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2017 SOUTHERN CONFERENCE FOOTBALL STANDINGS

C/SI	STANDINGS	CONFERENCE			OVERALL						
		W-L	PF	PA	W-L	PF	PA	H	A	N	ST
7/6	Wofford	7-1	228	177	10-3	334	291	5-1	5-2	0-0	L1
17/18	Samford	6-2	228	133	8-4	336	267	5-1	3-3	0-0	L1
20/19	Furman	6-2	294	159	8-5	424	311	5-1	3-4	0-0	L1
RV/RV	Western Carolina	5-3	256	175	7-5	389	325	3-2	4-3	0-0	L2
	Mercer	4-4	212	173	5-6	270	260	3-2	2-4	0-0	L1
	The Citadel	3-5	155	208	5-6	237	290	2-3	3-3	0-0	L3
	Chattanooga	3-5	165	191	3-8	195	284	1-4	2-3	0-1	W1
	ETSU	2-6	154	248	4-7	253	306	4-2	0-5	0-0	L2
	VMI	0-8	68	296	0-11	88	408	0-5	0-6	0-0	L11

C - FCS Coaches Poll; SI - STATS FCS Top 25

NOTES

• Three Southern Conference teams finished the season in the national rankings. Wofford wrapped up its year No. 7 in the FCS Coaches Poll and No. 6 in the STATS FCS Top 25, while Samford was ranked No. 17 by the coaches and No. 18 by STATS. Furman jumped five spots to finish 20th in the coaches' poll and landed at No. 19 in the STATS poll. Western Carolina received votes in both final polls.

• The SoCon earned multiple bids to the NCAA Division I Football Championship for the third straight season and the 30th time in the last 36 years. League champion and automatic qualifier Wofford claimed the No. 7 national seed and a first-round bye and beat league foe Furman in the second round before falling to eventual national champion and No. 2 seed North Dakota State in the quarterfinals. Furman earned a first-round win over 17th-ranked Elon, while Samford fell to No. 16 Kennesaw State in the opening round.

• Wofford finished 10-3 on the season, giving the Terriers consecutive seasons with double-digit wins for the first time in school history. The Terriers, who were the preseason pick to win the SoCon for the first time ever, claimed their fifth league title.

• Furman, under first-year head coach Clay Hendrix, won eight games for the first time since 2013 and had its best record by percentage since going 8-4 in 2006.

• Several SoCon football student-athletes earned All-America honors, with Furman offensive lineman Matthew Schmidt, Samford defensive lineman Ahmad Gooden and Western Carolina running back/kick returner Detrez Newsome earning consensus honors (AFCA, Associated Press and STATS). All three were first-team picks by the AFCA. See page 8 for the full list of postseason awards won by league players.

• Two SoCon head coaches retired after the conclusion of their seasons. ETSU's Carl Torbush stepped down on Dec. 8 after five years at the school and helping relaunch the Bucs' program. Wofford's Mike Ayers retired Dec. 13 after 30 years at the helm for the Terriers. He finished his career third in SoCon victories with 161 as a coach in the league between his tenures at Wofford and ETSU.

• Florida State offensive coordinator Randy Sanders was hired to replace Torbush at ETSU. Sanders is a Morristown, Tennessee, native and spent the last 29 seasons on FBS staffs.

• Pittsburgh defensive coordinator Josh Conklin was hired to replace Ayers at Wofford. The Gillette, Wyoming, native was on Ayers' staff from 2007-09.

• A SoCon team has ranked either first or second nationally in rushing in 17 of the last 18 seasons, including this one. The Citadel finished second in the FCS with 294.6 rushing yards per game.

• The SoCon is the only conference in college football that took on both the reigning FCS and FBS national champions this season. In addition to ETSU squaring off against FCS top-ranked JMU on Sept. 9, The Citadel faced Clemson on Nov. 18. Regardless of who wins the FBS national title this season, the SoCon will be the only league to have taken on both the FCS and FBS national champions from this year, as well. In addition to Wofford facing NDSU in the FCS playoffs, Mercer played Alabama and Samford took on Georgia in the regular season.

SoCon Individual Award Winners (All-Conference Teams on Page 5)



Offensive Player of the Year
Devlin Hodges, Samford



Defensive Player of the Year
Ahmad Gooden, Samford



Freshman of the Year
Kaelan Riley, Mercer



Jacobs Blocking Award
Matthew Schmidt, Furman



Coach of the Year
Clay Hendrix, Furman

SoCon Stats

NCAA Stats

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FCS Poll Site



SoCon FCS PLAYOFF HISTORY

Conferences in the FCS NCAA Playoffs

Conference (First year)	Overall	Pct.
Missouri Valley (1985)	100-66	.602
Independent	3-2	.600
Southern (1982)	108-73	.597
Big Sky (1979)	83-78	.516
Colonial Athletic (1978)	92-96	.489
Southland (1982)	60-64	.484
Big South (2006)	10-13	.435
Ohio Valley (1979)	31-57	.352
Patriot (1997)	13-25	.342
Great West (2004-11)	1-2	.333
Pioneer (2013)	2-5	.286
Mid-Eastern Athletic (1981)	6-30	.167
Northeast (2010)	1-8	.111
Southwestern Athletic (1978)	0-19	.000

SoCon vs. FCS leagues

Conference	Overall	Pct.
Big Sky	11-10	.524
Big South	3-2	.600
Colonial Athletic	26-17	.605
Independent	10-8	.556
Mid-Eastern Athletic	10-2	.833
Missouri Valley	13-11	.542
Ohio Valley	12-6	.667
Patriot	5-0	1.000
Southern	10-10	.500
Southland	7-7	.500
Southwestern Athletic	1-0	1.000
Total	108-73	.597

Championships won

Team	Championships	Years
Georgia Southern	6	1985, 1986, 1989, 1990, 1999, 2000
North Dakota State	6	2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2017
Youngstown State	4	1991, 1993, 1994, 1997
Appalachian State	3	2005, 2006, 2007
Eastern Kentucky	2	1979, 1982
James Madison	2	2004, 2016
Marshall	2	1992, 1996
Montana	2	1995, 2001
Boise State	1	1980
Delaware	1	2003
Eastern Washington	1	2010
Florida A&M	1	1978
Furman	1	1988
Idaho State	1	1981
Massachusetts	1	1998
Montana State	1	1984
Northeast Louisiana	1	1987
Richmond	1	2008
Southern Illinois	1	1983
Villanova	1	2009
Western Kentucky	1	2002

Bold denotes championship won as a member of the SoCon

Playoff results

1982		
1st round	South Carolina State 17, FURMAN 0	Greenville, S.C.
1983		
1st round	WESTERN CAROLINA 24, Colgate 23	Cullowhee, N.C.
Quarterfinal	FURMAN 35, Boston University 16	Greenville, S.C.
Semifinal	WESTERN CAROLINA 28, Holy Cross 21	Worcester, Mass.
Final	WESTERN CAROLINA 14, FURMAN 7	Greenville, S.C.
	Southern Illinois 43, WESTERN CAROLINA 7	Charleston, S.C.
1984		
1st round	Arkansas State 37, CHATTANOOGA 10	Jonesboro, Ark.

1985		
Quarterfinal	FURMAN 59, Rhode Island 15	Greenville, S.C.
Semifinal	FURMAN 35, Nevada-Reno 12	Greenville, S.C.
Final	Georgia Southern 44, FURMAN 42	Tacoma, Wash.

1986		
1st round	Nicholls State 28, APPALACHIAN STATE 26	Boone, N.C.
	Eastern Kentucky 23, FURMAN 10	Greenville, S.C.

1987		
1st round	APPALACHIAN STATE 20, Richmond 3	Boone, N.C.
	MARSHALL 41, James Madison 12	Huntington, W.Va.
Quarterfinal	APPALACHIAN STATE 19, Georgia Southern 0	Boone, N.C.
	MARSHALL 51, Weber State 23	Huntington, W.Va.
Semifinal	MARSHALL 24, APPALACHIAN STATE 10	Boone, N.C.
Final	Northeast Louisiana 43, MARSHALL 42	Pocatello, Idaho

1988		
1st round	Georgia Southern 38, THE CITADEL 20	Statesboro, Ga.
	FURMAN 21, Delaware 7	Greenville, S.C.
	MARSHALL 7, North Texas 0	Huntington, W.Va.
Quarterfinal	FURMAN 13, MARSHALL 9	Huntington, W.Va.
Semifinal	FURMAN 38, Idaho 7	Greenville, S.C.
Final	FURMAN 17, Georgia Southern 12	Pocatello, Idaho

1989		
1st round	Middle Tenn. 24, APPALACHIAN STATE 21	Murfreesboro, Tenn.
	FURMAN 24, William & Mary 10	Greenville, S.C.
Quarterfinal	FURMAN 42, Youngstown State 23	Greenville, S.C.
Semifinal	Stephen F. Austin 21, FURMAN 19	Greenville, S.C.

1990		
1st round	Georgia Southern 31, THE CITADEL 0	Statesboro, Ga.
	FURMAN 45, Eastern Kentucky 17	Greenville, S.C.
Quarterfinal	Nevada-Reno 42, FURMAN 35 (3OT)	Reno, Nev.

1991		
1st round	Eastern Kentucky 14, APPALACHIAN STATE 3	Richmond, Ky.
	MARSHALL 20, Western Illinois 17 (OT)	Huntington, W.Va.
Quarterfinal	MARSHALL 41, Northern Iowa 13	Huntington, W.Va.
Semifinal	MARSHALL 14, Eastern Kentucky 7	Huntington, W.Va.
Final	Youngstown State 25, MARSHALL 17	Statesboro, Ga.

1992		
1st round	Middle Tenn. 35, APPALACHIAN STATE 10	Murfreesboro, Tenn.
	THE CITADEL 44, North Carolina A&T 0	Charleston, S.C.
	MARSHALL 44, Eastern Kentucky 0	Huntington, W.Va.
Quarterfinal	Youngstown State 42, THE CITADEL 17	Charleston, S.C.
Semifinal	MARSHALL 35, Middle Tennessee 21	Huntington, W.Va.
Final	MARSHALL 28, Delaware 7	Huntington, W.Va.
	MARSHALL 31, Youngstown State 28	Huntington, W.Va.

1993		
1st round	GEORGIA SOUTHERN 14, Eastern Kentucky 12	Statesboro, Ga.
	MARSHALL 28, Howard 14	Huntington, W.Va.
Quarterfinal	Youngstown State 34, GEORGIA SOUTHERN 14	Youngstown, Ohio
	MARSHALL 34, Delaware 31	Huntington, W.Va.
Semifinal	MARSHALL 24, Troy State 21	Huntington, W.Va.
Final	Youngstown State 17, MARSHALL 5	Huntington, W.Va.

1994		
1st round	APPALACHIAN STATE 17, New Hampshire 10 (OT)	Durham, N.H.
	MARSHALL 49, Middle Tennessee 14	Huntington, W.Va.
Quarterfinal	Boise State 17, APPALACHIAN STATE 14	Boise, Idaho
	MARSHALL 28, James Madison 21 (OT)	Huntington, W.Va.
Semifinal	Boise State 28, MARSHALL 24	Boise, Idaho

1995		
1st round	APPALACHIAN STATE 31, James Madison 24	Boone, N.C.
	GEORGIA SOUTHERN 24, Troy State 21	Troy, Ala.
	MARSHALL 38, Jackson State 8	Huntington, W.Va.
Quarterfinal	Stephen F. Austin 27, APPALACHIAN STATE 17	Boone, N.C.
	Montana 45, GEORGIA SOUTHERN 0	Missoula, Mont.
	MARSHALL 41, Northern Iowa 24	Huntington, W.Va.
Semifinal	MARSHALL 25, McNeese State 13	Lake Charles, La.
Final	Montana 22, MARSHALL 20	Huntington, W.Va.

SoCon FCS PLAYOFF HISTORY

1996		
1st round	ETSU 35, Villanova 29	Johnson City, Tenn.
	FURMAN 42, Northern Arizona 31	Flagstaff, Ariz.
	MARSHALL 59, Delaware 14	Huntington, W.Va.
Quarterfinal	MARSHALL 54, FURMAN 0	Huntington, W.Va.
	Montana 44, ETSU 14	Missoula, Mont.
Semifinal	MARSHALL 31, Northern Iowa 14	Huntington, W.Va.
Final	MARSHALL 49, Montana 29	Huntington, W.Va.

1997		
1st round	GEORGIA SOUTHERN 52, Florida A&M 37	Statesboro, Ga.
Quarterfinal	Delaware 16, GEORGIA SOUTHERN 7	Newark, Del.

1998		
1st round	GEORGIA SOUTHERN 49, Colgate 28	Statesboro, Ga.
	APPALACHIAN STATE 45, Tennessee State 31	Boone, N.C.
Quarterfinal	GEORGIA SOUTHERN 52, Connecticut 30	Statesboro, Ga.
	Northwestern St. 31, APPALACHIAN STATE 20	Natchitoches, La.
Semifinal	GEORGIA SOUTHERN 42, Western Illinois 14	Statesboro, Ga.
Final	Massachusetts 55, GA. SOUTHERN 43	Chattanooga, Tenn.

1999		
1st round	GEORGIA SOUTHERN 72, Northern Arizona 29	Statesboro, Ga.
	Massachusetts 30, FURMAN 23 OT	Greenville, S.C.
	Florida A&M 44, APPALACHIAN STATE 29	Boone, N.C.
Quarterfinal	GEORGIA SOUTHERN 38, Massachusetts 21	Statesboro, Ga.
Semifinal	GEORGIA SOUTHERN 28, Illinois State 17	Statesboro, Ga.
Final	GEORGIA SOUTHERN 59, Youngstown St. 24	Chattanooga, Tenn.

2000		
1st round	GEORGIA SOUTHERN 42, McNeese State 17	Statesboro, Ga.
	Hofstra 31, FURMAN 24	Greenville, S.C.
	APPALACHIAN STATE 33, Troy State 30	Troy, Ala.
Quarterfinal	GEORGIA SOUTHERN 48, Hofstra 20	Statesboro, Ga.
	APPALACHIAN STATE 17, W. Kentucky 14	Bowling Green, Ky.
Semifinal	GEORGIA SOUTHERN 27, Delaware 18	Statesboro, Ga.
	Montana 19, APPALACHIAN STATE 16 (OT)	Missoula, Mont.
Final	GEORGIA SOUTHERN 27, Montana 25	Chattanooga, Tenn.

2001		
1st round	GEORGIA SOUTHERN 60, Florida A&M 35	Statesboro, Ga.
	FURMAN 24, Western Kentucky 20	Greenville, S.C.
	APPALACHIAN STATE 40, William & Mary 27	Boone, N.C.
Quarterfinal	GEORGIA SOUTHERN 38, APPALACHIAN STATE 24	Statesboro, Ga.
	FURMAN 34, Lehigh 17	Greenville, S.C.
Semifinal	FURMAN 24, GEORGIA SOUTHERN 17	Statesboro, Ga.
Final	Montana 13, FURMAN 6	Chattanooga, Tenn.

2002		
1st round	GEORGIA SOUTHERN 34, Bethune-Cookman 0	Statesboro, Ga.
	Villanova 45, FURMAN 38	Philadelphia, Pa.
	Maine 14, APPALACHIAN STATE 13	Boone, N.C.
Quarterfinal	GEORGIA SOUTHERN 31, Maine 7	Statesboro, Ga.
Semifinal	Western Kentucky 31, GEORGIA SOUTHERN 28	Statesboro, Ga.

2003		
1st round	WOFFORD 31, North Carolina A&T 10	Spartanburg, S.C.
Quarterfinal	WOFFORD 34, Western Kentucky 17	Spartanburg, S.C.
Semifinal	Delaware 24, WOFFORD 9	Newark, Del.

2004		
1st round	New Hampshire 27, GEORGIA SOUTHERN 21	Statesboro, Ga.
	FURMAN 49, Jacksonville State 7	Greenville, S.C.
Quarterfinal	James Madison 14, FURMAN 13	Greenville, S.C.

2005		
1st round	APPALACHIAN STATE 34, Lafayette 23	Boone, N.C.
	Texas State 50, GEORGIA SOUTHERN 35	San Marcos, Texas
	FURMAN 14, Nicholls State 12	Greenville, S.C.
Quarterfinal	APPALACHIAN STATE 38, Southern Illinois 24	Boone, N.C.
	FURMAN 24, Richmond 20	Richmond, Va.
Semifinal	APPALACHIAN STATE 29, FURMAN 23	Boone, N.C.
Final	APPALACHIAN STATE 21, Northern Iowa 16	Chattanooga, Tenn.

2006		
1st round	Montana State 31, FURMAN 13	Bozeman, Mont.
	APPALACHIAN STATE 45, Coastal Carolina 28	Boone, N.C.
Quarterfinal	APPALACHIAN STATE 38, Montana State 17	Boone, N.C.
Semifinal	APPALACHIAN STATE 49, Youngstown State 24	Boone, N.C.
Final	APPALACHIAN STATE 28, Massachusetts 17	Chattanooga, Tenn.

2007		
1st round	APPALACHIAN STATE 28, James Madison 27	Boone, N.C.
	WOFFORD 23, Montana 22	Missoula, Mont.
Quarterfinal	APPALACHIAN STATE 38, Eastern Washington 35	Boone, N.C.
	Richmond 21, WOFFORD 10	Spartanburg, S.C.
Semifinal	APPALACHIAN STATE 55, Richmond 35	Boone, N.C.
Final	APPALACHIAN STATE 49, Delaware 21	Chattanooga, Tenn.

2008		
1st round	APPALACHIAN STATE 37, South Carolina State 21	Boone, N.C.
	James Madison 38, WOFFORD 35	Harrisonburg, Va.
Quarterfinal	Richmond 38, APPALACHIAN STATE 10	Boone, N.C.

2009		
1st round	APPALACHIAN STATE 20, South Carolina State 13	Boone, N.C.
	Richmond 16, ELON 13	Richmond, Va.
Quarterfinal	APPALACHIAN STATE 35, Richmond 31	Richmond, Va.
Semifinal	Montana 24, APPALACHIAN STATE 17	Missoula, Mont.

2010		
1st round	GEORGIA SOUTHERN 41, South Carolina State 16	Statesboro, Ga.
2nd round	GEORGIA SOUTHERN 31, William & Mary 15	Williamsburg, Va.
	APPALACHIAN STATE 42, Western Illinois 14	Boone, N.C.
	WOFFORD 17, Jacksonville State 14	Jacksonville, Ala.
Quarterfinal	Villanova 42, APPALACHIAN STATE 24	Boone, N.C.
	GEORGIA SOUTHERN 23, WOFFORD 20	Spartanburg, S.C.
Semifinal	Delaware 27, GEORGIA SOUTHERN 10	Newark, Del.

