

OHIO ST BUCKEYES

POSITION OUTLOOK FOR 2010

QUARTERBACKS - There are some eerie similarities between Terrelle Pryor (PS#1) and Texas' Vince Young (PS#2). Neither began their freshman year as a starter (Young was a RS) but both took over the job by season's end. Young caught a lot of flack midway through his soph season before his team won their final 7 including the Rose Bowl. The next year Young was the most improved passer in the NCAA going from 1,849 (59%, 12-11, 1079 rush) to 3,036 (65%, 26-10, 1050 rush). He guided Texas to the National Championship that year. LY Pryor was criticized by the fans at midyear with some calling for him to move to WR but OSU won their final 6 and Pryor had a phenomenal Rose Bowl hitting 23-37 for 266 (72 rush). As a true frosh in '08 he threw for 1,311 (61%, 12-4, 631 rush) while starting 10. Last year he threw for 2,094 (56.6%, 18-11) and was the #1 rusher (779, 4.8). Pryor was the first QB to lead Ohio St in rushing since Les Horvath in 1944 (won Heisman). Twenty-five year old Jr Joe Bauserman (PS#59, 3-6 in '08) hit just 6-19 for 124 in '09. Last year Pryor was the media's Big Ten Preseason OPOY but only made HM All-Big Ten by year's end. Pryor has an outstanding shot at being the 3rd Buckeye QB to win the Heisman.

RUNNING BACKS - Antonio Pittman became just the 5th OSU RB to have B2B 1,000 yard seasons including 1,233 (5.1) in '06. True frosh Chris "Beanie" Wells (PS#1) had 576 (5.5) in '06 and then an OSU soph record 1,609 (5.9) in '07. Despite missing 3 in '08, he rushed for 1,197 (5.8) and was the team's MVP becoming the 6th Buckeye RB to earn that B2B 1,000 yd seasons distinction. Dan "Boom" Herron (PS#44) was the #2 RB in '08 with 439 (4.9). Last year they had to replace Wells (#1 DC ARZ). I surprised many Buckeye followers by projecting Brandon Saine (PS#2) as the top RB. Saine had an injury plagued first 2 yrs but was indeed the top RB rusher with 739 (5.1) in '09. Herron, despite missing 3, had more carries than Saine but rushed for 600 and just 3.9 ypc. True frosh Jordan Hall (PS#45) added 248 (5.2) and due to injuries, FB Jermil Martin (5'10" 235 So) moved to TB and had 84 (7.6). This year the unit returns intact and gets the big addition of rFr Jaamal Berry (PS#7) who is speedy and powerful (RS '09 hamstring). Not listed below are Hall (5'9" 195 So), Bo DeLande (5'11" 195 Jr), Martin as well as FB's Adam Homan (6'2" 238 So, PS#53) and James Georgiades (5'11" 240 So). After having their streak of four straight 1,000 yard rushers snapped, I look for one of the backs to top it this season.

RECEIVERS - Ohio St is quickly becoming another "WR U." They had three 1st round WR picks in '06 and '07 combined. Last year they had to replace #2 and #4 DC's. Dane Sanzenbacher (PS#106) was the top returnee (272, 13.0 in '08). I expected big things out of DeVier Posey (PS#4). Posey (11 rec true) took charge and led with 828 (13.8) while Sanzenbacher had 570 (15.8). Ray Small (PS#14) was in and out of the doghouse (175, 11.7). TE Jake Ballard had 150 (10.7) and true frosh Duron Carter (PS#33, Chris' son) had 176 (13.5). This year they must replace Ballard (13 st) and also lose Small (4 st). Not listed below are Ricky Crawford (6'3" 215 Sr), Garrett Hummel (5'11" 195 Sr) and TE Spencer Smith (6'2" 236 Jr). This is a much more exp'd unit and Posey should be one of the nation's best.

OFFENSIVE LINE - In 2007 OSU had to replace 2.5 OL st's but the unit paved the way for 196 ypg rush (4.6) with just 19 sk. All 5 st's started all 13. I feel those were OSU's best stats of the decade as they did not have the benefit of a mobile QB like Troy Smith or Terrelle Pryor. In '08 they only had to replace 1 starter and the unit underperformed as they avg'd 192 ypg (4.6) despite having Pryor and a #1 DC RB. Last year they had to replace 3 st's but added in Michigan transfer Justin Boren (PS#11, 13 st at UM '07). In the 1H of '09 the O-line performed weaker than they had in many years, culminating in the Purdue loss in which they ran for 66 (2.4) and Pryor was sk'd 5 times. In the 2H they were greatly

improved as the Bucks ran for 200+ yards in 5 of the last 6. Backup OT Marcus Hall (PS#5) took off his RS vs Indiana and played in the last 9. This year they lose OT Jim Cordle (8 st) and LG Andrew Moses (1 st). Not in the PSL are Scott Sika (6'2" 282 Sr) and Chris Malone (6'1" 279 Sr). This is a veteran unit (93 car sts) that is filled with 12 VHT's and should continue to show improvement.



