

NEBRASKA

2009 CORNHUSKER FOOTBALL

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2009 NEBRASKA SCHEDULE

Date	Opponent (TV)	Time/Result
Sept. 5	Florida Atlantic (FSN PPV)	W, 49-3
Sept. 12	Arkansas State (FSN PPV)	W, 38-9
Sept. 19	at Virginia Tech (ABC)	L, 16-15
Sept. 26	Louisiana-Lafayette (FSN PPV)	W, 55-0
Oct. 8	at Missouri (ESPN)	W, 27-12
Oct. 17	Texas Tech (ABC)	L, 31-10
Oct. 24	Iowa State (FSN)	L, 9-7
Oct. 31	at Baylor (Versus)	W, 20-10
Nov. 7	Oklahoma (ABC)	W, 10-3
Nov. 14	at Kansas (ABC)	W, 31-17
Nov. 21	Kansas State (ESPN)	W, 17-3
Nov. 27	at Colorado (ABC)	2:30 p.m.
Dec. 5	Big 12 Championship Game vs. Texas (ABC)	7 p.m.

All times Central and subject to change

TELEVISION

ABC-HD

Ron Franklin, Play-by-Play
Ed Cunningham, Analyst



RADIO

Husker Sports Network

Greg Sharpe, Play-by-Play
Adrian Fiala, Color
Matt Davison, Color
Lane Grindle, Sidelines



INTERNET

Huskers.com

Husker Sports Network free audio
Live stats, game-day information, photo galleries



OTHER

Satellite Radio

Sirius Channel 122, XM 143 (Nebraska)



A NUMBERS GAME

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Nebraska has won six straight games in the month of November, including all three games this month. NU is 6-1 in November under Head Coach Bo Pelini and is 8-1 in games played on or after Nov. 1 under the second-year head coach.



HUSKERS

Record: 8-3, 5-2

Rankings:

Coaches-23

AP-not ranked

Last Game:

def. Kansas St., 17-3

Coach: Bo Pelini

Career/NU Record:

18-7/2nd year

vs. Colorado: 1-0

GAME 12:

NEBRASKA AT

COLORADO

Nov. 27, 2009 | FOLSOM FIELD
BOULDER, COLO. | 2:30 P.M. (CST)



BUFFALOES

Record: 3-8, 2-5

Rankings:

not ranked

Last Game:

lost to Oklahoma St., 31-28

Coach: Dan Hawkins

Career/NU Record:

108-55-1, 14th season/

16-32, fourth season

vs. Nebraska: 1-2

GAME INFORMATION

Television: ABC-HD

Radio: Husker Sports Network

Stadium: Folsom Field

Capacity: 53,750

Surface: Natural Grass

Series Record: NU leads, 47-18-2

Last Meeting: NU 40, Colorado 31

Nov. 28, 2008 in Lincoln

THE MATCHUP

A Cornhusker Thanksgiving tradition continues on Friday afternoon, as Nebraska travels to Boulder, Colo., for its regular-season finale against Colorado. The game marks the 20th straight season the Huskers have played on the day after Thanksgiving, including 14 meetings with Colorado.

Nebraska enters the game with an 8-3 overall record and a 5-2 record in Big 12 play, following a 17-3 triumph over Kansas State in Lincoln last Saturday night. The victory clinched the Big 12 North Division crown for Nebraska and secured a trip to the Dec. 5 Dr. Pepper Big 12 Championship Game in Arlington, Texas, where the Huskers will face third-ranked Texas.

Colorado enters the game with a 3-8 record and a 2-5 mark in Big 12 action. The Buffs have been solid at home in Big 12 play, winning two of three contests. Colorado is coming off a 31-28 loss at Oklahoma State last Thursday evening, and will have two more days than Nebraska to prepare for Friday's contest.

THE SERIES

Nebraska holds a commanding 47-18-2 all-time edge in the series between the two schools, including a 22-10-2 advantage in Boulder. Nebraska has won six of the past eight meetings in Boulder, but did lose in its last trip to Folsom Field in 2007. This is the 14th straight season the schools have met on the Friday after Thanksgiving.

THE COACHES

Nebraska: Bo Pelini (Ohio State, '90) owns an 18-7 record in his second season with the Huskers. Pelini guided Nebraska to nine wins in his first season as head coach, joining Bob Devaney, Tom Osborne and Frank Solich as the only Nebraska coaches to win nine games in their first season leading the Cornhuskers. Prior to taking over as the Huskers' head coach, Pelini served as defensive coordinator at NU, Oklahoma and LSU. Previously, he had stints as an NFL assistant with San Francisco, New England and Green Bay.

Colorado: Dan Hawkins (UC-Davis, '84) is in his fourth season as Colorado's head coach and owns a 16-32 record with the Buffaloes. Hawkins is in his 14th season overall as a head coach and has a 108-55-1 overall record. Hawkins is 1-2 against Nebraska.

NEBRASKA FOOTBALL

Nebraska is 825-340-40 all-time, one of just seven schools with 800 all-time victories ♦ Nebraska has won five national championships (1970, 1971, 1994, 1995, 1997). ♦ The Cornhuskers have won 43 conference championships. ♦ Nebraska's 45 all-time bowl appearances rank fifth nationally. ♦ Since 1970, Nebraska has 391 wins, 26 more than any other school. ♦ Nebraska's 98 football Academic All-Americans lead the nation. ♦ The Huskers have had 106 All-Americans in school history.



NEBRASKA MEDIA INFORMATION AND POLICIES

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GENERAL POLICIES

► All player and coach interviews must be arranged at least one day in advance through the Husker Media Relations Office. Contact Keith Mann or Jerry Trickie at 402-472-2263. All post-practice interviews will be conducted at the practice site (Memorial Stadium or grass practice field), or just outside the locker room area underneath the North Stadium stands. Interviews will not be conducted in the weight room, Hewitt Center, training room, hallways or the tunnel leading from the locker room to the field. The Nebraska locker room, training room and football office meeting rooms are **OFF-LIMITS** to the media. When arriving for post-practice interviews, media should access Memorial Stadium through the West Stadium entrance, or wait in the Hawks Center lobby if practice is on the grass fields or inside the Hawks Center.

► Players cell phone numbers will **NOT** be given to the media. Requested NU players are available (depending on class schedules) at the Tuesday press conferences from 11:30 a.m.-1 p.m. and after practice on the field on Monday and Tuesday.

► Practices are **closed** to the media and to the general public; however, photographers and videographers are allowed to shoot the stretching period of practice and part of the individual period on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday. Media may stay at practice until the completion of the individual period, then will be asked to leave until practice is completed. A representative from the Media Relations Office will be on hand to assist media present.

► After all games, Nebraska's locker room is closed. Requested players and coaches will be brought to the postgame interview room after a 10-minute cooling off period. At home, the postgame interview room is located in the strength complex of the Osborne Athletic Complex. Media are asked to wait to set up equipment until the conclusion of halftime. On the road, Coach Pelini and requested players and assistant coaches will be brought to the designated interview area. Please note, **NO INTERVIEWS** will be conducted on the field as the players are returning to the locker room.

COACH AND PLAYER AVAILABILITY

(See bottom for Colorado week schedule)

Monday

► Big 12 Teleconference, **Bo Pelini at 11:50 a.m. CT**, Contact Big 12 Communications for the call-in and/or replay numbers. The calls are also available live and archived on the Big 12 web site at big12sports.com.

10 a.m. Mark Mangino, Kansas
10:10 a.m. Bob Stoops, Oklahoma
10:20 a.m. Mike Gundy, Oklahoma State
10:30 a.m. Bill Snyder, Kansas State
10:40 a.m. Gary Pinkel, Missouri
10:50 a.m. Mike Leach, Texas Tech
11 a.m. Art Briles, Baylor
11:10 a.m. Paul Rhoads, Iowa State
11:20 a.m. Mack Brown, Texas
11:30 a.m. Mike Sherman, Texas A&M
11:40 a.m. Dan Hawkins, Colorado
11:50 a.m. **Bo Pelini, Nebraska**

► Coach Pelini, requested assistants and requested players available after practice on field.

Tuesday

► Nebraska Weekly Press/Teleconference, Coach Pelini will be available in person at Memorial Stadium at 11:30 a.m. CT or via teleconference at (888) 820-1398. Call Media Relations Office for the weekly passcode.

► Players will generally follow Coach Pelini at the press conference. Offensive coordinator Shawn Watson and players not requested at press conference will be available after practice on the field.

Wednesday

► Defensive coordinator Carl Pelini, requested assistants available after practice on field.

Thursday

► Coach Pelini available after practice on field.

Friday

► No Media Availability.

Pelini Phone Interviews

► Media wishing to try to arrange a phone interview may contact Keith Mann for availability. Please contact the Media Relations Office the week prior to the requested time for interview.

Player Phone Interviews

► Out-of-town media requesting phone interviews with Nebraska players should contact Keith Mann or Jerry Trickie with those requests no later than 2 p.m. CT on Monday of game week. At least two players will also be included on Nebraska's weekly teleconference on Tuesday following Coach Pelini.

Credentials

► Media who have not made credential requests for the upcoming game may do so on-line at Huskers.com/media. Follow the steps on the web site to complete the application. You will receive an e-mail confirming your application, and approval/denial e-mail. Contact Vicki Cartwright at (402) 472-2263 with questions.

Huskers.com

► Huskers.com is the official site of Nebraska Athletics and includes updated stats, game notes, depth chart (Tuesday) and extensive quotes and audio clips from Nebraska's Tuesday press conference, including Coach Pelini and selected Nebraska players in the afternoon, and NU coordinators following practice.

Teleconference/Satellite Feed

► Selected Nebraska press conferences will be available via satellite. Please call or e-mail the Nebraska Media Relations Office for more details.

All of Coach Pelini's press conference are available via teleconference and video is available through Huskers.com. Two or three players will be on the call immediately following Pelini.

Player/Coach Mug Shots

► Husker color digital mugs can be downloaded directly to your system for media usage. The head shots are available for media use at Huskers.com (go to football page, go to roster bios, click on bio, when picture appears, click on the magnifying glass below the picture, then click the word "larger".) Action photos and/or a CD of Nebraska mug shots may be obtained by calling or e-mailing the Nebraska Media Relations Office.

Media Guide and Supplement Own-Line

► PDF versions of the 2009 Nebraska media guide and media supplement are available on Huskers.com. Please go to the "Football" page, on the left menu, click on "Media Guides" and proceed.

Bank of the West Nebraska Football Show

► Head Coach Bo Pelini and host Greg Sharpe review each Nebraska football game on the Bank of the West Nebraska Football Show. The show airs on Sunday evenings in Omaha and Lincoln on WOWT and KOLN/KGIN, respectively.

GAME 12: NEBRASKA VS. COLORADO (NOV. 23-27)

Monday, Nov. 23	Tuesday, Nov. 24	Wednesday, Nov. 25	Thursday, Nov. 26	Friday, Nov. 27	Saturday, Nov. 28
<u>Big 12 Teleconference</u> 10 a.m.—Call begins 11:50 a.m.—Bo Pelini <u>Press Conference</u> 11 a.m.—Lunch 11:20 a.m.—Bo Pelini 11:40-12:45 p.m.—Players <i>Available via teleconference</i> <u>Practice-app. 4 p.m.</u> <i>Open thru individual period</i> Coach Watson, requested players, requested assts.	<u>Practice</u> 3:45 - 5:45 p.m. <i>Open thru individual period</i> Def. coordinator Carl Pelini, requested assistants/select players available after practice	<u>Practice</u> Time 3:45-5:45 p.m. Coach Pelini available after practice <u>Big Red Breakfast-Omaha</u> 7 a.m.—Ron Brown <u>Coach Pelini Radio Show</u> 7 p.m.—Husker Sports Network (Marvin Sanders)	Walk-Thru at Memorial Stadium in afternoon (closed to media) Travel to Boulder via charter airplane	<u>Game #12</u> Nebraska at Colorado 2:36 p.m. CT (ABC-HD) <u>Post-Game</u> Coach Pelini is available in the post-game interview area immediately following the game Requested players available immediately following. No Interviews on field.	OFF



NEBRASKA-KANSAS STATE STAT WRAP

Team Stats	KSU	NU
First Downs	19	19
Rushes-Yards	34-140	45-101
Passes	12-33-1	13-19-1
Passing Yards	153	166
Total Offense	293	267
3rd-Down Conversions	3-of-14	7-of-16
Turnovers	2	1
Penalties	7-69	3-34
Sacks	2-24	4-30

NU Rushing Leaders

Roy Helu Jr.—26 carries, 95 yards, TD

Rex Burkhead—6 carries, 17 yards

NU Passing Leader

Zac Lee—13-19-1, 166 yards, TD

NU Receiving Leaders

Niles Paul—4 receptions, 82 yards

Mike McNeill—3 receptions, 26 yards, TD

NU Defensive Leaders

Larry Asante—4 UT, 6 AT, 10 TT, INT, fumble caused

Ndamukong Suh—4 UT, 5 AT, 9 TT, 1.5-6 sacks, 2 PBU, QB hurry

Phillip Dillard—6 UT, 2 AT, 8 TT, 1-9 sacks, FC, PBU, QB hurry

NU Special Teams Leaders

Alex Henery—1-1 FG, 6 punts, 45.5 ypp, 2 inside 20-yard line

Tim Marlowe—2 KOR for 53 yards

2009 BIG 12 STANDINGS

North Division

Team	Records		
	Big 12	Overall	Next Game
Nebraska	5-2	8-3	Kansas State
Kansas St.	4-4	6-6	Season Complete
Missouri	3-4	7-4	vs. Kansas
Iowa St.	3-5	6-6	Reg. Season Complete
Colorado	2-5	3-8	Nebraska
Kansas	1-6	5-6	vs. Missouri

South Division

Team	Records		
	Big 12	Overall	Next Game
Texas	7-0	11-0	at Texas A&M
Oklahoma St.	6-1	9-2	at Oklahoma
Texas Tech	4-3	7-4	vs. Baylor
Oklahoma	4-3	6-5	Oklahoma State
Texas A&M	3-4	6-5	Texas
Baylor	1-6	4-7	vs. Texas Tech

2009 Nebraska Non-Conference Opponents

Team	Record	Next Game
Florida Atlantic	3-7	at Troy
Arkansas State	2-8	at Middle Tennessee
Virginia Tech	8-3	at Virginia
Louisiana-Lafayette	6-5	Louisiana-Monroe

NOTING GAME 11...NEBRASKA 17, KANSAS STATE 3

* Nebraska picked up its fifth straight victory over Kansas State and won for the 20th time in the past 21 meetings in Lincoln. Nebraska is now 78-15-1 all-time against Kansas State.

* Nebraska's win was its sixth straight victory in the month of November and improved the Huskers to 6-1 in November under Head Coach Bo Pelini. NU is 8-1 in games played on or after Nov. 1 under the second-year head coach (including two bowl victories).

* Nebraska won its fourth straight Big 12 game. The four-game winning streak matches NU's four-game streak spanning the last three games of 2008 and this year's win at Missouri. However, this marks the first time Nebraska has won four straight conference games in the same season since 2001 (won first seven games).

* In seven 2009 home games, Nebraska limited the opposition to a total of 58 points. The 8.3 points per game by Nebraska opponents at Memorial Stadium marked just the fourth time since 1980 that NU has held the opposition to less than 10 points per game in Lincoln. The Huskers' home total ranks as the second-lowest since 1980 (8.2 in 1996).

* Nebraska held six of seven opponents in Lincoln to nine or fewer points. Nebraska did not allow a touchdown in the final 10 quarters at home this season, and has not allowed a point in the second half at home since a fourth-quarter touchdown by Texas Tech.

* In Nebraska's final three home games in 2009, the combined point total for both teams was 49.

* Nebraska junior I-back **Roy Helu Jr.** rushed 26 times for 95 yards and a 14-yard touchdown. With his 95 yards, Helu recorded the 29th 1,000-yard rushing season in school history. He now has 1,057 rushing yards this season. Helu also became the 25th Husker with more than 2,000 career rushing yards, as he pushed his career total to 2,069.

* Junior tight end **Mike McNeill** caught three passes for 26 yards. He also grabbed his fourth touchdown of the season and the 10th of his Nebraska career. McNeill pushed his career receptions total to 57, moving him within four receptions of the top 20 on the NU career list. Only three NU tight ends have more career receptions than McNeill.

* Nebraska junior receiver **Niles Paul** had four receptions for 82 yards, including a 47-yard catch in the third quarter to set up an NU touchdown. The 47-yard catch was Paul's eighth of at least 35 yards in 2009. Paul is averaging 19.7 yards per catch, the third-best average yards per catch for a Husker with at least 20 receptions in a season.

* Senior safety **Larry Asante** had a season-high 10 tackles, pushing his career total to 209. His total ties Tyrone Byrd (209) for third place all-time among Nebraska defensive backs. The only two defensive backs in school history with more career tackles are Mike Brown (287) and Daniel Bullocks (226).

* Asante also intercepted a pass in the second quarter for his third career interception and second of 2009. Asante also forced a fumble in the third quarter, ending a KSU scoring threat at the Nebraska 1-yard line.

* Nebraska senior defensive tackle **Ndamukong Suh** finished with nine total tackles, including 1.5 sacks in the fourth quarter. Suh's 1.5 sacks gave him 6.5 on the season and 18.5 in his career. He also pushed his career TFL total to 48, two out of second place. Suh added his ninth and 10th pass breakups of the season – and now has 15 in his career – and also had his 20th QB hurry of the season.

* Alex Henery punted six times for a 45.5-yard average, and downed two punts inside the KSU 3, including a second-quarter punt at the KSU 1 and a fourth-quarter boot to the Wildcat 3.

* Nebraska scored a field goal on its opening drive, covering 56 yards in 16 plays and 7:37. The 16 plays and 7:37 were both season long drives for Nebraska. The score marked the third time in four games NU has scored on its first offensive possession (two FG, one TD).

* Nebraska was a +1 in turnover margin, marking the fourth straight game NU has had a positive turnover margin. In eight wins, Nebraska is a +14, while it is a minus-12 in its three losses.

* KSU completed 12-of-32 passes, marking the eighth time this season NU has held an opponent below 50 percent passing.

INSIDE THE CORNHUSKERS' 2009 SCHEDULE

Date Opponent Time/Result... TV.....SeriesLast Meeting (Site)/Notes

Sept. 5..... Florida Atlantic W, 49-3 FSN PPV.....NU, 1-0Nebraska wins 24th straight season opener/Three points allowed fewest in 33 games

Sept. 12..... Arkansas State W, 38-9 FSN PPV.....NU, 1-0Lee, 27-of-35, 340 yards, 4 TD/Paul and McNeill two touchdowns each

Sept. 19 at Virginia Tech L, 16-15 ABC..... VT, 2-1 Helu 28 rushes for career-high 169 yards/Henery 5-5 FG/Suh 8 tackles, 4 PBU

Sept. 26 UL-Lafayette (HC) W, 55-0 FSN PPV.....NU, 1-0Huskers post first shutout in three seasons in 300th consecutive sellout at Memorial Stadium

Oct. 8 at Missouri W, 27-12 ESPN NU, 64-36-3 NU posts 27 fourth-quarter points and matches largest fourth-quarter comeback in school history

Oct. 17..... Texas Tech..... L, 31-10 ABCNU, 7-4Texas Tech wins fourth straight over Nebraska/Defense records five sacks in loss

Oct. 24..... Iowa State..... L, 9-7 FSNNU, 86-16-2ISU wins in Lincoln for first time since 1977 as NU commits school-record eight turnovers

Oct. 31 at Baylor W, 20-10 Versus NU, 11-1 Crick sets school records with five sacks and seven TFL/Green first true frosh to start at QB since '92

Nov. 7 Oklahoma W, 10-3 ABCOU, 44-38-3NU posts five interceptions, including school-record three by O'Hanlon/Helu 138 rushing

Nov. 14..... at Kansas W, 31-17 ABC..... NU, 90-23-3 Paul 4 receptions, 154 yards, 244 all-purpose/Helu 156 yards rushing, three touchdowns

Nov. 21 Kansas State W, 17-3 ESPN.....NU, 77-15-2Asante season-high 10 tackles, INT, fumble recovery/Helu Jr. 95 yards rushing, TD

Nov. 27..... at Colorado 2:30 p.m. ABC..... NU, 47-18-2 NU, 40-31, 2008 (Lincoln)/First time teams have met without a bye week since 1995

Dec. 5..... vs. Texas (Big 12) 7 p.m..... ABC..... 5th appearance. NU appeared in 1996, 1997, 1999, 2006/Third meeting with Texas in Big 12 title game



NOTING PELINI

Born: Dec. 13, 1967
Hometown: Youngstown, Ohio
Wife: Mary Pat
Children: Patrick, Kate and Caralyn
High School: Cardinal Mooney, 1986
College: Ohio State, 1990

Playing Experience

1987-90, Ohio State, free safety

Coaching Experience

Nebraska, 2008-present
 Head Coach



LSU, 2005-07
 defensive coordinator



Oklahoma, 2004
 co-def. coordinator, defensive backs



Nebraska, 2003
 defensive coordinator,
 interim head coach for Alamo Bowl



Green Bay Packers, 2000-02
 linebackers



New England Patriots, 1997-99
 linebackers



San Francisco 49ers, 1994-96
 assistant secondary



Cardinal Mooney High School, 1993
 quarterbacks



Iowa, 1991
 graduate assistant



NU UNDER PELINI

Overall	18-7
vs. AP Ranked Teams	2-4
vs. AP Top 10 Teams	0-3
vs. Unranked Teams	16-3
vs. Big 12 Teams	10-5
Home	11-4
Road	5-3
Neutral	2-0
In August	1-0
In September	5-2
In October	4-4
In November	6-1
In December	1-0
In January	1-0
When Rushing for 200 or more yards	6-2
When Rushing for 300 or more yards	2-0
When Passing for 200 or more yards	11-6
When Passing for 300 or more yards	6-1
When NU player rushes for 100 yards	8-2
When NU has two 100-yard rushers	0-0
When NU player has 100 yards receiving	6-1
When Opponent has 100 Yd. Rusher	1-2
When Scoring 35 or More Points	10-0
When Holding Opponent to 10 Pts. or less	9-1
When forcing three or more turnovers	7-0
When Nebraska scores first	12-0
When Nebraska leads at halftime	12-1
When Nebraska trails at halftime	3-6
When Nebraska is tied at halftime	3-0
Games decided by 11 points or more	13-3
Games decided by 10 or less	5-3
Games decided by 7 or less	2-3
Games decided by 3 or less	0-2
Overtime games	0-1



NEBRASKA HEAD COACH BO PELINI

Bo Pelini is in his second season as Nebraska's head coach and owns an 18-7 record with the Huskers. Pelini guided Nebraska to a 9-4 record in 2008, and has led the Huskers to at least a share of the Big 12 North title in each of his first two seasons at Nebraska.

Pelini took charge of the Huskers after a highly successful five-year run as a collegiate defensive coordinator, including orchestrating NU's defensive efforts in 2003. Pelini picked up his first college head coaching victory as NU's interim coach in the 2003 Alamo Bowl against Michigan State.

Following his one season at Nebraska, Pelini served as the co-defensive coordinator at Oklahoma in 2004, helping the Sooners to the Big 12 title and BCS title game. He then followed with three seasons as the defensive coordinator at LSU. With the Tigers, Pelini led three consecutive defenses to No. 3 national rankings in total defense. He culminated his time in Baton Rouge by helping the Tigers to the 2007 national championship.

In addition to his five seasons at the collegiate level, Pelini coached in the NFL for nine seasons serving three years each with the San Francisco 49ers, New England Patriots and Green Bay Packers. Pelini was a team captain and four-year letterman as a safety at Ohio State from 1987 to 1990.

PELINI PUTS TOGETHER IMPRESSIVE FIRST-YEAR RECORDS

In guiding Nebraska to a 9-4 record in his first season in charge, Head Coach Bo Pelini measured up well with first-year coaches around the country. He also put himself in some impressive company at Nebraska.

► Pelini was the fourth Nebraska head coach to win nine games in his first season with the Cornhuskers. The others to reach that win plateau were Bob Devaney, Tom Osborne and Frank Solich.

► Pelini's nine victories last season tied for the most among 18 coaches in their first season at their respective school in 2008. Among first-time head coaches, Pelini's victory total was the best in the nation.

► Pelini became just the eighth BCS Conference (since 1998) first-time head coach to post nine or more victories in his first season. He is just the second first-year head coach in that span to win nine games after inheriting a team with a losing record the previous season.

► Nebraska shared the Big 12 North crown with Missouri, and Pelini became the first coach in Big 12 history to lead his team to at least a share of a division championship in his first season. He has added an outright division title in 2009.

► Nebraska became just the second team in the 13-year history of the Big 12 to finish last in its division one season and earn at least a share of the division title the following year in 2008.

PELINI CONTINUES DEFENSIVE ACCOMPLISHMENTS AT NEBRASKA

The 2008 Nebraska defense was one of the nation's most improved units. The Huskers allowed 127 fewer yards per game than the previous season and Nebraska finished second in the Big 12 Conference in total defense.

With Pelini's previous track record it is no surprise the 2009 Blackshirts are among the nation's best defenses.

► Pelini led the 2003 Blackshirts to impressive numbers. NU had a school-record 47 takeaways, including a Big 12-record 32 interceptions, and finished second nationally in scoring defense, first in pass efficiency defense and 11th in total defense.

► Pelini guided LSU defenses to No. 3 national finishes in total defense each of his three seasons in Baton Rouge.

► In 91 games as a collegiate coach, Pelini's defenses have posted nine shutouts, held the opposition to seven points or less 32 times and to 20 points or less 58 times.

► Pelini-led defenses have 185 total takeaways, including two top-three national rankings.

NEBRASKA COACHING STAFF RETURNED INTACT FOR 2009 SEASON

Head Coach Bo Pelini returned his entire coaching staff for 2009. That may not seem like news at Nebraska where coaching continuity has been a key to success over the years, but it is noteworthy when considering the past few years.

The last time Nebraska had its full coaching staff remain the same from one season to the next was from 2001 to 2002 when Frank Solich's staff was unchanged. Since that year, Nebraska has had two head coaching changes and at least one assistant coach change each season.

Pelini's staff had extensive ties to Nebraska and the Big 12 prior to the 2008 season. Every member of the Husker coaching staff had prior experience in the Big 12 before joining forces for the Huskers.

NEBRASKA COACHING STAFF

OFFENSE



Shawn Watson
 Off. Coord./QB
 4th Year-Sideline



Tim Beck
 Running Backs
 2nd Year-Press Box



Ron Brown
 Tight Ends
 2nd/19th Year-Field



Barney Cotton
 Assoc. HC/OL
 2nd/3rd year-Field



Ted Gilmore
 Asst. HC/WR/RC
 5th Year-Press Box

DEFENSE



Carl Pelini
 Def. Coord./DL
 2nd Year-Field



Mike Ekeler
 Linebackers
 2nd Year-Field



John Papuchis
 Def. Ends
 2nd Year-Press Box



Marvin Sanders
 Asst. HC/Secondary
 2nd/3rd Season-Press Box



James Dobson
 Strength Coach
 2nd Year

STRENGTH



COLORADO BREAKDOWN

Offense

Sophomore quarterback Tyler Hansen did not play the first four games of the season, but saw action for the first time in Colorado's 38-14 loss at Texas on Oct. 10, while junior Cody Hawkins struggled in a 6-of-18 passing effort with two touchdowns and two interceptions. Hansen has started the last six games and achieved a better pass percentage than Hawkins (57.8 to 50.6) with completions on 108-of-187 pass attempts. Hansen has a 5-to-4 touchdown to interception ratio and has thrown for a total of 1,171 yards. Against Oklahoma State last Thursday, Hansen injured his thumb in the second quarter and the quarterback duo shared playing time in Colorado's 31-28 loss. Hansen returned and finished 23-of-36 (169 yds) with two touchdowns, while Hawkins was 7-of-11 (69 yards) with one touchdown.

Sophomore Rodney Stewart is the Buffs' primary tailback. Stewart is averaging 69.4 yards per game on the ground and has nine touchdowns this season, including four 100-yard rushing games. He had just eight carries against Oklahoma State, the least rushes since Colorado's season-opening loss to Colorado State on Sept. 6.

Junior wide receiver Scotty McKnight has been one of the Buffs' most reliable options at wideout the past three seasons. This season, McKnight leads the team in receptions (69), receiving yards (779) and receiving yards per game (70.8) to go along with four touchdowns. McKnight has a reception in all 36 career games at Colorado.

Defense

Senior linebacker Jeff Smart leads Colorado with 87 tackles, but senior cornerback Cha'pelle Brown may be the biggest force on the Buff defense. Brown has seven tackles for loss, including three sacks, and a total of 85 tackles. Brown tied his season high was 10 tackles against Oklahoma State last week.

Colorado is giving up 29.4 points per game in Big 12 action, and has allowed at least 30 points to each league opponent at Folsom Field this season.

Special Teams

Junior placekicker Aric Goodman is 10-of-16 on field goals with a season-long of 54 yards. Goodman is a perfect 7-of-7 from 20-39 yards, but just 3-of-9 from 40+ yards.

Sophomore wide receiver Jason Espinoza is CU's primary punt returner, taking 21 punts for an average of 3.1 yards. His longest return of the season is 15 yards. McKnight has also returned five punts this season.

Last Year's Matchup

On a strange Senior Day, a sophomore and a junior stole the show for the Huskers in a thrilling 40-31 come-from-behind win over Colorado on Nov. 29, 2008 in Lincoln.

The Huskers trailed 31-27 entering the final quarter before rallying for their third straight victory. Alex Henery cut the lead to 31-30 with a 37-yard field goal, before Nebraska drove downfield late looking to escape with a victory. Henery came back out and put NU in front for good by booting a 57-yard field goal with just 1:43 remaining, the longest field goal in Nebraska and Memorial Stadium history.

Ndamukong Suh made sure Henery's field goal would hold up when he intercepted a tipped pass and returned it 30 yards for a touchdown. Suh's third touchdown of the season capped the third-largest comeback in Nebraska history, as NU trailed 14-0 early after a barrage of big plays from the Buffaloes.

Offensively, Joe Ganz joined Henery as a new Nebraska record holder. Ganz threw for 229 yards and two touchdowns on the day, to give him an NU record 3,332 yards passing this season. He eclipsed Zac Taylor as the single-season leading passer in Husker since Henry with a 53-yard touchdown pass to Mike McNeill in the first quarter.

COACH DAN HAWKINS

Dan Hawkins (UC-Davis, '84) is in his fourth season as Colorado's head coach and owns a 16-32 record with the Buffs. Hawkins is 69-43-1 overall in his ninth year as a Division I head coach after previously guiding Boise State to a 53-11 record in five seasons. Hawkins is 1-2 in three meetings with Nebraska.

THE COLORADO SERIES

Series Notes: The Huskers lead the all-time series, 47-18-2...Nebraska's 27-point margin of victory in 2005 was its largest in the series since a 45-point win in 1992...NU added a 23-point victory in Lincoln in 2006, the Huskers' 17th win by 20 or more points in series history...Colorado's win at Boulder in 1986 snapped NU's 18-game series win streak, and its 12-game win streak at Boulder since 1960...Colorado's 6-0 win in 1904 ended Nebraska's then-school-record 24-game win streak...Nebraska handed CU its only losses in 1902 (5-1-0), and 1905 (8-1-0)...the Huskers didn't record a first down in a 7-0 loss in 1961...Nebraska has been ranked in the top 10 entering the CU game 22 times since 1977 (28 games)...the Huskers have been in the top five in 15 of those seasons...there was a nine-year streak from 1988 to 1996 in which both teams entered the game ranked in the top 20...six of the games in that span matched top-10 teams and 1996 was the third time the game matched two top-five teams...the 1992 game marked the first college game with both teams ranked the same in the AP poll (tie 8th)...the 1999 game was the second overtime game in NU history...the 2000 win featured a game-winning Josh Brown field goal for the first walk-off win in school history, while the 2009 victory came on the foot of Alex Henery's school record 57-yard field goal with 1:43 remaining.

2009 SCHEDULE/RESULTS (3-8, 2-5)

Date	Opponent	Result/Time
9/6	vs. Colorado State	L, 17-23
9/11	at Toledo	L, 38-54
9/19	vs. Wyoming	W, 24-0
10/1	at West Virginia	L, 24-35
10/10	at Texas	L, 14-38
10/17	vs. Kansas	W, 34-30
10/24	at Kansas State	L, 6-20
10/31	vs. Missouri	L, 17-36
11/7	vs. Texas A&M	W, 35-34
11/14	at Iowa State	L, 10-17
11/19	at Oklahoma State	L, 28-31
11/27	vs. Nebraska	2:30 p.m.

COLORADO STATS

2009 Leaders

Rushing	Att.	Yards	TD	Long	Avg./Gm
Rodney Stewart	177	694	9	36	69.4
Demetrius Sumler	36	128	1	16	11.6

Passing	Comp.	Att.	Int.	Pct.	TD	Yds.
Cody Hawkins	121	239	11	50.6	10	1,277
Tyler Hansen	108	187	4	57.8	5	1,171

Receiving	No.	Yards	TD	Long	Avg./Gm
Scotty McKnight	69	779	4	29	70.8
Markques Simas	37	477	3	47	53.0

Defense	TT	TFL/Yds.	Sack-Yds.	Int.-Yds.
Jeff Smart	87	5-13	2.5-8	0-0
Cha'pelle Brown	85	7-39	3.0-32	0-0

NEBRASKA STATS

2009 Leaders

Rushing	Att.	Yards	TD	Long	Avg./Gm
Roy Helu Jr.	193	1,057	10	63	96.1
Dontrayevous Robinson	38	159	2	23	26.5

Passing	Comp.	Att.	Int.	Pct.	TD	Yds.
Zac Lee	149	246	7	60.6	12	1,858
Cody Green	33	59	2	55.9	2	317

Receiving	No.	Yards	TD	Long	Avg./Gm
Niles Paul	33	649	3	72	59.0
Mike McNeill	24	237	4	32	21.5

Defense	TT	TFL/Yds.	Sack-Yds.	Int.-Yds.
Ndamukong Suh	65	15-53	6.5-39	1-0
Jared Crick	65	14-59	9.0-53	0-0

NCAA STATS

	NU	CU
Rushing Offense	147.7 (62nd)	83.7 (113th)
Passing Offense	197.7 (85th)	222.6 (53rd)
Total Offense	345.5 (82nd)	306.3 (108th)
Scoring Offense	25.4 (73rd)	22.5 (91st)
Rushing Defense	99.0 (14th)	162.7 (83rd)
Pass Defense	182.3 (17th)	213.6 (56th)
Total Defense	281.3 (8th)	376.3 (72nd)
Scoring Defense	10.3 (3rd)	28.9 (88th)
Net Punting	33.8 (95th)	32.1 (113th)
Punt Returns	10.2 (47th)	3.0 (117th)
Kickoff Returns	23.1 (39th)	24.3 (21st)
Turnover Margin	0.2 (T-53rd)	-4 (82nd)
Sacks	2.9 (14th)	2.2 (46th)



800-WIN CLUB

Nebraska is one of seven programs with 800 all-time victories, joining Michigan, Notre Dame, Texas, Ohio State, Penn State and Alabama. NU reached the historic milestone in 2006 and now has 825 all-time victories.

1. Michigan	877
2. Texas	843
3. Notre Dame	837
4. Nebraska	825
5. Ohio State	818
6. Penn State	810
Alabama	810

Nebraska is in its 120th season of college football in 2009, and owns an 825-340-40 all-time record in 1,205 games (.701).

► Since the first season of Nebraska football in 1890, Husker teams have won 11 or more games 12 times, including seven times since 1993.

► Nebraska has won 12 or more games seven times, including three seasons with 13 wins (1971, 1994, 1997).

► NU (702), Michigan (705), Alabama (728) and Notre Dame (736) were the only programs to win 700 games in the 1900s.

NATION'S BEST SINCE '70

Nebraska easily ranks as the nation's winningest program since the start of the 1970s, when Bob Devaney guided NU to back-to-back national titles in 1970 and 1971. During the past four decades, the Huskers have compiled a 391-99-5 record, for a .795 winning percentage in 495 games. NU's 391 wins in that time period are 26 more than any other school since 1970.

1. Nebraska	391
2. Ohio State	365
3. Oklahoma	362
4. Michigan	359
5. Penn State	356

► Nebraska has 35 nine-win seasons and 21 10-win seasons since 1970.

► The Huskers have finished the regular season undefeated and untied seven times since 1965, and played in 13 national title games (for one of the two teams) and won five national titles since 1970.

► Nebraska was the first team in college football history to win 100 or more games in consecutive decades, ranking first in the 1980s (103-20) and second in the 1990s (108-16-1). NU narrowly missed 100 wins in the 1970s (98).

NEBRASKA-COLORADO IN BOULDER

Nebraska has won six of the past eight matchups with Colorado in Boulder, but the Buffs posted a 65-51 win in 2007. Here's a look at NU-CU games at Folsom Field since 1980.

Year	Rankings		Result
	NU	CU	
1980	9	--	NU, 45-7
1982	7	--	NU, 40-14
1984	5	--	NU, 24-7
1986	3	--	CU, 20-10
1987	5	--	NU, 24-7
1989	3	2	CU, 27-21
1991	9	15	Tie, 19-19
1993	6	20	NU, 21-17
1995	2	7	NU, 44-21
1997	2	--	NU, 27-24
1999	3	--	NU, 33-30 (OT)
2001	2	14	CU, 62-36
2003	25	--	NU, 31-22
2005	--	--	NU, 30-3
2007	--	--	CU, 65-51

HUSKERS LOOK TO CONTINUE BIG 12 ROAD SUCCESS

Nebraska travels to Colorado on Friday to close out the regular season. A victory would allow Nebraska to complete Big 12 road play with a perfect 4-0 record. It would also mark Nebraska's fifth straight road victory in conference play, including a 56-28 win at Kansas State to close out the 2008 road slate.

► Nebraska has not won five straight Big 12 road games since winning its first eight road games when the Big 12 Conference was formed in 1996 and 1997. Nebraska won 19 straight league road games from 1992 to 1997 (Big Eight and Big 12).

► Nebraska has already posted three road wins for just the sixth time in the first 14 seasons of the Big 12 Conference. A win over Colorado would give Nebraska a 4-0 Big 12 road record for the first time since 1997.

► Each of the victories in Nebraska's four-game Big 12 road win streak has been by at least 10 points.

HUSKERS CAPTURE BIG 12 NORTH, SET FOR TRIP TO ARLINGTON

Nebraska has earned a trip to the Dr. Pepper Big 12 Championship Game for the fifth time in the 14-year history of the Big 12 Conference. The Huskers' 17-3 win over Kansas State improved Nebraska to 5-2 in conference play, 1 1/2 games ahead of second-place Kansas State. Nebraska will square off against third-ranked Texas in the league title game which is set for Dec. 5 at Cowboys Stadium in Arlington, Texas.

► Nebraska has also played in the Big 12 title game in 1996, 1997, 1999 and 2006. The five Big 12 title game appearances are the most for any North Division school, and ties Texas for the second-most appearances in the game. Only Oklahoma (7) has played in more Big 12 title games. Nebraska is 2-2 in its four previous title game appearances winning the league crown in 1997 and 1999.

► In addition to its appearances in the conference title game, Nebraska has also tied for the North Division crown in 2001 and 2008.

► The Nebraska-Texas matchup will be the third in five conference title games for Nebraska (also 1996 and 1999). NU has also faced Texas A&M (1997) and Oklahoma (2006) in the Big 12 Championship Game.

NEBRASKA LOOKING FOR FIFTH CONSECUTIVE BIG 12 WIN

Nebraska enters Friday's game with a four-game winning streak in Big 12 action, having defeated Baylor, Oklahoma, Kansas and Kansas State in successive weeks since a two-game losing streak in October. The four-game conference winning streak marks just the second time since 2001 that Nebraska has won four straight conference games.

► Nebraska's four straight wins matches its streak that included wins in its final three conference games last year and over Missouri in the 2009 Big 12 opener. However, this marks the first time Nebraska has won four straight Big 12 games in the same season since NU won its first seven Big 12 games in 2001.

THEY REMEMBER WHAT YOU DO IN NOVEMBER

Last season, Nebraska clearly played its best football in the month of November, winning its final three regular-season games against Kansas, Kansas State and Colorado.

In 2009, Nebraska has again hit its stride as fall begins to turn to winter. The Huskers have defeated Oklahoma, Kansas and Kansas State in November to capture the Big 12 North crown.

► Nebraska owns a 6-1 record in games played in November under Head Coach Bo Pelini. Nebraska's lone November loss under Pelini was at No. 4 Oklahoma on Nov. 1, 2008.

► NU is 8-1 under Pelini in games played on or after Nov. 1, including last year's Jan. 1 Gator Bowl victory and the 2003 Alamo Bowl win over Michigan State when Pelini was the interim head coach.

Nebraska's six-game November win streak is the program's longest since winning 19 straight games in November from 1992 to 1998.

NEBRASKA LOOKS TO RESUME SUCCESS IN BOULDER

Nebraska owns a 20-9-2 advantage in games played at Folsom Field. Despite a 65-51 loss to Colorado in Boulder in 2007, NU has had good success in Boulder, winning six of the past eight meetings in the Rockies.

The Huskers' success in Boulder has been due in large part to outstanding offensive production. The Huskers have topped 30 points in each of the past five meetings in Boulder. Overall, Nebraska has scored 30 or more points in eight of the past 10 meetings between the two schools, including at least 37 points in the past three meetings. The teams have combined for 187 points in the past two meetings, and the winning team has scored at least 26 points in the past 10 matchups.

NEBRASKA, BUFFS CONTINUE POST-TURKEY DAY TRADITION

Nebraska and Colorado have met the day after Thanksgiving each year since the start of Big 12 Conference play in 1996. In the 13 meetings since the series moved to a Friday date, Nebraska holds a 9-4 advantage, including a 4-2 edge in Boulder. Last season's 40-31 Nebraska victory was indicative of the series which has produced a number of close results on Thanksgiving weekend.

► In the 13 meetings on Thanksgiving Friday, eight of the games have been decided by nine points or less, with Nebraska owning a 7-1 record in those contests.

► For Nebraska, Friday's game marks the 20th straight season Nebraska has played on the day after Thanksgiving. NU met Oklahoma the final six seasons of Big Eight play (1990-95) on the day after Thanksgiving, posting a 5-1 record in those games.

► This year's game marks the first time Nebraska has played on the Friday after Thanksgiving without a bye week since playing at Oklahoma on Thanksgiving Friday in 1973, six days after playing at Kansas State.

► Nebraska's post-Thanksgiving game has been nationally televised by ABC each of the past 19 years (1991-2009).



POINTS AT A PREMIUM

Nebraska has relied on strong defensive efforts to achieve success this season. That has been even more the case in Lincoln, where the Memorial Stadium scoreboard has seen little activity the past three home games. NU's final three 2009 home games resulted in a combined 49 points, including a 9-7 loss to Iowa State on Oct. 24, a 10-3 win over OU on Nov. 7 and a 17-3 win over K-State last Saturday.

► The 29 combined points in back-to-back games (ISU, OU) at Memorial Stadium was the lowest two-game total since 1967. NU posted back-to-back shutouts of Iowa State (12-0) and Oklahoma State (9-0) that season. The 49 points in three straight games were the fewest at Memorial Stadium since the first three games of 1959 produced 46 combined points.

► The ISU win in Lincoln ended a streak of 15 straight wins by NU over the Cyclones in Lincoln. It also ended a streak of 126 straight Husker victories in games in which NU held the opposition to 10 or fewer points. NU's last loss in that scenario had been a 10-7 setback at Iowa on Sept. 12, 1981.

► The Huskers' 10-3 victory over Oklahoma marked NU's lowest point total in a victory since a 7-6 win over Pitt in Lincoln in 2005. It also marked just the fifth time since 1980 that Nebraska has posted a victory while scoring 10 or fewer points.

Nebraska has held seven opponents to 10 or fewer points in 2009 and now owns a 236-6-1 record all-time when the opponent scores 10 or fewer points.

BLACKSHIRTS LIMIT POINTS IN LINCOLN

Nebraska completed the 2009 home season by allowing 58 points in seven games at Memorial Stadium (8.3 ppg). Texas Tech accounted for 31 of those points, while NU limited each of the other six opponents to nine or fewer points. Those six teams combined for two touchdowns in Lincoln. The six teams under 10 points marked NU's best total since the 1971 national championship team held all six home opponents to seven points or less.

This marked the fourth Husker defense since 1980 to hold opponents under 10.0 points per game at home for a season. The stingy defense inside Memorial Stadium is a vast improvement over the past two seasons. Last year, NU allowed 27.0 ppg in eight home games and in 2007 opponents averaged 32.6 points in seven home games.

Fewest Home PPG Allowed*

Year	PPG Allowed
1996	8.2
2009	8.3
1985	8.9
1999	9.3
1984	10.1

*since 1980

2009 GAME CAPTAINS

Florida Atlantic—C Jacob Hickman, DT Ndamukong Suh
FS Matt O'Hanlon, PK Alex Henery

Arkansas State—S Rickey Thenarse, WR Curenski Gilleylen,
IB Roy Helu Jr., DE Barry Turner

Virginia Tech—PK Adi Kunalic, WR Niles Paul, QB Zac Lee,
S Larry Asante

Louisiana-Lafayette—OT Marcel Jones, WR Chris Brooks,
DT Jared Crick, S P.J. Smith

Missouri—OG Keith Williams, TE Mike McNeill,
DT Ndamukong Suh, S Austin Cassidy

Texas Tech—WR Niles Paul, C Jacob Hickman, DE Pierre Allen,
CB Alfonzo Dennard

Iowa State—QB Zac Lee, OG Ricky Henry, LB Phillip Dillard,
LB Mathew May

Baylor—IB Roy Helu Jr., DE Barry Turner, DB Anthony Blue,
PK Adi Kunalic

Oklahoma—OG Ricky Henry, DT Ndamukong Suh, S Matt
O'Hanlon, PK Alex Henery

Kansas—TE Mike McNeill, LB Phillip Dillard, DE David Harvey,
LB Thomas Grove

Kansas State—Senior class

POINTS HARD TO COME BY AGAINST NEBRASKA DEFENSE

Nebraska has allowed 113 points in 11 games, and the 10.3 points per game average ranks first in the Big 12 and third in the nation, trailing only Florida (9.8 ppg) and Alabama (9.9 ppg). The 113 points allowed through 11 games is the best by a Blackshirt defense since the 1984 defense allowed 105 points through 11 games and 115 total points in a 12-game season.

► The last time a Nebraska defense finished the season allowing fewer than 15 points per game was in 2003, when NU allowed 14.5 points per contest. Its current defensive scoring average would be the best for a Blackshirt defense since NU allowed a nation-leading 9.5 points per game in 1984.

► The Nebraska defense has surrendered 10 offensive touchdowns this season (two opponent defensive TD), including just four passing touchdowns. The Blackshirts did not allow a touchdown until the second quarter of the second game, as the Huskers held their opponents out of the end zone for the first five quarters of the year, the longest season-opening streak since 1994. The 2009 Blackshirts became just the third NU team in the past 40 seasons to not allow a touchdown in the season opener.

► The Husker defense had a streak of 11 straight quarters without allowing an offensive touchdown, between a second-quarter touchdown pass by Iowa State on Oct. 24 and a second-quarter TD run by Kansas on Nov. 14. Nebraska has allowed only seven offensive touchdowns in seven Big 12 games.

► Nebraska did not allow a touchdown in the final 10 quarters at Memorial Stadium this season and four of NU's seven opponents in Lincoln did not reach the end zone.

