



# Michigan Wolverines vs. Purdue Boilmakers Saturday Sept. 23



Record: (3-0) (0-0 Big Ten)

Overall College Record: 81-33

Coach: Jim Harbaugh

Location:
Ann Arbor, Mich.

Mascot: Wolvervine

Colors: Blue and Maize

Accolades:

42 Big Ten Titles

45 Bowl Game Apperances

11 National Titles

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#### National Game Coverage

- The Boilmakers will host the Wolverines at Ross-Ade Stadium in West Lafayette, Ind. this weekend at 4p.m. EST.
- Saturday's contest will be broadcast on FOX. Joe Davis (play-by-play), Brady Quinn (color) and Bruce Feldman (sideline) will call the game
- Jim Brandstatter (play-by-play) and Dan Dierdorf (color) will call the action from the booth while Doug Karsch will add sideline reports and analysis. Anchored by WWJ-AM (950) the game can also be heard on Sirius and XM Radio.

#### Series

• This will mark the 59th meeting between the Michigan Wolverines and the Purdue Boilmakers. In all series match-up Michigan holds a 44-14 lead including three consecutive wins in the last three encounters. This will be the first time the two square off since 2012.

#### Ranking

Michigan is ranked No. 8 in the AP Top 25 and the coaches poll. Purdue is not ranked in either poll.

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Record:

(2-1) (0-0 Big Ten)

Overall College Record: 32-11

Coach: Ieff Brohm

Location: West Lafayette, Ind.

Mascot: Boilmakers

Colors: Black and Old Gold

Accolades: 8 Big Ten Titles 279 NFL Draft Picks 51 All-American Selections

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## Season Schedules

Date	Rank	Opponent	Result	Date	Rank	Opponent	Result
Sept. 2	11/17	Florida	W, 33-17	Sept. 2	-/16	Louisville	L, 28-35
Sept. 9	8/	Cincinnati	W, 36-14	Sept. 8	-/-	Ohio	W, 44-21
Sept. 16	7/	Air Force	W, 29-13	Sept. 16	-/-	@Missouri	W, 35-3
Sept. 23	8/	@Purdue	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	Sept. 23	-/8	Purdue	
Oct. 7	<b>5</b>	Michigan Sta	ıte	Oct. 7	4	Minnesota	
Oct. 14		@Indiana		Oct. 14		@Wisconsin	
Oct. 21		<mark>.@Pe</mark> nn State.		Oct. 21		@Rutgers	
Oct. 28		Rutgers		Oct. 28		Nebraska	
Nov. 4		Minnesota	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	Nov. 4		Illinois	
Nov. 11		@Maryland.		Nov. 11		@Northweste	ern
Nov.18@Wisconsin		Nov.18		@Iowa	@Iowa		
Nov.25		Ohio State	•••••	Nov.25		Indiana	

## Big Ten Standings

	West			East	
School	Big Ten	Overall	School	Big Ten	Overall
Iowa	0-0	3-0	Ohio State	1-0	2-1
Minnesota	0-0	3-0	Michigan	0-0	3-0
Wisconsin	0-0	3-0	Penn State	0-0	3-0
Purdue	0-0	2-1	Maryland	0-0	2-0
Illinois	0-0	2-1	Michigan State	0-0	2-0
Northwestern	n 0-0	2-1	Rutgers	0-0	1-2
Nebraska	0-0	1-2	Indiana	0-1	1-1

## Returning Starters

<b>Player</b> Ben Bredeson Mason Cole	Pos. LG	Ht. 6-5 6-5	Wt. 308	<b>Year</b> So. Sr.
Khalid Hill Henry Poggi	FB FB	6-2 6-4	272 244	5th Sr. 5th Sr.
Wilton Speight	QB	6-6	240	Sr.

Player	Pos	Ht.	Wt.	Year
David Blough	QB	6-1	200	Jr.
Cole Herdman	TE	6-4	245	Jr.
Gregory Phillips	WR	6-0	200	Sr.
Matt McCann	OL	6-6	324	So.
Kirk Barron	С	6-2	305	Jr.
Markus Bailey	LB	6-2	250	So.
Ja'Whaun Bentley	LB	6-2	260	Sr.
Danny Ezechukwu	DE	6-2	242	Sr.
Navon Mosley	S	6-0	183	So.
T.J. Jallow	S	6-2	198	Jr.
Da'Wan Hunte	CB	5-9	190	Sr.
Gelen Robinson	DE	6-1	283	Sr.
Eddy Wilson	DT	6-4	304	Jr.





