



Score By Quarters & Halves



OFFENSE

Season	1st	2nd	Half	3rd	4th	Half	Total
1937	55	63	118	82	48	130	248
1946	21	38	59	19	13	32	91
1947	13	34	47	20	23	43	90
1948	59	31	90	26	52	78	168
1949	21	48	69	26	34	60	129
1950	52	54	106	80	41	121	227
1951	48	82	130	57	102	159	289
1952	54	74	128	65	53	118	246
1953	27	55	82	63	56	119	201
1954	66	73	139	74	70	144	283
1955	25	71	96	35	72	107	203
1956	21	100	121	81	65	146	267
1957	61	80	141	61	48	109	250
1958	89	25	114	41	52	93	207
1959	20	36	56	22	66	88	144
1960	33	55	88	21	31	52	140
1961	47	37	84	31	62	93	177
1962	27	26	53	19	50	69	122
1963	20	0	20	33	47	80	100
1964	31	17	48	31	22	53	101
1965	28	54	82	33	48	81	163
1966	47	53	100	23	68	91	191
1967	46	78	124	36	54	90	214
1968	21	72	93	72	55	127	220
1969	48	85	133	24	72	96	229
1970	69	99	168	69	69	138	306
1971	57	99	156	82	103	185	341
1972	24	94	118	86	106	192	310
1973	66	61	127	53	60	113	240
1974	54	37	91	53	82	135	226
1975	62	78	140	113	57	170	310
1976	54	88	142	84	69	153	295
1977	63	82	145	52	69	121	266
1978	48	63	111	76	43	119	230
1979	46	41	87	30	51	81	168
1980	17	59	76	34	50	84	160
1981	28	44	72	27	42	69	141
1982	44	41	85	35	40	75	160
1983	48	66	114	55	83	138	252
1984	16	37	53	57	62	119	172
1985	65	58	123	30	58	88	211
1986	65	62	127	47	59	106	233
1987	57	111	168	49	51	100	268
1988	92	76	168	55	82	137	305
1989	115	151	266	107	79	186	452
1990	72	89	161	105	123	228	389
1991	71	91	162	82	60	142	304
1992	55	98	153	54	111	165	318
1993	59	113	172	72	83	155	327
1994	118	93	211	85	102	187	398
1995	111	115	226	72	108	180	406
1996	71	120	191	57	71	128	-- 319
1997	42	61	101	97	100	197	-- 300
1998	53	57	120	59	72	131	-- 251
1999	72	83	155	53	125	178	10 343
2000	72	81	153	52	47	99	-- 252
2001	107	114	221	73	102	175	-- 396
2002	89	103	192	84	87	171	7 370
2003	86	114	200	60	53	113	6 319
2004	78	62	140	60	71	131	-- 271
2005	61	98	159	62	74	136	-- 295
2006	53	49	102	40	40	80	14 196
2007	82	96	178	79	71	150	3 331

DEFENSE

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1937	0	13	13	13	0	13	26
1946	39	55	84	36	17	53	147
1947	21	59	80	14	68	82	162
1948	16	50	66	37	61	98	164
1949	41	58	99	37	48	85	184
1950	20	51	71	32	69	101	172
1951	68	59	127	41	61	102	229
1952	48	30	78	33	47	80	158
1953	70	40	110	35	49	84	194
1954	12	20	32	20	39	59	91
1955	42	47	89	24	36	60	149
1956	27	13	40	41	41	82	122
1957	35	13	48	28	61	89	137
1958	27	25	52	28	42	70	122
1959	59	44	103	61	13	74	177
1960	19	19	38	44	51	95	133
1961	20	26	46	20	13	33	79
1962	58	101	159	126	61	187	346
1963	49	62	111	62	72	134	245
1964	55	47	102	16	38	54	156
1965	24	40	64	3	39	42	106
1966	23	34	57	31	44	75	132
1967	29	10	39	22	31	53	92
1968	46	54	100	69	75	144	244
1969	27	87	114	41	39	80	194
1970	46	47	93	48	48	96	189
1971	38	55	93	68	42	110	203
1972	36	55	91	35	56	91	182
1973	41	60	101	55	94	149	250
1974	57	95	152	88	67	155	307
1975	48	77	125	54	34	88	213
1976	55	62	117	31	50	81	198
1977	17	51	68	51	55	106	174
1978	37	39	76	67	63	130	206
1979	48	70	118	57	99	156	274
1980	122	151	273	86	92	178	451
1981	62	83	145	85	92	177	322
1982	65	93	158	56	87	143	301
1982	57	131	188	82	72	154	342
1983	79	115	194	67	103	170	364
1984	20	49	69	55	30	85	154
1986	20	59	79	36	57	93	172
1987	52	33	85	38	57	95	180
1988	40	54	94	56	26	82	176
1989	41	32	73	21	56	77	150
1990	78	42	120	36	64	100	220
1991	27	39	66	44	40	84	150
1992	16	58	74	76	48	124	198
1993	42	44	86	47	87	134	220
1994	43	36	79	81	51	132	211
1995	57	79	136	46	52	98	234
1996	46	64	110	45	44	89	-- 199
1997	52	114	166	61	68	129	-- 295
1998	43	60	103	34	73	107	-- 210
1999	46	101	147	62	68	130	6 283
2000	49	87	136	73	75	148	-- 284
2001	55	117	172	30	78	108	-- 280
2002	71	96	167	60	67	127	0 294
2003	74	109	183	113	99	212	3 398
2004	56	86	142	58	101	159	3 304
2005	63	109	172	71	45	116	3 291
2006	55	58	113	31	106	137	17 267
2007	52	115	167	123	63	186	0 353



