

1965 Sugar Bowl Team Stats, January 1, 1965

	LSU	Syracuse
First Downs	11	10
Rushing	8	9
Passing	3	1
By Penalty	0	0
Rushing Yards (Net)	161	151
Attempts	46	35
Avg. Per Play	3.5	4.3
Yards Gained	183	157
Yards Lost	22	6
Passing Yards	114	52
Attempted	15	20
Completed	6	8
Had Intercepted	1	1
Total Offense Yards	275	203
Scrimmage Plays Run	61	55
Avg. Per Play	4.5	3.7
Fumbles-Lost	4-0	3-1
Penalties-Yards	4-46	5-55
Punts-Yards (Avg.)	9-326 (36.2)	6-225 (37.5)
Total Return Yardage		
Punt Returns	3-17	3-15
Kick Returns	3-48	3-32
Interception Returns	1-1	1-4
Fumble Returns	0-0	0-0
Time of Possession	NA	NA

FINAL INDIVIDUAL FOOTBALL STATISTICS

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LSU

Syracuse

RUSHING

Player	Att.	Gain	Loss	Net
Labruzzo	10	28	3	25
Schwab	17	81	0	81
J. Betts	13	23	5	18
Screen	6	35	14	21
Ezell	3	16	0	16
TOTALS	46	183	22	161

RUSHING

Player	Att.	Gain	Loss	Net
Name	15	70	0	70
Mahle	7	23	0	23
Little	8	46	6	40
King	3	9	0	9
DUCKETT	2	9	0	9
TOTALS	35	157	6	151

PASSING

Player	Att.	Comp.	Intc.	Yds.
Screen	10	4	1	47
Ezell	5	2	0	67
TOTALS	15	6	1	114

PASSING

Player	Att.	Comp.	Intc.	Yds.
King	15	6	0	41
Mahle	5	2	1	11
TOTALS	20	8	1	52

PASS RECEIVING

Player	No.	Yds.	TD
Schwab	1	15	0
Labruzzo	2	45	0
Moreau	2	54	1
PIBETH	1	0	0
TOTALS	6	114	1

PASS RECEIVING

Player	No.	Yds.	TD
Mahle	3	15	0
Clarke	1	11	0
Little	1	5	0
CRIPPS	2	18	0
ELLIOTT	1	3	0
TOTALS	8	52	0

PUNTING

KICKOFF RETURNS

Player	No.	Avg.	Player	No.	Yds.
Brown	9	40.7	Labruzzo	3	48

PUNTING

KICKOFF RETURNS

Player	No.	Avg.	Player	No.	Yds.
King	6	37.5	Healy	1	10
			Mahle	1	13
			Elliott	1	9

PUNT RETURNS

PASS INTERC.

Player	No.	Yds.	Player	No.	Yds.
Graves	1	4	Graves	1	1
Labruzzo	2	13			

PUNT RETURNS

PASS INTERC.

Player	No.	Yds.	Player	No.	Yds.
Mahle	1	8	Holman	1	4
Little	2	7			

Weather: Temperature-70 degrees. Winds easterly 6 mph. Bright & Sunny

Captains: LSU - Richard Granier (50)
Syracuse--Rich King (23) and Billy Hunter (49)

Toss: LSU won toss, elected to receive. Syracuse will defend South Goal and will kick off.

FIRST QUARTER

~~Time~~
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1:00 p.m.

Smith will kick off for Syracuse to LSU 12, Schwab fumbled and recovered and returns to LSU 22. LSU suffers 11-yard penalty clipping to LSU 11, Smith and Stecker making stop

LSU
L11 1-10 McHester (Archer-Fair) at lt gains 4 to L15
L15 2-6 Labruzzo at rg (Berling) gains 2 to L23
L13 3-8 Brown punts to midfield for 37-yard kick, Brown no return stopped by Granier

