

2024 TIAA BIG TEN MEN'S BASKETBALL TOURNAMENT



Game 11 • Saturday, March 16, 2024
Target Center • Minneapolis, Minn.
FINAL: #5 Wisconsin d. #1 Purdue, 76-75 (OT)
Records: Wisconsin (22-12), Purdue (29-4)

#5 Wisconsin to play #2 Illinois/#3 Nebraska winner at 3:30 p.m. ET on Sunday

GAME NOTES

WISCONSIN NOTES

- Wisconsin has advanced to its eighth championship game and first since 2017.
- Wisconsin becomes the fourth No. 5 seed in six years to make the championship game.
- The win was the Badgers' third this season against a ranked team (also defeated #3 Marquette and #24 Virginia)
- Wisconsin scored 70+ points for the ninth-straight game.
- The Badgers committed just five turnovers while forcing 16.
- A.J. Storr hit 20 or more points in game for the 11th time this season.
- Chucky Hepburn netted 22 points, leading the team in scoring for the fourth time this year.

PURDUE NOTES

- Third-ranked Purdue saw its six-game winning streak snapped.
- The Boilermakers finished with a (32-9) advantage in free throw attempts.
- Zach Edey became Purdue's all-time leading scorer, passing Rick Mount, who had held the record since 1970.
- Edey moved into fourth place on Purdue's single-season points list (806).
- Lance Jones became the third Boilermaker this season to reach 400 points.

MISCELLANEOUS/TOURNAMENT NOTES

- Wisconsin has won four of its last seven encounters against Purdue when the Boilermakers have been ranked in the Top 10.
- Wisconsin-Purdue were meeting for the first time since the 2015 semifinals.
- The tournament loss was Purdue's first since the 2022 championship game, ending a four-game win streak in the BTT.
- Today's contest featured 13 lead changes and 11 ties.
- First game of this year's tournament to go into overtime.