

# 2005 Nebraska Statistical Highs & Lows

## Nebraska

<u>Category</u>	<u>High</u>	<u>Low</u>
Points Scored	31 (Wake Forest, Texas Tech)	7 (Pittsburgh)
First Downs	26 (Iowa State)	7 (Kansas)
Rushing Attempts	51 (Baylor)	19 (Missouri - school record)
Rushing Yards	182 (Baylor)	-2 (Missouri)
Passes Attempted	55 (Iowa State - tied school record)	20 (Pittsburgh)
Passes Completed	36 (Iowa State - school record)	10 (Pittsburgh)
Had Intercepted	2 (Maine, Texas Tech, Missouri, Oklahoma)	0 (Pittsburgh, Iowa State, Baylor)
Passing Yards	431 (Iowa State - school record)	93 (Pittsburgh)
Total Plays	83 (Baylor)	49 (Kansas)
Total Yards	467 (Iowa State)	138 (Kansas)
Possession Time	37:12 (Baylor)	24:40 (Wake Forest)
Fumbles	7 (Kansas State)	0 (Kansas)
Fumbles Lost	3 (Maine, Texas Tech)	0 (Wake Forest, Pittsburgh, Kansas)
Turnovers	5 (Maine, Texas Tech)	0 (Pittsburgh)
Turnover Margin	+3 (Wake Forest)	-3 (Maine, Texas Tech)
Penalties	12 (Missouri)	0 (Maine)
Yards Penalized	99 (Missouri)	0 (Maine)
Sacks By-Yards Lost	11-69 (Maine) - tied school record	1-6 (Oklahoma)
Tackles for Loss-Yards	18-82 (Maine) - tied school record	6-14 (Kansas)

## Opponents

<u>Category</u>	<u>High</u>	<u>Low</u>
Points Scored	41 (Missouri)	3 (Wake Forest)
First Downs	25 (Missouri)	10 (Maine)
Rushing Attempts	52 (Wake Forest)	23 (Texas Tech, Baylor)
Rushing Yards	277 (Missouri)	-6 (Maine)
Passes Attempted	45 (Texas Tech)	27 (Kansas)
Passes Completed	34 (Texas Tech)	6 (Kansas State)
Had Intercepted	3 (Wake Forest)	0 (Pittsburgh, Oklahoma)
Passing Yards	368 (Texas Tech)	103 (Kansas State)
Total Plays	87 (Missouri)	54 (Baylor)
Total Yards	523 (Missouri)	145 (Maine)
Possession Time	35:20 (Wake Forest)	22:48 (Baylor)
Fumbles	4 (Oklahoma)	1 (Iowa State)
Fumbles Lost	1 (Maine, Wake Forest, Texas Tech, BU, MU, KU, KSU)	0 (Pittsburgh, Iowa State, Oklahoma)
Turnovers	4 (Wake Forest)	0 (Pittsburgh, Oklahoma)
Turnover Margin	+3 (Maine, Texas Tech)	-3 (Wake Forest)
Penalties	14 (Kansas State)	4 (Pittsburgh, Iowa State, Oklahoma)
Yards Penalized	108 (Kansas State)	26 (Oklahoma)
Sacks By-Yards Lost	9-57 (Oklahoma)	0-0 (Baylor)
Tackles for Loss-Yards Lost	12-62 (Oklahoma)	4-7 (Baylor); 4-17 (Texas Tech)

## Individual Highs

Most Rushing Attempts.....	32; Cory Ross vs. Pittsburgh (153 yards)
Most Net Rushing Yards.....	153; Cory Ross vs. Pittsburgh (32 attempts)
Most Rushing TDs .....	2; Cody Glenn vs. Texas Tech
Longest TD Run .....	5; Cody Glenn vs. Texas Tech
Longest Run, No TD .....	57; Cory Ross vs. Wake Forest
Most Pass Attempts.....	55; Zac Taylor vs. Iowa State - tied school record
Most Completed Passes .....	36; Zac Taylor vs. Iowa State - school record
Most Passing Yards .....	431; Zac Taylor vs. Iowa State - school record
Longest TD Pass.....	70; Zac Taylor to Cory Ross vs. Iowa State
Longest Pass, No TD.....	73; Zac Taylor to Frantz Hardy vs. Maine
Most Pass Receptions .....	9; Nate Swift at Missouri (135 yards); Swift vs. Oklahoma (116 yards)
Most Receiving Yards .....	152; Frantz Hardy vs. Maine (7 receptions)
Most TD Receptions .....	2; Cory Ross vs. Iowa State; Terrence Nunn vs. Texas Tech; Nate Swift vs. Oklahoma; Swift vs. Kansas State
Most Total-Offense Attempts.....	62; Zac Taylor vs. Iowa State (433 yards) - school record
Most Total-Offense Yards.....	433; Zac Taylor vs. Iowa State (62 attempts) - school record
Most All-Purpose Attempts.....	35; Cory Ross vs. Pittsburgh (32 rush, 3 rec., 0 ret.)
Most All-Purpose Yards .....	176; Cory Ross vs. Pittsburgh (153 rush, 0 ret., 23 rec.)
Most Touchdowns Scored .....	3; Cory Ross vs. Iowa State (2 rec., 1 rush)
Most Field Goals Attempted .....	4; Jordan Congdon vs. Maine (4 made)
Most Field Goals Made .....	4; Jordan Congdon vs. Maine (4 attempts)
Longest Field Goal Made .....	41 yards; Jordan Congdon at Baylor
Longest Field Goal Attempted .....	41 yards; Jordan Congdon at Baylor
Most Interceptions .....	1; Bo Ruud vs. Maine; Corey McKeon, Blake Tiedtke, Stewart Bradley vs. Wake Forest, Jay Moore vs. Iowa State;
.....	Le Kevin Smith vs. Texas Tech; Zackary Bowman, Daniel Bullocks at Baylor; Courtney Grixby at Missouri; McKeon at Kansas;
.....	McKeon vs. Kansas State
Longest Interception TD Return .....	43; Stewart Bradley vs. Wake Forest
Longest Interception Return, No TD.....	28; Blake Tiedtke vs. Wake Forest
Longest Fumble TD Return .....	30; Daniel Bullocks vs. Wake Forest
Longest Fumble Return, No TD .....	47; Bo Ruud vs. Texas Tech
Longest Punt Return, TD.....	None
Longest Punt Return, No TD .....	62; Terrence Nunn vs. Maine; Nunn vs. Pittsburgh
Most Punt Return Yardage .....	135; Terrence Nunn vs. Maine (4 returns)
Longest Kickoff Return.....	57; Marlon Lucky at Kansas
Most Kickoff Return Yardage.....	127; Marlon Lucky at Kansas (5 returns)

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## Nebraska Individual Highs, Continued

Most Punts.....	9; Sam Koch at Kansas (47.6 avg.)
Highest Punting Average.....	48.1; Sam Koch at Missouri (7 punts, 337 yards, 5 I20)
Longest Punt.....	84; Sam Koch vs. Pittsburgh
Most Total Tackles.....	15; Bo Ruud vs. Kansas State (10 UT, 5 AT, 15 TT)
Most Solo Tackles.....	10; Bo Ruud vs. Kansas State
Most Tackles for Loss.....	5; Corey McKeon vs. Iowa State (5-23); Bo Ruud vs. Kansas State (5-10)
Most Yards Lost.....	26; Adam Carriker vs. Pittsburgh (4 TFL)
Most Quarterback Sacks.....	2; Stewart Bradley (2-16), Adam Carriker (2-13), Le Kevin Smith (2-12) vs. Maine; Corey McKeon vs. Wake Forest (2-11); Carriker (2-21), Wali Muhammad (2-13) vs. Pittsburgh; McKeon vs. Iowa State (2-21); Smith (2-17), Barry Turner (2-15) at Baylor
Most Yards Lost.....	21; Adam Carriker vs. Pittsburgh (2 sacks); Corey McKeon vs. Iowa State (2 sacks)
Most Pass Breakups.....	3; Daniel Bullocks vs. Iowa State; Cortney Grixby at Baylor
Most Blocked Field Goals.....	1; Adam Ickes, Zach Potter vs. Pittsburgh; Ickes vs. Texas Tech; Barry Turner vs. Oklahoma Turner vs. Kansas State
Most Blocked Punts.....	1; Daniel Bullocks at Missouri
Most Blocked PAT.....	1; Zach Potter vs. Kansas State

## Opponent Individual Highs

Most Yards Rushing.....	246; Brad Smith, Missouri (28 attempts)
Most Rushing Attempts.....	30; Allan Evridge, Kansas State (138 yards)
Most Yards Passing.....	368; Cody Hodges, Texas Tech (45 attempts)
Most Passing Attempts.....	45; Cody Hodges, Texas Tech (34 completions)
Most Pass Completions.....	34; Cody Hodges, Texas Tech (45 attempts)
Most Pass Receptions.....	11; Joel Filani, Texas Tech (163 yards)
Most Yards Receiving.....	163; Joel Filani, Texas Tech (11 receptions)

## Opponent Individual Longest Plays

Rush.....	79; Brad Smith, Missouri (TD)
Pass.....	73; Tyler Palko to Greg Lee, Pittsburgh
Field Goal.....	51; Sam Swank, Wake Forest
Punt Return.....	21; Lendy Holmes, Oklahoma
Kickoff Return.....	31; Greg Heaggans, Kansas
Fumble Return.....	3; Kurt Bulwith, Maine
Interception Return.....	63; Chijioke Onyenegecha, Oklahoma (TD)

## Nebraska Long Plays of 20 Yards or More (57)

Opponent	Runs (4)	Passes (23)	Returns (30)
<b>Maine</b>	30 Ross	<b>73 Taylor to Hardy</b> 22 Taylor to Hardy	<b>62 Nunn (PR)</b> 45 Nunn (PR) 43 Green (KOR) 27 Ruud (IR)* 38 McKeon (IR)* 30 Bullocks (FR)* 28 Tiedtke (IR) <b>43 Bradley (IR)*</b> <b>62 Nunn (PR)</b> 26 Green (KOR) 45 Green (KOR) 27 Nunn (PR)
<b>Wake Forest</b>	57 Ross	25 Taylor to Mulkey	
<b>Pittsburgh</b>	None	36 Taylor to Nunn	
<b>Iowa State</b>	20 Taylor	20 Taylor to Mulkey 28 Taylor to Ross 70 Taylor to Ross* 31 Taylor to Swift	
<b>Texas Tech</b>	None	24 Taylor to Ross	22 Green (KOR) 20 Grixby (PR) 27 Jackson (KOR) <b>47 Ruud (FR)</b> 23 Grixby (PR) 48 Grixby (PR) 33 Grixby (FR) 21 Lucky (KOR) 38 Lucky (KOR) 23 Green (KOR)
<b>Baylor</b>	None	31 Taylor to Swift 21 Taylor to Peterson*	
<b>Missouri</b>	None	24 Taylor to Swift 34 Taylor to Peterson* 22 Taylor to Peterson 22 Taylor to Swift 32 Taylor to Swift 25 Taylor to Nunn	
<b>Oklahoma</b>	21 Taylor	25 Taylor to Swift* 23 Taylor to Swift	21 Grixby (PR) 34 Lucky (KOR) 26 Green (KOR)
<b>Kansas</b>	None	30 Taylor to Nunn*	<b>57 Lucky (KOR)</b> 21 Lucky (KOR) 20 Lucky (KOR) 21 Lucky (KOR) 24 Nunn (PR)
<b>Kansas State</b>	None	22 Taylor to Phillips 34 Taylor to Swift* 21 Beck to Swift	

