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# COLORADO vs. NEBRASKA



**OFFICIAL STATISTICS & PLAY-BY-PLAY** 

September 7, 2019 / Folsom Field, Boulder, Colo.

Score-By-Quarters	1	2	3	4	OT	Final
Nebraska Cornhuskers	7	10	0	14	0	31
Colorado Buffaloes	0	0	7	24	3	34

Team	Scoring Play (Drive/Notes)	Score	Time	Qtr
Nebraska – J.D. S	Spielman 65 pass from Adrian Martinez (Isaac Armstrong kick)	0- 7	6:02	<b>1Q</b>
Drive: 5 plays, 96 yards,	1:40. KEY PLAYS—Martinez 10 pass to Washington to N14; Martinez 12 scramble to N33			
Nebraska – Adria	n Martinez 5 run (Isaac Armstrong kick)	0-14	6:37	2Q
Drive: 13 plays, 95 yards	s, 6:53 (one def. penalty). KEY PLAYS—Colorado running into kicker; Martinez 25 pass tom Robinson to	C45; 21 pass to Sp	bielman to	C22
Nebraska – Isaac	Armstrong 26 FG	0-17	2:47	<b>2Q</b>
Drive: 6 plays, 34 yards,	2:59. KEY PLAYS—Jackson INT at C44; Martinez 20 pass to Mills to C15			
COLORADO — Jaro	en Mangham 11 run (James Stefanou kick)	7-17	1:42	<b>3Q</b>
Drive: 8 plays, 64 yards,	2:24. KEY PLAYS—Montez 21 pass to Nixon on 2nd-&-14 to N47; Montez 14 pass to Russell to N36; Jacks	on 14 rush to N22	2	
COLORADO — K.D	. Nixon 96 pass from Steven Montez (James Stefanou kick)	14-17	14:36	<b>4Q</b>
Drive: 1 plays, 96 yards,	0:14. NOTE—Longest play from scrimmage in Colorado history (previous: 95 run, 94 pass)			
Nebraska – Maui	rice Washington 75 pass from Adrian Martinez (Isaac Armstrong kick)	14-24	14:22	40
Drive: 1 plays, 75 yards,	0:13.			
COLORADO — Jar	en Mangham 7 run (James Stefanou kick)	21-24	12:19	<b>4Q</b>
Drive: 5 plays, 75 yards,	1:50. KEY PLAYS—Montez 57 pass to Jackson to N7			
COLORADO — Jan	nes Stefanou 20 FG	24-24	8:30	40
Drive: 7 plays, 17 yards,	2:20. KEY PLAYS—Johnson FF/Falo FR at NU 20; Montez 12 pass to Stanley to N6			
Nebraska – Adria	n Martinez 6 run (Isaac Armstrong kick)	24-31	5:49	40
Drive: 8 plays, 75 yards,	2:41. KEY PLAYS—Martinez 17 run on 3rd-&-7 to N45; Washington 40 run to C15			
COLORADO — Ton	y Brown 26 pass from Steven Montez (James Stefanou kick)	31-31	0:46	40
Drive: 10 plays, 71 yards	s, 3:07. KEY PLAYS—Montez 5 run on 4th-&-1 to N45			
COLORADO — Jan	nes Stefanou 34 FG	34-31		0T1
Drive: 5 plays, 8 yards.	KEY PLAY—Fontenot 18 run to N12			

**OFFICIALS (Big Ten):** John O'Neill (referee), Jeff Carr (umpire), Kris Van Meter (head linesman), Daniel Gallagher (line judge), Kyle DeBuse (side judge), Gary Powers (field judge), Michael Elliott (back judge), Thomas Riepenhoff (center judge), Tom Fiedler (replay official).

WEATHER 88 degrees, partly cloudy skies, 18 percent humidity, winds from the west at 10 mph (gusting to 23 mph)

TIME OF GAME Kickoff 1:35 p.m. End 5:24 p.m. Elapsed Time 3:49 ATTENDANCE 52,829 (sellout)

# Team Statistics (Final) The Automated ScoreBook Nebraska vs Colorado (Sep 07, 2019 at Boulder, Colo.)

	NEB	COLO
FIRST DOWNS	19	22
Rushing	9	8
Passing	8	13
Penalty	2	1
NET YARDS RUSHING	179	89
Rushing Attempts	46	37
Average Per Rush	3.9	2.4
Rushing Touchdowns	2	2
Yards Gained Rushing	218	137
Yards Lost Rushing	39	48
NET YARDS PASSING	290	375
Completions-Attempts-Int	16-26-1	28-41-1
Average Per Attempt	11.2	9.1
Average Per Completion	18.1	13.4
Passing Touchdowns	2	2
TOTAL OFFENSE YARDS	469	464
Total offense plays	72	78
Average Gain Per Play	6.5	5.9
Fumbles: Number-Lost	3-2	2-1
Penalties: Number-Yards	7-65	9-65
PUNTS-YARDS	5-231	6-271
Average Yards Per Punt	46.2	45.2
Net Yards Per Punt	45.4	41.8
Inside 20	2	5
50+ Yards	1	1
Touchbacks	0	1
Fair catch	0	3
KICKOFFS-YARDS	6-387	6-390
Average Yards Per Kickoff	64.5	65.0
Net Yards Per Kickoff	34.7	40.0
Touchbacks	5 0	6
Fair Catch Yards Punt returns: Number-Yards-TD	-	1 4 0
	0-0-0	1-4-0 4.0
Average Per Return Kickoff returns: Number-Yds-TD	0.0	1-54-0
Average Per Return	0.0	54.0
Interceptions: Number-Yds-TD	1-1-0	1-0-0
Fumble Returns: Number-Yds-TD	0-0-0	0-0-0
Miscellaneous Yards	0-0-0	0-0-0
Possession Time	29:24	30:36
1st Quarter	4:28	10:32
2nd Quarter	10:05	4:55
3rd Quarter	7:30	7:30
4th Quarter	7:21	7:39
OT Quarter	0:00	0:00
Third-Down Conversions	5 of 15	6 of 17
Fourth-Down Conversions	1 of 1	2 of 2
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	3-3	4-4
Touchdowns	2-3	2-4
Field goals	1-3	2-4
Sacks By: Number-Yards	3-25	6-33
PAT Kicks	4-4	4-4
Field Goals	1-2	2-2
Points off turnovers	3	3

# Individual Statistics (Final) The Automated ScoreBook Nebraska vs Colorado (Sep 07, 2019 at Boulder, Colo.)

### Nebraska

## Colorado

Rushing M. Washington Adrian Martinez Dedrick Mills W. Robinson JD Spielman TEAM Totals	No. Gain Loss         Net         TD         Lg         Avg           15         78         1         77         0         40         5.1           19         99         33         66         2         17         3.5           8         24         0         24         0         5         3.0           2         9         0         9         0         5         4.5           1         8         0         8         8.0           1         0         5         -5         0         0         -5.0           46         218         39         179         2         40         3.9	Rushing Mangham, Jaren Fontenot, Alex Jackson, Jaylon Stanley, Dimitr Shenault, Lavis TEAM Nixon, K.D. Brown, Tony Montez, Steven Totals	No. Gain Loss         Net         TD         Lg         Avg           11         49         5         44         2         11         4.0           10         43         1         42         0         18         4.2           1         14         0         14         0         14         14.0           1         8         0         8         8.0         8         8.0           3         11         5         6         0         7         2.0           1         0         1         -1         0         -1.0         -1.0           1         0         3         -3         0         0         -3.0           1         0         4         -4         0         -4.0           8         12         29         -17         0         5         -2.1           37         137         48         89         2         18         2.4
Passing Adrian Martinez Totals	C-A-I         Yds         TD         Long         Sack           16-26-1         290         2         75         6           16-26-1         290         2         75         6	Passing Montez, Steven Totals	C-A-I         Yds         TD         Long         Sack           28-41-1         375         2         96         3           28-41-1         375         2         96         3
Receiving JD Spielman M. Washington W. Robinson Dedrick Mills Jack Stoll Totals	No.         Yards         TD         Long           5         112         1         65           4         118         1         75           3         35         0         25           2         21         0         20           2         4         0         3           16         290         2         75	Receiving Nixon, K.D. Brown, Tony Shenault, Lavis Russell, Brady Fontenot, Alex Stanley, Dimitr Jackson, Jaylon Mangham, Jaren Totals	No.         Yards         TD         Long           6         148         1         96           5         60         1         26           5         31         0         9           4         31         0         14           4         20         0         10           2         17         0         12           1         57         0         57           1         11         0         11           28         375         2         96
Punting Isaac Armstrong Totals	No.         Yds         Avg         Long         In20         TB           5         231         46.2         51         2         0           5         231         46.2         51         2         0	Punting Kinney, Alex Totals	No.         Yds         Avg         Long         In20         TB           6         271         45.2         60         5         1           6         271         45.2         60         5         1
Returns Lamar Jackson Totals	Punt         Kickoff         Intercept           No Yds         Lg         No Yds         Lg         No Yds         Lg           0         0         0         0         1         1         1           0         0         0         0         0         1         1         1	Returns Nixon, K.D. Shenault, Lavis Miller, Chris Totals	Punt       Kickoff       Intercept         No Yds       Lg No Yds       Lg No Yds       Lg         1       4       4       0       0       0       0       0         0       0       0       1       54       54       0       0       0         0       0       0       0       0       1       0       0         1       4       4       1       54       54       1       0       0
Field goals Isaac Armstrong Isaac Armstrong	QtrTimeDistResult2nd02:4726 yardsGoodOT15:0048 yardsMissed	Stefanou, James	OtrTimeDistResult4th08:3020 yardsGoodOT15:0034 yardsGood
Kickoffs  Dylan Jorgensen Will Przystup	No. Yards         Avg         TB         OB           2         130         65.0         2         0           4         257         64.2         3         0	Kickoffs Stefanou, James	No. Yards Avg TB OB 6 390 65.0 6 0
All-purpose M. Washington JD Spielman Adrian Martinez Dedrick Mills	Run         Rcv         KR         PR         IR         Total           77         118         0         0         0         195           8         112         0         0         0         120           66         0         0         0         0         66           24         21         0         0         0         45	All-purpose Nixon, K.D. Shenault, Lavis Jackson, Jaylon Fontenot, Alex	Run         Rcv         KR         PR         IR         Total           -3         148         0         4         0         149           6         31         54         0         0         91           14         57         0         0         0         71           42         20         0         0         62

FUMBLES: Nebraska-Adrian Martinez 3-2. Colorado-Russell, Brady 1-0; Shenault, Lavis 1-1.

COLORADO BUFFALO FOOTBALL DEFENSIVE STATISTICS

# vs. Nebraska

		TACI	KLES			QB			ı		ı		ı	
No. Player	PLAYS	UT	AT	TOT	TFL	Sacks	TFZ	3DS	QBH	QCD	FR	FF	PBU	INT
1 Abrams	72	2	0 -	- 2										
2 <b>O</b> nu	72	5	0 -	- 5								1		
9 Maddox	72	7	1 -	- 8				1						
14 Miller	15	0	0 -	- 0				1					1	1-0
20 Taylor	72	9	0 -	- 9			2	1		1		1	2	
25 Blackmon	72	1	3 -	- 4		1-6		1						
31 Van Diest	43	2	2 -	- 4					1					
34 Johnson	61	4	2 -	- 6		3-21		3	2			1		
36 A. Jones	13	4	0 -	- 4	1- 1			1						
42 Falo	51	1	0 -	- 1			1	1			2			
52 Tchangam	37	3	1 -	- 4		2-6		2	1					
53 Landman	72	12	2 -	- 14			1	2						
54 Lang	51	2	1 -	- 3			1							
55 Williams	16	0	0 -	- 0										
91 Rodman	11	0	1 -	- 1			1							
94 <b>Jordan</b>	20	0	1 -	- 1										
99 Sami	42	0	1 -	- 1					1					
-			_	_										
			-	_										
	PLAYS				TFL	Sacks	TFZ	3DS	QBH	QCD	FR	FF	PBU	INT
TOTALS	792				1-1	6-33	6	13	5	1	2	3	3	1-0
	(72)				(7	-34)								
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<sup>\*</sup>Fourth Down Stops (0; count included in 3DS above):

Sacks For Zero (0): None Interceptions Caused (0): Touchdown Saves (0): Onu Blocked Kicks (0): None 2-Pt. PBU (0): None Ejected (Targeting): None

Injured (DNP): Cooper, Newman, Robinson, Wells

**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.

# vs. Nebraska

Kickoff	Coverage
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Player UT UT/20 AT AT/20 FF FR KD FDF FFC CP TDS ROK

**None** 

**Punt Coverage** 

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Player		UT UT/20	AT AT/20	FF	FR	FFC	DP	BLK	FDF	CP	TDS	KD
JACKSON						1			1			
ARIAS						1	1					
BALE						1						
<b>BISHARAT</b>							1					
LEWIS						1						

