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Week 13 News and Notes!

For those of you that are new, in this section we'll recap what happened last week specifically, the misleading finals, the key injuries, the bad beats and the line moves. We'll include most of these recaps here, therefore you don't have to waste time reading about them in my game-by-game write-ups for the upcoming week. Without further adieu, here's a run down of what happened last week in the world of CFB.

Week 13 Trends

Favorites-Dogs	
Straight Up	50-14
ATS	31-32-1
Home-Away	
Straight Up	43-21
ATS	35-28-1
Totals (O/U)	
Over-Under	29-33-2
Year-To-Date Favorites-Dogs	
Straight Up	617-165
ATS	397-373-12
Home-Away	
Straight Up	499-279
ATS	380-386-12
Totals (O/U)	
Over-Under	374-399-15



Last week in our only winner on these pages in CFB (thankfully our NFL went 3-0), Arizona St upset No. 6 Oregon 31-28 ending the Ducks' National Title hopes in the process. Oregon was 30/1 to win the title, but are now completely off the board.

Largest Favorites to Cover:

- Alabama (-58.5) vs. Western Carolina, 66-3
- Auburn (-45.5) vs. Samford, 52-0
- North Carolina (-38.5) vs. Mercer, 56-7
- Mississippi State (-37) vs. Abilene Christian, 45-7
- Kentucky (-30.5) vs. Tennessee-Martin, 50-7

Biggest Money line Upsets:

- Florida International +1000 won 30-24 vs. Miami-Florida as 21-point underdogs.
- Colorado +450 won 20-14 vs. Washington as 14-point underdogs.
- Arizona State +425 won 31-28 vs. Oregon as 13.5-point underdogs.
- Nevada +383 won 35-28 at Fresno State as 12-point underdogs.

ATS Notables in 2019

Best ATS Margins Per Game:

- Ohio St +12.0 ppg (8-3 ATS)
- UL-Lafayette +11.2 ppg (9-2 ATS)
- Navy +9.5 ppg (7-3 ATS)
- Utah +8.1 ppg (8-3 ATS)
- Illinois +8.0 ppg (8-3 ATS)
- Kansas St +7.0 ppg (8-3 ATS)
- Western Kentucky +6.9 ppg (8-3 ATS)
- Central Michigan +6.7 ppg (8-2-1 ATS)

Worst ATS Margins Per Game:

- Akron -10.4 ppg (1-11 ATS)
- NC State -9.2 ppg (2-8-1 ATS)
- Arkansas -8.7 ppg (4-7 ATS)
- North Texas -6.9 ppg (3-8 ATS)
- Toledo -6.7 ppg (3-7-1 ATS)
- Arizona -6.6 ppg (2-9 ATS)
- Michigan St -6.5 ppg (3-8 ATS)
- Vanderbilt -6.3 ppg (2-9 ATS)

Oklahoma St (-0.7 ppg) is 8-2-1 ATS while Tulane (+2.5 ppg), Clemson (+3.2 ppg), Appalachian St (+3.7 ppg), Auburn (+3.9 ppg) and Oregon St (+5.6 ppg) are all 8-3 ATS. Nebraska (-3.3 ppg) and Northwestern (-4.6 ppg) are both 2-9 ATS.

SMU (+11.6 ppg) and Central Michigan (+7.4 ppg) are 9-2 to the OVER. LSU (+9.2 ppg), Fresno St (+8.1 ppg), Memphis (+5.1 ppg), Boston College (+4.4 ppg) and Eastern Michigan (+4 ppg) are all 8-3 to the OVER. San Diego St (-11.5 ppg) are 10-1 to the UNDER this year. Missouri (-9.8 ppg) and Georgia (-9.1 ppg) are both 9-2 to the UNDER.

Misleading Finals

Temple had 20-14 first down and 310-210 yard edges over Cincinnati but lost 15-13. Temple missed a field goal attempt and was stopped on fourth-and-1 from the Cincinnati 18-yard line in the second half. Cincinnati also blocked a PAT attempt and returned it for 2 points which ended up being the difference in the game.

Oklahoma had 30-11 first down and 511-204 yard edges including 366-139 on the ground. However, the Sooners only beat TCU by 4. OU led 21-0 mid 2Q but then turned it over 3 times afterwards. The game-changing play was a 98-yard interception return TD (14-point swing). The Sooners led 28-17 and looked ready to put the Horned Frogs away, but Vernon Scott intercepted Hurts and ran it back 98 yards for a touchdown, and TCU cut Oklahoma's lead to 28-24 with 12:43 to play.

Miami, FL had 26-17 first down and 413-297 yard edges but lost 30-24 to FIU as 21-point favorites. Miami was -3 in TO's. Miami was also stopped on downs on 4&1 at the FIU 1-yard line and 4&1 at the FIU 18.

Bad Beat

If you had UCF -6.5 over Tulane, we feel your pain. UCF led by 10 with under two minutes left and were attempting a FG. It was a bad snap and Tulane took over at their own 25-yard line. The Green Wave would go 75 yards in 9 plays, converting two 4th Downs including the final play which was a 7-yard TD pass on 4th & Goal with :26 left for the back door cover.

Major Injuries

Baylor QB Charlie Brewer (head) has been upgraded to probable vs Kansas. Boise St QB Hank Bachmeier (shoulder) is questionable vs Colorado State. Clemson WR Justyn Ross (ribs) is questionable vs South Carolina. Florida State RB Cam Akers, missed last game, is probable vs Florida. Louisiana Tech QB J'Mar Smith and WR Adrian Hardy have both served their 2-game suspension and are probable vs UTSA. Northwestern QB's Aidan Smith and Hunter Johnson are questionable vs Illinois. Oklahoma St QB Spencer Sanders (thumb) is out for the season. Stanford QB KJ Costello has been downgraded to out vs Notre Dame. Toledo QB's Eli Peters and Mitchell Guadagni are questionable vs Central Michigan. UAB QB Tyler Johnston (knee) is questionable vs North Texas.

Recapping Last Week's Best Bets

It was yet another tough Saturday for our CFB Best Bets as we went 1-3-1. Some of you pushed on San Diego St, but if you waited until Game Day the line was mainly +2.5 until it got bet all the way down to "Pick" in a lot of spots (so much for closing line value). Texas and Boston College were miserable failures offensively in their non-covers on these pages. However, like it's been the case almost all season, the NFL bailed us out a bit with a perfect 3-0 day. The Jets and Titans were easy blow-out winners while we did get fortunate with the Giants scoring a TD in the fourth quarter to get the back-door cover.

CFB/NFL Schedules Thanksgiving Day!

NFL/CFB Thursday, Nov 28th	Line	BP	All Times Eastern		
305 CHICAGO 12:30 p.m. FOX	-3.5	-2			
306 DETROIT	38	40			
307 BUFFALO 4:30 p.m. CBS	47	43			
308 DALLAS	-6.5	-9			
309 NEW ORLEANS 8:20 p.m. NBC	-7	-6			
310 ATLANTA	48.5	50			
311 OLE MISS 7:30 p.m. ESPN	58.5	55			
312 MISSISSIPPI ST	-2.5	-1			

2019 Nationwide Football Newsletter Contest (Regular Season Only)

We are happy to provide you with the records, standings and plays used from the Power Sweep (3★, 4★ & Underdog), Gold Sheet (Key Releases), Power Plays (4.5★ for College 4★ for NFL), Sports Reporter (Best & Super Bets), Winning Points (Best Bets & Preferred), Playbook (3-5★'s), Pointwise (Ratings 1-4), Powers' Picks (1-4★'s) and the Sunday Night Owl Report (1-4★'s).

College Newsletter					NFL Newsletter					College/NFL Combined							
W	L	T	%	Net	W	L	T	%	Net	W	L	T	%	Net			
Sports Reporter	27	20	1	57.45%	7	Night Owl	10	2	0	83.33%	8	Sports Reporter	41	31	1	56.94%	10
Power Plays	14	12	0	53.85%	2	Powers' Picks	22	13	1	62.86%	9	Night Owl	29	23	1	55.77%	6
Playbook	18	18	3	50.00%	0	Gold Sheet	21	14	1	60.00%	7	Power Plays	21	17	0	55.26%	4
Power Sweep	25	27	0	48.08%	-2	Power Plays	7	5	0	58.33%	2	Powers' Picks	50	46	4	52.08%	4
Night Owl	19	21	1	47.50%	-2	Pointwise	20	15	1	57.14%	5	Gold Sheet	44	43	1	50.57%	1
Winning Points	36	42	0	46.15%	-6	Sports Reporter	14	11	0	56.00%	3	Power Sweep	37	38	1	49.33%	-1
Powers' Picks	28	33	3	45.90%	-5	Power Sweep	12	11	1	52.17%	1	Winning Points	60	64	2	48.39%	-4
Gold Sheet	23	29	0	44.23%	-6	Winning Points	24	22	2	52.17%	2	Pointwise	52	58	3	47.27%	-6
Pointwise	32	43	2	42.67%	-11	Playbook	15	20	1	42.86%	-5	Playbook	33	38	4	46.48%	-5
Combined	222	245	10	47.54%	-23	Combined	145	113	7	56.20%	32	Combined	367	358	17	50.62%	9