LG Justin Boren

DEFENSIVE LINE - In '08 OSU had 7 of their top 8 back but had to replace the Big Ten DL of the Year Vernon Gholston (#1 DC). Surprisingly the Buckeyes allowed 110 ypg rush (3.5) with just 28 sks, their worst totals in 4 yrs. Last year they only had to replace 1 DL (9 st, 33 tkl) and ret'd 7 w/st exp. Their top run stuffer DT Dexter Larimore only started 5 (knee). The numbers improved to 91 ypg rush (2.9) with 30 sks. Wisconsin coach Bielema said OSU's DL rotation was the deepest he'd seen since he's been in the Big Ten. This year they lose 3rd Tm Big Ten DE Thaddeus Gibson (13 st, 45 tkl, 4 sk, 9 tfl, #4 DC PIT), DT Doug Worthington (13 st, 42 tkl, 2 sk, #7 DC PIT), DT Todd Denlinger (7 st, 16 tkl, 2 sk), DE Lawrence Wilson (1 st, 23 tkl, 2 sk) and DT Rob Rose (10 tkl, 2 sk). DE Cameron Heyward only played an estimated 60% of the snaps due to the rotation but still earned 2nd Tm All B10. He turned down the NFL (proj #2 DC) but just 4 of the top 8 are back and the DL figures to be down a notch or two.

LINEBACKERS - In '08 the Buckeyes had 5 of their top 6 back and James Laurinatis won Big Ten DPOY and the Lott Trophy while Marcus Freeman was 2nd Tm B10. Last year those 2 departed (#2, #5 DC's) and the top 2 returnees were only the #4 and #15 tkl's. They did add in PS#4, PS#7 and PS#9 true frosh. Brian Rolle (#2 tkl'r LY) was given #36 which had been the # of AA LB's Spielman, Cousineau and Marek. He teamed with #1 tkl'r Ross Homan to put up comparable #s to the Laurinatis/Freeman duo (214 tkl '08 vs 203 '09). This year they only lose Austin Spitzer (9 st, 38 tkl, #7 DC MIA) and those 3 super VHT frosh (2 RS) should make a bigger impact. This unit ranks among the FB's best (pg 14).

DEFENSIVE BACKS - Since '97 OSU has had 1 DC DB's with 22 DB's drafted overall. Even in a year like '06 when they had to replace all 4 st's (#1, #3, #4 DC's) OSU still finished #12 allowing a 10-21 ratio. In '08 they had a veteran unit and finished 9. LY they had to replace 1st Tm AA CB Jenkins (#1 DC) and a bkp (#4 DC). They had 3 st's back and finished #12 (10-24). Two-year returning starting FS Anderson Russell lost his job to Jermale Hines. Not listed below are Taylor Rice (5'10" 177 So), Nate Ebner (6'0" 200 So) and Aaron Gant (6'0" 206 Sr, PS#307). This year they lose 3rd Tm AA SS Kurt Coleman (12 st, 68 tkl, 5 int, #7 DC PHI), Russell (7 st, 49 tkl, 3 int) and CB Andre Amos (2 st, 12 tkl, 1 pbu). HM B10 CB Chimdi Chekwa returns and this is my #6 rated secondary.

SPECIAL TEAMS - OSU has recorded two #1 finishes in my ST rankings ('94 and '04). Jim Tressel has been quoted as saying the punt is the most important play in football and holds scrimmages in spring and Aug devoted exclusively to ST's. In '07 they only finished #41 but in '08, as you would expect, moved back to #5. Last year they had to replace their K and P. Aaron Pettrey hit 14-20 FG's (long

52, 2 miss 50+) but was injured vs NMSt. Devin Barclay, who was a professional soccer player (27 yrs old), hit 7-10 (long 39) but was 0-2 from 40+. Barclay had 4 TB on 26 KO. New P Jon Thoma only avg 37.9 (solid 36.8 tm net) while the return game was average (8.0 PR, 22.3 KR). Despite the loss of Pettrey, Thoma and their top returnmen, OSU could actually move up from LY's #41 finish.

