

NEBRASKA

2009 CORNHUSKER FOOTBALL

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2009 NEBRASKA SCHEDULE

Date	Opponent (TV)	Time/Result
Sept. 5	Florida Atlantic (FSN PPV)	W, 49-3
Sept. 12	Arkansas State (FSN PPV)	W, 38-9
Sept. 19	at Virginia Tech (ABC)	L, 16-15
Sept. 26	Louisiana-Lafayette (FSN PPV)	W, 55-0
Oct. 8	at Missouri (ESPN)	W, 27-12
Oct. 17	Texas Tech (ABC)	L, 31-10
Oct. 24	Iowa State (FSN)	L, 9-7
Oct. 31	at Baylor (Versus)	W, 20-10
Nov. 7	Oklahoma (ABC)	W, 10-3
Nov. 14	at Kansas (ABC)	W, 31-17
Nov. 21	Kansas State (ESPN)	W, 17-3
Nov. 27	at Colorado (ABC)	W, 28-20
Dec. 5	Big 12 Champ.-vs. Texas (ABC)	7 p.m.

All times Central and subject to change

TELEVISION

ABC-HD

Brent Musburger, Play-by-Play
Kirk Herbstreit, Analyst
Lisa Salters, Sidelines



RADIO

Husker Sports Network

Greg Sharpe, Play-by-Play
Adrian Fiala, Color
Matt Davison, Color
Lane Grindle, Sidelines



INTERNET

Huskers.com

Husker Sports Network free audio
Live stats, game-day information, photo galleries



OTHER

Satellite Radio

Sirius Channel 125, XM 102 (Nebraska)



National Radio

ESPN Radio

Bill Rosinski, Play-by-Play
Dennis Franchione, Analyst
Joe Schad, Sidelines

A NUMBERS GAME

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Saturday night's game with Texas will mark Nebraska's fifth appearance in the Big 12 title game. NU is 2-2 in the contest, including a 1-1 record in two matchups with the Longhorns. Nebraska has won both of its Big 12 titles in the state of Texas (San Antonio).



HUSKERS

Record: 9-3, 6-2

Rankings:

Coaches-20

AP-21

Last Game:

def. Colorado, 28-20

Coach: Bo Pelini

Career/NU Record:

19-7/2nd year

vs. Texas: first meeting



GAME 13:

BIG 12 CHAMPIONSHIP

NEBRASKA VS. TEXAS

DEC. 5, 2009 | COWBOYS STADIUM

GAME INFORMATION

Television: ABC-HD

Radio: Husker Sports Network

Stadium: Cowboys Stadium

Capacity: 70,000; Surface: Fieldturf

Series Record: Texas leads, 8-4

NU-UT in Big 12 Championship: Tied 1-1

Last Meeting: Texas 28, NU 25, Oct. 27, 2007 in

Austin, Texas



LONGHORNS

Record: 12-0, 8-0

Rankings:

AP-3; Coaches-2

Last Game:

def. Texas A&M, 49-39

Coach: Mack Brown

Career/UT Record:

213-100-1, 25th season/

127-26, 12th season

vs. Nebraska: 6-1

THE MATCHUP

Nebraska returns to the Dr Pepper Big 12 Championship Game for the first time in three seasons and the fifth time in conference history this Saturday evening. The Cornhuskers will battle third-ranked Texas at Cowboys Stadium in Arlington, Texas with the game set to kick off shortly after 7 p.m. in front of a sold-out crowd and an ABC national television audience. A victory would give Nebraska its first Big 12 crown since 1999.

Nebraska enters the game with good momentum having won its last five games, the longest winning streak in Big 12 play for the Huskers in eight seasons. The winning streak has boosted Nebraska's overall record to 9-3, including a 6-2 mark in conference play. The Huskers have also re-entered both major national polls, ranking 21st in the Associated Press Poll and 20th according to the coaches.

Texas enters the contest with a perfect 12-0 record and a 16-game overall winning streak. The Longhorns are ranked third in this week's BCS rankings, third in the Associated Press Poll and second according to the coaches.

THE SERIES

Texas owns an 8-4 edge in the all-time series between the two schools, including victories in the past four meetings with three of those victories by three or fewer points. The Longhorns own a 7-1 edge in the series since the formation of the Big 12 Conference, however Nebraska's lone victory in that period came in the 1999 Big 12 Championship Game in San Antonio. Texas defeated Nebraska in the inaugural Big 12 title game in 1996.

THE COACHES

Nebraska: Bo Pelini (Ohio State, '90) owns a 19-7 record in his second season with the Huskers. Pelini has guided Nebraska to nine wins in each of his first two seasons as head coach, joining Bob Devaney, Tom Osborne and Frank Solich in accomplishing that feat. Prior to taking over as the Huskers' head coach, Pelini served as defensive coordinator at NU, Oklahoma and LSU. Previously, he had stints as an NFL assistant with San Francisco, New England and Green Bay.

Texas: Mack Brown (Florida State, '74) is in his 12th season as Texas' head coach and owns a 127-26 record with the Longhorns. He has guided Texas to at least 10 wins in nine straight seasons. Brown has a 213-100-1 record overall in his 25th season as a college head coach. Brown is 6-1 against Nebraska.

NEBRASKA FOOTBALL

Nebraska is 826-340-40 all-time, one of just seven schools with 800 all-time victories ♦ Nebraska has won five national championships (1970, 1971, 1994, 1995, 1997). ♦ The Cornhuskers have won 43 conference championships. ♦ Nebraska's 45 all-time bowl appearances rank fifth nationally. ♦ Since 1970, Nebraska has 392 wins, 27 more than any other school. ♦ Nebraska's 98 football Academic All-Americans lead the nation. ♦ The Huskers have had 106 All-Americans in school history.



NEBRASKA MEDIA INFORMATION AND POLICIES

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GENERAL POLICIES

► All player and coach interviews must be arranged at least one day in advance through the Husker Media Relations Office. Contact Keith Mann or Jerry Trickie at 402-472-2263. All post-practice interviews will be conducted at the practice site (Memorial Stadium or grass practice field), or just outside the locker room area underneath the North Stadium stands. Interviews will not be conducted in the weight room, Hewitt Center, training room, hallways or the tunnel leading from the locker room to the field. The Nebraska locker room, training room and football office meeting rooms are **OFF-LIMITS** to the media. When arriving for post-practice interviews, media should access Memorial Stadium through the West Stadium entrance, or wait in the Hawks Center lobby if practice is on the grass fields or inside the Hawks Center.

► Players cell phone numbers will **NOT** be given to the media. Requested NU players are available (depending on class schedules) at the Tuesday press conferences from 11:30 a.m.-1 p.m. and after practice on the field on Monday and Tuesday.

► Practices are **closed** to the media and to the general public; however, photographers and videographers are allowed to shoot the stretching period of practice and part of the individual period on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday. Media may stay at practice until the completion of the individual period, then will be asked to leave until practice is completed. A representative from the Media Relations Office will be on hand to assist media present.

► After all games, Nebraska's locker room is closed. Requested players and coaches will be brought to the postgame interview room after a 10-minute cooling off period. At home, the postgame interview room is located in the strength complex of the Osborne Athletic Complex. Media are asked to wait to set up equipment until the conclusion of halftime. On the road, Coach Pelini and requested players and assistant coaches will be brought to the designated interview area. Please note, **NO INTERVIEWS** will be conducted on the field as the players are returning to the locker room.

COACH AND PLAYER AVAILABILITY

(See bottom for Colorado week schedule)

Monday

► Big 12 Teleconference, **Bo Pelini at 11:50 a.m. CT**, Contact Big 12 Communications for the call-in and/or replay numbers. The calls are also available live and archived on the Big 12 web site at big12sports.com.

10 a.m. Mark Mangino, Kansas
10:10 a.m. Bob Stoops, Oklahoma
10:20 a.m. Mike Gundy, Oklahoma State
10:30 a.m. Bill Snyder, Kansas State
10:40 a.m. Gary Pinkel, Missouri
10:50 a.m. Mike Leach, Texas Tech
11 a.m. Art Briles, Baylor
11:10 a.m. Paul Rhoads, Iowa State
11:20 a.m. Mack Brown, Texas
11:30 a.m. Mike Sherman, Texas A&M
11:40 a.m. Dan Hawkins, Colorado
11:50 a.m. **Bo Pelini, Nebraska**

► Coach Pelini, requested assistants and requested players available after practice on field.

Tuesday

► Nebraska Weekly Press/Teleconference, Coach Pelini will be available in person at Memorial Stadium at 11:30 a.m. CT or via teleconference at (888) 820-1398. Call Media Relations Office for the weekly passcode.

► Players will generally follow Coach Pelini at the press conference. Offensive coordinator Shawn Watson and players not requested at press conference will be available after practice on the field.

Wednesday

► Defensive coordinator Carl Pelini, requested assistants available after practice on field.

Thursday

► Coach Pelini available after practice on field.

Friday

► No Media Availability.

Pelini Phone Interviews

► Media wishing to try to arrange a phone interview may contact Keith Mann for availability. Please contact the Media Relations Office the week prior to the requested time for interview.

Player Phone Interviews

► Out-of-town media requesting phone interviews with Nebraska players should contact Keith Mann or Jerry Trickie with those requests no later than 2 p.m. CT on Monday of game week. At least two players will also be included on Nebraska's weekly teleconference on Tuesday following Coach Pelini.

Credentials

► Media who have not made credential requests for the upcoming game may do so on-line at Huskers.com/media. Follow the steps on the web site to complete the application. You will receive an e-mail confirming your application, and approval/denial e-mail. Contact Vicki Cartwright at (402) 472-2263 with questions.

Huskers.com

► Huskers.com is the official site of Nebraska Athletics and includes updated stats, game notes, depth chart (Tuesday) and extensive quotes and audio clips from Nebraska's Tuesday press conference, including Coach Pelini and selected Nebraska players in the afternoon, and NU coordinators following practice.

Teleconference/Satellite Feed

► Selected Nebraska press conferences will be available via satellite. Please call or e-mail the Nebraska Media Relations Office for more details.

All of Coach Pelini's press conference are available via teleconference and video is available through Huskers.com. Two or three players will be on the call immediately following Pelini.

Player/Coach Mug Shots

► Husker color digital mugs can be downloaded directly to your system for media usage. The head shots are available for media use at Huskers.com (go to football page, go to roster bios, click on bio, when picture appears, click on the magnifying glass below the picture, then click the word "larger".) Action photos and/or a CD of Nebraska mug shots may be obtained by calling or e-mailing the Nebraska Media Relations Office.

Media Guide and Supplement Own-Line

► PDF versions of the 2009 Nebraska media guide and media supplement are available on Huskers.com. Please go to the "Football" page, on the left menu, click on "Media Guides" and proceed.

Bank of the West Nebraska Football Show

► Head Coach Bo Pelini and host Greg Sharpe review each Nebraska football game on the Bank of the West Nebraska Football Show. The show airs on Sunday evenings in Omaha and Lincoln on WOWT and KOLN/KGIN, respectively.

GAME 13: BIG 12 CHAMPIONSHIP VS. TEXAS (NOV. 30-DEC. 5)

Monday, Nov. 30

Big 12 Teleconference

11:30 a.m.--Mack Brown
11:40 a.m.--UT players
11:50 a.m.--Bo Pelini
Noon--NU players

Practice

4 - 5:20 p.m.

Open thru individual period
Coach Pelini, requested players, requested assistants available after

Note: Submit press conference requests by Monday at 2 p.m.

Tuesday, Dec. 1

Press Conference

11 a.m.--Lunch
11:30 a.m.--Bo Pelini
11:50-1 p.m.--Players
Available via teleconference

Practice

3:45 - 5:45 p.m.

Open thru individual period
Off. coordinator Shawn Watson, requested players not at PC, available after practice

Wednesday, Dec. 2

Practice

Time 3:45-5:45 p.m.
Defensive coordinator Carl Pelini, requested assistant coaches available after practice

Thursday, Dec. 3

Practice

Time 3:50-5:15 p.m.
Coach Pelini available after practice

Coach Pelini Radio Show

7 p.m.-Husker Sports Network
(Ron Brown)

Friday, Dec. 4

Walk-Thru at Memorial Stadium in morning
(closed to media)

Big 12 Championship

Press Conference
Cowboys Stadium
2 p.m.--Bo Pelini
2:30 p.m.--Mack Brown

Big Red Breakfast-Omaha

7 a.m.-Carl Pelini

Saturday, Dec. 5

Big 12 Championship

Nebraska vs. Texas
7:13 p.m. CT (ABC-HD)

Post-Game

Coach Pelini, four players available in the post-game interview area immediately following the game

Requested players available immediately following.

No Interviews on field.



NEBRASKA-COLORADO STAT WRAP

Team Stats	NU	CU
First Downs	14	20
Rushes-Yards	40-144	28-134
Passes	9-14-0	21-44-3
Passing Yards	73	269
Total Offense	217	403
3rd-Down Conversions	3-of-10	7-of-16
Turnovers	1	3
Penalties	7-49	7-34
Sacks	1-17	3-15

NU Rushing Leaders

Rex Burkhead—18 carries, 100 yards, TD

Roy Helu Jr.—14 carries, 54 yards

NU Passing Leader

Zac Lee—9-14-0, 73 yards, TD

NU Receiving Leaders

Ben Cotton—3 receptions, 33 yards, TD

Niles Paul—2 receptions, 20 yards

NU Defensive Leaders

Phillip Dillard—4 UT, 4 AT, 8 TT, 1 QB hurry

Ndamukong Suh—5 UT, 1-17 sack, 2 QB hurry

Matt O'Hanlon—2 UT, 2 AT, 4 TT, 20-yard INT return for TD, PBU

NU Special Teams Leaders

Niles Paul—4 punt returns, 71 yards, 59-yard return for TD

Alex Henery—6 punts, 50.7 average, long-63, four inside 20

2009 BIG 12 STANDINGS

North Division

Team	Records		
	Big 12	Overall	Next Game
Nebraska	6-2	9-3	vs. Texas (Big 12)
Missouri	4-4	8-4	Reg. Season Complete
Kansas St.	4-4	6-6	Season Complete
Iowa St.	3-5	6-6	Reg. Season Complete
Colorado	2-6	3-9	Season Complete
Kansas	1-7	5-7	Season Complete

South Division

Team	Records		
	Big 12	Overall	Next Game
Texas	8-0	12-0	vs. Nebraska (Big 12)
Oklahoma St.	6-2	9-3	Reg. Season Complete
Texas Tech	5-3	8-4	Reg. Season Complete
Oklahoma	5-3	7-5	Reg. Season Complete
Texas A&M	3-5	6-6	Reg. Season Complete
Baylor	1-7	4-8	Season Complete

2009 Nebraska Non-Conference Opponents

Team	Record	Next Game
Florida Atlantic	3-8	at Fla. International
Arkansas State	3-8	at W. Kentucky
Virginia Tech	9-3	Reg. Season Complete
Louisiana-Lafayette	6-6	Reg. Season Complete

NOTING GAME 12...NEBRASKA 28, COLORADO 20

* Nebraska picked up its ninth win, giving NU back-to-back nine-win seasons for the first time since an NCAA-record 33 straight nine win seasons from 1969 to 2001. This is Nebraska's first nine-win regular season since 2006.

* Nebraska finished 4-0 on the road in Big 12 Conference play, marking NU's first perfect Big 12 road season since 1997. Nebraska has won five straight on the road in conference play dating back to last season.

* Nebraska has won five straight games in Big 12 play, marking the longest conference winning streak for Nebraska since winning seven straight in 2001.

* The victory was NU's second straight win over Colorado and its seventh win in the past nine meetings in Boulder.

* Junior punter/place-kicker **Alex Henery** punted six times for a career-best 50.7-yard average, including punts of 58 and 63 yards. He bettered his previous best of 45.7 yards per punt against Louisiana-Lafayette earlier this year.

* Henery downed four punts inside the CU 20 boosting his Big 12-leading total to 26. He had a first-quarter punt downed at the CU 2, his eighth punt of the year that has pinned the opponent inside the 3-yard line.

* Junior wide receiver/returner **Niles Paul** returned a first-quarter punt 59 yards for a touchdown. The return was a career long for Paul and the first punt return for a touchdown of his career. Paul's previous career-long return was a 55-yarder at Virginia Tech this season.

* Paul's punt return for a touchdown was the first by Nebraska since Nate Swift had an 88-yarder for a touchdown against Virginia Tech last season. Nebraska did return a blocked punt for a touchdown earlier this season at Baylor (Justin Blatchford).

* Paul has scored touchdowns three different ways this season (rush, reception, punt return) and four different ways in his career (kickoff return).

* Senior safety **Matt O'Hanlon** returned a second-quarter interception 20 yards for a touchdown to give NU a 21-7 lead. The interception was O'Hanlon's team-leading fifth interception and his first career touchdown. O'Hanlon's five interceptions are the most by a Nebraska player since Daniel Bullocks had five in 2004. The last time a player had more than five interceptions was Josh Bullocks' school-record 10 picks in 2003.

* With touchdowns on offense, defense and special teams, the game marked the first time Nebraska has scored TDs in all three areas since last season's win over San Jose State.

* Junior defensive back **Prince Amukamara** intercepted a fourth-quarter pass and returned it 40 yards. It was Amukamara's fourth interception of the season, one behind O'Hanlon. Junior defensive back **Dejon Gomes** also intercepted a second-quarter pass for his third interception of the season.

* Nebraska was a +2 in turnover margin (three interceptions), marking the fifth straight game NU has had a positive turnover margin. It is NU's longest positive turnover margin streak since being positive in turnover margin in the first five games of 2003. In nine wins this season, Nebraska is a +16, while it is a minus-12 in its three losses.

* Freshman I-back **Rex Burkhead** rushed a career-high 18 times for a career-best 100 yards. His previous highs were nine carries for 39 yards against Florida Atlantic in the opener. He added a fourth-quarter touchdown, rushing nine times for 55 yards on that drive alone.

* Redshirt freshman tight end **Ben Cotton** caught a 24-yard touchdown pass in the second quarter to give NU a 14-0 lead. It was Cotton's first career touchdown reception, but his second career touchdown (fumble recovery in end zone vs. La.-Lafayette). Cotton finished with a career-high three catches for 33 yards after entering the contest with two catches for 10 yards this season.

* Nebraska held Colorado without a first down in the first quarter, with CU's initial first down coming with 13:36 left in the second quarter. This marked the second time in three games NU did not allow a first quarter first down (also at Kansas on Nov. 14).

INSIDE THE CORNHUSKERS' 2009 SCHEDULE

Date Opponent Time/Result... TV.....SeriesLast Meeting (Site)/Notes

Sept. 5..... Florida Atlantic W, 49-3 FSN PPV.....NU, 1-0Nebraska wins 24th straight season opener/Three points allowed fewest in 33 games

Sept. 12..... Arkansas State W, 38-9 FSN PPV.....NU, 1-0Lee, 27-of-35, 340 yards, 4 TD/Paul and McNeill two touchdowns each

Sept. 19 at Virginia Tech L, 16-15 ABC..... VT, 2-1 Helu 28 rushes for career-high 169 yards/Henery 5-5 FG/Suh 8 tackles, 4 PBU

Sept. 26 UL-Lafayette (HC) W, 55-0 FSN PPV.....NU, 1-0Huskers post first shutout in three seasons in 300th consecutive sellout at Memorial Stadium

Oct. 8 at Missouri W, 27-12 ESPN NU, 64-36-3 NU posts 27 fourth-quarter points and matches largest fourth-quarter comeback in school history

Oct. 17..... Texas Tech..... L, 31-10 ABCNU, 7-4Texas Tech wins fourth straight over Nebraska/Defense records five sacks in loss

Oct. 24..... Iowa State..... L, 9-7 FSNNU, 86-16-2ISU wins in Lincoln for first time since 1977 as NU commits school-record eight turnovers

Oct. 31 at Baylor W, 20-10 Versus NU, 11-1 Crick sets school records with five sacks and seven TFL/Green first true frosh to start at QB since '92

Nov. 7 Oklahoma W, 10-3 ABCOU, 44-38-3NU posts five interceptions, including school-record three by O'Hanlon/Helu 138 rushing

Nov. 14..... at Kansas W, 31-17 ABC..... NU, 90-23-3 Paul 4 receptions, 154 yards, 244 all-purpose/Helu 156 yards rushing, three touchdowns

Nov. 21 Kansas State W, 17-3 ESPN.....NU, 77-15-2Asante season-high 10 tackles, INT, fumble recovery/Helu Jr. 95 yards rushing, TD

Nov. 27..... at Colorado W, 28-20 ABC..... NU, 48-18-2 NU scores on offense, defense and special teams/Burkhead 18-100-1 TD rushing

Dec. 5..... vs. Texas (Big 12) 7 p.m..... ABC..... 5th app. (2-2) NU appeared in 1996, 1997, 1999, 2006/Third meeting with Texas in Big 12 title game



NOTING PELINI

Born: Dec. 13, 1967
Hometown: Youngstown, Ohio
Wife: Mary Pat
Children: Patrick, Kate and Caralyn
High School: Cardinal Mooney, 1986
College: Ohio State, 1990

Playing Experience

1987-90, Ohio State, free safety

Coaching Experience

Nebraska, 2008-present
 Head Coach

LSU, 2005-07
 defensive coordinator

Oklahoma, 2004
 co-def. coordinator, defensive backs

Nebraska, 2003
 defensive coordinator,
 interim head coach for Alamo Bowl

Green Bay Packers, 2000-02
 linebackers

New England Patriots, 1997-99
 linebackers

San Francisco 49ers, 1994-96
 assistant secondary

Cardinal Mooney High School, 1993
 quarterbacks

Iowa, 1991
 graduate assistant



NU UNDER PELINI

Overall	19-7
vs. AP Ranked Teams	2-4
vs. AP Top 10 Teams	0-3
vs. Unranked Teams	17-3
vs. Big 12 Teams	11-5
Home	11-4
Road	6-3
Neutral	2-0
In August	1-0
In September	5-2
In October	4-4
In November	7-1
In December	1-0
In January	1-0
When Rushing for 200 or more yards	6-2
When Rushing for 300 or more yards	2-0
When Passing for 200 or more yards	11-6
When Passing for 300 or more yards	6-1
When NU player rushes for 100 yards	9-2
When NU has two 100-yard rushers	0-0
When NU player has 100 yards receiving	6-1
When Opponent has 100 Yd. Rusher	2-2
When Scoring 35 or More Points	10-0
When Holding Opponent to 10 Pts. or less	9-1
When forcing three or more turnovers	8-0
When Nebraska scores first	13-0
When Nebraska leads at halftime	13-1
When Nebraska trails at halftime	3-6
When Nebraska is tied at halftime	3-0
Games decided by 11 points or more	13-3
Games decided by 10 or less	6-3
Games decided by 7 or less	2-3
Games decided by 3 or less	0-2
Overtime games	0-1



NEBRASKA HEAD COACH BO PELINI

Bo Pelini is in his second season as Nebraska's head coach and owns a 19-7 record with the Huskers. Pelini guided Nebraska to a 9-4 record in 2008, and has led the Huskers to at least a share of the Big 12 North title in each of his first two seasons at Nebraska. He is the first coach in the 14-year history of the Big 12 to win at least a share of a division title in each of his first two seasons.

Pelini took charge of the Huskers after a highly successful five-year run as a collegiate defensive coordinator, including orchestrating NU's defensive efforts in 2003. Pelini picked up his first college head coaching victory as NU's interim coach in the 2003 Alamo Bowl against Michigan State.

Following his one season at Nebraska, Pelini served as the co-defensive coordinator at Oklahoma in 2004, helping the Sooners to the Big 12 title and BCS title game. He then followed with three seasons as the defensive coordinator at LSU. With the Tigers, Pelini led three consecutive defenses to No. 3 national rankings in total defense. He culminated his time in Baton Rouge by helping the Tigers to the 2007 national championship.

In addition to his five seasons at the collegiate level, Pelini coached in the NFL for nine seasons serving three years each with the San Francisco 49ers, New England Patriots and Green Bay Packers. Pelini was a team captain and four-year letterman as a safety at Ohio State from 1987 to 1990.

PELINI PUTTING TOGETHER IMPRESSIVE FIRST TWO YEARS AS HEAD COACH

In guiding Nebraska to a 9-4 record in his first season in charge, Head Coach Bo Pelini measured up well with first-year coaches around the country. He also put himself in some impressive company at Nebraska.

► Pelini was the fourth Nebraska head coach to win nine games in his first season with the Cornhuskers. The others to reach that win plateau were Bob Devaney, Tom Osborne and Frank Solich.

► Pelini's nine victories last season tied for the most among 18 coaches in their first season at their respective school in 2008. Among first-time head coaches, Pelini's victory total was the best in the nation. Pelini's 18 victories in his first two seasons are tied for second among coaches in their second year in their current job.

► Pelini became just the eighth BCS Conference (since 1998) first-time head coach to post nine or more victories in his first season. He is just the second first-year head coach in that span to win nine games after inheriting a team with a losing record the previous season.

► Nebraska shared the Big 12 North crown with Missouri, and Pelini became the first coach in Big 12 history to lead his team to at least a share of a division championship in his first season. He has added an outright division title in 2009.

► Nebraska became just the second team in the 13-year history of the Big 12 to finish last in its division one season and earn at least a share of the division title the following year in 2008.

PELINI CONTINUES DEFENSIVE ACCOMPLISHMENTS AT NEBRASKA

The 2008 Nebraska defense was one of the nation's most improved units. The Huskers allowed 127 fewer yards per game than the previous season and Nebraska finished second in the Big 12 Conference in total defense.

With Pelini's previous track record it is no surprise the 2009 Blackshirts are among the nation's best defenses.

► Pelini led the 2003 Blackshirts to impressive numbers. NU had a school-record 47 takeaways, including a Big 12-record 32 interceptions, and finished second nationally in scoring defense, first in pass efficiency defense and 11th in total defense.

► Pelini guided LSU defenses to No. 3 national finishes in total defense each of his three seasons in Baton Rouge.

► In 92 games as a collegiate coach, Pelini's defenses have posted nine shutouts, held the opposition to seven points or less 32 times and to 20 points or less 59 times.

► Pelini-led defenses have 188 total takeaways, including two top-three national rankings.

NEBRASKA COACHING STAFF RETURNED INTACT FOR 2009 SEASON

Head Coach Bo Pelini returned his entire coaching staff for 2009. That may not seem like news at Nebraska where coaching continuity has been a key to success over the years, but it is noteworthy when considering the past few years.

The last time Nebraska had its full coaching staff remain the same from one season to the next was from 2001 to 2002 when Frank Solich's staff was unchanged. Since that year, Nebraska has had two head coaching changes and at least one assistant coach change each season.

Pelini's staff had extensive ties to Nebraska and the Big 12 prior to the 2008 season. Every member of the Husker coaching staff had prior experience in the Big 12 before joining forces for the Huskers.

NEBRASKA COACHING STAFF

OFFENSE



Shawn Watson
 Off. Coord./QB
 4th Year-Sideline



Tim Beck
 Running Backs
 2nd Year-Press Box



Ron Brown
 Tight Ends
 2nd/19th Year-Field



Barney Cotton
 Assoc. HC/OL
 2nd/3rd year-Field



Ted Gilmore
 Asst. HC/WR/RC
 5th Year-Press Box

DEFENSE



Carl Pelini
 Def. Coord./DL
 2nd Year-Field



Mike Ekeler
 Linebackers
 2nd Year-Field



John Papuchis
 Def. Ends
 2nd Year-Press Box



Marvin Sanders
 Asst. HC/Secondary
 2nd/3rd Season-Press Box



James Dobson
 Strength Coach
 2nd Year

STRENGTH



TEXAS BREAKDOWN

Offense

Senior Colt McCoy is the winningest quarterback in NCAA FBS history, entering the 2009 Big 12 Championship with a 44-7 career record. McCoy has won at least 10 games in all four seasons as Texas' starter - the only quarterback in FBS history to do so - and is among the best in the country again this season. He ranks sixth nationally in total offense with 308 yards per game, providing a big dual threat for the Longhorn offense. Through the air, McCoy has completed 72 percent of his passes (310-of-432) for 3,328 yards and has 27 touchdowns with seven interceptions.

McCoy is also instrumental in the Texas ground game, leading the team in carries (111) and ranking second in yards with 30.7 per game. Freshman running back Tre' Newton is the Longhorns' leading rusher, but averages just 39.8 yards per game with six touchdowns.

Senior wide receiver Jordan Shipley may be as big of offensive threat as McCoy, hauling in 99 receptions for 1,292 yards this season. Shipley's 107.7 receiving yards per game average has come with 11 touchdowns after a 1,060-yard season in 2008.

Defense

Texas fields one of the best defenses in college football, giving up a Big 12-best 263.2 yards per game. The Longhorns are strongest against the run as they rank No. 1 nationally in rushing defense by giving up 61.8 yards per game on the ground.

Texas has a slew of playmakers on the defensive side of the ball, with its leading tackler in the form of All-Big 12 senior linebacker Roddrick Muckelroy. He has 87 stops this season, at least 20 more tackles than any other Longhorn. Muckelroy is one of five players with double-digit tackles for loss, along with senior defensive tackle Lamarr Houston (20), senior defensive end Sergio Kindle (17), junior defensive end Sam Acho (12) and sophomore linebacker Emmanuel Acho (10). Sophomore safety Earl Thomas is the most dangerous threat in the secondary, picking off eight passes this season, tying him for the second-most interceptions in the NCAA.

Special Teams

Shipley ranks No. 2 in the Big 12 Conference with 13.3 yards per punt return this season, including two touchdowns. The Longhorns are also very talented on kickoffs, taking back three for scores this season, led by a pair from D.J. Monroe. The freshman ranks No. 3 in the NCAA with 35.8 yards per kickoff return.

Senior placekicker Hunter Lawrence is one of college football's most accurate kickers, hitting 87 percent of his field goals this season (20-of-23). Two of Lawrence's misses have been from 40+ yards, while his long field goal is 49 yards.

COACH MACK BROWN

Mack Brown is in his 12th year as Texas head coach and is the Longhorns' winningest coach with a record of 127-26 (.830). Under Brown, Texas has been one of the elite teams in college football, achieving at least a nine-win season every year since 1998, including the 2005 national championship. He was named the 2008 Bobby Dodd National Coach of the Year and taken the Longhorns to eight consecutive 10-win seasons, the only team in the nation to achieve that feat. Prior to Texas, Brown was phenomenal as North Carolina's head coach, leading the Tar Heels to a combined 20-3 record in his final two seasons, including a No. 4 national ranking in the coaches poll at the end of the 1997 season. Brown is a 1974 graduate of Florida State University and was head coach at North Carolina from 1988 to 1997, leading the Tar Heels to bowl appearances in each of his last six seasons. Brown also held assistant coaching positions at Oklahoma (1984), LSU (1982), Iowa State (1979-81), Memphis (1978) and Southern Mississippi (1975-77).

THE TEXAS SERIES

Series Notes: Texas and Nebraska met in the first Big 12 Championship Game in 1996 and played the first rematch in the history of the league title game in 1999...only five times in the series has the higher-ranked team won...three times in the series an unranked team has defeated a top-10 team, including NU upsetting fourth-ranked Texas in the 1960 season opener in Austin; the Longhorns defeating No. 3 Nebraska in the 1996 league title game; and UT posting a 20-16 win at No. 7 Nebraska in 1998...Texas also defeated No. 3 Nebraska in 1999, when the 'Horns were ranked 18th...it was NU's only loss in a 12-1 campaign...Texas' 1998 win at Memorial Stadium ended NU's 47-game home-field winning streak...UT's 22-20 win in 2006 marked the second-closest game in series history, as walk-on kicker Ryan Bailey hit his first career field goal with 23 seconds left to secure the win...six of the 12 meetings have been decided by four points or less (UT is 5-1 in those games)...the 1974 Cotton Bowl win over Texas, 19-3, was Tom Osborne's first bowl game as NU's head coach...that win was NU's fifth straight bowl victory overall...Texas' victory in the 1996 Big 12 Championship Game ended a streak of 13 straight victories over the four Texas schools in the Big 12, dating back to a 1959 loss to the Longhorns...UT running back Jamaal Charles' rushed for an NU opponent record 290 yards in the 2007 game.

NEBRASKA-TEXAS IN THE BIG 12 CHAMPIONSHIP

Nebraska and Texas have split their only two meetings in the Big 12 Championship game. In 1996, the unranked Longhorns spoiled Nebraska's chance at a national championship, as Priest Holmes led UT to a 37-27 upset in St. Louis with a three-touchdown, 120-yard effort. The Huskers won the rematch in 1999, with Eric Crouch leading the Huskers to a 22-6 victory with two rushing touchdowns to go along with a 136-yard ground performance by Correll Buckhalter. Nebraska went on to finish the season 12-1 and ranked No. 2 in the coaches poll.

2009 SCHEDULE/RESULTS (12-0, 8-0)

Date	Opponent	Result/Time
9/5	vs. Louisiana-Monroe	W, 59-20
9/12	at Wyoming	W, 41-10
9/19	vs. Texas Tech	W, 34-24
9/26	vs. UTEP	W, 64-7
10/10	vs. Colorado	W, 38-14
10/17	vs. Oklahoma	W, 16-13
10/24	at Missouri	W, 41-7
10/31	at Oklahoma State	W, 41-14
11/7	vs. Central Florida	W, 35-3
11/14	at Baylor	W, 47-14
11/21	vs. Kansas	W, 51-20
11/26	at Texas A&M	W, 49-39

TEXAS STATS

2009 Leaders

Rushing	Att.	Yards	TD	Long	Avg./Gm
Tre' Newton	83	477	6	45	39.8
Colt McCoy	111	368	2	65	30.7

Passing	Comp.	Att.	Int.	Pct.	TD	Yds.
Colt McCoy	310	432	9	71.8	27	3,328
Garrett Gilbert	15	26	0	57.7	0	124

Receiving	No.	Yards	TD	Long	Avg./Gm
Jordan Shipley	99	1,292	11	88	107.7
James Kirkendoll	48	461	6	47	38.4

Defense	TT	TFL/Yds.	Sack-Yds.	Int.-Yds.
Roddrick Muckelroy	87	10-49	2.0-29	0-0
Earl Thomas	66	5-27	0-0	8-149

NEBRASKA STATS

2009 Leaders

Rushing	Att.	Yards	TD	Long	Avg./Gm
Roy Helu Jr.	207	1,111	10	63	92.6
Rex Burkhead	47	235	2	16	33.6

Passing	Comp.	Att.	Int.	Pct.	TD	Yds.
Zac Lee	158	260	7	60.8	13	1,931
Cody Green	33	59	2	55.9	2	317

Receiving	No.	Yards	TD	Long	Avg./Gm
Niles Paul	35	669	3	72	55.8
Mike McNeill	25	240	4	32	20.0

Defense	TT	TFL/Yds.	Sack-Yds.	Int.-Yds.
Ndamukong Suh	70	16-70	7.5-56	1-0
Phillip Dillard	70	9-39	3.0-27	1-9

NCAA STATS

	NU	UT
Rushing Offense	147.4 (64th)	163.9 (47th)
Passing Offense	187.3 (93rd)	287.7 (13th)
Total Offense	334.8 (92nd)	451.6 (11th)
Scoring Offense	25.6 (72nd)	43.0 (3rd)
Rushing Defense	101.9 (15th)	61.8 (1st)
Pass Defense	189.5 (25th)	201.4 (39th)
Total Defense	291.4 (11th)	263.2 (5th)
Scoring Defense	11.1 (3rd)	15.4 (9th)
Net Punting	34.7 (80th)	33.6 (99th)
Punt Returns	10.95 (37th)	13.45 (15th)
Kickoff Returns	23.0 (38th)	28.3 (3rd)
Turnover Margin	0.33 (T-41st)	1.0 (8th)
Sacks	2.8 (18th)	3.2 (3rd)



800-WIN CLUB

Nebraska is one of seven programs with 800 all-time victories, joining Michigan, Notre Dame, Texas, Ohio State, Penn State and Alabama. Nebraska's 826 all-time victories is fourth nationally.

1. Michigan	877
2. Texas	844
3. Notre Dame	837
4. Nebraska	826
5. Ohio State	818
6. Alabama	811
7. Penn State	810

Nebraska is in its 120th season of college football in 2009, and owns an 826-340-40 all-time record in 1,206 games (.701).

► Since the first season of Nebraska football in 1890, Husker teams have won 11 or more games 12 times, including seven times since 1993.

► Nebraska has won 12 or more games seven times, including three seasons with 13 wins (1971, 1994, 1997).

► NU (702), Michigan (705), Alabama (728) and Notre Dame (736) were the only programs to win 700 games in the 1900s.

NATION'S BEST SINCE '70

Nebraska easily ranks as the nation's winningest program since the start of the 1970s, when Bob Devaney guided NU to back-to-back national titles in 1970 and 1971. During the past four decades, the Huskers have compiled a 392-99-5 record, for a .795 winning percentage in 496 games. NU's 392 wins in that time period are 27 more than any other school since 1970.

1. Nebraska	392
2. Ohio State	365
3. Oklahoma	363
4. Michigan	359
5. Penn State	356

► Nebraska has 36 nine-win seasons and 21 10-win seasons since 1970.

CONFERENCE CROWNS

Nebraska returns to the Big 12 Championship Game for the first time since 2006. NU's trip to Arlington, Texas will mark its fifth appearance in the conference title contest.

The Huskers played in three of the first four Big 12 title games. Nebraska is one of three teams to capture two or more Big 12 titles, joining Oklahoma with six and Texas with two. Kansas State, Texas A&M and Colorado each captured one Big 12 crown. Oklahoma leads the way with seven Big 12 title game appearances, followed by Nebraska and Texas with five each. NU and Texas will be meeting in the conference championship game for the third time (1996, 1999).

The Huskers have won 43 football conference championships overall, including eight under Coach Bob Devaney and 13 under Coach Tom Osborne. Oklahoma has won 37 conference championships to rank second behind NU among league schools.

BIG 12 HISTORY

Championship Game Participants

Year	North	South	Big 12 Champ
1996	Nebraska	Texas	Texas
1997	Nebraska	Texas A&M	Nebraska
1998	Kansas St.	Texas A&M	Texas A&M
1999	Nebraska	Texas	Nebraska
2000	Kansas St.	Oklahoma	Oklahoma
2001	Colorado	Texas	Colorado
2002	Colorado	Oklahoma	Oklahoma
2003	Kansas St.	Oklahoma	Kansas State
2004	Colorado	Oklahoma	Oklahoma
2005	Colorado	Texas	Texas
2006	Nebraska	Oklahoma	Oklahoma
2007	Missouri	Oklahoma	Oklahoma
2008	Missouri	Oklahoma	Oklahoma
2009	Nebraska	Texas	

NEBRASKA AND TEXAS SHARE LONG HISTORY OF SUCCESS

Texas and Nebraska rank second and fourth, respectively, in all-time victories and are two of just seven schools to record at least 800 wins in program history. The two schools have combined for nine national championships, 70 conference championships and 93 bowl appearances. Since the start of Big 12 play in 1996, the schools have combined for four league titles and 10 Big 12 Championship appearances.

NU SET FOR FIFTH BIG 12 CHAMPIONSHIP APPEARANCE

Nebraska earned a trip to the Dr Pepper Big 12 Championship Game for the fifth time in the 14-year history of the Big 12 Conference. The Huskers' 17-3 win over Kansas State on Nov. 21 clinched the North Division crown and NU improved to 6-2 in league play with the win at Colorado, winning the North by two full games.

► Nebraska has also played in the Big 12 title game in 1996, 1997, 1999 and 2006. The five Big 12 title game appearances are the most for any North Division school, and tie Texas for the second-most appearances in the game. Only Oklahoma (7) has played in more Big 12 title games. Nebraska is 2-2 in its four previous title game appearances winning the league crown in 1997 and 1999. (Recaps of Nebraska's four previous Big 12 appearances can be found on page 21 of this notes package).

► In addition to its appearances in the conference title game, Nebraska has also tied for the North Division crown in 2001 and 2008, giving Nebraska at least a share of the North Division crown in seven of 14 years of the Big 12.

► The Nebraska-Texas matchup will be the third in five conference title games for Nebraska (also 1996 and 1999). The Nebraska-Texas matchup is the most-played game in league title history. Three other matchups have occurred two times. NU has also faced Texas A&M (1997) and Oklahoma (2006) in the Big 12 Championship Game.

NEBRASKA LOOKS TO CONTINUE WIN STREAK AGAINST BIG 12 TEAMS

Nebraska enters Saturday's matchup with a five-game winning streak in Big 12 action, having defeated Baylor, Oklahoma, Kansas, Kansas State and Colorado in successive weeks since a two-game losing streak in October. The five-game conference winning streak marks Nebraska's longest in conference action since winning seven straight in 2001. Under Bo Pelini, Nebraska has had two winning streaks of at least four games against Big 12 competition.

HUSKERS STRONG AWAY FROM LINCOLN

Nebraska completed Big 12 Conference regular-season play with a 6-2 record, thanks in large part to a perfect 4-0 record in conference road games. Nebraska has won five straight Big 12 road games, including last year's road finale at Kansas State and is 6-2 on the road in Big 12 play under Bo Pelini.

► The five-game conference road win streak is NU's longest since winning its first eight road games when the Big 12 Conference was formed in 1996 and 1997. Nebraska won 19 straight league road games from 1992 to 1997 (Big Eight and Big 12).

► The 4-0 record in Big 12 road games was the first for Nebraska since 1997.

► Each of the victories in Nebraska's five-game Big 12 road win streak has been by at least eight points.

► Nebraska is one of just 13 teams nationally to own a perfect conference road record in 2009. NU is joined in that club by Texas, Florida, Alabama, Penn State, Ohio, Central Michigan, Bowling Green, TCU, BYU, Troy, Boise State and Cincinnati.

► In Big 12 Conference history, there has been only nine times when a Big 12 team has won all of its league games away from home, including three times by Nebraska and twice by Texas. Of the seven previous conference teams to win all of its games away from home, four went on to win the Big 12 Championship (Nebraska-1997, Oklahoma-2000 and 2004, Texas-2005).

NEBRASKA LOOKS TO TRIP UP HIGHLY RANKED LONGHORNS

Nebraska enters this Saturday night's game ranked 20th and 21st in the national polls, while Texas comes into the game ranked in the top three in all major polls. The Huskers will be looking to end a long streak of frustration against top-10 opponents, dating back to a victory over No. 2 Oklahoma in 2001.

► Since that victory in Lincoln, Nebraska has dropped 12 straight games against top-10 foes, including two losses to Texas—a three-point setback against No. 7 UT in 2002 and a two-point loss to the fifth-ranked Longhorns in 2006 in Lincoln. Of the 12 straight losses, seven have come against top-five foes.

► Nebraska head coach Bo Pelini is 2-4 against nationally ranked teams (AP), including wins over Missouri and Oklahoma this season. Three of the losses are to teams ranked in the top seven (MU, OU, TT in 2008).

HUSKERS HAVE NOVEMBER TO REMEMBER

Last season, Nebraska clearly played its best football in the month of November, winning its final three regular-season games against Kansas, Kansas State and Colorado.

In 2009, Nebraska again hit its stride as fall began to turn to winter. The Huskers have won five straight games, including a perfect 4-0 record in November, with wins over Oklahoma, Kansas, Kansas State and Colorado.

► Nebraska owns a 7-1 record in games played in November under Head Coach Bo Pelini. Nebraska's lone November loss under Pelini was at No. 4 Oklahoma on Nov. 1, 2008.

► NU is 9-1 under Pelini in games played on or after Nov. 1, including last year's Jan. 1 Gator Bowl victory and the 2003 Alamo Bowl win over Michigan State when Pelini was the interim head coach.

Nebraska's seven-game November win streak is the program's longest since winning 19 straight games in November from 1992 to 1998.



NU MAKES COWBOYS STADIUM DEBUT

The Big 12 Championship Game will be Nebraska's first appearance at Cowboys Stadium, and its first in the Dallas area since the 2007 Cotton Bowl game against Auburn.

The game marks the second straight season Nebraska has played in an NFL stadium after last year's Gator Bowl victory in Jacksonville. Since 1983, Nebraska owns a 17-12 record in games played in NFL stadiums, including an 8-9 record in bowl games, an 0-2 mark in Big 12 title games and a 9-1 record in regular-season games.

FOUR HUSKER PLAYERS OWN

BIG 12 CHAMPIONSHIP EXPERIENCE

Four seniors on the Nebraska football team have experience in the Big 12 Championship Game. Senior defensive tackle **Ndamukong Suh** started the 2006 game against Oklahoma when NU opened in a goal-line defense, but did not have a tackle. Senior offensive guard **Andy Christensen** also started the game, while defensive end **Barry Turner** (one assisted tackle) and injured safety **Rickey Thenarse** (one assisted tackle) played in the contest.

POINTS AT A PREMIUM

Nebraska has relied on strong defensive efforts to achieve success this season. That has been even more the case in Lincoln, where the Memorial Stadium scoreboard saw little activity in the final three home games. NU's final three 2009 home games resulted in a combined 49 points, including a 9-7 loss to Iowa State on Oct. 24, a 10-3 win over OU on Nov. 7 and a 17-3 win over K-State.

► The 29 combined points in back-to-back games (ISU, OU) at Memorial Stadium was the lowest two-game total since 1967, when NU posted back-to-back shutouts of Iowa State (12-0) and Oklahoma State (9-0). The 49 points in three straight games were the fewest at Memorial Stadium since the first three games of 1959 produced 46 combined points.

► The ISU win in Lincoln ended a streak of 15 straight wins by NU over the Cyclones in Lincoln. It also ended a streak of 126 straight Husker victories in games in which NU held the opposition to 10 or fewer points. NU's last loss in that scenario had been a 10-7 setback at Iowa on Sept. 12, 1981.

► The 10-3 victory over Oklahoma marked NU's lowest point total in a victory since a 7-6 win over Pitt in Lincoln in 2005. It also marked just the fifth time since 1980 that Nebraska posted a victory while scoring 10 or fewer points.

Nebraska has held seven opponents to 10 or fewer points in 2009 and now owns a 236-6-1 record all-time when the opponent scores 10 or fewer points.

BLACKSHIRTS LIMIT POINTS IN LINCOLN

Nebraska completed the 2009 home season by allowing 58 points in seven games at Memorial Stadium (8.3 ppg). Texas Tech accounted for 31 of those points, while NU limited each of the other six opponents to nine or fewer points. Those six teams combined for two touchdowns in Lincoln. The six teams under 10 points marked NU's best total since the 1971 national championship team held all six home opponents to seven points or less.

This marked the fourth Husker defense since 1980 to hold opponents under 10.0 points per game at home for a season. The stingy defense inside Memorial Stadium is a vast improvement over the past two seasons. Last year, NU allowed 27.0 ppg in eight home games and in 2007 opponents averaged 32.6 points in seven home games.

Fewest Home PPG Allowed*

Year	PPG Allowed
1996	8.2
2009	8.3
1985	8.9
1999	9.3
1984	10.1

*since 1980

POINTS HARD TO COME BY AGAINST NEBRASKA DEFENSE

Nebraska has allowed 133 points in 12 games, and the 11.1 points per game allowed ranks first in the Big 12 and third in the nation, trailing only Florida (9.8 ppg) and Alabama (10.8 ppg). The 133 points allowed through 12 games is the best by a Blackshirt defense since the 1999 defense allowed 129 points through 12 games and 150 total points in a 13-game season.

► The last time a Nebraska defense finished the season allowing fewer than 15 points per game was in 2003, when NU allowed 14.5 points per contest. Its current defensive scoring average would be the best for a Blackshirt defense since NU allowed a nation-leading 9.5 points per game in 1984.

► The Nebraska defense has surrendered 13 offensive touchdowns this season (two opponent defensive TD), including six rushing touchdowns and seven passing touchdowns. The Blackshirts did not allow a touchdown until the second quarter of the second game, as the Huskers held their opponents out of the end zone for the first five quarters of the year, the longest season-opening streak since 1994. The 2009 Blackshirts became just the third NU team in the past 40 seasons to not allow a touchdown in the season opener.

► The Husker defense had a streak of 11 straight quarters without allowing an offensive touchdown, between a second-quarter touchdown pass by Iowa State on Oct. 24 and a second-quarter TD run by Kansas on Nov. 14. Nebraska allowed only 10 offensive touchdowns in eight Big 12 games.

► Nebraska did not allow a touchdown in the final 10 quarters at Memorial Stadium this season and four of NU's seven opponents in Lincoln did not reach the end zone.

► Nebraska held its first five opponents under 20 points for the first time since a streak of five games to open the 2003 season and has held 10 of 12 opponents to 17 or fewer points. To put that accomplishment in perspective, Nebraska held just six opponents to less than 20 points in 2007 and 2008 combined.

► The Huskers' 55-0 shutout of Louisiana-Lafayette marked Nebraska's first whitewashing of an opponent since a 56-0 win over Troy on Sept. 23, 2006.

► NU has limited six opponents to single digits, tying Florida and Alabama for the national lead. The last time NU had at least six opponents score less than 10 points was in 2003 when the Huskers held six foes to nine points or less. Head coach Bo Pelini was Nebraska's defensive coordinator that season.

NU also held six foes to single digits in 1994, 1990, 1987 and 1985, and held seven opponents to single digits in 1984.

► When you add in Baylor's 10-point output against Nebraska, the Blackshirts have held seven of 12 foes to 10 or fewer points. NU, Alabama and Florida are the only schools who have held seven foes to 10 points or less.

► Kansas scored a fourth-quarter touchdown on Nov. 14, ending a streak of not allowing a fourth-quarter point in three straight games. In Big 12 play, NU allowed just 40 second-half points, and four offensive touchdowns.