\*-indicates touchdown scored  
**Bold** - Indicates team best in each category

KOR-14  
PR-9  
IR-4  
FR-3

## Opponent Long Plays of 20 Yards or More (61)

Opponent	Runs (15)	Passes (29)	Returns (17)
<b>Maine</b>	None	52 Whitcomb to McMahan*	22 Gordon (KOR) 21 Gordon (KOR) 20 Ry. Waller (KOR) 41 Gattis (IR) 22 Barclay (KOR)
<b>Wake Forest</b>	20 Barclay	34 Mauk to Andrews	
<b>Pittsburgh</b>	30 Stephens-Howling 20 Kirkley	21 Palko to Lee <b>73 Palko to Lee</b> 26 Palko to DelSardo 26 Palko to Gill	
<b>Iowa State</b>	None	30 Meyer to Blythe 22 Meyer to Barkema 60 Meyer to Sumrall 41 Meyer to Flynn	
<b>Texas Tech</b>	26 Henderson	22 Hodges to Filani 23 Hodges to Henderson* 29 Hodges to Hicks 31 Hodges to Filani	20 Brinkley (IR) 30 Amendola (KOR)
<b>Baylor</b>	None	20 Bell to Rochon 51 Bell to Shelton	26 Andrews (KOR)
<b>Missouri</b>	53 Smith <b>79 Smith*</b> 45 Smith*	50 Smith to Ekwerekwu 37 Smith to Coffey 22 Smith to Franklin	28 Temple (KOR) 20 Temple (KOR) 23 Humphrey (KOR)
<b>Oklahoma</b>	36 Peterson* 58 Peterson	21 Bomar to Kelly 22 Bomar to Jones 21 Bomar to Wilson	<b>21 Holmes (PR)</b> <b>63 Onyenegecha* (IR)</b>
<b>Kansas</b>	72 Cornish* 39 Green	40 Swanson to Simmons* 20 Swanson to Simmons 26 Swanson to Murph 30 Swanson to Green 36 Swanson to Simmons	20 Rus* (PR) <b>31 Heaggans (KOR)</b> 40 Kane* (IR)
<b>Kansas State</b>	27 Evridge 27 Mann 48 Clayton 24 Evridge	43 Evridge to Nelson 26 Evridge to Dennis	36 Baldwin (IR)

\*-indicates touchdown scored  
**Bold** - Indicates team best in each category

KOR-10  
PR-2  
IR-5  
FR-0

# 2005 Nebraska Team/Individual Statistics

## Nebraska Game-by-Game (season highs in bold)

	<u>Rushing</u> <u>Att/Yds./TD</u>	<u>Passing</u> <u>A-C-I/Y/TD</u>	<u>Total Off.</u> <u>Plays/Yds</u>	<u>First Downs</u> <u>T/R-Pa-Pe</u>	<u>Fumbles</u> <u>No./Lost</u>	<u>Sacks By/</u> <u>Yards Lost</u>	<u>TFL/</u> <u>Yards Lost</u>
Maine	42/121/1	36-15-2/192/0	78/313	17/7-9-1	5/3	11/69	18/82
Wake Forest	30/120/0	33-14-1/114/1	63/234	13/3-7-3	2/0	5/46	15/65
Pittsburgh	48/174/1	20-10-0/93/0	68/267	14/12-1-1	1/0	4/34	9/49
Iowa State	25/36/1	<b>55-36-0/431/2</b>	<b>80/467</b>	<b>26/1-24-1</b>	1/1	6/43	12/55
Texas Tech	35/135/2	35-21-2/229/2	70/364	22/7-11-4	5/3	4/38	7/51
Baylor	<b>51/182/0</b>	32-18-0/168/2	<b>83/350</b>	25/10-10-5	2/1	4/32	9/46
Missouri	19/(-2)/1	43-22-2/281/2	62/279	13/4-8-1	2/1	4/41	11/55
Oklahoma	34/16/0	46-26-2/267/3	80/283	20/4-15-1	1/0	1/6	10/47
Kansas	22/21/1	27-14-1/117/1	49/138	7/2-5-0	0/0	1/2	6/14
Kansas State	35/93/1	38-22-1/241/2	73/334	20/5-12-3	7/2	2/15	10/35
Colorado							

## Opponent Game-by-Game

	<u>Rushing</u> <u>Att/Yds./TD</u>	<u>Passing</u> <u>A-C-I/Yds/TD</u>	<u>Total Off.</u> <u>Plays/Yds</u>	<u>First Downs</u> <u>T/R-Pa-Pe</u>	<u>Fumbles</u> <u>No./Lost</u>	<u>Sacks By/</u> <u>Yards Lost</u>	<u>TFL/</u> <u>Yards Lost</u>
Maine	37/(-6)/0	36-16-1/151/1	73/145	10/4-6-0	3/1	2/5	6/14
Wake Forest	<b>52/130/0</b>	28-12-3/117/0	80/247	19/10-6-3	3/1	1/6	6/12
Pittsburgh	36/114/0	28-11-0/190/0	64/304	14/7-6-1	3/0	4/27	9/35
Iowa State	38/57/1	41-23-1/317/1	79/374	21/5-12-4	1/0	2/20	7/43
Texas Tech	23/44/0	<b>45-34-1/368/4</b>	68/412	23/5-17-1	2/1	2/11	4/17
Baylor	23/51/1	31-17-2/202/1	54/253	16/4-10-2	2/1	0/0	4/7
Missouri	49/277/4	38-22-1/246/1	<b>87/523</b>	25/10-12-3	2/1	4/43	7/49
Oklahoma	45/180/3	28-14-0/157/0	73/337	19/10-8-1	4/0	<b>9/57</b>	<b>12/62</b>
Kansas	44/213/1	27-16-1/215/2	71/428	17/6-10-1	2/1	3/19	7/32
Kansas State	50/248/3	30-6-1/103/0	80/351	17/11-4-2	3/1	1/8	7/20
Colorado							

## Individual Game Rushing (Attempts/Yards/Touchdowns)

<u>Name</u>	<u>MAINE</u>	<u>WF</u>	<u>PITT</u>	<u>ISU</u>	<u>TTU</u>	<u>BU</u>	<u>MU</u>	<u>OU</u>	<u>KU</u>	<u>KSU</u>	<u>CU</u>
Beck	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	1/-7/0	
Glenn	DNP	DNP	4/20/0	DNP	12/39/2	12/41/0	3/5/1	4/8/0	2/0/0	DNP	
Green	0/0/0	0/0/0	1/8/0	0/0/0	0/0/0	0/0/0	0/0/0	0/0/0	0/0/0	0/0/0	
Jackson	<b>6/18/0</b>	4/3/0	2/4/0	0/0/0	1/4/0	0/0/0	0/0/0	DNP	DNP	1/-2/0	
Lucky	<b>13/44/0</b>	2/3/0	1/-4/0	0/0/0	3/23/0	7/18/0	0/0/0	4/2/0	0/0/0	2/7/0	
Nunn	0/0/0	0/0/0	0/0/0	1/4/0	0/0/0	0/0/0	0/0/0	0/0/0	0/0/0	1/19/0	
Ross	20/80/1	20/123/0	<b>32/153/0</b>	15/32/1	15/68/0	26/93/0	10/39/0	10/21/0	16/30/1	26/69/1	
Stuntz	DNP	0/0/0	1/4/0	DNP	0/0/0	DNP	DNP	0/0/0	DNP	DNP	
Taylor	2/-5/0	2/-5/0	7/-11/1	7/2/0	4/1/0	5/30/0	6/(-46)/0	<b>16/(-15)/0</b>	4/(-9)/0	3/11/0	
<u>TEAM</u>	<u>1/-16/0</u>	<u>2/-4/0</u>	<u>0/0/0</u>	<u>1/-2/0</u>	<u>0/0/0</u>	<u>1/0/0</u>	<u>0/0/0</u>	<u>0/0/0</u>	<u>0/0/0</u>	<u>1/-4/0</u>	
<b>Total</b>	<b>42/121/1</b>	<b>30/120/0</b>	<b>48/174/1</b>	<b>25/36/1</b>	<b>35/135/2</b>	<b>51/182/0</b>	<b>19/(-2)/1</b>	<b>34/16/0</b>	<b>22/21/1</b>	<b>35/93/1</b>	

## Season and Career, Most Rushing Yards

<u>Player</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>Career</u>
Harrison Beck	-7 vs. Kansas State	same
Beau Davis	none	-6 vs. Texas Tech, 2004
Isaiah Fluellen	none	78 vs. Iowa State, 2003
Cody Glenn	41 at Baylor	same
Tierre Green	8 vs. Pittsburgh	112 vs. Western Illinois
Brandon Jackson	18 vs. Maine	89 vs. Baylor
Mark LeFlore	none	64 vs. McNeese State, 2002
Marlon Lucky	44 vs. Maine	same
Terrence Nunn	19 vs. Kansas State	21 vs. Western Illinois
Cory Ross	153 vs. Pittsburgh	194 vs. Missouri, 2004
Mike Stuntz	4 vs. Pittsburgh	same
Zac Taylor	30 at Baylor	same
Dane Todd	none	4 vs. Troy State, 2003

## Season and Career, Longest Run

<u>2005</u>	<u>Career</u>
-7 vs. Kansas State	same
none	-6 vs. Texas Tech, 2004
none	*39 vs. Iowa State, 2003
10 vs. Texas Tech	same
8 vs. Pittsburgh	*34 vs. Western Illinois
8 vs. Maine	24 vs. Baylor
none	*64 vs. McNeese State, 2002
11 vs. Texas Tech/at Baylor	same
19 vs. Kansas State	21 vs. Western Illinois
57 vs. Wake Forest	*86 vs. Missouri
4 vs. Pittsburgh	same
21 vs. Oklahoma	same
none	4 vs. Troy State, 2003

\*Indicates touchdown scored

## Passing Game-by-Game (Attempts-Completions-Interceptions/Yards/Touchdowns)

<u>Game</u>	<u>Taylor</u>	<u>Ross</u>	<u>Beck</u>	<u>Peterson</u>
Maine	36-15-2/192/0	0-0-0/0/0	DNP	DNP
Wake Forest	33-14-1/114/1	0-0-0/0/0	DNP	DNP
Pittsburgh	20-10-0/93/0	0-0-0/0/0	DNP	0-0-0/0/0
Iowa State	<b>55-36-0/431/2</b>	0-0-0/0/0	DNP	0-0-0/0/0
Texas Tech	35-21-2/229/2	0-0-0/0/0	DNP	0-0-0/0/0
Baylor	32-18-0/168/2	0-0-0/0/0	DNP	0-0-0/0/0
Missouri	43-22-2/281/2	0-0-0/0/0	DNP	0-0-0/0/0
Oklahoma	45-25-2/249/2	1-1-0/18/1	DNP	0-0-0/0/0
Kansas	26-14-1/117/1	1-0-0/0/0	DNP	0-0-0/0/0
Kansas State	31-21-0/220/2	0-0-0/0/0	6-1-1/21/0	1-0-0/0/0
Colorado				
<b>Total</b>	<b>356-196-10/2,094/12</b>	<b>2-1-0/18/1</b>	<b>6-1-1/21/0</b>	<b>1-0-0/0/0</b>

