



SCORE BY QUARTERS

Team	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	Total
Ball St.	10	7	9	3	29
Northern Ill.	0	17	3	10	30

SCORING SUMMARY

Qtr	Time	Scoring Play	V-H
1st	05:46	BSU - #46 J.Lewis 43 yd FG, 6-29, 02:29	3-0
1st	03:04	BSU - #12 J.Jackson 15 yd pass from #9 D.Plitt (#42 J.Chanove kick), 4-42, 01:58	10-0
2nd	12:41	NIU - #25 C.Ratkovich 2 yd rush (#39 J.Richardson kick), 6-58, 02:28	10-7
2nd	10:50	BSU - #11 J.Hall 7 yd rush (#42 J.Chanove kick), 5-76, 01:47	17-7
2nd	02:14	NIU - #39 J.Richardson 38 yd FG, 10-54, 05:26	17-10
2nd	00:29	NIU - #15 C.Tucker 58 yd pass from #12 R.Lombardi (#39 J.Richardson kick), 4-78, 00:32	17-17
3rd	13:46	BSU - SAFETY, 01:11	19-17
3rd	09:08	BSU - #11 J.Hall 2 yd rush (#42 J.Chanove kick), 9-72, 04:31	26-17
3rd	04:45	NIU - #39 J.Richardson 38 yd FG, 9-52, 04:19	26-20
4th	02:42	NIU - #8 J.Ducker 10 yd rush (#39 J.Richardson kick), 14-69, 07:22	26-27
4th	01:42	BSU - #46 J.Lewis 48 yd FG, 6-34, 01:00	29-27
4th	00:00	NIU - #39 J.Richardson 32 yd FG, 10-62, 01:42	29-30

TIME DETAILS

Kickoff time: 06:05 PM
 End of Game: 09:37 PM
 Total elapsed: 03:32

OFFICIALS

Referee: Greg Sujack
 Umpire: Bob Holcomb
 Linesman: Kristopher Loving
 Line judge: Jonathan Shelton
 Back judge: Josh Dascher
 Field judge: Monte Tilgner
 Side judge: John Masterson
 Center judge: Jason Gant
 Replay Official: Ken Myers

WEATHER

Weather: Cloudy
 Wind: South East 15 mph



FULL GAME	BSU	NIU
FIRST DOWNS	17	26
Rushing	11	13
Passing	5	11
Penalty	1	2
NET YARDS RUSHING	246	211
Rushing Attempts	33	41
Average Per Rush	7.5	5.1
Rushing Touchdowns	2	2
Yards Gained Rushing	251	215
Yards Lost Rushing	5	4
NET YARDS PASSING	126	264
Completions-Attempts-Int	11-26-0	23-38-1
Average Per Attempt	4.8	6.9
Average Per Completion	11.5	11.5
Passing Touchdowns	1	1
TOTAL OFFENSE YARDS	372	475
Total offense plays	59	79
Average Gain Per Play	6.3	6.0
Fumbles: Number-Lost	0-0	1-1
Penalties: Number-Yards	4-30	4-50
PUNTS-YARDS	6-278	5-179
Average Yards Per Punt	46.3	35.8
Net Yards Per Punt	45.2	28.2
Inside 20	2	2
50+ Yards	1	0
Touchbacks	0	0
Fair catch	2	0
KICKOFF-YARDS	6-346	7-372
Average Yards Per Kickoff	57.7	53.1
Net Yards Per Kickoff	39.7	37.9
Touchbacks	1	2
Fair Catch Yards	0	0
Punt returns: Number-Yards-TD	2-38-0	2-7-0
Average Per Return	19.0	3.5
Kickoff returns: Number-Yds-TD	4-42-0	4-53-0
Average Per Return	10.5	13.2
Interceptions: Number-Yds-TD	1-0-0	0-0-0
Fumble Returns: Number-Yds-TD	0-0-0	0-0-0
Miscellaneous Yards	0	0
Possession Time	23:16	36:44
1st Quarter	08:10	06:50
2nd Quarter	04:29	10:31
3rd Quarter	07:59	07:01
4th Quarter	02:38	12:22
Third-Down Conversions	1-10	5-14
Fourth-Down Conversions	0-1	1-1
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	3-4	4-4
Touchdowns	3-4	2-4
Field goals	0-4	2-4
Sacks By: Number-Yards	0-0	0-0
PAT Kicks	3-3	3-3
Field Goals	2-3	3-3
Points off Turnover	10	0



FULL GAME

BALL ST.

RUSHING							
	No.	Gain	Loss	Net	TD	Lg	Avg
Carson Steele	21	114	5	109	0	49	5.2
Justin Hall	7	79	0	79	2	19	11.3
Jalen McGaughy	1	25	0	25	0	25	25.0
Drew Plitt	1	25	0	25	0	25	25.0
Will Jones	3	8	0	8	0	6	2.7
Totals:	33	251	5	246	2	49	7.5

PASSING					
	C-A-I	Yds	TD	Long	Sack
Drew Plitt	11-26-0	126	1	45	0
Totals:	11-26-0	126	1	45	0

RECEIVING						
	TAR	No.	Yards	YAC	TD	Long
Jayshon Jackson	5	3	34	20	1	15
Justin Hall	5	3	27	21	0	15
YoHeinz Tyler	8	3	9	8	0	5
Jalen McGaughy	2	1	45	0	0	45
Will Jones	2	1	11	8	0	11
Jordan Williams	1	0	0	0	0	0
Cody Rudy	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals:	24	11	126	57	1	45

PUNTING						
	No.	Yds	Avg	Long	In20	TB
Nathan Snyder	5	240	48.0	69	2	0
Lucas Borrow	1	38	38.0	38	0	0
Totals:	6	278	46.3	69	2	0

	Punt			Kickoff			Intercept		
	No	Yds	Lg	No	Yds	Lg	No	Yds	Lg
Justin Hall	1	23	23	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hassan Littles	1	15	15	0	0	0	0	0	0
Jalen McGaughy	0	0	0	3	34	19	0	0	0
Ryan Lezon	0	0	0	1	8	8	0	0	0
Brandon Martin	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
Totals:	2	38	23	4	42	19	1	0	0

FIELD GOALS				
	Qtr	Time	Dist	Result
Jacob Lewis	1st	05:46	43	GOOD
Jake Chanove	2nd	00:00	24	MISSED
Jacob Lewis	4th	01:42	48	GOOD

KICKOFFS					
	No.	Yards	Avg	TB	OB
Jacob Lewis	6	346	57.7	1	1

ALL-PURPOSE						
	Rush	Rcv	KR	PR	IR	Total
Justin Hall	79	27	0	23	0	129
Carson Steele	109	0	0	0	0	109
Jalen McGaughy	25	45	34	0	0	104
Jayshon Jackson	0	34	0	0	0	34

FUMBLES

Ball St. - None

Northern Ill. - Trayvon Rudolph 1-1

NORTHERN ILL.

RUSHING							
	No.	Gain	Loss	Net	TD	Lg	Avg
Jay Ducker	24	155	0	155	1	24	6.5
Rocky Lombardi	5	32	2	30	0	12	6.0
Clint Ratkovich	4	12	0	12	1	7	3.0
Mason Blakemore	5	11	2	9	0	6	1.8
Antario Brown	3	5	0	5	0	3	1.7
Totals:	41	215	4	211	2	24	5.1

PASSING					
	C-A-I	Yds	TD	Long	Sack
Rocky Lombardi	23-38-1	264	1	58	0
Totals:	23-38-1	264	1	58	0

RECEIVING						
	TAR	No.	Yards	YAC	TD	Long
Trayvon Rudolph	14	8	108	83	0	31
Cole Tucker	9	6	103	42	1	58
Clint Ratkovich	5	5	29	2	0	7
Miles Joiner	4	2	11	2	0	6
Tristen Tewes	3	1	9	4	0	9
Messiah Travis	2	1	4	1	0	4
Mohamed Toure	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals:	38	23	264	134	1	58

PUNTING						
	No.	Yds	Avg	Long	In20	TB
Matt Ference	2	93	46.5	48	0	0
Rocky Lombardi	2	86	43.0	49	2	0
TEAM	1	0	0.0	0	0	0
Totals:	5	179	35.8	49	2	0

	Punt			Kickoff			Intercept		
	No	Yds	Lg	No	Yds	Lg	No	Yds	Lg
Cole Tucker	2	7	8	0	0	0	0	0	0
Tristen Tewes	0	0	0	1	5	5	0	0	0
Trayvon Rudolph	0	0	0	1	13	13	0	0	0
Messiah Travis	0	0	0	2	35	21	0	0	0
Totals:	2	7	8	4	53	21	0	0	0

FIELD GOALS				
	Qtr	Time	Dist	Result
John Richardson	2nd	02:14	38	GOOD
John Richardson	3rd	04:45	38	GOOD
John Richardson	4th	00:00	32	GOOD

KICKOFFS					
	No.	Yards	Avg	TB	OB
John Richardson	7	372	53.1	2	1

ALL-PURPOSE						
	Rush	Rcv	KR	PR	IR	Total
Jay Ducker	155	0	0	0	0	155
Trayvon Rudolph	0	108	13	0	0	121
Cole Tucker	0	103	0	7	0	110
Clint Ratkovich	12	29	0	0	0	41



FULL GAME

BALL ST.