CFB/NFL Schedules Week 14 Nov 28th-Dec 2nd					
CFB Friday, November 29th					
	Line	BP			All Times Eastern
313 BOWLING GREEN 12:00 p.m.	51.5	52			
314 BUFFALO	-29	-26			
315 VIRGINIA TECH 12:00 p.m. ABC	-2.5	51			
316 VIRGINIA	47.5	-1			
317 TOLEDO	64.5	61			
318 CENTRAL MICHIGAN 12:00 p.m. ESPNU	-10	-7			
319 SOUTH FLORIDA 8:00 p.m. ESPN	63	62			
320 UCF	23.5	-22			
321 TEXAS TECH 12:00 p.m. FOX	63.5	62			
322 TEXAS	-10	-10			
323 KENT ST 12:00 p.m.	66.5	61			
324 EASTERN MICHIGAN 12:00 p.m.	-4.5	-5			
325 MIAMI, OH 12:00 p.m. CBS College	55.5	55			
326 BALL ST	-3	-3			
327 IOWA 2:30 p.m.	-5.5	-4			
328 NEBRASKA 2:30 p.m.	44.5	44			
329 MISSOURI 2:30 p.m. CBS	-12.5	-13			
330 ARKANSAS	53	53			
331 CINCINNATI 3:30 p.m. ABC	57.5	56			
332 MEMPHIS	-11	-14			
333 ARKANSAS ST 5:00 p.m.	-11	-11			
334 SOUTH ALABAMA 5:00 p.m. ESPN	54.5	55			
335 WEST VIRGINIA 4:15 p.m.	44	48			
336 TCU 3:30 p.m. CBS College	-13.5	-14			
337 BOISE ST 3:30 p.m.	-14	-14			
338 COLORADO ST 4:00 p.m. FOX	57.5	58			
339 WASHINGTON ST 4:00 p.m.	63.5	60			
340 WASHINGTON	-7.5	-8			
341 APPALACHIAN ST 6:00 p.m.	-12.5	-11			
342 TROY 6:00 p.m.	62.5	59			
Saturday, November 30th					
	Line	BP			All Times Eastern
343 GEORGIA 12:00 p.m. ABC	-28	-26			
344 GEORGIA TECH	46.5	46			
345 CONNECTICUT 3:30 p.m. CBS College	48.5	50			
346 TEMPLE	-28	-30			
347 TULSA 12:00 p.m. ESPNU	-5.5	-4			
348 EAST CAROLINA	61	58			
349 BOSTON COLLEGE 3:30 p.m. ACC Network	51.5	53			
350 PITTSBURGH	-9	-9			
351 VANDERBILT 4:00 p.m. SEC Network	46	48			
352 TENNESSEE	-21	-20			
353 WAKE FOREST 12:30 p.m.	-4.5	-4			
354 SYRACUSE	68.5	66			
355 TEXAS ST 12:00 p.m.	53.5	54			
356 COASTAL CAROLINA	-7	-8			
357 IOWA ST 7:00 p.m. FOX Sports 1	-5	-4			
358 KANSAS ST	46	50			
359 NORTH CAROLINA 7:00 p.m. ACC Network	-9	-7			
360 NC STATE	56	55			
361 FIU 12:00 p.m. CBS College	49.5	52			
362 MARSHALL	-7.5	-8			
363 NAVY 7:00 p.m. ESPNU	-8.5	-7			
364 HOUSTON	58.5	59			
365 BAYLOR 3:30 p.m. ESPN	-14	-14			
366 KANSAS	51	54			
367 OHIO ST 12:00 p.m. FOX	-9	-10			
368 MICHIGAN	49	50			
369 CLEMSON 12:00 p.m. ESPN	-27	-26			
370 SOUTH CAROLINA	51	54			
371 WISCONSIN 3:30 p.m. ABC	-3	-1			
372 MINNESOTA	46	47			
373 RUTGERS 3:30 p.m. Big Ten	49	56			
374 PENN ST	40.5	-42			
375 NEW MEXICO ST 2:00 p.m.	65	62			
376 LIBERTY	-14	-14			
377 COLORADO 7:30 p.m. ABC	49	48			
378 UTAH	-28.5	-28			
379 CHARLOTTE 2:00 p.m. ESPN	-9.5	-8			
380 OLD DOMINION	50	54			
381 MIDDLE TENNESSEE 2:00 p.m.	48	48			
382 WKU	-8.5	-10			
383 WYOMING 2:00 p.m.	41	44			
384 AIR FORCE	-10.5	-10			
385 FRESNO ST 10:30 p.m. ESPN2	-2.5	-3			
386 SAN JOSE ST	64.5	65			
387 RICE 3:00 p.m.	-7	-7			
388 UTEP	44	47			
389 UNLV 3:00 p.m.	52	54			
390 NEVADA	-7	-8			
391 INDIANA 12:00 p.m. ESPN2	-6.5	-4			
392 PURDUE	57	52			
393 TEXAS A&M 7:00 p.m. ESPN	64	64			
394 LSU	-17	-16			
395 LOUISVILLE 12:00 p.m. SEC Network	53	55			
396 KENTUCKY	-3	-3			
397 ALABAMA 3:30 p.m. CBS	-3.5	-3			
398 AUBURN	50	49			
399 UL-MONROE 7:30 p.m. ESPNU	70	67			
400 UL-LAFAYETTE	-20	-21			
401 GEORGIA ST 8:00 p.m.	57.5	57			
402 GEORGIA SOUTHERN	-7.5	-9			
403 NORTHWESTERN 12:00 p.m. FOX Sports 1	42.5	43			
404 ILLINOIS	-8.5	-5			
405 MARYLAND 3:30 p.m. FOX Sports 1	48	48			
406 MICHIGAN ST	-22	-20			
407 OKLAHOMA 8:00 p.m. FOX	-13	-10			
408 OKLAHOMA ST	69.5	66			
409 UTSA 3:30 p.m. ESPN2	57	54			
410 LOUISIANA TECH	-20.5	-20			
411 SOUTHERN MISS 3:30 p.m. NFL Network	54.5	55			
412 FLORIDA ATLANTIC	-8.5	-7			
413 TULANE 4:00 p.m. ESPNU	71	70			
414 SMU	-3.5	-4			
415 CALIFORNIA 10:30 p.m. FOX Sports 1	51	-1			
416 UCLA	-1.5	51			
417 NOTRE DAME 4:00 p.m. FOX	-16.5	-14			
418 STANFORD	48.5	46			
419 ARIZONA 10:00 p.m. ESPN	59.5	58			
420 ARIZONA ST	-13.5	-12			
421 UAB 4:00 p.m.	-3	-2			
422 NORTH TEXAS	50	50			
423 UTAH ST 4:00 p.m.	-11	-13			
424 NEW MEXICO	63.5	61			
425 MIAMI, FL 3:30 p.m. ESPN2	-9	-6			
426 DUKE	45.5	48			
427 FLORIDA ST 7:30 p.m. SEC Network	53.5	53			
428 FLORIDA	-17.5	-17			
429 BYU 9:00 p.m. CBS College	-3	-3			
430 SAN DIEGO ST	39	37			
431 OREGON ST 4:00 p.m. Pac-12	65.5	64			
432 OREGON	-19.5	-16			
433 ARMY 12:30 a.m.	55	-1			
434 HAWAII	-2.5	55			
NFL Wk 13 Sunday, Dec 1st					
	Line	BP			All Times Eastern
451 GREEN BAY 1:00 p.m. FOX	-6.5	-6			
452 N.Y. GIANTS	45.5	46			
453 WASHINGTON 1:00 p.m. CBS	39.5	40			
454 CAROLINA	-10	-12			
455 SAN FRANCISCO 1:00 p.m. FOX	46.5	46			
456 BALTIMORE	-6	-6			
457 TENNESSEE 1:00 p.m. CBS	43.5	43			
458 INDIANAPOLIS	-2.5	-5			
459 PHILADELPHIA 1:00 p.m. CBS	-9.5	-10			
460 MIAMI	45	44			
461 OAKLAND 4:25 p.m. CBS	51	45			
462 KANSAS CITY	-10	-11			
463 TAMPA BAY 1:00 p.m. FOX	48.5	47			
464 JACKSONVILLE	-1	-1			
465 N.Y. JETS 1:00 p.m. CBS	-3.5	-4			
466 CINCINNATI	41	42			
467 L.A. RAMS 4:05 p.m. FOX	-3	-1			
468 ARIZONA	47.5	47			
469 L.A. CHARGERS 4:25 p.m. CBS	-3	-3			
470 DENVER	38.5	41			
471 CLEVELAND 1:00 p.m. CBS	-2	41			
472 PITTSBURGH	39.5	-1			
473 NEW ENGLAND 8:20 p.m. NBC	-3	-4			
474 HOUSTON	45	44			
Monday, December 2nd					
	Line	BP			All Times Eastern
475 MINNESOTA 8:15 p.m. ESPN	49	48			
476 SEATTLE	-3	-4			

4★ = BEST
3★ = BETTER
2★ = GOOD
1★ = FAIR

THE POWERS' PACK

- 3★ MEMPHIS (-11) over Cincinnati
- 3★ Army (+2.5) over HAWAII
- 2★ Northwestern (+8.5) over ILLINOIS
- 2★ OKLAHOMA ST (+13) over Oklahoma
- 2★ Oregon St (+19.5) over OREGON

Games in Rotation Order
Thursday, November 28th

HOME TEAM IN CAPS

MISSISSIPPI ST 28 Ole Miss 27. The road team has won and covered 4 straight games in the series. A win here for Mississippi St and they are bowl eligible while this is Ole Miss bowl game (don't call it the Egg bowl for nothing). Ole Miss has the slight edge in ppg margin (Ole Miss +0.2, Miss St -0.6), ypg margin (Ole Miss +25.1, Miss St +20.1) and ypp margin (Ole Miss +0.2, Miss St -0.1). Ole Miss is +13 in sack differential this year while Miss St is -6. We have a lean on the dog and the UNDER.