► Nebraska has allowed just 23 trips into the red zone by its opponents in 12 games. The 23 red-zone chances are tied for the third-fewest in the nation. Opponents have converted only 15-of-23 red-zone chances, with only 10 of those drives ending in touchdowns. Nebraska's 65 percent rank in red zone defense is tied for first nationally.

"They are the complete package. Numbers don't lie.

They are a very complete defensive football team."

--Kansas State Head Coach Bill Snyder on Nebraska Blackshirts

HUSKER BLACKSHIRTS CONSISTENTLY DOMINANT THROUGHOUT 2009

After surrendering 368 yards of total offense to Florida Atlantic in the opener, the NU defense held seven consecutive opponents to fewer than 280 total yards. The seven-game streak of holding opposing offenses under 300 total yards was the longest at Nebraska since 1996, when eight straight opponents had less than 300 yards of total offense.

Ironically, the streak ended in arguably Nebraska's top defensive performance of the season—a 10-3 win over Oklahoma. Despite allowing 325 yards, the Blackshirts allowed just 3.7 yards per play and held the Sooners more than 100 yards under their total offensive average.

Nebraska is allowing an average 291.4 total yards per game to rank third in the Big 12 and 11th nationally.

► Included in Nebraska's seven-game streak of sub-280 yard defensive efforts were four Big 12 games. That marked the first time the Huskers have held four straight Big 12 opponents to fewer than 300 yards of total offense since the eight-game streak in 1996.

► Nebraska's current average of 291.4 yards per game would be the best by a Blackshirt defense since the 2001 defense allowed an average of 287.2 yards per game to rank eighth in the nation. Nebraska has finished in the top 15 nationally in total defense just twice since 1999 (8th, 2001; 11th, 2003).

OFFENSIVE OUTPUT FOR NU OPPONENTS

Nebraska has limited 11 of its 12 opponents to fewer total offensive yards than their season average. Here's a comparison of the opposition's offensive output, compared to what those teams have done in their other games in 2009.

	Season Avg.	vs. Nebraska	Avg. in Other Games	+/- vs. other games
Florida Atlantic	434.5	368	441.1	-73.1
Arkansas State	336.3	274	342.5	-68.5
Virginia Tech	388.3	278	398.3	-120.3
La.-Lafayette	361.8	222	374.5	-152.5
Missouri	417.2	225	434.6	-209.6
Texas Tech	461.8	259	480.2	-221.2
Iowa State	359.4	239	370.4	-131.4
Baylor	342.9	276	349.0	-73.0
Oklahoma	419.4	325	428.0	-103.0
Kansas	422.4	335	430.4	-95.4
Kansas State	349.3	293	354.5	-61.5
Colorado	314.3	403	306.3	+96.7



2009 DEFENSE BY THE NUMBERS

AGAINST THE RUN

Game	Att.	Yds.	TD	Long
FAU	35	132	0	23
ASU	38	143	1	20
VT	37	86	1	46
ULL	37	102	0	12
MU	35	91	1	23
TT	25	25	2	21
ISU	48	137	0	20
BU	32	54	0	12
OU	29	80	0	14
KU	29	99	1	17
KSU	34	140	0	24
CU	28	134	0	28

AGAINST THE PASS

Game	Passes	Yds.	TD	Long	Sacks
FAU	20-41-2	236	0	38	0-0
ASU	11-20-0	131	0	43	4-33
VT	12-27-0	192	1	81	4-25
ULL	15-27-1	120	0	32	2-14
MU	17-43-2	134	0	38	2-15
TT	23-32-0	234	1	58	5-42
ISU	9-19-0	102	1	47	1-6
BU	19-38-2	222	0	41	7-30
OU	26-58-5	245	0	33	2-19
KU	19-41-0	236	1	28	1-9
KSU	12-33-1	153	0	27	4-30
CU	21-44-3	269	3	58	1-17

TAKEAWAYS

Game	Fumb.	INT	Total
FAU	1	2	3
ASU	1	0	1
VT	0	0	0
ULL	2	1	3
MU	1	2	3
TT	0	0	0
ISU	0	0	0
BU	1	2	3
OU	0	5	5
KU	1	0	1
KSU	1	1	2
CU	0	3	3

SACKS GAME-BY-GAME

Game	Sacks	Yds.	TFL	Yards
FAU	0	0	3	4
ASU	4	33	6	35
VT	4	25	9	35
ULL	2	14	6	18
MU	2	15	6	28
TT	5	42	13	61
ISU	1	6	3	9
BU	7	30	13	45
OU	2	19	5	30
KU	1	9	5	19
KSU	4	30	4	30
CU	1	17	1	17

AN AWARD-WINNING FIRST

Nebraska safety **Matt O'Hanlon** captured the FWAA/Bronko Nagurski National Defensive Player-of-the-Week award following his three interceptions in the Huskers' 10-3 victory over Oklahoma. O'Hanlon was the third Husker to win the national award this season, joining Ndamukong Suh (vs. Missouri) and Jared Crick (vs. Baylor).

Nebraska became the first school to win the award three times in one season since its inception in 2001. Only three schools had won the award twice in the same season before 2009. Nebraska defenders have also twice won the Walter Camp Defensive Player of the Week (Suh vs. MU, Crick vs. Baylor), won the Lott IMPACT player-of-the-week twice (Suh vs. MU, ISU) and captured Big 12 Defensive Player-of-the-Week honors four times (Suh vs. MU, Crick vs. Baylor, O'Hanlon vs. OU, Larry Asante vs. KSU).

HUSKERS STACK UP THE RUN

Nebraska's Big 12 foes have averaged 94.9 rushing yards, and the Huskers have allowed no rush of longer than 28 yards in conference play. Nebraska also held seven straight opponents (Virginia Tech-Oklahoma) to fewer than 3.0 yards per rush.

The Husker run defense has been strong since the middle of last season, helping key NU's overall defensive transformation.

► For the season, NU is allowing 101.9 rushing yards per game to rank fifth in the Big 12 and 15th nationally.

► The Huskers' strong play against the run began at Virginia Tech. The NU run defense held the Hokies to just 86 rushing yards, after VT entered the game 13th nationally in rushing at 254.0 yards per game.

► NU has limited nine of its last 14 opponents to 102 or fewer rushing yards.

► The longest rush against NU in Big 12 Conference play was a 28-yard run by Colorado. Nebraska has allowed only six 20+ yard runs in Big 12 play, and just nine all season.

► Texas Tech managed just 25 rushing yards and the Nebraska defense had five sacks and 13 tackles for loss against the Red Raiders. Baylor rushed for just 54 yards on 32 carries and NU had a season-high seven sacks vs. the Bears, and 13 tackles for loss. The seven sacks were the most by the Huskers since the season opener against Maine in 2005 when NU tied the school record with 11 sacks.

► During Nebraska's past 16 games its run defense has played a key role in the success. The Huskers have allowed an average of just 90.3 rushing yards in those contests. Nebraska is 13-3 in those games.

NO FREE PASSES

Nebraska is allowing an average of 187.3 yards per game through the air. That figure not only ranks among the national leaders, but it is on a strong pace in the Nebraska record books. NU last allowed fewer than 190 passing yards per game in 2003, when Nebraska allowed 177.8 passing yards per game.

► The Blackshirts have held nine opponents to 50 percent or less passing and have limited four foes to fewer than 150 passing yards. Opponents are completing just 48.2 percent of their passes against Nebraska, the fifth-best mark in the country and tops in the Big 12.

► Nebraska has allowed seven passing touchdowns this season. That mark ranks third in the nation, trailing only Tennessee (5) and Florida (6). The Huskers are allowing a touchdown on just 1.65 percent of opponent pass attempts, second nationally, trailing only Tennessee.

► NU's pass efficiency defense rating of 91.28 points ranks fourth nationally behind Alabama, Florida and TCU. Nebraska led the nation in pass efficiency defense in 2003 with an 88.7 rating.

► Nebraska's 16 interceptions ranks 13th in the nation, and is the most by Nebraska since a school-record 32 interceptions in 2003. Nebraska has 11 interceptions in its five-game winning streak.

2009 NEBRASKA DEFENSE BUILDING ON 2008 IMPROVEMENTS

A year after making huge strides in nearly every defensive category, the Nebraska Blackshirt defense is one of the nation's top units in 2009. Nebraska was one of the nation's most improved defenses in 2008 and finished second in the Big 12 in total defense at 349.9 yards per game. The Huskers' 2008 defensive numbers came just one season after Nebraska finished last in the Big 12 and 112th nationally in total defense at 476.8 yards per contest in 2007.

This season Nebraska ranks in the top 25 nationally in all five major defensive statistical categories. The Huskers are allowing 11.1 points per game to rank third in the nation. Nebraska made a large jump in scoring defense in 2008, allowing 28.5 points per game, a 9.1 point-per-game improvement over the 2007 campaign, but has reduced its scoring defense average by 17.4 points per game in 2009.

Nebraska also ranks 11th nationally in total defense (291.4 ypg), fourth in pass efficiency defense (91.3 rating), 15th in run defense (101.9 ypg) and 25th in pass defense (187.3 ypg).

In 2008, Nebraska was the national leader in improvement in rushing defense and team sacks. The Huskers improved their rush defense by 115.7 yards per game and 95 spots in the national rankings. NU's 22-sack improvement tied with Minnesota for the greatest gain in the country. Nebraska's total defense average was an improvement of 126.9 yards per game, the fourth-best improvement nationally. The Huskers' ranking in total defense also improved 57 spots in 2008.

► NU led the conference in third-down defense in 2008. In Big 12 games only, NU ranked second in the league in total defense and first in pass defense. This year's opponents have converted 33 percent on third downs. (19th nationally).

► NU had 35 sacks in 2008, nearly tripling its 2007 total. Among those sacks, 19 came in the final four games. Nebraska has 33 sacks in 2009 and has at least three sacks in nine of 16 games dating back to last fall. Nebraska's 2.8 sacks per game rank 18th nationally.

► Nebraska has held up well defensively in its biggest tests in 2009. Despite coming out on the losing end of a 16-15 decision at Virginia Tech, Nebraska limited the Hokies to fewer than 30 yards on 11 of their 13 drives, including six Hokie drives of two or fewer yards. The Huskers held Missouri to just 134 passing yards and 225 total yards in a 27-12 victory, then limited Texas Tech to less than half of its total offensive average.

NEBRASKA DEFENSIVE IMPROVEMENT

The 2009 Nebraska defense is among the nation's best, after being one of the nation's most improved units in 2008.

» Total Defense

2007	2008	Improvement	2009
476.8 ypg	349.9 ypg	126.9 ypg	291.4 ypg

» Rushing Defense

2007	2008	Improvement	2009
232.2 ypg	116.5 ypg	115.7 ypg	101.9 ypg

» Scoring Defense

2007	2008	Improvement	2009
37.9 ppg	28.5 ppg	9.1 ppg	11.1 ppg

» Sacks

2007	2008	Improvement	2009
13	35	22 (1.7 pg)	33 (2.8 pg)

» Opponent 3rd-Down Conversion Percentage

2007	2008	Improvement	2009
50.3 %	33.7 %	16.6 %	33 %

**BIG 12 CONFERENCE POW NOMINEES**

Game	Offense	Defense	Sp. Teams
FAU	Helu Jr.	O'Hanlon	--
ASU	Lee	Suh	Kunalic
VT	Helu Jr.	Suh	Henery
ULL	Lee	Fisher	Henery
MU	Paul	Suh	--
TT	--	--	--
ISU	--	Suh	--
BU	--	Crick	Henery
OU	Helu Jr.	O'Hanlon	--
KU	Helu Jr.	Gomes	Paul
KSU	--	Asante	Henery
CU	Burkhead	--	Paul

Bold indicates winner

HUSKERS ON WATCH LISTS/HONORS**Ndamukong Suh, Senior, DT**

Lombardi Award Finalist (1 of 4)
 Bronko Nagurski Award Finalist (1 of 5)
 Chuck Bednarik Award Finalist (1 of 3)
 Outland Trophy Finalist (1 of 3)
 Lott Trophy Finalist (1 of 3)
 Walter Camp National Player of the Year Watch List (1 of 15)
 Mid-Season All-American (Sporting News, Phil Steele)
 Big 12 Preseason Defensive Player of the Year
 Walter Camp National Defensive Player of the Week
 (10/11 vs. Missouri)
 Lott Trophy Impact Player of the Week vs. MU, ISU, KSU
 Big 12 Defensive Player of the Week vs. Missouri (10/12)
 FWAA/Nagurski Nat'l Defensive Player of the Week vs. Missouri

Jared Crick, Sophomore, DT

Big 12 Defensive Player of the Week vs. Baylor (11/2)
 Walter Camp Nat'l Defensive Player of the Week vs. Baylor
 FWAA/Nagurski Nat'l Defensive Player of the Week vs. Baylor

Roy Helu Jr., Junior, IB

Doak Walker Award Watch List
 Maxwell Award Watch List
 Mid-Season Third-Team All-American (Phil Steele)

Alex Henery, Junior, PK/P

Lou Groza Award Semifinalist (1 of 20)
 Big 12 Special Teams Player of the Week (VT, KSU)
 Groza Award Star of the Week vs. Virginia Tech, Kansas
 Ray Guy Award Watch List

Jacob Hickman, Senior, C

Rimington Trophy Watch List

Mike McNeill, Junior, TE

John Mackey Award Mid-Season Watch List

Matt O'Hanlon, Senior, S

Walter Camp National Defensive Player of the Week vs. Oklahoma
 Big 12 Defensive Player of the Week vs. Oklahoma

Larry Asante, Senior, S

Big 12 Defensive Player of the Week vs. Kansas State

SUH GAME-BY-GAME IN 2009

Game	UT-AT-TT	Sack	TFL	PBU	Hurry
FAU	4-3-7	0-0	1-1	1	0
ASU	4-1-5	1.5-17	3-18	0	1
VT	1-7-8	0.5-1	1-1	4	1
ULL	1-5-6	0-0	1-0	1	0
MU	5-1-6	1-6	1-6	1	3
TT	4-0-4	0-0	2-10	0	4
ISU	6-2-8	1-6	1-6	0	3
BU	3-2-5	1-3	3-5	0	2
OU	1-3-4	0-0	0-0	1	3
KU	2-1-3	0-0	0-0	0	2
KSU	4-5-9	1.5-6	2-6	2	1
CU	5-0-5	1-17	1-17	0	2
Totals	40-30-70	7.5-56	16-70	10	22

Blocked Kicks--3, PAT vs. ISU, FG vs. ISU, FG vs. OU

► Iowa State passed for just 102 yards against the Blackshirts, the fewest passing yards by an NU opponent in 25 games (Texas A&M, 100 in 2007).

► In non-conference play, Nebraska allowed 4.4 yards per play, an improvement of 1.3 yards over its 2008 average of 5.7 yards per play by the opposition. The Huskers took it to another level against Missouri, limiting the Tigers to an average of 2.9 yards on 78 offensive snaps. For the season, Nebraska is allowing 4.21 yards per play to rank third in the conference. In Big 12 play, NU is allowing 4.1 yards per play to lead the Big 12.

SUH CONTINUING AWARD-WINNING PLAY EVERY WEEK

Nebraska senior defensive tackle **Ndamukong Suh** has regularly shown why he is a contender for numerous conference and national honors this fall. He was named to several preseason All-America teams, and watch lists and was voted the Big 12's Preseason Defensive Player of the Year.

Suh has recently been named a finalist for no fewer than five major national awards--the Rotary Lombardi Award, the Bronko Nagurski Trophy, the Chuck Bednarik Award, the Outland Trophy and the Lott Trophy. There has also been well-deserved chatter about Suh as a darkhorse candidate for the Heisman Trophy.

While Suh received plenty of preseason accolades, he burst into national prominence after a remarkably dominant performance at Missouri that included a sack, an interception, a fumble caused, three hurries, a pass breakup and six total tackles. The effort began to earn him Heisman mention. Here is a sampling of the rave reviews Suh has received for his banner play in 2009.

"A defensive tackle who leads his team in tackles, drops into coverage and picks off passes is every bit as outstanding as a 4,000-yard passer or an 1,800-yard back. The problem is that the average Heisman voter doesn't understand how much a dominant defensive tackle can change a game."

Voters often counter that quarterbacks receive an inordinate amount of votes because the ball is in their hands every play. What they fail to consider is that a player like Suh affects every play in which he participates. Opposing offensive coordinators must design game plans around him. Quarterbacks must always know where he is. Offensive linemen must double-team him, lest their quarterback suffer. So, please, Heisman committee, give me a vote. I'll do exactly as you ask and select the nation's most outstanding player. Right now, that's Ndamukong Suh."

Andy Staples-SI.com, following Suh's effort against Missouri

"Suh is virtually unblockable and he does things no other DT can. He leads his team in tackles, again. That's shocking. That simply doesn't happen these days. You might as well see a 2,500-yard rusher. Last season, he was the first DT to lead Nebraska in tackles in 35 years. To have this kind of production again -- after knowing how he is the focal point of a rival's game plan -- is enough to get him on the Heisman radar. Maybe he can get in the race. I know this -- he'll be in my top five this week because I doubt there are five better players in college football."

Bruce Feldman, ESPN.com

The effort at Missouri also earned Suh numerous honors. He was chosen as the Big 12 Defensive Player of the Week for the second time in his career and also earned Walter Camp National Defensive Player-of-the-Week honors.

Suh came up huge at crucial times against Mizzou. He set the tone early with a sack and fumble forced in the first quarter, then registered his fourth career interception with Nebraska trailing 12-7 early in the fourth quarter. NU scored two plays later and went on to a 15-point victory.

NEBRASKA'S SUH-PERMAN CONTINUING TO DOMINATE

Suh has built on his dominant junior season when he was a first-team All-Big 12 pick and led Nebraska in tackles, tackles for loss, sacks and interceptions. The 6-4, 300-pound Suh is tied for the team lead with 70 tackles, and also leads the team in tackles for loss (16), pass breakups (10), quarterback hurries (22) and blocked kicks (3). His 7.5 sacks are second on the team and Suh has also added his fourth career interception.

In the opener against Florida Atlantic, Suh made seven tackles, including four solo stops. He also had a tackle for loss and a pass breakup. He had five tackles, including 1.5 sacks for 17 yards in losses and three tackles for loss totaling 18 yards against Arkansas State. At Virginia Tech, Suh had a team-high eight tackles, shared a sack and had a Nebraska defensive line record four pass breakups.

His dominant performance at Missouri was even more impressive, helping the Nebraska defense shut down the Tigers' high-powered offense. Suh had two tackles for loss and a career-high four quarterback hurries against Texas Tech, then had another monster effort against Iowa State.

Suh made eight tackles vs. ISU, including a six-yard sack. Suh also had three quarterback hurries and blocked two Cyclone kicks--a second-quarter extra point and a fourth-quarter field goal attempt. The blocked kicks were the fourth and fifth of Suh's career. Despite the loss his play against ISU netted him Lott Trophy Impact Player-of-the-Week honors for the second time in three games.

Suh tied his season high with three tackles for loss, including his fifth sack of the season in Nebraska's 20-10 win at Baylor. He had four tackles in NU's stellar defensive performance against Oklahoma, hurried Sooners QB Landry Jones three times and blocked his third kick of the season. In the Big 12 North-clinching win over K-State, Suh had 1.5 sacks, a season-high nine total tackles and a pair of pass breakups. He added a 17-yard sack, five solo tackles and a pair of hurries at Colorado last weekend.

NEBRASKA CAREER TFL

Player, Years	TFL
1. Grant Wistrom, 1994-97	58.5
2. Barrett Ruud, 2001-04	50
3. Ndamukong Suh, 2005-pres. 49	
4. Trev Alberts, 1990-93	45
5. Jim Skow, 1982-85	44
6. Adam Carriker, 2003-06	41
Willie Harper, 1970-72	41
8. Broderick Thomas, 1985-88	39
9. Mike Rucker, 1995-98	38
Jay Moore, 2003-06	38

NEBRASKA CAREER SACKS

Player, Years	Sacks
1. Trev Alberts, 1990-93	29.5
2. Grant Wistrom, 1994-97	26.5
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6. Adam Carriker, 2003-06	20.5
7. Ndamukong Suh, 2005-pres. 19.5	
8. Travis Hill, 1989-92	16.5
9. Jared Tomich, 1994-96	16
Kenny Walker, 1988-90	16
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Barry Turner, 2005-present	14.5



NEBRASKA FOOTBALL FACTS

TEAM

Season of Football	120th
National Championships	5
Back-to-Back National Championship Seasons	2
Undefeated Seasons.....	11
Perfect Seasons	9
Total Conference Championships	43
Big 12 Conference Championships.....	2
All-Time Games Played.....	1,206
All-Time Record	826-340-40 (.701)
National Ranking in All-Time Wins	4th
All-Time Bowl Appearances.....	45
National Ranking in Bowl Appearances.....	5th
All-Time Bowl Record	23-22
Home Games Played	655
Home Games Record.....	498-137-20 (.776)
Memorial Stadium Games Played	500
Memorial Stadium Record	373-114-13 (.759)
Consecutive Home Winning Seasons	41
Consecutive Home Sellouts	304
Record in Sellout Streak	263-41
vs. Ranked Teams	40-24
All-Time Record in August	11-0-0 (1.000)
All-Time Record in September	150-37-6 (.793)
All-Time Record in October	344-130-19 (.717)
All-Time Record in November	287-146-15 (.657)
All-Time Record in December.....	20-8-0 (.714)
All-Time Record in January	13-19-0 (.406)
All-Time Record in February.....	1-0-0 (1.000)
Since 1962	460-118-5
Away	328-202-20
Road (on campus).....	288-162-17
Neutral Sites	40-39-3
vs. Big 12 Teams	470-174-16
In Big 12 Action (since '96).....	77-39
Home	43-13
Away	31-24
Neutral.....	3-2
When Scoring 35+ Points.....	328-4
In Overtime.....	5-1
At Night	72-27-3
vs. Ranked Teams...	
All-Time	95-111-3
Home	44-36-0
Away	30-58-3
Neutral	21-17-0
as No. 1 Team.....	46-7-1

INDIVIDUAL

College Football Hall of Fame Players	14
College Football Hall of Fame Coaches	6
All-Americans	106
CoSIDA Academic All-Americans*	98
NCAA Top Eight Award Winners*	9
Heisman Trophy Winners	3
Walter Camp Award Winners.....	3
Maxwell Trophy Winners	1
Outland Trophy Winners*	8
Lombardi Trophy Winners.....	4
Butkus Award Winners.....	1
Johnny Unitas Golden Arm Award Winners.....	1
Davey O'Brien Award Winners.....	1
Rimington Award Winners	1
Retired Jerseys	16
Retired Numbers	2
All-Conference Selections	494

*Total leads the nation

NU STREAKS...THE HUSKERS HAVE...

- ▶ won 97 straight when rushing for 400 yards
- ▶ scored in 176 consecutive games
- ▶ scored in 270 straight home games
- ▶ shut out opponents 104 times

In addition to the media noticing Suh's play, Husker opponents have also recognized the play of No. 93.

"He still was making tackles on our running backs 10 yards down field. Tackles don't do that."--FAU center Ryan

Wischniefski

"The numbers he puts up and the things he does athletically at that size, he's a very dominant player. He's a great, great football player. I can't imagine a lot of other defensive tackles like him in the country. I'd like to see them."--

Missouri Head Coach Gary Pinkel

Suh had a monster 2008 season, finishing with 7.5 sacks, including 5.5 in the final four games. His 19 tackles for loss were eighth on the Nebraska single-season list, with 11 of those stops in the final four games. The 19 tackles for loss were the third-most ever by an NU interior lineman and the most since Kenny Walker had 21 in 1990. Suh also tied for the team lead in interceptions with two, and he returned both of those for touchdowns. His two interceptions tied a school season record for defensive tackles and his four career picks are a school position record.

Suh continues to make a significant mark in the Husker career record books.

▶ Suh has 49 career tackles for loss, including 16 in 2009. Against Baylor, he moved ahead of Jim Skow and Trev Alberts into third on the NU career TFL list. He is one TFL away from No. 2 (Barrett Ruud) on that list. His 49 career tackles for loss rank 12th nationally among active players and is the most among interior defensive linemen.

▶ His 19.5 career sacks are seventh in Nebraska history.

▶ He has 200 career tackles to rank 30th on the Nebraska career list. He is one of only nine interior defensive linemen to rank among NU's top 50 career tacklers. Suh ranks fifth among interior defensive linemen in career tackles.

▶ His 10 PBU in 2009 represent a Nebraska position record, breaking the previous mark of six by Jeremy Slechta in 2000. His 15 career breakups are also a position record, bettering the 11 by Steve Warren (1996-99).

▶ Suh is tied for the overall team lead in PBU with cornerback Prince Amukamara and his 0.9 passes defended per game is tied for 48th nationally. No other defensive lineman ranks in the top 100 nationally in that category.

▶ He is just three PBU from the top 10 on the overall single-season pass breakups list.

▶ Suh has at least one tackle for loss in 20 of Nebraska's past 23 games, including 10 of 12 games this season. His streak of 12 straight games with a TFL ended in NU's 10-3 win over Oklahoma.

▶ He has made at least five total tackles in 14 of Nebraska's past 18 games, including a season-high nine tackles against Kansas State.

▶ Suh's fourth career interception at Missouri bettered his own career position record.

▶ The two blocked kicks against Iowa State tied a Nebraska single-game record for any player and was a position record for defensive linemen. Suh posted his third blocked kick of the season with a FG block vs. Oklahoma. His three blocked kicks is a position record, bettering his own two blocks last season. The NU season record for blocked kicks regardless of position is four by Barron Miles in 1994.

▶ Suh's six career blocked kicks are a record for defensive linemen and are one shy of the school record for blocked kicks by any player.

BLACKSHIRTS' "OTHER" DEFENSIVE TACKLE HAS RECORD-SETTING PERFORMANCE

While **Ndamukong Suh** has received national attention for his play throughout the season, he has a battle on his hands for the top statistics on the Nebraska defensive line. Suh's defensive tackle mate, sophomore **Jared Crick**, quietly put together an outstanding season...until Nebraska's win over Baylor on Halloween. There was nothing quiet about Crick's record-setting day in the 20-10 win over the Bears.

▶ Crick had five sacks for 24 yards in the game, setting a Nebraska school record. Five Nebraska players had previously registered four sacks in a game, most recently Mike Rucker in 1996. Crick's five sacks are the most in a single game by any player in the nation in 2009.

▶ Crick had seven tackles for loss, totaling 28 yards. The seven tackles for loss tied the Nebraska school record, also held by Jim Skow (7-40 vs. Missouri in 1985). Crick's seven TFL are three more than any other Big 12 player this season.

▶ Crick recorded 13 total tackles in the game, including 10 solo stops. The 13 tackles were the most by a Husker this season, as were the 10 unassisted tackles. The last time a Nebraska defensive lineman had more than 13 tackles was Patrick Kabongo, who had 15 tackles at Iowa State in 2002.

▶ For good measure, Crick added a fumble recovery in the fourth quarter vs. Baylor and also had a pass breakup.

Crick's monster game earned him Big 12 Player-of-the-Week honors, recognition as the Walter Camp and Football Writers National Defensive Player of the Week and a "helmet sticker" on ESPN's *College Football Final*.

Crick is just behind Suh, Phillip Dillard and Larry Asante in total tackles with 67 stops. He leads the team with nine sacks for 53 yards and his 14 tackles for 59 yards in losses are second only to Suh. Crick also has a team-high two fumble recoveries. Crick's nine sacks are the most by a Nebraska player since 2005. He has at least one tackle for loss in seven games and has been in on a sack in six games this fall.

CRICK GAME-BY-GAME IN 2009

Game	UT-AT-TT	Sack	TFL	FR	QBH
FAU	0-3-3	0-0	1-0	0	0
ASU	1-4-5	0.5-6	1-6	0	1
VT	2-5-7	1-1	1-1	0	1
ULL	0-1-1	0-0	0-0	0	1
MU	2-5-7	1-9	1-9	1	1
TT	2-3-5	1-10	2-12	0	3
ISU	5-3-8	0-0	0-0	0	3
BU	10-3-13	5-24	7-28	1	0
OU	2-6-8	0.5-3	1-3	0	3
KU	2-1-3	0-0	0-0	0	0
KSU	1-4-5	0-0	0-0	0	1
CU	2-0-2	0-0	0-0	0	0
Totals	29-38-67	9-53	14-59	2	14



HUSKERS RETURNING TO LONE STAR STATE

A number of Nebraska players will be returning to their home state for the Big 12 Championship Game. The Nebraska roster features 22 players from the Lone Star State, second only to the state of Nebraska. More than a dozen of the Texas natives are likely to be on the travel roster for the Big 12 Championship Game. In Bo Pelini's first two recruiting classes as Nebraska head coach, the Cornhuskers have signed 17 players from Texas.

FORMER WALK-ONS EARN SCHOLARSHIPS

Nebraska's storied walk-on program is alive and well under second-year Head Coach Bo Pelini. Nebraska has brought in more than 50 walk-ons to supplement Pelini's first two recruiting classes. Pelini has also rewarded veteran walk-ons for their commitment and success in the program.

Before the start of the season, Pelini placed six walk-ons on scholarship. Each of the six are native Nebraskans including senior receiver **Wes Cammack** (Dewitt), senior linebacker **Colton Koehler** (Harvard), senior offensive lineman **Derek Meyer** (Campbell), junior tight end **Dreu Young** (Cozad), junior place-kicker **Alex Henery** (Omaha) and sophomore center **Mike Caputo** (Omaha).

NU has played a total of 85 players in 2009, and 27 of those players originally joined the program as walk-ons.

COMEBACK AT MIZZOU TIES BEST

FOURTH-QUARTER RALLY IN NU HISTORY

Nebraska rallied from a 12-0 deficit entering the fourth quarter to post the 27-12 win over Missouri on Oct. 8 in Columbia. The rally from a 12-point deficit in the fourth quarter tied the largest in school history. NU rallied from a 19-7 deficit at Colorado in 1966 to post a 21-19 win.

The Huskers have shown the ability to rally under Bo Pelini. In fact, Nebraska has trailed at some point in the second half in six of its last 14 victories (Baylor, Kansas, Colorado, Clemson in 2008; Missouri, Kansas in 2009).

HUSKERS CONTINUE HISTORY OF SUCCESS IN BIG 12 OPENERS

Nebraska's 27-12 victory at Missouri gave NU a 12-2 record in Big 12 openers and was the 33rd victory in NU's last 35 conference-opening games since 1975. Nebraska is 93-19-2 all-time in conference openers.

The Huskers also ended a two-game losing skid in Big 12 road openers, after setbacks at Missouri in 2007 and at Texas Tech in 2008.

NEBRASKA CONTINUES

SEASON-OPENING SUCCESS

Nebraska posted a 49-3 victory in its season opener against Florida Atlantic, continuing the nation's longest winning streak in season openers. The Huskers have now won 24 straight openers, bettering Florida's 20 straight wins. NU's last loss in a season opener was a 17-13 setback against Florida State at Memorial Stadium in 1985.

► NU has won each of the 24 games by at least 10 points, and has scored at least 40 points in 17 of the 24 games, including the last four seasons.

► The Cornhuskers have limited the opponent to 14 points or less 16 times in the winning streak.

► Nebraska's 49-3 win over FAU marked the Huskers' largest margin of victory in an opener since a 76-14 win over North Texas in 1993.

► Nebraska is 89-26-5 all-time in season openers.

NUMBERS OF SUH-CRICK DUO REACHING HISTORIC LEVELS

Suh and Crick's combined numbers are impressive when compared on the Big 12 and national levels and also when looking at the Nebraska record books.

► Crick and Suh are tied for 29th in the Big 12 in tackles per game (5.9 pg) and are the only defensive tackles among the top 35 in the Big 12 in tackles per game.

► In 2008, Suh had 76 tackles to become the first defensive lineman to lead Nebraska in tackles since 1973 (John Bell). It also marked the top tackle total for an interior lineman since John Parrella had 77 tackles in 1992. If either Suh or Crick were to finish 2009 as Nebraska's tackles leader it would mark the first time that has happened since 1972 and 1973, when Rich Glover and John Bell led the team in tackles in consecutive seasons. Defensive linemen also accomplished the feat in 1966 and 1967. Nebraska has never had the same defensive interior lineman lead the team in tackles two straight seasons. (Complete tackle stats are available since 1965).

► The last time a pair of defensive interior linemen each recorded double figures in tackles for loss came in 1990, when tackle Kenny Walker had a position record 21 tackles for loss and middle guard Pat Engelbert had 10 TFL.

► With a combined 16.5 sacks and 30 tackles for loss, Suh and Crick are in position to challenge record-setting numbers posted by Nebraska All-Americans Jim Skow and Danny Noonan who formed a dominant duo in 1985. Skow had a school-record 25 tackles for loss that season, while Noonan added 14 TFL, giving the duo 39 combined tackles for loss. Skow (15) and Noonan (11) also combined for 26 sacks in 1985. That also marked the last time a pair of interior linemen ranked first and second in TFL and sacks for a Nebraska defense. Skow and Noonan combined for 100 total tackles that season, 37 fewer than Crick (67) and Suh (70) have posted in 2009.

► Suh and Crick are in position to challenge the overall tackle total of middle guard John Lee and defensive tackle Ron Pruitt in 1974. Lee (86) and Pruitt (79) combined for 165 total tackles that season. The Outland Trophy duo of Larry Jacobson (75) and Rich Glover (92) combined for 167 tackles in 1971.

► Suh is tied for the team lead in tackles with linebacker Phillip Dillard and safety Larry Asante, with Crick just three tackles behind. If the defensive tackles were to finish 1-2 on the team in total tackles, they would be the first Nebraska defensive tackle duo to do so since tackle stats are available at Nebraska (1965). Three times (1972, 1967, 1966) NU has had two interior defensive linemen, including the team leader, among the top three in season tackles.

BLACKSHIRT SECONDARY MAKING BIG PLAYS ON REGULAR BASIS

While Suh, Crick and the front four get much of the publicity for the Nebraska defense, the secondary has played a key role in the overall success of the Blackshirts. Seven defensive backs currently own the coveted black practice jerseys and the secondary's success has been a team effort.

► Junior cornerback **Prince Amukamara** ranks fourth in the Big 12 in passes defended with 14 (10 PBU, 4 INT) in 12 games. Amukamara is tied for 17th nationally in passes defended. His biggest play of the season came against Oklahoma when he returned a second-quarter interception to the OU 1 to set up the game's only touchdown. Amukamara ranks sixth on the team with 50 tackles and has two sacks and three tackles for loss.

► Senior safety **Larry Asante** is the veteran leader of the secondary with 34 career starts. Asante is tied with Ndamukong Suh and Phillip Dillard for the team lead in tackles with 70 stops. He has 219 career tackles to rank third in school history among defensive backs, trailing only Mike Brown (287) and Daniel Bullocks (226). Asante has had a hand in four turnovers this season, forcing a pair of fumbles, while intercepting two passes.

► Senior safety **Matt O'Hanlon** leads Nebraska with five interceptions, including his school-record-tying three interceptions against Oklahoma, and a 20-yard INT return for a touchdown at Colorado. O'Hanlon's five interceptions are the most by a Nebraska player since 2004. He ranks second in the Big 12 and 19th nationally in interceptions, and his three picks vs. Oklahoma are the most in the Big 12 this season and tied for the most in the nation. O'Hanlon has added 59 to rank fifth on the team, and has also recovered a team-high two fumbles and forced another.

► Sophomore cornerback **Alfonzo Dennard** has taken over the starting corner job opposite Amukamara and has seven PBU. Junior nickel back **Eric Hagg** continues to be a force with 37 tackles, six tackles for loss and two sacks, while dime back **Dejon Gomes** has 40 tackles, three interceptions and a team-high three fumbles caused. Junior **Anthony West** continues to play a key role as a veteran cornerback and earned his first start in Big 12 play against K-State.

NEBRASKA AGAIN DOMINATING FOURTH QUARTER IN 2009

After ranking second nationally last season in fourth-quarter points scored (155) and fourth-quarter point differential (+103), the Huskers have been outstanding in the final quarter again in 2009.

In the fourth quarter this season, Nebraska has outscored its opponents 90-29, and its 61-point differential in the fourth quarter is the fourth-best nationally.

The highlight of the Huskers' fourth-quarter domination came at Missouri. NU outscored the 24th-ranked Tigers 27-0 in the final quarter and tied the school record by rallying from a 12-point fourth-quarter deficit to post a 15-point win. In Big 12 games only, Nebraska has outscored its opponents 52-14 in the fourth quarter.

The 27 points were NU's most in any quarter since the 2004 season opener against Western Illinois when the Huskers posted 28 second-quarter points. The fourth-quarter outburst was Nebraska's largest since also scoring 27 points at Baylor in the final frame in 2001. NU scored 28 points in the fourth quarter of a 49-27 win at Iowa State in 2000, the last time NU scored more than 27 points in the final quarter.

► In its past nine games, Nebraska has allowed a total of 20 points in the fourth quarter (Texas Tech-7, Kansas-7, Colorado-6). For the season, NU's 29 points allowed in the fourth quarter is fourth-best in the nation. NU has held its opponent without a fourth-quarter point seven times this season. On the flip side, Nebraska scored just seven fourth-quarter points in the four games after the Missouri outburst, but produced 15 fourth-quarter points at Kansas.

► Nebraska has outscored its opponents 138-49 in the second half in 2009. The 49 second-half points are the tied with Florida for the fewest allowed by any team in the nation. Only two opponents have scored more than seven points in the second half this season (Baylor-10, Colorado-13) and NU has allowed only five offensive TDs in the second half in 2009.



NEBRASKA TOTAL OFFENSE STATS

Last year was the third straight season NU averaged at least 400 yards of total offense, but just the fifth time in 11 seasons. NU finished ninth nationally in total offense in 2007 (468.3 ypg), NU's best since averaging 513.7 yards per game in 1997. Prior to 1998, Nebraska averaged better than 400 yards per game for 24 straight seasons.

Year	Total Offense
1998	384.9
1999	392.2
2000	459.9
2001	451.2
2002	373.1
2003	345.0
2004	363.2
2005	320.3
2006	414.6
2007	468.3
2008	450.8
2009	334.8

NEBRASKA SCORING OFFENSE STATS

NU finished 17th nationally in scoring at 35.4 points per game in 2008, its best scoring average since 2001. Nebraska averaged 30 points or more for 24 straight years from 1978 to 2001.

Year	Scoring Offense
2001	37.4
2002	27.4
2003	24.8
2004	25.0
2005	24.7
2006	30.6
2007	33.4
2008	35.4
2009	25.6

ROY HELU JR. GAME-BY-GAME IN 2009

Game	Rushing				Receiving		
	Att.	Yards	TD	Lg	No.	Yds.	TD
FAU	16	152	3	44	1	3	0
ASU	14	60	0	9	4	44	0
VT	28	169	0	31	4	33	0
ULL	15	83	2	39	2	11	0
MU	18	88	1	41	0	0	0
TT	16	68	0	11	1	27	0
ISU	5	24	0	14	3	13	0
BU	7	24	0	10	1	3	0
OU	20	138	0	63	3	15	0
KU	28	156	3	30	0	0	0
KSU	26	95	1	18	0	0	0
CU	14	54	0	9	0	0	0
Totals	207	1,111	10	63	19	149	0

NU CAREER RUSHING

No.	Player, Years	Yards
1.	Mike Rozier, 1981-83	4,780
20.	Bobby Reynolds, 1950-52	2,196
21.	Jarvis Redwine, 1979-80	2,161
22.	Tony Davis, 1973-75	2,151
23.	Steve Taylor, 1985-88	2,125
24.	Roy Helu Jr., 2007-present	2,123

NU SEASON RUSHING

No.	Player, Year	Yards
1.	Mike Rozier, 1983	2,148
12.	Calvin Jones, 1992	1,210
13.	Ken Clark, 1989	1,196
14.	Doug DuBose, 1985	1,161
15.	Dan Alexander, 2000	1,154
16.	Jarvis Redwine, 1980	1,119
17.	Eric Crouch, 2001	1,115
18.	Roy Helu Jr., 2009	1,111
19.	Cory Ross, 2004	1,102
20.	Scott Frost, 1997	1,095

► Under Head Coach Bo Pelini, Nebraska is 18-1 when leading at any point in the fourth quarter (including his 2003 Alamo Bowl victory as interim head coach). That lone loss came this season, when No. 5 Virginia Tech scored in the final minute to pull out a one-point victory on Sept. 19.

► Nebraska has two road victories this season after trailing during the fourth quarter (Missouri, Kansas). Nebraska had not accomplished that since a 2006 win at Texas A&M.

TURNOVERS TELL THE STORY

Turnovers have been a big story for Nebraska in 2009—both positively and negatively. The positive turnover side of things has helped Nebraska dramatically in its four-game winning streak. Nebraska has committed just five turnovers in winning its past five games, while taking the ball away 14 times. The Huskers have had a positive turnover margin in each game, marking the first time NU has had a positive turnover margin in five straight games since a five-game positive turnover streak to start the 2003 campaign.

The highlight of the stretch was the Blackshirts' five interceptions in a 10-3 victory over Oklahoma. Their five takeaways marked the first time in 70 games that NU forced five turnovers, and the +4 turnover margin was the best in six seasons.

Nebraska did not turn the ball over at Kansas, while having one takeaway with Kansas deep in Husker territory. The turnover-free game was Nebraska's third of the season, but its first in a Big 12 game since late in the 2007 season, a span of 15 conference games.

The recent turnover success is in direct contrast to Nebraska's 9-7 loss to Iowa State on Oct. 24. Nebraska committed a school-record tying eight turnovers, including four miscues inside the Iowa State 5-yard line. Nebraska was unable to force any turnovers and the minus-8 turnover differential was the largest in school history. NU entered the game with just seven turnovers in the first six games.

After having 17 takeaways in 2008, and a -11 turnover margin, Nebraska Head Coach Bo Pelini made forcing more turnovers a focus in the offseason. Through 12 games, Nebraska has 24 takeaways, including 16 interceptions and eight fumble recoveries. Ball-hawking defenders have been a trademark of Pelini-coached units, including his 2003 Nebraska defense that set a school record with 47 takeaways.

No statistic has played a larger role in determining Nebraska's fate this season than turnover margin. In its nine wins, Nebraska is a plus-16 in the turnover department. However, in three losses Nebraska is minus-12. With a plus 0.33 per game turnover margin, Nebraska ranks 41st nationally in that category.

► Nebraska's five takeaways against Oklahoma were its most since also having five in the 2004 season opener against Western Illinois. The five interceptions vs. the Sooners were NU's most since having five picks in a 2003 win over Texas A&M in Lincoln, also the last time Nebraska had better than the +4 turnover margin it produced in the win over Oklahoma. Nebraska's season-best in turnover margin in 2008 was +2.

► NU had a turnover-free game against Arkansas State—its first in 16 games since not committing a turnover against Kansas State in November of 2007. Nebraska posted its second turnover-free game against Louisiana-Lafayette, and added a third at Kansas. This is the first time NU has had three turnover-free games in a season since 2003.

► Nebraska has turned the opposition's 24 turnovers into 64 points. Nebraska's 20 turnovers have resulted in just 23 points, with 14 of those points coming on defensive touchdowns (Texas Tech, Baylor).

► The defense has forced 25 fumbles in 2009, easily bettering NU's total of 17 last season.

HELU JR. IS CATALYST OF NEBRASKA RUSHING ATTACK

Nebraska junior I-back **Roy Helu Jr.** emerged as one of the nation's top running backs early in the season, before being slowed by injury for several weeks. Helu's limited duty forced Nebraska to turn to a committee of backs to aid the junior. In November, Helu was back to being a strong force in the running game. Helu was Nebraska's key offensive weapon in a 10-3 win over Oklahoma, keyed NU's fourth-quarter surge in the road victory at Kansas and played a big role in the win over Kansas State in Lincoln.

Helu rushed 20 times for 138 yards, an average of 6.9 yards per tote against the stingy OU defense. His rushing total was his best since a career-high 169 yards at Virginia Tech. Against Oklahoma, Helu also had a career-long 63-yard rush, bettering his 57-yard run at OU a year ago.

Helu posted his fourth 100-yard rushing game of the season with 156 yards on 28 carries at Kansas. Helu gained 86 yards on 12 carries in the fourth quarter, including a pair of touchdown runs in the final quarter. His three touchdowns on the day tied his career best. He added 95 yards and his 10th touchdown of the season against KSU and had 54 yards at Colorado.

When healthy, Helu Jr. has proven to be one of the Big 12 and nation's top backs. In an eight-game stretch including the final five games of 2008 and the first three in 2009, Helu had five 100-yard rushing games, including a career-high 169 yards at Virginia Tech and 152 yards and a career-high three touchdowns in the opener against Florida Atlantic. Helu has seven career 100-yard rushing games.

For the season, Helu has rushed for 1,111 yards and 10 touchdowns, and his average of 92.6 yards per game is fourth in the Big 12 and 36th nationally. Helu's average of 5.4 yards per carry is tied for first in the Big 12.

The Danville, Calif., native showed the ability to be a workhorse against Virginia Tech. Helu carried the ball 28 times, including 17 times after intermission, helping Nebraska pick up 207 rushing yards in the game. Helu Jr. first broke out in 2009 against Florida Atlantic. After rushing for 57 yards on 11 first-half carries, Helu made the most of limited second-half work. The 6-0, 215-pounder had five carries in the second half, which resulted in 95 yards and a pair of touchdowns. The impressive work in 2009 has continued a trend of success for Helu.

HELU JR. IN NOVEMBER (2008 AND 2009)

2008

at Oklahoma—16 carries, 157 yards, TD
vs. Kansas—16 carries, 115 yards, 2 TD
at Kansas State—13 carries, 72 yards, 2 TD
vs. Colorado—25 carries, 166 yards

2009

Oklahoma—20 carries, 138 yards
at Kansas—28 carries, 156 yards, 3 TD
Kansas State—26 carries, 95 yards, TD
Colorado—14 carries, 54 yards



NEBRASKA QBs GAME-BY-GAME IN 2009

ZAC LEE

Game	A-C-I	Yards	TD	Long	Rush
FAU	15-22-1	213	2	51	2-14
ASU	27-35-0	340	4	43	7-11
VT	11-30-2	136	0	35	8-38
ULL	15-18-0	238	1	43	-(-2)
MU	14-33-0	158	3	56	8-7
TT	16-22-0	128	0	27	9-0
ISU	20-37-3	248	0	72	6-5
BU		Did Not Play			
OU	5-9-0	35	1	16	10-(-13)
KU	13-21-0	196	0	45	9-53
KSU	13-19-1	166	1	47	11-(-5)
CU	9-14-0	73	1	24	6-(-14)
Totals	158-260-7	1,931	13	72	79-94

Completion Pct.-60.8 %

CODY GREEN

Game	A-C-I	Yards	TD	Long	Rush
FAU	2-3-0	18	0	15	2-50-1
ASU	3-6-0	18	0	7	1-7
VT		Did Not Play			
ULL	7-8-0	62	1	24	3-22-1
MU		Did Not Play			
TT	7-16-1	87	1	30	2-1
ISU		Did Not Play			
BU	12-21-1	128	0	45	8-43
OU	2-5-0	4	0	8	6-8
KU		Did Not Play			
KSU		Did Not Play			
CU	0-0-0	0	0	0	2-4
Totals	33-59-2	317	2	45	24-135-2

Completion Pct.-55.9 %

NU SINGLE-GAME RECEIVING YARDS

Niles Paul has posted two of the top nine receiving yardage games in school history in the past month.

Rank, Player, Game	Yards
1. Matt Davison, at Texas A&M, Oct. 10, 1998	167
2. Chuck Malito, at Hawaii, Dec. 4, 1976	166
3. Guy Ingles, vs. Oklahoma St., Oct. 25, 1969	163
4. Frantz Hardy, vs. Kansas, Sept. 30, 2006	159
5. Maurice Purify, at Kansas, Nov. 3, 2007	158
6. Niles Paul, at Kansas, Nov. 14, 2009	154
7. Frantz Hardy, vs. Maine, Sept. 3, 2005	152
8. Dennis Richnafs, at Kansas State, Oct. 7, 1967	145
9. Niles Paul, vs. Iowa State, Oct. 24, 2009	143
10. Frosty Anderson, vs. Wisconsin, Sept. 29, 1973	141

NU SINGLE-SEASON RECEIVING YARDS

Rank, Player, Year (Receptions)	Yards
1. Johnny Rodgers, 1972 (55)	942
2. Nate Swift, 2008 (63)	941
3. Johnny Rodgers, 1971 (53)	872
4. Maurice Purify, 2007 (57)	814
5. Todd Peterson, 2008 (62)	786
6. Irving Fryar, 1983 (40)	780
7. Marlon Lucky, 2007 (75)	705
8. Niles Paul, 2009 (33)	669
9. Johnny Rodgers, 1970 (35)	665
10. Nate Swift, 2005 (45)	641

PAUL GOING DEEP

(RECEPTIONS OF 35 YARDS OR MORE)

72 yards vs. Iowa State
 56 yards at Missouri (TD)
 47 yards vs. Kansas State
 45 yards at Kansas
 45 yards at Baylor
 37 yards at Kansas
 37 yards at Kansas
 35 yards at Kansas

► Over the past 16 regular-season games, Helu has rushed 277 times for 1,621 yards, an average of 5.85 yards per carry. In 2008, Helu averaged 6.4 yards on 125 carries, the best per carry average by a Husker in seven seasons.