#	Name	Solo	Ast	Total	Sacks-Yds	TFL-Yds	FF	FR-Yds	Int-Yds	BrUp	Blks	QBH
6	Jaylin Thomas	3	12	15	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
5	Bryce Cosby	6	4	10	0.0-0	0.5-1	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
7	Brandon Martin	6	4	10	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	1-0	0	0	0
23	Brett Anderson	5	2	7	0.0-0	0.0-0	1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
32	Clayton Coll	3	4	7	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
9	Christian Albright	3	3	6	0.0-0	1.0-2	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
14	J.T. Wahee	3	3	6	0.0-0	0.5-1	0	0-0	0-0	2	0	0
2	Malcolm Lee	4	0	4	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	1-0	0-0	0	0	0
52	Tavion Woodard	3	0	3	0.0-0	1.0-2	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
97	John Harris	2	1	3	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
40	Cole Pearce	2	0	2	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
94	Jack Sape	1	1	2	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
4	Trevor Hohlt	1	0	1	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
25	Keionte Newson	1	0	1	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
3	Amechi Uzodinma	1	0	1	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
34	Brayden Evans	0	1	1	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
44	Brock Burns	0	1	1	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
0	Chris Agyemang	0	1	1	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
31	Anthony Ekpe	0	1	1	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
99	Jordan Ward	0	1	1	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
57	Nathan Reichert	0	1	1	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
16	Hassan Littles	0	0	0	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	1	0
Totals		44	40	84	0.0-0	3.0-6	1	1-0	1-0	2	1	0

NORTHERN ILL.

#	Name	Solo	Ast	Total	Sacks-Yds	TFL-Yds	FF	FR-Yds	Int-Yds	BrUp	Blks	QBH
16	Dillon Thomas	5	2	7	0.0-0	0.5-1	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
14	Jordan Gandy	4	2	6	0.0-0	0.5-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
4	Raishein Thomas	3	3	6	0.0-0	0.5-1	0	0-0	0-0	1	0	0
29	JaVaughn Byrd	4	1	5	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	1	0	0
2	Lance Deveaux	4	0	4	0.0-0	1.0-3	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
7	Jordan Hansen	3	0	3	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	1	0	0
6	C.J. Brown	2	1	3	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
99	Pierce Oppong	2	0	2	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
10	Demond Taylor	2	0	2	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
5	Michael Kennedy	2	0	2	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
45	Makhi Nelson-Douglas	1	1	2	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
96	Jacob Waskow	1	0	1	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
13	Myles McGee	1	0	1	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
59	Cade Haberman	1	0	1	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
46	Dayven Shinhoster	1	0	1	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
19	Nate Valcarcel	1	0	1	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
10	Billy Dozier	1	0	1	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
95	Devonte O'Malley	1	0	1	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
1	James Ester	0	1	1	0.0-0	0.5-0	0	0-0	0-0	1	0	0
24	Jashon Prophete	0	1	1	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
38	Nick Rattin	0	1	1	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
26	Jaden Dolphin	0	1	1	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
Totals		39	14	53	0.0-0	3.0-5	0	0-0	0-0	4	0	0



BALL ST.

Team	Qtr	Spot	Drive Started		Drive Ended			Consumed	
			Time	Obtained	Spot	Time	How lost	PI - Yds	TOP
BSU	1st	BSU25	15:00	Kickoff	BSU46	13:27	Punt	5 - 21	01:33
BSU		NIU39	11:18	Punt	NIU33	10:00	Downs	4 - 6	01:18
BSU		BSU45	08:15	Interception	NIU26	05:46	*FIELD GOAL	6 - 29	02:29
BSU		NIU42	05:02	Fumble	NIU00	03:04	*TOUCHDOWN	4 - 42	01:58
BSU		BSU02	01:01	Punt	BSU03	00:09	Punt	3 - 1	00:52
BSU	2nd	BSU24	12:37	Kickoff	NIU00	10:50	*TOUCHDOWN	5 - 76	01:47
BSU		BSU33	08:36	Punt	BSU36	07:40	Punt	3 - 3	00:56
BSU		BSU31	02:06	Kickoff	BSU39	01:01	Punt	3 - 8	01:05
BSU		BSU37	00:24	Kickoff	NIU07	00:00	Missed FG	4 - 56	00:24
BSU	3rd	BSU28	13:39	Kickoff	NIU00	09:08	*TOUCHDOWN	9 - 72	04:31
BSU		BSU25	04:45	Kickoff	NIU41	01:24	Punt	7 - 34	03:21
BSU	4th	BSU08	11:42	Punt	BSU08	10:04	Punt	3 - 0	01:38
BSU		BSU35	02:42	Kickoff	NIU31	01:42	*FIELD GOAL	6 - 34	01:00

Ball St.	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	H1	H2	Total
Time of possession	08:10	04:29	07:59	02:38	12:39	10:37	23:16
3rd down conversions	1-5	0-2	0-1	0-2	1-7	0-3	1-10
Average field position	BSU38	BSU31	BSU27	BSU22	BSU35	BSU24	BSU32
4th down conversions	0-1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-1	0-0	0-1

NORTHERN ILL.

Team	Qtr	Spot	Drive Started		Drive Ended			Consumed	
			Time	Obtained	Spot	Time	How lost	PI - Yds	TOP
NIU	1st	NIU05	13:27	Punt	NIU14	11:18	Punt	3 - 9	02:09
NIU		NIU33	10:00	Downs	NIU45	08:15	Interception	5 - 12	01:45
NIU		NIU30	05:44	Kickoff	NIU42	05:02	Fumble	2 - 12	00:42
NIU		NIU35	03:04	Kickoff	NIU49	01:01	Punt	5 - 14	02:03
NIU		NIU42	00:09	Punt	BSU00	12:41	*TOUCHDOWN	6 - 58	02:28
NIU	2nd	NIU15	10:45	Kickoff	NIU22	08:36	Punt	3 - 7	02:09
NIU		NIU26	07:40	Punt	BSU20	02:14	*FIELD GOAL	10 - 54	05:26
NIU		NIU22	01:01	Punt	BSU00	00:29	*TOUCHDOWN	4 - 78	00:32
NIU	3rd	NIU20	14:57	Kickoff	NIU15	13:46	Punt	3 - 5	01:11
NIU		NIU27	09:04	Kickoff	BSU21	04:45	*FIELD GOAL	9 - 52	04:19
NIU		NIU02	01:24	Punt	BSU45	11:42	Punt	8 - 53	04:42
NIU	4th	NIU31	10:04	Punt	BSU00	02:42	*TOUCHDOWN	14 - 69	07:22
NIU		NIU25	01:42	Kickoff	BSU13	00:00	*FIELD GOAL	10 - 62	01:42

Northern Ill.	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	H1	H2	Total
Time of possession	06:50	10:31	07:01	12:22	17:21	19:23	36:44
3rd down conversions	1-4	0-2	1-4	3-4	1-6	4-8	5-14
Average field position	NIU29	NIU21	NIU16	NIU28	NIU26	NIU21	NIU24
4th down conversions	0-0	0-0	0-0	1-1	0-0	1-1	1-1



