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2018 SCHEDULE

DATE/OPPONENT	TIME	TV	RESULT
AUGUST			
30 New Mexico State	6:00 p.m.	BTN	W, 48-10
SEPTEMBER			
8 Fresno State	6:30 p.m.	FS1	W, 21-14
15 Miami (Ohio)	2:30 p.m.	BTN	
22 at Maryland *	TBA		
OCTOBER			
6 Iowa * #	2:30 or 3:00 p.m.		
13 at Ohio State *	TBA		
20 at Nebraska *	TBA		
26 Indiana *	7:00 p.m.	FS1	
NOVEMBER			
3 at Illinois *	TBA		
10 Purdue *	TBA		
17 Northwestern *	TBA		
24 at Wisconsin *	TBA		

* Big Ten game # Homecoming All times Central

MINNESOTA COACHES

P.J. Fleck (SL)	Head Coach
Robb Smith (SL)	Defensive Coord. / Linebackers
Kirk Ciarrocca (PB)	Offensive Coord. / Quarterbacks
Rob Wenger (SL)	Special Teams Coord. / Outside LBs
Jahmile Addae (SL)	Defensive Backs
Kenni Burns (SL)	Running Backs
Brian Callahan (SL)	Offensive Line
Clay Patterson (PB)	Tight Ends
Joseph Rossi (PB)	Defensive Line
Matt Simon (SL)	Wide Receivers
Marcus West (SL)	Defensive Line Pass Rush Specialist

Gameday Locations: SL - Sideline; PB - Press Box

WEEKLY SCHEDULE

Sept. 11	11:48 a.m. Coach Fleck weekly Big Ten teleconference (contact B1G for call information) 12:00 p.m. Gopher Football Weekly with P.J. Fleck on KFAN. Live from Sensors in Roseville. 1:15 p.m. Cpac Fleck weekly press conference
Sept. 12	Coordinators and student-athletes available after team's 9:45 a.m. practice
Sept. 13	No availability
Sept. 14	No availability
Sept. 15	2:30 p.m. vs. Fresno State

UPDATED BIOS, STATS

Please visit GopherSports.com for updated bios, season stats and career stats.

MIAMI AT MINNESOTA



Miami

0-2 Overall
HC: Chuck Martin
HC Record (NCAA): 90-42
HC at Miami: 16-35
Streak: Lost 2
Offense: 14.0 ppg
Defense: 28.0 ppg



Minnesota

2-0 Overall
HC: P.J. Fleck
HC Record (NCAA): 37-29
HC at Minnesota: 7-7
Streak: Won 2
Offense: 34.5
Defense: 12.0

Date: Sept. 15, 2018
Time: 2:30 p.m. CT
Site: Minneapolis
Stadium: TCF Bank Stadium
Surface: FieldTurf
Capacity: 50,805
Series: Minnesota 3-0
Streak: Minnesota W3
Last: Minnesota won 29-23 on Sept. 17, 2011 at TCF Bank Stadium

Television: BTN
Jason Horowitz (Play by Play)
Stanley Jackson (Analyst)

Radio: KFAN
Mike Grimm (Play by Play)
Darrell Thompson (Analyst)
Justin Gaard (Sideline)
Kevin Falness (Host)
Corbu Stathes (Host)

Sirius: 127 // XM: 388
Internet: 989

FIVE THINGS YOU NEED TO KNOW

1 Minnesota welcomes Miami University to TCF Bank Stadium on Saturday for a 2:30 p.m. kick. The Gophers are 3-0 all-time against the RedHawks, as they posted win in 2011 (29-23), 2007 (41-35 3OT) and 1988 (35-3). All three previous games have been played in Minneapolis and Saturday will mark the second time that Miami has visited TCF Bank Stadium. Minnesota is 31-4-1 all-time against the MAC (most recent win was against Buffalo in 2017, while most recent loss was to Northern Illinois in 2010).

2 The Gophers will close out their non-conference schedule versus Miami on Saturday. Minnesota has won 13 straight non-conference games (including bowl games), which is the second longest active streak in the nation behind Utah (Utes have won 22 consecutive non-conference games). Minnesota last loss a non-conference game on Sept. 3, 2015, when it fell 23-17 to No. 2 TCU at home. The Gophers are 18-1 in their past 19 non-conference home games and have won nine straight non-conference games at TCF Bank Stadium.

3 Minnesota is 2-0 for the second straight season under head coach P.J. Fleck. Fleck is the first Gopher coach to start his first two seasons 2-0 since William Spaulding did so in 1922 (beat North Dakota and Indiana) and 1923 (beat Iowa State and Haskell). The last Minnesota head coach to start his first two seasons 3-0 was Alexander Jerrems in 1896 (beat South High, Minneapolis Central and Carleton) and 1897 (beat South High, Macalester and Carleton). Minnesota started 7-0 in 1896 and 4-0 in 1897.

4 P.J. Fleck-coached teams have won nine straight regular-season, non-conference games. Minnesota is 5-0 in such games (beat Buffalo, Oregon State, Middle Tennessee in 2017 and New Mexico State and Fresno State in 2018) and Western Michigan was 4-0 in non-conference games in 2016 (beat Northwestern, North Carolina Central, Illinois and Georgia Southern). The last time a Fleck-coached team lost a regular-season, non-conference game was Sept. 26, 2015, when Western Michigan fell 38-12 at No. 1 Ohio State.

5 The Gophers have 113 players on the roster this season and 59 of those players – or 52.2 percent – are either true freshmen or redshirt freshmen. That's the highest number in college football. Virginia is next at 50 percent and is then followed by Wake Forest (49.1 percent) and UCF (48.03 percent). The Gophers have 79 underclassmen of the roster, which is 69.9 percent of the team. That percentage ranks tenth in college football behind only Illinois, Coastal Carolina, Appalachian State, Cincinnati, UCLA, Virginia, Wake Forest, Western Michigan and Georgia Southern.

LEADING GOPHERS

Offense

Total offense	Zack Annexstad (400 yards)
Passing yards	Zack Annexstad (395)
Passing touchdowns	Zack Annexstad (2)
Passing attempts	Zack Annexstad (59)
Passing completions	Zack Annexstad (32)
Rushing yards	Rodney Smith (154)
Rushing touchdowns	Seth Green (4)
Rushing attempts	Bryce Williams (34)
Receiving yards	Tyler Johnson (150)
Receptions	Tyler Johnson (11)
Receiving touchdowns	Tyler Johnson (2)

Defense

Tackles	Blake Cashman (18)
Solo tackles	Terrell Smith (13)
Assisted tackles	Blake Cashman (8)
Tackles-for-loss	Blake Cashman (5.5)
Sacks	Four players (1.0)
Interceptions	Three players (1)
Pass breakups	Terrell Smith (4)
Forced fumbles	Antonio Shenault (1)
Fumbles recovered	NA

MINNESOTA FACTS

UNIVERSITY FACTS

Location: Minneapolis, Minn.

Population: 413,651

Founded: 1851

Joined Big Ten: 1896 (charter member)

First Year of Big Ten Football: 1896

Enrollment: 51,848

Nickname: Golden Gophers

Colors: Maroon and Gold

Marching Band: University of Minnesota Marching Band

President: Eric Kaler

Director of Athletics: Mark Coyle

Faculty Representatives: Emily Hoover, Perry Leo

Ticket Office Phone: 612-624-8080

Website: GopherSports.com

TEAM INFORMATION

Offensive Formation: Multiple

Defensive Formation: 4-3

Letterwinners returning:

37 (16 offense, 18 defense, 3 specialists)

Letterwinners lost:

27 (13 offense, 11 defense, 3 specialist)

Starters Returning:

14 (5 offense, 6 defense, 3 specialist)

Starters Lost:

12 (6 offense, 5 defense, 1 specialist)

TEAM HISTORY

First Year of Football: 1882

All-Time Record: 689-517-44

Big Ten Championships (Last): 18 (1967)

All-Time Bowl Record: 7-12

National Championships: 7

Consensus All-America Selections: 35

First Team All-Big Ten Selections: 180

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ON THE INTERNET

Minnesota's athletics website, GopherSports.com, provides the latest information on the Gophers. Releases, game notes, results, statistics, box scores, schedules, rosters and coach and player information is available.

MEDIA RELEASES

The Minnesota Athletic Communications Office e-mails its weekly football release on Mondays. The release is also available at GopherSports.com in a PDF format. If you are interested in receiving the weekly release via e-mail, please contact Assistant Athletic Director Paul Rovnak.

ROW THE BOAT

The OAR = The ENERGY! The symbol of strength and purpose. The amount one brings to their life Academically, Athletically, Socially and Spiritually! The only tool that can move the boat forward!

The BOAT = The SACRIFICE! What are you willing to give up for something that you've never had? The more you serve and give, the bigger your boat gets. The bigger your boat gets, the more people you can actually influence. Influence is about the messengers, not just the message.

The COMPASS = The DIRECTION! This is set by the leader of the boat! Whomever you surround yourself with is who and what you will become. Where is the bow of your boat pointed? Your boat will go where you have directed your energy towards!

The **"NEVER GIVE UP"** mantra known as ROW THE BOAT came to life from tragedy, sorrow and heartbreak. This mantra can apply to all walks of life and can be used in every aspect of your life. Everyone, not just athletes and athletic teams can share, use and live the ROW THE BOAT lifestyle in their personal and professional lives. By applying ROW THE BOAT, one can have the proper perspective to overcome adversity and humble success by living a lifestyle dedicated to serving and giving.

FUTURE: When rowing a boat, as in life, you aren't able to see what is coming your way. Your back is actually facing the future, unable to see what's coming next. Facing the opposite direction can be a very scary and uncomfortable position to be in. However, as in life, worrying about the future only prohibits you from being your absolute best in the present. You aren't able to control the future, but you can control how you react and prepare for it with every stroke you take.

PRESENT: You are rowing in the present, which is the **ONLY** thing you can actually control while rowing a boat. You determine whether you take your oar out of the water or keep rowing. You control whether you ROW fast or slow, confident or hesitant, efficient or rushed and whether you ROW for yourself or others! If you stop rowing, you will not go anywhere. As a team, you control whether all of you want to ROW together with purpose, or ROW because you have to. If you ROW on just one side of the boat, you will go in circles. ROW in unison with everyone else in the boat, no matter the circumstance (chaotic storms or calm seas), you will come out on the other end better and more experienced for never quitting. Getting everyone in the boat to ROW, no matter what circumstances life throws you, can be very difficult; however... keep ROWING!

PAST: When rowing the boat, the only thing you can actually learn from, but can't change, is the horizon you are looking at. With every passing stroke you learn, but can never go back! You aren't able to change the past, only learn from it and take with you the lessons to make you better today. You must embrace and learn from your past to create your future! Changing your best daily will take you places you thought were impossible!

ABOUT THE REDHAWKS

The Miami University RedHawks will be looking for their first win of the season when they come to Minnesota on Saturday. They lost 35-28 in their season opener to Marshall and 21-0 to Cincinnati last week.

The RedHawks are led by veteran redshirt senior quarterback Gus Ragland. After beginning the 2016 season 0-6, head coach Chuck Martin turned to Ragland and he led Miami to six straight wins and a bowl appearance. He is strongest in the red zone where he has a 35:1 touchdown to interception ratio and seven rushing touchdowns.

In front of Ragland is an experienced offensive line that returned all five starters from the 2017 season. They only allowed 21 sacks and helped Miami rush for a season average of 146.9 yards per game, the highest under Coach Martin. Overall, Miami has 121 career starts among its offensive line members, led by senior Sam McCollum (37). He is joined by senior Jordan Rigg (26), senior Mitch Palmer (21), sophomore Danny Godlevske (13), junior Matt Skibinski (10), junior Jarrett LaRubbio (10) and sophomore Tommy Doyle (6).

Miami has an explosive wide receiver in senior James Gardener. In 2016 he finished as a third-team All-MAC player, with 45 catches for 750 yards and six touchdowns. Last season he had 47 catches for 927 yards and 11 scores, while averaging 19.7 yards per catch, earning first-team All-MAC honors. He already has made 11 receptions for 142 yards this season. In his career he has 107 grabs, for 1,901 yards and 18 touchdowns. Only eight players in Miami history have surpassed 2,000 career receiving yards and just five have 20 or more career touchdowns.

The RedHawks defense is still looking to force its first turnover of the season. Senior linebacker Junior McMullen leads the team with 19 tackles. Senior defensive back De'Andre Montgomery has 17 tackles and redshirt senior linebacker Brad Koenig has 13 tackles and one sack.

Miami is coached by Chuck Martin who has more than 20 years of collegiate experience, including 11 years as a head coach. He has twice been named the American Football Coaches Association (AFCA) National Coach of the Year, earning the honor in 2005 and 2006, and has coached in seven national championship games in the past 17 seasons. He has been the head coach at Miami since December 3, 2013 taking over a team that went 0-12 the season prior.

MIAMI SCHEDULE

Sept. 1	Marshall	L, 35-28
Sept. 8	vs. Cincinnati	L, 21-0
Sept. 15	at Minnesota	
Sept. 22	at Bowling Green	
Sept. 29	Western Michigan	
Oct. 6	at Akron	
Oct. 13	Kent State	
Oct. 20	at Army	
Oct. 30	at Buffalo	
Nov. 7	Ohio	
Nov. 14	at Northern Illinois	
Nov. 20	Ball State	



HEAD COACH // SECOND SEASON

P.J. (Philip John) Fleck was named head football coach at the University of Minnesota on January 6, 2017. Fleck is the 30th head coach in the program's history. He has a career record of 37-29.

Fleck led a young and inexperienced Gopher squad in 2017, as 49 of Minnesota's 110 players (44.5%) were freshmen or redshirt freshmen and 76 (69%) were underclassmen. Fleck guided Minnesota to a 5-7 record and those five wins were the most by a first-year Gopher head coach new to the program since the legendary Murray Warmath won seven games in 1954.

Fleck won his Gopher debut against Buffalo, which made him the school's first head coach to win his debut since John Gutekunst in 1986 (before Fleck, Minnesota's six most recent head coaches all lost their first game). Minnesota then posted a dominating 48-14 win at Oregon State, which made Fleck the first Gopher coach to win a true road opener since 1954.

Minnesota's 34-point win at Oregon State was the Gophers' tenth largest margin of victory in a road game since 1920 and largest since 2006. The 48 points were the most the Gophers scored on the road since they beat Northwestern 49-21 in 1980. Minnesota posted three 30-point wins in 2017, as it beat Oregon State by 34, Nebraska by 33 and Middle Tennessee by 31. The last time Minnesota won three games by 30 points in the same season was 2005 when it started the year with three straight with three straight 30-point wins. The Gophers beat Nebraska 54-21 in Fleck's first season. The 54 points were the most that the Gophers scored in a Big Ten game since they beat Indiana 63-26 in 2006. The 54 points were the 14th most scored by Minnesota since 1946 and the fifth most against a Big Ten opponent in the same timeframe.

Off the field, Fleck and his team can often be found at the University of Minnesota Masonic Children's Hospital and gave back to the community by hosting a diaper drive, canned food drive and turkey drive last year. In the classroom, Minnesota has posted program record GPAs under Fleck.

Fleck came to Minnesota after spending four years as the head coach at Western Michigan, where he was 30-22 overall and 21-11 in the Mid-American Conference. While leading the Broncos, Fleck authored one of the most memorable turnarounds in college football history. The Broncos were 1-11 in his first year in 2013, but ended the 2016 season with a No. 12 ranking, a 13-1 record, a conference championship and a berth in the Cotton Bowl.

The Broncos were 12-0 in the 2016 regular season and posted wins against Big Ten opponents Northwestern and Illinois. Fleck then led his team to a 29-23 win against Ohio in the Mid-American Conference championship game before ending the season with a narrow bowl game defeat to Wisconsin.

Fleck, 37, is one the youngest and brightest minds in the game. He was named MAC Coach of the Year in 2014 and 2016 and last season he led the Broncos to their first MAC Championship since 1988.

Fleck played receiver at Northern Illinois from 1999-2003 and helped lead the Huskies to a No. 10 ranking, a 10-2 record and wins against Maryland, Alabama and Iowa State in his final season. He ranks in the top five in Northern Illinois history in career receptions (179) and receiving yards (2,162). Fleck holds the school record for punt returns (87) and ranks second in punt return yards (716). He earned First Team All-Mid-American Conference in 2003 and was named Academic All-MAC and Second Team CoSIDA Academic All-American. He graduated in 2004 with a bachelor's degree in elementary education.

Fleck played the 2004-05 seasons with the NFL's San Francisco 49ers. He signed with the 49ers as a free agent in 2004 and spent most of his time on the practice squad before seeing action against New England late in the season. He spent the 2005 season on the injured reserve roster and in 2006 he stopped playing professionally and started his coaching career.

Fleck and Michigan's Jim Harbaugh are the only Power Five conference coaches who both played and coached in the NFL. Fleck, Harbaugh and East Carolina's Scottie Montgomery are the only coaches in the FBS who have played and coached in the NFL.

Fleck and his wife, Heather, have four children, Gavin, Carter, Paisley (P.J.) and Harper.

FLECK AT A GLANCE

Born: November 29, 1980

Hometown: Sugar Grove, Ill.

