

Post-Game Notes
Stanford at Washington
Husky Stadium, Sept. 24, 2022

Washington has scored a touchdown on its first offensive possession in each game so far this season. In fact, the Huskies have scored on 17 of 20 first-half possessions over four games, with 14 of those 17 being touchdowns.

Tonight, the Huskies had only one offensive possession that ended in the first quarter (their second spanned the first and second periods), and it was a touchdown. UW has scored a touchdown on eight of nine possessions that ended in the first quarter this year.

Washington has also scored on its first possession of the second half in all four games this season, with a touchdown in each of the first three games, and a field goal tonight against the Cardinal.

Washington punted with 6:32 left in the second quarter, marking the first time in four games this season that the Huskies have punted prior to halftime.

In the first 11 minutes of the first quarter (during Stanford's first two possessions), Washington's defense recorded four quarterback sacks. Washington had collected seven sacks in total over the season's first three games. The Huskies recorded two more sacks in the second quarter to finish the first half with six, one shy of their season total prior to tonight.

UW finished with eight sacks, most in a single game since notching eight vs. Montana in 2017.

Rome Oduzne finished with a career-high 161 receiving yards. UW has had four DIFFERENT wide receivers record a 100-yard game in just four games this season, as Jalen McMillan, Ja'Lynn Polk and Giles Jackson have all surpassed 100 yards in a game.

Cornerback Davon Banks made his first Husky start today, in place of injured Mishael Powell. Three of the five players who started the opener this season in the UW secondary did not play today (Jordan Perryman, Asa Turner, Mishael Powell).

Virginia grad transfer running back Wayne Taulapapa had 99 yards rushing heading into halftime, already new career-high at Washington or in his four seasons at UVa. His previous best was 95 yards vs. Duke in 2020.

Taulapapa finished the game with a career-high 120 yards, marking the first 100-yard rushing outing by a UW back since Sean McGrew ran for 114 last season in the win at Stanford.

Washington has outscored opponents 108-31 in the first half this season, including 51-7 in the first quarter.

Washington has gone 3-and-out (three plays, no first downs, ending with a punt) in three out of 45 offensive possessions this year.

The last time that Washington opened a season 4-0 was in 2017, when the Huskies started out 6-0.