► Helu has shined against top competition and in road environments. In Nebraska's past five games against ranked opponents, Helu has three 100-yard rushing games and a total of 599 yards on 92 carries for an average of 6.5 yards per carry. In eight road games since the beginning of the 2008 campaign, Helu has rushed for 811 yards on 133 carries, 6.1 yards per tote.

► Helu had runs of 20 and 30 yards in the fourth quarter at Kansas. He has 12 runs of 20+ yards this season and 20 rushes of at least 20 yards over his past 17 games.

► Helu owns three of the nine 150-yard rushing games by Big 12 players in 2009, and four of the top 13 rushing efforts in the league this season.

► Nebraska is 7-1 in November of the past two seasons in large part because of Helu. He has five 100-yard rushing games in the eight November games and has rushed for 953 yards, an average of 119.1 yards per game. Helu has averaged 6.1 yards per carry in the last two Novembers and scored nine touchdowns.

► Against Kansas State, Helu surpassed 1,000 rushing yards for the 2009 season and 2,000 career rushing yards. He posted the 29th 1,000-yard rushing season in school history (23 players) and is poised to make a push for the top 10 on the single-season list.

► Helu has moved up 30 spots on the Nebraska career rushing list this season. His 2,123 career yards place him 24th on that chart, making him the 25th player with at least 2,000 career rushing yards. Helu is just 73 yards from the top 20 on the Nebraska career rushing chart.

NEBRASKA OFFENSE RELYING ON RUN, AIMING FOR BALANCED ATTACK

Nebraska featured one of the nation's most balanced offenses in 2008 and has shown signs of similar balance in the stretch run in 2009. Through 12 games, NU is averaging 147.4 rushing yards and 187.3 passing yards per game. Nebraska rushed for 214 yards at Kansas, while passing for 196 yards. The 214 rushing yards were Nebraska's most since a season-high 259 rushing yards in the season opener with Florida Atlantic.

► Nebraska has run the ball on 57.4 percent of its offensive snaps and thrown on 42.6 percent in 2009.

► Last season NU finished 37th nationally in rushing at 169.8 yards per contest. By improving its rushing average, Nebraska ranked in the top 40 nationally in all four major offensive statistical categories, one of just nine teams nationally to rank in the top 40 in all four major statistical categories. NU was 12th in total offense, 15th in passing offense and 17th in scoring.

The Nebraska offense has some impressive numbers under the direction of third-year coordinator Shawn Watson:

► Nebraska has 10 300-yard passing games in its last 30 outings and has passed for at least 200 yards in 23 of those 30 games. NU's 358 passing yards against Arkansas State marked the 10th-best total in school history and the Huskers' most since throwing for 484 yards at Colorado in 2007.

► Nebraska has scored at least 30 points in 17 of 28 games since late in the 2007 campaign.

PAUL SHOWING PLAY-MAKING ABILITY AS LEADER OF NU RECEIVERS AND TIGHT ENDS

Nebraska's offense features a deep group of receivers and tight ends. Nine wideouts have caught a pass and five tight ends have ended up in the receiving column.

Junior wide receiver Niles Paul has been the leader of NU's receiving corps with a team-high 35 receptions for a team-leading 669 yards, an average of 19.1 yards per catch. The Omaha native has three 100-yard receiving games in Big 12 Conference play, including 102 yards and a pair of touchdowns at Missouri, 143 yards on six catches against Iowa State and a career-high 154 yards on four catches at Kansas.

Paul's 154 yards receiving at Kansas were the sixth-most in school history and the best total by a Husker since Maurice Purify had 158 receiving yards at Kansas in 2007. Paul also totaled a career-high 244 all-purpose yards in the game and his 113.8 all-purpose yards per game ranks 10th in the Big 12. His 143 receiving yards against Iowa State are the ninth-most in school history.

The 6-1, 215-pound Paul has shown big-play ability with 10 catches of 20 yards or longer, including eight of 35 yards or more. Each of his four catches at Kansas covered at least 35 yards and his average of 38.5 yards per catch was the second-best in the Big 12 this season. He added a 47-yard catch against Kansas State to set up NU's final touchdown.

Paul's 19.1 yards per catch leads the Big 12 Conference and is among the most prolific pass catching seasons in Nebraska history.

► If he were to maintain his current average yards per reception, it would be the fourth-best per catch average ever for a Husker player with at least 20 receptions. Only Matt Herian, 2003 (22.0 ypc on 22 receptions), Chuck Malito, 1976 (21.9 ypc on 33 receptions) and Irving Fryar, 1983 (19.5 ypc on 40 receptions) have a better average yards per catch than Paul.

► With 35 catches in 2009, Paul has upped his career total to 59, 21st on the NU career receptions list.

► Paul's three 100-yard receiving games are tied for fifth on the NU season chart, just one shy of the record of four games topping the century mark. Maurice Purify (2007) and Nate Swift (2008) each had four 100-yard receiving games in the past two seasons.

► Paul has 669 receiving yards this season, good for eighth on the single-season yardage list. His 33 catches are seven catches from the top 10 on that season chart.

Junior tight end Mike McNeill also continues to be a featured weapon in the passing game. The 6-4, 240-pounder is second on the team with 25 catches for 240 yards. McNeill matched his season and career high with four catches at Kansas. He also caught four passes in each of the first two games this season. McNeill had a pair of touchdown catches against Arkansas State, his first career game with two touchdown catches. He added his third touchdown of the season in the fourth quarter at Missouri, then snared a 17-yard TD against Kansas State for his fourth of the year and 10th career TD.



GREEN EARNS RARE STARTS FOR HUSKER FROSH QUARTERBACK

True freshman quarterback **Cody Green** started against Baylor and Oklahoma, becoming the first true freshman to start at quarterback for Nebraska since 1992. He played the entire game at Baylor, started against Oklahoma, but was replaced by Zac Lee in the second quarter. Lee played the whole game at Kansas.

At Baylor, Green was 12-21 for 128 passing yards. He added eight rushes for 43 yards and helped NU to a 20-10 win. The 6-4, 220-pound Green joined elite company in starting for Nebraska as a true freshman quarterback.

► Green was just the second true freshman quarterback to start for Nebraska, joining Tommie Frazier who started the final seven games of the 1992 campaign and helped the Cornhuskers to a Big Eight title.

► Like Green, Frazier made his first career start on the road, helping NU to a 34-24 win at Missouri on Oct. 24, 1992.

Green has passed for 32 yards and run for 135 yards this season, including a 49-yard run on his first career carry.

NEBRASKA AMONG LEADERS IN

ASSOCIATED PRESS NATIONAL TITLES

Notre Dame leads the nation by winning eight Associated Press national titles since 1936, with Oklahoma (7), Alabama (6), Miami (5), USC (5), Nebraska (4) and Minnesota (4) next in line. While the Huskers were awarded the national title by the coaches in 1997, NU finished second to Michigan in the AP poll.

In 1970, Nebraska was awarded the AP national title, but not the coaches (Texas was first, Ohio State second and NU third) as the final poll was released before the bowl games were played. In the coaches poll (since 1950), Nebraska is tied for fourth with Miami and Texas with four titles, behind Alabama and Oklahoma with six apiece, and USC with five.

2009 GAME CAPTAINS

Florida Atlantic—C Jacob Hickman, DT Ndamukong Suh

FS Matt O'Hanlon, PK Alex Henery

Arkansas State—S Rickey Thenarse, WR Curenski Gilleylen, IB Roy Helu Jr., DE Barry Turner

Virginia Tech—PK Adi Kunalic, WR Niles Paul, QB Zac Lee, S Larry Asante

Louisiana-Lafayette—OT Marcel Jones, WR Chris Brooks, DT Jared Crick, S P.J. Smith

Missouri—OG Keith Williams, TE Mike McNeill, DT Ndamukong Suh, S Austin Cassidy

Texas Tech—WR Niles Paul, C Jacob Hickman, DE Pierre Allen, CB Alfonso Dennard

Iowa State—QB Zac Lee, OG Ricky Henry, LB Phillip Dillard, LB Mathew May

Baylor—IB Roy Helu Jr., DE Barry Turner, DB Anthony Blue, PK Adi Kunalic

Oklahoma—OG Ricky Henry, DT Ndamukong Suh, S Matt O'Hanlon, PK Alex Henery

Kansas—TE Mike McNeill, LB Phillip Dillard, DE David Harvey, LB Thomas Grove

Kansas State—Senior class

Colorado—WR Menelik Holt, TE Ryan Hill, OT Mike Smith, DE Pierre Allen

McNeill posted a prolific sophomore season in 2008.

► McNeill set a position season record with 32 receptions, while his six touchdown receptions were just one shy of the position record. He is challenging his own single-season receptions record in 2009.

► McNeill has six career games with at least 50 receiving yards. He had a streak of 17 games with at least one catch end at Baylor. McNeill has 12 career games with three or more receptions.

► McNeill has 58 career catches to rank 22nd on the Nebraska career list. Only three Nebraska tight ends have more career catches than McNeill. McNeill is in strong position to shatter the Nebraska career tight ends reception record of 65 by Matt Herian.

YOUTH IS SERVED

Quarterback **Cody Green** started a pair of games in Big 12 play and is one of six true freshmen who have played this season, highlighted by the play of three Lone Star State rookies in the offensive backfield. Green has been joined by fellow Texas natives **Rex Burkhead** and **Dontrayevous Robinson** who have made a significant impact at I-back.

Burkhead, an I-back from Plano, Texas, was sidelined for five games with a foot injury, but returned to action against Kansas State. Against Colorado, he was Nebraska's top offensive weapon, posting career highs with 18 rushes for 100 yards, and a seven-yard touchdown in the fourth quarter. On Nebraska's game-clinching drive, Burkhead toted the ball nine times for 55 yards. On the year, he has rushed 47 times for 235 yards and two touchdowns and added nine catches for 75 yards and a score. Burkhead has also averaged 18.2 yards on four punt returns.

Robinson played special teams against Texas Tech in his first action of the year, and has made a big mark in the backfield since, leading NU in rushing against Iowa State and Baylor. Robinson rushed 15 times for 77 yards and a touchdown against Iowa State, then added 13 carries for 61 yards and a touchdown at Baylor.

Against Baylor, NU was led in rushing (Robinson), passing (Green) and receptions (Robinson) by true freshmen.

► The Baylor game marked the first time in school history that true freshmen have led Nebraska in rushing, passing and receptions.

► The game also marked the first time NU was led in each of those categories by three players with freshman classification since redshirt freshman quarterback **Eric Crouch** led Nebraska in rushing and passing in the 1998 Holiday Bowl against Arizona, while redshirt freshman tight end **Tracey Wistrom** led Nebraska in receptions in that contest.

► With Burkhead and Green both rushing for a touchdown against Florida Atlantic, they became the first pair of true freshmen in school history to each score a touchdown in a season opener since freshmen became eligible in 1973.

► Robinson's touchdown runs give Nebraska three true freshmen with rushing touchdowns, the only time in school history that has occurred.

► Fellow true freshmen **Antonio Bell** (wide receiver), **Eric Martin** (linebacker) and **P.J. Mangieri** (long snapper) have also seen the field, and junior-college transfers **Dejon Gomes** (cornerback) and **Brandon Kinnie** (wide receiver) have played in their first season at Nebraska. Bell has one reception this season, Martin has 11 tackles and blocked a punt that was returned for a touchdown at Baylor, while Mangieri has handled all of NU's long-snapping chores. Gomes has three interceptions and 40 tackles, while Kinnie has 11 receptions.

HENERY AMONG NATION'S MOST ACCURATE PLACE-KICKERS

Junior place-kicker **Alex Henery** wrote another chapter in his impressive book of memorable moments at Nebraska with a strong performance at Virginia Tech. The Omaha native's right foot nearly provided all of the scoring the Huskers needed before falling 16-15.

Henery connected on 5-of-5 field goals in the game, marking the second highest field goal total in school history, trailing only Dale Klein's NU record seven field goals against Missouri in 1985. The game marked the fourth time in Henery's career he has kicked at least four field goals, as he made four against Western Michigan, Colorado and Clemson last season.

As if Henery's place-kicking performance against the Hokies was not enough, he also shined as NU's punter. In his first punt of the game, Henery avoided a VT rush and boomed a 76-yard punt that tied for the fourth-longest punt in Nebraska history. His play against Virginia Tech earned Henery Big 12 Special Teams Player-of-the-Week honors for the second time in his career.

The Virginia Tech game was 2009's best evidence why Henery was one of 20 semifinalists for the 2009 Lou Groza Award given annually to the nation's top kicker.

Henery entered 2009 as the most accurate kicker in school history and is among the nation's most accurate active field goal kickers. The Omaha native is 42-of-49 on field-goal attempts for an .857 accuracy rate, good for fourth among active players.

Henery is 16-of-20 on field goals this season, with his misses coming on a 54-yarder against Arkansas State, a 51-yarder against Texas Tech, a 43-yarder vs. Oklahoma and a 50-yarder at Colorado. The miss against Oklahoma was just the second of Henery's career from inside 50 yards. In fact, it ended a streak of 25 straight made field goals from less than 50 yards. Henery connected on three field goals in NU's 31-17 win at Kansas, for his fourth multi-FG game of 2009 and ninth in his career.

Henery finished 2008 18-of-21 on field goals and 56-of-57 on extra-point tries. His 110 points led Nebraska and was the highest point total by a Cornhusker since Eric Crouch scored 116 points in 2001. Henery's total ranked eighth in school history and was the second-most ever by a Nebraska kicker, trailing only Kris Brown's 116 points in 1997.

Henery made all eight of his field goals as a redshirt freshman in 2008 and made his first 12 career field goals.

NEBRASKA CAREER SCORING

Player, Years	Points
1. Kris Brown, 1995-98	388
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5. Ahman Green, 1995-97	270
6. Johnny Rodgers, 1970-72	264
7. Alex Henery, 2007-present	262

NEBRASKA CAREER FG MADE

Player, Years	FGs
1. Kris Brown, 1995-98	57
2. Josh Brown, 1999-2002	43
3. Alex Henery, 2007-present	42

NEBRASKA SEASON FG MADE

Player, Year	FGs
1. Jordan Congdon, 2005	19
2. Alex Henery, 2008	18
Kris Brown, 1997	18
... Alex Henery, 2009	16



STRONG SPECIAL TEAMS GIVING

NEBRASKA FIELD POSITION ADVANTAGE

Strong special teams play has helped Nebraska to an advantage in starting field position. On the season, Nebraska's average starting field position has been its own 33.3 while the opponents' average drive start has been the 26.4-yard line, an advantage of 6.9 yards per drive start. Against Louisiana-Lafayette, NU had better than a 24-yard edge in starting field position, and the Huskers have had a starting field position advantage in 10 of 12 games.

► Nebraska has had eight games where its average starting field position was its 30-yard line or better. By contrast, Husker opponents have had an average starting field position beyond their own 30-yard line only twice.

HUSKERS' TOP 10 HOME CROWDS

No.	Attend.	Opponent	Date
1.	86,304	La.-Lafayette (W, 55-0)	Sept. 26, 2009
2.	86,115	Oklahoma (W, 10-3)	Nov. 7, 2009
3.	86,107	Texas Tech (L, 31-10)	Oct. 17, 2009
4.	85,998	Kansas State (W, 17-3)	Nov. 21, 2009
5.	85,938	Iowa State (L, 9-7)	Oct. 24, 2009
6.	85,831	Virginia Tech (L, 35-30)	Sept. 27, 2008
7.	85,800	Colorado (W, 37-14)	Nov. 24, 2006
8.	85,719	Florida Atlantic (W, 49-3)	Sept. 5, 2009
9.	85,486	Kansas (W, 45-35)	Nov. 8, 2008
10.	85,372	Missouri (L, 52-17)	Oct. 4, 2008

LARGEST CROWDS TO SEE NEBRASKA PLAY

No.	Opponent	Attend.
1.	at Penn State, Sept. 14, 2002	110,753
2.	Miami (Rose Bowl), Jan. 3, 2002	93,781
3.	Stanford (Rose Bowl), Jan. 1, 1941	92,000
	at USC, Sept. 16, 2006	92,000
5.	vs. Louisiana-Lafayette, Sept. 26, 2009	86,304
6.	vs. Oklahoma, Nov. 7, 2009	86,115
7.	vs. Texas Tech, Oct. 17, 2009	86,107
8.	vs. Kansas State, Nov. 21, 2009	85,998
9.	at Texas, Oct. 27, 2007	85,968
10.	vs. Iowa State, Oct. 24, 2009	85,938

home games in bold

NEBRASKA OWNS DOMINANT HOME EDGE AT MEMORIAL STADIUM

The Huskers surpassed the 300-sellout plateau in 2009, and Nebraska has rewarded the loyalty of its fans with incredible success at Memorial Stadium through the years.

► Nebraska has won at least six home games in 19 of the past 23 seasons (updated to include 2009). Nebraska is 129-18 at home in the last 21 seasons (since 1989).

► During Nebraska's run of success at home in the past 25 years, Nebraska has had three home winning streaks of 20 or more games, and has posted 40 unbeaten and untied home seasons.

► The Huskers are 498-137-20 (.776, 655 games, 120 years) in Lincoln, and 373-114-13 (.759, 500 games, 87 years) in Memorial Stadium (since 1923). Nebraska has had 41 straight winning home seasons.

Henery has moved into the top 10 on Nebraska's career scoring list, and should continue to make a mark in the record books this season.

► His 42 career field goals rank third on the Nebraska career list, trailing only Kris Brown (57) and Josh Brown (43). His total of 18 field goals last season tied for second on the NU season list and he is in position to challenge the school record of 19 this season.

► Henery is 136-of-137 (99.3) in his career on PAT attempts, currently bettering the career PAT conversion accuracy mark of .984 by Gregg Barrios (127-129). Henery is perfect on 35 PAT attempts this season and has made 59 straight extra-points dating back to last season.

► Henery's 262 points are seventh in school history. He is eight points from fifth on the school's all-time scoring list. Henery is 20th nationally in career scoring among active players, with just four juniors ahead of Henery on that list.

SPECIAL TEAMS MORE THAN JUST HENERY'S FOOT

Alex Henery is the headliner in Nebraska's special teams efforts, but the Huskers have been far from a one-man show in that area. In fact, Henery has shown the ability to be among the nation's best punters in his first season in that role and Nebraska has excelled in numerous special teams categories in 2009.

► Henery is averaging 42.3 yards on 65 punts, and has shown the ability to substantially help Nebraska gain field position. His punting average is fifth in the Big 12 and in the top 40 nationally. Henery is the only player in the country in the top 40 in both punting average and field goals per game.

► Henery has pinned the opposition inside the 20-yard line 26 times, including a season-high four punts at Colorado last weekend, when he averaged 50.7 yards on six punts. Henery has had 14 inside the 20 in the past six weeks. His 26 punts inside the 20 rank first in the Big 12, as do his 19 punts inside the 20 in conference games. Of Henery's 26 punts inside the 20, 15 of those have pinned the opposition inside their 10, with eight inside the opponent 3-yard line.

► Junior kicker **Adi Kunalic** has continued to be a major weapon on kickoffs in 2009. Kunalic has booted 26-of-65 kickoffs (40 percent) for touchbacks in 2009. Nebraska is third nationally in touchbacks. Kunalic has drilled 83-of-212 (39 percent) of his career kickoffs for touchbacks. Kunalic's kicking has helped Nebraska lead the Big 12 in kickoff coverage with a net average of 48.6 yards per kickoff.

► Junior return man **Niles Paul** has proven to be a threat in both the kickoff and punt return game. Paul ranks second in the Big 12 in punt returns (9.8 ypr) and third in kickoff returns (25.4 ypr). Paul has nine kickoff returns and five punt returns of at least 20 yards this season, highlighted by a 59-yard punt return for a touchdown at Colorado last weekend. He also had a team--season-long 44-yard kickoff return at Kansas set up Nebraska's go-ahead score in the fourth quarter. Nebraska has 31 returns of 20 yards or longer as a team through 12 games.

► The Husker special teams provided the opening points in the Huskers' win over Baylor. **Eric Martin** blocked a Bear punt that was returned 25 yards for a score by redshirt freshman **Justin Blatchford**. Nebraska has five blocked kicks this season, most recently a blocked field goal in the first quarter against Oklahoma.

HUSKERS' RECORD STREAK REACHES 304 CONSECUTIVE SELLOUTS

One of the most remarkable streaks in collegiate sports reached another milestone on Sept. 26 against Louisiana-Lafayette when Nebraska celebrated the 300th consecutive sellout at Memorial Stadium. Nebraska fans celebrated in grand fashion, with a Memorial Stadium record crowd of 86,304 fans on hand for the historic event. The streak reached 304 consecutive games last week against Kansas State.

The sellout streak dates back to Hall of Fame Coach Bob Devaney's first year in 1962 (vs. Missouri on Nov. 3). Notre Dame is second in all-time consecutive sellouts with 214, 91 fewer than Nebraska.

A few other numbers to consider relative to Nebraska's sellout streak:

263-41—Nebraska's record during the 304 consecutive sellouts. The mark includes a 40-24 record against ranked teams.

6-0—Nebraska is perfect in the six milestone sellout games in the streak (50th, 100th, 150th, 200th, 250th and 300th sellouts), including the 55-0 win over Louisiana-Lafayette on Sept. 26.

75—When the Huskers defeated La.-Lafayette in the 300th sellout it marked the 75th opponent that Nebraska played during the streak.

35—The opponents in the sellout streak have come from 35 states.

22,558,448—The total number of fans who have passed through the Memorial Stadium gates during the 304 consecutive sellouts.



HUSKERS PROMINENT ON NATIONAL FOOTBALL LEAGUE ROSTERS

Nebraska has a long-standing tradition of placing large numbers of players in the NFL. Nebraska had 27 players on 2009 NFL opening-day rosters, and another four players on practice squads. The Huskers were represented on the rosters of 20 NFL teams entering the season. Nearly 40 former Huskers were in NFL training camps.



Nebraska owns one of the most impressive histories of any school in producing NFL-caliber players. Since the start of Big 12 play in 1996, Nebraska has led all Big 12 schools with 62 players selected in the NFL Draft. No other conference school has had more than 51 players chosen in that period. The Huskers have been especially impressive on defense, with 40 players chosen since 1997. No other Big 12 school has had more than 28.

Three Huskers were selected in the 2009 NFL Draft, marking the 40th consecutive season at least three Nebraska players were taken in the draft.

HUSKERS IN THE NFL

Player	Team
Ryon Bingham, DT	San Diego
Zack Bowman, CB	Chicago
Stewart Bradley, LB	Philadelphia (Injured Reserve)
Josh Brown, PK	St. Louis
Kris Brown, PK	Houston
Mike Brown, S	Kansas City
Ralph Brown, CB	Arizona
Correll Buckhalter, RB	Denver
Daniel Bullocks, S	Detroit (Injured Reserve)
Josh Bullocks, S	Chicago
Adam Carriker, DT	St. Louis (Injured Reserve)
Cody Glenn, LB	Indianapolis
Ahman Green, RB	Green Bay
Russ Hochstein, OL	Denver
Brandon Jackson, RB	Green Bay
Chris Kelsay, DE	Buffalo
Sam Koch, P	Baltimore
Carl Nicks, OL	New Orleans
Lydon Murtha, OL	Miami
Steve Octavien, LB	Dallas
Maurice Purify, WR	Cincinnati
Dominic Raiola, C	Detroit
Barrett Ruud, LB	Tampa Bay
Scott Shanle, LB	New Orleans
Matt Slauson, OL	New York Jets
Le Kevin Smith, DT	Denver
Kyle Vanden Bosch, DE	Tennessee
Fabian Washington, CB	Baltimore
Demorrio Williams, LB	Kansas City

Practice Squad

Titus Adams, DL	New England
Terrence Nunn, WR	New England
Chris Patrick, OL	Kansas City
Zach Potter, TE	Jacksonville
Nate Swift, WR	Jacksonville

WISTROM HONORED AT ISU GAME

Former Nebraska great Grant Wistrom will become the 14th Cornhusker player inducted into the National Football Foundation/College Football Hall of Fame in December. The NFF/HOF honored Wistrom with an on-campus salute during the Iowa State game.

The 1997 Lombardi Award winner, Wistrom was a member of three national championship team and helped the Huskers to a 49-2 record during his career at Nebraska. Wistrom was a two-time All-American defensive end and two-time Big 12 Defensive Player-of-the-Year. He is Nebraska's all-time leader in tackles for loss and ranks second in sacks.

NEBRASKA FOOTBALL CONTINUES TO WIN IN THE CLASSROOM

Nebraska football has long been one of the nation's most successful programs on the field. Success in the classroom is also a cornerstone of the Nebraska football program.

NEBRASKA AMONG LEADERS IN ACADEMIC ALL-BIG 12 SELECTIONS

Nebraska had 22 players named to the 2009 academic All-Big 12 team, including 15 first-team selections, and seven second-team honorees. Nebraska's 22 honorees were the second-highest total in the Big 12 Conference.

The group of Huskers is highlighted by sophomore defensive back **Austin Cassidy** and redshirt freshman linebacker **Sean Fisher**, who were each nominated with a 4.0 grade-point average. Fisher has a perfect cumulative grade-point average, while Cassidy earned a perfect 4.0 grade-point average in the two previous semesters. Fisher and Cassidy were two of just three student-athletes in the Big 12 Conference nominated with a perfect 4.0 grade-point average.

First-team members consist of those who have maintained a 3.20 or better GPA, and the second team are those who have a 3.00 to 3.19 GPA. To qualify student-athletes must maintain a 3.00 GPA or higher either cumulative or the two previous semesters and must have participated in 60 percent of their team's scheduled contests. Freshmen and transfers are not eligible in their first year of academic residence. Senior student-athletes who have participated for a minimum of two years and meet all the criteria except percent of participation are also eligible.

Among Nebraska's honorees, senior wide receiver **Wes Cammack** and senior defensive back **Matt O'Hanlon** were each honored for a third season. Six other Huskers picked up academic all-conference accolades for the second time, including first-teamers **Andy Christensen**, **Thomas Grove**, **Ryan Hill**, **Marcel Jones** and **Adi Kunalic**, along with second-team selection **Lance Thorell**. Fourteen other Huskers earned honors for the first time, including seniors **Colton Koehler**, **Jacob Hickman** and **Ndamukong Suh**.

NATION-LEADING TOTAL OF COSIDA ACADEMIC ALL-AMERICANS

Seniors Todd Peterson and Tyler Wortman were selected as second-team ESPN the Magazine/CoSIDA Academic All-Americans in 2008. The selection of Peterson and Wortman gave NU a nation-leading total of 98 CoSIDA Academic All-Americans in football. Nebraska also leads the nation in academic All-Americans with 269 academic All-Americans across all teams and all sports.

FOUR HUSKERS EARN ACADEMIC ALL-DISTRICT HONORS

Four Nebraska players were honored last week as CoSIDA/ESPN the Magazine Academic All-District VII selections. Leading the way was sophomore defensive back **Austin Cassidy** who was a first-team selection. Cassidy carries a 3.84 cumulative grade-point average in psychology, and advances to the ballot for Academic All-America honors. Senior receiver **Wes Cammack**, sophomore offensive tackle **Marcel Jones** and linebacker **Blake Lawrence** were second-team all-district picks.

HUSKER SENIORS ON TRACK FOR DEGREES

The 2009 Nebraska senior class boasts several members who are expected to complete their degree work before finishing their football eligibility.

► Senior guard Andy Christensen completed his undergraduate work in May of 2008 and is expected to complete his graduate degree in construction management by May of 2010.

► Ten other members of Nebraska's 14-man senior class are on track to complete their degree work in December and 13 of the 14 are likely to have earned their degrees by next May.

► In addition to the seniors who are expected to graduate, junior linebacker Blake Lawrence is on track to graduate in December, completing his degree work in just 2 ½ years. Junior defensive end Tyrone Fahie is also scheduled to pick up his bachelor's degree in December, while 2009 juniors D.J. Jones, Zac Lee, Mike McNeill and Mike Smith are all expected to finish their undergraduate work by May of 2010.

NEBRASKA LEADS BIG 12 IN EXHAUSTED ELIGIBILITY GRADUATION RATES

Nebraska athletic teams continue to pace the Big 12 Conference in the classroom, leading the Big 12 in the exhausted eligibility graduation rate for the seventh consecutive year with an impressive 94 percent rate. Several Nebraska teams also earned strong scores in the Graduation Success Rate (GSR) Report released on Nov. 18 by the NCAA.

Nebraska continues to set the pace in the Big 12 in terms of Exhausted Eligibility graduation rates. The exhausted eligibility rate surveys the graduation rate of scholarship student-athletes in 10 incoming freshman classes who complete their eligibility at the university. Nebraska's exhausted eligibility rate has improved 22 percentage points since the inception of the rate in 1991-92.

Nebraska's 94 percent exhausted eligibility rate ranks one percentage point higher than Texas Tech, which ranks second in the Big 12 at 93 percent. The national average for exhausted eligibility is 87 percent.

In the GSR scores, the Nebraska football team posted a Big 12 best rate of 72 percent, one of seven teams to lead the Big 12 in GSR score.

The Graduation Success Rate is an NCAA measurement that, unlike the federally mandated graduation rates, includes transfer data in the calculation. This marks the fourth year the NCAA has released GSR rates.

HUSKERS BOAST IMPRESSIVE TOTAL ON BIG 12 COMMISSIONER'S HONOR ROLL

The Nebraska football program had 49 student-athletes named to the Big 12 Commissioner's Spring Academic Honor Roll, an increase of seven over the same term a year ago. Among the group of 49 players, seven posted perfect 4.0 grade-point averages during the spring semester.

In the fall semester, Nebraska had 61 players named to the Big 12 Commissioner's Honor Roll, an improvement of 22 players over the 2007 fall semester. The Big 12 honor roll recognizes all student-athletes who earned a 3.0 grade-point average or better in the previous semester.



NATIONAL RANKINGS

ASSOCIATED PRESS (NOV. 29)

No.	Team (1st)	Record	Points
1.	Florida (46)	12-0	1,483
2.	Alabama (7)	12-0	1,416
3.	Texas (7)	12-0	1,414
4.	TCU	12-0	1,316
5.	Cincinnati	11-0	1,249
6.	Boise State	12-0	1,216
7.	Oregon	9-2	1,104
8.	Ohio State	10-2	1,103
9.	Iowa	10-2	920
10.	Penn State	10-2	897
11.	Virginia Tech	9-3	860
12.	Georgia Tech	10-2	820
13.	Oregon State	8-3	719
14.	Pittsburgh	9-2	642
15.	LSU	9-3	614
16.	BYU	10-2	610
17.	Miami	9-3	572
18.	Houston	10-2	400
19.	California	8-3	398
20.	USC	8-3	365
21.	Nebraska	9-3	289
22.	Oklahoma State	9-3	269
23.	Stanford	8-4	266
24.	West Virginia	8-3	225
25.	Clemson	8-4	87

USA TODAY COACHES (NOV. 29)

No.	Team (1st)	Record	Points
1.	Florida (53)	12-0	1,468
2.	Texas (3)	12-0	1,394
3.	Alabama (3)	12-0	1,380
4.	TCU	12-0	1,285
5.	Cincinnati	11-0	1,231
6.	Boise State	12-0	1,197
7.	Ohio State	10-2	1,104
8.	Oregon	9-2	1,061
9.	Penn State	10-2	975
10.	Iowa	10-2	889
11.	Virginia Tech	9-3	831
12.	Georgia Tech	10-2	774
13.	BYU	10-2	680
14.	LSU	9-3	674
15.	Pittsburgh	9-2	631
16.	Oregon State	8-3	607
17.	Miami	9-3	509
18.	Houston	10-2	473
19.	USC	8-3	361
20.	Nebraska	9-3	335
21.	Oklahoma State	9-3	309
22.	California	8-3	210
23.	West Virginia	8-3	163
24.	Stanford	8-4	154
25.	Utah	9-3	120

HUSKERS IN THE 2009 POLLS

Date	AP	C	H	Results
Pre.	24	22	--	Def. Florida Atlantic, 49-3
9-8	22	18	--	Def. Arkansas State, 38-9
9-13	19	18	--	Lost to Virginia Tech, 16-15
9-20	25	24	--	Def. La.-Lafayette, 55-0
9-27	23	24	24	idle
10-4	21	22	21	Def. Missouri, 27-12
10-11	15	17	19	Lost to Texas Tech, 31-10
10-18	RV	RV	RV	Lost to Iowa State, 9-7
10-25	--	--	--	Def. Baylor, 20-10
11-1	--	--	RV	Def. Oklahoma, 10-3
11-8	RV	RV	RV	Def. Kansas, 31-17
11-15	RV	25	25	Def. Kansas State, 17-3
11-22	RV	23	24	Def. Colorado, 28-20
11-29	21	20	22	

NEBRASKA POSSIBLE STARTERS AT A GLANCE

OFFENSE

Pos.-Player	Yr.	Ht/Wt	Notable
WR (X)-Khiry Cooper	RFr.	6-2/195	13 receptions, one TD/Fifth-round pick by Angels in 2008 MLB Draft
WR (Z)-Niles Paul**	Jr.	6-1/215	Three 100-yard receiving games/Leads Big 12 in yards per reception (19.1)
TE-Mike McNeill**	Jr.	6-4/240	58 career receptions/Only three tight ends have more catches at NU
-or- Dreu Young**	Jr.	6-4/250	Walk-on given scholarship in August/Avg. 15.6 yards on five catches
LT- Mike Smith**	Jr.	6-6/295	Began Nebraska career as defensive end/23 career starts
LG-Keith Williams**	Jr.	6-5/315	Has 18 career starts, including eight in 2009 after early-season injuries
C-Jacob Hickman***	Sr.	6-4/290	Anchor of Nebraska offensive line has started 35 games in career
RG-Ricky Henry	Jr.	6-4/300	Omaha native has moved into starting role after redshirting in 2008
RT-Marcel Jones*	So.	6-7/310	Versatile tackle has 12 career starts, but has missed most of last two games
-or- D.J. Jones*	Jr.	6-5/315	Earned first career start at CU and played majority of game vs. KSU
QB-Zac Lee	Jr.	6-2/215	69 yards from the ninth 2,000-yard passing season in NU history
FB-Tyler Legate	RFr.	5-10/225	TD catch vs. Baylor/Increased action has sparked NU power run game
IB-Roy Helu Jr.**	Jr.	6-0/215	Has seven career 100-yard rushing games, five of those in November
Rex Burkhead	Fr.	5-11/200	Dallas area native has returned to lineup past 2 weeks/100 yards at CU

DEFENSE

Pos.-Player	Yr.	Ht/Wt	Notable
LDE-Barry Turner***	Sr.	6-3/265	Fifth-year senior made has 14.5 career sacks, including 3 in 2009
DT-Ndamukong Suh***	Sr.	6-4/300	At least one TFL in 20 of 23 games/6 career blocked kicks one from NU record
DT-Jared Crick*	So.	6-6/285	NU record with five sacks, seven TFL vs. Baylor/National Defensive POW
RDE-Pierre Allen**	Jr.	6-5/265	Career-best two sacks and three TFL vs. TT/10-35 TFL in 2009
WILL-Phillip Dillard***	Sr.	6-1/240	Ranks 12th in Big 12 in tackles pg (7.0), 9th in conference games (7.8)
MIKE-Will Compton	RFr.	6-2/225	38 total tackles, including five at Colorado/Shared first career sack vs. TT
BUCK-Sean Fisher	RFr.	6-6/230	Omaha native has 34 tackles, including career-high nine vs. Iowa State
LCB-Prince Amukamara**	Jr.	6-1/200	Team leader with 10 PBU/16th nationally in passes defended/50 tackles
S-Matt O'Hanlon***	Sr.	5-11/200	Seven takeaways including team-high five INT and two fumble recoveries
S-Larry Asante**	Sr.	6-1/215	Tied for team lead with 70 tackles/Six or more tackles eight times in 2009
RCB-Alfonzo Dennard*	So.	5-10/190	Missed KSU game with injury, but returned to lineup vs. Colorado
-or- Anthony West**	Jr.	6-0/200	16 career starts at cornerback/Led Nebraska in PBU in 2008
NICKEL-Eric Hagg**	Jr.	6-2/205	Versatile defender has 37 tackles, including six TFL and two sacks in 2009

SPECIAL TEAMS

Pos.-Player	Yr.	Ht/Wt	Notable
PK-Alex Henery**	Jr.	6-2/175	42-of-49 in career on FG/Nine career multi-FG games, four in 2009
P-Alex Henery**	Jr.	6-2/175	Avg. 42.3 yards per punt/Big 12-best 26 downed inside 20-yard line
KO-Adi Kunalic**	So.	6-0/190	Among national leaders in touchbacks past two years/26 in 2009
LS-P.J. Mangieri	Fr.	6-4/250	True freshman walk-on took over for three-year starter T.J. O'Leary
H-Brett Maher	RFr.	6-0/170	Walk-on doubles as Henery's backup at punter
PR-Niles Paul**	Jr.	6-1/215	Career-long 59-yard return for TD at CU/Averaging 9.6 yards per return
KOR-Niles Paul**	Jr.	6-1/215	NU season-long 44-yarder at KU set up go-ahead score/113.8 all-purpose pg
KOR-Tim Marlowe	RFr.	5-10/175	Youngstown, Ohio native attended same HS as Pelinis/Avg. 24.7 ypr



2009 NEBRASKA CORNHUSKERS ROSTER

Lettermen in **bold**; *Indicates Letters Earned

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Yr.	Hometown (High School/College)
95	** Allen, Pierre	DE	6-5	265	Jr.	Denver, Colo. (Thomas Jefferson)
21	** Amukamara, Prince	CB	6-1	200	Jr.	Glendale, Ariz. (Apollo)
70	Anderson, Kenny	DE	6-2	250	RFr.	Omaha, Neb. (Millard West)
9	Ankrah, Jason	DE	6-4	255	Fr.	Gaithersburg, Md. (Quince Orchard)
4	** Asante, Larry	S	6-1	215	Sr.	Alexandria, Va. (Hayfield/Coffeyville CC)
70	Ash, Nick	OL	6-5	270	Fr.	Keller, Texas
66	Barrett, Cruz	OL	6-4	310	Jr.	Daytona Beach, Fla. (Mainland)
91	Barry, Robert	TE	6-8	220	Fr.	Battle Creek, Neb.
2	Bell, Antonio	WR	6-2	180	Fr.	Daytona Beach, Fla. (Mainland)
39	Blatchford, Justin	CB	6-1	195	RFr.	Ponca, Neb.
14	* Blue, Anthony	CB	5-10	185	So.	Cedar Hill, Texas
9	Broekemeier, Joe	QB	6-4	210	Jr.	Aurora, Neb. (Aurora)
1	* Brooks, Chris	WR	6-2	215	Sr.	St. Louis, Mo. (Hazelwood East)
22	Burkhead, Rex	RB	5-11	200	Fr.	Plano, Texas
22	Camarata, Joseph	LB	5-10	225	RFr.	Overland Park, Kan. (Rockhurst)
82	*** Cammack, Wes	WR	5-11	200	Sr.	DeWitt, Neb. (Tri-County)
58	* Caputo, Mike	OL	6-1	275	So.	Omaha, Neb. (Millard North)
8	Cassidy, Austin	S	6-1	210	So.	Lincoln, Neb. (Southwest)
51	Chapek, Brandon	OL	6-5	325	Fr.	Wahoo, Neb. (Bishop Neumann)
77	Choi, Seung Hoon	OL	6-2	295	RFr.	Lincoln, Neb. (Christian)
62	** Christensen, Andy	OL	6-3	305	Sr.	Bennington, Neb.
42	Clark, Tyson	WR	6-4	190	Fr.	Lincoln, Neb. (East)
71	Coffey, Jesse	OL	6-7	300	Fr.	Denton, Texas (Guyer)
51	Compton, Will	LB	6-2	225	RFr.	Bonne Terre, Mo. (North County)
6	Cooper, Khiry	WR	6-2	195	RFr.	Shreveport, La. (Calvary Baptist Academy)
81	Cotton, Ben	TE	6-6	250	RFr.	Ames, Iowa
94	* Crick, Jared	DT	6-6	285	So.	Cozad, Neb.
95	Daake, Tyler	P/PK	6-2	195	Fr.	Norfolk, Neb. (Norfolk Catholic)
27	Damkroger, Jon	P/PK	6-1	190	So.	Firth, Neb. (Norris/Nebraska-Omaha)
31	Dean, Jase	CB	6-0	185	RFr.	Bridgeport, Neb.
15	* Dennard, Alfonso	CB	5-10	190	So.	Rochelle, Ga. (Wilcox County)
52	*** Dillard, Phillip	LB	6-1	240	Sr.	Tulsa, Okla. (Jenks)
87	Dixon, Taylor	WR	5-11	190	RFr.	Wauneta, Neb. (Wauneta-Palisade)
32	Ebke, Jim	S	6-0	210	So.	Lincoln, Neb. (East/South Dakota State)
92	Fahie, Tyrone	DE	6-3	255	Jr.	Virginia Beach, Va. (Ocean Lakes)
35	Failla, Nick	WR	5-10	175	Fr.	Omaha, Neb. (Millard North)
42	Fisher, Sean	LB	6-6	230	RFr.	Omaha, Neb. (Millard North)
11	* Gilleylen, Curenski	WR	6-0	215	So.	Leander, Texas
91	Glassman, Dan	DE	6-4	250	Jr.	Omaha, Neb. (Creighton Prep)
7	Gomes, Dejon	CB	6-0	190	Jr.	Hayward, Calif. (Logan/City College of San Francisco)
11	Green, Andrew	DB	6-0	175	Fr.	San Antonio, Texas (James Madison)
17	Green, Cody	QB	6-4	220	Fr.	Dayton, Texas
41	** Grove, Thomas	LB	6-2	225	Jr.	Arlington, Neb.
28	** Hagg, Eric	S	6-2	205	Jr.	Peoria, Ariz. (Ironwood)
80	Harvey, David	DE	6-4	270	Sr.	LaPlata, Md. (McDonough)
30	* Hays, Mike	FB	6-1	235	So.	Papillion, Neb. (Papillion-LaVista)
10	** Helu Jr., Roy	IB	6-0	215	Jr.	Danville, Calif. (San Ramon Valley)
90	** Henery, Alex	PK/P	6-2	175	Jr.	Omaha, Neb. (Burke)
74	Henry, Ricky	OL	6-4	300	Jr.	Omaha, Neb. (Burke/N.D. State College of Science)
8	** Henry, Will	WR	6-5	215	Jr.	El Paso, Texas (J.M. Hanks)
67	*** Hickman, Jacob	OL	6-4	290	Sr.	Bakersfield, Calif. (Centennial)
80	* Hill, Ryan	TE	6-3	250	So.	Arvada, Colo. (West)
35	* Holt, Matt	LB	6-0	200	So.	Lee's Summit, Mo. (West)
18	*** Holt, Menelik	WR	6-4	220	Sr.	San Diego, Calif. (St. Augustine)
57	Hron, Mitch	LB	6-2	220	Fr.	Schuyler, Neb.
85	Hyland, KC	WR	6-6	210	RFr.	Lincoln, Neb. (Pius X)
58	Jackson, Justin	DL	6-3	270	RFr.	Roca, Neb. (Norris)
29	Jameson, Seth	S	6-1	180	Fr.	Southlake, Texas (Southlake Carroll)
28	Jones, Austin	IB	5-10	210	So.	Aurora, Colo.
73	* Jones, D.J.	OL	6-5	315	Jr.	Omaha, Neb. (Central)
52	Jones, Dwight	OL	6-4	245	Fr.	Gretna, Neb.
78	* Jones, Marcel	OL	6-7	310	So.	Phoenix, Ariz. (Trevor Browne)
78	Kanne, Colin	DL	6-4	250	Fr.	Omaha, Neb. (Millard West)
12	Kellogg III, Ron	QB	6-1	215	Fr.	Omaha, Neb. (Westside)
89	Kerr, J.T.	TE	6-4	245	Fr.	San Diego, Calif. (Scripps Ranch)
4	Kildow, Ty	WR	5-7	165	Fr.	Omaha, Neb. (Millard South)
84	Kinnie, Brandon	WR	6-3	215	So.	Kansas City, Mo. (Grandview/Fort Scott CC)
85	Klingelhofer, Faron	DT	6-2	255	So.	Amherst, Neb. (Amherst/Nebraska-Kearney)
54	* Koehler, Colton	LB	6-1	230	Sr.	Harvard, Neb. (Harvard/Nebraska Wesleyan)
44	Kreikemeier, Micah	LB	6-3	220	RFr.	West Point, Neb. (Central Catholic)

NUMERICAL ROSTER

No.	Name.....	Position
1	* Chris Brooks	WR
1	** Adi Kunalic	PK
2	Antonio Bell	WR
2	Lazarri Middleton	DB
3	Taylor Martinez	QB
3	*** Rickey Thenarse	S
4	** Larry Asante	S
4	Ty Kildow	WR
5	Zac Lee	QB
5	** Anthony West	CB
6	Khiry Cooper	WR
7	Dejon Gomes	CB
7	Kody Spano	QB
8	Austin Cassidy	S
8	** Will Henry	WR
9	Jason Ankrah	DE
9	Joe Broekemeier	QB
10	** Roy Helu Jr.	IB
10	Dijon Washington	DB
11	* Curenski Gilleylen	WR
11	Andrew Green	DB
12	Ron Kellogg III	QB
12	Courtney Osborne	S
13	P.J. Smith	S
14	* Anthony Blue	CB
14	Lester Ward	IB
15	* Alfonzo Dennard	CB
15	** Latravis Washington	QB
16	Wil Richards	DB
16	Adam Watson	DB
17	Cody Green	QB
18	*** Menelik Holt	WR
21	** Prince Amukamara	CB
21	Steven Osborne	WR
22	Rex Burkhead	RB
22	Joseph Camarata	LB
23	* Lance Thorell	CB
24	** Niles Paul	WR
25	Kyler Reed	TE
26	Tim Marlowe	WR
27	Jon Damkroger	P/PK
27	Dontrayevous Robinson	RB
28	** Eric Hagg	S
28	Austin Jones	IB
29	Seth Jameson	S
29	Collins Okafor	IB
30	* Mike Hays	FB
30	Jarrell Young	S
31	Jase Dean	CB
31	C.J. Zimmerer	RB
32	Jim Ebke	S
32	Marcus Mendoza	IB
33	*** Matt O'Hanlon	S
34	Cameron Meredith	DE
35	Nick Failla	WR
35	* Matt Holt	LB
36	* Mathew May	LB
37	Tyrone Lewis	LB
37	Kevin Thomsen	LB
38	Graham Stoddard	LB
39	Justin Blatchford	CB
41	** Thomas Grove	LB
41	Jake Long	TE
42	Tyson Clark	WR
42	Sean Fisher	LB
43	Brent Moravec	S
44	Micah Kreikemeier	LB



