



SOUTHERN CONFERENCE FOOTBALL



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2021 SOUTHERN CONFERENCE FOOTBALL STANDINGS

Teams ^{rank}	CONFERENCE					OVERALL				
	W-L	Pct	H	A	ST	W-L	Pct	H	A	ST
ETSU ^{17/16}	0-0	0.000	0-0	0-0	---	2-0	1.000	1-0	1-0	W2
Furman ^{25/RV}	0-0	0.000	0-0	0-0	---	2-0	1.000	1-0	1-0	W2
Wofford	0-0	0.000	0-0	0-0	---	1-0	1.000	0-0	1-0	W1
Chattanooga ^{22/RV}	0-0	0.000	0-0	0-0	---	1-1	0.500	0-1	1-0	W1
Mercer	0-0	0.000	0-0	0-0	---	1-1	0.500	1-0	0-1	L1
Samford ^{-/RV}	0-0	0.000	0-0	0-0	---	1-1	0.500	1-0	0-1	L1
VMI ^{RV/22}	0-0	0.000	0-0	0-0	---	1-1	0.500	1-0	0-1	L1
The Citadel	0-0	0.000	0-0	0-0	---	0-2	0.000	0-1	0-1	L2
Western Carolina	0-0	0.000	0-0	0-0	---	0-2	0.000	0-1	0-1	L2

Rankings listed AFCA FCS Coaches' Top 25/Stats Perform FCS Top 25

UPCOMING SCHEDULE

(all times Eastern)

Sept. 18 (Saturday)	Series	TV/Digital	Time
Chattanooga ^{22/RV} at Kentucky	First meeting	SEC Network+	12 p.m.
VMI ^{RV/22} at Cornell	First meeting	ESPN+	2 p.m.
*Samford ^{-/RV} at Western Carolina	Samford leads 15-3	Nexstar/ESPN+	2:30 p.m.
North Greenville at The Citadel	The Citadel leads 1-0	ESPN3	6 p.m.
Kennesaw State ^{RV/24} at Wofford	Kennesaw State leads 2-0	ESPN+	6 p.m.
Delaware State at ETSU ^{17/16}	First meeting	ESPN+	7:30 p.m.
Furman ^{25/RV} at NC State	Furman leads 8-5-4	Bally Sports South/ESPN3	7:30 p.m.

* Southern Conference game

FCS rankings listed AFCA FCS Coaches' Top 25/Stats Perform FCS Top 25
FBS rankings listed Associated Press Top 25/AFCA FBS Coaches' Top 25

Nexstar affiliates for the Sept. 18 Ingles SoCon Game of the Week Samford at Western Carolina, 2:30 p.m.

ECBD/The Lowcountry's CW (Charleston)
WBTW/News 13 (Myrtle Beach)
WHDF/North Alabama's CW (Huntsville/Florence)
WMYT/My 12 (Charlotte)
WVCW/The CW Virginia (Lynchburg/Roanoke)
WYCW/The CW62 (Greenville/Spartanburg/Asheville)

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SoCon STATS

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LAST WEEK'S RESULTS

Sept. 11 (Saturday)
Furman 26, Tennessee Tech 0
Kent State 60, VMI 10
Charleston Southern 38, The Citadel 21
No. 1/1 Alabama 48, Mercer 14
Chattanooga 20, North Alabama 0
UT Martin 33, Samford 27
No. 4/4 Oklahoma 76, Western Carolina 0
ETSU 45, UVA Wise 14

NOTES

• Southern Conference play opens this weekend with Samford visiting Western Carolina in the Ingles SoCon Game of the Week on select Nexstar affiliates.

• Six more games are on Saturday's slate. Ranked squads Chattanooga and Furman visit Power 5 opponents in Kentucky and NC State, respectively, while Wofford hosts 24th-ranked Kennesaw State. VMI visits Cornell, ETSU welcomes Delaware State and The Citadel hosts North Greenville.

• Samford has won three straight against Western Carolina and 11 of 13 against the Catamounts since joining the league in 2008.

• The SoCon is taking on a pair of Power 5 opponents for the second straight week. Mercer fell at No. 1 Alabama and Western Carolina lost at then-No. 4 Oklahoma last Saturday.

• Furman heads to NC State seeking its first FBS win since beating UCF in 2015 and its seventh overall. The Paladins are 8-5-4 against the Wolfpack all-time.

• When Chattanooga visits Kentucky on Saturday, it will be seeking its first win over an FBS squad since beating Georgia State in 2013 and its fourth overall.

• Four SoCon teams are nationally ranked this week. ETSU is ranked 17th in the AFCA FCS Coaches' Top 25 and 16th in the Stats Perform FCS Top 25. Chattanooga is No. 22 and Furman is No. 25 in the AFCA poll, while VMI is No. 22 in the Stats Perform poll. The Keydets are the first team out of the AFCA poll, while the Paladins and Mocs are the first two teams out of the Stats Perform rankings. Samford is also receiving votes in the Stats Perform poll.

• Two SoCon teams pitched road shutouts last Saturday. Furman stifled Tennessee Tech 26-0 for its first shutout in 17 years (192 games ago), while Chattanooga downed North Alabama 20-0 for its first shutout since 2016 (53 games ago). Prior to those performances, two SoCon teams hadn't turned in shutouts on the same day since Nov. 1, 2014, when Chattanooga downed Western Carolina 51-0 and Samford topped Concordia 55-0. The last time two SoCon squads both shut out Division I opponents on the same day was Nov. 11, 2006, when Elon dropped North Carolina A&T 45-0 and Wofford defeated Chattanooga 55-0.

• Wofford, which was idle last week after opening its season with a 24-22 win at Elon, will be meeting Kennesaw State for the first time outside of the FCS playoffs. The Owls claimed one-possession first-round wins in 2018 and 2019, winning 13-10 and 28-21, respectively. KSU, 1-1 after a win over Reinhardt and a loss at Georgia Tech, is No. 24 in the Stats Perform poll.

• After all six of its contests were decided by one possession last season, ETSU has won its two games this season by an average of 25.5 points per game. Dating back to the 2019 season, 11 of the Bucs' last 14 games have been decided by eight points or fewer.

• The Citadel will be facing North Greenville for just the second time in program history. The squads faced off in Greenville, South Carolina, in 2016, with the game moved from The Citadel's Johnson Hagood Stadium because of the forecasted impact of Hurricane Matthew. The Bulldogs, ranked No. 9 nationally at the time, won 38-14.

• VMI looks to bounce back from its first loss of the season when it visits Cornell, which will be opening its 2021 campaign and playing for the first time since topping Columbia on Nov. 23, 2019. The Keydets will be the first-ever SoCon team to face the Big Red.

• With seven field goals already to his credit, Furman's Timmy Bleekrode leads the FCS with 3.5 per game. Bleekrode is the reigning SoCon Special Teams Player of the Week presented by GEICO.

ADDITIONAL NOTES

• VMI won its first SoCon championship since 1977 last season. **The Keydets**, led by reigning national coach of the year Scott Wachenheim, **enter the 2021 season looking for back-to-back crowns for the first time since winning the 1959 and 1960 SoCon titles.**

• Preseason SoCon favorite **Chattanooga**, seeking its first SoCon title since 2015, **returns 72 of 76 lettermen and all 25 starters** from last season. **ETSU**, which finished last season ranked in the top 25 nationally, **returns all 50 of its lettermen and every starter.**

• **Eighteen different SoCon student-athletes earned preseason All-America honors** from at least one organization, with VMI wide receiver Jakob Herres a consensus first-team pick.

• **The SoCon had finalists for all of the major national awards last season**, with three finalists for the Walter Payton Award, two for the Buck Buchanan Award and two for the Jerry Rice Award in addition to Eddie Robinson Award winner Scott Wachenheim of VMI. **All of them return this season.**

• 2020-21 finalists RB Quay Holmes (ETSU), QB Liam Welch (Samford) and WR Jakob Herres (VMI) were joined on the 2021 **Payton Award watch list** by Furman RB Devin Wynn, while 2020-21 **Buchanan** finalists LB Stone Snyder (VMI) and DB Chris Edmonds (Samford) were joined on this season's **watch list** by linebacker Willie Eubanks III of The Citadel.

• The Southern Conference has been among the best in the FCS at recruiting dynamic new talent in the last five seasons. **Since 2016, six SoCon freshmen have finished in the top five of the voting for the Jerry Rice Award, the most of any conference.**

• **ETSU linebacker Jared Folks, the reigning SoCon Defensive Co-Player of the Year, is the first player in NCAA history to receive an eighth year of eligibility.** The 25-year-old began his career at Temple in 2014 and has been at ETSU since 2018, extending his career to an unprecedented eighth season through a combination of medical waivers and the COVID exemption.

SoCon 100th Anniversary

The SoCon is celebrating its 100th anniversary in 2021. The fifth-oldest NCAA Division I college athletic association, the SoCon contested the first-ever collegiate conference basketball tournament in 1921, tackled freshman eligibility in 1922, became the first conference to adopt the 3-point field goal in basketball in 1980 and developed women's championships in 1984. **The 2021 season is the 100th of SoCon football.**

STARTERS RETURNING/LOST

ETSU and Chattanooga both return all of their starters from last season, while The Citadel returns 28 of 29. The league on the whole returns 84.6 percent of its starters, including 88 percent on defense (88 of 100). Seven of the SoCon's nine programs return at least 75 percent of their starters from last season.

Team	Offense	Defense	Specialists	Total	Pct.
The Citadel	13/1	12/0	3/0	28/1	.966
ETSU	11/0	11/0	6/0	28/0	1.000
Furman	9/2	10/1	2/0	21/3	.875
Mercer	8/3	9/2	3/2	20/7	.741
Samford	10/1	10/1	5/1	25/3	.893
Chattanooga	11/0	11/0	3/0	25/0	1.000
VMI	8/4	6/5	3/2	17/11	.607
Western Carolina	6/5	10/1	4/0	20/6	.769
Wofford	7/4	9/2	3/0	19/6	.760
Total	83/20	88/12	32/5	203/37	.846

SoCon Wins Over FBS Teams

1982	Furman 28, South Carolina 23
1983	Furman 17, Georgia Tech 14
1983	Chattanooga 38, Louisiana-Lafayette 14
1983	Appalachian State 27, Wake Forest 25
1984	Chattanooga 9, Louisiana-Lafayette 7
1984	Furman 34, North Carolina State 30
1985	Furman 42, North Carolina State 20
1987	ETSU 29, North Carolina State 14
1988	The Citadel 42, Navy 35
1988	Appalachian State 34, Wake Forest 34
1989	Appalachian State 15, Wake Forest 10
1989	The Citadel 14, Navy 10
1990	The Citadel 38, South Carolina 35
1991	The Citadel 20, Army 14
1991	Appalachian State 17, Wake Forest 3
1992	The Citadel 10, Arkansas 3
1992	The Citadel 15, Army 14
1995	Appalachian State 24, Wake Forest 22
1998	Appalachian State 30, Wake Forest 27
1999	Furman 28, North Carolina 3
2000	Wofford 24, Louisiana-Monroe 6
2000	Appalachian State 20, Wake Forest 16
2004	Georgia Southern 53, Florida International 32
2007	Appalachian State 34, No. 5 Michigan 32
2013	Samford 31, Georgia State 21
2013	Chattanooga 42, Georgia State 14
2013	Georgia Southern 26, Florida 20
2015	Furman 16, UCF 15
2015	The Citadel 23, South Carolina 22
2019	The Citadel 27, Georgia Tech 24 (OT)
2021	ETSU 23, Vanderbilt 3

RECORDS VS. RANKED FCS FOES

Team	'21	'20-21	'19	'18	'17	Total	Pct.
CIT	0-0	0-2	1-2	0-3	0-4	1-11	.083
ETSU	0-0	1-1	0-1	1-2	0-5	2-9	.182
FUR	1-0	0-1	0-2	1-1	2-3	4-7	.364
MER	0-0	3-1	0-2	1-2	2-2	6-7	.462
SAM	0-0	2-2	2-1	2-1	3-1	9-5	.643
UTC	0-1	2-0	0-3	1-1	1-2	4-7	.364
VMI	0-0	1-1	0-1	0-1	0-3	1-6	.143
WCU	0-0	0-1	0-1	0-2	1-1	1-5	.167
WOF	0-0	0-1	1-1	2-1	3-2	6-5	.545



AFCA FCS COACHES' TOP 25

Team (1st-place votes)	PS	S7	S13
Sam Houston (25)	1	1	1
James Madison (1)	2	2	2
South Dakota State (2)	4	3	3
North Dakota State	3	4	4
Montana	9	5	5
Eastern Washington	14	8	6
Delaware	5	6	7
Weber State	6	10	8
Southern Illinois	10	9	t9
Villanova	15	11	t9
Jacksonville State	8	17	11
UC Davis	21	12	12
Montana State	11	13	13
North Dakota	7	7	14
Northern Iowa	16	15	15
Southeastern Louisiana	17	14	16
ETSU	-	19	17
Richmond	22	22	18
Missouri State	-	25	19
Monmouth	12	21	20
Austin Peay	25	18	21
Chattanooga	18	24	22
New Hampshire	-	-	23
Central Arkansas	13	16	24
Furman	-	-	25
VMI	19	20	-
Kennesaw State	20	23	-
Nicholls	23	-	-
North Carolina A&T	24	-	-

Others receiving votes: VMI, 53; Kennesaw State, 41; Jackson State, 19; Nicholls, 18; Alabama A&M, 17; South Dakota, 14; Duquesne, 13; Rhode Island, 13; Charleston Southern, 11; Stephen F. Austin, 8; Gardner-Webb, 5; Murray State, 5; Southern Utah, 3; Florida A&M, 2; Yale, 2; Princeton, 1.

STATS FCS TOP 25

Team (1st-place votes)	PS	S6	S13
Sam Houston (33)	1	1	1
South Dakota State (9)	3	2	2
James Madison (5)	2	3	3
Montana (3)	9	4	4
North Dakota State	4	5	5
Delaware	5	6	6
Eastern Washington	11	7	7
Southern Illinois	7	8	8
Weber State	6	10	9
Jacksonville State	10	16	10
North Dakota	8	9	11
Villanova	16	12	12
Montana State	12	11	13
UC Davis	23	14	14
Southeastern Louisiana	15	13	15
ETSU	-	15	16
Missouri State	24	23	17
Northern Iowa	21	21	18
Austin Peay	20	17	19
Monmouth	13	20	20
Richmond	-	25	21
VMI	17	18	22
New Hampshire	-	-	23
Kennesaw State	19	22	24
Central Arkansas	14	19	25
Holy Cross	-	24	-
Chattanooga	18	-	-
Nicholls	22	-	-
North Carolina A&T	25	-	-

Others receiving votes (schools listed on two or more ballots): Furman 90, Chattanooga 74, Rhode Island 67, Murray State 58, Alabama A&M 56, Jackson State 48, Duquesne 32, Nicholls 29, Stephen F. Austin 11, **Samford 7,** Merrimack 4, Sacramento State 3, Holy Cross 2.

