



2014 BIG TEN FOOTBALL WEEKLY RELEASE - OCTOBER 13

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2014 CONFERENCE & OVERALL STANDINGS

EAST DIVISION

	Conference Games						All Games					
	W-L	PCT	H	A	Div.	Strk	W-L	PCT	H	A	N	Top 25 [^] Strk
1. Michigan State	2-0	1.000	1-0	1-0	0-0	W11	5-1	.833	4-0	1-1	0-0	1-1 W4
Ohio State	1-0	1.000	0-0	1-0	1-0	W17	4-1	.800	2-1	1-0	1-0	0-0 W3
3. Rutgers	1-1	.500	1-1	0-0	1-1	W1	5-1	.833	3-1	1-0	1-0	0-0 W3
Maryland	1-1	.500	0-1	1-0	1-1	L1	4-2	.667	1-2	3-0	0-0	0-1 L1
5. Penn State	1-2	.333	0-1	1-1	1-1	L2	4-2	.667	2-1	1-1	1-0	0-0 L2
Michigan	1-2	.333	1-1	0-1	1-1	W1	3-4	.429	3-2	0-2	0-0	0-1 W1
7. Indiana	0-2	.000	0-1	0-1	0-1	L2	3-3	.500	2-1	1-2	0-0	1-0 L1

WEST DIVISION

	Conference Games						All Games					
	W-L	PCT	H	A	Div.	Strk	W-L	PCT	H	A	N	Top 25 [^] Strk
1. Iowa	2-0	1.000	1-0	1-0	1-0	W5	5-1	.833	3-1	2-0	0-0	0-0 W3
Minnesota	2-0	1.000	1-0	1-0	1-0	W2	5-1	.833	4-0	1-1	0-0	0-0 W3
3. Northwestern	2-1	.667	1-0	1-1	1-1	L1	3-3	.500	2-2	1-1	0-0	1-0 L1
4. Nebraska	1-1	.500	1-0	0-1	1-0	L1	5-1	.833	4-0	1-1	0-0	0-1 L1
Wisconsin	1-1	.500	1-0	0-1	1-1	W1	4-2	.667	4-0	0-1	0-1	0-1 W1
6. Purdue	1-2	.333	0-2	1-0	1-1	L1	3-4	.429	2-3	1-0	0-1	0-2 L1
7. Illinois	0-3	.000	0-1	0-2	0-3	L4	3-4	.429	3-1	0-3	0-0	0-1 L3

[^] AP or USA Today

BIG TEN. BIG NEWS.

• With their fifth victories of the season last weekend, Iowa, Michigan State and Minnesota all moved to within one win of securing bowl eligibility. Those three schools join Nebraska and Rutgers, which each reached five wins prior to a bye last weekend. This season, the Big Ten will feature the largest and most diverse postseason lineup in conference history. See page 4 for 2014-15 Big Ten bowl destinations.

• The race for divisional titles will continue this weekend, when four of the five conference games will feature divisional matchups. In East Division action, Michigan State visits Indiana while Rutgers travels to Ohio State. In West Division play, Purdue heads to Minnesota and Nebraska visits Northwestern. The two division champions will meet in the Big Ten Football Championship Game and with divisional records serving as the second tiebreaker after head-to-head results, contests within the division take on added importance. A full description of divisional tiebreakers can be found on page 8.

• With his 113th win as the head coach of Iowa on Saturday, Kirk Ferentz moved into a tie for ninth place in overall wins at a conference school. Ferentz' 113th victory tied former Michigan head coach Fielding Yost, who won 113 games from 1901-26. Former Wisconsin head coach Barry Alvarez is eighth on the list with 118 career victories.

• When Ohio State faces Rutgers on Saturday, the matchup will feature two of the nation's top five quarterbacks in passing efficiency. Ohio State's J.T. Barrett ranks third at 186.3 and is followed by Rutgers' Gary Nova in fifth at 170.9. Michigan State's Connor Cook also rates among the top 15 nationally in passing efficiency (14th at 158.9).

• Big Ten backfields feature four of the top seven rushers in the nation in average yards per game. Indiana's Tevin Coleman leads all players with 176.7 yards per contest, followed by Wisconsin's Melvin Gordon in second with 174.3 yards per game. Nebraska's Ameer Abdullah ranks fourth with an average of 146.3 yards per outing while Minnesota's David Cobb is seventh at 136.5 yards per contest.

• The last time that the Big Ten featured three players who averaged more than 140 rushing yards per game was 2000. Northwestern's Damien Anderson led the way with 171.9 yards per contest, followed by Wisconsin's Michael Bennett (152.8) and Michigan's Anthony Thomas (144.4). The 2000 season was also the last time that a Big Ten running back averaged more than 170 yards per game on the ground.

• Big Ten teams compete for 16 different rivalry trophies and another one will be up for grabs this weekend. The Old Brass Spitoon will be on the line Saturday when Michigan State visits Indiana. Saturday's game will mark the 57th meeting since the trophy's introduction in 1950.

WEEK 8 SCHEDULE

SATURDAY, OCT. 18

IOWA at MARYLAND
Noon ET - ESPN2

PURDUE at MINNESOTA
Noon ET - BTN

#8/6 MICHIGAN STATE at INDIANA
3:30 p.m. ET - ESPN

RUTGERS at #13/13 OHIO STATE
3:30 p.m. ET - ABC (regional); ESPN2 (outer market)

#19/19 NEBRASKA at NORTHWESTERN
7:30 p.m. ET - BTN

BYE: ILLINOIS, MICHIGAN, PENN STATE, WISCONSIN

Rankings: AP/Amway

WEEK 7 RESULTS

SATURDAY, OCT. 11

IOWA def. INDIANA, 45-29

MINNESOTA def. NORTHWESTERN, 24-17

WISCONSIN def. ILLINOIS, 38-28

#8/8 MICHIGAN STATE def. PURDUE, 45-31

MICHIGAN def. PENN STATE, 18-13

BYE: MARYLAND, #21/21 NEBRASKA,
#15/15 OHIO STATE, RUTGERS

Rankings: AP/Amway

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Each year more than 10 million patrons attend Big Ten home contests, as the conference leads the nation in attendance for men's basketball, hockey, volleyball and wrestling.

WEEKLY COACHES TELECONFERENCE

The Big Ten Conference football coaches weekly media teleconferences continue through Tuesday, Nov. 25.

The calls are held on Tuesdays from 11 a.m. - 12:52 p.m. CT. The calls are available for play-back roughly two hours following the conclusion of each call through Thursday of each week. They will also be archived online at bigten.org.

Contact the Big Ten Communications office for the phone number and weekly passcode.

