelli	2006
8.	381	Daryll Clark	2009
9.	362	Sean Clifford	2021
10.	361	Trace McSorley	2018
11.	359	Christian Hackenberg	2015
12.	335	Wally Richardson	1995
13.	333	Zack Mills	2002
14.	321	Daryll Clark	2008
15.	319	Sean Clifford	2019
16.	311	Michael Robinson	2005
17.	309	Rashard Casey	2000
18.	292	Todd Blackledge	1982
	292	Tony Sacca	1991
20.	279	Wally Richardson	1996

#### CAREER PASSING ATTEMPTS

1.	1235	Christian Hackenber	g 2013-15
2.	1215	Trace McSorley	2015-18
3.	1082	Zack Mills	2001-04
4.	939	Sean Clifford	2018-pres.
5.	894	Matt McGloin	2009-12
6.	824	Tony Sacca	1988-91
7.	821	Anthony Morelli	2004-07
8.	738	Daryll Clark	2006-09
9.	692	Wally Richardson	1992, 94-96
0.	664	Chuck Fusina	1975-78
1.	658	Todd Blackledge	1980-82
2.	657	Kerry Collins	1991-94
3.	547	John Shaffer	1983-86
4.	505	Michael Robinson	2002-05
5.	495	Kevin Thompson	1996-99

RECORD WATCH			
SEASON COMPLETION PCT. (Min. 100 attempts)	SEASON YARDS PER COMPLETION (Min. 100 attempts)	SEASON PASSING EFFICIENCY (Min. 100 attempts)	SEASON 300-YD. PASSING GAMES
	SEASON YARDS PER COMPLETION   (Min. 700 attempts)	Min. 100 attempts   1994   2.   156.9   Trace McSorley   2016   3.   153.7   Trace McSorley   2017   4.   151.8   John Hufnagel   1971   5.   149.8   Tony Sacca   1991   6.   148.5   Sean Clifford   2019   7.   148.0   John Hufnagel   1972   8.   146.4   Chuck Fusina   1977   9.   145.0   Mike McQueary   1997   144.3   Daryll Clark   2008   12.   142.6   Daryll Clark   2009   13.   137.7   Matt McGloin   2012   14.   137.4   Sean Clifford   2021   16.   134.2   Christian Hackenberg   2013   18.   133.6   Doug Strang   1983   19.   131.8   Kevin Thompson   1999   20.   129.1   Tom Sherman   1967   1994-97   128.0   Sean Clifford   2018-pres.   144.5   Trace McSorley   2015-18   142.0   Sean Clifford   2018-pres.   144.0   Daryll Clark   2006-09   128.0   Tom Sherman   1970-72   144.5   Trace McSorley   2016-09   128.0   Tom Sherman   1975-78   132.7   Chuck Fusina   1975-78   132.7   Chuck Fusina   1975-78   128.0   Tom Shuman   1972-74   10.   127.7   Pete Liske   1961-63   SEASON INTERCEPTION PCT.   1.   1.12   Matt McGloin   2001-12   1.   1.00   Zean Clifford   2021   2.   1.46   Kerry Collins   1992   3.   1.66   Sean Clifford   2021   2.   1.46   Kerry Collins   1992   1.   1.   1.   1.   1.   1.   1.   1	SEASON 300-YD. PASSING GAMES
	1.     9.14     Elwood Petchel     1946-48       2.     7.67     Tom Shuman     1972-74       3.     7.17     Mike McQueary     1994-97       4.     6.76     Galen Hall     1959-61       6.76     Pete Liske     1961-63       6.     6.48     John Sacca     1992-93       7.     6.37     John Hufnagel     1970-72       8.     6.33     Trace McSorley     2015-18       9.     6.23     Todd Blackledge     1980-82	9. 2.51 Christian Hackenberg 2013-15 10. 2.82 Pete Liske 1961-63  CAREER WINNING PERCENTAGE  AS A STARTING QB  (minimum 10 starts)  1. 1.000 22-0-0 Chuck Burkhart 1968-69 2962 25-1-0 John Shaffer 1984-86 3917 22-2-0 Tom Shuman 1972-74 4897 26-3-0 John Hufnagel 1970-72 5879 29-4-0 Todd Blackledge 1980-82 6871 27-4-0 Chuck Fusina 1976-78 7846 22-4-0 Daryll Clark 2006-09 8808 21-5-0 Kerry Collins 1994-97 .808 21-5-0 Wally Richardson 1992, 94-96 10775 31-9-0 Trace McGorley 2015-18 11773 8-2-1 Tom Sherman 1965-67	

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CA	REER	RECEIVING YA	RDAGE
1.	3026	Bobby Engram	1991, 93-95
2.	2842	DaeSéan Hamilton	2014-17
3.	2771	Deon Butler	2005-08
4.	2620	Jahan Dotson	2018-pres.
5.	2479	Allen Robinson	2011-13
6.	2421	Chris Godwin	2014-16
7.	2395	Derek Moye	2008-11
8.	2015	Jordan Norwood	2005-08
9.	2008	Bryant Johnson	1999-2002
10.	2006	Kenny Jackson	1980-83
11.	1988	O.J. McDuffie	1988-92
12.	1894	Joe Jurevicius	1994-97
13.	1837	Jack Curry	1965-67
14.	1825	Terry Smith	1988-91
15.	1743	Derrick Williams	2005-08
16.	1702	Tony Johnson	2000-03
17.	1658	KJ Hamler	2018-19
18.	1520	Freddie Scott	1993-95
19.	1481	Mike Gesicki, TE	2014-17
20.	1437	Chafie Fields	1996-99
21.	1343	Ted Kwalick, TE	1966-68
22.	1263	Scott Fitzkee	1975-78
23.	1245	DeAndre Thompkins	2015-18
24.	1222	David Daniels	1988-90
25.	1195	Saquon Barkley, RB	2015-17
26.	1185	Pat Freiermuth, TE	2018-20
-	1152	Parker Washington, WI	R 2020-pres.
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SE	ASON	RECEIVING YARD	AGE
1.	1432	Allen Robinson	201
2.	1101	Chris Godwin	201
3.	1084	Bobby Engram	199
4.	1045	Jahan Dotson	202
5.	1029	Bobby Engram	199
6.	1018	Allen Robinson	201
7.	982	Chris Godwin	201
8.	977	O.J. McDuffie	199
9.	973	Freddie Scott	199
10.	917	Bryant Johnson	200
11.	904	KJ Hamler	201
12.	899	DaeSean Hamilton	201
13.	885	Derek Moye	201
14.	884	Jahan Dotson	202
15.	873	Bobby Engram	199
16.	869	Joe Jurevicius	199
17.	866	Bryant Johnson	200
18.	857	DaeSean Hamilton	201
19.	846	Terry Smith	199
20.	817	Joe Jurevicius	199

	CAR	EER RECEIVING	TDs
1.	31	Bobby Engram	1991, 93-95
2.	25	Kenny Jackson	1980-83
3.	23	Jahan Dotson	2018-pres
4.	22	Deon Butler	2005-08
5.	18	Derek Moye	2008-11
	18	Chris Godwin	2014-16
	18	DaeSean Hamilton	2014-17
8.	17	Allen Robinson	2011-13
9.	16	O.J. McDuffie	1988-92
	16	Pat Freiermuth, TE	2018-20
11.	15	Terry Smith	1988-91
	15	Joe Jurevicius	1994-97
	15	Mike Gesicki, TE	2014-17
14.	13	Jordan Norwood	2005-08
	13	KJ Hamler	2018-19
16.	11	Tony Johnson	2000-03
	11	Scott Fitzkee	1975-78
	11	Freddie Scott	1993-95
	11	Jesse James	2012-14

QB-WR TOUCHDOWN DUOS						
1.	21	Sean Clifford to Jahan Dotson 20	)18-pres.			
2.	17	Todd Blackledge to Kenny Jackson	1980-82			
3.	15	Kerry Collins to Bobby Engram	1993-95			

SEAS	SON RECEIVING TDS	i
13	Bobby Engram	1993
11	Bobby Engram	1995
11	Allen Robinson	2012
11	Chris Godwin	2016
10	Joe Jurevicius	1997
10	Jahan Dotson	2021
9	O.J. McDuffie	1992
9	Freddie Scott	1994
9	Deon Butler	2005
9	Mike Gesicki	2017
9	DaeSean Hamilton	2017
8	Terry Smith	1991
8		2010
8		2018
8	KJ Hamler	2019
8	Jahan Dotson	2020
7		1982
7		1983
	Bobby Engram	1994
		2008
	Graham Zug	2009
7	Pat Freiermuth	2019
CAF	REER RECEPTIONS	
	13 11 11 11 10 10 9 9 9 9 9 8 8 8 8 7 7 7 7	11 Bobby Engram 11 Allen Robinson 11 Chris Godwin 10 Joe Jurevicius 10 Jahan Dotson 9 O.J. McDuffie 9 Freddie Scott 9 Deon Butler 9 Mike Gesicki 9 DaeSean Hamilton 8 Terry Smith 8 Derek Moye 8 Pat Freiermuth 8 KJ Hamler 9 Jahan Dotson 7 Kenny Jackson 7 Kenny Jackson 7 Bobby Engram 7 Deon Butler 7 Graham Zug

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1.	214	DaeSean Hamilton	2014-17			
2.	179	Deon Butler	2005-08			
3.	177	Allen Robinson	2011-13			
4.	175	Jahan Dotson	2018-pres.			
5.	167	Bobby Engram	1991, 93-95			
6.	161	Derrick Williams	2005-08			
7.	158	Jordan Norwood	2005-08			
8.	154	Chris Godwin	2014-16			
9.	144	Derek Moye	2008-11			
0.	129	Mike Gesicki, TE	2014-17			
1.	125	O.J. McDuffie	1988-92			
2.	117	Jack Curry	1965-67			
3.	110	Bryant Johnson	1999-2002			
4.	109	Kenny Jackson	1980-83			
5.	108	Terry Smith,	1988-91			
6.	107	Tony Johnson	2000-03			
7.	102	Saquon Barkley, RB	2015-17			
8.	98	KJ Hamler	2018-19			
9.	94	Joe Jurevicius	1994-97			
0.	93	Freddie Scott	1993-95			
	SEASON RECEPTIONS					

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1.	97	Allen Robinson	2013
2.	83	Jahan Dotson	2021
3.	82	DaeSean Hamilton	2014
4.	77	Allen Robinson	2012
5.	69	Chris Godwin	2015
6.	63	O.J. McDuffie	1992
	63	Bobby Engram	1995
8.	59	Chris Godwin	2016
9.	57	Mike Gesicki, TE	2017
10.	56	KJ Hamler	2019
11.	55	Terry Smith	1991
	55	Derrick Williams	2007
	55	Geno Lewis	2014
14.	54	Juwan Johnson	2017
	54	Saquon Barkley, RB	2017
16.	53	Derek Moye	2010
	53	DaeSean Hamilton	2017
	53	Parker Washington	2021
19.	52	Bobby Engram	1994
	52	Jahan Dotson	2020
AF	REER	YARDS PER RECEP	PTION

CAR	CAREER YARDS PER RECEPTION						
1.	20.54	Ray Roundtree	1984-87				
2.	20.15	Joe Jurevicius	1994-97				
3.	19.58	Saeed Blacknall	2014-17				
4.	19.43	Scott Fitzkee	1975-78				
5.	18.89	Jimmy Cefalo	1974-77				
6.	18.40	Kenny Jackson	1980-83				
7.	18.25	Bryant Johnson	1999-2002				
8.	18.12	Bobby Engram	1991, 93-95				
	18.12	Dean DiMidio	1982-85				
10.	17.71	David Daniels	1988-90				
	14.97	Jahan Dotson	2018-pres.				

CAREER 100-YD. RECEIVING GAMES						
1.	16	Bobby Engram	1991, 93-95			
2.	10	Allen Robinson	2011-13			
	10	Jahan Dotson	2018-pres.			
4.	9	Chris Godwin	2014-16			
	9	DaeSean Hamilton	2014-17			
	9	Joe Jurevicius	1994-97			
7.	8	Bryant Johnson	1999-2002			
8.	7	O.J. McDuffie	1988-92			
9.	6	Deon Butler	2005-08			
	6	Kenny Jackson	1980-83			
	6	Derek Moye	2008-11			
	6	Freddie Scott	1993-95			
SEASON 100-YD. RECEIVING GAMES						

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SEAS	SON	100-YD. RECEIVING	GAMES
1.	8	Allen Robinson	2013
2.	6	Bobby Engram	1993
	6	Bobby Engram	1995
4.	5	O.J. McDuffie	1992
	5	Freddie Scott	1994
	5	Joe Jurevicius	1996
	5	Bryant Johnson	2001
	5	Chris Godwin	2015
	5	Jahan Dotson	2020
10.	4	Bobby Engram	1994
	4	Joe Jurevicius	1997
	4	DaeSean Hamilton	2014
	4	DaeSean Hamilton	2017
	4	KJ Hamler	2019
	4	Jahan Dotson	2021

### TOTAL OFFENSE

### CAREER TOTAL OFFENSE

	Yards	Rush	Pass		
1.	11596	1697	9899	Trace McSorley	2015-18
2.	8215	-242	8457	Christian Hackenberg	2013-15
3.	8207	876	7331	Sean Clifford 20	18-pres.
4.	7796	584	7212	Zack Mills	2001-04
5.	6361	619	5742	Daryll Clark	2006-09
6.	6325	-65	6390	Matt McGloin	2009-12
7.	6000	131	5869	Tony Sacca	1988-91
8.	5300	-4	5304	Kerry Collins	1991-94
9.	5168	1637	3531	Michael Robinson	2002-05
10.	5162	-220	5382	Chuck Fusina	1975-78
11.	5154	-121	5275	Anthony Morelli	2004-07
12.	4911	99	4812	Todd Blackledge	1980-82
13.	4212	667	3545	John Hufnagel	1970-72
14.	4182	-237	4419	Wally Richardson 199	92, 94-96
15.	3932	3932	0	Evan Royster	2007-10

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	Yards	Rush	Pass		
1.	4061	491	5370	Trace McSorley	2017
2.	3979	212	3614	Trace McSorley	2016
3.	3328	798	2530	Trace McSorley	2018
4.	3220	-51	3271	Matt McGloin	2012
5.	3214	211	3003	Daryll Clark	2009
6.	3156	806	2350	Michael Robinson	2005
7.	3056	402	2654	Sean Clifford	2019
8.	2887	-68	2955	Christian Hackenberg	2013
9.	2883	-94	2977	Christian Hackenberg	2014
10.	2874	282	2592	Daryll Clark	2008
11.	2741	142	2599	Sean Clifford	2021
12.	2660	-19	2679	Kerry Collins	1994
13.	2638	-13	2651	Anthony Morelli	2007
14.	2618	201	2417	Zack Mills	2002
15.	2445	-80	2525	Christian Hackenberg	2015
16.	2427	-61	2488	Tony Sacca	1991
17.	2336	-88	2424	Anthony Morelli	2006
18.	2316	315	2001	Rashard Casey	2000
19.	2218	335	1883	Sean Clifford	2020
20.	2201	162	2039	John Hufnagel	1972
21.	2191	-27	2218	Todd Blackledge	1982
22.	2184	-27	2211	Mike McQueary	1997
23.	2168	-53	2221	Chuck Fusina	1977
24.	2087	2087	0	Larry Johnson	2002

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GAME TOTAL OFFENSE						
	Yards	Rush	Pass			
1.	461	175	286	T. McSorley vs. Ohio State	2018	
2.	456	2	454	C. Hackenberg vs. UCF	2014	
3.	452	54	398	S. Clifford at Maryland	2019	
4.	418	138	280	Z. Mills vs. Ohio State	2001	
5.	408	73	335	T. McSorley vs. Minnesota	2016	
6.	402	60	342	T. McSorley vs. Washington	2017	
7.	398	19	379	M. Robinson vs. Wisconsin	2003	
8.	393	-8	401	Sean Clifford vs. Villanova	2021	
9.	389	-10	399	Z.Mills vs. Iowa	2002	
	389	13	376	T. McSorley vs. Michigan St.	2016	
11.	383	2	381	T. McSorley at Michigan St.	2017	
12.	379	39	340	S. Clifford at Minnesota	2019	
13.	371	0	371	C. Hackenberg vs. Boston Coll.	2014	
	371	46	325	T. McSorley vs. Nebraska	2017	
15.	370	4	366	M. McQueary vs. Pittsburgh	1997	
16.	369	67	302	R. Casey vs. Iowa	2000	
17.	366	26	340	S. Clifford vs. Maryland	2020	
18.	364	-20	384	T. McSorley vs. Wisconsin	2016	
19.	363	92	271	J. Hufnagel at Boston College	1972	
	363	125	238	M. Robinson vs. Wisconsin	2005	
	363	-32	395	M. McGloin vs. Indiana	2012	
CAREER TDs RESPONSIBLE FOR						

#### 1. 107 Trace McSorley 2. 68 Sean Clifford 3. 65 Daryll Clark 4. 55 Christian Hacke 2015-18 2018-pres. 2006-09 2013-15 2015-17 Daryll Clark Christian Hackenberg 65 55 54 5. Saquon Barkley 53 Matt McGloin Zack Mills 2009-12 6. 53 2001-04 8. Todd Blackledge 51 1980-82 9. 47 1988-91 Tony Sacca 10. Michael Robinson 46 2002-05

SON	TDs RESPONSIBLE	FOR
39	Trace McSorley	2017
36	Trace McSorley	2016
31	Daryll Clark	2009
30	Trace McSorley	2018
29	Daryll Clark	2008
29	Matt McGloin	2012
29	Lydell Mitchell	1971
28	Michael Robinson	2005
28	Sean Clifford	2019
25	Todd Blackledge	1982
25	Tony Sacca	1991
24	Christian Hackenberg	2013
24	Doug Strang	1983
24	Saquon Barkley	2017
23	Ki-Jana Carter	1994
23	Larry Johnson	2002
	39 36 31 30 29 29 29 28 <b>28</b> 25 25 24 24 24 24 23	36 Trace McSorley 31 Daryll Clark 30 Trace McSorley 9 Daryll Clark 29 Matt McGloin 29 Lydell Mitchell 28 Michael Robinson 28 Sean Clifford 25 Todd Blackledge 25 Tony Sacca 24 Christian Hackenberg 24 Doug Strang 25 Saquon Barkley 26 Ki-Jana Carter

#### SEASON TOTAL OFFENSE YARDS PER PLAY

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1.	9.64	Kerry Collins	1994			
2.	8.19	Tom Shuman	1973			
3.	7.88	Chuck Fusina	1977			
4.	7.77	Ki-Jana Carter	1994			
5.	7.70	Larry Johnson	2002			
6.	7.47	Trace McSorley	2016			
7.	7.18	Daryll Clark	2008			
8.	7.12	John Hufnagel	1971			
9.	7.11	Trace McSorley	2017			
10.	7.09	Mike McQueary	1997			
11.	7.03	Sean Clifford	2019			
12.	7.02	Kevin Thompson	1999			
13.	6.92	John Hufnagel	1972			
14.	6.91	Daryll Clark	2009			
	6.22	Sean Clifford	2021			

#### CAREER TOTAL OFFENSE YARDS PER PLAY

1.	7.42	Kerry Collins	1991-94
2.	7.34	Miké McQueary	1995-97
3.	7.16	Ki-Jana Carter	1992-94
4.	6.92	Tom Shuman	1972-74
5.	6.87	Trace McSorley	2015-18
6.	6.85	Daryll Clark	2005-09
7.	6.66	John Hufnagel	1970-72
8.	6.63	Sean Clifford	2018-pres.
9.	6.59	Chuck Fusina	1975-78
10	6.42	Larry Johnson	1998_2002

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### **KICKING**

CAREER FIELD GOALS				
1.	78	Kevin Kelly	2005-08	
2.	54	Sam Ficken	2011-14	
3.	50	Craig Fayak	1990-93	
4.	47	Travis Forney	1996-99	
5.	45	Brett Conway	1993-96	
6.	40	Massimo Manca	1982, 84-86	
7.	39	Matt Bahr	1976-78	
	39	Robbie Gould	2001-04	
	39	Tyler Davis	2015-17	
10.	38	Nick Gancitano	1981-84	
11.	36	Collin Wagner	2007-10	
	36	Jake Pinegar	2018-pres.	
CAI	REEF	R FIELD GOAL A	TTEMPTS	
1.	107	Kevin Kelly	2005-08	
2.	80	Craig Fayak	1990-93	
3.	75	Sam Ficken	2011-14	
4.	63	Chris Bahr	1973-75	
	63	Travis Forney	1996-99	
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6.	61	Matt Bahr ´	1976-78	
6.	61 61	Brett Conway	1976-78 1993-96	
	61 61	Brett Conway Robbie Gould	1993-96 2002-04	
9.	61	Brett Conway	1993-96 2002-04 1982, 84-86	
٥.	61 61 59 49	Brett Conway Robbie Gould Massimo Manca Nick Gancitano	1993-96 2002-04 1982, 84-86 1981-84	
9.	61 61 59 49	Brett Conway Robbie Gould Massimo Manca Nick Gancitano Tyler Davis	1993-96 2002-04 1982, 84-86 1981-84 2015-17	
9.	61 61 59 49	Brett Conway Robbie Gould Massimo Manca Nick Gancitano	1993-96 2002-04 1982, 84-86 1981-84	
9. 10.	61 61 59 49 49	Brett Conway Robbie Gould Massimo Manca Nick Gancitano Tyler Davis	1993-96 2002-04 1982, 84-86 1981-84 2015-17 <b>2018-pres.</b>	

	1.	91.7	Tyler Davis	2016
		91.7	Jake Pinegar	2019
	3.	83.3	Kevin Kelly	2008
	4.	82.8	Sam Ficken	2014
	5.	82.6	Ray Tarasi	1989
	6.	82.4	Anthony Fera	2011
	7.	81.5	Matt Bahr	1978
	8.	81	Nick Gancitano	1983
	9.	80.8	Travis Forney	1999
		80.8	Massimo Manca	1985
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#### CAREER FIELD GOAL PCT.

1.	79.6	Tyler Davis	2015-17
2.	77.6	Nick Gancitano	1981-84
3.	75.0	Collin Wagner	2006-10
4.	74.6	Travis Forne.	1996-99
5.	73.8	Brett Conway	1993-96
6.	73.5	Jake Pinegar	2018-pres.
<b>6.</b> 7.		Jake Pinegar Kevin Kelly	<b>2018-pres.</b> 2005-08
	72.9		
7.	72.9 72.0	Kevin Kelly	2005-08
7. 8.	72.9 72.0	Kevin Kelly Sam Ficken	2005-08 2011-14

	LO	NGEST FIELD GOALS	
1.	57	Jordan Stout vs. Pitt	2019
2.	55	Chris Bahr at Temple	1975
	55	Chris Bahr at Ohio State	1975
	55	Chris Bahr at Syracuse	1975
5.	54	Herb Menhardt at NC State	1979
	54	Sam Ficken vs. Kent State	2013
7.	53	Massimo Manca vs. Notre Dame	e 1985
	53	Kevin Kelly vs. lowa	2007
	53	Jordan Stout vs. Idaho	2019
10.	52	Chris Bahr vs. West Virginia	1975
	52	Eric Etze at Notre Dame	1988
	52	Brett Conway vs. Temple	1996
	52	Kevin Kelly at Syracuse	2008
	52	Jordan Stout vs. Michigan	2021
14.	51	Pete Mauthe at Pittsburgh	1912
	51	Brett Conway vs. Michigan	1995
	51	Ryan Primanti vs. Illinois	2000
	51	Robbie Gould at Wisconsin	2002
18.	50	Chris Bahr at Syracuse	1973
	50	Chris Bahr at Pittsburgh	1974
	50	Matt Bahr vs. Syracuse	1978
	50	Massimo Manca vs. Alabama	
	50	Massimo Manca vs. Notre Dam	
	50	Craig Fayak at Alabama	1990
	50	Travis Forney at Minnesota	1998
	50	Robbie Gould vs. Virginia	2002
	50	Kevin Kelly at Wisconsin	2008
	50	Sam Ficken vs. Temple	2014
	50	Jordan Stout vs. Ohio State	
	50	Jordan Stout vs. Indiana	2021

#### SEASON EXTRA POINTS MADE

1.	71	Tyler Davis	2017
2.	62	Brett Conway	1994
	62	Tyler Davis	2016
4.	60	Kevin Kelly	2008
5.	59	Al Vitiello ´	1971
6.	56	Jake Pinegar	2019
7.	53	Jake Pinegar	2018
8.	49	Kevin Kelly	2005
9.	46	Collin Wagner	2009
0.	44	Kevin Kelly	2007
	44	Travis Forney	1999
	RFF	B EXTRA POINT	SMADE

#### CAREER EXTRA POINTS MADE

1.	183	Kevin Kelly	2005-08
2.	144	Tyler Davis	2015-17
3.	141	Brett Conway	1993-96
4.	136	Jake Pinegar	2018-pres.
5.	132	Craig Fayak	1990-93
6.	117	Travis Forney	1996-99
7.	115	Robbie Gould	2002-04
8.	109	Sam Ficken	2011-14
9.	98	Al Vitiello	1971-72
10.	86	Massimo Manca	1982, 84-86

#### CAREER PAT PCT.

(Min. 50 Attempts)					
1.	100.0 (59-59)	Herb Menhardt 1	976, 78-80		
	100.0 (85-85)	Collin Wagner	2006-10		
	100.0 (144-144)	Tyler Davis	2015-17		
4.	99.3 (141-142)	Brett Conway	1993-96		
5.	98.9 (183-185)	Kevin Kelly	2005-08		
6.	98.9 (86-87)	Massimo Manca 1	982, 84-86		
7.	97.3 (109-112)	Sam Ficken	2011-14		
8.	96.7 (117-121)	Travis Forney	1996-99		
9.	96.5 (136-141)	Jake Pinegar 2	018-pres.		
10.	96.2 (76-79)	Nick Gancitano	1981-84		

#### **PUNTING**

### PUNT AVERAGE, CAREER

(Min. 50 punts)				
1.	44.71	Jordan Stout	2019-pres.	
2.	43.13	Jeremy Boone	2007-09	
3.	43.03	Blake Gillikin	2016-19	
4.	43.00	George Reynolds	1980-83	
5.	41.84	Pat Pidgeon	1996-99	
6.	41.79	Ralph Giacomarro	1979-82	
7.	41.74	Jeremy Kapinos	2003-06	
8.	41.73	Anthony Fera	2008-11	
9.	40.50	Chris Clauss	1987	
10.	39.95	David Royer	1999-02	

#### PUNT AVERAGE, SEASON

		(Min. 30 punts)	
1.	46.47	Jordan Stout	2021
1.	43.95	Blake Gillikin	2018
2.	43.55	Ralph Giacomarro	1981
3.	43.32	Jeremy Boone	2009
4.	43.31	Ralph Giacomarro	1980
5.	43.15	Blake Gillikin	2017
6.	43.03	Jeremy Boone	2008
7.	43.02	Jeremy Boone	2007
8.	42.92	John Éruno Jr.	1985
9.	42.80	Blake Gillikin	2016
0.	42.63	George Reynolds	1983

### **PUNT RETURNS**

PUNT RETURN AVERAGE, CAREER						
	(Min. 15 returns)					
1.	17.6	Ron Younker	1953-54			
2.	16.5	Wally Triplett	1946-48			
3.	15.9	Don Jonas	1958-61			
4.	15.8	Lenny Moore	1953-55			
5.	15.3	Dick Hoak	1958-60			
6.	14.0	Jahan Dotson	2018-pres.			
	14.0	Mike Archie	1992-95			
8.	13.7	Jimmy Cefalo	1974-77			
9.	13.2	Dennis Onkotz	1967-69			
10.	13.1	Tisen Thomas	1989-92			

#### PUNT RETURN AVERAGE, SEASON

(Min. 6 returns)				
son	. 24.6	2020		
	. 21.4	1960		
an	. 19.2	1973		
re	. 17.5	1953		
er	. 17.0	1912		
r	. 16.1	1954		
	. 16.0	1951		
	. 15.7	1959		
	. 15.2	1978		
ie	. 14.6	1989		
er r	. 17.0 . 16.1 . 16.0 . 15.7 . 15.2	1 1 1 1		

#### LONGEST PUNT RETURNS

### **SCORING**

#### CAREER SCORING

n · .						
Points	TD	PAT	FG			
425	1	*183	78	Kevin Kelly	2005-08	
318	53	0	0	Saquon Barkley	2015-17	
282	0	132	50	Craig Fayak	1990-93	
276	0	141	45	Brett Conway	1993-96	
271	0	109	54	Sam Ficken	2011-14	
261	0	144	39	Tyler Davis	2015-17	
258	0	117	47	Travis Forney	1996-99	
246	41	0	0	Lydell Mitchell	1969-71	
244	0	136	36	Jake Pinegar 2	2018-pres.	
232	0	115	39	Robbie Gould	2001-04	
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#### SEASON SCORING

	<b>Points</b>	TD	PAT	FG		
1.	174	29	0	0	Lydell Mitchell	1971
2.	140	23	**0	0	Larry Johnson	2002
3.	138	23	0	0	Ki-Jána Carter	1994
	138	23	0	0	Saquon Barkley	2017
5.	132	22	0	0	Saquon Barkley	2016
6.	128	0	62	22	Tyler Davis	2016
7.	122	20	**0	0	Curtis Enis	1997
8.	120	0	60	20	Kevin Kelly	2008
9.	119	11	_	_	Pete Mauthe	1909
10.	116	19	*0	0	Richie Anderson	1992
11.	110	1	44	20	Kevin Kelly	2007
12.	107	0	44	21	Travis Forney	1999
13.	102	17	0	0	John Cappelletti	1973
14.	101	0	53	16	Jake Pinegar	2018
15.	100	0	28	24	Sam Ficken	2014

#### **DEFENSE**

#### SEASON TACKLES FOR LOSS (Since 1975) 29.0 Courtney Brown 1999 1995

	16.0	Arnold Fhiketie	2021
	18.0	Justin Kurpekis	2000
	18.0	Brad Scioli	1998
	18.0	Brandon Noble	1996
	18.0	Todd Atkins	1995
14.	18.0	Willie Smith	1994
13.	19.5		2015
	20.0	Yetur Gross-Matos	2018
	20.0	Aaron Maybin	2008
	20.0	LaVar Arrington	1999
	20.0	Todd Atkins	1994
8.	20.0	Bruce Clark	1978
7.	21.0	Tyoka Jackson	1993
6.	21.5	Maurice Evans	2007
	23.0	Michael Haynes	2002
	23.0	Courtney Brown	1998
3.	23.0	Larry Rubin	1979
۷.	24.0	lerry Killens	1995

#### SEASON SACKS

		(Since 1975)	
1.	15.5	Carl Nassib	2015
2.	15.0	Larry Rubin	1978
	15.0	Michael Haynes	2002
4.	13.5	Courtney Brown	1999
5.	12.5	Maurice Evans	2007
6.	12.0	Larry Rubin	1978
	12.0	Aaron Maybin	2008
8.	11.5	Shane Conlan	1983
	11.5	Courtney Brown	1998
10.	11.0	Mark D'Onofrio	1989
	11.0	Terry Killens	1995
	11.0	Tamba Hali	2005
13.	10.0	Brad Scioli	1998
14.	9.5	Tyoka Jackson	1991
	9.5	Yetur Gross-Matos	2019
	9.5	Arnold Ebiketie	2021



PENN STATE VS. WISCONSIN



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SCORING SUMMARY						
	1	2	3	4	OT	F
PSU	0	0	7	9	-	16
WIS	0	0	7	3	-	10
3rd	12:08	PSU				0:55/7-0
	Dotson, Ja	ıhan 49 yd ı	oass from (	Clifford, Se	an (Stout k	ick)
	8:01	WIS			10-75/	4:07/7-7
	Mellusi, C	hez 3 yd rur	(Larsh kid	:k)		
4th	13:36	WIS			10-55/4:	13/7-10
	Larsh, Collin 43 yd field goal					
	11:26	PSU			8-61/2:0	5/10-10
	Stout, Jordan 24 yd field goal					
	9:17	PSU			5-68/1:1	3/16-10
Cain, Noah 2 yd run (Stout kick no good)						

#### **TEAM** STATS

**OTHER** 

Time of Game

Wisconsin

Penn State

	PSU	WIS
First Downs	11	29
Rushing Yards	50	180
Passing Yards	247	185
Passing (C-A-Int)	18-33-0	22-37-2
Total Offense	297	365
Plays	51	95
Fumbles (#-Lost)	0-0	2-1
Penalties (#-Yards)	7-79	7-42
Possession Time	17:35	42:25
3rd-Down Conv.	3-13	7-21
Red Zone	2-3	1-4
Touchdowns	2	1
Field goals	1	1

#### **GAME RECAP**

MADISON, Wis. - The No. 19/20 Penn State football team opened its 2021 campaign with a 16-10 road victory against Big Ten foe No. 12 Wisconsin.

The Nittany Lion defense shined in the game, tallying three takeaways in the contest including two in the game's final minutes. Linebacker Ellis Brooks led all players with a career-high 11 tackles. He also recorded a sack. Arrobiketie was strong off the edge, adding a sack, two tackles for a loss and a blocked field goal. Penn State sealed the victory with key interceptions by Jaquan Brisker and Ji'Ayir Brown.

Penn State (1-0, 1-0 Big Ten) gained 297 total yards, with 247 yards coming from its passing attack. Quarterback Sean Clifford completed 18-33 passes for 247 yards and a touchdown. Senior Jahan Dotson had a big day on the outside, highlighted by a 49-yard touchdown reception in the third quarter and a 42-yard grab in the fourth that led to Penn State's second touchdown of the game. Noah Cain capped off that drive with a two-yard TD run in his first game since Penn State's season opener in 2020.

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Wisconsin (0-1, 0-1 Big Ten) found success on the ground on Saturday, led by a 31-carry 121-yard day from junior Chez Mellusi. Penn State held Wisconsin quarerback Graham Mertz to 185 yards passing and forced two interceptions.

The win is Penn State's first season-opening victory against a ranked opponent since 1999 when the Nittany Lions defeated No. 4 Arizona, 41-7. The Nittany Lions have now won their last five contests against Wisconsin.

#### **HOW IT HAPPENED**

Both defenses were on display in a scoreless opening quarter. Wisconsin threatened on its first drive of the second, getting inside Penn State's five-yard line. The Nittany Lions would stand strong, holding the Badgers to a field goal attempt that was blocked by Arnold Ebiketie to keep Wisconsin off the board.

The Badgers would once again reach the red zone on their next drive, when their 12-play drive ended on the game's first turnover. Nick Tarburton jumped on a fumbled exchange between Wisconsin's Graham Mertz and Chez Mellusi to give the Nittany Lions their first takeaway of the 2021 season.

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The game would remain scoreless at the half, marking the first time since 2011 that Penn State and an opponent were tied 0-0 at halftime.

The Nittany Lions struck first on their opening drive of the second half when Sean Clifford found Jahan Dotson deep down field for a 49-yard touchdown. Penn State went 86 yards on just four plays for its first score of

the year.

Wisconsin would even the score on the ensuing drive, capping off a 10-play, 75-yard drive with a 3-yard touchdown run by Mellusi.

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The Badgers took their first lead of the game early in the fourth on a 43yard field goal by Collin Larsh to make it 10-7.

Penn State followed with a field goal of their own, when Jordan Stout knocked a 24-yarder through the uprights. The drive was highlighted by a 34-yard carry by Noah Cain.

The Nittany Lions jumped back in front, 16-10, with 9:17 remaining in the fourth on a two-yard touchdown rush by Cain. Clifford and Dotson once again connected on a big play on the drive, this time on a 42-yarder to get Dotson over the 100-yard receiving mark

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The Penn State defense continued to make big plays to close out the victory. With Wisconsin threatening inside the 5-yard line, the Nittany Lion defense stood strong with three consecutive stops, capped off by an interception by Jaquan Brisker on fourth down.

The Badgers would get the ball back with 1:10 remaining and quickly got into the red zone again. The Nittany Lions closed out the game with two big defensive plays, first a sack by Ebiketie, followed by a game-sealing interception by Ji'Ayir Brown to clinch the 16-10 victory.

#### Notes

- Penn State is now 11-9 all-time against Wisconsin. The Nittany Lions have won their last five contests over the Badgers.
- The Nittany Lions snapped Wisconsin's 25-game win streak in home openers.
- Penn State is now 3-1 all-time when opening the season against a Big Ten opponent.
- The Nittany Lions are now 8-5 all-time when opening against a ranked opponent.
- The Nittany Lions earned a road win over a ranked Big Ten opponent for first time since October 12, 2019 against lowa (17-17)
- Both teams were scoreless at halftime. It marked the first time a Penn State game has been scoreless since October 29, 2011

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- WR Jahan Dotson earned his seventh career 100-yard receiving game (102 yards). It was his third-straight 100-yard receiving game dating back to the Michigan State game in 2020.
- Dotson hauled in a 49-yard touchdown grab in the third quarter. It was Dotson's 14th career touchdown catch, moving him into sole possession of 13th all-time at Penn State.
- Dotson now has eight career touchdown receptions of 40 or more yards.
- With 1,677 career receiving yards, Dotson sits 16th all-time at Penn State, passing KJ Hamler (1,658).
- QB Sean Clifford now has 4,979 career passing yards, moving into sole possession of 10th all-time at Penn State, passing Todd Blackledge (4,812; 1980-82).
- The redshirt senior now has 42 career passing touchdowns, breaking a tie for fifth all-time at Penn State.
- S Jaquan Brisker recorded an interception in the fourth quarter, his fourth career interception.
- S Ji'Ayir Brown intercepted a pass to seal the victory in the fourth quarter. It was his first career interception.
- LB Ellis Brooks tallied 11 tackles to match a career best. Brooks also had 11 tackles against Ohio State in 2020.
- DE Nick Tarburton recovered a fumble in the second quarter. It was his first career fumble recovery.
- K/P Jordan Stout averaged 53.9 yards per punt, on seven punts, ranking second-best in a game at Penn State.
- Stout hit five punts of 50+ yards, including a 76-yard punt, in the third quarter, which is the longest of Stout's career. It's tied for the third-longest punt in program history with Chris Clauss (vs. Rutgers, 1987).
- DE Arnold Ebiketie blocked a Wisconsin 25-yard field goal attempt in the second quarter. It was Penn State's first blocked field goal since Shaka Toney against Michigan State on October 26, 2019.

#### **INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS**

#### RUSHING

Penn State-Cain, Noah 8-48; Clifford, Sean 6-5; Ford, Devyn 1-1; Lee, Keyvone 3-(-4).

Wisconsin-Mellusi, Chez 31-121; Guerendo, Isaac 13-56; Pryor, Kendric 2-17; Dike, Chimere 1-10; Chenal, John 2-2; Mertz, Graham 9-(-26).

#### PASSING

0-1, 0-1 Big Ten

1-0, 1-0 Big Ten

Penn State-Clifford, Sean 18-33-0-247. Wisconsin-Mertz, Graham 22-37-2-185.

#### RECEIVING

Penn State-Dotson, Jahan 5-102; Cain, Noah 5-27; Lambert-Smith, KeAndre 6-71; Washington, Parker 4-47.

Wisconsin-Ferguson, Jake 9-52; Davis III, Danny 9-99; Mellusi, Chez 2-8; Pryor, Kendric 5-11; Dike, Chimere 4-9; Eschenbach, Jack 1-6.

#### TOP TACKLERS (UA-A-T)

Penn State-Brooks, Ellis 8-3-11; Smith, Brandon 6-2-8; Ebiketie, Arnold 7-0-7; Sutherland, Jonathan 6-1-7; Mustipher, PJ 6-1-7; Porter, Jr., Joey 4-2-6; Castro-Fields, Tariq 5-0-5; Luketa, jesse 4-1-5; Brown, Ji'Ayir 4-1-5; Jacobs, Curtis 4-1-5; Brisker, Jaquan 4-0-4.

Wisconsin-Nelson, Scott 6-0-6; Sanborn, Jack 5-0-5; Burks, Noah 3-0-3; Hicks, Faion 3-0-3; Herbig, Nick 3-0-3; Williams, Caesar 3-0-3; Maskalunas, Mike 2-0-2; Wilder, Collin 1-0-1; Engram, Dean 1-0-1; Mais, Tyler 1-0-1; Torchio, John 1-0-1; Henningsen, Matt 1-0-1.



PENN STATE VS. BALL STATE



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SCO	DRIN	<b>G</b> SU	MM	ARY			
	1	2	3	4	OT	F	
BSU	0	6	0	7	-	13	
PSU	14	10	10	10	-	44	
1st	10:01	PSU			13-78	4:33/7-0	
	Cain, Noah 5		ut kick)				
	5:53	PSU			8-76/	2:18/14-0	
	Clifford, Sear		tout kick)				
2nd	14:25	BSU			15-69/	6:28/14-3	
	Chanove, Jake 24 yd field goal						
	11:22	PSU			10-41 /	2:56/17-3	
	Stout, Jordan		goal				
	2:50	PSU				2:41/24-3	
			s from Cliffo	rd, Sean (Stou			
	0:00	BSU			12-70/	2:50/24-6	
	Chanove, Jak		d goal				
3rd	5:56	PSU				0:03/31-6	
			ception retu	rn (Stout kick			
	1:53	PSU			5-63/	2:50/34-6	
	Stout, Jordan		goal				
4th	9:59	PSU			12-55/	5:32/37-6	
	Stout, Jordan	n 22 yd field	goal				
	6:54	BSU			10-75/3	:05/37-13	
	Steele, Carso	n 6 yd run (	Chanove kicl	()			
	2:10	PSU			5-50/2	:15/44-13	
	Johnson, Theo 23 yd pass from Roberson, Ta'Quan (Stout kick)						

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Time of Game

Penn State

Ball State

	BSU	PSU
First Downs	20	32
Rushing Yards	69	240
Passing Yards	226	253
Passing (C-A-Int)	30-45-2	22-31-0
Total Offense	295	493
Plays	71	79
Fumbles (#-Lost)	1-0	1-0
Penalties (#-Yards)	5-57	6-62
Possession Time	25:51	34:09
3rd-Down Conv.	4-16	6-13
Red Zone	3-4	4-4
Touchdowns	1	5
Field goals	2	3

#### **GAME RECAP**

**UNIVERSITY PARK, Pa.** - For the first time in 22 months, fans filled the seats of Beaver Stadium as the Penn State football team opened its home schedule with a 44-13 victory over Ball State on Saturday. It was Penn State's 300th win in Beaver Stadium

The crowd of 105,323 saw a strong offensive performance from the No. 11/13 Nittany Lions, as Penn State complied 493 yards of total offense on the day.

Quarterback Sean Clifford completed 21 of 29 passes for 230 yards and a touchdown. He also added 66 yards and a touchdown on the ground. The passing score came on a 25-yard connection with Jahan Dotson in the second quarter. Dotson has now reached the end zone in four consecutive games dating back to last season.

Penn State was also strong on the ground, as the Nittany Lion rushing attack compiled 240 yards with three different players tallying 60-plus yards. Noah Cain was the team's leading rusher with 69 yards and his second touchdown of the season.

After a three-takeaway day in the team's season-opener against Wisconsin, the ball-hawking Penn State defense added two more interceptions on the day, highlighted by a 16-yard interception return for a touchdown by linebacker Jesse Luketa.

The Nittany Lions now turn their attention to No. 25/RV Auburn as the two teams are set to meet next Saturday night at Beaver Stadium for the annual Penn State White Out game.

#### **HOW IT HAPPENED**

The Nittany Lions methodically marched down the field on their opening possession, driving 13 plays on 78 yards resulting in a Noah Cain 5-yard touchdown run.

Penn State would double its lead on its ensuing drive, highlighted by 20-plus yard completions by Clifford to Parker Washington and Keyvone Lee to set the Nittany Lions up inside the five-yard line. Clifford completed the drive with a 1-yard touchdown run to give Penn State a 14-0 lead.

Ball State would get on the board in the opening minute of the second quarter on a Jake Chanove 24-yard field goal.

Big Ten Special Teams Player of the Week Jordan Stout would follow with a field goal of his own, connecting from 45-yards to extend the Penn State lead to 17-3.

The Nittany Lions would score once more in the first half, when Sean Clifford found Jahan Dotson for a 25-yard catch and run to make it 24-3. Ball State would end the half with a 23-yard field goal by Chanove as time expired.

The Penn State defense got the scoring started in the second half with 5:56 remaining in the third quarter when Jesse Luketa intercepted a Drew Plitt pass and returned it 16 yards for a touchdown. It was Penn State's first pick-six since John Reid intercepted a pass for a touchdown in 2019 against Buffalo.

Stout would add three more to the scoreboard in the closing minutes of the third on a 26-yard field goal to give Penn State a 34-6 lead.

The Nittany Lions got another takeaway on Ball State's next drive on Daequan Hardy's first-career interception.

Penn State would add another field goal with 9:59 to go in the fourth when Stout connected on a 22-yarder.

Ball State scored its first points of the second half on a 6-yard touchdown run by Carson Steele with 6:58 to go.

Penn State would add one final score with 2:10 remaining in the game when Ta'Quan Roberson tossed his first career touchdown pass, a 23-yarder to Theo Johnson to cap off the 44-13 victory.