► Nebraska held its first five opponents under 20 points for the first time since a streak of five games to open the 2003 season and has held 10 of 11 opponents to 17 or fewer points. To put that accomplishment in perspective, Nebraska held just six opponents to less than 20 points in 2007 and 2008 combined.

► The Huskers' 55-0 shutout of Louisiana-Lafayette marked Nebraska's first whitewashing of an opponent since a 56-0 win over Troy on Sept. 23, 2006.

► NU has limited six opponents to single digits in 2009, tying Florida and Alabama for the national lead in that category. The last time NU had at least six opponents score less than 10 points was in 2003 when the Huskers held six foes to nine points or less. NU head coach Bo Pelini was Nebraska's defensive coordinator that season. NU also held six foes to single digits in 1994, 1990, 1987 and 1985, and held seven opponents to single digits in 1984.

► When you add in Baylor's 10-point output against Nebraska, the Blackshirts have held seven of 11 foes to 10 or fewer points. NU and Alabama are the only schools who have held seven foes to 10 points or less, bettering the six each by Florida, Penn State and Ohio State.

► Kansas scored a fourth-quarter touchdown on Nov. 14, ending a streak of not allowing a fourth-quarter point in three straight games. In Big 12 play, NU has allowed just 27 second-half points, and two offensive touchdowns.

► Nebraska has allowed just 18 trips into the red zone by its opponents through 11 games. The 18 red-zone chances are tied for the fewest in the nation.

HUSKER BLACKSHIRTS CONSISTENTLY DOMINANT THROUGHOUT 2009

After surrendering 358 yards of total offense to Florida Atlantic in the season opener, the Husker defense held seven consecutive opponents to fewer than 280 total yards. The seven-game streak of holding opposing offenses under 300 total yards was the longest at Nebraska since the 1996 Blackshirts held eight straight opponents under 300 yards of total offense.

Ironically, the streak ended in arguably Nebraska's top defensive performance of the season—a 10-3 win over Oklahoma. Despite allowing 325 yards, the Blackshirts allowed just 3.7 yards per play and held the Sooners more than 100 yards under their total offensive average.

Nebraska is allowing an average 281.2 total yards per game to rank second in the Big 12 and eighth nationally.

► Included in Nebraska's seven-game streak of sub-280 yard defensive efforts were four Big 12 games. That marked the first time the Huskers have held four straight Big 12 opponents to fewer than 300 yards of total offense since the eight-game streak in 1996.

► Nebraska's current average of 281.2 yards per game would be the best by a Blackshirt defense since the 1999 defense allowed an average of 252.3 yards per game to rank fourth in the nation. Nebraska has finished in the top 15 nationally in total defense just twice since 1999 (8th, 2001; 11th, 2003).

OFFENSIVE OUTPUT FOR NU OPPONENTS

Nebraska has limited all 11 of its opponents this season to fewer total offensive yards than their season average. Here's a comparison of the opposition's total offense game-by-game, compared to what those teams have done in their other games in 2009. Nebraska has held all 11 opponents below their season average in total offense.

	Season Avg.	vs. Nebraska	Avg. in Other Games	+/- vs. other games
Florida Atlantic	435.2	368	442.7	-74.6
Arkansas State	321.5	274	326.8	-52.8
Virginia Tech	379.6	278	389.8	-111.8
La.-Lafayette	343.5	222	355.6	-133.6
Missouri	404.8	225	422.8	-197.8
Texas Tech	470.2	259	491.3	-232.3
Iowa State	359.4	239	370.4	-131.4
Baylor	343.0	276	349.7	-73.7
Oklahoma	424.2	325	434.1	-109.1
Kansas	411.1	335	418.7	-83.7
Kansas State	349.3	293	354.5	-61.5



2009 DEFENSE BY THE NUMBERS

AGAINST THE RUN

Game	Att.	Yds.	TD	Long
FAU	35	132	0	23
ASU	38	143	1	20
VT	37	86	1	46
ULL	37	102	0	12
MU	35	91	1	23
TT	25	25	2	21
ISU	48	137	0	20
BU	32	54	0	12
OU	29	80	0	14
KU	29	99	1	17
KSU	34	140	0	24

AGAINST THE PASS

Game	Passes	Yds.	TD	Long	Sacks
FAU	20-41-2	236	0	38	0-0
ASU	11-20-0	131	0	43	4-33
VT	12-27-0	192	1	81	4-25
ULL	15-27-1	120	0	32	2-14
MU	17-43-2	134	0	38	2-15
TT	23-32-0	234	1	58	5-42
ISU	9-19-0	102	1	47	1-6
BU	19-38-2	222	0	41	7-30
OU	26-58-5	245	0	33	2-19
KU	19-41-0	236	1	28	1-9
KSU	12-33-1	153	0	27	4-30

TAKEAWAYS

Game	Fumb.	INT	Total
FAU	1	2	3
ASU	1	0	1
VT	0	0	0
ULL	2	1	3
MU	1	2	3
TT	0	0	0
ISU	0	0	0
BU	1	2	3
OU	0	5	5
KU	1	0	1
KSU	1	1	2

SACKS GAME-BY-GAME

Game	Sacks	Yds.	TFL	Yards
FAU	0	0	3	4
ASU	4	33	6	35
VT	4	25	9	35
ULL	2	14	6	18
MU	2	15	6	28
TT	5	42	13	61
ISU	1	6	3	9
BU	7	30	13	45
OU	2	19	5	30
KU	1	9	5	19
KSU	4	30	4	30

AN AWARD-WINNING FIRST

Nebraska safety **Matt O'Hanlon** captured the FWAA/Bronko Nagurski National Defensive Player-of-the-Week award following his three interceptions in the Huskers' 10-3 victory over Oklahoma. O'Hanlon was the third Husker to win the national award this season, joining Ndamukong Suh (vs. Missouri) and Jared Crick (vs. Baylor).

Nebraska became the first school to win the award three times in one season since its inception in 2001. Only three schools had won the award twice in the same season before 2009. Nebraska defenders have also twice won the Walter Camp Defensive Player of the Week (Suh vs. MU, Crick vs. Baylor), won the Lott IMPACT player-of-the-week twice (Suh vs. MU, ISU) and captured Big 12 Defensive Player-of-the-Week honors three times (Suh vs. MU, Crick vs. Baylor, O'Hanlon vs. OU).

HUSKERS STACK UP THE RUN

Nebraska's Big 12 foes have averaged 89.4 rushing yards, and the Huskers have allowed no rush of longer than 24 yards in conference play. Nebraska also held seven straight opponents (Virginia Tech-Oklahoma) to fewer than 3.0 yards per rush.

The Husker run defense has been strong since the middle of last season, helping key Nebraska's overall defensive transformation.

- ▶ For the season, NU is allowing 99.0 rushing yards per game to rank fourth in the Big 12 and 14th nationally.
- ▶ The Huskers' strong play against the run began at Virginia Tech. The NU run defense held the Hokies to just 86 rushing yards, after VT entered the game 13th nationally in rushing at 254.0 yards per game.
- ▶ NU has limited nine of its last 13 opponents to 102 or fewer rushing yards.
- ▶ The longest rush against NU in Big 12 Conference play was a 24-yard run by Kansas State. Nebraska has allowed only five 20+ yard runs in Big 12 play, including one on a fake punt, and just eight all season.
- ▶ Texas Tech managed just 25 rushing yards and the Nebraska defense had five sacks and 13 tackles for loss against the Red Raiders. Baylor rushed for just 54 yards on 32 carries and NU had a season-high seven sacks vs. the Bears, and 13 tackles for loss. The seven sacks were the most by the Huskers since the season opener against Maine in 2005 when NU tied the school record with 11 sacks.
- ▶ During Nebraska's past 15 games its run defense has played a key role in the success. The Huskers have allowed an average of just 87.5 rushing yards in those contests.

NO FREE PASSES

Nebraska is allowing an average of 182.3 yards per game through the air. That figure not only ranks among the national leaders, but it is on a strong pace in the Nebraska record books. NU last allowed fewer than 190 passing yards per game in 2003, when Nebraska allowed 177.8 passing yards per game.

- ▶ The Blackshirts have held eight opponents to 50 percent or less passing and have limited four foes to fewer than 150 passing yards. Opponents are completing just 49.4 percent of their passes against Nebraska, the fifth-best mark in the country and tops in the Big 12.
- ▶ Nebraska has allowed just four passing touchdowns in 11 games. That mark leads the nation, one ahead of the five TD passes allowed by Florida and Tennessee. The Huskers are allowing a touchdown on just 1.06 percent of opponent pass attempts. The next best mark in the nation is 1.42 percent by Tennessee.
- ▶ NU's pass efficiency defense rating of 89.36 points ranks third nationally behind Alabama and Florida. Nebraska led the nation in pass efficiency defense in 2003 with an 88.7 rating.

2009 NEBRASKA DEFENSE BUILDING ON 2008 IMPROVEMENTS

A year after making huge strides in nearly every defensive category, the Nebraska Blackshirt defense is taking another giant step in 2009. Nebraska was one of the nation's most improved defenses in 2008 and finished second in the Big 12 in total defense at 349.9 yards per game. The Huskers' 2008 defensive numbers came just one season after Nebraska finished last in the Big 12 and 112th nationally in total defense at 476.8 yards per contest in 2007.

This season is no different as Nebraska ranks in the top 17 nationally in all five major defensive statistical categories. The Huskers are allowing 10.3 points per game to rank third in the nation and first in the Big 12. Nebraska made a large jump in scoring defense in 2008, allowing 28.5 points per game, a 9.1 point-per-game improvement over the 2007 campaign, but has reduced its scoring defense average by 18.2 points per game in 2009.

This fall, Nebraska also ranks eighth nationally in total defense (281.2 ypg), third in pass efficiency defense (89.4 rating), 14th in run defense (99.0 ypg) and 17th in pass defense (182.3 ypg).

In 2008, Nebraska was the national leader in improvement in rushing defense and team sacks. The Huskers improved their rush defense by 115.7 yards per game and 95 spots in the national rankings. NU's 22-sack improvement tied with Minnesota for the greatest gain in the country. Nebraska's total defense average was an improvement of 126.9 yards per game, the fourth-best improvement nationally. The Huskers' ranking in total defense also improved 57 spots in 2008.

▶ NU led the conference in third-down defense in 2008. In Big 12 games only, NU ranked second in the league in total defense and first in pass defense. This year's opponents have converted 32 percent on third downs. (12th nationally).

▶ NU had 35 sacks in 2008, nearly tripling its 2007 total. Among those sacks, 19 came in the final four games. Nebraska has 32 sacks in 2009 and has at least three sacks in nine of 15 games dating back to last fall. Nebraska's 2.9 sacks per game rank 14th nationally.

▶ Nebraska has held up well defensively in its biggest tests in 2009. Despite coming out on the losing end of a 16-15 decision at Virginia Tech, Nebraska limited the Hokies to fewer than 30 yards on 11 of their 13 drives, including six Hokie drives of two or fewer yards. The Huskers held Missouri to just 134 passing yards and 225 total yards in a 27-12 victory, then limited Texas Tech to less than half of its total offensive average.

NEBRASKA DEFENSIVE IMPROVEMENT

The 2009 Nebraska defense is among the nation's best, after being one of the nation's most improved units in 2008.

» Total Defense

2007	2008	Improvement	2009
476.8 ypg	349.9 ypg	126.9 ypg	281.3 ypg

» Rushing Defense

2007	2008	Improvement	2009
232.2 ypg	116.5 ypg	115.7 ypg	99.0 ypg

» Scoring Defense

2007	2008	Improvement	2009
37.9 ppg	28.5 ppg	9.1 ppg	10.3 ppg

» Sacks

2007	2008	Improvement	2009
13	35	22 (1.7 pg)	32 (2.9 pg)

» Opponent 3rd-Down Conversion Percentage

2007	2008	Improvement	2009
50.3 %	33.7 %	16.6 %	32 %



BIG 12 CONFERENCE POW NOMINEES

Game	Offense	Defense	Sp. Teams
FAU	Helu Jr.	O'Hanlon	--
ASU	Lee	Suh	Kunalic
VT	Helu Jr.	Suh	Henery
ULL	Lee	Fisher	Henery
MU	Paul	Suh	--
TT	--	--	--
ISU	--	Suh	--
BU	--	Crick	Henery
OU	Helu Jr.	O'Hanlon	--
KU	Helu Jr.	Gomes	Paul
KSU		Asante	Henery
CU			

Bold indicates winner

HUSKERS ON WATCH LISTS/HONORS

Ndamukong Suh, Senior, DT

Lombardi Award Finalist (1 of 4)

Bronko Nagurski Award Finalist (1 of 5)

Lott Trophy Semifinalist (1 of 8)

Walter Camp National Player of the Year Watch List (1 of 15)

Bednarik Award Semifinalist

Mid-Season All-American (Sporting News, Phil Steele)

Outland Trophy Watch List

Big 12 Preseason Defensive Player of the Year

Walter Camp National Defensive Player of the Week
(10/11 vs. Missouri)

Lott Trophy Impact Player of the Week vs. Missouri, Iowa St.

Big 12 Defensive Player of the Week vs. Missouri (10/12)

FWAA/Nagurski Nat'l Defensive Player of the Week vs. Missouri

Jared Crick, Sophomore, DT

Big 12 Defensive Player of the Week vs. Baylor (11/2)

Walter Camp Nat'l Defensive Player of the Week vs. Baylor

FWAA/Nagurski Nat'l Defensive Player of the Week vs. Baylor

Roy Helu Jr., Junior, IB

Doak Walker Award Watch List

Maxwell Award Watch List

Mid-Season Third-Team All-American (Phil Steele)

Alex Henery, Junior, PK/P

Lou Groza Award Semifinalist (1 of 20)

Big 12 Special Teams Player of the Week vs. Virginia Tech

Groza Award Star of the Week vs. Virginia Tech, Kansas

Ray Guy Award Watch List

Jacob Hickman, Senior, C

Rimington Trophy Watch List

Mike McNeill, Junior, TE

John Mackey Award Mid-Season Watch List

Matt O'Hanlon, Senior, S

Walter Camp National Defensive Player of the Week vs. Oklahoma

Big 12 Defensive Player of the Week vs. Oklahoma

SUH GAME-BY-GAME IN 2009

Game	UT-AT-TT	Sack	TFL	PBU	Hurry
FAU	4-3-7	0-0	1-1	1	0
ASU	4-1-5	1.5-17	3-18	0	1
VT	1-7-8	0.5-1	1-1	4	1
ULL	1-5-6	0-0	1-0	1	0
MU	5-1-6	1-6	1-6	1	3
TT	4-0-4	0-0	2-10	0	4
ISU	6-2-8	1-6	1-6	0	3
BU	3-2-5	1-3	3-5	0	2
OU	1-3-4	0-0	0-0	1	3
KU	2-1-3	0-0	0-0	0	2
KSU	4-5-9	1.5-6	2-6	2	1
Totals	35-30-65	6.5-39	15-53	10	20

Blocked Kicks—3, PAT vs. ISU, FG vs. ISU, FG vs. OU

► Iowa State passed for just 102 yards against the Blackshirts, the fewest passing yards by an NU opponent in 25 games (Texas A&M, 100 in 2007).

► In non-conference play, Nebraska allowed 4.4 yards per play, an improvement of 1.3 yards over its 2008 average of 5.7 yards per play by the opposition. The Huskers took it to another level against Missouri, limiting the Tigers to an average of 2.9 yards on 78 offensive snaps. For the season, Nebraska is allowing 4.08 yards per play to rank second in the conference. In Big 12 play, NU is allowing 3.9 yards per play to tie Texas for first in the Big 12.

SUH CONTINUING AWARD-WINNING PLAY EVERY WEEK

Nebraska senior defensive tackle **Ndamukong Suh** has regularly shown why he is a contender for numerous conference and national honors this fall. He was named to several preseason All-America teams, and watch lists and was voted the Big 12's Preseason Defensive Player of the Year.

In recent weeks, Suh has been named a finalist for the Rotary Lombardi Award and the Bronko Nagurski Trophy and a semifinalist for the Lott Trophy and the Bednarik Award. There has also been well-deserved chatter about Suh as a darkhorse candidate for the Heisman Trophy.

While Suh received plenty of preseason accolades, he burst into national prominence after a remarkably dominant performance at Missouri that included a sack, an interception, a fumble caused, three hurries, a pass breakup and six total tackles. The effort begant to earn him Heisman mention. Here is a sampling of the rave reviews Suh has received for his banner play in 2009.

"A defensive tackle who leads his team in tackles, drops into coverage and picks off passes is every bit as outstanding as a 4,000-yard passer or an 1,800-yard back. The problem is that the average Heisman voter doesn't understand how much a dominant defensive tackle can change a game."

Voters often counter that quarterbacks receive an inordinate amount of votes because the ball is in their hands every play. What they fail to consider is that a player like Suh affects every play in which he participates. Opposing offensive coordinators must design game plans around him. Quarterbacks must always know where he is. Offensive linemen must double-team him, lest their quarterback suffer. So, please, Heisman committee, give me a vote. I'll do exactly as you ask and select the nation's most outstanding player. Right now, that's Ndamukong Suh."

Andy Staples-SI.com, following Suh's effort against Missouri

"Suh is virtually unblockable and he does things no other DT can. He leads his team in tackles, again. That's shocking. That simply doesn't happen these days. You might as well see a 2,500-yard rusher. Last season, he was the first DT to lead Nebraska in tackles in 35 years. To have this kind of production again -- after knowing how he is the focal point of a rival's game plan -- is enough to get him on the Heisman radar. Maybe he can get in the race. I know this -- he'll be in my top five this week because I doubt there are five better players in college football."

Bruce Feldman, ESPN.com

The effort at Missouri also earned Suh numerous honors. He was chosen as the Big 12 Defensive Player of the Week for the second time in his career and also earned Walter Camp National Defensive Player-of-the-Week honors.

Suh came up huge at crucial times against Mizzou. He set the tone early with a sack and fumble forced in the first quarter, then registered his fourth career interception with Nebraska trailing 12-7 early in the fourth quarter. NU scored two plays later and went on to a 15-point victory.

NEBRASKA'S SUH-PERMAN CONTINUING TO DOMINATE

Suh has built on his dominant junior season when he was a first-team All-Big 12 pick and led Nebraska in tackles, tackles for loss, sacks and interceptions. The 6-4, 300-pound Suh is tied for the team lead with 65 tackles, and also leads the team in tackles for loss (15), pass breakups (10), quarterback hurries (20) and blocked kicks (3). His 6.5 sacks are second on the team and Suh has also added his fourth career interception.

In the opener against Florida Atlantic, Suh made seven tackles, including four solo stops. He also had a tackle for loss and a pass breakup. He had five tackles, including 1.5 sacks for 17 yards in losses and three tackles for loss totaling 18 yards against Arkansas State. At Virginia Tech, Suh had a team-high eight tackles, shared a sack and had a Nebraska defensive line record four pass breakups.

His dominant performance at Missouri was even more impressive, helping the Nebraska defense shut down the Tigers' high-powered offense. Suh had two tackles for loss and a career-high four quarterback hurries against Texas Tech, then had another monster effort against Iowa State.

Suh made eight tackles vs. ISU, including a six-yard sack. Suh also had three quarterback hurries and blocked two Cyclone kicks—a second-quarter extra point and a fourth-quarter field goal attempt. The blocked kicks were the fourth and fifth of Suh's career. Despite the loss his play against ISU netted him Lott Trophy Impact Player-of-the-Week honors for the second time in three games.

Suh tied his season high with three tackles for loss, including his fifth sack of the season in Nebraska's 20-10 win at Baylor. He had four tackles in NU's stellar defensive performance against Oklahoma, hurried Sooner QB Landry Jones three times and blocked his third kick of the season. In the Big 12 North-clinching win over K-State, Suh had 1.5 sacks, a season-high nine total tackles and a pair of pass breakups.

NEBRASKA CAREER TFL

Player, Years	TFL
1. Grant Wistrom, 1994-97	58.5
2. Barrett Ruud, 2001-04	50
3. Ndamukong Suh, 2005-pres. 48	
4. Trev Alberts, 1990-93	45
5. Jim Skow, 1982-85	44
6. Adam Carriker, 2003-06	41
Willie Harper, 1970-72	41
8. Broderick Thomas, 1985-88	39
9. Mike Rucker, 1995-98	38
Jay Moore, 2003-06	38

NEBRASKA CAREER SACKS

Player, Years	Sacks
1. Trev Alberts, 1990-93	29.5
2. Grant Wistrom, 1994-97	26.5
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6. Adam Carriker, 2003-06	20.5
7. Ndamukong Suh, 2005-pres. 18.5	
8. Travis Hill, 1989-92	16.5
9. Jared Tomich, 1994-96	16
-- Kenny Walker, 1988-90	16
Barry Turner, 2005-present	14.5



NEBRASKA FOOTBALL FACTS

TEAM

Season of Football	120th
National Championships	5
Back-to-Back National Championship Seasons	2
Undefeated Seasons.....	11
Perfect Seasons	9
Total Conference Championships	43
Big 12 Conference Championships.....	2
All-Time Games Played.....	1,205
All-Time Record	825-340-40 (.701)
National Ranking in All-Time Wins	4th
All-Time Bowl Appearances.....	45
National Ranking in Bowl Appearances.....	5th
All-Time Bowl Record	23-22
Home Games Played	655
Home Games Record.....	498-137-20 (.776)
Memorial Stadium Games Played	500
Memorial Stadium Record	373-114-13 (.759)
Consecutive Home Winning Seasons	41
Consecutive Home Sellouts	304
Record in Sellout Streak	263-41
vs. Ranked Teams	40-24
All-Time Record in August	11-0-0 (1.000)
All-Time Record in September	150-37-6 (.793)
All-Time Record in October	344-130-19 (.717)
All-Time Record in November	286-146-15 (.657)
All-Time Record in December.....	20-8-0 (.714)
All-Time Record in January.....	13-19-0 (.406)
All-Time Record in February.....	1-0-0 (1.000)
Since 1962	459-118-5
Away	327-202-20
Road (on campus).....	287-162-17
Neutral Sites	40-39-3
vs. Big 12 Teams	469-174-16
In Big 12 Action (since '96).....	76-39
Home	43-13
Away	30-24
Neutral.....	3-2
When Scoring 35+ Points.....	328-4
In Overtime.....	5-1
At Night	72-27-3
vs. Ranked Teams...	
All-Time	95-111-3
Home	44-36-0
Away	30-58-3
Neutral	21-17-0
as No. 1 Team.....	46-7-1

INDIVIDUAL

College Football Hall of Fame Players	14
College Football Hall of Fame Coaches	6
All-Americans	106
CoSIDA Academic All-Americans*	98
NCAA Top Eight Award Winners*	9
Heisman Trophy Winners	3
Walter Camp Award Winners.....	3
Maxwell Trophy Winners	1
Outland Trophy Winners*	8
Lombardi Trophy Winners.....	4
Butkus Award Winners.....	1
Johnny Unitas Golden Arm Award Winners.....	1
Davey O'Brien Award Winners.....	1
Rimington Award Winners	1
Retired Jerseys	16
Retired Numbers	2
All-Conference Selections	494

*Total leads the nation

NU STREAKS...THE HUSKERS HAVE...

- ▶ won 97 straight when rushing for 400 yards
- ▶ scored in 175 consecutive games
- ▶ scored in 270 straight home games
- ▶ shut out opponents 104 times

In addition to the media noticing Suh's play, Husker opponents have also recognized the play of No. 93.

"He still was making tackles on our running backs 10 yards down field. Tackles don't do that."—FAU center Ryan

Wischniefski

"The numbers he puts up and the things he does athletically at that size, he's a very dominant player. He's a great, great football player. I can't imagine a lot of other defensive tackles like him in the country. I'd like to see them."—

Missouri Head Coach Gary Pinkel

Suh had a monster 2008 season, finishing with 7.5 sacks, including 5.5 in the final four games of the season. His 19 tackles for loss ranked eighth on the Nebraska single-season list, with 11 of those stops coming in the final four games. The 19 tackles for loss were the third-most ever by an NU interior lineman and the most since Kenny Walker had 21 in 1990. Suh also tied for the team lead in interceptions with two, and he returned both of those picks for touchdowns. His two interceptions tied a Nebraska season record for defensive tackles and his four career picks are a school position record.

Suh continues to make a significant mark in the Husker career record books.

▶ Suh has 48 career tackles for loss, including 15 in 2009. Against Baylor, he moved ahead of Jim Skow and Trev Alberts into third on the NU career TFL list. He is two away from No. 2 (Barrett Ruud) on that list. His 48 career tackles for loss rank 11th nationally among active players and is the most among interior defensive linemen.

▶ His 18.5 career sacks are seventh in Nebraska history.

▶ He has 195 career tackles to rank 30th on the Nebraska career list. He is one of only nine interior defensive linemen to rank among Nebraska's top 50 career tacklers. Suh ranks fifth among interior defensive linemen in career tackles.

▶ His 10 PBU in 2009 represent a Nebraska position record, breaking the previous mark of six by Jeremy Slechta in 2000. His 15 career breakups are also a position record, bettering the 11 by Steve Warren (1996-99).

▶ Suh is tied for the overall team lead in PBU with cornerback Prince Amukamara and his 1.0 passes defended per game is tied for 31st nationally. No other defensive lineman ranks in the top 100 nationally in that category.

▶ He is just three PBU from the top 10 on the overall single-season pass breakups list.

▶ Suh has at least one tackle for loss in 19 of Nebraska's past 22 games, including nine of 11 games this season. His streak of 12 straight games with a TFL ended in NU's 10-3 win over Oklahoma.

▶ He has made at least five total tackles in 13 of Nebraska's past 17 games, including a season-high nine tackles against Kansas State.

▶ Suh's fourth career interception at Missouri bettered his own career position record.

▶ The two blocked kicks against Iowa State tied a Nebraska single-game record for any player and was a position record for defensive linemen. Suh posted his third blocked kick of the season with a FG block vs. Oklahoma. His three blocked kicks is a position record, bettering his own two blocks last season. The NU season record for blocked kicks regardless of position is four by Barron Miles in 1994.

▶ Suh's six career blocked kicks are a record for defensive linemen and are one shy of the school record for blocked kicks by any player.

BLACKSHIRTS' "OTHER" DEFENSIVE TACKLE HAS RECORD-SETTING PERFORMANCE

While **Ndamukong Suh** has received national attention for his play throughout the season, he has a battle on his hands for the top statistics on the Nebraska defensive line. Suh's defensive tackle mate, sophomore **Jared Crick**, quietly put together an outstanding season...until Nebraska's win over Baylor on Halloween. There was nothing quiet about Crick's record-setting day in the 20-10 win over the Bears.

▶ Crick had five sacks for 24 yards in the game, setting a Nebraska school record. Five Nebraska players had previously registered four sacks in a game, most recently Mike Rucker in 1996. Crick's five sacks are the most in a single game by any player in the nation in 2009.

▶ Crick had seven tackles for loss, totaling 28 yards. The seven tackles for loss tied the Nebraska school record, also held by Jim Skow (7-40 vs. Missouri in 1985). Crick's seven TFL are three more than any other Big 12 player this season.

▶ Crick recorded 13 total tackles in the game, including 10 solo stops. The 13 tackles were the most by a Husker this season, as were the 10 unassisted tackles. The last time a Nebraska defensive lineman had more than 13 tackles was Patrick Kabongo, who had 15 tackles at Iowa State in 2002.

▶ For good measure, Crick added a fumble recovery in the fourth quarter vs. Baylor and also had a pass breakup.

Crick's monster game earned him Big 12 Player-of-the-Week honors, recognition as the Walter Camp and Football Writers National Defensive Player of the Week and a "helmet sticker" on ESPN's *College Football Final*.

Crick is tied with Suh for the team lead in total tackles with 65 stops. He leads the team with nine sacks for 53 yards and his 14 tackles for 59 yards in losses are second only to Suh. Crick also has a team-high two fumble recoveries. Crick's nine sacks are the most by a Nebraska player since 2005. He has at least one tackle for loss in seven games and has been in on a sack in six games this fall.

CRICK GAME-BY-GAME IN 2009

Game	UT-AT-TT	Sack	TFL	FR	QBH
FAU	0-3-3	0-0	1-0	0	0
ASU	1-4-5	0.5-6	1-6	0	1
VT	2-5-7	1-1	1-1	0	1
ULL	0-1-1	0-0	0-0	0	1
MU	2-5-7	1-9	1-9	1	1
TT	2-3-5	1-10	2-12	0	3
ISU	5-3-8	0-0	0-0	0	3
BU	10-3-13	5-24	7-28	1	0
OU	2-6-8	0.5-3	1-3	0	3
KU	2-1-3	0-0	0-0	0	0
KSU	1-4-5	0-0	0-0	0	1
Totals	27-38-65	9-53	14-59	2	14



COMEBACK AT MIZZOU TIES BEST

FOURTH-QUARTER RALLY IN NU HISTORY

Nebraska rallied from a 12-0 deficit entering the fourth quarter to post the 27-12 win over Missouri on Oct. 8 in Columbia. The rally from a 12-point deficit in the fourth quarter tied the largest in school history. NU rallied from a 19-7 deficit at Colorado in 1966 to post a 21-19 win.

The Huskers have shown the ability to rally under Bo Pelini. In fact, Nebraska has trailed at some point in the second half in six of its last 13 victories (Baylor, Kansas, Colorado, Clemson in 2008; Missouri, Kansas in 2009).

HUSKERS CONTINUE HISTORY OF SUCCESS IN BIG 12 OPENERS

Nebraska's 27-12 victory at Missouri gave NU a 12-2 record in Big 12 openers and was the 33rd victory in NU's last 35 conference-opening games since 1975. Nebraska is 93-19-2 all-time in conference openers.

The Huskers also ended a two-game losing skid in Big 12 road openers, after setbacks at Missouri in 2007 and at Texas Tech in 2008.

NEBRASKA CONTINUES

SEASON-OPENING SUCCESS

Nebraska posted a 49-3 victory in its season opener against Florida Atlantic, continuing the nation's longest winning streak in season openers. The Huskers have now won 24 straight openers, bettering Florida's 20 straight wins. NU's last loss in a season opener was a 17-13 setback against Florida State at Memorial Stadium in 1985.

► NU has won each of the 24 games by at least 10 points, and has scored at least 40 points in 17 of the 24 games, including the last four seasons.

► The Cornhuskers have limited the opponent to 14 points or less 16 times in the winning streak.

► Nebraska's 49-3 win over FAU marked the Huskers' largest margin of victory in an opener since a 76-14 win over North Texas in 1993.

► Nebraska is 89-26-5 all-time in season openers.

HUSKERS COMPLETE NON-LEAGUE PLAY WITH WINNING RECORD

Nebraska entered Big 12 play with a 3-1 overall record, marking the 28th straight season Nebraska has completed non-conference play with a winning record. That streak dates back to a 2-2 non-league record in 1981. Since 1981, the Huskers have lost either one (12 times) or zero (16 times) non-conference games.

FORMER WALK-ONS EARN SCHOLARSHIPS

Nebraska's storied walk-on program is alive and well under second-year Head Coach Bo Pelini. Nebraska has brought in more than 50 walk-ons to supplement Pelini's first two recruiting classes. Pelini has also rewarded veteran walk-ons for their commitment and success in the program.

Before the start of the season, Pelini placed six walk-ons on scholarship. Each of the six are native Nebraskans including senior receiver **Wes Cammack** (Dewitt), senior linebacker **Colton Koehler** (Harvard), senior offensive lineman **Derek Meyer** (Campbell), junior tight end **Dreu Young** (Cozad), junior place-kicker **Alex Henery** (Omaha) and sophomore center **Mike Caputo** (Omaha).

NU has played a total of 84 players in 2009, and 27 of those players originally joined the program as walk-ons.

NUMBERS OF SUH-CRICK DUO REACHING HISTORIC LEVELS

Suh and Crick's combined numbers are impressive when compared on the Big 12 and national levels and also when looking at the Nebraska record books.

► Crick and Suh are tied for 29th in the Big 12 in tackles per game (5.9 pg) and are the only defensive tackles among the top 35 in the Big 12 in tackles per game.

► In 2008, Suh had 76 tackles to become the first defensive lineman to lead Nebraska in tackles since 1973 (John Bell). It also marked the top tackle total for an interior lineman since John Parrella had 77 tackles in 1992. If either Suh or Crick were to finish 2009 as Nebraska's tackles leader it would mark the first time that has happened since 1972 and 1973, when Rich Glover and John Bell led the team in tackles in consecutive seasons. Defensive linemen also accomplished the feat in 1966 and 1967. Nebraska has never had the same defensive interior lineman lead the team in tackles two straight seasons. (Complete tackle stats are available since 1965).

► The last time a pair of defensive interior linemen each recorded double figures in tackles for loss came in 1990, when tackle Kenny Walker had a position record 21 tackles for loss and middle guard Pat Engelbert had 10 TFL.

► With a combined 15.5 sacks and 29 tackles for loss, Suh and Crick are in position to challenge record-setting numbers posted by Nebraska All-Americans Jim Skow and Danny Noonan who formed a dominant duo in 1985. Skow had a school-record 25 tackles for loss that season, while Noonan added 14 TFL, giving the duo 39 combined tackles for loss. Skow (15) and Noonan (11) also combined for 26 sacks in 1985. That also marked the last time a pair of interior linemen ranked first and second in TFL and sacks for a Nebraska defense. Skow and Noonan combined for 100 total tackles that season, 30 fewer than Crick (65) and Suh (65) have posted through 11 games.

► Suh and Crick are in position to challenge the overall tackle total of middle guard John Lee and defensive tackle Ron Pruitt in 1974. Lee (86) and Pruitt (79) combined for 165 total tackles that season. The Outland Trophy duo of Larry Jacobson (75) and Rich Glover (92) combined for 167 tackles in 1971.

► Crick and Suh are tied for the team lead in tackles with 65, one ahead of safety Larry Asante and three in front of linebacker Phillip Dillard. If the defensive tackles were to maintain their 1-2 position on the team in total tackles, they would be the first Nebraska defensive tackle duo to do so since tackle stats are available at Nebraska (1965). Three times (1972, 1967, 1966) Nebraska has had two interior defensive linemen, including the team leader, among the top three in season tackles.

► Crick and Suh are the only defensive tackle duo in the nation currently running 1-2 on the team in tackles.

BLACKSHIRT SECONDARY MAKING BIG PLAYS ON REGULAR BASIS

While Suh, Crick and the front four get much of the publicity for the Nebraska defense, the secondary has played a key role in the overall success of the Blackshirts. Seven defensive backs currently own the coveted black practice jerseys and the secondary's success has been a team effort.

► Junior cornerback **Prince Amukamara** ranks fourth in the Big 12 in passes defended with 13 (10 PBU, 3 INT) in 11 games. Amukamara is tied for 15th nationally in passes defended. His biggest play of the season came against Oklahoma when he returned a second-quarter interception to the OU 1 to set up the game's only touchdown. Amukamara ranks sixth on the team with 50 tackles and has two sacks and three tackles for loss.

► Senior safety **Larry Asante** is the veteran leader of the secondary with 33 career starts. Asante is third on the team with 60 tackles and ranks 25th in school history with 209 career tackles. Only two defensive backs in Nebraska history have more tackles than Asante—Mike Brown (287) and Daniel Bullocks (226). Asante has had a hand in four turnovers this season, forcing a pair of fumbles, while intercepting two passes.

► Senior safety **Matt O'Hanlon** leads Nebraska with four interceptions, including his school-record-tying three interceptions against Oklahoma. O'Hanlon ranks fifth in the Big 12 in interceptions and his 55 tackles are fifth on the team. He has also recovered a team-high two fumbles and forced another.

► Sophomore cornerback **Alfonzo Dennard** has taken over the starting corner job opposite Amukamara and has seven PBU. Junior nickel back **Eric Hagg** continues to be a force with 35 tackles, six tackles for loss and two sacks, while dime back **Dejon Gomes** has 38 tackles, two interceptions and a team-high three fumbles caused. Junior **Anthony West** continues to play a key role as a veteran cornerback and earned his first start in Big 12 play against K-State.

NEBRASKA AGAIN DOMINATING FOURTH QUARTER IN 2009

After ranking second nationally last season in fourth-quarter points scored (155) and fourth-quarter point differential (+103), the Huskers have been outstanding in the final quarter again in 2009.

In the fourth quarter this season, Nebraska has outscored its opponents 83-23, and its 60-point differential in the fourth quarter is the fifth-best nationally.

The highlight of the Huskers' fourth-quarter domination came at Missouri. NU outscored the 24th-ranked Tigers 27-0 in the final quarter and tied the school record by rallying from a 12-point fourth-quarter deficit to post a 15-point win. In Big 12 games only, Nebraska has outscored its opponents 52-14 in the fourth quarter.

The 27 points were NU's most in any quarter since the 2004 season opener against Western Illinois when the Huskers posted 28 second-quarter points. The fourth-quarter outburst was Nebraska's largest since also scoring 27 points at Baylor in the final frame in 2001. NU scored 28 points in the fourth quarter of a 49-27 win at Iowa State in 2000, the last time NU scored more than 27 points in the final quarter.

► In its past eight games, Nebraska has allowed a total of 14 points in the fourth quarter (Texas Tech, Kansas). For the season, NU's 23 points allowed in the fourth quarter is second-best in the nation (Florida, 20). NU has held its opponent without a fourth-quarter point seven times this season. On the flip side, Nebraska scored just seven fourth-quarter points in the four games after the Missouri outburst, but produced 15 fourth-quarter points at Kansas.

► Nebraska has outscored its opponents 131-36 in the second half in 2009. The 36 second-half points are the fewest allowed by any team in the nation. Only one opponent has scored more than seven points in the second half this season (Baylor, 10, including defensive TD) and NU has allowed only three offensive TDs in the second half in 2009.



NEBRASKA TOTAL OFFENSE STATS

Last year was the third straight season NU averaged at least 400 yards of total offense, but just the fifth time in 11 seasons. NU finished ninth nationally in total offense in 2007 (468.3 ypg), NU's best since averaging 513.7 yards per game in 1997. Prior to 1998, Nebraska averaged better than 400 yards per game for 24 straight seasons.

Year	Total Offense
1998	384.9
1999	392.2
2000	459.9
2001	451.2
2002	373.1
2003	345.0
2004	363.2
2005	320.3
2006	414.6
2007	468.3
2008	450.8
2009	345.5

NEBRASKA SCORING OFFENSE STATS

NU finished 17th nationally in scoring at 35.4 points per game in 2008, its best scoring average since 2001. Nebraska averaged 30 points or more for 24 straight years from 1978 to 2001.

Year	Scoring Offense
2001	37.4
2002	27.4
2003	24.8
2004	25.0
2005	24.7
2006	30.6
2007	33.4
2008	35.4
2009	25.4

ROY HELU JR. GAME-BY-GAME IN 2009

Game	Rushing				Receiving		
	Att.	Yards	TD	Lg	No.	Yds.	TD
FAU	16	152	3	44	1	3	0
ASU	14	60	0	9	4	44	0
VT	28	169	0	31	4	33	0
ULL	15	83	2	39	2	11	0
MU	18	88	1	41	0	0	0
TT	16	68	0	11	1	27	0
ISU	5	24	0	14	3	13	0
BU	7	24	0	10	1	3	0
OU	20	138	0	63	3	15	0
KU	28	156	3	30	0	0	0
KSU	26	95	1	18	0	0	0
Totals	193	1,067	10	63	19	149	0

NU CAREER RUSHING

No. Player, Years	Yards
1. Mike Rozier, 1981-83	4,780
20. Bobby Reynolds, 1950-52	2,196
21. Jarvis Redwine, 1979-80	2,161
22. Tony Davis, 1973-75	2,151
23. Steve Taylor, 1985-88	2,125
24. Monte Anthony, 1974-77	2,077
25. Roy Helu Jr., 2007-present	2,069

NU SEASON RUSHING

No. Player, Year	Yards
1. Mike Rozier, 1983	2,148
12. Calvin Jones, 1992	1,210
13. Ken Clark, 1989	1,196
14. Doug DuBose, 1985	1,161
15. Dan Alexander, 2000	1,154
16. Jarvis Redwine, 1980	1,119
17. Eric Crouch, 2001	1,115
18. Cory Ross, 2004	1,102
19. Scott Frost, 1997	1,095
20. Ahman Green, 1995	1,086
21. Roger Craig, 1981	1,060
22. Roy Helu Jr., 2009	1,057

► Under Head Coach Bo Pelini, Nebraska is 17-1 when leading at any point in the fourth quarter (including his 2003 Alamo Bowl victory as interim head coach). That lone loss came this season, when No. 5 Virginia Tech scored in the final minute to pull out a one-point victory on Sept. 19.

► Nebraska has two road victories this season after trailing during the fourth quarter (Missouri, Kansas). Nebraska had not accomplished that since a 2006 win at Texas A&M.

TURNOVERS TELL THE STORY

Turnovers have been a big story for Nebraska in 2009—both positively and negatively. The positive turnover side of things has helped Nebraska dramatically in its four-game winning streak. Nebraska has committed four turnovers in winning its past four games, while taking the ball away eight times. The Huskers' have had a positive turnover margin in each game, marking the first time NU has had a positive turnover margin in four straight games since games 7-10 of the 2003 season. NU had a five-game positive turnover streak to start the 2003 campaign.

The highlight of the stretch was the Blackshirts five interceptions in a 10-3 victory over Oklahoma. Their five takeaways marked the first time in 70 games that NU forced five turnovers, and the +4 turnover margin was the best in six seasons.

Nebraska did not turn the ball over at Kansas, while having one takeaway with Kansas deep in Husker territory. The turnover-free game was Nebraska's third of the season, but its first in a Big 12 game since late in the 2007 season, a span of 15 conference games.

The recent turnover success is in direct contrast to Nebraska's 9-7 loss to Iowa State on Oct. 24. Nebraska committed a school-record tying eight turnovers, including four miscues inside the Iowa State 5-yard line. Nebraska was unable to force any turnovers and the minus-8 turnover differential was the largest in school history. NU entered the game with just seven turnovers in the first six games.

After having 17 takeaways in 2008, and a -11 turnover margin, Nebraska Head Coach Bo Pelini made forcing more turnovers a focus in the offseason. Through 11 games, Nebraska has 21 takeaways, including 13 interceptions and eight fumble recoveries. Ball-hawking defenders have been a trademark of Pelini-coached units, including his 2003 Nebraska defense that set a school record with 47 takeaways.

No statistic has played a larger role in determining Nebraska's fate this season than turnover margin. In its eight wins, Nebraska is a plus-14 in the turnover department. However, in three losses Nebraska is minus-12. With a plus 0.18 per game turnover margin, Nebraska ranks 53rd nationally in that category.

► Nebraska's five takeaways against Oklahoma were its most since also having five in the 2004 season opener against Western Illinois. The five interceptions vs. the Sooners were NU's most since having five picks in a 2003 win over Texas A&M in Lincoln, also the last time Nebraska had better than the +4 turnover margin it produced in the win over Oklahoma. Nebraska's season-best in turnover margin in 2008 was +2.

► NU had a turnover-free game against Arkansas State—its first in 16 games since not committing a turnover against Kansas State in November of 2007. Nebraska posted its second turnover-free game against Louisiana-Lafayette, and added a third at Kansas. This is the first time NU has had three turnover-free games in a season since 2003.

► Nebraska has turned the opposition's 21 turnovers into 57 points. Nebraska's 19 turnovers have resulted in just 23 points, with 14 of those points coming on defensive touchdowns (Texas Tech, Baylor).

► The defense has forced 23 fumbles through 11 games, bettering NU's total of 17 in 13 games last season.

HELU JR. IS CATALYST OF NEBRASKA RUSHING ATTACK

Nebraska junior I-back **Roy Helu Jr.** emerged as one of the nation's top running backs early in the season, before being slowed by injury for several weeks. Helu's limited duty forced Nebraska to turn to a committee of backs to aid the junior. The past three weeks, it has been back to business as usual, as Helu was Nebraska's key offensive weapon in a 10-3 win over Oklahoma, keyed NU's fourth-quarter surge in the road victory at Kansas and played a big role in the win over Kansas State in Lincoln.

Helu rushed 20 times for 138 yards, an average of 6.9 yards per tote against the stingy OU defense. His rushing total was his best since a career-high 169 yards at Virginia Tech. Against Oklahoma, Helu also had a career-long 63-yard rush, bettering his 57-yard run at OU a year ago.

Helu posted his fourth 100-yard rushing game of the season with 156 yards on 28 carries at Kansas. Helu gained 86 yards on 12 carries in the fourth quarter, including a pair of touchdown runs in the final quarter. His three touchdowns on the day tied his career best. He added 95 yards and his 10th touchdown of the season against KSU.

When healthy, Helu Jr. has proven to be one of the Big 12 and nation's top backs. In an eight-game stretch including the final five games of 2008 and the first three in 2009, Helu had five 100-yard rushing games, including a career-high 169 yards at Virginia Tech and 152 yards and a career-high three touchdowns in the opener against Florida Atlantic. Helu has seven career 100-yard rushing games.

For the season, Helu has rushed for 1,057 yards and 10 touchdowns, and his average of 96.1 yards per game is fourth in the Big 12 and 31st nationally. Helu's average of 5.5 yards per carry is second in the Big 12.

The Danville, Calif., native showed the ability to be a workhorse against Virginia Tech. Helu carried the ball 28 times, including 17 times after intermission, helping Nebraska pick up 207 rushing yards in the game. Helu Jr. first broke out in 2009 against Florida Atlantic. After rushing for 57 yards on 11 first-half carries, Helu made the most of limited second-half work. The 6-0, 215-pounder had five carries in the second half, which resulted in 95 yards and a pair of touchdowns. The impressive work in 2009 has continued a trend of success for Helu.

HELU JR. IN NOVEMBER (2008 AND 2009)

2008
at Oklahoma—16 carries, 157 yards, TD
vs. Kansas—16 carries, 115 yards, 2 TD
at Kansas State—13 carries, 72 yards, 2 TD
vs. Colorado—25 carries, 166 yards
2009
Oklahoma—20 carries, 138 yards
at Kansas—28 carries, 156 yards, 3 TD
Kansas State—26 carries, 95 yards, TD



NEBRASKA QBs GAME-BY-GAME IN 2009

ZAC LEE

Game	A-C-I	Yards	TD	Long	Rush
FAU	15-22-1	213	2	51	2-14
ASU	27-35-0	340	4	43	7-11
VT	11-30-2	136	0	35	8-38
ULL	15-18-0	238	1	43	-(-2)
MU	14-33-0	158	3	56	8-7
TT	16-22-0	128	0	27	9-0
ISU	20-37-3	248	0	72	6-5
BU		Did Not Play			
OU	5-9-0	35	1	16	10-(-13)
KU	13-21-0	196	0	45	9-53
KSU	13-19-1	166	1	47	11-(-5)
Totals	149-246-7	1,858	12	72	73-108

Completion Pct.-60.6 %

CODY GREEN

Game	A-C-I	Yards	TD	Long	Rush
FAU	2-3-0	18	0	15	2-50-1
ASU	3-6-0	18	0	7	1-7
VT		Did Not Play			
ULL	7-8-0	62	1	24	3-22-1
MU		Did Not Play			
TT	7-16-1	87	1	30	2-1
ISU		Did Not Play			
BU	12-21-1	128	0	45	8-43
OU	2-5-0	4	0	8	6-8
KU		Did Not Play			
KSU		Did Not Play			
Totals	33-59-2	317	2	45	22-131-2

Completion Pct.-55.9 %

NU SINGLE-GAME RECEIVING YARDS

Niles Paul has posted two of the top nine receiving yardage games in school history in the past month.

