

2024 Minnesota State University - Mankato Football
Overall Statistics (as of Dec 14, 2024)

Team Statistics	MSU	OPP
SCORING	434	363
Points Per Game	28.93	24.20
FIRST DOWNS	324	285
Rushing	148	118
Passing	150	146
Penalty	26	21
RUSHING YARDAGE	2592	2193
Yards gained	2927	2523
Yards lost	335	330
Attempts	606	525
Avg Per Attempt	4.3	4.2
Avg Per Game	172.8	146.2
TDs Rushing	32	17
PASSING YARDAGE	3192	3122
Att-Comp-Int	422-249-10	439-290-11
Avg Per Attempt	7.56	7.11
Avg Per Catch	12.82	10.77
Avg Per Game	212.80	208.13
TDs Passing	25	26
TOTAL OFFENSE	5784	5315
Total Plays	1028	964
Avg Per Play	5.6	5.5
Avg Per Game	385.6	354.3
KICK RETURNS: #-YARDS	50-888	42-850
PUNT RETURNS: #-YARDS	16-113	14-94
INT RETURNS: #-YARDS	11-123	10-192
KICK RETURN AVERAGE	17.76	20.24
PUNT RETURN AVERAGE	7.06	6.71
INT RETURN AVERAGE	11.18	19.20
FUMBLES-LOST	26-5	14-5
PENALTIES-YARDS	59-555	79-723
Avg Per Game	37.00	48.20
PUNTS-YARDS	43-1587	48-1938
Avg Per Punt	36.91	40.38
Net Punt Avg	34.26	35.94
KICKOFFS-YARDS	76-4231	75-4165
Avg Per Kick	55.67	55.53
Net Kick Avg	40.28	38.63
TIME OF POSSESSION	07:12:29	07:47:31
Per Game	28:50	31:10
3RD-DOWN CONVERSIONS	87-206	82-204
3rd-Down Pct	42.23%	40.20%
4TH-DOWN CONVERSIONS	26-47	21-38
4th-Down Pct	55.32%	55.26%
SACKS BY-YARDS	25-193	18-114
MISC YARDS	177	1
TOUCHDOWNS SCORED	57	45
FIELD GOALS-ATTEMPTS	12-21	18-24
ON-SIDE KICKS	4-6	0-1
RED-ZONE SCORES	49-62	45-63
RED-ZONE TOUCHDOWNS	40-62	31-63
PAT-ATTEMPTS	48-51	35-44
ATTENDANCE	28,736	23,339
Dates-Avg Per Date	6-4,789	9-2,593
Neutral Site #-Avg	-	0-0

Conf	Date	Opponent	WL	Score	Record	Time	Attend
	08/29/2024	at Northwest Mo. St.	W	36-22	1-0 , 0-0	02:36	4,441
*	09/07/2024	BEMIDJI ST.	W	31-29	2-0 , 1-0	02:39	6,874
*	09/14/2024	at Wayne St. (NE)	W	35-28	3-0 , 2-0	02:53	2,200
*	09/21/2024	MINOT ST.	W	40-6	4-0 , 3-0	02:25	3,521
*	09/28/2024	at Concordia-St. Paul	W	33-20	5-0 , 4-0	02:44	3,617
*	10/05/2024	SIOUX FALLS	L	36-40	5-1 , 4-1	02:52	7,105
*	10/12/2024	at MSU Moorhead	W	24-19	6-1 , 5-1	02:34	1,678
*	10/26/2024	AUGUSTANA (SD)	L	16-34	6-2 , 5-2	02:44	6,726
*	11/02/2024	at Northern State	W	24-14	7-2 , 6-2	02:41	4,676
*	11/09/2024	MARY	W	49-21	8-2 , 7-2	02:39	1,919
*	11/16/2024	at Minn. Duluth	L	16-30	8-3 , 7-3	03:04	1
	11/23/2024	at Augustana	W	20-19	9-3 , 7-3	02:53	1,333
	11/30/2024	at CSU Pueblo	W	26-23	10-3 , 7-3	03:03	2,289
	12/07/2024	BEMIDJI ST.	W	27-23	11-3 , 7-3	02:34	2,591
	12/14/2024	at Valdosta St.	L	21-35	11-4 , 7-3	02:44	3,104