## **Kickoff Return**

## **Punt Return**

 Player (CP)
 KSD

 BISHARAT
 1

 BRUMBAUGH
 1

 CHIAVERINI
 1

 LEWIS
 1

 NOYER
 1

<u>Player (CP) KSD PRS BLK</u> **None** 

# **FG/PAT** Defense

Player BLK RB PRS DEX

None

# FG/PAT)

Play	er	Plays
PK	STEFANOU	6
SN	BALE	6
HLD	KINNEY	6
HA	RRIS	6
D.J	ONES	6
KU	TSCH	6

Player	Plays
C. LYTLE	6
RAY	6
RODDICK	6
RUSSELL	6
VAUGHN	6

**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; 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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# Nebraska	Solo	Ast	Total S	Sacks-Yds	TFL-Yds	FF	FR-Yds	Int-Yds	BrUp	Blks	QBH
3 Will Honas	7	2	9	-	1-0	-	-	-	-	-	-
7 Mohamed Barry	6	0	6	1.0-7	1-7	-	-	-	-	-	-
19 Marquel Dismuke	6	0	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
31 Collin Miller	6	0	6	-	1-4	-	-	-	-	-	-
94 Khalil Davis	5	0	5	-	2-9	-	-	-	-	-	-
6 Eric Lee Jr.	5	0	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5 C. Taylor-Britt	4	1	5	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-
23 Dicaprio Bootle	3	0	3	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-
95 Ben Stille	2	1	3	-	2-4	-	-	-	-	-	1
2 Alex Davis	2	0	2	-	2-5	-	-	-	-	-	1
96 Carlos Davis	2	0	2	1.0-12	1-12	-	-	-	-	-	1
13 JoJo Domann	2	0	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
79 Darrion Daniels	1	0	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
21 Lamar Jackson	1	0	1	-	-	-	-	1-1	1	-	-
9 Kanawai Noa	1	0	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2A Caleb Tannor	1	0	1	1.0-6	1-6	-	-	-	-	-	-
49 Isaiah Stalbird	1	0	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
43 Tyrin Ferguson	1	0	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2C Luke Reimer	0	0	0	-	-	-	1-0	-	-	-	
Totals	56	4	60	3.0-25	11-47	2	1-0	1-1	2	0	3

# Drive Chart (By Team) (Final) The Automated ScoreBook Nebraska vs Colorado (Sep 07, 2019 at Boulder, Colo.)

			Drive S	tarted		Driv	e Ended	Consumed		
Team	Qtr	Spot	Time	Obtained	Spot	Time	How lost	PI - Yds	TOP	
NEB	1st	V04	07:42	Punt	H00	06:02	*TOUCHDOWN	5 - 96	1:40	
NEB		V19	03:15	Punt	H35	00:27	Fumble	7 - 46	2:48	
NEB	2nd	V05	13:30	Punt	H00	06:37	*TOUCHDOWN	13 - 95	6:53 .	
NEB		H43	05:46	Interception	H09	02:47	*FIELD GOAL	6 - 34	2:59.	
NEB		V20	00:13	Punt	V15	00:00	End of half	1 - (5)	0:13	
NEB	3rd	V25	15:00	Kickoff	V34	12:00	Punt	6 - 9	3:00	
NEB		V11	08:27	Punt	V16	07:41	Punt	3 - 5	0:46	
NEB		V15	06:08	Punt	V14	04:06	Punt	3 - (1)	2:02	
NEB		V25	01:42	Kickoff	H48	14:36	Punt	7 - 27	2:06	
NEB	4th	V25	14:22	Kickoff	H00	14:09	*TOUCHDOWN	1 - 75	0:13	
NEB		V25	12:19	Kickoff	V20	10:50	Fumble	3 - (5)	1:29	
NEB		V25	08:30	Kickoff	H00	05:35	*TOUCHDOWN	8 - 75	2:55.	
NEB		V28	05:35	Fumble	V29	03:53	Punt	3 - 1	1:42	
NEB		V25	00:46	Kickoff	V38	00:08	Interception	4 - 13	0:38	
NEB	OT	H25	15:00	Possession	H31	15:00	Missed FG	4 - (6)	0:00	

	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	1st	2nd		
Nebraska	Qtr	Qtr	Qtr	Qtr	Half	Half	Total	
Time of possession	04:28	10:05	07:30	07:21	14:33	14:51	29:24	
3rd down conversions	1-1	1-3	1-4	2-6	2-4	3-10	5-15	
Average field position	V11	V27	V19	V25	V21	V22	V22	
4th down conversions	0-0	0-0	0-0	1-1	0-0	1-1	1-1	

			Drive S	tarted		Driv	e Ended	Consum	ned
Team	Qtr	Spot	Time	Obtained	Spot	Time	How lost	PI - Yds	TOP
COLO	1st	H25	15:00	Kickoff	V42	07:42	Punt	12 - 33	7:18
COLO		H25	06:02	Kickoff	H33	03:15	Punt	6 - 8	2:47
COLO		H36	00:27	Fumble	H35	13:30	Punt	3 - (1)	1:57
COLO	2nd	H25	06:37	Kickoff	H30	05:46	Interception	2 - 5	0:51
COLO		H25	02:47	Kickoff	V46	00:13	Punt	9 - 29	2:34
COLO	3rd	H19	12:00	Punt	H49	08:27	Punt	8 - 30	3:33
COLO		H48	07:41	Punt	H48	06:08	Punt	3 - 0	1:33
COLO		H36	04:06	Punt	V00	01:42	*TOUCHDOWN	8 - 64	2:24.
COLO	4th	H04	14:36	Punt	V00	14:22	*TOUCHDOWN	1 - 96	0:14
COLO		H25	14:09	Kickoff	V00	12:19	*TOUCHDOWN	5 - 75	1:50.
COLO		V20	10:50	Fumble	V03	08:30	*FIELD GOAL	7 - 17	2:20 .
COLO		V43	05:49	Kickoff	V43	05:35	Fumble	0 - 0	0:14
COLO		H29	03:53	Punt	V00	00:46	*TOUCHDOWN	10 - 71	3:07
COLO		H15	00:08	Interception	H14	00:00	End of half	1 - (1)	0:08
COLO	OT	V25	15:00	Possession	V17	15:00	*FIELD GOAL	5 - 8	0:00 .
COLO		H31	15:00	Missed FG	H31	15:00		0 - 0	0.00

	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	1st	2nd	
Colorado	Qtr	Qtr	Qtr	Qtr	Half	Half	Total
Time of possession	10:32	04:55	07:30	07:39	15:27	15:09	30:36
3rd down conversions	1-5	2-4	1-3	2-4	3-9	3-7	6-17
Average field position	H28	H25	H34	H30	H27	H32	H30
4th down conversions	1-1	0-0	0-0	1-1	1-1	1-1	2-2

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### Nebraska Colorado

Pos	##	OFFENSE	Pos	##	OFFENSE
WR	10	JD Spielman	WR	2	Shenault, Lavis
WR	9	Kanawai Noa	WR	3	Nixon, K.D.
WR	11	Austin Allen	WR	14	Stanley, Dimitr
LT	76	Brenden Jaimes	LT	51	Hambright, Arli
LG	75	Trent Hixson	LG	58	Montgomery, Jam
С	51	Cameron Jurgens	С	56	Lynott, Tim
RG	56	Boe Wilson	RG	65	Pursell, Colby
RT	71	Matt Farniok	RT	78	Sherman, Willia
TE	86	Jack Stoll	TE	38	Russell, Brady
QB	2	Adrian Martinez	QB	12	Montez, Steven
RB	28	M. Washington	TB	8	Fontenot, Alex
Pos	##	DEFENSE	Pos	##	DEFENSE
DE	96	Carlos Davis	DE	54	Lang, Terrance
N.I.O.				~~	Compilation
NG	79	Darrion Daniels	NT	99	Sami, Jalen
NG DE	79 94	Darrion Daniels Khalil Davis	NT DT	99 34	Johnson, Mustaf
DE	94	Khalil Davis	DT	34	Johnson, Mustaf
DE OLB	94 2D	Khalil Davis Alex Davis	DT OLB	34 52	Johnson, Mustaf Tchangam, Alex
DE OLB ILB	94 2D 31	Khalil Davis Alex Davis Collin Miller	DT OLB ILB	34 52 53	Johnson, Mustaf Tchangam, Alex Landman, Nate
DE OLB ILB ILB	94 2D 31 7	Khalil Davis Alex Davis Collin Miller Mohamed Barry	DT OLB ILB ILB	34 52 53 31	Johnson, Mustaf Tchangam, Alex Landman, Nate Van Diest, Jona
DE OLB ILB ILB CB	94 2D 31 7 5	Khalil Davis Alex Davis Collin Miller Mohamed Barry C. Taylor-Britt	DT OLB ILB ILB STAR	34 52 53 31 20	Johnson, Mustaf Tchangam, Alex Landman, Nate Van Diest, Jona Taylor, Davion
DE OLB ILB ILB CB CB	94 2D 31 7 5 21	Khalil Davis Alex Davis Collin Miller Mohamed Barry C. Taylor-Britt Lamar Jackson	DT OLB ILB ILB STAR CB	34 52 53 31 20 25	Johnson, Mustaf Tchangam, Alex Landman, Nate Van Diest, Jona Taylor, Davion Blackmon, Mekhi
DE OLB ILB ILB CB CB	94 2D 31 7 5 21 23	Khalil Davis Alex Davis Collin Miller Mohamed Barry C. Taylor-Britt Lamar Jackson Dicaprio Bootle	DT OLB ILB ILB STAR CB FS	34 52 53 31 20 25 2M	Johnson, Mustaf Tchangam, Alex Landman, Nate Van Diest, Jona Taylor, Davion Blackmon, Mekhi Onu, Mikial

Nebraska: 1H-Mike Williams, 1-W. Robinson, 1C-Braxton Clark, 2C-Luke Reimer, 2A-Caleb Tannor, 3-Will Honas, 9B-Chase Urbach, 9C-Dylan Jorgensen, 9A-DaiShon Neal, 9P-Will Przystup, 12-Quinton Newsome, 13-JoJo Domann, 16-Noah Vedral, 22-Miles Jones, 24-J. Stovall, 26-Dedrick Mills, 30-Eli Sullivan, 36-Reid Karel, 37-Wyatt Mazour, 38-Brody Belt, 43-Tyrin Ferguson, 44-Garrett Nelson, 49-Isaiah Stalbird, 70-Matt Sichterman, 73-Broc Bando, 82-Kurt Rafdal, 93-Damion Daniels, 95-Ben Stille, 97-Deontre Thomas, 98-Isaac Armstrong.

Colorado: 1M-Miller, Chris, 1J-Mangham, Jaren, 2S-Smith, Deion, 4-Noyer, Sam, 5R-Ray, Kanan, 9-Harris, Jalen, 10-Jackson, Jaylon, 13-Bell, Maurice, 15-Oats, D.J., 18-Brown, Tony, 22-Arias, Daniel, 23-Lewis, Isaiah, 26-Wells, Carson, 28-Davis, Joe, 33-Sanders, Chase, 35-Bisharat, Beau, 36-Jones, Akil, 42-Falo, Nu'umotu, 48-Stefanou, James, 49-Price, Davis, 63-Bale, J.T., 70-Roddick, Casey, 74-Lytle, Chance, 77-Vaughn, Hunter, 87-Smith, Alex, 88-Jones, Darrion, 89-Kinney, Alex, 91-Rodman, Na'im, 94-Jordan, Janaz.



# COLORADO BUFFALO FOOTBALL / OFFICIAL PLAY-BY-PLAY

Colorado Buffaloes (1-0, 0-0 Pac-12) vs. Nebraska Cornhuskers (1-0, 0-0 Big Ten), Folsom Field, Boulder, Colo. (September 7, 2019)

WEATHER CONDITIONS: Temperature: 88 degrees at 1:30 P.M. / Humidity: 18 percent / Wind: West 10 mph, Gusting to 23 / Skies: Partly Cloudy COIN TOSS: Colorado has won the toss, elected to receive and will defend the north goal. Nebraska will kick off and defend the south goal.

### FIRST QUARTER

Jorgensen to kickoff for Nebraska. Deep for Colorado is Nixon and Smith. The kickoff sails through the end zone for a touchback.