NATIONAL/REGIONAL AWARDS

Athlon Sports Preseason FCS All-America Team

Offense
 WR – Jakob Herres, Sr., VMI
 TE – Ryan Miller, R-Jr., Furman
Defense
 LB – Stone Snyder, Jr., VMI
 DB – Chris Edmonds, Jr., Samford

CFPA FCS National Performer of the Year Trophy watch list

Quay Holmes, RB, R-Jr., ETSU
 Devin Wynn, RB, Sr., Furman
 Liam Welch, QB, Gr., Samford
 Jakob Herres, WR, Sr., VMI
 Seth Morgan, QB, So., VMI

FCS Punter of the Year Award watch list

Matt Campbell, Jr., The Citadel
 Landon Parker, Sr., Wofford

HERO Sports Preseason All-America

First team
Offense
 WR – Jakob Herres, Sr., VMI
Defense
 LB – Willie Eubanks III, Sr., The Citadel

Second team
Defense
 LB – Stone Snyder, Jr., VMI
Special teams
 LS – Robert Soderholm, Sr., VMI

Third team
Offense
 FB – Nathan Walker, Sr., Wofford
Defense
 DL – Devonnsa Maxwell, Jr., Chattanooga
 LB – Isaac Dowling, Fr., Mercer
 LB – Adrian Hope, R-Sr., Furman
 DB – Tyree Robinson, Sr., ETSU
 DB – Chris Edmonds, So., Samford

Phil Steele/DraftScout.com Preseason All-America

First team
Offense
 WR – Jakob Herres, Sr., VMI
 TE – Ryan Miller, R-Jr., Furman
Defense
 LB – Stone Snyder, Jr., VMI
 LB – Willie Eubanks III, Sr., The Citadel

Second team
Offense
 FB – Nathan Walker, Sr., Wofford
 OL – Cole Strange, Sr., Chattanooga
Defense
 LB – Jared Folks, R-Sr., ETSU
Special teams
 AP – Quay Holmes, R-Jr., ETSU

Third team
Offense
 OL – Tre'mond Shorts, R-Jr., ETSU
 OL – McClendon Curtis, Jr., Chattanooga

Defense
 DL – Devonnsa Maxwell, Jr., Chattanooga
 DB – Chris Edmonds, So., Samford
Special teams
 LS – Robert Soderholm, Sr., VMI

Stats Perform Preseason All-America

First team
Offense
 WR – Jakob Herres, Sr., VMI
 TE – Ryan Miller, R-Jr., Furman
Defense
 LB – Willie Eubanks III, Sr., The Citadel
 LB – Stone Snyder, Jr., VMI
Special teams
 AP – Quay Holmes, R-Jr. ETSU

Second team
Offense
 FB – Nathan Walker, Sr., Wofford
 OL – Tre'mond Shorts, Sr., ETSU
Defense
 DB – Chris Edmonds, Jr., Samford
 LS – Robert Soderholm, Sr., VMI

Third team
Offense
 QB – Liam Welch, Gr., Samford
 RB – Devin Wynn, Sr., Furman
Defense
 DL – Devonnsa Maxwell, Sr., Chattanooga
 DB – Tyree Robinson, Sr., ETSU

Walter Payton Award watch list

Quay Holmes, RB, R-Jr., ETSU
 Devin Wynn, RB, 5th, Furman
 Liam Welch, QB, Gr., Samford
 Jakob Herres, WR, Sr., VMI

Buck Buchanan Award watch list

Willie Eubanks III, LB, Sr., The Citadel
 Chris Edmonds, DB, So., Samford
 Stone Snyder, LB, Jr., VMI

Stats Perform National Player of the Week

Special Teams
 Montrell Washington, Sr., WR/KR, Samford Sept. 6

SoCon POINTS OF PRIDE

• **The 2021 season is the 100th of Southern Conference football.** The SoCon is the fifth-oldest NCAA Division I college athletic association.

• Since it began competing in FCS, **the SoCon has amassed the second-most national championships with eight.** Also boasting another eight national championship runner-up finishes, **the league has 16 title-game appearances, the most among FCS conferences.**

• **The SoCon prides itself on quality and depth.**
 • Eight of the nine current SoCon football members have participated in the FCS Playoffs with seven different schools receiving bids since 2016.
 • Overall, current SoCon football members have combined for 46 total FCS playoffs appearances.
 • Six of the nine SoCon teams appeared in an FCS top-25 national poll in the 2020-21 season.

• **The SoCon has had seven Walter Payton Award winners, two Buck Buchanan Award winners and five Eddie Robinson Award winners.** VMI Coach Scott Wachenheim won the Eddie Robinson Award (FCS National Coach of the Year) in 2020.

• **Sixty-one former SoCon players and coaches have been enshrined in the College Football Hall of Fame.**

• **The SoCon had 12 FCS All-America selections in 2020-21.**

• **The SoCon broadcasts all of its home games on ESPN+ and has an over-the-air television network that will air eight games in five southern states in 2021.**

• **Sixteen former SoCon players were on active NFL rosters last season** and five more were on practice squads. Former Citadel wide receiver Andre Roberts, former Samford defensive back James Bradberry and former Georgia Southern kicker Younghoe Koo, who played in the SoCon as a freshman, were Pro Bowlers. **Twelve former SoCon players are on NFL rosters entering this season, with seven more on practice squads.**

• **The SoCon has been playing Division I FCS football since the 1982 season.** The NCAA created two subdivisions for Division I football beginning in 1978 with the creation of I-A (now FBS) and I-AA (now FCS). The SoCon was shifted from I-A to I-AA along with the Ivy League and Southland Conference following the 1981 season, joining the Mid-Continent, Big Sky, MEAC, SWAC, OVC, and Yankee conferences, along with a number of independents, as I-AA participants.

The SoCon is celebrating its 100th anniversary in 2021. The league contested the first-ever collegiate conference basketball tournament in 1921, tackled freshman eligibility in 1922, became the first conference to adopt the 3-point field goal in basketball in 1980 and developed women's championships in 1984.

INGLES SoCON GAME OF THE WEEK

The Ingles SoCon Game of the Week airs on a regional network of Nexstar stations throughout the SoCon's footprint. All times are Eastern.

Sept. 4	North Carolina A&T at Furman	2 p.m.
Sept. 4	Eastern Ky. at Western Carolina	6 p.m.
Sept. 11	Charleston So. at The Citadel	2 p.m.
Sept. 18	Samford at Western Carolina	2:30 p.m.
Sept. 25	Wofford at VMI	1:30 p.m.
Oct. 2	VMI at The Citadel	2 p.m.
Oct. 9	The Citadel at ETSU	4:30 p.m.
Oct. 16	ETSU at Chattanooga	1:30 p.m.
Oct. 23	Wofford at Mercer	6 p.m.

COACHING RECORDS

Coach, School	Career Record	School (Yrs.)	SoCon (Yrs.)
Brent Thompson, The Citadel	28-32 (6th)	Same	21-19 (6th)
Randy Sanders, ETSU	17-15 (4th)	Same	11-11 (4th)
Clay Hendrix, Furman	27-18 (5th)	Same	21-10 (5th)
Drew Cronic, Mercer	53-13 (6th)	7-7 (2nd)	5-3 (2nd)
Chris Hatcher, Samford	158-87 (22nd)	37-30 (7th)	39-30 (10th)
Rusty Wright, Chattanooga	10-9 (3rd)	Same	8-4 (3rd)
Scott Wachenheim, VMI	18-48 (7th)	Same	12-34 (7th)
Kerwin Bell, Western Carolina	93-44 (13th)	0-2 (1st)	0-0 (1st)
Josh Conklin, Wofford	19-12 (4th)	Same	14-7 (4th)

PRESEASON ALL-SOUTHERN CONFERENCE

Offensive Player of the Year

Liam Welch, QB, Gr., Samford

Defensive Player of the Year

Stone Snyder, LB, Jr., VMI

First team offense

QB Liam Welch, Gr., Samford
 RB Quay Holmes, R-Jr., ETSU
 RB Devin Wynn, 5th, Furman
 RB Ailym Ford, So., Chattanooga
 OL Tre'mond Shorts, R-Jr., ETSU
 OL Gavin Orr, Jr., Samford
 OL Cole Strange, Sr., Chattanooga
 OL Marshall Gill, Sr., VMI
 OL Tyler Smith, R-So., Western Carolina
 OL Zak Kurz, Sr., Wofford
 TE Nate Adkins, Jr., ETSU
 WR Ty King, R-So., Samford
 WR Jakob Herres, Sr., VMI

First team defense

DL Solomon Zubairu, So., Mercer
 DL Armond Lloyd, R-Sr., Samford
 DL Devonsha Maxwell, Jr., Chattanooga
 DL Micheal Mason, Jr., Wofford
 LB Willie Eubanks III, Sr., The Citadel
 LB Jared Folks, Gr., ETSU
 LB Stone Snyder, Jr., VMI
 DB Tyree Robinson, Sr., ETSU
 DB Chris Edmonds, So., Samford
 DB Brandon Dowdell, Sr., Chattanooga
 DB Ethan Caselberry, Sr., VMI

First team specialists

PK Tyler Keltner, So., ETSU
 P Matt Campbell, Jr., The Citadel
 RS Montrell Washington, Sr., Samford

Second team offense

QB Seth Morgan, R-So., VMI
 RB Brandon Marshall, Fr., Mercer
 RB Nathan Walker, Sr., Wofford
 OL Haden Haas, R-Sr., The Citadel
 OL Tavon Matthews, So., ETSU
 OL Anderson Tomlin, R-Jr., Furman
 OL McClendon Curtis, Jr., Chattanooga
 OL Harrison Moon, Sr., Chattanooga
 OL Al Hogan, Jr., Wofford
 TE Michael Vice, So., Samford
 WR AJ Toney, So., Samford
 WR Reggie Henderson, Sr., Chattanooga

Second team defense

DL Parker Stokes, 5th, Furman
 DL Chris Hill, Fr., Mercer
 DL Jay Person, So., Chattanooga
 DL Warren Dabney, Sr., VMI
 LB Anthony Britton Jr., So., The Citadel
 LB Donovan Manuel, R-So., ETSU
 LB Isaac Dowling, Fr., Mercer
 LB Trimarcus Cheeks, So., Samford
 DB Alijah Huzzie, R-Fr., ETSU
 DB Travis Blackshear, R-Jr., Furman
 DB Lance Wise, So., Mercer
 DB Jerrell Lawson, Sr., Chattanooga

Second team specialists

PK Timmy Bleekrode, R-So., Furman
 P Timmy Bleekrode, R-So., Furman
 RS Quay Holmes, R-Jr., ETSU

SoCON PLAYERS OF THE WEEK

PRESENTED BY 

Offensive

Sept. 6.....Hamp Sisson, Jr., QB, FUR
 Sept. 13.....Jacob Saylor, Jr., RB, ETSU
 Sept. 20.....
 Sept. 27.....
 Oct. 4.....
 Oct. 11.....
 Oct. 18.....
 Oct. 25.....
 Nov. 1.....
 Nov. 8.....
 Nov. 15.....
 Nov. 22.....

Defensive

Sept. 6.....Stephen Scott, So., LB, ETSU
 Sept. 13.....Devonsha Maxwell, Jr., DE, UTC
 Sept. 20.....
 Sept. 27.....
 Oct. 4.....
 Oct. 11.....
 Oct. 18.....
 Oct. 25.....
 Nov. 1.....
 Nov. 8.....
 Nov. 15.....
 Nov. 22.....

Special teams

Sept. 6.....Montrell Washington, Sr., WR/KR, SAM
 Sept. 13.....Timmy Bleekrode, So., PK/P, FUR
 Sept. 20.....
 Sept. 27.....
 Oct. 4.....
 Oct. 11.....
 Oct. 18.....
 Oct. 25.....
 Nov. 1.....
 Nov. 8.....
 Nov. 15.....
 Nov. 22.....

SoCON PLAYERS OF THE MONTH

Offensive

September.....
 October.....
 November.....

Defensive

September.....
 October.....
 November.....

SoCON STUDENT-ATHLETES OF THE WEEK

Sept. 8.....Hamp Sisson, Jr., QB, FUR

PRESEASON SOUTHERN CONFERENCE POLLS

Coaches

Team (1st-place votes)

	Total
1. Chattanooga (4)	59
2. Samford (2)	52
3. VMI (2)	50
4. ETSU (1)	49
5. Furman	34
6. Mercer	29
7. The Citadel	22
8. Wofford	21
9. Western Carolina	8

Media

Team (1st-place votes)

	Total
1. Chattanooga (18)	248
2. VMI (6)	217
t3. ETSU (3)	181
t3. Furman (1)	181
t3. Samford (2)	181
6. Mercer	123
7. Wofford	108
8. The Citadel	79
9. Western Carolina	32

SoCON PLAYERS OF THE WEEK PRESENTED BY GEICO (SEPT. 13)

OFFENSIVE

**Jacob Saylor, Jr., RB
ETSU**

ETSU running back Jacob Saylor accounted for a career-best 173 all-purpose yards and two touchdowns in the 15th-ranked Bucs' 45-14 win over UVA Wise in their home opener. The junior from Jasper, Tennessee, turned in a balanced stat sheet with six rushes for 75 yards and a touchdown and three catches for 75 yards and a touchdown, adding 23 yards on one kickoff return. His 64-yard touchdown catch in the first quarter made it a 14-0 ETSU advantage, while his 16-yard scoring run in the second quarter spotted the Bucs to a 28-6 lead.

DEFENSIVE

**Devonsha Maxwell, Jr., DE
Chattanooga**

Chattanooga defensive end Devonsha Maxwell tied a school record with 3.5 sacks, all of which came in the fourth quarter of the Mocs' 20-0 win over North Alabama. The junior from Valdosta, Georgia, had three solo sacks on one drive alone, recording consecutive sacks of 8 yards to set up third-and-26 and a fourth-down sack of 5 yards to force a turnover on downs with just over nine minutes to play. Maxwell added a half sack later in the quarter on third down, forcing a punt. Chattanooga allowed just 90 yards of total offense on the day, its fewest to a Division I opponent on the road since 1987, and posted its first shutout since 2016.

SPECIAL TEAMS

**Timmy Bleekrode, So., PK/P
Furman**

Furman placekicker/punter Timmy Bleekrode accounted for 14 points in the Paladins' 26-0 win at Tennessee Tech. The redshirt sophomore from Atlanta, Georgia, connected on all four of his field-goal attempts and drilled two extra points on the day, with his 45-yard field goal in the second quarter coming against a stiff wind and his career-best 51-yarder to lead off the fourth quarter tying for the eighth-longest make in program history. Bleekrode, who also added a 32-yard field goal in the first quarter and a 25-yard make with 18 seconds left in the opening half, punted six times on the day for an average of 38.5 yards, with a long of 46. With the win, Furman moved into the AFCA FCS Coaches' Top 25 Poll at No. 25.