No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Yr.	Hometown (High School/College)
93	Kuhl, Adam	LS	6-2	270	Fr.	Maple Valley, Iowa (Maple Valley Community)
1	** Kunalic, Adi	PK	6-0	190	Jr.	Fort Worth, Texas (North Crowley)
5	Lee, Zac	QB	6-2	215	Jr.	San Francisco, Calif. (St. Ignatius Prep/City College of San Francisco)
48	Legate, Tyler	FB	5-10	225	RFr.	Neligh, Neb. (Neligh-Oakdale/South Dakota)
37	Lewis, Tyrone	LB	6-2	195	Fr.	Lincoln, Neb. (North Star)
75	Lingenfelter, Luke	OL	6-4	275	So.	Plainview, Neb.
41	Long, Jake	TE	6-4	220	Fr.	Elkhorn, Neb.
81	Long, Spencer	DE	6-4	250	Fr.	Elkhorn, Neb.
96	Maher, Brett	P/PK	6-0	170	RFr.	Kearney, Neb.
92	Mangieri, P.J.	LS	6-4	250	Fr.	Peoria, Ill. (Dunlap)
49	Manninger, Matt	LB	6-1	220	RFr.	Omaha, Neb. (Creighton Prep)
26	Marlowe, Tim	WR	5-10	175	RFr.	Youngstown, Ohio (Cardinal Mooney)
63	* Martin, Ben	DT	6-4	260	Jr.	Lincoln, Neb. (Southwest)
46	Martin, Eric	LB	6-2	215	Fr.	Moreno Valley, Calif. (Rancho Verde)
88	Martin, Jay	LB	6-2	230	So.	Waverly, Neb.
3	Martinez, Taylor	QB	6-1	185	Fr.	Corona, Calif. (Centennial)
36	* May, Mathew	LB	6-1	215	So.	Imperial, Neb. (Chase County)
86	McClure, Mychael	TE	6-5	235	RFr.	Wisner, Neb. (Wisner-Pilger)
65	McDermott, Colin	DE	6-2	250	RFr.	Omaha, Neb. (Creighton Prep)
66	McDermott, Conor	DE	6-2	250	RFr.	Omaha, Neb. (Creighton Prep)
44	** McNeill, Mike	TE	6-4	240	Jr.	Kirkwood, Mo.
67	Meginnis, Sam	LS/LB	6-2	225	RFr.	Lincoln, Neb. (East)
32	Mendoza, Marcus	WR	5-10	190	So.	Houston, Texas (Spring Woods)
34	Meredith, Cameron	DE	6-4	260	RFr.	Santa Ana, Calif. (Mater Dei)
63	Meyer, Derek	OL	6-5	315	Sr.	Campbell, Neb. (Silver Lake/Kansas State)
2	Middleton, Lazarri	DB	6-1	175	Fr.	Long Beach, Calif. (Poly)
68	Molek, Josh	DT	6-3	245	RFr.	Omaha, Neb. (Skutt Catholic)
90	* Moore, Terrence	DT	6-3	285	So.	New Orleans, La. (McDonogh 35)
43	Moravec, Brent	S	6-0	185	RFr.	Grand Island, Neb. (Central Catholic)
69	Nickens, Brodrick	OL	6-5	285	Fr.	Alliance, Neb.
33	*** O'Hanlon, Matt	S	5-11	200	Sr.	Bellevue, Neb. (Bellevue East)
29	Okafor, Collins	IB	6-1	225	RFr.	Omaha, Neb. (Westside)
12	Osborne, Courtney	S	6-3	195	RFr.	Garland, Texas (South Garland)
21	Osborne, Steven	WR	6-4	200	RFr.	Garland, Texas (South Garland)
83	Partington, Joseph	WR	6-2	190	So.	Grand Island, Neb. (Central Catholic/Nebraska-Omaha)
24	** Paul, Niles	WR	6-1	215	Jr.	Omaha, Neb. (North)
56	Paulsen, Devin	LB	6-2	210	Fr.	Lincoln, Neb. (Lincoln Christian)
62	Pensick, Cole	DL	6-2	250	Fr.	Lincoln, Neb. (Northeast)
76	Qvale, Brent	OL	6-7	330	Fr.	Williston, N.D.
53	Randle, Thaddeus	DL	6-1	260	Fr.	Galena Park, Texas (North Shore)
25	Reed, Kyler	TE	6-3	230	RFr.	Shawnee, Kan. (St. Thomas Aquinas)
16	Richards, Wil	DB	5-11	195	Fr.	Lee's Summit, Mo. (Lee's Summit West)
27	Robinson, Dontrayevous	RB	6-1	215	Fr.	Euless, Texas (Trinity)
57	Sirles, Jeremiah	OL	6-6	310	Fr.	Lakewood, Colo. (Bear Creek)
65	** Smith, Mike	OL	6-6	295	Jr.	Las Vegas, Nev. (Palo Verde)
13	Smith, P.J.	S	6-2	210	RFr.	River Ridge, La. (John Curtis)
7	Spano, Kody	QB	6-2	215	RFr.	Stephenville, Texas
59	Starkebaum, Colby	LB	6-1	195	Fr.	Sterling, Colo.
55	Steinkuhler, Baker	DT	6-6	290	RFr.	Lincoln, Neb. (Southwest)
38	Stoddard, Graham	LB	6-2	230	RFr.	Lincoln, Neb. (Southwest)
93	*** Suh, Ndamukong	DT	6-4	300	Sr.	Portland, Ore. (Grant)
3	*** Thenarse, Rickey	S	6-0	205	Sr.	Los Angeles, Calif. (Jordan)
79	Thompson, Brandon	OL	6-6	295	RFr.	The Woodlands, Texas
37	Thomsen, Kevin	LB	6-2	235	So.	Elkhorn, Neb.
23	* Thorell, Lance	CB	6-1	195	So.	Loomis, Neb.
59	Thorson, Brian	OL	6-3	280	RFr.	Omaha, Neb. (Millard North)
90	Toailoa, Quentin	OL	6-4	295	RFr.	Highland, Calif. (Redlands East Valley)
59	*** Turner, Barry	DE	6-3	265	Sr.	Antioch, Tenn. (Brentwood Academy)
14	Ward, Lester	IB	6-3	215	RFr.	Brenham, Texas
10	Washington, Dijon	DB	6-0	175	Fr.	Lawndale, Calif. (Leuzinger)
15	** Washington, Latravis	QB	6-3	225	Jr.	Bradenton, Fla. (Bayshore)
16	Watson, Adam	DB	6-0	185	Jr.	Lincoln, Neb. (Niwot [Colo.])
47	Wells, Brett	TE	6-4	190	Fr.	St. Paul, Neb.
5	** West, Anthony	CB	6-0	200	Jr.	San Diego, Calif. (Point Loma)
45	Whaley, Alonzo	LB	6-1	225	RFr.	Madisonville, Texas
48	Williams, Chris	LB	6-0	220	Fr.	Abilene, Texas
98	Williams, Josh	DE	6-4	245	RFr.	Denton, Texas (Ryan)
68	** Williams, Keith	OL	6-5	315	Jr.	Florissant, Mo. (McClure North)
49	** Young, Dreu	TE	6-4	250	Jr.	Cozad, Neb.
30	Young, Jarrell	S	6-2	210	Jr.	Arlington, Texas
31	Zimmerer, C.J.	RB	6-0	220	Fr.	Omaha, Neb. (Gross)

44	** Mike McNeill	TE
45	Alonzo Whaley	LB
46	Eric Martin	LB
47	Brett Wells	TE
48	Tyler Legate	FB
48	Chris Williams	LB
49	Matt Manninger	LB
49	** Dreu Young	TE
50	Quentin Toailoa	OL
51	Brandon Chapek	OL
51	Will Compton	LB
52	*** Phillip Dillard	LB
52	Dwight Jones	OL
53	Thaddeus Randle	DL
54	* Colton Koehler	LB
55	Baker Steinkuhler	DT
56	Devin Paulsen	LB
57	Mitch Hron	LB
57	Jeremiah Sirles	OL
58	* Mike Caputo	OL
58	Justin Jackson	DL
59	Colby Starkebaum	LB
59	Brian Thorson	OL
62	** Andy Christensen	OL
62	Cole Pensick	DL
63	* Ben Martin	DT
63	Derek Meyer	OL
65	Colin McDermott	DE
65	** Mike Smith	OL
66	Cruz Barrett	OL
66	Conor McDermott	DE
67	*** Jacob Hickman	OL
67	Sam Meginnis	LS/LB
68	Josh Molek	DT
68	** Keith Williams	OL
69	Brodrick Nickens	OL
70	Kenny Anderson	DE
70	Nick Ash	OL
71	Jesse Coffey	OL
73	* D.J. Jones	OL
74	Ricky Henry	OL
75	Luke Lingenfelter	OL
76	Brent Qvale	OL
77	Seung Hoon Choi	OL
78	* Marcel Jones	OL
78	Colin Kanne	DL
79	Brandon Thompson	OL
80	David Harvey	DE
80	* Ryan Hill	TE
81	Ben Cotton	TE
81	Spencer Long	DE
82	*** Wes Cammack	WR
83	Joseph Partington	WR
84	Brandon Kinnie	WR
85	KC Hyland	WR
85	Faron Klingelhoefer	DT
86	Mychael McClure	TE
87	Taylor Dixon	WR
88	Jay Martin	LB
89	J.T. Kerr	TE
90	** Alex Henery	PK/P
90	* Terrence Moore	DT
91	Robert Barry	TE
91	Dan Glassman	DE
92	Tyrone Fahie	DE
92	P.J. Mangieri	LS
93	Adam Kuhl	LS
93	*** Ndamukong Suh	DT
94	* Jared Crick	DT
95	** Pierre Allen	DE
95	Tyler Daake	P/PK
96	Brett Maher	P/PK
98	Josh Williams	DE
99	*** Barry Turner	DE



NEBRASKA DEPTH CHART-TEXAS

OFFENSE

Pos.	No.	Name, Ht., Wt., Yr.
WR X	6	Khiry Cooper, 6-2, 195, RFr. -OR-
	84	Brandon Kinnie, 6-3, 215, So. -OR-
	18	Menelik Holt, 6-4, 220, Sr. -OR-
	1	Chris Brooks, 6-2, 215, Sr.
LT	65	Mike Smith, 6-6, 295, Jr.
	78	Marcel Jones, 6-7, 310, So.
LG	68	Keith Williams, 6-5, 315, Jr.
	63	Derek Meyer, 6-5, 315, Sr.
C	67	Jacob Hickman, 6-4, 290, Sr.
	58	Mike Caputo, 6-1, 275, So.
RG	74	Ricky Henry, 6-4, 300, Jr.
	62	Andy Christensen, 6-3, 305, Sr.
RT	78	Marcel Jones, 6-7, 310, So. -OR-
	73	D.J. Jones, 6-5, 315, Jr.
TE	44	Mike McNeill, 6-4, 240, Jr. -OR-
	49	Dreu Young, 6-4, 250, Jr.
	81	Ben Cotton, 6-6, 250, RFr. -OR-
	25	Kyler Reed, 6-3, 230, RFr. -OR-
WR Z	80	Ryan Hill, 6-3, 250, So.
	24	Niles Paul, 6-1, 215, Jr.
	11	Curenski Gilleylen, 6-0, 215, So.
	2	Antonio Bell, 6-2, 180, Fr.
QB	8	Will Henry, 6-5, 215, Jr.
	82	Wes Cammack, 5-11, 200, Sr.
	5	Zac Lee, 6-2, 215, Jr.
	17	Cody Green, 6-4, 220, Fr.
IB	15	Latravis Washington, 6-3, 225, Jr.
	10	Roy Helu Jr., 6-0, 215, Jr.
	22	Rex Burkhead, 5-11, 200, Fr.
FB	27	Dontrayevous Robinson, 6-1, 215, Fr.
	48	Tyler Legate, 5-10, 225, RFr.
	30	Mike Hays, 6-1, 235, So.

DEFENSE

Pos.	No.	Name, Ht., Wt., Yr.
LDE	99	Barry Turner, 6-3, 265, Sr.
	34	Cameron Meredith, 6-4, 260, RFr.
DT	93	Ndamukong Suh, 6-4, 300, Sr.
	90	Terrence Moore, 6-3, 285, So.
DT	94	Jared Crick, 6-6, 285, So.
	55	Baker Steinkuhler, 6-6, 290, RFr.
RDE	95	Pierre Allen, 6-5, 265, Jr.
	98	Josh Williams, 6-4, 245, RFr.
WILL	52	Phillip Dillard, 6-1, 240, Sr.
	36	Mathew May, 6-1, 215, So.
MIKE	51	Will Compton, 6-2, 225, RFr.
	54	Colton Koehler, 6-1, 230, Sr.
BUCK	42	Sean Fisher, 6-6, 230, RFr.
	46	Eric Martin, 6-2, 215, Fr.
LCB	21	Prince Amukamara, 6-1, 200, Jr.
	7	Dejon Gomes, 6-0, 190, Jr.
SS	4	Larry Asante, 6-1, 215, Sr.
	13	P.J. Smith, 6-2, 210, RFr. -OR-
	28	Eric Hagg, 6-2, 205, Jr.
FS	33	Matt O'Hanlon, 5-11, 200, Sr.
	28	Eric Hagg, 6-2, 205, Jr. -OR-
	8	Austin Cassidy, 6-1, 210, So. -OR-
RCB	12	Courtney Osborne, 6-3, 195, RFr.
	15	Alfonzo Dennard, 5-10, 190, So.
RCB	5	Anthony West, 6-0, 200, Jr.

SPECIAL TEAMS

Pos.	No.	Name, Ht., Wt., Yr.
PK	90	Alex Henery, 6-2, 175, Jr.
	1	Adi Kunalic, 6-0, 190, Jr.
P	90	Alex Henery, 6-2, 175, Jr.
	96	Brett Maher, 6-0, 170, RFr.
LS	92	P.J. Mangieri, 6-4, 250, Fr.
	67	Sam Meginnis, 6-2, 225, RFr.
KO	1	Adi Kunalic, 6-0, 190, Jr.
HOLD	96	Brett Maher, 6-0, 170, RFr.
KOR	24/26	Niles Paul/Tim Marlowe
	15/11	Alfonzo Dennard/Curenski Gilleylen
PR	24	Niles Paul, 6-1, 215, Jr.
	26	Tim Marlowe, 5-10, 175, RFr.

CAREER STARTS

OFFENSE

Jacob Hickman, Sr., C.....	35
Mike McNeill, Jr., TE.....	24
Mike Smith, Jr., OT.....	23
Keith Williams, Jr., OG.....	18
Niles Paul, Jr., WR.....	16
Roy Helu Jr., Jr, IB.....	14
Marcel Jones, Soph., OT.....	12
Ricky Henry, Jr., OG.....	12
Dreu Young, Jr., TE.....	12
Zac Lee, Jr., QB.....	10
Menelik Holt, Sr., WR.....	9
Andy Christensen, Sr., OG.....	9
Khiry Cooper, RFr., WR.....	4
Derek Meyer, Sr., OG.....	3
Tyler Legate, So., FB.....	2
Curenski Gilleylen, Soph. WR.....	2
Cody Green, Fr., QB.....	2
Kyler Reed, RFr., TE.....	1
Ben Cotton, RFr., TE.....	1
D.J. Jones, Jr., OT.....	1
Brandon Kinnie, So., WR.....	1

DEFENSE

Ndamukong Suh, Sr., DT.....	37
Larry Asante, Sr., SS.....	34
Barry Turner, Sr., DE.....	24
Pierre Allen, Jr., DE.....	23
Matt O'Hanlon, Sr., S.....	21
Eric Hagg, Jr., S.....	18
Anthony West, Jr., CB.....	16
Phillip Dillard, Sr., LB.....	15
Prince Amukamara, Jr., CB.....	15
Jared Crick, Soph., DT.....	12
Will Compton, RFr., LB.....	8
Alfonzo Dennard, Soph., CB.....	7
Lance Thorell, Soph., CB.....	6
Sean Fisher, RFr., LB.....	6
Rickey Thenarse, Sr., S.....	5
Dejon Gomes, Jr., DB.....	4
Anthony Blue, Soph., CB.....	2
Matt Holt, Soph., LB.....	1
Colton Koehler, Sr., LB.....	1
David Harvey, Sr., DE.....	1

SPECIAL TEAMS

Alex Henery, Jr., PK.....	37
Adi Kunalic, Jr., KO.....	37
Alex Henery, Jr., P.....	12

PRONUNCIATION

Larry Asante.....	uh-SAHN-tay
Prince Amukamara.....	ah-moo-kuh-mare-uh
Khiry Cooper.....	KY-ree
Alfonzo Dennard.....	DEN-ard
Tyrone Fahie.....	FOY
Curenski Gilleylen.....	GILL-uh-len
Roy Helu Jr.....	HEL-lou
Menelik Holt.....	men-uh-leek
Faron Klingelhoefer.....	fair-in
Micah Kreikemeier.....	crack-meyer
Colton Koehler.....	KAY-ler
Adi Kunalic.....	ah-dee Kuh-NALEK
Tyler Legate.....	lug-GATE
Brent Qvale.....	kwal-lee
Baker Steinkuhler.....	STINE-kooler
Ndamukong Suh.....	en-dom-ah-ken SUE
Rickey Thenarse.....	tuh-NARSE
Quentin Toailoa.....	toe-uh-LOA



NEBRASKA BIG 12 CHAMPIONSHIP APPEARANCES

1996 | TEXAS 37, NEBRASKA 27

SCORE BY QUARTERS	1	2	3	4	FINAL
No. 3 Nebraska	7	10	7	3	27
Texas	7	13	3	14	37

St. Louis, Mo.-- Unranked Texas used a high-powered offense to upset third-ranked Nebraska in front of 63,109 fans at the inaugural Big 12 Championship Game inside the TWA Dome on Dec. 7, 1996.

Nebraska's ball-control offense allowed the Huskers to own a nearly 2-to-1 edge in time of possession. NU ran 87 total plays to only 57 for Texas, but the Longhorns still out-gained the Huskers 503-398, while averaging a whopping 8.8 yards per play.

Texas never trailed in the first half after scoring less than four minutes into the game. The Huskers pulled even at 7-7 in the first quarter and tied the score at 10-10 and 17-17 in the second period before a late field goal gave the Longhorns a 20-17 halftime lead. Texas extended its lead to six with a third-quarter field goal before a DeAngelo Evans touchdown run gave Nebraska a 24-23 advantage. A fourth-quarter field goal stretched the lead to 27-23 before Texas scored two touchdowns in the final nine minutes.

James Brown threw for 353 yards in the win, completing 19-of-28 passes with two interceptions and one touchdown. Priest Holmes ran for 120 yards and three scores on only nine carries. For Nebraska, Scott Frost completed 15-of-24 passes for 155 yards. Evans, a true freshman, had 32 carries for 130 yards and three touchdowns. The loss snapped NU's 31-game winning streak against conference opponents.

SCORING SUMMARY

1st	11:25	UT	Holmes 5 yd run (Dawson kick)
	0:14	NU	Evans 2 yd run (Brown kick)
2nd	11:50	UT	Dawson 49 yd field goal
	8:39	NU	Brown 51 yd field goal
	7:24	UT	Holmes 61 yd run (Dawson kick)
	2:23	NU	Evans 23 yd run (Brown kick)
	1:00	UT	Dawson 30 yd field goal
3rd	8:30	UT	Dawson 47 yd field goal
	2:11	NU	Evans 6 yd run (Brown kick)
4th	10:11	NU	Brown 24 yd field goal
	8:53	UT	McGartry 66 yd pass (Dawson kick)
	1:53	UT	Holmes 11 yd run (Dawson kick)

TEAM STATISTICS

	NU	UT
FIRST DOWNS	26	22
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	63-243	28-150
PASSING YDS (NET)	155	353
Passes Att-Comp-Int	24-15-0	29-19-2
TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS	87-398	57-503
Penalties-Yards	5-35	4-24
Possession Time	39:35	20:25

1999 | NEBRASKA 22, TEXAS 6

SCORE BY QUARTERS	1	2	3	4	FINAL
No. 11 Texas	0	0	0	6	6
No. 3 Nebraska	10	5	7	0	22

San Antonio, Texas-- Third-ranked Nebraska avenged its only loss of the regular season and won its second Big 12 title in three seasons with a 22-6 win over No. 12 Texas at the Alamodome on Dec. 4, 1999.

The Husker defense was dominant, holding Texas to only 178 yards of offense while forcing four turnovers. The Longhorns rushed for only nine yards, while NU pounded out 234 yards on the ground.

Nebraska got all the points it would need in the first quarter. Josh Brown opened the scoring with a 42-yard field goal eight minutes into the game and Eric Crouch scored on a 31-yard touchdown run four-and-a-half minutes later.

The Blackshirts then got in on the offensive action as an interception set up another Brown field goal midway through the second quarter. On the ensuing possession, the Huskers forced their second safety of the season to give NU a 15-0 lead at the half. Crouch then added his second rushing touchdown of the day early in the third quarter before Texas returned a fumble 20 yards for a touchdown early in the fourth quarter to account for the Longhorns' only score.

Crouch carried the ball 23 times for 72 yards and tossed for 55 yards, while Correll Buckhalter totaled 136 yards on 20 carries. Major Applewhite completed only 15-of-42 passes and was sacked seven times.

SCORING SUMMARY

1st	7:17	NU	Brown 42 yd field goal
	2:56	NU	Crouch 31 yd run (Brown kick)
2nd	7:47	NU	Brown 21 yd field goal
	7:26	NU	Team Safety
3rd	10:12	NU	Crouch 4 yd run (Brown kick)
4th	13:26	UT	Brooks 20 yd fumble recovery (pass failed)

TEAM STATISTICS

	UT	NU
FIRST DOWNS	6	22
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	29-9	58-234
PASSING YDS (NET)	164	55
Passes Att-Comp-Int	42-15-3	15-6-1
TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS	71-173	73-289
Penalties-Yards	3-17	4-20
Possession Time	22:09	37:51

1997 | NEBRASKA 54, TEXAS A&M 15

SCORE BY QUARTERS	1	2	3	4	FINAL
No. 14 Texas A&M	0	3	0	12	15
No. 2 Nebraska	16	21	3	14	54

San Antonio, Texas-- Second-ranked Nebraska scored early and often en route to capturing its first Big 12 title with a 54-15 thrashing of Texas A&M in front of 64,824 fans at the Alamodome on Dec. 6, 1997.

The Husker offense gained 536 yards, while averaging more than six yards per game. Nebraska ran for 335 yards and added 201 yards through the air, while Texas A&M managed just 277 total yards. Ahman Green carried 34 times for 179 yards and three touchdowns, while Scott Frost had 79 yards on 15 carries while scoring two touchdowns. Frost also completed 12-of-18 passes, while A&M completed only 21-of-48 passes and was intercepted twice while throwing for 264 yards. The Aggies had only 13 yards rushing.

Nebraska dominated the first half, scoring the first 24 points of the game, including three Brown field goals and rushing touchdowns by Frost and Green. After A&M got on the board with a field goal, Green and Frost added touchdown runs again to give NU a 37-3 lead at the half. The Huskers extended the lead to 47-3 early in the fourth quarter before the teams scored three touchdowns in the final 8:25.

SCORING SUMMARY

1st	10:18	NU	Frost 6 yd run (Brown kick)
	6:13	NU	Brown 27 yd field goal
	2:19	NU	Brown 26 yd field goal
	0:00	NU	Brown 31 yd field goal
2nd	11:18	NU	Green 25 yd run (Brown kick)
	8:53	TAMU	Bryan 32 yd field goal
	5:19	NU	Green 1 yd run (Brown kick)
	0:25	NU	Frost 2 yd run (Brown kick)
3rd	7:22	NU	Brown 44 yd field goal
4th	11:13	NU	Green 6 yd run (Brown kick)
	8:25	TAMU	Spiller 13 yd pass from Stewart (pass failed)
	3:38	TAMU	Glenn 35 yd fumble return (pass failed)
	1:03	NU	London 3 yd run (Retzlaff kick)

TEAM STATISTICS

	TAMU	NU
FIRST DOWNS	13	25
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	23-13	67-335
PASSING YDS (NET)	264	201
Passes Att-Comp-Int	48-21-2	18-12-0
TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS	71-277	85-536
Penalties-Yards	6-43	4-38
Possession Time	25:37	34:23

2006 | OKLAHOMA 21, NEBRASKA 7

SCORE BY QUARTERS	1	2	3	4	FINAL
No. 20 Nebraska	0	7	0	0	7
No. 12 Oklahoma	14	0	7	0	21

Kansas City, Mo.-- After earning a spot in three of the first four Big 12 Championship Games, Nebraska returned to the title game following a five-year absence on Dec. 2, 2006. The Huskers, who had won their last two title games, could not make it three in a row, as a slow start doomed NU in a 21-7 loss to 12th-ranked Oklahoma in front of 80,031 fans on a bone-chilling Saturday night at Arrowhead Stadium.

Nebraska fumbled its first play from scrimmage and Oklahoma capitalized on the short field when Allen Patrick scored from two yards out on the Sooners' first play. Later in the first quarter, OU went on top by two touchdowns when Brandon Thompson found Malcolm Kelly for a 66-yard touchdown pass.

The Huskers cut the lead to 14-7 at the half when Big 12 Offensive Player of the Year Zac Taylor found Hunter Teafatiller for a 14-yard touchdown with under five minutes remaining in the half. But any momentum the Huskers had from that score ended when the Sooners march 99 yards on 11 plays for the game's final score late in the third quarter.

Nebraska out-gained Oklahoma 366-307 on the night but was plagued by turnovers. Taylor threw a season-high three interceptions - including one in the Sooner end zone - and NU also lost two fumbles, as the Sooners were plus-four in the turnover department. Taylor completed 23-of-50 passes for 282 yards, while Thompson completed 19-of-34 passes for 265 yards. The teams rushed for a combined 126 yards.

SCORING SUMMARY

1st	14:12	OU	Patrick 2 yd run (Hartley kick)
	5:35	OU	Kelly 66 yd pass from Thompson (Hartley kick)
2nd	4:37	NU	Teafatiller 14 yd pass from Taylor (Congdon kick)
3rd	1:25	OU	Kelly 3 yd pass from Thompson (Hartley kick)

TEAM STATISTICS

	NU	OU
FIRST DOWNS	17	13
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	21-84	28-42
PASSING YDS (NET)	282	265
Passes Att-Comp-Int	50-23-3	35-19-1
TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS	71-366	63-307
Penalties-Yards	5-24	3-25
Possession Time	28:21	31:39

Ndamukong Suh



Awards and Honors

- 2009 Outland Trophy Finalist (one of three)
- 2009 Lombardi Award Finalist (one of four)
- 2009 Chuck Bednarik Award Finalist (one of four)
- 2009 Lott Trophy Finalist (one of four)
- 2009 Bronko Nagurski Finalist (one of five)
- 2009 Walter Camp National Player of the Year "Players to Watch" (one of 15)
- 2009 Sporting News Mid-Season All-American
- 2009 Big 12 Preseason Defensive Player of the Year (coaches)
- 2009 Preseason All-American (numerous media outlets)
- Big 12 Defensive Player of the Week
(vs. Kansas, 2008, vs. Missouri, 2009)
- Walter Camp National Defensive Player of the Week
(vs. Missouri, 2009)
- FWA National Defensive Player of the Week (vs. Missouri, 2009)
- Lott Trophy Impact Player of the Week
(vs. Missouri, 2009, vs. Iowa State, 2009)
- 2008 First-Team All-Big 12 (Associated Press, Dallas Morning News, Kansas City Star, San Antonio Express-News)
- 2008 Second-Team All-Big 12 (Coaches)
- 2008 Nebraska Defensive MVP
- 2006 First-Team Freshman All-Big 12 (Sporting News)

Or just go with Big Suh.

CORNHUSKERS TO WATCH



ADI KUNALIC
Place-Kicker
Junior | 6-0 | 190
Fort Worth, Texas

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SEASON HIGHS

Kickoff Attempts – 10 vs. ULL; Touchbacks – 6 vs. ULL.

CAREER STATISTICS

Year	G/GS	PAT	FG	KO	TB
2007	12/0	1-1	1-1	81	29
2008	13/0	0-0	0-0	66	28
2009	12/0	0-0	0-0	60	26
Totals	36/0	1-1	1-1	207	83

2009 GAME BY GAME

Florida Atlantic: Team's primary kickoff specialist for third straight year... opened season with eight kickoffs for 69.0-yard average... added two touchbacks.
Arkansas State: Posted five touchbacks on seven kickoffs... averaged 69.4 yards per kickoff. **Virginia Tech:** Had six kickoffs for 69.2-yard average... also had three touchbacks while helping NU win field-position battle.
Louisiana-Lafayette: Had a busy day with 10 kickoffs... averaged season-best 70.0 yards per kickoff, including booting season-best six touchbacks. **Missouri:** Only had one touchback on six kickoffs in sloppy weather... despite poor conditions, still averaged 63.3 yards per kickoff. **Texas Tech:** Had three kickoffs for average of 68.0 yards per kick... recorded one touchback. **Iowa State:** Posted two kickoffs, averaging 70.0 ypk. **Baylor:** Game captain... had six kickoffs for 69.2 ypk... added three touchbacks. **Oklahoma:** Had three kickoffs for a 70.0-yard average... added one touchback. **Kansas:** Recorded six kickoffs, averaging 66.3 yards per kick despite a strong wind... had one touchback. **Kansas State:** Recorded four kickoffs for 69.8 average and one touchback... helped limit KSU's dangerous return man Brandon Banks to just 50 yards on three returns. **Colorado:** Had five kickoffs for 69.8-yard average... posted two touchbacks and helped pin CU deep in its own territory all day.



LARRY ASANTE
Safety
Senior | 6-1 | 215
Alexandria, Va.

4

SEASON HIGHS

Tackles – 10 vs. KSU; Sacks – None; Tackles for Loss – 1 at Baylor; QB Hurries – None; PBUs – 2 vs. FAU, at MU; Interceptions – 1 vs. ULL, vs. KSU.

CAREER STATISTICS

Year	G/GS	TT	INT	PBU
2007	12/10	78	0	4
2008	13/12	67	1	4
2009	12/12	70	2	7
Totals	37/34	215	3	15

2009 GAME BY GAME

Florida Atlantic: Second on team with seven tackles, including three solos... added career-best two PBU, two fewer than career season best. **Arkansas State:** Led the team with eight tackles, including seven solo stops... was impressive all day long, adding a forced fumble and helping Blackshirts hold ASU to just 274 total yards. **Virginia Tech:** Provided six tackles including three solo stops... added one pass breakup. **Louisiana-Lafayette:** Recorded 74-yard interception return for TD to put NU ahead 34-0 at halftime... it was NU's first INT return for a score by a defensive back since 2002... added two solo tackles on the night. **Missouri:** Tied for third on team with six tackles, including five assists... added two pass

breakups while helping NU hold MU to just 134 yards passing. **Texas Tech:** Recorded three tackles, all assists. **Iowa State:** Had three tackles, including one solo stop. **Baylor:** Tied for second on team with six tackles, including three solo... had first TFL of season with two-yard stop behind line of scrimmage... added one PBU. **Oklahoma:** Finished second on team with eight tackles, including five solo stops... added one pass breakup. **Kansas:** Posted five stops, including two solos, to rank third on the team. **Kansas State:** Had most productive game of the season with team-best and season-high 10 tackles, including four solos... added second interception of the season... forced fumble at the 1-yd. line as KSU was going in for a score, turning the table for the Huskers. **Colorado:** Ranked second on team with six tackles, including five solo.



ZAC LEE
Quarterback
Junior | 6-2 | 215
San Francisco, Calif.

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SEASON HIGHS

Attempts – 37 vs. ISU; Completions – 27 vs. ASU; Passing Yards – 340 vs. ASU; Long Pass – 72 vs. ISU; Passing TDs – 4 vs. ASU; Rushes – 11 vs. KSU; Rushing Yards – 53 at KU.

CAREER STATISTICS

Year	G/GS	Comp.-Att.-Int.	Yards	TD
2007	-- Redshirt --			
2008	2/0	1-2-0	5	0
2009	11/10	158-260-7	1,931	13
Totals	13/10	159-262-7	1,936	13

2009 GAME BY GAME

Florida Atlantic: Solid in first career start with 213 yards on 15-of-22 passing including two TD... helped NU average 8.6 total offense yards per play. **Arkansas State:** Posted first career 300-yard game with 340 yards on 27-of-35 passing... tossed four TDs without an interception... completed passes to 11 players. **Virginia Tech:** Completed just 11-of-30 pass attempts for 136 yards in a defensive slugfest... marked third straight game with completion of at least 35 yards... rushed eight times for 38 yards, helping NU to 207 yards on the ground. **Louisiana-Lafayette:** Rebounded with strong performance, completing 15-of-18 pass attempts for 238 yards... tossed 4-yard scoring pass to Chris Brooks... hit three receivers with five long (20-plus yards) pass plays. **Missouri:** Struggled early but led NU on four scoring drives in fourth-quarter comeback... finished just 14-of-33 passing but had three TD passes in less than three minutes... tossed 56-yard TD to Niles Paul, longest pass of his career. **Texas Tech:** Completed 16-of-22 pass attempts for 128 yards... had nine rushes for zero yards after being sacked four times. **Iowa State:** Game captain... completed 20-of-37 pass attempts for 248 yards... recorded career-long 72-yard pass to Niles Paul... had three passes intercepted, matching total in first six games combined. **Baylor:** Did not play. **Oklahoma:** Came off bench to complete 5-of-9 passes for 35 yards and a TD... first play from scrimmage was 1-yard pass for game's only TD. **Kansas:** Tossed four long passes to Niles Paul to finish 13-of-21 for 196 yards passing... helped Husker ground game by posting a career-high 53 rushing yards on nine carries... added career-long 32-yard run. **Kansas State:** Ran an efficient offense that scored on opening possession of each half... had career-high 11 rushes... finished 13-of-19 passing for 166 yards... added a second-quarter touchdown throw to tight end Mike McNeill. **Colorado:** Completed 9-of-14 passes for 73 yards... tossed 24-yard, second-quarter TD strike to tight end Ben Cotton.



ANTHONY WEST
Cornerback
Junior | 6-0 | 200
San Diego, Calif.

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SEASON HIGHS

Tackles – 2 vs. FAU, vs. ULL; Sacks – None; Tackles for Loss – None; QB Hurries – None; PBUs – 1 vs. FAU; Interceptions – None.

CAREER STATISTICS

Year	G/GS	TT	INT	PBU
2007	11/0	6	0	0
2008	12/11	29	2	9
2009	10/4	8	0	3
Totals	33/15	43	2	12

2009 GAME BY GAME

Florida Atlantic: Posted one of team's six PBU's in season opener... added two solo tackles. **Arkansas State:** Started second straight game of season but did not record a tackle. **Virginia Tech:** Doubled his season total by posting three tackles, including two assists. **Louisiana-Lafayette:** Recorded two tackles, including one solo stop. **Missouri:** Did not play. **Texas Tech:** Played in third and fourth quarters on defense but did not have a tackle. **Iowa State:** Played but did not record a tackle. **Baylor:** Made one tackle but had a pair of pass breakups. **Oklahoma:** Played but did not record a tackle. **Kansas:** Played but did not record a tackle. **Kansas State:** Returned to starting lineup as Alfonzo Dennard sat out with injury... had three solo stops to tie season high for tackles... helped NU limit Wildcats to just 153 passing yards. **Colorado:** Played but did not have a tackle.



KHIRY COOPER
Wide Receiver
R-Freshman | 6-2 | 195
Shreveport, La.

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SEASON HIGHS

Receptions – 3 vs. TTTU, at BU, at KU; Receiving Yards – 26 vs. ULL; Touchdowns – 1 vs. TTU; Long – 17 vs. ULL.

CAREER STATISTICS

Year	G/GS	No.	Yards	TD
2009	10/4	13	80	1
Totals	10/4	13	80	1

2009 GAME BY GAME

Florida Atlantic: Did not have a catch. **Arkansas State:** Made first reception of career with six-yard catch. **Virginia Tech:** Did not play. **Louisiana-Lafayette:** Had two catches for 26 yards, including season-long 17-yarder. **Missouri:** Did not make a reception. **Texas Tech:** Made first career start... added three catches for 23 yards... picked up first touchdown reception of career on 13-yarder from Cody Green. **Iowa State:** Injured - did not play. **Baylor:** Posted three catches for 12 yards. **Oklahoma:** Did not have a reception. **Kansas:** Had three catches for third time in last four games played... receptions went for a total of five yards. **Kansas State:** Made one catch for eight yards. **Colorado:** Played but did not record a catch.

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DEJON GOMES

Cornerback
Junior | 6-0 | 190
Hayward, Calif.

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SEASON HIGHS

Tackles – 8 at KU; Sacks – None; Tackles for Loss – 1 at MU, at KU; QB Hurries – 1 vs. ISU, vs. OU, at KU; PBUs – 2 at KU; Interceptions – 1 at MU, at BU, at CU.

CAREER STATISTICS

Year	G/GS	TT	PBU	INT
2009	11/4	40	6	3
Totals	11/4	40	6	3

2009 GAME BY GAME

Florida Atlantic: First career appearance... finished with two tackles including a solo stop. **Arkansas State:** Played on defense but did not record a tackle. **Virginia Tech:** Did not play. **Louisiana-Lafayette:** Had two tackles with one solo... added a forced fumble as Nebraska rolled to 55-0 victory. **Missouri:** Came off bench to play significant minutes... posted five tackles, including three solo stops... had more tackles than first three games combined... added a TFL for two yards and a pass breakup... set up NU's third TD in four minutes with a 40-yard intercept on return to the MU 10. **Texas Tech:** Made first career start... finished third on team with six tackles, including two solo stops. **Iowa State:** Posted two tackles, including one solo stop... added second pass breakup of season. **Baylor:** Posted just three tackles but still made two big plays... added second INT of season in end zone to kill a Baylor drive... added a forced fumble. **Oklahoma:** Started third game of season, finishing with five tackles including three solo... added a breakup, one of 12 Husker PBUs on the night... also had second career QB hurry. **Kansas:** Had possibly his best game of season with team-high eight tackles, including five solo stops... added second career TFL for three yards... also forced a fumble (recovered by Matt O'Hanlon) deep in Nebraska territory to stop KU drive... had season-best two pass breakups and added a quarterback hurry. **Kansas State:** Posted five tackles including three solos... three of his tackles were on special teams. **Colorado:** Posted third interception of the season, one of three on the day against CU... also had two tackles and recorded sixth pass breakup of the season.



ROY HELU JR.

I-Back
Junior | 6-0 | 215
Danville, Calif.

10

SEASON HIGHS

Attempts – 28 at VT, at KU; Rushing Yards – 169 at VT; Long Rush – 63 vs. OU; Touchdowns – 3 vs. FAU, at KU; Receptions – 4 vs. ASU, at VT; Receiving Yards – 44 vs. ASU.

CAREER STATISTICS

Year	G/GS	Att.	Yards	TD
2007	7/0	45	209	0
2008	13/2	125	803	7
2009	12/12	207	1,111	10
Totals	32/14	377	2,123	17

2009 GAME BY GAME

Florida Atlantic: Led the Husker offense with 152 rushing yards on 16 carries... set career best with three TDs... fifth career 100-yard rushing game... helped NU average 8.1 yards per rush. **Arkansas State:** Game captain... paced Nebraska on the ground with 60 yards... added versatility to the offense with four receptions out

of backfield for 44 yards. **Virginia Tech:** Continued his strong play on the road against ranked teams, piling up a career-best 169 rushing yards... nearly matched carry total from first two games (30) with 28 totes vs. Hokies... had four runs of at least 20 yards... averaged 6.0 yards per carry against strong Hokie defense... led the team with four catches for 33 yards while compiling 202 all-purpose yards. **Louisiana-Lafayette:** Led team with 83 rushing yards on 15 carries... added two rushing TDs... turned backward pass into 39-yard run to set up another score... added two catches. **Missouri:** Posted 88 yards on ground during Husker comeback win... scored on 5-yard run which he set up with 41-yard scamper one play before. **Texas Tech:** Gained 68 yards on 16 carries with a long of 11 yards... added one reception for 27 yards on 3rd down to keep NU's first scoring drive alive. **Iowa State:** Had five carries for 24 yards... added three catches for 13 yards. **Baylor:** Game captain... had seven carries for 24 yards... added one catch for three yards. **Oklahoma:** Got back on track with another impressive performance against a ranked team... had 20 carries for 138 rushing yards, including career-long 63-yard run... averaged 6.9 yards per rush... added team-best three catches for 15 yards, giving him 158 of the team's 180 total yards. **Kansas:** Posted second straight 100-yard rushing effort with 156 yards on season-high-tying 28 carries... helped NU to second-highest rushing total (214) of the season... had two rushing TD and recovered a fumble in the end zone for a third score... rushed for 85 yards in on NU's last two drives of fourth quarter to seal the victory with a pair of scores. **Kansas State:** Just missed out on third straight 100-yard rushing game... finished with 95 yards on 26 carries... added final points of game with a 14-yard touchdown run in the third quarter, his 10th TD of season... improved season totals to 1,057 yards on the ground, the 29th 1,000-yard rushing season in NU history... also became 25th Husker with 2,000 career rushing yards as he finished game with 2,069. **Colorado:** Had 14 carries for 54 yards, including long of nine.



CURENSKI GILLEYLEN

Wide Receiver
Sophomore | 6-0 | 215
Leander, Texas

11

SEASON HIGHS

Receptions – 4 vs. FAU; Receiving Yards – 92 vs. FAU; Touchdowns – 1 vs. FAU; Long – 51 vs. FAU.

CAREER STATISTICS

Year	G/GS	No.	Yards	TD
2007	-- Redshirt --			
2008	11/0	2	11	0
2009	8/2	16	299	1
Totals	19/2	18	310	1

2009 GAME BY GAME

Florida Atlantic: Paced the receiving corps with four catches for 92 yards and his first career TD... four catches were two more than last season's total... also provided key downfield block on Menelik Holt's 28-yard TD catch and run. **Arkansas State:** Game captain... caught just one pass, a 43-yarder to the ASU 3 to set up NU's first TD of game... has at least one catch of 40-or-more yards in two consecutive games. **Virginia Tech:** Had only one reception but made it count, going 35 yards on the play... catch marked third straight game with a catch of at least 35 yards. **Louisiana-Lafayette:** Continued showing big-play ability, recording two catches for team-high 85 yards... first reception was 42 yards and set up Nebraska's second FG... added 43-yard catch on NU's first scoring drive of second half. **Missouri:** Had three catches for just 14 yards, snapping streak of four straight games with catch of at least 35 yards. **Texas Tech:** Caught two passes for 12 yards. **Iowa State:**

Had three receptions for 18 yards. **Baylor:** Did not play. **Oklahoma:** Did not play. **Kansas:** Did not play. **Kansas State:** Played but did not have a catch. **Colorado:** Played but did not have a catch.



ALFONZO DENNARD

Cornerback
Sophomore | 5-10 | 190
Rochelle, Ga.

15

SEASON HIGHS

Tackles – 6 vs. OU; Sacks – None; Tackles for Loss – 1 at MU, vs. TTU, vs. ISU, vs. OU; QB Hurries – None; PBUs – 2 vs. ISU; Interceptions – None.

CAREER STATISTICS

Year	G/GS	TT	PBU	INT
2008	12/0	5	0	0-0
2009	11/7	30	7	0-0
Totals	23/7	35	7	0-0

2009 GAME BY GAME

Florida Atlantic: Had strong hand in season opener, finishing with three tackles... nearly matched season total from 2008 when he had five tackles in 12 games. **Arkansas State:** Played on special teams and defense but did not record a tackle. **Virginia Tech:** Had one assisted tackle. **Louisiana-Lafayette:** Played on special teams and defense but did not record a tackle. **Missouri:** Made first career start at cornerback as Huskers opened in dime package... recorded four tackles, including three solo stops... added first career tackle for loss of four yards... also had first career pass breakup as NU held Tigers to 134 yards passing. **Texas Tech:** Started second straight game... added two tackles, including solo tackle for loss of one yard... added team's only pass breakup of the game. **Iowa State:** Had five tackles, including three solo stops... added second career TFL for one yard... had career-best two pass breakups, matching career total entering the game. **Baylor:** Had one tackle and one pass breakup before leaving with injury in first half. **Oklahoma:** Posted career-best six tackles, including four solos, to rank fifth on team... added fourth TFL of the season... also had a pass breakup before leaving with injury. **Kansas:** Had five solo stops to rank third on the team and just one off career best a week before... added a pass breakup, one of five on the day for NU. **Kansas State:** Injured -- did not play. **Colorado:** Returned from injury to start seventh game of season... had three tackles including two solo stops.



CODY GREEN

Quarterback
Freshman | 6-4 | 220
Dayton, Texas

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SEASON HIGHS

Pass Attempts – 21 at BU; Completions – 12 at BU; Passing Yards – 128 at BU; Long Pass – 45 at BU; Passing TDs – 1 vs. ULL, vs. TTU; Rushes – 8 at BU; Rushing Yards – 50 vs. FAU.

CAREER STATISTICS

Year	G/GS	Comp.-Att.-Int.	Yards	TD
2009	7/2	33-59-2	308	2
Totals	7/2	33-59-2	308	2

Year	G/GS	Att.	Rush Yds.	TD
2009	7/2	24	135	2
Totals	7/2	24	135	2

2009 GAME BY GAME

Florida Atlantic: Played first career game as true freshman, seeing action on the first two drives of the fourth quarter... completed 2-of-3 pass attempts, but made an impression with his speed, racing 49 yards

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down the sideline for NU's longest run of day. **Arkansas State:** Completed 3-of-6 passes in backup role. **Virginia Tech:** Did not play. **Louisiana-Lafayette:** Directed the offense efficiently, hitting 7-of-8 pass attempts for 62 yards... tossed first career TD with 24-yard shovel pass to Rex Burkhead... added 24-yard rushing TD to cap Nebraska's 55-0 victory. **Missouri:** Did not play. **Texas Tech:** Came off the bench in second half... led NU on its only TD drive of the game, a 6-yard scoring pass to fellow freshman Khiry Cooper... completed 7-of-16 pass attempts... strong throw led to season-long pass play of 30 yards to Menelik Holt. **Iowa State:** Did not play. **Baylor:** Made first career start, becoming only second true freshman in NU history to start at QB (also Tommie Frazier, 1992)... went 12-of-21 for 128 yards with one interception... had career-long 45-yard pass to Niles Paul to set up NU's second TD... added eight rushes for 43 yards. **Oklahoma:** Started game and played into second quarter before being replaced... connected on 2-of-5 pass attempts for four yards... added six carries for eight yards. **Kansas:** Did not play. **Kansas State:** Did not play. **Colorado:** Came in for injured starter Zac Lee in third quarter for one series... had two rushes for four yards... did not attempt a pass.



MENELIK HOLT

Wide Receiver
Senior | 6-4 | 220
San Diego, Calif.

18

SEASON HIGHS

Receptions – 3 vs. FAU; Receiving Yards – 45 vs. FAU; Touchdowns – 1 vs. FAU; Long – 30 vs. TTU.

CAREER STATISTICS

Year	G/GS	No.	Yards	TD
2006	8/0	0	0	0
2007	12/0	4	97	0
2008	12/4	30	355	1
2009	12/5	15	175	1
Totals	44/9	49	627	2

2009 GAME BY GAME

Florida Atlantic: Scored first points of season with second career TD on 28 yard catch-and-run... added three receptions for 45 yards. **Arkansas State:** Second on team with five receptions for 40 yards... one of 14 Huskers with a catch on the day. **Virginia Tech:** One of seven receivers with a catch, posting one reception for 13 yards. **Louisiana-Lafayette:** Did not record a catch. **Missouri:** Caught two balls for 26 yards, including long of 18. **Texas Tech:** Made two receptions, including a season-long 30-yarder from Cody Green... finished with 34 receiving yards. **Iowa State:** Recorded two catches for 17 yards. **Baylor:** Played on special teams but did not have a reception. **Oklahoma:** Played on special teams but did not have a catch. **Kansas:** Played but did not record a catch. **Kansas State:** Played but did not have a reception. **Colorado:** Played but did not record a catch.



PRINCE AMUKAMARA

Cornerback
Junior | 6-1 | 200
Glendale, Ariz.

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SEASON HIGHS

Tackles – 9 at MU; Sacks – 1.0 vs. ASU, at KU; Tackles for Loss – 1 vs. ASU, at VT, at KU; QB Hurries – None; PBUs – 3 at BU; Interceptions – 1 vs. FAU, at BU, vs. OU, at CU.

CAREER STATISTICS

Year	G/GS	TT	INT	PBU
2007	8/0	4	0	0
2008	13/3	34	0	3
2009	12/12	54	4	10
Totals	33/15	92	4	13

2009 GAME BY GAME

Florida Atlantic: Recorded team's second INT of season, his first career pick... added six tackles, including three solo. **Arkansas State:** Had second straight strong game as starter with seven tackles... added second career sack... posted two PBUs, nearly matching his career total of three entering the game. **Virginia Tech:** Ranked fourth on team with six tackles, including team-high four solo stops... added one tackle for loss (-2 yards) marking second straight game with TFL... helped Huskers limit Hokie ground game to just 86 yards rushing. **Louisiana-Lafayette:** Recorded two tackles, including one solo stop... added a forced fumble. **Missouri:** Led team with nine tackles, including seven assists, in one of best games of career... added two pass breakups while helping NU hold Tigers to 134 yards passing and 225 total yards. **Texas Tech:** Recorded four tackles on the day, including two solo stops. **Iowa State:** Had three tackles on the day, including two solo stops... already set personal season best with 37 tackles to date. **Baylor:** Had best statistical game of career with four solo tackles while adding an interception and three pass breakups... three PBUs nearly matched season total entering the game (4) and were as many as he had all last year. **Oklahoma:** Had just two solo tackles, but made one of biggest plays of the game with NU's first interception of the night... returned the pick 22 yards to the OU 1, setting up the only TD of the game one play later... the INT was his third of the season... also added team-best two pass breakups as NU had 12 PBUs in the game. **Kansas:** Had four solo stops... added second career sack with first-quarter stop for nine yards lost... also had a pass breakup for third straight game and fifth game overall this season. **Kansas State:** Had three tackles... added four-yard fumble return on recovery of Larry Asante's forced fumble at 1-yd. line as KSU was going in to score. **Colorado:** Posted four solo tackles... added fourth interception of the season... returned INT 40 yards to thwart CU fourth-quarter drive... one of three INT on the day for Blackshirts.



REX BURKHEAD

I-Back
Freshman | 5-11 | 200
Plano, Texas

22

SEASON HIGHS

Attempts – 18 at CU; Rushing Yards – 100 at CU; Long Rush – 16 vs. ASU; Touchdowns – 1 vs. FAU, at CU; Receptions – 4 vs. ULL; Receiving Yards – 26 vs. ULL.

CAREER STATISTICS

Year	G/GS	Att.	Yards	TD
2009	7/0	47	235	2
Totals	7/0	47	235	2

2009 GAME BY GAME

Florida Atlantic: Recorded nine carries for 39 yards and a TD in first career game... provided strong combination with Roy Helu Jr., helping NU to 259 rushing yards... also added first career reception. **Arkansas State:** Posted three rushes for 18 yards and a catch for 11 yards. **Virginia Tech:** Did not have a carry, but posted one reception for season-high 16 yards. **Louisiana-Lafayette:** Carried the ball six times for 27 yards, with a long rush of 12 yards... added team-high four receptions for 26 yards... scored first receiving TD of career, turning a shovel pass into a 24-yard scoring romp... impressive on special teams with two punt returns for 59 yards, with long of 33 yards. **Missouri:** Came off the bench to help spark NU offense... added five rushes for 34 yards and one catch for four yards. **Texas Tech:** Injured - did not play. **Iowa State:** Injured - did not play. **Baylor:** Injured - did not play. **Oklahoma:** Injured - did not play. **Kansas:** Injured - did not play. **Kansas State:** Returned from five-game absence with injury... had six carries for 17 yards... added a reception for nine yards. **Colorado:** Had breakout day, carrying ball 18 times for 100 yards and a touchdown... first career 100-yard rushing game... carries and yards were career highs after entering game with 29 carries for 135 yards in first six games... fourth-quarter TD was second of career and came after pounding ball for 55 yards on that drive.



NILES PAUL

Wide Receiver
Junior | 6-1 | 215
Omaha, Neb.