* = Conference game

Score by Quarters	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	Total
Minnesota St.	77	135	104	118	434
Opponents	43	114	97	109	363

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#	Rushing	GP	ATT	GAIN	LOSS	NET	AVG	TD	LG	AVG/G
24	Backer, Sam	15	183	1043	26	1017	5.6	7	69	67.80
23	Vasser, Christian	15	134	626	27	599	4.5	5	36	39.93
15	Ekern, Hayden	15	155	645	154	491	3.2	14	24	32.73
5	Anger, Tony	15	58	245	1	244	4.2	4	36	16.27
12	Thompson, Mitchell	4	15	147	11	136	9.1	1	40	34.00
19	May, Neal	13	13	92	5	87	6.7	0	22	6.69
26	Henderson, Carter	13	24	92	6	86	3.6	1	22	6.62
1	Howard, Jeremiah	13	6	37	7	30	5.0	0	23	2.31
70	Dyslin, Keats	10	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.00
56	Gribble, Nathan	11	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.00
6	Watson, TreShawn	15	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.00
49	Kalman, Jack	2	1	0	8	-8	-8.0	0	0	-4.00
40	Jaeger, Matthew	15	1	0	15	-15	-15.0	0	0	-1.00
21	Goettl, Joey	15	1	0	18	-18	-18.0	0	0	-1.20
	Team	15	14	0	27	-27	-1.9	0	0	-1.80
47	Fournier, Connor	13	1	0	30	-30	-30.0	0	0	-2.31
	Total	15	606	2927	335	2592	4.3	32	69	172.80
	Opponents	15	525	2523	330	2193	4.2	17	77	146.20

#	Passing	GP	Rating	COMP-ATT-INT	PCT	YDS	TD	LG	AVG/G
15	Ekern, Hayden	15	139.86	244-407-9	59.95%	3143	24	65	209.53
12	Thompson, Mitchell	4	74.40	5-14-1	35.71%	49	1	20	12.25
	Team	15	0.00	0-1-0	0.00%	0	0	0	0.00
	Total	15	137.35	249-422-10	59.00%	3192	25	65	212.80
	Opponents	15	140.33	290-439-11	66.06%	3122	26	80	208.13

#	Recelving	GP	NO	YDS	AVG	TD	LG	AVG/G
6	Watson, TreShawn	15	53	808	15.25	9	50	53.87
84	Guyett, Grant	15	44	621	14.11	6	44	41.40
8	Hagen, Gabe	13	45	541	12.02	6	42	41.62
13	Emanuel, Isaiah	14	21	349	16.62	3	65	24.93
1	Howard, Jeremiah	13	19	225	11.84	1	34	17.31
24	Backer, Sam	15	17	194	11.41	0	28	12.93
5	Anger, Tony	15	17	180	10.59	0	57	12.00
23	Vasser, Christian	15	15	154	10.27	0	31	10.27
19	May, Neal	13	10	66	6.60	0	16	5.08
48	Ferguson, Aiden	10	2	17	8.50	0	10	1.70
88	Valainis, Anthony	11	1	13	13.00	0	13	1.18
80	Laplant, Andrew	11	1	9	9.00	0	9	0.82
27	Balistrieri, Sal	4	1	7	7.00	0	7	1.75
87	Cicero, Jake	11	2	6	3.00	0	5	0.55
26	Henderson, Carter	13	1	2	2.00	0	2	0.15
10	Brown, Micah	14	0	0	NaN	0	0	0.00
3	Hall, Terrell	11	0	0	NaN	0	0	0.00
	Total	15	249	3192	12.82	25	65	212.80
	Opponents	15	290	3122	10.77	26	80	208.13

#	Punt Returns	NO	YRDS	AVG	TD	LG
19	May, Neal	13	93	7.15	0	25
4	West, Khai	3	20	6.67	0	8
	Total	16	113	7.06	0	25
	Opponents	13	94	7.23	0	29