### COLORADO BUFFALOES (15:00)

- C25 1-10 \*Montez. Montez screen pass complete to Fontenot on the left side (Bootle)
- 2-8 C27 Fontenot rushes up the middle for 3 vards (C. Miller)
- 3-5 C30 Montez pass complete to Nixon over the middle for 15 yards (Bootle) PENALTY: CU guilty of offensive pass interference, 15-yard penalty NO PLAY

### TIME OUT: Colorado, first team (13:11)

- 3-20 PENALTY: CU guilty of delay of game, 5-yard penalty C15 NO PLAY
- 3-25 C10 Montez pass incomplete, intended for Fontenot PENALTY: NU guilty of a dead ball, personal foul 15-yard penalty **FD PENALTY**
- 1-10 C25 Mangham rushes over right tackle for 9 yards (Stille)
- Montez pass complete to Brown on the right side for 11 yards (L. Jackson) **FD PASSING** 2-1 C34

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- 1-10 C45 Montez pass complete to Brown on the right side for 7 yards (Dismuke)
- 2-3 N48 Montez pass complete to Russell on the left hash for **0** yards (Taylor-Britt)
- 3-3 N48 Montez, on the keeper, rushes around left end for 2 yards (Lee)
- 4-1 Mangham rushes up the middle for 2 yards (Barry) N46
- 1-10 N44 Montez sacked by C. Davis for minus-12 yards PENALTY: CU guilty of holding, declined
- 2-22 C44 Montez pass complete to Stanley on the left side for 5 yards (Lee)
- 3-17 C49 Montez Pass complete to Russell on the left side for 9 yards (Lee)
- 4-8 N42 Kinney to punt. Spielman to receive. Kinney punts 39 yards to the N3. Spielman calls for and receives the fair catch. Direction change to the N4

### **NEBRASKA CORNHUSKERS (7:42)**

1-10	N4	*Martinez. Martinez pass complete to Washington on the left side for 10 yards (Abrams)	FD PASSING

- 1-10 N14 Washington rushes up the middle for 7 yards (Landman)
- 2-3 N21 Martinez scrambles, rushes to the right side for 12 yards (Taylor)
- 1-10 N33 Washington rushes over right guard for 2 yards (Landman)
- 2-8 N35 Martinez pass complete to Spielman down the left side for 65 yards and a TOUCHDOWN (6:02). PAT Kick by Armstrong is GOOD

### NEBRASKA 7, COLORADO 0 (Scoring Drive: 5 plays, 96 yards, 1:40)

Jorgensen to kickoff for Nebraska. Deep for Colorado is Nixon and Smith. The kickoff sails through the end zone for a touchback.

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### COLORADO BUFFALOES (6:02)

- 1-10 C25 \*Montez. Montez, on the keeper, rushes to the left side for minus-4 yards (C. Miller)
- 2-14 C21 Montez pass complete to Shenault on the left for 7 yards, out of bounds Originally a 12-yard gain, Play reviewed by the booth and overturned **FD PASSING**
- 3-7 C28 Montez pass complete to Fontenot over the middle for 10 yards (K. Davis) C38
- Fontenot rushes up the middle for 1 vard (Dar. Daniels) 2-9 C39 Montez pass incomplete, intended for Brown on the right sideline (QBH: C. Davis)
- 3-9 C39 Montez sacked by Tannor for minus-6 yards
- 4-15 C33 Kinney to punt. Spielman to receive. Kinney punts 49 yards to the N18. Spielman calls for and receives the fair catch. Direction change to N19

### **NEBRASKA CORNHUSKERS (3:15)**

- 1-10 N19 \*Martinez. Martinez pass complete to Spielman on the right sideline for 6 yards (Blackmon)
- 2-4 N25 Martinez pass complete to Stoll on the left side for 3 yards (Taylor)
- 3-1 N28 Martinez, on the keeper, rushes to the right side for 2 yards (Maddox)
- N30 Mills rushes up the middle for 3 yards (Taylor, Landman) 1-10
- 2-7 N33 Martinez pass complete to Washington over the middle for 28 yards (Onu)
- 1-10 C39 Washington rushes around left end for **0** yards (Taylor)
- Martinez rushes up the middle for 4 yards (Onu), he fumbles, forced by Onu, recovered by Falo at the C35, downed. Direction change to C36 2-10 C39



### COLORADO BUFFALOES (0:27)

C36 \*Montez. Fontenot rushes around left end for 4 yards (Dismuke) 1-10

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- C40 2-6 Mangham rushes over left tackle for 2 yards (Taylor-Britt)
- 3-4 C42 Montez sacked by Barry for minus-7 yards
- 4-11 C35 Kinney top punt. Spielman to receive. Kinney punts 60 yards to the N5, downed

# Quickie Statistics (1st quarter) Nebraska vs Colorado (Sep 07, 2019 at Boulder, Colo.)

	NEB	COLO
Score	7	0
FIRST DOWNS	5	4
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	7-30	91
PASSING YDS (NET)	112	51
Passes Att-Comp-Int	5-5-0	10-8-0
TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS	12-142	19-50
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)	0-0.0	2-44.0
Fumbles-Lost	1-1	0-0
Penalties-Yards	1-15	2-20
Possession Time	04:28	10:32
Third-Down Conversions	1 of 1	1 of 5
Fourth-Down Conversions	0 of 0	1 of 1

Nebraska			Colorado			
Rushing	No. Gain Loss Net	TD Lg Avg	Rushing	No. Gain Lo	ss Net TI	D Lg Avg
Adrian Martinez	3 18 0 18	0 12 6.0	Mangham, Jaren	2 11		0 9 5.5
M. Washington	3 9 0 9		Fontenot, Alex	3 8		0 4 2.7
Dedrick Mills	1 3 0 3	0 3 3.0	Montez, Steven	4 2	22 -20	0 2 -5.0
Passing	C-A-I Yds TI	D Long Sack	Passing	C-A-I	Yds TD L	ong Sack
Adrian Martinez	5-5-0 112	1 65 0	Montez, Steven	8-10-0	51 0	11 2
Receiving	No. Yards TD	Long	Receiving	No. Yards	s TD Lor	ng
JD Spielman	2 71 1	65	Brown, Tony	2 18		11
M. Washington	2 38 0	28	Fontenot, Alex	2 12		10
Jack Stoll	1 3 0	3	Russell, Brady	2 9		9
			Shenault, Lavis	1 7	7 0	7
Punting	No. Yds Avg Lo	ong In20 TB	Punting	No. Yds	Avg Long	In20 TB
Punting	No. Yds Avg Lo	ong In20 TB	<u>Punting</u> Kinney, Alex	No. Yds 2 88	Avg Long 44.0 49	
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Punt Returns	No. Yards TD	Long	Kinney, Alex Punt Returns	2 88 No. Yards	44.0 49 TD Lor	2 0
	No. Yards TD		Kinney, Alex	2 88	44.0 49 TD Lor	2 0
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Punt Returns  Kick Returns  Tackles  Eric Lee Jr.	No. Yards TD  No. Yards TD  UA-A Total Sack  3-0 3 0	Long Long  cs TFL .0 0	Kinney, Alex Punt Returns Kick Returns Tackles Taylor, Davion	2 88  No. Yards  No. Yards  UA-A Tota  3-1	44.0 49  TD Lor  TD Lor  S TD Lor  Al Sacks  4 0.0	2 0 ng ng TFL 0
Punt Returns  Kick Returns  Tackles  Eric Lee Jr. Collin Miller	No. Yards TD  No. Yards TD  UA-A Total Sack  3-0 3 0  2-0 2 0	Long Long (S TFL .0 0 .0 1	Kinney, Alex Punt Returns Kick Returns Tackles Taylor, Davion Landman, Nate	2 88  No. Yards  No. Yards  UA-A Tota  3-1  2-1	44.0 49  TD Lor  TD Lor  S TO Lor  A Sacks  4 0.0  3 0.0	2 0 ng ng TFL 0 0
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### SECOND QUARTER

### **NEBRASKA CORNHUSKERS (13:30)** 1-10 \*Martinez. Robinson rushes up the middle for 5 yards (Wells) **FD RUSHING** 2-5 N10 Washington rushes around left end for 8 yards (Abrams) 1-10 N18 Washington rushes up the middle for 1 yard (A. Jones) 2-9 N19 Martinez on the keeper, rushes to the right side for 7 yards (Maddox) 3-2 N26 Washington rushes up the middle for minus-1 yard (A. Jones) 4-3 N25 Armstrong to punt. Stanley to receive. Armstrong punt 40 yards to the C35. **PENALTY:** CU guilty of running into the kicker, **5**-yard penalty **NO PLAY FD PENALTY** 1-10 N30 Martinez pass complete to Robinson on the left hash for 25 yards (Abrams) **FD PASSING** C45 Martinez pass complete to Robinson on the right flat for 2 yards (Landman) 1-10 **FD PASSING** 2-8 C43 Martinez pass complete to Spielman over the middle for 21 yards (A. Jones) 1-10 C22 Mills rushes over right tackle for 4 yards (Landman) C18 Mills rushes around right end for **0** yards (Falo, Rodman) 2-6 3-6 C18 Martinez, on the keeper, rushes up the middle for 15 yards (Onu) **FD RUSHING** 1-G C3 PENALTY: NU guilty of a false start, 5-yard penalty **NO PLAY** 1-G C8 Mills rushes over left guard for 3 yards (Maddox) 2-G C5 Martinez scrambles, rushes to the right corner for 5 yards and a TOUCHDOWN (6:37). PAT Kick by Armstrong is GOOD NEBRASKA 14, COLORADO 0 (Scoring Drive: 13 plays, 95 yards, 6:53)

**COLORADO BUFFALOES (6:37)** 

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1-10	C25	*Montez Montez scrambles rushes up the middle for 5 yards (Dismuke)

2-5 C30 Montez pass, intended for Brown on the right side, is intercepted by L. Jackson at the C44. L. Jackson returns 1 yard (Shenault)

## NEBRASKA CORNHUSKERS (5:47)

1-10	C43	*Martinez. Spielman, on the end around to the right, rushes for <b>8</b> yards (Maddox)	
2-2	C35	Martinez pass complete to Mills on the right sideline for <b>20</b> yards (Onu)	FD PASSING
1-10	C15	Mills rushes up the middle for <b>0</b> yards (Taylor)	
2-10	C15	Washington rushes around left end for 3 yards (Landman, Onu)	
3-7	C12	Washington rushes to the right sideline for <b>3</b> yards (Maddox)	
4-4	C9	Armstrong 26-yard field goal attempt is GOOD (2:47)	

### NEBRASKA 17, COLORADO 0 (Scoring Drive: 6 plays, 34 yards, 2:59)

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1-10	C25	*Montez. PENALTY: CU guilty of delay of game, 5-yard penalty NO PLAY	
1-15	C20	Fontenot rushes up the middle for <b>2</b> yards (Honas)	
2-13	C22	Montez pass complete to Shenault on the left side for 9 yards (Taylor-Britt, Honas)	
3-4	C31	Montez pass complete to Shenault on the right hash for 7 yards (Domann)	FD PASSING
1-10	C38	Montez pass complete to Brown on the left side for 9 yards (Domann)	
2-1	C47	Fontenot rushes up the middle for <b>minus-1</b> yard (Stille, Honas)	
3-2	C46	Montez pass complete to Brown on the left sideline for 7 yards (Bootle)	FD PASSING
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### TIME OUT: Nebraska, first team (0:45)

1-10 N47 Montez pass complete to Shenault over the middle, crossing left to right, for 1 yard (Honas)

### TIME OUT: Colorado, second team (0:38)

2-9 N46 Montez pass incomplete, intended for Nixon on the right side (QBH: A. Davis)

### TIME OUT: Nebraska, second team (0:31)

3-9 N46 Montez pass incomplete, intended for Shenault on the right side, out of bounds

### TIME OUT: Colorado, third team (0:22)

4-9 N46 Kinney to punt. No players deep to receive. Kinney punts into the endzone, 26 yards

# NEBRASKA CORNHUSKERS (0:13)

1-10 N20 \*Martinez. Martinez takes the snap and kneels, team rush for minus-5 yards

# Quickie Statistics (Halftime) Nebraska vs Colorado (Sep 07, 2019 at Boulder, Colo.)

	NEB	COLO
Score	17	0
FIRST DOWNS	11	6
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	22-86	14-0
PASSING YDS (NET)	180	84
Passes Att-Comp-Int	9-9-0	18-13-1
TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS	31-266	32-84
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punt Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Kickoff Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Interception Returns-Yards	1-1	0-0
Punts (Number-Avg)	0-0.0	4-48.5
Fumbles-Lost	1-1	0-0
Penalties-Yards	2-20	4-30
Possession Time	14:33	15:27
Third-Down Conversions	2 of 4	3 of 9
Fourth-Down Conversions	0 of 0	1 of 1

Nebraska		Colorado	
Rushing	No. Gain Loss Net TD Lg Avg	Rushing No. Gain Loss Net TD Lg Av	⁄q
Adrian Martinez	6 45 0 45 1 15 7.5	Mangham, Jaren 3 13 0 13 0 9 4.	.3
M. Washington	8 24 1 23 0 8 2.9	Fontenot, Alex 5 10 1 9 0 4 1.	
Dedrick Mills	5 10 0 10 0 4 2.0	Montez, Steven 6 7 29 -22 0 5 -3.	.7
JD Spielman	1 8 0 8 0 8 8.0		
Passing	C-A-I Yds TD Long Sack	Passing C-A-I Yds TD Long Sac	<u>:k</u>
Adrian Martinez	9-9-0 180 1 65 0	Montez, Steven 13-18-1 84 0 11	3
Receiving	No. Yards TD Long	Receiving No. Yards TD Long	
JD Spielman	3 92 1 65	Brown, Tony 4 34 0 11	
M. Washington	2 38 0 28	Shenault, Lavis 4 24 0 9	
W. Robinson	2 27 0 25	Fontenot, Alex 2 12 0 10 Russell, Brady 2 9 0 9	
Dedrick Mills	1 20 0 20	Russell, Brady 2 9 0 9	
Punting	No. Yds Avg Long In20 TB	Punting No. Yds Avg Long In20	ТВ
		Kinney, Alex 4 194 48.5 60 3	1
Punt Returns	No. Yards TD Long	Punt Returns No. Yards TD Long	
Kick Returns	No. Yards TD Long	Kick Returns No. Yards TD Long	
Tackles	UA-A Total Sacks TFL	Tackles UA-A Total Sacks TFL	
Will Honas	2-2 4 0.0 1	Landman, Nate 4-2 6 0.0 0	
Marquel Dismuke	3-0 3 0.0 0	Maddox, Aaron 5-0 5 0.0 0	
Eric Lee Jr.	3-0 3 0.0 0	Onu, Mikial 4-1 5 0.0 0	
C. Taylor-Britt	2-1 3 0.0 0	Taylor, Davion 4-1 5 0.0 0	
Qtr Time	Scoring Play	V-H	
1st 06:02	NEB - JD Spielman 65 yd pass from Adrian Martinez (Is		_
2nd 06:37	NEB - Adrian Martinez 5 yd run (Isaac A		
02:47	NEB - Isaac Armstrong 26 yd field goal,	6-34 2:59 17 - 0	