Rank, Player, Game	Yards
1. Matt Davison, at Texas A&M, Oct. 10, 1998	167
2. Chuck Malito, at Hawaii, Dec. 4, 1976	166
3. Guy Ingles, vs. Oklahoma St., Oct. 25, 1969	163
4. Frantz Hardy, vs. Kansas, Sept. 30, 2006	159
5. Maurice Purify, at Kansas, Nov. 3, 2007	158
6. Niles Paul, at Kansas, Nov. 14, 2009	154
7. Frantz Hardy, vs. Maine, Sept. 3, 2005	152
8. Dennis Richnafs, at Kansas State, Oct. 7, 1967	145
9. Niles Paul, vs. Iowa State, Oct. 24, 2009	143
10. Frosty Anderson, vs. Wisconsin, Sept. 29, 1973	141

NU SINGLE-SEASON RECEIVING YARDS

Rank, Player, Year (Receptions)	Yards
1. Johnny Rodgers, 1972 (55)	942
2. Nate Swift, 2008 (63)	941
3. Johnny Rodgers, 1971 (53)	872
4. Maurice Purify, 2007 (57)	814
5. Todd Peterson, 2008 (62)	786
6. Irving Fryar, 1983 (40)	780
7. Marlon Lucky, 2007 (75)	705
8. Johnny Rodgers, 1970 (35)	665
9. Niles Paul, 2009 (33)	649
10. Nate Swift, 2005 (45)	641

PAUL GOING DEEP

(RECEPTIONS OF 35 YARDS OR MORE)

72 yards vs. Iowa State
 56 yards at Missouri (TD)
 47 yards vs. Kansas State
 45 yards at Kansas
 45 yards at Baylor
 37 yards at Kansas
 37 yards at Kansas
 35 yards at Kansas

► Over the past 15 regular-season games, Helu has rushed 263 times for 1,567 yards, an average of 5.96 yards per carry. In 2008, Helu averaged 6.4 yards on 125 carries, the best per carry average by a Husker in seven seasons.

► Helu has shined against top competition and in road environments. In Nebraska's past five games against ranked opponents, Helu has three 100-yard rushing games and a total of 599 yards on 92 carries for an average of 6.5 yards per carry. In seven road games since the beginning of the 2008 campaign, Helu has rushed for 757 yards on 119 carries, 6.4 yards per tote.

► Helu had runs of 20 and 30 yards in the fourth quarter at Kansas. He has 12 runs of 20+ yards this season and 20 rushes of at least 20 yards over his past 16 games.

► Helu owns three of the eight 150-yard rushing games by Big 12 players in 2009, and four of the top 12 rushing efforts in the league this season.

► Nebraska is 6-1 in November of the past two seasons in large part because of Helu. He has five 100-yard rushing games in the seven November games and has rushed for 899 yards, an average of 128.4 yards per game. Helu has averaged 6.2 yards per carry in the last two Novembers and scored nine touchdowns.

► Against Kansas State, Helu surpassed 1,000 rushing yards for the 2009 season and 2,000 career rushing yards. He posted the 29th 1,000-yard rushing season in school history (23 players) and is poised to make a push for the top 10 on the single-season list.

► Helu has moved up 29 spots on the Nebraska career rushing list this season. His 2,069 career yards place him 25th on that chart, making him the 25th player with at least 2,000 career rushing yards. Helu is just 127 yards from the top 20 on the Nebraska career rushing chart.

NEBRASKA OFFENSE RELYING ON RUN, AIMING FOR BALANCED ATTACK

Nebraska featured one of the nation's most balanced offenses in 2008 and is showing signs of similar balance in the stretch run of the 2009 season. Through 11 games, NU is averaging 147.7 rushing yards and 197.7 passing yards per game. Nebraska rushed for 214 yards at Kansas, while passing for 196 yards. The 214 rushing yards were Nebraska's most since a season-high 259 rushing yards in the season opener with Florida Atlantic.

► Nebraska has run the ball on 56 percent of its offensive snaps and thrown on 44 percent in 2009.

► Last season NU finished 37th nationally in rushing at 169.8 yards per contest. By improving its rushing average, Nebraska ranked in the top 40 nationally in all four major offensive statistical categories, one of just nine teams nationally to rank in the top 40 in all four major statistical categories. NU was 12th in total offense, 15th in passing offense and 17th in scoring.

The Nebraska offense has some impressive numbers under the direction of third-year coordinator Shawn Watson:

► Nebraska has gained 400 total yards or more in 18 of the past 29 games.

► Nebraska has 10 300-yard passing games in its last 29 outings and has passed for at least 200 yards in 23 of those 29 games. NU's 358 passing yards against Arkansas State marked the 10th-best total in school history and the Huskers' most since throwing for 484 yards at Colorado in 2007.

► Nebraska has scored at least 30 points in 17 of 27 games since late in the 2007 campaign.

PAUL SHOWING PLAY-MAKING ABILITY AS LEADER OF NU RECEIVERS AND TIGHT ENDS

Nebraska's offense features a deep group of receivers and tight ends. Nine wideouts have caught a pass and five tight ends have ended up in the receiving column.

Junior wide receiver Niles Paul has been the leader of NU's receiving corps with a team-high 33 receptions for a team-leading 649 yards, an average of 19.7 yards per catch. The Omaha native has three 100-yard receiving games in Big 12 Conference play, including 102 yards and a pair of touchdowns at Missouri, 143 yards on six catches against Iowa State and a career-high 154 yards on four catches at Kansas.

Paul's 154 yards receiving at Kansas were the sixth-most in school history and the best total by a Husker since Maurice Purify had 158 receiving yards at Kansas in 2007. Paul also totaled a career-high 244 all-purpose yards in the game and his 113.9 all-purpose yards per game ranks 10th in the Big 12. His 143 receiving yards against Iowa State are the ninth-most in school history.

The 6-1, 215-pound Paul has shown big-play ability with 10 catches of 20 yards or longer, including eight of 35 yards or more. Each of his four catches at Kansas covered at least 35 yards and his average of 38.5 yards per catch was the second-best in the Big 12 this season. He added a 47-yard catch against Kansas State to set up NU's final touchdown.

Paul's 19.7 yards per catch leads the Big 12 Conference and is among the most prolific pass catching seasons in Nebraska history.

► If he were to maintain his current average yards per reception, it would be the third-best per catch average ever for a Husker player with at least 20 receptions. Only Matt Herian, 2003 (22.0 ypc on 22 receptions) and Chuck Malito, 1976 (21.9 ypc on 33 receptions) have a better average yards per catch than Paul.

► With 33 catches in 2009, Paul has upped his career total to 57, tied for 22nd on the NU career receptions list.

► Paul's three 100-yard receiving games are tied for fifth on the NU season chart, just one shy of the record of four games topping the century mark. Maurice Purify (2007) and Nate Swift (2008) each had four 100-yard receiving games in the past two seasons.

► Paul has 649 receiving yards this season, good for ninth on the single-season yardage list. His 33 catches are nine catches from the top 10 on that season chart.

Junior tight end Mike McNeill also continues to be a featured weapon in the passing game. The 6-4, 240-pounder is second on the team with 24 catches for 237 yards. McNeill matched his season and career high with four catches at Kansas. He also caught four passes in each of the first two games this season. McNeill had a pair of touchdown catches against Arkansas State, his first career game with two touchdown catches. He added his third touchdown of the season in the fourth quarter at Missouri, then snared a 17-yard TD against Kansas State for his fourth of the year and 10th career TD.



GREEN EARNS RARE STARTS FOR HUSKER FROSH QUARTERBACK

True freshman quarterback **Cody Green** has started against Baylor and Oklahoma, becoming the first true freshman to start at quarterback for Nebraska since 1992. He played the entire game at Baylor, started against Oklahoma, but was replaced by Zac Lee in the second quarter. Lee played the whole game at Kansas.

At Baylor, Green was 12-21 for 128 passing yards. He added eight rushes for 43 yards and helped NU to a 20-10 win. The 6-4, 220-pound Green joined elite company in starting for Nebraska as a true freshman quarterback.

► Green was just the second true freshman quarterback to start for Nebraska, joining Tommie Frazier who started the final seven games of the 1992 campaign and helped the Cornhuskers to a Big Eight title.

► Like Green, Frazier made his first career start on the road, helping NU to a 34-24 win at Missouri on Oct. 24, 1992.

Green has passed for 32 yards and run for 131 yards this season, including a 49-yard run on his first career carry.

NEBRASKA AMONG LEADERS IN ASSOCIATED PRESS NATIONAL TITLES

Notre Dame leads the nation by winning eight Associated Press national titles since 1936, with Oklahoma (7), Alabama (6), Miami (5), USC (5), Nebraska (4) and Minnesota (4) next in line. While the Huskers were awarded the national title by the coaches in 1997, NU finished second to Michigan in the AP poll.

In 1970, Nebraska was awarded the AP national title, but not the coaches (Texas was first, Ohio State second and NU third) as the final poll was released before the bowl games were played. In the coaches poll (since 1950), Nebraska is tied for fourth with Miami and Texas with four titles, behind Alabama and Oklahoma with six apiece, and USC with five.



CONFERENCE CROWNS

Nebraska returns to the Big 12 Championship Game for the first time since 2006. NU's trip to Arlington, Texas will mark its fifth appearance in the conference title contest.

The Huskers played in three of the first four Big 12 title games. Nebraska is one of three teams to capture two or more Big 12 titles, joining Oklahoma with six and Texas with two. Kansas State, Texas A&M and Colorado each captured one Big 12 crown. Oklahoma leads the way with seven Big 12 title game appearances, followed by Nebraska and Texas with five each. NU and Texas will be meeting in the conference championship game for the third time (1996, 1999).

The Huskers have won 43 football conference championships overall, including eight under Coach Bob Devaney and 13 under Coach Tom Osborne. Oklahoma has won 37 conference championships to rank second behind NU among league schools.

BIG 12 HISTORY

Championship Game Participants

Year	North	South	Big 12 Champ
1996	Nebraska	Texas	Texas
1997	Nebraska	Texas A&M	Nebraska
1998	Kansas St.	Texas A&M	Texas A&M
1999	Nebraska	Texas	Nebraska
2000	Kansas St.	Oklahoma	Oklahoma
2001	Colorado	Texas	Colorado
2002	Colorado	Oklahoma	Oklahoma
2003	Kansas St.	Oklahoma	Kansas State
2004	Colorado	Oklahoma	Oklahoma
2005	Colorado	Texas	Texas
2006	Nebraska	Oklahoma	Oklahoma
2007	Missouri	Oklahoma	Oklahoma
2008	Missouri	Oklahoma	Oklahoma
2009	Nebraska	Texas	

McNeill posted a prolific sophomore season in 2008.

► McNeill set a position season record with 32 receptions, while his six touchdown receptions were just one shy of the position record.

► McNeill has six career games with at least 50 receiving yards. He had a streak of 17 games with at least one catch end at Baylor. McNeill has 12 career games with three or more receptions.

► McNeill has 57 career catches to tie for 22nd on the Nebraska career list. Only three Nebraska tight ends have more career catches than McNeill. Only a junior, McNeill is in strong position to shatter the Nebraska career tight ends reception record of 65 by Matt Herian.

YOUTH IS SERVED

Quarterback **Cody Green** started a pair of games in Big 12 play and is one of six true freshmen who have played this season, highlighted by the play of three Lone Star State rookies in the offensive backfield. Green has been joined by fellow Texas natives **Rex Burkhead** and **Dontrayevious Robinson** who have made a significant impact at I-back.

Burkhead, an I-back from Plano, Texas, was sidelined for five games with a foot injury, but returned to action against Kansas State. On the year, he has rushed 29 times for 135 yards and a touchdown and added nine catches for 75 yards and a score. Burkhead has also averaged 18.2 yards on four punt returns.

Robinson played special teams against Texas Tech in his first action of the year, and has made a big mark in the backfield since, leading NU in rushing against Iowa State and Baylor. Robinson rushed 15 times for 77 yards and a touchdown against Iowa State, then added 13 carries for 61 yards and a touchdown at Baylor.

Against Baylor, NU was led in rushing (Robinson), passing (Green) and receptions (Robinson) by true freshmen.

► The Baylor game marked the first time in school history that true freshmen have led Nebraska in rushing, passing and receptions.

► The game also marked the first time NU was led in each of those categories by three players with freshman classification since redshirt freshman quarterback **Eric Crouch** led Nebraska in rushing and passing in the 1998 Holiday Bowl against Arizona, while redshirt freshman tight end **Tracey Wistrom** led Nebraska in receptions in that contest.

► With Burkhead and Green both rushing for a touchdown against Florida Atlantic, they became the first pair of true freshmen in school history to each score a touchdown in a season opener since freshmen became eligible in 1973.

► Robinson's touchdown runs give Nebraska three true freshmen with rushing touchdowns, the only time in school history that has occurred.

► Fellow true freshmen **Antonio Bell** (wide receiver), **Eric Martin** (linebacker) and **P.J. Mangieri** (long snapper) have also seen the field, and junior-college transfers **Dejon Gomes** (cornerback) and **Brandon Kinnie** (wide receiver) have played in their first season at Nebraska. Bell has one reception this season, Martin has 10 tackles and blocked a punt that was returned for a touchdown at Baylor, while Mangieri has handled all of NU's long-snapping chores. Gomes has two interceptions, while Kinnie has 10 receptions.

HENERY AMONG NATION'S MOST ACCURATE PLACE-KICKERS

Junior place-kicker **Alex Henery** wrote another chapter in his impressive book of memorable moments at Nebraska with a strong performance at Virginia Tech. The Omaha native's right foot nearly provided all of the scoring the Huskers needed before falling 16-15.

Henery connected on 5-of-5 field goals in the game, marking the second highest field goal total in school history, trailing only Dale Klein's NU record seven field goals against Missouri in 1985. The game marked the fourth time in Henery's career he has kicked at least four field goals, as he made four against Western Michigan, Colorado and Clemson last season.

As if Henery's place-kicking performance against the Hokies was not enough, he also shined as NU's punter. In his first punt of the game, Henery avoided a VT rush and boomed a 76-yard punt that tied for the fourth-longest punt in Nebraska history. His play against Virginia Tech earned Henery Big 12 Special Teams Player-of-the-Week honors for the second time in his career.

The Virginia Tech game was 2009's best evidence why Henery is one of 20 semifinalists for the 2009 Lou Groza Award given annually to the nation's top kicker.

Henery entered 2009 as the most accurate kicker in school history and is among the nation's most accurate active field goal kickers. The Omaha native is 42-of-48 on field-goal attempts for an .875 accuracy rate, just behind Miami's Matt Boshier.

Henery is 16-of-19 on field goals this season, with his misses coming on a 54-yarder against Arkansas State, a 51-yarder against Texas Tech and a 43-yarder vs. Oklahoma. The miss against Oklahoma was just the second of Henery's career from inside 50 yards. In fact, it ended a streak of 25 straight made field goals from less than 50 yards. Henery connected on three field goals in NU's 31-17 win at Kansas, for his fourth multi-FG game of 2009 and ninth in his career.

Henery finished 2008 18-of-21 on field goals and 56-of-57 on extra-point tries. His 110 points led Nebraska and was the highest point total by a Cornhusker since Eric Crouch scored 116 points in 2001. Henery's total ranked eighth in school history and was the second-most ever by a Nebraska kicker, trailing only Kris Brown's 116 points in 1997.

Henery made all eight of his field goals as a redshirt freshman in 2008 and made his first 12 career field goals.

NEBRASKA CAREER SCORING

Player, Years	Points
1. Kris Brown, 1995-98	388
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5. Ahman Green, 1995-97	270
6. Johnny Rodgers, 1970-72	264
7. Alex Henery, 2007-present	258

NEBRASKA CAREER FG MADE

Player, Years	FGs
1. Kris Brown, 1995-98	57
2. Josh Brown, 1999-2002	43
3. Alex Henery, 2007-present	42

NEBRASKA SEASON FG MADE

Player, Year	FGs
1. Jordan Congdon, 2005	19
2. Alex Henery, 2008	18
Kris Brown, 1997	18
-- Alex Henery, 2009	16



STRONG SPECIAL TEAMS GIVING

NEBRASKA FIELD POSITION ADVANTAGE

Strong special teams play has helped Nebraska to an advantage in starting field position. On the season, Nebraska's average starting field position has been its own 33.2 while the opponents' average drive start has been the 26.9-yard line, an advantage of 6.3 yards per drive start. Against Louisiana-Lafayette, NU had better than a 24-yard edge in starting field position, and the Huskers have had a starting field position advantage in nine of 11 games.

► Nebraska has had seven games where its average starting field position was its 30-yard line or better. By contrast, Husker opponents have had an average starting field position beyond their own 30-yard line only twice.

HUSKERS' TOP 10 HOME CROWDS

No.	Attend.	Opponent	Date
1.	86,304	La.-Lafayette (W, 55-0)	Sept. 26, 2009
2.	86,115	Oklahoma (W, 10-3)	Nov. 7, 2009
3.	86,107	Texas Tech (L, 31-10)	Oct. 17, 2009
4.	85,998	Kansas State (W, 17-3)	Nov. 21, 2009
5.	85,938	Iowa State (L, 9-7)	Oct. 24, 2009
6.	85,831	Virginia Tech (L, 35-30)	Sept. 27, 2008
7.	85,800	Colorado (W, 37-14)	Nov. 24, 2006
8.	85,719	Florida Atlantic (W, 49-3)	Sept. 5, 2009
9.	85,486	Kansas (W, 45-35)	Nov. 8, 2008
10.	85,372	Missouri (L, 52-17)	Oct. 4, 2008

LARGEST CROWDS TO SEE NEBRASKA PLAY

No.	Opponent	Attend.
1.	at Penn State, Sept. 14, 2002	110,753
2.	Miami (Rose Bowl), Jan. 3, 2002	93,781
3.	Stanford (Rose Bowl), Jan. 1, 1941	92,000
	at USC, Sept. 16, 2006	92,000
5.	vs. Louisiana-Lafayette, Sept. 26, 2009	86,304
6.	vs. Oklahoma, Nov. 7, 2009	86,115
7.	vs. Texas Tech, Oct. 17, 2009	86,107
8.	vs. Kansas State, Nov. 21, 2009	85,998
9.	at Texas, Oct. 27, 2007	85,968
10.	vs. Iowa State, Oct. 24, 2009	85,938

home games in bold

NEBRASKA OWNS DOMINANT HOME EDGE AT MEMORIAL STADIUM

The Huskers surpassed the 300-sellout plateau in 2009, and Nebraska has rewarded the loyalty of its fans with incredible success at Memorial Stadium through the years.

► Nebraska has won at least six home games in 19 of the past 23 seasons (updated to include 2009). Nebraska is 129-18 at home in the last 21 seasons (since 1989).

► During Nebraska's run of success at home in the past 25 years, Nebraska has had three home winning streaks of 20 or more games, and has posted 40 unbeaten and untied home seasons.

► The Huskers are 498-137-20 (.776, 655 games, 120 years) in Lincoln, and 373-114-13 (.759, 500 games, 87 years) in Memorial Stadium (since 1923). Nebraska has had 41 straight winning home seasons.

Henery has moved into the top 10 on Nebraska's career scoring list, and should continue to make a mark in the record books this season.

► His 42 career field goals rank third on the Nebraska career list, trailing only Kris Brown (57) and Josh Brown (43). His total of 18 field goals last season tied for second on the NU season list and he is in position to challenge the school record of 19 this season.

► Henery is 132-of-133 (99.2) in his career on PAT attempts, currently bettering the career PAT conversion accuracy mark of .984 by Gregg Barrios (127-129). Henery is perfect on 31 PAT attempts this season and has made 55 straight extra-points dating back to last season.

► Henery's 258 points are seventh in school history. He is 12 points from fifth on the school's all-time scoring list. Henery is 18th nationally in career scoring among active players, with just two juniors ahead of Henery on that list.

HUSKER SPECIAL TEAMS MORE THAN HENERY

Alex Henery is the headliner in Nebraska's special teams efforts, but the Huskers have been far from a one-man show in that area. Henery has been very strong in his first season as the starting punter and Nebraska has excelled in a number of other special teams categories in 2009.

► Henery is averaging 41.4 yards on 59 punts, and has shown the ability to substantially help Nebraska gain field position. Henery has pinned the opposition inside the 20-yard line 22 times, including downing punts at the 1 and 3 yard-line against Kansas State last week. He has had 10 inside the 20 in the past five weeks, including a pair of first-half punts inside the Oklahoma 10. His 22 punts inside the 20 rank first in the Big 12, as do his 15 punts inside the 20 in conference games. Of Henery's 20 punts inside the 20, 13 of those have pinned the opposition inside their 10, with seven inside the opponent 3-yard line.

► Junior kicker **Adi Kunalic** has continued to be a major weapon on kickoffs in 2009. Kunalic has booted 24-of-60 kickoffs (40 percent) for touchbacks in 2009. Nebraska is third nationally in touchbacks. Kunalic has drilled 81-of-207 (39 percent) of his career kickoffs for touchbacks. Kunalic's kicking against Kansas State helped Nebraska limit dangerous return threat Brandon Banks to just 50 yards on three returns.

► Junior return man **Niles Paul** has proven to be a threat in both the kickoff and punt return game. Paul ranks second in the Big 12 in both kickoff and punt return average. Paul has eight kickoff returns and four punt returns of at least 20 yards this season, and his team-season-long 44-yard kickoff return at Kansas set up Nebraska's go-ahead score in the fourth quarter. Nebraska has 29 returns of 20 yards or longer as a team through 11 games.

► The Husker special teams provided the opening points in the Huskers' win over Baylor. **Eric Martin** blocked a Bear punt that was returned 25 yards for a score by redshirt freshman **Justin Blatchford**. Nebraska has five blocked kicks this season, most recently a blocked field goal in the first quarter against Oklahoma.

HUSKERS' RECORD STREAK REACHES 304 CONSECUTIVE SELLOUTS

One of the most remarkable streaks in collegiate sports reached another milestone on Sept. 26 against Louisiana-Lafayette when Nebraska celebrated the 300th consecutive sellout at Memorial Stadium. Nebraska fans celebrated in grand fashion, with a Memorial Stadium record crowd of 86,304 fans on hand for the historic event. The streak reached 304 consecutive games last week against Kansas State.

The sellout streak dates back to Hall of Fame Coach Bob Devaney's first year in 1962 (vs. Missouri on Nov. 3). Notre Dame is second in all-time consecutive sellouts with 214, 91 fewer than Nebraska.

A few other numbers to consider relative to Nebraska's sellout streak:

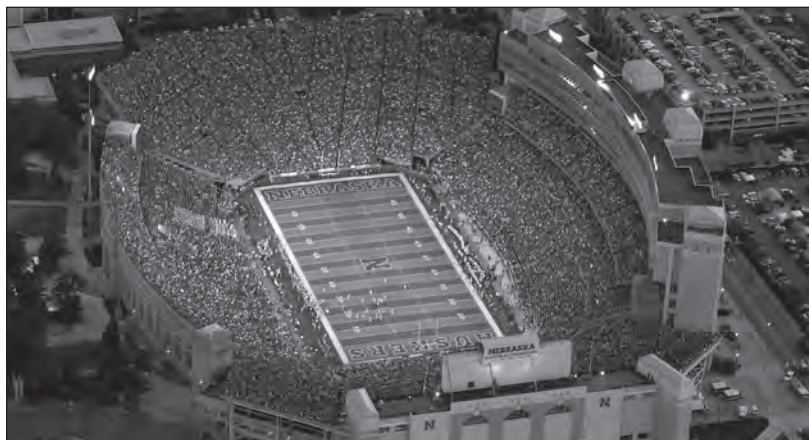
263-41—Nebraska's record during the 304 consecutive sellouts. The mark includes a 40-24 record against ranked teams.

6-0—Nebraska is perfect in the six milestone sellout games in the streak (50th, 100th, 150th, 200th, 250th and 300th sellouts), including the 55-0 win over Louisiana-Lafayette on Sept. 26.

75—When the Huskers defeated La.-Lafayette in the 300th sellout it marked the 75th opponent that Nebraska played during the streak.

35—The opponents in the sellout streak have come from 35 states.

22,558,448—The total number of fans who have passed through the Memorial Stadium gates during the 304 consecutive sellouts.





HUSKERS PROMINENT ON NATIONAL FOOTBALL LEAGUE ROSTERS

Nebraska has a long-standing tradition of placing large numbers of players in the NFL. Nebraska had 27 players on 2009 NFL opening-day rosters, and another four players on practice squads. The Huskers were represented on the rosters of 20 NFL teams entering the season. Nearly 40 former Huskers were in NFL training camps.



Nebraska owns one of the most impressive histories of any school in producing NFL-caliber players. Since the start of Big 12 play in 1996, Nebraska has led all Big 12 schools with 62 players selected in the NFL Draft. No other conference school has had more than 51 players chosen in that period. The Huskers have been especially impressive on defense, with 40 players chosen since 1997. No other Big 12 school has had more than 28.

Three Huskers were selected in the 2009 NFL Draft, marking the 40th consecutive season at least three Nebraska players were taken in the draft.

HUSKERS IN THE NFL

Player	Team
Ryon Bingham, DT	San Diego
Zack Bowman, CB	Chicago
Stewart Bradley, LB	Philadelphia (Injured Reserve)
Josh Brown, PK	St. Louis
Kris Brown, PK	Houston
Mike Brown, S	Kansas City
Ralph Brown, CB	Arizona
Correll Buckhalter, RB	Denver
Daniel Bullocks, S	Detroit (Injured Reserve)
Josh Bullocks, S	Chicago
Adam Carriker, DT	St. Louis (Injured Reserve)
Cody Glenn, LB	Indianapolis
Ahman Green, RB	Green Bay
Russ Hochstein, OL	Denver
Brandon Jackson, RB	Green Bay
Chris Kelsay, DE	Buffalo
Sam Koch, P	Baltimore
Carl Nicks, OL	New Orleans
Lydon Murtha, OL	Miami
Steve Octavien, LB	Dallas
Maurice Purify, WR	Cincinnati
Dominic Raiola, C	Detroit
Barrett Ruud, LB	Tampa Bay
Scott Shanle, LB	New Orleans
Matt Slauson, OL	New York Jets
Le Kevin Smith, DT	Denver
Kyle Vanden Bosch, DE	Tennessee
Fabian Washington, CB	Baltimore
Demorrio Williams, LB	Kansas City

Practice Squad

Titus Adams, DL	New England
Terrence Nunn, WR	New England
Chris Patrick, OL	Kansas City
Zach Potter, TE	Jacksonville

WISTROM HONORED AT ISU GAME

Former Nebraska great Grant Wistrom will become the 14th Cornhusker player inducted into the National Football Foundation/College Football Hall of Fame in December. The NFF/HOF honored Wistrom with an on-campus salute during the Iowa State game.

The 1997 Lombardi Award winner, Wistrom was a member of three national championship team and helped the Huskers to a 49-2 record during his career at Nebraska. Wistrom was a two-time All-American defensive end and two-time Big 12 Defensive Player-of-the-Year. He is Nebraska's all-time leader in tackles for loss and ranks second in sacks.

NEBRASKA FOOTBALL CONTINUES TO WIN IN THE CLASSROOM

Nebraska football has long been one of the nation's most successful programs on the field. Success in the classroom is also a cornerstone of the Nebraska football program.

NATION-LEADING TOTAL OF COSIDA ACADEMIC ALL-AMERICANS

Seniors Todd Peterson and Tyler Wortman were selected as second-team ESPN the Magazine/CoSIDA Academic All-Americans in 2008. The selection of Peterson and Wortman gave NU a nation-leading total of 98 CoSIDA Academic All-Americans in football. Nebraska also leads the nation in academic All-Americans with 269 academic All-Americans across all teams and all sports.

FOUR HUSKERS EARN ACADEMIC ALL-DISTRICT HONORS

Four Nebraska players were honored last week as CoSIDA/ESPN the Magazine Academic All-District VII selections. Leading the way was sophomore defensive back **Austin Cassidy** who was a first-team selection. Cassidy carries a 3.84 cumulative grade-point average in psychology, and advances to the ballot for Academic All-America honors. Senior receiver **Wes Cammack**, sophomore offensive tackle **Marcel Jones** and linebacker **Blake Lawrence** were second-team all-district picks.

HUSKER SENIORS ON TRACK FOR DEGREES

The 2009 Nebraska senior class boasts several members who are expected to complete their degree work before finishing their football eligibility.

► Senior guard Andy Christensen completed his undergraduate work in May of 2008 and is expected to complete his graduate degree in construction management by May of 2010.

► Ten other members of Nebraska's 14-man senior class are on track to complete their degree work in December and 13 of the 14 are likely to have earned their degrees by next May.

► In addition to the seniors who are expected to graduate, junior linebacker Blake Lawrence is on track to graduate in December, completing his degree work in just 2 ½ years. Junior defensive end Tyrone Fahie is also scheduled to pick up his bachelor's degree in December, while 2009 juniors D.J. Jones, Zac Lee, Mike McNeill and Mike Smith are all expected to finish their undergraduate work by May of 2010.

HUSKERS BOAST IMPRESSIVE TOTAL ON BIG 12 COMMISSIONER'S HONOR ROLL

The Nebraska football program had 49 student-athletes named to the Big 12 Commissioner's Spring Academic Honor Roll, an increase of seven over the same term a year ago. Among the group of 49 players, seven posted perfect 4.0 grade-point averages during the spring semester.

In the fall semester, Nebraska had 61 players named to the Big 12 Commissioner's Honor Roll, an improvement of 22 players over the 2007 fall semester. The Big 12 honor roll recognizes all student-athletes who earned a 3.0 grade-point average or better in the previous semester.

NEBRASKA AMONG LEADERS IN ACADEMIC ALL-BIG 12 SELECTIONS

Nebraska had 19 players named to the 2008 academic All-Big 12 team, including 13 first-team selections, and six second-team honorees. Nebraska's 19 honorees were the second-highest total in the Big 12 Conference.

Highlighting the Nebraska honorees were 2008 seniors Todd Peterson and Tyler Wortman and sophomore Thomas Grove. Wortman and Grove were among six student-athletes throughout the Big 12 who were recognized for having 4.0 grade-point averages either throughout their college careers or over the past calendar year. Peterson became the eighth football student-athlete in school history to be a four-time, first-team academic All-Big 12 selection (most recently Trevor Johnson and Judd Davies from 2000 to 2003).

First team members recorded a 3.20 or better GPA, while the second team were those with a 3.00 to 3.19 GPA.

NEBRASKA LEADS BIG 12 IN EXHAUSTED ELIGIBILITY GRADUATION RATES

Nebraska athletic teams continue to pace the Big 12 Conference in the classroom, leading the Big 12 in the exhausted eligibility graduation rate for the seventh consecutive year with an impressive 94 percent rate. Several Nebraska teams also earned strong scores in the Graduation Success Rate (GSR) Report released on Nov. 18 by the NCAA.

Nebraska continues to set the pace in the Big 12 in terms of Exhausted Eligibility graduation rates. The exhausted eligibility rate surveys the graduation rate of scholarship student-athletes in 10 incoming freshman classes who complete their eligibility at the university. Nebraska's exhausted eligibility rate has improved 22 percentage points since the inception of the rate in 1991-92.

Nebraska's 94 percent exhausted eligibility rate ranks one percentage point higher than Texas Tech, which ranks second in the Big 12 at 93 percent. The national average for exhausted eligibility is 87 percent.

In the GSR scores, the Nebraska football team posted a Big 12 best rate of 72 percent, one of seven teams to lead the Big 12 in GSR score.

The Graduation Success Rate is an NCAA measurement that, unlike the federally mandated graduation rates, includes transfer data in the calculation. This marks the fourth year the NCAA has released GSR rates.



NATIONAL RANKINGS

ASSOCIATED PRESS (NOV. 22)

No.	Team (1st)	Record	Points
1.	Florida (36)	11-0	1,463
2.	Alabama (13)	11-0	1,428
3.	Texas (11)	11-0	1,425
4.	TCU	11-0	1,309
5.	Cincinnati	10-0	1,245
6.	Boise State	11-0	1,218
7.	Georgia Tech	10-1	1,138
8.	Pittsburgh	9-1	1,041
9.	Ohio State	10-2	1,016
10.	Oregon	9-2	983
11.	Oklahoma State	9-2	793
12.	Penn State	10-2	773
13.	Iowa	10-2	766
14.	Virginia Tech	8-3	675
15.	Clemson	8-3	609
16.	Oregon State	8-3	541
17.	LSU	8-3	409
18.	BYU	9-2	399
19.	Miami	8-3	347
20.	Mississippi	8-3	333
21.	California	8-3	263
22.	Utah	9-2	249
23.	North Carolina	8-3	237
24.	USC	7-3	225
25.	Houston	9-2	199

USA TODAY COACHES (NOV. 22)

No.	Team (1st)	Record	Points
1.	Florida (47)	11-0	1,459
2.	Texas (4)	11-0	1,398
3.	Alabama (8)	11-0	1,388
4.	TCU	11-0	1,279
5.	Cincinnati	10-0	1,224
6.	Boise State	11-0	1,181
7.	Georgia Tech	10-1	1,125
8.	Ohio State	10-2	1,031
9.	Pittsburgh	9-1	1,021
10.	Oregon	9-2	941
11.	Penn State	10-2	843
12.	Oklahoma State	9-2	815
13.	Iowa	10-2	714
14.	Virginia Tech	8-3	656
15.	BYU	9-2	510
16.	Clemson	8-3	467
17.	LSU	8-3	463
18.	Oregon State	8-3	450
19.	Utah	9-2	318
20.	Houston	9-2	305
21.	Miami	8-3	266
22.	USC	7-3	261
23.	Nebraska	8-3	191
24.	North Carolina	8-3	167
25.	Mississippi	8-3	165

HUSKERS IN THE 2009 POLLS

Date	AP	C	H	Results
Pre.	24	22	--	Def. Florida Atlantic, 49-3
9-8	22	18	--	Def. Arkansas State, 38-9
9-13	19	18	--	Lost to Virginia Tech, 16-15
9-20	25	24	--	Def. La.-Lafayette, 55-0
9-27	23	24	24	idle
10-4	21	22	21	Def. Missouri, 27-12
10-11	15	17	19	Lost to Texas Tech, 31-10
10-18	RV	RV	RV	Lost to Iowa State, 9-7
10-25	--	--	--	Def. Baylor, 20-10
11-1	--	--	RV	Def. Oklahoma, 10-3
11-8	RV	RV	RV	Def. Kansas, 31-17
11-15	RV	25	25	Def. Kansas State, 17-3
11-22	RV	23	24	

NEBRASKA POSSIBLE STARTERS AT A GLANCE

OFFENSE

Pos.-Player	Yr.	Ht/Wt	Notable
WR (X)-Khiry Cooper	RFr.	6-2/195	13 receptions, one TD/Fifth-round pick by Angels in 2008 MLB Draft
WR (Z)-Niles Paul**	Jr.	6-1/215	Three 100-yard receiving games/Leads Big 12 in yards per reception (19.7)
TE-Mike McNeill**	Jr.	6-4/240	57 career receptions/Only three tight ends have more catches at NU
-or- Dreu Young**	Jr.	6-4/250	Walk-on given scholarship in August/Avg. 17.8 yards on three catches
LT-Mike Smith**	Jr.	6-6/295	Began Nebraska career as defensive end/22 career starts
LG-Keith Williams**	Jr.	6-5/315	Has 17 career starts, including eight in 2009 after early-season injuries
C-Jacob Hickman***	Sr.	6-4/290	Anchor of Nebraska offensive line has started 34 games in career
RG-Ricky Henry	Jr.	6-4/300	Omaha native has moved into starting role after redshirting in 2008
RT-Marcel Jones*	So.	6-7/310	Has ability to play both tackle spots/12 career starts
-or- D.J. Jones*	Jr.	6-5/315	Filled in for injured Marcel Jones for most of Kansas State contest
QB-Zac Lee	Jr.	6-2/215	142 yards from the ninth 2,000-yard passing season in NU history
FB-Tyler Legate	RFr.	5-10/225	TD catch vs. Baylor/Increased action has sparked NU power run game
IB-Roy Helu Jr.**	Jr.	6-0/215	Has seven career 100-yard rushing games, five of those in November

DEFENSE

Pos.-Player	Yr.	Ht/Wt	Notable
LDE-Barry Turner***	Sr.	6-3/265	Fifth-year senior made has 14.5 career sacks, including 3 in 2009
DT-Ndamukong Suh***	Sr.	6-4/300	At least one TFL in 19 of 22 games/6 career blocked kicks one from NU record
DT-Jared Crick*	So.	6-6/285	NU record with five sacks, seven TFL vs. Baylor/National Defensive POW
RDE-Pierre Allen**	Jr.	6-5/265	Career-best two sacks and three TFL vs. TT/10-35 TFL in 2009
WILL-Phillip Dillard***	Sr.	6-1/240	Ranks 18th in Big 12 in tackles pg (6.9), eighth in conference games (7.7)
MIKE-Will Compton	RFr.	6-2/225	33 total tackles, including six vs. Mizzou/Shared first career sack vs. TT
BUCK-Sean Fisher	RFr.	6-6/230	Omaha native has 33 tackles, including career-high nine vs. Iowa State
LCB-Prince Amukamara**	Jr.	6-1/200	Team leader with 10 PBU/15th nationally in passes defended/50 tackles
S-Matt O'Hanlon***	Sr.	5-11/200	Six takeaways including team-high four INT and two fumble recoveries
S-Larry Asante**	Sr.	6-1/215	Third on team with 64 tackles/Six or more tackles seven times in 2009
RCB-Alfonzo Dennard*	So.	5-10/190	Sat out K-State game after 11 combined tackles in previous two games
-or- Anthony West**	Jr.	6-0/200	16 career starts at cornerback/Led Nebraska in PBU in 2008
NICKEL-Eric Hagg**	Jr.	6-2/205	Versatile defender has 35 tackles, including six TFL and two sacks in 2009

SPECIAL TEAMS

Pos.-Player	Yr.	Ht/Wt	Notable
PK-Alex Henery**	Jr.	6-2/175	42-of-48 in career on FG/Nine career multi-FG games, four in 2009
P-Alex Henery**	Jr.	6-2/175	Avg. 41.4 yards per punt/Big 12-best 22 downed inside 20-yard line
KO-Adi Kunalic**	So.	6-0/190	Among national leaders in touchbacks past two years/24 in 2009
LS-P.J. Mangieri	Fr.	6-4/250	True freshman walk-on took over for three-year starter T.J. O'Leary
H-Brett Maher	RFr.	6-0/170	Walk-on doubles as Henery's backup at punter
PR-Niles Paul**	Jr.	6-1/215	Career-long 55-yard return at VT/Averaging 8.6 yards per return
KOR-Niles Paul**	Jr.	6-1/215	NU season-long 44-yarder at KU set up go-ahead score/113.9 all-purpose pg
KOR-Tim Marlowe	RFr.	5-10/175	Youngstown, Ohio native attended same HS as Pelinis/Avg. 24.7 ypr



2009 NEBRASKA CORNHUSKERS ROSTER

Lettermen in **bold**; *Indicates Letters Earned

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Yr.	Hometown (High School/College)
95	** Allen, Pierre	DE	6-5	265	Jr.	Denver, Colo. (Thomas Jefferson)
21	** Amukamara, Prince	CB	6-1	200	Jr.	Glendale, Ariz. (Apollo)
70	Anderson, Kenny	DE	6-2	250	RFr.	Omaha, Neb. (Millard West)
9	Ankrah, Jason	DE	6-4	255	Fr.	Gaithersburg, Md. (Quince Orchard)
4	** Asante, Larry	S	6-1	215	Sr.	Alexandria, Va. (Hayfield/Coffeyville CC)
70	Ash, Nick	OL	6-5	270	Fr.	Keller, Texas
66	Barrett, Cruz	OL	6-4	310	Jr.	Daytona Beach, Fla. (Mainland)
91	Barry, Robert	TE	6-8	220	Fr.	Battle Creek, Neb.
2	Bell, Antonio	WR	6-2	180	Fr.	Daytona Beach, Fla. (Mainland)
39	Blatchford, Justin	CB	6-1	195	RFr.	Ponca, Neb.
14	* Blue, Anthony	CB	5-10	185	So.	Cedar Hill, Texas
9	Broekemeier, Joe	QB	6-4	210	Jr.	Aurora, Neb. (Aurora)
1	* Brooks, Chris	WR	6-2	215	Sr.	St. Louis, Mo. (Hazelwood East)
22	Burkhead, Rex	RB	5-11	200	Fr.	Plano, Texas
22	Camarata, Joseph	LB	5-10	225	RFr.	Overland Park, Kan. (Rockhurst)
82	*** Cammack, Wes	WR	5-11	200	Sr.	DeWitt, Neb. (Tri-County)
58	* Caputo, Mike	OL	6-1	275	So.	Omaha, Neb. (Millard North)
8	Cassidy, Austin	S	6-1	210	So.	Lincoln, Neb. (Southwest)
51	Chapek, Brandon	OL	6-5	325	Fr.	Wahoo, Neb. (Bishop Neumann)
77	Choi, Seung Hoon	OL	6-2	295	RFr.	Lincoln, Neb. (Christian)
62	** Christensen, Andy	OL	6-3	305	Sr.	Bennington, Neb.
42	Clark, Tyson	WR	6-4	190	Fr.	Lincoln, Neb. (East)
71	Coffey, Jesse	OL	6-7	300	Fr.	Denton, Texas (Guyer)
51	Compton, Will	LB	6-2	225	RFr.	Bonne Terre, Mo. (North County)
6	Cooper, Khiry	WR	6-2	195	RFr.	Shreveport, La. (Calvary Baptist Academy)
81	Cotton, Ben	TE	6-6	250	RFr.	Ames, Iowa
94	* Crick, Jared	DT	6-6	285	So.	Cozad, Neb.
95	Daake, Tyler	P/PK	6-2	195	Fr.	Norfolk, Neb. (Norfolk Catholic)
27	Damkroger, Jon	P/PK	6-1	190	So.	Firth, Neb. (Norris/Nebraska-Omaha)
31	Dean, Jase	CB	6-0	185	RFr.	Bridgeport, Neb.
15	* Dennard, Alfonso	CB	5-10	190	So.	Rochelle, Ga. (Wilcox County)
52	*** Dillard, Phillip	LB	6-1	240	Sr.	Tulsa, Okla. (Jenks)
87	Dixon, Taylor	WR	5-11	190	RFr.	Wauneta, Neb. (Wauneta-Palisade)
32	Ebke, Jim	S	6-0	210	So.	Lincoln, Neb. (East/South Dakota State)
92	Fahie, Tyrone	DE	6-3	255	Jr.	Virginia Beach, Va. (Ocean Lakes)
35	Failla, Nick	WR	5-10	175	Fr.	Omaha, Neb. (Millard North)
42	Fisher, Sean	LB	6-6	230	RFr.	Omaha, Neb. (Millard North)
11	* Gilleylen, Curenski	WR	6-0	215	So.	Leander, Texas
91	Glassman, Dan	DE	6-4	250	Jr.	Omaha, Neb. (Creighton Prep)
7	Gomes, Dejon	CB	6-0	190	Jr.	Hayward, Calif. (Logan/City College of San Francisco)
11	Green, Andrew	DB	6-0	175	Fr.	San Antonio, Texas (James Madison)
17	Green, Cody	QB	6-4	220	Fr.	Dayton, Texas
41	** Grove, Thomas	LB	6-2	225	Jr.	Arlington, Neb.
28	** Hagg, Eric	S	6-2	205	Jr.	Peoria, Ariz. (Ironwood)
80	Harvey, David	DE	6-4	270	Sr.	LaPlata, Md. (McDonough)
30	* Hays, Mike	FB	6-1	235	So.	Papillion, Neb. (Papillion-LaVista)
10	** Helu Jr., Roy	IB	6-0	215	Jr.	Danville, Calif. (San Ramon Valley)
90	** Henery, Alex	PK/P	6-2	175	Jr.	Omaha, Neb. (Burke)
74	Henry, Ricky	OL	6-4	300	Jr.	Omaha, Neb. (Burke/N.D. State College of Science)
8	** Henry, Will	WR	6-5	215	Jr.	El Paso, Texas (J.M. Hanks)
67	*** Hickman, Jacob	OL	6-4	290	Sr.	Bakersfield, Calif. (Centennial)
80	* Hill, Ryan	TE	6-3	250	So.	Arvada, Colo. (West)
35	* Holt, Matt	LB	6-0	200	So.	Lee's Summit, Mo. (West)
18	*** Holt, Menelik	WR	6-4	220	Sr.	San Diego, Calif. (St. Augustine)
57	Hron, Mitch	LB	6-2	220	Fr.	Schuyler, Neb.
85	Hyland, KC	WR	6-6	210	RFr.	Lincoln, Neb. (Pius X)
58	Jackson, Justin	DL	6-3	270	RFr.	Roca, Neb. (Norris)
29	Jameson, Seth	S	6-1	180	Fr.	Southlake, Texas (Southlake Carroll)
28	Jones, Austin	IB	5-10	210	So.	Aurora, Colo.
73	* Jones, D.J.	OL	6-5	315	Jr.	Omaha, Neb. (Central)
52	Jones, Dwight	OL	6-4	245	Fr.	Gretna, Neb.
78	* Jones, Marcel	OL	6-7	310	So.	Phoenix, Ariz. (Trevor Browne)
78	Kanne, Colin	DL	6-4	250	Fr.	Omaha, Neb. (Millard West)
12	Kellogg III, Ron	QB	6-1	215	Fr.	Omaha, Neb. (Westside)
89	Kerr, J.T.	TE	6-4	245	Fr.	San Diego, Calif. (Scripps Ranch)
4	Kildow, Ty	WR	5-7	165	Fr.	Omaha, Neb. (Millard South)
84	Kinnie, Brandon	WR	6-3	215	So.	Kansas City, Mo. (Grandview/Fort Scott CC)
85	Klingelhofer, Faron	DT	6-2	255	So.	Amherst, Neb. (Amherst/Nebraska-Kearney)
54	* Koehler, Colton	LB	6-1	230	Sr.	Harvard, Neb. (Harvard/Nebraska Wesleyan)
44	Kreikemeier, Micah	LB	6-3	220	RFr.	West Point, Neb. (Central Catholic)

NUMERICAL ROSTER

No.	Name.....	Position
1	* Chris Brooks	WR
1	** Adi Kunalic	PK
2	Antonio Bell	WR
2	Lazarri Middleton	DB
3	Taylor Martinez	QB
3	*** Rickey Thenarse	S
4	** Larry Asante	S
4	Ty Kildow	WR
5	Zac Lee	QB
5	** Anthony West	CB
6	Khiry Cooper	WR
7	Dejon Gomes	CB
7	Kody Spano	QB
8	Austin Cassidy	S
8	** Will Henry	WR
9	Jason Ankrah	DE
9	Joe Broekemeier	QB
10	** Roy Helu Jr.	IB
10	Dijon Washington	DB
11	* Curenski Gilleylen	WR
11	Andrew Green	DB
12	Ron Kellogg III	QB
12	Courtney Osborne	S
13	P.J. Smith	S
14	* Anthony Blue	CB
14	Lester Ward	IB
15	* Alfonzo Dennard	CB
15	** Latravis Washington	QB
16	Wil Richards	DB
16	Adam Watson	DB
17	Cody Green	QB
18	*** Menelik Holt	WR
21	** Prince Amukamara	CB
21	Steven Osborne	WR
22	Rex Burkhead	RB
22	Joseph Camarata	LB
23	* Lance Thorell	CB
24	** Niles Paul	WR
25	Kyler Reed	TE
26	Tim Marlowe	WR
27	Jon Damkroger	P/PK
27	Dontrayevous Robinson	RB
28	** Eric Hagg	S
28	Austin Jones	IB
29	Seth Jameson	S
29	Collins Okafor	IB
30	* Mike Hays	FB
31	Jase Dean	CB
31	C.J. Zimmerer	RB
32	Jim Ebke	S
32	Marcus Mendoza	IB
33	*** Matt O'Hanlon	S
34	Cameron Meredith	DE
35	Nick Failla	WR
35	* Matt Holt	LB
36	* Mathew May	LB
37	Tyrone Lewis	LB
37	Kevin Thomsen	LB
38	Graham Stoddard	LB
39	Justin Blatchford	CB
41	** Thomas Grove	LB
41	Jake Long	TE
42	Tyson Clark	WR
42	Sean Fisher	LB
43	Brent Moravec	S
44	Micah Kreikemeier	LB
44	** Mike McNeill	TE



