CLEMSON TIGERS

QB DESHAUN WATSON

C JAY GUILLERMO

POSITION OUTLOOK FOR 2016

QUARTERBACKS - In 2014 Clemson had to replace Tajh Boyd, (3851, 69%, 34-11, #2 rush 400). I projected true frosh Deshaun Watson (PS#2, IFS) as the starter but Cole Stoudt started the first 3 with Watson outplaying him in each. Watson then became the first true frosh QB to start at CU in 20 years (school rec 6 TD vs NC). They even un-retired Steve Fuller's #4 jersey. Unfortunately Watson was inj'd vs UL (miss 3). He started vs GT but then was injured again. Watson played with a torn ACL vs SCar (14-19-269) ending their 5 year series losing streak. Watson threw for 1,466 (68%, 14-2). Last year my question with the Clemson QB position was "Can Watson stay healthy?". He answered that question with an emphatic, YES. They limited his running early with under 10 rush att per game the first 5 (238.4 total ypg). Over the last 10 he avg 16.2 rush per game and 401.7 total ypg and was a Heisman finalist. He was the first Division I player to have 4,000 yds passing and 1,000 yds rushing in a single season (478 yds vs Bama). Nick Schuessler (PS#174) had 38 snaps in '14 and was the bkp early last year (5 gm, 13-23-177) while Tucker Israel (5'11" 195, PS#56) used a RS. True frosh Kelly Bryant (PS#27) took over the backup spot and had 156 rush (7-9 pass). They had Watson & Bryant on the field together at times. As long as Watson stays healthy he is a Heisman favorite.

RUNNING BACKS - In 2014 the RB's were very inexp'd. RFr Tyshon Dye (5'11" 215, PS#20) tore his Achilles in February (4 gm, 151, 4.7). Zac Brooks (PS#29) was OFY in Aug. Their leading rusher after 7 games was true frosh Adam Choice (PS#21) who only played in 6 (218, 4.4). I projected rFr Wayne Gallman (PS#33) as the starter He had just 198 in the first 7 then he ran for 107 ypg over the L/5 vs Power 5 teams and led with 769 (4.8). With Gallman starting all year in '15 he set the school record for rush yards in a season (1527, 5.4, 1st Tm All-ACC). Brooks was a distant #2 RB (234, 5.7) while Choice RS. This year they only lose Brooks (#7DC SEA) and they could even improve on last year's stats with the addition of PS#1 Tavien Feaster.

RECEIVERS - In 2014 CU had to replace Sammy Watkins (1464, #1DC) and their #2 (Martavis Bryant, 828, 19.7, #4DC). True frosh Artavis Scott (PS#12) led in rec's (#2 yds, 965, 12.7). Scott also broke Watkins' frosh record for rec yds in a game (164 vs SCSt,185 vs SC). Mike Williams only had 57 rec but was #1 (1030, 18.1). Last year the top 3 were back (all VHT's) but Williams was OFY in the opener. TE Jordan Leggett was a Mackey finalist (first CU TE with TD's in 5 consec gms, #4 w/525, 13.1). Scott had nearly double the catches of #2 Charone Peake (716, 14.3) but only 9.7 ypc (901 yd). True frosh Deon Cain (PS#7) had the best ypc (582, 17.1) while fellow true Ray

Ray McCloud (PS#10) had 251 (8.7). This year they lose Peake (15 st, #7DC NYJ) and Germone Hopper (3 st, 317, 15.1). This unit gets Williams back, is loaded with VHT's and experience and is one of the nation's best.

OFFENSIVE LINE - In '14 they had just 2 returning starters (44 car st). The unit was banged up (6 diff lineups 6 gm stretch) with no CU OL making All-Conf (146, 3.5, 27 sk). Last year they lost 3 starters again (45 car sts ret). Mitch Hyatt (15 sts) became the first true frosh OL to start an opener here s/1944 (Phil Prince). C Ryan Norton was injured in Wk 2 but Jay Guillermo was so good (3X ACC OL of Week) that he held onto the job. The numbers improved (223, 4.9, 18 sk). This year they lose Norton (2/26), 1st Tm ACC LG Eric Mac Lain (15/16, UFA CAR) and 2nd Tm ACC RT Joe Gore (14/17). They have 46 career starts returning and remain one of the best.

DEFENSIVE LINE - In 2014 I had CU rated as my #2 D-line and they played to that level with 6 seniors in the 2 deep (103 ypg rush, 3.0, best s/'06, 36% opp rush 0 or neg yds). They also had 45 sks (most s/'99). Last year they had to replace a pair of AA's (#1, #5 DC) and the 6 DL lost had comb'd for 50 sts, 164 tkl and 20.5 sks. They lost 137 career starts and had just 7 back. I was surprised my computer called for them to only slip to 130 ypg rush & they only allowed 125 (3.5, 48 sk). This year they lose their outstanding DE combo of 1st Tm ACC Shaq Lawson (15 st, 60 tkl, 12.5 sk, 13 tfl, #1DC BUF) and Kevin Dodd (15 st, 62 tkl, 12 sk, 11.5 tfl, #2DC TEN). Also gone is DT DJ Reader who only played in the last 9 (6 st, 13 tkl, 1.5 tfl, #5DC HOU) and DT Roderick Byers (17 tkl, 1 tfl). They lose 25 of the DL's 34 sks but are a little more exp'd than 2015 and add in PS#2 DT 6'5" 340 Dexter Lawrence who was IFS.

