

# 2007 GAME RECAPS

**PITTSBURGH 27 E Michigan 3** - Pitt only had 19 yds rushing in the 1H & EM got the game's first FD on its 3rd poss going 31/8pl for a 27 yd FG. Pitt then went 65/5pl for a TD and after an int, 35/5pl for a TD, 14-3. EM went on a 49/15pl drive but missed a 40 yd FG, 14-3 at HT with Pitt having a 154-96 yd edge. Pitt opened the 3Q with a 60/11pl drive for a TD and a 55/9pl drive but missed a 42 yd FG. QB Stull was inj'd and missed the rest. Two poss later Pitt went 46/7pl for a 28 yd FG then after EM was SOD on 4&1 at its own 44 Pitt added a 45 yd FG with 2:20 left.

**Ball St 38 E MICHIGAN 16** - BS got a 77 yd pass to the EM2 on its first off play and a TD 3pl later. EM went 10pl for a 41 yd FG, 7-3. EM faked a punt on its own 25 yd line setting up BS for a 27/5pl drive for a TD. After an exchange of punts, EM got a 67 yd TD pass, 14-9 (4:15). BS went 58/9pl for a TD and after a punt with :38 left got a 43 yd FG on the half's final play, 24-9. First 4 poss of the 3Q were punts. BS then went 59/11pl and 76/10pl for TD's, 38-9. EM got a 90 yd KR for a TD with 4:01 left.

**E Michigan 21 N ILLINOIS 19** - NI scored a TD and had 45 & 47 yd FG's on the first 3 poss. The game changed when NI punted with 3:11 left in the half. EM went 68/9pl and got a TD with :22 left to make it 13-7. On their first 3 drives of the 3Q EM went on 59/9, 89/8 and 72/18 drives but missed 31 & 20 yd FG's and got a 68 yd TD run and led 14-13. NI was at its own 10 and was int'd at the 16 with 7:16 left and EM got a TD, 21-13. NI went 58/4pl for a TD but the 2 pt conv failed. On NI's final drive they tried a 50 yd FG on the final play which was blk'd.

**E MICHIGAN 38 Howard 15** - HU had a 434-329 yd & 28-14 FD edge. The opening KO was a squib kicked and EM rec'd at the HU19 and got a TD 2 plays later. HU fmbld at the EM12 and 2 poss later got to the EM8 where they were int'd in the EZ. A 15 yd punt set up EM for a 22 yd FG and when the P was tkl'd at his own 24, EM got a 24 yd TD pass on the next play, 17-0. HU was int'd at the EM3 with :58 left in the half and HU had a 225-137 yd edge. EM went 55/6pl for a TD and then after HU muffed the punt, EM got a 35/1pl TD pass to lead 31-0 (2:59). HU went 74/8pl, 82/12pl for TD's, 31-15 (6:19) but EM went 69/11pl for a TD.

**VANDERBILT 30 E Michigan 7** - VU had a 230-43 yd edge at the half but led just 13-0. VU was int'd at the EM 26 but after an int drove 39/10pl for a 22 yd FG, 3-0. VU went 61/4pl for a TD, 10-0 after 1Q. VU got a FD at the 6 and was int'd in the EZ for a TB (3:20). VU missed a 51 yd FG on the half's final play but EM was offsides and they nailed a 45 yd FG, 13-0. EM was int'd on the first play of the 3Q and VU drove 28/7pl for a TD, 20-0. EM went 70/11pl making it 20-7. VU got a 24 yd IR TD (3:11 3Q).

**MICHIGAN 33 E Michigan 22** - EM was int'd on its 1st drive and UM drove 20/7pl for a 30 yd FG. UM was pinned at its 1 after a punt but went 99/8pl for a TD, 10-0. Wright got an 86 yd KR by EM setting up a 25 yd FG, 10-3. UM went 74/8pl for a TD (6:56). The xp was not only blk'd but ret'd for two, 16-5. EM then went 80/11pl but settled for a 41 yd FG, 16-8. At the half, UM had a 235-119 yd edge. EM onside kicked to open the 3Q and drove 57/11pl for a TD, 16-14 but the xp was blk'd. UM went 80/10pl for a TD and then went 54/5pl for a 36 yd FG, 26-14. EM fmbld the KO at their own 17 and Hart (215 yds rush) got a 17 yd run on the next play, 33-14. EM fmbld at its own 21 but UM was int'd in the EZ. After 3 punts UM was SOD at the EM33 (8:31). After 2 punts EM took over with 3:26 left and went 81/8pl for a garbage TD with :47 left, 33-22.

