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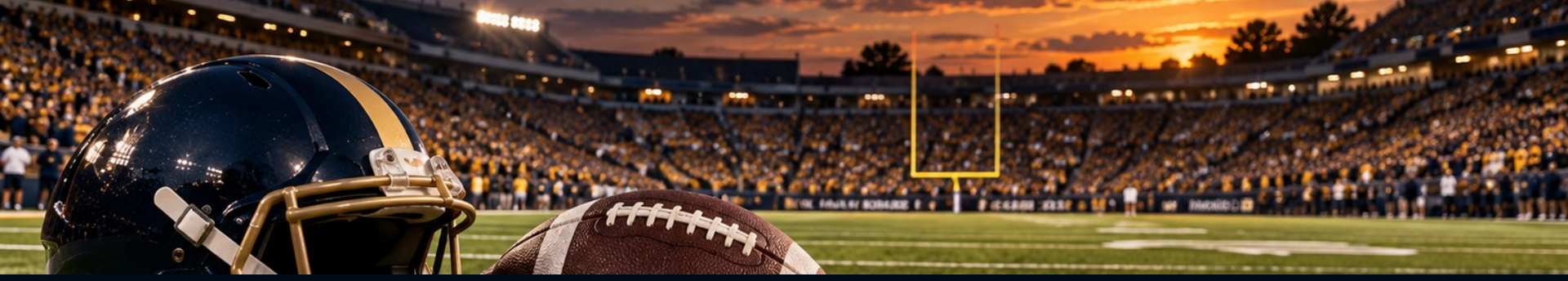

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HOW TO READ THIS PREVIEW

All 17 games involving the November 1 AP Top 25. Indiana and USC are off. Each page gives the matchup, USA/Europe kickoff, winner lean and projected score. Dates follow each time zone. Picks are editorial opinions.



NEW MEXICO AT NEVADA

Friday, November 6 | Reno, Nevada

AP No. 22 New Mexico is 7-1 after a 21-16 road win at San Jose State. Nevada fell to 3-5 after losing 27-0 at UCLA. Friday opens our ranked-team slate with a visitor carrying the stronger recent defensive result and a host trying to restore its offense.

KICKOFF & US COVERAGE: CBS SPORTS NETWORK

USA Eastern (EST)	USA Pacific (PST)	UK (GMT)	Central Europe (CET)
Fri, Nov 6 21:00	Fri, Nov 6 18:00	Sat, Nov 7 02:00	Sat, Nov 7 03:00

WHY THIS WINNER LEAN

New Mexico turned all three red-zone visits into touchdowns at San Jose State, while its defense repeatedly limited short-field damage. That supports a road lean built on finishing drives. Nevada's immediate task is to avoid the giveaways that helped UCLA establish control; a cleaner first quarter would keep the Lobos from dictating every possession.

HOW THE OTHER SIDE CAN WIN

Nevada's clearest route is a low-turnover game with sustained rushing drives and fewer short fields. New Mexico won despite mistakes last week, so the ranking alone does not establish a large margin. If the Lobos keep handing over possession, the home team can turn this into a one-score contest.

EDITORIAL PICK & PROJECTED SCORE

WINNER LEAN: NEW MEXICO | PROJECTED SCORE: New Mexico 27 - Nevada 17
Conviction: Moderate. The score is a forecast, not a result.

Watch red-zone conversion: three field goals cannot substitute for three touchdowns in a close game.

Sources: [1] [2] [5] [7]

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TCU AT ARIZONA

Friday, November 6 | Tucson, Arizona

AP No. 24 Arizona returns home at 6-2 after a 34-26 loss at Texas Tech. The Wildcats led that game at halftime before the Red Raiders recovered. This Friday kickoff is 20:15 in Arizona, 22:15 EST, and early Saturday in Europe.

KICKOFF & US COVERAGE: ESPN

USA Eastern (EST)	USA Pacific (PST)	UK (GMT)	Central Europe (CET)
Fri, Nov 6 22:15	Fri, Nov 6 19:15	Sat, Nov 7 03:15	Sat, Nov 7 04:15

WHY THIS WINNER LEAN

Our home lean asks Arizona to convert competitive early play into a more complete second half. Holding a lead requires productive possessions after the interval, rather than assuming an early advantage will survive. The recent result suggests a team capable of competing with a ranked opponent, while also exposing the cost of letting that opponent dictate the closing phase.

HOW THE OTHER SIDE CAN WIN

TCU can overturn the pick by forcing Arizona into passing situations where protection and late-down execution become harder. A fast start would make the home team chase the game and reduce the value of the venue. We would narrow the projected margin if Arizona cannot sustain drives after its initial scripted series.