LINEBACKERS - LY CU had replace a 1st Tm ACC LB (#1 tkl'r, #1DC) and their #4 tkl'r (#6DC). NB Korrin Wiggins (6 st, 34 tkl '14) was OFY in August. The WLB and MLB spots were manned by Ben Boulware and BJ Goodson who rarely came off the field (#1, #3 tkl'rs). Travis Blanks and Dorian O'Daniel (#8 tkl'r) split the SLB position. LY my computer proj'd (pg 43) they would allow 22.3 ppg and they gave up 21.7. This year they lose 1st Tm ACC BJ Goodson (15 st, #1 tkl'r, 14 tfl, #4DC NYG) and Blanks (12 st, #9 tkl'r). Despite the loss of 2 st'r's including their top guy, they are a little more exp'd and remain solid.

DEFENSIVE BACKS - Last year the Tigers lost a 2nd Tm ACC CB, and a S (#2 tkl'r). One of the 2 returning starters was their shutdown CB MacKensie Alexander who teams rarely threw at (0 int 2Y). Clemson still was a solid #15 in my PDR (48.5%, 19-16). This year they lose 1st Tm ACC CB Alexander (13 st, #12 tkl'r, 5 pbu, #2DC MIN), 2nd Tm ACC S Jayron Kearse (14 st, #5 tkl'r, 6 pbu, #7DC MIN), S TJ Green (15 st, #2 tkl'r, 5.5 tfl, #2DC IND) and Jefferie Gibson (6 tkl). With just 1 starter back they will likely drop some in the PDR.

SPECIAL TEAMS - In '14 new K Ammon Lakip (PS#34) started with 3 misses but finished 21-28 fg (L49). CU avg 5.7 on PR and 18.8 on KR and dropped to #100. Last year they had to replace their 4 year starting LS and star P (#5 DC). Lakip got suspended and just handled KO's (28 TB, 73 KO) and PAT's at the end. RFr Greg Huegel (Swinney's "grocery store kicker") hit 16 straight FG's (27-32 long 47) but did miss 5 PAT's (10 TB, 37 KO). CU avg just 2.3 on PR's and 21.6 on KR's. Andy Teasdall avg 39.5 (37.4 net) with a SOD fake punt vs NCar then a successful one vs Okla. The unit was just #96 and should make solid strides this year.

COACHES -Dabo Swinney begins his 9th year here with 56 wins in 5 consecutive DD win campaigns, joining Nick Saban as the only HC's to do so. Jeff Scott (here s/'08) and Tony Elliott, who has been the RB cch s/'11 (3Y Furman, 2Y SCst) are the Co-OC's. Fifth year DC Brent Venables is a rising star as a HC

candidate, while remaining one of the Top 10 paid asst's. He was DC at Okla ('99-'11). Co-OC Marion Hobby (also DE cch) has been in that role s/'11. He was the DC/DL cch at Duke from 2008-'10 and served as Clemson's DE coach in '15. Danny Pearman has been the ST coor/TE cch s/'11.

THIS DECADE 62-19 (76.5%) #11 - In '11, coming off a 6-7 season, Clemson made my Most Improved List. They became the first ACC team to knock off ranked foes in 3 consec wks and won their first ACC Title in 20 years. The 10 win season was their first s/'90 and they made it to their first ever BCS bowl (lost 70-33). In '12 CU had 14 returning starters and opened 10-1 (lone loss to FSU). They led rival SC 14-10 at half but lost by 10. They trailed #9 LSU 24-13 in the bowl but rallied for a 25-24 win and #11 finish. In '13 they ret'd QB Boyd, WR Watkins and 10 other st'rs. They were AP #3 for 5 str wks but at 6-0, lost to #5 FSU at home 51-14. Later they lost to SC for a 5th straight year but did beat Ohio St in the bowl (11-2 #8). In 2014 they were #1 in total defense but they did lose to Georgia by 24, #1 Florida St in OT without QB Jameis Winston and to GTech by 22 but beat Okla in the Orange Bowl to finish 10-3 and #15. Last year they were #1 going into the playoffs and came up just short vs Bama in the Title Game. They are 62-19 this decade which is the 11th best.

2015 ANALYSIS 14-1 - Dabo Swinney did a great job LY, especially on D with just 3 returning starters. Clemson got 2 blowout wins to open the season then L'ville missed a 38 yd FG w/2:28 left (3 pt road win). ND outgained them 432-296 but CU was +3 in TO's and stopped a 2 pt conv to escape with a 2 pt win in constant rain. They won their next 4 by 27 ppg. Florida St led 10-6 3Q but were -2 in TO's and SOD at midfield late. CU got a TD and a 10 pt win. CU was #1 in the country after Wk 10 and won their last 3 before surviving a controversial onside kick vs NCar in the ACC Champ gm. They trailed Okla 17-16 3Q but won 37-17. Clemson was impressive in the Title Game with 550 yards vs the Tide defense but trailed 45-33 until a TD with :12 left to come up just short.

PHIL'S FORECAST

OFFENSE - Alabama would have finished #1 in total defense last year had it not been for Clemson gashing them for 550 yds in the Title Game. Clemson returns 8 starters from an offense that avg a school rec 515 ypg. They were the first team in ACC history with 3,000 yds rushing and 4,000 yds passing (34 rush, 35 pass td). QB Watson is the Heisman frontrunner, they get WR Williams back from injury and my computer is calling for 41.9 ppg and 550 ypg this year.

