

2020 BIG TEN FOOTBALLWEEKLY RELEASE - NOVEMBER 16

Primary Contact: Adam Augustine, Assistant Commissioner, Communications • Office: 847-696-1010 ext. 151 • E-mail: aaugustine@bigten.org • Twitter: @B1Gfootball Secondary Contact: Megan Rowley, Assistant Director, Communications • Office: 847-696-1010 ext. 129 • E-mail: mrowley@bigten.org

2020 CONFERENCE & OVERALL STANDINGS

EAST DIVISION

Conference Games						All Games									
		W-L	PCT	Н	Α	Div.	Strk		W-L	PCT	Н	Α	N	Strk	
1.	Indiana	4-0	1.000	2-0	2-0	4-0	W5		4-0	1.000	2-0	2-0	0-0	W4	
	Ohio State	3-0	1.000	2-0	1-0	2-0	W16		3-0	1.000	2-0	1-0	0-0	W3	
3.	Maryland	2-1	.667	1-0	1-1	1-0	W2		2-1	.667	1-0	1-1	0-0	W2	
4.	Michigan State	1-3	.250	0-2	1-1	1-2	L2		1-3	.250	0-2	1-1	0-0	L2	
	Rutgers	1-3	.250	0-2	1-1	1-2	L3		1-3	.250	0-2	1-1	0-0	L3	
	Michigan	1-3	.250	0-2	1-1	0-2	L3		1-3	.250	0-2	1-1	0-0	L3	
7.	Penn State	0-4	.000	0-2	0-2	0-3	L4		0-4	.000	0-2	0-2	0-0	L4	

WEST DIVISION

Conference Games							All Games							
		W-L	PCT	н	Α	Div.	Strk		W-L	PCT	Н	Α	N	Strk
1.	Northwestern	4-0	1.000	2-0	2-0	3-0	W5		4-0	1.000	2-0	2-0	0-0	W4
	Wisconsin	2-0	1.000	1-0	1-0	1-0	W6		2-0	1.000	1-0	1-0	0-0	W2
3.	Purdue	2-1	.667	1-1	1-0	2-1	L1		2-1	.667	1-1	1-0	0-0	L1
4.	Iowa	2-2	.500	1-1	1-1	1-2	W2		2-2	.500	1-1	1-1	0-0	W2
5.	Nebraska	1-2	.333	1-0	0-2	0-1	W1		1-2	.333	1-0	0-2	0-0	W1
6.	Minnesota	1-3	.250	0-2	1-1	1-1	L1		1-3	.250	0-2	1-1	0-0	L1
	Illinois	1-3	.250	0-2	1-1	0-3	W1		1-3	.250	0-2	1-1	0-0	W1

BIG TEN. BIG NEWS.

- Indiana's Ty Fryfogle recorded personal bests in receptions (11), receiving yards (200) and touchdowns (two) to lead the Hoosiers to a 24-0 victory at Michigan State on Saturday. His 178 first half receiving yards marked the most by a Big Ten player since Michigan's Roy Roundtree in 2010 and he became the seventh receiver in program history to snag 200-plus yards receiving in a single game and the first since Ricky Jones in 2106.
- Wisconsin jumped out to a 28-0 first-half lead and never looked back, defeating Michigan, 49-11, Saturday night at Michigan Stadium. The Badgers recorded 468 yards of offense in the contest, including 341 yards on the ground. Four different Badgers combined to tally five rushing touchdowns in the game, including a pair of scores by Nakia Watson. Wisconsin's 38-point win was its largest-ever margin of victory over Michigan, surpassing the previous mark of 22 points in 1962.
- Wisconsin improved to 20-6 (.769) in road games under head coach Paul Chryst. Only Clemson (.929), Oklahoma (.923), Alabama (.913), Ohio State (.880) and Georgia (.792) have won a higher percentage of their road games since 2015.
- In two games this season, the Badgers have scored at least 45 points and have won both games by 38 points, marking the first time Wisconsin has won consecutive Big Ten games by at least 38 points since
- With a 27-20 victory against Purdue last Saturday, Northwestern improved to 4-0 for the first time since 2015 and 4-0 in conference play for the first time since 1996. Under Pat Fitzgerald, the Wildcats have won 48 one-possession games, tied for the most nationally in the last 15 seasons. Northwestern wide receiver Ramaud Chiaokhiao-Bowman finished the game with eight catches for 86 yards and three touchdowns, all career highs for the senior.
- lowa's Zach VanValkenburg recorded a career-high three sacks in the team's 35-7 victory at Minnesota, the most by a Hawkeye since A.J. Epenesa in 2019. The senior tallied five tackles in the contest, including four solo stops, and anchored a defense that held the Gophers to seven points, nearly 30 points fewer than their average.
- The Hawkeyes have now won six straight games against the Gophers for the first time in the 114-meeting series. This win streak has allowed them to tie the series (42-42-2) with the Floyd of Rosedale on the line. Iowa has won 16 of its last 20 meetings against the Gophers and is 17-4 in its last 21 trophy games. The Hawkeyes have not trailed at any point against Minnesota since the 4th quarter of 2016.