EDITORIAL PICK & PROJECTED SCORE

WINNER LEAN: ARIZONA | PROJECTED SCORE: TCU 24 - Arizona 31
Conviction: Moderate. The score is a forecast, not a result.

The useful test is Arizona's first two possessions after halftime, not just its opening-quarter energy.

Sources: [1] [2] [6] [23]

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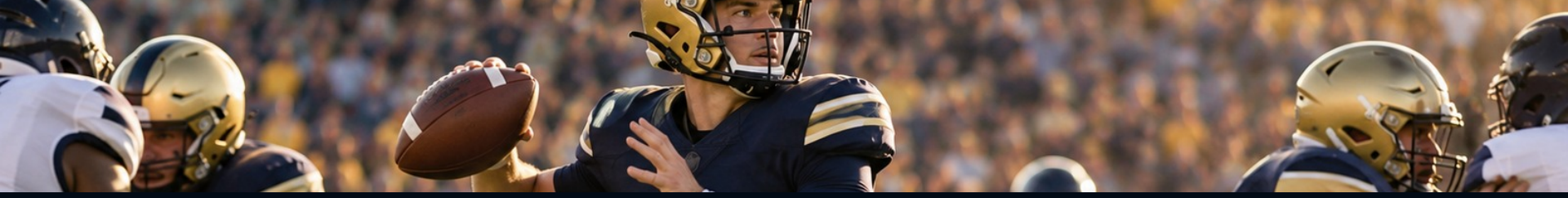

UCLA AT MINNESOTA

Saturday, November 7 | Minneapolis, Minnesota

AP No. 5 UCLA is 8-0 following a 27-0 shutout of Nevada. The Bruins allowed 176 total yards and intercepted four passes. Minnesota provides a road test with a different setting; last week's turnover haul is evidence of disruption, not a number to assume will repeat.

KICKOFF & US COVERAGE: FOX

USA Eastern (EST)	USA Pacific (PST)	UK (GMT)	Central Europe (CET)
Sat, Nov 7 12:00	Sat, Nov 7 09:00	Sat, Nov 7 17:00	Sat, Nov 7 18:00

WHY THIS WINNER LEAN

UCLA's winning route starts with making Minnesota earn long drives. If the defense can create difficult third downs without surrendering easy explosive gains, the offense can play a measured game. The Bruins' latest performance supplies a stronger argument for a controlled road win than for an automatic offensive blowout.

HOW THE OTHER SIDE CAN WIN

Minnesota needs to keep the ball out of trouble, take useful gains on early downs and make UCLA finish drives against a set defense. The danger for the visitor is a tight fourth quarter in which one special-teams error or failed scoring possession reverses the advantage. Our four-point margin deliberately leaves that possibility open.

EDITORIAL PICK & PROJECTED SCORE

WINNER LEAN: UCLA | PROJECTED SCORE: UCLA 24 - Minnesota 20
Conviction: Moderate. The score is a forecast, not a result.

Compare UCLA's ordinary defensive stops with its takeaway plays; the former are the more repeatable foundation.

Sources: [1] [2] [7]

Research snapshot: November 2, 2026



TEXAS AT MISSOURI

Saturday, November 7 | Columbia, Missouri

AP No. 10 Texas and No. 19 Missouri both enter at 6-2. Texas beat Mississippi State 31-3 on October 31, delivering a convincing immediate response before this road game. The same overall record and Missouri's home setting argue against treating the ranking gap as a comfortable forecast.

KICKOFF & US COVERAGE: ESPN

USA Eastern (EST)	USA Pacific (PST)	UK (GMT)	Central Europe (CET)
Sat, Nov 7 12:00	Sat, Nov 7 09:00	Sat, Nov 7 17:00	Sat, Nov 7 18:00

WHY THIS WINNER LEAN

Texas is the narrow selection because the latest result supports a plan built around controlling the middle of the game and preventing cheap points. The Longhorns need usable field position, clean protection and touchdowns when they cross into scoring range. A road performance that keeps the game orderly would make their recent defensive result relevant.

HOW THE OTHER SIDE CAN WIN

Missouri can reverse the call by extending drives and forcing Texas to play from behind. A home lead would make every empty visiting possession more expensive. The projected three-point separation also means a single red-zone mistake or coverage breakdown can change the winner; the exact score is a low-conviction opinion.

EDITORIAL PICK & PROJECTED SCORE

WINNER LEAN: TEXAS | PROJECTED SCORE: Texas 27 - Missouri 24
Conviction: Low. The score is a forecast, not a result.

Watch the value of scoring chances: a field-goal-only afternoon would leave Texas exposed to the home upset.