Team	Qtr	Spot	Drive Started		Drive Ended			Consumed	
			Time	Obtained	Spot	Time	How lost	PI - Yds	TOP
BSU	1st	BSU25	15:00	Kickoff	BSU46	13:27	Punt	5 - 21	01:33
NIU		NIU05	13:27	Punt	NIU14	11:18	Punt	3 - 9	02:09
BSU		NIU39	11:18	Punt	NIU33	10:00	Downs	4 - 6	01:18
NIU		NIU33	10:00	Downs	NIU45	08:15	Interception	5 - 12	01:45
BSU		BSU45	08:15	Interception	NIU26	05:46	*FIELD GOAL	6 - 29	02:29
NIU		NIU30	05:44	Kickoff	NIU42	05:02	Fumble	2 - 12	00:42
BSU		NIU42	05:02	Fumble	NIU00	03:04	*TOUCHDOWN	4 - 42	01:58
NIU		NIU35	03:04	Kickoff	NIU49	01:01	Punt	5 - 14	02:03
BSU		BSU02	01:01	Punt	BSU03	00:09	Punt	3 - 1	00:52
NIU		NIU42	00:09	Punt	BSU00	12:41	*TOUCHDOWN	6 - 58	02:28
BSU	2nd	BSU24	12:37	Kickoff	NIU00	10:50	*TOUCHDOWN	5 - 76	01:47
NIU		NIU15	10:45	Kickoff	NIU22	08:36	Punt	3 - 7	02:09
BSU		BSU33	08:36	Punt	BSU36	07:40	Punt	3 - 3	00:56
NIU		NIU26	07:40	Punt	BSU20	02:14	*FIELD GOAL	10 - 54	05:26
BSU		BSU31	02:06	Kickoff	BSU39	01:01	Punt	3 - 8	01:05
NIU		NIU22	01:01	Punt	BSU00	00:29	*TOUCHDOWN	4 - 78	00:32
BSU		BSU37	00:24	Kickoff	NIU07	00:00	Missed FG	4 - 56	00:24
NIU	3rd	NIU20	14:57	Kickoff	NIU15	13:46	Punt	3 - -5	01:11
BSU		BSU28	13:39	Kickoff	NIU00	09:08	*TOUCHDOWN	9 - 72	04:31
NIU		NIU27	09:04	Kickoff	BSU21	04:45	*FIELD GOAL	9 - 52	04:19
BSU		BSU25	04:45	Kickoff	NIU41	01:24	Punt	7 - 34	03:21
NIU		NIU02	01:24	Punt	BSU45	11:42	Punt	8 - 53	04:42
BSU	4th	BSU08	11:42	Punt	BSU08	10:04	Punt	3 - 0	01:38
NIU		NIU31	10:04	Punt	BSU00	02:42	*TOUCHDOWN	14 - 69	07:22
BSU		BSU35	02:42	Kickoff	NIU31	01:42	*FIELD GOAL	6 - 34	01:00
NIU		NIU25	01:42	Kickoff	BSU13	00:00	*FIELD GOAL	10 - 62	01:42



BALL ST.

Pos	##	OFFENSE
WR	6	Tyler, YoHeinz
FB	8	Rudy, Cody
QB	9	Plitt, Drew
WR	11	Hall, Justin
WR	12	Jackson, Jayshon
RB	33	Steele, Carson
OL	54	Crowe, Ethan
OL	55	Kaylor, Damon
OL	62	Blackwell, Curtis
OL	72	Todd, Anthony
OL	75	Stewart, Corey

Pos	##	DEFENSE
DB	2	Lee, Malcolm
CB	3	Uzodinma, Amechi
DB	5	Cosby, Bryce
LB	6	Thomas, Jaylin
LB	9	Albright, Christian
S	14	Wahee, J.T.
S	23	Anderson, Brett
LB	32	Coll, Clayton
DL	52	Woodard, Tavion
DL	94	Sape, Jack
DL	99	Ward, Jordan

NORTHERN ILL.

Pos	##	OFFENSE
RB	8	Ducker, Jay
WR	9	Toure, Mohamed
WR	11	Travis, Messiah
QB	12	Lombardi, Rocky
OL	58	Patton, Brayden
OL	65	Zschernitz, Logan
OL	69	Potter, Nolan
OL	70	Cox, Marques
OL	76	Champe, John
TE	83	Soraghan, Liam
WR	85	Rudolph, Trayvon

Pos	##	DEFENSE
DL	1	Ester, James
LB	2	Deveaux, Lance
DE	4	Thomas, Raishein
DL	5	Kennedy, Michael
DB	6	Brown, C.J.
S	7	Hansen, Jordan
DB	14	Gandy, Jordan
DB	16	Thomas, Dillon
CB	29	Byrd, JaVaughn
LB	45	Nelson-Douglas, Makhi
DL	95	O'Malley, Devonte

Ball St.

0-McGaughy, Jalen, 0-Agyemang, Chris, 4-Hohlt, Trevor, 7-Martin, Brandon, 13-Williams, Jordan, 15-Borrow, Lucas, 16-Littles, Hassan, 18-Riley-Scott, Jordan, 24-Jones, Will, 25-Newson, Keionte, 26-Hatfield, Trenton, 31-Ekpe, Anthony, 34-Evans, Brayden, 38-Snyder, Nathan, 40-Pearce, Cole, 41-Egenolf, Ben, 42-Chanove, Jake, 44-Burns, Brock, 46-Lewis, Jacob, 48-Dunnuck, Isaiah, 49-Seiler, Dylan, 51-Berger, Brandon, 57-Reichert, Nathan, 74-Haught, Porter, 81-Lezon, Ryan, 86-Hill, Austin, 90-Tarango, Joshua, 97-Harris, John

Northern Ill.

0-McCray, Fabian, 8-Griffin, Jr., Jeffrey, 9-Rayner, Daveren, 10-Taylor, Demond, 10-Dozier, Billy, 13-McGee, Myles, 15-Tucker, Cole, 17-Frye, Louis, 19-Valcarcel, Nate, 20-March, Zhamaine, 24-Prophete, Jashon, 24-Blakemore, Mason, 25-Ratkovich, Clint, 26-Dolphin, Jaden, 26-Brown, Antario, 28-Jammeh, Muhammad, 33-Earl, Joshua, 36-Ference, Matt, 38-Rattin, Nick, 39-Richardson, John, 46-Shinhoster, Dayven, 47-Cassens, Drew, 52-Davis, Ivan, 54-Pinkney, Jalen, 59-Haberman, Cade, 79-Lippe, J.J., 80-Joiner, Miles, 82-Tewes, Tristen, 86-Urwiler, Trey, 93-Abrell, Erik, 96-Waskow, Jacob, 99-Oppong, Pierce



1st Quarter

Ball St. wins toss and will receive; NIU will defend South end-zone.

#39 J.Richardson kickoff 65 yards to the BSU00, Touchback.

Ball St. drive starts at 15:00

- 1-10 BSU25 #9 D.Plitt pass incomplete to #6 Y.Tyler.
- 2-10 BSU25 #11 J.Hall rush for 15 yards gain to the BSU40 (#14 J.Gandy; #4 R.Thomas), 1ST DOWN.
- 1-10 BSU40 #9 D.Plitt pass complete to #11 J.Hall for 6 yards to the BSU46 (#14 J.Gandy).
- 2-4 BSU46 #9 D.Plitt pass incomplete to #6 Y.Tyler.
- 3-4 BSU46 #9 D.Plitt pass incomplete broken up by #1 J.Ester.
- 4-4 BSU46 #38 N.Snyder punt 49 yards to the NIU05.

R1

5 plays, 21 yards, 01:33

Northern Ill. drive starts at 13:27

- 1-10 NIU05 #8 J.Ducker rush for 3 yards gain to the NIU08 (#9 C.Albright).
- 2-7 NIU08 #8 J.Ducker rush for 2 yards gain to the NIU10 (#5 B.Cosby).
- 3-5 NIU10 #12 R.Lombardi pass complete to #11 M.Travis for 4 yards to the NIU14 (#5 B.Cosby).
- 4-1 NIU14 #36 M.Ference punt 48 yards to the BSU38 #11 J.Hall return 23 yards to the NIU39 (#96 J.Waskow).

3 plays, 9 yards, 02:09

Ball St. drive starts at 11:18

- 1-10 NIU39 #33 C.Steele rush for 7 yards gain to the NIU32 (#7 J.Hansen).
- 2-3 NIU32 #33 C.Steele rush for 1 yard loss to the NIU33 (#16 D.Thomas; #1 J.Ester).
- 3-4 NIU33 #9 D.Plitt pass incomplete to #11 J.Hall.
- 4-4 NIU33 #9 D.Plitt pass incomplete to #6 Y.Tyler broken up by #29 J.Byrd.