# 2005 Nebraska Individual Statistics

## Season and Career, Most Passing Yards

\* indicates touchdown pass

<u>Player</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>Career</u>
Zac Taylor	431 vs. Iowa State	same
Harrison Beck	21 vs. Kansas State	same
Cory Ross	18 vs. Oklahoma	same
Beau Davis	none	12 vs. Texas Tech, 2004
Mike Stuntz	none	72 vs. Iowa State, 2002

\* indicates touchdown pass

## Season and Career, Longest Pass

<u>2005</u>	<u>Career</u>
73 vs. Maine (Frantz Hardy)	same
21 vs. Kansas State (Nate Swift)	same
*18 vs. Oklahoma (Nate Swift)	same
none	12 vs. Texas Tech, 2004
none	*63 vs. Oklahoma, 2001

## Receiving (Receptions/Yards/Touchdowns)

<u>Name</u>	<u>MAINE</u>	<u>WF</u>	<u>PITT</u>	<u>ISU</u>	<u>TTU</u>	<u>BU</u>	<u>MU</u>	<u>OU</u>	<u>KU</u>	<u>KSU</u>	<u>CU</u>
Fluellen	DNP	0/0/0	0/0/0	<b>3/40/0</b>	1/12/0	DNP	DNP	0/0/0	DNP	DNP	
B. Jackson	0/0/0	1/5/0	0/0/0	0/0/0	0/0/0	0/0/0	0/0/0	DNP	DNP	0/0/0	
Hardy	<b>7/152/0</b>	4/29/1	2/15/0	2/20/0	2/21/0	2/27/0	1/10/0	0/0/0	1/13/0	0/0/0	
LeFlore	DNP	0/0/0	1/8/0	2/23/0	<b>5/53/0</b>	0/0/0	DNP	2/14/0	0/0/0	DNP	
Mueller	0/0/0	0/0/0	0/0/0	0/0/0	0/0/0	0/0/0	0/0/0	0/0/0	0/0/0	<b>1/18/0</b>	
Mulkey	1/12/0	2/28/0	0/0/0	<b>5/60/0</b>	2/19/0	4/28/0	1/9/0	5/43/0	1/8/0	2/15/0	
Nunn	1/8/0	4/38/0	1/36/0	<b>8/59/0</b>	3/39/2	5/49/1	1/30/0	4/27/1	3/47/1	5/44/0	
Peterson	DNP	0/0/0	0/0/0	0/0/0	0/0/0	1/21/1	<b>3/65/1</b>	0/0/0	1/5/0	1/5/0	
Phillips	2/7/0	0/0/0	2/8/0	1/5/0	1/10/0	0/0/0	1/5/0	0/0/0	2/14/0	<b>2/28/0</b>	
Ross	1/0/0	2/7/0	3/23/0	<b>8/131/2</b>	4/51/0	3/-4/0	3/6/0	4/39/0	1/3/0	2/-1/0	
Sievers	<b>2/12/0</b>	1/7/0	1/3/0	1/6/0	0/0/0	0/0/0	0/0/0	1/11/0	0/0/0	DNP	
Swift	0/0/0	0/0/0	0/0/0	5/81/0	3/24/0	2/42/0	<b>9/135/1</b>	<b>9/116/2</b>	3/26/0	7/109/2	
Todd	<u>1/1/0</u>	<u>0/0/0</u>	<u>0/0/0</u>	<u>1/6/0</u>	<u>0/0/0</u>	<u>0/0/0</u>	<u>2/23/0</u>	<u>1/17/0</u>	<u>1/5/0</u>	<u>2/23/0</u>	
<b>Total</b>	<b>15/192/0</b>	<b>14/114/1</b>	<b>10/93/0</b>	<b>36/431/2</b>	<b>21/229/2</b>	<b>18/168/2</b>	<b>22/281/2</b>	<b>26/267/3</b>	<b>14/117/1</b>	<b>22/241/2</b>	

## Season and Career, Most Receiving Yards

<u>Player</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>Career</u>
Brandon Jackson	5 vs. Wake Forest	same
Isaiah Fluellen	40 vs. Iowa State	84 vs. Michigan State, 2003
Frantz Hardy	152 vs. Maine	same
Matt Herian	none	110 vs. Troy State, 2003
Mark LeFlore	53 vs. Texas Tech	110 vs. Texas Tech, 2004
Kurt Mann	none	-2 vs. Kansas State, 2004
Terrence Nunn	59 vs. Iowa State	69 vs. Colorado, 2004
Josh Mueller	18 vs. Kansas State	same
Grant Mulkey	60 vs. Iowa State	75 vs. Baylor, 2004
Todd Peterson	65 at Missouri	same
J.B. Phillips	28 vs. Kansas State	same
Clayton Sievers	12 vs. Maine	same
Nate Swift	135 at Missouri	same
Cory Ross	131 vs. Iowa State	same
Dane Todd	23 at Missouri; vs. Kansas State	same

\*Indicates touchdown scored

## Season and Career, Longest Catch

<u>2005</u>	<u>Career</u>
5 vs. Wake Forest (Taylor)	same
16 vs. Iowa State (Taylor)	58 vs. Michigan State, 2003
73 vs. Maine (Taylor)	same
none	*80 vs. Colorado, 2002
18 vs. Texas Tech (Taylor)	*74 vs. Texas Tech, 2004
none	-2 vs. Kansas State, 2004
36 vs. Pittsburgh (Taylor)	55 vs. Kansas State, 2004
18 vs. Kansas State	same
25 vs. Wake Forest (Taylor)	38 vs. Baylor, 2004
*34 at Missouri (Taylor)	same
22 vs. Kansas State (Taylor)	same
11 vs. Oklahoma (Taylor)	same
*34 vs. Kansas State (Taylor)	same
*70 vs. Iowa State (Taylor)	*74 vs. Baylor, 2004
17 vs. Oklahoma (Taylor)	same

## Inside the 20 (Red Zone)

	<u>NU</u>	<u>OPP</u>
Times Penetrated Opponent 20	36	36
Total Scores	29	24
Touchdowns	18	14
Field Goals	11	10
Missed Field Goals	2	4
Turnovers	4	4
Lost on Downs	1	2
End of Half/Game	0	1
Scoring Percentage	.806	.686

## Quarterback Drive Efficiency

<u>Quarterback</u>	<u>Drives</u>		<u>Drives Ended By...</u>			<u>Efficiency</u>	<u>Red Zone</u>
	<u>Started</u>	<u>Scores</u>	<u>TDs</u>	<u>FGs</u>	<u>FGA</u>		
Taylor	133	37	23	14	17	.278	29-36
Beck	<u>5</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>.200</u>	<u>0-0</u>
<b>Total</b>	<b>138</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>.275</b>	<b>29-36</b>

# 2005 Nebraska Defensive Statistics

## Tackles (Solos-Assists-Total)

Name	MAINE	WF	PITT	ISU	TTU	BU	MU	OU	KU	KSU	CU
Adams, T.	1-1-2	3-2-5	0-1-1	2-0-2	1-2-3	1-0-1	1-1-2	2-6-8	9-2-11	5-7-12	
Beck	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	1-0-1	
Bowman	0-1-1	2-0-2	DNP	2-1-3	2-0-2	3-0-3	5-0-5	4-0-4	1-1-2	2-0-2	
Bradley	3-3-6	0-2-2	2-5-7	4-3-7	2-2-4	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	
Brandenburgh	DNP	0-0-0	DNP	DNP	DNP	1-0-1	3-2-5	2-1-3	2-3-5	1-0-1	
Brothers	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-1-1	0-0-0	0-1-1	DNP	DNP	0-0-0	
Bullocks	1-0-1	7-6-13	4-2-6	3-2-5	7-5-12	0-3-3	3-4-7	5-3-8	2-6-8	3-3-6	
Carriker	4-0-4	1-1-2	4-3-7	2-4-6	1-0-1	1-0-1	3-2-5	2-1-3	4-2-6	1-2-3	
Cryer	0-0-0	1-1-2	0-1-1	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	DNP	0-0-0	0-0-0	1-0-1	
Dagundaro	1-1-2	4-3-7	0-0-0	1-0-1	2-3-5	0-0-0	0-1-1	1-0-1	1-0-1	0-0-0	
Dillard	2-0-2	1-1-2	DNP	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-1-1	0-1-1	
Eisenhart	0-1-1	0-2-2	0-0-0	2-0-2	0-0-0	1-0-1	0-0-0	0-0-1	1-0-1	1-0-1	
Erickson	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	1-0-1	0-0-0	0-1-1	
Fisher	0-0-0	2-0-2	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-1-1	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	DNP	1-1-2	
Green	2-2-4	0-1-1	1-4-5	5-1-6	2-1-3	2-0-2	4-1-5	0-0-0	1-0-1	0-0-0	
Grixby	4-0-4	0-3-3	2-1-3	2-0-2	1-2-3	2-0-2	2-1-3	9-0-9	4-1-5	2-0-2	
Ickes	1-1-2	2-2-4	0-1-1	0-1-1	1-2-3	2-0-2	1-3-4	1-2-3	4-1-5	0-0-0	
Jackson	DNP	DNP	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-1-1	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	DNP	0-0-0	
Kadavy	0-0-0	0-0-0	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	
S. Koch	0-0-0	0-0-0	1-0-1	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	
Luhrs	DNP	DNP	DNP	0-1-1	0-0-0	DNP	DNP	DNP	0-0-0	DNP	
Mann	0-0-0	1-0-1	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	
McKeon	8-2-10	6-4-10	3-3-6	9-1-10	0-6-6	4-3-7	7-3-10	5-3-8	5-4-9	4-4-8	
D. Moore	0-0-0	1-0-1	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-1-1	0-0-0	0-1-1	0-0-0	0-0-0	DNP	
J. Moore	1-2-3	0-0-0	4-0-4	2-1-3	3-1-4	2-2-4	1-3-4	3-2-5	1-3-4	0-1-1	
Muhammad	2-2-4	3-1-4	2-1-3	0-2-2	1-0-1	2-0-2	2-0-2	0-1-1	0-0-0	1-0-1	
Mueller	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	1-0-1	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	
Mulkey	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	1-0-1	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	
Octavien	3-1-4	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	
Phillips	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	1-0-1	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	
Potter	0-0-0	0-1-1	0-0-0	0-0-0	DNP	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	
Rigoni	1-2-3	0-1-1	0-0-0	0-0-0	1-0-1	0-0-0	1-0-1	2-2-4	1-0-1	1-1-2	
Robison	0-2-2	2-3-5	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-2-2	0-1-1	1-0-1	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	
Ross	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-1-1	0-0-0	0-0-0	1-0-1	0-0-0	0-0-0	
Ruud	2-3-5	3-5-8	1-3-4	3-6-9	2-4-6	3-2-5	7-5-12	1-4-5	3-2-5	10-5-15	
Shanle	0-2-2	0-1-1	1-1-2	0-0-0	0-1-1	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	1-0-1	
Sievers	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	1-0-1	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	DNP	
Smith	2-1-3	2-1-3	1-0-1	2-2-4	1-3-4	2-1-3	1-3-4	2-4-6	3-1-4	1-1-2	
Souder	0-0-0	DNP	DNP	0-0-0	DNP	0-1-1	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-2-2	
Steinkuhler	0-0-0	1-2-3	0-0-0	DNP	DNP	DNP	1-0-1	0-0-0	DNP	0-1-1	
Stuntz	DNP	0-1-1	0-0-0	DNP	0-0-0	DNP	DNP	0-0-0	DNP	DNP	
Suh	0-0-0	0-1-1	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	
Taylor	1-0-1	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	
Tiedtke	2-2-4	2-1-3	4-4-8	3-3-6	2-5-7	5-3-8	3-4-7	2-3-5	5-3-8	3-2-5	
Todd	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	2-1-3	1-1-2	0-0-0	
Turner	2-0-2	1-0-1	1-0-1	0-1-1	0-0-0	4-0-4	1-0-1	0-0-0	0-1-1	1-0-1	

