

2008 GAME RECAPS

STANFORD 36 Oregon St 28 - Thurs night espn2. OSU took its 3rd poss 53/10pl but settled for a 27 yd FG, 3-0. SU converted on 4th & 1 for a FD to the 10 and got a TD 4 plays later, 7-3 (9:11 2Q). SU went 35/7pl for a 41 yd FG, 10-3 (5:47). OSU went 69/3pl with a 55 yd TD pass to Stroughter, 10-10. SU went 74/5pl with a 46 yd TD run by Gerhart (2:10) but OSU went 80/9pl for a 4 yd TD pass, 17-17 (:14). OSU opened the 3Q with a 13pl drive but settled for a 23 yd FG, 20-17. SU went on a 10pl drive for a 42 yd FG, 20-20. OSU was at their own 9 and Moevao threw a backward pass which went out of the EZ for a safety and SU then drove 65/7pl for a TD. Moevao was int'd at the SU 8 and later int'd and ret'd 34 yds for a TD, 36-20 (9:36). OSU was SOD at the SU 28 (8:07) and took over with 5:07 left and went 97/9pl for a TD and 2 pt conv, 36-28. OSU got it back with 1:31 left at the SU 47 but a 15 yd pass saw WR Catchings reach to the EZ and have it knocked out at the 1 and into the EZ for a TB.

PENN ST 45 Oregon St 14 - PSU was playing without 2 susp starters on the DL but dominated. They took their 1st 2 drives 67/8pl and 55/7pl for TD's and then after OSU had a bad snap and tfl on a punt, drove 28 yds in 2pl for another, 21-0 (14:41 2Q). They added a 70/5pl drive for a TD, 28-0 (11:11). Each team went on a long TD drive and it was 35-7 at the half with PSU having a commanding 328-137 yd edge. PSU went on a 62 yd drive but fmbld at the OSU 1 and OSU was SOD at the PSU 41. PSU went 59/7pl for a TD and then after an int got a 2 yd drive for a 31 yd FG, 45-7 after 3Q's. OSU went 73/15pl for a TD early 4Q but was int'd at the PSU 27 and SOD at the PSU 45.

OREGON ST 45 Hawaii 7 - OSU went on a 8 pl drive but missed a 44 yd FG. UH went 73/6pl for a TD and led 7-0. OSU went on a 9 pl drive but missed a 41 yd FG. After a 43 yd PR by Stroughter, OSU went 37/3pl for a TD to tie at 7 after 1Q. UH punted from their 4 and after a pers foul on the return, OSU drove 25/5pl for a TD. Two poss later OSU missed a 48 yd FG on a 23/6pl drive (5:22). OSU went 55/6pl for a TD with 1:59 left, 21-7 and UH missed a 44 yd FG. At the half OSU had a 228-131 yd edge. OSU scored on their first 4 poss of the 2H with drives of 28, 55, 59 and 59 yds resulting in 3 TD's and a FG. OSU finished the game at the UH 14.

OREGON ST 27 Usc 21 - Thur ESPN and OSU was a 25 pt dog and knocked off #1 ranked USC thanks to the running of Jacquizz Rodgers who had 186 yds on 37 carries. His running keyed a 60/8pl drive for a TD and OSU took its 4th drive 62/11pl for a TD, 14-0 (7:35 2Q). USC fumbled with 5:12 left in the half at the OSU 42. OSU had a 3rd & gl pass fall incomplete with :15 left but a pers foul gave them a FD. They then got a deflected pass in the EZ which James Rodgers caught for a TD with :04 left, 21-0. USC took their opening two 3Q drives 62/7pl and 70/7pl for TD's but then managed just 1 FD on their next 3 poss. A 49 yd punt by OSU pinned USC at the 2 (3:15). Sanchez was int'd and ret'd 28 yds to the 2 with 2:43 left (OSU TD 1 play later). USC drove 40/4pl for a TD (1:19) but OSU rec'd the onside kick and took a knee.

UTAH 31 Oregon St 28 - This was the Thurs night game on ESPN. OSU took its opening drive 60/8pl but settled for a 37 yd FG and Utah went 68/13pl and settled for a 33 yd FG. Two poss later Utah was int'd and ret'd 26 yds for a TD, 9-3 (14:51, xpng). Utah's Reed ret'd the KO 79 yds to the 15 but they settled for a 28 yd FG, 9-6. Utah went 60/6pl for a TD, 13-9 (7:04). OSU was sk'd and fmbld at their own 27 and Utah got a TD 5pl later, 20-9. OSU went 80/4pl for a TD but went for 2 and failed, 20-15 (1:13). OSU rec'd a fmbld at the Utah 34 and 3 plays later got a TD, 21-20 (12:33 3Q). Once again they went for 2 and failed. OSU went 33/10pl and got a FD at the 15. A sk and fmbld had OSU settle for a 43 yd FG which they missed. Two poss later OSU went 80/11pl for a TD with 2:18 left, 28-20 but Utah went 60/4pl for a TD with 1:29 left and the 2 pt conv tied it. OSU punted 4 plays later and Utah went 35/6pl getting a 37 yd FG on the final play for the win.

OREGON ST 66 Washington St 13 - OSU dominated as the score indicates. Although it was 21-0 when WSU got an int setting up a 36 yd TD drive then another int 3pl later was ret'd 16 yds for a TD and they only trailed 21-13 (4:28). OSU got a 28 yd FG before the half and had a 286-84 yd edge. OSU scored TD's on their first 6 poss of the 2H and also blk'd a punt for a TD to lead 66-13 with 7:35 left.