#### Note

- Penn State is 300-77 all-time in Beaver Stadium. The Nittany Lions are one of just nine FBS teams with 300 wins in their current stadium. Penn State is sixth in winning percentage in the current stadium (.795).
- Penn State welcomed 105,323 fans to Beaver Stadium. It was Penn State's highest attendance for a home opener since 2008 vs. Coastal Carolina (106,577).
- · Penn State won its first meeting against Ball State.
- The Nittany Lions moved to 30-2 all-time against MAC teams and 28-3 against current members of the MAC.
- Penn State has won 13 consecutive games against teams that are not members of a Power Five conference.
- Penn State has won 11 consecutive games against nonconference teams during the regular season.
- · Penn State has won 17-straight non-conference home games.
- The Nittany Lions had nine different players record at least one catch in the first half. That's the most since 10 players caught a pass in the first half at Maryland in 2019.
- ATH Marquis Wilson played snaps on offense and defense, making him the first Penn State player to earn snaps on both sides of the ball in the same game since Justin King in 2005 against Florida State in the Orange Bowl.
- With 35 passing yards on the first drive, QB Sean Clifford became the 10th Penn State quarterback to reach the 5,000 career passing yards mark.
- Clifford had 21 completions, jumping him into eighth place on the Penn State career list with 385 completions.
- Clifford had 296 total yards vs. Ball State (230 passing, 66 rushing) moving him into sixth place on the Penn State all-time list with 6,014 total yards (5,209 passing and 805 rushing).
- WR Jahan Dotson turned a screen pass into a 25-yard touchdown reception in the second quarter. It was Dotson's 15th career touchdown reception, tying him for 10th all-time at Penn State with Terry Smith (1988-91), Joe Jurevicius (1994-97) and Mike Gesicki (2014-17).
- With 65 receiving yards, Dotson now has 1,742 career receiving yards, good for 15th at Penn State and just two yards from passing Derrick Williams (2005-08) for the 14th spot.
- LB Jesse Luketa recorded his first career interception in the third quarter. Luketa returned it 16 yards for a touchdown, Penn State's first pick-six since John Reid against Buffalo in 2019.
- CB Daequan Hardy recorded his first career interception in the third quarter.

#### **INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS**

#### RUSHING

Ball State-Steele, Carson 7-18; Jones, Will 8-16; Hall, Justin 3-16; Marcus, Donny 4-12; Plitt, Drew 3-9; Jackson, Jayshon 1-(-2). Penn State-Cain, Noah 20-69; Lee, Keyvone 8-68; Clifford, Sean 11-66; Ford, Devyn 6-32; Dotson, Jahan 1-7; Holmes, Caziah 1-3; Roberson, Ta'Quan 1-(-5).

#### **PASSING**

2-0, 1-0 Big Ten

1-1, 0-0 MAC

Ball State-Plitt, Drew 25-39-2-176; Paddock, John 5-6-0-50. Penn State-Clifford, Sean 21-29-0-230; Roberson, Ta'Quan 1-2-0-23.

#### RECEIVING

Ball State-Hall, Justin 6-35; Rudy, Cody 5-29; Jackson, Jayshon 4-42; Koch, Dylan 2-31; Tyler, Yo'Heinz 2-21; Jones, Will 2-8; Hohlt, Trevor 2-8; Williams, Jordan 2-5; Steele, Carson 1-21; Brenson, Chevalier 1-12; Littles, Hassan 1-8; Lezon, Ryan 1-6; Marcus, Donny 1-1.
Penn State-Washington Parker 6-57: Dotson Jahan 5-65; Cain Noah

Penn State-Washington, Parker 6-57; Dotson, Jahan 5-65; Cain, Noah 3-30; Johnson, Theo 2-29; Lee, Keyvone 1-24; Sullivan-Brown, Cam 1-16; Lambert-Smith, KeAndre 1-13; Strange, Brenton 1-10; Ford, Devyn 1-6; Wilson, Marquis 1-3.

#### TOP TACKLERS (UA-A-T)

Ball State-Cosby, Bryce 8-3-11; Anderson, Brett 6-4-10; Pearce, Cole 5-3-8; Thomas, Jaylin 5-2-7; Tarango, Joshua 5-1-6; Wahee, J.T. 5-1-6; Albright, Christian 2-3-5; Coll, Clayton 1-3-4; Jones, Nic 3-0-3; Harris, John 2-1-3. Penn State-Smith, Brandon 3-4-7; Rudolph, Tyler 3-2-5; Dixon, Johnny 3-1-4; Luketa, Jesse 2-2-4; Sutherland, Jonathan 1-3-4; Arnold Ebiketie 1-3-4; Porter Jr., Joey 3-0-3; King, Kalen 3-0-3; Hardy, Daequan 2-1-3.



**PENN STATE VS. AUBURN** 



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SCORING SUMMARY								
	1	2	3	4	OT	F		
AUB	3	7	7	3	-	20		
PSU	7	7	7	7	-	28		
1st	9:37	AUB			6-28/	2:37/0-3		
	Carlson, Anders 45 yd field goal							
	2:24	PSU			6-93/	2:33/7-3		
	Dotson, Ja	han 4 yd p	ass from Cl	ifford, Sea	n (Stout ki	ck)		
2nd	12:28	AUB			11-75/4	:56/7-10		
	Bigsby, Tai	nk 4 yd run	(Carlson ki	ick)				
	1:23	PSU			14-91/6:4	19/14-10		
	Strange, Brenton 2 yd pass from Clifford, Sean (Stout kick)							
3rd	13:06	PSU			4-20/1:4	16/21-10		
	Warren, Ty	ıler 2 yd rui	n (Stout kid	:k)				
	5:52	AUB			15-75/7:1	4/21-17		
	Bigsby, Tai	nk 6 yd run	(Carlson ki	ick)				
4th	14:55	AUB			9-31/3:0	2/21-20		
	Carlson, Anders 43 yd field goal							
	10:48	PSU			9-75/4:0	7/28-20		
	Cain, Noah 3 yd run (Stout kick)							

#### **TEAM** STATS

	AUB	PSU
First Downs	24	22
Rushing Yards	182	94
Passing Yards	185	302
Passing (C-A-Int)	21-39-0	29-33-1
Total Offense	367	396
Plays	79	66
Fumbles (#-Lost)	1-1	1-0
Penalties (#-Yards)	6-45	5-35
Possession Time	31:42	28:18
3rd-Down Conv.	10-17	5-10
Red Zone	2-3	4-4
Touchdowns	2	4
Field goals	2	0

#### **OTHER**

Time of Game	3:38
Penn State	3-0, 1-0 Big Ten
Auburn	2-1, 0-0 SEC
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#### **GAME RECAP**

UNIVERSITY PARK, Pa. - The No. 10/12 Penn State football team celebrated the annual Penn State White Out game with a 28-20 win over No. 22/20 Auburn on Saturday night.

The Nittany Lions have defeated two ranked opponents in their first three games of the season for the first time in program history. The win is Penn State's first regular-season victory over an SEC opponent since the Nittany Lions defeated Alabama, 9-0, in 1990.

Penn State's high-powered offense was on display in this prime time contest, compiling 391 total yards.

Quarterback Sean Clifford continued his fast start to the 2021 campaign, completing 28-of-32 passes for 280 yards and two touchdowns.

Wide receiver Jahan Dotson hauled in a career-high 10 catches for 78 yards and a touchdown in the contest. He has now reached the end zone in five consecutive games dating back to last season. Tight End Brenton Strange also put together a career-best performance, setting a new high mark with 71 yards on four catches and a touchdown.

The Penn State defense would seal the victory in the closing minutes, forcing Auburn to turn the ball over on downs at the Penn State 2 yard-line with 3:08 remaining in the game. Brandon Smith paced the Nittany Lion defense with a career-high 10 tackles.

The crowd of 109,958 was the ninth largest in Beaver Stadium history.

#### HOW IT HAPPENED

After Penn State turned the ball over on downs on its opening drive, Auburn got on the board first with a 45-yard field goal by Anders Carlson.

The Nittany Lions got the offense going on their third possession. Sean Clifford delivered two long passes to his tight ends on back-to-back plays, first a 23-yarder to Brenton Strange and then a 37-yarder to Theo Johnson to set Penn State up inside the five. Penn State would score on the next play when Clifford hit Jahan Dotson in the back of the end zone for a 4-yard touchdown to give Penn State a 7-3 lead.

 $\bar{\text{Auburn}}$  would reclaim the lead on its ensuing drive on a 4-yard touchdown run by Tank Bigsby.

In the closing minutes of the second quarter, Penn State would go on a 14-play, 91-yard drive to jump back in front. The long scoring drive was capped off by a 4-yard TD pass from Clifford to Strange to put the Nittany Lions ahead 14-10 at the half.

On the first play of the second half, a botched trick play by Auburn resulted in Derrick Tangelo falling on a loose ball to set Penn State up at the Auburn 20 yard-line. The Nittany Lions would extend the lead on Tyler Warren's first career rushing touchdown to give Penn State a 21-10 advantage.

Bigsby would reach the end zone for the second time in the game with 5:52 remaining in the third, when his 6-yard TD run cut the Penn State lead to 21-17. The Tigers would add three more on the first play of the fourth quarter when Carlson converted on a 43-yard field goal attempt.

Penn State would fire back on the following drive, highlighted by a 40-yard connection between Clifford and Strange that put the Nittany Lions inside the five. Noah Cain would find the end zone for the third time this season with a 5-yard TD run to give Penn State a 28-20 lead.

The Nittany Lion defense would put the finishing touches on the victory, forcing Auburn to turn the ball over on downs at the Penn State 2 yard-line with 3:08 remaining in the game.

#### Notes

- With wins over No. 12/15 Wisconsin and No. 22/20 Auburn, Penn State has two wins over ranked teams within the first three games of the season for the first time in program history.
- Penn State earned its first regular season win over an SEC team since a road victory at Alabama in 1990 (9-0).
- Penn State has won 18-straight non-conference home games.
- Penn State is now 2-1 all-time against Auburn and moved to 24-23 against current members of the SEC.
- Penn State is now 5-5 when ESPN's College GameDay is on campus.
- The Nittany Lions are now 7-6 in Penn State White Out games.
- Penn State welcomed 109,958 fans. It was the 10th-largest crowd in Beaver Stadium history.
- Penn State completed 29 passes. That is tied for the sixth-most in the James Franklin era.
- The Nittany Lions scored on a 14-play, 91-yard drive covering 6:49 in the second quarter.
- In the second quarter, Jahan Dotson completed a 22-yard pass to Tyler Warren. It was Penn State's first pass by a nonquarterback since Saquon Barkley completed a 20-yard throw to Mike Gesicki against Michigan State in 2017.
- QB Sean Clifford had a career-high 28 completions.
- Per ESPN, Clifford's 87.5 percent completion percentage (28-32) is the highest by a Penn State quarterback in the last 25 years.
- Clifford 280 passing yards mark his 14th career 200-yard passing game.
- Clifford's 280 passing yards gave him 5,489 for his career, moving him into the seventh spot all-time at Penn State.
- Clifford's two touchdown passes give him 45 for his career, moving him into sole possession of fourth place at Penn State.
- WR Jahan Dotson had a career-best 10 receptions.
- Dotson is the first Penn State player with 10 catches in a game since Saquon Barkley caught 12 passes against lowa in 2017.
- Dotson has a touchdown reception in four straight games. He has a touchdown in five straight games (81-yard punt return vs Michigan State).
- LB Brandon Smith set a career high with 10 tackles.
- DT Derrick Tangelo recovered a fumble in the third quarter.
- K/P Jordan Stout averaged 50.0 yards per punt on four punts.
   Stout has averaged at least 50 yards per punt in all three games this season
- PR Jahan Dotson has a 17.8 career punt return average on 15 return, qualifying for first on the all-time list at Penn State.

#### **INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS**

#### RUSHING

Auburn-Bigsby, Tank 23-102-2; Hunter, Jarquez 9-63; Nix, Bo 6-29; TEAM 1-(-2); Hudson, Kobe 1-(-10).

Penn State-Cain, Noah 19-45-1; Clifford, Sean 5-24; Lee, Keyvone 2-15; Lovett, John 2-9; TEAM 1-2; Warren, Tyler 2-1-1; Mustipher, PJ 1-0; Dotson, Jahan 1-(-2).

#### PASSING

Auburn-Nix, Bo 21-37-0-185; TEAM 0-2-0-0.

Penn State-Clifford, Sean 28-32-1-280; Dotson, Jahan 1-1-0-22.

#### RECEIVING

Auburn-Shenker, John Samuel 5-62; Robertson, Demetris 5-23; Hudson, Kobe 4-66; Hunter, Jarquez 2-10; Jackson, Shedrick 2-6; Johnson Jr., Malcolm 1-14; Johnson, Ja'Varrius 1-3; Bigsby, Tank 1-1. Penn State-Dotson, Jahan 10-78-1; Washington, Parker 8-49; Strange, Brenton 4-71-1; Lambert-Smith 4-27; Johnson, Theo 1-37; Warren, Tyler 1-22; Lovett, John 1-18.

#### TOP TACKLERS (UA-A-T)

Auburn-Wooten, Chandler 6-4-10; Monday, Smoke 6-2-8; Pritchett, Nehemiah 5-1-6; Pappoe, Owen 5-0-5; Hall, Derick 4-1-5; Harris, Marcus 3-1-4; Moultry, T.D. 3-1-4; McCreary, Roger 3-1-4; Wooden, Colby 2-2-4; Kaufman, Donovan 2-0-2; Burks, Marquis 2-0-2.

Penn State-Smith, Brandon 6-4-10; Luketa, Jesse 6-2-8; Brooks, Ellis 5-1-6; Brisker, Jaquan 3-3-6; Ebiketie, Arnold 5-0-5; Porter Jr., Joey 3-2-5; Mustipher, PJ 3-1-4; Brown, Ji'Ayir 2-1-3; Jacobs, Curtis 2-1-3; Sutherland, Jonathan 2-1-3; Tangelo, Derrick 1-2-3.



PENN STATE VS. VILLANOVA



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SCORING SUMMARY						
	1	2	3	4	OT	F
VIL	3	0	0	14	-	17
PSU	7	10	14	7	-	38
1st	12:59	PSU			1-52/	0:08/7-0
	Dotson, Jahan 52 yd pass from Clifford, Sean (Stout kick)					
	1:21	VIL			10-43/	5:34/7-3
	Bunce, Co	le 39 yd fiel	ld goal			
2nd	14:07	PSU			5-75/2	:14/14-3
	Washington, Parker 52 yd pass from Clifford, Sean (Stout kick)					
	8:26	PSU			7-65/3:	:05/17-3
	Stout, Jordan 29 yd field goal					
3rd	14:14	PSU				:39/24-3
Lambert-Smith, KeAndre 83 yd pass from Clifford, Sean (Stout kick)						
	1:58	PSU			8-72/2:	:55/31-3
	Washington, Parker 23 yd pass from Clifford, Sean (Stout kick)					
4th	13:58	PSU			5-42/1:	:59/38-3
	Warren, Tyler 3 yd rush (Stout kick)					
	9:42	VIL			8-75/4:1	-,
		ayjoun 57 y	d pass fron	n Smith, Da	aniel (Bun	ce kick)
	1:28	VIL			10-94/4:5	8/38-18
	Pringle, R	ayjoun 17 y	d pass fron	n Smith, Da	aniel (Bun	ce kick)

#### **TEAM STATS**

**OTHER** 

Time of Game

Penn State

Villanova

	VIL	PSU
First Downs	15	20
Rushing Yards	58	80
Passing Yards	222	429
Passing (C-A-Int)	20-34-1	22-31-1
Total Offense	280	509
Plays	60	65
Fumbles (#-Lost)	0-0	0-0
Penalties (#-Yards)	4-50	3-35
Possession Time	31:15	28:45
3rd-Down Conv.	4-14	3-12
Red Zone	2-2	2-2
Touchdowns	2	5
Field goals	1	1

#### **GAME RECAP**

**UNIVERSITY PARK, Pa.** - The Penn State passing attack was on display Saturday as the Nittany Lions defeated Villanova 38-17 at Beaver Stadium.

Quarterback Sean Clifford recorded career numbers in the contest, reaching the 400-yard passing mark for the first time with a total of 401 yards. He also matched his career-high with four passing touchdowns.

The offense was spread evenly among the Penn State receiving corps, with both Parker Washington (148 yards) and Jahan Dotson (117 yards) reaching the century mark. KeAndre Lambert-Smith also added 88-yards receiving, marking the first time since a 2017 contest against Michigan State that three Penn State wide receivers recorded 80+ yards in a game. Washington and Lambert-Smith recorded career highs with their yard totals.

As a unit, Penn State accumulated 500 yards of total offense for the first time this season with 509 total yards.

The Penn State defense produced a solid overall performance, with 24 different players recording a tackle in the game.

The Nittany Lions now turn their attention to Indiana as they host the Hoosiers at Beaver Stadium on Oct. 2 at 7:30 p.m.

#### HOW IT HAPPENED

The Nittany Lions struck quickly on their first drive, as Sean Clifford hit Jahan Dotson for a 52-yard touchdown on Penn State's first offensive play. It was the longest catch of the year for Dotson. The wideout has now reached the end zone in six consecutive games dating back to last season.

Villanova got on the board in the final minutes of the first quarter on a 39-yard field goal by Cole Bunce.

Penn State struck right back on the first drive of the second when Clifford once again connected on a long TD pass, this time to Parker Washington for a career-long 52-yard score to put the Nittany Lions up 14-3.

Clifford would find Washington again for a long gain on Penn State's next drive for a 67-yard catch and run to set the Nittany Lions up inside the ten. It would set up a 29-yard field goal from Jordan Stout. They would lead 17-3 at the half.

The Nittany Lions would once again score on a long play to open the second half when Clifford hit KeAndre Lambert-Smith for a season-long 83-yard touchdown. The catch was the longest of Lambert-Smith's career.

Penn State would force the game's first turnover on the ensuing drive when Jy'air Brown corralled a tipped pass by for the interception.

Clifford and Washington would add another score in the final minutes of the third, a 23-yard grab for Clifford's fourth TD pass of the game.

They would add to the lead in the opening minutes of the fourth when Tyler Warren carried the ball up the middle for a 3-yard score, his second of his

Villanova reached the end zone for the first time in the contest on the following drive on a 57-yard TD pass from Daniel Smith to Rayjoun Pringle. They would follow with another score with under two minutes to go when Smith hit Pringle for a 17-yarder to cut the Penn State lead to 38-17.

#### Notes

- Penn State leads the all-time series, 6-3-1, against Villanova.
- The Nittany Lions are 171-96-12 all-time against current FBS and FCS Pennsylvania schools, including 19-straight home wins against Pennsylvania programs dating back to a 42-3 win over Temple in 1989.
- Penn State is now 116-79-12 all-time against current FCS programs.
- The Nittany Lions' 429 passing yards mark the second-highest total in school history.
- Parker Washington (148) and Jahan Dotson (117) became the first Penn State duo with 100 receiving yards in a game since KJ Hamler (119) and Pat Freiermuth (101) at Minnesota in 2019.
- Sean Clifford was 12-of-12 for 265 yards on the day when targeting Jahan Dotson (seven catches for 117 yards) and Parker Washington (five catches for 148 yards).
- Clifford connected with KeAndre Lambert-Smith on an 83-yard touchdown pass in the third quarter. It was Penn State's longest play this season and the sixth-longest pass play in program history.
- The Nittany Lions scored on their first offensive play of the game, a 52-yard strike from Sean Clifford to Jahan Dotson.
- Penn State had four pass plays of 50 or more yards. It was Penn State's first game with four plays of 50+ yards since Wisconsin in 2013.
- QB Sean Clifford threw for a career-high 401 yards and a career-high-tying four touchdowns.
- Clifford is one of two Penn State quarterbacks to throw for 400+ yards in a game, joining Christian Hackenberg's 454 yards against UCF in 2014.
- Clifford is the first Penn State quarterback to throw for 400+ yards and four touchdowns in a game.
- Clifford tied a career high with four passing touchdowns.
   He had four in two previous games with the last coming at Michigan State in 2019.
- WR Jahan Dotson had seven catches for 117 yards and a touchdown, his eight career 100-yard receiving game.
- WR Parker Washington finished the game with five receptions for 148 yards, marking his first career 100-yard game.
- S Ji'Ayir Brown recorded an interception, and returned it 15 yards, in the third quarter. It was his second career interception.
- K/P Jordan Stout placed four punts inside the 20, raising his career total to 14. All four of Stout's punts were fair-caught or downed inside the 10.

#### **INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS**

#### RUSHING

Villanova-Jackson, Jalen 7-58; Covington, Justin 6-15; Barlee, DeeWill 3-3; Ayo-Durojaiye, TD 1-2; TEAM 1-(-2); Smith, Daniel 8-(-18).

Penn State-Lovett, John 11-45; Lee, Keyvone 7-21; Holmes, Caziah 1-9; Smith, Tank 1-7; Ford, Devyn 2-4; Warren, Tyler 1-3-1; Cain, Noah 1-2; Roberson, Ta'Quan 1-2; TEAM 1-(-5); Clifford, Sean 8-(-8).

#### PASSING

4-0, 1-0 Big Ten

3-1, 1-0 CAA

Villanova-Smith, Daniel 20-34-1-222.

Penn State-Clifford, Sean 19-26-1-401; Roberson, Ta'Quan 3-5-0-28.

#### RECEIVING

Villanova-Summers, Todd 5-45; Pringle, Rayjoun 4-107-2; Hayek, Jaaron 4-26; Boykin, Dez 2-19; Barlee, DeeWill 2-14; Ayo-Durojaiye 1-9; Allen, Jaquan 1-4; Covington, Justin 1-(-2).

Penn State-Dotson, Jahan 7-117-1; Washington, Parker 5-148-2; Lambert-Smith, KeAndre 2-88-1; Wilson, Marquis 2-26; Johnson, Theo 1-25; Sullivan-Brown, Cam 1-12; Strange, Brenton 1-9; Eubanks, Winston 1-2; Lee, Keyvone 1-1; Lovett, John 1-1.

#### TOP TACKLERS (UA-A-T)

Villanova-Rhyne, Forrest 8-3-11; Black, Amin 5-3-8; Townsel, Qwahsin 5-2-7; Potter, Ethan 4-1-5; Awopetu, Nowoola 4-0-4; Goodman, Jalen 2-2-4; Benford, Christian 3-0-3; Trinh, Ty 2-1-3; Nelson, Jared 1-2-3.

Penn State-Brooks, Ellis 3-1-4; Porter, Jr., Joey 3-0-3; Brown, Ji'Ayir 3-0-3; Mustipher, PJ 3-0-3; Katshire, Charlie 3-0-3; Ebiketie, Arnold 2-1-3; Izzard, Coziah 2-1-3; Tangelo, Derrick 1-2-3; Smith, Brandon 2-0-2; Jacobs, Curtis 2-0-2.



PENN STATE VS. INDIANA



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SCORING SUMMARY						
	1	2	3	4	OT	F
IU	0	0	0	0	-	0
PSU	7	7	7	3	-	24
1st	5:28	PSU			13-80/	5:14/7-0
Strange, Brenton 10 yd pass from Clifford, Sean (Stout kick)				rt kick)		
2nd	13:31	PSU			9-96/3:	:42/14-0
Dotson, Jahan 8 yd pass from Clifford, Sean (Stout kick)						
3rd	4:16	PSU			9-61/5	:22/21-0
Dotson, Jahan 30 yd pass from Clifford, Sean (Stout kick)						
4th	8:06	PSU			4-0/0:	:42/24-0
	Stout Ioro	lan 50 vd fi	eld goal			

#### **TEAM** STATS

**OTHER** 

Time of Game

Penn State

Indiana

	IU	PSU
First Downs	12	20
Rushing Yards	69	209
Passing Yards	195	199
Passing (C-A-Int)	16-34-2	18-34-1
Total Offense	264	408
Plays	58	76
Fumbles (#-Lost)	0-0	0-0
Penalties (#-Yards)	3-20	5-37
Possession Time	25:07	34:53
3rd-Down Conv.	3-14	6-16
Red Zone	0-2	2-3
Touchdowns	0	3
Field goals	0	1

#### **GAME RECAP**

**UNIVERSITY PARK, Pa.** – No. 4/6 Penn State held Indiana's offense scoreless in two trips to the red zone, culminating in a 24-0 shutout win Saturday evening at Beaver Stadium in the annual Penn State Stripe Out game.

Quarterback Sean Clifford threw for three touchdowns, including two to wide receiver Jahan Dotson for the duo's 18th-career passing touchdown, the most in Penn State history.

The Penn State defense produced its first shutout in two years, its last also coming in Big Ten play at Maryland in 2019. The defense held Indiana over 100 yards below its season average in total offense, and nearly 100 yards below its season average in rushing yards.

#### **How It Happened**

The Nittany Lions struck first on their second drive of the game, as Sean Clifford found tight end Brenton Strange in the end zone for the 10-yard score.

After a defensive red-zone stop at their own four yard-line, running back Keyvone Lee used a career-long 44-yard rush and another 21-yard rush to get the Nittany Lions in the red zone. Clifford then connected with wide receiver Jahan Dotson for an 8-yard touchdown to put Penn State up 14-0. With the score, Clifford and Dotson have connected on 17 career touchdown passes, tying Todd Blackledge and Kenny Jackson (1980-82) for the most by a Penn State QB-WR duo.

The Penn State defense recorded its first takeaway of the game with about four minutes to play in the second quarter as cornerback Joey Porter Jr. grabbed his first career interception. The Nittany Lions would take a 14-0 lead into halftime.

Clifford and Dotson linked up again in the third quarter for a 30-yard touchdown to give Penn State a 21-0 advantage. It marked Clifford and Dotson's 18th career touchdown pass, officially passing Blackledge and Jackson for the most by a Penn State QB-WR duo in program history.

On Indiana's next drive, the Hoosiers marched down the field to the Penn State 13 yard-line but were held to a field-goal attempt in hopes of finding their first points of the game. Linebacker Brandon Smith got a hand on the 30-yard attempt for the Nittany Lions' second blocked field goal of the season as the score would remain 21-0 at the end of the third quarter.

Penn State added to its lead in the fourth quarter with a 50-yard field goal from Jordan Stout to make it 24-0. It was Stout's first 50-plus yard field goal of the season and the fourth in his career.

The Nittany Lion defense had their second takeaway of the game, an interception in the fourth quarter by safety Ji'Ayir Brown, his third of the season.

#### Notes

- Penn State leads the all-time series, 23-2, against Indiana.
- The Nittany Lions are 19-10 in Big Ten home openers.
- The Nittany Lions recorded their first shutout both overall and in a Big Ten game since a 59-0 win over Maryland in 2019.
- The last time Penn State recorded a shutout at home was in 2017 vs. Georgia State.
- Penn State has now shut out its opponent six times under Head Coach James Franklin, four of those six times against Big Ten opposition.
- Penn State handed Indiana its first shutout since a 2000 loss to Michigan (58-0), a span of 246 games.
- With two touchdowns in the game, Sean Clifford and Jahan Dotson have connected on 18 career touchdown passes, passing Todd Blackledge and Kenny Jackson (1980-82) for the most by a Penn State QB-WR duo in program history.
- WR Jahan Dotson completed a 21-yard pass to Parker Washington in the fourth quarter. Dotson has completed 2-of-2 passing attempts this season. The other was a 22-yard pass to Tyler Warren against Auburn.
- Clifford reached the 6,000-career passing yard mark. He became the fifth Penn State quarterback to reach 6,000 passing yards, finishing the night with 6,068 passing yards.
- On his 30-yard touchdown reception in the third quarter, Dotson reached the 2,000-career receiving yard mark. He is the 10th Nittany Lion to earn 2,000 career receiving yards. Dotson finished the night with 84 receiving yards, boosting his career total to 2,021 receiving yards.
- Dotson has a touchdown reception in six-straight games dating back to last season. It's the longest receiving touchdown streak by a Penn State player in school history.
- With a stop on fourth-and-goal in the first quarter and a blocked field goal in the third quarter, the Nittany Lions have held their opponent without a score for seven times in 15 redzone possessions.
- LB Brandon Smith recorded his first career blocked field goal in the third quarter.
- The Nittany Lions blocked a 30-yard field goal attempt in the third quarter. It was Penn State's second blocked field goal of the season. It marks the first time Penn State has blocked two or more field goals in a season since 2004 (five blocked field goals).
- K/P Jordan Stout hit a 50-yard field goal in the fourth quarter. It marked his fourth career 50-plus yard field goal.

#### **INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS**

#### RUSHING

Indiana-Carr, Stephen 15-50; Penix, Jr., Michael 2-8; Tuttle, Jack 4-8; Ervin-Poindexter, Davion 2-2; Baldwin, Jr., Tim 1-1.

Penn State-Lee, Keyvone 8-74; Clifford, Sean 10-58; Lovett, John 10-41; Cain, Noah 11-23; Ford, Devyn 1-12; Dotson, Jahan 1-1; Warren, Tyler 1-0.

#### **PASSING**

5-0, 2-0 Big Ten

2-3, 0-2 Big Ten

Indiana-Penix, Jr., Michael 10-22-1-118; Tuttle, Jack 6-12-1-77. Penn State-Clifford, Sean 17-33-1-178; Dotson, Jahan 1-1-0-21.

#### RECEIVING

Indiana-Hendershot, Peyton 5-88; Fryfogle, Ty 5-48; Marshall, Miles 1-34; Swinton, Javon 1-14; Childers, Chris 1-8; Bjorson, Matt 1-7; Carr, Stephen 1-1; Hewitt, Jacolby 1-(-5).

Penn State-Dotson, Jahan 8-84-2; Washington, Parker 2-30; Lambert-Smith, KeAndre 2-25; Lovett, John 2-13; Johnson, Theo 1-20; Strange, Brenton 1-10; Ford, Devyn 1-9; Lee, Keyvone 1-8.

#### TOP TACKLERS (UA-A-T)

Indiana-Anderson, Ryder 4-4-8; McFadden, Micah 3-5-8; Jones, Cam 5-2-7; Matthews, Devon 3-4-7; Williams, Jaylin 4-2-6; Fitzgerald, Bryant 4-1-5; McCrary-Ball, Marcelino 3-2-5; Kramer, Weston 2-3-5; Layne, Raheem 4-0-4.

Penn State-Brooks, Ellis 2-6-8; Mustipher, PJ 4-2-6; Smith, Brandon 2-3-5; Jacobs, Curtis 2-2-4; Brisker, Jaquan 0-4-4; Ebiketie, Arnold 2-1-3; Porter, Jr., Joey 2-1-3; Luketa, Jesse 0-3-3; Brown, Ji'Ayir 2-0-2; Castro-Fields 1-1-2; Ellies, Dvon 0-2-2.



PENN STATE VS. IOWA



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SCORING SUMMARY						
	1	2	3	4	OT	F
IOWE	3	7	3	10	-	23
PSU	14	3	3	0	-	20
1st	11:08	IOWA			4-(-8)/	1:26/0-3
	Shudak, Ca	aleb 34 yd	field goal			
	8:37	PSU			9-75/	2:31/7-3
	Cain, Noah	2 yd rush	(Stout kick)			
	3:21	PSU			4-39/1	:23/14-3
	Clifford, Sea	an 4 yd rusl	h (Stout kick)	)		
2nd	12:31	PSU			14-66/3	:25/17-3
	Stout, Jord	an 32 yd f	ield goal			
	7:08	IOWA			11-75/5:2	23/17-10
	Jones, Cha	rlie 9 yd pa	ass from Pet	ras, Spen	cer (Shuda	k kick)
3rd	6:40	PSU			11-42/3:1	9/20-10
	Stout, Jord		ield goal			
	1:36	IOWA			10-45/5:0	04/20-13
	Shudak, Ca	aleb 48 yd	field goal			
4th	8:08	IOWA			6-32/2:2	27/20-16
	Shudak, Ca		field goal			
	6:26	IOWA			1-44/0:0	19/20-23
	Ragaini, N	ico 44 yd p	ass from Pe	tras, Spen	cer (Shuda	k kick)

### **TEAM** STATS

	PSU	IOWA
First Downs	18	18
Rushing Yards	107	110
Passing Yards	180	195
Passing (C-A-Int)	22-46-4	17-31-1
Total Offense	287	305
Plays	79	76
Fumbles (#-Lost)	1-0	0-0
Penalties (#-Yards)	10-59	4-42
Possession Time	23:59	35:52
3rd-Down Conv.	5-16	7-19
Red Zone	4-4	3-4
Touchdowns	2	2
Field goals	2	3

## OTHER

Time of Game	3:39
lowa	6-0, 3-0 Big Ten
Penn State	5-1, 2-1 Big Ten

#### **GAME RECAP**

**IOWA CITY, Iowa** - The No. 4 Penn State football team fell to No. 3 lowa 23-20 in a Big Ten showdown in Iowa City on Saturday.

The Nittany Lions got off to a quick start in the game, jumping out to a 17-3 lead in the first half, but the lowa defense would hold Penn State to just three second half points as the Hawkeyes came from behind for the victory.

In a defensive affair, the Penn State defense held lowa to 305 yards of total offense. Linebacker Ellis Brooks led the unit with a career-high 14 tackles in the contest. Jaquan Brisker tied a career-high with nine tackles while adding an interception and a pass breakup. Arnold Ebiketie was a force off the edge for Penn State, recording 3.5 tackles for loss and a sack to go along with his season-high nine tackles.

Both of the Nittany Lions' offensive touchdowns came on the ground, with Noah Cain punching in a 2-yarder and quarterback Sean Clifford scoring from four yards out. Clifford completed 15-of-25 passes for 145 yards before leaving the game late in the second quarter.

#### **HOW IT HAPPENED**

lowa capitalized off a turnover to get on the board first. After a Jestin Jacobs interception set the Hawkeyes up inside the 5 yard-line, the Penn State defense stood strong to hold lowa to a field goal in the game's opening minutes.

The Nittany Lions quickly moved down the field on their ensuing drive, moving 75 yards in just 2:31 to set up a 2-yard touchdown run by Noah Cain.

Brisker would give the Nittany Lions their first takeaway, intercepting a tipped pass to give Penn State the ball in lowa territory. After Sean Clifford connected with KeAndre Lambert-Smith for a 30-yard gain deep into the red zone, the quarterback would score on his own with a 4-yard touchdown run.

Penn State would extend its lead in the opening minutes of the second quarter on a Jordan Stout 32-yard field goal to make it 17-3 Nittany Lions.

lowa cut into the lead on its next position as Spencer Petras found Charlie Jones for a 9-yard touchdown to cut the Penn State lead to seven.

Stout would push the Nittany Lion lead back to double-digits midway through the third with a 44-yard field goal.

lowa's Caleb Shudak would cut Penn State's advantage back to single digits in the closing minutes of the third quarter with a 48-yard field goal. They would add another three points minutes later on a 36-yarder from Shudak.

The Hawkeyes would jump ahead with a quick strike late in the fourth quarter when Petras hit Nico Ragaini for a 44-yard touchdown to give lowa a 23-20 lead that would hold as the final score.

#### Notes

- Penn State leads the all-time series, 17-14, against lowa, including a 10-6 mark on the road.
- Four of the last five Penn State-lowa meetings have been decided by one score.
- Penn State is 15-6 against Big Ten West Division teams since 2014
- The Nittany Lions are 4-7 all-time in matchups where both teams are ranked in the Top 5 of the AP Poll.
- Penn State has an all-time record of 101-23-1 when ranked among the Top 5.
- Dating back to the second half at Wisconsin, Penn State had scored in 21-straight quarters until the fourth quarter.
- QB Sean Clifford recorded his 10th career rushing touchdown, in the first quarter, tying Todd Blackledge (1980-82) and Rashard Casey (1997-00) for sixth all-time at Penn State.
- WR Jahan Dotson has at least five catches in eight-straight games, dating back to the Michigan State game in 2020.
- The Nittany Lions allowed just 195 passing yards. It marks the 55th time Penn State has held an opponent under 200 passing yards since 2014
- Penn State had a season-high 11 tackles for loss. Penn State has registered at least 10 tackles for loss in a game for the 25th time since 2014.
- S Jaquan Brisker recorded an interception in the first quarter, his second of the season and the fifth of his career.
- Brisker tied a career high with nine tackles (seven solo).
- DE Arnold Ebiketie registered a season-high nine tackles (five solo)
- Ebiketie tallied a career-high-tying 3.5 tackles for loss.
- DE/LB Jesse Luketa tallied a career-high 2.5 tackles for loss.
- LB Ellis Brooks made a career-high 14 tackles (eight solo).
- · Brooks recorded his third career double-digit tackles game.
- LB Curtis Jacobs notched a career-high 2.0 tackles for loss and a solo sack.
- CB Daequan Hardy had a career-best 2.0 tackles for loss.
- K/P Jordan Stout hit a 55-yard punt in the second quarter and punts of 58 yards and 55 yards in the third quarter.
- Stout's 58-yard punt was to the lowa 12 yard-line and his 55yard punt, in the third quarter, was fielded at the 15 yard-line.

#### **INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS**

#### RUSHING

Penn State-Clifford, Sean 3-36-1; Lee, Keyvone 10-30; Roberson, Ta'Quan 10-27; Cain, Noah 8-15-1; Ford, Devyn 1-1; TEAM 1-(-2). Iowa-Goodson, Tyler 25-88; Kelly-Martin, Ivory 5-15; Jones, Charlie 2-14; Pottebaum, Monte 1-8; Tracy Jr., Tyrone 1-3; Petras, Spencer 8-(-10); TEAM 3-(-8).

#### PASSING

Penn State-Clifford, Sean 15-25-2-146; Roberson, Ta'Quan 7-21-2-34. lowa-Petras, Spencer 17-31-1-195.

#### RECEIVING

Penn State-Dotson, Jahan 8-48; Lambert-Smith, KeAndre 5-61; Washington, Parker 3-26; Sullivan-Brown, Cam 2-16; Strange, Brenton 1-15; Cain, Noah 1-9; Ford, Devyn 1-3; Lee, Keyvone 1-2. Iowa-Ragaini, Nico 4-73-1; Jones, Charlie 1-13-1; Johnson, Keagan 2-45; Lachey, Luke 2-25; Goodson, Tyler 2-16; Bruce IV, Arland 2-11; LaPorta, Sam 1-8; Tracy, Jr., Tyrone 1-4.

#### TOP TACKLERS (UA-A-T)

Penn State-Brooks, Ellis 8-6-14; Brisker, Jaquan 7-2-9; Ebiketie, Arnold 5-4-9; Brown, Ji'Ayir 5-0-5; Luketa, Jesse 4-1-5; Smith, Brandon 3-2-5; Jacobs, Curtis 3-1-14; Porter, Jr., Joey 3-0-3; Castro-Fields, Tariq 2-1-3. Iowa-Campbell, Jack 7-2-9; Koerner, Jack 4-3-7; Lee, Logan 3-4-7; Hankins, Matt 3-2-5; Benson, Seth 3-2-5; Belton, Dane 2-3-5; VanValkenburg, Zach 1-4-5; Evans, Joe 2-2-4; Shannon, Noah 0-4-4; Merriweather, Kaevon 2-1-3.



PENN STATE VS. ILLINOIS



BEAVER STADIUM | ABC | 10/23/21 | 105,001



SCO	DRIN	G SU	MMA	ARY		
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PSU	7	3	0	0	8	18
ILL	0	7	0	3	10	20
1st	0:09 Lambert-Sr	PSU nith, KeAnd	dre 42 yd pas	s from Clif	ford, Sean (St	:55/7-0 out kick)
2nd	11:12 Stout, Jord	PSU an 35 yd f	ield goal		,	41/10-0
		ILL se 1 yd rus	h (McCourt I	kick)	15-75/8:	.,
4th	11:49 McCourt, J	ILL ames 37 y	d field goal		16-70/7:3	,
OT1	- Stout, Jord	PSU an 31 yd f	ield goal		/	-/13-10
OT1	- McCourt, J	ILL ames 39 y	d field goal		,	-/13-13
OT2	- McCourt, J	ILL ames 22 y	d field goal		7-21/	-/13-16
OT2	- Stout, Jord	PSU an 40 yd f	ield goal		,	-/16-16
OT8	- Williams, I		from Peter	s, Brando	n (2 pt conv	
OT8	- Cain, Noah	PSÚ rush (2 pt	conversion	1)		-/18-18
OT9	-	ILL			-/ don (2 pt con	-/18-20 version)
TE	AM S	TAT	3			

	ILL	PSU
First Downs	26	14
Rushing Yards	357	62
Passing Yards	38	165
Passing (C-A-Int)	8-21-1	19-34-0
Total Offense	395	227
Plays	88	63
Fumbles (#-Lost)	3-2	1-0
Penalties (#-Yards)	4-50	7-81
Possession Time	36:25	23:35
3rd-Down Conv.	9-18	4-17
Red Zone	4-4	3-4
Touchdowns	1	1
Field goals	3	3
OTHER		

Time of Game

Penn State

Illinois

#### **GAME RECAP**

**UNIVERSITY PARK, Pa.** – The No. 7/8 Penn State football team fell to Big Ten foe Illinois, 20-18 in nine overtimes, in a noon contest at Beaver Stadium on Saturday. The nine-overtime game was the first in college football history.

After the sides traded field goals in the first two overtimes, the game would head to the two-point conversion portion of overtime. After the defenses held in the first five rounds, teams would trade rushing conversions in the eighth overtime. Illinois would clinch the walk-off victory when Brandon Peters hit Casey Washington in the back of the end zone.

The Nittany Lions leaned on a bend but don't break defense in the contest, winning the turnover battle, 3-0. Ten different Penn State athletes recorded at least five tackles in the game, with Ji'Ayir Brown leading the way with a career-high 13 tackles.

Clifford returned to action after missing the second half of Penn State's game in lowa two weeks ago, completing 19-of-34 passes with 165 yards and a touchdown. He connected with KeAndre Lambert-Smith on a 42-yard touchdown strike to open the scoring for the Nittany Lions in the first quarter.

#### **HOW IT HAPPENED**

The Nittany Lion defense made their mark early when Illinois' opening drive was stopped on a diving interception by linebacker Curtis Jacobs, the first of his career.

Penn State got the passing game going in the final minutes of the first. Sean Clifford connected on back-to-back long strikes to put the Nittany Lions on the board. He first hit Jahan Dotson deep down the right sideline for a 36-yard gain and then found KeAndre Lambert-Smith over the middle for a 42-yard catch-and-run for the touchdown.

The Penn State defense added another turnover in the opening minutes of the second when a Brandon Smith strip-sack was recovered by Dvon Ellies in Illinois' territory. They would extend the lead to 10-0 on the ensuing drive on a 35-yard field goal by Jordan Stout.

Illinois would follow with its first points of the day, capping off an 8:20 drive with a 1-yard touchdown run by Chase Brown.

The Illini would tie the game in the opening minutes of the fourth on a 37-yard field goal by James McCourt.

The teams traded defensive stops throughout the fourth, sending the game to overtime.

Penn State got the ball first in OT, jumping out in front on a 31-yard field goal by Jordan Stout. Illinois would answer with a field goal of their own, a 38-yarder by McCourt.

McCourt would once again convert in the opening drive of the second overtime, this time from 22-yards. Stout matched his counterpart with a 40-yarder, sending the game to two-point conversion triple overtime.

Illinois would clinch the win in the ninth overtime when Brandon Peters hit Casey Washington in the back of the end zone.

#### Notes

- Penn State is now 8-7 all time in overtime games, including a 5-5 record at Beaver Stadium.
- Penn State leads the all-time series, 20-6 against Illinois, including a 10-2 mark at home.
- The nine overtimes are an NCAA record for most overtimes across all divisions. The previous NCAA football mark was an eight-overtime game between Bethune-Cookman and Virginia State in 1998.
- The nine-overtime game came under the NCAA's overtime format, adopted before the 2021 season, which includes teams trading 2-point conversion attempts beginning in the third overtime
- Penn State's previous longest overtime game was a fourovertime win over Michigan (43-40) in 2013.
- WR Jahan Dotson has at least five catches in nine-straight games. That is the longest five-reception streak by a Penn State player since at least 2000.
- The Nittany Lions held Illinois to 38 yards passing, the secondlowest mark under James Franklin.
- Dating back to the Nebraska game in 2020, Penn State has forced a turnover in 13-straight games (20 total, 14 interceptions, 6 fumbles). It is the sixth-longest active streak among FBS teams and the third-longest among Power Five teams
- DE Arnold Ebiketie recorded a season-high 10 tackles, matching his career best.
- Ebiketie's 10 tackles were the most by a Penn State defensive end since Yetur Gross-Matos recorded 10 at Indiana in 2018.
- S Ji'Ayir Brown tallied a career-best 13 tackles. His previous high was five, in two games, with the last time coming at lowa.
- LB Curtis Jacobs made a diving catch for his first career interception in the first quarter.
- LB Ellis Brooks collected 11 tackles. It was his fourth career game, and third this season, with double-digit tackles.
- K/P Jordan Stout tied his career high with three field goals made.
- Stout hit four punts of 50+ yards.
- Stout dropped six punts inside the 20, a career high.

#### **INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS**

#### RUSHING

Illinois-Brown, Chase 33-223-1; McCray, Josh 24-142; Sitkowski, Artur 10-(-8).

Penn State-Cain, Noah 11-43; Lee, Keyvone 7-24; Lovett, John 5-21; Warren, Tyler 1-2; Clifford, Sean 5-(-28).

#### PASSING

5-2, 2-2 Big Ten

3-5, 2-3 Big Ten

Illinois-Sitkowski, Artur 8-19-1-38; Washington, Casey 0-2-0-0. Penn State-Clifford, Sean 19-34-0-165.