Sources: [1] [3] [8]

Research snapshot: November 2, 2026



BYU AT UTAH

Saturday, November 7 | Salt Lake City, Utah

AP No. 3 Utah is 8-0 after beating Cincinnati 49-25. No. 7 BYU is 7-1 following a 27-20 win over Arizona State. Utah built a 42-6 halftime lead last week; BYU recorded six sacks, all before halftime. Both results offer a specific strength to test in this rivalry.

KICKOFF & US COVERAGE: ABC

USA Eastern (EST)	USA Pacific (PST)	UK (GMT)	Central Europe (CET)
Sat, Nov 7 12:00	Sat, Nov 7 09:00	Sat, Nov 7 17:00	Sat, Nov 7 18:00

WHY THIS WINNER LEAN

Utah is the pick because its latest offense generated both sustained drives and a substantial ground contribution: 268 rushing yards. At home, the Utes can make BYU defend the full width of the field while protecting their quarterback from the pass rush that damaged Arizona State. A balanced early-down game is more valuable here than chasing another huge halftime score.

HOW THE OTHER SIDE CAN WIN

BYU's route is pressure without losing discipline against the run. Its six-sack performance is a real warning for Utah, but the Cougars must also keep their offense on schedule after their own difficult stretches against ASU. A takeaway that creates a short field could offset the home advantage quickly.

EDITORIAL PICK & PROJECTED SCORE

WINNER LEAN: UTAH | PROJECTED SCORE: BYU 24 - Utah 31
Conviction: Moderate. The score is a forecast, not a result.

The central contest is BYU's pressure against Utah's ability to run efficiently and avoid obvious passing downs.

Sources: [1] [2] [9] [10]

Research snapshot: November 2, 2026



TEXAS A&M AT SOUTH CAROLINA

Saturday, November 7 | Columbia, South Carolina

AP No. 23 South Carolina is 5-3 after a 42-25 victory at Oklahoma. The Gamecocks produced 521 yards despite throwing three interceptions. Texas A&M's latest completed game was a 31-20 loss at Alabama on October 24, with the Aggies shut out in the fourth quarter.

KICKOFF & US COVERAGE: ESPN

USA Eastern (EST)	USA Pacific (PST)	UK (GMT)	Central Europe (CET)
Sat, Nov 7 15:00	Sat, Nov 7 12:00	Sat, Nov 7 20:00	Sat, Nov 7 21:00

WHY THIS WINNER LEAN

South Carolina gets the home lean on the strength of a recent offense that moved the ball even through mistakes. The desirable version of that performance keeps the production while removing the free possessions. A&M must prevent the Gamecocks from building the kind of extended surge that put Oklahoma under sustained pressure.

HOW THE OTHER SIDE CAN WIN

The Aggies can turn the game by making South Carolina pay for giveaways and retaining their offense late in the contest. Alabama held A&M to 15 fourth-quarter yards in the latest outing; another finish like that would leave too much work for the defense. A stronger closing phase would substantially narrow this forecast.

EDITORIAL PICK & PROJECTED SCORE

WINNER LEAN: SOUTH CAROLINA | PROJECTED SCORE: Texas A&M 24 - South Carolina 31
Conviction: Moderate. The score is a forecast, not a result.

Track South Carolina's ball security alongside its yardage; production and giveaways pointed in opposite directions last week.

Sources: [1] [3] [11] [22]

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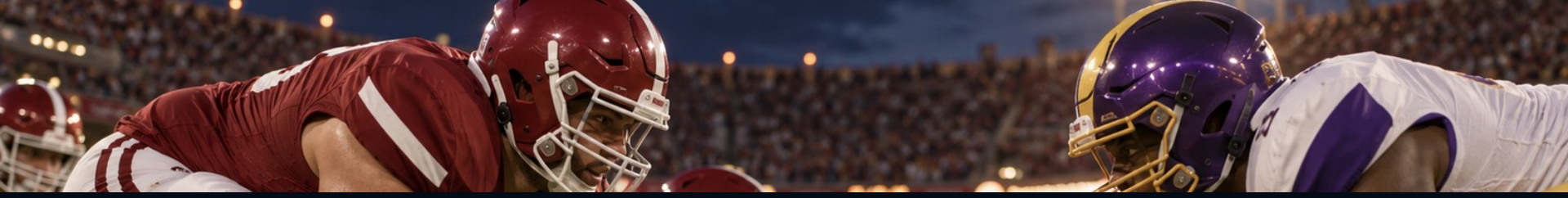

ALABAMA AT LSU

Saturday, November 7 | Baton Rouge, Louisiana

AP No. 9 Alabama and No. 15 LSU both stand at 6-2. Alabama's most recent game was its October 24 win over Texas A&M, 31-20. Keelon Russell threw for 311 yards and three touchdowns, while the Tide won the final quarter 14-0.