WEEK 5 SCHEDULE

FRIDAY, NOV. 20

Purdue at Minnesota 7:30 p.m. | BTN

SATURDAY, NOV. 21

Illinois at Nebraska Noon | FS1

Indiana at Ohio State Noon | FOX

Michigan State at Maryland Noon | BTN

Wisconsin at Northwestern 3:30 p.m. | ABC

Iowa at Penn State 3:30 p.m. | BTN

Michigan at Rutgers 7:30 p.m. | BTN

All times Eastern

WEEK 4 RESULTS

FRIDAY, NOV. 13

Iowa 35, Minnesota 7

SATURDAY, NOV. 14

Indiana 24, Michigan State 0 Nebraska 30, Penn State 23 Illinois 23, Rutgers 20 Northwestern 27, Purdue 20 Wisconsin 49, Michigan 11

FOLLOW THE BIG TEN

The Big Ten football page on <u>bigten.org</u> will feature notes, recaps, statistics, standings and more. You can also keep track of Big Ten football in real time by following the conference on Twitter @B1Gfootball and @BigTen or becoming a fan of the Big Ten Conference on Facebook to receive exclusive updates.



FACEBOOK.COM/BIGTENCONFERENCE



@B1GFOOTBALL OR @BIGTEN



@BIGTEN

BIG LIFE. BIG STAGE. BIG TEN.

- Illinois' Isaiah Williams broke the school record for rushing yards by a quarterback with 192 yards on 31 attempts to lead the Illini to a 23-20 comeback win at Rutgers in his first career start. The freshman added 104 passing yards to finish the contest with 296 yards of total offense.
- On Oct. 23, the Big Ten Conference announced the launch of the 'United As One' social justice campaign. 'United As One' is among several conference-wide Equality Coalition initiatives dedicated to constructively and collectively recognizing and eliminating racism and hate in our society by creating resources for inclusion, empowerment and accountability.
- The Big Ten Conference established the Equality Coalition in 2020 with 227 members including presidents and chancellors, directors of athletics, coaches, student-athletes, conference and school administrators, alumni, families and friends representing all 14 institutions.

2020 BIG TEN PLAYERS OF THE WEEK

	.A.	INS OF THE WEEK
10/26	0	WR David Bell, PUR
		QB Graham Mertz, WIS (Fr.)
	D	S Jamar Johnson, IND
		LB Olakunle Fatukasi, RU
	S	K Charlie Kuhbander, NU
	F	QB Graham Mertz, WIS
L1/2	0	QB Taulia Tagovailoa, MD
		QB Justin Fields, OSU
	D	DT Tommy Togiai, OSU
	S	K Charles Campbell, IND
	F	WR Ricky White, MSU
		S Brandon Joseph, NU
L1/9	0	RB Mohamed Ibrahim, MINN
	D	LB Chris Bergin, NU
	S	WR Charlie Jones, IOWA
	F	WR Rakim Jarrett, MD
11/16	0	WR Ty Fryfogle, IND
	D	DE Zach VanValkenburg, IOWA
	S	K James McCourt, ILL
	F	QB Isaiah Williams, ILL