SoCon vs. Other Conferences

FBS opponents (1-4)

Atlantic Coast (0-0)

Sept. 18 Furman at NC State, 7:30 p.m.
Nov. 20 Wofford at North Carolina, TBA

Big 12 (0-1)

Sept. 11 #4/4 Oklahoma 76, Western Carolina 0

Mid-American (0-1)

Sept. 11 Kent State 60, VMI 10

Southeastern (1-1)

Sept. 4 ETSU 23, Vanderbilt 3
Sept. 11 #1/1 Alabama 48, Mercer 14
Sept. 18 Chattanooga at Kentucky, 12 p.m.
Nov. 13 Samford at Florida, TBA

Sun Belt (0-1)

Sept. 2 #22 Coastal Carolina 52, The Citadel 14

FCS opponents (6-4)

ASUN (0-1)

Sept. 4 Eastern Kentucky 31, Western Carolina 28

Big South (2-1)

Sept. 4 Furman 29, #24/25 North Carolina A&T 18
Sept. 11 Charleston Southern 38, The Citadel 21
Sept. 11 Chattanooga 20, North Alabama 0
Sept. 18 Kennesaw State at Wofford, 6 p.m.
Sept. 25 Western Carolina at Gardner-Webb, 6 p.m.

Colonial (1-0)

Sept. 4 Wofford 24, Elon 22

Ivy (0-0)

Sept. 18 VMI at Cornell, 2 p.m.

Mid-Eastern Athletic (0-0)

Sept. 18 Delaware State at ETSU, 7:30 p.m.

Ohio Valley (2-2)

Sept. 2 Samford 52, Tennessee Tech 14
Sept. 2 #20 Austin Peay 30, #18 Chattanooga 20
Sept. 11 Furman 26, Tennessee Tech 0
Sept. 11 UT Martin 33, Samford 27

Pioneer (1-0)

Sept. 4 VMI 45, Davidson 24

Non-Division I opponents (2-0)

Sept. 3 Mercer 69, Point 0
Sept. 11 ETSU 45, UVA Wise 14
Sept. 18 North Greenville at The Citadel, 6 p.m.

Home team underlined

All times Eastern

Home Field Records

Team	W-L-T	Pct.	Years	Stadium name
The Citadel	235-156-3	.600	72nd	Johnson Hagood Stadium
ETSU	15-7-0	.682	5th	William B. Greene, Jr. Stadium
Furman	176-61-1	.742	39th	Paladin Stadium
Mercer	31-17-0	.646	9th	Five Star Stadium
Samford	174-85-4	.669	52nd	Seibert Stadium
Chattanooga	66-61-0	.520	23rd	Finley Stadium
VMI	106-158-3	.409	59th	Foster Stadium
Western Carolina	130-108-2	.546	46th	E.J. Whitmire Stadium
Wofford	99-37-0	.728	24th	Gibbs Stadium

Shutout Chart

Team	Last shutout win	Games ago	Last shutout loss	Games ago
The Citadel	69-0 – Davidson (2015)	73	49-0 – Clemson (2020)	13
ETSU	45-0 – Gardner-Webb (2018)	27	38-0 – Vanderbilt (2019)	9
Furman	26-0 – Tennessee Tech (2021)	1	45-0 – Samford (2014)	72
Mercer	69-0 – Point (2021)	2	56-0 – Alabama (2017)	37
Samford	43-0 – Clark Atlanta (2015)	58	52-0 – Auburn (2019)	10
Chattanooga	20-0 – North Alabama (2021)	1	45-0 – Tennessee (2019)	17
VMI	49-0 – St. Francis (Pa.) (2008)	144	23-0 – Robert Morris (2017)	41
Western Carolina	35-0 – Shorter (2008)	146	76-0 – Oklahoma (2021)	1
Wofford	17-0 – VMI (2016)	47	3-0 – Gardner-Webb (2013)	87

Overtime Records

Current Southern Conference teams are 52-62 (.456) all-time in overtime games.

Team	Record	Pct.
The Citadel	10-11	.476
ETSU	5-4	.556
Furman	5-10	.333
Mercer	3-2	.600
Samford	3-5	.375
Chattanooga	7-14	.333
VMI*	9-5	.643
Western Carolina	3-8	.273
Wofford	7-3	.700
Total	52-62	.456

* includes two losses as a member of the Big South Conference

All-Time Records in SoCon Play

Team	Years	W-L-T	Pct.
The Citadel	83rd	217-306-5	.416
ETSU	31st	83-135-0	.381
Furman	83rd	280-219-11	.560
Mercer	8th	23-31-0	.426
Samford	14th	56-45-0	.554
Chattanooga	45th	154-159-2	.492
VMI	87th	192-314-23	.385
Western Carolina	45th	116-204-1	.363
Wofford	25th	115-68-0	.628

SoCon Players in the NFL

Twelve former SoCon players are on NFL active rosters entering the 2021 season.

NFL team	Player, SoCon team
Atlanta Falcons	Younghoe Koo, Georgia Southern
Buffalo Bills	Matt Breida, Georgia Southern
Denver Broncos	Sam Martin, Appalachian State
Detroit Lions	Nick Williams, Samford
Houston Texans	Andre Roberts, The Citadel
Kansas City Chiefs	Jerick McKinnon, Ga. Southern
Minnesota Vikings	Michael Pierce, Samford
New York Giants	James Bradberry, Samford
New York Giants	Keion Crossen, Western Carolina
San Francisco 49ers	Jaquiski Tartt, Samford
Tampa Bay Buccaneers	Dee Delaney, The Citadel (finished career at Miami)
Tennessee Titans	Kendall Lamm, Appalachian State

Seven more former SoCon players are on NFL practice squads.

NFL team	Player, SoCon team
Carolina Panthers	John Brannon, Western Carolina
L.A. Rams	Kareem Orr, Chattanooga
Minnesota Vikings	Dakota Dozier, Furman
New York Giants	C.J. Board, Chattanooga
New York Jets	Ronald Blair, App State
San Francisco 49ers	Dee Virgin, Chattanooga (finished career at West Alabama)
Tennessee Titans	Corey Levin, Chattanooga

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The Citadel
(0-2, 0-0 SoCon)

S2 at Coastal Carolina^{22/24} (ESPN+) L, 14-52
S11 CHARLESTON SO. (Nexstar/ESPN+)...L, 21-38
S18 NORTH GREENVILLE (ESPN3) 6 p.m.
O2 *VMI (Nexstar/ESPN+)..... 2 p.m.
O9 *at ETSU (Nexstar/ESPN+)..... 4:30 p.m.
O16 *at Furman (ESPN+)..... 6 p.m.
O23 *WESTERN CAROLINA (ESPN+) 2 p.m.
O30 *MERCER (ESPN+) 2 p.m.
N6 *at Samford (ESPN+) 3 p.m.
N13 *WOFFORD (ESPN+)..... 2 p.m.
N20 *at Chattanooga (ESPN+)..... 1:30 p.m.



ETSU
(2-0, 0-0 SoCon)

S4 at Vanderbilt (SEC Network+) W, 23-3
S11 UVA WISE (ESPN3) W, 45-14
S18 DELAWARE STATE (ESPN+)..... 7:30 p.m.
S25 *at Samford (ESPN+)..... 3 p.m.
O2 *WOFFORD (ESPN+)..... 3:30 p.m.
O9 *THE CITADEL (Nexstar/ESPN+) .. 4:30 p.m.
O16 *at Chattanooga (Nexstar/ESPN+).. 1:30 p.m.
O23 *at Furman (ESPN+)..... 2 p.m.
N6 *VMI (ESPN+) 1 p.m.
N13 *at Western Carolina (ESPN+) 2 p.m.
N20 *MERCER (ESPN+) 1 p.m.



Furman
(2-0, 0-0 SoCon)

S4 N.C. A&T^{24/25} (Nexstar/ESPN+) W, 29-18
S11 at Tennessee Tech (ESPN+) W, 26-0
S18 at NC State (Bally Sports South/ESPN3).. 7:30 p.m.
S25 *MERCER (ESPN+) 2 p.m.
O9 *at Wofford (ESPN+) 1:30 p.m.
O16 *THE CITADEL (ESPN+) 6 p.m.
O23 *ETSU (ESPN+) 2 p.m.
O30 *at Chattanooga (ESPN+) 1:30 p.m.
N6 *at Western Carolina (ESPN+) 2 p.m.
N13 *VMI (ESPN+) 2 p.m.
N20 *at Samford (ESPN+) 1 p.m.



Mercer
(1-1, 0-0 SoCon)

S2 POINT (ESPN+) W, 69-0
S11 at Alabama^{1/1} (SEC Network) L, 14-48
S25 *at Furman (ESPN+)..... 2 p.m.
O2 *SAMFORD (ESPN+) 6 p.m.
O9 *at Western Carolina (ESPN+) 3:30 p.m.
O16 *VMI (ESPN+) 4 p.m.
O23 *WOFFORD (Nexstar/ESPN+)..... 6 p.m.
O30 *at The Citadel (ESPN+)..... 2 p.m.
N13 *CHATTANOOGA (ESPN+) 3 p.m.
N20 *at ETSU (ESPN+)..... 1 p.m.



Samford
(1-1, 0-0 SoCon)

S2 TENNESSEE TECH (ESPN+)..... W, 52-14
S11 at UT Martin (ESPN+) L, 27-33
S18 *at Western Caro. (Nexstar/ESPN+)... 2:30 p.m.
S25 *ETSU (ESPN+)..... 3 p.m.
O2 *at Mercer (ESPN+) 6 p.m.
O16 *at Wofford (ESPN+) 1:30 p.m.
O23 *CHATTANOOGA (ESPN+) 1 p.m.
O30 *at VMI (ESPN+)..... 1:30 p.m.
N6 *THE CITADEL (ESPN+) 3 p.m.
N13 at Florida (TBD) TBD
N20 *FURMAN (ESPN+)..... 1 p.m.



Chattanooga
(1-1, 0-0 SoCon)

S2 AUSTIN PEAY^{25/20} (ESPN+) L, 20-30
S11 at North Alabama (ESPN+)..... W, 20-0
S18 at Kentucky (SEC Network+) 12 p.m.
O2 *WESTERN CAROLINA (ESPN+) ... 1:30 p.m.
O9 *at VMI (ESPN+)..... 1:30 p.m.
O16 *ETSU (Nexstar/ESPN+)..... 1:30 p.m.
O23 *at Samford (ESPN+) 1 p.m.
O30 *FURMAN (ESPN+) 1:30 p.m.
N6 *at Wofford (ESPN+) 1:30 p.m.
N13 *at Mercer (ESPN+) 3 p.m.
N20 *THE CITADEL (ESPN+) 1:30 p.m.



VMI
(1-1, 0-0 SoCon)

S4 DAVIDSON (ESPN+) W, 45-24
S11 at Kent State (ESPN3) L, 10-60
S18 at Cornell (ESPN+)..... 2 p.m.
S25 *WOFFORD (Nexstar/ESPN+) 1:30 p.m.
O2 *at The Citadel (Nexstar/ESPN+) 2 p.m.
O9 *CHATTANOOGA (ESPN+) 1:30 p.m.
O16 *at Mercer (ESPN+) 4 p.m.
O30 *SAMFORD (ESPN+) 1:30 p.m.
N6 *at ETSU (ESPN+) 1 p.m.
N13 *at Furman (ESPN+)..... 2 p.m.
N20 *WESTERN CAROLINA (ESPN+) . 12:30 p.m.



Western Carolina
(0-2, 0-0 SoCon)

S4 EASTERN KY. (Nexstar/ESPN+) L, 31-28
S11 at Oklahoma^{4/4} (PPV)..... L, 0-76
S18 *SAMFORD (Nexstar/ESPN+)..... 2:30 p.m.
S25 at Gardner-Webb (TBD) 6 p.m.
O2 *at Chattanooga (ESPN+)..... 1:30 p.m.
O9 *MERCER (ESPN+) 3:30 p.m.
O23 *at The Citadel (ESPN+)..... 2 p.m.
O30 *at Wofford (ESPN+) 1:30 p.m.
N6 *FURMAN (ESPN+) 2 p.m.
N13 *ETSU (ESPN+)..... 2 p.m.
N20 *at VMI (ESPN+)..... 12:30 p.m.



Wofford
(1-0, 0-0 SoCon)

S4 at Elon (FloSports)..... W, 24-22
S18 KENNESAW STATE^{RV/24} (ESPN+) 6 p.m.
S25 *at VMI (Nexstar/ESPN+)..... 1:30 p.m.
O2 *at ETSU (ESPN+)..... 3:30 p.m.
O9 *FURMAN (ESPN+) 1:30 p.m.
O16 *SAMFORD (ESPN+) 1:30 p.m.
O23 *at Mercer (Nexstar/ESPN+) 6 p.m.
O30 *WESTERN CAROLINA (ESPN+) ... 1:30 p.m.
N6 *CHATTANOOGA (ESPN+) 1:30 p.m.
N13 *at The Citadel (ESPN+)..... 2 p.m.
N20 at North Carolina (TBD)..... TBD

All times Eastern
National rankings (in superscript) listed AFCA/Stats Perform (FCS) and AP/AFCA (FBS)

* - Denotes SoCon game
ALL CAPS - Denotes home game

COVID CANCELLATION POLICY: A league game missed due to COVID-related issues will be declared a forfeit loss for the team unable to compete, while its opponent, if it is able to compete, will receive a win. Makeup contests for games missed due to COVID will not be permissible.