Friday, November 29th

BUFFALO 39 Bowling Green 13. Bowling Green's home/away splits this season are disparate to say the least. At home, the Falcons are -1 ppg and +33 ypg, on the road -45 ppg and -315 ypg! Last week they were crushed by Ohio but BG had 5 TO's. Meanwhile, Buffalo just clinched bowl eligibility last week with a win over Toledo. The Bulls are +17 ppg at home this year. With that being said, our power ratings like BG here.

VIRGINIA 26 Virginia Tech 25. The winner goes to the ACC Championship game. When this game kicks off on Friday, it will be 5,844 days since Virginia last beat Virginia Tech. Since 2004, VT is 15-0 SU (+17.1 ppg) and 11-4 ATS (+8.4 ppg) vs Virginia. VT is playing hard for out-going DC Bud Foster (back-to-back shut-outs, allowing 155.5 ypg). VT is also 6-0 SU with Hendon Hooker at QB (10 TD's, 0 INT's) and remember he missed the ND game and VT only lost by a point. With all that being said, this is a pure power ratings play for us here. We feel VT is expensive because of their hot streak and series history.

CENTRAL MICHIGAN 34 Toledo 27. Thanks to Western Michigan's loss to Northern Illinois on Tuesday night, a win here for Central Michigan will put the Chips in the MAC Championship game. That's remarkable considering CMU was 1-11 last year. First-year head coach Jim McElwain should be up for coach of the year awards. With that being said, this line looks pricey and note that Toledo is on a 9-0 SU (+18.3 ppg) and 9-0 ATS (+7.2 ppg) run vs Central Michigan. Do note that Toledo QB's Eli Peters and Mitchell Guadagni are questionable.

CENTRAL FLORIDA 42 South Florida 20. The War on I-4 as these two campuses are only 90 minutes away from each other. Obviously, it's been a disappointing season for UCF as after back-to-back undefeated regular seasons, they're sitting at 8-3. Statistically, they are still No. 12 ppg margin (+19.5), No. 7 in ypg margin (+182.9) and No. 7 in ypp margin (+2.3). UCF backers did suffer a bad beat last week vs Tulane (see page 1) and they're now on a 1-7 ATS slide.

TEXAS 36 Texas Tech 26. We thought Texas was overrated coming into the season (we gave out UNDER 9.5 on their season win total in July's issue), but we didn't think they'd be this disappointing. Last week we lost on these pages backing the Horns as they were offensively challenged (only TD came in final seconds). Texas Tech won't be going to a bowl this year, but they've lost 4 games by a combined 11 points including last week 30-27 to Kansas St. We lean UNDER.

EASTERN MICHIGAN 33 Kent St 28. After back-to-back 3-point wins, Kent St can become bowl eligible with a win here. The Golden Flashes have had a flair for the dramatic with 5 straight games decided by 7 points or less. Meanwhile, EMU already has 6 wins on the season. We lean UNDER.

BALL ST 29 Miami, Oh 26. Miami has already clinched the MAC East division and has the MAC Championship game on deck. However, they nearly suffered a disaster last week as a 4-TD plus favorite vs Akron (only won by 3 but had 12 sacks!). Meanwhile, Ball St won't be going to a bowl this year. The Cardinals have had a tough luck last couple of weeks losing their last 3 games by a combined 8 points. Statistically though, they are the superior team in ppg margin (No. 63 vs No. 93), ypg margin (No. 65 vs No. 99) and ypp margin (No. 64 vs No. 84).

IOWA 24 Nebraska 20. Nebraska needs a win to get to bowl eligibility which would be huge for Scott Frost in his 2nd year. The Huskers are off their best performance of the season, a blowout win at Maryland and the game before vs Wisconsin, they had a misleading loss (493-482 yard edge). That premium you were paying on an over-hyped Nebraska team all season is now gone after starting 1-9 ATS. Meanwhile, Iowa is "leaking oil" as they were -178 yards vs Wisconsin (only lost by 2), -141 yards vs Minnesota (won by 4) and last week were +2 in TO's vs Illinois but still couldn't cover. We were all set in making this a pick on these pages but note these strong trends: Iowa is 20-0 SU (+18.4 ppg) and 17-2-1 ATS (+11.5 ppg) as a road favorite. Meanwhile, Nebraska is on a 0-8 ATS (-13.8 ppg) run as a home underdog since late 2015.

Missouri 33 ARKANSAS 20. Both teams are just playing out the season. Missouri has been beyond disappointing this season as the Tigers have been favored in 10 games (counting this one) and yet are only 5-6 SU. Remarkably, Missouri has been favored in 30 of their last 38 games. Yet they've only managed a 20-17 SU record. That's the definition of underachieving and head coach Barry Odom should be on the hot seat as the Tigers have failed to cover 6 straight games. On the other side, Arkansas will have a new head coach in 2020 but for now, the Hogs are trying to win their first SEC game since 2017 as they've lost 18 straight conference games.

3★ MEMPHIS 35 Cincinnati 21. Cincinnati is already locked into the AAC Championship game but if they win here, they likely host Navy next week. Meanwhile if Memphis wins this game, they host Cincinnati again next week. We think Cincinnati is one of the most overrated teams in the country. They have been out-gained in 6 of their last 7 games, but yet have won all 7! They were -151 yards vs East Carolina, -160 yards vs USF (USF missed 4 FG's!) and -100 yards vs Temple last week (blocked PAT return TD the difference). Cincinnati is 4-0 in games decided by 3 points or less! This could easily be a 3 or 4-loss team.

Arkansas St 33 SOUTH ALABAMA 22. Arkansas St is in a tough spot here, they have 7 wins and are already bowl eligible but don't have a conference title to play for. They're laying double-digits on the road and the Red Wolves defense is allowing 527 ypg and 42 ppg away from home. We're passing.

TCU 31 West Virginia 17. Last week, TCU had a misleading close loss to Oklahoma. The Sooners had 30-11 first down and 511-204 yard edges including 366-139 on the ground. The game-changing play was a 98-yard interception return TD (14-point swing). The Horned Frogs do need this game to get to bowl eligibility. Meanwhile, West Virginia has looked better with switch to Doege at QB as he has a 5-0 ratio. Keep an eye towards the sky as the early forecast has wind and rain playing a role.

Boise St 36 COLORADO ST 22. Boise St has already clinched a spot in the Mountain West championship game but need to keep pace with Cincinnati and Memphis when it comes to getting the major bowl berth for the Group of 5. Meanwhile Colorado St won't be bowling this year after losing at Wyoming last Friday. Since 2008, Boise St is 50-9 SU and 38-20-1 ATS as a road favorite but we don't see much value here.

WASHINGTON 34 Washington St 26. Washington head coach Chris Petersen has owned Mike Leach going 5-0 SU (+24.2 ppg) and 5-0 ATS (+19.2 ppg) vs him in the Apple Cup. However, we think that's built in this line especially looking at the stats comparison. Washington is No. 29 in ppg margin, Washington St is No. 31. Washington St is No. 37 in ypg margin while Washington is No. 53 and in yards per play, both teams are +0.6. The Huskies do come in off their third outright loss as a double-digit favorite this year losing at Colorado. Meanwhile, Washington St clinched bowl eligibility with a thrilling comeback vs Oregon St. We lean UNDER.

Appalachian St 35 TROY 24. Appalachian St has already clinched a berth in the Sun Belt Championship game next week but the Mountaineers are also trying to keep pace with Cincinnati, Memphis and Boise St as far as the Group of 5 major bowl bid goes. On the other side, Troy is sitting at 5-6 but they lost by 50 at ULL last week. Did they mail that game in thinking they had a better shot to win this game?