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Season	1st	2nd	Half	3rd	4th	Half	Total
2008	49	58	107	55	77	132	3 242
2009	34	80	114	84	69	153	-- 267
2010	53	84	137	108	45	153	-- 290
2011	34	76	110	75	69	144	3 257
2012	41	69	110	45	59	104	-- 214
2013	58	80	138	37	130	167	-- 305
2014	69	130	199	68	62	130	13 342
2015	73	97	170	74	73	147	3 320
2016	127	136	263	88	76	164	-- 427
2017	76	72	148	78	91	169	-- 317
2018	94	96	190	96	39	135	0 325
2019	60	78	138	63	78	141	3 282
2020	28	63	91	41	16	57	-- 148
2021	40	63	103	56	56	112	10 225
2022	16	56	72	47	59	106	7 185
2023	69	82	137	49	116	165	22 324
2024	105	95	200	114	107	221	7 428

DEFENSE

Season	1st	2nd	Half	3rd	4th	Half	Total
2008	85	96	181	103	67	170	0 351
2009	92	100	192	62	92	154	-- 346
2010	52	119	171	78	120	198	-- 369
2011	142	118	260	107	102	209	6 475
2012	136	190	326	114	112	226	-- 552
2013	114	157	271	118	70	188	-- 459
2014	123	112	235	135	79	214	19 468
2015	108	85	193	79	85	164	0 357
2016	69	63	132	75	59	134	-- 266
2017	59	112	171	75	92	167	-- 338
2018	52	111	163	84	73	157	7 327
2019	82	113	195	76	104	180	7 382
2020	27	29	56	42	37	79	-- 135
2021	41	107	148	86	79	165	7 320
2022	119	168	287	136	111	247	0 534
2023	90	124	214	102	85	187	17 418
2024	94	95	189	45	66	111	0 300

MEMORABLE QUARTERS / HALVES

Oct. 20, 1934 (48-6 win at Brigham Young): Leading by just 14-6 after three quarters, three weeks before CU adopts "Buffaloes" as its official nickname, the then-Silver & Gold score 34 fourth quarter points to earn a decisive win.

Oct. 19, 1935 (58-0 win over Colorado Mines): The Buffaloes score 38 points in the third quarter behind quarterback Kayo Lam, who scored four times in the game and had runs of 44, 31, 79, 57 and 40 yards in rushing for 265 yards on just seven carries.

Oct. 7, 1961 (20-19 win over Kansas): Trailing the Jayhawks 19-0 entering the fourth quarter, Gale Weidner throws then a school-record three touchdown passes in rallying the Buffs to the win; later that year, CU would win its first Big Eight Conference title.

Sept. 30, 1978 (55-7 win over Northwestern): A 14-7 game at halftime turns into a rout when James Mayberry scores on four short TD runs in a 27-point third quarter; CU adds to more scores in the fourth for a 41-point second half.

Oct. 14, 1989 (52-17 win at Iowa State): It's a 10-10 game one play into the second quarter, and the Cyclones are smelling a possible upset over the No. 3-ranked Buffaloes. But those thoughts are doused after CU puts up 35 points in the second quarter: five scoring drives covered 304 yards on just 25 plays.

Nov. 2, 1990 (27-12 win at Nebraska): On a cold, windy and rainy day in Lincoln, the third-ranked Cornhuskers lead 12-0 over the No. 9 Buffaloes through three quarters. But behind Eric Bieniemy's four fourth-quarter touchdown runs that led to all 27 CU points, Colorado takes command of the Big Eight race en route to the league title and eventual consensus national championship.

Sept. 16, 1995 (66-14 over Northeast Louisiana): Herchell Troutman scored three times, two TDs rushing and one receiving, to pace a 35-point first quarter (284 yards on 20 plays) and the game's easily over at that point (CU was ahead 49-7 at the half).

Dec. 31, 1999 (62-28 over Boston College): In building a 45-7 halftime lead over the Eagles in the Insight.com Bowl, CU scores on two interception returns and one punt return over a seven-minute stretch from late in the first into early in the second quarters.

Nov. 23, 2007 (65-51 win over Nebraska): The winner would earn a bowl bid, the loser would be home for the holidays. Nebraska led 35-24 at halftime, but a 41-point second half (20 in the third, 21 in the fourth) rallied the Buffs to the win; 34 of those points came in a row to open the second half. The teams combined for 1,128 yards.

Sept. 7, 2019 (34-31 overtime win over Nebraska): With just over four minutes left in the third quarter, Nebraska had silenced Folsom Field, leading 17-0 and outgaining the Buffs, 293-124. CU got on the board with 1:24 left in the third, and then got back into the game with the longest play from scrimmage in school history: a 96-yard touchdown flea-flicker catch and run by K.D. Nixon from Steven Montez 24 seconds into the fourth quarter. The Buffs would tie the game with 46 seconds left and won in overtime on a 34-yard field goal by James Stefanou after gaining 327 yards and scoring 31 points in the final 16:42.

AND SOME NOT SO MEMORABLE: All teams have quarters or halves they want to forget; Colorado is no exception. Some of those in CU's history include:

Sept. 28, 1946 (76-0 loss at Texas): The Longhorns score 48 points in the first half, 24 in each quarter.

Sept. 13, 1980 (56-14 loss at UCLA): The Bruins score 28 points in the first and second quarter in building a 56-0 lead.

Oct. 4, 1980 (82-42 loss to Oklahoma): The Sooners are up, 34-21, at halftime, but 48 in the second half (27 in the third quarter).

Oct. 22, 1983 (69-19 loss at Nebraska): Ahead by just 14-12 at halftime, the Cornhuskers score 48 points in the third quarter to pull away.

Sept. 15, 2012 (69-14 loss at Fresno State): The Bulldogs use two 90-plus scores to take a 35-0 lead after the first quarter and lead 55-7 at halftime.