#### RECEIVING

Illinois-Navarro, Donny 2-12; Barker, Daniel 2-11; Williams, Isaiah 2-7; Brown, Chase 1-6; Norwood, Jakari 1-2.

Penn State-Dotson, Jahan 6-69; Washington, Parker 4-17; Lambert-Smith, KeAndre 3-49-1; Strange, Brenton 2-24; Lovett, John 2-2; Cain, Noah 1-3; Johnson, Theo 1-1.

### TOP TACKLERS (UA-A-T)

Illinois-Barnes, Tarique 3-4-7; Adams, Tony 5-1-6; Witherspoon, Devon 4-2-6; Tolson, Khalan 2-4-6; Martin, Jartavius 4-1-5; Newton, Jer'Zhan 1-4-5; Randolph Jr., Keith 2-2-4; Carney Jr., Owen 3-0-3; Gay, Isaiah 2-1-3. Penn State-Brown, Ji'Ayir 11-2-13; Brooks, Ellis 8-3-11; Ebiketie, Arnold 4-6-10; Porter Jr., Joey 8-1-9; Brisker, Jaquan 7-1-8; Smith, Brandon 5-2-7; Castro-Fields, Tariq 4-2-6; Luketa, Jesse 3-3-6; Jacobs, Curtis 2-3-5; Izzard, Coziah 2-3-5; Tanqelo, Derrick 2-1-3.



PENN STATE VS. OHIO STATE





OHIO STADIUM | ABC | 10/30/21 | 102,951

#### **GAME RECAP**

COLUMBUS, Ohio — The No. 20/17 Penn State football team fell to No. 5/5 Ohio State, 33-24, in a road contest at Ohio Stadium on Saturday night. In a primetime slugfest, the Nittany Lions and Buckeyes combined for 860 yards of total offense in the game.

Penn State quarterback Sean Clifford completed a career-high 35 passes on the night for 361 yards and a touchdown. The Nittany Lions had a pair of 100-yard receivers for the second time this season, as Jahan Dotson tallied a career-high 11 catches for 127 yards and Parker Washington tied a career-high with nine catches for 108 yards. This marks the first time since 2014 that two Penn State wide receivers posted concurrent 100-yard games twice in one season (DaeSean Hamilton and Geno Lewis). Dotson also recorded his first career rushing touchdown, scoring on a 2-yard run in the second

Penn State's defense showed their grit throughout the night, holding Ohio State to just one red zone touchdown on six opportunities. Linebacker Brandon Smith led the unit with seven tackles in the contest.

Ohio State quarterback C.J. Stroud completed 22-of-34 passes for 305 yards and a touchdown. The Buckeyes leaned on freshman running back TreVeyon Henderson to put the game away in the second half. He totaled 152 yards on 28 carries with a rushing touchdown. The Buckeyes also added a defensive score in the game, a 57-yard fumble return by Jerron Cage.

#### **HOW IT HAPPENED**

The Nittany Lions would get on the board first, going 89 yards on 13 plays en route to the game's first touchdown. Sean Clifford went 5-6 for 72 yards on the drive, capping it off with a 5-yard touchdown pass to Brenton Strange. The drive was highlighted by a 32-yard catch and run from Clifford to Parker Washington.

Penn State's red zone defense would hold Ohio State to a field goal on the ensuing drive, as the Buckeyes got on the board with a 35-yard field goal by Noah Ruggles.

Ohio State would take its first lead in the closing minutes of the second when C.J. Stroud found Chris Olave deep for a 37-yard touchdown to put the Buckeyes ahead 10-7.

The Buckeye defense would force a turnover to extend the lead on the ensuing drive on a 53-yard scoop and score by Jerron Cage.

Penn State would cut the deficit back to one possession going into the half with a 47-yard field goal by Jordan Stout. Ohio State led 17-10 at halftime.

The Nittany Lions would even the score on their first drive of the second half, finishing off a 75-yard scoring drive with Jahan Dotson's first career touchdown rush.

Page 151-167 defence would record another trademark goal line stop.

Penn State's defense would record another trademark goal line stop, forcing Ohio State into a field goal inside the five-yard line. Ruggles 23-yard field goal gave Ohio State a 20-17 lead.

Ohio State would extend the lead to 27--17 their next drive. After TreVeyon Henderson set the Buckeyes up inside the five on a 68-yard run, the freshman would score on a 1-yard rush two plays later.

Clifford would once again drive the Nittany Lions down the field on the following drive, putting Penn State inside the red zone with five straight completions. The Nittany Lions would pull within 27-24 on a 1-yard touchdown run by Keyvone Lee.

Penn State would hold the Buckeyes to a red zone field goal once again, a 24-yarder from Ruggles to extend the lead to 30-24. They would repeat this later in the fourth with Ruggles tacking on three more with a 26-yarder.

#### Notes

- Penn State trails the all-time series, 23-14, against Ohio State, including a 7-14 record in road matchups.
- Penn State threw for 361 yards, the eighth-most in a game in the James Franklin era.
- The Nittany Lions completed 35 passes, the most in a game under Franklin, and attempted 52 passes, the second-most in a game under Franklin.
- QB Sean Clifford tied a Penn State record with 35 pass completions, matching Matt McGloin's 35 completions against Northwestern in 2012.
- Clifford's 52 pass attempts rank fourth-most in a game at Penn State
- WR Jahan Dotson (11 receptions, 127 yards) and WR Parker Washington (9 receptions, 108 yards) both went over 100 receiving yards in a game for the second time this season. They both had 100+ receiving yards against Villanova (Dotson 117, Washington 148).
- Clifford earned his fifth career 300-yard passing game. He sits in sole possession of fourth all-time at Penn State, breaking a tie with Kerry Collins (1991-94). It was Clifford's second game with 300+ passing yards this season.
- Clifford raised his career passing total to 6,740 yards. He moved past Matt McGloin (6,390; 2009-12) for fourth all-time at Penn State.
- WR Jahan Dotson made a career-high 11 catches for 127 yards.
   His previous catch career best was 10 against Auburn.
- Dotson recorded his ninth career 100-yard receiving game, and third this season. His nine career 100-yard receiving games are tied third at Penn State with Chris Godwin (2014-16), DaeSean Hamilton (2014-17) and Joe Jurevicius (1994-97).
- WR Parker Washington tied a career high with nine catches for 108 yards.
- The Nittany Lions stopped Ohio State on 4th-and-3 at the PSU
  13 to hold their opponent without a score the ninth time this
  season.
- LB Curtis Jacobs recorded a career-high seven tackles. Jacobs tied a career best with two tackles for loss.
- S Ji'Ayir Brown forced and recovered a fumble on Ohio State's opening drive. It was Brown's first career forced fumble and first career fumble recovery.
- K/P Jordan Stout converted a 47-yard field goal to close out the first half. Nine of his 16 career field goal makes are from 40 yards or longer.

### Ruggles, Noah 25 yd field goal 2:41 OSU Ruggles, Noah 26 yd field goal

**SCORING SUMMARY** 

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Ruggles, Noah 35 yd field goal

Stout, Jordan 47 yd field goal

Ruggles, Noah 23 yd field goal

Dotson, Jahan 2 yd rush (Stout kick) 6:42 OSU

Lee, Keyvone 1 yd rush (Stout kick) 7:12 OSU

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**PSU** 

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nge, Brenton 5 yd pass from Clifford, Sean (Stout kick

Olave, Chris 38 yd pass from Stroud, C.J. (Ruggles kick)

rson, TreVeyon 1 yd rush (Ruggles kick)

Cage, Jerron 57 yd fumble return (Ruggles kick)

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13-89/4:48/7-0

11-57/4:06/7-3

5-69/1:38/7-10

, 10-46/-/10-17

12-75/4:34/17-17

7-69/3:44/17-20

3-71/0:42/17-27

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8-20/4:03/24-30

8-69/3:14/24-33

	PSU	OSU
First Downs	27	22
Rushing Yards	33	161
Passing Yards	361	305
Passing (C-A-Int)	35-52-1	22-34-0
Total Offense	394	466
Plays	81	68
Fumbles (#-Lost)	2-2	1-1
Penalties (#-Yards)	7-56	10-74
Possession Time	29:50	30:10
3rd-Down Conv.	11-18	5-14
Red Zone	3-3	5-6
Touchdowns	3	3
Field goals	1	4

#### **OTHER**

Time of Game	3:45
Ohio State	7-1, 5-0 Big Ten
Penn State	5-3, 2-3 Big Ten

#### **INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS**

#### RUSHING

Penn State-Lovett, John 13-20; Cain, Noah 5-13; Lee, Keyvone 3-9-1; Dotson, Jahan 1-2-1; Clifford, Sean 7-(-11).

Ohio State-Henderson, TreVeyon 28-152-1; Wilson, Garrett 1-7; Williams, Miyan 3-5; TEAM 2-(-3).

#### PASSING

Penn State-Clifford, Sean 35-52-1-361. Ohio State-Stroud, C.J. 22-34-0-305.

#### RECEIVING

Penn State-Dotson, Jahan 11-127; Washington, Parker 9-108; Lambert-Smith, KeAndre 4-49; Johnson, Theo 4-41; Strange, Brenton 4-17-1; Cain, Noah 2-8; Lee, Keyvone 1-11.

Ohio State-Wilson, Garrett 7-62; Smith-Njigba, Jaxon 6-97; Ruckert, Jeremy 3-57; Olave, Chris 3-44-1; Williams, Miyan 1-11; Henderson, TreVeyon 1-7; Stover, Cade 1-7.

#### TOP TACKLERS (UA-A-T)

Penn State-Smith, Brandon 4-4-8; Brown, Ji'Ayir 6-1-7; Brooks, Ellis 5-2-7; Jacobs, Curtis 5-2-7; Luketa, Jesse 4-3-7; Brisker, Jaquan 3-0-3; Hardy, Daequan 2-1-3; Ebiketie, Arnold 1-2-3; Tarburton, Nick 0-3-3; Porter Jr., Joey 2-0-2; Castro-Fields, Tariq 2-0-2; Tangelo, Derrick 1-1-2.

Ohio State-Hickman, Ronnie 6-8-14; Williamson, Marcus 5-1-6; Brown, Cameron 4-1-5; Smith, Tyreke 3-2-5; Simon, Cody 2-2-4; Mitchell, Teradja 2-2-4; Shaw, Bryson 1-3-4; Vincent, Taron 2-1-3; Ransom, Lathan 2-1-3; Banks, Sevyn 2-1-3; Jackson, Antwuan 2-1-3; Chambers, Steele 1-2-3.



PENN STATE VS. MARYLAND



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SCORING SUMMARY							
	1	2	3	4	OT	F	
UMD	0	6	0	8	-	14	
PSU	7	0	7	17	-	31	
1st	7:55 PSU 4-75/1:33/7-0 Dotson, Jahan 38 yd pass from Clifford, Sean (Stout kick)						
2nd	1:15	UMD				1:41/7-6	
	Faamatau	, Challen 2 y	yd rush (Pe	etrino kick i	missed)		
3rd	6:51	PSU			14-95/5:	43/14-6	
	Dotson, Ja	han 21 yd pa	ass from Cli	fford, Sean	(Stout kick)		
4th	14:56	UMD			10-52/3:1	0/14-14	
	Dyches, Corey	13 yd pass fror	n Tagovailoa,	Taulia (Okonky	vo pass from Ta	agovailoa)	
	13:55	PSU			2-78/0:5	4/21-14	
	Dotson, Ja	ihan 86 yd p	oass from	Clifford, Sea	an (Stout ki	ick)	
	6:33	PSU			12-74/3:5	5/24-14	
	Stout, Jord	dan 24 yd fi	eld goal				
	2:39	PSÚ			-/	/-/31-14	
	Brown, Ji'Avir 87 vd interception return (Stout kick)						

### **TEAM** STATS

	PSU	UMD
First Downs	23	29
Rushing Yards	93	48
Passing Yards	363	371
Passing (C-A-Int)	27-47-0	41-58-1
Total Offense	456	419
Plays	80	85
Fumbles (#-Lost)	0-0	2-1
Penalties (#-Yards)	7-54	4-25
Possession Time	31:33	28:27
3rd-Down Conv.	10-18	4-15
Red Zone	1-1	2-5
Touchdowns	4	2
Field goals	1	0

#### **OTHER**

Time of Game	4:10
Maryland	5-4, 2-4 Big Ten
Penn State	6-3, 3-3 Big Ten

#### **GAME RECAP**

**COLLEGE PARK, Md.** — Led by a career day for wide receiver Jahan Dotson, the Penn State football team defeated Big Ten foe Maryland, 31-14. on Saturday.

Dotson set the Penn State single-game receiving record with 242 yards, breaking Deon Butler's record of 216 set in 2006 vs. Northwestern. Dotson also tied career highs with 11 receptions and three touchdowns.

Quarterback Sean Clifford tallied his third 300-yard game of the season, completing 27-of-47 passes for 363 yards and three touchdowns. Clifford and Dotson connected for Penn State's longest pass of the season early in the fourth quarter when Clifford hit Dotson for an 86-yard touchdown to give Penn State the lead.

The Penn State defense also recorded a score when Ji'Ayir Brown intercepted a Taulia Tagovailoa pass and returned it 87 yards for a touchdown. It marked Brown's first career touchdown and fourth interception of the season. He also recovered a fumble in the game and tied for the team lead with nine tackles.

#### **HOW IT HAPPENED**

The Nittany Lions struck first midway through the first quarter when Clifford found Dotson deep for a 38-yard score to put Penn State up 7-0.

Maryland would get on the board in the closing minutes of the half on a 2-yard run by Challen Faamatau. Penn State remain in front at the half as Maryland missed the extra point.

Dotson paced the Nittany Lion offense with 5 catches for 77 yards and a touchdown in the first half.

Dotson and Clifford would connect for another score on PSU's opening drive of the second half, capping of a 95-yard scoring drive with a 21-yard touchdown.

With Maryland threatening in the red zone on the ensuing drive, the Penn State defense would collect the game's first turnover when Ji'Ayir Brown recovered a mishandled snap at the Penn State 15-yard line.

The Terrapins would strike back on the first play of the fourth quarter when Taulia Tagovailoa hit Corey Dyches for a 13-yard touchdown. Tagovailoa then connected with Chigoziem Okonkwo on a successful two-point conversion attempt to tie the game 14-14

Penn State would regain the league less than a minute later when Clifford and Dotson connected again, this time on a season-long 86-yard touchdown pass to give Penn State a 21-14 lead.

Dotson would break free for another long gain to set up another scoring drive for Penn State, as his 42-yard catch in the fourth quarter set up a 24-yard field goal by Jordan Stout. Dotson set the Penn State single-game receiving yardage record on the play.

The Penn State defense would extend the lead late in the fourth when Brown jumped in front of a Tagovailoa pass and returned it 87 yards for the touchdown to extend Penn State's lead to 31-14.

#### Notes

- Penn State leads the all-time series, 41-3-1, against Maryland and holds a 15-1 advantage in road matchups.
- Penn State has won each of the last 14 road matchups against the Terrapins. The Nittany Lions have won seven of the last eight matchups between the two teams.
- Penn State scored on a 14-play, 95-yard drive covering 5:43 in the third quarter. It was Penn State's fourth scoring drive of 90+ yards this season.
- QB Sean Clifford and WR Jahan Dotson connected for an 86yard touchdown in the fourth quarter. It's tied for the fourthlongest pass play in program history matching Steve Joachim to Jim Scott at Navy in 1971.
- Dotson tallied a career-best 11 receptions for a career-high 242 yards and three scores. Dotson's 242 receiving yards are the most in a game at Penn State, bettering Deon Butler's 216 yards against Northwestern in 2006.
- Dotson is the only Power Five receiver with at least 240 yards and three touchdowns in a game this season and one of two in the FBS, joining Northern Illinois' Trayvon Rudolph (14 rec, 309 yds, 3 TD vs. Kent State).
- Dotson earned his first career 200-yard receiving game and 10th career 100-yard receiving game.
- Dotson now has 2,507 career receiving yards, moving into fourth all-time at Penn State.
- Clifford completed 27-of-47 passes for 363 yards and three touchdowns.
- It was his sixth career 300-yard passing game and third this season.
- Clifford now has 7,103 career passing yards, becoming the third Penn State quarterback to reach the 7,000 career yards mark.
- The Nittany Lions held Maryland to 48 rushing yards, the 38th time Penn State has held their opponent under 100 rushing yards since 2014.
- Penn State forced three red-zone stops, holding Maryland to two-of-five in their red-zone trips. The Nittany Lions have held opponents without a score in 12 of 34 red-zone possessions.
- S Ji'Ayir Brown returned an interception 87 yards for a touchdown in the fourth quarter. The 87-yard return is the fifth-longest in school history.
- Penn State has two pick sixes in a season for the first time since 2019 (John Reid vs. Buffalo and Garrett Taylor vs. Memphis).
- Brown's four interceptions this season are the most by a PSU player since Amani Oruwariye had four in 2017.

#### **INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS**

#### RUSHING

Penn State-Lee, Keyvone 8-50; Cain, Noah 10-35; Lovett, John 7-24; Warren, Tyler 1-0; Clifford, Sean 5-(-12); TEAM 2-(-4).

Maryland-Faamatau, Challen 11-38-1; Fleet-Davis, Tayon 8-37; Boone, Peny 1-2; Tagovailoa, Taulia 7-(-29).

#### PASSING

Penn State-Clifford, Sean 27-47-0-363.

Maryland-Tagovailoa, Taulia 31-57-1-371; Udinski, Reece 0-1-0-0.

#### RECEIVING

Penn State-Dotson, Jahan 11-242-3; Cain, Noah 4-28; Johnson, Theo 3-23; Lambert-Smith, KeAndre 2-36; Lee, Keyvone 2-17; Washington, Parker 2-16; Lovett, John 2-(-2); Meiga, Malick 1-3.

Maryland-Okonkwo, Chigoziem 12-85; Jarrett, Rakim 6-70; Fleming, Marcus 5-38; Dyches, Corey 4-38-1; Fleet-Davis, Tayon 4-25; Felton, Tai 2-34; Cobbs, Brian 2-27; Carriere, Carlos 2-23; Faamatau, Challen 2-16; Dippre, CJ 2-15.

#### TOP TACKLERS (UA-A-T)

Penn State-Brown, Ji'Ayir 8-1-9; Smith, Brandon 6-3-9; Brisker, Jaquan 6-1-7; Brooks, Ellis 4-3-7; Jacobs, Curtis 5-0-5; Porter, Jr., Joey 5-0-5; Tangelo, Derrick 4-0-4; Castro-Fields, Tariq 3-0-3; Ebiketie, Arnold 2-0-2; Dixon, Johnny 2-0-2; Ellis, Keaton 2-0-2; Hardy, Daequan 1-1-2.

Maryland-Mosley, Jordan 9-4-13; Nasili-Kite, Mosiah 6-0-6; Okuayinonu, Sam 4-1-5; Cross, Nick 2-3-5; Hyppolite II, Ruben 3-1-4; Baylor, Tyler 3-0-3; Rose, Greg 3-0-3; Spraggins, Gereme 3-0-3; Still, Tarheeb 3-0-3; Hazel, Isaiah 2-1-3; Gater, Lavonte 2-1-3.



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SCORING SUMMARY							
	1	2	3	4	OT	F	
UM	0	7	7	7	-	21	
PSU	3	3	0	11	-	17	
1st	9:56	PSU			14-51/5	5:04/3-0	
	Stout, Jord	an 42 yd fiel	d goal				
2nd	5:49	UM			15-90/7	7:30/3-7	
	Wilson, Ro	man 21 yd	pass from l	McNamara,	Cade (Mod	dy kick)	
	0:31	PSU			6-28/	1:04/6-7	
	Stout, Jord	lan 52 yd fie	ld goal				
3rd	11:50	UM			9-75/3:	10/6-14	
	Wilson, Rom	an 1 yd pass fro	om McNamara	, Cade (Moody	kick)		
4th	7:35	PSU			15-53/5:1	1/14-14	
	Warren, Tyler 2 yd pass from Clifford, Sean (Stout kick)					()	
	5:55	PSU			4-3/0:5	0/17-14	
	Stout, Jor	dan 31 yd f	ield goal				
	3:29	UM			6-75/2:2	6/17-21	
	All, Erick 4	17 yd pass f	rom McNa	mara, Cade	(Moody ki	ck)	

### **TEAM** STATS

	UM	PSU
First Downs	21	20
Rushing Yards	144	109
Passing Yards	217	223
Passing (C-A-Int)	19-29-0	24-44-0
Total Offense	361	332
Plays	70	86
Fumbles (#-Lost)	1-1	3-1
Penalties (#-Yards)	4-20	4-29
Possession Time	30:20	29:40
3rd-Down Conv.	6-15	7-21
Red Zone	1-2	3-4
Touchdowns	3	1
Field goals	0	3

#### **OTHER**

Time of Game	3:27
Penn State	6-4, 3-4 Big Ten
Michigan	9-1, 6-1 Big Ten

#### **GAME RECAP**

**UNIVERSITY PARK, Pa.** – The No. 23/23 Penn State football team fell to No. 9/8/6 Michigan, 21-17, in a Big Ten matchup at Beaver Stadium on Saturday.

In a close defensive contest, the teams remained within one possession for the entirety of the matchup. Penn State tied the game and take the lead midway through the fourth quarter, before Michigan pulled ahead in the closing minutes to earn the victory.

Several members of the Nittany Lions defense had strong games, highlighted by Ellis Brooks who led the unit with a career-high 16 tackles and Arnold Ebiketie who recorded 7 tackles, two sacks and a forced fumble

Quarterback Sean Clifford completed 23-of-43 passes for 205 yards and a touchdown. Tyler Warren was on the receiving end of the score, the first receiving touchdown of his Penn State career. Parker Washington was the team's leading receiver with 92 yards, while Keyvone Lee tallied 88 yards on 20 carries on the ground.

#### **HOW IT HAPPENED**

Special Teams trickery set the Nittany Lions up in the red zone on their opening drive when punter Jordan Stout completed an 18-yard pass to linebacker Curtis Jacobs. Stout later put Penn State on the board with a 42-yard field goal.

The Wolverines jumped in front in the second quarter on a 21-yard touchdown pass from Cade McNamara to Roman Wilson.

After the Penn State defense forced Michigan to turn the ball over on downs late in the fourth, Sean Clifford found Parker Washington deep over the middle for 44-yards to set Penn State up in the red zone. Jordan Stout connected on a 52-yard field goal to cut the deficit to 7-6 at the half.

Michigan extended its lead on the opening drive of the second half on a 1-yard pass from McNamara to Wilson.

Midway through the fourth quarter Penn State fought to even the score, going on a 15-play scoring drive that was capped off with a 2-yard touchdown pass from Clifford to Warren. The Nittany Lions tied the game at 14 when Clifford found Jahan Dotson in the end zone for the 2-point conversion.

The Penn State defense forced a turnover on the following drive on a strip sack by Ebiketie that was recovered by Derrick Tangelo at the Michigan 16-yard line. The Nittany Lions jumped ahead, 17-14, on a 31-yard field goal.

Michigan regained the lead on the ensuing drive on a 47-yard touchdown pass from McNamara to Erick All. The Wolverines would hold on to win 21-17.

#### Notes

- Penn State trails the all-time series, 14-11, against Michigan.
- Each of the last three matchups in the series have been decided by 10 or less points.
- QB Sean Clifford recorded his 18th career 200-yard passing game, tied for third with Matt McGloin (2009-12).
- WR Jahan Dotson caught a 2-pt conversion in the fourth quarter to tie the game at 14-14 with 7:35 remaining.
- Dotson had 61 receiving yards, giving him 993 for the season and moving him into sixth place at Penn State.
- Dotson's nine receptions on the day boosted his career total to 172, putting him in fourth place in the Nittany Lion record books, and his season total to 80 grabs, good for third place at Pann State
- On a 24-yard catch in the first quarter, WR Parker Washington became the 36th Penn State player to reach the 1,000 career receiving yards mark.
- TE Tyler Warren caught a 2-yard touchdown pass in the fourth quarter. It was his first career touchdown reception at Penn State.
- · LB Ellis Brooks had a career-high 16 tackles.
- Brooks' 16 tackles are the most by a Penn State player since Brandon Bell recorded 18 against Michigan State on Nov. 26, 2016
- Brooks recorded his 200th career tackle in the first quarter.
- DE Arnold Ebiketie forced a fumble on a strip-sack in the fourth quarter. It was his fourth career forced fumble and first at Penn State.
- LB Brandon Smith tied a career high with 10 tackles.
- K/P Jordan Stout hit a 52-yard field goal in the second quarter.
   He added a 42-yard kick in the first quarter and a 31-yard field goal in the fourth quarter.
- Stout tied his career high for field goals made in a game with three
- Stout now has five career field goals of 50+ yards. He is second all-time at Penn State behind Chris Bahr (6; 1973-75).
- Stout has two field goals of 50+ yards this season. He hit a 50-yard kick against Indiana.
- Stout completed an 18-yard pass to Curtis Jacobs on a fake punt in the first quarter. It was his first career completion and attempt.
- Stout averaged 51.0 yards on four punts and dropped all four punts inside the 20.

#### **INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS**

#### RUSHING

Michigan-Haskins, Hassan 31-156; Edwards, Donovan 2-2; Henning, A.J. 1-(-4); McNamara, Cade 4-(-7); TEAM 3-(-3).

Penn State-Lee, Keyvone 20-88; Lovett, John 4-17; Clifford, Sean 16-16; Dotson, Jahan 1-6; Stout, Jordan 1-(-18).

#### PASSING

Michigan-McNamara, Cade 19-29-0-217.

Penn State-Clifford, Sean 23-43-0-205; Stout, Jordan 1-1-0-18.

#### RECEIVING

Michigan-Haskins, Hassan 5-41; All, Erick 4-64-1; Johnson, Cornelius 3-51; Wilson, Roman 3-31-2; Sainristil, Mike 2-11; Anthony, Andrel 1-13; Schoonmaker, Luke 1-2.

Penn State-Dotson, Jahan 9-61; Washington, Parker 4-92; Johnson, Theo 4-28; Jacobs, Curtis 1-18; Meiga, Malick 1-8; Strange, Brenton 1-7; Lovett, John 1-4; Lee, Keyvone 1-3; Warren, Tyler 1-2-1; Lambert-Smith, KeAndre 1-0.

#### TOP TACKLERS (UA-A-T)

Michigan-Colson, Junior 5-7-12; Ross, Josh 6-5-11; Hutchinson, Aidan 2-5-7; Moore, Rod 2-4-6; Hawkins, Brad 2-4-6; Gray, Vincent 4-1-5; Jeter, Donovan 3-2-5; Ojabo, David 2-2-4; Smith, Mazi 2-2-4; Hinton, Christopher 2-1-3; Barrett, Michael 2-1-3; Turner, DJ 2-1-3.

Penn State-Brooks, Ellis 6-10-16; Smith, Brandon 4-6-10; Luketa, Jesse 3-4-7; Ebiketie, Arnold 2-5-7; Jacobs, Curtis 1-5-6; Brown, Ji'Ayir 3-2-5; Brisker, Jaquan 2-3-5; Tangelo, Derrick 0-4-4; King, Kalen 2-1-3; Ellies, Dvon 0-3-3.



**PENN STATE VS. RUTGERS** 



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	1	2	3	4	OT	F
RU	0	0	0	0	-	0
PSU	0	7	14	7	-	28
2nd	1:03 Dotson, Ja	PSU ihan 8 yd p	ass from Ve	illeux, Chr		4:37/7-0 ut kick)
3rd	3:32 Washingto	PSU n, Parker 17	7 yd pass fror	n Veilleux,		:20/14-0 tout kick)
	1:31 Meiga, Ma	PSU alick 67 yd	pass from V	eilleux, Ch		:42/21-0 out kick)
4th	7:32	PSU	sh (Stout ki	ck)	14-85/5	:02/28-0

#### **TEAM STATS**

	RU	PSU
First Downs	10	21
Rushing Yards	67	149
Passing Yards	93	258
Passing (C-A-Int)	13-28-1	17-32-0
Total Offense	160	407
Plays	60	74
Fumbles (#-Lost)	2-0	1-0
Penalties (#-Yards)	8-55	4-50
Possession Time	26:26	33:34
3rd-Down Conv.	4-16	5-15
Red Zone	0-1	3-4
Touchdowns	0	4
Field goals	0	0

#### **OTHER**

Time of Game	3:12
Penn State	7-4, 4-4 Big Ten
Rutgers	5-6, 2-6 Big Ten

#### **GAME RECAP**

**UNIVERSITY PARK, Pa.** – The Penn State football team closed out its home schedule with a 28-0 win over Big Ten foe Rutgers at Beaver Stadium on Saturday.

After quarterback Sean Clifford left the game in the first quarter, true freshman Christian Veilleux saw his first action as a Nittany Lion. Veilleux shined in his debut, completing 15 of 24 passes for 235 yards and three touchdowns.

Three different receivers found the end zone on the day for the Nittany Lions on Saturday. In his final contest at Beaver Stadium, senior Jahan Dotson had three catches for 52 yards with an 8-yard touchdown. Freshman Malick Meiga recorded his first collegiate touchdown, connecting with Veilleux on a 67-yard score in the third quarter.

The Penn State defense shut down the Rutgers offense throughout the afternoon, holding the Scarlett Knights to just 165 yards. Jaquan Brisker led the unit with seven tackles. Senior captain Jonathan Sutherland capped off the victory with his first career interception in his final game at Beaver Stadium.

Prior to the game, Penn State honored 32 seniors in a pre-game ceremony. Those honored included 5 Jaquan Brisker, LB Ellis Brooks, RB Journey Brown, CB Tariq Castro-Fields, K Rafael Checa, LB Max Chizmar, QB Sean Clifford, WR Jahan Dotson, DE Arnold Ebiketie, WR Winston Eubanks, WR Henry Fessler, DL Fred Hansard, S Drew Hartlaub, K Vlad Hilling, OL Des Holmes, K Bradley King, OL Will Knutsson, OL Kaleb Konigus, RB John Lovett, LB Jesse Luketa, Jordan Miner, OL Mike Miranda, DT PJ Mustipher, P/K Jordan Stout, WR Cam Sullivan-Brown, S Johnathan Sutherland, DT Derrick Tangelo, DE Dan Vasey, WR Justin Weller, OL Anthony Whigan, WR Ben Wilson, OL Eric Wilson

#### **HOW IT HAPPENED**

The contest remained scoreless for the first 29 minutes of play before Christian Veilleux connected with Jahan Dotson on an 8-yard touchdown pass to put Penn State up 7-0. It was the first touchdown pass of Veilleux's career.

Penn State held Rutgers to just 72 yards of total offense in the first half.

The Nittany Lions extended the lead with 3:32 in the third when Veilleux found Parker Washington in the end zone on a 17-yard score.

Later in the third, Veileux would find redshirt freshman Malick Meiga on a 67-yard catch and run for the score. It was the first touchdown of Meiga's career.

Keyvone Lee would extend the Penn State lead to 28-0 midway through the fourth, scoring on a 7-yard run.

The Penn State defense would force the game's first turnover with 6:20 remaining when senior captain Jonathan Sutherland picked off a Gavin Wimsatt pass.

#### Notes

- Penn State leads the all-time series, 30-2, against Rutgers, including an 8-0 mark since the Scarlet Knights joined the Big Ten
- Penn State has won each of the last 15 matchups against the Scarlet Knights.
- Penn State averaged 106,799 fans in seven home games this season, the seventh-highest average in program history and best season average since 2009.
- QB Christian Veilleux completed 15-of-24 passes for 235 yards and three touchdowns.
- Veilleux is the first Penn State true freshman QB to throw a TD since Christian Hackenberg at Wisconsin Nov. 30, 2013.
- WR Jahan Dotson's 52 receiving yards on the day give him 1,045 for the season, marking the sixth time (fourth player) a Nittany Lion receiver had at least 1,000 receiving yards in a season.
- Dotson's touchdown grab in the second quarter gives him 23 career receiving touchdowns, putting him in sole possession of third place all-time at Penn State.
- Dotson's touchdown catch was also his 10th receiving touchdown of the season, moving him into a tie for fifth with Joe Jurevicius (10; 1997).
- WR Malick Meiga reached the end zone for the first time in his career, on a 67-yard strike from Veilleux in the third quarter.
- The Nittany Lions recorded their second shutout of the season, having previous held Indiana scoreless. The last time that Penn State had two shutouts in a season was in 2017, when the Nittany Lions defeated Akron 52-0 and Georgia State 56-0.
- The result marked the first time Penn State has shut out two conference opponents in a single season since joining the Big Ten for football in 1993.
- Penn State has held Rutgers to less than 10 points in all eight meetings since the Scarlet Knights joined the Big Ten Conference in 2014, including two shutouts (2016, 2021).
- In eight meetings as Big Ten Conference foes, Penn State's defense has held Rutgers to a 4.9 scoring average.
- DE Arnold Ebiketie recorded 1.5 tackles for loss, giving him at least one tackle for loss in seven-straight games.
- S Jonathan Sutherland grabbed the first interception of his career in the fourth quarter.
- K/P Jordan Stout landed five punts inside the 10 and six inside the 20, while hitting two 50+ yard punts.

#### **INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS**

#### RUSHING

Rutgers-Langan, Johnny 5-18; Young, Aaron 7-17; Vedral, Noah 8-13; Wimsatt, Gavin 2-9; Monangai, Kyle 3-8; Pacheco, Isaih Pacheco 6-7; Melton, Bo 1-(-5)

Penn State-Lee, Keyvone 13-41-1; Veilleux, Christian 10-36; Cain, Noah 7-29; Stahl, Mason 3-22; Holmes, Caziah 3-15; Clifford, Sean 2-4; Dotson, Jahan 1-4; Smith, Tank 3-(-2).

#### **PASSING**

Rutgers-Vedral, Noah 12-23-0-91; Wimsatt, Gavin 1-4-1-2; Langan, Johnny 0-1-0-0.

Penn State-Veilleux, Christian 15-24-0-235; Clifford, Sean 2-8-0-23.

#### RECEIVING

Rutgers-Pacheco, Isaih 4-(-6); Melton, Bo 3-47; Konopka, Victor 1-18; Young, Aaron 1-17; Sanders, Brandon 1-9; Haskins, Jovani 1-6; Jones, Shameen 1-2; Langan, Johnny 1-0.

Penn State-Washington, Parker 6-72-1; Dotson, Jahan 3-52-1; Warren, Tyler 2-37; Johnson, Theo 2-9; Meiga, Malick 1-67-1; Lee, Keyvone 1-17; Lambert-Smith, KeAndre 1-7; Cain, Noah 1-(-3).

#### TOP TACKLERS (UA-A-T)

Rutgers-Singleton, Drew 8-4-12; Fogg, Tyshon 4-8-12; Young, Avery 3-3-6; Izien, Christian 4-1-5; Longerbeam, Robert 3-2-5; Lewis, Aaron 2-3-5; Powell, Tyreem 3-1-4; Onyechi, CJ 3-0-3; Hamilton, Kyonte 1-2-3; Toure, Mohamed 0-3-3; Melton, Max 1-1-2; Iqbinosun, Desmon 1-1-2.

Penn State-Brisker, Jaquan 2-5-7; Brooks, Ellis 1-5-6; Smith, Brandon 1-4-5; Ebiketie, Arnold 1-4-5; Brown, Ji'Ayir 3-1-4; Izzard, Coziah 2-2-4; Sutherland, Jonathan 2-2-4; Tangelo, Derrick 2-1-3; Ellis, Keaton 2-1-3; Porter, Jr., Joey 1-2-3; Tarburton 1-2-3; Wilson, Marquis 1-1-2.

» BROWN'S CAREER STATISTICS & GAME HIGHS



#### COLE BREVARD

Defensive Tackle | 6-3 | 317 Redshirt Freshman Carmel, Ind./Carmel

Major: Division of Undergraduate Studies

#### » 2021

**Season:** Has appeared in one game for the Nittany Lions...One of 29 Nittany Lions to make their collegiate debut and one of 34 to make their Penn State debut...Was the Coaching Staff's Developmental Squad Defensive Player of the Week following the Villanova game (9/25).



#### JAQUAN BRISKER

Safety | 6-1 | 200 Senior+ Pittsburgh, Pa./Gateway/Lackawanna College Major: Communication Arts & Sciences

#### » 2021

Awards: *Midseason:* Accepted an invitation to the Reese's Senior Bowl...Named an ESPN Midseason All-American...Tabbed to The Athletic Midseason All-America first team...Selected AP Midseason All-American... Named a semifinalist for the Bednarik and Jim Thorpe Awards...Was the Jim Thorpe Award Honorable Mention Player of the Week following the Auburn (9/18 game). *Preseason:* Named a preseason AP All-American second team honoree...Selected to the Bednarik Award, Bronko Nagurski Trophy, Jim Thorpe Award and Reese's Senior Bowl watch lists...Selected for NFLPA Collegiate Bowl Preseason Big Board.

Season: Has started all 11 games...Voted a team captain.

at Wisconsin (9/4): Tallied four tackles, all solo, and one tackle for a loss...Recorded an interception late in the fourth quarter and returned it 41 yards, a career long return...Added a pass breakup...Named Coaching Staff's Defensive Player of the Week. Ball State (9/11): Recorded two tackles, including a half tackle for loss. Auburn (9/18): Tallied six tackles including a tackle for loss...Added a pass breakup. Indiana (10/2): Assisted on four tackles...Added a half tackle for loss. at lowa (10/9): Tied a career high with nine tackles...Recorded a first quarter interception and a pass breakup. Illinois (10/23): Recorded eight tackles...Recovered a fumble and returned it 12 yards...Added a pass breakup. at Ohio State (10/30): Tallied three tackles. at Maryland (11/6): Posted seven tackles and a tackle for loss. Michigan (11/13): Recorded five tackles with a tackle for loss. Rutgers (11/20): Recorded a team-high seven tackles and a pass breakup.

#### » 2021 GAME-BY-GAME

Tackles (Solo-Assisted-Total)

at Wisconsin 4-0-4; Ball State 1-1-2; Auburn 3-3-6; Villanova 0-0-0; Indiana 0-4-4; at lowa 7-2-9; Illinois 7-1-8; at Ohio State 3-0-3; at Maryland 6-1-7; Michigan 2-3-5; Rutgers 2-5-7.

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» Brisker's Career Statistics & Game Highs								
	UA-A	TK	FF	FR	- 1	PBU	SACK	TFL
2019	15-17	32	-	-	2	3	-	1.0-8
2020	33-24	57	-	-	1	6	-	3.0-5
2021	35-21	56	-	1	2	4	-	5.5-13
CAREER	83-52	145	-	1	5	13	-	8.5-26
Tackles	<b>Tackles</b>							
Tackles For Loss						.5; Michi	gan State	2, 12/12/20
<b>Interceptions</b> 1; Five Times: Last at lowa, 10/9/21								

Interception Return . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 41 yards; at Wisconsin, 9/4/21

**Pass Breakups**.......2; at Rutgers, 12/5/20

### ELLIS **BROOKS**



Linebacker | 6-1 | 241 Redshirt Senior Mechanicsville, Va./Benedictine College Prep Major: Journalism

#### » 2021

Awards: Preseason: Named to the Reese's Senior Bowl Watch List.

Season: Has appeared in 11 games, making 10 starts.

at Wisconsin (9/4): Recorded a career high-tying 11 tackles, including eight solo stops...Notched a sack in the first quarter...Earned second career double-digit tackle game. Ball State (9/11): Tallied one tackle. Auburn (9/18): Recorded six tackles. Villanova (9/25): Posted a team-high four tackles. Indiana (10/2): Paced the team with eight tackles (two solo). at lowa (10/9): Posted a 14 tackles. Illinois (10/23): Posted 11 tackles... Recorded a pass breakup. at Ohio State (10/30): Recorded seven tackles. at Maryland (11/6): Tallied seven tackles and assisted on a tackle for loss. Michigan (11/13): Recorded a career-high 16 tackles. Rutgers (11/20): Tallied six tackles.

#### » 2021 GAME-BY-GAME

Tackles (Solo-Assisted-Total)

at Wisconsin 8-3-11; Ball State 1-0-1; Auburn 5-1-6; Villanova 3-1-4; Indiana 2-6-8; at Iowa 8-6-14; Illinois 8-3-11; at Ohio State 5-2-7; at Maryland 4-3-7; Michigan 5-11-16; Rutgers 1-5-6.

#### » BROOKS' CAREER STATISTICS & GAME HIGHS UA-A TK FF PBU SACK TFL 2018 19-11 30 0.5-2 1.5-3 2019 19-20 39 2.5-17 4.0-23 2020 26-34 60 2 1.0-4 5.5-16 50-41 91 1.0-18 2.5-21 2021 114-107 221 5.0-41 13.5-63

Tackles	
Tackles for Loss	2.5; Maryland, 9/27/19
Sacks	2.5; at Maryland, 9/27/19
Forced Fumbles	1; Twice: Last at Rutgers, 12/5/20
Fumbles Recovered	1; at Michigan State, 10/26/19
Interceptions	1; at Illinois, 9/21/18
Interception Return	28 yards; at Illinois, 9/21/18
10+ Tackle Games	5; Michigan (16), 11/13/21

#### JI'AYIR **BROWN**

Safety | 5-11 | 205

Senior

Trenton, N.J./Trenton Central/Lackawanna College Major: Telecommunications

#### » 2021

**Awards:** Tabbed Big Ten Defensive Player of the Week following the Maryland (11/6) game.

**Season:** Has made 11 starts...One of nine Nittany Lions to make their first career start this season.

at Wisconsin (9/4): Tallied five tackles, four solo...Registered first career interception late in the fourth quarter to seal the victory...Added a pass breakup. Ball State (9/11): Recorded a tackle and a pass breakup. Auburn (9/18): Added three tackles and a pass breakup. Villanova (9/25): Tallied three tackles, including one for loss, and an interception... Selected Coaching Staff's Defensive Player of the Week. Indiana (10/2): Picked off a pass in the fourth quarter...Added two solo tackles...Named Coaching Staff's Defensive Player of the Week. at lowa (10/9): Tied a then-career high with five tackles. Illinois (10/23): Recorded a careerhigh 13 tackles and a pass breakup. at Ohio State (10/30): Recorded seven tackles...Forced and recovered a fumble in the first quarter. at Maryland (11/6): Led the Nittany Lions with nine tackles...Recovered a fumble...Returned an interception 87 yards for his first career touchdown... Earned Coaching Staff's Defensive Player of the Week honors. Michigan (11/13): Had five tackles. Rutgers (11/20): Recorded four tackles.

#### » 2021 GAME-BY-GAME

Tackles (Solo-Assisted-Total)

at Wisconsin 4-1-5;Ball State 1-0-1; Auburn 2-1-3; Villanova 3-0-3; Indiana 2-0-2; at Iowa 5-0-5; Illinois 11-2-13; at Ohio State 6-1-7; at Maryland 8-1-9; Michigan 3-2-5; Rutgers 3-1-4.

	UA-A	TK	FF	FR	- 1	PBU	SACK	TFL
2020	5-1	6	-	-	-	-	-	1.0-4
2021	48-9	57	1	2	4	3	-	1.0-2
CAREER	53-10	63	1	2	4	3	-	2.0-6
<b>Tackles</b>								
Tackles Fo	r Loss					1.0; 0	hio State	, 10/31/20
Tackles						4	; Wiscon	sin, 9/4/21
Intercepti	ons			1; Fo	our Time	es: Last at	Marylan	d, 11/7/21
Intercepti	on Return	1			87	yards; at	Marylan	d, 11/7/21
Pass Brea	kups				1; Three	times: La	ast Aubur	n, 9/18/21
Fumble Re	ecoveries				. 1; Twic	e: Last at	Marylan	d, 11/7/21
Forced Fu	mbles					1; at 0	hio State	, 10/30/21



#### KALEB **BROWN**

30

Cornerback | 6-0 | 188 Freshman Reading, Pa./Wilson Major: Division of Undergraduate Studies

#### » 2021

**Season:** Appeared in three games on special teams...One of 34 Nittany Lions to make their PSU debut this season...One of 29 Nittany Lions to make their collegiate debut this season...One of 10 true freshman to play this season...Named Coaching Staff's Developmental Squad Special Teams Player of the Week following the Illinois (10/23) and Michigan (11/13) games.



#### JAMARI **BUDDIN**

46

Linebacker | 6-2 | 221 Freshman Ypsilanti, Mich./Belleville Major: Division of Undergraduate Studies

#### » 2021

16

**Season:** Appeared in four games for the Nittany Lions...One of 29 Nittany Lions to make their collegiate debut this season and one of 34 to make their Penn State debut...One of 10 true freshmen to play this season.

Ball State (9/11): Made three stops, including two solo. Indiana (10/2): Made a solo tackle on special teams.

#### » 2021 GAME-BY-GAME

Tackles (Solo-Assisted-Total)

Wisconsin DNP; Ball State 2-1-3; Auburn DNP; Villanova 0-0-0; Indiana 1-0-1; Iowa DNP; Illinois DNP; at Ohio State DNP; Maryland DNP; Michigan DNP; Rutgers 0-0-0.