4 plays, 6 yards, 01:18

Northern Ill. drive starts at 10:00

- 1-10 NIU33 #12 R.Lombardi pass incomplete to #85 T.Rudolph broken up by #14 J.Wahee.
- 2-10 NIU33 #8 J.Ducker rush for 11 yards gain to the NIU44 (#5 B.Cosby), 1ST DOWN.
- 1-10 NIU44 #12 R.Lombardi pass complete to #85 T.Rudolph for 2 yards loss to the NIU42 (#14 J.Wahee; #5 B.Cosby).
- 2-12 NIU42 #8 J.Ducker rush for 3 yards gain to the NIU45 (#94 J.Sape).
- 3-9 NIU45 #12 R.Lombardi pass intercepted by #7 B.Martin at BSU45, End Of Play.

5 plays, 12 yards, 01:45

R1

Ball St. drive starts at 08:15

- 1-10 BSU45 #33 C.Steele rush for 13 yards gain to the NIU42 (#7 J.Hansen), out of bounds, 1ST DOWN.
- 1-10 NIU42 #11 J.Hall rush for 17 yards gain to the NIU25 (#13 M.McGee), 1ST DOWN.
- 1-10 NIU25 #33 C.Steele rush for 2 yards gain to the NIU23 (#4 R.Thomas; #45 M.Nelson-Douglas).
- 2-8 NIU23 #33 C.Steele rush for 2 yards gain to the NIU21 (#2 L.Deveaux).
- 3-6 NIU21 #9 D.Plitt pass incomplete to #11 J.Hall.
- 4-6 NIU21 PENALTY BSU Illegal Substitution 5 yards from NIU21 to NIU26. NO PLAY.
- 4-11 NIU26 #46 J.Lewis field goal attempt from 43 yards GOOD, clock 05:46.

R2

R3

Ball St. 3, Northern Ill. 0.

6 plays, 29 yards, 02:29

#46 J.Lewis kickoff 40 yards to the NIU25 #82 T.Tewes return 5 yards to the NIU30 (#5 B.Cosby).

Northern Ill. drive starts at 05:44

- 1-10 NIU30 #24 M.Blakemore rush for 1 yard gain to the NIU31 (#9 C.Albright).
- 2-9 NIU31 #12 R.Lombardi pass complete to #85 T.Rudolph for 11 yards to the NIU42 fumbled by #85 T.Rudolph at NIU45 forced by #23 B.Anderson recovered by BSU #2 M.Lee at NIU42, End Of Play.

2 plays, 12 yards, 00:42

Ball St. drive starts at 05:02

- 1-10 NIU42 #0 J.McGaughy rush for 25 yards gain to the NIU17 (#14 J.Gandy), 1ST DOWN.
- 1-10 NIU17 #24 W.Jones rush for 1 yard gain to the NIU16 (#59 C.Haberman).
- 2-9 NIU16 #24 W.Jones rush for 1 yard gain to the NIU15 (#99 P.Oppong).
- 3-8 NIU15 #9 D.Plitt pass complete to #12 J.Jackson for 15 yards to the NIU00 TOUCHDOWN, clock 03:04, 1ST DOWN.
- NIU03 #42 J.Chanove kick attempt good.

R4

P5

Ball St. 10, Northern Ill. 0.

4 plays, 42 yards, 01:58

#46 J.Lewis kickoff 60 yards to the NIU05, out of bounds.

Northern Ill. drive starts at 03:04

- 1-10 NIU35 #24 M.Blakemore rush for 6 yards gain to the NIU41 (#97 J.Harris).
- 2-4 NIU41 #12 R.Lombardi rush for 6 yards gain to the NIU47 (#7 B.Martin; #6 J.Thomas), 1ST DOWN.
- 1-10 NIU47 #24 M.Blakemore rush for 2 yards gain to the NIU49 (#9 C.Albright; #97 J.Harris).
- 2-8 NIU49 #12 R.Lombardi pass incomplete to #11 M.Travis.
- 3-8 NIU49 #12 R.Lombardi pass incomplete to #9 M.Toure.
- 4-8 NIU49 #12 R.Lombardi punt 49 yards to the BSU02.

R2

5 plays, 14 yards, 02:03

Ball St. drive starts at 01:01

- 1-10 BSU02 #33 C.Steele rush for 1 yard gain to the BSU03 (#10 D.Taylor).
- 2-9 BSU03 #9 D.Plitt pass incomplete to #12 J.Jackson.
- 3-9 BSU03 #9 D.Plitt pass incomplete to #6 Y.Tyler.
- 4-9 BSU03 #38 N.Snyder punt 44 yards to the BSU47 #15 C.Tucker return for 1 yard loss to the BSU48 (#4 T.Hohlt) PENALTY NIU Holding 10 yards from BSU48 to NIU42.

3 plays, 1 yards, 00:52

Northern Ill. drive starts at 00:09

- 1-10 NIU42 #8 J.Ducker rush for 17 yards gain to the BSU41 (#23 B.Anderson), 1ST DOWN.

R3

Time 1st Downs Conversions



Summary	Score	Poss	R	P	X	T	3rd	4td	Rushing	Passing	Penalties
Ball St.	10	08:10	4	1	0	5	1-5	0-1	11-83	2-10-0-21	1-5
Northern Ill.	0	06:50	3	0	0	3	0-3	0-0	9-51	3-7-1-13	1-10



FIRST QUARTER	BSU	NIU
Score	10	0
FIRST DOWNS	5	3
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	11-83	9-51
PASSING YDS (NET)	21	13
Passes Cmp-Att-Int	2-10-0	3-7-1
TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS	21-104	16-64
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punt Returns-Yards	1-23	1--1
Kickoff Returns-Yards	0-0	1-5
Interception Returns-Yards	1-0	0-0
Punts (Number-Avg)	2-46.5	2-48.5
Fumbles-Lost	0-0	1-1
Penalties-Yards	1-5	1-10
Possession Time	08:10	06:50
Third-Down Conversions	1 of 5	0 of 3
Fourth-Down Conversions	0 of 1	0 of 0
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	1-1	1-1

BALL ST.

Rushing	No.	Gain	Loss	Net	TD	Lg	Avg
Justin Hall	2	32	0	32	0	17	16.0
Jalen McGaughey	1	25	0	25	0	25	25.0
Carson Steele	6	25	1	24	0	13	4.0
Will Jones	2	2	0	2	0	1	1.0
Passing	C-A-I	Yds	TD	Long	Sack		
Drew Plitt	2-10-0	21	1	15	0		
Receiving	TAR	No.	Yards	YAC	TD	Long	
Jayshon Jackson	2	1	15	6	1	15	
Justin Hall	3	1	6	1	0	6	
Yo'Heinz Tyler	4	0	0	0	0	0	
Punting	No.	Yds	Avg	Long	In20	TB	
Nathan Snyder	2	93	46.5	49	1	0	
Punt Returns	No.	Yards	TD	Long			
Justin Hall	1	23	0	23			
Kick Returns	No.	Yards	TD	Long			

Tackles	UA-A	Total	Sacks	TFL
Bryce Cosby	4-1	5	0.0	0.5
Christian Albright	2-1	3	0.0	0.0
Brett Anderson	2-0	2	0.0	0.0
John Harris	1-1	2	0.0	0.0

NORTHERN ILL.

