

KANSAS MEN'S BASKETBALL

POSTGAME NOTES



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6/6 KANSAS (9-1) AT RV/RV MISSOURI (9-1)
COLUMBIA, MO. // MIZZOU ARENA
DECEMBER 10, 2022

KU STARTERS (CAREER STARTS)

Dajuan Harris Jr. (51) Gradey Dick (10) Jalen Wilson (63) Kevin McCullar (58) KJ Adams Jr. (11)

SERIES INFO: Kansas leads, 176-95

THE WIN..

- Makes Kansas 9-1 or better for the second-straight season, the fourth time in the last five years and 12th time in head coach Bill Self's 20 seasons at KU.
- Extended Kansas' win streak against Missouri to four games. The Jayhawks have won nine of the last 10 and 14 of the last 16 meetings against Missouri dating back to March 6, 2006.
- Improved Kansas' record to 68-57 all-time in Columbia, including 5-4 in Mizzou Arena.
- Made Bill Self 18-4 against Missouri, including a 6-4 mark in Columbia.
- Makes Kansas 2,366-878 all-time.

TEAM NOTES

- Kansas' 28-point win was its second-largest margin of victory ever in Columbia (125 games), only behind a 91-58 (+33) win on Feb. 16. 1957.
- Kansas scored a season-high 95 points in the victory. The Jayhawks have set a new season high in points in back-to-back games (91 vs. Seton Hall on Dec. 1).
- Kansas shot a season-best 57.4 percent (35-of-61) from the field, which is the team's best since shooting 64.1 percent (41-of-64) on Feb. 22, 2022 vs. Kansas State. It is the best on the road since shooting a 58.3 percent (28-of-48) clip at No. 20 Texas on Feb. 7, 2022 and the best in non-conference play in a true road game since Jan. 7, 2007 at South Carolina (58.5 percent).
- The 57.4 percent shooting from the floor was also the best in Columbia since at least the 1996-97 season.
- Kansas forced 21 Missouri turnovers, including 13 steals from the Tigers. The Jayhawks have double-digit steals in back-to-back games for the first time since Nov. 26-28, 2021 vs. Dayton/lona.
- Kansas dished out a season-high-tying 24 assists (Nov. 7 vs. Omaha).
- Kansas scored a season-high 50 points in the first half.
- Kansas has led by 10 or more points at the half in each of its last three games and six times this season.
- After missing its first two field goal attempts of the game, Kansas made 11 straight field goals to build a 28-14 lead with 12:57 remaining in the first half.

INDIVIDUAL NOTES

- Redshirt junior Jalen Wilson recorded his sixth double-double of the season, finishing with team highs of 24 points and 10 rebounds, two assists and three steals in 33 minutes. His 22 career double-doubles ties him for ninth on the Kansas all-time career double-doubles list, with Udoka Azubuike (2017-20) and Dedric Lawson (2018-19). Wilson has scored 20+ points in six games this season and 13 times in his career.
- Wilson has 221 points on the season, which is the most by a KU player through the first 10 games since at least the 1996-97 season.
- Redshirt senior Kevin McCullar Jr. recorded a season-high 21 points on 8-of-12 (.667) shooting, four rebounds, three assists and a season-high five steals in 28 minutes. McCullar Jr. has knocked down multiple three-pointers in consecutive games and in four of his last five games played.
- Sophomore KJ Adams Jr. posted a career-high 19 points on 9-of-11 (81.8 percent) shooting, six rebounds, three assists and two steals in 32 minutes. Adams Jr. has set a new career high in points in back-to-back games (11 pts vs. Seton Hall). He also has multiple steals in consecutive games.
- Freshman Gradey Dick contributed 16 points on 6-of-11 (54.5 percent) shooting and career highs of seven rebounds and five assists in 32 minutes. Dick made three triples marking the seventh game this season he has multiple three-pointers in a game.
- Redshirt junior Dajuan Harris Jr. dished out a team-high nine assists to go along with six points, two rebounds and two steals in 32 minutes. This is the eighth time he posted five or more assists in a game this season.
- Super-senior Cam Martin appeared in first career game as a Jayhawk.

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