

NEBRASKA VS. WASHINGTON | WEEK 9 • HUSKER FILM ROOM

WASHINGTON AT NEBRASKA: HUSKER SCOUTING REPORT

SAT, OCT 31, 2026 • 7 PM CT • BTN • MEMORIAL STADIUM, LINCOLN • HALLOWEEN BLACKOUT

HUSKER FILM ROOM

WEEK 9

NEBRASKA

SCOUT • FILM TENDENCIES • SELF SCOUT • DEPTH • CALL SHEET

WASHINGTON

WASHINGTON • 2026 THROUGH 7 GAMES • W 38-26 AT PURDUE (OCT 16) • CFBSTATS THRU 10/24

4-3

RECORD
1-3 BIG TEN

27.9

POINTS
PER GAME

22.7

POINTS ALLOWED
PER GAME

3.5

YDS PER RUSH
207-728, 8 TD

33.3%

3RD-DOWN D
29 OF 87

16 / 6

PASS TD / INT
1,979 PASS YDS

NEBRASKA • 2026 THROUGH 7 GAMES • L 14-17 AT OREGON (OCT 17) • CFBSTATS THRU 10/24

5-2

RECORD
2-2 BIG TEN

35.6

POINTS
PER GAME

15.4

POINTS ALLOWED
PER GAME

194.4

RUSH YDS
PER GAME • 5.0 YPC

19.3%

3RD-DOWN D
17 OF 88

+6

TURNOVER MARGIN
10 GAINED / 4 LOST

BIG TEN CONFERENCE

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OPPONENT SCOUT — WASHINGTON HUSKIES (4-3, 1-3 BIG TEN · UNRANKED)

Week 9 · Sat Oct 31, 2026 · 7 PM CT · BTN · Memorial Stadium · Stats thru Oct 24 [1][2] · News thru Wed Oct 28 AM [8]-[10][29]-[31]

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2026 RESULTS · 3-0 AT HOME BEFORE B1G, 0-3 VS MINN / USC / IOWA, THEN WON AT PURDUE · BYE OCT 24 (BOTH TEAMS) [23][4][1]

DATE	OPPONENT	RESULT	NOTES
Sep 6	Washington St. (H)	W 24-10	Williams 24-35, 268, 1 TD; 7 rush, 61, TD. 0 sacks allowed. NBC [4]
Sep 12	Utah St. (H)	W 16-14	Williams 26-41, 249, 0 TD; UW 31 rush-120 (PBP); 2 sacks allowed [4]
Sep 19	E. Washington (FCS)	W 48-16	Williams 27-33, 373, 4 TD, 1 INT; Naone 75-yd catch; Bonner 55-yd run [4]
Sep 26	Minnesota (H)	L 24-27	7 sacks allowed [5]; Williams 18-28, 239, 2 TD, 2 INT; 15 rush for 15 [4]
Oct 3	at No. 16 USC	L 21-25	Bonner 19-89; Williams 15-26, 198; Roebuck TD pass; 5 sacks allowed [5]
Oct 9 (Fri)	No. 15 Iowa (H)	L 24-41	Williams hurt (ribs [8]); Brown 28-39, 251, 3 TD; UW 19 rush for 47 (PBP), 6 sacks [4]
Oct 16 (Fri)	at Purdue	W 38-26	Brown 1st start: 21-27, 302, 3 TD, 3 INT; Cooley 8-113 (53 TD); 488 yds; 1 sack allowed [4][23]
Oct 31	at NEBRASKA	—	7 PM CT on BTN, Huskers Radio Network; Halloween 'blackout' game; first Big Ten meeting [22][26]

Series: Nebraska leads 5-4-1; last meeting Sep 17, 2011 (Nebraska 51-38 in Lincoln) per UW opponent history [24]. HC Jedd Fisch (3rd season) calls the offense — no OC in 2026; DC Ryan Walters [24].

SIDE-BY-SIDE KEY STATS · BOTH TEAMS THRU 7 GAMES · CFBSTATS.COM (THRU 10/24; BOTH IDLE OCT 24) [1][2]

STAT	WASHINGTON	NEBRASKA
Points / game	27.9 (195)	35.6 (249)
Points allowed / game	22.7 (159)	15.4 (108)
Yards / play (off)	5.99 (452-2,707)	5.98 (504-3,012)
Yards / play allowed	5.29 (445-2,353)	4.55 (417-1,899)
Rushing (off)	207-728, 3.52, 8 TD	270-1,361, 5.04, 17 TD
Rushing allowed	239-918, 3.84, 7 TD	218-697, 3.20, 3 TD
Passing (off)	168-245, 1,979, 16 TD, 6 INT	146-234, 1,651, 15 TD, 4 INT
Passing allowed	125-206, 1,435, 10 TD, 9 INT	107-199, 1,202, 7 TD, 7 INT
3rd down (off)	29-87 (33.3%)	50-99 (50.5%)
3rd down (def)	28-89 (31.5%)	17-88 (19.3%)
4th down (off)	8-12 (66.7%)	6-13 (46.2%)
Red zone (off) scores	30-34 (88.2%)	25-27 (92.6%)
Red zone (def) scores	22-24 (91.7%)	14-17 (82.4%)
Sacks allowed / made	22 / 13	14* / 19
Turnovers lost / gained	9 / 11 (+2)	4 / 10 (+6)
Penalties	54-472 (7.7 / g)	56-481 (8.0 / g)
Time of possession / g	29:09	33:08

WASHINGTON SNAPSHOT (OUR READ, FROM CITED NUMBERS)

- QB: Demond Williams Jr. (fractured rib) is listed first on the Oct 26 chart; Elijah Brown started and won at Purdue. Fisch will not name a starter publicly; expected decision Wed/Thu, likely not known until kickoff [5][8][31].
- Protection: 22 sacks allowed (rank 127) — 7 vs Minnesota, 5 at USC, 6 vs Iowa; 1 at Purdue [1][3][5]. Film: 11 of the 22 came on 3rd down [7].
- Run game: 3.52 yds/rush incl. sacks (rush O rank 130) [1][3]. Purdue was the best day (31 film runs, 199 yds); Iowa held UW to 19 runs for 47 [7].
- Shotgun quick game: 398 of 448 snaps from the gun; 180 quick throws (40%) [7]. Red zone O 30-of-34 [1].
- Defense: 5.29 yds/play allowed, 9 INT (rank 10), 3rd-down D 31.5% (rank 22), but 22-of-24 red-zone scores allowed (rank 119) [1][3].
- *NU sacks allowed: cfbstats 14; NU notes / ESPN PBP 13 (unresolved) [2][4][6].

KEY PLAYERS · 2026 TOTALS SUMMED FROM THE OFFICIAL BOX SCORES, 7 GAMES [4]

OFFENSE

QB #1 Demond Williams Jr. (listed QB1)

116-174, 1,396, 8 TD, 3 INT; 64 rush, 183, 2 TD (sacks incl.); 19 sacks taken

QB #7 Elijah Brown

51-69, 578 yds, 7 TD, 3 INT (Iowa relief + Purdue start)

RB #34 Brian Bonner Jr. (Fr.)

64-296, 1 TD; 3-27, 1 TD rec. Starter since USC

RB #22 Trey Cooley (Sr.)

33-165, 1 TD (53-yd TD at Purdue); shoulder, expected available [8]

WR #2 Dezmen Roebuck

48-484, 3 TD — team leader in catches

WR #8 Chris Lawson

32-483, 2 TD; 15.1 per catch

WR #3 Rashid Williams

19-285, 3 TD

TE #85 Baron Naone / #86 Decker DeGraaf

19-269, 2 TD / 13-135, 2 TD

DEFENSE / SPECIALISTS

S #7 Alex McLaughlin (Sr.)

48 tkl, 6.5 TFL, 2.5 sacks, 2 INT — leading tackler

LB #9 Jacob Manu (Sr.)

40 tkl, 3.5 TFL, 2.5 sacks

S #4 Rylon Dillard-Allen

32 tkl, 2 INT, 1 sack

CB #6 Dylan Robinson

31 tkl, 1 INT, 3 PD

LB #23 Zaydrius Rainey-Sale

30 tkl, 4.0 TFL

EDGE #48 Jacob Lane / Russell Davis II

Lane 6.0 TFL, 1 sack; Davis II 2.0 sacks [1]

CB #24 Jeron Jones

19 tkl, 2 INT (one at Purdue)

K #95 Tyler Robles / P #93 Hunter Green

FG 9-11, PAT 22-22 / 33 punts, 47.9 avo, 10 inside 20; Green also kicks off [5]

INJURIES · NEWS AS OF WED OCT 28 AM · 1ST B1G REPORT WED EVENING, NOT OUT YET [25] · FULL LIST p. 7B

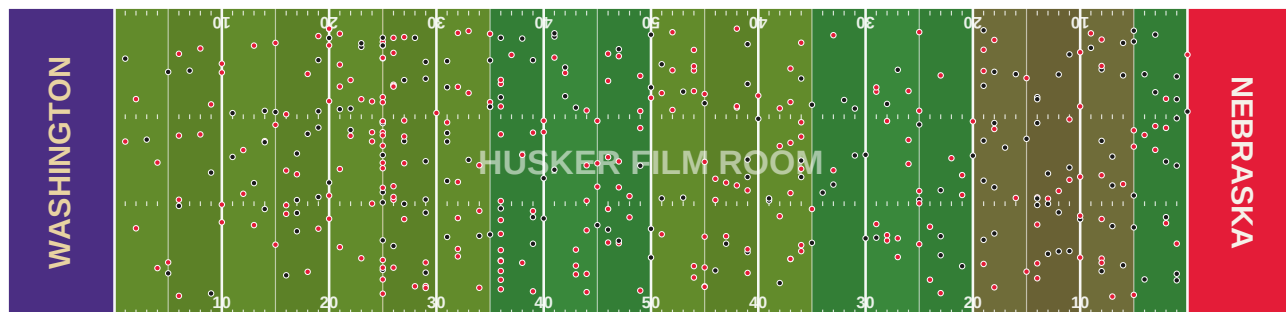
- WASHINGTON [8][9]: QB Demond Williams Jr. — fractured rib, splitting 1st-team reps with Brown; starter likely not revealed until kickoff [8][31]. C Landen Hatchett OUT for season (announced Oct 26). EDGE Ramzak Fruean (knee) likely game-time decision. RB Jayden Limar getting practice reps (first time since Sep 6) [31]. RB Trey Cooley (shoulder) expected; DTs McClendon and Watts expected. OUT: RB Ansu Sanoe, RB Jordan Washington, RB Quaid Carr, RB Julian McMahan.
- NEBRASKA [10][11]: S Jamir Conn likely questionable. DE Anthony Jones Jr. (foot surgery) off the depth chart, not ruled out for the season. RB Rule and Mekhi Nelson (ankles) helped by the bye; Holgorsen Tue: RBs 'looked fast and fresh' at Monday practice [30]; RB Mozee and Genatone still out. OL Gottula (head) and Black (broken hand, cast) per the Oct 19 report; no Oct 26 update.