COACHES - In Jim Tressel's 2nd year, he won a Nat'l Championship, becoming the 1st coach to win an NCAA Title at both the IAA and IA levels. He was the COY in '02 and now enters his 10th season as does his OC Jim Bollman. Tressel was the first OSU coach to win four Big Ten Titles in his first seven years. Tressel has led OSU to 5 straight B10 Titles and would tie the B10 record if they capture a 6th straight this year. The last five years they have used co-DC's in Jim Heacock and Luke Fickell. Heacock, who calls the def plays, won the Broyles Award as the NCAA's top asst in '07.

PHIL'S FORECAST

Ohio St actually finished outside of the AP Top 25 for 3 straight years prior to '02. I rated Ohio St #7 in '02 which was far higher than almost every other source. I called them my #1 Surprise Team (darkhorse contender for the Nat'l Title). Only 2 other preseason magazines (besides mine) even picked OSU to win the Big Ten. OSU took home their first Nat'l Title since 1968 (Woody Hayes' 3rd) when they defeated Miami. They became the first team in major college history to compile 14 wins in a season (7 by 7 or less). In '03 OSU had a chance to get to the Nat'l Title game before they lost to Mich. OSU finished #4 at 11-2 including a win over K-St in the Fiesta Bowl. In '04 the Bucks set a record for NFL DC's (14) with the prev high being 11. As expected OSU stumbled to 8-4. OSU finished #4 in '05 with losses to eventual #1 Texas and #3 Penn St. In '06 OSU lost an amazing 5 #1 DC's. They opened the season #1 and stayed there the entire year including their epic battle vs #2 Mich. They outscored B10 foes by 26.6 ppg. Troy Smith became the 6th Buckeye to win the Heisman (Archie Griffin 2x winner). They had 51 days off prior to playing Florida in the Nat'l Title game and were outgained 370-82. In '07 they had to replace Smith, their top RB and top rec. They were just #11 to start but at 7-0 moved up to #1 and stayed there for 4 weeks. With Mich on deck, they lost to IL and fell to #7 and it appeared their Nat'l Title hopes were gone. After beating Mich on the road (14-3) and having almost every other team in contention lose, OSU got back to the Title game vs LSU where they dropped to 0-9 vs the SEC in bowls. In '08 OSU had 19 ret st's, the most ever for a team that played in the BCS Title game. They did have just 3 st's lost to inj in '07 and did not have that same good fortune in '08 as RB Beanie Wells was inj'd in the opener and missed 3 incl USC (lost). Later #3 Penn St beat them at home, 13-6. Ohio St blew out their final 3 (school record 5th straight win over Mich) by an avg of 26.7 ppg. They played in their 4th Fiesta Bowl in 7 yrs but suffered a tough loss with Texas getting a TD with :16 left. After being #1 in ypg in Big Ten play for 3 straight years, the Bucks were +54.1 ypg (5th best). Last year Tressel called it his youngest team yet with just 12 seniors on the preseason 2 deep. They had a 29-14 Q4 lead vs Navy but needed an int on a 2 pt conv try (which could have tied it) that OSU ret'd for 2 for a 4 pt win. USC had a true frosh QB making his first road start but prevailed in Columbus 18-15 with USC scoring on an 86 yd TD drive with 1:05 left. OSU responded with B2B shutouts vs Toledo and Illinois and then routed Indy on the road. Against Wisc they were outgained 368-184 but prevailed 31-13 with 2 IR and 1 KR TD's. They were outgained 361-287 at Purdue and trailed 23-7 in the 3Q in a stunning 8 pt loss. OSU beat Minn and NMSt (comb 83-7) then won at Penn St, 24-7 (353-201 yd edge). They benefitted from Iowa giving a frosh QB his first start (Stanzi out) and needed OT to escape with a 27-24 win. Michigan needed a win for a bowl game but OSU won 21-10. The Buckeyes got to their first Rose Bowl game S/'96 despite having just 3 players make 1st Tm All Big Ten. In the Rose Bowl they had a 26-12 FD edge (419-260 yd) and throttled Oregon 26-17. On the negative side they were +17 in TO's and

despite winning the Big Ten were only +55.8 ypg (3rd best). They achieved their 5th straight Top 10 finish. OSU is a much more exp'd team TY (15 ret st's). While they must face Iowa and Wisc on the road, 8 of my 9 sets of power ratings call for a 12-0 season and I project a 4th National Title game appearance in 9 years.