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SCORING OFFENSE										RUSHING DEFENSE							
	G	TD	FG	XPT	2XP	DXP	Saf	Pts	Avg/G		G	Att.	Yards	Avg/A	Long	TD	Avg/G
1. Mercer	2	12	0	11	0	0	0	83	41.5	1. Furman	2	53	94	1.8	14	0	47.0
2. Samford	2	10	3	10	0	0	0	79	39.5	2. ETSU	2	50	124	2.5	19	0	62.0
3. ETSU	2	8	4	8	0	0	0	68	34.0	3. Chattanooga	2	65	189	2.9	31	0	94.5
4. Furman	2	5	7	4	0	0	0	55	27.5	4. Mercer	2	60	199	3.3	16	2	99.5
6. VMI	2	7	2	7	0	0	0	55	27.5	5. Wofford	1	28	114	4.1	37	0	114.0
7. Wofford	1	3	1	3	0	0	0	24	24.0	6. Samford	2	86	309	3.6	28	3	154.5
8. Chattanooga	2	5	2	4	0	0	0	40	20.0	7. Western Carolina	2	75	400	5.3	59	8	200.0
9. The Citadel	2	5	0	5	0	0	0	35	17.5	8. The Citadel	2	72	416	5.8	38	5	208.0
Western Carolina	2	3	2	2	1	0	0	28	14.0	9. VMI	2	119	754	6.3	66	10	377.0
SCORING DEFENSE										PASS OFFENSE							
	G	TD	FG	XPT	2XP	DXP	Saf	Pts	Avg/G		G	Comp-Att-Int	Pct.	Yds	Avg/A	TD	Avg/G
1. ETSU	2	2	1	0	1	0	0	17	8.5	1. Samford	2	57-84-2	67.9	587	7.0	5	293.5
2. Furman	2	2	1	1	1	0	0	18	9.0	2. Furman	2	43-70-1	61.4	566	8.1	3	283.0
3. Chattanooga	2	4	1	3	0	0	0	30	15.0	3. ETSU	2	30-48-1	62.5	409	8.5	4	204.5
4. Western Carolina	2	4	1	14	0	0	0	41	20.5	4. Mercer	2	28-43-3	65.1	407	9.5	5	203.5
5. Wofford	1	2	3	1	0	0	0	22	22.0	5. Western Carolina	2	45-81-3	55.6	398	4.9	1	199.0
6. Samford	2	6	1	6	0	0	1	47	23.5	6. VMI	2	39-63-5	61.9	345	5.5	2	172.5
7. Mercer	2	6	2	6	0	0	0	48	24.0	7. Wofford	1	10-18-2	55.6	155	8.6	0	155.0
8. VMI	2	11	2	10	1	0	0	84	42.0	8. Chattanooga	2	21-48-4	43.8	245	5.1	1	122.5
9. The Citadel	2	12	2	12	0	0	0	90	45.0	9. The Citadel	2	16-29-1	55.2	181	6.2	0	90.5
TOTAL OFFENSE										PASS DEFENSE							
	G	Rush	Pass	Plays	Yards	Avg/P	TD	Avg/G		G	Comp-Att-Int	Pct.	Yds	Avg/A	TD	Avg/G	
1. Mercer	2	607	407	138	1014	7.3	12	507.0	1. VMI	2	23-34-2	67.6	280	8.2	1	140.0	
2. Furman	2	292	566	159	858	5.4	5	429.0	2. Mercer	2	31-57-1	54.4	324	5.7	3	162.0	
3. ETSU	2	433	409	133	842	6.3	7	421.0	3. Furman	2	25-58-4	43.1	366	6.3	2	183.0	
4. Wofford	1	263	155	62	418	6.7	3	418.0	4. Samford	2	38-68-4	55.9	391	5.8	3	195.5	
5. Samford	2	142	587	132	729	5.5	8	364.5	5. Chattanooga	2	34-56-4	60.7	398	7.1	4	199.0	
6. Western Carolina	2	281	398	146	679	4.7	3	339.5	6. ETSU	2	57-98-4	58.2	468	4.8	2	234.0	
7. VMI	2	311	345	135	656	4.9	7	328.0	7. Western Carolina	2	47-66-1	71.2	585	8.9	6	292.5	
8. The Citadel	2	413	181	130	594	4.6	5	297.0	8. Wofford	1	29-51-1	56.9	312	6.1	2	312.0	
9. Chattanooga	2	293	245	127	538	4.2	4	269.0	9. The Citadel	2	40-50-0	80.0	637	12.7	7	318.5	
TOTAL DEFENSE										PASS EFFICIENCY							
	G	Rush	Pass	Plays	Yards	Avg/P	TD	Avg/G		G	Comp-Att-Int	Pct.	Yds	Avg/G	TD	Effic.	
1. Furman	2	94	366	111	460	4.1	2	230.0	1. Mercer	2	28-43-3	65.1	407	203.5	5	169.0	
2. Mercer	2	199	324	117	523	4.5	5	261.5	2. ETSU	2	30-48-1	62.5	409	204.5	4	157.4	
3. Chattanooga	2	189	398	121	587	4.9	4	293.5	3. Samford	2	57-84-2	67.9	587	293.5	5	141.4	
4. ETSU	2	124	468	148	592	4.0	2	296.0	4. Furman	2	43-70-1	61.4	566	283.0	3	140.6	
5. Samford	2	309	391	154	700	4.5	6	350.0	5. Wofford	1	10-18-2	55.6	155	155.0	0	105.7	
6. Wofford	1	114	312	79	426	5.4	2	426.0	6. VMI	2	39-63-5	61.9	345	172.5	2	102.5	
7. Western Carolina	2	400	585	141	985	7.0	14	492.5	7. The Citadel	2	16-29-1	55.2	181	90.5	0	100.7	
8. VMI	2	754	280	153	1034	6.8	11	517.0	8. Western Carolina	2	45-81-3	55.6	398	199.0	1	93.5	
9. The Citadel	2	416	637	122	1053	8.6	12	526.5	9. Chattanooga	2	21-48-4	43.8	245	122.5	1	76.8	
RUSHING OFFENSE										PASS DEFENSE EFFIC.							
	G	Att.	Yards	Avg/A	Long	TD	Avg/G		G	Comp-Att-Int	Pct.	Yds	Avg/G	TD	Effic.		
1. Mercer	2	95	607	6.4	42	7	303.5	1. Furman	2	25-58-4	43.1	366	183.0	2	93.7		
2. Wofford	1	44	263	6.0	65	3	263.0	2. ETSU	2	57-98-4	58.2	468	234.0	2	96.8		
3. ETSU	2	85	433	5.1	37	3	216.5	3. Samford	2	38-68-4	55.9	391	195.5	3	107.0		
4. The Citadel	2	101	413	4.1	48	5	206.5	4. Mercer	2	31-57-1	54.4	324	162.0	3	116.0		
5. VMI	2	72	311	4.3	52	5	155.5	5. Wofford	1	29-51-1	56.9	312	312.0	2	117.3		
6. Chattanooga	2	79	293	3.7	25	3	146.5	6. Chattanooga	2	34-56-4	60.7	398	199.0	4	129.7		
7. Furman	2	89	292	3.3	42	2	146.0	7. VMI	2	23-34-2	67.6	280	140.0	1	134.8		
8. Western Carolina	2	65	281	4.3	46	2	140.5	8. Western Carolina	2	47-66-1	71.2	585	292.5	6	172.6		
9. Samford	2	48	142	3.0	26	3	71.0	9. The Citadel	2	40-50-0	80.0	637	318.5	7	233.2		

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KICKOFF RETURNS							FIELD GOALS							
	G	No.	Yards	TD	Long	Avg.		G	Made	Att	Pct.			
1. ETSU	2	1	23	0	23	23.0	1. VMI	2	2	2	1.000			
2. Western Carolina	2	5	111	0	30	22.2	Chattanooga	2	2	2	1.000			
3. Furman	2	4	86	0	30	21.5	3. Furman	2	7	8	.875			
4. Chattanooga	2	3	64	0	25	21.3	4. ETSU	2	4	5	.800			
5. The Citadel	2	10	209	0	37	20.9	5. Samford	2	3	4	.750			
6. VMI	2	7	101	0	35	14.4	6. Western Carolina	2	2	3	.667			
7. Mercer	2	6	75	0	19	12.5	7. Wofford	1	1	2	.500			
8. Wofford	1	1	12	0	12	12.0	8. The Citadel	2	0	0	.000			
9. Samford	2	4	36	0	15	9.0	Mercer	2	0	0	.000			
PUNT RETURN AVG							PAT KICKING							
	G	No.	Yards	TD	Long	Avg.		G	Made	Att	Pct.			
1. Western Carolina	2	2	53	0	28	26.5	1. Samford	2	10	10	1.000			
2. Samford	2	4	77	1	62	19.2	ETSU	2	8	8	1.000			
3. Mercer	2	4	14	0	8	3.5	VMI	2	7	7	1.000			
4. Furman	2	7	20	0	8	2.9	The Citadel	2	5	5	1.000			
5. Chattanooga	2	5	9	0	10	1.8	Wofford	1	3	3	1.000			
6. The Citadel	2	0	0	0	0	0.0	Western Carolina	2	2	2	1.000			
Wofford	1	0	0	0	0	0.0	7. Mercer	2	11	12	.917			
VMI	2	0	0	0	0	0.0	8. Chattanooga	2	4	5	.800			
ETSU	2	0	0	0	0	0.0	Furman	2	4	5	.800			
INTERCEPTIONS							SACKS BY							
	G	No.	Yards	TD	Long	Avg.		G	No.	Yards	Avg/G			
1. ETSU	2	4	100	0	80	25.0	1. Chattanooga	2	9	56	4.50			
2. Samford	2	4	97	1	61	24.2	2. Furman	2	5	39	2.50			
3. Chattanooga	2	4	80	1	38	20.0	3. The Citadel	2	4	31	2.00			
4. Furman	2	4	52	0	42	13.0	4. ETSU	2	3	28	1.50			
5. VMI	2	2	67	0	67	33.5	Samford	2	3	32	1.50			
6. Western Carolina	2	1	0	0	0	0.0	6. Western Carolina	2	2	0	1.00			
Wofford	1	1	0	0	0	0.0	Mercer	2	2	8	1.00			
Mercer	2	1	0	0	0	0.0	VMI	2	2	18	1.00			
The Citadel	2	0	0	0	0	0.0	Wofford	1	2	9	2.00			
PUNTING							SACKS AGAINST							
	G	No.	Yards	Avg/P	Ret.	Avg/R	TB	Net/P		G	No.	Yards	Avg/G	
1. Samford	2	8	327	40.9	-7	-0.9	0	41.8	1. ETSU	2	1	12	0.50	
2. The Citadel	2	11	495	45.0	18	1.6	1	41.5	Wofford	1	1	-4	1.00	
3. Chattanooga	2	14	593	42.4	-1	-0.1	1	41.0	Furman	2	1	3	0.50	
4. Wofford	1	6	239	39.8	0	0.0	0	39.8	4. Mercer	2	3	16	1.50	
5. ETSU	2	8	287	35.9	0	0.0	0	35.9	Chattanooga	2	3	23	1.50	
6. VMI	2	5	211	42.2	16	3.2	1	35.0	6. Samford	2	4	28	2.00	
7. Western Carolina	2	11	394	35.8	20	1.8	0	34.0	The Citadel	2	4	18	2.00	
8. Furman	2	10	403	40.3	18	1.8	4	30.5	VMI	2	4	22	2.00	
9. Mercer	2	8	289	36.1	118	14.8	0	21.4	9. Western Carolina	2	5	3	2.50	
KICKOFF COVERAGE							FIRST DOWNS							
	G	No.	Yards	Avg.	Ret.	TB	NetAvg		G	Rush	Pass	Pen	Total	Avg/G
1. Western Carolina	2	7	428	61.1	43	3	46.4	1. Mercer	2	31	19	3	53	26.5
2. Chattanooga	2	9	542	60.2	140	0	44.7	2. Furman	2	18	25	4	47	23.5
3. Wofford	1	5	256	51.2	45	0	42.2	3. VMI	2	17	17	8	42	21.0
4. Samford	2	16	800	50.0	94	2	41.6	Western Carolina	2	15	21	6	42	21.0
5. VMI	2	10	493	49.3	58	1	41.5	5. ETSU	2	23	14	3	40	20.0
6. The Citadel	2	7	442	63.1	74	4	41.1	6. Chattanooga	2	14	16	7	37	18.5
7. Mercer	2	14	687	49.1	99	1	40.6	7. The Citadel	2	27	7	2	36	18.0
8. ETSU	2	14	829	59.2	111	8	39.9	8. Samford	2	9	22	2	33	16.5
9. Furman	2	14	811	57.9	118	7	39.5	9. Wofford	1	6	6	2	14	14.0

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OPPONENT 1ST DOWNS	G	Rush	Pass	Pen	Total	Avg/G
1. Furman	2	6	12	3	21	10.5
2. Wofford	1	5	17	2	24	24.0
3. Mercer	2	11	14	2	27	13.5
4. Chattanooga	2	12	13	6	31	15.5
5. ETSU	2	8	27	4	39	19.5
Samford	2	20	16	2	39	19.5
7. The Citadel	2	21	27	1	49	24.5
8. VMI	2	39	9	5	53	26.5
9. Western Carolina	2	19	28	7	54	27.0

3RD-DOWN CONVERSIONS	G	Conv.	Att.	Pct.
1. VMI	2	11	23	47.8
2. Mercer	2	10	21	47.6
3. Furman	2	13	34	38.2
4. Samford	2	10	28	35.7
ETSU	2	10	28	35.7
6. The Citadel	2	9	27	33.3
7. Western Carolina	2	7	27	25.9
8. Chattanooga	2	7	28	25.0
9. Wofford	1	3	14	21.4

OPP 3RD-DN CONVERT	G	Conv.	Att.	Pct.
1. Furman	2	5	25	20.0
2. Mercer	2	8	29	27.6
3. Chattanooga	2	8	28	28.6
4. ETSU	2	9	29	31.0
5. Wofford	1	6	16	37.5
6. Samford	2	13	33	39.4
7. Western Carolina	2	11	23	47.8
8. VMI	2	18	33	54.5
9. The Citadel	2	14	21	66.7

4TH-DOWN CONVERSIONS	G	Conv.	Att.	Pct.
1. Mercer	2	3	3	100.0
Furman	2	1	1	100.0
Chattanooga	2	1	1	100.0
4. ETSU	2	2	3	66.7
The Citadel	2	4	6	66.7
6. Samford	2	4	7	57.1
7. VMI	2	2	4	50.0
8. Western Carolina	2	2	5	40.0
9. Wofford	1	0	0	0.0

OPP 4TH-DN CONVERT	G	Conv.	Att.	Pct.
1. Furman	2	0	2	0.0
Wofford	1	0	1	0.0
3. ETSU	2	1	5	20.0
4. Samford	2	1	3	33.3
5. Chattanooga	2	1	2	50.0
6. VMI	2	6	7	85.7
7. The Citadel	2	1	1	100.0
Western Carolina	2	1	1	100.0
Mercer	2	2	2	100.0

PENALTIES	G	No.	Yards	Avg/G
1. The Citadel	2	5	47	23.5
2. Mercer	2	8	64	32.0
3. Wofford	1	4	40	40.0
4. Samford	2	10	81	40.5
5. Western Carolina	2	15	93	46.5
6. Chattanooga	2	11	110	55.0
7. Furman	2	12	119	59.5
8. VMI	2	11	125	62.5
9. ETSU	2	19	152	76.0