High School: Kaneland High School, 1999

Alma Mater: Northern Illinois, 2004 (elementary education)

Coaching Experience:

2017-	Minnesota, Head Coach
2013-17	Western Michigan, Head Coach
2012	Tampa Bay Buccaneers, Wide Receivers
2010-11	Rutgers, Wide Receivers Coach
2009	Northern Illinois, Recruiting Coord, WRs
2007-08	Northern Illinois, Wide Receivers
2006	Ohio State, Graduate Assistant

NFL Draft Picks Who Played For Fleck

<i>Western Michigan (head coach)</i>
2018 - Chukwuma Okorafor, OT, Round 3, Pick 92, Steelers
2018 - Darius Phillips, DB, Round 5, Pick 170, Bengals
2017 - Corey Davis, WR, Round 1, Pick 5, Titans
2017 - Taylor Moton, OT, Round 2, Pick 64, Panthers
2017 - Keion Adams, LB, Round 7, Pick 248, Steelers
2016 - Willie Beavers, OT, Round 4, Pick 121, Vikings
2016 - Daniel Braverman, WR, Round 7, Pick 230, Bears
<i>Rutgers (wide receivers coach)</i>
2012 - Mohamed Sanu, WR, Round 3, Pick 83, Bengals

Playing Experience: Northern Illinois (wide receiver), 1999-2003; San Francisco 49ers (wide receiver), 2004-05

GOPHERS' RECORD

	2018	Fleck
Overall	2-0	7-7
Big Ten	0-0	2-7
Non-conference	2-0	5-0
Home	2-0	6-3
Away	0-0	1-4
Neutral	0-0	0-0
Current overall streak	Won 2	Won 2
Current home streak	Won 2	Won 2
Current road streak	N/A	Lost 4
Current bowl streak	N/A	N/A
Last win	9/8/18 (21-14 vs Fresno State)	Same
Last loss	N/A	11/25/17
Day game	0-0	3-4
Night game	2-0	4-3
TV game	2-0	7-7
ABC	0-0	0-1
FS1	1-0	3-2
Big Ten Network	1-0	4-2
FOX	0-0	0-1
ESPN	0-0	0-0
ESPN2	0-0	0-1
ESPNU	0-0	0-0
ESPNNews	0-0	0-0
August	1-0	2-0
September	1-0	3-1
October	0-0	1-3
November	0-0	1-3
December	0-0	0-0
vs. FBS Top-25 teams	0-0	0-3
vs. FBS non-ranked teams	2-0	7-4
vs. FCS	0-0	0-0
On artificial turf	2-0	7-6
On natural grass	0-0	0-1
Indoors	0-0	0-0
Outdoors	2-0	7-7
Scoring first	2-0	7-1
Opponent scores first	0-0	0-6
Leading after 1st quarter	1-0	5-1
Behind after 1st quarter	0-0	0-5
Tied after 1st quarter	1-0	2-2
Leading at halftime	2-0	6-1
Behind at halftime	0-0	0-6
Tied at halftime	0-0	1-0
Leading after 3rd quarter	2-0	7-1
Behind after 3rd quarter	0-0	0-5
Tied after 3rd quarter	0-0	0-1
Overtime	0-0	0-0
Scoring 0-14 points	0-0	0-4
Scoring 15-28 points	1-0	3-3
Scoring 29+ points	1-0	4-0
Allowing 0-14 points	2-0	5-0
Allowing 15-28 points	0-0	2-1
Allowing 29+ points	0-0	0-6
With 100-yd rusher	1-0	3-1
Allow 100-yard rusher	0-0	0-5
With 300-yd passer	0-0	0-0
Allow 300-yard passer	0-0	0-0
Outgain opponent	2-0	7-0
Total offense 300+ yards	2-0	7-2
Allow 300+ yards total offense	0-0	1-7
Total offense 400+ yards	1-0	4-0
Allow 400+ yards total offense	0-0	0-4
No turnovers	0-0	1-1
Less than three turnovers	2-0	6-6
Three or more turnovers	0-0	1-1
No takeaways	0-0	1-2
Three or more takeaways	0-0	1-2
Commit fewer turnovers	2-0	4-4
Equal turnovers	0-0	2-0
Commit more turnovers	0-0	1-3
Control time of possession	2-0	5-3
Opponent controls time of possession	0-0	2-4
Games decided by 1-8 points	1-0	2-3
Games decided by 9-19 points	0-0	1-1
Games decided by 20 points or more	1-0	4-3
Win Coin Toss	1-0	2-3
Lose Coin Toss	1-0	5-4

RECORD WATCH

Career Rushing Yards

Rank	Player, Yards
1.	Darrell Thomson, 4,654
5.	Chris Darkins, 3,235
6.	Marion Barber, 3,094
7.	Rodney Smith, 2,959

Career Rushing Attempts

Rank	Player, Attempts
1.	Darrell Thomson, 936
2.	Thomas Hamner, 882
T3.	Laurence Maroney, 660
T3.	Marion Barber, 660
5.	Rodney Smith, 651

Career Rushing Touchdowns

Rank	Player, Touchdowns
1.	Darrell Thompson, 40
5.	Laurence Maroney, 32
6.	Rickey Foggie, 25
7.	Thomas Tapeh, 24
8.	Herb Joesting, 23
9.	Rodney Smith, 21

Career 100-Yard Rushing Games

Rank	Player, Game
1.	Darrell Thompson, 23
7.	Marion Barber, 12
8.	Rodney Smith, 11

Career All-Purpose Yards

Rank	Player, Yards
1.	Darrell Thompson, 5,109
5.	Chris Darkins, 4,347
6.	Troy Stoudemire, 4,131
7.	Rodney Smith, 4,073

Career 100-Yard Receiving Games

Rank	Player, Games
T1.	Eric Decker, 11
T1.	Tutu Atwell, 11
T12.	Tyler Johnson, 4

Career Receiving Touchdowns

Rank	Player, Games
1.	Ron Johnson, 31
11.	Maxx Williams, 13
T12.	Elmer Bailey, 12
T12.	Matt Spaeth, 12
T14.	Logan Payne, 11
T14.	Aaron Hosack, 11
T16.	Tyler Jonson, 10

Career Kick Return Average

Rank	Player, Average
1.	Rodney Smith, 27.6
2.	Jakari Wallace, 27.0
3.	George Honza, 25.3

Career Field Goals Made

Rank	Player, FGs Made
1.	Dan Nystrom, 71
3.	Paul Rogind, 44
4.	Mike Chalberg, 41
5.	Emmit Carpenter, 40
5.	Jim Gallery, 40

Career Kick Scoring

Rank	Player, Points
1.	Dan Nystrom, 367 points
5.	Mike Chalberg, 208
6.	Emmit Carpenter, 201

Career Field Goal Accuracy

Rank	Player, Percentage
1.	Emmit Carpenter, 81.6% (40-49)
2.	Chip Lohmiller, 76.0% (57-75)
3.	Joel Monroe, 75.9% (22-29)

FIRST YEAR QUARTERBACKS

- For the second straight season Minnesota started the season with the most inexperienced quarterbacks in the nation. This year, Minnesota has three redshirt freshmen quarterbacks in Tanner Morgan, Samuel Pickerign and Jon Santaga (moved from defensive back to quarterback in the spring) on its roster and true freshman walk-on Zack Annexstad, who has started the first two games of the season. Annexstad is believed to be just the second ever true freshman walk-on to start a season opener, joining Baker Mayfield who did so in 2013 at Texas Tech. Minnesota is the only team in the nation that has all freshmen quarterbacks on the roster and is one of three teams - joining Kentucky and Nebraska - who started the season with quarterbacks who had never attempted a pass in a game.
- Through two games, Zack Annexstad has completed 32-of-59 passes (54.24%) for 395 yards and two touchdowns. Minnesota passed for 397 yards through two games last year and for 519 yards through three games, which means Annexstad needs 125 passing yards against Miami this week to surpass Minnesota's output through three games last year. Annexstad's 395 passing yards are the most for a Gopher quarterback in the first two starts of his career since redshirt freshman Adam Weber passed for 462 yards (188 against Bowling Green and 274 against Miami) to open the season in 2007. The Bowling Green game went to overtime, while the Miami game went to three overtimes.
- Zack Annexstad is the first Gopher freshman quarterback ever to win his first two career starts having not played previously, as Minnesota has beaten New Mexico State and Fresno State this season. Freshmen became eligible to compete in 1972.
- Zack Annexstad was the first true freshman to start a season-opening game at quarterback for the Gophers since Tim Salem got the call in 1980 (Salem passed for 162 yards in the season opener). Dating back to 1980, only redshirt freshman Alan Holt's 275 yards passing against Michigan State in 1985 were better in a Gopher freshman's (true or redshirt) debut than Annexstad's 220 yards against New Mexico State. Since 1980, a freshman quarterback has now appeared in a game for Minnesota 72 times. Annexstad's 220 yards against the Aggies were the third most by a true freshman since 1980 are the 12th most in all 72 appearances by a freshman quarterback. His 175 yards against Fresno State were the 20th most by a freshman in the same time span.
- Zack Annexstad was the first true freshman to start the season at quarterback for the Gophers since 1980 when Tim Salem (passed for 162 yards) started for his father and coach Joe Salem against Ohio. Rickey Foggie (1984, 62 yards) and Max Shortell (2011, 98 yards) played as true freshmen in Minnesota's season-opening games, but as reserves after starters Brett Sadek (1984) and MarQueis Gray (2011) were injured. Redshirt freshmen Asad Abdul-Khaliq (2000, 161 yards) and Adam Weber (2007, 188 yards) also started their season-openers.
- Zack Annexstad attended IMG Academy in Bradenton, Fla., and was named the starting quarterback midway through his senior season. He turned down multiple Power 5 scholarship offers to walk-on at Minnesota and enrolled at the U in January 2018. As a senior at IMG, he completed 63-of-112 passes for 940 yards and 10 touchdowns as the Ascenders completed an undefeated season. He finished his IMG career with 1,137 passing yards and 14 touchdowns. Annexstad was the starting quarterback at Mankato West as a sophomore in 2015, but was sidelined by an ankle injury. He then continued his high school career at IMG. His brother, Brock, is a redshirt freshman receiver for the Maroon and Gold and his father, Scott, played at Minnesota from 1982-83 and then saw time with Kansas City and Washington in the NFL. Annexstad's cousin is Sam Dekker, who played basketball at Wisconsin and is a member of the Cleveland Cavaliers.
- Tanner Morgan is the only scholarship quarterback on the roster. He attended Ryle High School in Union, Ken., where he played as a junior and a senior (played as a freshman and sophomore at Hazard High School in Hazard, Kentucky) before enrolling at Minnesota in January 2017. Morgan is one of only a few Kentucky high school quarterbacks to pass for more than 10,000 yards in his career. As a senior, passed for 2,747 yards and 27 touchdowns as team finished with a 12-1 record and reached the 6-A state quarterfinals. He also rushed for 320 yards and five touchdowns en route to being named a finalist for Kentucky's Mr. Football award. Morgan made his collegiate debut in the fourth quarter against New Mexico and completed his only pass attempt for seven yards. His cousin, Tim Couch, played for Kentucky from 1996-1998 and spent five seasons (1999-2003) in the NFL with the Cleveland Browns.

RUNNING BACKS

- Coach P.J. Fleck recently announced today that senior running back Rodney Smith will miss the rest of the season as a result of an injury sustained in the first quarter against Fresno State on Sept. 8. "I am devastated for Rodney, but I know he will keep his oar in the water and continue to move forward and attack his rehabilitation process. He is a leader on this team and I look forward to him working with our young players as we continue to grow this season. We will file a waiver for a sixth year of eligibility with the NCAA right after the season is over. We believe Rodney meets all the requirements for the waiver and fully expect that it will be granted." In two games this year, Smith rushed for 154 yards on 25 carries and also added 32 receiving yards and 37 kick return yards. Smith is one of the best to ever wear the Maroon and Gold. In 39 career games, he has rushed 651 times (fifth all-time in school history) for 2,959 yards (seventh all-time in school history) and scored 21 (2 in 2015; 16 in 2016 and 3 in 2017) career rushing touchdowns (tied for ninth in school history). His 4,073 all-purpose yards (2,959 rushing, 451 receiving and 663 kick return) ranks seventh in school history.
- The injury to Rodney Smith means there are only two healthy seniors on offense in Donnell Greene and Jared Weyler. Smith joins Shannon Brooks on the sideline, as Brooks is recovering from an injury sustained in the spring. Redshirt freshman Mohamed Ibrahim missed the Fresno State game with an injury as well. He did total 101 yards on nine carries and became the first Gopher to rush for 100 yards or more in his collegiate debut since Thomas Hamner piled up 158 yards in a 30-3 win against NE Louisiana (now ULM) in 1996.
- True freshman Bryce Williams has seen action in both games. He rushed nine times for 31 yards and one touchdown against New Mexico State and then carried the load against Fresno State as the backfield dealt with injuries. He toted the rock 25 times for 87 yards versus the Bulldogs. With Smith out - and Ibrahim's return uncertain - fans may also see more of Jonathan Femi-Cole (three carries for 13 yards against Fresno State) and Seth Green (11 carries for 30 yards and two touchdowns against the Bulldogs).

GREEN LINE

- The Gophers have showcased a new wrinkle this year when it featured Seth Green at quarterback in a wild-cat offense against New Mexico State. He rushed for two touchdowns out of the formation against the Aggies and again rushed for two scores and converted a two-point try to Ko Kieft against Fresno State. Green started his Gopher career as a quarterback, but changed positions late in the spring to tight end and is now transitioning to wide receiver. But so far this year he has done most of his damage at quarterback. Green has rushed 13 times for 42 yards this year and has scored four touchdowns (1, 3, 3 and 9 yards). He has the ability to run, throw or catch a touchdown (passed for a two-point conversion against Fresno State). The last Gopher to do that in one season was former running back Duane Bennett who accomplished the feat in 2010. Current Minnesota running back Shannon Brooks, who will miss the early part of the season with an injury, has also rushed, passed and thrown for a touchdown, but not in the same season.

STAR POWER

- Tyler Johnson is a certified star. The Minneapolis native exploded onto the scene last year with 35 catches for 677 yards and seven touchdowns. Through two games this season, he has hauled in 11 ball for 150 yards and two scores. Johnson has 60 career catches for 968 yards and 10 touchdowns. With 32 more receiving yards, he will become the 26th Gopher to notch 1,000 career receiving yards. Johnson racks up yards in a hurry, as his career yards per reception average of 16.1 ranks tied for ninth all-time in school history.
- Tyler Johnson's 677 receiving yards last season were the fifth most ever by a Minnesota sophomore and that was despite missing the final two games of the season with an injury. His seven receiving touchdowns were the second most ever by a sophomore.

FRESHMAN FOCUS

- After Tyler Johnson, three freshman highlight the receiving game for Minnesota. Four-star recruit and true freshman Rashod Bateman has 10 catches this year for 130 yards. He made five catches for 52 yards against New Mexico State and then added five catches for 78 yards against Fresno State. As a senior in high school, the Tifton, Ga., native broke single-season school receiving records with 83 catches for 1,539 yards and 21 touchdowns. He was named First Team All-State and finished his career with 139 catches for 2,364 receiving yards and 26 touchdowns.
- Redshirt freshman Chris Autman-Bell is a sure-handed target who has made six catches for 74 yards this season. He redshirted last season after suffering an injury in training camp. He was also limited as a senior in high school because of an injury. But as a junior, he caught 34 passes for 881 yards and 15 touchdowns as his team won the Class 3A state championship.
- Demetrius Douglas played in the first three games in 2017 before suffering an injury that kept him out the rest of the season. He was granted a medical hardship waiver from the NCAA and now has four years of eligibility remaining. He made 11 catches for 83 yards in his limited action last season and has one catch for four yards this season. His father, Omar, played

receiver at Minnesota from 1990-93 and ranks tied for eighth in receptions (130), tied for ninth in receiving touchdowns (14) and tenth in school history in receiving yards (1,681). Omar, owns school record for touchdowns in a game with five (Oct. 9, 1993 vs. Purdue) and spent four years in the NFL with the New York Giants.

- With three freshman receivers expected to see significant playing time, let's take a quick look at freshman receiving records. The most receptions by a freshman in school history is 38 (Ron Johnson, 1998), while the most receiving yards is 654 (Ernie Wheelwright, 2004) and touchdowns is seven (Ernie Wheelwright, 2004).

A LEADER WILL EMERGE

- It is not often that a freshman leads a team in a statistical category in college football, but that is what happened against Fresno State. True freshman led Minnesota in passing (Zack Annexstad, 175 yards), rushing (Bryce Williams, 87 yards) and receiving (Rashod Bateman, 78 yards). On defense, Terrell Smith led the Gophers in solo tackles (7) and tied for the team lead in interceptions (1) and pass breakups (1).

DO YOU HAVE THE TIME?

- The ball. The ball. The ball. It's a constant refrain around Minnesota's program and through two games, the Gophers have had the ball more than their opponents. Minnesota had the ball for 36:41 against Fresno State and 34:34 against New Mexico State. Through two games, Minnesota is +21:16 in time of possession.

BALANCE

- Rodney Smith (153 yards) and Mohamed Ibrahim (101 yards) both eclipsed the 100-yard mark against New Mexico State. Tyler Johnson also had 100 yards receiving for the Gophers. It was the first time that Minnesota had two players rush for 100 yards and one player total 100 receiving yards since 2016 at Penn State. In that game, Smith (104 yards) and Shannon Brooks (100 yards) both rushed for 100 yards, while Brian Smith had 101 receiving yards.

- Minnesota passed for 227 yards and rushed for 295 yards against New Mexico State. It was the first time since Nov. 5, 2016, against Purdue (span of 16 games) that Minnesota eclipsed the 200 yard mark in both passing and rushing in the same game. Against Purdue, Minnesota passed for 231 yards and rushed for 235 as it won 44-31.

A LOT OF CHOCOLATE MILK

- Up front the Gophers feature a mix of experience and youth, as Minnesota has started two upperclassmen and three underclassmen on the offensive line in the season opener. They have allowed one sack this year and have helped Minnesota go 8-of-8 in the red zone.
- As a fifth-year senior, Jared Weyler is the most tenured of the group, but Donnell Greene has actually played the most football for the Gophers. Greene, who joined Minnesota as a junior college transfer in 2016, has started 21 of his 27 career games. He started 11 of 12 games in 2017 and the final eight of 2016 and anchored an offensive line that allowed only 22 sacks and 62 tackles for loss last season en route to being named All-Big Ten Honorable Mention.
- Jared Weyler is on the Rimington Trophy Watch List

for the second straight year. He has started at center in both games this year, a position that he started six games for Minnesota at last season but also missed six games due to an injury. When healthy, the two-time Academic All-Big Ten honoree has made a major impact for Minnesota up front.

- Conner Olson started all 12 games on the offensive line (six at center and six at right guard) last season as just a redshirt freshman. He has started at guard this year. The Monticello, Minn. native was 240 pounds when he was recruited and has since upped his frame to 300 pounds. He gives credit to, "a lot of chocolate milk and a lot of peanut butter sandwiches."

- Two more Minnesotans in sophomore Sam Schlueter (Victoria) and redshirt freshman Blaise Andries (Marshall) started against New Mexico State. Schlueter played in 10 games and started the final six of the season last year. Andries was a touted local recruit and has seen his first action this year.

REDSHIRT?

- The new redshirt rule – where players can compete in four games and still redshirt – enabled Minnesota to play 68 players against New Mexico State. Twenty-eight of those 68 were freshmen and 16 (7 on offense and 9 on defense) of them were true freshmen. Minnesota started five freshmen on offense in true freshmen Zack Annexstad and Rashod Bateman and redshirt freshmen in Blaise Andries, Demetrius Douglas and Jake Paulson. On defense, Minnesota started true freshman Terrell Smith.

TOM-BOMB

- Thomas Barber emerged as a breakout star last season. The legacy Gopher started all 12 games and finished first on the team with 115 tackles to rank third in the Big Ten and tied for 20th in the nation. This year he has eight tackles and one interception. Last year, 76 of Barber's 115 tackles – or 66% of his total tackles – were solo. His 76 solo stops ranked first in the Big Ten and tied for seventh nationally. Barber's 66% solo-tackle rate ranked third in the nation. He also did not take a penalty on 746 snaps last year.

IT'S T-TIME

- Everyone is talking about Minnesota's freshman on offense, but the Gophers are also starting a true freshman at defensive back in Terrell Smith. The Snellville, Ga., native has 16 tackles, four pass breakups and one interception this year. Smith brings elite speed to team, as he won the Georgia State Championship in the 100m (10.39) as a junior and the 200m (21.26) as a sophomore. His personal record in the 100m is 10.32 and in the 200m is 20.84, which made him the fastest Big Ten corner commit since 2010.

STRAIGHT CASH HOMEY

- Blake Cashman has made his money on special teams throughout his career but he has been a dynamic playmaker on defense for the Gophers this year. He made eight tackles and tied a TCF Bank Stadium record with four tackles for loss against New Mexico State. Pro Football Focus charted him with five total quarterback hurries on just eight pass-rush snaps. Cashman also added a sack and a pass breakup. He notched 10 tackles against Fresno State and chalked up 1.5 tackles for loss. The senior finished last season with 30 tackles including five for a loss and two sacks. In two games this year he has 18

tackles and 5.5 tackles for loss. As a sophomore he recorded 45 tackles with a team leading 7.5 sacks and one forced fumble. He was named the 2017 Holiday Bowl Defensive Most Valuable Player and is a two-time winner of the team's Gary Tinsley Award, as the player who best embodied the underdog spirit of the late former Gopher Gary Tinsley.

WELCOME BACK WINFIELD

- ▶ Antoine Winfield Jr. played in the first four games of last year but then missed the final eight games with an injury. He was granted a medical hardship by the NCAA and is back as a redshirt sophomore. The Gophers are glad to have him. He helped swing the game against New Mexico State by taking his first ever punt return 76 yards to the house with five broken tackles along the way.
- ▶ Against Fresno State, Winfield made a game-clinching interception late in the fourth quarter. Words will not do the play justice, as it quickly went viral and was the talk of college football last Saturday night.
- ▶ The Big Ten honored Winfield as its Special Teams Player of the Week last week and named him the Defensive Player of the Week this week. He is the first Gopher ever to be recognized by the conference with different weekly awards in the same season. (Rodney Smith has been named both Special Teams Player of the Week and Defensive Player of the Week during his time in Dinkytown).
- ▶ The Gophers missed Winfield's dynamic impact last year. He notched seven tackles including a sack, made two pass breakups and blocked a field goal against Buffalo in the 2017 season opener and had another seven tackles against Middle Tennessee in the second game of the year. As a freshman he recorded 52 tackles, broke up three passes, recovered one fumble and returned one interception 82 yards for a touchdown.

