2017 COLORADO BUFFALO FOOTBALL

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COLORADO vs. SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA



OFFICIAL STATISTICS & PLAY-BY-PLAY

November 11, 2017 / Folsom Field, Boulder

| Score-By-Quarters | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | Final |
|--------------------|---|----|----|----|--------|
| USC Trojans | 0 | 20 | 10 | 8 | 38 |
| Colorado Buffaloes | 0 | 0 | 14 | 10 | 24 |

| Team | Scoring Play (Drive/Notes) | Score | Time | Qtr |
|-----------------------|---|-------------|--------------|------------|
| Southern | California — Michael Pittman 10 pass from Sam Darnold (Chase McGrath kick) | 0- 7 | 11:59 | 2Q |
| Drive : 8 play | ys, 60 yards, 2:43. KEY PLAYS—Darnold 30 pass to Mitchell to C26; Darnold 10 pass to Pittman to C15 on 3rd-&-9 (SC: 4th c | down stop t | o gain posse | ession) |
| Southern | California — Deonta Burnett 18 pass from Sam Darnold (Chase McGrath kick) | 0-14 | 7:51 | 2Q |
| Drive: 7 play | ys, 69 yards, 3:17. KEY PLAYS—R. Jones 4 run to SC44 on 4th & 1; Darnold 29 & 24 passes to Vaughns to C27 & C3, respec | tively | | |
| Southern | California — Ajene Harris 34 interception return (kick failed) | 0-20 | 0:19 | 2 Q |
| Southern | California — Sam Darnold 24 run (Chase McGrath kick) | 0-27 | 9:14 | 3Q |
| Drive : 6 play | ys, 78 yards, 2:32. KEY PLAYS—Darnold 13 pass to Vaughns to SC35; Darnold 37 pass to Burnett to C29 | | | |
| COLORAD | 00 – Juwann Winfree 79 pass from Steven Montez (James Stefanou kick) | 7-27 | 8:34 | 3Q |
| Drive: 2 play | ys, 82 yards, 0:35. NOTE—Longest play from scrimmage this season for Colorado | | | |
| COLORAD | 00 – Phillip Lindsay 1 run (James Stefanou kick) | 14-27 | 5:30 | 3Q |
| Drive: 3 play | ys, 1 yard, 0:53. KEY PLAY—Landman block of USC punt; Landman/Trego return to SC1 | | | |
| Southern | California – Chase McGrath 26 FG | 14-30 | 2:15 | 3Q |
| Drive : 7 play | ys, 57 yards, 3:09 (one def, penalty). KEY PLAYS—Darnold 15 run to C50 (plus holding penalty to C40); Jones 25 run to C10 | | | |
| COLORAD | 00 — James Stefanou 39 FG | 17-30 | 12:42 | 4Q |
| Drive: 11 pla | ays, 48 yards, 4:22. KEY PLAYS—Montez 12 pass to Shenault to C42; Montez 19 run to SC39; Montez 11 pass to Bobo to SC | 28 | | |
| Southern | California – Ronald Jones 22 run (Erik Krommenhoek pass from Sam Darnold) | 17-38 | 8:56 | 4Q |
| Drive : 8 play | ys, 72 yards, 3:40. KEY PLAYS—Darnold 15 pass to Mitchell to C48; Darnold 26 pass to Mitchell to C22 | | | |
| COLORAD | 00 – Juwann Winfree 57 pass from Steven Montez (James Stefanou kick) | 24-38 | 7:35 | 4Q |
| Drive: 4 play | ys, 75 yards, 1:21. KEY PLAYS—CU gained 8 yards on both first down plays and then converted on the pair of 2nd-&2's | | | |
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OFFICIALS (Pac-12): Terry Leyden *(referee)*, Mike Stephens *(umpire)*, Rod Ammari *(head linesman)*, Michael Feldman *(line judge)*, Gary Reed *(side judge)*, Shane Standley *(field judge)*, Steve Steichen *(back judge)*, Doug Wilson *(center judge)*, David Lambros *(replay official)*.

WEATHER 59 degrees, mostly sunny skies, 31% humidity, winds from the northeast at 3 mph

TIME OF GAME Kickoff 2:05 p.m. End 5:40 p.m. Elapsed Time 3:35 ATTENDANCE 49,337

Team Statistics (Final) #15 USC vs Colorado (Nov 11, 2017 at Boulder, Colo.)

| | USC | COLO |
|--------------------------------|---------|---------|
| FIRST DOWNS | 23 | 23 |
| Rushing | 9 | 7 |
| Passing | 13 | 15 |
| Penalty | 1 | 1 |
| NET YARDS RUSHING | 193 | 110 |
| Rushing Attempts | 38 | 34 |
| Average Per Rush | 5.1 | 3.2 |
| Rushing Touchdowns | 2 | 1 |
| Yards Gained Rushing | 209 | 131 |
| Yards Lost Rushing | 16 | 21 |
| NET YARDS PASSING | 329 | 376 |
| Completions-Attempts-Int | 21-34-0 | 27-49-2 |
| Average Per Attempt | 9.7 | 7.7 |
| Average Per Completion | 15.7 | 13.9 |
| Passing Touchdowns | 2 | 2 |
| TOTAL OFFENSE YARDS | 522 | 486 |
| Total offense plays | 72 | 83 |
| Average Gain Per Play | 7.2 | 5.9 |
| Fumbles: Number-Lost | 2-0 | 0-0 |
| Penalties: Number-Yards | 9-79 | 4-45 |
| PUNTS-YARDS | 4-134 | 3-134 |
| Average Yards Per Punt | 33.5 | 44.7 |
| Net Yards Per Punt | 25.2 | 41.7 |
| Inside 20 | 3 | 2 |
| 50+ Yards | 1 | 1 |
| Touchbacks | 0 | 0 |
| Fair catch | 1 | 1 |
| KICKOFFS-YARDS | 7-453 | 4-251 |
| Average Yards Per Kickoff | 64.7 | 62.8 |
| Net Yards Per Kickoff | 41.0 | 36.8 |
| Touchbacks | 4 | 2 |
| Punt returns: Number-Yards-TD | 1-9-0 | 1-33-0 |
| Average Per Return | 9.0 | 33.0 |
| Kickoff returns: Number-Yds-TD | 2-54-0 | 3-66-0 |
| Average Per Return | 27.0 | 22.0 |
| Interceptions: Number-Yds-TD | 2-35-1 | 0-0-0 |
| Fumble Returns: Number-Yds-TD | 0-0-0 | 0-0-0 |
| Miscellaneous Yards | 0 | 0 |
| Possession Time | 31:30 | 28:30 |
| 1st Quarter | 9:46 | 5:14 |
| 2nd Quarter | 6:49 | 8:11 |
| 3rd Quarter | 8:00 | 7:00 |
| 4th Quarter | 6:55 | 8:05 |
| Third-Down Conversions | 4 of 14 | 5 of 17 |
| Fourth-Down Conversions | 1 of 3 | 2 of 5 |
| Red-Zone Scores-Chances | 3-3 | 2-3 |
| Touchdowns | 2-3 | 1-3 |
| Field goals | 1-3 | 1-3 |
| Sacks By: Number-Yards | 3-11 | 1-8 |
| PAT Kicks | 3-4 | 3-3 |
| Field Goals | 1-2 | 1-3 |
| Points off turnovers | 6 | 0 |

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| Rushing | No. | Gain L | oss | Net | TD | Lg | Avg |
|-----------------|-----|--------|-----|-----|----|----|------|
| Jones, Ronald | 25 | 146 | 4 | 142 | 1 | 25 | 5.7 |
| Darnold, Sam | 3 | 39 | 8 | 31 | 1 | 24 | 10.3 |
| Malepeai, Vavae | 3 | 10 | 0 | 10 | 0 | 5 | 3.3 |
| Ware, Aca'Cedri | 2 | 7 | 0 | 7 | 0 | 7 | 3.5 |
| Greene, Jalen | 1 | 4 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 4 | 4.0 |
| Jones, Velus | 1 | 3 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 3 | 3.0 |
| TEAM | 3 | 0 | 4 | -4 | 0 | 0 | -1.3 |
| Totals | 38 | 209 | 16 | 193 | 2 | 25 | 5.1 |

| Rushing | No. | Gain l | oss | Net | TD | Lg | Avg |
|------------------|-----|--------|-----|-----|----|----|------|
| Lindsay, Phillip | 20 | 72 | 4 | 68 | 1 | 16 | 3.4 |
| Montez, Steven | 12 | 56 | 16 | 40 | 0 | 19 | 3.3 |
| Nixon, K.D. | 1 | 3 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 3 | 3.0 |
| Team | 1 | 0 | 1 | -1 | 0 | 0 | -1.0 |
| Totals | 34 | 131 | 21 | 110 | 1 | 19 | 3.2 |

| Passing | C-A-I | Yds | TD | Long | Sack |
|--------------|---------|-----|----|------|------|
| Darnold, Sam | 21-34-0 | 329 | 2 | 37 | 1 |
| Totals | 21-34-0 | 329 | 2 | 37 | 1 |

| Passing | C-A-I | Yds | TD | Long | Sack |
|----------------|---------|-----|----|------|------|
| Montez, Steven | 27-49-2 | 376 | 2 | 79 | 3 |
| Totals | 27-49-2 | 376 | 2 | 79 | 3 |

| Receiving | No. | Yards | TD | Long |
|-----------------|-----|-------|----|------|
| Burnett, Deonta | 6 | 79 | 1 | 37 |
| Vaughns, Tyler | 5 | 90 | 0 | 29 |
| Mitchell, Steve | 4 | 91 | 0 | 30 |
| Pittman, Michae | 4 | 59 | 1 | 32 |
| Jones, Ronald | 1 | 6 | 0 | 6 |
| Jones, Velus | 1 | 4 | 0 | 4 |
| Totals | 21 | 329 | 2 | 37 |

| Receiving | No. | Yards | TD | Long |
|-------------------|-----|-------|----|------|
| Bobo, Bryce | 10 | 113 | Ο | 27 |
| Winfree, Juwann | 5 | 163 | 2 | 79 |
| Ross, Devin | 5 | 40 | Ο | 14 |
| MacIntyre, Jay | 3 | 33 | 0 | 15 |
| Lindsay, Phillip | 2 | 11 | 0 | 7 |
| Shenault, Laviska | 1 | 12 | Ο | 12 |
| Fields, Shay | 1 | 4 | 0 | 4 |
| Totals | 27 | 376 | 2 | 79 |

| Punting | No. | Yds | Avg | Long | In20 | ТВ |
|-----------------|-----|-----|------|------|------|----|
| Budrovich, Reid | 3 | 134 | 44.7 | 57 | 3 | 0 |
| TEAM | 1 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Totals | 4 | 134 | 33.5 | 57 | 3 | |

| Punting | No. | Yds | Avg | Long | In20 | TB |
|--------------|-----|-----|------|------|------|----|
| Kinney, Alex | 3 | 134 | 44.7 | 52 | 2 | 0 |
| Totals | 3 | 134 | 44.7 | 52 | 2 | 0 |

| | Punt | | | | | | Intercept | | |
|----------------|------|-----|----|----|-----|----|-----------|-----|----|
| Returns | No | Yds | Lg | No | Yds | Lg | No | Yds | Lg |
| Vaughns, Tyler | 1 | 9 | 9 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Jones, Velus | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 23 | 23 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Jones, Jack | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 31 | 31 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Harris, Ajene | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 35 | 34 |
| Totals | 1 | 9 | 9 | 2 | 54 | 31 | 2 | 35 | 34 |

| | | Punt | | | | | Intercept | | |
|------------------|----|-------------|----|----|-----|----|-----------|-----|----|
| Returns | No | Yds | Lg | No | Yds | Lg | No | Yds | Lg |
| Landman, Nate | 1 | 21 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Trego, Kyle | 0 | 12 | 12 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Blackmon, Ronnie | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 48 | 28 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Nixon, K.D. | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 18 | 18 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Totals | 1 | 33 | 12 | 3 | 66 | 28 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

| Field goals | Qtr | Time | Dist | Result |
|----------------|-----|-------|----------|--------|
| McGrath, Chase | 1st | 11:21 | 40 yards | Missed |
| McGrath, Chase | 3rd | 02:13 | 26 yards | Good |