Saturday, November 30th

Georgia 36 GEORGIA TECH 10. Since Georgia Tech won a National Title in 1990, Georgia has owned the series vs them going 22-6 SU and 19-9 ATS. This week Georgia is a 28-point favorite at Georgia Tech. It's the biggest spread in the series in at least 40 years. However, the Bulldogs do have the SEC Championship game on deck and do you really want to lay 4 TD's with an UGA offense that is averaging just 21.5 ppg in their last 6 games? We don't.

TEMPLE 40 Connecticut 10. Temple nearly upset Cincinnati last week. Temple had 20-14 first down and 310-210 yard edges over Cincinnati but lost 15-13. Temple missed a field goal attempt and was stopped on fourth-and-1 from the Cincinnati 18-yard line in the second half. Cincinnati also blocked a PAT attempt and returned it for 2 points which ended up being the difference in the game. Now they're playing a UConn team that is Bottom 10 in the country in ppg margin, ypg margin and ypp margin. The Owls can name their score.

Tulsa 31 EAST CAROLINA 28. Two teams playing for pride here as neither will make it to a bowl. Both teams are improved this season even if the records aren't great. Note Tulsa is -24 in sack margin this season (No. 128) and last week had -1 yards rushing vs Houston although they did outgain the Cougars 380-231. We lean with the home dog here.

PITTSBURGH 31 Boston College 22. Both teams come in off blowout losses last week. We thought the BC/ND game was playing out to expectation when BC led 7-6 mid-2Q but then the Eagles got run over from that point forward. Meanwhile, Pitt was shut out at Virginia Tech that ended the Panthers division title hopes. At 5-6 BC does need to win to get to bowl eligibility but we don't see too much value here.

TENNESSEE 34 Vanderbilt 14. Vanderbilt has won 3 straight in the series for the first time since the 1920s but that winning streak is coming to an end here. The Commodores are bottom 10 in the country in ppg margin, ypg margin and yards per play margin. They're taking on a Tennessee team that has covered 6 straight games and won 5 of 6 (only loss at Alabama). Last week they had 3 WR's top 100 yards in a game for the first time in school history. With all that in mind, this line is a little steep especially for an offense averaging only 24 ppg this season.

BRAD POWERS' ATS STAT OF THE WEEK:
Iowa is 20-0 SU and 17-2-1 ATS as a road favorite. This week, they're 5.5-point favorites at Nebraska.

Wake Forest 35 SYRACUSE 31. It's been a bad season for Orange backers as the Orange are now just 3-8 ATS on the season after a 56-34 loss at Louisville. After winning 10 games last year, the Orange will be staying at home for the holidays this year. On the other side, Wake still has a shot at 10 wins. One advantage Wake has in this one is the Demon Deacons are +10 in sack margin this year while Syracuse is -19 in that category. Note Wake does have kicker Nick Sciba who has made an NCAA-record 32 FG's in a row.

COASTAL CAROLINA 31 Texas St 23. It's heart-break for Coastal Carolina as the Chanticleers have lost their last 2 games by a combined 4 points and at 4-7, there will be no bowl game for them They're taking on a Texas St team that is only 2-8-1 ATS this season. We don't see much value here.

Iowa St 27 KANSAS ST 23. Iowa St is the best 4-loss team in the country as the Cyclones lost those games by a combined 11 points. We have them No. 17 in our power ratings and they are No. 18 in yards per play margin. They're taking on a dangerous Kansas St team that is 8-3 ATS this season and has played in a one-possession game in 5 of their last 6. We see another here. Also make sure to check the weather as the forecast has winds near 20 mph.

North Carolina 31 NC STATE 24. Tough laying nearly doubles here with a North Carolina team that has seen 9 of their 11 games decided by 7 points or less. NC QB Sam Howell did set the record for TD passes for a true frosh with 32. NC State is just 1-9 ATS in their last 10 games. North Carolina does need a win to get to bowl eligibility while NC State will be home for the holidays for the first time in 6 years. This line seems steep. Pass.

MARSHALL 30 FIU 22. Don't mind leaning with Marshall here after an upset loss at Charlotte last week. Meanwhile, FIU is off the biggest win in school history as they beat Miami as 3-TD underdogs. However, it was a misleading final as Miami, FL had 26-17 first down and 413-297 yard edges but Miami was -3 in TO's. Miami was also stopped on downs on 4&1 at the FIU 1-yard line and 4&1 at the FIU 18. Remember, Marshall has 32 players on its roster from the state of Florida.

Navy 33 HOUSTON 26. Navy can get to the AAC Championship game with a win here and a Cincy upset of Memphis. A couple of misleading finals from last week is why Navy is laying more than a TD here. Navy was +196 yards vs Smu but needed to rally late. Meanwhile, Houston was -149 yards vs Tulsa but won the game by 10.

Baylor 34 KANSAS 20. There were some concerns that Baylor QB Charlie Brewer may not play here but according to head coach Matt Rhule he's "ready to roll". Last week we faded Baylor on these pages and came up short as the Bears shut down Texas. Baylor now has 10 wins and his heading to the Big 12 Championship next week to take on Oklahoma. Meanwhile, Kansas got a nice cover vs Iowa St (were out-scored 20-7 in the 4Q). What is Baylor's desire for margin here? 15-20 mph wind is in the forecast for this one.

Ohio St 30 MICHIGAN 20. Since 2004, Ohio St is 14-1 SU (+12.7 ppg) and 9-5-1 ATS (+5.8 ppg) vs Michigan. Since halftime of Penn St game: Michigan has out-scored their opponents 180-52. So what has changed? Well in Michigan's first 7 games, they had 14 TO's, in the last 4 games just 2 TO's. On the other side, Ohio St had a misleading final vs Penn St last week. OSU was +12 first downs, +130 rush yards and +190 total yards. However, OSU had 3 big TO's...one going into the end zone for a TD and two that gave Penn St short fields (10 points on 23 yards of total offense). OSU DE Chase Young vs an average UM OL. We're going back with the Buckeyes here.

Clemson 40 SOUTH CAROLINA 14. You'd think you would be paying a premium on such a high-profile team but Clemson is on a 17-4 ATS (+9.2 ppg) run dating back to last year. The Tigers come in off a bye and have been playing their best ball of the season as since the North Carolina near loss, they've out-scored their opponents by an average of 53-10. The Tigers have won 5 straight in this series by 23 ppg. On the other side, it's been a disappointing season for South Carolina and this will be their bowl game.

Wisconsin 24 MINNESOTA 23. The Winner goes to Indianapolis for the Big Ten Championship game. ESPN College Gameday will be making their first appearance in Minneapolis. We think there's some value on Minnesota here. First, Minnesota QB Tanner Morgan is underrated (26-5 ratio, No. 6 in QBR). On the other side, we feel the Wisconsin defense is overrated. Vs Big Ten teams, they are allowing 20 ppg and 327 ypg...vs Non-Conference opponents allowing 0 ppg and 113 ypg! Wisconsin is on a 14-1 SU (+13.7 ppg) and 8-7 ATS (+1.6 ppg) in series but Minnesota broke their long losing streak last year. Finally, the trend line is up for Minnesota: Last 5 games (+19 ppg and +165 ypg)...Wisconsin (+1 ppg, +52 ypg). Rain, snow and wind is in the forecast.

PENN ST 49 Rutgers 7. The final looked halfway decent for Penn St last week at the Horseshoe but they benefited from 3 Ohio St TO's. Still, they can name their score here and head coach James Franklin has been known in the past to not be afraid to run it up. If Penn St QB Sean Clifford doesn't play, we feel the Lions are just fine with Will Levis who led all the scoring drives vs OSU. We lean OVER.

LIBERTY 38 New Mexico St 24. Since they played a pair of FCS teams, Liberty needs this game to get to 7 wins and bowl eligibility. The two teams famously played twice last season and already played this year. The Flames won that earlier meeting in Las Cruces 20-13 but benefited from +3 TO's. After starting 0-9, New Mexico St has won 2 straight games, albeit it came against an FCS team and UTEP last week. Since there is so much familiarity with the two teams, we lean UNDER.

UTAH 38 Colorado 10. It's now Utah's turn to carry the "Pac-12" flag after Oregon went down last week. The Utes are more than capable and we thought they were better than Oregon anyway (had them higher in our power ratings

even prior to last week). The Utes have won and covered 7 straight games. Their outscoring their opponents 38-9 and have beat the spread by an average of 13.7 ppg. They're legit as they are No. 5 in ppg margin, No. 4 in ypg margin and No. 5 in yards per play margin. Last week, Colorado stunned many in pulling the outright upset over Washington as a 2-TD underdog (killed our season win total UNDER bet on them). At 5-6, they need a win to get to a bowl...good luck.

Charlotte 31 OLD DOMINION 23. Charlotte clinched bowl eligibility last week with an upset win over Marshall. What is their motivation for margin here? This could be the last game for ODU head coach Bobby Wilder who has been with the program since 2009 but is enduring by far their worst season. The Monarchs are No. 124 in yards per play margin and No. 129 in sack margin (-28). This line seems a bit pricey for a team that's only been a road favorite one time since their inception.