DEFENSE - The Tigers led the nation in total defense in 2014 allowing just 261 ypg and allowed just 313 ypg in '15 despite just 3 starters back. They have led the nation in tfl's the last 3 years and were Top 5 in 3rd down stops during that span. They rotate a lot of players on D so they will be tough again despite just 4 returning starters.

2016 - This is a relatively young team with just 22 upperclassmen. 17 players were selected either 1st, 2nd or 3rd Tm ACC LY and 11 of them return. Clemson had a 31-18 FD edge vs Alabama in the National Title game and will have one of the top offenses in the country. Their +267 ypg in ACC play was more than triple the #2 ranked ACC team. Three of their 5 road games are vs teams with losing records last year. October 29th is the key game on the schedule (at Florida St) and they will be favored in all their other games. Dabo Swinney is doing a great job (see pg 343) and this team is a legitimate National Title contender again this year.

OFFENSE		JERSEY # IN PURPLE

2016 PROJECTED STARTING LINEUP

	JERSEY # IN PURPLE	DEFENSE

QB 4 DESHAUN WATSON JR. 6-2 210 **PS#2.** 5 st, 1466 (68%, 14-2), 200 rush (3.2) OFY (ACL) as true. 15 st, 4104 (68%, 35-13), 1105 rush (5.3), **1st Tm AA** LY. **2** Kelly Bryant (6'3" 215 So) **PS#27.** Nick Schuessler (6'3" 200 Sr).

RB 9 WAYNE GALLMAN JR. 6-1 215 **PS#33.** 9 st, 769 (4.8) true. 13 st, 1527 (5.4), **1stTm ACC** LY. Tavien Feaster is **PS#1.** CJ Fuller (5'10" 210 So). 15 gm, 17 (4.1) LY. Adam Choice (5'9" 215 So) **PS#21.** 6 gm, 218 (4.4) '14. RS (ACL) LY.

WR 13 HUNTER RENFROW So. 5-10 175 10 st, 492 (14.9) LY. **8** Deon Cain (6'2" 200 So) **PS#7.** 1 st, 582 (17.1) as true. Cornell Powell is **PS#30. 11** Shadell Bell (6'2" 200 rFr) **PS#57. 86** Ty Thomason (5'10" 210 rFr).

WR 3 ARTAVIS SCOTT JR. 5-11 190 **PS#12.** 6 st, 965 (12.7), 2nd Tm ACC '14. 15 st, 901 (9.7), 371 KR (24.7), **1st Tm ACC** LY. **34** Ray Ray McCloud (5'10" 180 So) **PS#10.** 1 st, 251 (8.7) LY. **85** Seth Ryan (6'0" 175 Jr).

WR 7 MIKE WILLIAMS JR. 6-4 220 **PS#26.** 3 st, 316 (15.8) true. 11 st, 1030 (18.1), 2nd Tm ACC '14. 1 st, 2 rec-OFY LY. **1** Trevion Thompson (6'2" 200 So) **PS#26.** 14 gm, 115 (11.5) LY. **81** Kanyon Tuttle (6'0" 175 rFr).

TE 16 JORDAN LEGGETT SR. 6-5 255 **PS#21.** 1 st, 176 (14.7) true. 6 st, 161 (11.5) '14. 15 st, 525 (13.1), **1st Tm ACC** LY. **80** Milan Richard (6'2" 250 So) **PS#41.** Garrett Williams (6'2" 235 So) **PS#5.** Cannon Smith (6'5" 260 So) PS#16.

C 57 JAY GUILLERMO SR. 6-3 310 **PS#58.** 1 st, 8 gm '14. L/13 st, **2nd Tm ACC** LY. **50** Justin Falcinelli (6'3" 306 So) **PS#72.** 13 gm LY. **77** Zach Giella (6'5" 295 rFr) **PS#100. 72** Logan Tisch (6'2" 290 rFr) Pref'd W/O.

RG 55 TYRONE CROWDER JR. 6-2 325 **PS#18.** 1 st '14. 12 st, 3rd Tm ACC LY. **69** Maverick Morris (6'5" 300 Jr) PS#134. 4 gm bkp '14. 3 st, 15 gm, LY. **LS 62** David Estes (6'1" 200 Sr) 2 gm LY. Patrick Phibbs (6'2" 220 Fr).

LG 51 Taylor Hearn So. 6-5 324 **PS#112.** 14 gm LY. **71** Noah Green (6'5" 285 rFr) **PS#61.** John Simpson (6'4" 290 Fr) **PS#43. LS 52** Austin Spence (6'2" 200 So) 2 gm LY. **59** Bradley Tatko (6'0" 225 Jr) DNP L2Y.

RT 63 Jake Fruhmorgen So. 6-5 292 **PS#16.** 1 st, 245 snaps as true. **76** Sean Pollard (6'5" 295 Fr) **PS#33.** IFS. Impressive in spg. **64** Pat Godfrey (6'3" 260 rFr) Walk-on LY. Cade Stewart (6'4" 310 Fr) PS#322.

LT 75 MITCH HYATT SO. 6-5 295 **PS#2.** 15 st, 3rd Tm ACC, **Frosh AA** LY. **73** Tremayne Anchrum (6'3" 290 Fr) **PS#76.** IFS. Chandler Reeves (6'6" 270 Fr) **PS#159. 70** Seth Penner (6'3" 320 Fr). Pref W/O LY.