» BUDDIN'S CAREER STATISTICS & GAME HIGHS								
	UA-A	TK	FF	FR	1	PBU	SACK	TFL
2021	3-1	4	-	-	-	-	-	-
CAREER	3-1	4	-	-	-	-	-	-
Tackles						3	; Ball Stat	e, 9/11/2



#### NOAH CAIN

Running Back | 5-10 | 220

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Junior
Baton Rouge, La./IMG Academy (Fla.)
Major: Telecommunications

#### » CAREER NOTES & RECORDS

Season: 2019: Set a Penn State freshman record with eight rushing touchdowns, passing D.J. Dozier (7, 1983) and Saquon Barkley (7, 2015)... Became first Penn State freshman to run for 100 yards in back-to-back games (105 yards vs. Purdue; 102 yards at Iowa) since Saquon Barkley in 2015 (115 yards vs. Buffalo: 195 yards vs. Rutgers).

**Game:** 2019: Became the first PSU freshman with two rushing touchdowns in a season opener (vs. Idaho) since Stephfon Green vs. Coastal Carolina in 2008...Two touchdowns vs. Idaho also marked the first PSU freshman with two touchdowns in a game since Ricky Slade against Maryland in 2018.

**Bowl: 2019:** Tied for second in Penn State bowl history with two rushing touchdowns in the Cotton Bowl...Helped the Nittany Lions score a program-bowl record 53 points...Aided Penn State to tie a Cotton Bowl record with five rushing touchdowns...Helped Penn State run for 396 yards, a program bowl record and the second-most in Cotton Bowl history.

#### » 2021

Awards: Preseason: Named to the Doak Walker Award Watch List.

Season: Has appeared in 11 games, making six starts.

at Wisconsin (9/4): Gained 48 yards on eight carries, including a 2-yard touchdown...Recorded career highs in catches (5) and receiving yards (27). Ball State (9/11): Posted 69 yards on 20 carries with a 5-yard touchdown...Added 30 yards receiving on three catches. Auburn (9/18): Attempted 19 rushes for 45 yards and a 3-yard touchdown. Villanova (9/25): Had one carry for two yards. Indiana (10/2): Rushed for 23 yards with a long carry of nine yards. at lowa (10/9): Had eight carries for 15 yards with a 2-yard touchdown. Illinois (10/23): Tallied 43 yards on 11 carries. at Ohio State (10/30): Tallied 13 yards on five carries. at Maryland (11/6): Had 10 carries for 36 yards and caught four balls for 28 yards. Rutgers (11/20): Recorded 29 yards on seven carries.

#### » 2021 GAME-BY-GAME

Rushing (Carries-Yards-TD)

at Wisconsin 8-48-1; Ball State 20-69-1; Auburn 19-45-1; Villanova 1-2-0; Indiana 11-23-0; at Iowa 8-15-1; Illinois 11-43-0; at Ohio State 5-13-0; at Maryland 10-36-0; Michigan 0-0-0; Rutgers 7-29-0.

Receiving (Receptions-Yards-TD)

at Wisconsin 5-27-0; Ball State 3-30-0; Auburn 0-0-0; Villanova 0-0-0; Indiana 0-0-0; at Iowa 1-9-0; Illinois 0-0-0; at Ohio State 2-8-0; at Maryland 4-28-0. Michigan 0-0-0; Rutgers 1-(-3)-0.

#### » CAIN'S CAREER STATISTICS & GAME HIGHS

	AttYds.	Avg.	TD	LG	RecYds.	Avg.	TD	LG
2019	84-443	5.3	8	27	7-52	7.4	-	20
2020	3-13	4.3	-	7	-	-	-	-
2021	100-322	3.2	4	34	17-102	6.0	-	16
CAREER	187-778	4.2	12	34	24-154	6.4	-	20
Rushing A	ttempts					22; at lo	wa, 10/	12/19
Rushing Y	ards					105; Pur	due, 10	)/5/19
Rushing T	ouchdowns.				2; Twice, Last vs	. Memp	his, 12/	28/19
Longest R	ush				34;	at Wisc	onsin, 9	9/4/21
2 or More	<b>Rushing Tou</b>	chdowi	1s		¹2; Last vs	. Memp	his, 12/	28/19
100-yard	Rushing Gan	nes			2; Last at	lowa (10	02), 10/	12/19
Reception	ıs				5;	at Wisc	onsin, 9	9/4/21
Receiving	Yards				3	0; Ball S	tate, 9/	/11/21
Longest R	eception					20; Pur	due, 10	)/5/19
All-Purpose Yards								)/5/19



#### TARIO **CASTRO-FIELDS**

Cornerback | 6-0 | 194 Senior+

Senior+
Upper Marlboro, Md./Riverdale Baptist School

Major: Sociology

#### » 2021

**Awards:** *Preseason:* Selected to the Reese's Senior Bowl Watch List... Selected for NFLPA Collegiate Bowl Preseason Big Board.

Season: Has made 11 starts.

at Wisconsin (9/4): Tallied five solo tackles. Ball State (9/11): Recorded three tackles. Auburn (9/18): Added two tackles and a pass breakup. Villanova (9/25): Had one tackle and a pass breakup. Indiana (10/2): Recorded two pass breakups...Added two tackles (one solo). at lowa (10/9): Tallied three tackles. Illinois (10/23): Recorded six tackles and a pass breakup. at Ohio State (10/30): Posted two tackles. at Maryland (11/6): Recorded three solo tackles. Rutgers (11/20): Recorded a solo tackle.

#### » 2021 GAME-BY-GAME

Tackles (Solo-Assisted-Total)

at Wisconsin 5-0-5; Ball State 1-2-3; Auburn 2-0-2; Villanova 1-0-1; Indiana 1-1-2; at Iowa 2-1-3; Illinois 4-2-6; at Ohio State 2-0-2; at Maryland 3-0-3; Michigan 0-0-0; Rutgers 1-0-1.

# » CASTRO-FIELDS' CAREER STATISTICS & GAME HIGHS UA-A TK FF FR I PBU SACK TFL

2018	21-11	32	-	-	-	7	1.0-2	5.0-8
2019	32-20	52	-	-	2	8	-	3.0-4
2020	6-6	12	-	-	-	1	-	-
2021	22-6	28	-	-	-	6	-	-
CAREER	90-44	134	1	-	3	25	1.0-2	10.0-20
Tackles for	Loss							

Tackles	8; Three Times: Last Indiana, 11/16/19
Tackles for Loss	1.5; Twice: Last vs. Kentucky, 1/1/19
Sacks	1.0; vs. Kentucky, 1/1/19
Forced Fumbles	1; at Maryland, 11/25/17
Interceptions	1; Three Times: Last Michigan, 10/19/19
Long Interception Return	5 yards; at Maryland, 9/27/19
Pass Breakups	3; at Michigan State, 11/4/17



#### RAFAEL CHECA

Kicker | 6-2 | 211 Redshirt Junior

Chevy Chase, Md./St. John's College High School Major: Hospitality Management

#### » 2021

**Season:** Has appeared in 11 games on special teams, serving as Jordan Stout's field goal holder.

Michigan (11/13): Made one tackle.



#### MAX CHIZMAR

Linebacker | 6-2 | 231 Redshirt Senior

Mars, Pa./Mars Area

Major: Corporate Innovation and Entrepreneurship

#### » 2021

CAREER

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**Season:** Has appeared in all 11 games on special teams...Selected Coaching Staff's Developmental Squad Defensive Player of the Week following the Ball State game (9/11).

# » CHIZMAR'S CAREER STATISTICS & GAME HIGHS UA-A TK FF I PBU SACK TFL 2018 0-1 1 2019 0-3 3



#### JIMMY CHRIST

Offensive Line | 6-7 | 302 Redshirt Freshman Sterling, Va./Dominion Major: Division of Undergraduate Studies

#### » 2021

**Season:** Has appeared in one game for the Nittany Lions...One of 29 Nittany Lions to make their collegiate debut this season and one of 34 to make their Penn State debut...Named Coaching Staff's Developmental Squad Offensive Player of the Week following the Wisconsin (9/4), lowa (10/9) and Maryland (11/6) games.



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#### SEAN **CLIFFORD**

Quarterback | 6-2 | 219 Redshirt Senior Cincinnati, Ohio/Saint Xavier Maior: Journalism

#### » CAREER NOTES & RECORDS

Career: Is one of four Penn State players to reach 7,000 yards of total offense and one of four PSU quarterbacks to eclipse 7,000 career passing yards...Ranks first all-time at Penn State in completion percentage (.607), second in passing touchdowns (58), third in career passing efficiency rating (142.0), third in passing yardage (7,331), fourth in completions (570), fourth in attempts (939), seventh in yards per attempt (7.8) and tenth in touchdown percentage (6.18)...Is tied for third in school history for 300-yard passing games (6) and is third for 200-yard games (18)... Among Penn State quarterbacks, is third all-time at PSU in rushing yardage (876) and tied for sixth in rushing touchdowns (10)... is second all-time in program history in touchdowns responsible for (68) and is third in career total yards (8,207)... Owns 14 career games with two or more passing touchdowns, 11 with three or more and three with four or more...Has 15 career games with multi-passing touchdown halves and nine games with multi-passing TD quarters...Has thrown for at least 250 passing yards and three passing touchdowns in seven career games...Has six career touchdown passes of 70 or more yards...Has completed 97 career passes of 20 or more yards. **Season: 2020:** Became the first Penn State guarterback to throw for touchdowns on back-to-back passes against lowa in the third quarter since Trace McSorley at Illinois in 2018...Threw for 11 touchdowns in the first five games, marking the third occasion that a Penn State quarterback has done so since 2000 (Clifford, 12 in 2019; McSorley, 11 in 2018)...Finished fifth all-time at PSU for single season completion percentage (60.6), eighth in rushing yards for a quarterback (335) and tied for 11th in rushing touchdowns by a quarterback (5). 2019: Became the third Penn State quarterback to have three games with 250 passing yards and three passing touchdowns in a season, joining Trace McSorley (2017, 4 games) and Christian Hackenberg (2013, 3 games)...Was the fifth quarterback in program history to have multiple games with four or more passing touchdowns...Finished fifth all-time at Penn State in single season passing touchdowns (23), seventh in passing efficiency (148.54), eighth in passing yardage (2,654), ninth in completion percentage (59.2), tied for 10th in 200-yard passing games (6) and was 14th in completions (189)... Was seventh for total yards in a season at PSU with 3,056 and was tied for eighth with 28 touchdowns responsible for...Finished with 402 rushing yards (4th most by a PSU quarterback) and five rushing touchdowns (T-11th).

Game: Records Set: Tied program record with 38 completions at Ohio State (10/30/21)...Attempted 57 passes against Maryland (11/7/20), breaking the Penn State record held by Christian Hackenberg (55; at Indiana, 2013)...Threw for 287 yards in the first half at Maryland (9/27/19), breaking the PSU record held by Trace McSorley (258; Georgia State, 2017)... Connected with Daniel George for a 98-yard touchdown pass against Kent State (9/15/18) for the longest pass play and longest play from scrimmage in program history, breaking the previous longest pass record of 92 yards from Bill Hess to Bob Higgins in 1919 and longest play from scrimmage record, set four different times on 92-yard plays, most recently a 92-yard run by Saquon Barkley vs. Washington in the 2017 Fiesta Bowl...Hit Jahan Dotson on 75- and 70-yard touchdown passes against Illinois (12/19/20), the first time in program history Penn State had two passing plays of 70 or more yards in the same game. 2021: Against Villanova, became the first PSU QB to throw for 400 passing yards and throw 4 touchdowns in

a game and the second QB in program history to throw for 400 yards in a game...Tossed an 83-yard touchdown to KeAndre Lambert-Smith against the Wildcats, the sixth longest passing play in program history. 2020: Threw for 340 yards against Maryland (11/7/20), tied for the 16th-most in a game at Penn State. 2019: Threw for 398 yards at Maryland (9/27/19), the third-most in a game at Penn State, trailing only Christian Hackenberg (454; vs. UCF, 2014) and Zack Mills (399; vs. lowa, 2002)...Gained 452 total yards vs. the Terrapins, the third-most in a game at Penn State, trailing only Trace McSorley (461; vs. Ohio State, 2018) and Hackenberg (456; vs. UCF, 2014)...Threw for 340 yards at Minnesota (11/9/19), tied for the 16th-most in a game at Penn State...Tallied 379 total yards vs. the Golden Gophers, the 11th-most in a game at PSU.

#### » 2021

Awards: Season: 2021 NFF National Scholar-Athlete Class...Selected to the Allstate AFCA Good Works Team. Midseason: Named a finalist for the NFF's William V. Campbell Trophy. Weekly: Named Big Ten Co-Offensive Player of the Week (9/27)...Tabbed to the Manning Award Stars of the Week and Davey O'Brilen Award Great 8 Lists (9/20). Preseason: Named to the Manning Award, Reese's Senior Bowl, Johnny Unitas Golden Arm and Wuerffel Trophy watch lists...Selected for NFLPA Collegiate Bowl Preseason Big Board.

Season: Has made 11 starts...Voted as a team captain...Joins Jonathan Sutherland as the first three-time captains in program history.

at Wisconsin (9/4): Completed 18-of-33 passes for 247 yards and a touchdown...Hit Jahan Dotson on a 49-yard score in the third quarter... Also completed a 42-yard pass to Dotson in the fourth quarter...Connected with KeAndre Lambert-Smith on a 54-yard pass and Parker Washington on a 24-yard completion. Ball State (9/11): Completed 21-of-29 passes for 241 yards and a touchdown...Connected with Jahan Dotson on a 25-yard catch and run for a touchdown...Added 11 carries for 66 yards, and a 1-yard rushing touchdown, with a season-long 43-yard rush... Selected Coaching Staff's Offensive Player of the Week. Auburn (9/18): Completed 28-of-32 passes for 280 yards and two touchdowns. Completed four passes of 20+ yards including a 40-yard pass to Brenton Strange... Connected with Jahan Dotson for a 4-yard TD in the first quarter and with Brenton Strange for a 2-yard touchdown in the second quarter...Had a team-long 20-yard rush. Villanova (9/25): Completed 19-of-26 passes for a career-high 401 yards and four touchdowns. His yardage total is the second most in a game in Penn State history and his four touchdown passes ties a career high. He compeleted seven passes of 20 or more yards and four passes of over 50 yards. Connected with KeAndre Lambert-Smith on an 82-yard touchdown pass in the third quarter, the longest play of the season for Penn State...Selected Coaching Staff's Offensive Player of the Week. Indiana (10/2): Finished 17-for-33 with 178 yards and three touchdowns...Found Brenton Strange for 10-yard TD in the first quarter...Hit Jahan Dotson for an 8-yard TD in the second quarter and a 30-yard score in the third quarter...Added 58 yards on 10 carries with a long rush of 18 yards. at lowa (10/9): Completed 15-of-25 passes for 146 yards...Led the Nittany Lions with 36 rushing yards on three carries... Scored a 4-yard rushing touchdown. Illinois (10/23): Completed 19of-34 passes for 165 yards and a touchdown...Connected with KeAndre Lambert-Smith on a 42-yard touchdown in the first quarter. at Ohio State (10/30): Completed a career high 38 passes for 361 yards and a touchdown...Had four completions of 20+ yards. at Maryland (11/6): Completed 27-of-42 passes for 363 yards...Connected with Jahan Dotson for three touchdowns...Completed a season-long 86-yard touchdown to Dotson. Michigan (11/13): Completed 23-of-43 passes for 205 yards and a touchdown. Rutgers (11/20): Completed 2-of-8 passes for 17 yards.

#### » 2021 GAME-BY-GAME

Passina (Comp-Att-Yds-TD-INT)

at Wisconsin 18-33-247-1-0; Ball State 21-29-230-1-0; Auburn 28-32-280-2-1; Villanova 19-26-401-4-1; Indiana 17-33-178-3-1; at Iowa 15-25-146-0-2; Illinois 19-34-165-1-0; at Ohio State 35-52-361-1-1; at Maryland 27-47-363-3-0; Michigan 23-43-205-1-0; Rutgers 2-8-17-0-0.

Rushina (Carries-Yards-TD)

at Wisconsin 5-4-0; Ball State 11-66-1; Auburn 5-24-0; Villanova 8-(-8)-0; Indiana 10-58-0; at Iowa 3-36-1; Illinois 5-(-28)-0; at Ohio State 7-(-11)-0; at Maryland 5-(-12)-0; Michigan 16-16-0; Rutgers 2-4-0.

#### » CLIFFORD'S CAREER PASSING STATISTICS & GAME HIGHS TD-INT LG C-A Yds. 5-7 2-0 95 2019 189-319 2,654 59.2 23-7 221.2 72 2020 152-251 1.883 60.6 16-9 209.2 75 2021 224-362 2.599 61.9 17-6 236.3 86 CAREER 570-939 7,331 60.7 58-22 203.6 95

Pass Completions	35; at Ohio State, 10/30/21
Pass Attempts	57; Maryland, 11/7/20
Passing Yards	
Passing Touchdowns	4; Three times: Last Villanova, 9/25/21
Long Pass	
20-yard or Longer Completions In A G	ame 7; Twice: Last Villanova, 9/25/21
200-yard Passing Games	18; Last Michigan (205), 11/13/21
300-yard Passing Games	6; Last at Maryland (363), 11/6/21
400-yard Passing Games	1;Villanova (401), 9/25/21
2 or more Passing Touchdowns	16; Last: at Maryland (3), 11/7/21
3 or more Passing Touchdowns	11; Last: at Maryland (3), 11/7/21
4 or more Passing Touchdowns	3; Last Villanova (4), 9/25/21
Multi-Passing Touchdown Quarters	8; Last Villanova (2, 3rd), 9/25/21
Multi-Passing Touchdown Halves	14; Last: Indiana (2, 1st), 10/2/21
20-yard or Longer Completions	97; Last Michigan (5), 11/13/21

#### » CLIFFORD'S CAREER RUSHING STATISTICS & GAME HIGHS Att.-Yds. Avg. TD LG

Rec.-Yds. Ava. TD LG

452 yards: at Maryland 0/27/10

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2020       99-335       3.4       3       35       -       -       -         2021       79-142       1.8       2       43       -       -       -       -         CAREER       299-876       2.9       10       58       -<	2018	5-(-3)	-0.6	-	6	-	-	-	-
2021       79-142       1.8       2       43       -       -       -         CAREER       299-876       2.9       10       58       - <t< td=""><td>2019</td><td>116-402</td><td>3.5</td><td>5</td><td>58</td><td>-</td><td>-</td><td>-</td><td>-</td></t<>	2019	116-402	3.5	5	58	-	-	-	-
CAREER         299-876         2.9         10         58            Rushing Attempts	2020	99-335	3.4	3	35	-	-	-	-
Rushing Attempts         18; Ohio State, 10/31/           Rushing Yards         119; at Indiana, 10/24/           Rushing Touchdowns         2; Indiana, 11/16/           Longest Rush         58 yards; Buffalo, 9/7/           100-yard Rushing Games         1: at Indiana (119), 10/24/           2 or more Rushing Touchdowns         1: Indiana, 11/16/	2021	79-142	1.8	2	43	-	-	-	-
Rushing Yards       .119; at Indiana, 10/24/         Rushing Touchdowns       .2; Indiana, 11/16/         Longest Rush       .58 yards; Buffalo, 9/7/         100-yard Rushing Games       .1: at Indiana (119), 10/24/         2 or more Rushing Touchdowns       .1: Indiana, 11/16/	CAREER	299-876	2.9	10	58	-	-	-	-
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300 yards Total Offense	9; Last at Maryland (367), 11/6/21
400 yards Total Offense	1; at Maryland (452), 9/27/19
Passing and Rushing Touchdown Games	6; Last Michigan State, 12/12/20

#### SEBASTIAN **COSTANTINI** 29

Safety | 5-11 | 191 **Redshirt Sophomore** Collegeville, Pa./Malvern PRep Major: Computer Science

#### » 2021

Total Offence

Season: Has appeared in 11 games on special teams.

Ball State (9/11): Had a pass breakup.

» COSTANTINI'S CAREER STATISTICS & GAME HIGHS										
	UA-A	TK	FF	FR	- 1	PBU	SACK	TFL		
2020	1-0	1	-	-	-	-	-	-		
2021	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-		
CAREER	1-0	1	-	-	-	1	-	-		
Tacklos							1. Illinois	12/10/20		

Pass Breakups. 1: Ball State, 9/11/21



#### NICK **DAWKINS** Offensive Line | 6-4 | 312 Redshirt Freshman Allentown, Pa./Parkland

Major: Division of Undergraduate Studies

Season: Has appeared in nine games on special teams...One of 29 Nittany Lions to make their collegiate debut this season.



### DOMINIC **DELUCA**

Linebacker | 6-1 | 212 Freshman West Pittston, Pa./Wyoming Area Major: Division of Undergraduate Studies

#### » 2021

Season: Has appeared in two games on special teams...One of 34 Nittany Lions to make their PSU debut this season...One of 29 Nittany Lions to make their collegiate debut this season...One of 10 true freshman to play this season...Selected Coaching Staff's Developmental Squad Defensive Player of the Week following the Ball State game (9/11), Villanova (9/25) and Maryland (11/6) games.



#### JOHNNY **DIXON**

CB | 6-0 | 186 Tampa, Fla./Chamberlian/South Carolina Major: Recreation, Park, and Tourism Management

#### » 2021

Season: Has appeared in 11 games...One of 34 players to make their Penn State debut this season.

Ball State (9/11): Tallied four tackles; Villanova (9/25): Had one pass breakup. at Maryland (11/6): Recorded two solo tackles. Michigan (11/13): Assisted on a tackle for loss. Rutgers (11/20): Assisted on a tackle.

#### » 2021 GAME-BY-GAME

Tackles (Solo-Assisted-Total)

at Wisconsin 0-0-0; Ball State 3-1-4; Auburn DNP; Villanova 0-0-0; Indiana 0-0-0; at lowa 0-0-0; Illinois 0-0-0; at Ohio State 0-0-0; at Maryland 2-0-2; Michigan 0-1-1; Rutgers 0-1-1.

» DIXON	'S CARE	ER ST	ratis	TICS 8	GAM	E HIGI	łS	
	UA-A	TK	FF	FR	Т	PBU	SACK	TFL
2019*	2-1	3	-	-	1	1	-	1-2
2020*	28-6	34	-	1	-	5	-	-
2021	5-2	7	-	-	-	1	-	0.5-0
CARFER	35-9	44	-	1	1	7	-	1.5-2

Tackles	5; Georgia, 2/28/20*
Interceptions	
Pass Breakups	2; Florida, 10/3/20*

NOTE: Played for South Carolina 2019-2020; \*At South Carolina



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### JAHAN DOTSON Wide Receiver | 5-11 | 184

Nazareth, Pa./Nazareth Area Major: Telecommunications

#### » CAREER NOTES & RECORDS

Career: Ranks third all-time at Penn State in career receiving touchdowns (23), fourth in receiving yards (2,620) and fourth in receptions (175). Is one of 10 Nittany Lions to reach the 2,000 career receiving yards mark... Owns 10 career 100-yard receiving games, tied for second all-time at Penn State...Ranks sixth all-time at Penn State with a 14.6 punt return average.

Season: Records Set: Owns the Penn State single season record for punt return average (24.6; 2020)...Tied the Penn State record with five touchdown catches in first three games, matching Joe Jurevicius (1997). 2021: Became the sixth Penn State wide receiver to record a 1,000 yard receiving season (1,045). 2020: Finished tied for 11th in a single season at Penn State for receiving touchdowns (8), 13th in receiving yardage (884), and tied for 17th in receptions (52)...Became first Penn State player with at least one touchdown reception in each of the first three games of a season since Allen Robinson in 2013 (vs. Syracuse, Eastern Michigan, UCF)...Had 238 receiving yards through first two games of season, most by a PSU receiver since Geno Lewis (271; 2014) and most by a PSU receiver in first two Big Ten games of a season since Allen Robinson (257; 2013)... One of eight receivers (nine occasions) to have five 100-yard games in a season and the third to do so since 2000, joining Allen Robinson (8; 2013), Bryant Johnson (5; 2001) and Chris Godwin (5; 2015)... Owns 38 career receptions of 20 or more yards, six career touchdown catches of 60 or more

yards (86 at Maryland, 2021); 75 vs. Illinois, 2020; 70 vs. Illinois, 2020; 68 vs. Iowa, 2020; 60 at Indiana, 2020; 72 vs. Purdue, 2019) and nine of 40 or more yards.

Game: 2021: Set the Penn State single-game receiving record with 242 yards against Maryland (11/7). He also tied career-highs with 11 receptions and three touchdowns in the game. He connected with Sean Clifford on a career-long 86-yard touchdown reception in the fourth quarter. 2020: Had three touchdown receptions against Ohio State (10/31), becoming first Penn State player with three touchdown receptions in a game since Pat Freiermuth vs. Michigan State in 2019 and the first PSU receiver to accomplish the feat since DaeSean Hamilton vs. Indiana in 2017... With an 81-yard punt return for a touchdown and a 100-yard receiving performance vs. Michigan State (12/12), he became one of three Big Ten players to have 100 receiving yards and a punt return for a touchdown in the same game since 2000 (Michigan's Steve Breaston, 2006 vs. Indiana; Wisconsin's Brandon Williams, 2005 vs. Indiana)...The 81-yard punt return was the eighth longest in program history and the longest since Bryant Johnson's 81-yarder vs. against Michigan State in 2002...With 75- and 70-yard touchdown receptions vs. Illinois (12/19), became the first Penn State player to have two catches of 70 or more yards in a game...Tallied 189 receiving yards vs. Illinois, which rank sixth in Penn State history and are the most in a game since Allen Robinson totaled 197 receiving yards in 2012 vs. Indiana.

#### » 2021

Awards Midseason: Named a Biletnikoff Award semifinalist...Named Walter Camp Player of the Year semifinalist...Selected Midseason All-America second team by The Athletic. Weekly: Selected to the Paul Hornung Award Honor Roll twice (10/2 vs. Indiana and 9/18 vs. Auburn)... Recee's Senior Bowl Player of the Week (11/6 vs. Maryland)...Big Ten Co-Offensive Player of the Week (11/6 vs. Maryland)...Named to the PFF National Team of the Week after the Maryland game. Preseason: Named to the Biletnikoff Award, Maxwell Award, Paul Hornung Award and Reese's Senior Bowl Watch Lists...Selected a Big Ten Player To Watch...Selected for NFLPA Collegiate Bowl Preseason Big Board.

**Season:** Has made ten starts...Has made at least one catch in 40-straight games dating back to the Indiana game (10/20/18)...Had at least five-receptions in 12 straight games until the Rutgers game.

at Wisconsin (9/4): Recorded his third straight 100-yard receiving game with five catches for 102 yards and a touchdown...Hauled in a 49-yard touchdown catch in the third quarter...Added a 42-yard reception...Named Coaching Staff's Offensive Player of the Week. Ball State (9/11): Corralled five catches for 65 yards and a touchdown...Scored on a 25-yard catch and run from Sean Clifford in the second quarter. Auburn (9/18): Recorded a career-high 10 catches for 78 yards and a touchdown...Corralled a 4-yard touchdown pass from Clifford in the first quarter. Completed his first-career pass to Tyler Warren for 22 yards...Had a 22-yard catch. Villanova (9/25): Tallied seven catches for 117 yards and a touchdown...connected with Sean Clifford on the team's first offensive play for a 52-yard touchdown. Indiana (10/2): Made eight grabs for 84 yards and two touchdowns... Tallied 8- and 30-yard touchdown receptions from Sean Clifford...Logged 53 yards after catches...Named Coaching Staff's Offensive Player of the Week. at Iowa (10/9): Tallied eight catches for 48 yards. Illinois (10/23): Posted 58 yards on six catches. at Ohio State (10/30): Tallied a careerhigh 11 catches for 127 yards. Recorded his first career rushing touchdown. at Maryland (11/6): Set the Penn State single game receiving yardage record with 242 yards...Tied career-highs with 11 receptions and three touchdowns...Connected with Sean Clifford on a career-long 86-yard touchdown reception...Selected Coaching Staff's Offensive Player of the Week. Michigan (11/13): Tallied nine catches for 61 yards. Rutgers (11/20): Had three catches for 52 yards with a touchdown.

#### » 2021 GAME-BY-GAME

Receiving (Receptions-Yards-TD)

at Wisconsin 5-102-1; Ball State 5-65-1; Auburn 10-78-1; Villanova 7-117-1; Indiana 8-84-2; at Iowa 8-48-0; Illinois 6-69-0; at Ohio State 11-127-0; at Maryland 11-242-3; Michigan 9-61-0; Rutgers 3-52-1.

» DOTSON'S CAREER STATISTICS & GAME HIGHS												
TD	LG											
-	35											
5	72											
8	75											
10	86											
23	86											
/land, 11	1/6/21											
<b>Receiving Yards</b>												
y	8 10 <b>23</b> yland, 1											

CAREER	0-10	1.3		,	1/3-2020	15.0	23	00		
Receptions				1	1; Twice: Last a	at Maryl	and, 11	/6/21		
Receiving Yards242; at Maryland, 11/6/										
<b>Receiving Touchdowns</b> 3; Four times: Last at Maryland, 11/6/2										
Long Recep	tion				86 yards; a	at Marya	Ind, 11	/6/21		
100-yard Re	ceiving Ga	mes		1	0; Last: at Mar	yland (2	42), 11	/6/21		
2 or more R	eceiving To	ouchdow	/ns		5; Last at N	laryland	(3), 11	/6/21		
3 or more R	eceiving To	ouchdow	ns		4; Last at N	laryland	(3), 11	/6/21		
20-yard Rec	eptions				38; Last at N	laryland	(4), 11	/6/21		
Rushing Att	empts			1	; six times: Las	t Michig	an, 11/	13/21		
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### » 2021 GAME-BY-GAME

Punt Returns (Returns-Yards-TD-Average)

at Wisconsin 2-17-0-8.5; Ball State 1-0-0.0-0-0; Auburn 1-16-0-16.0; Villanova 2-20-10.0; Indiana 2-18-9.0; at Iowa 1-1-1.0; Illinois 0-0-0; at Ohio State 0-0-0; at Maryland 1-12-0; Michigan 1-9-0.

» DOTSON'S CAREER PUNT RETURN STATISTICS & GAME HIGHS

**Rushing Touchdowns** . . . . . . . 1; at Ohio State, 10/30/21

2018	<b>No.</b> 1	<b>Yds.</b> -2	Avg.	TD	LG		
2018	1	-2					
2010		- Z	-2.0	-	-2		
2019	2	39	19.5	-	30		
2020	8	197	24.6	1	81		
2021	14	104	7.6	-	12		
CAREER	24	337	14.4	1	81		
Punt Returns			2; Six times: Last Rutgers, 11/20/21				
<b>Punt Return Yard</b>	ls		81; N	lichigan State	, 12/12/20		
Long Punt Return	n		81 yards; N	lichigan State	, 12/12/20		
<b>Punt Return Touc</b>	hdowns						
All-Purpose Yards	s		239; Illinois, 12/19/20				



# JADEN **DOTTIN**Wide Receiver | 6-2 | 186 Redshirt Freshman

Cambridge, Mass./Suffield Academy
Major: Division of Undergraduate Studies

#### » 2021

**Season:** Has appeared in two games...One of 29 Nittany Lions to make their PSU debut this season...One of 34 Nittany Lions to make their collegiate debut this season.



#### ROBBIE **DWYER**

Linebacker | 6-1 | 258 Redshirt Sophomore Pringle, Pa./Wyoming Valley West Major: Health Policy and Administration

#### » 2021

**Season:** Has appeared in eight games on special teams...Named Coaching Staff's Developmental Squad Defensive Player of the Week following the Illinois game (10/23).



#### ARNOLD **EBIKETIE**

Defensive End | 6-3 | 256 Redshirt Senior Silver Spring, Md./Albert Einstein/Temple Major: Recreation, Park, and Tourism Management

#### » 2021

**Awards:** *Midseason:* Accepted Reese's Senior Bowl invite...Tabbed Midseason First Team All-America by The Athletic. *Preseason:* Named to the Reese's Senior Bowl Watch List and Ted Hendricks Award Watch List... Selected for NFLPA Collegiate Bowl Preseason Big Board.

**Season:** Has made 12 starts...One of 34 players to make their Nittany Lion debut this season...One of 12 players to make their first career start at Penn State.

at Wisconsin (9/4): Recorded seven tackles, all solo...Notched two tackles for loss, including a key sack in the fourth quarter on Wisconsin's final drive...Blocked a field goal in the first guarter, Penn State's first blocke field goal since Shaka Toney against Michigan State in 2019...Named Coaching Staff's Defensive Player of the Week. Ball State (9/11): Tallied four tackles including one for loss. Auburn (9/18): Recorded five tackles with three quarterback hurries. Villanova (9/25): Had three tackles. Indiana (10/2): Blocked a field goal in the third guarter...Recorded a sack in the fourth quarter...Added three tackles...Named Coaching Staff's Special Teams Player of the Week. at lowa (10/9): Recorded nine tackles with a career-high tying 3.5 tackles for loss and a sack. Illinois (10/23): Posted a career-high tying 10 tackles with 1.5 sacks and two tackles for loss. at Ohio State (10/30): Tallied three tackles and 1.5 tackles-for-loss. at Maryland (11/6): Recorded two tackles and a sack. Michigan (11/13): Tallied seven tackles with two sacks and a forced fumble. Rutgers (11/20): Recorded five tackles with a sack and a forced fumble.

#### » 2021 GAME-BY-GAME

Tackles (Solo-Assisted-Total)

at Wisconsin 7-0-7; Ball State 1-3-4; Auburn 5-0-5; Villanova 2-1-3; Indiana 2-1-3; at Iowa 5-4-9; Illinois 4-6-10; at Ohio State 1-2-3; at Maryland 2-0-2; Michigan 2-5-7; Rutgers 1-4-5.

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» EBIKE	TIE'S' C	AREEI	R STA	TISTIC	:S & G	AME I	HIGHS											
	UA-A	TK	FF	FR	- 1	PBU	SACK	TFL										
2017*	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-										
2018*	4-0	4	-	-	-	-	-	-										
2019*	10-3	13	-	-	-	-	2.0-11	2.0-11										
2020*	28-14	42	3	1	-	-	4.0-25	8.5-38										
2021	32-26	58	1	-	-	-	9.5-62	16.0-77										
CAREER	73-39	112	4	1	-	-	14.0-98	25.5-126										
Tackles					. 10; Tw	ice: Last	vs. Illinois	, 10/23/21										
Tackles fo	r Loss				3.5;	Twice: L	ast at low	ra, 10/9/21										
Sacks						2.0;	Michigan	, 11/13/21										
Forced Fu	mbles			1; F	our Tin	nes Last:	Michigan	, 11/13/21										
Fumble Re	ecoveries						1; USF,	10/17/20*										
Blocked K	Blocked Kicks 1; Twice: Last Indiana, 10/2/21																	
NOTE: Play	ed for Temp	le 2017-	2020; */	At Temple				NOTE: Played for Temple 2017-2020; *At Temple										



### BRYCE **EFFNER**

Offensive Line | 6-5 | 305 Redshirt Junior Aurora, III./Metea Valley Major: Psychology

#### » 2021

**Season:** Has appeared in 10 games, making one start at left tackle...One of nine Nittany Lions to make their first career start this season.

**Rutgers (11/20):** Helped guide the Penn State offense to 407 yards of totale offense. Blocked for Christian Veilleux as he threw for three touchdowns.



#### DVON **ELLIES**

Defensive Tackle | 6-1 | 303 Redshirt Sophomore Burtonsville, Md./McDonogh School Major: Telecommunications

#### » 2021

Season: Has appeared in 10 games.

at Wisconsin (9/4): Tallied a career-high-tying two tackles. Indiana (10/2): Assisted on two tackles...Added a QB hurry. at lowa (10/9): Recorded one tackle and a QB hurry. at Ohio State (10/30): Assisted on a tackle. Michigan (11/13): Assisted on three tackles. Rutgers (11/20): Recorded one tackle with a tackle for loss.

#### » 2021 GAME-BY-GAME

Tackles (Solo-Assisted-Total)

at Wisconsin 2-0-2; Ball State 0-0-0; Auburn 0-0-0; Villanova 0-0-0; Indiana 0-2-2; at Iowa 1-0-1; Illinois 0-0-0; at Ohio State 0-1-1; at Maryland 0-0-0; Michigan 0-3-3; Rutgers 1-0-1.

#### » ELLIES' CAREER STATISTICS & GAME HIGHS PBU SACK TFL TK FF FR 2019 2020 3-0 1.0-10 1.0-10 2021 4-6 10 1.0-1 CAREER 7-6 13 1.0-10 2.0-11



#### KEATON **ELLIS**

Safety | 5-11 | 190 Junior

State College, Pa./State College Area Major: Recreation, Park, and Tourism Mgmt.

#### » 2021

Season: Has appeared in nine games.

**Villanova (9/25):** Tallied two tackles and a pass breakup. **Indiana (10/2):** Assisted on a tackle. **at Ohio State (10/30):** Had a solo tackle; **at Maryland (11/6):** Posted two tackles. **Michigan (11/13):** Tallied two tackles.**Rutgers (11/20):** Recorded three tackles.

#### » 2021 GAME-BY-GAME

Tackles (Solo-Assisted-Total)

at Wisconsin DNP; Ball State DNP; Auburn 0-0-0; Villanova 2-0-2; Indiana 0-1-1; Iowa DNP; Illinois 0-0-0; at Ohio State 1-0-1; at Maryland 2-0-2; Michigan 2-0-2; Rutgers 2-1-3.

### » ELLIS' CAREER STATISTICS & GAME HIGHS

	UA-A	IK	H	FK	- 1	PRO	SACK	IFL			
2019	9-9	18	3	1	-	2	-	-			
2020	7-5	12	-	-	1	3	-	1-4			
2021	9-2	11	-	-	-	1	-	-			
CAREER	25-16	41	3	1	1	6	-	1-4			
Tackles					6; lowa, 11/12/20						
Forced Fu	mhlac			1·Th	1. Three times: Last Minnesota 11/19/19						

**Pass Breakups**......1; Villanova, 9/25/21



#### TYLER **ELSDON** 43

Linebacker | 6-2 | 229 Redshirt Freshman Frackville, Pa./North Schuykill Major: Division of Undergraduate Studies

#### » 2021

Season: Has appeared in nine games.

**Ball State (9/11):** Recorded three tackles. **Villanova (9/25):** Added a tackle. **Indiana (10/2):** Made a solo tackle. **at Maryland (11/6):** Recorded a tackle.

#### » 2021 GAME-BY-GAME

Tackles (Solo-Assisted-Total)

at Wisconsin 0-0-0; Ball State 2-1-3; Auburn DNP; Villanova 0-1-1; Indiana 1-0-1; Iowa 0-0-0; Illinois 0-0-0; at Ohio State 0-0-0; at Maryland 1-0-1; Michigan 0-0-0; Rutgers 0-0-0.

#### » ELSDON'S CAREER STATISTICS & GAME HIGHS

	UA-A	TK	FF	FR	- 1	PBU	SACK	TFL	
2020	1-0	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	
2021	4-2	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	
CAREER	5-2	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Tackles						3	· Rall Stat	9/11/21 م	



#### WINSTON **EUBANKS**

Wide Receiver | 6-0 | 196 Redshirt Senior Philadelphia, Pa,/LaSalle Colle

Philadelphia, Pa./LaSalle College/Shippensburg Major: Rehabilitation and Human Services

#### » 2021

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**Season:** Has appeared in seven games...One of 34 players to make their Nittany Lion debut this season.

Villanova (9/25): Recorded his first catch as a Nittany Lion.

#### » EUBANKS' CAREER STATISTICS & GAME HIGHS

	AttYds.	Avg.	TD	LG	RecYds.	Avg.	TD	LG
2017*	-	-	-	-	45-1,202	26.7	12	83
2018*	-	-	-	-	43-755	17.6	8	75
2019*	-	-	-	-	60-896	14.9	8	76
2021	-	-	-	-	1-2	2.0	-	2
CAREER	-	-	-	-	149-2,855	19.3	28	83

Receptions	12; at California (Pa.), 9/21/19*
Receiving Yards	176; West Chester, 10/7/17*
Receiving Touchdowns	3; Lock Haven, 11/2/19*
Long Reception	33 yards; Bloomsburg, 11/4/17*



#### OLUMUYIWA **FASHANU** 74

Offensive Lineman | 6-6| 313 Redshirt Freshman Waldorf, Md./ Gonzaga College Major: Division of Undergraduate Studies

#### » 2021

**Season:** Has appeared in eight games...One of 29 players to make their collegiate debut this season.



#### HENRY **FESSLER**

Wide Receiver | 5-10 | 181 Redshirt Junior Erie, Pa./Cathedral Prep Major: Marketing

#### » 2021

**Season:** Has appeared in one game for the Nittany Lions...One of 29 Nittany Lions to make their collegiate debut this season and one of 34 to make their Penn State debut...Named Coaching Staff's Developmental Squad Special Teams Player of the Week after the Wisconsin game (9/4).



#### ZURIAH **FISHER**

Defensive End | 6-3| 260 Redshirt Freshman Aliquippa, Pa./Aliquippa Major: Division of Undergraduate Studies

#### » 2021

**Season:** Has appeared in eight games.

Indiana (10/2): Recorded first career tackle.

#### » 2021 GAME-BY-GAME

Tackles (Solo-Assisted-Total)

at Wisconsin 0-0-0; Ball State 0-0-0; Auburn DNP; Villanova 0-0-0; Indiana 1-0-1; at Iowa 0-0-0; Illinois DNP; at Ohio State DNP; at Maryldn 0-1-1; Michigan 0-0-0; Rutgers 0-0-0.

### » FISHER'S CAREER STATISTICS & GAME HIGHS

	UA-A	TK	FF	FR	- 1	PBU	SACK	TFL
2020	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2021	1-1	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
CAREER	1-1	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
Tackles							1: Indian	a. 10/2/21



#### DEVYN **FORD**

Running Back | 5-11 | 200 Junior Stafford, Va./North Stafford Major: Liberal Arts

#### » 2021

Season: Has appeared in seven games, making one start.

at Wisconsin (9/4): Had a one-yard carry...Had a 21-yard kick return. Ball State (9/11): Recorded 32 yards on six carries...Added three kick returns for 67 yards including a career-long 31-yard return. Auburn (9/18): Had one kick return for 17 yards. Villanova (9/25): Recorded two carries for four yards...Had two kick returns for 34 yards. Indiana (10/2): Tallied a 12-yard carry...Added a 9-yard reception. at Iowa (10/9): Had one carry and one reception.

#### » 2021 GAME-BY-GAME

Rushina (Carries-Yards-TD)

at Wisconsin 1-1-0; Ball State 6-32-0; Auburn 0-0-0; Villanova 2-4-0; Indiana 1-12-0; at Iowa 1-1-0; Illinois DNP; at Ohio State DNP; at Maryland DNP; Michigan 0-0-0; Rutgers DNP.

#### » FORD'S CAREER STATISTICS & GAME HIGHS

	AttYds.	Avg.	TD	LG	RecYds.	Avg.	TD	LG
2019	52-294	5.7	3	81	5-30	6.0	-	15
2020	67-274	4.1	3	23	7-24	3.4	-	8
2021	11-50	4.9	-	12	2-15	7.5	-	
CAREER	130-618	4.8	6	81	15-72	4.8	-	15

CANLLIN	130-010	7.0	U	01	13-72	7.0	-	15
Rushing A	ttempts				20	; at India	na, 10,	/24/20
Rushing Y	ards					107; ld	aho, 8,	/31/19
Rushing T	ouchdowns.			1;	Six Times: La	st at Rute	gers, 12	2/5/20
Longest R	ush				81	yards; Id	aho, 8,	/31/19
100-yard l	Rushing Gan	ies				1; Id	aho, 8,	/31/19
Reception	ıs				3; Twice: Las	t at India	na, 10,	/24/20
Receiving	Yards				15;	at Maryl	and, 9	/27/19
Longest R	eception				15:	at Marvl	and, 9	/27/19

### » 2021 GAME-BY-GAME

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Kick Returns (Returns-Yards-TD-Average)

at Wisconsin 1-21-0-21.0; Ball State 3-67-0-22.3; Auburn 1-17-0-17.0; Villanova 2-34-17.0; Indiana 0-0-0.0; Iowa 0-0-0.0; Illinois DNP; at Ohio State DNP; at Maryland DNP; Michigan 0-0-0; Rutgers DNP.

#### FORD'S KICK RETURN STATISTICS & GAME HIGHS

	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	LG
2019	-	-	-	-	-
2020	5	93	18.6	-	28
2021	7	139	18.9	-	31
CAREER	12	232	19.3	-	31
Kick Returns				3; Ball State	e, 9/11/21
Kick Return Yar	ds			. 67; Ball Stat	e, 9/11/21
Long Kick Retu	rn		31 y	ards; Ball Stat	e, 9/11/21
All-Purpose Yar	ds		107 yard	s; at Nebraska,	, 11/14/20



#### DANIEL **GEORGE**

Wide Receiver | 6-2 | 206 Redshirt Junior

Redshirt Junior Fort Washington, Md./Oxon Hill Major: Journalism

#### » CAREER NOTES & RECORDS

**Game: 2018:** Caught a pass from Sean Clifford for a 95-yard touchdown against Kent State (9/15) for the longest pass play and play from scrimmage in program history...Was the longest pass in program history, breaking the previous record of 92 yards from Bill Hess to Bob Higgins in 1919...Broke the longest play from scrimmage record, which was four different 92-yard efforts - a pass from Bill Hess to Bob Higgins in 1919 and rushes by Blair Thomas in 1986, Bill Belton in 2014 and Saquon Barkley in 2017.

