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Southern Mississippi (7-3)	7	35	10	13	65
Rice (4-6)	0	0	0	10	10

Scoring Summary

FIRST QUARTER		USM	RICE
USM TD 3:13	Ito Smith 28 Yd pass from Nick Mullens (Stephen Brauchle Kick)9 plays, 68 yards, 3:55	7	0
SECOND QUARTER		USM	RICE
USM TD 9:22	Xavier Thigpen 6 Yd pass from Tyler Sarrazin (Stephen Brauchle Kick)10 plays, 52 yards, 3:12	14	0
USM TD 7:34	Michael Thomas 50 Yd pass from Nick Mullens (Stephen Brauchle Kick)3 plays, 51 yards, 0:53	21	0
USM TD 6:08	Michael Thomas 51 Yd pass from Nick Mullens (Stephen Brauchle Kick)2 plays, 62 yards, 0:19	28	0
USM TD 5:04	DJ Thompson 13 Yd pass from Nick Mullens (Stephen Brauchle Kick)1 play, 13 yards, 0:06	35	0
USM TD 0:30	Ito Smith 16 Yd pass from Nick Mullens (Stephen Brauchle Kick)8 plays, 95 yards, 2:44	42	0
THIRD QUARTER		USM	RICE
USM TD 13:02	Jalen Richard 60 Yd Run (Stephen Brauchle Kick) 4 plays, 73 yards, 1:58	49	0
USM FG 7:53	Stephen Brauchle 39 Yd Field Goal 9 plays, 65 yards, 4:09	52	0
FOURTH QUARTER		USM	RICE
USM TD 14:54	Tyler Matthews 17 Yd Run (Stephen Brauchle PAT blocked)6 plays, 79 yards, 2:59	58	0
RICE FG 11:10	Hayden Tobola 33 Yd Field Goal 4 plays, 0 yards, 0:25	58	3
USM TD 9:45	Jarell Aaron 47 Yd pass from Tyler Matthews (Parker Shaunfield Kick)4 plays, 75 yards, 1:25	65	3
RICE TD 4:46	Nate German 20 Yd pass from Driphus Jackson (Hayden Tobola Kick)10 plays, 77 yards, 4:59	65	10

Team Stats	USM	Rice
First Downs	27	15
Total Yards	682	214
Turnovers	1	1
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Total Plays	72	71
Avg Gain Per Play	9.5	3.0
Net Yards Rushing	181	107
Rushes	35	35
Yards Per Rush	5.2	3.1
Net Yards Passing	501	107
Comp-Att	28-37	13-36
Yards Per Pass	13.5	3.0
Times Sacked	6	0
Yds Lost To Sacks	-39	0
Interceptions	0	0
Punts	3	9
Punt Average	0.0	0.0
Penalties	5	7
Penalty Yards	55	67
Fumbles	1	2
Fumbles Lost	1	1
Time of Poss.	31:12	28:48

INDIVIDUAL STATS

RUSHING

USM: Jalen Richard 6-78, Ito Smith 18-57, Delaunte' Thornton 8-25, Tyler Matthews 2-23, Team 1--2
RICE: Darik Dillard 9-70, Austin Walter 10-65, Luke Turner 1-8, Tyler Stehling 4-4, Jowan Davis 2-4, Samuel Stewart 1-0, Driphus Jackson 8-44

PASSING

USM: Nick Mullens 23-31-386-0, Tyler Matthews 4-5-109-0, Tyler Sarrazin 1-1-6-0
RICE: Driphus Jackson 8-19-69-0, Tyler Stehling 5-16-38-0, Zach Wright 0-1-0-0

RECEIVING

USM: Casey Martin 6-109, Ito Smith 6-83, Mike Thomas 5-126, D.J. Thompson 3-43, Korey Robertson 2-34, Jalen Richard 2-8, Jarell Aaron 1-47, Jordan Mitchell 1-28, Daythan Davis 1-17, Xavier Thigpen 1-6
RICE: Parker Smith 3-40, Nate German 2-22, Temi Alaka 2-17, Connor Cella 2-11, Dennis Parks 1-12, Jowan Davis 1-6, James Mayden 1-0, Cole Hunt 1--1