WESTERN KENTUCKY 29 Middle Tennessee 19. WKU first-year head coach Tyson Helton should be up CUSA coach of the year. The Hilltoppers upset Southern Miss last week, which was their 5th outright upset of the season and now they stand at 7-4 SU and 8-3 ATS. They've leaned heavily on a defense that is allowing only 19.5 ppg. On the other side, there will be no bowl for MT but that was expected coming into the season.

AIR FORCE 27 Wyoming 17. Wyoming is on a 10-0 ATS (+11.6 ppg) run vs Air Force. Both teams are going to a bowl game this year but Air Force is trying to win their 10th game of the season. Last week Falcons QB D.J. Hammond III only had 10 passing attempts, but his 327 yards was the most by an AF team since 1976. Meanwhile, Wyoming's rush D is allowing just 94 rush ypg this season. Near the spread.

Fresno St 34 SAN JOSE ST 31. After both of these teams lost outright as a favorite last week, neither will be going to a bowl game. Still, there is a stark contrast in how they will view the season. One one side, San Jose St has made major strides this season while Fresno St took a major step back. San Jose St is better in ypg margin and ypp margin. Keep an eye towards the sky (wind and rain).

Rice 27 SAN JOSE ST 20. The Owls have won 2 straight games after starting the season 0-9. Both were outright upsets over solid Middle Tennessee and North Texas teams but now they're laying a TD on the road and keep in mind, the Owls are still No. 125 in yards per play margin. With that being said, we want nothing to do with a UTEP team that has lost 10 straight and are 1-4 ATS in their last 5.

Nevada 31 UNLV 23. The rivalry started in 1969 and these two play for the Fremont Cannon. Last year UNLV got their biggest come-from-behind win in school history as they trailed 23-0 and won 34-29. This will be the final game for UNLV head coach Tony Sanchez who did a solid job off-the-field in raising money for the program but the on-the-field results never came to fruition. Last week, the Rebels closed out Sam Boyd Stadium (move to Raiders stadium next year) with an upset win over San Jose St. On the other side, Nevada has quietly won and covered 3 straight games.

Indiana 28 PURDUE 24. In the battle for the Old Oaken Bucket, Purdue has also won and covered both games in this series under head coach Jeff Brohm. The Boilers have also covered 6 of their last 7 games this season (can you guess the only game they didn't cover, obviously it had to be a game we used on these pages). Overall, the underdog in their games have covered in 7 straight and we think that streak goes to 8 vs a banged up Indiana team.

LSU 40 Texas A&M 24. The SEC Title game is on deck for LSU as the question you have to ask is do they need or want margin here? They might considering they dropped to No. 2 in the CFP Playoff rankings on Tuesday. Also LSU has revenge after a 7-OT loss to Texas A&M last year (that was the last time they lost). Meanwhile, this is a tough stretch of back-to-back brutal road games for A&M after playing a physical game vs UGA last week. We don't see much value.

KENTUCKY 29 Louisville 26. Louisville head coach Scott Satterfield has done a tremendous job this season getting a 1-11 Louisville team to 7 wins. This could be another feather in his cap. However, Kentucky is 4-1 ATS and are playing their best ball of the season. Pass.

Alabama 26 AUBURN 23. Auburn has played the much tougher schedule (No. 6 vs No. 63). We feel Alabama back-up QB Mac Jones is getting too much love...he played against the worst SEC team in Arkansas and a bad FCS Western Carolina team. Remember, Saban is only 19-24 ATS laying single digits at Alabama. Auburn's defense hasn't allowed more than 24 points to any team this year. Can Auburn score 21 points here? They've only averaged 16 ppg vs Florida, LSU and Georgia (their 3 losses). We have a lean on Auburn.

UL-LAFAYETTE 44 UL-Monroe 23. Remarkably the road team is 17-2-1 ATS in this series. ULL has the Sun Belt Championship game vs Appalachian St here but are playing their arch rival here. They showed no weakness last week in arguably their best performance of the season as they crushed Troy 53-3. The Ragin Cajuns are averaging 276 rush ypg (6.6 ypc) and will be taking on a ULM team that is allowing 252 rush ypg (5.7 ypc) on defense. Yikes!

GEORGIA SOUTHERN 33 Georgia St 24. Both teams are bowl eligible but both are still jockeying for position. The two teams have similar statistical profiles but we think the market's mis-pricing here is because of Georgia St QB Dan Ellington. He has been compromised the last couple of games because he is playing on an ACL injury (just 5 rushing yards). Lean Georgia Southern.

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2★ Northwestern (plus the points) ILLINOIS 24 Northwestern 19. We know Northwestern is really bad this year, but this line takes that into consideration. Statistically, the teams are relatively close as Northwestern is -67 ypg while Illinois is -74 ypg. In fact, against 6 common opponents (Nebraska, Minnesota, Wisconsin, Purdue, Michigan St and Iowa), Illinois is -152 ypg while Northwestern is -49 ypg. The Wildcats are catching points in this rivalry for the first time since 2011 and are 13-6 SU (+7.9 ppg) and 13-6 ATS (+5.3 ppg) vs Illinois since 2000. This is their bowl while Illinois has already clinched a bowl bid. Also note that Illinois QB Brandon Peters might not play here. Meanwhile, Northwestern is going with Andrew Marty at QB (led 3 TD drives last week).

MICHIGAN ST 34 Maryland 14. A huge number to laying here for a Michigan St team that is averaging 22 ppg on offense. Still, they laid a huge number vs Rutgers last week and won and covered for the first time in 6 games. They're taking on a Maryland team that looks like it has waived the white flag on the season as they've lost their Big Ten games by an average of 29 ppg this season. MSU can become bowl eligible with a win but this line looks pricey.

2★ Oklahoma St (plus the points) Oklahoma 38 OKLAHOMA ST 28. Oklahoma is not the same team as what they were the first two months of the year. After losing at Kansas St, they've won games by 1 point, 3 points and 4 points. On the other side, the market downgraded Oklahoma St too much for losing Spencer Sanders. He's a high-variance QB due to the TO's. Meanwhile his back-up Dru Brown is experienced as he was a 2-year starter at Hawaii (37-15 ratio) and Brown has a 5-0 ratio this year. Finally, Oklahoma St is on a 10-1 ATS run (+13.5 ppg) as an underdog.

LOUISIANA TECH 37 Utsa 17. Louisiana Tech gets back QB J'Mar Smith and WR Adrian Hardy for this game. The Bulldogs lost both games without them and that was coming on the heels of a 8-game win streak. Now they need a UAB loss to North Texas and a win here to clinch the division. They're taking on a UTSA team that has covered 4 of their last 5 games.

FLORIDA ATLANTIC 31 Southern Miss 24. A win for FAU here and the Owls are going back to the CUSA Championship game. However, note that Southern Miss is better in yards per play margin this year (No. 34 vs No. 74) but are coming off a disappointing loss to WKU last week. We were all set in taking the points here but Southern Miss QB Jack Abraham is still a question mark.

SMU 37 Tulane 33. Both teams have been grinded down a bit in what is a really good AAC conference. If you've been riding the Green Wave this season, you're 8-3 ATS but you did get a fortunate cover last week (see page 1). Still Tulane has lost 4 of 5 games. Meanwhile, SMU after an 8-0 start has lost 2 of their last 3 games. Last week's loss at Navy ended their AAC Championship and New Year's 6 hopes. Near the spread.

California 26 UCLA 25. Last week we came up short on these pages backing a UCLA team that now has nothing to play for other than pride. Meanwhile, Cal ended their long losing streak to arch rival Stanford in the Big Game as they had a 4Q rally. We trust them more in this spot as Chip Kelly will enter 2020 on the hot seat for UCLA.

Notre Dame 30 STANFORD 16. What is Stanford's motivation after blowing a 4Q lead and 9-game series win streak vs Cal last week? This will be the first time Stanford won't be in a bowl game since 2008. Stanford QB KJ Costello is not likely to play here and Stanford is No. 104 in ppg margin, No. 105 ypg margin, No. 102 in ypp margin. Quite frankly, it's a bad Stanford team. However, ND hasn't won here since 2007. Stanford is on a 9-2 SU (+3.4 ppg) and 10-1 ATS (+13 ppg) run as a home underdog and this is their biggest home underdog role since 2008. Also check what could be a bad weather forecast.

ARIZONA ST 35 Arizona 23. Kudos to Arizona St head coach and QB Jayden Daniels as the Sun Devils pulled the big upset over Oregon cashing on these pages. ASU QB Daniels was 22 of 32 for 408 yards and 3 TD's. Meanwhile, Arizona looks like they are just playing out the season as they have lost 6 straight games and failed to covered in 6 straight games losing by double-digits in all of those games.

Uab 26 NORTH TEXAS 24. After last week's win over Louisiana Tech all UAB needs here is a win and the Blazers win the CUSA West division for the second year in a row. UAB head coach Bill Clark doesn't get enough credit. On the other side, North Texas has been one of the most disappointing teams in CUSA this year at 4-7 SU/3-8 ATS and they covered just 1 of their last 7 games. However, our power ratings say they are the play here.

