



Texas A&M Football Post Game Notes

at No. 3/3 Texas A&M 31, South Carolina 30

Kyle Field, Bryan-College Station, Texas

Saturday, Nov. 15, 2025

Attendance: 108,582

About the Victory

- The 27-point rally by the Aggies was the largest in school history, breaking the old record of 21 points in the Aggies' 52-48 win over Duke in 2013 Chick-fil-A Bowl. The Aggies trailed the Blue Devils 38-17 at halftime of the game before rallying for the victory.
- With the 31-30 victory, the Aggies improved to 10-0 for the first time since 1992 and logged the program's first 10-win season 2012 (11-3). Texas A&M has five 10-0 starts in its history, with the 2025 team matching the starts by the 1992, 1975, 1939 and 1919 Aggies. The Aggies posted their 13th 10-win season in school history.
- Texas A&M's 10-game win streak marks the first double-digit win streak for the program since the Aggies won 11 straight over the 2020-21 seasons.
- Texas A&M is 7-0 in SEC play for the first time and have won 7-plus league games for the second time. Only the 2020 team has won more league games with an 8-1 worksheet in the SEC-only pandemic season. It's the first time the Aggies have reached 7-0 in conference play in any league since R.C. Slocum's team were undefeated in Southwest Conference play from 1991-93.
- Today's attendance of 108,582 was the largest of the season and fifth-largest in Kyle Field history. It was the Aggies' ninth straight crowd in excess of 100,000 and the largest crowd ever at Kyle Field with an 11 a.m. kickoff.
- According to the ESPN broadcast, SEC teams were 0-286 when trailing by 27-plus points since 2004.

Offense

- Redshirt sophomore QB **Marcel Reed** passed for a career-high 439 yards, including 316 in the second half while rallying the Aggies from a 27-point halftime deficit. It was Reed's first 400-yard passing game, eclipsing his previous best of 361 vs. Oklahoma State in the 2023 Texas Bowl. For the game, Reed connected on 22-of-39 attempts and three touchdowns while adding 13 rushing yards for a career-high 452 total yards.
- Reed used nine different receivers to reach his career passing high.
- In the second half, Reed directed four scoring drives while completing 16-of-20 passes for 316 yards and two touchdowns.
- After an 0-6 effort on third-down tries in the first half, Reed was a perfect 5-of-5 on third- and fourth-down conversion attempts in the first two stanzas.
- Wide receivers **KC Concepcion** and **Ashton Bethel-Roman** both eclipsed the 100-yard mark in receiving yards, marking the first time since 2023 that the Aggies have had a pair with 100-plus yards. Concepcion, the Paul Hornung Award finalist, had a career-high 158 yards on seven receptions, which included three receptions of 30-plus yards. Bethel-Roman tallied his first career 100-yard game with 139 yards and a touchdown on four catches.

- Concepcion and Bethel-Roman combined for 297 receiving yards, marking highest total for an Aggie duo since **Christian Kirk** and **Jhamon Ausbon** combined for 301 in the 2017 Belk Bowl against Wake Forest.
- Concepcion finished the game with 200 all-purpose yards, which was his career high breaking the old best of 186 vs. North Carolina in 2023.
- Texas A&M finished with 503 total yards with 371 yards coming in the final two quarters. It was the team's second game with 500-plus this season and ninth straight game with 400-plus total yards.
- Redshirt freshman WR **Izaiah Williams** scored his first career touchdown on a 27-yard connection from QB Marcel Reed on the opening drive of the second half. Today's game marked Williams' first catches of the season as he finished the game with 50 yards on three catches, all career highs.
- Redshirt sophomore RB **Rueben Owens II** became the 53rd Aggie reach the 1,000-yard mark in career rushing yards in his 25th career game.

Defense

- Texas A&M shut out the Gamecocks in the second half while limiting them to 76 yards on 26 plays in the third and fourth quarters. USC was 2-of-10 on third- and fourth-down tries in the second half.
- After being held without a sack in the first three quarters, Texas A&M posted 4.0 in the fourth stanza with four Aggies getting the crucial take-downs – DE **Cashius Howell**, DT **Tyler Onyedim**, CB **Will Lee III** and DE **Dayon Hayes**.
- **Cashius Howell** recorded a career high three pass breakups while also chipping in four tackles and a sack. The sack on South Carolina's final drive moved his season total of 11.5, which is the most by an Aggie since **Myles Garrett** had 11.5 in 2014.
- Junior LB **Taurean York** tallied a team-high eight tackles, including five solo stops, with 1.5 tackles for loss.
- Junior S **Dalton Brooks** grabbed his first interception of the season and the third of his career.

Special Teams

- Graduate student PK **Randy Bond** tallied the 70th field goal of his career with a 40-yarder in the first quarter. He became the second Aggie to reach the 70-FG plateau, joining Seth Small who connected on 71 from 2018-21.
- Redshirt sophomore P **Tyler White** averaged 44.0 yards on three first-half punts and deposited two inside the SC 20-yard line.