

FINAL STATISTICS

1961 Football Season

INDIVIDUAL SCORING

	TP	TDs	*FGs	Conversion Att.	
				Kick	Run
Harris, rh	94	8	9-6	29-26	2-1
Campbell, lh	24	4	..	..	..
Gros, fb	24	4	..	..	..
Stovall, lh	18	3	..	..	..
Wilkins, rh	18	3	..	..	..
Amedee, qb	18	3	..	..	..
Neumann, le	12	2
Hamic, fb	6	1
Robinson, qb	6	1
Field, qb	6	1
Neck, lh	6	1
team (safety)	2

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INDIVIDUAL RUSHING

	Att.	Gain	Loss	Net	Avg.
Gros, fb	90	406	0	406	4.5
Stovall, lh	65	413	8	405	6.2
Campbell, lh	48	325	6	319	6.6
Wilkins, rh	66	271	7	264	4.0
Harris, rh	65	253	12	241	3.7
Field, qb	53	253	34	199	3.7
Cranford, fb	48	156	0	156	3.2
Amedee, qb	46	209	77	132	2.8
Neck, lh	15	53	2	51	3.4
Soefker, lh	9	24	1	23	2.5
Hamic, fb	5	9	0	9	1.8
Robinson, qb	3	10	2	8	2.6
Mercer, rh	1	3	0	3	3.0
Ward, fb	1	3	0	3	3.0
center pass	1	..	20	-20	..

PASSING

	Att.	Comp.	HI	Yds.	TDs
Amedee, qb	94	40	5	485	2
Field, qb	25	12	1	239	2
Robinson, qb	1	0	0	0	0

RECEIVING

	No.	Yards	Avg.	TDs
Harris, rh	10	177	17.7	2
Stovall, lh	9	135	14.0	0
Cranford, fb	7	101	14.4	0
Wilkins, rh	9	72	8.0	0
Truax, re	5	61	12.2	0
Campbell, lh	4	57	14.2	0
Gates, re	3	49	16.3	0
Neck, lh	1	22	22.0	0
Neumann, le	2	19	9.5	2
Sykes, le	1	9	9.0	0

PUNTING

	No.	Yards	Avg.
Neumann, le	10	436	43.6
Stovall, lh	51	1929	37.8

PUNT RETURNS

	No.	Yards	Avg.
Neck, lh	12	145	12.0
Harris, rh	5	87	17.4
Stovall, lh	7	69	9.8
Soefker, rh	4	42	10.5
Winston, lg	*1	28	28.0
Mercer, rh	1	6	6.0
Campbell, lh	1	0	0.0

*—Blocked punt vs. Texas A&M

KICKOFF RETURNS

	No.	Yards	Avg.
Stovall, lh	4	83	20.7
Wilkins, rh	1	52	52.0
Harris, rh	2	46	23.0
Campbell, lh	2	38	19.0
Gros, fb	2	22	11.0
Field, qb	1	21	21.0
Cranford, fb	1	9	9.0
Amedee, qb	1	9	9.0

OPPONENTS FUMBLES RECOVERED

Richards, lt	2 vs. So. Carolina
Winston, lg	1 vs. Rice
Gaubatz, c	1 vs. A&M
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Gros, fb	1 vs. Tulane
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M. Guillot, rg	1 vs. Tulane

TOTAL OFFENSE LEADERS

	Yards Rush.	Yards Pass.	Net Yards	Plays	Avg.
Amedee, qb	132	485	617	140	4.4
Field, qb	199	239	438	78	5.6
Gros, fb	406	...	406	90	4.5
Stovall, lh	405	...	405	65	6.2

