

2008 Phillips 66 Big 12 Baseball Championship



No. 3 Nebraska vs. No. 7 Kansas State Notes

No. 3 Nebraska 5, No. 7 Kansas State 2 May 23, 2008 AT&T Bricktown Ballpark

Miscellaneous

- This marks the third time the two squads have met in the Big 12 Championship. The Huskers hold a 2-1 edge over the Wildcats.
- Nebraska owns a 160-99 advantage over KSU, including a 4-0 record in 2008.
- Until the afternoon's game, the higher seed had won only one game in the championship. (No. 4 Missouri defeated No. 5 Texas 3-2)
- Kansas State and Nebraska also met in the second round of last year's Big 12 Championship. The Wildcats took that game 5-1.

No. 3 Nebraska - 5

- Overall record: 40-13-1
- The Huskers are 16-17 all-time at the Big 12 Championship.
- With the win, the Huskers snap their four-game losing streak, the longest of their season.
- Today's win gives NU its 40th victory of the year. The Huskers have now won 40 games in eight straight seasons, the most in the Big 12 since its inception.
- The Huskers are 32-0 when out hitting their opponent in 2008.
- Johnny Dorn has held his opponents to three runs or less in 12 of 14 games on the year. He is now 4-0 against the Wildcats in his career.
- By going 3-for-3, Jake Opitz is currently riding a 10-game hitting streak with 18 hits.

No. 7 Kansas State – 2

- Overall record: 28-28
- The Wildcats fell to 9-13 against ranked opponents in 2008.
- KSU is 5-4 at the Big 12 Championship all-time.
- Kansas State has recorded a stolen base in eight consecutive games, totaling 16 in that span. The Wildcats lead the league with 103 total bases stolen.
- Nate Tenbrink hit his first triple of the season.
- With a game ending strikeout tonight, Byron Wiley now has doubled his strikeouts to hits ratio.

Attendance

6,232