## THIRD QUARTER

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	ou to kic	koff for Colorado. Robinson deep to receive. The ball sails out of the endzone for a touchback. TIME OUT: Nebraska, first team (15:00)	
0	NEBI	RASKA CORNHUSKERS (15:00)	
1-10	N25	*Martinez. Martinez, on the keeper, rushes over right tackle for 5 yards, downed	
2-5	N30	Washington rushes around left tackle for 4 yards (Maddox)	
3-1	N34	Martinez, on the keeper, rushes up the middle for 2 yards (Sami, Van Diest)	FD RUSHING
1-10	N36	Martinez pass incomplete, intended for Washington on the left sideline	
2-10	N36	Robinson, on the end around to the right, rushes for 4 yards (Landman, Blackmon) <b>PENALTY:</b> NU guilty of holding, <b>10</b> -yard penalty <b>NO</b>	O PLAY
2-20	N26	Martinez, scrambles wide left, rushes for 14 yards, out of bounds  Martinez, sacked by Plackman for minus 6 yards, be fumbles, forced Plackman, recovered by Martinez.	
3-6 4-12	N40 N34	Martinez sacked by Blackmon for <b>minus-6</b> yards, he fumbles, forced Blackmon, recovered by Martinez Armstrong to punt. Nixon to receive. Armstrong punts <b>48</b> yards to the C18, out of bounds. Direction change to C19	
	1134	Amistrong to pant. Mixon to receive. Amistrong pants 40 yards to the e16, out of sounds. Sheetion change to e15	
P	COLO	DRADO BUFFALOES (12:00)	
1-10	C19	*Montez. Fontenot rushes up the middle for <b>6</b> yards (Dismuke)	
2-4	C25	Stanley, on the end around to the right, rushes for <b>8</b> yards (Barry)	FD RUSHING
1-10	C33	Montez pass incomplete, intended for Nixon on the right side	
2-10	C33	Montez pass complete to Nixon on the right sideline for <b>6</b> yards, out of bounds	
3-4	C39	Montez pass complete to Shenault over the middle for <b>7</b> yards (Honas)	FD PASSING
1-10	C46	Mangham rushes to the right side for 5 yards (Honas)	
2-5	N49	Mangham rushes up the middle for minus-1 yard (A. Davis)	
3-6 3-11	C50 C45	PENALTY: CU guilty of a false start, 5-yard penalty NO PLAY  Montov pass complete to Niven on the right sideline for 4 yards, out of hounds	
3-11 4-7	C49	Montez pass complete to Nixon on the right sideline for <b>4</b> yards, out of bounds Kinney to punt, Spielman to receive. Kinney punts <b>40</b> yards to the N11, downed	
N	NFRI	RASKA CORNHUSKERS (8:27)	
1-10	N11	*Martinez. Mills rushes over right guard for <b>5</b> yards (Landman, Lang)	
2-5	N16	Martinez pass incomplete, intended for Robinson on the left flat	
3-5	N16	Martinez pass incomplete, intended for Stoll on the left flat (PBU: Taylor)	
4-5	N16	Armstrong to punt. Nixon to receive. Armstrong punts 41 yards to C43, out of bounds. PENALTY: NU illegal procedure, 5-yard penalty	end of the kick
P	COLO	DRADO BUFFALOES (7:41)	
1-10	C48	*Montez. Montez pass complete to Fontenot on the left sideline for 3 yards (Ferguson)	
2-7	N49	Fontenot rushes up the middle for 2 yards (K. Davis)	
3-5	N47	Montez pass incomplete, intended for Stanley. Originally called a completion for 9 yards, Play is reviewed by the booth and overturn	ed
4-5	N47	PENALTY: CU guilty of delay of game, 5-yard penalty NO PLAY	
4-10	C48	Kinney to punt. Spielman to receive. Kinney punts <b>37</b> yards to the N15. Spielman calls for and receives the fair catch.	
	NEBI	RASKA CORNHUSKERS (6:08)	
1-10	N15	*Martinez. Martinez pass complete to Washington over the middle for <b>5</b> yards (Landman)	
2-5	N20	Martinez sacked by Tchangham for minus-2 yards  TIME OUT: Nebraska, second team (4:56)	
3-7	N18	Martinez sacked by Tchangham for <b>minus-4</b> yards	
4-11	N14	Armstrong to punt. Nixon to receive. Armstrong punts <b>51</b> yards to the C35, downed. Direction change to the C36	
P	COLO	DRADO BUFFALOES (4:06)	
1-10	C36	*Montez. <b>PENALTY:</b> CU guilty of an illegal substitution, <b>5</b> -yard penalty <b>NO PLAY</b>	
1-15	C31	Mangham rushes over right guard for 1 yard (C. Miller)	
2-14	C32	Montez pass complete to Nixon on the right hash for <b>21</b> yards (C. Miller)	FD PASSING
1-10	N47	Nixon takes the pitch to the left and rushes for <b>minus-3</b> yards (Stille)	ED DASSING
2-13 1-10	N50 N36	Montez pass complete to Russell over the middle for <b>14</b> yards (Taylor-Britt), he fumbles, forced by Taylor-Britt, recovered by Russell Montez pass incomplete, intended for Brown on the right side of the endzone	FD PASSING
2-10	N36	Jackson, on the end around to the right, rushes for <b>14</b> yards (Dismuke)	FD RUSHING
1-10	N22	Montez pass complete to Mangham to the right for <b>11</b> yards (Dismuke)	FD PASSING
1-10	N11	Mangham rushes over right tackle for 11 yards and a TOUCHDOWN (1:42). PAT Kick by Stefanou is GOOD	FD RUSHING
		COLORADO 7 (Scoring Drive: 8 plays, 64 yards, 2:24)	
		koff. Robinson to receive. The kickoff bounces through the endzone for a touchback	
N	NFRI	RASKA CORNHUSKERS (1:42)	
1-10	N25	*Martinez, Martinez pass incomplete, intended for Mills on the left flat (PBU: Taylor)	
2-10	N25	Martinez pass complete to Robinson on the right sideline for <b>8</b> yards. <b>PENALTY:</b> CU guilty of personal foul, facemask, <b>15</b> -yard penalty	FD PENALTY
1-10	N48	Martinez pass complete to Robinson on the right sideline for <b>3</b> yards. <b>PERMETT.</b> Co gainty of personal rodi, facelliask, <b>13</b> yard penalty Martinez pass complete to Spielman over the middle for <b>11</b> yards (Landman)	FD PASSING
1-10	C41	Robinson rushes to the right side for <b>4</b> yards (Van Diest). <b>PENALTY:</b> NU guilty of illegal chop block, <b>15</b> -yard penalty	
1-21	N48	Mills rushes up the middle for <b>4</b> yards (Landman)	
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Martinez pass incomplete, intended for Robinson, out of bounds on the left side (QBH: Johnson)

 $Armstrong\ to\ punt.\ Nixon\ to\ receive.\ Armstrong\ punts\ \textbf{45}\ yards\ to\ the\ C3,\ downed.\ Direction\ change\ to\ the\ C4$ 

Martinez pass incomplete, intended for Spielman over the middle

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# Quickie Statistics (3rd quarter) Nebraska vs Colorado (Sep 07, 2019 at Boulder, Colo.)

	NEB	COLO
Score	17	7
FIRST DOWNS	14	13
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	32-112	23-43
PASSING YDS (NET)	204	150
Passes Att-Comp-Int	16-12-0	28-20-1
TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS	48-316	51-193
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punt Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Kickoff Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Interception Returns-Yards	1-1	0-0
Punts (Number-Avg)	3-46.7	6-45.2
Fumbles-Lost	2-1	1-0
Penalties-Yards	5-50	8-60
Possession Time	22:03	22:57
Third-Down Conversions	3 of 8	4 of 12
Fourth-Down Conversions	0 of 0	1 of 1

Nebraska		Colorado		
Rushing	No. Gain Loss Net TD Lg Avg	Rushing	No. Gain Loss Net TD	Lg Avg
Adrian Martinez	12 66 12 54 1 15 4.5	Mangham, Jaren	7 30 1 29 1	11 4.1
M. Washington	9 28 1 27 0 8 3.0	Fontenot, Alex	7 18 1 17 0	6 2.4
Dedrick Mills	7 19 0 19 0 5 2.7	Jackson, Jaylon	1 14 0 14 0	14 14.0
W. Robinson	2 9 0 9 0 5 4.5	Stanley, Dimitr	1 8 0 8 0	8 8.0
Passing	C-A-I Yds TD Long Sack	Passing	C-A-I Yds TD Lo	ng Sack
Adrian Martinez	12-16-0 204 1 65 3	Montez, Steven		21 3
Receiving	No. Yards TD Long	Receiving	No. Yards TD Long	1
JD Spielman	4 103 1 65	Shenault, Lavis	5 31 0 9	
M. Washington	3 43 0 28	Brown, Tony	4 34 0 11	
W. Robinson	3 35 0 25	Nixon, K.D.	3 31 0 21	
Dedrick Mills	1 20 0 20	Russell, Brady	3 23 0 14	
Punting	No. Yds Avg Long In20 TB	Punting	No. Yds Avg Long I	In20 TB 5 1
Isaac Armstrong	3 140 46.7 51 1 0	Kinney, Alex	6 271 45.2 60	5 1
Punt Returns	No. Yards TD Long	Punt Returns	No. Yards TD Long	-
Kick Returns	No. Yards TD Long	Kick Returns	No. Yards TD Long	_
Tackles	UA-A Total Sacks TFL	Tackles	UA-A Total Sacks	TFL
Marquel Dismuke	6-0 6 0.0 0	Landman, Nate	7-3 10 0.0	0
Will Honas	4-2 6 0.0 1	Maddox, Aaron	6-0 6 0.0	0
Collin Miller	4-0 4 0.0 1	Taylor, Davion	4-1 5 0.0	0
C. Taylor-Britt	3-1 4 0.0 0	Onu, Mikial	4-1 5 0.0	0
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02:47	NEB - Isaac Armstrong 26 yd field goal,			17 - 0
3rd 01:42	COLO - Mangham, Jaren 11 yd run (Ste	fanou, James kick),	8-64 2:24	17 - 7

### FOURTH QUARTER



### COLORADO BUFFALOES (14:36)

\*Montez. Montez hands off to Fontenot, who pitches pack to Montez. Montez pass complete to Nixon over the middle for 96 yards and a 1-10 TOUCHDOWN (14:22). PAT Kick by Stefanou is GOOD FD PASSING

NEBRASKA 17, COLORADO 14 (Scoring Drive: 1 play, 96 yards, 0:14)

Stefanou to kickoff. Robinson to receive. The kickoff sails through the endzone for a touchback.

### **NEBRASKA CORNHUSKERS (14:22)**

\*Martinez. Martinez pass complete to Washington on the left side for 75 yards and a TOUCHDOWN (14:09). 1-10

**FD PASSING** 

PAT Kick by Armstrong is GOOD

NEBRASKA 24, COLORADO 14 (Scoring Drive: 1 play, 75 yards, 0:13)

Przystup to kickoff. Shenault and Smith to receive. The kickoff is taken by Shenault and downed in the endzone for a touchback

### COLORADO BUFFALOES (14:09)

1-10	25 *	Montez.	Fontenot rushes	over left	tackle for 6	vards (	C. Miller

Montez pass complete to Fontenot over the middle for 5 yards (Barry) 2-4 C31

**FD PASSING** 

**FD PASSING** 

C36 Montez, on the keeper, rushes up the middle for **0** yards (K. Davis) 1-10

2-10 C36 Montez pass complete to Jackson over the middle for 57 yards (Lee) 1-G N7 Mangham rushes over right tackle for 7 yards and a TOUCHDOWN (12:19). PAT Kick by Stefanou is GOOD

NEBRASKA 24, COLORADO 21 (Scoring Drive: 5 play, 75 yards, 1:50)

Stefanou to kickoff. Robinson to receive. The kickoff is taken by Robinson and downed in the endzone for a touchback.