POINTS

- ▶ Minnesota scored 28 points in the second quarter and 35 in the first half against New Mexico State. The 28 points were the most scored in a quarter since 2015 when the Gophers rang up 28 third-quarter points at Purdue and the 35 points were the most in the first half for Minnesota since it totaled 38 in the first half against Indiana State in 2016.
- ▶ Minnesota's 38-point margin of victory (won 48-10) against New Mexico State was the largest ever for the Gophers at TCF Bank Stadium. Minnesota had previously beaten Iowa (2014) and New Hampshire (2012) by 37 points at TCF Bank Stadium. The 38-point win was also Minnesota's largest margin of victory since 2006, when it topped Temple 62-0 at home.

NO POINTS

- ▶ Minnesota did not allow a point to Fresno State in the first half. It was the first time since Nov. 19, 2016, against Northwestern (Minnesota won 29-12) that the Gophers shutout an opponent in the first half. This most recent performance follows the New Mexico State game where Minnesota did not allow a point in the second half. Between its first two games, the Gophers did not allow a point for 88 minutes and 50 seconds. New Mexico State scored a touchdown with 14:10 remaining in the second quarter and Fresno

State scored with 20 second left in the third quarter. Minnesota has now held five opponents scoreless in a half under Coach Fleck and defensive coordinator Robb Smith. In addition to Fresno State (first half) and New Mexico State (second half), Minnesota did not allow a point in the second half last season to Buffalo, Oregon State and Middle Tennessee.

PLEASE WAIT HERE

- ▶ Minnesota limited Fresno State to 87 rushing yards, marking the second straight week the Gophers have allowed less than 100 yards on the ground. Through two games, Minnesota is surrendering 62.5 rushing yards per game, as New Mexico State managed only 38 rushing yards.

A CARPENTER'S PRECISION

- ▶ Minnesota kicker Emmit Carpenter is poised to become one of the most productive kickers in school history. The senior, who was one of 30 kickers named to the preseason watch list for the Lou Groza Collegiate Place-Kicker Award, has made 40-of-49 career field goals. His 81.6 field goal conversion rate ranks first in program history.
- ▶ Emmit Carpenter's 40 career field goals rank tied for fifth in school history with Jim Gallery. He has made 26-of-34 field goals at TCF Bank Stadium, 13-of-14 on the road and 1-of-1 in neutral-site games. Carpenter is 34-of-43 on FieldTurf and is a perfect 6-of-6 on natural grass. In addition, he has made 81-of-82 career point-after attempts.
- ▶ Through two games, Emmit Carpenter has made 4-of-5 field goal and all nine point-after attempts. He now has 201 career points as he has made 81 PATs and 40 field goals. He is the sixth kicker and 11th player overall to reach 200 career points for the Gophers. The last player to hit the 200-point mark was quarterback Mitch Leidner (33 rushing TDs and 1 2PT from 2013-16) and the last kicker to do so was Dan Nystrom (154 PATs and 71 FGs from 1999-2002). Nystrom is Minnesota's all-time leading scorer with 367 points.

- ▶ Against Fresno State, Emmit Carpenter connected on field goals from 50 and 53 yards. The 53-yard kick tied his career-long, as he also made a 53-yarder during the second half of the 44-31 win at Purdue on Nov. 5, 2016. Carpenter added a 50-yard field goal in the fourth quarter last Saturday. It was the second time in his career he's made two field goals greater than 50 yards. He was good from 52 and 53 versus Purdue on Nov. 5, 2016. Adam Bailey is the only other Minnesota kicker with two field goals from 50-plus yards (52, 50) in the same game, accomplishing the feat versus Penn State on Oct. 18, 1997, inside the Metrodome.

- ▶ In 2017, Carpenter made 14-of-20 field goals and was a perfect 31-of-31 on point-after attempts. He led Minnesota with 73 points and was named All-Big Ten Honorable Mention. In 2016, Carpenter was named the Big Ten's Bakken-Andersen Kicker of the Year (first Gopher to be honored with this award), after making 22-of-24 field goals. He was named All-Big Ten First Team by the media and All-Big Ten Second Team by Big Ten coaches. Carpenter totaled 109 points, which tied Dan Nystrom (109 points in 2000) for most all-time by a Minnesota kicker. Carpenter's 109 points also ranks tied for second all-time with

Nystrom for any Gopher behind Gary Russell (114 points in 2005) and he finished fifth in the Big Ten scoring race that season. Carpenter made his first nine field goals (tied for sixth longest streak in school history) to start the year and ended the season with 12 consecutive made field goals (fourth longest streak in school history). He was a perfect 10-of-10 on field goals from 40 yards or greater and was the only kicker in the nation - minimum of six kicks - to accomplish that feat (8-of-8 from 40-49 yards and 2-of-2 from 50-plus yards).

- ▶ Carpenter has also found success off the field, as he was named Academic All-Big Ten and CoSida Academic All-District in 2016 and 2017. He was also honored with the team's Tony Dungy Character and Community Service Award (great character on and off the field) in 2017.

HERBIE! HERBIE!

- ▶ Jacob Herbers is handling the punting and holding duties for the Gophers this year. He has been a flawless holder for the past two-plus seasons, but this year is the first time he is the team's No. 1 punter. Herbers, who had only one career punt to his name prior to this season, is averaging 39.82 yards on 11 punts. He has punts of 51 and 52 yards this year as well. Not bad for an eagle scout and mechanical engineering major.

SPECIAL BROTHERHOOD

- ▶ The Gophers are in the third straight season of having the same long snapper (Payton Jordahl), holder (Jacob Herbers) and kicker (Emmit Carpenter). Jordahl has snapped 412 times in his career (230 punt, 112 point after attempts and 70 field goals) and made nine tackles. Herbers is coming off a Mortell Holder of the Year Semifinalist season and is again on the watch list for the prestigious award.

RETURN, BLOCKED

- ▶ The Gophers found success on special teams against New Mexico State. Antoine Winfield Jr. returned a punt - the first of his collegiate career - 76 yards for a touchdown and Sam Renner blocked a punt that led to a field goal. Winfield's score was the second of his career, as he also returned an interception 82 yards at Maryland in 2016. His punt return was Minnesota first for a touchdown since Marcus Jones went 65 yards at New Mexico State in 2013. Renner's blocked punt was the first for Minnesota since Eric Murray blocked a punt against Iowa in 2014.

FOURTH DOWN, GO FOR IT

- ▶ The Gophers are 2-of-2 on fourth down this year. Last year, Minnesota went for it on fourth down 13 times and converted on 10 tries. That 76.9 conversion rate ranked first in the Big Ten and second in the nation. Only Alabama had a higher percentage at 83.3%.

YOU'RE ON SCHOLARSHIP

- ▶ Nobody gives away a scholarship like Minnesota coach P.J. Fleck. The effervescent Gopher coach certainly has a flair for the dramatic when it comes to scholarship surprises, but he also ensures that the moment is one that is memorable for the individual receiving the scholarship.
- ▶ Since Fleck was hired on Jan. 6, 2017, he has awarded eight scholarships to walk-ons with two coming this

past fall camp and one after Minnesota's win against New Mexico State. Bailey Schoenfelder was awarded a scholarship after two Navy Seals parachuted onto the field and delivered a letter to Fleck. Brock Annexstad received a scholarship when his brother, starting quarterback Zack, pretended to reveal a tattoo to the team that showed the words, "Brock, you are on scholarship." After Minnesota beat New Mexico State, Fleck awarded scholarship to Calvin Swenson while he was addressing the team in the locker room.

- In addition to Schoenfelder, Annexstad and Swenson, Fleck had previously given scholarships to walk-ons Sam Renner, Blake Cashman, Emmitt Carpenter, Justin Juenemann, and Conor Rhoda.

DEGREE IN HAND

- Minnesota has eight players on who have already earned their degree. Those players are Jerry Gibson, Payton Jordahl, Gary Moore, Rodney Smith, Jared Weyler, Julian Huff, Sam Renner and Alex Melvin.

SERVING AND GIVING

- P.J. Fleck stresses serving and giving to others and has preached that motto since he has been at Minnesota. Fleck and the Gophers routinely visit the University of Minnesota Masonic Children's Hospital to lift the spirits of patients and staff. This year, Fleck opened up three fall practices to the public. One of those practices was a F.A.M.I.L.Y Day practice. There the Gophers hosted their second annual diaper drive and collected 15,750 diapers. In two years, Minnesota has collected 29,296 diapers. Minnesota has also hosted a canned food drive and turkey drive.

COACHED UP

- Head coach P.J. Fleck promoted Joe Rossi from quality control assistant to defensive line coach this past offseason. He also hired Clay Patterson (tight ends), Jahmile Addae (defensive back) and Marcus West (defensive line pass rush specialist).
- Joe Rossi joined the staff in January 2017 and was named defensive line coach in January 2018. Rossi spent 2012-15 at Rutgers, which included two years as defensive coordinator. Rossi was promoted to defensive coordinator in 2014 after serving in an interim role in 2013 and held the role until after 2015.
- Clay Patterson joined the Minnesota coaching staff in January 2018 after serving as head coach at Northeastern Oklahoma A&M for two seasons. The Morris, Okla., native led the Norseman to a 9-3 record in 2017 after going 5-5 in 2016. In 2017, the program claimed its first Southwest Junior College Football Conference (SWJCFC) championship since 2003 and played in its first bowl game since 2012. Patterson earned conference coach of the year honors as his team averaged 524.5 yards per game (253.8 rushing and 270.6 passing) and 36.2 points per game.
- Jahmile Addae coached Arizona defensive backs in 2016-17 after working for the team as an analyst from 2013-15. At Arizona, Addae helped develop Arizona's young defensive backs into top performers. Four of Arizona's leading tacklers were in the secondary in 2017 and that quartet combined for 261 tackles, 24 breakups and 12 interceptions.

- Marcus West joined the Minnesota coaching staff in

February 2018. He came to Minnesota after two seasons at Austin Peay. While with the Governors, West was the assistant head coach, co-defensive coordinator and defensive line coach. In 2017, Austin Peay – which was a combined 1-45 from 2013-16 – posted an 8-4 record. The eight wins tied a program record and the team's seven conference wins were a program record. The defense, led by West, held its opponents to 24.8 points per game (fifth-best in the OVC), which is impressive considering the Governors gave up 73 points at UCF. Excluding UCF, Austin Peay gave up 20.3 points per game in 11 games and gave up only 16.6 points per game in its eight wins.

TCF BANK STADIUM

- In addition to college football, TCF Bank Stadium has hosted Gopher hockey games, Monday Night Football (Minnesota vs. Chicago), NHL Stadium Series (Minnesota vs. Chicago), international soccer match (Manchester City vs. Olympiacos), MLB All-Star concert, U2, Rolling Stones, Beyonce, One Direction, Luke Bryan and Florida Georgia Line. The Minnesota Vikings (2014-15) and Minnesota United (2017-18) played season at TCF Bank Stadium, while their new stadiums were being constructed.

PLAYING AT HOME

- Minnesota is 38-27 all-time at TCF Bank Stadium. Minnesota is now 11 games over .500 at TCF Bank Stadium after opening the season with wins against New Mexico State and Fresno State. This is the first time that Minnesota has been 11 games over .500 at TCF Bank Stadium and its current 58.4 winning percentage at home is the highest since the stadium opened (Minnesota had previously been 10 games over .500 at the stadium three times). A win on Saturday would make Minnesota 12 games over .500 at TCF Bank Stadium, which is something they have never been. The Gophers opened the on-campus facility with a 20-13 win against Air Force on Sept. 12, 2009, but then dropped to 7-13 at home after 20 games at TCF Bank Stadium. Since then (Nov. 26, 2011), Minnesota has compiled a 31-14 record at home, which translates to a 68.8 winning percentage.
- Minnesota is 21-7 at TCF Bank Stadium in non-conference games. However, the Gophers are 18-1 in their last 19 non-conference games and have won nine in a row. Minnesota's last home loss to a non-conference opponent was to No. 2 TCU in 2015.
- In 65 games at TCF Bank Stadium, the Gophers average 27.0 points per game and allow an average of 24.2. In non-conference games, Minnesota averages 29.2 points per game and give up an average of 20.3. Under Fleck, Minnesota has averaged 27.6 points per game at home and has allowed an average of 18.2. In four non-conference games, those numbers are 30.0 points per game for and 8.5 points per game against.

CHAMPIONSHIPS

- Minnesota has won seven national championships and 18 Big Ten titles. Minnesota's first national championship came in 1904. The Gophers outscored their opponents 725-12 en route to a 13-0 record. Bernie Bierman would lead Minnesota to national titles in 1934, 1935, 1936, 1940 and 1941. The Gophers also won a national title in 1960 under Murray Warmath. Minnesota won its first-ever Big Ten title in 1900. The Gophers have a total of 18 Big Ten Championships in their history.

KICKOFF TEMPERATURE FOR MINNESOTA'S 65 HOME GAMES AT TCF BANK STADIUM

Game	Degrees	Result
UNLV (8/29/13 at 6 pm)	92	W
New Mexico State (9/10/11 at 2:30 pm)	88	L
TCU (9/3/15 at 8 p.m.)	82	L
Air Force (9/12/09 at 6 pm)	80	W
New Mexico State (8/30/18 at 6:00 pm)	77	W
Ohio (9/26/15 at 2:30 pm)	76	W
San Jose State (9/20/14 at 3 pm)	75	W
Middle Tennessee (9/6/14 at 2:30 pm)	73	W
Fresno State (9/8/18 at 6:30 pm)	72	W
Middle Tennessee (9/16/17 at 2:30 pm)	71	W
Purdue (11/5/16 at 2:30 pm)	71	W
Cal (9/19/09 at 11 am)	71	L
Buffalo (8/31/17 at 6 pm)	70	W
Oregon State (9/1/16 at 8 pm)	70	W
Eastern Illinois (8/28/14 at 6 pm)	69	W
Illinois (10/21/17 at 2:30 pm)	65	W
Maryland (9/30/17 at 11 am)	65	L
Colorado State (9/24/16 at 11 am)	65	W
Indiana State (9/10/16 at 11 am)	65	W
Western Illinois (9/14/13 at 11 am)	64	W
South Dakota (9/11/10 at 11 am)	63	L
Miami (Ohio) (9/17/11 at 2:30 pm)	63	W
Western Michigan (9/15/12 at 11 am)	63	W
New Hampshire (9/8/12 at 11 am)	62	W
Nebraska (10/22/11 at 2:30 pm)	61	L
Wisconsin (11/12/11 at 2:30 pm)	61	L
North Dakota State (9/24/11 at 6 pm)	59	L
Kent State (9/19/15 at 11 am)	58	W
Northern Illinois (9/25/10 at 7:30 pm)	58	L
Penn State (10/23/10 at 11 am)	58	L
Iowa (9/28/13 at 2:30 pm)	57	L
Illinois (11/7/09 at 11 am)	56	L
USC (9/18/10 at 2:30 pm)	56	L
Syracuse (9/22/12 at 7 pm)	55	W
San Jose State (9/21/13 at 11 am)	54	W
Nebraska (10/17/15 at 2:30 pm)	54	L
Rutgers (10/22/16 at 11 am)	51	W
Iowa (10/29/11 at 2:30 pm)	51	W
Michigan State (10/14/17 at 7:30 pm)	50	L
Northwestern (10/2/10 at 11 am)	50	L
Northwestern (10/13/12 at 11 am)	50	L
Michigan (10/31/15 at 6 pm)	50	L
Iowa (10/8/16 at 11 am)	46	L
Northwestern (10/11/14 at 11 am)	46	W
Ohio State (10/30/10 at 7 pm)	46	L
Purdue (10/18/14 at 11 am)	45	W
Wisconsin (10/3/09 at 11 am)	45	L
South Dakota State (11/14/09 at 11 am)	44	W
Penn State (11/9/13 at 11 am)	44	W
Illinois (11/26/11 at 2:30 pm)	42	W
Purdue (10/27/12 at 2:30 pm)	42	W
Nebraska (10/26/13 at 11 am)	42	W
Wisconsin (11/25/17 at 2:30 pm)	40	L
Michigan State (10/31/09 at 7 pm)	39	W
Iowa (11/8/14 at 11 am)	38	W
Michigan (11/3/12 at 11 am)	37	L
Nebraska (11/11/17 at 11 am)	36	W
Wisconsin (11/28/15 at 2:30 pm)	32	L
Purdue (10/10/09 at 11 am)	31	W
Northwestern (11/19/16 at 2:30 pm)	30	W
Michigan State (11/24/12 at 2:30 pm)	25	L
Iowa (11/27/10 at 2:30 pm)	23	W
Illinois (11/21/15 at 11 am)	22	W
Wisconsin (11/23/13 at 2:30 pm)	18	L
Ohio State (11/15/14 at 11 am)	15	L

SKI-U-MARCH

The Gophers will greet fans and enter the stadium along with the spirit squad and the band 2.5 hours prior to kickoff. The route brings the team into the stadium through the Lake of the Woods entrance on the east (closed bowl) end of the stadium.