KICKOFF & US COVERAGE: ABC

USA Eastern (EST)	USA Pacific (PST)	UK (GMT)	Central Europe (CET)
Sat, Nov 7 15:30	Sat, Nov 7 12:30	Sat, Nov 7 20:30	Sat, Nov 7 21:30

WHY THIS WINNER LEAN

Our narrow Alabama lean rests on a passing game that recently created productive finishes, rather than a belief that the visitors can control Baton Rouge without resistance. The Tide need protection that allows Russell to work through a drive and avoid making the entire offense depend on a few contested throws.

HOW THE OTHER SIDE CAN WIN

LSU's home route is to disrupt that passing rhythm and turn the game into a sequence of difficult late downs. Long possessions would also reduce Alabama's opportunities to reproduce its recent closing surge. With both teams carrying two losses, the margin for an incomplete performance is thin; this is a low-conviction road pick.

EDITORIAL PICK & PROJECTED SCORE

WINNER LEAN: ALABAMA | PROJECTED SCORE: Alabama 31 - LSU 27
Conviction: Low. The score is a forecast, not a result.

Watch whether Alabama can create ordinary, repeatable completions before requiring the difficult third-down throw.

Sources: [1] [3] [11]

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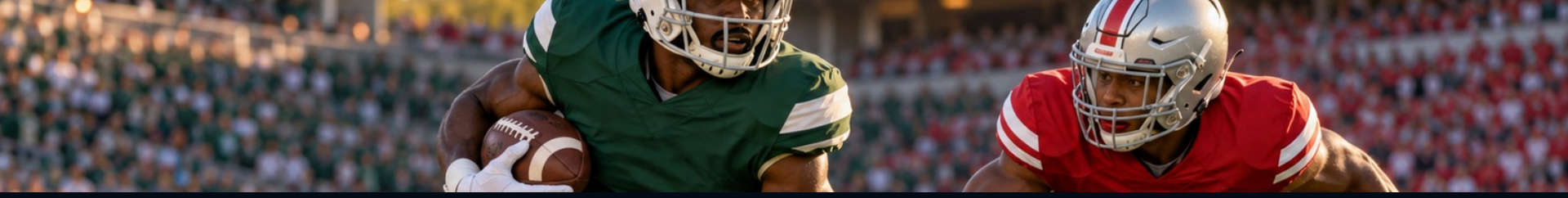

OREGON AT OHIO STATE

Saturday, November 7 | Columbus, Ohio

AP No. 11 Ohio State is 6-2 after a 30-18 defeat at USC. The official schedule shows the Buckeyes 4-0 at home and 2-2 away. Oregon is unranked in the November 1 AP poll, but a return to Columbus still demands a football response rather than a reputational one.

KICKOFF & US COVERAGE: CBS / PARAMOUNT+

USA Eastern (EST)	USA Pacific (PST)	UK (GMT)	Central Europe (CET)
Sat, Nov 7 15:30	Sat, Nov 7 12:30	Sat, Nov 7 20:30	Sat, Nov 7 21:30

WHY THIS WINNER LEAN

Ohio State is the selection because a home reset offers a practical route back to more controlled possessions. The Buckeyes need to avoid an early deficit that makes every drive a recovery attempt. The latest defeat is a reason to reduce certainty, while the home record offers a separate, limited piece of supporting evidence.

HOW THE OTHER SIDE CAN WIN

Oregon can challenge the pick by creating pressure without surrendering easy escapes and forcing Ohio State to earn its way down the field. If the visitors establish a lead and keep the game on a long field, the emotional appeal of a rebound can disappear quickly. Our margin assumes a cleaner Ohio State start.

EDITORIAL PICK & PROJECTED SCORE

WINNER LEAN: OHIO STATE | PROJECTED SCORE: Oregon 24 - Ohio State 31
Conviction: Moderate. The score is a forecast, not a result.

The first-half score pattern matters: an immediate home response is more informative than the pregame rebound narrative.

Sources: [1] [2] [12]

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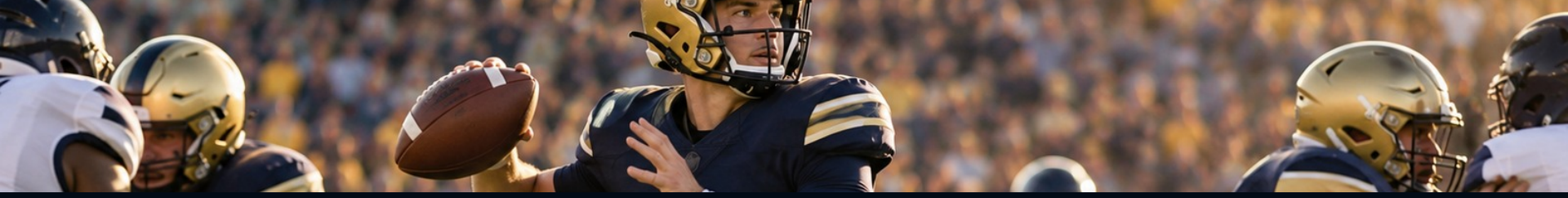