No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Yr.	Hometown (High School/College)
93	Kuhl, Adam	LS	6-2	270	Fr.	Maple Valley, Iowa (Maple Valley Community)
1	** Kunalic, Adi	PK	6-0	190	Jr.	Fort Worth, Texas (North Crowley)
5	Lee, Zac	QB	6-2	215	Jr.	San Francisco, Calif. (St. Ignatius Prep/City College of San Francisco)
48	Legate, Tyler	FB	5-10	225	RFr.	Neligh, Neb. (Neligh-Oakdale/South Dakota)
37	Lewis, Tyrone	LB	6-2	195	Fr.	Lincoln, Neb. (North Star)
75	Lingenfelter, Luke	OL	6-4	275	So.	Plainview, Neb.
41	Long, Jake	TE	6-4	220	Fr.	Elkhorn, Neb.
81	Long, Spencer	DE	6-4	250	Fr.	Elkhorn, Neb.
96	Maher, Brett	P/PK	6-0	170	RFr.	Kearney, Neb.
92	Mangieri, P.J.	LS	6-4	250	Fr.	Peoria, Ill. (Dunlap)
49	Manninger, Matt	LB	6-1	220	RFr.	Omaha, Neb. (Creighton Prep)
26	Marlowe, Tim	WR	5-10	175	RFr.	Youngstown, Ohio (Cardinal Mooney)
63	* Martin, Ben	DT	6-4	260	Jr.	Lincoln, Neb. (Southwest)
46	Martin, Eric	LB	6-2	215	Fr.	Moreno Valley, Calif. (Rancho Verde)
88	Martin, Jay	LB	6-2	230	So.	Waverly, Neb.
3	Martinez, Taylor	QB	6-1	185	Fr.	Corona, Calif. (Centennial)
36	* May, Mathew	LB	6-1	215	So.	Imperial, Neb. (Chase County)
86	McClure, Mychael	TE	6-5	235	RFr.	Wisner, Neb. (Wisner-Pilger)
65	McDermott, Colin	DE	6-2	250	RFr.	Omaha, Neb. (Creighton Prep)
66	McDermott, Conor	DE	6-2	250	RFr.	Omaha, Neb. (Creighton Prep)
44	** McNeill, Mike	TE	6-4	240	Jr.	Kirkwood, Mo.
67	Meginnis, Sam	LS/LB	6-2	225	RFr.	Lincoln, Neb. (East)
32	Mendoza, Marcus	WR	5-10	190	So.	Houston, Texas (Spring Woods)
34	Meredith, Cameron	DE	6-4	260	RFr.	Santa Ana, Calif. (Mater Dei)
63	Meyer, Derek	OL	6-5	315	Sr.	Campbell, Neb. (Silver Lake/Kansas State)
2	Middleton, Lazarri	DB	6-1	175	Fr.	Long Beach, Calif. (Poly)
68	Molek, Josh	DT	6-3	245	RFr.	Omaha, Neb. (Skutt Catholic)
90	* Moore, Terrence	DT	6-3	285	So.	New Orleans, La. (McDonogh 35)
43	Moravec, Brent	S	6-0	185	RFr.	Grand Island, Neb. (Central Catholic)
69	Nickens, Brodrick	OL	6-5	285	Fr.	Alliance, Neb.
33	*** O'Hanlon, Matt	S	5-11	200	Sr.	Bellevue, Neb. (Bellevue East)
29	Okafor, Collins	IB	6-1	225	RFr.	Omaha, Neb. (Westside)
12	Osborne, Courtney	S	6-3	195	RFr.	Garland, Texas (South Garland)
21	Osborne, Steven	WR	6-4	200	RFr.	Garland, Texas (South Garland)
83	Partington, Joseph	WR	6-2	190	So.	Grand Island, Neb. (Central Catholic/Nebraska-Omaha)
24	** Paul, Niles	WR	6-1	215	Jr.	Omaha, Neb. (North)
56	Paulsen, Devin	LB	6-2	210	Fr.	Lincoln, Neb. (Lincoln Christian)
62	Pensick, Cole	DL	6-2	250	Fr.	Lincoln, Neb. (Northeast)
76	Qvale, Brent	OL	6-7	330	Fr.	Williston, N.D.
53	Randle, Thaddeus	DL	6-1	260	Fr.	Galena Park, Texas (North Shore)
25	Reed, Kyler	TE	6-3	230	RFr.	Shawnee, Kan. (St. Thomas Aquinas)
16	Richards, Wil	DB	5-11	195	Fr.	Lee's Summit, Mo. (Lee's Summit West)
27	Robinson, Dontrayevous	RB	6-1	215	Fr.	Euless, Texas (Trinity)
57	Sirles, Jeremiah	OL	6-6	310	Fr.	Lakewood, Colo. (Bear Creek)
65	** Smith, Mike	OL	6-6	295	Jr.	Las Vegas, Nev. (Palo Verde)
13	Smith, P.J.	S	6-2	210	RFr.	River Ridge, La. (John Curtis)
7	Spano, Kody	QB	6-2	215	RFr.	Stephenville, Texas
59	Starkebaum, Colby	LB	6-1	195	Fr.	Sterling, Colo.
55	Steinkuhler, Baker	DT	6-6	290	RFr.	Lincoln, Neb. (Southwest)
38	Stoddard, Graham	LB	6-2	230	RFr.	Lincoln, Neb. (Southwest)
93	*** Suh, Ndamukong	DT	6-4	300	Sr.	Portland, Ore. (Grant)
3	*** Thenarse, Rickey	S	6-0	205	Sr.	Los Angeles, Calif. (Jordan)
79	Thompson, Brandon	OL	6-6	295	RFr.	The Woodlands, Texas
37	Thomsen, Kevin	LB	6-2	235	So.	Elkhorn, Neb.
23	* Thorell, Lance	CB	6-1	195	So.	Loomis, Neb.
59	Thorson, Brian	OL	6-3	280	RFr.	Omaha, Neb. (Millard North)
90	Toailoa, Quentin	OL	6-4	295	RFr.	Highland, Calif. (Redlands East Valley)
99	*** Turner, Barry	DE	6-3	265	Sr.	Antioch, Tenn. (Brentwood Academy)
14	Ward, Lester	IB	6-3	215	RFr.	Brenham, Texas
10	Washington, Dijon	DB	6-0	175	Fr.	Lawndale, Calif. (Leuzinger)
15	** Washington, Latravis	QB	6-3	225	Jr.	Bradenton, Fla. (Bayshore)
16	Watson, Adam	WR	6-0	185	Jr.	Lincoln, Neb. (Niwot [Colo.])
47	Wells, Brett	TE	6-4	190	Fr.	St. Paul, Neb.
5	** West, Anthony	CB	6-0	200	Jr.	San Diego, Calif. (Point Loma)
45	Whaley, Alonzo	LB	6-1	225	RFr.	Madisonville, Texas
48	Williams, Chris	LB	6-0	220	Fr.	Abilene, Texas
98	Williams, Josh	DE	6-4	245	RFr.	Denton, Texas (Ryan)
68	** Williams, Keith	OL	6-5	315	Jr.	Florissant, Mo. (McClure North)
49	** Young, Dreu	TE	6-4	250	Jr.	Cozad, Neb.
31	Zimmerer, C.J.	RB	6-0	220	Fr.	Omaha, Neb. (Gross)

45	Alonzo Whaley	LB
46	Eric Martin	LB
47	Brett Wells	TE
48	Tyler Legate	FB
48	Chris Williams	LB
49	Matt Manninger	LB
49	** Dreu Young	TE
50	Quentin Toailoa	OL
51	Brandon Chapek	OL
51	Will Compton	LB
52	*** Phillip Dillard	LB
52	Dwight Jones	OL
53	Thaddeus Randle	DL
54	* Colton Koehler	LB
55	Baker Steinkuhler	DT
56	Devin Paulsen	LB
57	Mitch Hron	LB
57	Jeremiah Sirles	OL
58	* Mike Caputo	OL
58	Justin Jackson	DL
59	Colby Starkebaum	LB
59	Brian Thorson	OL
62	** Andy Christensen	OL
62	Cole Pensick	DL
63	* Ben Martin	DT
63	Derek Meyer	OL
65	Colin McDermott	DE
65	** Mike Smith	OL
66	Cruz Barrett	OL
66	Conor McDermott	DE
67	*** Jacob Hickman	OL
67	Sam Meginnis	LS/LB
68	Josh Molek	DT
68	** Keith Williams	OL
69	Brodrick Nickens	OL
70	Kenny Anderson	DE
70	Nick Ash	OL
71	Jesse Coffey	OL
73	* D.J. Jones	OL
74	Ricky Henry	OL
75	Luke Lingenfelter	OL
76	Brent Qvale	OL
77	Seung Hoon Choi	OL
78	* Marcel Jones	OL
78	Colin Kanne	DL
79	Brandon Thompson	OL
80	David Harvey	DE
80	* Ryan Hill	TE
81	Ben Cotton	TE
81	Spencer Long	DE
82	*** Wes Cammack	WR
83	Joseph Partington	WR
84	Brandon Kinnie	WR
85	KC Hyland	WR
85	Faron Klingelhoefer	DT
86	Mychael McClure	TE
87	Taylor Dixon	WR
88	Jay Martin	LB
89	J.T. Kerr	TE
90	** Alex Henery	PK/P
90	* Terrence Moore	DT
91	Robert Barry	TE
91	Dan Glassman	DE
92	Tyrone Fahie	DE
92	P.J. Mangieri	LS
93	Adam Kuhl	LS
93	*** Ndamukong Suh	DT
94	* Jared Crick	DT
95	** Pierre Allen	DE
95	Tyler Daake	P/PK
96	Brett Maher	P/PK
98	Josh Williams	DE
99	*** Barry Turner	DE



NEBRASKA DEPTH CHART-COLORADO

OFFENSE

Pos.	No.	Name, Ht., Wt., Yr.
WR X	6	Khiry Cooper, 6-2, 195, RFr. -OR-
	84	Brandon Kinnie, 6-3, 215, So. -OR-
	18	Menelik Holt, 6-4, 220, Sr. -OR-
	1	Chris Brooks, 6-2, 215, Sr.
LT	65	Mike Smith, 6-6, 295, Jr.
	78	Marcel Jones, 6-7, 310, So.
LG	68	Keith Williams, 6-5, 315, Jr.
	63	Derek Meyer, 6-5, 315, Sr.
C	67	Jacob Hickman, 6-4, 290, Sr.
	58	Mike Caputo, 6-1, 275, So.
RG	74	Ricky Henry, 6-4, 300, Jr.
	62	Andy Christensen, 6-3, 305, Sr.
RT	78	Marcel Jones, 6-7, 310, So. -OR-
	73	D.J. Jones, 6-5, 315, Jr.
TE	44	Mike McNeill, 6-4, 240, Jr. -OR-
	49	Dreu Young, 6-4, 250, Jr.
	81	Ben Cotton, 6-6, 250, RFr. -OR-
	25	Kyler Reed, 6-3, 230, RFr. -OR-
WR Z	80	Ryan Hill, 6-3, 250, So.
	24	Niles Paul, 6-1, 215, Jr.
	11	Curenski Gilleylen, 6-0, 215, So.
	2	Antonio Bell, 6-2, 180, Fr.
QB	8	Will Henry, 6-5, 215, Jr.
	82	Wes Cammack, 5-11, 200, Sr.
	5	Zac Lee, 6-2, 215, Jr. -OR-
	17	Cody Green, 6-4, 220, Fr.
IB	15	Latravis Washington, 6-3, 225, Jr.
	10	Roy Helu Jr., 6-0, 215, Jr.
FB	22	Rex Burkhead, 5-11, 200, Fr.
	27	Dontrayevous Robinson, 6-1, 215, Fr.
FB	48	Tyler Legate, 5-10, 225, RFr.
	30	Mike Hays, 6-1, 235, So.

DEFENSE

Pos.	No.	Name, Ht., Wt., Yr.
LDE	99	Barry Turner, 6-3, 265, Sr.
	34	Cameron Meredith, 6-4, 260, RFr.
DT	93	Ndamukong Suh, 6-4, 300, Sr.
	90	Terrence Moore, 6-3, 285, So.
DT	94	Jared Crick, 6-6, 285, So.
	55	Baker Steinkuhler, 6-6, 290, RFr.
RDE	95	Pierre Allen, 6-5, 265, Jr.
	98	Josh Williams, 6-4, 245, RFr.
WILL	52	Phillip Dillard, 6-1, 240, Sr.
	36	Mathew May, 6-1, 215, So.
MIKE	51	Will Compton, 6-2, 225, RFr.
	54	Colton Koehler, 6-1, 230, Sr.
BUCK	42	Sean Fisher, 6-6, 230, RFr.
	46	Eric Martin, 6-2, 215, Fr.
LCB	21	Prince Amukamara, 6-1, 200, Jr.
	7	Dejon Gomes, 6-0, 190, Jr.
SS	4	Larry Asante, 6-1, 215, Sr.
	13	P.J. Smith, 6-2, 210, RFr. -OR-
FS	28	Eric Hagg, 6-2, 205, Jr.
	33	Matt O'Hanlon, 5-11, 200, Sr.
	28	Eric Hagg, 6-2, 205, Jr. -OR-
	8	Austin Cassidy, 6-1, 210, So. -OR-
RCB	12	Courtney Osborne, 6-3, 195, RFr.
	15	Alfonzo Dennard, 5-10, 190, So. -OR-
RCB	5	Anthony West, 6-0, 200, Jr.

SPECIAL TEAMS

Pos.	No.	Name, Ht., Wt., Yr.
PK	90	Alex Henery, 6-2, 175, Jr.
	1	Adi Kunalic, 6-0, 190, Jr.
P	90	Alex Henery, 6-2, 175, Jr.
	96	Brett Maher, 6-0, 170, RFr.
LS	92	P.J. Mangieri, 6-4, 250, Fr.
	67	Sam Meginnis, 6-2, 225, RFr.
KO	1	Adi Kunalic, 6-0, 190, Jr.
HOLD	96	Brett Maher, 6-0, 170, RFr.
KOR	24/26	Niles Paul/Tim Marlowe
	15/11	Alfonzo Dennard/Curenski Gilleylen
PR	24	Niles Paul, 6-1, 215, Jr.
	26	Tim Marlowe, 5-10, 175, RFr.

CAREER STARTS

OFFENSE

Jacob Hickman, Sr., C.....	34
Mike McNeill, Jr., TE.....	23
Mike Smith, Jr., OT.....	22
Keith Williams, Jr., OG.....	17
Niles Paul, Jr., WR.....	15
Roy Helu Jr., Jr, IB.....	13
Marcel Jones, Soph., OT.....	12
Ricky Henry, Jr., OG.....	11
Dreu Young, Jr., TE.....	11
Menelik Holt, Sr., WR.....	9
Andy Christensen, Sr., OG.....	9
Zac Lee, Jr., QB.....	9
Khiry Cooper, RFr., WR.....	4
Derek Meyer, Sr., OG.....	3
Tyler Legate, So., FB.....	2
Curenski Gilleylen, Soph. WR.....	2
Cody Green, Fr., QB.....	2
Kyler Reed, RFr., TE.....	1
Ben Cotton, RFr., TE.....	1

DEFENSE

Ndamukong Suh, Sr., DT.....	35
Larry Asante, Sr., SS.....	33
Barry Turner, Sr., DE.....	24
Pierre Allen, Jr., DE.....	22
Matt O'Hanlon, Sr., S.....	20
Eric Hagg, Jr., S.....	18
Anthony West, Jr., CB.....	16
Phillip Dillard, Sr., LB.....	14
Prince Amukamara, Jr., CB.....	14
Jared Crick, Soph., DT.....	11
Will Compton, RFr., LB.....	7
Alfonzo Dennard, Soph., CB.....	6
Lance Thorell, Soph., CB.....	6
Sean Fisher, RFr., LB.....	5
Rickey Thenarse, Sr., S.....	5
Dejon Gomes, Jr., DB.....	4
Anthony Blue, Soph., CB.....	2
Matt Holt, Soph., LB.....	1
Colton Koehler, Sr., LB.....	1

SPECIAL TEAMS

Alex Henery, Jr., PK.....	36
Adi Kunalic, Jr., KO.....	36
Alex Henery, Jr., P.....	11

PRONUNCIATION

Larry Asante.....	uh-SAHN-tay
Prince Amukamara.....	ah-moo-kuh-mare-uh
Khiry Cooper.....	KY-ree
Alfonzo Dennard.....	DEN-ard
Tyrone Fahie.....	FOY
Curenski Gilleylen.....	GILL-uh-len
Roy Helu Jr.....	HEL-lou
Menelik Holt.....	men-uh-leek
Faron Klingelhoefer.....	fair-in
Micah Kreikemeier.....	crack-meyer
Colton Koehler.....	KAY-ler
Adi Kunalic.....	ah-dee Kuh-NALEK
Tyler Legate.....	lug-GATE
Brent Qvale.....	kwal-lee
Baker Steinkuhler.....	STINE-kooler
Ndamukong Suh.....	en-dom-ah-ken SUE
Rickey Thenarse.....	tuh-NARSE
Quentin Toailoa.....	toe-uh-LOA

Ndamukong Suh



Awards and Honors

- 2009 Lombardi Award Finalist (one of four)
- 2009 Bronko Nagurski Finalist (one of five)
- 2009 Walter Camp National Player of the Year "Players to Watch" (one of 15)
- 2009 Chuck Bednarik Award Semifinalist
- 2009 Lott Trophy Semifinalist
- 2009 Sporting News Mid-Season All-American
- 2009 Big 12 Preseason Defensive Player of the Year (coaches)
- 2009 Preseason All-American (numerous media outlets)
- Big 12 Defensive Player of the Week
(vs. Kansas, 2008, vs. Missouri, 2009)
- Walter Camp National Defensive Player of the Week
(vs. Missouri, 2009)
- FWA National Defensive Player of the Week (vs. Missouri, 2009)
- Lott Trophy Impact Player of the Week
(vs. Missouri, 2009, vs. Iowa State, 2009)
- 2008 First-Team All-Big 12 (Associated Press, Dallas Morning News, Kansas City Star, San Antonio Express-News)
- 2008 Second-Team All-Big 12 (Coaches)
- 2008 Nebraska Defensive MVP
- 2006 First-Team Freshman All-Big 12 (Sporting News)

*It's as simple as En-dom-uh-ken.
Or just go with Big Suh.*

Year	G	No.	Yds.	Avg.	Long	TB	FC	I20	50+	Blk
2007	12/0	1	32	32.0	32	0	0	1	0	0
2008	13/0	None								
2009	11/11	59	2,444	41.4	76	5	3	22	10	1
Totals	36/11	60	2,476	41.3	76	5	3	23	10	1

Henery ranks 18th nationally among active players in scoring with only two juniors ahead of him on the list.

- *He and Ndamukong Suh are the only defensive tackle combo in the nation to rank 1-2 on a team for total tackles*

• *Walter Camp National Defensive Player of the Week (vs. Baylor, 2009)* • *FWAA Bronko Nagurski National Defensive Player of the Week (vs. Baylor, 2009)* • *Big 12 Conference Defensive Player of the Week (vs. Baylor, 2009)*

---Tackles---

Year	G/S	UT	AT	TT	TFL	Sacks	FF-FR	BK	PBU	PI	QBH
2008	9/0	1	1	2	0-0	0.0-0	0-0	0	1	0	0
2009	11/11	27	38	65	14-59	9.0-53	2-0	1	3	0	14
Totals	20/11	28	39	67	14-59	9.0-53	2-0	1	4	0	14

1 vs. Florida Atlantic (FG)

- Tied Nebraska single-game record for tackles for loss (7 TFLs for 28 yards lost) against Baylor in 2009

- Has 49 career receptions for 455 yards

• 2009 Doak Walker Award candidate • 2009 Maxwell Award Watch List • 2008 Honorable-Mention All-Big 12

Year	G/S	Att.	Gain	Loss	Net	Y/A	Y/G	Long	TD
2007	7/0	45	212	3	209	4.6	29.9	24 at Kansas	0
2008	13/2	125	839	36	803	6.4	61.8	57 at Oklahoma	7
2009	11/11	193	1,095	38	1,057	5.5	96.1	63 vs. Oklahoma	10
Totals	31/13	363	2,146	77	2,069	5.7	66.7	63 vs. Oklahoma	17

<i>Opponent</i>	<i>Att.</i>	<i>Yards</i>	<i>TD</i>
Florida Atlantic	16	152	3
Arkansas State	14	60	0
at Virginia Tech	28	169	0
La.-Lafayette	15	83	2
at Missouri	18	88	1
Texas Tech	16	68	0
Iowa State	5	24	0
at Baylor	7	24	0
Oklahoma	20	138	0
at Kansas	28	156	3
Kansas State	26	95	1
Colorado			

1 (3) vs. Florida Atlantic
4 (44) vs. Arkansas State
4 (33) at Virginia Tech
2 (11) vs. La-Lafayette
None at Missouri
1 (27) vs. Texas Tech
3 (13) vs. Iowa State
1 (3) at Baylor
3 (15) vs. Oklahoma
None at Kansas
None vs. Kansas State

155 vs. Florida Atlantic
104 vs. Arkansas State
202 at Virginia Tech
94 vs. La.-Lafayette
88 at Missouri
95 vs. Texas Tech
37 vs. Iowa State
27 at Baylor
153 vs. Oklahoma
156 at Kansas
95 vs. Kansas State

63 vs. Oklahoma

18 two times

<i>Yards</i>	<i>Opponent</i>	<i>Result</i>
63	Oklahoma	1st-10
44	Florida Atlantic	Touchdown
41	Missouri	1st-G
39	Louisiana-Lafayette	1st-G
31	Virginia Tech	1st-10
30	Kansas	1st-10
29	Virginia Tech	1st-10
28	Florida Atlantic	1st-10
25	Oklahoma	1st-10
20	Kansas	Touchdown
20	Virginia Tech	1st-10
20	Virginia Tech	1st-10

<i>Player, Years</i>	<i>Yards</i>
1. Mike Rozier, 1981-83	4,780
2. Ahman Green, 1995-97	3,880
3. Eric Crouch, 1998-01	3,434
4. Calvin Jones, 1991-93	3,153
5. Ken Clark, 1987-89	3,037
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22. Tony Davis, 1973-75	2,153
23. Steve Taylor, 1985-88	2,125
24. Monte Anthony, 1974-77	2,077
25. Roy Helu Jr., 2007-present	2,069

CORNHUSKERS TO WATCH



ADI KUNALIC
Place-Kicker
Junior | 6-0 | 190
Fort Worth, Texas

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SEASON HIGHS

Kickoff Attempts – 10 vs. ULL; Touchbacks – 6 vs. ULL.

CAREER STATISTICS

Year	G/GS	PAT	FG	KO	TB
2007	12/0	1-1	1-1	81	29
2008	13/0	0-0	0-0	66	28
2009	11/0	0-0	0-0	60	24
Totals	36/0	1-1	1-1	207	81

2009 GAME BY GAME

Florida Atlantic: Team's primary kickoff specialist for third straight year... opened season with eight kickoffs for 69.0-yard average... added two touchbacks. **Arkansas State:** Posted five touchbacks on seven kickoffs... averaged 69.4 yards per kickoff. **Virginia Tech:** Had six kickoffs for 69.2-yard average... also had three touchbacks while helping NU win field-position battle. **Louisiana-Lafayette:** Had a busy day with 10 kickoffs... averaged season-best 70.0 yards per kickoff, including booting season-best six touchbacks. **Missouri:** Only had one touchback on six kickoffs in sloppy weather... despite poor conditions, still averaged 63.3 yards per kickoff. **Texas Tech:** Had three kickoffs for average of 68.0 yards per kick... recorded one touchback. **Iowa State:** Posted two kickoffs, averaging 70.0 ypk. **Baylor:** Game captain... had six kickoffs for 69.2 ypk... added three touchbacks. **Oklahoma:** Had three kickoffs for a 70.0-yard average... added one touchback. **Kansas:** Recorded six kickoffs, averaging 66.3 yards per kick despite a strong wind... had one touchback. **Kansas State:** Recorded four kickoffs for 69.8 average and one touchback... helped limit KSU's dangerous return man Brandon Banks to just 50 yards on three returns.



LARRY ASANTE
Safety
Senior | 6-1 | 215
Alexandria, Va.

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SEASON HIGHS

Tackles – 10 vs. KSU; Sacks – None; Tackles for Loss – 1 at Baylor; QB Hurries – None; PBUs – 2 vs. FAU, at MU; Interceptions – 1 vs. ULL, vs. KSU.

CAREER STATISTICS

Year	G/GS	TT	INT	PBU
2007	12/10	78	0	4
2008	13/12	67	1	4
2009	11/11	64	2	7
Totals	36/33	209	3	15

2009 GAME BY GAME

Florida Atlantic: Second on team with seven tackles, including three solos... added career-best two PBU, two fewer than career season best. **Arkansas State:** Led the team with eight tackles, including seven solo stops... was impressive all day long, adding a forced fumble and helping Blackshirts hold ASU to just 274 total yards. **Virginia Tech:** Provided six tackles including three solo stops... added one pass breakup. **Louisiana-Lafayette:** Recorded 74-yard interception return for TD to put NU ahead 34-0 at halftime... it was NU's first INT return for a score by a defensive back since 2002... added two solo tackles on the night. **Missouri:** Tied for third on team with six tackles, including five assists... added two pass breakups while helping NU hold MU to just 134 yards passing. **Texas Tech:** Recorded three tackles, all assists. **Iowa State:** Had three tackles, including one

solo stop. **Baylor:** Tied for second on team with six tackles, including three solo... had first TFL of season with two-yard stop behind line of scrimmage... added one PBU. **Oklahoma:** Finished second on team with eight tackles, including five solo stops... added one pass breakup. **Kansas:** Posted five stops, including two solos, to rank third on the team. **Kansas State:** Had most productive game of the season with team-best and season-high 10 tackles, including four solos... added second interception of the season... forced fumble at the 1-yd. line as KSU was going in for a score, turning the table for the Huskers.



ZAC LEE
Quarterback
Junior | 6-2 | 215
San Francisco, Calif.

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SEASON HIGHS

Attempts – 37 vs. ISU; Completions – 27 vs. ASU; Passing Yards – 340 vs. ASU; Long Pass – 72 vs. ISU; Passing TDs – 4 vs. ASU; Rushes – 11 vs. KSU; Rushing Yards – 53 at KU.

CAREER STATISTICS

Year	G/GS	Comp.-Att.-Int.	Yards	TD
2007	-- Redshirt --			
2008	2/0	1-2-0	5	0
2009	10/9	149-246-7	1,858	12
Totals	12/9	150-248-7	1,863	12

2009 GAME BY GAME

Florida Atlantic: Solid in first career start with 213 yards on 15-of-22 passing including two TD... helped NU average 8.6 total offense yards per play. **Arkansas State:** Posted first career 300-yard game with 340 yards on 27-of-35 passing... tossed four TDs without an interception... completed passes to 11 players. **Virginia Tech:** Completed just 11-of-30 pass attempts for 136 yards in a defensive slugfest... marked third straight game with completion of at least 35 yards... rushed eight times for 38 yards, helping NU to 207 yards on the ground. **Louisiana-Lafayette:** Rebounded with strong performance, completing 15-of-18 pass attempts for 238 yards... tossed 4-yard scoring pass to Chris Brooks... hit three receivers with five long (20-plus yards) pass plays. **Missouri:** Struggled early but led NU on four scoring drives in fourth-quarter comeback... finished just 14-of-33 passing but had three TD passes in less than three minutes... tossed 56-yard TD to Niles Paul, longest pass of his career. **Texas Tech:** Completed 16-of-22 pass attempts for 128 yards... had nine rushes for zero yards after being sacked four times. **Iowa State:** Game captain... completed 20-of-37 pass attempts for 248 yards... recorded career-long 72-yard pass to Niles Paul... had three passes intercepted, matching total in first six games combined. **Baylor:** Did not play. **Oklahoma:** Came off bench to complete 5-of-9 passes for 35 yards and a TD... first play from scrimmage was 1-yard pass for game's only TD. **Kansas:** Tossed four long passes to Niles Paul to finish 13-of-21 for 196 yards passing... helped Husker ground game by posting a career-high 53 rushing yards on nine carries... added career-long 32-yard run. **Kansas State:** Ran an efficient offense that scored on opening possession of each half... had career-high 11 rushes... finished 13-of-19 passing for 166 yards... added a second-quarter touchdown throw to tight end Mike McNeill.



ANTHONY WEST
Cornerback
Junior | 6-0 | 200
San Diego, Calif.

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SEASON HIGHS

Tackles – 2 vs. FAU, vs. ULL; Sacks – None; Tackles for Loss – None; QB Hurries – None; PBUs – 1 vs. FAU; Interceptions – None.

CAREER STATISTICS

Year	G/GS	TT	INT	PBU
2007	11/0	6	0	0
2008	12/11	29	2	9
2009	9/4	8	0	3
Totals	32/15	43	2	12

2009 GAME BY GAME

Florida Atlantic: Posted one of team's six PBU's in season opener... added two solo tackles. **Arkansas State:** Started second straight game of season but did not record a tackle. **Virginia Tech:** Doubled his season total by posting three tackles, including two assists. **Louisiana-Lafayette:** Recorded two tackles, including one solo stop. **Missouri:** Did not play. **Texas Tech:** Played in third and fourth quarters on defense but did not have a tackle. **Iowa State:** Played but did not record a tackle. **Baylor:** Made one tackle but had a pair of pass breakups. **Oklahoma:** Played but did not record a tackle. **Kansas:** Played but did not record a tackle. **Kansas State:** Returned to starting lineup as Alfonzo Dennard sat out with injury... had three solo stops to tie season high for tackles... helped NU limit Wildcats to just 153 passing yards.



KHIRY COOPER
Wide Receiver
R-Freshman | 6-2 | 195
Shreveport, La.

6

SEASON HIGHS

Receptions – 3 vs. TTTU, at BU, at KU; Receiving Yards – 26 vs. ULL; Touchdowns – 1 vs. TTU; Long – 17 vs. ULL.

CAREER STATISTICS

Year	G/GS	No.	Yards	TD
2009	9/4	13	80	1
Totals	9/4	13	80	1

2009 GAME BY GAME

Florida Atlantic: Did not have a catch. **Arkansas State:** Made first reception of career with six-yard catch. **Virginia Tech:** Did not play. **Louisiana-Lafayette:** Had two catches for 26 yards, including season-long 17-yarder. **Missouri:** Did not make a reception. **Texas Tech:** Made first career start... added three catches for 23 yards... picked up first touchdown reception of career on 13-yarder from Cody Green. **Iowa State:** Injured - did not play. **Baylor:** Posted three catches for 12 yards. **Oklahoma:** Did not have a reception. **Kansas:** Had three catches for third time in last four games played... receptions went for a total of five yards. **Kansas State:** Made one catch for eight yards.

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DEJON GOMES

Cornerback
Junior | 6-0 | 190
Hayward, Calif.

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SEASON HIGHS

Tackles – 8 at KU; Sacks – None; Tackles for Loss – 1 at MU, at KU; QB Hurries – 1 vs. ISU, vs. OU, at KU; PBUs – 2 at KU; Interceptions – 1 at MU, at BU.

CAREER STATISTICS

Year	G/GS	TT	PBU	INT
2009	10/4	38	5	2
Totals	10/4	38	5	2

2009 GAME BY GAME

Florida Atlantic: First career appearance... finished with two tackles including a solo stop. **Arkansas State:** Played on defense but did not record a tackle. **Virginia Tech:** Did not play. **Louisiana-Lafayette:** Had two tackles with one solo... added a forced fumble as Nebraska rolled to 55-0 victory. **Missouri:** Came off bench to play significant minutes... posted five tackles, including three solo stops... had more tackles than first three games combined... added a TFL for two yards and a pass breakup... set up NU's third TD in four minutes with a 40-yard intercept on return to the MU 10. **Texas Tech:** Made first career start... finished third on team with six tackles, including two solo stops. **Iowa State:** Posted two tackles, including one solo stop... added second pass breakup of season. **Baylor:** Posted just three tackles but still made two big plays... added second INT of season in end zone to kill a Baylor drive... added a forced fumble. **Oklahoma:** Started third game of season, finishing with five tackles including three solo... added a breakup, one of 12 Husker PBUs on the night... also had second career QB hurry. **Kansas:** Had possibly his best game of season with team-high eight tackles, including five solo stops... added second career TFL for three yards... also forced a fumble (recovered by Matt O'Hanlon) deep in Nebraska territory to stop KU drive... had season-best two pass breakups and added a quarterback hurry. **Kansas State:** Posted five tackles including three solos... three of his tackles were on special teams.



ROY HELU JR.

I-Back
Junior | 6-0 | 215
Danville, Calif.

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SEASON HIGHS

Attempts – 28 at VT, at KU; Rushing Yards – 169 at VT; Long Rush – 63 vs. OU; Touchdowns – 3 vs. FAU, at KU; Receptions – 4 vs. ASU, at VT; Receiving Yards – 44 vs. ASU.

CAREER STATISTICS

Year	G/GS	Att.	Yards	TD
2007	7/0	45	209	0
2008	13/2	125	803	7
2009	11/11	193	1,057	10
Totals	31/13	363	2,069	17

2009 GAME BY GAME

Florida Atlantic: Led the Husker offense with 152 rushing yards on 16 carries... set career best with three TDs... fifth career 100-yard rushing game... helped NU average 8.1 yards per rush. **Arkansas State:** Game captain... paced Nebraska on the ground with 60 yards... added versatility to the offense with four receptions out of backfield for 44 yards. **Virginia Tech:** Continued his strong play on the road against ranked teams, piling up a career-best 169 rushing yards... nearly matched

carry total from first two games (30) with 28 totes vs. Hokies... had four runs of at least 20 yards... averaged 6.0 yards per carry against strong Hokie defense... led the team with four catches for 33 yards while compiling 202 all-purpose yards. **Louisiana-Lafayette:** Led team with 83 rushing yards on 15 carries... added two rushing TDs... turned backward pass into 39-yard run to set up another score... added two catches. **Missouri:** Posted 88 yards on ground during Husker comeback win... scored on 5-yard run which he set up with 41-yard scamper one play before. **Texas Tech:** Gained 68 yards on 16 carries with a long of 11 yards... added one reception for 27 yards on 3rd down to keep NU's first scoring drive alive. **Iowa State:** Had five carries for 24 yards... added three catches for 13 yards. **Baylor:** Game captain... had seven carries for 24 yards... added one catch for three yards. **Oklahoma:** Got back on track with another impressive performance against a ranked team... had 20 carries for 138 rushing yards, including career-long 63-yard run... averaged 6.9 yards per rush... added team-best three catches for 15 yards, giving him 158 of the team's 180 total yards. **Kansas:** Posted second straight 100-yard rushing effort with 156 yards on season-high-tying 28 carries... helped NU to second-highest rushing total (214) of the season... had two rushing TD and recovered a fumble in the end zone for a third score... rushed for 85 yards in on NU's last two drives of fourth quarter to seal the victory with a pair of scores. **Kansas State:** Just missed out on third straight 100-yard rushing game... finished with 95 yards on 26 carries... added final points of game with a 14-yard touchdown run in the third quarter, his 10th TD of season... improved season totals to 1,057 yards on the ground, the 29th 1,000-yard rushing season in NU history... also became 25th Husker with 2,000 career rushing yards as he finished game with 2,069.



CURENSKI GILLEYLEN

Wide Receiver
Sophomore | 6-0 | 215
Leander, Texas

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SEASON HIGHS

Receptions – 4 vs. FAU; Receiving Yards – 92 vs. FAU; Touchdowns – 1 vs. FAU; Long – 51 vs. FAU.

CAREER STATISTICS

Year	G/GS	No.	Yards	TD
2007	-- Redshirt --			
2008	11/0	2	11	0
2009	8/2	16	299	1
Totals	19/2	18	310	1

2009 GAME BY GAME

Florida Atlantic: Paced the receiving corps with four catches for 92 yards and his first career TD... four catches were two more than last season's total... also provided key downfield block on Menelik Holt's 28-yard TD catch and run. **Arkansas State:** Game captain... caught just one pass, a 43-yarder to the ASU 3 to set up NU's first TD of game... has at least one catch of 40-or-more yards in two consecutive games. **Virginia Tech:** Had only one reception but made it count, going 35 yards on the play... catch marked third straight game with a catch of at least 35 yards. **Louisiana-Lafayette:** Continued showing big-play ability, recording two catches for team-high 85 yards... first reception was 42 yards and set up Nebraska's second FG... added 43-yard catch on NU's first scoring drive of second half. **Missouri:** Had three catches for just 14 yards, snapping streak of four straight games with catch of at least 35 yards. **Texas Tech:** Caught two passes for 12 yards. **Iowa State:** Had three receptions for 18 yards. **Baylor:** Did not play. **Oklahoma:** Did not play. **Kansas:** Did not play. **Kansas State:** Played but did not have a catch.



ALFONZO DENNARD

Cornerback
Sophomore | 5-10 | 190
Rochelle, Ga.

15

SEASON HIGHS

Tackles – 6 vs. OU; Sacks – None; Tackles for Loss – 1 at MU, vs. TTU, vs. ISU, vs. OU; QB Hurries – None; PBUs – 2 vs. ISU; Interceptions – None.

CAREER STATISTICS

Year	G/GS	TT	PBU	INT
2008	12/0	5	0	0-0
2009	10/6	27	7	0-0
Totals	22/6	32	7	0-0

2009 GAME BY GAME

Florida Atlantic: Had strong hand in season opener, finishing with three tackles... nearly matched season total from 2008 when he had five tackles in 12 games. **Arkansas State:** Played on special teams and defense but did not record a tackle. **Virginia Tech:** Had one assisted tackle. **Louisiana-Lafayette:** Played on special teams and defense but did not record a tackle. **Missouri:** Made first career start at cornerback as Huskers opened in dime package... recorded four tackles, including three solo stops... added first career tackle for loss of four yards... also had first career pass breakup as NU held Tigers to 134 yards passing. **Texas Tech:** Started second straight game... added two tackles, including solo tackle for loss of one yard... added team's only pass breakup of the game. **Iowa State:** Had five tackles, including three solo stops... added second career TFL for one yard... had career-best two pass breakups, matching career total entering the game. **Baylor:** Had one tackle and one pass breakup before leaving with injury in first half. **Oklahoma:** Posted career-best six tackles, including four solos, to rank fifth on team... added fourth TFL of the season... also had a pass breakup before leaving with injury. **Kansas:** Had five solo stops to rank third on the team and just one off career best a week before... added a pass breakup, one of five on the day for NU. **Kansas State:** Injured -- did not play.



CODY GREEN

Quarterback
Freshman | 6-4 | 220
Dayton, Texas

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SEASON HIGHS

Pass Attempts – 21 at BU; Completions – 12 at BU; Passing Yards – 128 at BU; Long Pass – 45 at BU; Passing TDs – 1 vs. ULL, vs. TTU; Rushes – 8 at BU; Rushing Yards – 50 vs. FAU.

CAREER STATISTICS

Year	G/GS	Comp.-Att.-Int.	Yards	TD
2009	6/2	33-59-2	308	2
Totals	6/2	33-59-2	308	2

Year	G/GS	Att.	Rush Yds.	TD
2009	6/2	22	131	2
Totals	6/2	22	131	2

2009 GAME BY GAME

Florida Atlantic: Played first career game as true freshman, seeing action on the first two drives of the fourth quarter... completed 2-of-3 pass attempts, but made an impression with his speed, racing 49 yards down the sideline for NU's longest run of day. **Arkansas State:** Completed 3-of-6 passes in backup role. **Virginia Tech:** Did not play. **Louisiana-Lafayette:** Directed the offense efficiently, hitting 7-of-8 pass attempts for 62 yards... tossed first career TD with 24-yard shovel pass to Rex Burkhead... added 24-yard rushing TD to cap

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Nebraska's 55-0 victory. **Missouri:** Did not play. **Texas Tech:** Came off the bench in second half... led NU on its only TD drive of the game, a 6-yard scoring pass to fellow freshman Khiry Cooper... completed 7-of-16 pass attempts... strong throw led to season-long pass play of 30 yards to Menelik Holt. **Iowa State:** Did not play. **Baylor:** Made first career start, becoming only second true freshman in NU history to start at QB (also Tommie Frazier, 1992)... went 12-of-21 for 128 yards with one interception... had career-long 45-yard pass to Niles Paul to set up NU's second TD... added eight rushes for 43 yards. **Oklahoma:** Started game and played into second quarter before being replaced... connected on 2-of-5 pass attempts for four yards... added six carries for eight yards. **Kansas:** Did not play. **Kansas State:** Did not play.



MENELIK HOLT

Wide Receiver
Senior | 6-4 | 220
San Diego, Calif.

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SEASON HIGHS

Receptions – 3 vs. FAU; Receiving Yards – 45 vs. FAU; Touchdowns – 1 vs. FAU; Long – 30 vs. TTU.

CAREER STATISTICS

Year	G/GS	No.	Yards	TD
2006	8/0	0	0	0
2007	12/0	4	97	0
2008	12/4	30	355	1
2009	11/5	15	175	1
Totals	43/9	49	627	2

2009 GAME BY GAME

Florida Atlantic: Scored first points of season with second career TD on 28 yard catch-and-run... added three receptions for 45 yards. **Arkansas State:** Second on team with five receptions for 40 yards... one of 14 Huskers with a catch on the day. **Virginia Tech:** One of seven receivers with a catch, posting one reception for 13 yards. **Louisiana-Lafayette:** Did not record a catch. **Missouri:** Caught two balls for 26 yards, including long of 18. **Texas Tech:** Made two receptions, including a season-long 30-yarder from Cody Green... finished with 34 receiving yards. **Iowa State:** Recorded two catches for 17 yards. **Baylor:** Played on special teams but did not have a reception. **Oklahoma:** Played on special teams but did not have a catch. **Kansas:** Played but did not record a catch. **Kansas State:** Played but did not have a reception.



PRINCE AMUKAMARA

Cornerback
Junior | 6-1 | 200
Glendale, Ariz.

21

SEASON HIGHS

Tackles – 9 at MU; Sacks – 1.0 vs. ASU, at KU; Tackles for Loss – 1 vs. ASU, at VT, at KU; QB Hurries – None; PBUs – 3 at BU; Interceptions – 1 vs. FAU, at BU, vs. OU.

CAREER STATISTICS

Year	G/GS	TT	INT	PBU
2007	8/0	4	0	0
2008	13/3	34	0	3
2009	11/11	50	3	10
Totals	32/14	88	3	13

2009 GAME BY GAME

Florida Atlantic: Recorded team's second INT of season, his first career pick... added six tackles, including three solo. **Arkansas State:** Had second straight strong game as starter with seven tackles... added second career sack... posted two PBUs, nearly matching his career

total of three entering the game. **Virginia Tech:** Ranked fourth on team with six tackles, including team-high four solo stops... added one tackle for loss (-2 yards) marking second straight game with TFL... helped Huskers limit Hokie ground game to just 86 yards rushing. **Louisiana-Lafayette:** Recorded two tackles, including one solo stop... added a forced fumble. **Missouri:** Led team with nine tackles, including seven assists, in one of best games of career... added two pass breakups while helping NU hold Tigers to 134 yards passing and 225 total yards. **Texas Tech:** Recorded four tackles on the day, including two solo stops. **Iowa State:** Had three tackles on the day, including two solo stops... already set personal season best with 37 tackles to date. **Baylor:** Had best statistical game of career with four solo tackles while adding an interception and three pass breakups... three PBUs nearly matched season total entering the game (4) and were as many as he had all last year. **Oklahoma:** Had just two solo tackles, but made one of biggest plays of the game with NU's first interception of the night... returned the pick 22 yards to the OU 1, setting up the only TD of the game one play later... the INT was his third of the season... also added team-best two pass breakups as NU had 12 PBUs in the game. **Kansas:** Had four solo stops... added second career sack with first-quarter stop for nine yards lost... also had a pass breakup for third straight game and fifth game overall this season. **Kansas State:** Had three tackles... added four-yard fumble return on recovery of Larry Asante's forced fumble at 1-yd. line as KSU was going in to score.



REX BURKHEAD

I-Back
Freshman | 5-11 | 200
Plano, Texas

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SEASON HIGHS

Attempts – 9 vs. FAU; Rushing Yards – 39 vs. FAU; Long Rush – 16 vs. ASU; Touchdowns – 1 vs. FAU; Receptions – 4 vs. ULL; Receiving Yards – 26 vs. ULL.

CAREER STATISTICS

Year	G/GS	Att.	Yards	TD
2009	6/0	29	135	1
Totals	6/0	29	135	1

2009 GAME BY GAME

Florida Atlantic: Recorded nine carries for 39 yards and a TD in first career game... provided strong combination with Roy Helu Jr., helping NU to 259 rushing yards... also added first career reception. **Arkansas State:** Posted three rushes for 18 yards and a catch for 11 yards. **Virginia Tech:** Did not have a carry, but posted one reception for season-high 16 yards. **Louisiana-Lafayette:** Carried the ball six times for 27 yards, with a long rush of 12 yards... added team-high four receptions for 26 yards... scored first receiving TD of career, turning a shovel pass into a 24-yard scoring romp... impressive on special teams with two punt returns for 59 yards, with long of 33 yards. **Missouri:** Came off the bench to help spark NU offense... added five rushes for 34 yards and one catch for four yards. **Texas Tech:** Injured - did not play. **Iowa State:** Injured - did not play. **Baylor:** Injured - did not play. **Oklahoma:** Injured - did not play. **Kansas:** Injured - did not play. **Kansas State:** Returned from five-game absence with injury... had six carries for 17 yards... added a reception for nine yards.



NILES PAUL

Wide Receiver
Junior | 6-1 | 215
Omaha, Neb.

24

SEASON HIGHS

Receptions – 6 vs. ASU, at MU, vs. ISU; Receiving Yards – 154 at KU; Touchdowns – 2 at MU; Long – 72 vs. ISU; PR Yards – 86 at VT (6 ret.); KOR Yards – 72 at KU (2 ret.); All-Purpose Yards – 244 at KU.