### **NEBRASKA CORNHUSKERS (12:19)**

1-10	N25	Martinez. Martinez pass complete to Mills on the right sideline for 1 yard (Maddox, Blackmo	n)
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2-9 N26 Martinez pass complete to Stoll on the left side for 1 yard (Taylor)

N27 Martinez sacked by Johnson for minus-7 yards, he fumbles, forced by Johnson, recovered by Falo 3-8

### 190 COLORADO BUFFALOES (10:50)

1-10	N20	*Montez. Mangham rushes up the middle for <b>2</b> yards (Honas)
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Montez pass incomplete, intended for Russell on the left side (Stille) N18 2-8

3-8 N18 Montez pass complete to Stanley on the right sideline for 12 yards (Lee) **FD PASSING** 

1-G N6 Mangham rushes up the middle for minus-4 yards (Thomas)

Shenault takes the direct snap and rushes around left end for 7 yards (Honas) 2-G N10

3-G Montez pass incomplete, intended for Brown in the endzone (PBU: L. Jackson) N3

Stefanou 20-yard field goal attempt is GOOD (8:30) 4-G N3

### COLORADO 24, NEBRASKA 24 (Scoring Drive: 7 plays, 17 yards, 2:20)

Stefanou to kickoff. Robinson to receive. The kickoff sails through the endzone for a touchback.

### **NEBRASKA CORNHUSKERS (8:30)**

1-10	N25	Martinez. Washington rushes over right tackle for <b>3</b> yards (Taylor)
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N28 Martinez pass incomplete, intended for Robinson over the middle

3-7 N28 Martinez scrambles, rushes to the right for 17 yards, out of bounds **FD RUSHING FD RUSHING** 

1-10 N45 Washington rushes up the middle and cuts down the right side for 40 yards (Maddox) 1-10 C15 Mills rushes over left tackle for 5 yards (Van Diest, Landman)

2-5 C10 Martinez pass incomplete, intended for Robinson on the right flat

3-5 C10

Martinez, on the keeper, rushes up the middle for 4 yards. Originally called a rush of 5 yards to C5, play is reviewed and moved back to C6

4-1 Martinez, on the keeper, rushes up the middle for 6 yards and a TOUCHDOWN (5:49). PAT Kick by Armstrong is GOOD

### NEBRASKA 31, COLORADO 24 (Scoring Drive: 8 plays, 75 yards, 2:41)

Przystup to kickoff. Shenault and Nixon to receive. The kickoff is taken by Shenault who returns 54 yards (Taylor-Britt), he fumbles, forced by Taylor-Britt recovered by Rimer. PENALTY: NU guilty of unsportsmanlike conduct, 15-yard penalty

# Quickie Statistics (4th quarter) Nebraska vs Colorado (Sep 07, 2019 at Boulder, Colo.)

	NEB	COLO
Score	31	31
FIRST DOWNS	19	21
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	43-185	35-76
PASSING YDS (NET)	290	375
Passes Att-Comp-Int	26-16-1	39-28-1
TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS	69-475	74-451
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punt Returns-Yards	0-0	1-4
Kickoff Returns-Yards	0-0	1-54
Interception Returns-Yards	1-1	1-0
Punts (Number-Avg)	5-46.2	6-45.2
Fumbles-Lost	3-2	2-1
Penalties-Yards	7-65	8-60
Possession Time	29:10	30:50
Third-Down Conversions	5 of 14	6 of 16
Fourth-Down Conversions	1 of 1	2 of 2
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Nebraska		Colorado		
Rushing	No. Gain Loss Net TD Lg Avg	Rushing	No. Gain Loss Net	TD Lg Avg
M. Washington	13 77 1 76 0 40 5.8	Mangham, Jaren	11 49 5 44	
Adrian Martinez	18 99 26 73 2 17 4.1	Fontenot, Alex	9 25 1 24	
Dedrick Mills	8 24 0 24 0 5 3.0	Jackson, Jaylon	1 14 0 14	
W. Robinson	2 9 0 9 0 5 4.5	Shenault, Lavis	2 11 0 11	0 7 5.5
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Adrian Martinez	C-A-I Yds TD Long Sack 16-26-1 290 2 75 5	Montez, Steven	28-39-1 375 2	2 96 3
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Receiving	No. Yards TD Long	Receiving		<u>Long</u>
JD Spielman	5 112 1 65	Nixon, K.D.	6 148 1	96
M. Washington	4 118 1 75	Brown, Tony	5 60 1	26
W. Robinson	3 35 0 25	Shenault, Lavis	5 31 0	9
Dedrick Mills	2 21 0 20	Russell, Brady	4 31 0	14
Punting	No. Yds Avg Long In20 TB	Punting	No. Yds Avg Lo	ng In20 TB
Isaac Armstrong	5 231 46.2 51 2 0	Kinney, Alex	6 271 45.2	60 5 1
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Punt Returns	No. Yards TD Long	Punt Returns	No. Yards TD	Long
		Nixon, K.D.	1 4 0	4
Kick Returns	No. Yards TD Long	Kick Returns	No. Yards TD	Long
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Will Honas	6-2 8 0.0 1	Landman, Nate		.0 0
Collin Miller	6-0 6 0.0 1	Taylor, Davion		.0 0
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3rd 01:42	COLO - Mangham, Jaren 11 yd run (Ste		8-64 2:24	17 - 7
4th 14:22	COLO - Nixon, K.D. 96 yd pass from Montez, Steven (S	Stefanou, James kick), 1-96 0	):14	17 - 14
14:09	NEB - M. Washington 75 yd pass from Adrian Martinez			24 - 14
12:19	COLO - Mangham, Jaren 7 yd run (Stefa		-75 1:50	24 - 21
08:30	COLO - Stefanou, James 20 yd field goa			24 - 24
05:49	NEB - Adrian Martinez 6 yd run (Isaac A			31 - 24
00:46	COLO - Brown, Tony 26 yd pass from Montez, Steven	Stefanou, James kick), 10-7	1 3:07	31 - 31

**FD RUSHING** 

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### FOURTH QUARTER (CONT.)

# NEBRASKA CORNHUSKERS (5:35)

1-10	N28	Martinez. Martinez sacked by	/ Johnson for minus-7	rards <b>PFNΔITV</b> · NII σ	uilty of intentional	grounding <b>0</b> -vard nenalty
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- 2-17 N21 Washington rushes up the middle for 2 yards (Johnson, Landman)
- 3-15 N23 Martinez on the keeper, rushes up the middle for **6** yards (Landman)
- 4-9 N29 Armstrong to punt. Nixon to receive. Armstrong punts 46 yards to the C25. Nixon returns 4 yards (Stalbird)

# COLORADO BUFFALOES (3:53)

1-10 C29 *Montez. Brown on the	the end around to the left rushes for minus-4 yards (K. Davis)
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2-14 C25 Montez pass complete to Nixon on the left sideline for 12 yards, out of bounds

### TIME OUT: Colorado, first team (2:59)

3-2	C37	Shenault takes the direct snap and rushes up the middle for 4 yards (C. Miller)	FD RUSHING
1-10	C41	Montez pass complete to Russell on the right sideline for 8 yards (Bootle)	

- 2-2 C49 Montez pass incomplete, intended for Stanley out of bounds on the left
- 3-2 C49 Fontenot rushes up the middle for 1 yard (C. Davis) Play is reviewed by the booth, ruling on the field stands
- 4-1 C50 Montez, on the keeper, rushes up the middle for **5** yards (Barry)
- 1-10 N45 Montez pass complete to Nixon on the left side for **9** yards, downed
- 2-1 N36 Mangham rushes to the left side for **10** yards (Barry)
- 1-10 N26 Montez pass complete to Brown in the far-right corner of the endzone for **26** yards and a **TOUCHDOWN (0:46) FD PASSING PAT Kick** by Stefanou is **GOOD**

COLORADO 31, NEBRASKA 31 (Scoring Drive: 10 plays, 71 yards, 3:07)

Stefanou to kickoff. Robinson to receive. The kickoff sails through the endzone for a touchback

### NEBRASKA CORNHUSKERS (0:46)

- 1-10 N25 Martinez. Martinez pass complete to Spielman on the right sideline for 9 yards, out of bounds (0:39)
- 2-1 N34 Martinez pass incomplete, intended for Noa down the right side (0:34)
- 3-1 N34 Washington rushes up the middle for **4** yards (Taylor)

TIME OUT: Colorado, second team (0:24)

1-10 N38 Martinez. Martinez pass intended for Noa, intercepted by Miller at the C15, downed.

Originally allowed a 44 yard return, play is reviewed by the booth and overturned, called down at the C15

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### **COLORADO BUFFALOES (0:18)**

1-10 C15 \*Montez. Montez takes the snap and kneels, team rush of minus-1 yard

**END OF REGULATION** 

### FIRST OVERTIME

Nebraska wins the toss and chooses defense. Colorado begins on offense, attacking the south endzone.

# COLORADO BUFFALOES

1-10	N25	*Montez. Motnez pass complete to Sheanult for 14 yards (Bootle).	
		PENALTY: CU guilty of an illegal receiver down field, 5-yard penalty  NO PLAY	FD PENALTY
1-15	N30	Fontenot rushes around left end for 18 yards (Honas)	FD RUSHING
1-10	N12	Shenault takes the direct snap and rushes up the middle for <b>minus-5</b> yards (K. Davis)	
2-15	N17	Montez pass incomplete, intended for Stanley on the left side	
3-15	N17	Montez pass incomplete, intended for Shenault in the left side of the endzone (PBU: Bootle)	
4-15	N17	Stefanou 34-yard field goal attempt is GOOD. PENALTY: NU guilty of offsides, running into the kicker, both declined	

COLORADO 34, NEBRASKA 31 (Scoring Drive: 4 plays, 8 yards)

### NEBRASKA CORNHUSKERS

- 1-10 C25 \*Martinez. Washington rushes up the middle for **0** yards (Lang)
- 2-10 C25 Washington rushes around left end for 1 yard (Maddox)
- 3-9 C24 Martinez sacked by Johnson for minus-7 vards
- 4-16 C31 Armstrong **48**-yard field goal attempt is **no good, wide right**

# Colorado Head Coach Mel Tucker

### General

"I am really proud of our players. They did a phenomenal job of just continuing to play the next play. We were never looking at the scoreboard and played for each other. It was all about execution. They showed a lot of fight. We are the best conditioned football team. Our team is built in the weight room. We talk about that and take pride in it. We knew that if we just continued to play the next play and keep scratching, we would get back in it. We knew we would eventually wear them down and then break them at the end and that is what happened. Hats go off to our players and our coaches for keeping their poise and continuing to work with our young men. The belief on this team is huge. It really means a lot to them. We have the best fans in the country. It was extremely loud, and our team fed off of it. They never gave up on us. We had so many former players here and it means so much to them and everyone affiliated with the university. We have great pride here and great tradition. We have great facilities. There is not a better place in America to be a head football coach, in my opinion. We had some big time recruits here and they could really feel the passion in this place, in this community and on this campus. It was a great day for the Buffs. My hat goes off to our entire organization and our administration. It was a team effort by everyone involved."

### On Improving From Week 1

"I thought that we would make our most improvements from game one to game two. It was just the aggregation of marginal gains is really what it came down to throughout the week. Just everyone getting a little bit better at what they needed to do and with what their job was. It was rest and recovery, technique and fundamentals, and how we practice and how we meet. We were able to improve throughout the week. By the time we got to the game, we were confident with what we could do. We felt like we had a good plan. (DC) Coach (Tyson) Summers did a great job putting together a plan for these players that was something they could execute for four quarters, sixty minutes and would give us the best chance for these guys to play fast and play physical. I was really proud of the defensive effort. It was a great team win where we played complementary football. A week ago, it was the offense who carried us until the defense could get back in. That's what good teams do and we feed off of each other. Special teams was stellar. We had some huge punts. We play field position football and just believe in what we're doing. We stay patient and eventually we will wear people down. That's what happened today. It was just a great example of playing complimentary football."

### On OC Jay Johnson's Flea Flicker Call

"Jay Johnson has called plays for a long time. It was a great play call at an opportune time. It was great execution. That's what you have to do. You have to be able to make plays in critical situations and have a competitive greatness. Be at your best when your best as needed. That was an example of that. My hat goes off to Jay and our offensive staff for that call and for other calls throughout the second half that gave our kids a chance. Then execution by our players. Just believing in what we're doing and executing at a high level in crunch time."

### On If He Was Ever Concerned Down 17-0

"No. These are long games now. They are 60-minute games, four quarter games. You have to stay with it. I've been doing this a long time. There's no such thing as a safe lead in college football. We all know that. We just continue to play. We talked to our players at halftime and said, 'They gave us their best shot. Whatever the best that they could do, we saw it in the first half.' We were able to make our adjustments and come back out and exert our will on them play in and play out. Then as a football team, we were able to wear them down. There is no need to get nervous. You just want to play the next play."

### On Experiencing The Nebraska Rivalry

"I felt it and it feels good. Not everyone gets a chance to do this, play in these rivalry games. This is what makes college football great. Players come here to CU and want to be Buffs because they want this experience to be able to compete at the highest level in these rivalry games, where it's important, with so many people and you got so much on the line. We had a great atmosphere. Our students were outstanding. The fans were great. It was loud. We fed off of our fans. We could feel the intensity of this game going into it. Our guys were able to stay focused on the task at hand. We were focused on execution. This win means a lot to so many people. We don't take that lightly. We were going to play hard."