2011		
2nd round	GEORGIA SOUTHERN 55, Old Dominion 48	Statesboro, Ga.
	Maine 34, APPALACHIAN STATE 12	Boone, N.C.
	Northern Iowa 28, WOFFORD 21	Cedar Falls, Iowa
Quarterfinal	GEORGIA SOUTHERN 35, Maine 23	Statesboro, Ga.
Semifinal	North Dakota State 35, GEORGIA SOUTHERN 7	Fargo, N.D.

2012		
2nd round	GEORGIA SOUTHERN 24, Central Arkansas 16	Statesboro, Ga.
	Illinois State 38, APPALACHIAN STATE 37 (OT)	Boone, N.C.
	WOFFORD 23, New Hampshire 7	Spartanburg, S.C.
Quarterfinal	GEORGIA SOUTHERN 49, Old Dominion 35	Norfolk, Va.
	North Dakota State 14, WOFFORD 7	Fargo, N.D.
Semifinal	North Dakota State 23, GEORGIA SOUTHERN 20	Fargo, N.D.

2013		
1st round	FURMAN 30, South Carolina State 20	Orangeburg, S.C.
	Jacksonville State 55, SAMFORD 14	Jacksonville, Ala.
2nd round	North Dakota State 38, FURMAN 7	Fargo, N.D.

2014		
2nd round	CHATTANOOGA 35, Indiana State 14	Chattanooga, Tenn.
Quarterfinal	New Hampshire 35, CHATTANOOGA 30	Durham, N.H.

2015		
1st round	CHATTANOOGA 50, Fordham 20	Chattanooga, Tenn.
	THE CITADEL 41, Coastal Carolina 38	Conway, S.C.
2nd round	Jacksonville State 41, CHATTANOOGA 35 (OT)	Jacksonville, Ala.
	Charleston Southern 14, THE CITADEL 6	Charleston, S.C.

2016		
1st round	CHATTANOOGA 45, Weber State 14	Chattanooga, Tenn.
	WOFFORD 15, Charleston Southern 14	Charleston, S.C.
	Youngstown State 38, SAMFORD 24	Youngstown, Ohio
2nd round	WOFFORD 17, THE CITADEL 3	Charleston, S.C.
	Sam Houston State 41, CHATTANOOGA 36	Huntsville, Texas
Quarterfinal	Youngstown State 30, WOFFORD 23 (2OT)	Youngstown, Ohio

2017		
1st round	Kennesaw State 28, SAMFORD 17	Kennesaw, Ga.
	FURMAN 28, Elon 27	Elon, N.C.
2nd round	WOFFORD 28, FURMAN 10	Spartanburg, S.C.
Quarterfinal	North Dakota State 42, WOFFORD 10	Fargo, N.D.



2017 NCAA Division I Football Championship

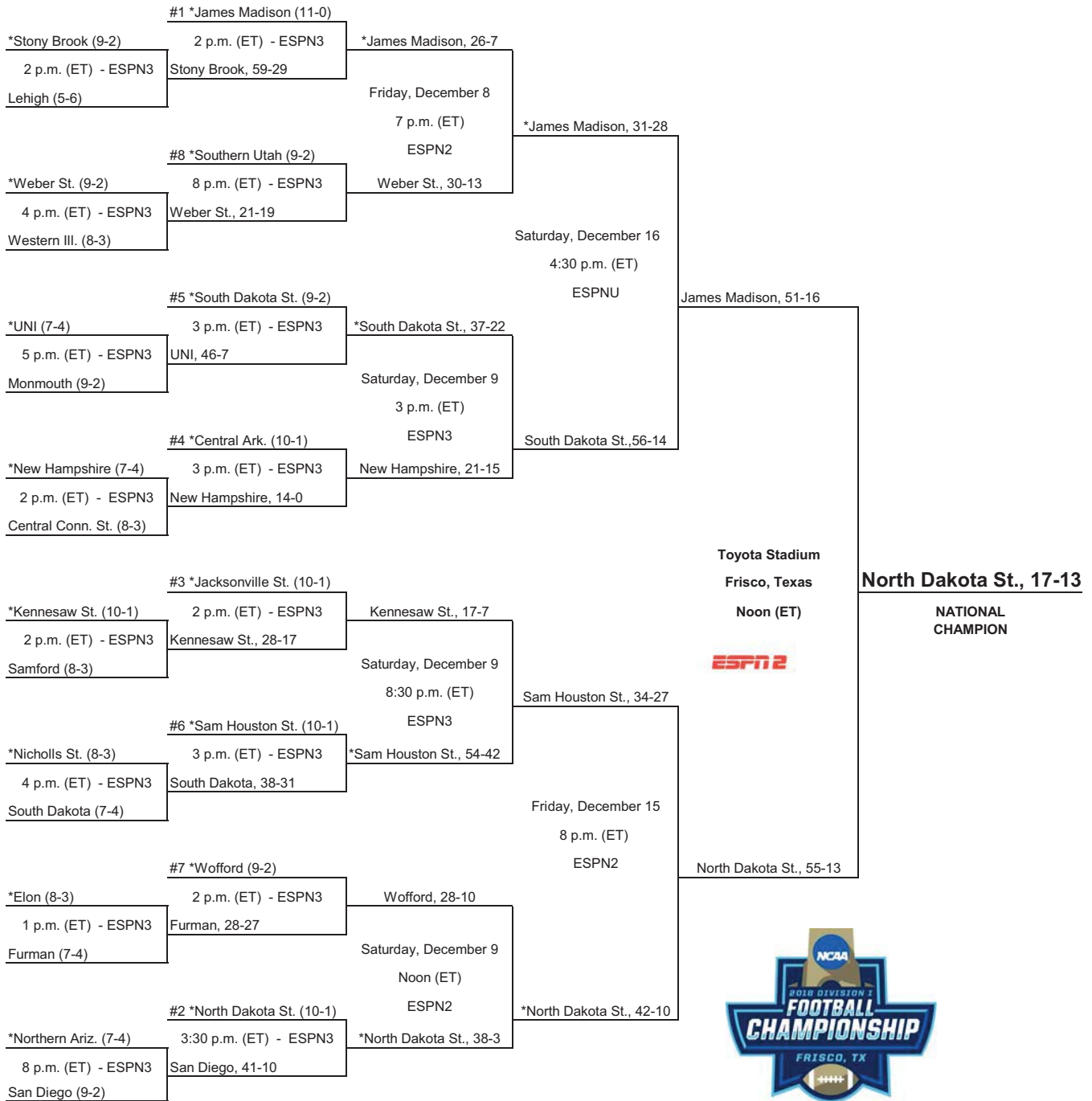
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November 25

Second Round
December 2

Quarterfinals
December 8/9

Semifinals
December 15/16

Final
January 6



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ALL-SOUTHERN CONFERENCE – COACHES

Offensive Player of the Year
Devlin Hodges, Samford, R-Jr., QB

Defensive Player of the Year
Ahmad Gooden, Samford, Jr., DL

Freshman of the Year
Kaelan Riley, Mercer, QB

Jacobs Blocking Award
Matthew Schmidt, Furman, Sr., OL

Coach of the Year
Clay Hendrix, Furman

First team offense

QB Devlin Hodges, Samford
RB Antonio Wilcox, Furman
RB Detrez Newsome, Western Carolina
OL Tyler Davis, The Citadel
OL Terrell Bush, Furman
OL Matthew Schmidt, Furman
OL Zach Weeks, Western Carolina
OL Ross Demmel, Wofford
TE Andy Schumpert, Furman
WR Kelvin McKnight, Samford
WR Terryon Robinson, Western Carolina

First team defense

DL Isaiah Buehler, Mercer
DL Ahmad Gooden, Samford
DL Miles Brown, Wofford
DL Tyler Vaughn, Wofford
LB Lee Bennett, Mercer
LB Shaheed Salmon, Samford
LB Tahjai Watt, Western Carolina
DB Kailik Williams, The Citadel
DB Omari Williams, Samford
DB Lucas Webb, Chattanooga
DB Marvin Tillman, Western Carolina
DB Devin Watson, Wofford

First team special teams

PK Luke Carter, Wofford
P Ian Berryman, Western Carolina
RS Chandler Curtis, Mercer

Second team offense

QB Tyrie Adams, Western Carolina
RB Tee Mitchell, Mercer
RB Andre Stoddard, Wofford
OL Alex Rios, ETSU
OL Thomas Marchman, Mercer
OL Austin Sanders, Mercer
OL Nick Nixon, Samford
OL Josh Cardiello, Chattanooga
TE Bailey Lenoir, Chattanooga
WR Chris Shelling, Samford
WR Steffon Hill, Western Carolina

Second team defense

DL Jaylan Reid, Furman
DL Isaiah Mack, Chattanooga
DL Derek Mahaffey, Chattanooga
DL Mikel Horton, Wofford
LB Myles Pierce, The Citadel
LB LeMarkus Bailey, Mercer
LB Allan Cratsenberg, VMI
DB Aron Spann III, The Citadel
DB Aaquil Annoor, Furman
DB Darius Harvey, Samford
DB Greg Sanders, VMI

Second team special teams

PK JJ Jerman, ETSU
P Austin Barnard, Samford
RS Quan Harrison, ETSU

All-freshman offense

Jonathan Cole, The Citadel
Jon Barrett Lewis, The Citadel
Brandon Rainey, The Citadel
Reed Kroeber, Furman
Darius Morehead, Furman
Kaelan Riley, Mercer
Montrell Washington, Samford
Mike Williams, Samford
Cole Copeland, Chattanooga
Kris Thornton, VMI
Donnavan Spencer, Western Carolina

All-freshman defense

Blake Bockrath, ETSU
Reynard Ellis, Furman
Elijah McKoy, Furman
Malique Fleming, Mercer
Sidney Otiwu, Mercer
Koi Freeman, Samford
Brett Granger, Samford
Jerrell Lawson, Chattanooga
A.J. Smith, VMI
Michael Murphy, Western Carolina
Deon Priestler, Wofford

All-freshman special teams

Grayson Atkins, Furman
Brandon Dowdell, Chattanooga
Victor Ulmo, Chattanooga

ALL-SOUTHERN CONFERENCE – SoCON SPORTS MEDIA ASSOCIATION

Roy M. "Legs" Hawley Offensive Player of the Year
Devlin Hodges, Samford, R-Jr., QB

Defensive Player of the Year
Ahmad Gooden, Samford, Jr., DL

Freshman of the Year
Kaelan Riley, Mercer, QB

Wallace Wade Coach of the Year
Clay Hendrix, Furman

First team offense

QB Devlin Hodges, Samford
RB Detrez Newsome, Western Carolina
RB Andre Stoddard, Wofford
OL Tyler Davis, The Citadel
OL Terrell Bush, Furman
OL Matthew Schmidt, Furman
OL Roo Daniels, Wofford
OL Ross Demmel, Wofford
TE Andy Schumpert, Furman
WR Kelvin McKnight, Samford
WR Terryon Robinson, Western Carolina

First team defense

DL Nasir Player, ETSU
DL Isaiah Buehler, Mercer
DL Ahmad Gooden, Samford
DL Miles Brown, Wofford
LB Lee Bennett, Mercer
LB Shaheed Salmon, Samford
LB Allan Cratsenberg, VMI
DB Aron Spann III, The Citadel
DB Omari Williams, Samford
DB Marvin Tillman, Western Carolina
DB Devin Watson, Wofford

First team special teams

PK Luke Carter, Wofford
P Ian Berryman, Western Carolina
RS Chandler Curtis, Mercer

Second team offense

QB P.J. Blazejowski, Furman
RB Kealand Dirks, Furman
RB Antonio Wilcox, Furman
RB Tee Mitchell, Mercer
OL Thomas Marchman, Mercer
OL Josh Cardiello, Chattanooga
OL Andrew Miles, Western Carolina
OL Zach Weeks, Western Carolina
OL Jared Jacon-Duffy, Wofford
TE Bailey Lenoir, Chattanooga
WR Marquise Irvin, Mercer
WR Chris Shelling, Samford

Second team defense

DL Ja'Lon Williams, The Citadel
DL Jaylan Reid, Furman
DL Nate Link, Western Carolina
DL Mikel Horton, Wofford
LB Myles Pierce, The Citadel
LB Brian Lipscomb, VMI
LB A.J. Newman, Western Carolina
DB Aaquil Annoor, Furman
DB Eric Jackson, Mercer
DB Lucas Webb, Chattanooga
DB Greg Sanders, VMI

Second team special teams

PK JJ Jerman, ETSU
P Austin Barnard, Samford
RS Darius Harvey, Samford

All-conference breakdowns

Coaches

School	1st TM	2nd TM	Fresh.	Total
CIT	2	2	3	7
ETSU	0	3	1	4
FUR	4	2	5	11
MER	3	4	3	10
SAM	5	4	4	13
UTC	1	4	4	9
VMI	0	2	2	4
WCU	6	2	2	10
WOF	5	2	1	8
Total	26	25	25	76

Media

School	1st TM	2nd TM	Total
CIT	2	2	4
ETSU	1	1	2
FUR	3	5	8
MER	3	4	7
SAM	5	3	8
UTC	0	3	3
VMI	1	2	3
WCU	4	4	8
WOF	6	2	8
Total	25	26	51

PRESEASON ALL-SOUTHERN CONFERENCE

Offensive Player of the Year
Devlin Hodges, R-Jr., QB, Samford

First Team Offense

QB Devlin Hodges, R-Jr., Samford
RB Cam Jackson, Sr., The Citadel
RB Detrez Newsome, Sr., Western Carolina
OL Tyler Davis, Jr., The Citadel
OL Matthew Schmidt, Sr., Furman
OL Thomas Marchman, Sr., Mercer
OL Josh Cardiello, Sr., Chattanooga
OL Roo Daniels, Sr., Wofford
TE Sam Walker, R-Jr., Mercer
WR Kelvin McKnight, Jr., Samford
WR Terryon Robinson, R-Sr., Western Carolina

First Team Defense

DL Ahmad Gooden, R-Jr., Samford
DL Isaiah Mack, Jr., Chattanooga
DL Miles Brown, Jr., Wofford
DL Tyler Vaughn, Sr., Wofford
LB Shaheed Salmon, Sr., Samford
LB Dale Warren, Sr., Chattanooga
LB Allan Cratsenberg, Sr., VMI
LB Datavious Wilson, So., Wofford
DB Kailik Williams, Sr., The Citadel
DB Omari Williams, Sr., Samford
DB Lucas Webb, Sr., Chattanooga
DB Devin Watson, Jr., Wofford

First Team Specialists

PK Cole Fisher, Jr., Mercer
P Ian Berryman, R-Jr., Western Carolina
RS Detrez Newsome, Sr., Western Carolina

Defensive Player of the Year
Kailik Williams, Sr., DB, The Citadel

Second Team Offense

QB Alejandro Bennifield, Sr., Chattanooga
RB Antonio Wilcox, Sr., Furman
RB Richardre Bagley, Sr., Chattanooga
OL Alex Rios, Sr., ETSU
OL Caleb Yates, Sr., Mercer
OL Malcolm White, So., Chattanooga
OL Nathan Dalton, R-Jr., Western Carolina
OL Ross Demmel, Jr., Wofford
TE Chandler Gouger, Sr., Wofford
WR Marquise Irvin, Jr., Mercer
WR James Stovall, Sr., Chattanooga

Second Team Defense

DL Ken Allen, Jr., The Citadel
DL Jonathan King, Sr., The Citadel
DL Jaylan Reid, R-Jr., Furman
DL Isaiah Buehler, R-Jr., Mercer
DL Taylor Reynolds, Sr., Chattanooga
LB Myles Pierce, Sr., The Citadel
LB Dylan Weigel, R-Jr., ETSU
LB Ryan Francis, R-Sr., VMI
DB Aaquil Annoor, Jr., Furman
DB Trevor Wright, Sr., Chattanooga
DB Greg Sanders, Sr., VMI
DB Keion Crossen, Sr., Western Carolina
DB George Gbese, So., Wofford

Second Team Specialists

PK JJ Jerman, Jr., ETSU
P Austin Barnard, R-Sr., Samford
RS Chandler Curtis, Sr., Mercer

SoCON PLAYERS OF THE WEEK

Offensive

Sept. 4.....Tyrie Adams, R-So., QB, WCU
Sept. 11.....Detrez Newsome, Sr., RB, WCU
Sept. 18.....Dominique Allen, Sr., QB, CIT
Sept. 25.....Tyrie Adams, R-So., QB, WCU
Oct. 2.....Devlin Hodges, R-Jr., QB, SAM
Oct. 9.....Andre Stoddard, Jr., FB, WOF
Oct. 16.....Brandon Goodson, Sr., QB, WOF
Oct. 23.....Devlin Hodges, R-Jr., QB, SAM
Oct. 30.....Antonio Wilcox, Sr., RB, FUR
Nov. 6.....Detrez Newsome, Sr., RB, WCU
Nov. 13.....Tyrie Adams, R-So., QB, WCU
Nov. 20.....Kelvin McKnight, Jr., WR, SAM

Defensive

Sept. 4.....Malik Rivera, Sr., S, WOF
Sept. 11.....Devin Watson, Jr., CB, WOF
Sept. 18.....Dylan Weigel, R-Jr., LB, ETSU
Sept. 25.....Keion Crossen, Sr., DB, WCU
Oct. 2.....Tahjai Watt, R-Sr., LB, WCU
Oct. 9.....Lee Bennett, Sr., LB, MER
Oct. 16.....John Brannon III, So., DB, WCU
Oct. 23.....Omari Williams, Sr., DB, SAM
Oct. 30.....Tae Davis, Sr., LB, UTC
Nov. 6.....Devin Watson, Jr., CB, WOF
Nov. 13.....Lee Bennett, Sr., LB, MER
Nov. 20.....Shaheed Salmon, Sr., LB, SAM

Special teams

Sept. 4.....Luke Carter, So., P/K, WOF
Sept. 11.....Cole Fisher, Jr., K, MER
Sept. 18.....Austin Barnard, Sr., P, SAM
Sept. 25.....JJ Jerman, Jr., K, ETSU
Oct. 2.....Logan McCarter, R-Sr., WR/RS, FUR
Oct. 9.....Luke Carter, So., P/K, WOF
Oct. 16.....Jon Croft Hollingsworth, Sr., P/K, FUR
Oct. 23.....Joshua Gibson, Jr., K, WCU
Oct. 30.....Victor Ulmo, Fr., K, UTC
Nov. 6.....Luke Carter, So., P/K, WOF
Nov. 13.....Chandler Curtis, Sr., WR/RS, MER
Nov. 20.....Marshall Cooper, So., LB, UTC

SoCON PLAYERS OF THE MONTH

Offensive

September.....Tyrie Adams, R-So., QB, WCU
October.....Devlin Hodges, R-Jr., QB, SAM
November.....Devlin Hodges, R-Jr., QB, SAM

Defensive

September.....Marvin Tillman, Jr., DB, WCU
October.....Aron Spann III, Jr., DB, CIT
November.....Shaheed Salmon, Sr., LB, SAM

PRESEASON SOUTHERN CONFERENCE POLLS

For the first time in its history, Wofford was the preseason choice to win the Southern Conference title, by both the league's coaches and media.