CAREER STATISTICS

Year	G/GS	No.	Yards	TD
2007	7/0	1	6	0
2008	13/4	23	214	0
2009	11/11	33	649	3
Totals	31/15	57	869	3

2009 GAME BY GAME

Florida Atlantic: Two catches for 13 yards... added two KOR for total of 49 yards. **Arkansas State:** Had breakout game with team- and career-high six catches for 69 yards... added first career TD catch with 2-yard reception to cap scoring... added second career rush with 30-yard TD romp... added three PR and two KOR for 169 all-purpose yards. **Virginia Tech:** Collected just one reception for 19 yards but made impact in return game... had 176 all-purpose yards including career-best 55-yard punt return. **Louisiana-Lafayette:** Recorded one catch for nine yards... added two punt returns (9 yards) and a KO return for 21 yards. **Missouri:** Posted six catches for 102 yards and two touchdowns... posted two catches for 69 yards in fourth quarter, both for scores. **Texas Tech:** Posted one catch for four yards... added five punt returns for 64 yards, including a long of 18 yards. **Iowa State:** Had third game this year with career-best six catches... added 143 receiving yards (ninth-best total in school history) including career-long 72 yarder... 208 all-purpose yards, with 54 yards on two kickoff returns. **Baylor:** Had two catches for team-best 54 yards... 45-yard reception set up NU's only offensive TD of game... also had a punt return (17 yards) and kickoff return (14 yards) for team-best 85 all-purpose yards. **Oklahoma:** Had two punt returns for 19 yards... did not have a reception. **Kansas:** Posted career receiving day with 154 yards – the sixth-best receiving day in school history – on four catches... all four catches went for at least 35 yards, including a long of 45 yards... along with impressive receiving day, he added 82 yards in returns for 244 all-purpose yards. **Kansas State:** Led team with four catches for 82 yards... second straight game with at least four catches, and fifth on the season... had long of 47 yards to set up NU's final touchdown.



DONTRAYEVIOUS ROBINSON

I-Back
Freshman | 6-1 | 215
Euless, Texas

27

SEASON HIGHS

Attempts – 15 vs. ISU; Rushing Yards – 77 vs. ISU; Long Rush – 23 at BU; Touchdowns – 1 vs. ISU, at BU; Receptions – 3 at BU; Receiving Yards – 22 at BU.

CAREER STATISTICS

Year	G/GS	Att.	Yards	TD
2009	6/0	38	159	2
Totals	6/0	38	159	2

2009 GAME BY GAME

Florida Atlantic: Did not play. **Arkansas State:** Did not play. **Virginia Tech:** Did not play. **Louisiana-Lafayette:** Did not play. **Missouri:** Did not play. **Texas Tech:** made first career appearance, playing only on kickoff return

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team. **Iowa State:** Made first career appearance in backfield, carrying 15 times for career-best 77 yards... added long of 21 yards... scored first career TD on 3-yard run for NU's only score... became third true freshman (also Rex Burkhead and Cody Green) to score a touchdown for Huskers this year, the most in NU history. **Baylor:** Carried 13 times for 61 yards... added 1-yard TD run... had first career catches with three for 22 yards, including 19-yarder. **Oklahoma:** Posted six carries for 11 yards. **Kansas:** Had four rushes for 10 yards. **Kansas State:** Played but did not have a carry.



ERIC HAGG

Safety
Junior | 6-2 | 205
Peoria, Ariz.

28

SEASON HIGHS

Tackles – 6 vs. ULL, at BU; Sacks – 1.0 vs. ASU, vs. KSU; Tackles for Loss – 1 vs. ASU, at VT, at MU, at BU, vs. OU, vs. KSU; QB Hurries – 1 vs. FAU, vs. ISU, vs. OU; PBUs – 2 at KSU; Interceptions – None.

CAREER STATISTICS

Year	G/GS	TT	INT	PBU
2007	7/0	2	0	0
2008	13/10	39	0	7
2009	11/8	35	0	4
Totals	31/18	76	0	11

2009 GAME BY GAME

Florida Atlantic: One solo tackle in opener... added one of team's three QBH. **Arkansas State:** Posted two solo tackles... added second career sack, dropping ASU QB for eight-yard loss. **Virginia Tech:** Recorded two stops including one solo... added a TFL for second straight game with one-yard loss. **Louisiana-Lafayette:** Led team with six tackles, one more than total of first three games combined... made first start of season in nickel package... added a forced fumble that led to NU's third TD of game. **Missouri:** Recorded two tackles including one solo stop... added a tackle for loss of two yards. **Texas Tech:** Helped Nebraska hold Texas Tech to just 259 total yards, including only 25 yards on the ground... finished with five tackles, including four solo stops. **Iowa State:** Had one tackle and one pass breakup. **Baylor:** Collected six tackles - all solo - to tie for second on team... added second TFL of season with three-yard stop behind line... also picked up first PBU of season. **Oklahoma:** Recorded two solo tackles... added a TFL (on a fourth down try) for second straight game and fifth time on the season... also had a pass breakup for second straight contest while adding a QB hurry. **Kansas:** Posted four solos stops while making seventh start of the season. **Kansas State:** Finished with four tackles (3 solos) including second sack of season... sack went for 14 yards lost... added two pass breakups to match season total entering the game.



MATT O'HANLON

Safety
Senior | 5-11 | 200
Bellevue, Neb.

33

SEASON HIGHS

Tackles – 13 vs. OU; Sacks – 1 at VT; Tackles for Loss – 1 at VT; QB Hurries – None; PBUs – 1 vs. ISU, at BU, vs. OU; Interceptions – 3 vs. OU (School Record).

CAREER STATISTICS

Year	G/GS	TT	INT	PBU
2005	-- Redshirt --			
2006	14/0	8	0	0
2007	10/0	3	0	0
2008	13/9	33	1	5
2009	11/11	55	4	3
Totals	48/20	99	5	8

2009 GAME BY GAME

Florida Atlantic: Game captain... earned second career INT with Huskers' first pick of the season... returned INT 18 yards... added five tackles and forced fumble. **Arkansas State:** Posted five tackles. **Virginia Tech:** Continued streak with third straight game with five tackles... added first TFL with eight-yard sack on last Hokie drive of game. **Louisiana-Lafayette:** Posted four tackles... added a fumble recovery that led to NU's third TD of the game. **Missouri:** Posted five tackles for the fourth time this season, including three solo stops. **Texas Tech:** Recorded four tackles, including two solo stops... helped NU hold the Red Raiders more than 200 total offense yards under their season average. **Iowa State:** Had four tackles, including two solo stops... added first pass breakup of the season. **Baylor:** Had four tackles... added second pass breakup of season as NU had 10 PBU in game. **Oklahoma:** Game captain... set career high with 12 tackles including nine solos... his tackle total tied team season high set a week earlier by Jared Crick... added three interceptions on the night, all in the second half... tied school record with the three picks, including last one that sealed the victory with 41 seconds left... three INTs were one more than his career total entering the game. **Kansas:** Had two solo stops but came up big with a fumble recovery (forced by Dejon Gomes) deep in Nebraska territory to stop a KU drive. **Kansas State:** Posted five tackles, with two solo stops.



SEAN FISHER

Linebacker
R-Freshman | 6-6 | 230
Omaha, Neb.

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SEASON HIGHS

Tackles – 9 vs. ISU; Sacks – 1 at BU; Tackles for Loss – 1 at VT, 1 at BU; QB Hurries – 2 vs. ULL; PBUs – None; Interceptions – None.

CAREER STATISTICS

Year	G/GS	TT	Sacks	TFL
2008*	1/0	0	0.0-0	0-0
2009	10/5	32	1.0-3	2-5
Totals	11/5	32	1.0-3	2-5

*received medical redshirt

2009 GAME BY GAME

Florida Atlantic: One of six Huskers with at least six tackles... provided strong pressure on outside, helping NU hold the Owls to just 122 rushing yards. **Arkansas State:** Recorded two assisted tackles. **Virginia Tech:** Nearly matched tackle total from first two games (8) with six stops including two solo... collected first career TFL for two yards as Blackshirts held Hokies to 86 yards on the ground... added first career QB hurry. **Louisiana-**

Lafayette: Tied for team high with six tackles, including five assists... became a force in the backfield, logging two QB hurries, one of which forced Larry Asante's INT... added a 21-yard fumble return late in the third quarter. **Missouri:** Played limited snaps and did not record a tackle. **Texas Tech:** Played but did not have a tackle. **Iowa State:** Had career-best nine stops, including seven assists... ranked second on team in tackles. **Baylor:** Had three tackles on the day including first career sack for three yards... TFL marked second of career and one of 13 team TFL on the day. **Oklahoma:** Played but did not record a tackle. **Kansas:** Played but did not record a tackle. **Kansas State:** Recorded one tackle.



MIKE MCNEILL

Tight End
Junior | 6-4 | 240
Kirkwood, Mo.

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SEASON HIGHS

Receptions – 4 vs. FAU, ASU, at KU; Receiving Yards – 57 vs. ASU; Touchdowns – 2 vs. ASU; Long – 32 vs. ASU.

CAREER STATISTICS

Year	G/GS	No.	Yards	TD
2007	8/0	1	25	0
2008	13/12	32	442	6
2009	11/11	24	232	4
Totals	32/23	57	699	10

2009 GAME BY GAME

Florida Atlantic: Started 13th career game, tying for team lead with four catches... posted 51 yards, including long of 29 yards. **Arkansas State:** Posted second straight four-catch performance for 57 yards... caught first two TDs of season on 13- and 32-yard tosses from Zac Lee... first multi-TD game of career. **Virginia Tech:** Recorded just one catch for four yards. **Louisiana-Lafayette:** Posted two receptions on the night, each for 13 yards. **Missouri:** Only catch of the game was an eight-yard TD reception that gave Nebraska a 20-12 lead with nearly 11 minutes to play in game. **Texas Tech:** Posted two catches for 14 yards, including long of 10 yards. **Iowa State:** Had two catches for 22 yards, including a 17-yarder. **Baylor:** Did not have a catch, snapping streak of 17 straight games with a reception. **Oklahoma:** Recorded one catch for two yards. **Kansas:** Game captain... posted four catches, tying season and career high and his most in Big 12 game... caught three straight passes from Zac Lee on NU's first scoring drive of third quarter. **Kansas State:** Had three catches for 26 yards... added fourth TD of season and 10th of career with 17-yard scoring catch in second quarter... turned out to be deciding points in game that determined Big 12 North champion.



DREU YOUNG

Tight End
Junior | 6-4 | 250
Cozad, Neb.

49

SEASON HIGHS

Receptions – 1 vs. ASU, vs. ULL, vs. KSU; Receiving Yards – 34 vs. ULL; Touchdowns – None; Long – 34 vs. ULL.

CAREER STATISTICS

Year	G/GS	No.	Yards	TD
2007	8/0	1	14	0
2008	13/4	9	140	1
2009	10/7	4	71	0
Totals	31/11	14	225	1

2009 GAME BY GAME

Florida Atlantic: Did not play following back injury that forced him to miss much of fall camp. **Arkansas State:** Made first appearance of season... had one catch for

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27 yards down to the ASU 2 to set up third-quarter TD. **Virginia Tech:** Started game in two-tight end formation, but did not record a catch. **Louisiana-Lafayette:** Caught one pass for 34 yards to set up NU's first points of game. **Missouri:** Did not record a reception. **Texas Tech:** Started third game of season in two tight end formation, but did not record a catch. **Iowa State:** Started game but did not record a catch. **Baylor:** Did not record a catch. **Oklahoma:** Started career-high fifth game of season but did not record a catch. **Kansas:** Started sixth game of season... added third catch of season for two yards. **Kansas State:** Had third catch of the season with an 8-yard reception.



WILL COMPTON

Linebacker
R-Freshman | 6-2 | 225
Bonne Terre, Mo.

51

SEASON HIGHS

Tackles – 7 at VT; Sacks – 0.5 vs. TTU; Tackles for Loss – 1 vs. TTU; QB Hurries – 1 at VT, vs. ULL; PBUs – 1 vs. FAU, vs. KSU; Interceptions – None.

CAREER STATISTICS

Year	G/GS	TT	Sacks	TFL
2008	-- Redshirt --			
2009	10/7	33	0.5-2	1-2
Totals	10/7	33	0.5-2	1-2

2009 GAME BY GAME

Florida Atlantic: Started at Mike linebacker in first career game played... seventh on team with five tackles... added one PBU. **Arkansas State:** Recorded three tackles including two assists. **Virginia Tech:** Nearly matched first two game total (8) by posting seven tackles vs. Hokies... assisted on six stops while helping hold Hokies to 86 yards rushing... added first career QB hurry. **Louisiana-Lafayette:** Continued strong play with five tackles, including three solo stops... added a QB hurry as the Huskers pressured ULL all night. **Missouri:** Played well in return to homestate... recorded six tackles to tie for third on team, including two solos. **Texas Tech:** Recorded just one tackle but it was one of NU's 13 team TFL as he had a half sack for two yards... was part of 5.0 Husker sacks on the day. **Iowa State:** Had four tackles on the day, including three assists. **Baylor:** Played but did not have a tackle. **Oklahoma:** Did not record a tackle. **Kansas:** Played but did not record a tackle. **Kansas State:** Had two tackles on the night... also added second career pass breakup.



PHILLIP DILLARD

Linebacker
Senior | 6-1 | 240
Tulsa, Okla.

52

SEASON HIGHS

Tackles – 12 vs. TTU, vs. ISU; Sacks – 1 - at VT, vs. OU, vs. KSU; Tackles for Loss – 4 vs. TTU; QB Hurries – 2 at KU; PBUs – 1 at MU, vs. KSU; Interceptions – 1 vs. OU.

CAREER STATISTICS

Year	G/GS	TT	Sacks	TFL
2005	11/1	11	0.0-0	1-2
2006*	1/0	4	0.0-0	0-0
2007	12/2	37	0.0-0	1-1
2008	9/5	38	0.5-6	2-9
2009	9/6	62	3.0-27	9-33
Totals	42/14	152	3.5-33	13-51

*received medical redshirt

2009 GAME BY GAME

Florida Atlantic: Did not play. **Arkansas State:** Did not play. **Virginia Tech:** Started game at after moving to

WILL linebacker during week of practice... recorded five stops, including four assists... added a tackle for loss. **Louisiana-Lafayette:** Made three solo tackles... added first solo sack of career with a five-yard loss. **Missouri:** Came off bench to record three tackles... also added first pass breakup of season. **Texas Tech:** Had best game of his career with personal-best 12 tackles, including eight solo stops as NU held TTU to 259 total yards... his 12 tackles were one more season total entering game... added four TFL to match his career total before this season... was part of 13 team TFL on the day. **Iowa State:** Game captain... recorded 12 tackles for second straight game to lead team... five stops were solos. **Baylor:** Made five tackles including four assists... despite not playing first two games of season, already set personal career high with 40 tackles on year. **Oklahoma:** Continued strong play with eight tackles, including five solo stops, while posting two TFLs for 18 yards... added second sack of the season with 13-yard stop... also posted an interception and 9-yard return. **Kansas:** Game captain... had six tackles (four assists) to tie for second on team... added first two quarterback hurries of the season. **Kansas State:** Aggressive play led to eight tackles, including six solo stops... added a sack for 9 yards lost... also forced a fumble, and had a pass breakup and quarterback hurry.



MIKE SMITH

Offensive Tackle
Junior | 6-6 | 295
Las Vegas, Nev.

65

CAREER

Games Played: 36 (12 in 2007; 13 in 2008; 11 in 2009)
Games Started: 23 (12 in 2008; 11 in 2009)

2009 GAME BY GAME

Florida Atlantic: Started at left tackle... helped team to 259 rushing yards and 490 yards total offense... pushed Nebraska to 4-of-4 effort in red zone. **Arkansas State:** Protected NU QBs as offense racked up 358 yards through the air. **Virginia Tech:** Paved way for Huskers to record 207 yards rushing and 136 through the air... helped line post second game this season without allowing a QB sack. **Louisiana-Lafayette:** Paved way for rushing attack that had 133 yards and three TDs... O-line protected QBs as they put up 300 yards through the air. **Missouri:** Helped offense post four scores in the fourth quarter for come-from-behind win. **Texas Tech:** Started sixth straight game of season. **Iowa State:** Made seventh start of season as NU posted 362 total offense yards. **Baylor:** Continued string of starts with eighth of year... joined O-line as Huskers did not allow a sack for third time on the season. **Oklahoma:** Helped Nebraska I-back Roy Helu Jr. to 138 rushing yards, including a 63-yard run. **Kansas:** Paved way for Nebraska ground game that had second-best rushing total (214 yards) of season. **Kansas State:** Helped Huskers clinch Big 12 North title with three scoring drives.



JACOB HICKMAN

Center
Senior | 6-4 | 290
Bakersfield, Calif.

67

CAREER

Games Played: 41 (5 in 2006; 12 in 2007; 13 in 2008; 11 in 2009)
Games Started: 32 (9 in 2007; 13 in 2008; 11 in 2009)

2009 GAME BY GAME

Florida Atlantic: Game captain... helped Huskers amass 490 total yards, including 259 on the ground... aided team as it averaged 8.1 yards per rush. **Arkansas State:** Helped Huskers pound out 136 yards on the ground and 358 through the air. **Virginia Tech:** Called line assignments as Huskers rolled to 207 yards on the ground... NU added 136 yards passing and the O-line did not allow a sack for the second time this year. **Louisiana-Lafayette:** Helped Huskers to 55-0 romp, posting 300 yards passing and 133 on the ground... pass protection helped QBs hit 22-of-26 attempts. **Missouri:** Guided offensive line that led NU on four TD drives in fourth quarter. **Texas Tech:** Continued to lead offensive line sixth start of season. **Iowa State:** Started game but left early in first half with injury and did not return. **Baylor:** Made 30th career start as O-line did not allow a sack for third time on the season. **Oklahoma:** Led offensive unit that had 141 rushing yards, including 6.9-yards per rush by Roy Helu Jr. (138 yards, 20 carries). **Kansas:** Helped NU to 410 yards total offense, including 214 on the ground, the second-highest total of season. **Kansas State:** Helped I-back Roy Helu Jr. to 95 yards and pushed him over 1,000-yard mark for season and 2,000-yard mark for career.



KEITH WILLIAMS

Offensive Line
Junior | 6-5 | 315
Florissant, Mo.

68

CAREER

Games Played: 32 (10 in 2007; 13 in 2008; 9 in 2009)
Games Started: 16 (9 in 2008; 7 in 2009)

2009 GAME BY GAME

Florida Atlantic: Did not play because of injury suffered in practice. **Arkansas State:** Came into the game in second half for first appearance of the season. **Virginia Tech:** Came off the bench for the second straight game but saw more significant action... helped NU to more than 200 yards rushing and nearly 350 yards total offense. **Louisiana-Lafayette:** Made first start of season and 10th of career... helped line protect QBs as they passed for 300 yards and two TDs. **Missouri:** Started second straight game, helping NU to fourth-quarter comeback victory, including three scores in less than four minutes. **Texas Tech:** Made third straight start of season. **Iowa State:** Started fourth game and helped Huskers to 362 total offense yards, including 248 through the air. **Baylor:** Helped Nebraska hold BU without a sack, one of three opponents this season that did not reach Husker QBs. **Oklahoma:** Helped I-back Roy Helu Jr. post 153 all purpose yards, including a career-best 63-yard run. **Kansas:** Led way for NU to gain 214 yards on ground, including second straight 100-yard game by I-back Roy Helu Jr. **Kansas State:** Helped Huskers to 267 yards total offense, including 95 yards on ground by Roy Helu Jr.

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ALEX HENERY
Place-Kicker
Junior | 6-2 | 175
Omaha, Neb.

90

SEASON HIGHS

Field Goals Made – 5 at VT; Long Field Goal – 46 vs. ULL; PATs Made – 7 vs. FAU, vs. ULL; Consecutive FG Made – 5 at VT; Punts – 11 vs. OU; Punting Avg. – 45.7 vs. ULL; Long Punt – 76 at VT.

CAREER STATISTICS

Year	G/GS	PAT	FG	Long
2007	12/12	45-45	8-8	39
2008	13/13	56-57	18-21	57
2009	11/11	31-31	16-19	46
Totals	36/36	132-133	42-48	57

2009 GAME BY GAME

Florida Atlantic: Game captain... perfect 7-of-7 on PATs... did not attempt a FG... made first career punts, with two kicks for 37.0 ypk... long punt of 43 yards.
Arkansas State: Connected on five straight PATs... hit first FGA of season from 26 yards with 9 seconds left in half... had distance but missed 54 yarder to the right in 4th quarter. **Virginia Tech:** Nearly downed the Hokies by himself, scoring all 15 of NU's points on five field goals... the five FG were second-most in NU history, and marked fourth time he had at least four FG in a single game... also booted six punts for 41.5 average... first-quarter punt of 76 yards (while side-stepping VT pressure) tied for fourth-longest in program history.
Louisiana-Lafayette: Remained perfect on the year in PATs, connecting on all seven attempts... booted two more field goals, including season-long of 46 yards... had three punts for 137 yards (45.7 ypp), with two downed inside 5. **Missouri:** Connected on all three PAT tries... did not record a field-goal attempt. **Texas Tech:** Connected on his only PAT and was 1-of-2 in field goal attempts... only miss was a 51-yarder. **Iowa State:** Connected on only PAT of game... added four punts for 40.2 average, including long of 49... three punts were downed inside opponent 20. **Baylor:** Connected on both PAT attempts and hit two field goals... FGs came from 22 and 45 yards, increasing his streak to 24 straight made FG from inside 50 yards. **Oklahoma:** Game captain... aided Huskers in field-position battle, averaging 43.7 yards on 11 punts... had long of 66 yards and had two downed inside the OU 20... also connected on 28-yard field goal in the third quarter, but had streak of 25 straight made field goals under 50 yards snapped with miss of 43-yarder in the fourth. **Kansas:** Hit all three field-goal attempts (25, 34 and 38 yards) to lead NU to third straight road win this season... added two extra points for 11 points on day, moving to seventh on NU career scoring chart... was his fourth game of year with at least two field goals... also punted four times for 38.8-yard average, including one inside the 20. **Kansas State:** Hit only field-goal attempt from 34 yards and connected on both PAT attempts... played major role in special teams success as he averaged 45.5 yards per punt on six kicks... second-highest single-game average of his career... pinned KSU inside its 5 two times... also had a 61 yarder.



NDAMUKONG SUH
Defensive Tackle
Senior | 6-4 | 300
Portland, Ore.

93

SEASON HIGHS

Tackles – 9 vs. KSU; Sacks – 1.5 vs. ASU, vs. KSU; Tackles for Loss – 3 vs. ASU; QB Hurries – 3 at MU, vs. ISU, vs. OU; PBUs – 4 at VT; Interceptions – 1 at MU.

CAREER STATISTICS

Year	G/GS	TT	Sacks	TFL
2005*	2/0	1	0.0-0	0-0
2006	14/0	19	3.5-37	8-45
2007	12/11	34	1.0-6	6-29
2008	13/13	76	7.5-67	19-85
2009	11/11	65	6.5-39	15-55
Totals	52/35	195	18.5-149	48-215

*Medical redshirt

2009 GAME BY GAME

Florida Atlantic: Game captain... second on team with seven tackles, including team-best four solo... added one of team's four TFL... added a pass breakup... helped team limit FAU to 3.5 yards per carry (122 rushing yards). **Arkansas State:** Racked up five tackles, including three TFLs for 18 yards lost... added first sacks of season, collecting a solo and splitting one with linemate Jared Crick... added a QB hurry. **Virginia Tech:** Dominated the front line in another nationally televised game... led the team with eight tackles including 0.5 sack and one TFL... added a QB hurry and four PBU... the four pass breakups were an NU single-game record for defensive linemen (tackles or ends). **Louisiana-Lafayette:** Tied for team lead with six tackles... posted a TFL and added another pass breakup to tie the NU season and career position records for a defensive tackle. **Missouri:** Dominated the line of scrimmage and harassed MU quarterback Blaine Gabbert all night... finished third on team with six tackles, including five solo stops, while leading team with three QB hurries... added a forced fumble on first-quarter QB sack of Gabbert... also collected fourth-quarter interception that led to NU's go-ahead touchdown... also had a breakup earlier in the contest... led Blackshirt defense that allowed just 225 total yards, including 91 rushing yards (23 on last play of game). **Texas Tech:** Posted four solo tackles as NU held Red Raiders to just 25 yards rushing... had a pair of TFL for 10 yards as NU had 13 team TFL... added career-high four quarterback hurries, part of eight hurries on the day. **Iowa State:** Third on team with eight tackles, including six solo stops... added sack for six yards, giving him double-figure TFLs for second straight season... added three QB hurries to bring two-game total to seven... added two blocked kicks (PAT and FGA)... now has five career blocked kicks... helped Blackshirts hold ISU to 239 total yards. **Baylor:** Had five tackles including three solo stops... moved to third on NU career TFL list with three stops behind the line of scrimmage... added 17th career sack to move into seventh on NU career list... also had two QB hurries to move season team-leading total to 14. **Oklahoma:** Game captain... had four tackles, tying season low... disruptive force in backfield with game-high three quarterback hurries... also caused a pass breakup that turned into an interception... added a blocked a field goal, extending his NU season and career records for blocks. **Kansas:** Had three tackles, including two solos... helped pressure KU quarterback by adding two of team's seven hurries. **Kansas State:** Quietly had season high with nine tackles, including four solo stops... added season-high tying 1.5 sacks for six yards lost... was fourth multiple-TFL game of season... also had two pass breakups to increase his own season (10) and career (15) record for lineman... added a QB hurry.



JARED CRICK
Defensive Tackle
Sophomore | 6-6 | 285
Cozad, Neb.

94

SEASON HIGHS

Tackles – 13 at BU; Sacks – 5.0 at BU (school record); Tackles for Loss – 7 at BU (tied school record); QB Hurries – 3 vs. TTU, vs. ISU, vs. OU; PBUs – 1 at BU, vs. OU, at KU; Interceptions – None.

CAREER STATISTICS

Year	G/GS	TT	Sacks	TFL
2008	9/0	2	0.0-0	0-0
2009	11/11	65	9.0-53	14-59
Totals	20/11	67	9.0-53	14-59

2009 GAME BY GAME

Florida Atlantic: Three tackles were one more than 2008 season total... added first career TFL... also blocked FG in first quarter. **Arkansas State:** Posted career high for second straight game with five tackles... assisted on first career sack with Ndamukong Suh... sack marked second straight game with a TFL. **Virginia Tech:** Recorded third straight game with career-best tackle total and at TFL... seven tackles were second on team and nearly matched total from first two games (8)... added second straight game with a sack... also posted a QB hurry while helping NU hold Hokies to just 86 yards rushing. **Louisiana-Lafayette:** Had one tackle and one QB hurry. **Missouri:** Helped defensive line set tone for the game, allowing just 225 total yards... ranked second on team with seven tackles to tie career high... posted nine-yard sack and also recovered a fumble forced by linemate Ndamukong Suh. **Texas Tech:** Posted five tackles including two of NU's 13 team TFL... his two TFL (12 yards lost) included one sack for 10 yards as NU sacked TTU quarterback Steven Sheffield five times... also added career-best three QB hurries... helped NU hold Red Raiders to 25 yards rushing. **Iowa State:** Had career-best eight tackles (five solo) to tie for third on team... also tied career-best with three QB hurries. **Baylor:** Had incredible game for the record book before being named Walter Camp National Defensive Player of the Week, FWAA Bronko Nagurski National Defensive Player of the Week and Big 12 Defensive Player of the Week... posted 13 tackles including 10 solo stops... more than half of his tackles were TFL as he tied school mark with seven tackles for loss of 28 yards... set a new school record with 5.0 sacks for 24 yards lost, bettering old mark of 4.0 sacks set five previous times... his TFL and sack totals were more than his career marks (3.5 sacks, 6 TFL) entering the game... also added a fumble recovery and first career pass breakup. **Oklahoma:** Ranked second on team with eight tackles... added two stops behind the line of scrimmage including half a sack... also disrupted OU offense with three quarterback hurries... added a pass breakup for second straight game. **Kansas:** Posted three tackles including two solo stops... provided solid run support as NU held third straight team under 100 yards rushing... added one pass breakup. **Kansas State:** Posted five tackles, including four assists... added one quarterback hurry.

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PIERRE ALLEN
Defensive End
Junior | 6-5 | 265
Denver, Colo.

95

SEASON HIGHS

Tackles – 7 vs. TTU; Sacks – 2.0 vs. TTU; Tackles for Loss – 3 vs. TTU; QB Hurries – 2 at MU; PBUs – 2 vs. OU; Interceptions – None.

CAREER STATISTICS

Year	G/GS	TT	Sacks	TFL
2007	11/0	16	0.0-0	3-5
2008	13/11	52	5.0-27	10-37
2009	11/11	41	3.0-23	10-35
Totals	35/22	109	8.0-50	23-77

2009 GAME BY GAME

Florida Atlantic: One of four Huskers with TFL in season opener... added four tackles. **Arkansas State:** Had three assisted tackles... added first PBU of season and a QB hurry. **Virginia Tech:** Recorded season-high five tackles... added first sack of season with 13-yard loss in first half... added a QB hurry. **Louisiana-Lafayette:** Posted four tackles, including three assists... had third game this season with a TFL. **Missouri:** Helped pressure Tiger QB all night... finished with five tackles (three solos) and added a pair of QB hurries... collected fourth TFL of season for five yards. **Texas Tech:** Second on team with seven tackles... had three TFL (10 yards) including career-best 2.0 sacks... added one QB hurry. **Iowa State:** Recorded one tackle. **Baylor:** Had two tackles, both for loss... helped Huskers post 13 team TFL on the day while limiting BU to 54 rushing yards on 32 carries (1.7 ypc). **Oklahoma:** Recorded four tackles, including two solos... posted a career-best two pass breakups, part of 12 Husker PBUs on the night. **Kansas:** Posted four tackles on the day... added one TFL to bring season total to 10, matching personal best... also added a quarterback hurry before Prince Amukamara's first-quarter sack. **Kansas State:** Had two assisted tackles on the night... added one pass breakup.



BARRY TURNER
Defensive End
Senior | 6-3 | 265
Antioch, Tenn.

99

SEASON HIGHS

Tackles – 6 at VT; Sacks – 1.5 vs. TTU; Tackles for Loss – 3 at VT; QB Hurries – 4 vs. ASU; PBUs – 1 at MU, vs. ISU, vs. OU; Interceptions – None.

CAREER STATISTICS

Year	G/GS	TT	Sacks	TFL
2005	12/0	14	6.0-46	7-48
2006	14/0	18	1.5-11	4-12
2007	12/11	29	3.0-33	5-34
2008*	2/2	3	1.0-14	2-15
2009	11/11	39	3.0-26	11-32
Totals	51/24	103	14.5-130	29-141

*Medical redshirt

2009 GAME BY GAME

Florida Atlantic: Returned to field for first time since second game in 2008... posted two tackles. **Arkansas State:** Game captain... posted three tackles, including two solos... was disruptive force in the backfield all day with career-best four QB hurries... also posted a TFL and recovered a fumble. **Virginia Tech:** Topped total from first two games (5) with career-high six tackle performance including two solo stops... disruptive force by posting 0.5 sacks and three TFLs as NU allowed just 86 yards on the ground. **Louisiana-Lafayette:** Continued strong pressure on the opponent backfield with four tackles, including three solo stops... added a TFL for one yard and one of NU's six QB hurries. **Missouri:** Part of defensive line that played in MU backfield all night long... finished with three tackles... also added a pass breakup and a QB hurry. **Texas Tech:** Posted two TFL (20 yards) as part of his three tackles on the day... recorded 1.5 sacks for 20 yards to boost career total to 13.5 sacks, just outside NU career top 10... strong effort up front helped NU hold TTU to 25 yards rushing and 259 total yards. **Iowa State:** Finished with four tackles, including two solos... disruptive force as he added a forced fumble, a pass breakup and a QB hurry as NU held Cyclones to 239 yards of total offense. **Baylor:** Game captain... made four stops on the day with three solo tackles... added one TFL, one of seven Huskers with tackle behind line of scrimmage... also had one QB hurry as defensive line dominated game. **Oklahoma:** Had just two tackles, but added half a sack with Jared Crick... the TFL gave him personal season best with eight this year... also added one of NU's 12 pass breakups. **Kansas:** Posted five tackles to rank third on team and give him 100 in his career... had two TFL, his seventh game with at least one TFL and third straight game overall... also added one quarterback hurry. **Kansas State:** Posted three tackles, all assisted... joined Ndamukong Suh for a fourth-quarter sack, giving him 14.5 in his career, just outside NU top 10... added two quarterback hurries.

2009 Nebraska Schedule and Results

DATE	OPPONENT	RESULT	SCORE	RECORD	CONFERENCE	TIME	ATTEND
Sept. 5, 2009	Florida Atlantic	W	49-3	1-0	0-0	3:02	85,719
Sept. 12, 2009	Arkansas State	W	38-9	2-0	0-0	2:47	85,035
Sept. 19, 2009	at No. 13 Virginia Tech	L	15-16	2-1	0-0	3:20	66,233
Sept. 26, 2009	Louisiana-Lafayette	W	55-0	3-1	0-0	2:51	86,304 (stadium record)
Oct. 8, 2009	at No. 24 Missouri *	W	27-12	4-1	1-0	3:28	65,826
Oct. 17, 2009	Texas Tech *	L	10-31	4-2	1-1	3:19	86,107
Oct. 24, 2009	Iowa State *	L	7-9	4-3	1-2	3:09	85,938
Oct. 31, 2009	at Baylor *	W	20-10	5-3	2-2	3:20	31,702
Nov. 7, 2009	No. 20 Oklahoma *	W	10-3	6-3	3-2	3:23	86,115
Nov. 14, 2009	at Kansas *	W	31-17	7-3	4-2	3:07	51,525
Nov. 21, 2009	Kansas State *	W	17-3	8-3	5-2	3:01	85,998
Nov. 27, 2009	at Colorado *						

* Big 12 conference game

Team Statistics

TEAM STATISTICS	NU	OPP
SCORING	279	113
Points Per Game	25.4	10.3
FIRST DOWNS	188	185
Rushing	76	70
Passing	96	91
Penalty	16	24
RUSHING YARDAGE	1625	1089
Yards gained rushing	1884	1393
Yards lost rushing	259	304
Rushing Attempts	389	379
Average Per Rush	4.2	2.9
Average Per Game	147.7	99.0
TDs Rushing	17	6
PASSING YARDAGE	2175	2005
Comp-Att-Int	182-305-9	183-379-13
Average Per Pass	7.1	5.3
Average Per Catch	12.0	11.0
Average Per Game	197.7	182.3
TDs Passing	14	4
TOTAL OFFENSE	3800	3094
Total Plays	694	758
Average Per Play	5.5	4.1
Average Per Game	345.5	281.3
KICK RETURNS: #-Yards	28-646	37-732
PUNT RETURNS: #-Yards	34-345	26-342
INT RETURNS: #-Yards	13-194	9-124
KICK RETURN AVERAGE	23.1	19.8
PUNT RETURN AVERAGE	10.1	13.2
INT RETURN AVERAGE	14.9	13.8
FUMBLES-LOST	19-10	23-8
PENALTIES-Yards	79-726	68-574
Average Per Game	66.0	52.2
PUNTS-Yards	60-2467	70-2907
Average Per Punt	41.1	41.5
Net punt average	33.8	35.7
TIME OF POSSESSION/Game	29:57	30:03
3RD-DOWN Conversions	63/157	56/173
3rd-Down Pct	40%	32%
4TH-DOWN Conversions	4/7	9/19
4th-Down Pct	57%	47%
SACKS BY-Yards	32-223	15-98
MISC YARDS	34	1
TOUCHDOWNS SCORED	33	12
FIELD GOALS-ATTEMPTS	16-19	10-20
ON-SIDE KICKS	0-0	0-0
RED-ZONE SCORES	33-42 79%	13-18 72%
RED-ZONE TOUCHDOWNS	22-42 52%	8-18 44%
PAT-ATTEMPTS	31-31 100%	9-11 82%
ATTENDANCE	601216	215286
Games/Avg Per Game	7/85888	4/53822
Neutral Site Games		0/0

SCORE BY QUARTERS	1ST	2ND	3RD	4TH	TOTAL
Nebraska	64	84	48	83	279
Opponents	27	50	13	23	113

2009 Nebraska Individual Statistics

RUSHING	G/GS	ATT	GAIN	LOSS	NET	AVG	TD	LONG	AVG/G
Helu Jr., Roy	11/11	193	1095	38	1057	5.5	10	63	96.1
Robinson, Dontrayevous	6/0	38	170	11	159	4.2	2	23	26.5
Burkhead, Rex	6/0	29	139	4	135	4.7	1	16	22.5
Green, Cody	6/2	22	143	12	131	6.0	2	49	21.8
Lee, Zac	10/9	73	225	117	108	1.5	0	32	10.8
Paul, Niles	11/11	2	30	2	28	14.0	1	30	2.5
Ward, Lester	4/0	8	30	6	24	3.0	0	8	6.0
Washington, Latravis	2/0	3	17	0	17	5.7	0	7	8.5
Jones, Austin	4/0	6	15	0	15	2.5	0	8	3.8
Mendoza, Marcus	7/0	4	11	1	10	2.5	0	7	1.4
Okafor, Collins	1/0	1	9	0	9	9.0	0	9	9.0
Cotton, Ben	11/1	0	0	0	0	0.0	1	0	0.0
TEAM	9/0	10	0	68	-68	-6.8	0	0	-7.6
Total.....	11	389	1884	259	1625	4.2	17	63	147.7
Opponents.....	11	379	1393	304	1089	2.9	6	46	99.0

PASSING	G/GS	EFFC	COMP-ATT-INT	PCT	YDS	TD	LNG	AVG/G
Lee, Zac	10/9	134.42	149-246-7	60.6	1858	12	72	185.8
Green, Cody	6/2	105.47	33-59-2	55.9	317	2	45	52.8
Total.....	11	128.82	182-305-9	59.7	2175	14	72	197.7
Opponents.....	11	89.35	183-379-13	48.3	2005	4	81	182.3

RECEIVING	G/GS	NO.	YDS	AVG	TD	LONG	AVG/G
Paul, Niles	11/11	33	649	19.7	3	72	59.0
McNeill, Mike	11/11	24	237	9.9	4	32	21.5
Helu Jr., Roy	11/11	19	149	7.8	0	27	13.5
Gilleylen, Curenski	8/2	16	299	18.7	1	51	37.4
Holt, Menelik	10/5	15	175	11.7	1	30	17.5
Brooks, Chris	9/0	13	177	13.6	1	26	19.7
Cooper, Khiry	9/4	13	80	6.2	1	17	8.9
Kinnie, Brandon	10/0	10	91	9.1	0	13	9.1
Burkhead, Rex	6/0	9	75	8.3	1	24	12.5
Mendoza, Marcus	7/0	7	45	6.4	0	9	6.4
Reed, Kyler	8/1	5	52	10.4	0	22	7.4
Young, Dreu	10/7	4	71	17.8	0	34	7.1
Legate, Tyler	11/2	3	27	9.0	1	13	2.5
Robinson, Dontrayevous	6/0	3	22	7.3	0	19	3.7
Cotton, Ben	11/1	2	10	5.0	0	7	0.9
Hill, Ryan	10/0	2	8	4.0	1	7	0.8
Bell, Antonio	6/0	1	3	3.0	0	3	0.5
Cammack, Wes	7/0	1	2	2.0	0	2	0.3
Jones, Austin	4/0	1	2	2.0	0	2	0.5
Henry, Will	5/0	1	1	1.0	0	1	0.2
Total.....	11	182	2175	12.0	14	72	197.7
Opponents.....	11	183	2005	11.0	4	81	182.3

PUNT RETURNS	NO.	YDS	AVG	TD	LONG
Paul, Niles	28	242	8.6	0	55
Burkhead, Rex	4	73	18.2	0	33
May, Mathew	1	-4	-4.0	0	0
Martin, Eric	1	9	9.0	0	0
Blatchford, Justin	0	25	0.0	1	25
Total.....	34	345	10.1	1	55
Opponents.....	26	342	13.2	0	62

INTERCEPTIONS	NO.	YDS	AVG	TD	LONG
O'Hanlon, Matt	4	48	12.0	0	30
Amukamara, Prince	3	23	7.7	0	22
Gomes, Dejon	2	40	20.0	0	40
Asante, Larry	2	74	37.0	1	74
Suh, Ndamukong	1	0	0.0	0	0
Dillard, Phillip	1	9	9.0	0	9
Total.....	13	194	14.9	1	74
Opponents.....	9	124	13.8	1	45

KICK RETURNS	NO.	YDS	AVG	TD	LONG
Paul, Niles	13	334	25.7	0	44
Marlowe, Tim	10	247	24.7	0	40
Legate, Tyler	1	22	22.0	0	22
Burkhead, Rex	1	15	15.0	0	15
Dennard, Alfonzo	1	25	25.0	0	25
Cotton, Ben	1	2	2.0	0	2
Stoddard, Graham	1	1	1.0	0	1
Total.....	28	646	23.1	0	44
Opponents.....	37	732	19.8	0	76

FUMBLE RETURNS	NO.	YDS	AVG	TD	LONG
Fisher, Sean	1	21	21.0	0	21
Amukamara, Prince	1	4	4.0	0	4
Meredith, Cameron	1	4	4.0	0	4
Total.....	3	29	9.7	0	21
Opponents.....	1	82	82.0	1	82

FIELD GOALS	FGM-FGA	PCT	01-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50-99	LG	BLK
Henery, Alex	16-19	84.2	1-1	6-6	6-6	3-4	0-2	46	0

FG SEQUENCE	NEBRASKA	OPPONENTS
Florida Atlantic	-	46, (21)
Arkansas State	(26),54	(42)
Virginia Tech	(40),(27),(19),(38),(38)	(39)
Louisiana	(39),(46)	50
Missouri	-	43,(33)
Texas Tech	(21),51	(32)
Iowa State	-	(52),49
Baylor	(45),(22)	(41),29
Oklahoma	(28),43	46,45,(28),42
Kansas	(25),(34),(38)	(33)
Kansas State	(34)	(44),51,32

Numbers in parentheses indicate field goal was made.