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SEASON HIGHS

Receptions – 6 vs. ASU, at MU, vs. ISU; Receiving Yards – 154 at KU; Touchdowns – 2 at MU; Long – 72 vs. ISU; PR Yards – 86 at VT (6 ret.); KOR Yards – 72 at KU (2 ret.); All-Purpose Yards – 244 at KU.

CAREER STATISTICS

Year	G/GS	No.	Yards	TD
2007	7/0	1	6	0
2008	13/4	23	214	0
2009	12/12	35	669	3
Totals	32/16	59	889	3

2009 GAME BY GAME

Florida Atlantic: Two catches for 13 yards... added two KOR for total of 49 yards. **Arkansas State:** Had breakout game with team- and career-high six catches for 69 yards... added first career TD catch with 2-yard reception to cap scoring... added second career rush with 30-yard TD romp... added three PR and two KOR for 169 all-purpose yards. **Virginia Tech:** Collected just one reception for 19 yards but made impact in return game... had 176 all-purpose yards including career-best 55-yard punt return. **Louisiana-Lafayette:** Recorded one catch for nine yards... added two punt returns (9 yards) and a KO return for 21 yards. **Missouri:** Posted six catches for 102 yards and two touchdowns... posted two

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catches for 69 yards in fourth quarter, both for scores. **Texas Tech:** Posted one catch for four yards... added five punt returns for 64 yards, including a long of 18 yards. **Iowa State:** Had third game this year with career-best six catches... added 143 receiving yards (ninth-best total in school history) including career-long 72 yarder... 208 all-purpose yards, with 54 yards on two kickoff returns. **Baylor:** Had two catches for team-best 54 yards... 45-yard reception set up NU's only offensive TD of game... also had a punt return (17 yards) and kickoff return (14 yards) for team-best 85 all-purpose yards. **Oklahoma:** Had two punt returns for 19 yards... did not have a reception. **Kansas:** Posted career receiving day with 154 yards – the sixth-best receiving day in school history – on four catches... all four catches went for at least 35 yards, including a long of 45 yards... along with impressive receiving day, he added 82 yards in returns for 244 all-purpose yards. **Kansas State:** Led team with four catches for 82 yards... second straight game with at least four catches, and fifth on the season... had long of 47 yards to set up NU's final touchdown. **Colorado:** Recorded two catches for 20 yards... made presence felt on special teams with 71 punt return yards (4 returns) and one kickoff return for 21 yards... posted first career punt return for a TD with 59-yard return to score game's first points in first quarter... finished with 112 all-purpose yards to lead Nebraska.



DONTRAYEVOUS ROBINSON

I-Back

Freshman | 6-1 | 215

Eules, Texas

27

SEASON HIGHS

Attempts – 15 vs. ISU; Rushing Yards – 77 vs. ISU; Long Rush – 23 at BU; Touchdowns – 1 vs. ISU, at BU; Receptions – 3 at BU; Receiving Yards – 22 at BU.

CAREER STATISTICS

Year	G/GS	Att.	Yards	TD
2009	6/0	38	159	2
Totals	6/0	38	159	2

2009 GAME BY GAME

Florida Atlantic: Did not play. **Arkansas State:** Did not play. **Virginia Tech:** Did not play. **Louisiana-Lafayette:** Did not play. **Missouri:** Did not play. **Texas Tech:** made first career appearance, playing only on kickoff return team. **Iowa State:** Made first career appearance in backfield, carrying 15 times for career-best 77 yards... added long of 21 yards... scored first career TD on 3-yard run for NU's only score... became third true freshman (also Rex Burkhead and Cody Green) to score a touchdown for Huskers this year, the most in NU history. **Baylor:** Carried 13 times for 61 yards... added 1-yard TD run... had first career catches with three for 22 yards, including 19-yarder. **Oklahoma:** Posted six carries for 11 yards. **Kansas:** Had four rushes for 10 yards. **Kansas State:** Played but did not have a carry. **Colorado:** Did not play.



ERIC HAGG

Safety

Junior | 6-2 | 205

Peoria, Ariz.

28

SEASON HIGHS

Tackles – 6 vs. ULL, at BU; Sacks – 1.0 vs. ASU, vs. KSU; Tackles for Loss – 1 vs. ASU, at VT, at MU, at BU, vs. OU, vs. KSU; QB Hurries – 1 vs. FAU, vs. ISU, vs. OU; PBUs – 2 at KSU; Interceptions – None.

CAREER STATISTICS

Year	G/GS	TT	INT	PBU
2007	7/0	2	0	0
2008	13/10	39	0	7
2009	12/8	37	0	4
Totals	32/18	78	0	11

2009 GAME BY GAME

Florida Atlantic: One solo tackle in opener... added one of team's three QBH. **Arkansas State:** Posted two solo tackles... added second career sack, dropping ASU QB for eight-yard loss. **Virginia Tech:** Recorded two stops including one solo... added a TFL for second straight game with one-yard loss. **Louisiana-Lafayette:** Led team with six tackles, one more than total of first three games combined... made first start of season in nickel package... added a forced fumble that led to NU's third TD of game. **Missouri:** Recorded two tackles including one solo stop... added a tackle for loss of two yards. **Texas Tech:** Helped Nebraska hold Texas Tech to just 259 total yards, including only 25 yards on the ground... finished with five tackles, including four solo stops. **Iowa State:** Had one tackle and one pass breakup. **Baylor:** Collected six tackles - all solo - to tie for second on team... added second TFL of season with three-yard stop behind line... also picked up first PBU of season. **Oklahoma:** Recorded two solo tackles... added a TFL (on a fourth down try) for second straight game and fifth time on the season... also had a pass breakup for second straight contest while adding a QB hurry. **Kansas:** Posted four solos stops while making seventh start of the season. **Kansas State:** Finished with four tackles (3 solos) including second sack of season... sack went for 14 yards lost... added two pass breakups to match season total entering the game. **Colorado:** Posted two tackles including one solo... had key downfield block to spring Niles Paul for 59-yard punt return TD.



MATT O'HANLON

Safety

Senior | 5-11 | 200

Bellevue, Neb.

33

SEASON HIGHS

Tackles – 13 vs. OU; Sacks – 1 at VT; Tackles for Loss – 1 at VT; QB Hurries – None; PBUs – 1 vs. ISU, at BU, vs. OU, at CU; Interceptions – 3 vs. OU (School Record).

CAREER STATISTICS

Year	G/GS	TT	INT	PBU
2005	-- Redshirt --			
2006	14/0	8	0	0
2007	10/0	3	0	0
2008	13/9	33	1	5
2009	12/12	59	5	4
Totals	49/21	103	6	9

2009 GAME BY GAME

Florida Atlantic: Game captain... earned second career INT with Huskers' first pick of the season... returned INT 18 yards... added five tackles and forced fumble. **Arkansas State:** Posted five tackles. **Virginia Tech:**

Continued streak with third straight game with five tackles... added first TFL with eight-yard sack on last Hokie drive of game. **Louisiana-Lafayette:** Posted four tackles... added a fumble recovery that led to NU's third TD of the game. **Missouri:** Posted five tackles for the fourth time this season, including three solo stops. **Texas Tech:** Recorded four tackles, including two solo stops... helped NU hold the Red Raiders more than 200 total offense yards under their season average. **Iowa State:** Had four tackles, including two solo stops... added first pass breakup of the season. **Baylor:** Had four tackles... added second pass breakup of season as NU had 10 PBU in game. **Oklahoma:** Game captain... set career high with 12 tackles including nine solos... his tackle total tied team season high set a week earlier by Jared Crick... added three interceptions on the night, all in the second half... tied school record with the three picks, including last one that sealed the victory with 41 seconds left... three INTs were one more than his career total entering the game. **Kansas:** Had two solo stops but came up big with a fumble recovery (forced by Dejon Gomes) deep in Nebraska territory to stop a KU drive. **Kansas State:** Posted five tackles, with two solo stops. **Colorado:** Recorded team-best fifth interception of season... returned the pickoff 20 yards for NU's third TD of the day... was first career INT return for a score... five INTs this season is most by a Husker since 2004 (Daniel Bullocks, also five INT)... added four tackles, including two solo stops, along with a pass breakup.



SEAN FISHER

Linebacker

R-Freshman | 6-6 | 230

Omaha, Neb.

42

SEASON HIGHS

Tackles – 9 vs. ISU; Sacks – 1 at BU; Tackles for Loss – 1 at VT, 1 at BU; QB Hurries – 2 vs. ULL; PBUs – None; Interceptions – None.

CAREER STATISTICS

Year	G/GS	TT	Sacks	TFL
2008*	1/0	0	0.0-0	0-0
2009	11/6	33	1.0-3	2-5
Totals	12/6	33	1.0-3	2-5

*received medical redshirt

2009 GAME BY GAME

Florida Atlantic: One of six Huskers with at least six tackles... provided strong pressure on outside, helping NU hold the Owls to just 122 rushing yards. **Arkansas State:** Recorded two assisted tackles. **Virginia Tech:** Nearly matched tackle total from first two games (8) with six stops including two solo... collected first career TFL for two yards as Blackshirts held Hokies to 86 yards on the ground... added first career QB hurry. **Louisiana-Lafayette:** Tied for team high with six tackles, including five assists... became a force in the backfield, logging two QB hurries, one of which forced Larry Asante's INT... added a 21-yard fumble return late in the third quarter. **Missouri:** Played limited snaps and did not record a tackle. **Texas Tech:** Played but did not have a tackle. **Iowa State:** Had career-best nine stops, including seven assists... ranked second on team in tackles. **Baylor:** Had three tackles on the day including first career sack for three yards... TFL marked second of career and one of 13 team TFL on the day. **Oklahoma:** Played but did not record a tackle. **Kansas:** Played but did not record a tackle. **Kansas State:** Recorded one tackle. **Colorado:** Posted one assisted tackle in sixth career start.

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MIKE MCNEILL
Tight End
Junior | 6-4 | 240
Kirkwood, Mo.

44

SEASON HIGHS

Receptions – 4 vs. FAU, ASU, at KU; Receiving Yards – 57 vs. ASU; Touchdowns – 2 vs. ASU; Long – 32 vs. ASU.

CAREER STATISTICS

Year	G/GS	No.	Yards	TD
2007	8/0	1	25	0
2008	13/12	32	442	6
2009	12/12	25	235	4
Totals	33/24	58	702	10

2009 GAME BY GAME

Florida Atlantic: Started 13th career game, tying for team lead with four catches... posted 51 yards, including long of 29 yards. **Arkansas State:** Posted second straight four-catch performance for 57 yards... caught first two TDs of season on 13- and 32-yard tosses from Zac Lee... first multi-TD game of career. **Virginia Tech:** Recorded just one catch for four yards. **Louisiana-Lafayette:** Posted two receptions on the night, each for 13 yards. **Missouri:** Only catch of the game was an eight-yard TD reception that gave Nebraska a 20-12 lead with nearly 11 minutes to play in game. **Texas Tech:** Posted two catches for 14 yards, including long of 10 yards. **Iowa State:** Had two catches for 22 yards, including a 17-yarder. **Baylor:** Did not have a catch, snapping streak of 17 straight games with a reception. **Oklahoma:** Recorded one catch for two yards. **Kansas:** Game captain... posted four catches, tying season and career high and his most in Big 12 game... caught three straight passes from Zac Lee on NU's first scoring drive of third quarter. **Kansas State:** Had three catches for 26 yards... added fourth TD of season and 10th of career with 17-yard scoring catch in second quarter... turned out to be deciding points in game that determined Big 12 North champion. **Colorado:** Posted one catch for three yards.



DREU YOUNG
Tight End
Junior | 6-4 | 250
Cozad, Neb.

49

SEASON HIGHS

Receptions – 1 vs. ASU, vs. ULL, vs. KSU, at CU; Receiving Yards – 34 vs. ULL; Touchdowns – None; Long – 34 vs. ULL.

CAREER STATISTICS

Year	G/GS	No.	Yards	TD
2007	8/0	1	14	0
2008	13/4	9	140	1
2009	11/8	5	78	0
Totals	32/12	15	232	1

2009 GAME BY GAME

Florida Atlantic: Did not play following back injury that forced him to miss much of fall camp. **Arkansas State:** Made first appearance of season... had one catch for 27 yards down to the ASU 2 to set up third-quarter TD. **Virginia Tech:** Started game in two-tight end formation, but did not record a catch. **Louisiana-Lafayette:** Caught one pass for 34 yards to set up NU's first points of game. **Missouri:** Did not record a reception. **Texas Tech:** Started third game of season in two tight end formation, but did not record a catch. **Iowa State:** Started game but did not record a catch. **Baylor:** Did not record a catch. **Oklahoma:** Started career-high fifth game of season but did not record a catch. **Kansas:** Started sixth game of season... added third catch of season for two

yards. **Kansas State:** Had third catch of the season with an 8-yard reception. **Colorado:** Had one catch for seven yards... third straight game with a reception.



WILL COMPTON
Linebacker
R-Freshman | 6-2 | 225
Bonne Terre, Mo.

51

SEASON HIGHS

Tackles – 7 at VT; Sacks – 0.5 vs. TTU; Tackles for Loss – 1 vs. TTU; QB Hurries – 1 at VT, vs. ULL; PBUs – 1 vs. FAU, vs. KSU; Interceptions – None.

CAREER STATISTICS

Year	G/GS	TT	Sacks	TFL
2008	-- Redshirt --			
2009	11/8	38	0.5-2	1-2
Totals	11/8	38	0.5-2	1-2

2009 GAME BY GAME

Florida Atlantic: Started at Mike linebacker in first career game played... seventh on team with five tackles... added one PBU. **Arkansas State:** Recorded three tackles including two assists. **Virginia Tech:** Nearly matched first two game total (8) by posting seven tackles vs. Hokies... assisted on six stops while helping hold Hokies to 86 yards rushing... added first career QB hurry. **Louisiana-Lafayette:** Continued strong play with five tackles, including three solo stops... added a QB hurry as the Huskers pressured ULL all night. **Missouri:** Played well in return to homestate... recorded six tackles to tie for third on team, including two solos. **Texas Tech:** Recorded just one tackle but it was one of NU's 13 team TFL as he had a half sack for two yards... was part of 5.0 Husker sacks on the day. **Iowa State:** Had four tackles on the day, including three assists. **Baylor:** Played but did not have a tackle. **Oklahoma:** Did not record a tackle. **Kansas:** Played but did not record a tackle. **Kansas State:** Had two tackles on the night... also added second career pass breakup. **Colorado:** Tied for third on team with five tackles, including four solo stops.



PHILLIP DILLARD
Linebacker
Senior | 6-1 | 240
Tulsa, Okla.

52

SEASON HIGHS

Tackles – 12 vs. TTU, vs. ISU; Sacks – 1 - at VT, vs. OU, vs. KSU; Tackles for Loss – 4 vs. TTU; QB Hurries – 2 at KU; PBUs – 1 at MU, vs. KSU; Interceptions – 1 vs. OU.

CAREER STATISTICS

Year	G/GS	TT	Sacks	TFL
2005	11/1	11	0.0-0	1-2
2006*	1/0	4	0.0-0	0-0
2007	12/2	37	0.0-0	1-1
2008	9/5	38	0.5-6	2-9
2009	10/7	70	3.0-27	9-33
Totals	43/15	160	3.5-33	13-51

*received medical redshirt

2009 GAME BY GAME

Florida Atlantic: Did not play. **Arkansas State:** Did not play. **Virginia Tech:** Started game at after moving to WILL linebacker during week of practice... recorded five stops, including four assists... added a tackle for loss. **Louisiana-Lafayette:** Made three solo tackles... added first solo sack of career with a five-yard loss. **Missouri:** Came off bench to record three tackles... also added first pass breakup of season. **Texas Tech:** Had best game of his career with personal-best 12 tackles, including eight solo stops as NU held TTU to 259 total yards...

his 12 tackles were one more season total entering game... added four TFL to match his career total before this season... was part of 13 team TFL on the day. **Iowa State:** Game captain... recorded 12 tackles for second straight game to lead team... five stops were solos. **Baylor:** Made five tackles including four assists... despite not playing first two games of season, already set personal career high with 40 tackles on year. **Oklahoma:** Continued strong play with eight tackles, including five solo stops, while posting two TFLs for 18 yards... added second sack of the season with 13-yard stop... also posted an interception and 9-yard return. **Kansas:** Game captain... had six tackles (four assists) to tie for second on team... added first two quarterback hurries of the season. **Kansas State:** Aggressive play led to eight tackles, including six solo stops... added a sack for 9 yards lost... also forced a fumble, and had a pass breakup and quarterback hurry. **Colorado:** Led team with eight tackles, including four solo stops... added a quarterback hurry that resulted in a second-quarter INT by Dejon Gomes... at least eight tackles in five of last seven games.



MIKE SMITH
Offensive Tackle
Junior | 6-6 | 295
Las Vegas, Nev.

65

CAREER

Games Played: 37 (12 in 2007; 13 in 2008; 12 in 2009)
Games Started: 24 (12 in 2008; 12 in 2009)

2009 GAME BY GAME

Florida Atlantic: Started at left tackle... helped team to 259 rushing yards and 490 yards total offense... pushed Nebraska to 4-of-4 effort in red zone. **Arkansas State:** Protected NU QBs as offense racked up 358 yards through the air. **Virginia Tech:** Paved way for Huskers to record 207 yards rushing and 136 through the air... helped line post second game this season without allowing a QB sack. **Louisiana-Lafayette:** Paved way for rushing attack that had 133 yards and three TDs... O-line protected QBs as they put up 300 yards through the air. **Missouri:** Helped offense post four scores in the fourth quarter for come-from-behind win. **Texas Tech:** Started sixth straight game of season. **Iowa State:** Made seventh start of season as NU posted 362 total offense yards. **Baylor:** Continued string of starts with eighth of year... joined O-line as Huskers did not allow a sack for third time on the season. **Oklahoma:** Helped Nebraska I-back Roy Helu Jr. to 138 rushing yards, including a 63-yard run. **Kansas:** Paved way for Nebraska ground game that had second-best rushing total (214 yards) of season. **Kansas State:** Helped Huskers clinch Big 12 North title with three scoring drives. **Colorado:** Helped Husker ground game gain 144 yards including eating up the clock in fourth quarter with 13-play, 80-yard scoring drive over 6:52.

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JACOB HICKMAN
Center
Senior | 6-4 | 290
Bakersfield, Calif.

67

CAREER

Games Played: 42 (5 in 2006; 12 in 2007; 13 in 2008; 12 in 2009)

Games Started: 33 (9 in 2007; 13 in 2008; 12 in 2009)

2009 GAME BY GAME

Florida Atlantic: Game captain... helped Huskers amass 490 total yards, including 259 on the ground... aided team as it averaged 8.1 yards per rush. **Arkansas State:** Helped Huskers pound out 136 yards on the ground and 358 through the air. **Virginia Tech:** Called line assignments as Huskers rolled to 207 yards on the ground... NU added 136 yards passing and the O-line did not allow a sack for the second time this year. **Louisiana-Lafayette:** Helped Huskers to 55-0 romp, posting 300 yards passing and 133 on the ground... pass protection helped QBs hit 22-of-26 attempts. **Missouri:** Guided offensive line that led NU on four TD drives in fourth quarter. **Texas Tech:** Continued to lead offensive line sixth start of season. **Iowa State:** Started game but left early in first half with injury and did not return. **Baylor:** Made 30th career start as O-line did not allow a sack for third time on the season. **Oklahoma:** Led offensive unit that had 141 rushing yards, including 6.9-yards per rush by Roy Helu Jr. (138 yards, 20 carries). **Kansas:** Helped NU to 410 yards total offense, including 214 on the ground, the second-highest total of season. **Kansas State:** Helped I-back Roy Helu Jr. to 95 yards and pushed him over 1,000-yard mark for season and 2,000-yard mark for career. **Colorado:** Paced ground attack that helped true freshman Rex Burkhead to first career 100-yard game... Burkhead had 55 yards on the ground during fourth-quarter scoring drive.



KEITH WILLIAMS
Offensive Line
Junior | 6-5 | 315
Florissant, Mo.

68

CAREER

Games Played: 33 (10 in 2007; 13 in 2008; 11 in 2009)

Games Started: 17 (9 in 2008; 9 in 2009)

2009 GAME BY GAME

Florida Atlantic: Did not play because of injury suffered in practice. **Arkansas State:** Came into the game in second half for first appearance of the season. **Virginia Tech:** Came off the bench for the second straight game but saw more significant action... helped NU to more than 200 yards rushing and nearly 350 yards total offense. **Louisiana-Lafayette:** Made first start of season and 10th of career... helped line protect QBs as they passed for 300 yards and two TDs. **Missouri:** Started second straight game, helping NU to fourth-quarter comeback victory, including three scores in less than four minutes. **Texas Tech:** Made third straight start of season. **Iowa State:** Started fourth game and helped Huskers to 362 total offense yards, including 248 through the air. **Baylor:** Helped Nebraska hold BU without a sack, one of three opponents this season that did not reach Husker QBs. **Oklahoma:** Helped I-back Roy Helu Jr. post 153 all purpose yards, including a career-best 63-yard run. **Kansas:** Led way for NU to gain 214 yards on ground, including second straight 100-yard game by I-back Roy Helu Jr. **Kansas State:** Helped Huskers to 267 yards total offense, including 95 yards on ground by Roy Helu Jr. **Colorado:** Pushed Cornhuskers to 144 yards on ground, including key fourth-quarter scoring drive that included 65 yards on ground.



ALEX HENERY
Place-Kicker
Junior | 6-2 | 175
Omaha, Neb.

90

SEASON HIGHS

Field Goals Made – 5 at VT; Long Field Goal – 46 vs. ULL; PATs Made – 7 vs. FAU, vs. ULL; Consecutive FG Made – 5 at VT; Punts – 11 vs. OU; Punting Avg. – 50.7 at CU; Long Punt – 76 at VT.

CAREER STATISTICS

Year	G/GS	PAT	FG	Long
2007	12/12	45-45	8-8	39
2008	13/13	56-57	18-21	57
2009	12/12	35-35	16-19	46
Totals	37/37	137-138	42-49	57

2009 GAME BY GAME

Florida Atlantic: Game captain... perfect 7-of-7 on PATs... did not attempt a FG... made first career punts, with two kicks for 37.0 ypk... long punt of 43 yards. **Arkansas State:** Connected on five straight PATs... hit first FGA of season from 26 yards with 9 seconds left in half... had distance but missed 54 yarder to the right in 4th quarter. **Virginia Tech:** Nearly downed the Hokies by himself, scoring all 15 of NU's points on five field goals... the five FG were second-most in NU history, and marked fourth time he had at least four FG in a single game... also booted six punts for 41.5 average... first-quarter punt of 76 yards (while side-stepping VT pressure) tied for fourth-longest in program history. **Louisiana-Lafayette:** Remained perfect on the year in PATs, connecting on all seven attempts... booted two more field goals, including season-long of 46 yards... had three punts for 137 yards (45.7 ypp), with two downed inside 5. **Missouri:** Connected on all three PAT tries... did not record a field-goal attempt. **Texas Tech:** Connected on his only PAT and was 1-of-2 in field goal attempts... only miss was a 51-yarder. **Iowa State:** Connected on only PAT of game... added four punts for 40.2 average, including long of 49... three punts were downed inside opponent 20. **Baylor:** Connected on both PAT attempts and hit two field goals... FGs came from 22 and 45 yards, increasing his streak to 24 straight made FG from inside 50 yards. **Oklahoma:** Game captain... aided Huskers in field-position battle, averaging 43.7 yards on 11 punts... had long of 66 yards and had two downed inside the OU 20... also connected on 28-yard field goal in the third quarter, but had streak of 25 straight made field goals under 50 yards snapped with miss of 43-yarder in the fourth. **Kansas:** Hit all three field-goal attempts (25, 34 and 38 yards) to lead NU to third straight road win this season... added two extra points for 11 points on day, moving to seventh on NU career scoring chart... was his fourth game of year with at least two field goals... also punted four times for 38.8-yard average, including one inside the 20. **Kansas State:** Hit only field-goal attempt from 34 yards and connected on both PAT attempts... played major role in special teams success as he averaged 45.5 yards per punt on six kicks... second-highest single-game average of his career... pinned KSU inside its 5 two times... also had a 61 yarder. **Colorado:** Won field position game for the Huskers by averaging career-best 50.7 yards on six punts... had punts of 58 and 62 yards... added four punts inside the 20, including one inside the 3... also was perfect on four PATs... missed only field goal attempt from 50 yards (had distance, just barely wide right).



NDAMUKONG SUH
Defensive Tackle
Senior | 6-4 | 300
Portland, Ore.

93

SEASON HIGHS

Tackles – 9 vs. KSU; Sacks – 1.5 vs. ASU, vs. KSU; Tackles for Loss – 3 vs. ASU; QB Hurries – 3 at MU, vs. ISU, vs. OU; PBUs – 4 at VT; Interceptions – 1 at MU.

CAREER STATISTICS

Year	G/GS	TT	Sacks	TFL
2005*	2/0	1	0.0-0	0-0
2006	14/0	19	3.5-37	8-45
2007	12/11	34	1.0-6	6-29
2008	13/13	76	7.5-67	19-85
2009	12/12	70	7.5-56	16-72
Totals	53/36	200	19.5-166	49-232

*Medical redshirt

2009 GAME BY GAME

Florida Atlantic: Game captain... second on team with seven tackles, including team-best four solo... added one of team's four TFL... added a pass breakup... helped team limit FAU to 3.5 yards per carry (122 rushing yards). **Arkansas State:** Racked up five tackles, including three TFLs for 18 yards lost... added first sacks of season, collecting a solo and splitting one with linemate Jared Crick... added a QB hurry. **Virginia Tech:** Dominated the front line in another nationally televised game... led the team with eight tackles including 0.5 sack and one TFL... added a QB hurry and four PBU... the four pass breakups were an NU single-game record for defensive linemen (tackles or ends). **Louisiana-Lafayette:** Tied for team lead with six tackles... posted a TFL and added another pass breakup to tie the NU season and career position records for a defensive tackle. **Missouri:** Dominated the line of scrimmage and harassed MU quarterback Blaine Gabbert all night... finished third on team with six tackles, including five solo stops, while leading team with three QB hurries... added a forced fumble on first-quarter QB sack of Gabbert... also collected fourth-quarter interception that led to NU's go-ahead touchdown... also had a breakup earlier in the contest... led Blackshirt defense that allowed just 225 total yards, including 91 rushing yards (23 on last play of game). **Texas Tech:** Posted four solo tackles as NU held Red Raiders to just 25 yards rushing... had a pair of TFL for 10 yards as NU had 13 team TFL... added career-high four quarterback hurries, part of eight hurries on the day. **Iowa State:** Third on team with eight tackles, including six solo stops... added sack for six yards, giving him double-figure TFLs for second straight season... added three QB hurries to bring two-game total to seven... added two blocked kicks (PAT and FGA)... now has five career blocked kicks... helped Blackshirts hold ISU to 239 total yards. **Baylor:** Had five tackles including three solo stops... moved to third on NU career TFL list with three stops behind the line of scrimmage... added 17th career sack to move into seventh on NU career list... also had two QB hurries to move season team-leading total to 14. **Oklahoma:** Game captain... had four tackles, tying season low... disruptive force in backfield with game-high three quarterback hurries... also caused a pass breakup that turned into an interception... added a blocked a field goal, extending his NU season and career records for blocks. **Kansas:** Had three tackles, including two solos... helped pressure KU quarterback by adding two of team's seven hurries. **Kansas State:** Quietly had season high with nine tackles, including four solo stops... added season-high tying 1.5 sacks for six yards lost... was fourth multiple-TFL game of season... also had two pass breakups to increase his own season (10) and career (15) record for lineman... added a QB hurry. **Colorado:** Third on team with five tackles, all solo... added two quarterback hurries, the

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seventh time in last eight games with multiple hurries... also had team's only TFL, a 17-yard sack in the third quarter... moved him within one TFL of second place on Nebraska career list.



JARED CRICK

Defensive Tackle
Sophomore | 6-6 | 285
Cozad, Neb.

94

SEASON HIGHS

Tackles – 13 at BU; Sacks – 5.0 at BU (school record); Tackles for Loss – 7 at BU (tied school record); QB Hurries – 3 vs. TTU, vs. ISU, vs. OU; PBUs – 1 at BU, vs. OU, at KU, at CU; Interceptions – None.

CAREER STATISTICS

Year	G/GS	TT	Sacks	TFL
2008	9/0	2	0.0-0	0-0
2009	12/12	67	9.0-53	14-59
Totals	21/12	69	9.0-53	14-59

2009 GAME BY GAME

Florida Atlantic: Three tackles were one more than 2008 season total... added first career TFL... also blocked FG in first quarter. **Arkansas State:** Posted career high for second straight game with five tackles... assisted on first career sack with Ndamukong Suh... sack marked second straight game with a TFL. **Virginia Tech:** Recorded third straight game with career-best tackle total and at TFL... seven tackles were second on team and nearly matched total from first two games (8)... added second straight game with a sack... also posted a QB hurry while helping NU hold Hokies to just 86 yards rushing. **Louisiana-Lafayette:** Had one tackle and one QB hurry. **Missouri:** Helped defensive line set tone for the game, allowing just 225 total yards... ranked second on team with seven tackles to tie career high... posted nine-yard sack and also recovered a fumble forced by linemate Ndamukong Suh. **Texas Tech:** Posted five tackles including two of NU's 13 team TFL... his two TFL (12 yards lost) included one sack for 10 yards as NU sacked TTU quarterback Steven Sheffield five times... also added career-best three QB hurries... helped NU hold Red Raiders to 25 yards rushing. **Iowa State:** Had career-best eight tackles (five solo) to tie for third on team... also tied career-best with three QB hurries. **Baylor:** Had incredible game for the record book before being named Walter Camp National Defensive Player of the Week, FWAA Bronko Nagurski National Defensive Player of the Week and Big 12 Defensive Player of the Week... posted 13 tackles including 10 solo stops... more than half of his tackles were TFL as he tied school mark with seven tackles for loss of 28 yards... set a new school record with 5.0 sacks for 24 yards lost, bettering old mark of 4.0 sacks set five previous times... his TFL and sack totals were more than his career marks (3.5 sacks, 6 TFL) entering the game... also added a fumble recovery and first career pass breakup. **Oklahoma:** Ranked second on team with eight tackles... added two stops behind the line of scrimmage including half a sack... also disrupted OU offense with three quarterback hurries... added a pass breakup for second straight game. **Kansas:** Posted three tackles including two solo stops... provided solid run support as NU held third straight team under 100 yards rushing... added one pass breakup. **Kansas State:** Posted five tackles, including four assists... added one quarterback hurry. **Colorado:** Continually clogged up middle of the field, finishing with two tackles, both solo... also added a pass breakup.



PIERRE ALLEN

Defensive End
Junior | 6-5 | 265
Denver, Colo.

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SEASON HIGHS

Tackles – 7 vs. TTU; Sacks – 2.0 vs. TTU; Tackles for Loss – 3 vs. TTU; QB Hurries – 2 at MU; PBUs – 2 vs. OU; Interceptions – None.

CAREER STATISTICS

Year	G/GS	TT	Sacks	TFL
2007	11/0	16	0.0-0	3-5
2008	13/11	52	5.0-27	10-37
2009	12/12	45	3.0-23	10-35
Totals	36/23	113	8.0-50	23-77

2009 GAME BY GAME

Florida Atlantic: One of four Huskers with TFL in season opener... added four tackles. **Arkansas State:** Had three assisted tackles... added first PBU of season and a QB hurry. **Virginia Tech:** Recorded season-high five tackles... added first sack of season with 13-yard loss in first half... added a QB hurry. **Louisiana-Lafayette:** Posted four tackles, including three assists... had third game this season with a TFL. **Missouri:** Helped pressure Tiger QB all night... finished with five tackles (three solos) and added a pair of QB hurries... collected fourth TFL of season for five yards. **Texas Tech:** Second on team with seven tackles... had three TFL (10 yards) including career-best 2.0 sacks... added one QB hurry. **Iowa State:** Recorded one tackle. **Baylor:** Had two tackles, both for loss... helped Huskers post 13 team TFL on the day while limiting BU to 54 rushing yards on 32 carries (1.7 ypc). **Oklahoma:** Recorded four tackles, including two solos... posted a career-best two pass breakups, part of 12 Husker PBUs on the night. **Kansas:** Posted four tackles on the day... added one TFL to bring season total to 10, matching personal best... also added a quarterback hurry before Prince Amukamara's first-quarter sack. **Kansas State:** Had two assisted tackles on the night... added one pass breakup. **Colorado:** Picked up four tackles, including two solo stops... added a quarterback hurry.



BARRY TURNER

Defensive End
Senior | 6-3 | 265
Antioch, Tenn.

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SEASON HIGHS

Tackles – 6 at VT; Sacks – 1.5 vs. TTU; Tackles for Loss – 3 at VT; QB Hurries – 4 vs. ASU; PBUs – 1 at MU, vs. ISU, vs. OU; Interceptions – None.

CAREER STATISTICS

Year	G/GS	TT	Sacks	TFL
2005	12/0	14	6.0-46	7-48
2006	14/0	18	1.5-11	4-12
2007	12/11	29	3.0-33	5-34
2008*	2/2	3	1.0-14	2-15
2009	12/12	42	3.0-26	11-32
Totals	52/25	105	14.5-130	29-141

*Medical redshirt

2009 GAME BY GAME

Florida Atlantic: Returned to field for first time since second game in 2008... posted two tackles. **Arkansas State:** Game captian... posted three tackles, including two solos... was disruptive force in the backfield all day with career-best four QB hurries... also posted a TFL and recovered a fumble. **Virginia Tech:** Topped total from first two games (5) with career-high six tackle performance including two solo stops... disruptive force by posting 0.5 sacks and three TFLs as NU allowed just 86 yards on the ground. **Louisiana-Lafayette:** Continued strong pressure on the opponent backfield with four tackles, including three solo stops... added a TFL for one yard and one of NU's six QB hurries. **Missouri:** Part of defensive line that played in MU backfield all night long... finished with three tackles... also added a pass breakup and a QB hurry. **Texas Tech:** Posted two TFL (20 yards) as part of his three tackles on the day... recorded 1.5 sacks for 20 yards to boost career total to 13.5 sacks, just outside NU career top 10... strong effort up front helped NU hold TTU to 25 yards rushing and 259 total yards. **Iowa State:** Finished with four tackles, including two solos... disruptive force as he added a forced fumble, a pass breakup and a QB hurry as NU held Cyclones to 239 yards of total offense. **Baylor:** Game captain... made four stops on the day with three solo tackles... added one TFL, one of seven Huskers with tackle behind line of scrimmage... also had one QB hurry as defensive line dominated game. **Oklahoma:** Had just two tackles, but added half a sack with Jared Crick... the TFL gave him personal season best with eight this year... also added one of NU's 12 pass breakups. **Kansas:** Posted five tackles to rank third on team and give him 100 in his career... had two TFL, his seventh game with at least one TFL and third straight game overall... also added one quarterback hurry. **Kansas State:** Posted three tackles, all assisted... joined Ndamukong Suh for a fourth-quarter sack, giving him 14.5 in his career, just outside NU top 10... added two quarterback hurries. **Colorado:** Posted three solo stops on the day.

2009 Nebraska Schedule and Results

DATE	OPPONENT	RESULT	SCORE	RECORD	CONFERENCE	TIME	ATTEND
Sept. 5, 2009	Florida Atlantic	W	49-3	1-0	0-0	3:02	85,719
Sept. 12, 2009	Arkansas State	W	38-9	2-0	0-0	2:47	85,035
Sept. 19, 2009	at No. 13 Virginia Tech	L	15-16	2-1	0-0	3:20	66,233
Sept. 26, 2009	Louisiana-Lafayette	W	55-0	3-1	0-0	2:51	86,304 (stadium record)
Oct. 8, 2009	at No. 24 Missouri *	W	27-12	4-1	1-0	3:28	65,826
Oct. 17, 2009	Texas Tech *	L	10-31	4-2	1-1	3:19	86,107
Oct. 24, 2009	Iowa State *	L	7-9	4-3	1-2	3:09	85,938
Oct. 31, 2009	at Baylor *	W	20-10	5-3	2-2	3:20	31,702
Nov. 7, 2009	No. 20 Oklahoma *	W	10-3	6-3	3-2	3:23	86,115
Nov. 14, 2009	at Kansas *	W	31-17	7-3	4-2	3:07	51,525
Nov. 21, 2009	Kansas State *	W	17-3	8-3	5-2	3:01	85,998
Nov. 27, 2009	at Colorado *	W	28-20	9-3	6-2	3:13	52,817

* Big 12 conference game

Team Statistics

TEAM STATISTICS	NU	OPP
SCORING	307	133
Points Per Game	25.6	11.1
FIRST DOWNS	202	205
Rushing	85	78
Passing	101	100
Penalty	16	27
RUSHING YARDAGE	1769	1223
Yards gained rushing	2047	1544
Yards lost rushing	278	321
Rushing Attempts	429	407
Average Per Rush	4.1	3.0
Average Per Game	147.4	101.9
TDs Rushing	18	6
PASSING YARDAGE	2248	2274
Comp-Att-Int	191-319-9	204-423-16
Average Per Pass	7.0	5.4
Average Per Catch	11.8	11.1
Average Per Game	187.3	189.5
TDs Passing	15	7
TOTAL OFFENSE	4017	3497
Total Plays	748	830
Average Per Play	5.4	4.2
Average Per Game	334.8	291.4
KICK RETURNS: #-Yards	29-667	40-781
PUNT RETURNS: #-Yards	38-416	29-362
INT RETURNS: #-Yards	16-259	9-124
KICK RETURN AVERAGE	23.0	19.5
PUNT RETURN AVERAGE	10.9	12.5
INT RETURN AVERAGE	16.2	13.8
FUMBLES-LOST	21-11	25-8
PENALTIES-Yards	86-775	75-608
Average Per Game	64.6	50.7
PUNTS-Yards	66-2771	75-3120
Average Per Punt	42.0	41.6
Net punt average	34.7	35.3
TIME OF POSSESSION/Game	30:03	29:57
3RD-DOWN Conversions	66/167	63/189
3rd-Down Pct	40%	33%
4TH-DOWN Conversions	4/7	9/20
4th-Down Pct	57%	45%
SACKS BY-Yards	33-240	18-113
MISC YARDS	34	1
TOUCHDOWNS SCORED	37	15
FIELD GOALS-ATTEMPTS	16-20	10-22
ON-SIDE KICKS	0-0	0-0
RED-ZONE SCORES	34-43 79%	15-23 65%
RED-ZONE TOUCHDOWNS	23-43 53%	10-23 43%
PAT-ATTEMPTS	35-35 100%	11-13 85%
ATTENDANCE	601216	268103
Games/Avg Per Game	7/85888	5/53621
Neutral Site Games		0/0

SCORE BY QUARTERS	1ST	2ND	3RD	4TH	TOTAL
Nebraska	71	98	48	90	307
Opponents	27	57	20	29	133

2009 Nebraska Individual Statistics

RUSHING	G/GS	ATT	GAIN	LOSS	NET	AVG	TD	LONG	AVG/G
Helu Jr., Roy	12/12	207	1153	42	1111	5.4	10	63	92.6
Burkhead, Rex	7/0	47	239	4	235	5.0	2	16	33.6
Robinson, Dontrayevous	6/0	38	170	11	159	4.2	2	23	26.5
Green, Cody	7/2	24	147	12	135	5.6	2	49	19.3
Lee, Zac	11/10	79	226	132	94	1.2	0	32	8.5
Paul, Niles	12/12	2	30	2	28	14.0	1	30	2.3
Ward, Lester	4/0	8	30	6	24	3.0	0	8	6.0
Washington, Latravis	3/0	3	17	0	17	5.7	0	7	5.7
Jones, Austin	4/0	6	15	0	15	2.5	0	8	3.8
Mendoza, Marcus	7/0	4	11	1	10	2.5	0	7	1.4
Okafor, Collins	1/0	1	9	0	9	9.0	0	9	9.0
Cotton, Ben	12/1	0	0	0	0	0.0	1	0	0.0
TEAM	9	10	0	68	-68	-6.8	0	0	-7.6
Total.....	12	429	2047	278	1769	4.1	18	63	147.4
Opponents.....	12	407	1544	321	1223	3.0	6	46	101.9

PASSING	G/GS	EFFC	COMP-ATT-INT	PCT	YDS	TD	LNG	AVG/G
Lee, Zac	11/10	134.27	158-260-7	60.8	1931	13	72	175.5
Green, Cody	7/2	105.47	33-59-2	55.9	317	2	45	45.3
Total.....	12	128.94	191-319-9	59.9	2248	15	72	187.3
Opponents.....	12	91.28	204-423-16	48.2	2274	7	81	189.5

RECEIVING	G/GS	NO.	YDS	AVG	TD	LONG	AVG/G
Paul, Niles	12/12	35	669	19.1	3	72	55.8
McNeill, Mike	12/12	25	240	9.6	4	32	20.0
Helu Jr., Roy	12/12	19	149	7.8	0	27	12.4
Gilleylen, Curenski	9/2	16	299	18.7	1	51	33.2
Holt, Menelik	12/5	15	175	11.7	1	30	14.6
Brooks, Chris	10/0	13	177	13.6	1	26	17.7
Cooper, Khiry	10/4	13	80	6.2	1	17	8.0
Kinnie, Brandon	11/1	11	99	9.0	0	13	9.0
Burkhead, Rex	7/0	9	75	8.3	1	24	10.7
Mendoza, Marcus	7/0	7	45	6.4	0	9	6.4
Reed, Kyler	9/1	6	54	9.0	0	22	6.0
Young, Dreu	11/8	5	78	15.6	0	34	7.1
Cotton, Ben	12/1	5	43	8.6	1	24	3.6
Legate, Tyler	12/2	3	27	9.0	1	13	2.2
Robinson, Dontrayevous	6/0	3	22	7.3	0	19	3.7
Hill, Ryan	11/0	2	8	4.0	1	7	0.7
Bell, Antonio	6/0	1	3	3.0	0	3	0.5
Cammack, Wes	8/0	1	2	2.0	0	2	0.2
Jones, Austin	4/0	1	2	2.0	0	2	0.5
Henry, Will	5/0	1	1	1.0	0	1	0.2
Total.....	12	191	2248	11.8	15	72	187.3
Opponents.....	12	204	2274	11.1	7	81	189.5

PUNT RETURNS	NO.	YDS	AVG	TD	LONG
Paul, Niles	32	313	9.8	1	59
Burkhead, Rex	4	73	18.2	0	33
Martin, Eric	1	9	9.0	0	0
May, Mathew	1	-4	-4.0	0	0
Blatchford, Justin	0	25	0.0	1	25
Total.....	38	416	10.9	2	59
Opponents.....	29	362	12.5	0	62

INTERCEPTIONS	NO.	YDS	AVG	TD	LONG
O'Hanlon, Matt	5	68	13.6	1	30
Amukamara, Prince	4	63	15.8	0	40
Gomes, Dejon	3	45	15.0	0	40
Asante, Larry	2	74	37.0	1	74
Suh, Ndamukong	1	0	0.0	0	0
Dillard, Phillip	1	9	9.0	0	9
Total.....	16	259	16.2	2	74
Opponents.....	9	124	13.8	1	45

KICK RETURNS	NO.	YDS	AVG	TD	LONG
Paul, Niles	14	355	25.4	0	44
Marlowe, Tim	10	247	24.7	0	40
Stoddard, Graham	1	1	1.0	0	1
Cotton, Ben	1	2	2.0	0	2
Legate, Tyler	1	22	22.0	0	22
Burkhead, Rex	1	15	15.0	0	15
Dennard, Alfonzo	1	25	25.0	0	25
Total.....	29	667	23.0	0	44
Opponents.....	40	781	19.5	0	76

FUMBLE RETURNS	NO.	YDS	AVG	TD	LONG
Amukamara, Prince	1	4	4.0	0	4
Meredith, Cameron	1	4	4.0	0	4
Fisher, Sean	1	21	21.0	0	21
Total.....	3	29	9.7	0	21
Opponents.....	1	82	82.0	1	82

FIELD GOALS	FGM-FGA	PCT	01-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50-99	LG	BLK
Henery, Alex	16-20	80.0	1-1	6-6	6-6	3-4	0-3	46	0

FG SEQUENCE	NEBRASKA	OPPONENTS
Florida Atlantic	-	46, (21)
Arkansas State	(26),54	(42)
Virginia Tech	(40),(27),(19),(38),(38)	(39)
Louisiana	(39),(46)	50
Missouri	-	43,(33)
Texas Tech	(21),51	(32)
Iowa State	-	(52),49
Baylor	(45),(22)	(41),29
Oklahoma	(28),43	46,45,(28),42
Kansas	(25),(34),(38)	(33)
Kansas State	(34)	(44),51,32
Colorado	50	52,37

Numbers in parentheses indicate field goal was made.