K 92 GREG HUEGEL SO. 5-11 185 27-32 fg's, 56-61 PAT, 10 TB/37 KO, **2ndTm ACC** LY. **47** Alex Spence (6'1" 190 So) PS#17. 1 KO LY. **39** Christian Groomes (5'10" 185 So) 1 KO LY. **96** Michael Batson (5'10" 200 rFr).

DE 91 Austin Bryant So. 6-4 265 **PS#31.** 13 gm, 23 tkl, 1.5 sk LY. **45** Chris Register (6'2" 245 So) **PS#34.** Xavier Kelly (6'5" 255 Fr) **PS#33. 40** Jaquarius Brice (6'1" 215 Jr) 1 gm, 1 tkl LY. Sterling Johnson (6'4" 295 rFr) **PS#56.**

DT 90 DEXTER LAWRENCE FR. 6-5 340 **PS#2.** IFS. **56** Scott Pagano (6'3" 295 Jr) **PS#38.** 4 gm, 4 tkl '14. 9 st, 15 gm, 18 tkl, 2 tfl LY. **92** Nyles Pinckney (6'3" 300 Fr) **PS#44.** IFS. **95** Gage Cervenka (6'3" 305 rFr) PS#81.

DT 94 CARLOS WATKINS SR. 6-3 300 **PS#21.** 16 tkl true. RS '13. 11 gm, 8 tkl, 2 tfl '14. 15 st, 34 tkl, 3.5 sk, 4 tfl, **1st Tm ACC** LY. **67** Albert Huggins (6'4" 295 So) **PS#22.** 5 gm, 5 tkl true. **50** Jabril Robinson (6'2" 280 So) 7 gm, 7 tkl LY.

DE 42 Christian Wilkins So. 6-4 315 **PS#17.** 15 gm, 33 tkl, 4.5 tfl as true. **99** Clelin Ferrell (6'5" 255 rFr) **PS#28. 49** Richard Yeargin (6'3" 255 So) **PS#46.** 9 gm, 8 tkl LY. **7** LaSamuel Davis (6'4" 215 Fr) PS#113. IFS.

WLB 8 BEN BOULWARE SR. 5-11 240 **PS#24.** 2 gm, 65 tkl, 6.5 tfl F2Y. 15 st, 82 tkl, 3.5 sk, 4.5 tfl, 7 pbu, 10 qbh, **1st Tm ACC** LY. **43** Chad Smith (6'4" 235 rFr) **PS#30.** Jamie Skalski (6'2" 225 Fr) **PS#72.** Connor Prevost (6'2" 220 So).

MLB 34 Kendall Joseph So. 6-0 230 **PS#75.** 7 gm, 6 tkl LY. **57** Tre Lamar (6'4" 240 Fr) **PS#10.** IFS. **5** Shaq Smith (6'3" 240 Fr) **PS#8.** IFS. **36** Judah Davis (6'1" 230 So) **PS#243.** 13 gm, 10 tkl as true. JD Davis (6'1" 225 So) **PS#304.**

NB 6 Dorian O'Daniel Jr. 6-1 215 **PS#13.** 1 st, 28 tkl '14. 15 gm, 36 tkl, 5.5 tfl LY. **5** Korrin Wiggins (6'0" 200 Jr) **PS#86.** 6 st, 25 gm, 48 tkl F2Y. OFY LY. **SLB 30** Jalen Williams (5'9" 225 So) PS#216. 15 gm, 14 tkl as true.

CB 25 CORDREA TANKERSLEY SR. 6-1 195 **PS#48.** 12 gm, 13 tkl as true. 15 st, 48 tkl, 3.5 tfl, 9 pbu, 5 int, 3rd Tm ACC LY. **29** Marcus Edmond (6'0" 170 Jr) **PS#232.** 15 gm, 2 tkl LY. **21** Adrian Baker (6'0" 180 Jr) **PS#70.** 3 st, 13 tkl LY. ACL spg.

CB 24 Mark Fields So. 5-10 195 **PS#13.** 13 gm, 5 tkl as true. Trayvon Mullen (6'2" 175 Fr) **PS#40.**
38 Amir Trapp (5'8" 155 rFr). K'Von Wallace is **PS#260.** Brian Dawkins is **PS#410. 37** Cameron Scott (5'10" 205 So).

SS 18 Jadar Johnson Sr. 6-1 205 **PS#39.** 23 gm, 24 tkl, 4 pd F2Y. 1 st, 15 tkl, 2 int LY. Ryan Carter (5'9" 175 Jr) **PS#260.** 12 gm '14. 2 st, 15 tkl, 1 tfl, 2 pbu LY. **14** Denzel Johnson (6'2" 191 rFr) **PS#412. 32** Kyle Cote (5'10" 170 rFr).

FS 23 Van Smith So. 6-0 190 **PS#39.** 14 gm, 19 tkl, 1 tfl,1 int as true. Can also play CB. **19** Tanner Muse (6'2" 230 rFr) **PS#92.** Isaiah Simmons (6'4" 215 Fr) **PS#68.** Nolan Turner (6'2" 190 Fr).

P 32 ANDY TEASDALL SR. 5-11 190 2 punts in 1 gm '14. 67 punts (39.5), L/57, 23 In20, 6 of 50+, tm net 37.4 LY. **13** Hunter Renfrow (5'10" 175 rFr) 5 gm, 492 (14.9) LY as WR. Also listed at P in spg. **96** Michael Batson (5'10" 200 rFr).