MERRIMACK AT WAKE FOREST

Saturday, November 7 | Winston-Salem, North Carolina

AP No. 14 Wake Forest is 7-1 after routing Virginia 51-7 for a fifth straight win. The Demon Deacons produced 538 total yards, including 309 rushing. Merrimack visits for a non-conference homecoming game, giving Wake a clear opportunity to maintain its momentum.

KICKOFF & US COVERAGE: ACC NETWORK

USA Eastern (EST)	USA Pacific (PST)	UK (GMT)	Central Europe (CET)
Sat, Nov 7 15:30	Sat, Nov 7 12:30	Sat, Nov 7 20:30	Sat, Nov 7 21:30

WHY THIS WINNER LEAN

Wake Forest is the strongest winner lean on this card. The recent production supports a straightforward approach: establish the run, protect possession and force the visitor to sustain complete drives. The goal is to create separation through normal execution rather than require an unusually aggressive plan to manufacture points.

HOW THE OTHER SIDE CAN WIN

Merrimack needs to slow the number of possessions, prevent long rushing gains and force Wake to spend several snaps on each scoring drive. Turnovers or special-teams swings could delay the separation. Even with a strong winner preference, the eventual margin is sensitive to substitutions and the game state after halftime.

EDITORIAL PICK & PROJECTED SCORE

WINNER LEAN: WAKE FOREST | PROJECTED SCORE: Merrimack 7 - Wake Forest 48
Conviction: Stronger winner lean. The score is a forecast, not a result.

Judge the favourite by its early-down execution; late scoring after substitutions can distort the final margin.

Sources: [1] [4] [13]

Research snapshot: November 2, 2026



CINCINNATI AT HOUSTON

Saturday, November 7 | Houston, Texas

AP No. 17 Houston is 6-2 after an open weekend following its 21-13 loss at Utah on October 24. Cincinnati fell to 5-3 with a 49-25 loss to the same opponent on October 31. Houston's schedule lists a 4-0 home record.

KICKOFF & US COVERAGE: FOX

USA Eastern (EST)	USA Pacific (PST)	UK (GMT)	Central Europe (CET)
Sat, Nov 7 15:30	Sat, Nov 7 12:30	Sat, Nov 7 20:30	Sat, Nov 7 21:30

WHY THIS WINNER LEAN

Houston is the lean because rest, venue and a closer recent contest against Utah provide a reasonable starting case. The shared opponent is a comparison to examine, not a transitive prediction. The Cougars still need to turn productive drives into touchdowns rather than ask their defense to protect an unnecessarily small advantage.

HOW THE OTHER SIDE CAN WIN

Cincinnati's task is to avoid the early collapse that produced a 42-6 halftime deficit against Utah. A competitive first half would make the late-game picture very different from last week. If the Bearcats protect possession and prevent easy scores, Houston's home record alone cannot settle the matchup.

EDITORIAL PICK & PROJECTED SCORE

WINNER LEAN: HOUSTON | PROJECTED SCORE: Cincinnati 24 - Houston 30
Conviction: Moderate. The score is a forecast, not a result.

Compare the first half before the final yardage totals; Cincinnati's latest score was shaped by a very early deficit.

Sources: [1] [2] [9] [14]

Research snapshot: November 2, 2026



BOISE STATE AT COLORADO STATE

Saturday, November 7 | Fort Collins, Colorado

AP No. 20 Boise State is 7-1 after a 46-45 win over Texas State. Maddux Madsen left with an injury, and backup Max Cutforth threw three late touchdown passes. This guide does not assume Madsen is cleared for Colorado State.

KICKOFF & US COVERAGE: USA NETWORK

USA Eastern (EST)	USA Pacific (PST)	UK (GMT)	Central Europe (CET)
Sat, Nov 7 18:00	Sat, Nov 7 15:00	Sat, Nov 7 23:00	Sun, Nov 8 00:00

WHY THIS WINNER LEAN

The narrow Boise lean recognises a team that found a winning response after losing a 28-3 halftime lead. It also recognises the limitations of that evidence: the defense surrendered a major second-half surge, and the quarterback plan now requires confirmation. The projected score is conditional on a workable passing plan, whether led by Madsen or Cutforth.