BIG TEN COACHING RECORDS

Coach, School	Career (Yrs)	At School (Yrs)	Big Ten Only
EAST DIVISION			
Tom Allen, IND	22-20 (4th)	22-20 (4th)	13-18
Michael Locksley, MD	8-41 (6th)	6-15 (3rd)	4-14
Jim Harbaugh, MICH	106-48 (13th)	48-21 (6th)	33-15
Mel Tucker, MSU	6-10 (2nd)	1-3 (1st)	1-3
Ryan Day, OSU	19-1 (3rd)	19-1 (3rd)	13-0
James Franklin, PSU	80-42 (10th)	56-27 (7th)	33-19
Greg Schiano, RU	69-70 (12th)	69-70 (12th)	1-3
WEST DIVISION			
Lovie Smith, ILL	16-37 (5th)	16-37 (5th)	9-31
Kirk Ferentz, IOWA	176-127 (25th)	164-106 (22nd)	99-77
P.J. Fleck, MINN	54-40 (8th)	24-18 (4th)	13-18
Scott Frost, NEB	29-24 (5th)	10-17 (3rd)	7-14
Pat Fitzgerald, NU	103-79 (15th)	103-79 (15th)	61-59
Jeff Brohm, PUR	49-32 (7th)	19-22 (4th)	14-16
Paul Chryst, WIS	73-35 (9th)	54-16 (6th)	36-10

BIG TEN FOOTBALL MEDIA CONTACTS

EAST DIVISION	Ohio State	WEST DIVISION	Northwestern
Indiana	Jerry Emig	Illinois	Paul Kennedy
Jeff Keag	emig.2@osu.edu	Kent Brown	pkennedy@northwestern.
jkeag@indiana.edu	Phone: (614) 688-0343	kwbrown3@illinois.edu	edu
Phone: (812) 855-6209			Phone: (847) 467-2028
	Penn State	Iowa	
Maryland	Kristina Petersen	Steve Roe	Purdue
Dustin Semonavick	kap18@psu.edu	steven-roe@uiowa.edu	Matt Rector
dustin@umd.edu	Phone: (814) 865-1757	Phone: (319) 335-9411	rector@purdue.edu
			Phone: (765) 494-3196
Michigan	Rutgers	Minnesota	
David Ablauf	Hasim Phillips	Paul Rovnak	Wisconsin
dablauf@umich.edu	hphillips@scarletknights.	psrovnak@umn.edu	Brian Lucas
	com	Phone: (612) 625-9379	bml@athletics.wisc.edu
Chad Shepard	Phone: (732) 445-6069		Phone: (608) 263-5052
shepchad@umich.edu		Nebraska	
Phone: (734) 764-6456	Jimmy Gill	Keith Mann	Brian Mason
	jgill@scarletknights.com	kmann@huskers.com	bm3@athletics.wisc.edu
Michigan State	,,,	Phone: (402) 472-2263	_
Ben Phlegar			
phlegarb@ath.msu.edu		Matt Smith	
Phone: (517) 355-2271		msmith@huskers.com	
, ,		Phone: (402) 770-5926	
		. ,	

BIG TEN FOOTBALL AWARDS

The Big Ten will continue to honor its past while recognizing its current standouts at the conclusion of the 2020 campaign. The Big Ten's enhanced football awards program presents 19 individual trophies in addition to the Big Ten Championship trophy, bearing the names of one or two former standouts. The distinguished names on these football awards honor just a small sampling of the countless students and coaches who have contributed to the conference's rich and storied history.

Seventeen of the honors will be awarded immediately following the regular season, including awards for the best quarterback, running back, receiver, tight end, offensive lineman, defensive lineman, linebacker, defensive back, kicker, punter and return specialist. Each of these individual position awards features the names of two former standouts.