Syracuse
mid 1-10 King pass to Mahle (Vincent-Rice) for 9 to L41
L41 2-1 Hance at rg (Rice-Cornier) gains 3 to L38 and first down
L38 1-10 Mahle at le (Vincent-Rodrigue) gains 5 to L33
L33 2-5 Little at re (Rodrigue-Joseph) gains 8 to L25 and first down
L25 1-10 Little at re (Vincent-Joseph) gains 18 to L7 and first down
L7 1-g Mahle at le (Rodrigue-Graves) gains 2 to L5, no play, Syracuse suffers 15-yard holding penalty to L19
L19 1-20 King pass to Clarke (Vincent) complete for 11 to L8
L8 2-g Little at rt (Pillow-Moore) gains 1 to L7
L7 3-g King pass to Clarke in end zone broken up by Joseph
L7 4-g Smith (Chamovets holds) kicks 23-yard field goal with 9:10 to play in first quarter.

Syracuse 3, LSU 0

Smith kicks to LSU 8, Labruzzo returns to L22 for 14 yards, Brown making the stop

LSU
L22 1-10 Schwab at lg (Roe) gains 9 to L31, LSU suffers 15-yard penalty personal foul to L16
L16 2-16 McHester at rt fumbles and recovers for loss of 1 to L15
Ellan recovers
L15 3-17 Schwab at middle (Brown) gains 6 to L21
L21 4-11 Brown punts to 34, Granier recovers Mahle's fumble. Kick for 37 yards. No return for Mahle (7:14)



LSU
S42 1-10 Labruzzo at re (Fair) gains 3 to S39
S39 2-7 Schwab at re (Bogenhagen) gains 1 to S38
S38 3-6 Screen pass to Labruzzo incomplete
S38 4-6 Brown punts to S3 for kick of 35 yards, LSU groundball

Syracuse
S3 1-10 Little was thrown in end zone by Rice for LSU safety (T:5:00)
loss for 3 yards

Score: Syracuse 3, LSU 2

King punts to LSU 27, Labruzzo returns to 147, stopped by Rice

LSU
147 1-10 DiBetta at rg (Fair) gains 1 to 148
148 2-9 Ezell pass to Moreau broken up by Hunter
148 3-9 Ezell pass intended for Moreau incomplete
148 4-9 Brown punts to Syracuse end zone for kick of 32 yards

Syracuse
S20 1-10 King at lt (Bass) gains 4 to S24
S24 2-6 Nance at middle (Fussell) gains 3 to S27
S27 3-3 Mahle at lo (Craves) gains 2 to S29
S29 4-1 King punts out of bounds on 144 for kick of 27 yards

LSU
144 1-10 Screen pass to Labruzzo broken up by Brown
144 2-10 Labruzzo at lg (Cheynowski) gains 5 to 149
149 3-5 Screen block to pass, forced to run at re (Hunter) for gain
of 6 and first down on Syracuse 45

S45 1-10 DiBetta at lo (Stecker) gains 2 to S43
S43 2-8 DiBetta at rg (Smith) gains 3 to S40
S40 3-5 Screen pass intended for Moreau incomplete
S40 4-5 Brown punts blocked by Reilly, Clarke recovers and runs for
touchdown from 28-yard line of LSU (T: 4 seconds)
Smith (Chernovets holds) converts.

Syracuse 10, LSU 2

Smith kicks off for Syracuse to LSU 6, Labruzzo (Fair) returns 14
to LSU 20 as first quarter ends.

Syracuse 10, LSU 2

LSU

L20 1-10 Labruzzo at lt gains 3 to L23, stopped by Dzielonaki
 L23 2-7 Ezell at lt (Krok) gains 4 to L27
 L27 3-3 Labruzzo (Cheyanski) at 2 rt loses 1 to L26
 L26 4-4 Brown punts to S18, Mable (Tread air) returns to S26
 punt for 34 56 yards, return for 8 yards

Syracuse

S26 1-10 Mable atlg (Duhon) gains 1 to S27
 S27 2-9 King pass intended for Mable in clear incomplete
 S27 3-9 King pass to Mable complete (Vine out) for 2 to S29
 S29 4-7 King punt to LSU 34, Killorin groundball afterkick of 37 yards