#### » 2021

**Season:** Has appeared in 11 games.

**Ball State (9/11):** Selected Coaching Staff's Special Teams Player of the Week.

» GEOR	SE'S CARE	ER ST	ATIS	TICS	8 GAME H	IGHS		
	AttYds.	Avg.	TD	LG	RecYds.	Avg.	TD	LG
2018	-	-	-	-	2-112	56.0	1	95
2019	-	-	-	-	9-100	11.1	-	22
2020	-	-	-	-	7-73	10.4	-	21
2021	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
CAREER	-	-	-	-	18-285	15.8	1	95
Reception	15				3;	at India	na, 10/	/24/20
Receiving	Yards				95	; Kent S	tate, 9/	/15/18
Receiving	Touchdown	s				I; Kent S	tate, 9/	/15/18
Long Rec	eption					; Kent S	tate, 9/	/15/18
20-yard R	eceptions				4; Last N	<b>Narylanc</b>	l (1), 1	1/7/20



### FRED **HANSARD** 53

Defensive Tackle | 6-3 | 309 Redshirt Senior Burlington, N.J./The Hun School Major: Media Studies

» 2021

Season: Has appeared in six games.

» HANS	RD'S C	AREE	R STA	TISTIC	:s & c	SAME I	HIGHS	
	UA-A	TK	FF	FR	Т	PBU	SACK	TFL
2018	1-1	2	-	-	-	-	-	0.5-1
2019	5-10	15	-	-	-	-	1.0-8	4.5-13
2020	0-6	6	-	-	-	-	0.5-0	0.5-1
2021	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
CAREER	6-17	23	-	-	-	-	1.5-8	5.5-15
Tackles					3; Twice	: Last vs.	Memphis	, 12/28/19
Tackles fo	r Loss						1.5; Buff	alo, 9/7/19
Sacks						1	0: Purdi	ie. 10/5/19



#### DAEOUAN **HARDY**

Cornerback | 5-9 | 180 Redshirt Sophomore Pittsburgh, Pa./Penn Hills Major: Division of Undergraduate Studies

#### » 2021

**Season:** Has appeared in nine games, making one start...One of nine Nittany Lions to make their first career start this season.

at Wisconsin (9/4): Recorded one tackle. Ball State (9/11): Tallied three tackles and recorded his first career interception...Selected Coaching Staff's Defensive Player of the Week. Auburn (9/18): Recorded two tackles. Villanova (9/25): Added a pass breakup. Indiana (10/2): Made first career start...Tallied two pass breakups...Added a solo tackle...Named Coaching Staff's Defensive Player of the Week. at Iowa (10/9): Recorded two tackles...Added a career-high two tackles-for-loss and a sack at Ohio State (10/30): Recorded three tackles. at Maryland (11/6): Tallied two tackles. Michigan (11/13): Had a pass breakup. Rutgers (11/20): Recorded a tackle and a tackle for loss.

### » 2021 GAME-BY-GAME

Tackles (Solo-Assisted-Total)

at Wisconsin 1-0-1; Ball State 2-1-3; Auburn 1-1-2; Villanova 0-0-0; Indiana 1-0-1; at Iowa 2-0-2; Illinois 0-0-0; at Ohio State 2-1-3; at Maryland 1-1-2; Michigan 0-0-0; Rutgers 1-0-1.

» HARD	y's car	EER S	TATIS	STICS	6 GAN	AE HIG	iHS	
	UA-A	TK	FF	FR	- 1	PBU	SACK	TFL
2019	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2020	8-2	10	-	-	-	2	1.0-7	1.0-7
2021	11-4	15	-	-	1	7	1.0-8	3.0-13
CAREER	19-6	25	-	-	1	9	2.0-15	4.0-20
Tackles				3	; Twice:	: Last at (	Ohio State	, 10/30/21
Tackles fo	r Loss						2.0; at low	a, 10/9/21
Intercepti	ions					1	; Ball Stat	e, 9/11/21
Sacks					1.0;	Twice: L	ast at low	a, 10/9/21
Pass Brea	kups						. 2; Indian	a, 10/2/21



#### DREW HARTLAUB

Safety | 5-11 | 180 Redshirt Senior Hanover, Pa./South Western Major: Telecommunications

#### » 2021

**Season:** Has appeared in 11 games on special teams...Named Coaching Staff's Special Teams Player of the Week following the Wisconsin game (9/4).

»HARTL	AUB'S C	AREE	R ST	ITISTI	CS &	GAME	HIGHS	
	UA-A	TK	FF	FR	Т	PBU	SACK	TFL
2018	1-2	3	-	-	-	-	-	-
2019	1-3	4	-	1	-	-	-	-
2020	2-3	5	-	1	-	-	-	-
2021	4-0	4	-	-	-	-	-	-
CAREER	7-8	15	-	2	-	-	-	-
Tackles				2;T	hree tir	nes: Last	Michigan	, 11/13/21

Fumble Recoveries . . . . . . . . 1; Twice: Last at Michigan, 11/28/20



#### CAZIAH **HOLMES**

Running Back | 5-11 | 211 Sophomore Titusville, Fla./Cocoah

Major: Division of Undergraduate Studies

#### » 2021

**Season:** Has appeared in three games...Named Coaching Staff's Developmental Squad Offensive Player of the Week following the Auburn (9/18) game and Special Teams Player of the Week following the Indiana Game (10/2).

**Ball State (9/11):** Tallied three yards on one carry. **Villanova (9/25):** Recorded nine yards on one carry. **Rutgers (11/20):** Tallied three carries for 15 yards.

#### » 2021 GAME-BY-GAME

Rushing (Carries-Yards-TD)

Wisconsin DNP; Ball State 1-3-0; Auburn DNP; Villanova 1-9-0; Indiana DNP; Iowa DNP; Illinois DNP; at Ohio State DNP; at Maryland DNP; Michigan DNP; Rutgers 3-15-0.

#### » HOLMES' CAREER STATISTICS & GAME HIGHS

2020	51-227	4.5	2					
			2	36	6-37	6.2	0	12
2021	5-27	5.4	-	9	-	-	-	6
CAREER	56-254	4.5	2	36	6-37	6.2	-	12
-								
Rushing Ya	rds					.77; Illir	nois, 12	2/19/2
Rushing To	uchdowns.					.2; Illino	ois, 12/	19/20
Longest Ru	sh				36 yards; a	t Nebras	ka, 11/	14/20
Receptions						3; lov	wa, 11/	21/20
Receiving Y	ards					19; Illino	ois, 12/	19/20
Long Recep	tion				12 ya	rds; Illino	ois, 12/	19/20



#### DES **HOLMES**

Offensive Line | 6-5| 321 Redshirt Senior Norristown, Pa./Cardinal O'Hara Major: Media Studies

#### » 2021

Season: Has appeared in 11 games.

**Ball State (9/11):** Helped guide the Penn State offense to 493 yards of total offense...Blocked for Sean Clifford as he recorded 230 yards and a touchdown...Helped guide three different rushers to 60-plus yards on the ground. **Villanova (9/25):** Helped Sean Clifford throw for a career-high 401 yards and four touchdowns...Guided the Penn State offense to 509 total yards.



#### GOLDEN ISRAEL-ACHUMBA 78

Offensive Line | 6-4 | 334 Redshirt Freshman Bowie, Md./DeMatha Catholic Major: Division of Undergraduate Studies

#### » 2021

**Season:** Has appeared in one game for the Nittany Lions...One of 29 Nittany Lions to make their collegiate debut this season.



#### COZIAH **IZZARD**

Defensive Tackle | 6-3| 295 Redshirt Freshman Columbia, Md./DeMatha Catholic Major: Division of Undergraduate Studies

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#### » 2021

**Season:** Has appeared in 11 games and made five starts...One of nine Nittany Lions to make their first career start this season...One of 34 Nittany Lions to make their PSU debut this season...One of 29 Nittany Lions to make their collegiate debut this season.

Ball State (9/11): Tallied one tackle. Auburn (9/18): Recorded one tackle. Villanova (9/25): Posted a career-high three tackles. at lowa (10/9): Recorded a QB hurry. Illinois (10/23): Tallied five tackles in first career start. at Ohio State (10/30): Had one tackle-for-loss; at Maryland (11/6): Posted one tackle. Michigan (11/13): Recorded two tackles. Rutgers (11/20): Tallied four tackles with a sack and a forced fumble.

#### » 2021 GAME-BY-GAME

Tackles (Solo-Assisted-Total)

at Wisconsin 0-0-0; Ball State 0-1-1; Auburn 0-1-1; Villanova 2-1-3; Indiana 0-0-0; at Iowa 0-0-0; Illinois 2-3-5; at Ohio State 1-0-1; at Marylyand 1-0-1; Michigan 1-1-2. Rutgers 2-2-4.

#### » IZZARD'S CAREER STATISTICS & GAME HIGHS

	UA-A	TK	FF	FR	- 1	PBU	SACK	TFL
2021	9-9	18	1	-	-	-	2-14	3-15
CAREER	9-9	18	1	-	-	-	2-14	3-15
Tackles							5; Illinois	, 10/23/21
Sacks					1; T	wice: Las	t Rutgers	, 11/20/21
Tackles for	Loss			1	; Twice:	Last at 0	hio State	, 10/30/21



#### CURTIS **JACOBS**

Linebacker | 6-1 | 230 Sophomore Glen Burnie, Md./McDonogh School Major: Division of Undergraduate Studies

#### » 2021

**Season:** Has appeared in 10 games, making nine starts...One of nine Nittany Lions to make their first career start this season.

at Wisconsin (9/4): Tallied a career-high five tackles, including four solo stops. Ball State (9/11): Recorded two tackles with his first career sack. Auburn (9/18): Tallied three tackles. Villanova (9/25): Added two tackles. Indiana (10/2): Made four stops, including two solo. at lowa (10/9): Posted four tackles with a career-high two tackles for loss and a sack. Illinois (10/23): Made five tackles and recorded his first career interception. at Ohio State (10/30): Recorded a career-high seven tackles with two tackles-for-loss. at Maryland (11/6): Posted five tackles; Michigan (11/13): Recorded six tackles. Caught his first career pass on a fake punt from Jordan Stout, an 18-yard reception.

#### » 2021 GAME-BY-GAME

Tackles (Solo-Assisted-Total)

at Wisconsin 4-1-5; Ball State 2-0-2; Auburn 2-1-3; Villanova 2-0-2; Indiana 2-2-4; at Iowa 3-1-4; Illinois 2-3-5; at Ohio State 5-2-7; at Maryland 5-0-5; Michigan 1-5-6; Rutgers DNP.

#### » JACOBS' CAREER STATISTICS & GAME HIGHS PBU TFL FF FR 0.5-1 2021 28-15 43 5.0-18 2.0-11 CAREER 34-18 52 1 2.0-11 5.5-18

 Tackles For Loss
 2.0; Twice: Last at Ohio State, 10/30/21

 Sacks
 1.0; Twice: Last at Iowa, 10/9/21

 Interceptions
 1; Illinois, 10/23/21

 Pass Breakups
 1; Maryland, 11/7/20



#### THEO **JOHNSON**

Tight End/H-Back | 6-6 | 256 Sophomore Windsor, Ont./Holy Names Catholic Major: Division of Undergraduate Studies

#### » 2021

**Season:** Has appeared in 11 games, making seven starts.

Ball State (9/11): Caught his first career touchdown on a 23 yard pass from Ta'Quan Roberson...Had two catches for 29 yards. Auburn (9/18): Hauled in a career-long 37-yard pass from Sean Clifford in the first quarter. Villanova (9/25): Had one catch for 25 yards. Indiana (10/2): Tallied a 20-yard reception. Illinois (10/23): Made a reception. at Ohio State (10/30): Tallied a career-high four receptions for 41 yards. at Maryland (11/6): Recorded three catches for 23 yards. Michigan (11/13): Had four catches for 28 yards. Rutgers (11/20): Had two carries for nine yards.

#### » 2021 GAME-BY-GAME

Receiving (Receptions-Yards-TD)

at Wisconsin 0-0-0; Ball State 2-29-1; Auburn 1-37-0; Villanova 1-25-0; Indiana 1-20-0; at Iowa 0-0-0; Illinois 1-1-0; at Ohio State 4-41-0; at Maryland 3-23-0; Michigan 4-28-0; Rutgers 2-9-0.

#### » JOHNSON'S CAREER STATISTICS & GAME HIGHS Avg. Att.-Yds. Avg. TD LG Rec.-Yds. TD LG 2020 4-56 14 0 23 2021 19-213 12.0 37 CAREER 23-269 37 12.4



#### CHARLIE **KATSHIR**

Linebacker | 6-3 | 231 Redshirt Junior Camp Hill, Pa./Cumberland Valley Major: Hospitality Management

#### » 2021

Season: Has appeared in 11 games.

**NOTE:** Has one career tackle (1 vs. Michigan State, 2020).

Ball State (9/11): Tallied four tackles. Villanova (9/25): Recorded three tackles. Illinois (10/23): Recorded one tackle. at Maryland (11/6): Posted a tackle. Rutgers (11/20): Recorded a tackle.

#### » 2021 GAME-BY-GAME

Tackles (Solo-Assisted-Total)

at Wisconsin 0-0-0; Ball State 2-1-3; Auburn 0-0-0; Villanova 3-0-3; Indiana 0-0-0; at Iowa 0-0-0; Illinois 1-0-1; at Ohio State 0-0-0; at Maryland 1-0-1; Michigan 0-0-0; Rutgers 0-1-1.

2019	2.2					PBU	SACK	TFL
	3-2	5	1	-	-	-	-	-
2020	3-2	5	-	-	-	-	-	-
2021	7-3	10	-	-	-		-	-
CAREER	13-7	20	1	-	-	-	-	-



#### KALEN KING

Cornerback | 5-11 | 183 Freshman Detroit, Mich./Cass Tech Major: Division of Undergraduate Studies

#### » 2021

**Season:** Has appeared in 11 games...One of 29 Nittany Lions to make their collegiate debut this season...One of 34 Nittany Lions to make their PSU debut this season...One of 10 true freshman to play this season.

at Wisconsin (9/4): Saw playing time on defense. Ball State (9/11): Recorded three tackles and notched first career forced fumble. Auburn (9/18): Tallied two tackles. Villanova (9/25): Posted one tackle. Indiana (10/2): Assisted on a tackle. Illinois (10/23): Assisted on a tackle; had three tackles and a pass breakup. Michigan (11/13): Tied a career-high with five tackles. Rutgers (11/20): Recorded two pass breakups.

#### » 2021 GAME-BY-GAME

Tackles (Solo-Assisted-Total)

at Wisconsin 0-0-0; Ball State 3-0-3; Auburn 1-1-2; Villanova 1-0-1; Indiana 0-1-1; at Iowa 0-0-0; Illinois 0-1-1; at Ohio State 0-0-0; at Maryland 0-0-0; Michigan 2-1-3; Rutgers 0-0-0.

» KING'S CAREER STATISTICS & GAME HIGHS											
	UA-A	TK	FF	FR	- 1	PBU	SACK	TFL			
2021	7-4	11	1	-		3	-				
CAREER	7-4	11	1	-	-	3	-	-			
<b>Tackles</b>											



#### KOBE KING

Linebacker | 6-1 | 245 Freshman Detroit, Mich./Cass Tech Major: Division of Undergraduate Studies

#### » 2021

**Season:** Has appeared in four games...One of 29 Nittany Lions to make their collegiate debut this season...One of 34 Nittany Lions to make their PSU debut this season...One of 10 true freshman to play this season.

Ball State (9/11): Recorded his first career tackle. Villanova (9/25): Posted two tackles.

#### » KING'S CAREER STATISTICS & GAME HIGHS

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2021	1-2	3	-	-	-		-	-	
CAREER	1-2	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Tackles							; Villanova	a, 9/25/21	



### WILL **KNUTSSON**

Offensive Line | 6-2 | 320 Redshirt Junior Fredericksburg, Va./McDonogh School (Md.) Major: Division of Undergraduate Studies

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**Season:** Has appeared in one game for the Nittany Lions...One of 29 Nittany Lions to make their collegiate debut...Named Coaching Staff's Developmental Squad Offensive Player of the Week after Auburn (9/18) and Indiana (10/2) games.



### KALEB KONIGUS

Offensive Line | 6-2 | 306 Redshirt Junior Lehman, Pa./Lake-Lehman Major: Agricultural Science

#### » 2021

Season: Has appeared in one game for the Nittany Lions...One of 29 Nittany Lions to make their collegiate debut this season and one of 34 to make their Penn State debut...Named Coaching Staff's Developmental Squad Offensive Player of the Week following the Villanova game (9/25).



#### KEANDRE LAMBERT-SMITH 13

Wide Receiver | 6-1 | 184dd Sophomore Norfolk, Va./Maury Major: Division of Undergraduate Studies

#### » 2021

Season: Has made 11 starts.

at Wisconsin (9/4): Recorded a career-high 71 yards on four catches... Made a career-long 52-yard grab in the third quarter. Ball State (9/11): Made one catch for 13 yards. Auburn (9/18): Tallied four catches for 27 yards. Villanova (9/25): Posted a career high 88 yards on two catches. Caught a 82-yard touchdown pass from Sean Clifford. Indiana (10/2): Made two receptions for 25 yards. at lowa (10/9): Recorded a career-high five catches for a team-leading 61 yards. Illinois (10/23): Tallied three catches for 49 yards with a 42-yard touchdown catch. at Ohio State (10/30): Recorded four catches for 49 yards. at Maryland (11/6): Had two catches for 36 yards; Michigan (11/13): Recorded one catch. Rutgers (11/20): Had one catch for seven yards.

#### » 2021 GAME-BY-GAME

Receiving (Receptions-Yards-TD)

at Wisconsin 4-71-0; Ball State 1-13-0; Auburn 4-27-0; Villanova 2-88-1; Indiana 2-25-0; at Iowa 5-61-0; Illinois 3-49-1. at Ohio State 4-49-0; at Maryland 2-36-0; Michigan 1-0-0; Rutgers 1-7-0.

» LAMB	ERT-SMIT	H'S CA	REE	R ST/	TISTICS 8	GAM	E HI	SHS
	AttYds.	Avg.	TD	LG	RecYds.	Avg.	TD	LG
2020	-	-	-	-	15-138	9.2	-	20
2021	-	-	-	-	29-426	15.5	2	82
CAREER	-	-	-	-	44-564	13.3	2	82
Reception	ıs					. 5; at lo	owa, 10	0/9/21
Receiving	Yards				8	8; Villan	ova, 9	/25/21
Longest R	eception					ls; Villan	ova, 9	/25/21
20-yard R	eceptions				6; Last at N	laryland	(1), 1	1/6/21



#### KEYVONE **LEE**

Running Back | 6-0 | 239 Sophomore

St. Petersburg, Fla./American Collegiate Academy Major: Division of Undergraduate Studies

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#### » 2021

Awards: Preseason: Named to the Doak Walker Award Watch List.

Season: Has appeared in 11 games, making two starts.

at Wisconsin (9/4): Tallied three carries. Ball State (9/11): Posted 68 yards rushing on eight carries, added a 24-yard reception. Auburn (9/18): Recorded two carries for 15 yards. Villanova (9/25): Had seven carries for 21 yards. Indiana (10/2): Ran for 74 yards on eight carries, including a long rush of 44 yards...Added an 8-yard reception. at lowa (10/9): Tallied 30 yards on 10 carries. Illinois (10/23): Had seven carries for 24 yards. at Ohio State (10/30): Recorded nine yards and a rushing touchdown on three carries. at Maryland (11/6): Posted 50 yards on eight carries. Michigan (11/13): Led the team with 88 yards on 20 carries. Rutgers (11/20): Tallied 41 yards on 13 carries with a touchdown.

### » 2021 GAME-BY-GAME

Rushing (Carries-Yards-TD)

at Wisconsin 3-(-4)-0; Ball State 8-68-0; Auburn 2-15-0; Villanova 7-21-0; Indiana 8-74-0; at Iowa 10-30-0; Illinois 7-24-0; at Ohio State 3-9-1; at Maryland 8-50-0; Michigan 20-88-0; Rutgers 13-41-1.

» LEE'S CAREER STATISTICS & GAME HIGHS												
	AttYds.	Avg.	TD	LG	RecYds.	Avg.	TD	LG				
2020	89-438	4.9	4	31	12-66	5.5	-	14				
2021	89-416	4.7	2	44	9-83	8.3	-	24				
CAREER 178-854 4.8 6 44 21-1 6.6 - 24												
Rushing Y Rushing T	ardsouchdowns			 1; Five	22; a 134; a Times, Last at	t Michig Ohio Sta	an, 11/ ate, 10/	'28/20 '30/21				
Receiving	Yards					. 41; lo	wa, 11/	21/20				

» LEE'S CAREEI	RKICK	RETURN	STATISTIC	CS & GAME	HIGHS
	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	LG
2020	1	6	6.0	-	6
2021	-	-	-	-	-
CAREER	1	6	6.0	-	6
Kick Returns				1; at Nebraska,	11/14/20
<b>Kick Return Yards</b>				6; at Nebraska,	11/14/20
Long Kick Return .			6 yard	ls; at Nebraska,	11/14/20



#### JOHN **LOVETT**

Running Back | 6-0 | 209 Senior+ Burlington City, N.J./Cherokee/Baylor Major: Communications Arts and Sciences

#### » 2021

**Awards:** Preseason: Named to Doak Walker Award Watch List... Selected for NFLPA Collegiate Bowl Preseason Big Board.

Season: Has appeared in eight games, making two starts...One of 34 Nittany Lions to make their PSU debut this season...One of 12 Nittany Lions to make their first start at PSU this season...Selected Coaching Staff's Developmental Squad Offensive Player of the Week following the Ball State game (9/11).

Auburn (9/18): Had two carries for nine yards...Added an 18-yard catch. Villanova (9/25): Recorded a team-leading 46 yards on 11 carries... Selected Coaching Staff's Special Teams Player of the Week. Indiana (10/2): Ran for 41 yards on 10 carries...Added two receptions for 13 yards. Illinois (10/23): Tallied 21 yards on five carries; at Ohio State (10/30): Led Penn State with 13 carries for 25 yards; at Maryland (11/6): Had seven carries for 28 yards. Michigan (11/13): Posted 17 yards on four carries.

» LOVE	» LOVETT'S CAREER STATISTICS & GAME HIGHS												
	AttYds.	Avg.	TD	LG	RecYds.	Avg.	TD	LG					
2017	98-445	4.5	5	74	7-20	2.9	0	6					
2018	109-573	5.3	6	75	5-48	9.6	0	18					
2019	103-655	6.4	5	46	8-66	8.3	0	24					
2020	45-130	2.9	1	19	9-49	5.4	1	11					
2021	52-177	3.4	0	18	9-36	4.0	0	18					
CAREER	407-1,980	4.9	17	75	38-219	5.8	1	24					

Rushing Yards	125; at Texas Tech, 11/24/18*
Rushing Touchdowns	
Longest Rush	75; Oklahoma State, 11/3/18*
Receptions	2; Twice: Last. Oklahoma, 11/16/19*
Receiving Yards	34; Oklahoma, 11/16/19*
Longest Reception	24; Oklahoma, 11/16/19*

NOTE: Played for Baylor 2017-2020; \*at Baylor



#### JESSE **LUKETA**

Linebacker | 6-3 | 247 Senior Ottawa, Ont./Mercyhurst Prep (Pa.)

Major: Sociology

#### » 2021

Awards: Midseason: Accepted Reese's Senior Bowl invite...Selected PFF Defensive Player of the Week (9/13). Preseason: Named to the Butkus Award and Reese's Senior Bowl Watch Lists...Selected for NFLPA Collegiate Bowl Preseason Big Board.

Season: Has appeared in ten games, making seven starts.

at Wisconsin (9/4): Recorded five tackles, including four solo...Had a QB hurry. Ball State (9/11): Tallied four tackles...Returned his first career interception for a 16-yard touchdown...Selected Coaching Staff's Defensive Player of the Week. Auburn (9/18): Posted eight tackles with one tackle for loss and a QB hi. Villanova (9/25): Recorded two tackles. Indiana (10/2): Assisted on three tackles...Added a half tackle for loss and a QB hurry. at lowa (10/9): Tallied five tackles with a career-high 2.5 tackles for loss and two QB hurries. Illinois (10/23): Recorded six tackles with a half sack. at Ohio State (10/30): Posted seven tackles with a tackle for loss. Michigan (11/13): Tallied seven tackles. Rutgers (11/20): Assisted on a tackle.

#### » 2021 GAME-BY-GAME

Tackles (Solo-Assisted-Total)

at Wisconsin 4-1-5; Ball State 2-2-4; Auburn 6-2-8; Villanova 2-0-2; Indiana 0-3-3; at Iowa 4-1-5; Illinois 3-3-6; at Ohio State 4-3-7; at Maryland 0-0-0; Michigan 3-4-7; Rutgers 0-1-1.

» Luketa's Career Statistics & Game Highs										
	UA-A	TK	FF	FR	ı	PBU	SACK	TFL		
2018	5-2	7	-	-	-	-	-	-		
2019	15-9	24	-	-	-	4	-	0.5-1		
2020	31-28	59	-	1	-	3	-	2.5-11		
2021	28-20	48	-	-	1	-	-	6.0-15		
CAREER	79-59	138	-	1	1	7	-	9.0-27		

Tackles	10; at Rutgers, 12/5/20
Tackles for Loss	2.5; lowa, 10/9/21
Pass Breakups	1; Seven Times: Last Illinois, 12/19/20
Interceptions	1; Ball State 9/11/21
Fumble Recoveries	1; at Rutgers, 12/5/20
10+ Tackle Games	



#### A.J. **LYTTON**

Cornerback | 5-11 | 180 Junior

Upper Marlboro, Md./Wise/Florida State Major: Division of Undergraduate Studies

#### » 2021

**Season:** Has appeared in 10 games on special teams...One of 34 players to make their Penn State debut this season.

at Wisconsin (9/4): Recorded one tackle. at lowa (10/9): Posted one tackle.

#### » 2021 GAME-BY-GAME

Tackles (Solo-Assisted-Total)

at Wisconsin 1-0-1; Ball State 0-0-0; Auburn 0-0-0; Villanova 0-0-0; Indiana 0-0-0; at Iowa 1-0-1; Illinois 0-0-0; at Ohio State 0-0-0; at Maryland 0-0-0; Michigan 0-0-0.

» LYTTON'S CAREER STATISTICS & GAME HIGHS											
	UA-A	TK	FF	FR	Т	PBU	SACK	TFL			
2018*	12-2	14	1	-	1	2	-	-			
2019*	9-5	14	-	-	-	-	-	-			
2021	2-0	2	-	-	-	-	-	-			
CAREER	23-7	30	1	-	1	2	-	-			
Tackles						6; Alabar	na State,	11/16/19*			
Interceptions											
Pacc Rreal	kunc				1. Twice	o· Lact Wa	ke Forest	10/20/18			



#### MALICK **MEIGA**

Wide Receiver | 6-4 | 198 Redshirt Freshman Saint Jerome, QC/Cegep du Vieux Major: Division of Undergraduate Studies

#### » 2021

**Season:** Appeared in five games...One of 29 Nittany Lions to make their collegiate debut this season and one of 34 to make their Penn State debut.

at Maryland (11/6): Had one catches for three yards. Michigan (11/13): Recorded one catch for eight yards. Rutgers (11/20): Caught a 67-yard touchdown, the first of his career.

#### » 2021 GAME-BY-GAME

Receiving (Receptions-Yards-TD)

at Wisconsin DNP; Ball State DNP; Auburn DNP; Villanova DNP; Indiana DNP; at Iowa DNP; Illinois 0-0-0; at Ohio State 0-0-0; at Maryland 1-3-0; Michigan 1-8-0; Rutgers 1-67-1.

# » MEIGA'S CAREER STATISTICS & GAME HIGHS Att.-Yds. Avg. TD LG Rec.-Yds. Avg. TD LG 2021 3-78 26.0 1 67 CARFFR 3-78 26.0 67

 Receptions.
 1; Three times: Last Rutgers, 11/20/21

 Receiving Yards
 .67; Rutgers, 11/20/21

 Longest Reception
 .67; Rutgers, 11/20/21



#### MIKE **MIRANDA**

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Offensive Line | 6-3 | 305 Redshirt Senior Stow, Ohio/Stow-Munroe Falls Major: Media Studies

#### » 2021

**Awards:** *Preseason:* Named to the Outland Trophy and Reese's Senior Bowl Watch Lists.

Season: Has made 10 starts at center.

at Wisconsin (9/4): Helped the Nittany Lion offense to gain 254 yards in the second half...Protected Sean Clifford as he threw for 247 yards and a touchdown...Led the way for Noah Cain to average 6.0 yards per carry and score on a 2-yard run. Ball State (9/11): Helped guide the Penn State offense to 493 yards of total offense...Blocked for Sean Clifford as he recorded 230 yards and a touchdown...Helped guide three different rushers to 60-plus yards on the ground Auburn (9/18): Guided the Penn State offense to 391 total yards....Blocked for Sean Clifford as he threw for 280 yards and two touchdowns on the day...Helped Noah Cain and Tyler Warren score rushing touchdowns. Villanova (9/25): Helped Sean Clifford throw for a career-high 401 yards and four touchdowns...Guided the Penn State offense to 509 total yards. Indiana (10/2): Assisted the offense in gaining 408 yards and posting three passing touchdowns in the win. at Iowa (10/9): Helped guide the Penn State offense to 287 total yards. Illinois (10/23): Helped guide the offense to 227 total yards. at Ohio State (10/30): Guided Penn State to 394 yards of total offense...Helped guide Sean Clifford to a career-high 35 completions for 361 yards and a passing touchdown. at Maryland (11/6): Helped guide the Penn State offense to 456 yards...Blocked for Sean Clifford as he threw for 363 yards and three touchdowns. Michigan (11/13): Helped guide the Nittany Lion offense to 332 total yards...Blocked for Sean Clifford as he passed for 205 yards and a touchdown...Guided Keyvone Lee to 88 yards rushing.

NOTE: Played for Florida State 2018-2019; \*At Florida State

### 2021 PENN STATE FOOTBALL 51



FATORMA **MULBAH** Defensive Tackle | 6-3 | 296 Redshirt Freshman Harrisburg, Pa./Susquehanna Township Major: Division of Undergraduate Studies

Season: Appeared in six games...One of 29 Nittany Lions to make their collegiate debut this season.

» MULBAH'S CAREER STATISTICS & GAME HIGHS											
	UA-A	TK	FF	FR	Т	PBU	SACK	TFL			
2021	2-2	4	-	-	-	-	-	-			
CAREER	2-2	4	-	-	-	-	-	-			
<b>Tackles</b>											



#### PJ **MUSTIPHER**

Defensive Tackle | 6-4 | 326 Owings Mills, Md./McDonogh School Major: Journalism

#### » 2021

Awards: Midseason: Named a Rotary Lombardi Award semifinalist... Named a Lott IMPACT Trophy guarterfinalist. *Preseason:* Named to the Lombardi Award, Lott IMPACT Trophy and Reese's Senior Bowl Watch Lists...Selected for NFLPA Collegiate Bowl Preseason Big Board.

Season: Made six starts...Voted a team captain...Missed the rest of the season due to an injury suffered in the lowa game.

at Wisconsin (9/4): Posted seven tackles, six solo, with a tackle for loss. Ball State (9/11): Recorded one tackle. Auburn (9/18): Recorded four tackles. Had one carry on a fake punt attempt. Villanova (9/25): Posted three tackles. Indiana (10/2): Made six tackles, including four solo... Added a tackle for loss.

#### » 2021 GAME-BY-GAME

Tackles (Solo-Assisted-Total)

at Wisconsin 6-1-7; Ball State 0-1-1; Auburn 3-1-4; Villanova 3-0-3; Indiana 4-2-6; at Iowa 0-0-0; Illinois INJ; at Ohio State INJ; Maryland INJ; Michigan INJ; Rutgers INJ.

» MUSTIPHER'S CAREER STATISTICS & GAME HIGHS											
	UA-A	TK	FF	FR	- 1	PBU	SACK	TFL			
2018	7-7	14	1	-	-	-	-	1.0-3			
2019	14-23	37	1	-	-	-	1.0-9	4.5-25			
2020	12-23	35	-	-	-	1	1.0-6	1.5-6			
2021	16-5	21	-	-	-	-	-	2.0-7			
CAREER	49-58	107	2	-	-	1	2.0-15	9.0-43			
Tackles Tackles fo											
Sacks					1.0;	Twice: L	ast Illinois	5,12/19/20			
Forced Fu	mbles										
Pass Breakups											



#### JOEY **PORTER JR.**

Cornerback | 6-2 | 192

Redshirt Sophomore Bakersfield, Calif./North Allegheny (Pa.) Major: Rehabilitation and Human Services

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Season: Has made 11 starts.

at Wisconsin (9/4): Recorded six tackles and a pass breakup...Pass breakup helped stop a potential Wisconsin scoring drive in the fourth quarter. Ball State (9/11): Tallied three tackles. Auburn (9/18): Posted five tackles with a forced fumble and a pass breakup...Named Coaching Staff's Defensive Player of the Week. Villanova (9/25): Tallied three tackles. Indiana (10/2): Recorded first career interception... Added three tackles (two solo); at lowa (10/9): Made three stops and added a pass breakup. Illinois (10/23): Recorded a career-high nine tackles with a pass breakup. at Ohio State (10/30): Posted two tackles. at Maryland (11/6): Had five tackles; Michigan (11/13): Posted a solo tackle.

Rutgers (11/20): Had three tackles.

#### » 2021 GAME-BY-GAME

Tackles (Solo-Assisted-Total)

at Wisconsin 4-2-6; Ball State 3-0-3; Auburn 4-2-6; Villanova 3-0-3; Indiana 2-1-3; at Iowa 3-0-3; Illinois 8-1-9; at Ohio State 2-0-2; at Maryland 5-0-5; Michigan 1-0-1; Rutgers 1-2-3.

	UA-A	TK	FF	FR	- 1	PBU	SACK	TFL
2019	2-1	3	-	-	-	1	-	-
2020	24-9	33	-	-	-	4	1.0-8	2.0-9
2021	36-8	44	1	-	1	4	-	-
CAREER	62-18	80	1	-	1	9	1.0-8	2.0-9
Tackles Tackles Fo Sacks Forced Fu Intercepti Pass Brea	or Loss mbles ions				1.0; Tv	vice: Last 1.0; a	at Rutger It Indiana 1; Aubur 1; Indian	rs, 12/5/2 , 10/24/2 n, 9/18/2 a, 10/2/2



#### JAYLEN **REED**

Safety | 6-0 | 209 Freshman

Detroit, Mich./Martin Luther King Major: Division of Undergraduate Studies

#### » 2021

Season: Has appeared in six games...One of 29 Nittany Lions to make their collegiate debut this season and one of 34 to make their Penn State debut...One of 10 true freshmen to play this season.

Villanova (9/25): Recorded two tackles; at Ohio State (10/30): Recorded a solo tackle.

#### » 2021 GAME-BY-GAME

Tackles (Solo-Assisted-Total)

at Wisconsin DNP; Ball State 0-0-0; Auburn DNP; Villanova 1-1-2; Indiana DNP; Iowa DNP; Illinois DNP; at Ohio State 1-0-1; at Maryland 0-0-0; Michigan 0-0-0; Rutgers 0-0-0.

#### » REED'S CAREER STATISTICS & GAME HIGHS

	UA-A	TK	FF	FR	- 1	PBU	SACK	TFL	
2021	2-1	3		-		-		-	
CAREER	2-1	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	

.....2; Villanova, 9/25/21 Tackles



#### TA'OUAN **ROBERSON**

Quarterback | 5-11 | 197 Redshirt Freshman Orange, N.J./DePaul Catholic Major: Division of Undergraduate Studies

#### » 2021

Season: Has appeared in four games.

Ball State (9/11): Completed 1-of-2 passes for 23 yards. Hit Theo Johnson for his first career touchdown pass in the fourth quarter. Villanova (9/25): Completed 3-of-5 passes for 28 yards. at lowa (10/9): Completed seven passes for 34 yards...Had 10 carries for 27 yards.

#### » 2021 GAME-BY-GAME

Passing (Comp-Att-Yds-TD-INT)

at Wisconsin DNP, Ball State 1-2-23-1-0; Auburn DNP; Villanova 3-5-28-0-0; Indiana 0-0-0-0; at Iowa 7-21-34-0-2; Illinois DNP; at Ohio State DNP; Maryland DNP; Michigan DNP; Rutgers DNP.

Rushing (Carries-Yards-TD)

at Wisconsin DNP, Ball State 1-(-5)-0; Auburn DNP; Villanova 1-2-0; Indiana 0-0-0; at Iowa 10-27-0; Illinois DNP; at Ohio State DNP; Maryland DNP; Michigan DNP; Rutgers DNP.

» ROBER	SON'S CA	REER P	ASSING	STATISTIC	S & GAME	HIGHS
	C-A	Yds.	%	TD-INT	YPG	LG
2019	0-1	0	0.0	-	0.0	-
2020	-	-	-	-	-	-
2021	11-28	85	39.3	1-0	21.5	23
CAREER	11-29	85	37.9	1-0	14.2	23
Pass Comp	letions				7; at lowa,	10/9/21
Pass Atten	npts				. 21; at lowa,	, 10/9/21
Touchdow	n Passes				1; Ball State,	9/11/21
Longest Pa	226			23 var	ds: Rall State	9/11/21

» ROBERSON'S CAREER RUSHING STATISTICS & GAME HIGHS											
	AttYds.	Avg.	TD	LG	RecYds.	Avg.	TD	LG			
2019	1-(-1)	-1.0	-	-1	-	-	-	-			
2020	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-			
2021	12-24	2.0	-	10	-	-	-	-			
CAREER	13-23	1.8	-	10	-	-	-	-			
Rushing Y	<b>Rushing Yards</b>										
Longest R	Longest Rush										



#### CODY ROMANO

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Linebacker | 6-2 | 222 Redshirt Junior Newton, N.J./Blair Academy  ${\it Major: Recreation, Parks and Tourism\ Management}$ 

#### » 2021

Season: Has appeared in one game...One of 29 Nittany Lions to make their collegiate debut this season and one of 34 to make their Penn State debut...Named Coaching Staff's Developmental Squad Defensive Player of the Week after the Maryland game (11/6) and Special Teams Player of the Week after the Ball State (9/11) and Maryland (11/6) games.



#### TYLER RUDOLPH

Safety | 6-0 | 198 Redshirt Sophomore Waterbury, Conn./St. Thomas More Major: Telecommunications

#### » 2021

**Season:** Has appeared in four games on special teams.

Ball State (9/11): Recorded a career-high five tackles. Villanova (9/25): Posted one tackle.

#### » 2021 GAME-BY-GAME

Tackles (Solo-Assisted-Total)

at Wisconsin 0-0-0; Ball State 3-2-5; Auburn 0-0-0; Villanova 1-0-1; Indiana DNP; Iowa DNP; Illinois DNP; Ohio State DNP; Maryland DNP; Michigan DNP; Rutgers DNP.

#### » RUDOLPH'S CAREER STATISTICS & GAME HIGHS TFL 2020 1-0 2021 4-2 CAREER 5-2 7



JUICE SCRUGGS

Offensive Line | 6-3 | 307

Redshirt Junior

Ashtabula, Ohio/Cathedral Prep (Pa.)

Major: Hospitality Management

#### » 2021

**Season:** Has made 11 starts on the offensive line...One of nine Nittany Lions to make their first career start this season.

at Wisconsin (9/4): Helped the Nittany Lion offense to gain 254 yards in the second half...Protected Sean Clifford as he threw for 247 yards and a touchdown...Led the way for Noah Cain to average 6.0 yards per carry and score on a 2-yard run. Ball State (9/11): Helped guide the Penn State offense to 493 yards of total offense...Blocked for Sean Clifford as he recorded 230 yards and a touchdown...Helped guide three different rushers to 60-plus yards on the ground. Auburn (9/18): Guided the Penn State offense to 391 total yards....Blocked for Sean Clifford as he threw for 280 yards and two touchdowns on the day...Helped Noah Cain and Tyler Warren score rushing touchdowns. **Villanova (9/25):** Helped Sean Clifford throw for a career-high 401 yards and four touchdowns...Guided the Penn State offense to 509 total yards. Indiana (10/2): Assisted the offense in gaining 408 yards and posting three passing touchdowns in the win. at lowa (10/9): Helped guide the Penn State offense to 287 total yards. Illinois (10/23): Helped guide the offense to 227 total yards. at Ohio State (10/30): Guided Penn State to 394 yards of total offense... Helped guide Sean Clifford to a career-high 35 completions for 361 yards and a passing touchdown. at Maryland (11/6): Helped guide the Penn State offense to 456 yards...Blocked for Sean Clifford as he threw for 363 yards and three touchdowns. Michigan (11/13): Helped guide the Nittany Lion offense to 332 total yards...Blocked for Sean Clifford as he passed for 205 yards and a touchdown...Guided Keyvone Lee to 88 yards rushing. Rutgers (11/20): Helped guide the Penn State offense to 407 yards of totale offense. Blocked for Christian Veilleux as he threw for three



#### JADEN **SEIDER** 26

Safety | 5-10 | 178 Redshirt Sophomore Morgantown, W.Va./State College Area Major: Division of Undergraduate Studies

#### » 2021

**Season:** Has appeared in one game for the Nittany Lions..One of 239Nittany Lions to make their collegiate debut this season and one of 34 to make their Penn State debut...Named Coaching Staff's Developmental Squad Defensive Player of the Week after the Wisconsin (9/4) and Ohio State (10/30) games and Special Teams Player of the Week after the Auburn (9/18) and Rutgers (11/20) games.



#### BRANDON **SMITH** 12

Linebacker | 6-3 | 241 Junior Louisa, Va./Louisa County Maior: Journalism

#### » 2021

**Awards:** *Midseason:* Named a Butkus Award Semifinalist. *Weekly:* Selected Big Ten Defensive Player of the Week following the Auburn game (9/18). *Preseason:* Named to the Butkus Award Watch List.

Season: Has made 11 starts.

at Wisconsin (9/4): Tied career-high with eight tackles, including six solo...Added a tackle for loss. Ball State (9/11): Compiled a career-high seven tackles. Auburn (9/18): Recorded a career-high 10 tackles with a tackle-for-loss and a pass breakup. Villanova (9/25): Had two tackles. Indiana (10/2): Recorded a solo sack...Made five tackles, including two solo...Added a pass breakup...Named Coaching Staff's Defensive Player of the Week. at lowa (10/9): Tallied five tackles. Illinois (10/23): Tallied seven tackles with a sack and a forced fumble. at Ohio State (10/30): Led the Nittany Lions with eight tackles. at Maryland (11/6): Recorded a team-high nine tackles with 2.5 tackles for loss and two pass breakups.

Michigan (11/13): Tallied a career-high tying 10 tackles and a pass breakup. Rutgers (11/20): Recorded five tackles and assisted on a tackle for loss

#### » 2021 GAME-BY-GAME

Tackles (Solo-Assisted-Total)

at Wisconsin 6-2-8; Ball State 3-4-7; Auburn 6-4-10; Villanova 2-0-2; Indiana 2-3-5; at Iowa 3-2-5; Illinois 5-2-7; at Ohio State 4-4-8; at Maryland 6-3-9; Michigan 4-6-10; Rutgers 1-4-5.

» SMITE	» SMITH'S CAREER STATISTICS & GAME HIGHS											
	UA-A	TK	FF	FR	Т	PBU	SACK	TFL				
2019	8-6	14	-	-	-	-	-	2.0-3				
2020	15-22	37	-	1	1	1	2.0-13	8.0-27				
2021	42-34	76	1	-	-	5	2.0-15	9.0-29				
CAREER	65-62	127	1	1	1	6	4.0-28	19.0-59				

 Tackles
 .10; Twice: Last Michigan, 11/13/21

 Tackles For Loss
 .3.0; Illinois, 12/19/20

 Sacks
 .10; Four Times: Last Illinois, 10/3/21

 Interceptions
 .1; at Nebraska, 11/14/20

 Pass Breakups
 .1; Three Times: Last Indiana, 10/2/21

 10+ Tackle Games
 .2; Last Michigan, 11/13/21



TANK SMITH
Running Back | 5-7 | 225
Redshirt Sophomore

Pittsburgh, Pa./ Penn Hills Major: Telecommunications

#### » 2021

**Season:** Has appeared in two games...Named Coaching Staff's Developmental Squad Offensive Player of the Week following the Ohio State game (10/30).

Villanova (9/25): Had one carry for seven yards. Rutgers (11/20): Had three carries.

#### » SMITH'S CAREER STATISTICS & GAME HIGHS

	AttYds.	Avg.	TD	LG	RecYds.	Avg.	TD	LG
2020	1-7	7.0	0	7	-	-	-	-
2021	4-5	1.0	0	7	-	-	-	-
CAREER	5-12	2.1	0	7	-	-	-	-

 Rushing Yards
 7; Twice: Last Villanova, 9/25/21

 Longest Rush
 7; Twice: Last Villanova, 9/25/21



#### MASON **STAHL**

Quarterback | 6-0 | 202 Redshirt Freshman Pittsburgh, Pa./Baldwin Major: Division of Undergraduate Studies

#### » 2021

Season: Has appeared in four games on special teams...One of 239Nittany Lions to make collegiate debut this season...Selected Coaching Staff's Developmental Squad Offensive Player of the Week following the Wisconsin (9/4) and Indiana (10/2) games.