Coaches

Team (1st-place votes)	Total
1. Wofford (7)	63
2. The Citadel (2)	54
3. Samford	52
4. Chattanooga	41
5. Mercer	32
6. Western Carolina	27
7. Furman	26
8. ETSU	17
9. VMI	12

Media

Team (1st-place votes)	Total
1. Wofford (11)	178
2. The Citadel (6)	166
3. Samford (3)	156
4. Chattanooga (2)	152
5. Mercer	101
6. Furman	87
7. Western Carolina	71
8. ETSU	49
9. VMI	30

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SoCon vs. Other Conferences

FBS Opponents (0-10)

Atlantic Coast (0-3)

Sept. 16 NC State 49, Furman 16
Nov. 18 #4 Clemson 61, The Citadel 3
Nov. 18 North Carolina 65, Western Carolina 10

Mountain West (0-2)

Sept. 2 Air Force 62, VMI 0
Sept. 2 Hawai'i 41, Western Carolina 18

Southeastern (0-5)

Sept. 9 #12 LSU 45, Chattanooga 10
Sept. 16 #15 Auburn 24, Mercer 10
Sept. 16 #13 Georgia 42, Samford 14
Nov. 18 #1 Alabama 56, Mercer 0
Nov. 18 South Carolina 31, Wofford 10

FCS Opponents (10-7)

Big South (5-1)

Aug. 31 Samford 28, Kennesaw State 23
Sept. 9 The Citadel 48, Presbyterian 7
Sept. 16 Western Carolina 42, Gardner-Webb 27
Sept. 23 Wofford 27, Gardner-Webb 24
Sept. 30 Wofford 31, Presbyterian 7
Nov. 25 Kennesaw State 28, Samford 17

Colonial (1-2)

Sept. 9 Elon 34, Furman 31
Sept. 9 #1 James Madison 52, ETSU 10
Nov. 25 Furman 28, Elon 27

Missouri Valley (0-1)

Dec. 9 #4 North Dakota State 42, Wofford 10

Northeast (1-1)

Sept. 16 Robert Morris 23, VMI 0
Oct. 7 ETSU 16, Robert Morris 3

Ohio Valley (0-2)

Aug. 26 Jacksonville State 27, Chattanooga 13
Sept. 16 UT Martin 21, Chattanooga 7

Patriot League (1-0)

Sept. 23 Furman 45 Colgate 14

Pioneer League (2-0)

Aug. 31 Mercer 48, Jacksonville 7
Sept. 9 Western Carolina 63, Davidson 17

Non-Division I Opponents (3-1)

Sept. 2 The Citadel 31, Newberry 14
Sept. 2 ETSU 31, Limestone 10
Sept. 7 Samford 49, West Alabama 41
Sept. 9 Catawba 27, VMI 20

CONSECUTIVE RANKED WEEKS

Three SoCon teams are currently ranked in the FCS Coaches Poll. Samford has the longest active streak, which includes postseason and preseason polls.

Team	Consecutive	Entered
Samford	22	Oct. 10, 2016
Wofford	17	Nov. 14, 2016
Furman	3	Nov. 13, 2017

Chattanooga's streak of 51 straight appearances ended when the Mocs weren't in the Sept. 18 poll, while The Citadel saw its streak of 26 straight end with the release of the Oct. 16 national poll. Furman, which debuted in the FCS Coaches Poll late in the season, has been in the STATS FCS Top 25 in each of the last five editions.

SHUTOUT CHART

Team	Last shutout win	Games ago	Last shutout loss	Games ago
The Citadel	69-0 – Davidson (2015)	36	35-0 – Wofford (2010)	85
ETSU	44-0 – Concord College (2003)	44	31-0 – Wofford (2016)	20
Furman	10-0 – Elon (2004)	160	45-0 – Samford (2014)	40
Mercer	52-0 – ETSU (2015)	28	56-0 – Alabama (2017)	1
Samford	43-0 – Clark Atlanta (2015)	27	29-0 – Tennessee Tech (2000)	191
Chattanooga	34-0 – Presbyterian (2016)	23	49-0 – Alabama (2013)	50
VMI	49-0 – St. Francis (Pa.) (2008)	111	23-0 – Robert Morris (2017)	9
Western Carolina	35-0 – Shorter (2008)	112	51-0 – Chattanooga (2014)	37
Wofford	17-0 – VMI (2016)	16	3-0 – Gardner-Webb (2013)	56

OVERTIME RECORDS

Current Southern Conference teams are 40-49 (.449) all-time in overtime games. There have been three overtime games in the league this season, with Wofford winning twice in extra time.

Team	Record	Pct.
The Citadel	9-8	.529
ETSU	4-2	.667
Furman	4-10	.286
Mercer	2-2	.500
Samford	2-1	.667
Chattanooga	5-13	.278
VMI	6-3	.667
Western Carolina	2-7	.222
Wofford	6-3	.667
Total	40-49	.449

ALL-TIME RECORDS IN SoCON PLAY

Team	Years	W-L-T	Pct.
The Citadel	79th	207-292-5	.416
ETSU	27th	72-124-0	.367
Furman	79th	265-211-11	.555
Mercer	4th	11-19-0	.367
Samford	10th	43-35-0	.551
Chattanooga	41st	142-151-2	.485
VMI	83rd	182-301-23	.382
Western Carolina	41st	112-186-1	.376
Wofford	21st	101-61-0	.623

COACHING RECORDS

Coach, School	Career Record	School (Yrs.)	SoCon (Yrs.)
Brent Thompson, The Citadel	15-8 (2nd)	Same	11-5 (2nd)
Carl Torbush, ETSU	31-48 (8th)	11-22 (3rd)	4-12 (2nd)
Clay Hendrix, Furman	8-5 (1st)	Same	6-2 (1st)
Bobby Lamb, Mercer	99-65 (14th)	32-25 (5th)	54-44 (13th)
Chris Hatcher, Samford	142-71 (18th)	21-14 (3rd)	26-20 (6th)
Tom Arth, Chattanooga	43-16 (5th)	3-8 (1st)	3-5 (1st)
Scott Wachenheim, VMI	5-28 (3rd)	Same	2-21 (3rd)
Mark Speir, Western Carolina	26-43 (6th)	Same	17-29 (6th)
Mike Ayers, Wofford	218-160-2 (33rd)	207-139-1 (30th)	106-76 (24th)

SoCon record book

Wofford coach Mike Ayers retired on Dec. 13 after 30 years at the helm for the Terriers. Ayers tallied 161 wins at ETSU (11) and Wofford (150) in his 24 years in the SoCon (Wofford joined the league in 1997). He ranks third on the league's all-time wins list behind Appalachian State's Jerry Moore and Alabama's and Duke's Wallace Wade. Mercer's Bobby Lamb is fourth on the all-time wins list with 89.

SoCon wins leaders

Rank	Name	Wins
1.	Jerry Moore Appalachian State (1989-2012)	215
2.	Wallace Wade Alabama (1923-30); Duke (1931-41; 1946-50)	171
3.	Mike Ayers ETSU (1985-87); Wofford (1997-present)	161
4.	Bobby Lamb Furman (2002-10); Mercer (2014-present)	89
5.	D.C. Walker Wake Forest (1937-50)	77

FCS STATISTICAL CHAMPIONS

Blocked kicks allowed	Chattanooga	0	Kickoff return defense	Mercer	14.41
Blocked punts allowed	The Citadel	0	Passed had intercepted	Wofford	3
	Chattanooga	0	Passing yards per completion	The Citadel	20.04
Fewest penalties	VMI	38	Sacks allowed	Furman	0.54
Fewest penalties per game	Furman	3.15	Time of possession	The Citadel	34:19
Fewest penalty yards	VMI	332	All-purpose yards	Detrez Newsome, Western Carolina	170.67
Fewest penalty yards per game	VMI	30.18	Completions per game	Devlin Hodges, Samford	28.92
Fumbles recovered	Mercer	16	Yards per pass attempt	P.J. Blazejowski, Furman	10.56

**Consensus All-Americans
(AFCA, Associated Press, STATS)**

Matthew Schmidt, Furman, Sr., OL
Ahmad Gooden, Samford, Jr., DL
Detrez Newsome, Western Carolina, Sr., AP/RB

AFCA FCS Coaches' All-America

First team

OL Matthew Schmidt, Furman, Sr.
DL Ahmad Gooden, Samford, Jr.
AP Detrez Newsome, Western Carolina, Sr.

Second team

WR Kelvin McKnight, Samford, Jr.
QB Devlin Hodges, Samford, R-Jr.
DB Marvin Tillman, Western Carolina, Jr.

Associated Press FCS All-America

Second team

OL Matthew Schmidt, Furman, Sr.
DL Ahmad Gooden, Samford, Jr.
P Ian Berryman, Western Carolina, R-Jr.

Third team

RB Detrez Newsome, Western Carolina, Sr.
OL Ross Demmel, Wofford, Sr.
P Austin Barnard, Samford, Sr.

STATS FCS All-America

First team

AP Detrez Newsome, Western Carolina, Sr.

Second team

FB Andre Stoddard, Wofford, Jr.
OL Matthew Schmidt, Furman, Sr.
DL Ahmad Gooden, Samford, Jr.

Third team

WR Kelvin McKnight, Samford, Jr.
DL Miles Brown, Wofford, Jr.
LB Shaheed Salmon, Samford, Sr.

STATS Preseason FCS All-America

First team

P Ian Berryman, Western Carolina, R-Jr.

Second team

RB Detrez Newsome, Western Carolina, Sr.
DL Miles Brown, Wofford, Jr.
LB Shaheed Salmon, Samford, Sr.
DB Kailik Williams, The Citadel, Sr.

Third team

QB Devlin Hodges, Samford, R-Jr.
DB Omari Williams, Samford, Sr.
LB Dale Warren, Chattanooga, Sr.

Walter Camp FCS All-America

DL Ahmad Gooden, Samford, Jr.

Phil Steele FCS All-America

First team

DL Ahmad Gooden, Samford

Second team

RB Detrez Newsome, Western Carolina, Sr.
P Ian Berryman, Western Carolina
AP Detrez Newsome, Western Carolina, Sr.

Third team

TE Andy Schumpert, Furman, Sr.
OL Matthew Schmidt, Furman, Sr.
FB Andre Stoddard, Wofford, Jr.
P Austin Bernard, Samford, Sr.

Fourth team

WR Kelvin McKnight, Samford, Jr.
OL Ross Demmel, Wofford, Sr.
LB Shaheed Salmon, Samford, Sr.

Phil Steele FCS Freshman All-America

First team

OL Cole Strange, Chattanooga
OL Jonathan Cole, The Citadel
OL Jon Barrett Lewis, The Citadel

Second team

TE Owen Cosenke, Western Carolina
OL Reed Kroeber, Furman
OL Mike Williams, Samford
LB Reynard Ellis, Furman

STATS FCS Walter Payton Award

Finalists

Devlin Hodges, Samford, R-Jr., QB
Detrez Newsome, Western Carolina, Sr., RB

Watch list

Devlin Hodges, Samford, R-Jr., QB
Detrez Newsome, Western Carolina, Sr., RB

STATS FCS Buck Buchanan Award

Finalist

Ahmad Gooden, Samford, Jr., DL

Watch list

Kailik Williams, The Citadel, Sr., DB
Ahmad Gooden, Samford, Jr., DL

STATS FCS Jerry Rice Award

Finalists

Reynard Ellis, Furman, LB
Kaelan Riley, Mercer, QB

Watch list

Reynard Ellis, Furman, LB
Kaelan Riley, Mercer, QB

STATS FCS Doris Robinson Scholar-Athlete Award

Finalist

Andy Schumpert, Furman, Sr., TE

STATS FCS Eddie Robinson Award

Finalist

Mike Ayers, Wofford

William V. Campbell Trophy

Semifinalist

A.J. Newman, Western Carolina

STATS FCS National Players of the Week

10/9 Lee Bennett, Mercer, Sr., LB Defense

CoSIDA Academic All-District

District 3

A.J. Newman, Western Carolina, Sr., LB

District 4

Tee Mitchell, Mercer, Jr., RB
Andy Schumpert, Furman, Sr., TE
Jared Jacon-Duffy, Wofford, Sr., OL
Thomas Marchman, Mercer, Sr., OL
Caleb Yates, Mercer, Sr., OL
Dorian Kithcart, Mercer, Jr., DL
Myles Pierce, The Citadel, Sr., LB
Malik Rivera, Wofford, Sr., DB

FCS Athletics Directors Association

Academic All-Star Team

Myles Pierce, The Citadel, Sr., LB
Ian Berryman, Western Carolina, R-Jr., P
Jared Jacon-Duffy, Wofford, Sr., LB

FCS Bowl

Shaheed Salmon, Samford, Sr., LB

NFLPA Collegiate Bowl

Tae Davis, Chattanooga, Sr., LB
Detrez Newsome, Western Carolina, Sr., RB

Senior Scout Bowl

Tra Hardy, Western Carolina, DB

Overall MVP

Darrell Bridges, Chattanooga, RB

Defensive MVP, Trench Award

Taylor Reynolds, Chattanooga, DL



The Citadel
(5-6, 3-5 SoCon)

S2 NEWBERRY (CFDS/ESPN3)..... W, 31-14
S9 at Presbyterian (BSN) W, 48-7
S16 at ETSU* (ESPN3) W, 31-25
S30 at #23 Samford* (ESPN3) L, 14-35
O7 MERCER* (ESPN3)..... L, 14-24
O14 #5 WOFFORD* (ESPN3)..... L, 16-20
O21 at Chattanooga* (ESPN3) W, 20-14
O28 VMI* (ESPN3)..... W, 21-3
N4 #24 WESTERN CAROLINA* (ESPN3)..... L, 19-31
N11 at #21 Furman* (ESPN3)..... L, 20-56
N18 at #4 Clemson (ACC Network) L, 3-61



ETSU
(4-7, 2-6 SoCon)

S2 LIMESTONE (ESPN3) W, 31-10
S9 at #1 James Madison (CSN-MA+)... L, 10-52
S16 #13 THE CITADEL* (ESPN3)..... L, 25-31
S23 MERCER* (ESPN3) W, 26-23 (OT)
S30 at Furman* (ESPN3) L, 35-56
O7 ROBERT MORRIS (ESPN3)..... W, 16-3
O14 at #21 Western Carolina* (ESPN3).. L, 10-49
O28 #10 WOFFORD* (ESPN3) L, 24-31
N4 VMI* (ESPN3)..... W, 24-6
N11 at #14 Samford* (ESPN3) L, 7-42
N18 at Chattanooga* (ESPN3) L, 3-10



Furman
(8-5, 6-2 SoCon)

S2 at #11 Wofford* (ESPN3) L, 23-24
S9 ELON (WMYA/ESPN3) L, 31-34
S16 at NC State (ACC Network)..... L, 16-49
S23 at Colgate (PLN)..... W, 45-14
S30 ETSU* (ESPN3) W, 56-35
O7 at Chattanooga* (ESPN3) W, 41-17
O14 VMI* (ESPN3)..... W, 42-10
O21 MERCER* (ESPN3)..... W, 28-21
O28 at #20 Western Carolina* (ESPN3) . W, 28-6
N11 THE CITADEL* (ESPN3)..... W, 56-20
N18 at #13 Samford* (Stadium) L, 20-26
N25 at #17 Elon (ESPN3)^ W, 28-27
D2 at #9 Wofford (ESPN3)^ L, 10-28



Mercer
(5-6, 4-4 SoCon)

A31 JACKSONVILLE (ESPN3)..... W, 48-7
S9 #10 WOFFORD* (ESPN3) L, 27-28
S16 at #15 Auburn (SEC Alternate)..... L, 10-24
S23 at ETSU* (ESPN3) L, 23-26 (OT)
S30 VMI* (ESPN3) W, 49-14
O7 at #17 The Citadel* (ESPN3)..... W, 24-14
O14 CHATTANOOGA* (Stadium)..... W, 30-10
O21 at Furman* (ESPN3) L, 21-28
N4 #15 SAMFORD* (ESPN3) L, 3-20
N11 at #22 Western Carolina* (ESPN3)... W, 35-33
N18 at #1 Alabama (SEC Network) L, 0-56



Samford
(8-4, 6-2 SoCon)

A31 KENNESAW STATE (CFDS/ESPN3) ... W, 28-23
S7 WEST ALABAMA (ESPN3)..... W, 49-41
S16 at #13 Georgia (SEC Alternate) L, 14-42
S23 at Western Carolina* (ESPN3)..... L, 34-38
S30 #11 THE CITADEL* (ESPN3)..... W, 35-14
O7 at VMI* (ESPN3) W, 26-7
O21 at #5 Wofford* (ESPN3)..... W, 24-21
O28 CHATTANOOGA* (ESPN3) L, 21-23
N4 at Mercer* (ESPN3)..... W, 20-3
N11 ETSU* (ESPN3) W, 42-7
N18 #24 FURMAN* (Stadium) W, 26-20
N25 at #16 Kennesaw State (ESPN3)^ . L, 17-28



Chattanooga
(3-8, 3-5 SoCon)

A26 vs. #5 Jacksonville State (ESPN)..... L, 13-27
S9 at #12 LSU (SEC Alternate) L, 10-45
S16 UT MARTIN (ESPN3) L, 7-21
S23 at VMI* (Stadium) W, 63-7
S30 WESTERN CAROLINA* (ESPN3)..... L, 7-45
O7 FURMAN* (ESPN3) L, 17-41
O14 at Mercer* (Stadium)..... L, 10-30
O21 THE CITADEL* (ESPN3)..... L, 14-20
O28 at #8 Samford* (ESPN3)..... W, 23-21
N4 at #9 Wofford* (ESPN3)..... L, 21-24 (2OT)
N18 ETSU* (ESPN3) W, 10-3



VMI
(0-11, 0-8 SoCon)