### On Being Well Conditioned

"They just never stopped. We really pride ourselves on our conditioning. Our GPS numbers this week we're higher than they were last week, every single day. We came out on Fast Friday. We were fast yesterday in practice. Our numbers were high. Our guys looked quick. I knew that we were in great shape. I knew that Nebraska would have to come here in our place at altitude and have to play 60 minutes. We we're ready for that. There's no doubt in my mind that our guys are going to continue to work and do what it takes to be prepared for these games. These are four quarter, 60minute plus games where we have to be at our best. We have to be able to grind through the ups and downs and the momentum swings in the game and continue to work and come out victorious through preparation, hard word, being in great condition, and just having a huge belief in what we're doing."

# **Mel Tucker (Cont.)**

### **On Trust Between Coaches And Players**

"That tells me that the players trust our coaching staff and what we're asking them to do. They trust our program and our process what we're telling them to do and what we're asking them to execute on a play in and play out basis. When we communicate to our players and say, 'Here are the issues, here are the solutions to the problems, this is what we need to go out with and this is what we need to do to go out and be successful. They understand and believe in what we are telling them. They can go out there and they can do it full speed. They can be bought in 100% and go out there and compete. I'm really proud of this group. From day one, they've embraced our new staff, our new culture and what we're building here. They want to be relevant. They want to be significant. We took another step today."

### On Celebrating With The Fans

"That was a big game and that was a big win. I think everybody knows that. We share it with our fans. We had a lot of support out there today. It was built up since the day I got here, December 5th. There has been a lot of support and a lot of passion for us. It's an opportunity for our players and our coaches to be able to share in this moment with our students and with our fans. It was special for us."

### **On Fan Support**

"There was a lot of red who left here disappointed. Our fans were loud. I never sensed that they had any type of advantage. Our fans were loud. They were very supportive. We fed off of our fans. Our students were great. This is what makes CU a special place. I think you have to have tradition and facilities. This place has outstanding facilities. We have a great football tradition here. This is a football town. Football is important to a lot of people. We understand that and you could see that out there today. You could feel it from the moment we stepped onto the field until the very end when those fans rushed the field. It was just a great atmosphere for college football. I can't imagine it being better anywhere else."

### On QB Steven Montez

"Steven looked like a veteran quarterback. Football is one of those things where it doesn't always go your way. The ball bounces funny and crazy things happen out there at times. Steven showed poise, he showed patience, trusted his teammates, trusted the plan, trusted the coaches, and it became about execution. I was really proud of him. He led us and he hung in there. I saw him throw the ball away. I saw him be patient. I saw him do things that good players do. That's what good quarterbacks do. They hang in there. Your quarterback has to be your number one competitor. He competed at a very, very high level, all the way to the

very end. My hat goes off to Steven. I believe in him as a person and I believe in him as our quarterback."

### **His Message At Halftime**

"My message to the team was that they gave us their best shot and we hadn't even scratched the surface of what we could do on either side of the ball. It was just a matter of playing the next play, never looking at the scoreboard, doing what we do, believing in each other, playing harder, hitting a little bit harder and executing. When we went out into the tunnel those guys were energized. They were ready. They were ready to play ball. Our guys want to play football. We had an opportunity in the second half to come out and put our best foot forward. We did that."

### On The Run Game

"Our line was coming off the ball, giving those guys some room to work. We were able to get some yards after contact and take care of the football. They looked like a real hungry group of guys that were determined to advance the football against their (Nebraska's) will. We were able to do that. Like I've said before, you need to be able to run the football when you want to. When you need to, you need to be able to have a ground game to make things work. You don't ever want to be one dimensional. We've got good backs. We've got a good line that plays hard. They are cohesive. Our receivers block in our run game. We saw that last week. We need to be able to run the football. We got the guys to get that done."

### On Preparing The Team For Pressure Situations

"I saw it last week and I've seen it in practice. We try to make our practices harder than the games. We put these guys under pressure situations. We coach them aggressively. They never flinch. They just keep coming back for more. They did that last week as a football team. I knew that they would do it today. That's just how they're built. Our team is built in the weight room. We want to be best conditioned. We believe in each other. We are a very unselfish group. You play for the man next to you. We want to play football the way the game was meant to be played. There are lots of things that we can clean up. I think our best football is still ahead of us

# **Nebraska Head Coach Scott Frost**

### **Opening Statement**

"I just want to go back and to work. I wish I could start right now. I told the team I put this one on me, we got to find a way of seventeen nothing at halftime to win the game. Offense had chances in the third quarter to put the game away and didn't. Defense played great in the first half and made some big mistakes in the second. I've only been a part of a few as tough as that one. I'm heartbroken for the kids because they worked their butts off this week. I congratulate them, because they could have quit. They outplayed us in overtime and in certain stretches of the game, and I've got to do a better job. We all have to do a better job."

### On Deciding To Run Instead Of Pass in Overtime

"Well, to be honest with you we were talking for five minutes before overtime started about what our best runs were. They got a field goal, I didn't want to risk throwing an interception or losing the ball. We picked two of the runs that we thought were the best. I knew before the series started that we didn't have our kicker so it was just us trying to run the plays that would hopefully get us three or four yards. We had trouble running between the tackles again today so a lot of our runs had to be wide. They did a good job stopping them, they put us in a third and long – thought we called a safe pass just held onto the ball for too long. I don't know what the odds would say with a backup kicker making that length of a field goal or going for it on fourth and fourteen. But that's not a good situation to be in."

### On The Cold Start To The Third Quarter

"The guys were ready when they came out of the locker room. Right from the start we didn't get lined up for the first play right so we had to burn the timeout, that wasn't a good start. We killed two drives with penalties again. I've got to go back and see those, I didn't see them. You know, we got to have a killer instinct about us and finish drives. I really felt in that game that when they started coming back, that's when we started clicking on offense. You know, in this offense we need some big plays too and we got two really big ones today. But not what I'm used to getting in calling this offense and we've got to find ways to get some more chunk plays so we're not having to grind out twelve play drives."

### On How Colorado Adjusted To Be Successful

"I don't know if it was adjustments, they looked the same as they did in the first couple different formations. They widened their backers a little bit. Coverages were the same, everything was the same. We scored on three of our four drives in the first half and then we went zero for four in the second half. I didn't think it was an adjustment thing, we just didn't execute and they played well."

### On The Fumbled Kick Return By CU Late In The Fourth

"We've got to put the game away there too. Last year we were bad at four minute offense, and that led us to take too big of a chance on first down, that was a bad decision. Now I want to be aggressive and try to put the game away and they were in a different look than what we were expecting. Then we got a penalty which is a bad way to start a four minute drive. It would have taken a couple first downs with two timeouts at that point to kill the game, but that's what good teams do."

# On Whether Or Not The Team Held-up Physically In The Second Half

"I think the offense was fine, we left the defense out there a lot again in the second half because of the misfires on offense. The defense looked tired on a few of those drives, the one where they walked in. We've got to go back and look at the tape, we were subbing on that one. I didn't see what our defensive coaches said they subbed and the refs should have stopped it, I don't know what happened for sure there. There was a couple of times that we looked tired but I don't think that was a major problem today. We just had a hundred chances to finish that game off."

### On Maurice Washington

"Maurice played well, obviously had some big plays. I think a couple of times he has to run it up in there a little tougher. Adrian the same way, we made some bad mistakes again out there particularly in the second half and we are still a young offense but that is not an excuse. A lot of these guys have been in the offense for a couple years now. We've got to find more of a running game however we do it."

### On The Importance Of Not Getting Sacked In OT

"We do clutch, we do overtime ad nauseum in practice. You know the situations there, can't be holding the ball back there, obviously we got to do a better job coaching it. That last drive, two times this week we had fifty seconds on the clock minus forty and need a field goal to win with one timeout – so same exact situation twice this week and a dozen times in camp. As a play caller you kick yourself, you should have run something else. We picked two of the plays that have been working and we thought that they would work against the way that they have been lining up the whole game and they didn't. Then we made a bad call or a bad decision on third down."

# On If He Would Have Gone For It On Fourth Down If There Wasn't A Sack On Third Down

"I'm not a statistician, coaches were saying both things on the headset. You know we don't have our kicker, I don't really have a play call for fourth and fourteen. I think that you have to get lucky to get that. I do trust Issac as a football player, he punted well today, this isn't on him."

# Scott Frost (Cont.)

# On Not Finishing The Game Strong, Especially Looking Back At Last Year

"I have only been a part of a couple that are tougher than this. As a coach you try to stay calm on the sideline and do your job. It was tough today because of the emotions. After the sluggish start to begin the third quarter I think our offense kicked it into gear. A couple times we needed them to. We didn't play well at the same time offensively and defensively in the second half. This is one of the hardest losses I've been a part of."

### **On His Receivers**

"I got a lot of faith in Kanawai (Noa), the ball didn't seem to be finding him right now so we've got to make it happen. Didn't get it to JD (Spielman) enough, Wan'Dale (Robinson) did some good things when we got it to him, we have to get it to him more. There were times we didn't protect, we as coaches can't scheme these guys open all the time. Colorado doesn't scheme Shenault all the time, he just gets open. We are doing the best we can to get these guys in situations, we got good enough players there. I would go to battle with JD, Kanawai, Wan'Dale and the rest of those guys anytime. We got to be sharper."

### On What Went Wrong

"I don't know, its not an emotion thing. The guys were more amped up and ready to go at the start of the third quarter than I think they were the first quarter. I've got to go back and watch the tape. I know two of the drives we got a chop-block and holding that killed the drives. The first drive started terrible with us not getting the play called right and getting the players on the field right. That's on us as coaches. You know one more score and it's twenty-four to nothing, I think the stands would start emptying out. Instead, we are dealing with the noise instead of them dealing with the noise. I can't thank Nebraska fans enough. They were a difference in that game and to the people that traveled out here, I promise you guys this is going to get better."

# **Colorado Players**

### **QB Steven Montez**

ON THE GAME CHANGING 96 YARD PLAY-"That just took guts to even call that on our own five; just shows guts from Coach Johnson in the booth and send it down to us. We got the exact coverage we wanted, they were in quarters. That's what we wanted it against. We knew they thought that we were going to hand it off and run it handed off, got the pitch back, KD was screaming wide open so I just tried to give him a decent ball for him to run with."

ON HALFTIME ADJUSTMENTS-"I mean, we just kind of got it together. We all kind of just calmed down and started to play outside ourselves. We just took the coaching we were getting on the side line and applied it and good things happened for us."

ON THE LARGE AMMOUNT OF NEBRASKA FANS-"I mean that's credit to Nebraska fans, they travel really well. There was a lot of red in the stadium today, but I mean there was a lot of black and gold in the stadium which we love to see. I'm almost positive that our fans are definitely louder than there's. I mean, take that as you will. To be honest, I think they talked themselves right out of the game. I think they came in too amped up. Before the coin toss they were talking trash, they were at the bottoms of the piles talking trash. They were spitting, they were doing dirty stuff."

ON THE ATMOSPHERE OF WINNING TWO GAMES-"I mean this is a great win, but this is win number two and that's exactly how we're going to take it. We have 24 hours to enjoy it and Sunday comes we're watching the tapes and Monday comes and we're back at it ready for Airforce to come in here. And Air Force is a great team now, real tough and physical. 24 hours, That's all we got to enjoy this. It was a great win for the program but it's just win number two for us. This takes me back. It takes me back to 2016 when we have beaten Utah for the south title. I mean these are just lifelong memories you won't forget. I mean it's a burst of adrenaline just so many things are happening around you. And you're so happy with your teammates. It's just really something you can't explain with words."

ON HOW CONDITIONING GAVE AN ADVANTAGE-"I think that our conditioning played a role in this game, especially in the second half. I think Nebraska was a little bit tired here at altitude which tends to happen. I think that we use that to our advantage we run into quick pace type offense and then slowing it down a little bit when we want it to really control the tempo. The second half was huge for us. We got them on their heels and kept them there."

ON HOW THIS WIN WILL DRIVE THEM FORWARD-"I mean the biggest one is the last one. That's the kind of mentality you got to have especially playing this game at this level. This is the biggest game, biggest when that we got up to this point in the season. And next week, God willing, we will do the things we are supposed to do against Air Force, then so on and so forth. It's all just a process and you got to respect the process and you have got to be serious about the process."

ON THE CLOSING SEQUENCE WITH BROWN-"Tony's been running those go-balls in fall camp every single day, running them to perfection. We completed a ton in fall camp. When I saw matched up out there they were middle open so they had the single receiver side doubled. They were bracketing our inside receivers so I knew I had a one-on-one with Tony Brown in the corner and I knew if I gave him a good enough ball he would come down with it."

ON THE OFFENSIVE LINE IN THE SECOND HALF-"They played lights out. Shout out to the big guys up front. They played their butts off in the second half. I mean they came out and we ran the ball, we had a ton of time to throw the ball which gave our playmakers time on the perimeter. I can't say enough good things about what the O-Line did today."

ON MANGHAM'S PERFORMANCE-"It was huge. The way we play offense we kind of run the ball up the pass and make them get into a little but of midfield closed, make them respect the box a little bit. And we started gashing them and they started to respect it and we started to get single matchups on the outside which is exactly how we get those big completions down the field."

ON LOCKER ROOM ATMOSPHERE-"The locker room? It's nuts. People are throwing water everywhere. Dancing, music at full blast it's crazy."

