FLORIDA STATE

FOOTBALL

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

FINAL: ARIZONA STATE 20, FSU 14

- » FSU fell to 29-17-1 all-time in bowl games and O-3 in the Sun Bowl. The Noles also dropped Sun Bowl games after the 1954 and 1966 seasons.
- » Wide receiver **Tamorrion Terry** led FSU with 165 yards on nine catches, including a career-long 91-yard touchdown in the third quarter from quarterback **James Blackman**. The 91-yard touchdown is the longest pass play in Sun Bowl history (86 years), the second-longest touchdown pass in FSU bowl history and tied for the seventh-longest TD pass all-time by a Seminole.
- » For Terry, it was his fifth touchdown catch of at least 70 yards in his career, extending his own FSU record. On 17 career touchdown catches, which ties him for 15th in FSU history, he is averaging 49.06 yards per touchdown. His per-TD average is the second-highest in the NCAA over the past decade (min. 15 TD catches).
- » On nine touchdowns in 2019 (t-16th), he is averaging 57.89 yards per touchdown catch.
- » Terry finished his 2019 season with 1,188 receiving yards, the seventh-most in a season in FSU history. The Sun Bowl was Terry's fifth career 100-yard receiving game, while his nine catches and 165 yards were a career high.
- » Terry's six touchdown catches in 2019 of 60+-yards are tied with Biletnikoff Award winner and unanimous All-American Dede Westbrook from Oklahoma in 2016 for the most in a season since at least 2010.
- » Terry's nine career 50+-yard touchdown catches are tied for second-most in the ACC over the past 15 seasons.
- » In 2019, Terry leads the country with six 60-yard receptions and tied for the most 50-yard catches with seven.
- » Florida State scored its first touchdown on **Ontaria Wilson**'s three-yard run in the third quarter. On that drive, FSU: converted a fourth-down try (16-yard run from **Jordan Travis** on 4th-and-3); Wilson scored his first rushing touchdown; and **Blackman** (2 yards) and Travis (18 yards) each caught the first passes of their careers, from each other.
- » Wilson, who had missed the previous five games due to injury, also had a 12-yard run on his first career carry.
- » Entering Tuesday, FSU's longest touchdown drive of the season was 87 yards (three times). The Noles two touchdown drives against the Sun Devils, on back-to-back drives, went 91 yards.
- » Florida State recovered an Arizona State fumble on the first play of the game. Redshirt freshman linebacker **Amari Gainer** recovered the first fumble of his career on the play. Freshman defensive back **Raymond Woodie III** forced the first fumble of his career in the second quarter, recovered by **Janarius Robinson**. It was Robinson's second fumble recovery of 2019.
- » Defensive tackle **Cory Durden** and Gainer split a sack in the first quarter. Durden's 5.0 sacks on the season are tied with **Marvin Wilson** for the most on the team. Defensive tackle **Robert Cooper** had three tackles and a three-yard sack and was named the Sun Bowl's Outstanding Lineman.
- » Carlos Becker III made his second consecutive start at safety and finished with a career-high 10 tackles. His previous game-high tackles was three.
- » Punter Tommy Martin booted a 57-yarder in the first quarter, the third-longest of his career and seventh of over 50 yards.

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

CONDITIONS Mostly Sunny WIND SE 3 mph

FSU STARTERS

OFFENSE							
		"16	'17	'18	'19	Career	Consec.
James Blackman	QB	-	12	1	10	23	4
Deonte Sheffield	RB	-	-	-	1	1	1
Tamorrion Terry	WR	-	-	11	13	24	24
D.J. Matthews	WR	-	1	6	9	16	7
Keith Gavin	WR	-	8	8	6	22	6
Gabe Nabers	TE	-	-	1	4	5	4
Ryan Roberts	LT	-	-	-	13	13	13
Maurice Smith	LG	-	-	-	2	2	1
Baveon Johnson	С	-	-	-	11	11	3
Cole Minshew	RG	3	13	7	6	29	6
Brady Scott	RT	-	-	6	10	16	3

DEFENSE							
		"16	'17	'18	'19	Career	Consec.
Amari Gainer	EDGE	-	-	-	9	9	9
Robert Cooper	DT	-	-	-	13	13	13
Tru Thompson	DT	-	-	-	1	1	1
Janarius Robinson	EDGE	-	-	8	11	19	7
Brendan Gant	LB	-	-	-	1	1	1
Leonard Warner III	LB	-	-	4	12	16	6
Emmett Rice	LB	-	1	-	9	10	7
Asante Samuel	CB	-	-	3	12	15	2
Carlos Becker III	2	-	-	-	2	2	2
Levonta Taylor	2	-	13	8	5	26	2
Isaiah Bolden	CB	-	-	-	1	1	1

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- » Florida State finished with 51 carries for 224 yards, led by redshirt sophomore running back **Deonté Sheffield**. The Destin, Fla., native earned his first start in the backfield and led the Noles with 18 carries for 87 yards. Entering the game, Sheffield had nine carries for 48 yards in his career.
- » Freshman running back Treshaun Ward made his second appearance and earned his first rushes as a Seminole. He finished Tuesday with 10 carries for 44 yards.
- » Four Seminoles made the first starts of their Seminole careers sophomore running back **Deonté Sheffield**, freshman defensive tackle **Tru Thompson**, freshman linebacker **Brendan Gant** and redshirt freshman cornerback **Isaiah Bolden**. Florida State had 19 players make their first start in 2019, including six true freshmen. Forty-five different Noles started on offense or defense in 2019.