OPPONENT PENALTIES	G	No.	Yards	Avg/G
1. Chattanooga	2	18	155	77.5
2. VMI	2	13	145	72.5
3. Western Carolina	2	15	143	71.5
4. ETSU	2	14	125	62.5
5. Furman	2	12	115	57.5
6. Mercer	2	13	113	56.5
7. Samford	2	12	106	53.0
8. Wofford	1	5	39	39.0
9. The Citadel	2	7	68	34.0

TIME OF POSSESSION	G	Total possession	Average/game
1. ETSU	2	69:53	34:56
2. Furman	2	68:59	34:29
3. Chattanooga	2	66:01	33:00
4. Mercer	2	63:22	31:41
5. The Citadel	2	63:17	31:38
6. Wofford	1	29:18	29:18
7. Western Carolina	2	56:15	28:07
8. VMI	2	54:27	27:13
9. Samford	2	42:44	21:22

TURNOVER MARGIN	G	Gained			Lost			Margin	Per/G
		Fum	Int	Tot	Fum	Int	Tot		
1. ETSU	2	1	4	5	0	1	1	+4	2.00
Samford	2	2	4	6	0	2	2	+4	2.00
3. Furman	2	1	4	5	1	1	2	+3	1.50
4. Chattanooga	2	0	4	4	0	4	4	+0	0.00
5. VMI	2	1	2	3	0	5	5	-2	-1.00
Wofford	1	1	1	2	1	2	3	-1	-1.00
7. The Citadel	2	0	0	0	2	1	3	-3	-1.50
8. Western Carolina	2	0	1	1	2	3	5	-4	-2.00
Mercer	2	0	1	1	2	3	5	-4	-2.00

RED ZONE OFFENSE	G	Scores	Pct.	TDs	(R-P)	FGs	TurnO
1. ETSU	2	9-10	90.0	6	3-3	3-3	0
Samford	2	9-10	90.0	6	3-3	3-4	0
3. Chattanooga	2	6-7	85.7	4	3-1	2-2	1
4. Western Carolina	2	5-6	83.3	3	2-1	2-2	1
5. Mercer	2	7-9	77.8	7	5-2	0-0	1
6. VMI	2	6-8	75.0	6	4-2	0-0	2
Furman	2	6-8	75.0	2	1-1	4-5	0
Wofford	1	3-4	75.0	2	2-0	1-2	0
9. The Citadel	2	5-7	71.4	5	5-0	0-0	2

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RED ZONE DEFENSE	G	Scores	Pct.	TDs	(R-P)	FGs	TurnO
1. Furman	2	1-3	33.3	1	0-1	0-1	1
2. ETSU	2	2-5	40.0	2	0-2	0-1	1
3. Chattanooga	2	3-5	60.0	2	0-2	1-1	1
4. Samford	2	5-6	83.3	4	3-1	1-1	1
5. Mercer	2	7-8	87.5	5	2-3	2-3	0
6. Wofford	1	2-2	100.0	1	0-1	1-1	0
The Citadel	2	6-6	100.0	5	4-1	1-1	0
VMI	2	7-7	100.0	5	4-1	2-2	0
Western Carolina	2	14-14	100.0	13	7-6	1-1	0

ON-SIDE KICKS BY	G	Recovered	Attempts	Success%
1. Furman	2	0	0	0.0
ETSU	2	0	0	0.0
Chattanooga	2	0	0	0.0
Samford	2	0	0	0.0
Mercer	2	0	0	0.0
Wofford	1	0	0	0.0
The Citadel	2	0	0	0.0
VMI	2	0	0	0.0
Western Carolina	2	0	0	0.0

ON-SIDE KICKS AGAINST	G	Recovered	Attempts	Success%
1. ETSU	2	0	2	0.0
Chattanooga	2	0	0	0.0
Samford	2	0	0	0.0
Mercer	2	0	0	0.0
Wofford	1	0	0	0.0
The Citadel	2	0	0	0.0
VMI	2	0	0	0.0
Western Carolina	2	0	0	0.0
Furman	2	0	0	0.0

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RUSHING								
	Cl	G	Att.	Yds	Avg.	TD	Lg	Avg/G
1. Irvin Mulligan-WOF	Jr	1	14	114	8.1	1	65	114.0
2. Quay Holmes-ETSU	Jr	2	39	211	5.4	2	37	105.5
3. Ailym Ford-UTC	So	2	40	174	4.3	2	25	87.0
4. Devin Wynn-FUR	Sr	2	35	159	4.5	2	42	79.5
5. Jaylan Adams-CIT	Jr	2	34	139	4.1	1	18	69.5
6. Payton Derrick-WOF	Jr	1	5	68	13.6	0	22	68.0
7. TJ Jones-WCU	Jr	2	21	125	6.0	1	46	62.5
8. Tyrell Price-UTC	Sr	2	22	109	5.0	1	18	54.5
9. Rashad Raymond-VMI	Fr	2	20	100	5.0	1	32	50.0
10. Jacob Saylor-ETSU	Jr	2	17	98	5.8	1	32	49.0

TOTAL OFFENSE							
	Cl	G	Rush	Pass	Plays	Total	Yds/G
1. Liam Welch-SAM	Sr	2	28	587	97	615	307.5
2. Hamp Sisson-FUR	Jr	2	18	558	81	576	288.0
3. Payton Derrick-WOF	Jr	1	68	155	23	223	223.0
4. Rogan Wells-WCU	Sr	2	44	361	86	405	202.5
5. Tyler Riddell-ETSU	Fr	2	7	336	46	343	171.5
6. Jaylan Adams-CIT	Jr	2	139	165	60	304	152.0
7. Seth Morgan-VMI	So	2	6	240	57	246	123.0
8. Irvin Mulligan-WOF	Jr	1	114	0	14	114	114.0
9. Fred Payton-MER	Jr	2	6	213	26	219	109.5
10. Quay Holmes-ETSU	Jr	2	211	0	39	211	105.5

PASSING AVG/GAME						
	Cl	G	Comp-Att-Int	Yds	TD	Avg/G
1. Liam Welch-SAM	Sr	2	55-82-2	587	5	293.5
2. Hamp Sisson-FUR	Jr	2	42-69-1	558	3	279.0
3. Rogan Wells-WCU	Sr	2	40-73-2	361	1	180.5
4. Tyler Riddell-ETSU	Fr	2	26-40-1	336	3	168.0
5. Payton Derrick-WOF	Jr	1	10-18-2	155	0	155.0
6. Seth Morgan-VMI	So	2	28-47-4	240	2	120.0
7. Fred Payton-MER	Jr	2	13-21-1	213	3	106.5
8. Jaylan Adams-CIT	Jr	2	14-26-1	165	0	82.5
9. Carter Peevy-MER	Fr	2	10-15-2	148	1	74.0
10. Collin Ironside-VMI	Fr	2	11-16-1	105	0	52.5

SCORING								
	Cl	G	TD	FG	XPT	2XP	Pts	Pts/G
1. Timmy Bleekrode-FUR	So	2	0	7	4	0	25	12.5
2. Tyler Keltner-ETSU	So	2	0	4	8	0	20	10.0
3. Zach Williams-SAM	Jr	2	0	3	10	0	19	9.5
4. Devin Wynn-FUR	Sr	2	3	0	0	0	18	9.0
5. Jerry Rice-VMI	So	2	0	2	7	0	13	6.5
6. Irvin Mulligan-WOF	Jr	1	1	0	0	0	6	6.0
Ryan Ingram-WOF	So	1	1	0	0	0	6	6.0
Nathan Walker-WOF	Sr	1	1	0	0	0	6	6.0
Montrell Washington-SAM	Sr	2	2	0	0	0	12	6.0
Jacob Saylor-ETSU	Jr	2	2	0	0	0	12	6.0

PASS EFFICIENCY						
	Cl	G	Comp-Att-Int	Yds	TD	Eff.
1. Fred Payton-MER	Jr	2	13-21-1	213	3	184.7
2. Dylan Fromm-MER	Fr	2	5-7-0	46	1	173.8
3. Tyler Riddell-ETSU	Fr	2	26-40-1	336	3	155.3
4. Carter Peevy-MER	Fr	2	10-15-2	148	1	144.9
5. Liam Welch-SAM	Sr	2	55-82-2	587	5	142.4
6. Hamp Sisson-FUR	Jr	2	42-69-1	558	3	140.2
7. Collin Ironside-VMI	Fr	2	11-16-1	105	0	111.4
8. Payton Derrick-WOF	Jr	1	10-18-2	155	0	105.7
9. Seth Morgan-VMI	So	2	28-47-4	240	2	99.5
10. Jaylan Adams-CIT	Jr	2	14-26-1	165	0	99.5

SCORING (TDs)									
	Cl	G	TD	Run	Pass	Ret	Pat	Pts	Avg/G
1. Devin Wynn-FUR	Sr	2	3	2	1	0	0	18	9.0
2. Irvin Mulligan-WOF	Jr	1	1	1	0	0	0	6	6.0
Nathan Walker-WOF	Sr	1	1	1	0	0	0	6	6.0
Montrell Washington-SAM	Sr	2	2	0	1	1	0	12	6.0
Jacob Saylor-ETSU	Jr	2	2	1	1	0	0	12	6.0
DeMarcus Ware-SAM	Sr	2	2	2	0	0	0	12	6.0
TJ Jones-WCU	Jr	2	2	1	1	0	0	12	6.0
Devron Harper-MER	So	2	2	1	1	0	0	12	6.0
Malik Murray-ETSU	Sr	2	2	0	2	0	0	12	6.0
Jakob Herres-VMI	Sr	2	2	0	2	0	0	12	6.0

RECEPTIONS/GAME								
	Cl	G	No.	Yds	TD	Lg	Yds/G	Rec/G
1. Leroy Thomas-VMI	Jr	2	13	101	0	28	50.5	6.5
2. Montrell Washington-SAM	Sr	2	12	200	1	50	100.0	6.0
Kenny Benjamin-WCU	Fr	2	12	90	0	15	45.0	6.0
4. Jakob Herres-VMI	Sr	2	11	102	2	36	51.0	5.5
5. Will Huzzie-ETSU	So	2	10	146	1	36	73.0	5.0
6. Raphael Williams-WCU	Fr	2	9	127	0	24	63.5	4.5
7. Kendall Watson-SAM	Sr	2	8	117	0	42	58.5	4.0
Joshua Harris-FUR	Fr	2	8	113	1	41	56.5	4.0
Raleigh Webb-CIT	Sr	2	8	96	0	35	48.0	4.0
Reginald Henderson-UTC	Fr	2	8	91	1	21	45.5	4.0

SCORING (KICK)						
	Cl	G	PAT	FG	Pts	Avg/G
1. Timmy Bleekrode-FUR	So	2	4-5	7-8	25	12.5
2. Tyler Keltner-ETSU	So	2	8-8	4-5	20	10.0
3. Zach Williams-SAM	Jr	2	10-10	3-4	19	9.5
4. Jerry Rice-VMI	So	2	7-7	2-2	13	6.5
5. Walker Gliarmis-WOF	Jr	1	3-3	1-2	6	6.0
6. Devin Folser-MER	So	2	11-11	0-0	11	5.5
7. Aaron Sears-UTC	Fr	2	4-5	2-2	10	5.0
8. Colby Kintner-CIT	So	2	5-5	0-0	5	2.5

RECEIVE YDS/GAME								
	Cl	G	No.	Yds	TD	Lg	Avg/C	Yds/G
1. Montrell Washington-SAM	Sr	2	12	200	1	50	16.7	100.0
2. Ryan Miller-FUR	Jr	2	7	166	1	87	23.7	83.0
3. Will Huzzie-ETSU	So	2	10	146	1	36	14.6	73.0
4. Landon Parker-WOF	Jr	1	1	71	0	71	71.0	71.0
5. Raphael Williams-WCU	Fr	2	9	127	0	24	14.1	63.5
6. Kendall Watson-SAM	Sr	2	8	117	0	42	14.6	58.5
7. Joshua Harris-FUR	Fr	2	8	113	1	41	14.1	56.5
8. Malik Murray-ETSU	Sr	2	6	110	2	43	18.3	55.0
9. Jakob Herres-VMI	Sr	2	11	102	2	36	9.3	51.0
10. Leroy Thomas-VMI	Jr	2	13	101	0	28	7.8	50.5

PUNT RETURN AVG							
	Cl	G	No.	Yds	TD	Long	Avg/G
1. Montrell Washington-SAM	Sr	2	4	77	1	62	19.2
2. Dejuan Bell-FUR	Jr	2	7	20	0	8	2.9
3. Brandon Dowdell-UTC	Fr	2	4	8	0	10	2.0

KICK RETURN AVG							
	Cl	G	No.	Yds	TD	Long	Avg/G
1. Cooper Wallace-CIT	So	2	9	204	0	37	22.7
2. Dejuan Bell-FUR	Jr	2	4	86	0	30	21.5
3. DJ Dennis-VMI	Jr	2	4	60	0	35	15.0

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ALL PURPOSE		Cl	G	Rush	Rcv	PR	KR	Yds	Avg/G
1.	Montrell Washington-SAM	Sr	2	26	200	77	26	329	164.5
2.	Irvin Mulligan-WOF	Jr	1	114	0	0	0	114	114.0
3.	Cooper Wallace-CIT	So	2	11	0	0	204	215	107.5
4.	Devin Wynn-FUR	Sr	2	159	55	0	0	214	107.0
5.	Quay Holmes-ETSU	Jr	2	211	-1	0	0	210	105.0
	Jacob Saylor-ETSU	Jr	2	98	89	0	23	210	105.0
7.	Ailym Ford-UTC	So	2	174	0	0	0	174	87.0
8.	Korey Bridy-VMI	Sr	2	96	34	0	41	171	85.5
9.	Ryan Miller-FUR	Jr	2	0	166	0	0	166	83.0
	TJ Jones-WCU	Jr	2	125	41	0	0	166	83.0

PUNTING		Cl	G	No.	Yds	Lg	120	50+	TB	Avg.
1.	Jack Culbreath-VMI	So	2	4	190	57	0	2	1	47.5
2.	Gabe Boring-UTC	Jr	2	6	272	66	2	2	0	45.3
3.	Matt Campbell-CIT	Sr	2	11	495	58	6	4	1	45.0
4.	Atkins Roberts-WOF	So	1	3	123	47	3	0	0	41.0
5.	Bradley Porcellato-SAM	Sr	2	8	327	51	3	1	0	40.9
6.	Timmy Bleekrode-FUR	So	2	10	403	58	1	1	4	40.3
7.	Jason Pierce-UTC	Jr	2	8	321	52	2	1	1	40.1
8.	Landon Parker-WOF	Jr	1	3	116	50	1	1	0	38.7
9.	Garrett Taylor-ETSU	So	2	8	287	44	3	0	0	35.9
10.	Brandon Dickerson-WCU	Fr	2	11	394	46	0	0	0	35.8