TOP NEWCOMERS FOR 2010

RB	Andrew Smith 6-3 220 PS#9
OL	Rod Norwell 6-6 290 PS#8
WR	Corey Brown 6-1 184 PS#18
DB	Christian Bryant 5-11 176 PS#27
DL	Jamel Turner 6-3 215 PS#33
WR	James Louis 5-11 178 PS#32
DB	Darryl Baldwin 6-3 225 PS#46
LB	Scott McVey 6-0 225 PS#30
DL	James 6-3 235 PS#47
RB	Carlos Hyde 6-0 235 PS#29
QB	Taylor Graham 6-5 225 PS#34
WR	T.Y. Williams 6-7 211 PS#60
LB	David Durham 6-3 225 PS#70
DB	Chad Hagan 6-2 227 PS#18
DB	Jonathan Hankins 6-3 315 PS#94
K	Drew Basil 6-1 200 PS#48
QB	Verlon Reed 6-2 190 PS#77
DB	Bradley Roby 6-0 180 PS#132
RB	Adam Griffin 5-9 185 PS#272

OFFENSE

JERSEY #
IN RED

2010 PROJECTED STARTING LINEUP

JERSEY #
IN RED

DEFENSE

QB 2 TERRELLE PRYOR JR. 6-6 233 PS#1. 23 st, 3405 (58%, 30-15), 1410 rush (4.7) 2Y. 14 Joe Bauserman (6'1" 233 Jr) PS#59. 146 (36%) 2Y. 13 Kenny Guiton (6'2" 190 rFr) PS#116.
RB 3 BRANDON SAINES SR. 6-1 219 PS#2. 1 st, 332 (3.9) 2Y. 9 st, 739 (5.1), 2nd Tm B10 LY. 1 Dan Herron (5'10" 202 Jr) PS#44. 6 st, 1039 (4.3) 2Y. 4 Jaamal Berry (5'10" 200 rFr) PS#7.
WR 9 DUREN CARTER SO. 6-2 198 PS#33. 176 (13.5) true. Susp sgp. 5 Taurian Washington (6'1" 181 Sr) PS#19. 1 st, 46 (15.3) 3Y. FB 44 Zach Brown (6'0" 252 So) PS#46LB. 4 rec.
LY 12 DANE SANZENBACHER SR. 5-11 180 PS#106. 2 st, 361 (10.9) 2Y. 13 st, 570 (15.8) LY. 80 Chris Fields (6'0" 185 rFr) PS#24. Grant Schwartz (6'0" 210 Sr) PS#116. 33 gm 3Y.
WR 8 DEVIER POSEY JR. 6-2 213 PS#4. 117 (10.6) true. 13 st, 828 (13.8), 2nd Tm B10 LY. 15 James Jackson (5'10" 184 rFr) PS#30. Corey Brown PS#18. James Louis PS#32.
TE 11 Jake Stoneburner SO. 6-5 245 PS#4. 3 st, 13 gm, 30 (15.0) rFr. 88 Reid Fragel (6'8" 260 So) PS#13. 13 gm true. 81 Nic DiLillo (6'4" 262 So) PS#22. 1 gm (NMSt) rFr.
C 50 MIKE BREWSTER JR. 6-5 293 PS#3. L/10 st C, 12 gm, 1st Tm Fr AA true. 13 st C. LY. 74 Jake Mewhort (6'6" 288 rFr) PS#29. 13 gm true. 10 st RT LY. 79 Marcus Hall (6'5" 321 So) PS#5. 1 st RT, 9 gm true. 73 Josh Kerr (6'6" 288 Sr) Orig w/Mia. LY. 21 gm 3Y here.
LG 75 MIKE ADAMS JR. 6-8 300 PS#6. 4 gm true, 4 st, 7 gm LY. 55 Andrew Miller (6'6" 288 Sr) PS#49TE. 14 gm 2Y. 3 st LT, 10 gm LY. 59 Sam Longo (6'5" 280 rFr) PS#47.
K 23 DEVIN BARCLAY SR. 5-10 204 27 year old who played 5Y in MLS. Walk-on '08. 7-10 FG, L/39, 26 KO, 4 TB LY. 17 Ben Buchanan (6'0" 195 So) PS#3. 4 punts (42.8) rFr.

