

2007 GAME RECAPS

WISCONSIN 42 Washington St 21 - WSU's punt was blk'd but the P picked it up and ran for a FD and they continued on an 80/8pl TD drive. Both scored TD's on their first 2 poss, 14-14. UW fmbld the punt at its own 36 but WSU missed a 51 yd FG. UW went 82/7pl for a TD, 21-14. UW got a 16 yd PR and pen and 2 plays later Donovan hit Graham with a 38 yd TD pass with :30 left in the 2Q. After a short UW punt and a penalty, WSU drove 42/9pl for a TD, 28-21. UW went 63/11pl for a TD, 35-21. UW got an int on a fake punt. UW then went 46/8pl for a TD and eventually ran out the L/7:09 ending the game at the WSU5.

Wisconsin 20 UNLV 13 - 98° & the crowd was 50% UW fans. LV went 80/14pl for a TD. UW went 67/7pl for a TD, 7-6 (xpng). LV went 43/7pl but was SOD on 4&1 at the 19. UW drove 71/14pl for a 27 yd FG on the 1H's final play, 9-7. UW went on a 60/12pl drive but was SOD at the 30. LV went 61/7pl for a 25 yd FG, 10-9. LV's Dixon was int'd by Carter who ret'd it 32 yds to the LV39 which set up a 51 yd FG, 12-10. LV went 49/11 for a 35 yd FG and a 13-12 lead (7:43 left). UW converted on 4&1 to the LV35 which set up a 29 yd TD run by Donovan(+2pt), 20-13 (1:53). LV was SOD at its own 19.

WISCONSIN 45 The Citadel 31 - It was tied at 21 at the half with CIT having a 245-188 yd edge. UW opened the 2H with 12, 7 & 7pl drives for 2 TD's and a 22 yd FG (after int) and led 38-21. After a 19 yd PR and 15 yd pen, UW drove 28/2pl for a TD, 45-21. UW backup QB Evridge fmbld at the CIT17 and CIT drove 62/5pl for a 38 yd FG, 45-24. CIT drove 42/12pl for a TD with :05 left on 4&gl.

WISCONSIN 17 Iowa 13 - Fourteen of the first 15 drives ended in a punt, the other in a fmbld and it was scoreless until a Donovan int set up a 41 yd FG for Iowa with 2:28 left in the 1H. UW answered with a 72/7pl TD drive, 7-3 (:43). Iowa got a one-handed 21 yd TD rec by Johnson-Koulianos with :04 left and led 10-7 at the half. UW fmbld the KR but Iowa had a 36 yd FG blk'd. UW went 68/11pl for a TD and the 14-10 lead. Iowa went 33/7pl for a 37 yd FG, 14-13. UW went 47/9pl for a 40 yd FG, 17-13 (2:02). On 4&8 from its own 27, Iowa WR Chaney beat the DB's but stumbled on what would have been a TD and UW ran out the clock.

WISCONSIN 37 Michigan St 34 - MSU led 14-7 after 1Q but it was tied at 21 after Hoyer hit Thomas with an 80 yd TD pass. UW drove 58 yds but Donovan was int'd at the MSU2. Hoyer was sk'd and fmbld at the MSU24 which set UW up for a 35 yd FG. UW drove 56 yds for a 47 yd FG on the final play, 27-21. MSU went on a 78 yd drive but settled for a 19 yd FG and UW, after a 56 yd KR, went 31/6pl for a TD, 34-24. MSU went 80/13pl for a TD and after an int, settled for a 35 yd FG to tie it up at 34. UW went 64/10pl for a 22 yd FG (6:15 left). MSU missed a 53 yd FG and on its final drive Hoyer's 4&2 pass fell incomplete at the UW38.

ILLINOIS 31 Wisconsin 26 - IL was unranked yet favored over #5 UW. IL took its 2nd poss 80/6pl for a TD. UW went 57/8pl but missed a 38 yd FG. After a shanked punt IL drove 42/10pl nailing a 50 yd FG. IL then went 76/7pl for a TD, 17-0. UW went 57/7pl for a 38 yd FG and then after a 43/10pl drive, added a 26 yd FG with :05 left in the 1H, 17-6. The first 3 poss of the 3Q were all long drives for TD's with UW scoring the 1st and the 3rd to make it 24-19 IL. UW went 48/5pl but Donovan was int'd at the 16. On the 2nd play of UW's next drive, Donovan's deep pass was int'd at the 29 and IL went 71/9pl for a TD, 31-19 (5:28 left). UW went 82/12pl for a TD (1:31). IL rec'd the onside kick and converted on 4&1 at the UW34 before taking a knee.

PENN ST 38 Wisconsin 7 - UW started two true FR WR's due to inj's. UW fmbld on the 1st play and PSU went 12/3pl for a TD. PSU went 68/8pl for a 30 yd FG, 10-0. UW went 77/10pl for a TD and was driving again but a FD pass to midfield was bobbled and int'd. PSU went 47/3pl and 62/8pl for TD's. UW's Donovan was int'd but PSU missed a 42 yd FG and led 24-7 at the half. PSU opened the 3Q with a 74/11pl TD drive. UW went 52/8pl but missed a 42 yd FG. UW was SOD at its own 43 and PSU got a TD 6 plays later. UW was SOD at its own 49 and PSU ran out the clock.