PUNTING	NO.	YDS	AVG	LONG	TB	FC	I20	BLKD
Henery, Alex	65	2748	42.3	76	6	3	26	1
TEAM	1	23	23.0	23	0	0	0	0
Total.....	66	2771	42.0	76	6	3	26	1
Opponents.....	75	3120	41.6	60	3	11	19	1

KICKOFFS	NO.	YDS	AVG	TB	OB	RETN	NET	YDLN
Kunalic, Adi	65	4459	68.6	26	0			
Henery, Alex	1	50	50.0	0	0			
Total.....	66	4509	68.3	26	0	781	48.6	21
Opponents.....	34	2114	62.2	4	1	667	40.2	29

Nebraska Individual Statistics

----- PATS -----									
SCORING	TD	FGS	KICK	RUSH	RCV	PASS	DXP	SAF	PTS
Henery, Alex	0	16-20	35-35	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	83
Helu Jr., Roy	10	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	60
Paul, Niles	5	0-0	0-0	0-0	1	0-0	0	0	32
McNeill, Mike	4	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	24
Burkhead, Rex	3	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	18
Cotton, Ben	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	12
Green, Cody	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	12
Robinson, Dontrayevous	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	12
Cooper, Khiry	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
Brooks, Chris	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
Holt, Menelik	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
Blatchford, Justin	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
Hill, Ryan	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
Asante, Larry	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
O'Hanlon, Matt	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
Legate, Tyler	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
Gilleylen, Curenski	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-1	0	0	6
Lee, Zac	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	1-1	0	0	0
Total.....	37	16-20	35-35	0-0	1	1-2	0	0	307
Opponents.....	15	10-22	11-13	0-0	0	0-1	0	1	133

TOTAL OFFENSE	G	PLAYS	RUSH	PASS	TOTAL	AVG/G
Lee, Zac	11	339	94	1931	2025	184.1
Helu Jr., Roy	12	207	1111	0	1111	92.6
Green, Cody	7	83	135	317	452	64.6
Burkhead, Rex	7	47	235	0	235	33.6
Robinson, Dontrayevous	6	38	159	0	159	26.5
Paul, Niles	12	2	28	0	28	2.3
Ward, Lester	4	8	24	0	24	6.0
Washington, Latravis	3	3	17	0	17	5.7
Jones, Austin	4	6	15	0	15	3.8
Mendoza, Marcus	7	4	10	0	10	1.4
Okafor, Collins	1	1	9	0	9	9.0
TEAM	9	10	-68	0	-68	-7.6
Total.....	12	748	1769	2248	4017	334.8
Opponents.....	12	830	1223	2274	3497	291.4

ALL PURPOSE	G	RUSH	REC	PR	KOR	IR	TOT	AVG/G
Paul, Niles	12	28	669	313	355	0	1365	113.8
Helu Jr., Roy	12	1111	149	0	0	0	1260	105.0
Burkhead, Rex	7	235	75	73	15	0	398	56.9
Gilleylen, Curenski	9	0	299	0	0	0	299	33.2
Marlowe, Tim	12	0	0	0	247	0	247	20.6
McNeill, Mike	12	0	240	0	0	0	240	20.0
Robinson, Dontrayevous	6	159	22	0	0	0	181	30.2
Brooks, Chris	10	0	177	0	0	0	177	17.7
Holt, Menelik	12	0	175	0	0	0	175	14.6
Green, Cody	7	135	0	0	0	0	135	19.3
Kinnie, Brandon	11	0	99	0	0	0	99	9.0
Lee, Zac	11	94	0	0	0	0	94	8.5
Cooper, Khiry	10	0	80	0	0	0	80	8.0
Young, Dreu	11	0	78	0	0	0	78	7.1
Asante, Larry	12	0	0	0	0	74	74	6.2
O'Hanlon, Matt	12	0	0	0	0	68	68	5.7
Amukamara, Prince	12	0	0	0	0	63	63	5.2
Mendoza, Marcus	7	10	45	0	0	0	55	7.9
Reed, Kyler	9	0	54	0	0	0	54	6.0
Legate, Tyler	12	0	27	0	22	0	49	4.1
Cotton, Ben	12	0	43	0	2	0	45	3.8
Gomes, Dejon	11	0	0	0	0	45	45	4.1
Dennard, Alfonzo	11	0	0	0	25	0	25	2.3
Blatchford, Justin	10	0	0	25	0	0	25	2.5
Ward, Lester	4	24	0	0	0	0	24	6.0
Jones, Austin	4	15	2	0	0	0	17	4.2
Washington, Latravis	3	17	0	0	0	0	17	5.7
Okafor, Collins	1	9	0	0	0	0	9	9.0
Dillard, Phillip	10	0	0	0	0	9	9	0.9
Martin, Eric	12	0	0	9	0	0	9	0.8
Hill, Ryan	11	0	8	0	0	0	8	0.7
Bell, Antonio	6	0	3	0	0	0	3	0.5
Cammack, Wes	8	0	2	0	0	0	2	0.2
Henry, Will	5	0	1	0	0	0	1	0.2
Stoddard, Graham	12	0	0	0	1	0	1	0.1
May, Mathew	12	0	0	-4	0	0	-4	-0.3
TEAM	9	-68	0	0	0	0	-68	-7.6
Total.....	12	1769	2248	416	667	259	5359	446.6
Opponents.....	12	1223	2274	362	781	124	4764	397.0

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Individual Game By Game

RUSHING	NO-YDS/TD	FAU	ASU	VT	ULL	MU	TTU	ISU	BU	OU	KU	KSU	CU
Helu Jr., Roy	207-1111/10	16-152/3	14-60/0	28-169/0	15-83/2	18-88/1	16-68/0	5-24/0	7-24/0	20-138/0	28-156/3	26-95/1	14-54/0
Burkhead, Rex	47-235/2	9-39/1	3-18/0	-	6-27/0	5-34/0	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	6-17/0	18-100/1
Robinson, Dontrayevous	38-159/2	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	-	15-77/1	13-61/1	6-11/0	4-10/0	-	DNP
Green, Cody	24-135/2	2-50/1	1-7/0	DNP	3-22/1	DNP	2-1/0	DNP	8-43/0	6-8/0	DNP	DNP	2-4/0
Lee, Zac	79-94/0	2-14/0	7-11/0	8-38/0	3--2/0	8-7/0	9-0/0	6-5/0	DNP	10--13/0	9-53/0	11--5/0	6--14/0
Paul, Niles	2-28/1	-	1-30/1	-	-	-	1--2/0	-	-	-	-	-	-
Ward, Lester	8-24/0	-	1-8/0	DNP	-	DNP	DNP	DNP	7-16/0	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP
Washington, Latravis	3-17/0	1-7/0	DNP	DNP	2-10/0	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	-
Jones, Austin	6-15/0	DNP	1-2/0	DNP	2-9/0	DNP	1-0/0	DNP	2-4/0	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP
Mendoza, Marcus	4-10/0	1--1/0	-	DNP	-	DNP	1-3/0	2-8/0	-	-	DNP	DNP	DNP
Okafor, Collins	1-9/0	DNP	DNP	DNP	1-9/0	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP
TEAM	10--68/0	1--2/0	DNP	-	2--25/0	2--24/0	DNP	-	1--3/0	1--3/0	1--5/0	2--6/0	DNP

RECEIVING	NO-YDS/TD	FAU	ASU	VT	ULL	MU	TTU	ISU	BU	OU	KU	KSU	CU
Paul, Niles	35-669/3	2-13/0	6-69/1	1-19/0	1-9/0	6-102/2	1-4/0	6-143/0	2-54/0	-	4-154/0	4-82/0	2-20/0
Gilleylen, Curenski	16-299/1	4-92/1	1-43/0	1-35/0	2-85/0	3-14/0	2-12/0	3-18/0	DNP	DNP	DNP	-	-
McNeill, Mike	25-240/4	4-51/0	4-57/2	1-4/0	2-26/0	1-8/1	2-14/0	2-22/0	-	1-2/0	4-27/0	3-26/1	1-3/0
Brooks, Chris	13-177/1	1-15/0	2-30/0	2-16/0	3-50/1	-	5-66/0	DNP	DNP	-	-	-	-
Holt, Menelik	15-175/1	3-45/1	5-40/0	1-13/0	-	2-26/0	2-34/0	2-17/0	-	-	-	-	-
Helu Jr., Roy	19-149/0	1-3/0	4-44/0	4-33/0	2-11/0	-	1-27/0	3-13/0	1-3/0	3-15/0	-	-	-
Kinnie, Brandon	11-99/0	-	1-5/0	DNP	-	-	-	3-27/0	1-10/0	2-21/0	1-8/0	2-20/0	1-8/0
Cooper, Khiry	13-80/1	-	1-6/0	DNP	2-26/0	-	3-23/1	DNP	3-12/0	-	3-5/0	1-8/0	-
Young, Dreu	5-78/0	DNP	1-27/0	-	1-34/0	-	-	-	-	-	1-2/0	1-8/0	1-7/0
Burkhead, Rex	9-75/1	1-9/0	1-11/0	1-16/0	4-26/1	1-4/0	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	1-9/0	-
Reed, Kyler	6-54/0	-	1-9/0	-	1-16/0	1-4/0	1-1/0	DNP	1-22/0	DNP	DNP	-	1-2/0
Mendoza, Marcus	7-45/0	-	-	DNP	-	DNP	5-32/0	1-8/0	1-5/0	-	DNP	DNP	DNP
Cotton, Ben	5-43/1	1-3/0	1-7/0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3-33/1
Legate, Tyler	3-27/1	-	1-3/1	-	1-11/0	-	-	-	-	-	-	1-13/0	-
Robinson, Dontrayevous	3-22/0	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	-	-	3-22/0	-	-	-	DNP
Hill, Ryan	2-8/1	-	1-7/0	-	-	-	-	-	DNP	1-1/1	-	-	-
Bell, Antonio	1-3/0	-	-	DNP	1-3/0	-	-	-	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP
Jones, Austin	1-2/0	DNP	-	DNP	-	DNP	1-2/0	DNP	-	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP
Cammack, Wes	1-2/0	-	-	DNP	1-2/0	-	-	-	DNP	DNP	DNP	-	-
Henry, Will	1-1/0	-	-	-	1-1/0	DNP	-	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP

PASSING											
#5 Lee, Zac	Att	Comp	Int	Pct	Yards	TD	Long	Sack	Yds	Effic	
Florida Atlantic	22	15	1	68.2	213	2	51	0	0	170.4	
Arkansas State	35	27	0	77.1	340	4	43	2	16	196.5	
Virginia Tech	30	11	2	36.7	136	0	35	0	0	61.4	
Louisiana	18	15	0	83.3	238	1	43	1	6	212.7	
Missouri	33	14	0	42.4	158	3	56	1	7	112.6	
Texas Tech	22	16	0	72.7	128	0	27	4	19	121.6	
Iowa State	37	20	3	54.1	248	0	72	1	4	94.1	
Oklahoma	9	5	0	55.6	35	1	16	2	11	124.9	
Kansas	21	13	0	61.9	196	0	45	1	8	140.3	
Kansas State	19	13	1	68.4	166	1	47	2	24	148.7	
Colorado	14	9	0	64.3	73	1	24	3	15	131.7	
TOTALS	260	158	7	60.8	1931	13	72	17	110	134.3	

#17 Green, Cody	Att	Comp	Int	Pct	Yards	TD	Long	Sack	Yds	Effic	
Florida Atlantic	3	2	0	66.7	18	0	15	0	0	117.1	
Arkansas State	6	3	0	50.0	18	0	7	0	0	75.2	
Louisiana	8	7	0	87.5	62	1	24	0	0	193.9	
Texas Tech	16	7	1	43.8	87	1	30	1	3	97.6	
Baylor	21	12	1	57.1	128	0	45	0	0	98.8	
Oklahoma	5	2	0	40.0	4	0	8	0	0	46.7	
Colorado	0	0	0	00.0	0	0	0	0	0	00.0	
TOTALS	59	33	2	55.9	317	2	45	1	3	105.5	

PUNT RETURNS	NO-YDS	FAU	ASU	VT	ULL	MU	TTU	ISU	BU	OU	KU	KSU	CU
Paul, Niles	32-313	-	3-17	6-86	2-8	2--1	5-64	3-11	1-17	2-19	2-18	2-3	4-71
Burkhead, Rex	4-73	-	1-14	-	2-59	1-0	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	-	-
Martin, Eric	1-9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1-9	-	-	-	-
May, Mathew	1--4	-	-	-	-	1--4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

KICK RETURNS	NO-YDS	FAU	ASU	VT	ULL	MU	TTU	ISU	BU	OU	KU	KSU	CU
Paul, Niles	14-355	2-49	2-53	3-71	1-21	-	-	2-54	1-14	-	2-72	-	1-21
Marlowe, Tim	10-247	-	-	-	-	-	3-61	1-26	2-41	1-26	1-40	2-53	-
Dennard, Alfonso	1-25	-	-	-	-	-	1-25	-	-	-	-	DNP	-
Legate, Tyler	1-22	-	-	-	-	-	1-22	-	-	-	-	-	-
Burkhead, Rex	1-15	-	-	1-15	-	-	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	-	-
Cotton, Ben	1-2	-	-	-	-	1-2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Stoddard, Graham	1-1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1-1	-	-	-

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TOTAL TACKLES	UA-A	TOT	FAU	ASU	VT	ULL	MU	TTU	ISU	BU	OU	KU	KSU	CU
Dillard, Phillip	36-34	70	DNP	DNP	1-4	3-0	1-2	8-4	5-7	1-4	5-3	2-4	6-2	4-4
Asante, Larry	36-34	70	3-4	7-1	3-3	2-0	1-5	0-3	1-2	3-3	5-3	2-3	4-6	5-1
Suh, Ndamukong	40-30	70	4-3	4-1	1-7	1-5	5-1	4-0	6-2	3-2	1-3	2-1	4-5	5-0
Crick, Jared	29-38	67	0-3	1-4	2-5	0-1	2-5	2-3	5-3	10-3	2-6	2-1	1-4	2-0
O'Hanlon, Matt	31-28	59	1-4	2-3	3-2	1-3	3-2	2-2	2-2	2-2	9-3	2-0	2-3	2-2
Amukamara, Prince	33-21	54	3-4	4-3	4-2	1-1	2-7	2-2	2-1	4-0	2-0	4-0	1-2	4-0
Allen, Pierre	16-29	45	1-3	0-3	3-2	1-3	3-2	2-5	1-0	0-2	2-2	1-3	0-2	2-2
Turner, Barry	21-21	42	0-2	2-1	2-4	3-1	1-2	1-2	2-2	3-1	1-1	3-2	0-3	3-0
Gomes, Dejon	22-18	40	1-1	-	DNP	1-1	3-2	2-4	1-1	1-2	3-2	5-3	3-2	2-0
Compton, Will	15-23	38	2-3	1-2	1-6	3-2	2-4	0-1	1-3	DNP	-	-	1-1	4-1
Hagg, Eric	27-10	37	1-0	2-0	1-1	2-4	1-1	4-1	0-1	6-0	2-0	4-0	3-1	1-1
Fisher, Sean	9-25	34	2-4	0-2	2-4	1-5	-	-	2-7	1-2	-	-	1-0	0-1
Dennard, Alfonso	20-10	30	1-2	-	0-1	-	3-1	1-1	3-2	1-0	4-2	5-0	DNP	2-1
Meredith, Cameron	12-7	19	0-1	1-0	-	4-1	0-2	-	2-1	1-0	-	2-1	0-1	2-0
Steinkuhler, Baker	6-11	17	1-4	1-2	1-0	1-3	0-1	DNP	-	2-1	-	-	-	-
Smith, P.J.	7-6	13	-	1-1	0-1	0-1	1-1	-	-	-	3-1	1-0	0-1	1-0
West, Anthony	9-2	11	2-0	-	2-1	1-1	DNP	-	-	1-0	-	-	3-0	-
Thenarse, Rickey	3-8	11	3-5	0-2	0-1	-	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP
Martin, Eric	5-6	11	1-3	-	-	0-1	1-1	-	-	-	1-0	1-1	-	1-0
May, Mathew	1-9	10	0-1	0-1	0-1	0-1	1-3	-	-	-	-	0-1	0-1	-
Stoddard, Graham	7-3	10	1-2	-	1-0	1-0	-	-	1-0	-	-	2-0	0-1	1-0
Lawrence, Blake	6-4	10	3-3	3-1	DNP	-	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP
Cassidy, Austin	6-3	9	0-1	1-0	-	1-1	-	1-0	-	1-0	2-0	-	-	0-1
Thorell, Lance	3-3	6	-	1-0	-	0-2	1-1	-	-	-	-	1-0	-	-
Hays, Mike	2-3	5	-	-	0-1	-	2-0	-	-	0-2	-	-	-	-
Koehler, Colton	2-3	5	0-1	0-1	DNP	2-1	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP
Dean, Jase	3-1	4	2-1	-	-	1-0	-	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP
Grove, Thomas	1-2	3	DNP	-	-	-	0-1	0-1	-	1-0	-	-	-	-
Blue, Anthony	3-0	3	DNP	DNP	DNP	-	-	-	1-0	-	1-0	-	-	1-0
Williams, Josh	2-1	3	1-1	-	DNP	1-0	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP
Henery, Alex	1-1	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1-0	-	-	0-1	-
Blatchford, Justin	2-0	2	-	DNP	-	-	DNP	-	-	1-0	-	-	-	1-0
Moore, Terrence	1-1	2	DNP	-	-	1-1	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP
Klingelhoefer, Faron	1-1	2	DNP	1-0	DNP	0-1	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP
Cammack, Wes	0-1	1	-	-	DNP	-	-	0-1	-	DNP	DNP	DNP	-	-
Jackson, Justin	0-1	1	0-1	DNP	DNP	-	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP
Harvey, David	1-0	1	DNP	DNP	DNP	1-0	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	-
Osborne, Courtney	1-0	1	DNP	DNP	DNP	1-0	DNP	-	-	-	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP
Washington, Latravis	0-1	1	-	DNP	DNP	-	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	0-1
Hill, Ryan	1-0	1	-	-	-	-	1-0	-	-	DNP	-	-	-	-
Paul, Niles	1-0	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1-0	-

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TACKLES FOR LOSS	UA-A	TOT	FAU	ASU	VT	ULL	MU	TTU	ISU	BU	OU	KU	KSU	CU
Suh, Ndamukong	11-5	16	1-1	3-18	1-1	1-0	1-6	2-10	1-6	3-5	-	-	2-6	1-17
Crick, Jared	10-4	14	1-0	1-6	1-1	-	1-9	2-12	-	7-28	1-3	-	-	-
Turner, Barry	5-7	12	-	1-1	3-4	1-1	-	2-20	-	1-1	1-3	2-2	1-1	-
Allen, Pierre	3-7	10	1-1	-	1-13	1-1	1-5	3-10	-	2-3	-	1-2	-	-
Dillard, Phillip	8-1	9	DNP	DNP	1-1	1-5	-	4-6	-	-	2-18	-	1-9	-
Hagg, Eric	5-1	6	-	1-8	1-1	-	1-2	-	-	1-3	1-2	-	1-14	-
Meredith, Cameron	4-0	4	-	-	-	2-10	-	-	1-2	-	-	1-3	-	-
Dennard, Alfonso	4-0	4	-	-	-	-	1-4	1-1	1-1	-	1-4	-	DNP	-
Amukamara, Prince	3-0	3	-	1-2	1-2	-	-	-	-	-	-	1-9	-	-
Gomes, Dejon	1-1	2	-	-	DNP	-	1-2	-	-	-	-	1-3	-	-
Fisher, Sean	2-0	2	-	-	1-2	-	-	-	-	1-3	-	-	-	-
Steinkuhler, Baker	1-0	1	-	-	1-2	-	-	DNP	-	-	-	-	-	-
Koehler, Colton	1-0	1	-	-	DNP	1-1	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP
Compton, Will	0-1	1	-	-	-	-	-	1-2	-	DNP	-	-	-	-
Thenarse, Rickey	1-0	1	1-2	-	-	-	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP
Asante, Larry	0-1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1-2	-	-	-	-
O'Hanlon, Matt	1-0	1	-	-	1-8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

SACKS	UA-A	TOT	FAU	ASU	VT	ULL	MU	TTU	ISU	BU	OU	KU	KSU	CU
Crick, Jared	8-2	9.0	-	0.5-6	1.0-1	-	1.0-9	1.0-10	-	5.0-24	0.5-3	-	-	-
Suh, Ndamukong	6-3	7.5	-	1.5-17	0.5-1	-	1.0-6	-	1.0-6	1.0-3	-	-	1.5-6	1.0-17
Dillard, Phillip	3-0	3.0	DNP	DNP	-	1.0-5	-	-	-	-	1.0-13	-	1.0-9	-
Allen, Pierre	2-2	3.0	-	-	1.0-13	-	-	2.0-10	-	-	-	-	-	-
Turner, Barry	1-4	3.0	-	-	0.5-2	-	-	1.5-20	-	-	0.5-3	-	0.5-1	-
Hagg, Eric	2-0	2.0	-	1.0-8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.0-14	-
Amukamara, Prince	2-0	2.0	-	1.0-2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.0-9	-	-
O'Hanlon, Matt	1-0	1.0	-	-	1.0-8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Meredith, Cameron	1-0	1.0	-	-	-	1.0-9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Fisher, Sean	1-0	1.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.0-3	-	-	-	-
Compton, Will	0-1	0.5	-	-	-	-	-	0.5-2	-	DNP	-	-	-	-

INT RETURNS	NO-YDS	FAU	ASU	VT	ULL	MU	TTU	ISU	BU	OU	KU	KSU	CU
O'Hanlon, Matt	5-68	1-18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3-30	-	-	1-20
Amukamara, Prince	4-63	1-0	-	-	-	-	-	-	1-1	1-22	-	-	1-40
Gomes, Dejon	3-45	-	-	DNP	-	1-40	-	-	1-0	-	-	-	1-5
Asante, Larry	2-74	-	-	-	1-74	-	-	-	-	-	-	1-0	-
Dillard, Phillip	1-9	DNP	DNP	-	-	-	-	-	-	1-9	-	-	-
Suh, Ndamukong	1-0	-	-	-	-	1-0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

FUMBLES RECOVERED	NO-YDS	FAU	ASU	VT	ULL	MU	TTU	ISU	BU	OU	KU	KSU	CU
Q'Hanlon, Matt	2	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-
Crick, Jared	2	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-
Meredith, Cameron	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Turner, Barry	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Amukamara, Prince	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
Fisher, Sean	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

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DATE	OPPONENT	---RUSHING---				---RECEIVING---				-----PASSING-----				--KICK RET--				--PUNT RET--				ALL PURP
		NO.	YDS	TD	LG	NO.	YDS	TD	LG	ATT	CMP	INT	YDS	TD	LG	NO	YDS	TD	LG	NO	YDS	
Sept. 5, 2009	Florida Atlantic	32	259	5	49	17	231	2	51	17-25-1	231	2	51	2	49	0	32	0	0	0	0	490
Sept. 12, 2009	Arkansas State	28	136	1	30	30	358	4	43	30-41-0	358	4	43	2	53	0	29	4	31	0	14	494
Sept. 19, 2009	at Virginia Tech	36	207	0	31	11	136	0	35	11-30-2	136	0	35	4	86	0	27	6	86	0	55	343
Sept. 26, 2009	Louisiana-Lafayette	34	133	4	39	22	300	2	43	22-26-0	300	2	43	1	21	0	21	4	67	0	33	433
Oct. 8, 2009	at Missouri	33	105	1	41	14	158	3	56	14-33-0	158	3	56	1	2	0	2	4	-5	0	0	263
Oct. 17, 2009	Texas Tech	30	70	0	11	23	215	1	30	23-38-1	215	1	30	5	108	0	30	5	64	0	18	285
Oct. 24, 2009	Iowa State	28	114	1	21	20	248	0	72	20-37-3	248	0	72	3	80	0	33	3	11	0	7	362
Oct. 31, 2009	at Baylor	38	145	1	23	12	128	0	45	12-21-1	128	0	45	3	55	0	24	2	51	1	25	273
Nov. 7, 2009	Oklahoma	43	141	0	63	7	39	1	16	7-14-0	39	1	16	2	27	0	26	2	19	0	19	180
Nov. 14, 2009	at Kansas	42	214	3	32	13	196	0	45	13-21-0	196	0	45	3	112	0	44	2	18	0	10	410
Nov. 21, 2009	Kansas State	45	101	1	18	13	166	1	47	13-19-1	166	1	47	2	53	0	28	2	3	0	2	267
Nov. 27, 2009	at Colorado	40	144	1	15	9	73	1	24	9-14-0	73	1	24	1	21	0	21	4	71	1	59	217
	Totals	429	1769	18	63	191	2248	15	72	191-319-9	2248	15	72	29	667	0	44	38	416	2	59	4017
	Opponent	407	1223	6	46	204	2274	7	81	204-423-16	2274	7	81	40	781	0	76	29	362	0	62	3497

DATE	OPPONENT	-----TACKLES-----					---SACKS---		---FUMBLE---		INT-YDS	QBH	PASS BRK	BLKD KICK	---KICKS-----XPTS---				
		SOLO	AST	TOTAL	TFL-YDS	NO-YDS	FF	FR-YDS	ATT-MAD	RUN					RCV	SAF	PTS		
Sept. 5, 2009	Florida Atlantic	33	56	89	3-4	0.0-0	2	1-4	2-18	3	6	1	7-7	0	0	0	49		
Sept. 12, 2009	Arkansas State	32	28	60	6-35	4.0-33	1	1-0	0-0	7	3	0	5-5	0	0	0	38		
Sept. 19, 2009	at Virginia Tech	27	46	73	9-35	4.0-25	0	0-0	0-0	5	5	0	0-0	0	0	0	15		
Sept. 26, 2009	Louisiana-Lafayette	34	40	74	6-18	2.0-14	4	2-21	1-74	6	3	0	7-7	0	0	0	55		
Oct. 8, 2009	at Missouri	34	44	78	6-28	2.0-15	1	1-0	2-40	7	9	0	3-3	0	0	0	27		
Oct. 17, 2009	Texas Tech	29	30	59	13-61	5.0-42	0	0-0	0-0	8	1	0	1-1	0	0	0	10		
Oct. 24, 2009	Iowa State	35	34	69	3-9	1.0-6	1	0-0	0-0	9	4	2	1-1	0	0	0	7		
Oct. 31, 2009	at Baylor	43	24	67	13-45	7.0-30	1	1-0	2-1	3	10	1	2-2	0	0	0	20		
Nov. 7, 2009	Oklahoma	43	26	69	5-30	2.0-19	0	0-0	5-61	8	12	1	1-1	0	0	0	10		
Nov. 14, 2009	at Kansas	39	20	59	6-19	1.0-9	1	1-0	0-0	6	5	0	2-2	0	1	0	31		
Nov. 21, 2009	Kansas State	30	36	66	5-30	4.0-30	2	1-4	1-0	5	8	0	2-2	0	0	0	17		
Nov. 27, 2009	at Colorado	43	15	58	1-17	1.0-17	0	0-0	3-65	4	4	0	4-4	0	0	0	28		
	Totals	422	399	821	*74-331	33.0-240	13	8-29	16-259	71	70	5	35-35	0	1	0	307		
	Opponent	456	356	812	78-221	18.0-113	10	11-82	9-124	22	36	1	13-11	0	0	1	133		

*total team TFL

DATE	OPPONENT	-----PUNTING-----										---FIELD GOALS---			-----KICKOFFS-----				
		NO	YDS	AVG	LONG	BLKD	TB	FC	50+	I20	ATT-MADE	LG	BLKD	NO	YDS	AVG	TB	OB	
Sept. 5, 2009	Florida Atlantic	3	97	32.3	43	1	0	0	0	1	0-0	0	0	8	552	69.0	2	0	
Sept. 12, 2009	Arkansas State	3	128	42.7	49	0	0	0	0	2	2-1	26	0	7	486	69.4	5	0	
Sept. 19, 2009	at Virginia Tech	6	249	41.5	76	0	2	1	1	2	5-5	40	0	6	415	69.2	3	0	
Sept. 26, 2009	Louisiana-Lafayette	3	137	45.7	55	0	0	0	1	2	2-2	46	0	10	700	70.0	6	0	
Oct. 8, 2009	at Missouri	8	315	39.4	55	0	1	0	2	2	0-0	0	0	6	380	63.3	1	0	
Oct. 17, 2009	Texas Tech	5	176	35.2	46	0	0	1	0	2	2-1	21	0	3	204	68.0	1	0	
Oct. 24, 2009	Iowa State	4	161	40.2	49	0	0	0	0	3	0-0	0	0	2	140	70.0	0	0	
Oct. 31, 2009	at Baylor	7	295	42.1	57	0	0	1	2	3	2-2	45	0	5	346	69.2	3	0	
Nov. 7, 2009	Oklahoma	11	481	43.7	66	0	0	0	1	2	2-1	28	0	3	210	70.0	1	0	
Nov. 14, 2009	at Kansas	4	155	38.8	52	0	1	0	1	1	3-3	38	0	7	448	64.0	1	0	
Nov. 21, 2009	Kansas State	6	273	45.5	61	0	1	0	2	2	1-1	34	0	4	279	69.8	1	0	
Nov. 27, 2009	at Colorado	6	304	50.7	63	0	1	0	3	4	1-0	0	0	5	349	69.8	2	0	
	Totals	66	2771	42.0	76	1	6	3	13	26	20-16	46	0	66	4509	68.3	26	0	
	Opponent	75	3120	41.6	60	1	3	11	20	19	22-10	52	3	34	2114	62.2	4	1	

Opponent Team Game By Game

DATE	OPPONENT	--RUSHING--				--RECEIVING--				-----PASSING-----				--KICK RET--				--PUNT RET--				ALL PURP
		NO.	YDS	TD	LG	NO.	YDS	TD	LG	ATT	CMP	INT	YDS	TD	LG	NO	YDS	TD	LG	NO	YDS	
Sept. 5, 2009	Florida Atlantic	35	132	0	23	20	236	0	38	20-41-2	236	0	38	6	97	0	27	3	10	0	6	358
Sept. 12, 2009	Arkansas State	38	143	1	20	11	131	0	43	11-20-0	131	0	43	2	34	0	19	1	14	0	14	274
Sept. 19, 2009	at Virginia Tech	37	86	1	46	12	192	1	81	12-27-0	192	1	81	3	114	0	76	1	6	0	6	278
Sept. 26, 2009	Louisiana-Lafayette	37	102	0	12	15	120	0	32	15-27-1	120	0	32	4	67	0	20	1	0	0	0	222
Oct. 8, 2009	at Missouri	35	91	1	23	17	134	0	38	17-43-2	134	0	38	5	82	0	21	4	63	0	27	225
Oct. 17, 2009	Texas Tech	25	25	2	21	23	234	1	58	23-32-0	234	1	58	2	58	0	40	1	9	0	9	259
Oct. 24, 2009	Iowa State	48	137	0	20	9	102	1	47	9-19-0	102	1	47	2	35	0	21	2	8	0	6	239
Oct. 31, 2009	at Baylor	32	54	0	12	19	222	0	41	19-38-2	222	0	41	2	53	0	31	4	101	0	62	276
Nov. 7, 2009	Oklahoma	29	80	0	14	26	245	0	33	26-58-5	245	0	33	2	37	0	23	6	102	0	35	325
Nov. 14, 2009	at Kansas	29	99	1	17	19	236	1	28	19-41-0	236	1	28	6	105	0	23	1	2	0	2	335
Nov. 21, 2009	Kansas State	34	140	0	24	12	153	0	27	12-33-1	153	0	27	3	50	0	19	2	27	0	22	293
Nov. 27, 2009	at Colorado	28	134	0	28	21	269	3	58	21-44-3	269	3	58	3	49	0	24	3	20	0	13	403
	Opponent totals	407	1223	6	46	204	2274	7	81	204-423-16	2274	7	81	40	781	0	76	29	362	0	62	3497
	Nebraska	429	1769	18	63	191	2248	15	72	191-319-9	2248	15	72	29	667	0	44	38	416	2	59	4017

DATE	OPPONENT	-----TACKLES-----					---SACKS---		---FUMBLE---			INT-YDS	QBH	PASS BRK	BLKD KICK	---KICKS-----XPTS---						
		SOLO	AST	TOTAL	TFL-YDS	NO-YDS	FF	FR-YDS	NO-YDS	FF	FR-YDS					ATT	MAD	RUN	RCV	SAF	PTS	
Sept. 5, 2009	Florida Atlantic	28	32	60	2-3	0.0-0	0	0-0	1-0	2	2	1	0-0	0	0	0	0	3				
Sept. 12, 2009	Arkansas State	42	26	68	3-17	2.0-16	0	0-0	0-0	2	4	0	1-0	0	0	0	0	9				
Sept. 19, 2009	at Virginia Tech	34	42	76	8-9	0.0-0	0	0-0	2-3	8	2	0	1-1	0	0	0	0	16				
Sept. 26, 2009	Louisiana-Lafayette	38	30	68	6-17	1.0-6	1	0-0	0-0	1	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0				
Oct. 8, 2009	at Missouri	38	12	50	6-28	1.0-7	1	2-0	0-0	0	4	0	1-1	0	0	0	1	12				
Oct. 17, 2009	Texas Tech	42	34	76	5-22	5.0-22	0	1-82	1-7	1	7	0	4-4	0	0	0	0	31				
Oct. 24, 2009	Iowa State	34	28	62	6-12	1.0-4	5	5-0	3-27	0	4	0	1-0	0	0	0	0	9				
Oct. 31, 2009	at Baylor	34	32	66	8-13	0.0-0	1	1-0	1-45	2	2	0	1-1	0	0	0	0	10				
Nov. 7, 2009	Oklahoma	38	26	64	11-22	2.0-11	0	1-0	0-0	1	3	0	0-0	0	0	0	0	3				
Nov. 14, 2009	at Kansas	38	36	74	6-16	1.0-8	1	0-0	0-0	5	4	0	2-2	0	0	0	0	17				
Nov. 21, 2009	Kansas State	38	38	76	13-43	2.0-24	0	0-0	1-42	0	2	0	0-0	0	0	0	0	3				
Nov. 27, 2009	at Colorado	52	20	72	4-19	3.0-15	1	1-0	0-0	0	2	0	2-0	0	0	0	0	20				
Opponent totals		456	356	812	78-221	18.0-113	10	11-82	9-124	22	36	1	13-11	0	0	1	133					
Nebraska		422	399	821	*74-331	13.0-240	13	8-29	16-259	71	70	5	35-35	0	1	0	307					

OPPONENT	SCORE	1ST DNS (RUN/PASS/PEN.)	RUSHING	PASSING	PASS YDS	TOTAL OFFENSE	RET YDS	T/O
Florida Atlantic	49-3	22/23 (13/9, 8/11, 1/3)	32-259/35-132	17-25-1/20-41-2	231/236	57-490/76-368	71/97	1/3
Arkansas State	38-9	27/15 (7/11, 19/3, 1/1)	28-136/38-143	30-41-0/10-20-0	358/131	69-494/58-274	84/48	0/1
at Virginia Tech	15-16	18/11 (9/2, 7/9, 2/0)	36-207/37-86	11-30-2/12-27-0	136/192	66-343/64-278	172/123	2/0
Louisiana-Lafayette	55-0	21/14 (7/8, 13/5, 1/1)	34-133/37-102	22-26-0/15-27-1	300/120	60-433/64-222	183/67	0/3
at Missouri	27-12	14/15 (6/4, 6/7, 2/4)	33-105/35-91	14-33-0/17-43-2	158/134	66-263/78-225	37/145	2/3
Texas Tech	10-31	16/15 (4/2, 11/10, 1/3)	30-70/25-25	23-38-1/23-32-0	215/234	68-285/57-259	172/156	2/0
Iowa State	7-9	15/11 (4/7, 9/4, 2/0)	28-114/48-137	20-37-3/9-19-0	248/102	65-362/67-239	91/70	8/0
at Baylor	20-10	11/18 (5/3, 6/11, 0/4)	38-145/32-54	12-21-1/19-38-2	128/222	59-273/70-276	107/199	2/3
Oklahoma	10-3	7/23 (4/7, 2/13, 1/3)	43-141/29-80	7-14-0/26-58-5	39/245	57-180/87-325	107/139	1/5
at Kansas	31-17	18/21 (10/8, 6/11, 2/2)	42-214/29-99	13-21-0/19-41-0	196/236	63-410/70-335	130/107	0/1
Kansas State	17-3	19/19 (7/9, 9/7, 3/3)	45-101/34-140	13-19-1/12-33-1	166/153	64-267/67-293	60/119	0/2
at Colorado	28-20	14/20 (9/8, 5/9, 0/3)	40-144/28-134	9-14-0/21-44-3	73/269	54-217/72-403	157/69	1/3
Totals	307-133	202/205 (85/78, 101/100, 16/27)	429-1769/407-1223	191-319-9/204-423-16	2248/2274	748-4017/830-3497	1371/1349	20/24

Note: Game totals are displayed in the format TEAM/OPPONENT for each category

OPPONENT	3RD DOWN	4TH DOWN	TIME POSS	MARGIN	YDS/RUSH	YDS/PASS	YDS/PLAY	PUNTING	PENALTIES
Florida Atlantic	4-10/6-15	2-2/0-2	27:42/32:18	-4:36	8.1/3.8	9.2/5.8	8.6/4.8	3-32.3/4-35.8	9-86/11-67
Arkansas State	8-13/2-10	0-0/1-2	31:38/28:22	3:16	4.9/3.8	8.7/6.6	7.2/4.7	3-42.7/5-45.0	3-40/3-20
at Virginia Tech	6-17/8-18	0-0/0-1	29:46/30:14	-0:28	5.8/2.3	4.5/7.1	5.2/4.3	6-41.5/8-46.9	9-60/7-53
Louisiana-Lafayette	6-11/5-16	0-0/1-1	29:57/30:03	0:06	3.9/2.8	11.5/4.4	7.2/3.5	3-45.7/8-43.1	6-54/3-14
at Missouri	8-17/5-18	0-1/1-2	29:32/30:28	0:56	3.2/2.6	4.8/3.1	4.0/2.9	8-39.4/8-44.6	12-108/8-100
Texas Tech	6-15/6-14	1-2/1-1	30:04/29:56	0:08	2.3/1.0	5.7/7.3	4.2/4.5	5-35.2/6-36.0	12-95/4-40
Iowa State	5-13/5-18	0-1/1-1	26:20/33:40	-7:20	4.1/2.9	6.7/5.4	5.6/3.6	4-40.2/9-40.0	3-25/8-72
at Baylor	5-15/5-16	0-0/1-2	29:52/30:08	0:16	3.8/1.7	6.1/5.8	4.6/3.9	7-42.1/6-29.2	6-65/4-25
Oklahoma	1-14/5-18	0-0/0-3	31:42/28:18	3:24	3.3/2.8	6.8/4.2	3.2/3.7	11-43.7/5-49.0	11-104/9-64
at Kansas	7-16/6-16	0-0/2-2	31:29/28:31	2:58	5.1/3.4	9.3/5.8	6.5/4.8	4-38.8/6-44.8	5-55/4-50
Kansas State	7-16/3-14	1-1/1-2	31:30/28:30	3:00	2.2/4.1	8.7/4.6	4.2/4.4	6-45.5/5-39.4	3-34/7-69
at Colorado	3-10/7-16	0-0/0-1	31:10/28:50	2:20	3.6/4.8	5.2/6.1	4.0/5.6	6-50.7/5-42.6	7-49/7-34
Totals	66-167/63-189	4-7/9-20	360:42/359:18	1:24	4.1/3.0	7.0/5.4	5.4/4.2	66-42.0/75-41.6	86-775/75-608

Nebraska Red Zone Chart

DATE	OPPONENT	SCORE	TIMES	TIMES	PTS	TOTAL	RUSH	PASS	FGS	----- FAILED TO SCORE INSIDE RZ -----						
			IN RZ	SCORED		TDS	TDS	TDS	MADE	FGA	DOWN	INT	FUMB	HALF	GAME	
Sept. 5	Florida Atlantic	W, 49-3	4	4	28	4	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Sept. 12	Arkansas State	W, 38-9	4	4	24	3	0	3	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Sept. 19	at Virginia Tech	L, 15-16	5	4	12	0	0	0	4	0	1*	0	0	0	0	
Sept. 26	Louisiana-Lafayette	W, 55-0	4	4	28	4	3	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Oct. 8	Missouri	W, 27-12	3	3	20	3	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Oct. 17	Texas Tech	L, 10-31	5	2	10	1	0	1	1	0	1	1	1	0	0	
Oct. 24	Iowa State	L, 7-9	4	1	7	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	
Oct. 31	Baylor	W, 20-10	2	2	10	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Nov. 7	Oklahoma	W, 10-3	3	2	10	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	
Nov. 14	Kansas	W, 31-17	4	4	20	2	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Nov. 21	Kansas State	W, 17-3	4	3	17	2	1	1	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	
Nov. 27	Colorado	W, 28-20	1	1	7	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Totals			43	34	193	23	14	9	11	0	2	3	4	0	0	
34 of 43 (79.1%)																

OPPONENT INSIDE NEBRASKA RED-ZONE

DATE	OPPONENT	SCORE	TIMES		PTS	TOTAL	RUSH	PASS	FGS	----- FAILED TO SCORE INSIDE RZ -----						
			IN RZ	SCORED						TDS	TDS	TDS	MADE	FGA	DOWN	INT
Sept. 5	Florida Atlantic	W, 49-3	2	1	3	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	
Sept. 12	Arkansas State	W, 38-9	1	1	6	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Sept. 19	at Virginia Tech	L, 15-16	2	2	13	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Sept. 26	Louisiana-Lafayette	W, 55-0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	
Oct. 8	Missouri	W, 27-12	2	2	10	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Oct. 17	Texas Tech	L, 10-31	4	4	24	3	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Oct. 24	Iowa State	L, 7-9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Oct. 31	Baylor	W, 20-10	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	
Nov. 7	Oklahoma	W, 10-3	1	1	3	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Nov. 14	Kansas	W, 31-17	2	2	10	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Nov. 21	Kansas State	W, 17-3	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	
Nov. 27	Colorado	W, 28-20	5	2	14	2	0	2	0	2	0	1	0	0	0	
Totals			23	15	83	10	6	4	5	4	1	1	2	0	0	
15 of 23 (65.2%)																

Miscellaneous Numbers

LONG SEASON PLAYS (20 OR MORE YARDS)

	HUSKER LONG PLAYS				OPPONENT LONG PLAYS			
	RUSH	PASS	RET.	TOTAL	RUSH	PASS	RET.	TOTAL
Florida Atlantic	3	4	1	8	1	2	2	5
Arkansas State	1	5	2	8	1	2	0	3
Virginia Tech	4	1	4	9	1	2	1	4
Louisiana-Lafayette	2	6	5	13	0	2	1	3
Missouri	1	1	1	3	1	2	3	6
Texas Tech	0	3	3	6	1	3	2	6
Iowa State	1	2	4	7	1	1	1	3
Baylor	1	3	2	6	0	3	5	8
Oklahoma	2	0	3	5	0	2	3	5
Kansas	3	4	3	10	0	3	3	6
Kansas State	0	1	2	3	2	2	2	6
Colorado	0	1	4	5	1	4	1	6
Totals	18	31	34	83	9	26	21	56

DRIVE SUPERLATIVES

	Nebraska	Opponent
Most Yards (Result)	82 vs. Florida Atlantic (TD)	89 at Kansas (TD)
Most Plays (Result)	16 vs. TTU (Downs), vs. KSU (FG)	14vs.OU(downs),vs.KSU(downs)
Most Time (Result)	9:29 vs. Texas Tech (Downs)	7:12 vs. Iowa State (Punt)

NEBRASKA LONG PLAYS

YARDS	OPPONENT	PLAY	RESULT
74	Louisiana-Lafayette	IR (Asante)	Touchdown
72	Iowa State	Pass (Lee to Paul)	1st-10
63	Oklahoma	Rush (Helu Jr.)	1st-10
59	Colorado	PR (Paul)	Touchdown
56	Missouri	Pass (Lee to Paul)	Touchdown
55	Virginia Tech	PR (Paul)	1st-10
51	Florida Atlantic	Pass (Lee to Gilleylen)	Touchdown
49	Florida Atlantic	Rush (Green)	1st-10
47	Kansas State	Pass (Lee to Paul)	1st-10
45	Kansas	Pass (Lee to Paul)	1st-10
45	Baylor	Pass (Green to Paul)	1st-G
44	Kansas	KOR (Paul)	1st-10
44	Florida Atlantic	Rush (Helu Jr.)	Touchdown
43	Louisiana-Lafayette	Pass (Lee to Gilleylen)	1st-G
43	Arkansas State	Pass (Lee to Gilleylen)	1st-10
42	Louisiana-Lafayette	Pass (Lee to Gilleylen)	1st-10
41	Missouri	Rush (Helu Jr.)	1st-G
40	Colorado	IR (Amukamara)	1st-10
40	Kansas	KOR (Marlowe)	1st-10
40	Missouri	IR (Gomes)	1st-G
39	Louisiana-Lafayette	Rush (Helu Jr.)	1st-G
37	Kansas	Pass (Lee to Paul)	1st-10
37	Kansas	Pass (Lee to Paul)	1st-G
35	Kansas	Pass (Lee to Paul)	1st-10
35	Virginia Tech	Pass (Lee to Gilleylen)	1st-10
34	Iowa State	BLKR (Fisher)	1st-10
34	Louisiana-Lafayette	Pass (Lee to Young)	1st-10
33	Iowa State	KOR (Paul)	1st-10
33	Louisiana-Lafayette	PR (Burkhead)	1st-10
32	Kansas	Rush (Lee)	1st-10
32	Florida Atlantic	KOR (Paul)	1st-10
32	Arkansas State	Pass (Lee to McNeill)	Touchdown
31	Virginia Tech	Rush (Helu Jr.)	1st-10
30	Kansas	Rush (Helu Jr.)	1st-10
30	Oklahoma	IR (O'Hanlon)	1st-10
30	Texas Tech	KOR (Marlowe)	1st-10
30	Texas Tech	Pass (Green to Holt)	1st-10
30	Arkansas State	Rush (Paul)	Touchdown
29	Virginia Tech	Rush (Helu Jr.)	1st-10
29	Arkansas State	PR (Paul)	1st-10
29	Florida Atlantic	Pass (Lee to McNeill)	1st-10
28	Kansas State	KOR (Marlowe)	1st-10
28	Kansas	KOR (Paul)	1st-10
28	Florida Atlantic	Rush (Helu Jr.)	1st-10
28	Florida Atlantic	Pass (Lee to Holt)	Touchdown
27	Texas Tech	Pass (Lee to Helu Jr.)	1st-10
27	Virginia Tech	KOR (Paul)	1st-10
27	Arkansas State	Pass (Lee to Young)	1st-G
26	Oklahoma	KOR (Marlowe)	1st-10
26	Iowa State	KOR (Marlowe)	1st-10
26	Texas Tech	Pass (Lee to Brooks)	1st-G
26	Louisiana-Lafayette	PR (Burkhead)	1st-10
26	Florida Atlantic	Pass (Lee to Gilleylen)	1st-10
25	Kansas State	KOR (Marlowe)	1st-10
25	Oklahoma	Rush (Helu Jr.)	1st-10
25	Baylor	PR (Blatchford ... blocked punt)	Touchdown
25	Texas Tech	KOR (Dennard)	1st-10
24	Colorado	Pass (Lee to Cotton)	Touchdown
24	Baylor	KOR (Marlowe)	1st-10
24	Louisiana-Lafayette	Pass (Green to Burkhead)	Touchdown
24	Louisiana-Lafayette	Rush (Green)	Touchdown
24	Louisiana-Lafayette	Pass (Lee to Brooks)	1st-10
24	Arkansas State	PR (Paul)	1st-10
23	Baylor	Rush (Robinson)	1st-10
22	Oklahoma	IR (Amukamara)	1st-G
22	Baylor	Pass (Green to Reed)	1st-10
22	Texas Tech	KOR (Legate)	1st-10
22	Louisiana-Lafayette	Pass (Lee to Brooks)	1st-G
22	Virginia Tech	KOR (Paul)	1st-10
22	Virginia Tech	KOR (Paul)	1st-10
21	Colorado	KOR (Paul)	1st-10
21	Iowa State	Pass (Lee to Paul)	1st-10
21	Iowa State	Rush (Robinson)	1st-10
21	Iowa State	KOR (Paul)	1st-10
21	Louisiana-Lafayette	PR (Paul)	1st-10
21	Louisiana-Lafayette	FR (Fisher)	1st-10
20	Colorado	IR (O'Hanlon)	Touchdown
20	Kansas	Rush (Helu Jr.)	Touchdown
20	Arkansas State	Pass (Lee to Paul)	1st-10
20	Arkansas State	Pass (Lee to Brooks)	1st-10
20	Virginia Tech	Rush (Helu Jr.)	1st-10
20	Virginia Tech	Rush (Helu Jr.)	1st-10

OPPONENT LONG PLAYS

YARDS	OPPONENT	PLAY	RESULT
82	Texas Tech	FR (Howard)	Touchdown
81	Virginia Tech	Pass (Taylor to Coale)	1st-Goal
70	Virginia Tech	KOR (Roberts)	1st-10
62	Baylor	PR (Casey ... lateral on return)	1st-10
58	Colorado	Pass (Hansen to Simas)	1st-10
58	Texas Tech	Pass (Sheffield to Lewis)	1st-10
56	Colorado	Pass (Hansen to McKnight)	Touchdown
47	Iowa State	Pass (Tiller to Williams)	Touchdown
46	Virginia Tech	Rush (Williams)	1st-10
45	Baylor	IR (Odom)	Touchdown
43	Arkansas State	Pass (Leonard to Murry)	1st-10
42	Kansas State	IR (Hartman)	1st-10
41	Baylor	Pass (Florence to Gettis)	1st-10
40	Baylor	Pass (Florence to Gettis)	1st-10
40	Texas Tech	KOR (Stephens)	1st-10
38	Missouri	Pass (Gabbert to Perry)	1st-Goal
38	Florida Atlantic	Pass (VanCamp to Rose)	1st-Goal
35	Oklahoma	PR (Broyles)	1st-10
34	Texas Tech	Pass (Sheffield to Leong)	1st-10
33	Oklahoma	Pass (Jones to Miller)	1st-10
32	Louisiana-Lafayette	Pass (Masson to Green)	1st-10
31	Baylor	KOR (Williams)	1st-10
30	Baylor	PR (Buerck)	1st-10
28	Colorado	Rush (Stewart)	1st-10
28	Kansas	Pass (Reesing to Briscoe)	1st-10
28	Baylor	Pass (Florence to Wright)	1st-10
27	Kansas State	Pass (Klein to Thomas)	1st-10
27	Missouri	PR (Gettis)	1st-10
27	Florida Atlantic	Pass (Smith to Gent)	1st-10
27	Florida Atlantic	KOR (Polo)	1st-10
26	Louisiana-Lafayette	Pass (Masson to Green)	1st-10
25	Oklahoma	PR (Broyles)	1st-10
25	Florida Atlantic	KOR (Rolle)	1st-10
24	Colorado	KOR (Lockridge)	1st-10
24	Kansas State	Rush (Thomas)	1st-10
24	Kansas State	Pass (Gregory to Snipes)	1st-10
24	Kansas State	Rush (Thomas)	1st-10
23	Colorado	Pass (Hansen to Simas)	1st-10
23	Kansas	KOR (Stuckey)	1st-10
23	Oklahoma	KOR (Madu)	1st-10
23	Missouri	Rush (Washington)	1st-10
23	Florida Atlantic	Rush (Morris)	1st-10
22	Kansas State	PR (Banks)	1st-10
22	Oklahoma	Pass (Jones to Broyles)	1st-10
22	Baylor	KOR (Williams)	1st-10
22	Texas Tech	Pass (Sheffield to Lewis)	1st-10
21	Kansas	Pass (Reesing to Meier)	Touchdown
21	Kansas	Pass (Reesing to Briscoe)	Touchdown
21	Iowa State	KOR (Johnson)	1st-10
21	Texas Tech	Rush (Jeffers)	1st-10
21	Missouri	KOR (Jasper)	1st-10
21	Virginia Tech	Pass (Taylor to Boyce)	1st-10
21	Arkansas State	Pass (Leonard to McLennan)	1st-Goal
20	Colorado	Pass (Hansen to McKnight)	1st-10
20	Kansas	KOR (McDougald)	1st-10
20	Iowa State	Rush (Brandtner)	1st-10
20	Missouri	Pass (Gabbert to Perry)	1st-10
20	Missouri	KOR (Jasper)	1st-10
20	Arkansas State	Rush (Arnold)	1st-10
20	Louisiana-Lafayette	KOR (Miller)	1st-10

GAME-OPENING DRIVES

Opponent	[----- Nebraska -----]			[----- Opponent -----]		
	Pts.	1st Dwn	Yds	Pts.	1st Dwn	Yds
Florida Atlantic	0	0	(-2)	0	0	5
Arkansas State	7	3	80	0	3	47
Virginia Tech	0	0	1	7	2	24
Louisiana-Lafayette	3	3	71	0	1	22
Missouri	0	1	10	0	2	14
Texas Tech	0	0	(-1)	7	4	80
Iowa State	0	0	3	3	0	4
Baylor	3	3	44	0	1	14
Oklahoma	0	0	0	0	1	16
Kansas	7	2	58	0	0	2
Kansas State	3	5	56	3	3	58
Colorado	0	1	8	0	0	9

SECOND HALF-OPENING DRIVES

Opponent	[----- Nebraska -----]			[----- Opponent -----]		
	Pts.	1st Dwn	Yds	Pts.	1st Dwn	Yds
Florida Atlantic	7	4	62	0	2	22
Arkansas State	7	3	67	0	1	19
Virginia Tech	0	0	2	0	0	2
Louisiana-Lafayette	7	3	73	0	0	3
Missouri	0	0	(-11)	0	0	4
Texas Tech	0	1	19	0	1	16
Iowa State	0	2	52	0	1	12
Baylor	0	0	7	3	1	18
Oklahoma	0	1	6	0	0	5
Kansas	3	4	79	0	3	73
Kansas State	7	2	70	0	4	79
Colorado	0	1	9	7	4	59