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|-----------------|-----|-------|----------|---------|--|
| Stefanou, James | 2nd | 01:40 | 47 yards | Blocked | |
| Stefanou, James | 3rd | 11:46 | 39 yards | Blocked | |
| Stefanou, James | 4th | 12:42 | 39 yards | Good | |
| | | | | | |

| Kickoffs | No. | Yards | Avg | TB | OB |
|-----------------|-----|-------|------|----|----|
| Budrovich, Reid | 7 | 453 | 64.7 | 4 | 0 |

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| Price, Davis | 4 | 251 | 62.8 | 2 | 0 | |
| | | | | | | |

| All-purpose | Run | Rcv | KR | PR | IR | Total |
|-----------------|-----|-----|----|----|----|-------|
| Jones, Ronald | 142 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 148 |
| Vaughns, Tyler | 0 | 90 | 0 | 9 | Ο | 99 |
| Mitchell, Steve | 0 | 91 | 0 | 0 | Ο | 91 |
| Burnett, Deonta | 0 | 79 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 79 |

| All-purpose | Run | Rcv | KR | PR | IR | Total |
|------------------|-----|-----|----|----|----|-------|
| Winfree, Juwann | 0 | 163 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 163 |
| Bobo, Bryce | 0 | 113 | Ο | Ο | 0 | 113 |
| Lindsay, Phillip | 68 | 11 | Ο | 0 | 0 | 79 |
| Blackmon, Ronnie | 0 | 0 | 48 | 0 | 0 | 48 |

FUMBLES: USC-Darnold, Sam 1-0; Jones, Jack 1-0. Colorado-None.

COLORADO BUFFALO FOOTBALL **DEFENSIVE STATISTICS**

vs. Southern California

| | | TAC | KLES | | | QB | I | | ı | | I | | ı | |
|---------------|----------|-----|-------------|-----|------|-------|-----|-----|-----|-----|----|----|-----|-----|
| No. Player | PLAYS | UΤ | AT | TOT | TFL | Sacks | TFZ | 3DS | QBH | QCD | FR | FF | PBU | INT |
| 1 Laguda | 73 | 5 | 3 - | - 8 | 1- 1 | | | 2 | | | | | 1 | |
| 4 Wigley | 73 | 3 | 1 - | - 4 | | | | 2 | | | | 1 | 3 | |
| 5 Frazier | 10 | 0 | 0 - | - 0 | | | | | | | | | | |
| 6 Worthington | 73 | 5 | 1 - | - 6 | | | 1 | 2 | 1 | 1 | | | | |
| 7 Fisher | 59 | 3 | 1 - | - 4 | | | | | | | | | | |
| 8 Udoffia | 34 | 3 | 0 - | - 3 | | | | 1 | | | | | 1 | |
| 9 Edwards | 43 | 2 | 0 - | - 2 | | | 1 | | | | | | | |
| 16 Mulumba | 48 | 5 | 0 - | - 5 | 1-2 | | 1 | | | 1 | | | | |
| 20 Lewis | 54 | 3 | 4 - | - 7 | | | | | | | | | | |
| 26 Oliver | 39 | 1 | 1 - | - 2 | | | | 1 | | | | | 1 | |
| 32 Gamboa | 73 | 4 | 3 - | - 7 | | | | | | | | | | |
| 52 Jackson | 64 | 5 | 1 - | - 6 | | | 1 | | | | | | | |
| 53 Landman | 19 | 2 | 1 - | - 3 | 1- 1 | | | 2 | | | | | | |
| 56 Franke | 10 | 0 | 0 - | - 0 | | | | | 1 | | | | | |
| 72 Tuiloma | 23 | 0 | 0 - | - 0 | | | | | | | | | | |
| 93 Mathewes | 16 | 1 | 1 - | - 2 | | | | | | | | | | |
| 95 McCartney | 58 | 2 | 1 - | - 3 | | | 1 | | | | | | | |
| 96 Hasselbach | 11 | 0 | 0 - | - 0 | | | | | | | | | | |
| 44 Callier | 11 | 0 | 0 - | - 0 | | | | | | | | | | |
| 2 Blackmon | 1 | 0 | 0 - | - 0 | | | | | | | | | | |
| 59 Coleman | 11 | 0 | 0 - | - 0 | | | | | | | | | | |
| Team | | | _ | - | | 1-8 | | | | | | | | |
| | | | _ | - | | | | | | | | | | |
| | PLAYS | | | | TFL | Sacks | TFZ | 3DS | QBH | QCD | FR | FF | PBU | INT |
| TOTALS | 803 | | | | 3-4 | 1-8 | 5 | 10 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 6 | 0-0 |
| C | 72+2 pt) | | | | (4- | -12) | | | | | | | | |

^{*}Fourth Down Stops (1; count included in 3DS above): Jackson/Worthington

Sacks For Zero (0).

Interceptions Caused (0): None

Touchdown Saves (2): Wigley, Worthington

Blocked Kicks (1): Landman Ejected (Targeting): None

Injured (DNP): Moeller

KEY: UT—Unassisted Tackle; AT—Assisted Tackle; TFL—Tackles For Loss; TFZ—Tackles For Zero; 3DS—Third or Fourth Down Stop; QBP—Quarterback Pressure (or hurry); QCD—Quarterback Chasedowns (not a sack, but not a first down); FR—fumble recovery; FF—forced fumble; PBU—passes broken up; INT—interceptions. Play counts do not include penalty plays unless penalty was an add-on.

SPECIAL TEAMS STATISTICS COLORADO FOOTBALL

vs. Southern California

| Kickoff Coverage (Thompson) | | | | | | | | | | | |
|-----------------------------|----------|----------|----|----|----|----|-----|-----|----|-----|----------|
| Player | UT UT/20 | AT AT/20 | FF | FR | KD | WB | FDF | FFC | CP | TDS | ROK |
| TALLEY | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | | |
| DICHADAT | 1 | | | | | | | | | | <u> </u> |

<u>BISHARAT</u> **TREGO JONES**

Punt Coverage (Thompson)

AT AT/20 FR FFC DP BLK FDF CP TDS KD **NIXON BISHARAT**

Kickoff Return (Thompson) Punt Return (Thompson) Player (CP) Player (CP) **KSD** KSD PRS BLK **BOUNDS** LANDMAN **CALLIER TREGO**

COOPER L<u>ANDMAN</u> **RAKESTRAW TALLEY**

FG/PAT Defense (Thompson /Defense—2 Pt)

Player BLK RB PRS DEX

None

FG/PAT (Thompson)

| Player | Plays |
|---------------|-------|
| PK STEFANOU | 6 |
| SN BALE | 6 |
| HLD PATTERSON | 6 |
| BOUNDS | 6 |
| FRAZIER | 6 |
| HAIGLER | 6 |

| Player | Plays |
|------------|----------|
| KAISER | <u>.</u> |
| KOUGH | 6 |
| MIDDLEMISS | 6 |
| VAUGHN | 6 |
| TONZ | 5 |
| LYNOTT | 1 |

(RK)

KEY: UT-Unassisted Tackles; UT/20-Unassisted Tackles Inside-the-20; AT-Assisted Tackles; AT/20-Assisted Tackles Inside-the-20; FF-Forced Fumbles; FR-Fumble Recoveries; KD-Knockdown Block on Punt or Kickoff Return; WB-Wedge Break; FFC-Forced Fair Catch; FDF-First Downfield (altering path of return man); DP-Downed Punt; BPR-Block or Pressure on FG/PAT; RK-Recovered Blocked Kick; DEX-Defensive Extra Point; CP-Caused Penalty; TDS-Touchdown Save; ROK-Recovered Onside Kick.

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| # USC | Solo | Ast | Total | Sacks-Yds | TFL-Yds | FF I | FR-Yds | Int-Yds | BrUp | Biks | QBH |
|--------------------|------|-----|-------|-----------|---------|------|--------|---------|------|------|-----|
| 10 Houston, John | 6 | 5 | 11 | - | 2.0-7 | - | - | - | 1 | - | - |
| 24 Langley, Isaiah | 7 | 2 | 9 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| 27 Harris, Ajene | 3 | 3 | 6 | 0.5-0 | 0.5-0 | - | - | 2-35 | 2 | - | - |
| 42 Nwosu, Uchenna | 5 | 0 | 5 | - | - | - | - | - | 2 | - | 1 |
| 37 Lopes, Matt | 5 | 0 | 5 | - | 1.0-2 | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| 4 Hawkins, Chris | 4 | 1 | 5 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| 56 Iosefa, Jordan | 4 | 0 | 4 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| 7 Tell, Marvell | 2 | 2 | 4 | 0.5-1 | 0.5-1 | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| 35 Smith, Cameron | 2 | 2 | 4 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| 44 Dorton, Malik | 2 | 1 | 3 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| 91 Pili, Brandon | 2 | 0 | 2 | - | - | - | - | - | - | 1 | - |
| 93 Jimmons, Liam | 1 | 1 | 2 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| 25 Jones, Jack | 1 | 1 | 2 | - | - | - | - | - | 1 | - | - |
| 94 Green, Rasheem | 1 | 0 | 1 | 1.0-3 | 1.0-3 | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| 89 Rector, Christi | 1 | 0 | 1 | 1.0-7 | 1.0-7 | - | - | - | - | - | 1 |
| 73 Jackson, Austin | 0 | 0 | 0 | - | - | - | - | - | - | 1 | - |
| 98 Fatu, Josh | 0 | 0 | 0 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 1 |
| Totals | 46 | 18 | 64 | 3.0-11 | 6.0-20 | 0 | 0-0 | 2-35 | 6 | 2 | 3 |

Drive Chart (By Team) (Final) The Automated ScoreBook #15 USC vs Colorado (Nov 11, 2017 at Boulder, Colo.)