## Tackles for Loss (Number/Yards)

Name	MAINE	WF	PITT	ISU	TTU	BU	MU	OU	KU	KSU	CU	Total
McKeon	3/5	2/11	1/2	5/23	0/0	0/0	2/19	2/11	2/3	2/8		19/82
Carriker	2/13	1/14	4/26	0/0	1/13	1/3	2/7	2/7	0/0	2/6		15/89
J. Moore	1/3	0/0	1/3	2/10	3/18	1/4	1/1	3/5	1/2	0/0		13/46
Ruud	1/3	1/3	0/0	1/1	1/9	0/0	1/4	0/0	0/0	5/10		10/30
Smith	2/12	1/2	0/0	1/1	1/6	2/17	0/0	1/2	1/6	0/0		9/46
Muhammad	1/6	3/17	2/13	0/0	0/0	1/3	0/0	0/0	0/0	1/2		8/41
Turner	1/9	0/0	0/0	1/4	0/0	3/17	1/9	0/0	0/0	1/9		7/48
Bradley	3/17	0/0	1/1	1/9	0/0	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP		5/27
Bullocks	1/1	1/3	1/3	0/0	0/0	0/0	1/1	0/0	0/0	0/0		4/8
Brandenburgh	DNP	0/0	DNP	DNP	DNP	1/2	2/3	1/3	1/2	0/0		4/7
Ickes	1/1	1/4	0/0	0/0	1/1	0/0	1/1	0/0	0/0	0/0		4/7
Tiedtke	1/5	0/0	0/0	0/0	1/4	0/0	1/9	1/0	0/0	0/0		3/18
Dagundaro	0/0	2/3	0/0	1/6	0/0	0/0	0/0	0/0	0/0	0/0		3/9
T. Adams	0/0	1/7	0/0	1/1	0/0	0/0	0/0	1/1	1/1	0/0		3/9
Octavien	2/5	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP		2/5
Cryer	0/0	1/1	1/1	0/0	0/0	0/0	DNP	0/0	0/0	0/0		2/2
Steinkuhler	0/0	1/0	0/0	DNP	DNP	DNP	0/0	0/0	DNP	1/0		2/0
Rigoni	0/0	0/0	0/0	0/0	0/0	0/0	0/0	1/18	0/0	0/0		1/18
Dillard	1/2	0/0	DNP	0/0	0/0	0/0	0/0	0/0	0/0	0/0		1/2
Bowman	0/0	0/0	DNP	0/0	0/0	0/0	1/1	0/0	0/0	0/0		1/1
Totals	18/82	15/65	9/49	12/55	7/51	9/46	11/55	10/47	6/14	10/35		107/499

## Quarterback Sacks (Number/Yards)

Name	MAINE	WF	PITT	ISU	TTU	BU	MU	OU	KU	KSU	CU	Total
Carriker	2/13	1/14	2/21	0/0	1/13	0/0	1/5	1/6	0/0	1/6		9/78
McKeon	1/2	2/11	0/0	2/18	0/0	0/0	1/18	0/0	1/2	0/0		7/51
Turner	1/9	0/0	0/0	1/4	0/0	2/15	1/9	0/0	0/0	1/9		6/46
Muhammad	1/6	1/14	2/13	0/0	0/0	0/0	0/0	0/0	0/0	0/0		4/33
Smith	2/12	0/0	0/0	0/0	0/0	2/17	0/0	0/0	0/0	0/0		4/29
Bradley	2/16	0/0	0/0	1/9	0/0	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP		3/25
Tiedtke	1/5	0/0	0/0	0/0	1/4	0/0	1/9	0/0	0/0	0/0		3/18
J. Moore	0.5/3	0/0	0/0	1/6	1/12	0/0	0/0	0/0	0/0	0/0		2.5/21
Ruud	0.5/3	0/0	0/0	0/0	1/9	0/0	0/0	0/0	0/0	0/0		1.5/12
T. Adams	0/0	1/7	0/0	0/0	0/0	0/0	0/0	0/0	0/0	0/0		1/7
Dagundaro	0/0	0/0	0/0	1/6	0/0	0/0	0/0	0/0	0/0	0/0		1/6
Totals	11/69	5/46	4/34	6/43	4/38	4/32	4/41	1/6	1/2	2/15		42/326

# 2005 Game-by-Game

## Game 1

Nebraska 25  
Maine 7

Lincoln, Neb.  
Sept. 3, 2005

Lincoln, Neb. — Nebraska's defense bombarded Maine behind the line, and NU's special teams created big plays in the Huskers' 25-7 win in front of the NCAA-record 269th consecutive sellout at Memorial Stadium. A crowd of 77,469 fans and a Fox Sports Net pay-per-view audience watched the Blackshirts tie school records with 18 tackles for loss and 11 sacks. NU's 18 TFL's matched the record set against Iowa State on Nov. 8, 1969, while the 11 sacks tied the mark set against Oregon State on Sept. 30, 1989. Stewart Bradley and Corey McKeon each record three tackles for loss, while Bradley, Adam Carriker and Le Kevin Smith notched two sacks apiece. Sophomore linebacker Bo Ruud added a 27-yard fourth-quarter interception return and a fumble recovery to fuel the defense. While the Blackshirts broke down the Black Bear offense, NU's special teams enjoyed a breakout night. Terrence Nunn ripped off returns of 62 and 45 yards on his first two career returns. Nunn's 62-yarder set up NU's only offensive touchdown of the night, a Cory Ross one-yard plunge late in the second quarter. Nunn finished the night with 135 punt return yards, nearly doubling the season total from NU's top returner in 2004. Wide receiver Frantz Hardy put on a show in his NU debut with seven receptions for 152 yards, the fourth-highest yardage total in Husker history. Quarterback Zac Taylor led NU to a win in his first career start, completing 15-of-36 passes for 192 yards. True freshman place-kicker Jordan Congdon carried the scoring load for the Huskers by connecting on all four of his field goal attempts to tie NU's freshman record in that category.

### Scoring Summary

Maine	0	0	0	7	--	7
Nebraska	0	9	6	10	--	25

### First Quarter

No Scoring

### Second Quarter

NU-Jordan Congdon 23 FG, 5:21

NU-Cory Ross 1 run (Congdon kick failed), 2:46

### Third Quarter

NU-Congdon 38 FG, 12:07

NU-Congdon 33 FG, 5:55

### Fourth Quarter

MAINE-Kevin McMahan 52 pass from Ron Whitcomb (Bobby Donnelly kick), 11:57

NU-Bo Ruud 27 INT return (Congdon kick), 9:58

NU-Congdon 23 FG, 4:40

Team Statistics	MAINE	NU
First downs	10	17
Rushing att.-yards	37-(-6)	42-121
Passes	36-16-1	36-15-2
Passing yards	151	192



Frantz Hardy hauled in seven receptions for 152 yards in his Nebraska debut to help the Huskers to a 25-7 win over Maine.

Team Statistics	MAINE	NU
Total att.-yards	73-145	78-313
KO Returns-yards	5-92	1-43
Punt Returns-yards	0-0	10-198
INT Returns-yards	0-0	1-27-1
Fumble Returns-yards	1-3	0-0
Sacks by	2-5	11-69
Tackles for Loss-yards	6-14	18-82
Punts-average	13-39.8	4-46.8
Net Punting	24.6	41.8
Fumbles-lost	3-1	5-3
Penalties-yards	7-55	0-0
Time of possession	31:50	28:50

### Individual Leaders

#### Rushing:

MAINE: Montell Owens 8-30-0; Jerron Pearson 6-18-0; Chris Legree 6-17-0; Arel Gordon 1-(-1)-0; Ron Whitcomb 16-(-70)-0

NU: Cory Ross 20-80-1; Marlon Lucky 13-44-0; Brandon Jackson 6-18-0; Zac Taylor 2-(-5)-0; TEAM 1-(-16)-0

#### Passing:

MAINE: Ron Whitcomb 32-15-1, 149, 1 TD; Chris Legree 4-1-0, 2, 0 TD

NU: Zac Taylor 32-15-2, 192, 0 TD

#### Receiving:

MAINE: Kevin McMahan 7-93-1; Arel Gordon 3-9-0; Ryan Waller 2-27-0; Montell Owens 2-9-0; Josh Radulski 1-8-0; Ron Waller 1-5-0

NU: Frantz Hardy 7-152-0; Clayton Sievers 2-12-0; J.B. Phillips 2-7-0; Grant Mulkey 1-12-0; Terrence Nunn 1-8-0; Dane Todd 1-1-0; Cory Ross 1-0-0

Missed field goals: None

#### Interceptions:

MAINE: Reginald Paramo 1-0-0; Daren Stone 1-0-0

NU: Bo Ruud 1-27-1

#### Tackles (UT-AT-TT):

MAINE: Jermaine Walker 7-7-14

NU: Corey McKeon 8-2-10

#### Sacks:

MAINE: Sean Wasson 1-3; Matt King 1-2

NU: Stewart Bradley 2-16; Adam Carriker 2-13; Le Kevin Smith 2-12

## Game 2

Nebraska 31  
Wake Forest 3

Lincoln, Neb.  
Sept. 10, 2005

Lincoln, Neb. — The Blackshirts continued their early season domination by scoring three defensive touchdowns and forcing four turnovers to fuel a 31-3 win over Wake Forest. Playing in front of the NCAA-record 270th consecutive sellout at Memorial Stadium and a TBS national television audience, the Huskers set a school record by scoring three defensive touchdowns, including a pair of scores in the first quarter. Sophomore linebacker Corey McKeon started the defensive onslaught with a 38-yard interception return for a touchdown to give Nebraska a 7-0 lead with 6:24 left in the first quarter. Minutes later, senior strong safety Daniel Bullocks forced a fumble by Micah Andrews and raced 30 yards untouched into the end zone to give the Huskers a quick 14-0 lead. After the Demon Deacons finally scratched the scoreboard on a 51-yard Sam Swank field goal as time expired in the first half, the Husker offense got rolling. Quarterback Zac Taylor marched the Huskers 80 yards in seven plays capped by a four-yard scoring pass to Frantz Hardy to push NU's lead to 21-3. Senior I-back Cory Ross added the biggest highlight of the drive with his 57-yard burst down the Wake Forest sideline to crack the 2,000-yard career rushing mark. Ross finished with 20 carries for 123 yards on the night, his 10th career 100-yard rushing effort. Taylor drove the Huskers again late in the third quarter to set up a 21-yard Jordan Congdon field goal to move NU's lead to 24-3 heading into the fourth quarter. The Blackshirts finished the game just as they began, as linebacker Stewart Bradley picked off Wake Forest quarterback Benjamin Mauk and galloped 43 yards to paydirt to put the exclamation point on the Huskers' second win of the season.