The coaches order on each call is as follows (all times are CT):

11:00 a.m. – Pat Fitzgerald, Northwestern
11:08 a.m. – Brady Hoke, Michigan
11:16 a.m. – Gary Andersen, Wisconsin
11:24 a.m. – Bo Pelini, Nebraska
11:32 a.m. – Mark Dantonio, Michigan State
11:40 a.m. – Kirk Ferentz, Iowa
11:48 a.m. – Jerry Kill, Minnesota
11:56 a.m. – Kyle Flood, Rutgers
12:04 p.m. – Tim Beckman, Illinois
12:12 p.m. – Randy Edsall, Maryland
12:20 p.m. – Darrell Hazell, Purdue
12:28 p.m. – James Franklin, Penn State
12:36 p.m. – Urban Meyer, Ohio State
12:44 p.m. – Kevin Wilson, Indiana

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BIG TEN NCAA STAT LEADERS

TEAM RANKINGS

Rk.	Scoring Offense	Avg.
4.	Michigan State	45.5
5.	Ohio State	44.6
12.	Nebraska	41.5

Rk.	Total Offense	Avg.
10.	Nebraska	532.0
12.	Ohio State	523.6
17.	Michigan State	502.3
19.	Indiana	499.7
25.	Wisconsin	484.0

Rk.	Rushing Offense	Avg.
1.	Wisconsin	343.0
5.	Nebraska	303.5
6.	Indiana	302.7
17.	Michigan State	248.3
18.	Ohio State	247.0
29.	Minnesota	212.0

Rk.	Passing Offense	Avg.
21.	Illinois	304.6

Rk.	All-Purpose Yds Per Game	Avg.
1.	Tevin Coleman, IND	199.0
2.	Ameer Abdullah, NEB	195.8
4.	Melvin Gordon, WIS	178.8
12.	David Cobb, MINN	152.0

Rk.	Rushing Yds Per Game	Avg.
1.	Tevin Coleman, IND	176.7
2.	Melvin Gordon, WIS	174.3
4.	Ameer Abdullah, NEB	146.3
7.	David Cobb, MINN	136.5

Rk.	Rushing Yds Per Carry	Avg.
1.	Tevin Coleman, IND	8.83
5.	Melvin Gordon, WIS	7.92
12.	T. Armstrong Jr., NEB	7.00
20.	Ameer Abdullah, NEB	6.36
21.	Corey Clement, WIS	6.35
25.	Akeem Hunt, PUR	6.23

Rk.	Rushing Touchdowns	Total
2.	Melvin Gordon, WIS	13
3.	Tevin Coleman, IND	11
6.	Ameer Abdullah, NEB	10
11.	Mark Weisman, IOWA	8

Rk.	Scoring Defense	Avg.
5.	Penn State	15.2
11.	Northwestern	17.5
12.	Wisconsin	17.7
15.	Minnesota	18.7
19.	Iowa	19.2
28.	Nebraska	20.3

Rk.	Total Defense	Avg.
5.	Penn State	283.3
6.	Wisconsin	286.0
9.	Michigan	301.0
12.	Michigan State	304.2
14.	Ohio State	314.4
26.	Iowa	330.7

Rk.	Passing Efficiency Def.	Avg.
14.	Nebraska	103.35
15.	Minnesota	103.95
20.	Iowa	106.17
25.	Penn State	109.25
26.	Northwestern	109.67
28.	Ohio State	112.38

INDIVIDUAL RANKINGS

Rk.	Passing Efficiency	Avg.
3.	J.T. Barrett, OSU	186.3
5.	Gary Nova, RU	170.9
14.	Connor Cook, MSU	158.9

Rk.	Passing Yds Per Game	Avg.
23.	C. Hackenberg, PSU	272.8
26.	J.T. Barrett, OSU	270.8
30.	Gary Nova, RU	266.8

Rk.	Completion Percentage	Pct.
15.	Jake Rudock, IOWA	67.5
21.	J.T. Barrett, OSU	66.2

Rk.	Receiving Yds Per Game	Avg.
11.	Tony Lippett, MSU	110.5
24.	D. Hamilton, PSU	93.3
28.	Leonte Carroo, RU	91.3

Rk.	Receptions Per Game	Avg.
16.	D. Hamilton, PSU	7.2

Rk.	Receiving Touchdowns	Total
3.	Tony Lippett, MSU	8
21.	Geronimo Allison, ILL	5
	Devin Smith, OSU	5
	Michael Thomas, OSU	5
	Leonte Carroo, RU	5

Rk.	Rushing Defense	Avg.
2.	Penn State	60.8
5.	Michigan State	81.5
8.	Michigan	93.6
27.	Wisconsin	116.8

Rk.	Interceptions	Total
11.	Minnesota	9
	Northwestern	9
	Ohio State	9
21.	Iowa	8
	Michigan State	8

Rk.	Penalties Per Game	Avg.
2.	Michigan	3.3
4.	Iowa	3.7
11.	Wisconsin	4.3
27.	Purdue	5.1

Rk.	Sacks Per Game	Avg.
14.	Kemoko Turay, RU	0.92
17.	Randy Gregory, NEB	0.90
18.	Andre Monroe, MD	0.83
	Ed Davis, MSU	0.83

Rk.	Field Goals Per Game	Avg.
5.	Sam Ficken, PSU	2.0
11.	Brad Craddock, MD	1.8
30.	Drew Brown, NEB	1.3
	Kyle Federico, RU	1.3

Rk.	Punting	Avg.
15.	Justin DuVernois, ILL	45.1
16.	Peter Mortell, MINN	45.1
17.	Will Hagerup, MICH	44.9

Rk.	Punt Returns	Avg.
5.	William Likely, MD	22.0
	D. Pierson-El, NEB	17.6
19.	Kenzel Doe, WIS	11.4
26.	Dontre Wilson, OSU	9.7

Rk.	Blocked Kicks	Total
1.	Kemoko Turay, RU	3

BIG TEN COACHING RECORDS

Coach, School	Career (Yrs)	At School (Yrs)	Big Ten Only
EAST DIVISION			
Kevin Wilson, IND	13-29 (4th)	13-29 (4th)	5-21
Randy Edsall, MD	91-96 (16th)	17-26 (4th)	1-1
Brady Hoke, MICH	76-67 (12th)	29-17 (4th)	16-11
Mark Dantonio, MSU	87-47 (11th)	69-30 (8th)	40-18
Urban Meyer, OSU	132-26 (13th)	28-3 (3rd)	17-0
James Franklin, PSU	28-17 (4th)	4-2 (1st)	1-2
Kyle Flood, RU	20-12 (3rd)	20-12 (3rd)	1-1
WEST DIVISION			
Tim Beckman, ILL	30-38 (6th)	9-22 (3rd)	1-18
Kirk Ferentz, IOWA	125-101 (19th)	113-80 (16th)	66-56
Jerry Kill, MINN	149-95 (21st)	22-22 (4th)	10-16
Bo Pelini, NEB	63-25 (7th)	63-25 (7th)	18-8
Pat Fitzgerald, NU	58-49 (9th)	58-49 (9th)	29-38
Darrell Hazell, PUR	20-25 (4th)	4-15 (2nd)	1-10
Gary Andersen, WIS	43-37 (7th)	13-6 (2nd)	7-3