| | Drive Started | | | | Drive Ended | | | ned | |
|------|---------------|------|-------|--------------|-------------|-------|-------------|----------|--------|
| Team | Qtr | Spot | Time | Obtained | Spot | Time | How lost | PI - Yds | TOP |
| USC | 1st | V25 | 15:00 | Kickoff | H22 | 11:21 | Missed FG | 9 - 53 | 3:39 |
| USC | | V07 | 09:42 | Punt | H45 | 05:02 | Downs | 9 - 48 | 4:40 |
| USC | | V19 | 03:56 | Punt | V36 | 02:29 | Punt | 4 - 17 | 1:27 |
| USC | 2nd | V40 | 14:42 | Downs | H00 | 11:59 | *TOUCHDOWN | 8 - 60 | 2:43. |
| USC | | V31 | 11:08 | Punt | H00 | 07:51 | *TOUCHDOWN | 7 - 69 | 3:17 . |
| USC | | V30 | 01:40 | Missed FG | V34 | 00:51 | Punt | 3 - 4 | 0:49 |
| USC | | H00 | 00:19 | Interception | H00 | 00:19 | *TOUCHDOWN | 0 - 0 | 0:00 |
| USC | 3rd | V22 | 11:46 | Missed FG | H00 | 09:14 | *TOUCHDOWN | 6 - 78 | 2:32 |
| USC | | V25 | 08:34 | Kickoff | V34 | 06:23 | Punt | 3 - 9 | 2:11 |
| USC | | V35 | 05:22 | Kickoff | H08 | 02:13 | *FIELD GOAL | 7 - 57 | 3:09. |
| USC | 4th | V28 | 12:36 | Kickoff | H00 | 08:56 | *TOUCHDOWN | 8 - 72 | 3:40 |
| USC | | H48 | 07:34 | Kickoff | H47 | 06:12 | Punt | 3 - 1 | 1:22 |
| USC | | H26 | 05:55 | Interception | H22 | 05:33 | Downs | 4 - 4 | 0:22 |
| USC | | V09 | 01:24 | Downs | V05 | 00:00 | End of half | 3 - (4) | 1:24 |

| | 1st | 2nd | 3rd | 4th | 1st | 2nd | | |
|------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|--|
| USC | Qtr | Qtr | Qtr | Qtr | Half | Half | Total | |
| Time of possession | 09:46 | 06:49 | 08:00 | 06:55 | 16:35 | 14:55 | 31:30 | |
| 3rd down conversions | 1-4 | 2-4 | 0-2 | 1-4 | 3-8 | 1-6 | 4-14 | |
| Average field position | V17 | V33 | V27 | V40 | V25 | V35 | V30 | |
| 4th down conversions | 0-1 | 1-1 | 0-0 | 0-1 | 1-2 | 0-1 | 1-3 | |

| | Drive Started | | | | Driv | Consum | ned | | |
|------|---------------|------|-------|-----------|------|--------|--------------|----------|--------|
| Team | Qtr | Spot | Time | Obtained | Spot | Time | How lost | PI - Yds | TOP |
| COLO | 1st | H22 | 11:21 | Missed FG | H42 | 09:42 | Punt | 5 - 20 | 1:39 |
| COLO | | H45 | 05:02 | Downs | H48 | 03:56 | Punt | 3 - 3 | 1:06 |
| COLO | | H19 | 02:29 | Punt | V40 | 14:42 | Downs | 9 - 41 | 2:47 |
| COLO | 2nd | H25 | 11:59 | Kickoff | H29 | 11:08 | Punt | 3 - 4 | 0:51 |
| COLO | | H20 | 07:46 | Kickoff | V30 | 01:40 | Missed FG | 13 - 50 | 6:06 |
| COLO | | H10 | 00:51 | Punt | H30 | 00:19 | Interception | 5 - 20 | 0:32 |
| COLO | | H25 | 00:19 | Kickoff | H24 | 00:00 | End of half | 1 - (1) | 0:19 |
| COLO | 3rd | H25 | 15:00 | Kickoff | V22 | 11:46 | Missed FG | 8 - 53 | 3:14 |
| COLO | | H18 | 09:09 | Kickoff | V00 | 08:34 | *TOUCHDOWN | 2 - 82 | 0:35 |
| COLO | | V01 | 06:23 | Punt | V00 | 05:30 | *TOUCHDOWN | 3 - 1 | 0:53. |
| COLO | | H30 | 02:04 | Kickoff | V22 | 12:42 | *FIELD GOAL | 11 - 48 | 4:22 . |
| COLO | 4th | H25 | 08:56 | Kickoff | V00 | 07:35 | *TOUCHDOWN | 4 - 75 | 1:21 |
| COLO | | H15 | 06:12 | Punt | H15 | 05:55 | Interception | 4 - 0 | 0:17 |
| COLO | | H22 | 05:33 | Downs | V08 | 01:24 | Downs | 15 - 70 | 4:09. |

| | 1st | 2nd | 3rd | 4th | 1st | 2nd | |
|------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| Colorado | Qtr | Qtr | Qtr | Qtr | Half | Half | Total |
| Time of possession | 05:14 | 08:11 | 07:00 | 08:05 | 13:25 | 15:05 | 28:30 |
| 3rd down conversions | 1-3 | 2-6 | 1-2 | 1-6 | 3-9 | 2-8 | 5-17 |
| Average field position | H28 | H20 | H43 | H20 | H23 | H33 | H28 |
| 4th down conversions | 0-0 | 0-1 | 0-0 | 2-4 | 0-1 | 2-4 | 2-5 |

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| Pos | ## | OFFENSE | Pos | ## | OFFENSE |
|-------------------------------------|----------------------------------|---|--------------------------------------|---------------------------------|--|
| WR | 2A | Vaughns, Tyler | WR | 4 | Bobo, Bryce |
| WR | 80 | Burnett, Deonta | WR | 1 | Fields, Shay |
| RT | 70 | Edoga, Chuma | WR | 2 | Ross, Devin |
| RG | 72 | Voorhees, Andre | LT | 76 | Irwin, Jeromy |
| С | 74 | Falah, Nico | LG | 68 | Kough, Gerrad |
| LG | 77 | Brown, Chris | С | 79 | Huckins, Jonathan |
| LT | 5J | Lobendahn, Toa | RG | 64 | Haigler, Aaron |
| WR | OF | Pittman, Michae | RT | 73 | Miller, Isaac |
| QB | 1D | Darnold, Sam | TE | 5 | Frazier, George |
| TE | 88 | Imatorbhebhe, D | QB | 12 | Montez, Steven |
| TB | 2E | Jones, Ronald | TB | 23 | Lindsay, Phillip |
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| Pos | ## | DEFENSE | Pos | ## | DEFENSE |
| OLB | 42 | Nwosu, Uchenna | LDE | 52 | Jackson, Leo |
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| DE | 94 | Green, Rasheem | NT | 9D | Edwards, Javier |
| DE NT | 94 98 | Green, Rasheem Fatu, Josh | NT RDE | 9D 16 | Edwards, Javier Mulumba, Chris |
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| NT | 98 | Fatu, Josh | RDE | 16 | Mulumba, Chris |
| NT OLB | 98 56 | Fatu, Josh Iosefa, Jordan | RDE OLB | 16 95 | Mulumba, Chris McCartney, Derek |
| NT OLB CB | 98 56 27 | Fatu, Josh Iosefa, Jordan Harris, Ajene | RDE OLB ILB | 16 95 20 | Mulumba, Chris McCartney, Derek Lewis, Drew |
| NT OLB CB ILB | 98 56 27 35 | Fatu, Josh Iosefa, Jordan Harris, Ajene Smith, Cameron | RDE OLB ILB ILB | 16 95 20 32 | Mulumba, Chris McCartney, Derek Lewis, Drew Gamboa, Rick |
| NT OLB CB ILB ILB | 98 56 27 35 10 | Fatu, Josh Iosefa, Jordan Harris, Ajene Smith, Cameron Houston, John | RDE OLB ILB ILB DB | 16 95 20 32 6 | Mulumba, Chris McCartney, Derek Lewis, Drew Gamboa, Rick Worthington, Evan |
| NT OLB CB ILB ILB CB | 98 56 27 35 10 24 | Fatu, Josh Iosefa, Jordan Harris, Ajene Smith, Cameron Houston, John Langley, Isaiah | RDE OLB ILB ILB DB CB | 16 95 20 32 6 26 | Mulumba, Chris McCartney, Derek Lewis, Drew Gamboa, Rick Worthington, Evan Oliver, Isaiah |

USC: OG-Carr, Stephen, OD-Mitchell, Steve, 1-Lewis, Joseph, 1J-Greene, Jalen, 2D-Russell, Jake, 2-Bolden, Bubba, 2H-Ware, Aca'Cedri, 3J-Jountti, Corbin, 4G-Peters, Reuben, 4F-Budrovich, Reid, 5F-Austin, Jordan, 8X-Applebee, Austi, 13-Jones, Levi, 14-Ross, Ykili, 18-Jones, Jalen, 23-Jones, Velus, 29-Malepeai, Vavae, 37-Lopes, Matt, 40-McGrath, Chase, 44-Dorton, Malik, 46-Schmidt, Wyatt, 48-Johnson, Damon, 63-Hemsley, Roy, 73-Jackson, Austin, 76-Johnston, Clayt, 82-Petite, Tyler, 83-Falo, Josh, 84-Krommenhoek, E, 89-Rector, Christi, 90-Murphy, Connor, 91-Pili, Brandon, 93-Jimmons, Liam, 99-Betiku, Oluwole.

Colorado: 1H-Patterson, T.J., 10-Huntley, Johnny, 1S-Graham, Chris, 2D-Blackmon, Ronnie, 3-Rakestraw, Derrion, 8-Udoffia, Trey, 8O-Shenault, Laviska, 9-Winfree, Juwann, 13-Nixon, K.D., 14-MacIntyre, Jay, 18-Walker, Lee, 19-Adkins, Michael, 21-Evans, Kyle, 22-Trego, Kyle, 28-Talley, Daniel, 35-Bisharat, Beau, 36-Jones, Akil, 37-Cooper, Lucas, 41-Bergner, Andrew, 43-Bounds, Chris, 44-Callier, Jacob, 48-Stefanou, James, 49-Price, Davis, 53-Landman, Nate, 55-Tonz, Brett, 56-Franke, Jase, 59-Coleman, Timothy, 60-Middlemiss, Dillon, 63-Bale, J.T., 72-Tuiloma, Lyle, 75-Kaiser, Josh, 77-Vaughn, Hunter, 85-Poplawski, Jared, 89-Kinney, Alex, 91-Lopez, Eddy, 93-Mathewes, Michael, 96-Hasselbach, Terran.



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S37

Montez is sacked by Green for minus-3 yards, USC takes over on downs

🥬 COLORADO BUFFALO FOOTBALL / OFFICIAL PLAY-BY-PLAY

Colorado Buffaloes (5-5, 2-5 Pac-12) vs. Southern California Trojans (8-2, 6-1 Pac-12), Folsom Field, Boulder, Colo. (November 11, 2017)

WEATHER CONDITIONS: Temperature: 59 degrees at 2 P.M. / Humidity: 31 percent / Wind: Northeast 3 mph / Skies: Mostly Sunny COIN TOSS: Colorado has won the toss and will defer to the second half. Colorado will kick off and defend the north goal. USC will defend the south goal