HOW THE OTHER SIDE CAN WIN

Colorado State can reverse the forecast by testing Boise's coverage early and forcing the visiting quarterback to operate from difficult downs. The Rams should not need a dramatic comeback if they can prevent Boise from building an initial cushion. Confirmed limitations at quarterback would reduce the already low conviction in this road selection.

EDITORIAL PICK & PROJECTED SCORE

WINNER LEAN: BOISE STATE | PROJECTED SCORE: Boise State 31 - Colorado State 27
Conviction: Low; quarterback status unresolved. The score is a forecast, not a result.

The key pregame update is Boise's quarterback availability and preparation; do not quietly assume a full-strength return.

Sources: [1] [2] [15]

Research snapshot: November 2, 2026



KENTUCKY AT TENNESSEE

Saturday, November 7 | Knoxville, Tennessee

AP No. 8 Kentucky is 7-1; No. 16 Tennessee is 6-2. Both had October 31 off. Kentucky last beat Vanderbilt 34-17 and allowed only 15 net rushing yards. Tennessee's latest game was a 27-24 road loss at South Carolina.

KICKOFF & US COVERAGE: ESPN

USA Eastern (EST)	USA Pacific (PST)	UK (GMT)	Central Europe (CET)
Sat, Nov 7 18:15	Sat, Nov 7 15:15	Sat, Nov 7 23:15	Sun, Nov 8 00:15

WHY THIS WINNER LEAN

Tennessee is our home upset lean, with low conviction. The route requires a patient offense that refuses to make Kentucky's recent run defense the only problem it must solve. Short completions, protection and efficient scoring possessions would let the Volunteers make the game a complete offensive test instead of a series of predictable rushing attempts.

HOW THE OTHER SIDE CAN WIN

Kentucky can make the ranking order hold by repeating its early-down defensive discipline and controlling possession. The Wildcats have won six straight, so this selection needs an actual Tennessee improvement rather than an assumption that the home crowd erases form. Repeated stalled drives would move the lean toward the visitor.

EDITORIAL PICK & PROJECTED SCORE

WINNER LEAN: TENNESSEE | PROJECTED SCORE: Kentucky 27 - Tennessee 30
Conviction: Low. The score is a forecast, not a result.

Watch Tennessee's answers when the conventional run is contained; that is the central reason this upset pick is fragile.

Sources: [1] [3] [16] [17]

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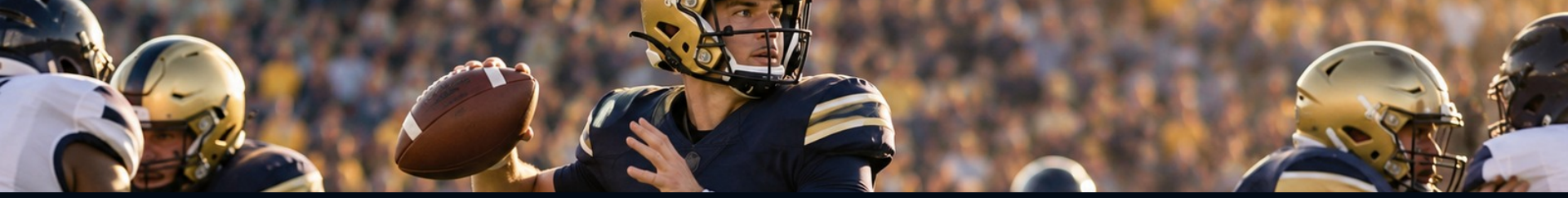

IOWA AT NORTHWESTERN

Saturday, November 7 | Evanston, Illinois

AP No. 21 Iowa is 6-2 after shutting out Wisconsin 30-0. Northwestern's official schedule also lists a 6-2 record and confirms a 6:30 p.m. Central kickoff at Ryan Field. This is a much tighter road assessment than Iowa's latest winning margin suggests.

KICKOFF & US COVERAGE: FOX

USA Eastern (EST)	USA Pacific (PST)	UK (GMT)	Central Europe (CET)
Sat, Nov 7 19:30	Sat, Nov 7 16:30	Sun, Nov 8 00:30	Sun, Nov 8 01:30

WHY THIS WINNER LEAN

Iowa gets the narrow lean after Hank Brown completed 20 of 24 passes for 222 yards and two touchdowns against Wisconsin. That recent efficiency offers an avenue beyond simply waiting for defensive mistakes. The Hawkeyes need to preserve it against a home opponent with the same overall record.

HOW THE OTHER SIDE CAN WIN

Northwestern can reverse the pick by forcing Iowa to play longer, more difficult possessions and denying the short fields that make a defensive performance look decisive on the scoreboard. In a projected three-point game, a missed kick or lost possession is enough to change the winner. The exact score has particularly low conviction.