## NCAA Team Ranks

## Series History Statistics

First Meeting: Nov. 1, 1890 - UM 34, Purdue 6

Last Meeting: Oct. 6, 2012 - UM 44, Purdue 13

Current Streak: Michigan 3

Longest Streaks: Michigan 9, Purdue 5

**Points Michigan/Purdue:** 1,591/782

Last Purdue Win: Nov. 7, 2009 - Purdue 38, UM 36

Michigan		Purdue
41	Rushing Offense	63
t-84	Passing Offense	35
72	Total Offense	45
57	Scoring Offense	43
9	Rushing Defense	53
7	Pass Efficiency Defense	64
5	Total Defense	68
41	Scoring Defense	24
6	Net Punting	107
18	Punt Returns	98
t-94	Kickoff Returns	120
t-51	Turnover Margin	t-29
45	Time of Possession	12

## **Team Comparison**

Michigan	Category	Purdue
32.7	Points per game	35.7
14.7	Opponent points per game	19.7
199.3	Rush yards per game	173.0
202.7	Pass yards per game	286.7
208.0	Total defense per game	374.3
4/1	Returning starters O/D	5/8

## **Team Statistical Leaders**

Michigan		Purdue
#3 Wilton Speight 42-77, 571 yards, 3 TDs, 2 INTs	Passing	#11 David Blough 51-67, 597 yards, 6 TDs, 2 INTs
#32 Ty Isaac 47 rush, 336 yards, 7.1 ypc	Rushing	#25 Tario Fuller 43 rush, 261 yards, 2 TDs, 6.1 ypc
#7 Tariq Black 11 rec, 149 yards, 1 TD, 13.6 ypr	Receiving	#33 Jackson Anthrop 17 rec, 157 yards, 4 TDs, 9.2 ypr
#10 Devin Bush 25 tkls, 16 solo, 4.5 TFL, 3.5 sack	Defense	#4 Ja'Whaun Bentley 24 tkls, 12 solo, 2. TFL, 2 FF



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#### Michigan under Harbaugh

- Michigan posted consecutive 10-win seasons for the first time since 2002-03.
- The Wolverines ranked in the top 15 nationally in top of possession each of the past two seasons.
- U-M has committed 171 penalties in 29 games (5.9 per contest); flagged 87 times in 2015, 63 times in 2016 and 21 times this year.
- Michigan has scored 124 touchdowns while allowing just 49 to its opponents.
- Wolverine defense has listed in the top five nationally both seasons.

#### **Head Coaches**

Jim Harbaugh



Jeff Brohm



#### Purdue under Brohm

This marks Jeff Brohm's first season as head coach of the Purdue Boilmakers.

- Brohm replaced head coach Darell Hazell, who now is wide receivers coach for the Minnesota Vikings.
- He has led Purdue to a 2-1 record coming into Game 4, including an impressive 35-3 win over the Missouri Tigers.
- He was recently named one of college football's most underrated coaches by CBS.
- Since coming to Purdue he has been nicknamed The Cradle of Quarterbacks.

#### **Coaching Staff**

Don Brown *Linebackers* 

Tim Drevno Interior Offensive Line

Greg Frey Tackles & Tight Ends

Pep Hamilton *Quarterbacks/Recivers* 

Jay Harbaugh Running Backs

Greg Mattison *Defensive Line* 

Chris Partridge

Brian Smith Safeties

Mike Zordich Cornerbacks

#### **Coaching Pedigree**

- Jim Harbaugh is one of four Big Ten coaches to win 10-plus games in each of his first two seasons directing a conference school.
- Harbaugh is one of 21 coaches who is currently head coach at his alma mater.
- He has compiled a 23-6 overall record while at Michigan.
- Jim Harbaugh was selected as the head coach of the San Francisco 49ers in January 2011. He remained there until December of 2013.
- Harbaugh has previously coached at the Oakland Raiders, University of San Diego and Stanford University.

#### **Coaching Pedigree**

- Brohm came to the Boil-makers from Western Kentucky, where he maintained a 30-10 overall record.
- He led the Hilltoppers to league champions in 2015 & 2016, in the school's first back-to-back titles as an FBS member.
- He has previously coached at Louisville, Florida Atlantic, Illinois, and UAB.
- Brohm played quarterback collegiately at Louisville and for seven season in the NFL.
- Brohm believes his depth of experience playing quarterback has greatly impacted his ability to coach.