### Scoring Summary

Wake Forest	0	3	0	0	--	3
Nebraska	14	0	10	7	--	31

### First Quarter

NU-Corey McKeon 38 INT return (Jordan Congdon kick), 6:24

NU-Daniel Bullocks 30 fumble return (Congdon kick), 2:45

### Second Quarter

WF-Sam Swank 51 FG, 0:00

### Third Quarter

NU-Frantz Hardy 4 pass from Zac Taylor (Congdon kick), 12:52

NU-Congdon 21 FG, 1:41

### Fourth Quarter

NU-Stewart Bradley 43 INT return (Congdon kick), 10:23

Team Statistics	WF	NU
First downs	19	13
Rushing att.-yards	52-130	30-120



Corey McKeon sprinted 38 yards for a score on a first-quarter interception return, the first of three defensive touchdowns by the Huskers, in a 31-3 win over Wake Forest.

Team Statistics	WF	NU
Passes	28-12-3	33-14-1
Passing yards	117	114
Total att.-yards	80-247	63-234
KO Returns-yards	6-68	0-0
Punt Returns-yards	3-23	5-(-1)
INT Returns-yards	1-41	3-109-2
Fumble Returns-yards	0-0	1-30-1
Sacks by	1-6	5-46
Tackles for Loss-yards	6-12	15-65
Punts-average	8-46.9	8-42.5
Net Punting	42.0	39.6
Fumbles-lost	3-1	2-0
Penalties-yards	5-48	10-86
Time of possession	35:20	24:40

### Individual Leaders

#### Rushing:

WF: Micah Andrews 19-64-0; Chris Barclay 11-60-0; Richard Belton 3-13-0; De'Angelo Bryant 7-4-0; Chris Davis 1-(-3)-0; Benjamin Mauk 11-(-8)-0

NU: Cory Ross 20-123-0; Marlon Lucky 2-3-0; Brandon Jackson 4-3-0; Zac Taylor 2-(-5)-0; TEAM 2-(-4)-0

#### Passing:

WF: Benjamin Mauk 27-12-3, 117, 0 TD; Nate Morton 1-0-0, 0, 0 TD

NU: Zac Taylor 33-14-1, 114, 1 TD

#### Receiving:

WF: Nate Morton 5-70-0; Chris Davis 4-30-0; Richard Belton 2-13-0; Willie Idlette 1-4-0

NU: Terrence Nunn 4-38-0; Frantz Hardy 4-29-1; Grant Mulkey 2-28-0; Cory Ross 2-7-0; Clayton Sievers 1-7-0; Brandon Jackson 1-5-0

#### Missed field goals:

WF: Sam Swank (35-miss), 2nd, 8:42

#### Interceptions:

WF: Josh Gattis 1-41-0

NU: Stewart Bradley 1-43-1; Corey McKeon 1-38-1; Blake Tiedtke 1-28-0

#### Tackles (UT-AT-TT):

WF: Patrick Ghee 4-4-8

NU: Daniel Bullocks 7-6-13

#### Sacks:

WF: Matt Robinson 1-6

NU: Corey McKeon 2-11; Adam Carriker 1-14; Wali Muhammad 1-14; Titus Adams 1-7

# 2005 Game-by-Game

## Game 3

Nebraska 7  
Pittsburgh 6  
Lincoln, Neb.  
Sept. 17, 2005

Lincoln, Neb. — In a wild ending to a game filled with missed chances, linebacker Adam Ickes blocked Josh Cummings' 46-yard field goal attempt as time expired to preserve Nebraska's 7-6 victory over visiting Pittsburgh at Memorial Stadium. Ickes' blocked field goal was the second field goal block of the day for NU, joining Zach Potter's first-quarter block on Pitt's opening drive. Pitt missed a third field goal earlier in the fourth quarter, and Nebraska had a pair of missed field goals of its own. A stellar defensive effort from the Blackshirts and spectacular play from the Husker punt teams allowed NU to improve to 3-0 on the season. Playing in front of 77,336 fans and an ABC regional television audience, Nebraska kept the Panthers out of the end zone, while NU defensive ends Adam Carriker and Wali Muhammad each sacked Tyler Palko twice in the first half. Sam Koch smashed the longest punt of his career for the third straight week with a Big 12 record 84-yard punt that flipped the field on the Panthers. He hit three punts of 50 or more yards, including the second-longest punt in school history, and pinned Pitt inside their own 20 on five of his eight punts. Terrence Nunn provided a big day with two punt returns for 75 yards, including a 62-yarder in the second quarter. He also had a hand on Nebraska's longest play from scrimmage, a 36-yard reception from Zac Taylor to set up the game's only touchdown, a one-yard Taylor plunge with 7:51 left in the first half. Cory Ross carried the load for the NU offense with 153 yards rushing and 23 yards receiving. Pitt cut into Nebraska's 7-0 halftime lead early in the second half after recovering an on-side kick. Cummings hit a 38-yard field goal with 12:39 left in the third quarter, before adding his second field goal with 1:44 left in the third quarter.

Pittsburgh 0 0 6 0 --6  
Nebraska 0 7 0 0 --7

### First Quarter

No Scoring

### Second Quarter

NU-Zac Taylor 1 run, (Jordan Congdon kick), 7:51

### Third Quarter

PITT-Josh Cummings 38 FG, 12:39

PITT-Cummings 27 FG, 1:44

### Fourth Quarter

No Scoring

### Team Statistics

	PITT	NU
First downs	14	14
Rushing att.-yards	36-114	48-174
Passes	28-11-0	20-10-0
Passing yards	190	93
Total att.-yards	64-304	68-267
KO Returns-yards	0-0	2-42



Sam Koch boomed a career-long 84-yard punt and pinned Pitt inside its own 20 on five of his eight punts to help the Huskers.

### Team Statistics

	PITT	NU
Punt Returns-yards	3-7	5-104
INT Returns-yards	0-0	0-0
Fumble Returns-yards	0-0	0-0
Sacks by	4-27	4-34
Tackles for Loss-yards	9-35	9-49
Punts-average	7-49.1	8-46.0
Net Punting	34.3	42.6
Fumbles-lost	3-0	1-0
Penalties-yards	4-35	11-91
Time of possession	27:17	32:43

### Individual Leaders

#### Rushing:

PITT: LaRod Stephens-Howling 17-98-0; Raymond Kirkley 9-40-0; Kellen Campbell 1-3-0; Tim Murphy 1-0-0; TEAM 1-(-1)-0; Tyler Palko 7-(-26)-0

NU: Cory Ross 32-153-0; Cody Glenn 4-20-0; Tereere Green 1-8-0; Brandon Jackson 2-4-0; Mike Stuntz 1-4-0; Marlon Lucky 1-(-4)-0; Zac Taylor 7-(-11)-1

#### Passing:

PITT: Tyler Palko 26-11-0, 190, 0 TD; TEAM 2-0-0, 0, 0 TD

NU: Zac Taylor 20-10-0, 93, 0 TD

#### Receiving:

PITT: Greg Lee 3-101-0; Derek Kinder 2-12-0; LaRod Stephens-Howling 2-9-0; Joe DelSardo 1-26-0; Erik Gill 1-26-0; Darrell Strong 1-19-0; Raymond Kirkley 1-(-3)-0

NU: Cory Ross 3-23-0; Frantz Hardy 2-15-0; J.B. Phillips 2-8-0; Terrence Nunn 1-36-0; Mark LeFlore 1-8-0; Clayton Sievers 1-3-0

#### Missed field goals:

PITT: Cummings (42-block), 1st, 10:57

Cummings (49-miss), 4th, 11:19

Cummings (46-block), 4th, 0:00

NU: Congdon (26-miss), 2nd, 12:28

Congdon (38-miss), 4th, 1:28

#### Interceptions: None

#### Tackles (UT-AT-TT):

PITT: H.B. Blades 4-10-14

NU: Blake Tiedtke 4-4-8

#### Sacks:

PITT: Phil Tillman 1-9; H.B. Blades 1-6

NU: Adam Carriker 2-21; Wali Muhammad 2-13

## Game 4

Nebraska 27  
#23 Iowa State 20<sup>20T</sup>  
Lincoln, Neb.  
Oct. 1, 2005

Lincoln, Neb. — In one of the longest and most thrilling games in Memorial Stadium history, Cory Ross scored his third touchdown of the game on an eight-yard screen pass from Zac Taylor in the second overtime to push Nebraska past No. 23 Iowa State, 27-20. Taylor's completion to Ross capped a record-setting day for the Huskers and improved NU's record to 4-0 on the season and 1-0 in the Big 12. Taylor finished with school records of 431 passing yards and 36 completions, while tying the school record with 55 pass attempts. Taylor's 433 total offense yards also smashed a school record. Ross added a school receiving record for running backs with 131 yards on eight receptions with two touchdowns. After the two teams exchanged made field goals and missed field goals in the first half, Ross scored his first touchdown on NU's opening drive of the second half. Ross turned a center screen into a 70-yard touchdown catch by darting and weaving his way to the end zone to give NU a 10-3 lead. ISU answered with a touchdown pass of their own before adding a 32-yard Bret Culbertson field goal to head to the fourth quarter with a 13-10 lead. But Jordan Congdon tied the score with a 23-yard field goal with 7:20 left to send it to overtime. In the first overtime game in Memorial Stadium history, ISU's Greg Coleman opened with a 10-yard touchdown run. Nebraska answered with Ross' one-yard scoring run to send the game to a second overtime - the first in NU history. Ross scored on the eight-yard pass and the Blackshirts held to seal the win.

