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Game 9 • Friday, March 4, 2022

Gainbridge Fieldhouse • Indianapolis, Ind.

FINAL: No. 2 IOWA 72 (21-7, 14-4 in B1G), No. 7 NORTHWESTERN 59 (17-12, 8-8)

No. 2 IOWA advances to play the winner of

No. 3 MICHIGAN vs. No. 6 NEBRASKA at 6 PM ET on SATURDAY

GAME NOTES

IOWA TEAM NOTES

- Iowa moved past Northwestern, marking the Hawkeyes' second win over the Wildcats this year. The two teams split the regular-season series with the Hawkeyes winning 72-67 on Jan. 28 in Evanston and the Wildcats taking home a 77-69 win at Iowa City on Jan. 6.
- The Hawkeyes defeated 15 of their 27 opponents during the regular season by double figures, and that trend continued Friday with their 13-point win over the Wildcats
- Despite a close rebounding battle (44-40 in favor of Iowa) the Hawkeyes dominated with a 38-to-16 scoring advantage in the paint. Iowa's 38 points in the paint accounted for 52.8 percent of the Hawkeyes' scoring in the game
- Senior Monika Czinano finished with 21 points to lead Iowa, marking her 17th performance with 20-plus points this year. Czinano scored 12 points in the first half for the Hawkeyes
- Big Ten Player of the Year Caitlin Clark shot 5-for-8 from behind the arc, marking her ninth game this season with at least four three-pointers made
- Clark finished with 19 points, 12 rebounds, six assists and three blocks. The performance was Clark's second double-double this year against the Wildcats, having previously registered 28 points and 11 rebounds on Jan. 28

NORTHWESTERN TEAM NOTES

- The Wildcats grabbed more offensive rebounds, 22, than defensive rebounds, 18
- Senior Veronica Burton grabbed three steals in the win, moving her up the Big Ten single-season steals list. Burton has 117 steals this season, which ranks seventh in Big Ten single-season history
- Burton led all scorers with 25 points Friday, which is tied for her fourth-highest scoring output in a game this season and her highest total since she scored 27 at Minnesota on Feb. 11.

GAME NOTES

- Three players scored double-figures in the first half alone in Friday night's game. Burton led the first half with 16 points for Northwestern, while Clark notched 14 points, and Czinano registered 12 for the Hawkeyes