FIRST QUARTER

| Price t | o kickof | f for Colorado. Deep for USC is V. Jones & Jack Jones. The kickoff sails through the end zone for a touchback. | |
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| æ | SOU | THERN CALIFORNIA TROJANS (13:57) | |
| 1-10 | S25 | *Darnold. PENALTY: USC guilty of a false start (Vorhees), 5-yard penalty NO PLAY | |
| 1-15 | S20 | Darnold pass complete to Burnett on the right side for 5 yards (Lewis) | == = = = = = = = = = = = = = = = = = = |
| 2-10 1-10 | S25 C43 | Darnold pass complete to Pitman on the right sideline for 32 yards, out of bounds V. Jones rushes over right tackle for 3 yards (Wigley) | FD PASSING |
| 2-7 | C43 | R. Jones rushes over left tackle for 6 yards (Laguda, Lewis) | |
| 3-1 | C34 | R. Jones rushes over right tackle for 6 yards (Laguda) | FD RUSHING |
| 1-10 | C28 | R. Jones rushes around left end for 6 yards (Gamboa) | |
| 2-4 | C22 | R. Jones rushes to the left side for 0 yards (Mulumba) | |
| 3-4 4-4 | C22 C22 | Darnold pass incomplete, intended for Pittman on the right hash (PBU: Oliver) McGrath 40-yard field goal attempt is no good, wide left | |
| P | COL | DRADO BUFFALOES (11:21) | |
| 1-10 | C22 | *Montez. Montez shovel pass complete to Fields and runs around left end for 4 yards (Harris, Ca. Smith) | |
| 2-6 | C26 | Lindsay rushes around left end for 16 yards (Tell) | FD RUSHING |
| 1-10 | C42 | Lindsay rushes up the middle for 0 yards (losefa) | |
| 2-10 | C42 | Montez pass incomplete, intended for Bobo on the right slant (PBU: Harris) | |
| 3-10 4-10 | C42 C42 | Montez pass incomplete, intended for Bobo on the left side, dropped Kinney to punt. Vaughns and Harris to receive. Kinney punts 52 yards to the S6. Vaughns receives the fair catch. Direction characteristics are calculated by the second se | ange to S7 |
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| ર્સ | | THERN CALIFORNIA TROJANS (9:42) | |
| 1-10 | S7 | *Darnold. R Jones rushes around left end for 17 yards (Lewis, Oliver) | FD RUSHING |
| 1-10 2-7 | S24 S27 | R. Jones rushes up the middle for 3 yards (Jackson III) Darnold pass complete to Mitchell on the right side for 20 yards (Fisher, Lewis). | FD PASSING |
| 2-7 | 327 | PENALTY: USC guilty of a personal foul, late hit (Edoga) 15-yard penalty | 1 D 1 ASSING |
| 1-10 | S32 | Darnold pass complete to Pittman on the left side for 7 yards (Worthington) | |
| 2-3 | S39 | Ware rushes to the left side for 7 yards (Jackson III) | FD RUSHING |
| 1-10 | S46 | R. Jones rushes to the right side for minus-2 yards (Mulumba) | |
| 2-12 | S44 | Darnold pass complete to R. Jones on the left side for 6 yards (Worthington) | DLAV |
| 3-6 3-11 | S50 S45 | Darnold pass complete to Pittman for 4 yards (Wigley). PENALTY: USC guilty of illegal motion (Burnett), 5 -yard penalty NO Darnold pass complete to Vaughns on the left side for 10 yards (Worthington, Oliver) | PLAT |
| 4-1 | C45 | Ware rushes up the middle for 0 yards (Worthington, Edwards), Colorado takes over on downs | |
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| P | | ORADO BUFFALOES (5:02) | |
| 1-10 2-8 | C45 C47 | *Montez. Montez, on the keeper, rushes up the middle for ${f 2}$ yards (Houston) Lindsay takes the pitch and rushes to the left side for ${f 1}$ yard (Iosefa) | |
| 2-8 3-7 | C47 | Montez pass incomplete, intended for Ross, out of bounds | |
| 4-7 | C48 | Kinney to punt. Harris to receive. Kinney punts 33 yards to the S19, out of bounds | |
| ş | SOU | THERN CALIFORNIA TROJANS (3:56) | |
| 1-10 | S19 | *Darnold. Darnold pass complete to Burnett on the left side for 11 yards (Fisher) | FD PASSING |
| 1-10 | S30 | Darnold pass incomplete, intended for Vaughns deep down the middle | |
| 2-10 | S30 | R. Jones rushes around the left side for 4 yards (Gamboa) | |
| 3-4 4-4 | S36 S36 | Darnold pass incomplete, intended for Burnett on the right side (QBH: Coleman) Budrovich to punt. Blackmon to receive. Budrovich punts 45 yards to the C19, out of bounds | |
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| 110 | | ORADO BUFFALOES (2:29) | |
| 1-10 2-4 | C19 C25 | *Montez. Montez pass complete to Ross on the left side for 6 yards (Harris) Montez pass complete to Bobo over the middle for 21 yards (Langley) | FD PASSING |
| 1-10 | C46 | Montez, on the keeper, rushes over left guard for 7 yards (Houston) | I D I ASSING |
| 2-3 | S47 | Lindsay rushes around left end for 2 yards (Nwosu) | |
| 3-1 | CAE | Montez pass complete to Lindsay on the right side for 7 yards (Jack Jones) | FD PASSING |
| | S45 | | 12171001114 |
| 1-10 | S38 | Montez pass complete to Bounds for 38 yards. PENALTY: CU guilty of pass interference (Fields), 15 -yard penalty NO PLAY | |
| 1-10 | \$38 | PENALTY: USC guilty of a personal foul, unsportsmanlike conduct (Jack Jones), 15-yard penalty | FD PENALTY |
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Quickie Statistics (1st quarter) #15 USC vs Colorado (Nov 11, 2017 at Boulder, Colo.)

| | USC | COLO |
|----------------------------|--------|--------|
| Score | 0 | 0 |
| FIRST DOWNS | 6 | 4 |
| RUSHES-YARDS (NET) | 11-52 | 7-29 |
| PASSING YDS (NET) | 91 | 38 |
| Passes Att-Comp-Int | 10-7-0 | 7-4-0 |
| TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS | 21-143 | 14-67 |
| Fumble Returns-Yards | 0-0 | 0-0 |
| Punt Returns-Yards | 0-0 | 0-0 |
| Kickoff Returns-Yards | 0-0 | 0-0 |
| Interception Returns-Yards | 0-0 | 0-0 |
| Punts (Number-Avg) | 1-45.0 | 2-42.5 |
| Fumbles-Lost | 0-0 | 0-0 |
| Penalties-Yards | 4-40 | 1-15 |
| Possession Time | 09:46 | 05:14 |
| Third-Down Conversions | 1 of 4 | 1 of 3 |
| Fourth-Down Conversions | 0 of 1 | 0 of 0 |
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| USC Rushing Jones, Ronald Ware, Aca'Cedric Jones, Velus | No. Gain Los 8 44 2 7 1 3 | ss Net TD 2 42 0 0 7 0 0 3 0 | Lg Avg 17 5.2 7 3.5 3 3.0 | Colorado Rushing Lindsay, Phillip Montez, Steven | No. G 5 2 | | s Net TD 0 20 0 0 9 0 | Lg Avg 16 4.0 7 4.5 |) |
|---|------------------------------------|------------------------------|------------------------------------|---|-----------------|----------------------------|-----------------------------|---------------------------|---|
| Passing Darnold, Sam | C-A-I 7-10-0 | Yds TD Lor | ng Sack 32 0 | Passing Montez, Steven | C- <i>F</i> | | /ds TD La 38 0 | ng Sack | _ |
| Receiving Pittman, Michael Burnett, Deontay Mitchell, Steven Vaughns, Tyler | No. Yards 2 39 2 16 1 20 1 10 | TD Long 0 32 0 11 | - | Receiving Bobo, Bryce Lindsay, Phillip Ross, Devin Fields, Shay | No. 1 1 1 1 | Yards 21 7 6 4 | TD Long 0 22 0 5 | 1 | • |
| Punting | No. Yds | Avg Long I | n20 TB | Punting | No. | Yds A | Avg Long | In20 T | В |
| Budrovich, Reid | | 45.0 45 | 1 0 | Kinney, Alex | 2 | | 2.5 52 | | 0 |
| Punt Returns | No. Yards | TD Long | | Punt Returns | | Yards | TD Long | - | |
| Kick Returns | No. Yards | TD Long | | Kick Returns | INO. | Yards | TD Long | 1_ | |
| Tackles | UA-A Tota | l Sacks | TFL | Tackles | UA-A | Total | Sacks | TFL | |
| Houston, John | 2-1 3 | | 0.0 | Worthington, Evan | 2-2 | 4 | 0.0 | 0.0 | |
| Iosefa, Jordan | 2-0 2 | | 0.0 | Laguda, Afolabi | 2-1 | 3 | 0.0 | 0.0 | |
| Harris, Ajene | | 0.0 | 0.0 | Lewis, Drew | 0-3 | 3 | 0.0 | 0.0 | |
| Tell, Marvell | 1-0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | Gamboa, Rick | 2-0 | 2 | 0.0 | 0.0 | |

SECOND OUARTER

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA TROJANS (14:42)

1-10 S40 *Darnold. Darnold pass to Burnett on the right sideline for 4 yards (McCartney) S44 Darnold pass complete to Mitchell on the right side for 32 yards, downed 2-6

C26 1-10 R. Jones rushes up the middle for 1 yard (Jackson) TIMEOUT: USC, first team (13:09)

2-9 C25 Darnold pass incomplete, intended for Mitchell in the end zone (PBU: Wigley)

3-9 C25 Darnold pass complete to Pittman over the middle for 10 yards (Worthington) 1-10 C15 Malepeai rushes up the middle for 5 yards (Lewis)

FD PASSING

FD RUSHING

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Darnold pass incomplete, intended for Mitchell on the left hash 2-5

Darnold pass complete to Pittman in the right corner for 10 yards and a TOUCHDOWN (11:59). PAT Kick by McGrath is GOOD FD PASSING 3-5 C10

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA 7, COLORADO 0 (Scoring Drive: 8 plays, 60 yards, 2:43)

Budrovich to kickoff. Blackmon and Nixon to receive. The kickoff sails through the end zone for the touchback.

COLORADO BUFFALOES (11:59)

- 1-10 C25 *Montez. Lindsay takes the direct snap and rushes up the middle for 4 yards (losefa)
- 2-6 C29 Montez pass incomplete, intended for Fields on the right hash (PBU: Jack Jones)
- 3-6 C29 Montez pass incomplete, intended for Winfree on the right side
- 4-6 C29 Kinney to punt. Vaughns and Harris deep to receive. Kinney punts 49 yards to the S22. Vaughns returns 9 yards (Bisharat)

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA TROJANS (11:08)

- 1-10 S31 *Darnold. Malepeai rushes up the middle for 3 yards (Lewis)
- 2-7 S34 Malepeai rushes around right end for 2 yards (Oliver)
- 3-5 S36 Darnold pass complete to Burnett over the middle for 4 yards (Laguda). Originally called a 5-yard gain, play reviewed and reversed
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- 1-10 C27 Darnold pass complete to Vaughns down the left sideline for 24 yards (Wigley). PENALTY: USC guilty of a dead ball, unsportsmanlike conduct (Vaughns), 15-yard penalty
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SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA 14, COLORADO 0 (Scoring Drive: 7 plays, 69 yards, 3:17) Budrovich to kickoff. Blackmon and Nixon to receive. The kickoff is taken by Blackmon 2 yards deep and returned 20 yards (Lopes).

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COLORADO BUFFALOES (7:46)

- 1-10 C20 *Montez. Montez, on the keeper, rushes around left end for 2 yards (Nwosu)
- 2-8 C22 Montez pass complete to Bobo on the left sideline for **7** yards (Langley)
- 3-1 C29 Nixon takes the pitch and rushes around left end for 3 yards (Langley) 1-10 C32

Montez pass complete to Winfree on the right side for 16 yards, downed **FD PASSING**

PENALTY: CU guilty of a dead ball, unsportsmanlike conduct (Winfree), 15-yard penalty

- 1-10 C33 Montez, on the keeper, rushes around right end for 1 yard (Ca. Smith)
- Montez pass complete to Ross on the left hash for 7 yards, downed C34 2-9
- 3-2 C41 Montez pass complete to Ross on the left sideline for 7 yards, out of bounds 1-10 C48 Lindsay rushes up the middle for 3 yards (Langley)
- 2-7 S49 Montez pass complete to Bobo on the right side for 12 yards (Harris)
- 1-10 S37 Lindsay rushes up the middle for 4 yards (Houston)
- 2-6 S33 Lindsay rushes over right tackle for 4 yards (Hawkins)
- S29 3-2 Montez, on the keeper, rushes around left end for minus-1 yards (Rector, Tell)
- 4-3 S30 Stefanou 47-yard field goal attempt is no good, blocked by Pili

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA TROJANS (1:40)

- S30 1-10 *Darnold. V. Jones rushes around left end for 4 yards (Wigley)
- S34 Darnold pass incomplete, intended for Burnett deep down the middle 2-6
- Darnold pass incomplete, intended for D. Imatorbhebhe over the middle (PBU: Laguda) TIMEOUT: USC, second team (1:03) 3-6 S34
- 4-6 S34 Budrovich to punt. Blackmon to receive. Budrovich punts 57 yards to the C9, downed. Direction change to the C10

P COLORADO BUFFALOES (0:51)