WASHINGTON OFFENSE | TENDENCY SHEET — FIELD ZONES & DOWN-AND-DISTANCE

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All 448 UW scrimmage snaps, 7 games — our film charting [7], ties to box scores [4] · sacks = pass · Explosive = run 10+ / pass 20+

BY FIELD ZONE · UW DRIVING LEFT → RIGHT · TINT = SUCCESS RATE · DOTS = EVERY SNAP (CHARCOAL RUN, SCARLET PASS)



OWN GL-25	OWN 25-35	OWN 35-50	OPP 50-35	OPP 35-21	RED ZONE 20-6	GOAL LINE 5-0
39% RUN 85 snaps: 33 run / 52 pass 6.7 yds/play · SR 46% YPC 4.5 · pass 8.2 TD 1 · sacks 4 · expl 9 FAVORITES Quick L (16) Inside zone (12) QB run/draw (10)	37% RUN 76 snaps: 28 run / 48 pass 5.2 yds/play · SR 47% YPC 4.0 · pass 5.9 TD 0 · sacks 8 · expl 10 FAVORITES Inside zone (13) Quick R (13) Quick L (12)	32% RUN 76 snaps: 24 run / 52 pass 8.2 yds/play · SR 54% YPC 10.7 · pass 7.1 TD 2 · sacks 5 · expl 10 FAVORITES Quick L (11) Quick R (11) Inside zone (9)	35% RUN 69 snaps: 24 run / 45 pass 7.8 yds/play · SR 45% YPC 4.4 · pass 9.5 TD 2 · sacks 2 · expl 11 FAVORITES Quick L (15) Deep shot (10) Quick R (9)	41% RUN 44 snaps: 18 run / 26 pass 6.5 yds/play · SR 55% YPC 4.7 · pass 7.8 TD 1 · sacks 2 · expl 5 FAVORITES Quick R (13) QB run/draw (6) Inside zone (5)	54% RUN 70 snaps: 38 run / 32 pass 3.6 yds/play · SR 37% YPC 3.7 · pass 3.5 TD 7 · sacks 1 · expl 3 FAVORITES Quick R (16) QB run/draw (15) RB run R (9)	61% RUN 28 snaps: 17 run / 11 pass 1.6 yds/play · SR 64% YPC 1.0 · pass 2.5 TD 14 · sacks 0 · expl 0 FAVORITES Inside zone (12) Quick R (4) Quick L (3)

DOWN & DISTANCE FAVORITES · SUCCESS (FILM): 40% OF DIST. 1ST, 60% 2ND, 100% 3RD/4TH · CONV = 1ST DOWN OR TD

DOWN & DIST	N	RUN / PASS	YPP	SR	CONV	SACK	TOP 3 CALLS (FILM PLAY FAMILY)
1st & 10+	186	44% / 56%	7.9	56%	50	6	Quick L 30, Inside zone 28, QB run/draw 20
1st & <10	20	65% / 35%	1.2	45%	5	0	Inside zone 8, Quick R 4, RB run R 3
2nd & 1-4	37	57% / 43%	4.7	54%	19	1	Inside zone 12, Quick R 7, RB run R 4
2nd & 5-9	59	41% / 59%	5.8	49%	24	2	Quick R 13, Quick L 10, Inside zone 9
2nd & 10-14	35	43% / 57%	3.4	20%	4	2	Quick R 11, QB run/draw 5, RB run R 5
2nd & 15+	12	8% / 92%	10.6	58%	2	0	Quick L 4, Intermediate 2, Quick R 2
3rd & 1-4	30	43% / 57%	3.0	47%	14	2	Quick L 7, Quick R 6, RB run R 4
3rd & 5-9	36	19% / 81%	3.4	28%	10	7	Quick L 7, Sack 7, Quick R 6
3rd & 10-14	14	14% / 86%	7.4	36%	5	2	Quick M 3, Quick R 3, Quick L 3
3rd & 15+	7	14% / 86%	4.9	14%	1	0	Deep shot 4, Quick M 1, QB run/draw 1
4th	12	25% / 75%	9.1	67%	8	0	Quick L 3, Quick M 3, Inside zone 2

FORMATION TELLS (FILM) · BACKFIELD ALIGNMENT AT THE SNAP

ALIGNMENT TAG	N	RUN%	YPC	YPA*	SR	EXPL	TOP CALLS
Shotgun / gun offset	404	37%	5.3	6.8	49%	45	Quick R 74, Quick L 69
Pistol	17	94%	1.8	4.0	18%	0	Inside zone 10, RB run R 4
Under center, single back	19	58%	3.3	11.8	58%	2	Play-action pass 8, RB run R 6
Under center, I / offset	7	100%	3.3	—	71%	1	Inside zone 4, RB run L 3
No-huddle (film tag)	38	37%	2.7	5.8	45%	1	Quick L 10, Deep shot 7

*YPA = yards per pass snap incl. sacks. Explosive = run 10+ / pass 20+ yds, scrimmage plays only (matches the ESPN PBP count). Play families charted on film [7]; zones measured from UW's goal line (opp 35-21 band shown because the red zone starts at the 20). Defensive looks (front / shell / pressure) on p. 3B.

WASHINGTON OFFENSE | WHAT WORKED, WHAT HELD THEM DOWN, LOOKS FACED

3B

Our film charting, 7 UW games, 448 scrimmage snaps [7] · ties to the box scores [4] · Explosive = run 10+ / pass 20+, scrimmage only

BY OPPONENT · HOW EACH DEFENSE FARED VS WASHINGTON'S OFFENSE (FILM SNAPS; SACKS COUNT AS PASS)

OPPONENT	RESULT	SNAPS	RUN%	YPC	YP-PASS	YPP	SR	SACKS	3RD	EXPL
Washington St. (9/6)	W 24-10	63	44%	4.9	7.7	6.4	51%	0	4-13	10
Utah St. (9/12)	W 16-14	74	42%	3.9	5.5	4.8	47%	2	6-16	3
E. Washington (FCS) (9/19)	W 48-16	62	40%	6.2	10.5	8.8	58%	1	6-11	10
Minnesota (9/26)	L 24-27	55	36%	3.7	5.9	5.1	40%	7	1-10	6
at USC (10/3)	L 21-25	60	47%	4.8	5.8	5.3	42%	5	2-12	5
Iowa (10/9)	L 24-41	75	25%	2.5	4.8	4.2	44%	6	7-18	4
at Purdue (10/16)	W 38-26	59	53%	6.4	10.4	8.3	54%	1	4-7	10

WHAT WORKED FOR WASHINGTON

- 1st & 10: 186 snaps, 7.9 yds/play, 56% success, 27 explosives. Quick game left, inside zone and QB run/draw are the menu.
- Goal line (5-in): 14 TD on 28 snaps; inside zone 12 of 28.
- Purdue (Brown's start): 31 runs for 199 yds on film; 1 sack.
- 4th down: 8 conversions on 12 snaps, 9.1 yds/play; mostly quick game. UW is 8-12 on 4th (rank 22) [1][3].

WHAT HELD WASHINGTON DOWN

- Pressure: 22 sacks (rank 127) [1][3]; 11 of them on 3rd down. 3rd & 5-9: 28% success, 7 sacks in 36 snaps.
- Behind the chains: 2nd & 10-14 = 20% success, 3.4 yds/play (35 snaps).
- Iowa: UW runs 19 for 47 on film; 6 sacks; 24-41 loss. Minnesota: 7 sacks, 2 INT [4][5].
- Red zone 20-6: 3.6 yds/play, 37% success on 70 snaps (still score 88% of trips) [1]. No-huddle: 38 snaps, 1 explosive.

DEFENSIVE LOOK EACH PLAY FACED · FRONT / SHELL / PRESSURE CHARTED ON FILM [7]

LOOK	N	RUN%	YPP	YP-PASS*	YPC	SR	SACK	EXPL
FRONT: 4-down	341	41%	5.8	6.7	4.5	47%	20	33
FRONT: 3-down	5	40%	6.2	6.3	6.0	40%	0	0
FRONT: goal line / 6-down	14	64%	1.1	1.8	0.7	50%	0	0
FRONT: not visible	83	31%	8.4	8.3	8.4	51%	2	15
SHELL: 2-high	127	26%	5.3	5.4	4.8	48%	13	11
SHELL: 1-high	121	60%	5.4	8.3	3.4	42%	5	11
SHELL: man (visible)	11	9%	3.6	3.9	1.0	55%	0	0
SHELL: not visible	189	40%	7.1	7.9	6.1	51%	4	26
PRESSURE: got home	33	0%	-3.0	-3.0	—	6%	18	0
PRESSURE: DL penetration	8	100%	-1.8	—	-1.8	0%	0	0
PRESSURE: none seen	407	43%	6.9	8.4	5.1	52%	4	48

WHAT THE LOOKS SAY

- Vs 2-high: 5.4 yds per pass snap with 13 sacks; vs 1-high: 8.3 with 5 sacks [7].
- When pressure got home (33 snaps): -3.0 yds/play, 6% success [7].
- Suggested call: rush four, keep two deep, rally and tackle the quick game; save pressure for 3rd & 5+.

*YP-PASS = yards per pass snap incl. sacks. Not visible on film: front 83 snaps, shell 189 snaps (wide / sideline angles). 'Pressure' = pressure that got home on film; blitz counts are not charted. Success rule (film): 40% of distance on 1st, 60% on 2nd, 100% on 3rd/4th. Quarter and QB splits: pp. 3C and the call sheet.

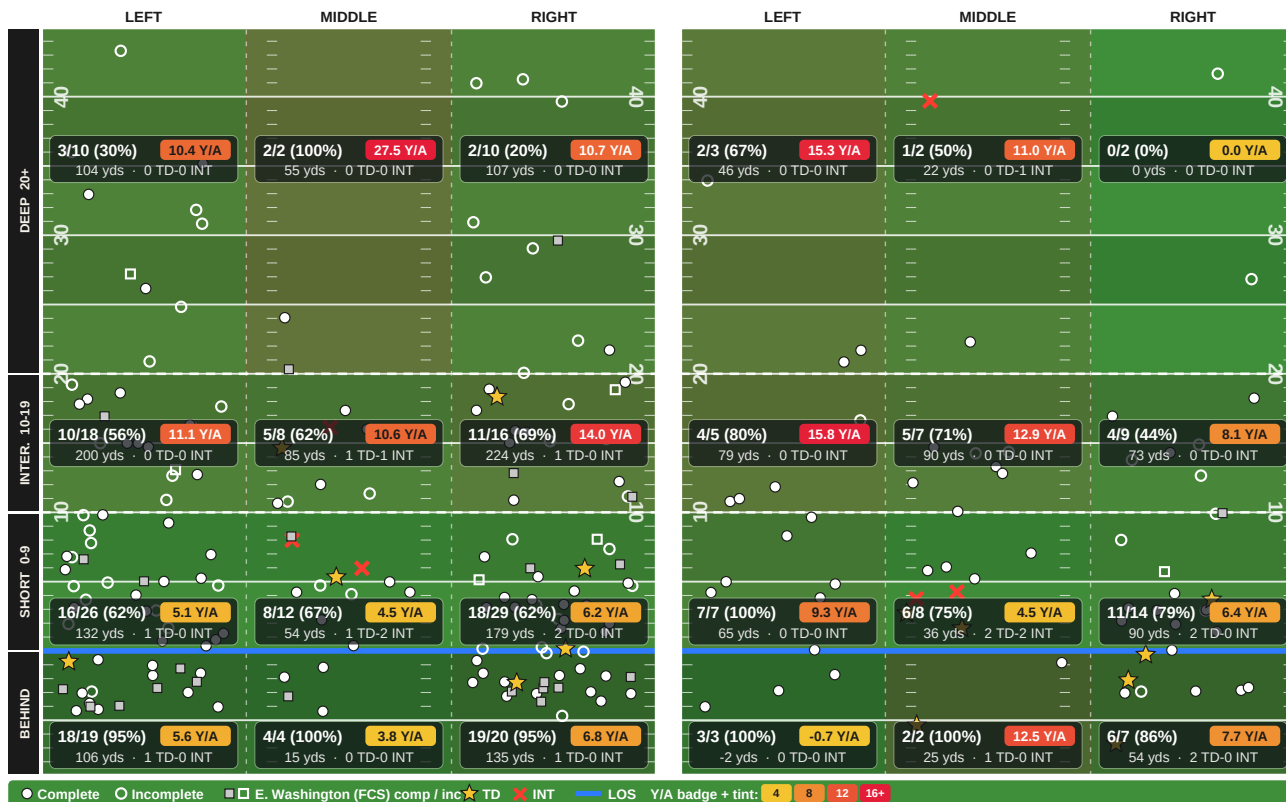
WASHINGTON QB SPRAY CHART — WILLIAMS JR. (174 ATT) + BROWN (69 ATT)

Every attempt, 7 games: official play-by-play [4], checked on our film [7] · air yds = PBP catch / throw spot minus LOS · ties to box scores

3C

#1 DEMOND WILLIAMS JR. · 116-174, 1396 YDS, 8 TD, 3 INT · 6 GAMES

#7 ELIJAH BROWN · 51-69, 578 YDS, 7 TD, 3 INT · 3 GAMES



Zones include ALL attempts (sums match the official box scores exactly). PBP tags only 'short' / 'deep': 63 'short' tags were 10-19 air yds and 55 were behind the LOS, so bands come from spots. Spikes excluded (official stats do the same). Roebuck's 5-yd TD pass at USC (trick play) and the Iowa 'Team' 0-1 are not on either chart. Dots jittered within the scorer's third. Depth / direction checked on our film [7].

DEMOND WILLIAMS JR. · SEASON LINE RECONCILED · SPLITS

116-174 · 1396 YDS · 8 TD · 3 INT · 66.7% · 8.0 Y/A

6 starts (WSU-Iowa). Box-score sum: 24-35, 26-41, 27-33, 18-28, 15-26, 6-11 = 116-174, 1396, 8 TD, 3 INT [4]. Fractured rib (hurt vs Iowa); listed QB1 on the Oct 26 chart; decision by Thursday [5][8][9].