ALPHABETICAL ROSTER

##	STUDENT ATHLETE	POSITION
92	Mayan Ahanotu	DL
35	Danny Anderson	LB
77	Blaise Andries	OL
81	Brock Annexstad	WR
5	Zack Annexstad	QB
17	Josh Aune	DB
3	Chris Autman-Bell	WR
41	Thomas Barber	LB
56	Ty Barron	LB
13	Rashod Bateman	WR
44	Colton Beebe	TE
63	Austin Beier	OL
66	Nathan Boe	OL
4	Shannon Brooks	RB
96	Nathan Bursch	TE
38	Emmit Carpenter	K
36	Blake Cashman	LB
45	Carter Coughlin	LB
71	Ben Davis	OL
46	Winston DeLattiboudere	DL
12	Tai'yon Devers	DL
79	Jason Dickson	OL
82	Demetrius Douglas	WR
61	Bronson Dovich	OL
51	Curtis Dunlap Jr.	OL
16	Coney Durr	DB
8	Nolan Edmonds	RB
7	Rey Estes	DB
78	Daniel Faalele	OL
28	Jonathan Femi-Cole	RB
18	Clay Geary	WR
48	Anders Gelecinskyj	K
84	Erik Gibson	WR
3	Jerry Gibson	DL
27	Paul Gossage	WR
17	Seth Green	TE
73	Donnell Greene	OL
5	Trenton Guthrie	LB
26	Justus Harris	DB
47	Jacob Herbers	P
91	Noah Hickcox	DL
25	Phillip Howard	WR
23	Jordan Howden	DB
2	Jacob Huff	DB
20	Julian Huff	LB
24	Mohamed Ibrahim	RB
98	Max Janes	TE
38	Preston Jelen	RB
6	Tyler Johnson	WR
25	Payton Jordahl	LS
67	Jack Kern	DL
42	Ko Kieft	TE
29	Jack Leius	DB
31	Dominik London	RB
37	John Mack	K
69	Boye Mafe	DL
11	Jornell Manns	WR
21	Kamal Martin	LB
24	Bishop McDonald	DB
46	Alex Melvin	P
19	Gary Moore	DL
2	Tanner Morgan	QB
89	Matt Morse	WR
94	Abi N-Okonji	DL
74	Grant Norton	OL
93	Connor Novak-Goar	DL
14	Casey O'Brien	H
14	Braelen Oliver	LB
64	Conner Olson	OL
58	Quinn Oseland	OL
9	Ezezi Otomewo	DL

NUMERICAL ROSTER

##	STUDENT ATHLETE	POSITION	HT	WT	YR-EX	HOMETOWN / HIGH SCHOOL (PREVIOUS COLLEGE)
1	Rodney Smith	RB	5-11	210	R-Sr.	Jonesboro, Ga. / Mundy's Mill
2	Jacob Huff	DB	5-11	210	Sr.	Bolingbrook, Ill. / Bolingbrook
2	Tanner Morgan	QB	6-2	210	R-Fr.	Union, Ky. / Ryle
3	Chris Autman-Bell	WR	6-1	200	R-Fr.	Kankakee, Ill. / Bishop McNamara
3	Jerry Gibson	DL	6-3	260	R-Sr.	Theodore, Ala. / Theodore
4	Shannon Brooks	RB	6-0	215	Sr.	Austell, Ga. / Pickens
4	Terell Smith	DB	6-1	195	Fr.	Snellville, Ga. / South Gwinnett
5	Zack Annexstad	QB	6-3	215	Fr.	Norseland, Minn. / IMG Academy
5	Trenton Guthrie	LB	6-3	220	R-Fr.	Northville, Mich. / Northville
6	Tyler Johnson	WR	6-2	200	Jr.	Minneapolis, Minn. / North
6	Chris Williamson	DB	6-0	200	R-Jr.	Atlanta, Ga. / Gainesville (Florida)
7	Rey Estes	DB	6-0	175	R-Fr.	East St. Louis, Ill. / East St. Louis
8	Nolan Edmonds	RB	5-11	200	Fr.	Alpharetta, Ga. / Alpharetta
9	Ezezi Otomewo	DL	6-6	260	R-Fr.	Indianapolis, Ind. / Ben Davis
11	Jornell Manns	WR	5-11	190	Fr.	Mansfield, Ohio / Mansfield Senior
11	Antoine Winfield Jr.	DB	5-10	205	R-So.	The Woodlands, Texas / The Woodlands
12	Tai'yon Devers	DL	6-4	240	Jr.	Pompano Beach, Fla. / Blanche Ely
13	Rashod Bateman	WR	6-2	200	Fr.	Tifton, Ga. / Tift County
14	Casey O'Brien	H	6-1	175	R-Fr.	Saint Paul, Minn. / Cretin-Derham Hall
14	Braelen Oliver	LB	6-0	225	Fr.	Douglasville, Ga. / Douglas County
15	CJ Smith	DB	6-1	185	Fr.	Jacksonville, Fla. / Fletcher
16	Coney Durr	DB	5-10	190	Jr.	Baton Rouge, La. / Dutchtown
16	Jon Santaiga	QB	6-1	205	R-Fr.	Green Bay, Wis. / Notre Dame Academy
17	Josh Aune	DB	6-2	205	Fr.	St. Paul, Minn. / Highland Park
17	Seth Green	TE	6-4	240	R-So.	Woodbury, Minn. / Allen
18	Clay Geary	WR	5-10	190	R-So.	Lakeville, Minn. / Lakeville South
19	Gary Moore	DL	6-4	300	R-Sr.	Mobile, Ala. / Murphy
19	Samuel Pickerign	QB	6-4	225	R-Fr.	Alpharetta, Ga. / Minnehaha Academy
20	Julian Huff	LB	6-0	225	Sr.	Bolingbrook, Ill. / Bolingbrook
21	Kamal Martin	LB	6-3	235	Jr.	Burnsville, Minn. / Burnsville
21	Bryce Williams	RB	6-0	200	Fr.	Sarasota, Fla. / Cardinal Mooney
22	Benny Sapp III	DB	6-1	195	Fr.	Fort Lauderdale, Fla. / Eden Prairie
23	Jordan Howden	DB	5-11	185	Fr.	Las Vegas, Nev. / Desert Pines
24	Mohamed Ibrahim	RB	5-10	205	R-Fr.	Olney, Md. / Our Lady of Good Counsel
24	Bishop McDonald	DB	6-0	190	Jr.	Oakdale, Minn. / North St. Paul (Minn. Duluth)
25	Phillip Howard	WR	5-11	195	R-So.	Minneapolis, Minn. / Robbinsdale Cooper
25	Payton Jordahl	LS	6-2	230	R-Sr.	Perham, Minn. / Perham
26	Justus Harris	DB	5-10	180	So.	Roswell, Ga. / Roswell
26	True Thompson	WR	6-4	200	R-So.	Plymouth, Minn. / Robbinsdale Armstrong (Iowa Western)
27	Paul Gossage	WR	6-3	185	R-Jr.	Mokena, Ill. / Lincoln-Way East (Eastern Illinois)
27	Calvin Swenson	DB	6-1	210	R-So.	Kaukauna, Wis. / Kaukauna
28	Jonathan Femi-Cole	RB	6-0	225	R-Jr.	Vaughan, Ontario, Canada / St. Andrew's College
28	Thomas Rush	LB	6-3	230	Fr.	Marysville, Ohio / Marysville
29	Jack Leius	DB	6-0	200	R-So.	Plymouth, Minn. / Robbinsdale Armstrong
30	Alex Reigelsperger	DL	6-4	255	Fr.	Dayton, Ohio / Wayne
31	Dominik London	RB	5-9	205	R-Fr.	Woodbury, Minn. / East Ridge
31	Kiondre Thomas	DB	6-0	190	R-So.	Fort Smith, Ark. / Northside
32	Joe Russell	LB	6-2	210	R-Fr.	Shoreview, Minn. / Totino-Grace
33	Grant Ryerse	K / P	6-2	210	R-Fr.	Woodbury, Minn. / East Ridge
34	Antonio Shenault	DB	5-11	190	Sr.	Roselle, Ill. / Lake Park
34	Brock Walker	K	5-10	190	Fr.	Sioux Falls, S.D. / Washington
35	Danny Anderson	LB	6-0	220	R-Fr.	Eden Prairie, Minn. / Eden Prairie
36	Blake Cashman	LB	6-2	235	Sr.	Eden Prairie, Minn. / Eden Prairie
37	John Mack	K	6-0	195	R-So.	Hartland, Wis. / Arrowhead
38	Emmit Carpenter	K	6-0	200	R-Sr.	Green Bay, Wis. / Ashwaubenon
38	Preston Jelen	RB	5-10	200	Fr.	Prior Lake, Minn. / Prior Lake
39	Michael Vojvodich	LS	6-3	210	Fr.	Annandale, Va. / Woodson
40	Alex Strazzanti	DB	6-2	205	R-Fr.	Chaska, Minn. / Chaska
41	Thomas Barber	LB	6-1	235	Jr.	Plymouth, Minn. / Robbinsdale Armstrong
42	Ko Kieft	TE	6-4	250	R-So.	Sioux Center, Iowa / Sioux Center
43	Bailey Schoenfelder	LB	6-3	235	R-So.	Huron, S.D. / Huron
44	Colton Beebe	TE	6-3	265	R-Jr.	Kansas City, Kan. / Piper
45	Carter Coughlin	LB	6-4	245	Jr.	Eden Prairie, Minn. / Eden Prairie
46	Winston DeLattiboudere	DL	6-3	250	R-Jr.	Baltimore, Md. / Howard
46	Alex Melvin	P	6-4	205	R-Jr.	Burnet, Texas / Burnet (SMU)
47	Jacob Herbers	P	6-2	215	R-Jr.	Battle Creek, Mich. / Lakeview
48	Anders Gelecinskyj	K	6-2	200	So.	Bloomington, Minn. / Kennedy
51	Curtis Dunlap Jr.	OL	6-5	370	Fr.	Jacksonville, Fla. / IMG Academy
52	Elijah Teague	DL	6-3	305	Fr.	South Holland, Ill. / Marist
55	Mariano Sori-Marin	LB	6-3	240	Fr.	Mokena, Ill. / Providence Catholic
56	Ty Barron	LB	6-0	220	Fr.	Minnetonka, Minn. / Minnetonka

ALPHABETICAL ROSTER

##	STUDENT ATHLETE	POSITION
80	Jake Paulson	TE
19	Samuel Pickerign	QB
30	Alex Reigelsperger	DL
90	Sam Renner	DL
59	Micah Roane	DL
75	Malcolm Robinson	DL
65	Axel Ruschmeyer	OL
28	Thomas Rush	LB
32	Joe Russell	LB
33	Grant Ryerse	K / P
16	Jon Santaga	QB
22	Benny Sapp III	DB
75	Kyle Sassack	OL
70	Sam Schlueter	OL
60	John Michael Schmitz	OL
43	Bailey Schoenfelder	LB
34	Antonio Shenault	DB
97	Royal Silver	DL
15	CJ Smith	DB
99	O.J. Smith	DL
1	Rodney Smith	RB
4	Terrell Smith	DB
55	Mariano Sori-Marin	LB
88	Brevyn Spann-Ford	TE
40	Alex Strazzanti	DB
27	Calvin Swenson	DB
52	Elijah Teague	DL
31	Kiondre Thomas	DB
26	True Thompson	WR
87	Nate Umlor	DL
87	Yale Van Dyne	WR
83	Harry Van Dyne	WR
39	Michael Vojvodich	LS
34	Brock Walker	K
62	Jared Weyler	OL
95	Victor White	DL
21	Bryce Williams	RB
6	Chris Williamson	DB
11	Antoine Winfield Jr.	DB
85	Bryce Witham	TE
86	Clayton Witherspoon	TE
76	Jack York	OL

Players By Country

United States	111
Australia	1
Canada	1

Players By State

Minnesota	40
Illinois	11
Georgia	11
Michigan	6
Ohio	6
Florida	5
Wisconsin	5
Kansas	3
Texas	3
Alabama	2
California	2
Iowa	2
Kentucky	2
Louisiana	2
Maryland	2
South Dakota	2
Arkansas	1
Indiana	1
Missouri	1
Nebada	1
Oregon	1
Virginia	1

NUMERICAL ROSTER

##	STUDENT ATHLETE	POSITION	HT	WT	YR-EX	HOMETOWN / HIGH SCHOOL (PREVIOUS COLLEGE)
58	Quinn Oseland	OL	6-6	305	R-Jr.	Springfield, Ill. / Sacred Heart Griffin
59	Micah Roane	DL	6-4	235	Fr.	Chaska, Minn. / Chaska
60	John Michael Schmitz	OL	6-4	300	R-Fr.	Flossmoor, Ill. / Homewood-Flossmoor
61	Bronson Dovich	OL	6-5	300	R-Jr.	Chaska, Minn. / Chaska
62	Jared Weyler	OL	6-4	300	R-Sr.	Dayton, Ohio / Centerville
63	Austin Beier	OL	6-4	285	Fr.	Toledo, Ohio / St. John's
64	Conner Olson	OL	6-5	300	R-So.	Monticello, Minn. / Monticello
65	Axel Ruschmeyer	OL	6-4	285	R-Fr.	Hutchinson, Minn. / Holy Family Catholic
66	Nathan Boe	OL	6-4	285	Fr.	Lakeville, Minn. / Lakeville North
67	Jack Kern	DL	6-2	300	Fr.	Eau Claire, Wis. / Eau Claire Memorial
69	Boye Mafe	DL	6-4	250	R-Fr.	Minnetonka, Minn. / Hopkins
70	Sam Schlueter	OL	6-6	305	R-So.	Victoria, Minn. / Mayer Lutheran
71	Ben Davis	OL	6-4	280	R-So.	Elk Grove, Calif. / Elk Grove (American River College)
73	Donnell Greene	OL	6-7	320	R-Sr.	Marietta, Ga. / Kell (Coffeyville CC)
74	Grant Norton	OL	6-8	260	Fr.	Camdenton, Mo. / Camdenton
75	Malcolm Robinson	DL	6-3	300	R-Fr.	Massillon, Ohio / Washington
75	Kyle Sassack	OL	6-7	290	R-Fr.	Pontiac, Mich. / Notre Dame Prep
76	Jack York	OL	6-6	300	Fr.	Dallas, Texas / First Baptist Academy
77	Blaise Andries	OL	6-5	315	R-Fr.	Marshall, Minn. / Marshall
78	Daniel Faalele	OL	6-9	400	Fr.	Melbourne, Australia / IMG Academy Academy
79	Jason Dickson	OL	6-6	315	Jr.	Corona, Calif. / Vallejo (Diablo Valley CC)
80	Jake Paulson	TE	6-4	260	R-Fr.	Louisville, Ky. / Christian Academy
81	Brock Annexstad	WR	6-2	200	R-Fr.	Norseland, Minn. / IMG Academy
82	Demetrius Douglas	WR	6-0	190	R-Fr.	Portland, Ore. / Jesuit
83	Harry Van Dyne	WR	6-5	200	R-Fr.	Stilwell, Kan. / Blue Valley
84	Erik Gibson	WR	6-3	195	Fr.	Detroit, Mich. / Martin Luther King
85	Bryce Witham	TE	6-4	255	R-Jr.	Grand Rapids, Mich. / West Catholic
86	Clayton Witherspoon	TE	6-4	250	R-Fr.	Eden Prairie, Minn. / Eden Prairie
87	Nate Umlor	DL	6-5	285	So.	Allendale, Mich. / Allendale
87	Yale Van Dyne	WR	6-3	205	R-So.	Overland Park, Kan. / Bishop Miege (Iowa)
88	Brevyn Spann-Ford	TE	6-7	260	Fr.	St. Cloud, Minn. / St. Cloud Technical Senior
89	Matt Morse	WR	6-1	195	R-Jr.	Apple Valley, Minn. / Apple Valley
90	Sam Renner	DL	6-4	270	R-Jr.	Maple Grove, Minn. / Maple Grove Senior
91	Noah Hickcox	DL	6-4	285	R-Fr.	Rockford, Ill. / Boylan Central Catholic
92	Mayan Ahanotu	DL	6-4	255	Fr.	Tampa, Fla. / Berkeley Prep
93	Connor Novak-Goar	DL	6-2	285	R-So.	Eden Prairie, Minn. / Eden Prairie (Iowa Western)
94	Abi N-Okonji	DL	6-3	250	Fr.	Snellville, Ga. / South Gwinnett
95	Victor White	DL	6-4	290	R-So.	St. Paul, Minn. / Irondale (Concordia University, St. Paul)
96	Nathan Bursch	TE	6-5	255	R-Fr.	Woodbury, Minn. / Woodbury
97	Royal Silver	DL	6-3	300	R-Jr.	Cedar Rapids, Iowa / Washington (Iowa Western)
98	Max Janes	TE	6-3	230	Fr.	Shoreview, Minn. / Mounds View
99	O.J. Smith	DL	6-2	320	R-Sr.	Bossier City, La. / Airline (Alabama)

PRONUNCIATION GUIDE

Players

Mayan Ahanotu	MY-in uh-HON-uh-too
Blaise Andries	BLAYZ AN-dreez
Brock Annexstad	ANN-ick-sted
Zack Annexstad	ANN-ick-sted
Josh Aune	AHN-ee
Chris Autman-Bell	OTT-man bell
Rashod Bateman	bate-min
Colton Beebe	BEE-bee
Austin Beier	BY-er
Nathan Bursch	bersh
Carter Coughlin	COFF-lin
Winston DeLattiboudere	day-LOT-uh-bah-deer
Tai-yon Devers	TAY-on DEV-ers
Bronson Dovich	DOE-vitch
Coney Durr	KOH-nee derr
Rey Estes	ray ESS-tiss
Daniel Faalele	fah-ah-LAY-lay
Jonathan Femi-Cole	FEM-ee kohl
Clay Geary	GEER-ee
Donnell Greene	DON-el
Justus Harris	justice
Noah Hickcox	hick-cox
Jordan Howden	HOW-din
Mohamed Ibrahim	I-bruh-hem
Preston Jelen	JELL-in
Payton Jordahl	jore-DOLL
Ko Kieft	KOE KEEFT
Jack Leius	lay-us

Boye Mafe	BOY-ay MAH-fay
Jornell Manns	JORN-el manz
Kamal Martin	kuh-MALL
Abi N-Okonji	abby uh-KONE-jee
Connor Novak-Goar	NO-vack gore
Quinn Oseland	OZE-lund
Esezi Otomewo	uh-SAY-zee o-TOE-may-wuh
Samuel Pickerign	PICK-er-in
Alex Reigelsperger	REEGLE-sper-ger
Axel Ruschmeyer	AX-el RUSH-my-er
Grant Ryerse	RY-er-see
Jon Santaga	san-TOG-uh
Kyle Sassack	SASS-SICK
Sam Schlueter	SHLOO-ter
Bailey Schoenfelder	SHOW-en-feld-er
Antonio Shenault	shuh-NAHLT
Terrell Smith	tuh-RELL
Mariano Sor-Marin	MAR-ee-on-oh SORE-ee MARE-in
Alex Strazzanti	struh-ZONT-ee
Kiondre Thomas	kee-AHN-dray
Nate Umlor	UM-ler
Michael Vojvodich	VAH-vuh-DITCH
Jared Weyler	WHY-ler
Antoine Winfield Jr.	AN-twon
Bryce Witham	WITH-um

COACHES

Rob Wenger	wen-ger
Jahmile Addae	juh-mile uh-DIE
Joe Rossi	ROSS-ee

SINGLE-GAME CAREER HIGHS

QUARTERBACKS

#2 Tanner Morgan

Pass attempts: 1, New Mexico State, Aug 30, 2018
 Pass completions: 1, New Mexico State, Aug 30, 2018
 Pass yards: 7, New Mexico State, Aug 30, 2018
 Long pass: 7, New Mexico State, Aug 30, 2018
 Total offense attempts: 1, New Mexico State, Aug 30, 2018 (0 rush, 1 pass)
 Total offense yards: 7, New Mexico State, Aug 30, 2018 (0 rush, 7 pass)

#5 Zack Annexstad

Rush attempts: 3, Fresno State, Sept 8, 2018
 Rush yards: 5, Fresno State, Sept 8, 2018
 Long rush: 12, New Mexico State, Aug 30, 2018
 Pass attempts: 33, New Mexico State, Aug 30, 2018
 Pass completions: 16, New Mexico State, Aug 30, 2018; Fresno State, Sept 8, 2018
 Pass yards: 220, New Mexico State, Aug 30, 2018
 Pass TDs: 2, New Mexico State, Aug 30, 2018
 Long pass: 33, New Mexico State, Aug 30, 2018
 Total offense attempts: 35, New Mexico State, Aug 30, 2018 (2 rush, 33 pass)
 Total offense yards: 220, New Mexico State, Aug 30, 2018 (0 rush, 220 pass)
 Tackles: 1, New Mexico State, Aug 30, 2018 (1-0)

RUNNING BACKS

#1 Rodney Smith

Points scored: 18 [t-2nd], Purdue, Nov 05, 2016
 Touchdowns: 3 [t-2nd], Purdue, Nov 05, 2016
 Rush attempts: 30 [t-5th], at Oregon State, Sep 09, 2017; Kent State, Sep 19, 2015
 Rush yards: 153, New Mexico State, Aug 30, 2018 (24 carries); Purdue, Nov 05, 2016 (24 carries)
 Rush TDs: 3 [t-2nd], Purdue, Nov 05, 2016
 Long rush: 70 [6th], at Maryland, Oct 15, 2016
 Receptions: 4, 4 times
 Receiving yards: 58, Ohio, Sep 26, 2015 (4 receptions)
 Long reception: 27, Rutgers, Oct 22, 2016; Ohio, Sep 26, 2015
 Total offense attempts: 30, at Oregon State, Sep 09, 2017 (30 rush, 0 pass); Kent State, Sep 19, 2015 (30 rush, 0 pass)
 Total offense yards: 153, New Mexico State, Aug 30, 2018 (153 rush, 0 pass); Purdue, Nov 05, 2016 (153 rush, 0 pass)
 All-purpose yards: 279 [1st], Nebraska, Nov 11, 2017
 Kick returns: 4, at Northwestern, Nov 18, 2017
 Kick return yards: 135 [8th], Nebraska, Nov 11, 2017 (3 returns)
 Long kick return: 100 [t-1st], Nebraska, Nov 11, 2017
 Tackles: 1, at Nebraska, Nov 12, 2016 (1-0); at Wisconsin, Nov 26, 2016 (1-0); Purdue, Oct 18, 2014 (0-1)