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BIG TEN IN THE NATIONAL RANKINGS

ASSOCIATED PRESS - OCT. 12

Team (1st Place Votes)	Record	PTS	Prev.
1 Mississippi State (45)	6-0	1480	3
2 Florida State (12)	6-0	1415	1
3 Ole Miss (3)	6-0	1413	3
4 Baylor	6-0	1317	5
5 Notre Dame	6-0	1228	6
6 Auburn	5-1	1144	2
7 Alabama	5-1	1068	7
8 MICHIGAN STATE	5-1	1015	8
9 Oregon	5-1	1014	12
10 Georgia	5-1	981	13
11 Oklahoma	5-1	935	11
12 TCU	4-1	917	9
13 OHIO STATE	4-1	648	15
14 Kansas State	4-1	626	17
15 Oklahoma State	5-1	620	16
16 Arizona	5-1	590	10
17 Arizona State	4-1	459	20
18 East Carolina	5-1	449	19
19 NEBRASKA	5-1	402	21
20 Utah	4-1	305	24
21 Texas A&M	5-2	264	14
22 USC	4-2	258	NR
23 Stanford	4-2	223	25
24 Clemson	4-2	188	NR
25 Marshall	6-0	148	NR

Others Receiving Votes: UCLA 110, LSU 67, Duke 45, MINNESOTA 36, Kentucky 36, West Virginia 27, Washington 22, Georgia Tech 11, Arkansas 10, Louisville 7, RUTGERS 7, IOWA 6, North Dakota State 3, Colorado State 3, South Carolina 1, Virginia 1, WISCONSIN 1.

AMWAY COACHES - OCT. 12

Team (1st Place Votes)	Record	PTS	Prev.
1 Mississippi State (26)	6-0	1490	6
2 Florida State (31)	6-0	1489	1
3 Ole Miss (5)	6-0	1436	4
4 Baylor	6-0	1392	3
5 Notre Dame	6-0	1292	5
6 MICHIGAN STATE	5-1	1129	8
7 Alabama	5-1	1121	7
8 Auburn	5-1	1111	2
9 Oregon	5-1	1017	11
10 Georgia	5-1	1013	10
11 Oklahoma	5-1	1005	9
12 TCU	4-1	824	12
13 OHIO STATE	4-1	737	15
14 Kansas State	4-1	710	16
15 Oklahoma State	5-1	610	18
16 East Carolina	5-1	518	19
17 Arizona	5-1	502	13
18 Arizona State	4-1	471	20
19 NEBRASKA	5-1	433	21
20 Stanford	4-2	344	22
21 Texas A&M	5-2	269	14
22 Clemson	4-2	244	25
23 Utah	4-1	161	NR
24 Marshall	6-0	153	NR
25 USC	4-2	125	NR

Others Receiving Votes: UCLA 116, LSU 80, MINNESOTA 78, Duke 70, Washington 70, Kentucky 37, WISCONSIN 34, West Virginia 17, IOWA 15, Georgia Tech 14, Oregon State 10, Colorado State 5, Missouri 5, BYU 2, RUTGERS 1.

BIG TEN IN THE POLLS

	ILL	IND	IOWA	MD	MICH	MSU	MINN	NEB	NU	OSU	PSU	PUR	RU	WIS
PRE	-/-	-/-	rv/rv	-/-	rv/rv	8/8	-/rv	22/22	rv/rv	5/6	rv/-	-/-	-/-	14/14
9/2	-/-	-/-	rv/rv	-/-	rv/rv	7/6	-/rv	19/18	-/-	8/7	rv/-	-/-	rv/rv	18/19
9/7	-/-	-/-	rv/rv	-/-	-/rv	13/13	-/rv	rv/21	-/-	22/18	rv/-	-/-	-/rv	18/17
9/14	-/-	-/-	-/-	-/-	-/-	11/11	-/-	24/22	-/-	23/18	rv/rv	-/-	-/-	19/17
9/21	-/-	rv/-	-/rv	-/-	-/-	9/9	-/-	21/19	-/-	22/20	rv/rv	-/-	-/-	19/17
9/28	-/-	-/-	-/rv	rv/-	-/-	10/10	-/rv	19/17	-/-	20/18	-/-	-/-	-/-	17/16
10/5	-/-	-/-	-/rv	-/-	-/-	8/8	rv/rv	21/21	-/-	15/15	rv/rv	-/-	rv/rv	rv/rv
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10/19														
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11/9														
11/16														
11/23														
11/30														
12/7														
FINAL														

rv - Receiving Votes Associated Press/Amway

2014 BIG TEN PLAYERS OF THE WEEK

Date	Offensive	Defensive	Special Teams	Freshman
9/1	Ameer Abdullah, RB, NEB	Johnathan Aiken, S, RU	Sam Ficken, PK, PSU	J.T. Barrett, QB, OSU DaeSean Hamilton, WR, PSU Mike Dudek, WR, ILL
9/8	Wes Lunt, QB, ILL David Cobb, RB, MINN	Drew Ott, DE, IOWA	Sam Foltz, P, NEB	J.T. Barrett, QB, OSU Tegray Scales, LB, IND Chris Streveler, QB, MINN
9/15	J.T. Barrett, QB, OSU - FR	Trevor Williams, CB, PSU	De'Mornay Pierson-El, PR, NEB - FR	Anthony Walker, LB, NU
9/22	Ameer Abdullah, RB, NEB Melvin Gordon, RB, WIS	William Likely, CB, MD	Chris Gradone, P, NU	J.T. Barrett, QB, OSU
9/29	Ameer Abdullah, RB, NEB	Cole Farrand, LB, MD	Griffin Oakes, PK, IND - FR	Godwin Igwebuike, S, NU
10/6	Gary Nova, QB, RU	Godwin Igwebuike, S, NU - FR	Kemoko Turay, DE, RU - FR	Justin Jackson, RB, NU
10/13	Tevin Coleman, RB, IND	Jake Ryan, LB, MICH Damien Wilson, LB, MINN	Matt Wile, PK, MICH Jalen Myrick, KR, MINN	
10/20				
10/27				
11/3				
11/10				
11/17				
11/24				
12/1				

FR - Freshman Honoree

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In 2012, Committee on Institutional Cooperation institutions had over \$10 billion in funded research, \$4 billion more than any other conference.