Oregon St 34 WASHINGTON 13 - UW turned it over 4x, missed 2 FG's, was SOD at the 1 in a game closer than the final. At the half OSU had a 194-178 yd edge and led 17-6 scoring 10 points off of TO's and UW missed a 40 yd FG. Trailing 34-13 UW was SOD at the OSU 1 (1:53) on 4 straight att and int'd in the EZ for a TB with 1:01 left with OSU finishing with a 421-377 yd edge.

OREGON ST 27 Arizona St 25 - OSU got a 21 yd PR setting up a 30/6pl drive for a TD incl a 4th & 1 conv at the 10, 7-0 (10:19). ASU went 66/18pl for a 27 yd FG, 7-3. After a 23 yd PR, ASU went 40/5pl for a 34 yd FG, 7-6 (10:19). ASU got a 58 yd PR to the OSU22 but a 44 yd FG was partially blk'd (:35). OSU gained 46 yds on the final 5pl of the half to the ASU27. ASU got a 41 yd IR TD on the 5th play of the 3Q, 13-7. OSU went 60/9pl for a TD, 14-13 (8:16). ASU went 37/7pl for a 44 yd FG and the lead, 16-14 (5:17). OSU went 48/8pl for a 45 yd FG, 17-16 (1:48). OSU then went 80/7pl and on 3rd & gl got an 11 yd TD pass, 24-16 (12:25). ASU went 65/6pl for a 29 yd FG, 24-19 (9:48). OSU went 45/10pl for a 41 yd FG, 27-19 (4:43). After ASU punted 29 yds from its own 8 (3:33), OSU missed a 45 yd FG (1:55) which would have clinched it. ASU went 72/11pl for a TD with :21 left but the 2 pt conversion was int'd & OSU rec'd the onside kick.

Oregon St 34 UCLA 6 - OSU got a 32 yd FG, UCLA a 30 yd FG 6:44 1Q. The next 9 poss featured 7 punts & 3 TO's with OSU being int'd at the UCLA 1 (2:40). Stroughter got a 18 yd PR early 3Q and on 2nd & 7 OSU got a 19 yd TD pass, 10-3 and that was the game. OSU went 61/8pl for a TD. UCLA went on a 63/13pl drive but settled for a 35 yd FG, 17-6. UCLA was int'd at the OSU31 and ret'd 53 yds to the 8 (10:58). OSU got a TD 2 pl later, 24-6. OSU went 45/9pl for a 38 yd FG then got a 39 yd IR to the UCLA35 and a 35 yd TD run on the next play, 34-6.

OREGON ST 34 California 21 - Cal opened with a 51 yd KR and drove 26/4pl for a TD. OSU got an 86 yd KR TD by James Rodgers, 7-7. OSU was int'd at the Cal 9. OSU got a 56 yd PR by Stroughter to the 2 and a TD 2pl later, 14-7 (1:50). OSU went 51/14pl but settled for a 28 yd FG, 17-7 (9:29). Cal went 80/5pl for a TD on a 30 yd TD pass from WR Ross to WR Boateng, 17-14. Cal faked a punt at the OSU39 and was SOD (3:32) and had a 138-128 yd edge at the half but trailed by 3. OSU went 52/8pl for a 24 yd FG, 20-14 then went 57/3pl for a TD, 27-14. Cal got a 65 yd TD run 3 pl later, 27-21 (6:43 3Q). Two poss later OSU went 48/10pl but missed a 29 yd FG (14:06). 3 punts. OSU punted with :42 left and Cal at their 6 was int'd and ret'd 25 yds for a TD with :31 left.

Oregon St 19 ARIZONA 17 - OSU was trying to keep their Rose Bowl hopes alive. The first 5 poss were punts. AZ then went 72/16pl. They settled for a 27 yd FG, 3-0 (8:17). OSU18 (3:19) went 52/8pl and got a 47 yd FG on the final play, 3-3. OSU took their opening 3Q drive 61/8pl for a TD, 10-3 (9:06). 2 punts. AZ went 76/13pl for a TD, 10-10 (:16). OSU converted on 4th & 1 at its own 40 but was SOD on 4th & 1 at the 50 (11:52). AZ went 50/8pl for a TD, 17-10 (8:26). OSU went 80/10pl for a TD with 3:58 left but missed the xp, 17-16. AZ25 got 1 FD but punted w/1:19 left, 56 yds for a TB. OSU got a 20 yd pass to Francis and a 47 yd pass to Stroughter and nailed a 24 yd FG on the game's final play.

Oregon 65 OREGON ST 38 - OSU needed a win to clinch a Rose Bowl berth but was w/o RB Jacquizz Rodgers. UO took its 2nd poss 80/8pl for a TD and never trailed. OSU trailed 17-7 when they missed a 21 yd FG after a 15pl drive and the Ducks went 73/9pl for a TD with 2:13 left in the half then got an 83 yd TD pass with :58 left on 3rd & 19 to lead 30-10. UO then got a 42 yd IR TD to lead 37-10 (:43). OSU got a TD with :09 left in the half, 37-17 and the Ducks had a 443-220 yd edge. After 2 punts to open the 3Q, each team scored TD's, 44-24 (6:02). OSU fmbld at the UO13 but got a 55 yd PR to set up a TD to pull within 51-38 (8:34) but the Ducks went 72/8pl for a TD and had a 70 yd IR TD 1:08 later to ice it, 65-38.