## FLORIDA STATE

3 NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS | 15 ACC CHAMPIONSHIPS | 45 FIRST-ROUND PICKS

## FINAL: #8 FLORIDA 40, FSU 17

- » Florida State closes out the regular season with a 6-6 record following its loss at Florida and will go to a bowl for the 38th time in the last 40 seasons. Over that span, the Seminoles lead the country in seasons with a postseason appearance, ranking ahead of Michigan who will appear in the postseason for the 37th time since 1980. Florida State's 26 bowl wins since the 1980 season are the most in the country. Alabama is 2nd with 24 victories and Georgia ranks 3rd with 22. The Noles will learn their bowl destination on Sunday, Dec. 8.
- » The Noles put together a 10-play, 75-yard touchdown drive on their opening possession of the game to tie the score at 7-7. **QB Jordan Travis'** 1-yard TD run capped the 4-minute, 20-second possession and **Ricky Aguayo's** PAT tied the game. It was the fourth longest TD drive by time of possession and tied for the fifth-longest by plays.
- » S Hamsah Nasirildeen's fourth tackle of the game, on the final play of the first quarter, was his 100th stop of the season. He is the first Nole with 100 tackles in a season since LB Reggie Northrup recorded 122 in 2014 and just the fourth player and the only defensive back with 100 tackles since 2000. Nasirildeen had 5 tackles and 101 on the season when he was injured and carted off the field with 12:08 remaining in the first half.
- » **K Ricky Aguayo's** 48-yard field goal with 12:13 remaining in the third quarter capped a 10-play, 44-yard drive and continued the senior's successful run away from home. Aguayo missed from 44 yards in the fourth quarter. He is now 20-of-24 (.833) on field goal attempts in true road games and 31-of-36 (.861) in all games outside of Tallahassee.
- » WR Tamorrion Terry has now authored the 13th 1,000-yard receiving season in Florida State history. Terry became the first Nole since Rashad Greene (2014) to reach the milestone after recording his second 100-yard receiving game of the season and his career. The redshirt sophomore finished with 7 catches for 131 yards, pushing his season total to 51 receptions for 1,023 yards (20.1 ypc), to go along with 8 TD receptions.
- » Junior RB Cam Akers recorded the 11th 100-yard rushing game of his career and sixth of the season, finishing with 102 yards on 17 carries. Akers now ranks sixth alone in 100-yard rushing games on FSU's all-time list. With his 586 career carries, he moves past Warrick Dunn on the all-time rushing attempts list. Dunn amassed 575 career carries in his four seasons (1993-96).
- » Akers' 50-yard touchdown run with 4:53 remaining in the third quarter was his longest run from scrimmage this season. It was his 27th career rushing touchdown and his 14th of the season. Akers now owns sole possession of seventh on FSU's career rushing touchdown list and is tied for seventh on the single-season rushing touchdown list with **Devonta Freeman** (2013)...Akers has 2,874 career rushing yards.
- » This is the first time this season the Noles have a 100-yard receiver and a 100-yard rusher.
- » Redshirt junior **S Carlos Becker III** made his first career start as the Noles opened in a nickel defensive package.
- » **WR D.J. Matthews** recorded his first career pass completion; a 25-yard connection with **WR Tamorrion Terry** on the Nole' opening drive of the second half. It was Matthews' third career pass attempt. The play was a contributing factor to FSU's second score of the game.

## CAPTAINS & COIN TOSS

**CAPTAINS** 

QB James Blackman DT Cory Durden K Ricky Aguayo **COIN TOSS** 

Florida State won the toss and elected to defer.

KICKOFF WEATHER

TEMPERATURE 67° CONDITIONS Clear WIND 4 mph

## FSU STARTERS

<u>OFFENSE</u>							
		'16	'17	'18	'19	Career	Consec.
Abdul Bello	LT	-	-	2	7	9	2
James Blackman	QB	-	12	1	9	22	3
Keith Gavin	WR	-	8	8	5	21	5
Baveon Johnson	С	-	-	-	10	10	2
Cam Akers	RB	-	4	10	11	25	1
D.J. Matthews	WR	-	1	6	8	15	6
Cole Minshew	RG	3	13	7	5	28	5
Gabe Nabers	TE	-	-	1	3	4	3
Ryan Roberts	RT	-	-	-	12	12	12
Brady Scott	LG	-	-	6	9	15	2
Tamorrion Terry	WR	-	-	11	12	23	23

<u>DEFENSE</u>							
		'16	'17	'18	'19	Career	Consec.
Levonta Taylor	S	-	13	8	4	25	1
Robert Cooper	NT	-	-	-	12	12	12
Carlos Becker III	S	-	-	-	1	1	1
Cory Durden	DT	-	-	1	12	13	12
Amari Gainer	EDGE	-	-	-	8	8	8
Asante Samuel	CB	-	-	3	11	14	1
Hamsah Nasirildeen	S	-	2	5	10	17	7
Emmett Rice	LB	-	1	-	8	9	6
Janarius Robinson	EDGE	-	-	8	10	18	6
Stanford Samuels III	CB	-	1	11	12	24	23
Leonard Warner III	LB	-	-	4	11	15	5