GAME / DOWN	C/A	PCT	YDS	TD	1ST	Y/A
Washington St. (9/6)	24/35	68.6%	268	1	12	7.7
Utah St. (9/12)	26/41	63.4%	249	0	11	6.1
E. Wash. (9/19) FCS	27/33	81.8%	373	4	18	11.3
Minnesota (9/26)	18/28	64.3%	239	2	12	8.5
at USC (10/3)	15/26	57.7%	198	1	8	7.6
Iowa (10/9)	6/11	54.5%	69	0	4	6.3
1st down	52/72	72.2%	770	2	28	10.7
2nd down	41/56	73.2%	383	4	23	6.8
3rd down	19/39	48.7%	162	1	10	4.2
Red zone (opp 20-in)	13/26	50.0%	102	7	8	3.9

TOP TARGETS BY ZONE (PBP INTENDED RECEIVER)

RECEIVER	TGT	C-T	YDS	TD	MOST-TARGETED ZONES
#2 Dezmen Roebuck	52	38-52	358	1	Short L 12, Short R 9
#8 Chris Lawson	27	19-27	319	1	Deep L 5, Short R 5
#3 Rashid Williams	22	11-22	184	3	Inter. R 6, Short R 5
#85 Baron Naone (TE)	17	16-17	246	1	Behind R 3, Inter. R 3

ELIJAH BROWN · SEASON LINE RECONCILED · SPLITS

51-69 · 578 YDS · 7 TD · 3 INT · 73.9% · 8.4 Y/A

Stanford transfer. EWU mop-up 2-3; Iowa relief 28-39, 251, 3 TD; Purdue start 21-27, 302, 3 TD, 3 INT [4]. Fisch: 1st INT 'caught up in the wind', 3rd a read miscommunication with Naone [15]. Splits 1st-team reps with Williams [8][9].

GAME / DOWN	C/A	PCT	YDS	TD	1ST	Y/A
E. Wash. (9/19) FCS	2/3	66.7%	25	1	2	8.3
Iowa (10/9)	28/39	71.8%	251	3	16	6.4
at Purdue (10/16)	21/27	77.8%	302	3	16	11.2
1st down	24/33	72.7%	249	3	14	7.5
2nd down	15/20	75.0%	158	2	8	7.9
3rd down	10/14	71.4%	159	1	10	11.4
Red zone (opp 20-in)	11/15	73.3%	38	6	7	2.5

TOP TARGETS BY ZONE (PBP INTENDED RECEIVER)

RECEIVER	TGT	C-T	YDS	TD	MOST-TARGETED ZONES
#8 Chris Lawson	14	13-14	174	1	Inter. L 4, Short L 2
#2 Dezmen Roebuck	12	10-12	116	2	Short M 3, Short R 3
#3 Rashid Williams	11	8-11	101	0	Short R 3, Inter. M 2
#12 Trez Davis	10	5-10	55	1	Inter. M 3, Short R 2

WHAT IT MEANS FOR OUR DEFENSE — ANALYSIS (OUR OPINION), FROM THE CHARTS ABOVE

- BOTH LIVE 0-9 YARDS OUTSIDE THE NUMBERS:** Williams short R 18/29 (6.2 Y/A), short L 16/26 (5.1); Brown short R 11/14 (6.4), short L 7/7 (9.3). Squeeze the flats, tackle the catch — the quick game is their run game.
- DEEP BALL:** Williams 7/22 on 20+ air yds (266 yds, 0 TD, 0 INT); Brown 3/7 (68 yds). Intermediate 10-19: Williams 26/42, 12.1 Y/A; Brown 13/21, 11.5 Y/A — Brown has been sharper between the hashes.
- SCREENS / BEHIND LOS:** Williams 41/43 for 256 yds, Brown 11/12 for 77 (Bonner's 25-yd TD at Purdue was a swing). 3rd down: Williams 19/39, 10 firsts; Brown 10/14, 10 firsts.
- PLAN FOR BOTH QBs:** same targets (Roebuck, Lawson, R. Williams, the TEs). Brown's 3 INT at Purdue (wind, a good DB play, a miscommunication per Fisch [15]) say: disguise late, rally to the ball, make him hold it. Williams adds 64 carries of QB run game (p. 3D) and took 19 of the 22 sacks (p. 4C).

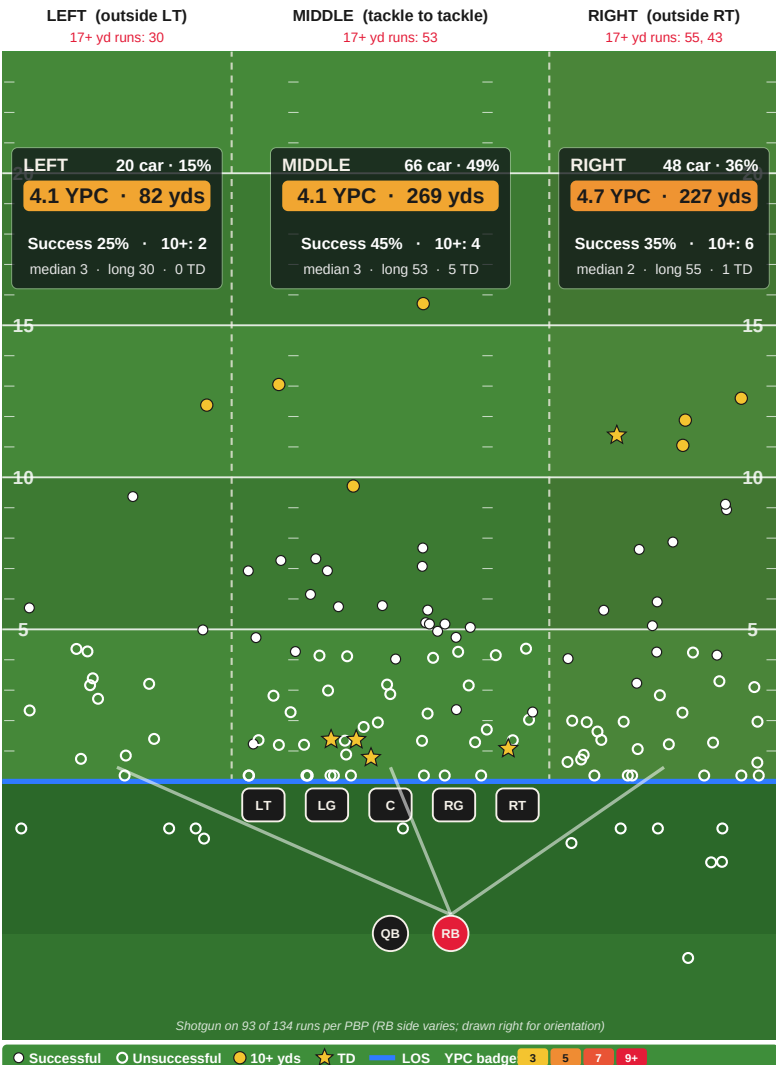
n = 243 attempts (Williams 174, Brown 69) incl. FCS E. Washington. PBP direction/depth are scorer-charted and approximate; sacks/scrambles not included; no betting content.

WASHINGTON RUN GAME — RUN GAP CHART (RB/WR/TE CARRIES, 7 GAMES, n=134)

Ball carrier, direction, result: official play-by-play [4], checked against our film [7] · lanes = scorer direction (L / M / R) · QB carries split out

3D

RUN LANES · VIEW FROM BEHIND UW OFFENSE · TINT / BADGE = YPC



QB carries (not drawn): 48 for 289 yds, 6.0 YPC, 2 TD (scrambles included — PBP has no scramble tag; sacks excluded). E. Washington (FCS) carries are included (19). Every carry has a scorer direction; no A/B/C gap tags without film.

BY BALL CARRIER

CARRIER	CAR	YPC	SR	10+	L-M-R
#34 Brian Bonner Jr.	64	4.6	36%	5	13-38-13
#22 Trey Cooley	33	5.0	36%	3	2-15-16
#17 Jayden Limar (OUT)	12	3.9	50%	2	2-5-5
#30 Ansu Sanoe	7	1.1	43%	0	0-4-3
#21 Quaid Carr (OUT-season)	5	5.6	40%	2	1-1-3
#2 Dezmen Roebuck (WR)	5	3.2	40%	0	2-0-3

BY DOWN

DOWN	CAR	YPC	SR	10+
1st down	76	5.1	42%	8
2nd down	47	3.7	34%	4
3rd down	9	1.4	33%	0
4th down	2	2.5	50%	0
3rd/4th & 1-2	8	1.1	38%	0

BY ALIGNMENT TAG (PBP)

TAG	CAR	YPC	SR	10+
Gun	83	5.2	42%	9
No-huddle gun	10	3.2	40%	1
Under center/pistol	41	2.8	32%	2

BY GAME

GAME	CAR	YPC	SR	10+	L-M-R
Washington St. (9/6)	21	3.6	48%	4	3-8-10
Utah St. (9/12)	21	2.3	29%	1	2-11-8
E. Wash. (9/19) FCS	19	6.1	37%	2	3-8-8
Minnesota (9/26)	12	2.1	33%	0	2-8-2
at USC (10/3)	20	4.5	45%	2	2-13-5
Iowa (10/9)	12	1.6	17%	0	2-7-3
at Purdue (10/16)	29	7.0	48%	3	6-11-12

BY FIELD ZONE

ZONE	CAR	YPC	SR	10+
Own 1-25	23	4.4	39%	2
Own 25-50	44	6.2	36%	5
Opp 50-21	29	4.1	41%	3
Red zone 20-6	23	3.5	30%	2
Goal line 5-1	15	0.3	53%	0

FRONT FACED ON RUNS · OUR FILM [7]

FRONT	RUNS	YPC	SR	10+
4-down	140	4.5	44%	15
3-down	2	6.0	50%	0
Goal line / 6-down	9	0.7	44%	0
Not visible	26	8.4	46%	4

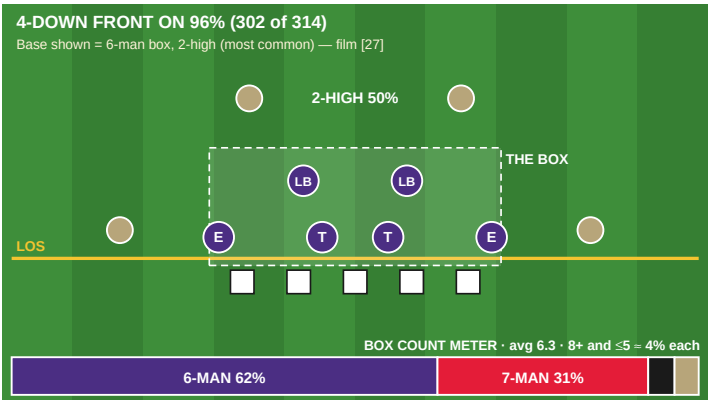
WHAT IT MEANS FOR OUR DEFENSE — ANALYSIS (OUR OPINION)

- LANES: left 20 car / 4.1 YPC, middle 66 / 4.1, right 48 / 4.7. 10+ runs: L 2, M 4, R 6. Set the edge and make the backs bounce late; the middle is their volume lane.
- BACKS: Bonner (Fr.) 64 car, 4.6 YPC, SR 36%; Cooley 33 car, 5.0 YPC, 3 runs of 10+ (53-yd TD at Purdue). Cooley (shoulder) expected; Limar back at practice; Sanoe, Carr, J. Washington, McMahan OUT [8].
- IT'S BEEN FEAST OR FAMINE: Purdue 29 car, 7.0 YPC; Iowa 12 car, 1.6 YPC; Minnesota 12 car, 2.1 YPC. Short yardage (3rd/4th & 1-2): 8 car, SR 38%. Goal line (5-in): 15 car, 4 TD.
- QB RUN GAME: UW QBs have 48 carries (incl. scrambles), almost all Williams — they matter if he starts; with Brown, expect RB-only runs and more quick game. Fisch credited TE blocks on DEs and OL combos for the Purdue run day [15].

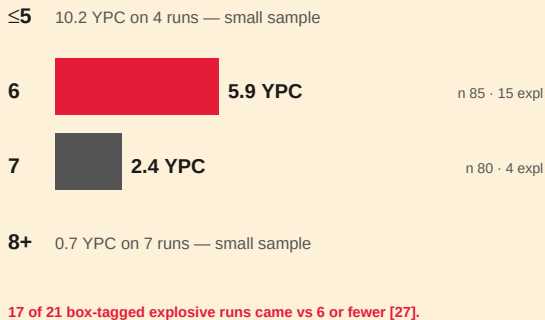
Sources: official play-by-play [4]; season rushing 207-728 incl. sacks [1]. Real charted numbers only; no betting content.