Miscellaneous Numbers

SCORING DRIVES

Game	Scoring		[---Time---]		[--Plays--]		5 or less	1 or 0
	Drives	Total	Avg.	Total	Avg.			
Florida Atlantic	7	20:57	2:59	43	6.2	5		None
Arkansas State	6	20:05	3:21	44	7.3	2		None
Virginia Tech	5	14:57	2:59	35	7.0	2		None
Louisiana-Lafayette	9*	19:22	2:09	44	4.9	6		1
Missouri	4	8:00	2:00	19	4.8	2		None
Texas Tech	2	6:25	3:13	18	9.0	0		None
Iowa State	1	4:06	4:06	9	9.0	0		None
Baylor	4#	11:00	2:45	26	6.5	2		1
Oklahoma	2	3:20	1:40	8	4.0	1		1
Kansas	6	22:56	3:49	52	8.7	1		None
Kansas State	3	11:56	3:59	27	9.0	1		0
Colorado	4@	9:58	2:29	19	4.8	2		2
Totals	53	2:33:02	2:53	334	6.3	24		5
Opponents	25^	1:20:23	3:12	178	7.1	4		2

**includes one defensive score with drive of 0:00* *#includes one blocked punt return with drive of 0:00*
^includes two defensive scores with drive of 0:00 *@includes one defensive and one special team score with drive of 0:00*

NEBRASKA SCORING DRIVES

Opponent	[-----Drive-----]				Qtr./Time	Play
	Plays	Yds	Time	Score		
Florida Atlantic	5	44	2:32	7-0	1st/7:41	Holt 28-yd. pass from Lee
Florida Atlantic	4	72	1:49	14-0	2nd/13:43	Gilleylen 51-yd. pass from Lee
Florida Atlantic	15	82	7:16	21-3	2nd/00:51	Helu Jr. 1-yd. run
Florida Atlantic	4	62	2:17	28-3	3rd/12:36	Helu Jr. 7-yd. run
Florida Atlantic	4	68	1:49	35-3	3rd/7:26	Helu Jr. 44-yd. run
Florida Atlantic	4	55	2:00	42-3	3rd/00:00	Burkhead 8-yd. run
Florida Atlantic	7	80	3:14	49-3	4th/6:03	Green 1-yd. run
Arkansas State	8	80	3:20	7-0	1st/11:40	Legate 3-yd. pass from Lee
Arkansas State	11	80	5:20	14-0	1st/1:15	McNeill 13-yd. pass from Lee
Arkansas State	3	46	0:51	21-0	2nd/13:59	Paul 30-yd. run
Arkansas State	11	58	5:14	24-6	2nd/00:09	Henery 26-yd. FG
Arkansas State	4	67	1:36	31-6	3rd/9:47	McNeill 32-yd. pass from Lee
Arkansas State	7	66	3:44	38-9	4th/8:14	Paul 2-yd. pass from Lee
Virginia Tech	4	(-1)	1:29	3-7	1st/0:56	Henery 40-yd. FG
Virginia Tech	6	48	1:49	6-7	2nd/12:49	Henery 27-yd. FG
Virginia Tech	10	77	4:32	9-7	2nd/5:23	Henery 19-yd. FG
Virginia Tech	4	50	2:06	12-10	2nd/0:18	Henery 38-yd. FG
Virginia Tech	10	54	5:01	15-10	4th/4:33	Henery 38-yd. FG
Louisiana-Lafayette	11	71	4:55	3-0	1st/7:06	Henery 39-yd. FG
Louisiana-Lafayette	3	43	0:45	10-0	1st/5:03	Cotton 0-yd fumble recovery
Louisiana-Lafayette	6	38	2:16	13-0	1st/0:08	Henery 46-yd. FG
Louisiana-Lafayette	4	27	1:59	20-0	2nd/12:00	Brooks 4-yd. pass from Lee
Louisiana-Lafayette	3	26	0:42	27-0	2nd/11:11	Helu Jr. 2-yd. run
Louisiana-Lafayette	0	0	0:00	34-0	2nd/6:16	Asante 74-yd. interception return
Louisiana-Lafayette	10	73	6:18	41-0	3rd/8:36	Helu Jr. 2-yd. run
Louisiana-Lafayette	5	41	1:51	48-0	4th/11:04	Burkhead 24-yd. pass from Green
Louisiana-Lafayette	2	41	0:36	55-0	4th/8:46	Green 24-yd. run
Missouri	6	69	2:29	7-12	4th/13:56	Paul 56-yd. pass from Lee
Missouri	2	18	0:45	13-12	4th/12:59	Paul 13-yd. pass from Lee
Missouri	3	10	0:58	20-12	4th/10:34	McNeill 7-yd. pass from Lee
Missouri	8	68	4:28	27-12	4th/0:56	Helu 5-yd. run
Texas Tech	11	74	5:02	3-21	2nd/6:56	Henery 21-yd. FG
Texas Tech	7	40	1:23	10-24	4th/8:40	Cooper 13-yd. pass from Green
Iowa State	9	42	4:06	7-3	1st/3:26	Robinson 3-yd. run
Baylor	0	0	0:00	7-0	1st/13:31	Blatchford 25-yd. blocked punt return
Baylor	11	44	5:04	10-0	1st/5:43	Henery 45-yd. FG
Baylor	12	75	4:56	13-0	2nd/12:16	Henery 22-yd. FG
Baylor	3	46	1:00	20-0	2nd/9:28	Robinson 1-yd. run
Oklahoma	1	1	0:23	7-0	2nd/13:36	Hill 1-yd. pass from Lee
Oklahoma	7	33	2:57	10-3	3rd/5:38	Henery 28-yd. FG
Kansas	6	58	2:55	7-0	1st/12:05	Helu Jr. 0-yd. fumble recovery
Kansas	6	70	1:56	10-0	2nd/10:47	Henery 25-yd. FG
Kansas	13	79	7:15	13-10	3rd/3:42	Henery 34-yd. FG
Kansas	13	51	5:50	16-10	4th/11:53	Henery 38-yd. FG
Kansas	4	31	1:04	24-17	4th/6:19	Helu Jr. 20-yd. run
Kansas	10	74	4:46	31-17	4th/0:29	Helu Jr. 14-yd. run
Kansas State	16	56	7:37	3-3	1st/1:44	Henery 34-yd. FG
Kansas State	7	57	2:46	10-3	2nd/12:02	McNeill 17-yd. pass from Lee
Kansas State	4	70	1:33	17-3	3rd/13:21	Helu Jr. 14-yd. run
Colorado	0	0	0:00	7-0	1st/3:34	Paul 59-yd. punt return
Colorado	6	56	3:06	14-0	2nd/14:53	Cotton 24-yd. pass from Lee
Colorado	0	0	0:00	21-7	3:16/2nd	O'Hanlon 20-yd. interception return
Colorado	13	80	6:52	28-14	4th/6:43	Burkhead 7-yd. run

OPPONENT SCORING DRIVES

Opponent	[-----Drive-----]				Qtr./Time	Play
	Plays	Yds	Time	Score		
Florida Atlantic	11	71	5:20	3-14	2nd/13:33	Gornall 21-yd. FG
Arkansas State	6	32	3:12	6-21	2nd/5:30	Arnold 1-yd. run
Arkansas State	8	39	2:39	9-31	4th/12:05	Arauco 42-yd. FG
Virginia Tech	7	24	3:45	7-0	1st/11:15	Williams 1-yd. run
Virginia Tech	7	58	2:53	10-9	2nd/2:30	Waldron 39-yd. FG
Virginia Tech	5	88	1:23	16-15	4th/0:21	Roberts 11-yd. pass from Taylor
Missouri	7	44	0:48	9-0	2nd/0:00	Gabbert 1-yd. run
Missouri	7	19	2:16	12-0	3rd/1:26	Ressell 33-yd. FG
Texas Tech	9	80	4:39	7-0	1st/10:21	Batch 16-yd. pass from Sheffield
Texas Tech	0	0	0:00	14-0	1st/4:42	Howard 82-yd. fumble return
Texas Tech	12	65	6:40	21-0	2nd/6:56	Sheffield 1-yd. run
Texas Tech	5	67	1:39	24-3	2nd/0:11	Williams 32-yd. FG
Texas Tech	9	54	5:00	31-10	4th/3:30	Sheffield 1-yd. run
Iowa State	4	4	1:20	3-0	1st/13:24	Mahoney 52-yd. FG
Iowa State	7	83	2:56	9-7	2nd/6:53	Williams 47-yd. pass from Tiller
Baylor	7	18	4:00	3-20	3rd/9:22	Parks 41-yd. FG
Baylor	0	0	0:00	10-20	3rd/3:27	Odum 45-yd. INT return
Oklahoma	9	59	3:14	3-7	2nd/0:24	Way 28-yd. FG
Kansas	13	80	5:49	7-10	2nd/4:58	Reesing 5-yd. run
Kansas	12	64	3:37	10-10	2nd/0:00	Branstetter 33-yd. FG
Kansas	10	89	4:11	17-16	3rd/7:34	Briscoe 21-yd. pass from Reesing
Kansas State	10	58	5:30	3-0	1st/9:26	Cherry 44-yd. FG
Colorado	7	67	3:15	7-14	2nd/5:39	Behrens 2-yd. pass from Hansen
Colorado	12	59	4:49	14-21	3rd/6:50	McKnight 6-yd. pass from Hansen
Colorado	8	80	1:30	20-28	4th/0:00	McKnight 56-yd. pass from Hansen

NEBRASKA POINTS OFF TURNOVERS

Game	TOs Gained	TDs	FG-FGA	Pts.	(NU Fumbles/Lost, INT)
Florida Atlantic	3 (5/1 F/L, 2 Int)	2	0-0	14	1 (1/0 F/L, 1 Int)
Arkansas State	1 (2/1 F/L, 0 Int)	0	0-0	0	0 (0/0 F/L, 0 Int)
Virginia Tech	0 (0/0 F/L, 0 Int)	0	0-0	0	2 (0/0 F/L, 2 Int)
Louisiana-Lafayette	3 (4/2 F/L, 1 Int)	2	0-0	14	0 (2/0 F/L, 0 Int)
Missouri	3 (2/1 F/L, 2 Int)	2	0-0	13	2 (5/2 F/L, 0 Int)
Texas Tech	0 (1/0 F/L, 0 Int)	0	0-0	0	2 (1/1 F/L, 1 Int)
Iowa State	0 (1/0 F/L, 0 Int)	0	0-0	0	8 (7/5 F/L, 3 Int)
Baylor	3 (2/1 F/L, 2 Int)	0	1-1	3	2 (1/1 F/L, 1 Int)
Oklahoma	5 (2/0 F/L, 5 Int)	1	1-1	10	1 (1/1 F/L, 0 Int)
Kansas	1 (1/1 F/L, 0 Int)	0	1-1	3	0 (1/0 F/L, 0 Int)
Kansas State	2 (3/1 F/L, 1 Int)	0	0-0	0	1 (0/0 F/L, 1 Int)
Colorado	3 (2/0 F/L, 3 Int)	1	0-0	7	1 (2/1 F/L, 0 Int)
Totals	24 (25/8 F/L, 16 Int)	8	3-3	64	20 (21/11 F/L, 9 Int)
Opponents	21 (21/11 F/L, 9 Int)	3	1-3	23	24 (25/8 F/L, 16 Int)

STARTING FIELD POSITION*

	NU Avg. Start	Opp. Avg. Start	NU lead
	(yards/drives/in 20/past 50)	(yards/drives/in 20/past 50)	
Florida Atlantic	35.0 (420/12/1/1)	22.8 (273/12/3/0)	+12.2
Arkansas State	28.4 (284/10/1/1)	22.0 (242/11/4/1)	+6.4
Virginia Tech	30.6 (398/13/4/2)	29.8 (387/13/3/1)	+0.8
Louisiana-Lafayette	42.6 (511/12/1/5)	18.3 (238/13/5/0)	+24.3
Missouri	33.6 (504/15/6/2)	35.4 (566/16/2/4)	-1.8
Texas Tech	42.9 (515/12/0/3)	25.7 (283/11/5/0)	+17.2
Iowa State	30.6 (398/13/5/2)	27.9 (391/14/6/3)	+2.7
Baylor	31.5 (410/13/3/2)	29.1 (378/13/2/2)	+2.4
Oklahoma	31.6 (537/17/4/3)	31.9 (510/16/3/3)	-0.3
Kansas	29.4 (294/10/3/1)	24.9 (274/11/2/0)	+4.5
Kansas State	27.9 (307/11/3/1)	23.5 (259/11/2/2)	+4.4
Colorado	34.7 (382/11/0/0)	20.7 (272/13/6/1)	+14.0
Totals	33.3 (4,960/149/31/23)	26.4 (4,073/154/43/17)	+6.9

**does not include drives with time of 0:00 (ie, defensive and special teams touchdowns, end of half turnovers, overtime, etc.)*

PENALTY NUMBERS

	NU Pen.-Yds.	Opp. Pen.-Yds
Florida Atlantic	9-86	11-67
Arkansas State	3-40	3-20
Virginia Tech	9-60	7-53
Louisiana-Lafayette	6-54	3-14
Missouri	12-108	8-100
Texas Tech	12-95	4-40
Iowa State	3-25	8-72
Baylor	6-65	4-25
Oklahoma	11-104	9-64
Kansas	5-55	4-50
Kansas State	3-34	7-69
Colorado	7-49	7-34
Totals (Avg/Penalty)	86-775 (9.0)	75-608 (8.1)
Avg/G	7.2-64.6	6.3-50.7

Individual Career/Season Superlatives

SEASON AND CAREER, MOST PASSING YARDS		
Player	2009	Career
Zac Lee	340 vs. Arkansas State	same
Cody Green	128 at Baylor	same
Latravis Washington	None	None

* - indicates touchdown pass

SEASON AND CAREER, MOST RECEIVING YARDS		
Player	2009	Career
Chris Brooks	66 vs. Texas Tech	same
Rex Burkhead	26 vs. Louisiana-Lafayette	same
Wes Cammack	2 vs. Louisiana-Lafayette	5 vs. New Mexico State, 2008
Khiry Cooper	26 vs. Louisiana-Lafayette	same
Ben Cotton	33 at Colorado	same
Roy Helu Jr.	44 vs. Arkansas State	61 vs. Kansas, 2008
Ryan Hill	7 vs. Arkansas State	same
Menelik Holt	45 vs. Florida Atlantic	67 vs. Missouri, 2008
Curenski Gilleylen	92 vs. Florida Atlantic	same
Brandon Kinnie	27 vs. Iowa State	same
Tyler Legate	13 vs. Kansas State	same
Mike McNeill	57 vs. Arkansas State	70 vs. Colorado, 2008
Marcus Mendoza	32 vs. Texas Tech	same
Niles Paul	154 at Kansas	same
Kyler Reed	22 at Baylor	same
Dontrayevous Robinson	22 at Baylor	same
Dreu Young	34 vs. Louisiana-Lafayette	55 vs. W. Michigan, 2008

*Indicates touchdown scored

SEASON AND CAREER, MOST RUSHING YARDS		
Player	2009	Career
Rex Burkhead	100 at Colorado	same
Cody Green	50 vs. Florida Atlantic	same
Roy Helu Jr.	169 at Virginia Tech	same
Austin Jones	9 vs. Louisiana-Lafayette	same
Zac Lee	53 at Kansas	same
Marcus Mendoza	8 vs. Iowa State	58 at Kansas State
Niles Paul	30 vs. Arkansas State	same
Dontrayevous Robinson	77 vs. Iowa State	same
Lester Ward	16 at Baylor	same
Latravis Washington	10 vs. Louisiana-Lafayette	same

*Indicates touchdown scored

SEASON AND CAREER, LONGEST PASS	
2009	Career
72 vs. Iowa State (Paul)	same
45 at Baylor (Paul)	same
None	None

SEASON AND CAREER, LONGEST CATCH	
2009	Career
26 vs. Texas Tech (Lee)	same
24* vs. Louisiana-Lafayette (Green)	same
2 vs. Louisiana-Lafayette	5 vs. New Mexico State (Lee), 2008
17 vs. Louisiana-Lafayette (Green)	same
24* at Colorado (Lee)	same
27 vs. Texas Tech (Lee)	27 four times (three by Ganz, one by Lee)
7 vs. Arkansas State (Lee)	same
30 vs. Texas Tech (Green)	35 vs. Kansas State (Ganz), 2007
51* vs. Florida Atlantic (Lee)	same
13 vs. Iowa State, vs. Oklahoma (Lee)	same
13 vs. Kansas State (Lee)	same
32* vs. Arkansas State (Lee)	53* vs. Colorado (Ganz), 2008
9 vs. Texas Tech	same
72 vs. Iowa State (Lee)	same
22 at Baylor (Green)	same
19 at Baylor (Green)	same
34 vs. Louisiana-Lafayette (Lee)	55 vs. W. Michigan (Ganz), 2008

SEASON AND CAREER, LONGEST RUN	
2009	Career
16 vs. Arkansas State	same
49 vs. Florida Atlantic	same
63 vs. Oklahoam	same
9 vs. Louisiana-Lafayette	same
32 at Kansas	same
7 vs. Iowa State	35 vs. New Mexico State, 2008
30* vs. Arkansas State	same
23 at Baylor	same
8 vs. Arkansas State	same
7 vs. Florida Atlantic	same

SEASON AND CAREER DEFENSE HIGHS						
Player	Tackles (2009)	Career	TFL (2009)	Career	Sacks (2009)	Career
Pierre Allen	7 vs. Texas Tech	10 vs. San Jose St., 2008	3 vs. Texas Tech	3 two times	2.0 vs. Texas Tech	same
Prince Amukamara	9 at Missouri	same	1 vs. ASU, at VT, at KU	1 five times, last 2009	1.0 vs. ASU, at KU	1.0 three times, last 2009
Larry Asante	10 vs. KSU	13 at Oklahoma, 2008	1 at Baylor	2 vs. Baylor, 2008	None	1.0 vs. Baylor, 2008
Austin Cassidy	2 vs. ULL, vs. OU	same	None	same	None	same
Will Compton	7 at Virginia Tech	same	1 vs. Texas Tech	same	0.5 vs. Texas Tech	same
Jared Crick	13 at Baylor	same	7 at Baylor (Ties School Record)	same	5.0 at Baylor (School Record)	same
Jase Dean	3 vs. Florida Atlantic	same	None	same	None	same
Alfonzo Dennard	6 vs. Oklahoma	same	1 four times	same	None	same
Phillip Dillard	12 vs. Texas Tech, Iowa State	same	4 vs. Texas Tech	same	1.0 vs. ULL, vs. OU, vs. KSU	same
Sean Fisher	9 vs. Iowa State	same	1 at VT, at BU	same	1.0 at Baylor	same
Dejon Gomes	8 at Kansas	same	1 at Missouri, at Kansas	same	None	same
Eric Hagg	6 vs. ULL, at BU	10 vs. New Mexico St., 2008	1 six times	1 six times	1.0 vs. ASU, vs. KSU	same
Justin Jackson	1 vs. Florida Atlantic	same	None	same	None	same
Faron Klingelhoefer	1 vs. ASU, vs. ULL	same	None	same	None	same
Colton Koehler	3 vs. Louisiana-Lafayette	8 at Kansas State, 2008	1 vs. Louisiana-Lafayette	1 two times, last 2009	None	same
Blake Lawrence	6 vs. Florida Atlantic	same	None	same	None	same
Eric Martin	4 vs. Florida Atlantic	same	None	same	None	same
Mathew May	4 at Missouri	same	None	same	None	same
Cameron Meredith	5 vs. Louisiana-Lafayette	same	2 vs. Louisiana-Lafayette	same	1.0 vs. Louisiana-Lafayette	same
Terrence Moore	2 vs. Louisiana-Lafayette	3 vs. W. Michigan, 2008	None	2 vs. W. Michigan, 2008	None	2.0 vs. W. Michigan, 2008
Matt O'Hanlon	12 vs. Oklahoma	same	1 at Virginia Tech	1 three times, last 2009	1.0 at Virginia Tech	same
P.J. Smith	4 vs. Oklahoma	same	None	same	None	same
Baker Steinkuhler	5 vs. Florida Atlantic	same	1 at Virginia Tech	same	None	same
Graham Stoddard	3 vs. Florida Atlantic	same	None	same	None	same
Ndamukong Suh	9 vs. KSU	12 vs. Kansas, 2008	3 vs. ASU, at BU	4 vs. Kansas, 2008	1.5 vs. Arkansas State	2.5 vs. Kansas, 2008
Rickey Thenarse	8 vs. Florida Atlantic	8, two times (last vs. FAU)	1 vs. Florida Atlantic	2 vs. Colorado, 2008	None	1.0 two times, 2008
Lance Thorell	2 vs. La-Lafayette, at Missouri	8 vs. New Mexico St., 2008	None	same	None	same
Barry Turner	6 at Virginia Tech	same	3 at Virginia Tech	3, three times	1.5 vs. Texas Tech	2.0 vs. Baylor, 2005
Anthony West	3 at VT, vs. KSU	6 vs. Kansas, 2008	None	2 vs. Texas A&M, 2007	None	1.0 two times
Josh Williams	2 vs. Florida Atlantic	Same	None	same	None	same

Nebraska Statistical Highs and Lows

NEBRASKA TOTALS	HIGHS	LOWS
Points Scored	55 (Louisiana-Lafayette)	7 (Iowa State)
First Downs	27 (Arkansas State)	7 (Oklahoma)
Rushing Attempts	45 (Kansas State)	28 (Arkansas State, Iowa State)
Rushing Yards	259 (Florida Atlantic)	70 (Texas Tech)
Passes Attempted	41 (Arkansas State)	14 (Oklahoma)
Passes Completed	30 (Arkansas State)	7 (Oklahoma)
Had Intercepted	3 (Iowa State)	0 (Arkansas State, Louisiana-Lafayette, at Missouri, Oklahoma, at Kansas, at Colorado)
Passing Yards	358 (Arkansas State)	39 (Oklahoma)
Total Plays	69 (Arkansas State)	54 (at Colorado)
Total Yards	494 (Arkansas State)	180 (Oklahoma)
Possession Time	31:38 (Arkansas State)	26:20 (Iowa State)
Fumbles	7 (Iowa State)	0 (Arkansas State, at Virginia Tech, Kansas State)
Fumbles Lost	5 (Iowa State)	0 (six times)
Turnovers	8 (Iowa State)	0 (Arkansas State, Louisiana-Lafayette, at Kansas)
Turnover Margin	+4 (Oklahoma)	-8 (Iowa State)
Penalties	12 (at Missouri, Texas Tech)	3 (Arkansas State, Iowa State, Kansas State)
Yards Penalized	108 (at Missouri)	25 (Iowa State)
Sacks By-Yards Lost	7-30 (at Baylor)	0-0 (Florida Atlantic)
Team Tackles for Loss-Yards	13-61 (Texas Tech); 13-45 (at Baylor)	1-17 (at Colorado)

OPPONENT TOTALS	HIGHS	LOWS
Points Scored	31 (Texas Tech)	0 (Louisiana-Lafayette)
First Downs	23 (Florida Atlantic, Oklahoma)	11 (Virginia Tech, Iowa State)
Rushing Attempts	48 (Iowa State)	25 (Texas Tech)
Rushing Yards	143 (Arkansas State)	25 (Texas Tech)
Passes Attempted	58 (Oklahoma)	19 (Iowa State)
Passes Completed	26 (Oklahoma)	9 (Iowa State)
Had Intercepted	5 (Oklahoma)	0 (Arkansas State, Virginia Tech, Texas Tech, Iowa State, Kansas)
Passing Yards	245 (Oklahoma)	102 (Iowa State)
Total Plays	87 (Oklahoma)	57 (Texas Tech)
Total Yards	403 (at Colorado)	222 (Louisiana-Lafayette)
Possession Time	33:40 (Iowa State)	28:22 (Arkansas State)
Fumbles	5 (Florida Atlantic)	0 (Virginia Tech, Texas Tech)
Fumbles Lost	2 (Louisiana-Lafayette)	0 (Virginia Tech, Texas Tech, Iowa State, Oklahoma)
Turnovers	5 (Oklahoma)	0 (Virginia Tech, Texas Tech, Iowa State)
Turnover Margin	+8 (Iowa State)	-4 (Oklahoma)
Penalties	11 (Florida Atlantic)	3 (Arkansas State, Louisiana-Lafayette)
Yards Penalized	100 (Missouri)	14 (Louisiana-Lafayette)
Sacks By-Yards Lost	5-22 (Texas Tech)	0-0 (Florida Atlantic, Virginia Tech, Baylor)
Team Tackles for Loss-Yards Lost	10-43 (Kansas State)	2-3 (Florida Atlantic)

NEBRASKA INDIVIDUAL HIGHS
Most Rushing Attempts.....28; Roy Helu Jr. at Virginia Tech, at Kansas
Most Net Rushing Yards169; Roy Helu Jr. at Virginia Tech
Most Rushing TDs.....3; Roy Helu Jr. vs. Florida Atlantic
Longest TD Run.....44; Roy Helu Jr. vs. Florida Atlantic
Longest Run, No TD.....63; Roy Helu Jr. vs. Oklahoma
Most Pass Attempts35; Zac Lee vs. Arkansas State
Most Completed Passes27; Zac Lee vs. Arkansas State
Most Passing Yards.....340; Zac Lee vs. Arkansas State
Longest TD Pass.....56; Zac Lee to Niles Paul at Missouri
Longest Pass, No TD72; Zac Lee to Niles Paul vs. Iowa State
Most Pass Receptions.....6; Niles Paul vs. Arkansas State, at Missouri, vs. Iowa State
Most Receiving Yards154; Niles Paul at Kansas
Most TD Receptions2; Mike McNeill vs. Arkansas State; Niles Paul at Missouri
Most Total Offense Attempts.....42; Zac Lee vs. Arkansas State (36 pass, 7 rush)
Most Total Offense Yards.....351; Zac Lee vs. Arkansas State (340 passing, 11 rushing)
Most All Purpose Attempts32; Roy Helu Jr. at Virginia Tech (28 rush, 4 rec.)
Most All Purpose Yards244; Niles Paull at Kansas (154 receiving, 72 kickoff return, 18 punt return)
Most Touchdowns Scored3; Roy Helu Jr. vs. Florida Atlantic (3 rush), at Kansas (2 rush, 1 fumble recovery)
Most Field Goals Attempted5; Alex Henery at Virginia Tech
Most Field Goals Made.....5; Alex Henery at Virginia Tech
Longest Field Goal Made.....46; Alex Henery vs. Louisiana-Lafayette
Longest Field Goal Attempted.....54; Alex Henery vs. Arkansas State
Most Interceptions3; Matt O’Hanlon vs. Oklahoma (TIES SCHOOL RECORD)
Longest Interception TD Return74; Larry Asante vs. Louisiana-Lafayette
Longest Interception Return, No TD.....40; Dejon Gomes at Missouri; Prince Amukamara at Colorado
Longest Fumble TD Return.....None (NOTE: Ben Cotton vs. ULL and Roy Helu Jr. at Kansas each had an offensive fumble recovery TD in endzone which were not fumble returns)
Longest Fumble Return, No TD4; Cameron Meredith vs. Florida Atlantic; Prince Amukamara vs. Kansas State
Longest Punt Return, TD59; Niles Paul at Colorado
Longest Punt Return, No TD.....55; Niles Paul at Virginia Tech
Most Punt Return Yardage.....86; Niles Paul at Virginia Tech
Longest Kickoff Return, TDNone
Longest Kickoff Return, No TD44; Niles Paul at Kansas
Most Kickoff Return Yardage.....72; Niles Paul at Kansas (2 returns)
Most Punts11; Alex Henery vs. Oklahoma (43.7 avg.)
Highest Punting Average.....50.7; Alex Henery at Colorado (6 punts)
Longest Punt.....76; Alex Henery at Virginia Tech

Nebraska Statistical Highs and Lows

NEBRASKA INDIVIDUAL HIGHS....(CONTINUED)

Most Total Tackles.....	13; Jared Crick at Baylor (10 solo, 3 assist)
Most Solo Tackles.....	10; Jared Crick at Baylor
Most Tackles for Loss	7; Jared Crick at Baylor (28 yards).... TIES SCHOOL RECORD FOR TFL
Most Yards Lost	28; Jared Crick at Baylor (7 TFL)
Most Quarterback Sacks.....	5.0; Jared Crick at Baylor (24 yards)... SCHOOL RECORD FOR SACKS
Most Yards Lost	24; Jared Crick at Baylor (5.0 sacks)
Most Pass Breakups	4; Ndamukong Suh at Virginia Tech
Most Blocked Field Goals	1; Jared Crick vs. Florida Atlantic, Ndamukong Suh vs. Iowa State and vs. Oklahoma
Most Blocked Punts.....	1; Eric Martin at Baylor
Most Blocked PAT	1; Ndamukong Suh vs. Iowa State

OPPONENT INDIVIDUAL HIGHS

Most Yards Rushing.....	110; Rodney Stewart (Colorado)
Most Rushing Attempts.....	22; Jeremiah Schwartz (Iowa State)
Most Yards Passing.....	269; Tyler Hansen (Colorado)
Most Passing Attempts	58; Landry Jones (Oklahoma)
Most Pass Completions	26; Landry Jones (Oklahoma)
Most Pass Receptions.....	10; Kerry Meier (Kansas)
Most Yards Receiving	127; Kerry Meier (Kansas)

OPPONENT INDIVIDUAL LONGEST PLAYS

Rush.....	46; Ryan Williams (Virginia Tech)
Pass.....	81; Tyrod Taylor (Virginia Tech)
Field Goal.....	52; Grant Mahoney (Iowa State)
Punt Return	62; Chance Casey (Baylor... continuation of lateral on return)
Kickoff Return.....	76; Dyrell Roberts (Virginia Tech)
Fumble Return.....	82; Dwight Howard (Texas Tech)
Interception Return.....	45; Clifton Odom (Baylor)
Punt	60; Mike Brandtner (Iowa State), Tress Way (Oklahoma)

Nebraska Starting Lineups

HUSKER OFFENSIVE STARTERS GAME-BY-GAME

Opponent	WRX	WRZ	TE	LT	LG	C	RG	RT	QB	IB	FB	PK
Florida Atlantic	Me. Holt	Paul	McNeill	Smith	Meyer	Hickman	R. Henry	M. Jones	Lee	Helu Jr.	^Reed	Henery
Arkansas State	Me. Holt	Paul	McNeill	Smith	Meyer	Hickman	R. Henry	M. Jones	Lee	Helu Jr.	#Gilleylen	Henery
at Virginia Tech	Me. Holt	Paul	McNeill	Smith	Meyer	Hickman	R. Henry	M. Jones	Lee	Helu Jr.	^Young	Henery
Louisiana-Lafayette	Me. Holt	Paul	McNeill	Smith	Williams	Hickman	R. Henry	M. Jones	Lee	Helu Jr.	^Young	Henery
at Missouri	Me. Holt	Paul	McNeill	Smith	Williams	Hickman	R. Henry	M. Jones	Lee	Helu Jr.	#Gilleylen	Henery
Texas Tech	Cooper	Paul	McNeill	Smith	Williams	Hickman	R. Henry	M. Jones	Lee	Helu Jr.	^Young	Henery
Iowa State	^Young	Paul	McNeill	Smith	Williams	Hickman	R. Henry	M. Jones	Lee	Helu Jr.	Legate	Henery
at Baylor	Cooper	Paul	McNeill	Smith	Williams	Hickman	R. Henry	M. Jones	Green	Helu Jr.	^Cotton	Henery
Oklahoma	Cooper	Paul	McNeill	Smith	Williams	Hickman	R. Henry	M. Jones	Green	Helu Jr.	^Young	Henery
at Kansas	Cooper	Paul	McNeill	Smith	Williams	Hickman	R. Henry	M. Jones	Lee	Helu Jr.	^Young	Henery
Kansas State	^Young	Paul	McNeill	Smith	Williams	Hickman	R. Henry	M. Jones	Lee	Helu Jr.	Legate	Henery
at Colorado	Kinnie	Paul	McNeill	Smith	Williams	Hickman	R. Henry	D.J. Jones	Lee	Helu Jr.	^Young	Henery

^ - NU opened in two tight end formation # - NU opened in three wide receiver formation

HUSKER DEFENSIVE STARTERS GAME-BY-GAME

Opponent	Open End	NT	DT	Base End	BUCK	MIKE	WILL	L CB	FS	SS	R CB	P
Florida Atlantic	Allen	Suh	Crick	Turner	Fisher	Compton	Lawrence	West	O'Hanlon	Asante	Amukamara	Henery
Arkansas State	Allen	Suh	Crick	Turner	Fisher	Compton	Lawrence	West	O'Hanlon	Asante	Amukamara	Henery
at Virginia Tech	Allen	Suh	Crick	Turner	Fisher	Compton	Dillard	West	O'Hanlon	Asante	Amukamara	Henery
Louisiana-Lafayette	Allen	Suh	Crick	Turner	Fisher	Compton	*Hagg	West	O'Hanlon	Asante	Amukamara	Henery
at Missouri	Allen	Suh	Crick	Turner	#Hagg	Compton	#Thorell	Dennard	O'Hanlon	Asante	Amukamara	Henery
Texas Tech	Allen	Suh	Crick	Turner	#Hagg	Compton	#Gomes	Dennard	O'Hanlon	Asante	Amukamara	Henery
Iowa State	Allen	Suh	Crick	Turner	Fisher	*Hagg	Dillard	Dennard	O'Hanlon	Asante	Amukamara	Henery
at Baylor	Allen	Suh	Crick	Turner	&Gomes	&Hagg	Dillard	Dennard	O'Hanlon	Asante	Amukamara	Henery
Oklahoma	Allen	Suh	Crick	Turner	&Gomes	&Hagg	Dillard	Dennard	O'Hanlon	Asante	Amukamara	Henery
at Kansas	Allen	Suh	Crick	Turner	&Gomes	&Hagg	Dillard	Dennard	O'Hanlon	Asante	Amukamara	Henery
Kansas State	Allen	Suh	Crick	Turner	*Hagg	Compton	Dillard	West	O'Hanlon	Asante	Amukamara	Henery
at Colorado	Harvey	Suh	Crick	Turner	Fisher	Compton	Dillard	Dennard	O'Hanlon	Asante	Amukamara	Henery

* - NU opened with nickel package # - NU opened with dime packages & - opened with six (6) defensive backs

Overall Participation

PLAYER (GAMES):

Allen (12); Amukamara (12); Asante (12); Bell (7); Blatchford (9); Blue (8); Brooks (10); Burkhead (7); Cammack (8); Caputo (5); Cassidy (12); Choi (2); Christensen (4); Compton (11); Cooper (10); Cotton (12); Crick (12); Dean (5); Dennard (11); Dillard (10); Ebke (1); Fisher (12); Gilleylen (9); Glassman (1); Gomes (11); C. Green (7); Grove (11); Hagg (12); Harvey (2); Hays (12); Helu Jr. (12); Henery (12); R. Henry (12); W. Henry (4); Hickman (12); R. Hill (11); Me. Holt (12); J. Jackson (3); A. Jones (4); D.J. Jones (12); M. Jones (11); Kinnie (11); Klingelhoefer (2); Koehler (3); Kunalic (12); Lawrence (3); Lee (11); Legate (12); Lingenfelter (2); Maher (12); Mangieri (12); Marlowe (12); E. Martin (12); J. Martin (8); May (12); McClure (1); McNeill (12); Mendoza (7); Meredith (12); Meyer (12); Moore (3); O'Hanlon (12); Okafor (1); C. Osborne (4); S. Osborne (1); Paul (12); Reed (8); Robinson (6); M. Smith (12); P.J. Smith (12); Steinkuhler (10); Stoddard (12); Suh (12); Thenarse (4); Thompson (2); Thorell (12); Thorson (2); Turner (12); Ward (4); Washington (3); Watson (1); West (11); J. Williams (3); K. Williams (11); D. Young (11).

Game 1 | Nebraska 49, Florida Atlantic 3

SCORE BY QUARTERS	1	2	3	4	FINAL
Florida Atlantic	0	3	0	0	3
No. 24 Nebraska	7	14	21	7	49

Lincoln (Sept. 5) --- Roy Helu Jr. rushed for 152 yards in just over one half of football, and Nebraska's Blackshirts grounded Florida Atlantic's high-powered passing game, as the Cornhuskers rolled to a 49-3 victory over the Owls in front of the NCAA record 298th consecutive sellout at Memorial Stadium.

Playing in front a season-opening crowd of 85,719 - the third-largest crowd in Memorial Stadium history - and an FSN pay-per-view audience, Nebraska notched its NCAA-leading 24th consecutive season-opening victory while stretching its active winning streak to five games dating back to last season. It was the Huskers' most-lopsided season-opening win since 1993, despite playing a 2008 bowl eligible team that was loaded with returning offensive starters.

After rushing 11 times for 57 yards and a score in the first half, Helu showed another gear in third quarter by carrying five times for 95 yards and two touchdowns in the first eight minutes of the second half. Helu finished with 16 carries for 152 yards for the third-highest rushing total of his career, while his three touchdowns were a career best. In his last five regular-season games, he has rushed for 662 yards and eight touchdowns on 86 carries with an average average of 7.7 yards per carry.

While Helu led NU's ground assault, Nebraska quarterback Zac Lee was solid through the air in his starting debut, completing 15-of-22 passes for 213 yards and two TDs. The 6-2, 215-pound junior from San Francisco, Calif., helped the Huskers cruise to a 21-3 halftime lead before leading to three impressive third-quarter scoring drives.

Sophomore wide receiver **Curenski Gilleylen** and sophomore tight end Mike McNeill were Lee's favorite targets, as each hauled in four catches on the night. Gilleylen, who entered the game with only two career catches for 11 yards, finished with 92 yards receiving, including his first career touchdown grab. McNeill, who has caught at least three passes in five straight games, finished with 51 yards receiving.



SCORING SUMMARY			
1st	07:41	NU	Holt, Me. 28 yd pass from Lee (Henery kick)
2nd	13:43	NU	Gilleylen 51 yd pass from Lee (Henery kick)
	08:13	FAU	Gornall 21 yd field goal
	00:51	NU	Helu Jr. 1 yd run (Henery kick)
3rd	12:36	NU	Helu Jr. 7 yd run (Henery kick)
	07:26	NU	Helu Jr. 44 yd run (Henery kick)
	00:00	NU	Burkhead 8 yd run (Henery kick)
4th	06:03	NU	Green 1 yd run (Henery kick)

TEAM STATISTICS	FAU	NU
FIRST DOWNS	23	22
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	35-132	32-259
PASSING YDS (NET)	236	231
Passes Att-Comp-Int	41-20-2	25-17-1
TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS	76-368	57-490
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0	1-4
Punt Returns-Yards	3-10	0-0
Kickoff Returns-Yards	6-97	2-49
Interception Returns-Yards	1-0	2-18
Punts (Number-Avg)	4-35.8	3-32.3
Fumbles-Lost	5-1	1-0
Penalties-Yards	11-67	9-86
Possession Time	32:18	27:42
Third-Down Conversions	6 of 15	4 of 10
Fourth-Down Conversions	0 of 2	2 of 2
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	1-2	4-4
Sacks By: Number-Yards	0-0	0-0

RUSHING: Florida Atlantic-Morris, Alfred 18-95; Rose, Willie 6-19; Rolle, Avionne 6-8; Holley, Avery 1-7; VanCamp, Jeff 2-6; Stinson, Xavier 1-4; TEAM 1-minus 7. **Nebraska**-Helu Jr., Roy 16-152; Green, Cody 2-50; Burkhead, Rex 9-39; Lee, Zac 2-14; Washington, Latravis 1-7; Mendoza, Marcus 1-minus 1; TEAM 1-minus 2.

PASSING: Florida Atlantic-Smith, Rusty 15-31-2-164; VanCamp, Jeff 5-10-0-72. **Nebraska**-Lee, Zac 15-22-1-213; Green, Cody 2-3-0-18.

RECEIVING: Florida Atlantic-Gent, Cortez 5-58; Grant, Jamari 5-43; Rose, Willie 3-59; Bonner, Chris 2-27; Jean, Lester 2-12; Williams, D. 1-18; Holley, Avery 1-11; Harmon, Jason 1-8. **Nebraska**-Gilleylen, Curenski 4-92; McNeill, Mike 4-51; Holt, Menelik 3-45; Paul, Niles 2-13; Brooks, Chris 1-15; Burkhead, Rex 1-9; Cotton, Ben 1-3; Helu Jr., Roy 1-3.

INTERCEPTIONS: Florida Atlantic-Hill, Tarvoris 1-0. **Nebraska**-O'Hanlon, Matt 1-18; Amukamara, Prince 1-0.

FUMBLES: Florida Atlantic-McIntosh, Erick 2-0; TEAM 1-1; Rolle, Avionne 1-0; Morris, Alfred 1-0. **Nebraska**-TEAM 1-0.

SACKS (Sacks-Yds): Florida Atlantic- none. **Nebraska**- none.

TACKLE LEADER (UA-A): Florida Atlantic-Lockley, Michael 4-5. **Nebraska**-Thenarse, Rickey 3-5.

Game 2 | Nebraska 38, Arkansas State 9

SCORE BY QUARTERS	1	2	3	4	FINAL
Arkansas State	0	6	0	3	9
No. 22 Nebraska	14	10	7	7	38

Lincoln (Sept. 12) --- Quarterback Zac Lee engineered an efficient and balanced offense, while the Blackshirt defense continued to flex its muscles, as No. 22 Nebraska rolled to a 38-9 victory over visiting Arkansas State at Memorial Stadium.

Playing in front of the NCAA-record 299th consecutive sellout with 85,035 fans on hand at Memorial Stadium, Lee helped the Huskers improve to 2-0 by completing 27-of-35 passes for 340 yards and four touchdowns in his second career start. The junior from San Francisco, Calif., connected with 11 Husker receivers, while powering Nebraska to more than 490 yards of total offense for the second straight game.

Wide receiver **Niles Paul** was Lee's favorite target on the day, hauling in a career-high six catches for 69 yards with his first career touchdown reception. The junior from Omaha added the first touchdown run of his career on a 30-yard reverse. Paul added 53 kickoff return yards and 17 punt return yards to close with 169 all-purpose yards on the afternoon.

Overall, 14 different Husker receivers caught passes on the afternoon, as NU finished with 358 passing yards and 136 rushing yards. Redshirt freshman Tyler Legate caught his first career pass with a three-yard TD catch to open the scoring while Khiry Cooper, Kyler Reed and Brandon Kinnie all each record their first career catches.

Junior tight end Mike McNeill added a pair of touchdown catches on the day, while bringing down four receptions for 57 yards. Menelik Holt added a career-best five catches for 40 yards, while Roy Helu Jr. pulled down four receptions for 44 yards. Helu added 60 yards on 14 carries on the ground, as Nebraska managed 121 rushing yards on the afternoon.

Nebraska's Blackshirt defense slowed a potent Arkansas State offense, holding the Red Wolves to 272 total yards, including 141 on the ground and 131 through the air. Senior safety Larry Asante led the Blackshirts with eight tackles, including seven solos, while forcing the game's only turnover with a fumble-causing hit to stop an ASU drive inside the NU 20. Prince Amukamara added seven tackles, including a tackle-for-loss, while senior defensive tackle Ndamukong Suh notched five tackles, including three tackles for loss with 1.5 sacks (17 yards).



SCORING SUMMARY			
1st	11:40	NU	Legate 3 yd pass from Lee (Henery kick)
	01:15	NU	McNeill 13 yd pass from Lee (Henery kick)
2nd	13:59	NU	Paul 30 yd run (Henery kick)
	05:30	ASU	Arnold 1 yd run (Arauco kick failed)
	00:09	NU	Henery 26 yd field goal
3rd	09:47	NU	McNeill 32 yd pass from Lee (Henery kick)
4th	12:05	ASU	Arauco 42 yd field goal
	08:14	NU	Paul 2 yd pass from Lee (Henery kick)

TEAM STATISTICS	ASU	NU
FIRST DOWNS	15	27
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	38-143	28-136
PASSING YDS (NET)	131	358
Passes Att-Comp-Int	20-11-0	41-30-0
TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS	58-274	69-494
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punt Returns-Yards	1-14	4-31
Kickoff Returns-Yards	2-34	2-53
Interception Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punts (Number-Avg)	5-45.0	3-42.7
Fumbles-Lost	2-1	0-0
Penalties-Yards	3-20	3-40
Possession Time	28:22	31:38
Third-Down Conversions	2 of 10	8 of 13
Fourth-Down Conversions	1 of 2	0 of 0
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	1-1	4-4
Sacks By: Number-Yards	2-16	4-33

RUSHING: Arkansas State-Arnold, Reggie 14-83; Lawson, Derek 9-37; Leonard, Corey 11-22; Jones, Don 2-9; TEAM 2-minus 8. **Nebraska**-Helu Jr., Roy 14-60; Paul, Niles 1-30; Burkhead, Rex 3-18; Lee, Zac 7-11; Ward, Lester 1-8; Green, Cody 1-7; Jones, Austin 1-2.

PASSING: Arkansas State-Leonard, Corey 11-20-0-131. **Nebraska**-Lee, Zac 27-35-0-340; Green, Cody 3-6-0-18.

RECEIVING: Arkansas State-McLennan, J. 7-69; Murry, Kedric 1-43; Gillott, Trevor 1-9; Lawson, Derek 1-8; Clements, T. 1-2. **Nebraska**-Paul, Niles 6-69; Holt, Menelik 5-40; McNeill, Mike 4-57; Helu Jr., Roy 4-44; Brooks, Chris 2-30; Gilleylen, Curenski 1-43; Young, Dreu 1-27; Burkhead, Rex 1-11; Reed, Kyler 1-9; Cotton, Ben 1-7; Hill, Ryan 1-7; Cooper, Khiry 1-6; Kinnie, Brandon 1-5; Legate, Tyler 1-3.

INTERCEPTIONS: Arkansas State-None. **Nebraska**-None.

FUMBLES: Arkansas State-TEAM 1-0; McLennan, J. 1-1. **Nebraska**-None.

SACKS (Sacks-Yds): Arkansas State- two players with one. **Nebraska**- Ndamukong Suh, 1.5-17.

TACKLE LEADER (UA-A): Arkansas State-Davis, Demario 8-2. **Nebraska**-Asante, Larry 7-1.

Game 3 | Virginia Tech 16, Nebraska 15

SCORE BY QUARTERS	1	2	3	4	FINAL
No. 19 Nebraska	3	9	0	3	15
No. 13 Virginia Tech	7	3	0	6	16

Blacksburg, Va. (Sept. 19)--- In a game featuring two of the best special teams units in college football, Nebraska's **Alex Henery** took center stage by booting a career-high five field goals, but Tyrod Taylor's 11-yard touchdown pass to Dyrell Roberts with 21 seconds left allowed the No. 13 Hokies to escape with a 16-15 win over the No. 19 Huskers at Lane Stadium on Saturday afternoon.

Playing in front of 66,233 fans and an ABC television audience, the Huskers got off to a slow start in the first quarter but controlled the action until Virginia Tech's final drive.

Henery's five field goals appeared to be enough to give the Huskers their first road win over a top-20 team since 1997, while also giving NU its first win without scoring a touchdown since beating Kansas State, 3-0 in Manhattan, on Nov. 27, 1937.

But Taylor, who had been stymied by a relentless Blackshirt defense throughout the game, connected with Danny Coale on an 81-yard pass with 1:11 left to take the Hokies to the NU 3. Matt O'Hanlon made a game-saving tackle on the play, then registered an eight-yard sack of Taylor on Virginia Tech's next snap to take the Hokies back to 2nd-and-goal from the NU 11. The Blackshirts blitzed again and forced Taylor to throw the ball away to set up 3rd-and-goal. With the clock running and pressure coming, Taylor scrambled for several seconds before finding Roberts in the end zone for the winning score with 21 seconds left.

Henery, a junior from Omaha, went 5-for-5 on field goal attempts on the day, covering 40, 27, 19, 38 and 38 yards, extending his streak of consecutive field goals made under 50 yards to 19. The Lou Groza Award candidate also unleashed the fourth-longest punt in Nebraska history with a 76-yard bomb in the first quarter. For the game, Henery punted six times for a 41.5-yard average, including two punts inside the 20 and two touchbacks.

Offensively, the Huskers scored four times in five trips in the red zone, but did not have a touchdown. Roy Helu Jr. paced the Husker offense by romping for a career-best 169 yards on the ground on 28 carries.

SCORING SUMMARY			
1st	11:15	VT	Williams 1 yd run (Waldron kick)
	00:56	NU	Henery 40 yd field goal
2nd	12:49	NU	Henery 27 yd field goal
	05:23	NU	Henery 19 yd field goal
	02:30	VT	Waldron 39 yd field goal
	00:18	NU	Henery 38 yd field goal
4th	04:33	NU	Henery 38 yd field goal
	00:21	VT	Roberts 11 yd pass from Taylor (Taylor pass failed)

TEAM STATISTICS	NU	VT
FIRST DOWNS	18	11
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	36-207	37-86
PASSING YDS (NET)	136	192
Passes Att-Comp-Int	30-11-2	27-12-0
TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS	66-343	64-278
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punt Returns-Yards	6-86	1-6
Kickoff Returns-Yards	4-86	3-114
Interception Returns-Yards	0-0	2-3
Punts (Number-Avg)	6-41.5	8-46.9
Fumbles-Lost	0-0	0-0
Penalties-Yards	9-60	7-53
Possession Time	29:46	30:14
Third-Down Conversions	6 of 17	8 of 18
Fourth-Down Conversions	0 of 0	0 of 1
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	4-5	2-2
Sacks By: Number-Yards	4-25	0-0

RUSHING: Nebraska-Helu Jr., Roy 28-169; Lee, Zac 8-38. **Virginia Tech**-Williams, R. 21-107; Oglesby, J. 3-7; Roberts, D. 1-minus 2; Wilson, D. 3-minus 4; Taylor, T. 9-minus 22.