#4 Shannon Brooks

Rush attempts: 22, (two times, last vs Rutgers, 10/22/16)
 Rush yards: 176, at Purdue, 10/10/15
 Rush TDs: 3, (two times, last at Oregon State, 9/9/17)
 Longest rush: 75, vs Illinois, 11/21/15
 Receptions: 4, (two times, last vs Central Michigan, 12/28/15)
 Receiving yards: 53, vs Wisconsin, 11/28/15
 Long reception: 40, vs Michigan, 10/31/15
 Receiving TDs: 1, (two times, last vs Wash. State, 12/27/17)
 Pass attempts: 1, at Iowa, 11/14/15
 Pass completions: 1, at Iowa, 11/14/15
 Passing yards: 42, at Iowa, 11/14/15
 Passing TDs: 1, at Iowa, 11/14/15
 Long pass: 42, at Iowa, 11/14/15
 All-purpose yards: 179, vs Illinois, 11/21/15

#21 Bryce Williams

Points scored: 6, New Mexico State, Aug 30, 2018
 Touchdowns: 1, New Mexico State, Aug 30, 2018
 Rush attempts: 25, Fresno State, Sept 8, 2018

Rush yards: 87, Fresno State, Sept 8, 2018 (25 carries)
 Rush TDs: 1, New Mexico State, Aug 30, 2018
 Long rush: 11, Fresno State, Sept 8, 2018
 Total offense attempts: 25, Fresno State, Sept 8, 2018 (25 rush)
 Total offense yards: 87, Fresno State, Sept 8, 2018 (87 rush)
 All-purpose yards: 87, Fresno State, Sept 8, 2018

#24 Mohamed Ibrahim

Rush attempts: 9, New Mexico State, Aug 30, 2018
 Rush yards: 101, New Mexico State, Aug 30, 2018 (9 carries)
 Long rush: 74 [3rd], New Mexico State, Aug 30, 2018
 Total offense attempts: 9, New Mexico State, Aug 30, 2018 (9 rush, 0 pass)
 Total offense yards: 101, New Mexico State, Aug 30, 2018 (101 rush, 0 pass)
 All-purpose yards: 101, New Mexico State, Aug 30, 2018

#28 Jonathan Femi-Cole

Rush attempts: 5, Middle Tennessee, Sep 16, 2017
 Rush yards: 26, at Michigan, Nov 04, 2017 (4 carries)
 Long rush: 21, at Michigan, Nov 04, 2017
 Total offense attempts: 5, Middle Tennessee, Sep 16, 2017 (5 rush, 0 pass)
 Total offense yards: 26, at Michigan, Nov 04, 2017 (26 rush, 0 pass)
 All-purpose yards: 26, at Michigan, Nov 04, 2017
 Tackles: 2, Nebraska, Nov 11, 2017 (1-1)

WIDE RECEIVERS

#3 Chris Autman-Bell

Receptions: 4, New Mexico State, Aug 30, 2018
 Receiving yards: 43, New Mexico State, Aug 30, 2018 (4 receptions)
 Long reception: 17, Fresno State, Sept 8, 2018
 All-purpose yards: 43, New Mexico State, Aug 30, 2018

#6 Tyler Johnson

Points scored: 18 [t-2nd], Michigan State, Oct 14, 2017
 Touchdowns: 3 [t-2nd], Michigan State, Oct 14, 2017
 Receptions: 8 [t-9th], Michigan State, Oct 14, 2017
 Receiving yards: 141 [4th], Buffalo, Aug 31, 2017 (6 receptions)
 Receiving TDs: 3 [t-1st], Michigan State, Oct 14, 2017
 Long reception: 67 [2nd], at Oregon State, Sep 09, 2017
 All-purpose yards: 141, Buffalo, Aug 31, 2017

#13 Rashod Bateman

Receptions: 5, New Mexico State, Aug 30, 2018; Fresno State, Sept 8, 2018
 Receiving yards: Fresno State, Sept 8, 2018 (5 receptions)
 Long reception: 25, New Mexico State, Aug 30, 2018; Fresno State, Sept 8, 2018
 All-purpose yards: 78, Fresno State, Sept 8, 2018

#17 Seth Green

Points scored: 12, New Mexico State, Aug 30, 2018; Fresno State, Sept 8, 2018
 Touchdowns: 2, New Mexico State, Aug 30, 2018; Fresno State, Sept 8, 2018
 Rush attempts: 11, Fresno State, Sept 8, 2018
 Rush yards: 30, Fresno State, Sept 8, 2018 (11 carries)
 Rush TDs: 2, New Mexico State, Aug 30, 2018; Fresno State, Sept 8, 2018
 Long rush: 11, Fresno State, Sept 8, 2018
 Total offense attempts: 11, Fresno State, Sept 8, 2018 (11 rush)
 Total offense yards: 30, Fresno State, Sept 8, 2018 (30 rush)
 All-purpose yards: 30, Fresno State, Sept 8, 2018

#18 Clay Geary

Receptions: 1, New Mexico State, Aug 30, 2018
 Receiving yards: 7, New Mexico State, Aug 30, 2018 (1 receptions)
 Long reception: 7, New Mexico State, Aug 30, 2018
 All-purpose yards: 7, New Mexico State, Aug 30, 2018

#25 Phillip Howard

Rush attempts: 4, at Michigan, Nov 04, 2017
 Rush yards: 8, at Michigan, Nov 04, 2017 (4 carries)
 Long rush: 12, at Michigan, Nov 04, 2017
 Receptions: 4, Maryland, Sep 30, 2017
 Receiving yards: 46, Maryland, Sep 30, 2017 (4 receptions)
 Long reception: 25, at Michigan, Nov 04, 2017
 Total offense attempts: 4, at Michigan, Nov 04, 2017 (4 rush, 0 pass)
 Total offense yards: 8, at Michigan, Nov 04, 2017 (8 rush, 0 pass)
 All-purpose yards: 49, at Michigan, Nov 04, 2017
 Tackles: 1, Middle Tennessee, Sep 16, 2017 (0-1); Maryland, Sep 30, 2017 (1-0)

#82 Demetrius Douglas

Rush attempts: 1, at Oregon State, Sep 09, 2017; Middle Tennessee, Sep 16, 2017
 Rush yards: 2, Middle Tennessee, Sep 16, 2017 (1 carries)
 Long rush: 2, Middle Tennessee, Sep 16, 2017
 Receptions: 6, Buffalo, Aug 31, 2017
 Receiving yards: 43, Middle Tennessee, Sep 16, 2017 (4 receptions)
 Long reception: 27, Middle Tennessee, Sep 16, 2017
 Total offense attempts: 1, at Oregon State, Sep 09, 2017 (1 rush, 0 pass); Middle Tennessee, Sep 16, 2017 (1 rush, 0 pass)
 Total offense yards: 2, Middle Tennessee, Sep 16, 2017 (2 rush, 0 pass)
 All-purpose yards: 45, Middle Tennessee, Sep 16, 2017
 Kick returns: 2, Fresno State, Sept 8, 2018
 Kick return yards: 43, Fresno State, Sept 8, 2018
 Long kick return: 23, Fresno State, Sept 8, 2018

TIGHT ENDS

#42 Ko Kieft

Points scored: 2, Fresno State, Sept 8, 2018
 Receptions: 1, Michigan State, Oct 14, 2017; Illinois, Oct 20, 2017; Illinois, Oct 21, 2017
 Receiving yards: 12, Illinois, Oct 20, 2017 (1 receptions); Illinois, Oct 21, 2017 (1 receptions)
 Long reception: 12, Illinois, Oct 20, 2017; Illinois, Oct 21, 2017
 All-purpose yards: 12, Illinois, Oct 20, 2017; Illinois, Oct 21, 2017

#44 Colton Beebe

Receptions: 2, at Penn State, Oct 01, 2016; Colorado State, Sep 24, 2016
 Receiving yards: 22, Indiana State, Sep 10, 2016 (1 receptions)
 Long reception: 22, Indiana State, Sep 10, 2016
 All-purpose yards: 22, Indiana State, Sep 10, 2016
 Kick returns: 1, Oregon State, Sept 1, 2016
 Kick return yards: 12, Oregon State, Sept 1, 2016 (1 returns)
 Long kick return: 12, Oregon State, Sept 1, 2016
 Tackles: 1, at Michigan, Nov 04, 2017 (1-0)

DEFENSIVE LINE

#3 Jerry Gibson

Tackles: 1, New Mexico State, Aug 30, 2018 (0-1); Indiana State, Sep 10, 2016 (1-0); Oregon State, Sept 1, 2016 (1-0)

#9 Ezeji Otomewo

Tackles: 1, Fresno State, Sept 8, 2018

#12 Tai'yon Devers

Tackles: 2, Nebraska, Nov 11, 2017 (1-1); Oregon State, Sept 1, 2016 (2-0)
 Sacks: 2.0 [t-1st], Oregon State, Sept 1, 2016 (2-0)
 Tackles for loss: 2.0, Oregon State, Sept 1, 2016 (2-0)
 Fumbles forced: 2 [t-1st], Oregon State, Sept 1, 2016

#19 Gary Moore

Tackles: 3, at Purdue, Oct 07, 2017 (2-1)
 Sacks: 1.0, at Maryland, Oct 15, 2016 (1-0); at Oregon State, Sep 09, 2017 (1-0)
 Tackles for loss: 1.0, at Maryland, Oct 15, 2016 (1-0); at Oregon State, Sep 09, 2017 (1-0); Maryland, Sep 30, 2017 (1-0)

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Fumbles forced: 1 [t-5th], at Maryland, Oct 15, 2016; at Oregon State, Sep 09, 2017
Pass breakups: 1, Buffalo, Aug 31, 2017; at Iowa Hawkeyes, Oct 28, 2017

#46 Winston DeLattiboudere

Tackles: 4, at Northwestern, Nov 18, 2017 (3-1)
Sacks: 1.0, 4 times
Tackles for loss: 1.0, 7 times
Fumbles forced: 1 [t-5th], at Northwestern, Nov 18, 2017; Illinois, Oct 20, 2017; Illinois, Oct 21, 2017
Fumbles recovered: 1 [t-3rd], Iowa, Oct 08, 2016
Pass breakups: 2 [t-9th], Maryland, Sep 30, 2017

#52 Jamaal Teague

Tackles: 1, New Mexico State, Aug 30, 2018 (1-0)
Tackles for loss: 1.0, New Mexico State, Aug 30, 2018 (1-0)

#69 Boye Mafe

Pass breakups: 1, New Mexico State, Aug 30, 2018

#87 Nate Umlor

Tackles: 3, Illinois, Oct 20, 2017 (1-2); Illinois, Oct 21, 2017 (1-2)

#90 SameRenner

All-purpose yards: 34, New Mexico State, Aug 30, 2018
Punt returns: 1, New Mexico State, Aug 30, 2018
Punt return yards: 34 [7th], New Mexico State, Aug 30, 2018 (1 returns)
Tackles: 1, New Mexico State, Aug 30, 2018 (1-0)
Pass breakups: 1, New Mexico State, Aug 30, 2018
Blocked kicks: 1 [t-1st], New Mexico State, Aug 30, 2018

#90 Royal Silver

Tackles: 1, New Mexico State, Aug 30, 2018 (0-1); Fresno State, Sept 8, 2018 (0-1)

#99 OK Smith

Tackles: 1, Fresno State, Sept 8, 2018 (1-0)

LINEBACKERS

#8 Thomas Rush

Tackles: 3, New Mexico State, Aug 30, 2018 (3-0)
Sacks: 1.0, New Mexico State, Aug 30, 2018 (1-0)
Tackles for loss: 1.0, New Mexico State, Aug 30, 2018 (1-0)

#20 Julian Huff

Tackles: 7, TCU, Sep 03, 2015 (1-6)
Sacks: 1.5, Illinois, Nov 21, 2015 (1-1)
Tackles for loss: 1.5, Illinois, Nov 21, 2015 (1-1)
Fumbles forced: 1 [t-5th], Indiana State, Sep 10, 2016; Colorado State, Sep 24, 2016
Fumbles recovered: 1 [t-3rd], Purdue, Nov 05, 2016; Northwestern, Nov 19, 2016; Illinois, Nov 21, 2015
Pass breakups: 1, Northwestern, Nov 19, 2016; Ohio, Sep 26, 2015

#21 Kamal Martin

Interceptions: 1 [t-6th], at Purdue, Oct 07, 2017; Iowa, Oct 08, 2016
Tackles: 8, Michigan State, Oct 14, 2017 (4-4)
Sacks: 1.0, at Northwestern, Nov 18, 2017 (1-0); at Oregon State, Sep 09, 2017 (1-0)
Tackles for loss: 1.5, at Northwestern, Nov 18, 2017 (1-0)
Fumbles forced: 1 [t-5th], Michigan State, Oct 14, 2017; Illinois, Oct 20, 2017; Illinois, Oct 21, 2017
Fumbles recovered: 1 [t-3rd], Wisconsin, Nov 25, 2017; at Oregon State, Sep 09, 2017; Oregon State, Sept 1, 2016
Pass breakups: 1, Michigan State, Oct 14, 2017; Oregon State, Sept 1, 2016

#36 Blake Cashman

Tackles: 12, vs Washington State, Dec 27, 2016 (9-3)

Sacks: 2.0 [t-1st], Purdue, Nov 05, 2016 (2-0); Northwestern, Nov 19, 2016 (2-0)
Tackles for loss: 4.0 [t-1st], New Mexico State, Aug 30, 2018 (4-0)
Fumbles forced: 1 [t-5th], Northwestern, Nov 19, 2016
Pass breakups: 1, New Mexico State, Aug 30, 2018; Nebraska, Nov 11, 2017; Michigan State, Oct 14, 2017

#41 Thomas Barber

All-purpose yards: 16, Rutgers, Oct 22, 2016
Kick returns: 1, Rutgers, Oct 22, 2016; at Illinois, Oct 29, 2016
Kick return yards: 16, Rutgers, Oct 22, 2016 (1 returns)
Long kick return: 16, Rutgers, Oct 22, 2016
Interceptions: 1 [t-6th], New Mexico State, Aug 30, 2018; Middle Tennessee, Sep 16, 2017
Tackles: 16 [t-2nd], Michigan State, Oct 14, 2017 (9-7)
Sacks: 1.0, Nebraska, Nov 11, 2017 (1-0)
Tackles for loss: 2.0, Michigan State, Oct 14, 2017 (2-0); Illinois, Oct 20, 2017 (2-0); Illinois, Oct 21, 2017 (2-0)
Fumbles forced: 1 [t-5th], 4 times
Fumbles recovered: 1 [t-3rd], at Purdue, Oct 07, 2017; Michigan State, Oct 14, 2017; at Maryland, Oct 15, 2016
Pass breakups: 2 [t-9th], Nebraska, Nov 11, 2017

#45 Carter Coughlin

All-purpose yards: 10, New Mexico State, Aug 30, 2018
Punt return yards: 10, New Mexico State, Aug 30, 2018 (0 returns)
Long punt return: 10, New Mexico State, Aug 30, 2018
Tackles: 8, Nebraska, Nov 11, 2017 (5-3)
Sacks: 2.0 [t-1st], Illinois, Oct 20, 2017 (2-0); Illinois, Oct 21, 2017 (2-0)
Tackles for loss: 2.5, at Purdue, Oct 07, 2017 (2-1)
Fumbles forced: 1 [t-5th], Illinois, Oct 20, 2017; Illinois, Oct 21, 2017

DEFENSIVE BACKS

#2 Jacob Huff

Points scored: 6, Middle Tennessee, Sep 16, 2017
Touchdowns: 1, Middle Tennessee, Sep 16, 2017
All-purpose yards: 67, Middle Tennessee, Sep 16, 2017
Interceptions: 1 [t-6th], Buffalo, Aug 31, 2017; at Iowa Hawkeyes, Oct 28, 2017; Middle Tennessee, Sep 16, 2017
Long interception return: 67 [3rd], Middle Tennessee, Sep 16, 2017
Tackles: 10, Nebraska, Nov 11, 2017 (7-3)
Tackles for loss: 1.0, Nebraska, Nov 11, 2017 (1-0); Middle Tennessee, Sep 16, 2017 (1-0); Maryland, Sep 30, 2017 (1-0)
Pass breakups: 1, 5 times

#4 Terrell Smith

Interceptions: 1 [t-6th], Fresno State, Sept 8, 2018
Tackles: 8, New Mexico State, Aug 30, 2018 (6-2); Fresno State, Sept 8, 2018 (7-1)
Tackles for loss: 1.0, Fresno State, Sept 8, 2018
Pass breakups: 3 [t-3rd], New Mexico State, Aug 30, 2018

#6 Chris Williamson

Tackles: 1, Fresno State, Sept 8, 2018 (1-0)

#11 Antoine Winfield

Points scored: 6, New Mexico State, Aug 30, 2018; at Maryland, Oct 15, 2016
Touchdowns: 1, New Mexico State, Aug 30, 2018; at Maryland, Oct 15, 2016
All-purpose yards: 82, at Maryland, Oct 15, 2016
Punt returns: 2, New Mexico State, Aug 30, 2018
Punt return yards: 79 [1st], New Mexico State, Aug 30, 2018 (2 returns)
Long punt return: 76 [1st], New Mexico State, Aug 30, 2018
Interceptions: 1 [t-6th], at Maryland, Oct 15, 2016; Fresno State, Sept 8, 2018
Long interception return: 82 [2nd], at Maryland, Oct 15, 2016

Tackles: 10, at Nebraska, Nov 12, 2016 (5-5)
Sacks: 1.0, Buffalo, Aug 31, 2017 (1-0)
Tackles for loss: 1.5, at Penn State, Oct 01, 2016 (1-0)
Fumbles recovered: 1 [t-3rd], Purdue, Nov 05, 2016; at Illinois, Oct 29, 2016
Pass breakups: 2 [t-9th], Buffalo, Aug 31, 2017
Blocked kicks: 1 [t-1st], Buffalo, Aug 31, 2017

#16 Coney Durr

Tackles: 5, Fresno State, Sept 8, 2018
Tackles for loss: 1.0, Fresno State, Sept 8, 2018
Pass breakups: 1, vs Washington State, Dec 27, 2016

#22 Benny Sapp

Tackles: 1, New Mexico State, Aug 30, 2018 (0-1); Fresno State, Sept 8, 2018 (0-1)

#23 Jordan Howden

Tackles: 2, New Mexico State, Aug 30, 2018 (0-2)

#26 Justus Harris

Tackles: 5, at Iowa Hawkeyes, Oct 28, 2017 (3-2)
Tackles for loss: .5, at Iowa Hawkeyes, Oct 28, 2017 (0-0)

#27 Calvin Swenson

Tackles: 2, Wisconsin, Nov 25, 2017 (0-2)

#31 Kiondre Thomas

Tackles: 7, New Mexico State, Aug 30, 2018 (7-0)
Fumbles recovered: 1 [t-3rd], at Oregon State, Sep 09, 2017
Pass breakups: 2 [t-9th], New Mexico State, Aug 30, 2018