LSU

L34 1-10 Fambrough carries for gain of 1, no play, Syracuse 5-yards
 offside to L39
 L39 1-5 DiBetta at lg run out of bounds by Roe and Holman for no gain
 L39 2-5 DiBetta at rg (Archer) gains 4 to L43
 L43 3-1 DiBetta at rg gains 3 to L46 and first down stopped by Hunter
 L46 1-10 DiBetta at lg (Stecker) loses 2 to L44
 L44 2-12 DiBetta at rg (Cheyanski) gains 3 to L47
 L47 3-9 Screen pass to Schwab (Brown) for 15 and first down at Syracuse 38
 S38 1-10 Screen keeps (Smith) for ~~xxxxxxxxxxxx~~ gain of 1 to S37
 S37 2-9 Schwab at rg (Smith) gains 3 to ~~S34~~ S34
 S34 3-6 Screen back to pass, tackled by Archer, fumbled and recovered
 for loss of 12 to S46
 S46 4-18 Brown punts to Syracuse 2, ball grounded by Russell.
 kick for 44 yards

Syracuse

S2 1-10 Nance at lt (Collie) gains 2 to S4
 S4 2-8 Little at rt (~~xxxx~~Vincent) gains 2 to S6
 S6 3-6 King pass intended for Little almost intercepted by ~~xxxx~~ and ~~xxxx~~
 S6 4-6 King punting from own end and ~~xxxx~~ kicks to S42, Labruzzo signals
 fair catch - 36-yard punt

LSU

S42 1-10 Screen pass to Labruzzo in open over shoots mark
 S42 2-10 Screen pass to Labruzzo thrown out of bounds
 S42 3-10 Screen pass intended for Vairin intercepted on S31 by Holman
 who returns 4 to S35, stopped by Vairin (4:17 to play in half)

Syracuse

S35 1-10 Nance at lg (Rice-Vincent) gains 3 to S38
 S38 2-7 King pass intended for Elliott broken up by Joseph
 S38 3-7 King pass intended for Little, who drops ball on LSU 23
 S38 4-7 King punts to LSU 12, Labruzzo returns to L16 - kick 50 yards
 Fair makes tackle

W.S.U. vs Syracuse

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HALFTIME STATISTICS

TEAM STATISTICS

	<u>W.S.U.</u>	<u>Syracuse</u>
Total First Downs	4	3
Net Yards Gained Rushing	62	53
Number Passes Attempted	10	8
Number Passes Completed	1	3
Number Passes Had Intercepted	1	0
Net Yards Gained Passing	15	22
TOTAL OFFENSE YARDAGE	77	75
Number Times Punted	8	4
Punting Average, Yards	35.3	37.5
Total Yards Penalized	2-26	3-25
Number Own Fumbles Lost	0	1

INDIVIDUAL LEADERS

W.S.U.

Player	Att.	Gain	Loss	Net
Labruzzo	7	23	3	20
Schwab	6	32	0	32
DiBetta	2	16	3	13
Green	4	7	14	-7
Ezell	1	4	0	4

Syracuse

Player	Att.	Gain	Loss	Net
Nance	5	12	0	12
Mahle	3	7	0	7
Little	6	32	2	30
King	1	4	0	4

Player	Att.	Compl.	Int.	Yds.
Green	7	1	1	15
Ezell	3	0	0	0

Player	Att.	Compl.	Int.	Yds.
King	8	3	0	22

Player	No.	Yds.	TD
Schwab	1	15	0

Player	No.	Yds.	TD
Mahle	1	7	0
Oliver	1	15	0

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LSU

116 1-10 Labruzzo at lg (Holman) gains 8 to 124
124 2-2 Schwab at rg (Holman) gains 11 to 135 and first down

135 1-10 Schwab at rg (Archer) gains 2 to 137
137 2-8 Ezell pass intended for Moreau short on target
137 3-8 Syracuse penalized 5 yards illegal procedure to 142
142 3-3 Screen (Krok) back to pass, forgets run, loses 2 to 140
140 4-5 Brown punts to Syracuse 18, Little returns 2 to S20, Trossclair makes tackle. Kick 42 yards

Syracuse

S20 1-10 Little at rg (Rice) gains 4 to S24
S24 2-6 Nance atlg (Simmons) gains 1 to S25 as second period ends.