PUNTING	NO.	YDS	AVG	LONG	TB	FC	I20	BLKD
Henery, Alex	59	2444	41.4	76	5	3	22	1
TEAM	1	23	23.0	23	0	0	0	0
Total.....	60	2467	41.1	76	5	3	22	1
Opponents.....	70	2907	41.5	60	3	10	19	1

KICKOFFS	NO.	YDS	AVG	TB	OB	RETN	NET	YDLN
Kunalic, Adi	60	4110	68.5	24	0			
Henery, Alex	1	50	50.0	0	0			
Total.....	61	4160	68.2	24	0	732	48.3	21
Opponents.....	31	1911	61.6	2	1	646	39.5	30

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----- PATS -----									
SCORING	TD	FGS	KICK	RUSH	RCV	PASS	DXP	SAF	PTS
Henery, Alex	0	16-19	31-31	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	79
Helu Jr., Roy	10	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	60
Paul, Niles	4	0-0	0-0	0-0	1	0-0	0	0	26
McNeill, Mike	4	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	24
Green, Cody	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	12
Burkhead, Rex	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	12
Robinson, Dontrayevous	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	12
Blatchford, Justin	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
Legate, Tyler	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
Hill, Ryan	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
Asante, Larry	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
Cotton, Ben	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
Holt, Menelik	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
Brooks, Chris	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
Gilleylen, Curenski	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-1	0	0	6
Cooper, Khiry	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
Lee, Zac	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	1-1	0	0	0
Total.....	33	16-19	31-31	0-0	1	1-2	0	0	279
Opponents.....	12	10-20	9-11	0-0	0	0-1	0	1	113

TOTAL OFFENSE	G	PLAYS	RUSH	PASS	TOTAL	AVG/G
Lee, Zac	10	319	108	1858	1966	196.6
Helu Jr., Roy	11	193	1057	0	1057	96.1
Green, Cody	6	81	131	317	448	74.7
Robinson, Dontrayevous	6	38	159	0	159	26.5
Burkhead, Rex	6	29	135	0	135	22.5
Paul, Niles	11	2	28	0	28	2.5
Ward, Lester	4	8	24	0	24	6.0
Washington, Latravis	2	3	17	0	17	8.5
Jones, Austin	4	6	15	0	15	3.8
Mendoza, Marcus	7	4	10	0	10	1.4
Okafor, Collins	1	1	9	0	9	9.0
TEAM	9	10	-68	0	-68	-7.6
Total.....	11	694	1625	2175	3800	345.5
Opponents.....	11	758	1089	2005	3094	281.3

ALL PURPOSE	G	RUSH	REC	PR	KOR	IR	TOT	AVG/G
Paul, Niles	11	28	649	242	334	0	1253	113.9
Helu Jr., Roy	11	1057	149	0	0	0	1206	109.6
Gilleylen, Curenski	8	0	299	0	0	0	299	37.4
Burkhead, Rex	6	135	75	73	15	0	298	49.7
Marlowe, Tim	11	0	0	0	247	0	247	22.5
McNeill, Mike	11	0	237	0	0	0	237	21.5
Robinson, Dontrayevous	6	159	22	0	0	0	181	30.2
Brooks, Chris	9	0	177	0	0	0	177	19.7
Holt, Menelik	10	0	175	0	0	0	175	17.5
Green, Cody	6	131	0	0	0	0	131	21.8
Lee, Zac	10	108	0	0	0	0	108	10.8
Kinnie, Brandon	10	0	91	0	0	0	91	9.1
Cooper, Khiry	9	0	80	0	0	0	80	8.9
Asante, Larry	11	0	0	0	0	74	74	6.7
Young, Dreu	10	0	71	0	0	0	71	7.1
Mendoza, Marcus	7	10	45	0	0	0	55	7.9
Reed, Kyler	7	0	52	0	0	0	52	7.4
Legate, Tyler	11	0	27	0	22	0	49	4.5
O'Hanlon, Matt	11	0	0	0	0	48	48	4.4
Gomes, Dejon	10	0	0	0	0	40	40	4.0
Dennard, Alfonzo	10	0	0	0	25	0	25	2.5
Blatchford, Justin	9	0	0	25	0	0	25	2.8
Ward, Lester	4	24	0	0	0	0	24	6.0
Amukamara, Prince	11	0	0	0	0	23	23	2.1
Washington, Latravis	2	17	0	0	0	0	17	8.5
Jones, Austin	4	15	2	0	0	0	17	4.2
Cotton, Ben	11	0	10	0	2	0	12	1.1
Okafor, Collins	1	9	0	0	0	0	9	9.0
Dillard, Phillip	9	0	0	0	0	9	9	1.0
Martin, Eric	11	0	0	9	0	0	9	0.8
Hill, Ryan	10	0	8	0	0	0	8	0.8
Bell, Antonio	6	0	3	0	0	0	3	0.5
Cammack, Wes	7	0	2	0	0	0	2	0.3
Henry, Will	5	0	1	0	0	0	1	0.2
Stoddard, Graham	11	0	0	0	1	0	1	0.1
May, Mathew	11	0	0	-4	0	0	-4	-0.4
TEAM	9	-68	0	0	0	0	-68	-7.6
Total.....	11	1625	2175	345	646	194	4985	453.2
Opponents.....	11	1089	2005	342	732	124	4292	390.2

Defensive Statistics

DEFENSIVE LEADERS		|-----TACKLES-----|			|-SACKS-|		|---PASS DEF---|			|-FUMBLES-|		BLKD	
	GP/GS	SOLO	AST	TOTAL	TFL/YDS	NO-YARDS	INT-YDS	BRUP	QBH	RCV-YDS	FF	KICK	SAF
93 Suh, Ndamukong	11-11	35	30	65	15-53	6.5-39	1-0	10	20	.	1	3	.
94 Crick, Jared	11-11	27	38	65	14-59	9.0-53	.	3	14	2-0	.	1	.
4 Asante, Larry	11-11	31	33	64	1-2	.	2-74	7	.	.	2	.	.
52 Dillard, Phillip	9-6	32	30	62	9-39	3.0-27	1-9	2	3	.	1	.	.
33 O'Hanlon, Matt	11-11	29	26	55	1-8	1.0-8	4-48	3	.	2-0	1	.	.
21 Amukamara, Prince	11-11	29	21	50	3-13	2.0-11	3-23	10	.	1-4	1	.	.
95 Allen, Pierre	11-11	14	27	41	10-35	3.0-23	.	4	6	.	.	.	.
99 Turner, Barry	11-11	18	21	39	12-33	3.0-26	.	3	11	1-0	1	.	.
7 Gomes, Dejon	10-4	20	18	38	2-5	.	2-40	4	3	.	3	.	.
28 Hagg, Eric	11-8	26	9	35	6-30	2.0-22	.	4	3	.	1	.	.
51 Compton, Will	10-7	11	22	33	1-2	0.5-2	.	2	2	.	.	.	.
42 Fisher, Sean	11-5	9	24	33	2-5	1.0-3	.	.	3	1-21	.	.	.
15 Dennard, Alfonzo	10-6	18	9	27	4-10	.	.	7	.	.	.	.	.
55 Steinkuler, Baker	10-0	6	11	17	1-2	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.
34 Meredith, Cameron	11-0	10	7	17	4-15	1.0-9	.	1	2	1-4	.	.	.
13 Smith, P.J.	11-0	6	6	12	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
5 West, Anthony	10-5	9	2	11	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	.
3 Thenarse, Rickey	4-0	3	8	11	1-2	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.
40 Lawrence, Blake	3-2	6	4	10	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
46 Martin, Eric	11-0	4	6	10	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.
36 May, Mathew	11-0	1	9	10	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
38 Stoddard, Graham	11-0	6	3	9	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
8 Cassidy, Austin	11-0	6	2	8	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.
23 Thorell, Lance	11-1	3	3	6	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.
54 Koehler, Colton	3-0	2	3	5	1-1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
30 Hays, Mike	10-0	2	3	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
31 Dean, Jase	5-0	3	1	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.
41 Grove, Thomas	10-0	1	2	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
98 Williams, Josh	3-0	2	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
14 Blue, Anthony	7-0	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
90 Henery, Alex	11-0	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
90 Moore, Terrence	3-0	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
85 Klingelhoefer, Faron	2-0	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
82 Cammack, Wes	7-0	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
80 Hill, Ryan	10-0	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
39 Blatchford, Justin	9-0	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
58 Jackson, Justin	2-0	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
12 Osborne, Courtney	4-0	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
80 Harvey, David	1-0	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
24 Paul, Niles	11-11	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Total.....	11-0	379	384	763	*73-314	32-223	13-194	66	67	8-29	13	5	.
Opponents.....	11-0	-	-	-	-	15-98	9-124	34	22	10-82	9	1	1

*total team TFL (team stops behind line of scrimmage: not total number of individual TFL)*total team TFL (team stops behind line of scrimmage: not total number of individual TFL)

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Individual Game By Game

RUSHING	NO-YDS/TD	FAU	ASU	VT	ULL	MU	TTU	ISU	BU	OU	KU	KSU	CU
Helu Jr., Roy	193-1057/10	16-152/3	14-60/0	28-169/0	15-83/2	18-88/1	16-68/0	5-24/0	7-24/0	20-138/0	28-156/3	26-95/1	
Robinson, Dontrayevous	38-159/2	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	-	15-77/1	13-61/1	6-11/0	4-10/0	-	
Burkhead, Rex	29-135/1	9-39/1	3-18/0	-	6-27/0	5-34/0	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	6-17/0	
Green, Cody	22-131/2	2-50/1	1-7/0	DNP	3-22/1	DNP	2-1/0	DNP	8-43/0	6-8/0	DNP	DNP	
Lee, Zac	73-108/0	2-14/0	7-11/0	8-38/0	3--2/0	8-7/0	9-0/0	6-5/0	DNP	10--13/0	9-53/0	11--5/0	
Paul, Niles	2-28/1	-	1-30/1	-	-	-	1--2/0	-	-	-	-	-	
Ward, Lester	8-24/0	-	1-8/0	DNP	-	DNP	DNP	DNP	7-16/0	DNP	DNP	DNP	
Washington, Latravis	3-17/0	1-7/0	DNP	DNP	2-10/0	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	
Jones, Austin	6-15/0	DNP	1-2/0	DNP	2-9/0	DNP	1-0/0	DNP	2-4/0	DNP	DNP	DNP	
Mendoza, Marcus	4-10/0	1--1/0	-	DNP	-	DNP	1-3/0	2-8/0	-	-	DNP	DNP	
Okafor, Collins	1-9/0	DNP	DNP	DNP	1-9/0	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	
TEAM	10--68/0	1--2/0	DNP	-	2--25/0	2--24/0	DNP	-	1--3/0	1--3/0	1--5/0	2--6/0	

RECEIVING	NO-YDS/TD	FAU	ASU	VT	ULL	MU	TTU	ISU	BU	OU	KU	KSU	CU
Paul, Niles	33-649/3	2-13/0	6-69/1	1-19/0	1-9/0	6-102/2	1-4/0	6-143/0	2-54/0	-	4-154/0	4-82/0	
Gilleylen, Curenski	16-299/1	4-92/1	1-43/0	1-35/0	2-85/0	3-14/0	2-12/0	3-18/0	DNP	DNP	DNP	-	
McNeill, Mike	24-237/4	4-51/0	4-57/2	1-4/0	2-26/0	1-8/1	2-14/0	2-22/0	-	1-2/0	4-27/0	3-26/1	
Brooks, Chris	13-177/1	1-15/0	2-30/0	2-16/0	3-50/1	-	5-66/0	DNP	DNP	-	-	-	
Holt, Menelik	15-175/1	3-45/1	5-40/0	1-13/0	-	2-26/0	2-34/0	2-17/0	-	-	DNP	-	
Helu Jr., Roy	19-149/0	1-3/0	4-44/0	4-33/0	2-11/0	-	1-27/0	3-13/0	1-3/0	3-15/0	-	-	
Kinnie, Brandon	10-91/0	-	1-5/0	DNP	-	-	-	3-27/0	1-10/0	2-21/0	1-8/0	2-20/0	
Cooper, Khiry	13-80/1	-	1-6/0	DNP	2-26/0	-	3-23/1	DNP	3-12/0	-	3-5/0	1-8/0	
Burkhead, Rex	9-75/1	1-9/0	1-11/0	1-16/0	4-26/1	1-4/0	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	1-9/0	
Young, Dreu	4-71/0	DNP	1-27/0	-	1-34/0	-	-	-	-	-	1-2/0	1-8/0	
Reed, Kyler	5-52/0	-	1-9/0	-	1-16/0	1-4/0	DNP	1-1/0	DNP	1-22/0	DNP	DNP	
Mendoza, Marcus	7-45/0	-	-	DNP	-	DNP	5-32/0	1-8/0	1-5/0	-	DNP	DNP	
Legate, Tyler	3-27/1	-	1-3/1	-	1-11/0	-	-	-	-	-	-	1-13/0	
Robinson, Dontrayevous	3-22/0	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	-	-	3-22/0	-	-	-	
Cotton, Ben	2-10/0	1-3/0	1-7/0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Hill, Ryan	2-8/1	-	1-7/0	-	-	-	-	-	DNP	1-1/1	-	-	
Bell, Antonio	1-3/0	-	-	DNP	1-3/0	-	-	-	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	
Jones, Austin	1-2/0	DNP	-	DNP	-	DNP	1-2/0	DNP	-	DNP	DNP	DNP	
Cammack, Wes	1-2/0	-	-	DNP	1-2/0	-	-	-	DNP	DNP	DNP	-	
Henry, Will	1-1/0	-	-	-	1-1/0	DNP	-	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	

PASSING											
#5 Lee, Zac	Att	Comp	Int	Pct	Yards	TD	Long	Sack	Yds	Effic	
Florida Atlantic	22	15	1	68.2	213	2	51	0	0	170.4	
Arkansas State	35	27	0	77.1	340	4	43	2	16	196.5	
Virginia Tech	30	11	2	36.7	136	0	35	0	0	61.4	
Louisiana	18	15	0	83.3	238	1	43	1	6	212.7	
Missouri	33	14	0	42.4	158	3	56	1	7	112.6	
Texas Tech	22	16	0	72.7	128	0	27	4	19	121.6	
Iowa State	37	20	3	54.1	248	0	72	1	4	94.1	
Oklahoma	9	5	0	55.6	35	1	16	2	11	124.9	
Kansas	21	13	0	61.9	196	0	45	1	8	140.3	
Kansas State	19	13	1	68.4	166	1	47	2	24	148.7	
TOTALS	246	149	7	60.6	1858	12	72	14	95	134.4	

#17 Green, Cody	Att	Comp	Int	Pct	Yards	TD	Long	Sack	Yds	Effic	
Florida Atlantic	3	2	0	66.7	18	0	15	0	0	117.1	
Arkansas State	6	3	0	50.0	18	0	7	0	0	75.2	
Louisiana	8	7	0	87.5	62	1	24	0	0	193.9	
Texas Tech	16	7	1	43.8	87	1	30	1	3	97.6	
Baylor	21	12	1	57.1	128	0	45	0	0	98.8	
Oklahoma	5	2	0	40.0	4	0	8	0	0	46.7	
TOTALS	59	33	2	55.9	317	2	45	1	3	105.5	

PUNT RETURNS	NO-YDS	FAU	ASU	VT	ULL	MU	TTU	ISU	BU	OU	KU	KSU	CU
Paul, Niles	28-242	-	3-17	6-86	2-8	2--1	5-64	3-11	1-17	2-19	2-18	2-3	
Burkhead, Rex	4-73	-	1-14	-	2-59	1-0	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	-	
Martin, Eric	1-9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1-9	-	-	-	
May, Mathew	1--4	-	-	-	-	1--4	-	-	-	-	-	-	

KICK RETURNS	NO-YDS	FAU	ASU	VT	ULL	MU	TTU	ISU	BU	OU	KU	KSU	CU
Paul, Niles	13-334	2-49	2-53	3-71	1-21	-	-	2-54	1-14	-	2-72	-	
Marlowe, Tim	10-247	-	-	-	-	-	3-61	1-26	2-41	1-26	1-40	2-53	
Dennard, Alfonzo	1-25	-	-	-	-	-	1-25	-	-	-	-	DNP	
Legate, Tyler	1-22	-	-	-	-	-	1-22	-	-	-	-	-	
Burkhead, Rex	1-15	-	-	1-15	-	-	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	-	
Cotton, Ben	1-2	-	-	-	-	1-2	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Stoddard, Graham	1-1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1-1	-	-	

Defense Game By Game

TOTAL TACKLES	UA-A	TOT	FAU	ASU	VT	ULL	MU	TTU	ISU	BU	OU	KU	KSU	CU
Suh, Ndamukong	35-30	65	4-3	4-1	1-7	1-5	5-1	4-0	6-2	3-2	1-3	2-1	4-5	
Crick, Jared	27-38	65	0-3	1-4	2-5	0-1	2-5	2-3	5-3	10-3	2-6	2-1	1-4	
Asante, Larry	31-33	64	3-4	7-1	3-3	2-0	1-5	0-3	1-2	3-3	5-3	2-3	4-6	
Dillard, Phillip	32-30	62	DNP	DNP	1-4	3-0	1-2	8-4	5-7	1-4	5-3	2-4	6-2	
O'Hanlon, Matt	29-26	55	1-4	2-3	3-2	1-3	3-2	2-2	2-2	2-2	9-3	2-0	2-3	
Amukamara, Prince	29-21	50	3-3	4-3	4-2	1-1	2-7	2-2	2-1	4-0	2-0	4-0	1-2	
Allen, Pierre	14-27	41	1-3	0-3	3-2	1-3	3-2	2-5	1-0	0-2	2-2	1-3	0-2	
Turner, Barry	18-21	39	0-2	2-1	2-4	3-1	1-2	1-2	2-2	3-1	1-1	3-2	0-3	
Gomes, Dejon	20-18	38	1-1	-	DNP	1-1	3-2	2-4	1-1	1-2	3-2	5-3	3-2	
Hagg, Eric	26-9	35	1-0	2-0	1-1	2-4	1-1	4-1	0-1	6-0	2-0	4-0	3-1	
Compton, Will	11-22	33	2-3	1-2	1-6	3-2	2-4	0-1	1-3	DNP	-	-	1-1	
Fisher, Sean	9-24	33	2-4	0-2	2-4	1-5	-	-	2-7	1-2	-	-	1-0	
Dennard, Alfonso	18-9	27	1-2	-	0-1	-	3-1	1-1	3-2	1-0	4-2	5-0	DNP	
Meredith, Cameron	10-7	17	0-1	1-0	-	4-1	0-2	-	2-1	1-0	-	2-1	0-1	
Steinkuhler, Baker	6-11	17	1-4	1-2	1-0	1-3	0-1	DNP	-	2-1	-	-	-	
Smith, P.J.	6-6	12	-	1-1	0-1	0-1	1-1	-	-	-	3-1	1-0	0-1	
Thenarse, Rickey	3-8	11	3-5	0-2	0-1	-	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	
West, Anthony	9-2	11	2-0	-	2-1	1-1	DNP	-	-	1-0	-	-	3-0	
Martin, Eric	4-6	10	1-3	-	-	0-1	1-1	-	-	-	1-0	1-1	-	
May, Mathew	1-9	10	0-1	0-1	0-1	0-1	1-3	-	-	-	-	0-1	0-1	
Lawrence, Blake	6-4	10	3-3	3-1	DNP	-	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	
Stoddard, Graham	6-3	9	1-2	-	1-0	1-0	-	-	1-0	-	-	2-0	0-1	
Cassidy, Austin	6-2	8	0-1	1-0	-	1-1	-	1-0	-	1-0	2-0	-	-	
Thorell, Lance	3-3	6	-	1-0	-	0-2	1-1	-	-	-	-	1-0	-	
Koehler, Colton	2-3	5	0-1	0-1	DNP	2-1	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	
Hays, Mike	2-3	5	-	-	0-1	-	2-0	-	-	0-2	-	DNP	-	
Dean, Jase	3-1	4	2-1	-	-	1-0	-	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	
Grove, Thomas	1-2	3	DNP	-	-	-	0-1	0-1	-	1-0	-	-	-	
Williams, Josh	2-1	3	1-1	-	DNP	1-0	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	
Klingelhoefer, Faron	1-1	2	DNP	1-0	DNP	0-1	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	
Moore, Terrence	1-1	2	DNP	-	-	1-1	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	
Blue, Anthony	2-0	2	DNP	DNP	DNP	-	-	-	1-0	-	1-0	DNP	-	
Henery, Alex	1-1	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1-0	-	-	0-1	
Jackson, Justin	0-1	1	0-1	DNP	DNP	-	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	
Paul, Niles	1-0	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1-0	
Hill, Ryan	1-0	1	-	-	-	-	1-0	-	-	DNP	-	-	-	
Cammack, Wes	0-1	1	-	-	DNP	-	-	0-1	-	DNP	DNP	DNP	-	
Harvey, David	1-0	1	DNP	DNP	DNP	1-0	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	
Blatchford, Justin	1-0	1	-	DNP	-	-	DNP	-	-	1-0	-	-	-	
Osborne, Courtney	1-0	1	DNP	DNP	DNP	1-0	DNP	-	-	-	DNP	DNP	DNP	

Defense Game By Game

TACKLES FOR LOSS	UA-A	TOT	FAU	ASU	VT	ULL	MU	TTU	ISU	BU	OU	KU	KSU	CU
Suh, Ndamukong	10-5	15	1-1	3-18	1-1	1-0	1-6	2-10	1-6	3-5	-	-	2-6	
Crick, Jared	10-4	14	1-0	1-6	1-1	-	1-9	2-12	-	7-28	1-3	-	-	
Turner, Barry	5-7	12	-	1-1	3-4	1-1	-	2-20	-	1-1	1-3	2-2	1-1	
Allen, Pierre	3-7	10	1-1	-	1-13	1-1	1-5	3-10	-	2-3	-	1-2	-	
Dillard, Phillip	8-1	9	DNP	DNP	1-1	1-5	-	4-6	-	-	2-18	-	1-9	
Hagg, Eric	5-1	6	-	1-8	1-1	-	1-2	-	-	1-3	1-2	-	1-14	
Dennard, Alfonso	4-0	4	-	-	-	-	1-4	1-1	1-1	-	1-4	-	DNP	
Meredith, Cameron	4-0	4	-	-	-	2-10	-	-	1-2	-	-	1-3	-	
Amukamara, Prince	3-0	3	-	1-2	1-2	-	-	-	-	-	-	1-9	-	
Gomes, Dejon	1-1	2	-	-	DNP	-	1-2	-	-	-	-	1-3	-	
Fisher, Sean	2-0	2	-	-	1-2	-	-	-	-	1-3	-	-	-	
Koehler, Colton	1-0	1	-	-	DNP	1-1	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	
Compton, Will	0-1	1	-	-	-	-	-	1-2	-	DNP	-	-	-	
Steinkuhler, Baker	1-0	1	-	-	1-2	-	-	DNP	-	-	-	-	-	
Asante, Larry	0-1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1-2	-	-	-	
O'Hanlon, Matt	1-0	1	-	-	1-8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Thenarse, Rickey	1-0	1	1-2	-	-	-	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	

SACKS	UA-A	TOT	FAU	ASU	VT	ULL	MU	TTU	ISU	BU	OU	KU	KSU	CU
Crick, Jared	8-2	9.0	-	0.5-6	1.0-1	-	1.0-9	1.0-10	-	5.0-24	0.5-3	-	-	
Suh, Ndamukong	5-3	6.5	-	1.5-17	0.5-1	-	1.0-6	-	1.0-6	1.0-3	-	-	-	1.5-6
Turner, Barry	1-4	3.0	-	-	0.5-2	-	-	1.5-20	-	-	0.5-3	-	-	0.5-1
Allen, Pierre	2-2	3.0	-	-	1.0-13	-	-	2.0-10	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dillard, Phillip	3-0	3.0	DNP	DNP	-	1.0-5	-	-	-	-	1.0-13	-	-	1.0-9
Hagg, Eric	2-0	2.0	-	1.0-8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.0-14
Amukamara, Prince	2-0	2.0	-	1.0-2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.0-9	-
Meredith, Cameron	1-0	1.0	-	-	-	1.0-9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Fisher, Sean	1-0	1.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.0-3	-	-	-	-
O'Hanlon, Matt	1-0	1.0	-	-	1.0-8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Compton, Will	0-1	0.5	-	-	-	-	-	0.5-2	-	DNP	-	-	-	-

INT RETURNS	NO-YDS	FAU	ASU	VT	ULL	MU	TTU	ISU	BU	OU	KU	KSU	CU
O'Hanlon, Matt	4-48	1-18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3-30	-	-	
Amukamara, Prince	3-23	1-0	-	-	-	-	-	-	1-1	1-22	-	-	
Gomes, Dejon	2-40	-	-	DNP	-	1-40	-	-	1-0	-	-	-	
Asante, Larry	2-74	-	-	-	1-74	-	-	-	-	-	-	1-0	
Suh, Ndamukong	1-0	-	-	-	-	1-0	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Dillard, Phillip	1-9	DNP	DNP	-	-	-	-	-	-	1-9	-	-	

FUMBLES RECOVERED	NO-YDS	FAU	ASU	VT	ULL	MU	TTU	ISU	BU	OU	KU	KSU	CU
Q'Hanlon, Matt	2	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	
Crick, Jared	2	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	
Meredith, Cameron	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Turner, Barry	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Amukamara, Prince	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	
Fisher, Sean	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	

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Nebraska Team Game By Game

DATE	OPPONENT	---RUSHING---				---RECEIVING---				-----PASSING-----				--KICK RET--				--PUNT RET--				ALL	
		NO.	YDS	TD	LG	NO.	YDS	TD	LG	ATT	CMP	INT	YDS	TD	LG	NO	YDS	TD	LG	NO	YDS		TD	LG	PURP
Sept. 5, 2009	Florida Atlantic	32	259	5	49	17	231	2	51	17-25-1	231	2	51	2	49	0	32	0	0	0	0	0	490
Sept. 12, 2009	Arkansas State	28	136	1	30	30	358	4	43	30-41-0	358	4	43	2	53	0	29	4	31	0	14	494	
Sept. 19, 2009	at Virginia Tech	36	207	0	31	11	136	0	35	11-30-2	136	0	35	4	86	0	27	6	86	0	55	343	
Sept. 26, 2009	Louisiana-Lafayette	34	133	4	39	22	300	2	43	22-26-0	300	2	43	1	21	0	21	4	67	0	33	433	
Oct. 8, 2009	at Missouri	33	105	1	41	14	158	3	56	14-33-0	158	3	56	1	2	0	2	4	-5	0	0	263	
Oct. 17, 2009	Texas Tech	30	70	0	11	23	215	1	30	23-38-1	215	1	30	5	108	0	30	5	64	0	18	285	
Oct. 24, 2009	Iowa State	28	114	1	21	20	248	0	72	20-37-3	248	0	72	3	80	0	33	3	11	0	7	362	
Oct. 31, 2009	at Baylor	38	145	1	23	12	128	0	45	12-21-1	128	0	45	3	55	0	24	2	51	1	25	273	
Nov. 7, 2009	Oklahoma	43	141	0	63	7	39	1	16	7-14-0	39	1	16	2	27	0	26	2	19	0	19	180	
Nov. 14, 2009	at Kansas	42	214	3	32	13	196	0	45	13-21-0	196	0	45	3	112	0	44	2	18	0	10	410	
Nov. 21, 2009	Kansas State	45	101	1	18	13	166	1	47	13-19-1	166	1	47	2	53	0	28	2	3	0	2	267	
Nov. 27, 2009	at Colorado																						
	Totals	389	1625	17	63	182	2175	14	72	182-305-9	2175	14	72	28	646	0	44	34	345	1	55	3800	
	Opponent	379	1089	6	46	183	2005	4	81	183-379-13	2005	4	81	37	732	0	76	26	342	0	62	3094	

DATE	OPPONENT	|-----TACKLES-----|					|---SACKS---|			|---FUMBLE---|			INT-YDS	QBH	PASS BRK	BLKD KICK	|---KICKS-----XPTS---|						
		SOLO	AST	TOTAL	TFL-YDS		NO-YDS	FF	FR-YDS			ATT-MAD					RUN	RCV	SAF	PTS			
Sept. 5, 2009	Florida Atlantic	33	56	89	3-4		0-0-0	2	1-4			2-18	3	6	1	7-7	0	0	0	0	49		
Sept. 12, 2009	Arkansas State	32	28	60	6-35		4-0-33	1	1-0			0-0	7	3	0	5-5	0	0	0	0	38		
Sept. 19, 2009	at Virginia Tech	27	46	73	9-35		4-0-25	0	0-0			0-0	5	5	0	0-0	0	0	0	0	15		
Sept. 26, 2009	Louisiana-Lafayette	34	40	74	6-18		2-0-14	4	2-21			1-74	6	3	0	7-7	0	0	0	0	55		
Oct. 8, 2009	at Missouri	34	44	78	6-28		2-0-15	1	1-0			2-40	7	9	0	3-3	0	0	0	0	27		
Oct. 17, 2009	Texas Tech	29	30	59	13-61		5-0-42	0	0-0			0-0	8	1	0	1-1	0	0	0	0	10		
Oct. 24, 2009	Iowa State	35	34	69	3-9		1-0-6	1	0-0			0-0	9	4	2	1-1	0	0	0	0	7		
Oct. 31, 2009	at Baylor	43	24	67	13-45		7-0-30	1	1-0			2-1	3	10	1	2-2	0	0	0	0	20		
Nov. 7, 2009	Oklahoma	43	26	69	5-30		2-0-19	0	0-0			5-61	8	12	1	1-1	0	0	0	0	10		
Nov. 14, 2009	at Kansas	39	20	59	6-19		1-0-9	1	1-0			0-0	6	5	0	2-2	0	1	0	0	31		
Nov. 21, 2009	Kansas State	30	36	66	5-30		4-0-30	2	1-4			1-0	5	8	0	2-2	0	0	0	0	17		
Nov. 27, 2009	at Colorado																						
	Totals	379	384	763	*73-314		32.0-223	13	8-29			13-194	67	66	5	31-31	0	1	0	0	279		
	Opponent	404	336	740	74-202		15.0-98	9	10-82			9-124	22	34	1	11-9	0	0	1	1	113		

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DATE	OPPONENT	-----PUNTING-----										---FIELD GOALS---				-----KICKOFFS-----				
		NO	YDS	AVG	LONG	BLKD	TB	FC	50+	I20		ATT-MADE	LG	BLKD		NO	YDS	AVG	TB	OB
Sept. 5, 2009	Florida Atlantic	3	97	32.3	43	1	0	0	0	1		0-0	0	0		8	552	69.0	2	0
Sept. 12, 2009	Arkansas State	3	128	42.7	49	0	0	0	0	2		2-1	26	0		7	486	69.4	5	0
Sept. 19, 2009	at Virginia Tech	6	249	41.5	76	0	2	1	1	2		5-5	40	0		6	415	69.2	3	0
Sept. 26, 2009	Louisiana-Lafayette	3	137	45.7	55	0	0	0	1	2		2-2	46	0		10	700	70.0	6	0
Oct. 8, 2009	at Missouri	8	315	39.4	55	0	1	0	2	2		0-0	0	0		6	380	63.3	1	0
Oct. 17, 2009	Texas Tech	5	176	35.2	46	0	0	1	0	2		2-1	21	0		3	204	68.0	1	0
Oct. 24, 2009	Iowa State	4	161	40.2	49	0	0	0	0	3		0-0	0	0		2	140	70.0	0	0
Oct. 31, 2009	at Baylor	7	295	42.1	57	0	0	1	2	3		2-2	45	0		5	346	69.2	3	0
Nov. 7, 2009	Oklahoma	11	481	43.7	66	0	0	0	1	2		2-1	28	0		3	210	70.0	1	0
Nov. 14, 2009	at Kansas	4	155	38.8	52	0	1	0	1	1		3-3	38	0		7	448	64.0	1	0
Nov. 21, 2009	Kansas State	6	273	45.5	61	0	1	0	2	2		1-1	34	0		4	279	69.8	1	0
Nov. 27, 2009	at Colorado																			
	Totals	60	2467	41.1	76	1	5	3	10	22		19-16	46	0		61	4160	68.2	24	0
	Opponent	70	2907	41.5	60	1	3	10	19	19		20-10	52	3		31	1911	61.6	2	1

Opponent Team Game By Game

DATE	OPPONENT	|---RUSHING---|				|---RECEIVING---|				|-----PASSING-----|				|--KICK RET--|				|--PUNT RET--|				ALL PURP
		NO.	YDS	TD	LG	NO.	YDS	TD	LG	ATT	CMP	INT	YDS	TD	LG	NO	YDS	TD	LG	NO	YDS		TD	LG
Sept. 5, 2009	Florida Atlantic	35	132	0	23	20	236	0	38	20-41-2	236	0	38	6	97	0	27	3	10	0	6	358
Sept. 12, 2009	Arkansas State	38	143	1	20	11	131	0	43	11-20-0	131	0	43	2	34	0	19	1	14	0	14	274
Sept. 19, 2009	at Virginia Tech	37	86	1	46	12	192	1	81	12-27-0	192	1	81	3	114	0	76	1	6	0	6	278
Sept. 26, 2009	Louisiana-Lafayette	37	102	0	12	15	120	0	32	15-27-1	120	0	32	4	67	0	20	1	0	0	0	222
Oct. 8, 2009	at Missouri	35	91	1	23	17	134	0	38	17-43-2	134	0	38	5	82	0	21	4	63	0	27	225
Oct. 17, 2009	Texas Tech	25	25	2	21	23	234	1	58	23-32-0	234	1	58	2	58	0	40	1	9	0	9	259
Oct. 24, 2009	Iowa State	48	137	0	20	9	102	1	47	9-19-0	102	1	47	2	35	0	21	2	8	0	6	239
Oct. 31, 2009	at Baylor	32	54	0	12	19	222	0	41	19-38-2	222	0	41	2	53	0	31	4	101	0	62	276
Nov. 7, 2009	Oklahoma	29	80	0	14	26	245	0	33	26-58-5	245	0	33	2	37	0	23	6	102	0	35	325
Nov. 14, 2009	at Kansas	29	99	1	17	19	236	1	28	19-41-0	236	1	28	6	105	0	23	1	2	0	2	335
Nov. 21, 2009	Kansas State	34	140	0	24	12	153	0	27	12-33-1	153	0	27	3	50	0	19	2	27	0	22	293
Nov. 27, 2009	at Colorado																					
	Opponent totals	379	1089	6	46	183	2005	4	81	183-379-13	2005	4	81	37	732	0	76	26	342	0	62	3094
	Nebraska	389	1625	17	63	182	2175	14	72	182-305-9	2175	14	72	28	646	0	44	34	345	1	55	3800

DATE	OPPONENT	|-----TACKLES-----|					|---SACKS---|			|---FUMBLE---|			INT-YDS	QBH	PASS BRK	BLKD KICK	|---KICKS-----XPTS---|						
		SOLO	AST	TOTAL	TFL-YDS		NO-YDS	FF	FR-YDS			ATT-MAD					RUN	RCV	SAF	PTS			
Sept. 5, 2009	Florida Atlantic	28	32	60	2-3		0-0-0	0	0-0			1-0	2	2	1	0-0	0	0	0	0	3		
Sept. 12, 2009	Arkansas State	42	26	68	3-17		2-0-16	0	0-0			0-0	2	4	0	1-0	0	0	0	0	9		
Sept. 19, 2009	at Virginia Tech	34	42	76	8-9		0-0-0	0	0-0			2-3	8	2	0	1-1	0	0	0	0	16		
Sept. 26, 2009	Louisiana-Lafayette	38	30	68	6-17		1-0-6	1	0-0			0-0	1	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0		
Oct. 8, 2009	at Missouri	38	12	50	6-28		1-0-7	1	2-0			0-0	0	4	0	1-1	0	0	1	12			
Oct. 17, 2009	Texas Tech	42	34	76	5-22		5-0-22	0	1-82			1-7	1	7	0	4-4	0	0	0	0	31		
Oct. 24, 2009	Iowa State	34	28	62	6-12		1-0-4	5	5-0			3-27	0	4	0	1-0	0	0	0	0	9		
Oct. 31, 2009	at Baylor	34	32	66	8-13		0-0-0	1	1-0			1-45	2	2	0	1-1	0	0	0	0	10		
Nov. 7, 2009	Oklahoma	38	26	64	11-22		2-0-11	0	1-0			0-0	1	3	0	0-0	0	0	0	0	3		
Nov. 14, 2009	at Kansas	38	36	74	6-16		1-0-8	1	0-0			0-0	5	4	0	2-2	0	0	0	0	17		
Nov. 21, 2009	Kansas State	38	38	76	13-43		2-0-24	0	0-0			1-42	0	2	0	0-0	0	0	0	0	3		
Nov. 27, 2009	at Colorado																						
	Opponent totals	404	336	740	74-202		15-0-98	9	10-82			9-124	22	34	1	11-9	0	0	1	113			
	Nebraska	379	384	763	*73-314		32-0-223	13	8-29			13-194	67	66	5	31-31	0	1	0	279			

OPPONENT	SCORE	1ST DNS (RUN/PASS/PEN.)	RUSHING	PASSING	PASS YDS	TOTAL OFFENSE	RET YDS	T/O
Florida Atlantic	49-3	22/23 (13/9, 8/11, 1/3)	32-259/35-132	17-25-1/20-41-2	231/236	57-490/76-368	71/97	1/3
Arkansas State	38-9	27/15 (7/11, 19/3, 1/1)	28-136/38-143	30-41-0/11-20-0	358/131	69-494/58-274	84/48	0/1
at Virginia Tech	15-16	18/11 (9/2, 7/9, 2/0)	36-207/37-86	11-30-2/12-27-0	136/192	66-343/64-278	172/123	2/0
Louisiana-Lafayette	55-0	21/14 (7/8, 13/5, 1/1)	34-133/37-102	22-26-0/15-27-1	300/120	60-433/64-222	183/67	0/3
at Missouri	27-12	14/15 (6/4, 6/7, 2/4)	33-105/35-91	14-33-0/17-43-2	158/134	66-263/78-225	37/145	2/3
Texas Tech	10-31	16/15 (4/2, 11/10, 1/3)	30-70/25-25	23-38-1/23-32-0	215/234	68-285/57-259	172/156	2/0
Iowa State	7-9	15/11 (4/7, 9/4, 2/0)	28-114/48-137	20-37-3/9-19-0	248/102	65-362/67-239	91/70	8/0
at Baylor	20-10	11/18 (5/3, 6/11, 0/4)	38-145/32-54	12-21-1/19-38-2	128/222	59-273/70-276	107/199	2/3
Oklahoma	10-3	7/23 (4/7, 2/13, 1/3)	43-141/29-80	7-14-0/26-58-5	39/245	57-180/87-325	107/139	1/5
at Kansas	31-17	18/21 (10/8, 6/11, 2/2)	42-214/29-99	13-21-0/19-41-0	196/236	63-410/70-335	130/107	0/1
Kansas State	17-3	19/19 (7/9, 9/7, 3/3)	45-101/34-140	13-19-1/12-33-1	166/153	64-267/67-293	60/119	1/2
at Colorado								
Totals	279-113	188/185 (76/70, 96/91, 16/24)	389-1625/379-1089	182-305-9/183-379-13	2175/2005	694-3800/758-3094	1214/1280	19/21

Note: Game totals are displayed in the format TEAM/OPPONENT for each category

OPPONENT	3RD DOWN	4TH DOWN	TIME POSS	MARGIN	YDS/RUSH	YDS/PASS	YDS/PLAY	PUNTING	PENALTIES
Florida Atlantic	4-10/6-15	2-2/0-2	27:42/32:18	-4:36	8.1/3.8	9.2/5.8	8.6/4.8	3-32.3/4-35.8	9-86/11-67
Arkansas State	8-13/2-10	0-0/1-2	31:38/28:22	3:16	4.9/3.8	8.7/6.6	7.2/4.7	3-42.7/5-45.0	3-40/3-20
at Virginia Tech	6-17/8-18	0-0/0-1	29:46/30:14	-0:28	5.8/2.3	4.5/7.1	5.2/4.3	6-41.5/8-46.9	9-60/7-53
Louisiana-Lafayette	6-11/5-16	0-0/1-1	29:57/30:03	0:06	3.9/2.8	11.5/4.4	7.2/3.5	3-45.7/8-43.1	6-54/3-14
at Missouri	8-17/5-18	0-1/1-2	29:32/30:28	0:56	3.2/2.6	4.8/3.1	4.0/2.9	8-39.4/8-44.6	12-108/8-100
Texas Tech	6-15/6-14	1-2/1-1	30:04/29:56	0:08	2.3/1.0	5.7/7.3	4.2/4.5	5-35.2/6-36.0	12-95/4-40
Iowa State	5-13/5-18	0-1/1-1	26:20/33:40	-7:20	4.1/2.9	6.7/5.4	5.6/3.6	4-40.2/9-40.0	3-25/8-72
at Baylor	5-15/5-16	0-0/1-2	29:52/30:08	0:16	3.8/1.7	6.1/5.8	4.6/3.9	7-42.1/6-29.2	6-65/4-25
Oklahoma	1-14/5-18	0-0/0-3	31:42/28:18	3:24	3.3/2.8	2.8/4.2	3.2/3.7	11-104.7/5-49.0	11-104/9-64
at Kansas	7-16/6-16	0-0/2-2	31:29/28:31	2:58	5.1/3.4	9.3/5.8	6.5/4.8	4-38.8/6-44.8	5-55/4-50
Kansas State	7-16/3-14	1-1/1-2	31:30/28:30	3:00	2.2/4.1	8.7/4.6	4.2/4.4	6-45.5/5-39.4	3-34/7-69
at Colorado									
Totals	63-157/56-173	4-7/9-19	329:32/330:28	0:56	4.2/2.9	7.1/5.3	5.5/4.1	60-41.1/70-41.5	79-726/68-574

Nebraska Red Zone Chart

DATE	OPPONENT	SCORE	TIMES IN RZ	TIMES SCORED	PTS	TOTAL TDS	RUSH TDS	PASS TDS	FGS MADE	----- FAILED TO SCORE INSIDE RZ -----						
										FGA	DOWNES	INT	FUMB	HALF	GAME	
Sept. 5	Florida Atlantic	W, 49-3	4	4	28	4	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Sept. 12	Arkansas State	W, 38-9	4	4	24	3	0	3	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Sept. 19	at Virginia Tech	L, 15-16	5	4	12	0	0	0	4	0	1*	0	0	0	0	
Sept. 26	Louisiana-Lafayette	W, 55-0	4	4	28	4	3	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Oct. 8	Missouri	W, 27-12	3	3	20	3	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Oct. 17	Texas Tech	L, 10-31	5	2	10	1	0	1	1	0	1	1	1	0	0	
Oct. 24	Iowa State	L, 7-9	4	1	7	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	
Oct. 31	Baylor	W, 20-10	2	2	10	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Nov. 7	Oklahoma	W, 10-3	3	2	10	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	
Nov. 14	Kansas	W, 31-17	4	4	20	2	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Nov. 21	Kansas State	W, 17-3	4	3	17	2	1	1	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	
Nov. 27	Colorado															
Totals 33 of 42 (78.6%)			42	33	186	22	13	9	11	0	2	3	4	0	0	
*Punted on fourth down																

OPPONENT INSIDE NEBRASKA RED-ZONE

DATE	OPPONENT	SCORE	TIMES	TIMES	PTS	TOTAL	RUSH	PASS	FGS	----- FAILED TO SCORE INSIDE RZ -----					
			IN RZ	SCORED		TDS	TDS	TDS	MADE	FGA	DOWNS	INT	FUMB	HALF	GAME
Sept. 5	Florida Atlantic	W, 49-3	2	1	3	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0
Sept. 12	Arkansas State	W, 38-9	1	1	6	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sept. 19	at Virginia Tech	L, 15-16	2	2	13	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sept. 26	Louisiana-Lafayette	W, 55-0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
Oct. 8	Missouri	W, 27-12	2	2	10	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Oct. 17	Texas Tech	L, 10-31	4	4	24	3	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Oct. 24	Iowa State	L, 7-9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Oct. 31	Baylor	W, 20-10	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Nov. 7	Oklahoma	W, 10-3	1	1	3	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Nov. 14	Kansas	W, 31-17	2	2	10	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Nov. 21	Kansas State	W, 17-3	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0
Nov. 27	Colorado														
	Totals		18	13	69	8	6	2	5	2	1	0	2	0	0
	13 of 18 (72.2%)														

Miscellaneous Numbers

LONG SEASON PLAYS (20 OR MORE YARDS)

	HUSKER LONG PLAYS				OPPONENT LONG PLAYS			
	RUSH	PASS	RET.	TOTAL	RUSH	PASS	RET.	TOTAL
Florida Atlantic	3	4	1	8	1	2	2	5
Arkansas State	1	5	2	8	1	2	0	3
Virginia Tech	4	1	4	9	1	2	1	4
Louisiana-Lafayette	2	6	5	13	0	2	1	3
Missouri	1	1	1	3	1	2	3	6
Texas Tech	0	3	3	6	1	3	2	6
Iowa State	1	2	4	7	1	1	1	3
Baylor	1	3	2	6	0	3	5	8
Oklahoma	2	0	3	5	0	2	3	5
Kansas	3	4	3	10	0	3	3	6
Kansas State	0	1	2	3	2	2	2	6
Colorado								
Totals	18	30	30	78	8	22	20	50

DRIVE SUPERLATIVES

	Nebraska	Opponent
Most Yards (Result)	82 vs. Florida Atlantic (TD)	89 at Kansas (TD)
Most Plays (Result)	16 vs. TTU (Downs), vs. KSU (FG)	14vs.OU(downs),vs.KSU(downs)
Most Time (Result)	9:29 vs. Texas Tech (Downs)	7:12 vs. Iowa State (Punt)

NEBRASKA LONG PLAYS

YARDS	OPPONENT	PLAY	RESULT
74	Louisiana-Lafayette	IR (Asante)	Touchdown
72	Iowa State	Pass (Lee to Paul)	1st-10
63	Oklahoma	Rush (Helu Jr.)	1st-10
56	Missouri	Pass (Lee to Paul)	Touchdown
55	Virginia Tech	PR (Paul)	1st-10
51	Florida Atlantic	Pass (Lee to Gilleylen)	Touchdown
49	Florida Atlantic	Rush (Green)	1st-10
47	Kansas State	Pass (Lee to Paul)	1st-10
45	Kansas	Pass (Lee to Paul)	1st-10
45	Baylor	Pass (Green to Paul)	1st-G
44	Kansas	KOR (Paul)	1st-10
43	Florida Atlantic	Rush (Helu Jr.)	Touchdown
43	Louisiana-Lafayette	Pass (Lee to Gilleylen)	1st-G
42	Arkansas State	Pass (Lee to Gilleylen)	1st-G
42	Louisiana-Lafayette	Pass (Lee to Gilleylen)	1st-10
41	Missouri	Rush (Helu Jr.)	1st-G
40	Kansas	KOR (Marlow)	1st-10
40	Missouri	IR (Gomes)	1st-G
39	Louisiana-Lafayette	Rush (Helu Jr.)	1st-G
37	Kansas	Pass (Lee to Paul)	1st-10
37	Kansas	Pass (Lee to Paul)	1st-G
35	Kansas	Pass (Lee to Paul)	1st-10
35	Virginia Tech	Pass (Lee to Gilleylen)	1st-10
34	Iowa State	BLKR (Fisher)	1st-10
34	Louisiana-Lafayette	Pass (Lee to Young)	1st-10
33	Iowa State	KOR (Paul)	1st-10
33	Louisiana-Lafayette	PR (Burkhead)	1st-10
32	Kansas	Rush (Lee)	1st-10
32	Florida Atlantic	KOR (Paul)	1st-10
32	Arkansas State	Pass (Lee to McNeill)	Touchdown
31	Virginia Tech	Rush (Helu Jr.)	1st-10
30	Kansas	Rush (Helu Jr.)	1st-10
30	Oklahoma	IR (O'Hanlon)	1st-10
30	Texas Tech	KOR (Marlowe)	1st-10
30	Texas Tech	Pass (Green to Holt)	1st-10
30	Arkansas State	Rush (Paul)	Touchdown
29	Virginia Tech	Rush (Helu Jr.)	1st-10
29	Arkansas State	PR (Paul)	1st-10
29	Florida Atlantic	Pass (Lee to McNeill)	1st-10
28	Kansas State	KOR (Marlowe)	1st-10
28	Kansas	KOR (Paul)	1st-10
28	Florida Atlantic	Rush (Helu Jr.)	Touchdown
28	Florida Atlantic	Pass (Lee to Holt)	1st-10
27	Texas Tech	Pass (Lee to Helu Jr.)	1st-10
27	Virginia Tech	KOR (Paul)	1st-10
27	Arkansas State	Pass (Lee to Young)	1st-G
26	Oklahoma	KOR (Marlowe)	1st-10
26	Iowa State	KOR (Marlowe)	1st-10
26	Texas Tech	Pass (Lee to Brooks)	1st-G
26	Louisiana-Lafayette	PR (Burkhead)	1st-10
26	Florida Atlantic	Pass (Lee to Gilleylen)	1st-10
25	Kansas State	KOR (Marlowe)	1st-10
25	Oklahoma	Rush (Helu Jr.)	1st-10
25	Baylor	PR (Blatchford ... blocked punt)	Touchdown
25	Texas Tech	KOR (Dennard)	1st-10
24	Baylor	KOR (Marlowe)	1st-10
24	Louisiana-Lafayette	Pass (Green to Burkhead)	Touchdown
24	Louisiana-Lafayette	Rush (Green)	Touchdown
24	Louisiana-Lafayette	Pass (Lee to Brooks)	1st-10
24	Arkansas State	PR (Paul)	1st-10
23	Baylor	Rush (Robinson)	1st-10
22	Oklahoma	IR (Amukamara)	1st-G
22	Baylor	Pass (Green to Reed)	1st-10
22	Texas Tech	KOR (Legate)	1st-10
22	Louisiana-Lafayette	Pass (Lee to Brooks)	1st-G
22	Virginia Tech	KOR (Paul)	1st-10
22	Virginia Tech	KOR (Paul)	1st-10
21	Iowa State	Pass (Lee to Paul)	1st-10
21	Iowa State	Rush (Robinson)	1st-10
21	Iowa State	KOR (Paul)	1st-10
21	Louisiana-Lafayette	PR (Paul)	1st-10
21	Louisiana-Lafayette	FR (Fisher)	1st-10
20	Kansas	Rush (Helu Jr.)	Touchdown
20	Arkansas State	Pass (Lee to Paul)	1st-10
20	Arkansas State	Pass (Lee to Brooks)	1st-10
20	Virginia Tech	Rush (Helu Jr.)	1st-10
20	Virginia Tech	Rush (Helu Jr.)	1st-10

OPPONENT LONG PLAYS

YARDS	OPPONENT	PLAY	RESULT
82	Texas Tech	FR (Howard)	Touchdown
81	Virginia Tech	Pass (Taylor to Coale)	1st-Goal
70	Virginia Tech	KOR (Roberts)	1st-10
62	Baylor	PR (Casey ... lateral on return)	1st-10
58	Texas Tech	Pass (Sheffield to Lewis)	1st-10
47	Iowa State	Pass (Tiller to Williams)	Touchdown
46	Virginia Tech	Rush (Williams)	1st-10
45	Baylor	IR (Odom)	Touchdown
43	Arkansas State	Pass (Leonard to Murry)	1st-10
42	Kansas State	IR (Hartman)	1st-10
41	Baylor	Pass (Florence to Gettis)	1st-10
40	Baylor	Pass (Florence to Gettis)	1st-10
40	Texas Tech	KOR (Stephens)	1st-10
38	Missouri	Pass (Gabbert to Perry)	1st-Goal
38	Florida Atlantic	Pass (VanCamp to Rose)	1st-Goal
35	Oklahoma	PR (Broyles)	1st-10
34	Texas Tech	Pass (Sheffield to Leong)	1st-10
33	Oklahoma	Pass (Jones to Miller)	1st-10
32	Louisiana-Lafayette	Pass (Masson to Green)	1st-10
31	Baylor	KOR (Williams)	1st-10
30	Baylor	PR (Buerck)	1st-10
28	Kansas	Pass (Reesing to Briscoe)	1st-10
28	Baylor	Pass (Florence to Wright)	1st-10
27	Kansas State	Pass (Klein to Thomas)	1st-10
27	Missouri	PR (Gettis)	1st-10
27	Florida Atlantic	Pass (Smith to Gent)	1st-10
27	Florida Atlantic	KOR (Polo)	1st-10
26	Louisiana-Lafayette	Pass (Masson to Green)	1st-10
25	Oklahoma	PR (Broyles)	1st-10
25	Florida Atlantic	KOR (Rolle)	1st-10
24	Kansas State	Rush (Thomas)	1st-10
24	Kansas State	Pass (Gregory to Snipes)	1st-10
24	Kansas State	Rush (Thomas)	1st-10
23	Kansas	KOR (Stuckey)	1st-10
23	Oklahoma	KOR (Madu)	1st-10
23	Missouri	Rush (Washington)	1st-10
23	Florida Atlantic	Rush (Morris)	1st-10
22	Kansas State	PR (Banks)	1st-10
22	Oklahoma	Pass (Jones to Broyles)	1st-10
22	Baylor	KOR (Williams)	1st-10
22	Texas Tech	Pass (Sheffield to Lewis)	1st-10
21	Kansas	Pass (Reesing to Meier)	1st-10
21	Kansas	Pass (Reesing to Briscoe)	Touchdown
21	Iowa State	KOR (Johnson)	1st-10
21	Texas Tech	Rush (Jeffers)	1st-10
21	Missouri	KOR (Jasper)	1st-10
21	Virginia Tech	Pass (Taylor to Boyce)	1st-10
21	Arkansas State	Pass (Leonard to McLennan)	1st-Goal
20	Kansas	KOR (McDougald)	1st-10
20	Kansas	KOR (McDougald)	1st-10
20	Iowa State	Rush (Brandtner)	1st-10
20	Missouri	Pass (Gabbert to Perry)	1st-10
20	Missouri	KOR (Jasper)	1st-10
20	Arkansas State	Rush (Arnold)	1st-10
20	Louisiana-Lafayette	KOR (Miller)	1st-10