#34 Antonio Shenault

All-purpose yards: 23, at Illinois, Oct 29, 2016
Punt returns: 2, Buffalo, Aug 31, 2017; at Wisconsin, Nov 26, 2016; at Illinois, Oct 29, 2016
Punt return yards: 23, at Illinois, Oct 29, 2016 (2 returns)
Long punt return: 17, at Illinois, Oct 29, 2016
Kick returns: 1, Purdue, Nov 05, 2016
Kick return yards: 4, Purdue, Nov 05, 2016 (1 returns)
Long kick return: 4, Purdue, Nov 05, 2016
Tackles: 11, Maryland, Sep 30, 2017 (7-4)
Sacks: 1.0, at Michigan, Nov 04, 2017 (1-0)
Tackles for loss: 1.0, Buffalo, Aug 31, 2017 (1-0); at Michigan, Nov 04, 2017 (1-0); Middle Tennessee, Sep 16, 2017 (1-0)
Fumbles forced: 1 [t-9th], Fresno State, Sept 8, 2018
Pass breakups: 2 [t-9th], Buffalo, Aug 31, 2017

SPECIAL TEAMS

#25 Payton Jordahl

Tackles: 1, 9 times

#38 Emmitt Carpenter

Points scored: 16, Indiana State, Sep 10, 2016
Kick PATs: 7 [1st], Indiana State, Sep 10, 2016
Points by kicking: 16 [1st], Indiana State, Sep 10, 2016
Field goals made: 4 [t-1st], at Penn State, Oct 01, 2016
Field goal attempts: 4 [t-1st], at Penn State, Oct 01, 2016
Longest field goal: 53 [t-2nd], Purdue, Nov 05, 2016; Fresno State, Sept 8, 2018
Tackles: 1, New Mexico State, Aug 30, 2018 (0-1); Indiana State, Sep 10, 2016 (1-0)

#47 Jacob Herbers

Punt attempts: 6, Fresno State, Sept 8, 2018
Punt yards: 231, Fresno State, Sept 8, 2018 (6 punts)
Longest punt: 52, Fresno State, Sept 8, 2018

MINNESOTA INDIVIDUAL GAME - LAST TIME

250+ yards rushing:	258, Laurence Maroney vs Wisconsin, 10/15/05
200+ yards rushing:	207, David Cobb vs San Jose State, 9/20/14
150+ yards rushing:	153, Rodney Smith vs New Mexico State, 8/30/18
100+ yards rushing:	153, Rodney Smith vs New Mexico State, 8/30/18
QB with 100+ yards rushing:	183, Demry Croft vs Nebraska, 11/11/17
QB with 100 rushing/200 passing:	110 rush/211 pass, MarQueis Gray vs NMSU, 9/10/11
2 players with 100+ yards rushing:	Rodney Smith (153) and Mohamed Ibrahim (101), vs New Mexico State, 8/30/18
Player with consecutive 100-yd games:	144; 111; 100; 153, Rodney Smith at Maryland 10/15/16, vs Rutgers 10/22/16, at Illinois 10/29/16 and vs Purdue 11/5/16
Player with three straight 100-yd games:	144; 111; 100; 153, Rodney Smith at Maryland 10/15/16, vs Rutgers 10/22/16, at Illinois 10/29/16 and vs Purdue 11/5/16
Player with four straight 100-yd games:	144; 111; 100; 153, Rodney Smith at Maryland 10/15/16, vs Rutgers 10/22/16, at Illinois 10/29/16 and vs Purdue 11/5/16
50+ yard rush play:	74, Mohamed Ibrahim, vs New Mexico State, 8/30/18
Four or more TDs rushing:	4, Mitch Leidner vs San Jose State, 9/21/13
Three or more TDs rushing:	3, Demry Croft and Kobe McCrary vs Nebraska, 11/11/17
Two players with 3 or more rushing TDs	3, Demry Croft and Kobe McCrary vs Nebraska, 11/11/17
25+ rushing attempts:	25, Bryce Williams vs Fresno State, 9/8/18
30+ rushing attempts:	30, Rodney Smith at Oregon State, 9/9/17
40+ rushing attempts:	43, Laurence Maroney vs Wisconsin, 10/15/05
200+ yards receiving:	228, Ryan Thelwell vs Ball State, 9/14/96
100+ yards receiving:	106, Tyler Johnson vs Michigan State, 10/14/17
Consecutive games 100+ yards rcvg:	2, Tyler Johnson (141 vs. Buffalo, 8/31/17 and 127 at Oregon State, 9/9/17)
2 receivers with 100+ yards rcvg:	106, KJ Maye and 105, Brandon Lingen at Iowa, 11/14/15
10 or more receptions:	10, KJ Maye at Ohio State, 11/7/15
Five or more TDs receiving:	5, Omar Douglas vs Purdue, 10/9/93
Four or more TDs receiving:	4, Logan Payne vs Temple, 9/16/06
Three or more TDs receiving:	3, Tyler Johnson vs Michigan State, 10/14/17
Two or more TDs receiving:	2, Tyler Johnson, vs New Mexico State, 8/30/18
100-yard rusher and 100-yard receiver	Rodney Smith (153 rushing), Mohamed Ibrahim (101 rushing), and Tyler Johnson (100 receiving), vs . New Mexico State, 8/30/18
Two 100-yard rushers and 100-yard receiver	Rodney Smith (153 rushing), Mohamed Ibrahim (101 rushing), and Tyler Johnson (100 receiving), vs . New Mexico State, 8/30/18
450+ yards passing:	478, Tim Schade vs Penn State, 9/4/93
400+ yards passing:	416, Adam Weber vs Michigan State, 10/31/09
350+ yards passing:	373, Adam Weber vs Northern Illinois, 9/25/10
300+ yards passing:	317, Mitch Leidner vs Michigan, 10/31/15
Consecutive 300-yard passing gms:	2, Mitch Leidner in 2015 vs Nebraska (301) and Michigan (317)
Consecutive 250-yard passing gms:	4, Mitch Leidner in 2015 vs Nebraska (301), Michigan (317), at Ohio State (281), and at Iowa (259)
50+ yard pass play:	50, Conor Rhoda to Nate Wozniak vs Middle Tenn. 9/16/17
Six or more TDs passing:	6, Scott Eckers vs Purdue, 10/9/93
Five or more TDs passing:	5, Adam Weber vs Michigan State, 10/31/09
Four or more TDs passing:	4, Mitch Leidner vs Indiana State 9/10/16
Three or more TDs passing:	3, Demry Croft vs Michigan State, 10/14/17
30+ passing attempts:	33, Zack Annexstad, vs New Mexico State, 8/30/18
40+ passing attempts:	40, Mitch Leidner at Penn State, 10/1/16
50+ passing attempts:	51, Adam Weber vs Northwestern, 11/1/08
20+ completions:	24, Mitch Leidner at Penn State, 10/1/16
25+ completions:	27, Mitch Leidner at Ohio State, 11/7/15
30+ completions:	31, Adam Weber vs Northern Illinois, 9/25/10
500+ yds. total offense:	536, Tim Schade vs Penn State, 9/4/93 (school record)
400+ yds. total offense:	411, Adam Weber vs Michigan State, 10/31/09
300+ all-purpose yards:	333, Laurence Maroney vs Purdue, 9/24/05
200+ all-purpose yards:	279, Rodney Smith vs Nebraska, 11/11/17
Five or more field goals:	5, Dan Nystrom vs Arkansas, 12/30/02
Four or more field goals:	4, Emmitt Carpenter at Penn State, 10/1/16
Three or more field goals:	3, Emmitt Carpenter vs Northwestern, 11/19/16
Two or more 50+ field goals:	2, Emmitt Carpenter vs Fresno State, 9/8/18 (53, 50)
Three or more 40+ field goals:	3, Emmitt Carpenter vs Indiana State 9/10/16 (42, 44, 45)
Three or more interceptions:	3, Jeff Wright vs Michigan St., 11/14/70
Two or more interceptions:	2, Jalen Myrick at Purdue, 10/10/15
Two or more forced fumbles:	2, Tai'yon Devers vs Oregon State, 9/1/16
Blocked punt:	Sam Renner vs New Mexico State, 8/30/18
Blocked punt return for TD:	Logan Hutton vs Eastern Illinois, 8/28/14
Blocked field goal:	Antoine Winfield Jr. vs Buffalo, 8/31/17
Blocked FG return for TD:	Martez Shabazz vs UNLV (51 yards), 8/29/13
Blocked PAT:	Andrew Stelter at Northwestern, 11/18/17
PAT Return for Defensive PAT:	Mario Reese at Wisconsin, 10/14/06
Int. return for TD:	Jonathan Celestin (31 yards) vs Illinois, 10/21/17
Punt return for TD:	Antoine Winfield Jr. (76 yards), vs New Mexico State, . 8/30/18
Kickoff return for TD:	Rodney Smith (94 yards) vs Rutgers, 10/22/16

PR return TD/KR return TD same season:	Marcus Jones, 2013 (KR vs UNLV, PR at NMSU)
Fumble return for TD:	Aaron Hill (50 yards) at New Mexico State, 9/7/13
Safety:	Merrick Jackson sack in end zone at Illinois, 10/29/16
Made 2-pt. conversion:	Seth Green pass to Ko Kieft, vs Fresno State, 9/8/18
Missed 2-pt. conversion:	Leidner pass to Tyler Johnson failed vs Oregon State, 9/1/16
Missed PAT:	Emmitt Carpenter vs Northwestern, 11/19/16
Defensive extra point:	Mario Reese, INT return, at Wisconsin, 10/14/06

MINNESOTA TEAM - LAST TIME

100+ points:	146 vs Grinnell (W, 146-0), 10/22/1904
80+ points:	81 vs Butler (W, 81-0), 11/13/26
60+ points:	63 vs Indiana (W, 63-26), 11/4/06
50+ points:	54 vs Nebraska (W 54-21), 11/11/17
40+ points:	48 vs New Mexico State (48-10), 8/30/18
30+ points:	48 vs New Mexico State (48-10), 8/30/18
0 points:	vs Wisconsin (0-31), 11/25/17
0 points on the road:	vs Wisconsin (0-31), 11/25/17
0 points at home:	vs Wisconsin (0-31), 11/25/17
0 points in first half:	vs Wisconsin (0-31), 11/25/17
0 points in second half:	vs Wisconsin (0-31), 11/25/17
No TDs in first half:	vs Wisconsin (0-31), 11/25/17
No offensive TDs in first half:	vs Wisconsin (0-31), 11/25/17
No offensive TDs in second half:	vs Wisconsin (0-31), 11/25/17
No offensive TDs in game:	vs Wisconsin (0-31), 11/25/17
Shut out an opponent:	vs Temple (W, 62-0), 9/16/06
Shut out an opponent on the road:	at Kent State (W 44-0), 8/31/06
Shut out an opponent at home:	vs Temple (W, 62-0), 9/16/06
TDs on offense, defense, special teams:	at New Mexico State, 9/7/13 (W, 44-21)
30+ first downs:	31 at Penn State, 10/1/16
<10 first downs:	8, vs Wisconsin (0-31), 11/25/17
400+ rushing yards:	409 vs Nebraska (W, 54-21), 11/11/17
300+ rushing yards:	409 vs Nebraska (W, 54-21), 11/11/17
200+ rushing yards:	295 vs New Mexico State (48-10), 8/30/18
<100 net rushing yards:	93, vs Wisconsin (0-31), 11/25/17
7+ rushing touchdowns:	7 vs Toledo, 9/4/04 (W, 63-21)
6+ rushing touchdowns:	6 vs Nebraska, 11/11/17 (W, 54-21)
5+ rushing touchdowns:	6 vs Nebraska, 11/11/17 (W, 54-21)
4+ rushing touchdowns:	6 vs Nebraska, 11/11/17 (W, 54-21)
4+ rushing touchdowns (no QB):	4 vs Western Illinois, 9/14/13, (W, 29-12)
5+ rushing touchdowns on road:	5 at Oregon State, 9/9/17, (W, 48-14)
4+ rushing touchdowns on road:	5 at Oregon State, 9/9/17, (W, 48-14)
<100 net passing yards:	40, vs Wisconsin (0-31), 11/25/17
700+ total net yards:	704 vs Toledo, 9/4/04
600+ total net yards:	704 vs Toledo, 9/4/04
500+ total net yards:	522 vs New Mexico State (48-10), 8/30/18
400+ total net yards:	514 vs Nebraska, 11/11/17
<200 total net yards:	133, vs Wisconsin (0-31), 11/25/17
<100 total net yards:	164, at Michigan, 11/4/17
100+ yards in penalties:	157 vs Michigan State, 10/31/09
Forced 4 or more turnovers:	4 at Purdue, 10/7/17
Forced 3 or more fumbles:	3 (recovered 3) at Oregon State, 9/9/17
3+ fumble recoveries:	3 at Oregon State, 9/9/17
3+ interceptions:	3 at Purdue, 10/10/15
Committed 5 or more turnovers:	5 at Northwestern, 11/18/17
Attempted an onside kick:	vs Michigan State, 10/14/17
Recovered an onside kick:	vs Iowa, 10/29/11
Played an overtime game:	at Penn State (L, 29-26 in OT) 10/1/16
Won an overtime game:	at Colorado State (W, 23-20 in OT) 9/12/15
Lost an overtime game:	at Penn State (L, 29-26 in OT) 10/1/16
Won vs. Top 25 Team	at No. 21 (AP) Nebraska, 11/22/14 (W, 28-24)
Won vs. Top 25 Team On Road	at No. 21 (AP) Nebraska, 11/22/14 (W, 28-24)
Attempted a fake field goal:	vs Michigan, 11/3/12 (did not convert)
Attempted a fake punt:	at Michigan State, 11/30/13 (Maxx Williams seven-yard . . . rush, converted)

OPPONENT INDIVIDUAL GAME - LAST TIME

300+ yards rushing:	301, Anthony Davis, at Wisconsin, 11/23/02
250+ yards rushing:	266, Le'Veon Bell, vs Michigan State, 11/24/12
200+ yards rushing:	200, Karan Higdon, at Michigan, 11/4/17
150+ yards rushing:	166, Justin Jackson, at Northwestern, 11/18/17
100+ yards rushing:	149, Jonathan Taylor, vs Wisconsin, 11/25/17
2 players with 100+ yards rushing:	Karan Higdon (200) and Chris Evans (193), at Michigan, 11/4/17
Three or more TDs rushing:	3, LeShun Daniels, at Iowa, 11/14/15
50+ yard rush play:	53, Jonathan Taylor, vs Wisconsin, 11/25/17
25+ rushing attempts:	31, Justin Jackson, at Northwestern, 11/18/17
30+ rushing attempts:	31, Justin Jackson, at Northwestern, 11/18/17
40+ rushing attempts:	45, Anthony Davis, at Wisconsin, 11/23/02
400+ yards passing:	439, David Fales, vs San Jose State, 9/21/13
300+ yards passing:	391, David Blough, vs Purdue, 11/15/16
200+ yards passing:	233, Matt Romero, vs New Mexico State, 8/30/18
50+ yard pass play:	60, David Blough to DeAngelo Yancey, vs Purdue, 11/5/16
30+ pass attempts:	32, Marcus McMaryion, vs Fresno State, 9/8/18
40+ pass attempts:	58, Matt Romero, vs New Mexico State, 8/30/18
50+ pass attempts:	58, Matt Romero, vs New Mexico State, 8/30/18
20+ completions:	23, Marcus McMaryion, vs Fresno State, 9/8/18
25+ completions:	29, Matt Romero, vs New Mexico State, 8/30/18
30+ completions:	30, Luke Falk, vs. Washington State, 12/27/16
4+ TD passes:	4, David Blough, vs Purdue, 11/15/16
150+ yards receiving:	160, Alex Erickson, at Wisconsin, 11/29/14
100+ yards receiving:	141, JD Spielman, vs Nebraska, 11/11/17
10+ receptions:	11, Malik Turner, vs Illinois, 11/21/15
3+ TD receptions:	3, Robert Tonyan, vs Indiana State, 9/10/16
Four+ field goals:	4, Dan Conroy, vs Michigan State, 11/24/12
Blocked a punt:	Chase Pennycuff, vs Middle Tennessee, 9/6/14
Blocked a field goal:	Randy Gregory, at Nebraska, 11/22/14
Blocked field goal returned for TD:	Nate Gerry, at Nebraska, 11/22/14
Missed PAT:	Quinn Nordin, at Michigan, 11/4/17 (wide)
Blocked PAT:	Simon Connette, vs San Jose State, 9/21/13
Made 2-pt. conversion:	Elijah Sindelar to Gregory Phillips, at Purdue, 10/7/17
Missed 2-pt. conversion:	Clayton Thorson failed pass, at Northwestern, 11/18/17 (twice)
Punt return for TD:	Nick Dugas (68 yds.), at UL-Lafayette, 9/7/02
Blocked punt ret. for TD:	Zach Domicone (rec. in end zone), vs Ohio State, 10/30/10
Kickoff return for TD:	JaKeem Grant, 99 yards, vs Texas Tech, 12/28/12
Int. return for TD:	Ja'Whaun Bentley, 76 yards, at Purdue, 10/7/17
Two Int. returns for TD:	Marcus Williams (52, 40 yards), vs North Dakota State, 9/24/11
Fumble return for TD:	Anthony Walker (13 yards) at Northwestern, 10/3/15
Fumble recovered for TD:	Richard Willock (rec. in end zone), vs Iowa, 11/23/96
Safety:	Devon Still, vs Penn State, 10/23/10

OPPONENT TEAM - LAST TIME

400+ yards rushing:	448, at Illinois, 11/3/07
300+ yards rushing:	371, at Michigan, 11/4/17
200+ yards rushing:	287, vs Wisconsin (0-31), 11/25/17
< 50 yards rushing:	38, vs New Mexico State, 8/30/18
< 100 yards rushing:	87, vs Fresno State, 9/8/18
400+ yards passing:	439, vs San Jose State, 9/21/13
300+ yards passing:	307, at Purdue, 10/7/17
<100 yards passing:	56, at Michigan, 11/4/17
600+ total net yards:	655, at Illinois, 11/3/07
500+ total net yards:	506, at Iowa, 11/14/15
400+ total net yards:	456, vs Wisconsin (0-31), 11/25/17
300+ total net yards:	363, at Northwestern, 11/18/17
< 200 total net yards:	142, vs Kent State, 9/19/15
30+ first downs:	30, at Wisconsin, 10/9/10
<10 first downs:	8, vs Kent State, 9/19/15
60+ points:	63, at Oklahoma (W, 63-0), 9/20/86
50+ points:	58, at Michigan (W, 58-0), 10/1/11
40+ points:	40, at Iowa (W, 40-35), 11/14/15
30+ points:	31, vs Wisconsin (W, 31-0), 11/25/17
0 points:	vs Temple, (L, 0-62), 9/16/06
0 points in first half:	vs Fresno State (L 14-21), 9/8/18
0 points in second half:	vs New Mexico State (L, 10-48), 8/30/18
No offensive TDs in first half:	vs Fresno State (L 14-21), 9/8/18
No offensive TDs in second half:	vs New Mexico State (L, 10-48), 8/30/18
No offensive TDs entire game:	vs Middle Tennessee (L, 3-34), 9/16/17
Safety:	Minnesota snap into end zone, vs Oregon State, 9/1/16
100+ yards in penalties:	135, vs Texas Tech, 12/28/12
No penalties:	at Purdue, 10/10/15
Attempted an onside kick:	vs Washington State, 12/27/16 (did not convert)

2018 MINNESOTA SCORING DRIVES

Opponent	Plays-Yds	Time of Possession	Qtr.	Time Remaining	Scoring Play
New Mexico State	6-50	2:22	1	5:48	Zack Annexstad 7-yard pass to Tyler Johnson (Carpenter kick)
New Mexico State	7-75	2:35	2	11:35	Seth Green 9-yard run (Carpenter kick)
New Mexico State	8-79	3:52	2	3:21	Seth Green 3-yard run (Carpenter kick)
New Mexico State	---	---	2	2:45	Antoine Winfield Jr. 76-yard punt return (Carpenter kick)
New Mexico State	5-84	1:14	2	0:57	Zack Annexstad 33-yard pass to Tyler Johnson (Carpenter kick)
New Mexico State	4-6	1:59	3	11:05	Emmit Carpenter 27-yard field goal
New Mexico State	17-74	6:21	4	14:16	Emmit Carpenter 24-yard field goal
New Mexico State	3-78	0:50	4	4:53	Bryce Williams 1-yard run (Carpenter kick)
Fresno State	14-80	7:17	1	2:46	Seth Green 1-yard run (Carpenter kick)
Fresno State	9-55	4:25	2	0:58	Emmit Carpenter 53-yard field goal
Fresno State	10-48	5:37	4	9:43	Emmit Carpenter 50-yard field goal
Fresno State	10-74	4:52	4	3:28	Seth Green 3-yard run (Seth Green pass to Ko Kieft successful)