FIELD GOALS		Cl	G	Made	Att.	Long	Pct.	FG/G
1.	Timmy Bleekrode-FUR	So	2	7	8	51	87.5	3.50
2.	Tyler Keltner-ETSU	So	2	4	5	41	80.0	2.00
3.	Zach Williams-SAM	Jr	2	3	4	36	75.0	1.50
4.	Jerry Rice-VMI	So	2	2	2	46	100.0	1.00
	Aaron Sears-UTC	Fr	2	2	2	38	100.0	1.00
	Walker Gliarmis-WOF	Jr	1	1	2	26	50.0	1.00

FIELD GOAL PCT		Cl	G	Made	Att.	Long	Pct.
1.	Timmy Bleekrode-FUR	So	2	7	8	51	87.5
2.	Tyler Keltner-ETSU	So	2	4	5	41	80.0
3.	Zach Williams-SAM	Jr	2	3	4	36	75.0
4.	Walker Gliarmis-WOF	Jr	1	1	2	26	50.0

PAT KICKING PCT		Cl	G	Made	Att.	Pct.
1.	Devin Folser-MER	So	2	11	11	100.0
	Zach Williams-SAM	Jr	2	10	10	100.0
	Tyler Keltner-ETSU	So	2	8	8	100.0
	Jerry Rice-VMI	So	2	7	7	100.0
	Colby Kintner-CIT	So	2	5	5	100.0
	Walker Gliarmis-WOF	Jr	1	3	3	100.0
7.	Aaron Sears-UTC	Fr	2	4	5	80.0
	Timmy Bleekrode-FUR	So	2	4	5	80.0

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TACKLES (All positions)								SACKS							
	Cl	G	Pos	Solo	Ast	Total	Avg/G		Cl	G	Pos	Solo	Ast	Total	Avg/G
1. Willie Eubanks III-CIT	Sr	2	LB	11	10	21	10.5	1. Devonsha Maxwell-UTC	Fr	2		3	1	3.5	1.75
Nathan East-SAM	Sr	2	LB	9	12	21	10.5	2. Marquise Blount-CIT	Jr	2	LB	2	1	2.5	1.25
3. Stone Snyder-VMI	Jr	2	LB	6	12	18	9.0	3. Ben Brewton-UTC	So	2		2	0	2.0	1.00
4. Ivan Hogans-WCU	Sr	2		10	7	17	8.5	4. Nathan East-SAM	Sr	2	LB	1	1	1.5	0.75
5. Athony Britton Jr.-CIT	Jr	2	LB	7	9	16	8.0	Quay Wiggles-UTC	Fr	2		1	1	1.5	0.75
6. Aladdin Elroumy-VMI	So	2	LB	7	8	15	7.5	6. Michael McDowell-CIT	So	2	DL	1	0	1.0	0.50
Ty Boeck-UTC	Jr	2		9	6	15	7.5	Aladdin Elroumy-VMI	So	2	LB	1	0	1.0	0.50
8. Stephen Scott-ETSU	So	2	LB	9	5	14	7.0	Colton Lakes-ETSU	Sr	2	LB	1	0	1.0	0.50
Karon Delince-ETSU	Sr	2	DB	9	5	14	7.0	Parker Stokes-FUR	Sr	2	DL	1	0	1.0	0.50
Kareem Taylor-WCU	Sr	2		7	7	14	7.0	Travis Blackshear-FUR	Jr	2	DB	1	0	1.0	0.50
Harrison Morgan-WOF	So	1	LB	2	5	7	7.0	Jay Harrison-ETSU	Sr	2	LB	1	0	1.0	0.50
12. Mike Price-ETSU	So	2	DB	9	4	13	6.5	Solomon Zubairu-MER	So	2	DL	1	0	1.0	0.50
Alijah Huzzie-ETSU	Fr	2	DB	12	1	13	6.5	13. Romello Gray-WOF	Jr	1	DL	1	0	1.0	1.00
Donovan Manuel-ETSU	So	2	LB	10	3	13	6.5	14. Ty Boeck-UTC	Jr	2		1	0	1.0	0.50
Christian Dunn-VMI	Fr	2	LB	11	2	13	6.5	Aljareek Malry-VMI	Jr	2	DB	1	0	1.0	0.50
Hugh Ryan-FUR	So	2	DB	7	6	13	6.5	Adrian Hope-FUR	Sr	2	LB	1	0	1.0	0.50
Jacob Harris-WCU	Jr	2		6	7	13	6.5	Chris Edmonds-SAM	Jr	2		1	0	1.0	0.50
Lamar Anderson-SAM	Sr	2		6	7	13	6.5	18. Micheal Mason-WOF	Jr	1	DL	1	0	1.0	1.00
19. Austin White-VMI	So	2	DB	5	7	12	6.0	19. Jay Person-UTC	So	2		1	0	1.0	0.50
Trimarcus Cheeks-SAM	Jr	2	LB	4	8	12	6.0	Elijah McKoy-FUR	Sr	2	LB	1	0	1.0	0.50
Destin Mack-CIT	Jr	2	DB	10	2	12	6.0								
Andreas Keaton-WCU	Fr	2		7	5	12	6.0	TACKLES FOR LOSS							
Marquise Blount-CIT	Jr	2	LB	5	7	12	6.0	1. Nathan East-SAM	Sr	2	LB	4	2	5.0	2.50
Kam Jones-UTC	Jr	2		7	5	12	6.0	2. Devonsha Maxwell-UTC	Fr	2		3	1	3.5	1.75
Micheal Mason-WOF	Jr	1	DL	3	3	6	6.0	3. Ty Boeck-UTC	Jr	2		3	0	3.0	1.50
Donavan Anderson-WOF	Sr	1	CB	6	0	6	6.0	Aladdin Elroumy-VMI	So	2	LB	2	2	3.0	1.50
T.J. Neal-WOF	Sr	1	LB	1	5	6	6.0	5. Danijah Gammage-MER	Jr	2	LB	2	1	2.5	1.25
28. Ken Standley-MER	Fr	2	LB	3	8	11	5.5	Marquise Blount-CIT	Jr	2	LB	2	1	2.5	1.25
29. Wilson Hendricks III-CIT	So	2	DB	4	6	10	5.0	Adrian Hope-FUR	Sr	2	LB	2	1	2.5	1.25
Rick Lester III-MER	So	2		6	4	10	5.0	8. Stephen Scott-ETSU	So	2	LB	2	0	2.0	1.00
Josh Knapp-VMI	Fr	2	DB	5	5	10	5.0	Ben Brewton-UTC	So	2		2	0	2.0	1.00
Danijah Gammage-MER	Jr	2	LB	3	7	10	5.0	Alijah Huzzie-ETSU	Fr	2	DB	2	0	2.0	1.00
Sylvaughn Turner-SAM	Sr	2	CB	4	6	10	5.0	Ivan Hogans-WCU	Sr	2		2	0	2.0	1.00
Brandon Dowdell-UTC	Fr	2		7	3	10	5.0	12. Stone Snyder-VMI	Jr	2	LB	1	1	1.5	0.75
Jerrell Lawson-UTC	Fr	2		9	1	10	5.0	Trimarcus Cheeks-SAM	Jr	2	LB	1	1	1.5	0.75
Brandon Brown-WOF	Sr	1	LB	1	4	5	5.0	Quay Wiggles-UTC	Fr	2		1	1	1.5	0.75
Joe Beckett-WOF	Sr	1	LB	0	5	5	5.0	Tay Berry-SAM	Sr	2	DL	0	3	1.5	0.75
Oka Emmanwori-WOF	Jr	1	DB	3	2	5	5.0	Christian Dunn-VMI	Fr	2	LB	1	1	1.5	0.75
39. Ivan Yates-FUR	Fr	2	DB	7	2	9	4.5	17. Elijah McKoy-FUR	Sr	2	LB	1	0	1.0	0.50
Tay Berry-SAM	Sr	2	DL	1	8	9	4.5	Jay Person-UTC	So	2		1	0	1.0	0.50
Josiah Cotton-SAM	So	2	LB	3	6	9	4.5	19. Micheal Mason-WOF	Jr	1	DL	1	0	1.0	1.00
E. Caselberry-VMI	Sr	2	LB	6	3	9	4.5	20. Lance Wise-MER	So	2		1	0	1.0	0.50
Chris Edmonds-SAM	Jr	2		4	5	9	4.5								
Ty Herring-SAM	Sr	2	DB	5	4	9	4.5								
Jay Person-UTC	So	2		7	2	9	4.5								
Wade White-SAM	So	2		2	7	9	4.5								
Evan Eller-VMI	So	2	DB	4	5	9	4.5								
Brian Horn-CIT	Sr	2	LB	3	6	9	4.5								
49. Charles Gadie-WCU	So	2		4	4	8	4.0								
Cameron McCutcheon-WCU	Fr	2		4	4	8	4.0								

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PASSES DEFENDED		Cl	G	BrUp	Int.	Total	Avg/G
1.	Travis Blackshear-FUR	Jr	2	1	3	4	2.00
	Amir Annoor-WOF	Fr	1	1	1	2	2.00
	Brandon Dowdell-UTC	Fr	2	1	3	4	2.00
4.	Ty Herring-SAM	Sr	2	2	1	3	1.50
	Aljareek Malry-VMI	Jr	2	1	2	3	1.50
	Tyree Robinson-ETSU	Sr	2	2	1	3	1.50
	Karon Delince-ETSU	Sr	2	2	1	3	1.50
	Lamar Anderson-SAM	Sr	2	2	1	3	1.50
9.	Hakeem Johnson-SAM	Sr	2	1	1	2	1.00
	Jerrell Lawson-UTC	Fr	2	1	1	2	1.00
	Stephen Scott-ETSU	So	2	2	0	2	1.00
	Mike Price-ETSU	So	2	2	0	2	1.00
	DiMarcus Clay-FUR	Sr	2	1	1	2	1.00
	Andreas Keaton-WCU	Fr	2	1	1	2	1.00
	Jaheem Hazel-WOF	Jr	1	1	0	1	1.00
	Isaiah Walker-WOF	Jr	1	1	0	1	1.00
	Alijah Huzzie-ETSU	Fr	2	2	0	2	1.00
	Kourtlan Marsh-SAM	So	2	2	0	2	1.00
19.	Reuben Lowery III-UTC		2	1	0	1	0.50
	Marlon Alexander-WCU	Fr	2	1	0	1	0.50

INTERCEPTIONS		Cl	G	No.	Yds	TD	Long	Avg/G
1.	Travis Blackshear-FUR	Jr	2	3	52	0	42	1.50
	Brandon Dowdell-UTC	Fr	2	3	42	0	22	1.50
3.	Aljareek Malry-VMI	Jr	2	2	67	0	67	1.00
	Amir Annoor-WOF	Fr	1	1	0	0	0	1.00
5.	Karon Delince-ETSU	Sr	2	1	80	0	80	0.50
	Ty Herring-SAM	Sr	2	1	61	1	61	0.50
	Jerrell Lawson-UTC	Fr	2	1	38	1	38	0.50
	Chris Edmonds-SAM	Jr	2	1	25	0	25	0.50
	Tyree Robinson-ETSU	Sr	2	1	22	0	22	0.50
	Lamar Anderson-SAM	Sr	2	1	11	0	11	0.50

FUMBLES FORCED		Cl	G	No.	Avg/G
1.	Micheal Mason-WOF	Jr	1	1	1.00
	Jay Person-UTC	So	2	2	1.00
3.	Danijah Gammage-MER	Jr	2	1	0.50
	Travis Blackshear-FUR	Jr	2	1	0.50
	Stephen Scott-ETSU	So	2	1	0.50
	Alijah Huzzie-ETSU	Fr	2	1	0.50
	Joseph Mera-SAM	Jr	2	1	0.50
	Rashun Freeman-UTC	Fr	2	1	0.50
	Aladdin Elroumy-VMI	So	2	1	0.50

FUMBLES RECOVERED		Cl	G	No.	Avg/G
1.	John Beckley-WOF	Sr	1	1	1.00
2.	Eric Weaver-VMI	Jr	2	1	0.50
	Dakota Chapman-SAM	Sr	2	1	0.50
	Braden Gilby-FUR	Jr	2	1	0.50
	Nick Jackson-SAM	So	2	1	0.50
	Stephen Scott-ETSU	So	2	1	0.50

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TEAM HIGHS (highest totals made by)

Points	69	Mercer vs POINT (Sep 02, 2021)
	52	Samford vs TENNESSEE TECH (Sep 02, 2021)
Points scored kicking	14	Furman at Tennessee Tech (Sep 11, 2021) [4fg,2pat]
	11	ETSU at Vanderbilt (Sep 04, 2021) [3fg,2pat]
	11	Furman vs NORTH CAROLINA A&T (Sep 04, 2021) [3fg,2pat]
Touchdowns	10	Mercer vs POINT (Sep 02, 2021)
	7	Samford vs TENNESSEE TECH (Sep 02, 2021)
Total offense yards	778	Mercer vs POINT (Sep 02, 2021) [539r,239p]
	528	ETSU vs UVA WISE (Sep 11, 2021) [254r,274p]
Total offense plays	84	Mercer vs POINT (Sep 02, 2021) [59r,25p]
	83	Western Carolina vs EASTERN KENTUCKY (Sep 04, 2021) [38r,45p]
Total offense yards/play	9.3	Mercer vs POINT (Sep 02, 2021) [84-778]
	7.1	ETSU vs UVA WISE (Sep 11, 2021) [74-528]
Rushing yards	539	Mercer vs POINT (Sep 02, 2021)
	263	Wofford at Elon (Sep 04, 2021)
Rushing attempts	59	Mercer vs POINT (Sep 02, 2021)
	55	The Citadel at Coastal Carolina (Sep 02, 2021)
Yards per rush	9.1	Mercer vs POINT (Sep 02, 2021) [59-539]
	6.0	Wofford at Elon (Sep 04, 2021) [44-263]
Rushing TDs	7	Mercer vs POINT (Sep 02, 2021)
	4	VMI vs DAVIDSON (Sep 04, 2021)
Longest rush	65	Wofford at Elon (Sep 04, 2021)
	52	VMI vs DAVIDSON (Sep 04, 2021)
Passing yards	370	Samford vs TENNESSEE TECH (Sep 02, 2021)
	362	Furman vs NORTH CAROLINA A&T (Sep 04, 2021)
Passing attempts	46	Samford vs TENNESSEE TECH (Sep 02, 2021)
	45	Western Carolina vs EASTERN KENTUCKY (Sep 04, 2021)
Passing TDs	4	Samford vs TENNESSEE TECH (Sep 02, 2021)
	3	Mercer vs POINT (Sep 02, 2021)
	3	Furman vs NORTH CAROLINA A&T (Sep 04, 2021)
	3	ETSU vs UVA WISE (Sep 11, 2021)
Longest pass	87	Furman vs NORTH CAROLINA A&T (Sep 04, 2021)
	71	Wofford at Elon (Sep 04, 2021)
Passes completed	35	Samford vs TENNESSEE TECH (Sep 02, 2021)
	25	Furman vs NORTH CAROLINA A&T (Sep 04, 2021)
Had intercepted	4	VMI at Kent State (Sep 11, 2021)
	2	Chattanooga vs AUSTIN PEAY (Sep 02, 2021)
	2	Western Carolina vs EASTERN KENTUCKY (Sep 04, 2021)
	2	Wofford at Elon (Sep 04, 2021)
	2	Mercer at Alabama (Sep 11, 2021)
	2	Samford at UT Martin (Sep 11, 2021)
	2	Chattanooga at North Ala. (Sep 11, 2021)
Pass completion pct	81.5	VMI vs DAVIDSON (Sep 04, 2021) [22-27]
	76.1	Samford vs TENNESSEE TECH (Sep 02, 2021) [35-46]
Passing yards/attempt	10.5	ETSU vs UVA WISE (Sep 11, 2021) [26-274]
	9.6	Mercer vs POINT (Sep 02, 2021) [25-239]
Yards per catch	16.8	Mercer at Alabama (Sep 11, 2021) [10-168]
	16.1	ETSU vs UVA WISE (Sep 11, 2021) [17-274]
Field goal attempts	4	Furman vs NORTH CAROLINA A&T (Sep 04, 2021)
	4	Furman at Tennessee Tech (Sep 11, 2021)
Field goals made	4	Furman at Tennessee Tech (Sep 11, 2021)
	3	ETSU at Vanderbilt (Sep 04, 2021)
	3	Furman vs NORTH CAROLINA A&T (Sep 04, 2021)
Longest field goal	51	Furman at Tennessee Tech (Sep 11, 2021)
	47	Furman vs NORTH CAROLINA A&T (Sep 04, 2021)