CLEMSON TIGERS

Clemson, South Carolina
WEATHER ZIP: 29634
Enrollment: 21,957 (#6/#83)

Phil's Homefield Edge - 5.25
2016 Schedule Difficulty - #61

DABO SWINNEY
PLAYING EXP: WR at Alabama ('90-'92)
PRIOR HC EXP: None
9TH Year Here / 9TH Overall

DATE	OPPONENT	TURF	LINE	FINAL SCORE CU	OPP	W L
Sep. 3	at Auburn	G				
Sep. 10	Troy	G				
Sep. 17	South Carolina St	G				
Sep. 22	at Georgia Tech (Thur)	G				
Oct. 1	Louisville	G				
Oct. 7	at Boston College (Fri)	A				
Oct. 15	NC State (HC)	G				
Oct. 22						
Oct. 29	at Florida St	G				
Nov. 5	Syracuse	G				
Nov. 12	Pittsburgh	G				
Nov. 19	at Wake Forest	A				
Nov. 26	South Carolina					
Dec. 3						

SYRACUSE IS OFF BYE

LTH ('10) CU lost 27-24 (last win in Auburn was in 1950). CU led 17-3 at HT but eventually lost in OT vs #16 AU. CU has won 4 of their L/5 road openers incl '12's win (L/mtg) vs AU in the Georgia Dome.

CU won 43-19 in 11's home opener (only prior mtg). Tigers are 27-2 in home openers (12 str wins by 24 ppg). Excluding rival SC, CU has won 18 str home gms vs non-conf foes, L/loss vs #15 TCU in '09.

Tigers are 3-0 (all gms since '08) w/a avg score 60-7 incl a 73-7 win in the L/mtg ('14). 10th str ssn CU plays a FCS program (9-0, avg win by 36 ppg). Bulldogs went 7-4 LY (did not face a FBS school).

Visitor has now lost 10 of the L/11 meetings. LTH GT pulled the 28-6 upset with the key play being an 85 yd IR td 3 plays after CU QB Watson was inj'd. It marks the Tigers last reg ssn loss into '16.

LY CU led 7-3 at HT but all'd a 58/9pl td drive & trailed 10-7 w/10:35 3Q. CU scored the next 13 but UL got a 100 yd KR td to cut it to 3 w/9:41 left. UL's L/2 drives ended on missed 38 yd fg & int at CU3 (gm's L/pl).

CU has won 7 of the L/8 meetings incl 5 str. LTH the Tigers had 22-11 FD and 398-263 yd edges but only won 17-13. BC had a chance for the upset but their L/drive stalled at the CU31 w/:49 left.

LY after the first 4 drives it was 13-13 (each blk'd an XP). CU took the lead for good :40 before HT on a 42 yd td pass, 26-20. NCSt got as close as 6 mid-3Q but CU answered w/B2B td drives & answered both 4Q td's.

Bonus: Of the 128 FBS HC's, 6 have won a National Title & Swinney has a victory over 5 of them.

CU is 9-20 (L/won 2 str from '05-'07, 3 str wins & only series winning streak). LTH CU looked to have the gm won in reg but fmbl'd at the FSU14 w/1:36 left. In OT, CU was SOD & FSU got a 12 yd td run.

LY Watson had a then career high 473 ttl yds (later broke mark vs Bama w/478). The gm was 14-14 in a wild first 11:26. SU only trailed by 7 w/10:18 left but after all'g a fg punted & CU ran out L/5:57.

The only prior meeting was the 1977 Gator Bowl, Clemson lost 34-3. Into '16, the Tigers have won 9 str ACC home gms by 18 ppg (L/loss in '13 vs #5 FSU).

LTH despite a 427-119 yd edge,they were tied at 20 in the 4Q before CU put the gm away w/a 68 yd td pass & 30 yd td run.

114th mtg, played every ssn s/1909. LY CU got off to a slow start (ACC Title on deck) but still led 14-3 at HT. CU all'd a 26/4pl td after a fmbl & only led 28-25 w/12:19 left. CU put the gm away w/a td, SOD at SC10 & a fg (SC's L/td w/:01).

2015 RECORDS: **14-1** CONF: 8-0 (#1 ATLANTIC)

2016 RET STARTERS: OFF: 8* DEF: 4
LETTERMEN (O/D/ST)
RET: 52 (28,21,3)
LOST: 28 (12,14,2)

	HERE/OVERALL
Record:	75-27
Bowls:	5-4
Home:	46-8
Away:	21-16
Neutral:	8-5
Vs Conf:	49-15
Vs Top 10:	8-5
Vs Top 25:	13-17
Vs Power 5:	12-11
Off Bye:	13-5
Off Loss:	17-6

ACC - ATLANTIC

DB CORDREA TANKERSLEY

CAREER PASSING LEADERS
1. Tajh Boyd 11,904 '10-'13
2. Charlie Whitehurst 9,665 '02-'05
3. Woodrow Dantzler 6,037 '98-'01

CAREER RUSHING LEADERS
1. Raymond Priester 3,966 '94-'97
2. James Davis 3,881 '05-'08
3. CJ Spiller 3,547 '06-'09

CAREER RECEIVING LEADERS
1. Sammy Watkins 3,391 '11-'13
2. DeAndre Hopkins 3,020 '10-'12
3. Aaron Kelly 2,733 '05-'08