DE 97 CAMERON HEYWARD SR. 6-5 288 PS#28. 20 st, 69 tkl 2Y. 12 st, 46 tkl, 2nd Tm B10 LY. 91 Melvin Fellows (6'5" 249 rFr) PS#115. Keith Wells (6'5" 257 So) PS#45. 3 gm true. RS LY.
DT 54 JOHN SIMON SO. 6-2 270 PS#20. 15 tkl true. 53 Garrett Goebel (6'3" 281 So) PS#14. 2 tkl rFr. Johnathan Hankins PS#94. 56 Dalton Britt (6'2" 275 So). No action rFr.
DT 72 DEXTER LARIMORE SR. 6-2 310 PS#80. 3 st, 31 tkl 2Y. 5 st, 20 tkl LY. 33 Adam Bellamy (6'4" 295 rFr) PS#9. Jon Lorenz (6'5" 276 rFr). 95 Don Matheny (6'0" 310 Sr). Holy Cross LY.
DE 43 NATHAN WILLIAMS JR. 6-3 260 PS#27. 18 tkl true. 1 st, 26 tkl, 8 tfl LY. 98 Solomon Thomas (6'5" 226 Jr) PS#34. 9 tkl 2Y. JT Moore PS#47. 52 Stewart Smith (6'3" 227 So).
SLB 6 ETIENNE SABINO JR. 6-3 240 PS#7. 12 tkl 2Y. 42 Andrew Sweat (6'2" 238 Jr) PS#13. 15 tkl. ACL LY. 55 Jon Newsome (6'3" 219 So) PS#69. 5 tkl. 35 Jim Hastings (5'10" 205 rFr).
MLB 36 BRIAN ROLLE SR. 5-11 218 PS#26. 39 tkl 2Y. 13 st, 95 tkl, 2nd Tm B10 LY. 32 Storm Klein (6'2" 230 So) PS#7. 10 tkl true. 39 Jordan Whiting (6'1" 238 rFr) PS#9.
WLB 51 ROSS HUMAN SR. 6-0 227 PS#14. 28 tkl true. MedRS '07. 67 tkl '08. 13 st, 108 tkl, 1st Tm B10 LY. 11 Dorian Bell (6'1" 225 rFr) PS#4. Tony Jackson (5'10" 220 Jr) PS#197. 1 tkl 2Y.
CB 5 CHIMDI CHEKWA SR. 6-0 190 PS#130. 13 st, 60 tkl 2Y. 13 st, 43 tkl, 3rd Tm B10 LY. 18 Travis Howard (6'0" 190 So) PS#86. 2 tkl rFr. Corey Brown (6'0" 189 rFr) PS#15.
CB 10 DEVON TORRENCE SR. 6-1 200 PS#43. 4 rec true. 10 tkl '08. 11 st, 35 tkl, 3rd Tm B10 LY. 30 Donnie Evege (5'11" 180 Jr) PS#29. 14 tkl 2Y. 28 Dominic Clarke (5'10" 191 rFr) PS#47.
SS 19 ORLIAN ROLLE SR. 6-2 203 PS#101. 10 tkl rFr. 26 Tyler Moeller (6'0" 210 Sr) PS#70. 26 tkl 2Y. DNP LY. 20 Nate Oliver (6'0" 215 Jr) PS#23. 14 tkl 2Y. Jamie Wood (6'1" 198 rFr).
FS 7 JERMAL HINES SR. 6-1 216 PS#25. 6 st, 34 tkl 2Y. 11 st, 57 tkl LY. 4 CJ Barnett (6'0" 190 So) PS#25. 4 tkl true. 16 Zach Domicone (6'3" 211 So) PS#285. 4 tkl rFr.
P 17 BEN BUCHANAN SO. 6-0 195 PS#3. 4 punts (42.8), L/51, tm net 36.8 as rFr. 24 Drew Basil PS#8. IFS. Derek Erwin (5'10" 203 So). No action rFr. Elliott Pears (6'3" 192 So).