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Field goal pct	100.0	Furman at Tennessee Tech (Sep 11, 2021) [4-4]
	100.0	ETSU at Vanderbilt (Sep 04, 2021) [3-3]
	100.0	Samford at UT Martin (Sep 11, 2021) [2-2]
	100.0	Chattanooga at North Ala. (Sep 11, 2021) [2-2]
PAT kicks attempted	10	Mercer vs POINT (Sep 02, 2021)
	7	Samford vs TENNESSEE TECH (Sep 02, 2021)
PAT kicks made	9	Mercer vs POINT (Sep 02, 2021)
	7	Samford vs TENNESSEE TECH (Sep 02, 2021)
PAT kicks pct	100.0	Samford vs TENNESSEE TECH (Sep 02, 2021) [7-7]
	100.0	VMI vs DAVIDSON (Sep 04, 2021) [6-6]
	100.0	ETSU vs UVA WISE (Sep 11, 2021) [6-6]
	100.0	Wofford at Elon (Sep 04, 2021) [3-3]
	100.0	The Citadel vs CHARLESTON SOUTHERN (Sep 11, 2021) [3-3]
	100.0	Samford at UT Martin (Sep 11, 2021) [3-3]
	100.0	The Citadel at Coastal Carolina (Sep 02, 2021) [2-2]
	100.0	ETSU at Vanderbilt (Sep 04, 2021) [2-2]
	100.0	Western Carolina vs EASTERN KENTUCKY (Sep 04, 2021) [2-2]
	100.0	Furman at Tennessee Tech (Sep 11, 2021) [2-2]
	100.0	Mercer at Alabama (Sep 11, 2021) [2-2]
	100.0	Chattanooga at North Ala. (Sep 11, 2021) [2-2]
2-point PAT attempts	1	Western Carolina vs EASTERN KENTUCKY (Sep 04, 2021)
2-point PATs made	1	Western Carolina vs EASTERN KENTUCKY (Sep 04, 2021)
Punts	9	Chattanooga vs AUSTIN PEAY (Sep 02, 2021)
	8	Mercer at Alabama (Sep 11, 2021)
	8	Western Carolina at Oklahoma (Sep 11, 2021)
Longest punt	66	Chattanooga vs AUSTIN PEAY (Sep 02, 2021)
	58	Furman vs NORTH CAROLINA A&T (Sep 04, 2021)
	58	The Citadel vs CHARLESTON SOUTHERN (Sep 11, 2021)
Yards punted	380	Chattanooga vs AUSTIN PEAY (Sep 02, 2021) [9-380]
	289	Mercer at Alabama (Sep 11, 2021) [8-289]
Punting avg	50.8	The Citadel vs CHARLESTON SOUTHERN (Sep 11, 2021) [5-254]
	43.5	VMI at Kent State (Sep 11, 2021) [4-174]
Punt returns	4	Furman at Tennessee Tech (Sep 11, 2021)
	4	Chattanooga at North Ala. (Sep 11, 2021)
Punt return yards	69	Samford vs TENNESSEE TECH (Sep 02, 2021)
	37	Western Carolina vs EASTERN KENTUCKY (Sep 04, 2021)
Punt return avg	23.0	Samford vs TENNESSEE TECH (Sep 02, 2021) [3-69]
	18.5	Western Carolina vs EASTERN KENTUCKY (Sep 04, 2021) [2-37]
Punt return TDs	1	Samford vs TENNESSEE TECH (Sep 02, 2021)
Longest punt return	62	Samford vs TENNESSEE TECH (Sep 02, 2021)
	28	Western Carolina vs EASTERN KENTUCKY (Sep 04, 2021)
Kick returns	5	The Citadel at Coastal Carolina (Sep 02, 2021)
	5	The Citadel vs CHARLESTON SOUTHERN (Sep 11, 2021)
	5	Mercer at Alabama (Sep 11, 2021)
	5	VMI at Kent State (Sep 11, 2021)
Kick return yards	107	The Citadel at Coastal Carolina (Sep 02, 2021)
	102	The Citadel vs CHARLESTON SOUTHERN (Sep 11, 2021)
Kick return avg	26.3	Western Carolina at Oklahoma (Sep 11, 2021) [3-79]
	21.5	Furman vs NORTH CAROLINA A&T (Sep 04, 2021) [4-86]
Longest kick return	37	The Citadel vs CHARLESTON SOUTHERN (Sep 11, 2021)
	35	VMI at Kent State (Sep 11, 2021)
Interceptions	3	Furman at Tennessee Tech (Sep 11, 2021)
	3	Samford at UT Martin (Sep 11, 2021)
Interception return yds	80	ETSU at Vanderbilt (Sep 04, 2021)
	72	Samford at UT Martin (Sep 11, 2021)
Interception return avg	40.0	ETSU at Vanderbilt (Sep 04, 2021) [2-80]

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	33.5	VMI vs DAVIDSON (Sep 04, 2021) [2-67]
Longest interception rtn	80	ETSU at Vanderbilt (Sep 04, 2021)
	67	VMI vs DAVIDSON (Sep 04, 2021)
Interception return TDs	1	Samford at UT Martin (Sep 11, 2021)
	1	Chattanooga at North Ala. (Sep 11, 2021)
Fumbles lost	2	Mercer vs POINT (Sep 02, 2021)
	2	The Citadel vs CHARLESTON SOUTHERN (Sep 11, 2021)
	2	Western Carolina at Oklahoma (Sep 11, 2021)
Fumbles recovered	2	Samford at UT Martin (Sep 11, 2021)
	1	ETSU at Vanderbilt (Sep 04, 2021)
	1	Furman vs NORTH CAROLINA A&T (Sep 04, 2021)
	1	VMI vs DAVIDSON (Sep 04, 2021)
	1	Wofford at Elon (Sep 04, 2021)
Sacked by opp	4	Western Carolina at Oklahoma (Sep 11, 2021)
	3	The Citadel vs CHARLESTON SOUTHERN (Sep 11, 2021)
	3	Mercer at Alabama (Sep 11, 2021)
	3	Samford at UT Martin (Sep 11, 2021)
QB sacks	6	Chattanooga at North Ala. (Sep 11, 2021)
	3	Samford vs TENNESSEE TECH (Sep 02, 2021)
	3	Chattanooga vs AUSTIN PEAY (Sep 02, 2021)
	3	The Citadel vs CHARLESTON SOUTHERN (Sep 11, 2021)
	3	Furman at Tennessee Tech (Sep 11, 2021)
Turnovers committed	4	VMI at Kent State (Sep 11, 2021)
	3	Mercer vs POINT (Sep 02, 2021)
	3	Wofford at Elon (Sep 04, 2021)
	3	The Citadel vs CHARLESTON SOUTHERN (Sep 11, 2021)
	3	Western Carolina at Oklahoma (Sep 11, 2021)
Turnovers caused	5	Samford at UT Martin (Sep 11, 2021)
	3	ETSU at Vanderbilt (Sep 04, 2021)
	3	VMI vs DAVIDSON (Sep 04, 2021)
	3	Furman at Tennessee Tech (Sep 11, 2021)
Kicks blocked	1	Mercer vs POINT (Sep 02, 2021)
	1	Furman vs NORTH CAROLINA A&T (Sep 04, 2021)
	1	Wofford at Elon (Sep 04, 2021)
	1	Samford at UT Martin (Sep 11, 2021)
First downs	40	Mercer vs POINT (Sep 02, 2021)
	31	Western Carolina vs EASTERN KENTUCKY (Sep 04, 2021)
1st downs rushing	28	Mercer vs POINT (Sep 02, 2021)
	16	The Citadel at Coastal Carolina (Sep 02, 2021)
1st downs passing	15	Western Carolina vs EASTERN KENTUCKY (Sep 04, 2021)
	14	Furman vs NORTH CAROLINA A&T (Sep 04, 2021)
1st downs by penalty	5	VMI at Kent State (Sep 11, 2021)
	4	Chattanooga vs AUSTIN PEAY (Sep 02, 2021)
	4	Furman vs NORTH CAROLINA A&T (Sep 04, 2021)
	4	Western Carolina vs EASTERN KENTUCKY (Sep 04, 2021)
Penalties	12	ETSU vs UVA WISE (Sep 11, 2021)
	11	Western Carolina vs EASTERN KENTUCKY (Sep 04, 2021)
Penalties yards	95	VMI vs DAVIDSON (Sep 04, 2021)
	92	ETSU vs UVA WISE (Sep 11, 2021)

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INDIVIDUAL PLAYER GAME HIGHS

Points scored	14	Timmy Bleekrode (Furman) at Tennessee Tech (Sep 11, 2021)
	12	Tommy Pollack (Mercer) vs POINT (Sep 02, 2021)
	12	Fred Davis (Mercer) vs POINT (Sep 02, 2021)
	12	Jakob Herres (VMI) vs DAVIDSON (Sep 04, 2021)
	12	TJ Jones (Western Carolina) vs EASTERN KENTUCKY (Sep 04, 2021)
	12	Jacob Saylor (ETSU) vs UVA WISE (Sep 11, 2021)
	12	Quay Holmes (ETSU) vs UVA WISE (Sep 11, 2021)
Touchdowns	2	Devin Wynn (Furman) at Tennessee Tech (Sep 11, 2021)
	2	Tommy Pollack (Mercer) vs POINT (Sep 02, 2021)
	2	Fred Davis (Mercer) vs POINT (Sep 02, 2021)
	2	Jakob Herres (VMI) vs DAVIDSON (Sep 04, 2021)
	2	TJ Jones (Western Carolina) vs EASTERN KENTUCKY (Sep 04, 2021)
	2	Quay Holmes (ETSU) vs UVA WISE (Sep 11, 2021)
	2	Jacob Saylor (ETSU) vs UVA WISE (Sep 11, 2021)
TD responsibility	2	Devin Wynn (Furman) at Tennessee Tech (Sep 11, 2021)
	4	Liam Welch (Samford) vs TENNESSEE TECH (Sep 02, 2021) [0r,4p]
	3	Hamp Sisson (Furman) vs NORTH CAROLINA A&T (Sep 04, 2021) [0r,3p]
Points scored kicking	3	Seth Morgan (VMI) vs DAVIDSON (Sep 04, 2021) [1r,2p]
	14	Timmy Bleekrode (Furman) at Tennessee Tech (Sep 11, 2021) [4fg,2pat]
	11	Tyler Keltner (ETSU) at Vanderbilt (Sep 04, 2021) [3fg,2pat]
Total offense yards	11	Timmy Bleekrode (Furman) vs NORTH CAROLINA A&T (Sep 04, 2021) [3fg,2pat]
	379	Liam Welch (Samford) vs TENNESSEE TECH (Sep 02, 2021) [9r,370p]
Total offense plays	355	Hamp Sisson (Furman) vs NORTH CAROLINA A&T (Sep 04, 2021) [-7r,362p]
	52	Rogan Wells (Western Carolina) vs EASTERN KENTUCKY (Sep 04, 2021) [8r,44p]
Total offense yards/play	50	Liam Welch (Samford) vs TENNESSEE TECH (Sep 02, 2021) [6r,44p]
	20.5	Landon Miller (Mercer) vs POINT (Sep 02, 2021) [2-41]
Rushing yards	16.2	Keyonte Sessions (The Citadel) vs CHARLESTON SOUTHERN (Sep 11, 2021) [4-6]
	149	Quay Holmes (ETSU) at Vanderbilt (Sep 04, 2021)
Rushing attempts	115	TJ Jones (Western Carolina) vs EASTERN KENTUCKY (Sep 04, 2021)
	23	Nathan Storch (The Citadel) at Coastal Carolina (Sep 02, 2021)
Yards per rush	23	Quay Holmes (ETSU) at Vanderbilt (Sep 04, 2021)
	20.5	Landon Miller (Mercer) vs POINT (Sep 02, 2021) [2-41]
Rushing TDs	16.2	Keyonte Sessions (The Citadel) vs CHARLESTON SOUTHERN (Sep 11, 2021) [4-6]
	2	Fred Davis (Mercer) vs POINT (Sep 02, 2021)
	2	Tommy Pollack (Mercer) vs POINT (Sep 02, 2021)
	2	Quay Holmes (ETSU) vs UVA WISE (Sep 11, 2021)
Longest rush	2	Devin Wynn (Furman) at Tennessee Tech (Sep 11, 2021)
	65	Irvin Mulligan (Wofford) at Elon (Sep 04, 2021)
Passing yards	52	Grant Swinehart (VMI) vs DAVIDSON (Sep 04, 2021)
	370	Liam Welch (Samford) vs TENNESSEE TECH (Sep 02, 2021)
Passing attempts	362	Hamp Sisson (Furman) vs NORTH CAROLINA A&T (Sep 04, 2021)
	44	Liam Welch (Samford) vs TENNESSEE TECH (Sep 02, 2021)
Passing TDs	44	Rogan Wells (Western Carolina) vs EASTERN KENTUCKY (Sep 04, 2021)
	4	Liam Welch (Samford) vs TENNESSEE TECH (Sep 02, 2021)
Longest pass	3	Hamp Sisson (Furman) vs NORTH CAROLINA A&T (Sep 04, 2021)
	87	Hamp Sisson (Furman) vs NORTH CAROLINA A&T (Sep 04, 2021)
Passes completed	71	Payton Derrick (Wofford) at Elon (Sep 04, 2021)
	33	Liam Welch (Samford) vs TENNESSEE TECH (Sep 02, 2021)
Had intercepted	25	Hamp Sisson (Furman) vs NORTH CAROLINA A&T (Sep 04, 2021)
	3	Seth Morgan (VMI) at Kent State (Sep 11, 2021)
	2	Drayton Arnold (Chattanooga) vs AUSTIN PEAY (Sep 02, 2021)
	2	Rogan Wells (Western Carolina) vs EASTERN KENTUCKY (Sep 04, 2021)
	2	Payton Derrick (Wofford) at Elon (Sep 04, 2021)
	2	Liam Welch (Samford) at UT Martin (Sep 11, 2021)