Utah St 37 NEW MEXICO 24. Final game for New Mexico head coach Bob Davie who was here 8 years (where did the time go). Despite being banged up, the Lobos haven't quit as they got a back door cover vs Air Force last week. On the other side, the Aggies were crushed at home by Boise St but are still bowl eligible. Pass.

Miami, FL 27 DUKE 21. Miami comes in off arguably the worst loss in the history of the program last week as they fell to FIU 30-24 as 21-point favorites. Miami had 26-17 first down and 413-297 yard edges but was -3 in TO's. Miami was also stopped on downs on 4&1 at the FIU 1-yard line and 4&1 at the FIU 18. That's now 3 outright losses as a 2-TD plus favorite this year. However, the Canes are taking on a Duke team that has been worn down with 5 straight losses (1-4 ATS). Keep in mind, though ND was at Duke a few weeks ago and were laying 7.5. Now a much inferior Miami team is laying 9 here.

FLORIDA 35 Florida St 17. Match-up edge for a Florida defensive line that has 38 sacks (No. 5) vs a FSU offensive line allowing 36 sacks (No. 122). Both teams are off a bye but who do you trust with extra time to prep? Mullen or an interim coach and a coaching staff maybe getting an early jump on where they will be coaching next year? However, note that FSU interim coach Odell Haggins is 4-0 SU/3-1 ATS.

Byu 20 SAN DIEGO ST 17. After missing a FG on the final play of last week's game vs Hawaii, San Diego St will not be going to the Mountain West Championship game this season. Meanwhile, BYU has won 5 straight games and the Cougars will be spending their holidays in Hawaii. Amazingly, San Diego St games are on a 10-1 run to the UNDER this season.

2★ Oregon St (plus the points) OREGON 40 Oregon St 24. Last week we cashed on these pages fading Oregon and now you have to wonder how they pick themselves off the mat after their CFB Playoff dreams died in the desert. They're taking on one of the most improved teams in the country this year in Oregon St who needs one win to get to bowl eligibility (season win total was 2). The Beavers have a very capable QB in Jake Luton (28 TD's and only 3 INT's) that could easily come through the back-door in this game.

3★ Army 28 HAWAII 27. Yes, we know we just pushed on these pages last week fading Hawaii (some of you lost if you bet on Gameday). However, it's all about the situation for this handicap. We have a Hawaii team off a division-clinching win over San Diego State last week that went down to the wire (San Diego St missed a FG on the final play that would've sent it to OT) and the Warriors have the Mountain West Championship game on deck. Will Hawaii be max motivated here? It's a legit question and the last team you'd want to face with motivation issues is a service academy. Remember, Air Force crushed them by 30 on the Islands earlier this year. On the other side, Army is off a bye, needs a win to get to 6 wins, and has a bye on deck.

Updated College Football Power Ratings for Week 14

Rank	Team	Pre	11/27	Rank	Team	Pre	11/27	Rank	Team	Pre	11/27	Rank	Team	Pre	11/27	Rank	Team	Pre	11/27	Rank	Team	Pre	11/27	Rank	Team	Pre	11/27	Rank	Team	Pre	11/27																																																																																																																
1	Ohio State	88.60	101.60	34	Missouri	81.55	75.05	67	Colorado	66.74	67.24	100	Vanderbilt	69.87	59.37	101	UL-Lafayette	54.05	59.05	102	Liberty	58.65	58.65	103	Navy	51.36	58.36	104	Ohio State	51.36	58.36	105	Central Mich	66.84	58.34	106	Utah	59.30	58.30	107	SMU	69.78	58.28	108	Oregon State	61.42	57.92	109	San Jose State	62.03	57.53	110	Rice	60.86	57.36	111	UCLA	54.28	57.28	112	Louisville	53.43	56.93	113	Alabama	55.41	56.41	114	Toledo	63.73	56.23	115	Alabama	63.73	56.23	116	Arizona	51.73	55.23	117	Nebraska	54.87	54.87	118	Bowling Green	51.96	54.46	119	Maryland	55.67	54.17	120	NC State	45.48	52.48	121	UCLA	53.19	50.19	122	Mississippi St	58.53	48.03	123	Syracuse	51.23	47.73	124	Michigan St	49.41	46.91	125	Stanford	48.73	45.73	126	Vanderbilt	44.53	42.53	127	Rutgers	43.86	41.36	128	Arkansas	48.34	40.34	129	Northwestern	48.73	35.73	130	Arkansas	44.58	28.08	131	Massachusetts	44.58	28.08	132	Massachusetts	44.58	28.08

Week 14 Computer Projected Lines for Every CFB Game

For the past couple of seasons we have posted computer projected lines at pregamed.com. Games where there was of difference of more than 3 points saw our computer lines actually beat the Vegas line at a 224-176-10 (56%) clip the last three years. That's pretty solid and actually better than our own handicapping in some seasons. Last week's plays went 3-7 and now the record for this year is 69-62-2. Keep in mind, these computer lines don't take into consideration off-the-field factors like revenge or flat spots. They are basically a power-rating number difference between the two teams that also takes into consideration the home field advantage.

Of the 13 games where our computer is off more than 3 points compared to the Vegas line (highlighted), our favorite team this week to back would be **Oklahoma St +13**.

The Comp column is the computer projected line and the Diff column is the difference between the Vegas line and the Computer line. "+" numbers in the difference column say back the underdog. "-" numbers in the difference column say back the favorite. Let us know if you have questions.

Thursday, Nov 28th	Line	Comp	Diff	Saturday, Nov 30th	Line	Comp	Diff
311 Ole Miss				373 Rutgers			
312 Mississippi State	-2.5	-2.7	-0.2	374 Penn State	-40.5	-44.3	-3.8
Friday, Nov 29th	Line	Comp	Diff	375 New Mexico State			
313 Bowling Green				376 Liberty	-14	-13.8	+0.2
314 Buffalo	-29	-25.6	+3.4	377 Colorado			
315 Virginia Tech				378 Utah	-28.5	-27.9	+0.6
316 Virginia	+2.5	-3.1	+5.6	379 Charlotte			
317 Toledo				380 Old Dominion	+9.5	+7.7	+1.8
318 Central Michigan	-10	-6.0	+4.0	381 Middle Tennessee			
319 USF				382 Western Kentucky	-8.5	-10.7	-2.2
320 UCF	-23.5	-22.3	+1.2	383 Wyoming			
321 Texas Tech				384 Air Force	-10.5	-12.4	-1.9
322 Texas	-10	-10.8	-0.8	385 Fresno State			
323 Kent State				386 San Jose State	+2.5	+3.9	-1.4
324 Eastern Michigan	-4.5	-4.4	+0.1	387 Rice			
325 Miami (OH)				388 UTEP	+7	+8.0	-1.0
326 Ball State	-3	-2.2	+0.8	389 UNLV			
327 Iowa				390 Nevada	-7	-6.7	+0.3
328 Nebraska	+5.5	+5.1	+0.4	391 Indiana			
329 Missouri				392 Purdue	+6.5	+6.4	+0.1
330 Arkansas	+12.5	+13.0	-0.5	393 Texas A&M			
331 Cincinnati				394 LSU	-17	-18.5	-1.5
332 Memphis	-11	-8.8	+2.2	395 Louisville			
333 Arkansas State				396 Kentucky	-3	-3.5	-0.5
334 South Alabama	+11	+10.4	+0.6	397 Alabama			
335 West Virginia				398 Auburn	+3.5	-1.0	+4.5
336 TCU	-13.5	-15.0	-1.5	399 UL-Monroe			
337 Boise State				400 UL-Lafayette	-20	-21.0	-1.0
338 Colorado State	+14	+12.8	+1.2	401 Georgia State			
339 Washington State				402 Georgia Southern	-7.5	-11.6	-4.1
340 Washington	-7.5	-7.9	-0.4	403 Northwestern			
341 Appalachian State				404 Illinois	-8.5	-7.5	+1.0
342 Troy	+12.5	+11.0	+1.5	405 Maryland			
Saturday, Nov 30th	Line	Comp	Diff	406 Michigan State	-22	-19.8	+2.2
343 Georgia				407 Oklahoma			
344 Georgia Tech	+28	+26.9	+1.1	408 Oklahoma State	+13	+8.8	+4.2
345 Connecticut				409 UTSA			
346 Temple	-28	-29.7	-1.7	410 Louisiana Tech	-20.5	-18.5	+2.0
347 Tulsa				411 Southern Miss			
348 East Carolina	+5.5	+5.0	+0.5	412 Florida Atlantic	-8.5	-6.1	+2.4
349 Boston College				413 Tulane			
350 Pittsburgh	-9	-8.3	+0.7	414 SMU	-3.5	-4.5	-1.0
351 Vanderbilt				415 California			
352 Tennessee	-21	-19.7	+1.3	416 UCLA	-1.5	-2.0	-0.5
353 Wake Forest				417 Notre Dame			
354 Syracuse	+4.5	+2.3	+2.2	418 Stanford	+16.5	+13.7	+2.8
355 Texas State				419 Arizona			
356 Coastal Carolina	-7	-7.3	-0.3	420 Arizona State	-13.5	-11.2	+2.3
357 Iowa State				421 UAB			
358 Kansas State	+5	+2.5	+2.5	422 North Texas	+3	-0.6	+3.6
359 North Carolina				423 Utah State			
360 NC State	+9	+6.4	+2.6	424 New Mexico	+11	+15.7	-4.7
361 FIU				425 Miami (FL)			
362 Marshall	-7.5	-7.6	-0.1	426 Duke	+9	+4.1	+4.9
363 Navy				427 Florida State			
364 Houston	+8.5	+5.4	+3.1	428 Florida	-17.5	-18.7	-1.2
365 Baylor				429 BYU			
366 Kansas	+14	+14.1	-0.1	430 San Diego State	+3	+1.4	+1.6
367 Ohio State				431 Oregon State			
368 Michigan	+9	+7.4	+1.6	432 Oregon	-19.5	-22.3	-2.8
369 Clemson				433 Army			
370 South Carolina	+27	+23.5	+3.5	434 Hawaii	-2.5	-3.9	-1.4
371 Wisconsin							
372 Minnesota	+3	-0.6	+3.6				