Rushing	No.	Gain	Loss	Net	TD	Lg	Avg
Jay Ducker	5	36	0	36	0	17	7.2
Mason Blakemore	3	9	0	9	0	6	3.0
Rocky Lombardi	1	6	0	6	0	6	6.0
Passing	C-A-I	Yds	TD	Long	Sack		
Rocky Lombardi	3-7-1	13	0	11	0		
Receiving	TAR	No.	Yards	YAC	TD	Long	
Trayvon Rudolph	4	2	9	16	0	11	
Messiah Travis	2	1	4	1	0	4	
Mohamed Toure	1	0	0	0	0	0	
Punting	No.	Yds	Avg	Long	In20	TB	
Rocky Lombardi	1	49	49.0	49	1	0	
Matt Ference	1	48	48.0	48	0	0	
Punt Returns	No.	Yards	TD	Long			
Cole Tucker	1	-1	0	0			
Kick Returns	No.	Yards	TD	Long			
Tristen Tewes	1	5	0	5			

Tackles	UA-A	Total	Sacks	TFL
Jordan Gandy	2-1	3	0.0	0.0
Jordan Hansen	2-0	2	0.0	0.0
Raishein Thomas	0-2	2	0.0	0.0
Cade Haberman	1-0	1	0.0	0.0

Qtr	Time	Scoring Play	V-H
1st	05:46	BSU - #46 J.Lewis 43 yd FG, 6-29, 02:29	3-0
1st	03:04	BSU - #12 J.Jackson 15 yd pass from #9 D.Plitt (#42 J.Chanove kick), 4-42, 01:58	10-0



2nd Quarter

- 1-10 BSU41 #12 R.Lombardi pass incomplete to #82 T.Tewes.
- 2-10 BSU41 #12 R.Lombardi pass complete to #15 C.Tucker for 7 yards to the BSU34 (#7 B.Martin).
- 3-3 BSU34 #8 J.Ducker rush for 24 yards gain to the BSU10 (#5 B.Cosby), out of bounds, 1ST DOWN. R4
- 1-G BSU10 #8 J.Ducker rush for 0 yards to the BSU10 (#9 C.Albright; #94 J.Sape).
- 2-G BSU10 #12 R.Lombardi pass incomplete to #15 C.Tucker PENALTY BSU Pass Interference (#3 A.Uzodinma) 8 yards from BSU10 X5
to BSU02, 1ST DOWN. NO PLAY.
- 1-G BSU02 #25 C.Ratkovich rush for 2 yards gain to the BSU00 TOUCHDOWN, clock 12:41, 1ST DOWN. R6
- BSU03 #39 J.Richardson kick attempt good.

Ball St. 10, Northern Ill. 7.

6 plays, 58 yards, 02:28

#39 J.Richardson kickoff 48 yards to the BSU17 #0 J.McGaughy return 7 yards to the BSU24 (#46 D.Shinhoster).

Ball St. drive starts at 12:37

- 1-10 BSU24 #33 C.Steele rush for 2 yards gain to the BSU26 (#5 M.Kennedy).
- 2-8 BSU26 #33 C.Steele rush for 10 yards gain to the BSU36 (#16 D.Thomas), 1ST DOWN. R6
- 1-10 BSU36 #9 D.Plitt pass complete to #12 J.Jackson for 8 yards to the BSU44 (#29 J.Byrd), out of bounds.
- 2-2 BSU44 #33 C.Steele rush for 49 yards gain to the NIU07 (#2 L.Deveaux), 1ST DOWN. R7
- 1-G NIU07 #11 J.Hall rush for 7 yards gain to the NIU00 TOUCHDOWN, clock 10:50.
- NIU03 #42 J.Chanove kick attempt good.

Ball St. 17, Northern Ill. 7.

5 plays, 76 yards, 01:47

#46 J.Lewis kickoff 63 yards to the NIU02 #85 T.Rudolph return 13 yards to the NIU15 (#34 B.Evans; #44 B.Burns).

Northern Ill. drive starts at 10:45

- 1-10 NIU15 #26 A.Brown rush for 3 yards gain to the NIU18 (#7 B.Martin).
- 2-7 NIU18 #26 A.Brown rush for 1 yard gain to the NIU19 (#32 C.Coll).
- 3-6 NIU19 #12 R.Lombardi pass complete to #15 C.Tucker for 3 yards to the NIU22 (#14 J.Wahee).
- 4-3 NIU22 #36 M.Ference punt 45 yards to the BSU33.

3 plays, 7 yards, 02:09

Ball St. drive starts at 08:36

- 1-10 BSU33 #9 D.Plitt pass incomplete to #13 J.Williams.
- 2-10 BSU33 #33 C.Steele rush for 2 yards gain to the BSU35 (#4 R.Thomas).
- 3-8 BSU35 #9 D.Plitt pass complete to #6 Y.Tyler for 1 yard to the BSU36 (#16 D.Thomas) PENALTY BSU Holding declined.
- 4-7 BSU36 #15 L.Borrow punt 38 yards to the NIU26 fair catch by #15 C.Tucker at NIU26.

3 plays, 3 yards, 00:56

Northern Ill. drive starts at 07:40

- 1-10 NIU26 #8 J.Ducker rush for 12 yards gain to the NIU38 (#14 J.Wahee; #32 C.Coll), 1ST DOWN. R7
- 1-10 NIU38 #8 J.Ducker rush for 19 yards gain to the BSU43 (#6 J.Thomas; #23 B.Anderson), 1ST DOWN. R8
- 1-10 BSU43 #24 M.Blakemore rush for 2 yards gain to the BSU41 (#32 C.Coll; #6 J.Thomas).
- 2-8 BSU41 #12 R.Lombardi pass complete to #85 T.Rudolph for 19 yards to the BSU22 (#23 B.Anderson), out of bounds, 1ST DOWN. P9
- 1-10 BSU22 #8 J.Ducker rush for 0 yards to the BSU22 (#5 B.Cosby; #6 J.Thomas).
- 2-10 BSU22 #12 R.Lombardi pass complete to #15 C.Tucker for 14 yards to the BSU08 (#2 M.Lee), 1ST DOWN. P10
- 1-G BSU08 #26 A.Brown rush for 1 yard gain to the BSU07 (#6 J.Thomas; #0 C.Agyemang).
- 2-G BSU07 #26 A.Brown rush for 7 yards gain to the BSU00 TOUCHDOWN nullified by penalty, clock 03:01 PENALTY NIU Personal Foul 15 yards from BSU07 to BSU22. NO PLAY.
- 2-G BSU22 #12 R.Lombardi pass complete to #85 T.Rudolph for 2 yards to the BSU20 (#14 J.Wahee), out of bounds.
- 3-G BSU20 #12 R.Lombardi pass incomplete to #85 T.Rudolph broken up by #14 J.Wahee.
- 4-G BSU20 #39 J.Richardson field goal attempt from 38 yards GOOD, clock 02:14.

Ball St. 17, Northern Ill. 10.

10 plays, 54 yards, 05:26

#39 J.Richardson kickoff 53 yards to the BSU12 #0 J.McGaughy return 19 yards to the BSU31 (#24 J.Prophete; #38 N.Rattin).

Ball St. drive starts at 02:06

- 1-10 BSU31 #9 D.Plitt pass complete to #6 Y.Tyler for 5 yards to the BSU36 (#29 J.Byrd).
- 2-5 BSU36 #9 D.Plitt pass complete to #6 Y.Tyler for 3 yards to the BSU39 (#14 J.Gandy).
- 3-2 BSU39 #33 C.Steele rush for 0 yards to the BSU39 (#6 C.Brown).
(01:07) Timeout by NIU.
- 4-2 BSU39 #38 N.Snyder punt 39 yards to the NIU22 fair catch by #15 C.Tucker at NIU22.

3 plays, 8 yards, 01:05

Northern Ill. drive starts at 01:01

- 1-10 NIU22 #12 R.Lombardi pass complete to #25 C.Ratkovich for 5 yards to the NIU27 (#9 C.Albright; #6 J.Thomas).
(00:55) Timeout by NIU.
- 2-5 NIU27 #12 R.Lombardi pass complete to #82 T.Tewes for 9 yards to the NIU36 (#2 M.Lee), 1ST DOWN. P11
- 1-10 NIU36 #12 R.Lombardi pass complete to #25 C.Ratkovich for 6 yards to the NIU42 (#7 B.Martin; #32 C.Coll).
(00:38) Timeout by NIU.
- 2-4 NIU42 #12 R.Lombardi pass complete to #15 C.Tucker for 58 yards to the BSU00 TOUCHDOWN, clock 00:29, 1ST DOWN. P12
- BSU03 #39 J.Richardson kick attempt good.

Ball St. 17, Northern Ill. 17.

4 plays, 78 yards, 00:32

#39 J.Richardson kickoff 36 yards to the BSU29 #81 R.Lezon return 8 yards to the BSU37 (#19 N.Valcarcel).