2014 WEEK BY WEEK ATTENDANCE

	ALL GAMES				CONFERENCE GAMES			
	Games	Total	Average	Sellout	Games	Total	Average	Sellout
8/28-30	10	575,107	57,511	2	--	--	--	--
9/6	10	648,661	64,866	2	--	--	--	--
9/13	5	379,741	75,948	2	1	53,774	53,774	1
9/20	9	600,533	66,726	1	--	--	--	--
9/27	9	687,068	76,341	2	5	378,007	75,601	1
10/4	6	308,568	51,428	3	5	268,111	53,622	3
10/11	5	351,284	70,257	2	5	351,284	70,257	2
10/18								
10/25								
11/1								
11/10								
11/15								
11/22								
11/28-29								
TOTAL	54	3,550,962	65,759	14	16	1,051,176	65,699	7

BIG TEN CAREER RECORDS

<u>Career All-Purpose Yards</u>			<u>Kickoff Return Touchdowns</u>			<u>Most Overall Wins</u> <i>(in all games played while a member of Big Ten)</i>		
7,429	Ron Dayne, WIS	1996-99	5	Stan Brown, PUR	1968-70	205	Woody Hayes, OSU	
6,559	Archie Griffin, OSU	1972-75	4	DeAndra Cobb, MSU	2003-04	199	Amos Alonzo Stagg, CHI	
6,466	Anthony Thompson, IND	1986-89	3	Derrick Mason, MSU	1993-96	194	Bo Schembechler, MICH	
6,219	Dorien Bryant, PUR	2004-07		Marcus Thigpen, IND	2005-08	143	Hayden Fry, IOWA	
6,201	Jamie Morris, MICH	1984-87		Dorien Bryant, PUR	2004-07	136	Henry William, MINN	
6,089	Ameer Abdullah, NEB	2011-	2	Multiple players, including		131	Robert Zuppke, ILL	
6,000	Anthony Thomas, MICH	1997-00		Marcus Jones, MINN	2011-	122	Lloyd Carr, MICH	
5,935	Montee Ball, WIS	2009-12		Akeem Hunt, PUR	2011-	118	Barry Alvarez, WIS	
5,852	Brandon Williams, WIS	2002-05		Raheem Mostert, PUR	2011-	113	Kirk Ferentz, IOWA	
5,799	Anthony Carter, MICH	1979-82				113	Fielding Yost, MICH	
<u>Career Rushing Yards</u>			<u>Touchdowns Off Interceptions</u>			Active players in bold		
7,125	Ron Dayne, WIS	1996-99	5	Jamar Fletcher, WIS	1998-00			
5,589	Archie Griffin, OSU	1972-75	4	Tim Wilbur, IND	1978-82			
5,299	Anthony Thompson, IND	1986-89	3	Bob Radcliffe, WIS	1949-50			
5,140	Montee Ball, WIS	2009-12		Mike Gow, ILL	1972-74			
5,040	Mike Hart, MICH	2004-07		Rod Woodson, PUR	1983-86			
4,887	Lorenzo White, MSU	1984-87		Tom Knight, IOWA	1993-96			
4,676	Anthony Davis, WIS	2001-04		Cyril Weems, WIS	1993-96			
4,654	D. Thompson, MINN	1986-89		Mike Rose, PUR	1996-99			
4,495	Denard Robinson, MICH	2009-12	2	Ricardo Allen, PUR	2010-13			
4,485	Damien Anderson, NU	1998-01		Multiple players, including				
3,855	Ameer Abdullah, NEB	2011-		Collin Ellis, NU	2011-			

2014-15 BIG TEN BOWL DESTINATIONS

Heart of Dallas Bowl

Dec. 26, 2014
1 p.m. ET, ESPN
Dallas, Texas
Big Ten vs. C-USA

Quick Lane Bowl

Dec. 26, 2014
4:30 p.m. ET, ESPN
Detroit, Mich.
Big Ten vs. ACC

New Era Pinstripe Bowl

Dec. 27, 2014
4:30 p.m. ET, ESPN
Bronx, N.Y.
Big Ten vs. ACC

National University

Holiday Bowl
Dec. 27, 2014
8 p.m. ET, ESPN
San Diego, Calif.
Big Ten vs. Pac-12

Franklin American Mortgage

Music City Bowl
Dec. 30, 2014
3 p.m. ET, ESPN
Nashville, Tenn.
Big Ten or ACC vs. SEC

San Francisco Bowl

Dec. 30, 2014
10 p.m. ET, ESPN
Santa Clara, Calif.
Big Ten vs. Pac-12

Capital One Orange Bowl

Dec. 31, 2014
8:30 p.m. ET, ESPN
Miami Gardens, Fla.
Big Ten, SEC or
Notre Dame vs. ACC

Outback Bowl

Jan. 1, 2015
Noon ET, ESPN2
Tampa, Fla.
Big Ten vs. SEC

New Year's Day Bowl in Orlando

Jan. 1, 2015
1 p.m. ET, ABC
Orlando, Fla.
Big Ten or ACC vs. SEC

Rose Bowl Game Presented by Northwestern Mutual

Jan. 1, 2015
5:10 p.m. ET, ESPN
Pasadena, Calif.
Big Ten vs. Pac-12/
College Football Playoff

TaxSlayer Bowl

Jan. 2, 2015
3:20 p.m. ET, ESPN
Jacksonville, Fla.
Big Ten or ACC vs. SEC

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BIG TEN FOOTBALL CHAMPIONSHIP GAME

The 2014 Big Ten Football Championship Game will kick off from Lucas Oil Stadium in Indianapolis at 8:17 p.m. ET on December 6, 2014.

The winner of the East Division will meet the winner of the West Division, with the game's victor earning the Big Ten Championship and a chance to play in one of the six bowls that comprise the College Football Playoff, including the Rose Bowl Game.

FOX will serve as the official broadcast partner of the Big Ten Football Championship Games through 2016, and Lucas Oil Stadium will host the title games through 2021.

Tickets for the 2014 Big Ten Football Championship Game are now on sale. Tickets can be purchased through Ticketmaster at www.ticketmaster.com or by calling (800) 745-3000. Tickets and VIP premium ticket packages can also be reserved at bigten.teamtix.com, a ticket reservation system launched by the Big Ten in partnership with Forward Market Media and BTN. Go to bigten.org for more information.

CHAMPIONSHIP GAME QUICK FACTS

Date: Saturday, Dec. 6, 2014
Time: 8:17 p.m. ET
Television: FOX
Site: Indianapolis, Ind.
Facility: Lucas Oil Stadium
Surface: FieldTurf
Capacity: 66,707

BIG TEN FOOTBALL AWARDS

The Big Ten will continue to honor its past while recognizing its current standouts at the conclusion of the 2014 campaign. The Big Ten's enhanced football awards program presents 18 individual trophies in addition to the Big Ten Championship trophy, bearing the names of one or two former standouts. The distinguished names on these football awards honor just a small sampling of the countless student-athletes and coaches who have contributed to the conference's rich and storied history.