- 1-10 C10 *Montez. Montez pass complete to Bobo on the left sideline for 5 yards, out of bounds
- Montez pass complete to MacIntyre on the left hash for 9 yards (Harris) TIMEOUT: Colorado, first team (0:43) 2-5 C15
- 1-10 C24 Montez pass complete to Ross on the left side for 6 yards, downed TIMEOUT: Colorado, second team (0:34)
- 2-4 C30 Montez pass incomplete, intended for Winfree, out of bounds
- Montez pass, intended for Ross on the left sideline, is intercepted by Harris and returned 34 yards for a TOUCHDOWN (0:19) 3-4

PAT Kick by McGrath is no good, wide left

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA 20, COLORADO 0

Budrovich to kickoff. Blackmon and Nixon to receive. The kickoff sails through the end zone for a touchback

COLORADO BUFFALOES (0:19)

C25 1-10 *Montez. Montez takes a knee, team rush for minus-1 yard

Quickie Statistics (Halftime) #15 USC vs Colorado (Nov 11, 2017 at Boulder, Colo.)

| | USC | COLO |
|----------------------------|---------|---------|
| Score | 20 | 0 |
| FIRST DOWNS | 13 | 9 |
| RUSHES-YARDS (NET) | 16-67 | 17-45 |
| PASSING YDS (NET) | 224 | 107 |
| Passes Att-Comp-Int | 23-16-0 | 21-12-1 |
| TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS | 39-291 | 38-152 |
| Fumble Returns-Yards | 0-0 | 0-0 |
| Punt Returns-Yards | 1-9 | 0-0 |
| Kickoff Returns-Yards | 0-0 | 1-20 |
| Interception Returns-Yards | 1-34 | 0-0 |
| Punts (Number-Avg) | 2-51.0 | 3-44.7 |
| Fumbles-Lost | 0-0 | 0-0 |
| Penalties-Yards | 5-55 | 2-30 |
| Possession Time | 15:51 | 14:09 |
| Third-Down Conversions | 3 of 8 | 3 of 9 |
| Fourth-Down Conversions | 1 of 2 | 0 of 1 |
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| USC Rushing Jones, Ronald Malepeai, Vavae Ware, Aca'Cedric Jones, Velus | No. Gain Loss Net TD Lg Avg 10 49 2 47 0 17 4.7 3 10 0 10 0 5 3.3 2 7 0 7 0 7 3.5 1 3 0 3 0 3 3.0 | Colorado Rushing Lindsay, Phillip Montez, Steven Nixon, K.D. Team | No. Gain Loss Net TD 9 35 0 35 0 6 12 4 8 0 1 3 0 3 0 1 0 1 -1 0 |) 16 3.9) 7 1.3) 3 3.0 |
|---|---|---|--|----------------------------------|
| Passing Darnold, Sam | C-A-I Yds TD Long Sack 16-23-0 224 2 32 0 | Passing Montez, Steven | C-A-I Yds TD Lo | ong Sack 21 1 |
| Receiving Burnett, Deontay Pittman, Michael Vaughns, Tyler Mitchell, Steven | No. Yards TD Long 5 42 1 18 4 59 1 32 3 63 0 29 2 50 0 30 | Receiving Bobo, Bryce Ross, Devin Winfree, Juwann MacIntyre, Jay | 4 26 0 1 16 0 1 | <u>g</u> 7 6 9 |
| <u>Punting</u> Budrovich, Reid | No. Yds Avg Long In20 TB 2 102 51.0 57 2 0 | <u>Punting</u> Kinney, Alex | No. Yds Avg Long 3 134 44.7 52 | In20 TB 2 0 |
| Punt Returns Vaughns, Tyler | No. Yards TD Long 1 9 0 9 | Punt Returns | No. Yards TD Lon | <u>g</u> |
| Kick Returns | No. Yards TD Long | Kick Returns Blackmon, Ronnie | No. Yards TD Lon. 1 20 0 2 | |
| Tackles Langley, Isaiah Houston, John Harris, Ajene Iosefa, Jordan | UA-A Total Sacks TFL 4-0 4 0.0 0.0 3-1 4 0.0 0.0 3-1 4 0.0 0.0 3-0 3 0.0 0.0 | Tackles Worthington, Evan Lewis, Drew Wigley, Dante Laguda, Afolabi | UA-A Total Sacks 3-3 6 0.0 2-3 5 0.0 4-0 4 0.0 3-1 4 0.0 | TFL 0.0 0.0 0.0 0.0 |
| Otr Time 2nd 11:59 07:51 00:19 | Scoring Play USC - Pittman, Michael 10 yd pass from Darnold, Sam USC - Burnett, Deontay 18 yd pass from Darnold, Sam USC - Harris, Ajene 34 yd interception r | (McGrath, Chase kick), 7-69 | 3:22 | V-H 7 - 0 14 - 0 20 - 0 |

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- 3-2 C41 Montez pass complete to Ross on the left sideline for 7 yards, out of bounds
- Montez pass complete to Bobo on the right side for 12 yards (Harris) 2-7 S49
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- S29
- 3-2 Montez sacked by Tell and Harris for minus-1 yard
- 4-3 S30 Stefanou 47-yard field goal attempt is no good, blocked by Pili

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA TROJANS (1:40)

- S30 1-10 *Darnold. V. Jones rushes around left end for 4 yards (Wigley)
- S34 Darnold pass incomplete, intended for Burnett deep down the middle 2-6
- Darnold pass incomplete, intended for D. Imatorbhebhe over the middle (PBU: Laguda) TIMEOUT: USC, second team (1:03) 3-6 S34
- 4-6 S34 Budrovich to punt. Blackmon to receive. Budrovich punts 57 yards to the C9, downed. Direction change to the C10

P COLORADO BUFFALOES (0:51)

- 1-10 C10 *Montez. Montez pass complete to Bobo on the left sideline for 5 yards, out of bounds
- Montez pass complete to MacIntyre on the left hash for 9 yards (Harris) TIMEOUT: Colorado, first team (0:43) 2-5 C15
- 1-10 C24 Montez pass complete to Ross on the left side for 6 yards, downed TIMEOUT: Colorado, second team (0:34)
- 2-4 C30 Montez pass incomplete, intended for Winfree, out of bounds
- Montez pass, intended for Ross on the left sideline, is intercepted by Harris and returned 34 yards for a TOUCHDOWN (0:19) 3-4

PAT Kick by McGrath is no good, wide left

Budrovich to kickoff. Blackmon and Nixon to receive. The kickoff sails through the end zone for a touchback

COLORADO BUFFALOES (0:19)

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA 20, COLORADO 0

C25 1-10 *Montez. Montez takes a knee, team rush for minus-1 yard

1-10

C48

Quickie Statistics (3rd quarter) #15 USC vs Colorado (Nov 11, 2017 at Boulder, Colo.)

| | USC | COLO |
|----------------------------|---------|---------|
| Score | 30 | 14 |
| FIRST DOWNS | 19 | 15 |
| RUSHES-YARDS (NET) | 26-156 | 26-96 |
| PASSING YDS (NET) | 288 | 240 |
| Passes Att-Comp-Int | 28-19-0 | 30-17-1 |
| TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS | 54-444 | 56-336 |
| Fumble Returns-Yards | 0-0 | 0-0 |
| Punt Returns-Yards | 1-9 | 1-33 |
| Kickoff Returns-Yards | 1-31 | 3-66 |
| Interception Returns-Yards | 1-34 | 0-0 |
| Punts (Number-Avg) | 3-34.0 | 3-44.7 |
| Fumbles-Lost | 1-0 | 0-0 |
| Penalties-Yards | 8-74 | 3-40 |
| Possession Time | 23:57 | 21:03 |
| Third-Down Conversions | 3 of 10 | 4 of 11 |
| Fourth-Down Conversions | 1 of 2 | 0 of 1 |
| | | |

| USC | | Colorado | | | |
|------------------------------------|---|----------------------------------|-------------------|----------|-----------------|
| Rushing | No. Gain Loss Net TD Lg Avg | Rushing | No. Gain Loss | Net TD | Lg Avg |
| Jones, Ronald | 17 96 3 93 0 25 5.5 | Lindsay, Phillip | 17 69 2 | | 16 3.9 |
| Darnold, Sam | 2 39 0 39 1 24 19.5 | Montez, Steven | 7 31 4 | | 19 3.9 |
| Malepeai, Vavae | 3 10 0 10 0 5 3.3 2 7 0 7 0 7 3.5 | Nixon, K.D. | 1 3 0 | | 3 3.0 0 -1.0 |
| Ware, Aca'Cedric | 2 7 0 7 0 7 3.5 | Team | 1 0 1 | -1 0 | 0 -1.0 |
| Passing | C-A-I Yds TD Long Sack | Passing | C-A-I Y | ds TD Lo | na Sack |
| Darnold, Sam | 19-28-0 288 2 37 0 | Montez, Steven | | 40 1 | 79 1 |
| | | | | | |
| Receiving | No. Yards TD Long | Receiving | No. Yards | TD Long | |
| Burnett, Deontay Vaughns, Tyler | 6 79 1 37 5 90 0 29 | Bobo, Bryce Ross, Devin | 6 83 4 26 | 0 27 | |
| Pittman, Michael | 4 59 1 32 | Winfree, Juwann | 2 95 | 1 79 | |
| Mitchell, Steven | 2 50 0 30 | Lindsay, Phillip | 2 11 | 0 7 | |
| | | 2acay,p | | | |
| <u>Punting</u> | No. Yds Avg Long In20 TB | Punting | No. Yds A | vg Long | <u>In20 TB</u> |
| Budrovich, Reid | 2 102 51.0 57 2 0 | Kinney, Alex | 3 134 44 | 1.7 52 | 2 0 |
| TEAM | 1 0 0.0 0 0 0 | | | | |
| Punt Returns | No. Yards TD Long | Punt Returns | No. Yards | TD Long | İ |
| Vaughns, Tyler | 1 9 0 9 | Landman, Nate | 1 21 | 0 0 | _ |
| 3 , 3 | | Trego, Kyle | 0 12 | 0 12 | ! |
| KI I D I | N V I TD I | K' I D I | N | TD I | |
| Kick Returns | No. Yards TD Long 1 31 0 31 | Kick Returns Blackmon, Ronnie | No. Yards 2 48 | TD Long | |
| Jones, Jack | 1 31 0 31 | Nixon, K.D. | 1 18 | 0 18 | |
| | | MIXOH, K.D. | 1 10 | 0 16 | • |
| Tackles | UA-A Total Sacks TFL | Tackles | UA-A Total | Sacks | TFL |
| Houston, John | 4-3 7 0.0 0.0 | Worthington, Evan | | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Langley, Isaiah | 4-2 6 0.0 0.0 | Laguda, Afolabi | 5-1 6 | 0.0 | 1.0 |
| Lopes, Matt | 5-0 5 0.0 1.0 | Lewis, Drew | 3-3 6 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Nwosu, Uchenna | 4-0 4 0.0 0.0 | Wigley, Dante | 5-0 5 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Qtr Time | Scoring Play | | | | V-H |
| 2nd 11:59 | USC - Pittman, Michael 10 yd pass from Darnold, Sam | (McGrath, Chase kick), 8-60 | 2:43 | | 7 - 0 |
| 07:51 | USC - Burnett, Deontay 18 yd pass from Darnold, Sam | | | | 14 - 0 |
| 00:19 | USC - Harris, Ajene 34 yd interception r | eturn (McGrath, Cha | se kick failed) | | 20 - 0 |
| 3rd 09:14 | USC - Darnold, Sam 24 yd run (McGrath | | | | 27 - 0 |
| 08:34 | COLO - Winfree, Juwann 79 yd pass from Montez, Stev | | | | 27 - 7 |
| 05:30 | COLO - Lindsay, Phillip 1 yd run (Stefan | | 1:01 | | 27 - 14 |
| 02:13 | USC - McGrath, Chase 26 yd field goal, | 7-57 3:18 | | | 30 - 14 |