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JIM TRESSEL (Career 94-21) (FCS 135-57-2)
10th Year at Ohio St Tressel's Bowl Record: 5-4

Phil's Homefield Edge-5.5
2010 Schedule Difficulty-#61

Date	Opponent	TURF	LINE	Final Score	W
				OSU Opp	L
Sep. 2	Marshall (Thur)	A			
Sep. 11	Miami, FL	A			
Sep. 18	Ohio	A			
Sep. 25	Eastern Michigan	A			
Oct. 2	at Illinois	A			
Oct. 9	Indiana	A			
Oct. 16	at Wisconsin	A			
Oct. 23	Purdue	A			
Oct. 30	at Minnesota	A			
Nov. 6					
Nov. 13	Penn St	A			
Nov. 20	at Iowa	A			
Nov. 27	Michigan	A			
Dec. 4					

CAREER PASSING LEADERS
1. Art Schlichter 7,547 '78-'81
2. Bobby Hoving 7,232 '92-'95
3. Joe Germaine 6,370 '96-'98

CAREER RUSHING LEADERS
1. Archie Griffin 5,589 '72-'75
2. Eddie George 3,768 '92-'95
3. Tim Spencer 3,553 '79-'82

CAREER RECEIVING LEADERS
1. Michael Jenkins 2,898 '00-'03
2. David Boston 2,855 '96-'98
3. Gary Williams 2,792 '79-'82

Ohio St has won 31 straight home openers by an avg of 20 ppg and the last loss was vs Penn St ('78). OSU won 24-21 in 2004 on a last play 55 yd FG in the schools only meeting.

These schools played for the National Title in their last meeting in '02. Both tms have pulled an upset in their L/2 ('02 & '99) but OSU has been outgained by 100+ in each (-140 ypg avg).

OSU is 6-0 vs OU but in their L/meeting ('08) only had a +18 yd edge & trailed 14-12 after 3Q's but rec'd a muffed punt (25/6pl TD) & got a 69 yd PR TD. OSU is 41-0-1 vs an instate school S/'22.

First meeting. Coming into 2010, OSU is 48-2 their L/50 non-conf HG's with the only losses to #2 Texas in '05 & #3 USC LY. Last time OSU swept their non-conf slate was in '04.

Ohio St is 7-0 in trips to Champaign with the avg score 29-11. OSU outgained Illinois LY but the prior 3 matchups they had been outgained including the upset loss in '07 (OSU ranked #1).

Under HC Tressel the Buckeyes are 31-5 hosting B10 schools (2 of the losses in 1st yr at helm in '01). OSU has beaten IU 15 str & outrushed them on avg the L/6 gms 244-27 (5.8-0.9).

UW is the only team to beat Ohio St three times the last decade ('01, '03 & '04). OSU scored 21 pts from its def/ST LY vs UW as they were out FD'd by 14 & outgained by 184 yds.

OSU had 177 (62%) of their 287 yds come in the 4Q LY vs PU but the comeback fell short as their last drive was SOD at the PU38 w/2:16 left. Incl LY OSU has been outgained in 7 of L/9 vs PU.

The Buckeyes last 3 losses in this series have come at MN (2000, '81 & '66). OSU led 38-0 LY & QB Pryor had 343 total yards. He is avg 101 rush ypg (8.7) the L2Y vs UM.

BONUS: Coming into 2010 Ohio St has won 18 of last 19 B10 AG's.

Home tm has dropped 3 str in this series. OSU has outgained PSU the L/5 meetings. OSU's secondary has held PSU to just 104 (52%) ypg passing the L/6 (125 yds was high all'd).

Ohio St is 11-1 vs Iowa since 1992 with their avg MOV by 20 ppg. Last year OSU led 24-10 in the 4Q but a 99 yd KR TD and a 70/8pl drive forced overtime.

Prior to HC Tressel, OSU was 3-12-1 vs UM from 1985-2000 but are 8-1 since. Last time here the 35 point win was the 2nd largest in the series (38 pt win in 1935).

STADIUM: OHIO STADIUM (102,329) (#4)
PLAYING SURFACE: ARTIFICIAL (FieldTurf)