S2 at Air Force (ESPN3) L, 0-62
S9 CATAWBA (ESPN3)..... L, 20-27
S16 at Robert Morris (NEC Front Row) ... L, 0-23
S23 CHATTANOOGA* (Stadium)..... L, 7-63
S30 at Mercer* (ESPN3)..... L, 14-49
O7 #20 SAMFORD* (ESPN3) L, 7-26
O14 at Furman* (ESPN3) L, 10-42
O21 #21 WESTERN CAROLINA* (ESPN3).L, 6-27
O28 at The Citadel* (ESPN3) L, 3-21
N4 at ETSU* (ESPN3) L, 6-24
N11 #8 WOFFORD* (ESPN3)..... L, 14-45



Western Carolina
(7-5, 5-3 SoCon)

S2 at Hawai'i (Spectrum PPV/MWC app)... L, 18-41
S9 DAVIDSON (ESPN3)..... W, 63-17
S16 at Gardner-Webb (WMYA/BSN).... W, 42-27
S23 #17 SAMFORD* (ESPN3) W, 38-34
S30 at Chattanooga* (ESPN3) W, 45-7
O7 at #5 Wofford* (ESPN3)..... L, 28-35 (OT)
O14 ETSU* (ESPN3) W, 49-10
O21 at VMI* (ESPN3)..... W, 26-7
O28 FURMAN* (ESPN3) L, 6-28
N4 at The Citadel* (ESPN3) W, 31-19
N11 MERCER* (ESPN3) L, 33-35
N18 at North Carolina (ACC Network Extra)... L, 10-65



Wofford
(10-3, 7-1 SoCon)

S2 FURMAN* (ESPN3) W, 24-23
S9 at Mercer* (ESPN3)..... W, 28-27
S23 GARDNER-WEBB (ESPN3) W, 27-24
S30 at Presbyterian (BSN) W, 31-7
O7 #22 WESTERN CARO.* (ESPN3) ... W, 35-28 (OT)
O14 at #22 The Citadel* (ESPN3)..... W, 20-16
O21 #14 SAMFORD* (ESPN3) L, 21-24
O28 at ETSU* (ESPN3) W, 31-24
N4 CHATTANOOGA* (ESPN3) .. W, 24-21 (2OT)
N11 at VMI* (ESPN3)..... W, 45-14
N18 at South Carolina (SEC Alternate) ... L, 10-31
D2 #25 FURMAN (ESPN3)^ W, 28-10
D9 at #4 North Dakota State (ESPN2)^.. L, 10-42

All times Eastern

* - Denotes SoCon game

ALL CAPS - Denotes home game

CFDS - 7 Communications' College Football Down South

^ - FCS playoffs

FCS COACHES POLL

Team (1st-place votes)	P5	S4	S11	S18	S25	O2	O9	O16	O23	O30	N6	N13	N20	J8	
North Dakota State (24)	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	6	6	4	1	
James Madison (1)	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	
Sam Houston State	3	3	3	3	3	11	t9	7	5	5	4	4	5	3	
South Dakota State	6	4	4	4	4	9	7	13	t8	8	5	5	6	4	
Weber State	22	20	21	18	18	16	16	23	22	14	12	9	8	5	
North Carolina A&T (1)	25	t21	20	15	13	12	11	11	6	7	7	t7	7	6	
Wofford	11	10	9	9	7	5	5	5	10	9	8	t7	9	7	
Central Arkansas	15	16	16	13	12	8	6	6	4	4	3	3	3	8	
Kennesaw State	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	25	23	21	16	9	
Jacksonville State	5	5	t6	7	t5	4	3	3	3	2	2	2	2	10	
Stony Brook	-	-	-	-	-	24	-	-	-	21	15	12	11	11	
Western Illinois	-	-	22	21	16	18	17	12	14	18	13	10	10	12	
Southern Utah	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	23	19	18	13	13	
Grambling State	21	23	25	22	19	19	19	17	13	12	11	11	12	14	
New Hampshire	16	12	11	16	14	13	12	18	16	19	16	14	20	15	
South Dakota	-	-	23	14	10	6	4	7	6	10	16	18	16	15	
Samford	19	17	17	17	23	20	18	14	t8	15	14	13	14	17	
McNeese	-	-	-	-	25	22	21	19	18	22	18	19	15	18	
Northern Iowa	20	t21	18	24	20	21	-	-	25	-	-	-	21	19	
Furman	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	24	25	20
Elon	-	-	-	-	-	23	20	15	11	10	9	15	17	21	
Eastern Washington	4	t6	12	11	t8	10	t9	8	12	11	21	20	19	22	
Nicholls	-	-	-	23	-	25	23	20	23	17	17	17	22	23	
Yale	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	24	24	
San Diego	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	25	
Monmouth	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	24	22	22	23	-	-	
Northern Arizona	-	-	-	-	-	24	22	24	16	24	23	-	-	-	
Illinois State	18	15	14	12	t8	7	15	24	21	13	20	25	-	-	
Western Carolina	-	-	-	-	-	-	25	21	20	-	25	-	-	-	
Villanova	9	8	8	8	17	15	14	16	15	20	-	-	-	-	
Richmond	7	9	t6	6	15	14	13	10	17	-	-	-	-	-	
Youngstown State	8	t6	5	5	t5	3	8	9	19	-	-	-	-	-	
Montana	-	-	-	-	-	-	25	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
The Citadel	12	13	13	10	11	17	22	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
UT Martin	-	-	-	-	21	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Albany	-	-	-	-	22	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Tennessee State	-	24	24	20	24	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
North Dakota	10	11	10	19	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Holy Cross	-	-	-	25	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Chattanooga	13	14	15	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Charleston Southern	14	18	19	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Lehigh	17	19	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Colgate	-	25	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Cal Poly	23	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
North Carolina Central	24	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	

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Single-game passing yards

534, Scott Riddle (Elon) vs. Furman, Nov. 3, 2007
 532, Chris Sanders (UTC) vs. Furman, Nov. 20, 1999
516, Devlin Hodges (SAM) at WCU, Sept. 23, 2017

Single-game rushing yards

321, Eric Breitenstein (WOF) at Elon, Sept. 29, 2012
 316, Jerick McKinnon (GSU) vs. Central Ark., Dec. 1, 2012
 313, Armanti Edwards (APP) vs. Richmond, Dec. 7, 2007
 301, Louis Ivory (FUR) vs. Ga. Southern, Nov. 4, 2000
 291, Armanti Edwards (APP) vs. The Citadel, Nov. 3, 2007
288, Detrez Newsome (WCU) vs. Davidson, Sept. 9, 2017

Career passing yards

13,264, Scott Riddle (Elon), 2007-10
 10,392, Armanti Edwards (APP), 2006-09
10,301, Devlin Hodges (SAM), 2015-present

Career passing touchdowns

106, Scott Riddle (Elon), 2007-10
79, Devlin Hodges (SAM), 2015-pres.

Career completion percentage

68.5, Devlin Hodges (SAM), 2015-pres.
 67.3, Jacob Huesman (UTC), 2012-2015

Career games passing for 400+ yards

6, Devlin Hodges (SAM), 2015-pres.
 4, Chris Sanders (UTC), 1999-00
 4, Richie Williams (APP), 2004

Single-game total offense yards

570, Cedric Stevens (UTC) vs. App State, Oct. 30, 2004
530, Devlin Hodges (SAM) at WCU, Sept. 23, 2017

Career total offense yards

14,753, Armanti Edwards (APP), 2006-09
 13,147, Scott Riddle (Elon), 2007-10
 12,248, Jacob Huesman (UTC), 2012-15
11,005, Devlin Hodges (SAM), 2015-pres.

Career punting average (minimum 100 punts)

44.4, Pumpy Tudors (UTC), 1989-91
 43.4, Joe Parker (APP), 1973-76
 43.4, Pat Velarde (MAR), 1982-83
44.3, Ian Berryman (WCU), 2015-pres.
43.2, Austin Barnard (SAM), 2014-pres.
 43.0, Harold Alexander (APP), 1989-92
 43.0, Ray Early (FUR), 2010-13

Career kickoff return yards

2,725, Mike Rucker (WOF), 2007-2010
 2,535, Carlos Frank (CIT), 1996-99
 2,493, Fabian Truss (SAM), 2010-13
 2,301, CoCo Hillary (APP), 2007-2011
2,279, Detrez Newsome (WCU), 2014-pres.

Career all-purpose yards

7,355, Thomas Haskins (VMI), 1993-96
6,969, Detrez Newsome (WCU), 2014-pres.

Career interception return yards

453, Rick Harris (ETSU), 1986-89
 303, Jeff Varnadoe (CIT), 1970-71
 298, Donnie Abraham (ETSU), 1992-95
295, Lucas Webb (UTC), 2014-17

Career touchdown receptions

52, Terrell Hudgins (Elon), 2006-09
 44, Aaron Mellette (Elon), 2009-2012
 37, Andre Roberts (CIT), 2006-09
 31, Brian Quick (Elon), 2008-11
 31, Karel Hamilton (SAM), 2013-16
 28, Chas Fox (FUR), 1982-85
 26, Gerald Harp (WCU), 1977-80
 26, B.J. Adigun (ETSU), 1994-97
 25, Joe Burke (UTC), 1977-79
 23, Rick Beasley (APP), 1978-80
 23, Cos Dematteo (UTC), 1998-01
 23, Karnorris Benson (WCU), 2012-15
23, Kelvin McKnight (SAM), 2015-pres.

STATS FCS TOP 25

Team (1st-place votes)	P5	S4	S11	S18	S25	O2	O9	O16	O23	O30	N6	N13	N19	J8
North Dakota State (158)	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	5	4	4	1
James Madison	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2
South Dakota State	4	4	4	4	4	8	7	13	11	10	6	6	6	3
Sam Houston State	3	3	3	3	3	9	9	7	5	5	4	5	5	4
Weber State	-	25	-	23	20	19	18	23	-	19	14	12	11	5
Wofford	11	10	11	9	7	5	5	5	8	8	8	7	8	6
North Carolina A&T	-	-	25	21	17	16	15	12	7	9	9	8	7	7
Kennesaw State	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	25	23	22	18	8
Jacksonville State	6	5	5	5	5	4	3	3	3	2	2	2	2	9
Central Arkansas	15	15	14	12	11	6	6	6	4	4	3	3	3	10
Stony Brook	-	-	-	-	-	23	-	22	22	14	12	10	10	11
New Hampshire	13	12	9	15	15	13	12	18	17	21	18	16	21	12
Western Illinois	25	22	20	19	13	15	14	10	12	15	11	9	9	13
Southern Utah	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	25	17	15	14	12	14
South Dakota	-	-	23	13	10	7	4	4	6	6	10	15	16	15
Grambling State	21	24	24	22	21	21	20	17	15	13	13	13	13	16
Northern Iowa	18	21	21	-	-	-	-	-	-	25	24	20	17	17
Samford	19	17	17	18	25	20	19	16	9	16	16	17	14	18
Furman	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	23	21	20	22	19
Elon	-	-	-	-	23	18	16	14	10	7	7	11	15	20
Eastern Washington	5	7	12	11	9	10	10	8	14	11	19	18	17	21
McNeese	-	-	-	-	-	22	20	20	22	20	19	19	22	22
San Diego	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	23
Yale	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	24	24
Nicholls	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	25	-	25
Illinois State	20	18	18	14	12	11	17	24	16	12	17	21	23	-
Northern Arizona	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	18	24	23	25	-
Western Carolina	-	-	-	-	-	22	21	19	18	24	22	-	-	-
Villanova	10	6	7	7	14	12	11	15	13	20	-	-	-	-
Richmond	7	9	8	8	16	14	13	11	19	-	-	-	-	-
Youngstown State	9	8	6	6	6	3	8	9	21	-	-	-	-	-
Delaware	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	23	-	-	-	-	-
Montana	-	-	-	-	-	-	24	21	24	-	-	-	-	-
North Carolina Central	-	-	-	-	-	-	25	25	-	-	-	-	-	-
The Citadel	16	14	13	10	8	17	23	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Albany	24	-	-	-	19	24	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
UT Martin	-	-	-	24	18	25	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Liberty	-	20	19	16	22	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Tennessee State	-	23	22	20	24	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
North Dakota	8	11	10	17	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Holy Cross	-	-	-	25	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Chattanooga	12	13	15	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Charleston Southern	14	16	16	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Lehigh	17	19	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Fordham	22	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cal Poly	23	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

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SCORING OFFENSE	G	TD	FG	XPT	2XP	DXP	Saf	Pts	Avg/G
1. Furman	13	57	9	55	0	0	0	424	32.6
2. Western Carolina	12	51	11	48	0	1	0	389	32.4
3. Samford	12	43	11	41	0	0	2	336	28.0
4. Wofford	13	43	11	41	1	0	0	334	25.7
5. Mercer	11	36	7	33	0	0	0	270	24.5
6. The Citadel	11	31	6	29	0	0	2	237	21.5
7. ETSU	11	24	14	21	2	0	0	211	19.2
8. Chattanooga	11	24	9	22	1	0	0	195	17.7
9. VMI	11	10	6	10	0	0	0	88	8.0

RUSHING DEFENSE	G	Att.	Yards	Avg/A	Long	TD	Avg/G
1. Wofford	13	443	1582	3.6	44	16	121.7
2. The Citadel	11	347	1574	4.5	81	22	143.1
3. Mercer	11	437	1640	3.8	57	18	149.1
4. Furman	13	496	1941	3.9	51	21	149.3
5. Chattanooga	11	452	1795	4.0	76	16	163.2
6. ETSU	11	459	1906	4.2	48	19	173.3
7. Samford	12	563	2350	4.2	84	20	195.8
8. VMI	11	546	2396	4.4	71	34	217.8
9. Western Carolina	12	545	2662	4.9	68	22	221.8

SCORING DEFENSE	G	TD	FG	XPT	2XP	DXP	Saf	Pts	Avg/G
1. Samford	12	36	6	33	0	0	0	267	22.2
2. Wofford	13	37	10	35	1	0	1	291	22.4
3. Mercer	11	34	7	31	0	0	2	260	23.6
4. Furman	13	41	9	36	1	0	0	311	23.9
5. Chattanooga	11	37	9	35	0	0	0	284	25.8
6. The Citadel	11	39	6	36	1	0	0	290	26.4
7. Western Carolina	12	42	10	39	1	0	1	325	27.1
8. ETSU	11	41	9	40	0	0	0	313	28.5
9. VMI	11	54	11	51	0	0	0	408	37.1

PASS OFFENSE	G	Comp-Att-Int	Pct.	Yds	Avg/A	TD	Avg/G
1. Samford	12	349-531-11	65.7	4001	7.5	31	333.4
2. Western Carolina	12	209-344-9	60.8	2515	7.3	23	209.6
3. ETSU	11	183-323-6	56.7	2216	6.9	14	201.5
4. Furman	13	151-249-5	60.6	2571	10.3	19	197.8
5. Chattanooga	11	221-372-17	59.4	2085	5.6	14	189.5
6. Mercer	11	176-295-10	59.7	2079	7.0	14	189.0
7. VMI	11	172-329-19	52.3	1501	4.6	5	136.5
8. Wofford	13	81-156-3	51.9	1337	8.6	5	102.8
9. The Citadel	11	52-139-8	37.4	1042	7.5	9	94.7

TOTAL OFFENSE	G	Rush	Pass	Plays	Yards	Avg/P	TD	Avg/G
1. Western Carolina	12	2772	2515	868	5287	6.1	47	440.6
2. Furman	13	2936	2571	880	5507	6.3	55	423.6
3. Samford	12	954	4001	867	4955	5.7	39	412.9
4. The Citadel	11	3241	1042	790	4283	5.4	31	389.4
5. Wofford	13	3182	1337	814	4519	5.6	43	347.6
6. Mercer	11	1577	2079	735	3656	5.0	35	332.4
7. ETSU	11	781	2216	701	2997	4.3	22	272.5
8. Chattanooga	11	859	2085	702	2944	4.2	22	267.6
9. VMI	11	903	1501	654	2404	3.7	9	218.5

PASS DEFENSE	G	Comp-Att-Int	Pct.	Yds	Avg/A	TD	Avg/G
1. Chattanooga	11	141-246-8	57.3	1795	7.3	16	163.2
2. Western Carolina	12	161-319-13	50.5	1982	6.2	18	165.2
3. ETSU	11	165-281-5	58.7	1898	6.8	17	172.5
4. Samford	12	166-307-14	54.1	2282	7.4	13	190.2
5. Wofford	13	250-397-11	63.0	2665	6.7	20	205.0
6. VMI	11	153-257-4	59.5	2270	8.8	17	206.4
7. The Citadel	11	187-296-11	63.2	2327	7.9	17	211.5
8. Furman	13	258-403-10	64.0	2960	7.3	19	227.7
9. Mercer	11	225-329-9	68.4	2563	7.8	15	233.0

TOTAL DEFENSE	G	Rush	Pass	Plays	Yards	Avg/P	TD	Avg/G
1. Chattanooga	11	1795	1795	698	3590	5.1	32	326.4
2. Wofford	13	1582	2665	840	4247	5.1	36	326.7
3. ETSU	11	1906	1898	740	3804	5.1	36	345.8
4. The Citadel	11	1574	2327	643	3901	6.1	39	354.6
5. Furman	13	1941	2960	899	4901	5.5	40	377.0
6. Mercer	11	1640	2563	766	4203	5.5	33	382.1
7. Samford	12	2350	2282	870	4632	5.3	33	386.0
8. Western Carolina	12	2662	1982	864	4644	5.4	40	387.0
9. VMI	11	2396	2270	803	4666	5.8	51	424.2

PASS EFFICIENCY	G	Comp-Att-Int	Pct.	Yds	Avg/G	TD	Effic.
1. Furman	13	151-249-5	60.6	2571	197.8	19	168.5
2. Samford	12	349-531-11	65.7	4001	333.4	31	144.1
3. Western Carolina	12	209-344-9	60.8	2515	209.6	23	139.0
4. Wofford	13	81-156-3	51.9	1337	102.8	5	130.6
5. Mercer	11	176-295-10	59.7	2079	189.0	14	127.7
6. ETSU	11	183-323-6	56.7	2216	201.5	14	124.9
7. The Citadel	11	52-139-8	37.4	1042	94.7	9	110.2
8. Chattanooga	11	221-372-17	59.4	2085	189.5	14	109.8
9. VMI	11	172-329-19	52.3	1501	136.5	5	84.1

RUSHING OFFENSE	G	Att.	Yards	Avg/A	Long	TD	Avg/G
1. The Citadel	11	651	3241	5.0	74	22	294.6
2. Wofford	13	658	3182	4.8	94	38	244.8
3. Western Carolina	12	524	2772	5.3	88	24	231.0
4. Furman	13	631	2936	4.7	68	36	225.8
5. Mercer	11	440	1577	3.6	46	21	143.4
6. VMI	11	325	903	2.8	56	4	82.1
7. Samford	12	336	954	2.8	49	8	79.5
8. Chattanooga	11	330	859	2.6	61	8	78.1
9. ETSU	11	378	781	2.1	18	8	71.0