22.7 PTS / G ALLOWED [1]	5.29 YDS / PLAY [1]	3.84 YPC ALLOWED [1]	31.5% OPP. 3RD DN [1]	22-24 RZ SCORES [1]	13 SACKS (88th) [1]	9 INT (10th) [1][3]	45 EXPL 28R / 17P [4]
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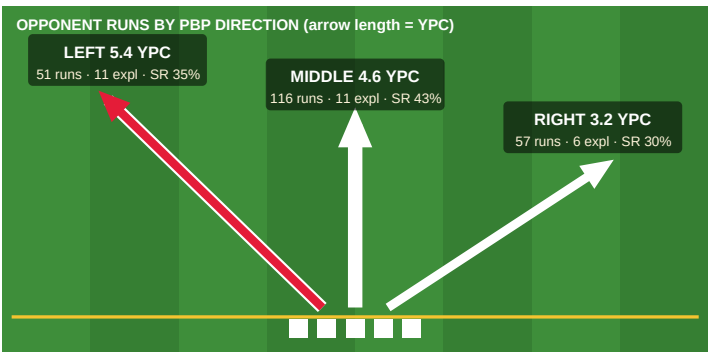
THE FRONT & BOX COUNT · OUR FILM, 313 BOX-TAGGED SNAPS [27]



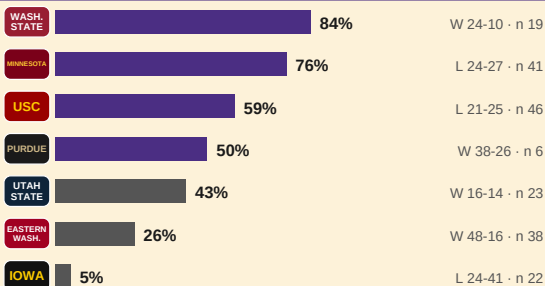
RUNS VS BOX COUNT · YPC (FILM [27])



WHERE THEY'VE BEEN RUN ON (PBP [4]) · 2-HIGH SHELL BY OPPONENT (FILM [27])



% OF READABLE SNAPS IN 2-HIGH, BY OPPONENT



OPPONENT OFFENSES VS UW, BY GAME (PBP [4]) · SUCCESS = 50/70/100% RULE

OPPONENT	RES	N	RUN%	YPC	Y/PASS	SR	EXPL	SK
Washington St.	W 24-10	56	50%	4.1	4.5	30%	4	3
Utah St.	W 16-14	57	46%	3.5	5.8	32%	7	3
E. Washington (FCS)	W 48-16	74	58%	3.7	5.1	36%	7	2
Minnesota	L 24-27	62	52%	4.1	6.6	40%	5	1
at USC	L 21-25	68	49%	3.8	6.7	43%	4	1
Iowa	L 24-41	57	67%	6.9	10.6	60%	14	0
at Purdue	W 38-26	68	35%	4.5	6.0	34%	4	3

1ST & 10 VS UW (PBP [4], SCRIMMAGE, NO SPIKES)

6.75 YDS / PLAY
190 snaps · SR 43% · 24 explosives

Iowa (41-24): 67% run, 6.9 YPC, 10.6 y/pass — the blueprint.
Big Ten: 4.5 YPC vs 3.0 in non-conference [4].
Iowa 11-of-12 on play-action, 166 yds, 2 TD [12].

HOW TO ATTACK — SUGGESTED, FROM THE NUMBERS ABOVE + OUR TENDENCIES (p. 5)

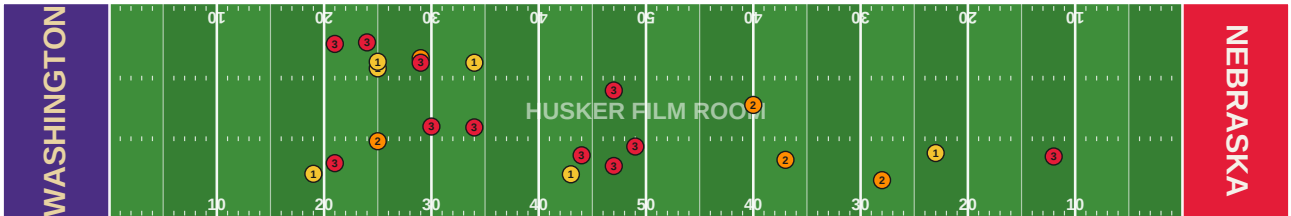
- 1. GET THE 6-MAN BOX, THEN RUN: spread them out (11/10 personnel); runs vs 6 = 5.9 YPC, vs 7 = 2.4 [27]. We run 5.04 YPC [2]; our OZ L / 2x2 IZ are our most-used looks (p. 5).
- 2. PLAY-ACTION WHEN THEY ADD THE 7TH: UW allowed 9.6 per dropback vs a 7-man box [27]; our PA: 34 passes, 8.9 y/p, 6 gains of 20+ [20].
- 3. RED ZONE + BALL: UW allows scores on 22 of 24 trips [1] but sits 2-high on 88% there [27]; UW has 9 INT, we have 4 giveaways [1][2]. Our FGs are 4-of-8 [2] — finish with TDs.
- 4. Availability: EDGE Fruean (knee) game-time decision; Manu (40 tkl) and McLaughlin (48 tkl) run it; Alexander co-listed at LB (Oct 26 chart) [1][5][8].

PRESSURE MAP — WHERE WASHINGTON'S QB GETS HIT, AND WHERE UW'S D GETS HOME

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UW sacks allowed: our film, tied to official per-game counts [7][5] · UW sacks made: official PBP [4] · UW blitz/shell: our film of the UW defense [27]

UW OFFENSE: 22 SACKS ALLOWED ON 266 PASS SNAPS (8.3%) · EACH DOT = A SACK AT ITS LINE OF SCRIMMAGE



● 1st down ● 2nd down ● 3rd down UW drives left → right toward our end zone.

GAME	RESULT	PASS SNAPS	SACKS	RATE	YDS	QB
Washington St.	W 24-10	35	0	0%	0	—
Utah St.	W 16-14	43	2	5%	-13	Williams 2
E. Washington (FCS)	W 48-16	37	1	3%	-8	Williams 1
Minnesota	L 24-27	35	7	20%	-34	Williams 7
at USC	L 21-25	32	5	16%	-17	Williams 5
Iowa	L 24-41	56	6	11%	-50	Williams 4 / Brown 2
at Purdue	W 38-26	28	1	4%	-11	Brown 1

SACKS ALLOWED BY DOWN & DISTANCE

SITUATION	SACKS	OF PASS SNAPS
3rd & 5-9	7	24%
1st & 10+	6	6%
3rd & 1-4	2	12%
2nd & 5-9	2	6%
3rd & 10-14	2	17%
2nd & 10-14	2	10%

UW DEFENSE: 13 SACKS ON 218 OPPONENT PASS SNAPS · LEADERS: MANU 2.5, McLAUGHLIN 2.5, R. DAVIS II 2.0 [1]

OPPONENT	PASS SNAPS	SACKS	RATE	HURRY TAGS
Washington St.	28	3	11%	1
Utah St.	31	3	10%	3
E. Washington (FCS)	31	2	6%	3
Minnesota	30	1	3%	3
at USC	35	1	3%	0
Iowa	19	0	0%	1
at Purdue	44	3	7%	0

UW PASS RUSH BY DOWN (PBP)

- 1st down: 3 sacks
- 2nd down: 3
- 3rd down: 6
- 4th down: 1
- Iowa: 0 sacks; Minnesota & USC: 1 each [4].
- Hurry tags are sparse in this PBP; not a pressure rate.

WHAT IT MEANS (OUR OPINION)

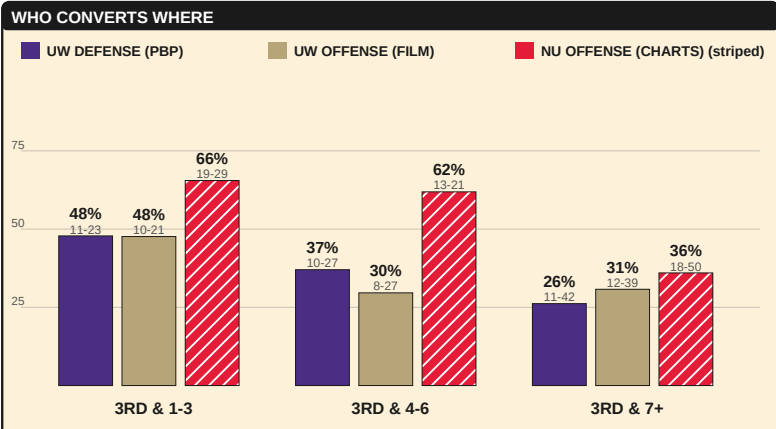
- UW's protection has been the story: 22 sacks (rank 127) [1][3] — 18 of them in the Minnesota, USC and Iowa losses, 1 in the Purdue win. 3rd down is the danger down for them (11 sacks).
- Williams took 19 of the 22; Brown 3 (Iowa relief + Purdue) [7]. Brown got the ball out at Purdue (21-27) — expect quick game again, so our pressure must come with tight coverage behind it.
- UW's own rush is modest (13 sacks; 0 vs Iowa). Our OL (Gottula's status, Black's hand/ankle [11]) should get time; our sacks allowed vs UW's 4-man rush are the matchup to win on 3rd down.
- UW film [27]: blitzed on 2 of 122 tagged dropbacks (both McLaughlin, both sacks). Of 7 sacks with a readable look: 3 straight 4-man, 2 DB blitz, 2 off mugged/sim looks. Suggested: expect 4-man rush and 2-high (50% of 195 readable shells; 88% in the red zone).

THIRD DOWN & RED ZONE — BOTH TEAMS

UW offense: cfbstats [1] + our film [7] · UW defense: official PBP [4] + our film [27] · Nebraska: cfbstats [2] + our charts [20]

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3RD-DOWN CONVERSION RATE BY DISTANCE · BAR = %, LABEL = CONV-ATT



31.5%

UW D 3RD DOWN 28-89 [1]

19.3%

NU D 3RD DOWN 17-88, No. 1 [2]

33.3%

UW O 3RD DOWN 29-87 [1]

50.5%

NU O 3RD DOWN 50-99 [2]

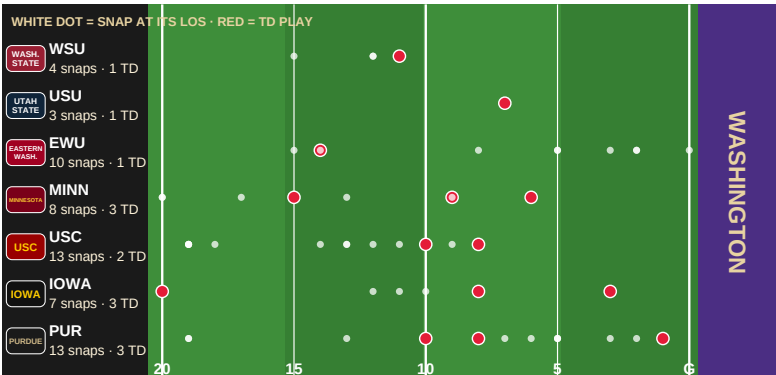
UW D ON 3RD & 7+ (FILM [27]): box 5.9, 2-high 53%

QB runs beat it: USU +17, +13, +12; WSU +7 on 3&13; EWU +8 on 3&15. Suggested: QB draw / scramble lane vs 2-high, 4-man rush.

UW DEFENSE HEAT STRIP · OPPONENT SUCCESS RATE BY DOWN & DISTANCE (PBP [4]) · DARKER = WORSE FOR UW

	TO GO 1-3	TO GO 4-6	TO GO 7-10	TO GO 11+
1ST DOWN	n 3 — small	n 1 — small	SR 44% · 6.7 y/p · n 188	SR 29% · 7.9 y/p · n 7
2ND DOWN	SR 50% · 1.5 y/p · n 18	SR 48% · 5.4 y/p · n 33	SR 37% · 5.7 y/p · n 71	SR 17% · 4.1 y/p · n 18
3RD DOWN	SR 43% · 3.9 y/p · n 23	SR 33% · 3.6 y/p · n 27	SR 28% · 2.8 y/p · n 25	SR 18% · 5.8 y/p · n 17

RED ZONE VS UW · OPPONENT SNAPS INSIDE THE 20, BY GAME (PBP [4]) · SHELL FROM FILM [27]



91.7%

UW RZ D: 22-24 SCORES [1]

88%

UW 2-HIGH INSIDE THE 20 [27]

	UW	NU
RZ offense	30-34 (88.2%) [1]	25-27 (92.6%) [2]
RZ defense	22-24 (91.7%) [1]	14-17 (82.4%) [2]
Field goals	Robles 9-11 [4][1]	4-8 [2]
4th down off.	8-12 [1]	6-13 [2]

Suggested: vs 2-high in the RZ, the QB run (our 4 of 6, 3 TD) and heavy power at the goal line (3 of 3 TD) are our best answers — p. 5, call sheet.