SIGNEES 1 VHT • 8 HT • 7 IFS

DL	Dexter Lawrence 6-5 340 PS#2 IFS
RB	Tavien Feaster 6-0 205 PS#1
LB	Shaq Smith 6-3 240 PS#8 IFS
LB	Tre Lamar 6-4 240 PS#10 IFS
DB	Trayvon Mullen 6-3 175 PS#10
DL	Xavier Kelly 6-5 255 PS#33
WR	TJ Chase 6-2 185 PS#29
WR	Cornell Powell 6-1 200 PS#30
WR	Diondre Overton 6-5 195 PS#34
DL	Nyles Pinckney 6-3 300 PS#44 IFS
OL	Sean Pollard 6-5 295 PS#33 IFS
OL	John Simpson 6-4 290 PS#43
QB	Zerrick Cooper 6-4 205 PS#27
DL	LaSamuel Davis 6-4 215 PS#113 '15 IFS
DB	Isaiah Simmons 6-4 215 PS#68
TE	JC Chalk 6-4 230 PS#22
OL	Tremayne Anchrum 6-3 290 PS#76 IFS
DL	Jamie Skalski 6-2 225 PS#72
OL	Chandler Reeves 6-6 270 PS#159
DB	Brian Dawkins 5-9 175 PS#410 '15
WR	K'Von Wallace 6-1 190 PS#260
OL	Cade Stewart 6-4 310 PS#322
DB	Nolan Turner 6-2 190 PS#639

LAST 5 BOWLS ALL-TIME RECORD 20-19
YR BOWL/TEAM RANK	LINE	OPPONENT	SCORE
12 Chick-fil-A - #14	+6	LSU - #9	25-24
13 Orange - #12	+2'	Ohio St - #7	40-35
14 Russell Athletic - #18	+5	Oklahoma	40-6
15 Orange - #1	+3'	Oklahoma - #4	37-17
15 CFP Championship - #1	+6'	Alabama - #2	40-45

CLEMSON MEMORIAL STADIUM - Grass
Built: 1942 • 81,500 (#17) • LY's Capacity: 99.4% (#20)

	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	10 Yr Total
STRAIGHT UP	8-5	9-4	7-6	9-5	6-7	10-4	11-2	11-2	10-3	14-1	95-39
Home	5-2	5-2	5-2	6-1	5-2	7-0	6-1	6-1	7-0	7-0	59-11
Away	2-2	4-1	2-2	2-3	1-4	2-3	3-1	4-1	2-3	5-0	27-20
Neutral	1-1	0-1	0-2	1-1	0-1	1-1	2-0	1-0	1-0	2-1	9-8
vs Conf	5-3	5-3	4-4	6-3	4-4	7-2	7-1	7-1	6-2	9-0	60-23
vs Non-Conf	3-2	4-1	3-2	3-2	2-3	3-2	4-1	4-1	4-1	5-1	35-16
ATS	6-7	6-6	4-7	9-5	5-8	8-6	9-4	7-6	6-7	8-6-1	68-62-1
Home Fav	4-3	2-3	2-2	5-2	2-3	5-2	3-4	3-2	4-3	3-3-1	33-27-1
Home Dog	0-0	1-0	0-1	0-0	0-2	0-0	0-0	1-1	0-0	0-0	2-4
Away Fav	0-3	3-2	1-0	1-2	1-1	1-2	3-0	2-2	0-3	2-3	14-18
Away Dog	1-0	0-1	0-2	2-0	2-1	1-1	1-0	0-1	1-1	0-0	9-6
Neutral	1-1	0-1	0-2	1-1	0-1	1-1	2-0	1-0	1-0	3-0	10-7
vs Conf	3-5	5-3	3-5	6-3	4-4	6-3	7-1	4-4	3-5	4-4-1	45-37-1
vs Non-Conf	3-2	1-3	1-2	3-2	1-4	2-3	2-3	3-2	3-2	4-2	23-25
Off SU Win	4-4	4-4	2-4	5-3	3-3	6-4	6-4	5-5	4-5	7-6-1	46-42-1
Off SU Loss	1-3	1-2	2-2	3-2	2-4	1-2	2-0	1-1	2-1	0-0	15-17

OFFENSE — LAST 7 YEARS — DEFENSE

RET STS	OFF PTS	TOTAL OFF	OFF RUSH	OFF YPC	OFF PASS	PASS %	AVG PLAY	OFF SKS VS	TOTAL TURN		RET STS	DEF PTS	TOTAL DEF	DEF RUSH	DEF YPC	DEF PASS	PASS %	AVG PLAY	DEF YPP	SKS BY
6*	38.5	515	223	4.9	292	67.4	6.4	13.4	18	-2	2015	3	21.7	313	125	3.5	188	48.5	4.9	14.4	48
5	30.8	408	146	3.5	262	64.7	5.4	13.2	27	+6	2014	7	16.7	261	103	3.0	157	50.0	4.9	15.6	45
6*	40.2	508	175	4.2	333	69.2	6.4	12.6	35	+6	2013	6	22.2	357	156	3.7	201	53.4	5.0	16.1	38
7*	41.0	513	191	4.2	322	67.1	6.3	12.5	31	+2	2012	7	24.8	396	156	4.2	240	58.1	5.6	15.9	34
9	33.6	441	159	4.2	282	59.2	5.8	13.1	33	-1	2011	5	29.3	394	177	4.4	218	58.3	5.6	13.5	24
7*	24.0	335	139	4.0	196	56.2	5.0	13.9	18	-3	2010	6	18.8	320	128	3.5	192	53.7	4.8	17.1	31
7	31.1	362	170	4.8	192	56.4	5.7	11.6	19	+6	2009	8	20.4	314	152	3.5	163	51.2	4.6	15.4	38

