



ATHLETICS

FINAL SCORE

No. 12/12 Notre Dame (7-3) 23, Clemson (4-4) 31

TEAM NOTES

- Clemson won the toss and deferred its choice to the second half. Notre Dame received and started the game defending the east end zone.
- Notre Dame wore their traditional white road game jerseys today, but included white pants for a white-on-white uniform, which has not been used before in a true road game. The Irish have worn white-on-white at Shamrock Series games in 2022, 2018 and 2013.
- Notre Dame is now 3-5 against Clemson and 1-2 in Memorial Stadium.
- Notre Dame is now 175-67-3 against ACC opponents.
- Notre Dame is now 4-2 in the month of November under Marcus Freeman.

SUPERLATIVES

- Xavier Watts intercepted his seventh pass of the season and fifth in three games on Clemson's first drive of the second half. Notre Dame scored on play later, which continued the streak of Notre Dame scoring after each of Watt's seven interceptions this season - up to 41 points (five touchdowns, two field goals).
- Sam Hartman's 38-yard run late in the first quarter is the longest run of his Notre Dame career and the longest since he ran for 42 yards for Wake Forest against Duke in 2021. Hartman finished the game with a Notre Dame career best 68 rushing yards.
- Spencer Shrader connected on three field goal attempts in the first half, which is a Notre Dame single-game high for the senior kicker. He kicked four field goals for USF against Memphis in 2020.
- Audric Estimé posted 106 total offensive yards in the first half with 14 carries for 82 yards and two receptions for 24 yards. He finished the game with 120 all-purpose yards.
- Estimé rushed for his 13th touchdown in 2023 early in the second half, moving his season total to 13 which ranks ninth on the Notre Dame single-season list. He moves into sole possession of 12th on the career rushing touchdown list with 24.

CAREER HIGHS

- Rylie Mills - tackles with eight