Seventeen of the honors will be awarded immediately following the regular season, including awards for the best quarterback, running back, receiver, tight end, offensive lineman, defensive lineman, linebacker, defensive back, kicker and punter. Each of these individual position awards features the names of two former student-athletes.

The Big Ten will also continue to honor the conference's top coaches, offensive and defensive players and linemen and freshmen with end-of-year trophies. Big Ten coaches have the opportunity to claim two awards. Media voters will select the Dave McClain Coach of the Year, which has been awarded since 1972, while coaches vote for the Hayes-Schembechler Coach of the Year award. The top offensive player will receive the Graham-George Offensive Player of the Year award, the best defensive player will be awarded the Nagurski-Woodson Defensive Player of the Year award and the best first-year standout will receive the Thompson-Randle El Freshman of the Year award.

The winner of the Big Ten Football Championship Game will receive the Amos Alonzo Stagg Championship Trophy, while the most outstanding player in the game will be awarded the Grange-Griffin Championship Game MVP award. The conference also created two postcollegiate awards - the Ford-Kinnick Leadership Award and the Dungy-Thompson Humanitarian Award.

The full list of awards, along with a breakdown of the former standouts appearing in each award's name, appears to the right.

NAME OF AWARD	NAMED FOR
Championship Game Awards	
Amos Alonzo Stagg Championship Trophy	Amos Alonzo Stagg, Chicago
Grange-Griffin Championship Game MVP (media vote only)	Harold Edward "Red" Grange, Illinois Archie Griffin, Ohio State
Postcollegiate Awards (vote by school administrators)	
Ford-Kinnick Leadership Award	Gerald R. Ford, Michigan Nile Kinnick, Iowa
Dungy-Thompson Humanitarian Award	Tony Dungy, Minnesota Anthony Thompson, Indiana
Annual Awards (combined vote by coaches and media, unless otherwise noted)	
Graham-George Offensive Player of the Year	Otto Graham, Northwestern Eddie George, Ohio State
Nagurski-Woodson Defensive Player of the Year	Bronislau "Bronko" Nagurski, Minnesota Charles Woodson, Michigan
Hayes-Schembechler Coach of the Year (coaches vote only)	Wayne Woodrow "Woody" Hayes, Ohio State Glenn Edward "Bo" Schembechler, Michigan
Dave McClain Coach of the Year (media vote only)	Dave McClain, Wisconsin
Thompson-Randle El Freshman of the Year	Darrell Thompson, Minnesota Antwaan Randle El, Indiana
Rimington-Pace Offensive Lineman of the Year	Dave Rimington, Nebraska Orlando Pace, Ohio State
Smith-Brown Defensive Lineman of the Year	Charles Aaron "Bubba" Smith, Michigan State Courtney Brown, Penn State
Griese-Brees Quarterback of the Year	Bob Griese, Purdue Drew Brees, Purdue
Ameche-Dayne Running Back of the Year	Alan Ameche, Wisconsin Ron Dayne, Wisconsin
Tatum-Woodson Defensive Back of the Year	Jack Tatum, Ohio State Rod Woodson, Purdue
Butkus-Fitzgerald Linebacker of the Year	Dick Butkus, Illinois Pat Fitzgerald, Northwestern
Richter-Howard Receiver of the Year	Pat Richter, Wisconsin Desmond Howard, Michigan
Kwalick-Clark Tight End of the Year	Ted Kwalick, Penn State Dallas Clark, Iowa
Bakken-Andersen Kicker of the Year	Jim Bakken, Wisconsin Morten Andersen, Michigan State
Eddleman-Fields Punter of the Year	Thomas Dwight "Dike" Eddleman, Illinois Brandon Fields, Michigan State

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During the 2013-14 season, current Big Ten institutions claimed seven national championships: Maryland women's lacrosse; Michigan men's gymnastics; Ohio State open pistol and women's rowing, and Penn State fencing, volleyball and wrestling.

IOWA AT MARYLAND

Saturday, Oct. 18 • Noon ET • College Park, Md. • Capital One Field at Byrd Stadium (51,802)
ESPN2 • Announcers: Beth Mowins, Joey Galloway, Paul Carcaterra

IOWA (5-1 overall, 2-0 Big Ten)

Coach: Kirk Ferentz

Offensive Leaders:

Rush: Mark Weisman (103-349 yards, 8 TDs)

Pass: Jake Rudock (104-154, 1,008 yards, 7 TDs)

Rec.: Kevonte Martin-Manley (29-245 yards, 1 TD)

Defensive Leaders:

Tackles: Quinton Alston (44 tackles)

Sacks: Drew Ott (4.5-27 yards)

Football Contact: Steve Roe, 319-335-9411, steven-roe@uiowa.edu

MARYLAND (4-2 overall, 1-1 Big Ten)

Coach: Randy Edsall

Offensive Leaders:

Rush: C.J. Brown (64-263 yards, 5 TDs)

Pass: C.J. Brown (84-146, 1,067 yards, 7 TDs)

Rec.: Stefon Diggs (36-450 yards, 3 TDs)

Defensive Leaders:

Tackles: Sean Davis (56 tackles)

Sacks: Andre Monroe (5.0-40 yards)

Football Contact: Matt Taylor, 301-314-7065, taylormd@umd.edu

PURDUE AT MINNESOTA

Saturday, Oct. 18 • 11 a.m. CT • Minneapolis, Minn. • TCF Bank Stadium (52,525)
BTN • Announcers: Eric Collins, Chuck Long, Rebecca Haarlow

PURDUE (3-4 overall, 1-2 Big Ten)

Coach: Darrell Hazell

Offensive Leaders:

Rush: Akeem Hunt (87-542 yards, 5 TDs)

Pass: Austin Appleby (48-80, 502 yards, 3 TDs)

Rec.: Danny Anthrop (30-469 yards, 3 TDs)

Defensive Leaders:

Tackles: Landon Feichter (66 tackles)

Sacks: Ryan Watson (4.0-27 yards)

Football Contact: Matt Rector, 765-494-3196, rector@purdue.edu

MINNESOTA (5-1 overall, 2-0 Big Ten)

Coach: Jerry Kill

Offensive Leaders:

Rush: David Cobb (154-819 yards, 4 TDs)

Pass: Mitch Leidner (50-91, 682 yards, 3 TDs)

Rec.: Maxx Williams (12-225 yards, 3 TDs)

Defensive Leaders:

Tackles: Damien Wilson (66 tackles)

Sacks: Cam Botticelli (2.0-19 yards)

Football Contact: Paul Rovnak, 612-625-9379, psrovnak@umn.edu

**West Division
Game**

#8/6 MICHIGAN STATE AT INDIANA

Saturday, Oct. 18 • 3:30 p.m. ET • Bloomington, Ind. • Memorial Stadium (52,929)
ESPN • Announcers: Mike Patrick, Ed Cunningham, Jeannine Edwards

MICHIGAN STATE (5-1 overall, 2-0 Big Ten)

Coach: Mark Dantonio

Offensive Leaders:

Rush: Jeremy Langford (104-555 yards, 4 TDs)

Pass: Connor Cook (84-144, 1,309 yards, 13 TDs)

Rec.: Tony Lippett (32-663 yards, 8 TDs)

Defensive Leaders:

Tackles: Kurtis Drummond (31 tackles)

Sacks: Ed Davis (5.0-24 yards)

Football Contact: John Lewandowski, 517-355-2271, lewski@ath.msu.edu

INDIANA (3-3 overall, 0-2 Big Ten)

Coach: Kevin Wilson

Offensive Leaders:

Rush: Tevin Coleman (120-1,060 yards, 11 TDs)

Pass: Chris Covington (3-12, 31 yards)

Rec.: Shane Wynn (27-424 yards, 2 TDs)

Defensive Leaders:

Tackles: T.J. Simmons (34 tackles)

Sacks: Bobby Richardson (4.0-33 yards)

Football Contact: Jeff Keag, 812-855-6209, jkeag@indiana.edu

**East Division
Game**

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RUTGERS AT #13/13 OHIO STATE

Saturday, Oct. 18 • 3:30 p.m. ET • Columbus, Ohio • Ohio Stadium (104,944)
 ABC (regional), ESPN2 (outer market) • Announcers: Sean McDonough, Chris Spielman, Todd McShay

**East Division
Game**

RUTGERS (5-1 overall, 1-1 Big Ten)

Coach: Kyle Flood

Offensive Leaders:

Rush: Deshaun Peoples (82-326 yards)
 Pass: Gary Nova (93-150, 1,601 yards, 13 TDs)
 Rec.: Leonte Carroo (29-548 yards, 5 TDs)

Defensive Leaders:

Tackles: Steve Longa (41 tackles)
 Sacks: Kemoko Turay (5.5-42 yards)

Football Contact: Jason Baum, 732-445-6069, jbaum@scarletknights.com

OHIO STATE (4-1 overall, 1-0 Big Ten)

Coach: Urban Meyer

Offensive Leaders:

Rush: Ezekiel Elliott (79-462 yards, 3 TDs)
 Pass: J.T. Barrett (88-133, 1,354 yards, 17 TDs)
 Rec.: Michael Thomas (17-322 yards, 5 TDs)

Defensive Leaders:

Tackles: Joshua Perry (38 tackles)
 Sacks: Joey Bosa (3.5-34 yards)

Football Contact: Jerry Emig, 614-688-0343, emig.2@osu.edu

#19/19 NEBRASKA AT NORTHWESTERN

Saturday, Oct. 18 • 6:30 p.m. CT • Evanston, Ill. • Ryan Field (47,330)
 BTN • Announcers: Kevin Kugler, Glen Mason, Lisa Byington

**West Division
Game**

NEBRASKA (5-1 overall, 1-1 Big Ten)

Coach: Bo Pelini

Offensive Leaders:

Rush: Ameer Abdullah (138-878 yards, 10 TDs)
 Pass: Tommy Armstrong Jr. (82-158, 1,325 yards, 10 TDs)
 Rec.: Jordan Westerkamp (25-474 yards, 3 TDs)

Defensive Leaders:

Tackles: Nate Gerry (37 tackles)
 Sacks: Randy Gregory (4.5-42 yards)

Football Contact: Keith Mann, 402-472-2263, kmann@huskers.com

NORTHWESTERN (3-3 overall, 2-1 Big Ten)

Coach: Pat Fitzgerald

Offensive Leaders:

Rush: Justin Jackson (112-502 yards, 2 TDs)
 Pass: Trevor Siemian (133-226, 1,323 yards, 4 TDs)
 Rec.: Dan Vitale (24-260 yards, 1 TD)

Defensive Leaders:

Tackles: Chi Chi Ariguzo (51 tackles)
 Sacks: Dean Lowry (3.5-14 yards)

Football Contact: Paul Kennedy, 847-467-2028, pkennedy@northwestern.edu

**BIG TEN AWARD
SEMIFINALISTS**

**William V. Campbell Trophy
(Nation's Top Scholar-Athlete)**

Mark Murphy, IND
 Mark Weisman, IOWA
 Desmond Morgan, MICH
 Mike Sadler, MSU
 Tommy Olson, MINN
 Mark Pelini, NEB
 Brandon Vitabile, NU
 Sam Ficken, PSU
 Justin Sinz, PUR
 David Milewski, RU
 Michael Trotter, WIS

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BIG TEN FOOTBALL DIVISIONAL TIEBREAKER

The Big Ten football championship will be decided by a game played between the two division champions. A team or teams that are not eligible to participate in a postseason football bowl game as a result of NCAA and/or Big Ten sanctions shall not be eligible to participate in the Big Ten Football Championship Game. The winner of the Big Ten Football Championship Game will represent the conference in one of the bowls that comprise the College Football Playoff - the Cotton, Fiesta, Peach, Orange, Rose or Sugar Bowl. If the Big Ten Champion is ranked No. 1, 2, 3 or 4 in the final College Football Playoff poll, the team will play in a semifinal game. Otherwise, the Big Ten Champion will play in the Rose Bowl Game (when not hosting a semifinal) or the Cotton, Fiesta or Peach Bowl.

The following procedure will determine the representative from each division in the event of a tie:

- (a) If two teams are tied, the winner of the game between the two tied teams shall be the representative.
- (b) If three or more teams are tied, steps 1 through 7 will be followed until a determination is made. If only two teams remain tied after any step, the winner of the game between the two tied teams shall be the representative.
 1. The records of the three tied teams will be compared against each other.
 2. The records of the three tied teams will be compared within their division.
 3. The records of the three teams will be compared against the next highest placed teams in their division in order of finish (4, 5, and 6).
 4. The records of the three teams will be compared against all common conference opponents.
 5. The highest ranked team in the first College Football Playoff poll following the completion of Big Ten regular season conference play shall be the representative in the Big Ten Championship Game, unless the two highest ranked tied teams are ranked within one spot of each other in the College Football Playoff poll. In this case, the head-to-head results of the top two ranked tied teams shall determine the representative in the Big Ten Championship Game.
 6. The team with the best overall winning percentage [excluding exempted games] shall be the representative.
 7. The representative will be chosen by random draw.