UW 3RD-DOWN CALLS (FILM [7]) · WHAT THEY RUN WHEN THEY HAVE TO HAVE IT

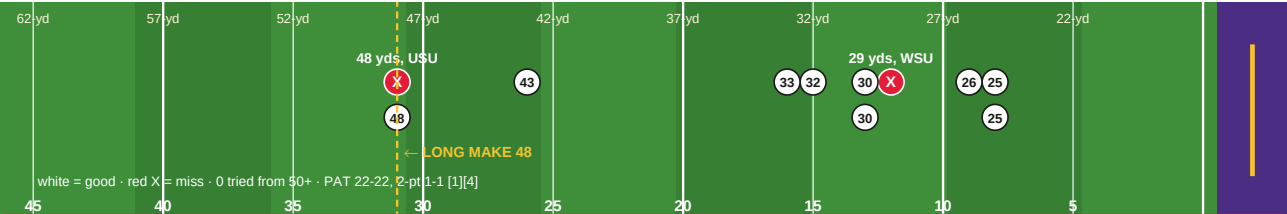
SITUATION	N	RUN%	CONV	SACKS	TOP CALLS
3rd & 1-4	30	43%	14	2	Quick L 7, Quick R 6, RB run R 4
3rd & 5-9	36	19%	10	7	Quick L 7, Sack 7, Quick R 6
3rd & 10-14	14	14%	5	2	Quick M 3, Quick R 3, Quick L 3
3rd & 15+	7	14%	1	0	Deep shot 4, Quick M 1, QB run/draw 1

SPECIAL TEAMS — WASHINGTON ON THE FIELD

cfbstats thru 10/24 [1][2][3] · UW game notes Oct 26 [5] · 7 official box scores + PBP [4] · UW ST film, 6 games [28]

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ROBLES FG RANGE · EVERY ATTEMPT AT ITS SPOT (DISTANCE – 17 = YARD LINE) · 9-11, LONG 48 [4]

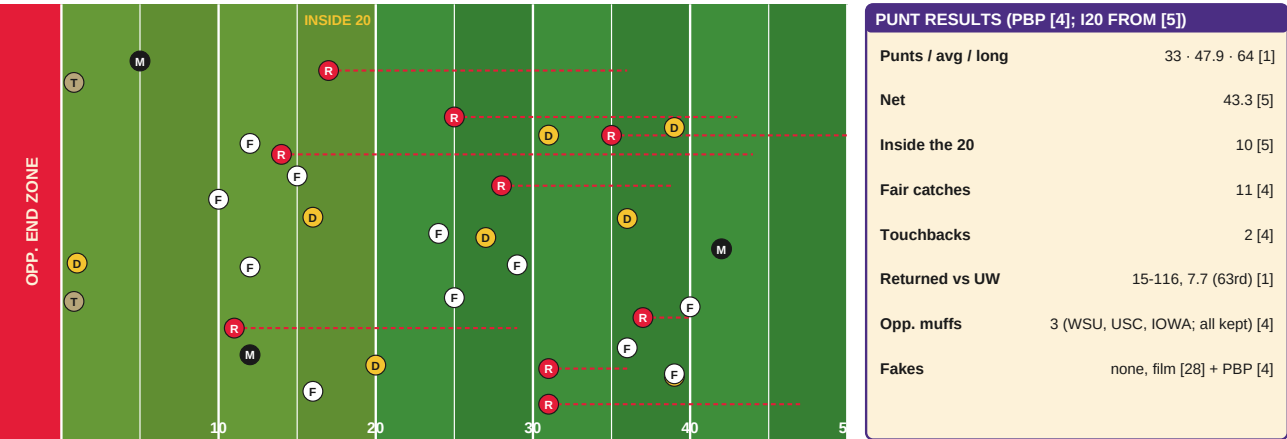


KICKOFFS · 39 BY UW (PBP [4], BOX [4]) · WHERE THEY END UP

TOUCHBACK 24	RETURNED 8	5	1	1
62%	21%			

Black = out of bounds 5; gold = fair catch 1; gray = onside 1 (Green, 9 yds, MINN Q4 1:52). Kickers: McKee 19, Gross 10, Green 10 — Green took all 7 at Purdue, 7 touchbacks. Opp. KR vs UW: 8-132, 16.5 [4][1]. Suggested: expect Green deep; no surprise-onside history beyond the late MINN try.

EVERY GREEN PUNT, WHERE IT LANDED (PBP 'TO THE' SPOT [4]) · 33 PUNTS, 47.9 AVG, NET 43.3 [1][5]



PUNT RESULTS (PBP [4]; I20 FROM [5])

Punts / avg / long	33 · 47.9 · 64 [1]
Net	43.3 [5]
Inside the 20	10 [5]
Fair catches	11 [4]
Touchbacks	2 [4]
Returned vs UW	15-116, 7.7 (63rd) [1]
Opp. muffs	3 (WSU, USC, IOWA; all kept) [4]
Fakes	none, film [28] + PBP [4]

Letters: F fair catch · R returned (dash = return) · T touchback · D downed / OOB / not returned · M muffed. 0 punts landed beyond the opp. 50 and are not drawn. Landing spot ≠ final spot, so the I20 count uses the official 10 [5].

RETURNER CARD · SIDE BY SIDE · NEBRASKA FIX-IT (SUGGESTED)

#2 RAHSHAWN CLARK

KR / PR · 19 of UW's 20 named returns [4]

13-221

KR (17.0)

32

KR LONG

7-47

PR (6.7)

1

KO MUFF (KEPT)

UW KR rank 110, PR 112 [3]. At Purdue: Robinson muffed a punt at the UW 10 (Purdue ball) [4].

UNIT [1][2][4]	UW	NU
FG	9-11 (81.8%)	4-8 (50.0%)
PAT	22-22	33-34
Punting	47.9, net 43.3	44.2, net 42.2
KR	14-246, 17.6	11-193, 17.6
PR	8-47, 5.9	18-103, 5.7
Opp. KR	8-132, 16.5	13-214, 16.5
Opp. PR	15-116, 7.7	4-11, 2.75
Opp. FG	12-14	12-14

NEBRASKA FIX-IT LIST

- FGs 4-of-8, 0-3 from 50+ (rank 132) [2][3] — two straight 3-pt losses.
- Punt coverage elite: 4 returns, 11 yds [2]; 3 blocked kicks (rank 4) [3].
- Suggested: kick deep on KO; fair-catch Green inside our 15; pressure Clark's catches — 2 UW muffs at Purdue [4].
- Returners on the Oct 26 chart: Hunter, Barney, M. Nelson (Mozee out) [6][10].

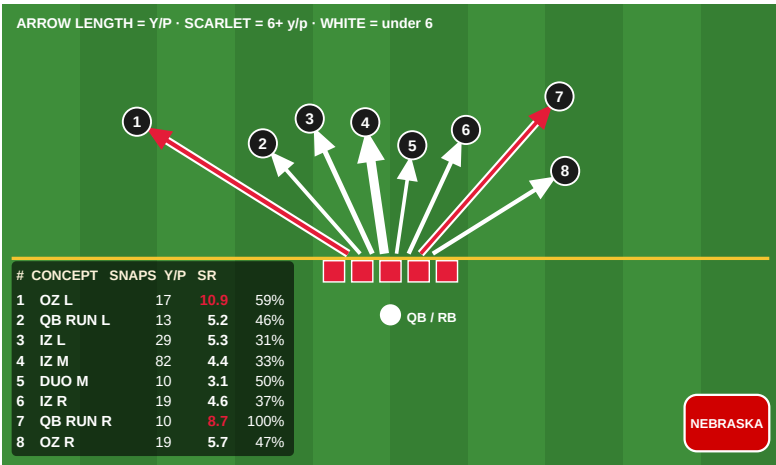
NEBRASKA SELF SCOUT — OUR OFFENSE, FILM-CHARTED THROUGH OREGON (7 GAMES)

Our film charts, every Nebraska offensive snap (504 plays, Ohio → Oregon) [20] · season stats cfbstats thru 10/24 [2] · what a UW staff will see

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35.6 POINTS / GAME [2]	5.98 YDS / PLAY [2]	5.04 YPC, 17 TD [2]	50.5% 3RD DOWN [2]	25-27 RED ZONE [2]	0 FUMBLES LOST [2]	33:08 TIME OF POSS. [2]	68 EXPL / 504 [20]
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OUR RUN GAME ON THE FIELD · CONCEPT + DIRECTION, 10+ SNAPS (OUR CHARTS [20]) · ARROW LENGTH = YDS / PLAY



PASS GAME BY CONCEPT (OUR CHARTS [20])

PLAY-ACTION 36 snaps · SR 53% · 6 of 20+
8.1 y/p

QUICK GAME 81 snaps · SR 56% · 4 of 20+
6.8 y/p

DROPPACK 90 snaps · SR 32% · 9 of 20+
4.7 y/p

SCREENS 26 snaps · SR 46% · 4 of 20+
8.6 y/p

Suggested: PA off OZ L is our best shot call vs a 7-man box (UW 9.6 y/p allowed, p. 4).

EXPLOSIVES STRIP · 68 OF 504 SCRIMMAGE PLAYS: 45 RUNS OF 10+, 23 PASSES OF 20+ [20] · BY GAME



Square = run of 10+ · dot = pass of 20+ (our charts [20]).

BY GAME · OUR CHARTS (SUCCESS = 50/70/100% RULE) · PERSONNEL

GAME	RESULT	SNAPS	RUN%	YPP	SR	3RD
Ohio	W 49-21	74	54%	7.1	51%	9-15
Bowling Green	W 56-7	66	50%	8.3	61%	5-8
North Dakota	W 34-7	71	63%	6.9	44%	7-15
at Michigan St.	W 31-13	68	60%	5.4	43%	6-13
Maryland	W 48-23	75	45%	6.1	48%	6-13
Indiana	L 17-20	83	41%	4.7	40%	10-19
at Oregon	L 14-17	67	45%	3.6	27%	7-17
ALL 7	5-2	504	51%	6.0	45%	50-100

PERSONNEL SHARE (OUR CHARTS [20])



11 personnel: 394 snaps · 46% run · 6.2 y/p · SR 44%

12 personnel: 78 snaps · 71% run · 6.2 y/p · SR 41%

22 personnel: 9 snaps · 100% run · 2.8 y/p · SR 89%

23 personnel: 4 snaps · 100% run · 0.5 y/p · SR 50%

Oregon (L 14-17): 45% run, 3.6 y/p, SR 27%; 3rd down 7-17. Rhule: 'until we win third down' [26].

VS DEFENSIVE LOOKS (OUR FILM TAGS [20]) · WHAT A UW STAFF WILL KEY ON · BAR = Y/P, LABEL = SNAPS · SR

BY SHELL		
2-high	6.2	369 snaps · SR 41%
1-high	6.0	107 snaps · SR 57%
0-high	2.0	17 snaps · SR 59%

BY RUSH		
4-man	6.1	418 snaps · SR 44%
5-man blitz	7.3	42 snaps · SR 55%
6+ blitz	2.4	16 snaps · SR 69%
3-man drop 8	5.5	17 snaps · SR 24%

HEALTH GOING INTO WASHINGTON + DEFENSE SNAPSHOT

- Defense: 15.4 PPG, 4.55 yds/play, 3.20 YPC allowed, 19.3% opp. 3rd down (No. 1), 10 takeaways [2].
- RB: Mozee and Genatone out; Rule and Mekhi Nelson (ankles) helped by the bye [10]. OL: Babalade (RT) and Gottula (LG) started the last two; Black (RG) playing with a broken hand (Oct 19) [6][11].
- DE Anthony Jones Jr. (foot surgery) off the Oct 26 chart; Lenhardt / Ochoa at DE. S Jamir Conn likely questionable [6][10].