Ball St. drive starts at 00:24

- 1-10 BSU37 #9 D.Plitt pass complete to #0 J.McGaughy for 45 yards to the NIU18 (#29 J.Byrd), 1ST DOWN. P8
(00:15) Timeout by BSU.
- 1-10 NIU18 #9 D.Plitt pass incomplete to #6 Y.Tyler.
- 2-10 NIU18 #9 D.Plitt pass complete to #24 W.Jones for 11 yards to the NIU07 (#26 J.Dolphin; #16 D.Thomas), 1ST DOWN. P9



(00:04) Timeout by BSU.

1-G NIU07 #42 J.Chanove field goal attempt from 24 yards NO GOOD, clock 00:00.
4 plays, 56 yards, 00:24

Summary	Score	Time Poss	R	1st Downs			Conversions		Rushing	Passing	Penalties
				P	X	T	3rd	4td			
Ball St.	7	04:29	2	2	0	4	0-2	0-0	6-70	6-8-0-73	1-8
Northern Ill.	17	10:31	4	4	1	9	1-3	0-0	10-64	9-11-0-123	1-15



SECOND QUARTER	BSU	NIU
Score	7	17
FIRST DOWNS	4	9
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	6-70	10-64
PASSING YDS (NET)	73	123
Passes Cmp-Att-Int	6-8-0	9-11-0
TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS	14-143	21-187
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punt Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Kickoff Returns-Yards	3-34	1-13
Interception Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punts (Number-Avg)	2-38.5	1-45.0
Fumbles-Lost	0-0	0-0
Penalties-Yards	1-8	1-15
Possession Time	04:29	10:31
Third-Down Conversions	0 of 2	1 of 3
Fourth-Down Conversions	0 of 0	0 of 0
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	1-2	1-1

BALL ST.

Rushing	No.	Gain	Loss	Net	TD	Lg	Avg
Carson Steele	5	63	0	63	0	49	12.6
Justin Hall	1	7	0	7	1	7	7.0

Passing	C-A-I	Yds	TD	Long	Sack
Drew Plitt	6-8-0	73	0	45	0

Receiving	TAR	No.	Yards	YAC	TD	Long
Yo'Heinz Tyler	4	3	9	8	0	5
Jalen McGaughy	1	1	45	0	0	45
Will Jones	1	1	11	8	0	11
Jayshon Jackson	1	1	8	5	0	8

Punting	No.	Yds	Avg	Long	In20	TB
Nathan Snyder	1	39	39.0	39	0	0
Lucas Borrow	1	38	38.0	38	0	0

Punt Returns	No.	Yards	TD	Long
Jalen McGaughy	2	26	0	19
Ryan Lezon	1	8	0	8

Kick Returns	No.	Yards	TD	Long
Jalen McGaughy	2	26	0	19
Ryan Lezon	1	8	0	8

Tackles	UA-A	Total	Sacks	TFL
Jaylin Thomas	0-5	5	0.0	0.0
Clayton Coll	1-3	4	0.0	0.0
Brandon Martin	2-1	3	0.0	0.0
J.T. Wahee	2-1	3	0.0	0.0

NORTHERN ILL.

Rushing	No.	Gain	Loss	Net	TD	Lg	Avg
Jay Ducker	5	55	0	55	0	24	11.0
Antario Brown	3	5	0	5	0	3	1.7
Clint Ratkovich	1	2	0	2	1	2	2.0
Mason Blakemore	1	2	0	2	0	2	2.0

Passing	C-A-I	Yds	TD	Long	Sack
Rocky Lombardi	9-11-0	123	1	58	0

Receiving	TAR	No.	Yards	YAC	TD	Long
Cole Tucker	4	4	82	33	1	58
Trayvon Rudolph	3	2	21	22	0	19
Clint Ratkovich	2	2	11	3	0	6
Tristen Tewes	2	1	9	4	0	9

Punting	No.	Yds	Avg	Long	In20	TB
Matt Ference	1	45	45.0	45	0	0

Punt Returns	No.	Yards	TD	Long
Trayvon Rudolph	1	13	0	13

Kick Returns	No.	Yards	TD	Long
Trayvon Rudolph	1	13	0	13

Tackles	UA-A	Total	Sacks	TFL
Dillon Thomas	2-1	3	0.0	0.0
JaVaughn Byrd	3-0	3	0.0	0.0
C.J. Brown	1-0	1	0.0	0.0
Dayven Shinhoster	1-0	1	0.0	0.0

Qtr	Time	Scoring Play	V-H
2nd	12:41	NIU - #25 C.Ratkovich 2 yd rush (#39 J.Richardson kick), 6-58, 02:28	0-7
2nd	10:50	BSU - #11 J.Hall 7 yd rush (#42 J.Chanove kick), 5-76, 01:47	7-7
2nd	02:14	NIU - #39 J.Richardson 38 yd FG, 10-54, 05:26	7-10
2nd	00:29	NIU - #15 C.Tucker 58 yd pass from #12 R.Lombardi (#39 J.Richardson kick), 4-78, 00:32	7-17



3rd Quarter

#46 J.Lewis kickoff 59 yards to the NIU06 #11 M.Travis return 14 yards to the NIU20 (#5 B.Cosby), out of bounds.

Northern Ill. drive starts at 14:57

- 1-10 NIU20 #8 J.Ducker rush for 20 yards gain to the NIU40 (#23 B.Anderson) PENALTY NIU Holding 10 yards from NIU20 to NIU10.
NO PLAY.
- 1-20 NIU10 #12 R.Lombardi pass complete to #80 M.Joiner for 5 yards to the NIU15 (#6 J.Thomas).
- 2-15 NIU15 #12 R.Lombardi pass incomplete to #15 C.Tucker.
- 3-15 NIU15 #12 R.Lombardi pass incomplete to #85 T.Rudolph.
- 4-15 NIU15 #36 M.Ference punt 0 yards to the NIU15 blocked by #16 H.Littles, out of bounds. Ball St. SAFETY, clock 13:46.

Ball St. 19, Northern Ill. 17.

3 plays, -5 yards, 01:11

#39 J.Richardson kickoff 60 yards to the BSU20 #0 J.McGaughy return 8 yards to the BSU28 (#10 B.Dozier).

Ball St. drive starts at 13:39

- 1-10 BSU28 #33 C.Steele rush for 3 yards gain to the BSU31 (#16 D.Thomas).
- 2-7 BSU31 #33 C.Steele rush for 7 yards gain to the BSU38 (#2 L.Deveaux), 1ST DOWN. R10
- 1-10 BSU38 #9 D.Plitt pass complete to #12 J.Jackson for 11 yards to the BSU49 (#7 J.Hansen), 1ST DOWN. P11
- 1-10 BSU49 #33 C.Steele rush for 5 yards gain to the NIU46 (#45 M.Nelson-Douglas).
- 2-5 NIU46 #9 D.Plitt rush for 25 yards gain to the NIU21 (#6 C.Brown), out of bounds, 1ST DOWN. R12
- 1-10 NIU21 #24 W.Jones rush for 6 yards gain to the NIU15 (#99 P.Oppong).
- 2-4 NIU15 #11 J.Hall rush for 9 yards gain to the NIU06 (#6 C.Brown; #29 J.Byrd), 1ST DOWN. R13
- 1-G NIU06 #33 C.Steele rush for 4 yards gain to the NIU02 (#16 D.Thomas).
- 2-G NIU02 #11 J.Hall rush for 2 yards gain to the NIU00 TOUCHDOWN, clock 09:08 PENALTY NIU Illegal Substitution declined.
- NIU03 #42 J.Chanove kick attempt good.

Ball St. 26, Northern Ill. 17.

9 plays, 72 yards, 04:31

#46 J.Lewis kickoff 59 yards to the NIU06 #11 M.Travis return 21 yards to the NIU27 (#25 K.Newson).

Northern Ill. drive starts at 09:04

- 1-10 NIU27 #12 R.Lombardi pass complete to #85 T.Rudolph for 9 yards to the NIU36 (#23 B.Anderson).
- 2-1 NIU36 #8 J.Ducker rush for 3 yards gain to the NIU39 (#14 J.Wahee), 1ST DOWN. R13
- 1-10 NIU39 #8 J.Ducker rush for 4 yards gain to the NIU43 (#52 T.Woodard).
- 2-6 NIU43 #12 R.Lombardi pass incomplete to #82 T.Tewes.
- 3-6 NIU43 #12 R.Lombardi pass complete to #85 T.Rudolph for 31 yards to the BSU26 (#2 M.Lee), 1ST DOWN. P14
- 1-10 BSU26 #8 J.Ducker rush for 0 yards to the BSU26 (#7 B.Martin; #6 J.Thomas).
- 2-10 BSU26 #8 J.Ducker rush for 5 yards gain to the BSU21 (#6 J.Thomas; #31 A.Ekpe).
- 3-5 BSU21 #12 R.Lombardi pass incomplete to #80 M.Joiner.
- 4-5 BSU21 #39 J.Richardson field goal attempt from 38 yards GOOD, clock 04:45.