EDITORIAL PICK & PROJECTED SCORE

WINNER LEAN: IOWA | PROJECTED SCORE: Iowa 23 - Northwestern 20
Conviction: Low. The score is a forecast, not a result.

Keep an eye on Iowa's passing efficiency when an easy early-down completion is unavailable.

Sources: [1] [2] [18] [24]

Research snapshot: November 2, 2026



MIAMI AT NOTRE DAME

Saturday, November 7 | Notre Dame, Indiana

AP No. 1 Miami is 8-0 after surviving North Carolina 38-35. No. 4 Notre Dame is 7-1 following a 35-13 win over Navy. The Hurricanes' undefeated record meets a home challenger with a credible recent defensive response.

KICKOFF & US COVERAGE: NBC / PEACOCK

USA Eastern (EST)	USA Pacific (PST)	UK (GMT)	Central Europe (CET)
Sat, Nov 7 19:30	Sat, Nov 7 16:30	Sun, Nov 8 00:30	Sun, Nov 8 01:30

WHY THIS WINNER LEAN

Notre Dame is our narrow upset selection. Miami moved the ball effectively at North Carolina, with Darian Mensah throwing for 274 yards and three touchdowns, but it also conceded 35 points. The Irish need to turn that defensive vulnerability into sustained scoring rather than rely on the top-ranked visitor to make an unforced mistake.

HOW THE OTHER SIDE CAN WIN

Miami can keep the unbeaten season intact by protecting Mensah and finishing possessions as efficiently as it did late in Chapel Hill. Notre Dame held Navy to 56 second-half yards, but a different offensive structure means that number cannot simply be carried over. A clean Miami performance could easily reverse this low-conviction call.

EDITORIAL PICK & PROJECTED SCORE

WINNER LEAN: NOTRE DAME | PROJECTED SCORE: Miami 31 - Notre Dame 34
Conviction: Low. The score is a forecast, not a result.

The decisive comparison is Miami's passing efficiency against Notre Dame's ability to force a genuine stop, not merely trade scores.

Sources: [1] [4] [19] [20]

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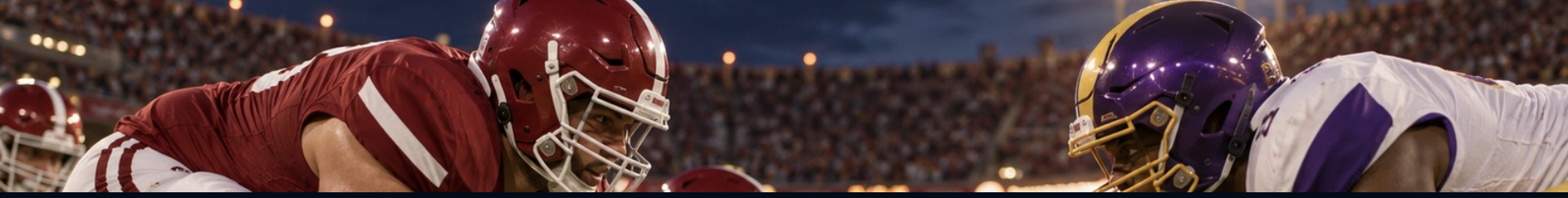

GEORGIA AT OLE MISS

Saturday, November 7 | Oxford, Mississippi

AP No. 2 Georgia is 7-1; No. 12 Ole Miss is 6-2. Georgia beat Florida 27-8 on October 31, forcing four turnovers and turning them into 17 points. Oxford now presents a road test where that takeaway advantage cannot be treated as a guaranteed repeat.

KICKOFF & US COVERAGE: ABC

USA Eastern (EST)	USA Pacific (PST)	UK (GMT)	Central Europe (CET)
Sat, Nov 7 19:30	Sat, Nov 7 16:30	Sun, Nov 8 00:30	Sun, Nov 8 01:30

WHY THIS WINNER LEAN

Georgia is the lean because its latest defense created separation while the offense supplied 217 rushing yards. The preferred road approach is to maintain that physical foundation without needing another large turnover contribution. Sustained possessions would keep the game from becoming a contest decided entirely by quick scoring exchanges.

HOW THE OTHER SIDE CAN WIN

Ole Miss can overturn the selection by protecting the ball and making Georgia produce touchdowns from full-field drives. The Florida result contained a major defensive scoring contribution; remove that assistance and the Bulldogs must win a different kind of game. Our three-point margin reflects that risk and the home setting.

EDITORIAL PICK & PROJECTED SCORE

WINNER LEAN: GEORGIA | PROJECTED SCORE: Georgia 30 - Ole Miss 27
Conviction: Low. The score is a forecast, not a result.

Separate points created by takeaways from points earned through ordinary drives when evaluating Georgia's latest score.