GAME-OPENING DRIVES

Opponent	[----- Nebraska -----]			[----- Opponent -----]		
	Pts.	1st Dwn	Yds	Pts.	1st Dwn	Yds
Florida Atlantic	0	0	(-2)	0	0	5
Arkansas State	7	3	80	0	3	47
Virginia Tech	0	0	1	7	2	24
Louisiana-Lafayette	3	3	71	0	1	22
Missouri	0	1	10	0	2	14
Texas Tech	0	0	(-1)	7	4	80
Iowa State	0	0	3	3	0	4
Baylor	3	3	44	0	1	14
Oklahoma	0	0	0	0	1	16
Kansas	7	2	58	0	0	2
Kansas State	3	5	56	3	3	58
Colorado						

SECOND HALF-OPENING DRIVES

Opponent	[----- Nebraska -----]			[----- Opponent -----]		
	Pts.	1st Dwn	Yds	Pts.	1st Dwn	Yds
Florida Atlantic	7	4	62	0	2	22
Arkansas State	7	3	67	0	1	19
Virginia Tech	0	0	2	0	0	2
Louisiana-Lafayette	7	3	73	0	0	3
Missouri	0	0	(-11)	0	0	4
Texas Tech	0	1	19	0	1	16
Iowa State	0	2	52	0	1	12
Baylor	0	0	7	3	1	18
Oklahoma	0	1	6	0	0	5
Kansas	3	4	79	0	3	73
Kansas State	7	2	70	0	4	79
Colorado						

Miscellaneous Numbers

SCORING DRIVES							
	Scoring	[--Time--]		[--Plays--]			
Game	Drives	Total	Avg.	Total	Avg.	5 or less	1 or 0
Florida Atlantic	7	20:57	2:59	43	6.2	5	None
Arkansas State	6	20:05	3:21	44	7.3	2	None
Virginia Tech	5	14:57	2:59	35	7.0	2	None
Louisiana-Lafayette	9*	19:22	2:09	44	4.9	6	1
Missouri	4	8:00	2:00	19	4.8	2	None
Texas Tech	2	6:25	3:13	18	9.0	0	None
Iowa State	1	4:06	4:06	9	9.0	0	None
Baylor	4#	11:00	2:45	26	6.5	2	1
Oklahoma	2	3:20	1:40	8	4.0	1	1
Kansas	6	22:56	3:49	52	8.7	1	None
Kansas State	3	11:56	3:59	27	9.0	1	0
Colorado							
Totals	49	2:23:04	2:55	315	6.4	22	3
Opponents	22^	1:10:51	3:13	151	6.8	4	2

**includes one defensive score with drive of 0:00* *#includes one blocked punt return with drive of 0:00*

^includes two defensive scores with drive of 0:00

NEBRASKA SCORING DRIVES							
Opponent	[----Drive-----]				Qtr./Time	Play	
	Plays	Yds	Time	Score			
Florida Atlantic	5	44	2:32	7-0	1st/7:41	Holt 28-yd. pass from Lee	
Florida Atlantic	4	72	1:49	14-0	2nd/13:43	Gilleylen 51-yd. pass from Lee	
Florida Atlantic	15	82	7:16	21-3	2nd/00:51	Helu Jr. 1-yd. run	
Florida Atlantic	4	62	2:17	28-3	3rd/12:36	Helu Jr. 7-yd. run	
Florida Atlantic	4	68	1:49	35-3	3rd/7:26	Helu Jr. 44-yd. run	
Florida Atlantic	4	55	2:00	42-3	3rd/00:00	Burkhead 8-yd. run	
Florida Atlantic	7	80	3:14	49-3	4th/6:03	Green 1-yd. run	
Arkansas State	8	80	3:20	7-0	1st/11:40	Legate 3-yd. pass from Lee	
Arkansas State	11	80	5:20	14-0	1st/1:15	McNeill 13-yd. pass from Lee	
Arkansas State	3	46	0:51	21-0	2nd/13:59	Paul 30-yd. run	
Arkansas State	11	58	5:14	24-6	2nd/00:09	Henery 26-yd. FG	
Arkansas State	4	67	1:36	31-6	3rd/9:47	McNeill 32-yd. pass from Lee	
Arkansas State	7	66	3:44	38-9	4th/8:14	Paul 2-yd. pass from Lee	
Virginia Tech	4	(-1)	1:29	3-7	1st/0:56	Henery 40-yd. FG	
Virginia Tech	6	48	1:49	6-7	2nd/12:49	Henery 27-yd. FG	
Virginia Tech	10	77	4:32	9-7	2nd/5:23	Henery 19-yd. FG	
Virginia Tech	4	50	2:06	12-10	2nd/0:18	Henery 38-yd. FG	
Virginia Tech	10	54	5:01	15-10	4th/4:33	Henery 38-yd. FG	
Louisiana-Lafayette	11	71	4:55	3-0	1st/7:06	Henery 39-yd. FG	
Louisiana-Lafayette	3	43	0:45	10-0	1st/5:03	Cotton 0-yd fumble recovery	
Louisiana-Lafayette	6	38	2:16	13-0	1st/0:08	Henery 46-yd. FG	
Louisiana-Lafayette	4	27	1:59	20-0	2nd/12:00	Brooks 4-yd. pass from Lee	
Louisiana-Lafayette	3	26	0:42	27-0	2nd/11:11	Helu Jr. 2-yd. run	
Louisiana-Lafayette	0	0	0:00	34-0	2nd/6:16	Asante 74-yd. interception return	
Louisiana-Lafayette	10	73	6:18	41-0	3rd/8:36	Helu Jr. 2-yd. run	
Louisiana-Lafayette	5	41	1:51	48-0	4th/11:04	Burkhead 24-yd. pass from Green	
Louisiana-Lafayette	2	41	0:36	55-0	4th/8:46	Green 24-yd. run	
Missouri	6	69	2:29	7-12	4th/13:56	Paul 56-yd. pass from Lee	
Missouri	2	18	0:45	13-12	4th/12:59	Paul 13-yd. pass from Lee	
Missouri	3	10	0:58	20-12	4th/10:34	McNeill 7-yd. pass from Lee	
Missouri	8	68	4:28	27-12	4th/0:56	Helu 5-yd. run	
Texas Tech	11	74	5:02	3-21	2nd/6:56	Henery 21-yd. FG	
Texas Tech	7	40	1:23	10-24	4th/8:40	Cooper 13-yd. pass from Green	
Iowa State	9	42	4:06	7-3	1st/3:26	Robinson 3-yd. run	
Baylor	0	0	0:00	7-0	1st/13:31	Blatchford 25-yd. blocked punt return	
Baylor	11	44	5:04	10-0	1st/5:43	Henery 45-yd. FG	
Baylor	12	75	4:56	13-0	2nd/12:16	Henery 22-yd. FG	
Baylor	3	46	1:00	20-0	2nd/9:28	Robinson 1-yd. run	
Oklahoma	1	1	0:23	7-0	2nd/13:36	Hill 1-yd. pass from Lee	
Oklahoma	7	33	2:57	10-3	3rd/5:38	Henery 28-yd. FG	
Kansas	6	58	2:55	7-0	1st/12:05	Helu Jr. 0-yd. fumble recovery	
Kansas	6	70	1:56	10-0	2nd/10:47	Henery 25-yd. FG	
Kansas	13	79	7:15	13-10	3rd/3:42	Henery 34-yd. FG	
Kansas	13	51	5:50	16-10	4th/11:53	Henery 38-yd. FG	
Kansas	4	31	1:04	24-17	4th/6:19	Helu Jr. 20-yd. run	
Kansas	10	74	4:46	31-17	4th/0:29	Helu Jr. 14-yd. run	
Kansas State	16	56	7:37	3-3	1st/1:44	Henery 34-yd. FG	
Kansas State	7	57	2:46	10-3	2nd/12:02	McNeill 17-yd. pass from Lee	
Kansas State	4	70	1:33	17-3	3rd/13:21	Helu Jr. 14-yd. run	

OPPONENT SCORING DRIVES							
Opponent	[----Drive-----]				Qtr./Time	Play	
	Plays	Yds	Time	Score			
Florida Atlantic	11	71	5:20	3-14	2nd/13:33	Gornall 21-yd. FG	
Arkansas State	6	32	3:12	6-21	2nd/5:30	Arnold 1-yd. run	
Arkansas State	8	39	2:39	9-31	4th/12:05	Arauco 42-yd. FG	
Virginia Tech	7	24	3:45	7-0	1st/11:15	Williams 1-yd. run	
Virginia Tech	7	58	2:53	10-9	2nd/2:30	Waldron 39-yd. FG	
Virginia Tech	5	88	1:23	16-15	4th/0:21	Roberts 11-yd. pass from Taylor	
Missouri	7	44	0:48	9-0	2nd/0:00	Gabbert 1-yd. run	
Missouri	7	19	2:16	12-0	3rd/1:26	Ressell 33-yd. FG	
Texas Tech	9	80	4:39	7-0	1st/10:21	Batch 16-yd. pass from Sheffield	
Texas Tech	0	0	0:00	14-0	1st/4:42	Howard 82-yd. fumble return	
Texas Tech	12	65	6:40	21-0	2nd/6:56	Sheffield 1-yd. run	
Texas Tech	5	67	1:39	24-3	2nd/0:11	Williams 32-yd. FG	
Texas Tech	9	54	5:00	31-10	4th/3:30	Sheffield 1-yd. run	
Iowa State	4	4	1:20	3-0	1st/13:24	Mahoney 52-yd. FG	
Iowa State	7	83	2:56	9-7	2nd/6:53	Williams 47-yd. pass from Tiller	
Baylor	7	18	4:00	3-20	3rd/9:22	Parks 41-yd. FG	
Baylor	0	0	0:00	10-20	3rd/3:27	Odom 45-yd. INT return	
Oklahoma	9	59	3:14	3-7	2nd/0:24	Way 28-yd. FG	
Kansas	13	80	5:49	7-10	2nd/4:58	Reesing 5-yd. run	
Kansas	12	64	3:37	10-10	2nd/0:00	Branstetter 33-yd. FG	
Kansas	10	89	4:11	17-16	3rd/7:34	Briscoe 21-yd. pass from Reesing	
Kansas State	10	58	5:30	3-0	1st/9:26	Cherry 44-yd. FG	

NEBRASKA POINTS OFF TURNOVERS						
Game	TOs Gained	TDs	FG-FGA	Pts.	(NU Fumbles/Lost, INT)	
Florida Atlantic	3 (5/1 F/L, 2 Int)	2	0-0	14	1 (1/0 F/L, 1 Int)	
Arkansas State	1 (2/1 F/L, 0 Int)	0	0-0	0	0 (0/0 F/L, 0 Int)	
Virginia Tech	0 (0/0 F/L, 0 Int)	0	0-0	0	2 (0/0 F/L, 2 Int)	
Louisiana-Lafayette	3 (4/2 F/L, 1 Int)	2	0-0	14	0 (2/0 F/L, 0 Int)	
Missouri	3 (2/1 F/L, 2 Int)	2	0-0	13	2 (5/2 F/L, 0 Int)	
Texas Tech	0 (1/0 F/L, 0 Int)	0	0-0	0	2 (1/1 F/L, 1 Int)	
Iowa State	0 (1/0 F/L, 0 Int)	0	0-0	0	8 (7/5 F/L, 3 Int)	
Baylor	3 (2/1 F/L, 2 Int)	0	1-1	3	2 (1/1 F/L, 1 Int)	
Oklahoma	5 (2/0 F/L, 5 Int)	1	1-1	10	1 (1/1 F/L, 0 Int)	
Kansas	1 (1/1 F/L, 0 Int)	0	1-1	3	0 (1/0 F/L, 0 Int)	
Kansas State	2 (3/1 F/L, 1 Int)	0	0-0	0	1 (0/0 F/L, 1 Int)	
Colorado						
Totals	21 (23/8 F/L, 13 Int)	7	3-3	57	19 (19/10 F/L, 9 Int)	
Opponents	19 (19/10 F/L, 9 Int)	3	1-2	23	21 (23/8 F/L, 13 Int)	

STARTING FIELD POSITION*			
	NU Avg. Start	Opp. Avg. Start	NU lead
	(yards/drives/in 20/past 50)	(yards/drives/in 20/past 50)	
Florida Atlantic	35.0 (420/12/1/1)	22.8 (273/12/3/0)	+12.2
Arkansas State	28.4 (284/10/1/1)	22.0 (242/11/4/1)	+6.4
Virginia Tech	30.6 (398/13/4/2)	29.8 (387/13/3/1)	+0.8
Louisiana-Lafayette	42.6 (511/12/1/5)	18.3 (238/13/5/0)	+24.3
Missouri	33.6 (504/15/6/2)	35.4 (566/16/2/4)	-1.8
Texas Tech	42.9 (515/12/0/3)	25.7 (283/11/5/0)	+17.2
Iowa State	30.6 (398/13/5/2)	27.9 (391/14/6/3)	+2.7
Baylor	31.5 (410/13/3/2)	29.1 (378/13/2/2)	+2.4
Oklahoma	31.6 (537/17/4/3)	31.9 (510/16/3/3)	-0.3
Kansas	29.4 (294/10/3/1)	24.9 (274/11/2/0)	+4.5
Kansas State	27.9 (307/11/3/1)	23.5 (259/11/2/2)	+4.4
Colorado			
Totals	33.2 (4,578/138/31/23)	26.9 (3,801/141/37/16)	+6.3

**does not include drives with time of 0:00 (ie, defensive and special teams touchdowns, end of half turnovers, overtime, etc.)*

PENALTY NUMBERS		
	NU Pen.-Yds.	Opp. Pen.-Yds
Florida Atlantic	9-86	11-67
Arkansas State	3-40	3-20
Virginia Tech	9-60	7-53
Louisiana-Lafayette	6-54	3-14
Missouri	12-108	8-100
Texas Tech	12-95	4-40
Iowa State	3-25	8-72
Baylor	6-65	4-25
Oklahoma	11-104	9-64
Kansas	5-55	4-50
Kansas State	3-34	7-69
Colorado		
Totals (Avg/Penalty)	79-726 (9.2)	68-574 (8.4)
Avg/G	7.2-66.0	6.2-52.1

Individual Career/Season Superlatives

SEASON AND CAREER, MOST PASSING YARDS		
Player	2009	Career
Zac Lee	340 vs. Arkansas State	same
Cody Green	128 at Baylor	same
Latravis Washington	None	None

* - indicates touchdown pass

SEASON AND CAREER, MOST RECEIVING YARDS		
Player	2009	Career
Chris Brooks	66 vs. Texas Tech	same
Rex Burkhead	26 vs. Louisiana-Lafayette	same
Wes Cammack	2 vs. Louisiana-Lafayette	5 vs. New Mexico State, 2008
Khiry Cooper	26 vs. Louisiana-Lafayette	same
Ben Cotton	7 vs. Arkansas State	same
Roy Helu Jr.	44 vs. Arkansas State	61 vs. Kansas, 2008
Ryan Hill	7 vs. Arkansas State	same
Menelik Holt	45 vs. Florida Atlantic	67 vs. Missouri, 2008
Curenski Gilleylen	92 vs. Florida Atlantic	same
Brandon Kinnie	27 vs. Iowa State	same
Tyler Legate	13 vs. Kansas State	same
Mike McNeill	57 vs. Arkansas State	70 vs. Colorado, 2008
Marcus Mendoza	32 vs. Texas Tech	same
Niles Paul	154 at Kansas	same
Kyler Reed	22 at Baylor	same
Dontrayevous Robinson	22 at Baylor	same
Dreu Young	34 vs. Louisiana-Lafayette	55 vs. W. Michigan, 2008

*Indicates touchdown scored

SEASON AND CAREER, MOST RUSHING YARDS		
Player	2009	Career
Rex Burkhead	39 vs. Florida Atlantic	same
Cody Green	50 vs. Florida Atlantic	same
Roy Helu Jr.	169 at Virginia Tech	same
Austin Jones	9 vs. Louisiana-Lafayette	same
Zac Lee	53 at Kansas	same
Marcus Mendoza	8 vs. Iowa State	58 at Kansas State
Niles Paul	30 vs. Arkansas State	same
Dontrayevous Robinson	77 vs. Iowa State	same
Lester Ward	16 at Baylor	same
Latravis Washington	10 vs. Louisiana-Lafayette	same

*Indicates touchdown scored

SEASON AND CAREER, LONGEST PASS	
2009	Career
72 vs. Iowa State (Paul)	same
45 at Baylor (Paul)	same
None	None

SEASON AND CAREER, LONGEST CATCH	
2009	Career
26 vs. Texas Tech (Lee)	same
24* vs. Louisiana-Lafayette (Green)	same
2 vs. Louisiana-Lafayette	5 vs. New Mexico State (Lee), 2008
17 vs. Louisiana-Lafayette (Green)	same
7 vs. Arkansas State (Green)	same
27 vs. Texas Tech (Lee)	27 four times (three by Ganz, one by Lee)
7 vs. Arkansas State (Lee)	same
30 vs. Texas Tech (Green)	35 vs. Kansas State (Ganz), 2007
51* vs. Florida Atlantic (Lee)	same
13 vs. Iowa State, vs. Oklahoma (Lee)	same
13 vs. Kansas State (Lee)	same
32* vs. Arkansas State (Lee)	53* vs. Colorado (Ganz), 2008
9 vs. Texas Tech	same
72 vs. Iowa State (Lee)	same
22 at Baylor (Green)	same
19 at Baylor (Green)	same
34 vs. Louisiana-Lafayette (Lee)	55 vs. W. Michigan (Ganz), 2008

SEASON AND CAREER, LONGEST RUN	
2009	Career
16 vs. Arkansas State	same
49 vs. Florida Atlantic	same
63 vs. Oklahoam	same
9 vs. Louisiana-Lafayette	same
32 at Kansas	same
7 vs. Iowa State	35 vs. New Mexico State, 2008
30* vs. Arkansas State	same
23 at Baylor	same
8 vs. Arkansas State	same
7 vs. Florida Atlantic	same

SEASON AND CAREER DEFENSE HIGHS						
Player	Tackles (2009)	Career	TFL (2009)	Career	Sacks (2009)	Career
Pierre Allen	7 vs. Texas Tech	10 vs. San Jose St., 2008	3 vs. Texas Tech	3 two times	2.0 vs. Texas Tech	same
Prince Amukamara	9 at Missouri	same	1 vs. ASU, at VT, at KU	1 five times, last 2009	1.0 vs. ASU, at KU	1.0 three times, last 2009
Larry Asante	10 vs. KSU	13 at Oklahoma, 2008	1 at Baylor	2 vs. Baylor, 2008	None	1.0 vs. Baylor, 2008
Austin Cassidy	2 vs. ULL, vs. OU	same	None	same	None	same
Will Compton	7 at Virginia Tech	same	1 vs. Texas Tech	same	0.5 vs. Texas Tech	same
Jared Crick	13 at Baylor	same	7 at Baylor (Ties School Record)	same	5.0 at Baylor (School Record)	same
Jase Dean	3 vs. Florida Atlantic	same	None	same	None	same
Alfonzo Dennard	6 vs. Oklahoma	same	1 four times	same	None	same
Phillip Dillard	12 vs. Texas Tech, Iowa State	same	4 vs. Texas Tech	same	1.0 vs. ULL, vs. OU, vs. KSU	same
Sean Fisher	9 vs. Iowa State	same	1 at VT, at BU	same	1.0 at Baylor	same
Dejon Gomes	8 at Kansas	same	1 at Missouri, at Kansas	same	None	same
Eric Hagg	6 vs. ULL, at BU	10 vs. New Mexico St., 2008	1 six times	1 six times	1.0 vs. ASU, vs. KSU	same
Justin Jackson	1 vs. Florida Atlantic	same	None	same	None	same
Faron Klingelhoefer	1 vs. ASU, vs. ULL	same	None	same	None	same
Colton Koehler	3 vs. Louisiana-Lafayette	8 at Kansas State, 2008	1 vs. Louisiana-Lafayette	1 two times, last 2009	None	same
Blake Lawrence	6 vs. Florida Atlantic	same	None	same	None	same
Eric Martin	4 vs. Florida Atlantic	same	None	same	None	same
Mathew May	4 at Missouri	same	None	same	None	same
Cameron Meredith	5 vs. Louisiana-Lafayette	same	2 vs. Louisiana-Lafayette	same	1.0 vs. Louisiana-Lafayette	same
Terrence Moore	2 vs. Louisiana-Lafayette	3 vs. W. Michigan, 2008	None	2 vs. W. Michigan, 2008	None	2.0 vs. W. Michigan, 2008
Matt O'Hanlon	12 vs. Oklahoma	same	1 at Virginia Tech	1 three times, last 2009	1.0 at Virginia Tech	same
P.J. Smith	4 vs. Oklahoma	same	None	same	None	same
Baker Steinkuhler	5 vs. Florida Atlantic	same	1 at Virginia Tech	same	None	same
Graham Stoddard	3 vs. Florida Atlantic	same	None	same	None	same
Ndamukong Suh	9 vs. KSU	12 vs. Kansas, 2008	3 vs. ASU, at BU	4 vs. Kansas, 2008	1.5 vs. Arkansas State	2.5 vs. Kansas, 2008
Rickey Thenarse	8 vs. Florida Atlantic	8, two times (last vs. FAU)	1 vs. Florida Atlantic	2 vs. Colorado, 2008	None	1.0 two times, 2008
Lance Thorell	2 vs. La-Lafayette, at Missouri	8 vs. New Mexico St., 2008	None	same	None	same
Barry Turner	6 at Virginia Tech	same	3 at Virginia Tech	3, three times	1.5 vs. Texas Tech	2.0 vs. Baylor, 2005
Anthony West	3 at VT, vs. KSU	6 vs. Kansas, 2008	None	2 vs. Texas A&M, 2007	None	1.0 two times
Josh Williams	2 vs. Florida Atlantic	Same	None	same	None	same

Nebraska Statistical Highs and Lows

NEBRASKA TOTALS	HIGHS	LOWS
Points Scored	55 (Louisiana-Lafayette)	7 (Iowa State)
First Downs	27 (Arkansas State)	7 (Oklahoma)
Rushing Attempts	45 (Kansas State)	28 (Arkansas State, Iowa State)
Rushing Yards	259 (Florida Atlantic)	70 (Texas Tech)
Passes Attempted	41 (Arkansas State)	14 (Oklahoma)
Passes Completed	30 (Arkansas State)	7 (Oklahoma)
Had Intercepted	3 (Iowa State)	0 (Arkansas State, Louisiana-Lafayette, at Missouri, Oklahoma, at Kansas)
Passing Yards	358 (Arkansas State)	39 (Oklahoma)
Total Plays	69 (Arkansas State)	57 (Florida Atlantic, Oklahoma)
Total Yards	494 (Arkansas State)	180 (Oklahoma)
Possession Time	31:38 (Arkansas State)	26:20 (Iowa State)
Fumbles	7 (Iowa State)	0 (Arkansas State, at Virginia Tech, Kansas State)
Fumbles Lost	5 (Iowa State)	0 (six times)
Turnovers	8 (Iowa State)	0 (Arkansas State, Louisiana-Lafayette, at Kansas)
Turnover Margin	+4 (Oklahoma)	-8 (Iowa State)
Penalties	12 (at Missouri, Texas Tech)	3 (Arkansas State, Iowa State, Kansas State)
Yards Penalized	108 (at Missouri)	25 (Iowa State)
Sacks By-Yards Lost	7-30 (at Baylor)	0-0 (Florida Atlantic)
Team Tackles for Loss-Yards	13-61 (Texas Tech); 13-45 (at Baylor)	3-4 (Florida Atlantic), 3-9 (Iowa State)
OPPONENT TOTALS	HIGHS	LOWS
Points Scored	31 (Texas Tech)	0 (Louisiana-Lafayette)
First Downs	23 (Florida Atlantic, Oklahoma)	11 (Virginia Tech, Iowa State)
Rushing Attempts	48 (Iowa State)	25 (Texas Tech)
Rushing Yards	143 (Arkansas State)	25 (Texas Tech)
Passes Attempted	58 (Oklahoma)	19 (Iowa State)
Passes Completed	26 (Oklahoma)	9 (Iowa State)
Had Intercepted	5 (Oklahoma)	0 (Arkansas State, Virginia Tech, Texas Tech, Iowa State, Kansas)
Passing Yards	245 (Oklahoma)	102 (Iowa State)
Total Plays	87 (Oklahoma)	57 (Texas Tech)
Total Yards	368 (Florida Atlantic)	222 (Louisiana-Lafayette)
Possession Time	33:40 (Iowa State)	28:22 (Arkansas State)
Fumbles	5 (Florida Atlantic)	0 (Virginia Tech, Texas Tech)
Fumbles Lost	2 (Louisiana-Lafayette)	0 (Virginia Tech, Texas Tech, Iowa State, Oklahoma)
Turnovers	5 (Oklahoma)	0 (Virginia Tech, Texas Tech, Iowa State)
Turnover Margin	+8 (Iowa State)	-4 (Oklahoma)
Penalties	11 (Florida Atlantic)	3 (Arkansas State, Louisiana-Lafayette)
Yards Penalized	100 (Missouri)	14 (Louisiana-Lafayette)
Sacks By-Yards Lost	5-22 (Texas Tech)	0-0 (Florida Atlantic, Virginia Tech, Baylor)
Team Tackles for Loss-Yards Lost	10-43 (Kansas State)	2-3 (Florida Atlantic)
NEBRASKA INDIVIDUAL HIGHS		
Most Rushing Attempts.....	28; Roy Helu Jr. at Virginia Tech, at Kansas	
Most Net Rushing Yards.....	169; Roy Helu Jr. at Virginia Tech	
Most Rushing TDs.....	3; Roy Helu Jr. vs. Florida Atlantic	
Longest TD Run.....	44; Roy Helu Jr. vs. Florida Atlantic	
Longest Run, No TD.....	63; Roy Helu Jr. vs. Oklahoma	
Most Pass Attempts.....	35; Zac Lee vs. Arkansas State	
Most Completed Passes.....	27; Zac Lee vs. Arkansas State	
Most Passing Yards.....	340; Zac Lee vs. Arkansas State	
Longest TD Pass.....	56; Zac Lee to Niles Paul at Missouri	
Longest Pass, No TD.....	72; Zac Lee to Niles Paul vs. Iowa State	
Most Pass Receptions.....	6; Niles Paul vs. Arkansas State, at Missouri, vs. Iowa State	
Most Receiving Yards.....	154; Niles Paul at Kansas	
Most TD Receptions.....	2; Mike McNeill vs. Arkansas State; Niles Paul at Missouri	
Most Total Offense Attempts.....	42; Zac Lee vs. Arkansas State (36 pass, 7 rush)	
Most Total Offense Yards.....	351; Zac Lee vs. Arkansas State (340 passing, 11 rushing)	
Most All Purpose Attempts.....	32; Roy Helu Jr. at Virginia Tech (28 rush, 4 rec.)	
Most All Purpose Yards.....	244; Niles Paull at Kansas (154 receiving, 72 kickoff return, 18 punt return)	
Most Touchdowns Scored.....	3; Roy Helu Jr. vs. Florida Atlantic (3 rush), at Kansas (2 rush, 1 fumble recovery)	
Most Field Goals Attempted.....	5; Alex Henery at Virginia Tech	
Most Field Goals Made.....	5; Alex Henery at Virginia Tech	
Longest Field Goal Made.....	46; Alex Henery vs. Louisiana-Lafayette	
Longest Field Goal Attempted.....	54; Alex Henery vs. Arkansas State	
Most Interceptions.....	3; Matt O’Hanlon vs. Oklahoma (TIES SCHOOL RECORD)	
Longest Interception TD Return.....	74; Larry Asante vs. Louisiana-Lafayette	
Longest Interception Return, No TD.....	40; Dejon Gomes at Missouri	
Longest Fumble TD Return.....	None (NOTE: Ben Cotton vs. ULL and Roy Helu Jr. at Kansas each had an offensive fumble recovery TD in endzone which were not fumble returns)	
Longest Fumble Return, No TD.....	4; Cameron Meredith vs. Florida Atlantic; Prince Amukamara vs. Kansas State	
Longest Punt Return, TD.....	None	
Longest Punt Return, No TD.....	55; Niles Paul at Virginia Tech	
Most Punt Return Yardage.....	86; Niles Paul at Virginia Tech	
Longest Kickoff Return, TD.....	None	
Longest Kickoff Return, No TD.....	44; Niles Paul at Kansas	
Most Kickoff Return Yardage.....	72; Niles Paul at Kansas (2 returns)	
Most Punts.....	11; Alex Henery vs. Oklahoma (43.7 avg.)	
Highest Punting Average.....	45.7; Alex Henery vs. Louisiana-Lafayette (3 punts)	
Longest Punt.....	76; Alex Henery at Virginia Tech	

Nebraska Statistical Highs and Lows

NEBRASKA INDIVIDUAL HIGHS....(CONTINUED)

Most Total Tackles.....	13; Jared Crick at Baylor (10 solo, 3 assist)
Most Solo Tackles.....	10; Jared Crick at Baylor
Most Tackles for Loss	7; Jared Crick at Baylor (28 yards).... TIES SCHOOL RECORD FOR TFL
Most Yards Lost	28; Jared Crick at Baylor (7 TFL)
Most Quarterback Sacks.....	5.0; Jared Crick at Baylor (24 yards)... SCHOOL RECORD FOR SACKS
Most Yards Lost	24; Jared Crick at Baylor (5.0 sacks)
Most Pass Breakups	4; Ndamukong Suh at Virginia Tech
Most Blocked Field Goals	1; Jared Crick vs. Florida Atlantic, Ndamukong Suh vs. Iowa State and vs. Oklahoma
Most Blocked Punts.....	1; Eric Martin at Baylor
Most Blocked PAT	1; Ndamukong Suh vs. Iowa State

OPPONENT INDIVIDUAL HIGHS

Most Yards Rushing.....	107; Ryan Williams (Virginia Tech)
Most Rushing Attempts.....	22; Jeremiah Schwartz (Iowa State)
Most Yards Passing.....	245; Landry Jones (Oklahoma)
Most Passing Attempts	58; Landry Jones (Oklahoma)
Most Pass Completions	26; Landry Jones (Oklahoma)
Most Pass Receptions.....	10; Kerry Meier (Kansas)
Most Yards Receiving	127; Kerry Meier (Kansas)

OPPONENT INDIVIDUAL LONGEST PLAYS

Rush.....	46; Ryan Williams (Virginia Tech)
Pass.....	81; Tyrod Taylor (Virginia Tech)
Field Goal.....	52; Grant Mahoney (Iowa State)
Punt Return	62; Chance Casey (Baylor... continuation of lateral on return)
Kickoff Return.....	76; Dyrell Roberts (Virginia Tech)
Fumble Return.....	82; Dwight Howard (Texas Tech)
Interception Return.....	45; Clifton Odom (Baylor)
Punt	60; Mike Brandtner (Iowa State), Tress Way (Oklahoma)

Nebraska Starting Lineups

HUSKER OFFENSIVE STARTERS GAME-BY-GAME

Opponent	WRX	WRZ	TE	LT	LG	C	RG	RT	QB	IB	FB	PK
Florida Atlantic	Me. Holt	Paul	McNeill	Smith	Meyer	Hickman	R. Henry	M. Jones	Lee	Helu Jr.	^Reed	Henery
Arkansas State	Me. Holt	Paul	McNeill	Smith	Meyer	Hickman	R. Henry	M. Jones	Lee	Helu Jr.	#Gilleylen	Henery
at Virginia Tech	Me. Holt	Paul	McNeill	Smith	Meyer	Hickman	R. Henry	M. Jones	Lee	Helu Jr.	^Young	Henery
Louisiana-Lafayette	Me. Holt	Paul	McNeill	Smith	Williams	Hickman	R. Henry	M. Jones	Lee	Helu Jr.	^Young	Henery
at Missouri	Me. Holt	Paul	McNeill	Smith	Williams	Hickman	R. Henry	M. Jones	Lee	Helu Jr.	#Gilleylen	Henery
Texas Tech	Cooper	Paul	McNeill	Smith	Williams	Hickman	R. Henry	M. Jones	Lee	Helu Jr.	^Young	Henery
Iowa State	^Young	Paul	McNeill	Smith	Williams	Hickman	R. Henry	M. Jones	Lee	Helu Jr.	Legate	Henery
at Baylor	Cooper	Paul	McNeill	Smith	Williams	Hickman	R. Henry	M. Jones	Green	Helu Jr.	^Cotton	Henery
Oklahoma	Cooper	Paul	McNeill	Smith	Williams	Hickman	R. Henry	M. Jones	Green	Helu Jr.	^Young	Henery
at Kansas	Cooper	Paul	McNeill	Smith	Williams	Hickman	R. Henry	M. Jones	Lee	Helu Jr.	^Young	Henery
Kansas State	^Young	Paul	McNeill	Smith	Williams	Hickman	R. Henry	M. Jones	Lee	Helu Jr.	Legate	Henery
at Colorado												

^ - NU opened in two tight end formation # - NU opened in three wide receiver formation

HUSKER DEFENSIVE STARTERS GAME-BY-GAME

Opponent	Open End	NT	DT	Base End	BUCK	MIKE	WILL	L CB	FS	SS	R CB	P
Florida Atlantic	Allen	Suh	Crick	Turner	Fisher	Compton	Lawrence	West	O'Hanlon	Asante	Amukamara	Henery
Arkansas State	Allen	Suh	Crick	Turner	Fisher	Compton	Lawrence	West	O'Hanlon	Asante	Amukamara	Henery
at Virginia Tech	Allen	Suh	Crick	Turner	Fisher	Compton	Dillard	West	O'Hanlon	Asante	Amukamara	Henery
Louisiana-Lafayette	Allen	Suh	Crick	Turner	Fisher	Compton	*Hagg	West	O'Hanlon	Asante	Amukamara	Henery
at Missouri	Allen	Suh	Crick	Turner	#Hagg	Compton	#Thorell	Dennard	O'Hanlon	Asante	Amukamara	Henery
Texas Tech	Allen	Suh	Crick	Turner	#Hagg	Compton	#Gomes	Dennard	O'Hanlon	Asante	Amukamara	Henery
Iowa State	Allen	Suh	Crick	Turner	Fisher	*Hagg	Dillard	Dennard	O'Hanlon	Asante	Amukamara	Henery
at Baylor	Allen	Suh	Crick	Turner	&Gomes	&Hagg	Dillard	Dennard	O'Hanlon	Asante	Amukamara	Henery
Oklahoma	Allen	Suh	Crick	Turner	&Gomes	&Hagg	Dillard	Dennard	O'Hanlon	Asante	Amukamara	Henery
at Kansas	Allen	Suh	Crick	Turner	&Gomes	&Hagg	Dillard	Dennard	O'Hanlon	Asante	Amukamara	Henery
Kansas State	Allen	Suh	Crick	Turner	*Hagg	Compton	Dillard	West	O'Hanlon	Asante	Amukamara	Henery
at Colorado												

* - NU opened with nickel package # - NU opened with dime packages & - opened with six (6) defensive backs

Overall Participation

PLAYER (GAMES):

Allen (11); Amukamara (11); Asante (11); Bell (7); Blatchford (8); Blue (7); Brooks (9); Burkhead (6); Cammack (7); Caputo (5); Cassidy (11); Choi (2); Christensen (4); Compton (10); Cooper (9); Cotton (11); Crick (11); Dean (5); Dennard (10); Dillard (9); Ebke (1); Fisher (11); Gilleylen (8); Glassman (1); Gomes (10); C. Green (6); Grove (10); Hagg (11); Harvey (1); Hays (11); Helu Jr. (11); Henery (11); R. Henry (11); W. Henry (4); Hickman (11); R. Hill (10); Me. Holt (11); J. Jackson (3); A. Jones (4); D.J. Jones (11); M. Jones (11); Kinnie (10); Klingelhoefer (2); Koehler (3); Kunalic (11); Lawrence (3); Lee (10); Legate (11); Lingenfelter (2); Maher (11); Mangieri (11); Marlowe (11); E. Martin (11); J. Martin (8); May (11); McClure (1); McNeill (11); Mendoza (7); Meredith (11); Meyer (11); Moore (3); O'Hanlon (11); Okafor (1); C. Osborne (4); S. Osborne (1); Paul (11); Reed (7); Robinson (6); M. Smith (11); P.J. Smith (11); Steinkuhler (9); Stoddard (11); Suh (11); Thenarse (4); Thompson (2); Thorell (11); Thorson (2); Turner (11); Ward (4); Washington (3); Watson (1); West (10); J. Williams (3); K. Williams (10); D. Young (10).

Game 1 | Nebraska 49, Florida Atlantic 3

SCORE BY QUARTERS	1	2	3	4	FINAL
Florida Atlantic	0	3	0	0	3
No. 24 Nebraska	7	14	21	7	49

Lincoln (Sept. 5) --- Roy Helu Jr. rushed for 152 yards in just over one half of football, and Nebraska's Blackshirts grounded Florida Atlantic's high-powered passing game, as the Cornhuskers rolled to a 49-3 victory over the Owls in front of the NCAA record 298th consecutive sellout at Memorial Stadium.

Playing in front a season-opening crowd of 85,719 - the third-largest crowd in Memorial Stadium history - and an FSN pay-per-view audience, Nebraska notched its NCAA-leading 24th consecutive season-opening victory while stretching its active winning streak to five games dating back to last season. It was the Huskers' most-lopsided season-opening win since 1993, despite playing a 2008 bowl eligible team that was loaded with returning offensive starters.

After rushing 11 times for 57 yards and a score in the first half, Helu showed another gear in third quarter by carrying five times for 95 yards and two touchdowns in the first eight minutes of the second half. Helu finished with 16 carries for 152 yards for the third-highest rushing total of his career, while his three touchdowns were a career best. In his last five regular-season games, he has rushed for 662 yards and eight touchdowns on 86 carries with an average average of 7.7 yards per carry.

While Helu led NU's ground assault, Nebraska quarterback Zac Lee was solid through the air in his starting debut, completing 15-of-22 passes for 213 yards and two TDs. The 6-2, 215-pound junior from San Francisco, Calif., helped the Huskers cruise to a 21-3 halftime lead before leading to three impressive third-quarter scoring drives.

Sophomore wide receiver **Curenski Gilleylen** and sophomore tight end Mike McNeill were Lee's favorite targets, as each hauled in four catches on the night. Gilleylen, who entered the game with only two career catches for 11 yards, finished with 92 yards receiving, including his first career touchdown grab. McNeill, who has caught at least three passes in five straight games, finished with 51 yards receiving.



SCORING SUMMARY			
1st	07:41	NU	Holt, Me. 28 yd pass from Lee (Henery kick)
2nd	13:43	NU	Gilleylen 51 yd pass from Lee (Henery kick)
	08:13	FAU	Gornall 21 yd field goal
	00:51	NU	Helu Jr. 1 yd run (Henery kick)
3rd	12:36	NU	Helu Jr. 7 yd run (Henery kick)
	07:26	NU	Helu Jr. 44 yd run (Henery kick)
	00:00	NU	Burkhead 8 yd run (Henery kick)
4th	06:03	NU	Green 1 yd run (Henery kick)

TEAM STATISTICS	FAU	NU
FIRST DOWNS	23	22
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	35-132	32-259
PASSING YDS (NET)	236	231
Passes Att-Comp-Int	41-20-2	25-17-1
TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS	76-368	57-490
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0	1-4
Punt Returns-Yards	3-10	0-0
Kickoff Returns-Yards	6-97	2-49
Interception Returns-Yards	1-0	2-18
Punts (Number-Avg)	4-35.8	3-32.3
Fumbles-Lost	5-1	1-0
Penalties-Yards	11-67	9-86
Possession Time	32:18	27:42
Third-Down Conversions	6 of 15	4 of 10
Fourth-Down Conversions	0 of 2	2 of 2
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	1-2	4-4
Sacks By: Number-Yards	0-0	0-0

RUSHING: Florida Atlantic-Morris, Alfred 18-95; Rose, Willie 6-19; Rolle, Avionne 6-8; Holley, Avery 1-7; VanCamp, Jeff 2-6; Stinson, Xavier 1-4; TEAM 1-minus 7. **Nebraska**-Helu Jr., Roy 16-152; Green, Cody 2-50; Burkhead, Rex 9-39; Lee, Zac 2-14; Washington, Latravis 1-7; Mendoza, Marcus 1-minus 1; TEAM 1-minus 2.

PASSING: Florida Atlantic-Smith, Rusty 15-31-2-164; VanCamp, Jeff 5-10-0-72. **Nebraska**-Lee, Zac 15-22-1-213; Green, Cody 2-3-0-18.

RECEIVING: Florida Atlantic-Gent, Cortez 5-58; Grant, Jamari 5-43; Rose, Willie 3-59; Bonner, Chris 2-27; Jean, Lester 2-12; Williams, D. 1-18; Holley, Avery 1-11; Harmon, Jason 1-8. **Nebraska**-Gilleylen, Curenski 4-92; McNeill, Mike 4-51; Holt, Menelik 3-45; Paul, Niles 2-13; Brooks, Chris 1-15; Burkhead, Rex 1-9; Cotton, Ben 1-3; Helu Jr., Roy 1-3.

INTERCEPTIONS: Florida Atlantic-Hill, Tarvoris 1-0. **Nebraska**-O'Hanlon, Matt 1-18; Amukamara, Prince 1-0.

FUMBLES: Florida Atlantic-McIntosh, Erick 2-0; TEAM 1-1; Rolle, Avionne 1-0; Morris, Alfred 1-0. **Nebraska**-TEAM 1-0.

SACKS (Sacks-Yds): Florida Atlantic- none. **Nebraska**- none.

TACKLE LEADER (UA-A): Florida Atlantic-Lockley, Michael 4-5. **Nebraska**-Thenarse, Rickey 3-5.

Game 2 | Nebraska 38, Arkansas State 9

SCORE BY QUARTERS	1	2	3	4	FINAL
Arkansas State	0	6	0	3	9
No. 22 Nebraska	14	10	7	7	38

Lincoln (Sept. 12) --- Quarterback Zac Lee engineered an efficient and balanced offense, while the Blackshirt defense continued to flex its muscles, as No. 22 Nebraska rolled to a 38-9 victory over visiting Arkansas State at Memorial Stadium.

Playing in front of the NCAA-record 299th consecutive sellout with 85,035 fans on hand at Memorial Stadium, Lee helped the Huskers improve to 2-0 by completing 27-of-35 passes for 340 yards and four touchdowns in his second career start. The junior from San Francisco, Calif., connected with 11 Husker receivers, while powering Nebraska to more than 490 yards of total offense for the second straight game.

Wide receiver **Niles Paul** was Lee's favorite target on the day, hauling in a career-high six catches for 69 yards with his first career touchdown reception. The junior from Omaha added the first touchdown run of his career on a 30-yard reverse. Paul added 53 kickoff return yards and 17 punt return yards to close with 169 all-purpose yards on the afternoon.

Overall, 14 different Husker receivers caught passes on the afternoon, as NU finished with 358 passing yards and 136 rushing yards. Redshirt freshman Tyler Legate caught his first career pass with a three-yard TD catch to open the scoring while Khiry Cooper, Kyler Reed and Brandon Kinnie all each record their first career catches.

Junior tight end Mike McNeill added a pair of touchdown catches on the day, while bringing down four receptions for 57 yards. Menelik Holt added a career-best five catches for 40 yards, while Roy Helu Jr. pulled down four receptions for 44 yards. Helu added 60 yards on 14 carries on the ground, as Nebraska managed 121 rushing yards on the afternoon.

Nebraska's Blackshirt defense slowed a potent Arkansas State offense, holding the Red Wolves to 272 total yards, including 141 on the ground and 131 through the air. Senior safety Larry Asante led the Blackshirts with eight tackles, including seven solos, while forcing the game's only turnover with a fumble-causing hit to stop an ASU drive inside the NU 20. Prince Amukamara added seven tackles, including a tackle-for-loss, while senior defensive tackle Ndamukong Suh notched five tackles, including three tackles for loss with 1.5 sacks (17 yards).



SCORING SUMMARY			
1st	11:40	NU	Legate 3 yd pass from Lee (Henery kick)
	01:15	NU	McNeill 13 yd pass from Lee (Henery kick)
2nd	13:59	NU	Paul 30 yd run (Henery kick)
	05:30	ASU	Arnold 1 yd run (Arauco kick failed)
	00:09	NU	Henery 26 yd field goal
3rd	09:47	NU	McNeill 32 yd pass from Lee (Henery kick)
4th	12:05	ASU	Arauco 42 yd field goal
	08:14	NU	Paul 2 yd pass from Lee (Henery kick)

TEAM STATISTICS	ASU	NU
FIRST DOWNS	15	27
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	38-143	28-136
PASSING YDS (NET)	131	358
Passes Att-Comp-Int	20-11-0	41-30-0
TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS	58-274	69-494
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punt Returns-Yards	1-14	4-31
Kickoff Returns-Yards	2-34	2-53
Interception Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punts (Number-Avg)	5-45.0	3-42.7
Fumbles-Lost	2-1	0-0
Penalties-Yards	3-20	3-40
Possession Time	28:22	31:38
Third-Down Conversions	2 of 10	8 of 13
Fourth-Down Conversions	1 of 2	0 of 0
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	1-1	4-4
Sacks By: Number-Yards	2-16	4-33

RUSHING: Arkansas State-Arnold, Reggie 14-83; Lawson, Derek 9-37; Leonard, Corey 11-22; Jones, Don 2-9; TEAM 2-minus 8. **Nebraska**-Helu Jr., Roy 14-60; Paul, Niles 1-30; Burkhead, Rex 3-18; Lee, Zac 7-11; Ward, Lester 1-8; Green, Cody 1-7; Jones, Austin 1-2.

PASSING: Arkansas State-Leonard, Corey 11-20-0-131. **Nebraska**-Lee, Zac 27-35-0-340; Green, Cody 3-6-0-18.

RECEIVING: Arkansas State-McLennan, J. 7-69; Murry, Kedric 1-43; Gillott, Trevor 1-9; Lawson, Derek 1-8; Clements, T. 1-2. **Nebraska**-Paul, Niles 6-69; Holt, Menelik 5-40; McNeill, Mike 4-57; Helu Jr., Roy 4-44; Brooks, Chris 2-30; Gilleylen, Curenski 1-43; Young, Dreu 1-27; Burkhead, Rex 1-11; Reed, Kyler 1-9; Cotton, Ben 1-7; Hill, Ryan 1-7; Cooper, Khiry 1-6; Kinnie, Brandon 1-5; Legate, Tyler 1-3.

INTERCEPTIONS: Arkansas State-None. **Nebraska**-None.

FUMBLES: Arkansas State-TEAM 1-0; McLennan, J. 1-1. **Nebraska**-None.

SACKS (Sacks-Yds): Arkansas State- two players with one. **Nebraska**- Ndamukong Suh, 1.5-17.

TACKLE LEADER (UA-A): Arkansas State-Davis, Demario 8-2. **Nebraska**-Asante, Larry 7-1.