Syracuse 10, LSU 2

(Second period ended at 2:07 p.m.)

Leading Tacklers

<u>LSU</u>	Tackles	Assists	<u>Syracuse</u>	Tackles	Assists
Rice	3	2	Stecker	4	3
Duhon	3	0	Krok	3	2
Vinc ent	2	5	Cheyanski	3	2
			C. Brown	2	4

Estimated attendance: 65,000



Prudhomme kicks for LSU to Syracuse 10, Healey returns to S19, after fumble and recovery

Syracuse

S19 1-10 Nance at lg gains 9 to S28, stopped by Vincent
 S28 2-1 Nance (Prudhomme) at lg no gain
 S28 3-1 Nance at rt gains 7 to S35 (Pillar) and first down
 S35 1-10 Mahle at rt (Vincent) gains 6 to S41
 S41 2-4 Little at re sweep (Vincent) gains 17 to L42, no play
 Syracuse 15-yard penalty to S30 holding
 S30 2-15 Mahle (Vincent) at re gains 6 to S36
 S36 3-9 Mahle pass to Little (Vincent) for 5 to S41
 S41 4-4 King punts to LSU 25, Graves fumbles and recovers for no return
 kick for 34 yards stopped by Killoran

LSU

Schwab

L25 1-10 ~~Walker~~ at lt (Holman) gains 8 to L33
 L33 2-2 Schwab at rg (Smith) gains 1 to L34
 L34 3-1 Labruzzo at rg (Cheyanski) gains 3 to L37 and first down
 L37 1-10 Schwab (Cheyanski) at rg gains 2 to L39
 L39 2-8 ~~X~~ Zell pass to Labruzzo (Smith) gains 10 to L49 and first down
 L49 1-10 Schwab at rg (Holman) gains 7 to S44
 S44 2-3 Labruzzo at rt gains 2 to S42 (Archer) - no play, LSU 15-yards
 holding to L43
 L43 2-16 ~~X~~ Zell pass to Moore, who caught ball on S25 and ran for 6,
 Play was good for 57 yards - Time: 7:37
 Zell pass to Labruzzo for 2-pt extra point play
 XX Drive was for 75 yards in 7 plays

Syracuse 10, ~~XX~~ LSU 10

Cox kicks for LSU to Syracuse 10, Nance fumbles, Mahle recovers and returns to S23 for return of 13 yards ~~XXXXXXXXXX~~ tackled by Moore

Syracuse

S23 1-10 Nance at lt (Colle-Vincent) gains 7 to S30
 S30 2-3 Duckett (Maggiore) at lg gains 5 to S35 and first down
 S35 1-10 Nance at middle (Colle) goes 20 to L45 and first down
 L45 1-10 Duckett at middle (Rodrigue) gains 4 to L41
 L41 2-6 Nance (Rodrigue) at rg gains 3 to L38
 L38 3-3 Mahle (Vincent) at lg gains 4 to L34 and first down (Tr 3:45)
 L34 1-10 Little on pitchout from Mahle at re loses 3 to L37 (Maree)
 L37 2-13 Mahle pass to Cripps complete (Colle) gains ~~XXXXXXXXXX~~ 6 to L31
 L31 3-7 Mahle pass to Cripps incomplete
 L31 4-7 King pass to Cripps (Joseph) complete for 12 to L49 and first down

LSU 1-10 ~~Walt~~ Nance at lg (Trosclair) ~~strikes~~ gains 2 to L17
 L17 2-8 Nance at rt (Rodrigue) gains 4 to L13
 L13 3-4 Mahle pass intended for Cripps intercepted by Graves on LSU
~~knocked out of bounds~~ 5, returns 1 to LSU 6, knocked out of bounds by
 Cripps with 13 seconds left in half of 1st.