Top 20 CFB ATS Trends for Week 14

- Since 2004, Virginia Tech is 15-0 SU (+17.1 ppg) and 11-4 ATS (+8.4 ppg) vs Virginia. This week the Hokies are 2.5-point road favorites at Virginia.
- Toledo is on a 9-0 SU (+18.3 ppg) and 9-0 ATS (+7.2 ppg) run vs Central Michigan. However, the Rockets find themselves a 10-point underdog at the Chips this week.
- Iowa is 20-0 SU (+18.4 ppg) and 17-2-1 ATS (+11.5 ppg) as a road favorite. This week the Hawkeyes are 5.5-point road favorites at Nebraska.
- Nebraska is on a 0-8 ATS (-13.8 ppg) run as a home underdog since late 2015.
- When Cincinnati is an underdog, they look to slow the game down as the UNDER is 20-4. This week's total at Memphis is 57.5.
- Since 2008, Boise St is 50-9 SU and 38-20-1 ATS as a road favorite. This week the Broncos are 13.5-point road favorites at Colorado St.
- Washington head coach Chris Petersen has owned Mike Leach going 5-0 SU (+24.2 ppg) and 5-0 ATS (+19.2 ppg) vs him in the Apple Cup. This week Washington is a 7-point home favorite vs Washington St.
- Since Georgia Tech won a National Title in 1990, Georgia has owned the series vs them going 22-6 SU and 19-9 ATS.
- This week Georgia is a 28.5-point favorite at Georgia Tech. It's the biggest spread in the series in at least 40 years.
- Since 2004, Ohio St is 14-1 SU (+12.7 ppg) and 9-5-1 ATS (+5.8 ppg) vs Michigan. This week the Buckeyes are 9-point road favorites at Michigan.
- Clemson is on a 17-4 ATS (+9.2 ppg) run dating back to last year. This week the Tigers are 27-point favorites at rival South Carolina.
- Wisconsin is on a 14-1 SU (+13.7 ppg) and 8-7 ATS (+1.6 ppg) run in the series but Minnesota broke their long losing streak last year. This week the Badgers are 2.5-point road favorites at Minnesota.
- Wyoming is on a 10-0 ATS (+11.6 ppg) run vs Air Force. This week the Cowboys are 10.5-point road underdogs.
- UTEP is on a 3-14 ATS (-4.9 ppg) run as a home dog. This week the Miners are 7-point home underdogs to Rice.
- Texas A&M is 4-1 ATS (+4 ppg) as a double-digit underdog under head coach Jimbo Fisher. This week the Aggies are 17-point road dogs at LSU.
- Oklahoma is 14-2 SU (+12.8 ppg) and 10-5-1 ATS (+4.5 ppg) vs in-state rival Oklahoma St since 2003. This week the Sooners are 13-point road favorites.
- Oklahoma St is on a 10-1 ATS run (+13.5 ppg) as an underdog.
- Stanford is on a 9-2 SU (+3.4 ppg) and 10-1 ATS (+13 ppg) run as a home underdog. This week the Cardinal are in their biggest home underdog role since 2008 as they are 16.5-point dogs to Notre Dame.
- Oregon is 10-1 SU (+20.7 ppg) and 6-4-1 ATS (+3.6 ppg) vs in-state rival Oregon St since 2008. This week the Ducks are 19-point home favorites vs the Beavers.
- Hawaii is on a 7-18 ATS (-6.3 ppg) run as a favorite. This week Hawaii is a 2.5-point home favorite over Army.

4★ = BEST
3★ = BETTER
2★ = GOOD
1★ = FAIR

THE POWERS' PACK

- 3★ INDIANAPOLIS (-2.5) over Tennessee
- 2★ DALLAS (-6.5) over Buffalo
- 2★ PITTSBURGH (+2) over Cleveland

Games in Rotation Order

Thursday, November 28th

Chicago 21 DETROIT 19. The Lions had a misleading loss last week as they outgained Washington 364-230 but lost the game. That coincides with the Lions having a misleading loss at Chicago a little more than two weeks ago as the Lions lost 20-13 at Soldier Field but had a 357-226 yard advantage in that one. QB Jeff Driskel did throw 3 INT's and took 6 sacks last week and the Lions have failed to cover 6 games in a row. The Bears are taking big money in this game but we can't lay a FG on the road with them.

2★ DALLAS 26 Buffalo 17. At 8-3, the Bills are off to their best start since 1996. However, we think they've benefited from an extremely weak schedule so far (No. 32 SOS according to Jeff Sagarin). The Cowboys have lost 5 of their last 8 games since starting 3-0, but we think there's been an overreaction to the loss at New England on Sunday (didn't the Cowboys cover the spread?). Since 1989, 6-point or more favorites on Thursday are 62-41-3 ATS (60%). It makes sense because with far less prep time, it comes down to the "Jimmy's and the Joe's" instead of the "X's and the O's". Also non-division favorites on Thursday are even better at 67-39-6 ATS (63%) since 1989 as their is unfamiliarity and short prep time.

New Orleans 28 ATLANTA 22. The Saints have revenge for a 26-9 loss at Atlanta 3 weeks ago. It was the biggest upset of the NFL season so far as we cashed with Atlanta on these pages. New Orleans is taking a lot of money early in the week here. Last week the Saints barely survived the Panthers needing a missed FG. Meanwhile, the Falcons certainly were brought down to earth after a blowout loss to Tampa Bay last week. We don't see much value here.

Sunday, December 1st

Green Bay 26 N.Y. GIANTS 20. Daniel Jones is the first player since 2003 with 10 lost fumbles in a season but we somehow cashed on them last week on these pages. On the other side, obviously, the Packers were embarrassed at San Francisco on SNF. However, note teams that lose by 21 or more points and are road favorites next week are 55-39 ATS (58.5%). The Packers are -75 ypg in the second half of the season. Pass.

CAROLINA 26 Washington 14. Washington was out-gained 364-230 vs Detroit but got only their 2nd win of the season last week. Meanwhile, Carolina had two missed extra points and a missed FG vs New Orleans last week in their near upset win. We lean with the big favorite.

BALTIMORE 26 San Francisco 20. No team in NFL history has had a better 5-game run than the Baltimore Ravens have had. In their last 5 games, Baltimore is 5-0 SU (+28 ppg) and incredibly 5-0 ATS (+25.5 ppg) a combined +127.5 ATS points! Lamar Jackson is now -300 to win the NFL MVP. The Ravens are now the Super Bowl favorites at 3/1. Yes, this line is a bit pricey but we're not fading them here.