#### CHRIS **STOLL**

Long Snapper | 6-2 | 249 Redshirt Senior Westerville, Ohio/St. Francis DeSales Major: Health Policy & Administration

#### » 2021

**Awards:** *Preseason:* Named to the Patrick Mannelly Award Watch List...Is a Burlsworth Trophy nominee.

**Season:** Has appeared in 11 games on special teams as the snapper on field goals and punts.

at Wisconsin (9/4): Helped Jordan Stout to average a career-best 53.9 yards per punt, including five punts over 50 yards and a 76-yard punt... Aided Stout to hit a 24-yard field goal in the third quarter. **Ball State** (9/11): Helped Jordan Stout record a career-high three field goals... Aided Stout to his second consecutive game with 50+ yards per punt. **Auburn** (9/18): Helped guide Jordan Stout to a 50.0 punt average. **Villanova** 

(9/25): Helped Jordan Stout to four punts inside the Villanova 20-yard line. Indiana (10/2): Assisted in a Jordan Stout 50-yard field goal...Stout additionally knocked four punts inside the 20. at lowa (10/9): Assisted on two Jordan Stout field goals...helped Stout tally three 50+ yard punts and two punts inside the 20-yard line. Illinois (10/23): Assisted on three Jordan Stout field goals...Helped guide Stout to a 46.9 average on his nine punts with six punts inside the opponents 20-yard line. at Ohio State (10/30): Guided Jordan Stout to a 49.2 punt average on his four punts. Assisted on a 47-yard Stout field goal. at Maryland (11/6): Snapped for Jordan Sout as he pinned Maryland inside the 20-yard line three times... Guided stout to a 24-yard field goal. Michigan (11/13): Helped guide Jordan Stout to a 51.0 punting average with 4 punts inside the opponents 20-yard line. Snapped for three Jordan Stout field goals. Rutgers (11/20): Helped jordan Stout to a 42.9 average on his eigiht punts with six inside the opponents 20-yard line.



#### JORDAN **STOUT**

Kicker/Punter | 6-3 | 209 Redshirt Senior Cedar Bluff, Va./Honaker/Virginia Tech Major: Telecommunications 98

#### » CAREER NOTES & RECORDS

**Career:** Ranks second at Penn State with five field goals of 50 or more yards (52 vs. Michigan 2021; 50 vs. Indiana, 2021; 50 vs. Ohio State, 2020; 57 vs. Pitt, 2019; 53 vs. Idaho, 2019).

**Season:** 2019: Became the first Penn State kicker with multiple 50-yard field goals since Kevin Kelly in 2008 (52 yards vs. Syracuse; 50 yards at Wisconsin)...Had 66 touchbacks in 83 kickoffs.

Game: Averaged 53.9 yards per punt against Wisconsin (9/4/21), ranking second-best in a game at Penn State...Hit a 76-yard punt against Wisconsin, tied for the third-longest punt in program history...Hit a program-record 57-yard field goal in the second quarter against Pittsburgh (9/14/19)... The 57-yard field goal tied a Beaver Stadium, equaling a 57-yard kick by Ohio's Gary Homer in 1973...The 57-yard field goal is also tied for the 12th-longest in Big Ten history...Crushed 12 touchbacks on kickoffs against Idaho (8/31/19), the most by a Nittany Lion since the kickoff spot was moved to the 35-yard line in 2011...Hit a 53-yard field goal against Idaho, Penn State's longest since Sam Ficken hit a 54-yarder vs. Kent State in 2013...Booted 12 touchbacks on kickoffs, the most at Penn State since the kickoff spot was moved to the 35-yard line in 2011.

#### » 2021

Awards: Midseason: Selected a Ray Guy Award finalist...Named a Ray Guy Award semifinalist. Weekly: Was the Ray Guy Award National Punter of the Week after the Indiana (10/2) and Illinois (10/23) games...Named Big Ten Special Teams Player of the Week following Wisconsin (9/4), Indiana (10/2), Michigan (11/15) and Rutgers (11/20) games. Preseason: Tabbed to the Ray Guy Award Watch List...Selected for NFLPA Collegiate Bowl Preseason Big Board.

**Season:** Has appeared in 11 games...Voted a team captain...Serving as Penn State's primary kicker, punter and kickoff specialist.

at Wisconsin (9/4): Averaged a career-best 53.9 yards per punt on seven punts, also a career high...His 53.9 punt average is the second-best in a game at Penn State...Blasted five punts over 50 yards, including a 76-yarder in the third quarter. The 76-yard punt is tied for the thirdlongest in program history...Converted on a 24-yard FG attempt...Hit one extra point...Tallied a touchback on all four kickoffs. Ball State (9/11): Kicked a career-high three field goals...Averaged 51.3 yards per punt on three attempts... Recorded nine touchbacks on nine kickoff attemps. Auburn (9/18): Averaged 50 yards on his four punts including one inside the 20. Converted all four of his extra point attempts...Named Coaching Staff's Special Teams Player of the Week. Villanova (9/25): Had four punts inside the 20 and two inside the five yard line. Kicked a 29-yard field goal. Indiana (10/2): Converted on a 50-yard field goal in the fourth quarter...Dropped four punts inside the 20-yard line...Had four touchbacks on kickoffs. at lowa (10/9): Knocked through both of his field goal attempts, including a 44-yarder...Averaged 50.4 yards on his five punt attempts with three 50+ yard punts and two punts inside the opponents 20-yard line. Illinois (10/23): Converted on three field goal attempts. Averaged 46.9 yards on his eight punts with six inside the opponent's 20yard line. at Ohio State (10/30): Averaged 49.2 yards on his four punts and tallied four touchbacks on his four kickoffs. Connected on a 47-yard field goal. **at Maryland (11/6):** Punted to inside the Maryland 20-yard line three times...Averaged 64.8 yards on six kickoff attempts. **Michigan (11/13):** Kicked three field goals including a season-long 52-yarder... averaged 51.0 yards on his four punts, pinning Michigan inside the 20 on all four attempt...Completed an 18-yard pass to Curtis Jacobs. **Rutgers (11/20):** Pinned the opponent inside the 20 on six of his eight punts... Selected Coaching Staff's Special Teams Player of the Week.

» STOUT'S CAREER KICKOFF STATISTICS & GAME HIGHS										
КО	Yds.	Avg.	TB	OB						
71	4,565	64.3	60	2						
83	5,268	63.5	66	2						
50	3,167	63.3	42	3						
58	3,750	64.6	48	1						
259	16,557	63.9	219	8						
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 Kickoffs
 .13; Idaho, 8/31/19

 Kickoff Yards
 .585; Ball State 9/11/21

 Kickoff Average
 .65.0; 19 Times: Last Auburn, 9/18/21

 Touchbacks
 .12; Idaho, 8/31/19

» STO	» STOUT'S CAREER SCORING STATISTICS & GAME HIGHS											
	FGM-A	%	0-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50+	LG	ХP	PTS		
2018*	0-1	0.0	-	-	-	0-1	-	-	4-4	4		
2019	2-3	66.6	-	-	-	-	2-3	57	-	6		
2020	2-5	40.0	-	-	-	1-2	1-3	50	-	6		
2021	16-22	72.7	-	5-6	2-2	4-7	2-3	52	28-29	76		
CADEE	D 20 21	CAE		F 6	2.2	E 10	F 0	FO	22 22	02		

Points Scored	14; Ball State 9/11/21
PATs Made	5; Twice: Last Villanova 9/25/21
PATs Attempted	5; Twice Last: Villanova 9/25/21
Field Goals Made	3;Twice: Last Michigan 11/13/21
Field Goals Attempted	4; Twice: Last Michigan 11/13/21
Longest Field Goal	57 yards; Twice: Last Pittsburgh, 9/14/19
50+ yard Field Goals	5; Last Michigan (52 yards), 11/13/21

» STOUT'S CAREER PUNTING STATISTICS & GAME HIGHS											
	Punts	Yards	Avg.	I-20	FC	50+	LG	BLK			
2018*	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-			
2019	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-			
2020	33	1,371	41.5	8	14	3	56	-			
2021	59	2,742	46.5	31	26	22	76	-			
CAREER	92	4,113	44.7	39	40	25	76	-			

Punt Attempts	8; Rutgers, 11/20/21
Punt Yards	
Punt Average	53.9; at Wisconsin, 9/4/21
Longest Punt	76 yards; at Wisconsin, 9/4/21
Punts Inside the 20	6; Rutgers, 11/20/21
NOTE: Has one career tackle (at Nebraska, 2020)	1): *At Virainia Tech (2017-18)



### BRENTON **STRANGE** 86

Tight End/H-Back | 6-3 | 250 Redshirt Sophomore Parkersburg, W.Va./Parkersburg Major: Recreation, Parks and Tourism Management

#### » 2021

Awards: Preseason: Named to the Mackey Award Watch List.

Season: Has made 11 starts.

Ball State (9/11): Recorded one catch for 10 yards. Auburn (9/18): Tallied a career-high 71 yards on four catches and scored a 2-yard touchdown...Named Coaching Staff's Offensive Player of the Week. Villanova (9/25): Had one catch for nine yards. Indiana (10/2): Recorded a 10-yard touchdown reception. at lowa (10/9): Had one catch for 15 yards. Illinois (10/23): Recorded two receptions for 24 yards. at Ohio State (10/30): Posted four catches for 41 yards with a receiving touchdown. Michigan (11/13): Had one catch for seven yards.

#### » 2021 GAME-BY-GAME

Receiving (Receptions-Yards-TD)

at Wisconsin 0-0-0; Ball State 1-10-0; Auburn 4-71-1; Villanova 1-9-0; Indiana 1-10-1; at Iowa 1-15-0; Illinois 2-24-0; at Ohio State 4-41-1; at Maryland 0-0-0; Michigan 1-7-0. Rutgers 0-0-0.

» STRAI	» STRANGE'S CAREER STATISTICS & GAME HIGHS											
	AttYds.	Avg.	TD	LG	RecYds.	Avg.	TD	LG				
2019	-	-	-	-	1-4	4.0	1	4				
2020	-	-	-	-	17-164	9.6	2	28				
2021	-	-	-	-	15-163	12.8	3	40				
CAREER	-	-	-	-	33-331	10.8	6	40				
Reception	ıs				4; Twice:	Last Aub	ourn, 9	/18/21				
Receiving	Yards					71; Aub	urn , 9,	/18/21				
Receiving	Touchdown	s		1; Five times, Last Indiana, 10/2/21								
<b>Long Reception</b>							/18/21					

NOTE: Has one career kickoff return (8 yards at Wisconsin, 2021).

#### CAM **SULLIVAN-BROWN**

Wide Receiver | 6-0 | 193 Redshirt Senior Bowie, Md./Saint Vincent Pallotti Major: Telecommunications

#### » 2021

Season: Appeared in 10 games.

**Ball State (9/11):** Made one catch for 16 yards; **Villanova (9/25):** Recorded one catch for 12 yards. **at lowa (10/9):** Had two catches for 16 yards.

#### » 2021 GAME-BY-GAME

Receiving (Receptions-Yards-TD)

at Wisconsin 0-0-0; Ball State 1-16-0; Auburn 0-0-0; Villanova 1-12-0; Indiana 0-0-0; at Iowa 2-16-0; Illinois 0-0-0; at Ohio State 0-0-0; Maryland 0-0-0; Michigan 0-0-0; Rutgers 0-0-0.

» SULLIVAN-BROWN'S CAREER STATISTICS & GAME HIGHS										
	AttYds.	Avg.	TD	LG	RecYds.	Avg.	TD	LG		
2018	-	-	-	-	4-49	12.3	-	22		
2019	-	-	-	-	8-56	7.0	-	14		
2020	-	-	-	-	1-14	14.0	-	14		
2021	-	-	-	-	4-44	11.0	-	16		
CAREER	-	-	-	-	17-163	9.6	-	22		
Reception	ıs				5;	at Maryl	and, 9/	27/19		
Receiving	Yards				35;	at Maryl	and, 9/	27/19		
Longest Recention 22 yards: at Indiana 10/20/18								20/18		



#### JONATHAN **SUTHERLAND** O

Safety | 5-11 | 201 Redshirt Senior Ottawa, Ont./Episcopal (Va.) Major: International Affairs (Master's)

#### » CAREER NOTES AND RECORDS

**Game:** Blocked two punts against Idaho (8/31/19), marking the first time Penn State blocked two punts in a game since 2000 vs. Louisiana Tech... Two blocked punts in a game is tied for the fourth-most in FBS history... Joined Houston's Keith Corbin (vs. Prairie View A&M) as the only FBS players with two blocked punts in a game (2019).

### » 2021

**Season:** Has appeared in eight games...Voted a team captain...Joins Sean Clifford as the first three-time captains in program history.

at Wisconsin (9/4): Recorded seven tackles. Ball State (9/11): Tallied four tackles; Auburn (9/18): Posted three tackles. Villanova (9/25): Had one tackle. at lowa (10/9): Recorded a pass breakup. Rutgers (11/20): Tallied four tackles with his first career interception.

#### » 2021 GAME-BY-GAME

Tackles (Solo-Assisted-Total)

at Wisconsin 6-1-7; Ball State 1-3-4; Auburn 2-1-3; Villanova 0-1-1; Indiana 0-0-0; at Iowa 0-0-0; Illinois 0-0-0; at Ohio State DNP; at Maryland DNP; Michigan DNP; Rutgers 2-2-4.

» SUTHI	ERLAND	'S CA	REER !	STATI	STICS	S & GAI	VIE HIG	HS			
	UA-A	TK	FF	FR	- 1	PBU	SACK	TFL			
2018	24-14	38	1	-	-	1	-	2.0-4			
2019	11-12	23	-	-	-	-	-	0.5-0			
2020	6-8	14	-	-	-	2	0.5-5	2.0-7			
2021	11-8	19	-	-	1	-	-	1.0-1			
CAREER	52-42	94	1	-	1	3	0.5-5	5.5-12			
Tackles						8	; at Illino	is, 9/21/18			
Tackles fo	r Loss				1	.5; Michi	gan State	, 12/12/20			
Sacks					0	.5; Michi	- gan State	, 12/12/20			
Forced Fu	mbles					1; a	it Indiana	, 10/20/18			
Intercepti	ions					1	; Rutgers	, 11/20/21			
Pass Brea	kups			1;T	hree Tir	mes: Last	at Rutge	rs, 12/5/20			
Riocked K	icks				2: Idaho 8/31/19						



#### DERRICK **TANGELO**

Defensive Tackle | 6-2 | 308

Senior+

Gaithersburg, Md./The Bullis School/Duke Major: Communications Arts and Sciences

#### » 2021

**Awards: Preseason:** Selected for NFLPA Collegiate Bowl Preseason Big Board.

**Season:** Has made 11 starts...One of 34 players to make their Penn State debut this season...One of 12 players to make their first start at Penn State this season.

Ball State (9/11): Had two tackles; Auburn (9/18): Tallied three tackles with his first career fumble recovery; Villanova (9/25): Recorded three tackles. Indiana (10/2): Assisted on a tackle. at lowa (10/9): Posted two tackles and assisted on a tackle for loss. Illinois (10/23): Tallied three tackles with a sack and a forced fumble. at Ohio State (10/30): Recorded two tackles. at Maryland (11/6): Recorded four tackles and a sack. Michigan (11/13): Tallied four tackles and recovered a fumble. Rutgers (11/20): Had three tackles with a tackle for loss...Named Coaching Staff's Defensive Player of the Week.

#### » 2021 GAME-BY-GAME

Tackles (Solo-Assisted-Total)

at Wisconsin 0-0-0; Ball State 0-2-2; Auburn 2-1-3; Villanova 1-2-3; Indiana 0-1-1; at Iowa 1-1-2; Illinois 2-1-3; at Ohio State 1-1-2; at Maryland 4-0-4; Michigan 0-4-4; Rutgers 2-1-3.

» TANGELO'S CAREER STATISTICS & GAME HIGHS										
	UA-A	TK	FF	FR	- 1	PBU	SACK	TFL		
2017*	4-2	6	-	-	-	-	1.0-9	2.0-10		
2018*	19-26	45	2	2	-	-	1.5-9	4.0-11		
2019*	11-12	23	-	-	-	-	-	2.0-3		
2020*	24-16	40	3	1	-	-	2.0-11	4.0-14		
2021	12-15	27	1	2	-		2.0-30	5.0-24		
CAREER	70-71	141	6	5	-	-	6.5-59	17-75		

Tackles	
Tackles for Loss	3.0; at Syracuse, 10/10/20*
Sacks	. 1; Six times: Last at Maryland, 11/6/21
Forced Fumbles	1; Five times: Last Miami, 12/5/20*
Fumble Recoveries	1; Four times: Last Auburn, 9/18/21
NOTE: Played for Duke 2017-2020; *At Duke	



#### NICK **TARBURTON**

Defensive End | 6-3 | 255 Redshirt Junior Green Lane, Pa./Pennridge Major: Labor and Human Resources

#### » 2021

**Season:** Has made 11 appearances and six starts...One of nine Nittany Lions to make their first career start this season.

at Wisconsin (9/4): Tallied two tackles, setting a career high...Recovered a fumble in the second quarter, his first career recovery...Recorded a pass breakup. Ball State (9/11): Recorded two tackles; Auburn (9/18): Added one tackle. Villanova (9/25): Recorded one tackle. Indiana (10/2): Batted down a pass in the first quarter. at Iowa (10/9): Tied a career high with two tackles...Added a QB hurry; Illinois (10/23): Recorded two tackles; at Ohio State (10/30): Assisted on three tackles. at Maryland (11/6): Had one solo tackle. Michigan (11/13): Assisted on a tackle.

#### » 2021 GAME-BY-GAME

Tackles (Solo-Assisted-Total)

at Wisconsin 2-0-2; Ball State 1-1-2; Auburn 0-1-1; Villanova 1-0-1; Indiana 0-0-0; at Iowa 2-0-2; Illinois 1-1-2; at Ohio State 0-3-3; at Maryland 1-0-1; Michigan 0-1-1; Rutgers 0-0-0

#### » TARBURTON'S CAREER STATISTICS & GAME HIGHS UA-A TK FF FR PBU SACK 2018 2019 2020 2-0 2 2021 8-7 15 1 2 CAREER 10-7 17

Tackles	3; at Ohio State 10/30/21
Fumble Recoveries	1; at Wisconsin, 9/4/21
Pass Breakups	1; Twice: Last Indiana, 10/2/21

NOTE: Has one career kick return (15 yards vs. Michigan State, 2020).



#### LANDON **TENGWALL** 58

Offensive Line | 6-6 | 326 Freshman Annapolis, Md./Our Lady of Good Counsel Major: Division of Undergraduate Studies

#### » 2021

**Season:** Has appeared in one game for the Nittany Lions...One of 29 Nittany Lions to make their collegiate debut this season and one of 34 to make their Penn State debut...One of 10 true freshmen to play this season.



#### JORDAN **VAN DEN BERG** 52

Defensive Tackle | 6-3 | 292 Freshman Johannesburg, South Africa/Providence Christian Major: Division of Undergraduate Studies

#### » 2021

**Season:** Has appeared in two games for the Nittany Lions...One of 29 Nittany Lions to make their collegiate debut...Selected Coaching Staff's Developmental Squad Defensive Player of the Week following the Wisconsin game (9/4) and Indiana game (10/2).



#### AMIN **VANOVER**

Defensive End | 6-4 | 263 Redshirt Sophomore Newark, N.J./St. Joseph's Major: Division of Undergraduate Studies

#### » 2021

Season: Has appeared in six games.

	UA-A	TK	FF	FR	- 1	PBU	SACK	TFL
2020	3-0	3	-	-	-	-	-	-
2021	0-1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
CAREER	3-1	4	-	-	-	-	-	-



#### DAN **VASEY**

Defensive End | 6-4 | 240 Redshirt Senior Lackawaxen, Pa./Wallenpaupack Major: Kinesiology

#### » 2021

Season: Has appeared in one game for the Nittany Lions...One of 29 Nittany Lions to make their collegiate debut this season and one of 34 to make their Penn State debut...One of nine true freshmen to play this season...Named Coaching Staff's Developmental Squad Offensive Player of the Week after the Ohio State game (10/30)



#### CHRISTIAN **VEILLEUX**

Quarterback | 6-4 | 202 Freshman Orange, N.J./DePaul Catholic Major: Division of Undergraduate Studies

#### » 2021

**Season:** Has appeared in one game..One of 29 Nittany Lions to make their collegiate debut this season and one of 34 to make their Penn State debut...One of 10 true freshmen to play this season.

**Rutgers (11/20):** Completed 15-of-24 passes for 235 yards and three touchdowns...Connected with Jahan Dotson (8 yards), Parker Washington (17 yards) and Malick Meiga (67 yards) for touchdowns...Rushed for 36 yards...Named Coaching Staff's Offensive Player of the Week.

#### » 2021 GAME-BY-GAME

Passing (Comp-Att-Yds-TD-INT)

at Wisconsin DNP, Ball State DNP; Auburn DNP; Villanova DNP; Indiana DNP; at Iowa DNP; Illinois DNP; at Ohio State DNP; Maryland DNP; Michigan DNP; Rutgers 15-24-235-3-0.

#### Rushing (Carries-Yards-TD)

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at Wisconsin DNP, Ball State DNP; Auburn DNP; Villanova DNP; Indiana DNP; at Iowa DNP; Illinois DNP; at Ohio State DNP; Maryland DNP; Michigan DNP; Rutgers 10-36-0.

» VEILLEUX'S CAREER PASSING STATISTICS & GAME HIGHS										
	C-A	Yds.	%	TD-INT	YPG	LG				
2021	15-24	235	62.5	3-0	235.0	67				
CAREER	15-24	235	62.5	3-0	235.0	67				
Pass Comp	letions				15; Rutgers, 1	1/20/21				
Pass Atten	npts				. 2; Rutgers, 1	1/20/21				
Passing Ya	rds				35; Rutgers, 1	1/20/21				
Touchdow	n Passes				.3; Rutgers, 1	1/20/21				
Longest Pa	ass			67 ya	rds; Rutgers, 1	1/20/21				
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» VEILLEUX'S CAREER STATISTICS & GAME HIGHS										
	AttYds.	Avg.	TD	LG	RecYds.	Avg.	TD	LG		
2021	10-36	3.6	-	14	-	-	-	-		
CAREER	10-36	3.6	-	14	-	-	-	-		
Rushing A	ttempts				1	10; Rutg	ers, 11/	20/21		
<b>Rushing Y</b>	ards			36; Rutgers, 11/20/21						
Longest R	ush				14 yard	ds; Rutg	ers, 11/	20/21		



#### SMITH VILBERT

Defensive End | 6-6 | 263 Redshirt Sophomore Monsey, N.Y./St. John's Regional (N.J.) Major: Division of Undergraduate Studies

#### » 2021

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Season: Has appeared in 10 games.

at Wisconsin (9/4): Recorded one tackle. Ball State (9/11): Tallied a tackle for loss.

#### » 2021 GAME-BY-GAME

Tackles (Solo-Assisted-Total)

at Wisconsin 1-0-1; Ball State 1-0-1; Auburn DNP; Villanova 0-0-0; Indiana 0-0-0; at lowa 0-0-0; Illinois 0-0-0; at Ohio State 0-0-0; at Maryland 0-0-0; Michigan 0-0-0; Rutgers 1-0-1.

» VILBERT'S CAREER STATISTICS & GAME HIGHS										
	UA-A	TK	FF	FR	ı	PBU	SACK	TFL		
2019	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
2020	0-1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-		
2021	3-0	3		-		-		1.0-1		
CAREER	3-1	4	-	-	-	-	-	1.0-1		

 Tackles
 1; Three times: Last Ball State, 9/11/21

 Tackles for Losss
 1; Ball State, 9/11/21



#### RASHEED WALKER 53

Offensive Line | 6-6 | 325 Redshirt Junior Waldorf, Md./North Point Major: Recreation, Park and Tourism Management

#### 2021

Awards: Preseason: Named to the Lombardi Award and Outland Trophy Watch Lists.

Season: Has made 10 starts at left tackle...Voted a team captain.

at Wisconsin (9/4): Helped the Nittany Lion offense to gain 254 yards in the second half...Protected Sean Clifford as he threw for 247 yards and a touchdown...Led the way for Noah Cain to average 6.0 yards per carry and score on a 2-yard run. Ball State (9/11): Helped guide the Penn State offense to 493 yards of total offense...Blocked for Sean Clifford as he recorded 230 yards and a touchdown...Helped guide three different rushers to 60-plus yards on the ground. Auburn (9/18): Guided the Penn State offense to 391 total yards....Blocked for Sean Clifford as he threw for 280 yards and two touchdowns on the day...Helped Noah Cain and Tyler Warren score rushing touchdowns. Villanova (9/25): Helped Sean Clifford throw for a career-high 401 yards and four touchdowns...Guided the Penn State offense to 509 total yards. Indiana (10/2): Assisted the offense in gaining 408 yards and posting three passing touchdowns in the win. at Iowa (10/9): Helped guide the Penn State offense to 287 total yards. Illinois (10/23): Helped guide the offense to 227 total yards. at Ohio State (10/30): Guided Penn State to 394 yards of total offense... Helped guide Sean Clifford to a career-high 35 completions for 361 yards and a passing touchdown. at Maryland (11/6): Helped guide the Penn State offense to 456 yards...Blocked for Sean Clifford as he threw for 363 yards and three touchdowns. Michigan (11/13): Helped guide the Nittany Lion offense to 332 total yards...Blocked for Sean Clifford as he passed for 205 yards and a touchdown...Guided Keyvone Lee to 88 yards



Offensive Line | 6-5 | 323 **Redshirt Sophomore** Robbinsville, N.J./The Hun School Major: Communication Arts & Sciences

CAEDAN WALLACE

Season: Has made 11 starts at right tackle.

at Wisconsin (9/4): Helped the Nittany Lion offense to gain 254 yards in the second half...Protected Sean Clifford as he threw for 247 yards and a touchdown...Led the way for Noah Cain to average 6.0 yards per carry and score on a 2-vard run. Ball State (9/11): Helped guide the Penn State offense to 493 yards of total offense...Blocked for Sean Clifford as he recorded 230 yards and a touchdown...Helped guide three different rushers to 60-plus yards on the ground. Auburn (9/18): Guided the Penn State offense to 391 total yards....Blocked for Sean Clifford as he threw for 280 yards and two touchdowns on the day...Helped Noah Cain and Tyler Warren score rushing touchdowns. Villanova (9/25): Helped Sean Clifford throw for a career-high 401 yards and four touchdowns...Guided the Penn State offense to 509 total yards. Indiana (10/2): Assisted the offense in gaining 408 yards and posting three passing touchdowns in the win. at lowa (10/9): Helped guide the Penn State offense to 287 total yards. Illinois (10/23): Helped guide the offense to 227 total yards. at Ohio State (10/30): Guided Penn State to 394 yards of total offense... Helped guide Sean Clifford to a career-high 35 completions for 361 yards and a passing touchdown. at Maryland (11/6): Helped guide the Penn State offense to 456 yards...Blocked for Sean Clifford as he threw for 363 yards and three touchdowns. Michigan (11/13): Helped guide the Nittany Lion offense to 332 total yards...Blocked for Sean Clifford as he passed for 205 yards and a touchdown...Guided Keyvone Lee to 88 yards rushing. Rutgers (11/20): Helped guide the Penn State offense to 407 yards of totale offense. Blocked for Christian Veilleux as he threw for three touchdowns.



#### HARRISON WALLACE III 85

Wide Receiver | 6-1 | 190 Freshman Parkersburg, W.V./Pike Road Major: Division of Undergraduate Studies

#### 2021

Season: Appeared in two games...One of 29 Nittany Lions to make their collegiate debut this season and one of 34 to make their Penn State debut...One of 10 true freshmen to play this season.



### TYLER WARREN

Tight End | 6-6 | 252 Redshirt Freshman Mechanicsville, Va./Atlee Major: Division of Undergraduate Studies

#### » 2021

Season: Has appeared in 11 games...Named Coaching Staff's Special Teams Player of the Week following the Maryland game (11/6).

Auburn (9/18): Had two carries for one yard and his first career touchdown. Had a 22-yard reception. Villanova (9/25): Reached the end zone for the second-straight game with a 3-yard TD run. Illinois (10/23): Had one carry for two yards resulting in a first down. Michigan (11/13): Connected with Sean Clifford for his first career touchdown reception. Rutgers (11/20): Had two catches for 37 yards including a 29-yard catch.

#### » 2021 GAME-BY-GAME

Receiving (Receptions-Yards-TD)

at Wisconsin 0-0-0; Ball State 0-0-0; Auburn 1-22-0; Villanova 0-0-0; Indiana 1-0-0; at Iowa 0-0-0; Illinois 0-0-0; at Ohio State 0-0-0; at Maryland 1-0-0; Michigan 1-2-1; Rutgers 2-37-0.

## » WARREN'S CAREER STATISTICS & GAME HIGHS

	AttYds.	Avg.	TD	LG	RecYds.	Avg.	TD	LG	
2021	6-6	1.0	2	4	4-61	15.3	1	22	
CAREER	6-6	1.0	2	4	4-61	15.3	1	22	
Reception	ıs					2l Rutg	ers, 11,	/20/21	
Receiving	ving Yards37; Rutgers, 11/20/21								
Receiving	Touchdown	s			1	; Michig	an, 11,	/13/21	
Longest R	eception				29 yard	ds; Rutg	ers, 11,	/20/21	
Rushing A	ttempts					. 2; Aub	urn, 9	/18/21	
Rushing Y	ards					3 Villan	ova, 9	/25/21	
<b>Rushing T</b>	ouchdowns .				1; Twice: La	st Villan	ova, 9	/25/21	
Longest R	uch				3 var	lc•Villan	nva 9	/25/21	



#### PARKER WASHINGTON

Wide Receiver | 5-10 | 207 Sophomore Sugar Land, Texas/William B. Travis Major: Division of Undergraduate Studies

#### » CAREER NOTES & RECORDS

Game: Records Set: Set a Penn State true freshman single-game record with nine receptions in the Michigan win (11/28/20). 2020: With two scores against Maryland (11/7), became the first Penn State true freshman with two receiving touchdowns in a game since Pat Freiermuth at Rutgers in 2018...Nine receptions at Michigan (11/28) were the most by a Penn State freshman since DaeSean Hamilton against Ohio State in 2014 (14)...Started at Indiana (10/24), becoming the first true freshman receiver to start a season opener since Brandon Polk at Temple in 2015... Started alongside KeAndre Lambert-Smith against Maryland (11/7), marking the first time a pair of true freshmen receivers have started for Penn State since Saeed Blacknall and Chris Godwin at Michigan in 2014.

Awards: Preseason: Named to the Earl Campbell Tyler Rose Award

**Season:** Has appeared in 11 games, making seven starts...Has a reception in all 20 career games.

at Wisconsin (9/4): Tallied 47 yards on four catches, including a 24-yard grab in the first guarter. Ball State (9/11): Tallied six catches for 57 yards including a 23-yard catch from Sean Clifford. Auburn (9/18): Recorded eight catches for 49 yards. Villanova (9/25): Posted a career-high 148 yards on five catches with two touchdowns...Had a career-long 67 yard catch...Had touchdown catches of 52 and 23 yards...Selected Coaching Staff's Offensive Player of the Week. Indiana (10/2): Made two grabs for 30 yards...Tallied a long reception of 21 yards. at lowa (10/9): Recorded 26 yards on three catches. Illinois (10/23): Had four catches for 17 yards. at Ohio State (10/30): Tied a career-high with nine catches for 108 yards. at Maryland (11/6): Had two catches for 16 yards. Michigan (11/13): Recorded a game high 92 yards receiving on four catches...Had three 20+ yard catches including a 44-yarder. Rutgers (11/20): Led the Nittany Lions with six catches and 72 yards...Scored a 17-yard touchdown.

#### » 2021 GAME-BY-GAME

Receiving (Receptions-Yards-TD)

at Wisconsin 4-47-0; Ball State 6-57-0; Auburn 8-49-0; Villanova 5-148-2; Indiana 2-30-0; at Iowa 3-26-0; Illinois 4-17-0; at Ohio State 9-108-0; at Maryland 2-16-0; Michigan 4-92-0; Rutgers 6-72-1.

Rec.-Yds. Avg.

TD LG

#### » WASHINGTON'S CAREER STATISTICS & GAME HIGHS

Att.-Yds. Avg. TD LG

2020	-	-	-	-	36-489	13.6	6	49			
2021	-	-	-	-	53-662	12.5	3	67			
CAREER	-	-	-	-	89-1,151	12.9	9	67			
Receptions	<b>Receptions</b> 9; Twice: Last at Ohio State, 10/30/21										
Receiving Y	<b>Receiving Yards</b>										
Receiving T	ouchdow	ns		2;	Three times: La	st Villan	ova, 9,	/25/21			
Longest Re	ception				67 yard	ds; Villan	ova, 9,	/25/21			
20-yard Red	<b>20-yard Receptions</b>										
100-yard G	ames				2; Last a	t Ohio St	ate ,10	0/2/21			

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» WASHINGTON'S CAREER KICK RETURN STATISTICS & GAME HIGHS									
	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	LG				
2019	-	-	-	-	-				
2020	5	100	20.0	-	25				
2021	-	-	-	-	-				
CAREER	5	100	20.0	-	25				
	Kick Returns         2; Maryland, 11/7           Kick Return Yards         41; Maryland, 11/7								
Long Kick Retu	ırn		25	yards; Illinois,	12/19/20				
All-Purpose Yards									



#### JUSTIN WELLER

83

Wide Receiver | 6-0 | 198 Redshirt Senior Sinking Spring, Pa./Wilson Major: Finance

#### » 2021

Season: Has appeared in 11 games...Selected Coaching Staff's Developmental Squad Offensive Player of the Week following the Villanova (9/25) and Michigan (11/6) games.

#### » WELLER'S CAREER STATISTICS & GAME HIGHS

	AttYds.	Avg.	TD	LG	RecYds.	Avg.	TD	LG
2018	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2019	-	-	-	-	1-10	10.0	-	10
2020	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2021	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
CAREER	-	-	-	-	1-10	10.0	-	10
Reception	s					1; ld	aho, 8/	/31/19
Receiving	Yards					10; ld	aho, 8/	31/19
Longest R	eception				10	yards; Id	aho, 8/	31/19



#### ZAKEE WHEATLEY

Cornerback | 6-2 | 192 Freshman Crofton, Md./Archbishop Spalding Major: Division of Undergraduate Studies

#### » 2021

Season: Appeared in two games...One of 29 Nittany Lions to make their collegiate debut this season and one of 34 to make their Penn State debut...One of 10 true freshmen to play this season...Named Coaching Staff's Developmental Squad Defensive Player of the Week after the Illinois game (10/23) and Special Teams Player of the Week after the lowa (10/9) and Ohio State (10/30) games.

#### » 2021 GAME-BY-GAME

Tackles (Solo-Assisted-Total)

at Wisconsin DNP; Ball State DNP; Auburn DNP; Villanova 1-0-1; Indiana DNP; Iowa DNP; Illinois DNP; at Ohio State DNP; Michigan DNP; Rutgers 0-0-0

#### » WHEATLEY'S CAREER STATISTICS & GAME HIGHS

	UA-A	TK	FF	FR	Т	PBU	SACK	TFL
2021	1-0	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
CAREER	1-0	1	-	-	-	-	-	-

**Tackles** ......1; Villanova, 9/25/21



# ANTHONY WHIGAN

Offensive Line | 6-4 | 316 Redshirt Senior Lexington Park, Md./Great Mills/Lackawanna C.C. Major: Recreation, Park and Tourism Management

#### » 2021

Season: Has appeared in 10 games and made two starts...One of eight Nittany Lions to make their first career start this season.

at Wisconsin (9/4): Helped the Nittany Lion offense to gain 254 yards in the second half...Protected Sean Clifford as he threw for 247 yards and a touchdown...Led the way for Noah Cain to average 6.0 yards per carry and score on a 2-yard run. Rutgers (11/20): Helped guide the Penn State offense to 407 yards of totale offense. Blocked for Christian Veilleux as he threw for three touchdowns.



#### BENJAMIN WILSON

Wide Receiver | 6-2 | 212 Redshirt Senior+

Uniontown, Pa./Uniontown Major: Biobehavioral Health

» 2021

**Season:** Has appeared in two games on special teams.



### ERIC WILSON

68

Offensive Line | 6-4 | 307 Senior+ Minnetrista, Minn./Harvard Maior: Liberal Arts

» 2021

Awards: Selected CoSIDA Academic All-District.

**Season:** Appeared in 11 games, making eight starts at guard...One of 34 players to make their Penn State debut this season...One of 12 Nittany Lions to make their first career start at Penn State.

at Wisconsin (9/4): Helped the Nittany Lion offense to gain 254 yards in the second half...Protected Sean Clifford as he threw for 247 yards and a touchdown...Led the way for Noah Cain to average 6.0 yards per carry and score on a 2-yard run...Ball State (9/11): Helped guide the Penn State offense to 493 yards of total offense...Blocked for Sean Clifford as he recorded 230 yards and a touchdown...Helped guide three different rushers to 60-plus yards on the ground. Auburn (9/18): Guideded the Penn State offense to 391 total yards....Blocked for Sean Clifford as he threw for 280 yards and two touchdowns on the day. Villanova (9/25): Helped Sean Clifford throw for a career-high 401 yards and four touchdowns...Guided the Penn State offense to 509 total yards. Indiana (10/2): Assisted the offense in gaining 408 yards and posting three passing touchdowns in the win. at lowa (10/9): Helped guide the Penn State offense to 287 total yards. Illinois (10/23): Helped guide the offense to 227 total yards. at Ohio State (10/30): Guided Penn State to 394 yards of total offense...Helped guide Sean Clifford to a career-high 35 completions for 361 yards and a passing touchdown. at Maryland (11/6): Helped guide the Penn State offense to 456 yards...Blocked for Sean Clifford as he threw for 363 yards and three touchdowns. Michigan (11/13): Helped guide the Nittany Lion offense to 332 total yards... Blocked for Sean Clifford as he passed for 205 yards and a touchdown... Guided Keyvone Lee to 88 yards rushing. Rutgers (11/20): Helped guide the Penn State offense to 407 yards of totale offense. Blocked for Christian Veilleux as he threw for three touchdowns.



#### JAKE **WILSON**

94

Defensive End | 6-3 | 247 Redshirt Freshman Nazareth, Pa./Nazareth Major: Division of Undergraduate Studies

» 2021

**Season:** Has appeared in one game for the Nittany Lions...One of 29 Nittany Lions to make their collegiate debut...Named Coaching Staff's Developmental Squad Defensive Player of the Week following the Michigan game (11/13).



#### **MARQUIS WILSON**

Athlete | 5-11 | 180 Junior

Windsor, Conn./Windsor Major: Telecommunications

#### » CAREER NOTES & RECORDS

Season: 2019: Tied for ninth at Penn State with three forced fumbles.

» 2021

Season: Has appeared in seven games...Became the first Nittany Lion to appear on both sides of the ball since Dae'Lun Darien against Maryland in 2017

**Ball State (9/11):** Appeared on both offense and defense...Tallied two tackles...Recorded one catch for three yards; **Villanova (9/25):** Had two catches for 26 yards. **Rutgers (11/20):** Tallied two tackles.

#### » 2021 GAME-BY-GAME

Tackles (Solo-Assisted-Total)

at Wisconsin DNP; Ball State 1-1-2; Auburn 0-0-0; Villanova 1-0-1; Indiana 0-0-0; at Iowa DNP; Illinois DNP; at Ohio State DNP; at Maryland 0-0-0; Michigan 0-0-0. Rutgers 1-1-2.

» WILSO	WILSON'S CAREER STATISTICS & GAME HIGHS										
	UA-A	TK	FF	FR	- 1	PBU	SACK	TFL			
2019	11-7	18	3	1	2	-	-	-			
2020	8-5	13	-	-	-	2	-	0.5-0			
2021	2-1	3	-	-	-	-	-	1.0-2			
CAREER	21-23	35	3	1	2	2	-	1.5-2			

Tackles	5; Twice: Last at Michigan, 11/28/20
Tackles for Loss	
Forced Fumbles	2; Indiana, 11/16/19
Fumble Recoveries	1; Indiana, 11/16/19
Interceptions	1; Twice: Last vs. Memphis, 12/28/19
Pass Breakups	.1; Twice: Last Michigan State, 12/12/20
Longest Interception Return	13 yards; vs. Memphis, 12/28/19

#### » WILSON'S CAREER STATISTICS & GAME HIGHS

	AttYds.	Avg.	TD	LG	RecYds.	Avg.	TD	LG
2021	-	-	-	-	3-29	9.3	-	14
CAREER	-	-	-	-	3-29	9.3	-	14
Reception	1S					2; Villan	ova, 9/	25/21
Receiving	Yards					6; Villan	ova, 9/	25/21



#### BLAKE ZALAR

52

Offensive Line | 6-1 | 296 Redshirt Sophomore Coal Township, Pa./Shamokin Area Major: Risk Management

» 2021

**Season:** Has appeared in one game for the Nittany Lions...One of 29 Nittany Lions to make their collegiate debut...Named Coaching Staff's Developmental Squad Offensive Player of the Week following the Ball State game (9/11).