Sources: [1] [3] [21]

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OKLAHOMA AT FLORIDA

Saturday, November 7 | Gainesville, Florida

AP No. 25 Florida is 5-3 after losing to Georgia 27-8. Oklahoma is 4-4 following a 42-25 defeat against South Carolina. Both need a response, and neither latest result supports a comfortable forecast.

KICKOFF & US COVERAGE: SEC NETWORK

USA Eastern (EST)	USA Pacific (PST)	UK (GMT)	Central Europe (CET)
Sat, Nov 7 19:45	Sat, Nov 7 16:45	Sun, Nov 8 00:45	Sun, Nov 8 01:45

WHY THIS WINNER LEAN

Florida is a small home lean. The Gators must rebuild a ground game that managed only 48 yards against Georgia and avoid the giveaways that helped turn the rivalry game against them. The selection asks for a cleaner offensive structure and a competitive first half, not an assumption that a change of opponent fixes everything.

HOW THE OTHER SIDE CAN WIN

Oklahoma made three interceptions against South Carolina but still allowed 521 total yards. Takeaways alone were not enough. The Sooners' route in Gainesville is to keep Florida behind schedule without giving back large gains between disruptive plays. A cleaner defensive performance could turn this three-point projection into a visiting win.

EDITORIAL PICK & PROJECTED SCORE

WINNER LEAN: FLORIDA | PROJECTED SCORE: Oklahoma 24 - Florida 27
Conviction: Low. The score is a forecast, not a result.

The useful test is possession quality between turnovers: both teams need more than one isolated momentum play.

Sources: [1] [3] [21] [22]

Research snapshot: November 2, 2026



WEST VIRGINIA AT TEXAS TECH

Saturday, November 7 | Lubbock, Texas

AP No. 13 Texas Tech is 7-1 after a 34-26 comeback win over Arizona. The Red Raiders have won 13 straight home games, matching their programme record, and can establish a new mark against West Virginia. Late Saturday in the USA means early Sunday in Europe.

KICKOFF & US COVERAGE: ESPN

USA Eastern (EST)	USA Pacific (PST)	UK (GMT)	Central Europe (CET)
Sat, Nov 7 21:30	Sat, Nov 7 18:30	Sun, Nov 8 02:30	Sun, Nov 8 03:30

WHY THIS WINNER LEAN

Texas Tech is the home selection because the venue record and latest second-half recovery provide complementary evidence. The objective is an earlier start this time: turn opening possessions into points and avoid making another comeback necessary. A lead would force West Virginia to balance its normal plan against the need to score more quickly.

HOW THE OTHER SIDE CAN WIN

West Virginia can resist the projected margin by keeping the game on a long field and stopping Tech from stringing together scoring drives. Arizona showed that a visitor can establish a halftime lead in Lubbock. That does not predict a repeat, but it is a useful reminder that the home streak has not removed every vulnerability.

EDITORIAL PICK & PROJECTED SCORE

WINNER LEAN: TEXAS TECH | PROJECTED SCORE: West Virginia 20 - Texas Tech 38
Conviction: Moderate. The score is a forecast, not a result.

Watch whether Tech controls the game before halftime; a repeated slow start would weaken the large-margin projection.

Sources: [1] [2] [23]

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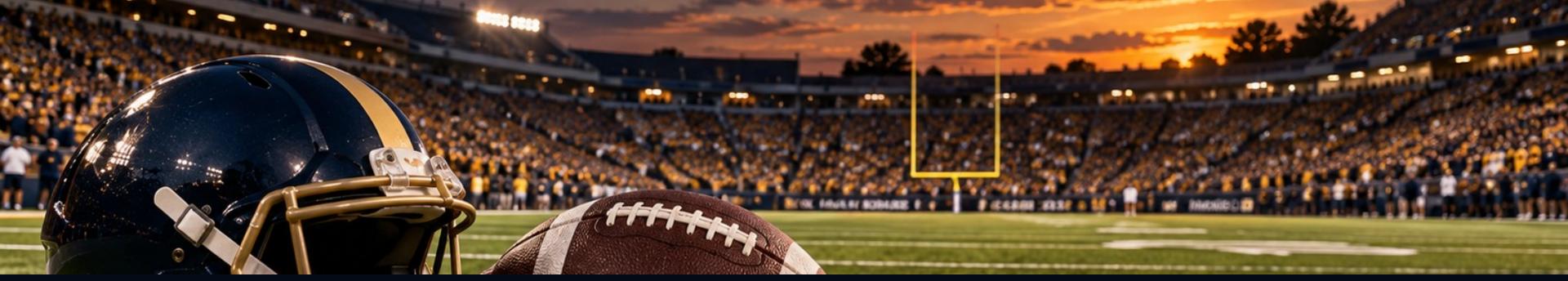

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