#23 Iowa State 0 3 10 7 7 0 --20  
Nebraska 3 7 7 14 7 0 --27

### First Quarter

NU-Jordan Congdon 30 FG, 8:23

### Second Quarter

ISU-Bret Culbertson 31 FG, 11:43

### Third Quarter

NU-Cory Ross 70 pass from Zac Taylor (Congdon kick), 10:00

ISU-Walter Nickel 2 pass from Bret Meyer (Culbertson kick), 5:39

ISU-Culbertson kick 32 FG, 2:01

### Fourth Quarter

NU-Congdon 23 FG, 7:20

### Overtime

ISU-Greg Coleman 10 run (Culbertson kick)

NU-Ross 1 run (Congdon kick)

NU-Ross 8 pass from Taylor (Congdon kick)

### Team Statistics

	ISU	NU
First downs	21	26
Rushing att.-yards	38-57	25-36
Passes	41-23-1	55-36-0
Passing yards	317	431
Total att.-yards	79-374	80-467



Zac Taylor and Cory Ross celebrate one of Ross' three touchdowns in Nebraska's 27-20 double overtime win over Iowa State.

### Team Statistics

	ISU	NU
KO Returns-yards	2-32	2-58
Punt Returns-yards	1-11	5-70
INT Returns-yards	0-0	1-6
Fumble Returns-yards	0-0	0-0
Sacks by	2-20	6-43
Tackles for Loss-yards	7-43	11-52
Punts-average	6-44.3	4-40.5
Net Punting	32.7	32.8
Fumbles-lost	1-0	1-1
Penalties-yards	4-34	8-80
Time of possession	31:38	28:22

### Individual Leaders

#### Rushing:

ISU: Greg Coleman 20-65-1; Jon Davis 1-11-0; Stevie Hicks 1-4-0; Ryan Kock 2-0-0; Bret Meyer 14-(-23)-0

NU: Cory Ross 15-32-1; Terrence Nunn 1-4-0; Zac Taylor 7-2-0; TEAM 2-(-2)-0

#### Passing:

ISU: Bret Meyer 41-23-1, 317, 1 TD

NU: Zac Taylor 55-36-0, 431, 2 TD

#### Receiving:

ISU: Austin Flynn 8-100-0; Jon Davis 5-36-0; R.J. Summrell 4-99-0; Todd Blythe 3-51-0; Walter Nickel 2-9-1; Ben Barkema 1-22-0

NU: Cory Ross 8-131-2; Terrence Nunn 8-59-0; Nate Swift 5-81-0; Grant Mulkey 5-60-0; Isaiah Fluellen 3-40-0; Mark LeFlore 2-23-0; Frantz Hardy 2-20-0; Clayton Sievers 1-6-0; Dane Todd 1-6-0; J.B. Phillips 1-5-0

#### Missed field goals:

ISU: Culbertson (26-miss), 2nd, 0:02

NU: Congdon (21-miss), 2nd, 8:27

#### Interceptions:

ISU: None

NU: Jay Moore 1-6-0

#### Tackles (UT-AT-TT):

ISU: Tim Dobbins 7-8-15

NU: Corey McKeon 9-1-10

#### Sacks:

ISU: Brent Curvey 1-12; Jason Berryman 1-12

NU: Corey McKeon 2-18; Stewart Bradley 1-9; Jay Moore 1-6; Ola Dagundaro 1-6; Barry Turner 1-4

# 2005 Game-by-Game

## Game 5

#15 Texas Tech 34  
Nebraska 31

Lincoln, Neb.  
Oct. 8, 2005

Lincoln, Neb. — Nebraska battled back from a 21-point first half deficit to take a 31-27 lead late in the fourth quarter, but No. 15 Texas Tech rallied for a 34-31 win to end the Huskers' hopes for the biggest comeback in school history. Playing in front of the NCAA-record 273rd consecutive sellout at Memorial Stadium and a TBS national television audience, the Huskers fell behind 21-0 early in the second quarter before storming back. Freshman I-back Cody Glenn scored a pair of touchdowns to cut Texas Tech's lead to 21-14 at the half. The Red Raiders, who added a pair of field goals after NU turnovers, pushed the lead back to 27-14 midway through the third quarter. But Zac Taylor connected with wide receiver Terrence Nunn on a pair of touchdown passes, including the go-ahead score with 10:10 left in the game. Leading 28-27, the Huskers had a chance to solidify their grip on the game after driving to the Texas Tech 6. But NU settled for a 27-yard Jordan Congdon field goal for a 31-27 edge with 5:10 left. Texas Tech quarterback Cody Hodges quickly marched the Red Raiders into scoring position, before NU linebacker Corey McKeon tipped a pass that was intercepted by defensive tackle Le Kevin Smith. After a 14-yard return, Smith was hit by Red Raider offensive lineman Bryan Kegans to force a fumble recovered by Danny Amendola to give Texas Tech the ball back at NU's 18. The Blackshirts forced the Red Raiders into a fourth-down-and-two at the NU 10, before Hodges found Joel Filani for his third touchdown catch of the day with 12 seconds left. The loss ended Nebraska's 36-game Homecoming winning streak.

### Scoring Summary

#15 Texas Tech	7	14	6	7	--	34
Nebraska	0	14	7	10	--	31

### First Quarter

TT-Lauren Henderson 23 pass from Cody Hodges (Alex Trlica kick), 11:47

### Second Quarter

TT-Joel Filani 14 pass from Hodges, 14:36

TT-Filani 19 pass from Hodges (Trlica kick), 9:25

NU-Cody Glenn 5 run (Jordan Congdon kick), 5:21

NU-Cody Glenn 1 run (Congdon kick), 0:52

### Third Quarter

TT-Trlica 37 FG, 11:48

TT-Trlica 26 FG, 7:31

NU-Terrence Nunn 15 pass from Zac Taylor (Congdon kick), 1:51

### Fourth Quarter

NU-Nunn 4 pass from Taylor (Congdon kick), 10:10

NU-Congdon 27 FG, 5:10

NU-Filani 10 pass from Hodges (Trlica kick), 0:12



**I-back Cody Glenn scored the first two touchdowns of his Nebraska career to help the Huskers come back from 21 points down against Texas Tech.**

Team Statistics	TT	NU
First downs	23	22
Rushing att.-yards	23-44	35-135
Passes	45-34-1	35-21-2
Passing yards	368	229
Total att.-yards	68-412	70-364
KO Returns-yards	5-86	4-59
Punt Returns-yards	0-0	2-43
INT Returns-yards	2-20	1-14
Fumble Returns-yards	0-0	1-46
Sacks by	2-11	4-38
Tackles for Loss-yards	4-17	7-51
Punts-average	3-48.7	1-32.0
Net Punting	27.7	32.0
Fumbles-lost	2-1	5-3
Penalties-yards	9-89	8-72
Time of possession	30:59	29:01

### Individual Leaders

#### Rushing:

TT-Taurean Henderson 11-50-0; Cody Hodges 12-(-)6-0

NU:Cory Ross 15-68-0; Cody Glenn 12-39-2; Marlon Lucky 3-23-0; Brandon Jackson 1-4-0; Zac Taylor 4-1-0

#### Passing:

TT:Cody Hodges 45-34-1, 368, 4 TD

NU: Zac Taylor 35-21-2, 229, 2 TD

#### Receiving:

TT:Joel Filani 11-163-3; Taurean Henderson 6-51-1; Robert Johnson 6-40-0; Bristol Olomua 5-39-0; Jarrett Hicks 4-59-0; Brandon Douglas 1-10-0 Danny Amendola 1-6-0

NU:Mark LeFlore 5-53-0; Cory Ross 4-51-0; Terrence Nunn 3-39-2; Nate Swift 3-24-0; Frantz Hardy 2-21-0; Grant Mulkey 2-19-0; Isaiah Fluellen 1-12-0; J.B. Phillips 1-10-0

#### Missed field goals:

TT: Alex Trlica (49-block), 1st, 6:23

#### Interceptions:

TT: Khalid Naziruddin 1-0-0; Sylvester Brinkley 1-20-0

NU: Le Kevin Smith 1-14-0

#### Tackles (UT-AT-TT):

TT: Dwayne Slay 5-7-12

NU: Daniel Bullocks 7-5-12

#### Sacks:

TT: John Saldi 1-9; Keyunta Dawson 1-2

NU: Adam Carriker 1-13, Jay Moore 1-12, Bo Ruud 1-9, Blake Tiedtke 1-4

## Game 6

Nebraska 23  
Baylor 14

Waco, Texas  
Oct. 15, 2005

Waco, Texas — Nebraska used a balanced offense and strong play by the defense and special teams to improve to 5-1 with a 23-14 win at Baylor. Playing in front of 40,857 fans, including an estimated 8,000 red-clad Husker fans at Floyd Casey Stadium, the Huskers knocked Baylor, which entered the game 4-1. Quarterback Zac Taylor led NU to scores on four of its first five drives to produce 20 unanswered points after the Bears took an early 7-0 lead. Taylor finished the night 18-of-32 with two touchdowns and no interceptions through the air, while adding a career-best 30 rushing yards on five carries. Taylor connected with Terrence Nunn and Todd Peterson on touchdown passes to power the Husker victory. Nunn's four-yard grab was his third touchdown catch in the last two games, while Peterson's 21-yard scoring strike on NU's opening drive of the second half marked his first career catch. Jordan Congdon provided the victory margin by hitting all three of his field goal attempts on the night, including a career-long 41-yarder to open the scoring for NU. He added a 29-yard field goal with 22 seconds left in the first half and closed the scoring with a 22-yard boot with 9:21 left in the game. NU produced 350 yards of total offense, including a season-high 182 rushing yards. Cory Ross led NU's ground game with 26 carries for 93 yards. Courtney Grixby provided a pair of highlights with a career-long 48-yard punt return to set up NU's first touchdown, before adding a 33-yard fumble return in the fourth quarter. Zackary Bowman added his first career interception, while Daniel Bullocks ended any Baylor comeback hopes with his fourth-quarter interception.

