



Date	Record	AP	Coaches	Date	Record	AP	Coaches	Date	Record	AP	Coaches
1996 Preseason	0-0	5th (3)	5th	Sept. 28, 1997	2-1	16th	18th	Dec. 2, 2001	10-2	4th	5th
Aug. 25, 1996	0-0	5th (3)	—	Oct. 5, 1997	2-2	24th	25th	Dec. 9, 2001	10-2	3rd	3rd
Sept. 1, 1996	1-0	5th (3)	5th	Sept. 6, 1998	1-0	16th	16th	2001 Final	10-3	9th	9th
Sept. 8, 1996	2-0	5th (3)	5th	Sept. 13, 1998	2-0	15th	15th	2002 Preseason	0-0	7th	6th
Sept. 15, 1996	2-1	12th	12th	Sept. 20, 1998	3-0	15th	15th	Aug. 26, 2002	0-0	7th	6th
Sept. 22, 1996	2-1	12th	15th	Sept. 27, 1998	4-0	15th	15th	Sept. 1, 2002	0-1	17th	17th
Sept. 29, 1996	3-1	10th	13th	Oct. 4, 1998	5-0	14th	14th	Sept. 8, 2002	1-1	18th	19th
Oct. 6, 1996	3-1	9th	10th	Oct. 11, 1998	5-1	19th	18th	Oct. 13, 2002	4-2	23rd	25th
Oct. 13, 1996	4-1	9th	10th	Oct. 18, 1998	6-1	17th	17th	Oct. 20, 2002	5-2	21st	20th
Oct. 20, 1996	5-1	8th	8th	Oct. 25, 1998	6-2	24th	25th	Oct. 27, 2002	6-2	13th	12th
Oct. 27, 1996	6-1	7th	7th	Nov. 1, 1998	6-2	NR	25th	Nov. 3, 2002	6-3	18th	21st
Nov. 3, 1996	7-1	7th	7th	1999 Preseason	0-0	15th	17th	Nov. 10, 2002	7-3	17th	18th
Nov. 10, 1996	8-1	6th	6th	Aug. 30, 1999	0-0	14th	—	Nov. 17, 2002	8-3	16th	17th
Nov. 17, 1996	9-1	6th	6th	2000 Preseason	0-0	24th	NR	Nov. 24, 2002	8-3	13th	15th
Nov. 24, 1996	9-1	5th	5th	Aug. 28, 2000	0-0	23rd	25th	Dec. 1, 2002	9-3	12th	12th
Dec. 1, 1996	9-2	7th	8th	Oct. 7, 2001	4-1	20th	NR	Dec. 8, 2002	9-4	14th	14th
Dec. 8, 1996	9-2	8th	8th	Oct. 14, 2001	5-1	14th	17th	2002 Final	9-5	20th	21st
1996 Final	10-2	8th	8th	Oct. 21, 2001	5-2	25th	NR	Aug. 31, 2003	1-0	24th	22nd
1997 Preseason	0-0	8th	7th	Oct. 28, 2001	6-2	25th	25th	Sept. 7, 2003	2-0	17th	17th
Aug. 24, 1997	0-0	8th	—	Nov. 4, 2001	7-2	21st	20th	Oct. 9, 2005	4-1	24th	24th
Aug. 31, 1997	0-0	8th	7th	Nov. 11, 2001	8-2	15th	16th	Oct. 30, 2005	6-2	25th	24th
Sept. 7, 1997	1-0	8th	7th	Nov. 18, 2001	8-2	14th	14th	Nov. 6, 2005	7-2	22nd	21st
Sept. 14, 1997	1-1	15th	16th	Nov. 25, 2001	9-2	9th	10th				
Sept. 21, 1997	1-1	16th	16th								

NOTES: Coaches Poll combined between UPI (started in 1950) and *USA Today* (started in 1991), with the final UPI poll conducted prior to bowl games until 1973; Associated Press poll ranked only the top 10 teams from 1961-67; polls expanded from top 20 to top 25 teams in 1989; (#)—denotes number of first place votes received; NR—not ranked; dash indicates no poll taken that week.

- Highest Ranking**—#1 (AP, UPI 1989, 1990)
- Highest Preseason Ranking**—#2 (AP, 1972)
- Consecutive Weeks Ranked**—143 (AP, 1989-97)
- Consecutive Weeks Ranked, Top 10**—17 (AP, 1994)
- Most Times Ranked, Decade**—136 (AP, 1990-99)
- Largest Jump In Rankings**—10 (AP, #18 to #8, Sept. 21 to Sept. 28, 1970).
- Largest Difference Between AP and Coaches Ranking**—four, on four occasions.

BCS Final Rankings		
Season	Rank	Points
2001	3rd	7.28
2002	13th	33.27

The Bowl Championship Series Standings are first released in October of every year. CU has not held the top spot at any time in the history of the BCS Standings, dating back to 1998.