**OHIO 48 E Michigan 42** - OU went 51/4pl with a 39 yd TD then after a 30 yd PR, drove 35/7pl for a TD, 14-0. EM was SOD on 4&1 at the OU 39 and the Bobcats went 61/4pl for a TD, 21-0. EM was again SOD and OU went 61/7pl for a TD and led 28-0 (12:17). EM went 60/6pl for a TD, 28-7 (9:02). OU ret'd the KO 46 yds and was driving down to the 8 but fmbld and EM ret'd it 82 yds for a TD, a 14 pt swing, 28-14 (5:39). OU got a 40 yd FG with 2:26 left, 31-14 and on the last play of the half missed a 54 yd FG. OU at half had a 305-149 yd edge. After 2 punts to open the 3Q EM started at the OU 38 and ran a flea flicker for a TD, 31-21. Two poss later OU went 56/4pl for a TD, 38-21. EM went 80/7pl for an 8 yd TD pass, 38-28. OU went 75/11pl for a TD, 45-28 (13:44). EM went 54/9pl for a TD, 45-35. OU fmbld the KO but EM was SOD at the 27. EM was SOD at their own 40 and the Bobcats added a 38 yd FG with 2:49 left. EM drove 78/11pl for a TD with 1:09 left.

**Northwestern 26 E MICHIGAN 14 (at Detroit)** - NW was int'd at its own 42 and 8 plays later EM got a TD run, 7-0. NW went 66/14pl but settled for a 25 yd FG. EM ret'd the kick 68 yds but fmbld at the NW4. NW went 96/11pl for a TD, 10-7. EM ret' the kick to the 49 and got a 24 yd pass but was int'd at the 5 and NW went 85/11pl settling for a 28 yd FG, 13-7. NW ret'd the KO 68 yds to the 26 but a 25 yd run was fmbld at the 1. EM went 69/11pl and missed a 47 yd FG then went 40/8pl but was int'd at the 26. EM went 47/8pl but was int'd at the GL from the 11. NW went 81/12pl for a TD, 19-7 (2ptng). EM went 57/10pl and on 4&4 a 19 yd TD run made it 19-14. On 3rd&6 NW had a pass over the middle to Thompson who broke off tkls and raced 71 yds for a TD, 26-14 (2:44).

**E MICHIGAN 19 W Michigan 2** - WM turned the ball over 6 times. EM opened with a 53/12pl drive for a 35 yd FG and missed it. WM went 59/7pl but fmbld at the 1. WM got a safety on the next play, 2-0. EM went 72/15pl for a 25 yd FG, 3-2 (8:59). EM got a 55 yd TD run, 9-2 (7:07 xpng). EM went 41/8pl for a 50 yd FG, 12-2 (12:56). WM was int'd at their 35 and EM tacked on a TD, 19-2 (9:18). EM went 57/11pl but was int'd at the 1. WM got 2 FD's but was int'd at the EM 44 (:09).

**TOLEDO 52 E Michigan 28** - UT took the opening drive 65/7pl for a TD. EM was SOD at the UT36 and on their next drive was int'd at the UT20. The next 3 drives were for TD's and UT led 21-7, their 2nd TD coming on a 3&gl 20 yd TD pass. UT went 90/7pl for a TD and led 28-7 (halftime). Schmitt QB'd the 2H for EM and led them to a 76/11pl drive for a TD. UT rec'd an onside kick and went 39/2pl for a TD, 35-14 (9:45). EM rec'd a fmbld at the UT 4 and got a TD on the next play, 35-21 (6:26). Two poss later, UT went 57/10pl with a Collins 2 yd TD run, 42-21 (1:43). EM went 67/10pl for a TD, 42-28 (12:16). UT went 60/10pl for a TD, 49-28.

**Bowling Green 39 E MICHIGAN 32** - Friday night ESPNU. BG went 52/5pl and EM went 72/13pl for a TD's, 7-7. EM went 81/5pl for a TD, 14-7. BG went on a 54/13pl drive but fmbld at the 1 then went 45/6pl for a TD, 14-14. EM went 80/8pl for a 29 yd TD pass, 20-14 (3:11). BG went 60/12pl, but was SOD at the 4 (:13). BG went 68/7pl, fmbld into the EZ but rec'd for a TD, 21-20 (8:56). BG went 49/6pl for a TD, 28-20. EM went 74/10pl for a TD but missed the 2 pt, 28-26. BG got a pair of FD's and nailed a 41 yd FG, 31-26 (11:07) but EM went 65/9pl for a TD and the lead, 32-31 (6:22). BG went 61/7pl for a TD and 2 pt conversion, 39-32 (3:54). EM was SOD on 4&3 at the BG 46 (2:02).

**E Michigan 48 C MICHIGAN 45** - EM's win gave it the Mich MAC Champ. EM took its opening drive 73/11pl for a TD. CM fmbld the KO and EM drove 33/4pl for a TD. CM went on a 59/12pl drive but settled for a 21 yd FG, 14-3. CM got a 76 yd TD run then went 75/6pl to lead, 17-14. They exchanged TD's. CM ret'd the 3Q opening KO to the 24 and got a TD 5 plays later, 31-21. EM converted on 4&4 and 4&10 on a 74/15 for a TD, 31-28. CM rec'd an onside kick and drove 50/5pl for a TD, 38-28, EM went 72/16pl converting on 4&5 at midfield making it 38-35. CM was int'd at its own 18 and EM got a TD 2 plays later, 42-38. CM went 51/9pl converting on 4&9 and got a TD on the next play, 45-42. EM went 62/9pl for a TD with 3:08 left. CM went on a 10 play drive and had a FD at the 14 but on 2&10 an illegal touch and PF moved them back to a 3&30 and after an inc pass they missed a 52 yd FG with :22 left.