	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	10Yr Total
STRAIGHT UP	8-4	7-5	14-0	11-2	8-4	10-2	12-1	11-2	10-3	11-2	102-25
Home	4-2	4-2	8-0	8-0	5-1	6-1	7-0	6-1	6-1	6-1	60-9
Away	4-1	3-2	4-0	2-2	2-3	3-1	5-0	5-0	4-1	3-1	35-11
Neutral	0-1	0-1	2-0	1-0	1-0	1-0	0-1	0-1	0-1	2-0	7-5
vs Conf	5-3	5-3	8-0	6-2	4-4	7-1	8-0	7-1	7-1	7-1	64-16
vs Non-Conf	3-1	2-2	6-0	5-0	4-0	3-1	4-1	4-1	3-2	4-1	38-9
ATS	5-7	5-7	8-6	5-7-1	7-5	9-3	9-4	7-5	6-6	9-4	70-64-1
Home Fav	3-2	2-3	7-1	3-4-1	3-2	5-2	5-2	3-3	1-4	4-2	35-27-1
Home Dog	0-0	0-1	0-0	0-0	1-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-1	1-0	2-2
Away Fav	3-1	2-1	0-4	1-2	1-2	3-1	3-1	4-1	4-0	1-2	22-15
Away Dog	0-1	1-1	0-0	0-1	1-1	0-0	1-0	0-0	0-1	1-0	4-5
Neutral	0-1	0-1	1-1	1-0	1-0	1-0	0-1	0-1	1-0	2-0	7-5
vs Conf	3-5	5-3	3-5	3-4-1	4-4	7-1	6-2	5-3	5-3	5-3	46-33-1
vs Non-Conf	2-2	0-4	5-1	2-3	3-1	2-2	3-2	2-2	1-3	4-1	24-21
Off SU Win	3-5	2-5	7-6	2-7-1	4-3	7-2	8-4	6-5	5-5	7-3	51-45-1
Off SU Loss	1-2	3-1	0-0	2-0	2-2	1-1	0-0	1-0	1-1	2-0	13-7

2009 STATISTICAL LEADERS

RUSHING	ATT	GAIN	LOST	NET	TD	AVG	PLAYER	TKL	SKS	TFL	PBU	INT
Terrelle Pryor	162	1014	235	779	7	4.8	Ross Homan	108	2	3	5	5
Brandon Saine	145	768	29	739	4	5.1	Brian Rolle	95	0	7	1	1
Dan Herron	153	633	33	600	7	3.9	Kurt Coleman	68	1	1.5	4	0
Jordan Hall	48	257	9	248	1	5.2	Jermale Hines	57	1	2.5	1	2
Jermil Martin	11	88	4	84	1	7.6	Anderson Russell	49	0	2	3	3
Ray Small	4	42	2	40	0	10.0	Cameron Heyward	46	6.5	3.5	0	0
Joe Bauserman	9	23	13	10	0	1.1	Thaddeus Gibson	45	4	9	1	1
PASSING	ATT	COMP	PCT	YDS	TD	INT	Chimdi Chekwa	43	0	0	7	1
Terrelle Pryor	295	167	56.6	2094	18	11	Doug Worthington	42	2	3	2	0
Joe Bauserman	19	6	31.6	124	0	0	Austin Spitler	38	1	4	0	1
RECEIVING	REC	YDS	AVG	TD	LONG	Devon Torrence	35	1	0.5	2	2	0
DeVier Posey	60	828	13.8	8	62	Nathan Williams	26	3.5	4.5	1	0	0
Dane Sanzenbacher	36	570	15.8	6	76	Lawrence Wilson	23	2	1	3	1	0
Brandon Saine	17	224	13.2	2	46	Dexter Larimore	20	0	0	0	0	0
Duron Carter	13	176	13.5	1	40	Todd Denlinger	16	2	2	1	1	0
Ray Small	15	175	11.7	0	38	John Simon	15	1.5	2.5	1	0	0
Jake Ballard	14	150	10.7	0	24	Andrew Sweat	15	0	1	0	1	0
Dan Herron	11	66	6.0	1	19	Donnie Evege	14	0	0	0	0	0
Jake Stoneburner	2	30	15.0	0	17	Andre Amos	12	0	0	1	0	0
PUNTING	NO	YDS	AVG	FC	NET	BLK	Rob Rose	10	2	1	2	0
Jon Thoma	58	2200	37.9	31	36.8	0	PUNT RETURNS	NO	YDS	AVG	TD	
Ben Buchanan	4	171	42.8	2	-	0	Ray Small	33	273	8.3	0	
KICKING	XP	1-29	30-39	40-49	50+	TOTAL	KICK RETURNS	NO	YDS	AVG	TD	
Aaron Pettrey	30-31	6-8	1-3	5-5	2-4	14-20	Lamar Thomas	18	376	20.9	0	
Devin Barclay	12-12	2-2	5-6	0-2	0-0	7-10	Ray Small	12	324	27.0	1	



YR	BOWL/TM RANK	LINE	OPPONENT	SCORE	LAST 5 BOWL GAMES
05	Fiesta - #4	-4'	Notre Dame - #5	34-20	Ohio St's All-Time Bowl Record 19-22
06	BCS Championship - #1	-7	Florida - #2	14-41	
07	BCS Championship - #1	+3'	LSU - #2	24-38	
08	Fiesta - #10	+8'	Texas - #3	21-24	
09	Rose - #8	+4	Oregon - #7	26-17	