MATCHUPS & KEYS — UNIT vs UNIT, NATIONAL RANKS (OF 138)

cfbstats national team leaders, games thru 10/24 [3] · green = better rank · keys = our opinion from cited numbers

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NATIONAL RANK HEAD-TO-HEAD · CFBSTATS [3] · NU BLOCKED KICKS: 3 (RANK 4); UW: 0

CATEGORY	NU	UW	EDGE	CATEGORY	NU	UW	EDGE
Scoring offense	29	76		Red-zone defense	59	119	
Rushing offense	29	130		Sacks	25	88	
Passing offense	62	20		Sacks allowed	68	127	
Total offense	36	68		Tackles for loss	24	42	
3rd-down offense	15	119		Turnover margin	14	47	
4th-down offense	97	22		Interceptions	27	10	
Red-zone offense	20	48		Penalties	112	109	
Scoring defense	14	56		Time of possession	11	88	
Rushing defense	19	54		First downs	17	81	
Passing defense	17	60		Opp. first downs	6	67	
Total defense	9	51		Punting	47	8	
3rd-down defense	1	22		Field goals	132	42	
4th-down defense	126	22		PAT	93	1	

Bar = size of the rank gap (scarlet = Nebraska better, purple = Washington better). 1 = best of 138.

NEBRASKA OFFENSE vs UW DEFENSE

- Edge NU: run game (29 vs 54) and red zone (20 vs 119) [3].
- Edge UW: takeaways — 9 INTs (rank 10) [1][3].
- Even: 3rd down — NU O 15th vs UW D 22nd [3].
- UW allowed 4.5 YPC in four Big Ten games vs 3.0 in three non-conference games [4].

WASHINGTON OFFENSE vs NEBRASKA DEFENSE

- Edge NU: 3rd down (1 vs 119), run D (19 vs 130), pass rush (25 vs 127) [3].
- Edge UW: passing O is 20th — the quick game is their best unit [3][7].
- Watch: NU 4th-down D rank 126 vs UW 4th-down O rank 22 — expect UW to go for it [3].
- Late: 40 of NU's 108 points allowed came in Q4 [4].

KEYS TO VICTORY BY PHASE · OUR OPINION, EACH TIED TO A SOURCED NUMBER

DEFENSE

- Win 1st down, own 3rd & 5+: UW has 20% success on 2nd & 10-14 and 28% on 3rd & 5+ [7]; NU is No. 1 on 3rd down (19.3%) vs UW 119th [3].
- Rush four, keep two deep, rally to the quick game: 180 quick throws (40% of snaps); Roebuck 48-484 and Lawson 32-483 are the main targets [1][7].
- Fit the QB run if Williams plays (64 carries, 183 yds incl. sacks); 22 sacks allowed, 11 on 3rd down [1][7].

OFFENSE

- Commit to the run: Iowa ran 38 times for 263 vs UW; NU rush O rank 29, 5.04 YPC [2][3][4].
- Play-action off it: Iowa went 11-of-12 on PA vs UW [12]; our PA: 34 passes, 8.9 y/p, 6 gains of 20+ [20].
- Touchdowns, not field goals: UW RZ D rank 119 (22 of 24); NU FG 4-8 [1][2][3]. Protect it: UW 9 INT (rank 10) [1][3].

SPECIAL TEAMS

- Pressure every UW kick: NU has 3 blocked kicks (rank 4) [3][4].
- Know Cunanan's range: 0-3 from 50+, 3-3 inside 40; Robles 9-11, long 48 [1][4].
- Make Clark catch it: UW returns rank 110 (KR) / 112 (PR); 2 muffs in 2026 [3][4].

UW DEFENSE PROFILE (DC Walters)

FRONT	Film: 4-down on 96% of tagged snaps, avg box 6.3 (6-man 62%, 7-man 31%). EDGE Lane DT E. Davis DT Colman-Brusa EDGE Fruean (knee, GTD) / R. Davis II. LB Rainey-Sale or Alexander, Manu. Nickel Clark / J. Jones.
COVERAGE	Film: 2-high on 50% of readable snaps (WSU 84%, Minn 76%, USC 59%; Iowa 1-high 95%); RZ 2-high 88%. Pass D 60th: 60.7% comp, 7.0 y/att, 10 TD. Ball-hawks: 9 INT (10th), 26 PBU.
PRESSURE	Film: 4-man rush on nearly every dropback; 5+ blitz 2 of 122 (both S McLaughlin, both sacks). 13 sacks (88th); 0 vs Iowa. Manu 2.5, McLaughlin 2.5, R. Davis II 2.0.
RUN D	UW allows 3.84 ypc, all games (239-918, cfbstats; 54th), 131.1 yds/g. Big Ten 4.52 ypc (133-601). Iowa ran 38-263. October 4.76 ypc.
EXPLOSIVES	Allowed 45: 28 runs of 10+, 17 passes of 20+ (ESPN PBP, film-checked; one phantom WSU run removed). Film: 17 of 21 box-tagged explosive runs came vs a 6-man box or lighter.
3RD DOWN	28/89 = 31.5% (22nd). Their strength vs ours: NU 3rd-down 0 50/99 (15th).
RED ZONE	22/24 scores (91.7%, 119th), 14 TD. Big Ten opponents 16/16.
SCORING	22.7 pts/g (56th); 5.29 yds/play (51st).

UW RUN D BY DIRECTION (opp. view)

Dir	Car	Yds	YPC	Read
LEFT	50	318	6.36	Attack: OZ L
MIDDLE	112	496	4.43	Duo / IZ ok
RIGHT	54	208	3.85	Tougher

Derived from ESPN PBP direction tags, 216 non-sack rushes by UW opponents (official 239 includes sacks). Gap-level data not available.

NU SELF-SCOUT: BEST CONCEPTS (7 games)

OZ LEFT	17 snaps, 10.9 y/p, 59% success
QUICK GAME L	33 snaps, 7.3 y/p, 64%
QB RUN RIGHT	10 snaps, 8.7 y/p, 100%
PLAY-ACTION	34 PA passes, 8.9 y/p, 56%; 6 gains of 20+
12 PISTOL	19 snaps, 7.2 y/p, 58%
NU EXPLOSIVES	68 of 504 scrimmage plays (45 runs 10+, 23 passes 20+)
PASS vs 1-HIGH	8.2 y/p, 57% (vs 2-high: 6.9, 44%)
CAUTION	Inside zone: 130 snaps, 4.6 y/p, only 33% success. Motion runs 3.4 y/p.

SCRIPTED OPENING 15 (SUGGESTED CALLS; "why" = stat)

#	Call	Why
1	11 Gun 2x2: Quick game L (stick/hitch)	QG L: 64% success, 7.3 y/p. Easy completion, settles QB.
2	11 Gun 3x1: Outside zone LEFT	NU OZ L 10.9 y/p; UW allows 6.36 ypc to offense's left.
3	12 Pistol: Outside zone L / IZ tag	NU 12 Pistol: 58%, 7.2 y/p. Puts UW in base.
4	12 Pistol: PA shot off OZ L	NU PA on 2nd & 7+: 17.0 y/p, 71%. UW dropbacks faced vs a 7-man box: 9.6 y/p (film).
5	Gun: QB keep RIGHT (zone read)	NU QB run R: 10 of 10 successful, 8.7 y/p.
6	11 Empty: Quick game R	NU empty: 54%, 6.8 y/p; QG R 55%. Read the rush count.
7	11 Gun 2x2: RB screen	UW 43 TFL (42nd), a front that penetrates; NU RB screens went 51 and 25 yds.
8	11 Gun 3x1: OZ LEFT (repeat)	UW allowed 28 runs of 10+; runs vs a 6-man box 5.9 ypc (film).
9	Dropback: dig / seam MIDDLE	Dropback M 7.7 y/p; NU passing vs 1-high 8.2 y/p, 57%.
10	3rd & short: QB run	NU 3rd-down QB run: 7 of 8 successful (88%).
11	3rd & medium: Quick game (best side)	NU 3rd-down QG: 67%, 10.4 y/p. UW 3rd-down D is 22nd; win it.
12	12 Pistol: PA MIDDLE post	PA M produced 27 (Ohio) and 44 (MSU).
13	Heavy: Power (inside 5)	NU power inside the 5: 3 of 3 TDs. UW RZ D 119th.
14	11 Gun: OZ RIGHT (tendency breaker)	OZ R 5.7 y/p, 47%. Keeps UW from cheating left.
15	Dropback L: deep shot	Dropback L 6.8 y/p; gains of 32, 29 & 27 yds. UW has 0 sacks vs Iowa.

Self-scout stats = NU film charting (538 snaps, 7 games); success = 50/70/100% of yards to go on downs 1/2/3-4. *PFF via Seattle Times, cited in data/matchups.json. Call names are suggested; adjust to the call sheet language your staff uses.

KEY MATCHUP NUMBERS

NU RUSH 0 29th vs UW RUSH D 54th. NU rushing in Big Ten play: 149 carries, 572 yds; 33-78 at Oregon. OZ L (not IZ) leads.

NU RZ 0 20th vs UW RZ D 119th. Plan for TDs, not FGs: Cunanan is 4-8, long 40, 0-3 from 50+.

PASS PRO: UW rush is light (88th); 5 vs Indiana.

1st & 10

A Outside zone, lean L (57% on 1st & 10, 9.3 y/p)
B QB run (55%) / 12 Pistol PA
AVOID Inside zone: 31% on 1st & 10
UW Film: 6-man box on 68%: spread + run

2nd & SHORT (1-3)

A PA shot: free play (SUGGESTED)
B Duo M / QB keep R

2nd & MEDIUM (4-6)

A Quick game L / R (64% / 55%)
B OZ L, RB screen

2nd & LONG (7+)

A Play-action (7 snaps, 71%, 17.0 y/p)
B Quick game (53%, 9.2 y/p); QB run 80%
AVOID Dropback (27%) and IZ (26%)

3rd & SHORT (1-3)

A QB run / Power (QB run 5 of 5, power 3 of 3)
B IZ (60%); PA if they load 8+

3rd & MEDIUM (4-6)

A Quick game (67% on 3rd)
B QB draw / scramble (43%)

3rd & LONG (7+)

A Dropback dig / seam vs 1-high
B RB screen: punt-safe vs pressure
UW 2-high, 4-man: QB draw (USU +17)

RED ZONE (20-6)

A QB run (4 of 6, 3 TD)
B Quick game (4 snaps, 2 TD); OZ / Duo
UW 91.7% scores allowed; film 2-high 88% in RZ

GOAL LINE (5-in)

A Heavy Power (3 of 3 TD)
B Duo (1 TD); play-action (2 snaps)

2-MINUTE

A Quick game (13 snaps, 54%, 2 TD)
B Dropback (60%, 12.1 y/p); QB scramble
NOTE Clock check at 0:40: QG to the sideline

4-MINUTE (KILL CLOCK)

A OZ L / Duo from 12 Pistol
B QB keep R; quick game L to move chains
NOTE NU TOP 39:33 vs Indiana

BACKED UP (own 1-10)

A 12 Pistol OZ L (no backfield-deep runs)
B Quick game L (64%); no 7-step drops
NOTE Backed-up NU sample = 0 snaps: all SUGGESTED

UW CALLS BY DOWN & DISTANCE (448 charted snaps)

Situation	Snaps	Run%	Top calls (count)	ANSWER*
1st & 10+	186	44%	QG L 30, IZ 28, QB run 20, QG R 20	2-high, fit IZ with 6-7
1st & <10	20	65%	IZ 8, QG R 4, RB run R 3	Fit IZ, tackle
2nd & 1-4	37	57%	IZ 12, QG R 7, RB run R 4	Squeeze IZ, play the run
2nd & 5-9	59	41%	QG R 13, QG L 10, IZ 9, QB run 7	Sink flats, rally
2nd & 10+	47	34%	QG R 13, QG L 7, RB run R 6, QB run 5	Spy QB on draws
3rd & 1-4	30	43%	QG L 7, QG R 6, RB run R 4, QB run 4	Tight man; plug QB
3rd & 5-9	36	25%	QG L 8, QG R 6, QB run 6, sacked 5	4-man rush + sticky under
3rd & 10+	21	14%	QG M 4, deep shot 4, QG R 4, QB run 3	Cap it, rally to sticks
4th & 1-4	8	25%	IZ 2, QG L 2, QG M 2	Gap-sound, fit QB
4th & 5+	4	25%	QG M, QB run, QG R, QG L (1 each)	Sticks coverage

Rows total all 448 scrimmage snaps (186+20+37+59+47+30+36+21+8+4). No snaps excluded; 2-pt tries and pre-snap penalties are not scrimmage snaps.