The Big Ten will also continue to honor the conference's top coaches, offensive and defensive players and linemen and freshmen with end-of-year trophies. Big Ten coaches have the opportunity to claim two awards. Media voters will select the Dave McClain Coach of the Year, which has been awarded since 1972, while coaches vote for the Hayes-Schembechler Coach of the Year award. The top offensive player will receive the Graham-George Offensive Player of the Year award, the best defensive player will be awarded the Nagurski-Woodson Defensive Player of the Year award and the top freshman will receive the Thompson-Randle El Freshman of the Year award.

The winner of the Big Ten Football Championship Game will receive the Amos Alonzo Stagg Championship Trophy, while the most outstanding player in the game will be awarded the Grange-Griffin Championship Game Most Valuable Player award. The conference also created two postcollegiate awards - the Ford-Kinnick Leadership Award and the Dungy-Thompson Humanitarian Award.

The full list of awards, along with a breakdown of the former standouts appearing in each award's name, appears to the right.

NAME OF AWARD	NAMED FOR
NAME OF AWARD	NAMED FOR
Championship Game Awards	Asses Alexan Chann China
Amos Alonzo Stagg Championship Trophy	Amos Alonzo Stagg, Chicago
Grange-Griffin Championship Game MVP	Harold Edward "Red" Grange, Illinois
(media vote only)	Archie Griffin, Ohio State
Postcollegiate Awards	
(vote by school administrators)	
Ford-Kinnick Leadership Award	Gerald R. Ford, Michigan
D The second second	Nile Kinnick, Iowa
Dungy-Thompson Humanitarian Award	Tony Dungy, Minnesota Anthony Thompson, Indiana
Annual Awards	Antilony mompson, mulana
(combined vote by coaches and media, unless ot	herwise noted)
Graham-George Offensive Player of the Year	Otto Graham, Northwestern
	Eddie George, Ohio State
Nagurski-Woodson Defensive Player of the Year	Bronislau "Bronko" Nagurski, Minnesota
	Charles Woodson, Michigan
Hayes-Schembechler Coach of the Year	Wayne Woodrow "Woody" Hayes, Ohio State
(coaches vote only)	Glenn Edward "Bo" Schembechler, Michigan
Dave McClain Coach of the Year	Dave McClain, Wisconsin
(media vote only)	
Thompson-Randle El Freshman of the Year	Darrell Thompson, Minnesota
Division of the Very	Antwaan Randle El, Indiana
Rimington-Pace Offensive Lineman of the Year	Dave Rimington, Nebraska
Smith-Brown Defensive Lineman of the Year	Orlando Pace, Ohio State Charles Aaron "Bubba" Smith, Michigan State
Similification determine Lineman of the feat	Courtney Brown, Penn State
Griese-Brees Quarterback of the Year	Bob Griese, Purdue
Greek Breek Quarter back or the rear	Drew Brees, Purdue
Ameche-Dayne Running Back of the Year	Alan Ameche, Wisconsin
	Ron Dayne, Wisconsin
Tatum-Woodson Defensive Back of the Year	Jack Tatum, Ohio State
	Rod Woodson, Purdue
Butkus-Fitzgerald Linebacker of the Year	Dick Butkus, Illinois
	Pat Fitzgerald, Northwestern
Richter-Howard Receiver of the Year	Pat Richter, Wisconsin
	Desmond Howard, Michigan
Kwalick-Clark Tight End of the Year	Ted Kwalick, Penn State
	Dallas Clark, Iowa
Bakken-Andersen Kicker of the Year	Jim Bakken, Wisconsin
Eddleman Fields Dunter of the Verr	Morten Andersen, Michigan State
Eddleman-Fields Punter of the Year	Thomas Dwight "Dike" Eddleman, Illinois
Rodgers-Dwight Return Specialist of the Year	Brandon Fields, Michigan State Johnny Rodgers, Nebraska
Nougers-Dwight Neturn Specialist of the fedi	Tim Dwight, Iowa
	TITI DWIGHT, IOWA





























Big Life. Big Stage. Big Ten.

Since its inception in 1896, the pursuit and attainment of academic excellence has been a priority for every Big Ten member institution. But maintaining the conference's standard of competing at the highest level in athletics also endures as an important component of the Big Ten experience. Striking that balance between academics and athletics is integral to the Big Ten's identity. Recognized as one of intercollegiate sports' most successful undertakings, the Big Ten strives for success from its students not only on the field and in the classroom, but around the world as well.