FD RUSHING

FOURTH OUARTER

Colorado Drive Continued

| 3-4 | S22 | Montez, on the keeper, rushes up the middle for 6 yards (Pili) | | |
|------|-----|---|---------|--|
| 1-10 | S16 | Lindsay rushes around left end for minus-2 yards (Houston) | | |
| 2-12 | S18 | PENALTY: Colorado guilty of delay of game, 5-yard penalty | NO PLAY | |
| 2-17 | S23 | Montez pass complete to Bobo on the left side for 1 yard (Dorton) | | |
| 3-16 | S22 | Montez pass incomplete, intended for Bounds on the right side | | |
| 4-16 | S22 | Stefanou 39-yard field goal attempt is GOOD (12:42) | | |

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA 30, COLORADO 17 (Scoring Drive: 11 plays, 48 yards, 4:22)

Price to kickoff. V. Jones and Jack Jones to receive. The kickoff is taken by V. Jones at the S5 and returned 23 yards (Bisharat)

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA TROJANS (12:36)

| 1-10 | S28 | *Darnold. R. Jones rushes over right tackle for 9 yards (Jackson III) | |
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| 2-1 | S37 | R. Jones rushes around right end for 4 yards (Gamboa) | FD RUSHING |
| 1-10 | S41 | R. Jones rushes up the middle for 4 yards (Mathewes, Lewis) | |
| 2-6 | S45 | Darnold scrambles right, fumbles, he recovers and is downed, team sack for minus-8 yards | |
| 3-14 | S37 | Darnold pass complete to Mitchell on the right sideline for 15 yards, out of bounds | FD PASSING |
| 1-10 | C48 | Darnold pass complete to Mitchell on the right hash for 26 yards, downed | FD PASSING |
| 1-10 | C22 | Darnold pass incomplete, intended for Petite down the left side | |
| 2-10 | C22 | R. Jones rushes to the right, cuts back left for 22 yards and a TOUCHDOWN (8:56) | FD RUSHING |
| | | Darnold pass to Krommenhoek for the 2-point PAT is GOOD | |
| COLITHEDNICALIFORNIA 29, COLODADO 17 (Cooring Drive, 9 plays, 72 yords, 2,40) | | | |

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA 38, COLORADO 17 (Scoring Drive: 8 plays, 72 yards, 3:40)

Budrovich to kickoff. Blackmon and Nixon to receive. The kickoff goes through the end zone for a touchback

COLORADO BUFFALOES (8:56)

| | 1-10 | C25 | *Montez. Montez, on the keeper, rushes around left end for 8 yards (Hawkins) | |
|---|------|-----|---|------------|
| | 2-2 | C33 | Lindsay rushes up the middle for 2 yards (Houston, Ca. Smith) | FD RUSHING |
| | 1-10 | C35 | Montez pass complete to Bobo on the left sideline for 8 yards (Tell, Houston) | |
| | 2-2 | C43 | Montez pass complete to Winfree over the middle for 57 yards and a TOUCHDOWN (7:35). PAT Kick by Stefanou is GOOD | FD PASSING |
| COLITHERN CALIFORNIA 29 COLORADO 24 (Spering Drive, 4 playe, 75 yerds, 1,21) TIMEOLIT, USC accord from (7,25) | | | | |

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA 38, COLORADO 24 (Scoring Drive: 4 plays, 75 yards, 1:21) TIMEOUT: USC, second team (7:35)

Price to kickoff. V. Jones to receive. Price onsides kick is taken by Burnett at the C48, downed

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA TROJANS (7:34)

- 1-10 C48 Darnold. R. Jones rushes up the middle for **3** yards (Gamboa)
- 2-7 C45 R. Jones rushes over right guard for **3** yards (Udoffia)
- 3-4 C42 Darnold pass incomplete, intended for Vaughns on the left side (PBU: Wigley)
- 4-4 C42 **PENALTY:** USC guilty of delay of game, **5**-yard penalty
- 4-9 C47 Budrovich to punt. Blackmon to receive. Budrovich punts 32 yards to the C15. Blackmon calls for and receives the fair catch

COLORADO BUFFALOES (6:12)

- 1-10 C15 *Montez. Montez pass incomplete, intended for Ross on the left sideline
- 2-10 C15 Montez pass incomplete, intended for Lindsay over the middle (QBH: Fatu)
- 3-10 C15 Montez pass incomplete, broken up at the line (PBU: Nwosu)
- 4-10 C15 Montez pass, intended for Ross, intercepted by Harris at the C27 returns 1 yard (Ross)

Originally ruled an interception, lateral to Tell and 26-yard return for a touchdown, the call was reversed

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA TROJANS (5:55)

- 1-10 C26 *Darnold. Darnold pass incomplete, intended for D. Imatorbhebhe over the middle
- 2-10 C26 R. Jones rushes over right tackle for **5** yards (Mulumba) **TIMEOUT: Colorado, second team (5:43)**
- 3-5 C21 R. Jones rushes up the middle for minus-1 yard (Landman) TIMEOUT: Colorado, third team (5:39)
- 4-6 C22 Darnold pass incomplete, intended for Mitchell in the right corner of the end zone (PBU: Udoffia) Colorado takes over on downs

FOURTH QUARTER (CONT.)

| P | COLORADO BUFFALOES (5:33) | | |
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| 1-10 | C22 | *Montez. Montez, on the keeper, rushes up the middle for 11 yards (Dorton) | FD RUSHING |
| 1-10 | C33 | Montez pass complete to Bobo on the right side for 11 yards (Langley) | FD PASSING |
| 1-10 | C44 | Lindsay takes the pitch right and rushes for 1 yard (Nwosu) | |
| 2-9 | C45 | Montez scrambles right, passes incomplete, out of bounds (QBH: Rector) | |
| 3-9 | C45 | Montez pass incomplete, intended for Bobo over the middle | |
| 4-9 | C45 | Montez pass complete to Ross on the left side for 14 yards (Tell) | FD PASSING |
| 1-10 | S41 | Montez pass complete to MacIntyre on the left sideline for 15 yards (Tell) | FD PASSING |
| 1-10 | S26 | Montez pass complete to Winfree on the right side for 7 yards (Harris, Jack Jones) | |
| 2-3 | S19 | Montez is sacked by Rector for minus-7 yards | |
| 3-10 | S26 | Montez pass complete to Winfree on the right side for 4 yards, out of bounds | |
| 4-6 | S22 | Montez pass complete to Bobo on the left hash for 10 yards (Langley) | FD PASSING |
| 1-10 | S12 | Montez pass incomplete, intended for Bobo on the left sideline | |
| 2-10 | S12 | Montez pass incomplete, intended for Ross over the middle in the end zone (PBU: Houston) | |
| 3-10 | S12 | Montez pass complete to MacIntyre over the middle for 9 yards (Ca. Smith) | |
| 4-1 | S3 | Montez rushes up the middle for minus-5 yards (Houston). USC takes over on downs. Direction change to the S9 | |

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA TROJANS (1:24)

*Darnold. Darnold takes a knee, team rush for **minus-1** yard Darnold takes a knee, team rush for **minus-2** yards 1-10

S8 2-11

3-13 S6 Darnold takes a knee, team rush for minus-1 yard

END OF GAME

Colorado Head Coach Mike MacIntyre

On The Strategy Fourth-Down Attempt In The Second Quarter

"We were in-between kicking it. Distance-wise, we were kicking into the wind there. That's what we decided to do. We thought we had a play called, but they played a different coverage and got us."

On If The Pick-Six Was The Turning Point Of The Game

"Yeah. We had some critical mistakes and kind of gave them the game. They're the most talented team in our league year in and year out, no doubt about it. We had some opportunities tonight and squandered it away."

On Tailback Phillip Lindsay

"Do we have all night to talk about him? His unbelievable passion for the state of Colorado, for the University of Colorado and his passion for playing with his teammates and for his family; his inner drive is probably the best I've ever seen and been around. It's not just game day, it's every day of the week how he's able to do that. His attitude and perseverance has got him to this point. He's a really good athlete and he's done a lot of great things, but the thing that separates him from most people is his perseverance and his positive drive and attitude. It's amazing."

On The Final Offensive Play

"We thought it was fourth down. It was fourth down all the way."

On If The Team Battling Back Will Carry Over To The Utah Game

"We need it to carry over some. We shot ourselves in the foot two games in a row and you just can't do that. We need to find a way in the bye week to come back and hopefully do something that hasn't been done around here in 14 years and that's what we'd like to do."

On If Cornerback Isaiah Oliver Was Healthy

"He said he was 100 percent and the doctors said he was 100 percent, but he didn't play quite like Isaiah and he'd tell you the same thing, so I guess he wasn't 100 percent mentally ready for it. That's always tough when they come back and we're playing really talented receivers and a really talented quarterback. They can kind of exploit that. He's a great player and he tried to fight through it, but he wasn't able to go in the second half. We'll see how he's able to hopefully bounce back and play against Utah."

On Play Of Wide Receiver Iuwann Winfree

"Juwann played well. His knee injury set him back last year and he was a little slow in fall camp. He had gotten his legs back under him as the season's gone along. He made some good plays tonight. I was glad to see him make those."

On The Injury To Wide Receiver Shay Fields And How It Cut Short His Senior Day

"They just said he had concussion symptoms. That's all I know. I imagine it's very disappointing. I haven't had a chance to talk to him about it, especially with him being concussed a bit. It wouldn't be a great conversation. I'll talk to him about it on Monday or Tuesday."

On The Message To The Team With The Bye Week

"We ought to utilize it well. Hopefully we'll get a couple guys back. Hopefully Isaiah can recover completely. Hopefully Shay can come back from the concussion protocol. That gives us 14 days to come back from that. We'll get back some legitimate, big-time players for that last game, because we're going to need everybody. They understand what's at stake and they'll be motivated during the open date. A late open date is sometimes rough, because it's so late in the season. I don't think it will be with these guys. They've always come to practice and play hard. I think they showed that the way they came back out in the second half after the first half that didn't go well and the demoralizing play at the end could really sting. It was good to see them fight through that. Then, we got the field goal blocked again and we could have just tanked and they didn't, which I thought was impressive. I'll see a great fight out of them and be ready to play Utah. It's always a good game, so hopefully we can come out on the upper end of that."

On The Blocked Field Goals

"He (kicker James Stefanou) kicked both of them low. He said it hit his ankle. That hasn't happened all year long. We went over there and worked on things. He kicked it better after that. I can't tell you right now until I watch it on film and see his plant-foot and see what happened on the placement. That's something we haven't done. It's extremely unfortunate to say the least."

On Phillip Lindsay's Passion Affecting The Team

"It has bled over to his teammates. The passion of them fighting tonight was a part of him. He keeps running hard and keeps going. He came out and ran hard in the beginning of the second half. His fight and effort is big. It does bleed over. He was talking to them at halftime and on the sidelines. His isn't just words, he brings it when he does it. It's oozed throughout our whole team."

On If He's Worried That He Won't Have An Emotional Leader Next Year

"Sefo [Liufau] was the guy last year and Phillip was this year. They'll be another guy that has played and will step up and do some things. As they get older, you'll start seeing it more and more."

MacIntyre (Cont.)

On Fixing The Blocked Field Goals

"You keep working at it. You work it all the time. He (kicker James Stefanou) has great lift on all his kicks that I never thought he'd get one blocked up the middle on him ever. His ball gets up so high and so quick, so something happened tonight with that. He was really upset about it himself. You just go back and work at it harder and hopefully we can get that corrected."

On Linebacker Trent Headley's Proposal

"He came and talked to me about it this summer. I said, 'You better make sure she says yes in front of all those people.' That was a great moment for Trent and everybody there. That's something that they'll always remember. Every time I'll think of Trent Headley, I'll think of a lot of things, but I'll remember that for sure. That was a great moment for him and exciting to see. I assumed she said yes, because she was crying and hugging him."