2015 STATISTICAL LEADERS

RUSHING
	ATT	GAIN	LOST	NET	TD	AVG
Wayne Gallman	283	1565	38	1527	13	5.4
Deshaun Watson	207	1219	114	1105	12	5.3
Zac Brooks	41	238	4	234	3	5.7
CJ Fuller	42	172	1	171	1	4.1
Kelly Bryant	23	172	16	156	2	6.8
Tyshon Dye	23	96	5	91	2	4.0

PASSING
	ATT	COM	PCT	YDS	TD	INT	QBR
Deshaun Watson	491	333	67.8	4104	35	13	156.3
Nick Schuessler	23	13	56.5	177	0	1	112.5
Kelly Bryant	9	7	77.8	27	0	1	80.8

RECEIVING
	REC	YDS	AVG	TD	LONG
Artavis Scott	93	901	9.7	6	51
Charone Peake	50	716	14.3	5	64
Deon Cain	34	582	17.1	5	67
Jordan Leggett	40	525	13.1	8	34
Hunter Renfrow	33	492	14.9	5	57
Germone Hopper	21	317	15.1	0	63
Ray-Ray McCloud	29	251	8.7	1	36
Wayne Gallman	21	213	10.1	1	39
Trevion Thompson	10	115	11.5	0	33
Zac Brooks	9	113	12.6	2	35

PUNTING
	NO	YDS	AVG	FC	BLK	In20
Andy Teasdall	67	2647	39.5	24	37.4(t)	0 23

KICKING
	XP	1-29	30-39	40-49	50+	TTL	LNG
Greg Huegel	56-61	7-7	14-15	6-10	0-0	27-32	47

PLAYER	TKL	SKS	TFL	PBU	INT	QBH
BJ Goodson	108	5.5	8.5	3	2	3
TJ Green	95	1	4.5	3	0	1
Ben Boulware	82	3.5	4.5	7	2	10
Kevin Dodd	62	12	11.5	1	0	6
Jayron Kearse	62	0	6.5	1	5	0
Shaq Lawson	60	12.5	13	0	0	5
Cordrea Tankersley	48	1	2.5	9	5	0
Dorian O'Daniel	36	0	5.5	1	0	0
Travis Blanks	36	1	3	2	0	0
Carlos Watkins	34	3.5	4	3	1	2
Christian Wilkins	34	3	2.5	0	0	1
Mackensie Alexander	23	0	2	5	0	0
Austin Bryant	23	1.5	0.5	1	0	1
Van Smith	19	0	1	0	1	0
Scott Pagano	18	0	2	0	0	1
Roderick Byers	17	0	1	1	0	0
Jadar Johnson	15	0	0.5	1	2	1
Ryan Carter	15	0	1	2	0	0
Jalen Williams	14	2	6.5	0	0	0
Adrian Baker	13	0	0	1	2	0
DJ Reader	13	0.5	1	0	0	0

PUNT RETURNS
	NO	YDS	AVG	TD	LNG
Artavis Scott	13	55	4.2	0	16

KICK RETURNS
	NO	YDS	AVG	TD	LNG
Artavis Scott	15	371	24.7	0	44

2015 GAME-BY-GAME STATS

OFFENSE / DEFENSE

ATT	OPPONENT	SCORE	TTL OFF	FD	RUSH ATT-YDS	AVG	PASS CO-ATT	YDS	SKS VS		TTL DEF	FD	RUSH ATT-YDS	AVG	PASS CO-ATT	YDS	SKS BY	NET YDS	TO'S	OFF FOE	VS DEF	DEF FOE	VS OFF	GM GRADE
81,301	Wofford	49-10	533	27	43-222	5.2	30-37	311	2		213	9	45-123	2.7	6-18	90	1	320	-2	–	–	–	–	87.9
81,467	Appalachian St	41-10	392	22	44-140	3.2	21-31	252	3		297	12	45-202	4.5	9-28	95	1	95	+2	#3	84	#1	185	97.8
55,396	at Louisville	20-17	401	20	40-202	5.1	21-30	199	1		272	16	28-19	0.7	20-35	253	5	129	0	#5	74	#1	156	100.5
82,415	Notre Dame	24-22	296	15	43-212	4.9	10-21	84	0		432	20	32-111	3.5	19-35	321	4	-136	-4	#10	-83	#3	37	83.5
80,983	Georgia Tech	43-24	537	24	41-201	4.9	23-33	336	1		230	12	42-71	1.7	6-14	159	2	307	-2	#1	184	#1	161	103.2
81,416	Boston College	34-17	532	24	36-112	3.1	27-42	420	3		246	11	38-159	4.2	7-23	87	2	286	-2	#1	303	#5	32	98.1
45,211	at Miami, Fl	58-0	567	33	63-416	6.6	17-25	151	0		146	6	29-53	1.8	13-32	93	4	421	+2	#1	176	#1	272	136.3
57,600	at NC State	56-41	623	27	50-240	4.8	23-30	383	2		389	18	27-135	5.0	24-41	254	5	234	0	#1	295	#6	26	106.3
83,099	Florida St	23-13	512	24	42-215	5.1	28-43	297	2		361	14	30-197	6.6	16-29	164	2	151	+2	#1	190	#5	68	101.1
36,736	at Syracuse	37-27	570	29	36-202	5.6	35-48	368	0		322	16	34-242	7.1	8-21	80	1	248	-2	#3	143	#9	-2	94.6
81,577	Wake Forest	33-13	552	24	42-171	4.1	28-40	381	0		152	11	32-39	1.2	16-28	113	5	400	-2	#1	205	#2	198	104.4
81,409	at South Carolina	37-32	515	25	47-236	5.0	20-27	279	0		402	17	38-181	4.8	14-30	221	4	113	-2	#4	93	#8	-43	89.9
74,514	† North Carolina	45-37	608	33	56-319	5.7	26-42	289	0		382	21	32-142	4.4	12-35	240	2	226	+1	#2	185	#1	113	116.4
64,615	† Oklahoma	37-17	530	30	58-312	5.4	17-32	218	2		378	24	33-67	2.0	26-43	311	5	152	+1	#2	179	#3	165	123.9
75,765	† Alabama	40-45	550	31	38-145	3.8	30-47	405	2		473	18	46-138	3.0	16-25	335	5	77	-1	#1	293	#12	-49	108.5
	TOTALS		577-525		7718 393		679-3345	4.9	356-528 4373	18		4695	225	531-1879	3.5	212-437	2816	48	3023	-2	#3	2322	#5	113	103.4
	AVERAGES		38-22		515 26		45-223	4.9	24-35 292			313	15	35-125	3.5	14-29	188		202	-0.1	#2	166	#11	94	102.2