### Scoring Summary

Nebraska	3	10	7	3	--	23
Baylor	7	0	7	0	--	14

### First Quarter

BU-Shawn Bell 5 run (Ryan Havens kick), 7:39

NU-Jordan Congdon 41 FG, 0:34

### Second Quarter

NU-Terrence Nunn 4 pass from Zac Taylor (Congdon kick), 5:09

NU-Congdon 29 FG, 0:22

### Third Quarter

NU-Todd Peterson 4 pass from Taylor (Congdon kick), 11:41

BU-Dominique Zeigler 0 fumble recovery (Havens kick), 6:19

### Fourth Quarter

NU-Congdon 22 FG, 9:21

Team Statistics	NU	BU
First downs	25	16
Rushing att.-yards	51-182	23-51
Passes	32-18-0	31-17-2
Passing yards	168	202



**Strong safety Daniel Bullocks pulled down the eighth interception of his career to seal Nebraska's 23-14 victory at Baylor.**

Team Statistics	NU	BU
Total att.-yards	83-350	54-253
KO Returns-yards	3-43	3-64
Punt Returns-yards	4-60	2-24
INT Returns-yards	2-12	0-0-0
Fumble Returns-yards	1-33	1-2
Sacks by	4-32	0-0
Tackles for Loss-yards	9-46	4-7
Punts-average	4-45.2	5-44.6
Net Punting	34.2	28.6
Fumbles-lost	2-1	2-1
Penalties-yards	5-25	11-82
Time of possession	37:12	22:48

### Individual Leaders

#### Rushing:

NU: Cory Ross 26-93-0; Cody Glenn 12-41-0; Zac Taylor 5-30-0; Marlon Lucky 7-23-0; TEAM 1-0-0

BU: Brandon Whitaker 8-54-0; Paul Mosley 9-23-0; Terrance Parks 1-1-0; Shawn Bell 5-(-)7-1

#### Passing:

NU: Zac Taylor 32-18-0, 168, 2 TD

BU: Shawn Bell 24-15-0, 180, 1 TD; Terrance Parks 6-2-2, 22, 0 TD; TEAM 1-0-0, 0 TD

#### Receiving:

NU: Terrence Nunn 5-49-1; Grant Mulkey 4-28-0; Cory Ross 3-(-)4-0; Nate Swift 2-42-0; Frantz Hardy 2-27-0; Todd Peterson 1-21-1; Marlon Lucky 1-5-0

BU: Dominique Zeigler 6-68-1; Trent Shelton 3-65-0; Shaun Rochon 3-39-0; Brandon Whitaker 2-(-)6-0; Jason Smith 1-15-0; Keegan Vann 1-12-0; J Fields 1-9-0

#### Missed field goals: None

#### Interceptions:

NU: Daniel Bullocks 1-12-0; Zackary Bowman 1-0-0

BU: None

#### Tackles (UT-AT-TT):

NU: Blake Tiedtke 5-3-8

BU: Jamaal Harper 8-6-14

#### Sacks:

NU: Le Kevin Smith 2-17; Barry Turner 2-15

BU: None

# 2005 Game-by-Game

## Game 7

Missouri 41  
Nebraska 24

Columbia, Mo.  
Oct. 22, 2005

Columbia, Mo. — Nebraska battled back from a 21-3 first-quarter deficit to tie the score at 24 at the half, but Missouri quarterback Brad Smith's 480 yards of total offense, including 246 rushing yards powered the Tigers' 41-24 win. Trailing 21-3, Zac Taylor hit Todd Peterson on a 34-yard touchdown pass to cut MU's lead to 21-10 at the end of the first quarter. After Adam Crossett hit a 29-yard field to push MU's lead to 24-10 early in the second, NU's Daniel Bullocks blocked and recovered a Crossett punt at the MU 1. Cody Glenn scored on the next play to make it 24-17 Tigers. Moments later, Barry Turner forced a Smith fumble that Jay Moore returned 17 yards to the MU 8. Taylor hit Nate Swift, who finished with a career-best 135 receiving yards, on an eight-yard touchdown pass two plays later to tie the score at 24. The Huskers appeared on the verge of taking their first lead midway through the third quarter when Taylor hit Terrence Nunn on fourth-and-two at the MU 33. Nunn raced through the middle of the MU defense, but Jason Simpson stripped the ball and David Overstreet recovered at the MU 3. The momentum swung to the Tigers, who marched 97 yards for a touchdown, capped by Smith's 45-yard touchdown run. MU added two more scores to seal just their second win in 27 tries against NU. Smith's 480 total offense yards ranked as the second-highest total by an opponent in NU history, while his 246 rushing yards were also the second-most by an opponent. The Huskers finished with minus-two yards rushing - the second-lowest total in history - on a school-record low 19 attempts.

Nebraska	10	14	0	0	--	24
Missouri	21	3	7	10	--	41

### First Quarter

MU-Tommy Saunders 15 pass from Brad Smith (Adam Crossett kick), 12:51

MU-Smith 4 run (Crossett kick), 8:48

NU-Jordan Congdon 32 FG, 4:29

MU-Smith 79 run (Crossett kick), 4:13

NU-Todd Peterson 34 pass from Zac Taylor (Congdon kick), 2:44

### Second Quarter

MU-Crossett 29 FG, 14:47

NU-Cody Glenn 1 run (Congdon kick), 4:49

NU-Nate Swift 8 pass from Taylor (Congdon kick), 2:07

### Third Quarter

MU-Smith 45 run (Crossett kick), 2:38

### Fourth Quarter

MU-Crossett 31 FG, 13:43

MU-Tony Temple 14 run (Crossett kick), 5:37

### Team Statistics

	NU	MU
First downs	13	25
Rushing att.-yards	19-(-2)	49-277
Passes	43-22-2	38-22-1
Passing yards	281	246



Wide receiver Nate Swift set career-highs with nine catches for 135 yards and one touchdown against Missouri.

Team Statistics	NU	MU
Total att.-yards	62-279	87-523
KO Returns-yards	7-117	5-85
Punt Returns-yards	4-37	2-8
INT Returns-yards	1-0	2-3
Fumble Returns-yards	1-17	0-0
Sacks by	4-41	4-43
Tackles for Loss-yards	11-55	7-49
Punts-average	8-48.1	5-38.8
Net Punting	47.0	31.4
Fumbles-lost	2-1	2-1
Penalties-yards	12-99	5-43
Time of possession	25:46	34:14

### Individual Leaders

#### Rushing:

NU:Cory Ross 10-39-0; Cody Glenn 3-5-1; Zac Taylor 6-(-46)-0

MU: Brad Smith 28-246-3; Tony Temple 8-32-1; Marcus Woods 5-15-0; Brad Ekwerekwu 1-3-0; TEAM 2-(-1)-0; Chase Daniel 5-(-18)-0

#### Passing:

NU: Zac Taylor 43-22-2, 281, 2 TD

MU: Brad Smith 36-21-1, 234, 1 TD; Chase Daniel 2-1-0, 12, 0 TD

#### Receiving:

NU: Nate Swift 9-135-1; Todd Peterson 3-65-1; Cory Ross 3-6-0; Dane Todd 2-23-0; Terrence Nunn 1-30-0; Frantz Hardy 1-10-0; Grant Mulkey 1-9-0; J.B. Phillips 1-5-0; Marlon Lucky 1-(-2)-0

MU: Will Franklin 9-94-0; Sean Coffey 4-59-0; Brad Ekwerekwu 2-54-0; Tommy Saunders 2-23-1; Tony Temple 2-(-5)-0; Arnold Britt 1-13-0; Martin Rucker 1-6-0; Marcus Woods 1-2-0

#### Missed field goals:

MU: Crossett (43-miss), 3rd, 9:17

#### Interceptions:

NU: Courtney Grixby 1-0

MU: David Overstreet 1-3; Brian Smith 1-0

#### Tackles (UT-AT-TT):

NU: Bo Ruud 7-5-12

MU: David Overstreet 3-7-10

#### Sacks:

NU: Corey McKeon 1-18; Blake Tiedtke 1-9; Barry Turner 1-9; Adam Carriker 1-5

MU: Xzavie Jackson 1.5-17; Marcus Bacon 1.5-16; Brian Smith 1-10

## Game 8

Oklahoma 31  
Nebraska 24

Lincoln, Neb.  
Oct. 29, 2005

Lincoln, Neb. — In a classic installment to a historic series, Nebraska trailed Oklahoma by 21 points in the third quarter before rallying in a 31-24 setback. Playing in front of 77,438 fans in the 274th consecutive sellout at Memorial Stadium and an ABC television audience, OU's Adrian Peterson rushed for more than 100 yards and two touchdowns in the first half. Nebraska shut down Peterson in the second half, but a pair of interceptions that led to 10 Sooners points proved to be the difference in the game. With the Huskers trailing 14-3 late in the first half, Chijioke Onyenegecha returned his first career interception 63 yards for a score to give the Sooners a 21-3 halftime lead. Dusty Dvoracek added an interception on NU's first drive of the second half, and a Garret Hartley field goal made it 24-3. NU stormed back, as Zac Taylor hit Terrence Nunn on a three-yard touchdown pass to cap a 16-play, 80-yard drive with 5:17 left in the third. OU then mishandled a snap on a 52-yard field goal attempt, and the Huskers capitalized on a 25-yard scoring strike from Taylor to Nate Swift to make it 24-17 with 14:53 left. The Sooners got a 17-yard Kejuan Jones touchdown run, but the Huskers responded quickly on a four-play, 70-yard drive capped by an 18-yard touchdown pass from I-back Cory Ross to Swift to make it 31-24. The catch was Swift's ninth of the day for 116 yards and two scores, giving him NU's first back-to-back 100-yard receiving days since Irving Fryar. The Blackshirts held OU to give the offense a chance with 2:37 left in the game, but Sooners held on for the win.

Oklahoma	7	14	3	7	--	31
Nebraska	0	3	7	14	--	24

### First Quarter

OU-Adrian Peterson 36 run (Garret Hartley kick), 12:14

### Second Quarter

OU-Peterson 2 run (Hartley kick), 11:27

NU-Jordan Congdon 40 FG, 9:21

OU-Chijioke Onyenegecha 63 INT return (Hartley kick), 1:00

### Third Quarter

OU-Hartley 50 FG, 11:24

NU-Terrence Nunn 3 pass from Zac Taylor (Congdon kick), 5:17

### Fourth Quarter

NU-Nate Swift 25 pass from Taylor (Congdon kick), 14:53

OU-Kejuan Jones 17 run (Hartley kick), 10:58

NU-Swift 18 pass from Cory Ross (Congdon kick), 5:56

### Team Statistics

	OU	NU
First downs	19	20
Rushing att.-yards	45-180	34-16
Passes	28-14-0	46-26-2



Defensive end Jay Moore recorded three tackles for loss among his five total tackles against Oklahoma.

Team Statistics	OU	NU
Passing yards	157	267
Total att.-yards	73-337	80-267
KO Returns-yards	1-13	3-67
Punt Returns-yards	4-43	1-21
INT Returns-yards	2-69-1	0-0
Fumble Returns-yards	0-0	0-0
Sacks by	9-57	1-6
Tackles for Loss-yards	12-62	10-47
Punts-average	5-40.0	7-46.6
Net Punting	31.8	37.6
Fumbles-lost	4-0	1-0
Penalties-yards	4-26	5-34
Time of possession	29:37	30:23

### Individual Leaders

#### Rushing:

OU: Adrian Peterson 24-146-2; Kejuan Jones 8-28-1; Rhett Bomar 7-11-0; Jaquain Iglesias 1-9-0; Garret Hartley 1-6-0; Jacob Gutierrez 1-0-0; TEAM 3-(-20)-0

NU: Cory Ross 10-21-0; Cody Glenn 4-8-0; Marlon Lucky 4-2-0; Zac Taylor 16-(-15)-0

#### Passing:

OU: Rhett Bomar 28-14-0, 157, 0 TD

NU: Zac Taylor 45-25-2, 249, 2 TD; Cory Ross 1-1-0, 18, 1 TD

#### Receiving:

OU: Malcolm Kelly 8-86-0; Travis Wilson 3-42-0; J.D. Runnels 2-7-0; Kejuan Jones 1-22-0

NU: Nate Swift 9-116-2; Grant Mulkey 5-43-0; Cory Ross 4-39-0; Terrence Nunn 4-27-1; Mark LeFlore 2-14-0; Dane Todd 1-17-0; Clayton Sievers 1-11-0