Updated NFL Records: Straight Up, ATS and Over/Under

Team	Straight-Up			Against The Spread			Over/Under		
	Total	Home	Away	Total	Home	Away	Total	Home	Away
Arizona	3-7-1	1-3-1	2-4-0	7-3-1	3-2-0	4-1-1	7-4-0	4-1-0	3-3-0
Atlanta	3-8-0	1-4-0	2-4-0	4-7-0	2-3-0	2-4-0	4-7-0	1-4-0	3-3-0
Baltimore	9-2-0	4-1-0	5-1-0	6-4-1	2-3-0	4-1-1	7-4-0	2-3-0	5-1-0
Buffalo	8-3-0	4-2-0	4-1-0	7-3-1	3-3-0	4-0-1	3-8-0	2-4-0	1-4-0
Carolina	5-6-0	2-3-0	3-3-0	6-5-0	2-3-0	4-2-0	7-4-0	3-2-0	4-2-0
Chicago	5-6-0	3-3-0	2-3-0	3-8-0	2-4-0	1-4-0	3-8-0	1-5-0	2-3-0
Cincinnati	0-11-0	0-5-0	0-6-0	4-6-1	0-4-1	4-2-0	3-7-1	3-1-1	0-6-0
Cleveland	5-6-0	3-3-0	2-3-0	4-6-1	2-3-1	2-3-0	5-6-0	3-3-0	2-3-0
Dallas	6-5-0	3-2-0	3-3-0	7-4-0	3-2-0	4-2-0	7-4-0	3-2-0	4-2-0
Denver	3-8-0	2-3-0	1-5-0	6-5-0	3-2-0	3-3-0	4-7-0	2-3-0	2-4-0
Detroit	3-7-1	2-3-0	1-4-1	4-7-0	2-3-0	2-4-0	7-4-0	4-1-0	3-3-0
Green Bay	8-3-0	5-1-0	3-2-0	7-4-0	4-2-0	3-2-0	5-6-0	3-3-0	2-3-0
Houston	7-4-0	4-1-0	3-3-0	5-6-0	1-4-0	4-2-0	4-7-0	1-4-0	3-3-0
Indianapolis	6-5-0	4-2-0	2-3-0	6-4-1	3-3-0	3-1-1	6-5-0	4-2-0	2-3-0
Jacksonville	4-7-0	2-3-0	2-4-0	5-6-0	2-3-0	3-3-0	6-4-1	2-3-0	4-1-1
Kansas City	7-4-0	2-3-0	5-1-0	6-5-0	2-3-0	4-2-0	7-4-0	4-1-0	3-3-0
L.A. Chargers	4-7-0	2-4-0	2-3-0	3-7-1	1-4-1	2-3-0	3-8-0	1-5-0	2-3-0
L.A. Rams	6-5-0	3-3-0	3-2-0	7-4-0	3-3-0	4-1-0	4-7-0	2-4-0	2-3-0
Miami	2-9-0	1-5-0	1-4-0	5-6-0	2-4-0	3-2-0	5-6-0	3-3-0	2-3-0
Minnesota	8-3-0	5-0-0	3-3-0	6-5-0	3-2-0	3-3-0	6-5-0	3-2-0	3-3-0
New England	10-1-0	5-0-0	5-1-0	7-4-0	3-2-0	4-2-0	3-8-0	2-3-0	1-5-0
New Orleans	9-2-0	5-1-0	4-1-0	7-4-0	3-3-0	4-1-0	6-5-0	3-3-0	3-2-0
N.Y. Giants	2-9-0	1-4-0	1-5-0	4-7-0	1-4-0	3-3-0	6-5-0	1-4-0	5-1-0
N.Y. Jets	4-7-0	3-3-0	1-4-0	5-6-0	3-3-0	2-3-0	6-5-0	2-4-0	4-1-0
Oakland	6-5-0	5-1-0	1-4-0	6-5-0	4-2-0	2-3-0	6-5-0	3-3-0	3-2-0
Philadelphia	5-6-0	3-3-0	2-3-0	4-7-0	2-4-0	2-3-0	5-6-0	2-4-0	3-2-0
Pittsburgh	6-5-0	4-2-0	2-3-0	5-4-2	3-2-1	2-2-1	3-8-0	3-3-0	0-5-0
San Francisco	10-1-0	5-1-0	5-0-0	6-4-1	3-2-1	3-2-0	5-6-0	3-3-0	2-3-0
Seattle	9-2-0	3-2-0	6-0-0	6-5-0	1-4-0	5-1-0	6-5-0	3-2-0	3-3-0
Tampa Bay	4-7-0	1-4-0	3-3-0	3-8-0	0-5-0	3-3-0	9-2-0	4-1-0	5-1-0
Tennessee	6-5-0	4-2-0	2-3-0	6-5-0	4-2-0	2-3-0	6-5-0	4-2-0	2-3-0
Washington	2-9-0	1-5-0	1-4-0	4-7-0	2-4-0	2-3-0	4-7-0	3-3-0	1-4-0

3★ INDIANAPOLIS 24 Tennessee 19. The Colts have a couple extra days to prep for this one coming off that Thursday Night game vs Houston. We feel head coach Frank Reich is one of the more underrated coaches in the NFL. Indy is 27-6 SU/21-12 ATS vs Tennessee since 2003 and remarkably the Colts have been great vs winning teams going 9-3 SU (+6.9 ppg) and 11-1 ATS (+9.6 ppg). Finally, while Tennessee QB Ryan Tannehill is 4-1 SU/ATS as starter including cashing for us easily on these pages last week, note that he is 0-1 SU/ATS on road in that span.

Philadelphia 27 MIAMI 17. Do you really want to lay near double-digits on the road with this Philadelphia offense? Philly has one TD drive last 2 games. However, on the other side, Miami has the worst point differential of any team through 11 games since the 2008 Rams (-183). Miami has a -30 sack differential! On top of that the Philly defense is healthy and looks good allowing just 12.7 ppg in their last 4.

KANSAS CITY 28 Oakland 17. This is a battle for first place in the AFC West. Kansas City head coach Andy Reid off a bye is 22-5 SU/18-9 ATS. Also note that the Chiefs are on a 9-1 SU (+12.9 ppg) and 7-3 ATS (+5.9 ppg) run vs the Raiders. Yes, we easily cashed on these pages fading the Raiders last week, however note that teams off 30-point or more losses in the NFL are 198-165-13 (54.5%). We prefer the UNDER more than anything as the early wind forecast has it at 21 mph!

JACKSONVILLE 24 Tampa Bay 23. Tampa Bay games are now on a 9-0 run to the OVER! It makes sense considering Jameis Winston has six straight 300-yard passing games but he has an NFL-high 24 turnovers including 20 interceptions! A lot of early money has come in on Tampa Bay here, but we don't see much value.

N.Y. Jets 23 CINCINNATI 19. Andy Dalton will be back at QB for the Bengals as they tried to avoid a winless season. They had the Steelers on the ropes last week before QB Hodges saved the day for Pittsburgh. Meanwhile, we easily cashed on these pages with the Jets blowout win over Oakland. The Jets full-season stats are skewed because of 3 games with Luke Falk at QB. Note that they are 4-4 SU with Darnold as the starter (playing like their season win total of 7.5). That's now 3 straight wins for them and Darnold with a 7-1 ratio in those games. Cincy was leaning heavily on RB Joe Mixon but now taking on No. 1 Jets rush defense.

L.A. Rams 24 ARIZONA 23. The Cardinals come in off a bye and the Rams on are on a short week and traveling. The Cardinals are 7-3-1 ATS this year as both QB Murray and HC Kingsbury have greatly over-achieved expectations. Meanwhile, that blowout loss on MNF to Baltimore felt like a franchise crusher for the Rams. Their playoff chances are very slim this year and what's their plan moving forward? They have two terrible contracts with QB Goff and RB Gurley and they're in a division with 3 surging teams.

L.A. Chargers 22 DENVER 19. Have we seen the beginning of the end for Philip Rivers? He's thrown 7 INT's in his last two games (most in a 2-game span in his career). The Chargers are off a bye and seeking revenge from an earlier loss to Denver. On the other side, Brandon Allen was only 10 of 25 for 82 yards last week. Denver's 10 offensive possessions last week, 8 punts, an interception and a FG. We're passing.

2★ Pittsburgh 21 CLEVELAND 20. Yes, we lost on these pages in this match-up two weeks ago. However, we expect a raucous atmosphere here. This is the first time Cleveland has been favored in Pittsburgh since 1989! The Browns are 2-25 SU at Pittsburgh since and have been an underdog obviously in all 27 games. In fact, Cleveland is 0-15 SU (-12.9 ppg) at Pittsburgh the last 15! We feel Delvin Hodges (64 QBR) is an upgrade over Mason Rudolph (33 QBR) at this point. Also the Steelers are 63% ATS as an underdog since 2000 and are on a 8-2 ATS run in this role. Remember, Cleveland was a 3-point home favorite to Pittsburgh two weeks ago, now they're laying 2 on the road (means Cleveland would be -8 at home vs Pittsburgh)?

New England 24 HOUSTON 20. Last week the Patriots became the first team in NFL history to have 17 consecutive seasons of 10 ore more wins. Belichick vs O'Brien (since 2014): The Patriots are 5-0 SU (+15.2 ppg) and 4-1 ATS (+7.0 ppg). Belichick might have some bad blood toward the Texans after they tried to hire NE's player of personnel Nick Caserio to become their GM. The Patriots filed tampering charges and the Texans backed off. New England's pass defense has one of the more incredible stats we've ever seen this late into the season as they allowed 4 TD passes but have 20 INT's!

Monday, December 2nd

SEATTLE 26 Minnesota 22. Remarkably, if the playoffs started today, these two great teams would be only in the Wild Card round. Minnesota head coach Mike Zimmer is only 2-3-1 ATS off a bye but Zimmer vs Non-Division opponents is 41-17-3 ATS (70.7%). The Vikings have been outgained in each of their last three games and note that Minnesota QB Kirk Cousins is 0-7 SU on Monday nights. Slight lean Seattle.