PASS DEFENSE EFFIC.	G	Comp-Att-Int	Pct.	Yds	Avg/G	TD	Effic.
1. Western Carolina	12	161-319-13	50.5	1982	165.2	18	113.1
2. Samford	12	166-307-14	54.1	2282	190.2	13	121.4
3. Wofford	13	250-397-11	63.0	2665	205.0	20	130.4
4. ETSU	11	165-281-5	58.7	1898	172.5	17	131.9
5. Chattanooga	11	141-246-8	57.3	1795	163.2	16	133.6
6. Furman	13	258-403-10	64.0	2960	227.7	19	136.3
7. The Citadel	11	187-296-11	63.2	2327	211.5	17	140.7
8. Mercer	11	225-329-9	68.4	2563	233.0	15	143.4
9. VMI	11	153-257-4	59.5	2270	206.4	17	152.4

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KICKOFF RETURNS							FIELD GOALS				
	G	No.	Yards	TD	Long	Avg.		G	Made	Att	Pct.
1. Mercer	11	28	632	0	90	22.6	1. Wofford	13	11	12	.917
2. Furman	13	34	759	1	56	22.3	2. ETSU	11	14	18	.778
3. Samford	12	33	715	1	93	21.7	3. Chattanooga	11	9	12	.750
4. The Citadel	11	35	755	0	51	21.6	4. Furman	13	9	13	.692
5. ETSU	11	43	887	0	40	20.6	5. Samford	12	11	17	.647
6. Western Carolina	12	41	830	0	45	20.2	6. Western Carolina	12	11	18	.611
7. Wofford	13	39	753	0	42	19.3	7. Mercer	11	7	12	.583
8. Chattanooga	11	41	785	0	50	19.1	8. VMI	11	6	12	.500
9. VMI	11	53	966	0	33	18.2	9. The Citadel	11	6	14	.429

PUNT RETURN AVG							PAT KICKING				
	G	No.	Yards	TD	Long	Avg.		G	Made	Att	Pct.
1. Mercer	11	17	221	0	51	13.0	1. Furman	13	55	55	1.000
2. Chattanooga	11	18	181	0	37	10.1	Wofford	13	41	41	1.000
3. The Citadel	11	19	171	0	16	9.0	ETSU	11	21	21	1.000
4. Wofford	13	18	153	0	27	8.5	VMI	11	10	10	1.000
5. Samford	12	22	168	0	24	7.6	5. The Citadel	11	29	30	.967
6. Western Carolina	12	23	145	1	35	6.3	6. Western Carolina	12	48	50	.960
7. ETSU	11	19	111	0	15	5.8	7. Chattanooga	11	22	23	.957
8. VMI	11	13	72	0	34	5.5	8. Samford	12	41	43	.953
9. Furman	13	11	32	0	13	2.9	9. Mercer	11	33	35	.943

INTERCEPTIONS							SACKS BY				
	G	No.	Yards	TD	Long	Avg.		G	No.	Yards	Avg/G
1. Samford	12	14	149	3	63	10.6	1. Furman	13	34	210	2.62
2. Western Carolina	12	13	197	1	56	15.2	2. Samford	12	28	181	2.33
3. Wofford	13	11	108	0	67	9.8	3. ETSU	11	23	125	2.09
4. The Citadel	11	11	56	0	28	5.1	4. Western Carolina	12	21	144	1.75
5. Furman	13	10	103	1	42	10.3	5. VMI	11	20	138	1.82
6. Mercer	11	9	89	1	51	9.9	6. Wofford	13	17	102	1.31
7. Chattanooga	11	8	93	1	23	11.6	7. Mercer	11	16	117	1.45
8. ETSU	11	5	57	2	33	11.4	The Citadel	11	16	91	1.45
9. VMI	11	4	92	1	60	23.0	9. Chattanooga	11	11	82	1.00

PUNTING								SACKS AGAINST					
	G	No.	Yards	Avg/P	Ret.	Avg/R	TB	Net/P		G	No.	Yards	Avg/G
1. Samford	12	60	2614	43.6	139	2.3	7	38.9	1. Furman	13	7	45	0.54
2. Wofford	13	55	2253	41.0	136	2.5	3	37.4	2. Wofford	13	10	68	0.77
3. Furman	13	47	1951	41.5	151	3.2	4	36.6	3. The Citadel	11	11	72	1.00
4. Western Carolina	12	64	2726	42.6	266	4.2	6	36.6	4. Mercer	11	12	92	1.09
5. Mercer	11	59	2405	40.8	218	3.7	2	36.4	5. Samford	12	19	110	1.58
6. Chattanooga	11	60	2393	39.9	156	2.6	3	36.3	6. Western Carolina	12	24	148	2.00
7. VMI	11	73	3045	41.7	342	4.7	3	36.2	7. VMI	11	29	196	2.64
8. The Citadel	11	52	1993	38.3	58	1.1	4	35.7	8. ETSU	11	30	188	2.73
9. ETSU	11	68	2660	39.1	263	3.9	4	34.1	9. Chattanooga	11	34	257	3.09

KICKOFF COVERAGE								FIRST DOWNS						
	G	No.	Yards	Avg.	Ret.	TB	NetAvg		G	Rush	Pass	Pen	Total	Avg/G
1. ETSU	11	47	2965	63.1	323	31	43.0	1. Furman	13	147	111	19	277	21.3
2. Samford	12	67	4202	62.7	848	25	42.6	2. Western Carolina	12	137	107	24	268	22.3
3. Mercer	11	55	3100	56.4	562	10	42.5	3. Samford	12	68	176	18	262	21.8
4. Chattanooga	11	43	2539	59.0	644	6	41.3	4. Wofford	13	157	51	9	217	16.7
5. Furman	13	78	4884	62.6	1082	33	40.3	5. The Citadel	11	169	31	12	212	19.3
6. The Citadel	11	45	2889	64.2	682	20	40.2	6. Mercer	11	92	89	17	198	18.0
7. Wofford	13	63	3842	61.0	1144	13	38.7	7. ETSU	11	56	93	27	176	16.0
8. Western Carolina	12	73	3993	54.7	1123	7	37.4	Chattanooga	11	55	99	22	176	16.0
9. VMI	11	25	1431	57.2	419	4	37.3	9. VMI	11	56	62	14	132	12.0

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OPPONENT 1ST DOWNS	G	Rush	Pass	Pen	Total	Avg/G
1. The Citadel	11	82	92	13	187	17.0
2. Chattanooga	11	97	77	21	195	17.7
3. ETSU	11	107	86	11	204	18.5
4. Mercer	11	91	115	20	226	20.5
5. Wofford	13	84	127	17	228	17.5
6. Samford	12	121	93	19	233	19.4
7. VMI	11	127	98	13	238	21.6
8. Western Carolina	12	136	88	15	239	19.9
9. Furman	13	111	131	14	256	19.7

PENALTIES	G	No.	Yards	Avg/G
1. VMI	11	38	332	30.2
2. Furman	13	41	397	30.5
3. The Citadel	11	53	438	39.8
4. Samford	12	53	505	42.1
5. ETSU	11	56	500	45.5
6. Wofford	13	66	595	45.8
7. Mercer	11	63	569	51.7
8. Chattanooga	11	78	630	57.3
9. Western Carolina	12	79	731	60.9

3RD-DOWN CONVERSIONS	G	Conv.	Att.	Pct.
1. Furman	13	88	181	48.6
2. Wofford	13	83	176	47.2
3. The Citadel	11	73	173	42.2
4. Western Carolina	12	65	159	40.9
5. Samford	12	66	166	39.8
6. Mercer	11	56	150	37.3
7. ETSU	11	51	159	32.1
8. Chattanooga	11	47	150	31.3
9. VMI	11	44	159	27.7

OPPONENT PENALTIES	G	No.	Yards	Avg/G
1. ETSU	11	82	754	68.5
2. Chattanooga	11	69	700	63.6
3. Furman	13	93	761	58.5
4. Western Carolina	12	75	659	54.9
5. Mercer	11	59	553	50.3
6. VMI	11	61	539	49.0
7. Samford	12	70	552	46.0
8. Wofford	13	51	416	32.0
9. The Citadel	11	34	330	30.0

OPP 3RD-DN CONVERT	G	Conv.	Att.	Pct.
1. The Citadel	11	43	120	35.8
2. Western Carolina	12	70	181	38.7
3. Samford	12	73	187	39.0
4. Furman	13	72	183	39.3
5. ETSU	11	64	159	40.3
6. Chattanooga	11	60	149	40.3
7. Mercer	11	64	151	42.4
8. Wofford	13	80	179	44.7
9. VMI	11	74	157	47.1

TIME OF POSSESSION	G	Total possession	Average/game
1. The Citadel	11	377:35	34:19
2. Wofford	13	398:49	30:40
3. ETSU	11	335:46	30:31
4. Chattanooga	11	332:33	30:13
5. Furman	13	392:05	30:09
6. Mercer	11	330:40	30:03
7. Samford	12	336:35	28:02
8. Western Carolina	12	334:57	27:54
9. VMI	11	295:18	26:50

4TH-DOWN CONVERSIONS	G	Conv.	Att.	Pct.
1. Furman	13	17	26	65.4
2. Wofford	13	12	21	57.1
3. Chattanooga	11	11	22	50.0
4. Mercer	11	7	15	46.7
5. Samford	12	7	16	43.8
6. Western Carolina	12	2	5	40.0
7. The Citadel	11	10	26	38.5
8. ETSU	11	5	14	35.7
9. VMI	11	6	18	33.3

TURNOVER MARGIN	G	Gained			Lost			Margin	Per/G
		Fum	Int	Tot	Fum	Int	Tot		
1. Mercer	11	16	9	25	6	10	16	+9	0.82
2. Wofford	13	9	11	20	11	3	14	+6	0.46
3. Samford	12	11	14	25	9	11	20	+5	0.42
4. Western Carolina	12	10	13	23	10	9	19	+4	0.33
5. Furman	13	8	10	18	10	5	15	+3	0.23
6. The Citadel	11	6	11	17	7	8	15	+2	0.18
7. ETSU	11	6	5	11	8	6	14	-3	-0.27
8. Chattanooga	11	5	8	13	8	17	25	-12	-1.09
9. VMI	11	2	4	6	9	19	28	-22	-2.00

OPP 4TH-DN CONVERT	G	Conv.	Att.	Pct.
1. Chattanooga	11	4	11	36.4
2. Samford	12	10	27	37.0
3. The Citadel	11	5	11	45.5
4. ETSU	11	8	17	47.1
5. Western Carolina	12	10	21	47.6
6. Wofford	13	11	23	47.8
7. Mercer	11	11	19	57.9
8. Furman	13	16	27	59.3
9. VMI	11	12	16	75.0

RED ZONE OFFENSE	G	Scores	Pct.	TDs	(R-P)	FGs	TurnO
1. Wofford	13	44-48	91.7	33	32-1	11-11	2
2. Mercer	11	32-35	91.4	25	20-5	7-9	1
3. Western Carolina	12	35-41	85.4	28	17-11	7-11	0
4. Furman	13	44-52	84.6	37	29-8	7-9	1
5. ETSU	11	20-24	83.3	13	8-5	7-9	1
6. Chattanooga	11	25-32	78.1	17	6-11	8-9	4
7. Samford	12	34-47	72.3	25	7-18	9-12	4
8. VMI	11	9-13	69.2	5	2-3	4-6	0
9. The Citadel	11	25-41	61.0	21	17-4	4-10	5

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RED ZONE DEFENSE	G	Scores	Pct.	TDs	(R-P)	FGs	TurnO
1. Mercer	11	30-40	75.0	26	16-10	4-8	3
2. Samford	12	30-39	76.9	25	18-7	5-6	3
3. Western Carolina	12	37-47	78.7	29	16-13	8-9	3
4. Wofford	13	38-47	80.9	29	15-14	9-13	3
5. Furman	13	34-42	81.0	27	18-9	7-7	4
6. Chattanooga	11	27-33	81.8	21	15-6	6-10	1
VMI	11	45-55	81.8	35	28-7	10-16	0
8. ETSU	11	33-38	86.8	25	14-11	8-11	0
9. The Citadel	11	27-31	87.1	23	16-7	4-4	3

ON-SIDE KICKS BY	G	Recovered	Attempts	Success%
1. The Citadel	11	2	2	100.0
VMI	11	1	1	100.0
3. ETSU	11	0	1	0.0
Furman	13	0	1	0.0
Wofford	13	0	0	0.0
Chattanooga	11	0	0	0.0
Western Carolina	12	0	0	0.0
Samford	12	0	0	0.0
Mercer	11	0	0	0.0

ON-SIDE KICKS AGAINST	G	Recovered	Attempts	Success%
1. Wofford	13	0	1	0.0
Furman	13	0	1	0.0
ETSU	11	0	0	0.0
Chattanooga	11	0	0	0.0
Samford	12	0	0	0.0
VMI	11	0	0	0.0
The Citadel	11	0	0	0.0
8. Western Carolina	12	1	1	100.0
Mercer	11	1	1	100.0

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RUSHING								
	Cl	G	Att.	Yds	Avg.	TD	Lg	Avg/G
1. Detrez Newsome-WCU	Sr	9	178	1100	6.2	9	88	122.2
2. Kealand Dirks-FUR	Jr	11	152	720	4.7	9	53	65.5
3. Andre Stoddard-WOF	Jr	13	176	825	4.7	15	31	63.5
4. Antonio Wilcox-FUR	Sr	13	162	814	5.0	14	68	62.6
5. Lennox McAfee-WOF	Jr	12	99	747	7.5	6	57	62.2
6. Tyrie Adams-WCU	So	12	155	746	4.8	2	48	62.2
7. Tee Mitchell-MER	Jr	11	155	626	4.0	7	46	56.9
8. Grant Drakeford-CIT	Jr	11	63	602	9.6	2	71	54.7
9. Darrell Bridges-UTC	Sr	11	151	587	3.9	6	61	53.4
10. Dominique Allen-CIT	Sr	11	129	579	4.5	8	54	52.6

PASSING AVG/GAME							
	Cl	G	Comp-Att-Int	Yds	TD	Avg/G	
1. Devlin Hodges-SAM	Jr	12	347-528-11	3983	31	331.9	
2. Austin Herink-ETSU	Jr	11	182-322-6	2213	14	201.2	
3. Tyrie Adams-WCU	So	12	189-305-8	2294	22	191.2	
4. PJ Blazejowski-FUR	Sr	13	142-233-5	2461	19	189.3	
5. Kaelan Riley-MER	Fr	11	171-288-10	2030	13	184.5	
6. Brandon Goodson-WOF	Sr	13	72-135-1	1095	4	84.2	
7. Duncan Hodges-VMI	Fr	9	87-159-10	692	3	76.9	
8. Jordan Black-CIT	So	10	23-50-1	584	6	58.4	
9. Dominique Allen-CIT	Sr	11	29-86-7	458	3	41.6	
10. Joe Newman-WOF	So	11	8-19-2	167	0	15.2	

PASS EFFICIENCY							
	Cl	G	Comp-Att-Int	Yds	TD	Eff.	
1. PJ Blazejowski-FUR	Sr	13	142-233-5	2461	19	172.3	
2. Devlin Hodges-SAM	Jr	12	347-528-11	3983	31	144.3	
3. Tyrie Adams-WCU	So	12	189-305-8	2294	22	143.7	
4. Kaelan Riley-MER	Fr	11	171-288-10	2030	13	126.5	
5. Austin Herink-ETSU	Jr	11	182-322-6	2213	14	124.9	
6. Duncan Hodges-VMI	Fr	9	87-159-10	692	3	84.9	

RECEPTIONS/GAME								
	Cl	G	No.	Yds	TD	Lg	Yds/G	Rec/G
1. Kelvin McKnight-SAM	Jr	11	86	1179	12	58	107.2	7.8
2. Chris Shelling-SAM	So	12	73	907	7	72	75.6	6.1
3. Terryon Robinson-WCU	Sr	12	62	896	10	67	74.7	5.2
4. Steffon Hill-WCU	Sr	11	44	644	5	58	58.5	4.0
5. Marquise Irvin-MER	Jr	11	41	536	4	40	48.7	3.7
6. Thomas Gordon-FUR	So	11	39	717	1	77	65.2	3.5
Bingo Morton-UTC	Jr	11	39	366	4	59	33.3	3.5
8. Vincent Lowe-ETSU	Sr	9	31	408	4	53	45.3	3.4
9. Chandler Curtis-MER	Sr	11	37	446	4	61	40.5	3.4
Alphonso Stewart-UTC	Sr	11	37	438	4	41	39.8	3.4

RECEIVE YDS/GAME								
	Cl	G	No.	Yds	TD	Lg	Avg/C	Yds/G
1. Kelvin McKnight-SAM	Jr	11	86	1179	12	58	13.7	107.2
2. Chris Shelling-SAM	So	12	73	907	7	72	12.4	75.6
3. Terryon Robinson-WCU	Sr	12	62	896	10	67	14.5	74.7
4. Thomas Gordon-FUR	So	11	39	717	1	77	18.4	65.2
5. Steffon Hill-WCU	Sr	11	44	644	5	58	14.6	58.5
6. Andy Schumpert-FUR	Sr	13	32	652	9	71	20.4	50.2
7. Marquise Irvin-MER	Jr	11	41	536	4	40	13.1	48.7
8. Vincent Lowe-ETSU	Sr	9	31	408	4	53	13.2	45.3
9. Andrew Harris-SAM	Jr	11	36	497	4	57	13.8	45.2
10. Logan McCarter-FUR	Sr	13	31	555	5	64	17.9	42.7

TOTAL OFFENSE							
	Cl	G	Rush	Pass	Plays	Total	Yds/G
1. Devlin Hodges-SAM	Jr	12	155	3983	623	4138	344.8
2. Tyrie Adams-WCU	So	12	746	2294	460	3040	253.3
3. PJ Blazejowski-FUR	Sr	13	318	2461	323	2779	213.8
4. Kaelan Riley-MER	Fr	11	193	2030	365	2223	202.1
5. Austin Herink-ETSU	Jr	11	6	2213	405	2219	201.7
6. Detrez Newsome-WCU	Sr	9	1100	0	178	1100	122.2
7. Brandon Goodson-WOF	Sr	13	285	1095	217	1380	106.2
8. Dominique Allen-CIT	Sr	11	579	458	215	1037	94.3
9. Jordan Black-CIT	So	10	303	584	131	887	88.7
10. Duncan Hodges-VMI	Fr	9	69	692	212	761	84.6