ON MONTEZ FAMILY BACK IN EL PASO-"I hope they would want more. I hope they wouldn't see this and think, "he's had a great time here in Colorado." I mean we're trying to string together some wins here. So we're excited about what we're doing. We're excited about the offense. We're excited about the new coaching staff and we're ready to play another fame of football next Saturday. Obviously, shout out to my brother Raymond, shout out to my dad, shout out to my mom . My mom was here. My dad was in Odessa."P

# **Colorado Players (Cont.)**

### LB Nu'umotu Falo, Jr.

ON LOCKER ROOM ATMOSPHERE-"The atmosphere was great. This is what we expected you know? We didn't really see anything else happening besides us coming out with the victory. We knew it was going to be a dogfight, we knew it was going to be a fourth quarter fight. Who knew it would have gone into overtime, but we were ready for it. We prepared ourselves since January, Since we got here with Coach (Mel) Tucker. The atmosphere right now is what we're what we're building on for the rest of the season."

ON HOW TEAM KEPT THEIR HEADS UP AT HALFTIME"Football is a team sport, it takes everyone on the team for
the team to win. Whether you're traveling or not, it's a team
sport. Starting from Monday practice every every guy has to
be locked in. Starting from day one of practice for the week
Nebraska and going on throughout the week. You know
guys are trying to trying to lock in and see what they can do.
It's just people on the team getting each other to really,
really push each other instead of the coaches pushing us
really is just the players pushing each other.

ON HOW IT FELT TO HAVE AN IMPACT ON THE GAME-"I try not to look at myself as an individual, I do everything for the team. Everything is for the team. Football, like I mentioned a team sport. Whatever I do doesn't really contribute to myself, I see that as a team step. What I did out there was really just to help the team win."

ON HOW TEAM CAN KEEP THIS MOMENTUM-"Keep doing what we're doing Honestly. I think this team knows exactly what we have to do, and if we just keep doing that then I think we're going to be very successful. The team doesn't see us really losing anything but it really starts with us. It starts with us going out there on Monday and having a great mindset to going out there and and winning the day and then going throughout the whole week and getting ready for game day."

ON IF THIS COACHING STAFF HANDLES TIGHT SITUATIONS BETTER-"Each coaching staff is different. We know this this coaching staff has prepared us since the day they got here. Coach (Mel) Tucker has been preaching what he preaches, and he didn't wait till fall camp. he didn't really waste any time. The situations that we go through in practice, we know that we've gone through all of them since coach got here. I really think he's done a great job preparing for it."

### **DT Mustafa Johnson**

ON RALLYING TOGETHER IN THE SECOND HALF-"We stayed together. We never had a doubt in our minds that we we're going to lose the game. We stayed positive and kept pushing each other. We knew we weren't going to quit, we were going to fight this game to the very end, and that's how it came out."

ON DEFENSIVE HALFTIME ADJUSMENTS -"We just go with our coaches, they are seeing stuff we are messing up on, and I think the players are locking on to some of that kind of stuff. I wish we could come out better, but it's all about finishing it in the end. It's all little things, little critiques that we can get better with. It's a game of inches, so we're going to do whatever we need to do to get it done."

ON THE FINAL FIELD GOAL-"I was ecstatic. Next thing I knew all the fans were running on the field, hitting me and what not. It was amazing. I honestly have never been a part of something like that."

ON HOW SPECIAL THIS GAME WAS-"This game was way bigger than last year's game. This year we had all of our fans right here with us, and not just the fans who could make it. So, there was definitely a big difference from this year and last year. Today, it was loud and we could feel all of the energy."

ON ENJOYING THE WIN-"I was not apart of the chanting towards them at the end of the game, I was not apart of that. But I love the way it felt. I happened to be walking through campus on Friday with all of my senior gear on, and Nebraska fans were booing me, so it's great being able to send them home with a loss."

ON KEEPING THE MOMENTUM GOING-"We have to trust our coaches. We have to trust our coaches and execute what they tell us to do. That's what it's coming down to, just execute what they tell us to do. Our coaching staff has a lot of experience, and they know what they are talking about, so we just need to trust them and do what they tell us to do."

ON THE LOCKER ROOM AT HALFTIME-"Everybody kept their heads up. That's what I was worried about when everyone was walking in because we were down seventeen to zero going into the half. It could have gone one of two ways, we could have either tucked our tails in and gotten ready for the second half, or we could have kept our heads up, gotten behind each other, gone through our adjustments, and be ready to come out and play the second half, which is what we did."

# **Colorado Players**

### WR K.D. Nixon

ON HIS FLEA FLICKER TOUCHDOWN-"I want to give credit to the coaches. Coach Johnson he called the play, I just did my job."

ON NEBRASKA FANS LEAVING THE STADIUM-"I don't know how to answer that, because we can't talk bad about other opponents. But I just want to focus on my team. I'm glad we got the win."

ON THE MEANING OF HIS LONG TOUCHDOWN CATCH-"Honestly, I mean, we practice it like every day in practice. So It's really just a play that I just had to you know, execute that's what coach talks about 24/7, execution, execution. Don't worry about the other team, just do your job man. Basically, making that play really just made me happy because I know what type of player I am. If I make a big play, I know the team will get excited. And that's all we need other players to make plays and once we all make plays, we all feed off each other."

ON WHAT THIS WIN SAYS ABOUT THE SEASON-"I'm going to tell you the truth we won back in summer workouts. We had the hardest summer workouts I've had in my life. So credit to the strength staff, credit to coach Tucker for telling them do that but also it's a big win, it's a big rivalry. We really don't understand the rivalry because we are from different states. But once we knew we had this game we knew that we had to step up."

ON WHAT COACH TUCKER SAID AT HALFTIME-"I mean, honestly, Coach Tucker is one of the players coach. That's something that we all love about him. So he really just came in and said, hey, you're doing the right thing, just keep being you. That's what we like as a coach. You know, you don't want to come into halftime and just be told you're messing up or you're doing the wrong thing or you're not connected. He came in a positive, talked to everybody, crunk everybody up and so we went out there and we just knew. I told Nate, I said, I got you, you got me. And in the second half, it was history."

ON WHAT WAS DONE DURING THE OFFSEASON-"Honestly, just relentless strength you know, you heard coach talk about it, 24/7 is not a joke. I don't think anybody outside this football team could play with the Colorado Buffaloes. I guarantee you anybody on another college football team would quit because it's just how hard it was, and we all stick together and that just showed in fourth quarter we didn't win today, we won back in summer workouts. Back when Coach Tucker came in December 4th. That's what some people don't understand that's why we're happy, but at the same time it's 24 hour roof. We know right back tomorrow we have to be here for treatment and get back to work so we're waiting on that moment."

### **WR Tony Brown**

ON HIS GAME WINNING CATCH HIS SENIOR YEAR-"You know, I didn't play well before that or the series before, obviously I dropped a catch in the end zone. My teammates were telling me to pick myself up, you know, Montez is going to come back right to me, I picked my head up, had confidence in myself. When the play was called, you know, I knew it was coming to me, you know, so I had to make a play for my teammates. You know, where's my teammates? You know, so that's what I had to do to add expectations for myself to make that play."

ON WHAT IT FELT LIKE TO TRANSFER-"Definitely, not playing a year was pretty tough for me, but I use that year to work on my craft and get better. And, you know, I have a lot of expectations for me this year, you know, stepping up my game, you know, playing any role that coach wants me playing."

ON HIS MONTEZ BRSHING MISTAKES ASIDE-"You know, obviously, we had a bit of a start, but we made our adjustments, you know, me and him sat down, we talked about locker room, you know since we have that chemistry it was just made but you know, with all the receivers, the running backs, the whole offense, you know, we knew what we had to do. So We just had to talk to them and get our mind right and we came out in the second half, and we got it done."

ON THE OFFENSIVE ADJUSTMENTS-"I would just say, you know, just knowing what we got to do, you know, we see the type of defense that they run, we have a play set up. We made those adjustments in the locker room, we saw what they were doing in the first half, We made those adjustments and like I said, we just got it done."

# **Colorado Players (Cont.)**

### **ILB Nate Landman**

ON WHAT THE DEFENSE WAS SAYING TO EACH OTHER"Yeah you know, the offense struggled a little bit but in the
second half, they came out and played hard. I think as a
defense we played a hard four quarters and overtime, every
snap, you know, and that's credit to our defensive line and
secondary. You know, we didn't really give up too many
things, and they beat us on explosive plays on the edge.
Martinez was able to extend drives with his feet and those
were our halftime adjustments and once we were able to get
those you know they couldn't run in the middle or get on the
edge. And you know, I think we had three or four three and
outs getting our ball back to our offense and once they got
rolling they couldn't be stopped."

ON WHAT IT WAS LIKE PLAYING IN THAT ENVIRONMENT—"It kind of reminded me a little bit last year. You know, there was a lot of red but there was a lot of CU support too and I you know, I love how small our sidelines are, we have the support right there. You know people cheering us on and whether it gets quiet or super loud, you know, we feed off the energy, and I think by having that crowd and that support it really pushed us to get that win for our CU fans because they show great support and you know, the history of this game is awesome. And we have we had a lot of old players in our locker room and you know, they were talking to us and we wanted to get that win not only for us but for our fans and the history of this program."

ON IF IT WAS MOTIVATING TO SEE ALL THE RED-For me yes, you know, I try to block, you know when I'm playing out there I block it out. But seeing that missed field goal at the end and seeing our fans rush the field, it's a feeling that you know not many people have experienced having played in that game and to bring that home, that win home for boulder was just amazing."

ON WHAT IT MEANS TO SEE HALFTIME ADJUSTMENTS WORKING-"You know, this is what I expect out of our defense. You know, we didn't know how it would work last week given that we had a lot of young guys playing and a lot of rotation in our defense but I think that's a credit to us believing in our coaches and really buying into what they're teaching us and executing their calls. And you know, having those young guys, it takes a little bit but you know they adapted well and you know we didn't do as well as you wanted in the first half but the second half we dominated and those are due to those adjustments."

ON HOW IMPORTANT THIS WIN IS-"Yeah definitely, you know, our coach told us all week, we're going to take our biggest strides from week one to week two and I believe we did that using this game as kind of a base. Now and improving on this week and using the third game as a base now, I think you know, we just want to focus on one game at a time but having this win in the back of our mind and knowing that we're a team that can come back from adversity and you know, play all four quarters a game and if we have to, overtime and get the job done."

# **Nebraska Players**

### **OB Adrian Martinez**

ON NOT FINDING RHYTHM IN FOURTH QUARTER-"I can't sit here and point at one thing I would have to go back and watch the film. But the offense needed to put it away at that point and make something happen and we can't afford that type of quarter and those possessions. We couldn't help out our defense and be good teammates."

ON EMOTIONAL SWING DURING HALFTIME-"We were 17-0 at halftime and I think a quality of a good football team is not letting that get to you. There are a lot of significant events but you have to keep your head level and play your game and I think we could probably do a better job of that as a team."

ON ENDING UP ON THE LOSING SIDE AGAIN-"We let our fans down and we let Coach Frost down and we wanted to win this game. We wanted this game. We had that mindset coming in and we lost. Plain and simple. We're going to have to bounce back and that's tough. But like I told the guys in the locker room, remember this feeling, and let's not feel this again. This stuff will happen but good teams will bounce back. That's where my heads out right now. Obviously I feel terrible. We wanted to win this game."

ON THE TURNOVERS-"I think whether you're home or away turnovers is a stat that means a lot. It could be the tell of the game. It's something I have to do a better job of and offense needs to do a better job of. Obviously, the three turnovers came from me and that's something we're going to continuously work on and get better at. We know that good teams can't turn the ball over that much and expect to win the game."

ON THE OVERTIME SACK-"I got stopped. I'll have to look back on film but it kind of got me in the middle of a bad spot. You got to make things happen. I'm not going to sit here and make excuses for anything and that's on me. But the snap was freaking 5,000 feet over my head? I don't care, there's no excuses. That's a lesson to myself. Who cares where the snap is? I've got to make the play."

### RB/WR Wan'Dale Robinson

ON OFFENSIVE WOES IN THE SECOND HALF-"The offense came out slow in the third quarter. Ultimately, we didn't execute. They started putting pressure on the ball and it got difficult, but ultimately we didn't execute."

### **LB Mohamed Barry**

ON GAME LOST- "We just didn't execute. Myself included. I didn't' play well. I played a poor game. It was one of my worst games and I'm not going to make excuses. In the second half, we should have stopped them from running the ball period. We thought we were going to win this game, but what happened, happened. Honestly, it was back and forth. After the first half, I thought we were going to win because we gave it to them. We were better than that team and in the second half we just didn't finish. [Finishing games] is the biggest thing we have to do. Our best players have to play their [best] ball in the second half. It's about execution and that's what we needed to do in the second half."