Ball St. 26, Northern Ill. 20.

9 plays, 52 yards, 04:19

#39 J.Richardson kickoff 65 yards to the BSU00, Touchback.

Ball St. drive starts at 04:45

- 1-10 BSU25 #33 C.Steele rush for 2 yards gain to the BSU27 (#95 D.O'Malley).
- 2-8 BSU27 #9 D.Plitt pass incomplete to #8 C.Rudy broken up by #7 J.Hansen.
- 3-8 BSU27 #9 D.Plitt pass incomplete to #11 J.Hall PENALTY NIU Roughing The Passer 15 yards from BSU27 to BSU42, 1ST DOWN. X14
NO PLAY.
- 1-10 BSU42 #33 C.Steele rush for 4 yards gain to the BSU46 (#4 R.Thomas).
- 2-6 BSU46 #11 J.Hall rush for 10 yards gain to the NIU44 (#29 J.Byrd), 1ST DOWN. R15
- 1-10 NIU44 #9 D.Plitt pass complete to #11 J.Hall for 6 yards to the NIU38 (#14 J.Gandy).
- 2-4 NIU38 #33 C.Steele rush for 3 yards loss to the NIU41 (#2 L.Deveaux).
- 3-7 NIU41 #9 D.Plitt pass incomplete to #24 W.Jones.
- 4-7 NIU41 #38 N.Snyder punt 39 yards to the NIU02.

7 plays, 34 yards, 03:21

Northern Ill. drive starts at 01:24

- 1-10 NIU02 #8 J.Ducker rush for 4 yards gain to the NIU06 (#40 C.Pearce).
- 2-6 NIU06 #8 J.Ducker rush for 6 yards gain to the NIU12 (#23 B.Anderson; #7 B.Martin), 1ST DOWN. R15
(11:51) Timeout by NIU.

Summary	Score	Time Poss	R	1st Downs			Conversions		Rushing	Passing	Penalties
				P	X	T	3rd	4td			
Ball St.	9	07:59	4	1	1	6	0-1	0-0	12-74	2-4-0-17	0-0
Northern Ill.	3	07:01	2	1	0	3	1-3	0-0	6-22	3-7-0-45	2-25



THIRD QUARTER	BSU	NIU
Score	9	3
FIRST DOWNS	6	3
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	12-74	6-22
PASSING YDS (NET)	17	45
Passes Cmp-Att-Int	2-4-0	3-7-0
TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS	16-91	13-67
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punt Returns-Yards	1-15	0-0
Kickoff Returns-Yards	1-8	2-35
Interception Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punts (Number-Avg)	1-39.0	1-0.0
Fumbles-Lost	0-0	0-0
Penalties-Yards	0-0	2-25
Possession Time	07:59	07:01
Third-Down Conversions	0 of 1	1 of 3
Fourth-Down Conversions	0 of 0	0 of 0
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	1-1	0-0

BALL ST.

Rushing	No.	Gain	Loss	Net	TD	Lg	Avg
Drew Plitt	1	25	0	25	0	25	25.0
Carson Steele	7	25	3	22	0	7	3.1
Justin Hall	3	21	0	21	1	10	7.0
Will Jones	1	6	0	6	0	6	6.0
Passing	C-A-I	Yds	TD	Long	Sack		
Drew Plitt	2-4-0	17	0	11	0		
Receiving	TAR	No.	Yards	YAC	TD	Long	
Jayshon Jackson	1	1	11	9	0	11	
Justin Hall	1	1	6	2	0	6	
Cody Rudy	1	0	0	0	0	0	
Will Jones	1	0	0	0	0	0	
Punting	No.	Yds	Avg	Long	In20	TB	
Nathan Snyder	1	39	39.0	39	1	0	
Punt Returns	No.	Yards	TD	Long			
Hassan Littles	1	15	0	15			
Kick Returns	No.	Yards	TD	Long			
Jalen McGaughey	1	8	0	8			
Tackles	UA-A	Total	Sacks	TFL			
Jaylin Thomas	1-2	3	0.0	0.0			
Brandon Martin	0-2	2	0.0	0.0			
Brett Anderson	1-1	2	0.0	0.0			
Anthony Ekpe	0-1	1	0.0	0.0			

NORTHERN ILL.

Rushing	No.	Gain	Loss	Net	TD	Lg	Avg
Jay Ducker	6	22	0	22	0	6	3.7
Passing	C-A-I	Yds	TD	Long	Sack		
Rocky Lombardi	3-7-0	45	0	31	0		
Receiving	TAR	No.	Yards	YAC	TD	Long	
Trayvon Rudolph	3	2	40	36	0	31	
Miles Joiner	2	1	5	3	0	5	
Cole Tucker	1	0	0	0	0	0	
Tristen Tewes	1	0	0	0	0	0	
Punting	No.	Yds	Avg	Long	In20	TB	
TEAM	1	0	0.0	0	0	0	
Punt Returns	No.	Yards	TD	Long			
Kick Returns	No.	Yards	TD	Long			
Messiah Travis	2	35	0	21			
Tackles	UA-A	Total	Sacks	TFL			
C.J. Brown	1-1	2	0.0	0.0			
Dillon Thomas	2-0	2	0.0	0.0			
JaVaughn Byrd	1-1	2	0.0	0.0			
Lance Deveaux	2-0	2	0.0	1.0			

Qtr	Time	Scoring Play	V-H
3rd	13:46	BSU - SAFETY, 01:11	2-0
3rd	09:08	BSU - #11 J.Hall 2 yd rush (#42 J.Chanove kick), 9-72, 04:31	9-0
3rd	04:45	NIU - #39 J.Richardson 38 yd FG, 9-52, 04:19	9-3



4th Quarter

- 1-10 NIU12 #12 R.Lombardi pass complete to #85 T.Rudolph for 28 yards to the NIU40, End Of Play, 1ST DOWN. P16
- 1-10 NIU40 #8 J.Ducker rush for 9 yards gain to the NIU49 (#32 C.Coll), out of bounds.
- 2-1 NIU49 #8 J.Ducker rush for 2 yards gain to the BSU49 (#7 B.Martin), 1ST DOWN. R17
- 1-10 BSU49 #8 J.Ducker rush for 6 yards gain to the BSU43 (#6 J.Thomas).
- 2-4 BSU43 #12 R.Lombardi pass incomplete to #15 C.Tucker.
- 3-4 BSU43 #24 M.Blakemore rush for 2 yards loss to the BSU45 (#9 C.Albright).
(11:51) Timeout by NIU.
- 4-6 BSU45 #12 R.Lombardi punt 37 yards to the BSU08.

8 plays, 53 yards, 04:42

Ball St. drive starts at 11:42

- 1-10 BSU08 #33 C.Steele rush for 1 yard gain to the BSU09 (#5 M.Kennedy).
- 2-9 BSU09 #33 C.Steele rush for 1 yard loss to the BSU08 (#4 R.Thomas; #14 J.Gandy).
- 3-10 BSU08 #9 D.Plitt pass incomplete to #12 J.Jackson.
- 4-10 BSU08 #38 N.Snyder punt 69 yards to the NIU23 #15 C.Tucker return 8 yards to the NIU31, out of bounds.

