

LSU vs. Auburn
Oct. 24, 2009 – Tiger Stadium (Baton Rouge, La.)
Postgame Notes

Team Notes

1. LSU's game captains were 30 **Josh Jasper**, 24 **Harry Coleman**, 92 **Drake Nevis**, 18 **Richard Dickson** and 68 **Josh Dworaczyk**.
2. LSU won the toss and deferred to the second half. Auburn received the opening kickoff.
3. Tigers extending their notable consecutive starts streak tonight were: LT **Ciron Black** (47), OG **Lyle Hitt** (27), LB **Harry Coleman** (20), RT **Joseph Barksdale** (20), TE **Richard Dickson** (20), RB **Charles Scott** (20) and CB **Chris Hawkins** (20).
4. LSU's touchdown on its opening drive, a 14-yard TD catch by **Terrance Toliver**, was the first TD by the Tigers on their opening drive in any game all season. LSU's other score on an opening drive came at Washington with a field goal.
5. With **Chris Hawkins'** interception in the second quarter, LSU has now intercepted at least one pass in nine straight games dating back to the final two games of the 2008 season.
6. LB **Harry Coleman's** sack in the first quarter was the first by LSU since tallying three sacks against Vanderbilt in the second week of the season.
7. LSU's defense did not surrender a point in the first half, marking the second time this season that has happened. The Tigers also held Georgia scoreless in the first half.
8. LSU has defeated Auburn in three straight meetings for the first time since 1972, 1973, and 1980. The last time LSU beat Auburn in three consecutive seasons was 1935-37. LSU now leads the all-time series, 24-19-1.
9. Tonight's attendance of 92,654 is the eighth highest attendance in the history of Tiger Stadium.
10. LSU improved to 6-1 for the third time in five seasons under head coach **Les Miles**.
11. LSU has now won 33 of its last 34 Saturday night games in Tiger Stadium.
12. LSU extended its winning streak on the ESPN family of networks to 20 straight games. The streak dates back to the home opener in 2005 when Tennessee rallied for a 30-27 overtime win on a Monday night on ESPN2.

Individual Notes

13. WR **Brandon LaFell** has now caught a pass in 35 straight games (34 of those multiple-reception games) dating back to the 2007 Sugar Bowl versus Notre Dame.
 - a. **LaFell's** streak is the fifth longest streak in the nation. Central Michigan's Bryan Anderson leads the nation with 47 consecutive games with a catch.
14. WR **Terrance Toliver** hauled in his third receiving TD of the season and seventh of his career on a 14-yard throw from Jordan Jefferson with 8:21 remaining in the first quarter.
 - a. **Toliver** has now caught a pass in 17 consecutive games.
 - b. **Toliver's** nine catches tonight are a career-high, surpassing his previous best of six receptions at Georgia earlier this season.
15. QB **Jordan Jefferson** fired his eighth and ninth TD passes of the season and 12th and 13th of his career on a 14-yard throw to Terrance Toliver with 8:21 left in the first quarter and a 17-yard pass to Brandon LaFell with 13:41 remaining in the third quarter.
 - a. **Jefferson** then recorded his first rushing TD of the season and second of his career on a 15-yard scamper with 1:10 to go in the first quarter.
 - b. **Jefferson** became the first LSU quarterback to run for a TD and throw for a TD in a game since Matt Flynn did it against Arkansas on Nov. 23, 2007. Jefferson is the first to achieve the feat in the same quarter since Marcus Randall ran for a TD and threw for a TD in the second quarter at Arkansas on Nov. 26, 2004.
16. LB **Harry Coleman** tallied his second forced fumble of the season and third of his career with 2:31 left in the first quarter.
 - a. **Coleman's** two sacks of Chris Todd marked the first sacks of his career.
17. DB **Danny McCray** recovered a fumble for the third and fourth times in his career.
18. CB **Chris Hawkins** picked off his fifth career pass and second of the season with 14:29 left in the second quarter. Three of Hawkins' five career interceptions have come against Auburn.

19. PK **Josh Jasper** booted a 32-yard field goal with 0:09 on the clock in the second quarter. He is now 12-of-13 for his career and 10-of-11 for the season. Jasper's only miss came at Mississippi State earlier this year.
20. QB **Russell Shepard** ran for his first career TD on a 69-yard TD dash with 1:09 to go in the third quarter.
 - a. **Shepard's** run was the longest play from scrimmage for LSU this season and the longest from scrimmage since Jacob Hester had an 87-yard run against Louisiana Tech on Nov. 10, 2007.
21. WR **Brandon LaFell** caught his sixth TD pass of the season on a 17-yard TD throw from Jordan Jefferson with 13:41 to go in the third quarter.
 - a. **LaFell** moved into third place in LSU career receiving touchdowns with his 20th career TD catch tonight. He is tied with Early Doucet (2004-07) and is one TD shy of second place held by Michael Clayton who caught 21 TDs from 2001-03. Dwayne Bowe (2003-06) holds the LSU career record with 26 TD catches.
22. LB **Ryan Baker** recorded the first sack of his career with an eight-yard takedown of Chris Todd with just over 5:30 left in the game.