ATTENDANCE				
CONF	39-21	545	27	45-231	5.1	68.5%	314	2.7%	278	14	32-117	3.6	47.3%	160	10.9%	267	-3	#2	195	#6	114	106.6
81,003 (#14) HOME	36-19	488	25	41-177	4.3	67.0%	311	4.4%	301	13	39-130	3.4	47.5%	171	11.0%	188	-2	#10	168	#12	90	96.6
59,354 (#30) AWAY	41-24	545	28	50-275	5.5	67.9%	270	2.1%	327	17	32-120	3.8	49.4%	207	11.0%	218	0	#1	164	#11	98	105.5

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RESULTS

'11 RESULTS (10-4)
PRE-RANK	OPPONENT - ACC*	LINE	POST SCORE
–	Troy	-14'	43-19
–	Wofford	-25	35-27
–	Auburn - #21	-3'	38-24
#21	Florida St* - #11	-2'	35-30
#13	at Virginia Tech* - #11	+7	23-3
#8	Boston College*	-21	36-14
#8	at Maryland*	-8	56-45
#8	North Carolina*	-10	59-38
#6	at Georgia Tech*	-3	17-31
#9	Wake Forest*	-16'	31-28
#7	at NC State*	-7	13-37
#18	at South Carolina - #14	+3'	13-34
#21	† Virginia Tech* - #5	+6'	38-10

'12 RESULTS (11-2)
PRE RANK	OPPONENT - ACC*	LINE	POST# SCORE
#14	† Auburn	-2'	26-19
#12	Ball St	-27'	52-27
#12	Furman	-42'	41-7
#10	at Florida St* - #4	+14'	37-49
#17	at Boston College*	-7	45-31
#15	Georgia Tech*	-10'	47-31
#14	Virginia Tech*	-7'	38-17
#14	at Wake Forest*	-13	42-13
#10	at Duke*	-12'	56-20
#11	Maryland*	-31'	45-10
#11	NC State*	-16'	62-48
#12	South Carolina - #13	-3'	17-27

'13 RESULTS (11-2)
PRE RANK	OPPONENT - ACC*	LINE	POST#8 SCORE
#8	Georgia - #5	+2'	38-35
#4	South Carolina St	-52'	52-13
#3	at NC State*	-13	26-14
#3	Wake Forest*	-28	56-7
#3	at Syracuse*	-14	49-14
#3	Boston College*	-24	24-14
#3	Florida St* - #5	+3	14-51
#24	at Boston College*	-4'	17-13
#21	Syracuse*	-14'	16-6
#19	at Wake Forest*	-21	34-20
#18	Georgia St* - #24	-40'	62-8
#7	The Citadel	-40'	52-6
#6	at South Carolina - #10	+3'	17-31

'14 RESULTS (10-3)
PRE #16 RANK	OPPONENT - ACC*	LINE	POST#15 SCORE
#16	at Georgia - #12	+7'	21-45
#23	South Carolina St	-33	73-7
#22	at Florida St* - #1 OT	+10	17-23
–	North Carolina*	-14'	50-35
–	NC State*	-14'	41-0
–	Louisville*	-9'	23-17
#24	at Boston College*	-4'	17-13
#21	Syracuse*	-14'	16-6
#19	at Wake Forest*	-21	34-20
#18	Georgia Tech* - #24	-2'	6-28
–	Georgia St	-40'	28-0
#23	South Carolina	-6'	35-17

'15 RESULTS (14-1)
PRE #2 RANK	OPPONENT - ACC*	LINE	POST#2 SCORE
#12	Wofford	-38	49-10
#12	Appalachian St	-19	41-10
#11	at Louisville*	-6	20-17
#6	Notre Dame - #6	-2'	24-22
#6	Georgia Tech*	-7'	43-24
#6	Boston College*	-17	34-17
#5	at Miami, Fl*	-8'	58-0
#3	at NC State*	-10'	56-41
#1	Florida St* - #17	-10'	23-13
#1	at Syracuse*	-30'	37-27
#1	Wake Forest*	-29	33-13
#1	at South Carolina	-20'	37-32
#1	† North Carolina* - #8 ACC Title	-4'	45-37

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