2018 OPPONENT SCORING DRIVES

Opponent	Plays-Yds	Time of Possession	Qtr.	Time Remaining	Scoring Play
New Mexico State	2-12	0:39	1	2:17	Matt Romero 13-yard pass to Izaiah Lottie (Dylan Brown kick)
New Mexico State	7-47	2:05	2	14:10	Dylan Brown 45-yard field goal
Fresno State	4-17	1:13	3	0:20	Marcus McMaryion 1-yard pass to Jared Rice (Asa Fuller kick)
Fresno State	5-75	1:23	4	8:20	Marcus McMaryion 45-yard pass to KeeSean Johnson (Asa Fuller kick)

CAREER STARTS / GAMES PLAYED

OFFENSE

#1 Rodney Smith	RB	32 / 39
#73 Donnell Greene	OL	21 / 27
#62 Jared Weyler	OL	16 / 18
#64 Conner Olson	OL	14 / 14
#6 Tyler Johnson	WR	13 / 25
#4 Shannon Brooks	RB	8 / 28
#44 Colton Beebe	TE	8 / 27
#70 Sam Schlueter	OL	8 / 12
#25 Phillip Howard	WR	7 / 13
#82 Demetrius Douglas	WR	4 / 5
#58 Quinn Oseland	OL	2 / 12
#5 Zack Annexstad	QB	2 / 2
#13 Rashod Bateman	WR	2 / 2
#77 Blaise Andries	OL	2 / 2
#42 Ko Kieft	TE	1 / 14
#80 Jake Paulson	TE	1 / 2
#61 Bronson Dovich	OL	0 / 23
#89 Matt Morse	WR	0 / 16
#85 Bryce Witham	TE	0 / 14
#28 Jonathan Femi-Cole	RB	0 / 8
#17 Seth Green	TE	0 / 3
#18 Clay Geary	WR	0 / 2
#21 Bryce Williams	RB	0 / 2
#3 Chris Autman-Bell	WR	0 / 2
#60 John Michael Schmitz	OL	0 / 2
#71 Ben Davis	OL	0 / 2
#98 Max Janes	TE	0 / 2
#27 Paul Gossage	WR	0 / 1
#2 Tanner Morgan	QB	0 / 1
#75 Kyle Sassack	OL	0 / 1
#24 Mohamed Ibrahim	RB	0 / 1
#51 Curtis Dunlap Jr.	OL	0 / 1
#78 Daniel Faalele	OL	0 / 1
#81 Brock Annexstad	WR	0 / 1
#88 Brevyn Spann-Ford	TE	0 / 1

DEFENSE

#34 Antonio Shenault	DB	17 / 35
#11 Antoine Winfield Jr.	DB	15 / 18
#45 Carter Coughlin	LB	14 / 25
#2 Jacob Huff	DB	13 / 35
#41 Thomas Barber	LB	13 / 25
#46 Winston DeLattiboudere	DL	12 / 26
#21 Kamal Martin	LB	11 / 27
#31 Kiondre Thomas	DB	8 / 11
#87 Nate Umlor	DL	7 / 11
#19 Gary Moore	DL	7 / 22
#20 Julian Huff	LB	2 / 40
#16 Coney Durr	DB	2 / 11
#36 Blake Cashman	LB	2 / 40
#4 Terrell Smith	DB	2 / 2
#99 OJ Smith	DL	2 / 2
#12 Tai'yon Devers	DL	1 / 21
#26 Justus Harris	DB	1 / 5
#90 Sam Renner	DL	0 / 13
#43 Bailey Schoenfelder	LB	0 / 11
#27 Calvin Swenson	DB	0 / 10
#3 Jerry Gibson	DL	0 / 9
#9 Ezezi Otomewo	DL	0 / 2
#22 Benny Sapp III	DB	0 / 2
#23 Jordan Howden	DB	0 / 2
#97 Royal Silver	DL	0 / 2
#8 Thomas Rush	LB	0 / 1
#14 Braelen Oliver	LB	0 / 1
#49 Josh Aune	DB	0 / 1
#52 Jamaal Teague	DL	0 / 1
#55 Mariano Sori-Marin	LB	0 / 1
#69 Boye Mafe	DL	0 / 1
#91 Noah Hickcox	DL	0 / 1
#6 Chris Williamson	DB	0 / 1

SPECIAL TEAMS

#25 Payton Jordahl	LS	40 / 40
#38 Emmitt Carpenter	K	26 / 27
#47 Jacob Herbers	H / P	27 / 27 // 2 / 2
#37 John Mack	K	0 / 1

GAME CAPTAINS

Minnesota does not have season captains, but instead has captains for each game. The individuals listed below are the ones who participated in the coin toss. Minnesota's captains wear a block "C" near their right shoulder on their jerseys.

New Mexico State: Thomas Barber, Rodney Smith

Fresno State: Blake Cashman, Rodney Smith

Miami (Ohio):

at Maryland:

Iowa:

at Ohio State:

at Nebraska:

Indiana:

at Illinois:

Purdue:

Northwestern:

at Wisconsin:

2018 MINNESOTA STARTING LINEUP OFFENSE

Opponent	WR	WR	WR	LT	LG	C	RG	RT	TE	QB	RB
New Mexico State	Johnson	Bateman	Douglas	Greene	Olson	Weyler	Andries	Schlueter	Paulson	Z. Annexstad	R. Smith
Fresno State	Johnson	Bateman	Douglas	Greene	Olson	Weyler	Andries	Schlueter	Kieft	Z. Annexstad	R. Smith

2018 MINNESOTA STARTING LINEUP DEFENSE

Opponent	RE	DT	DT	DE	LB	LB	DB	DB	DB	DB	DB
New Mexico State	Devers	Moore	OJ Smith	DeLattiboudere	Coughlin	Martin	T. Smith	Jacob Huff	Winfield	Durr	Thomas
Fresno State	Coughlin	Moore	OJ Smith	DeLattiboudere	Cashman	Barber	T. Smith	Jacob Huff	Winfield	Shenault	Thomas

BIG TEN PLAYERS OF THE WEEK

Player	Date	Award
Antoine Winfield Jr.	Sept. 3	Special Teams
Antoine Winfield Jr.	Sept. 10	Defense
Emmitt Carpenter	Sept. 10	Special Teams

Notes

Returned first punt of career 76 yards for a touchdown. First punt return touchdown for U since 2013.
Made five tackles and recorded one of the best interceptions the game has ever seen to secure a win.
Connected on field goals from 50 and 53 yards; became sixth kicker in school history to reach 200 points.

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Team Statistics	MINN	OPP
SCORING	69	24
Points Per Game	34.5	12.0
Points Off Turnovers	7	14
FIRST DOWNS	43	32
Rushing	21	7
Passing	21	19
Penalty	1	6
RUSHING YARDAGE	427	125
Yards gained rushing	457	169
Yards lost rushing	30	44
Rushing Attempts	92	44
Average Per Rush	4.6	2.8
Average Per Game	213.5	62.5
TDs Rushing	5	0
PASSING YARDAGE	402	445
Comp-Att-Int	33-60-0	53-92-3
Average Per Pass	6.7	4.8
Average Per Catch	12.2	8.4
Average Per Game	201.0	222.5
TDs Passing	2	3
TOTAL OFFENSE	829	570
Total Plays	152	136
Average Per Play	5.5	4.2
Average Per Game	414.5	285.0
KICK RETURNS: #-Yards	4-80	7-111
PUNT RETURNS: #-Yards	3-123	3-13
INT RETURNS: #-Yards	3-0	0-0
KICK RETURN AVERAGE	20.0	15.9
PUNT RETURN AVERAGE	41.0	4.3
INT RETURN AVERAGE	0.0	0.0
FUMBLES-LOST	3-2	2-0
PENALTIES-Yards	12-122	9-90
Average Per Game	61.0	45.0
PUNTS-Yards	11-438	18-770
Average Per Punt	39.8	42.8
Net punt average	38.6	30.4
KICKOFFS-Yards	14-895	6-357
Average Per Kick	63.9	59.5
Net kick average	43.5	42.0
TIME OF POSSESSION/Game	35:38	24:23
3RD-DOWN Conversions	10/29	8/31
3rd-Down Pct	34%	26%
4TH-DOWN Conversions	2/2	2/3
4th-Down Pct	100%	67%
SACKS BY-Yards	4-26	1-6
MISC YARDS	0	0
TOUCHDOWNS SCORED	8	3
FIELD GOALS-ATTEMPTS	4-5	1-1
ON-SIDE KICKS	0-0	0-0
RED-ZONE SCORES	(8-8) 100%	(2-3) 67%
RED-ZONE TOUCHDOWNS	(6-8) 75%	(2-3) 67%
PAT-ATTEMPTS	(7-7) 100%	(3-3) 100%
ATTENDANCE	79571	0
Games/Avg Per Game	2/39786	0/0
Neutral Site Games		0/0

Score by Quarters	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	OT	Total
Minnesota	14	31	3	21	0	69
Opponents	7	3	7	7	0	24

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#	Defensive Leaders	gp	Tackles				Sacks no-yds	Pass defense			Fumbles		blkd	
			ua	a	tot	tfl/yds		int-yds	brup	qbh	rcv-yds	ff	kick	saf
36	Cashman, Blake	2	10	8	18	5.5-20	1.0-11	.	1	.	.	.	.	.
4	Smith, Terell	2	13	3	16	1.0-3	.	1-0	4	.	.	.	.	.
34	Shenault, A	2	7	4	11	0.5-1	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	.
11	Winfield, A	2	7	3	10	.	.	1-0	.	.	.	.	.	.
16	Durr, Coney	2	8	1	9	1.0-3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
41	Barber, Thomas	2	2	6	8	.	.	1-0	.	.	.	.	.	.
31	Thomas, Kiondre	2	7	.	7	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.
2X	Huff, Jacob	2	6	1	7	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.
45	Coughlin, C	2	4	2	6	2.5-4	1.0-2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
21	Martin, Kamal	2	2	2	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
26	Harris, Justus	2	.	3	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
46	DeLattiboudere	2	2	1	3	0.5-1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
8	Rush, Thomas	1	3	.	3	1.0-7	1.0-7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
23	Howden, Jordan	2	.	3	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
20	Huff, Julian	2	2	.	2	1.0-6	1.0-6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
22	Sapp, Benny	2	.	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
97	Silver, Royal	2	.	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
9	Otomewo, Ezezi	2	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
12	Devers, Tai'yon	2	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
90	Renner, Sam	2	1	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	.
5	Annexstad, Zack	2	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
27	Swenson, Calvin	2	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
3X	Gibson, Jerry	1	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
2E	Jordahl, Payton	2	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
19	Moore, Gary	2	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
52	Teague, Jamaal	1	1	.	1	1.0-1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
98	Janes, Max	2	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
99	Smith, OJ	2	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
38	Carpenter,Emmit	2	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
6X	Williamson, C	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
69	Mafe, Boye	1	1
Total		2	79	48	127	14-46	4-26	3-0	11	.	.	1	1	.
Opponents		2	79	78	157	6-14	1-6	.	8	.	2-0	1	.	.

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Rushing	gp	att	gain	loss	net	avg	td	lg	avg/g
Smith, Rodney	2	25	157	3	154	6.2	0	23	77.0
Williams, Bryce	2	34	121	3	118	3.5	1	11	59.0
Ibrahim, M	1	9	101	0	101	11.2	0	74	101.0
Green, Seth	2	13	42	0	42	3.2	4	11	21.0
Femi-Cole, J	1	3	13	0	13	4.3	0	8	13.0
Annexstad, Zack	2	5	23	18	5	1.0	0	12	2.5
TEAM	2	3	0	6	-6	-2.0	0	0	-3.0
Total	2	92	457	30	427	4.6	5	74	213.5
Opponents	2	44	169	44	125	2.8	0	22	62.5

Passing	gp	effic	comp-att-int	pct	yds	td	lg	avg/g
Annexstad, Zack	2	121.66	32-59-0	54.2	395	2	33	197.5
Morgan, Tanner	1	158.80	1-1-0	100.0	7	0	7	7.0
Total	2	122.28	33-60-0	55.0	402	2	33	201.0
Opponents	2	102.48	53-92-3	57.6	445	3	45	222.5

Receiving	gp	no.	yds	avg	td	lg	avg/g
Johnson, Tyler	2	11	150	13.6	2	33	75.0
Bateman, Rashod	2	10	130	13.0	0	25	65.0
Autman-Bell, C	2	6	74	12.3	0	17	37.0
Smith, Rodney	2	2	32	16.0	0	21	16.0
Howard, Phillip	2	2	5	2.5	0	7	2.5
Geary, Clay	1	1	7	7.0	0	7	7.0
Douglas, D	2	1	4	4.0	0	4	2.0
Total	2	33	402	12.2	2	33	201.0
Opponents	2	53	445	8.4	3	45	222.5

Punt Returns	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
Winfield, A	2	79	39.5	1	76
Renner, Sam	1	34	34.0	0	0
Coughlin, C	0	10	0.0	0	10
Total	3	123	41.0	1	76
Opponents	3	13	4.3	0	13

Interceptions	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
Smith, Terrell	1	0	0.0	0	0
Winfield, A	1	0	0.0	0	0
Barber, Thomas	1	0	0.0	0	0
Total	3	0	0.0	0	0
Opponents	0	0	0.0	0	0

Kick Returns	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
Smith, Rodney	2	37	18.5	0	22
Douglas, D	2	43	21.5	0	23
Total	4	80	20.0	0	23
Opponents	7	111	15.9	0	31

Fumble Returns	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
Total	0	0	0.0	0	0
Opponents	1	0	0.0	0	0

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Scoring	td	fg	PAT				dxp	saf	pts
			kick	rush	rcv	pass			
Green, Seth	4	-	-	-	-	1-1	-	-	24
Carpenter,Emmit	-	4-5	7-7	-	-	-	-	-	19
Johnson, Tyler	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12
Williams, Bryce	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Winfield, A	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Kieft, Ko	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	2
Total	8	4-5	7-7	-	1	1-1	-	-	69
Opponents	3	1-1	3-3	-	-	-	-	-	24

Total Offense	g	plays	rush	pass	total	avg/g
Annexstad, Zack	2	64	5	395	400	200.0
Smith, Rodney	2	25	154	0	154	77.0
Williams, Bryce	2	34	118	0	118	59.0
Ibrahim, M	1	9	101	0	101	101.0
Green, Seth	2	13	42	0	42	21.0
Femi-Cole, J	1	3	13	0	13	13.0
Morgan, Tanner	1	1	0	7	7	7.0
TEAM	2	3	-6	0	-6	-3.0
Total	2	152	427	402	829	414.5
Opponents	2	136	125	445	570	285.0

Field Goals	fg	pct.	01-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50-99	lg	blk
Carpenter,Emmit	4-5	80.0	0-0	2-2	0-0	0-1	2-2	53	0

FG Sequence	Minnesota	Opponents
New Mexico State	(27),(24),40	(45)
Fresno State	(53),(50)	-

Numbers in (parentheses) indicate field goal was made.

Punting	no.	yds	avg	lg	tb	fc	i20	50+	blk
Herbers, Jacob	11	438	39.8	52	0	6	1	2	0
Total	11	438	39.8	52	0	6	1	2	0
Opponents	18	770	42.8	69	5	2	7	7	1

Kickoffs	no.	yds	avg	tb	ob	retn	net	ydln
Carpenter,Emmit	13	835	64.2	7	0			
Mack, John	1	60	60.0	0	0			
Total	14	895	63.9	7	0	15.9	43.5	21
Opponents	6	357	59.5	1	0	20.0	42.0	23

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All Purpose	g	rush	rcv	pr	kr	ir	total	avg/g
Smith, Rodney	2	154	32	0	37	0	223	111.5
Johnson, Tyler	2	0	150	0	0	0	150	75.0
Bateman, Rasho	2	0	130	0	0	0	130	65.0
Williams, Bryce	2	118	0	0	0	0	118	59.0
Ibrahim, M	1	101	0	0	0	0	101	101.0
Winfield, A	2	0	0	79	0	0	79	39.5
Autman-Bell, C	2	0	74	0	0	0	74	37.0
Douglas, D	2	0	4	0	43	0	47	23.5
Green, Seth	2	42	0	0	0	0	42	21.0
Renner, Sam	2	0	0	34	0	0	34	17.0
Femi-Cole, J	1	13	0	0	0	0	13	13.0
Coughlin, C	2	0	0	10	0	0	10	5.0
Geary, Clay	1	0	7	0	0	0	7	7.0
Annexstad, Zack	2	5	0	0	0	0	5	2.5
Howard, Phillip	2	0	5	0	0	0	5	2.5
TEAM	2	-6	0	0	0	0	-6	-3.0
Total	2	427	402	123	80	0	1032	516.0
Opponents	2	125	445	13	111	0	694	347.0

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Minnesota Team Game-by-Game (as of Sep 09, 2018)
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TEAM STATISTICS

Date	Opponent	Rushing				Receiving				Passing				Kick Returns				Punt Returns				tot off
		no.	yds	td	lg	no.	yds	td	lg	cmp-att-int	yds	td	lg	no.	yds	td	lg	no.	yds	td	lg	
Aug 30	NEW MEXICO STATE	47	295	3	74	17	227	2	33	17-34-0	227	2	33	1	15	0	15	3	123	1	76	522
Sep 08	FRESNO STATE	45	132	2	11	16	175	0	25	16-26-0	175	0	25	3	65	0	23	0	0	0	0	307
Minnesota		92	427	5	74	33	402	2	33	33-60-0	402	2	33	4	80	0	23	3	123	1	76	829
		44	125	0	22	53	445	3	45	53-92-3	445	3	45	7	111	0	31	3	13	0	13	570

Games: 2 • Avg/rush: 4.6 • Avg/catch: 12.2 • Pass effic: 122.28 • KR avg: 20.0 • PR avg: 41.0 • All purpose avg/game: 516.0 • Total offense avg/gm: 414.5

		Tackles				Sacks	Fumble		Pass Defense			blkd	PAT Attempts			off		
Date	Opponent	ua	a	total	tfl-yds	no-yds	ff	fr-yds	int-yds	qbh	brup	kick	kick	rush	rcv	saf	t/o	pts
Aug 30	NEW MEXICO STATE	45	18	63	8.0-33	4.0-26	0	0-0	1-0	0	9	1	6-6	0	0	0	7	48
Sep 08	FRESNO STATE	34	30	64	6.0-13	0.0-0	1	0-0	2-0	0	2	0	1-1	0	1	0	0	21
Minnesota		79	48	127	14.0-46	4.0-26	1	0-0	3-0	0	11	1	7-7	0	1	0	7	69
		79	78	157	6.0-14	1.0-6	1	2-0	0-0	0	8	0	3-3	0	0	0	14	24

Date	Opponent	Punting										Field Goals			Kickoffs				
		no.	yds	avg	long	blkd	tb	fc	50+	i20		md-att	long	blkd	no.	yds	avg	tb	ob
Aug 30	NEW MEXICO STATE	5	207	41.4	51	0	0	1	1	0		2-3	27	0	9	571	63.4	5	0
Sep 08	FRESNO STATE	6	231	38.5	52	0	0	5	1	1		2-2	53	0	5	324	64.8	2	0
Minnesota		11	438	39.8	52	0	0	6	2	1		4-5	53	0	14	895	63.9	7	0
		18	770	42.8	69	1	5	2	7	7		1-1	45	0	6	357	59.5	1	0