If one or both of the Big Ten division champions is ineligible to play in the Big Ten Championship Game, then the participant(s) in the Big Ten Championship Game shall be determined by the following procedure:

- a) If the ineligible team is tied for the division championship, then the team it tied with shall be the Big Ten Championship Game representative.
- b) If two or more teams are tied with an ineligible team for the division championship, then the ineligible team is removed and the remaining teams revert to the tie-break procedure.
- c) The division runner-up shall be the Big Ten Championship Game representative.
- d) If there is a division runner-up tie, then the tied teams shall revert to the tie-break procedure.

If the championship game cannot be played (due to any reason beyond the control of the Big Ten Conference), the two division champions (using divisional tie-breakers as set forth above) shall be declared co-champions and the following procedure will be used to determine the Big Ten Conference representative to the College Football Playoff:

- a) Teams ranked No. 1, 2, 3 or 4 in the final College Football Playoff poll will automatically be placed in the College Football Playoff.
- b) If the two divisional representatives met previously in the season and neither is ranked No. 1, 2, 3 or 4 in the final College Football Playoff poll, the team ranked highest in the final poll shall be the representative to the College Football Playoff, unless the other team is ranked within five or fewer places of the higher ranked team. In this case, the head-to-head results of the two teams shall determine the conference's representative.
- c) If the two divisional representatives did not meet previously during the season, the team ranked highest in the College Football Playoff poll shall be the representative.
- d) If the two teams are tied in the College Football Playoff poll, the team with the best overall Big Ten record shall be the representative.
- e) If the two teams remain tied after d), the team with the best combined record of the tied teams against all common Big Ten opponents each team played that season shall be the representative.
- f) If the two teams remain tied after e), the representative will be the team with the best overall winning percentage.
- g) If the two teams remain tied after f), the representative will be the team furthest removed from College Football Playoff, Bowl Championships Series or Rose Bowl Game participation (as appropriate).
- h) If the two teams remain tied after g), the representative shall be determined by a random draw.

BIG TEN CHAMPIONSHIPS#

No.	Team	Years
42	Michigan	1898-01c-02-03c-04c-06c-18c-22c-23c-25-26c-30c-31c-32c-33c-43c-47-48-49c-50-64-69c-71-72c-73c-74c-76c-77c-78c-80-82-86c-88-89-90c-91-92-97-98c-00c-03-04c
34*	Ohio State	1916-17-20-35c-39-42-44-49c-54-55-57-61-68-69c-70-72c-73c-74c-75-76c-77c-79-81c-84-86c-93c-96c-98c-02c-05c-06-07-08c-09
18	Minnesota	1900c-03c-04c-06c-09-10c-11-15c-27c-33c-34-35c-37-38-40-41-60c-67c
15	Illinois	1910c-14-15c-18c-19-23c-27c-28-46-51-53c-63-83-90c-01
14	Wisconsin	1896-97-01c-06c-12-52c-59-62-93c-98c-99-10c-11-12
11	Iowa	1900c-21-22c-56-58-60c-81c-85-90c-02c-04c
8	Michigan State	1953c-65-66-78c-87-90c-10c-13
8	Northwestern	1903c-26c-30c-31c-36-95-96c-00c
8	Purdue	1918c-29-31c-32c-43c-52c-67c-00c
7	Chicago	1899-05-07-08-13-22c-24
2	Indiana	1945-67c
1	Penn State	1994^

* All Ohio State wins vacated from 2010 season

^ All Penn State wins vacated from 1998-2011

Beginning in 2011, Big Ten Championship Game determined Big Ten Champion

DIVISION CHAMPIONSHIPS

No.	Team	Years
2	Michigan State	2011-13
2	Ohio State	2012-13
1	Nebraska	2012
1	Wisconsin	2011c

c—co-championship

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TEAM SCHEDULES: EAST DIVISION

East Division Games in Bold, All Times are ET

INDIANA (3-3, 0-2 Big Ten)

DATE	SCORE	OPPONENT	ATTENDANCE
8/30	W, 28-10	Indiana State	38,006
9/13	L, 42-45	at Bowling Green	23,717
9/20	W, 31-27	at #18/19 Missouri	66,455
9/27	L, 15-37	Maryland	44,313
10/4	W, 49-24	North Texas	40,457
10/11	L, 29-45	at Iowa	68,590
10/18		#8/6 Michigan State	3:30 p.m.
11/1		at Michigan	3:30 p.m.
11/8		Penn State	
11/15		at Rutgers	
11/22		at Ohio State	
11/29		Purdue	

MARYLAND (4-2, 1-1 Big Ten)

DATE	SCORE	OPPONENT	ATTENDANCE
8/30	W, 52-7	James Madison	45,080
9/6	W, 24-17	at South Florida	28,915
9/13	L, 37-40	West Virginia	48,154
9/20	W, 34-20	at Syracuse	40,511
9/27	W, 37-15	at Indiana	44,313
10/4	L, 24-52	#20/18 Ohio State	51,802
10/18		Iowa	Noon
10/25		at Wisconsin	Noon
11/1		at Penn State	
11/15		Michigan State	8 p.m.
11/22		at Michigan	
11/29		Rutgers	

MICHIGAN (3-4, 1-2 Big Ten)

DATE	SCORE	OPPONENT	ATTENDANCE
8/30	W, 52-14	Appalachian State	106,811
9/6	L, 0-31	at #16/16 Notre Dame	80,795
9/13	W, 34-10	Miami (Ohio)	102,824
9/20	L, 10-26	Utah	103,890
9/27	L, 14-30	Minnesota	102,926
10/4	L, 24-26	at Rutgers	53,327
10/11	W, 18-13	Penn State	113,085
10/25		at Michigan State	3:30 p.m.
11/1		Indiana	3:30 p.m.
11/8		at Northwestern	
11/22		Maryland	
11/29		at Ohio State	

#8/6 MICHIGAN STATE (5-1, 2-0 Big Ten)

DATE	SCORE	OPPONENT	ATTENDANCE
8/29	W, 45-7	Jacksonville State	75,127
9/6	L, 27-46	at #3/4 Oregon	59,456
9/20	W, 73-14	Eastern Michigan	73,846
9/27	W, 56-14	Wyoming	74,227
10/4	W, 27-22	#19/17 Nebraska	75,923
10/11	W, 45-31	at Purdue	40,217
10/18		at Indiana	3:30 p.m.
10/25		Michigan	3:30 p.m.
11/8		Ohio State	8 p.m.
11/15		at Maryland	8 p.m.
11/22		Rutgers	
11/29		at Penn State	

#13/13 OHIO STATE (4-1, 1-0 Big Ten)

DATE	SCORE	OPPONENT	ATTENDANCE
8/30	W, 34-17	vs. Navy [1]	57,579
9/6	L, 21-35	Virginia Tech	107,517
9/13	W, 66-0	Kent State	104,404
9/27	W, 50-28	Cincinnati	108,362
10/4	W, 52-24	at Maryland	51,802
10/18		Rutgers	3:30 p.m.
10/25		at Penn State	8 p.m.
11/1		Illinois	8 p.m.
11/8		at Michigan State	8 p.m.
11/15		at Minnesota	
11/22		Indiana	
11/29		Michigan	

[1] at Baltimore, Md.