#	Interceptions	NO	YRDS	AVG	TD	LG
21	Goettl, Joey	3	81	27.00	0	49
30	Dunn, Karson	2	13	6.50	0	13
4	West, Khai	2	0	0.00	0	0
25	Galetich, Brock	1	12	12.00	0	12
33	Stingle, Cade	1	9	9.00	0	9
2	Spiyee, Jamal	1	8	8.00	0	8
16	Agyekum, Richard	1	0	0.00	0	0
	Total	11	123	11.18	0	49
	Opponents	10	192	19.20	1	50

#	Kick Returns	NO	YRDS	AVG	TD	LG
6	Watson, TreShawn	20	455	22.75	0	46
24	Backer, Sam	7	140	20.00	0	31
26	Henderson, Carter	10	108	10.80	0	23
19	May, Neal	5	103	20.60	0	34
1	Howard, Jeremiah	4	66	16.50	0	26
23	Vasser, Christian	2	9	4.50	0	9
5	Anger, Tony	1	7	7.00	0	7
42	Hoffman, Colton	1	0	0.00	0	0
	Total	50	888	17.76	0	46
	Opponents	42	850	20.24	0	59

#	Fumble Returns	NO	YRDS	AVG	TD	LG
22	Jones, Lorenzo	1	81	81.00	0	81
	Total	1	81	81.00	0	81
	Opponents	2	0	0.00	0	0

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#	Scoring	TD	FG	PAT					SAF	PTS
				KICK	RUSH	RCV	PASS	DXP		
15	Ekern, Hayden	14	—	—	—	1	1-4	—	—	86
40	Jaeger, Matthew	—	12	46-49	—	—	—	—	—	82
6	Watson, TreShawn	9	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	54
24	Backer, Sam	7	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	42
84	Guyett, Grant	6	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	36
8	Hagen, Gabe	6	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	36
23	Vasser, Christian	5	—	—	0-1	—	—	—	—	30
5	Anger, Tony	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	24
13	Emanuel, Isaiah	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	18
26	Henderson, Carter	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	6
1	Howard, Jeremiah	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	6
12	Thompson, Mitchell	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	6
2	Spiyee, Jamal	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	4
4	West, Khai	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	4
47	Fournier, Connor	—	—	2-2	—	—	—	—	—	2
21	Goettl, Joey	—	—	—	—	1	1-1	—	—	2
87	Cicero, Jake	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	0
Team		—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	0
Total		57	12	48-51	0-1	2	2-5	2	—	438
Opponents		45	18	35-44	—	1	1-1	—	1	363

#	Field Goals	FGM-FGA	PCT	I20	20-29	30-39	40-49	50+	LG	BLK
40	Jaeger, Matthew	12-20	60.00%	0-0	3-4	5-5	4-9	0-2	41	2
47	Fournier, Connor	0-1	0.00%	0-0	3-4	0-0	0-1	0-0	0	0
Total		12-21	57.14%	0-0	3-4	5-5	4-10	0-2	41	2
Opponents		18-24	75.00%	0-2	0-0	8-10	8-10	2-2	51	0

FG Sequence	Minnesota St.	Opponents
Northwest Mo. St.	23	-
Bemidji St.	(31)	(32)
Wayne St. (NE)	(40),(20)	-
Minot St.	44	-
Concordia-St. Paul	-	(29),(51)
Sioux Falls	-	(35),(24)
MSU Moorhead	(40),40	41,(38),(33)
Augustana (SD)	(27)	24,(33),(30)
Northern State	41,(30)	30
Mary	47	-
Minn. Duluth	52	39,(33)
Augustana	(35),(34)	37,(20),(37),(25),42,(40)
CSU Pueblo	(29),(41),54,(40),(32)	(46),(24),(27)
Bemidji St.	47	(44)
Valdosta St.	40	-

Numbers in (parentheses) indicate field goal was made.