PASSING: Nebraska-Lee, Zac 11-30-2-136. **Virginia Tech**-Taylor, T. 12-27-0-192.

RECEIVING: Nebraska-Helu Jr., Roy 4-33; Brooks, Chris 2-16; Gilleylen, Curenski 1-35; Paul, Niles 1-19; Burkhead, Rex 1-16; Holt, Menelik 1-13; McNeill, Mike 1-4. **Virginia Tech**-Boykin, J. 4-43; Coale, D. 2-89; Boyce, X. 1-21; Wheeler, S. 1-14; Roberts, D. 1-11; Jefferson, K. 1-7; Boone, G. 1-5; Williams, R. 1-2.

INTERCEPTIONS: Nebraska-None. **Virginia Tech**-Carmichael, R. 1-6; Chancellor, K. 1-minus 3.

FUMBLES: Nebraska-None. **Virginia Tech**-None.

SACKS (Sacks-Yds): Nebraska-Allen, Pierre 1.0-13; O'Hanlon, Matt 1.0-8; Crick, Jared 1.0-1; Turner, Barry 0.5-2; Suh, Ndamukong 0.5-1. **Virginia Tech**-None.

TACKLE LEADER (UA-A): Nebraska-Suh, Ndamukong 1-7. **Virginia Tech**-Rivers, B. 3-7.



Game 4 | Nebraska 55, La-Lafayette 0

SCORE BY QUARTERS	1	2	3	4	FINAL
Louisiana-Lafayette	0	0	0	0	0
No. 25 Nebraska	13	21	7	14	55

Lincoln, Neb. (Sept. 26)--- The Nebraska offense scored early and often, and the Blackshirt defense notched its first shutout since 2006, as the Cornhuskers celebrated the NCAA-record 300th consecutive sellout at Memorial Stadium with a 55-0 victory over Louisiana-Lafayette.

Playing in front of a Memorial Stadium record crowd of 86,304, No. 25 Nebraska improved to 3-1 on the season after racing to a 34-0 halftime lead against the Ragin' Cajuns. Husker quarterback Zac Lee marched Nebraska efficiently and consistently, completing 15-of-18 passes for 238 yards and a touchdown in less than three quarters. Freshman Cody Green completed 7-of-8 passes for 62 yards, including a 24-yard touchdown connection with fellow freshman Rex Burkhead. Green added a 24-yard scoring run of his own to cap Nebraska's scoring.

The Big Red racked up 433 yards of total offense, including 83 yards on 15 carries from junior I-back Roy Helu Jr., who ran for two TDs. Lee and Green distributed the ball effectively, as 13 Husker receivers caught at least one pass with Burkhead leading NU with four receptions for 26 yards, while Chris Brooks added a career-best three catches for 50 yards and a score.

The Huskers were just as dominant on the defensive side, shutting out the Ragin' Cajuns while forcing three turnovers. The Blackshirts got into the scoring column when senior safety **Larry Asante** snatched a Chris Masson pass and sprinted 74 yards for a touchdown in the second quarter. It was the first INT return for a touchdown by a Nebraska defensive back since 2002.

Alex Henery and Adi Kunalic also combined for a dominant special teams effort in the kicking game. Henery hit both of his first-quarter field goal attempts to stretch his streak to 21 straight made fields goals of less than 50 yards. The Lou Groza Award candidate also punted three times for a 45.7-yard average, including a 55-yard moonshot that rolled dead at the UL 2, before he buried the Ragin' Cajuns at their own 1 on his only punt of the fourth quarter. Kunalic recorded six touchbacks on his 10 kickoffs and none of the four returns got past the UL 20.

SCORING SUMMARY			
1st	07:06	NU	Henery 39 yd field goal
	05:03	NU	Cotton 0 yd fumble recovery (Henery kick)
	00:08	NU	Henery 46 yd field goal
2nd	12:00	NU	Brooks 4 yd pass from Lee (Henery kick)
	11:11	NU	Helu Jr. 2 yd run (Henery kick)
	06:16	NU	Asante 74 yd interception return (Henery kick)
3rd	08:36	NU	Helu Jr. 2 yd run (Henery kick)
4th	11:04	NU	Burkhead 24 yd pass from Green (Henery kick)
	08:46	NU	Green 24 yd run (Henery kick)

TEAM STATISTICS	UL	NU
FIRST DOWNS	14	21
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	37-102	34-133
PASSING YDS (NET)	120	300
Passes Att-Comp-Int	27-15-1	26-22-0
TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS	64-222	60-433
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0	1-21
Punt Returns-Yards	1-0	4-67
Kickoff Returns-Yards	4-67	1-21
Interception Returns-Yards	0-0	1-74
Punts (Number-Avg)	8-43.1	3-45.7
Fumbles-Lost	4-2	2-0
Penalties-Yards	3-14	6-54
Possession Time	30:03	29:57
Third-Down Conversions	5 of 16	6 of 11
Fourth-Down Conversions	1 of 1	0 of 0
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	0-1	4-4
Sacks By: Number-Yards	1-6	2-14

RUSHING: Louisiana-Sails, Undrea 10-41; Walker, Yobes 12-37; Gautier, Blaine 6-13; McGuire, Brad 5-13; Booker, Draylon 1-4; Shankle, Julian 1-1; Masson, Chris 2-minus 7. **Nebraska**-Helu Jr., Roy 15-83; Burkhead, Rex 6-27; Green, Cody 3-22; Washington, Latravis 2-10; Okafor, Collins 1-9; Jones, Austin 2-9; Lee, Zac 3-minus 2; TEAM 3-minus 25; Cotton, Ben 0-0.

PASSING: Louisiana-Masson, Chris 13-22-1-102; McGuire, Brad 2-5-0-18. **Nebraska**-Lee, Zac 15-18-0-238; Green, Cody 7-8-0-62.

RECEIVING: Louisiana-Green, Ladarius 5-68; Aubrey, Luke 4-27; Lee, Louis 1-9; Booker, Draylon 1-8; Joseph, Andrew 1-4; Wolfe, Vernon 1-3; Sails, Undrea 1-1; Miller, Marlin 1-0. **Nebraska**-Burkhead, Rex 4-26; Brooks, Chris 3-50; Gilleylen, Curenski 2-85; Cooper, Khiry 2-26; McNeill, Mike 2-26; Helu Jr., Roy 2-11; Young, Dreu 1-34; Reed, Kyler 1-16; Legate, Tyler 1-11; Paul, Niles 1-9; Bell, Antonio 1-3; Cammack, Wes 1-2; Henry, Will 1-1.

INTERCEPTIONS: Louisiana-None. **Nebraska**-Asante, Larry 1-74.

FUMBLES: Louisiana-Green, Ladarius 1-1; McGuire, Brad 1-0; Lee, Louis 1-0; Booker, Draylon 1-1. **Nebraska**-Helu Jr., Roy 2-0.

SACKS (Sacks-Yds): Louisiana-McCoy, Daylon 0.5-3; Gaddies, Tyrell 0.5-3. **Nebraska**-Meredith, Cameron 1.0-9; Dillard, Phillip 1.0-5.

TACKLE LEADER (UA-A): Louisiana-McCoy, Daylon 4-5. **Nebraska**-Hagg, Eric, 2-4.



Game 5 | Nebraska 27, Missouri 12

SCORE BY QUARTERS	1	2	3	4	FINAL
No. 21 Nebraska	0	0	0	27	27
No. 24 Missouri	0	9	3	0	12

Columbia, Mo. (Oct. 8) --- Preseason All-American defensive tackle **Ndamukong Suh** and the Blackshirts kept Nebraska in the game, and quarterback Zac Lee and the Husker offense came alive with 27 unanswered points in the fourth quarter as No. 21 Nebraska stormed back for a 27-12 victory at No. 24 Missouri. The two teams played in a torrential downpour for nearly three full quarters with 65,826 fans on hand and a Thursday night ESPN primetime national television audience watching at home.

“We showed a lot of character when things weren’t going our way in some tough conditions,” Nebraska Coach Bo Pelini said. “But we made some plays, got some turnovers and I’m really proud of our guys. That was a crazy football game and I’m thrilled we won.”

Nebraska’s comeback against the Tigers matched the largest fourth-quarter comeback in school history. It joined a 1966 win over Colorado in Boulder when NU trailed 19-7 after three quarters.

After slipping and sliding their way for less than 100 yards of total offense through the first three quarters, Nebraska erupted for more than 150 yards and touchdowns on each of its four fourth-quarter possessions. Lee gave the Huskers life with his 56-yard touchdown strike to Niles Paul with 13:56 left in the game. On Missouri’s ensuing possession, Suh intercepted a Blaine Gabbert pass at the line of scrimmage.

The crucial defensive play set the Husker offense up at the MU 18, and Lee and Paul wasted little time, connecting on a 13-yard pass play with 12:59 left to give Nebraska its first lead of the game. Lee’s two-point conversion pass failed, but the Huskers still held a 13-12 edge.

That lead grew 2:25 later, after the Blackshirts struck again when Dejon Gomes intercepted a Gabbert pass and returned it 40 yards to the MU 10. Three plays later, Lee hit tight end Mike McNeill on an eight-yard pass to push Nebraska’s lead to 20-12 with 10:34 remaining.

Despite a subsequent long MU possession, the Blackshirts held before Lee and the NU offense marched 68 yards on eight plays. Roy Helu Jr. rolled out right and scampered 41 yards before scoring a play later on a five-yard touchdown run with 56 seconds left to end any late-game drama.

Nebraska held Missouri to 225 yards of total offense, including 134 passing and 91 rushing. The Blackshirts also forced three MU turnovers. The Blackshirts’ front-four harassed Gabbert all night, keeping him on the run and limiting him to just 17-of-43 passing for 134 yards while being sacked twice and giving up the first two interceptions of his career. Suh finished with just six tackles, including five solos and a sack, a forced fumble and the pivotal fourth-quarter interception.

SCORING SUMMARY			
2nd	14:01	MU	TEAM safety
	00:00	MU	Gabbert 1 yd run (Ressel kick)
3rd	01:26	MU	Ressel 33 yd field goal
4th	13:56	NU	Paul 56 yd pass from Lee (Henery kick)
	12:59	NU	Paul 13 yd pass from Lee (pass failed)
	10:34	NU	McNeill 8 yd pass from Lee (Henery kick)
	00:56	NU	Helu Jr. 5 yd run (Henery kick)

TEAM STATISTICS	NU	MU
FIRST DOWNS	14	15
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	33-105	35-91
PASSING YDS (NET)	158	134
Passes Att-Comp-Int	33-14-0	43-17-2
TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS	66-263	78-225
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punt Returns-Yards	4-5	4-63
Kickoff Returns-Yards	1-2	5-82
Interception Returns-Yards	2-40	0-0
Punts (Number-Avg)	8-39.4	8-44.6
Fumbles-Lost	5-2	2-1
Penalties-Yards	12-108	8-100
Possession Time	29:32	30:28
Third-Down Conversions	8 of 17	5 of 18
Fourth-Down Conversions	0 of 1	1 of 2
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	3-3	2-2
Sacks By: Number-Yards	2-15	1-7

RUSHING: Nebraska-Helu Jr., Roy 18-88; Burkhead, Rex 5-34; Lee, Zac 8-7; TEAM 2-minus 24. **Missouri**-Washington, Derrick 20-80; Moore, De’Vion 6-9; Gabbert, Blaine 9-2.

PASSING: Nebraska-Lee, Zac 14-33-0-158. **Missouri**-Gabbert, Blaine 17-43-2-134.

RECEIVING: Nebraska-Paul, Niles 6-102; Gilleylen, Curenski 3-14; Holt, Menelik 2-26; McNeill, Mike 1-8; Reed, Kyler 1-4; Burkhead, Rex 1-4. **Missouri**-Alexander, Dana 6-43; Perry, Jared 4-68; Washington, Derrick 3-10; Jackson, Jerrel 2-11; Moore, De’Vion 1-4; Kemp, Wes 1-minus 2.

INTERCEPTIONS: Nebraska-Gomes, Dejon 1-40; Suh, Ndamukong 1-0. **Missouri**-None.

FUMBLES: Nebraska-May, Mathew 1-1; Burkhead, Rex 1-0; Lee, Zac 1-0; TEAM 1-1; Paul, Niles 1-0. **Missouri**-Gabbert, Blaine 2-1.

SACKS (Sacks-Yds): Nebraska- Crick, Jared 1-9; Suh, Ndamukong 1-6. **Missouri**-Gachkar, Andrew 1-7.

TACKLE LEADER (UA-A): Nebraska-Amukamara, Prince 2-7. **Missouri**-Lambert, Luke 4-1.



Game 6 | Texas Tech 31, Nebraska 10

SCORE BY QUARTERS	1	2	3	4	FINAL
Texas Tech	14	3	0	7	31
No. 17 Nebraska	0	3	0	7	10

Lincoln, Neb. (Oct. 17) --- No. 15 Nebraska outgained a potent Texas Tech offense, but two long scoring drives and an 82-yard fumble return for a touchdown in the first half were enough to give the Red Raiders a 31-10 win over the Huskers at Memorial Stadium on Saturday.

Playing in front of 86,107 fans in the NCAA-record 301st consecutive sellout at Memorial Stadium and an ABC regional television audience, the Huskers penetrated the Red Raider red zone three times in the first three quarters without scoring points. One of the red zone stops came in the first quarter, when Daniel Howard scooped up a fumble by Niles Paul on a backward lateral from quarterback Zac Lee and raced 82 yards for a TD with 4:52 left in the quarter.

That play provided the winning score for the Red Raiders, who began the game with a nine-play, 80-yard scoring drive on the opening possession. Baron Batch scored Tech’s first touchdown on a 16-yard screen pass from Steven Sheffield. The Red Raiders’ opening drive included a pair of third-and-long conversions when the Blackshirts appeared to have Tech on the brink of a punt. The first came with a 34-yard pass completion after NU deflected the pass to convert 3rd-and-13. The second came with a 22-yard completion on 3rd-and-17, which allowed TTU to overcome a pair of Husker sacks on the drive.

The Red Raiders carried a 14-0 lead into the second quarter that increased the lead to 21-0 on Sheffield’s one-yard touchdown run to cap a 65-yard drive. Nebraska managed a field goal to trim the lead to 21-3 with less than two minutes remaining in the first half, but Sheffield marched the Red Raiders into scoring position again, culminating with Matt Williams’ 32-yard field goal with three seconds left.

The Huskers went to the halftime locker room trailing 24-3, then dominated the third quarter, but NU was unable to put points on the scoreboard. Nebraska outgained Tech 72-(-3) in the third quarter, as the Red Raiders never approached the Huskers’ half of the field.

NU finally found the end zone with 8:03 left in the game, cutting Tech’s lead to 24-10 when freshman quarterback Cody Green hit Khiry Cooper on a 13-yard touchdown pass to cap a seven-play, 40-yard drive. It was Cooper’s first career touchdown catch, and he finished with three receptions for 23 yards.

Led by **Phillip Dillard’s** 12 tackles and four TFL, the Husker defense held Texas Tech to 259 total offense yards, including just 25 yards on the ground. Nebraska finished with 13 team TFL and added 5.0 sacks on the day.

SCORING SUMMARY		
1st	10:21	TT
	04:52	TT
2nd	06:56	TT
	01:47	NU
	00:03	TT
4th	08:40	NU
	03:30	TT
		Batch 16 yd pass from Sheffield (Williams kick)
		Howard 82 yd fumble recovery (Williams kick)
		Sheffield 1 yd run (Williams kick)
		Henery 21 yd field goal
		Williams 32 yd field goal
		Cooper 13 yd pass from Green (Henery kick)
		Sheffield 1 yd run (Williams kick)

TEAM STATISTICS	TTU	NU
FIRST DOWNS	15	16
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	25-25	30-70
PASSING YDS (NET)	234	215
Passes Att-Comp-Int	32-23-0	38-23-1
TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS	57-259	68-285
Fumble Returns-Yards	1-82	0-0
Punt Returns-Yards	1-9	5-64
Kickoff Returns-Yards	2-58	5-108
Interception Returns-Yards	1-7	0-0
Punts (Number-Avg)	6-36.0	5-35.2
Fumbles-Lost	1-0	1-1
Penalties-Yards	4-40	12-95
Possession Time	29:56	30:04
Third-Down Conversions	6 of 14	6 of 15
Fourth-Down Conversions	1 of 1	1 of 2
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	4-4	2-5
Sacks By: Number-Yards	5-22	5-42

RUSHING: Texas Tech-Batch, Baron 12-38; Jeffers, Harrison 2-19; Sheffield, Steven 11-minus 32. **Nebraska**-Helu Jr., Roy 16-68; Mendoza, Marcus 1-3; Green, Cody 2-1; Jones, Austin 1-0; Lee, Zac 9-0; Paul, Niles 1-minus 2.

PASSING: Texas Tech-Sheffield, Steven 23-32-0-234. **Nebraska**-Lee, Zac 16-22-0-128; Green, Cody 7-16-1-87.

RECEIVING: Texas Tech-Batch, Baron 6-25; Lewis, Detron 5-100; Jeffers, Harrison 4-8; Leong, Lyle 3-46; Torres, Alex 2-18; Franks, Jacoby 1-18; Britton, Edward 1-16; Swindall, Tramin 1-3. **Nebraska**-Brooks, Chris 5-66; Mendoza, Marcus 5-32; Cooper, Khiry 3-23; Holt, Menelik 2-34; McNeill, Mike 2-14; Gilleylen, Curenski 2-12; Helu Jr., Roy 1-27; Paul, Niles 1-4; Jones, Austin 1-2; Reed, Kyler 1-1.

INTERCEPTIONS: Texas Tech-Mitchem, Franklin 1-7. **Nebraska**-None.

FUMBLES (No.-Lost): Texas Tech-Sheffield, Steven 1-0. **Nebraska**-Paul, Niles 1-1.

SACKS (Sacks-Yds): Texas Tech-Sharpe, Brandon 4.0-19; Henley, Rajon 1.0-3. **Nebraska**-Allen, Pierre 2.0-10; Turner, Barry 1.5-20; Crick, Jared 1.0-10; Compton, Will 0.5-2.

TACKLE LEADER (UA-A): Texas Tech-Duncan, Brian 3-5. **Nebraska**-Dillard, Phillip 8-4.



Game 7 | Iowa State 9, Nebraska 7

SCORE BY QUARTERS	1	2	3	4	FINAL
Iowa State	3	6	0	0	9
Nebraska	7	0	0	0	7

Lincoln, Neb. (Oct. 24)--- Halloween came a week early at Memorial Stadium, as bizarre, strange and odd plays haunted the Husker offense in a 9-7 loss to Iowa State.

The Huskers fell to 4-3 overall and 1-2 in the Big 12 as they were stunned by a school-record negative-eight turnover margin on a school-record-tying eight turnovers. Overall, NU lost five fumbles and tossed three interceptions. Iowa State improved to 5-3 overall and 2-2 in the league by simply hanging onto the football, despite being outgained by 123 yards (362-239).

The Cyclones did not commit a turnover and converted NU's eight miscues into just nine points. However, four of Nebraska's first five turnovers occurred inside the Iowa State 10, preventing the Huskers from scoring what appeared to be imminent touchdowns or at least field goals.

The barrage of turnovers started on the game's first play from scrimmage, as Roy Helu Jr. fumbled on his first carry, giving ISU the ball at the NU 39. The Huskers held ISU to just four yards, but Grant Mahoney connected on a career-long 52-yard field goal with 13:24 left in the first quarter.

After NU's second drive stalled past midfield, Alex Henery buried the Cyclones at their own 2 on a punt. The Blackshirts forced a three-and-out and took over at the ISU 42. The Huskers cashed in nine plays later as **Dontrayevious Robinson** scored his first career rushing touchdown, covering three yards to give NU a 7-3 lead with 3:26 left in the opening quarter.

Robinson finished the day with a team-best 77 yards on 15 carries while quarterback Zac Lee was 20-of-37 for 248 yards. Niles Paul led the Husker receiving corps with six catches for a career-best 143 yards, although his 72-yarder fumbled into the end zone resulted in a touchback for ISU on another odd play.

In a first-half filled with bizarre plays, Iowa State ran to the locker room with a 9-7 lead. The Cyclones scored their lone touchdown on a 47-yard pass from Jerome Tiller to Jake Williams midway through the second quarter. It was ISU's longest touchdown hookup of the season, and it followed a fourth-down conversion on a fake punt that turned into a 20-yard run by punter Mike Brandtner.

Although the Cyclones found paydirt, Nebraska defensive tackle Ndamukong Suh blocked Mahoney's extra-point kick to keep the Huskers within 9-7 with 6:53 left in the half. Suh also blocked a fourth-quarter field-goal attempt and finished with a season-high tying eight tackles to go with a sack, three QB hurries and two blocked kicks. Phillip Dillard led the Blackshirts with a career-high tying 12 tackles for the second time this season.

SCORING SUMMARY			
1st	13:24	ISU	Mahoney 52 yd field goal
	03:26	NU	Robinson 3 yd run (Henery kick)
2nd	06:53	ISU	Williams 47 yd pass from Tiller (Mahoney kick blockd)

TEAM STATISTICS	ISU	NU
FIRST DOWNS	11	15
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	48-137	28-114
PASSING YDS (NET)	102	248
Passes Att-Comp-Int	19-9-0	37-20-3
TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS	67-239	65-362
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punt Returns-Yards	2-8	3-11
Kickoff Returns-Yards	2-35	3-80
Interception Returns-Yards	3-27	0-0
Punts (Number-Avg)	9-40.0	4-40.2
Fumbles-Lost	1-0	7-5
Penalties-Yards	8-72	3-25
Possession Time	33:40	26:20
Third-Down Conversions	5 of 18	5 of 13
Fourth-Down Conversions	1 of 1	0 of 1
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	0-0	1-4
Sacks By: Number-Yards	1-4	1-6

RUSHING: Iowa State-Tiller, Jerome 19-65; Schwartz, Jeremiah 22-50; Brandtner, Mike 1-20; Lenz, Josh 1-8; TEAM 5-minus 6. **Nebraska**-Robinson, Dontrayevious 15-77; Helu Jr., Roy 5-24; Mendoza, Marcus 2-8; Lee, Zac 6-5.

PASSING: Iowa State-Tiller, Jerome 9-19-0-102. **Nebraska**-Lee, Zac 20-37-3-248.

RECEIVING: Iowa State-Lenz, Josh 3-32; Hamilton, Marquis 3-17; Williams, Jake 2-49; Catlett, Derrick 1-4. **Nebraska**-Paul, Niles 6-143; Kinnie, Brandon 3-27; Gilleylen, Curenski 3-18; Helu Jr., Roy 3-13; McNeill, Mike 2-22; Holt, Menelik 2-17; Mendoza, Marcus 1-8.

INTERCEPTIONS: Iowa State-Sims, David 1-16; O'Connell, Michael 1-11; Smith,Jesse 1-0. **Nebraska**-None.

FUMBLES (total-lost): Iowa State-Tiller, Jerome 1-0. **Nebraska**-Lee, Zac 2-0; Helu Jr., Roy 2-2; Holt, Menelik 1-1; Robinson, Dontrayevious 1-1; Paul, Niles 1-1.

SACKS (Sacks-Yds): Iowa State-Raven, Josh 1-4. **Nebraska**-Suh, Ndamukong 1-6.

TACKLE LEADER (UA-A): Iowa State-Smith, Jesse 7-5. **Nebraska**-Dillard, Phillip 5-7.



Game 8 | Nebraska 20, Baylor 10

SCORE BY QUARTERS	1	2	3	4	FINAL
Nebraska	10	10	0	0	20
Baylor	0	0	10	0	10

Waco, Texas (Oct. 31)--- True freshman quarterback Cody Green picked up a win in his first career start, but it was sophomore defensive tackle **Jared Crick** who stole the show in Nebraska's 20-10 victory over Baylor at Floyd Casey Stadium.

Playing in front of a Husker-dominated crowd on the road and a national television audience on Versus, Crick led the Huskers with a school-record five sacks for 24 yards lost. The Cozad, Neb., native also tied Jim Skow's 24-year school record with seven tackles for 28 yards lost on the day, while registering 13 total tackles, including 10 solos. He also recovered a fourth-quarter fumble and added a pass breakup.

While Crick and the rest of the defensive line supplied suffocating pressure in the Baylor backfield all day long, Dejon Gomes and Prince Amukamara both grabbed first-half interceptions to help Nebraska race to a 20-0 halftime lead. Gomes' interception in the endzone followed a Crick sack and stopped a Baylor drive. Green and the NU offense then marched 75 yards on 12 plays capped by junior Alex Henery's 22-yard field goal to give the Huskers a 13-0 lead early in the second quarter.

Nebraska began the scoring on special teams as freshman Eric Martin broke through and blocked Derek Epperson's punt following the Bears' opening possession. Redshirt freshman Justin Blatchford caught the batted ball and raced 25 yards to paydirt to give Nebraska a 7-0 lead with 13:31 left in the first quarter.

The Blackshirts came up with a stop on BU's second possession, and Green took the field for the first time as a starter with 10:47 left in the first quarter. On his first drive, Green engineered an 11-play march that covered 44 yards and consumed 5:04 on the clock, culminated by Henery's 45-yard field goal to push Nebraska's lead to 10-0 with 5:43 left in the opening quarter.

Gomes' interception in the endzone stopped Baylor's next drive and eventually led to another Henery field goal to push the lead to 13-0 early in the second quarter. The Blackshirts then came through with their first three-and-out, and a 17-yard Niles Paul punt return set up the the Husker offense with a short field starting at the BU 46.

On the first play from scrimmage of the possession, Green connected with Paul on a 45-yard pass play to put the Huskers on the Bears' doorstep. Two plays later, freshman Dontrayevious Robinson found the endzone to put the Big Red ahead 20-0 with 9:28 left in the first half.

Robinson finished the day with 61 rushing yards and a touchdown on 13 carries, while adding 22 yards on three receptions. Green completed 12-of-21 passes for 128 yards and an interception, while adding eight carries for 43 yards. Paul led the NU receivers with two catches for 54 yards.

SCORING SUMMARY			
1st	13:31	NU	Blatchford 25 yd blocked punt return (Henery kick)
	05:43	NU	Henery, Alex 45 yd field goal
2nd	12:16	NU	Henery, Alex 22 yd field goal
	09:28	NU	Robinson 1 yd run (Henery kick)
3rd	09:22	BU	Parks 41 yd field goal
	03:27	BU	Odom 45 yd interception return (Parks kick)

TEAM STATISTICS	NU	BU
FIRST DOWNS	11	18
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	38-145	32-54
PASSING YDS (NET)	128	222
Passes Att-Comp-Int	21-12-1	38-19-2
TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS	59-273	70-276
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punt Returns-Yards	2-51	4-101
Kickoff Returns-Yards	3-55	2-53
Interception Returns-Yards	2-1	1-45
Punts (Number-Avg)	7-42.1	6-29.2
Fumbles-Lost	1-1	2-1
Penalties-Yards	6-65	4-25
Possession Time	29:52	30:08
Third-Down Conversions	5 of 15	5 of 16
Fourth-Down Conversions	0 of 0	1 of 2
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	2-2	0-1
Sacks By: Number-Yards	7-30	0-0

RUSHING: Nebraska-Robinson, Dontrayevo 13-61; Green, Cody 8-43; Helu Jr., Roy 7-24; Ward, Lester 7-16; Jones, Austin 2-4; TEAM 1-minus 3. **Baylor**-Finley, Jay 8-19; Wright, Kendall 4-15; Ganaway, Terran 2-10; Florence, Nick 16-8; Salubi, Jarred 2-2.

PASSING: Nebraska-Green, Cody 12-21-1-128. **Baylor**-Florence, Nick 19-38-2-222.

RECEIVING: Nebraska-Robinson, Dontrayevo 3-22; Cooper, Khiry 3-12; Paul, Niles 2-54; Reed, Kyler 1-22; Kinnie, Brandon 1-10; Mendoza, Marcus 1-5; Helu Jr., Roy 1-3. **Baylor**-Gettis, David 7-124; Wright, Kendall 4-49; Smith, Ernest 2-21; Finley, Jay 2-14; Salubi, Jarred 2-minus 5; Taylor, Brad 1-12; Akers, Justin 1-7.

INTERCEPTIONS: Nebraska-Amukamara, Prince 1-1; Gomes, Dejon 1-0. **Baylor**-Odom, Clifton 1-45.

FUMBLES (total-lost): Nebraska-Green, Cody 1-1. **Baylor**-Smith, Ernest 1-0; Florence, Nick 1-1.

SACKS (Sacks-Yds): Nebraska-Crick, Jared 5-24; Suh, Ndamukong 1-3; Fisher, Sean 1-3. **Baylor**-None.

TACKLE LEADER (UA-A): Nebraska-Crick, Jared 10-3. **Baylor**-Pawelek, Joe 2-7.



Game 9 | Nebraska 10, Oklahoma 3

SCORE BY QUARTERS	1	2	3	4	FINAL
Oklahoma	0	3	0	0	3
Nebraska	0	7	3	0	10

Lincoln, Neb. (Nov. 7)--- Nebraska brought home a sweet victory over an old rival, as the Blackshirt defense hauled in five interceptions and shut down No. 20 Oklahoma in a 10-3 victory at Memorial Stadium.

In a game that harkened back to the classic battles of the Big Red of the past four decades, Nebraska held the Sooners out of the end zone and mustered enough offense to improve to 6-3 overall and 3-2 in the Big 12. The Huskers dropped the 20th-ranked Sooners to 5-4 and 3-2 in front of 86,115 fans and ABC television audience.

In a game dominated by one of the nation's best defensive units, Blackshirt safety **Matt O'Hanlon** played the biggest game of his career to help the Huskers erase a two-game home skid while erasing the memory of committing eight turnovers in a loss to Iowa State at Memorial Stadium on Oct. 24.

O'Hanlon, a senior from Omaha, Neb., tied a Nebraska record with three interceptions while erupting for a career-high 12 tackles. The last of his interceptions ended the Sooners' last chance at the end zone with 27 seconds left in the game. O'Hanlon's huge game also erased any memories Husker fans had of a last second touchdown scored by Virginia Tech in a road loss against the Hokies in September.

O'Hanlon played big from start to finish, achieving his career-best in tackles with nine in the opening half. O'Hanlon helped the Huskers carry a 7-3 lead into the locker room at halftime, but he was far from alone.

Defensive back Prince Amukamara hauled in NU's first inteception of the night, picking off a Landry Jones pass and returning it 22 yards to the OU 1. One play later, junior quarterback Zac Lee hit tight end Ryan Hill on a one-yard scoring pass to give the Huskers a 7-0 lead with 13:36 left in the first half.

The Huskers also got big plays in the special teams from senior defensive tackle Ndamukong Suh and junior punter Alex Henery. Suh blocked Tress Way's 45-yard field goal with 6:50 left in the first quarter. It was Way's second unsuccessful attempt of the quarter, following a 46-yard miss on OU's opening possession. Henery punted 11 times for a 43.7-yard average, pinning OU inside its 20 twice.

Offensively, the Huskers struggled, picking up just seven first downs and 180 total yards. Roy Helu Jr. added the only offensive punch as he recorded 138 yards on 20 carries, including a career-long 63-yard run. He accounted for 153 of the Huskers' total yards.

SCORING SUMMARY			
2nd	13:36	NU	Hill 1 yd pass from Lee (Henery kick)
	00:24	OU	Way 28 yd field goal
3rd	05:38	NU	Henery 28 yd field goal

TEAM STATISTICS	OU	NU
FIRST DOWNS	23	7
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	29-80	43-141
PASSING YDS (NET)	245	39
Passes Att-Comp-Int	58-26-5	14-7-0
TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS	87-325	57-180
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punt Returns-Yards	6-102	2-19
Kickoff Returns-Yards	2-37	2-27
Interception Returns-Yards	0-0	5-61
Punts (Number-Avg)	5-49.0	11-43.7
Fumbles-Lost	2-0	1-1
Penalties-Yards	9-64	11-104
Possession Time	28:18	31:42
Third-Down Conversions	5 of 18	1 of 14
Fourth-Down Conversions	0 of 3	0 of 0
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	1-2	2-3
Sacks By: Number-Yards	2-11	2-19

RUSHING: **Oklahoma**-Brown, Chris 12-50; Murray, DeMarco 14-47; Jones, Landry 3-minus 17. **Nebraska**-Helu Jr., Roy 20-138; Robinson, Dontrayevo 6-11; Green, Cody 6-8; TEAM 1-minus 3; Lee, Zac 10-minus 13.

PASSING: **Oklahoma**-Jones, Landry 26-58-5-245. **Nebraska**-Lee, Zac 5-9-0-35; Green, Cody 2-5-0-4.

RECEIVING: **Oklahoma**-Broyles, Ryan 8-74; Miller, DeJuan 5-69; Murray, DeMarco 5-37; Brown, Chris 3-20; Kenney, Cameron 2-33; Hanna, James 2-8; Mensik, Eric 1-4. **Nebraska**-Helu Jr., Roy 3-15; Kinnie, Brandon 2-21; McNeill, Mike 1-2; Hill, Ryan 1-1.

INTERCEPTIONS: **Oklahoma**-None. **Nebraska**-O'Hanlon, Matt 3-30; Amukamara, Prince 1-22; Dillard, Phillip 1-9.

FUMBLES (total-lost): **Oklahoma**-Jones, Landry 2-0. **Nebraska**-Lee, Zac 1-1.

SACKS (Sacks-Yds): **Oklahoma**-Beal, Jeremy 1.0-3; Clayton, Keenan 0.5-4; Alexander, Fran 0.5-4.

Nebraska-Dillard, Phillip 1.0-13; Turner, Barry 0.5-3; Crick, Jared 0.5-3.

TACKLE LEADER (UA-A): **Oklahoma**-Beal, Jeremy 6-0. **Nebraska**-O'Hanlon, Matt 9-3.



Game 10 | Nebraska 31, Kansas 17

SCORE BY QUARTERS	1	2	3	4	FINAL
Nebraska	7	3	3	18	31
Kansas	0	10	0	7	17

Lawrence, Kan. (Nov. 14) --- Nebraska picked up its third Big 12 Conference road win of the year with a 31-17 victory at Kansas that moved the Huskers to 7-3 overall and 4-2 in conference.

The game was highlighted by Niles Paul and **Roy Helu Jr.**, who each made big plays when the Huskers needed them most. Paul caught four passes for a career-high 154 yards and also returned two kickoffs for 72 yards, including a fourth-quarter return into KU territory that set up the Huskers' go-ahead score. For Helu, he carried the ball 28 times for 156 yards and scored three times. But more importantly, 82 of Helu's yards came in the fourth quarter, including touchdowns runs of 20 and 14 yards.

The Huskers used a balanced attack, rushing for 214 yards on 42 carries, while Zac Lee completed 13-of-21 passes for 196 yards, giving the Huskers 410 yards of total offense. On the other side of the ball, the Blackshirts held the KU rushing attack in check, as the Jayhawks were held to 99 yards on 29 carries. Todd Reising was forced to put the ball in the air 41 times, completing 19 passes for 236 yards.

Nebraska jumped ahead early, scoring on the first drive of the game and made it a 10-0 lead on Henery's field goal with 10:47 left in the first half. Kansas answered twice before the intermission, going into the locker room tied at 10-10 after a Reesing 5-yard rushing score and a 33-yard field goal as time expired in the quarter.

Henery added a pair of field goals to put Nebraska ahead 16-10 early in the fourth period. After being silenced for most of the second half, the KU offense caught fire with 11:45 remaining the game, as it drove 68 yards on nine plays, with Reesing hitting Dezmon Briscoe for a 21-yard touchdown pass to give KU its first lead of the game, 17-16.

Following a Paul 44-yard kickoff return to the Kansas 36-yard line, Nebraska got into a third-down situation before Lee connected with Khiry Cooper for no gain, but a 15-yard personal foul for a face mask on the tackle gave the Huskers 1st-and-10 on the 20-yard line. Helu dashed around the right side on the next play for his second touchdown of the game and eventual game winner. With the score now 22-17, the Huskers went for two, with Lee scrambling to his left and then to his right, before finding Paul in the back of the end zone to give the Huskers the lead, 24-17. After forcing KU into a 3-and-out, Nebraska sealed the win with a 10-play, 74-yard drive over 4:46 to earn the victory.



SCORING SUMMARY			
1st	12:05	NU	Helu Jr. 0 yd fumble recovery (Henery kick)
2nd	10:47	NU	Henery 25 yd field goal
	04:58	KU	Reesing 5 yd run (Branstetter kick)
	00:00	KU	Branstetter 33 yd field goal
3rd	03:42	NU	Henery 34 yd field goal
4th	11:53	NU	Henery 38 yd field goal
	07:34	KU	Briscoe 21 yd pass from Reesing (Branstetter kick)
	06:19	NU	Helu Jr. 20 yd run (Paul pass from Lee)
	00:29	NU	Helu Jr. 14 yd run (Henery kick)

TEAM STATISTICS	NU	KU
FIRST DOWNS	18	21
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	42-214	29-99
PASSING YDS (NET)	196	236
Passes Att-Comp-Int	21-13-0	41-19-0
TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS	63-410	70-335
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punt Returns-Yards	2-18	1-2
Kickoff Returns-Yards	3-112	6-105
Interception Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punts (Number-Avg)	4-38.8	6-44.8
Fumbles-Lost	1-0	1-1
Penalties-Yards	5-55	4-50
Possession Time	31:29	28:31
Third-Down Conversions	7 of 16	6 of 16
Fourth-Down Conversions	0 of 0	2 of 2
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	4-4	2-2
Sacks By: Number-Yards	1-9	1-8

RUSHING: **Nebraska**-Helu Jr., Roy 28-156; Lee, Zac 9-53; Robinson, Dontrayevous 4-10; TEAM 1-minus 5. **Kansas**-Opurum, Toben 15-43; Reesing, Todd 9-42; Sharp, Jake 3-10; Pick, Kale 1-5; Briscoe, Dezmon 1-minus 1.

PASSING: **Nebraska**-Lee, Zac 13-21-0-196. **Kansas**-Reesing, Todd 19-41-0-236.

RECEIVING: **Nebraska**-Paul, Niles 4-154; McNeill, Mike 4-27; Cooper, Khiry 3-5; Kinnie, Brandon 1-8; Young, Dreu 1-2. **Kansas**-Meier, Kerry 10-127; Briscoe, Dezmon 4-77; Wilson, Jonatha 2-24; Biere, Tim 1-9; Sharp, Jake 1-4; Opurum, Toben 1-minus 5.

INTERCEPTIONS: **Nebraska**-None. **Kansas**-None.

FUMBLES: **Nebraska**-Lee, Zac 1-0. **Kansas**-Meier, Kerry 1-1.

SACKS (Sacks-Yds): **Nebraska**-Amukamara, Prince 1-9. **Kansas**-Onyegbule, Maxwell 1-8.

TACKLE LEADER (UA-A): **Nebraska**-Gomes, Dejon 5-3. **Kansas**-Tharp, Huldon 6-7.

Game 11 | Nebraska 17, Kansas State 3

SCORE BY QUARTERS	1	2	3	4	FINAL
Kansas State	3	0	0	0	3
Nebraska	3	7	7	0	17

Lincoln, Neb. (Nov. 21)--- Lots of defense, success on special teams, and enough offense to notch another win. That was the recipe for Nebraska's eighth win of the season, as the Huskers earned a trip to the Big 12 Championship Game with a 17-3 victory over Kansas State at Memorial Stadium.

Playing in front of 85,988 fans and an ESPN national television audience, Nebraska captured the Big 12 North Division title by beating the Wildcats with a suffocating defense led by **All-America candidate Ndamukong Suh**. The defensive tackle, playing in his final game as a Husker at Memorial Stadium, registered a season-high nine tackles, including two tackles for loss, 1.5 sacks, a pair of pass breakups and a quarterback hurry.

Suh was far from the only senior who made an impact on Senior Night at Memorial Stadium. Senior safety Larry Asante had a tremendous night with a team-leading 10 tackles to go along with an interception and a huge hit to force fumble at the 1-yard line that kept Kansas State out of the end zone early in the third quarter. Senior linebacker Phillip Dillard added eight tackles, including a nine-yard sack and a forced fumble of his own to stop a KSU second-half drive.

The big plays by the Blackshirts preserved a 14-point win that included some key plays by the Husker offense as well.

Quarterback Zac Lee guided an efficient offense on three scoring drives, including each first possession of the half. On their opening drive of the game, the Huskers knotted the score at 3-3 before adding the go-ahead points at the end of the first quarter. Lee, who had missed a wide open Mike McNeill in the end zone on the first drive, connected with the prolific receiving tight end for a 17-yard touchdown strike and a 10-3 advantage with 1:44 to play in the first.

On the first drive after halftime, Lee set up the final points of the day with a long pass, going 47 yards to receiver Niles Paul on a 3rd-and-1 call from NU's own 39 yard line. I-back Roy Helu Jr. then ran it in from 14 yards out to seal the 14-point victory.

Helu continued his climb in the Nebraska rushing record book as he finished the night with 26 carries for 95 yards to become the 25th Husker in history to rush for 2,000 or more career yards as he end the game with 2,071 career rushing yards. Helu also posted the 29th 1,000-yard rushing season in NU history, eclipsing the total early in the second quarter and finishing the contest with 1,057 yards on the season.

Alex Henery also came up big on special teams for Nebraska, drilling a 34-yard field goal and two extra points while also averaging 45.5 yards per punt. He pinned KSU inside its own five twice in the game whiel adding a long of 61 yards.

SCORING SUMMARY				
1st	09:26	KS	Cherry 44 yd field goal	
	01:44	NU	Henery 34 yd field goal	
2nd	12:02	NU	McNeill 17 yd pass from Lee (Henery kick)	
3rd	13:21	NU	Helu Jr. 14 yd run (Henery kick)	

TEAM STATISTICS	KSU	NU
FIRST DOWNS	19	19
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	34-140	45-101
PASSING YDS (NET)	153	166
Passes Att-Comp-Int	33-12-1	19-13-1
TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS	67-293	64-267
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0	1-4
Punt Returns-Yards	2-27	2-3
Kickoff Returns-Yards	3-50	2-53
Interception Returns-Yards	1-42	1-0
Punts (Number-Avg)	5-39.4	6-45.5
Fumbles-Lost	3-1	0-0
Penalties-Yards	7-69	3-34
Possession Time	28:30	31:30
Third-Down Conversions	3 of 14	7 of 16
Fourth-Down Conversions	1 of 2	1 of 1
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	0-2	3-4
Sacks By: Number-Yards	2-24	4-30

RUSHING: **Kansas State**-Thomas, Daniel 19-99; Gregory, Grant 13-22; Banks, Brandon 1-18; Valentine, K. 1-1. **Nebraska**-Helu Jr., Roy 26-95; Burkhead, Rex 6-17; Lee, Zac 11-minus 5; TEAM 2-minus 6.

PASSING: **Kansas State**-Gregory, Grant 11-31-1-126; Team 0-1-0-0; Klein, Collin 1-1-0-27. **Nebraska**-Lee, Zac 13-19-1-166.

RECEIVING: **Kansas State**-Banks, Brandon 5-48; Thomas, Daniel 4-51; Valentine, K. 2-30; Snipes, Attrail 1-24. **Nebraska**-Paul, Niles 4-82; McNeill, Mike 3-26; Kinnie, Brandon 2-20; Legate, Tyler 1-13; Burkhead, Rex 1-9; Young, Dreu 1-8; Cooper, Khiry 1-8.

INTERCEPTIONS: **Kansas State**-Hartman, Tysyn 1-42. **Nebraska**-Asante, Larry 1-0.

FUMBLES (total-lost): **Kansas State**-Gregory, Grant 2-0; Valentine, K. 1-1. **Nebraska**-None.

SACKS (Sacks-Yds): **Kansas State**-Fitzgerald,Jeff 1-14; Moore, Joshua 1-10. **Nebraska**-Suh, Ndamukong 1.5-6; Hagg, Eric 1-14; Dillard, Phillip 1-9; Turner, Barry 0.5-1.

TACKLE LEADER (UA-A): **Kansas State**-Pomele, Ulla 6-9. **Nebraska**-Asante, Larry 4-6.



Game 12 | Nebraska 28, Colorado 20

SCORE BY QUARTERS	1	2	3	4	FINAL
Nebraska	7	14	0	7	28
Colorado	0	7	7	6	20

Boulder, Colo. (Nov. 27)--- Nebraska produced a touchdown in all three phases of the game and the Huskers never trailed while picking up their fifth straight victory with a 28-20 win over the Colorado Buffaloes at Folsom Field on the day after Thanksgiving.

The win completed a perfect 4-0 conference road record in 2009 for the Huskers, who improved to 9-3 on the season. Nebraska has now won five straight league games on the road, while Colorado ended its season with a 3-9 record.

In building a 21-7 halftime lead, the Huskers scored on a 58-yard punt return by Niles Paul, a 24-yard touchdown pass from Zac Lee to Ben Cotton and a 20-yard interception return for a touchdown by Matt O'Hanlon. NU led 21-14 in the fourth quarter before coming up with big plays on both sides of the ball.

Colorado drove inside the red zone on three straight possessions in the second half but the Blackshirts held them off the scoreboard each time. Offensively, NU put the game out of the reach with a clutch 13-play, 80-yard touchdown drive midway through the period that ended with a seven-yard touchdown run by freshman **Rex Burkhead**.

Burkhead rushed 18 times for a career-high 100 yards, as the Huskers ran for 144 yards. Lee completed 9-of-14 passes for 73 yards as Nebraska totaled only 217 yards. But the offense only turned the ball over once, while the Blackshirts forced three Colorado turnovers to offset a season-high 403 yard of total offense gained by the Buffs.

All three of the turnovers came through the air, as O'Hanlon, Prince Amukamara and Dejon Gomes each had an interception, giving the Huskers 13 on the season including eight in the past four games. For O'Hanlon, it was his team-leading fifth interception of the season, the most since 2003 when Josh Bullocks posted a school-record 10 pickoffs. Linebacker Phillip Dillard led the defense with eight tackles while Ndamukong Suh had five tackles including a 17-yard sack, the Huskers' only TFL of the game.

While the Blackshirts were keeping Colorado out of the end zone, the special teams unit led by punter Alex Henery creating field position in favor of the Huskers. Henery set a career best, averaging 50.7 yards on six punts, including two of at least 58 yards. He also pinned CU inside its 3-yard line, his eighth punt to stop inside the 3 this season.

SCORING SUMMARY				
1st	03:34	NU	Paul 59 yd punt return (Henery kick)	
2nd	14:53	NU	Cotton 24 yd pass from Lee (Henery kick)	
	05:39	CU	Behrens 2 yd pass from Hansen (Goodman kick)	
	03:16	NU	O'Hanlon 20 yd interception return (Henery kick)	
3rd	06:50	CU	McKnight 6 yd pass from Hansen (Goodman kick)	
4th	06:43	NU	Burkhead 7 yd run (Henery, Alex kick)	
	00:00	CU	McKnight 56 yd pass from Hansen	

TEAM STATISTICS	NU	CU
FIRST DOWNS	14	20
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	40-144	28-134
PASSING YDS (NET)	73	269
Passes Att-Comp-Int	14-9-0	44-21-3
TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS	54-217	72-403
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punt Returns-Yards	4-71	3-20
Kickoff Returns-Yards	1-21	3-49
Interception Returns-Yards	3-65	0-0
Punts (Number-Avg)	6-50.7	5-42.6
Fumbles-Lost	2-1	2-0
Penalties-Yards	7-49	7-34
Possession Time	31:10	28:50
Third-Down Conversions	3 of 10	7 of 16
Fourth-Down Conversions	0 of 0	0 of 1
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	1-1	2-5
Sacks By: Number-Yards	1-17	3-15

RUSHING: **Nebraska**-Burkhead, Rex 18-100; Helu Jr., Roy 14-54; Green, Cody 2-4; Lee, Zac 6-minus 14.

Colorado-Stewart, Rodney 21-110; Lockridge,Brian 2-20; Hansen, Tyler 5-4.

PASSING: **Nebraska**-Lee, Zac 9-14-0-73. **Colorado**-Hansen, Tyler 21-44-3-269.

RECEIVING: **Nebraska**-Cotton, Ben 3-33; Paul, Niles 2-20; Kinnie, Brandon 1-8; Young, Dreu 1-7; McNeill, Mike 1-3; Reed, Kyle 1-2. **Colorado**-McKnight,Scotty 7-114; Simas, Markques 6-108; Deehan, Ryan 2-14; Devenny,Patrick 2-13; Sumler,Demetriu 2-12; Stewart, Rodney 1-6; Behrens, Jake 1-2.

INTERCEPTIONS: **Nebraska**-Amukamara, Prince 1-40; O'Hanlon, Matt 1-20; Gomes, Dejon 1-5. **Colorado**-None.

FUMBLES (total-lost): **Nebraska**-Helu Jr., Roy 1-1; Paul, Niles 1-0. **Colorado**-Stewart, Rodney 1-0; Lockridge,Brian 1-0.

SACKS (Sacks-Yds): **Nebraska**-Suh, Ndamukong 1-17. **Colorado**-Burton, Marcus 1.0-6; Burney, Benjamin 1.0-5; Brown,Cha'pelle 1.0-4.

TACKLE LEADER (UA-A): **Nebraska**-Dillard, Phillip 4-4. **Colorado**-Brown, Cha'pelle 10-1.