SCORING									
	Cl	G	TD	FG	XPT	2XP	Pts	Pts/G	
1. Antonio Wilcox-FUR	Sr	13	15	0	0	0	90	6.9	
Andre Stoddard-WOF	Jr	13	15	0	0	0	90	6.9	
3. Kelvin McKnight-SAM	Jr	11	12	0	0	0	72	6.5	
4. Grayson Atkins-FUR	Fr	13	0	9	55	0	82	6.3	
5. Jordan Weaver-SAM	Fr	12	0	11	41	0	74	6.2	
6. Detrez Newsome-WCU	Sr	9	9	0	0	0	54	6.0	
7. JJ Jerman-ETSU	Jr	11	0	14	21	0	63	5.7	
8. Luke Carter-WOF	So	13	0	11	41	0	74	5.7	
9. Terryon Robinson-WCU	Sr	12	10	0	0	0	60	5.0	
10. Cole Fisher-MER	Jr	11	0	7	33	0	54	4.9	

SCORING (TDs)									
	Cl	G	TD	Run	Pass	Ret	Pat	Pts	Avg/G
1. Andre Stoddard-WOF	Jr	13	15	15	0	0	0	90	6.9
Antonio Wilcox-FUR	Sr	13	15	14	1	0	0	90	6.9
3. Kelvin McKnight-SAM	Jr	11	12	0	12	0	0	72	6.5
4. Detrez Newsome-WCU	Sr	9	9	9	0	0	0	54	6.0
5. Terryon Robinson-WCU	Sr	12	10	0	10	0	0	60	5.0
6. Kealand Dirks-FUR	Jr	11	9	9	0	0	0	54	4.9
7. Dominique Allen-CIT	Sr	11	8	8	0	0	0	48	4.4
Tee Mitchell-MER	Jr	11	8	7	1	0	0	48	4.4
9. Blake Morgan-WOF	So	13	9	8	1	0	1	56	4.3
10. Andy Schumpert-FUR	Sr	13	9	0	9	0	0	54	4.2

SCORING (KICK)							
	Cl	G	PAT	FG	Pts	Avg/G	
1. Grayson Atkins-FUR	Fr	13	55-55	9-13	82	6.3	
2. Jordan Weaver-SAM	Fr	12	41-43	11-17	74	6.2	
3. JJ Jerman-ETSU	Jr	11	21-21	14-18	63	5.7	
4. Luke Carter-WOF	So	13	41-41	11-12	74	5.7	
5. Cole Fisher-MER	Jr	11	33-35	7-12	54	4.9	
6. Victor Ulmo-UTC	Fr	11	22-23	9-12	49	4.5	
7. Jacob Godek-CIT	So	11	29-30	6-14	47	4.3	
8. Grant Clemons-VMI	So	9	7-7	6-11	25	2.8	
9. Ian Berryman-WCU	Jr	12	1-1	1-3	4	0.3	

PUNT RETURN AVG							
	Cl	G	No.	Yds	TD	Long	Avg/G
1. Brandon Dowdell-UTC	Fr	10	13	164	0	37	12.6
2. Lennox McAfee-WOF	Jr	12	16	135	0	27	8.4
3. Curt Nixon-CIT	So	11	17	139	0	16	8.2
4. Quan Harrison-ETSU	So	11	16	109	0	15	6.8

KICK RETURN AVG							
	Cl	G	No.	Yds	TD	Long	Avg/G
1. Thomas Gordon-FUR	So	11	14	353	0	56	25.2
2. Chandler Curtis-MER	Sr	11	18	424	0	77	23.6
3. Cam Jackson-CIT	Sr	11	22	516	0	51	23.5
4. Quan Harrison-ETSU	So	11	21	475	0	40	22.6
5. Darius Harvey-SAM	Jr	12	24	540	1	93	22.5
6. Ellis Pace-WOF	Jr	10	12	263	0	41	21.9
7. Tra Hardy-WCU	Sr	12	23	502	0	41	21.8
8. Detrez Newsome-WCU	Sr	9	11	231	0	45	21.0
9. Domenique Williams-ETSU	Jr	10	14	270	0	31	19.3
10. Mason Dermott-VMI	So	11	47	878	0	33	18.7

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ALL PURPOSE		Cl	G	Rush	Rcv	PR	KR	Yds	Avg/G
1.	Detrez Newsome-WCU	Sr	9	1100	205	0	231	1536	170.7
2.	Cam Jackson-CIT	Sr	11	506	254	26	516	1302	118.4
3.	Kelvin McKnight-SAM	Jr	11	4	1179	74	0	1257	114.3
4.	Thomas Gordon-FUR	So	11	43	717	18	353	1131	102.8
5.	Chandler Curtis-MER	Sr	11	3	446	215	424	1088	98.9
6.	Lennox McAfee-WOF	Jr	12	747	85	135	152	1119	93.2
7.	Mason Dermott-VMI	So	11	10	60	0	878	948	86.2
8.	Chris Shelling-SAM	So	12	60	907	0	0	967	80.6
9.	Blake Morgan-WOF	So	13	640	401	0	0	1041	80.1
10.	Terryon Robinson-WCU	Sr	12	0	896	52	0	948	79.0

PUNTING		Cl	G	No.	Yds	Lg	I20	50+	TB	Avg.
1.	Austin Barnard-SAM	Sr	12	54	2441	60	18	18	5	45.2
2.	Ian Berryman-WCU	Jr	12	58	2578	62	26	17	6	44.4
3.	Bill Hogan-VMI	Jr	11	66	2835	69	10	13	3	43.0
4.	Luke Carter-WOF	So	13	51	2158	61	10	7	3	42.3
5.	JC Hollingsworth-FUR	Sr	13	46	1935	71	12	7	4	42.1
6.	Grant Goupil-MER	Fr	11	58	2394	56	22	7	2	41.3
7.	Marion Watson-ETSU	Jr	11	58	2358	58	17	8	4	40.7
8.	Colin Brewer-UTC	So	11	60	2393	53	13	5	3	39.9
9.	Gage Russell-CIT	Fr	11	39	1476	51	11	2	4	37.8

FIELD GOALS		Cl	G	Made	Att.	Long	Pct.	FG/G
1.	JJ Jerman-ETSU	Jr	11	14	18	51	77.8	1.27
2.	Jordan Weaver-SAM	Fr	12	11	17	46	64.7	0.92
3.	Luke Carter-WOF	So	13	11	12	44	91.7	0.85
4.	Victor Ulmo-UTC	Fr	11	9	12	44	75.0	0.82
5.	Grayson Atkins-FUR	Fr	13	9	13	46	69.2	0.69
6.	Grant Clemons-VMI	So	9	6	11	39	54.5	0.67
7.	Cole Fisher-MER	Jr	11	7	12	36	58.3	0.64
8.	Jacob Godek-CIT	So	11	6	14	46	42.9	0.55
9.	Ian Berryman-WCU	Jr	12	1	3	30	33.3	0.08

FIELD GOAL PCT		Cl	G	Made	Att.	Long	Pct.
1.	JJ Jerman-ETSU	Jr	11	14	18	51	77.8
2.	Victor Ulmo-UTC	Fr	11	9	12	44	75.0
3.	Grayson Atkins-FUR	Fr	13	9	13	46	69.2
4.	Jordan Weaver-SAM	Fr	12	11	17	46	64.7
5.	Cole Fisher-MER	Jr	11	7	12	36	58.3
6.	Grant Clemons-VMI	So	9	6	11	39	54.5
7.	Jacob Godek-CIT	So	11	6	14	46	42.9

PAT KICKING PCT		Cl	G	Made	Att.	Pct.
1.	Grayson Atkins-FUR	Fr	13	55	55	100.0
	Luke Carter-WOF	So	13	41	41	100.0
3.	Jacob Godek-CIT	So	11	29	30	96.7
4.	Victor Ulmo-UTC	Fr	11	22	23	95.7
5.	Jordan Weaver-SAM	Fr	12	41	43	95.3
6.	Cole Fisher-MER	Jr	11	33	35	94.3

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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. Allan Cratsenberg-VMI	Sr	11	LB	57	61	118	10.7	1. Brian Lipscomb-VMI	Jr	11	LB	6	5	8.5	0.77
2. Lee Bennett-MER	Sr	11	LB	29	81	110	10.0	2. Tahjai Watt-WCU	Sr	12	LB	6	2	7.0	0.58
3. Shaheed Salmon-SAM	Sr	11	LB	62	47	109	9.9	3. Nasir Player-ETSU	So	11	DL	5	4	7.0	0.64
4. Marvin Tillman-WCU	Jr	10	DB	53	43	96	9.6	4. Isaiah Buehler-MER	Jr	11	DL	5	1	5.5	0.50
5. Ryan Francis-VMI	Sr	11	LB	50	53	103	9.4	5. Ahmad Gooden-SAM	Jr	12	DL	4	3	5.5	0.46
6. A.J. Newman-WCU	Sr	12	LB	39	62	101	8.4	6. Blake Bockrath-ETSU	Fr	11	LB	4	1	4.5	0.41
Ahmad Gooden-SAM	Jr	12	DL	53	48	101	8.4	7. Chinedu Okonya-FUR	Jr	12	DL	4	1	4.5	0.38
8. Greg Sanders-VMI	Sr	11	DB	45	47	92	8.4	8. Jalen Nash-SAM	So	12	DL	3	2	4.0	0.33
Dylan Weigel-ETSU	Jr	11	LB	45	47	92	8.4	9. Shaheed Salmon-SAM	Sr	11	LB	4	0	4.0	0.36
10. Myles Pierce-CIT	Sr	11	LB	40	51	91	8.3	10. Brett Granger-SAM	Fr	11	DL	3	1	3.5	0.32
11. Tae Davis-UTC	Sr	9	LB	42	32	74	8.2	11. Jonah Tibbs-FUR	So	13	DL	3	1	3.5	0.27
12. Eric Jackson-MER	So	11	DB	37	52	89	8.1	12. Noah Dawkins-CIT	Jr	11	LB	3	1	3.5	0.32
13. Daniel Riddle-WCU	Sr	12	LB	33	61	94	7.8	13. Chris Washington-FUR	So	13	LB	3	1	3.5	0.27
14. Reynard Ellis-FUR	Fr	12	LB	46	46	92	7.7	Alec Hanff-FUR	So	13	DL	3	1	3.5	0.27
15. Deion Pierre-SAM	Sr	12	LB	46	44	90	7.5	15. Colton Clemons-WOF	Jr	12	LB	3	0	3.0	0.25
Colton Clemons-WOF	Jr	12	LB	41	49	90	7.5	16. Miles Brown-WOF	Jr	13	DL	2	2	3.0	0.23
17. River Boruff-ETSU	Jr	11	LB	33	44	77	7.0	17. Zack Yancey-ETSU	Fr	11	LB	2	2	3.0	0.27
18. Elijah McKoy-FUR	Fr	12	LB	35	46	81	6.8	Myles Pierce-CIT	Sr	11	LB	3	0	3.0	0.27
19. Will Coneway-MER	So	10	LB	20	46	66	6.6	19. Ryan Francis-VMI	Sr	11	LB	2	1	2.5	0.23
20. Datavious Wilson-WOF	So	11	LB	25	46	71	6.5	Seth Mallory-VMI	Sr	11	DL	1	1	2.5	0.23
21. Bryan Okeh-FUR	So	13	DB	40	43	83	6.4								
22. Brian Lipscomb-VMI	Jr	11	LB	39	31	70	6.4								
23. Kendall White-WCU	Sr	12	LB	43	32	75	6.2								
24. Nasir Player-ETSU	So	11	DL	34	33	67	6.1								
25. Tahjai Watt-WCU	Sr	12	LB	32	41	73	6.1								
26. Mason Alstatt-WOF	So	13	DB	40	36	76	5.8								
27. Omari Williams-SAM	Sr	11	DB	45	19	64	5.8								
Taylor Reynolds-UTC	Sr	11	DL	30	34	64	5.8								
29. Tavon Lawson-UTC	Jr	9	DB	28	24	52	5.8								
30. LeMarkus Bailey-MER	Jr	11	LB	42	21	63	5.7								
31. Joe Farrar-FUR	Jr	13	LB	22	52	74	5.7								
Malik Rivera-WOF	Sr	13	DB	39	35	74	5.7								
33. JerMichael White-WCU	Jr	12	DB	35	32	67	5.6								
Keion Crossen-WCU	Sr	12	DB	39	28	67	5.6								
35. Noah Dawkins-CIT	Jr	11	LB	37	24	61	5.5								
36. Christian Stark-SAM	Jr	12	DB	39	26	65	5.4								
37. Aron Spann, III-CIT	Jr	11	DB	37	20	57	5.2								
Blake Bockrath-ETSU	Fr	11	LB	34	23	57	5.2								
39. Malique Fleming-MER	So	10	DB	22	29	51	5.1								
40. Carter McManes-SAM	Sr	12	DB	36	25	61	5.1								
41. Chris Washington-FUR	So	13	LB	26	40	66	5.1								
42. Aquil Annoor-FUR	Jr	13	DB	36	28	64	4.9								
Terrance Morris-WOF	Sr	13	LB	32	32	64	4.9								
44. Isaiah Mack-UTC	Jr	11	DL	28	26	54	4.9								
Kaleb Tucker-VMI	So	11	DB	40	14	54	4.9								
46. Derek Mahaffey-UTC	Jr	11	DL	19	32	51	4.6								
Paul Hunter-ETSU	Sr	11	DB	26	25	51	4.6								
48. Kaman Cooper-ETSU	So	10	DB	22	24	46	4.6								
49. Nate Link-WCU	Jr	12	DL	18	37	55	4.6								
50. A.J. Smith-VMI	Fr	11	DB	31	17	48	4.4								

TACKLES FOR LOSS							
	Cl	G	Pos	Solo	Ast	Total	Avg/G
1. Brian Lipscomb-VMI	Jr	11	LB	15	7	18.5	1.68
2. Ahmad Gooden-SAM	Jr	12	DL	12	7	15.5	1.29
3. Shaheed Salmon-SAM	Sr	11	LB	13	5	15.5	1.41
4. Nasir Player-ETSU	So	11	DL	10	7	13.5	1.23
5. Myles Pierce-CIT	Sr	11	LB	11	4	13.0	1.18
6. Noah Dawkins-CIT	Jr	11	LB	8	6	11.0	1.00
7. Ryan Francis-VMI	Sr	11	LB	7	6	10.0	0.91
8. Miles Brown-WOF	Jr	13	DL	7	6	10.0	0.77
9. Tahjai Watt-WCU	Sr	12	LB	8	3	9.5	0.79
10. Blake Bockrath-ETSU	Fr	11	LB	8	2	9.0	0.82
11. Jaylan Reid-FUR	Jr	13	DL	5	7	8.5	0.65
12. Ja'Lon Williams-CIT	So	9	DL	6	5	8.5	0.94
13. Aaron Harris-SAM	Jr	12	LB	6	4	8.0	0.67
14. Isaiah Buehler-MER	Jr	11	DL	6	3	7.5	0.68
Austin Gatewood-ETSU	Jr	11	LB	7	1	7.5	0.68
16. Jalen Nash-SAM	So	12	DL	4	6	7.0	0.58
17. Tony Richardson-VMI	Sr	11	LB	6	2	7.0	0.64
Isaiah Mack-UTC	Jr	11	DL	4	6	7.0	0.64
19. Ke'Tyrus Marks-SAM	Sr	12	DL	5	4	7.0	0.58
20. LeMarkus Bailey-MER	Jr	11	LB	6	1	6.5	0.59

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PASSES DEFENDED		Cl	G	BrUp	Int.	Total	Avg/G
1.	Omari Williams-SAM	Sr	11	11	3	14	1.27
2.	Marvin Tillman-WCU	Jr	10	3	5	8	0.80
	Trevor Wright-UTC	Sr	10	6	2	8	0.80
4.	Kendall White-WCU	Sr	12	7	1	8	0.67
	Jamond Glass-SAM	So	12	7	1	8	0.67
6.	Riuq Trotman-VMI	Jr	11	6	1	7	0.64
	Daren Ardis-ETSU	Sr	11	7	0	7	0.64
8.	George Gbesees-WOF	So	13	5	3	8	0.62
9.	Keion Crossen-WCU	Sr	12	7	0	7	0.58
10.	Greg Sanders-VMI	Sr	11	6	0	6	0.55
	Aron Spann, III-CIT	Jr	11	1	5	6	0.55
12.	Devin Watson-WOF	So	13	3	4	7	0.54
13.	Harrison Poole-MER	Fr	10	4	1	5	0.50
	Shamon Elliott-WCU	So	12	3	3	6	0.50
	Malique Fleming-MER	So	10	4	1	5	0.50
16.	Ben Roberts-CIT	Sr	11	4	1	5	0.45
	Lucas Webb-UTC	Sr	11	2	3	5	0.45
	Tyus Carter-CIT	Sr	11	4	1	5	0.45
19.	Kareem Orr-UTC	Jr	9	3	1	4	0.44
20.	JerMichael White-WCU	Jr	12	5	0	5	0.42

INTERCEPTIONS		Cl	G	No.	Yds	TD	Long	Avg/G
1.	Marvin Tillman-WCU	Jr	10	5	80	0	29	0.50
2.	Aron Spann, III-CIT	Jr	11	5	18	0	12	0.45
3.	Devin Watson-WOF	So	13	4	68	0	67	0.31
4.	Omari Williams-SAM	Sr	11	3	74	1	63	0.27
	Allan Cratsenberg-VMI	Sr	11	3	73	1	60	0.27
	Lucas Webb-UTC	Sr	11	3	64	1	23	0.27
7.	Shamon Elliott-WCU	So	12	3	3	0	3	0.25
	Koi Freeman-SAM	Fr	12	3	0	0	0	0.25
9.	George Gbesees-WOF	So	13	3	30	0	30	0.23
10.	Trevor Wright-UTC	Sr	10	2	0	0	0	0.20

FUMBLES FORCED		Cl	G	No.	Avg/G
1.	Will Coneway-MER	So	10	3	0.30
2.	Shaheed Salmon-SAM	Sr	11	3	0.27
3.	Harrison Poole-MER	Fr	10	2	0.20
	Malique Fleming-MER	So	10	2	0.20
5.	Brian Lipscomb-VMI	Jr	11	2	0.18
	Datavious Wilson-WOF	So	11	2	0.18
	Austin Gatewood-ETSU	Jr	11	2	0.18
	Jason Maduafokwa-ETSU	So	11	2	0.18
	Stephen Houzah-MER	Jr	11	2	0.18
	Lee Bennett-MER	Sr	11	2	0.18