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OPPONENT STATISTICS

		Rushing				Receiving				Passing				Kick Returns				Punt Returns				tot		
Date	Opponent	no.	yds	td	lg	no.	yds	td	lg	cmp	att	int	yds	td	lg	no.	yds	td	lg	no.	yds	td	lg	off
Aug 30	NEW MEXICO STATE	20	38	0	20	29	233	1	24	29-58-1	233	1	24	4	68	0	31	3	13	0	13	271		
Sep 08	FRESNO STATE	24	87	0	22	24	212	2	45	24-34-2	212	2	45	3	43	0	21	0	0	0	0	299		
Opponents		44	125	0	22	53	445	3	45	53-92-3	445	3	45	7	111	0	31	3	13	0	13	570		
		92	427	5	74	33	402	2	33	33-60-0	402	2	33	4	80	0	23	3	123	1	76	829		

Games: 2 • Avg/rush: 2.8 • Avg/catch: 8.4 • Pass effic: 102.48 • KR avg: 15.9 • PR avg: 4.3 • All purpose avg/game: 347.0 • Total offense avg/gm: 285.0

		Tackles				Sacks		Fumble		Pass Defense			blkd	PAT Attempts			off		
Date	Opponent	ua	a	total	tfl-yds	no-yds	ff	fr-yds	int-yds	qbh	brup	kick	kick	rush	rcv	saf	t/o	pts	
Aug 30	NEW MEXICO STATE	38	42	80	2.0-3	0.0-0	0	1-0	0-0	0	5	0	1-1	0	0	0	7	10	
Sep 08	FRESNO STATE	41	36	77	4.0-11	1.0-6	1	1-0	0-0	0	3	0	2-2	0	0	0	7	14	
Opponents		79	78	157	6.0-14	1.0-6	1	2-0	0-0	0	8	0	3-3	0	0	0	14	24	
		79	48	127	14.0-46	4.0-26	1	0-0	3-0	0	11	1	7-7	0	1	0	7	69	

		Punting									Field Goals			Kickoffs				
Date	Opponent	no.	yds	avg	long	blkd	tb	fc	50+	i20	md-att	long	blkd	no.	yds	avg	tb	ob
Aug 30	NEW MEXICO STATE	11	461	41.9	69	1	4	0	5	1	1-1	45	0	3	165	55.0	1	0
Sep 08	FRESNO STATE	7	309	44.1	60	0	1	2	2	6	0-0	0	0	3	192	64.0	0	0
Opponents		18	770	42.8	69	1	5	2	7	7	1-1	45	0	6	357	59.5	1	0
		11	438	39.8	52	0	0	6	2	1	4-5	53	0	14	895	63.9	7	0

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INDIVIDUAL GAME HIGHS

Rushes	25	Williams, Bryce vs Fresno State (Sep 08, 2018)
Yards Rushing	153	Smith, Rodney vs New Mexico State (Aug 30, 2018)
TD Rushes	2	Green, Seth vs New Mexico State (Aug 30, 2018)
	2	Green, Seth vs Fresno State (Sep 08, 2018)
Long Rush	74	Ibrahim, M vs New Mexico State (Aug 30, 2018)
Pass attempts	33	Annexstad, Zack vs New Mexico State (Aug 30, 2018)
Pass completions	16	Annexstad, Zack vs New Mexico State (Aug 30, 2018)
	16	Annexstad, Zack vs Fresno State (Sep 08, 2018)
Yards Passing	220	Annexstad, Zack vs New Mexico State (Aug 30, 2018)
TD Passes	2	Annexstad, Zack vs New Mexico State (Aug 30, 2018)
Long Pass	33	Annexstad, Zack vs New Mexico State (Aug 30, 2018)
Receptions	6	Johnson, Tyler vs Fresno State (Sep 08, 2018)
Yards Receiving	100	Johnson, Tyler vs New Mexico State (Aug 30, 2018)
TD Receptions	2	Johnson, Tyler vs New Mexico State (Aug 30, 2018)
Long Reception	33	Johnson, Tyler vs New Mexico State (Aug 30, 2018)
Field Goals	2	Carpenter,Emmit vs New Mexico State (Aug 30, 2018)
	2	Carpenter,Emmit vs Fresno State (Sep 08, 2018)
Long Field Goal	53	Carpenter,Emmit vs Fresno State (Sep 08, 2018)
Punts	6	Herbers, Jacob vs Fresno State (Sep 08, 2018)
Punting Avg	41.4	Herbers, Jacob vs New Mexico State (Aug 30, 2018)
Long Punt	52	Herbers, Jacob vs Fresno State (Sep 08, 2018)
Punts inside 20	1	Herbers, Jacob vs Fresno State (Sep 08, 2018)
Long Punt Return	76	Winfield, A vs New Mexico State (Aug 30, 2018)
Long Kickoff Return	23	Douglas, D vs Fresno State (Sep 08, 2018)
Tackles	10	Cashman, Blake vs Fresno State (Sep 08, 2018)
Sacks	1.0	Cashman, Blake vs New Mexico State (Aug 30, 2018)
	1.0	Rush, Thomas vs New Mexico State (Aug 30, 2018)
	1.0	Coughlin, C vs New Mexico State (Aug 30, 2018)
	1.0	Huff, Julian vs New Mexico State (Aug 30, 2018)
Tackles For Loss	4.0	Cashman, Blake vs New Mexico State (Aug 30, 2018)
Interceptions	1	Barber, Thomas vs New Mexico State (Aug 30, 2018)
	1	Smith, Terell vs Fresno State (Sep 08, 2018)
	1	Winfield, A vs Fresno State (Sep 08, 2018)

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TEAM GAME HIGHS

Rushes	47	vs New Mexico State (Aug 30, 2018)
Yards Rushing	295	vs New Mexico State (Aug 30, 2018)
Yards Per Rush	6.3	vs New Mexico State (Aug 30, 2018)
TD Rushes	3	vs New Mexico State (Aug 30, 2018)
Pass attempts	34	vs New Mexico State (Aug 30, 2018)
Pass completions	17	vs New Mexico State (Aug 30, 2018)
Yards Passing	227	vs New Mexico State (Aug 30, 2018)
Yards Per Pass	6.7	vs Fresno State (Sep 08, 2018)
TD Passes	2	vs New Mexico State (Aug 30, 2018)
Total Plays	81	vs New Mexico State (Aug 30, 2018)
Total Offense	522	vs New Mexico State (Aug 30, 2018)
Yards Per Play	6.4	vs New Mexico State (Aug 30, 2018)
Points	48	vs New Mexico State (Aug 30, 2018)
Sacks By	4	vs New Mexico State (Aug 30, 2018)
First Downs	23	vs New Mexico State (Aug 30, 2018)
Penalties	9	vs New Mexico State (Aug 30, 2018)
Penalty Yards	92	vs New Mexico State (Aug 30, 2018)
Turnovers	1	vs New Mexico State (Aug 30, 2018)
	1	vs Fresno State (Sep 08, 2018)
Interceptions By	2	vs Fresno State (Sep 08, 2018)
Punts	6	vs Fresno State (Sep 08, 2018)
Punting Avg	41.4	vs New Mexico State (Aug 30, 2018)
Long Punt	52	vs Fresno State (Sep 08, 2018)
Punts inside 20	1	vs Fresno State (Sep 08, 2018)
Long Punt Return	76	vs New Mexico State (Aug 30, 2018)

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OPPONENT INDIVIDUAL GAME HIGHS

Rushes	14	Romero, Matt, vs New Mexico State (Aug 30, 2018)
Yards Rushing	41	MIMS, Jordan, vs Fresno State (Sep 08, 2018)
Long Rush	22	MIMS, Jordan, vs Fresno State (Sep 08, 2018)
Pass attempts	58	Romero, Matt, vs New Mexico State (Aug 30, 2018)
Pass completions	29	Romero, Matt, vs New Mexico State (Aug 30, 2018)
Yards Passing	233	Romero, Matt, vs New Mexico State (Aug 30, 2018)
TD Passes	2	MCMARYION, M., vs Fresno State (Sep 08, 2018)
Long Pass	45	MCMARYION, M., vs Fresno State (Sep 08, 2018)
Receptions	8	Boone, J., vs New Mexico State (Aug 30, 2018)
Yards Receiving	89	JOHNSON, KeeSea, vs Fresno State (Sep 08, 2018)
TD Receptions	1	Lottie, Izaiah, vs New Mexico State (Aug 30, 2018)
	1	RICE, Jared, vs Fresno State (Sep 08, 2018)
	1	JOHNSON, KeeSea, vs Fresno State (Sep 08, 2018)
Long Reception	45	JOHNSON, KeeSea, vs Fresno State (Sep 08, 2018)
Field Goals	1	Brown, Dylan, vs New Mexico State (Aug 30, 2018)
Long Field Goal	45	Brown, Dylan, vs New Mexico State (Aug 30, 2018)
Punts	10	Theisler, P., vs New Mexico State (Aug 30, 2018)
Punting Avg	46.1	Theisler, P., vs New Mexico State (Aug 30, 2018)
Long Punt	69	Theisler, P., vs New Mexico State (Aug 30, 2018)
Punts inside 20	6	CUSICK, Blake, vs Fresno State (Sep 08, 2018)
Long Punt Return	13	Clark, OJ, vs New Mexico State (Aug 30, 2018)
Long Kickoff Return	31	Huntley, Jason, vs New Mexico State (Aug 30, 2018)
Tackles	15	ALLISON, J., vs Fresno State (Sep 08, 2018)
Sacks	0.5	HELMUTH, George, vs Fresno State (Sep 08, 2018)
	0.5	HAYNES, Jasad, vs Fresno State (Sep 08, 2018)
Tackles For Loss	1.5	Lopez, Roy, vs New Mexico State (Aug 30, 2018)

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OPPONENT TEAM GAME HIGHS

Rushes	24	vs Fresno State (Sep 08, 2018)
Yards Rushing	87	vs Fresno State (Sep 08, 2018)
Yards Per Rush	3.6	vs Fresno State (Sep 08, 2018)
Pass attempts	58	vs New Mexico State (Aug 30, 2018)
Pass completions	29	vs New Mexico State (Aug 30, 2018)
Yards Passing	233	vs New Mexico State (Aug 30, 2018)
Yards Per Pass	6.2	vs Fresno State (Sep 08, 2018)
TD Passes	2	vs Fresno State (Sep 08, 2018)
Total Plays	78	vs New Mexico State (Aug 30, 2018)
Total Offense	299	vs Fresno State (Sep 08, 2018)
Yards Per Play	5.2	vs Fresno State (Sep 08, 2018)
Points	14	vs Fresno State (Sep 08, 2018)
Sacks By	1	vs Fresno State (Sep 08, 2018)
First Downs	19	vs New Mexico State (Aug 30, 2018)
Penalties	5	vs New Mexico State (Aug 30, 2018)
Penalty Yards	50	vs New Mexico State (Aug 30, 2018)
Turnovers	2	vs Fresno State (Sep 08, 2018)
Punts	11	vs New Mexico State (Aug 30, 2018)
Punting Avg	44.1	vs Fresno State (Sep 08, 2018)
Long Punt	69	vs New Mexico State (Aug 30, 2018)
Punts inside 20	6	vs Fresno State (Sep 08, 2018)
Long Punt Return	13	vs New Mexico State (Aug 30, 2018)

25+ YARD PLAYS

Yards	Type	Player(s)	Opponent
76 *	Punt Return	Antoine Winfield Jr.	New Mexico State
74	Rush	Mohamed Ibrahim	New Mexico State
33 *	Pass	Tyler Johnson from Zack Annexstad	New Mexico State
33	Pass	Tyler Johnson from Zack Annexstad	New Mexico State
25	Pass	Rashod Bateman from Zack Annexstad	Fresno State
25	Pass	Rashod Bateman from Zack Annexstad	New Mexico State

* play resulted in a touchdown

Gophers 48, New Mexico State 10



Box Score (Final)
The Automated ScoreBook
New Mexico State vs Minnesota (Aug 30, 2018 at Minneapolis, Minn.)

Score by Quarters	1	2	3	4	Total
New Mexico State	7	3	0	0	10
Minnesota	7	28	3	10	48

Qtr	Time	Scoring play
1st	05:48	MINN - Johnson, Tyler 7 yd pass from Annexstad, Zack (Carpenter,Emmit kick), 6-50 2:22
	02:17	NMSU - Lottie, Izaiah 13 yd pass from Romero, Matt (Brown, Dylan kick), 2-12 0:39
2nd	14:10	NMSU - Brown, Dylan 45 yd field goal, 7-47 2:05
	11:35	MINN - Green, Seth 9 yd run (Carpenter,Emmit kick), 7-75 2:35
	03:21	MINN - Green, Seth 3 yd run (Carpenter,Emmit kick), 8-79 3:52
	02:45	MINN - Winfield, A 76 yd punt return (Carpenter,Emmit kick)
	00:57	MINN - Johnson, Tyler 33 yd pass from Annexstad, Zack (Carpenter,Emmit kick), 5-84 0:00
3rd	11:05	MINN - Carpenter,Emmit 27 yd field goal, 4-6 1:59
4th	14:16	MINN - Carpenter,Emmit 24 yd field goal, 17-74 6:21
	04:53	MINN - Williams, Bryce 1 yd run (Carpenter,Emmit kick), 3-78 0:50

	NMSU	MINN
FIRST DOWNS	19	23
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	20-38	47-295
PASSING YDS (NET)	233	227
Passes Att-Comp-Int	58-29-1	34-17-0
TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS	78-271	81-522
Fumble Returns-Yards	1-0	0-0
Punt Returns-Yards	3-13	3-123
Kickoff Returns-Yards	4-68	1-15
Interception Returns-Yards	0-0	1-0
Punts (Number-Avg)	11-41.9	5-41.4
Fumbles-Lost	0-0	2-1
Penalties-Yards	5-50	9-92
Possession Time	25:26	33:20
Third-Down Conversions	2 of 17	5 of 14
Fourth-Down Conversions	1 of 2	1 of 1
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	1-1	6-6
Sacks By: Number-Yards	0-0	4-26

RUSHING: New Mexico State-Romero, Matt 14-24; Caldwell, Royce 2-8; Huntley, Jason 4-6.
 Minnesota-Smith, Rodney 24-153; Ibrahim, M 9-101; Williams, Bryce 9-31; Green, Seth 2-12; Annexstad, Zack 2-0; TEAM 1-minus 2.

PASSING: New Mexico State-Romero, Matt 29-58-1-233. Minnesota-Annexstad, Zack 16-33-0-220; Morgan, Tanner 1-1-0-7.

RECEIVING: New Mexico State-Boone, J. 8-67; Dan, Drew 6-61; Lottie, Izaiah 5-54; Clark, OJ 3-19; Muse, Anthony 3-17; Huntley, Jason 3-11; Caldwell, Royce 1-4. Minnesota-Johnson, Tyler 5-100; Bateman, Rashod 5-52; Autman-Bell, C 4-43; Smith, Rodney 1-21; Geary, Clay 1-7; Douglas, D 1-4.

INTERCEPTIONS: New Mexico State-None. Minnesota-Barber, Thomas 1-0.

FUMBLES: New Mexico State-None. Minnesota-Winfield, A 1-0; Annexstad, Zack 1-1.

New Mexico State (0-2) vs. Minnesota (1-0)
 Date: Aug 30, 2018 • Site: Minneapolis, Minn. • Stadium: TCF Bank Stadium
 Attendance: 41291

Kickoff time: 6:01 PM • End of Game: 9:38 • Total elapsed time: 3:37
 Officials: Referee: Tom Stapleton; Umpire: Jeff Carr; Linesman: Mark Bennett;
 Line judge: Jeff Meslow; Back judge: Mike Brown; Field judge: Jeff Meslow;
 Side judge: George Plesac; Center judge: Rich Edwards;
 Temperature: 77 • Wind: SSE 15 • Weather: Fair

Gophers 21, Fresno State 14



Box Score (Final)
The Automated ScoreBook
Fresno State vs Minnesota (Sep 08, 2018 at Minneapolis, Minn.)

Score by Quarters	1	2	3	4	Total
Fresno State	0	0	7	7	14
Minnesota	7	3	0	11	21

Qtr	Time	Scoring play
1st	02:46	MINN - Green, Seth 1 yd run (Carpenter,Emmit kick), 14-80 7:17
2nd	00:58	MINN - Carpenter,Emmit 53 yd field goal, 9-55 4:25
3rd	00:20	FS - RICE, Jared 1 yd pass from MCMARYION, M. (FULLER, Asa kick), 4-17 1:13
4th	09:43	MINN - Carpenter,Emmit 50 yd field goal, 10-48 5:37
	08:20	FS - JOHNSON, KeeSea 45 yd pass from MCMARYION, M. (FULLER, Asa kick), 5-75 1:23
	03:28	MINN - Green, Seth 3 yd run (Kieft, Ko pass from Green, Seth), 10-74 4:52

	FS	MINN
FIRST DOWNS	13	20
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	24-87	45-132
PASSING YDS (NET)	212	175
Passes Att-Comp-Int	34-24-2	26-16-0
TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS	58-299	71-307
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punt Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Kickoff Returns-Yards	3-43	3-65
Interception Returns-Yards	0-0	2-0
Punts (Number-Avg)	7-44.1	6-38.5
Fumbles-Lost	2-0	1-1
Penalties-Yards	4-40	3-30
Possession Time	23:19	36:41
Third-Down Conversions	6 of 14	5 of 15
Fourth-Down Conversions	1 of 1	1 of 1
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	1-2	2-2
Sacks By: Number-Yards	1-6	0-0

RUSHING: Fresno State-MIMS, Jordan 10-41; O'NEAL, DeJonte 5-26; MCMARYION, M. 3-15; HOKIT, Josh 5-8; COLEMAN, Chris 1-minus 3. Minnesota-Williams, Bryce 25-87; Green, Seth 11-30; Femi-Cole, J 3-13; Annexstad, Zack 3-5; Smith, Rodney 1-1; TEAM 2-minus 4.

PASSING: Fresno State-MCMARYION, M. 23-32-1-205; HOKIT, Josh 0-1-1-0; REYNA, Jorge 1-1-0-7. Minnesota-Annexstad, Zack 16-26-0-175.

RECEIVING: Fresno State-JOHNSON, KeeSea 6-89; RICE, Jared 5-31; JORDAN, Jamire 4-21; ALLEN, Justin 3-14; MIMS, Jordan 2-23; QUICK, Michiah 2-19; HOKIT, Josh 2-15. Minnesota-Johnson, Tyler 6-50; Bateman, Rashod 5-78; Autman-Bell, C 2-31; Howard, Phillip 2-5; Smith, Rodney 1-11.

INTERCEPTIONS: Fresno State-None. Minnesota-Winfield, A 1-0; Smith, Terell 1-0.

FUMBLES: Fresno State-O'NEAL, DeJonte 1-0; BURT, Brian 1-0. Minnesota-Johnson, Tyler 1-1.

Fresno State (1-1) vs. Minnesota (2-0)
 Date: Sep 08, 2018 • Site: Minneapolis, Minn. • Stadium: TCF Bank Stadium
 Attendance: 38280

Kickoff time: 6:40 • End of Game: 9:54 • Total elapsed time: 3:14
 Officials: Referee: Mark Kluczynski; Umpire: Brad Hudak; Linesman: Daniel Richard;
 Line judge: Vincent Winters; Back judge: Jeff Latkiewicz; Field judge: Raymond Daniel;
 Side judge: Matt Kukar; Center judge: Greg Blum;
 Temperature: 72 • Wind: E 10 • Weather: Sunny