#	Total Offense	G	Plays	Rush	Pass	Total	AVG/G
15	Ekern, Hayden	15	562	491	3143	3634	242.27
24	Backer, Sam	15	183	1017	0	1017	67.80
23	Vasser, Christian	15	134	599	0	599	39.93
5	Anger, Tony	15	58	244	0	244	16.27
12	Thompson, Mitchell	4	29	136	49	185	46.25
19	May, Neal	13	13	87	0	87	6.69
26	Henderson, Carter	13	24	86	0	86	6.62
1	Howard, Jeremiah	13	6	30	0	30	2.31
49	Kalman, Jack	2	1	-8	0	-8	-4.00
40	Jaeger, Matthew	15	1	-15	0	-15	-1.00
21	Goettl, Joey	15	1	-18	0	-18	-1.20
47	Fournier, Connor	13	1	-30	0	-30	-2.31
Team		15	15	-27	0	-27	-1.80
Total		15	1028	2592	3192	5784	385.60
Opponents		15	964	2193	3122	5315	354.33

#	Punting	NO	YDS	AVG	LG	TB	FC	I20	50+	BLK
47	Fournier, Connor	41	1540	37.56	53	1	14	15	3	0
49	Kalman, Jack	1	42	42.00	42	0	0	0	0	0
Team		1	5	5.00	5	0	0	0	0	1
Total		43	1587	36.91	53	1	14	15	3	1
Opponents		48	1938	40.38	70	5	8	9	10	0

#	Kickoffs	NO	YDS	AVG	TB	OB
47	Fournier, Connor	2	126	63.0	1	0
40	Jaeger, Matthew	74	4105	55.5	15	1
Total		76	4231	55.7	16	1
Opponents		75	4165	55.5	19	5

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#	All Purpose	G	RUSH	RCV	PR	KR	IR	Total	AVG/G
24	Backer, Sam	15	1017	194	0	140	0	1351	90.07
6	Watson, TreShawn	15	0	808	0	455	0	1263	84.20
23	Vasser, Christian	15	599	154	0	9	0	762	50.80
84	Guyett, Grant	15	0	621	0	0	0	621	41.40
8	Hagen, Gabe	13	0	541	0	0	0	541	41.62
15	Ekern, Hayden	15	491	0	0	0	0	491	32.73
5	Anger, Tony	15	244	180	0	7	0	431	28.73
19	May, Neal	13	87	66	93	103	0	349	26.85
13	Emanuel, Isaiah	14	0	349	0	0	0	349	24.93
1	Howard, Jeremiah	13	30	225	0	66	0	321	24.69
26	Henderson, Carter	13	86	2	0	108	0	196	15.08
12	Thompson, Mitchell	4	136	0	0	0	0	136	34.00
21	Goettl, Joey	15	-18	0	0	0	81	63	4.20
4	West, Khai	15	0	0	20	0	0	20	1.33
48	Ferguson, Aiden	10	0	17	0	0	0	17	1.70
88	Valainis, Anthony	11	0	13	0	0	0	13	1.18
30	Dunn, Karson	15	0	0	0	0	13	13	0.87
25	Galetich, Brock	13	0	0	0	0	12	12	0.92
80	Lapland, Andrew	11	0	9	0	0	0	9	0.82
33	Stingle, Cade	15	0	0	0	0	9	9	0.60
2	Spiyee, Jamal	15	0	0	0	0	8	8	0.53
27	Balistrieri, Sal	4	0	7	0	0	0	7	1.75
87	Cicero, Jake	11	0	6	0	0	0	6	0.55
49	Kalman, Jack	2	-8	0	0	0	0	-8	-4.00
40	Jaeger, Matthew	15	-15	0	0	0	0	-15	-1.00
47	Fournier, Connor	13	-30	0	0	0	0	-30	-2.31
	Team	15	-27	0	0	0	0	-27	-1.80
	Total	15	2592	3192	113	888	123	6908	460.53
	Opponents	15	2193	3122	94	850	192	6451	430.07