PREMIER ACADEMIC INSTITUTIONS

The Big Ten Academic Alliance is an academic consortium of all 14 Big Ten universities, which is widely considered to be the model for effective and voluntary collaboration among top research universities.

Every Big Ten Academic Alliance institution ranks among the top 70 universities in the nation according to the 2019 Academic Ranking of World Universities, including six in the top 30.

The Big Ten leads all conferences with more than 1,800 Academic All-Americans, including 27 honorees during the 2019-20 academic year.

Big Ten Academic Alliance schools annually conduct \$10 billion in funded research, \$5 billion more than any other conference.

A HISTORY OF ATHLETIC SUCCESS

Big Ten schools have won at least five national championships in 23 of the last 26 years, averaging nearly seven per year over that span.

Since the 2008-09 academic year, current Big Ten institutions have claimed 76 team national championships in 21 different sports.

BROAD-BASED PROGRAMMING

The Big Ten will administer over \$200 million in direct financial support to more than 9,800 students competing in intercollegiate athletics for more than 11,000 participation opportunities on 350 teams in 42 different sports.

The Big Ten sponsors 28 official conference sports, 14 for men and 14 for women, including the addition of men's ice hockey and men's and women's lacrosse in this decade.

The Big Ten leads the nation in total students competing in intercollegiate athletics and participation opportunities, and sponsors more official sports than all conferences except the Ivy League.

Almost 1,400 Big Ten competitors have participated in the Olympics, winning more than 600 medals, including nearly 300 gold. In the 2016 and 2018 Olympic Games, more than 200 representatives from Big Ten institutions including current or former students and coaches were members of Olympic teams. Big Ten Olympians collected more than 50 medals in the most recent games in Rio and PyeongChang.

PASSIONATE FOLLOWING

The Big Ten leads all conferences with 6.4 million alumni and nearly 580,000 students.

Each year more than 11 million patrons attend Big Ten home contests, as the conference has led the nation in attendance for men's basketball, ice hockey, volleyball and wrestling.

LEADERS IN INNOVATION

Took part in the nation's first bowl game, winning the 1902 Rose Bowl Game, and signed an exclusive contract with the Tournament of Roses in 1946, making it the first bowl with permanent conference affiliations.

Awarded the first Big Ten Medal of Honor in 1915, honoring outstanding seniors who demonstrated excellence in academics and athletics.

Formed the Big Ten Advisory Commission in 1972, enlisting former students that competed in conference athletics to serve as liaisons to the NCAA's Diversity and Inclusion Department, the Big Ten Student-Athlete Advisory Commission and other organizations.

Became the first conference to voluntarily adopt male and female participation goals after launching its Gender Equity Action Plan in 1992.

Implemented the first collegiate football system of instant replay in 2004, which the NCAA approved for use among all conferences in 2006.

Launched the Big Ten Network (BTN) in 2007, the first national conference-owned television network.

Began partnering with the Ivy League to study the effects of head injuries in sports in 2012.

Accepted Johns Hopkins University as the conference's first sport affiliate members in men's and women's lacrosse in 2013 and 2015, respectively, and added Notre Dame as a sport affiliate member in men's ice hockey in 2017.

EXTENSIVE TELEVISION EXPOSURE

Through the Big Ten's current media agreements with BTN, ABC/ESPN, CBS and FOX, more than 2,000 Big Ten events are produced and distributed nationally and globally on an annual basis.

BTN is in almost 60 million homes across the United States and Canada, and is also available internationally via the Fox Sports App, delivering live and on-demand programming to computers, smartphones and tablets. BTN Plus streams hundreds of additional events each season.

COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT

For more than 30 years, through the Big Ten's SCORE (Success Comes Out of Reading Everyday) program, the conference has partnered with Chicago elementary schools to improve reading performance.