On The Play Of Freshmen Laviska Shenault And Nate Landman

"We needed them in there. We started getting more reps and playing faster. We had that orchestrated to do. We got some more reps in the second half than the first half. We knew they could make plays. Nate went in there since we weren't doing so good against the run. We stuck Nate in there to see if he could do better. He made some good plays. He has a nose for the football. He's done that all through fall camp. He'll flash in there on a short-yardage play and make a tackle. He has that unique way of finding the football. We're excited about his future too."

USC Head Coach Clay Helton

General

"Players win ball games and our kids won this game. I thought Colorado played valiantly defensively. They played a ton of man coverage, a ton of one-high coverage and really challenged our receivers to make plays, and I thought tonight both Sam [Darnold] and the wide outs did a tremendous job of executing. Defensively, our guys had an unbelievable first half, and when plays needed to be made at the end, the love of my life here (embracing Ajene Harris) did an unbelievable job. I told them in there that it's a player's game and they won it."

On Today Being An Important Step On Greater Journey

"I think each year you try to improve. We weren't in this position last year, and now we are. Credit goes to a bunch of great kids and the staff working together. Now we have an opportunity to represent the South in the Pac-12 Championship game. We have a fierce rivalry game next week to prepare for, there's still a lot that we have to get ready for, so we'll celebrate tonight and get back to work tomorrow."

On Colorado's Halftime Adjustments

"I think they started making plays. I thought their wide receivers made a couple deep ball plays on some double moves. We are an aggressive defense, and we had a lot of guys in the box, our goal was try to stop [Phillip] Lindsay tonight, and hold up in the back end. When you do that, you know they're going to catch you once or twice, and they got us twice and got back into the game."

On Offensive Progress

"I think the wide receivers have matured and grown and it's helped the quarterback. They're really coming together and playing great football. That was a great performance by Sam [Darnold] tonight, I thought he delivered the ball where his receivers could make plays. They had the mentality that, 'if I touch it, I catch it.' When you've ran for 300-yards the past few weeks, you have to expect Colorado to come in and try to shut down the rushing attack. That's what we said (to the wide receivers) during the game, you're going to get your one-on-one shots. You've got to make the plays."

On Sam Darnold's Improvement

"I have really enjoyed his leadership through good times and bad, the poise and the character he has. When you're the quarterback at USC and have that much pressure on you, and to perform with so much class and character on a weekly basis, and perform for his brothers, he's the definition of believing in team success over individual success. That's what I appreciate most about him."

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Colorado Buffaloes (5-6, 2-6 Pac-12) vs. Southern California Trojans (9-2, 7-1 Pac-12), Folsom Field, Boulder, Colo. (November 11, 2017)

Colorado Players

RB Phillip Lindsay

ON HIS EMOTIONS DURING TODAY'S GAME- "My emotions stayed the same during today's game. We have to focus on being bowl eligible. I know that, our seniors know that, everyone knows that. For me, when I'm done, I'll look back at everything and cherish every moment of it. All you have to do is play a game, execute, and go to a bowl."

ON WHAT THE TEAM WILL DO TO PREPARE FOR UTAH-"Just work hard, work hard, stay consistent. Everyone just needs to buy in. If we do that, good things will happen. Utah's a good team, we're a good team too. Every year it's a dog fight, so we have to come out ready or else we're going home so it'll be tough."

ON RECEIVING THE BUFFALO HEART AWARD- "It was very special, it is an honor. I am happy that the fans think so highly of me and this is something I will be able to cherish for the rest of my life."

ON IF THERE IS ANY MOMENTUM TO TAKE TO UTAH-"It just goes to show you that everybody's following our offense and we're going to be tough to beat. If we came out and played in the first half like we did in the second, we wouldn't have this problem right now. We have to come out strong, execute when we need to, and that's what we're going to have to do for our bye week. We're going to go hard, and there's no time to risk, we have to get a bowl. Come Utah, we're going to be polished and ready to go."

ON IF HE PREFERS BYE WEEKS EARLY IN THE SEASON-"I mean you definitely want to have your bye week at the right time. I think it would definitely help to have your bye week in the middle of the season. We're not the ones making the bye weeks, I don't know who does but we're going to do what we can and get ready for our bye week."

ILB Nate Landman

ON HIS BLOCKED PUNT TONIGHT-"Oh it felt great, coach always says to play one for the team and by doing that, I felt like I gave my team a chance."

ON WHAT THE TEAM DOES TO BLOCK A PUNT-"We're trying to get as many people as possible to the shield. The shield being those three guys in front of the punter. While doing that we also want a good return out of it, and for that we need guys blocking down field. If we get guys on the shield, good things will happen."

ON IF CU EXECUTED THAT TONIGHT- "Yeah we watched a lot of film on them, so we got to know some tendencies and we were able to take advantage of that."

ON LANDMAN'S PLAYING TIME INCREASING-"Playing behind Rick Gamboa and Drew Lewis helped me a ton. They're great guys, they play the game right and that really helped me step up my game."

ON IF THE EXTRA WEEK OFF WILL HELP- "Yeah of course, it's always nice to have an extra week to prepare. We can study the team, see what they did in the past, and see what they're going to do next week so we can prepare. It's also good to have some extra time for our bodies to heal.

ON WHEN HE PREFERS THE BYE WEEK TO BE- "It doesn't really matter but I feel like the prime time for the bye week is right in the middle of the year. You know? Get a feel for the first six games and then take a break and get ready to finish out the season strong."

OLB Derek McCartney

ON HIS LAST GAME AT FOLSOM-"It was a lot of fun being out there with my teammates. That's what I'm going to miss the most, being out there with my guys. Some of the things that I'll take away from tonight that don't have to do with football include meeting the guy I donated to. That was really awesome that he got to be here, that's so cool to me. The other thing is one of our teammates, Trent Headley got engaged today, that was pretty cool. We were really high and emotional for both of those things which was cool."

ON MEETING THE RECIPIENT OF HIS STEM CELL DONATION-"It's just wild. You don't really know how you're going to feel in that situation but it's almost like you are seeing someone that you know so well and hadn't met before. There was just a connection there which was really cool."

ON DEFENSIVE IMPROVEMENTS THIS WEEK-"I think defensively we took big steps this week, got a lot better. We just learned a lot about ourselves in terms of what we're about. There was a time there in the fourth quarter where we got two big stops in a row and we gave ourselves a chance to win. That was big. Obviously, we have to fix some things from the first half but in the second half, we played hard and that's what we need to do. We were just trying to be physical and play our game which was working, for a while there."

ON PLAN FOR BYE WEEK-"We just have to come together and look at the film and see where we can get better specifically. I think it's going to be good for our guys to get together and get a week of recovery so that we can feel good going into the last game. We just have to take care of business."

Colorado Players (Cont.)

QB Steven Montez

ON HOW THE TEAM MANAGESS TO KEEP PLAYINRD DESPITE FRUSTRATIONS-"We have a whole bunch of warriors on this team. I think we knew that before the year started. I think we knew that no matter what was going to happen, we weren't going to give up and we were going to see the game all the way through. We have done a pretty good job all year. We just came up on the short end of the stick."

ON HIS MINDSET BEORE THROWING THE INTERCEPTION BEFORE HALTIME—"We ran a pick route. I was trying to throw it to the flat to get him out of bounds. I thought the guy had gotten picked but he played over the top of it and jumped it. He picked it and took it the house. I really didn't even see him. I thought he was with the pick guy. I thought they ran into each other. He made a good play."

ON MISSED OPPORUNTIES IN TODAY'S GAME—"We had tons of missed opportunities. We couldn't get anything going. I think that their corners and safeties were playing all of the underneath stuff. We didn't take them deep until the second half. I think they were just waiting for all of that underneath stuff that we were throwing."

ON WHAT HE CAN LEARN FROM [RB] PHILLIP LINDSAY AS A LEADER-"Phil is probably the best player that I have ever been around. Last year it was Sefo [Liufau]. No offense to Sefo, but you all have heard Phil talk. Just listening to Phil talk gets you fired up, gets you motivated, and gets you wanting to go out there to play for him. I feel extremely bad that we sent him out on senior night like this. Phillip Lindsay is something special. I think Colorado has come to realize that. I definitely have come to realize that – even not being from Colorado. He and I were sitting in the pools the other day and we had a conversation about his ride through his time here at Colorado. It was definitely something special. ON WHAT HE ANTICPATES FROM THE UPCOMING BYE WEEK – "I anticipate the bye week to be a whole lot of work. We are going to come in, work every day, try to get Utah schemed up. We are going to get our game plan ready for them and hopefully will be ready to take it to Utah and get a win."

ON THE CONFUSION OF THE DOWN AND DISTANCE ON COLORADO'S LAST OFFENSIVE PLAY—"I definitely thought it was first down. I thought [WR] Jay MacIntyre got the first down when we threw it to him. USC brought a zero pressure. That is smart on their part. They brought a zero pressure and they caught us. They knew it was fourth down."

ON BATTLING BACK FROM 27-0 DEFICIT—"I think the way we battled showed a lot of grit, and definitely think that will carry over into the bye week and the Utah game. We've got some work to do, but this game is definitely still within our reach and we definitely still control on our destiny in getting into a bowl game."

DB Afolabi Laguda

ON HONORING [DB] RYAN MOELLER WITH THE NUMBER '25' WRITTEN ON PLAYERS' ARMS-"Ryan would have definitely made plays out there. I feel like his presence was felt in every game he played in and we definitely missed him today. Just being a senior, those emotions in Folsom for the last time, I definitely felt it in my heart to at least get him a win so he could have something to hang his head proud about. Regardless, Ryan Moeller has been a stud here for years. I think he will hang his head proud regardless. "

ON INABILITY TO STOP THE RUN IN THE SECOND HALF—"[Ronald Jones] is just a player, he made plays. I don't feel like any of the guys out there were worn down, college football has it's ups and downs. We all know 25 is a great back, so we expect a great back to make plays."

ON EMOTIONS PLAYING LAST GAME AT FOLSOM—"I just wish I could send out the rest of my brothers, the rest of our senior class with a win. Losing at home on senior day is tragic, there's no words for that. It hurts. It hasn't even hit me yet, I haven't cried yet but when I get in closed quarters, I'm sure I'll have some emotions. This is a special place to play, there's so much history here. That feeling when you play here, I feel like other teams can feel it too. It's definitely irreplaceable."

ON APPROACHING BYE WEEK WITH BOWL GAME ON THE LINE – "I'm approaching it like it could possibly be my last college game. I'm going to wear myself out, there's nothing left to keep in the tank. I'm going to enjoy these next two weeks and enjoy every practice. When we play Utah, that's the last time this team will have a regular season game together. The future is unknown, nobody knows what will happen after that, but that's our last guaranteed one. I'm going to empty it out these next two weeks."

ON CONFIDENCE GAINED FROM BATTLING BACK FROM 27-0 DEFICIT—"I definitely saw some young guys step up. That punt block team was a lot of young guys coming in clutch on a big time play. I think it's definitely momentum for those guys, it's momentum for special teams. Showing that we can battle back is good momentum, but it's bittersweet because we lost of course. It's good momentum for next week and for next year's team."

ON PERFORMANCE OF [LB] NATE LANDMAN—"Nate is just a flat out football player. It's in his genes, when he's on the football field he's a fiery guy but if you catch him outside he's quiet, but those guys are special. I feel like Nate's time is coming and one day he'll be something special at this university."

Colorado Players (Cont.)

WR Juwann Winfree

ON BEING ABLE TO BREAK AWAY ON BIG PLAYS THIS GAME-"They were off the whole time. They weren't really pressing us. We just tried to take advantage of that. We worked all week on these plays so we just tried to make the most of our opportunities out there - that's all."