OFFENSE - LAST 7 YEARS - DEFENSE

RET	STS	PTS	TOTAL	OFF	RUSH	YPC	OFF	PASS	PASS	YPP	VS	SKS	TOTAL	RET	STS	DEF	TOTAL	DEF	RUSH	YPC	DEF	PASS	PASS	YPP	VS	SKS	BY
5	29.0	369	195	4.5	174	55.1	12.7	24	+17	2009	7	12.5	262	91	2.9	172	54.2	20.9	30								
10*	27.6	343	192	4.6	150	59.9	12.4	29	+16	2008	9	13.9	294	110	3.5	184	57.5	21.1	28								
5	31.4	394	196	4.6	197	63.9	12.5	19	-3	2007	6	12.8	233	83	2.5	150	53.2	18.2	43								
7*	34.6	385	170	4.6	215	65.0	11.1	19	+9	2006	2	12.8	280	98	3.3	182	58.3	22.0	38								
9*	32.7	422	197	4.7	226	64.9	12.9	18	-9	2005	9	15.2	281	73	2.2	208	60.7	18.4	44								
5	24.2	321	145	4.0	175	53.5	13.3	23	-1	2004	4	18.3	332	130	3.5	202	55.8	18.2	24								
8*	24.8	332	126	3.3	206	56.8	13.4	33	+1	2003	6	17.6	297	62	2.0	235	57.9	16.9	37								

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OSU 2009 ATT	Foe	Total Off	FD	Rush Att Yds	Avg	Co Pass Att	Yds	Sks vs	Total Def	FD	Rush Att Yds	Avg	Co Pass Att	Yds	Sks by	TO	Yds Diff	Gr Grade
05,092	Navy	363	19	38-153	4.0	17-26	210	1	342	19	44-186	4.2	9-13	156	2	+2	21	74.8
06,033	USC	265	10	30-88	2.9	11-25	177	1	313	18	40-118	3.0	15-32	195	2	0	-48	74.3
71,727	† Toledo	522	23	46-247	5.4	18-32	275	1	210	9	13-13	1.0	22-45	197	2	0	312	98.2
05,219	Illinois	318	19	46-236	5.1	8-13	82	0	170	14	34-82	2.4	15-29	88	3	+1	148	88.0
51,500	at Indiana	378	29	46-212	4.6	17-28	166	3	228	11	26-18	0.7	20-34	210	3	+1	150	90.8
05,301	Wisconsin	184	8	27-97	3.6	5-13	87	2	368	22	44-118	2.7	27-45	250	6	+1	-184	76.7
50,404	at Purdue	287	12	28-66	2.4	17-31	221	5	361	24	31-80	2.6	31-52	281	1	-2	-74	69.9
05,011	Minnesota	509	27	49-270	5.5	13-26	239	1	286	17	30-123	4.1	15-29	163	5	+3	223	92.7
04,719	New Mexico St	559	24	49-310	6.3	14-33	249	1	62	2	30-40	1.3	6-15	22	1	+2	497	88.6
110,033	at Penn St	353	15	49-228	4.7	8-17	125	0	201	9	30-76	2.5	12-28	125	2	+1	152	105.3
05,455	Iowa	322	20	51-229	4.5	14-17	93	2	300	16	24-67	2.8	20-33	233	1	+3	22	79.5
110,922	at Michigan	318	18	53-251	4.7	9-17	67	3	309	16	31-80	2.6	25-42	229	1	+4	9	79.8
93,963	† Oregon	419	26	51-153	3.0	23-38	266	4	260	12	33-179	5.4	9-20	81	1	+1	159	99.3
TOTALS		4797	250	563-2540	4.5	174-316	2257	24	3410	189	410-1180	2.9	226-417	2230	30	+17	1387	86.0
AVERAGES		369	19.2	43-195	4.5	55.1%	174	7.6%	262	14.5	32-91	2.9	54.2%	172	7.2%	1.3	107	#7
HOME		360	18.1	41-198	4.8	53.6%	162	5.2%	263	15.4	35-105	3.0	54.6%	158	10.2%	+12	97	82.1
AWAY		380	20.5	46-193	4.2	56.4%	187	9.8%	262	13.5	27-74	2.7	53.8%	187	4.5%	+5	118	90.5

OSU Pre #6	2005 RESULTS	Post #4	OSU Pre #1	2006 RESULTS	Post #2	OSU Pre #11	2007 RESULTS	Post #5	OSU Pre #2	2008 RESULTS	Post #9	OSU Pre
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