MARGINS OF VICTORY

All-Time Margins of Victory

- 109 (109-0) vs. Regis at Denver, Oct. 7, 1905
- 75 (75-0) vs. Wyoming in Boulder, Oct. 19, 1912
- 69 (69-0) vs. Wyoming in Boulder, Oct. 21, 1905
- 67 (67-0) vs. Colorado State in Boulder, Oct. 27, 1894
- 64 (70-6) vs. Colorado State at Fort Collins, Feb. 10, 1893
- 63 (63-0) vs. Colorado State at Fort Collins, Oct. 15, 1899
- 62 (62-0) vs. Wyoming in Boulder, Oct. 26, 1940
- 61 (61-0) vs. Colorado State in Boulder, Nov. 29, 1952
- 61 (61-0) vs. Drake in Boulder, Sept. 18, 1954
- 61 (64-3) vs. Kansas State in Boulder, Nov. 17, 1990

Margins of Victory, Home

- 75 (75-0) vs. Wyoming, Oct. 19, 1923 (Gamble Field)
- 69 (69-0) vs. Wyoming, Oct. 21, 1905 (Gamble Field)
- 67 (67-0) vs. Colorado State, Oct. 27, 1894 (Gamble Field)
- 62 (62-0) vs. Wyoming, Oct. 26, 1940 (Colorado Stadium)
- 61 (61-0) vs. Colorado State, Nov. 29, 1952 (Folsom Field)
- 61 (61-0) vs. Drake, Sept. 18, 1954 (Folsom Field)
- 61 (64-3) vs. Kansas State, Nov. 17, 1990 (Folsom Field)
- 60 (60-0) vs. Northern Colorado, Oct. 21, 1923 (Gamble Field)
- 58 (58-0) vs. Minnesota, Sept. 21, 1991 (Folsom Field)
- 58 (58-0) vs. Colorado Mines, Oct. 18, 1935 (Colorado Stadium)

Margins of Victory, Road

- 109 (109- 0) vs. Regis at Denver, Oct. 7, 1905
- 64 (70- 6) vs. Colorado State at Fort Collins, Feb. 10, 1893
- 63 (63- 0) vs. Colorado State at Fort Collins, Oct. 15, 1899
- 57 (57- 0) vs. Denver at Denver, Oct. 30, 1904
- 57 (57- 0) vs. Colorado State at Fort Collins, Oct. 23, 1909
- 54 (54- 0) vs. Northern Colorado at Greeley, Oct. 6, 1917
- 53 (65-12) vs. Arizona at Tucson, Oct. 11, 1958
- 52 (52- 0) vs. Iowa State at Ames, Oct. 20, 1956

Margins of Victory, Conference Games

- 67 (67-0) vs. Colorado State in Boulder, Oct. 27, 1894
- 63 (63-0) vs. Colorado State at Fort Collins, Oct. 15, 1899
- 62 (62-0) vs. Wyoming in Boulder, Oct. 26, 1940
- 61 (64-3) vs. Kansas State in Boulder, Nov. 17, 1990
- 60 (60-0) vs. Northern Colorado in Boulder, Oct. 21, 1923
- 58 (58-0) vs. Colorado Mines in Boulder, Oct. 19, 1935
- 57 (57-0) vs. Denver at Denver, Oct. 30, 1904
- 57 (57-0) vs. Colorado State at Fort Collins, Oct. 23, 1909

All-Time Margins of Defeat (*—conference game)

- 103 (0-103) vs. Colorado Mines in Boulder, Nov. 22, 1890
- 76 (0- 76) vs. Texas at Austin, Sept. 28, 1946
- 67 (3- 70) vs. Texas at Houston, Dec. 3, 2005 (Big 12 Championship)
- 62 (0- 62) vs. *Oklahoma in Boulder, Nov. 3, 1962
- 59 (0- 59) vs. *Nebraska at Lincoln, Oct. 10, 1981
- 58 (0- 58) vs. *Colorado College at Colorado Springs, Nov. 11, 1916
- 58 (0- 58) vs. *Missouri at Columbia, Oct. 25, 2008
- 57 (0- 57) vs. *Missouri at Columbia, Nov. 10, 1962
- 56 (14- 70) vs. *Oregon at Eugene, Oct. 27, 2012
- 55 (14- 69) vs. Fresno State at Fresno, Sept. 15, 2012
- 52 (7- 59) vs. *Washington at Seattle, Nov. 9, 2013
- 50 (19- 69) vs. *Nebraska at Lincoln, Oct. 22, 1983
- 49 (0- 49) vs. *Oklahoma at Norman, Oct. 31, 1981
- 48 (0- 48) vs. Denver at Denver, Nov. 24, 1927
- 48 (0- 48) vs. *Stanford in Boulder, Nov. 3, 2012
- 47 (0- 47) vs. Army at West Point, Oct. 4, 1947