WISCONSIN 44 N Illinois 3 - UW dominated with a 282-31 yd 1H edge and NI didn't get a FD until there was less than 1:00 left in the 1H. It was 31-0 with UW getting 48 and 33 yd TD drives foll'ing 31 & 25 yd PR's and also had a 72 yd run by Hill. UW had 331 yds rushing on 55 carries & NI's Anderson, who had 5 straight 100 yd gms, was held to just 14 yds.

WISCONSIN 33 Indiana 3 - UW opened driving 40/9pl for a 41 yd FG. UW then went 52/11pl and Hill's 4&gl TD run made it 10-0. IU turned it over 5x & fmbld at its own 47. UW drove 41/3pl for a TD, 17-0. UW went 38/7pl but Donovan was int'd in the EZ by Porter who ret'd it 36 yds. IU got a 49 yd FG 6pl later. UW had a 211-93 yd edge at HT & led 17-3. After the teams traded TO's, IU fmbld at the UW46. On 3&13, IU got a 76 yd TD run by Thigpen called back on a hold & celebration pen. UW drove 78/8pl for a TD, 24-3 on the last play of the 3Q. IU drove 68/7pl but Lewis fmbld it away at the UW7. A 28 yd PR by Gilreath set up a 39 yd FG, 27-3. IU was SOD at the UW33 (4:45) & UW drove 67/6pl for a garbage TD (1:53 left). IU was down to its #3 C and UW played the 2H without RB Hill.

OHIO ST 38 Wisconsin 17 - UW RB Hill DNP. OSU opened with a 75/7pl TD drive & UW went 73/15pl but settled for a 21 yd FG. After 6 P, OSU took over with 1:46 left & went 57/8pl for a 27 yd FG to lead 10-3 at HT with a 194-88 yd edge. UW opened the 3Q taking a 17-10 lead on a 92/6pl & 62/8pl TD drives incl a 46 yd pass to Beckum on 3&16 to the 4. OSU tied it on an 80/10pl TD drive capped by a Wells 31 yd run. OSU then went 49/5pl with a Wells 30 yd TD run, 24-17. UW was SOD on a fake P at its own 25 on 4&3 which set up OSU with a TD. OSU rec'd a fmbld but had a 29 yd FG bkl'd. Donovan was sk'd & fmbld at the UW23 which set up Wells' TD (3:17 left). UW went 42/10pl but was SOD at the OSU27. OSU finished with 10 sks & Wells had 169 2H yds.

WISCONSIN 37 Michigan 21 - UW was without RB Hill and UM was without RB Hart. Henne was pulled in the 1Q after an int at the UW43. UW went 55/5pl for a TD. UW went 65/8pl & 59/7pl for a FG and a TD, 17-0. Mallett led UM 80/8pl for a TD but UW went 43/10pl for a 40 yd FG and led 20-7 at the half with a 279-149 yd edge. UW went 79/16pl for a 19 yd FG. On 3&9 at its own 3, Mallett got UM's longest TD pass in school history (97 yds) to Manningham, 23-14. Mallett was int'd at the UW24 but then drove 86/10pl for a TD, 23-21. Later on 3&29, Mallett was int'd at the UM31 (4:37). Four plays later, UW had a TD, 30-21. UM was SOD on 4&19 at its own 2 and UW tacked on a TD with 2:15 left.

Wisconsin 41 MINNESOTA 34 - UW went 53/11pl for a 29 yd FG and UM answered with a 59/10pl drive for a 47 yd FG. UM went 54/7pl for a TD incl a 4&1 conversion at the UW22. UW was int'd at its own 28 which set up UM for a 24 yd FG, 13-3. UW got a 64 yd run by Brown but missed a 39 yd FG. UM went 36/8pl but Weber was int'd at the UW25. UW went 70/10pl for a TD, 13-10. After a 53 yd PR by Gilreath to the UM39, UW missed a 46 yd FG on the 1H's final play. UW got a 56 yd PR to the 18 setting up a 2pl TD drive, 17-13. UW went 82/10pl for a 20 yd FG, 20-13. UM went 80/10pl for a TD, 20-20 but UW got a 60 yd run by Brown to the 3 and a TD 3pl later, 27-20. After UW was SOD on a fake punt on 4&10, UW went 49/4pl for a TD, 34-20. UM went 79/10pl for a TD, 34-27 but fmbld a punt at its own 15 and UW got another TD, 41-27 two plays later. UM got a 71 yd TD pass, 41-34 (4:37). UW went for it on 4&1 at its own 43 and converted and punted 4pl later (1:35) and UM was int'd at its own 34. After the game, UW CB Ikegwuonu alleged that UM WR Decker punched him in the groin and that UM FR QB Brewster (cch's son) was trash talking the Badgers.