FUMBLES RECOVERED		Cl	G	No.	Avg/G
1.	Lee Bennett-MER	Sr	11	3	0.27
2.	Kareem Orr-UTC	Jr	9	2	0.22
3.	Quandarius Weems-FUR	So	10	2	0.20
4.	Dylan Weigel-ETSU	Jr	11	2	0.18
5.	Colton Clemons-WOF	Jr	12	2	0.17
	Christian Stark-SAM	Jr	12	2	0.17
	Ahmad Gooden-SAM	Jr	12	2	0.17
	Nate Link-WCU	Jr	12	2	0.17
9.	Daryl Vining-WOF	Sr	13	2	0.15
	Chris Washington-FUR	So	13	2	0.15

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SCORING OFFENSE	G	TD	FG	XPT	2XP	DXP	Saf	Pts	Avg/G
1. Furman	8	41	3	39	0	0	0	294	36.8
2. Western Carolina	8	33	9	31	0	0	0	256	32.0
3. Samford	8	28	10	26	0	0	2	228	28.5
Wofford	8	30	6	28	1	0	0	228	28.5
5. Mercer	8	28	6	26	0	0	0	212	26.5
6. Chattanooga	8	21	6	19	1	0	0	165	20.6
7. The Citadel	8	20	4	19	0	0	2	155	19.4
8. ETSU	8	18	9	15	2	0	0	154	19.2
9. VMI	8	8	4	8	0	0	0	68	8.5

RUSHING DEFENSE	G	Att.	Yards	Avg/A	Long	TD	Avg/G
1. Wofford	8	263	853	3.2	44	9	106.6
2. Furman	8	289	1054	3.6	51	9	131.8
3. Mercer	8	307	1083	3.5	57	13	135.4
4. The Citadel	8	276	1205	4.4	81	17	150.6
5. Chattanooga	8	322	1279	4.0	58	11	159.9
6. Samford	8	374	1386	3.7	48	12	173.2
7. ETSU	8	345	1563	4.5	48	17	195.4
8. Western Carolina	8	369	1703	4.6	68	13	212.9
9. VMI	8	407	1763	4.3	71	25	220.4

SCORING DEFENSE	G	TD	FG	XPT	2XP	DXP	Saf	Pts	Avg/G
1. Samford	8	17	5	16	0	0	0	133	16.6
2. Furman	8	20	7	16	1	0	0	159	19.9
3. Mercer	8	22	6	19	0	0	2	173	21.6
4. Western Carolina	8	22	6	21	1	0	1	175	21.9
5. Wofford	8	22	7	20	1	0	1	177	22.1
6. Chattanooga	8	25	6	23	0	0	0	191	23.9
7. The Citadel	8	28	4	26	1	0	0	208	26.0
8. ETSU	8	33	6	32	0	0	0	248	31.0
9. VMI	8	38	10	38	0	0	0	296	37.0

PASS OFFENSE	G	Comp-Att-Int	Pct.	Yds	Avg/A	TD	Avg/G
1. Samford	8	238-359-8	66.3	2820	7.9	21	352.5
2. Mercer	8	128-212-6	60.4	1659	7.8	10	207.4
3. ETSU	8	138-245-5	56.3	1657	6.8	10	207.1
4. Western Carolina	8	144-231-7	62.3	1573	6.8	13	196.6
5. Furman	8	92-142-2	64.8	1553	10.9	11	194.1
6. Chattanooga	8	170-270-12	63.0	1549	5.7	12	193.6
7. VMI	8	135-254-16	53.1	1155	4.5	5	144.4
8. Wofford	8	52-101-1	51.5	830	8.2	2	103.8
9. The Citadel	8	41-114-5	36.0	797	7.0	5	99.6

TOTAL OFFENSE	G	Rush	Pass	Plays	Yards	Avg/P	TD	Avg/G
1. Furman	8	2121	1553	550	3674	6.7	39	459.2
2. Samford	8	682	2820	581	3502	6.0	27	437.8
3. Western Carolina	8	1727	1573	587	3300	5.6	29	412.5
4. The Citadel	8	2277	797	571	3074	5.4	20	384.2
5. Wofford	8	2056	830	533	2886	5.4	30	360.8
6. Mercer	8	1193	1659	529	2852	5.4	27	356.5
7. Chattanooga	8	709	1549	525	2258	4.3	19	282.2
8. ETSU	8	531	1657	520	2188	4.2	17	273.5
9. VMI	8	593	1155	484	1748	3.6	7	218.5

PASS DEFENSE	G	Comp-Att-Int	Pct.	Yds	Avg/A	TD	Avg/G
1. Chattanooga	8	102-187-6	54.5	1198	6.4	11	149.8
2. Western Carolina	8	97-199-8	48.7	1212	6.1	9	151.5
3. Samford	8	104-203-11	51.2	1337	6.6	4	167.1
4. ETSU	8	115-192-3	59.9	1382	7.2	12	172.8
5. VMI	8	108-180-3	60.0	1489	8.3	10	186.1
6. The Citadel	8	129-205-7	62.9	1531	7.5	11	191.4
7. Wofford	8	159-261-9	60.9	1710	6.6	13	213.8
8. Mercer	8	170-258-7	65.9	1839	7.1	8	229.9
9. Furman	8	154-243-8	63.4	1895	7.8	11	236.9

TOTAL DEFENSE	G	Rush	Pass	Plays	Yards	Avg/P	TD	Avg/G
1. Chattanooga	8	1279	1198	509	2477	4.9	22	309.6
2. Wofford	8	853	1710	524	2563	4.9	22	320.4
3. Samford	8	1386	1337	577	2723	4.7	16	340.4
4. The Citadel	8	1205	1531	481	2736	5.7	28	342.0
5. Western Carolina	8	1703	1212	568	2915	5.1	22	364.4
6. Mercer	8	1083	1839	565	2922	5.2	21	365.2
7. ETSU	8	1563	1382	537	2945	5.5	29	368.1
8. Furman	8	1054	1895	532	2949	5.5	20	368.6
9. VMI	8	1763	1489	587	3252	5.5	35	406.5

PASS EFFICIENCY	G	Comp-Att-Int	Pct.	Yds	Avg/G	TD	Effic.
1. Furman	8	92-142-2	64.8	1553	194.1	11	179.4
2. Samford	8	238-359-8	66.3	2820	352.5	21	147.1
3. Mercer	8	128-212-6	60.4	1659	207.4	10	136.0
4. Western Carolina	8	144-231-7	62.3	1573	196.6	13	132.0
5. Wofford	8	52-101-1	51.5	830	103.8	2	125.1
6. ETSU	8	138-245-5	56.3	1657	207.1	10	122.5
7. Chattanooga	8	170-270-12	63.0	1549	193.6	12	116.9
8. The Citadel	8	41-114-5	36.0	797	99.6	5	100.4
9. VMI	8	135-254-16	53.1	1155	144.4	5	85.2

RUSHING OFFENSE	G	Att.	Yards	Avg/A	Long	TD	Avg/G
1. The Citadel	8	457	2277	5.0	71	15	284.6
2. Furman	8	408	2121	5.2	68	28	265.1
3. Wofford	8	432	2056	4.8	57	28	257.0
4. Western Carolina	8	356	1727	4.9	81	16	215.9
5. Mercer	8	317	1193	3.8	46	17	149.1
6. Chattanooga	8	255	709	2.8	61	7	88.6
7. Samford	8	222	682	3.1	49	6	85.2
8. VMI	8	230	593	2.6	51	2	74.1
9. ETSU	8	275	531	1.9	18	7	66.4

PASS DEFENSE EFFIC.	G	Comp-Att-Int	Pct.	Yds	Avg/G	TD	Effic.
1. Samford	8	104-203-11	51.2	1337	167.1	4	102.2
2. Western Carolina	8	97-199-8	48.7	1212	151.5	9	106.8
3. Chattanooga	8	102-187-6	54.5	1198	149.8	11	121.4
4. Wofford	8	159-261-9	60.9	1710	213.8	13	125.5
5. Mercer	8	170-258-7	65.9	1839	229.9	8	130.6
6. The Citadel	8	129-205-7	62.9	1531	191.4	11	136.5
7. Furman	8	154-243-8	63.4	1895	236.9	11	137.2
8. ETSU	8	115-192-3	59.9	1382	172.8	12	137.9
9. VMI	8	108-180-3	60.0	1489	186.1	10	144.5

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KICKOFF RETURNS							FIELD GOALS				
G	No.	Yards	TD	Long	Avg.	G	Made	Att	Pct.		
1. Western Carolina	8	24	572	0	45	23.8	1. ETSU	8	9	10	.900
2. Mercer	8	22	506	0	90	23.0	2. Wofford	8	6	7	.857
3. ETSU	8	33	718	0	40	21.8	3. Western Carolina	8	9	12	.750
4. The Citadel	8	26	555	0	51	21.3	Chattanooga	8	6	8	.750
5. Furman	8	18	370	1	56	20.6	5. Samford	8	10	14	.714
6. Wofford	8	25	490	0	42	19.6	6. Mercer	8	6	9	.667
7. Chattanooga	8	26	503	0	50	19.3	7. VMI	8	4	7	.571
8. Samford	8	20	383	0	37	19.1	8. Furman	8	3	6	.500
9. VMI	8	41	746	0	33	18.2	9. The Citadel	8	4	12	.333

PUNT RETURN AVG							PAT KICKING				
G	No.	Yards	TD	Long	Avg.	G	Made	Att	Pct.		
1. Mercer	8	14	206	0	51	14.7	1. Furman	8	39	39	1.000
2. Chattanooga	8	16	181	0	37	11.3	Wofford	8	28	28	1.000
3. The Citadel	8	18	157	0	16	8.7	The Citadel	8	19	19	1.000
4. Wofford	8	13	110	0	27	8.5	ETSU	8	15	15	1.000
5. Western Carolina	8	16	113	1	35	7.1	VMI	8	8	8	1.000
6. ETSU	8	15	104	0	15	6.9	6. Chattanooga	8	19	20	.950
7. Samford	8	13	89	0	22	6.8	7. Western Carolina	8	31	33	.939
8. Furman	8	3	20	0	13	6.7	8. Mercer	8	26	28	.929
9. VMI	8	7	38	0	34	5.4	Samford	8	26	28	.929

INTERCEPTIONS							SACKS BY				
G	No.	Yards	TD	Long	Avg.	G	No.	Yards	Avg/G		
1. Samford	8	11	63	1	28	5.7	1. Furman	8	22	138	2.75
2. Wofford	8	9	78	0	67	8.7	2. Samford	8	21	144	2.62
3. Western Carolina	8	8	142	1	56	17.8	3. Mercer	8	15	114	1.88
4. Furman	8	8	98	1	42	12.2	4. ETSU	8	13	81	1.62
5. The Citadel	8	7	38	0	28	5.4	The Citadel	8	13	77	1.62
6. Mercer	8	7	82	1	51	11.7	Western Carolina	8	13	90	1.62
7. Chattanooga	8	6	51	1	23	8.5	Wofford	8	13	76	1.62
8. ETSU	8	3	19	1	15	6.3	8. VMI	8	12	82	1.50
9. VMI	8	3	73	1	60	24.3	9. Chattanooga	8	8	52	1.00

PUNTING								SACKS AGAINST					
G	No.	Yards	Avg/P	Ret.	Avg/R	TB	Net/P	G	No.	Yards	Avg/G		
1. Samford	8	36	1607	44.6	21	0.6	6	40.7	1. Furman	8	2	15	0.25
2. Wofford	8	37	1546	41.8	119	3.2	2	37.5	2. Wofford	8	7	41	0.88
3. Mercer	8	43	1746	40.6	119	2.8	2	36.9	3. The Citadel	8	10	64	1.25
4. Chattanooga	8	41	1584	38.6	49	1.2	3	36.0	4. Mercer	8	11	84	1.38
5. Furman	8	27	1097	40.6	109	4.0	1	35.9	5. Samford	8	13	69	1.62
6. Western Carolina	8	41	1729	42.2	183	4.5	4	35.8	6. Western Carolina	8	16	92	2.00
7. VMI	8	49	1986	40.5	227	4.6	1	35.5	7. VMI	8	23	149	2.88
8. ETSU	8	51	1975	38.7	136	2.7	2	35.3	8. Chattanooga	8	24	188	3.00
9. The Citadel	8	39	1485	38.1	55	1.4	3	35.1	ETSU	8	24	152	3.00

KICKOFF COVERAGE								FIRST DOWNS						
G	No.	Yards	Avg.	Ret.	TB	NetAvg	G	Rush	Pass	Pen	Total	Avg/G		
1. ETSU	8	33	2069	62.7	176	24	42.8	1. Furman	8	104	71	11	186	23.2
2. Samford	8	46	2850	62.0	607	15	42.2	2. Samford	8	49	121	11	181	22.6
3. Chattanooga	8	34	2027	59.6	475	6	42.1	3. Western Carolina	8	87	75	17	179	22.4
4. Mercer	8	43	2409	56.0	494	7	41.3	4. Mercer	8	68	71	13	152	19.0
5. Furman	8	51	3193	62.6	792	19	39.6	5. The Citadel	8	116	24	9	149	18.6
6. The Citadel	8	30	1925	64.2	496	14	38.3	6. Wofford	8	105	33	5	143	17.9
7. Wofford	8	40	2414	60.3	753	7	38.0	7. Chattanooga	8	45	75	17	137	17.1
8. Western Carolina	8	49	2637	53.8	737	4	37.1	8. ETSU	8	37	70	21	128	16.0
9. VMI	8	18	1034	57.4	313	3	36.7	9. VMI	8	42	48	10	100	12.5

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OPPONENT 1ST DOWNS	G	Rush	Pass	Pen	Total	Avg/G
1. The Citadel	8	68	57	10	135	16.9
2. Wofford	8	44	81	13	138	17.2
3. Chattanooga	8	70	55	17	142	17.8
4. Western Carolina	8	83	53	12	148	18.5
5. Furman	8	68	72	9	149	18.6
6. Samford	8	79	57	16	152	19.0
7. ETSU	8	87	58	8	153	19.1
8. Mercer	8	63	86	18	167	20.9
9. VMI	8	91	69	11	171	21.4

PENALTIES	G	No.	Yards	Avg/G
1. VMI	8	30	253	31.6
2. Furman	8	26	255	31.9
3. The Citadel	8	43	346	43.2
4. ETSU	8	42	376	47.0
5. Samford	8	40	410	51.2
6. Wofford	8	45	432	54.0
7. Mercer	8	53	488	61.0
8. Chattanooga	8	60	497	62.1
9. Western Carolina	8	57	528	66.0

3RD-DOWN CONVERSIONS	G	Conv.	Att.	Pct.
1. Furman	8	56	109	51.4
2. Wofford	8	54	114	47.4
3. Western Carolina	8	45	108	41.7
4. The Citadel	8	48	124	38.7
5. Samford	8	40	105	38.1
6. Mercer	8	37	102	36.3
7. Chattanooga	8	38	109	34.9
8. ETSU	8	38	118	32.2
9. VMI	8	34	115	29.6

OPPONENT PENALTIES	G	No.	Yards	Avg/G
1. ETSU	8	56	528	66.0
2. Chattanooga	8	45	494	61.8
3. Western Carolina	8	50	452	56.5
4. Mercer	8	46	423	52.9
5. Furman	8	54	411	51.4
6. VMI	8	40	381	47.6
7. Samford	8	45	349	43.6
8. Wofford	8	34	292	36.5
9. The Citadel	8	26	255	31.9

OPP 3RD-DN CONVERT	G	Conv.	Att.	Pct.
1. Furman	8	34	104	32.7
2. The Citadel	8	30	90	33.3
3. Samford	8	42	120	35.0
4. Mercer	8	41	113	36.3
5. Chattanooga	8	41	107	38.3
6. Western Carolina	8	50	125	40.0
7. Wofford	8	46	111	41.4
8. ETSU	8	50	117	42.7
9. VMI	8	56	117	47.9

TIME OF POSSESSION	G	Total possession	Average/game
1. The Citadel	8	265:21	33:10
2. Wofford	8	255:29	31:56
3. Chattanooga	8	250:46	31:20
4. Furman	8	246:54	30:51
5. ETSU	8	245:10	30:38
6. Mercer	8	232:38	29:04
7. Samford	8	225:46	28:13
8. Western Carolina	8	222:24	27:48
9. VMI	8	215:32	26:56

4TH-DOWN CONVERSIONS	G	Conv.	Att.	Pct.
1. Furman	8	13	17	76.5
2. Mercer	8	4	7	57.1
3. Chattanooga	8	9	16	56.2
4. Wofford	8	8	15	53.3
5. Western Carolina	8	2	4	50.0
6. Samford	8	5	10	50.0
7. ETSU	8	5	12	41.7
8. The Citadel	8	8	21	38.1
9. VMI	8	6	17	35.3

TURNOVER MARGIN	Gained			Lost			Margin	Per/G	
	Fum	Int	Tot	Fum	Int	Tot			
1. Wofford	8	7	9	16	5	1	6	+10	1.25
2. Furman	8	4	8	12	3	2	5	+7	0.88
Western Carolina	8	10	8	18	4	7	11	+7	0.88
4. Samford	8	8	11	19	7	8	15	+4	0.50
5. Mercer	8	8	7	15	6	6	12	+3	0.38
6. The Citadel	8	5	7	12	7	5	12	+0	0.00
7. ETSU	8	3	3	6	7	5	12	-6	-0.75
8. Chattanooga	8	5	6	11	6	12	18	-7	-0.88
9. VMI	8	2	3	5	7	16	23	-18	-2.25

OPP 4TH-DN CONVERT	G	Conv.	Att.	Pct.
1. Samford	8	6	19	31.6
2. The Citadel	8	3	8	37.5
Chattanooga	8	3	8	37.5
4. Western Carolina	8	7	16	43.8
5. ETSU	8	4	9	44.4
6. Wofford	8	6	13	46.2
7. Furman	8	11	18	61.1
8. Mercer	8	11	16	68.8
9. VMI	8	9	12	75.0

RED ZONE OFFENSE	G	Scores	Pct.	TDs	(R-P)	FGs	TurnO
1. Mercer	8	24-26	92.3	18	16-2	6-8	0
2. Western Carolina	8	23-25	92.0	18	13-5	5-6	0
3. Wofford	8	31-35	88.6	25	24-1	6-6	2
4. Furman	8	28-33	84.8	25	21-4	3-4	0
5. ETSU	8	14-17	82.4	11	7-4	3-4	1
6. VMI	8	9-11	81.8	5	2-3	4-5	0
7. Chattanooga	8	20-25	80.0	15	5-10	5-6	3
8. Samford	8	27-38	71.1	18	5-13	9-11	4
9. The Citadel	8	15-30	50.0	13	12-1	2-8	5