#### Missed field goals:

OU: Garret Hartley (44-miss), 1st, 1:19  
Hartley (35-blocked), 2nd, 7:18

#### Interceptions:

OU: Chijioke Onyenegecha 1-63-1; Dusty Dvoracek 1-6-0

#### Tackles (UT-AT-TT):

OU: Rufus Alexander 11-2-13

NU: Courtney Grixby 9-0-9

#### Sacks:

OU: Rufus Alexander 3-25; Calvin Thibodeaux 2-9; Clint Ingram 1-7; Alan Davis 1-7; Dusty Dvoracek 1-7; Zach Latimer 1-2

NU: Adam Carriker 1-6

# 2005 Game-by-Game

## Game 9

**Kansas 40**  
**Nebraska 15**  
**Lawrence, Kan.**  
**Nov. 5, 2005**

**Lawrence, Kan.** — Nebraska battled back from a 17-2 second-quarter deficit, and had a chance to tie the score at 17 midway through the third quarter. But NU's two-point conversion attempt failed and Kansas scored the game's final 23 points to post a 40-15 win over the Huskers in front of 51,750 fans at KU's Memorial Stadium. The Jayhawk victory ended NU's 36-game series winning streak dating back to KU's last win in 1968. Although the final score appeared decisive, Nebraska trailed 17-15 with 6:19 left in the third quarter after Cory Ross scored on a one-yard touchdown run. Ross converted a fumble forced by Adam Ickes that was recovered by Adam Carriker at the KU 16. Zac Taylor's two-point conversion attempt was intercepted by KU, and two plays later, running back Jon Cornish sprinted 72 yards into the end zone to push the Jayhawk lead to 24-15. KU then sacked Taylor for a safety, and added a touchdown pass from Jason Swanson to Mark Simmons on the ensuing drive to push its lead to 33-15. The KU defense, which held NU to just 138 total yards, sealed the win with Kevin Kane's 40-yard interception return for a touchdown. Kansas jumped to a 7-0 lead with a 40-yard touchdown pass from Swanson to Simmons, before NU linebacker Corey McKeon put the Huskers on the board with their first safety in two years with his sack of Swanson. KU increased its lead to 14-2 when Ronnie Amadi blocked a punt that was recovered by Darren Rus and returned 20 yards for a score. Scott Webb added a 21-yard field goal for KU before Nebraska started its comeback with a 30-yard touchdown pass from Taylor to Terrence Nunn.

### Scoring Summary

Nebraska	2	7	6	0	--15
Kansas	14	3	7	16	--40

### First Quarter

KU-Mark Simmons 40 pass from Jason Swanson (Scott Webb kick), 10:45

NU-TEAM safety (Corey McKeon), 7:05

KU-Darren Rus 20 blocked punt return (Webb kick), 1:16

### Second Quarter

KU-Webb 21 FG, 4:46

NU-Terrence Nunn 30 pass from Zac Taylor (Jordan Condon kick), 1:47

### Third Quarter

NU-Cory Ross 1 run (Taylor 2PAT INT), 6:19

KU-Jon Cornish 72 (Webb kick), 5:35

### Fourth Quarter

KU-TEAM safety (Eric Butler), 14:45

KU-Simmons 12 pass from Swanson (Webb kick), 8:33

KU-Kevin Kane 40 INT return (Webb kick), 5:23



**Terrence Nunn scored his fifth touchdown of the season and led the Huskers with three receptions at Kansas.**

Team Statistics	NU	KU
First downs	7	17
Rushing att.-yards	23-21	44-213
Passes	27-14-1	27-16-1
Passing yards	117	215
Total att.-yards	49-138	71-428
KO Returns-yards	5-127	2-50
Punt Returns-yards	2-17	6-60-1
INT Returns-yards	1-19	1-40-1
Fumble Returns-yards	0-0	0-0
Sacks by	1-2	3-19
Tackles for Loss-yards	6-14	7-32
Punts-average	10-42.8	4-39.5
Net Punting	36.8	35.2
Fumbles-lost	0-0	2-1
Penalties-yards	6-32	6-45
Time of possession	25:11	34:49

### Individual Leaders

#### Rushing:

NU: Cory Ross 16-30-1; Cody Glenn 2-0-0; Zac Taylor 4-(-9)-0

KU: Jon Cornish 10-101-1; Clark Green 22-100-0; Jason Swanson 10-11-0; Brandon McAnderson 2-1-0

#### Passing:

NU: Zac Taylor 26-14-1, 117, 1 TD; Cory Ross 1-0-0, 0, 0 TD

KU: Jason Swanson 27-16-1, 215, 2 TD

#### Receiving:

NU: Terrence Nunn 3-47-1; Nate Swift 3-26-0; J.B. Phillips 2-14-0; Frantz Hardy 1-13-0; Grant Mulkey 1-8-0; Dane Todd 1-5-0; Todd Peterson 1-5-0; Cory Ross 1-3-0; Zac Taylor 1-(-4)-0

KU: Mark Simmons 6-100-2; Clark Green 4-46-0; Brian Murph 3-46-0; Dominic Roux 2-22-0; Jon Cornish

**Missed field goals:** None

#### Interceptions:

NU: Corey McKeon 1-19-0

KU: Kevin Kane 1-40-1

#### Tackles (UT-AT-TT):

NU: Titus Adams 9-2-11

KU: Charlton Keith 4-4-8

#### Sacks:

NU: Corey McKeon 1-2

KU: Brandon Perkins 1-9; Charlton Keith 1-7; Eric Butler 1-3

## Game 10

**Nebraska 27**  
**Kansas State 25**  
**Lincoln, Neb.**  
**Nov. 12, 2005**

**Lincoln, Neb.** — Jordan Congdon boomed a 40-yard field goal with 1:05 left to give Nebraska a 27-25 win over Kansas State. Playing in front of the NCAA-record 275th consecutive sellout at Memorial Stadium, several NU freshmen teamed up to send 22 seniors out as winners on Senior Day in Lincoln. Congdon kicked a pair of field goals to push his NU freshman single-season record to 15. His game-winning kick was his ninth consecutive made field goal, and it gave the Huskers their sixth victory of the year to become bowl eligible for the 37th time in the past 38 seasons. Freshman wide receiver Nate Swift hauled in seven catches for 109 yards and two touchdowns. His final catch went for 21 yards on NU's winning drive. Swift's catch, the first career completion for freshman quarterback Harrison Beck, also gave Swift his third 100-yard receiving game of the year. Beck, who replaced injured starter Zac Taylor in the fourth quarter, made his first career appearance. Taylor had set NU's single-season passing record in the third quarter on his 34-yard touchdown pass to Swift. Taylor became just the fifth NU quarterback in history to pass for 2,000 yards and broke Dave Humm's 33-year-old passing mark of 2,074 yards in 1972. Swift added a 19-yard touchdown catch from Taylor late in the second quarter to give NU a 17-12 halftime lead. Swift's second touchdown catch gave NU a 24-12 lead early in the third quarter, before KSU battled back with 13 unanswered points. KSU scored on an Allan Evridge run, two safeties and Tim Schwerdt's 27-yard field goal to take a 25-24 lead. KSU struggled in its kicking game with starter Jeff Snodgrass. NU blocked a field and a PAT, while a second KSU PAT attempt also failed.

### Scoring Summary

Kansas State	6	6	10	3	--25
Nebraska	7	10	7	3	--27

### First Quarter

KSU-Allan Evridge 2 run (Jeff Snodgrass kick blocked), 6:24

NU-Cory Ross 1 run (Jordan Congdon kick), 0:15

### Second Quarter

KSU-Victor Mann 1 run (Mann rush failed), 12:04

NU-Congdon 38 FG, 8:12

NU-Nate Swift 19 pass from Zac Taylor (Congdon kick), 2:02

### Third Quarter

NU-Swift 34 pass from Taylor (Congdon kick), 13:26

KSU-Evridge 7 run (Snodgrass fumble), 10:27

KSU-Maurice Porter safety, 10:21

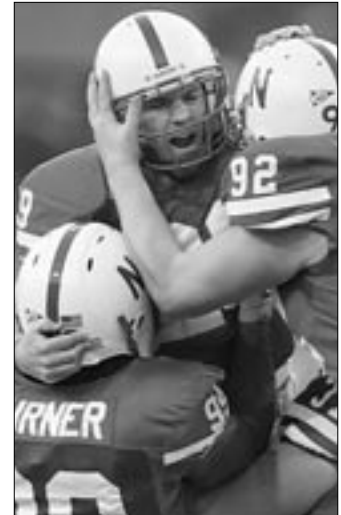
KSU-Reggie Walker safety, 4:03

### Fourth Quarter

KSU-Tim Schwerdt 27 FG, 4:18

NU-Congdon 40 FG, 1:05

Team Statistics	KSU	NU
First downs	17	20
Rushing att.-yards	50-248	35-93



**Jordan Congdon kicked a 40-yard field goal with 1:05 remaining to send Nebraska to its sixth victory of the season in a 27-25 win over Kansas State on Senior Day.**

Team Statistics	KSU	NU
Passes	30-6-1	38-22-1
Passing yards	103	241
Total att.-yards	80-351	73-334
KO Returns-yards	7-70	2-12
Punt Returns-yards	1-(-4)	4-29
INT Returns-yards	1-36	1-0-0
Fumble Returns-yards	0-0	0-0
Sacks by	1-8	2-15
Tackles for Loss-yards	7-20	10-35
Punts-average	8-41.2	6-42.5
Net Punting	37.6	43.2
Fumbles-lost	3-1	7-2
Penalties-yards	14-108	8-47
Time of possession	28:58	31:02

### Individual Leaders

#### Rushing:

KSU: Allan Evridge 30-138-2; Thomas Clayton 13-85-0; Victor Mann 4-32-1; Jordy Nelson 1-(-2)-0; Allen Webb 1-(-5)-0

NU: Cory Ross 26-69-1; Terrence Nunn 1-19-0; Zac Taylor 3-11-0; Marlon Lucky 2-7-0; Brandon Jackson 1-(-2)-0; TEAM 1-(-4)-0; Harrison Beck 1-(-7)-0

#### Passing:

KSU: Allan Evridge 27-5-1, 77, 0 TD; Allen Webb 3-1-0, 26, 0 TD

NU: Zac Taylor 31-21-0, 220, 2 TD; Harrison Beck 6-1-1, 21, 0 TD; Todd Peterson 1-0-0, 0, 0 TD

#### Receiving:

KSU: Davin Dennis 3-43-0; Jordy Nelson 1-43-0; Yamon Figsurs 1-10-0; Rashaad Norwood 1-7-0

NU: Nate Swift 7-109-2; Terrence Nunn 5-44-0; J.B. Phillips 2-28-0; Dane Todd 2-23-0; Grant Mulkey 2-15-0; Cory Ross 2-(-1)-0; Josh Mueller 1-18-0; Todd Peterson 1-5-0

#### Missed field goals:

KSU: Jeff Snodgrass (31-blocked), 3rd, 0:43

#### Interceptions:

KSU: Bryan Baldwin 1-36-0

NU: Corey McKeon 1-0-0

#### Tackles (UT-AT-TT):

KSU: Brandon Archer 5-3-8

NU: Bo Ruud 10-5-15

#### Sacks:

KSU: Tearrius George 1-8

NU: Barry Turner 1-9; Adam Carriker 1-6