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Colorado Buffaloes (2-0) 34, Nebraska Cornhuskers (1-) 31 (OVERTIME)

(Folsom Field, Boulder; September

MISCELLANEO	US STATISTICS	(F)			
FINAL SCORE	34	31			
	_ead <i>(Tied 12:25)</i>		47:35		
		78-464	72-469		
	s-Yards	31-128	24-100		
	n Plus Territory	9 of 14	6 of 15		
	ards	33/216	32/231		
Average on First Do	6.5	7.2			
· ·		2.2 (11-24)	4.7 (15-71)		
			9.4 (17-160)		
		20/2.8	19/5.0		
	(includes sacks)	13/12.4	13/10.5		
Second Down Effic	8-26	8-24			
	<i>,</i>	1-11	7-12		
		7-15	1-12		
Yards Gained		191	204		
	ncv	6-17	5-15		
	J	2-4	5-9		
		4-13	0-6		
	o Go (All)	7.6	6.3		
First Half	8.9	3.5			
Average Yards	4.8	2.8			
Yards Gained	50	28			
3rd & 5 or less	4-8	3-5			
3rd & 6 or more.		2-9	2-10		
Fourth Down Effici	ency (Yards)	2-2 (7)	1-1 (6)		
	Average FP	14/C20	15/N20		
First Half		5/C27	5/N21		
		9/C37	10/N28		
Drives Started In	side/At Own 20	3 (3/0)	6 (5/1)		
Drives Started In	Plus Territory	1 (3 pts)	1 (3 pts)		
Three Plays & O	ut	3	5		
Opponent Turnove	rs (Pts)	3 (3)	2(3)		
Scores-Times Pene	etrated The 20 (pts)	4-4 (20)	3-3 (21)		
Plays-Yards		10-28	11-44		
Third Down Effic	iency	1-3	1-2		
Yards by Quarter:	1st	45	141		
	2nd	39	125		
	3rd	109	50		
	4th	258	159		
	OT	13	- 6		
*—red zone is inside-the-20 ("the 20 is NOT in the zone"—the creator.)					

ATTENDANCE Today's attendance of 52,829 (sellout) is the largest (and third crowd of 50,000-plus) since Folsom was reconfigured ahead of the 2015 season (club seats swapped in for bleacher seating in the north end zone and northeast corner). The other two crowds were: 52,681 against Arizona State last Oct. 6 (Family Weekend, not a sellout as the student section was oversold) and the last sellout, 52,301 against Utah on Nov. 26, 2016.

**12** Montez

2 Shenault

34 Johnson

**CU GAME CAPTAINS** 

▶ This was CU's largest home opener crowd since 2009 (53,168 vs. Colorado State).

**QUICKLY** Colorado is now **7-8** in overtime games in its history (1-1 vs. Nebraska; in the 1999 OT game won by the Huskers, CU rallied from down 27-3 tie the game but missed a 33-yarder that would have won it; NU held CU to a field goal in OT as it did today, but scored a TD on its possession to win) ... The Buffaloes snapped an 8-game losing streak against (AP) ranked teams, its last win coming over No. 21 Utah in 2016 ... CU has won 13

straight non-conference games in the state's borders (eight in Boulder, five in Denver) ... Nebraska now leads the series 49-20-2 (23-11-2 in Boulder) ... CU was last shutout in the first half at Utah on Nov. 25, 2017 (down 28-0); last time at home on Nov. 11, 2017 (USC led, 20-0) ... Colorado gained 258 yards in the fourth quarter after having 193 at the end of three ... Colorado's first 10 plays in NU territory were for net negative 6 yards; the last 21 gained 134 yards ... Colorado had six quarterback sacks in the game, **four** coming on third downs (all in the second half) ... The Buffs have now made 106 consecutive PAT kicks dating back to October 2016 ... CU has now scored 54 of its last 55 times in goal-to-go situations (45 TD/9 FG) over the course of its last 29 games.

### FIRST CAREER ...

► ACTION: OLB Joshka Gustav (on special teams). ► START: None

MONTEZ-TO-NIXON'S 96-YARDER ... It took nearly 65 years to break one of the oldest records in school history, but the 96-yard pass was the longest play from scrimmage in Colorado history. It was the longest play since Robert Hodge-to-Jeremy Bloom covered 94 yards for a touchdown against Kansas State on Oct. 5, 2002. The longest plays in sum history:

### COLORADO / ALL-TIME LONGEST PLAYS FROM SCRIMMAGE

- Steven Montez to K.D. Nixon vs. Nebraska in Boulder, Sept. 7, 2019 (TD).
- Emerson Wilson run vs. Kansas State in Boulder, Nov. 20, 1954 (TD).
- Robert Hodge to Jeremy Bloom vs. Kansas State in Boulder, Oct. 5, 2002 (TD).
- Koy Detmer to Charles Johnson vs. Oklahoma in Boulder, Oct. 17, 1992 (TD).
- 91 Kayo Lam run vs. Brigham Young at Provo, Oct. 20, 1934 (TD).
- Bob West run vs. New Mexico in Pueblo, Nov. 4, 1944 (TD).
- Eddie Dove run vs. Kansas in Boulder, Oct. 5, 1957 (TD).
- Marc Walters to Jeff Campbell vs. Kansas State in Boulder, Nov. 19, 1988 (TD). Kov Detmer to Herchell Troutman vs. Colorado State in Boulder, Sept. 9, 1995.
- Steven Montez to Laviska Shenault vs. Colo. St. in Denver, Aug. 31, 2018 (TD).
- Mike Moschetti to Javon Green vs. Oklahoma in Boulder, Oct. 30, 1999 (TD).
- ▶ LONGEST FLEA FLICKER IN COLLEGE FOOTBALL HISTORY: SBNation is reporting the play was the longest "flea-flicker" in college football history.

1-3/FOURTH A defensive battle through three quarters (24) points, 509 yards) did a 180 in the fourth, when the teams combined for 38 points and 417 yards.

**WACKY STAT OF THE GAME** Nebraska was 7-of-12 on second down in the first half, but was held to 1-of-12 in the second half.

### INDIVIDUAL LINER NOTES

- ▶ QB Steven Montez (41-28-1, 375, 2 TD, 156.3 QBR passing; 8-(-17) rushing; 358 yards total offense).
- —He is now **14-15** as CU's starting quarterback; his **29** starts are now sixth-most in CU history.
- -His 26 consecutive regular season starts trail only Kordell Stewart (33, 1992-94) and Gale Weidner (31, 1959-61).
- —He moved into second place on CU's all-time passing yards list (7,448), trailing only Sefo Liufau (9,568) as he passed Cody Hawkins (7,409) and Joel Klatt (7,375) this afternoon.
- —He topped the 8k mark in total offense (8,277) and again only trails only Liufau (10,509).
- —He now has **50** career TD passes (trailing 60 by both Liufau and Cody Hawkins).

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### ► WR K.D. Nixon (6-148, 1 TD receiving).

He had the third 100-yard game of his career, and in the process 51st on CU's all-time receiving yards list into 41st with 830 yards. That included passing Jeff Campbell who was in 41st; Jeff was on hand to sub for Gary Barnett (who was ill) as analyst on KOA-Radio.

—He also moved from 48th into 40th in receptions with 62.

### ► WR Laviska Shenault (5-31 receiving).

He moved from 17th into 16th on CU's all-time receiving yards list (1,258), but with five receptions, he became the 18th player to record 100 career catches, ending the game with 101.

### ► PK James Stefanou (4-4 PAT, 2-2 FG, 10 points)

—He is now 19th in scoring at Colorado (151 points, which has him for eighth in kick-scoring).

—He is now 76-of-76 in PAT kicks in his career and 25-of-33 in field goals.

- ▶ **CB Chris Miller** had his first career interception.
- ▶ **DE Mustafa Johnson** had three sacks (for 21 yards) in losses; the first Buff with three since Leo Jackson against Texas State in 2017 (which was the first time since Josh Hartigan had three against Kansas State in 2010). So the third time in 10 seasons.

### **MORE TEAM NOTES**

► The attendance of 52,829 was the largest at Folsom since 2010, when 52,855 were in the house for the Georgia game (a 29-27 win).

**TUCKER JOINS ELITE CU COMPANY** Mel Tucker is the 10th coach (out of 26) in CU history to win his first two games:

Year	Coach	Wins	First Two Opponents
1894	Harry Heller	7	EAST DENVER H.S., at Denver A.C.
1905	Willis Kleinholtz	6	at North Denver H.S., at Regis
1900	T,W, Mortimer	5	at Denver Manual H.S. at Denver West H.S.
1995	Rick Neuheisel	5	at Wisconsin, NE LOUISIANA
1895	Fred Folsom	3	DENVER MANUAL H.S., DENVER WHEEL
1903	Dave Cropp	3	at State Prep School, UTAH
1920	Myron Witham	2	at Denver, at Wyoming
1932	William Saunders	2	at Colorado Mines, UTAH STATE
2013	Mike MacIntyre	2	*Colorado State, CENTRAL ARKANSAS
2019	Mel Tucker	2	*Colorado State, NEBRASKA

**COMEBACKS** CU rallied from a **17**-point deficit to win, tying its fourth-largest comeback in school history. The top comebacks:

Trailed By	Time, Qtr.	Final	Opponent (Date)
<b>20</b> ( 7-27)	8:01, 3Q	28-27	at Missouri (Oct. 28, 1978)
<b>19</b> ( 0-19)	13:18, 4Q	20-19	KANSAS (Oct. 7, 1961)
<b>18</b> (17-35)	8:20, 3Q	43-38	at Iowa State (Nov. 8, 1997)
<b>17</b> ( 0-17)	7:00, 3Q	21-20	at Minnesota (Sept. 19, 1992)
<b>17</b> ( 7-24)	12:23, 3Q	27-24	OKLAHOMA (Sept. 29, 2007)
<b>17</b> (14-31)	14:47, 4Q	35-34	at Washington State (Sept. 22, 2012)
17 ( 0-17)	4:06,3Q	34-31	NEBRASKA (Sept. 7, 2019)



# **Nebraska Post-Game Notes**

### Nebraska at Colorado, Sept. 7, 2019

- Nebraska, playing an overtime game for the seventh consecutive season, fell to 8-6 all-time in overtime. The Huskers have lost their last five overtime games since winning at lowa on Nov. 28, 2014.
- With 31 points, Nebraska scored 28 points or more in its eighth straight game against Colorado, including 27 or more points in nine straight visits to Folsom Field.
- Nebraska held Colorado scoreless in the first half, marking the first time the Huskers have blanked an opponent in the first half since a 28-7 win over Maryland on Nov. 19, 2016 in Lincoln.
- Nebraska junior linebacker **Will Honas** had a career-high nine tackles in the game, bettering his eight-tackle effort last season against Troy.
- Sophomore quarterback **Adrian Martinez** completed 16-of-26 passes for 290 yards and two touchdowns. He also rushed for 19 times for 66 yards and two touchdowns to account for 356 yards of total offense and tie his career high with four total touchdowns. Today's game marked Martinez's eighth career game with 300 yards of total offense, including two games against Colorado.
- In his last five road games dating back to last season, Martinez is averaging 351.8 yards of total offense. In those five games, Martinez has rushed 82 times for 308 yards (61.6 ypg) with six touchdowns. He has completed 113-of-174 passes (64.9%) for 1,451 yards (290.2 ypg) and eight touchdowns in his last five road games.
- Martinez passed for 290 yards to increase his career total to 3,085, making him the 12<sup>th</sup> player in Nebraska history with 3,000 career passing yards.
- Nebraska junior receiver **JD Spielman** had a 65-yard touchdown reception to open the scoring. The touchdown marked his sixth career touchdown of 65 yards or more.
- Spielman caught five passes for 112 yards in the game, marking his fifth career 100-yard receiving game, tying him for fifth place on the NU career chart. Spielman has caught a pass in 23 straight games and has multiple receptions in all 23 of those games. He increased his career receiving yardage total to 1,796 to move past Terrence Nunn (1,762 yards) into sixth place on the NU career chart.
- Nebraska sophomore running back **Maurice Washington** had a 75-yard touchdown reception in the fourth quarter. Washington caught four passes for a career-high 118 yards, good for his second career 100-yard receiving game (102 at Iowa, 2018). He joins Marlon Lucky and Cory Ross as the only Nebraska backs to have two 100-yard receiving games in their career.
- With Spielman and Washington both topping 100 receiving yards, it marked the first time since Oct. 28, 2017 at Purdue that a pair of Huskers each had 100 receiving yards in the same game (Stanley Morgan Jr. 112; Tyler Hoppes 105).
- Nebraska had a five-play, 96-yard touchdown drive on its first possession to take a 7-0 lead. Nebraska has scored a touchdown on both of
  its opening possessions this season, and has scored a touchdown on its first possession in nine of 14 games under Head Coach Scott Frost.
   Scott Frost-coached teams (UCF, Nebraska) have scored a touchdown on their opening possession 18 times in 27 games over the past three seasons.
- The 96-yard touchdown drive on Nebraska's first possession was the longest scoring drive on the opening drive under Scott Frost. The previous long was 81 yards last week and against lowa in the regular-season finale in 2018. Five of Nebraska's last six scoring drives on its opening possession have covered 75 yards or more.
- Nebraska had first-half scoring drives of 96 and 95 yards. That marked the first time under Scott Frost Nebraska has had two scoring drives of more than 90 yards.
- Nebraska's trip to Boulder was its first since the 2009 regular-season finale, and its first in the stadium of a former Big 12 opponent since leaving the conference prior to the 2011 season.
- The 96-yard touchdown pass from Colorado's Steven Montez to K.D. Nixon was the second-longest pass play ever against Nebraska, bettered only by a 98-yard touchdown pass by Missouri in 1976.