ON STEPPING UP AFTER SHAY FIELDS LEFT THE GAME-"Seeing him go down was pretty sad for us. He is a senior. He wanted to go out strong. I had to do that in his honor. I played for him and all of the seniors out there. They preached all week how important this game was for them not beating USC since we have started playing them. In fact, that is their last game at Folsom. It meant a lot. I just wanted to make the most of my opportunities for the seniors."

ON THE RUSTRAION OF LETTING THIS WIN SLIP AWAY-"It was frustrating. We wanted this win really bad. We gave our all for it. To see it slip like that, it kind of hurts. All it does is prepare us for the future and more to come. We see where we lack, things we can do better, and missed opportunities. It is just more motivation. We have to pick it up next week and work harder."

ON WHETHER SECOND HALF PERFORMANCE WILL CARRY OVER INTO THE FUTURE - "I definitely think it will carry over. I felt that it was a confidence booster. We can hang in with all these teams we've lost to by an inch, it shows the potential that we have. We need to work on the little things. It's the little things that could all translate to a better game for us. I feel like our team is going to have a different attitude approaching next week."

USC Players

QB Sam Darnold

ON HIS FOCUS ON BEING ABLE TO THROW DOWN THE SIDELINE- "I think it's just preparation and practice in throwing more deep balls. Continuing to work on the red zone. I'm finally starting to get a good groove and a good rhythm with my receivers, and it's really comforting."

ON HAVING A TURNOVER FREE GAME-"It means a lot. Whenever I can play a really clean game, it's always nice. I'm sure that the defense loves it too, being able to know that there's not going to be a quick turnaround, and that they won't have to sit down on the bench and then get right back up. It was good to sustain some drives there in today's game and not turn the ball over."

ON IF MAKING COLLEGE FOOTBALL PLAYOFF IS IN THEIR MIND- "Yeah, 100 percent. Anytime we have a big win on the road in the Pac-12 it says a lot for our team. However the committee decides to place the four teams, we are going to sit back and do what we can to win every game from here on out."

ON IF AJENE HARRIS IS HARD TO GO AGAINST IN PRACTICE- "Yeah, Ajene (Harris) has made a couple plays. It's always good to have someone like him on defense, and really everyone for putting up a great game. Whether it's going to tutoring, going to class on time, he is on time to everything and it means a lot. Ajene is the epitome of one of those guys you can trust in any aspect of life. "

ON HOW HARD IT IS TO LEAD THROUGH ROUGH TIMES-"It's pretty natural for me to keep my poise and be able to rally the troops, even if we're down. At Notre Dame, we just kept fighting and fighting. Obviously it didn't end the way that we wanted it to, but that's how the game goes sometimes, and I think that the way that we've been resilient all year has been really comforting as a quarterback."

ON WHERE HE HAS GROWN THE MOST- "I think my leadership, being able to pull guys aside or be able to talk to the whole squad offensively. As we've seen tonight, I think my deep ball accuracy has really grown, and being able to stay calm in the pocket. There is still some room to grow, obviously, but I'm pretty happy with my performance tonight."

ON HIS INCREASE IN SPEED- "It's a credit to our strength and conditioning staff. The way that they get me ready, and the way that they keep me healthy throughout the week. I am able to put a lot of time and effort into my strength and conditioning, and trusting what the strength and conditioning staff is telling me to keep myself healthy over the course of the 12 game season.

ON IF HE FEELS LIKE HE IS PUTTING TOO MUCH PRESSURE ON HIMSELF- "No, I don't think so."

NK Ajene Harris

ON HOW SWEET IT WOULD HAVE BEEN IF INTERCEPTION TOUCHDOWN WAS UPHELD- "It would have been really sweet for the whole squad. What a great win for us, we are going to go back to Los Angeles and get ready for UCLA. We are going to continue to work hard."



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(Folsom Field, Boulder; November 11)

| MISCELLANEO | US STATISTICS | P | Ð |
|---------------------|--------------------------|--------------|--------------|
| FINAL SCORE | | 24 | 38 |
| | Lead <i>(Tied 18:01)</i> | 0:00 | 41:59 |
| | | 83-486 | 72-522 |
| | s-Yards | 26-64 | 32-213 |
| | n Plus Territory | 6 of 12 | 9 of 13 |
| | ards | 34/164 | 31/215 |
| | own | 4.8 | 6.9 |
| First Half | | 4.0 (15-60) | 8.1 (17-138) |
| Second Half | | 5.5 (19-104) | 5.5 (14-77) |
| Rushes/Average. | | 19/3.9 | 20/4.6 |
| Passes/Average | (includes sacks) | 15/6.0 | 11/11.3 |
| | 0+/10+/5+ | 0/6/15 | 3/7/15 |
| Times Gained: 2 | ?-/0/Neg | 14/7/2 | 8/4/3 |
| Second Down Effic | iency | 10-27 | 10-24 |
| First Half | | 4-13 | 4-12 |
| | | 6-14 | 6-12 |
| Yards Gained | | 267 | 236 |
| Third Down Efficien | ncy | 5-17 | 4-14 |
| Rushing | | 3-4 | 1-3 |
| J | | 2-13 | 3-11 |
| | o Go (All) | 6.4 | 7.1 |
| | Γο Go (Conversions) | | 7.3 |
| | | 39 | 67 |
| | | 4-7 | 2-8 |
| | | 1-10 | 2-6 |
| | ency (Yards) | 2-5 (16) | 1-3 (4) |
| | Average FP | 14/C29 | 13/SC30 |
| | | 7/C24 | 6/SC25 |
| | | 7/C34 | 7/SC34 |
| | side/At Own 20 | 5 (4/1) | 3 (3/0) |
| | Plus Territory | 1 (7 pts) | 2 (0 pts) |
| | <u>ut</u> | 3 | 4 |
| | rs (Pts) | | 2 (6) |
| _ | | 2-3 (10) | 3-3 (21) |
| | | 9-(-4) | 7-40 |
| | iency | | 1-2 |
| Yards by Quarter: | 1st | 67 | 85 |
| | 2nd | 85 | 148 |
| | 3rd | 184 | 150 |
| | 4th | 150 | 78 |

► Players who carried out CU's symbolic instruments today:

Sledgehammer: Juwann Winfree
United States Flag: George Frazier

Colorado Flag: Phillip Lindsay

QUICKLY

TV Replays: 1 a.m. MST on FS1 Sunday (as in later tonight) and 8:30 p.m. MST on AT&T Sports Net on Monday and Wednesday.

USC now leads the series by a **12-0** count (**6-0** in Boulder, **6-0** in Los Angeles) ... The Buffs are **7-7** on November 11 (but **6-4** since the date officially became Veteran's Day in 1938) ... CU won the coin toss for the seventh time in 11 games this season (and for the 20th time in the last 25 games ...

Colorado gained its most yards ever against USC (486; previous best was 403 in 2014); the 376 yards passing was the first time over 300 (high was 275 last year) ... USC's 522 was its fourthmost in the series ... The Trojans rushed for over 300 yards in their last two games but had 193 today (38 attempts).

usc notes

- ▶ The last time USC blocked two field goals in a game was in the 2011 Colorado game in Boulder.
- ▶ This was **TB Ronald Jones**' (25-142, 1 TD) 12th career 100-yard rushing game and his seventh of 2017. He now has 1,224 yards in 10 games this season.

What was it about second down? Teams combined for 51 plays for 503 yards; the other downs combined: 104 for 505 ...

WR Juwann Winfree (5-163) and **WR Bryce Bobo** (10-113) were the two first Buffaloes to have 100-yard games in the same game since Paul Richardson (11-140) and Nelson Spruce (8-140) against California in Boulder on Nov. 16, 2013 ... **PK James Stefanou** entered the day **16-of-18** on field goals but had the first two of his career blocked.

Attendance ... Today's attendance of **49,337** raised the total for the season (six home games) to **282,335**, an average of **47,056** per game, the highest since 2011 (50,355 for five games). CU's average increased for the fourth straight season, the first time that has occurred since 1988-91. The final season ticket count for the year was **20,808** (plus 11,500 student passes).

Marriage Proposal ... At the end of CU's Senior Salute, ILB Trent Headley (Littleton/Columbine High School) proposed to Elizabeth Trujillo (a CU cheerleader) ... and she did say yes!

Scoreless First Quarter Twice. The scoreless first quarter in tonight's game was just the eighth involving the Buffaloes over the last 189 games (dating back to 2003) ... but the second this season and both in the last four games (Washington State was the other) ... It had been almost five years before that one.

► USC was the last team to shutout CU in the first half at Folsom; the Trojans led 23-0 in an eventual 47-29 win on Nov. 23, 2013...

Second Blocked Punt. ILB Nate Landman blocked the second punt of the year for Colorado—**CB Andrew Bergner** got a hand on a punt by Texas State—but Landman's was the first full block since **ILB** Doug Rippy had two at Toledo on Sept. 11, 2009.

Buffalo Heart Award ... The 19th annual **Buffalo Heart Award** was presented postgame to **TB Phillip Lindsay**. Coordinated and selected by the "fans behind the bench," he is the fourth running back to win the award, joining **Cortlen Johnson** (2001), **Bobby Purify** (2004) and **Rodney Stewart** (2011) as well as the 11th offensive player to win it (current co-OC/WR coach **Darrin Chiaverini** (WR) was the inaugural recipient in 1998).

INDIVIDUAL LINER NOTES

QB Steven Montez (49-27-2, 376, 2 TD, 12-40 rushing)

- ▶ With **416** yards total offense, it was the 14th time in CU history a player amassed 400-plus yards; it was his third 400-yard career game, which set a CU record (he had been tied with Koy Detmer, Mike Moschetti and Sefo Liufau with two).
- ▶ The **376** yards passing was a career-high and the fifth 300-yard game of his career (fourth this season); he is still 11th on CU's all-time passing yards list (3,797), but just five yards away from cracking the top 10 (Darian Hagan holds 10th with 3,801). His 27 career TD passes are now tied for ninth all-time at CU.
- ► He is now 7-7 as CU's starting QB (4-3 at home).

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INDIVIDUAL LINER NOTES, CONTINUED

WR Juwann Winfree (5-163, 2 TD receiving)

- ▶ He had the first 100-yard game of his CU career, as well as his first CU touchdowns (coming into this game, he had 12 catches for 109 yards, and in his one season at Maryland, he caught 11 balls for 158 yards and two touchdowns in 2014).
- ▶ His **79**-yard touchdown that put CU on the board was the longest play from scrimmage this season, as well as the longest from scrimmage since the 2013 season opener, when Paul Richardson caught an 82-yard TD pass from Connor Wood against Colorado State,
- ▶ His two TD receptions covered 136 yards, the most yards for two scores in a game since that same 2013 game against Colorado State, when Richardson had two for 157 (82 and 75).

WR Bryce Bobo (10-113, 0 TD receiving)

- ► He had the second 10-reception game of his career, the other was also against USC last year (for 83 yards).
- ▶ This was the third 100-yard game of his career, and he moved into 12th on CU's receiving yards list (1,585).
- ► He now occupies seventh by himself in all-time receptions (146).

TB Phillip Lindsay (23-68, 1 TD rushing, 2-11 receiving)

- ▶ He became CU's all-time leader in yards from scrimmage, as he now has **4,598**, passing Rodney Stewart (4,567, 2008-11). moved into second place on CU's all-time rushing list with **3,635** yards, as he passed **Rodney Stewart** (3,598, 2008-11); **TB Eric Bieniemy** leads with 3,940 (1987-90).
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- ▶ He set the school record for the most first downs earned in a season by a non-quarterback with **four** today, giving him a career total of **230** (**191** rush/**39** receiving). He entered the game tied with Rodney Stewart.
- ► He now has **963** career receiving yards, six shy of Stewart's 969 for the most by a running back in CU history (and 37 yards short of becoming CU's first 1,000-yard rusher and receiver).

ERROR ON BOXSCORE: Ajene Harris returned the interception for a score late in the first half, not Matt Lopes.