TEAM STATISTICS

	LSU	Opp.	LSU	Opp.
Total Points	234	50	Total Offense	2900 1703
Total First Downs	143	101	No. of Plays	636 564
by rushing	118	45	Avg. per play	4.5 3.1
by passing	31	46	Avg. per game	290.0 170.3
by penalty	6	10	Pass Int. &	
Yds. Gained			Yds. Returned	18-187 6-50
Rushing	2368	1175	Punts & Yds.	62-2465 75-2695
Yds. Lost Rushing	172	376	Punting Avg.	39.7 35.9
Net Yds. Rushing	2196	794	Punt Returns	
Rushing Plays	516	386	& Yds.	31-375 32-210
Avg. gain per rush	4.2	2.0	Punt Return Avg.	12.0 6.5
Avg. gain			Kickoff Returns	
per game	219.6	79.4	& Yds.	14-280 43-748
Net Yds. Passing	704	909	Kickoff Return	
Passes Attempted	120	178	Avg.	20.0 17.3
Passes Completed	52	81	Fumbles	22 24
Had Intercepted	6	18	Fumbles Lost	22 12
Avg. gain per pass	5.8	5.1	Penalties & Yds.	56-583 25-220
Avg. gain per game	70.4	90.9		

INTERCEPTION RETURNS

	No.	Yards	No.	Yards
Robinson, qb	4	59	Stovall, lh	2 18
Neck, lh	4	19	Gros, fb	1 27
Ward, fb	3	1	Hamic, fb	1 21
Sykes, le	2	25	Harris, rh	1 17

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Conference
All Games

Team	W	L	T*	Pct.	Pts.	Opp.	W	L	T*	Pct.	Pts.	Opp.
Alabama	7	0	0	1.000	178	15	10	0	0	1.000	287	22
LSU	6	0	0	1.000	143	27	9	1	0	.900	234	50
Mississippi	5	1	0	.833	176	33	9	1	0	9.00	326	40
Ga. Tech	4	3	0	.571	90	42	7	3	0	.700	162	50
Tennessee	4	3	0	.571	128	114	6	4	0	.600	221	149
Florida	3	3	0	.500	57	92	4	5	1	.450	97	146
Auburn	3	4	0	.429	94	109	6	4	0	.600	174	137
Kentucky	2	4	0	.333	81	101	5	5	0	.500	138	123
Georgia	2	5	0	.286	60	128	3	7	0	.300	84	177
Miss. State	1	5	0	.167	34	112	5	5	0	.500	111	135
Tulane	1	5	0	.167	20	175	2	8	0	.200	60	225
Vanderbilt	1	6	0	.143	51	163	2	8	0	.200	95	220

*(Ties count 1/2 game won, 1/2 game lost.)

All-Time Southeastern Conference Standings

Team	1961	Yrs.	Games	Won	Lost	Tied	Pts.	Opp.	Pct.*
1. Tennessee	(4-3-0)	28	166	110	45	11	2646	1315	.696
2. Alabama	(7-0-0)	28	193	114	61	18	3071	2011	.637
3. Georgia Tech	(4-3-0)	29	181	107	65	9	2939	1694	.616
4. Mississippi	(5-1-0)	28	155	88	57	10	2755	2047	.600
5. LSU	(6-0-0)	29	178	93	71	14	2698	2177	.562
6. Georgia	(2-5-0)	29	169	82	79	8	2377	2332	.509
7. Auburn	(3-4-0)	28	180	78	91	12	2126	2598	.470
8. Tulane	(1-5-0)	29	171	67	91	13	2193	2648	.429
9. Miss. State	(1-5-0)	28	167	65	94	8	1930	2491	.413
10. Vanderbilt	(1-6-0)	27	177	67	98	12	1997	2695	.412
11. Florida	(3-3-0)	28	158	55	93	10	1735	2424	.380
12. Kentucky	(2-4-0)	28	154	53	91	10	1788	2485	.377
Sewanee		8	37	0	37	0	84	1163	.000

*Ties count half game won, half lost.

Sewanee withdrew after 1940 Season.

(Allteams except LSU, Georgia Tech and Tulane suspended play for the 1943 season and Vanderbilt also suspended play for the 1944 season.)

1961 LSU FOOTBALL STATISTICS (Final)

Results and Schedule	Attendance
Rice 16, LSU 3	73,000 - A
LSU 16, Texas A&M 7	64,000 - H
LSU 10, Georgia Tech 0	66,000 - H
LSU 42, So. Carolina 0	28,000 - A
LSU 24, Kentucky 14	66,000 - H
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