

Phillips 66 Big 12 Men's Basketball Championship

GAME NOTES SPRINT CENTER: March 8, 2017

No. 10 Texas 61, No. 7 Texas Tech 52

Big 12 Championship Notes

- Texas improved to 6-I in the first round of the Big I2 Championship and 25-20 overall. The Longhorns are now 4-I against Texas Tech in the Championship and 3-I as the No. IO seed. Texas Tech's first-round record moved to 8-II and I3-2I overall. The Red Raiders are now 2-3 as the No. 7 seed.
- Tonight's Session I attendance was I8,972. This marks the I8th consecutive sold-out session of the Phillips 66 Men's Basketball Championship at Sprint Center.
- The Longhorns advance to play No. 2 seed West Virginia in Thursday's quarterfinals. The Mountaineers swept the regular season match-ups, winning 74-72 in Austin and 77-62 in Morgantown.

Individual & Team Notes

- Three Texas Tech players finished in double figures. Junior guard Keenan Evans scored a team-high II points, senior forward Anthony Livingston tallied IO points and senior forward Matthew Temple scored IO points to reach double digits for the third time this season.
- Freshman Andrew Jones led the Longhorns in scoring for the second time this season with I5 points.
- UT snapped a seven-game losing streak, It's last victory was against lowa State on February 7 (67-65) in Austin.
- After trailing by I2, Texas out scored TTU 50-29 over the last 24:32 of the contest. The Longhorns took their first lead of the game on a Kerwin Roach Jr. free throw at the 5:30 mark.
- This was Texas' third time overcoming a I2-point deficit this season. They previously came back to win against Alabama (77-68) and Long Beach State (7I-65).
- The 20-point first half total was also the lowest for Texas this season.

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