### **2021 RESULTS** & STATISTICS

Date	PSU Rank	Opponent (Rank)	Score	Attendance	Big Ten	0verall
Sept. 4	19/20	at Wisconsin * (12/15)	W, 16-10	76,832	1-0	1-0
Sept. 11	11/13	Ball State (RV/RV)	W, 44-13	105,382	1-0	2-0
Sept. 18	10/12	Auburn (22/20)	W, 28-10	109,538	1-0	3-0
Sept. 25	6/8	Villanova (11/7)^	W, 38-17	105,790	1-0	4-0
0ct. 2	4/6	Indiana*	W, 24-0	105,951	2-0	5-0
Oct. 9	4/4	at lowa * (3/3)	L, 20-23	69,250	2-1	5-1
Oct. 23	7/8	Illinois *	L, 18-20 (9 OT)	105,001	2-2	5-2
Oct. 30	20/17	at Ohio State * (5/5)	L, 24-33	102,951	2-3	5-3
Nov. 6	22/23	at Maryland*	W, 31-14	46,924	3-3	6-3
Nov. 13	23/23	Michigan* (9/8/6)	L, 17-21	109,534	3-4	6-4
Nov. 20	RV/RV	Rutgers*	W, 28-0	106,038	4-4	7-4
Nov. 27	RV/RV	at Michigan State* (12/13/7)				

(\*) Big Ten Conference game; Rankings - AP/Coaches/CFP; (^) Rankings reflect FCS polls - STATS FCS/FCS Coaches

TEAM STATISTICS		Penn State	Opponent
SCORING		288	171
Points Per Game		26.2	15.5
Points Off Turnovers		30	6
FIRST DOWNS		228	226
Rushing		79	96
Passing		135	105
Penalty		14	25
RUSHING YARDAGE		1216	1449
Yards gained rushing		1497	1750
Yards lost rushing		281	301
Rushing Attempts		383	420
Average Per Rush		3.2	3.5
Average Per Game		110.5	131.7
TDs Rushing		11	7
PASSING YARDAGE		2980	2232
Comp-Att-Int		253-417-8	229-390-11
Average Per Pass		7.1	5.7
Average Per Catch		11.8	9.7
Average Per Game		270.9	202.9
TDs Passing		21	9
TOTAL OFFENSE		4196	3681
Total Plays		800	810
Average Per Play		5.2	4.5
Average Per Game		381.5	334.6
KICK RETURNS: #-Yards		10-153	1-11
PUNT RETURNS: #-Yards		15-105	13-31
INT RETURNS: #-Yards		11-169	8-50
KICK RETURN AVERAGE		15.3	11.0
PUNT RETURN AVERAGE		7.0	2.4
INT RETURN AVERAGE		15.4	6.3
FUMBLES-LOST		10-3	13-7
PENALTIES-LOSI		65-572	59-480
		52.0	43.6
Average Per Game PUNTS-Yards		59-2742	71-3096
		39-2/42 46.5	71-3096 43.6
Average Per Punt		40.5	
Net punt average			40.2
KICKOFFS-Yards		58-3750	41-2519
Average Per Kick		64.7	60.4
Net kick average		41.6	43.4
TIME OF POSSESSION/Game		28:44	31:16
3RD-DOWN Conversions		65/169	62/178
3rd-Down Pct		38%	35%
4TH-DOWN Conversions		9/20	9/17
4th-Down Pct		45%	53%
SACKS BY-Yards		22-177	28-168
MISCYARDS		0	0
TOUCHDOWNS SCORED		34	17
FIELD GOALS-ATTEMPTS		16-22	16-19
ON-SIDE KICKS		0-0	0-0
RED-ZONE SCORES		(31-36) 86%	(23-37) 62%
RED-ZONE TOUCHDOWNS		(19-36) 53%	(11-37) 30%
PAT-ATTEMPTS		(32-33) 97%	(15-16) 94%
ATTENDANCE		747595	295957
Games/Avg Per Game		7/106799	4/73989
Neutral Site Games			0/0
SCORE BY QUARTERS 1	2 3	4 OT	Total Average

SCORE BY QUARTERS	1	2	3	4	OT	Total	Average
Penn State	73	53	83	71	8	288	26.1
Opponents	12	54	34	61	10	171	15.5

PASSING	G	Rating	C-A-I	Pct.	Yards	TD	LP	Avg./G
Clifford, Sean	11	134.4	224-362-6	61.9	2599	17	86	236.3
Roberson, Ta'Quan	4	62.3	11-28-2	39.3	85	1	23	21.2
Veilleux, Christian	1	186.0	15-24-0	62.5	235	3	67	235.0
Dotson, Jahan	11	280.6	2-2-0	100.0	43	0	22	3.9
Stout, Jordan	11	251.2	1-1-0	100.0	18	0	18	1.6
Total	11	133.5	253-417-8	60.7	2980	21	86	270.9
Opponents	11	108.8	229-390-11	58.7	2232	9	58	202.9
Statistician's Note								

 $\textit{Passing rating formula:} \ [ (8.4 \, \textit{x yards}) + (330 \, \textit{x touchdowns}) --- (200 \, \textit{x interceptions}) + (100 \, \textit{x completions}) ] / \textit{attempts}.$ 

RUSHING	G	Att.	Gain	Loss	Net	Avg./Att.	TD	LG	Avg./G
Lee, Keyvone	11	89	427	11	416	4.7	2	44	37.8
Cain, Noah	11	100	345	23	322	3.2	4	34	29.3
Lovett, John	8	52	192	15	177	3.4	0	18	22.1
Clifford, Sean	11	79	315	173	142	1.8	2	43	12.9
Ford, Devyn	7	11	50	0	50	4.5	0	12	7.1
Veilleux, Christian	1	10	40	4	36	3.6	0	14	36.0
Holmes, Caziah	3	5	28	1	27	5.4	0	9	9.0
Roberson, Ta'Quan	4	12	44	20	24	2.0	0	10	6.0
Stahl, Mason	4	3	22	0	22	7.3	0	17	5.5
Dotson, Jahan	11	6	20	2	18	3.0	1	7	1.6
Warren, Tyler	10	6	7	1	6	1.0	2	3	0.6
Smith, Tank	3	4	7	2	5	1.2	0	7	1.7
Mustipher, PJ	5	1	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0
TEAM	11	4	0	11	-11	-2.8	0	0	-1.0
Stout, Jordan	11	1	0	18	-18	-18.0	0	0	-1.6
Total	11	383	1497	281	1216	3.2	11	44	110.5
Opponents	11	419	1749	304	1445	3.4	7	68	131.4

RECEIVING	G	No.	Yards	Avg./Rec.	TD	LG	Avg./G
Dotson, Jahan	11	83	1045	12.6	10	86	95.0
Washington, Parker	11	53	662	12.5	3	67	60.2
Lambert-Smith, KeAndre	11	29	426	14.7	2	83	38.7
Johnson, Theo	11	19	213	11.2	1	37	19.4
Cain, Noah	11	17	102	6.0	0	16	9.3
Strange, Brenton	11	15	163	10.9	3	40	14.8
Lee, Keyvone	11	9	83	9.2	0	24	7.5
Lovett, John	8	9	36	4.0	0	18	4.5
Warren, Tyler	10	4	61	15.2	1	29	6.1
Sullivan-Brown, Cam	11	4	44	11.0	0	16	4.0
Meiga, Malick	5	3	78	26.0	1	67	15.6
Wilson, Marquis	7	3	29	9.7	0	14	4.1
Ford, Devyn	7	3	18	6.0	0	9	2.6
Jacobs, Curtis	10	1	18	18.0	0	18	1.8
Eubanks, Winston	6	1	2	2.0	0	2	0.3
Total	11	253	2980	11.8	21	86	270.9
Opponents	11	229	2232	9.7	9	58	202.9

TOTAL OFFENSE	G	Plays	Rushing	Passing	Total	Avg./G
Clifford, Sean	11	441	142	2599	2741	249.2
Lee, Keyvone	11	89	416	0	416	37.8
Cain, Noah	11	100	322	0	322	29.3
Veilleux, Christian	1	34	36	235	271	271.0
Lovett, John	8	52	177	0	177	22.1
Roberson, Ta'Quan	4	40	24	85	109	27.2
Dotson, Jahan	11	8	18	43	61	5.5
Ford, Devyn	7	11	50	0	50	7.1
Holmes, Caziah	3	5	27	0	27	9.0
Stahl, Mason	4	3	22	0	22	5.5
Warren, Tyler	10	6	6	0	6	0.6
Smith, Tank	3	4	5	0	5	1.7
Stout, Jordan	11	2	-18	18	0	0.0
TEAM	11	4	-11	0	-11	-1.0
Total	11	800	1216	2980	4196	381.5
Opponents	11	809	1445	2232	3677	334.3

KICKOFF RETURNS	No.	Yards	Avg./Ret.	TD	LG
Ford, Devyn	7	139	19.9	0	31
Lovett, John	3	50	16.7	0	19
Holmes, Caziah	1	23	23.0	0	23
Lee, Keyvone	1	0	0.0	0	0
Strange, Brenton	1	8	8.0	0	8
Total	13	220	16.9	0	31
Opponents	1	11	11.0	0	11
PUNT RETURNS	No.	Yards	Avg./Ret.	TD	LG
Dotson, Jahan	8	104	13.0	0	16
Wilson, Marquis	1	1	1.0	0	1

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**Opponents** 

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ALL-PURPOSE YARDAGE		G	Rushing	Receivir	ng l	ont Returns	KO Re	turns	Int. Return	ıs	Total	Avg./
Dotson, Jahan		11	18	10-	45	104		0		0	1167	106.
Washington, Parker		11	0	6	62	0		0		0	662	60.
Lee, Keyvone		11	416		83	0		0		0	499	45.
Lambert-Smith, KeAndre		11	0	4.	26	0		0		0	426	38.
Cain, Noah		11	322		02	0		0		0	424	38.
Lovett, John		8	177		36	0		50		0	263	32.
Johnson, Theo		11	0		13	0		0		0	213	19.
Ford, Devyn		7	50		18	0		139		0	207	29.
Strange, Brenton		11	0	1	63	0		8		0	171	15.
Clifford, Sean		11	142		0	0		0		0	142	12.
Brown, Ji'Ayir		5	0		0	0		0	11		112	10.
Meiga, Malick Warren, Tyler		10	6		78 61	0		0		0	78 67	15. 6.
Holmes, Caziah		3	27	'	0	0		23		0	50	16.
Sullivan-Brown, Cam		11	0		44	0		0		0	44	4.
Brisker, Jaquan		11	0		0	0		0		9	39	3.
Veilleux, Christian		1	36		0	0		0		0	36	36.
Wilson, Marquis		7	0		29	1		0		0	30	4.
Roberson, Ta'Quan		4	24		0	0		0		0	24	6.
Stahl, Mason		4	22		0	0		0		0	22	5.
Jacobs, Curtis		10	0		18	0		0		2	20	2
Luketa, Jesse		10	0		0	0		0	1	6	16	1
Smith, Tank		3	5		0	0		0		0	5	1.
Eubanks, Winston		6	0		2	0		0		0	2	0.
Porter Jr., Joey		11	0		0	0		0		1	1	0
Hardy, Daequan		11	0		0	0		0		1	-1	-0.
TEAM		11	-11		0	0		0		0	-11	-1.
Stout, Jordan		11	-18		0	0		0		0	-18	-1.
Total		11	1216	298		105		220	16		4690	426.
Opponents		11	1445	22:		31 Points After Tou	rhdoven	11	5	U	3769	342.
SCORING		TD		FG	Kick	Rush	Rec.	Pass	DX	P	Saf	Point
Stout, Jordan		0		16-22	32-33	0-0	0	0-0		0	0	8
Dotson, Jahan		11		0-0	0-0	0-0	1	0-0		0	0	6
Cain, Noah		4		0-0	0-0	1	0	0-0		0	0	2
Strange, Brenton		3		0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0		0	0	1
Washington, Parker		3		0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0		0	0	1
Warren, Tyler		3		0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0		0	0	1
Clifford, Sean		2		0-0	0-0	0-0	0	1		0	0	1.
Lambert-Smith, KeAndre		2		0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0		0	0	1
Luketa, Jesse		1		0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0		0	0	
Brown, Ji'Ayir		1		0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0		0	0	
Johnson, Theo		1		0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0		0	0	
Meiga, Malick		1		0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0		0	0	
Total		34		16-22	32-33	1	1	1		0	0	28
Opponents		17		16-19	15-16	0	3	3		0	0	17
DIINTING	Na		Varde	Ayrawa # c	10	TD	r.	r	1.20	E0 ·	DIL	
PUNTING	No.		Yards	Average	LG	TB	F		I-20	50+	Blk.	
Stout, Jordan <b>Total</b>	59 <b>59</b>		2742 <b>2742</b>	46.5 <b>46.5</b>	76 <b>76</b>	3 3	2: <b>2</b> :		31	24 <b>24</b>	0 <b>0</b>	
Opponents	71		3096	43.6	76	7	3		31 24	14	0	
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FIELD GOALS	FG		Pct.	1-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	9	50+	LG	Blk.	
Stout, Jordan	16-22		72.7	0-0	5-6	4-4	5-		2-3	52	0	
Jiout,Jordan	10 22		12.1	0.0		7 7		,	2 3	32		
KICKOFFS		No.		Yards		Average		ТВ		(	)B	
Stout, Jordan		58		3750		64.7		53			1	
Total		58		3750		64.7		53			1	
Opponents		41		2519		61.4		19			1	
INTERCEPTIONS	No.	Yards	Average	TD	LG							
Brown, Ji'Ayir	4	112	28.0	1	87							
Brisker, Jaquan	2	39	19.5	0	41							
Porter Jr., Joey	1	1	1.0	0	1							
Jacobs, Curtis	1	2	2.0	0	2							
	1	16	16 በ	1	16							
Luketa, Jesse Hardy, Daequan	1 1	16 -1	16.0 -1.0	0	16 0							

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DEFENSE	G-GS	Solo	Assist	Total	TFL-Yards	Sacks-Yards	IntYards	PBU	QBH	FR-Yards	FF	Blk	Safety
Brooks, Ellis	11	50	41	91	2.5-21	1.0-18		1					
Smith, Brandon	11	42	34	76	9.0-28	2.0-15		5	3		1		
Ebiketie, Arnold	11	32	26	58	16.0-77	9.5-62			7		2	2	
Brown, Ji'Ayir	11	48	9	57	1.0-2		4-112	4		2-0	1		
Brisker, Jaquan	11	35	21	56	5.5-13		2-39	5	1	1-0			
Luketa, Jesse	10	28	20	48	6.0-15	0.5-2	1-16		5				
Porter Jr., Joey	11	36	8	44			1-1	4			1		
Jacobs, Curtis	10	28	15	43	5.0-18	2.0-11	1-2		1				
Castro-Fields, Tariq	10	22	6	28				6					
Tangelo, Derrick	11	12	15	27	5.0-33	2.0-29		1	1	2-0	1		
Mustipher, PJ	5	16	5	21	3.0-16	1.0-9							
Sutherland, Jonathan	9	11	8	19	2.0-2		1-0	1					
Tarburton, Nick	11	9	9	18	1.0-4			2	1	1-0			
Izzard, Coziah	11	9	9	18	3.0-15	2.0-14			1		1		
Hardy, Daequan	11	11	4	15	3.0-13	1.0-8	1-(-1)	7					
Ellis, Keaton	8	9	2	11				1					
King, Kalen	10	7	4	11				3			1		
Ellies, Dvon	11	4	6	10	1.5-1				2				
Katshir, Charlie	10	7	3	10									
Dixon, Johnny	10	5	1	6	0.5-0			2					
Rudolph, Tyler	4	4	2	6									
Elsdon, Tyler	9	4	2	6									
Wilson, Marquis	7	3	2	5	1.0-2			1					
Mulbah, Fatorma	4	2	2	4									
Reed, Jaylen	6	3	1	4									
Buddin, Jamari	4	3	1	4									
Hartlaub, Drew	11	4		4									
Vilbert, Smith	9	3		3	1.0-1								
King, Kobe	4	1	2	3					1				
Fisher, Zuriah	7	1	1	2									
Lee, Keyvone	11	2		2									
Lytton, A.J.	10	2		2									
Lambert-Smith, KeAndre	11	2		2									
van den Berg, Jordan	3	1		1	1.0-9	1.0-9							
Wheatley, Zakee	3	1		1									
Romano, Cody	1	1		1									
TEAM	11	1		1	1.0-10						1		
Checa, Rafael	11	1		1									
Vanover, Amin	6		1	1									
Costantini, Sebastian	10							1					
Total	11	458	260	718	67-271	22-177	11-169	44	23	7-0	9	2	-
Opponents	11	454	272	726	73-272	28-168	8-50	25	27	3-9	7		

# **SCORING** SUMMARY

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Play	rs Yds	Time	Result	Qtr.	Scoring Play
wis	CONSIN	I (3)			
4	86	0:55	TD	3	Dotson 49-yard pass from Clifford (Stout kick)
8	61	2:05	FG	4	Stout 24-yard field goal
5	68	1:13	TD	4	Cain 2-yard run (Stout kick failed)
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BAL	L STATE	(8)			
13	78	4:33	TD	1	Cain 5-yard run (Stout kick)
8	76	2:18	TD	1	Clifford 1-yard run (Stout kick)
10	41	2:56	FG	2	45-yard field goal Stout
8	64	2:41	TD	2	Dotson 25-yard pass from Clifford (Stout kick)
-	16	0:03	TD	3	Luketa 16-yard interception return (Stout kick)
5	63	2:50	FG	3	26-yard field goal Stout
12	55	5:32	FG	4	22-yard field goal Stout
5	50	2:15	TD	5	Johnson 23-yard pass from Roberson (Stout kick)
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AUF	BURN (4	)			
6	88 88	2:33	TD	1	Dotson 4-yard pass from Clifford (Stout kick)
14	91	6:49	TD	2	Strange 2-yard pass from Clifford (Stout Rick)
4	20	1:46	TD	3	2-yard run Warren (Stout kick)
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9	75	4:07	TD	4	3-yard run Cain (Stout kick)
VILI	LANOVA	(6)			
1	52	0:08	TD	1	Dotson 52-yard pass from Clifford (Stout kick)
5	75	2:14	TD	2	Washington 52-yard pass from Clifford (Stout kick)
7	65	3:05	FG	2	29-yard field goal Stout
2	83	0:39	TD	3	Lambert-Smith 83-yard pass from Clifford (Stout kick)
8	72	2:55	TD	3	Washington 23-yard pass from Clifford (Stout kick)
5	42	1:59	TD	4	Warren 4-yard run (Stout kick)
,	12	1.55	10		Walter F yard full (Stout Nick)
IND	IANA (4	.)			
13	80	5:14	TD	1	Strange 10-yard pass from Clifford (Stout kick)
9	96	3:42	TD	2	Dotson 8-yard pass from Clifford (Stout kick)
9	61	5:22	TD	3	Dotson 30-yard pass from Clifford (Stout kick)
4	0	0:42	FG	4	50-yard field goal Stout
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IOW	IA (4)				
9	75	2:31	TD	1	Cain 2-yard run (Stout kick)
4	39	1:23	TD	1	Clifford 4-yard run (Stout kick)
14	66	3:25	FG	2	32-yard field goal Stout
11	42	3:19	FG	3	44-yard field goal Stout
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4	93	1:55	TD	1	42-yard pass Lambert-Smith from Clifford (Stout kick)
6	23	1:41	FG	2	35-yard field goal Stout
8	12	-	FG	10T	31-yard field goal Stout
4	3	-	FG	20T	40-yard field goal Stout
-	-	-	2pt	80T	Cain rush
ОНІ	O STATE	(4)			
13	89	4:48	TD	1	5-yard pass Strange from Clifford (Stout kick)
10	46	2:24	FG	2	47-yard field goal Stout
12	75	4:34	TD	3	Dotson 2-yard rush (Stout kick)
11	75	3:25	TD	3	Lee 1-yard rush (Stout kick)
MAA	RYLAND	(5)			
4	75	1:33	TD	1	38-yard pass Dotson from Clifford (Stout kick)
14	75 95	5:43	TD	3	21-yard pass Dotson from Clifford (Stout kick)
2	93 78	0:54	TD	4	86-yard pass Dotson from Clifford (Stout Rick)
12	78 74	3:55	FG		80-yard pass Dotson from Clifford (Stout Rick) 24-yard field goal Stout
				4	24-yard interception return Brown (Stout kick)
-	87	-	TD	4	o7-yaru mterception feturn brown (5tout KICK)

Play:	s Yds	Time	Result	Qtr.	Scoring Play
MICI	HIGAN	(4)			
14	51	5:04	FG	1	42-yard field goal Stout
6	28	1:04	FG	2	52-yard field goal Stout
15	53	5:11	TD	4	2-yard pass Clifford to Warren
					(2 pt conversion pass Clifford to Dotson)
4	3	0:50	FG	4	31-yard field goal Stout
RUT	GERS (4	4)			
10	67	4:37	TD	2	8-yard pass Veilleux to Dotson (Stout kick)
5	42	2:20	TD	3	17-yard pass Veilleux to Washington (Stout kick)
2	70	0:42	TD	3	67-yard pass Veilleux to Meiga (Stout kick)
14	85	5:02	TD	4	7-yard run Lee (Stout kick)

### **PENN STATE** GAME-BY-GAME

	at WIS	BSU	AU	VU	IU	at IOWA	ILL	OSU	at MD	MICH	RU	
First Downs	11	32	22	20	20	18	14	27	23	20	21	
Rushing	1	16	5	6	10	6	4	5	9	10	7	
Passing	8	15	15	13	9	11	9	19	14	10	12	
Penalty	50	240	94	80	209	1 107	62	33	93	109	2 149	
Net Yards Rushing Rushing Attempts	18	48	33	34	42	33	29	29	33	109 42	42	
Average Per Rush	42.8	5.0	2.8	2.4	5.0	3.2	2.1	1.1	2.8	2.6	3.5	
Rushing Touchdowns	1	2	2.0	1	0	2	0	2	0	0	1	
Yards Gained	71	261	108	107	220	127	95	62	118	174	159	
Yards Lost	21	21	14	27	11	20	33	29	25	65	10	
Net Yards Passing	247	253	302	429	199	180	165	361	363	223	258	
Completions	18	22	29	22	18	22	19	35	27	24	17	
Attempts	33	31	33	31	34	46	34	52	47	44	32	
Interceptions	0	0	1	1	1	4	0	1	0	0	0	
Yards Per Attempt	7.5	8.2	9.2	13.8	5.9	3.9	4.9	6.9	7.7	5.1	8.1	
Yards Per Completion	13.7	11.5	10.4	19.5	11.1	8.2	8.7	10.3	13.4	9.3	15.2	
Passing Touchdowns	1 207	2	2	4	3	0	1	1 204	3	1	3	
Total Offensive Yards	297 51	493 79	396 66	509 65	408 76	287 79	63	394 81	456 80	332 86	407 74	
Plays Yards Per Play	5.8	6.2	6.0	7.8	5.4	3.6	3.6	4.9	5.7	3.9	5.5	
umbles-Lost	0-0	1-0	1-0	0-0	0-0	1-0	1-0	2-2	0-0	3.9	1-0	
Penalties-Yards	7-79	6-62	5-35	3-35	5-37	10-59	7-81	7-56	7-54	4-29	4-50	
Punts-Yards	7-377	3-154	4-200	4-154	6-278	5-252	8-375	4-197	6-208	4-204	8-343	
Yards Per Punt	53.9	51.3	50.0	38.5	46.3	50.4	46.9	49.2	34.7	51.0	42.9	
Net Yards Per Punt	49.9	38.0	47.0	38.5	46.3	51.4	47.1	49.5	35.0	51.0	42.4	
Inside 20	1	0	1	4	4	2	6	1	3	4	6	
50+ Yard Kicks	5	2	2	0	2	3	4	2	0	2	2	
Touchbacks	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Fair Catch	2	1	2	3	5	2	3	2	3	0	2	
(ickoffs-Yards	4-260	9-585	5-325	7-442	5-324	5-325	3-193	4-260	6-389	5-332	5-325	
Yards Per Kickoff	65.0	65.0	65.0	63.1	64.8	65.0	64.3	65.0	64.8	64.4	65.0	
Net Yards Per Kickoff	40.0	40.0	40.0	41.7	40	40	40	40	59	40	40	
Touchbacks	4	9	5	6	4	5	2	4	5	4	5	
Punt Returns Yards	2 17	0	16	21	2 18	1	0	0	1 12	9	2 11	
Touchdowns	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Yards Per Return	8.5	0.0	16.0	11.5	9.0	1.0	0.0	0.0	12.0	9.0	5.5	
Kickoff Returns	2	3	2	3	0	0	0.0	1	2	0	0	
Yards	29	67	32	57	0	0	0	0	35	0	0	
Touchdowns	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Yards Per Return	14.5	22.3	16.0	19.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	17.5	0.0	0.0	
nterceptions	2	2	0	1	2	1	1	0	1	0	0	
Yards	47	15	0	15	5	-2	2	0	87	0	0	
Touchdowns	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	
Fumble Recoveries	1	0	1	0	0	0	1	1	1	1	0	
Returns-Yards	1-1	0	0	0	0	0	1-12	1-0	1-0	0-0	0-0	
Touchdowns	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Miscellaneous Yards	0	0	28	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Possession Times	17:366	34:09	28:18	28:45	34:53	23:59	23:35	29:50	31:33	29:40	33:34	
1st Quarter	4:41	6:51	6:27	5:20	9:30	6:19	6:35	6:04	8:09	11:02	5:52	
2nd Quarter	3:50	7:27	8:24	8:47	6:47	5:03	3:15	9:07	9:33	3:48	8:58	
3rd Quarter	4:37	10:58	4:41	8:52	9:45	5:52	6:01	10:24	7:13	7:21	7:51	
4th Quarter  Brd-Down Conversions	4:28 3-13	8:53 6-13	8:46 5-10	5:46 3-12	8:51 6-16	6:45 5-16	7:44 4-17	4:15 11-18	6:38 10-18	6:49 7-21	10:53 5-15	
4th-Down Conversions	3-13 0-1	0-0	0-2	2-2	2-3	0-3	1-1	0-1	0-1	7-21 4-6	0-1	
Red Zone Scoring	2-3	4-4	4-4	2-2	2-3	4-4	3-4	3-3	1-1	3-4	3-4	
Touchdowns	1-3	2-4	4-4	1-2	2-3	2-4	0-4	3-3	0-1	1-4	3-4	
Field Goals	1-3	2-4	0-4	1-2	0-3	2-4	3-4	0-3	1-1	2-4	0-4	
Sacks By-Yards	2-25	1-0	0-0	3-0	2-8	3-19	4-31	0-0	2-26	2-14	2-10	
PAT Kicks	1-2	5-5	4-4	5-5	3-3	2-2	1-1	3-3	4-4	0-0	4-4	
ield Goals	1-2	3-4	0-0	1-2	1-1	2-2	3-4	1-2	1-1	3-4	0-0	
otal Points	16	44	28	38	24	20	18	24	31	17	28	
Touchdowns Rushing	1	2	2	1	0	2	0	2	0	0	1	
Touchdowns Passing	1	2	2	4	3	0	1	1	3	1	3	
Touchdown Returns	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	
Touchaominictariis	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Other Touchdowns				_	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Other Touchdowns Safeties	0	0	0	0	0							
Other Touchdowns Safeties Kick PAT-Attempts	0 1-2	5-5	4-4	5-5	3-3	2-2	1-1	3-3	4-4	0-0	4-4	
Other Touchdowns Safeties Kick PAT-Attempts 2pt PAT-Attempts	0 1-2 0-0	5-5 0-0	4-4 0-0	5-5 0-0	3-3 0-0	2-2 0-0	1-1 0-0	3-3 0-0	4-4 0-0	1-1	4-4 0-0	
Other Touchdowns Safeties Kick PAT-Attempts	0 1-2	5-5	4-4	5-5	3-3	2-2	1-1	3-3	4-4		4-4	

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	at WIS	BSU	AU	VU	IU	at IOWA	ILL	at OSU	at UMD	MICH	RU	
First Downs	29	20	24	15	12	18	26	22	29	21	10	
Rushing	17	5	10	4	3	8	20	5	8	13	3	
Passing	9	12	12	10	8	9	3	13	17	7	5	
Penalty	3	3	2	1 50	1	1	3	4	4	1	2	
Net Yards Rushing	180	69	182	58	69	110	357	161	48	144	67	
Rushing Attempts Average Per Rush	58 3.1	26	40	26	24	2.4	67 5.3	34 4.7	27 1.8	3.5	32 2.1	
Rushing Touchdowns	1	1	2	0	0	0	1	1	1.0	0	0	
Yards Gained	228	85	195	90	82	156	391	173	91	166	93	
Yards Lost	48	16	13	32	13	46	34	12	43	22	26	
Net Yards Passing	185	226	185	222	195	195	38	305	371	217	93	
Completions	22	30	21	20	16	17	8	22	41	19	13	
Attempts	37	45	39	34	34	31	21	34	58	29	28	
Interceptions	2	2	0	1	2	1	1	0	1	0	1	
Yards Per Attempt	5.0	5.0	4.7	6.5	5.7	6.3	1.8	9.0	6.4	7.5	3.3	
Yards Per Completion	8.4	7.5	8.8	11.1	12.2	11.5	4.8	13.9	9.0	11.4	7.2	
Passing Touchdowns	0	0	0	2	0	2	0	1	1	3	0	
Total Offensive Yards	365	295	367	280	264	305	395	466	419	361	160	
Plays	95	71	79	60	58	76	88	68	85	70	60	
Yards Per Play	3.8	4.2	4.6	4.7	4.6	4.0	4.5	6.9	4.9	5.2	2.7	
Fumbles-Lost	2-1	1-0	1-1	0-0	0-0	0-0	3-2	1-1	2-1	1-1	2-0	
Penalties-Yards	7-42 6-280	5-57 6-269	6-45 4-194	4-50 8-227	3-20	4-42 9-398	4-50 4-172	10-74 3-99	4-25 8-334	4-20 5-262	8-55 10-444	
Punts-Yards Yards Per Punt	6-280 46.7	6-269	4-194	34.6	8-367 45.9	9-398	43.0	3-99	8-334 41.8	5-262	44.0	
Net Yards Per Punt	40.7	41.3	48.5	34.6	45.9	41.9	43.0	33.0	32.8	46.6	43.3	
Inside 20	1	1	2	0	1	6	3	3	2	1	45.5	
50+ Yard Kicks	2	2	1	0	2	1	0	0	3	2	1	
Touchbacks	1	0	0	0	1	<u> </u>	0	2	3	1	0	
Fair Catch	2	3	3	1	3	4	2	3	3	1	6	
Kickoffs-Yards	3-171	3-191	5-316	5-247	1-65	6-383	3-195	8-462	3-172	4-260	1-57	
Yards Per Kickoff	57.0	63.7	63.2	61.8	65.0	63.8	65.0	57.8	57.3	65.0	57.0	
Net Yards Per Kickoff	39.0	41.3	41.8	41.2	40	40	40	40.5	53.7	40.0	30	
Touchbacks	1	0	3	1	1	4	3	2	0	4	0	
Punt Returns	4	0	0	0	0	2	1	1	1	2	0	
Yards	8	0	0	0	0	2	-2	-1	-2	0	0	
Touchdowns	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Yards Per Return	2.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.0	-2.0	-1.0	-2.0	0.0	0.0	
Kickoff Returns	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	
Yards	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	11	0	0	
Touchdowns Yards Per Return	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	11.0	0.0	0.0	
Interceptions	0.0	0.0	1	1	1	4	0.0	1	0	0.0	0.0	
Yards	0	0	0	2	23	0	0	25	0	0	0	
Touchdowns	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Fumble Recoveries	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	
Returns-Yards	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	57	0	0	0	
Touchdowns	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	
Miscellaneous Yards	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Possession Times	42:24	25:51	31:42	31:15	25:07	35:52	36:25	30:10	28:27	30:20	26:26	
1st Quarter	10:19	8:09	8:33	9:40	5:30	8:38	08:25	8:56	6:51	3:18	9:08	
2nd Quarter	11:10	7:33	6:36	6:13	8:13	9:52	11:45	5:53	5:27	11:12	6:02	
3rd Quarter	10:23	4:02	10:19	6:08	5:15	9:07	8:59	4:36	7:47	7:39	7:09	
4th Quarter	10:32	6:07	6:14	9:14	6:09	8:15	7:16	10:45	8:22	8:11	4:07	
3rd-Down Conversions 4th-Down Conversions	7-21 2-3	4-16 2-3	10-17 0-1	4-14 1-1	3-14 1-2	7-19 0-0	9-18 0-0	5-14 1-2	4-15 1-2	6-15 1-2	4-16 0-1	
Red Zone Scoring	1-4	3-4	2-3	2-2	0-2	3-4	4-4	5-6	2-5	1-2	0-1	
Touchdowns	1-4	1-4	2-3	1-2	0-2	1-4	1-4	1-6	2-5	1-2	0-1	
Field Goals	0-4	2-4	0-3	1-2	0-2	2-4	3-4	4-6	0-5	0-2	0-1	
Sacks By-Yards	2-13	3-0	0-0	3-0	0-0	1-11	4-26	4-22	3-16	7-44	1-1	
PAT Kicks	1-1	1-1	2-2	2-2	0-0	2-2	1-1	3-3	0-1	3-3	0-0	
Field Goals	1-2	2-2	2-2	1-1	0-1	3-3	3-4	4-4	0-0	0-0	0-0	
Total Points	10	13	20	17	0	23	20	33	14	21	0	
Touchdowns Rushing	1	1	2	0	0	0	1	1	1	0	0	
Touchdowns Passing	0	0	0	2	0	2	0	1	1	3	0	
Touchdown Returns	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	
Other Touchdowns	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Safeties	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Kick PAT-Attempts	1-1	1-1	2-2	2-2	0-0	2-2	1-1	3-3	0-1	3-3	0-0	
2pt PAT-Attempts	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	1-1	0-0	0-0	
Field Goals-Attempts	1-2 0	2-2 0	2-2	1-1 0	0-0	3-3 0	3-4 0	4-4 10	0-0	0-0	0-0	
Points Off Turnovers	U	U	0	U	U	U	U	10	U	U	U	

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RUSHIN	G											
(ATT-YDS-TD)	Total	at WIS	BSU	AU	VU	IU	at IOWA	ILL	at OSU	at UMD	MICH	RU
Lee, Keyvone	89-416/2	3-(-4)/0	8-68/0	2-15/0	7-21/0	8-74/0	10-30/0	7-24/0	3-9/1	8-50/0	20-88/0	13-41/1
Cain, Noah	100-322/4	8-48/1	20-69/1	19-45/1	1-2/0	11-23/0	8-15/1	11-43/0	5-13/0	10-35/0	0-0/0	7-29/0
Lovett, John	52-177/0	DNP	DNP	2-9/0	11-45/0	10-41/0	0-0/0	5-21/0	13-20/0	7-24/0	4-17/0	DNP
Clifford, Sean	79-142/2	6-5/0	11-66/1	6-16/0	8-(-8)/0	10-58/0	3-36/1	5-(-28)/0	7-(-11)/0	5-(-12)/0	16-16/0	2-4/0
Ford, Devyn	11-50/0	1-1/0	6-32/0	0-0/0	2-4/0	1-12/0	1-1/0	DNP	DNP	DNP	0-0/0	DNP
Veilleux, Christian	10-36/0	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	10-36/0
Holmes, Caziah	5-27/0	DNP	1-3/0	DNP	1-9/0	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	3-15/0
Roberson, Ta'Quan	12-24/0	DNP	1-(-5)/0	DNP	1-2/0	0-0/0	10-27/0	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP
Stahl, Mason	3-22/0	DNP	0-0/0	0-0/0	0-0/0	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	3-22/0
Dotson, Jahan	6-18/1	0-0/0	1-7/0	1-(-2)/0	0-0/0	1-1/0	0-0/0	0-0/0	1-2/1	0-0/0	1-6/0	1-4/0
Warren, Tyler	6-6/2	0-0/0	0-0/0	2-1/1	1-3/1	1-0/0	DNP	1-2/0	0-0/0	1-0/0	0-0/0	0-0/0
Smith, Tank	4-5/0	DNP	DNP	DNP	1-7/0	0-0/0	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	3-(-2)/0
Mustipher, PJ	1-0/0	0-0/0	0-0/0	1-0/0	0-0/0	0-0/0	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP
TEAM	4-(-11/0	0-0/0	0-0/0	0-0/0	1-(-5)/0	0-0/0	1-(-2)/0	0-0/0	0-0/0	2-(-4)/0	0-0/0	0-0/0
Stout, Jordan	1-(-18/0	0-0/0	0-0/0	0-0/0	0-0/0	0-0/0	0-0/0	0-0/0	0-0/0	0-0/0	1-(-18)/0	0-0/0

RECEIVI	NG											
(REC-YDS-TD)	Total	at WIS	BSU	AU	VU	IU	at IOWA	ILL	at OSU	at UMD	MICH	RU
Dotson, Jahan	83-1045/10	5-102/1	5-65/1	10-78/1	7-117/1	8-84/2	8-48/0	6-69/0	11-127/0	11-242/3	9-61/0	3-52/1
Washington, Parker	53-662/3	4-47/0	6-57/0	8-49/0	5-148/2	2-30/0	3-26/0	4-17/0	9-108/0	2-16/0	4-92/0	6-72/1
Lambert-Smith, KeAndre	29-426/2	4-71/0	1-13/0	4-27/0	2-88/1	2-25/0	5-61/0	3-49/1	4-49/0	2-36/0	1-0/0	1-7/0
Johnson, Theo	19-213/1	0-0/0	2-29/1	1-37/0	1-25/0	1-20/0	0-0/0	1-1/0	4-41/0	3-23/0	4-28/0	2-9/0
Strange, Brenton	15-163/3	0-0/0	1-10/0	4-71/1	1-9/0	1-10/1	1-15/0	2-24/0	4-17/1	0-0/0	1-7/0	0-0/0
Cain, Noah	17-102/0	5-27/0	3-30/0	0-0/0	0-0/0	0-0/0	1-9/0	1-3/0	2-8/0	4-28/0	0-0/0	1-(-3)/0
Lee, Keyvone	9-83/0	0-0/0	1-24/0	0-0/0	1-1/0	1-8/0	1-2/0	0-0/0	1-11/0	2-17/0	1-3/0	1-17/0
Meiga, Malick	3-78/1	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	0-0/0	0-0/0	1-3/0	1-8/0	1-67/1
Warren, Tyler	4-61/1	0-0/0	0-0/0	1-22/0	0-0/0	0-0/0	DNP	0-0/0	0-0/0	0-0/0	1-2/1	2-37/0
Sullivan-Brown, Cam	4-44/0	0-0/0	1-16/0	0-0/0	1-12/0	0-0/0	2-16/0	0-0/0	0-0/0	0-0/0	0-0/0	0-0/0
Lovett, John	9-36/0	DNP	DNP	1-18/0	1-1/0	2-13/0	0-0/0	2-2/0	0-0/0	2-(-2)/0	1-4/0	DNP
Wilson, Marquis	3-29/0	DNP	1-3/0	0-0/0	2-26/0	0-0/0	DNP	DNP	DNP	0-0/0	0-0/0	0-0/0
Ford, Devyn	3-18/0	0-0/0	1-6/0	0-0/0	0-0/0	1-9/0	1-3/0	DNP	DNP	DNP	0-0/0	DNP
Jacobs, Curtis	1-18/0	0-0/0	0-0/0	0-0/0	0-0/0	0-0/0	0-0/0	0-0/0	0-0/0	0-0/0	1-18/0	DNP
Eubanks, Winston	1-2/0	0-0/0	0-0/0	0-0/0	1-2/0	0-0/0	DNP	DNP	0-0/0	DNP	DNP	DNP

PASSI	ING						
Clifford, Sean	Comp-Att-Int	Pct	Yards	TD	Long	Sack-Yds	Effic
Wisconsin	18-33-0	54.5	247	1	52	2-13	127.42
Ball St.	21-29-0	72.4	230	1	25	2-13	150.41
Auburn	28-32-1	87.5	280	2	40	0-0	175.38
Villanova	19-26-1	73.1	401	4	83	3-16	245.71
Indiana	17-33-1	51.5	178	3	30	0-0	120.76
lowa	15-25-2	60.0	146	0	30	0-0	93.06
Illinois	19-34-0	55.9	165	1	42	4-0	106.35
Ohio State	35-52-1	67.3	361	1	32	4-0	128.12
Maryland	27-47-0	57.4	363	3	86	3-0	143.39
Michigan	23-43-0	53.5	205	1	44	7-0	101.21
Rutgers	2-8-0	25.0	23	0	17	0-0	49.15
TOTALS	224-362-6	61.9	2599	17	86	25-42	134.37
Dotson, Jahan	Comp-Att-Int	Pct	Yards	TD	Long	Sack-Yds	Effic
Auburn	1-1-0	100.0	22	0	22	0-0	284.80
Indiana	1-1-0	100.0	21	0	21	0-0	276.4
TOTALS	2-2-0	100.0	43	0	22	0-0	280.6

Roberson, Ta'Qua	n Comp-Att-Int	Pct	Yards	TD	Long	Sack-Yds	Effic
Ball State	1-2-0	50.0	23	1	23	1-5	311.60
Villanova	3-5-0	60.0	28	0	14	0-0	107.04
Indiana	-	-	-	-	-	-	
at lowa	7-21-2	33.3	34	0	12	1-11	27.89
TOTALS	11-28-2	39.3	85	1	23	2-16	62.29
Stout, Jordan	Comp-Att-Int	Pct	Yards	TD	Long	Sack-Yds	Effic
Michigan	1-1-0	100.0	18	0	18	0-0	251.20
TOTALS	1-1-0	100.0	18	0	18	0-0	251.20
TOTALS	1-1-0	100.0	18	0			
Veilleux, Christ			18 Yards	0 TD			
					18	0-0	251.20

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KICKOFFS		Total			V: -I-		D4	V-1- /
Season	КО	Total Yards	TB	OB	Kick Avg.	Returns	Rtn. Yds.	Yds./ Rtn.
Stout, Jordan	58	3750	53	1	64.7	1	11	11.0
		Total			Kick		Rtn.	Yds./
Season	КО	Yards	TB	OB	Avg.	Returns	Yds.	Rtn.
at Wisconsin	4	260	4	0	65.0	0	0	0.0
Ball State	9	585	9	0	65.0	0	0	0.0
Auburn	4	260	4	0	65.0	0	0	0.0
Villanova	7	442	6	1	63.1	0	0	0.0
Indiana	5	324	4	0	64.8	0	0	0.0
at lowa	5	325	5	0	65.0	0	0	0.0
Illinois	3	193	2	0	64.3	0	0	0.0
at Ohio State	4	260	4	0	65.0	0	0	0.0
at Maryland	6	389	5	0	64.8	1	11	11.0
Michigan	5	322	4	0	63.4	0	0	0.0
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PUNTING									
Season	No.	Total Yds	Avg.	Long	120	50+	ТВ	FC	Blk
Stout, Jordan	59	2742	46.5	76	31	24	3	25	0
Game	No.	Total Yds	Avg.	Long	120	50+	ТВ	FC	Blk
at Wisconsin	7	377	53.9	76	1	5	1	2	0
Ball State	3	154	51.3	62	0	2	2	1	0
Auburn	4	200	50.0	51	1	2	0	2	0
Villanova	4	154	38.5	44	4	0	0	3	0
Indiana	6	278	46.3	51	4	2	0	5	0
at Iowa	5	252	50.4	58	2	3	0	2	0
Illinois	8	375	46.9	55	6	3	0	3	0
at Ohio State	4	197	49.2	55	1	2	0	2	0
at Maryland	6	208	34.7	49	3	0	0	3	0
Michigan	4	204	51.0	58	4	2	0	3	0
Rutgers	8	343	42.9	53	6	3	0	5	0

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	UA-A	TT	at WIS	BSU	AU	VU	IU	at IOWA	ILL	at OSU	at UMD	MICH	RU
oks, Ellis	51-40	91	8-3	1-0	5-1	3-1	2-6	8-6	8-3	5-2	4-3	6-10	1-5
ith, Brandon	42-34	76	6-2	3-4	6-4	2-0	2-3	3-2	5-2	4-4	6-3	4-6	1-4
etie, Arnold	32-26	58	7-0	1-3	5-0	2-1	2-1	5-4	4-6	1-2	2-0	2-5	1-4
wn, Ji'Ayir	47-9	56	4-1	1-0	2-1	2-0	2-0	5-0	11-2	6-1	8-1	3-2	3-1
ker, Jaquan	35-20	55	4-0	1-1	3-3	-	0-4	7-2	7-1	3-0	6-1	2-3	2-5
eta, Jesse	28-21	49	4-1	2-2	6-2	2-0	0-3	4-2	3-3	4-3	DNP	3-4	0-1
er Jr., Joey	36-8	44	4-2	3-0	4-2	3-0	2-1	3-0	8-1	2-0	5-0	1-0	1-2
os, Curtis	28-16	44	4-1	2-0	2-1	2-0	2-2	3-2	2-3	5-2	5-0	1-5	DNP
o-Fields, Tariq	22-6	28	5-0	1-2	2-0	1-0	1-1	2-1	4-2	2-0	3-0	DNP	1-0
elo, Derrick	12-15	27	-	0-2	1-2	1-2	0-1	1-1	2-1	1-1	4-0	0-4	2-1
tipher, PJ	16-5	21	6-1	0-1	3-1	3-0	4-2	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP
erland, Jonathan	11-8	19	6-1	1-3	2-1	0-1	-	-	-	-	DNP	DNP	2-2
urton, Nick	9-9	18	2-0	1-1	0-1	1-0	-	2-0	1-1	0-3	1-0	0-1	1-2
rd, Coziah	9-9	18	-	0-1	0-1	2-1	-	-	2-3	1-0	1-0	1-1	2-2
ly, Daeguan	11-4	15	1-0	2-1	1-1	-	1-0	2-0	-	2-1	1-1		1-0
Keaton	9-2	11	DNP	DNP	-	2-0	0-1	DNP	-	1-0	2-0	2-0	2-1
Kalen	7-4	11	-	3-0	1-1	1-0	0-1	DNP	0-1	-	-	2-1	-
. Dvon	4-6	10	2-0	-	-	-	0-2	1-0	-	0-1	-	0-3	1-0
ir, Charlie	7-2	9	-	2-1	-	3-0	-	DNP	1-0	DNP	1-0	-	0-1
, Johnny	5-2	7	-	3-1	-	-	-	DNP		-	2-0	0-1	DNP
n, Tyler	4-2	6		1-2		1-0	1-0	DNP			1-0	-	DNP
ph, Tyler	4-2	6		3-2	_	1-0	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP
n, Marquis	3-2	5	DNP	1-1	-	1-0	-	DNP	DNP	DNP	-	-	1-1
Javlen	3-1	4	DNP	- ' '	DNP	1-1	DNP	DNP	DNP	1-0	1-0		
ih, Fatorma	2-2	4	DNP	1-0	DNP	1-0	-	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	0-2
aub. Drew	4-0	4	-	-	-	-		DNP	-	-	1-0	2-0	1-0
lin, Jamari	3-1	4	DNP	2-1	DNP		1-0	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	-
rt, Smith	3-0	3	1-0	1-0	DNP		1-0	DNP	DINF	DINI -	DINF -	DINF -	1-0
Kobe	1-2	3	DNP	0-1	- DIVI	1-1		DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP
r, Zuriah	1-1	2	DINF	-	DNP	- 1-1	1-0	DNP	DNP	DNP	0-1	DINF	- DINF
eyvone	2-0	2			DINP -		1-0	- UNP	- DINP	1-0	U- I		
ı, A.J.	2-0	2	1-0				1-0	1-0		1-0		-	DNP
, A.J. ert-Smith, KeAnd		2	1-0		1-0	1-0		1-0					UNP -
r. Amin	re 2-0 0-1	1	DNP	-	DNP	1-0	DNP	DNP	0-1	DNP	-	DNP	
no, Codv	1-0	1	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	1-0
	1-0	,											
Rafael	1-0	1	-	-	- 1-0	-	-	-	-	-	-	1-0	-
		1	-	-		-	- DND		-	- DND	-	-	-
, Zakee	1-0	1	DNP	DNP	DNP	1-0	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	-	-

SACKS													
	U-A	Total	at WIS	BSU	AU	VU	IU	at IOWA	ILL	at OSU	at UMD	MICH	RU
Ebiketie, Arnold	9-1	9.5	1.0-7	-	-	1.0-9	1-9	1.0-9	1.5-4	-	1-8	2-14	1-4
Jacobs, Curtis	2-0	2.0	-	1.0-9	-	-	-	1.0-2	-	-	-	-	DNP
Smith, Brandon	2-0	2.0	-	-	-	-	1-1	-	1-14	-	-	-	-
Tangelo, Derrick	2-0	2.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	1-11	-	1-18	-	-
Izzard,Coziah	2-0	2.0	-	-	-	1.0-8	-	-	-	-	-	-	1-6
Mustipher, PJ	1-0	1.0	-	-	-	1.0-9	-	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP
Brooks, Ellis	1-0	1.0	1.0-18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Hardy, Daequan	1-0	1.0	-	-	-	-	-	1.0-8	-	-	-	-	-
van den Berg, Jordan	1-0	1.0	DNP	-	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	1-9	DNP	-
Luketa, Jesse	0-1	0.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.5-2	-	-	-	-

