

LSU FOOTBALL POSTGAME NOTES
#1/2 LSU at #19/23 Auburn
Oct. 22, 2011 – Tiger Stadium (Baton Rouge, La.)

Team Notes

1. LSU's game captains were 9 **Jordan Jefferson**, 12 **Jarrett Lee**, 18 **Brandon Taylor** and 30 **Drew Alleman**.
2. Auburn won the toss and deferred to the second half. LSU received the opening kickoff.
3. Tigers making their first career starts: FB **J.C. Copeland**
4. Tigers seeing their first career action: **David Detz**, **Trent Hebert** in the fourth quarter.
5. The attendance was 93,098 – the second-largest crowd in Tiger Stadium history. The 2009 Florida game was the largest at 93,129.
6. LSU's 45 points today are the most for the Tigers in the series history, surpassing the 35 scored in 1972. It is also the most points for any team in the series history. Auburn had 41 in 1999. It is also the largest margin of victory for either team in this series, besting the 34-point margin by Auburn in a 41-7 win in 1999.
7. LSU leads the series 25-20-1 and has won four of the last five dating back to 2007.
8. LSU has scored on its first possession in six of eight games this season. The Kentucky and Tennessee games are the only two times the Tigers have not scored. Of the six scores, four of them have been touchdowns.
9. Auburn's field goal with 1:26 to go in the first quarter was the first points allowed by LSU in the first quarter since Mississippi State made a field goal in week three.
10. With the three touchdown passes today, LSU has thrown at least three touchdowns in back-to-back games for the first time since the 2007 season when LSU three against Auburn, three at Alabama and four against Louisiana Tech.
11. LSU scored its 11th defensive touchdown under **Les Miles** (since 2005) when **Ron Brooks** picked off a pass and took it back 28 yards for a touchdown with 7:27 to go in the third quarter. It was the second defensive TD of the season for LSU and the first since Tyrann Mathieu's fumble return against Kentucky.
12. LSU has won all eight of its games this season by double-digits, including an average margin of victory of 27.8 a game. The eight consecutive wins this season by double-digits increases the school record. LSU has now won nine straight games by double-digits, breaking another school record set in 1936.
13. LSU now has two quarterbacks who have thrown for at least 30 touchdowns during their careers. **Jarrett Lee** has thrown for 31 and **Jordan Jefferson** has accounted for 30.
14. It is the first time in school history that LSU has won three straight SEC games by 30 or more points.
15. LSU is 8-0 for the fourth time in school history and the first time since 1973 when the team opened the year 9-0.
16. In 480 minutes of action this year, LSU has trailed for just 6 minutes and 33 seconds, and the Tigers haven't trailed since the second quarter against Oregon.
17. LSU scored 21 points in the third quarter tying a season high for points in a quarter. LSU also scored 21 in the second quarter against Northwestern State.
18. LSU recorded a season-high six sacks against Auburn, the most since posting six in a 27-3 win at Vanderbilt on Sept. 11, 2010.
19. LSU scored on six straight possessions in the second and third quarters before punting in the fourth quarter.

Individual Notes

20. QB **Jarrett Lee** now owns a 13-4 record as a starter during his career.
 - a. **Lee** threw two touchdown passes today: a 46-yarder to Rueben Randle with 0:40 left in the second quarter and a 10-yarder to Russell Shepard with 9:51 to go in the third quarter.
 - b. **Lee** has now thrown 13 touchdown passes this season and 31 for his career. His 31 TD passes is the sixth-most in school history, tying Matt Flynn (2004-07) and Alan Risher (1980-82).
 - c. **Lee** has 3,893 career passing yards, moving him past Matt Mauck for 10th place in school history. Mauck had 3,831 yards from 2001-03.
21. RB **Kenny Hilliard** notched his first career touchdown on a tough 9-yard run with 11:13 to go in the first quarter and later added another on a 1-yard run with 8:12 left in the third quarter.
 - a. **Hilliard** is the sixth different LSU player to record a rushing touchdown this season. It also marks the sixth time this season an LSU player has scored multiple rushing TDs in a game.
22. S **Derrick Bryant** recorded his first career sack with less than two minutes remaining in the first quarter, and he set a career high with five total tackles.
23. DE **Barkevious Mingo** recorded a career-high two sacks both of which came in the first quarter.
24. QB **Jordan Jefferson** fired his second touchdown pass of the season and 30th of his career on a 42-yard throw to Rueben Randle with 5:00 left in the second quarter.
 - a. **Jefferson** is now in ninth place in LSU career touchdown passes.
25. DB **Ron Brooks**, who earned the start in place of Tyrann Mathieu, picked off his second career pass and returned it 28 yards for his second career touchdown with 7:27 left in the third quarter. Both of Brooks' interceptions have resulted in touchdowns. He had a 32-yard INT return for a TD against UL-Monroe last season.
26. P **Brad Wing** has 15 punts downed inside the 20-yard line this season, eight inside the 10. He now has 11 punts of 50-plus yards after booming three over 50 against Auburn.
27. WR **Rueben Randle** finished with five catches for 106 yards and two TDs, marking the third time this season and fourth in his career that he has eclipsed 100 yards receiving in a game.
28. DE **Jermauria Rasco** recorded his first career sack late in the third quarter on a 10-yard loss by Clint Moseley.
29. S **Craig Loston** set a career high with seven tackles and S **Eric Reid** posted a career-high tying seven tackles.

30. RB **Michael Ford** led all rushers with 82 yards, the second time this season he has led the team in rushing.