3 plays, 0 yards, 01:38

Northern Ill. drive starts at 10:04

- 1-10 NIU31 #12 R.Lombardi pass incomplete to #85 T.Rudolph.
- 2-10 NIU31 #8 J.Ducker rush for 2 yards gain to the NIU33 (#6 J.Thomas; #99 J.Ward).
- 3-8 NIU33 #12 R.Lombardi rush for 6 yards gain to the NIU39 (#7 B.Martin).
- 4-2 NIU39 #12 R.Lombardi pass complete to #25 C.Ratkovich for 5 yards to the NIU44 (#7 B.Martin), 1ST DOWN. P18
- 1-10 NIU44 #8 J.Ducker rush for 5 yards gain to the NIU49 (#5 B.Cosby; #6 J.Thomas).
- 2-5 NIU49 #12 R.Lombardi pass complete to #85 T.Rudolph for 10 yards to the BSU41 (#2 M.Lee), 1ST DOWN. P19
- 1-10 BSU41 #8 J.Ducker rush for 0 yards to the BSU41 (#5 B.Cosby; #57 N.Reichert).
- 2-10 BSU41 #12 R.Lombardi pass incomplete to #80 M.Joiner.
- 3-10 BSU41 #12 R.Lombardi pass complete to #15 C.Tucker for 14 yards to the BSU27 (#32 C.Coll), 1ST DOWN. P20
- 1-10 BSU27 #12 R.Lombardi pass incomplete to #15 C.Tucker.
- 2-10 BSU27 #8 J.Ducker rush for 8 yards gain to the BSU19 (#6 J.Thomas).
- 3-2 BSU19 #25 C.Ratkovich rush for 2 yards gain to the BSU17 (#40 C.Pearce), 1ST DOWN. R21
- 1-10 BSU17 #25 C.Ratkovich rush for 7 yards gain to the BSU10 (#6 J.Thomas; #14 J.Wahee).
- 2-3 BSU10 #8 J.Ducker rush for 10 yards gain to the BSU00 TOUCHDOWN, clock 02:42, 1ST DOWN. R22
- BSU03 #39 J.Richardson kick attempt good.

Ball St. 26, Northern Ill. 27.

14 plays, 69 yards, 07:22

#39 J.Richardson kickoff 45 yards to the BSU20, out of bounds.

Ball St. drive starts at 02:42

- 1-10 BSU35 #11 J.Hall rush for 19 yards gain to the NIU46 (#4 R.Thomas), out of bounds, 1ST DOWN. R16
- 1-10 NIU46 #9 D.Plitt pass complete to #11 J.Hall for 15 yards to the NIU31 (#16 D.Thomas), out of bounds, 1ST DOWN. P17
- 1-10 NIU31 #9 D.Plitt pass incomplete to #0 J.McGaughy.
- 2-10 NIU31 #33 C.Steele rush for 0 yards to the NIU31 (#10 D.Taylor).
(01:52) Timeout by NIU.
- 3-10 NIU31 #9 D.Plitt pass incomplete broken up by #4 R.Thomas.
- 4-10 NIU31 #46 J.Lewis field goal attempt from 48 yards GOOD, clock 01:42.

Ball St. 29, Northern Ill. 27.

6 plays, 34 yards, 01:00

#46 J.Lewis kickoff 65 yards to the NIU00, Touchback.

Northern Ill. drive starts at 01:42

- 1-10 NIU25 #12 R.Lombardi rush for 8 yards gain to the NIU33, out of bounds.
- 2-2 NIU33 #12 R.Lombardi pass complete to #15 C.Tucker for 7 yards to the NIU40 (#3 A.Uzodinma), out of bounds, 1ST DOWN. P23
- 1-10 NIU40 PENALTY BSU Offside (#31 A.Ekpe) 5 yards from NIU40 to NIU45. NO PLAY.
- 1-5 NIU45 #12 R.Lombardi rush for 12 yards gain to the BSU43 (#97 J.Harris), 1ST DOWN. R24
- 1-10 BSU43 #12 R.Lombardi pass complete to #25 C.Ratkovich for 6 yards to the BSU37 (#7 B.Martin).
- 2-4 BSU37 #12 R.Lombardi pass incomplete to #85 T.Rudolph.
- 3-4 BSU37 #12 R.Lombardi pass complete to #80 M.Joiner for 6 yards to the BSU31 (#23 B.Anderson), out of bounds, 1ST DOWN. P25
- 1-10 BSU31 #12 R.Lombardi pass complete to #25 C.Ratkovich for 7 yards to the BSU24 (#32 C.Coll; #6 J.Thomas).
- 2-3 BSU24 #25 C.Ratkovich rush for 1 yard gain to the BSU23 (#52 T.Woodard).
(00:18) Timeout by BSU.
(00:18) Timeout by BSU.
- 3-2 BSU23 PENALTY BSU UNS: Unsportsmanlike Conduct 12 yards from BSU23 to BSU11, 1ST DOWN. NO PLAY. X26
- 1-10 BSU11 #12 R.Lombardi rush for 2 yards loss to the BSU13 (#52 T.Woodard).
(00:03) Timeout by NIU.
(00:03) Timeout by BSU.
- 2-12 BSU13 #39 J.Richardson field goal attempt from 32 yards GOOD, clock 00:00.

Ball St. 29, Northern Ill. 30.

10 plays, 62 yards, 01:42

Summary	Score	Time Poss	R	1st Downs			Conversions		Rushing	Passing	Penalties
				P	X	T	3rd	4td			
Ball St.	3	02:38	1	1	0	2	0-2	0-0	4-19	1-4-0-15	2-17
Northern Ill.	10	12:22	4	6	1	11	3-5	1-1	16-74	8-13-0-83	0-0



FOURTH QUARTER	BSU	NIU
Score	3	10
FIRST DOWNS	2	11
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	4-19	16-74
PASSING YDS (NET)	15	83
Passes Cmp-Att-Int	1-4-0	8-13-0
TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS	8-34	29-157
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punt Returns-Yards	0-0	1-8
Kickoff Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Interception Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punts (Number-Avg)	1-69.0	1-37.0
Fumbles-Lost	0-0	0-0
Penalties-Yards	2-17	0-0
Possession Time	02:38	12:22
Third-Down Conversions	0 of 2	3 of 5
Fourth-Down Conversions	0 of 0	1 of 1
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	0-0	2-2

BALL ST.

Rushing	No.	Gain	Loss	Net	TD	Lg	Avg
Justin Hall	1	19	0	19	0	19	19.0
Carson Steele	3	1	1	0	0	1	0.0

Passing	C-A-I	Yds	TD	Long	Sack
Drew Plitt	1-4-0	15	0	15	0

Receiving	TAR	No.	Yards	YAC	TD	Long
Justin Hall	1	1	15	18	0	15
Jayshon Jackson	1	0	0	0	0	0
Jalen McGaughy	1	0	0	0	0	0

Punting	No.	Yds	Avg	Long	In20	TB
Nathan Snyder	1	69	69.0	69	0	0

Punt Returns	No.	Yards	TD	Long

Kick Returns	No.	Yards	TD	Long

Tackles	UA-A	Total	Sacks	TFL
Jaylin Thomas	2-4	6	0.0	0.0
Brandon Martin	4-0	4	0.0	0.0
Clayton Coll	2-1	3	0.0	0.0
Bryce Cosby	0-2	2	0.0	0.0

NORTHERN ILL.

Rushing	No.	Gain	Loss	Net	TD	Lg	Avg
Jay Ducker	8	42	0	42	1	10	5.2
Rocky Lombardi	4	26	2	24	0	12	6.0
Clint Ratkovich	3	10	0	10	0	7	3.3
Mason Blakemore	1	0	2	-2	0	0	-2.0

Passing	C-A-I	Yds	TD	Long	Sack
Rocky Lombardi	8-13-0	83	0	28	0

Receiving	TAR	No.	Yards	YAC	TD	Long
Clint Ratkovich	3	3	18	-1	0	7
Trayvon Rudolph	4	2	38	9	0	28
Cole Tucker	4	2	21	9	0	14
Miles Joiner	2	1	6	-1	0	6

Punting	No.	Yds	Avg	Long	In20	TB
Rocky Lombardi	1	37	37.0	37	1	0

Punt Returns	No.	Yards	TD	Long
Cole Tucker	1	8	0	8

Kick Returns	No.	Yards	TD	Long

Tackles	UA-A	Total	Sacks	TFL
Raishein Thomas	1-1	2	0.0	0.5
Demond Taylor	1-0	1	0.0	0.0
Dillon Thomas	1-0	1	0.0	0.0
Jordan Gandy	0-1	1	0.0	0.5

Qtr	Time	Scoring Play	V-H
4th	02:42	NIU - #8 J.Ducker 10 yd rush (#39 J.Richardson kick), 14-69, 07:22	0-7
4th	01:42	BSU - #46 J.Lewis 48 yd FG, 6-34, 01:00	3-7
4th	00:00	NIU - #39 J.Richardson 32 yd FG, 10-62, 01:42	3-10