

WEEK ELEVEN
AKRON AT EASTERN MICHIGAN

YPSILANTI, Mich. -- Eastern Michigan intercepted Akron on three straight possessions, including one returned for a touchdown by Maxx Crosby, and the Eagles became bowl eligible with a 27-7 victory over Akron on Saturday.

With EMU (6-5, 4-3 Mid-American) leading 10-7 late in the third quarter, Kevin McGill leaped to make a one-handed pick of Alex Ramart's pass at the Eagles' 11-yard line. That interception didn't result in a score but the Eagles' punt to the Akron 1 set up Crosby's pick for a touchdown.

On the first play on the Zips' ensuing possession, Vince Calhoun intercepted a deep pass and returned it 39 yards to the Akron 6 and Breck Taylor ran for a touchdown on the next play for a 24-7 lead. Ian Eriksen had EMU's other touchdown with a 1-yard run in the first quarter.

The Zips (4-5, 2-4) held a 10-7 halftime lead after Jeremiah Knight's 70-yard punt return with 2:16 left before the break.

EMU outgained Akron 384-90. Ramart was just 4 of 15 for 29 yards passing and the three interceptions.

Final	1	2	3	4	T
AKRON	0	7	0	0	7
EMU	7	3	0	17	27

Scoring Summary -----

	AKRON	EMU
FIRST QUARTER		
EMU TD 5:15		
Ian Eriksen 1 Yd Run (Chad Ryland Kick)		
17 plays, 83 yards, 7:57	0	7
SECOND QUARTER		
EMU FG 6:32		
Chad Ryland 25 Yd Field Goal		
10 plays, 54 yards, 4:23	0	10
AKRON TD 2:16		
Jeremiah Knight 70 Yd Punt Return (Nick Gasser Kick)		
3 plays, 1 yard, 1:13	7	10
FOURTH QUARTER		
EMU TD 13:41		
Maxx Crosby 2 Yd Interception Return (Chad Ryland Kick)		
3 plays, 6 yards, 1:10	7	17
EMU TD 13:22		
Breck Turner 6 Yd Run (Chad Ryland Kick)		
1 play, 6 yards, 0:05	7	24
EMU FG 3:32		
Chad Ryland 41 Yd Field Goal		
8 plays, 45 yards, 3:48	7	27

Team Stats	AKRON	EMU
First Downs	6	20
Total Yards	90	384
Total Plays	46	75
Avg Gain Per Play	2.0	5.1
Net Yards Rushing	61	252
Rushes	31	51
Yards Per Rush	2.0	4.9
Net Yards Passing	29	132
Comp-Att	4-15	16-24
Yards Per Pass	1.9	5.5
Times Sacked	2	1
Yds Lost To Sacks	-13	-3
Interceptions	3	0
Punts	8	6
Punt Average	0.0	0.0
Penalties	2	7
Penalty Yards	25	65
Fumbles	1	1
Fumbles Lost	1	1
Possession	21:41	38:19

Individual Stats

RUSHING

AKRON	Rush	Yds	Avg	TD	Long
Van Edwards Jr.	17	53	3.1	0	19
Deltron Sands	6	25	4.2	0	9
Jemarulin Suggs	2	5	2.5	0	6
Mykel Traylor-Bennett	1	0	0.0	0	0
Alex Ramart	4	-11	-2.8	0	6
Team	1	-11	-11.0	0	0
EMU	Rush	Yds	Avg	TD	Long
Ian Eriksen	15	96	6.4	1	27
Breck Turner	9	44	4.9	1	14
Willie Parker	9	38	4.2	0	10
Shaq Vann	5	37	7.4	0	14
Isaac Stiebeling	5	23	4.6	0	18
Karmi Mackey	1	12	12.0	0	12
Tyler Wiegers	6	11	1.8	0	8
Team	1	-9	-9.0	0	0

PASSING

AKRON	Comp	Att	Yds	Y/A	TD	Int	QBRat
Alex Ramart	4	15	29	1.9	0	3	0.2
EMU	Comp	Att	Yds	Y/A	TD	Int	QBRat
Tyler Wiegers	15	23	129	5.6	0	0	31.2
Isaac Stiebeling	1	1	3	3.0	0	0	13.6

RECEIVING

AKRON	Rec	Yds	Avg	TD	Long
Kwadarrius Smith	2	22	11.0	0	19
Andre Williams	1	4	4.0	0	4
Van Edwards Jr.	1	3	3.0	0	3
EMU	Rec	Yds	Avg	TD	Long
Mathew Sexton	5	55	11.0	0	19
Blake Banham	2	27	13.5	0	19
Arthur Jackson III	5	22	4.4	0	16
Shaq Vann	1	9	9.0	0	9
Bryce Kemp	1	8	8.0	0	8
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Breck Turner	1	3	3.0	0	3