Game 3 | Virginia Tech 16, Nebraska 15

SCORE BY QUARTERS	1	2	3	4	FINAL
No. 19 Nebraska	3	9	0	3	15
No. 13 Virginia Tech	7	3	0	6	16

Blacksburg, Va. (Sept. 19)--- In a game featuring two of the best special teams units in college football, Nebraska's **Alex Henery** took center stage by booting a career-high five field goals, but Tyrod Taylor's 11-yard touchdown pass to Dyrell Roberts with 21 seconds left allowed the No. 13 Hokies to escape with a 16-15 win over the No. 19 Huskers at Lane Stadium on Saturday afternoon.

Playing in front of 66,233 fans and an ABC television audience, the Huskers got off to a slow start in the first quarter but controlled the action until Virginia Tech's final drive.

Henery's five field goals appeared to be enough to give the Huskers their first road win over a top-20 team since 1997, while also giving NU its first win without scoring a touchdown since beating Kansas State, 3-0 in Manhattan, on Nov. 27, 1937.

But Taylor, who had been stymied by a relentless Blackshirt defense throughout the game, connected with Danny Coale on an 81-yard pass with 1:11 left to take the Hokies to the NU 3. Matt O'Hanlon made a game-saving tackle on the play, then registered an eight-yard sack of Taylor on Virginia Tech's next snap to take the Hokies back to 2nd-and-goal from the NU 11. The Blackshirts blitzed again and forced Taylor to throw the ball away to set up 3rd-and-goal. With the clock running and pressure coming, Taylor scrambled for several seconds before finding Roberts in the end zone for the winning score with 21 seconds left.

Henery, a junior from Omaha, went 5-for-5 on field goal attempts on the day, covering 40, 27, 19, 38 and 38 yards, extending his streak of consecutive field goals made under 50 yards to 19. The Lou Groza Award candidate also unleashed the fourth-longest punt in Nebraska history with a 76-yard bomb in the first quarter. For the game, Henery punted six times for a 41.5-yard average, including two punts inside the 20 and two touchbacks.

Offensively, the Huskers scored four times in five trips in the red zone, but did not have a touchdown. Roy Helu Jr. paced the Husker offense by romping for a career-best 169 yards on the ground on 28 carries.

SCORING SUMMARY			
1st	11:15	VT	Williams 1 yd run (Waldron kick)
	00:56	NU	Henery 40 yd field goal
2nd	12:49	NU	Henery 27 yd field goal
	05:23	NU	Henery 19 yd field goal
	02:30	VT	Waldron 39 yd field goal
	00:18	NU	Henery 38 yd field goal
4th	04:33	NU	Henery 38 yd field goal
	00:21	VT	Roberts 11 yd pass from Taylor (Taylor pass failed)

TEAM STATISTICS	NU	VT
FIRST DOWNS	18	11
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	36-207	37-86
PASSING YDS (NET)	136	192
Passes Att-Comp-Int	30-11-2	27-12-0
TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS	66-343	64-278
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punt Returns-Yards	6-86	1-6
Kickoff Returns-Yards	4-86	3-114
Interception Returns-Yards	0-0	2-3
Punts (Number-Avg)	6-41.5	8-46.9
Fumbles-Lost	0-0	0-0
Penalties-Yards	9-60	7-53
Possession Time	29:46	30:14
Third-Down Conversions	6 of 17	8 of 18
Fourth-Down Conversions	0 of 0	0 of 1
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	4-5	2-2
Sacks By: Number-Yards	4-25	0-0

RUSHING: Nebraska-Helu Jr., Roy 28-169; Lee, Zac 8-38. Virginia Tech-Williams, R. 21-107; Oglesby, J. 3-7; Roberts, D. 1-minus 2; Wilson, D. 3-minus 4; Taylor, T. 9-minus 22.
PASSING: Nebraska-Lee, Zac 11-30-2-136. Virginia Tech-Taylor, T. 12-27-0-192.
RECEIVING: Nebraska-Helu Jr., Roy 4-33; Brooks, Chris 2-16; Gilleylen, Curenski 1-35; Paul, Niles 1-19; Burkhead, Rex 1-16; Holt, Menelik 1-13; McNeill, Mike 1-4. Virginia Tech-Boykin, J. 4-43; Coale, D. 2-89; Boyce, X. 1-21; Wheeler, S. 1-14; Roberts, D. 1-11; Jefferson, K. 1-7; Boone, G. 1-5; Williams, R. 1-2.
INTERCEPTIONS: Nebraska-None. Virginia Tech-Carmichael, R. 1-6; Chancellor, K. 1-minus 3.
FUMBLES: Nebraska-None. Virginia Tech-None.
SACKS (Sacks-Yds): Nebraska-Allen, Pierre 1.0-13; O'Hanlon, Matt 1.0-8; Crick, Jared 1.0-1; Turner, Barry 0.5-2; Suh, Ndamukong 0.5-1. Virginia Tech-None.
TACKLE LEADER (UA-A): Nebraska-Suh, Ndamukong 1-7. Virginia Tech-Rivers, B. 3-7.



Game 4 | Nebraska 55, La-Lafayette 0

SCORE BY QUARTERS	1	2	3	4	FINAL
Louisiana-Lafayette	0	0	0	0	0
No. 25 Nebraska	13	21	7	14	55

Lincoln, Neb. (Sept. 26)--- The Nebraska offense scored early and often, and the Blackshirt defense notched its first shutout since 2006, as the Cornhuskers celebrated the NCAA-record 300th consecutive sellout at Memorial Stadium with a 55-0 victory over Louisiana-Lafayette.

Playing in front of a Memorial Stadium record crowd of 86,304, No. 25 Nebraska improved to 3-1 on the season after racing to a 34-0 halftime lead against the Ragin' Cajuns. Husker quarterback Zac Lee marched Nebraska efficiently and consistently, completing 15-of-18 passes for 238 yards and a touchdown in less than three quarters. Freshman Cody Green completed 7-of-8 passes for 62 yards, including a 24-yard touchdown connection with fellow freshman Rex Burkhead. Green added a 24-yard scoring run of his own to cap Nebraska's scoring.

The Big Red racked up 433 yards of total offense, including 83 yards on 15 carries from junior I-back Roy Helu Jr., who ran for two TDs. Lee and Green distributed the ball effectively, as 13 Husker receivers caught at least one pass with Burkhead leading NU with four receptions for 26 yards, while Chris Brooks added a career-best three catches for 50 yards and a score.

The Huskers were just as dominant on the defensive side, shutting out the Ragin' Cajuns while forcing three turnovers. The Blackshirts got into the scoring column when senior safety **Larry Asante** snatched a Chris Masson pass and sprinted 74 yards for a touchdown in the second quarter. It was the first INT return for a touchdown by a Nebraska defensive back since 2002.

Alex Henery and Adi Kunalic also combined for a dominant special teams effort in the kicking game. Henery hit both of his first-quarter field goal attempts to stretch his streak to 21 straight made fields goals of less than 50 yards. The Lou Groza Award candidate also punted three times for a 45.7-yard average, including a 55-yard moonshot that rolled dead at the UL 2, before he buried the Ragin' Cajuns at their own 1 on his only punt of the fourth quarter. Kunalic recorded six touchbacks on his 10 kickoffs and none of the four returns got past the UL 20.

SCORING SUMMARY			
1st	07:06	NU	Henery 39 yd field goal
	05:03	NU	Cotton 0 yd fumble recovery (Henery kick)
	00:08	NU	Henery 46 yd field goal
2nd	12:00	NU	Brooks 4 yd pass from Lee (Henery kick)
	11:11	NU	Helu Jr. 2 yd run (Henery kick)
	06:16	NU	Asante 74 yd interception return (Henery kick)
3rd	08:36	NU	Helu Jr. 2 yd run (Henery kick)
4th	11:04	NU	Burkhead 24 yd pass from Green (Henery kick)
	08:46	NU	Green 24 yd run (Henery kick)

TEAM STATISTICS	UL	NU
FIRST DOWNS	14	21
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	37-102	34-133
PASSING YDS (NET)	120	300
Passes Att-Comp-Int	27-15-1	26-22-0
TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS	64-222	60-433
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0	1-21
Punt Returns-Yards	1-0	4-67
Kickoff Returns-Yards	4-67	1-21
Interception Returns-Yards	0-0	1-74
Punts (Number-Avg)	8-43.1	3-45.7
Fumbles-Lost	4-2	2-0
Penalties-Yards	3-14	6-54
Possession Time	30:03	29:57
Third-Down Conversions	5 of 16	6 of 11
Fourth-Down Conversions	1 of 1	0 of 0
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	0-1	4-4
Sacks By: Number-Yards	1-6	2-14

RUSHING: Louisiana-Sails, Undrea 10-41; Walker, Yobes 12-37; Gautier, Blaine 6-13; McGuire, Brad 5-13; Booker, Draylon 1-4; Shankle, Julian 1-1; Masson, Chris 2-minus 7. Nebraska-Helu Jr., Roy 15-83; Burkhead, Rex 6-27; Green, Cody 3-22; Washington, Latravis 2-10; Okafor, Collins 1-9; Jones, Austin 2-9; Lee, Zac 3-minus 2; TEAM 3-minus 25; Cotton, Ben 0-0.
PASSING: Louisiana-Masson, Chris 13-22-1-102; McGuire, Brad 2-5-0-18. Nebraska-Lee, Zac 15-18-0-238; Green, Cody 7-8-0-62.
RECEIVING: Louisiana-Green, Ladarius 5-68; Aubrey, Luke 4-27; Lee, Louis 1-9; Booker, Draylon 1-8; Joseph, Andrew 1-4; Wolfe, Vernon 1-3; Sails, Undrea 1-1; Miller, Marlin 1-0. Nebraska-Burkhead, Rex 4-26; Brooks, Chris 3-50; Gilleylen, Curenski 2-85; Cooper, Khiry 2-26; McNeill, Mike 2-26; Helu Jr., Roy 2-11; Young, Dreu 1-34; Reed, Tyler 1-16; Legate, Tyler 1-11; Paul, Niles 1-9; Bell, Antonio 1-3; Cammack, Wes 1-2; Henry, Will 1-1.
INTERCEPTIONS: Louisiana-None. Nebraska-Asante, Larry 1-74.
FUMBLES: Louisiana-Green, Ladarius 1-1; McGuire, Brad 1-0; Lee, Louis 1-0; Booker, Draylon 1-1. Nebraska-Helu Jr., Roy 2-0.
SACKS (Sacks-Yds): Louisiana-McCoy, Daylon 0.5-3; Gaddies, Tyrell 0.5-3. Nebraska-Meredith, Cameron 1.0-9; Dillard, Phillip 1.0-5.
TACKLE LEADER (UA-A): Louisiana-McCoy, Daylon 4-5. Nebraska-Hagg, Eric, 2-4.

Game 5 | Nebraska 27, Missouri 12

SCORE BY QUARTERS	1	2	3	4	FINAL
No. 21 Nebraska	0	0	0	27	27
No. 24 Missouri	0	9	3	0	12

Columbia, Mo. (Oct. 8) --- Preseason All-American defensive tackle **Ndamukong Suh** and the Blackshirts kept Nebraska in the game, and quarterback Zac Lee and the Husker offense came alive with 27 unanswered points in the fourth quarter as No. 21 Nebraska stormed back for a 27-12 victory at No. 24 Missouri. The two teams played in a torrential downpour for nearly three full quarters with 65,826 fans on hand and a Thursday night ESPN primetime national television audience watching at home.

“We showed a lot of character when things weren’t going our way in some tough conditions,” Nebraska Coach Bo Pelini said. “But we made some plays, got some turnovers and I’m really proud of our guys. That was a crazy football game and I’m thrilled we won.”

Nebraska’s comeback against the Tigers matched the largest fourth-quarter comeback in school history. It joined a 1966 win over Colorado in Boulder when NU trailed 19-7 after three quarters.

After slipping and sliding their way for less than 100 yards of total offense through the first three quarters, Nebraska erupted for more than 150 yards and touchdowns on each of its four fourth-quarter possessions. Lee gave the Huskers life with his 56-yard touchdown strike to Niles Paul with 13:56 left in the game. On Missouri’s ensuing possession, Suh intercepted a Blaine Gabbert pass at the line of scrimmage.

The crucial defensive play set the Husker offense up at the MU 18, and Lee and Paul wasted little time, connecting on a 13-yard pass play with 12:59 left to give Nebraska its first lead of the game. Lee’s two-point conversion pass failed, but the Huskers still held a 13-12 edge.

That lead grew 2:25 later, after the Blackshirts struck again when Dejon Gomes intercepted a Gabbert pass and returned it 40 yards to the MU 10. Three plays later, Lee hit tight end Mike McNeill on an eight-yard pass to push Nebraska’s lead to 20-12 with 10:34 remaining.

Despite a subsequent long MU possession, the Blackshirts held before Lee and the NU offense marched 68 yards on eight plays. Roy Helu Jr. rolled out right and scampered 41 yards before scoring a play later on a five-yard touchdown run with 56 seconds left to end any late-game drama.

Nebraska held Missouri to 225 yards of total offense, including 134 passing and 91 rushing. The Blackshirts also forced three MU turnovers. The Blackshirts’ front-four harassed Gabbert all night, keeping him on the run and limiting him to just 17-of-43 passing for 134 yards while being sacked twice and giving up the first two interceptions of his career. Suh finished with just six tackles, including five solos and a sack, a forced fumble and the pivotal fourth-quarter interception.

SCORING SUMMARY			
2nd	14:01	MU	TEAM safety
	00:00	MU	Gabbert 1 yd run (Ressel kick)
3rd	01:26	MU	Ressel 33 yd field goal
4th	13:56	NU	Paul 56 yd pass from Lee (Henery kick)
	12:59	NU	Paul 13 yd pass from Lee (pass failed)
	10:34	NU	McNeill 8 yd pass from Lee (Henery kick)
	00:56	NU	Helu Jr. 5 yd run (Henery kick)

TEAM STATISTICS	NU	MU
FIRST DOWNS	14	15
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	33-105	35-91
PASSING YDS (NET)	158	134
Passes Att-Comp-Int	33-14-0	43-17-2
TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS	66-263	78-225
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punt Returns-Yards	4-5	4-63
Kickoff Returns-Yards	1-2	5-82
Interception Returns-Yards	2-40	0-0
Punts (Number-Avg)	8-39.4	8-44.6
Fumbles-Lost	5-2	2-1
Penalties-Yards	12-108	8-100
Possession Time	29:32	30:28
Third-Down Conversions	8 of 17	5 of 18
Fourth-Down Conversions	0 of 1	1 of 2
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	3-3	2-2
Sacks By: Number-Yards	2-15	1-7

RUSHING: Nebraska-Helu Jr., Roy 18-88; Burkhead, Rex 5-34; Lee, Zac 8-7; TEAM 2-minus 24. **Missouri**-Washington, Derrick 20-80; Moore, De’Vion 6-9; Gabbert, Blaine 9-2.

PASSING: Nebraska-Lee, Zac 14-33-0-158. **Missouri**-Gabbert, Blaine 17-43-2-134.

RECEIVING: Nebraska-Paul, Niles 6-102; Gilleylen, Curenski 3-14; Holt, Menelik 2-26; McNeill, Mike 1-8; Reed, Kyler 1-4; Burkhead, Rex 1-4. **Missouri**-Alexander, Dana 6-43; Perry, Jared 4-68; Washington, Derrick 3-10; Jackson, Jerrel 2-11; Moore, De’Vion 1-4; Kemp, Wes 1-minus 2.

INTERCEPTIONS: Nebraska-Gomes, Dejon 1-40; Suh, Ndamukong 1-0. **Missouri**-None.

FUMBLES: Nebraska-May, Mathew 1-1; Burkhead, Rex 1-0; Lee, Zac 1-0; TEAM 1-1; Paul, Niles 1-0. **Missouri**-Gabbert, Blaine 2-1.

SACKS (Sacks-Yds): Nebraska- Crick, Jared 1-9; Suh, Ndamukong 1-6. **Missouri**-Gachkar, Andrew 1-7.

TACKLE LEADER (UA-A): Nebraska-Amukamara, Prince 2-7. **Missouri**-Lambert, Luke 4-1.



Game 6 | Texas Tech 31, Nebraska 10

SCORE BY QUARTERS	1	2	3	4	FINAL
Texas Tech	14	3	0	7	31
No. 17 Nebraska	0	3	0	7	10

Lincoln, Neb. (Oct. 17) --- No. 15 Nebraska outgained a potent Texas Tech offense, but two long scoring drives and an 82-yard fumble return for a touchdown in the first half were enough to give the Red Raiders a 31-10 win over the Huskers at Memorial Stadium on Saturday.

Playing in front of 86,107 fans in the NCAA-record 301st consecutive sellout at Memorial Stadium and an ABC regional television audience, the Huskers penetrated the Red Raider red zone three times in the first three quarters without scoring points. One of the red zone stops came in the first quarter, when Daniel Howard scooped up a fumble by Niles Paul on a backward lateral from quarterback Zac Lee and raced 82 yards for a TD with 4:52 left in the quarter.

That play provided the winning score for the Red Raiders, who began the game with a nine-play, 80-yard scoring drive on the opening possession. Baron Batch scored Tech’s first touchdown on a 16-yard screen pass from Steven Sheffield. The Red Raiders’ opening drive included a pair of third-and-long conversions when the Blackshirts appeared to have Tech on the brink of a punt. The first came with a 34-yard pass completion after NU deflected the pass to convert 3rd-and-13. The second came with a 22-yard completion on 3rd-and-17, which allowed TTU to overcome a pair of Husker sacks on the drive.

The Red Raiders carried a 14-0 lead into the second quarter that increased the lead to 21-0 on Sheffield’s one-yard touchdown run to cap a 65-yard drive. Nebraska managed a field goal to trim the lead to 21-3 with less than two minutes remaining in the first half, but Sheffield marched the Red Raiders into scoring position again, culminating with Matt Williams’ 32-yard field goal with three seconds left.

The Huskers went to the halftime locker room trailing 24-3, then dominated the third quarter, but NU was unable to put points on the scoreboard. Nebraska outgained Tech 72-(-3) in the third quarter, as the Red Raiders never approached the Huskers’ half of the field.

NU finally found the end zone with 8:03 left in the game, cutting Tech’s lead to 24-10 when freshman quarterback Cody Green hit Khiry Cooper on a 13-yard touchdown pass to cap a seven-play, 40-yard drive. It was Cooper’s first career touchdown catch, and he finished with three receptions for 23 yards.

Led by **Phillip Dillard’s** 12 tackles and four TFL, the Husker defense held Texas Tech to 259 total offense yards, including just 25 yards on the ground. Nebraska finished with 13 team TFL and added 5.0 sacks on the day.

SCORING SUMMARY			
1st	10:21	TT	Batch 16 yd pass from Sheffield (Williams kick)
	04:52	TT	Howard 82 yd fumble recovery (Williams kick)
2nd	06:56	TT	Sheffield 1 yd run (Williams kick)
	01:47	NU	Henery 21 yd field goal
	00:03	TT	Williams 32 yd field goal
4th	08:40	NU	Cooper 13 yd pass from Green (Henery kick)
	03:30	TT	Sheffield 1 yd run (Williams kick)

TEAM STATISTICS	TTU	NU
FIRST DOWNS	15	16
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	25-25	30-70
PASSING YDS (NET)	234	215
Passes Att-Comp-Int	32-23-0	38-23-1
TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS	57-259	68-285
Fumble Returns-Yards	1-82	0-0
Punt Returns-Yards	1-9	5-64
Kickoff Returns-Yards	2-58	5-108
Interception Returns-Yards	1-7	0-0
Punts (Number-Avg)	6-36.0	5-35.2
Fumbles-Lost	1-0	1-1
Penalties-Yards	4-40	12-95
Possession Time	29:56	30:04
Third-Down Conversions	6 of 14	6 of 15
Fourth-Down Conversions	1 of 1	1 of 2
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	4-4	2-5
Sacks By: Number-Yards	5-22	5-42

RUSHING: Texas Tech-Batch, Baron 12-38; Jeffers, Harrison 2-19; Sheffield, Steven 11-minus 32. **Nebraska**-Helu Jr., Roy 16-68; Mendoza, Marcus 1-3; Green, Cody 2-1; Jones, Austin 1-0; Lee, Zac 9-0; Paul, Niles 1-minus 2.

PASSING: Texas Tech-Sheffield, Steven 23-32-0-234. **Nebraska**-Lee, Zac 16-22-0-128; Green, Cody 7-16-1-87.

RECEIVING: Texas Tech-Batch, Baron 6-25; Lewis, Detron 5-100; Jeffers, Harrison 4-8; Leong, Lyle 3-46; Torres, Alex 2-18; Franks, Jacoby 1-18; Britton, Edward 1-16; Swindall, Tramain 1-3. **Nebraska**-Brooks, Chris 5-66; Mendoza, Marcus 5-32; Cooper, Khiry 3-23; Holt, Menelik 2-34; McNeill, Mike 2-14; Gilleylen, Curenski 2-12; Helu Jr., Roy 1-27; Paul, Niles 1-4; Jones, Austin 1-2; Reed, Kyler 1-1.

INTERCEPTIONS: Texas Tech-Mitchem, Franklin 1-7. **Nebraska**-None.

FUMBLES (No.-Lost): Texas Tech-Sheffield, Steven 1-0. **Nebraska**-Paul, Niles 1-1.

SACKS (Sacks-Yds): Texas Tech-Sharpe, Brandon 4.0-19; Henley, Rajon 1.0-3. **Nebraska**-Allen, Pierre 2.0-10; Turner, Barry 1.5-20; Crick, Jared 1.0-10; Compton, Will 0.5-2.

TACKLE LEADER (UA-A): Texas Tech-Duncan, Brian 3-5. **Nebraska**-Dillard, Phillip 8-4.



Game 7 | Iowa State 9, Nebraska 7

SCORE BY QUARTERS	1	2	3	4	FINAL
Iowa State	3	6	0	0	9
Nebraska	7	0	0	0	7

Lincoln, Neb. (Oct. 24)--- Halloween came a week early at Memorial Stadium, as bizarre, strange and odd plays haunted the Husker offense in a 9-7 loss to Iowa State.

The Huskers fell to 4-3 overall and 1-2 in the Big 12 as they were stunned by a school-record negative-eight turnover margin on a school-record-tying eight turnovers. Overall, NU lost five fumbles and tossed three interceptions. Iowa State improved to 5-3 overall and 2-2 in the league by simply hanging onto the football, despite being outgained by 123 yards (362-239).

The Cyclones did not commit a turnover and converted NU's eight miscues into just nine points. However, four of Nebraska's first five turnovers occurred inside the Iowa State 10, preventing the Huskers from scoring what appeared to be imminent touchdowns or at least field goals.

The barrage of turnovers started on the game's first play from scrimmage, as Roy Helu Jr. fumbled on his first carry, giving ISU the ball at the NU 39. The Huskers held ISU to just four yards, but Grant Mahoney connected on a career-long 52-yard field goal with 13:24 left in the first quarter.

After NU's second drive stalled past midfield, Alex Henery buried the Cyclones at their own 2 on a punt. The Blackshirts forced a three-and-out and took over at the ISU 42. The Huskers cashed in nine plays later as **Dontrayevious Robinson** scored his first career rushing touchdown, covering three yards to give NU a 7-3 lead with 3:26 left in the opening quarter.

Robinson finished the day with a team-best 77 yards on 15 carries while quarterback Zac Lee was 20-of-37 for 248 yards. Niles Paul led the Husker receiving corps with six catches for a career-best 143 yards, although his 72-yarder fumbled into the end zone resulted in a touchback for ISU on another odd play.

In a first-half filled with bizarre plays, Iowa State ran to the locker room with a 9-7 lead. The Cyclones scored their lone touchdown on a 47-yard pass from Jerome Tiller to Jake Williams midway through the second quarter. It was ISU's longest touchdown hookup of the season, and it followed a fourth-down conversion on a fake punt that turned into a 20-yard run by punter Mike Brandtner.

Although the Cyclones found paydirt, Nebraska defensive tackle Ndamukong Suh blocked Mahoney's extra-point kick to keep the Huskers within 9-7 with 6:53 left in the half. Suh also blocked a fourth-quarter field-goal attempt and finished with a season-high tying eight tackles to go with a sack, three QB hurries and two blocked kicks. Phillip Dillard led the Blackshirts with a career-high tying 12 tackles for the second time this season.

SCORING SUMMARY			
1st	13:24	ISU	Mahoney 52 yd field goal
	03:26	NU	Robinson 3 yd run (Henery kick)
2nd	06:53	ISU	Williams 47 yd pass from Tiller (Mahoney kick blockd)

TEAM STATISTICS	ISU	NU
FIRST DOWNS	11	15
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	48-137	28-114
PASSING YDS (NET)	102	248
Passes Att-Comp-Int	19-9-0	37-20-3
TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS	67-239	65-362
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punt Returns-Yards	2-8	3-11
Kickoff Returns-Yards	2-35	3-80
Interception Returns-Yards	3-27	0-0
Punts (Number-Avg)	9-40.0	4-40.2
Fumbles-Lost	1-0	7-5
Penalties-Yards	8-72	3-25
Possession Time	33:40	26:20
Third-Down Conversions	5 of 18	5 of 13
Fourth-Down Conversions	1 of 1	0 of 1
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	0-0	1-4
Sacks By: Number-Yards	1-4	1-6

RUSHING: Iowa State-Tiller, Jerome 19-65; Schwartz, Jeremiah 22-50; Brandtner, Mike 1-20; Lenz, Josh 1-8; TEAM 5-minus 6. **Nebraska**-Robinson, Dontrayevious 15-77; Helu Jr., Roy 5-24; Mendoza, Marcus 2-8; Lee, Zac 6-5.

PASSING: Iowa State-Tiller, Jerome 9-19-0-102. **Nebraska**-Lee, Zac 20-37-3-248.

RECEIVING: Iowa State-Lenz, Josh 3-32; Hamilton, Marquis 3-17; Williams, Jake 2-49; Catlett, Derrick 1-4. **Nebraska**-Paul, Niles 6-143; Kinnie, Brandon 3-27; Gilleylen, Curenski 3-18; Helu Jr., Roy 3-13; McNeill, Mike 2-22; Holt, Menelik 2-17; Mendoza, Marcus 1-8.

INTERCEPTIONS: Iowa State-Sims, David 1-16; O'Connell, Michael 1-11; Smith,Jesse 1-0. **Nebraska**-None.

FUMBLES (total-lost): Iowa State-Tiller, Jerome 1-0. **Nebraska**-Lee, Zac 2-0; Helu Jr., Roy 2-2; Holt, Menelik 1-1; Robinson, Dontrayevious 1-1; Paul, Niles 1-1.

SACKS (Sacks-Yds): Iowa State-Raven, Josh 1-4. **Nebraska**-Suh, Ndamukong 1-6.

TACKLE LEADER (UA-A): Iowa State-Smith, Jesse 7-5. **Nebraska**-Dillard, Phillip 5-7.



Game 8 | Nebraska 20, Baylor 10

SCORE BY QUARTERS	1	2	3	4	FINAL
Nebraska	10	10	0	0	20
Baylor	0	0	10	0	10

Waco, Texas (Oct. 31)--- True freshman quarterback Cody Green picked up a win in his first career start, but it was sophomore defensive tackle **Jared Crick** who stole the show in Nebraska's 20-10 victory over Baylor at Floyd Casey Stadium.

Playing in front of a Husker-dominated crowd on the road and a national television audience on Versus, Crick led the Huskers with a school-record five sacks for 24 yards lost. The Cozad, Neb., native also tied Jim Skow's 24-year school record with seven tackles for 28 yards lost on the day, while registering 13 total tackles, including 10 solos. He also recovered a fourth-quarter fumble and added a pass breakup.

While Crick and the rest of the defensive line supplied suffocating pressure in the Baylor backfield all day long, Dejon Gomes and Prince Amukamara both grabbed first-half interceptions to help Nebraska race to a 20-0 halftime lead. Gomes' interception in the endzone followed a Crick sack and stopped a Baylor drive. Green and the NU offense then marched 75 yards on 12 plays capped by junior Alex Henery's 22-yard field goal to give the Huskers a 13-0 lead early in the second quarter.

Nebraska began the scoring on special teams as freshman Eric Martin broke through and blocked Derek Epperson's punt following the Bears' opening possession. Redshirt freshman Justin Blatchford caught the batted ball and raced 25 yards to paydirt to give Nebraska a 7-0 lead with 13:31 left in the first quarter.

The Blackshirts came up with a stop on BU's second possession, and Green took the field for the first time as a starter with 10:47 left in the first quarter. On his first drive, Green engineered an 11-play march that covered 44 yards and consumed 5:04 on the clock, culminated by Henery's 45-yard field goal to push Nebraska's lead to 10-0 with 5:43 left in the opening quarter.

Gomes' interception in the endzone stopped Baylor's next drive and eventually led to another Henery field goal to push the lead to 13-0 early in the second quarter. The Blackshirts then came through with their first three-and-out, and a 17-yard Niles Paul punt return set up the the Husker offense with a short field starting at the BU 46.

On the first play from scrimmage of the possession, Green connected with Paul on a 45-yard pass play to put the Huskers on the Bears' doorstep. Two plays later, freshman Dontrayevious Robinson found the endzone to put the Big Red ahead 20-0 with 9:28 left in the first half.

Robinson finished the day with 61 rushing yards and a touchdown on 13 carries, while adding 22 yards on three receptions. Green completed 12-of-21 passes for 128 yards and an interception, while adding eight carries for 43 yards. Paul led the NU receivers with two catches for 54 yards.

SCORING SUMMARY			
1st	13:31	NU	Blatchford 25 yd blocked punt return (Henery kick)
	05:43	NU	Henery, Alex 45 yd field goal
2nd	12:16	NU	Henery, Alex 22 yd field goal
	09:28	NU	Robinson 1 yd run (Henery kick)
3rd	09:22	BU	Parks 41 yd field goal
	03:27	BU	Odom 45 yd interception return (Parks kick)

TEAM STATISTICS	NU	BU
FIRST DOWNS	11	18
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	38-145	32-54
PASSING YDS (NET)	128	222
Passes Att-Comp-Int	21-12-1	38-19-2
TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS	59-273	70-276
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punt Returns-Yards	2-51	4-101
Kickoff Returns-Yards	3-55	2-53
Interception Returns-Yards	2-1	1-45
Punts (Number-Avg)	7-42.1	6-29.2
Fumbles-Lost	1-1	2-1
Penalties-Yards	6-65	4-25
Possession Time	29:52	30:08
Third-Down Conversions	5 of 15	5 of 16
Fourth-Down Conversions	0 of 0	1 of 2
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	2-2	0-1
Sacks By: Number-Yards	7-30	0-0

RUSHING: Nebraska-Robinson, Dontrayevo 13-61; Green, Cody 8-43; Helu Jr., Roy 7-24; Ward, Lester 7-16; Jones, Austin 2-4; TEAM 1-minus 3. **Baylor**-Finley, Jay 8-19; Wright, Kendall 4-15; Ganaway, Terran 2-10; Florence, Nick 16-8; Salubi, Jarred 2-2.

PASSING: Nebraska-Green, Cody 12-21-1-128. **Baylor**-Florence, Nick 19-38-2-222.

RECEIVING: Nebraska-Robinson, Dontrayevo 3-22; Cooper, Khiry 3-12; Paul, Niles 2-54; Reed, Kyler 1-22; Kinnie, Brandon 1-10; Mendoza, Marcus 1-5; Helu Jr., Roy 1-3. **Baylor**-Gettis, David 7-124; Wright, Kendall 4-49; Smith, Ernest 2-21; Finley, Jay 2-14; Salubi, Jarred 2-minus 5; Taylor, Brad 1-12; Akers, Justin 1-7.

INTERCEPTIONS: Nebraska-Amukamara, Prince 1-1; Gomes, Dejon 1-0. **Baylor**-Odom, Clifton 1-45.

FUMBLES (total-lost): Nebraska-Green, Cody 1-1. **Baylor**-Smith, Ernest 1-0; Florence, Nick 1-1.

SACKS (Sacks-Yds): Nebraska-Crick, Jared 5-24; Suh, Ndamukong 1-3; Fisher, Sean 1-3. **Baylor**-None.

TACKLE LEADER (UA-A): Nebraska-Crick, Jared 10-3. **Baylor**-Pawelek, Joe 2-7.



Game 9 | Nebraska 10, Oklahoma 3

SCORE BY QUARTERS	1	2	3	4	FINAL
Oklahoma	0	3	0	0	3
Nebraska	0	7	3	0	10

Lincoln, Neb. (Nov. 7)--- Nebraska brought home a sweet victory over an old rival, as the Blackshirt defense hauled in five interceptions and shut down No. 20 Oklahoma in a 10-3 victory at Memorial Stadium.

In a game that harkened back to the classic battles of the Big Red of the past four decades, Nebraska held the Sooners out of the end zone and mustered enough offense to improve to 6-3 overall and 3-2 in the Big 12. The Huskers dropped the 20th-ranked Sooners to 5-4 and 3-2 in front of 86,115 fans and ABC television audience.

In a game dominated by one of the nation's best defensive units, Blackshirt safety **Matt O'Hanlon** played the biggest game of his career to help the Huskers erase a two-game home skid while erasing the memory of committing eight turnovers in a loss to Iowa State at Memorial Stadium on Oct. 24.

O'Hanlon, a senior from Omaha, Neb., tied a Nebraska record with three interceptions while erupting for a career-high 12 tackles. The last of his interceptions ended the Sooners' last chance at the end zone with 27 seconds left in the game. O'Hanlon's huge game also erased any memories Husker fans had of a last second touchdown scored by Virginia Tech in a road loss against the Hokies in September.

O'Hanlon played big from start to finish, achieving his career-best in tackles with nine in the opening half. O'Hanlon helped the Huskers carry a 7-3 lead into the locker room at halftime, but he was far from alone.

Defensive back Prince Amukamara hauled in NU's first inteception of the night, picking off a Landry Jones pass and returning it 22 yards to the OU 1. One play later, junior quarterback Zac Lee hit tight end Ryan Hill on a one-yard scoring pass to give the Huskers a 7-0 lead with 13:36 left in the first half.

The Huskers also got big plays in the special teams from senior defensive tackle Ndamukong Suh and junior punter Alex Henery. Suh blocked Tress Way's 45-yard field goal with 6:50 left in the first quarter. It was Way's second unsuccessful attempt of the quarter, following a 46-yard miss on OU's opening possession. Henery punted 11 times for a 43.7-yard average, pinning OU inside its 20 twice.

Offensively, the Huskers struggled, picking up just seven first downs and 180 total yards. Roy Helu Jr. added the only offensive punch as he recorded 138 yards on 20 carries, including a career-long 63-yard run. He accounted for 153 of the Huskers' total yards.

SCORING SUMMARY			
2nd	13:36	NU	Hill 1 yd pass from Lee (Henery kick)
	00:24	OU	Way 28 yd field goal
3rd	05:38	NU	Henery 28 yd field goal

TEAM STATISTICS	OU	NU
FIRST DOWNS	23	7
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	29-80	43-141
PASSING YDS (NET)	245	39
Passes Att-Comp-Int	58-26-5	14-7-0
TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS	87-325	57-180
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punt Returns-Yards	6-102	2-19
Kickoff Returns-Yards	2-37	2-27
Interception Returns-Yards	0-0	5-61
Punts (Number-Avg)	5-49.0	11-43.7
Fumbles-Lost	2-0	1-1
Penalties-Yards	9-64	11-104
Possession Time	28:18	31:42
Third-Down Conversions	5 of 18	1 of 14
Fourth-Down Conversions	0 of 3	0 of 0
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	1-2	2-3
Sacks By: Number-Yards	2-11	2-19

RUSHING: **Oklahoma**-Brown, Chris 12-50; Murray, DeMarco 14-47; Jones, Landry 3-minus 17. **Nebraska**-Helu Jr., Roy 20-138; Robinson, Dontrayevo 6-11; Green, Cody 6-8; TEAM 1-minus 3; Lee, Zac 10-minus 13.

PASSING: **Oklahoma**-Jones, Landry 26-58-5-245. **Nebraska**-Lee, Zac 5-9-0-35; Green, Cody 2-5-0-4.

RECEIVING: **Oklahoma**-Broyles, Ryan 8-74; Miller, DeJuan 5-69; Murray, DeMarco 5-37; Brown, Chris 3-20; Kenney, Cameron 2-33; Hanna, James 2-8; Mensik, Eric 1-4. **Nebraska**-Helu Jr., Roy 3-15; Kinnie, Brandon 2-21; McNeill, Mike 1-2; Hill, Ryan 1-1.

INTERCEPTIONS: **Oklahoma**-None. **Nebraska**-O'Hanlon, Matt 3-30; Amukamara, Prince 1-22; Dillard, Phillip 1-9.

FUMBLES (total-lost): **Oklahoma**-Jones, Landry 2-0. **Nebraska**-Lee, Zac 1-1.

SACKS (Sacks-Yds): **Oklahoma**-Beal, Jeremy 1.0-3; Clayton, Keenan 0.5-4; Alexander, Fran 0.5-4.

Nebraska-Dillard, Phillip 1.0-13; Turner, Barry 0.5-3; Crick, Jared 0.5-3.

TACKLE LEADER (UA-A): **Oklahoma**-Beal, Jeremy 6-0. **Nebraska**-O'Hanlon, Matt 9-3.



Game 10 | Nebraska 31, Kansas 17

SCORE BY QUARTERS	1	2	3	4	FINAL
Nebraska	7	3	3	18	31
Kansas	0	10	0	7	17

Lawrence, Kan. (Nov. 14) --- Nebraska picked up its third Big 12 Conference road win of the year with a 31-17 victory at Kansas that moved the Huskers to 7-3 overall and 4-2 in conference.

The game was highlighted by Niles Paul and **Roy Helu Jr.**, who each made big plays when the Huskers needed them most. Paul caught four passes for a career-high 154 yards and also returned two kickoffs for 72 yards, including a fourth-quarter return into KU territory that set up the Huskers' go-ahead score. For Helu, he carried the ball 28 times for 156 yards and scored three times. But more importantly, 82 of Helu's yards came in the fourth quarter, including touchdowns runs of 20 and 14 yards.

The Huskers used a balanced attack, rushing for 214 yards on 42 carries, while Zac Lee completed 13-of-21 passes for 196 yards, giving the Huskers 410 yards of total offense. On the other side of the ball, the Blackshirts held the KU rushing attack in check, as the Jayhawks were held to 99 yards on 29 carries. Todd Reising was forced to put the ball in the air 41 times, completing 19 passes for 236 yards.

Nebraska jumped ahead early, scoring on the first drive of the game and made it a 10-0 lead on Henery's field goal with 10:47 left in the first half. Kansas answered twice before the intermission, going into the locker room tied at 10-10 after a Reesing 5-yard rushing score and a 33-yard field goal as time expired in the quarter.

Henery added a pair of field goals to put Nebraska ahead 16-10 early in the fourth period. After being silenced for most of the second half, the KU offense caught fire with 11:45 remaining the game, as it drove 68 yards on nine plays, with Reesing hitting Dezmon Briscoe for a 21-yard touchdown pass to give KU its first lead of the game, 17-16.

Following a Paul 44-yard kickoff return to the Kansas 36-yard line, Nebraska got into a third-down situation before Lee connected with Khiry Cooper for no gain, but a 15-yard personal foul for a face mask on the tackle gave the Huskers 1st-and-10 on the 20-yard line. Helu dashed around the right side on the next play for his second touchdown of the game and eventual game winner. With the score now 22-17, the Huskers went for two, with Lee scrambling to his left and then to his right, before finding Paul in the back of the end zone to give the Huskers the lead, 24-17. After forcing KU into a 3-and-out, Nebraska sealed the win with a 10-play, 74-yard drive over 4:46 to earn the victory.



SCORING SUMMARY			
1st	12:05	NU	Helu Jr. 0 yd fumble recovery (Henery kick)
2nd	10:47	NU	Henery 25 yd field goal
	04:58	KU	Reesing 5 yd run (Branstetter kick)
	00:00	KU	Branstetter 33 yd field goal
3rd	03:42	NU	Henery 34 yd field goal
4th	11:53	NU	Henery 38 yd field goal
	07:34	KU	Briscoe 21 yd pass from Reesing (Branstetter kick)
	06:19	NU	Helu Jr. 20 yd run (Paul pass from Lee)
	00:29	NU	Helu Jr. 14 yd run (Henery kick)

TEAM STATISTICS	NU	KU
FIRST DOWNS	18	21
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	42-214	29-99
PASSING YDS (NET)	196	236
Passes Att-Comp-Int	21-13-0	41-19-0
TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS	63-410	70-335
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punt Returns-Yards	2-18	1-2
Kickoff Returns-Yards	3-112	6-105
Interception Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punts (Number-Avg)	4-38.8	6-44.8
Fumbles-Lost	1-0	1-1
Penalties-Yards	5-55	4-50
Possession Time	31:29	28:31
Third-Down Conversions	7 of 16	6 of 16
Fourth-Down Conversions	0 of 0	2 of 2
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	4-4	2-2
Sacks By: Number-Yards	1-9	1-8

RUSHING: **Nebraska**-Helu Jr., Roy 28-156; Lee, Zac 9-53; Robinson, Dontrayevous 4-10; TEAM 1-minus 5. **Kansas**-Opurum, Toben 15-43; Reesing, Todd 9-42; Sharp, Jake 3-10; Pick, Kale 1-5; Briscoe, Dezmon 1-minus 1.

PASSING: **Nebraska**-Lee, Zac 13-21-0-196. **Kansas**-Reesing, Todd 19-41-0-236.

RECEIVING: **Nebraska**-Paul, Niles 4-154; McNeill, Mike 4-27; Cooper, Khiry 3-5; Kinnie, Brandon 1-8; Young, Dreu 1-2. **Kansas**-Meier, Kerry 10-127; Briscoe, Dezmon 4-77; Wilson, Jonatha 2-24; Biere, Tim 1-9; Sharp, Jake 1-4; Opurum, Toben 1-minus 5.

INTERCEPTIONS: **Nebraska**-None. **Kansas**-None.

FUMBLES: **Nebraska**-Lee, Zac 1-0. **Kansas**-Meier, Kerry 1-1.

SACKS (Sacks-Yds): **Nebraska**-Amukamara, Prince 1-9. **Kansas**-Onyegbule, Maxwell 1-8.

TACKLE LEADER (UA-A): **Nebraska**-Gomes, Dejon 5-3. **Kansas**-Tharp, Huldon 6-7.

Game 11 | Nebraska 17, Kansas State 3

SCORE BY QUARTERS	1	2	3	4	FINAL
Kansas State	3	0	0	0	3
Nebraska	3	7	7	0	17

Lincoln, Neb. (Nov. 21)--- Lots of defense, success on special teams, and enough offense to notch another win. That was the recipe for Nebraska’s eighth win of the season, as the Huskers earned a trip to the Big 12 Championship Game with a 17-3 victory over Kansas State at Memorial Stadium.

Playing in front of 85,988 fans and an ESPN national television audience, Nebraska captured the Big 12 North Division title by beating the Wildcats with a suffocating defense led by **All-America candidate Ndamukong Suh**. The defensive tackle, playing in his final game as a Husker at Memorial Stadium, registered a season-high nine tackles, including two tackles for loss, 1.5 sacks, a pair of pass breakups and a quarterback hurry.

Suh was far from the only senior who made an impact on Senior Night at Memorial Stadium. Senior safety Larry Asante had a tremendous night with a team-leading 10 tackles to go along with an interception and a huge hit to force fumble at the 1-yard line that kept Kansas State out of the end zone early in the third quarter. Senior linebacker Phillip Dillard added eight tackles, including a nine-yard sack and a forced fumble of his own to stop a KSU second-half drive.

The big plays by the Blackshirts preserved a 14-point win that included some key plays by the Husker offense as well.

Quarterback Zac Lee guided an efficient offense on three scoring drives, including each first possession of the half. On their opening drive of the game, the Huskers knotted the score at 3-3 before adding the go-ahead points at the end of the first quarter. Lee, who had missed a wide open Mike McNeill in the end zone on the first drive, connected with the prolific receiving tight end for a 17-yard touchdown strike and a 10-3 advantage with 1:44 to play in the first.

On the first drive after halftime, Lee set up the final points of the day with a long pass, going 47 yards to receiver Niles Paul on a 3rd-and-1 call from NU’s own 39 yard line. I-back Roy Helu Jr. then ran it in from 14 yards out to seal the 14-point victory.

Helu continued his climb in the Nebraska rushing record book as he finished the night with 26 carries for 95 yards to become the 25th Husker in history to rush for 2,000 or more career yards as he end the game with 2,071 career rushing yards. Helu also posted the 29th 1,000-yard rushing season in NU history, eclipsing the total early in the second quarter and finishing the contest with 1,057 yards on the season.

Alex Henery also came up big on special teams for Nebraska, drilling a 34-yard field goal and two extra points while also averaging 45.5 yards per punt. He pinned KSU inside its own five twice in the game whiel adding a long of 61 yards.

SCORING SUMMARY				
1st	09:26	KS	Cherry 44 yd field goal	
	01:44	NU	Henery 34 yd field goal	
2nd	12:02	NU	McNeill 17 yd pass from Lee (Henery kick)	
3rd	13:21	NU	Helu Jr. 14 yd run (Henery kick)	

TEAM STATISTICS	KSU	NU
FIRST DOWNS	19	19
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	34-140	45-101
PASSING YDS (NET)	153	166
Passes Att-Comp-Int	33-12-1	19-13-1
TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS	67-293	64-267
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0	1-4
Punt Returns-Yards	2-27	2-3
Kickoff Returns-Yards	3-50	2-53
Interception Returns-Yards	1-42	1-0
Punts (Number-Avg)	5-39.4	6-45.5
Fumbles-Lost	3-1	0-0
Penalties-Yards	7-69	3-34
Possession Time	28:30	31:30
Third-Down Conversions	3 of 14	7 of 16
Fourth-Down Conversions	1 of 2	1 of 1
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	0-2	3-4
Sacks By: Number-Yards	2-24	4-30

RUSHING: **Kansas State**-Thomas, Daniel 19-99; Gregory, Grant 13-22; Banks, Brandon 1-18; Valentine, K. 1-1. **Nebraska**-Helu Jr., Roy 26-95; Burkhead, Rex 6-17; Lee, Zac 11-minus 5; TEAM 2-minus 6.

PASSING: **Kansas State**-Gregory, Grant 11-31-1-126; Team 0-1-0-0; Klein, Collin 1-1-0-27. **Nebraska**-Lee, Zac 13-19-1-166.

RECEIVING: **Kansas State**-Banks, Brandon 5-48; Thomas, Daniel 4-51; Valentine, K. 2-30; Snipes, Attrail 1-24. **Nebraska**-Paul, Niles 4-82; McNeill, Mike 3-26; Kinnie, Brandon 2-20; Legate, Tyler 1-13; Burkhead, Rex 1-9; Young, Dreu 1-8; Cooper, Khiry 1-8.

INTERCEPTIONS: **Kansas State**-Hartman, Tysyn 1-42. **Nebraska**-Asante, Larry 1-0.

FUMBLES (total-lost): **Kansas State**-Gregory, Grant 2-0; Valentine, K. 1-1. **Nebraska**-None.

SACKS (Sacks-Yds): **Kansas State**-Fitzgerald,Jeff 1-14; Moore, Joshua 1-10. **Nebraska**-Suh, Ndamukong 1.5-6; Hagg, Eric 1-14; Dillard, Phillip 1-9; Turner, Barry 0.5-1.

TACKLE LEADER (UA-A): **Kansas State**-Pomele, Ulla 6-9. **Nebraska**-Asante, Larry 4-6.

