

THE RECORD WHEN...		
Stat	2022 Record (W-L)	
Home (Includes Shamrock Series)	3	2
Away	1	1
Neutral	0	0
In overtime	0	0
Coming off a loss	2	1
Coming off a win	2	1
Coming off an open date	0	0
vs. AP Top 25	1	1
Both teams are in the AP Top 25	0	1
Neither team is in the AP Top 25	2	1
ND is ranked higher	0	0
Opponent is ranked higher	1	1
vs. In-State Opponents	0	0
In August	0	0
In September	2	2
In October	2	1
In November	0	0
In December	0	0
In January	0	0
On NBC	2	2
On Peacock	1	0
On ABC	1	1
On ACCN	0	0
On ESPN	0	0
On ESPN2	0	0
On CBS	0	0
On FOX	0	0
Afternoon Games	3	1
Night Games (6 p.m. or later)	1	2
Decided by three points or fewer	0	1
Decided by seven points or fewer	1	2
Scoring first	1	1
Opponent scores first	2	2
Leading at halftime	3	1
Tied at halftime	0	0
Trailing at halftime	1	2

FIGHTING IRISH

4-3 OVERALL

AP rank: NR AFCA rank: NR

Head Coach: Marcus Freeman

Record: 4-4



44 vs **21**

CARDINAL

4-4 OVERALL

AP rank: NR AFCA rank: NR

Head Coach: Marcus Arroyo

Record: 6-20

TEAM

- UNLV won the toss and elected to defer. Notre Dame received the opening kickoff and defended the north end zone.
- Attendance: 73,165
- Notre Dame blocked two punts in the first quarter today, both by junior defensive end Isaiah Foskey. It marks the first time a Notre Dame player blocked two punts in one game (stats go back to 1937), the first time Notre Dame has blocked two kicks of any kind in a single game since 2006 (Nov. 4 vs. North Carolina) and moved the Irish to four blocked punts this season – the most for the team since 2000.

INDIVIDUAL

SUPERLATIVES

- Consecutive games with at least one reception - Michael Mayer 31 (all 31 games of his career), Lorenzo Styles (14 games, all seven this year, the last seven of the 2021 season), Braden Lenzy (11 games, all seven this year, last four in 2021).
- Senior Jon Sot uncorked his ninth 50-yard punt of the season.
- The Irish posted three rushing touchdowns for the second time this season and the first time since the victory at North Carolina.
- Notre Dame ran for 200 yards as a team (223) for the third time this season (North Carolina, BYU).
- The 7:10 drive for a touchdown that started in the third period and ended in the fourth quarter was Notre Dame's longest drive (in terms of time of possession) of the 2022 season.

FIRSTS

- 100-yard rushing game of sophomore RB Logan Diggs' career.
- Career start for sophomore TE Mitchell Evans.
- First career touchdown for Mitchell Evans on his second career rushing attempt. Evans first rush came in the second quarter on a third-and-one opportunity, rushing for four yards and a first down. On the same drive, Evans took the snap in for a one-yard rushing touchdown.
- Evans also had his first career rush, taking a snap under center on a third-and-one situation in the second quarter, rushing for four yards and a first down.
- Notre Dame scored on its first drive of the season in today's game and posted the first first-quarter touchdown of the season.
- Junior defensive back Clarence Lewis recovered his first career fumble – on his third career forced fumble in the second quarter.
- Senior Braden Lenzy posted his first receiving touchdown of the season, a four-yard push-pass reception from Drew Pyne for Notre Dame's final touchdown of the game.

CAREER HIGHS

- Drew Pyne – 21-yard rush in the second quarter to set up Notre Dame's third touchdown of the game.
- Jayden Thomas – 37-yard reception on the first drive of the game to set up Notre Dame's first touchdown.
- Logan Diggs – 28 rushing attempts (beats his previous high of 17 against BYU earlier this season) and 130 rushing yards (previous high was 93 vs. BYU).

MICHAEL MAYER

- The junior tight end's 20-yard touchdown reception in the first quarter was the 15th of his career, matching Ken MacAfee (1974-77) for the Notre Dame career tight end record touchdown reception record.
- Mayer extended his Notre Dame record for TE 100-yard receiving games to five in the first half, eventually finishing with 115 yards.
- Mayer pushed his career receptions total to 157, which is tied for fifth all-time at Notre Dame.

ISAIAH FOSKEY

- The junior defensive end became the first Irish player to block two punts in one game, both coming in the first quarter of today's game. They are the third and fourth blocked punts of his career.
- Foskey also had career-high three sacks in today's game, moving his career total to 21.5 and is now tied for third on the all-time Notre Dame career sacks list. He is four behind the record holder Justin Tuck who had 24.5 in his career.
- Foskey matched his season-high with five tackles and added a quarterback hurry.

JAYSON ADEMILOLA

- Senior defensive lineman Jayson Ademilola, who shared the longest starting streak on the team at 19 games with Isaiah Foskey, did not start today's game against UNLV. He did appear on the third defensive snap of the game. Foskey now owns the team's longest starting streak at 20 games.

LOGAN DIGGS

- The sophomore running back logged a career-high 28 carries for another career-best 130 rushing yards. He averaged 4.6 yards per carry.
- It marked the most rushing attempts for a Notre Dame back since Kyren Williams had 25 carries against Southern Cal last season. The last back to log more than 28 carries was James Aldridge with 32 carries against Navy in 2007.