LSU
 L6 1-10 Schwab at lg (Heath) gains 5 to L11 as third period ends. (2:59)

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Syracuse 10, LSU 10

FOURTH QUARTER

(3:00)

L11 2-5 Schwab (Archer) at rg gains 2 to L13
 L13 3-3 Esoll drives off lg for 5 to L18 (Heath) and first down

L18 1-10 Schwab at lt (Holman) gains 7 to L25
 L25 2-3 Labrusso (Krok) at rg ~~gk~~ no gain
 L25 3-3 DiBetta (Krok) at lg gains 1 to L26
 L26 4-2 Brown punts to S31, Little returns to S34, Syracuse suffers
 15-yard clipping penalty to S20 - kick for 43 yards

Syracuse

S20 1-10 Mahle (Maggiore) at lt held for no gain
 S20 2-10 King (Moore) at rt gains 1 to S21
 S21 3-9 King pass to Mahle, who laterals to Nance on S26, runs for
 9 13 yards - 4-yard pass and 9-yard run and first down

S34 1-10 Nance at lc (Collie) gains 2 to S36
 S36 2-8 King pass intended for Mahle broken up by Bass
 S36 3-8 King back to pass forced to run at re gains 4 to S40 (Cox)
 S40 4-4 King punts to LSU 19, Labrusso (McCard) returns 9 to L28 - 41-yard

LSU

L28 1-10 DiBetta (Jajuga) at middle no gain
 L28 2-10 DiBetta on pitchout from Screen loses 2 to L26 stopped by Smith
 L26 3-12 X Screen sweeps re for 23 to L49 and first down run out of bounds
 by Smith

L49 1-10 Screen pass to Moreau (Smith) loses 3 to L46
 L46 2-13 Screen pass to DiBetta (Krok) for no gain
 L46 3-13 X Screen pass to Labrusso (Holman) for 35 and first down on S19

S19 1-10 Labrusso at re ~~gains~~ gains 2 to S17
 S19 2-10 DiBetta at re gains 6 to S11, LSU 5-yard penalty to S16
 S16 3-27 Screen (Smith) at lc ~~gains~~ gains 4 5 to S11
 S11 4-2 X Moreau (Esoll holds) kicks 28-yard field goal with 3:50 to play

LSU 13, Syracuse 10



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Cox kicks off for LSU to Syracuse 24, Elliott returns 9 to S33 stopped by Maggiere

Syracuse

S33 1-10 Little at rt (Duhon) gains 4 to S37
 S37 2-6 King pass to Elliott (Vincent) gains 3 to S40
 S40 3-3 Nance at lg (Rodrigue) gains 4 to S44 and first down
 S44 1-10 King pass intended for Little thrown out of bounds
 S44 2-10 King pass intended for Nance overshot
 S44 3-10 Mahle pass intended for Clarke incomplete (overshot)
 S44 4-10 King pass intended for Little broken up by Rice, who hit King's arm
 S44 LSU takes over on downs at Syracuse 44 with 1:45 to play

LSU

S44 1-10 Schwab at middle stopped by Smith after 3-yard gain to S41
 S41 2-7 Schwab at rg (Cheyanski) gains 7 to S34 and first down
 S34 1-10 Schwab at middle (Smith) gains 4 to S30
 S30 2-6 Baell (Smith) at rg gains 7 to S23 and first down
 S23 1-10 Schwab at lg (Eberling) gains 3 to S20 as game ends. (7:3:33)

Final Score: LSU 13 - Syracuse 10

LEADING TACKLERS

LSU	Tackles	Assists	Syracuse	Tackles	Assists
Vincent	7	10	Krek	7	5
Rodrigue	4	7	Smith	6	6
Rice	3	5	Smith Cheyanski	6	3
Joseph	2	5	Fair	5	3
Collie	2	4	Holman	4	4
Bass	2	4	C. Brown	4	4
Treadwell	1	5	Eberling	4	3
			Stecker	4	