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#	Defensive Leaders	GP	Tackles				Sacks NO-YDS	Pass Defense			Fumbles		Blocked	
			Solo	ASST	TOT	TFL-YDS		INT-YDS	BU	QBH	RCV-YDS	FF	KICK	SAF
20	Alzheimer, Antonio	15	65	44	109.0	5.5-10	1.5-5	—	2	1	—	1	—	—
4	West, Khai	15	55	18	73.0	4.0-10	—	2-0	2	—	—	—	1	—
30	Dunn, Karson	15	44	22	66.0	6.0-26	2.0-21	2-13	6	—	—	—	—	—
33	Stingle, Cade	15	40	19	59.0	2.5-6	0.5-0	1-9	3	1	—	—	—	—
98	Brown, Cody	15	36	18	54.0	14.5-75	6.0-57	—	3	2	—	—	—	—
2	Spiyee, Jamal	15	39	14	53.0	2.0-3	—	1-8	4	—	—	—	—	—
21	Goettl, Joey	15	30	16	46.0	1.0-1	—	3-81	5	—	—	—	—	—
38	Drumm, Nathan	15	29	15	44.0	4.5-20	2.5-17	—	1	—	—	—	—	—
90	Kretche, Maven	15	25	17	42.0	7.5-51	4.0-36	—	—	4	—	2	1	—
10	Brown, Micah	14	20	20	40.0	4.5-25	1.0-7	—	6	—	—	—	—	—
93	Hestdalen, Abe	15	23	16	39.0	2.5-9	1.0-6	—	—	2	—	—	1	—
22	Jones, Lorenzo	15	28	10	38.0	1.0-7	1.0-7	—	1	—	3-81	1	—	—
97	Burau, Ian	15	19	8	27.0	2.5-18	1.0-13	—	—	—	—	1	—	—
0	Ocansey, Edmund	15	23	4	27.0	1.0-3	—	—	3	—	—	—	—	—
11	Tennyson, Gage	13	18	8	26.0	2.0-9	1.0-7	—	1	—	—	1	—	—
3	Hall, Terrell	11	14	11	25.0	1.5-2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
16	Agyekum, Richard	15	15	9	24.0	—	—	1-0	—	—	—	—	—	—
92	Lovett, Cayden	10	15	8	23.0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
95	Lommel, Max	12	6	16	22.0	1.0-7	—	—	—	1	2-0	1	—	—
96	Paulus, Caleb	14	12	9	21.0	6.0-13	1.0-5	—	—	—	—	1	3	—
25	Galetich, Brock	13	14	4	18.0	0.5-1	—	1-12	1	—	—	—	—	—
34	Sheridan, Max	13	10	5	15.0	2.5-4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
46	Olson, Tanner	11	10	2	12.0	3.5-13	2.5-12	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
39	Whaley, Derek	9	9	1	10.0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
42	Hoffman, Colton	12	4	3	7.0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
28	Butt, Charlie	9	2	2	4.0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
94	Prochnow, Miles	7	—	3	3.0	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	—	—
31	Rogers, Cole	2	2	1	3.0	1.0-4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
37	Bryant, Keondre	2	1	1	2.0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
47	Fournier, Connor	13	2	—	2.0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
40	Jaeger, Matthew	15	2	—	2.0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
78	Dietel, Dom	1	1	—	1.0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
15	Ekern, Hayden	15	—	1	1.0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
13	Emanuel, Isaiah	14	1	—	1.0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
56	Gribble, Nathan	11	—	1	1.0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
84	Guyett, Grant	15	1	—	1.0	1.0-1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
12	Thompson, Mitchell	4	1	—	1.0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
74	Veney, Deontae	15	1	—	1.0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
5	Anger, Tony	15	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
24	Backer, Sam	15	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
87	Cicero, Jake	11	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
8	Hagen, Gabe	13	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
26	Henderson, Carter	13	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1	Howard, Jeremiah	13	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
49	Kalman, Jack	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
19	May, Neal	13	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
TM	Team	15	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
23	Vasser, Christian	15	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
6	Watson, TreShawn	15	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total		15	617	326	943.0	78.0-318	25.0-193	11-123	40	11	5-81	8	6	—
Opponents		15	604	412	1,016.0	62.0-276	18.0-114	10-192	42	20	5-0	11	5	1