#### **Coaching Staff**

Brian Brohm *Quarterbacks* 

Derrick Jackson *Cornerbacks* 

Nick Holy Linebackers

Tony Levine Tight Ends

JaMarcus Shepard Wide Receivers

Anthony Poindexte *Secondary* 

Dale Williams Offensive Line

Chris Barclay Running Backs

Reggie Johnson Defensive Line







## Team Rosters



Player	No.	Pos.	Year
Kekoa Crawford	#1	WR	So.
Grant Perry	#88	WR	Jr.
Donovan People-Jones	#9	WR	Fr.
Mason Cole	#52	LT	Sr.
Ben Bredeson	#74	LG	So.
Patrick Kugler	#57	OC	Sr.
Michael Onwenu	#50	RG	So.
Nolan Ulizio	#70	RT	Jr.
Sean McKeon	#84	TE	So.
Zach Gentry	#83	TE	Jr.
Wilton Speight	#3	QB	Jr.
Henry Poggi	#19	FB	Sr.
Chris Evans	#12	RB	So.
Rashan Gary	#3	DE	So.
Maurice Hurst Jr.	#73	NT	Sr.
Bryan Mone	#90	DT	Sr.
Chase Winovich	#15	Buck	So.
Khaleke Hudson	#7	Viper	So.
Devin Bush	#10	MLB	Fr.
Mike McCray	#9	WLB	Sr.
David Long	#22	RBC	So.
Josh Metellus	#14	SS	So.
Tyree Kinnel	#23	FS	Jr.
Lavert Hill	#24	LCB	So.
Will Hart	#17	P	So.
Quinn Nordin	#3	PK	So.
Andrew Robinson	#49	LS	Sr.
Alex Malzone	#15	Н	Jr.

Player	No.	Pos.	Year
Gregory Phillips	#10	WR	Sr.
Anthony Mahoungou	#21	WR	Sr.
Jackson Anthrop	#33	WR	Fr.
Grant Hermanns	#78	LT	Fr.
Shane Evans	#75	LG	Jr.
Kirk Barron	#53	OC	Jr.
Matt McCann	#79	RG	So.
David Steinmetz	#70	RT	Sr.
Cole Herdman	#88	TE	Jr.
David Blough	#11	QB	Jr.
Tario Fuller	#25	RB	So.
Austin Larkin	#45	DE	Sr.
Lorenzo Neal	#9	DT	So.
Gelen Robinson	#13	DT	Sr.
Danny Ezechukwu	#36	DE	Sr.
T.J. McCollum	#6	WILL	Sr.
Ja'Whaun Bentley	#4	MIKE	Sr.
Markus Bailey	#21	SAM	So.
Da'Wan Hunte	#2	LCB	Sr.
Jacob Okonye	#8	RCB	Sr.
Joe Schopper	#31	P	Jr.
J.D. Dellinger	#85	PK	So.
Ben Makowski	#47	LS	Jr.
Brian Johnson-Lankford	#37	KR	So.
Spencer Evans	#13	KO	Jr.





## **Key Players**

#### Quarterback Wilton Speight

- Won the first nine starts of his career before suffering his first defeat at Iowa.
- Completed 204-of-331 passes for 2,538 yards with 18 touchdowns and seven interceptions in 2016.
- Created 13 touchdowns drives of 80 yards or more in 2016.
- Threw for a touchdown in 10 of his 12 starts in 2016.
- Currently holding three career passing records in attemps, completions and yards.
- Listed as second in the Big Ten for completion percentage in 2016.

#### Tight End Cole Herdman

- One of 19 defensemen who have recorded tackles in the backfield.
- Recorded a career high seven tackles, 1.5 TFLs, an assisted sack and one forced fumble against Air Force.
  - Made first career start against Florida, tallying two tackles and an assist TFL.
- Nation's top-rated high school prospect in 2016.
- 2015 USA Today All-USA Defensive Player of the year.

#### Kicker Quinn Nordin

- Quinn Nordin is leading the nation in field goals per game.
- He is listed third nationally in points scored and sixth in scoring per contest.
- Nordin recently earned Big Ten Special Teams Player of the Week for his outing against Air Force.
- Recorded 17 points against the Falcons, which was only one point shy of the school record for most points by a kicker.
- He was rated as the nation's No. 1 kicker coming out of high school.

#### Quarterback David Blough

- David Blough is 30 for 34 passing, for 402 yards and three touchdowns against zero interceptions, in his first halves this season. He also has aquired one rushing touchdown.
- Against Louisville, Blough was 9 for 10, for 80 yards and a touchdown in the first half.
- Against Ohio Blough was 6 for 7 for 175 yards and two touchdowns in the first half.
- At Missouri, his first recorded start of the year, Blough was 15 for 17 for 147 yards.
- He is the first Purdue quarterback to throw more touchdown passes than incompletions in a game since Kyle Orton in 2004.
- Blough has thrown a touchdown pass in 15 straight games. That is the fourth longest active streak among FBS quarterbacks.

#### Tight End Cole Herdman

- Cole Herdman and Brycen Hopkins entered the season as the top returning Power Five Conference touchdown-catching tight end due after combining for seven touchdown grabs in the 2016 season.
- All seven of Herdman's catches have been for first downs.
- Herdman leads all tight ends this season with 28.6 yards per catch.

#### Tight End Brycen Hopkins

- Herdman Hopkins entered the season as the top returning Power Five Conference touchdown-catching tight end due after combining for seven touchdown grabs in the 2016 season.
- No returning Power Five tight end had more touchdown catches than Hopkins' four last year.
- Hopkins has recorded two TDs through two games this year.