UW CALLS BY FIELD ZONE

Zone	Snaps	Run%	Y/P	Top calls
Backed up (<25)	85	39%	6.7	QG L 16, IZ 12, QB run 10
Own 25-34	76	38%	5.2	IZ 13, QG R 13, QG L 13
Own 35-50	76	33%	8.2	QG L 11, QG R 11, IZ 9
Opp 36-50	69	35%	7.8	QG L 15, DEEP SHOT 10
Opp 21-35	44	41%	6.5	QG R 13, QB run 6
Red zone 6-20	70	54%	3.6	QG R 16, QB run 15, RB R 9
Goal line 5-in	28	61%	1.6	IZ 12 of 28

QG = quick game (41% of all snaps; 89% of snaps from shotgun). *ANSWER = SUGGESTED CALL. Source: film/tendency_summary_washington.md.

UW ALERTS (film)

TARGETS	Roebuck 64, Lawson 41, R. Williams 33, TE Naone 21, TE DeGraaf 39.
CARRIES	Bonner 64 (38 middle), Williams Jr. 45, Cooley 33. Inside zone 4.0 ypc.
PLAY-ACTION	Only 10 snaps but 12.4 y/p, 70% success; 8 came from UC single back.
SHOT ZONE	10 of 27 deep balls thrown between midfield and opp 36.
NO-HUDDLE	38 snaps, 4.6 y/p, 45% success.

TOP FORMATIONS + HUSKER ANSWER

Formation	Snaps	Run%	SUGGESTED answer
S6 / Gun offset	398	37%	Nickel, 4-down, 2-high; rally on QG L/R
UC single back	19	58%	PA tell (8 of 19): safeties eyes on run/pass keys
Pistol	16	94%	RUN (15 of 16): base, 7 in box, squeeze IZ
UC I / offset	7	100%	RUN (7 of 7): heavy, spill to LBs
S6 2-back	5	40%	Stay sound; fit QB

PRESSURE + COVERAGE (what worked vs UW)

4-MAN HEAT	Minn + Iowa: 13 of the 22 sacks; UW 4.6 y/p vs them (6.1 vs others). UW 127th in sacks allowed.
2-HIGH	Pass vs 2-high: 5.4 y/att, 13 sacks; vs 1-high 8.3. Runs vs 2-high only 4.5 ypc.
3RD & 5+	UW 28% success; 11 of 22 sacks on 3rd. NU 3rd-down D is No. 1 (19.3%).
RED ZONE	UW 3.6 y/p, 37% success. GL/6-down fronts held them to 1.1 y/p.
BALL	8 TO on film; Purdue picked Brown 3 times. USC: 48-yd strip-sack return TD.
SUGGESTED	Base 4-down nickel, 2-high; pressure with 4 on 3rd & 5+; cap the opp 36-50 shot zone.

QB BY SITUATION (dropbacks incl. sacks)

QB	Situation	Snaps	Y/P	Succ	Sk / Expl
Williams Jr.	All	193	6.7	47%	17 / 17
	1st down	78	9.5	60%	6 / 11
	2nd down	59	6.2	47%	3 / 4
	3rd down	49	2.0	22%	8 / 1
	Red zone	27	3.6	41%	1 / 0
Brown	All	72	7.7	58%	3 / 12
	1st down	33	7.5	55%	0 / 5
	2nd down	22	6.5	55%	2 / 3
	3rd down	15	9.9	67%	1 / 4
	Red zone	15	2.5	47%	0 / 0

Film charting, 448-snap file (QB tagged on 265 dropbacks). Williams Jr. on 3rd: 22% success and 8 sacks. Brown on 3rd: 67% success. Small samples for Brown. Expl = runs 10+, passes 20+. Sk counts only (QB-tagged dropbacks; full film file: Williams 19 sacks overall, 10 on 3rd down (table: 17 and 8)).

QB PLAN: WILLIAMS JR. (QB1, fractured rib)

PASS	116/174, 1,396 yds, 8 TD, 3 INT; sacked 19 times.
SHORT	85% of throws are short. Short L 44/63, R 48/65.
DEEP	7 of 22 deep (L 3/10, R 2/10).
RUNS	45-292 (6.5 ypc); right side 9-96 (10.7).
SUGGESTED	Contain rush, spy on 3rd; force him LEFT; hit the rib legally and often. Squat on QG, dare deep.

QB PLAN: BROWN (if he starts; not announced till kickoff)

PASS	51/69, 578 yds, 7 TD, 3 INT; sacked 3 times.
ZONES	Short mid 12/14; short R 21/30 (4 TD); deep 3/6.
RECENT	Iowa 28-39, 251, 3 TD; Purdue 21-27, 302, 3 TD, 3 INT.
RUNS	Not a run threat on film (QB run game is Williams).
SUGGESTED	Drop 7 and wall the middle; disguise 2-high to rotate; play the ball: he has thrown INTs into it.

SPECIAL TEAMS

UW K	Robles 9-11, long 48. 20-29 3-4, 30-39 4-4, 40-49 2-3, 50+ none tried. PAT 22-22.
UW P	Green 47.9 avg (8th), long 64, net 43.3, 10 I20, 11 FC. KO 7/7 TB at Purdue.
UW RET	Clark PR/KR. PR 5.9 avg (112th), KR 17.6 (110th). Muffs: Robinson punt at UW 10 (Purdue rec.), Clark KO (kept).
FAKES	None on ST film or PBP. 1 onside (MINN Q4).
NU	Cunanan 4-8, long 40, 0-3 from 50+. Wilson 44.2, net 42.2. 3 blocked kicks (4th nat'l).
SUGGESTED	Pressure punts (Green: 0 blocked); squib/hang KOs to test Clark; FG range inside opp 23.

UW EXPLOSIVES: 48 on film (runs 10+, passes 20+)

BY CALL	Deep shot 9, intermediate 8, QB run 7, RB run R 5, QG L 5, IZ 4, QG R 3, other 7.
BY ZONE	Opp 36-50: 11; own 35-50: 10; own 25-34: 10; backed up: 9; opp 21-35: 5; red zone: 3.
BY DOWN	1st: 27; 2nd: 12; 3rd: 7; 4th: 2.
WHO	Lawson 8, Williams Jr. 7, Roebuck 7, Bonner 6, R. Williams 5, Cooley 3, others 12.
CHECK	19 runs + 29 passes; matches the ESPN PBP season count exactly. Scrimmage plays only; no penalty plays or sacks.

KEYS TO WIN

1. WIN 3RD DOWN

NU D No. 1 (19.3%) vs UW 119th (33.3%); UW went 1-12 at USC, 1-10 vs Minn.

2. 4-MAN HEAT

UW allowed 22 sacks (127th). NU has 19 (25th).

3. RUN OZ LEFT

UW 4.52 ypc in Big Ten play; 6.36 to offense's left.

4. FINISH IN THE RZ

UW RZ D 119th (91.7%); NU RZ O 20th.

5. TAKE THE BALL

NU +6 margin (14th); UW gave it away 5 times at Purdue.

DEPTH CHART — WASHINGTON HUSKIES

Week 9 at Nebraska · OFFICIAL depth chart, UW game notes Mon Oct 26 (p.9) [5] · flags: news thru Oct 28 AM [8][9][31], not a B1G report

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OUT out DOUBT doubtful Q questionable / playing hurt PROB probable

Starter in bold, backups listed below in chart order · names/numbers exactly as on the official chart

OFFENSE · LINED UP ON THE FIELD (OFFICIAL OCT 26 CHART)

LOS

WR (X)

8 Chris Lawson
2-SO · 32-483, 2 TD
16 Justice Williams
11 Jordan Clay

LT

76 Kodi Greene
FR
68 Soane Faasolo

LG

72 John Mills
2-SO
56 Geirean Hatchett

C

55 Kolt Dieterich OR
4-JR · started Iowa, Purdue
66 Landen Hatchett OUT

RG

73 Champ Taulealea OR
2-FR · started Iowa, Purdue
56 Geirean Hatchett

RT

74 Drew Azzopardi
5-SR
70 Justin Hylkema

TE

86 Decker DeGraaf OR
3-JR · 13-135, 2 TD
85 Baron Naone
44 Kade Eldridge

WR (Z)

2 Dezmen Roebuck
2-SO · 48-484, 3 TD
6 Mason James

QB

1 Demond Williams Jr. Q
3-JR · 116-174, 1,396, 8 TD
7 Elijah Brown

RB

34 Brian Bonner Jr.
FR · 64-296, 1 TD
22 Trey Cooley
17 Jayden Limar Q

SLOT

3 Rashid Williams
4-JR · 19-285, 3 TD
12 Trez Davis

WASHINGTON

DEFENSE · LINED UP ON THE FIELD (OFFICIAL OCT 26 CHART)

WASHINGTON

S

4 Rylon Dillard-Allen
2-SO · 32 tkl, 2 INT
21 Gavin Day

S

7 Alex McLaughlin
4-SR · 48 tkl, 2 INT
15 Rahim Wright II

LB

23 Zaydrius Rainey-Sale OR
2-SO · 30 tkl, 4 TFL
10 Xe'ree Alexander

LB

9 Jacob Manu
5-SR · 40 tkl, 2.5 sk
0 Taariq Al-Uqdah

NICKEL

2 Rahshawn Clark OR
3-SO
24 Jeron Jones

CB

6 Dylan Robinson
2-SO · 31 tkl
24 Jeron Jones

EDGE

48 Jacob Lane
4-JR · 6 TFL, 1 sk
12 Logan George

DT

90 Elinneus Davis
4-JR
18 Kai McClendon

DT

5 Derek Colman-Brusa
FR
33 Darin Conley

EDGE

11 Ramzak Fruean
FR · knee
Russell Davis II

CB

3 Emmanuel Karnley
4-JR
26 Elias Johnson

SPECIALISTS

PK 95 Tyler Robles 4-JR · FG 9-11, PAT 22-22	KO 93 Hunter Green 4-SR · 7/7 TB at Purdue	P 93 Hunter Green 4-SR · 47.9 avg, 10 I20	LS 53 Ryan Kean 5-SR 42 Ben Ferber	KR 2 Rahshawn Clark 3-SO · 13-221	PR 2 Rahshawn Clark 3-SO · 7-47
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EXPERIENCE · NOTES · STATUS

• QB: Williams Jr. is listed first, then Brown. Fisch will not name a starter; Williams has a fractured rib, decision by Thursday. Brown started and won at Purdue (21-27, 302, 3 TD) [4][5][8][9].

• C Landen Hatchett (co-listed with Dieterich) is OUT for the season. Iowa/Purdue OL starters: Mills, Dieterich, L. Hatchett, Taulealea, Azzopardi; Greene started the first 5 at LT [4][5][8].

• RB: Bonner Jr. (64-296) then Cooley (expected available). Limar back at practice for the first time since Sep 6; Sanoe, Jordan Washington, Carr, McMahan OUT [4][8].

• Defense: four-man front; EDGE Fruean (knee) game-time decision, Russell Davis II (2.0 sacks) behind him; DTs McClendon and Watts expected to play. Green now handles kickoffs and punts [1][5][8].

Order per the official Washington depth chart in the Oct 26 game notes [5]. 'OR' = co-listed. Yr = class tag. Exp = 2026 production from the 7 official box scores [4] / cfbstats [1]. Flags = Fisch, Mon Oct 26 [8][9]: OUT = out / season-ending; Q = injured, status open. The first Big Ten availability report posts Wed Oct 28 [25].

STATUS (Fisch, Mon Oct 26 [8][9] — not an official report): OUT C Landen Hatchett (season), RB Ansu Sanoe, RB Jordan Washington, RB Quaid Carr, RB Julian McMahan. Q QB Demond Williams Jr. (fractured rib), EDGE Ramzak Fruean (knee, game-time), RB Jayden Limar (back at practice).

Jersey numbers per ESPN box scores [4] and UW notes [5]. Big Ten availability reports post Wed/Thu/Fri of game week + game day [25].

