WEEK ONE
NORTHERN ARIZONA AT UTEP

EL PASO, Texas -- Case Cookus and Emmanuel Butler combined on two touchdowns as Northern Arizona continued UTEP's winless streak from last season with a 30-10 victory on Saturday night.

UTEP opened its 101st football season under new coach Dana Dimel. The Miners last won a game when they rolled over North Texas 52-24 in the 2016 season finale.

Cookus was 19-of-26 passing for 211 yards with Butler hauling in six passes for 138 yards. One was an 84-yard touchdown sprint early in the second quarter to give the Lumberjacks a 17-0 lead. UTEP closed to 17-10 after Quardraiz Wadley broke for a 32-yard scoring run and Jason Filley booted a 24-yard field goal.

Northern Arizona quickly tacked on 13 more points in the third and coasted to the win. Joe Logan added 74 yards rushing with one touchdown for the Lumberjacks.

Kam'ron Johnson and Wes Sutton had an interception apiece for NAU. Kai Locksley threw for 120 yards for UTEP.

Final	1	2	3	4	T
NAU	10	7	13	0	30
UTEP	0	10	0	0	10

Scoring Summary ---------------

FIRST QUARTER	NA	UTEP

TD 11:10
Cory Young 1 Yd Run (Griffin Roehler Kick)
7 plays, 49 yards, 0:00 ..... 7 0
FG 2:11
Griffin Roehler 26 Yd Field Goal
7 plays, 17 yards, 2:05 ..... 10 0

SECOND QUARTER	NA	UTEP

TD 5:04
Emmanuel Butler 84 Yd pass from Case Cookus (Griffin Roehler Kick)
1 play, 84 yards, 0:00 ..... 17 0
TD 2:42
Quardraiz Wadley 32 Yd Run (Jason Filley Kick)
4 plays, 77 yards, 2:21 ..... 17 7
FG 0:00
Jason Filley 24 Yd Field Goal
11 plays, 81 yards, 1:51 ..... 17 10

THIRD QUARTER	NA	UTEP

TD 11:10
C. Cookus pass,to E. Butler for 6 yds for a TD, (G. Roehler PAT MISSED)
11 plays, 75 yards, 3:50 ..... 23 10
TD 2:13
Joe Logan 8 Yd Run (Luis Aguilar Kick)
1 play, 8 yards, 0:00 ..... 30 10

Team Stats	NA	UTEP
First Downs	14	15
Total Yards	318	229
Total Plays	62	67
Avg Gain Per Play	5.1	3.4
Net Yards Rushing	107	102
Rushes	36	36
Yards Per Rush	3.0	2.8
Net Yards Passing	211	127
Comp-Att	19-26	15-31
Yards Per Pass	8.1	4.1
Times Sacked	5	1
Yds Lost To Sacks	-37	-6
Interceptions	1	2
Punts	6	8
Punt Average	45.3	39.9
Penalties	7	10
Penalty Yards	70	76
Fumbles	0	2
Fumbles Lost	0	1

Individual Stats

RUSHING

NA	Rush	Yds	Avg	Long	TD
22 Joe Logan	18	74	4.1	9	1
2 Nate Stinson	9	23	2.6	12	0
6 Cory Young	5	19	3.8	7	1
31 Aramis Aldredge	1	2	2.0	2	0
21 Sherrod Paige	1	-3	-3.0	0	0
10 Daniel Bridge-Gadd	1	-6	-6.0	0	0

utep	Rush	Yds	Avg	Long	TD
1 Kai Locksley	18	50	2.8	19	0
4 Quardraiz Wadley	8	43	5.4	32	1
5 Keynan Foster	1	12	12.0	12	0
19 Treyvon Hughes	2	10	5.0	9	0
6 Joshua Fields	2	9	4.5	7	0
38 Winston Dimel	1	1	1.0	1	0
7 Kavika Johnson	1	0	0.0	0	0
12 Ryan Metz	3	-23	-7.7	0	0

PASSING

NA	Comp	Att	Yds	Y/A	TD	Int	QBRat
15 Case Cookus	19	26	211	8.1	2	1	158.9
10 Daniel Bridge-Gadd	0	0	0	-	0	0	-

UTEP	Comp	Att	Yds	Y/A	TD	Int	QBRat
1 Kai Locksley	13	26	120	4.6	0	1	81.1
12 Ryan Metz	2	5	7	1.4	0	1	11.8

RECEIVING

NA	Rec	Yds	Avg	Long	TD
1 Emmanuel Butler	6	138	23.0	84	2
18 Brandon Porter	5	29	5.8	14	0
7 Chancellor Brewington	2	19	9.5	11	0
85 Matthew Kempton	1	12	12.0	12	0
2 Nate Stinson	2	7	3.5	5	0
22 Joe Logan	2	3	1.5	6	0
6 Cory Young	1	3	3.0	3	0
81 Justis Stokes	0	0	-	-	0

UTEP	Rec	Yds	Avg	Long	TD
26 Walter Dawn Jr.	3	30	10.0	21	0
10 Warren Redix	4	29	7.3	10	0
4 Quardraiz Wadley	1	26	26.0	26	0
18 David Lucero	2	20	10.0	12	0
38 Winston Dimel	2	10	5.0	7	0
86 Josh Weeks	1	4	4.0	4	0
7 Kavika Johnson	1	4	4.0	4	0
2 Terry Juniel	1	4	4.0	4	0
5 Keynan Foster	0	0	-	-	0