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RED ZONE DEFENSE							
	G	Scores	Pct.	TDs	(R-P)	FGs	TurnO
1. Mercer	8	18-26	69.2	15	11-4	3-6	2
2. Western Carolina	8	20-28	71.4	15	9-6	5-5	3
3. Samford	8	18-25	72.0	14	11-3	4-4	3
4. Wofford	8	24-30	80.0	18	8-10	6-9	2
5. Furman	8	17-21	81.0	12	9-3	5-5	3
6. VMI	8	33-40	82.5	24	21-3	9-13	0
7. ETSU	8	23-27	85.2	18	12-6	5-8	0
8. Chattanooga	8	18-21	85.7	14	11-3	4-6	0
9. The Citadel	8	20-22	90.9	18	13-5	2-2	2

ON-SIDE KICKS BY				
	G	Recovered	Attempts	Success%
1. The Citadel	8	1	1	100.0
VMI	8	1	1	100.0
3. ETSU	8	0	1	0.0
Furman	8	0	1	0.0
Wofford	8	0	0	0.0
Samford	8	0	0	0.0
Western Carolina	8	0	0	0.0
Chattanooga	8	0	0	0.0
Mercer	8	0	0	0.0

ON-SIDE KICKS AGAINST				
	G	Recovered	Attempts	Success%
1. Wofford	8	0	1	0.0
Furman	8	0	1	0.0
ETSU	8	0	0	0.0
Samford	8	0	0	0.0
Chattanooga	8	0	0	0.0
VMI	8	0	0	0.0
The Citadel	8	0	0	0.0
8. Western Carolina	8	1	1	100.0
Mercer	8	1	1	100.0

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RUSHING								
	Cl	G	Att.	Yds	Avg.	TD	Lg	Avg/G
1. Kealand Dirks-FUR	Jr	7	118	585	5.0	9	53	83.6
2. Andre Stoddard-WOF	Jr	8	122	602	4.9	11	31	75.2
3. Antonio Wilcox-FUR	Sr	8	111	597	5.4	11	68	74.6
4. Tyrie Adams-WCU	So	8	111	554	5.0	2	48	69.2
5. Tee Mitchell-MER	Jr	8	118	525	4.4	7	46	65.6
6. Lennox McAfee-WOF	Jr	8	69	509	7.4	6	57	63.6
7. Darrell Bridges-UTC	Sr	8	126	494	3.9	5	61	61.8
8. Darius Morehead-FUR	Fr	8	63	440	7.0	4	22	55.0
9. Dominique Allen-CIT	Sr	8	92	423	4.6	5	54	52.9
10. Grant Drakeford-CIT	Jr	8	40	407	10.2	1	71	50.9

PASSING AVG/GAME							
	Cl	G	Comp-Att-Int	Yds	TD	Avg/G	
1. Devlin Hodges-SAM	Jr	8	236-356-8	2802	21	350.2	
2. Austin Herink-ETSU	Jr	8	137-244-5	1654	10	206.8	
3. Kaelan Riley-MER	Fr	8	127-211-6	1634	9	204.2	
4. Cole Copeland-UTC	Fr	6	130-207-11	1177	7	196.2	
5. PJ Blazejowski-FUR	Sr	8	85-131-2	1459	11	182.4	
6. Tyrie Adams-WCU	So	8	134-211-6	1457	12	182.1	
7. Duncan Hodges-VMI	Fr	7	82-149-10	689	3	98.4	
8. Brandon Goodson-WOF	Sr	8	47-88-0	727	2	90.9	
9. Reece Udinski-VMI	Fr	7	49-91-3	420	2	60.0	
10. Jordan Black-CIT	So	7	17-40-0	391	2	55.9	

PASS EFFICIENCY							
	Cl	G	Comp-Att-Int	Yds	TD	Eff.	
1. PJ Blazejowski-FUR	Sr	8	85-131-2	1459	11	183.1	
2. Devlin Hodges-SAM	Jr	8	236-356-8	2802	21	147.4	
3. Tyrie Adams-WCU	So	8	134-211-6	1457	12	134.6	
4. Kaelan Riley-MER	Fr	8	127-211-6	1634	9	133.6	
5. Austin Herink-ETSU	Jr	8	137-244-5	1654	10	122.5	
6. Cole Copeland-UTC	Fr	6	130-207-11	1177	7	111.1	
7. Duncan Hodges-VMI	Fr	7	82-149-10	689	3	87.1	

RECEPTIONS/GAME								
	Cl	G	No.	Yds	TD	Lg	Yds/G	Rec/G
1. Kelvin McKnight-SAM	Jr	7	54	830	7	57	118.6	7.7
2. Chris Shelling-SAM	So	8	49	656	5	72	82.0	6.1
3. Terryon Robinson-WCU	Sr	8	43	546	6	59	68.2	5.4
4. Steffon Hill-WCU	Sr	7	31	409	2	42	58.4	4.4
5. Chandler Curtis-MER	Sr	8	31	397	4	61	49.6	3.9
Bingo Morton-UTC	Jr	8	31	242	3	31	30.2	3.9
7. Thomas Gordon-FUR	So	6	23	389	0	54	64.8	3.8
Vincent Lowe-ETSU	Sr	6	23	340	3	53	56.7	3.8
9. Drake Powell-ETSU	Jr	8	30	378	2	42	47.2	3.8
Kris Thornton-VMI	Fr	8	30	279	2	37	34.9	3.8

RECEIVE YDS/GAME								
	Cl	G	No.	Yds	TD	Lg	Avg/C	Yds/G
1. Kelvin McKnight-SAM	Jr	7	54	830	7	57	15.4	118.6
2. Chris Shelling-SAM	So	8	49	656	5	72	13.4	82.0
3. Terryon Robinson-WCU	Sr	8	43	546	6	59	12.7	68.2
4. Thomas Gordon-FUR	So	6	23	389	0	54	16.9	64.8
5. Steffon Hill-WCU	Sr	7	31	409	2	42	13.2	58.4
6. Vincent Lowe-ETSU	Sr	6	23	340	3	53	14.8	56.7
7. Marquise Irvin-MER	Jr	8	28	412	3	40	14.7	51.5
8. Logan McCarter-FUR	Sr	8	21	404	4	64	19.2	50.5
9. Chandler Curtis-MER	Sr	8	31	397	4	61	12.8	49.6
10. Drake Powell-ETSU	Jr	8	30	378	2	42	12.6	47.2

TOTAL OFFENSE							
	Cl	G	Rush	Pass	Plays	Total	Yds/G
1. Devlin Hodges-SAM	Jr	8	101	2802	416	2903	362.9
2. Tyrie Adams-WCU	So	8	554	1457	322	2011	251.4
3. Kaelan Riley-MER	Fr	8	113	1634	271	1747	218.4
4. PJ Blazejowski-FUR	Sr	8	183	1459	173	1642	205.2
5. Austin Herink-ETSU	Jr	8	-23	1654	307	1631	203.9
6. Cole Copeland-UTC	Fr	6	-84	1177	238	1093	182.2
7. Brandon Goodson-WOF	Sr	8	207	727	141	934	116.8
8. Duncan Hodges-VMI	Fr	7	87	689	200	776	110.9
9. Dominique Allen-CIT	Sr	8	423	406	163	829	103.6
10. Kealand Dirks-FUR	Jr	7	585	0	118	585	83.6

SCORING									
	Cl	G	TD	FG	XPT	2XP	Pts	Pts/G	
1. Antonio Wilcox-FUR	Sr	8	11	0	0	0	66	8.2	
Andre Stoddard-WOF	Jr	8	11	0	0	0	66	8.2	
3. Kealand Dirks-FUR	Jr	7	9	0	0	0	54	7.7	
4. Jordan Weaver-SAM	Fr	8	0	10	26	0	56	7.0	
5. Tee Mitchell-MER	Jr	8	8	0	0	0	48	6.0	
Joshua Gibson-WCU	Jr	6	0	7	15	0	36	6.0	
Grayson Atkins-FUR	Fr	8	0	3	39	0	48	6.0	
Kelvin McKnight-SAM	Jr	7	7	0	0	0	42	6.0	
9. Luke Carter-WOF	So	8	0	6	28	0	46	5.8	
10. Cole Fisher-MER	Jr	8	0	6	26	0	44	5.5	

SCORING (TDS)									
	Cl	G	TD	Run	Pass	Ret	Pat	Pts	Avg/G
1. Andre Stoddard-WOF	Jr	8	11	11	0	0	0	66	8.2
Antonio Wilcox-FUR	Sr	8	11	11	0	0	0	66	8.2
3. Kealand Dirks-FUR	Jr	7	9	9	0	0	0	54	7.7
4. Tee Mitchell-MER	Jr	8	8	7	1	0	0	48	6.0
Kelvin McKnight-SAM	Jr	7	7	0	7	0	0	42	6.0
6. Lennox McAfee-WOF	Jr	8	7	6	1	0	0	42	5.2
7. Donnavan Spencer-WCU	Fr	6	5	5	0	0	0	30	5.0
8. Darrell Bridges-UTC	Sr	8	6	5	1	0	0	36	4.5
Terryon Robinson-WCU	Sr	8	6	0	6	0	0	36	4.5
Andy Schumpert-FUR	Sr	8	6	0	6	0	0	36	4.5

SCORING (KICK)							
	Cl	G	PAT	FG	Pts	Avg/G	
1. Jordan Weaver-SAM	Fr	8	26-28	10-14	56	7.0	
2. Grayson Atkins-FUR	Fr	8	39-39	3-6	48	6.0	
Joshua Gibson-WCU	Jr	6	15-17	7-8	36	6.0	
4. Luke Carter-WOF	So	8	28-28	6-7	46	5.8	
5. Cole Fisher-MER	Jr	8	26-28	6-9	44	5.5	
6. JJ Jerman-ETSU	Jr	8	15-15	9-10	42	5.2	
7. Victor Ulmo-UTC	Fr	8	19-20	6-8	37	4.6	
8. Jacob Godek-CIT	So	8	19-19	4-12	31	3.9	
9. Grant Clemons-VMI	So	6	5-5	4-6	17	2.8	
10. Tommy Smith-VMI	Jr	7	2-2	0-1	2	0.3	

PUNT RETURN AVG							
	Cl	G	No.	Yds	TD	Long	Avg/G
1. Chandler Curtis-MER	Sr	8	11	204	0	51	18.5
2. Brandon Dowdell-UTC	Fr	8	13	164	0	37	12.6
3. Lennox McAfee-WOF	Jr	8	12	98	0	27	8.2
4. Curt Nixon-CIT	So	8	16	125	0	16	7.8
5. Quan Harrison-ETSU	So	8	14	104	0	15	7.4

KICK RETURN AVG							
	Cl	G	No.	Yds	TD	Long	Avg/G
1. Cam Jackson-CIT	Sr	8	15	371	0	51	24.7
2. Tra Hardy-WCU	Sr	8	18	438	0	41	24.3
3. Chandler Curtis-MER	Sr	8	15	364	0	77	24.3
4. Brandon Dowdell-UTC	Fr	8	11	253	0	50	23.0
5. Quan Harrison-ETSU	So	8	18	410	0	40	22.8
6. Domenique Williams-ETSU	Jr	8	12	236	0	31	19.7
7. Darius Harvey-SAM	Jr	8	16	305	0	31	19.1
8. Mason Dermott-VMI	So	8	35	658	0	33	18.8

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ALL PURPOSE		Cl	G	Rush	Rcv	PR	KR	Yds	Avg/G
1. Kelvin McKnight-SAM	Jr	7	0	830	37	0	867	123.9	
2. Chandler Curtis-MER	Sr	8	3	397	204	364	968	121.0	
3. Cam Jackson-CIT	Sr	8	326	226	26	371	949	118.6	
4. Thomas Gordon-FUR	So	6	16	389	13	161	579	96.5	
5. Lennox McAfee-WOF	Jr	8	509	44	98	89	740	92.5	
6. Tee Mitchell-MER	Jr	8	525	193	0	0	718	89.8	
7. Chris Shelling-SAM	So	8	60	656	0	0	716	89.5	
8. Mason Dermott-VMI	So	8	0	29	0	658	687	85.9	
9. Kealand Dirks-FUR	Jr	7	585	0	0	0	585	83.6	
10. Antonio Wilcox-FUR	Sr	8	597	41	0	0	638	79.8	

PUNTING		Cl	G	No.	Yds	Lg	I20	50+	TB	Avg.
1. Austin Barnard-SAM	Sr	8	32	1466	60	12	14	4	45.8	
2. Ian Berryman-WCU	Jr	8	37	1666	62	15	12	4	45.0	
3. Luke Carter-WOF	So	8	34	1467	61	7	5	2	43.1	
4. Bill Hogan-VMI	Jr	8	45	1896	55	10	6	1	42.1	
5. Grant Goupil-MER	Fr	8	42	1735	56	15	4	2	41.3	
6. Marion Watson-ETSU	Jr	8	44	1796	58	14	7	2	40.8	
7. JC Hollingsworth-FUR	Sr	8	27	1097	60	5	3	1	40.6	
8. Colin Brewer-UTC	So	8	41	1584	53	12	3	3	38.6	
9. Gage Russell-CIT	Fr	8	31	1153	51	8	2	3	37.2	

FIELD GOALS		Cl	G	Made	Att.	Long	Pct.	FG/G
1. Jordan Weaver-SAM	Fr	8	10	14	46	71.4	1.25	
2. Joshua Gibson-WCU	Jr	6	7	8	43	87.5	1.17	
3. JJ Jerman-ETSU	Jr	8	9	10	51	90.0	1.12	
4. Luke Carter-WOF	So	8	6	7	44	85.7	0.75	
Victor Ulmo-UTC	Fr	8	6	8	44	75.0	0.75	
Cole Fisher-MER	Jr	8	6	9	36	66.7	0.75	
7. Grant Clemons-VMI	So	6	4	6	37	66.7	0.67	
8. Jacob Godek-CIT	So	8	4	12	46	33.3	0.50	
9. Grayson Atkins-FUR	Fr	8	3	6	28	50.0	0.38	

FIELD GOAL PCT		Cl	G	Made	Att.	Long	Pct.
1. JJ Jerman-ETSU	Jr	8	9	10	51	90.0	
2. Joshua Gibson-WCU	Jr	6	7	8	43	87.5	
3. Victor Ulmo-UTC	Fr	8	6	8	44	75.0	
4. Jordan Weaver-SAM	Fr	8	10	14	46	71.4	
5. Cole Fisher-MER	Jr	8	6	9	36	66.7	
Grant Clemons-VMI	So	6	4	6	37	66.7	
7. Jacob Godek-CIT	So	8	4	12	46	33.3	

PAT KICKING PCT		Cl	G	Made	Att.	Pct.
1. Grayson Atkins-FUR	Fr	8	39	39	100.0	
Luke Carter-WOF	So	8	28	28	100.0	
Jacob Godek-CIT	So	8	19	19	100.0	
4. Victor Ulmo-UTC	Fr	8	19	20	95.0	
5. Cole Fisher-MER	Jr	8	26	28	92.9	
Jordan Weaver-SAM	Fr	8	26	28	92.9	
7. Joshua Gibson-WCU	Jr	6	15	17	88.2	

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PASSES DEFENDED		Cl	G	BrUp	Int.	Total	Avg/G
1.	Omari Williams-SAM	Sr	7	8	2	10	1.43
2.	Trevor Wright-UTC	Sr	7	6	2	8	1.14
3.	Jamond Glass-SAM	So	8	6	1	7	0.88
4.	Darius Kearsse-FUR	Fr	7	4	2	6	0.86
5.	George Gbesees-WOF	So	8	4	2	6	0.75
6.	Harrison Poole-MER	Fr	7	4	1	5	0.71
	Malique Fleming-MER	So	7	4	1	5	0.71
8.	Kailik Williams-CIT	Sr	6	3	1	4	0.67
9.	Kendall White-WCU	Sr	8	5	0	5	0.62
	Devin Watson-WOF	So	8	1	4	5	0.62
11.	Jeremy Lewis-ETSU	So	7	4	0	4	0.57
	Marvin Tillman-WCU	Jr	7	1	3	4	0.57
13.	Daren Ardis-ETSU	Sr	8	4	0	4	0.50
	Ben Roberts-CIT	Sr	8	3	1	4	0.50
	Greg Sanders-VMI	Sr	8	4	0	4	0.50
	Riuq Trotman-VMI	Jr	8	4	0	4	0.50
	Kareem Orr-UTC	Jr	6	3	0	3	0.50
	Tra Hardy-WCU	Sr	8	3	1	4	0.50
	Allan Cratsenberg-VMI	Sr	8	1	3	4	0.50
	Mason Alstatt-WOF	So	8	3	1	4	0.50

INTERCEPTIONS		Cl	G	No.	Yds	TD	Long	Avg/G
1.	Devin Watson-WOF	So	8	4	68	0	67	0.50
	Aron Spann, III-CIT	Jr	8	4	18	0	12	0.50
3.	Marvin Tillman-WCU	Jr	7	3	39	0	24	0.43
4.	Allan Cratsenberg-VMI	Sr	8	3	73	1	60	0.38
5.	John Brannon III-WCU	So	7	2	97	1	56	0.29
	Darius Kearsse-FUR	Fr	7	2	14	0	9	0.29
	Omari Williams-SAM	Sr	7	2	11	0	11	0.29
	Trevor Wright-UTC	Sr	7	2	0	0	0	0.29
9.	Dillon Vann-FUR	Fr	8	2	75	1	42	0.25
	Lucas Webb-UTC	Sr	8	2	43	1	23	0.25

FUMBLES FORCED		Cl	G	No.	Avg/G
1.	Datavious Wilson-WOF	So	7	2	0.29
	Shaheed Salmon-SAM	Sr	7	2	0.29
3.	Lee Bennett-MER	Sr	8	2	0.25
	Will Coneway-MER	So	8	2	0.25
	A.J. Newman-WCU	Sr	8	2	0.25
6.	Kareem Orr-UTC	Jr	6	1	0.17
	Dale Warren-UTC	Sr	6	1	0.17
	Kailik Williams-CIT	Sr	6	1	0.17
	Tae Davis-UTC	Sr	6	1	0.17
	Joshua Long-SAM	Fr	6	1	0.17

FUMBLES RECOVERED		Cl	G	No.	Avg/G
1.	Kareem Orr-UTC	Jr	6	2	0.33
2.	Lee Bennett-MER	Sr	8	2	0.25
	Nate Link-WCU	Jr	8	2	0.25
	Daryl Vining-WOF	Sr	8	2	0.25
5.	Kailik Williams-CIT	Sr	6	1	0.17
	Dale Warren-UTC	Sr	6	1	0.17
	Joshua Long-SAM	Fr	6	1	0.17
8.	Ja'Lon Williams-CIT	So	7	1	0.14
	Brad Swan Jr.-WCU	So	7	1	0.14
	Shaheed Salmon-SAM	Sr	7	1	0.14