PENN STATE (4-2, 1-2 Big Ten)

DATE	SCORE	OPPONENT	ATTENDANCE
8/30	W, 26-24	vs. Central Florida [1]	53,304
9/6	W, 21-3	Akron	97,354
9/13	W, 13-10	at Rutgers	53,774
9/20	W, 48-7	Massachusetts	99,155
9/27	L, 6-29	Northwestern	102,910
10/11	L, 13-18	at Michigan	113,085
10/25		Ohio State	8 p.m.
11/1		Maryland	
11/8		at Indiana	
11/15		Temple	
11/22		at Illinois	
11/29		Michigan State	

[1] at Dublin, Ireland

RUTGERS (5-1, 1-1 Big Ten)

DATE	SCORE	OPPONENT	ATTENDANCE
8/28	W, 41-38	vs. Washington State [1]	30,927
9/6	W, 38-25	Howard	48,040
9/13	L, 10-13	Penn State	53,774
9/20	W, 31-24	at Navy	33,655
9/27	W, 31-6	Tulane	48,361
10/4	W, 26-24	Michigan	53,327
10/18		at #13/13 Ohio State	3:30 p.m.
10/25		at Nebraska	Noon
11/1		Wisconsin	Noon
11/15		Indiana	
11/22		at Michigan State	
11/29		at Maryland	

[1] at Seattle, Wash.



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TEAM SCHEDULES: WEST DIVISION

West Division Games in Bold, All Times are ET

ILLINOIS (3-4, 0-3 Big Ten)

DATE	SCORE	OPPONENT	ATTENDANCE
8/30	W, 28-17	Youngstown State	36,234
9/6	W, 42-34	Western Kentucky	38,561
9/13	L, 19-44	at Washington	62,325
9/20	W, 42-35	Texas State	41,019
9/27	L, 14-45	at #21/19 Nebraska	91,255
10/4	L, 27-38	Purdue	45,046
10/11	L, 28-38	at Wisconsin	80,341
10/25		Minnesota	Noon
11/1		at Ohio State	8 p.m.
11/15		Iowa	
11/22		Penn State	
11/29		at Northwestern	

IOWA (5-1, 2-0 Big Ten)

DATE	SCORE	OPPONENT	ATTENDANCE
8/30	W, 31-23	Northern Iowa	66,805
9/6	W, 17-13	Ball State	64,210
9/13	L, 17-20	Iowa State	70,585
9/20	W, 24-20	at Pittsburgh	48,895
9/27	W, 24-10	at Purdue	36,603
10/11	W, 45-29	Indiana	68,590
10/18		at Maryland	Noon
11/1		Northwestern	
11/8		at Minnesota	
11/15		at Illinois	
11/22		Wisconsin	
11/28		Nebraska	

MINNESOTA (5-1, 2-0 Big Ten)

DATE	SCORE	OPPONENT	ATTENDANCE
8/28	W, 42-20	Eastern Illinois	44,344
9/6	W, 35-24	Middle Tennessee State	47,223
9/13	L, 7-30	at TCU	43,958
9/20	W, 24-7	San Jose State	47,739
9/27	W, 30-14	at Michigan	102,926
10/11	W, 24-17	Northwestern	49,051
10/18		Purdue	Noon
10/25		at Illinois	Noon
11/8		Iowa	
11/15		Ohio State	
11/22		at Nebraska	
11/29		at Wisconsin	

#19/19 NEBRASKA (5-1, 1-1 Big Ten)

DATE	SCORE	OPPONENT	ATTENDANCE
8/30	W, 55-7	Florida Atlantic	91,441
9/6	W, 31-24	McNeese State	91,082
9/13	W, 55-19	at Fresno State	41,031
9/20	W, 41-31	Miami (Fla.)	91,585
9/27	W, 45-14	Illinois	91,255
10/4	L, 22-27	at #10/10 Michigan State	75,923
10/18		at Northwestern	7:30 p.m.
10/25		Rutgers	Noon
11/1		Purdue	
11/15		at Wisconsin	
11/22		Minnesota	
11/28		at Iowa	

NORTHWESTERN (3-3, 2-1 Big Ten)

DATE	SCORE	OPPONENT	ATTENDANCE
8/30	L, 24-31	California	34,228
9/6	L, 15-23	Northern Illinois	41,139
9/20	W, 24-7	Western Illinois	32,016
9/27	W, 29-6	at Penn State	102,910
10/4	W, 20-14	#17/16 Wisconsin	42,013
10/11	L, 17-24	at Minnesota	49,051
10/18		#19/19 Nebraska	7:30 p.m.
11/1		at Iowa	
11/8		Michigan	
11/15		at Notre Dame	3:30 p.m.
11/22		at Purdue	
11/29		Illinois	

PURDUE (3-4, 1-2 Big Ten)

DATE	SCORE	OPPONENT	ATTENDANCE
8/30	W, 43-34	Western Michigan	37,031
9/6	L, 17-38	Central Michigan	36,410
9/13	L, 14-30	vs. #11/11 Notre Dame [1]	56,832
9/20	W, 35-13	Southern Illinois	31,434
9/27	L, 10-24	Iowa	36,603
10/4	W, 38-27	at Illinois	45,046
10/11	L, 31-45	#8/8 Michigan State	40,217
10/18		at Minnesota	Noon
11/1		at Nebraska	
11/8		Wisconsin	
11/22		Northwestern	
11/29		at Indiana	

[1] at Indianapolis, Ind.

WISCONSIN (4-2, 1-1 Big Ten)

DATE	SCORE	OPPONENT	ATTENDANCE
8/30	L, 24-28	vs. #13/13 LSU [1]	71,599
9/6	W, 37-3	Western Illinois	77,125
9/20	W, 68-17	Bowling Green	79,849
9/27	W, 27-10	South Florida	78,111
10/4	L, 14-20	at Northwestern	42,013
10/11	W, 38-28	Illinois	80,341
10/25		Maryland	Noon
11/1		at Rutgers	Noon
11/8		at Purdue	
11/15		Nebraska	
11/22		at Iowa	
11/29		Minnesota	

[1] at Houston, Texas

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