# **TACKLE** BREAKDOWN

RUSHING TACKLES	
Brooks, Ellis	62
Ebiketie, Arnold	46
Brisker, Jaquan	40
Luketa, Jesse	38
Brown, Ji'Ayir	33
Smith, Brandon	31
Jacobs, Curtis	27
Tangelo, Derrick	26
Mustipher, PJ	21
Porter Jr., Joey	17
Izzard, Coziah	16
Tarburton, Nick	16
Sutherland, Jonathan	14
Castro-Fields, Tariq	9
Ellies, Dvon	9
King, Kalen	5
Mulbah, Fatorma	4
Buddin, Jamari	3
Elsdon, Tyler	3
Ellis, Keaton	3
Katshir, Charlie	3
Vilbert, Smith	3
Fisher, Zuriah	2
Hardy, Daequan	2
King, Kobe	2
Rudolph, Tyler	2
Wilson, Marquis	2
Reed, Jaylen	2
Dixon, Johnny	1
TOTAL	443

PASSING TACKLES	
Smith, Brandon	30
Brooks, Ellis	25
Porter Jr., Joey	25
Brown, Ji'Ayir	19
Castro-Fields, Tariq	18
Jacobs, Curtis	15
Brisker, Jaquan	14
Hardy, Daequan	9
Ellis, Keaton	8
Dixon, Johnny	6
Katshir, Charlie	6
King, Kalen	6
Luketa, Jesse	6
Ebiketie, Arnold	6
Sutherland, Jonathan	5
Rudolph, Tyler	4
Hardy, Daequan	4
Wilson, Marquis	3
Izzard, Cosiah	2
Elsdon, Tyler	2
Reed, Jaylen	2
Budden, Jamari	1
Tarburton, Nick	1
Wheatley, Zakee	1
TOTAL	217

SPECIAL TEAMS TACKLES	Total	KO	Punt
Hartlaub, Drew	4	-	4
Jacobs, Curtis	2	-	2
Luketa, Jesse	2	-	2
Elsdon, Tyler	1	1	
Lytton, A.J.	1	-	1
Smith, Brandon	1	-	1
TOTALS	9	1	8

### **INDIVIDUAL** GAME-BY-GAME

<b>ALL-PURF</b>	POSE	YARDS	3									
	Total	at WIS	BSU	AU	VU	IU	at IOWA	ILL	at OSU	at UMD	MICH	RU
Dotson, Jahan	1167	119	72	92	137	103	49	69	129	254	76	67
Washington, Parker	662	47	57	49	148	30	26	17	108	16	92	72
Lee, Keyvone	499	-4	92	15	22	82	32	24	20	67	91	58
Lambert-Smith, KeAndre	426	71	13	27	88	25	61	49	49	36	-	7
Cain, Noah	424	75	99	45	2	23	24	46	21	63	-	26
Lovett, John	263	DNP	DNP	42	46	54	-	23	20	57	21	DNP
Johnson, Theo	213	-	29	37	25	20	-	1	41	23	28	9
Ford, Devyn	207	22	105	17	38	21	4	DNP	DNP	DNP	-	DNP
Strange,Brenton	171	8	10	71	9	10	15	24	17	-	7	-
Clifford, Sean	142	5	66	16	-8	58	36	-28	-11	-12	16	4
Brown, Ji'Ayir	112	6	-	-	15	4	-	-	-	87	-	-
Meiga, Malick	78	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	-	-	3	8	67
Warren, Tyler	67	-	-	23	3	-	DNP	2	-	-	2	37
Holmes, Caziah	50	DNP	3	DNP	32	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	15
Sullivan-Brown, Cam	44	-	16	-	12	-	16	-	-	-	-	-
Brisker, Jaquan	39	41	-	-	-	-	-2	-	-	-	-	-
Veilleux, Christian	36	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	36
Wilson, Marquis	30	DNP	3	-	27	-	DNP	DNP	DNP	-	-	-
Roberson, Ta'Quan	24	DNP	-5	DNP	2	-	27	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP
Stahl, Mason	22	DNP	-	-	-	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	22
lacobs, Curtis	20	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	18	DNP
Luketa, Jesse	16	-	16	-	-	-	-	-	-	DNP	-	-
Smith, Tank	5	DNP	DNP	DNP	7	-	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	-2
Eubanks,Winston	2	-	-	-	2	-	DNP	DNP	-	DNP	DNP	DNP

TACKLES	FOR I	LOSS											
	U-A	Total	at WIS	BSU	AU	VU	IU	at IOWA	ILL	at OSU	at UMD	MICH	RU
Ebiketie, Arnold	14-4	16.0	2.0-11	1.0-1	-	1.5-9	1.0-7	3.5-15	1.5-4	1.0-1	1.0-8	2.0-14	1.5-7
Smith, Brandon	8-2	9.0	1.0-1	-	1.0-2	2.0-4	1.0-1	-	1.0-14	-	2.5-3	-	0.5-3
Luketa, Jesse	4-4	6.0	-	0.5-2	1.0-1	-	0.5-3	2.5-6	0.5-2	1.0-1	DNP	-	-
Brisker, Jaquan	4-3	5.5	1.0-3	0.5-1	1.0-1	-	0.5-2	0.5-0	-	-	1.0-2	1.0-4	-
Jacobs, Curtis	5-0	5.0	-	1.0-9	-	-	-	2.0-4	-	2.0-5	-	-	DNP
Tangelo, Derrick	4-2	5.0	-	-	-	1.5-2	-	0.5-1	1.0-11	-	1.0-18	-	1.0-2
Izzard,Coziah	3-0	3.0	-	-	-	1.0-8	-	-	-	1.0-1	-	-	1.0-6
Hardy, Daequan	3-0	3.0	-	-	-	-	-	2.0-12	-	-	-	-	1.0-1
Mustipher,PJ	3-0	3.0	1.0-2	-	-	1.0-9	1.0-5	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP
Brooks, Ellis	1-3	2.5	1.0-18	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.5-1	0.5-1	0.5-1	-
Sutherland, Jonathan	1-2	2.0	-	1.0-1	-	-	-	-	-	-	DNP	DNP	1.0-1
Ellies, Dvon	1-1	1.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.5-0	-	-	1.0-1
Brown, Ji'Ayir	1-0	1.0	-	-	-	1.0-2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Tarburton, Nick	1-0	1.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.0-4
Vilbert,Smith	1-0	1.0	-	1.0-1	DNP	-	-	DNP	-	-	-	-	-

### **RED ZONE** RECAP

		PENN STATE	
Opponent	Scores/Chances	Result	Pct.
at Wisconsin	2/3	1 TD, 1 FG, 1 Missed FG	66%
Ball State	4/4	2 TD, 2 FG	100%
Auburn	4/4	4 TD	100%
Villanova	2/2	2 TD	100%
Indiana	2/3	2 TD, 1 TO on Downs	66%
at lowa	4/4	2 TD, 2 FG	100%
Illinois	3/4	3 FG	75%
at Ohio State	3/3	3 TD	100%
at Maryland	1/1	1 FG	100%
Michigan	3/4	1 TD, 2 FG	75%
TOTAL	28/32	17 TD, 12 FG, 1 Missed FG, 1 TO on Downs	87.5%

OPPONENT OPPONENT									
Opponent	Scores/Chance	es Result	Pct.						
at Wisconsin	1/4	1 TD, 2 TO, 1 Blocked FG	25%						
Ball State	3/4	1 TD, 2 FG, 1 TO	75%						
Auburn	2/3	2 TD, 0 FG	66%						
Villanova	2/2	1 TD, 1 FG	100%						
Indiana	0/2	1 Blocked FG, 1 TO on Downs	0%						
at lowa	3/4	1 TD, 2 FG, Half	75%						
Illinois	4/4	1 TD, 3 FG	100%						
at Ohio State	5/6	1 TD, 5 FG	83%						
at Maryland	2/5	2 TD	40%						
Michigan	1/2	1 TD, 0 FG	50%						
TOTAL	23/35	11 TD, 12 FG, 3 TO, 2 Blocked FG, 1 TO on Downs, 1 Half	65.7%						

<b>Opponent</b>	Rushing Attempts	Rushing Yards	Receptions	Receiving Yards	All-Purpose Yards	Tackles
at Wisconsin	Cain - 8	Cain - 48	Dotson, Cain - 5	Dotson - 102	Dotson - 117	Brooks - 11
Ball State	Cain - 20	Cain - 70	Washington - 6	Dotson - 65	Ford - 105	Smith - 7
Auburn	Cain -19	Cain - 45	Dotson - 10	Dotson - 78	Dotson - 92	Smith -10
Villanova	Lovett - 11	Lovett - 46	Dotson - 7	Washington - 148	Washington -148	Brooks - 4
Indiana	Cain - 11	Lee - 74	Dotson - 8	Dotson - 84	Dotson - 103	Brooks - 8
at Iowa	Lee/Roberson - 10	Clifford - 36	Dotson -8	Lambert-Smith - 61	Lambert-Smith - 61	Brooks - 14
Illinois	Cain-11	Cain-43	Dotson-6	Dotson-58	Dotson-58	J. Brown - 13
Ohio State	Lovett-13	Lovett-20	Dotson-11	Dotson-127	Dotson-129	Smith-8
at Maryland	Cain - 10	Lee -50	Dotson -11	Dotson - 242	Dotson -254	Smith, Brown - 9
Michigan	Lee- 20	Lee -88	Dotson - 9	Washington - 92	Washington - 92	Brooks - 16
Rutgers	Lee-13	Lee-41	Washington- 6	Waashington -72	Washington- 72	Brisker -7

### TURNOVERS BY GAME

PENN STAT	E: 18	GAINED			
			PLAYS/	1st	
TYPE	QTR	PLAYER	YDS	DOWNS	RESULT
WISCONSIN (3)					
Fumble	2	Tarburton by Mertz	3/(-1)	-	Punt
Interception	4	Brisker off Mertz	17/67	4	Punt
Interception	4	Brown off Mertz	0/0	-	End Game
BALL STATE (2)					
Interception	1	Luketa off Plitt	1/0	-	Touchdown
Interception	1	Hardy off Plit	4/7	-	Field Goal
AUBURN (1)					
Fumble	1	Tangelo by Hudson	4/20	2	Touchdown
		,			
VILLANOVA (1)					
Interception	3	Brown off Smith	2/32	2	Punt
INDIANA (2)					
Interception	2	Porter Jr. off Penix	3/9	-	Punt
Interception	4	Brown off Tuttle	5/26	2	Punt
IOWA (1)					
Interception	1	Brisker off Petras	2/4	-	Touchdown
ILLINOIS (3)					
Interception	1	Jacobs off Sitkowski	3/7	-	Punt
Fumble	2	Ellies off Sitkowski	5-0	1	Field Goal
Fumble	3	Brisker off Sitkowski	5-22	1	Missed Fg
OHIO STATE (1)					
Fumble	1	Brown off Ruckert	4/21	1	Fumble
MARYLAND (2)					
MARYLAND (2) Fumble	3	Brown off Tagovailoa	7/63	4	Punt
Interception	4	Brown off Tagovailoa	-	-	Touchdown
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MICHIGAN (1)		Fig. 6. Whi	2/6		F: II.C. I
Fumble	4	Ebiketie off McNamara	3/-9	0	Field Goal
RUTGERS (1)					
Interception	4	Sutherland off limsatt	3/7	0	Downs

OPPONEN'			PLAYS/ YDS	1st	RESULT
	QTR	PLAYER	כעז	DOWNS	KESULI
WISCONSIN (0)					
-	-	-	-	-	-
BALL STATE (0)					
-	-	-	-	-	
AUBURN (1)					
Interception	2	McCreary off Clifford	1/(-2)	-	End Hal
VILLANOVA (1)		C-ll# Cl:#l	2/1		D
Interception	3	Schulters off Clifford	3/1	-	Pun
INDIANA (1)					
Interception	1	Layne off Clifford	4/9	-	TO on Down
Interception Interception Interception Interception	1 1 2 4	Jacobs off Clifford Koerner off Clifford Moss off Roberson Hankins off Roberson	1/0 6/28 2/5 4/0		Field Goa Interceptior Pun Pun
ILLINOIS (0)	-	-	-	-	
OHIO STATE (3)					
Fumble	1	Garrett off Cain	1/0	-	Pun
Fumble	3	Cage off Clifford	4/32	3	Touchdown
Interception	4	Brown off Clifford	4/15	1	Field Goa
MARYLAND (0)					
-	-	-	-	-	
MICHIGAN (1)					
Fumble	1	Gray off Stout	14-57-	3	Pun
RUTGERS (0)					
-	-	-	-	-	

### **TURNOVERS** BY PLAYER

FUMBLE	<b>FUMBLES</b>												
(#-Lost)	Total	at WIS	BSU	AU	VU	IU	at IOWA	ILL	at OSU	at UMD	MICH	RU	
Clifford, Sean	3-1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1-1	-	2-0	-	
Lee, Keyvone	2-0	-	1-0	1-0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Roberson, Ta'Quan	1-0	DNP	-	DNP	-	-	1-0	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	
Stout, Jordan	1-1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1-1	-	
Cain, Noah	1-1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1-1	-	-	-	

FORCED FUMBLES													
	Total	at WIS	BSU	AU	VU	IU	at IOWA	ILL	at OSU	at UMD	MICH	RU	
Ebiketie, Arnold	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	
Brown, Ji'Ayir	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	
King, Kalen	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Porter Jr., Joey	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Smith, Brandon	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	
Tangelo, Derrick	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	

INTERCEPTIONS THROWN													
	Total	at WIS	BSU	AU	VU	IU	at IOWA	ILL	at OSU	at UMD	MICH	RU	
Clifford, Sean	6	-	-	1	1	1	2	-	1	-	-	-	
Roberson, Ta'Quan	2	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	

FUMBLES RECOVERED													
	Total	at WIS	BSU	AU	VU	IU	at IOWA	ILL	at OSU	at UMD	MICH	RU	
Brown, Ji'Ayir	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	
Tangelo, Derrick	2	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	
Brisker, Jaquan	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	
Ellies, Dvon	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	
Tarburton, Nick	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	

INTERCE	PTION	NS .											
(#-Yards)	Total	at WIS	BSU	AU	VU	IU	at IOWA	ILL	at OSU	at UMD	MICH	RU	
Brown, Ji'Ayir	4-112	1-6	-	-	1-15	1-4	-	-	-	1-87	-	-	
Brisker, Jaquan	2-39	1-41	-	-	-	-	1-(-2)	-	-	-	-	-	
Hardy, Daequan	1-(-1)	-	1-(-1)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Jacobs, Curtis	1-2	-	-	-	-	-	1-2	-	-	-	-	-	
Luketa, Jesse	1-16	-	1-16	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Porter Jr., Joey	1-1	-	-	-	-	1-1	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Sutherland, Jonathan	1-0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1-0	

### **SCORING** BREAKDOWN

### **PENN STATE DRIVES**

**Totals:** 50 scoring drives (34 TD, 16 FG) **Special Teams/Defensive Touchdown:** (2 INT)

LONGEST DRIVES BY:

 Plays:
 15
 Michigan (11/13)

 14
 Rutgers (11/20)

 Yards:
 96
 Indiana (10/2)

 95
 at Maryland (11/7)

**Time:** 6:49 Auburn (9/18) 5:43 at Maryland (11/6)

**OPPONENT** DRIVES

**Totals:** 26 scoring drives (14 TD, 12 FG) **Special Teams/Defensive Touchdown:** None

**LONGEST DRIVES BY:** 

**Plays**: 16 Illinois (10/23) 15 Michigan (11/13)

**Yards:** 94 Villanova (9/25) 90 Michigan (11/20)

**Time:** 8:20 Illinois (10/23) 7:33 Illinois (10/23)

### LONG PLAY BREAKDOWN

### **BY** YARDAGE

### OFFENSE (47)

Yards	Type	Player(s)	Opponent
86	Pass	Dotson, Jahan from Clifford, Sean*	Maryland
83	Pass	Lambert-Smith, KeAndre from Clifford, Sean*	Villanova
67	Pass	Washington, Parker from Clifford, Sean	Villanova
67	Pass	Meiga, Malick from Veilleux, Christian*	Rutgers
52	Pass	Dotson, Jahan from Clifford, Sean*	Villanova
52	Pass	Washington, Parker from Clifford, Sean*	Villanova
52	Pass	Lambert-Smith, KeAndre from Clifford, Sean	Wisconsin
49	Pass	Dotson, Jahan from Clifford, Sean *	Wisconsir
45	Pass	Dotson, Jahan from Clifford, Sean	Maryland
44	Pass	Washington, Parker from Clifford, Sean	Michigar
44	Run	Lee, Keyvone	Indiana
43	Run	Clifford, Sean	Ball State
42	Pass	Lambert-Smith, KeAndre from Clifford, Sean*	Illinois
42	Pass	Dotson, Jahan from Clifford, Sean	Wisconsin
40	Pass	Strange, Brenton from Clifford, Sean	Auburn
38	Pass	Dotson, Jahan from Clifford, Sean*	Maryland
37	Pass	Johnson, Theo from Clifford, Sean	Auburn
36	Pass	Dotson, Jahan from Clifford, Sean	Illinois
34	Run	Cain, Noah	Wisconsir
32	Pass	Washington, Parker from Clifford, Sean	Ohio State
30	Pass	Dotson, Jahan from Veilleux, Christian	Rutgers
30	Pass	Lambert-Smith, KeAndre from Clifford, Sean	Maryland
30	Pass	Lambert-Smith, KeAndre from Clifford, Sean	lowa
30	Pass	Dotson, Jahan from Clifford, Sean*	Indiana
30	Pass	Dotson, Jahan from Clifford, Sean	Villanova
29	Pass	Warren, Tyler from Veilleux, Christian	Rutgers
25	Pass	Johnson, Theo from Clifford, Sean	Villanova
25	Pass	Washington, Parker from Clifford, Sean	Ohio State
25	Pass	Dotson, Jahan from Clifford, Sean*	Ball State
24	Pass	Washingotn, Parker from Clifford, Sean	Michigan
24	Pass	Lee, Keyvone from Clifford, Sean	Ball State
24	Pass	Washington, Parker from Clifford, Sean	Wisconsin
23	Pass	Dotson, Jahan from Clifford, Sean	Ohio State
23	Pass	Washington, Parker from Clifford, Sean*	Villnova
23	Pass	Washington, Parker from Clifford, Sean	Ball State
23	Pass	Johnson, Theo from Roberson, Ta'Quan*	Ball State
23	Pass	Strange, Brenton from Clifford, Sean	Auburr
22	Pass	Lambert-Smith, KeAndre from Clifford, Sean	Ohio State
22	Run	Clifford, Sean	lowa
22	Pass	Dotson, Jahan from Clifford, Sean	Auburr
22	Pass	Warren, Tyler from Dotson, Jahan	Auburr
21	Pass	Dotson, Jahan from Clifford Sean*	Maryland
21	Run	Lee, Keyvone	Indiana
21	Pass	Washington, Parker from Dotson, Jahan	Indiana
20	Pass	Washington, Parker from Clifford, Sean	Michigar
20	Pass	Johnson, Theo from Clifford, Sean	Indiana
20	Run	Clifford, Sean	Auburn

### DEFENSE (2)

Yards	Type	Player(s)	Opponent
87	INT	Brown, Ji'Ayir	Maryland
41	INT	Brisker, Jaquan	Wisconsin

### SPECIAL TEAMS (4)

Yards	Type	Player(s)	Opponent
31	KR	Ford, Devyn	Ball State
23	KR	Holmes, Caziah	Villanova
21	KR	Ford, Devyn	Wisconsin
20	KR	Ford, Devyn	Ball State

<sup>\* -</sup> touchdown scored on play

### **LONG PLAY** BREAKDOWN

LONG	PLAYS	BYTE	IE NUMBERS		
BY YARDA	GE		BY TYPE		
Yards	No.	TD	Туре	No.	TD
100+	0	0	Rushing	6	0
90-99	0	0	Passing	41	12
80-89	3	3	Punt returns	0	0
70-79	0	0	Kick returns	4	0
60-69	2	1	Interceptions	2	1
50-59	3	2	Fumble returns	0	0
40-49	9	2	Other	0	0
30-39	11	2	TOTAL	53	14
20-29	25	4			

Player	No.	TD	R	P	KR	PR	IR	FR
Brisker, Jaquan	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
Brown, Ji'Ayir	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	0
Cain, Noah	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Clifford, Sean	3	0	3	0	0	0	0	0
Dotson, Jahan	14	7	0	14	0	0	0	0
Ford, Devyn	3	0	0	0	3	0	0	0
Holmes, Caziah	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
Johnson, Theo	4	1	0	4	0	0	0	0
Lambert-Smith, KeAnd	re 6	1	0	6	0	0	0	0
Lee, Keyvone	3	0	2	1	0	0	0	0
Meiga, Malick	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	0
Strange, Brenton	2	0	0	2	0	0	0	0
Warren, Tyler	2	0	0	2	0	0	0	0
Washington, Parker	11	2	0	11	0	0	0	0
TOTAL	53	14	6	41	4	0	2	0

LONGES	T PLAYS OF THE YEAR	
Rushing 44	Lee, Keyvone	Indiana (10/2)
Rushing Touchdov 5*	<b>vn</b> Cain, Noah	Ball State (9/11)
Passing 86*	Dotson, Jahan from Clifford, Sdan	at Maryland (11/7)
Passing Touchdow 86*	<b>rn</b> Dotson, Jahan from Clifford, Sdan	at Maryland (11/7)
<b>Kick Return</b> 31	Ford, Devyn	Ball State (9/11)
<b>Punt Return</b> 16	Dotson, Jahan	Indiana (10/2)
Interception Retu 87*	<b>rn</b> Brown, Ji'Ayir	at Maryland (11/7)
Punt 76	Stout, Jordan	at Wisconsin (9/4)
Field Goal 50	Stout, Jordan	Indiana (10/2)

\* - touchdown scored on play

PENI	N ST	ATE	(53 PLAYS)	
Play	#	Long	Play	Opponent
Passing	41	86	Dotson, Jahan from Clifford, Sean	at Maryland
Rushing	6	44	Lee, Keyvone	Indiana
KR	4	31	Ford, Devyn	Ball State
INT	2	87	Brown, Ji'Ayir	at Maryland

OPPO	DNEN	ITS	[32 PLAYS]	
Play	#	Long	Play	Opponent
Passing	21	58	Smith-Njigba, Jaxon from Stroud, C.J.	Ohio State
Rushing	8	68	Henderson, TreyVeon	Ohio State
INT	2	25	Brown, Cameron	Ohio State
Fumble	1	57	Cage, Jerron*	Ohio State

<sup>\* -</sup> touchdown scored on play

### **OFFENSIVE** STARTERS

OPPONENT	LT	LG	C	RG	RT	TE	QB	RB	WR	WR	WR
at Wisconsin	Walker	Whigan	Miranda	Scruggs	Wallace, C.	Strange	Clifford, S.	Cain	Dotson	Washington	Lambert-Smith
Ball State	Walker	Wilson, E.	Miranda	Scruggs	Wallace, C.	Strange	Clifford, S.	Cain	Dotson	Johnson (TE)	Lambert-Smith
Auburn	Walker	Wilson, E.	Miranda	Scruggs	Wallace, C.	Strange	Clifford, S.	Cain	Dotson	Washington	Lambert-Smith
Villanova	Walker	Wilson, E.	Miranda	Scruggs	Wallace, C.	Strange	Clifford, S.	Cain	Dotson	Johnson (TE)	Lambert-Smith
Indiana	Walker	Wilson, E.	Miranda	Scruggs	Wallace, C.	Strange	Clifford, S.	Cain	Dotson	Washington	Lambert-Smith
at Iowa	Walker	Wilson, E.	Miranda	Scruggs	Wallace, C.	Strange	Clifford, S.	Cain	Dotson	Johnson (TE)	Lambert-Smith
Illinois	Walker	Wilson, E.	Miranda	Scruggs	Wallace, C.	Strange	Clifford, S.	Lee	Dotson	Washington	Lambert-Smith
at Ohio State	Walker	Wilson, E.	Miranda	Scruggs	Wallace, C.	Strange	Clifford, S.	Cain	Dotson	Johnson (TE)	Lambert-Smith
at Maryland	Walker	Wilson, E.	Miranda	Scruggs	Wallace, C.	Strange	Clifford, S.	Lovett	Dotson	Johnson (TE)	Lambert-Smith
Michigan	Walker	Wilson, E.	Miranda	Scruggs	Wallace, C.	Strange	Clifford, S.	Lee	Dotson	Washington	Lambert-Smith
Rutgers	Effner	Wilson, E.	Scruggs	Whigan	Wallace, C.	Strange	Clifford, S.	Lee	Dotson	Johnson (TE)	Lambert-Smith

### **DEFENSIVE** STARTERS

OPPONENT	DE	DT	DT	DE	LB	LB	LB	СВ	S	S	CB
at Wisconsin	Tarburton	Tangelo	Mustipher	Ebiketie	Jacobs	Brooks	Smith, B.	Castro-Fields	Brisker	Brown, J.	Porter
Ball State	Tarburton	Tangelo	Mustipher	Ebiketie	Jacobs	Luketa	Smith, B.	Castro-Fields	Brisker	Brown, J.	Porter
Auburn	Luketa	Tangelo	Mustipher	Ebiketie	Jacobs	Brooks	Smith, B.	Castro-Fields	Brisker	Brown, J.	Porter
Villanova	Tarburton	Tangelo	Mustipher	Ebiketie	Jacobs	Brooks	Smith, B.	Castro-Fields	Brisker	Brown, J.	Porter
Indiana	Luketa	Tangelo	Mustipher	Ebiketie	Hardy (CB)	Brooks	Smith, B.	Castro-Fields	Brisker	Brown, J.	Porter
at Iowa	Tarburton	Tangelo	Mustipher	Ebiketie	Jacobs	Brooks	Smith, B.	Castro-Fields	Brisker	Brown, J.	Porter
Illinois	Tarburton	Tangelo	Izzard	Ebiketie	Jacobs	Brooks	Smith, B.	Castro-Fields	Brisker	Brown, J.	Porter
at Ohio State	Luketa	Tangelo	Izzard	Ebiketie	Jacobs	Brooks	Smith, B.	Castro-Fields	Brisker	Brown, J.	Porter
at Maryland	Tarburton	Tangelo	Izzard	Ebiketie	Jacobs	Brooks	Smith, B.	Castro-Fields	Brisker	Brown, J.	Porter
Michigan	Luketa	Tangelo	Izzard	Ebiketie	Jacobs	Brooks	Smith, B.	Castro-Fields	Brisker	Brown, J.	Porter
Rutgers	Luketa	Tangelo	Izzard	Ebiketie	Sutherland (S)	Brooks	Smith, B.	Castro-Fields	Brisker	Brown, J.	Porter

### **CAREER** STARTS

Player	′18	′19	'20	'21	Total
Dotson, Jahan (WR)	4	13	9	11	37
Walker, Rasheed (OL)	-	13	9	10	31
Clifford, Sean (QB)	-	12	8	11	30
Miranda, Mike (OL)	1	8	9	10	28
Castro-Fields, Tariq (CB)	2	12	3	11	28
Brisker, Jaquan (S)	-	-	9	11	20
Smith, Brandon (LB)	-	-	9	11	20
Brooks, Ellis (LB)	-	-	9	10	19
Porter Jr., Joey (CB)	-	-	8	11	19
Mustipher, PJ (DT)	-	1	9	6	17
Luketa, Jesse (DE/LB)	-	2	9	7	18
Wallace, Caedan (OL)	-	-	6	11	17
Lambert-Smith, KeAndre (WR)	-	-	4	11	15
Strange, Brenton (TE)	-	-	4	11	15
Washington, Parker (WR)	-	-	9	5	14
Brown, Jy'Aiyr (S)	-	-	-	11	11
Ebiketie, Arnold (DE)**	-	-	-	11	11
Scruggs, Juice (OL)	-	-	-	11	11
Tangelo, Derrick (DT)***	-	-	-	11	11
Cain, Noah (RB)	-	1	1	7	9
Jacobs, Curtis (LB)	-	-	-	9	9
Wilson, Eric (OL)	-	-	-	9	9

′18	′19	'20	'21	Total
-	-	1	6	7
-	4	2	-	6
-	-	-	6	6
1	-	-	6	6
-	1	4	-	5
-	-	5	-	5
-	-	2	1	3
-	-	-	2	2
-	-	-	2	2
1	-	-	-	1
-	-	-	1	1
1	-	-	-	1
-	-	1	-	1
-	-	-	1	1
-	-	-	1	1
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<sup>\*</sup> Started two games in 2015

<sup>\*\*</sup> Transfer from Temple

<sup>\*\*\*</sup>Transfer from Duke

<sup>\*\*\*\*</sup>Transfer from Baylor

Two-Point Conversion Attempt:

Two-Point Conversion:

50-Yard Field Goals Four Field Goals:

Five Field Goals:

#### **PENN STATE**

100+ Yards Rushing: 134. Keyvone Lee at Michigan, 2020 150+ Yards Rushing: 202, Journey Brown vs. Memphis, 2019 ~ 200+ Yards Rushing: 202, Journey Brown vs. Memphis, 2019 ~ 327, Larry Johnson at Indiana, 2002 300+ Yards Rushing: 33, Saquon Barkley at Indiana, 2016 30-34 Rushing Attempts: 35+ Rushing Attempts: 35, Zach Zwinak vs. Nebraska, 2013 Three Touchdowns Rushing: Journey Brown vs. Rutgers, 2019 Saquon Barkley at Pittsburgh, 2016 Four Touchdowns Rushing: Five Touchdowns Rushing Ki-Jana Carter vs. Michigan State, 1994 60+ Yard Run: 85, Journey Brown vs. Pittsburgh, 2019 70+ Yard Run: 85, Journey Brown vs. Pittsburgh, 2019 80+ Yard Run: 85. Journey Brown vs. Pittsburgh, 2019 90+ Yard Run: 92, Saguon Barkley vs. Washington, 2017 @ Two Players Rush For 100 Yards: Will Levis (108) & Journey Brown (103) vs. Rutgers, 2019 QB/RB Rush For 100 Yards: Will Levis (108) & Journey Brown (103) vs. Rutgers, 2019 Four Rushing TD in One Quarter: vs. UMass, 2014 (2nd; Belton [2], Zwinak [2]) 300+ Yards Passing: 363, Sean Clifford at Maryland, 2021 350+ Yards Passing: 363, Sean Clifford at Maryland, 2021 400+ Yards Passing: 401, Sean Clifford vs. Villanova, 2021 20-24 Pass Completions: 23. Sean Clifford vs. Michigan, 2021 25-29 Pass Completions: 27, Sean Clifford at Maryland, 2021 30-34 Pass Completions: 32, Trace McSorley vs. Washington, 2017 @ 35+ Pass Completions: 35, Sean Clifford at Ohio State, 2021 34, Sean Clifford vs. Illinois, 2021 30-39 Pass Attempts: 40-49 Pass Attempts: 43, Sean Clifford at Minnesota, 2019 50+ Pass Attempts: 52, Sean Clifford at Ohio State, 2021 Four Touchdown Passes: Sean Clifford vs. Villanova, 2021 Five Touchdown Passes: Rashard Casev vs. Louisiana Tech. 2000 Four Interceptions Thrown: Zack Mills at Boston College, 2004 300+ Yards Total Offense: 367 (363 P, 4 R), Sean Clifford at Maryland, 2021 350+ Yards Total Offense: 367 (363 P, 4 R), Sean Clifford at Maryland, 2021 400+ Yards Total Offense: 452 (398 P, 54 R), Sean Clifford at Maryland, 2019 450+ Yards Total Offense: 452 (398 P, 54 R), Sean Clifford at Maryland, 2019 242, Jahan Dotson at Maryland, 2021 100+ Yards Receiving: 150+ Yards Receiving: 242, Jahan Dotson at Maryland, 2021 200+ Yards Receiving: 2242, Jahan Dotson at Maryland, 2021 Two Players w/ 100 Yards Receiving: Jahan Dotson (127) & Parker Washington (108) at Ohio State, 2021 Two Players w/ 150 Yards Receiving: Geno Lewis (173) & DaeSean Hamilton (165) vs. UCF, 2014 # Back-to-Back 100 Yards Receiving Games: Jahan Dotson, 21 (126 at Ohio State; 242 at Maryland) Three Straight 100-Yard Receiving Games: Jahan Dotson, 2020-21 (108 vs. MSU; 189 at Illinois; 102 at Wisconsin) 10+ Receptions: 11, Jahan Dotson at Ohio State, 2021 50+ Yard Reception: 67, Malick Meiga vs. Rutgers, 2021 67. Malick Meiga vs. Rutgers, 2021 60+ Yard Reception: 70+ Yard Reception: 86, Jahan Dotson at Maryland, 2021 80+ Yard Reception: 86, Jahan Dotson at Maryland, 2021 Three Touchdowns Receiving: Jahan Dotson at Maryland, 2021 Four Touchdowns Receiving: Bobby Engram vs. Minnesota, 1993 254 (242 Rec, 12 PR), Jahan Dotson at Maryland, 2021 150+ All-Purpose Yards: 200+ All-Purpose Yards: 254 (242 Rec, 12 PR), Jahan Dotson at Maryland, 2021 250+ All-Purpose Yards: 254 (242 Rec, 12 PR), Jahan Dotson at Maryland, 2021 300+ All-Purpose Yards: 358 (211 Rush, 94 Rec, 53 KR), Saquon Barkley at Iowa, 2017 (SR) Five Touchdowns Scored: 5 (4 rushing, 1 receiving), Saquon Barkley at Pittsburgh, 2016 100, Lamont Wade at Michigan State, 2020 Kickoff Return For Touchdown: Rushing, Receiving & Kickoff Return TD in a game: Derrick Williams vs. Illinois, 2008 100, Lamont Wade at Michigan State, 2020 100-Yard Kickoff Return Punt Return For Touchdown: 81, Jahan Dotson vs. Michigan State, 2020 80-Yard Punt Return: 81, Jahan Dotson vs. Michigan State, 2020 Zero Punts in a Game: Purdue, 2013 2, Trevor Williams at Rutgers, 2014 Multiple Interceptions: 90-Yard Interception Return: 99, Michael Mauti at Illinois, 2012 87, Ji'Ayir at Maryland, 2021 Interception Return For Touchdown: Five Interceptions in a Game (Team): at Rutgers, 2014 3. Lamont Wade, at Ohio State, 2019 Multiple Forced Fumbles: Fumble Return For Touchdown (Defense): 9 yards, Torrence Brown at Indiana, 2016 (forced by Brandon Bell) Fumble Return For Touchdown (Special Teams): 14 yards, Nick Scott vs. Indiana, 2017 (forced by Irvin Charles) Blocked Field Goal: Brandon Smith vs. Indiana, 2021 Blocked Field Goal For Touchdown: 60 yards, Grant Haley vs. Ohio State, 2016 (Marcus Allen block) Blocked Extra Point: Parker Cothren at Northwestern, 2015 Blocked Punt: Journey Brown vs. Buffalo, 2019 Two Blocked Punts: Jonathan Sutherland vs. Idaho, 2019 0 yards, Michael Yancich vs. Ohio State, 2012 (Mike Hull block) Blocked Punt For Touchdown: Safety: Team (holding in the end zone) at Pittsburgh, 2018

#### **OPPONENT**

100+ Yards Receiving:

150+ Yards Receiving:

200+ Yards Receiving:

50+ Yard Reception:

70+ Yard Reception:

80+ Yard Reception:

90+ Yard Reception:

90-Yard Kickoff Return:

100-Yard Kickoff Return:

70-Yard Punt Return:

80-Yard Punt Return:

Multiple Interceptions:

Blocked Punt:

Safety:

Two Safeties:

Four Field Goals:

Blocked Field Goal:

Blocked Extra Point:

Interception Return For Touchdown:

Fumble Return For Touchdown:

Blocked Punt For Touchdown:

Punt Return For Touchdown:

Three Touchdown Receptions:

Kickoff Return For Touchdown:

10+ Receptions:

100+ Yards Rushing: 156, Hassan Haskins, Michigan, 2021 150+ Yards Rushing: 156, Hassan Haskins, Michigan, 2021 200+ Yards Rushing: 223, Chase Brown, Illinois, 2021 30-34 Rushing Attempts: 31, Hassan Haskins, Michigan, 2021 35+ Rushing Attempts: 44, Mike Hart, Michigan, 2007 (OR) Three Touchdowns Rushing: Trevor Siemian, Northwestern, 2014 Four Touchdowns Rushing: Montee Ball, Wisconsin, 2011 68, TreVeyon Henderson, Ohio State, 2021 50+ Yard Run: 60+ Yard Run: 68, TreVeyon Henderson, Ohio State, 2021 70+ Yard Run: 71, Jonathan Taylor, Wisconsin, 2018 Two Players Rush For 100 Yards: Chase Brown (223) & Josh McCray (142), Illinois, 2021 300+ Yards Passing: 305, C.J. Stroud, Ohio State, 2021 400+ Yards Passing: 400, Brian Lewerke, Michigan State, 2017 500+ Yards Passing: 532, Case Keenum, Houston, 2011 (OR) \* 25-29 Pass Completions: 25, Drew Plitt, Ball State, 2021 30-44 Pass Completions 41, Taulia Tagovailoa, at Maryland, 2021 45+ Pass Completions: 45, Case Keenum, Houston, 2011 (OR) \* 30-39 Pass Attempts: 34, C.J. Stroud, Ohio State, 2021 40-49 Pass Attempts: 49, Nate Stanley, Iowa, 2018 50+ Pass Attempts: 57. Taulia Tagovailoa, at Maryland, 2021 60+ Pass Attempts: 61, Brian Hoyer, Michigan State, 2006 4, Justin Fields, Ohio State, 2020 Four Touchdown Passes: Five Touchdown Passes: Sam Darnold, USC, 2016 ^ P.J. Walker, Temple, 2014 Four Interceptions Thrown: Five Interceptions Thrown: Gary Nova, Rutgers, 2014

300+ Yards Total Offense: 371 (371 P, O R), Taulia Tagovailoa, at Maryland, 2021 400+ Yards Total Offense: 425 (400 P, 25 R), Brian Lewerke, Michigan State, 2017 500+ Yards Total Offense: 542 (532 P, 10 R), Case Keenum, Houston, 2011 (OR) \*

> 107, Rayjoun Pringle, Villanova, 2021 185, Stanley Morgan, Nebraska, 2017 228, Patrick Edwards, Houston, 2011 \* 11, Garrett Wilson, Ohio State, 2020 58, Jaxon Smith-Njigma from C.J. Stroud, Ohio State 2021 70, Akrum Wadley from Nate Stanley, Iowa, 2017 80, Dominique Barnes from Kurt Hess, Youngstown State, 2010

99, Thomas Lewis from John Paci, Indiana, 1993 Deonta Burnett, USC, 2016 ^

100, Darrynton Evans, Appalachian State, 2018 100, Darrynton Evans, Appalachian State, 2018 100, Darrynton Evans, Appalachian State, 2018 58, Lynn Bowden Jr., Kentucky, 2018~ 75, Venric Mark, Northwestern, 2012 87, Willie Reid, Florida State, 2005!

> 2, David Dowell, Michigan State, 2017 62, Brandon Watson, Michigan, 2018 57, Jerron Cage, Ohio State, 2021 Dominique Dafney, Iowa, 2018 27, Lerentee McCray, Florida, 2011 \$ Isaiahh Loudermilk, Wisconsin, 2018 Brandon Wilson, Indiana, 2018

> > Noah Ruggles, Ohio State, 2021

2. Team (blocked punt, snap out of the end zone on punt), lowa, 2018 Team (blocked punt, snap out of the end zone on punt), lowa, 2018

Defensive Extra Point: 99, D.J. Johnson, Iowa, 2002 50-Yard Field Goal: 50, Derek Dimke, Illinois, 2010

& – Big Ten Championship Game  $\mid$  # – Croke Park Classic (Dublin, Ireland)  $\mid$  ! – Orange Bowl

\$ - Outback Bowl | ^ - Rose Bowl | \* - TicketCity Bowl | % - Pinstripe Bowl | @ - PlayStation Fiesta Bowl

+ - VRBO Citrus Bowl | ~ Goodyear Cotton Bowl

(SR) - School Record | (OR) - Opponent Record

Sean Clifford to Jahan Dotson vs. Michigan, 2021

Sean Clifford to Jahan Dotson vs. Michigan, 2021 52, Jordan Stout vs. Michigan, 2021

Tyler Davis at Rutgers, 2016

Collin Wagner vs. Temple, 2010

### **PARTICIPATION** CHART

	GP/GS	at WIS	BSU	AU	VU	IU	UI	ILL	at OSU	at UMD	MICH	RU	
0 Jonathan Sutherland	8/1	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	-	-	-	START	
1 Jaquan Brisker	11/11	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	
2 Keaton Ellis	9/-	-	- VVV	XXX									
2 Ta'Quan Roberson 3 Johnny Dixon	10/-	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	-	
3 Parker Washington	11/6	START	XXX	START	XXX	START	XXX	START	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	
4 Kalen King	11/0	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	
5 Tariq Castro-Fields	11/11	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	
5 Jahan Dotson	11/11	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	
6 Cam Sullivan-Brown	11/0	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	
6 Zakee Wheatley 7 Jaylen Reed	2/0 6/0	-	XXX	-	XXX	-	-	-	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	
8 Marquis Wilson	7/0	-	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX			-	XXX	-	XXX	
9 Joey Porter Jr.	11/11	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	
9 Christian Veilleux	1/0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	XXX	
10 John Lovett	8/2	-	-	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	START	START	-	
11 Daniel George	11/0	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	
12 Brandon Smith	11/11	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	
13 Ellis Brooks	11/10	START	XXX	START									
13 KeAndre Lambert-Smith	11/11	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	
14 Sean Clifford 14 A.J. Lytton	11/11	START XXX	START XXX	START XXX	START XXX	START XXX	START XXX	START XXX	START XXX	START XXX	START XXX	START	
16 Ji'Ayir Brown	11/11	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	
17 Arnold Ebiketie	11/11	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	
19 Jaden Dottin	2/0	-	-	-	XXX	-	XXX	-	-	-	-		
20 Mason Stahl	2/0	-	XXX	XXX	XXX	-	-	-	-	-	-	XXX	
21 Tyler Rudolph	4/0	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
21 Noah Cain	11/5	START	START	START	START	START	XXX	XXX	START	XXX	XXX	XXX	
23 Curtis Jacobs	10/9	START	START	START	START	XXX	START	START	START	START	START	- CTADT	
24 Keyvone Lee 25 Daequan Hardy	11/2 11/1	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	START	XXX	START XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	START XXX	
26 Caziah Holmes	3/0		XXX		XXX	- SIAKI		- ***	- ***		- ***	XXX	
26 Jaden Seider	1/0	-	-	-	-	-	-		-	-	-	XXX	
28 Devyn Ford	7/1	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	START	-	-	-	XXX	-	
29 Sebastian Costantini	11/0	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	
30 Kaleb Brown	3/0	XXX	XXX	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	XXX	
34 Dominic DeLuca	2/0	-	XXX	XXX	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
36 Zuriah Fisher	7/0	XXX	XXX	-	XXX	XXX	-	-	-	XXX	XXX	XXX	
37 Drew Hartlaub	11/0	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	
38 Tank Smith 39 Robbie Dwyer	3/0 6/0	XXX	-	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	-	-	-	XXX -	
40 Jesse Luketa	10/5	XXX	START	START	XXX	START	XXX	START	START		START	START	
41 Kobe King	4/0	-	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	-	-	-	-	-	-	
42 Jamari Buddin	4/0	-	XXX	-	XXX	XXX	-	-	-	-	-	XXX	
43 Tyler Elsdon	10/0	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	-	
44 Tyler Warren	11/0	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	
45 Charlie Katshir	11/0	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXXX	
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50 Max Chizmar	11/0	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	
50 Will Knutsson	1/0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	XXX	
51 Jimmy Christ	1/0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	XXX	
52 Jordan van den Berg	3/0	-	XXX	-	-	-	-	-	-	XXX	-	XXX	
52 Blake Zalar	1/0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	XXX	
53 Fred Hansard	6/0	XXX	XXX	- CTART	XXX	- CTART	XXX	XXX	- CTART	XXX	- CTART	-	
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56 Amin Vanover	6/0	XXX	XXX	-	XXX	-	XXX	XXX	-	XXX	-	XXX	
58 Landon Tengwall	1/0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	XXX	
59 Kaleb Konigus	1/0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	XXX	
66 Nick Dawkins	9/0	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	- CTART	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	- CTART	
68 Eric Wilson	11/10	XXX	START										
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74 Olumuyiwa Fashanu	8/0	-	XXX	-	-								
75 Des Holmes	10/0	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	-	
78 Golden Israel-Achumba	1/0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	XXX	
79 Caedan Wallace	11/11	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	
80 Malick Meiga	5/0	-	-	-	-	-	-	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	
81 Henry Fessler	1/0	- vvv	- VVV	- VVV	- VVV	- vvv	- VVV	- VVV	-	- vvv	- VVV	XXX	
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86 Brenton Strange	11/11	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	START	
87 Benjamin Wilson	3/0	XXX	XXX	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	XXX	
89 Winston Eubanks	7/0	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	-	-	XXX	XXX	-	-	
90 Rafael Checa	11/0	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	
91 Chris Stoll	1/0	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	
91 Dvon Ellies	11/0	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	
92 Smith Vilbert 94 Jake Wilson	10/0	XXX -	XXX -	-	XXX	XXX -	XXX -	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX -	XXX	
97 PJ Mustipher	6/6	START	START	START	START	START	START	-	-	-	-	XXX	
98 Jordan Stout	10/0	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	
98 Dan Vasey	1/0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	XXX	
99 Coziah Izzard	11/4	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	START	START	START	START	
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