DEPTH CHART — NEBRASKA CORNHUSKERS

Week 9 vs Washington · OFFICIAL chart, NU game notes Mon Oct 26 (p.18) [6] · flags: Rhule Oct 26 [10], coordinators Oct 27 [30] + Oct 19 [11]

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OUT out DOUBT doubtful Q questionable / playing hurt PROB probable

Starter in bold, backups listed below in chart order · names/numbers exactly as on the official chart

OFFENSE · LINED UP ON THE FIELD (OFFICIAL OCT 26 CHART)

LOS

WR (X)

1 Nyziah Hunter
Sr. · 26 GS
18 Quinn Clark

LT

57 Elijah Pritchett
5th · 27 GS
68 Preston Taumua **PROB**
50 Hayden Ainsworth

LG

65 Paul Mubenga
Sr. · 16 GS
75 Tyler Knaak

C

51 Justin Evans
5th · 37 GS
62 Sam Sledge

RG

54 Brendan Black **Q**
Sr. · 36 GS
72 Gibson Pyle

RT

77 Gunnar Gottula **OR** **Q**
Sr. · 22 GS
55 Tree Babalade
68 Preston Taum **PROB**

TE

8 Luke Lindenmeyer
5th · 26 GS
4 Janiran Bonner **OR**
29/82 Nelson **OR** Ingwerson

WR (Z)

3 Kwazi Gilmer
Jr. · 25 GS
19 Cortez Mills Jr.
6 Roman Mangini

QB

10 Anthony Colandrea
Sr. · 37 GS
14 TJ Lateef **OR**
12 Daniel Kaelin

RB

22 Isaiah Mozee **OR** **OUT**
So. · 2 GS
13 Mekhi Nelson **OR**
25 Jamal Rule
21 Kwinten Ives **OR**
30 Vincent Genaton **OUT**

SLOT

2 Jacory Barney Jr.
Jr. · 23 GS
15 Keelan Smith **OR**
11 Demetrius Bell

NEBRASKA

DEFENSE · LINED UP ON THE FIELD (OFFICIAL OCT 26 CHART)

NEBRASKA

S

26 Dwayne McDougle III
5th · 27 GS
13 Rex Guthrie

OUT

S

4 Jamir Conn
Sr. · 17 GS
28 Caleb Benning
12 Justyn Rhett

Q

LB

24 Dexter Foster OR
Jr. · 17 GS
10 Vincent Shavers Jr.
42 Derek Wacker

LB

0 Owen Chambliss
Sr. · 25 GS
40 Dawson Merritt

NICKEL

8 Donovan Jones
Jr. · 17 GS
31 Mario Buford OR
23 Blye Hill

CB

7 Andrew Marshall
Sr. · 33 GS
25 Jeremiah Charles
29 Braylen Prude

DE

96 Williams Nwaneri
Jr. · 13 GS
93 Kade Pietrzak
33 Jeremiah Jones

DT

34 Owen Stoudmire
6th · 11 GS
44 Riley Van Po

DOUBT

53/90 Hoffken OR Berymon

DT

1 Jahsear Whittington
Jr. · 7 GS
71 Tyson Terry OR
92/86 Lefotu OR Goldman

DE

2 Cameron Lenhardt
Sr. · 15 GS
94 Jordan Ochoa

CB

22 Victor Evans III
Sr. · 13 GS
16 Danny Odem III
11 Larry Tarver Jr.

SPECIALISTS

PK 91 Kyle Cunanan OR Sr. · 32 GS 90 John Hohl	KO 90 John Hohl Sr.	P / H 83 Archie Wilson So. · P · 16 GS 37 Kamdyn Koch	LS 55 Jack Wills So. 50 Kyson Gana	KR 22 Isaiah Mozee OUT So. 1 Nyziah Hunter 2 Jacory Barney Jr. 13 Mekhi Nelson	PR 2 Jacory Barney Jr. Jr. 7 Andrew Marshall OR 22 Isaiah Mozee OUT
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EXPERIENCE · NOTES · STATUS

- DE: Anthony Jones Jr. is off the chart after foot surgery (not ruled out for the season). Lenhardt / Ochoa now at one DE; Nwaneri / Pietrzak / Jeremiah Jones at the other [6][10].
 - RB: Mozee and Genatone still out; Rule and Mekhi Nelson (ankles) helped by the bye; Nelson added at KR [6][10].
 - OL: Babalade (RT) and Gottula (LG) started the last two games; Black (RG) playing with a broken hand per the Oct 19 report [6][11].
 - Secondary: S Jamir Conn likely questionable; Benning started at S at Oregon, Rhett behind him [6][10].
- Washington-week official two-deep from the Oct 26 game notes [6]. 'OR' = co-listed. Yr = class as listed by Nebraska. Exp = career starts from the Oct 12 notes [6]. Flags: Rhule Mon Oct 26 [10]; Gottula / Black from the Oct 19 report (no Oct 26 update) [11]. OUT = said out; Q = questionable / playing hurt. First Big Ten report: Wed Oct 28 [25].
- STATUS (Rhule, Mon Oct 26 [10]; Oct 19 report [11] — not an official report): OUT RB Isaiah Mozee, RB Vincent Genatone; DE Anthony Jones Jr. (foot surgery, off chart). Q S Jamir Conn (likely questionable), OL Gunnar Gottula (head), OL Brendan Black (hand, cast).
- The first Big Ten availability report posts Wed Oct 28; Thu, Fri and game-day reports follow [25].

AVAILABILITY — BOTH TEAMS (NEWS AS OF WED OCT 28 AM)

News, not an official report: Fisch Oct 26 [8][9][31]; Rhule Oct 26 [10]; NU coordinators Oct 27 [30]; Oct 19 [11] · 1st B1G report Wed eve. [25]

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WASHINGTON

PLAYER	FLAG	STATUS / NOTE
QB Demond Williams Jr.	Q	Fractured rib; split 1st-team reps with Brown in the bye. Fisch expects to decide Wed/Thu but will not announce; starter likely not known until kickoff (Rhule: 'We won't know until the first snap'). Listed QB1 on the Oct 26 chart [5][8][10][31].
C Landen Hatchett	OUT	Out for the season (head / neck / spine injury in bye week; announced Oct 26). Co-listed with Dieterich at C [5][8][9].
EDGE Ramzak Fruean	Q	Knee (hurt at Purdue) — likely game-time decision. Russell Davis II (2.0 sacks) behind him [1][5][8].
RB Jayden Limar	Q	Elbow — getting practice reps for the first time since Sep 6; Fisch: 'we'll see what that looks like' [8][31].
RB Trey Cooley	—	Shoulder — expected available [8].
DT Kai McClendon / DT DeShaun Watts	—	Expected to play [8].
RBs Ansu Sanoe (foot sprain), Jordan Washington (neck), Quaid Carr (hand), Julian McMahan (lower leg)	OUT	Out; UW RBs available: Cooley, Bonner Jr., Moon (+ Limar if cleared) [8][31].
LB Xe'ree Alexander	?	No new public update found; co-listed with Rainey-Sale on the Oct 26 chart [5].

NEBRASKA

PLAYER	FLAG	STATUS / NOTE
S Jamir Conn	Q	Likely questionable [10]. Benning started at S at Oregon; Rhett behind him [6].
DE Anthony Jones Jr.	OUT	Foot surgery; NOT ruled out for the season; removed from the Oct 26 depth chart [6][10].
RB Jamal Rule / RB Mekhi Nelson	—	Ankles; the bye week helped [10]. Holgorsen Tue Oct 27: all three RBs banged up, 'looked fast and fresh' at Monday practice [30].
RB Isaiah Mozee, RB Vincent Genatone	OUT	Still down per Rhule [10].
OL Gunnar Gottula (head), OL Brendan Black (broken hand)	Q	Per the Oct 19 report; Black playing in a cast; no Oct 26 update [11].

WHAT IT MEANS (SUGGESTED CALL)

- Prepare for both QBs: Williams = QB run threat and 19 sacks taken; Brown = more quick game, won at Purdue (21-27, 302, 3 TD, 3 INT) [4][7].
- UW's OL loses a starting center (L. Hatchett) — test the interior with games and A-gap pressure on 3rd & 5+ [4][8].
- First Big Ten availability report posts Wed Oct 28 evening (not out at press time); Thu, Fri and game-day reports follow [25].

SUMMARY — KEYS TO THE GAME

Week 9 · Washington at Nebraska · Sat Oct 31, 2026, 7 PM CT, BTN · updated Wed Oct 28 AM · stats thru Oct 24, news thru Oct 28 AM

THREE KEYS (OUR OPINION, FROM THE CITED NUMBERS)

- 1. WIN 1ST DOWN, THEN HUNT THE QB: UW gains 7.9 yds/play on 1st & 10 but has 20% success on 2nd & 10-14 and has allowed 22 sacks (rank 127; 7 vs Minnesota, 6 vs Iowa) — 11 of them on 3rd down [1][3][7]. Our D allows 19.3% on 3rd down, No. 1 nationally [2][3].
- 2. SQUEEZE THE QUICK GAME, DON'T LOSE THE TOP: 180 of 448 UW snaps were quick throws on film [7]; Brown hit 21 of 27 at Purdue and Cooley broke a 53-yd TD [4][23]. Suggested call: rush four, two deep, tackle the catch.
- 3. RUN IT LIKE IOWA AND PROTECT THE BALL: Iowa ran 38 times for 263 in a 41-24 win at UW and went 11-of-12 on play-action [4][12]; we run 5.04 YPC [2]. UW has 9 INT (rank 10) [1][3]; we have 4 giveaways. UW allows red-zone scores on 22 of 24 trips (rank 119) — finish with TDs (our FGs: 4-8) [1][2][3].

QUICK REFERENCE

ITEM	DETAIL
Kickoff / TV	Sat Oct 31, 7 PM CT, BTN; Huskers Radio Network; Memorial Stadium (blackout) [22][26]
UW QB	Williams Jr. (fractured rib) listed first; Brown started and won at Purdue; Fisch won't name a starter; likely not known until kickoff [5][8][31]
UW out / watch	OUT: C L. Hatchett (season), RBs Sanoe, J. Washington, Carr, McMahan. GTD: EDGE Fruean (knee). Limar back at practice [8][9]
NU out / watch	RB Mozee, RB Genatone out; DE A. Jones Jr. (foot surgery) off chart; S Conn likely questionable; Black (hand) [6][10][11]
Availability report	First Big Ten report: Wed Oct 28 evening, not out at press time (then Thu / Fri / game day) [25]
Weather (NWS)	Lincoln, issued 7:46 AM CDT Oct 28: Sat 50% showers, high near 68; Sat night chance of showers mainly before 1 AM, low ~54, ESE ~6 mph to calm [29]
Stakes	A win makes Nebraska (5-2) bowl eligible [30]
Film status	UW offense charted from all 7 games (448 snaps) [7]; UW defense 314 of 442 snaps [27]; UW special teams from film [28]. Call sheet: pp. CS-1, CS-2

SEASON AT A GLANCE · CFBSTATS THRU 10/24 [1][2]

	WASHINGTON	NEBRASKA
Record	4-3 (1-3 B1G)	5-2 (2-2 B1G)
Points / game · allowed	27.9 · 22.7	35.6 · 15.4
Yards / play · allowed	5.99 · 5.29	5.98 · 4.55
Rushing · YPC allowed	728 yds, 3.52 YPC · 3.84	1,361 yds, 5.04 YPC · 3.20
Passing	168-245, 1,979, 16 TD, 6 INT	146-234, 1,651, 15 TD, 4 INT
3rd down · opp. 3rd down	33.3% · 31.5%	50.5% · 19.3%
Red zone · opp. red zone	30-34 · 22-24	25-27 · 14-17
Sacks allowed · made	22 · 13	14* · 19
Turnover margin	+2	+6
Penalties	54-472	56-481
Time of possession	29:09	33:08

* NU sacks allowed: cfbstats 14; NU game notes and ESPN PBP 13 (unresolved) [2][4][6]. Explosive = run 10+ / pass 20+ yds, scrimmage plays only (matches the ESPN PBP count).

CORRECTIONS VS THE OCT 21 VERSION OF THIS REPORT

- UW sacks allowed 22 (not 20): WSU 0, USU 2, EWU 1, MINN 7, USC 5, IOWA 6, PUR 1 [1][5]. Williams took 19 (film and season), Brown 3 [7].
- Explosives on one standard everywhere: run 10+ / pass 20+, scrimmage plays only. UW offense 48 (19 runs, 29 passes) on film = ESPN PBP [4][7].
- UW opponent punt returns 15-116, 7.7 (not 15-134, 8.9) [1]. Green inside-20 punts: 10 (not 9); Green is the KO specialist [5]. Sack leaders add Russell Davis II (2.0) [1].
- Depth charts: both official Oct 26 charts used (TwoDeep dropped) [5][6]. QB order: Williams Jr., then Brown; no starter named [5][8]. C Landen Hatchett out for season [8][9].
- Injury lists updated to Oct 26 (Sanoe OUT, not 'back'; Limar back at practice) [8][10]. UW tendency pages now use our film charting instead of play-by-play [7].
- Williams passing: 116-174, 1,396 yds, 8 TD, 3 INT (cfbstats) [1]. Opponent explosives vs UW: 45 (28 runs, 17 passes) — the WSU Q2 09:43 Vorhees 10-yd run was nullified, and sack yards now come from the PBP text (EWU -13, MINN -7, USC -9) [4][27].

SOURCES

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Every number in this report traces to one of these sources · claim-by-claim audit: week9/audit.md · no betting lines, spreads or odds used anywhere

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