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	2	Cole Copeland (Chattanooga) at North Ala. (Sep 11, 2021)
Pass completion pct	100.0	Ty Hatcher (Samford) vs TENNESSEE TECH (Sep 02, 2021) [2-2]
	100.0	Collin Ironside (VMI) vs DAVIDSON (Sep 04, 2021) [4-4]
Pass yards/attempt	11.6	Carter Peevy (Mercer) vs POINT (Sep 02, 2021) [12-139]
	11.2	Tyler Riddell (ETSU) vs UVA WISE (Sep 11, 2021) [18-201]
Pass yards/catch	15.4	Carter Peevy (Mercer) vs POINT (Sep 02, 2021) [9-139]
	15.5	Tyler Riddell (ETSU) vs UVA WISE (Sep 11, 2021) [13-201]
Receiving yards	128	Montrell Washington (Samford) vs TENNESSEE TECH (Sep 02, 2021)
	124	Ryan Miller (Furman) vs NORTH CAROLINA A&T (Sep 04, 2021)
Receptions	10	Leroy Thomas (VMI) vs DAVIDSON (Sep 04, 2021)
	8	Raphael Williams (Western Carolina) vs EASTERN KENTUCKY (Sep 04, 2021)
Yards per catch	34.5	Devron Harper (Mercer) at Alabama (Sep 11, 2021) [2-69]
	31.0	Ryan Miller (Furman) vs NORTH CAROLINA A&T (Sep 04, 2021) [4-124]
Receiving TDs	2	Jakob Herres (VMI) vs DAVIDSON (Sep 04, 2021)
	1	Tayshaun Shipp (Mercer) vs POINT (Sep 02, 2021)
	1	Ethan Dirrim (Mercer) vs POINT (Sep 02, 2021)
	1	Ty James (Mercer) vs POINT (Sep 02, 2021)
	1	A.J. Toney (Samford) vs TENNESSEE TECH (Sep 02, 2021)
	1	Ty King (Samford) vs TENNESSEE TECH (Sep 02, 2021)
	1	Jai'Rus Creamer (Samford) vs TENNESSEE TECH (Sep 02, 2021)
	1	Michael Vice (Samford) vs TENNESSEE TECH (Sep 02, 2021)
	1	Reginald Henderson (Chattanooga) vs AUSTIN PEAY (Sep 02, 2021)
	1	Malik Murray (ETSU) at Vanderbilt (Sep 04, 2021)
	1	Joshua Harris (Furman) vs NORTH CAROLINA A&T (Sep 04, 2021)
	1	Ryan Miller (Furman) vs NORTH CAROLINA A&T (Sep 04, 2021)
	1	Devin Wynn (Furman) vs NORTH CAROLINA A&T (Sep 04, 2021)
	1	TJ Jones (Western Carolina) vs EASTERN KENTUCKY (Sep 04, 2021)
	1	Jacob Saylor (ETSU) vs UVA WISE (Sep 11, 2021)
	1	Malik Murray (ETSU) vs UVA WISE (Sep 11, 2021)
	1	Will Huzzie (ETSU) vs UVA WISE (Sep 11, 2021)
	1	Ty James (Mercer) at Alabama (Sep 11, 2021)
	1	Devron Harper (Mercer) at Alabama (Sep 11, 2021)
	1	Montrell Washington (Samford) at UT Martin (Sep 11, 2021)
Longest reception	87	Ryan Miller (Furman) vs NORTH CAROLINA A&T (Sep 04, 2021)
	71	Landon Parker (Wofford) at Elon (Sep 04, 2021)
Field goal attempts	4	Timmy Bleekrode (Furman) vs NORTH CAROLINA A&T (Sep 04, 2021)
	4	Timmy Bleekrode (Furman) at Tennessee Tech (Sep 11, 2021)
Field goals made	4	Timmy Bleekrode (Furman) at Tennessee Tech (Sep 11, 2021)
	3	Tyler Keltner (ETSU) at Vanderbilt (Sep 04, 2021)
	3	Timmy Bleekrode (Furman) vs NORTH CAROLINA A&T (Sep 04, 2021)
Longest field goal	51	Timmy Bleekrode (Furman) at Tennessee Tech (Sep 11, 2021)
	47	Timmy Bleekrode (Furman) vs NORTH CAROLINA A&T (Sep 04, 2021)
Field goal pct	100.0	Timmy Bleekrode (Furman) at Tennessee Tech (Sep 11, 2021) [4-4]
	100.0	Tyler Keltner (ETSU) at Vanderbilt (Sep 04, 2021) [3-3]
	100.0	Richard McCollum (Western Carolina) vs EASTERN KENTUCKY (Sep 04, 2021) [2-
	100.0	Zach Williams (Samford) at UT Martin (Sep 11, 2021) [2-2]
	100.0	Aaron Sears (Chattanooga) at North Ala. (Sep 11, 2021) [2-2]
PAT kicks attempted	9	Devin Folser (Mercer) vs POINT (Sep 02, 2021)
	7	Zach Williams (Samford) vs TENNESSEE TECH (Sep 02, 2021)
PAT kicks made	9	Devin Folser (Mercer) vs POINT (Sep 02, 2021)
	7	Zach Williams (Samford) vs TENNESSEE TECH (Sep 02, 2021)
PAT kicks pct	100.0	Devin Folser (Mercer) vs POINT (Sep 02, 2021) [9-9]
	100.0	Zach Williams (Samford) vs TENNESSEE TECH (Sep 02, 2021) [7-7]

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	100.0	Jerry Rice (VMI) vs DAVIDSON (Sep 04, 2021) [6-6]
	100.0	Tyler Keltner (ETSU) vs UVA WISE (Sep 11, 2021) [6-6]
	100.0	Walker Gliarmis (Wofford) at Elon (Sep 04, 2021) [3-3]
	100.0	Colby Kintner (The Citadel) vs CHARLESTON SOUTHERN (Sep 11, 2021) [3-3]
	100.0	Zach Williams (Samford) at UT Martin (Sep 11, 2021) [3-3]
	100.0	Colby Kintner (The Citadel) at Coastal Carolina (Sep 02, 2021) [2-2]
	100.0	Tyler Keltner (ETSU) at Vanderbilt (Sep 04, 2021) [2-2]
	100.0	Richard McCollum (Western Carolina) vs EASTERN KENTUCKY (Sep 04, 2021) [2-2]
	100.0	Timmy Bleekrode (Furman) at Tennessee Tech (Sep 11, 2021) [2-2]
	100.0	Devin Folser (Mercer) at Alabama (Sep 11, 2021) [2-2]
	100.0	Aaron Sears (Chattanooga) at North Ala. (Sep 11, 2021) [2-2]
Punts	8	Brandon Dickerson (Western Carolina) at Oklahoma (Sep 11, 2021)
	7	Trey Turk (Mercer) at Alabama (Sep 11, 2021)
Yards punted	289	Trey Turk (Mercer) at Alabama (Sep 11, 2021) [7-289]
	282	Brandon Dickerson (Western Carolina) at Oklahoma (Sep 11, 2021) [8-282]
Longest punt	66	Gabe Boring (Chattanooga) vs AUSTIN PEAY (Sep 02, 2021)
	58	Timmy Bleekrode (Furman) vs NORTH CAROLINA A&T (Sep 04, 2021)
	58	Matt Campbell (The Citadel) vs CHARLESTON SOUTHERN (Sep 11, 2021)
Punting avg	51.0	Jack Culbreath (VMI) at Kent State (Sep 11, 2021) [3-153]
	50.8	Matt Campbell (The Citadel) vs CHARLESTON SOUTHERN (Sep 11, 2021) [5-254]
Punt returns	4	Dejuan Bell (Furman) at Tennessee Tech (Sep 11, 2021)
	4	Brandon Dowdell (Chattanooga) at North Ala. (Sep 11, 2021)
Punt return yards	69	Montrell Washington (Samford) vs TENNESSEE TECH (Sep 02, 2021)
	37	Daquan Patten (Western Carolina) vs EASTERN KENTUCKY (Sep 04, 2021)
Longest punt return	62	Montrell Washington (Samford) vs TENNESSEE TECH (Sep 02, 2021)
	28	Daquan Patten (Western Carolina) vs EASTERN KENTUCKY (Sep 04, 2021)
Punt return TDs	1	Montrell Washington (Samford) vs TENNESSEE TECH (Sep 02, 2021)
Punt return avg	23.0	Montrell Washington (Samford) vs TENNESSEE TECH (Sep 02, 2021) [3-69]
	18.5	Daquan Patten (Western Carolina) vs EASTERN KENTUCKY (Sep 04, 2021) [2-37]
Kick returns	5	Cooper Wallace (The Citadel) at Coastal Carolina (Sep 02, 2021)
	4	Dejuan Bell (Furman) vs NORTH CAROLINA A&T (Sep 04, 2021)
	4	Cooper Wallace (The Citadel) vs CHARLESTON SOUTHERN (Sep 11, 2021)
	4	DJ Dennis (VMI) at Kent State (Sep 11, 2021)
Kick return yards	107	Cooper Wallace (The Citadel) at Coastal Carolina (Sep 02, 2021)
	97	Cooper Wallace (The Citadel) vs CHARLESTON SOUTHERN (Sep 11, 2021)
Kick return avg	29.0	Calvin Jones (Western Carolina) at Oklahoma (Sep 11, 2021) [2-58]
	24.2	Cooper Wallace (The Citadel) vs CHARLESTON SOUTHERN (Sep 11, 2021) [4-97]
Longest kick return	37	Cooper Wallace (The Citadel) vs CHARLESTON SOUTHERN (Sep 11, 2021)
	35	DJ Dennis (VMI) at Kent State (Sep 11, 2021)
Combined PR/KR yards	107	Cooper Wallace (The Citadel) at Coastal Carolina (Sep 02, 2021) [0pr-107kr]
	99	Dejuan Bell (Furman) vs NORTH CAROLINA A&T (Sep 04, 2021) [13pr-86kr]
Interceptions	2	Brandon Dowdell (Chattanooga) vs AUSTIN PEAY (Sep 02, 2021)
	2	Aljareek Malry (VMI) vs DAVIDSON (Sep 04, 2021)
	2	Travis Blackshear (Furman) at Tennessee Tech (Sep 11, 2021)
Interception return yds	80	Karon Delince (ETSU) at Vanderbilt (Sep 04, 2021)
	67	Aljareek Malry (VMI) vs DAVIDSON (Sep 04, 2021)
Interception return avg	33.5	Aljareek Malry (VMI) vs DAVIDSON (Sep 04, 2021) [2-67]
	25.0	Travis Blackshear (Furman) at Tennessee Tech (Sep 11, 2021) [2-50]
Longest interception rtn	80	Karon Delince (ETSU) at Vanderbilt (Sep 04, 2021)
	67	Aljareek Malry (VMI) vs DAVIDSON (Sep 04, 2021)
Interception return TDs	1	Ty Herring (Samford) at UT Martin (Sep 11, 2021)
	1	Jerrell Lawson (Chattanooga) at North Ala. (Sep 11, 2021)
All-purpose yards	245	Montrell Washington (Samford) vs TENNESSEE TECH (Sep 02, 2021)

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	173	Jacob Saylor (ETSU) vs UVA WISE (Sep 11, 2021)
Tackles	13.0	Willie Eubanks III (The Citadel) at Coastal Carolina (Sep 02, 2021) [4-9]
	13.0	Nathan East (Samford) at UT Martin (Sep 11, 2021) [7-6]
Sacks	3.5	Devonnsha Maxwell (Chattanooga) at North Ala. (Sep 11, 2021) [3-1]
	2.5	Marquise Blount (The Citadel) vs CHARLESTON SOUTHERN (Sep 11, 2021) [2-1]
Tackles for loss	3.5	Nathan East (Samford) at UT Martin (Sep 11, 2021) [3-1]
	3.5	Devonnsha Maxwell (Chattanooga) at North Ala. (Sep 11, 2021) [3-1]

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200-Yard Rushing Performances

None

100-Yard Rushing Performances

- 149 Quay Holmes (ETSU) at Vanderbilt (Sep 04, 2021)
- 115 TJ Jones (Western Carolina) vs EASTERN KENTUCKY (Sep 04, 2021)
- 114 Irvin Mulligan (Wofford) at Elon (Sep 04, 2021)
- 111 Tommy Pollack (Mercer) vs POINT (Sep 02, 2021)
- 111 Ailym Ford (Chattanooga) at North Ala. (Sep 11, 2021)
- 100 Jaylan Adams (The Citadel) at Coastal Carolina (Sep 02, 2021)

Number of 100-Yard Rushing Performances

- Jaylan Adams, The Citadel - 1
- Ailym Ford, Chattanooga - 1
- Quay Holmes, ETSU - 1
- TJ Jones, Western Carolina - 1
- Irvin Mulligan, Wofford - 1
- Tommy Pollack, Mercer - 1

500-Yard Passing Performances

None

400-Yard Passing Performances

None

300-Yard Passing Performances

- 370 Liam Welch (Samford) vs TENNESSEE TECH (Sep 02, 2021)
- 362 Hamp Sisson (Furman) vs NORTH CAROLINA A&T (Sep 04, 2021)

Number of 300-Yard Passing Performances

- Hamp Sisson, Furman - 1
- Liam Welch, Samford - 1

200-Yard Receiving Performances

None

100-Yard Receiving Performances

- 128 Montrell Washington (Samford) vs TENNESSEE TECH (Sep 02, 2021)
- 124 Ryan Miller (Furman) vs NORTH CAROLINA A&T (Sep 04, 2021)
- 122 Raphael Williams (Western Carolina) vs EASTERN KENTUCKY (Sep 04, 2021)

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Number of 100-Yard Receiving Performances

Ryan Miller, Furman - 1

Montrell Washington, Samford - 1

Raphael Williams, Western Carolina - 1