Surrounding the Big Ten Football Championship Game and Basketball Tournaments, the conference has held numerous community initiatives, partnered with the College Football Playoff Foundation and other events such as the Big Ten Career Expo, SaturDAY of Service and Youth Football Clinics. In addition, the Big Ten has hosted a downtown 5K, collaborated with a local breast cancer awareness group and provided unique event experiences for military veterans.

2020 COMPOSITE FOOTBALL SCHEDULE

DATE/MATCHUP	TIME	BROADCAST	DATE/MATCHUP	TIME	BROADCAST
FRIDAY, OCT. 23			SATURDAY, NOV. 28		
Illinois at Wisconsin	8 p.m.	Big Ten Network	Ohio State at Illinois		
	•	J	Maryland at Indiana		
SATURDAY, OCT. 24			Penn State at Michigan		
Rutgers at Michigan State	Noon	Big Ten Network	Northwestern at Michigan State		
Nebraska at Ohio State	Noon	FOX	Minnesota at Wisconsin	2 p.m.	Big Ten Network
Penn State at Indiana	3:30 p.m.	FS1	Rutgers at Purdue	4 p.m.	FS1
Iowa at Purdue	3:30 p.m.	Big Ten Network			
Michigan at Minnesota	7:30 p.m.	ABC	SATURDAY, DEC. 5		
Maryland at Northwestern	7:30 p.m.	Big Ten Network	Iowa at Illinois		
			Maryland at Michigan		
FRIDAY, OCT. 30			Ohio State at Michigan State		
Minnesota at Maryland	7:30 p.m.	ESPN	Northwestern at Minnesota		
			Nebraska at Purdue		
SATURDAY, OCT. 31			Penn State at Rutgers		
Purdue at Illinois	Noon	Big Ten Network	Indiana at Wisconsin		
Michigan State at Michigan	Noon	FOX			
Northwestern at Iowa	3:30 p.m.	ESPN	SATURDAY, DEC. 12		
Wisconsin at Nebraska	3:30 p.m.	FS1	Michigan at Ohio State	Noon	FOX
Indiana at Rutgers	3:30 p.m.	Big Ten Network	Purdue at Indiana		
Ohio State at Penn State	7:30 p.m.	ABC	Wisconsin at Iowa		
			Rutgers at Maryland		
SATURDAY, NOV. 7		504	Minnesota at Nebraska		
Michigan at Indiana	Noon	FS1	Illinois at Northwestern		
Michigan State at Iowa	Noon	ESPN	Michigan State at Penn State		
Nebraska at Northwestern	Noon	Big Ten Network	CATURDAY DEC 10		
Minnesota at Illinois	3:30 p.m.	Big Ten Network	SATURDAY, DEC. 19		FOX
Maryland at Penn State Purdue at Wisconsin	3:30 p.m.	Big Ten Network ABC	Big Ten Championship Game		FUX
Rutgers at Ohio State	3:30 p.m. 7:30 p.m.	Big Ten Network			
Rutgers at Offio State	7.30 p.m.	big leli Network			
FRIDAY, NOV. 13			All Times Eastern		
Iowa at Minnesota	7 p.m.	FS1			
SATURDAY, NOV. 14					
Indiana at Michigan State	Noon	ABC			
Penn State at Nebraska	Noon	FS1			
Illinois at Rutgers	1 p.m.	Big Ten Network			
Ohio State at Maryland	3:30 p.m.	Big Ten Network			
Northwestern at Purdue	5 p.m.	Big Ten Network			
Wisconsin at Michigan	7:30 p.m.	ABC			
FRIDAY, NOV. 20					
Purdue at Minnesota	7:30 p.m.	Big Ten Network			
SATURDAY, NOV. 21					
Illinois at Nebraska	Noon	FS1			
Indiana at Ohio State	Noon	FOX			
Michigan State at Maryland	Noon	Big Ten Network			
Wisconsin at Northwestern	3:30 p.m.	ABC			
Iowa at Penn State	3:30 p.m.	Big Ten Network			
Michigan at Rutgers	7:30 p.m.	Big Ten Network			
FRIDAY, NOV. 27					
Nebraska at Iowa	1 p.m.	FOX			